

New Zealand.

2

1898.



Unwatermarked.

New Zealand.

1899-1900.



Double-lined Star and N. Z.



Unwatermarked.



H.R. Harmer, London.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 3RD, 1939.

Lot No. *By cable.*

No. of Stamps

314 **NEW ZEALAND: 1856-59, no wmk., imperf. 2d. blue,** a lightly post-marked but damaged block of six (3 × 2), used on dated envelope to England

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New Zealand.



1862-1871.

New Zealand. 1a



1873-78.



New Zealand. 1a.

1882.



1891-95.



New Zealand.

3a



New Zealand.

1902-07.



Pink Paper.



Re-engraved.



Worn plate.



Watermarked Single-line N.Z. and Star.

New Zealand.

4a

1902-07.



New Zealand.
5

1906.



Prof. Hubert Lyman Clark

1892.



1907.

New Zealand.

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1909 Issue.

New Zealand.

1909.



1913.



New Zealand.
7₂

1915.



New Zealand.
78



Re-engraved.
1916.



New Zealand.

7c

1919.



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Victory Issue.

New Zealand. 7d.



1921-22.



1925.



New Zealand. 7c



1923.



Dark Shade.
1926.



1923.



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1926.

New Zealand.



Ship's Mail



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New Zealand.

1935.



1936

New Zealand.

1936.



New Zealand.

1935.



Silver Jubilee Issue.

New Zealand.
Chamber of Commerce Issue.
1936.



New Zealand.

1937.



Coronation Issue.



New Zealand.

1940.



New Zealand 1940



New Zealand.
1944.

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GENERAL POST OFFICE, WELLINGTON, C1, NEW ZEALAND.







New Zealand.



New Zealand.

Air Post.



1935.

New Zealand.
Semi-Postals.



New Zealand



New Zealand.

Officials.



New Zealand.
9.
Officials.



New Zealand.

10.

Officials.



1925.

1922.

1925.

1915-20.

EDMUND LYMAN CLARK

New Zealand.

Officials.



New Zealand.
 11.
Life Insurance Department.



1891.



1905-06.

New Zealand

Life Insurance Department.

1913



1917.



1919.



1926.



1931.

New Zealand.

1882.



Postal fiscal.



1875.



1873



1875.



New Zealand. Antarctic Issues.

King Edward VII Land Stamps

One of our readers submits a 1p New Zealand stamp of the 1902-7 issue overprinted "King Edward VII—Land" in two lines vertically upwards and wants to know what it means.

This stamp was issued in connection with the Shackleton Antarctic Expedition of 1907-09. They were intended and issued for prepaying the postal charges on letters mailed by the Commander, officers and crew, and members of the expedition on the ship *Nimrod* which went into the South Pole region in 1907. They were issued under the jurisdiction of the New Zealand Government.

Sir Ernest Shackleton, the Commander of the expedition, was sworn in as Postmaster, by authority of Sir Joseph Ward, the then Prime Minister of New Zealand. Shackleton exercised his authority by opening a post office in the territorial waters of King Edward VII Land, at the spot where Edmondson wintered a few years later, and subsequently opened a branch office at McMurdo Sound.

These stamps were used for all outgoing mail, the first batch of letters bearing them being sent home on January 15, 1908, by the steamer *Koonya*.

Scott does not list them for the reason that "the only place where these stamps could be used was an alleged post office, established principally to give color to their issue, and they were never sold to the public."

But these stamps undoubtedly franked letters sent out of the Antarctic via the relief steamers and had the "public" been able to get so far South they would undoubtedly have been allowed to purchase the stamps and use the post office.



1908



1911