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N.Z. NOTES AND COMMENTS BY PETER COLLINS

Edward VII Line perf. 14

It is recorded that only one sheet of the 8d Edward VII with watermark upright was perforated by the line 14 machine, but philatelists are eternal optimists. Every N.Z. collection we see includes a stamp identified as S.G. 468, and periodically some customer asks us to confirm that he has a copy of the prized variety. Perhaps the realisation that no more than 120 copies of this stamp have ever existed will put in perspective the very long odds against its turning up.

The line head was produced in 1909 from the comb machines which had been used for the pictorial issues, because these would not fit the new type Edward VII stamps. The exact measurement of the vertical line is 13.97, and when used on the rare line perf 8d stamp, there are two features which establish it with certainty. The vertical perforations are produced from a single line of "teeth" moving along the sheet, so the perforations on both sides of any stamp have identical measurements and characteristics. For instance, if a perforation hole is out of alignment on one side of a stamp, the corresponding hole on the opposite side will be similarly out of line, or if one perf is mis-shapen, the corresponding perf on the opposite side will be too. Finally, at least three corners of the line perforated stamps should show line perf characteristics.

The stamps which are confused with the rarity are those perforated "14 x 14½" on the comb machine. In these, each vertical row of perforations differs slightly, varying in measurement from 13.8 to 14.3, and careful measuring of perfs on both vertical sides always shows a slight difference. Confusion arises because the top corners may show (falsely) line perf. characteristics. The bottom corners of these stamps, however, unfailingly have the characteristics of comb perforations.

The line perf 14 stamp with watermark sideways (S.G. 478) is not a rarity, but with its ~~perforations~~ sideways watermark, should never give rise to confusion.

1965 COMMONWEALTH PARLIAMENTARY CONFERENCE SET

This set is under catalogued!

Post Offices sold out of the top value of this set on the day of issue, and after the first flush of magazine advertisements, the set disappeared from dealers' offers. Our 1967 prices will reflect the scarcity of the issue, and we anticipate that other catalogues must also show substantial increases. This month, to anyone ordering £1 worth or more from this Bulletin we make the special offer of complete sets of Parliamentary Conference 4d, 9d, 2/-, Mint or used at.....5/-.

More than one set may be ordered.

Arms Type Mint

271 Cowan 25/- C.P. Z43a, S.G. 544q. A fine copy of this rare stamp. Catalogued £40 in 1967 S.G.....	£27
272 Cowan 50/- C.P. Z47a, S.G. 544u. Superb Mint and a rarity.....	£30
273 Wiggins Teape 4/- C.P. Z32d, S.G. 636Ei inverted Wmk. with clear offset on back.....	25/-

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K.G. V SURFACE PRINTED ISSUES

From replenished stocks, we offer an almost complete run of these intriguing issues. It is a long time since we had such a fine array of these stamps to offer.

C.P.	S.G.	Paper	Mint	C.P.	S.G.	Paper	Mint
K13a	488/9	1/2d De La Rue green	4/6	K16a	496	1 1/2d black (Local plate) ...	2/6
		deep green	6/6	K17a	500	1 1/2d black (London plate) ...	1/6
		pale green	6/6	K17b	501	1 1/2d De La Rue Orange brown ...	6d.
K13b	499a	1/2d Cowan (Experimental) ...	10/-	K17c	532	1 1/2d Cowan P.14	6/6
K13c	519	1/2d Jones ...	5/6	K18a	502	2d Yellow De La Rue ...	1/6
K13d	527	1/2d apple green, Litho "Wmk" ...	6d.	K18b	522	2d Pale yellow Jones ...	8/6
		Colourless "Wmk" ...	5/-			Dull yellow	8/6
		Blue "Watermark" ...	1/-	K18c	529	2d Litho "Watermark" ...	4/3
K13e	530	Cowan 14 x 15 Deep green ...	9d.	K18d	533	2d Yellow Cowan Orange-yellow	3/-
		Pale green	9d.			Orange-yellow	2/-
K13f	530a	1/2d Cowan P. 14 green ...	9d.	K18f	—	2d surfaced on wrong side Wm reversed ...	5/-
		pale green	1/6	K18g	535c	2d Wiggins Teape p. 14 x 15 Yellow Orange	5/6
K13g	—	1/2d surfaced wrong side, watermark reversed ...	4/6			Orange	6/6
K14a	505	1/2d War Stamp green ...	4d.	K18h	535d	Wiggins Teape P.14	4/-
		deep green	4d.	K19a	504	3d De La Rue ...	7/6
K15a	539	1d Field Marshal	3d.	K19b	523	3d Jones (Scarce!)	22/6
K15b	536a	1d Perf 14 x 15 ...	3d.	K19c	534	3d Cowan p. 14 x 15	4/-
K15d	—	1d Wiggins Teape	7/6				

Official Stamps

C.P.	S.G.	Paper	Mint	C.P.	S.G.	Paper	Mint
K013a	083	1/2d De la rue ...	9d.	K017a	094	1 1/2d "London plate"	9d.
K013c	0102	1/2d Jones ...	2/9	K017b	095	1 1/2d brown De la rue ...	6d.
K013e	0106	1/2d Cowan 14 x 15	1/-	K017c	0108	1 1/2d brown Cowan p.14 ...	2/6
K013f	0106a	1/2d Cowan p 14	1/-	K018a	096	2d De la rue yellow	1/-
K015a	0111	1d Cowan p 14 ...	6d.	K018a	096	2d orange yellow	1/6
K015b	0111b	1d Cowan 14 x 15	6d.	K019c	0110	3d Cowan 14 x 15	1/6
K016a	084	1 1/2d "Local plate"	9d.				

George V Varieties

- 283 **Plate Proofs of Surface Printed Stamps.** Something different—an inexpensive preface to these issues.
- (a) **Black on thick wove paper** 1/2d, 1 1/2d, and 2d. The three..... 21/-
- (b) **Black on paper watermarked N.Z. and star** 1 1/2d, 2d. each..... 7/6
- (c) **Grey on watermarked paper** 1 1/2d.....
- 284 **"Official" variety** Cowan 2d. yellow overprinted OFFICIAL, with misplaced perforations horizontally through the King's Head and vertically on the tip of his nose. Outstanding! C.P. KO 18e, S.G. 0109. Horizontal pair... 27/6
- 285 **"No Stop" variety** Mint blocks of the surface printed K.G. V. 1/2d, 1d, 1 1/2d, 2d and 3d., overprinted OFFICIAL, one stamp of each showing the constant "No stop after Official". A good set including the scarce S.G. 0108a, 0109a and 0110a..... 85/-

1958 Q.E. Rarity (C.P. N41a, S.G. 763b)

274 Provisional Error 2d on 1 1/2d

- (a) Plate 13 in Mint block of six, plus a copy of the same stamp **used on cover in 1958** from Auckland East, the only P.O. where these stamps were ever issued. Two very rare items, a great opportunity..... £25
- (b) The same stamp as above C.P. N41a, S.G. 763b. Mint 35/- Used 40/-

1960 Variety

- 275 **Missing Colour** 1960 Pictorial issue 2 1/2d Titoki, C.P. 04a, S.G. 784. A pair, the green printing missing from the lower leaves of one stamp, and from one leaf on the other. The mint pair at a low price for such a variety..... 70/-

GREAT BRITAIN

Did you miss these?

Something unusual for us to offer non-New Zealand but we have some of the more elusive G.B. commemoratives. Order with confidence, our stocks are good, and as always, everything will be sent on approval. A couple of orders from this list could repay the cost of your Bulletin sub!

276 G.B. 1948 Silver Wedding

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| (a) The handsome £1 blue, Dorothy Wilding portrait. Mint..... | 65/- |
| (b) Superb Used..... | 65/- |
| (c) Fine used overprinted TANGIER..... | 45/- |

277 G.B. 1964 Shakespeare We have two very fine shades of the 2/6d. listed by "Commonwealth" as C.W. S79 violet-grey and S79b violet-black.

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| (a) The two really outstanding shades Mint..... | 18/6 |
| (b) A cylinder block of four, No. 1A in black (virtually no violet here) | 65/- |
| (c) A cylinder block of four, No. 1 in a greyer shade of black..... | 65/- |
| (d) 2/6d. Fine used. The two distinctive shades, violet grey and violet black... | 20/- |
| (e) 2/6d. Fine used. The blacker shade only, C.W. S79b..... | 15/- |

PENNY UNIVERSAL RARITIES

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|---|----------|
| (a) Basted Mills Mixed Perfs. (C.P. G 3c, S.G. 332) Stamps incompletely or defectively perforated at first and subsequently re-perforated. A variety best shown in block or pair. We offer singles, pairs or blocks of four (one block of six available) pristine mint. per stamp..... | 50/- |
| (b) Reserve Plate Mixed Perfs. (C.P. G6d, S.G. 351b.) A great rarity in this perf carrying our guarantee (S.G. Cat. £45) Splendid Mint..... | £20 |
| (c) Waterlow Trial Plates In 1906 trial plates were produced by Messrs. Waterlow and also by W. R. Royle & Son. A note above S.G. 418 refers to these printings. More details appear in the C.P. Catalogue. Plate number blocks make good buying for the specialist. Plates W1 or W2 each in mint block of four..... | £8 |
| (d) Waterlow 11 x 14 (C.P. G 9c, S.G. 419) Another rarity seldom seen. Used, guaranteed, and at half S.G. valuation..... | £12/10/- |
| (e) Cowan watermarked paper, horizontally imperf. between (C.P. G5a, S.G. 345a) Brilliant mint vertical pair from bottom of the sheet, with selvage..... | £10 |
| (f) Slot machine issue (C.P. GS 1a, S.G. 420. Experimental coils sold from one of the world's first penny-in-the-slot machines. Very rare. Mint pair | £10 |

PENNY UNIVERSAL FROM STOCK

London Prints

C.P.	S.G.	perf.	Mint	Used
G1a	313	12-16	1/-	6d.

Local Prints on Pirie Paper

G2a	314/16	11	1/6	2d.
G2b	318	14	12/6	2/-

Basted Mills Paper

G3b	327	14	2/6	6d.
G3c	330	11 x 14	2/6	1/6

Cowan Unwatermarked Paper

G4a	335	14	3/6	6d.
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Cowan Paper Watermarked N.Z. and Star

G5a	344/345a	14	1/6	2d.
G5d	348	14 x 11	£5	70/-
G5e	351	mixed	15/-	15/-

Reserve Plate Printings of 1902-1905 & 1908

C.P.	S.G.	perf.	Mint	Used
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G6a	—	14	7/6	1/-
G6d	—	mixed	£2.	

"Dot" Plates

G8a	415	14	1/-	2d.
G8a	415a (worn plate)	1/-		2d.
G8b	416	11 x 14	70/-	

Waterlow "Trial" Plates

G9a	418	14	6/6	2d.
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Royle Plates

G10a	418	14	1/6	2d.
G10f	423	14 x 14½	45/-	7/6

Surface Printed

G11a	441	14 x 15	4/-	3d.
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COOK ISLANDS

Something else outside our usual range!

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| 281 Cooks 1965 Solar Eclipse 6d. Palm and sun. Mint...Each 8d. Block of four..... | 2/6 |
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| 282 Cooks 1965 Self Government Popular and colourful complete set of four, 4d, 10d, 1/-, 1/9.....Mint 6/-, Block of four | 22/6 |
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NEW ZEALAND — INDIVIDUAL OFFERS

Nos. S.G. Part I 1967. All Mint.

577	...	4d	605	...	4/6	707	...	1/6	770	...	2/9
578	...	4d	605a	...	3d	712	...	2d	771	...	6d
579	...	1/6	605b	...	6d	713	...	4d	772	...	3d
580	...	3d	609	...	2d	714	...	3d	773	...	6d
580a	...	9d	610	...	3d	715	...	6d	774	...	2/6
580c	...	3/-	611	...	3d	716	...	1/-	775	...	8d
580d	...	5/-	612	...	4d	717	...	2/-	778	...	4d
581	...	2/-	613	...	5d	718	...	3/-	779	...	6d
581a	...	1/-	614	...	1/9	721	...	5d	780	...	2/9
581b	...	6d	618	...	6/-	722	...	8d	781	...	2d
582	...	6/-	619	...	1/9	723	...	2d	782	...	2d
583	...	10d	621	...	12/6	724	...	4d	782a	...	9d
583a	...	1/6	624	...	4d	725	...	6d	783	...	4d
583b	...	25/-	625	...	4d	726	...	6d	784	...	4d
583c	...	9d	627	...	1/6	727	...	5d	785	...	5d
584	...	2/6	662	...	1/-	728	...	1/-	785a	...	1/6
584a	...	3/-	667	...	1d	729	...	2/-	786	...	6d
584b	...	9d	668	...	2d	730	...	1/4	787	...	8d
585	...	1/3	669	...	3d	731	...	1/6	788	...	9d
585a	...	1/-	670	...	3d	732	...	1/6	789	...	1/-
585b	...	10d	671	...	5d	732a	...	£7	790	...	1/-
586	...	1/-	672	...	6d	733	...	3/-	791	...	1/4
586aa	...	10/-	673	...	7d	733a	...	6/-	792	...	2/-
586a	...	1/-	674	...	9d	734	...	12/6	793	...	2/-
586b	...	1/6	675	...	1/-	735	...	10/-	794	...	7/6
587	...	12/6	676	...	1/2	736	...	3/-	795	...	2/6
587a	...	17/6	677	...	1/4	739	...	4d	796	...	3/-
588	...	1/6	680	...	3d	740	...	6d	797	...	3/6
588a	...	10/-	681	...	6d	741	...	9d	799	...	4/-
589	...	25/-	682	...	9d	745	...	3d	800	...	6/6
589a	...	7/6	683	...	9d	746	...	6d	801	...	13/-
589b	...	£10	684	...	1/-	747	...	2/-	802	...	25/-
589c	...	5/-	685	...	1/3	749	...	3d	808	...	4d
590	...	20/-	686	...	2/3	750	...	1/-	808a	...	4d
590a	...	40/-	686a	...	2/3	751	...	4d	808b	...	40/-
590b	...	10/-	686b	...	1/9	752	...	1/-	810	...	6d
591	...	6d	687	...	2/6	753	...	8d	811	...	2/9
592	...	6d	687a	...	2/6	754	...	1/-	818	...	6d
593	...	2d	688	...	3/3	754a	...	4/6	819	...	4/6
594	...	3d	688a	...	4/6	758	...	1/3	820	...	2/9
595	...	2/6	689	...	5/6	759	...	3/6	821	...	5d
596	...	2/6	692	...	2d	760	...	6d	825	...	10d
597	...	2/-	693	...	3d	763	...	6d	826	...	6d
599	...	3d	694	...	5d	763a	...	6d	827	...	9d
600	...	9d	695	...	8d	763b	...	35/-	828	...	1/3
601	...	1/-	700	...	3d	766	...	1/-	829	...	1/-
603	...	6d	703	...	3d	767	...	5d	830	...	6d
603a	...	3d	704	...	5d	768	...	4d	833	...	6d
604	...	1/-	705	...	6d	769	...	6d	838	...	6d
604a	...	2d	706	...	10d						

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270 Some competitively priced selections of the popular 1893 Advertisements.

- (a) **The 1d Rose** Ten different including one in green, two first setting, and a pair. All used but one..... 20/-
- (b) **The 2d Lilac** An all different selection at a low price. 8 used..... 15/-
- (c) **The 2½d Blue** All different. One in green, the others in red. Not a common value. 12 used..... 70/-
- (d) **The 6d Brown** Twelve different ads. in red, brown or mauve. Good Used. 60/-
- (e) **Fine used set** 1d, 2d, 2½d, 3d, 4d, 5d, 6d, 8d and 1/- each with a different ad. A complete set of all values nicely used is not seen everyday. Don't miss this chance. The nine 45/-