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N.Z. NOTES and COMMENT

(By Campbell Paterson)

1d. + ½d. PETER PAN INVERT.

A pleasant surprise recently was the offer to us of a sheet of the green Peter Pan with **inverted watermark**. Naturally we accepted them, though the price was not low, for until this sheet appeared only one earlier copy (used) had ever been heard of. Considering that the issue was made over seven years ago, these stamps look like a very "good risk." Practically all have been sent out to our "Health" specialists, but we have four copies in reserve available for readers who may want them. Let us know.

THE C.P. LOOSE-LEAF CATALOGUE

I am in a slightly better position now to gauge the costs of production, although still unable to fix the final price. So very many factors are involved. However, I am able to announce that there is a possibility of the price being nearer the 35/- than the 40/- of the two limits suggested and **we are going to allow a 5% discount to all whose order with £1 deposit (cash or charged to A/c.) is sent in before the 31st July.**

This is no more than fair since we will have the use of the deposit money, but I would like those who order to consider the discount a small token of my real appreciation of their timely support for the new venture. **Naturally, the many whose orders are already in will also receive the discount.** Don't forget the discount date, **31st July at the latest.** I would stress that my expression of warm appreciation for early orders is entirely sincere. Authors get all the credit (if any!) for books they write, but it is the public who by their support make these books possible. In this case support at this time is support at the right time.

SIGHT-SORTING THE 1935 PICTORIALS—5d. SWORDFISH

As always in this series of Notes I will presume that the reader has before him a fairly large number of unsorted stamps.

First turn the stamps face down and sort into fine (smooth) paper and coarse (rough) paper groups. Setting aside the latter for the moment, deal first with the "fine" group. Remove all stamps with the obviously large perf. 12½. These are L8e (Pim's 572a). Now divide the remainder of the "fine" group into (a), those with vertical mesh (Single watermark) and (b), those with horizontal mesh (Multiple watermark). If unable to use the "mesh" method, great help can be obtained from the fact that "single" watermark stamps, when heated, curl "ends up," while the multiple watermark stamps curl "top and bottom up." Try it, but if in doubt use the watermark detector. Every stamp will show more than one watermark, but the "multiple" is larger and the separate watermarks lie much closer together than in the "single." We now have all the remaining "fine" stamps in groups "a" and "b" as above. The "b" stamps are all L8c (Pim's 572), but group "a" will contain stamps (all "single" watermark) in two perms.: 13-14 x 13½ and 13½ x 14. Using the gauge, unless experienced, any stamp gauging an even 13½ along the whole length of the top will be L8b (Pim's 551a). The remainder of our group (a) will all be L8a (Pim's 551).

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Finally we turn to the coarse paper stamps which we earlier placed to one side. Any of these perf. 12½ will be L8f (Pim's 572b) and all the rest will be L8g (Pim's 572c). Easy, isn't it? It is as well to check all L8c and L8g for inverted watermarks (L8g is very rare thus) and watch the same two stamps for re-entries. See illustrations in the C.P. Catalogue. Incidentally, the re-entry illustrations will be 100% better in the new Catalogue than in the 1951 edition.

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We take pride in the accessories we sell, dealing only in those lines which we know are without rival for quality, efficiency, durability and appearance.

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We speak with experience when we say that this is the perfect glass for stamp collectors. Usable in any light or no light, with just the right strength ("X10"), the "Inspectoscope" clearly reveals without strain every printing variety worth seeing. Can be supplied for use with batteries only or with extra transformer unit which fits any standard electric light socket. Ask to see on approval.

The "Inspectoscope" complete with bulb and batteries 70/-
 The "Inspectoscope," as above, plus transformer unit 126/-

THE C.P. STOCK BOOK (WITH TRANSPARENT SLOTS)

Not only is this equal of any similar book available, but it has the added and important refinement of transparent slots. These allow a complete view of every stamp in the stock book. Bound in deep green linen cloth, stiff covers, 24 heavy board pages with 168 slots, page size 6ins. x 7¾ins., linen-hinged, linen-reinforced edges, glassine interleaving. Built to last!

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Used by leading specialists all over the world, the F.G. range of albums contains the right volume for every type of collector from the modest novice to the advanced specialist. Workmanship throughout is of the highest standard. All albums below carry the well-tried standard F.G. bolt and slide mechanism—easily manipulated. Extra leaves always available.

F.G. Graduate.—75 leaves, 8½ins. x 10¼ins. (including binding margins), bound in sound serviceable Royal Blue Rexine. Combines convenience with permanence. £2/2/-

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F.G. Popular.—Carries our strong recommendation for the collector with fine stamps deserving a fine home. 60 leaves, size as for "Graduate," double linen-hinged, interleaved, gilt edged. Half bound in leather, dark green. Supplied in strong lined dust-proof box. A handsome volume £8/19/6

Note.—We have available three almost new "F.G. Popular" albums. The wear these have received is negligible and they are complete with 60 new leaves. A great opportunity to pick up a bargain. Literally "as good as new" £7/15/-

Postage is extra on all albums, as follows: "Popular," 3/5; "Warwick," "Burleigh" and "Graduate," each 2/3.

THE "TRUPEL" HINGES

These are proving tremendously popular—and no wonder, for they are the greatest advance in stamp hinging in 50 years. Remember, they do not need moistening, they peel easily, leaving no mark on the stamp and they can be used again and again.—Per packet of 250 3/-

George V.—Mint.

Surface printed issues—prices slashed. Last month's special offers of the recess-printed George V. proved very popular. Those below are equally attractive offers and the list will repay careful study. Blocks available in most cases.

486 ½d Green. — De La Rue, green, 3d; yellow-green, 8d; Jones, 9d;
 Litho, 4d; Cowan 14 x 15, 2d; Cowan p. 14 2d
 487 ½d War Stamp. Each 2d
 488 1d Field Marshal.—Cowan p. 14, 2d; 14 x 15, 2d; Wiggins Teape,
 thin paper, 2/-; Wiggins Teape, thick, 7/6; Cowan with reversed
 watermark 40/-

THE C.P. LOOSE-LEAF CATALOGUE

HAVE YOU SENT IN YOUR ORDER YET?

Deposit with order: £1. Known customers can have the £1 charged to their account if they wish.

NOTE.—A discount of 5% will be allowed off the final purchase price to all whose order reaches us on or before the 31st July, 1952.

The Catalogue will be obtainable only from **Campbell Paterson, Ltd.**, Private Bag, Epsom, S.E.3, and **will not at any time be available from shops or agents.**

489	1½d Black.—Local print, grey-black, 9d; black, 9d; London print, grey-black, 9d; black	9d
490	1½d Brown.—De La Rue, orange-brown, 4d; deep orange-brown, 6d; Cowan perf. 14, 2/9; perf. 14 x 15 (scarce), 7/6; Wiggins Teape	7/6
491	2d Yellow.—De La Rue, pale, 1/6; yellow, 8d; orange-yellow, 1/6 Jones, 4/-; Litho, 2/-; Cowan p. 14 x 15, 1/-; Cowan perf. 14, 9d; Cowan Reversed watermark, 5/-; Wiggins 14 x 15 pale yellow, 2/6; orange, 1/6; Wiggins perf. 14 orange-yellow	1/6
492	3d Chocolate.—De La Rue, 2/6; Jones, 8/6; Cowan 14 x 15	1/9
493	2/- Admiral.—Jones, single stamp, 33/-; block, £7/10/-; Cowan, single	35/-
494	3/- Admiral.—Jones, single stamp, 60/-; block, £13; Cowan, single	62/6

HEALTHS

These are special stocktaking offers available for one month only or as long as stocks last. Get in early!

495	1930 fine used, 22/6; 1931 Red Boy, mint, 95/-; fine used, 90/-; 1931 Blue Boy mint, £5; 1932 mint, 24/-; 1933 mint, 12/-; 1934 mint, 11/-; 1935 mint, 2/-, used, 1/3; 1936 mint, 1/9; 1937 mint, 2/3, used, 1/3; 1938 mint, 2/3; 1939 pair mint, 3/4, used, 3/4; 1940 pair, mint, 7/6, used, 7/6; 1941 pair, mint, 3/3; 1942 pair, mint, 1/4; 1943 pair, mint, 8d; 1944 pair, mint, 8d, used, 6d; 1945 pair, mint, 6d	4d
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COMMEMORATIVES

Some more remarkable Stocktaking offers:

496	Victory, 1920.—½d mint, 6d, used, 2d; 1d carmine, mint, 5d; 1d pink, mint, 6d, used 2d; 1½d mint, 5d, used, 1d; 2d. overprint, mint, 5d, used, 1d; 3d mint, 4/6; 6d mint, 8/6, used, 4/-; 1/- mint, 20/-, used, 17/6. Complete set, including the two 1d colours, mint	32/-
497	1923 Map Stamp.—On De La Rue paper, mint, 4d, used, 1d; on Jones paper, mint, 1/-, used, 2d; on Cowan unsurfaced paper, mint	2/-
498	Dunedin Exhibition.—4d value, mint	15/-
499	Jubilee, 1935.—Complete set, mint or used	10/-
500	Anzacs.—Complete set, mint or used	8d
501	Chamber of Commerce. Special offers.—½d Truck, mint or used, 1d; 1d Dairying, mint, 2d, used, 1d; 2½d Sheep, mint or used, 1/5; 4d Fruit, mint, 1/6, used, 1/6; 6d Shipping, mint, 9d, used, 9d. Complete set of 5, mint or used	3/9
502	Coronation, 1936.—1d mint, 2d, used, 1d; 2½ mint, 4d, used, 4d; 6d mint, 9d, used, 4d. Complete set of 3, mint, 1/2, used	9d
503	Centennials, 1940. Special offers.—½d mint or used, 1d; 1d mint, 2d, used, 1d; 1½d mint, 3d, used, 2d; 2d mint, 4d, used 1d; 2½d mint, 4d, used, 3d; 3d mint, 7d, used 3d; 4d mint, 9d, used 4d; 5d mint, 1/-, used, 10d; 6d mint, 1/1, used, 4d; 7d mint, 7/6, used, 7/6; 8d mint, 1/5, used, 8d; 9d mint 4/-, used, 2/6; 10d mint, 1/-, used, 10d; 1/- mint, 15/-, used, 1/9. Complete set of 14, mint, 30/-, used	15/-
504	Peace, 1940. Special offers.—½d mint, or used, 1d; 1d mint, 2d, used, 1d; 1½d mint, 2d, used, 1d; 2d mint, 3d, used, 1d; 3d mint, 5d, used, 2d; 4d mint, 6d, used, 2d; 5d mint, 7d, used 2d; 6d mint, 8d; used, 8d; 8d mint, 11d, used, 6d; 9d mint, 1/1, used, 9d; 1/- mint, 1/3, used, 6d. Complete set, mint, 5/3, used	2/6
505	Otago.—Complete set, mint, 1/4, used	10d
506	Canterbury.—Complete set, mint, 2/9, used set to 6d value, 8d; complete used set	1/11

31st JULY, 1952

is the deadline date for both the **discount on Catalogue orders** and the **Newsletter at the 4/- rate**. Remembering will save you money!

SEND NOW BEFORE YOU FORGET

Lot No. Price

George VI.

With the news that N.Z. is to have a Queen Elizabeth set soon, it becomes obvious that now is the time to get those George VI. stamps. This particularly applies to shades—relatively easy to find to-day but sure to prove most elusive later on. Two values, the 3d and 3/- stand out in the set for their striking range of shades—be wise and complete your range now!

- 510 **3d George VI. shades of blue (all mint).**
 (a) Vert. mesh, fine paper. Bright blue, 1/-; deep bright blue **6d**
 (b) Horiz. mesh, fine paper. Pale bright blue **8d**
 (c) Vert. mesh, coarse paper. Blue, grey-blue, deep blue, each **4d**;
 pale grey-blue **6d**
- 511 **3/- George VI. shades (all mint).**
 (a) Deep red-brown and grey **4/6**
 (b) Dull red-brown and grey **4/6**
 (c) Light brown and pale grey **5/6**
 (d) Red-chocolate and grey **3/9**
 (e) Deep red-chocolate and grey **3/9**
 (f) Deep chocolate and grey **4/-**

Note.—Readers should ask to see these shades and return any they find they already have. Shades are best shown in blocks.

1882-1898 Queen Victoria Proofs

- 512 **"Second Side-face" Proofs.**
 Something right out of the common run. Plate proofs in black of the 1d, 2d, 3d, 4d, 6d (both Dies), 8d and 1/-. We saw these recently offered in a London Auction Catalogue with the Auctioneer's estimated value at £5 per set. Blocks are available. Price per set of 8 proofs **12/-**

Health Double Perf.

- 513 **1948 Health.**—A block of 4 showing clear partial double perforation between the lower two stamps. The block **45/-**

OFFICIALS

- 507 **Edward VII. Official.**—Simplified set, one of each, ½d, 3d, 6d, 8d, mint **5/6**
- 508 **George V. Official. Recess-printed (all mint).**
 (a) **3d brown.** 14 x 13½, 1/3; 14 x 14½, 1/5; Pict. paper, **9d**; Pict. paper, no w'm'k., **8/6**
 (b) **4d violet,** 14 x 13½, **3/6**; 14 x 14½ **1/9**
 (c) **6d carmine,** 14 x 13½, **9d**; 14 x 14½, 1/3; Vert. pair **12/6**
 (d) **8d brown** (scarce, a special offer), 14 x 13½ **12/6**
 (e) **9d green,** 14 x 13½ **1/10**
 (f) **1/- vermilion,** 14 x 13½, **2/6**; 14 x 14½, 1/9; salmon shade, **6/-**; vert. pair. **15/-**
 (g) Simplified set, one of each, 3d, 4d, 6d, 8d, 9d, 1/-, mint **19/-**

WANTED TO BUY

We urgently need large quantities of the following Plate number blocks of the recent "Yacht" type Health stamps.

We pay as follows for mint blocks of four with Plate number:

- 1½d + ½d Plate A1, per plate block **1/4**
 1½d + ½d Plates A2, B1 and B2, per plate block **2/-**
 2d + 1d Plate C2, per plate block **1/4**

Send us what you have to spare.