# PHILATELIC RARITIES AUCTION



SALE No. 27

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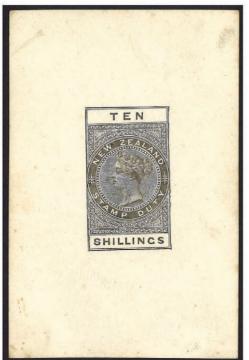
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## Saturday 11th March 2017

# commencing 12 noon West Plaza Hotel, Wellington, New Zealand

Welcome to our first Rarities Auction, consisting solely of individual stamps or sets.

Highlights of this sale include:

- NZ 1949 Vanguard.
- Reconstructed sheet of 240 GB Penny Blacks.
- · GB VR 1d Black.
- Extensive range of NZ Queen Victoria Longtypes.
- Good range of NZ sidefaces, some believed to be unique.



With two exceptions, all lots have a reserve of 70% of estimate, making for attractive buying. Don't miss this occasion to add that elusive item or two to your collection. If you wish to exceed your usual budget, please contact us, prior to the auction, to arrange extended credit.

March is a busy month for us at Mowbray Collectables, with our usual monthly auction, this Rarities Stamp Auction, NZ's biggest Numismatic Auction, and our attendance at the Melbourne 2017 Stamp Exhibition where we have a double stand.

My thanks to all our 15 staff who have worked so hard to prepare for these events.

John Mowbray - Managing Director

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#### **BIDDING**

Absentee bids can be placed by mail, phone, fax or e-mail, and should be received in our office by 8am NZ time (GMT + 13 hours) Saturday 11th March (at your risk if not received in time).

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Buyers please note: no GST will be added to the hammer price of lots. However, a Buyers Premium of 15% (plus GST on buyers premium for NZ buyers) will be added to the hammer price of each lot.

#### **ESTIMATES ARE IN NEW ZEALAND DOLLARS**

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as this is the reserve on most lots. No vendor bids shall be accepted

#### **Mowbray Collectables - Registered Auctioneers**

#### **EXPLANATION OF SYMBOLS & ABBREVIATIONS** Mint & used pmk Mint never hinaed Postmark MUH Mint never hinged L Label h/s Handstamp Mint hinged or unused F Forgery b/s Backstamp FU С Cover/Postcard/Entire FDC First day cover Fine Used GU Good used cds Circular date stamp Р Proof Used Manuscript OR Miniature Sheet PPC Picture Postcard m/s PU Postally used CTO Cancelled to Order H/H Heavily Hinged o/c Off centre SG Stanley Gibbons MNG mint no aum CP Campbell Paterson OG Original gum Revenue

#### **CONDITIONS OF SALE**

- 1 INSPECTION: No lot is available for inspection by post.
- 2. EXTENSION: Extensions for certificates will be granted on application prior to the conclusion of the auction. Mowbray Collectables will submit all items so requested by successful biders to the reputable authority of their choice, in most instances this would be the Royal Philatelic Society of New Zealand, or the Royal Philatelic Society, London. The cost of certification plus postage and handling will be charged once the relevant clear certificate has been received.

#### 3. BIDDING

- 3.1 Bidding, either in absentia or in the room will bind the bidder to these conditions of sale. Subject to any reserve price, the highest bidder shall purchase the lot: any dispute arising as to who is the highest bidder shall be determined by the Auctioneer who may offer the lot again. The Auctioneer may group, split up, or withdraw lots, and transfer bids to identical lots at his discretion.
- 3.2 The bidder shall be deemed to purchase as buyer unless prior to bidding he has given the Auctioneer a copy of a written authority to bid on behalf of another person.
- 3.3 Where an agent purchases on behalf of an undisclosed client, such agent shall be personally liable for payment of the purchase money to the Auctioneer and for safe delivery of the lot to the said client.
- 3.4 Vendor bids shall not be accepted.
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  - Otherwise, the regulation of bidding is at the Auctioneer's discretion.
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- 6. ESTIMATES: These are conservative. Bidding will commence at a bidding increment over the second highest postal/absentee bid received prior to commencement of the auction. Where one or no bids have been received, bidding will commence at seventy percent (70%) of the lot estimate, or at reserve if above 70%.
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- 11. GOVERNING LAW: These conditions shall be governed by and constructed in accordance with the laws from time to time in force in New Zealand and the parties hereto irrevocably submit to the non-exclusive jurisdiction of the Courts of New Zealand.



## **NEW ZEALAND - DEFINITIVES**

### **Full Face Queens**

		Tuil Tuce Queens	
1	М	1d dull orange, imperf 3 margins (2 good) no wmk. Trace of oxidation top left corner. SG 8. Cat £3500. Mint.	\$750
2	U	1/- emerald-green, unwmk paper, 4 margins (1 close). SG 16. Cat £1800. Odenweller cert (2009). FU.	\$850
3	М	1d vermilion, imperf 4 margins close at left, star wmk. SG 34. Cat £750. Regummed mint.	\$600
4	М	1d vermilion, imperf 4 margins except just touches at right, star wmk. SG 34. Cat £750. Regummed mint.	\$650
5	М	6d black-brown, imperf 4 margins except just touches right at top, star wmk. Very disturbed OG. SG 41. Cat £1900. Mint.	\$1,250
6	М	1/- yellow-green imperf, 3 margins, star wmk. SG 45. Cat £1800. Regummed mint.	\$1,250
7	U	1d orange-vermilion, wmk star, roulette 7 discenable all 4 sides. Ex Inoue. SG 47. Cat £850. RPSNZ cert (1996). FU.	\$500
8	U	3d brown-lilac, Davies print, wmk star, roulette 7 discernable all 4 sides. SG 52. Cat £800. RPSNZ cert (1996). Ex Inoue. FU.	\$600
9	U	1/- green, rouletted, 7 discernable 3 sides (not top) star wmk. SG 56. Cat £900. GU nearly FU.	\$400
10	М	1d carmine-vermilion imperf, 3 margins, wmk NZ. SG 97. Cat £950. Regummed mint	\$750
11	М	6d red-brown, p12½, NZ wmk. SG 108. Cat £650. OG. Mint.	\$500
12	R	1d carmine-vermilion, p12½, star wmk, (SG 110) scarce fiscal use: endorsed "No (Revenue?) stamp March 4 1867".	\$500
13	U	4d orange, p12½, star wmk, FU barred '15' pmk. SG 121, cat £1000. CP A4b(7), cat \$2500. Brandon cert (1998).	\$1,000
14	M	Imperf simplified mint set of 9: 1d red, 1d orange, 2d blue, 3d brown-lilac, 6d yellow-brown, 6d black-brown, 6d brown, 6d red-brown, 1/- green. Mostly 3-4 margins. (1d orange repair, 6d yellow-brown, 6d brown, 6d red-brown & 1/- back thin). A nice average set. Unused no gum (except 3d OG). Cat Jury \$8600+.	\$2,250
		First Sidefaces	
15	U	1874 4d Indian red, mixed p12½ & 10. SG 162 var. CP 4b(Y). Cat \$2500. RPSNZ cert (2003). FU.	\$750
16	М	1874 4d Indian red, irregular compound p12½ & 10. Mint part original gum . SG 162. Cat £800. CP C4b(z). Cat \$2500. RPSNZ cert (2003).	\$500
17	М	1874 4d maroon, irregular compound p12½ x 12½ x 10 x 12½. SG 162. Cat £800. CP C4b(z). Cat \$2500. RPSNZ cert (2008). Mint.	\$750
18	*	1874 5/ ACS cat \$3750. MUH.	\$2,000
19	S	1874 set to 5/-, ovpt specimen (various handstamps). 1d, 2d, 3d, 6d in colours diff from as issued, 1/-, 2/-, 5/- have gum, others MNG. $^{-5-}$	\$1,000

20	NA	1874 set to 5/ A nice set. Cat Jury \$4400. Mint.	\$1,500
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۷۱	U	1878 2/- claret. Dunedin A-type cds 1881. CP C7a. Cat \$850. FU.	φ <del>4</del> /3
		Second Sidefaces	
22	M*	1882 set of 10 (½d, 3d MUH). Jury cat \$1123. Mint.	\$400
23	U	1890 2d die 3, wmk NZ & star (4mm spacing), p12½. SG 215. Cat £650. CP D3f. Cat \$2000. RPSNZ cert (2008). FU.	\$750
24	U	1890 2d, die 3, p12½ x 10 x 10 x 10 irregular compound perfs. Perfs at lower left corner have been cut off. CP D3gT. Not priced. RPSNZ cert (2008).	\$500
25	M	1890 3d yellow, compound p12½ x 10, variation of SG 216e. RPSNZ 2000 cert: "Although the wmk appears to measure 6mm between the NZ and star this is 7mm paper with vertical mesh". CP D5e(Y). Cat \$3200. Not priced SG. Mint.	\$1,500
26	U	1893 2d, p10, complete reconstruction of 240 (4 panes of 60) adverts in brown-purple (3rd setting). Used. Mostly sound. CP DA3g(8). Cat \$2880.	\$850
27	*	1893 2d horiz block of 8 with red adverts on reverse, p10. CP DA3g. Cat \$880. MUH.	\$500
28	U	1893 2½d, mixed p10 & 12½, "Stamp Beechams Pill etc" advert on reverse. CP DA4e(1)(x). Cat \$1000. RPSNZ cert 2016. GU/FU.	\$500
29	М	1893 2½d, mixed perfs 10 & 12½. Third setting "Poneke" advert on reverse. SG 220b. Cat £425. CP DA4e1(x), not priced CP. RPSNZ cert (2008). Mint.	\$1,000
30	U	1893 5d, mixed perfs p10 & 12½, 'Bonnington's Irish Moss' advert on reverse. SG 216g variety. CP DA7d(z), unpriced. RPSNZ cert (2000). Used.	\$500
31	M*	1893 5d horiz strip of 5 purple-brown adverts on reverse. 3 stamps MUH, 2 mint. Positions 19-23 of top RH pane, 3rd setting. P10. CP DA7d. Cat \$2750 (if all MUH). Ceremuga cert (2000).	\$1,250
32	U	1893 6d, compound p12½ x 10 x 10 x 10, third setting advert (Sunlight Soap) on reverse. CP DA8h(y). RPSNZ cert (2008).	\$1,000
		1898 Pictorials	
33		Waterlow & Sons, imperf sample stamps ½d, 1d, 3d, 5d, 6d, 9d, 1/-, 2/-, 5/-in various colours. (None as issued). Also 4d green Terraces perf corner single with punchhole. All ovpt "Waterlow & Sons Ltd".	\$750
34	Р	1898 2½d to 5/- plate proof singles plus 1900 ½d, 1d, 2d, in issued colours. Fine looking lot.	\$500
35	U	1898 1/- Kaka, London print re-entry (R3/4). W/c. CP EV18b. Cat \$700. GU/FU.	\$400
36	*	1903 5d Otira, p11, red-brown, s/ways wmk block of 4. CP E13c(1). Cat \$1,300. MUH.	\$600
37	*	1906 6d Kiwi rose-carmine, p14 s/ways wmk, RH selv well centred block of 4, with 2 stamps letter wmks. CP E14g(2). Cat $$1,120$ . MUH.	\$500
38	*	1906 9d Terraces, reddish purple, p14, block of 4. CP E17d(1). cat \$1,000. MUH.	\$450
39	*	1907 6d Kiwi reduced, deep rose-red block of 4, p14. CP E15a4. Cat \$1,400. MUH.	\$600

40	*	1908 3d Huias reduced, brown, p14 x 13, block of 4. CP E10b(1). Cat \$1,200. MUH.	\$500
		1d Universals	
41	М	1904 Carmine, "Dot" plates, horiz block of 15 with RH selvedge, mixed perfs (11 & 14) (7 mint/8 muh) with 2 horiz rows official patching. CP G8d(1). Cat \$920. Attractive block.	\$450
42	*	1904 Dot plate 3 block of 12 (R1/7 to R2/12). P14 x 11, mixed perfs. Perf 14 horiz out of alignment & re-perfed 11 & patched. Upper selvedge incl guidelines. Mounted in selvedge & strengthened LH block of 4 . CP G8d. Cat \$960. Mint/muh.	\$400
43	М	1906 Rose-carmine, mixed perfs 11 & 14, mint, patched block of 4. NB patching regumming gives a type of translucent perf appearance. CP G9e, Cat \$4000.	\$2,000
44	М	1906 Rose-carmine, p14 x 14½, Royle trial plate block of 4 ("R2" & most of arrow). 2 mint/2 muh. Lovely & fresh. CP G10f(1). Cat \$5000.	\$2,500
		King George V	
45	М	1915-30 1½d-1/- set of 2 perf pairs. Mint. (1½d faults, 5d no gum). CP cat \$2200.	\$750
46	U	1922 5d imperf block of 4. SG 424a. CP K7ay. Cat \$3000. Brandon cert (2008). FU.	\$500
47	U	1927 6d carmine-lake. SG 425c, cat £400. CP K8a(8), cat \$2600. RPSNZ cert (2006). FU.	\$500
48	U	1928 1/- orange-brown, p14 x 14½, undated used horiz strip of 3. SG 430cc, cat £1350. CP K12b(4), cat \$7800. RPSNZ cert (2008).	\$2,500
		1935 Pictorials	
49	*	1935 5d Swordfish, single wmk, p13-14 x 13½ plate blk (#1) of 4. Scarce. CP L8a. Cat \$1500. MUH.	\$750
		Queen Elizabeth II	
50	*	1958 2d QEII Stars ovpt error block of 4, with lower selvedge, 41/4mm diameter dots. CP N41a. Cat \$1800. MUH.	\$750
51	*	1960 9d Flag, red colour omitted. CP O11az. Cat \$1500. MUH.	\$750
52	*	1971-2 4c on 2½c Moth RH selv horiz pair photo gravure surcharge, 1 stamp showing red, (value) almost omitted. Also LH selv block of 4, London letterpress surcharge, 1 stamp showing bars of ovpt almost completely absent. CP P30az, CP P30b var. MUH.	\$400
53	*	1977 10c QEII plate block of 30 (10 x 3) - No. 2B1B1B1B1B1B1dot incl words "GI BACKGROUND" (etc) in the extra deep selvedge, p14 $\frac{1}{2}$ x 13 $\frac{1}{2}$ . Light vertical crease does not affect appearance. CP PA10aw, MUH.	\$500



















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## **NEW ZEALAND - COMMEMORATIVES**



54	M	1949 Royal Visit 3d HMS Vanguard. Mint. Printed to mark the intended visit to New Zealand of King George VI. The stamps were never issued because the tour was cancelled due to the King's poor health. Virtually the whole issue was destroyed but in the 1970s it was realised a few copies had survived. Light toning but still the finest of the 7 known in private hands. This item last sold by Stanley Gibbons Australia in June 1993. The last Vanguard sold by Mowbrays in November 2009 realised \$27,000 plus buyers premium. A rare opportunity to obtain this major New Zealand Philatelic item.	\$25,000
55	Р	1952 3d Royal Visit, 3d Gothic blue, proposed proof design for planned Royal visit (cancelled) with large top selvedge.	\$1,000
56	U	1975 3c Christmas, missing orange ("Christmas 1975"). rather indistinct either Upper Hutt (or Lower Hutt) cds. (Note: Not known mint). CP SC16az. Cat \$750. FU.	\$500
57	*	1976 11c Christmas vertical interpanneau strips of 10 x 4 with LH selvedge, each showing progressive yellow Dr Blade flaw. Spectacular. MUH.	\$500
		<b>NEW ZEALAND - HEALTH</b>	
58	*	1931 Red & Blue Boys. Noted: 2d pronounced "ACCENT" flaw above "D" in RH value panel, also small natural paper inclusion. MUH.	\$400
59	/	1964 Seagull, red omitted. CP T36a(z). Cat \$800. MUH. Also 3 major red shifts mint, 1 FU. CP T36a(x). Cat \$150 each.	\$500
60	*	1996 40c Teddy Bear error, self adhesive (with normal). Jury cat \$3250. MUH.	\$1,500
		<b>NEW ZEALAND - OFFICIALS</b>	
61	U	1890 2d, wmk NZ & star, p10, ovpt OPSO in violet. SG O9b. Cat £1200. RPSNZ cert (2007). FU.	\$1,500
62	U	1898 5d Otira, no wmk, p11, ovpt OPSO in blue. SG O20b, not priced. RPSNZ cert (2003). FU.	\$1,000
63	U	1898 5d Otira, no wmk, p11, ovpt OPSO in violet. Minor faults. SG O20. Cat £1100. RPSNZ cert (2003). FU.	\$750
64	U	1898 5/- Mt Cook block of 4. Jury cat \$2400. Ceremuga cert (2007). FU.	\$850
65	U	1899 2½d Wakatipu ovpt OPSO in purple. Pmk WELLINGTON 2.9.1899. SG O11. Cat £850. RPSNZ cert (2007). FU.	\$750
66	U	1901 1d Universal, ovpt OPSO in blue, Pirie paper, wmk double line NZ & star, p11, ovpt OPSO in blue. SG O24a (not priced). CP GP2a (not priced).	\$1,000
67	М	1915 5/- QVLT no stop after "OFFICIAL" var, p14½ x 14. LH mint (cat \$675). CP ZO6hz.	\$400







































68	*	1915 5/- QVLT, p141/2 x 14. CP ZO6h. Cat \$500. MUH.	\$400
69	М	1931 5/- Arms, vertical ovpt. ACS Cat \$750. Mint.	\$400
70	U	1933 5/- Arms, vertical ovpt, fine part registered corner cds. ACS cat \$750. FU.	\$400
71	*	1941 2d Whare, p12½ line, plate (2A) blk of 4. CP LO4e. Cat \$3,360. MUH.	\$1,650
		<b>NEW ZEALAND - LIFE INSURANCE</b>	
72	М	1891 VR set, simplified. Mint. 1d no gum, 1/- minor ageing. Cat Jury \$4400.	\$1,000
		<b>NEW ZEALAND - POSTAL FISCALS</b>	
		QV Long Types	
73	R	1867 4/6d grey-brown & blue, die 1, NZ wmk, imperf, 4 margins. H/s & light m/s cancels. Fine example. Kiwi R209. Cat \$1,250. Rare.	\$850
74	R	1867 1d pale lilac & red, die 1, with experimental pin-roulette 5 (visible on 3 sides). M/s & boxed "PAID" cancels. Kiwi R259d. Cat \$900.	\$600
75	R	1867 1d pale red-lilac & red, die I, experimental separation pin roulette 5 vertically, roughly separated at top & right leaving large part corner missing. Boxed PAID r/s & 1/29/67 m/s - early use of experimental separation. Kiwi R259d. Cat \$900.	\$400
76	R	1867 4/6d green & brown, die 1, NZ wmk, imperf, $3\frac{1}{2}$ margins. Small back thin. Colonial Bank/Dunedin h/s cancel. Small back thin. Rare. Kiwi R208. Cat \$1,250.	\$750
77	R	1867 5/6d blue & black, die 1, NZ wmk invt & reversed, imperf, 4 margins but close at 2 points. M/s cancel. Pinhole & horiz crease at top. Rare. Kiwi R213. Cat $$1,250$ .	\$800
78	R	1867 5/8d grey-brown & blue, die 1, NZ wmk invt & reversed, imperf, 4 margins. Colonial Bank of NZ/Dunedin oval h/s & m/s cancel. Fine example. Rare. Kiwi R214. Cat $$1,250$ .	\$1,000
79	R	1867 6/6d brown & blue, die 1, NZ wmk invt & reversed, imperf, 2½ margins. Two tiny pinholes. Light m/s cancel. Rare. Kiwi R217. Cat \$1,250.	\$800
80	R	1867 8/4d green & brown, die 1, NZ wmk invt & reversed, imperf, 3 margins & very close on 4th side. M/s cancel. Rare. Kiwi R225. Cat \$1,250.	\$850
81	R	1867 12/6d red-brown & blue-black, die 1, wmk medium NZ (upright), p12½. Light m/s cancel. O/c. Kiwi R310a. Cat \$600.	\$450
82	R	1867 17/6d blue & black, die 1, star wmk, imperf, 3 margins. Light h/s & embossing cancels. Light soiling on back. Rare. Kiwi R236. Cat \$1,250.	\$750
83	R	1867 £5/10/- orange-red & green, die 1, star wmk, imperf, cut to frame on 3 sides & slightly into on 4th. Light cds & embossing cancels. Fine condition. Rare. Kiwi R250a. Cat \$1,250.	\$700
84	R	1867 £6/10/- orange-red & green, die 1, star wmk, imperf, cut to frame. Cds & embossing cancels & with 2 slits (from foil tie). Rare. Kiwi R252a. Cat \$1,250.	\$650
85	R	1867 £7/10/- pale orange-red & green, die 1, NZ wmk invt & reversed, imperf, 3 margins & cut to frame on 4th side. Embossing cancel & with 2 slits (ex foil tie). Rare. Kiwi R254. Cat \$1,250.	\$700



































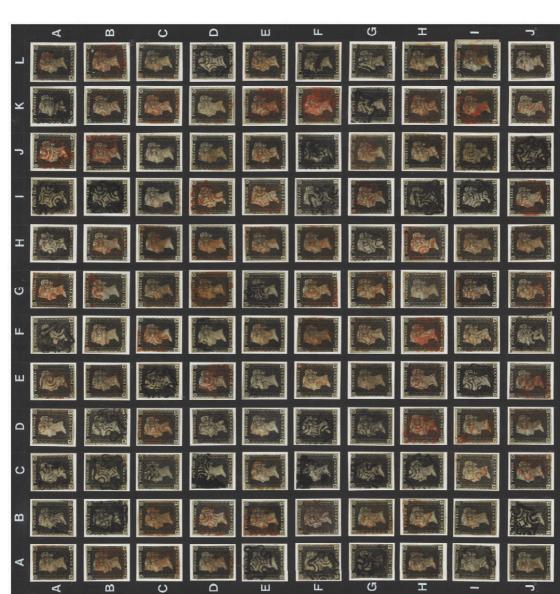




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86	U	1878 1d QV Stamp Duty, lilac, superb used part RANG(IORA?)/12 JA ?/B "A" class cancel. Handsome example of a scarce postally used stamp. Jury cat \$1600.	\$750
87	С	1878 1d QV Stamp Duty, lilac on cover, pmk 'WELLINGTON 9 JE 90'.	
		Adjoining stamp has been torn from cover leaving large part corner missing. Rare on cover.	\$1,000
88	Р	1880 4d, 6d, 8d, 15/-, £6 & £20 imperf plate proofs in issued colours on thin card. Minor blemishes (incl 8d 3 margins).	\$750
89	Р	1880 6d die proof in black on card (wide 1.5 to 2.75cm margins). Rare.	\$750
90	U	1880 5/- green, NZ wmk, p11¾. Genuine postally used, dated 1882 duplex pmk. RPSNZ cert (2012). Not listed by SG but should be by their stated criteria. Unlisted by CP. FU.	\$1,000
91	Р	1880 5/- die proof in grey-black on card (wide 2 to 3cm margins). Rare.	\$750
92	U	1880 9/- orange, NZ wmk, p11¾, genuine postally used, dated 1884 Napier duplex pmk. Small corner crease lower RH corner. RPSNZ cert (2011). Unlisted by SG & CP. FU.	\$1,000
93	Р	1880 10/- die proof in black on card (wide 1.75 to 2.75cm margins). Faint marks in margins. Rare.	\$750
94	Р	1880 Plate proofs set of 26 imperf on thin card - 4d, 6d, 8d, 1/-, 2/- mauve, 2/- blue, 2/6d, 2/6d yellow counterpart, 3/-, 4/-, 5/-, 6/-, 7/-, 8/-, 9/-, 10/-, 15/-, £1, 25/-, 30/-, £2, £4, £5, £6, £10 & £20. All in issued colours (except 2/-mauve).	\$6,000
95	Р	1880 £1 die proof black on card (wide 1.5 to 2.75cm margins). Faint tone spots. Rare.	\$750
96	U	1882 4d orange-red. Fine Timaru 11 AP 82 part duplex pmk, NZ wmk. CP Z1c, cat \$1000. SG F5, cat £425.	\$500
97	U	1882 6d FU on small piece with 2d FSF. RPSNZ cert 1999 states "This is a genuinely postally used example of QVLT 6d Duty Stamp p12 and QV 2d first sideface p12 x 11½ on small piece, cancelled C over 25". SG F6, 181.	\$500
98	U	1882 6d lake-brown, Auckland 11(?) SP 82 part duplex cancels NZ (& part letters) wmk. CP Z1e, cat \$750. SG F6a, cat £850. FU.	\$400
99	U	1882 8d green, pmk Blenheim duplex 1886. RPSNZ cert (1988) 'Genuine Postal Usage for philatelic purposes'. SG F7. Cat £850.	\$500
100	С	1882 1/- pink postally used on part cover, pmk Wellington 6 July 82 with Nelson b/s. Some creasing on surface of stamp. Odd faint tone spot on envelope. RPSNZ cert (2000).	\$750
101	М	1882 2/- to 6/-, 10/- (light crease 6/-). Jury cat \$2850. CP cat \$2425. Mint.	\$1,000
102	R	1890 8/- blue, mixed p12½ with extra p10 external row at top, wmk 4mm NZ & star, clearly dated m/s 27.4.1900. This variety to be listed in next edition of Kiwi Catalogue as R458C3c.	\$500
103	М	1895 7/- blue, unsurfaced paper, p11, upright wmk. SG F62. Cat £425. CP Z8f. Cat \$550. Mint.	\$400
104	U	1901 2/6d brown, inscribed 'COUNTERPART' on piece (NZ Parcels Post). Very scarce postal use. SG F57a. RPSNZ cent (2002). FU.	\$750
105	*	1901 2/6d, inscribed 'COUNTERPART', with top selvedge. SG F57a. Sismondo cert (2007). MUH.	\$500
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106 M 1906 7/6d brown-grey, unsurfaced paper, p14. Very minor gum adhesions. SG F84. Cat £1400. CP Z9d. Cat \$2500. Mint.

\$1,000

107 M 1906 9/- orange, p14, unsurfaced paper. Trivial black spot on front. SG F86. Cat £475. CP Z11f. Cat \$850. Mint.

\$400

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108 \* c1913 2/- block of 4 with RH selvedge, imperf horizontally, p14 vertically, DLR paper, sideways invt wmk. Horiz crease affects top pair & some light gum toning mostly around perfs. SG F98a, noted by CP. Vendor states probably unique block. CP Z2g var. MUH. \$7,500 109 M 1913 6/- rose, DLR, p14½ x 14. SG F116. Cat £300. CP Z7k. Cat \$600. Mint. \$400 110 M 1913 7/- blue, DLR, p14½ x 14. SG F117. Cat £325. CP Z8j. Cat \$550. Mint. \$400 111 M 1913 8/- deep blue, DLR, p14. SG F106. Cat £425. CP Z10h. Cat \$750. Mint. \$400 1913 £1 rose-pink, DLR, p14½ x 14. SG F123. Cat £425. CP Z15j. Cat \$900. 112 Mint. \$400 1925 £1 rose-pink, Cowan, p14½ x 14. CP Z15k. Cat \$900. Mint. \$400 113 M 114 M c1925 £2 purple, Cowan, p14½ x 14. LH mint. \$1,000 115 M c1925 £2 purple, Cowan, p14½ x 14. Mint. \$850 116 M 1926 5/- green with RH selvedge, imperf at right, p141/2 x 14, Cowan sideways invt wmk. Ex Fordwater. Unlisted & not noted CP, but listed RPSNZ (Vol I, page 520.). CP Z6k var. Mint. \$3,000 117 \* 1927 5/- green, Cowan chalky paper, p14½ x 14, wmk invt & reversed. The variety stamp is surfaced on the wrong side. MUH (light bend & small paper fleck). SG F135x var. CP Z6l var. \$750 118 M 1927 5/- green, Cowan chalky paper, p14½ x 14, wmk sideways invt &

reversed. Much scarcer than the standard Cowan wmk paper. CP Z6el var.

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119 / 1927 10/ maroon, Cowan chalky paper, p14½ x 14, wmk sideways invt & reversed. Variety due to surfacing on wrong side. Mint. Also an example "FU", but cancel faked (possible a cleaned fiscal m/s cancel). SG F139x var. CP Z12nZ. Cat \$3000 MUH, \$1000 FU).

\$750

#### **Arms**



120	S	1931 35/- orange, nice mint ovpt Specimen (faint), Cowan paper. Very scarce. Cat Jury normal \$10,000.	\$4,000
121	М	1931-56 £2/10/ Jury cat \$700. Raybaudi cert (1988). Mint.	\$500
122	U	1940 22/- ovpt FU horiz pair on piece with 4d Peace, 5/- Arms. Jury cat \$900. BPA cert (2003).	\$500
123	M	1940Surcharges to $35/-$ , incl both $3/6d$ ( $3/6dsansserifMUH$ ). Cat ACS \$1915. Mint.	\$1,000
124	М	1951 £2/10/-, WT mult invt wmk. SG F207. Cat £475. Mint.	\$400
125	*	1952 £3/10/- rose, WT, mult invt wmk, brownish gum. SG F209w. CP cat \$6500. MUH.	\$2,500
126	*	1952 £4 blue, WT, mult invt wmk. SG F210. Cat £350. MUH.	\$400
		Other	
127	R	1922 25/- QVLT blue, FINE PAID ovpt (red), DLR paper. Unpunched Very fine. Only 3000 printed. Very scarce. Kiwi R80.	\$500
128	R	1931 £2/10/- Arms. FINE PAID ovpt. Cowan paper, cds & perfin cancels. Ragged perfs at right. Very scarce (only 800 Cowan paper printed). Kiwi R103. Cat \$750.	\$500
129	R	1944 on 1940 8d Social Security. Scarce. Kiwi RJ641. Cat \$500.	\$400
		<b>NEW ZEALAND - OTHER</b>	
130	U	1890 3d Railway Newspaper stamp, brown. Minor blemishes. Red diagonal crayon cancel. Scarce item. Kiwi cat \$500.	\$400
131		1951 PSSA Booklet, 1d x 3 panes of 6; 3d & 6d x 1 pane of 6 each. Extremely scarce. Fine condition. Heslop cat $$1,500$ for the 6 sets.	\$500
132	U	1925 Railway Charges set to 10/- (10/- faults incl 3mm hole). Kiwi cat \$1810. GU/FU.	\$1,000
133	U	1925 Railway Charges 2 x 3d K'HAPE RD, 1 x 6d SYMONDS ST on small piece with smudged Auckland Parcels cancel. Both railway stations rated 10 (rarest) by Miller for rarity. Probably unique combination of stations.	\$500

## **POLAR**

		IOLAN	
134	*	Victoria Land 1911 1d block of 4. Cat Jury \$900. MUH.	\$400
135	М	Victoria Land 1913 ½d. Cat \$1,750. Mint.	\$750
		AUSTRALIA	
136	С	1913 regd mourning cover to Lille, Belgium, ex NORWOOD SA 29 October, bearing 3d & 5d 1st wmk Roos. FU & Lille 29-11-13 b/s. Lovely item. SG 5, 8.	\$500
137	U	1930 £2 Roo, black & rose, small multiple crowns wmk, part ASH imprint in lower selvedge. SG 114. Cat £750+.	\$750
		PACIFIC ISLANDS	
138	*	Cook Isl 1921 2/- to £1 QVLT Rarotonga ovpts set of 5 as complete sheets of 60 (each 1 central vert fold), DLR paper (2/- red ovpts). Each sheet incl "trimmed" "Rarotonga" ovpts (R1/6, R3/7). Some gum tropicalisation affects all, but frontal appearance unaffected. SG 76-80, 76a-80a. Cat £17864. MUH.	\$10,000
139	U	Cook Isl 1931 £5 Arms, indigo-blue, Cowan paper. SG 98b. Cat £400. FU.	\$400
140	U	Cook Isl 1944-6 Pictorials set of 9 in blocks of 9, mult wmk. Each with central Rarotonga 16 NOV 59 cds. SG 137-45. Cat £560. FU.	\$500
141	R	New Guinea 1928 2/6d Stamp Duty. Block of 4. Some gum toning. Barefoot 13. Cat £500. MUH.	\$400
142	С	Samoa 1897 1d Palm Tree blue postal stationery p/c, greyish green highly surfaced card. Unused. Only 216 printed. Odenweller SCB2b. Cat US\$400.	\$400
143	М	Samoa 1932 2/6d-£5 Arms set, Cowan paper. Scarce. SG 171-6. Cat £3666. Mint.	\$2,250
144	С	Tokelau 1920s cover to Samoa, Gilbert & Ellice Isl 1/- GV, pmk Gilbert & Ellice Islands Colony - PO Fakaafu Island. Scarce.	\$400
145	U	Wallis & Futuna 1943 Postage Dues set, ovpt 'FRANCE LIBRE'. Most o/c. SG D126-38. Cat £1000. FU.	\$500
		GREAT BRITAIN	
146	U	1840 1d Black & 1d red (AB) matched pair, plate 11. Both with black Maltese Cross cancellations. 1d Black 3 margins, cut into at foot. 1d red 4 margins. Cat £4730. RPSL cert (2016).	\$1,800
147	U	1840 1d Black reconstructed sheet of 240 in 2 panes, used. Margins as follows: 1 margin (13 incl 1 with faults); 2 margins (17 incl 4 with faults); 3 margins (68 incl 14 with faults) & 4 margins (142 incl 26 with faults). Plates are: 1a x 12; 1b x 21; 2 x 21; 3 x 13; 4 x 25; 5 x 28; 6 x 36; 7 x 16; 8 x 28; 9 x 20; 10 x 5; 11 x 5. Unplated 10. The plate 11 items are: LI 3 margins red MC cancel; PJ 4 black, BF 4 red; CB 4 red; HE 3 red. The following are also notable: RE 4 black, PF 4 vibrant red, TJ 4 red, RH 4 red, AJ 4 vibrant red & EI 4 vibrant red. SG cat £113,975. Including identification notes as provided by vendor. The ultimate lot for any collector. Full size scan/photocopy available.	\$45,000































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148	М	1840 1d Black VR unused. Letters OH. Slightly rubbed at RHS. 4 margins. SG V1. Cat £32,000.	\$9,500
149	U	1841 1d red-brown, printed from 1d black plate 11 x 5 examples, 4 margins: AE (repaired impression), DD (double 1st "D"), DI, DK (1 tonespot) & ED. Each with black Maltese Cross cancel. SG Spec AS74, 74b, 75. Cat £940.	\$400
150	М	1867 £5 orange ovpt SPECIMEN. SG 133s. Cat £3500. Mint.	\$1,750
151	U	1878 10/- greenish grey, plate 1 (DB), Maltese Cross wmk, #94 town cancel of Boston. SG 128. Cat $\mathfrak{L}3,200$ . GU.	\$750
152	U	1878 £1, brown-lilac, plate 1 (AJ), Maltese Cross wmk, part (NEWC)ASTLE ON TYNE cds & few vert red pencil (telegraph cancels (?), as these stamps were almost exclusively used for telegraphic purposes. See SG preface. Slightly clipped perfs at top. SG 129. Cat £4,500.	\$750
153	U	1880 2/- brown, plate 1 (AH), wing margin at right, some upper perfs clipped downwards into wing margin. Nonetheless a fair example of a scarce stamp. SG 121. Cat £4,200. GU.	\$500
154	М	1883 $\frac{1}{2}$ d-1/- various designs. Fine colours but 3d minor gum fault. SG 187-96. Cat £5400. Mint.	\$2,750
155	U	1883 9d dull green "GOVT PARCELS" (CH). SG 063. Cat £1,200. FU.	\$600
156	U	1883 5/- rose, plate 4 (FA) anchor wmk, hooded London/AP 2 84 cancel. Small tear at side. Scarce stamp. SG 134. Cat £4,200. GU.	\$400
157	U	1884 £1 brown, 3 imperial crowns wmk (JC). Minor faults. SG 185. Cat £2,800. GU.	\$750
158	U	1891 £1 green (IC) part PROSPECT PLACE/DE 12/91/S(OUTHAM)PTON cds. 2 horiz creases do not affect appearance. Cert mark. SG 212. Cat £800. GU nearly FU.	\$400
159	U	1913 £1 Seahorses green. Hint of small hinge thin, several short/uneven perfs at top. SG 403. Cat £1,400. FU.	\$750
160	U	1929 £1 PUC black. SG 438. Cat £550. FU.	\$600
161	*	1966 4d Birds setenant block of 4, missing reddish brown colour, Robin & Blackbird stamps missing legs. (90 blocks known). SG Spec £250. MUH.	\$400
		<b>BRITISH COMMONWEALTH</b>	
162	*	Ascension 1944 2/6d The Pier, Davit flaw (R5/1), p13. SG 45ca. Cat £1,400. MUH.	\$1,250
163	М	Bermuda 1938 10/- GVI green & deep lake/pale emerald. Ex Lord Vestey. SG 119. Cat £450. Mint.	\$400
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164	М	British Guiana 1951 \$1 GVI Botanical Gardens, p14 x 13. SG 317a. Cat £550. VLH Mint.	\$400
165	U	Canada 1897 Jubilee set to \$5 GU/FU (FU to 50c, \$1, \$2, \$3, \$4, \$5 GU). SG 121-40. Cat £3500.	\$2,000
166	U	Canada 1897 \$1 Jubilee. SG 136. Cat £550. FU.	\$400
167	U	Canada 1897 \$3 Jubilee. SG 138. Cat £800. FU.	\$750
168	*	Canada 1951 \$1 Fisherman, ovpt "G" in plate blk of 4 (No. 1). Unitrade O27. Cat C\$675. MUH.	\$500
169	М	India-Chamba State 1887 ovpts simplified set of 15 to 5R (5R light gum tone). SG 1-21. Cat £700. Mint.	\$500
170	С	Palestine 1918 Jerusalem. French claim to co-sovereignty with GB (under Sykes-Picot Agreement). P/c h/s "HAUT COMMISSARIAT DE LA REPUBLIQUE FRANCAIS EN PALESTINE", franked 4m, canc Sept 18, 5244 & censor. P/c handstamped "HAUT COMMISSAIRE", dated Sept 18, unaddressed but with message. "High Commission" title only used between colonial power & colony. Both p/cs also with circular Commissariat seal h/s. As described by T E Lawrence, General Allenby brushed aside the French attempt. Very scarce.	\$400
171	*	Palestine 1920 1 piastre Jerusalem 2nd ovpt (Arabic 10mm long), p15 x 14, top selvedge horiz pair with Jubilee lines, shows variable spacing of Hebrew ovpt. (Jerusalem 3 has constant spacing). Mounted on selvedge. SG cat £1100. MUH.	\$1,500
172	U	Palestine 1921 1 piastre, London I ovpt, invtd wmk. Believed only 2 examples known. Unpriced by SG. SG 65w. FU.	\$1,200
173	*	Swaziland 1961 25c on 2/6d QEII Highveld View. Variety "type 2" surcharge at bottom left (instead of upper centre). Rare. SG 74b. Cat £650. MUH.	\$600
174	*	Swaziland 1961 50c on 5/- QEII Swazi Warrior. Variety "type 3" surcharge (at centre left). Rare. SG 75b. Cat £850. MUH.	\$800
		FOREIGN	
175	U	Austria-Hungary Military Post 1915 10k blue-grey, ovpt 'K.U.K. FELDPOST'. SG 21. Cat £450. FU. Also same unoverprinted design, 1914 Bosnia & Herzegovinia. SG 82. Cat £200. FU.	\$500
176	*	Austria 1946 1S+1S-5S+5S 1st Anniversary of Renner Govt, set of 4 imperf m/s of 8 on cream paper. Some minor selvedge faults (small creases etc) outside sheet frame. SG 976. Cat £2500. MUH.	\$1,800
177	U	China 1882 5ca Dragon yellow on thin paper, badly pulled perf upper right. SG 3a. Cat £900. FU.	\$500
178	U	China 1923 \$1, \$5 & \$20 Hall of Classics, Peking, 2nd Peking printings (i.e. redrawn design), also \$1 1st Peking printing. SG 304, 328, 330 & 332. Cat $\pounds$ 474. GU/FU (4v).	\$500
179	*	China 1963 Hwangshan Landscape set of 16. 1 short perf & slight green marks on 30F. Hint of gum discolouration on 50F. SG 2124-2139. Cat £700. MUH.	\$400
180	С	China 1973 regd NZ Commission Hong Kong cover, Giant Pandas set, Kwangchow bilingual 16 April 1973 cancel to Hong Kong with original contents (in English) & H.K. 18 April 1973 arrival b/s.	\$500

181	М	China-East China-Jiangsu & Anhui Border Area 1946 10c & Xuazhung on imperf nearly 4 margins no value blue flying pigeon. Unused no gum as issued. SG EC264. Cat £450.	\$400
182	М	China-Taiwan-Chinese Province 1945 10s pale blue, ovpt inverted, with left selvedge. Unused no gum as issued. SG 3a. Cat £400.	\$400
183	М	China-Taiwan-Japanese Isl 1945 3r, 5s & 10s imperf set. Unused, no gum as issued. SG J1-J3. Cat £430.	\$425
184	U	France 1860 1c Empire Franc, bronze-green on bluish, block of 4, wide margins all round, expertisement mark of "A Brun". Canc 'La Commanderie' 18 Fevr 62. (Cat Y & T block of 4 Euros1250).	\$500
185	*	Germany 1930 "IPOSTA" International Philatelic Exbn m/s of 4 views. Superb MUH. SG 464a. Cat c£1900 as MUH.	\$1,750
186	*	Germany 1933 Welfare Fund m/s of 4 with "1923-1933" ovpt. Superb MUH. SG 525a. Cat £8500 as MUH. Michel cat Euros 6000.	\$7,500
187	*	Germany-West Berlin 1949 Relief Fund m/s of 3. Small "Schlegel" guarantee h/s on back (lower right corner of selvedge), SG B70a. Cat £1200. MUH.	\$1,200
188	U	Greenland 1915-37 Parcel Post set of 9 to 3k. All p11¼ except 70ø p10¾. SG P4A-9A, P11A-12A, P10B. Cat £895. FU.	\$800
189	М	Greenland 1945 Liberation of Denmark 15ø, 2k, blue ovpts. SG 21a, 24a. Cat £700. Mint.	\$500
190	М	Greenland 1945 Liberation of Denmark ovpts set. SG 17-25. Cat £1200. Mint.	\$1,000
191	С	Italy 1949 100L Centenary of Roman Republic, horiz strip of 3 (1 damaged & not counted in cv) + 10L airmail used on typed addressed airmail (annotated 8 grammes) cover to London, Rome Railway Station PO 27 June 1949 cds'. Scarce. Sassone 600. Euros 1400+ on cover.	\$500
192	U	Liechtenstein 1928 70th Anniversary of Accession set. SG 84-91. Cat £1593. Marxer cert (2005). FU.	\$1,000
193	U	Liechtenstein 1931 Zeppelins FU on pieces with complete red cds. SG 116-7. Cat $\pounds$ 730.	\$600
194	U	Liechtenstein 1933 2f, 3f, 5f, clear dated cds 1.10.37. SG 141-3. Cat £2500. FU.	\$1,700
195	U	Liechtenstein 1933 Scenes set of 3. SG 121-3. Cat £770. FU.	\$500
196	U	Liechtenstein 1951-2 2f Prince, 3f Princess (both p12½ x 14), 5f Castle. SG 302A, 303A, 304. Cat £625. FU.	\$600
197	М	Netherlands 1852 15c King William, orange-yellow, imperf, 4 margins (close at top). Pencilled expertiser's initials on back. SG 3b. Cat £1100. Mint.	\$750
198	М	Netherlands 1913 10G Centenary of Independence, Queen Wilhelmina, orange. Top value. SG 225. Cat £1200. Mint.	\$950
199	М	Netherlands 1951 5G Queen Juliana, brown, re-engraved (plate 2). SG 700a. Cat $\pounds$ 700. VLH mint.	\$500
200	М	Portugal 1870 240r King Luis, pale dull lilac, curved value panels, p12½. SG 67. Cat £1500. Mint.	\$1,250
201	М	Portugal 1873 240r King Luis, pale dull lilac, straight value panels, p12½, unsurfaced paper. O/c, otherwise very fine. SG 99. Cat £2250. VLH mint.	\$1,500

202	М	Portugal 1894 500r Prince Henry the Navigator 500th Anniversary, deep purple on bluish. O/c. SG 325. Cat £500. Mint.	\$400
203	М	Portugal 1894 1000r Prince Henry the Navigator 500th Anniversary, black on buff. Top value. SG 326. Cat £850. Mint.	\$750
204	М	Portugal 1924 20E Ceres, turquoise-blue, glazed paper, p12 x 11½. SG 577. Cat £700. VLH mint.	\$600
205	*	San Marino 1961 1000L Air sheetlet. SG 636. Stamps cat £390. MUH.	\$400
206	U	USA 1879 defins set of 10, p12, American Banknote printing, (30c 1 straight edge). SG 184-93. Cat £637. GU/FU.	\$400

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