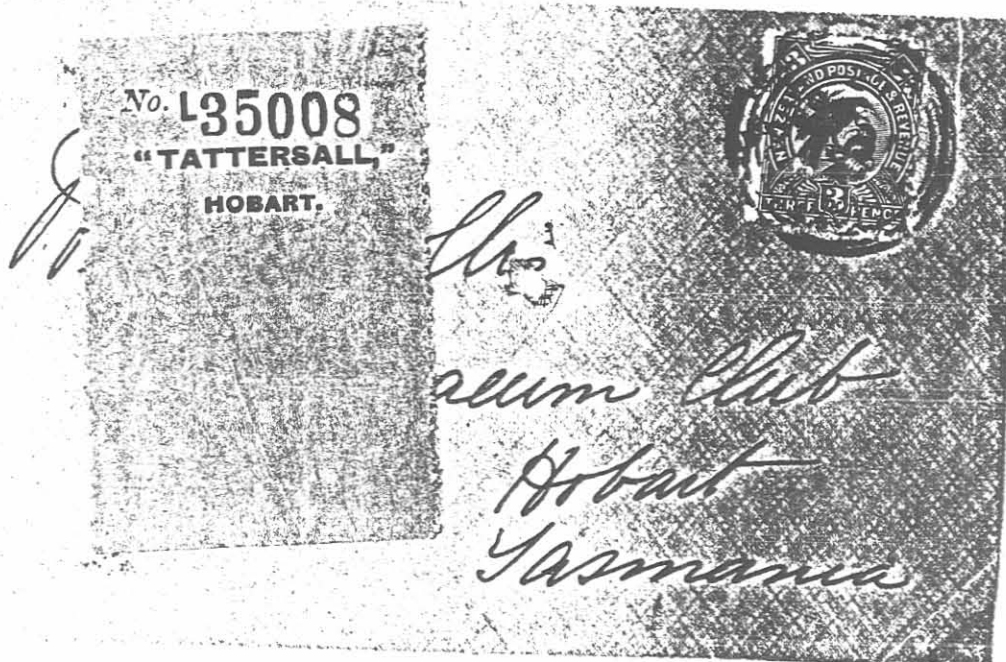# 'TATTERSALL'S' OF NEW ZEALAND AND TASMANIA

TO PREVENT THEFT

Australians are great gamblers which spurred on the great gold rush in Australia. This lent an atmosphere for George Adams (perfin below) to become the licensee of Tattersall's Hotel in Sydney. He decided to start his lottery in 1881 on that year's Sydney Cup. With scrupulous fairness, Adams soon made it famous throughout Australia. In 1893, New South Wales succeeded in passing legislation declaring the sweepstakes illegal. Adams moved to Hobart, Tasmania where it remained for 60 Years. In 1955, 'Tatt's' moved from Hobart to Melbourne. This lottery appealed to the men in the back-country, and was to them their only means of recreation and excitement.

1903-'Tattersall's lottery ticket

1912-Tattersall's underprint

Perfins of George Adams
1899-1910

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COMMEMORATIVE PERFIN

This perfin was used only on this stamp which was needed for admittance to the L'Exposition Internationale de la Poste Airienne, Paris.

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