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SUBSCRIPTIONS

One or two members, particularly our friends from overseas, have sent their subscriptions a few weeks later than it was due and, realising this they were worried that we had stopped sending bulletins. No member is dropped until at least three reminders have been sent which means a period of some three months before the bulletins stop.

Whilst we are on the subject, there are a few outstanding subscriptions and for certain members this may be the last reminder. A date written at the foot of this page will tell you whether your time has run out.

PRICES REALISED

The following prices were realised on the lots offered in the 6th Postal Auction.

| Lot | Price | Lot | Price |
|-----|-------|-----|-------|
| 1 | 11/- | 11 | 2/6 |
| 3 | 7/6 | 16 | 6d |
| 5 | 15/- | 20 | 6d |
| 6 | 2/6 | 22 | 1/- |
| 7 | 5/- | 23 | 12/6 |
| 8 | 5/- | 25 | 2/- |
| 9 | 1/- | 27 | 15/- |
| 10 | 3/- | 28 | 3/6 |

| Lot | Price. | Lot | Price |
|-----|---------------------------------|----------|-------|
| 29 | 6/- | 38 | 5/- |
| 30 | 3/6 | 39 | 11/- |
| 31 | 17/6 | 40 | 2/- |
| 32 | 3/- | 41 | 2/- |
| 33 | 5/- | 42 | 2/- |
| 34 | 7 / – | 43 | 5/- |
| 35 | 7/6 | 44 | 4/6 |
| 36 | 20/- | | |
| | Total sales Society profit:- | £9.12.6d | |
| | Commission | 19.3d | |
| | Donations | £1. 7.8d | |

Mr Jennings Book

The chapter on 'Dumb' punctures has now been completed and is going out with this issue to interested parties. It comprises some 20 pages and is priced at 3/9d. Would those members who do not have a credit balance with the Secretary please remit as soon as possible.

THIS MONTHS CONTENTS

Due to another intensive bout of overtime at the end of November and the first week in December, this issue has been rather delayed. It is hoped to get it in the post by the middle of December. Sorry about this but it was unavoidable.

Contents: Two pages of general interest - 1 sheet

Pages 50, 51, & 52 of the Officials Catalogue.

Pages 19 & 20 of the Simplified List. Page Dl of the Identities Catalogue.

Pages 7 & 9 of the article on Municipal Arms.

MAY WE TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY OF WISHING ALL OUR MEMBERS A VERY HAPPY CHRISTMAS AND AN ENJOYABLE NEW YEAR

2.10 PORTUGAL

Of this five-pointed star in the _form of a punch - S.C.A. 1944 simply says that some, or perhaps all of the 1882-87 issue are found with the perforation.

As the reason for the star punch is not known, this is no more than a possible Official.

Yvert & Tellier list two values, and these are much cheaper stamps with the star than without it.



On The Issue of 1882-87

500 r. black N 500 r. violet A

Mr. Carr notes: "presumably an additional cancel as I had mine on paper and the hole went through the paper as with Uruguay."

2.11 SWITZERLAND

The Swiss Cross perfin referred to below has 9 holes, another Cross perfin found on Swiss stamps is much lareer, having 36 holes - this is not an Official, but may have been used by a "Syndicate of the Swiss Forwarding Agency".

The followine information is as given in our News-Sheet, dated Jan-Feb. 1961, by Mr F.H.B. Smith.

Apart from some emergency war time overprints, in German, issued during 1918, for the Industrial War Economic Affairs (Industriella Kriegwirtschalf), Swiss stamps bearing the "perfed in" Cross of the Confederation were the first Swiss Officials.

The "Cross" measures 7mm. by 7mm., is formed by 9 holes, and various issues so perforated were in use during 1935-37. The designs and values used are as follows:

Helvetia with Sword (L'Eplattenier design) 35c - lf. 1934 (Jordi) Landscapes - all values - 3c - 30c. All four high values of the 1924 bi-coloured, Shield with Emblem & Cross.

All denominations of the 1936 (Bickel) Landscapes on both ordinary and 'grilled' papers

So that, allowing for 'Specialised' duplication in the last mentioned set, an aggregate of 38 "in perfed" Crosses exist. None of these is very common, and although some of them may be picked up for a few shillings, the cost of acquiring a full set, including one rarity listed at £75, would entail a very considerable total outlay.

It is, therefore, obviously advisable, when looking over any odd lots of Swiss, or searching through commercial perfins of that country, to keep a sharp look out for these interesting Official mit Eingelochtem Kraus. They were only current for abcut two year being replaced, in 1938, by an overprinted shaded Crcss; and subsequently, in 1942, by the diagonal overprint "Officiel" in heavy script type.

A word of warning however, should you buy any of these stamps with perfin Cross, beware of clever fakes: demand a guarantee or authentic evidence of their genuiness, as many, if nct all of these items have attracted the attention of the skilled forger.



Stanley Gibbons Numbers

| On La | andscar | pe series of 1934 (Jordi) | | No. Issued |
|-------------------------------|---------|-----------------------------|--------------|------------|
| 355 | 3c. | olive-green | | 30,000 |
| 356 | 5c. | blue-green | | 75,000 |
| 357 | 10c. | violet | | 95,000 |
| 358 | 15c. | orange | # | 30,000 |
| 359 | 20c. | scarlet | | 120,000 |
| 360 | 25c. | brown | | 30,000 |
| 361 | 30c. | ultramarine | | 120,000 |
| On He | .].ro+i | a With Sword | | |
| | | | | 20 000 |
| 251 | | yellow & emerald-green | | 30,000 |
| 330 | | yellow-green & magenta | _ | 60,000 |
| 253 | 50c. | | 1 | 50,000 |
| 296 | | orange-brown | | 50,000 |
| 331 | 70c. | buff & violet | | 10,000 |
| 297 | 80c. | | | 22,000 |
| 255 | lf. | pale green & claret | | 10,000 |
| On Ar | rms Des | sign | | |
| 332 | | green & scarlet green | | 57,000 |
| 333 | lf.20 | lake ec scarlet rose | | 30,000 |
| 334 lf.50.blue & scarlet/blue | | | | |
| 335 | 2f. | black & scarlet/grey | | 19,000 |
| | | | | |
| | | ndscape Set (Bickell) | | |
| | | two types of paper - smooth | | |
| (the | list o | of numbers issued include | es both type | es) |
| 371 | 3.0 | sage-green | | 30,000 |
| 372 | | blue-green | | 33,000 |
| 372 | 10c. | bright purple (Type I) | | 42,000 |
| | 10c. | | | 8,000 |
| 374 | | orange (Type II) | | 25,000 |
| | | Oc. scarlet | | 30,000 |
| 375b | | scarlet | | 40,000 |
| 375 | | brown | | 23,000 |
| 377 | | ultra_marine | | 70,000 |
| 377 37a | | apple-green | | 25,000 |
| 37a 379 | | grey | | 50,000 |
| 5,7 | 100. | 3± ~ 1 | | 30,000 |

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| 1 | D ++ | 51 | | 101 | DCT |
| 2 | D. | 52 | | 102 | DC/WM |
| 3 | | 53 | | 103 | D.C/&/C°.Ld (70) |
| 4 | | 54 | | 104 | |
| 5 | | 55 | | 105 | |
| 6 | DA | 56 | DC ++ | 106 | |
| 7 | D/A ++ | 57 | D.C | 107 | |
| 8 | DAC | 58 | D.C. ++ | 108 | |
| 9 | DA/C ++ | 59 | DC (Monogram) | 109 | |
| 10 | D/A/C | 60 | D/C | 110 | |
| 11 | DA/Co ++ | 61 | D&C ++ | 111 | |
| 12 | D.A/&C° ++ | 62 | DCA | 112 | |
| 13 | DA/&Co | 63 | DC/A | 113 | |
| 14 | DALE Co | 64 | D.C/A | 114 | |
| 15 | DAUKES | 65 | D&C/B | 115 | |
| | | | | | |
| 16 | DA/VY | 66 67 | DC/C ++ | 116 | |
| 17 | | 67 | DCC/Ltd | 117 | |
| 18 | | 68 | DCC/N | 118 | |
| 19 | | 69 | DC/&Co | 119 | |
| 20 | | 70 | D/C&Co (103) | 120 | |
| 21 | DB ++ | 71 | DC/D | 121 | DD ++ |
| 22 | D.B ++ | 72 | D/CE | 122 | D/D |
| 23 | D.B. | 73 | DC/H | 123 | D&D ++ |
| 24 | D&B | 74 | D.C/H.C++ | 124 | D&/D |
| 25 | D+B | 75 | D.C./H.C. | 125 | D.D./B |
| 26 | DB (in diamond) | 76 | DCL | 126 | DD/&B |
| 27 | DB/B (48) | 77 | DC/L | 127 | D/DC |
| 28 | D.B/B | 78 | D.CM | 128 | D.D./C. |
| 29 | D&B/B | 79 | DC/M | 129 | DD/CLtd |
| 30 | D.B/B.Co | 80 | DC/N | 130 | D.D/CLtd |
| 31 | DB/C | 81 | D.C/N | 131 | DD/&C°Ld |
| 32 | D/BC | 82 | D./C°. | 132 | D.D/Co |
| 33 | DB/Co | 83 | D&Co ++ | 133 | DDCo/Ltd |
| 34 | D.B/Co | 84 | D&Co. | 134 | D.D.D/Co |
| 35 | DB/&Co ++ | 85 | D&Co | 135 | D.D/L |
| 36 | DB/CoLd ++ | 86 | D&CO D/&Co ++ | 136 | DD/&L |
| 37 | | 87 | | | |
| | DB/&Co/Ltd | | D/&/Co | 137 | D.D&S |
| 38 | DBD DB / GG | 88 | D&Co./C | 138 | |
| 39 | DB/GC | 89 | D&Co/F.L | 139 | |
| 40 | DBK | 90 | DCoJ/Ld | 140 | |
| 41 | DB/L | 91 | D&Co/Ld | 141 | |
| 42 | DB/Ld | 92 | D&CoLd (monogram) | | |
| 43 | D.B/LD (49) | 93 | D&Co/Ltd | 143 | |
| 44 | DB/Ltd ++ | 94 | D/&Co/Ltd | 144 | |
| 45 | D.B/M | 95 | D&Co./Ltd/A | 145 | |
| 46 | D.B./M. | 96 | DCo/SLd | 146 | DE |
| 47 | DB/N ++ | 97 | D&C/RB | 147 | D/E |
| 48 | D/B (27) | 98 | D.C/&S | 148 | D&E |
| 49 | D&/BLd./M (43) | 99 | D.C/&S. | 149 | D.E./C. |
| 50 | | 100 | DC/SLd | 150 | D/E.C |
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| 151 | DeC/&D | 201 | | 251 | D&I/WE ++ |
| 152 | deC/&D | 202 | | 252 | DIXON |
| 153 | D.E/C.I | 203 | | 253 | |
| 154 | DE/CL | 204 | | 254 | |
| 155 | deJ/&Co | 205 | | 255 | |
| 156 | | 206 | DG ++ | 256 | |
| | DELIUS | | | | |
| 157 | DEL/LD | 207 | D.G | 257 | Do T |
| 158 | DENNIS | 208 | D&G ++ | 258 | D&J ++ |
| 159 | DENT (in triangle) | 209 | D/G | 259 | D/J |
| 160 | DE/P ++ | 210 | DGC | 260 | DJ/&Co |
| 161 | de P.R | 211 | DG/&Co. | 261 | D.J/&G. |
| 162 | DES/Ltd | 212 | D.G.H | 262 | |
| 163 | D.E.S/Ltd | 213 | DG/K | 263 | |
| 164 | D et C | 214 | D.G/P.S | 264 | |
| 165 | DEX/Co | 215 | DG/W ++ | 265 | |
| 166 | , | 216 | D&.D | 266 | DK |
| 167 | | 217 | 24.2 | 267 | D.K |
| 168 | | 218 | | 268 | D.K |
| | | | | | |
| 169 | | 219 | | 269 | |
| 170 | | 220 | | 270 | |
| 171 | | 221 | DH | 271 | DL ++ |
| 172 | | 222 | D/H | 272 | D.L |
| 173 | | 223 | D&H | 273 | D.L. |
| 174 | | 224 | D.H/&Co | 274 | D/L ++ |
| 175 | | 225 | DH/&Co/M | 275 | D&L |
| 176 | DF ++ | 226 | DHE ++ | 276 | DL/B |
| 177 | D.F. ++ | 227 | D.H.E | 277 | DLC |
| 178 | D.F. (in circle) | 228 | DH/E | 278 | DL&Co |
| 179 | D&F ++ | 229 | D.HE/&C° | 279 | DL/&Co ++ |
| 180 | D/F | 230 | D&H/H&Co | 280 | DL/&/Co |
| 181 | DFA | 231 | D&H/M | 281 | DL/&/Co.Ld |
| 182 | DFB/Co/Ltd | 232 | DH/RDC | 282 | D.L/&/Co.Ld |
| | | | | | |
| 183 | D/FC | 233 | D.H/R.D.C | 283 | DL/&/CoLd |
| 184 | DF/C ++ | 234 | D.H./R.D.C. | 284 | DLd |
| 185 | D.F/C | 235 | DH/&S | 285 | D/Ld |
| 186 | DF/&Co | 236 | D.H/&S | 286 | DLd/H |
| 187 | D.F./&Co | 237 | | 287 | DLH |
| 188 | D.F/&Cie | 238 | | 288 | DLN/S |
| 189 | DF/L | 239 | | 289 | D.L.O |
| 190 | DF/Ld + + | 240 | | 290 | D/L/P |
| 191 | DF/Ltd | 241 | | 291 | DL/PC ++ |
| 192 | DFMLtd | 242 | | 292 | DLR ++ |
| 193 | D.F.T | 243 | | 293 | DLR/&Co |
| 194 | DF/T | 244 | | 294 | DLR/S |
| 195 | D.F/T ++ | 245 | | 295 | DLT. |
| 196 | D.F/&.T | 245 | D.I. | 296 | DLT/&Co |
| | | | | | |
| 197 | D.F.T/&Co | 247 | D&I | 297 | DLtd |
| 198 | | 248 | DI/CS | 298 | D/Ltd |
| 199 | | 249 | DI/SR | 299 | DL/Z |
| 200 | | 250 | DI/WE | 300 | |
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| 1.1 | D | 9 | $4\frac{1}{2}$ | 1.Debenham & Freebody Ltd, |
| | | | | London W.1 |
| | | | | 2.W.T.Davies & Sons, Chester |
| | | | | 3.The Drayton Paper Works Ltd London S.W.6 |
| | | | | 4.Imperial News Co Ltd. London W1 |
| 11.1 | D7 /CO | 9,8/7,4 | $4\frac{1}{2}$ | Dent Allcroft & Co Ltd, |
| 11.1 | DA/CO | 9,0//,4 | 472 | London W.1 |
| 11.3 | DA/C° | 11,10/8,4 | 5 | Dick's Asbestos Co Ltd, |
| 11.5 | DA/C | 11,10/0,4 | 5 | London E.C.3 |
| 14 | DALE Co | 9,8,6,9,8,6 | 3½ | Coalbrookdale Comp Ltd, |
| TI | DALLE CO | 9,0,0,9,0,0 | 3/2 | Coalbrookdale. |
| 21.1 | DB | 9,11 | $4\frac{1}{2}$ | 1.Dalton Barton & Co Ltd |
| 21.1 | מט | 9,11 | 1 /2 | London W.1 |
| | | | | 2.Edward Deane & Beal Ltd, |
| | | | | London E.C.4 |
| 21.2 | DB | 12,13 | $4\frac{1}{2}$ | Deutsche Bank Ltd. London. |
| 21.8 | DB | 14,16 | 6 | do. do. do. |
| 22.1 | D.B | 11,15 | $4\frac{1}{2}$ | do. do. do. |
| 27 | DB/B | 12,15/15 | 5½ | Docker Brothers, Birmingham. |
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| *29 | D&B/B | 10,11,12,/12 | $4\frac{1}{2}$ | Ø Dobson & Barlow Ltd,. Bolton |
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| *30 | D.B/B.Co | 11,14/14,8,4 | $4\frac{1}{2}$ | Ø Don Brothers Buist & Co Ltd, |
| | | | | Forfar. |
| 32 | D/BC | 9/11,7 | $4\frac{1}{2}$ | Deal Borough Council, Deal, Kent |
| | | | | |
| 44.1 | DB/Ltd | 9,11/6,5,6 | $4\frac{1}{2}$ | Dun & Bradstreet Ltd, London. |
| | | | | |
| *49 | D&/BLtd/M | 11,12,/13,7,15 | $4\frac{1}{2}$ | Ø Dickson & Benson Ltd, Middlesboro |
| F.C. 1 | 5.0 | 0 11 | 41/ | 1.5 |
| 56.1 | DC | 9,7 | $4\frac{1}{2}$ | 1.Doncaster Corporation, Yorks. |
| | | | | 2. Durham County Council |
| | | | | 3.Deptford Corporation. |
| | | | -1. | 4. Dudley Boro' Council |
| 56.2 | DC | 12,10 | 5½ | Dufay Chromex Ltd, Elstree. |
| | P. C | 11 0 | - 1/ | |
| 57 | D.C | 11,8 | 5½ | Derby Corporation |
| ΓΟ 1 | D 0 | 11 0 | 41/ | Davidantan Garranatian |
| 58.1 | D.C. | 11,8 | $4\frac{1}{2}$ | Darlington Corporation. |
| 74.2 | D.C/H.C | 11,8/12,8 | $4\frac{1}{2}$ | Durham County Council Health |
| 74.2 | D.C/H.C | 11,0/12,0 | 472 | Department |
| 85 | D&C° | 15,14,11,6 | 7,6,7 | Davies & Co, London E.C.2 |
| 0.5 | Dac | 13,14,11,0 | 7,0,7 | Davies & Co, Hondon E.C.2 |
| 86.2 | D/&Co | 9/12,7,4 | 4½(Ia) | 1.Dawson & Co Ltd, London S.W.11 |
| | -, | - <i>, , , ,</i> - | -,2(=0) | 2.Doulton & Co Ltd, Tamworth. |
| | | | | 3. Dudley & Co Ltd, London N.7 |
| | | | | 4. Druce & Co Ltd. London. |
| | | | | 5.Alexander Duckham & Co Ltd, |
| | | | | J. AICAGIACI DUCAIIam & CO LICU, |

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London W.6

5. CITY OF CAMBRIDGE

First-class honours for Mr. Rymer Young who has a K.G.V. ½d (shaded lion) with Cambridge postmark dated Oct. 11th 1911, the earliest reported. Miss Thornton has the same stamp without postmark, but with the fourth pin down on the left hand vertical side of the shield missing. Details of various K.G.V., K.E.VIII and K.G.VI stamps come from several members and these include a 1929 ½d P.U.C and a 1937 Coronation.

6. CITY OF CARLISLE

A great surprise for me here. Michael Burrows has produced what is, I believe, the earliest recorded coat of arms type, that of Carlisle on a 1d lilac clearly postmarked CARLISLE, 3rd June 1892. He also has a Q.V. Jubilee ½d green (Mr Jennings has a 1d lilac postmarked 1901) and several K.E.V11 low values. The latter, and various K.G.V., are also reported by several other members, the latest being Mr. Rymer Young's K.G.V 1d dated 17th September 1915.

7. CITY OF CHELTENHAM

Not a lot of information has come in about the Cheltenham Arms type which is plainly scarcer than I originally thought. Mr. Rymer Young mentions a 1d K.G.V., Photo., without postmark, which seems to be the earliest, and there are also one or two reports of K.E.VIII 1d and K.G.VI dark colours, but no dates.

8. UNIDENTIFIED TYPES

As a result of hearing from Michael Burrows, I am almost sure that the "Pick and Shovel" type, which so closely resembles the arms of Morley near Leeds, weld, in fact, used by the Corporation of that town. Mr. Burrows has kindly let me see an example on K.G.VI ½d dark green (like my own) but having a slightly indistinct Krag postmark which both he and I feel fairly sure is LEEDS. The die has two missing pins, one on either side of the shield. The only other stamp reported is K.G.VI 1d dark red by Mr. Jennings and Chris Carr also has one of these.

Mr. Jennings is the only member possessing an example of the other unidentified type (Fig.11). This is on a K.G.VI $2\frac{1}{2}$ d deep blue.



Fig.13

An hitherto unrecorded Arms type has been brought to light by Mr. Rymer Young, this being on a K.E.VII 1d postmarked DUBLIN 20th May 190-. Unfortunately, this is badly off centre and the side of the shield merges with the side perforations of the stamp. There are also more "blind" perforations than clean ones. I have, however, reconstructed the die (Fig. 13), but am unable

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to decide exactly what it is supposed to represent. It seems to me that this is most probably a commercial arms type as I can find nothing in reference works on municipals arms which bears any resemblance to it. If anyone has any ideas, please let me know.

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