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## The General Post Office - Jamaica.

The GPO, Jamaica, was first located on Harbour Street before the earthquake of 1907. After this, a modern two-storey building was erected on King Street during 1908-1909, stretching from Barry to Tower St. (one complete block.)

At this time the Post Office was equipped with just under 500 subscriber Letter Boxes, and one Subscriber Registration window. Also two Registration windows for non-subscribers. Originally there were four windows for stamps to be purchased, but this has been stepped up to six; while third-class matter, papers, etc., are handled from the back or the Post Office in a separate Department.

The Post Master General of Jamaica supervises the 450 Post Offices, and Postal Agencies now in Jamaica. His job is to see that all mail is despatched as quickly as possible, all Post Offices running smoothly, and a full stock of stamps despatched regularly to all points. However, as soon as the mail starts to come in, packages, parcels, etc., at the Post Office, the Customs Dept. takes over (thus one finds two Government bodies working in one Department.)

The Customs Department essays the duty or retains the packages for Examination, where values have not been declared. In recent months this Department has become very difficult, mainly because:-

- a) packages containing stamps of a value of over £5. 0. 0. the Customs require an invoice to clear the items or else obtain a Bill of Sight (12/64.) and a Customs broker to do the job, which normally should go through without any difficulty.
- b) Duty being imposed on air letter sheets - post cards - Registered envelopes all having the head of the Queen or George VI embossed. All this material was a sample shipment from Bermuda, and duty of 20% was charged, plus the 6d. package tax.
- c) Customs stopping our own approval books from being returned to us without an entry being made.

As readers will see, the Customs Department has become very difficult, and Jamaica must certainly be one of the few countries in the world today to have taken up this attitude also charging duty on Philatelic material, as this is tax-free Universally.

"There is little question or doubt that the Customs Dept. in Jamaica do their job thoroughly in checking packets and parcels, for one wonders how a letter containing only two stamps and no Declaration, could have been held by the Customs Department for inspection. On opening this letter the Invoice from the auction firm was enclosed, which either required the normal bill of sight to clear this with a Customs broker, or else returning this package to London. One often wonders whether our Customs Dept. is not using a few of the old methods adopted years ago in Germany!"

At the present time every effort will be made to supply new issues, but there will be hold-ups, particularly on all air letter sheets, mint material, envelopes Registered, and Post Cards. Used stamps have been coming through without any difficulty.

As this matter will most likely be carried further, the next issue of this magazine will give all the latest information on the meetings with the Customs Department and their remarks re the different entries being made.

## News Here And There.

### Jamaica 1955 New Single Ring Postmarks

The General Post Office on October 7th, put into use the, following single ring postmarks, which had the name at the top with the word Jamaica around the bottom, with the date in two lines in the middle, with a star in between the name of the Post Office and the date. The following were issued:-

Lucky Hill	Scotts Pass	Grey Ground
Above Rocks	May Pen (2)	Mount Peto
Port Antonio (2)	Munro College	Carrick Foyle
Mount Salus (2)	Frome	Grange Hill
Shooters Hill	Catadupa	Sheffield
Milk River	Kinloss	Albany
Ocho Rios	Mandeville (2)	Georges Valley
Toll Gate	Troja	Mocho
Port Maria	Parottee	Lorrimers
Beverley	Yarmouth	Frankfield
Spur Tree	Craighead	Parcels Post G.P.O.
Falmouth	Craigmill	Half-Way Tree (4)
Lemon Hall	Font Hill	Vineyard Town
Halls Delight	Spaldings	Kelly
Carron Hall	Dean Pen	General Post Office
Bethsalem	Marley Hill	Windward Road

It is understood that all the old double ring postmarks for Jamaica will slowly be withdrawn, and this new type of single ring will be replacing these new marks.

### Cuba – 1955 Philatelic Exhibition

HAVANA, CUBA. The Cuban Exhibition opens on Saturday. November 12th. until November 19th. A full account of this show will be in a later edition of the magazine.

### Caspary Auction

NEW YORK. One of the biggest auction sales to come on the market is that of Alfred H. Caspary. This auction has been arranged as follows:-

The first sale taking place on November 15th. of U. S. Post Master Provisionals. In 1956. January 16th.-18th. USA. general issue. The third sale on March 7, 1956. Confederate Post Master Provisionals. The fourth sale from April 23-25 '56, German States. The first sale on October 9th.-10th., British Commonwealth North America. The sixth auction sale on Nov. 19th.-21, '56, USA General issues. Dates for the 1957-1958 auctions have not yet been listed, but auction No. 7 will be of Italian States. Auction No. 8, U. S. Carriers and Locals. Auction No. 9. B.W.I. Auction No. 10. Hawaii and Confederate States. Auction 11, Europe, Part 1. In 1958, Auction 12, British Commonwealth. Auction 13, Europe, Part 2. Auction 14, Latin America. Auction 15, which will be held in London-British Commonwealth. The last auction sale is Asia.

Messrs. H. R. Harmers will be disposing of this colossal collection and without question one will find one of the world's finest gems among these, many of which were illustrated through Life magazine last year.

### **Dr Malabre Collection Sale (incl Jamaica Keyplate Official 2d Green used**

LONDON. Bournemouth Stamp Auctions has put on sale the late "Dr. H. Malabre's" collection. However, the most important item has not yet been auctioned, namely the 2d green used on piece. This rare stamp was actually found in a waste paper basket. After careful checking with London, it was found that Gibbons, Goddens and a few individual collectors had this stamp in mint condition. This is believed to be the only known used copy. If found, it will surely be put up for auction.

### **St Vincent – Glossop Collection**

LONDON. H. R. Harmers will be selling the very fine specialized collection of William Glossop who specialized on the stamps of St. Vincent. This sale will certainly attract a lot of bidders.

### **Barbados – Hurricane Janet Damage**

Very interesting report of Hurricane "JANET" came from a correspondent in that Colony. "INASMUCH THAT THE WIND DID NOT EXCEED 70 M.P.H., THIS HURRICANE DID A LOT OF DAMAGE TO THE NORTH SIDE OF THE ISLAND, PARTICULARLY TO NATIVE HOUSES AND NYLONS". Incidentally NYLONS are their pre-fabs. which do not stand up very well to strong gusts.

### **Jamaica – 1955 KGVI Air Letter Sheet**

New type of air letter sheet in a sky blue in a 6 line setting with George VI embossed stamp, has been on sale for the past month, throughout the different town districts but not at the General Post Office.

### **Jamaica – 1955/6 New Postal Agencies**

The General Post Office will be opening new Postal Agencies within the next few weeks. These are as follows:

- Maverley Housing Estate
- St. John's Road
- Rennock Lodge
- Innswood
- Pennants
- Ashton
- Galina
- Niagara

Another twenty will be appearing before the end of April next year. Complete check list will be found in the B.W. I. Philatelist next year.

### **Jamaica – Slogan Cancel "BUY ANTI-T.B. / XMAS SEALS**

On Nov. 1st a new meter mark came into use on all local material. This is an oblong 48 X 23 mm. with the following large block letters "BUY ANTI-T.B. (and the second line) XMAS SEALS".

### **Cayman Brac Airways -- Internal Air Service**

New Air service between Cayman Brac and Georgetown, Cayman Islands, will be operated by the Cayman Brac Airways Ltd. Two flights per week will be made. No official date of a first flight has been made.

### Jamaica – QEII Set Delayed

New Queen Elizabeth set has once again been delayed. One can expect to see the following values:- ½d., 1d., 2d., and 2½d. which will be in one series. The Pictorials will be 3d., 4d., 5d., 6d., 8d., 1/-, 1/6d., 2/- while the four high values will be of symbolic designs of Jamaica, 3/-, 5/- and 10/-, £ 1.

### Turks Island – QEII New Issue

News of their new set which is now being prepared and which collectors will find very interesting, should appear next June. This set will have the smaller values which are now in operation.

### B.W.I. Decimal Currency

The currency throughout the B.W.I. is now being issued in all the Islands. Pegged at \$5:00 to the £ 1 except in Jamaica, where the notes will have \$4:80 and on the front £ 1-Jamaica. British Honduras will have \$4:00 on the front of the bill and on the reverse side will be B.W.I. \$4:80.

## New Finds In T. R. D. Marks For Jamaica

### E. F. Aguilar

The Late L. C. C. Nicholson was without question the leading expert in the world on T. R. D.'s for Jamaica. Having frequently worked with him during the preparation of the Philatelic Handbook of Jamaica, it was amazing how well he knew the names of properties and places of Jamaica, considering he had never visited this Island during his lifetime.

In compiling the Philatelic Handbook we both made every effort to list all existing strikes and the earliest and latest possible dates for each item known, listing every known type that existed.

Early this year, there was a very large bulk of commercial material which I have been going through steadily over the weekends and one of the first intimations that this material had some unrecorded stamps was the finding of a new type of T. R. D. for Jamaica. This type goes under the heading of Miscellaneous and was used during the years from 1922-1928, "**Return Letter Branch**", in very small type in an oblong box 42 X 28 mm. with the date in the middle and the word Jamaica in heavy type similar to TD. 16. The earliest date on the material found was August 17, 1922, while the latest date was June 7, 1928. Many of the later strikes are very indistinct. The second type which is an oblong 52X30 mm. has "**Return Letter Branch**". The date in the middle, and "Kingston, Jamaica" at the bottom. This has only been found on two envelopes, the earliest one being May 1924, while the latest date was April 21, 1927, which was a most indistinct strike. Both these are new items to be included in the handbook. Also worth recording at the same time, was an extremely fine cover from Allman Town TD. 32 dated 7/1/39. Inverness on full cover TD. 21, dated 14/12/21. Woodford on full cover with the word paid in red pencil at the top of the envelope dated 5/9/21. An extremely fine piece.

Lascelles Dec. 31', 1921. Direct Cable on full envelope from Direct W.I. Co. in Type 21 dated 9/2/22. A later envelope has the date June 19, 1922.

A very large amount of Government official envelopes were found in this lot. It is interesting to record that during 1941/45 a special steel stamp was used at the Kingston Goods Shed. The double ring is 32 mm. across. The space in between the ring being around 8 mm. with the words "J.G.R." in big Capital letters, a full stop after each letter, and around the bottom of the circle "Kingston Goods Shed."

The earliest date among this batch to be found was June 23, 1943. The latest date Feb. 17, 1945. Usually tied with the mark is the TPO 1 or 2. This mark was used for stamping off official envelopes on the back of the flap. While a second type with "Jamaica Government Railway" was also used around this period, during 1941/45. These were tied by official snail, thus no stamps appearing on any envelope, but TPO types one and two are usually tied in with this mark.

## Jamaica – Slogan Cancel "LOOK LISTEN-LIVE LONGER"

In the March edition of the B.W.I. Philatelist Mr. Charles M. Gildart wrote an article on the slogan cancellations of Jamaica. One new cancellation which must be extremely rare, has now come to light, and as living in Jamaica I have never seen. This is an oblong of 54 X 23 mm. in large black letters.

"LOOK LISTEN-LIVE LONGER" in two lines dated Oct. 8th, 1947. This actually should be No. 10 in the listing in the magazine.

### **Review:**

#### **Stamp Collectors' Annual.-**

The new 1956 Stamp Collectors' Annual, edited by Tom Morgan, has just arrived. As usual this is very interesting. Printed on good Art paper containing 104 leaves, it has a wide variety of articles. The Selling price, 3/6d. plus postage, and can be obtained from the editor or writing direct to: Messrs. Harris Publications Ltd., 29 Buckingham St., London WC 2. ENGLAND.

#### **Commonwealth Stamp Catalogue**

The new 1956 Commonwealth Stamp Catalogue Queen Elizabeth stamps has just been issued. This contains a complete listing of all the Queens stamps with any perf. changes or varieties, that have appeared up to date. In the 90 pages in this catalogue, it lists all the booklets up to date as well as a number of stamps sold for Commemorative issues. This very fine publication can be obtained for 4/- plus postage, by writing to the editor.

#### **Stanley Gibbons' 1956 Empire Catalogue-Part I**

This is as beautiful as ever, and certainly a rather nice catalogue used throughout the W. I. There has been a few changes in prices, but nothing very drastic. The selling price for this Catalogue is 17/-, which contains 700 odd pages. Collectors are well advised to use and obtain one of these very useful Catalogues as a guide.

### RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR THE MAIL AUCTION.

1. Lots must be sold to the highest bidder without reserve.
2. All bidding is by mail. There are no floor bids. Bids will be kept confidential.
3. Lots may be inspected prior to the date of sale at our office. No individual lots will be sent overseas. Bids from new customers must be accompanied by a deposit or reference.
4. Postage and Insurance will be extra.
5. Material purchased by mail auction is not on approval. Lots, however, not correctly described may be returned promptly.
6. Every item is guaranteed genuine, unless otherwise stated. Claim for any lot proving otherwise must be made within 3 weeks.
7. Listing of Catalogue value has been done from Stanley Gibbons and Commonwealth Catalogues.
8. Closing date is Feb. 28th, 1956.

### MAIL AUCTION LISTING.

#### Valuation

#### ANTIGUA:

- Lot 1 1908/12 ½d. to 1/- unused. Many copies show signs of rust spots. Cat. 50/- (7 stamps) 15/-  
 2 1921/29 MCA 3d. to 5/- unused except for 3d. and 1/- V.F. condition Cat. £4, plus 35/-  
 3 1921/29 Script ½d. to 2/- Mint except for 1½d. red. (13 stamps) Cat. 57/- plus 21/-  
 4 Odd values Tercentenary used ½d., 1d., 1½d., 3d. & 1/- Jub. used without 2½d. value and 3 War Tax Cat. 78/- — (11 stamps — 2 mint) 25/-  
 5 1937 Coronation used 38 set ½d. to 5/- unused 10/-, £. Mint blocks mint Peace and used set, SW mint, UPU's, and University used, Q.E. Coronation mint 36 stamps—a useful lot. Cat. £4. 40/-

#### BAHAMAS:

- 6 Odd values Q.V. 1875 1d. (2) 1/- green 1d., & 4d. perf. 12 low value Edwards, 1d. Queens staircase George V ½d. to 1/- mainly used 2½d. & 5d. mint Q. staircase 3d., 5d. unused, 3/- used, George V ½d. to 1/- used without 3d. Q. staircase 1d. and 3d. used (34 stamps mainly used except for 6) Cat. £10, plus — a useful lot. 80/-  
 7 1920 Peace set unused. Three low value of the Tercentenary mint, 1931 2/-, 3/- used Jubilee used 8d. and Coronation used (18 stamps mainly mint except for 10) Cat. £5. 10/- 50/-  
 8 George VI 38 set with only a few of the colour changes in the low values. ½d. to £ used, 3d. ovpt. unused Cat. £2, plus (17 stamps) 30/-  
 9 Landfall set ½d. to £ second printing, block 3d. all used (21 stamps) Cat. £5. a good lot. 60/-  
 10 Used Eleutheran set ½d. to £ mint and used and unused block Peace also singles (34 stamps all used except for 10) Cat. £7. 10/- 80/-  
 11 Block six of 2d. scarlet with short "T" in TWO (C.W. 57a) Strip of three 2d. green, 3d. scarlet a few others, odd values all mint except for 1 — 15 stamps. Cat. 21/- 21/-  
 12 UPU's used Q.E. Coronation Plate block and single WAR TAX and special Delivery, (23 stamps 13 used — 10 mint) Cat. 30/-, 14/-

#### BARBADOS:

- 13 Collection of QV 1861 — ½d., & 1d. — 6d. rose red 1/- Scotts 19 & 20) 1871 1d. blue 1/- 1875 1d. and 6d. all used,

- both the 1/-'s slightly damaged, 1882/3 set ½d. to 1/- used without the 3d. (no shades) 2½d. blue & 6d. has rust spots. Cat. £14, plus 16 stamps all used. 90/-  
 14 Biseet 1d. blue 1872 SG 52a on large piece with BPA Cert. dated March '77. 100/-  
 15 1892/99 set ½d. to 10d. used — 2d. & 2½d. show rust all used — ½d. on 4d. ovpt. 1897/98 ¼d. to 2/6 unused very nearly all stamps show slight rust spots. 1904/5 ¼d. to 2½d. used, 1908 Nelson ½d. to 1/- mainly used 2d., 2½d. and 6d. mint 2½d. has rust — 1908 ovpt. Kingston Relief, odd values of seal of Colony — set 1912 ¼d. to 6d. used — 44 stamps mainly used of which 18 are unused — Cat. £20, plus E £6.  
 16 1912 Issue ¼d. to 2/- no shades mainly unused except for ½d. and 4d. also 4d. and 3/- colour changes SG 199 & 200 unused (12 stamps) Cat. £7. 10/- 70/-  
 17 1920 set Victory issue ¼d. to 3/- unused, Perf. change 1d. used 13 stamps Cat. £6. 10/- — a good lot. £3.  
 18 1921/24 3d. to 1/- MCA ¼d. to 3/- Script without 1/- unused and 1937 set ½d. slightly damaged 1d. and 2d. used (16 stamps) Cat. £7, plus £3.  
 19 1925/35 ¼d. to 3/- without 1/- with perf. changes mainly used except for ¼d. and 2/-, 3/- which are unused Jubilee. 42/-  
 20 George VI mint block four — 1½d. orange 2d. carmine, 2½d. blue, 4d., 6d. (2 blocks) 1/-, 2/6, 5/-, all perf. 13 X 13½ Perf. 14½d. (bistre) (2 blocks) 1d. green, 3d. brown (2) with many singles of both perfs. mainly mint. 105 stamps of which 34 are used. A very useful collection with many shades. Cat. over £5. 10/- 70/-  
 21 Mint & used block and singles of the Peace set. 1948 one penny P. 14 block mint single P. 13 X 13½ UPU's, used Cenary set mint, University, Q.E. Coronation, 1950 set mint 30 stamps of which 8 are used. Cat. well over £2. 10/- 35/-  
 22 Barbuda set ½d. to 5/- unused. Cat. £7. 60/-
- #### BERMUDA:
- 23 A number of Q.V. used a few arms type 1910/19 MCA ¼d. to 1/- without 6d. and 2/6d. value used (27 stamps mainly used except for 5.) Cat. £5, plus 42/-  
 24 1920 Commemorative unused set ½d. to 1/- 6d. has slight rust marks. Cat. £4. 18/-, (10 stamps) 40/-  
 25 Tercentenary set 1921 ¼d. to 6d. without the 4d. & 1/- values. Many off centre, condition fair (7 stamps) Cat. 46/- 20/-  
 26 Used 1922/26 Script CA from ½d. to 4d. value. SI George V 1d., 1½d., 2½d. used (14 stamps) Cat. 32/6 15/-  
 27 1936 used George V set ½d. to 1/6d. 1937 used Coronation set. (12 stamps) Cat. 17/8 7/-  
 28 Used 1938 George VI 1d. to £ all perf. 14 only 2/6 of first type including 1d. ovpt. ½d. Cat. £8. 6. 7. 80/-  
 29 Mottled used 2/-, unused block 1½d. and 3d. Peace, & singles, used Perot set. Cat. 17/9 7/-  
 30 SW 1948 unused 1½d. and £. UPU's set used without 3d. value also 3 Power Talks and Coronation, (22 stamps mainly unused 7 used., Cat. 45/- 21/-
- #### BRITISH GUIANA:
- 31 1866 2e orange — SG 87 1882 magenta with specimen—1882 set Crown CA 1e to 8e without 6e SG 170/174. Revenue 2e dull purple SG 192. All used. (7 stamps) Cat. £3 4/- 27/6

- 32 Odd values of the 1889/1907 set used from the 1e to the 12e set 1890 used surcharged locally 1e in red, SG 207/10, 1898 used Victoria Jubilee set, 1e to 5e same set ovptd, 2e on 10e and 15e values. 1905/7 odd used values with colour changes. 1913/15 odd values. (31 stamps mainly used except for 1) Cat. 56/4. 20/-
- 33 George V 1921/7 used, 1e to 24e with colour changes. 1931 Centenary 1e to 6e used. 1934/51 George V unused and used odd values with block 3e mint and various perfs. for the 3e value, block mint 12e, block 72e mint. SJ set George V unused George VI Coronation used (48e and 96e appear to be fiscals) mainly unused. (29 stamps of which 12 are used) Cat. £3, 16, 3. 21/-
- 34 George VI 1938 set unused and used, 1e, 2e, 4e, 6e, 24e with wmk, sideways, 36e, 48e, 60e, 96e and dollar in block and singles, also perf. changes. Mainly all unused 60 of which 14 are used. Cat. £6, 17, 1. 65/-
- 35 Peace set, block and singles, mint and used also singles, UPU's, University and Postage dues. Cat. 20/- — 31 stamps of which 19 are used. Cat. 21/- plus. 8/6

**BRITISH HONDURAS:**

- 36 A collection of 28 stamps including 1d, rose SG 18 and odd values of Q.V. overprints low value in 1891/98 set and odd low values of Edward and George V 1913 issue, mainly all used except for 2. Cat. value 99/- — a useful lot. 42/-
- 37 1922/23 issue 1e to 50e mainly all used, Jubilee used set like '37 Coronation 18 stamps all used except for 2. Cat. 72/- 30/-
- 38 Used George VI set 1e to 55 high values nicely printed, block mint of the 2e P. 11 X 11½ (16 stamps) Cat. 77/- 40/-
- 39 Block Peace mint and used with single mint, used set St. George's Cay UPU's, used, University used and Coronation Q.E. mint and odd postage dues, and War Stamp (38 stamps of which 26 are used.) Cat. 30/- plus a — most useful lot of used. 14/-

**CAYMAN ISLANDS:**

- 41 QV (1901) ½d. and 1d. Ed. VII 1901/2 set a few odd values used. 1907/9 mint and used odd values. 1908/9 ½d. used SG 39. 1919/20 George V ½d. to 2/- mint. 1921/26 ¼d. to 3/- without the 4½d. value unused. Many of the stamps have rust spots. (wmk. Mult Script CA) 4d. same issue wmk. Mult Crown CA. Cat. £7, 8, 11d. (30 stamps) 60/-
- 42 1932 Centenary issue ¼d. to 2d. unused and used. 1935 issue from the ¼d. to the 6d. value used. SJ. 1935 ½d., 2½d. and 6d. used. George VI Coronation used. (19 stamps) Cat. 34/4 14/-
- 43 1938/47 set George VI unused and used with various perfs. Cat. 41/11 (17 stamps 13 used) 20/-
- 44 Peace issue block four used and unused also singles unused. 1938/47 2½d. & 3d. values in blocks unused and used. SW used, UPU's used, Q.E. Coronation unused. Block George VI 1950 10/- — SG 147. George V war stamps 1½d. on 2½d. blue. SG 54 & 59. ½d. gr., 1½d. on 2d. grey, 1½d. on 2d. orange. (50 stamps — 22 mint) Cat. 99/8d. 46/-

**DOMINICA:**

- 45 1882 Bisected ½d. pair on piece SG 11 used, 1886 unused

- ½d. on 6d. green and 1d. on 1/- magenta. ½d. dull green, 1d. carmine. 1877/79 2½d. red brown SG 6, 1887/88 2½d. ultramarine. (7 stamps — 2 mint) Cat. £7, 14, 6. 70/-
- 46 1903 used ½d. & 1d. with rust marks. 1908/19 ½d. to 1/- values used and unused. War Tax SG 60 used. 1921 issue ½d. to 2/6d. without 2/- value. (all with plate numbers) unused. (19 stamps — 15 mint) Cat. 131/9 60/-
- 47 1923 George V chalky surfaced. ½d. to 4/- unused, without 3/- and 5/- values. wmk. Crown CA. 3/-, 5/- and £ unused SG 85/87, SJ 1935 1d. and 1½d. Coronation 1937 unused and used. (21 stamps — 16 mint) Cat. £13, 9, 4. 120/-

**DOMINICA:**

- 48 1938 — ½d., to 5/- all used. Peace set block and singles unused and used. UPU's used. (33 stamps — 10 mint) Cat. 32/1. 25/-
- 49 1951 Issue from the ½e to the \$2:40 unused, UCWI used. New Constitution 1951 (ovpt.) unused blocks. Coronation 1953 unused. War Tax ½d. on ½d. green, SG 55, SG 56, SG 57, 3d. SG 58, 1½d. on 2½d. orange SG 59. Postal Fiscals unused and used. (44 stamps — 36 mint) Cat. 81/9. 40/-

**GRENADA:**

- 50 1863/71 Q.V. 1d. grn. rough perf. used (SG 5 bottom closely cut) 1875 1/- used (deep mauve) wmk. large star. 1883 a few values unused and used singles and pairs. 1895/99 a few values used 1898 "flagship of Columbus" unused. 1902 ½d. and 1d. (13 stamps 3 mint) Cat. 74/11d. 30/-
- 51 1906 ½d. green and 1d. carmine both used. 1913 issue ½d. value to the 2/- unused and used. 1921/31 ½d. to 1/- unused and used, and including colour changes & new values. (25 stamps — mint 10) Cat. 90/11d. 25/-
- 52 SJ. ½d., 1d., and 1½d. — Coronation George VI, 1938 set ¼d. to the 10/- all used except 2d. value with perf. changes ½d. to 2/- without the 2½d. all items are used. (26 stamps) Cat. £4, 5/- 40/-
- 53 Peace used and unused blocks and singles. UPU 24e used. 1951 Decimal set ½e to \$2:50 unused. UCWI used. New Constitution unused. Coronation unused. 1892 surcharge 1d., on 8d. grey/brn. SG D4 used. Surcharge 2d. used. 2d. blue/blk. SG D2 used. 1906 1d. to 3d. 1921/22 inscribed "postage due" 1916/18 War Tax George V single 1d. carmine, strip of 3d., 1d. red. (53 stamps — 38 mint) Cat. 132/7 50/-

**LEEWARD ISLANDS:**

- 54 1890 set ½d. to 1/- unused and used. Q.V. Jubilee issue all unused, the 6d. value has been double overprinted. Very fine (14 stamps) Cat. £14. £8.
- 55 The 5/- value unused well centred. Cat. £25. £14.
- 56 Surcharged stamps of 1890 — 1d. on 4d., 1d. on 6d., 1d. on 7d. all unused. 1902 ½d. to 3d. used. A few values of the 1905/8 issue. 1912/22 George V ½d. to 2/6 unused and used without 4d. and 2/- also unused and used values with the colour changes and change of wmk. (41 stamps — 18 mint) Cat. 101/- 50/-
- 57 SJ set low values used George VI Coronation used. 1938/51 set ¼d. to £ used except for 10/- value. (22 stamps—2 mint) Cat. 83/3 45/-
- 58 Peace issue block and singles unused and used. SW unused. UPU's used. 1949 change of colours in blocks unused UCWI used. Coronation 1953. (45 stamps — 37 mint) Cat. 27/2 14/-

**MONTserrat:**

- 59 1884/85 ½d. and 2½d. ultramarine used ½d. slightly thinned, 1876 1d. red unused, 1903 a few values used and unused (wmk. Crown CA) change of wmk. (Mult. Crown CA) (15 stamps 4 unused) Cat. 89/6 40/-
- 60 1916/22 George V ½d. to 2/- without 4d. and 6d. values all unused, 1922/29 ½d. to 6d. used and unused without 4d. and 5d. (20 stamps — 14 mint) Cat. 69/- 25/-
- 61 1932 Tercentenary only 1d. value used, SI 1d. and 1½d. used 1937 Coronation used, 1938/48 in P. 13 — 1d., 1½d., 3d., 6d., 1/-, 2/6d. Full set in P. 14, used, Peace block and singles, UPU used, UCWI used, 1953 Coronation unused, 1951 Decimal set 2c and 3c, War stamps unused and used. (46 stamps — 21 mint) Cat. 80/8 35/-

**ST. CHRISTOPHER:**

- 62 4 stamps all used SG 17 — 4d. — SG 8 6d. green SG 11 and SG 18 — 4d. grey and mint 1885 overprints SG 53/56 (8 stamps) 60/- 25/-

**ST. KITTS—NEVIS:**

- 63 1903—used ½d., 1d., and 6d. 2/6d. 1905/9 ½d. to 1/-, a few values of the 1907/18 issue, 1920/22 set ½d. to 2/- unused, High values badly off centre, ½d. to 3d. of the 1921/29 issue the 1½d. value unused, otherwise all used, (26 stamps 11 mint) Cat. 147/3 70/-
- 64 1923 Tercentenary ½d. to 1/- used, SH 1d. and 1½d. value, the 1½d. "Posted at Sea" (Paquebot) Coronation 1937 (13 stamps) Cat. 108/5 60/-
- 65 1938—48 set with some perf. changes unused, and used to 5/- value, Peace block and singles-UPU's set used, (29 stamps — 11 mint) Cat. 57/10d. 30/-
- 66 Decimal set unused 1c to \$4:80 UCWI used, Coronation 1953 unused, War Tax ½d., and 1d. pairs and singles, (19 stamps — 15 mint) Cat. 44/8 30/-

**ST. LUCIA:**

- 67 Pairs of St. Lucia Steam Conveyance Co., very rare, 100/-
- 68 1891—98 Q.V. ½d. to 1/- unused slight rust spots on 6d. value, 1902/3 ½d. and 1d., 2d. SG 63, 1904/10 ½d. and 1d. ordinary paper, 1907/9 low value colour changes, ½d. to 2½d., 1d. Paquebot (partial) (13 stamps—8 mint) Cat. 92/10d. 50/-
- 69 1912/19 issue ½d. to 5/- without shades, except for 4d. on white back, all unused except the 1/-, 1921/26 ½d. to 1/- with some colour changes mostly used except the 2½d. blue and 1/- SI ½d. unused (21 stamps of which 13 are mint) Cat. £6. 63/-
- 70 1936 set ½d. to 10/- used except 2 values with three low values, perf. changes, all well postmarked, (15 stamps) Cat. over £5. 60/-
- 71 1938 Mint block of 6 in the low values, block fours in higher values ½d., 1½d., 2½d., ultra, 3d. perf., 14 the 1d. violet, 2d. grey, perf. 12½. Some blocks show signs of rust, 6d. claret P. 13½ 1/-, P. 13½ 2/-, 5/- & 10/- Face value £4. 85/-
- 72 1938/48 odd value used ½d. to 10/- (16 stamps) and 1937 Coronation set used, including the colour changes and 8d., 3/- £ all used (25 stamps) Cat. £5, plus—a most useful lot 70/-
- 73 UPU's used 1950 set odd values to \$4:80 mint and used high \$4:80 used, Coils 1c and 2c p. 14¼ Mint and used, Block 4 mint and used Castries Fire also block 9 used University set used, blocks mint New Constitution, Q.E. Corona-

- tion (56 stamps of which 26 stamps are used) E £4.
- 74 War Tax gutter block of 16 SG 93 unused, used copy 1d. scarlet SG 92. Odd postage due labels and stamps E 7/-
- 75 Fiscal ovpts. 1882 set 1d. to 6d., SG F 13/17 all unused except for the 3d. value Cat. 65/- 30/-
- 76 Fiscals ovpts. P. 12 1d. — 3d. and 1/- SG 18/20 all used Cat. 38/6 21/-
- 77 Fiscal 1d. black SG F 1 used, and 1d. Revenue 15½ mm. SG F 22 used. Cat. 52/6 30/-

**ST. VINCENT:**

- 78 Collection of Q.V. 1883 ½d. to 1d., 1893 4d. yellow, 1890—6d. used, and 1/- SG 48a deep orange P. 14 used, 5/- unused carmine lake, P. 14, 2½d. on 4d. blue used, and 5d. on 6d. deep lake — 8 stamps of which 5 are used. Cat. 80/- 40/-
- 79 A few odd values in the Q.V. 1899 low value Edwards and odd values 1907 and 1907/11. The 1913 set ½d. to 2/- unused, ONE PENNY on 1/- unused, The 1921/32 ½d. to 3d. mainly used, Jubilee low values and Coronation, (33 stamps of which 18 are used) Cat. £5 plus 42/-
- 80 1938/47 George VI set ½d. to £ with new values all used, Blocks mint peace with singles, Mint and used, UPU's, used, (32 stamps of which 10 are unused) Cat. value £5. 60/-
- 81 1949 set 1c to \$4:80 mint without colour changes, University set used and Mint block fours New Constitution all values Q.E. Coronation and 2 used War stamps (35 all mint except 4) Face value 47/- 43/-

**TOBAGO:**

- 82 A small lot of 6 — 1/2d. SG 20 unused 1d. carmine SG 21 used 2½d. blue, 4d. grey, 6d. orange brown and 1/- pale olive yellow all unused except for one Cat. 26/6 12/-

**TRINIDAD:**

- 83 1860 Lithographed 1d. dull red 2 copies one being closely cut unused, Cat. £4. 40/-
- 84 A small lot of Britannia, 1863 issue & 1864 odd values including 1/- chrome yellow and ONE PENNY surcharge (11 stamps all used except for 1) Cat. £6. 50/-
- 85 On full envelope 1d. on 6d. surcharge SG 105 address and Postmarked Dec. 27/82. 20/-
- 86 Issue 1883 ½d. to 4d. used 1/- and 5/- unused 1896 set ½d. to 2½d., 4d. used 5d. and 10/- which has a slight surface rub and unused 1/- used, 1898 Commemorative 1902 ¼\* and 4d. used (17 stamps mainly used with 6 unused) Cat. 90 40/-
- 87 A collection from 1904 to 1937, 1904 ½d. to 1/-, 1906 4d., 6d., 1/- 1909 set 1913 ½c to 5/- with 6d. and 1/- shades unused 1921 odd values 1922/8 set ½d. to 6d. unused 1/- MCA 1935 set 1c to 72c all used without 8c with a few perf. changes Jubilee set and Coronation very nearly all used, Total of 52 stamps — of which 20 are unused. Cat. Well over £10. 110/-
- 88 1938 set George VI set 1c to \$4:80 3c and 4c colour changes all used (14 stamps) E £1.
- 89 Block of six mint 1c, 2c, 3c purple brown 4c scarlet 5c, 6c, 8c, 12c, 24c, 60c singles, \$1:20 and \$4:80. Face £2. 16. 3. E £2. 15/-
- 90 Used sets University, UPU's, Q.E. Coronation, and a small lot of Red Cross and War Tax, many postage dues — 1885 set ½d., 1d., 2d., 3d., and 5d. used full set. 1905/6 unused with a few extra copies, Mainly unused, (57 stamps of which 24 are used) a very useful lot. E £2.

**TURKS ISLAND:**

- 91 A small lot of Q.V. ½d. green SG 70, 4d. SG 71, 2½d. SG 65, SG 58 all used, SG 59 unused — (5 stamps) Cat. 30/-  
14/-
- 92 A small lot from 1900 — ½d. and 2½d., 1905 1d., 1909 ½d. and 3d., 1910 ½d. George V set ½d. to 2/- without shades 1921 only ½d., ½d., and 1d., 1928 ½d. to 1/- without 6d. value used. (28 stamps of which 9 are used) Cat. 60/- plus  
32/6
- 93 Jubilee ½d., 3d., 6d., Coronation set 1938 George VI set with 6d. and 1/- colour changes all five used — 20 stamps Cat. 70/- plus. A very fine lot well postmarked. 50/-
- 94 Mint George VI set without the first 6d. and 1/- Set ½d. to 10/- Mint block and singles Peace and mint 1951 set ½d. to 10/- Face value 40/- E 45/-
- 95 Used set UPU's, 1948 set Centenary ½d. to 10/- used, Q.E. Coronation mint (11 stamps all used except 1) £2. 10/- plus  
25/-
- 96 Large mint block of War stamps SG 139 block 6 X 2 SG 150 block 6 X 2 SG 152/3 both blocks 6 X 2 also many singles other types (57 stamps only 3 used) E 20/-

**VIRGIN ISLANDS:**

- 97 1883/84 ½d. to 2½d. without shades unused, 1887/89 1d. red used 1889 set ½d., 1d., 2½d., 6d. and 7d. all used. A fine lot. (9 stamps of which 6 are used) Cat. £5. plus 50/-
- 98 1904 set mint ½d. to 5/- (9 stamps) unused: a fine lot. Cat. £7. 5/- 70/-
- 99 1913/19 ½d. to 2/6 with ½d., 1d., 1921 issue. In the 1922/8 issue a small selection up to 2½d. value mainly all mint (17 stamps of which 2 are used.) Cat. 78/- 35/-
- 100 1937 Coronation set 1938 George VI ½d. to 5/- all used and 1d. value used Jubilee (14 stamps all used) Cat. 20/- plus 14/-
- 101 Block and singles Mint Peace, UPU's, used, Leg. set mint, University mint and used Q.E. mint, 23 stamps of which 6 stamps are used. Cat. 25/- 14/-

**COLLECTION OF MINT & USED B.W.I. ITEMS**

- Lot 102. **ANTIGUA** Collection including 1937 Coronation M & U 1938 set ½d. to 10/- Peace M & U, UPU's, Silver Wedding, University and Q.E. Coronation. All used Cat. 52/- plus (31 stamps) 40/-
- Lot 103. **BAHAMAS** Collection including Coronation 2 sets '37-'38 issue with colour changes ½d. to 1/- Landfall set ½d. to 2/-. Victory, UPU's, low value SW, Q.E. Coronation, and odd values to the 2/- Q.E. set. All used except for 4 stamps. 1/- Eleutheran has rust spots. Cat. £6. plus (68 stamps) 70/-
- Lot 104. **BARBADOS** 1925/35 George V arms mixed perfs, ½d. to 3/- All used (13 stamps) Also low values of 1916 set ½d. to 1d. with shades 7 stamps and 3 postage dues in pence (23 stamps) Cat. value £5. 50/-
- Lot 105. **BARBADOS** George VI Coronation 1937/1938 set with perf. changes ½d. to 5/- Tercentenary set (2 sets) Silver Wedding (2 sets) Peace 2 sets, UPU's, 2 sets, one penny surcharged both perfs. UPU's 2 sets, one penny surcharged both perfs. M & U, University 1950 set used, Centenary Q.E. Coronation, Postage dues, and odd values. Q.E. issue — 87 stamps all used except for 16: a good lot. Cat. £7. plus 75/-
- Lot 106. **BERMUDA** Coronation 1937, 1938 set from 1d. to 1/- including 1st 2½d. and 3d. The 2/- has four shades singles of all other high values of the 1943 shades. UPU's, Peace set, Royal Visit, 3 Power, Coronation 1953 stamps. Cat. £7. plus: all used except for 10. 63/-

Lot 107. **BRITISH GUIANA** Collection George VI 1¢ to \$1 mixed perfs. with 24¢ upright watermark, Coronation 1937, Peace, UPU's, University, Q.E. Coronation, 32 stamps of which 6 are mint. Cat. 57/- plus 25/-

Lot 108. **BRITISH HONDURAS** Coronation 1938 set up to \$5. St. George Cay, Peace, UPU's, University, Coronation, Q.E. set to \$5 — 47 stamps — all used except for 6. Cat. value £7. plus: a fine lot. 60/-

Lot 109. **CAYMAN** Coronation (2) 1938 with most colour and perf. changes ½d. to 10/- (2—2/-) Peace, UPU's, (2) 1950 set to 10/- Q.E. Coronation 54 stamps all used except for 11. Cat. 100/- plus. 60/-

Lot 110. **CAYMAN** Pair Jubilee mint, Centenary ½d. to 3d. used and assortment of War stamps, a few values show slight rust spots. Cat. 50/- plus. 34 stamps of which 13 are used, 6d. value. Jubilee one copy damaged. 21/-

Lot 111. **DOMINICA** Coronation (2) 1938 set ½d. to 10/- used Peace, UPU's, University New Constitution, 1950 set to \$2:40, Q.E. Coronation, 52 stamps all used except for 5. Cat. value £5. a fine lot. 60/-

Lot 112. **FALKLAND ISLANDS** 1933 Centenary set Mint ½d. to 1/- and used 4d. and 6d. — 10 stamps. Cat. £7. plus. 60/-

Lot 113. **FALKLAND ISLANDS** 1933 issue 2/6 unused, but has a few rust spots. Cat. 75/- 20/-

Lot 114. 1933 issue 5/- very fine unused copy. Cat. £6. 60/-

Lot 115. 1933 issue 10/- unused a well centered copy a few rust spots on perfs. Cat. £12. 90/-

Lot 116. 1933 issue £1. unused; a rare copy; has two or three rust spots on perfs. Cat. £36. £10

Lot 117. 1933 issue mint blocks of 4 or 6 from ½d. to 1/- unused. A few have odd rust spots while one copy of the 2½d. is slightly damaged. 36 stamps. Cat. £20. plus. £7.

Lot 118. Coronation set (2) 1938 ½d. to 10/- not all early colours mostly unused except for 5/- and 10/- and Peace set unused; 21 stamps. Only 6 used. Cat. 38/- 20/-

**FALKLAND ISLAND DEPENDENCIES:**

Lot 119. Lot of mixed unused including many overprints Silver Wedding and ½d. to 9d. of 1946 set Map of Islands — 16 stamps all unused. Cat. 16/- 7/-

Lot 120. **GRENADA** Coronation '37 (2) '38 set ½d. to 2/- mixed perf. Peace, UPU's, University, New Constitution, 1950 set, Q.E. Coronation, all used for 6 values — 60 stamps — Catalogue value £4. plus. 40/-

Lot 121. 10/- perf. 14 claret: a very fine copy used — Cat. £6. 60/-

Lot 122. **JAMAICA** A general collection mostly used including Pines 1d. (2) 6d. (2) 1/- CC (9) CA (18) Key Plate (7) Llandovery Officials Arms with ½d. and 2½d.

Error set: MCA (13) very nearly all used. Many shades — 87 stamps of which 20 are mint. Cat. over £10. 60/-

Lot 123. A collection of War stamps mostly unused, many varieties and some errors; 158 stamps of which only 21 are used. A useful lot of stamps for a collector who goes in for varieties. E 21/-

Lot '24 1913/21 Head of George V, number of shades (29) Pictorial 1919/29 to 10/- value. Child Welfare, George V — Pictorial 32, Jubilee Coronation, 1938 set mint and used; 162 stamps of which 67 are mint. E £5. 0. 0.

Lot 125. New Constitution mint set and used to 5/- Peace set, Silver Weddings, on F.D.C. UPU's, mint and part used, University, Boy Scouts, Q.E. Coronation, Royal Visit block, 48 stamps of which 21 are mint. E 50/-

Lot 126 **LEeward ISLANDS** Coronation 1937, 1938 set with many shades including 1/- grey and black used, and colour changes to 10/- Peace, Silver Wedding, UPU's, University, Q.E. Coronation, very nearly all used; a good lot — 41 stamps of which 8 are mint. Cat. £4. plus 45/-

Lot 127 **MONTsERRAT** Coronation (2) 1938/45 set ½d. to £ perf. 14 used only a few in perf. 13 UPU's, University, S.W., 1950 set mint and Q.E. Coronation, 50 stamps all used except for 17 stamps. Cat. £6. plus; a useful lot. 80/-

Lot 128 **ST. KITTS** Coronation (2) 1938 various shades and perfs. to 5/- — all used SW, UPU's, University, Angguilla, 1950 set to \$4-80 high values mint, Q.E. Coronation 60 stamps of which 10 are mint. Cat. 60/- plus. 35/-

Lot 129 **ST. LUCIA** Coronation (2) 1938 ½d. to 10/- mixed perfs. all used Peace (2) University, UPU's, New Constitution, Fire Stamp, Q.E. Coronation 1950 set to \$1:20. All fine used except for 5 stamps (58 stamps). Cat. £4. plus; worth getting. Many of the early perfs. show rust. 35/-

Lot 130 **ST. VINCENT** Coronation (2) 1938 set ½d. to 10/- used except 5/- Peace (2) UPU's, University, New Constitution, odd values 1950 set to \$1:20 Q.E. Coronation, 48 stamps all used except for 7. Cat. £4. plus. 45/-

Lot 131 **TRINIDAD** Coronation (2) 1938 set including 3¢ red, 4¢ chocolate to \$1:20 all used Peace (2) University, UPU's, Q.E. Coronation, 3 odd value Q.E., a small lot; 36 stamps — all used except for 5. E 20/-

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