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FOR COLLECTORS OF NEW ZEALAND STAMPS

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*A
Happy
Christmas*

CP'S NEW ZEALAND STAMPS - WELCOME TO OUR TRADITION

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NEW ZEALAND NOTES AND COMMENT

NEW ISSUES AND VARIETIES

by Warwick Paterson and Warwick Goodale

1994 Christmas Issue:

This issue appeared on 21st September 1994 and is designed by Karen Odiam, of Wellington. The stamps are printed by Lithography by Leigh Mardon, Melbourne, in sheets of 100 (10 x 10) and in a Miniature Sheet of four stamps. There are booklets printed by Lithography by Southern Colour Print, Dunedin.

We have, therefore, an issue which has been produced by two different printers, and by our calculations this is only the second time in modern stamps that this has occurred. The appearance of a Christmas miniature sheet this year is another first for New Zealand stamps.

The paper used is:

Stamps and Miniature Sheet - CPL red phosphor
Booklets - Harrison's red phosphor

The stamps appear in seven different designs, as follows:

45c (Booklet): Father Christmas and Children;

Sheet and Miniature sheet -

45¢: Children and Nativity Scene;

70¢: Father, Child and Wise Men;

80¢: Carol Singers and Stained Glass Window;

\$1 : Carol Singers and Christmas Tree.

Sheets only:

\$1.50: Children with Candles

\$1.80: Parents Celebrate the New Born.

Barcodes appear in the top and bottom selvages above and below columns 4 and 7, as follows:

(All numbers preceded by standard NZ Post prefix: 9415599

45¢ 032607: 70¢ 032614: 80¢ 032621:

\$1 032638: \$1.50 032645: \$1.80 032652

Booklets (on back cover):

Hangsell 041883 Counter Sale 041005

The sheets and miniature sheet are perforated 14.25 x 14.25 and the booklets 12x12.

Varieties:

Mr Sayers, of Auckland, showed us a sheet of the 45¢ value that at first appearance seemed to be a double print in the purple colour. We ascertained that this was caused by particularly heavy inking of this colour. A very striking variety.

We have had a report of contrasting colours in the booklets. We've not yet had a chance to verify this.

GOODS AND SERVICES TAX

G.S.T. will be added to all prices listed in this Newsletter for local orders (12½%). Overseas orders are "zero-rated" and do not pay G.S.T.

Centenary of Cricket:

This issue appeared on the 2nd November 1994 and is designed by Phillip Andrews, of Wellington. There are complete sheets each comprising one of four values and a booklet divided into ten stamps, each with a face value of 45¢. The booklet stamp was designed by Martin Bailey, of Auckland.

All stamps are printed by Lithography by Southern Colour Print, of Dunedin.

Stamps and Booklets all have horizontal mesh and perforations are: Stamps 13.5 x 13.5 Booklets 12x12.

The paper used is: Stamps; CPL red phosphor. Booklets; Harrisons red phosphor.

The sheet designs are: 45¢ Batsman, 80¢ Bowler, \$1 Wicket-keeper, \$1.80 Fielder. The booklet features a beach scene and is a composite of ten different stamp designs, each with a New Zealand Cricket Council symbol and the Silver Fern.

Barcodes appear in the left and right selvages of the sheet stamps opposite R3 and R8 and they are: (all preceded by standard prefix 9415599):

45¢ 032669	80¢ 032676	\$1 032683	\$1.80 032690
Booklets: Hangsell 041883		Counter sale 041005	

We understand that New Zealand supermarket chains have put pressure on NZ Post to maintain a single barcode number for all booklets. In other words, the numbers quoted for these Cricket booklets are the same as the Christmas issue and will, from now on, be standard for Counter sale or Hangsell booklets.

The Booklet cover design now includes an 0800 phone number for customer inquiries which is standard throughout the country.

Comment: Once again, an action subject of great potential impact has been squandered. The 45¢ (Batsman) succeeds best, with the ball appearing to shoot out of the scene and although the batsman tends to merge with the background, this is a fine action shot. However - 80¢ Superman in whites, about to take flight in pursuit of the ball.

\$1 The New Zealand Cricket Council strenuously denies that intimidation of bowlers by wicket keepers is a growing problem in New Zealand cricket.

\$1.80 New Zealand cricketer practising with a soccer ball to improve his fielding skills.

Booklet design: CP NEWSLETTER will be offering free maps of the beach scene for those clients who wish to attempt to reconstruct sheets from kiloware. The prize to the first correctly completed reconstruction returned to us - a bottled sample of Ninety Mile Beach.

Ross Dependency Issue:

While technically not a New Zealand issue, this set will appear under the "RD" Ross Dependency section in the CP Catalogue. The stamps appeared on the 2nd November 1994 and are designed by Gregory Millen, of Wellington. They are printed by Southern Colour Print, Dunedin, using their Lithography process, and are perforated 13.75 x 13.25 on vertical mesh paper - CPL red phosphor.

All stamps are horizontal format.

The designs feature: 5¢ South Polar Skua; 10¢ Snow Petrel Chick; 20¢ Black-browed Albatross; 45¢ Emperor Penguin; 50¢ Chinstrap Penguin; 70¢ Adelie Penguin; 80¢ Elephant Seal; \$1 Leopard Seal; \$2 Weddell Seal; \$3 Crabeater Seal Pup.

Each stamp has a uniform border (under-sea scene).

Barcodes appear in the top and bottom selvages above and below columns 4 and 7. They are (prefix 9415599):

5¢ 032706; 10¢ 032713; 20¢ 032720; 45¢ 032737
50¢ 032744; 70¢ 032751; 80¢ 032768; \$1 032775
\$2 032782 \$3 032799

In view of the size of this set (ten values) and the high face value (\$8.80) we are supplying these stamps only to those clients who specifically request them under our New Issue service. Readers will have to make their own choice as to the appropriateness of a full definitive issue produced for a tiny outpost/dependency in the Antarctic.

Limited Edition Presentation Album:

In another addition to the "collectables" market, NZ Post has produced an album containing blocks of four of the issued "Cricket" stamps, a signed First Day Cover from the designer, a letter of authenticity from NZ Post, and colour separations of the \$1.80 stamp of the Cricket issue (four). The latter are overprinted "Colour Separation". Two thousand of this item have been produced.

Once again, readers will make their own decisions as to the philatelic value of such productions.

Reprints: - 80¢ NZ Falcon Booklet:

This latest reprint in booklet form now is printed by Southern Colour Print, Dunedin. Previously this booklet issue was printed by Leigh Mardon, of Melbourne, in both sheet and booklet form. It is now light blue in comparison with the untramarine of previous printings, and the paper is cream. Perforations now measure 12 x 12 and it appears that booklets will be the only source of this perforation (previously p13½ x 14).

The booklet covers differ from the previous in that "\$8: 10 x 80¢" is now printed in black (previously white). The "cancellation" on the front cover has now been removed. Back cover now has no Roman numeral and there has been major resetting of the information. fastPOST labels are now attached behind the stamps and "Par Avion" has been removed (now simply 'fastPOST'). In the stamps, the design is slightly different in that the lettering has been reset (particularly noticeable in the word "Falcon"). The barcode numbering is unchanged.

CUSTOMER INQUIRIES

For all inquiries about New Zealand Post's products and services call our Customer Inquiry Centre - we're here to help you!

Auckland 0 9 367 9710
Wellington 0 4 568 5085
Christchurch 0 3 353 1666



STAMPS
fastPOST

New Zealand Post



\$10 Kiwi Reprint:

This reprint shows a 1-Kiwi symbol opposite R5/1. The imprint has been moved to the left. In our supplies, the colouring of the bird and background is markedly lighter. Previously, we have noted two gum types in this issue (a) cream gum and (b) white gum. The reprint appears to be similar to the white gum variety of the original issue.

Other reprints have appeared as follows:

10¢ Banded Dotterel: 2-Kiwis opposite horizontal R9 in left selvage: 20¢ Yellowhead 2-Kiwis: 30¢ Silver Eye 3-Kiwis.

There is a marked shade change in the 20¢ issue with the background and bird changing from yellow to almost deep orange in the 2-Kiwi reprint.

In the 30¢ 3-Kiwi reprint, the background has become much more "apricot" coloured (previously very pale) and in the 10¢ 2-Kiwi reprint, the foreshore and the background has become "reddish" (previously brownish).

**45¢ A-B Self-adhesive Definitive:**

A new backing paper has been introduced showing an illustration (one per stamp) of a Cheyenne II twin turbo-prop aircraft - "Air Ambulance".

We have seen genuinely issued tete-beche coils incorrectly joined (one strip reversed in the coil). We secured a limited number of this variety. At our request, NZ Post provided a letter verifying that the stamps had been purchased during the normal course of business.

Postal History Update:

The hand-held ink jet canceller (see CP Newsletter August) has been given a second trial and by all accounts has proved highly successful. The trial was dated 3-7 October and was used on large envelopes. The mirror-image fault reported originally was mechanical and has been overcome.

For those interested in the introduction of ink-jet cancellers to the five new postal regions, the operational dates are as follows:

South Auckland	29th July	Waikato	3rd August
Hawkes Bay	22nd July	Manawatu	20th July
Christchurch	11th July		

A limited number of envelopes may have been processed before these dates for staff training in the various centres.

Varieties:

X27a ½¢ Moeraki Point Government Life series, 1969. Mr Le Conte, of Christchurch, reports at R1/1 and R2/1 a red scratch on the front balustrade of the lighthouse. Checking our stock revealed that it appears to be constant.

S137a 10¢ Rotary International 50th Anniversary 1971:

At R10/4, Mr Le Conte showed us that the left-hand wreath has a white "base to leaves" at the top perfectly placed to match the rest of the design. This is a naked eye and most notable flaw and collectors with blocks from the bottom portion of the sheet should check for it.

ODC5 3c Puarangi 1967 Pictorial:

Mr Kheenan, of Dunedin, showed us an example, No 13, of this coil pair with the number inverted.

1994 Wild Animals - 45¢ Spider Monkey, R8/10

We found a major Lithography flaw at this position "plumb in the Atlantic Ocean". On a small number of sheets seen by us, this new "Jurassic Park" variety appeared in the sea as a large blue flaw surrounded by a pink halo. This is a semi-constant flaw of a typical nature found in Lithography printing and is usually caused by foreign matter attached temporarily to the offset blanket during printing. Forty sheets were seen by us.

R3/4 Giraffe:

We found a horse-shoe - a constant variety at the bottom left of the stamp. Lint on the multi-negative is likely to have been the cause of this line appearing in the red printing.

We have also seen examples of a 10mm red shift upwards in this issue (used only seen).

80¢ fastPOST Booklet:

80¢ Emperor Penguin. Original Trial (W38a). Mr Keith Griffiths, of Auckland, has shown us an original \$4.00 booklet which contained five 80¢ stamps in a block of four with top selvage and a single stamp attached at the bottom.

Booklets are believed to exist also with bottom selvage. Newsletter readers should note that Mr Griffiths' booklet is the only sample we have ever seen (see original report CP Newsletter Vol 44, No. 1, August 1992).

NOVEMBER NEWSLETTER

Overseas readers of the Newsletter will have received a duplicated page Seventeen as page Nineteen in last month's Newsletter.

A reprint of page Nineteen as it should have been, is included with this Newsletter and should be inserted in last month's Newsletter.

The "Rex Redman" correspondence has created widespread interest and page Nineteen (as it should have been!) contained a vital phase of Rex's wartime experience.

We apologise for this error which was not picked up until the overseas Newsletters had been despatched.

GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT POSTCARDS (Cont'd)

from Ron Ingram

Several different cards are known to have been printed for the New Zealand Military Forces. They usually measured 3" x 5" and had various inscriptions. The first card which is headed 'Notification to Proceed to Camp' is printed on a cream card and the imprint shows that 20,000 were printed in November 1939. The card has been posted from Napier on October 23rd 1940 and also has a receiving stamp on the 24th October 1940 at Clive.

A card from the same printing with the same imprint is known on a buff coloured card.

O. H. M. S.

Mr. H. B. Kennedy
Main Road
Clive N.Z.

FOR *Antillies (Foster M.C.)*

(Unit)

(30,000/11/39-14725 Form 512/A)

NEW ZEALAND MILITARY FORCES.

WAR.
(Form N.Z.—318.
(Banded in 100's.)

NOTIFICATION TO PROCEED TO CAMP.

Take knife, fork, spoon, plate and mug.

DEFENCE OFFICE
NAPIER.

You are required to parade at *8 A* m. on *Monday Oct 28* 19*40*
 at *Railway Station*

In order to proceed to camp.

All that you need take with you is your shaving, toilet (incl. towel, soap, and mirror), and boot-cleaning gear, change of underclothing and socks, woollen jumper or cardigan, and a strong pair of boots or shoes.

* Travelling warrant is enclosed herewith to enable you to report.

If a serving Territorial, before leaving for camp you will hand in all articles on issue to you except **BOOTS.**

* Delete when not required.

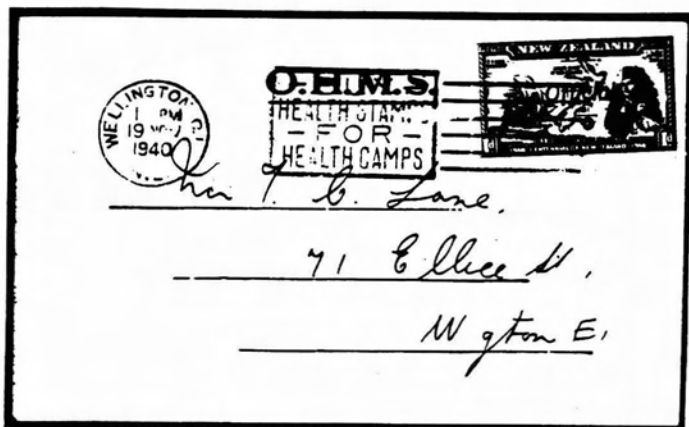
Signature: *A. H. WRIGHT*

Rank: *A. OFFICER, AREA 1*

Appointment: _____

KEEP THIS CARD FOR PRODUCTION WHEN YOU ARRIVE IN CAMP.

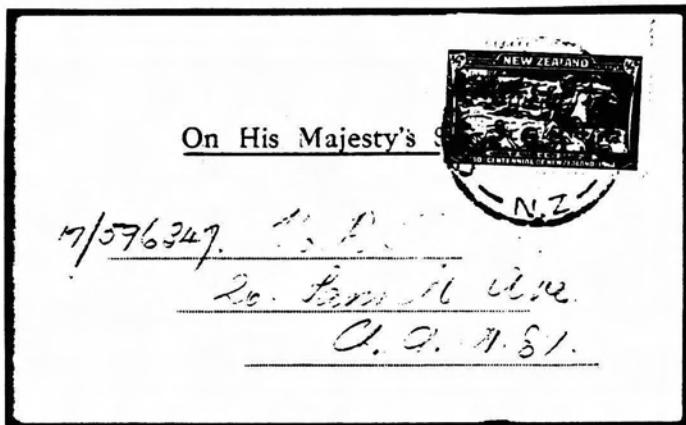
This second Military post card has been printed to serve 'Notice to Attend for Medical Examination'. It has been printed on a buff card in black ink and has the imprint on the reverse of the card whereas the first card had the imprint on the front. The form No is 317/3 (2) and 35,000 cards were printed in June 1940. The card bearing a 1d 1940 Centennial stamp overprinted Official has been postmarked at Wellington on the 19th of November 1940.



NEW ZEALAND MILITARY FORCES.		WAR. Form N.Z.—317. (Banded in 100's.)
Notice to Attend for Medical Examination.		
DEFENCE OFFICE,		
Date: You are hereby warned to attend for medical examination at		
Garrison Hall, Buckle St, Wgton		
on NOV 25/1940	(Place.)	at 8.30 am
(Date)		(Time)
* A travelling-warrant is enclosed.		
Signature: <i>E. J. P. [Signature]</i>		
Rank: <i>Pte.</i>		
Appointment: _____		
* Delete when not required.		
(Forms 317/3 (2). 35,000/6/40—4375)		

The third Military post card which is printed in black ink on a cream card has been produced to advise Military personnel where they were posted and the date which they were to report. There is a printed number at the lower left on the reverse which is probably a Defence Department number which is (D244/2 81). In this case the card has been used to advise the addressee that a previous instruction to parade with the "C" Coy of the Home Guard has been cancelled. The "C" Company of the Home Guard was situated at 365 Linwood Avenue in Christchurch. The Home Guard rubber stamp has been impressed on the reverse of the card in purple ink. This post card has been postmarked at Christchurch on the 5th of February 1943.

"Meanwhile, many thanks for the service I get from Auckland; I admit I had doubts when the UK branch closed but I am very happy to concede they were groundless."
(G.G., UK)



O. H. M. S. **DOMINION OF NEW ZEALAND** [N.Z.—3]

"C" Coy. M.Z. Military Forces *365 Lincolns Ave*
 Avon Bn. *6. Coy Office.*
 Home Guard. *4th Feb. 1943*

THIS is to inform you that *the advice to parade* (Squadron
 with this Coy on *4/2/43* Regiment. Battery
 of the *is cancelled* Company (Section
 of the *is cancelled* Your Company &c.,
 Commander *is cancelled*

You are required to attend the first parade of your Unit at
 on the _____, 194
 at ~~am~~ *and weekly* and fortnightly thereafter until further notice.
L. K. Borg. 20.
5/2

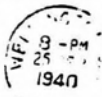
(D. 244 2 SL.) Please bring this card with you. MEM 97287

It should be noted here that the postage rate for an Inland post card was increased to one penny on the 1st of October 1939 and this rate remained the same until it was increased to 2d on the 1st of January 1953. Only the card headed 'Notice to Attend for Medical Examination' has the correct postage on it.

"Thank you for the sending of new issues/varieties, just received. (The post is impressively fast these days - 3 working days from NZ to the UK!)"
 (C.H., UK)

This second example of a "Notification to Proceed to Camp" card is similar to the earlier one except that it is printed on a buff card. The imprint and card numbers are the same. It has been sent from The No 1 Unit, Infantry 4th Regiment, Trentham. The word 'Important' has been rubber stamped in large letters on the reverse of the card in purple ink. Down the right hand edge reading downwards on the reverse is a rubber stamp which states 'Take Your Levy Book'. This is also in purple ink. The card has been postmarked at Wellington on the 25th of September 1940. The slogan reads: 'Increase Production and help War Effort'. This slogan was only used at Wellington.

As a result of German authorities pointing out propaganda notices were found on mail from New Zealand an instruction was issued on the 1st of December 1941 that all slogans relating directly or indirectly to war activities should be withdrawn. This slogan was probably subject to that withdrawal.


O.H.M.S.
 INCREASE PRODUCTION
 AND HELP WAR EFFORT

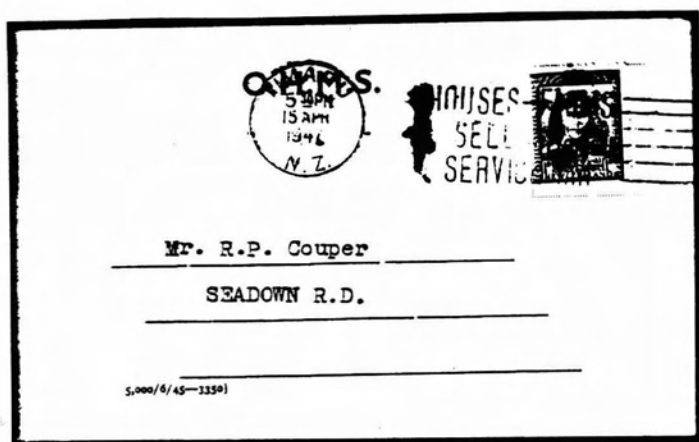
J. Meade
149 Daniell St.
Wellington
 FOR Infantry 4th Regt. **TRENTHAM**
 (Unit) **NO 1 UNIT** (30,000/11/39-14733 Form 318/3.

The card is addressed to J Meade, 149 Daniell Street, Wellington.

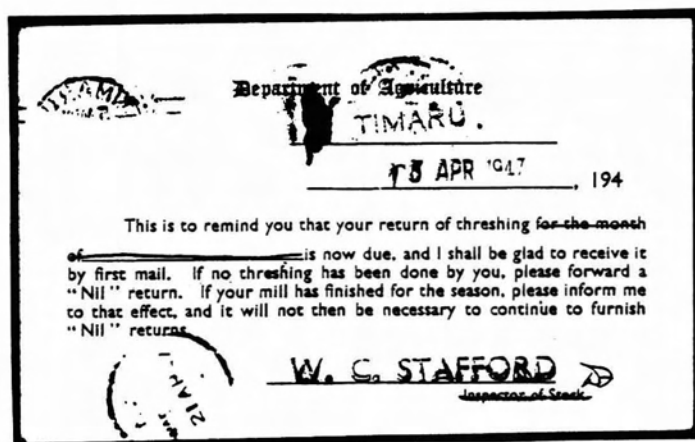
NEW ZEALAND MILITARY FORCES. **WAR**
 (Form N.Z.-318.
 (Banded in 100's.)
NOTIFICATION TO PROCEED TO CAMP.
 DEFENCE OFFICE.

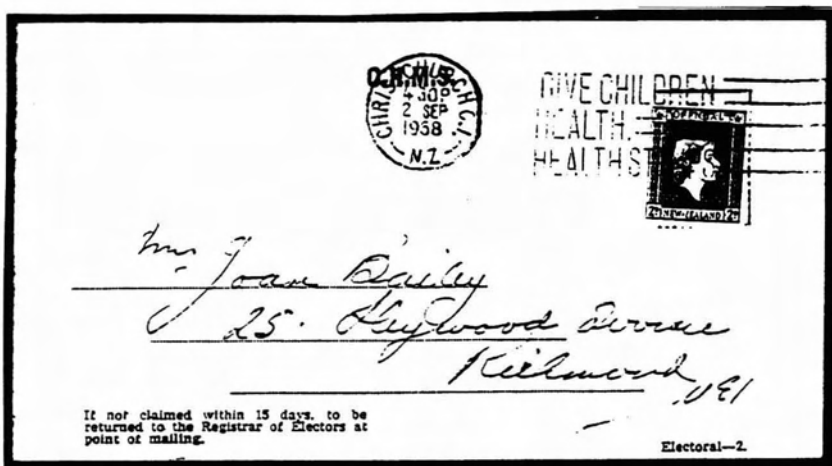
You are required to parade at 8 AM on 2 OCT 1940 at GOVERNMENT CAMP, WELLINGTON in order to proceed to camp.
 All that you need take with you is your shaving, toilet (incl. towel, soap, and mirror), and boot-cleaning gear, change of underclothing and socks, woollen jumper or cardigan, and a strong pair of boots or shoes.
 *Travelling warrant is enclosed herewith to enable you to report.
 If a serving Territorial, before leaving for camp you will hand in all articles on issue to you except **BOOTS**.
 *Delete when not required. Signature: ERIC MEADES
 MAJOR
IMPORTANT
 Appointment: AREA STAFF OFFICER
 KEEP THIS CARD FOR PRODUCTION WHEN YOU ARRIVE IN CAMP.

TAKE YOUR LEVY BOOK



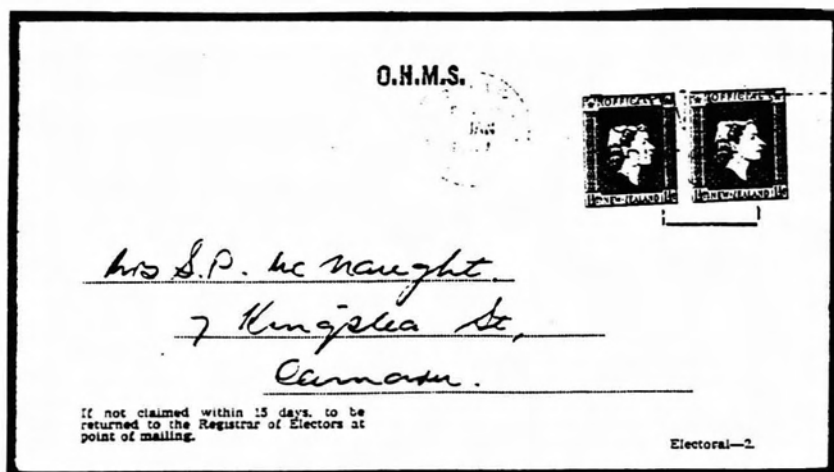
The small post card illustrated measures 3 1/8th"x 5" and has been printed for the Department of Agriculture. It is from a small printing of 5000 made in June 1945 and is printed in black ink on a cream card. The postage has been paid by the use of a 1d green George VI stamp overprinted Official. The card has been sent to remind the addressee to furnish a return of threshing and is postmarked at Timaru on the 15th April 1947.





Both of these post cards have been printed for the Registrar of Electors. They acknowledge an Application for Registration as an Elector. The top card is printed on a cream card and bears an imprint of 1.250,000 in December 1956. It is postmarked at Christchurch on the 2nd September 1958.

The lower card is printed on an almost white card and has been used by the Waitaki Electoral District and is postmarked at Oamaru in January 1959. This card has an imprint of 400,000 in June 1957. The rate for an inland post card was 2d and the lower card bearing a pair of 1½d Queen Elizabeth Official stamps has the incorrect postage on it. It may have been that as there was no 1½d rate the stamps were used up. Commercial covers or cards bearing the 1½d Queen Elizabeth Official stamp are seldom seen.



Despite a total printing quantity of 1.650,000 of these post cards very few seem to have been retained as they seldom appear on the philatelic scene.



258(a)



271(a)



259(a)



272(a)



259(b)



272(b)



259(e)



259(c)

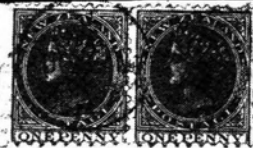


270(a) & b



272(c) & d

300 (51)



*Mr Hartman
Albion Road*

301 (1)

NEW ZEALAND

Post Card-Carte Postale.

THE ADDRESS TO BE WRITTEN ON THIS SIDE.



*Mr Kirkwood
84 Hyde Park Mansions
London W.*

Sweden

After 10 days, return to
J. K. ARMSBY COMPANY,
138 Market Street,
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

301 (2)



*Entrican & Company,
Auckland,
N.Z.*

EXQUISITE NEW ZEALAND CHALONS

Top material, largely purchased during a recent extensive overseas trip. Every piece carefully selected and expertised. Several items of quite exceptional quality, even by CP NEWSLETTER standards. Not a huge listing, but one of the finest for several years.

LONDON PRINT

- 257 (a) **A1a (SG1) 1d Deep Carmine-red, imperforate.** Copy of wonderful appearance with postmark light and well off the face. Top left and bottom margins huge, cut into slightly at right and angled bottom-right corner. This is a wonderful example of true and full colour and facially as good as we have seen recently. Wonderful opportunity..... \$ 6750



- 258 (a) **RICHARDSON PRINTS ON BLUE PAPER, IMPERFORATE**
A1c(1) (SG4) 1d Bright Red. Very fine used pair. Without reservation, one of the finest pieces we have ever seen in this "First Colonial print" issue. One stamp four huge margins, one four-marginal, if close left bottom side. The colour is the most remarkable feature of this pair, however. It is one of the brightest, fullest shades we have ever seen in this issue and matches the most extreme shade yet seen in any of the major collections which we have broken up over the years. Quite literally, the stamps are brilliant. Obliterator 9, both stamps clean and clear. This is an exceptional offering of rare and exquisite beauty. RPSL Certificate..... \$ 9500
- 259 (a) **RICHARDSON PRINTS ON UNWATERMARKED WHITE PAPER**
A1d (SG8) 1d Dull Orange with horizontal mesh (soft paper). Four-marginal example of brilliant appearance and marking well off the face. One of the nicest we have seen for some years. (Cat. \$1250)..... \$ 975
- (b) **A5a(1) (SG12) 6d Deep Bistre on thick paper** with horizontal mesh. Left marginal example with wide selvedge. Possibly one of the best examples in existence of this rarity. Four marginal with clear strike of Auckland obliterator No.1. This is an example of wonderful overall condition and dramatic impact. (Cat. \$1650)..... \$ 1500

CHALONS (Cont'd)

- (c) **A5a(11) (SG14) 6d Pale Brown on hard paper** with vertical mesh (thin). Fine example of overlap! Two sheets were joined together horizontally to produce a full sheet of paper to the printing of the complete sheet of stamps. In this case the overlap has intruded on the bottom of the value tablet and the cut-off line is obvious to the naked eye with part of the lower part of the design absent..... \$ 1250
- (d) **A5a(11) (SG14) 6d Pale Brown on hard paper** with vertical mesh. Used pair. One stamp four full margins with light mark, other stamp three margins close to touching at right. Appearance and general condition superb. (Cat. \$1600)..... \$ 950
- (e) **A6c(1) (SG16) 1/- Dull Emerald Green.** Four-marginal example with light and clear Obliterator 16 (central). Another stamp of fine colour and near-perfect condition. Unthinned examples of this issue with four large margins such as these, and light clear mark, are unusual indeed..... \$ 3000
- DAVIES PRINTS, IMPERFORATE: WMK, LARGE STAR**
- 270 (a) **A2d(4) (SG36) 2d Bright Blue.** Example with four huge margins. Marking over the face but a fresh item of great attraction..... \$ 150
- (b) **A3a(1) (SG40) 3d Brown-lilac.** Unused copy with four big margins and very fresh appearance. Impressive..... \$ 675
- (c) **A3a(2) (SG52) 3d Brown-lilac ditto, roulette 7, fine used.** Copy of deep colour and fine appearance with three enormous margins - part of upper and right-hand unit included. Margin at left is close but "closed" row of roulettes inside the margin. Other sides identifiably rouletted. Absolutely guaranteed, this is a SUPER stamp. (Cat. \$1500)..... \$ 650
- (d) **A5b(3) (SG42) 6d Brown, unused.** Nice-looking example with three huge margins and part of left unit present. Cut into at right. Original gum if minor thin spot. Chance to secure very rare item (Cat. \$2250). Appearance exquisite..... \$ 475
- (e) **A5b(1) (SG41) 6d Black-brown.** Superb four-marginal example, if narrow margin at right, huge margins other sides. Light marking well off the face. A copy of exquisite brilliance. (Cat. \$400)..... \$ 325

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- (f) **A5b(1) (SG41) 6d Black-brown ditto.** Example this time with even greater margins than previous. Part of top unit included. Marking slightly over face but the effect is outstanding. Difficult to improve on..... \$ 350
- (g) **A5b(4) (SG43) 6d Deep Red-brown.** Light marking well off the face and four margins, if close bottom and left. Lovely looking example..... \$ 250
- (h) **A6d(1) (SG44) 1/- Bluish-green.** Very deep shade in superb four marginal example, if narrow at bottom. Very light marking well off the face. Fine looking stamp of fresh, brilliant and most unusual appearance..... \$ 675
- (i) **A6d(3) (SG45) 1/- Yellow-green ditto.** Lovely example with light marking off the face, margin close at top left..... \$ 600
- (j) **A6d(4) (SG45) 1/- Deep Yellow-green.** Example with four huge margins and light marking off the face. One of the best looking copies in the offering..... \$ 800
- (k) **A6d(4) (SG45) 1/- Deep Yellow-green.** Again, huge margins on four sides with part of left-hand unit present. Marking well off the face, clean, clear example of superb appearance..... \$ 800

IMPERFORATE ON THICK, SOFT, WHITE PAPER, NO WATERMARK (1863)

- 271 (a) **A2h (SG96) 2d Dull Deep Blue (slight plate wear)** One of the most outstanding pieces extant in this scarce provisional printing. Our major offering this month is a superbly used pair (Obliterator 17 light and off the face). Full four-marginal and paper condition perfect. This is an important offering..... \$ 7500

NZ WATERMARK IMPERFORATE, 1864

- 272 (a) **A1j (SG97) 1d Carmine-vermilion, unused.** Another four-marginal example, if close at right-hand side. One of the modern rarities, the stamp is seldom or never offered (Cat.\$2250)..... \$ 2000
- (b) **A6h (SG100) 1/- Yellow-green, unused.** Another example with four huge margins. Original gum, condition quite amazing. Another of the month's great offerings..... \$ 3000
- (c) **A5f (SG99) 6d Red-brown.** Four-marginal example with postmark well off the face and very deep shade. One of the best we've seen. (Cat. \$1750)..... \$ 2000
- (d) **A6h(2) (SG100) 1/- Deep Yellow-green.** Used copy with four full margins. Another of the best copies in existence. Very, very hard to duplicate..... \$ 600

- (e) **A6h(Y) (SG106) 1/- NZ wmk, perforated 13.** Incredible example with Otago cancellation, well-centred and only defect is small tear at top margin. The bottom row of perforations is doubled perf 13 and a new Catalogue listing is created. Stamp guaranteed in all respects. (Catalogued as perf 13 \$1250), the unique variety..... \$ 525

CHALONS (Cont'd)

- PERFORATED 13, 1862-1864, WMK LARGE STAR**
- 273 (a) **A5c(2) (SG76) 6d Brown.** Well-centred example with side and top margin, perfs into value tablet slightly. 1867 date (late for perf 13) W2 c.d.s. Superb guaranteed example..... \$ 175
- (b) **A6e(4) (SG79) 1/- Yellow-green.** Well-centred example for perf 13 and although postmark over face, this is a most desirable item. Scarce in our experience. (Cat. \$750)..... \$ 350
- PERFORATED 12½, STAR WATERMARK**
- 274 (a) **A1m (SG110) 1d Carmine-vermilion.** One of the loveliest copies we've seen for years. Very light marking well to the left of the face and although centring is slightly to the left, this is one of the freshest possible..... \$ 75
- (b) **A1q(4) (SG132) 1d Reddish-brown with advanced platewear.** Superb mint block of four with right-hand selvedge, two stamps completely unhinged mint. Centred high but a wonderful show-piece example for an exhibition collection. Cat. at least \$1000..... \$ 975
- (c) **A3d(2) (SG117) 3d Lilac.** Lovely block of six with original gum. Stamps well-centred and in all respects, fine. Most unusual and beautiful multiple..... \$ 1350
- (d) **A3d(9) (SG118) 3d Mauve unused.** Well-centred item which although centred low has exquisite margins and appearance. Perfs almost completely clear of design. This is a very scarce stamp in unused condition and one of the best we've seen for some time. (Cat. \$800)..... \$ 750
- (e) **A4a (SG119) 4d Rose.** Really wonderful example with light mark well off the face and fine, fresh colour. Stamp is centred low and lower perfs slightly "straight". (Cat. \$750) - technically very fine indeed..... \$ 675
- (f) **A4c (SG139) 4d Bright Orange-yellow, mint, OG, no Wmk.** One of the best centred items we've seen for some time, lovely example and fills the "4d Yellow unused" slot admirably..... \$ 450
- (g) **A5k (SG136) 6d Pale Blue.** One of the finest examples we've seen for some years. Well-centred if to bottom. Very light commercial datestamp bottom left corner. Fresh and fine..... \$ 175
- (h) **A6m(4) (SG125) 1/- Yellow-green.** Superb example with light marking off the face. Top and side margins not large but it is a fine, fresh stamp... \$ 200
- (i) **A6m(1) (SG124) 1/- Green.** Lovely example with very light circular datestamp dated 1870. Late for this comb perf issue and shade but wonderful example..... \$ 300

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FULL FACE QUEENS

- 299 (1) **1871 (25 October) Oamaru to Oxford (UK).**
Lovely strip of three of 2d Orange, perf 10x12½ (well centred, if straight edge left-hand unit). Flap torn but Oamaru, Dunedin and Oxford backstamps and two fair strikes of the obliterator "19" (PSNZ Vol 3 p.80, type 2A)..... \$ 325
- (2) **1869 (March 6th) Napier to Timaru.** SG117 3d Lilac - fine item centred left franks this inter-provincial item. Obliterator 11 (Ahuriri) and Napier c.d.s. Not the rarest, but a magnificent proving cover..... \$ 175
- (3) **1865 (October 7th) Auckland to Dublin, SG125**
1/- Yellow-green, perf 12½, franks this little item (flap slightly torn). 1/- rate (½oz-1oz), transit backstamp ("H & K Packet", FE 17 1865). Lovely item, if slight discolouration in address..... \$ 465

FIRST AND SECOND SIDEFACES

- 300 (1) **1882 (22nd April) Wellington to London.**
A remarkable front from a large envelope including no less than 28 examples of the 1d Rose, Die 1, and one example of the 2d Lilac, Die 1. 1d are mainly pairs and a block of four. Wellington duplex cancellation. Remarkable display item (stamps Cat. over \$400).. \$ 195

299 (2)



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SIDEFACES (Cont'd)

- 300 (43) **1895 (1st November) Bombay to Clevedon.** 2d perf 10, Plate 5, bottom left-hand pane R9/5 scratched line from 'E' of ZEA to 'T' of TWO. Fresh..... \$ 50
- (44) **1894 (8th June) Paihiatua to Dorset.** 2½d perf 10 franks this fine item, Paihiatua PN NRPO c.d.s. (Railway Travelling Post Office on the section from Palmerston North). Magnificent example..... \$ 75
- (45) **1898 (20 September) Ashburton to Canada.** 2½d tied by beautiful strike of Ashburton squared circle. Backstamped Windsor, Ontario Toronto and RPO-CH. Cancel used on Christchurch, South Canterbury line started in 1896..... \$ 50
- (46) **1897 (8th December) Auckland to Frankton Junction (readdressed to Ngaruawahia).** Auckland four-concentric ring c.d.s. and 1d perf 11 showing small red dot in centre of PENNY. Delivery delayed through incorrect address. Backstamped Frankton Junction and Ngaruawahia 10th December..... \$ 30
- (47) **1897 (19th October) Russell to Bombay readdressed to Frankton.** Pair 1d Sideface, perf 11, backstamped Bombay and Frankton Junction (delivery delayed four days). Part of flap missing but interest..... \$ 35
- (48) **1887 (23rd May) Newton to Aylesbury, Bucks.** Superb Die 1 1d x 3 cancelled with the Newton obliterator A11. Backstamped Auckland, Whitchurch and Aylesbury. Flap slightly damaged but condition good..... \$ 95
- (49) **1884 (20th February) Gore to London.** Strip of three 2d Die 1, postmarked with Gore obliterator "SD1". Datestamped Gore, London and London EC in red. Magnificent..... \$ 110
- (50) **1887 (3rd February) Auckland to London.** Statement of account for the Auckland Gas Co Ltd Year Ended 31st December 1886. 1d Die 2 (D2ba) perf 12x11½. 6mm Wmk HM paper. backstamped London SE in red. Sheet folded and posted thus. M/S "Book Post Printed Paper only". Unusual..... \$ 60
- (51) **1874 (April 15th) Auckland local letter.** Superb pair of 1d First Sideface, Lilac, perf 10x12½ (C1b). Cover in glorious condition, if flap torn. Clean and light impression of Auckland c.d.s. Most unusual, and essential for specialised Sideface collection..... \$ 500
- (52) **1882 (13th May) Auckland to Sydney.** Nice cover carrying 2d Die 1 (D3a) and Auckland duplex. backstamp Sydney. Flap missing..... \$ 50
- (53) **1892 (7th September) Christchurch to Sussex.** Nice combination cover 2 x 1d Second Sideface and ½d Newspaper stamp x 1. (2½d rate). Cover stained and one 1d stamp damaged..... \$ 10
- (54) **1897 (2nd July) ½d Sideface postmarked Wellington (concentric circle c.d.s.).** Then stamped "Unclaimed" in red and Wellington c.d.s. red, 3 August 97 indicating returned to sender. Franked "Not Found" handstamp in top left. Magnificent little piece..... \$ 125

MARINE POST OFFICE MARKINGS

- 301 (1) 1905 (6th November) RMS "Sierra" to London.
1d Universal franks this fine NZ picture
postcard with Maori social scene. Sierra
crenellated c.d.s. in blue. Superb condition.... \$ 375
- (2) 1903 (2nd April) RMS "Ventura" to Auckland.
1c Franklin embossed postal stationary
envelope (unsealed). Boxed packet boat cachet on
stamp and separate Ventura c.d.s. in purple as
prescribed. NZ Marine PO RMS "Ventura"
- fine strike..... \$ 575
- (3) 1933 (25th August) Wellington to New York.
Commercial cover endorsed "Per s.s.
"Mariposa" via Auckland". Wellington late
fee c.d.s. on pair of 1d Field Marshal..... \$ 95
- (4) 1933 (October 30th) New Zealand to Philadelphia.
Cover endorsed "Per SS "Mariposa"" and strip
of three 1d Field Marshal, cancelled Honolulu
duplex and single line handstamp serified
"PACQUEBOT". Large item with commercial
receiving datestamp November 8th 1933..... \$ 85
- (5) 1933 (20th November) RMS "Tahiti" to Chicago.
1d Field Marshal franks commercial cover
with Tahiti c.d.s. Attractive..... \$ 45
- (6) 1936 (18th August) RMS "Niagara" to California.
2c George V Brown Canadian with wave dumb
obliterator and Marine PO RMS "Niagara" c.d.s.
Backstamped RMS "Niagara" Purser's Office.
Attractive..... \$ 25
- (7) 1936 (5 OC) "Sydney Paquebot" to London. Pair
9d Panel and two strikes of the Sydney
Paquebot marking. Superb cover..... \$ 20

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TO OPEN THE LETTER CARD, TEAR OFF THE EDGE AT THE PERFORATION.

- 1898 PICTORIALS**
- 302 (1) **1898 (20th June) Fowler's to Bulls re-addressed to Wellington.** ½d Slate Purple Mt Cook, fine strike of the c.d.s. and backstamped RPO Wellington and Feilding. Early use..... \$ 125
- (2) **1908 Stafford-Hokitika.** Lovely registered item carrying 3d redrawn perf 14 (E10a) Hokitika backstamp..... \$ 150
- POSTAL STATIONERY**
- 303 (1) **1890 (25th September) Greymouth to London Newspaper wrapper.** Samuel FA3a addressed to Agent General for New Zealand, fine used if slight adherence thin on back..... \$ 15
- (2) **1893 (30th March) Patea to Canterbury in Victorian 1d Blue postcard,** Samuel AA6a. fine used with RPO WN and Christchurch c.d.s..... \$ 7.50
- (3) **1901 (12th April) Christchurch to England.** 1½d Purple overprinted ONE PENNY. (Samuel type BA15a). Christchurch concentric circle c.d.s. and Norwich receiving datestamp, Wellington flag cancel on back. Very fine..... \$ 40
- (4) **1902 (12th June) Kamo to Germany.** 1½d Victorian lettercard overprinted 1d (Samuel Type BA15a) additional 1½d postage paid by 1½d Boer War issue, perf 11. Essential..... \$ 75
- (5) **1901 (30th July) Kamo to Germany.** 1d Carmine QV embossed envelope, Samuel type CB2a. Fine used with extra 1½d paid by 1½d Boer War issue. Slight stains. Auckland and Zittau backstamps..... \$ 50
- (6) **1901 (2nd October) Mangonui to Auckland.** Queen Victoria 3d printed registered envelope (Samuel type EA3a). Registration fee 3d understamp and envelope number '67' on back. Fine used example with 1d additional postage. Superb, backstamped registered Auckland..... \$ 100
- (7) **1904 (10th October) Wellington to Germany.** Edwardian 1d Blue postcard (Samuel type AB1a) Fine used. Schoenbeck receiving c.d.s. - nice destination..... \$ 50
- OR similar 1913 (15th April) to France endorsed "Colonies" in Blue and "FT" on back.** Another interesting destination..... \$ 50
- (8) **1909 (5th January) Ross to Hokitika,** King Edward VII embossed envelope in superb condition, Hokitika backstamp..... \$ 40
- (9) **1931 (10th January) Cambridge to Switzerland.** King George V embossed envelope with ½d Green and 1d Field Marshal Carmine stamps added. Nice combination cover making 2½d rate..... \$ 40
- (10) **1925 (11th May) Sefton to France.** Small GV embossed social size "T30 centimes" postage due marking and backstamp..... \$ 50
- (11) **1937 (15th March) Te Kauwhata to France.** Geo V Commercial envelope 2½d Mt Cook added for 3½d rate. Nice item..... \$ 30

- EARLY METER MACHINE MARKS**
- 304 (1) **1907 (April 11th) Lichfield St, Christchurch to London.** Superb example of one of the very early meter-marks. Moss machine number 3 was first brought into use in Christchurch at the Christchurch Meat Co on February 8th 1906 with franks of type No. 4 (PSNZ Vol 3, p.431). Our cover this month has the embossed flap of the Canterbury (NZ) Seed Co Ltd, Christchurch and bears this type of frank, No.5. Christchurch New Zealand "Official Paid" stamp in red, double line boxed handstamp. Lichfield St c.d.s. 11th April 1907 and London EC backstamp. Rare and unusual in our experience..... \$ 575
- (2) **1912 (1st November) Auckland to Wellington.** Moss machine number 4, meter mark No. 19, value ½d. Auckland c.d.s..... \$ 125
- (3) **1914 (29th April) Wellington to Liverpool.** Moss machine No. 4 used at Wellington (PSNZ Vol 3, p.431, No. 12) 1d value. This type of die was introduced in 1910. Wellington c.d.s and Wellington 1d Paid c.d.s. in red. Envelope embossed flap of Levin and Co. Ltd, Wellington. Envelope opened out. Rare..... \$ 350
- (4) **1919 (4th September) Christchurch to London.** PSNZ type 15 (meter mark No. 29 "three half pence". This was Moss machine Model D, first placed on trial May 11th 1916. Christchurch machine cancellation and Christchurch Paid c.d.s. in red..... \$ 325
- (5) **1920 (23rd February) Wellington - used on window envelope (no address).** Moss machine Model E meter mark of Public Trust Office, Wellington. Centre Die "A". 1½d value. Wellington machine cancellation and Wellington 1½d Paid c.d.s. in red (magnificent strike). Lovely example and rare (some spotting)..... \$ 325
- (6) **1920 (31st March) Wellington to Bristol.** Volume 3 type 15. Rather incomplete strike 1½d Courtenay Place c.d.s. and Wellington FMB 1½d Paid in red. Printed flap of Bannantyne and Hunter Ltd, Wellington, and magnificent "Visit New Zealand" Mitre Peak, Milford Sound. Government Railways publicity sticker (perforated) on back. A very delightful item indeed..... \$ 375
- (7) **1920 (24th December) Wellington to London.** PSNZ type 15, two strikes of 1d. Printed envelope of E J Hyams Ltd, Wellington, and Wellington machine cancellation. Wellington FMB 2d PAID c.d.s. in red. Another lovely item..... \$ 325
- (8) **1921 (9th May) Wellington to London.** Description as above, printed envelope of the Midland Hotel with two strikes of Type 15. Wellington FMB 2d PAID c.d.s. in red. Slightly worn..... \$ 250

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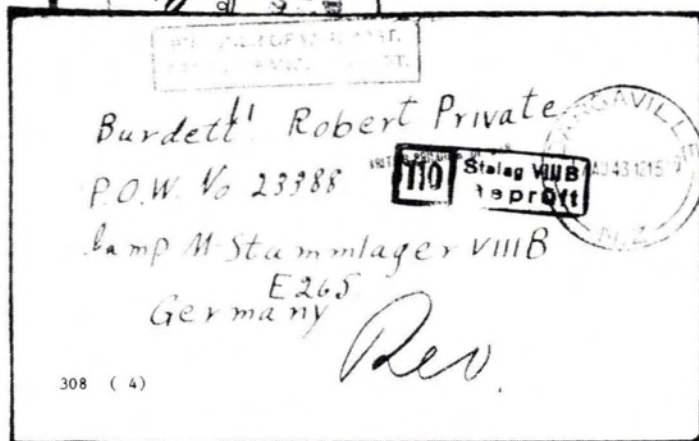
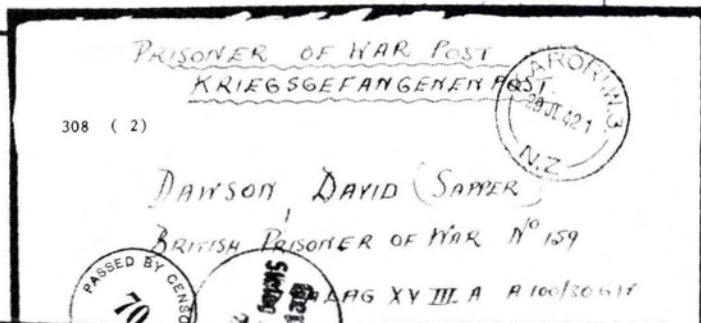
- 304 (9) **1924 (July 29th) Auckland to Massachusetts.** PSNZ Vol. 3, type 15 in red, 1d. Printed envelope of J J Craig Ltd, Auckland machine cancellation, no other markings..... \$ 75
- (10) **1925 (June 11) Timaru to London.** PSNZ type 15 1d Timaru in red. Timaru machine cancellation Bank of New Zealand Ltd printed envelope..... \$ 100
- (11) **1928 (8th September) Dunedin to Germany.** Printed envelope of A S Paterson and Co Ltd, Dunedin. Two strikes of PSNZ type 15 Dunedin 1d. Dunedin machine cancellation and c.d.s. in black..... \$ 95
- EDWARD VII AND WORLD WAR I**
- 305 (1) **1910 (17th January) Stafford to Hokitika.** 3d Chestnut (H3a) on beautiful registered cover.. \$ 35
- (2) **1914 (2nd January) Auckland Exhibition to Waimate.** ½d Auckland Exhibition with Auckland Exhibition c.d.s. and "Posted On Top Of Exhibition Tower" in large double circle. Postcard - scene of "Wonderland" No. 2396..... \$ 95
- (3) **1915 (2nd July) Trentham Military Camp to Wellington.** 1d Dominion franks commercial correspondence, double line Trentham Military Camp c.d.s. Fine..... \$ 55
- (4) **1909 (13 August) Gore to France.** Maximum card (postcard "The Road to Paradise, NZ"). No stamp on message/address side but 1d Universal surface print on view side. Gore obliterator No. 5 used to cancel the stamp. Must be scarce..... \$ 50
- (5) **1918 (August 30th) Ashburton to 11th Battery 3rd Brigade NZFA.** Letter returned to sender on 1 February 1919 after having been forwarded to the Middle East. Handstamp "Deceased" and "Return to Sender". Contents - in Arabic: form relating to an undelivered telegram sent from a rest camp at Port Said to New Zealand and undelivered due to "Not Known". Worn but research interest..... \$ 50
- UNUSUAL DESTINATIONS**
- 306 (1) **1902 (2nd October) Napier to Siberia.** Maori scenes postcard with 1d Universal postmarked with Napier squared circle. Napier RPO c.d.s. and Siberian receiving datestamp..... \$ 50
- (2) **1905 (9th December) Palmerston North to Peking.** Maori scene postcard. Hong Kong and Shanghai transit datestamps and Peking receiving c.d.s. 29th January 06. Scarce..... \$ 250
- (3) **1905 (November 18th) Similar to previous lot.** Wellington to Peking. Pair ½d Green Mt Cook and Wellington machine cancellation. Transit marks of Victoria, Hong Kong; Shanghai and Peking receiving c.d.s. 3rd January 1906. Maori scenes postcard..... \$ 250
- (4) **1903 (20th March) Spit to St Petersburg, Russia.** Superb item with Spit c.d.s. Napier transit marks 20th March and 31st March, Travelling PO Napier 1st April 1903 and St Petersburg receiving datestamp 7th May 1903..... \$ 125

CHINA POSTAL HISTORY

- 306 (5) **1940 (16th May) Henderson to Chungking, China.**
Extraordinary and very rare Chinese **POSTAGE DUE** item. 2d Otago Centennial franks this item which has T2d postage due marking and has been passed by the New Zealand censor (censor tape, etc.) Calculation of postage due in Chinese characters and Chinese Postage Due handstamp in black (Chinese characters). Addressee is missionary with Canadian Inland Mission in China. Very rare indeed and of tremendous current interest..... \$ 575
- (6) **1949 (26th January) New Plymouth to Shanghai, China.** Registered item carrying full set of Otago Centennial. Letter appears to be undeliverable as it carries a Shanghai tracer form with Shanghai datestamp 12th March 1949. Backstamps are Shanghai and numerous other Chinese handstamps. Fascinating research material for the modern China specialist in instructional markings and forms..... \$ 425
- 307 (1) **1938 (March 18th) PITCAIRN ISLAND**
"Radio Communication" cover
"The Voice of PITC". Cover (unstained) in magnificent condition (1d Kiwi NZ) signed by Richard Edgar Christian, Chief Magistrate.
Rare and unusual..... \$ 350
- (2) **Cover as above but slightly damp-affected.....** \$ 250
P O W MAIL
- 308 (1) **1941 (3rd October) Feilding to Switzerland.**
Censored item sent to NZ POW C/- International Red Cross in Geneva. Receiving stamp of the Red Cross, Geneva. Censor tape and handstamp 109, 3/- Mt Egmont..... \$ 275
- (2) **1942 (29th June) Karori to Stalag XVIIIA.**
Unstamped item with censor handstamp number 70 and Stalag XVIIIA censor handstamp No 26. Original document enclosed. Condition near-perfect. Unfolded. Rare..... \$ 525
- (3) **1943 (21st June) Petone to Posta Militaire, Italy.** Handstamp, Prisoner of War Post, etc. Censored item carrying 3/- Mt Egmont, Italian receiving handstamp..... \$ 325
- (4) **1943 (17th August) Dargaville to Stalag VIIIB.**
Censored item with censor tape, Prisoner of War Post. Kriegsgefangenenpost boxed handstamp in Purple "British Prisoner of War" in small type handstamp in purple and boxed 110 Stalag VIIIB Geprüft censor mark. Perfect condition, virtually uncreased and in our experience, very scarce indeed..... \$ 525
- NEW ZEALAND PATRIOTIC PRINTED ENVELOPES**
- 309 (1) **1944 (25th February) Christchurch to Pennsylvania.**
Censored item, censor tape, Spitfire, ship, and tank, "V for Victory"..... \$ 40
- (2) **1945 (15th March) Christchurch to Pennsylvania.**
Union Jack and "V" "Keep it Flying"..... \$ 40
- (3) **1945 (27th September) Doyleston to Pennsylvania.**
"Victory, Peace, Unity, 1939-1945 Out of Chaos a New World is born". Sword through swastika.... \$ 30
OR The same design in red and blue..... \$ 45
OR the same design in Deep Red endorsed
"Fall of Berlin"..... \$ 50

PATRIOTIC ENVELOPES WWII (Cont'd)

- 309 (4) **1945 (26th April) Sydenham to Pennsylvania.**
"Looking for a Better Home - Adolph the Rat!" and
caricature of Hitler..... \$ 45
- (5) **1945 (20th August) North Avon to Pennsylvania.**
"NZ ONWARD", scene of ships and flags spelling
"Victory". Official ½d Centennial and 2½d
1935 Pictorial. Nice item..... \$ 50
- (6) **1945 (1st April) Flag of USA and NZ joined**
by handshake. Superb..... \$ 50
- (7) **1945 (4th May) "FIGHTING ON ALL FRONTS FOR**
VICTORY" with map of New Zealand and morse code
"v"..... \$ 50
- (8) **1945 (28th July) North Avon to Pennsylvania.**
Framed bulls-eye design in black with Berlin
and bulls-eye "GOOD SHOT JOE"..... \$ 50
- (9) **1945 (17th July) Christchurch to Pennsylvania.**
Hand grasping small Hitler figure "1945"..... \$ 50
- (10) **1945 (25th August) Christchurch, New Zealand**
Industries Fair to Pennsylvania "VICTORY, NZ" and
NZ flag..... \$ 45
- COMMEMORATIVE COVERS AND CINDERELLAS**
- 310 (1) **1941 (date unclear) Wartime cover with 1½d**
Centennial Official and ½d to England. NZ
serviceman, plane and ship "FOR KING AND EMPIRE"
Cinderella label in blue and black..... \$ 15
- (2) **1938 (21st September) Auckland to New York.**
Cachet of "NZRA DX" and NZ Centennial
Exhibition, Wellington, publicity label tied
to cover. Superb..... \$ 60
- (3) **1938 (7th November) Christchurch to USA.**
Airmail Exhibition datestamp on commemorative
cover "AIRMAIL SOCIETY OF NEW ZEALAND". 3d
1935 Air..... \$ 40
- OR example carrying 1935 AIR 1d. Cover slightly**
soiled, to Australia..... \$ 20
- (4) **1940 (23rd April) Philatelic Exhibition,**
Wellington to England. Cover with printed
monogram and special label in green tied to
cover by Exhibition postmark. Slightly soiled
but excellent..... \$ 25
- FOREIGN POSTAGE DUES**
- 311 (1) **1913 (6th January) Hermitage to Melbourne.**
Hermitage A Class c.d.s. on 1d Dominion frank
printed Hermitage Hostel printed envelope
with Mt Cook scene in blue. Cover rather torn
but Fairlie transit mark, Melbourne Dead
Letter Office 28th January 1913, NZ Dead
Letter Office 10th February 1913 and
on the front "LCR" and UNCLAIMED in
Melbourne handstamps, LC List Melbourne c.d.s
Plenty of markings..... \$ 35
- (2) **1936 (23rd March) Dunedin to Marseilles.** Nice
cover with "T10 centimes" in circle in black
and 1 franc Percevoir postage due stamp
(France). Pair 1d Kiwi. Nice item..... \$ 75
- (3) **1937 (August 9th) Stratford to France.**
1d Coronation and Stratford machine cancellation.
T30 centimes in circle in black and 2 francs
in Violet and 10 centimes brown. French
Postage Dues. Glorious item..... \$ 12



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