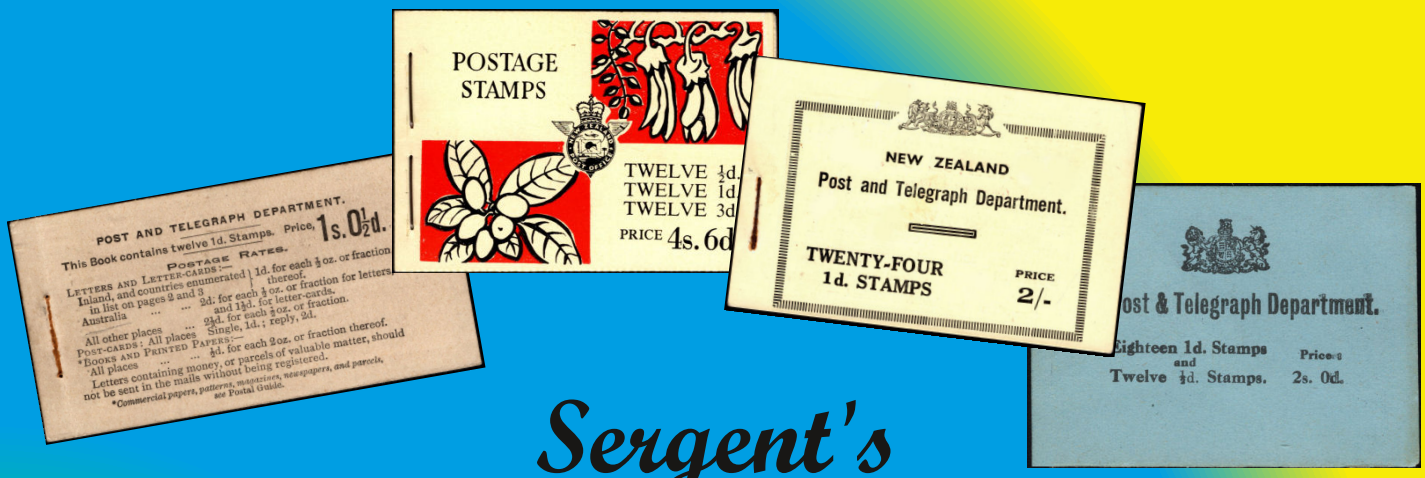


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Introduction

When Stamp Booklets were introduced in New Zealand in 1901, collectors were unsure of what to do with them. The majority of collectors decided that they were a great source of stamp panes and proceeded to disassemble the booklets, keeping the panes and discarding the rest.

This is a trend that continued over the next 20 years, making it very difficult to find complete intact versions of many of the early booklets.

When advertising inserts were introduced, a little more interest in booklets took place, but again, often the stamps were removed or used and the remaining empty booklet was saved.

It was around the 1930's that complete booklets were collected. The staples used to bind the booklet were made of steel and were prone to rust. Many collectors removed the staple to protect the stamps from showing signs of rust and stored the complete booklet, minus the staple, in what is termed an "exploded" state.

While the Edward VII and George V booklets are the most interesting to collect, they are by far the hardest to obtain and unfortunately the prices demanded are out of reach of most collectors.

George VI booklets, followed by Queen Elizabeth II booklets are a good place to start. The number of varieties involved with those two issues will keep a collectors going for a while. Add to that the 1960 Pictorials and if completed will give the collector a very good sample of New Zealand booklets.

The 1967 Decimal Pictorial issue, along with the 1970 Pictorials are also similar. There are code letters to be found in the margins, and Watermark varieties.

1977 saw the introduction of a simplified form of booklet, putting an end to the multi-pane booklets. This was a point that a lot of booklet collectors stopped, but was also the beginning of a new breed of collectors. The simplified version consisted of a folded cover and a marginal block of 10 stamps adhered to the cover by the selvedge. With these came the ability to collect booklets showing reprint symbols.

1996 was the next major change to booklets, when self-adhesive stamps were used. This is still the medium used today. With the introduction of non-denominated or non-value indicator (NVI) booklets in 2009, the number of new issue booklets produced each year has been reduced.

Also covered in this book are Prestige Booklets, CAL Booklets, i-Site Booklets and Unofficial Booklets.

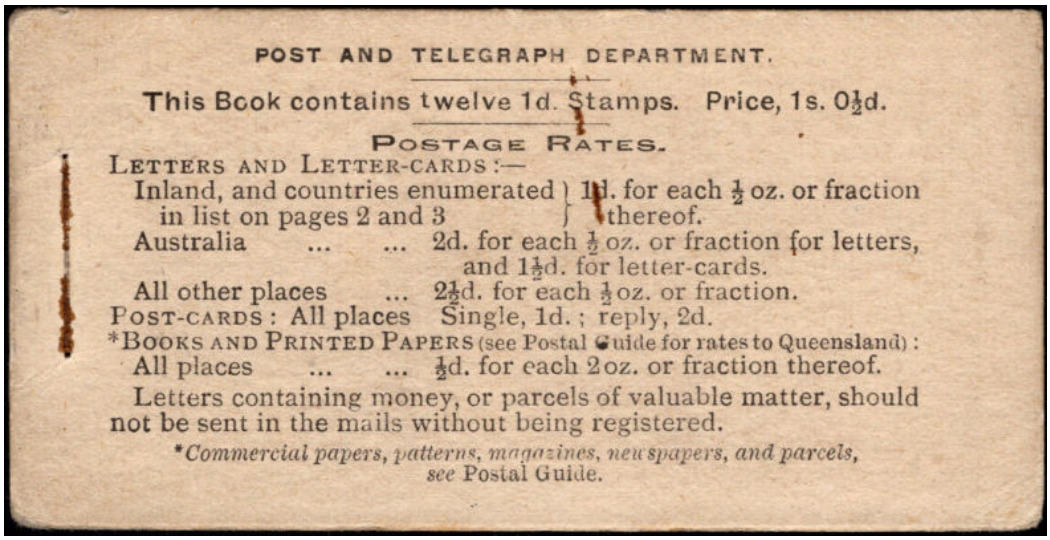
A fascinating area of philately that I have enjoyed for many years.

Every effort has been made to try and make this book as complete as possible, but there are still periods that can be greatly improved on, especially the Edward VII and George V periods.

If you have any more information or images that can improve this book, then please forward to me at bsergent@iinet.net.au and they will be included in further updates of the book.

W1 The First Booklets 1901

After the introduction of the 1d Universal stamp on January 1, 1901, consideration was given to making them available in booklet form. Two booklets were prepared containing 12 and 30 stamps. The stamps were torn from existing sheets of the current 1d on watermarked Waterlow paper perforated 11. Each leaf of stamps was obtained by tearing a vertical block of six stamps, with selvedge remaining from the top or bottom of a sheet. They were fastened in the booklet by staple through the selvedge. Each pane of stamps was separated by a piece of waxed paper. The front and back covers were cream coloured and were utilized for announcing the rates of postage and other useful postal information. A charge of ½d was made to cover production costs, so the 12 stamp version had a cost of 1s 0½d and the 30 stamp version 2s 6½d. **W1aa** The 12 stamp version has a number of the back cover of 2000/2/1901-1022 and **W1ba** the 30 version 1000/2/1901-1022A. The two booklets were issued on April 1, 1901. It was soon found that the printing of the booklet purchase price was too small, so they were reprinted **W1ab** & **W1bb** with larger lettering. Changes were also made to the wording of the postal information. The only other change was to the numbers of the reverse. The 12 version became 1150/5/1901-4038A and the 30 version 460/5/1901-4038. There is also one known of the 30 with number 600/11/1901-9074. These larger lettering versions were released June 4, 1901.



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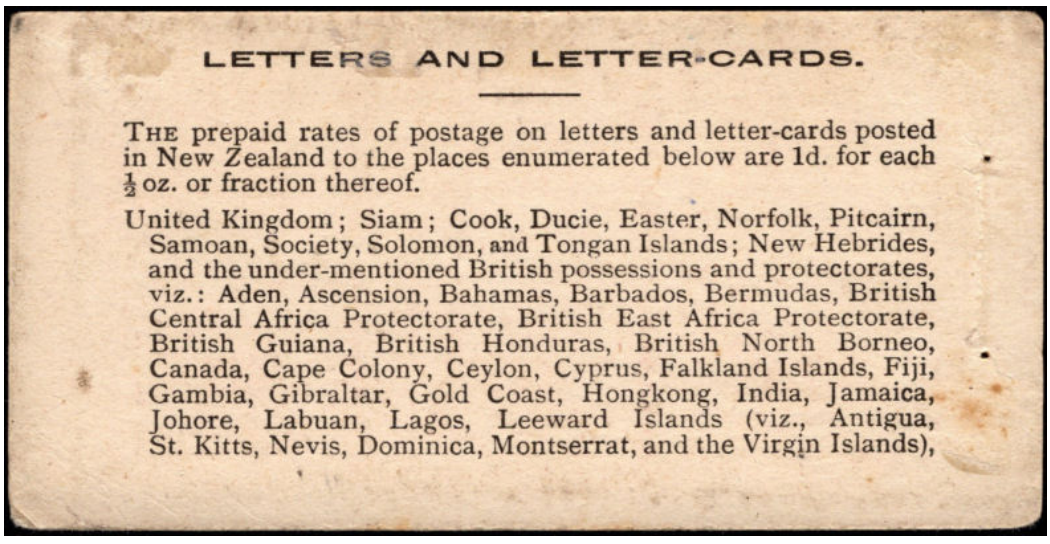
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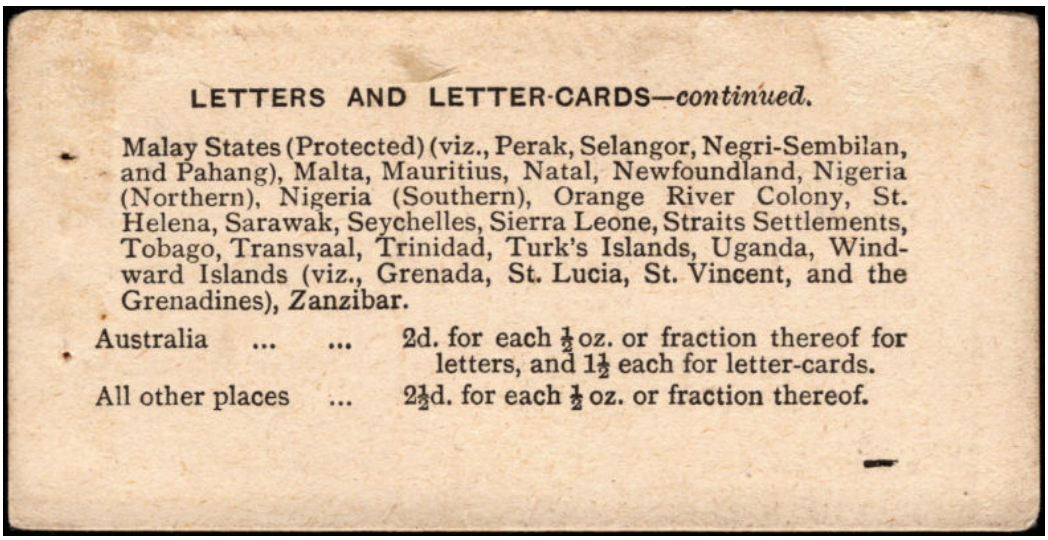


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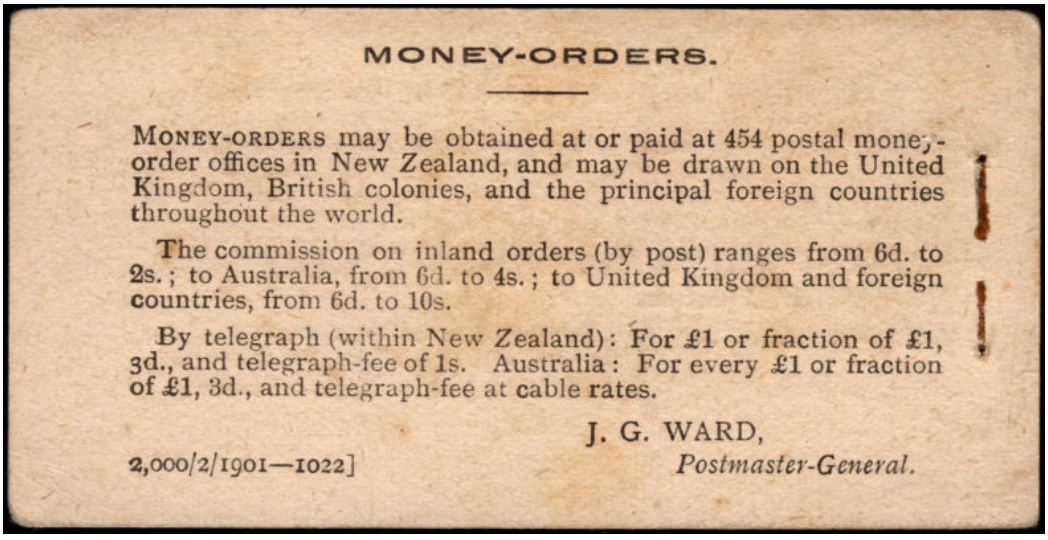


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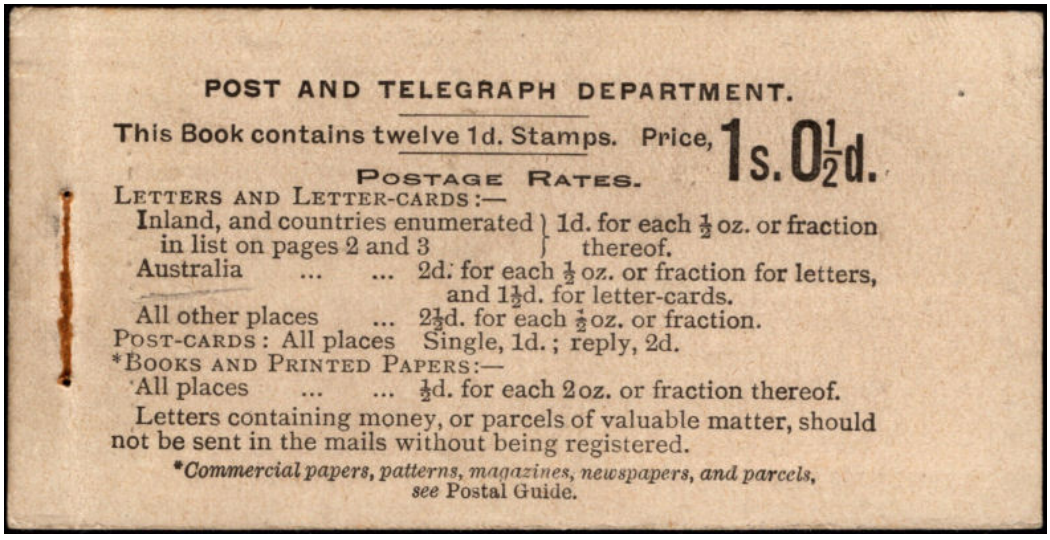
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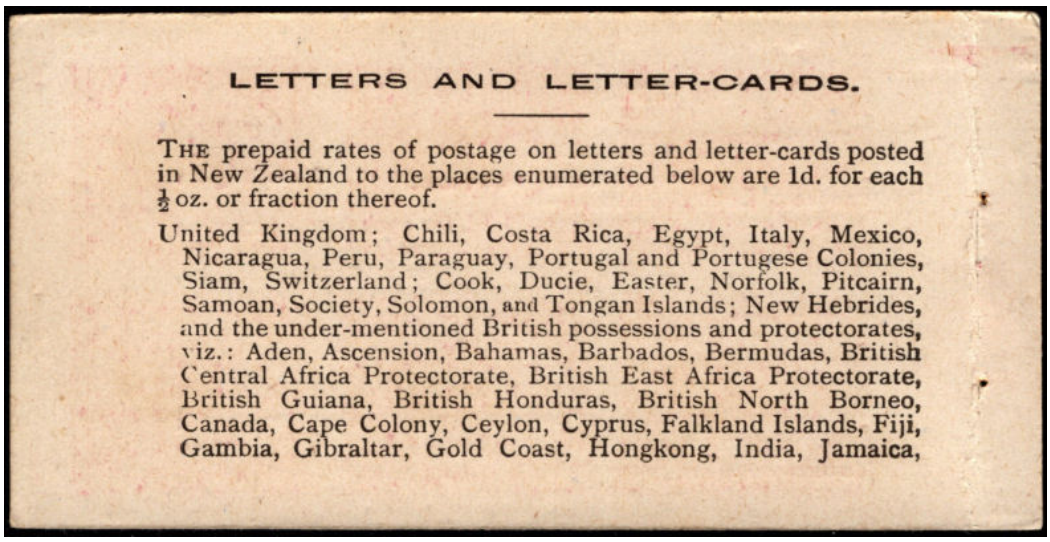
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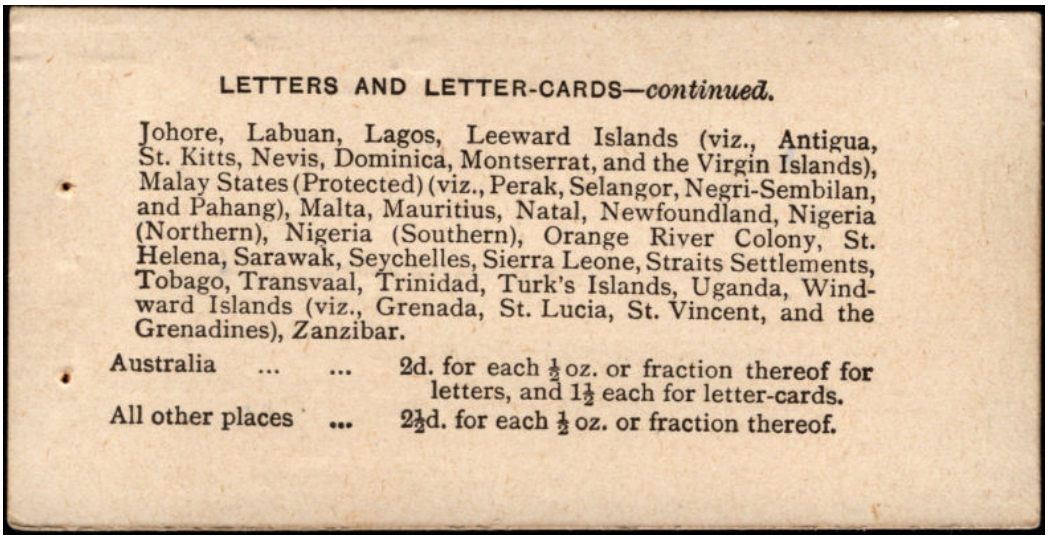


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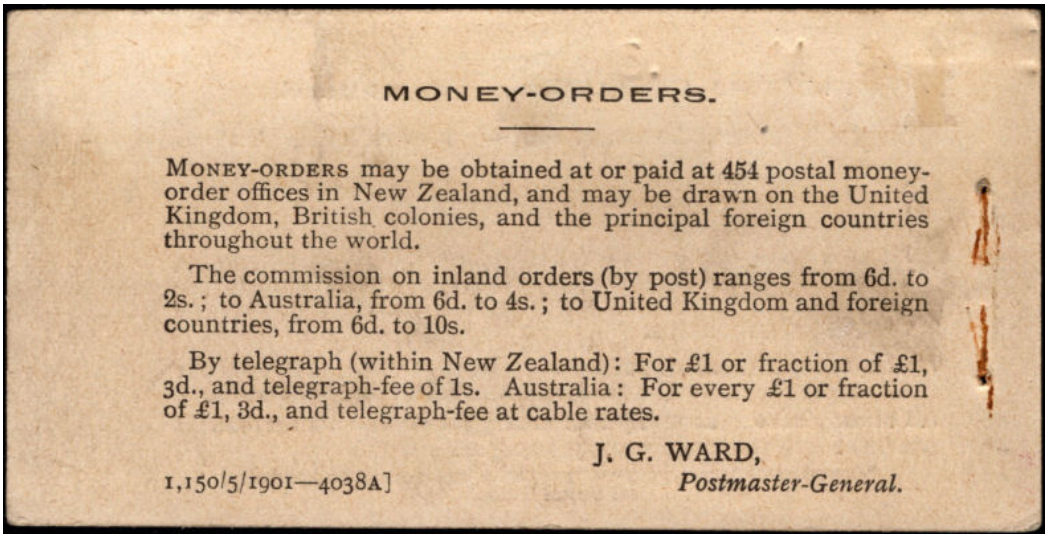


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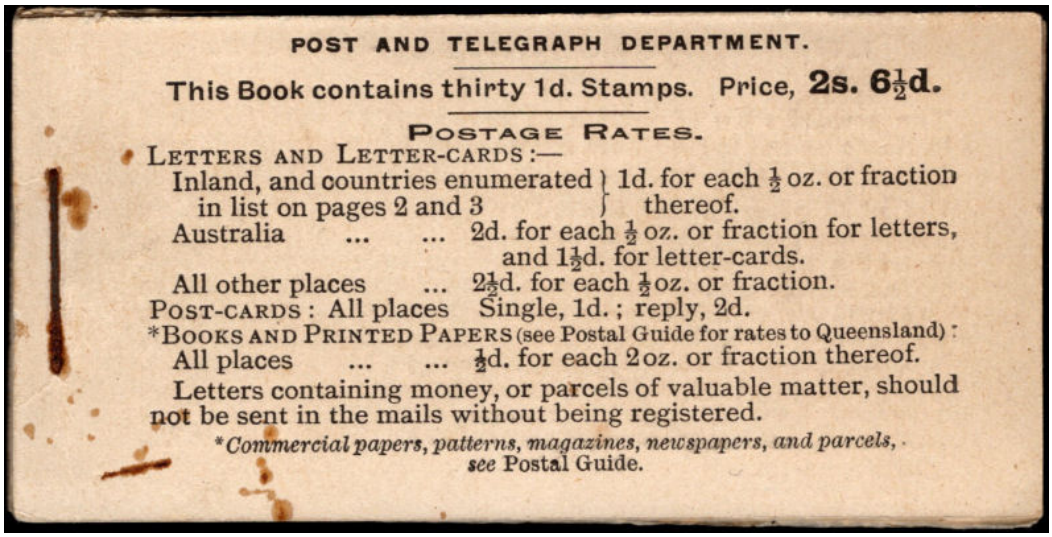
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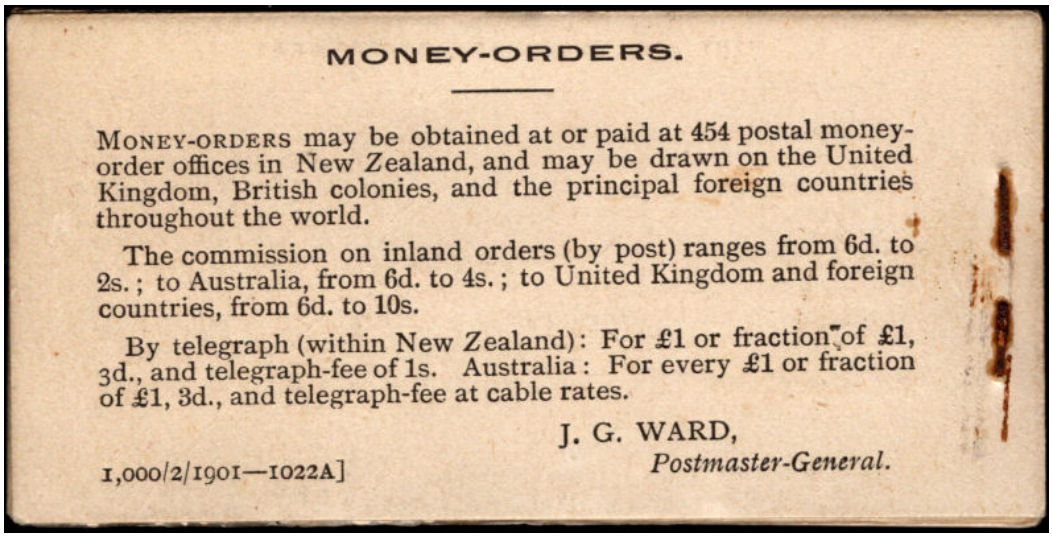
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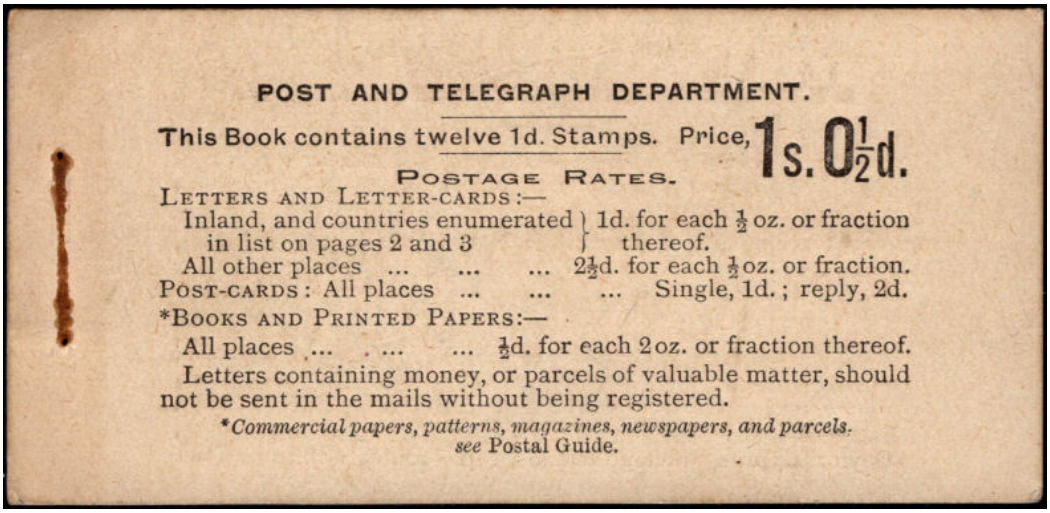
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W2 The First Definitive Booklets 1902

Although the sale of the original booklets was confined to the Chief Post Offices, the number purchased was sufficient to indicate the popularity of the scheme. Towards the end of 1901 it was decided to have a special plate manufactured for the production of booklets. Unlike the regular plates of 240, this one was only 144, arranged in such a fashion that the printed sheet could readily be divided into blocks of six. All blocks of six had either top selvedge or bottom selvedge for binding into the booklet. There were gaps between some of the blocks, to allow for guillotining, which meant that there were a number of combinations of types of blocks available. There could be blocks with large margins on the sides. Stamps may be found perforated all round, imperforate at either side, imperforate at either top or bottom, imperforate at top and either side, and imperforate at bottom and either side. All perforations were 14.

The first of these new booklets were put on sale August 21, 1902, and followed the same pricing for 12 stamps or 30 stamps, as the originals. An inner page was inserted after the cover and before the stamps, and a second inner page was inserted before the back cover. This was done so that the wording was continuous between pages. The **W2a** 1s 0½d version had the number 5569A-1902 on the back cover and the **W2b** 2s 6½d version had 5569-1902.



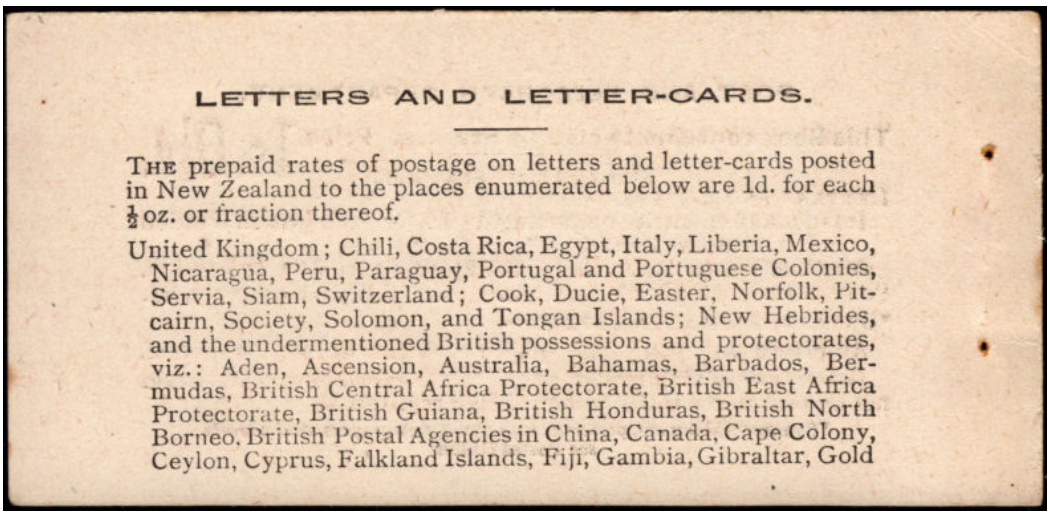
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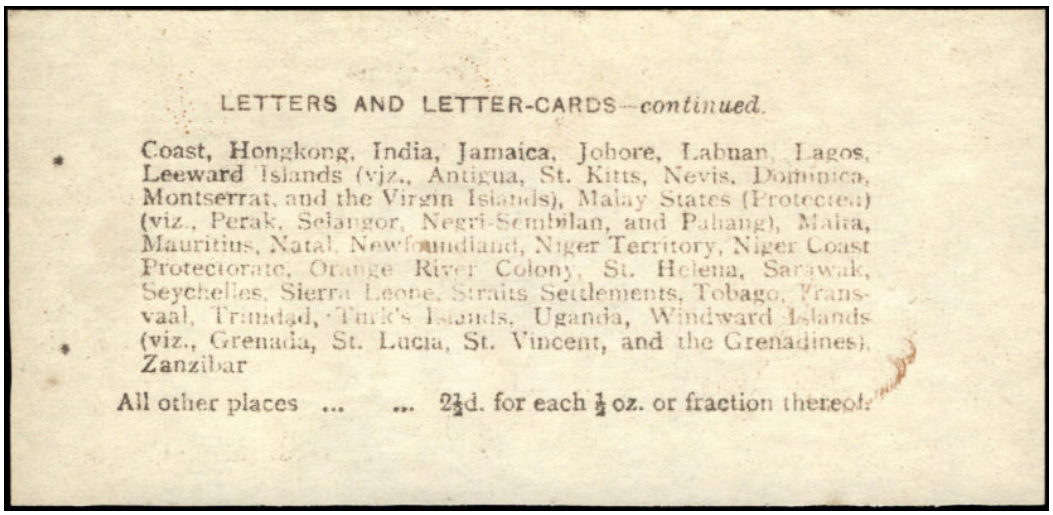


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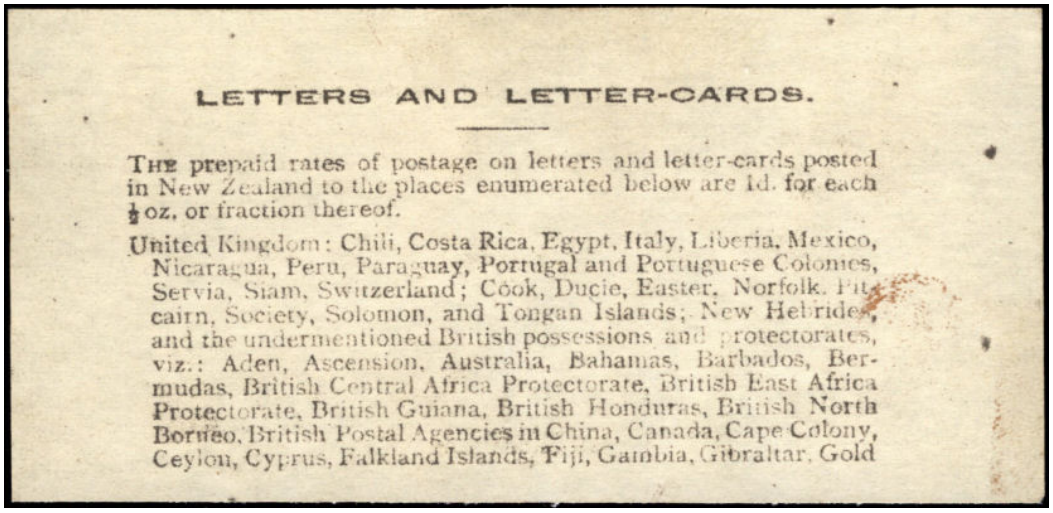


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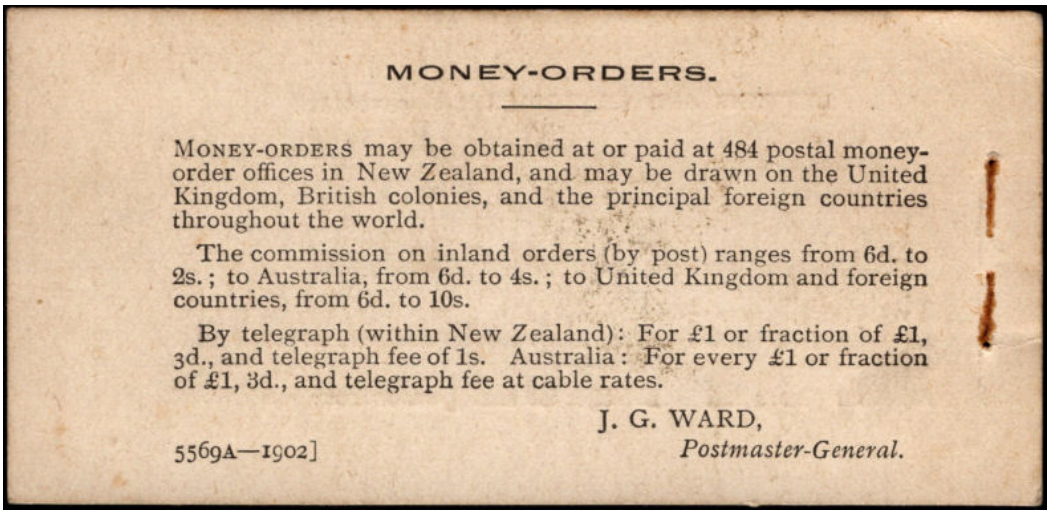


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MONEY-ORDERS.

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The commission on inland orders (by post) ranges from 6d. to 2s.; to Australia, from 6d. to 4s.; to United Kingdom and foreign countries, from 6d. to 10s.

By telegraph (within New Zealand): For £1 or fraction of £1, 3d., and telegraph fee of 1s. Australia: For every £1 or fraction of £1, 3d., and telegraph fee at cable rates.

J. G. WARD,
Postmaster-General.

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Back Cover

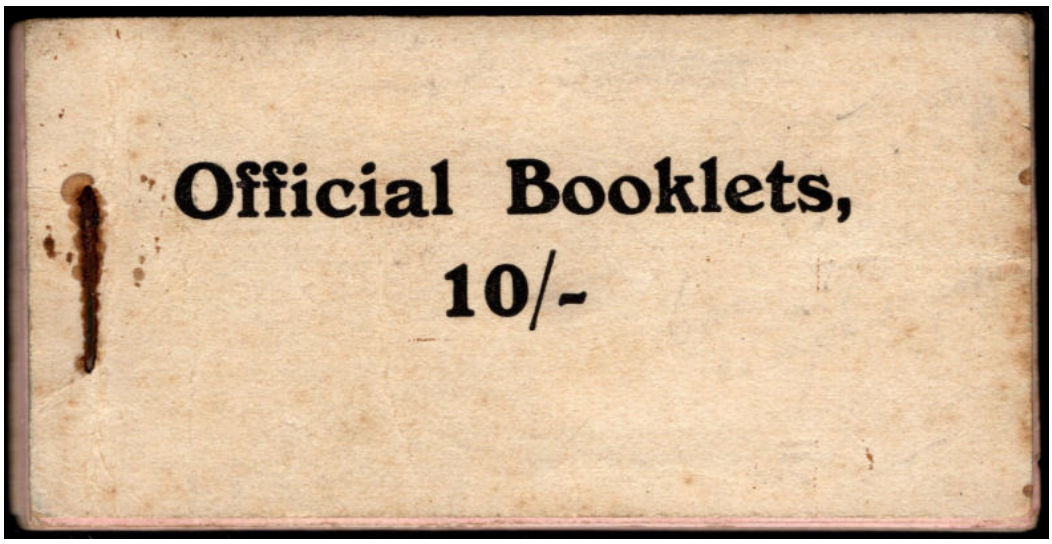


1902 Pane Imperforate Bottom and Either Side

The 1s 0½d version is also known with no number on the back cover. The 2s 6½d version is also known with just 1902 on the back cover and also with no number.

On March 21, 1905, another variation of configuration was released. **W2c** It only had four panes, totalling 24 stamps and sold for 2s 0½d. The stamps in the pane from this booklet were perforated all round. The other difference is that the shade of these stamps was rose-carmine, while the original stamps were carmine.

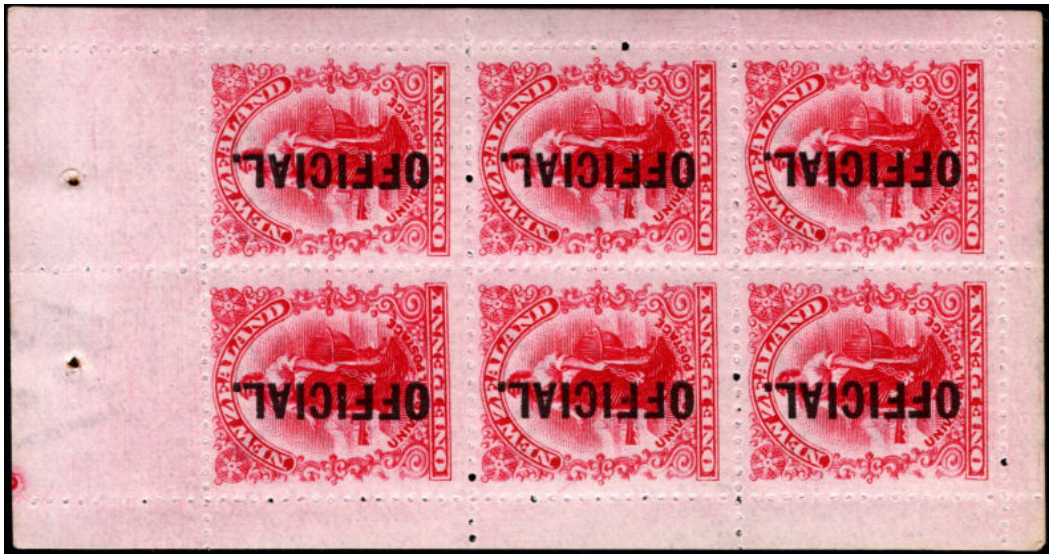
WO2a On July 1, 1907 a special issue of the booklet stamps overprinted "Official" was released for use by Government Departments. It contained 20 panes, each separated by wax paper, giving 120 stamps. In 1930, a considerable stock of these booklets was found in the Government archives and they were distributed for use. As such, the quantity of overprinted "Official" panes available today, far out ways the normal version.



1908 Front Cover Complete Official Booklet



1908 Official Back Cover

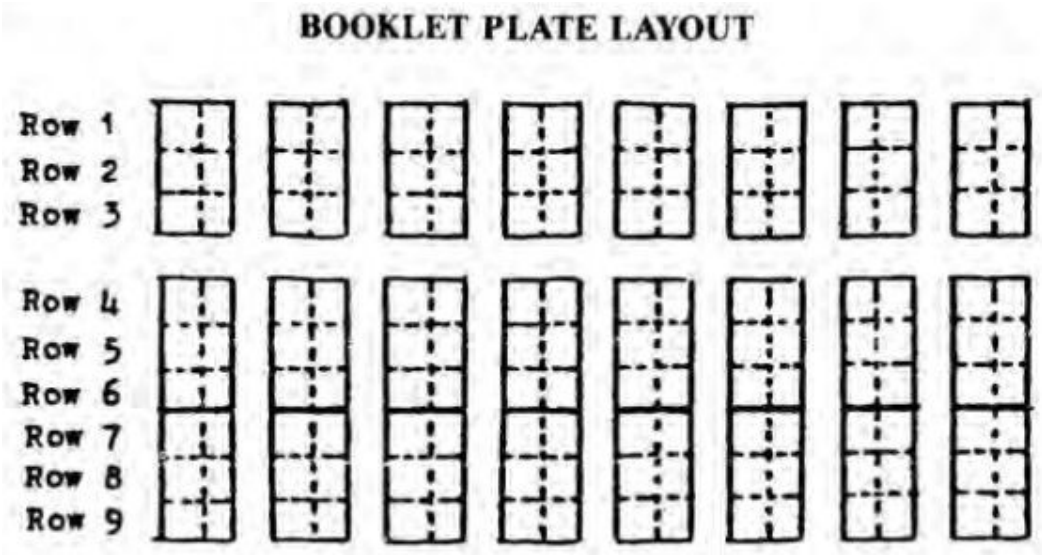


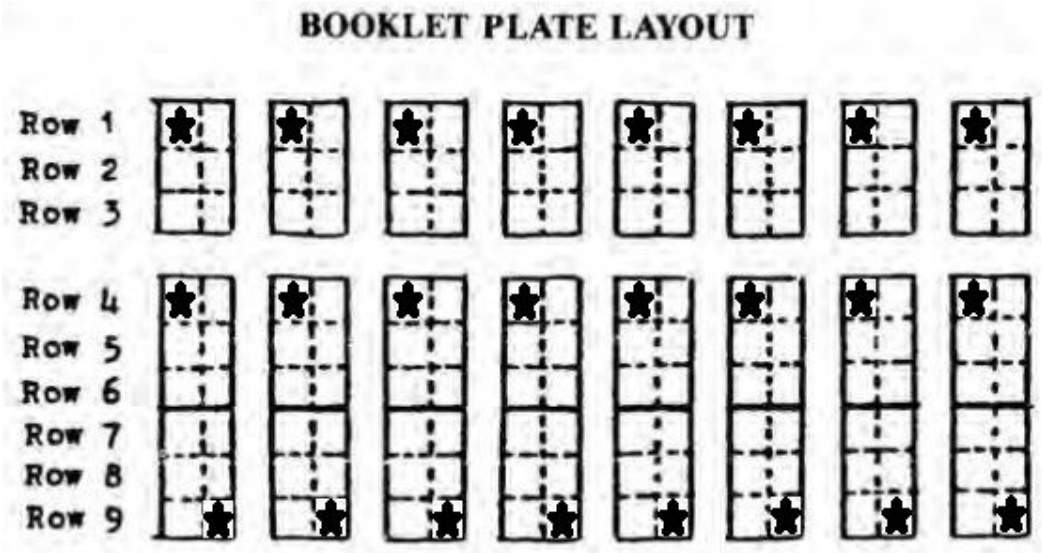
1908 Official Pane Perforated All Round

W3 The Edward VII Booklets 1910 - 1914

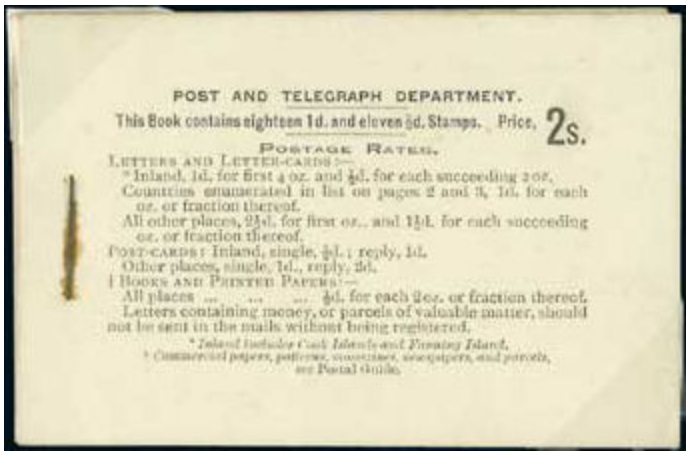
W3a In April 1910, a 2/- Booklet was issued. It contained two panes of the ½d Green Edward VII stamp and three panes of the 1d Dominion stamp. There were six stamps in the first ½d pane, but only five in the second pane. The sixth position was filled with an Ornamental Star. The position of the star was either at the top left of the pane, or the bottom right. In both cases, it was next to the binding selvedge, so as to not interfere with the removal of stamps by the user. The buyer of the booklet was therefore paying 2/- for 1/11½d worth of stamps. It was claimed that the extra ½d was a charge for the cost of preparing the booklet.

The ½d and 1d plates were created by laying 24 impression blocks of 6 as per the image shown below. Each block had a stamps width between and when guillotined, there was selvedge on either side and selvedge at the top or bottom for binding. The bottom blocks were separated between rows 6 & 7. The plate for the ½d with Ornamental Star had 16 at the top left and 8 at the bottom right.





The first booklet had postage rates on the cover and each pane was separated by a wax insert. There were no coloured bars on the selvedges. Complete examples of this booklet are extremely rare, as most were broken up with only the stamp panes being kept.

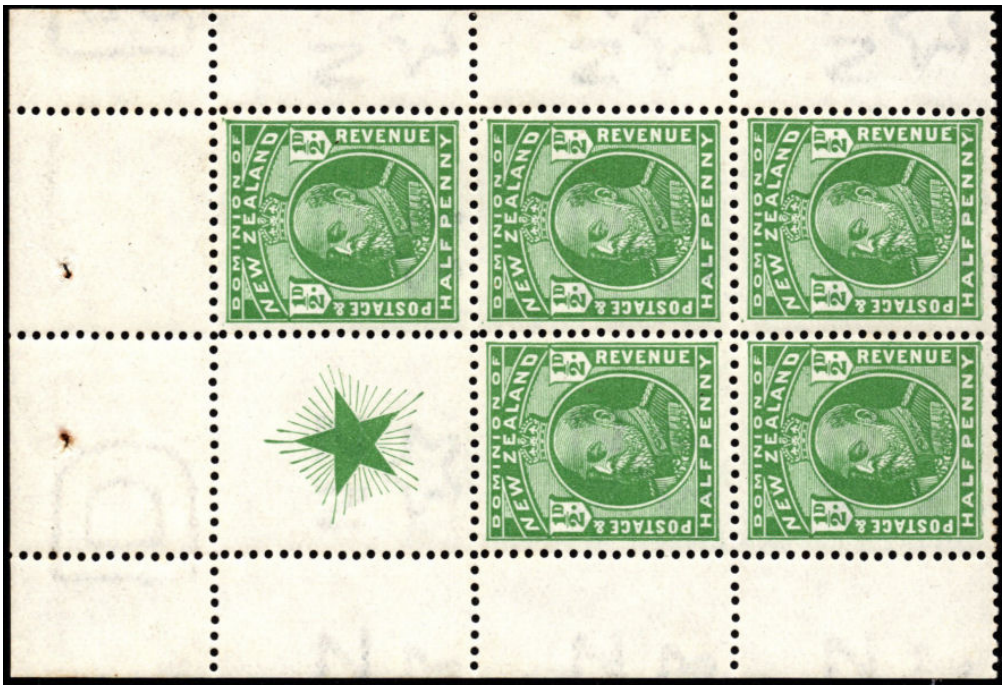

POST AND TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.

This Book contains eighteen 1d. and eleven ½d. Stamps. Price, 2s.

POSTAGE RATES.

LETTERS AND LETTER-CARDS:—
*Inland, 1d. for first 4 oz. and ½d. for each succeeding 2 oz.
Countries enumerated in list on pages 2 and 3, 1d. for each oz. or fraction thereof.
All other places, 2½d. for first oz., and 1½d. for each succeeding oz. or fraction thereof.
POST-CARDS: Inland, single, ½d.; reply, 1d.
Other places, single, 1d., reply, 2d.
†BOOKS AND PRINTED PAPERS:—
All places ... ... ½d. for each 2oz. or fraction thereof.
Letters containing money, or parcels of valuable matter, should not be sent in the mails without being registered.

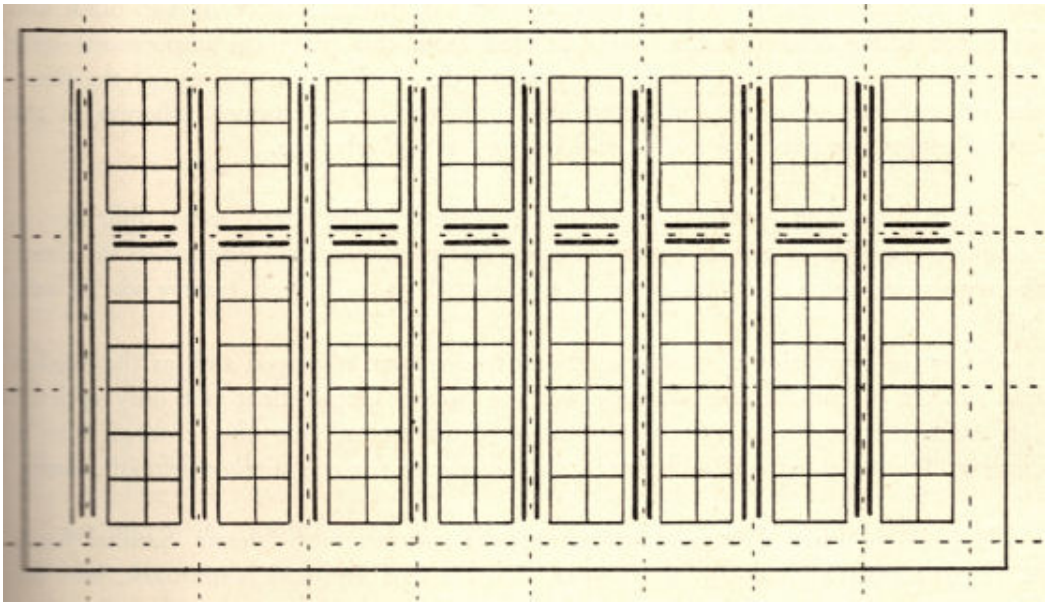
*Inland includes Cook Islands and Fanning Island.
† Commercial papers, patterns, manuscript, newspapers, and parcels, see Postal Guide.





After two years, in May 1912, the format of the previous booklet was changed. Paying an extra ½d for a booklet was not popular with the public, so the Ornamental Star was done away with and the new booklet had two full panes of six ½d stamps. The wax interleaving was replaced by advertisement inserts. Any loss of income brought about by dropping the binding charge was immediately offset by the income from the advertisements.

It was also decided to insert coloured bars between the panes of stamps and an example of a plate layout showing this, with dotted lines showing where the guillotining took place appears below. This is one example, there is evidence to show that other plates existed with slightly different layouts of the coloured bars. See example images from Campbell Paterson's Specialised Catalogue.





Side selvedge bars and no binding selvedge bars.

Side selvedge bars and continuous binding selvedge bars.

Side selvedge bars and "pair-wide" binding selvedge bars.

Also possible was a bar in the left selvedge only.



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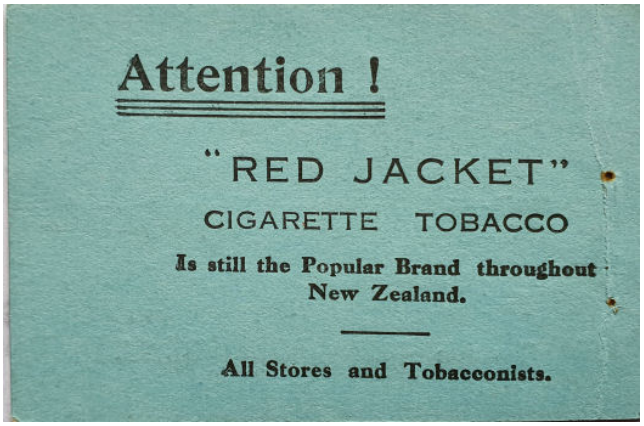
Also possible was a bar in the left selvedge only.

W3b The first booklet with advertisements was issued May 1912. The covers were blue and it had N.Z. Post & Telegraph Department on the front cover and Nelson Teas on the back cover. Panes from this booklet only had side bars. There were no top or bottom bars. If the pane was from the right hand side of the plate, there was no bar in the right selvedge.
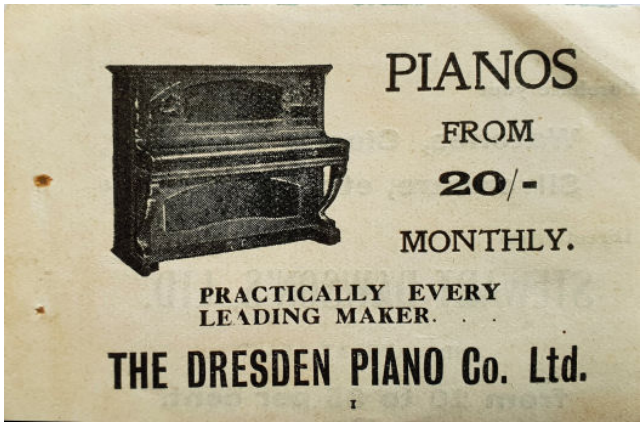




Inside Front Cover: Attention ! "Red Jacket" Cigarette Tobacco (**A1**)
The Dresden Piano Co. Ltd. (**A2**) / Stewart Dawson's Ltd (**A3**)
1d Red Dominion (**S1**)
Baldwin & Rayward Wellington (**A4**) / The NZ Express Co. Ltd. (**A5**)
1d Red Dominion (**S1**)
The Colonial Motor Company Ltd. (**A6**) / Nazol Cures Coughs (**A7**)
1d Red Dominion (**S1**)
Ride Dunlop Tyres (**A8**) / Petone Rugs (**A9**)
½d Green Edward VII (**S2**)
Her Boots Smiled ! (**A10**) / "Alpha" Spraying Machines (**A11**)
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A Telephone Is Now A Necessity (**A12**) / New Patent "Redio" Cloths (**A13**)
Inside Back Cover: The National Mutual Life Association (**A14**)



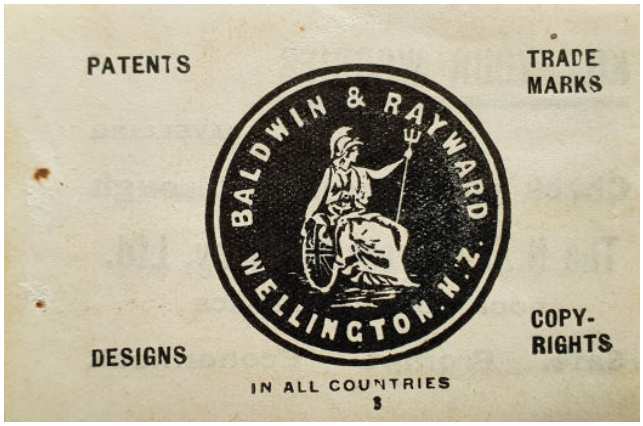
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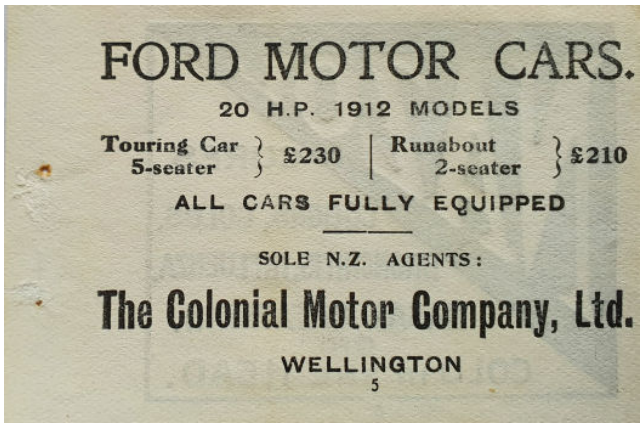
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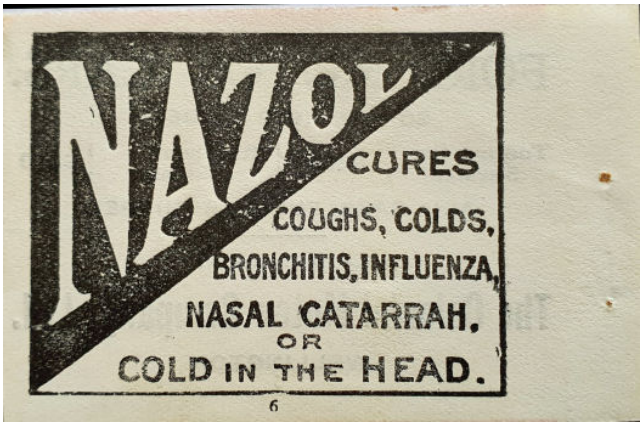
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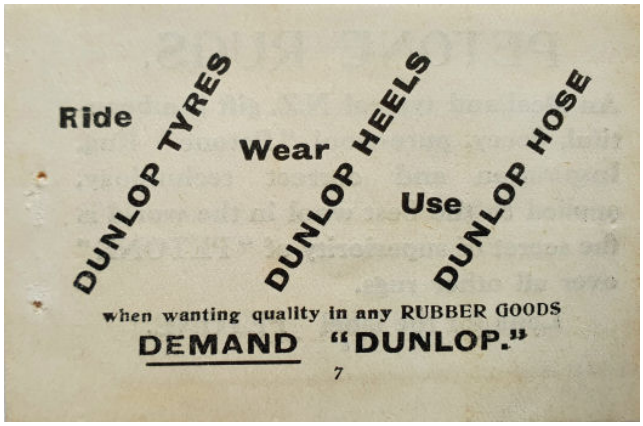
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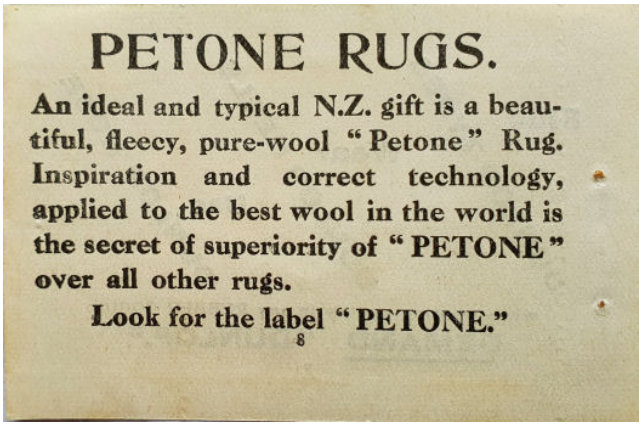
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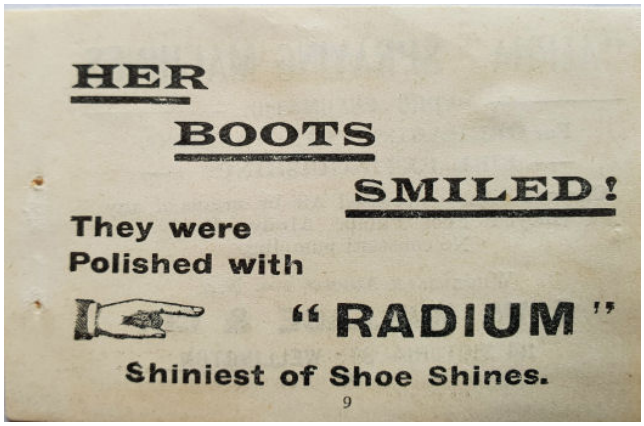
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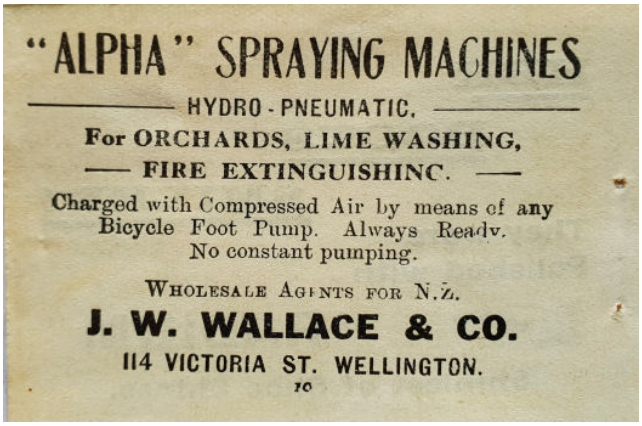
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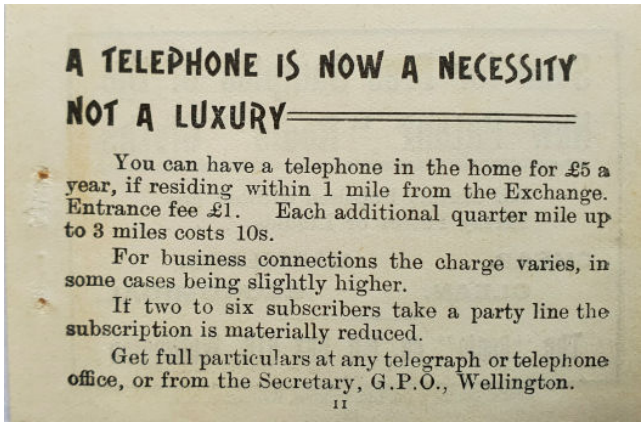
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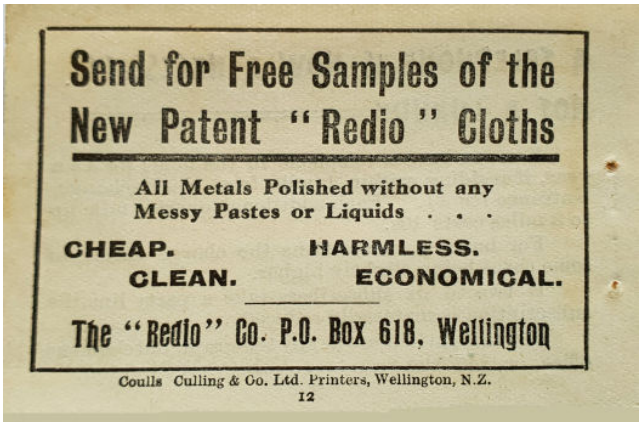
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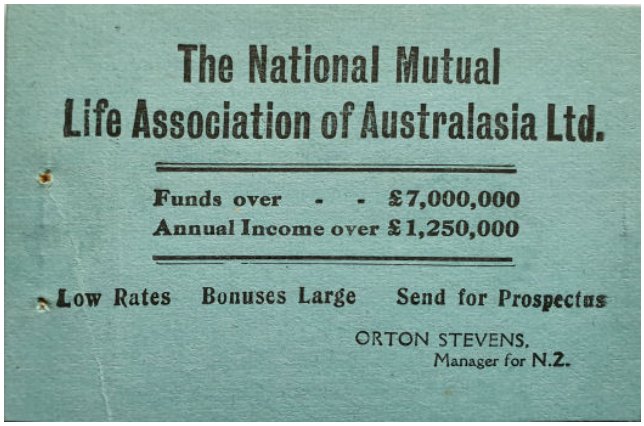
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S1



S2

The above booklet had predominately Wellington based advertising inserts. It is not known as yet as to whether a similar booklet was produced for other areas.

W3b A second issue came out in July 1913. It had a new set of advertisements and the stamps panes were now fully "barred". Again, blue covers. The front cover is the same as the previous version, but the back cover now has Baldwin & Rayward. The booklet below had predominately Wellington based advertising inserts, and after this one, is shown a version that had predominately Auckland based advertisements





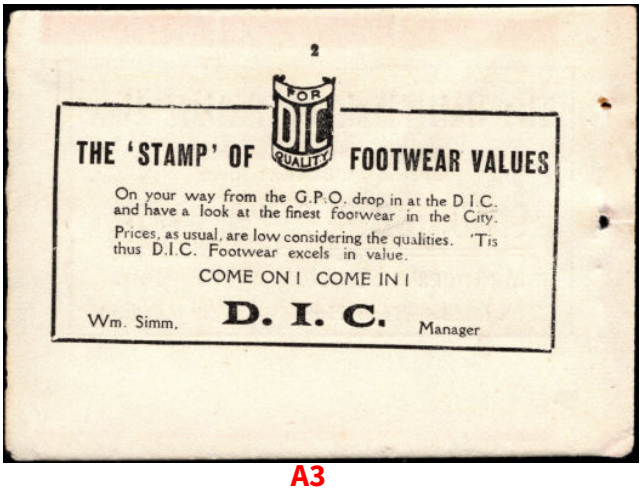
Inside Front Cover: A Perfect Smoke ! Red Jacket Tobacco (**A1**)
Chas. Begg & Co. Ltd. (**A2**) / D.I.C. The Stamp Of Footwear Values (**A3**)
1d Red Dominion (**S1**)
Don't Be Sea-Sick Take Sea-Saw (**A4**) / The Cambridge Shirt (**A5**)
1d Red Dominion (**S1**)
Eat Gerstena Porridge (**A6**) / Nazol Cures Coughs (**A7**)
1d Red Dominion (**S1**)
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½d Green Edward VII (**S2**)
Harringtons NZ Ltd. (**A10**) / Highlander Milk (**A11**)
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Government Tourist Bureau (**A12**) / The Perforated Razor Hone (**A13**)
Inside Back Cover: The "Daisy" Damper (**A14**)



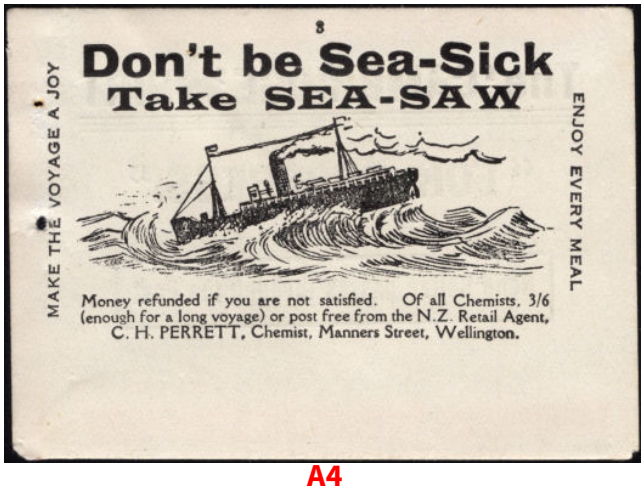
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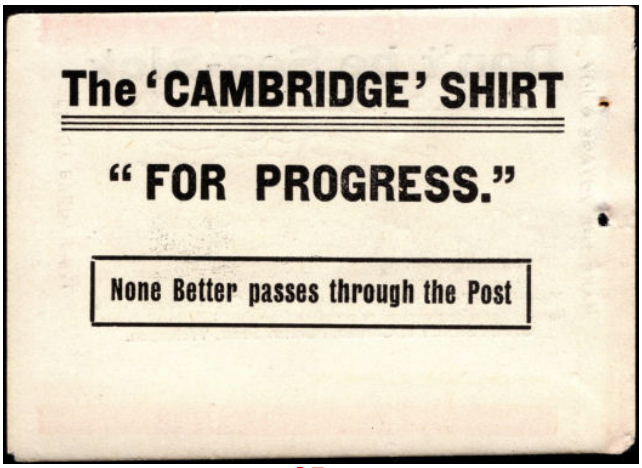
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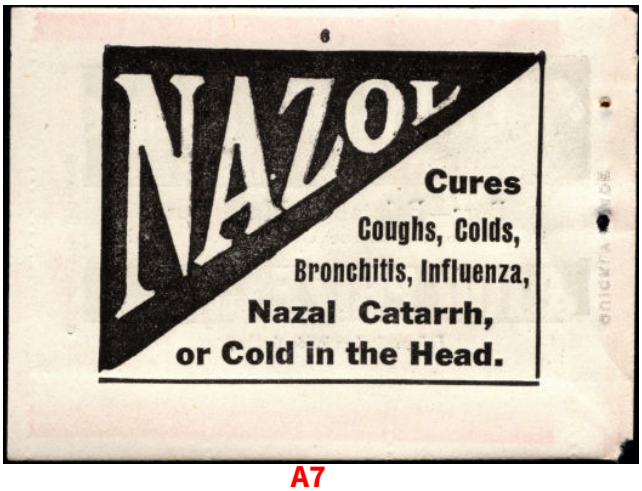
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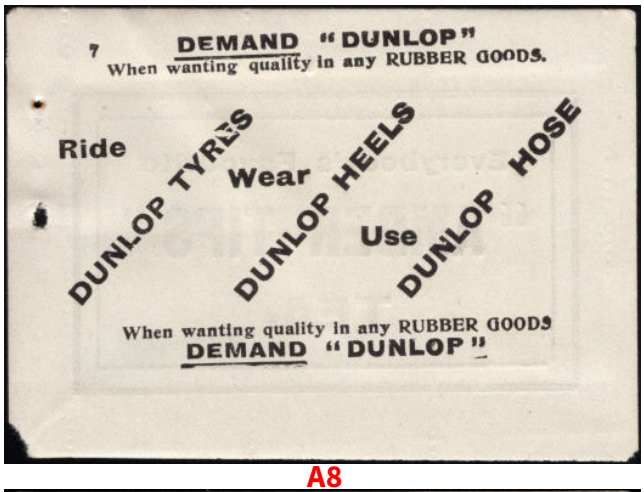
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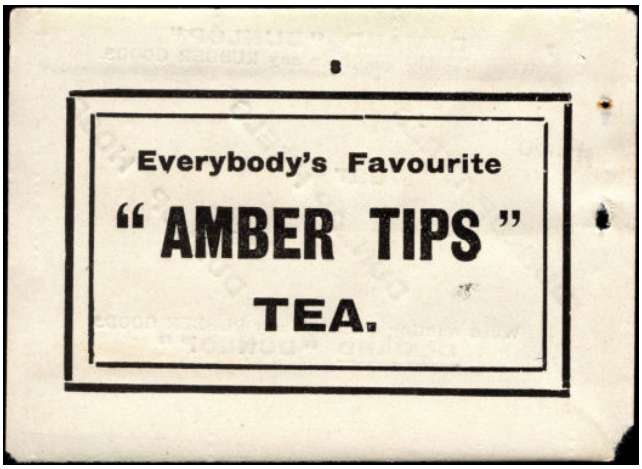
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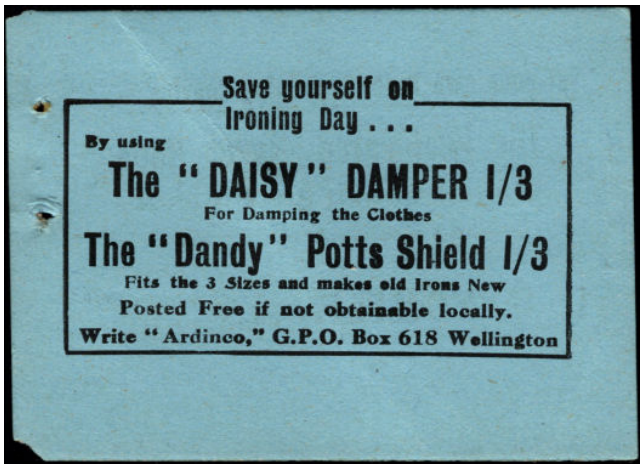
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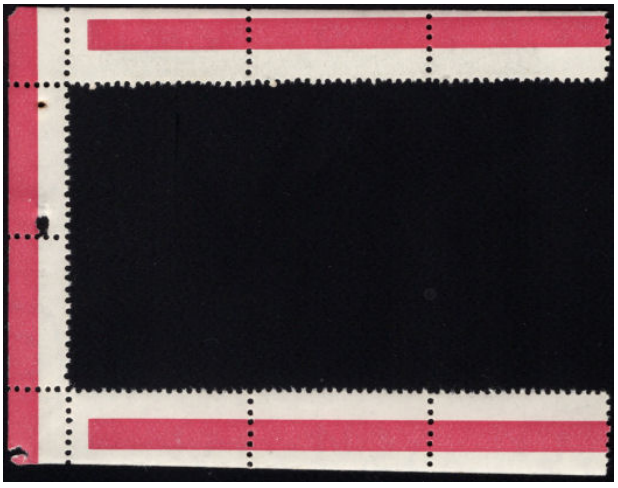
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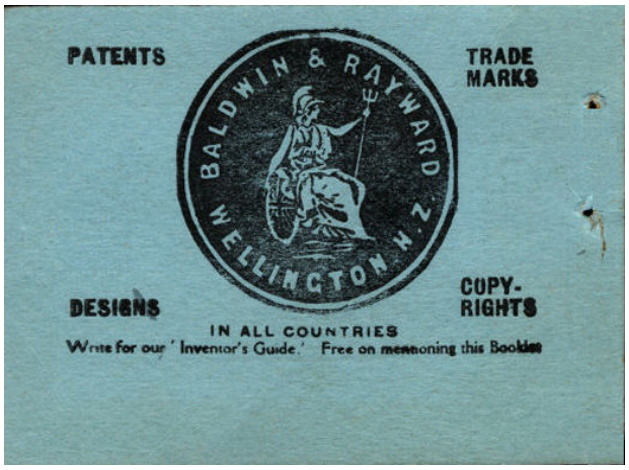
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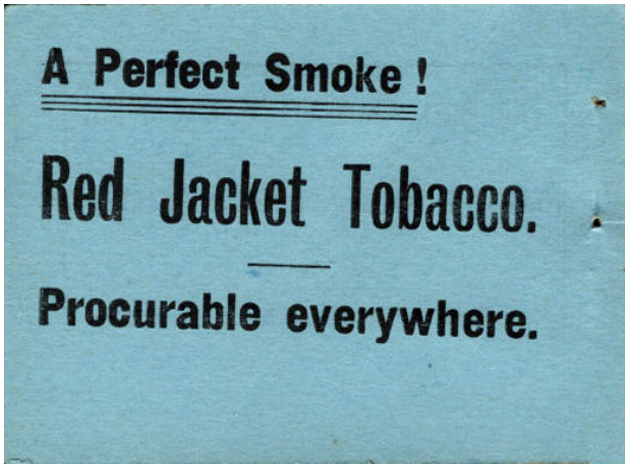
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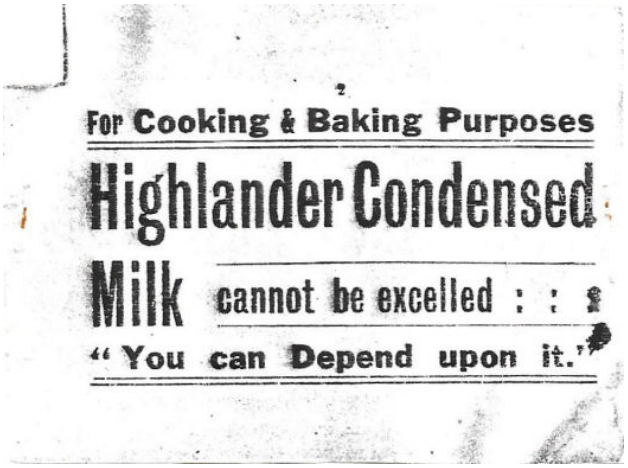
Inside Front Cover: A Perfect Smoke ! Red Jacket Tobacco (**A1**)
E&F Piano Agency Ltd. (**A2**) / Highlander Milk (**A3**)
1d Red Dominion (**S1**)
Zealandia Shirts (**A4**) / Kohn's Jewellery (**A5**)
1d Red Dominion (**S1**)
Walker & Coakley (**A6**) / Suckling's (**A7**)
1d Red Dominion (**S1**)
John Tam's Safes (**A8**) / Crown Clothing Manufacturing (**A9**)
½d Green Edward VII (**S2**)
Clarke Bros. (**A10**) / Burnett's Registry (**A11**)
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Inside Back Cover: Let Porter Clean It (**A14**)



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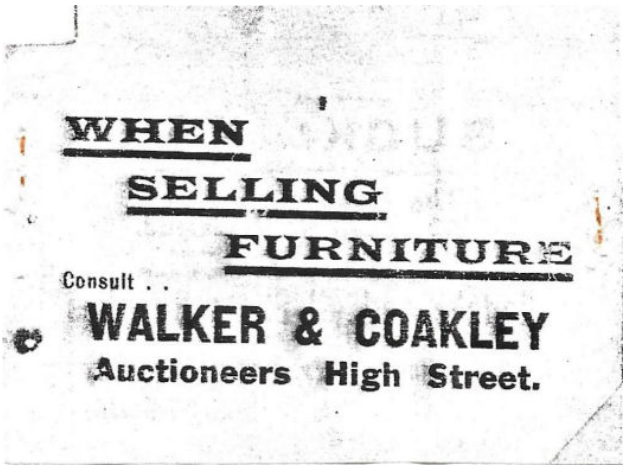
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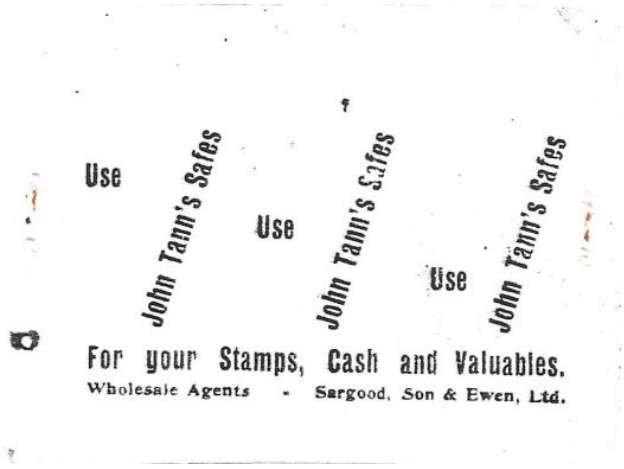
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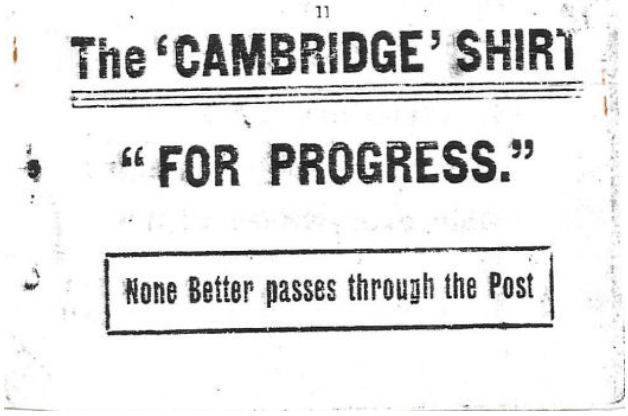
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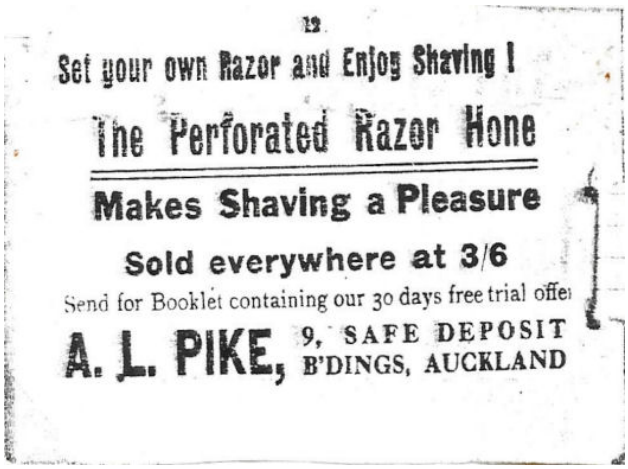
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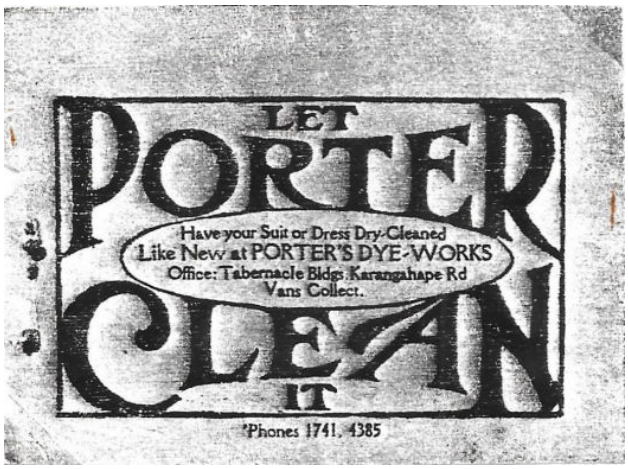
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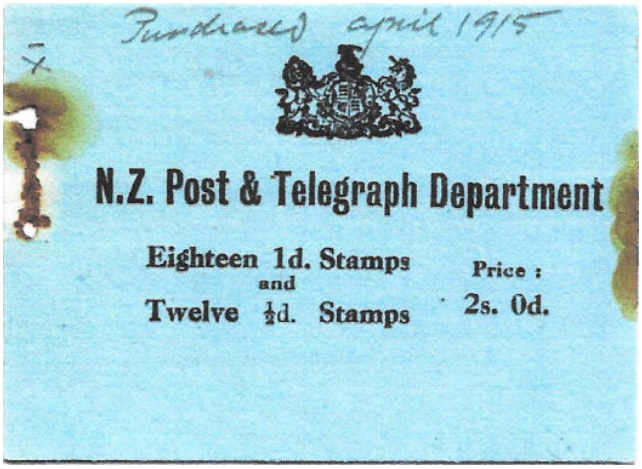
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A14

W3b In January 1915, new plates were prepared and another variation of the booklet was issued. It was released in February, just before new booklets with ½d Green George V stamps appeared.

Once again it was a blue cover, with the same front. The back cover had "Highlander Milk" advertising. Advertising inserts were predominately for the Wellington region. Again it is not known at this time if there were any other variations of this booklet for other regions.

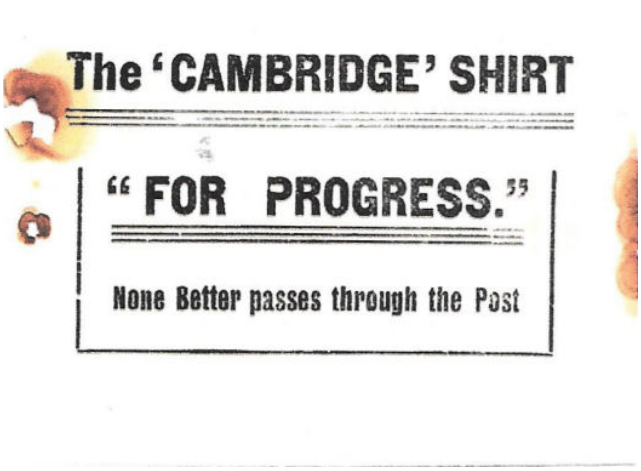




Inside Front Cover: Government Tourist Bureau (**A1**)
The Cambridge Shirt (**A2**) / The NZ Express Co. Ltd. (**A3**)
1d Red Dominion (**S1**)
Dunlop Tyres (**A4**) / Wood's Great Peppermint Cure (**A5**)
1d Red Dominion (**S1**)
Carmona (**A6**) / Perforated Razor Hone (**A7**)
1d Red Dominion (**S1**)
"Redio" Metal Polishing Cloths (**A8**) / The Dandy Potts Ironing Shield (**A9**)
½d Green Edward VII (**S2**)
"Redio" Boot Polish (**A10**) / The "Daisy" Damper (**A11**)
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Compton's Non-Rattling Window Fasteners (**A12**) / "Redio" Fingernail Cloth (**A13**)
Inside Back Cover: Redio Paint Cleaner (**A14**)



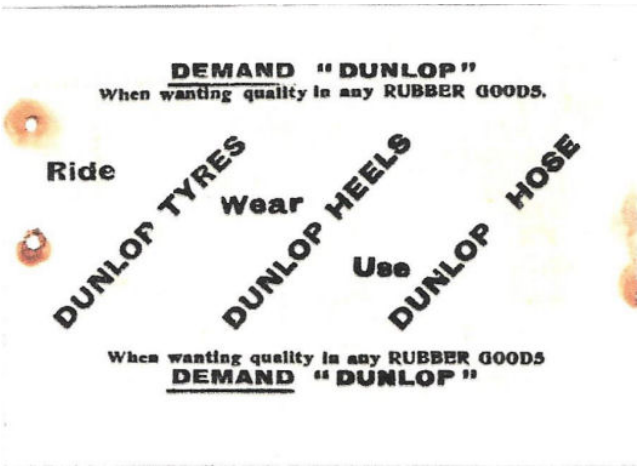
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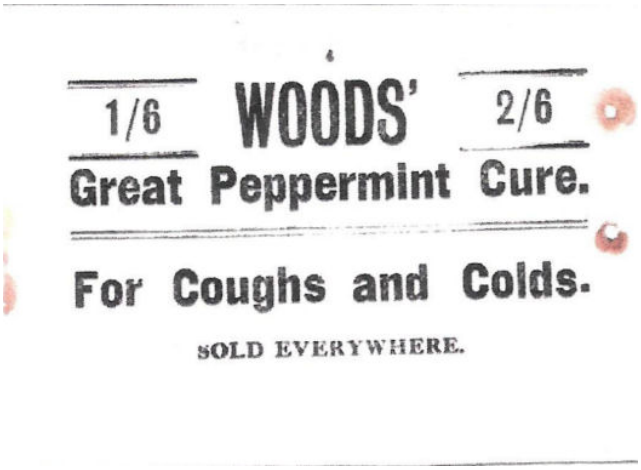
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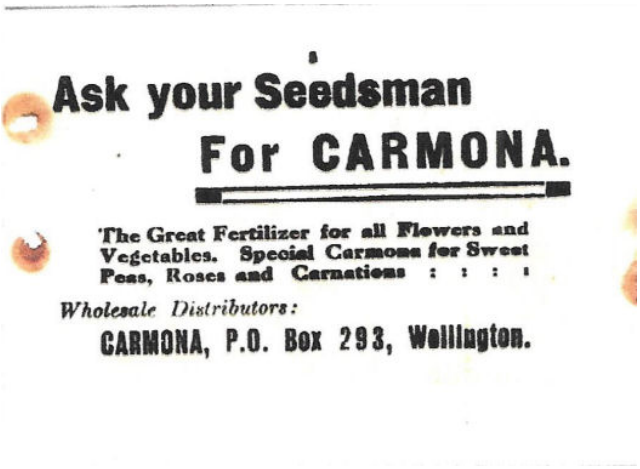
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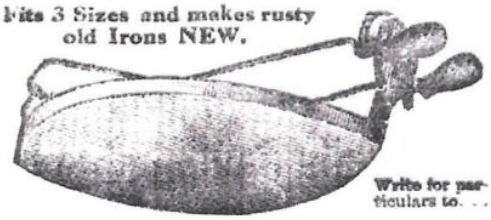
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A8

The Dandy Potts Ironing Shield.

Fits 3 Sizes and makes rusty old Irons NEW.



Write for particulars to. . .

ARDINCO, Ltd., 33 Panama St., Wellington.

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Make no Mistake about it!

REDIO BOOT POLISH

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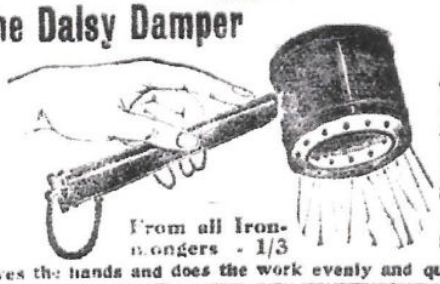
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A10

The Daisy Damper



From all Ironmongers - 1/3

For Damping the Clothes for Ironing

Saves the hands and does the work evenly and quickly

ARDINCO Ltd. 33 Panama Street - WELLINGTON.

A11

Just get

Compton's Non-Rattler & Open Lock Security Window Fasteners

Nothing Like them. Nothing just as good.

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A12

Two Charming Toilet Specialities.

THE REDIO FINGER NAIL CLOTH For imparting a brilliant polish to the nails

THE REDIO ROSE BLOOM . COMPLEXION CLOTH .

Gives a delicate, natural colour to the complexion

Ask your Chemist about them . . .

The Redio Co. Ltd., 33 Panama St. Wellingfon

A13

Makes Old Paint like New.

Clean that Dirty Paint with Redio Paint Cleaner

LARGE TINS 9d.

Redio Co. Ltd., 33 Panama St., Wellington.

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W4 The George V Booklets 1915 - 1934

First Series: ½d Green George V and 1d Red Dominion

W4a Following closely after the last Edward VII booklet, a new booklet featuring King George V was issued. February 1915, saw the release of a 2/- booklet containing two panes of the ½d Green George V and three panes of the 1d Red Dominion stamp. Both values were printed from Electrotype plates, as used previously with the Edward VII issues, and were on "De La Rue" paper. These plates gave the stamps a blurring effect, which was later removed by the introduction of Steel plates. Both values had the same combinations of bars in the selvedge as with the previous Edward VII issues. All booklets in the First Series were perforated 14 x 15.



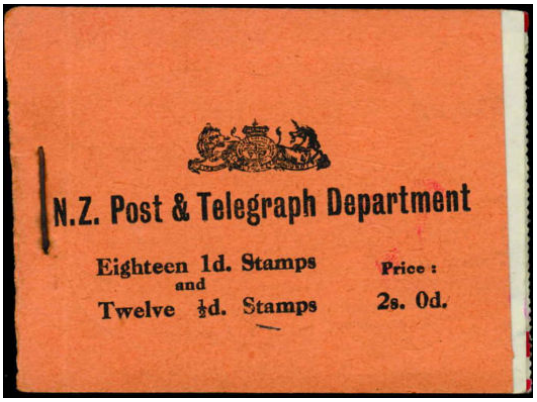
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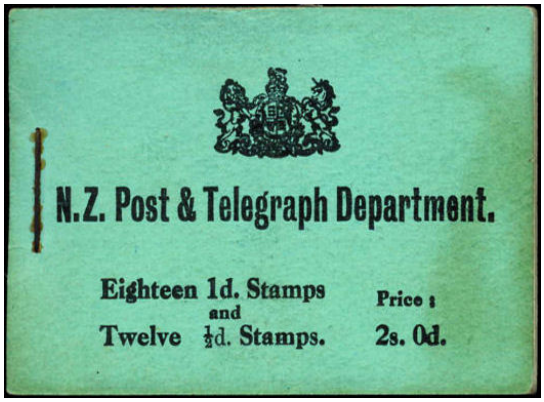


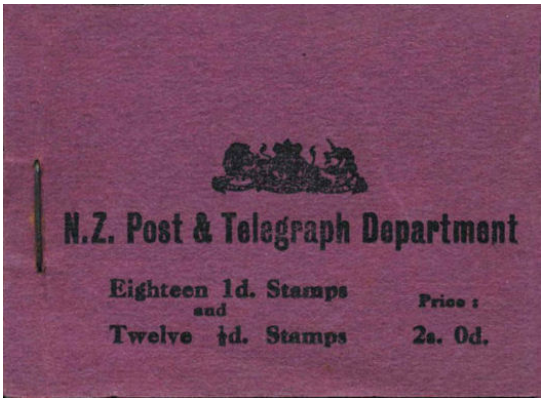
Steel Plate

W4b In 1919, the Electrotype plates were replaced with new Steel plates. These plates had the "bars" on the selvedges built in, so they were no longer added as before. Further booklets were produced and these were the same as the original 1915 versions, but for the clearer printing. These booklets were around until 1924 and were issued in a number of different coloured covers. They are known in Red, Grey, Blue, Yellow and Purple. Interleaving on these booklets was the usual array of various advertisements. There were no frames on the covers of these booklets. Examples are shown below.







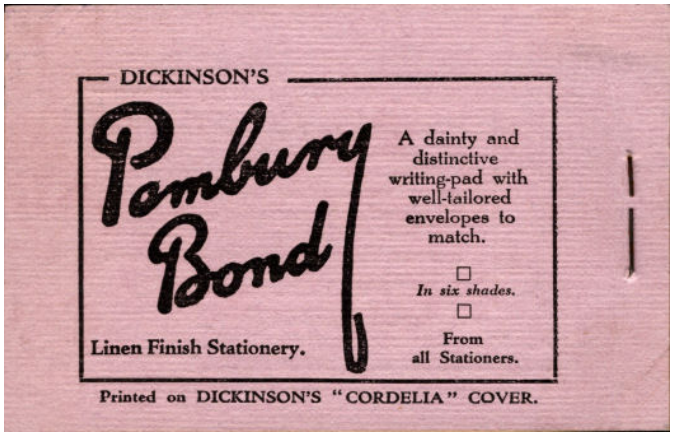


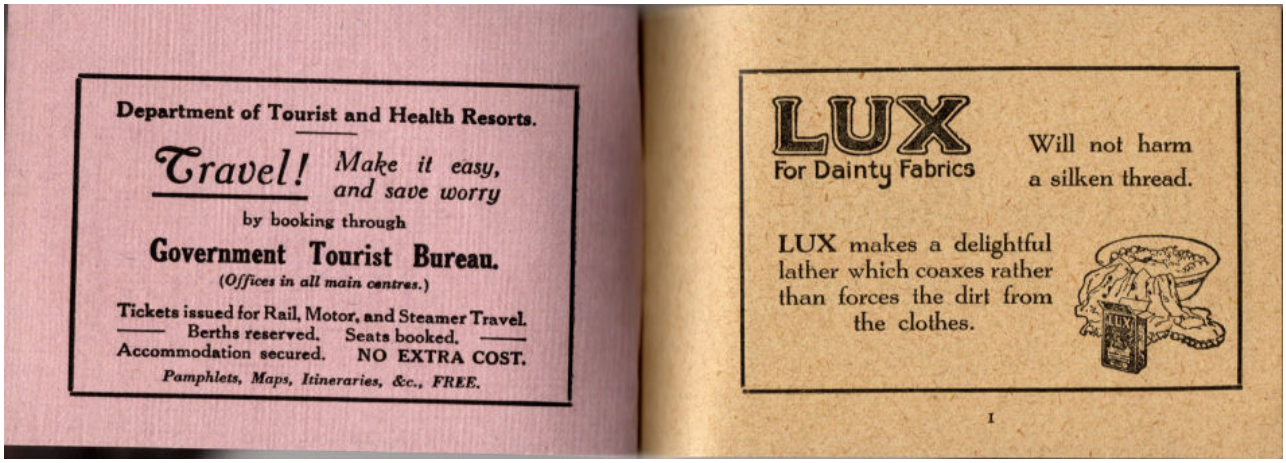


Examples of Bar configuration on various panes

W4c On December 1, 1924 a change was made from "De La Rue" paper to "Jones" paper. Other than the paper change, the only other modification was to the design of the front cover. A border was added around the text. The booklet below is a **W4c.**







See Naples and die!

Why die? Try a ride in the

De Luxe Overland

and Life starts.

— Beautifully finished car, — painted any colour you choose, *For* **£250.**

Write or call.

A. Hatrick and Co. (Ltd.), Wellington and Wanganui.

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Inland Postage Rates.

Letters and letter-cards: 1d. for first oz. and ½d. each additional oz.
Post-cards: Single, ½d.; reply, 1d.
Commercial papers, Books and printed papers, Pattern and sample packets, Magazines (not registered), ½d. for each 2 oz. up to 2 lb.; 2d. each additional 1 lb. up to 5 lb.
Registered magazines: Each copy, 1d. for each 8 oz.
Newspapers: ½d. each.
Parcels: 6d. for first lb.; 2d. each additional lb. up to 10 lb.; 1d. each additional lb. up to 28 lb.

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Overseas Postage Rates.

Letters and letter-cards—
Great Britain, Australia, other British Possessions, United States, and certain other places, 1d. for each oz.
All other countries, 2½d. for first oz.; 1½d. each additional oz.
Post-cards: Single, 1d.; reply, 2d.
Commercial papers: 2½d. for first 10 oz.; ½d. each additional 2 oz.
Books and printed papers: ½d. for each 2 oz.
Pattern and sample packets: 1d. for first 4 oz.; ½d. each additional 2 oz.
Magazines: ½d. for each 2 oz.
Newspapers: 1d. each, or 1d. for first 4 oz. and ½d. each additional 2 oz.

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You try it! You will always buy it!

Desert Gold Tea
is Delicious

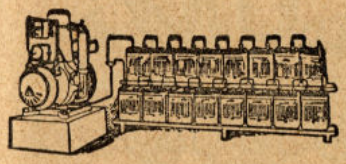
Desert Gold Co., *10 Leeds Street,* **Wellington.**

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The **Popular Polishes** *of* **New Zealand**
for **Boots, Floors, Furniture, Metals.**
NONE BETTER.

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Write for booklet.

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Build up your STRENGTH and increase your VITALITY with

"KP" Extract of Malt.

The great Tonic Food and Health Restorative.

Made from the finest N.Z. barley by a special process.

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USE ONLY
"CHAMPION"
MUSCLE-RAISER FLOUR
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"STANDARD"
OATMEAL AND ROLLED OATS.

14

What is a Balloon Tyre?

Firestone Full-size Gum-dipped Balloon *tyres are genuine* **Balloon** *tyres, not merely an oversize under-inflated tyre to fit your present rims.* **Firestone Balloon** *tyres afford comfort, safety, and car-conservation unequalled by any "makeshift" tyre.*

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W4d The most significant change came in 1925, when advertisements started to appear on the stamp selvedges as well as the interleaving. Also at this time came a further change of paper to "Cowan".

The frame continued on the cover and in some examples there was advertising below the frame on the cover as well.

A booklet distributed nationally, **W4da** contained "Abdulla" advertisements, with "Jeyes Fluid" on the binding selvedge. Booklets **W4db** containing "Dainties" advertisements were restricted to the Christchurch region, while an extremely rare booklet **W4dc** containing "Cameron Bros.", along with "Big Tree" and "Kaitangata Coal" advertisements was restricted to the Dunedin area. It is very unlikely that any complete booklet examples of the Dunedin issue actually exist.

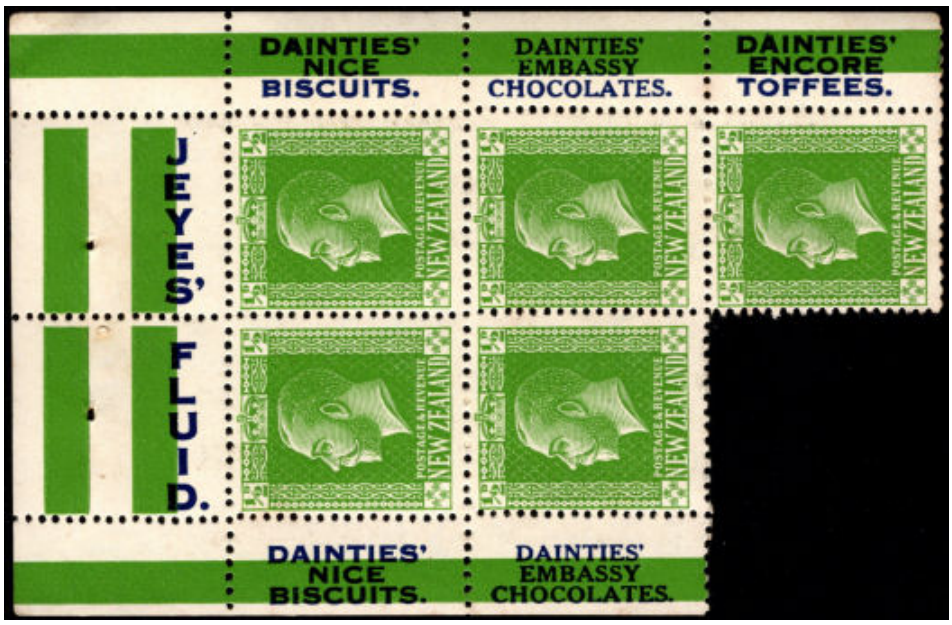
The majority of these booklets were exploded with only the booklet panes being retained by collectors. The eight booklet pane combinations are as follows:-

W4da "Abdulla" and "Jeyes Fluid" on ½d Green George V and 1d Red Dominion
W4db "Dainties" and "Jeyes Fluid" on ½d Green George V and 1d Red Dominion
W4dc "Cameron Bros." with "533 Cargill Road" and "Jeyes Fluid" on ½d Green George V
W4dc "Cameron Bros." with "3 Stafford Street" and "Jeyes Fluid" on ½d Green George V
W4dc "Big Tree" and "Jeyes Fluid" on 1d Red Dominion
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Note: 6 Different advertisements on pane.



Dainties advertisements are the same for both the ½d and 1d panes.

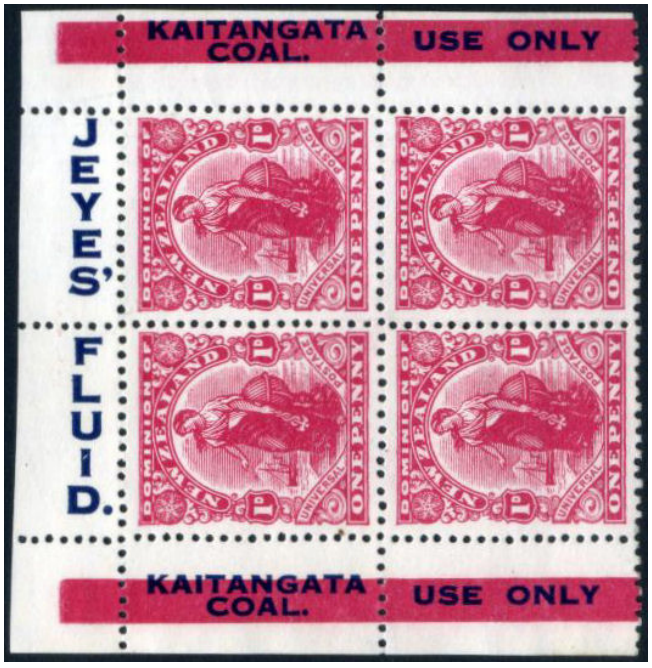


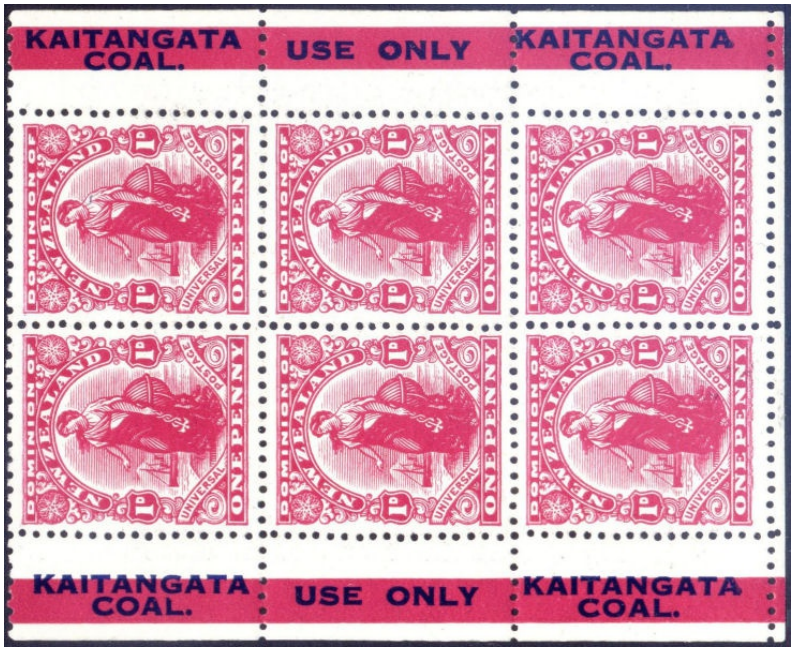




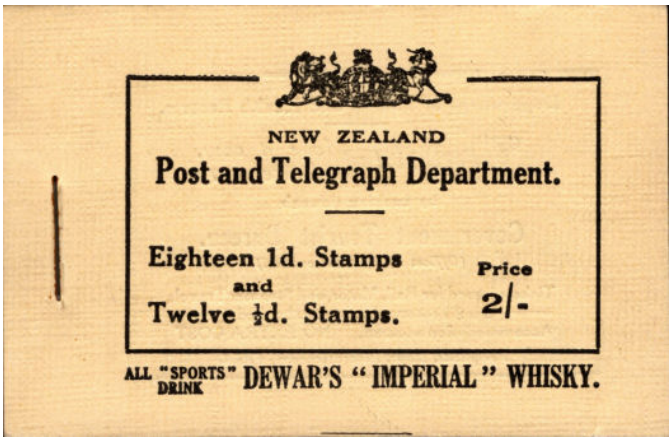
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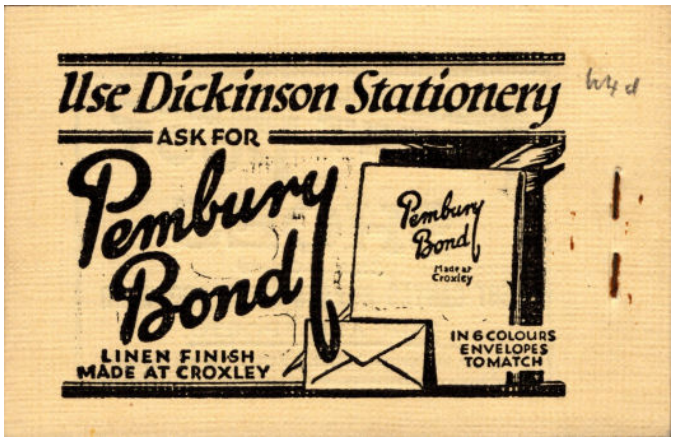

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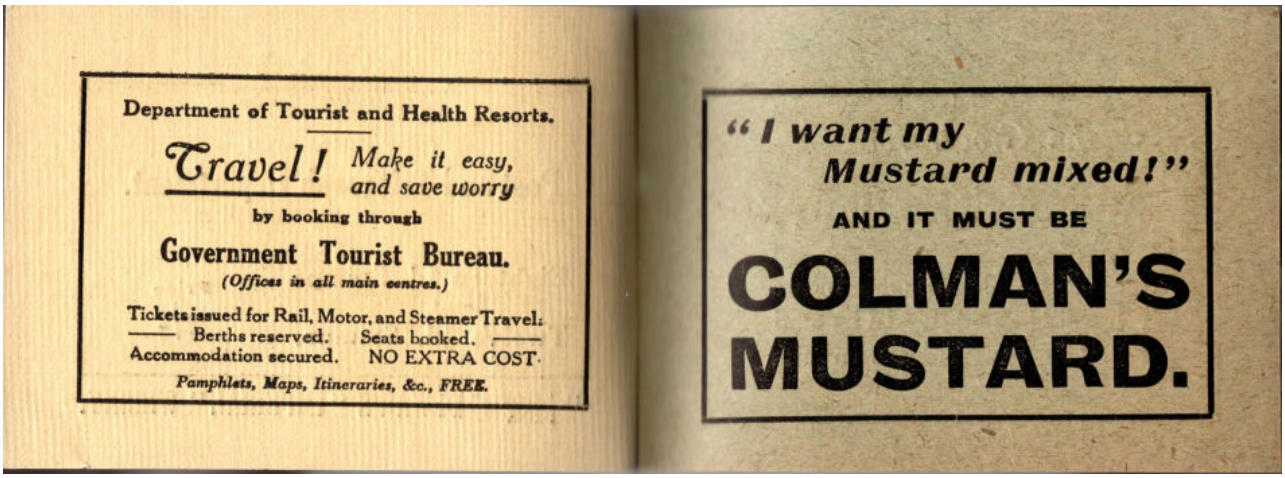

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USE ONLY
JEYES' FLUID.
KAITANGATA COAL.
USE ONLY

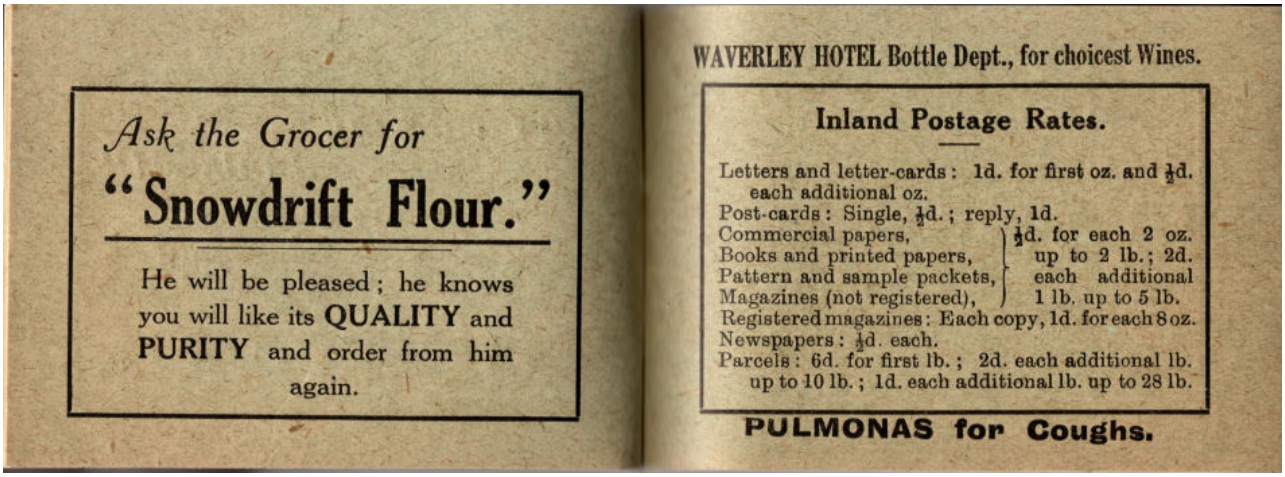

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W4da 1925 2/- Booklet - Example 1

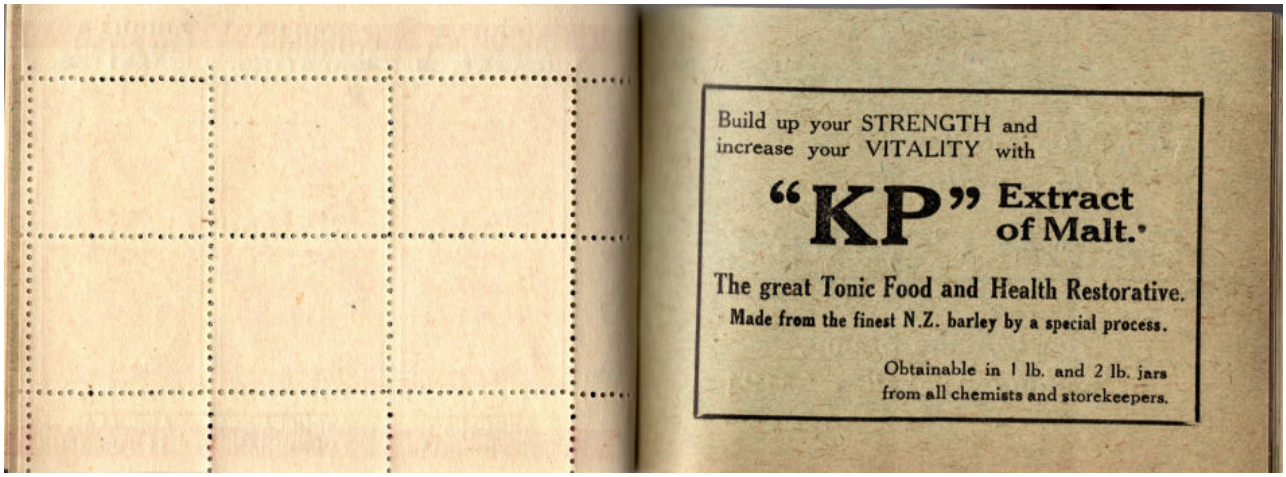


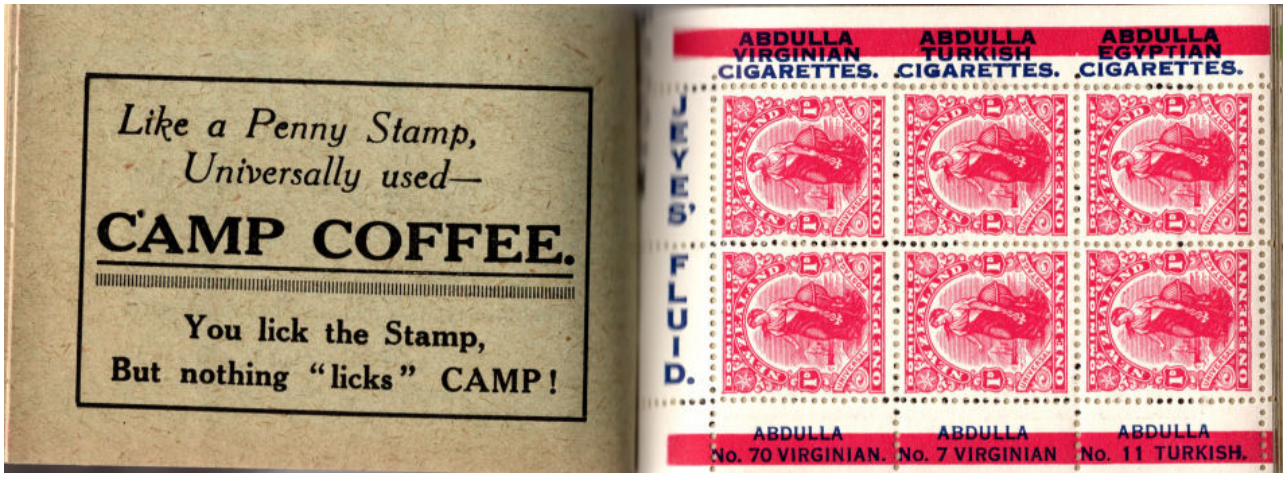


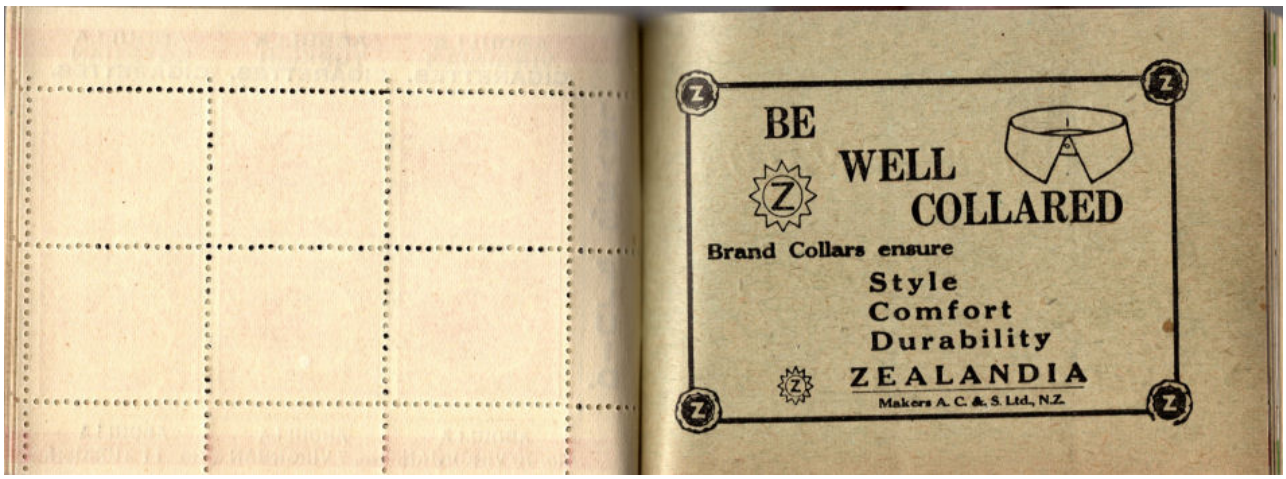


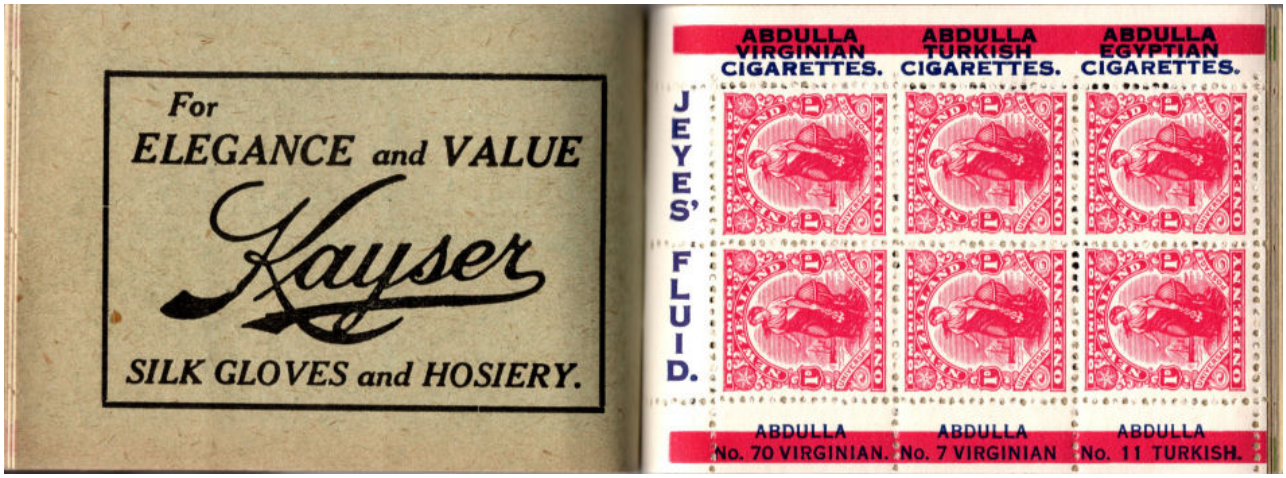





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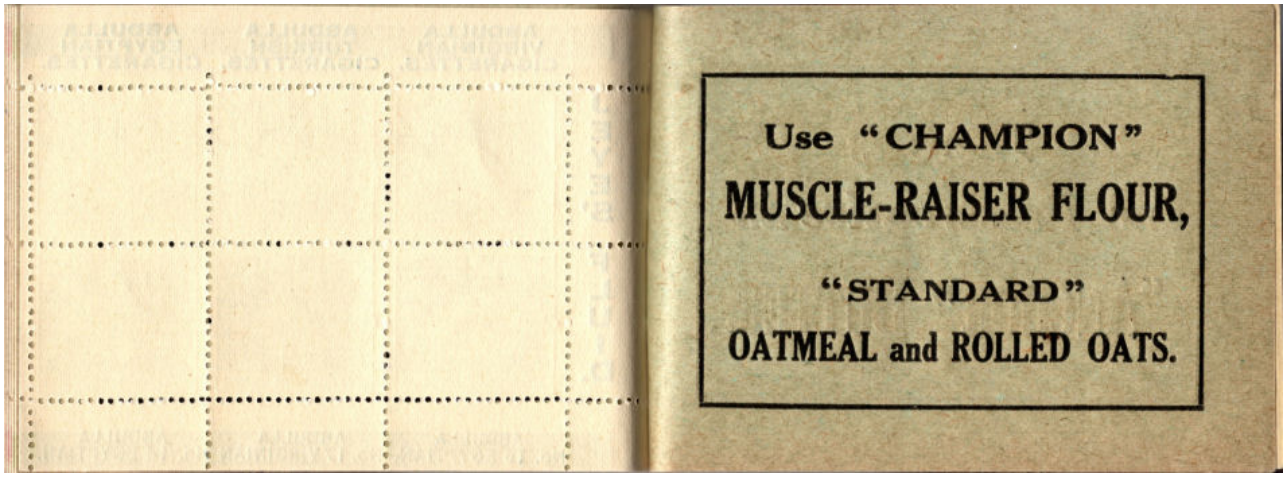
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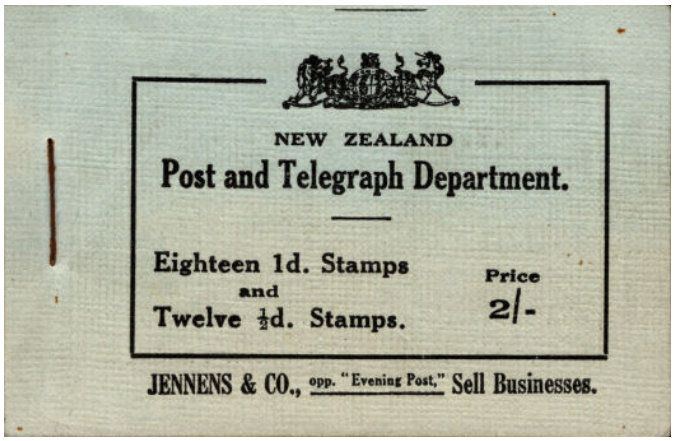
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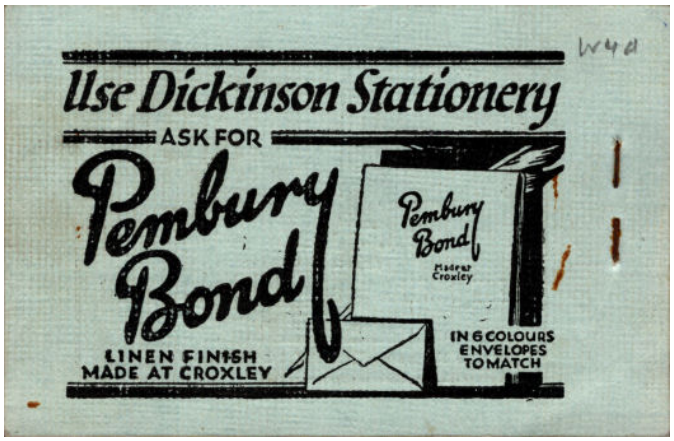


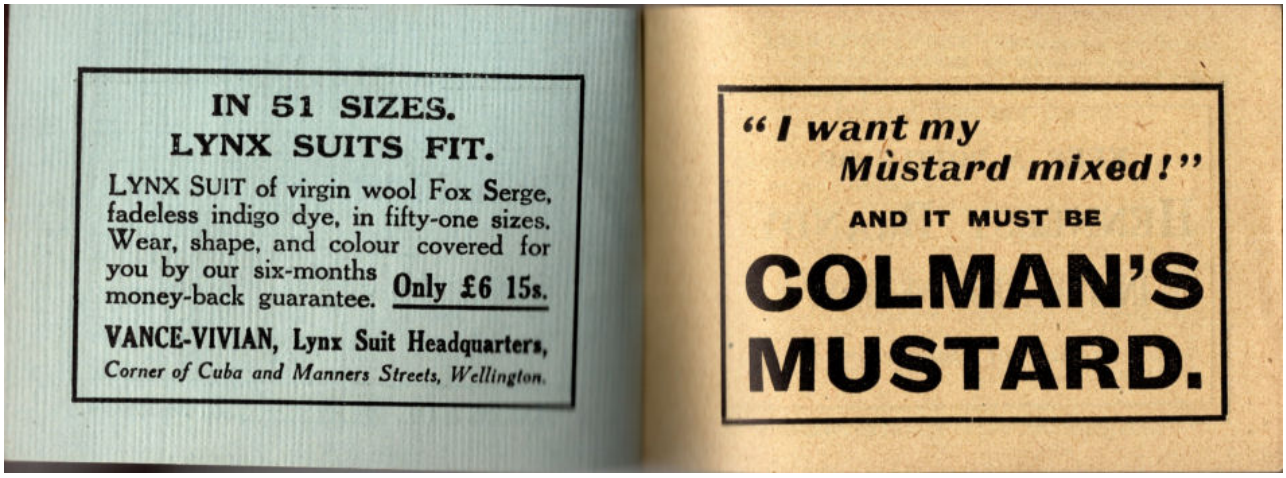




W4da 1925 2/- Booklet - Example 2







KEEP A BOTTLE OF
HENNESSY BRANDY
IN THE MEDICINE-CHEST
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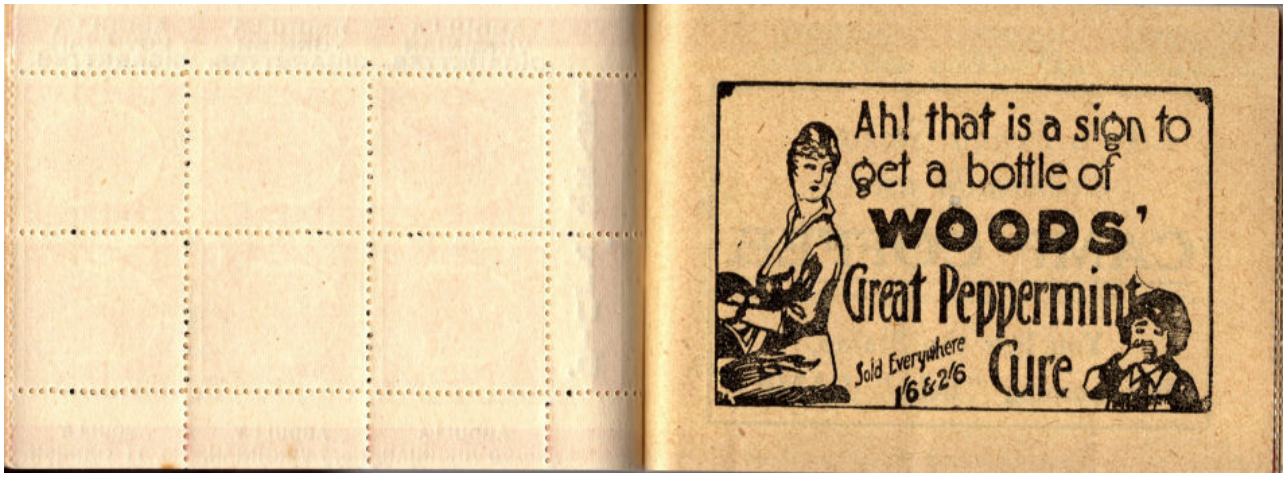
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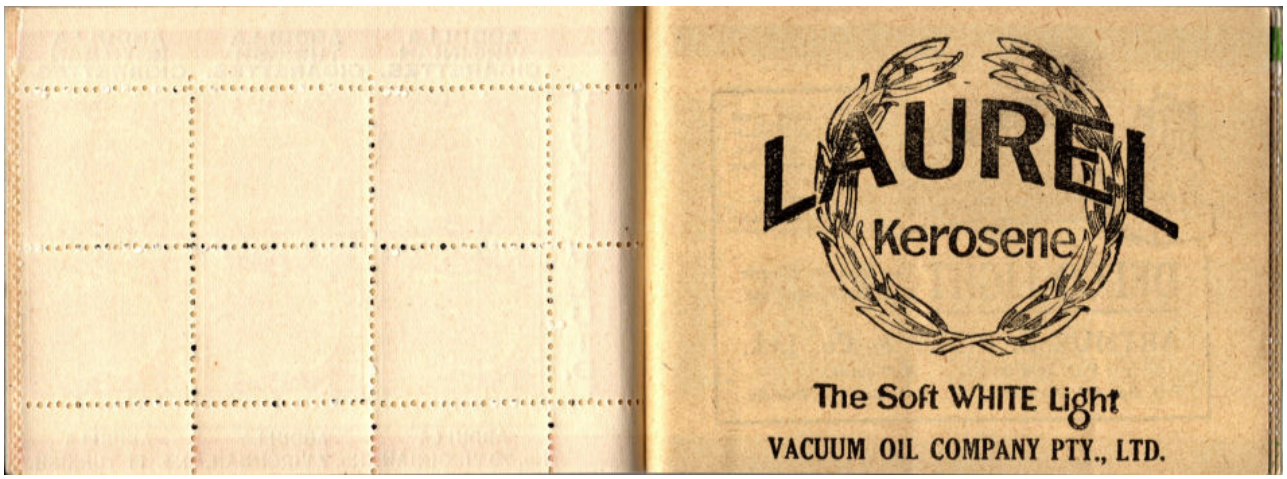
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W4db A 1925 "Dainties" Booklet with advertisements referencing the Christchurch region.





Inside Front Cover: J.D.K.Z. Gin (**A1**)
Colman's Mustard (**A2**) / The Farmers Universal Providers (**A3**)
Inland Postal Rates (**A4**) / Overseas Postage Rates (**A5**)
1d Red Dominion "Dainties"
"KP" Extract Of Malt (**A6**) / Camp Coffee (**A7**)
1d Red Dominion "Dainties"
Waterman's Fountain Pen (**A8**) / Home Supply Company (**A9**)
1d Red Dominion "Dainties"
Ballin Bros. For Soda Water (**A10**) / Stockton Coal (**A11**)
½d Green George V "Dainties"
White Star Line (**A12**) / Sucklings (**A13**)
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Van Heusen (**A14**) / Pluvol (**A15**)
Inside Back Cover: Fleet Foot Shoes (**A16**)



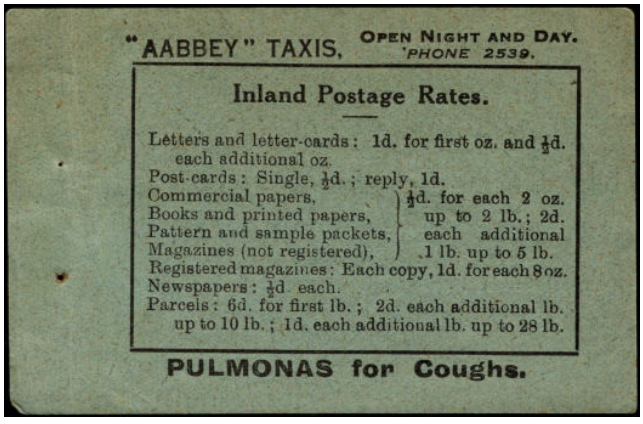
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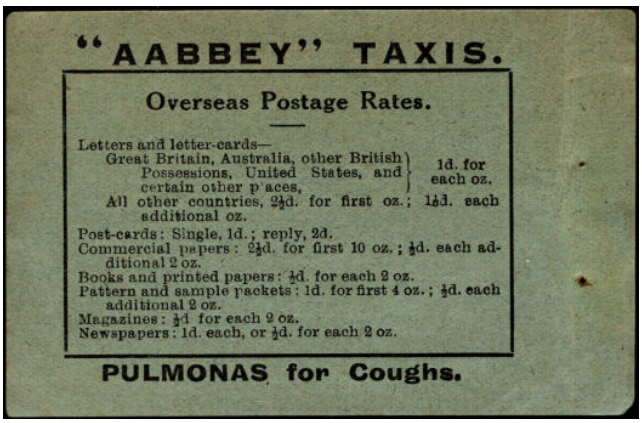
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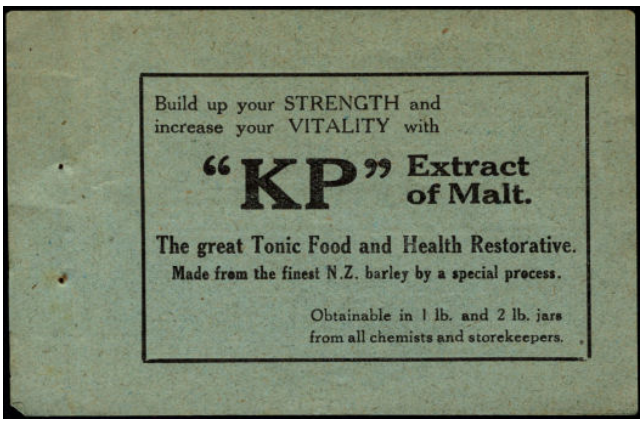
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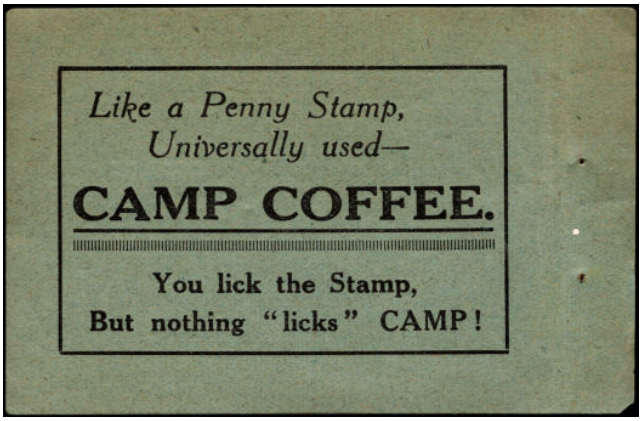
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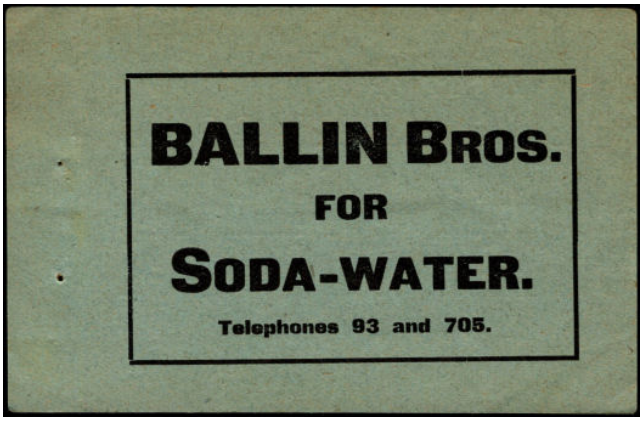
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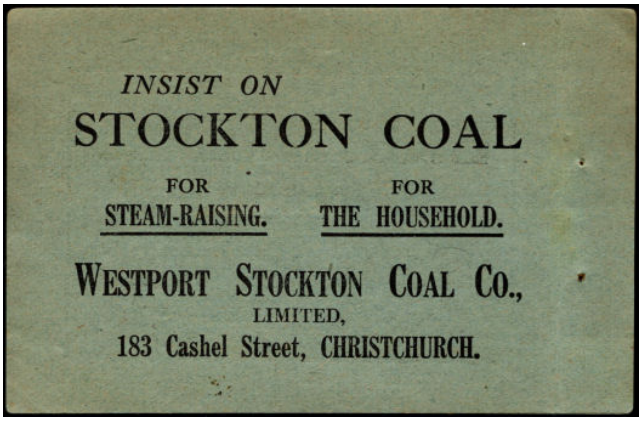
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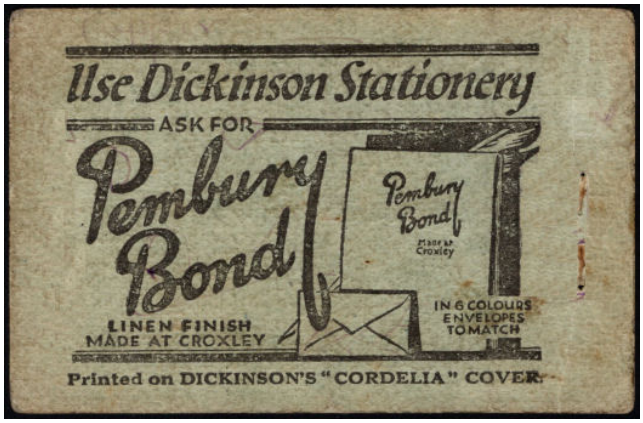


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W4e In 1927, another new booklet was released. The advertisements were for "Kodak". The booklet was a similar make-up as before, but this time, they were all printed on "Cowan Reversed" paper. This is the only occasion that reversed paper was used, and it follows that all "Kodak" stamps had reversed watermarks. Both the ½d and 1d panes were the same, with "Take A Kodak With You" on the top selvedge and "Use Only Kodak Film" on the bottom selvedge.

The cover also had a number in the top right corner, identifying the region the advertisements were relevant to. No. 1 for Auckland, No. 3 for Christchurch etc. Below is a **W4e** 1927 Auckland "Kodak" booklet.







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Inside Front Cover: Van Heusen (**A1**)
Big Tree Motor Oil (**A2**) / Malt-Vinegar (**A3**)
Inland Postal Rates (**A4**) / Overseas Postage Rates (**A5**)
Schmidt Studios (**A6**) / Send A Letter Telegram (**A7**)
1d Red Dominion "Kodak" (**S1**)
Coptic Paint (**A8**) / Diamond Taxi Service (**A9**)
1d Red Dominion "Kodak" (**S1**)
Puke Coal (**A10**) / Famous Rich Cakes (**A11**)
1d Red Dominion "Kodak" (**S1**)
Gloves and Hosiery (**A12**) / Camp Coffee (**A13**)
½d Green George V "Kodak" (**S2**)
KP Extract Of Malt (**A14**) / Stevenson & Ingram (**A15**)
½d Green George V "Kodak" (**S2**)
Pennsylvania Lawn Mowers (**A16**) / Interest 4 Per Cent (**A17**)
Inside Back Cover: Concrete For Permanence (**A18**)



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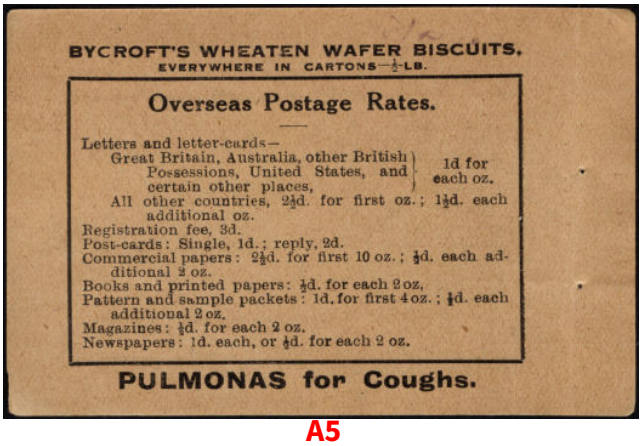
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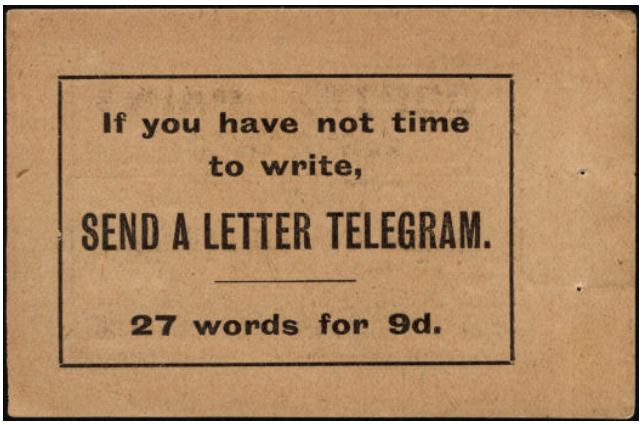
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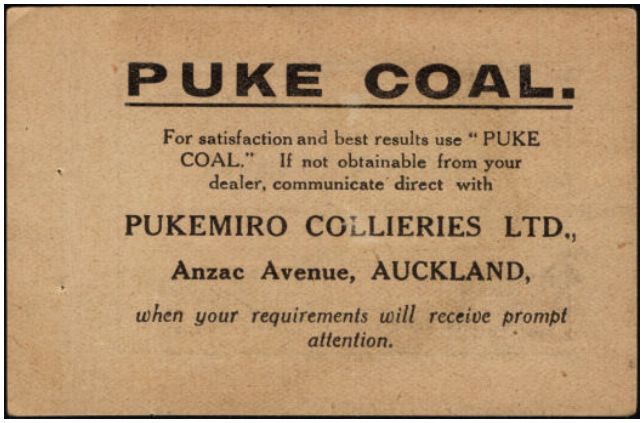
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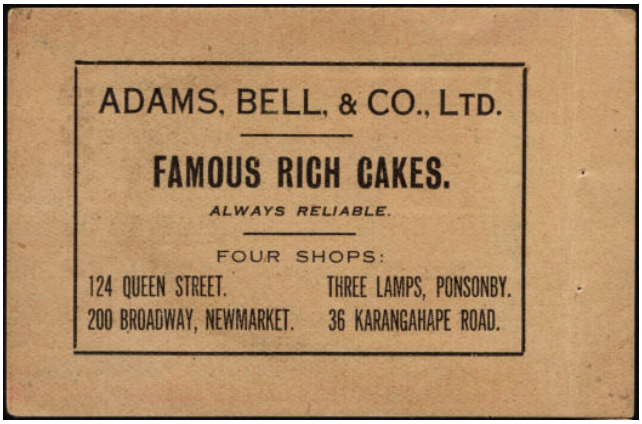
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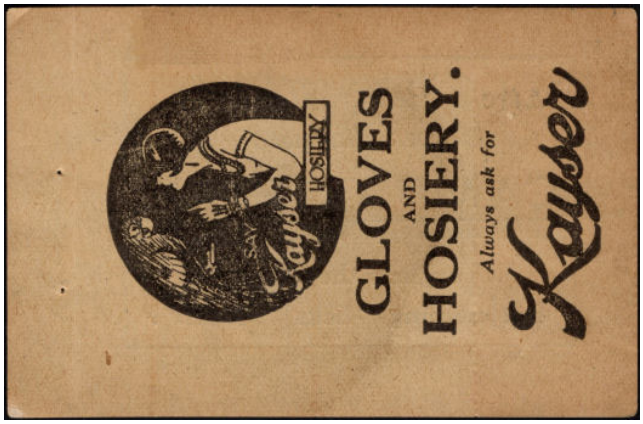
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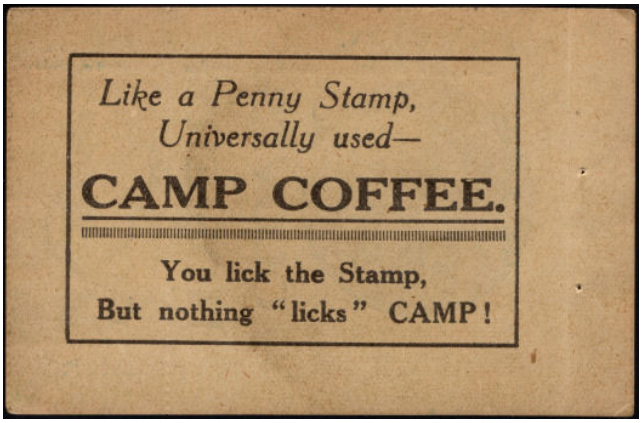
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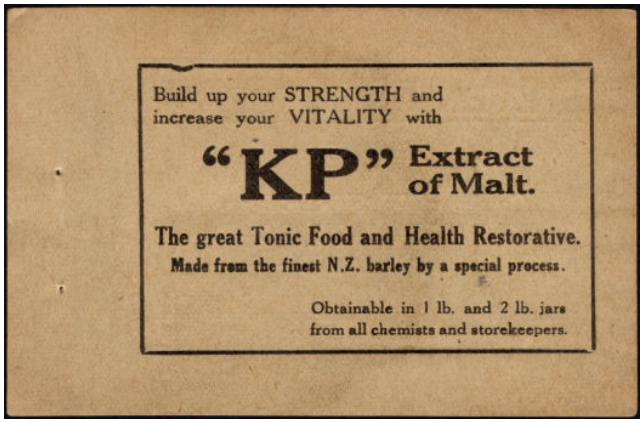
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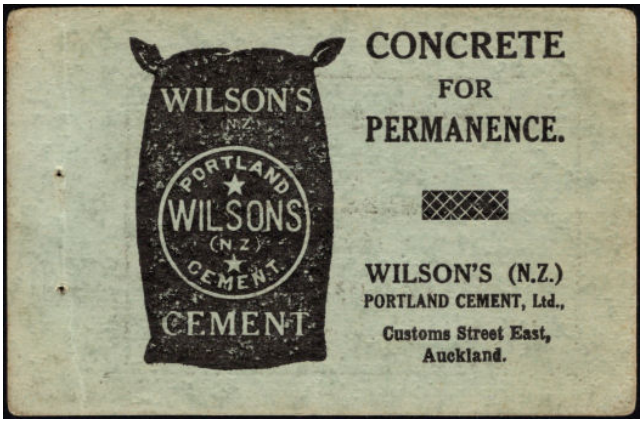
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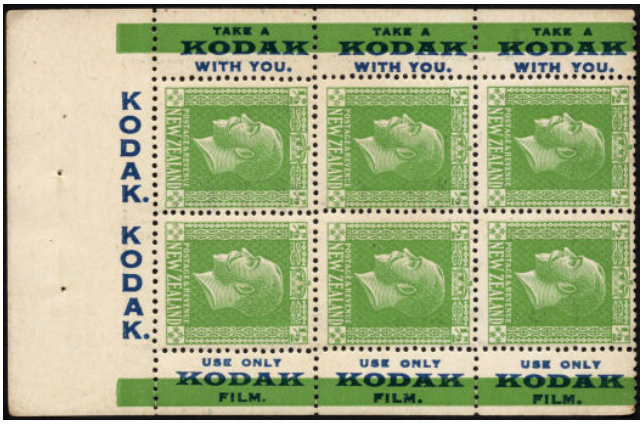
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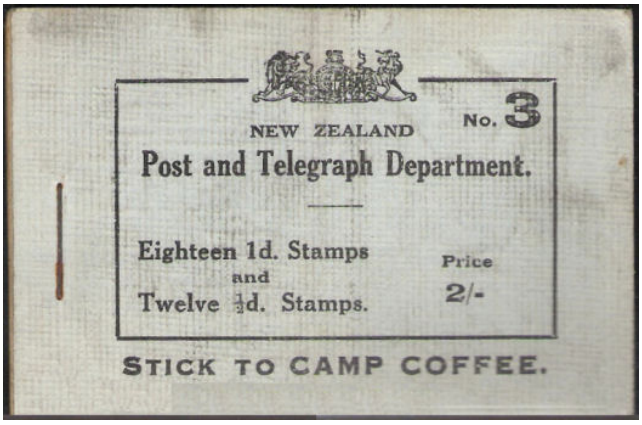
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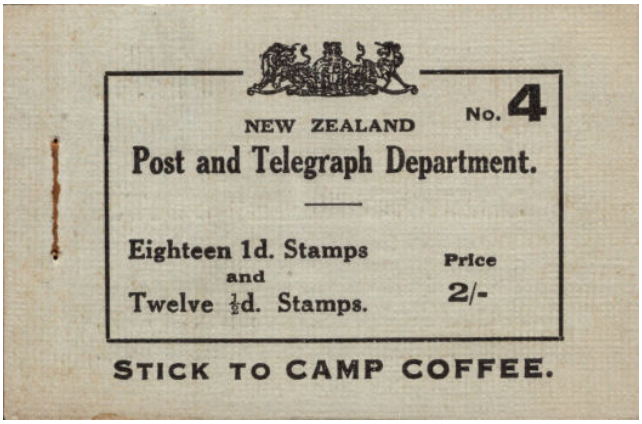


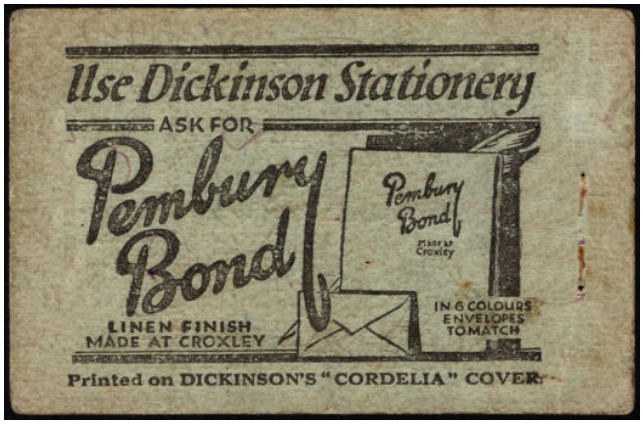
A Christchurch No. 3 Cover



An alternate "Kodak" pane.

W4e A 1927 "Kodak" Booklet with No. 4 on the cover and different advertising inserts.





Inside Front Cover: Collinson & Cunninghame (**A1**)
Royal Cord Tyres (**A2**) / Whitlock's (**A3**)
Inland Postal Rates (**A4**) / Overseas Postage Rates (**A5**)
Invicta House (**A6**) / Send A Letter Telegram (**A7**)
1d Red Dominion "Kodak" (**S1**)
Fleet Foot Shoes (**A8**) / Hennessy Brandy (**A9**)
1d Red Dominion "Kodak" (**S1**)
Camp Coffee (**A10**) / Interest 4 Per Cent (**A11**)
1d Red Dominion "Kodak" (**S1**)
Dricleeno (**A12**) / Keep Fit And Well (**A13**)
½d Green George V "Kodak" (**S2**)
Trip Bearer Tickets (**A14**) / The Great American (**A15**)
½d Green George V "Kodak" (**S2**)
Family Tickets (**A16**) / Advertise By Post (**A17**)
Inside Back Cover: RV & Ideal Milk Cans (**A18**)



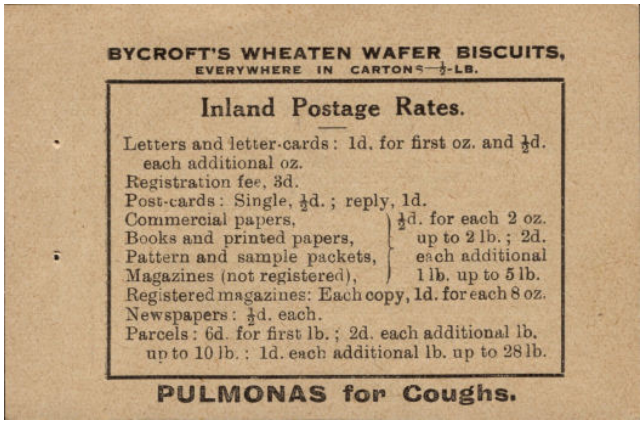
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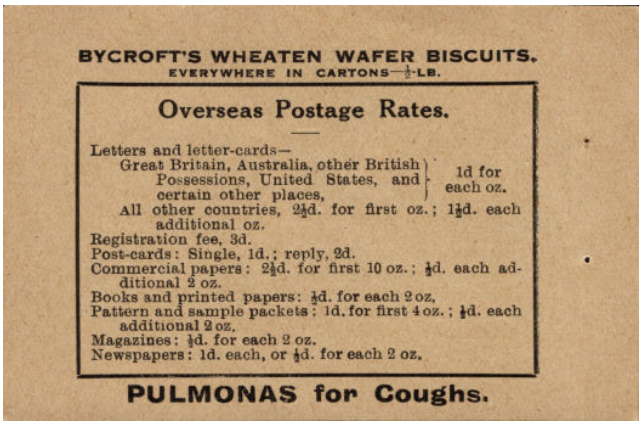
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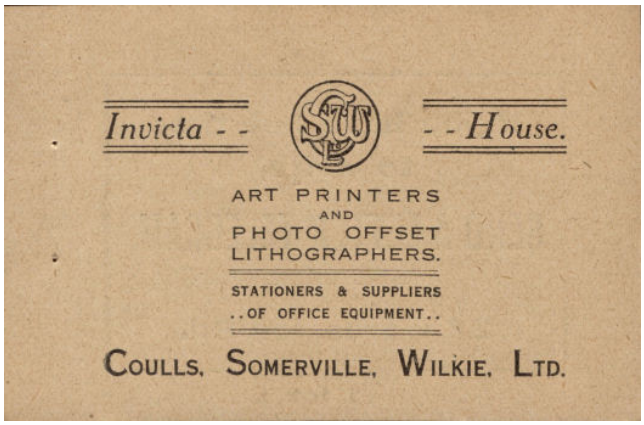
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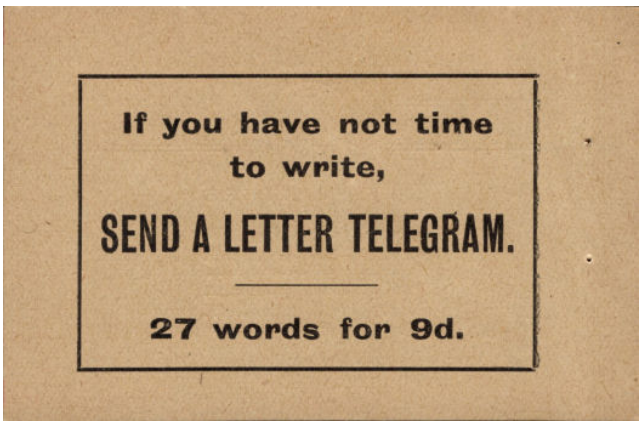
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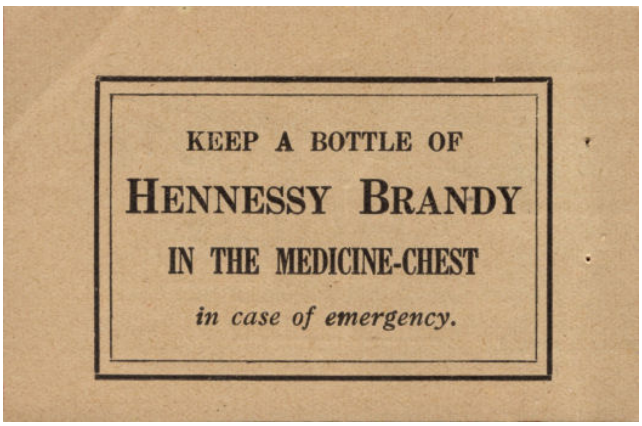
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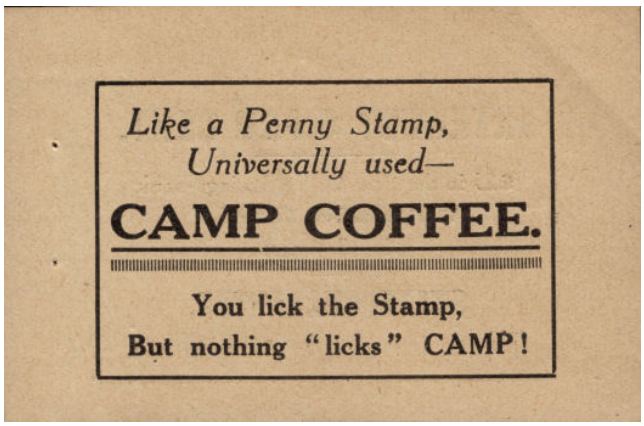
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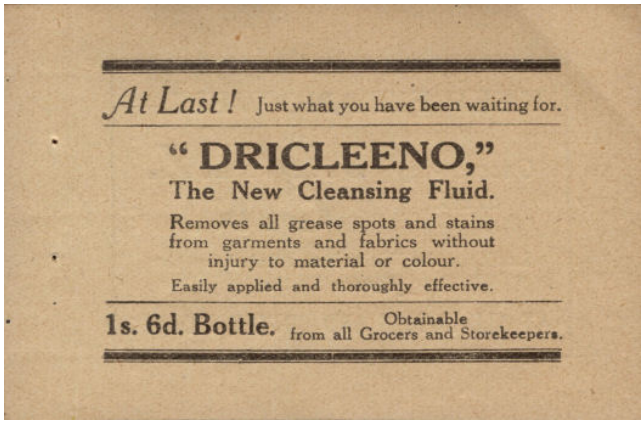
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S2

Second Series: ½d Green George V and 1d Field Marshall

W4fa In 1928, the 1d Red Dominion made way for the 1d Red Field Marshall. In November 1927, enough Cowan thick chalk-surfaced paper was delivered to the printers to produce 200,000 booklets. They consisted of three panes of the 1d Red Field Marshall and two panes of the ½d Green George V, all now perforated 14 on all sides. They were originally available for sale in March 1928, but a number of post offices still had stock of the First Series booklets, so they were encouraged to sell those booklets first. This first release was an interim booklet, while further advertising contracts were sought. As such it had only Post Office notices and advertisements for the interleaving. The cover was grey and the insides of the front and back covers were plain. There were no advertisements on the stamp selvedges.

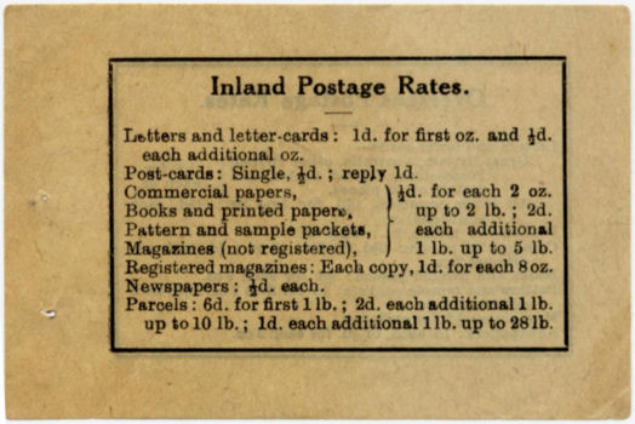


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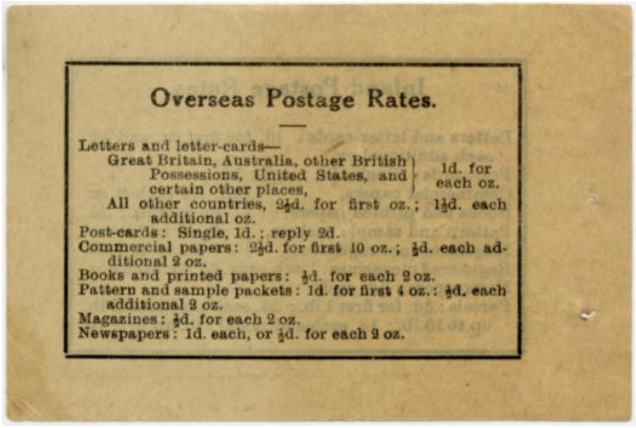
Inside Front Cover: Blank (**A1**)
Inland Postal Rates (**A2**) / Overseas Postage Rates (**A3**)
The Direct Mail Advertisement Sells (**A4**) / How Delightful! (**A5**)
1d Red Field Marshall (Blank Selvedges) (**S1**)
For All-Round Safety (**A6**) / An Extension Telephone (**A7**)
1d Red Field Marshall (Blank Selvedges) (**S1**)
The Household Circular (**A8**) / Why Run About (**A9**)
1d Red Field Marshall (Blank Selvedges) (**S1**)
Have You Heard ? (**A10**) / Missed The Mail ? (**A11**)
½d Green George V (Blank Selvedges) (**S2**)
Avoid The Stairs (**A12**) / Interest ! Interest ! (**A13**)
½d Green George V (Blank Selvedges) (**S2**)
Watch Your Money (**A14**) / Time Is Money (**A15**)
Inside Back Cover: Blank (**A16**)



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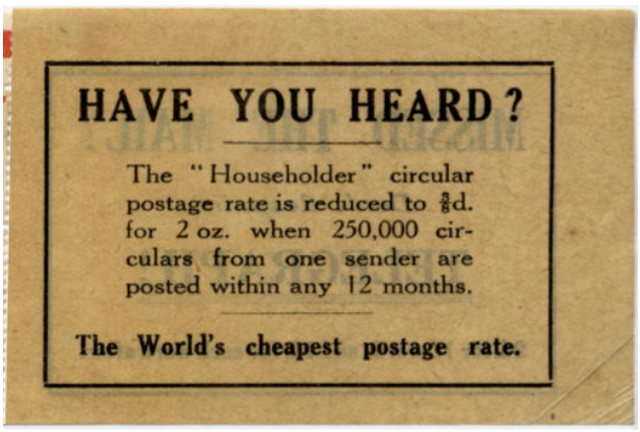
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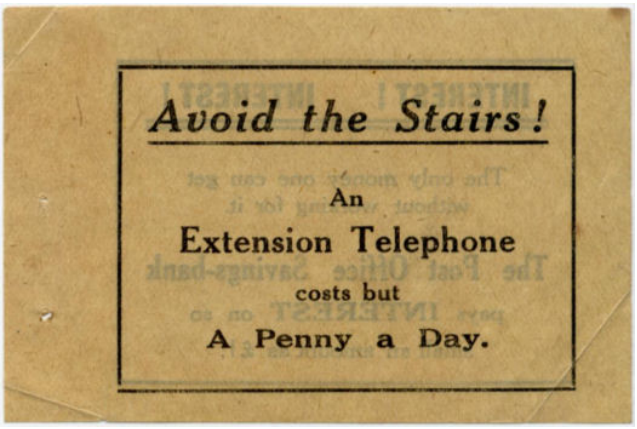
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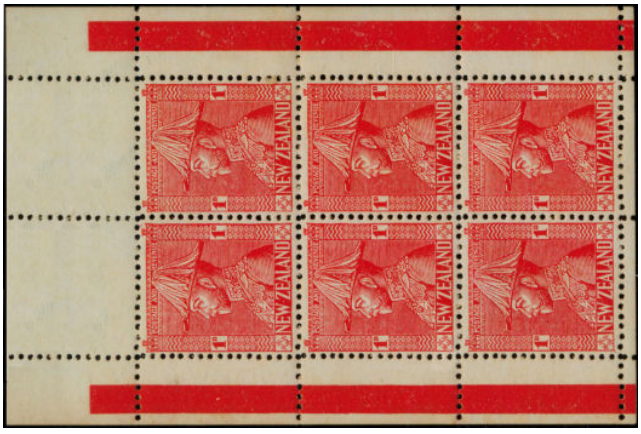
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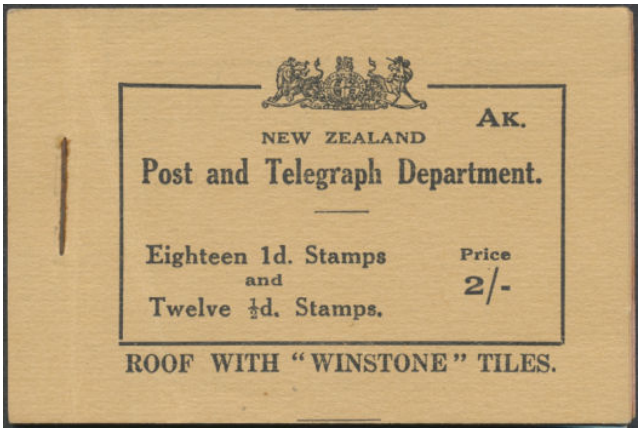


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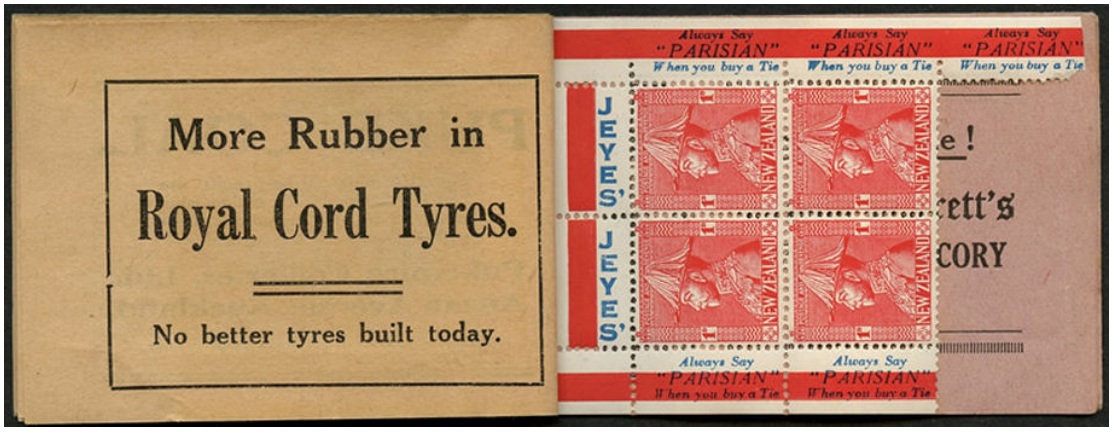
W4g Also in 1928, there was another issue that had no advertisements on the stamp panes, but it reverted back to using ½d Green George V, perforated 14 x 15, and 1d Red Field Marshall perforated 14.

Late in 1928, the Advertising Department secured contracts with the Parisian Neckware Company and Jeyes Fluid. **W4fb** The booklets were issued in March 1929 and had Jeyes Fluid on the binding selvedge and Parisian advertisements on the side selvedges. The covers also contained advertisements and were distributed to the four main Post Offices in Auckland, Wellington, Christchurch and Dunedin. The covers had an abbreviation printed in the top right corner to distinguish each main Post Office, similar to the numbers used previously.













W4fc Late in 1929, a further release was issued. The advertising department was unable to persuade the agents for Jeyes Fluids to renew their contract, so this latest release only had "Parisian" advertising on the side selvedges, with the binding selvedge blank.

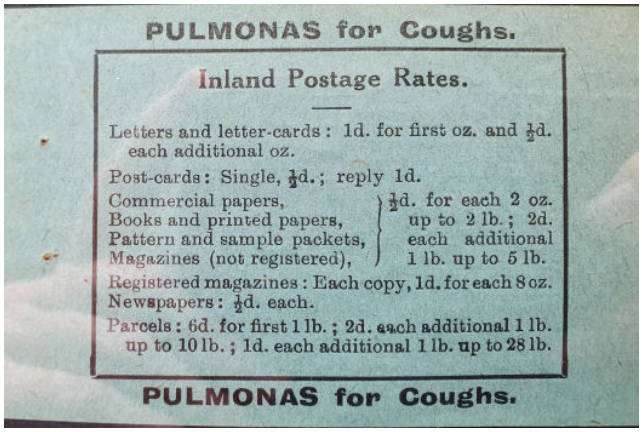




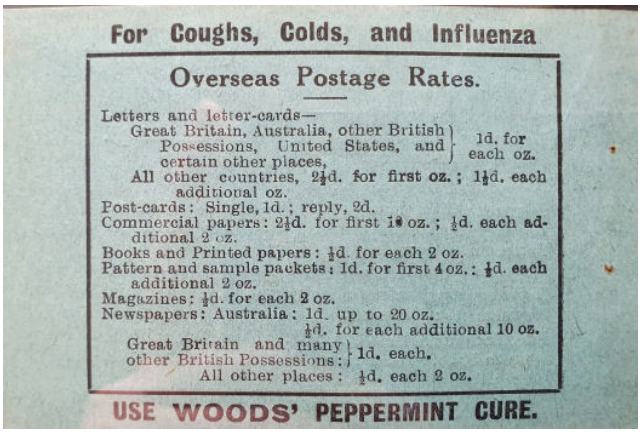
Inside Front Cover: One Handling Only (**A1**)
Inland Postal Rates (**A2**) / Overseas Postage Rates (**A3**)
1d Red Field Marshall (Parisian) (**S1**)
How Delightful! (**A4**) / The Household Circular (**A5**)
1d Red Field Marshall (Parisian) (**S1**)
Why Run About (**A6**) / For All-Round Safety (**A7**)
1d Red Field Marshall (Parisian) (**S1**)
Have You Heard ? (**A8**) / Avoid The Stairs (**A9**)
½d Green George V (Parisian) (**S2**)
An Extension Telephone (**A10**) / Watch Your Money (**A11**)
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Inside Back Cover: The Direct Mail Advertisement Sells (**A14**)



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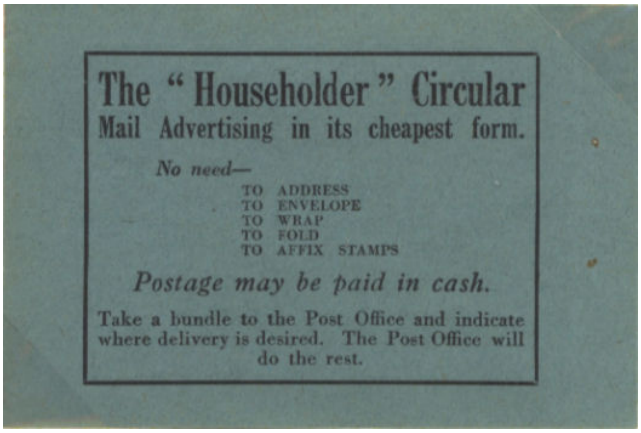
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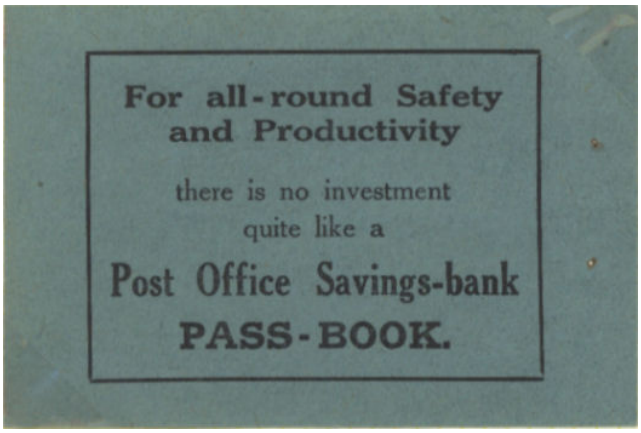
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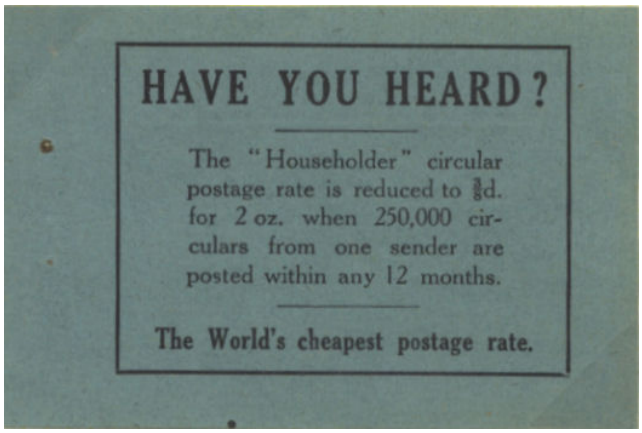
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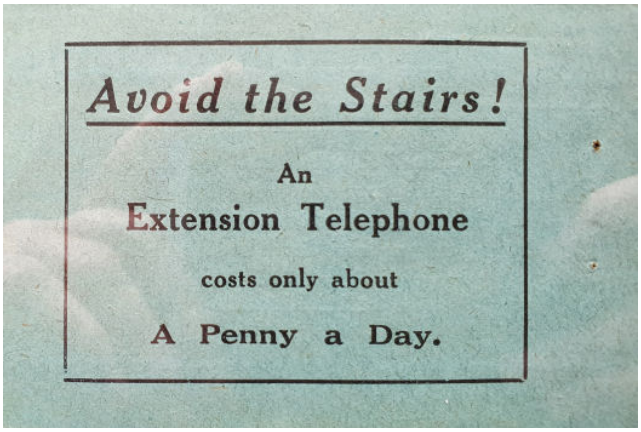
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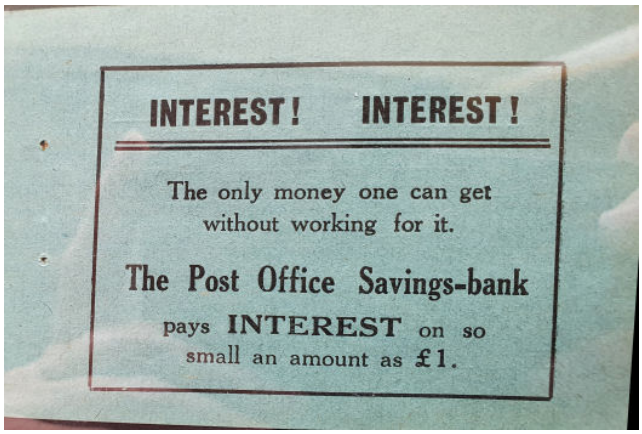
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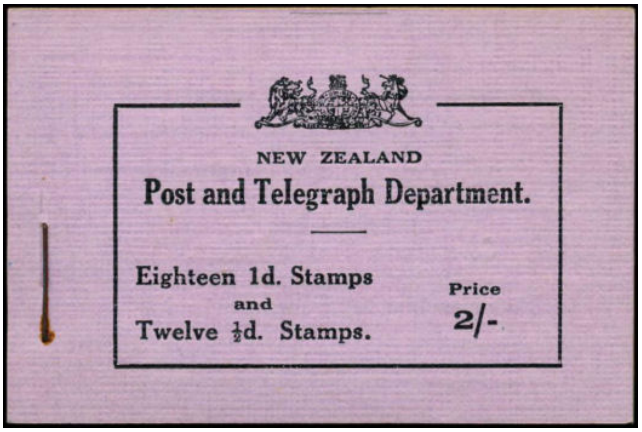
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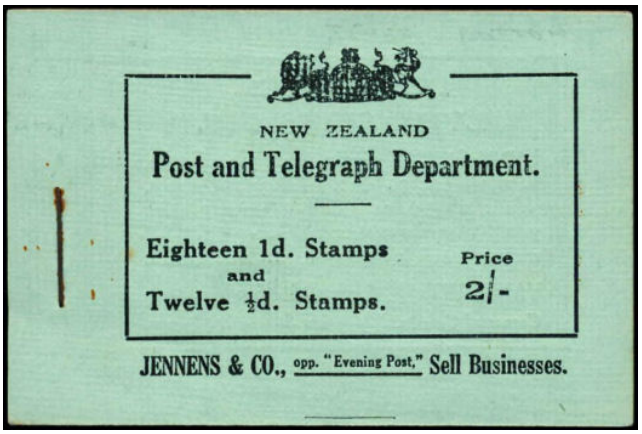
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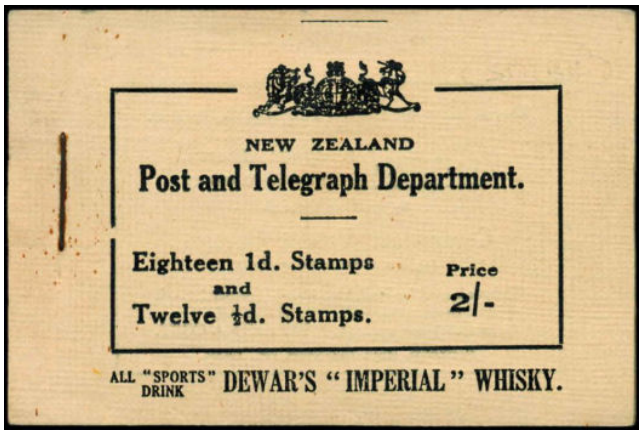
The booklets distributed to each of the four main postal districts had different coloured interleaving pages. The Auckland sheets were pale lilac, Wellington blue, Christchurch green and Dunedin brick-red. Only the Auckland booklets contained advertisements for Bycroft's Biscuits and Puke Coal.

The below images are further examples of covers from the 1928 to 1930 period. There are a number more.









The Parisian Neckware signed a five year contract on August 2, 1930 to continue advertising on the side selvedges of booklet stamps. These appeared on all further booklet panes up to and including the first 1935 1d Kiwi panes.

W4h In November 1931, a new booklet was issued. The ½d stamps were no longer required, so this new booklet contained four panes of 6 of the 1d Red Field Marshall. The cover was pale brown, with an advertisement for Nestle's Chocolate on the back cover. The interleaving sheets have been seen in green and in yellowish-brown.

The postage rate for newspapers changed after printing and before the booklets were bound, so the printer overprinted the old rate on the inland rates page with a black line.





Inside Front Cover: One Handling Only (**A1**)
Darlow's Footballs (**A2**) / Ordinary Goitre (**A3**)
1d Red Field Marshall (Parisian) (**S1**)
Inland Postal Rates (**A4**) / Overseas Postage Rates (**A5**)
1d Red Field Marshall (Parisian) (**S1**)
The Rural Districts (**A6**) / B. Leslie Crane (**A7**)
1d Red Field Marshall (Parisian) (**S1**)
An Extension Telephone (**A8**) / Interest Paid On Money At Call (**A9**)
1d Red Field Marshall (Parisian) (**S1**)
Samples Delivered (**A10**) / Ford Leads In Sales (**A11**)
Inside Back Cover: Advertise By Direct Mail (**A12**)



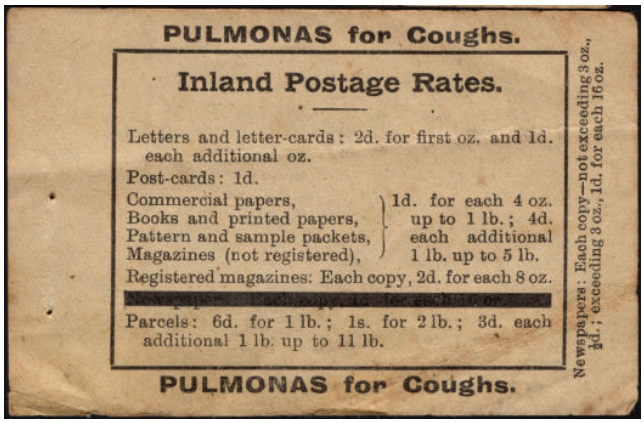
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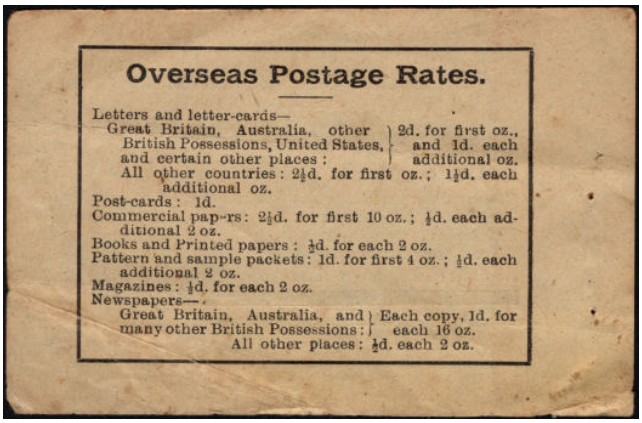
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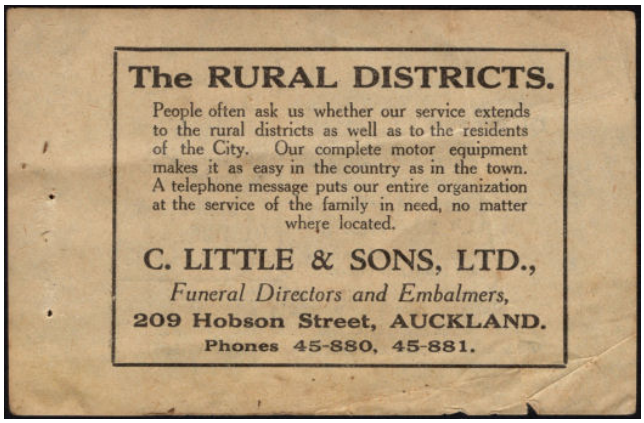
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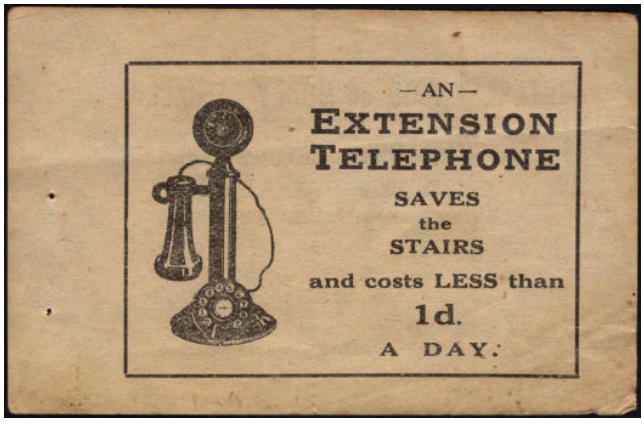
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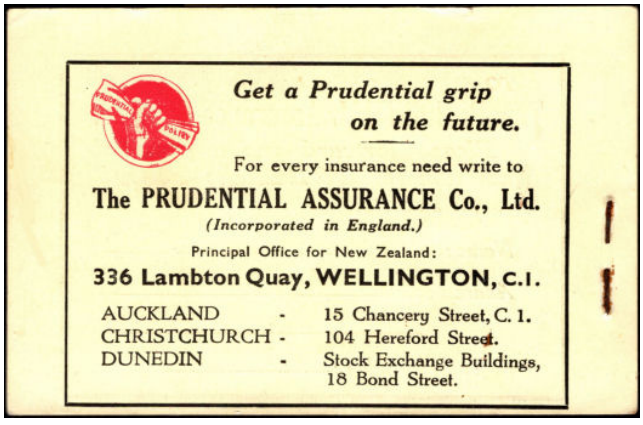
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There were no further orders for new booklets until 1934, so it is unclear where the following image of a front cover from this issue came from. The "Twenty-four 1d Stamps" on the cover is in lower-case compared to the upper-case of the issue described above.

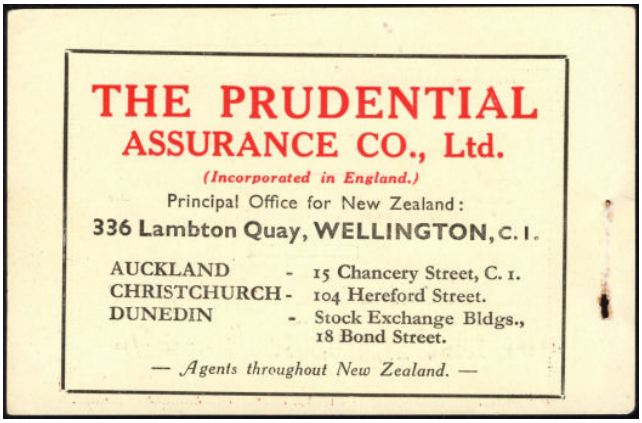


W4j The final order for 200,000 booklets in this series was issued in February 1934. The cover had a change to the border. It was now a thicker border made up of small lines. The "Parisian" advertisements were on all the side selvedges of the four panes, which were all of the 1d Red Field Marshall, perfed 14 x 15. The advertising interleaves contained advertisements from the "Prudential Assurance Co. Ltd.".

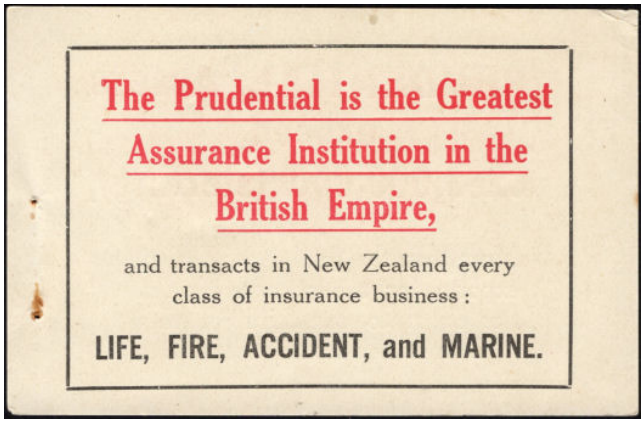




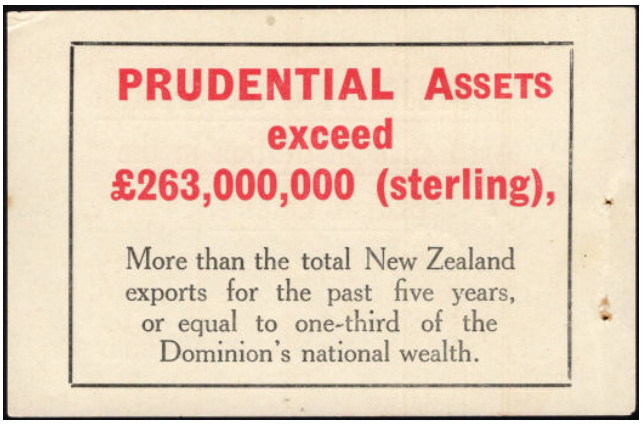
Inside Front Cover: The Prudential Assurance Co. Ltd. (**A1**)
The Prudential Is The Greatest (**A2**) / Prudential Assets Exceed (**A3**)
1d Red Field Marshall (Parisian) (**S1**)
Inland Postal Rates (**A4**) / Overseas Postage Rates (**A5**)
1d Red Field Marshall (Parisian) (**S1**)
Prudential Payments To Policyholders (**A6**) / Prudential Annual Income (**A7**)
1d Red Field Marshall (Parisian) (**S1**)
£82,000,000 (Sterling) (**A8**) / Prudential Life Policies (**A9**)
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Inside Back Cover: To The Prudential Assurance Co. Ltd. (**A12**)



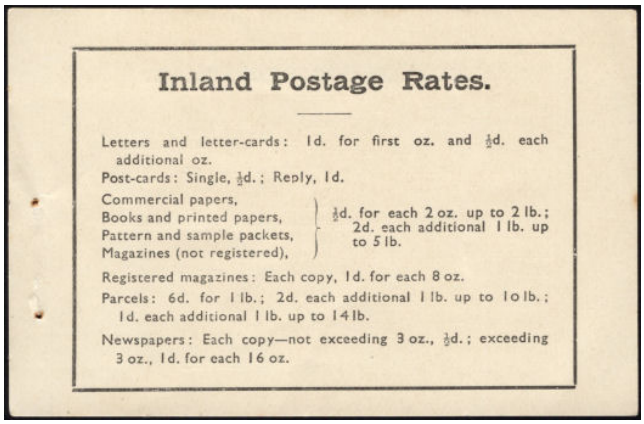
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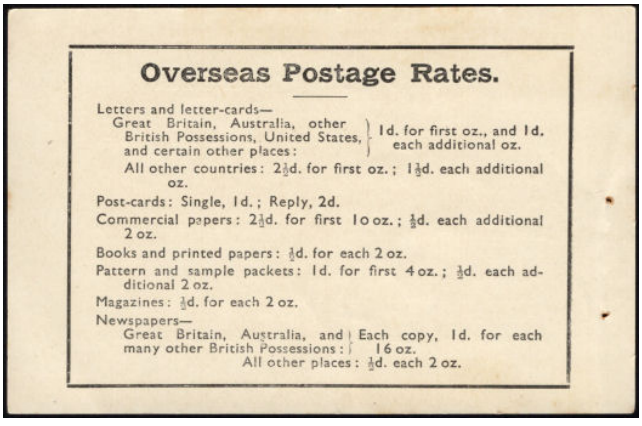
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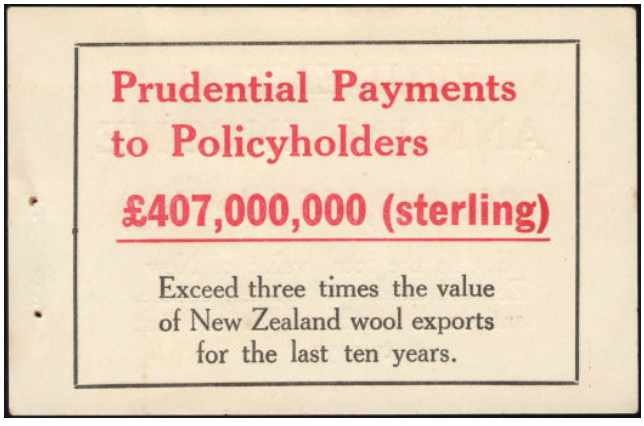
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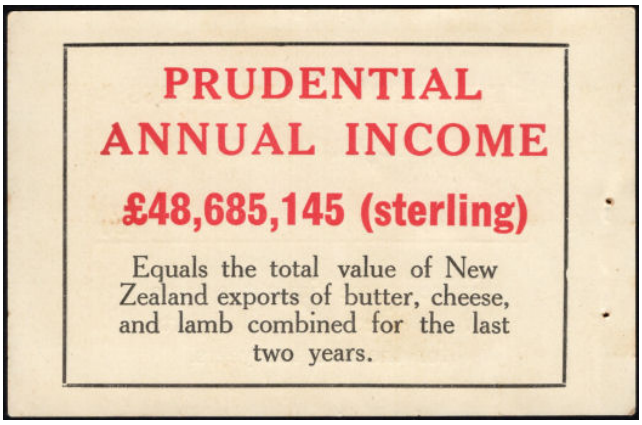
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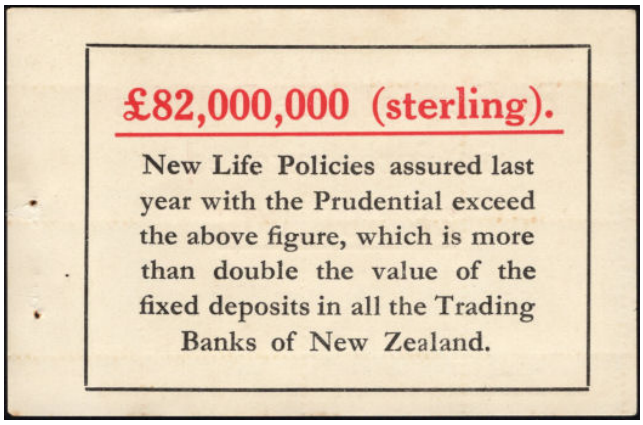
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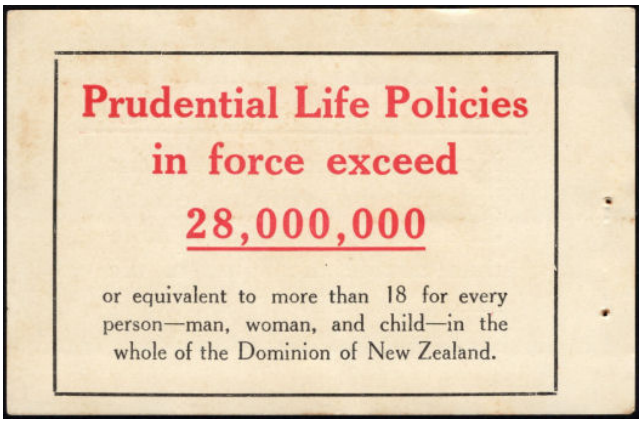
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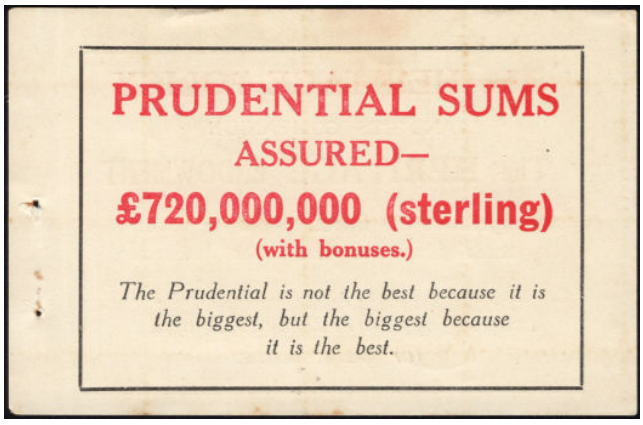
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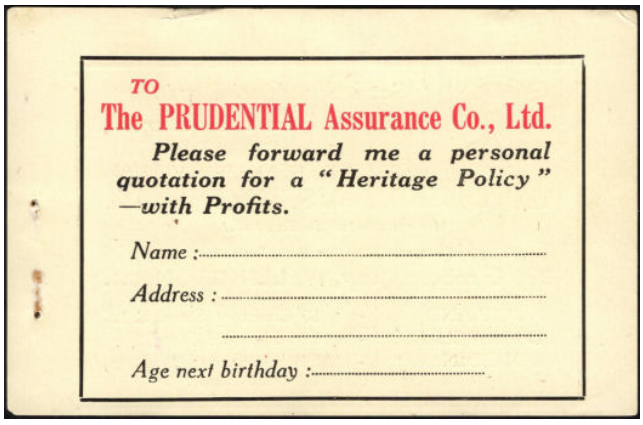
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S1



S1 Alternate Pane with Bars on Binding

A prominent re-entry occurred on all 1d Red Field Marshall panes that had a black serial number on the right side of the binding. The re-entry is found showing in the letters of "NEW" on the lowest left stamp of the pane. See example below.





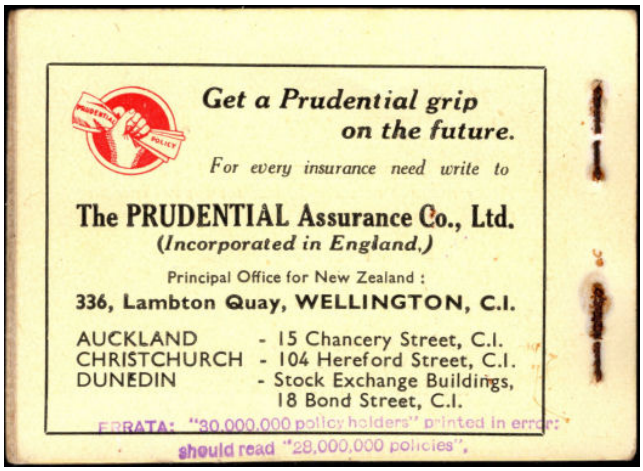
W5 The 1d Kiwi Booklets 1935 - 1938

The original issue of the 1d Kiwi stamp from the 1935 Pictorial series released in May 1935, is referred to as Die 1. In November 1935, a special Booklet plate was developed and this was referred to as Die 2. The dark area of the sky was strengthened in an attempt to achieve better definition, but this resulted in the stamps having the sky too strongly coloured. The Die 2 stamps were only used for the production of booklets.

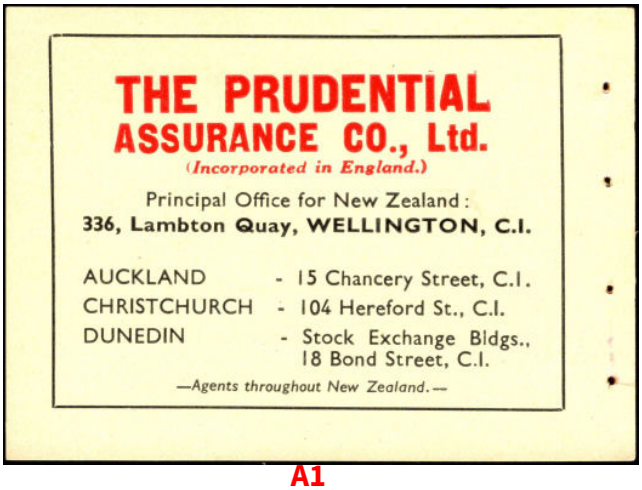
W5a On November 18, 1935, a new 2/- booklet was issued. It contained four panes of the 1d Kiwi stamp. Each pane had a binding selvedge on the left and selvedge top and bottom. These top and bottom selvedges contained "Parisian" advertising. The six stamps in the pane lay on their sides in three pairs. Because of the layout of the sheet, one third of all booklet panes on the sheet had inverted watermarks. When the sheet was cut into booklet panes, the result was that booklets were entirely upright watermark or entirely inverted watermark. The watermark in these booklets is "NZ single star".

One of the advertising inserts (**A9**), claimed 30,000,000 Policyholders. This was incorrect and should have said 28,000,000. An Errata overprint was added to the back cover to correct this.

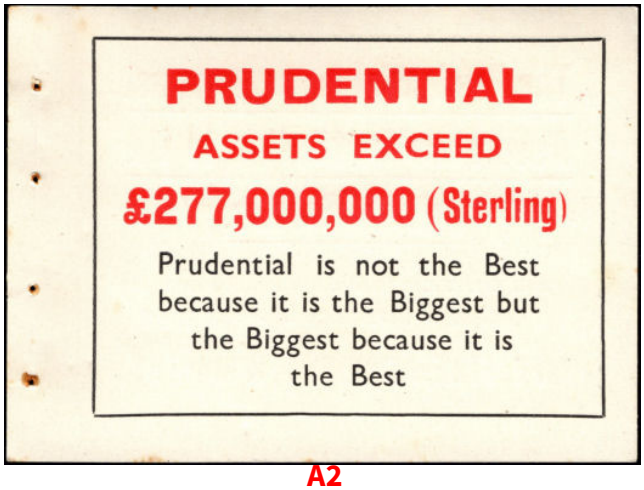




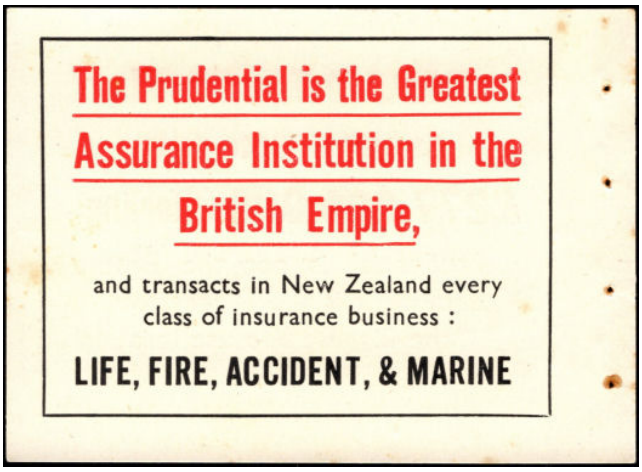
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Prudential Assets Exceed (**A2**) / The Prudential Is The Greatest (**A3**)
1d Red Kiwi "Parisian" Advertising (**S1**)
Inland Postal Rates (**A4**) / Overseas Postage Rates (**A5**)
1d Red Kiwi "Parisian" Advertising (**S1**)
Prudential Has Paid (**A6**) / Prudential Annual Income Exceeds (**A7**)
1d Red Kiwi "Parisian" Advertising (**S1**)
Prudential Issued New Life (**A8**) / Prudential Are Responsible (**A9**)
1d Red Kiwi "Parisian" Advertising (**S1**)
Prudential Are Pledged (**A10**) / How Would You Answer (**A11**)
Inside Back Cover: To The Prudential Assurance Co Ltd (**A12**)



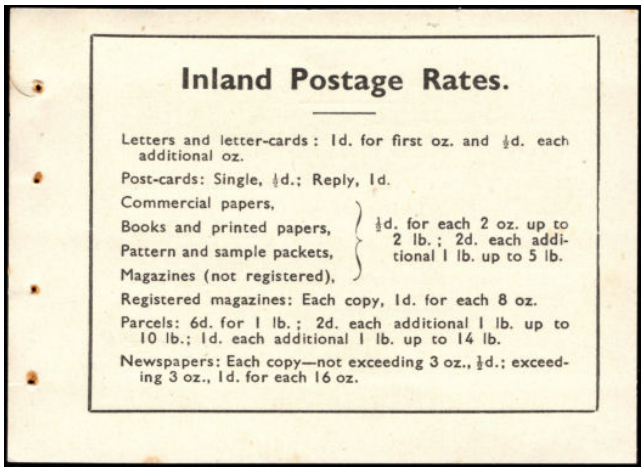
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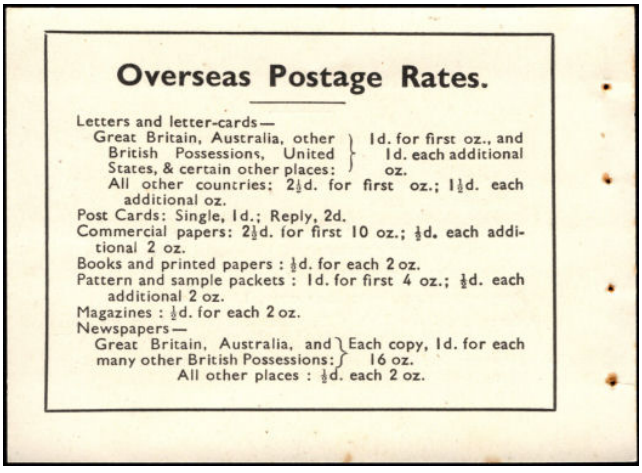
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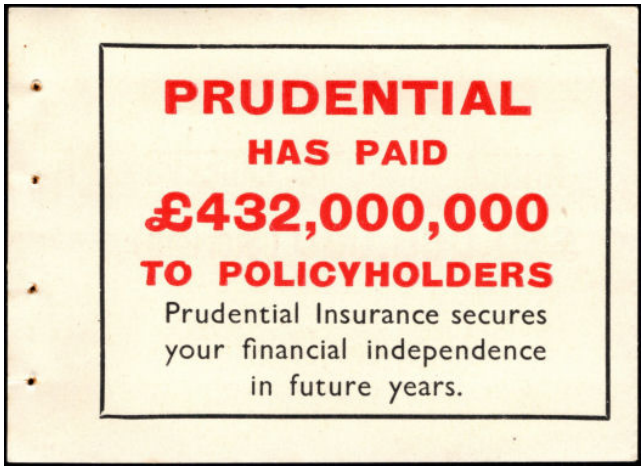
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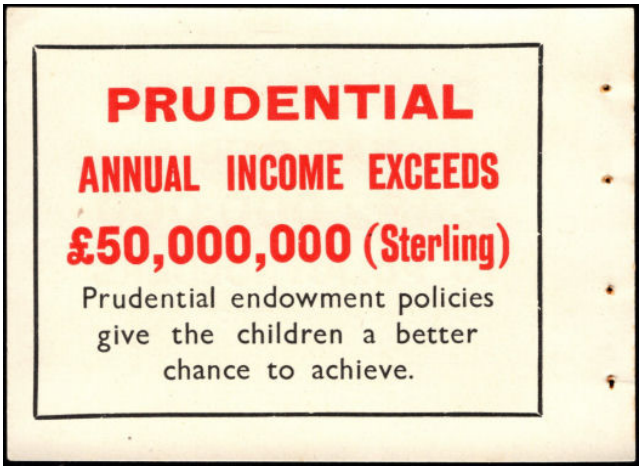
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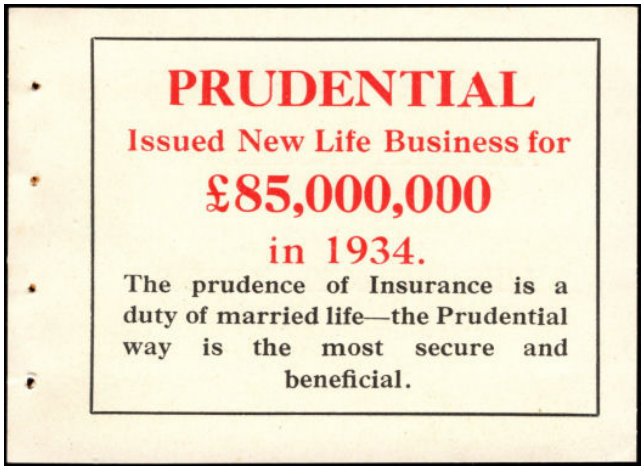
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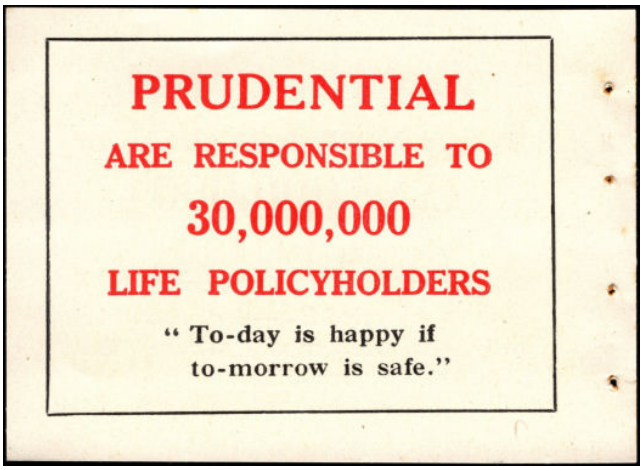
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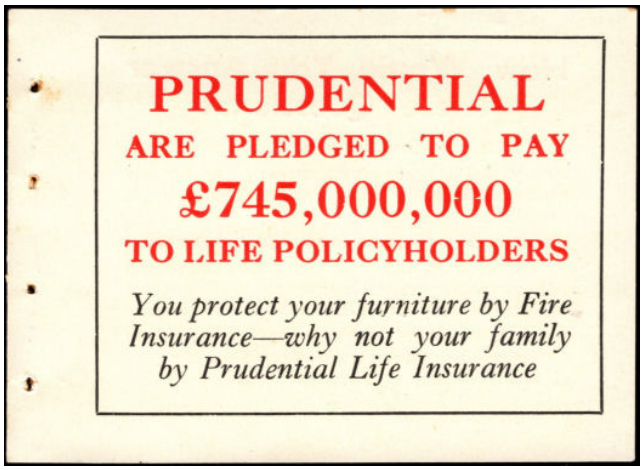
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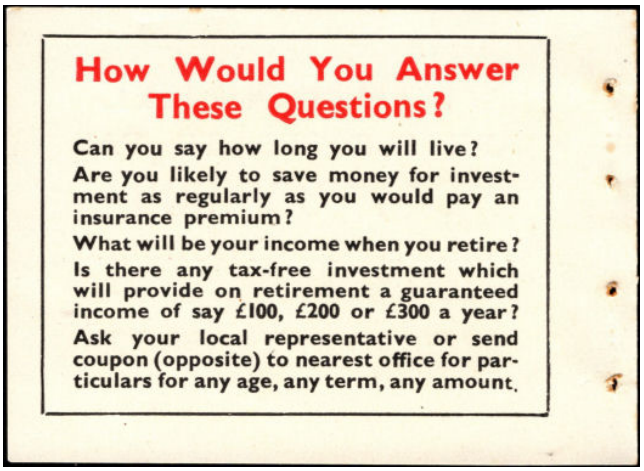
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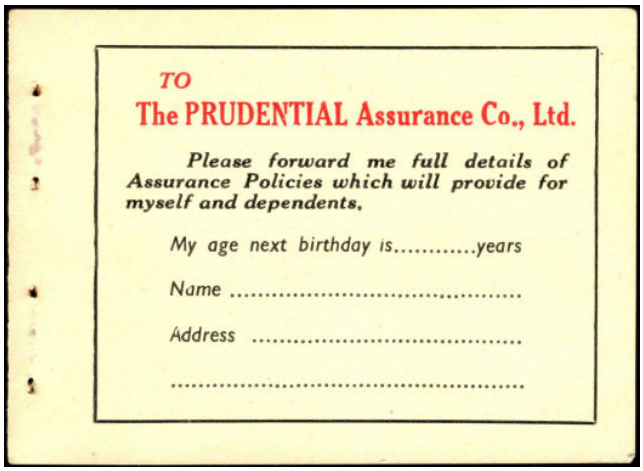
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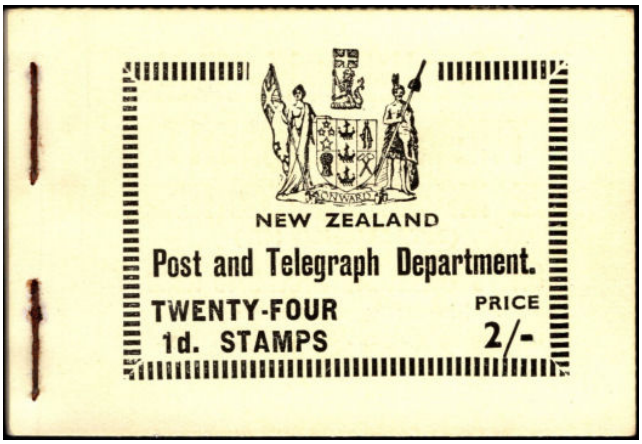
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S1

W5b In November 1936, a new plate was created as Die 3. The layout was the first to have a horizontal pane of 6 stamps and a binding selvedge on the left. There was no other selvedge, so advertising was no longer available. The watermark changed to "multiple NZ and stars". Panes from this booklet could be found with upright watermark or inverted watermark. Die 3 made further changes to the sky area, this time with more success.

This new style of booklet with two rows of three stamps and binding selvedge on the left became the normal for all further booklets, until the singe pane booklets of 1977.





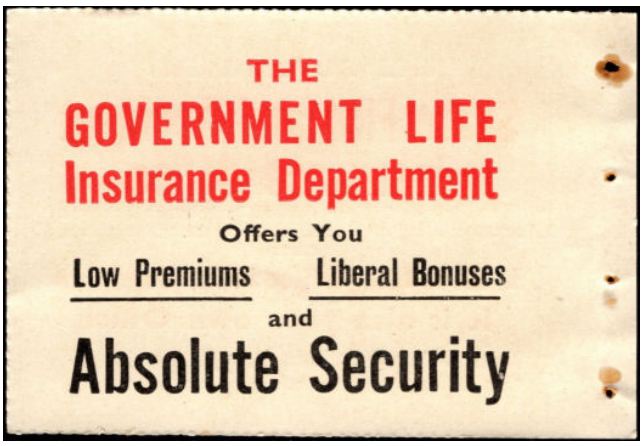
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The Government State Fire (**A2**) / Government Life Absolute Security (**A3**)
1d Red Kiwi (**S1**)
Inland Postal Rates (**A4**) / Overseas Postage Rates (**A5**)
1d Red Kiwi (**S1**)
For Over 30 Years (**A6**) / Government Life Operating In New Zealand (**A7**)
1d Red Kiwi (**S1**)
State Fire & Accident Insurance Office (**A8**) / Latest Distribution (**A9**)
1d Red Kiwi (**S1**)
Motorists! Insure Your Car (**A10**) / Make Sure You Buy (**A11**)
Inside Back Cover: To The Government Life Insurance Department (**A12**)



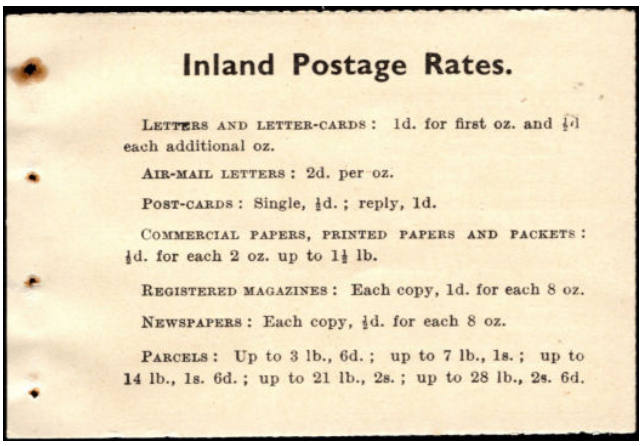
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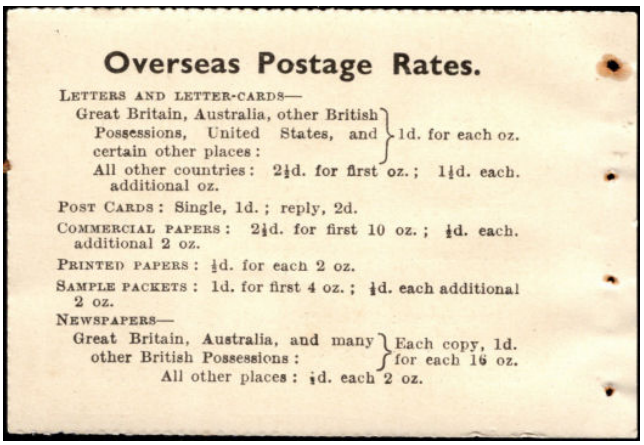
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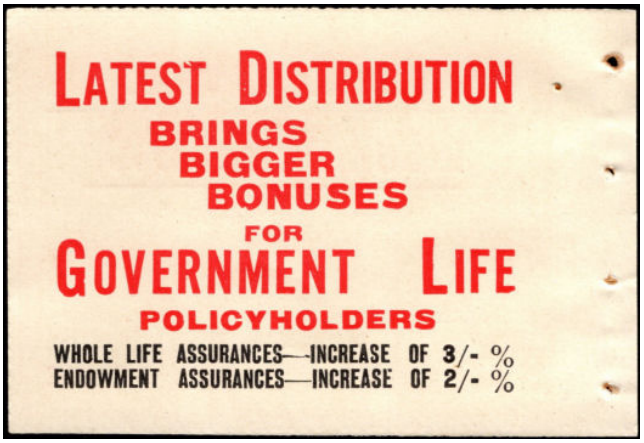
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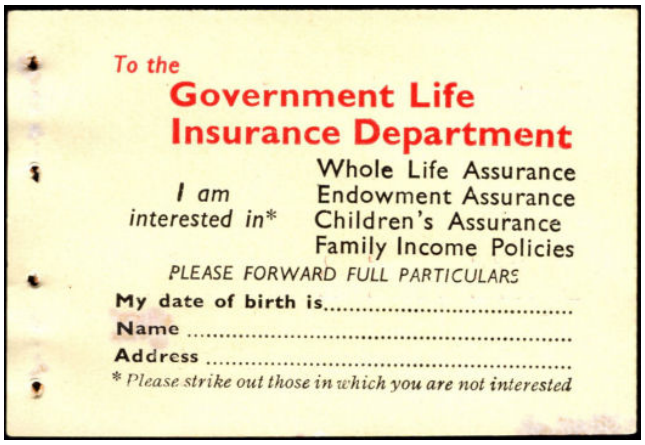
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To the
Government Life
Insurance Department
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interested in*
Whole Life Assurance
Endowment Assurance
Children's Assurance
Family Income Policies
PLEASE FORWARD FULL PARTICULARS
My date of birth is.....
Name .....
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NEW ZEALAND
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POSTAGE & REVENUE

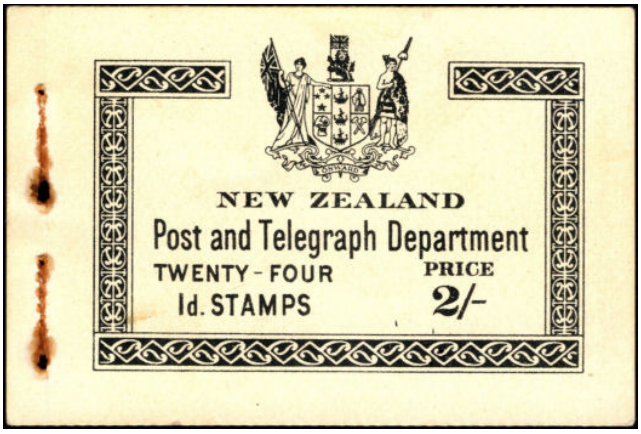
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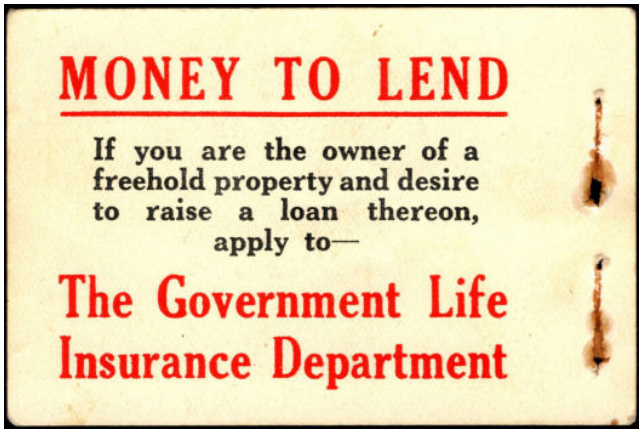
W6 The George VI Booklets 1938 - 1941

Now that George VI was on the throne, a new booklet was required. A new plate was produced with 210 stamps in 35 panes of 6. Because of the layout, 20 panes would have an upright watermark and 15 would have an inverted watermark. There was also one upright pane with Plate No. 5 in the selvedge. It is known that some sheets were actually printed inverted, and this is proven by the existence of an inverted Plate No. 5 pane.

W6a The first booklet was released on July 1, 1938. It was a 2/- booklet and contained four panes of the George VI 1d Red stamp. Each pane was separated by an advertising insert or postage rate table. The problem with postage rate tables is that they went out of date during the life of a booklet any time there was a rate change. Often, Post Office counter staff were instructed to remove the rate insert at the time of sale of the booklet. Therefore it is not unusual to find complete booklets with the remnants of an insert.

1st Issue





Inside Front Cover: It Is Also Your Own Office (**A1**)
Your Own National Institution (**A2**) / Support Your Own Office (**A3**)
1d Red George VI (**S1**)
Inland Postal Rates (**A4**) / Overseas Postage Rates (**A5**)
1d Red George VI (**S1**)
All The Funds (**A6**) / Motorists! (**A7**)
1d Red George VI (**S1**)
Make Sure You Buy (**A8**) / To The Government Life (**A9**)
1d Red George VI (**S1**)
For Over 30 Years (**A10**) / State Fire Office (**A11**)
Inside Back Cover: To The State Fire & Accident (**A12**)



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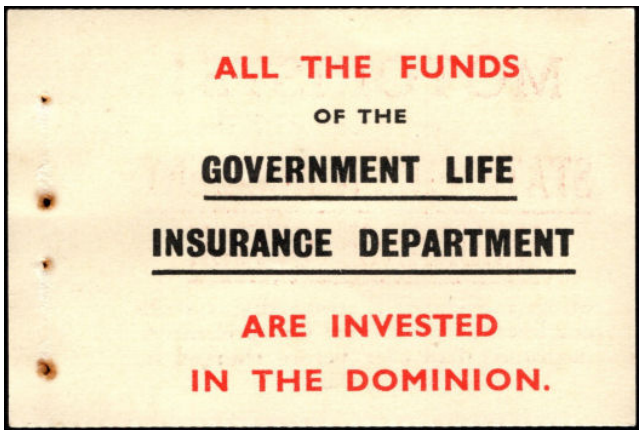
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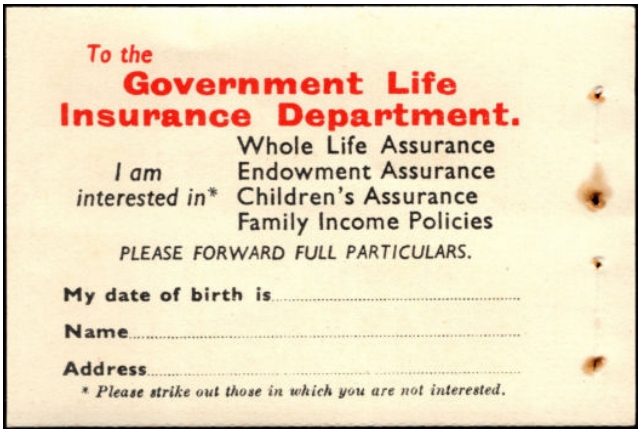
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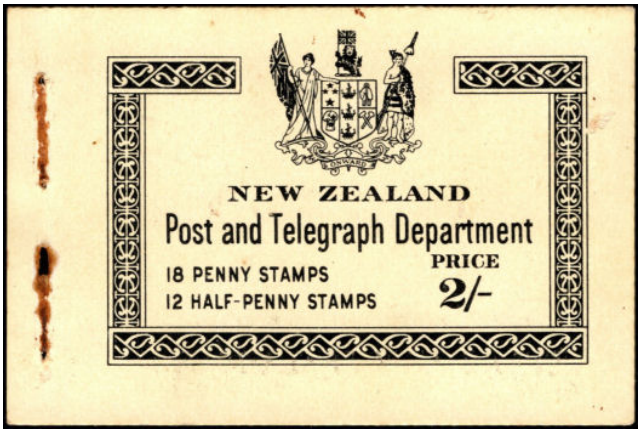
The rate for letters to Great Britain and other Empire countries including Egypt and Iraq (but excluding Australia and New Guinea) became 1½d per ½ oz upon New Zealand's entry into the All-Up Empire Air Mail Service on July 26, 1938. This service remained in effect until September 4, 1939 when air services were interrupted due to commencement of hostilities in Europe and the Middle East. The Empire rate remained 1½d, however, until September 30, 1939 as alternate arrangements were made for delivery via surface transport, circumstances permitting. During this period from July 28, 1938 to end September 1939, regular issue on penny postal stationery Lettercards and Envelopes sent to Great Britain and other Empire destinations would have required a ½d postage stamp be affixed to make up the 1½d. The Postcard rate for Empire destinations remained 1d as of July 26, 1938.

2nd Issue

Because of the postal rate changes, there was now a need for a ½d stamp. In November 1938, the previous 4 panes of 1d stamps was reduced to 3 panes and the 4th pane was replaced by 2 panes of ½d stamps. Both the ½d and 1d stamps were printed from new plates. The ½d from Plate No. 22 and the 1d from Plate No. 23. Unlike the previous Plate No. 5, these Plate No.'s did not appear on the booklet selvedges.

There are two distinct versions of this booklet, one with **W6b1** advertising inserts and the other with **W6b2** blank inserts. Externally they are easy to tell apart. The advertisement version has a red and black back cover, the blank inserts version is all black.

2nd Issue Version 1 Advertising Inserts





Inside Front Cover: Your Own National Institution (**A1**)
Inland Postal Rates (**A2**) / Overseas Postage Rates (**A3**)
1d Red George VI (**S1**)
The Government State Fire (**A4**) / All The Funds (**A5**)
1d Red George VI (**S1**)
For Over 30 Years (**A6**) / Money To Lend (**A7**)
1d Red George VI (**S1**)
Postal Note (**A8**) / Wish It With A Wire (**A9**)
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State Fire & Accident (**A10**) / Make Sure You Buy (**A11**)
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Inside Back Cover: To The Government Life Insurance (**A12**)



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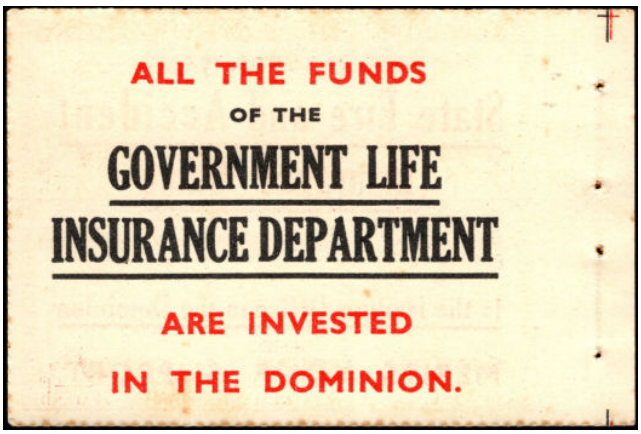
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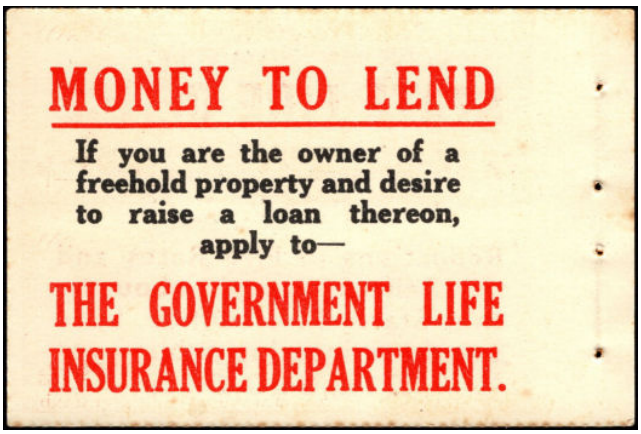
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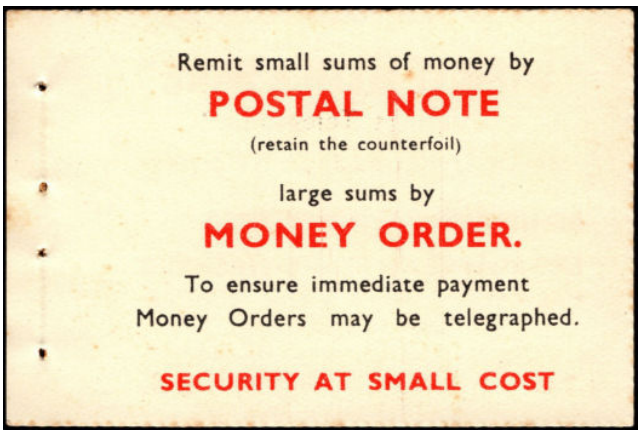
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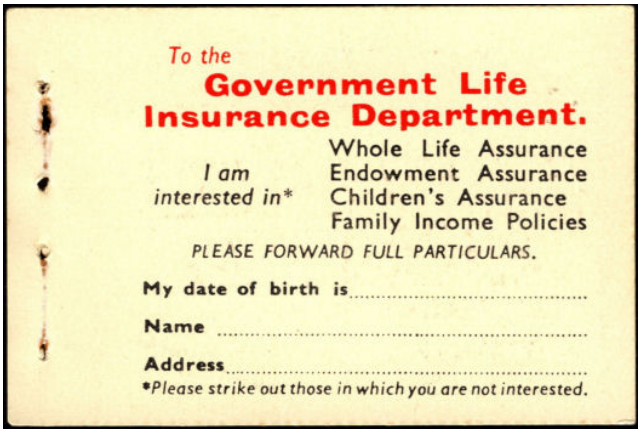
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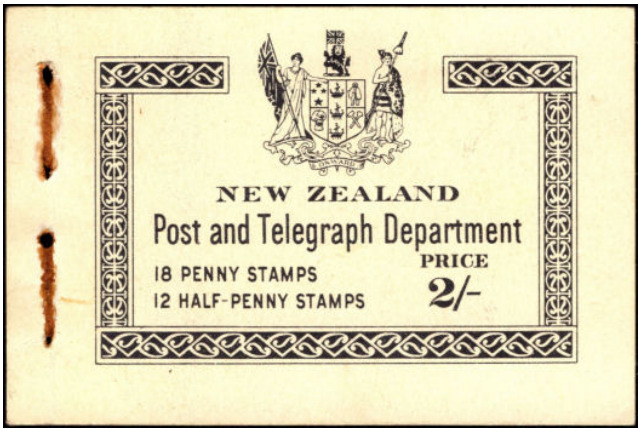


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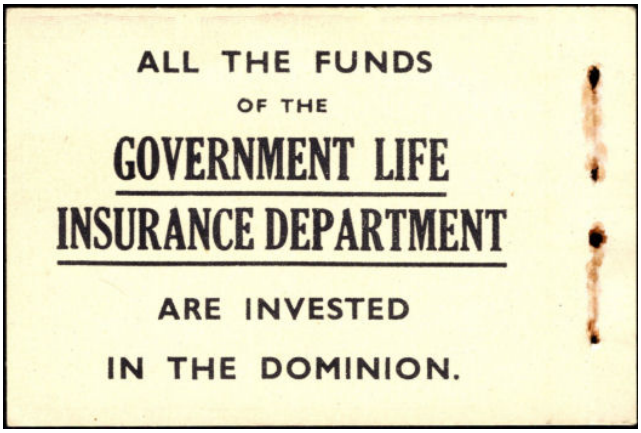
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2nd Issue Version 2 Blank Inserts

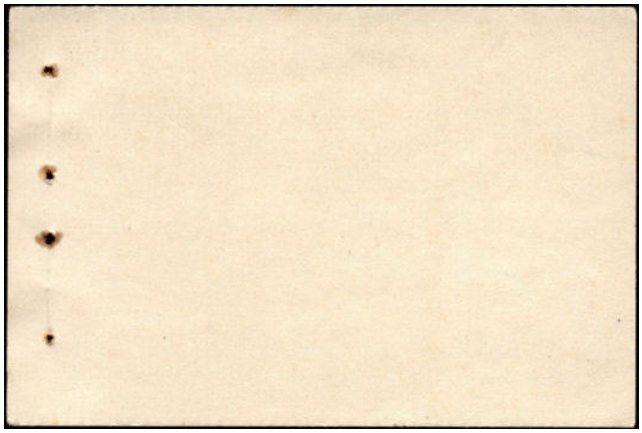




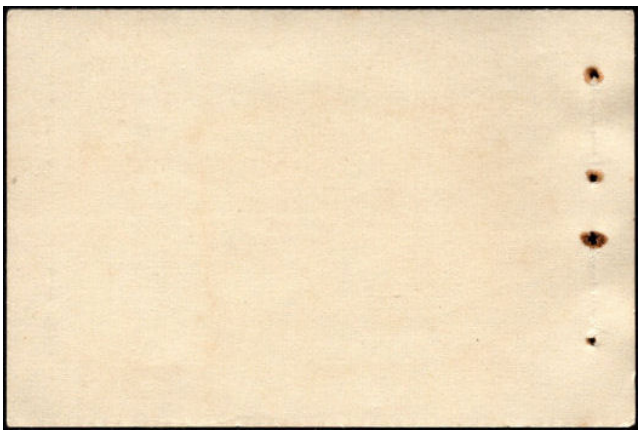
Inside Front Cover: All The Funds (**A1**)
1d Red George VI (**S1**)
Blank Insert (**A2**) / Blank Insert (**A3**)
1d Red George VI (**S1**)
Blank Insert (**A2**) / Blank Insert (**A3**)
1d Red George VI (**S1**)
Blank Insert (**A2**) / Blank Insert (**A3**)
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Blank Insert (**A2**) / Blank Insert (**A3**)
½d Green George VI (**S2**)
Inside Back Cover: To The Government Life Insurance (**A4**)



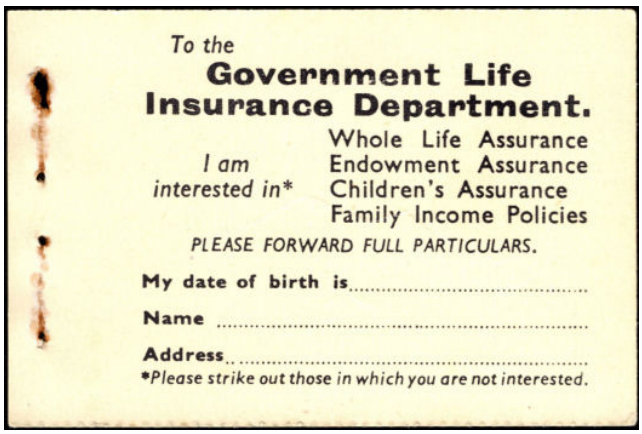
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S1



S2

3rd Issue

W6c Before the end of 1938, there was one more booklet issue. This time it only had 1½d stamps. With a price of 2s 3d, the booklet consisted of three panes of the 1½d Brown George VI stamp. The covers were light blue stock with a darker blue printing. Advertising inserts were again present, all on light blue stock and red and darker blue printing.

It was anticipated that this booklet would satisfy the requirements for the flat rate postage of 1½d per ½ oz for airmail to the United Kingdom. The outbreak of World War II in 1939 put a quick stop to this scheme. No further booklets were issued until 1954.







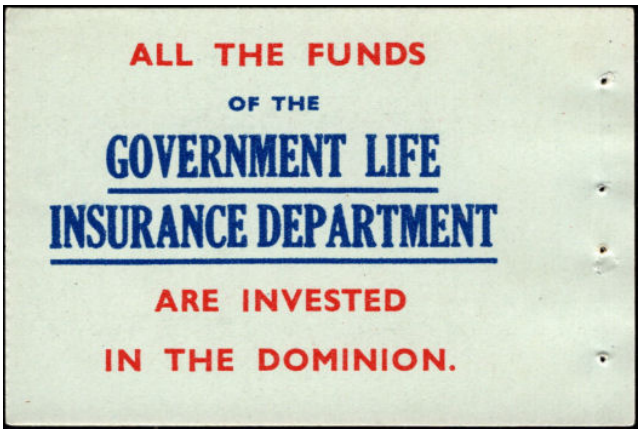
Inside Front Cover: Your Own National Institution (**A1**)
The Government State Fire & Accident (**A2**) / All The Funds (**A3**)
Overseas Postage Rates (**A4**) / Inland Postal Rates (**A5**)
1½d Brown George VI (**S1**)
For Over 30 Years (**A6**) / Money To Lend (**A7**)
1½d Brown George VI (**S1**)
Postal Note (**A8**) / Wish It With A Wire (**A9**)
1½d Brown George VI (**S1**)
State Fire & Accident (**A10**) / Make Sure You Buy (**A11**)
Inside Back Cover: To The Government Life Insurance (**A12**)



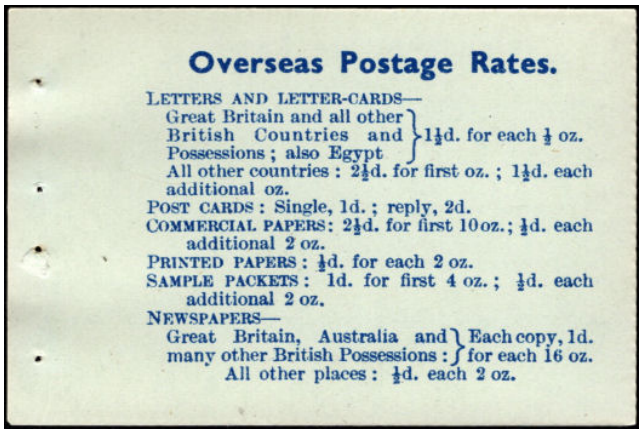
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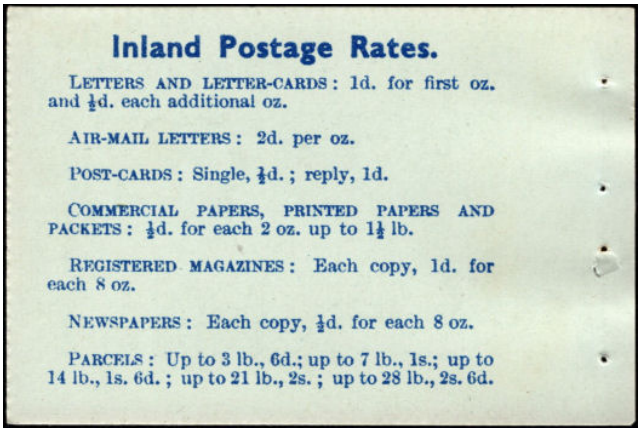
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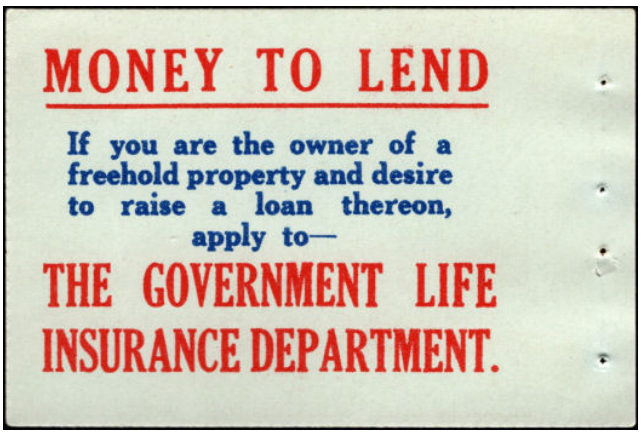
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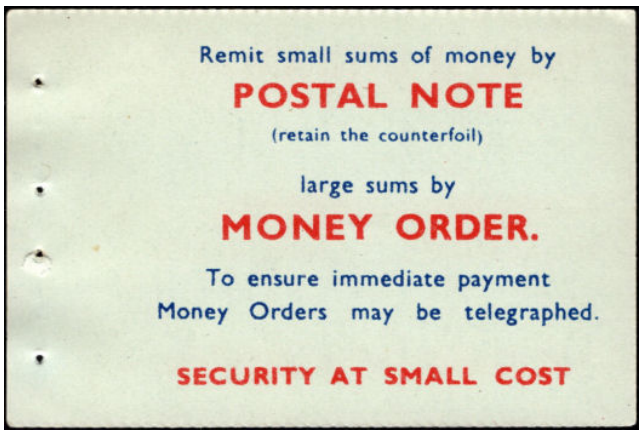
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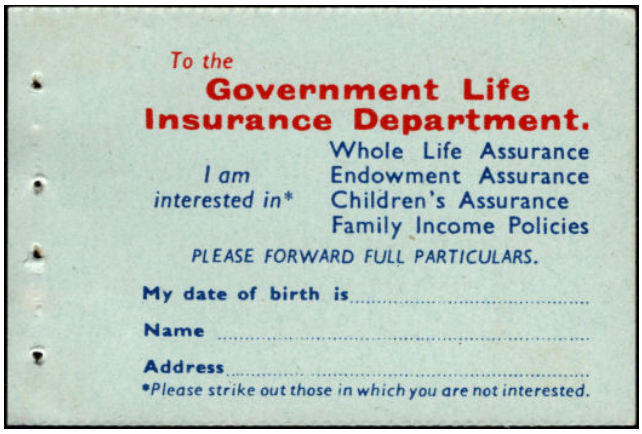
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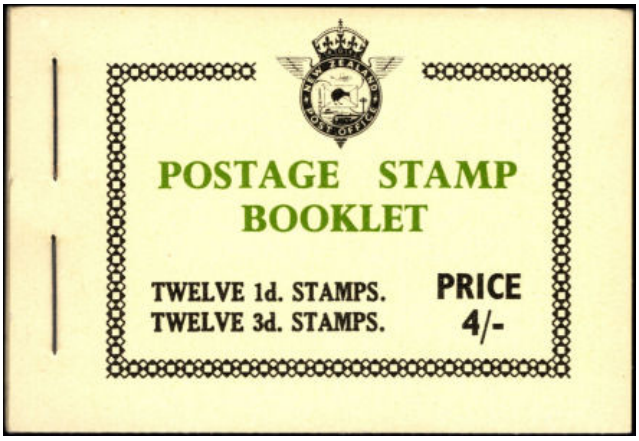


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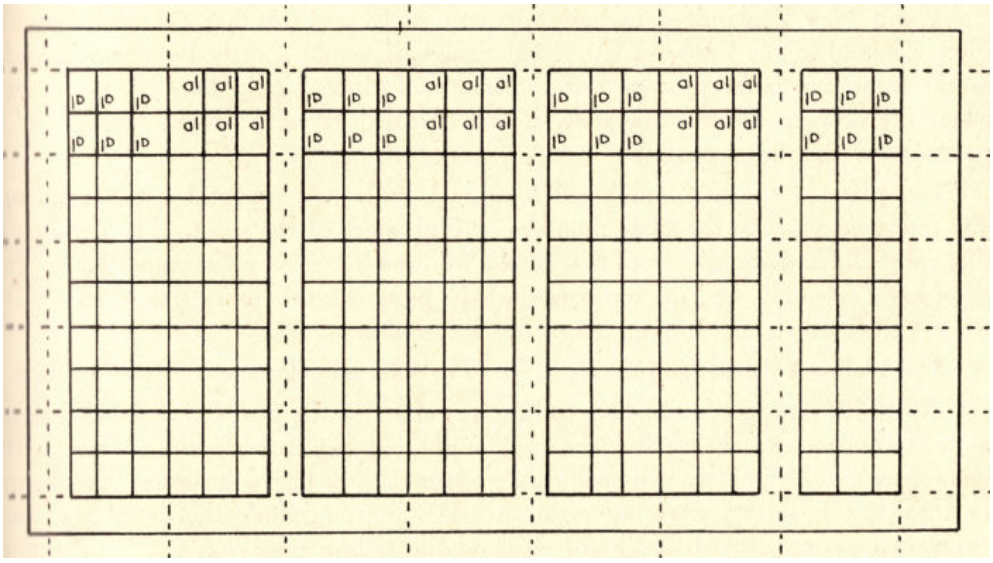
W7 The Queen Elizabeth II Booklets 1954 - 1959



The previous booklets containing stamps of King George VI were withdrawn from sale on April 30, 1941. This was due to a change of postal rates in October 1939, and the small demand for them, as the stamps included were not suited to the new rates.

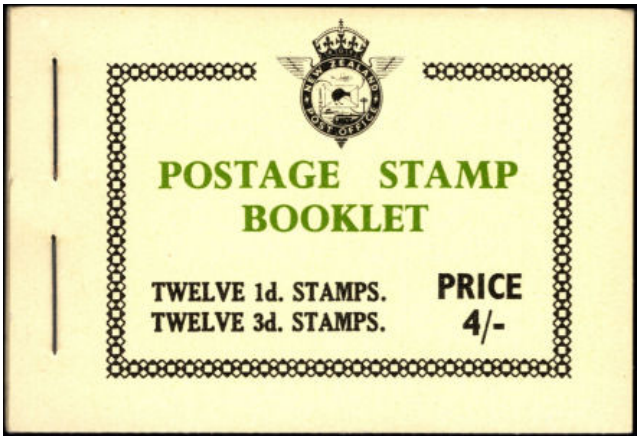
With the change to stamps portraying Queen Elizabeth II in 1953, it was decided to re-introduce stamp booklets.

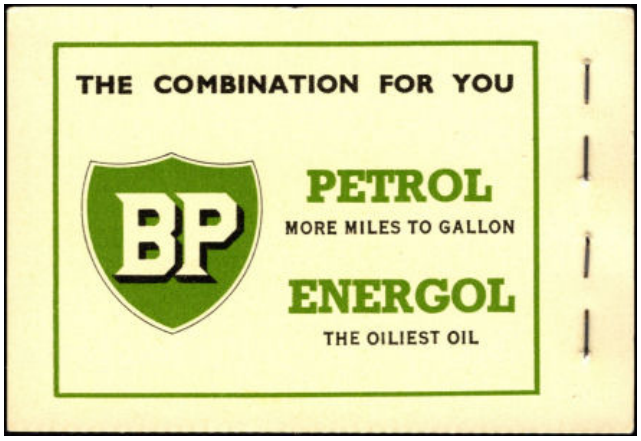
Booklet plates were prepared for the 1d and 3d stamps to be used in the booklets. The plates contained 210 total impressions, made up of 20 blocks of 6 with a left selvedge, and 15 blocks of 6 with a right selvedge. The stamp impressions with the right selvedge were inverted in relation to the rest of the plate. The reason they were inverted is because it allowed the stamps to be placed in the booklet, via the selvedge, the right way up. It also meant that these 15 blocks would also end up with inverted watermarks.



The first printing of 400,000 booklets was placed on sale in April, 1954. They contained two blocks of six of each of the 1d and 3d values, both of the small value design. The stamps were interleaved with advertising inserts and then stapled. The cost of the booklet was four shillings. The make-up of the booklet can be seen on the following pages.

W7a First Issue

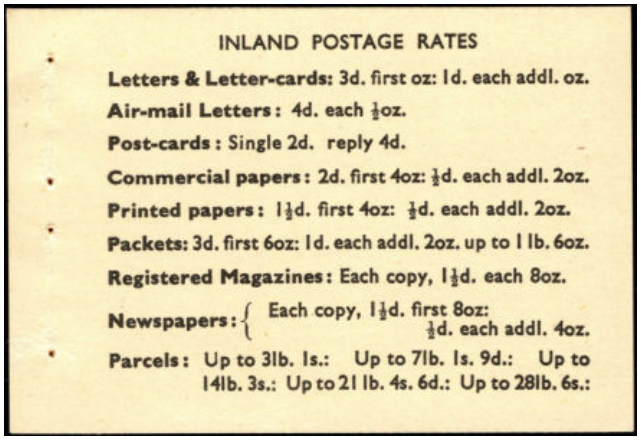




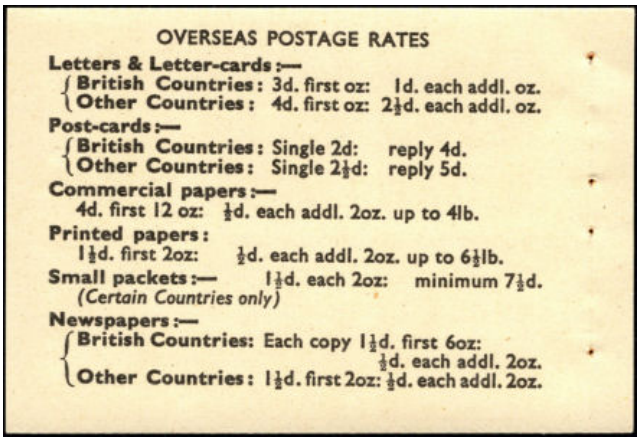
Inside Front Cover: Eveready Flashlights & Batteries (**A1**)
1d small value with stars (**S1**)
Inland Postal Rates (**A2**) / Overseas Postage Rates (**A3**)
1d small value with stars (**S1**)
Get The General Idea (**A4**) / Crompton Lamps (Green) (**A5**)
3d small value with stars (**S2**)
Genuine Ford Parts (**A6**) / Fordson Major (**A7**)
3d small value with stars (**S2**)
Inside Back Cover: Keep New Zealand Green (**A8**)



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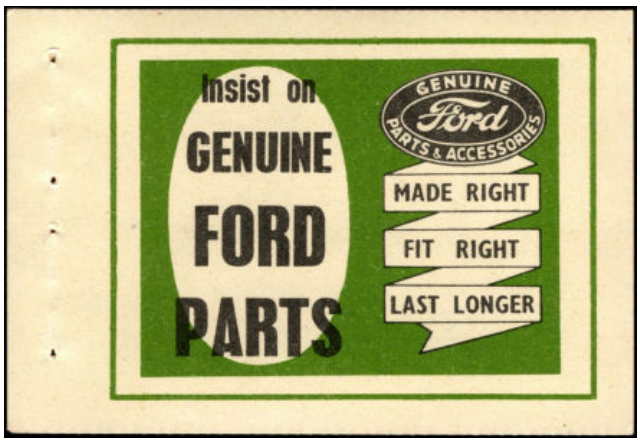
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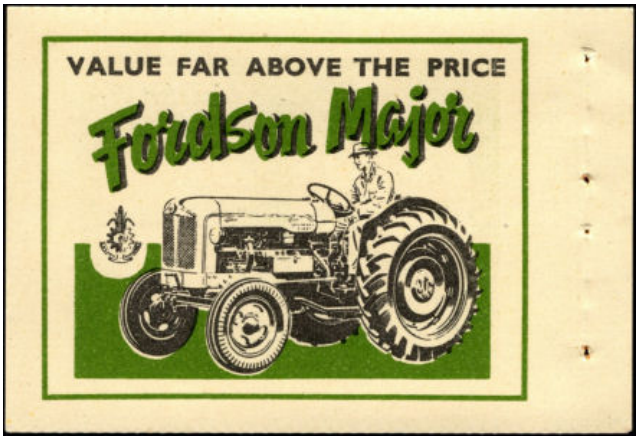
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A8



S1 Small Value 1d Coarse Paper

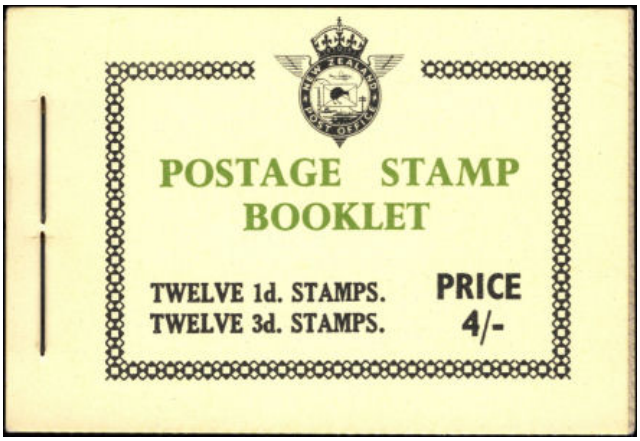


S2 Small Value 3d Coarse Paper

The popularity of the new booklets was greater than first expected. It was anticipated that the first print would last two years, but it became clear that it would only last about one year.

In December, 1954, a second order of 400,000 was placed. Prior to this, there had been complaints from the public that the value on the stamps was too small, so the Post Office looked into modifying the stamps to include larger values. Because of the time to get new plates approved and prepared, the order was split into two, with 100,000 to be printed as they were. Also there was a suggestion that air mail labels should also be included in the booklet, and NZ National Airways Corporation agreed to cover the cost of adding these. The previous advertisers renewed their contracts with the "Crompton" advertisement changing and BP providing a new back cover. This second version of the booklet was placed on sale on September 1, 1955.

W7aa Second Issue





Inside Front Cover: Eveready Flashlights & Batteries (**A1**)
1d small value with stars (**S1**)
Inland Postal Rates (**A2**) / Overseas Postage Rates (**A3**)
Airmail Labels (**A9**)
1d small value with stars (**S1**)
Get The General Idea (**A4**) / Crompton Lamps (Black) (**A10**)
3d small value with stars (**S2**)
Genuine Ford Parts (**A6**) / Fordson Major (**A7**)
3d small value with stars (**S2**)
Inside Back Cover: Keep New Zealand Green (**A8**)



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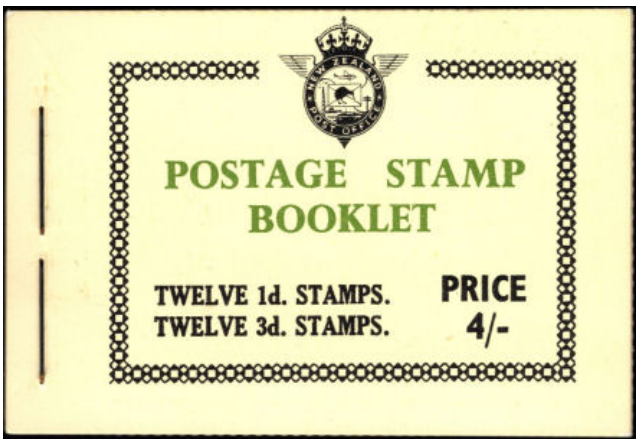


A10

The new plate with the re-drawn values for the 3d stamp was finished and the remaining 300,000 booklets from the second order were produced. They were issued in May 1956. The booklets were identical to the second version with the only difference being the new larger value 3d stamps.

In May 1957 it was realised that the postage rates quoted in the booklets were no longer correct. An instruction was issued that the page should be deleted from all booklets. Booklets with the rate page removed show a stub of the cut out rates page. The fourth and fifth issues contain an amended rates page. The third issue booklets can be found with the rates table intact or just the stub where it has been removed.

W7b Third Issue





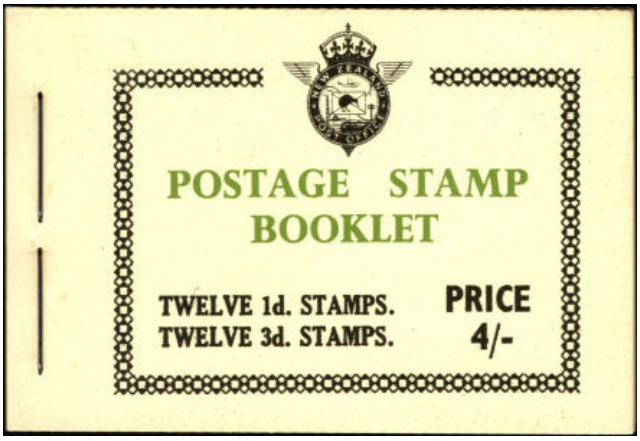
Inside Front Cover: Eveready Flashlights & Batteries (**A1**)
1d small value with stars (**S1**)
Inland Postal Rates (**A2**) / Overseas Postage Rates (**A3**)
Airmail Labels (**A9**)
1d small value with stars (**S1**)
Get The General Idea (**A4**) / Crompton Lamps (Black) (**A10**)
3d large value (**S3**)
Genuine Ford Parts (**A6**) / Fordson Major (**A7**)
3d large value (**S3**)
Inside Back Cover: Keep New Zealand Green (**A8**)

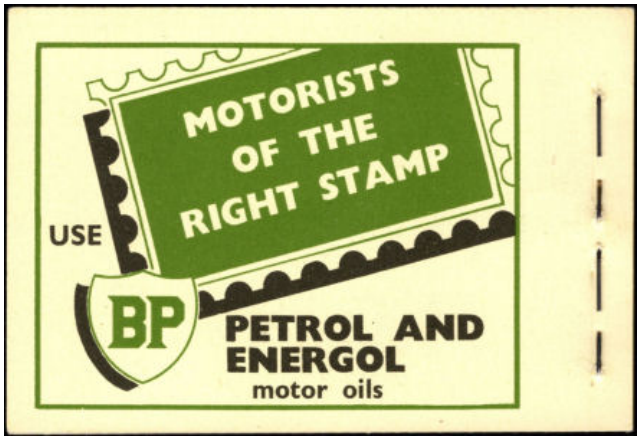


S3 Large Value 3d Coarse Paper

A third order for another 400,000 booklets was placed in November 1956. A request for a new plate for a re-drawn 1d stamp was to be used for this order. Also there were problems with the air mail insert adhering to the stamps following it under humid conditions, so a waxed paper insert was placed between the air mail insert and the 1d stamps. The inland and overseas rate insert was amended, along with three of the advertisements and the back cover. The booklet was issued in September 1957.

W7c Fourth Issue

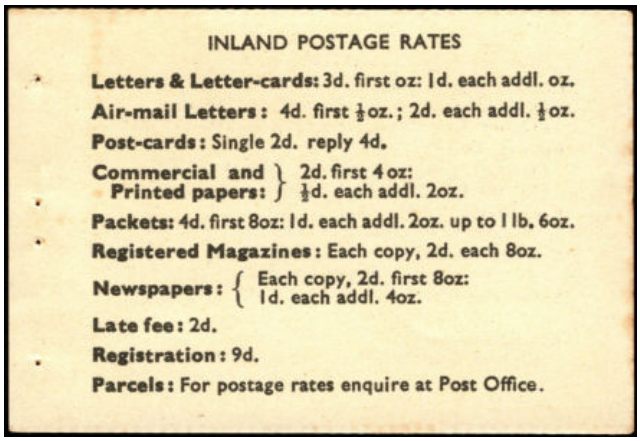




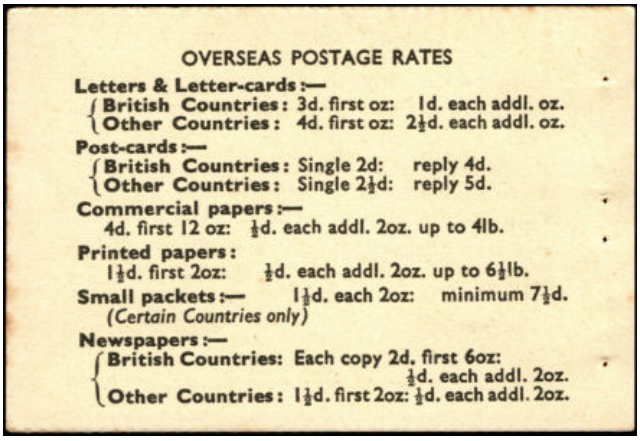
Inside Front Cover: Eveready Nine Lives (**A11**)
1d large value (**S4**)
Inland Postal Rates (**A12**) / Overseas Postage Rates (**A13**)
Airmail Labels (**A9**)
Wax Interleave
1d large value (**S4**)
Get The General Idea (**A4**) / Crompton Lamps (Black) (**A10**)
3d large value (**S3**)
Ford Dry Charge Battery (**A14**) / Fordson Major (**A7**)
3d large value (**S3**)
Inside Back Cover: Join A Thrift Club (**A15**)



A11



A12



A13



A14



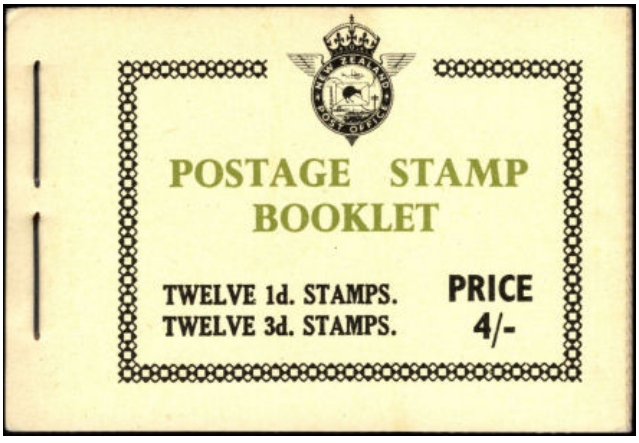
A15



S4 Large Value 1d Coarse Paper

Up to this point, all the stamps in the booklets had been printed on Wiggins Teape "Royal Cypher" coarse paper. Now there was a change to a whiter and thicker Wiggins Teape esparto paper. In October 1958, a final order of 200,000 booklets was made and these went on sale June 20, 1959. These booklets had a change to the overseas rate page, and three advertisements, along with another new back cover.

W7d Fifth Issue

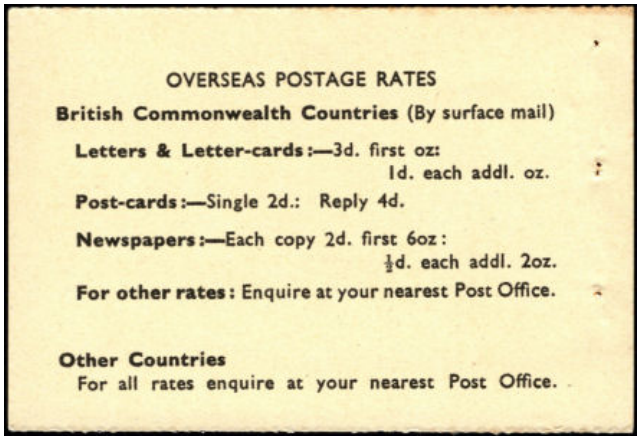




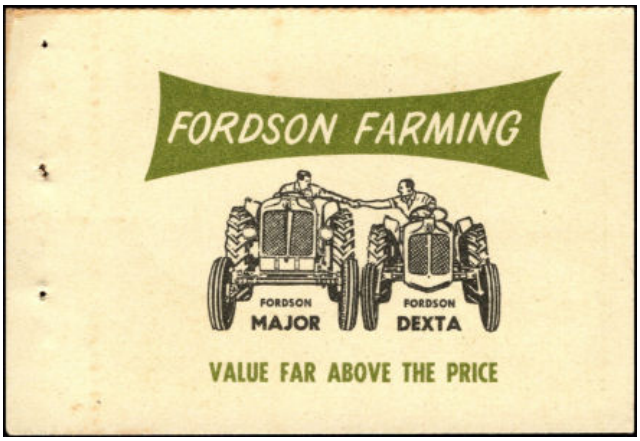
Inside Front Cover: Yellow Pages (**A16**)
1d large value (white paper) (**S5**)
Inland Postal Rates (**A12**) / Overseas Postage Rates (**A17**)
Airmail Labels (**A9**)
Wax Interleave
1d large value (white paper) (**S5**)
Get The General Idea (**A4**) / Crompton Lamps (Black) (**A10**)
3d large value (white paper) (**S6**)
Fordson Farming (**A18**) / Lightning Zip Fasteners (**A19**)
3d large value (white paper) (**S6**)
Inside Back Cover: Join A Thrift Club (**A15**)



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A17



A18



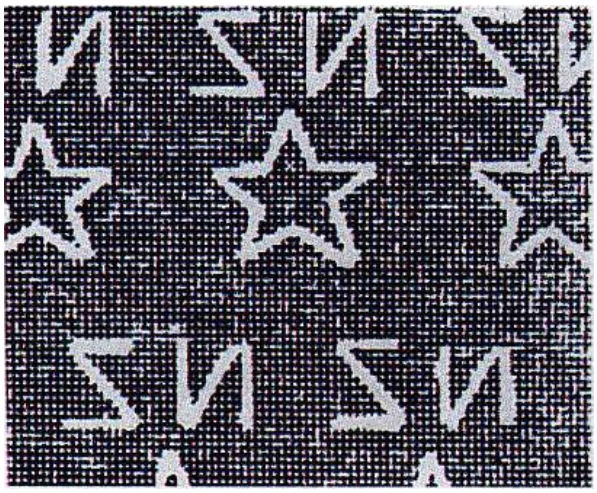
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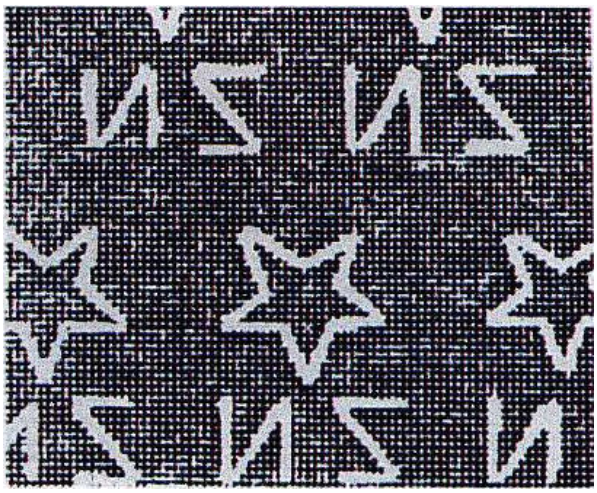


S5 Large Value 1d White Paper



S6 Large Value 3d White Paper





Watermarks as seen from the back of the stamp. On the left is the "Multiple Star" upright watermark. On the right is the same watermark inverted.

There were a total of 1,400,000 booklets printed, covering the five different types. It would be expected that the assembly of the booklets would lead to booklets with all upright watermarked stamps or all inverted watermark panes. This was clearly not the case and there are many variations with mixed watermarks. A simple calculation shows that there could be up to 16 possible permutations possible for each booklet, given that there are four panes and each could be either way. It is an interesting exercise collecting each variant.

It is also worth noting that the 3d large value on coarse paper was only issued in booklet form, it was never issued in sheets of 240 stamps.

W8 The 1960 Pictorial Booklets 1960 - 1967

1960 saw the introduction of a new series of Pictorial Stamps to replace the Queen Elizabeth II series. The Post Office decided to release a new series of booklets containing the floral designs. The cover had Kowhai flowers top right and Karaka flower at bottom left.

For these booklets, a different printing plate was designed. This time it had nine vertical columns, in groups of three, of twenty stamps. Between each group of three was a blank strip, so that after guillotining, there was a selvedge on the left of each group of three for assembly in the booklet. With this layout, all the stamps had the normal upright watermark.

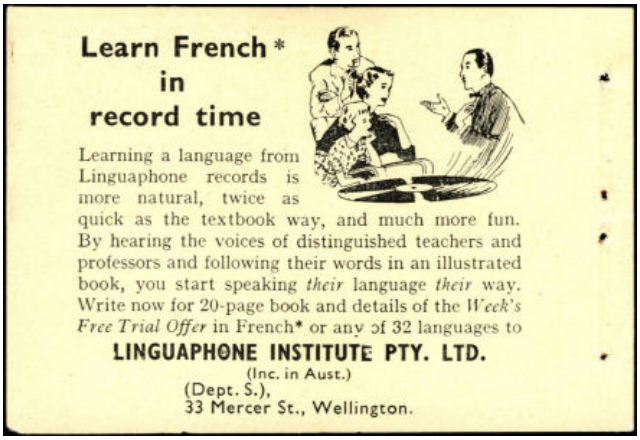
The first release of booklets included twelve 1d stamps and twelve 3d stamps in panes of six. The booklet was stapled and sold for 4 shillings and was issued on September 1, 1960.

W8a First Issue

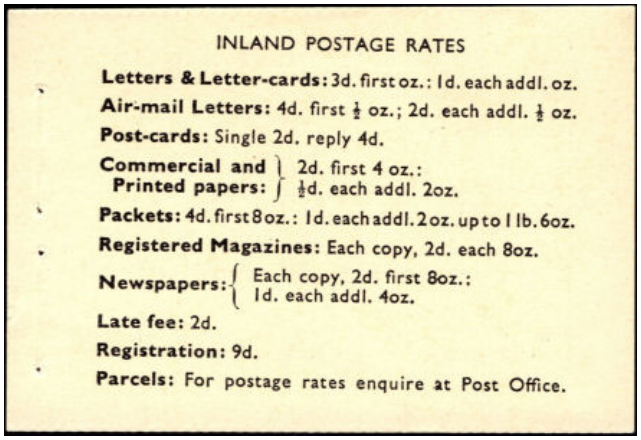




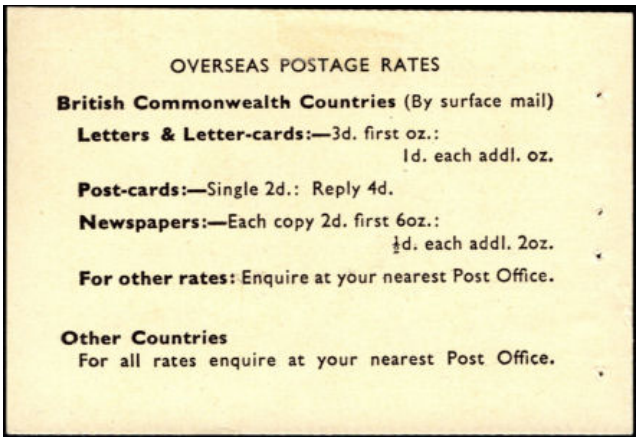
Inside front cover: Learn French (**A1**)
1d Karaka (**S1**)
Inland Postage Rates (**A2**) / Overseas Postage Rates (**A3**)
Air Mail Labels (**AM**)
Wax Interleave
1d Karaka (**S1**)
Get The General Idea (**A4**) / Crompton Lamps (**A5**)
3d Kowhai (**S2**)
Fordson Farming (**A6**) / Ford More Power (**A7**)
3d Kowhai (**S2**)
Inside Back Cover: Lightning Zip Fasteners (**A8**)



A1



A2



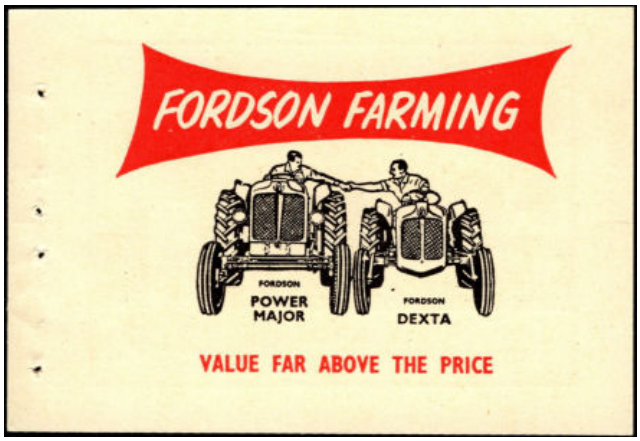
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A4



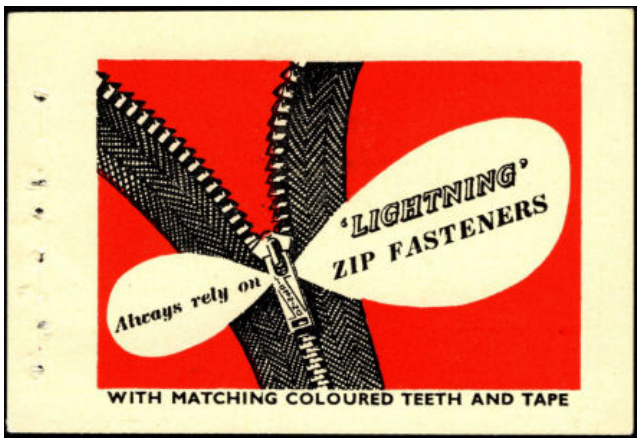
A5



A6



A7



A8



S1 1d Stapled



S2 3d Stapled



AM Air Mail Stickers Stapled

The first issues had the Overseas Rate before the Inland Rates. This was reversed in later issues of this first issue.

A change in second class postal rates from 2d to 2½d on September 1, 1961 necessitated a new booklet including ½d stamps.

The second release of the booklet included an additional twelve ½d stamps, in two panes of 6. The price of the booklet became 4s 6d, which required a change to the cover. At the same time a different back was added, along with four new advertising pages and a new rates page. This release was issued on May 21, 1962.

W8b Second Issue

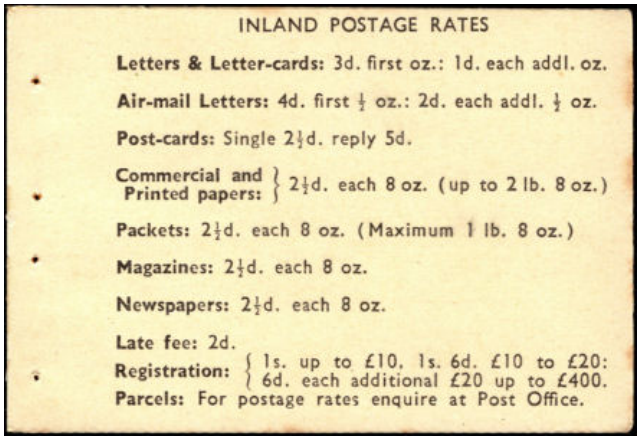




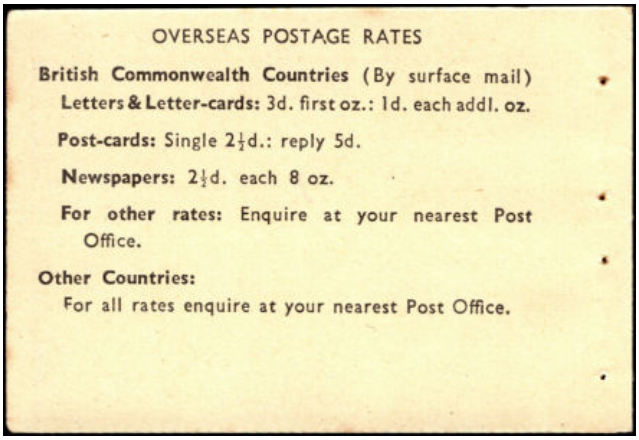
Inside front cover: Fly NAC (**A9**)
1d Karaka (**S1**)
Inland Postage Rates (**A10**) / Overseas Postage Rates (**A11**)
½d Manuka (**S3**)
Wax Interleave
Air Mail Labels (**AM**)
Wax Interleave
½d Manuka (**S3**)
Wax Interleave
1d Karaka (**S1**)
Get The General Idea (**A4**) / Crompton Lamps (**A5**)
3d Kowhai (**S2**)
Now Fordson Tractor (**A12**) / Yellow Pages (**A13**)
3d Kowhai (**S2**)
Inside Back Cover: Lightning Zip Fasteners (**A14**)



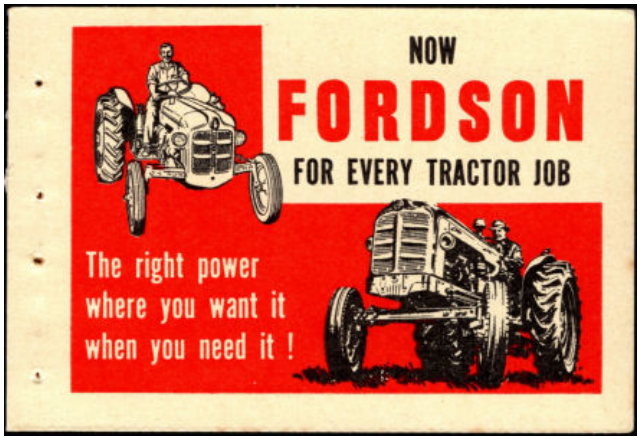
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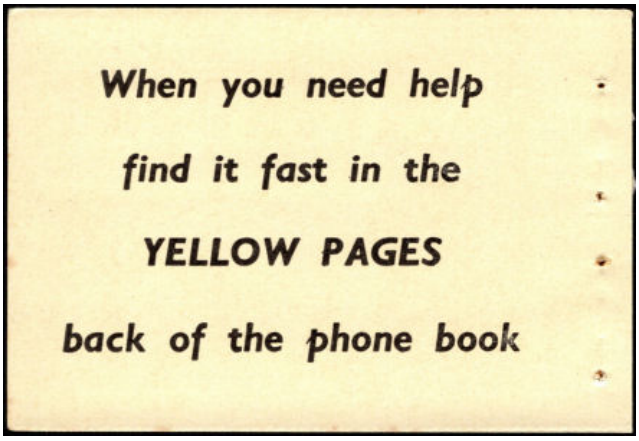
A10



A11



A12



A13



A14



S3 ½d Stapled

As it turned out in hindsight, twelve of the ½d stamp was excessive to public requirements and the Post Office advised that this would be rectified with the next release, when current stock had been exhausted.

The third release reduced the number of ½d stamps to six, altering the price and cover to 4s 3d. The first two versions of the booklet had been Black and Red for the covers and advertisements. For this release, the Red was altered to more of a Maroon colour for the covers and advertisements. Four of the advertisements were just these colour changes, while two were new. The back cover once again also changed. Staples were no longer used and this became the first booklet with a stitched cover.

For reasons that are not clear, alterations were made to the printing plates. For each of them, the numbers 1 to 6 were placed down the left most selvedge adjacent to the top left stamp in a block of 6. Because the booklets are created with the sheets aligned, this resulted in booklets being produced with all panes having **W8ca** blank selvedge or all panes having **W8cb** the same numbers 1 or 2 etc. Of the 30 booklets produced from a sheet, only 6 had numbers in the selvedge. For the ½d stamp, the number was plum, the 1d was brown and the 3d was blue.

The booklet was issued in the second half of 1964.

W8ca & W8cb Third Issue





Inside front cover: Fly NAC (**A15**)
½d Manuka (**S4**)
Inland Postage Rates (**A10**) / Overseas Postage Rates (**A11**)
Air Mail Labels (**AMS**)
Wax Interleave
1d Karaka (**S5**)
Wax Interleave
1d Karaka (**S5**)
Get The General Idea (**A16**) / Crompton Best Name (**A17**)
3d Kowhai (**S6**)
4 Fordsons (**A18**) / Use The Yellow Pages (**A19**)
3d Kowhai (**S6**)
Inside Back Cover: Lightning Reliable Zip Fasteners (**A20**)



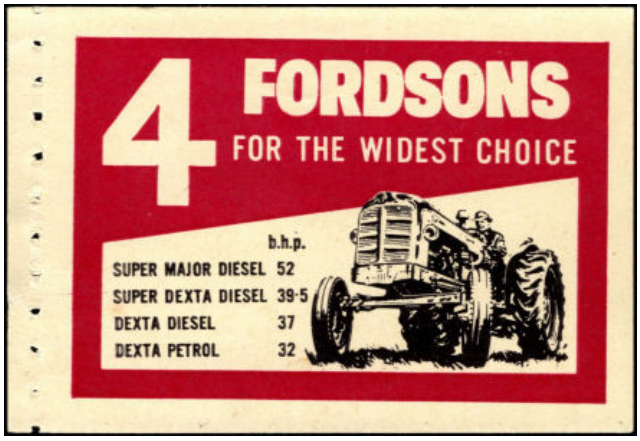
A15



A16



A17



A18



A19



A20



S4 ½d Stitched



S5 1d Stitched



S6 3d Stitched



AMS Air Mail Stickers Stitched

The Second and Third issues of this booklet were perforated by the Chambon Machine. It is possible to identify some of the panes where the Chambon alignment has not quite lined up. What is seen is either a couple of perforations that are very close together or a couple that are further spaced apart. The example below shows two close together.



Chambon Perforation Pane













Above are examples of the six different numbers possible on the stitched panes.

During the life of this third issue, there were some postage rate changes. From January 1966, certain overseas rates were increased and the rates shown in the booklets were no longer applicable. Instructions were given to the Post Offices to remove the rate page before sale. A smaller page was supplied, to be stuck in the booklet. Some Post Offices ignored the instruction and continued as it was. Others just ripped out the incorrect page, while some adhered the new page to the existing page.

This booklet continued until decimal currency occurred on July 10, 1967.

W9 The 1967 Decimal Pictorial Booklets 1967 - 1969

With the introduction of decimal currency in New Zealand on July 10, 1967, a revised set of decimal definitives was issued. The set was made up of the 1960 Pictorials with the values changed to decimal currency.

A stamp booklet was also issued, with a cover design consisting of a panel of Maori carving in red and black, and the New Zealand Post Office emblem. The booklets were printed and stitched in England by De La Rue & Co. Ltd.

The booklet panes were printed from a special set of booklet cylinders. The cylinders had the "A" printings above the "B" printings. These printings consisted of three columns each, three stamps wide, separated by a blank space the width of a stamp. Each column was ten stamps deep. In the selvedge to the left of the second and ninth stamps of the left-hand column, markings of either "XA" or "XB" were made.

There were 30 panes produced from the two printings, 15 from each. Only two from the 15 had "XA" and the same for "XB". The sheets were perforated from the left with a double row comb, therefore it is possible to find the blank selvedge panes with and without perforations in the selvedge. All marked panes are without perforations in the selvedge.

The sheets were then placed together to make up the booklets with panes from the same position in each sheet. This gives booklets with all blank selvedges or all "XA" selvedges or all "XB" selvedges. The markings are either all at the top (row 9 in sheet) or all at the bottom (row 2 in the sheet).

Somewhere along the way, "XA" sheets and "XB" sheets have been mixed together, producing some very rare booklets with a mix of both markings. I have four of these combinations and the rest have been reported.

First Issue ("Wellington" back)

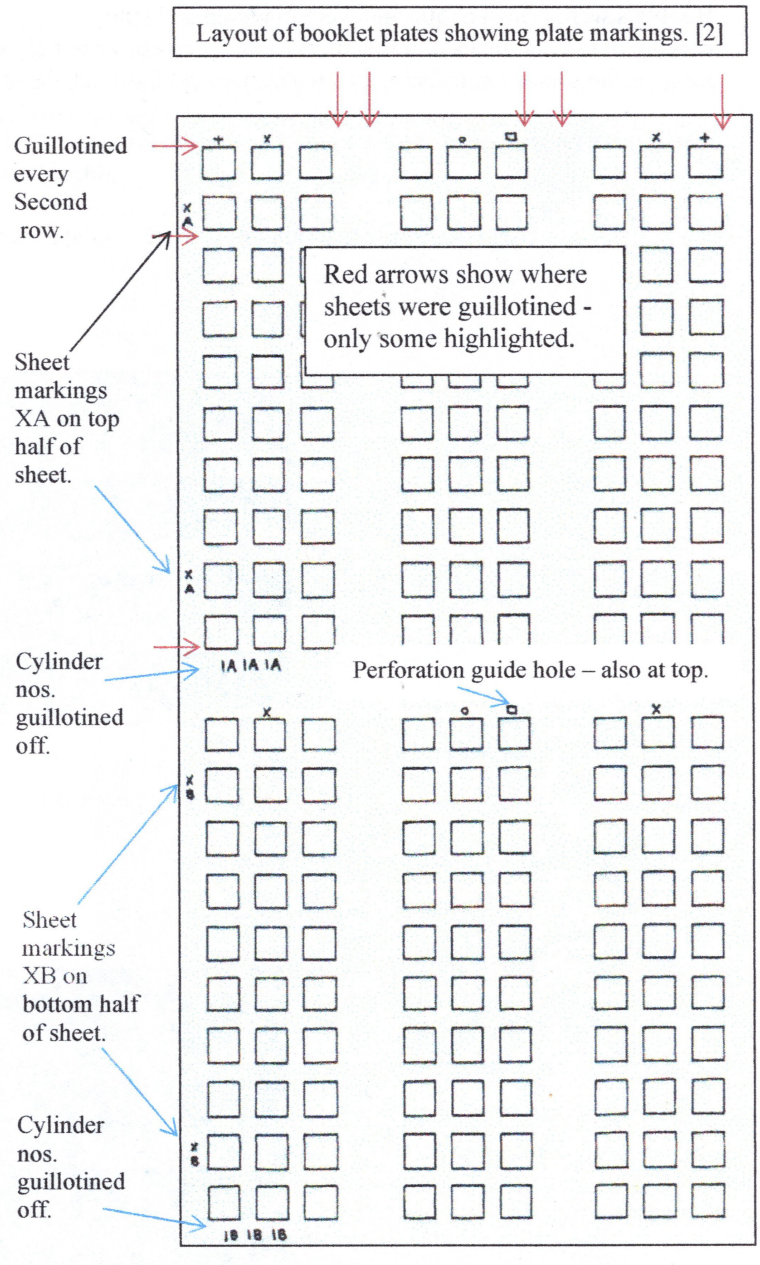
XB XB XA XB XB	at top
XB XB XA XB XB	at bottom
XB XA XB XA XA	at top
XB XA XB XA XA	at bottom
XB XA XB XB XB	at top

Second Issue ("Auckland" back)

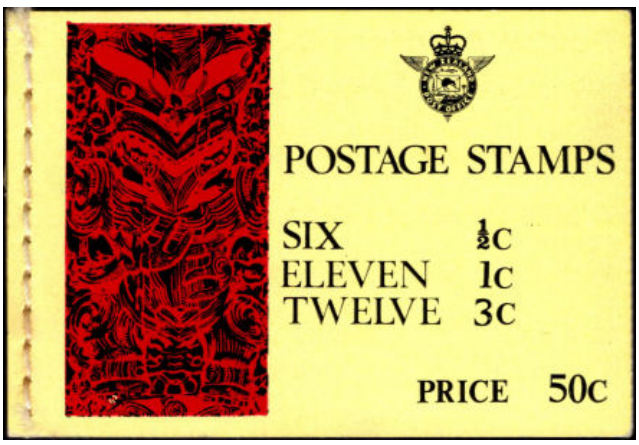
XA XA XB XB XB	at bottom
XB - XA XA XA	at top
XB - XA XA XA	at bottom
- XB - - -	at bottom
XA XA XB XB XB	at bottom
XA XB XA XB XA	at top
XB XA XB XA XA	at top
XB XA XB XA XA	at bottom

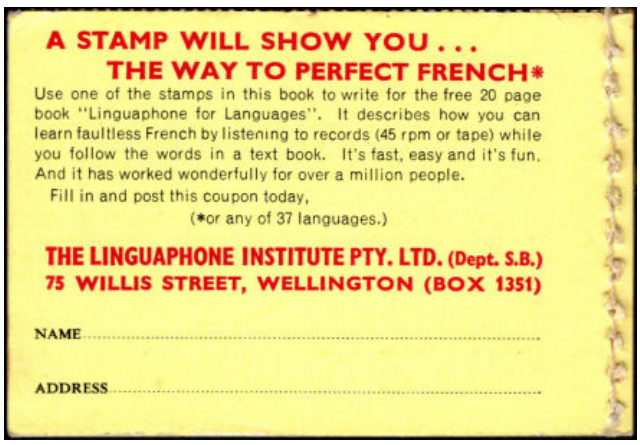
XB XA XA XB XB at bottom (Issue unknown)

- indicates "blank selvedge"



W9a First Issue "Wellington" Back





The booklet consisted of one pane of six ½c stamps, eleven 1c stamps (one pane of six and one pane of five plus a label) and two panes of six 3c stamps.

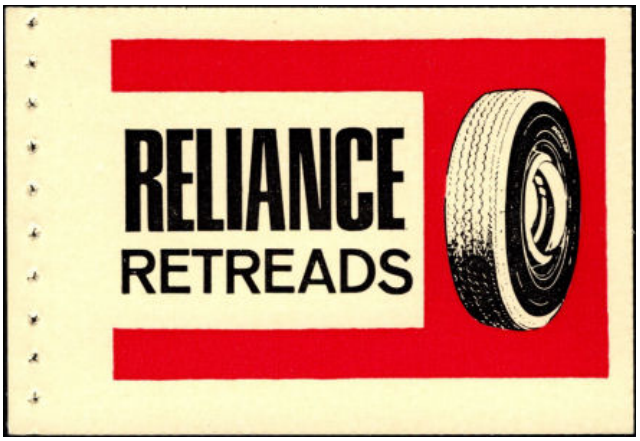


NEW ZEALAND

Inside front cover: Postal Pointers (**A1**)
½c Manuka (**S1**)
Reliance Retreads (**A2**) / Atlantic (**A3**)
Airmail Labels (**AM**)
Wax Interleave
1c Karaka (**S2**)
Lightning Nylon Zip (**A4**) / Crompton (**A5**)
1c Karaka with Register Letters Tab (**S3**)
Wax Interleave
3c Puarangi (**S4**)
General Accident (**A6**) / Martin Printing (**A7**)
3c Puarangi (**S4**)
Inside Back Cover: Yellow Pages (**A8**)



A1



A2



A3



AM



A4



A5



A6



A7



A8 Larger 4½ mm Black font



S1 ½c Pane No Code



S1 ½c Pane With Code



S2 1c Pane No Code



S2 1c Pane With Code



S3 1c Pane No Code (Tab)



S3 1c Pane With Code (Tab)



S4 3c Pane No Code



S4 3c Pane With Code

In summary, there are six varieties of this first issue. **W9aa1** No code on selvedge, **W9ab1** all "XA" at top, **W9ab2** all "XA" at bottom, **W9ab3** all "XB" at top, **W9ab4** all "XB" at bottom, and **W9ac1** a rare mix of "XA" and "XB".

In July, 1969, there was a reprint of this booklet. There was no change to the stamp format, only changes to the advertisements. The major change, that makes this issue easily identifiable, is the address change from Wellington to Auckland on the back cover.

There are also six varieties of the second issue. **W9aa2** No code on selvedge, **W9ab5** all "XA" at top, **W9ab6** all "XA" at bottom, **W9ab7** all "XB" at top, **W9ab8** all "XB" at bottom, and **W9ac2** a rare mix of "XA" and "XB".

W9a Second Issue "Auckland" Back

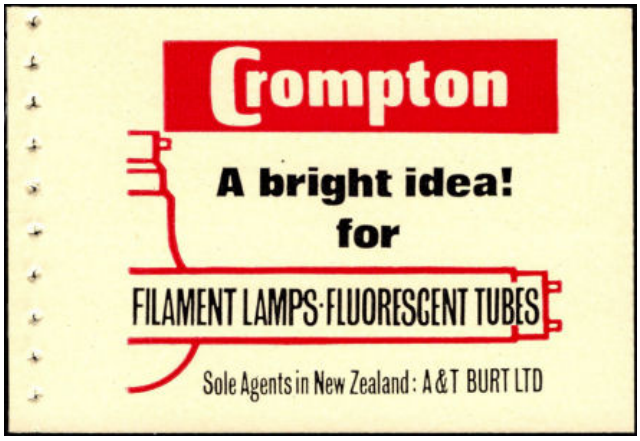




Inside front cover: Postal Pointers (**A1**)
½c Manuka (**S1**)
Reliance Retreads (**A2**) / Stamp Collectors Wellington (**A9**)
Airmail Labels (**AM**)
Wax Interleave
1c Karaka (**S2**)
Crompton (**A10**) / POSB Savings Accounts (**A11**)
1c Karaka with Register Letters Tab (**S3**)
Wax Interleave
3c Puarangi (**S4**)
Weetbix (**A12**) / Martin Printing (**A13**)
3c Puarangi (**S4**)
Inside Back Cover: Yellow Pages (**A14**)



A9



A10 now with left stitching



A11



A12



A13 Brush now Black



A14 Smaller 3½ mm Black font

Examples of the locations of the "XB" locations on the various panes.









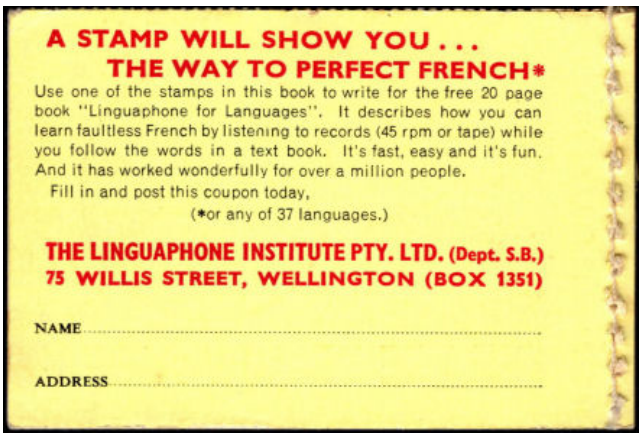


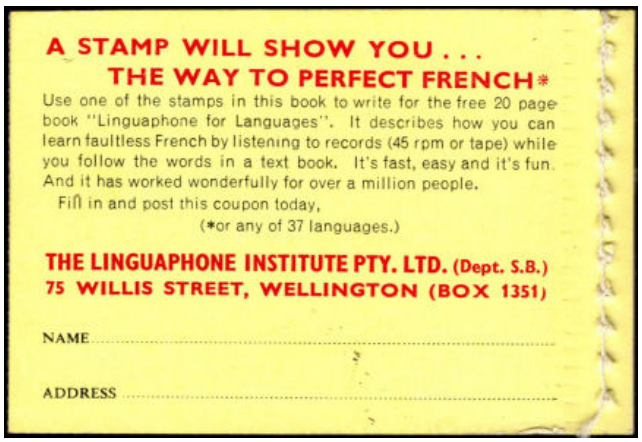


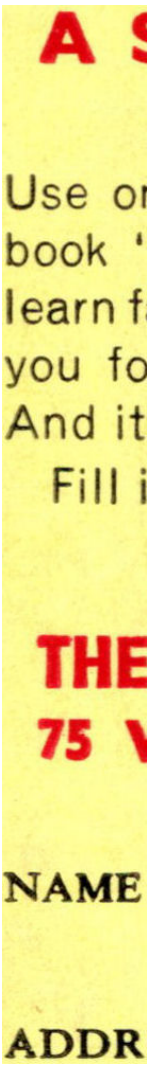


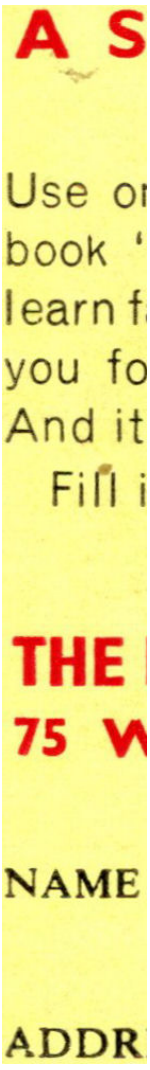


I have noticed a difference on the backs of the Wellington Booklets. The Red printing is slightly indented from the Black printing on the image on the left. On the image on the right, the Red printing is almost in line with the Black printing. The Black Name & Address is thicker on the left image. I have more than one example of the left image, and they are all with no markings on the selvedge. The right image examples all have either "XA" or "XB" in the selvedge. It would appear that there could have been two different printings of the first issue, but if that were so, I would expect to find the two across plain and marked selvedges. I am at a loss to explain at this stage, what the relevance of this means. Any help or other examples would be appreciated.









W10 The 1970 Pictorial Booklets 1970 - 1976

A new issue of pictorial stamps was released on September 2, 1970. At this point there was no booklet available. It took until July 1971 before it would appear.

W10a It consisted of two panes of 1c stamps (one of six and the other with three stamps and three labels), one pane of six 3c stamps and two panes of six 4c stamps, for an issue price of 75 cents. It was stitched with black thread. All stamps in the first issue had sideways watermark.

W10a First Issue with Watermark





Inside Front Cover: Postal Pointers (**A1**)
1c Red Admiral Butterfly (**S1**)
Take All Your Tyre Problems (**A2**) / Stamp Collectors Wellington (**A3**)
Airmail Labels (**AM1**)
Wax Interleave
1c Red Admiral Butterfly (3 Stamps, 3 Messages) (**S2**)
Crompton (**A4**) / Keep New Zealand Clean (**A5**)
3c Lichen Moth (**S3**)
Wax Interleave
4c Puriri Moth (**S4**)
Weetbix (**A6**) / Martin Printing (**A7**)
4c Puriri Moth (**S4**)
Inside Back Cover: Post Office Savings Bank (**A8**)



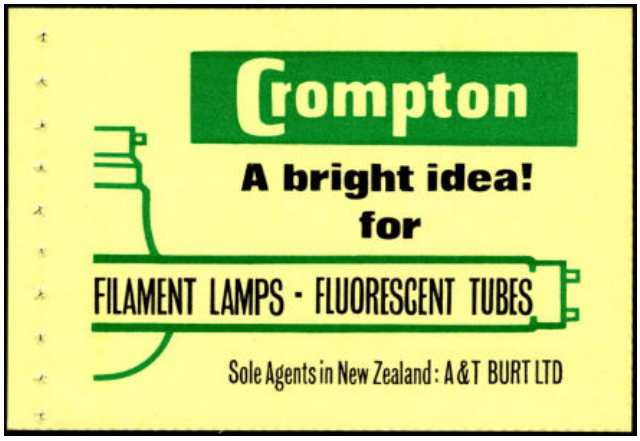
A1



A2



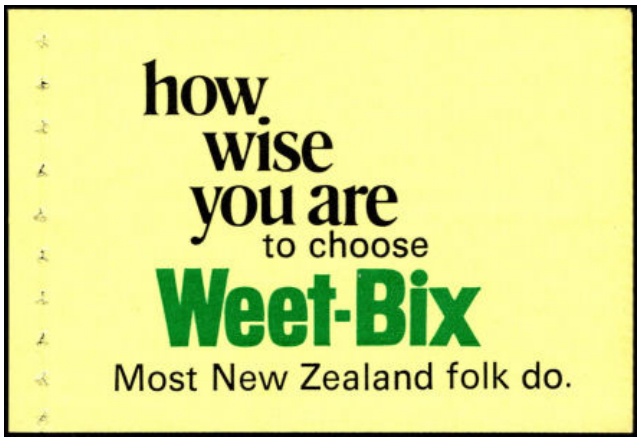
A3 Wellington



A4



A5



A6



A7



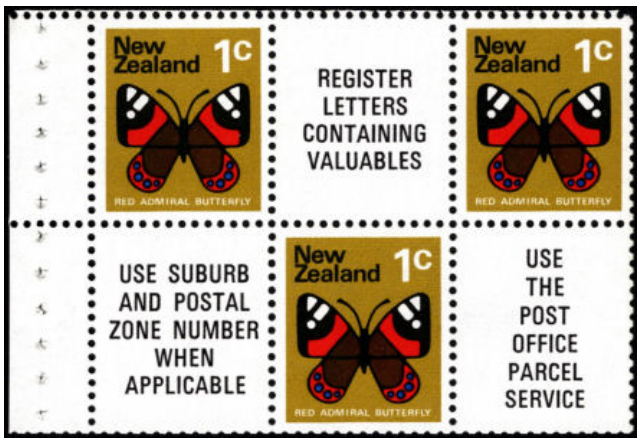
A8



AM1 with Symbol



S1 1c Pane



S2 1c Pane With Message Tabs



S3 3c Pane



S4 4c Pane

All four panes in the first issue have been seen with a very rare watermark inverted. The 1c can be found with blue colour omitted, while the 4c is known with missing dark green wing veins.

In 1974, a **W10b1** reprint of the booklet was released. The stamps were now printed on non-watermark paper. The same plate as the original were used. There were changes to the advertising content. The green on the cover is slightly darker and the address on the back cover is now Auckland instead of Wellington.

W10b1 Second Issue with No Watermark





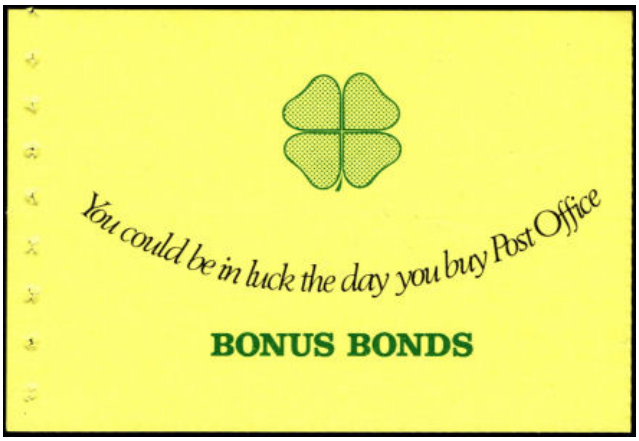
Inside Front Cover: Postal Pointers (**A1**)
1c Red Admiral Butterfly (**S1**)
Dunlop Reliance (**A9**) / Stamp Collectors Wellington (**A3**)
Airmail Labels (**AM2**)
Wax Interleave
1c Red Admiral Butterfly (3 Stamps, 3 Messages) (**S2**)
Crompton (**A4**) / Stuck For A Different Gift (**A10**)
3c Lichen Moth (**S3**)
Wax Interleave
4c Puriri Moth (**S4**)
Bonus Bonds (**A11**) / Martin Printing (**A7**)
4c Puriri Moth (**S4**)
Inside Back Cover: Post Office Savings Bank (**A8**)



A9



A10



A11



AM2 No Symbol

Again there were varieties on the non-watermark paper, such as blue omitted on the 1c, and the 4c having dark green veins misplaced by up to 10mm to the right or missing completely.

In late 1975, a third printing **W10b2** occurred. Again there were just changes to the advertising content, but the front cover now has a very light green colour.

W10b2 Third Issue with No Watermark





Inside Front Cover: Postal Pointers (**A12**)
1c Red Admiral Butterfly (**S1**)
Follow The Trend (**A13**) / Stamp Collectors Wanganui (**A14**)
Airmail Labels (**AM2**)
Wax Interleave
1c Red Admiral Butterfly (3 Stamps, 3 Messages) (**S2**)
Crompton (**A15**) / Stuck For A Different Gift (**A16**)
3c Lichen Moth (**S3**)
Wax Interleave
4c Puriri Moth (**S4**)
Bonus Bonds (**A11**) / Martin Printing (**A17**)
4c Puriri Moth (**S4**)
Inside Back Cover: Post Office Savings Bank (**A8**)



Inverted Dark Green Wing Veins



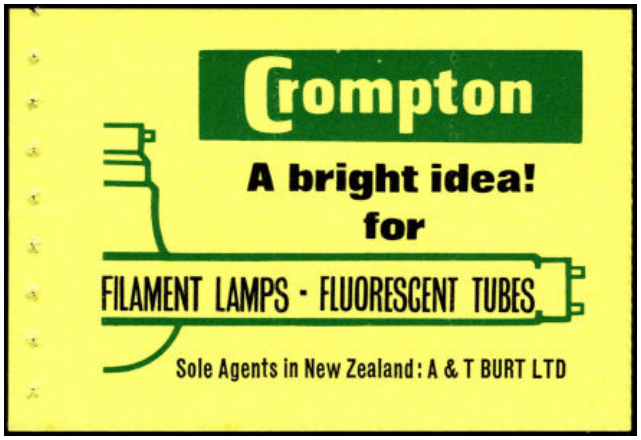
A12 small "p" pointers



A13



A14 Wanganui



A15 new plate



A16 less words



A17 new plate

A major variation occurred with one sheet of the 4c stamp. It would appear that the sheet was printed correctly for the first four colours and then somehow turned 180^0 and passed through again for the final dark green "wing veins" colour. It has then been perforated and assembled still in this state. This means that when you look at this booklet in the normal manner, everything appears all right until you see the 4c pane. It is upside down, with the wing veins the right way up. When an individual stamp is removed from the pane, it appears that the only thing wrong is that the wing veins are inverted. There are only 25 booklets produced from a sheet, making this and the one below very rare.

Another variety is a normal sheet of the 4c stamp was inverted and stitched through the outer two stamps.



Inverted pane with wing veins showing as normal.

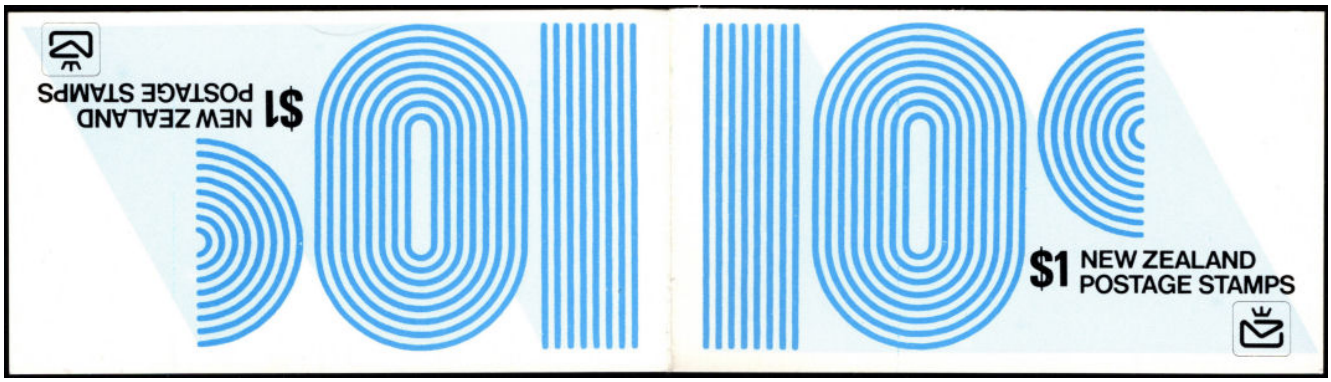


Inverted pane, stitched through outer two stamps. Selvedge is clear. Stitch holes visible from rear.

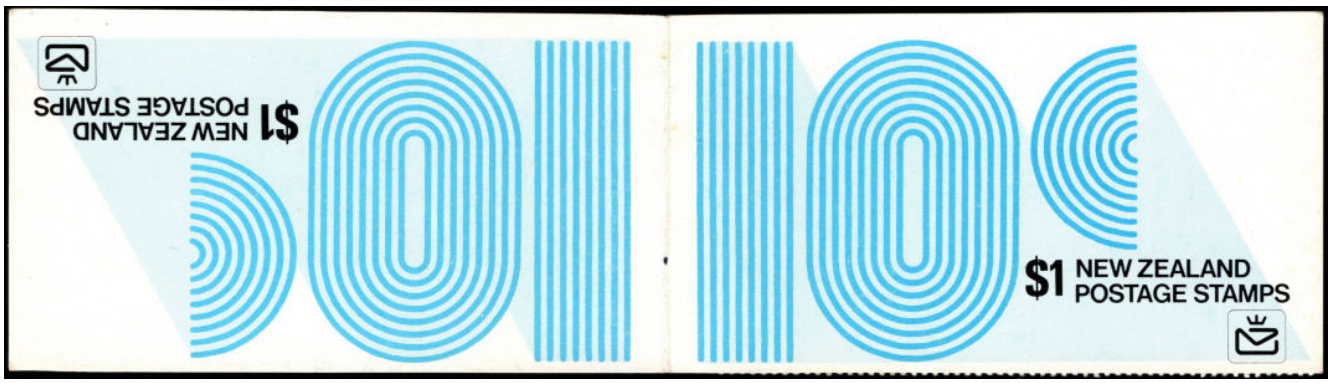
Single Pane Booklets 1977 - 1985

1977 saw the end of multi-pane booklets, with the introduction of single pane booklets. These consisted of a cover, made from a single piece of card, folded in half. They contained blocks of stamps adhered to the inside cover by the selvedge. The stamps originated from the normal sheets and were folded to fit the cover. They can be found adhered by either the left or right selvedge in most cases.

W11 1977 $1.00 Royal Arms



Normal Sky-Blue Cover



Rarer cover in Greenish-Blue

Adhered by left selvedge



Adhered by right selvedge



Special booklet plates were no longer used. Booklets were made by utilising existing sheet stamps. For the Royal Arms booklet, the top and bottom selvedges were removed, and the left and right selvedges were guillotined to reduce them to 50% of their normal width. The 100 stamp sheet was then split down the centre giving two blocks of 10 rows by 5 stamps. Each block was then placed inside a large cover and adhered by either the left or right selvedge. The combined cover and stamps were then guillotined horizontally to provide five booklets, each with 10 stamps, 2 rows of 5. The inside of the cover was blank.

W11az The booklet was issued April/May 1977. There are two distinct covers. The most common was in Sky-Blue, and the other more rarer cover has a **W11ay** Greenish-Blue colour. All stamps in these booklets were on unwatermarked paper, perforated 13¾ x 13¼ and came from the 2A2A2A3A plate sheets. During its life, the stamps can be found with either bluish gum or colourless gum. Panes have also been sighted with **W11ax** Silver Arms offset on the reverse.

W12 1977 80c Rose





Adhered by left selvedge



Adhered by right selvedge

W12a The 80c "Josephine Bruce" Rose booklet was also issued at the same time as the previous $1 Royal Arms booklet. The method was the same, using sheets from plates 2A2A2A2A and 2B2B2B2B, and produced by the Government Printer. I have sighted a **W12az** Cover with the Green omitted.

W13 1978 $1.00 Queen Elizabeth II

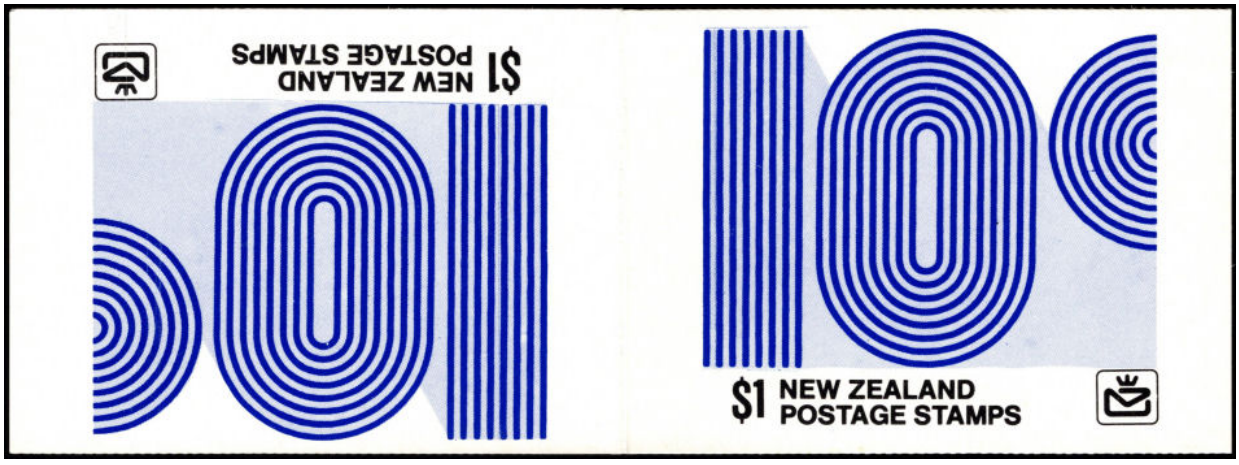
In August 1978, the Government Printer produced a $1 booklet to replace the Royal Arms booklet. It contained 10 x Queen Elizabeth II portrait stamps. The same method of production gave varieties with left and right selvedge.

W13az The initial release had a cover with the black wording and logo below the large blue 10c. The stamps were perforated 14¼ x 13¾. This cover is referred to as "Type A".

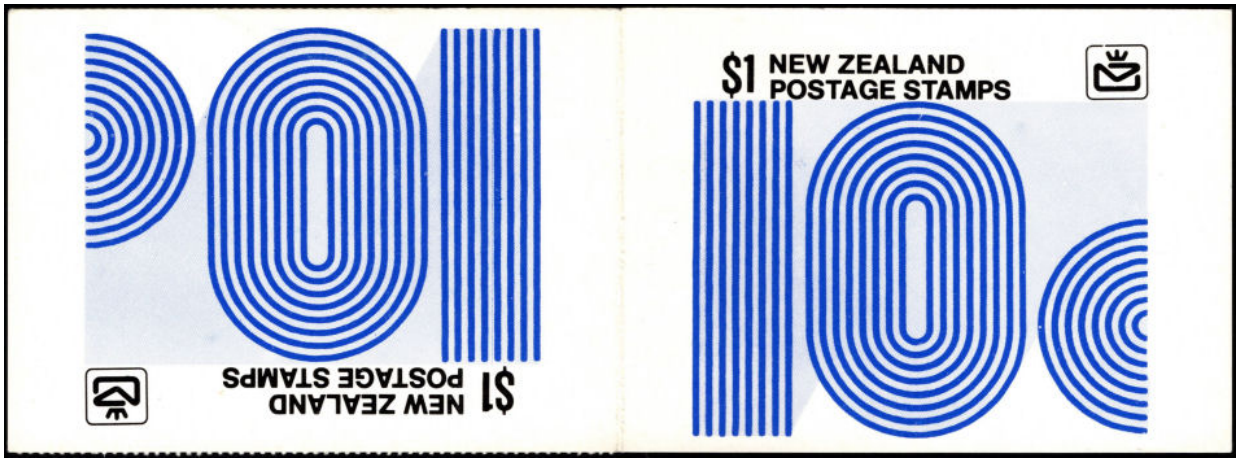
W13ay The second release had a cover with the black wording and logo on top of the large blue 10c. This was believed to be in error, but it is hard to see how it could be an error when it would have had to have used a different plate for printing. This is referred to as "Type B". Everything else is the same as "Type A".

W13b In 1979, a third issue was released, using the "Type A" cover, but the stamps were now perforated 14¼ x 14½. Left and right selvedge also occur in this issue.

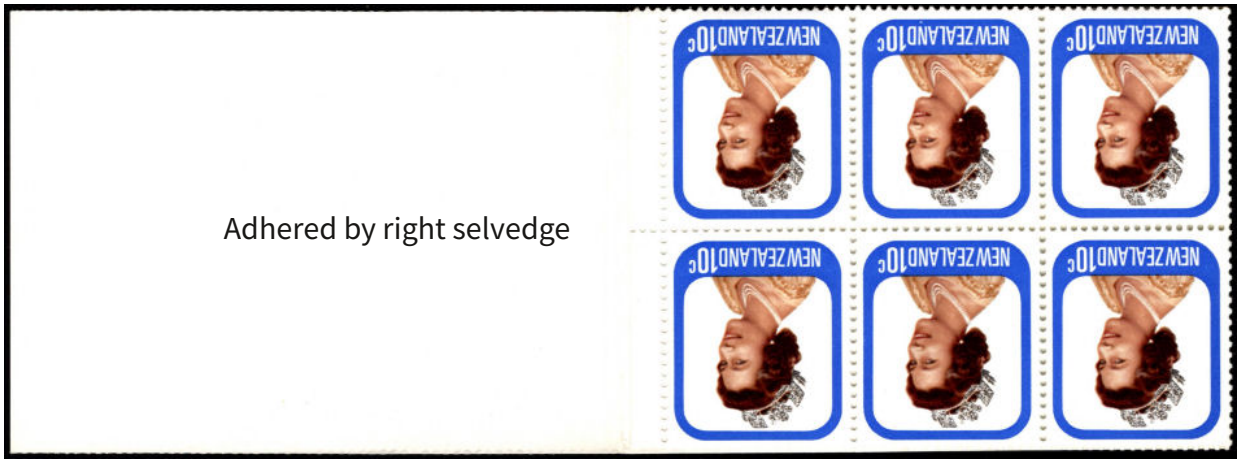
First Issue "Type A"



Second Issue "Type B"





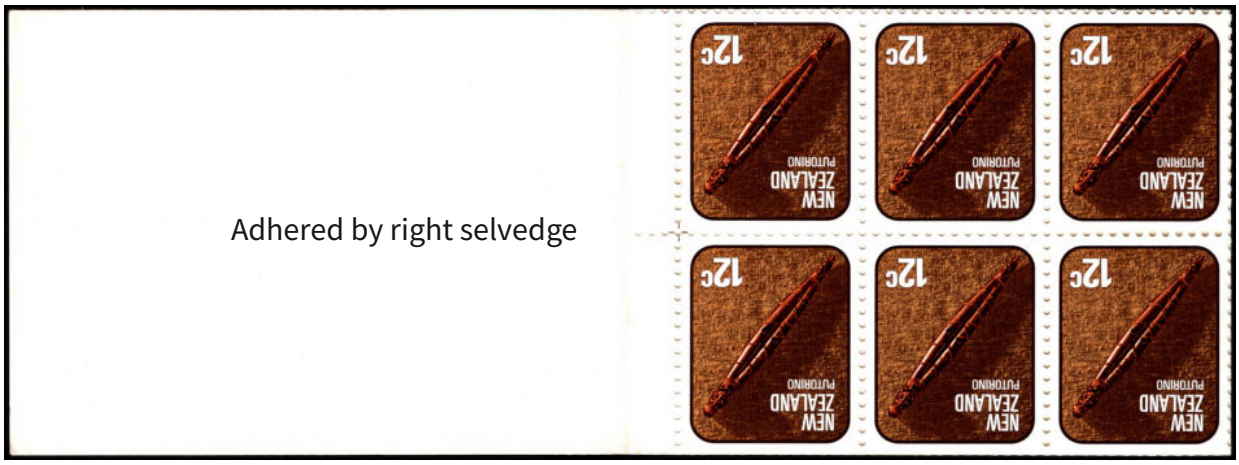


W14 1979 $1.20 Maori Artifact

W14a In August 1979, came the issue of a $1.20 Maori Artifact booklet. Once again, the same method of production was used by the Government Printer, and it contained 10 x 12c Putorino stamps.



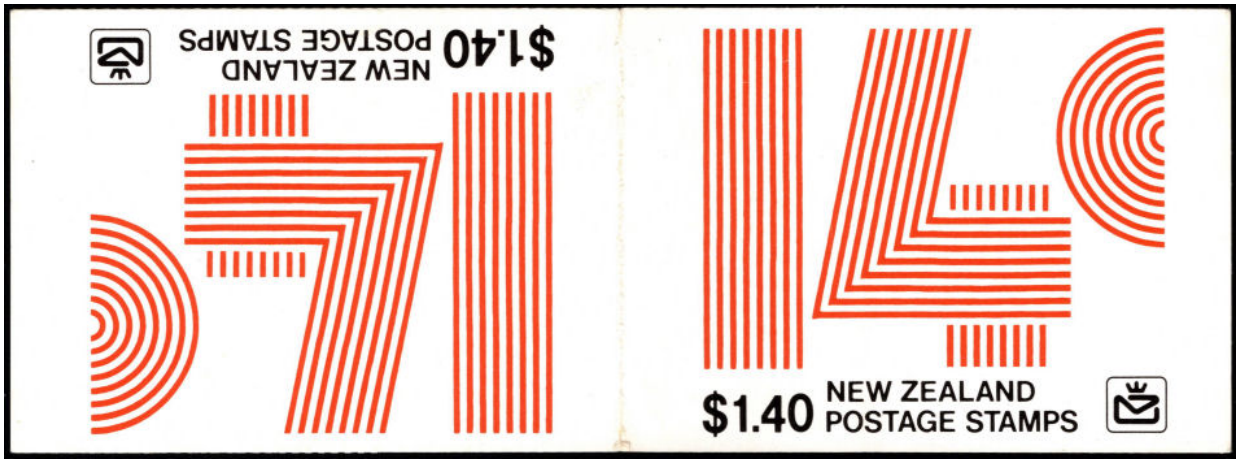




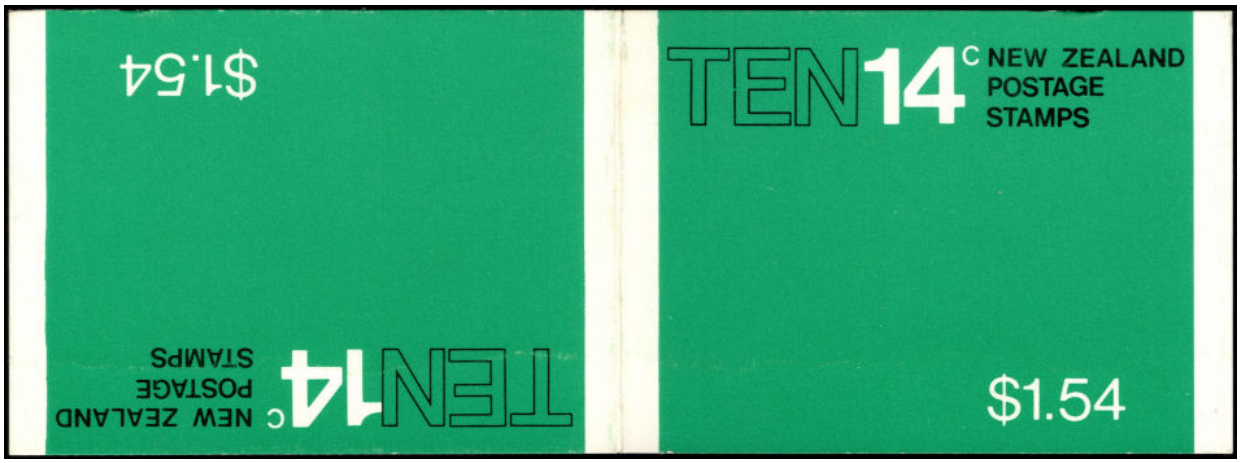
W15 1980 $1.40 Maori Artifact

W15a & W15b At the time, there was a lack of definitive stamps available to be used in stamp vending machines, so a decision was made in May 1980 to allow retail outlets, such as dairies, hotels, service stations and other interested retailers, to sell stamp booklets. In doing so, they would receive a 10% premium. To identify these booklets, a different cover was produced showing the premium price. The content was still the same as the original booklet. These type of booklets continued for all releases until the end of 1987.

March 1980 Issue



May 1980 Issue





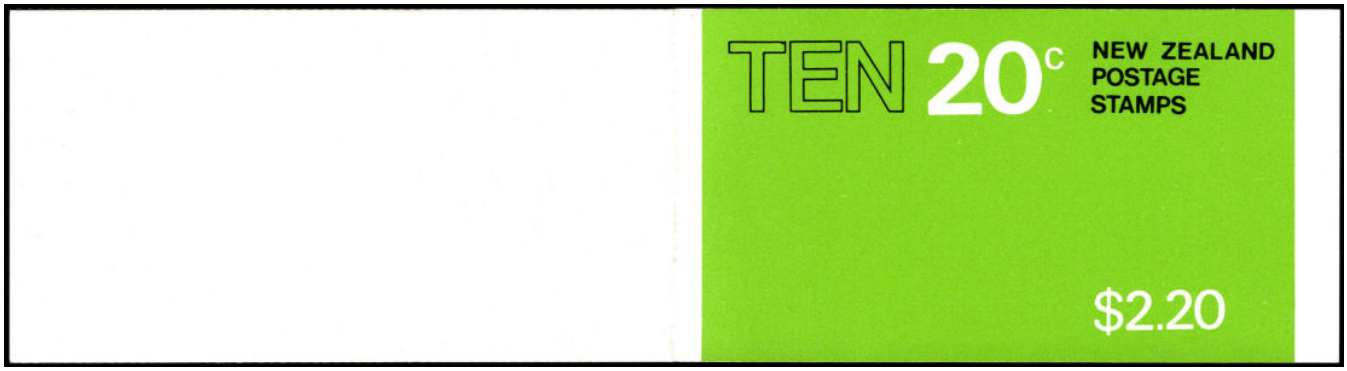


W16 1980 $2.00 Paua Shell

Following on from the increase in postal rates on 1 October 1980, a $2.00 booklet, containing 10 x 20c Paua Shell stamps was released. Again there were the two versions, **W16a** one available from the Post Office and the second **W16b** with its 10% premium, available from retail outlets.

The sheets used where the original, with colourless gum, the 1 asterisk reprint sheets, with bluish gum and the two asterisks, also with bluish gum. Booklets exist showing these asterisks, but only small fragments, as most of the asterisks were guillotined off for the selvedge to fit within the booklet cover. **W16az** One and **W16ay** two asterisks booklets exist for the Post Office version, and a **W16bz** one asterisk for the retail version. There was also a change to the inside back cover for the two asterisk version. Booklets with this change are quite rare.







Adhered by left selvedge



Adhered by right selvedge



Inside back cover, Original & 1 Asterisk



Inside back cover, 2 Asterisk



One Asterisk version



The image on the left shows the position of the Asterisk on the Plate Block selvedge. When the side selvedge is guillotined, most of the Asterisk can be removed.



Two Asterisk version

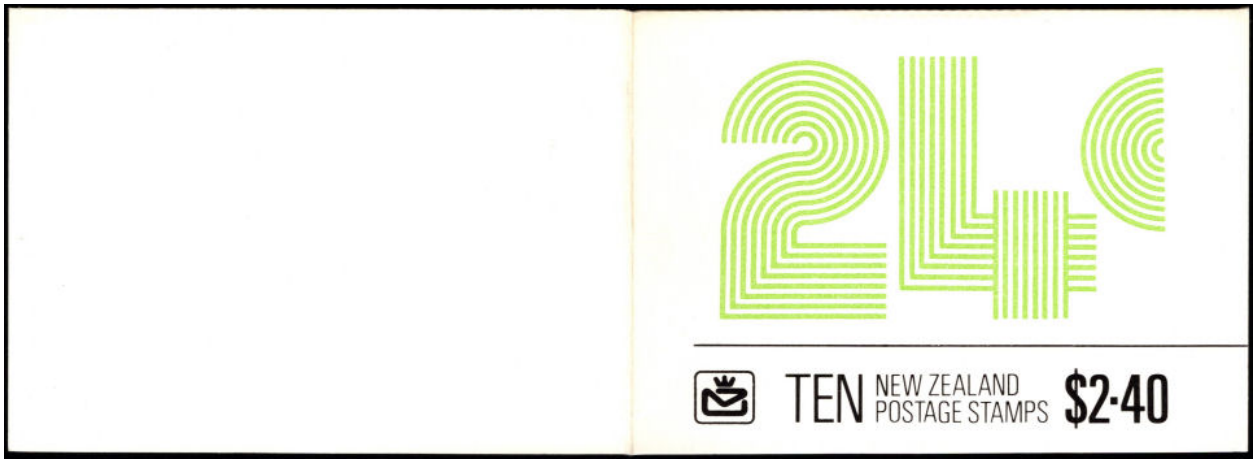


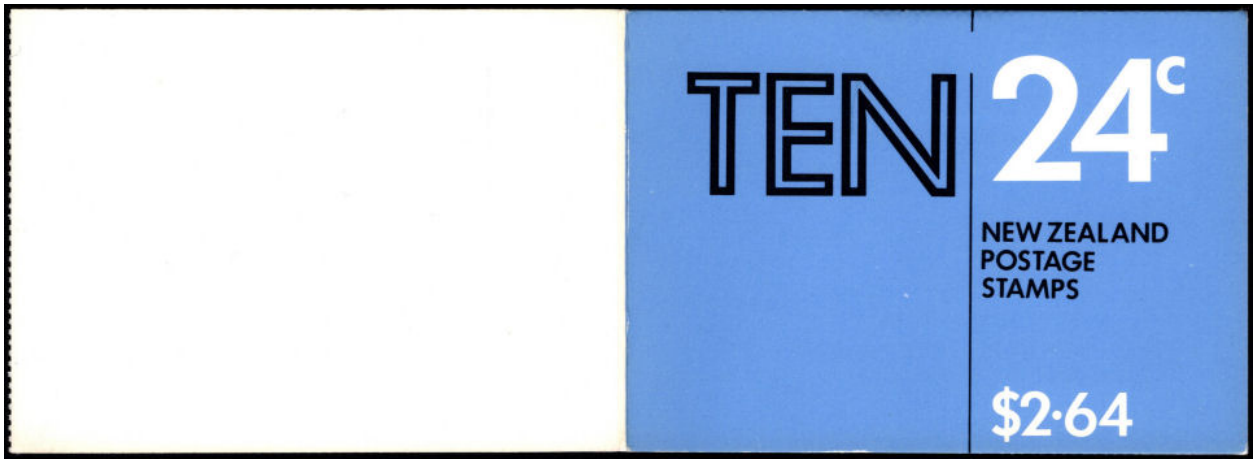
The image on the left shows the position of the Two Asterisks on the Plate Block selvedge. When the side selvedge is guillotined, most of the Asterisks can be removed.

W17 & W18 1982 $2.40 Map Stamp

Following another rate change in 1982, a new booklet was issued containing 10 x 24c Map stamps on April 1, 1982. The stamps were perforated 12 ¾ x 12 ½ and again issued in two formats, **W17a** Post Office and **W17b** Retail. Both versions had left and right selvedge varieties, and the left could also be found with **W17az** & **W17bz** part of the printers imprint.

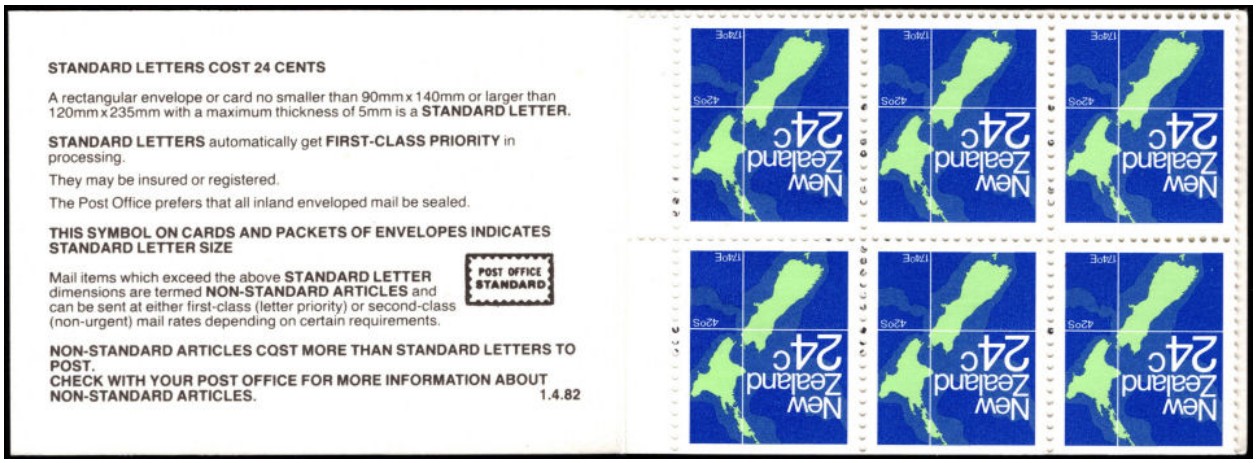
A change of perforation of the Map stamp, to 14 ¼ x 14, occurred in December 1982. The first booklet **W18a** issued with this new perforation was in April 1983, but the **W18b** retail version had to wait until March 1985. That made it a short period for the revised retail booklet, as they were withdrawn from sale on October 31, 1985. Again, both versions had left and right selvedge varieties, and the left could also be found with **W18az** & **W18bz** part of the printers imprint.







Adhered by left selvedge



Adhered by right selvedge



Part Of Printers Imprint

W19 1985 $2.50 Queen Elizabeth II

Postage rates changed on July 1, 1985. To meet these changes, a new booklet was issued containing 10 x 25c Queen Elizabeth II stamps. The same method of production continued and the usual two versions were released. The only difference this time was that the Post Office moved away from its usual style of cover and produced a scenic cover with Lake Tekapo for the **W19a** Post Office version and a Tongariro cover for the **W19b** retail version. Left and right selvedge varieties, along with **W19az** & **W19bz** a printers imprint, were available in both covers.

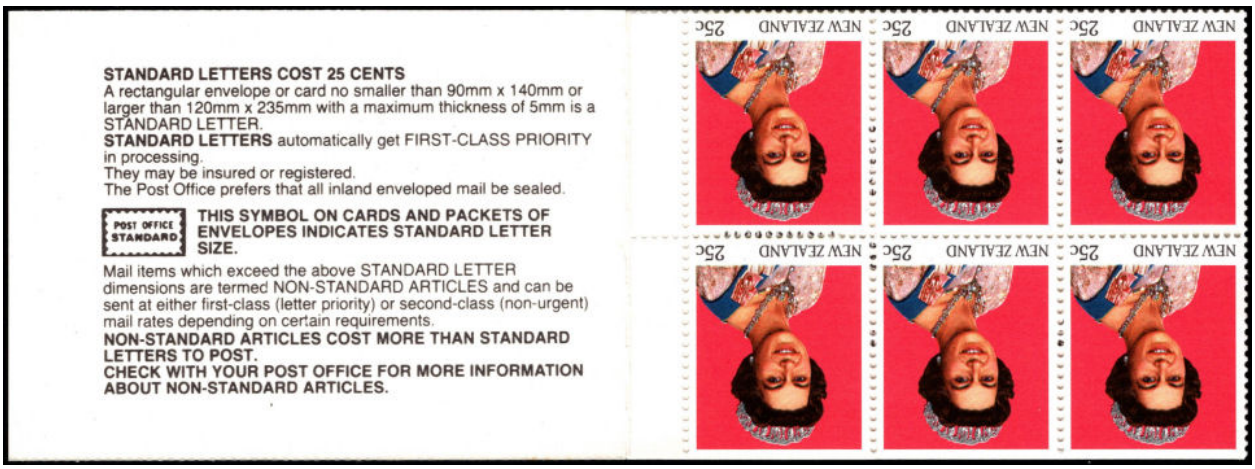
A further increase in postal charges occurred on May 1, 1986, therefore the booklets were withdrawn from sale on April 30, 1986, resulting in the issue having a short life.







Adhered by left selvedge



Adhered by right selvedge



Part Of Printers Imprint

Post Office Training Schools

To train staff for counter duties, the Post Office operate training schools. The staff use defaced stamps, stationery, booklets, postal notes etc. The stamps are defaced by the Government Printer by applying a single black bar. Although the material used is normally destroyed when no longer required, items sometimes appear on the open market.

On the following pages is an example of a made up booklet. A previous cover has been used, and because the current value stamps were 30c, the cover was amended accordingly. Strips of 10 x 30c Nectarine stamps have been adhered inside, with these stamps displaying the single black bar. These booklets have been made up by the Government Printer, using the normal process, which gives both left and right selvedge versions.

What is of special note here, is that the 30c Nectarine stamps were never used in any regular booklet produced by the New Zealand Post Office.



Training Booklet with Altered Cover



30c Nectarine Stamps Defaced and Adhered By Left Selvedge



30c Nectarine Stamps Defaced and Adhered By Right Selvedge

Native Bird Booklets 1986 - 1987

W20 1986 $3.00 & $3.30 Kakapo

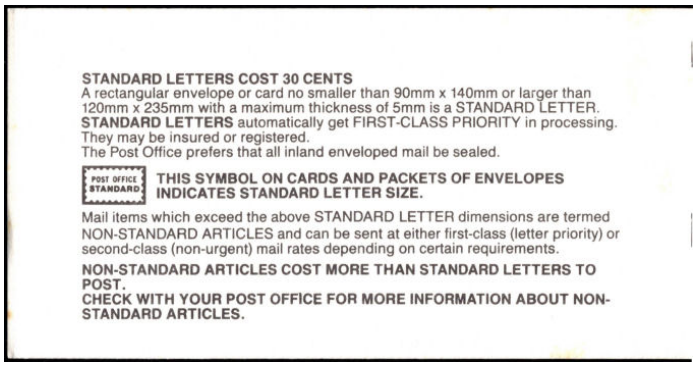
Once again, postage rates increased on May 1, 1986, so the Government Printing Office produced two new booklets. They were a **W20a** $3.00 and a **W20b** $3.30, each containing 10 of the 30c Kakapo stamps. The cover of the $3.00 featured the Matukituki Valley in Otago and the $3.30, a Canterbury stream and native bush.

A new method was used to produce the booklets. A sheet of stamps, 10 x 5, with the side selvedges removed was adhered by the top selvedge onto card stock for the covers. For this first issue, they were then guillotined into five separate booklets.

Because of the layout of a typical sheet, there were three possible panes available for each booklet. A "Plain" top and bottom selvedge, a **W20aV** & **W20bV** "Sheet Value" on the top selvedge or a **W20az** & **W20bz** "Part Printers Imprint" on the bottom selvedge. (See an image of a typical sheet layout, on page K4).







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Inside Front Cover



Plain Selvedge Top and Bottom



Sheet Value Top Selvedge



Part Printers Imprint Bottom Selvedge

The $3.00 booklet only, was reprinted twice, first with a **W20ay** 1 Kiwi symbol and subsequently with a **W20ax** 2 Kiwi symbol. The 2 Kiwi reprint booklet is extremely rare.



1 Kiwi Reprint



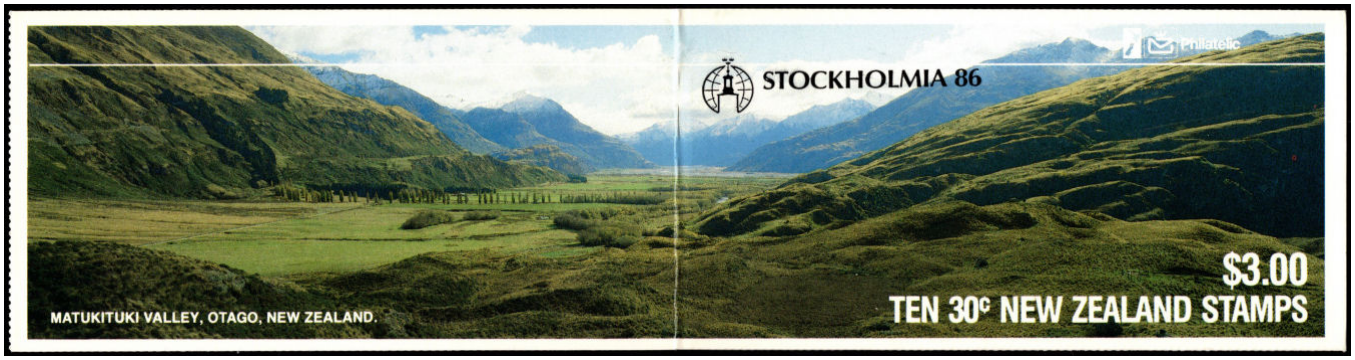
2 Kiwi Reprint

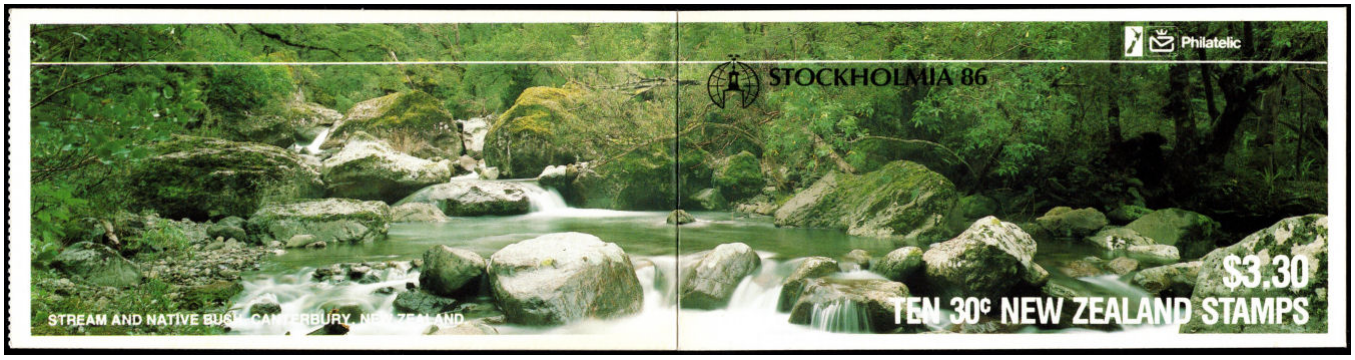
Both the $3.00 and the $3.30 booklets were overprinted for the Stamp Exhibition held in Stockholm in 1986. They were available for sale at the Exhibition as well as being made available locally after the Exhibition.

The overprint said "Stockholmia 86" and as per the normal booklets, they can be found in all three combinations of panes.

There were 4,000 of each booklet printed for the Exhibition. Of the 4,000, there are 2,400 with Plain Selvedge, 800 with the Printer's Imprint and 800 with the Sheet Value.

These Stockholmia booklets don't have a catalogue listing, even though they were sold by New Zealand Post. I have listed them as **W20aa**, **W20aaV** and **W20aaz**.





On the following page is an example of a typical sheet of stamps, 10 x 5, with the side selvedges removed. This sheet is adhered by the top selvedge onto card stock for the covers. Initially they were guillotined into five booklets, but after the first issue, the covers were rouletted for separation at the Post Office counter. Each sheet gave three booklets with blank selvedges, one with a sheet value at the top and one with part printers imprint and reprint kiwis if appropriate, as shown by the red rectangles.

It was, therefore, possible to purchase a complete joined block of five booklets from the Post Office for all issues from the 1987 Blue Duck Booklet, up to the 1994 Cricket Booklet.


VALUE $20
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W21 1987 $4.00 & $4.40 Blue Duck

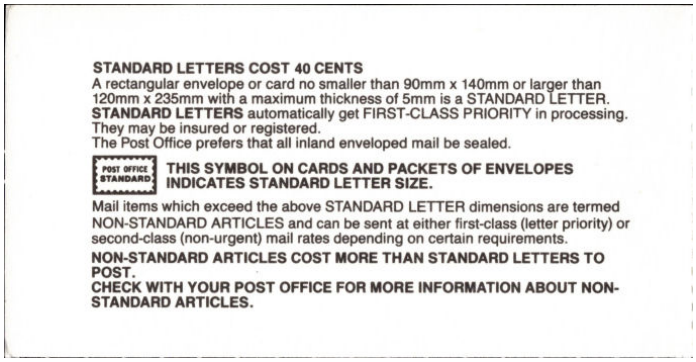
Further rate changes occurred on February 2, 1987 and two new booklets were issued. They were prepared by Leigh-Mardon Pty Ltd of Melbourne. The covers were rouletted for separation at the Post Office counter, and were delivered as five attached booklets.

Each booklet contained 10 of the 40c Blue Duck stamp. The cover of the **W21a** $4.00 booklet showed "Aruriri Valley, Otago", and the **W21b** $4.40 booklet "Totaranui Beach, Nelson.









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Inside Front Cover



W21aV & W21bV



W21az & W21bz

Both versions of this booklet were reprinted within a couple of months, and show a 1 Kiwi symbol next to the Printer's Imprint. **W21ay & W21by** Both 1 Kiwi versions are extremely rare.



In June 1987, New Zealand Post changed its logo, so the same two booklets were re-issued with this 'new logo'. These 'new logo' booklets all contained stamps from the 1 Kiwi reprint sheets. Possible combinations for both were Plain Selvedge, **W22aV** & **W22bV** Sheet Value Selvedge and **W22az** & **W22bz** Printer's Imprint with the 1 Kiwi symbol.

Only the $4.00 booklet was further reprinted, this time showing the **W22ay** 2 Kiwi symbol.

Both 'new logo' booklets were also overprinted for sale at the Capex '87 Exhibition in Toronto, Canada. All three pane combinations were available for both booklets. Again, only stamps from the 1 Kiwi reprint sheets were used.

These Capex '87 booklets don't have a catalogue listing, even though they were sold by New Zealand Post. I have listed them as **W22aa**, **W22aaV** and **W22aaz**.



Old Logo



New Logo









This is a very rare example of the $4.40 Booklet, where the cover was inserted into the machine, rotated by 180 degrees, causing the sheet to be adhered to the front cover. This would have produced five booklets, a Sheet Value, 3 Blank Selvedges and this one, the Printer's Imprint and 1 Kiwi, all adhered to the front cover.

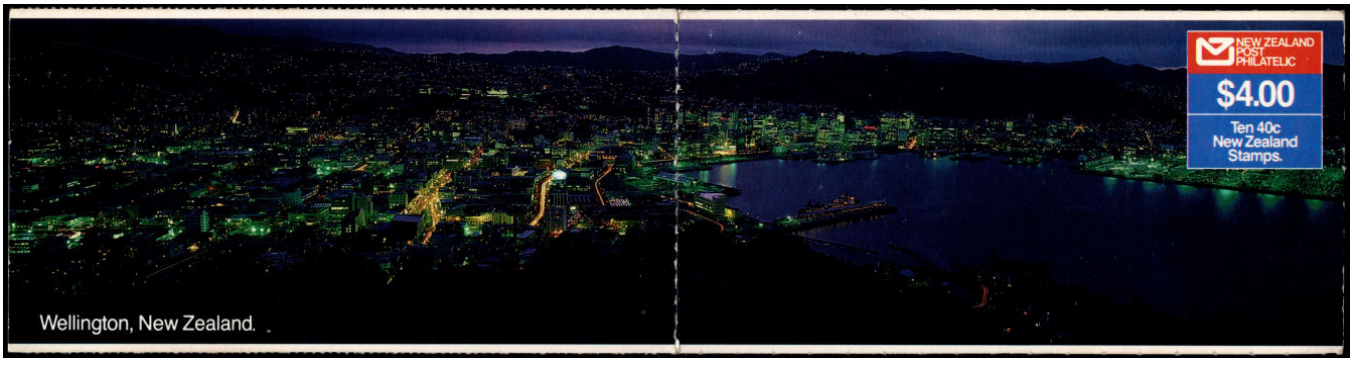
W23 1987 $4.00 & $4.40 Blue Duck (Continued)

With stocks now depleted, it was decided to continue with the Duck Stamps, but new covers were designed. Again, produced by Leigh-Mardon Pty Ltd of Melbourne, a new configuration of the logo appeared, incorporated in a red and blue square. The **W23a** $4.00 booklet featured a "Wellington By Night" cover, while the **W23b** $4.40 booklet showed "Katiki Point, Otago". The booklets were issued in November, 1987.

The two booklets contained stamps from the 2 Kiwi reprint sheets. Again, possible combinations for both were Plain Selvedge, **W23aV** & **W23bV** Sheet Value Selvedge and **W23az** & **W23bz** Printer's Imprint with the 2 Kiwi symbol.

Only the $4.00 booklet was further reprinted, this time showing the **W23ay** 3 Kiwi symbol, and then again with the **W23ax** 4 Kiwi symbol. Because the 4th Kiwi symbol flowed over to the next column, it is necessary to have a joined pair of booklets to show this reprint.

This was the last booklet issued with premium cover prices.





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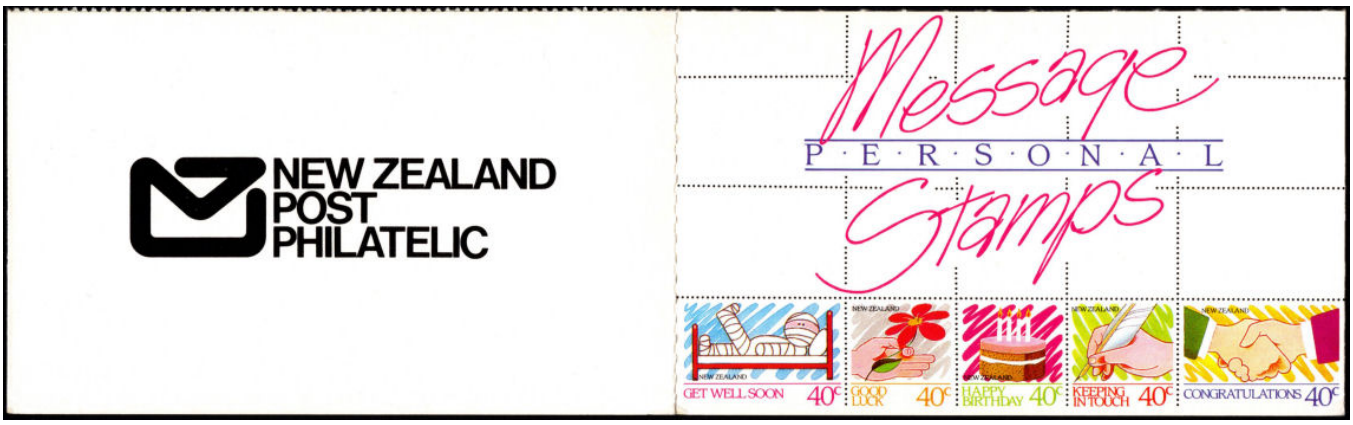
W24 1988 $2.00 Personal Message Stamps

W24a A set of 5 Personal Message stamps was issued on May 18, 1988 in booklet format only. Designed by Communication Arts Ltd of Wellington, they were printed by C.P.E. Australia Ltd.

The blocks of 5 stamps were adhered by the left hand selvedge and once again, the booklets were delivered to Post Offices in units of 5, with roulettes to separate them into individual booklets when sold at the counter.

A rare example of this booklet is in my collection, with the pane adhered upside down to the front cover. There would have been four more examples of this version from the unit of 5.

W24aa The booklet was also overprinted for sale at the World Stamp Expo held in Washington DC from November 17 to December 3, 1989. Again, not in the catalogues.





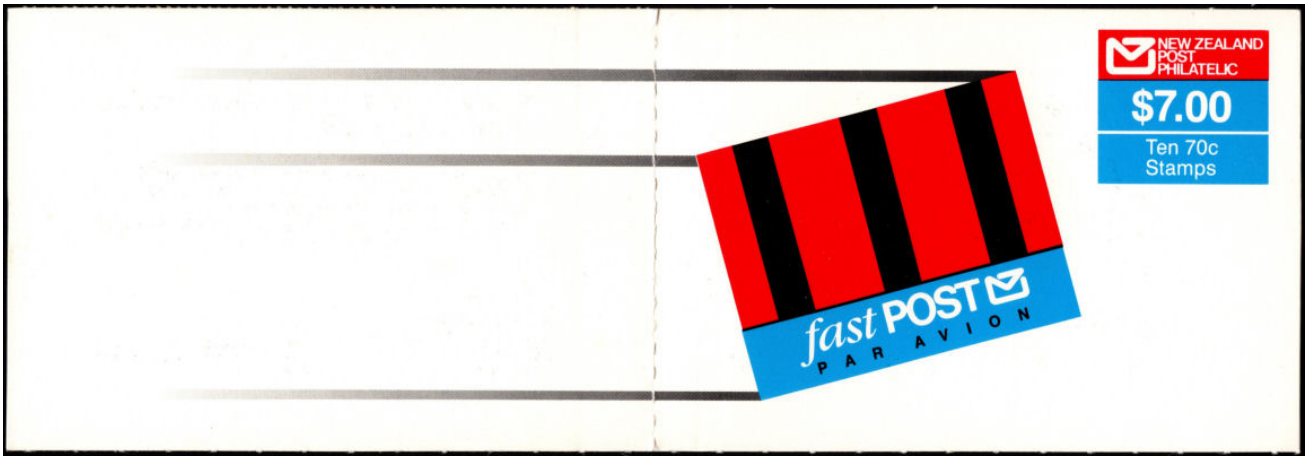


W25 1988 $7.00 FastPost Par Avion

W25a June 7, 1988 saw the release of a new FastPost Par Avion booklet that contained 10 of the 70c Paradise Shelduck stamps.

Blocks of 5 rouletted booklets were produced and the stamps were adhered to the cover by either the left hand selvedge or the right hand selvedge. There were no markings on the right hand selvedge, but the left hand selvedge had one pane showing coloured plate dots **W25az**. From the original printing, this particular booklet is very rare.

In January, 1989, a reprint was issued and booklets from this reprint **W25ay** can be found with a 1 Kiwi symbol next to the coloured plate dots.





Left Selvedge



Right Selvedge





W26 1988 $3.50 Christmas

Christmas stamps were first introduced in 1960, and 28 years later was the first time they appeared in a booklet. **W26a** A $3.50 booklet containing 10 of the 35c "O Come All Ye Faithful" stamps was issued on September 14, 1988. The booklet was printed by Leigh-Mardon Pty Ltd of Melbourne.

Anticipating the popularity of these booklets, 500,000 were produced in strips of 5 with roulettes in between. The stamps were printed in sheets of 100, 10 rows of 10 stamps. This meant that by splitting the sheet in half, stamps could be adhered to the covers by the top selvedge, in the centre, or by the bottom selvedge to the right hand edge.

The booklets could be found in combinations showing **W26aT & W26aB** Plain Selvedge (Top and Bottom), **W26aV** Sheet Value Selvedge and **W26az** Printer's Imprint. The Printer's Imprint covered three columns, so a joined pair of booklets is required to show this fully.





Top Selvedge



Bottom Selvedge



Sheet Value Pane



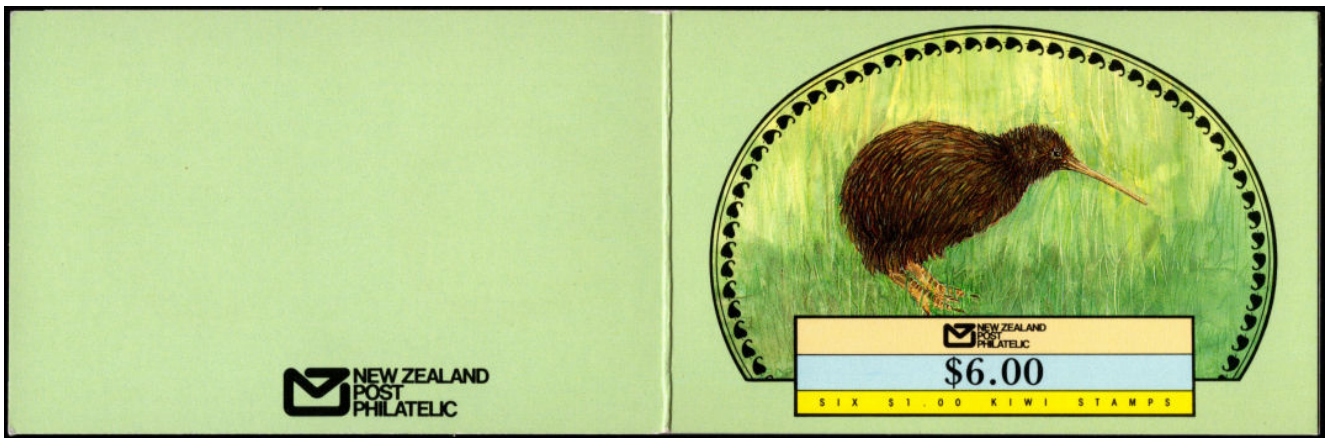
Se-Tenant Pair of Booklets With Complete Printer's Imprint

W27 1988 $6.00 Round Kiwi

W27a New Zealand introduced circular stamps. with the release of the $1.00 Round Kiwi, printed in Olive-Green by Intaglio, by Leigh-Mardon Pty Ltd of Melbourne. The stamps were only available in this booklet format.

Each booklet had a strip of 6 $1.00 stamps, adhered by the left selvedge. All strips had the Imprint markings.

The booklets were issued October 19, 1988.





W28 1988 $4.00 Mount Cook



On November 2, 1988 a new booklet was issued. The cover featured "Mount Cook from the Hooker Valley, South Canterbury" and it contained 10 of the 40c Brown Kiwi stamps.

Produced in blocks of 5 booklets, it was possible to obtain copies with binding on left or right selvedge. The right selvedges were all blank and the only markings on the left selvedge were coloured plate dots on 1 of the five, with the rest also blank.

W28a The first issue had a "Handiwrap" advertisement on the inside cover and this continued for the first three reprints, indicated by 1, 2 or 3 Kiwi symbols next to the coloured plate dots. The inside advertisement was then changed to a "New Zealand Stamps". There was an overlap on the 3rd reprint, and this new advertisement was also available on the 3 Kiwi symbol, as well as the 5 & 6 Kiwi symbol reprints. **No stamps from the 4 Kiwi reprint** were used in the production of booklets.

There are therefore, **11 combinations** of booklets available. **W28aL & W28aR** and **W28a*L & W28a*R** Blank left or right for both advertisements, **W28az** coloured dots (Handiwrap), **W28ay** 1 Kiwi, **W28ax** 2 Kiwi or **W28aw** 3 Kiwi (Handiwrap), **W28av** 3 Kiwi, **W28au** 5 Kiwi or **W28at** 6 Kiwi (New Zealand Stamps).

W28aa The booklet was overprinted "Stamp World London 90" to commemorate the Stamp Exhibition held in London in May 1990. The majority of booklets used were from the 3 Kiwi reprint with the "New Zealand Stamps" advertisement, but there are also a quantity from the first issue. Therefore there are **6 combinations** of the overprint. **W28aa** Blank left or right for both advertisements, **W28aaz** coloured dots (Handiwrap), **W28aav** 3 Kiwi (New Zealand Stamps).








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Stamp World London 90 Overprint

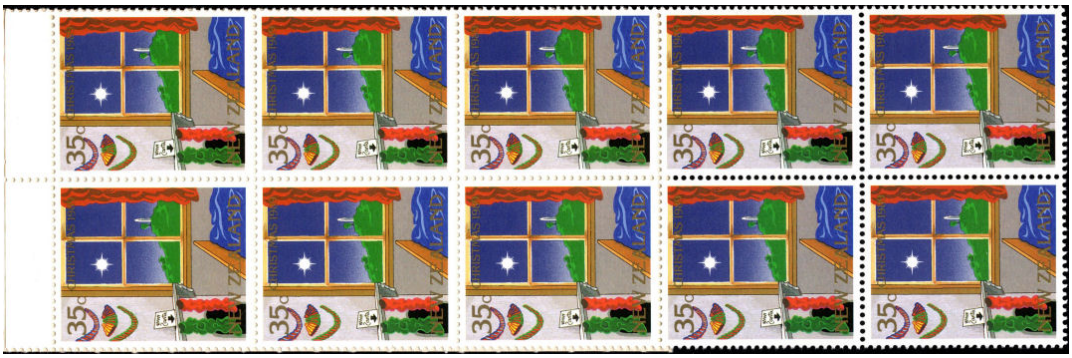
W29 1989 $3.50 Christmas

W29a Using the same format as the 1988 Christmas booklet, a $3.50 booklet containing 10 of the 35c "Child's Bedroom" stamps was issued on September 13, 1989. The booklet was printed by Leigh-Mardon Pty Ltd of Melbourne.

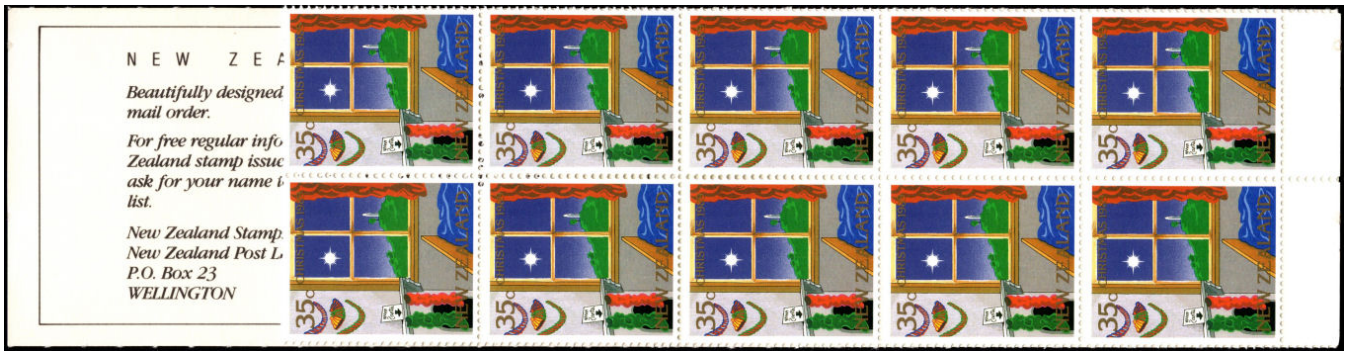
The booklets were produced in strips of 5 with roulettes in between. The stamps were printed in sheets of 100, 10 rows of 10 stamps. This meant that by splitting the sheet in half, stamps could be adhered to the covers by the top selvedge, in the centre, or by the bottom selvedge to the right hand edge.

The booklets could be found in combinations showing **W29aT & W29aB** Plain Selvedge (Top and Bottom), **W29aV** Sheet Value Selvedge and **W29az** Printer's Imprint. The Printer's Imprint covered three columns, so a joined pair of booklets is required to show this fully.

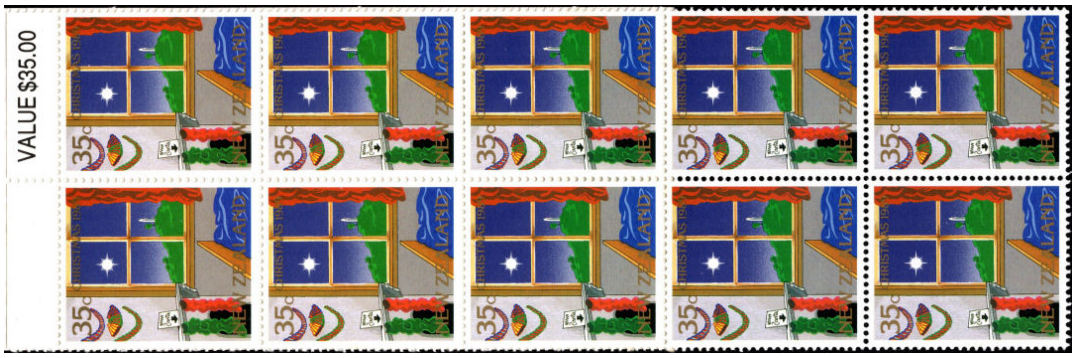




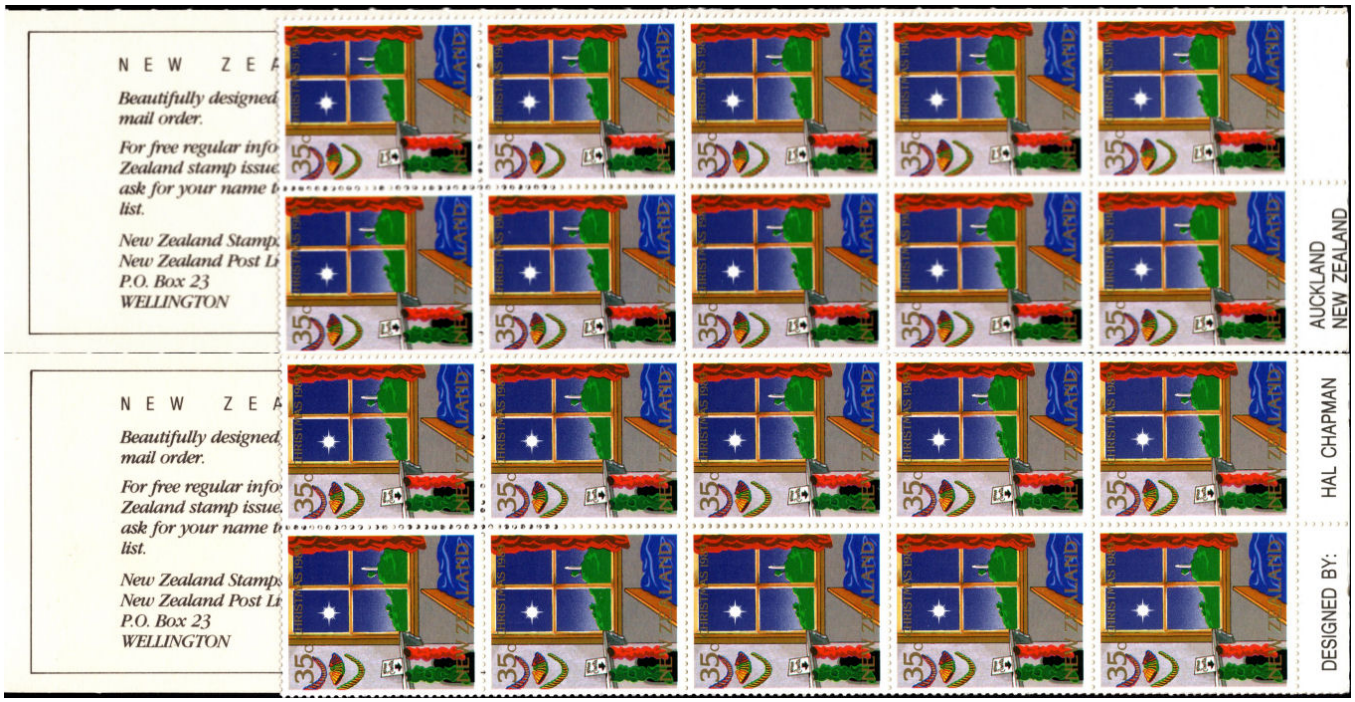
Top Selvedge



Bottom Selvedge



Sheet Value Pane



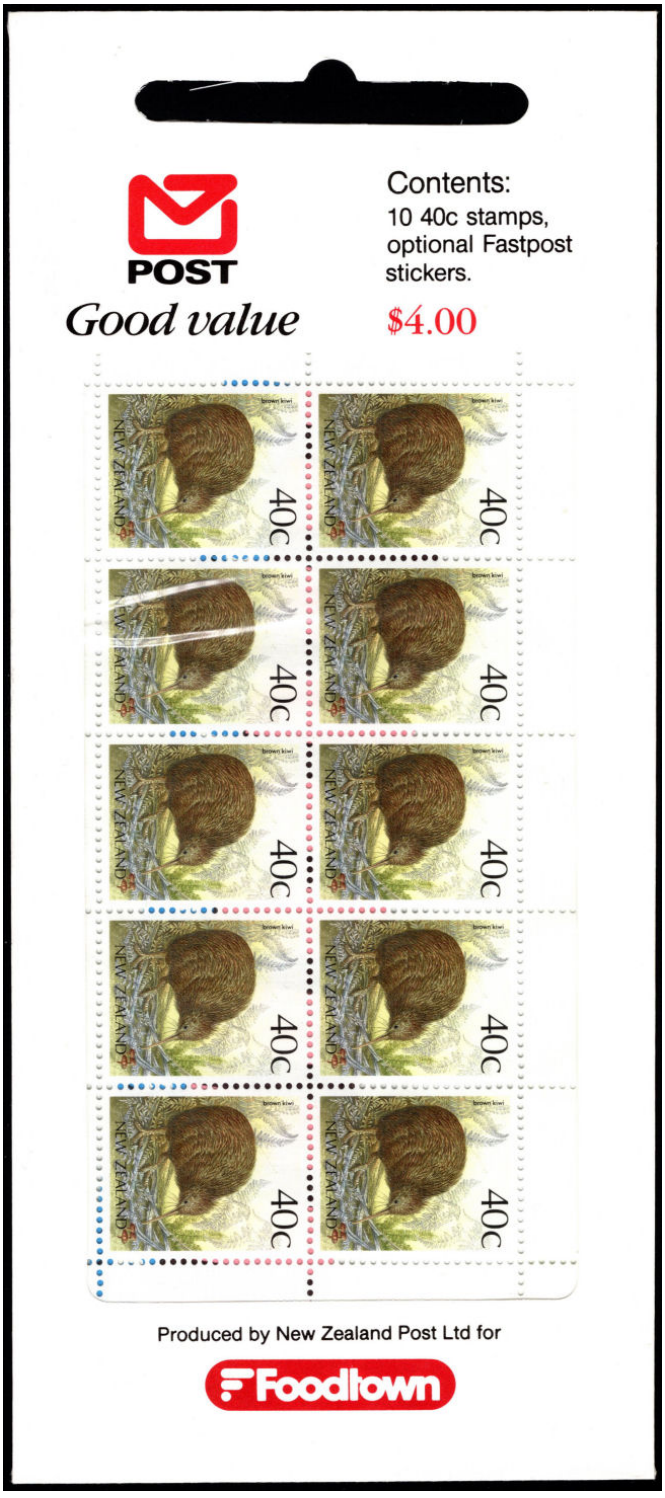
Se-Tenant Pair of Booklets With Complete Printer's Imprint

W30 1990 $4.00 Foodtown Envelope Booklet

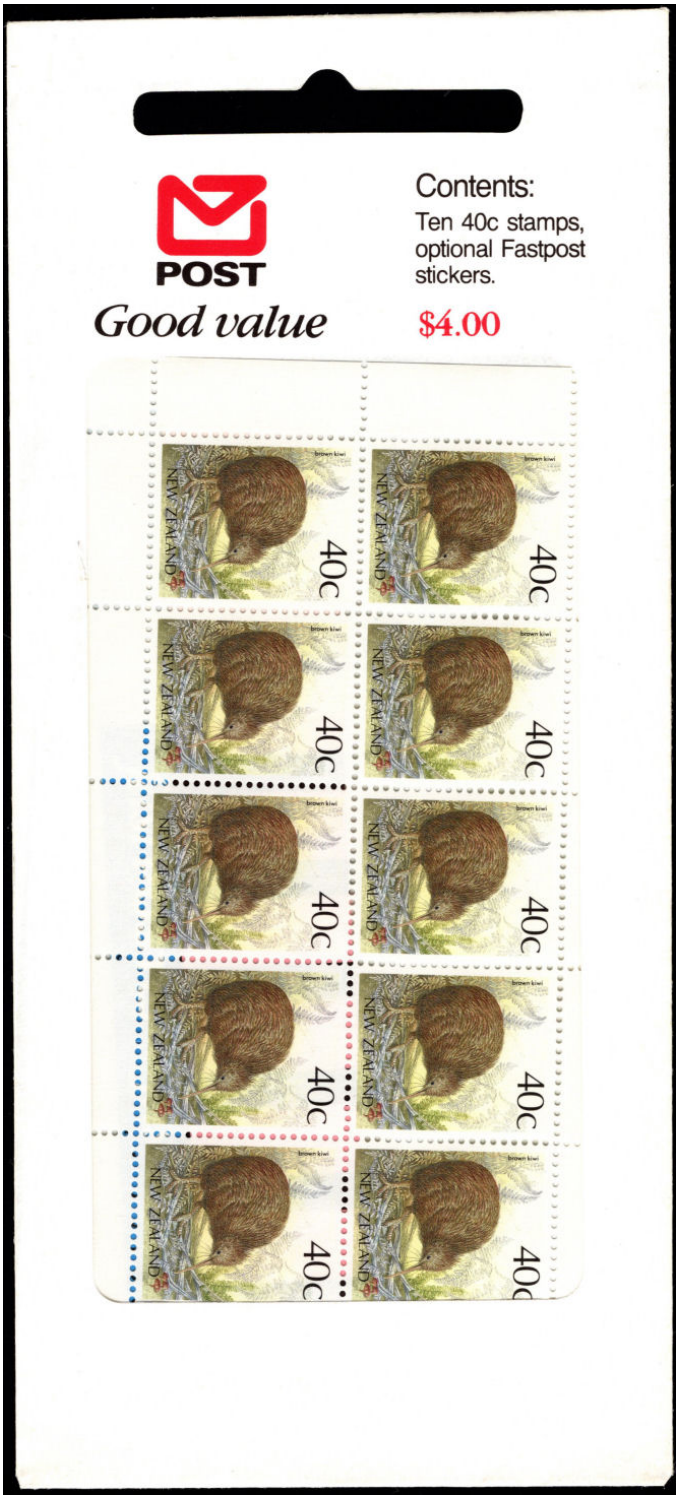
W30a Around April 1990, New Zealand Post provided sheetlets of 10 x 40c Brown Kiwi stamps, to be sold in Foodtown Supermarkets. The sheetlets, which were from stamp pads, were housed in a hang-sell window envelope. The envelope also contained some FastPost stickers.

Although not a booklet of the conventional format, they were, however listed by the major catalogues in the booklet section, so are covered here for completeness.

W30az A reprint appeared later in the year, and it differed from the original by the removal of the Foodtown logo, 10 40c stamps changed to Ten 40c stamps and the dollar sign having only one bar instead of 2 bars. On the reverse, the only change was a new barcode.



Original Issue



Reprint

W31 1990 $4.00 Hang-Sell Booklet

Following on from the Foodtown Hang-Sell concept, a new style of booklet was introduced in August 1990. It was a black foldable cover with a flap incorporating a hanging slot. The booklets contained 10 x 40c Brown Kiwi stamps and new FastPost stickers.

W31a Panes were used by adhering them with either the left and right selvedges. The only sheets used were from the **W31az** 6 Kiwi, **W31ay** 7 Kiwi & **W31ax** 8 Kiwi reprints.

Ten 40c
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Up to 120 mm x 235 mm
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W32, W33, W35 & W36 1991 $2.00 & $2.25 Thinking Of You & Happy Birthday

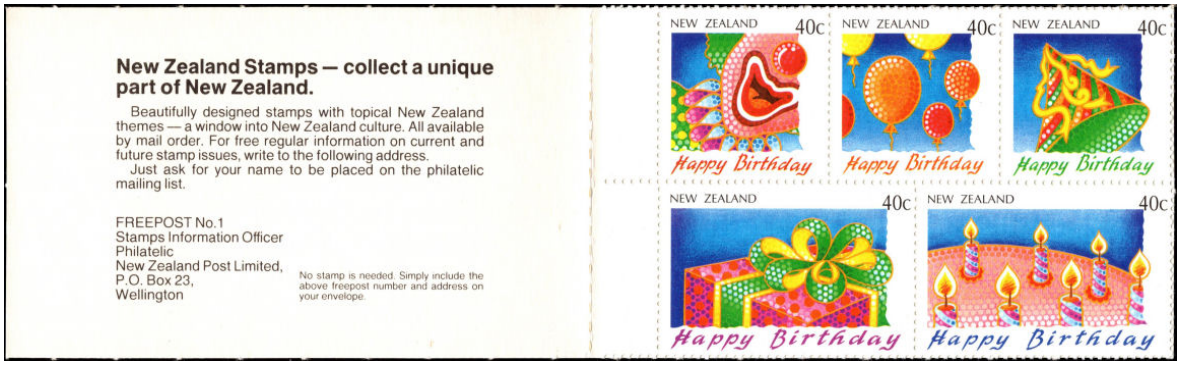
On May 15, 1991, two new booklets, with Personal Message themes, were released. They were **W32a** "Thinking Of You" and **W33a** "Happy Birthday" designs. Each were a block of 5 different 40c stamps, only available in booklet format.

When postal rates changed from 40c to 45c on July 1, 1991, the booklets were re-issued with the same stamps, but the denomination having changed to 45c. **W35a & W36a** They now, also only appeared in the Hang-Sell format, with a flap incorporating a hanging slot, selling for $2.25 each.













W34 1991 $4.50 Rock Wren Blue Booklets

W34a Rate changes on July 1, 1991, also saw the introduction of the blue foldable cover with flap, Rock Wren booklets. They incorporated a hanging slot and contained 10 of the 45c Rock Wren stamps. Produced from a sheet that had blank selvedges, except for the **W34az** coloured plate dots, the stamps were adhered to the cover by either the left or right selvedge.











On October 1, 1991, the blue cover versions were replaced by red cover versions. There were two varieties of the red, the same Hang-Sell with flap and hanging slot, and a plain version with no flap. All of the blue and the original red booklets were produced from the entire stock of 3 Kiwi reprint sheets. These sheets had no selvedge markings, except for the coloured plate dots, which were only found on blue versions, as they were adhered by the left selvedge. All red versions were adhered by either the top or bottom selvedge.

1991 $4.50 Rock Wren Red Booklets





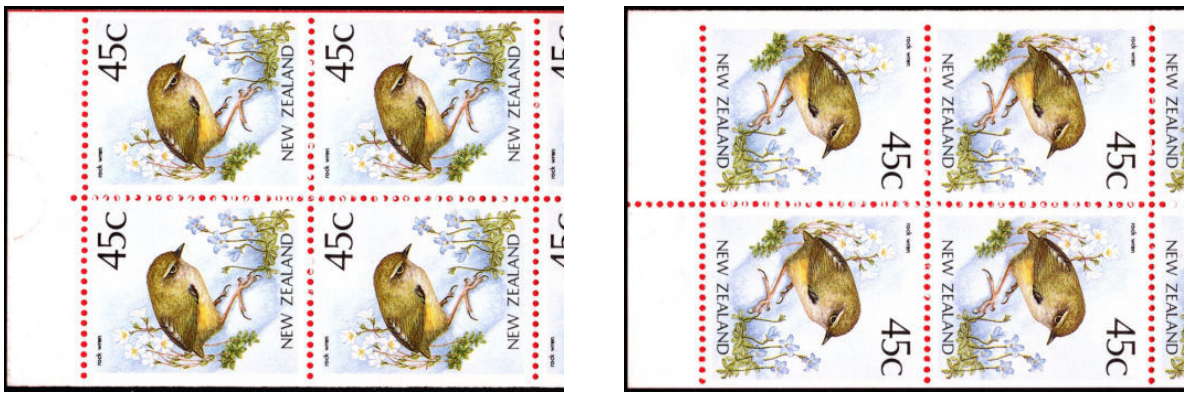




The two versions looked the same, except for the extended flap. If the flap was removed, you can still tell the difference by the fact that the plain version has a smooth cut along the right edge, whereas the one with the flap would show perforation/roulette remains. These original booklets, all had a Roman Numeral I, printed in white on the top right of the reverse.

Rather than use staples to keep the booklet closed, two spots of gum were used to fasten the cover. Their remains can be seen on the selvedge of many booklets. It was possible to acquire booklets without the gum spots, if purchased direct from the Philatelic Bureau.

The Hang-Sell version was available with panes either **W37a** imperforate or **W37az** perforated on the left and right sides, whereas the plain version **W37b** was only found with perforated sides.



Imperforate left & right sides, Top and Bottom Selvedge



Perforated left & right sides, Top and Bottom Selvedge

In May 1992, a reprint **W37bz** & **W37c** of both versions was issued. It is likely that these reprints came from the 4 Kiwi reprint sheets, as the **W37by** Printers Imprint can be found on some booklets. All panes had perforations on the left and right sides. These booklets are identified by the inclusion of a Roman Numeral II, printed in white on the top right of the reverse.



Complete Printers Imprint spread over a pair of joined booklets

W38 1992 $4.00 & $8.00 FastPost Trial Booklets

In March 1992, two FastPost booklets were trialled. One was **W38a** a $4.00, containing a strip of 5 x 80c Penguin stamps, and the other was **W38b** an $8.00, containing 10 x 80c Penguin stamps. Each booklet also contained strips of FastPost stickers. Both booklet covers were identical, except for the selling price and the number of stamps enclosed. They were assembled manually by New Zealand Post, utilising existing stamps from the normal sheets.

The $4.00 booklet shown below, can be found with the strips adhered via the **W38aT** top or the **W38aB** bottom selvedge. Because the side selvedges of the sheet were not used, the only markings on the selvedge were the **W38aV** Sheet Value and the **W38az** Printer's Imprint, the latter occupied three columns, so three booklets are required.









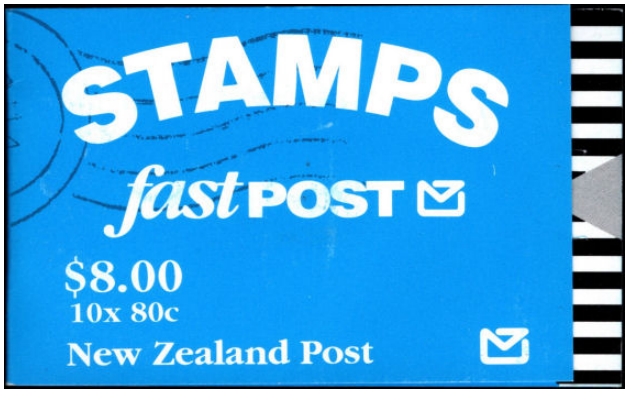








The $8.00 trial booklet shown below, can be found with the panes adhered via the **W38bT** top or the **W38bB** bottom selvedge. Because the side selvedges of the sheet were not used, the only markings on the selvedge were **W38bV** Sheet Value and the **W38by** Printer's Imprint, the latter occupied three columns, so two booklets are required.















Following the successful trial, only the **W38bz** $8.00 booklet went into full production and was produced by Leigh-Mardon Pty Ltd in Melbourne.

The main difference between the production version and the trial, was the addition of a barcode and a Roman Numeral I on the reverse. The actual size of the booklet changed from the trial of 85mm x 52mm, to 87mm x 50mm for the production.

The cover was the same, except that the silver triangle on the far right was replaced with a black triangle.

Inside, there was still top or bottom selvedge adhering, but the FastPost stickers were adhered on top of the stamp selvedges. The stamps for this release came from a special printing that had no markings on the selvedges.

These booklets went on sale in June 1992.





The front and back cover for the $8.00 production booklet. The reverse of the production booklet showing the barcode and Roman Numeral I. The front, the black triangle.

The FastPost stickers were adhered on top of the stamp selvedges.



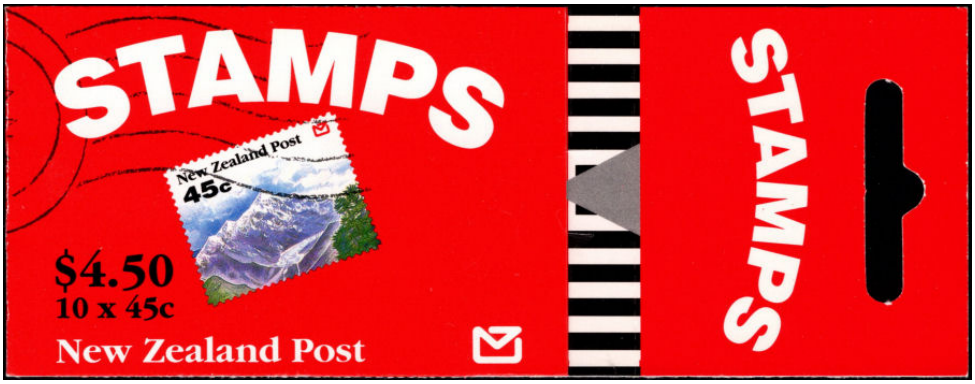
W39 1992 $4.50 Scenic Panorama Booklet

A scenic panorama booklet was issued on September 1, 1992, in two formats, **W39a** Hang-Sell and **W39b** Normal. The stamps, which were only available in these booklets, entailed a composite scene covering the 10 x 45c stamps, which were in two rows of 5.

The initial supplies of the booklets had a Roman Numeral I on the top left of the reverse. There were different barcodes for the two booklets. The Hang-Sell ended in barcode 1887 and the Normal booklets, barcode 1009. Both booklets had reprints in early 1993, and these differ by the change to II, **W39ay** for the Hang-Sell and **W39bz** for the Normal, and then III, **W39ax** for the Hang-Sell and **W39by** for the Normal, for the Roman Numerals on the reverse.

The Hang-Sell for the initial release can be found with Left Selvedge Part Perf or Full Perf, and Perforations Top and Bottom, or Full Perf Left Selvedge and Imperforate Top and Bottom. Both reprints **W39ay** & **W39ax** for the Hang-Sell had Imperforate Top and Bottom. The Imperforate panes can only be found in the Hang-Sell versions.

The Normal for the initial release can be found with Left Selvedge Part Perf or Full Perf, or Full Perf attached by the Right Selvedge. Both reprints **W39bz** & **W39by** were Full Perf Left Selvedge.







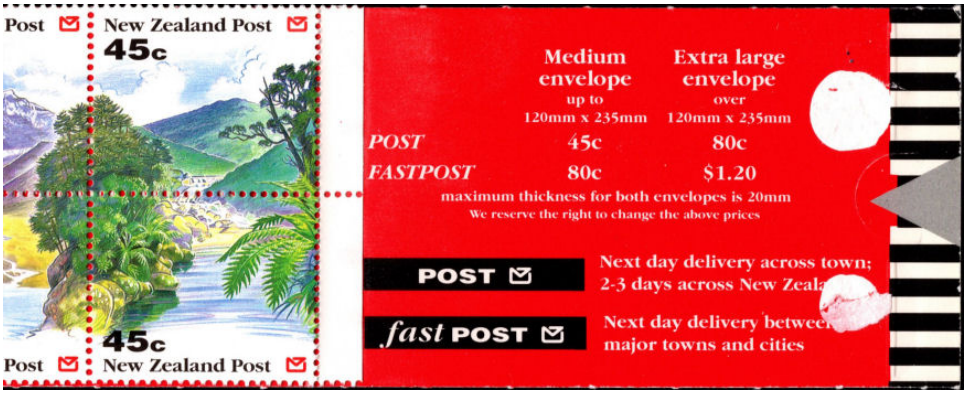




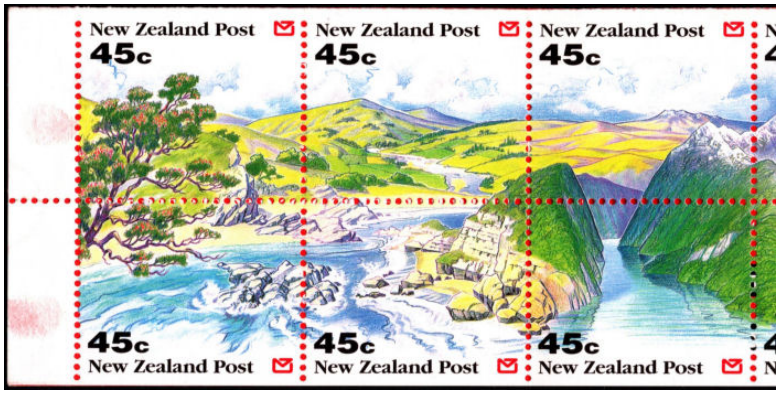
Part Perf, Left Selvedge



Full Perf, Left Selvedge



Full Perf, Right Selvedge



Full Perf, Left Selvedge, Imperforate Top & Bottom



Hang-Sell Reprints II & III

Normal Reprints II & III



An error booklet, that would not appear to be an error to the unsuspecting user. The bottom row of the panorama is above the top row. The stamp sheet was one row out of alignment before the adhering took place.



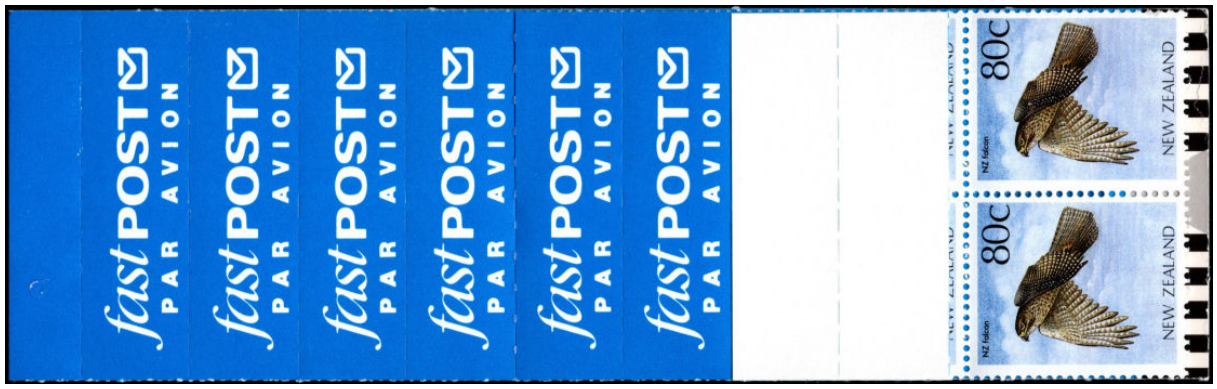
A major guillotining error. Before guillotining, there are five booklets with an uncut cover and ten rows of stamps already folded. This particular uncut block went through the guillotining process on an angle, resulting in the stamp pane displaying very unusual combinations of stamp sizes and shapes. There would have been four other similar booklets produced.

W40 1993-1995 $8.00 Falcon Booklets

W40a A new FastPost booklet, similar to the 1992 Penguin version, was issued on March 31, 1993. It was an $8.00 booklet containing 10 x 80c NZ Falcon stamps, perforated 14½ x 14. The booklet had a barcode on the reverse, along with a Roman Numeral I. A strip of FastPost labels was also included and these were adhered on top of the stamps over the selvedge. The stamps were adhered to the cover with either the top or bottom selvedge.









W40b In July 1994, a second version was released. The stamps were now perforated 12, the barcode was the same, but there was no Roman Numeral. The stamps were now adhered on top of the FastPost labels, which also had the words Par Avion removed, by the top selvedge. It is possible that there is a bottom selvedge version, but I have not seen one. The cover was also modified by changing the booklet value and the quantity of stamps from white to black. The background of the stamps was also lighter.







W40c In April 1995, a Hang-Sell version was issued. The stamps were perforated horizontally and through the centre of the pane vertically, leaving the left and right margins imperforate. The stamps were also adhered to the inside of the front cover, with the FastPost stickers on top.







W41 1993 $4.50 Tusked Weta Booklet

A $4.50 Tusked Weta booklet was issued on June 9, 1993. It contained 10 x 45c stamps. There were two versions, **W41a** Hang-Sell and **W41b** Normal. The sheet layout had on the left, 10 rows of 5 normally laid out, and the remaining 5 in the row, inverted, so that when split, all booklet panes would be attached by a left selvedge. The two versions had different barcodes.





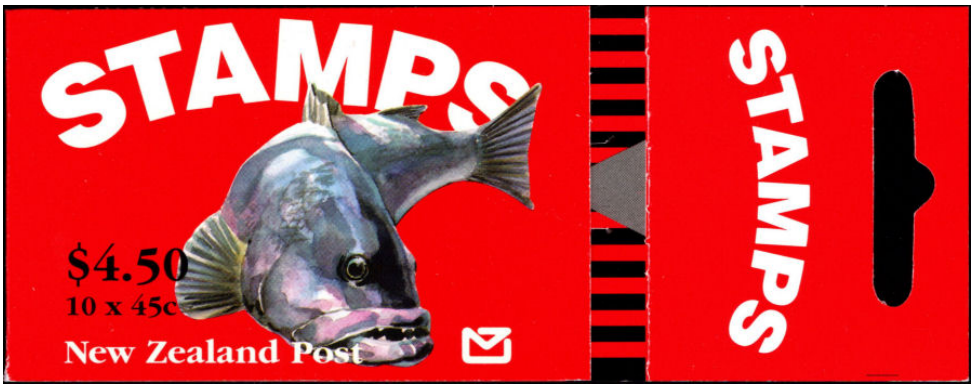




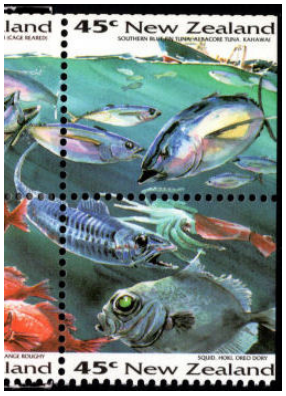


W42 1993 $4.50 New Zealand Fish Booklet

A $4.50 New Zealand Fish booklet was issued on September 1, 1993. It contained 10 x 45c stamps of New Zealand fish in one panoramic scene across the two rows. There were two versions, **W42a** Hang-Sell and **W42b** Normal. On the left of each row were a perforated stamp-sized advertisement for the New Zealand Fishing Industry Board. All booklet panes were attached by the left selvedge. The two versions had different barcodes. It is possible to find both versions with perforations on the very right edge of the pane, or due to guillotining, these perforations removed.

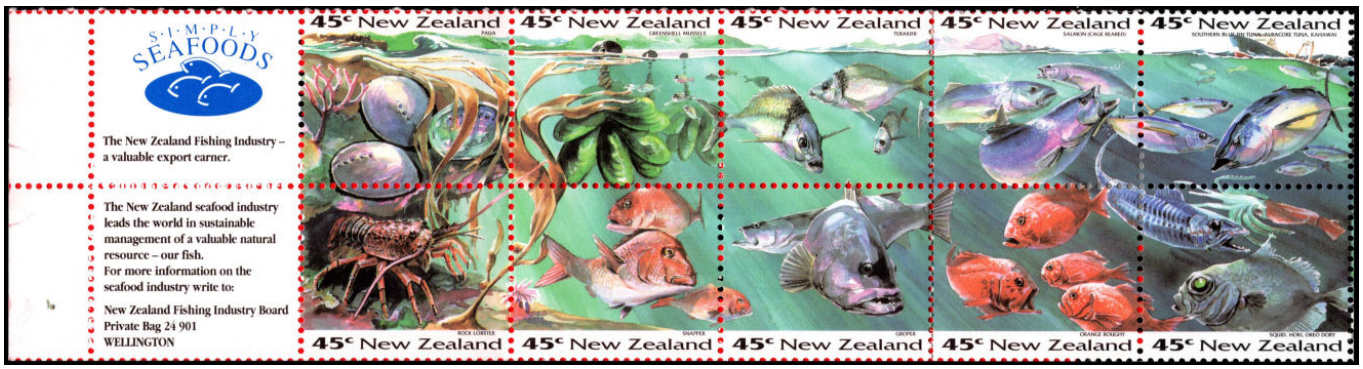












W43 1993 $4.50 New Zealand Dinosaur Booklet

A $4.50 New Zealand Dinosaur booklet was issued on October 1, 1993. It contained 10 x 45c Dinosaur stamps. There were two versions, **W43a** Hang-Sell and **W43b** Normal. On the left of each row were a perforated stamp-sized advertisement for TV3's "World Around Us" television programme. All booklet panes were attached by the left selvedge. The two versions had different barcodes.











W44 1993 $4.50 Christmas Booklet

A $4.50 Christmas booklet was issued on November 3, 1993. It contained 10 x 45c Christmas stamps. There were two versions, **W44a** Hang-Sell and **W44b** Normal. The pane consisted of a Christmas image that covered four stamps. This was repeated one and a half more times. All booklet panes were attached by the top selvedge. The two versions had different barcodes.











W45 1994 $4.50 Tourism New Zealand Booklet

As part of the New Zealand Tourism set of stamps, a $4.50 Tourism booklet was issued on January 19, 1994. It included 10 x 45c White Water Rafting stamps. The stamps were printed in sheets of 200, being two panes of 100, in ten rows of ten. One of the panes was inverted, so that all booklet panes could be adhered by the left selvedge. Again, there were two versions, **W45a** Hang-Sell and **W45b** Normal. The size of the hanging tab was now reduced to just over 1cm, instead of the previous 4cm. Each pane of stamps had four greetings labels at the left end. The stamps were perforated 12, and then a second perfing took place, to insert perforations between the upper and lower pairs of labels at 13½. The two booklets had different barcodes. Both booklets were reprinted during August & September, **W45a**z & **W45bz**, and can be identified by a Roman Numeral II on the reverse.









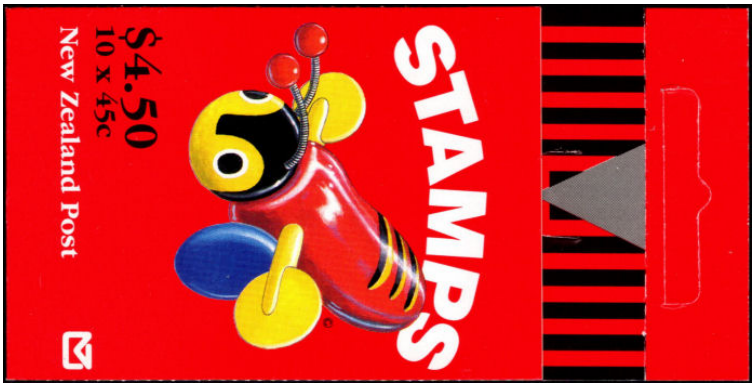






W46 1994 $4.50 Kiwiana Booklet

On April 27, 1994, a new Kiwiana booklet was issued. It contained 10 x 45c stamps featuring items specifically associated with New Zealand. There were two versions, **W46a** Hang-Sell and **W46b** Normal. The two versions had different barcodes.









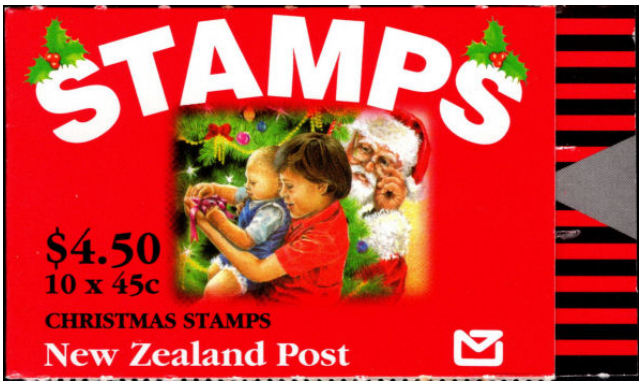


W47 1994 $4.50 Christmas Booklet

On September 21, 1994, a new Christmas booklet was issued. It contained 10 x 45c stamps featuring Father Christmas and children. These stamps were only available in booklet format. There were two versions of booklet, **W47a** Hang-Sell and **W47b** Normal. The two versions had different barcodes.







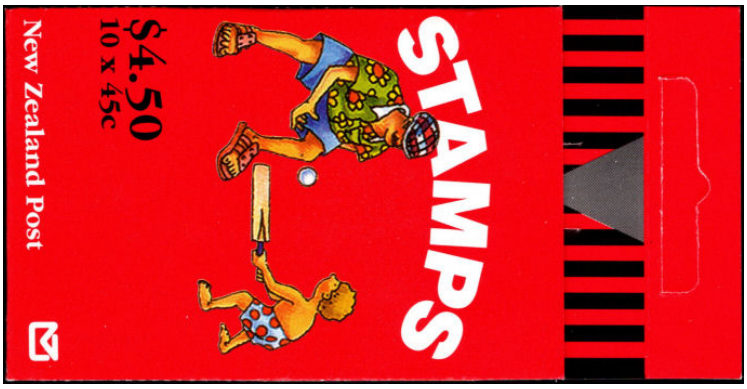




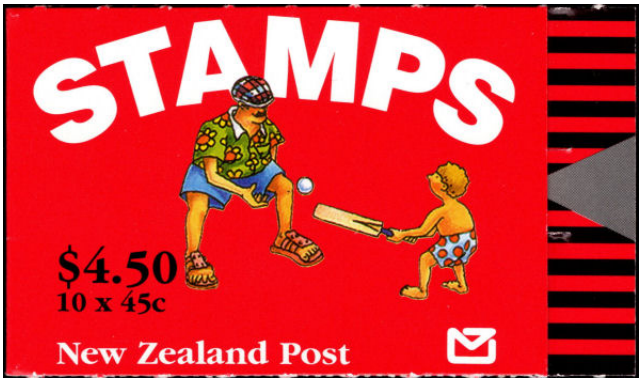
W48 1994 $4.50 Cricket Booklet

On November 2, 1994, a new Cricket booklet was issued. It was produced to commemorate the Centenary of the New Zealand Cricket Council. It contained 10 x 45c stamps featuring a full "cricket at the beach" scene covering the 10 stamps. There were two versions of booklet, **W48a** Hang-Sell and **W48b** Normal. The two versions had different barcodes.

This was the last time that the two types of booklets were issued. Going forward, there was only the Hang-Sell type. It was also the last booklet to be produced in blocks of 5 with roulettes inbetween for separation at the counter.











W49 1995 $4.50 Environment Booklet

W49a March 22, 1995, saw the first of the single type Hang-Sell booklets. No longer were there two versions. It was an Environment booklet and contained 10 x 45c stamps depicting environmental matters. They were printed in large sheets comprising four panes each of 100 stamps. Each pane had 20 rows of 5 stamps to make ten booklets. The pane only had horizontal perforations every second row, and when the booklets were guillotined, it resulted in imperforate edges top and bottom.

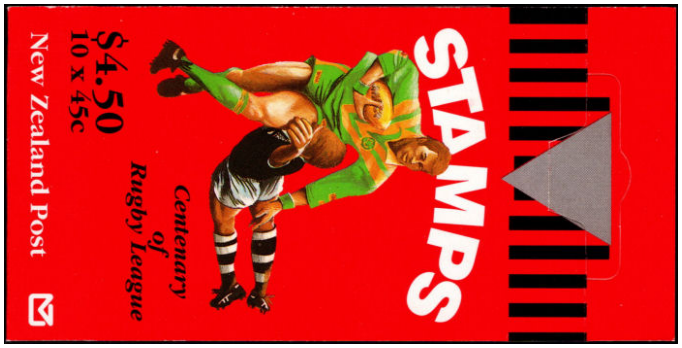






W50 1995 $4.50 Rugby League Booklet

W50a On July 26, 1995, a Rugby League booklet was issued. It contained 10 x 45c stamps featuring Rugby League. These stamps were only available in booklet format. The production method was the same as the 1995 Environment booklet.







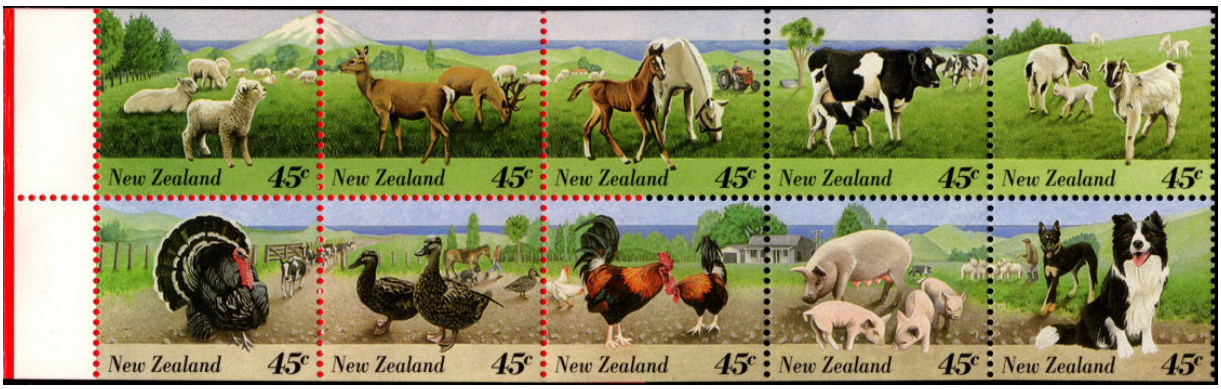
W51 & W53 1995 $4.50 & $4.00 Farmyard Animals Booklets

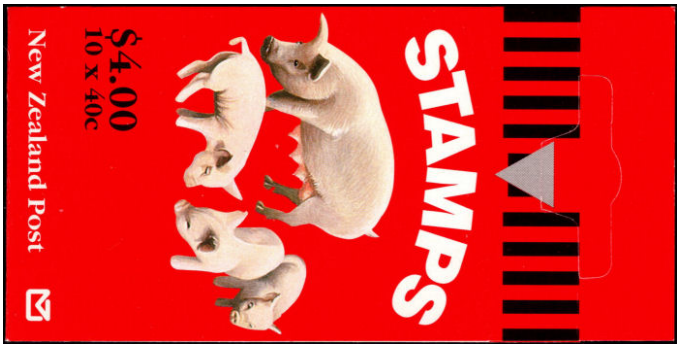
W51a On September 1, 1995, a Farmyard Animals booklet was issued. It contained 10 x 45c stamps featuring different animals on each stamp. These stamps were only available in booklet format. The production method was the same as the 1995 Environment booklet.

W53a On October 2, 1995, there was a rare reduction in postage rates, so this booklet was reissued to reflect that change from 45c to 40c. The actual changes from the earlier booklet were the cover value, the stamps themselves, and a new barcode on the reverse.

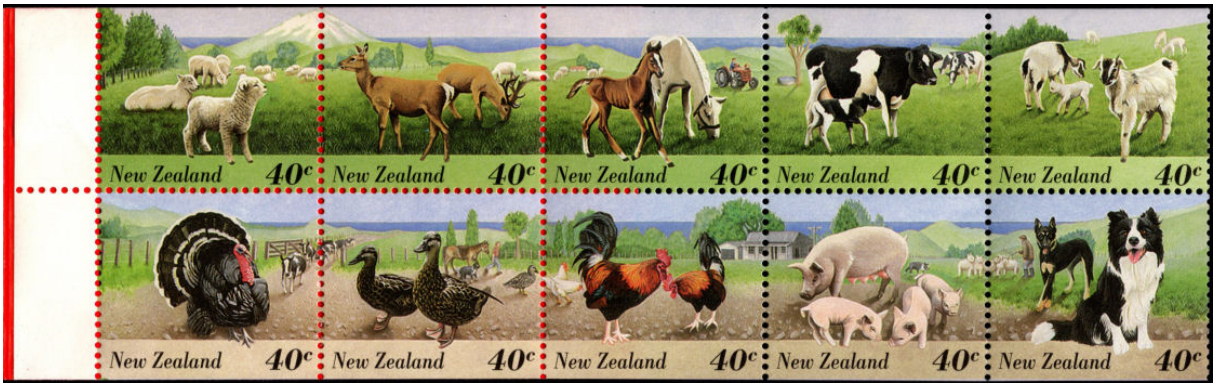




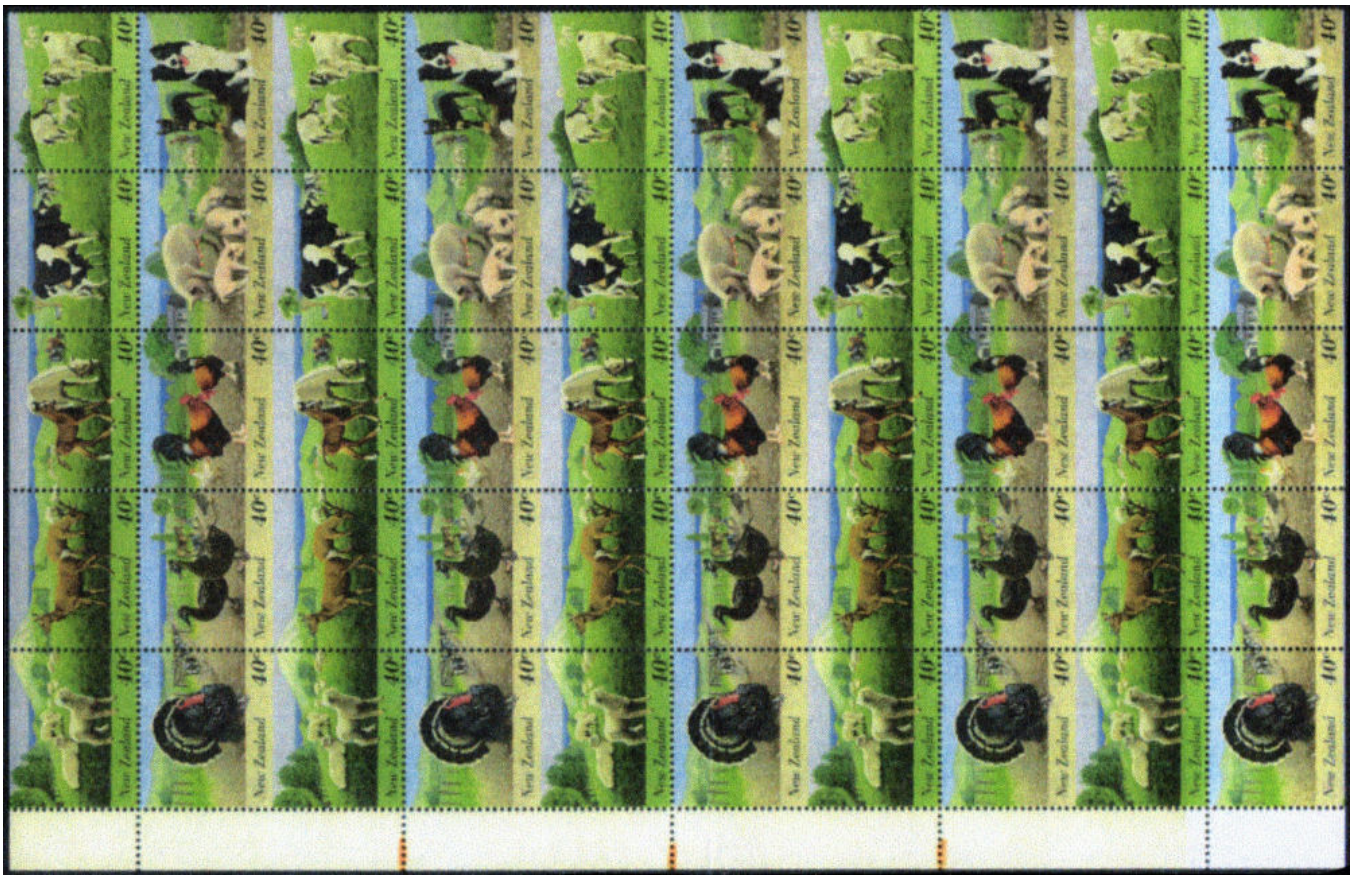








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W52 1995 $5.00 Trial AirPost Booklet

W52a 20,000 booklets were produced for a trial of AirPost International on September 1, 1995. The booklets contained five of the $1.00 Forest Ringlet Butterfly. These were from a separate printing and when compared to the normal sheet stamp, they are a different shade, with the background being more brown. They were printed se-tenant with AirPost International labels. The bottom of the stamp is imperforate. The production method was the same as the 1995 Environment booklet.

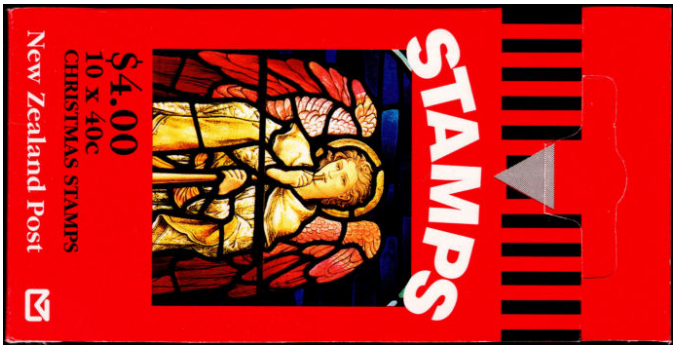






W54 1995 $4.00 Christmas Booklet

W54a On November 9, 1995, the 1995 Christmas booklet was issued. It contained 10 x 40c Christmas stamps. The production method was the same as the 1995 Environment booklet.



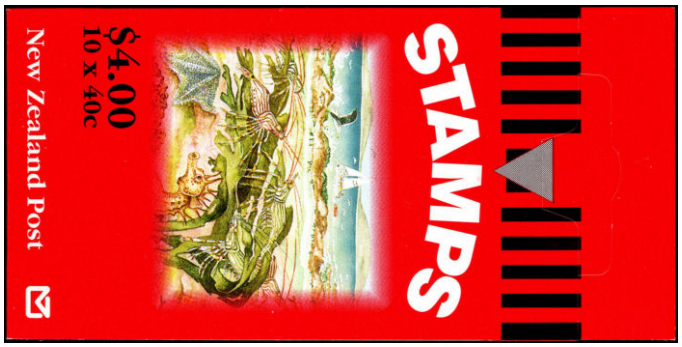




W56 1996 $4.00 New Zealand Seashore Booklet

W56a On February 21, 1996, the last of the single pane, gummed booklets was issued. It was a New Zealand Seashore booklet, comprising a panoramic scene of the seashore that included birds, fish and other sea creatures. The pane had 10 x 40c stamps. The production method was the same as the 1995 Environment booklet.

W56b On August 7, 1996, the same booklet was reissued in a self-adhesive format. A first for New Zealand Booklets. The paper comprises a top layer positioned over a backing paper, from which the stamp is peeled away. The two layers are held together by an adhesive that remains attached to the stamp after separation. Simulated die-cut perforations are applied to the stamp images.













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W57 1996 $5.00 Pohutukawa AirPost Booklet

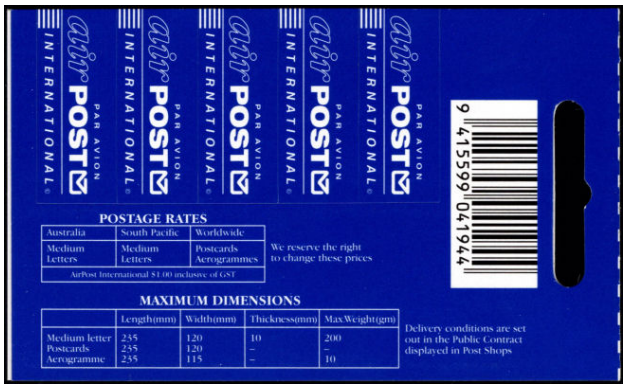
W57a Following on from the 1995 Trial AirPost booklet concept, a self-adhesive $5.00 booklet was released on August 7, 1996. It contained 5 x $1.00 Pohutukawa stamps. It had a blue foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. One stamp is on inside of front cover, the other four are on inside of back cover. The panel fold has 28 roulettes. A roulette is like a perforation, but made as a series of cuts, without removing any paper. The booklet was made up of a triple layer paper, allowing the AirPost labels on the reverse, to be removed.

W57az The booklet was reprinted early 1998 and this can be identified by the change in the number of roulettes in the flap fold. They were reduced to 15. Everything else remained the same.

W57b A further reprint early 1999, had a change to the front cover. A white strip incorporating a change to the New Zealand Post logo. Inside the front cover was a black kiwi reprint symbol.

All versions of this booklet had the same barcode number, and all have been found completely imperforate, i.e. no die-cut perforations.







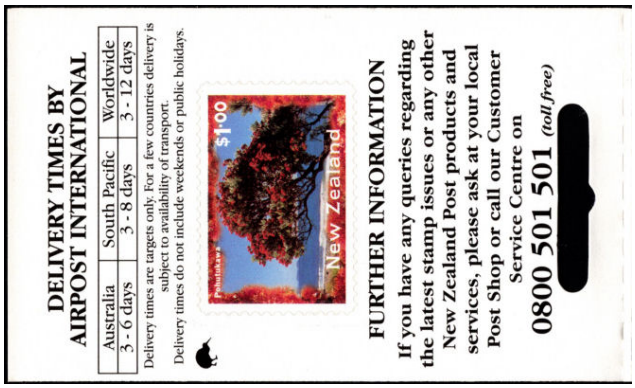


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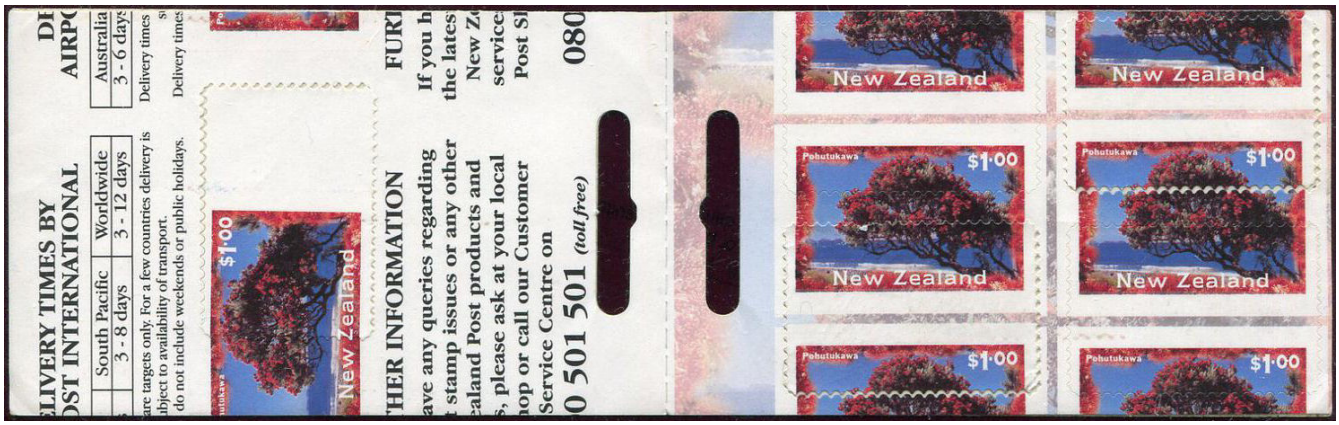


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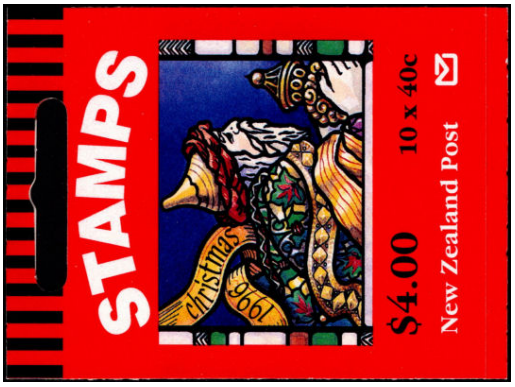
1-Kiwi Reprint



This booklet suffered a major misalignment when it was guillotined after the stamps were printed. It then went normally through the die-cut perforation and hanging slot processes, as these are in their correct positions in relation to the cover.

W58 1996 $4.00 Christmas Booklet

W58a The 1996 Christmas booklet was issued on September 4, 1996. It contained 10 self adhesive stamps of the 40c "Adoration Of Magi". It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.







The booklet below has the die cut perforations missing. The booklet also has no perforation roulettes used for folding the booklet, nor the punched hanging slot. You will also notice that there is a ripple through the 4th stamp pair which was either caused as a result of going through the perforation machine incorrectly or was already there, causing it not to be perforated.



W59 1996 $4.00 Stout-Legged Wren Booklet

W59a On October 2, 1996, a $4.00 Short-Legged Wren booklet was released. It contained 10 self adhesive stamps of the 40c featuring the "Short-Legged Wren". It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover. This booklet is known for an error: Printing Reversed, Stamps on Printed Cover, Booklet Cover on S/A Stamp Paper.



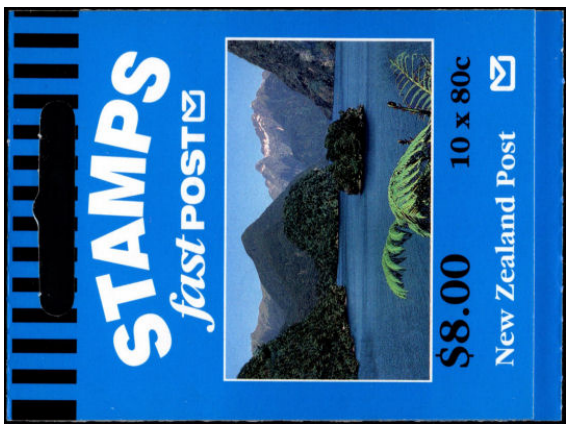




W60 1996 $8.00 Doubtful Sound FastPost Booklet

W60a The first FastPost Booklet in self-adhesive format was issued November 13, 1996. It contained 10 x 80c Doubtful Sounds stamps. It had a blue foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. The panel folds had 13 roulettes. Triple layer paper was used, to allow for self-adhesive FastPost labels on the back of the in-fold panel.

W60az The booklet was reprinted early 1998. Distinguishing features are a different shade of blue for the cover, but more obvious is the change from 13 roulettes to 8 roulettes.









13 Roulettes

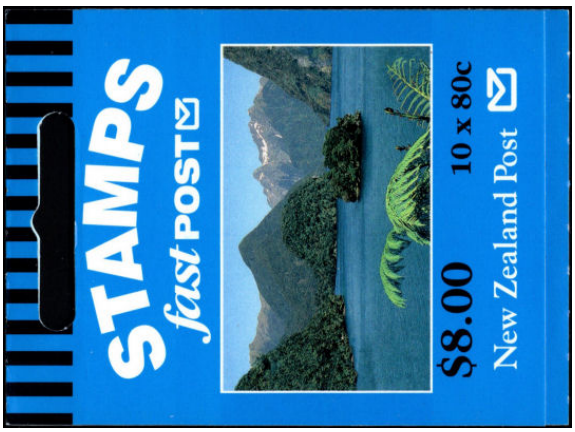


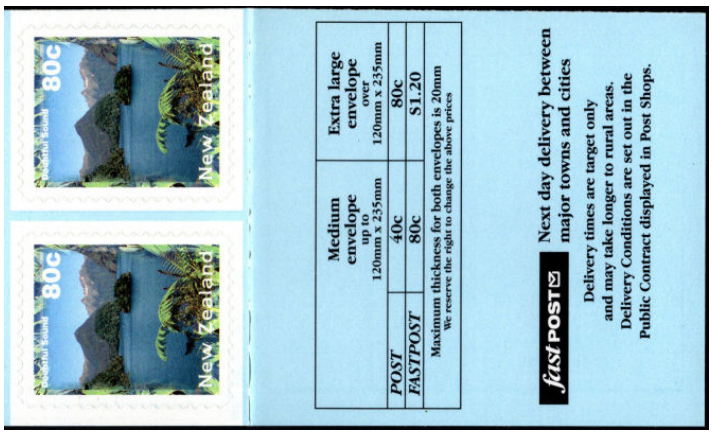
8 Roulettes

W60b Around January 1999, a further reprint was issued. This time there were significant differences. The booklet now had three folds. The additional panel had the rates table on one side, previously it was on the back cover, and on the other were additional new style FastPost labels. The "New Zealand Post" and logo on the front cover were now in a larger font.

W60bz W60by W60bx

There were three further reprints of this version, with kiwi reprint symbols on the reverse. For each of the reprints, the rates table and two stamps from the top panel were swapped around. The 1-Kiwi came out around December 1999, the 2-Kiwi issued around August 2000, and the 3-Kiwi in March 2001. **W60bya** The 2-Kiwi version has been seen completely imperforate.







W62 1997 $4.00 New Zealand's Wackiest Letterboxes Booklet

W62a A new $4.00 booklet was issued March 19, 1997. It contained 10 self adhesive stamps of different 40c Wackiest Letterboxes. It had a red foldable cover (2 folds) incorporating a hanging slot.







W63 1997 $4.00 Christmas Booklet

W63a The 1997 Christmas booklet was issued on September 3, 1997. It contained 10 self adhesive stamps of the 40c "Samuel Marsden memorial cross at the Bay Of Islands". It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.

W63az This booklet has been seen completely imperforate.







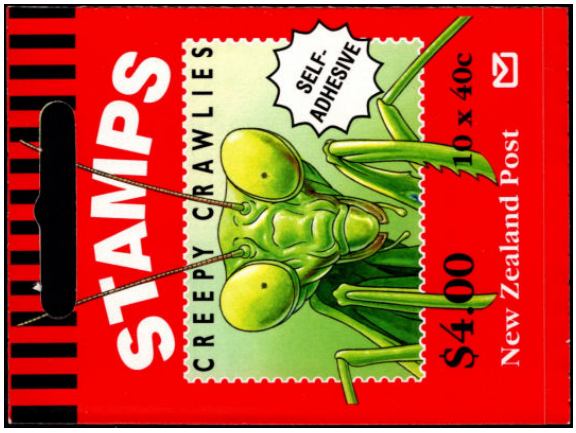




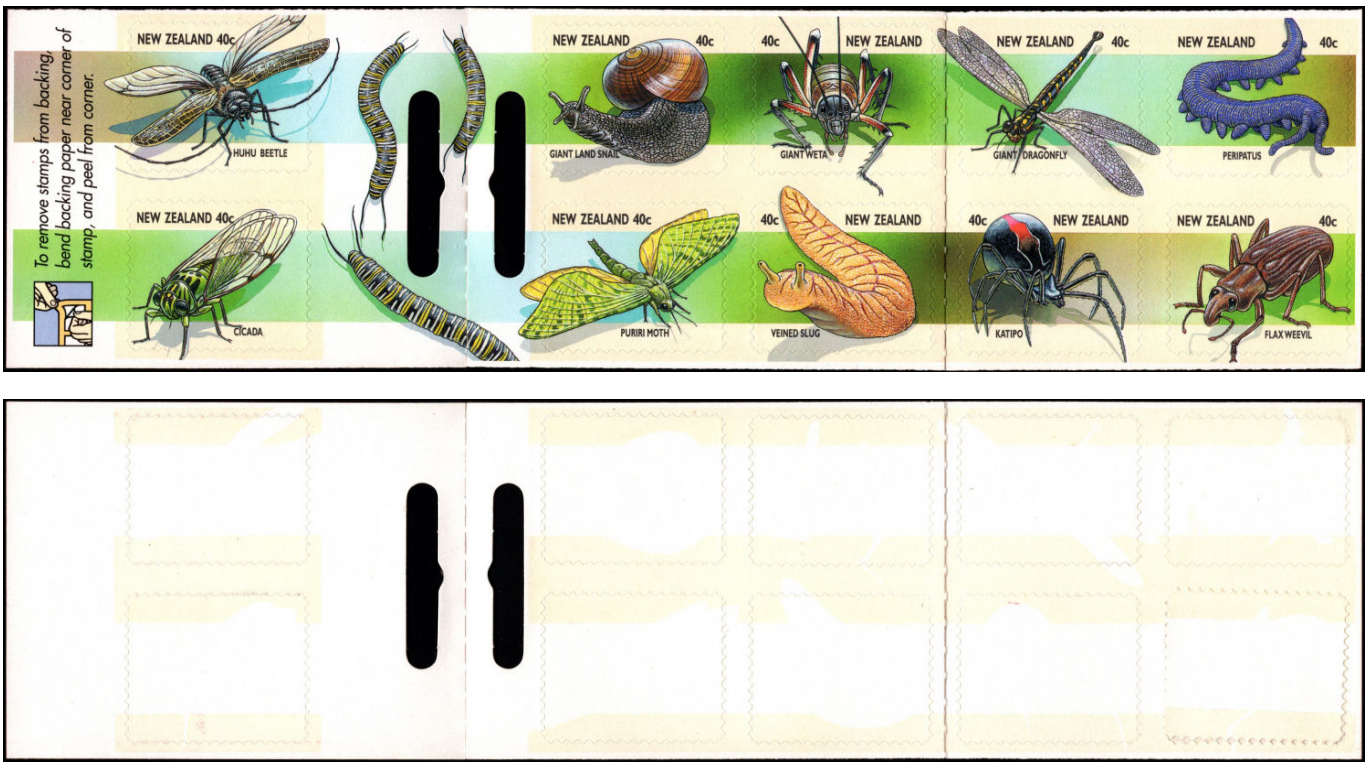
The used copy on the right shows that a major perforation misalignment of the booklet has resulted in the right side of the stamp image to be missing and the inclusion of the booklet details on the left. This used stamp is from position one of the bottom row of the booklet pane.

W64 1997 $4.00 Creepy Crawlies Booklet

W64a On October 1, 1997, a $4.00 Creepy Crawlies booklet was issued. It contained 10 self adhesive stamps of different 40c Creepy Crawlies. It had a red foldable cover (2 folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.





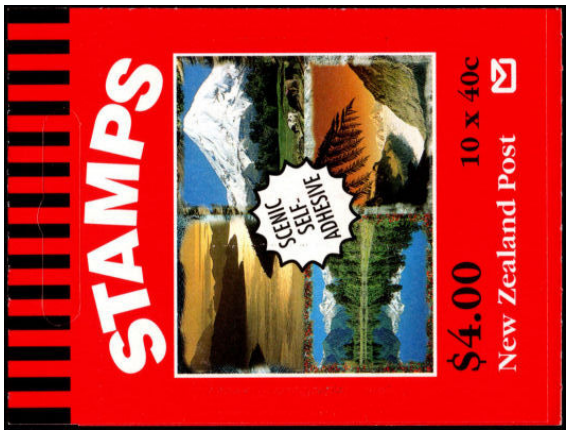


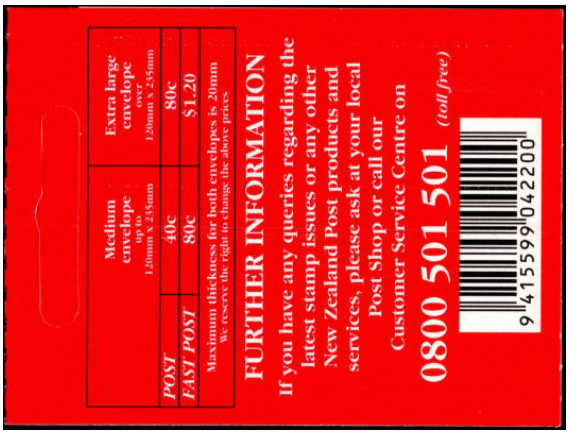
W64az The above Creepy Crawlies booklet has all the stamp printing omitted. Only the phosphor coating and die-cut perforations are present. The booklet was purchased over the counter at Linwood Post Office, Christchurch. This booklet is one of only two known, the other one has been stapled.

W66 1998 $4.00 Scenic Definitives Booklet

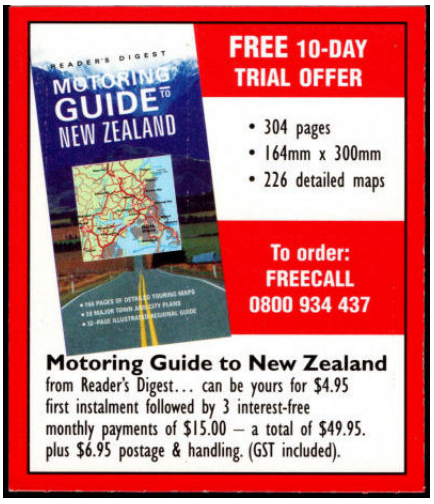
The Scenic Definitives booklet was very popular and stayed around for nearly four years. During this time, there were many reprints and varieties. The reprints, rather than have kiwi reprint symbols, used different advertisements on the outside of the third panel. There are other significant differences, identified with each variety.

W66a The first issue was released on January 14, 1998. It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover. It consists of 10 x 40c stamps depicting New Zealand scenes. There are six different scenes, with four of them being duplicated. The first advertisement was for "Reader's Digest Motoring Guide To New Zealand". Around each stamp margin can be seen a light brown phosphor tag.









W66az A very prominent variety occurred in this booklet. The printing plate had a layout of 24 booklet panes. On one of the panes, the words "Marlborough Sounds" were omitted from the third stamp in the bottom row. This error was well publicised and can be found in 1 in 24 booklets. The plate was subsequently repaired for future reprints.

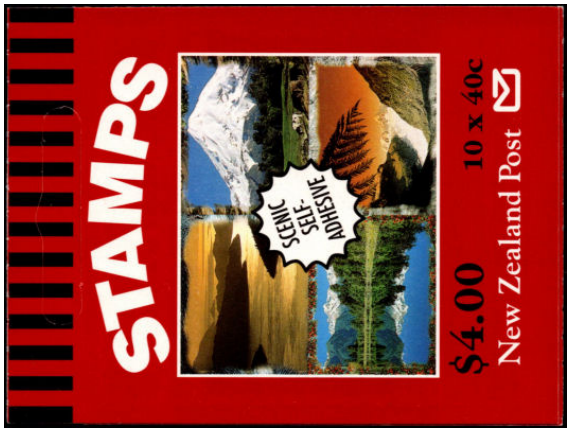
W66ay The normal version of this booklet is also known, completely imperforate.

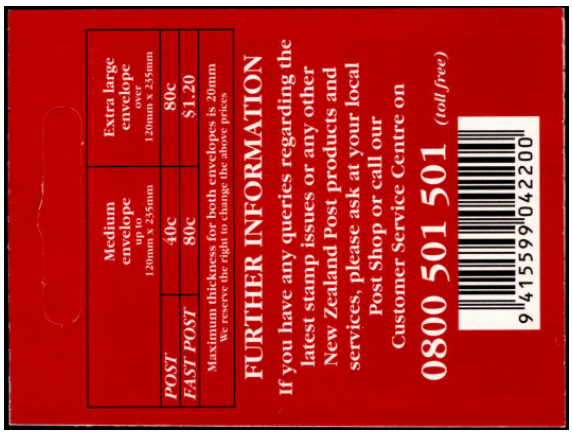






W66b July 1998, saw the first reprint. There were a number of changes. The cover was now a deep scarlet. The "New Zealand Post" and logo on the front cover were now in a larger font. The number of fold roulettes was increased from 13 to 15. The advertisement was "Scenic Skies Stamps Presentation Pack".







W66bz & W66by Two more reprints occurred around May 1999 and July 1999. They only varied from the previous reprint with a change to the advertising. The first advertised the "Town Icons Presentation Pack" and the second "New Zealand U-Bix Rugby Super 12 Team Packs".

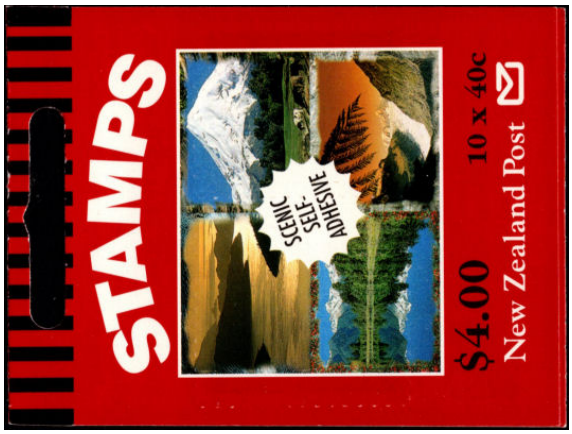
W66bya A number of the "Rugby Super 12" booklets have been found, where the printing has occurred on the backing paper. This means that the two-layered paper was inserted upside down and results in the stamps having no self-adhesive. They easily lift from the backing paper.

W66byb The Super Rugby version has been seen completely imperforate.





W66bx & W66bw Another two reprints around May and June 2000. This time, advertising was for "Stamp Focus" and "Get Stuck Into Stamp Collecting (Stamp Hunter)". A subtle change occurred to the front cover, with the removal of the black surround of the "Scenic Self-Adhesive" in the centre. **W66bwa** The "Get Stuck Into Stamp Collecting" has also been found printed on the backing paper.







W66bv & W66bu When the next round of reprints took place around March 2001, for some reason, the black surround previously removed from the front cover, was re-instated. The advertisements were for "New Zealand Stamp Collection 2000" and "Threatened Birds". **W66bva & W66bua** Both booklets have also been seen, printed on the backing paper.





W66c & W66cz Around May 2001, the above two booklets were reprinted again, but this time instead of having the phosphor tagging, they were printed on phosphor coated paper. The difference can be seen around the border of each stamp.



Phosphor Tagging



Phosphor Coated Paper

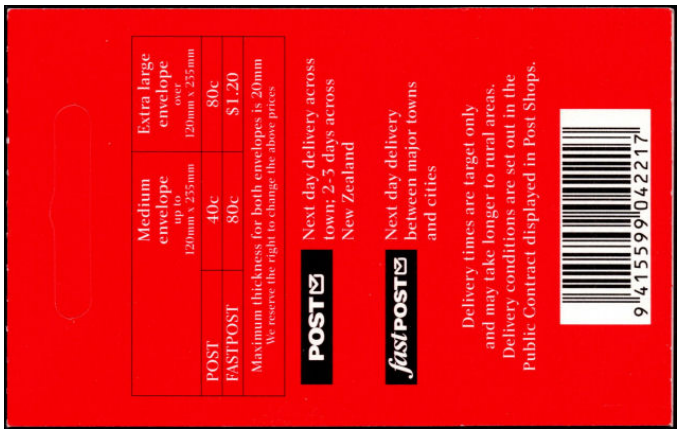


W66czc The above Threatened Birds, phosphor coated paper booklet, has the stamp printing shifted to the left by approximately 17mm. The die-cut perforations and fold roulettes are in the correct spots. Two of the stamp images are now split by the fold roulettes and another two by the hanging notch and roulettes. There are a number of other errors associated with this booklet.

W67 1998 $4.00 Greetings Booklet

W67a On April 15, 1998, a $4.00 Greetings booklet was issued. It contained 10 self adhesive stamps of different 40c Greetings. It had a red foldable cover (2 folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Four stamps are backed onto the front cover. **W67az** Printed on backing paper.







W68 1998 $4.00 Christmas Booklet

W68a The 1998 Christmas booklet was issued on September 2, 1998. It contained 10 self adhesive stamps of the 40c "Virgin Mary and the Messiah". It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.



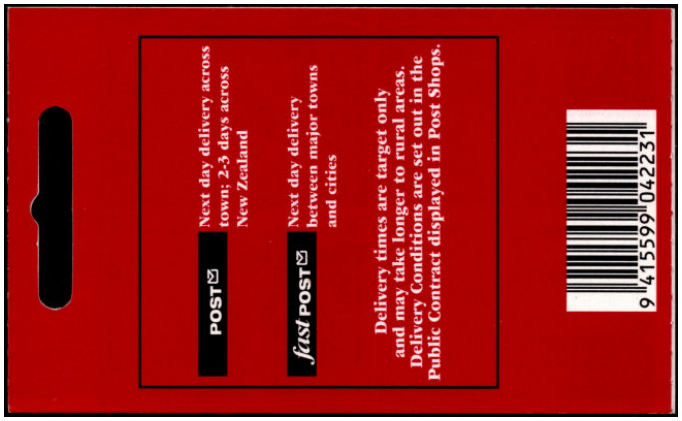




W69 1998 $4.00 Town Icons Booklet

W69a On October 7, 1998, a $4.00 Town Icons booklet was issued. It contained 10 self adhesive stamps of different 40c well known New Zealand Town Icons. It had a red foldable cover (2 folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover. **W69az** Imperforate.







W70-W74 1999 $4.00 U-Bix Rugby Super 12 Booklets

On April 7, 1999. a set of five booklets was released to celebrate the Rugby Super 12 teams. They contained 10 self adhesive stamps (5 x alternating pairs) of 40c players in action. They had a coloured foldable cover (3 folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Each cover represented the teams colours. The five booklets were for **W70a** "Auckland Blues", **W71a** "Waikato Chiefs", **W72a** "Wellington Hurricanes", **W73a** "Canterbury Crusaders" and **W74a** "Otago Highlanders".







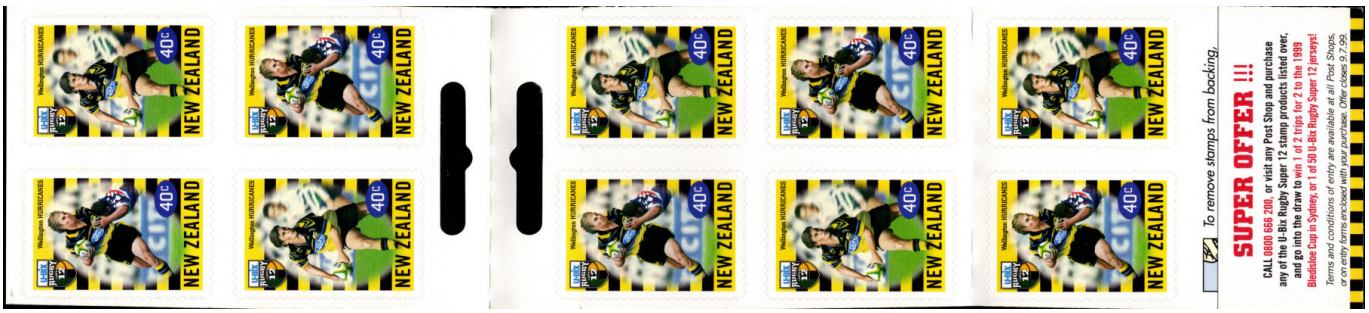


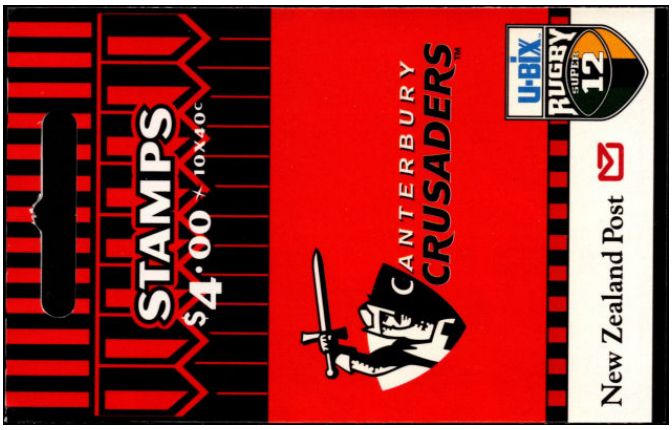





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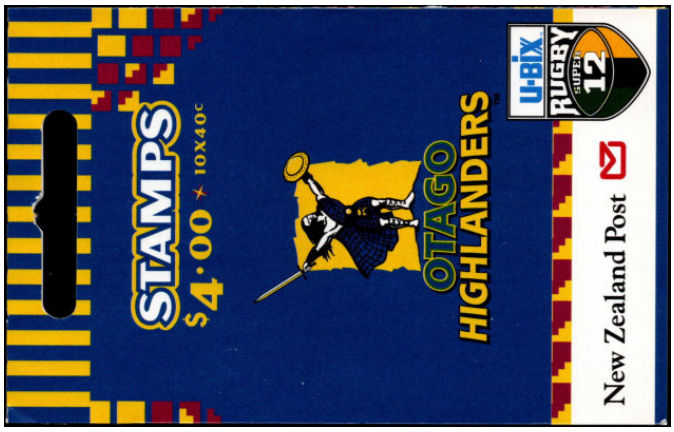

1996 Placing: 9th
Leading Individual Try Scorer: Christian Cullen (7)
Number of Team Tries Scored: 31
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Number of Team Points Scored: 290
1997 Placing: 3rd
Leading Individual Try Scorer: Tana Umaga (12)
Number of Team Tries Scored: 54
Leading Individual Points Scorer: Jon Preston (153)
Number of Team Points Scored: 436
1998 Placing: 8th
Leading Individual Try Scorers: Christian Cullen (6)
Alex Talea (6)
Number of Team Tries Scored: 34
Leading Individual Points Scorer: Jon Preston (112)
Number of Team Points Scored: 313
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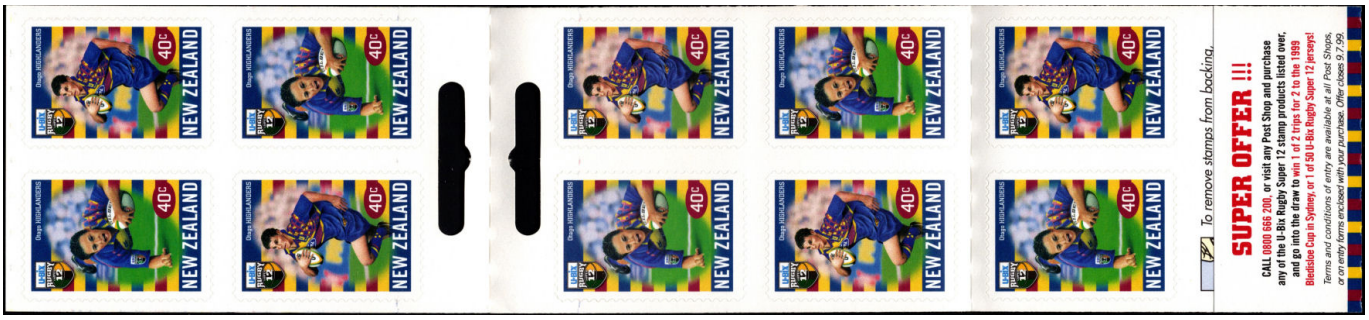

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New Zealand Post


1996 Placing: 12th
Leading Individual Try Scorers: Justin Marshall (3)
Adrian Tukaki (3)
Damon Kasi (3)
Number of Team Tries Scored: 24
Leading Individual Points Scorer: Andy Müller (77)
Number of Team Points Scored: 234
1997 Placing: 6th
Leading Individual Try Scorer: Daryl Lilley (4)
Number of Team Tries Scored: 29
Leading Individual Points Scorer: Andrew Mehrtens (94)
Number of Team Points Scored: 272
1998 Placing: 1st
Leading Individual Try Scorer: Norm Berryman (9)
Number of Team Tries Scored: 43
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Number of Team Points Scored: 396
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W76 1999 $4.00 Yachting Booklet

W76a The $4.00 Yachting booklet was issued on October 20, 1999. It contained 10 self adhesive stamps of the 40c "Optimist" class of yacht. It had a red foldable cover (2 folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.







W77 1999 $4.00 Christmas Booklet

W77a The 1999 Christmas booklet was issued on November 1, 1999. It contained 10 self adhesive stamps of 40c showing "Baby Jesus surrounded by stable animals". It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.





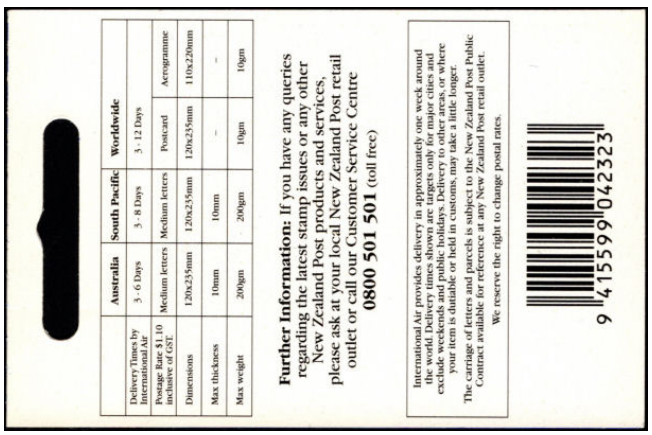


W78 2000 $5.50 International Air Booklet

W78a Following a rate change for International postage, a new AirPost booklet was issued on April 3, 2000. Unlike its predecessor, the 1996 Pohutukawa booklet, it was made from two layered paper, instead of three, with the Air International stickers moving from the reverse to the inside, next to the stamp on the front cover. It contained 5 x $1.10 Kaikoura Coast stamps. It had a blue foldable cover (1 fold) incorporating a hanging slot.

W78az This booklet is also known completely imperforate.







W79 2000 $4.00 Kiwiana II Booklet

W79a On April 3, 2000, a second Kiwiana booklet was issued. The first was back in 1994 in gummed, single pane format. This new Kiwiana II booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of 40c, showing a Kiwi with different New Zealand icons or cultural features. It had a red foldable cover (2 folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.







W81 2000 $4.00 Christmas Booklet

W81a The 2000 Christmas booklet was issued on November 1, 2000. It contained 10 self adhesive stamps of 40c showing "Mary and Baby Jesus". It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.



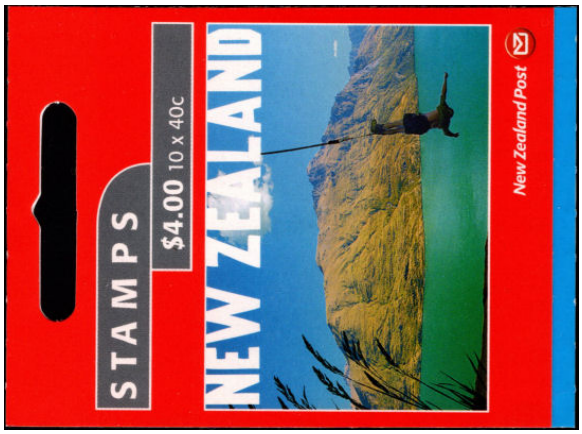


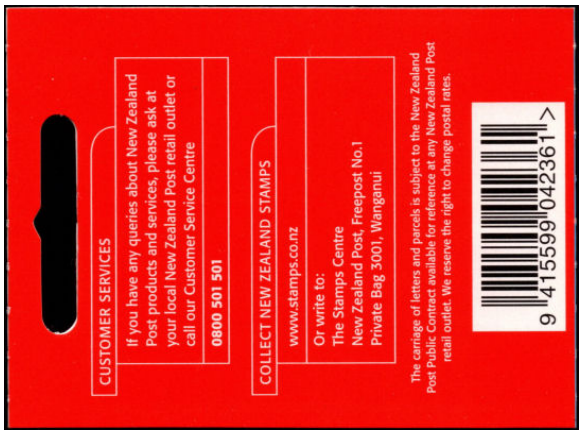


W82, W83 & W84 2001 $4.00 & $7.50 & $9.00 100 Years Of Tourism Booklets

On July 4, 2001, a set of three booklets was released to commemorate "100 Years Of Tourism", for the New Zealand Tourism Board. There was a standard $4.00 booklet, a $7.50 International AirPost booklet and a $9.00 FastPost booklet.

W82a The $4.00 booklet had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover and 10 FastPost labels were on the outside of the third panel, meaning that it was printed on triple layer paper. It contained 10 x 40c "Bungy Jumping, Queenstown" stamps.

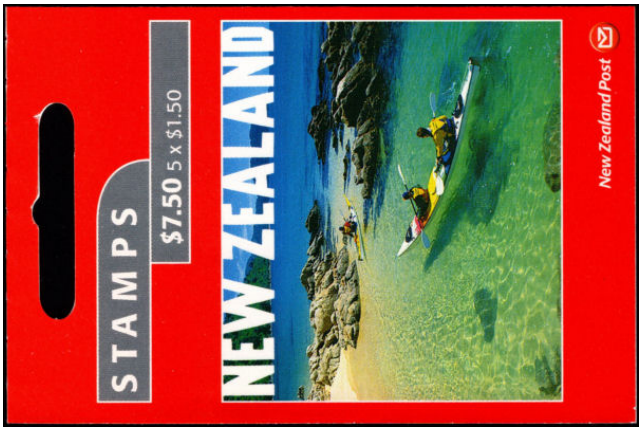


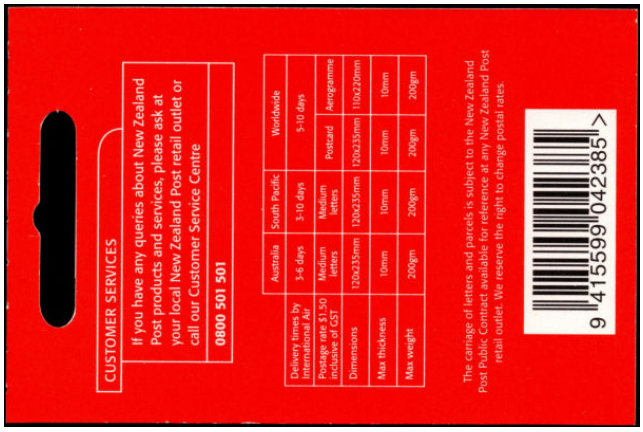




W84a The $7.50 booklet had a red foldable cover (one fold) incorporating a hanging slot. One stamp is backed onto the front cover along with 5 AirPost labels. The booklet was printed on double layer paper. It contained 5 x $1.50 "Sea Kayaking, Abel Tasman Park" stamps. An interesting observation is that only two of the five AirPost labels have "Par Avion" in their design.

W84az This booklet was reprinted early in 2002, and the only distinguishing difference is the inclusion of a 1-Kiwi reprint symbol on the reverse.



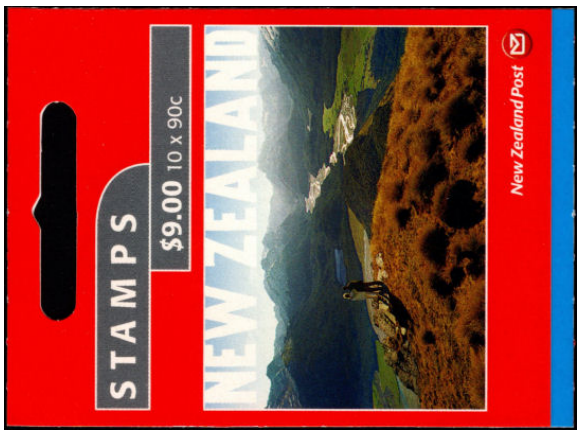


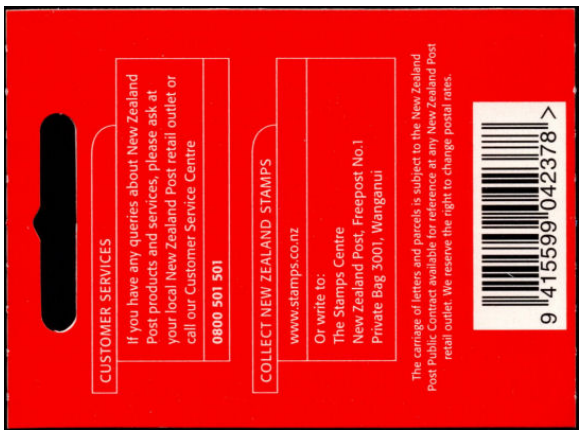




W83a The $9.00 booklet had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover and 10 FastPost labels were on the outside of the third panel, meaning that it was printed on triple layer paper. It contained 10 x 90c "Mt. Alfred, near Glenorchy" stamps.

W83az This booklet was reprinted toward the end of 2001, and the only distinguishing difference is the inclusion of a 1-Kiwi reprint symbol on the reverse.



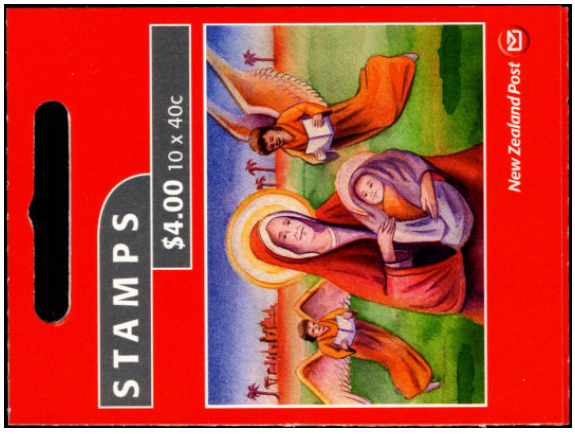


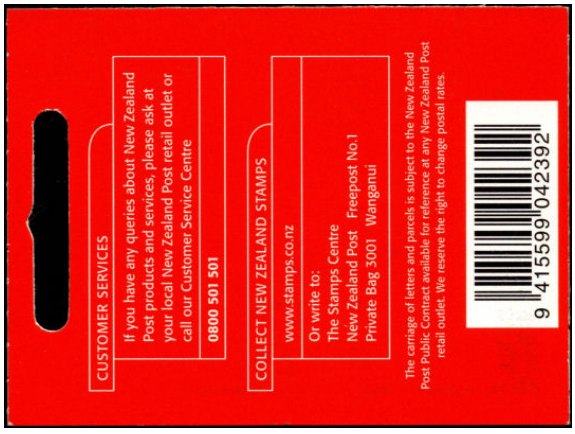




W85 2001 $4.00 Christmas Booklet

W85a The 2001 Christmas booklet was issued on November 7, 2001. It contained 10 self adhesive stamps of 40c showing "When Christ was born of Mary free". It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.

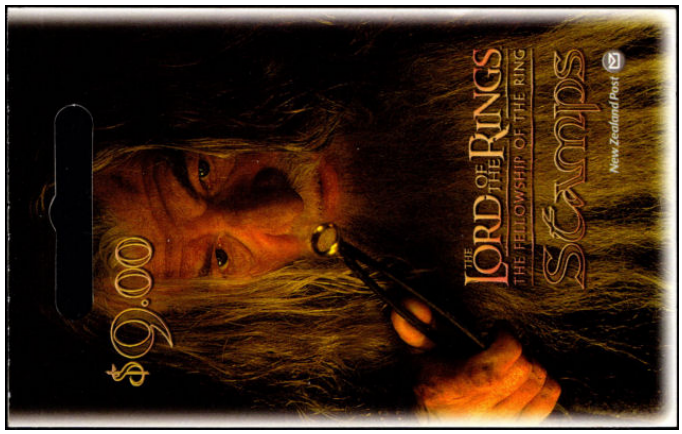


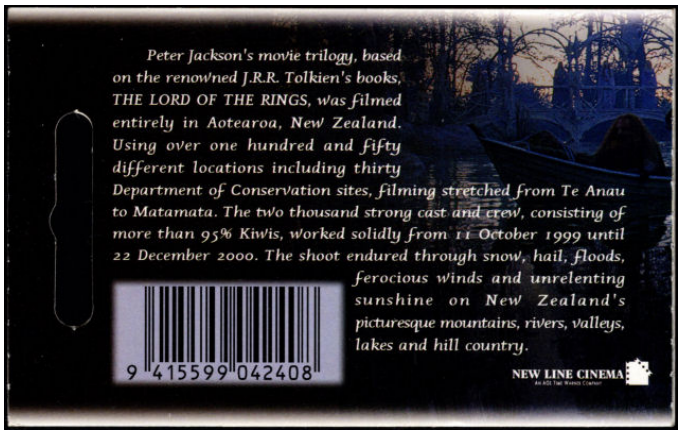




W86 2001 $9.00 Lord Of The Rings I Booklet

W86a December 4, 2001 saw the release of the first booklet in the Lord Of The Rings trilogy, celebrating the films produced in New Zealand by Peter Jackson. The "Fellowship Of The Ring" was issued shortly before the release of the film itself, and the booklet had a multicolour foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. It contained 10 self adhesive stamps of varying denominations, 4 x 40c, 1 x 80c, 2 x 90c, 1 x $1.30, 1 x $1.50 and 1 x $2.00 of the Lord Of The Rings I series.



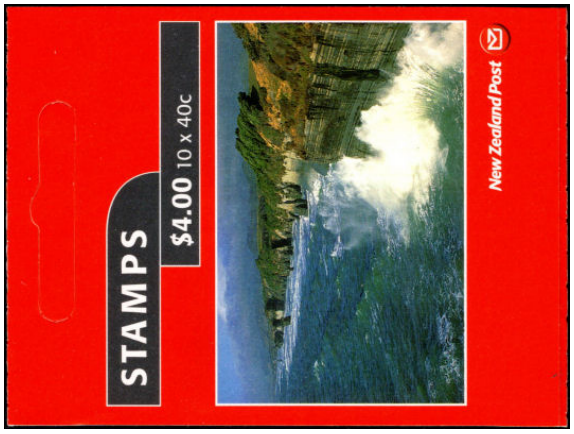


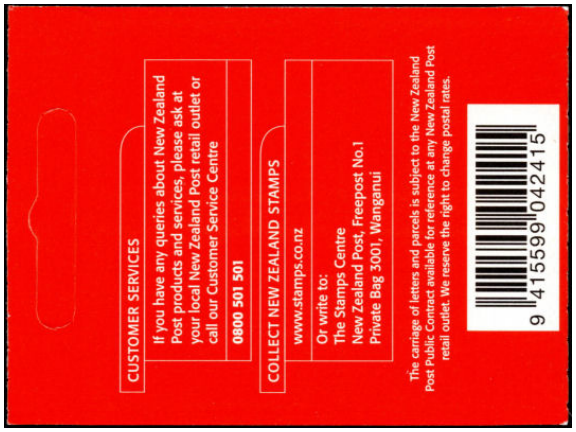


W87, W88 & W89 2002 $4.00 & $7.50 & $9.00 Scenic Coastlines Booklets

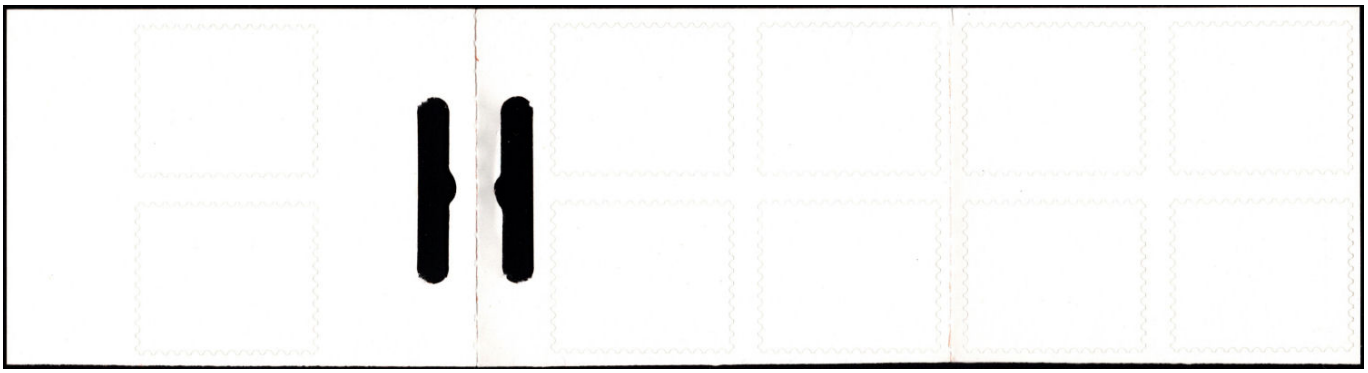
On July 3, 2002, the "100 Years Of Tourism" booklets were replaced by another three of the same denominations, featuring New Zealand Coastlines. **W87a** The $4.00 booklet had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover. The outside of the third panel was now blank, because of the removal of the FastPost labels. It contained 10 x 40c "Tongaporutu Cliffs, Taranaki" stamps. **W87ax** A few copies have been found with all stamp printing omitted, as shown below, or **W87aw** completely imperforate.

W87az A reprint of the $4,00 booklet appeared in March 2003. Its features were the same as the original except for the reduction of fold roulettes from 13 to 9, and the inclusion of a 1-Kiwi reprint symbol on the reverse.

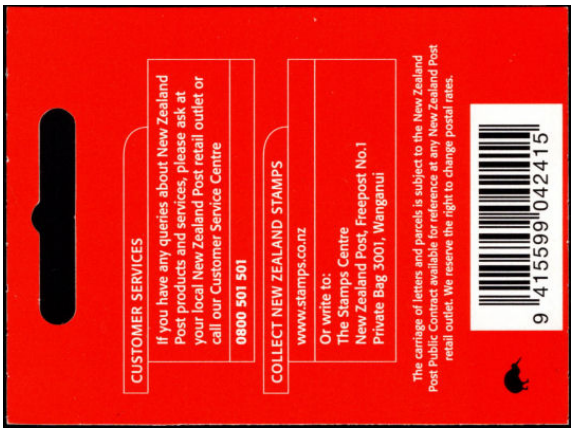






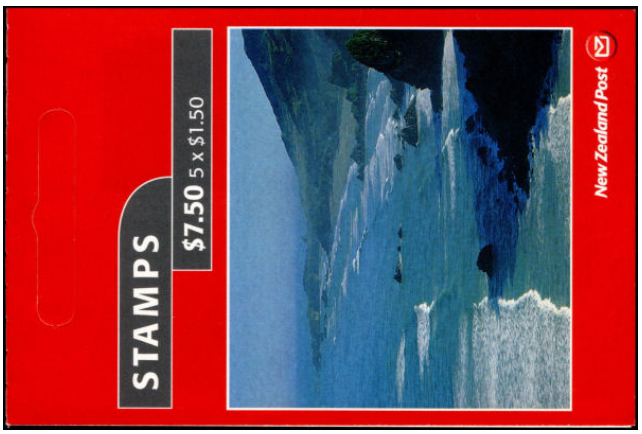


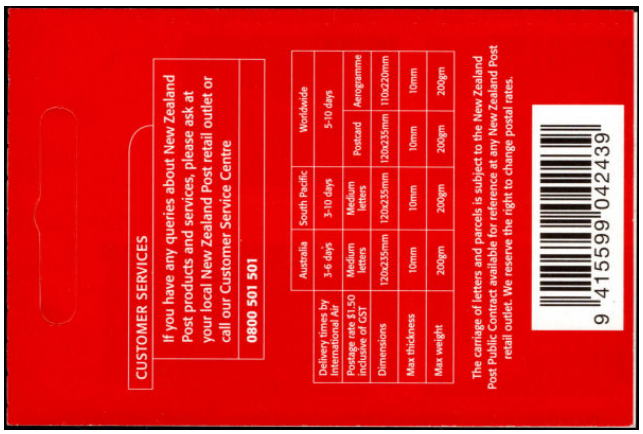
All stamp printing omitted. Only the die-cut perforations and the phosphor coating are visible.



$4.00 1-Kiwi Reprint

W89a The $7.50 booklet had a red foldable cover (one fold) incorporating a hanging slot. One stamp is backed onto the front cover. As per the $4.00 booklet, the FastPost labels have been removed, and this leaves a very unfinished appearance to the booklet. It contained 5 x $1.50 "Meybille Bay, West Coast" stamps.

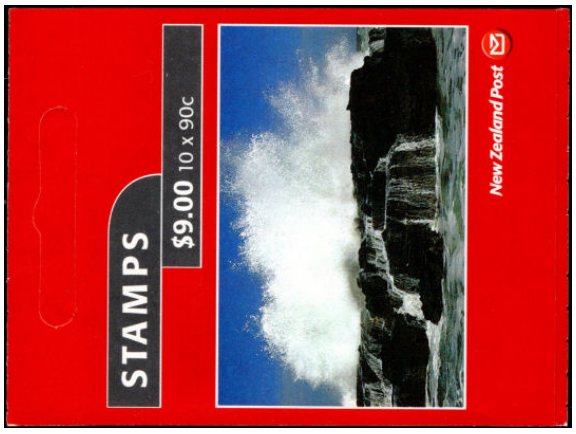


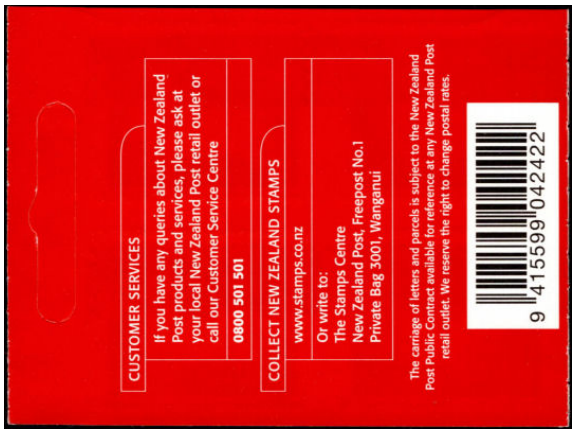




W88a The $9.00 booklet had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover. The outside of the third panel was now blank, because of the removal of the FastPost labels. It contained 10 x 90c "Curio Bay, Catlins" stamps.

W88az This booklet was reprinted in May 2003, and the only distinguishing difference is the inclusion of a 1-Kiwi reprint symbol on the reverse. **W88ay** Imperforate **W88ax** No Phosphor Tag









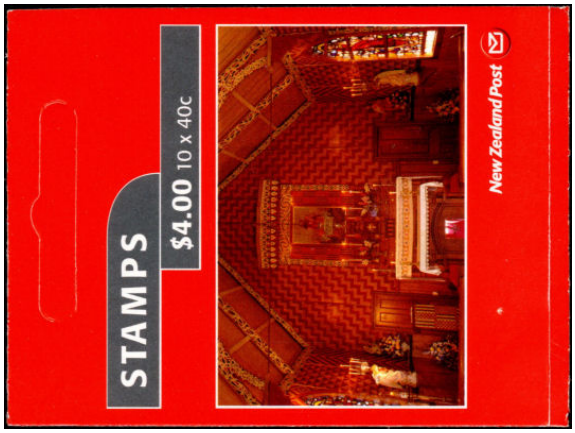
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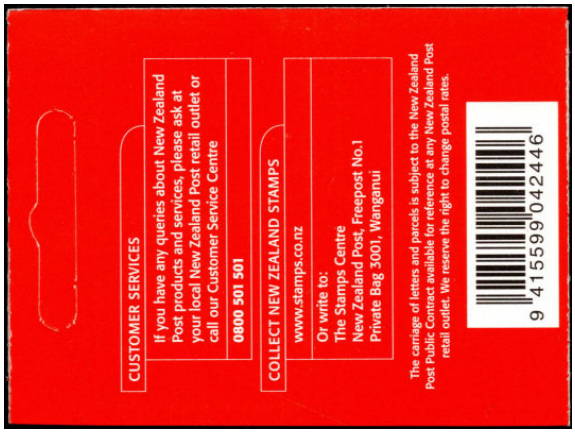


$9.00 1-Kiwi Reprint

W90 2002 $4.00 Christmas Booklet

W90a The 2002 Christmas booklet was issued on November 6, 2002. It contained 10 self adhesive stamps of 40c showing "Saint Werenfried, Waihi Village, Tokaanu". It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.

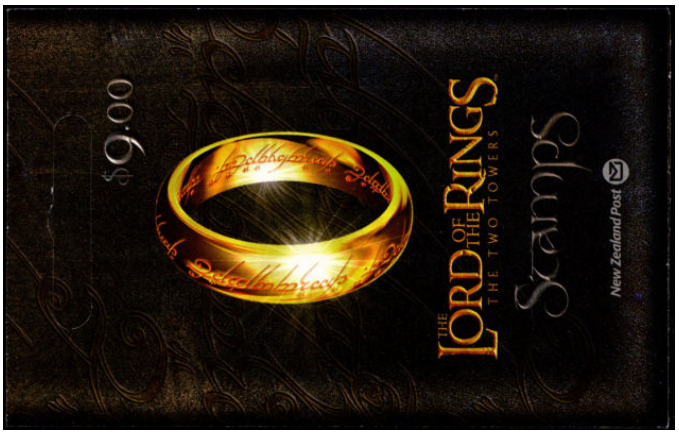


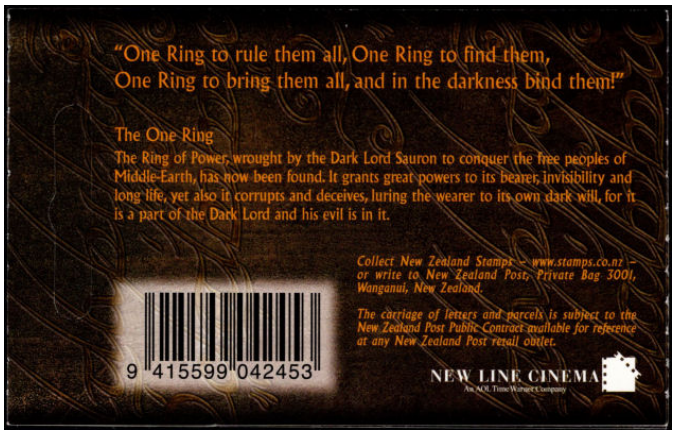




W91 2002 $9.00 Lord Of The Rings II Booklet

W91a December 4, 2002 saw the release of the second booklet in the Lord Of The Rings trilogy, celebrating the films produced in New Zealand by Peter Jackson. The "Two Towers" was issued shortly before the release of the film itself, and the booklet had a multicolour foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. It contained 10 self adhesive stamps of varying denominations, 4 x 40c, 1 x 80c, 2 x 90c, 1 x $1.30, 1 x $1.50 and 1 x $2.00 of the Lord Of The Rings II series. **W91az** All stamps completely imperforate.

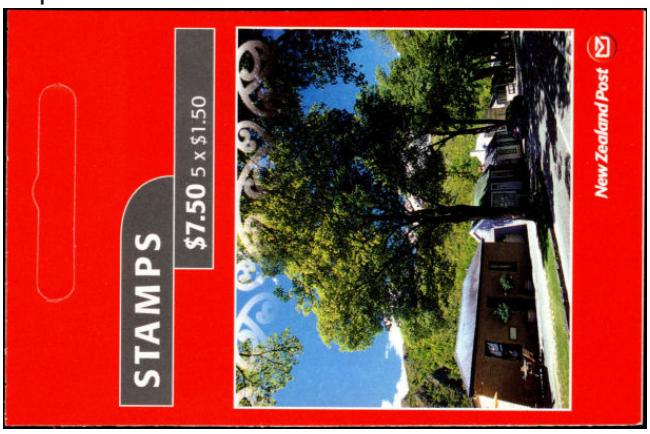


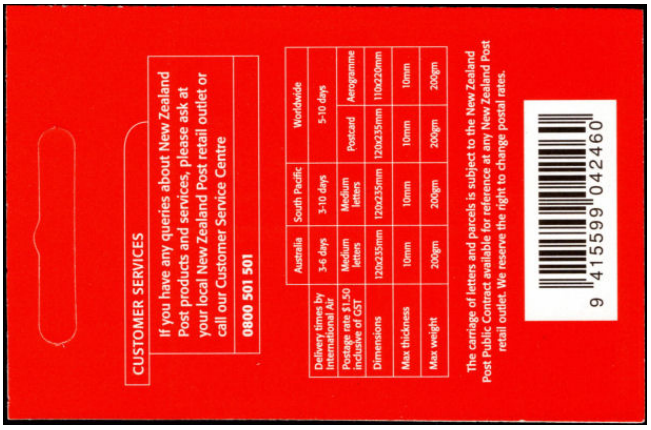




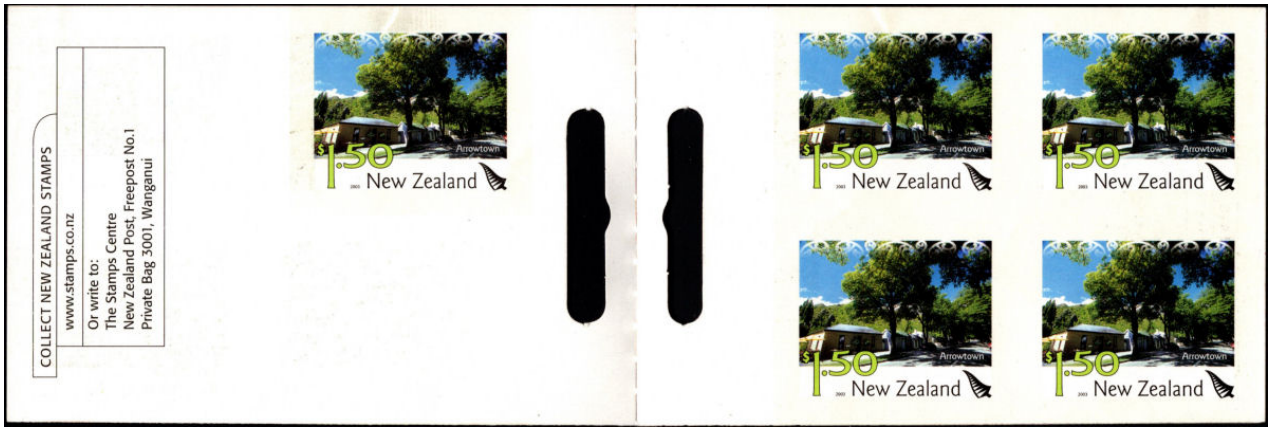
W92 2003 $7.50 Arrowtown Booklet

W92a On May 7, 2003 a new $7.50 booklet was introduced. It contained 5 self adhesive stamps of $1.50 showing a street scene in Arrowtown. The image on the cover is an enlarged version of the stamp without die-cuts. It has a red foldable cover (one fold) incorporating a hanging slot. One stamp is on the inside of the front cover, the other four are on the inside of the back cover. The booklet is known with **W92az** all stamp printing omitted, and also with **W92ay** all stamps imperforate.









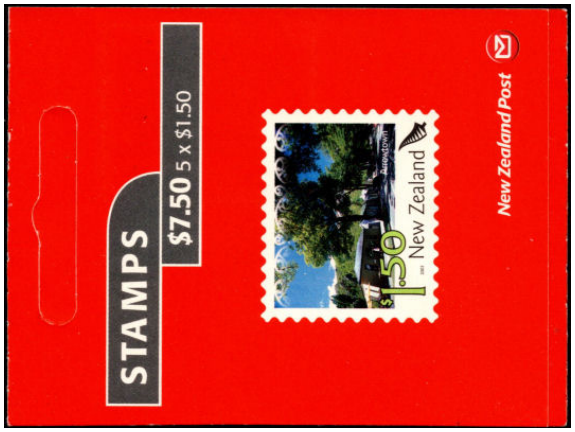
All stamps imperforate



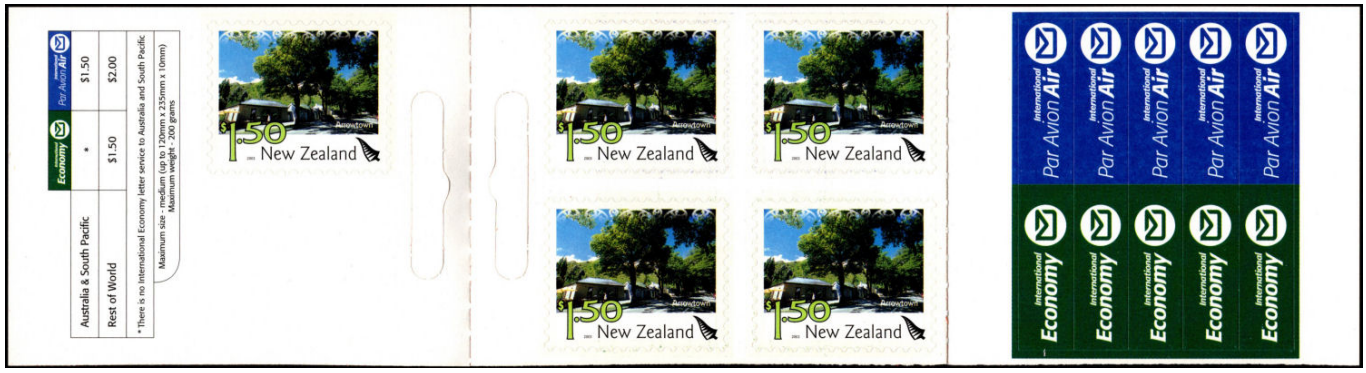
All stamp printing has moved approximately 20 mm to the left. The die-cut perforations and the hanging slots are in the correct positions.

Four years after its original release date, this booklet was reprinted. It was called a reprint and carried a 1-Kiwi reprint symbol on the reverse, but in reality it should have been regarded as a new booklet, as there are numerous differences to its original version.

W92b 1-Kiwi Issued in August 2007, It contained 5 self adhesive stamps of $1.50 showing a street scene in Arrowtown (image is different to original, see following page). The image on the cover is now a copy of the actual stamp with die-cuts. It now has a red foldable cover (two folds, instead of one) incorporating a hanging slot. One stamp is on the inside of the front cover, the other four are on the inside of the back cover. On the extra flap are now 5 Green Economy labels and 5 blue Par Avion labels. The booklets actual folded length is shorter, 80mm instead of 90mm. The barcode did not change, but its layout was revised. This version of the booklet was further reprinted, **W92bz** 2-Kiwi (December 2007), **W92by** 3-Kiwi (July 2008) and **W92bx** 4-Kiwi (November 2008).











The original image on the left had a person between the 5 and 0 of 50. This was removed by the printer before production. The original image, including the person, was re-introduced for the 2007 reprint and the 2, 3 & 4-Kiwi reprints. This image has also been scaled slightly smaller.

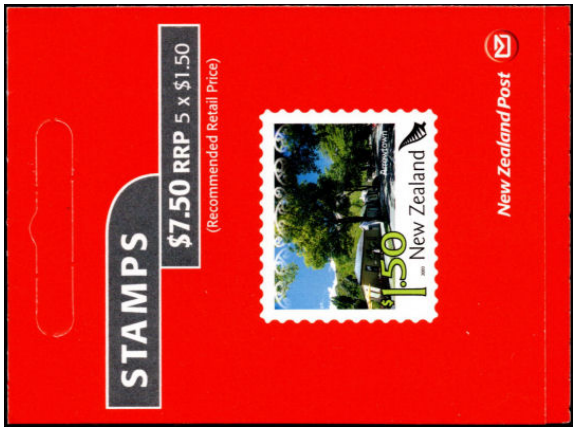


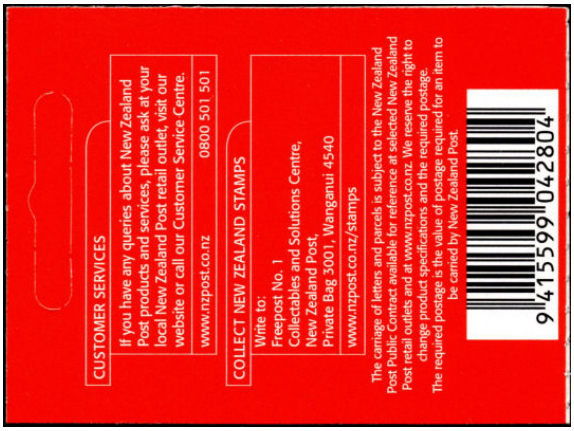




The 2, 3 & 4-Kiwi reprints, each showing a change in wording above the barcode.

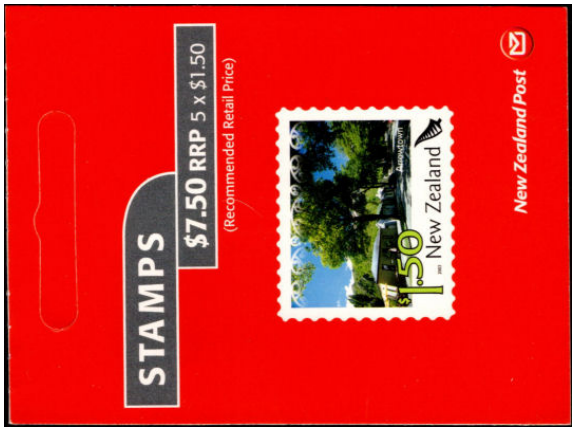
W92c On March 2, 2009, a different variation of the booklet was released. This time, with again numerous differences to the previous, it was deemed a new booklet and therefore received a new barcode. The other major changes were moving a second stamp to the inside of the front cover, placing wording where it had been, and changing to two large blue Airmail labels on the flap. There was no reprint symbol on the reverse. This booklet had a very short life.



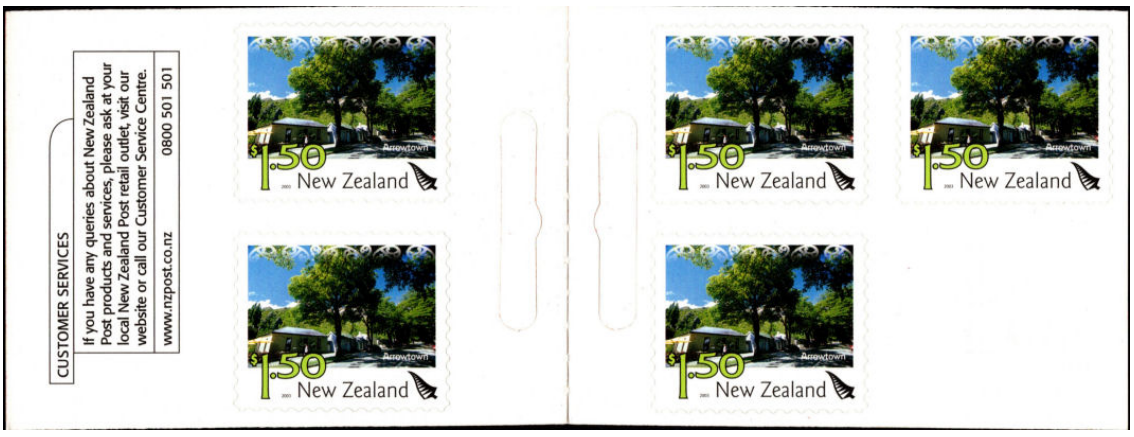




W92d Another change occurred on May 18, 2009, and this time it was back to the single fold version that had originally started back in 2003. The layout had two stamps on the back of the front cover and the remaining three on the inside of the back cover. Such a dramatic change, it was also deemed a new booklet and once again a new barcode was used. There were no additional labels. The stamps themselves can be distinguished from the other booklet versions, by the fact that there is no phosphor tagging around the stamps. This version was reprinted four times and identified by the 1, 2, 3 & 4-Kiwi reprint symbols on the reverse. **W92dz, W92dy, W92dx & W92dw.**















W93 & W94 2003 $4.00 & $8.00 Christmas Booklets

W93a The 2003 $4.00 Christmas booklet was issued on October 1, 2003. It contained 10 self adhesive stamps of 40c showing "Baby Jesus". It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.

W94a For the first time with Christmas stamps, on the same date, an $8.00 booklet was issued. It contained 8 self adhesive stamps of $1.00 showing "Pearl decorations amongst pine needles". It had a green foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Eight International Economy labels are backed onto the front cover, with four stamps each on the lower panels. The booklet was issued to promote a discount on International Christmas Card rates.









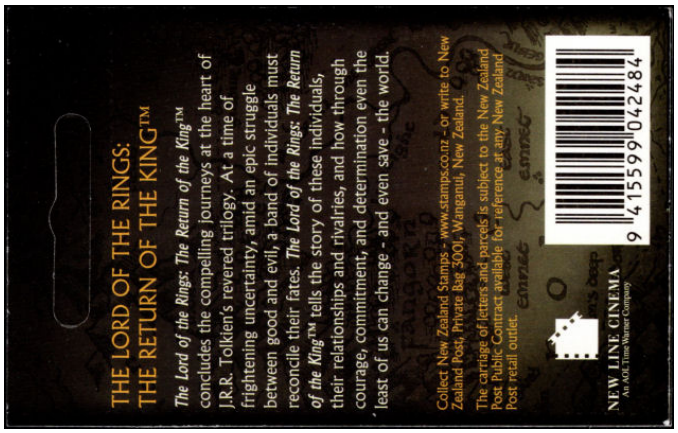




W95 2003 $9.00 Lord Of The Rings III Booklet

W95a November 5, 2003 saw the release of the third booklet in the Lord Of The Rings trilogy, celebrating the films produced in New Zealand by Peter Jackson. The "Return Of The King" was issued shortly before the release of the film itself, and the booklet had a multicolour foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. It contained 10 self adhesive stamps of varying denominations, 4 x 40c, 1 x 80c, 2 x 90c, 1 x $1.30, 1 x $1.50 and 1 x $2.00 of the Lord Of The Rings III series.

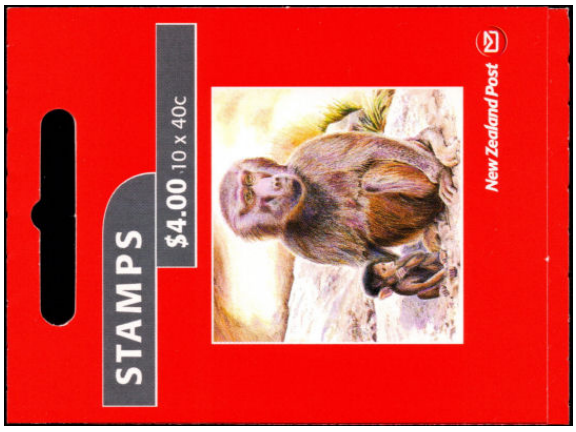






W96 2004 $4.00 Zoo Animals Booklet

W96a The last $4.00 booklet was released on January 28, 2004. Issued to coincide with the Chinese "Year Of The Monkey", the "Zoo Animals" booklet featured the Hamadryas Baboon on the front cover. It contained 10 self adhesive stamps of 40c showing the "Baboon and baby". It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.

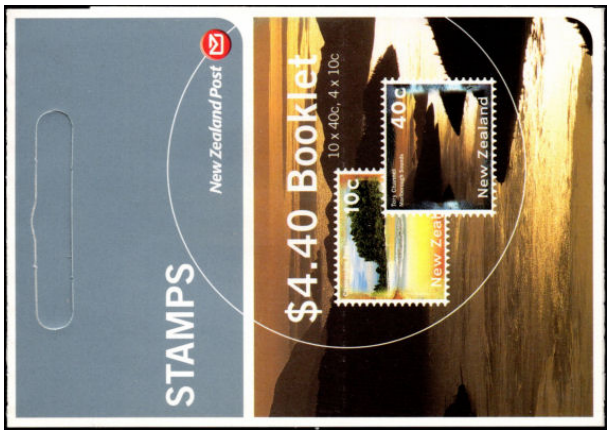


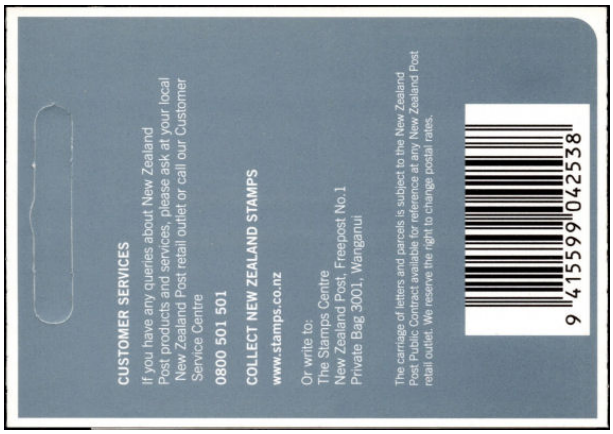




W97 2004 $4.40 Scenic Definitives Booklet

W97a Also on January 28, 2004, a $4.40 Scenic Definitives booklet was issued. It contained 4 x 10c "Champagne Pool" stamps and 10 x 40c "Tory Channel, Marlborough Sounds" stamps. The 10c stamp had previously been issued in gummed format, and this was now in self-adhesive form. The 40c stamp differed slightly from the original, issued in the 1998 Scenic Definitives booklet. The booklet had a grey foldable cover (three folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover. The design was an unusual format, possibly a trial, but it was never used again.





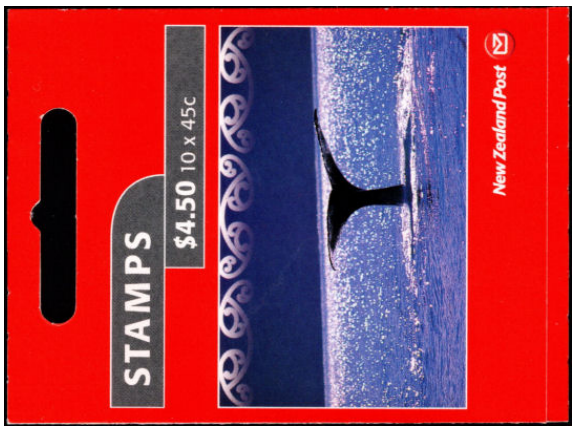


W98 2004 $4.50 Kaikoura 'Whales Tail' Booklet

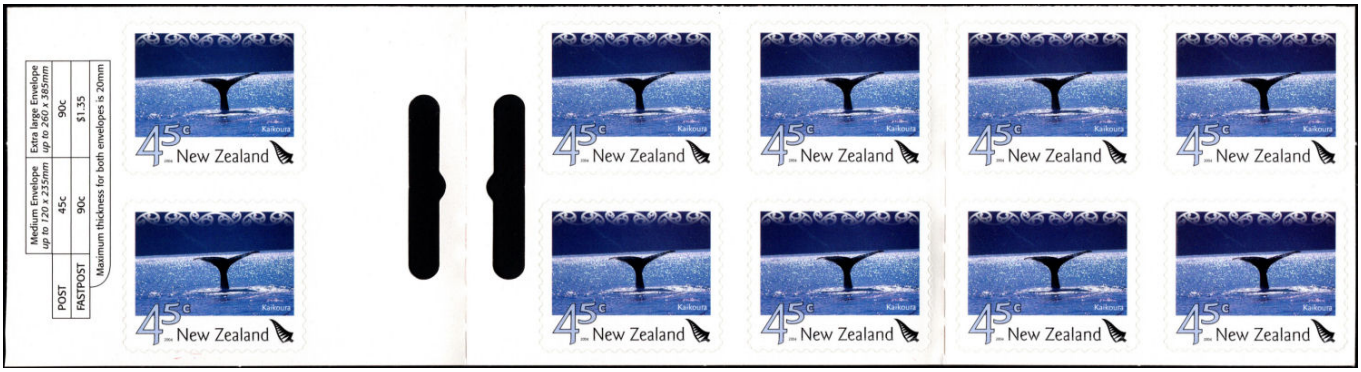
With a rate change to 45c for standard postage, a new $4.50 booklet was released on March 22, 2004. The cover depicted a whale's tail off the Kaikoura Coast. It contained 10 self adhesive stamps of 45c showing the "Whale's Tail". It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.

The letters used for the words "New Zealand" on the stamps in the booklet are distinctly different to those used on the stamps from the dispenser rolls. Most noticeable are the "a", "e" and "w".

This booklet was around for three years, having been reprinted seven times. These reprints are identified by a 1-Kiwi through 7-Kiwi reprint symbol on the reverse. The approximate release date of each reprint is shown below each image. The 2-Kiwi reprint is very rare, as this reprint was not delivered directly to the Whanganui Stamp Centre for distribution to the standing order customers. **W98az, ay, ax, aw, av, au, and at**.









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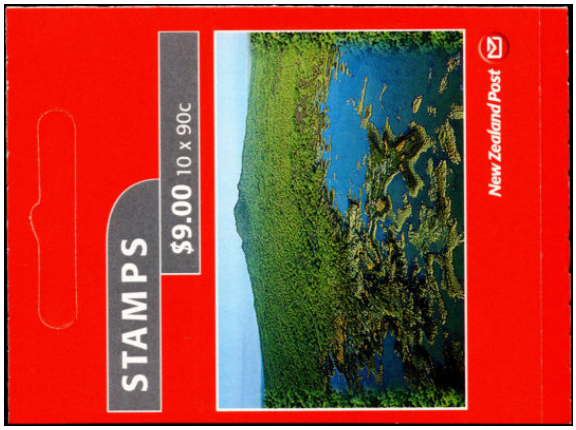
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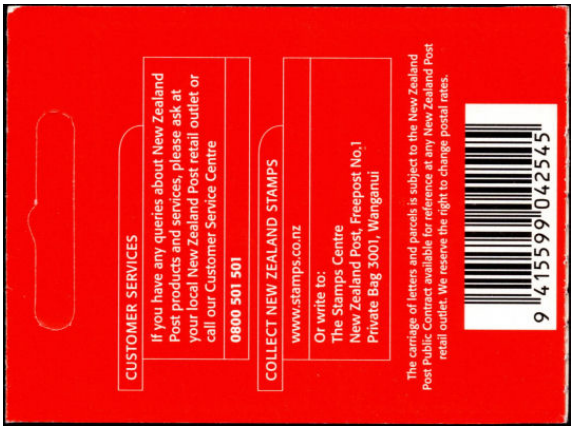


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W99 2004 $9.00 Rangitoto Island Booklet

W99a A $9.00 Rangitoto Island booklet was issued on April 5, 2004. It contained 10 self adhesive stamps of the 90c "Rangitoto Island". It had a red foldable cover (2 folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover. The booklet was reprinted twice, once in May 2005 and again in June 2006. These are identified by **W99az** a 1-Kiwi and **W99ay** 2-Kiwi reprint symbol on the reverse. This booklet is known with **W99ax** all stamp printing omitted and **W99aw** also being printed on the backing paper, leaving no self-adhesive on the stamps.







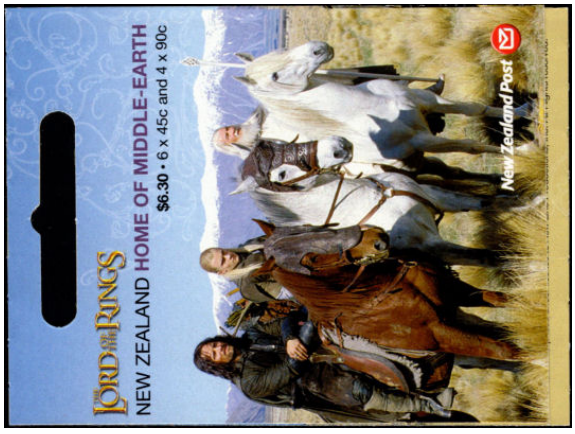




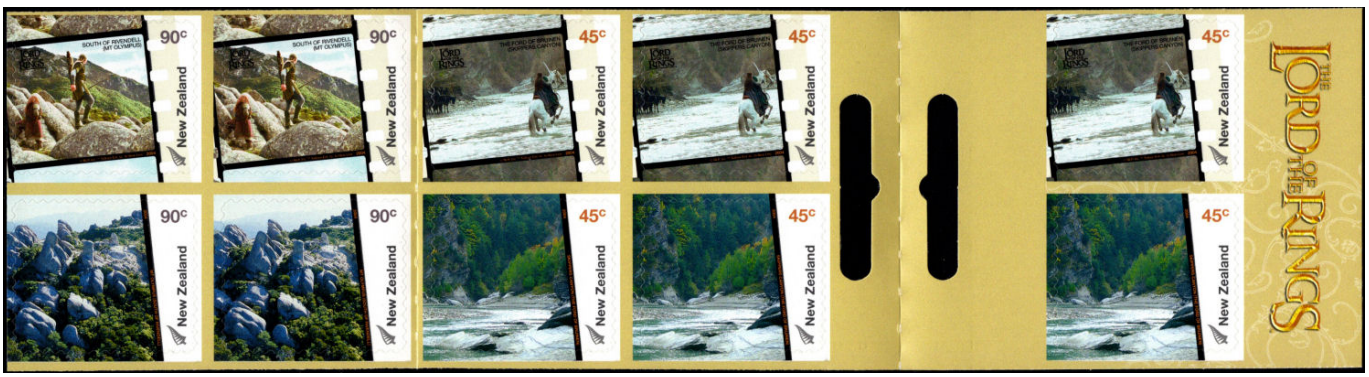
W100 2004 $6.30 Lord Of The Rings - New Zealand Home Of Middle Earth

W100a A further addition to the Lord Of The Rings series of booklets was issued on July 7, 2004. Depicting New Zealand as the Home Of Middle Earth, it contained three pairs of 45c stamps and two pairs of 90c stamps. Each pair showed a scene from the film on one stamp and its corresponding New Zealand location on the other. The booklet, with a face value of $6.30, had a multicolour cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.

This booklet was also overprinted for sale at the NZSDA Stampshow in Christchurch, 2004. Refer to the Chapter on **Miscellaneous & Unofficial Booklets** for details.





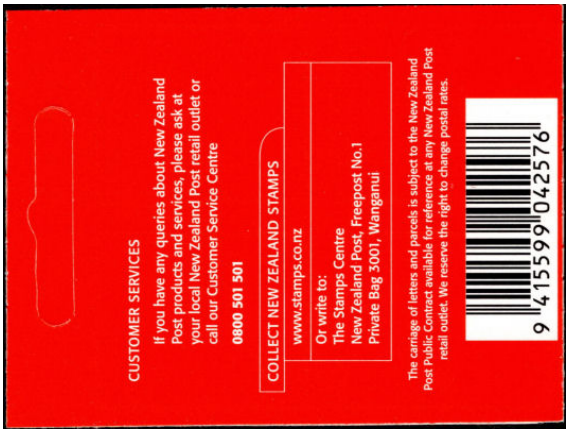


W101 & W102 2004 $4.50 & $8.00 Christmas Booklets

W101a The 2004 $4.50 Christmas booklet was issued on October 4, 2004. It contained 10 self adhesive stamps of 45c showing "Christmas Feast and Drink Under Candlelight". It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.

W102a Also on this date, an $8.00 booklet was issued. It contained 8 self adhesive stamps of $1.00 showing "Christmas Cake and Cards". It had a green foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Eight International Economy labels are backed onto the front cover, with four stamps each on the lower panels. The booklet was again issued to promote a discount on International Christmas Card rates.







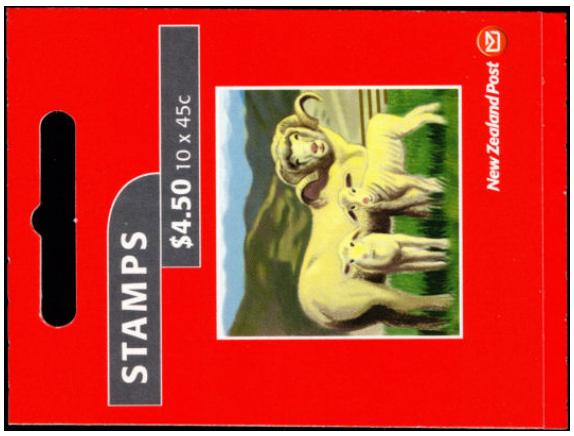






W103 2005 $4.50 New Zealand Farmyard Booklet

W103a A new $4.50 booklet was released on January 12, 2005. The booklet featured a horned sheep with a pair of lambs on the front cover. It contained 10 self adhesive stamps of 45c showing the cover image. It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.







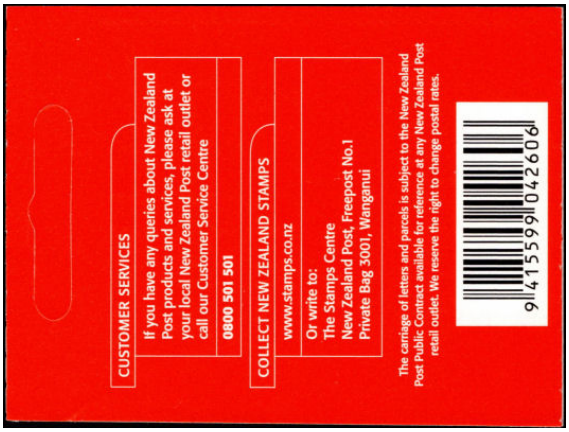
W104 2005 $4.50 150 Years Of New Zealand Stamps II 1905-55 Booklet

During 2005, a series of stamps to commemorate 150 years of New Zealand Postage Stamps. The first set released in March, depicted stamps from 1855 to 1905. The second set issued in April, stamps from 1905 to 1955, and the third set, issued June, stamps from 1955 to 2005. Only the second set featured in booklet form, with two stamps selected from the set, for two booklets. One was the 45c and the other was the 90c.

W104a Released on April 6, 2005, was the $4.50 booklet featuring the 1906 Christchurch Exhibition 1d Claret stamp on a 45c stamp. The booklet had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.

Guillotining of this booklet was poor and this resulted in a number of booklets having misshapen sides or completely out of alignment as shown by the image at the bottom of the page.





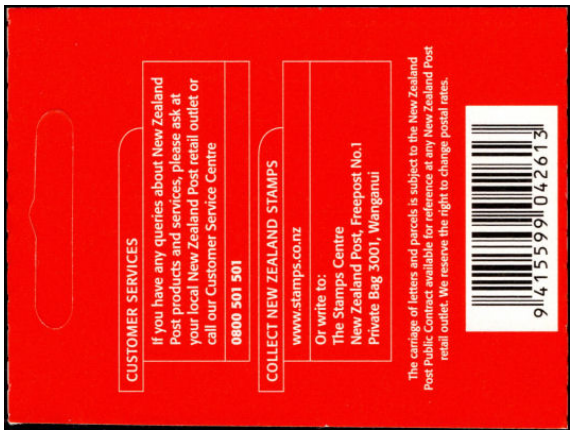


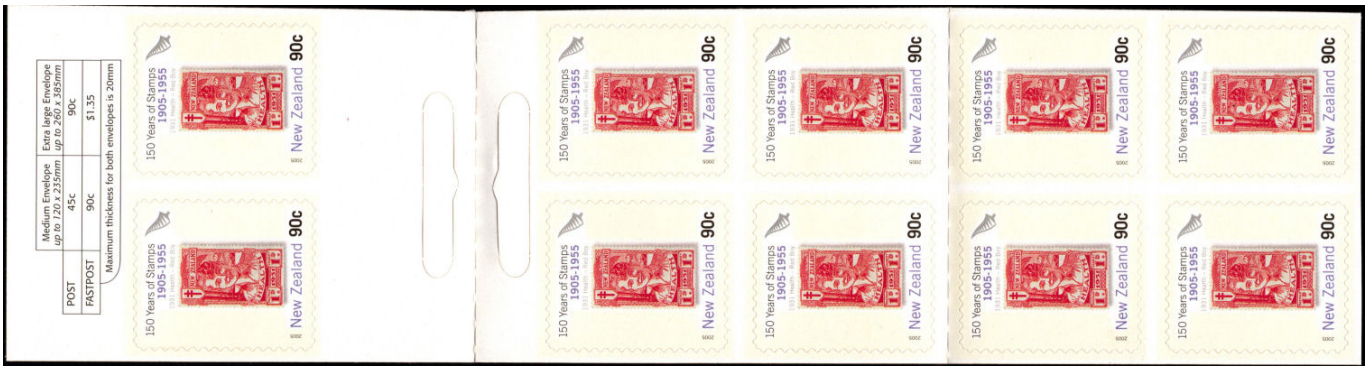


W105 2005 $9.00 150 Years Of New Zealand Stamps II 1905-55 Booklet

Also released on April 6, 2005, was the $9.00 booklet featuring the 1931 Health Red Boy stamp on a 90c stamp. The booklet had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.



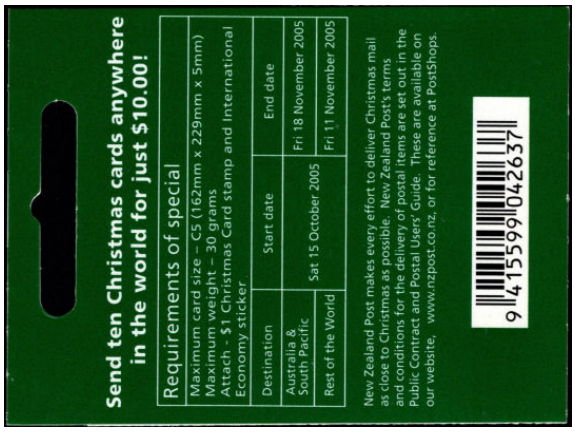




W106 2005 $10.00 Christmas Booklet

W106a The International Christmas Booklet for 2005 was released on its own, instead of with its normal domestic counterpart. A $10.00 booklet, it was issued on October 5, 2005. It contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $1.00 showing "Gifts on a bed of straw". It had a green foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Ten International Economy labels are backed onto the outside of the bottom flap. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover, with four stamps each on the lower panels. The booklet was again issued to promote a discount on International Christmas Card rates.



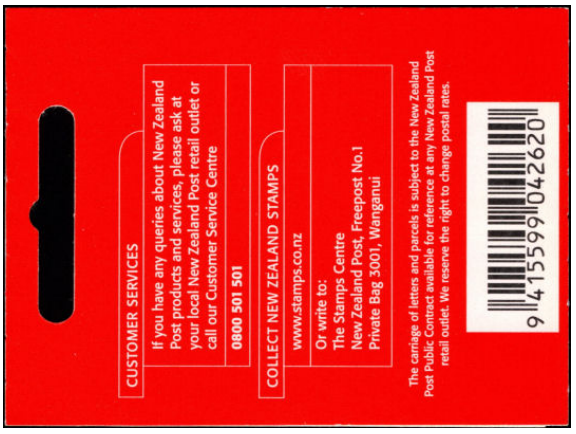




W107 2005 $4.50 Christmas Booklet

W107a The 2005 $4.50 Christmas booklet was issued on November 2, 2005, a month after its International counterpart. It contained 10 self adhesive stamps of 45c showing "Baby Jesus in a straw-lined crib". It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.



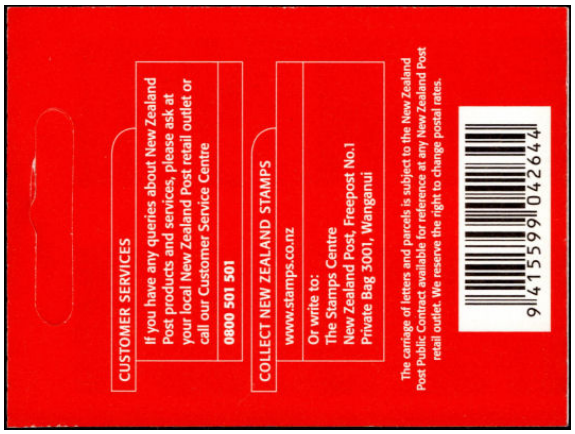




W108 2006 $4.50 Year Of The Dog Booklet

W108a A $4.50 booklet was released on January 4, 2006. The booklet featured a Labrador Retriever with a guide harness on the front cover. It contained 10 self adhesive stamps of 45c showing the cover image. It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.







W108B 2006 $4.50 Kapa Haka Booklet

Classed as "Issue Prepared For Use, But Not Released". This is not so, as the booklets were sold by New Zealand Post and money was received for them.

On June 7, 2006, the Kapa Haka Maori Performing Arts stamp issue was supposed to be released. Because of complaints concerning its cartoon-like stamp designs, the issue was withdrawn just prior to the release date and destroyed. However, New Zealand Post had already started distributing items from the release to pre-order customers. A recall of those items was unsuccessful and they remained in the hands of the customers. Included among the items were 11 booklets. Of those 11, two have been cut up into singles, pairs or blocks of 4, one was partially used, leaving eight intact. This issue is classified as "prepared for use, but never issued", and as such, does not get a listing in the major catalogues, yet those same catalogues list the 1906 Christchurch 1d Claret, although it was never sold or issued by New Zealand Post.

The booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of 45c showing "A Maori lady doing a Poi dance". It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover. There is no rate table above the top two stamps and this makes the inside look rather empty.





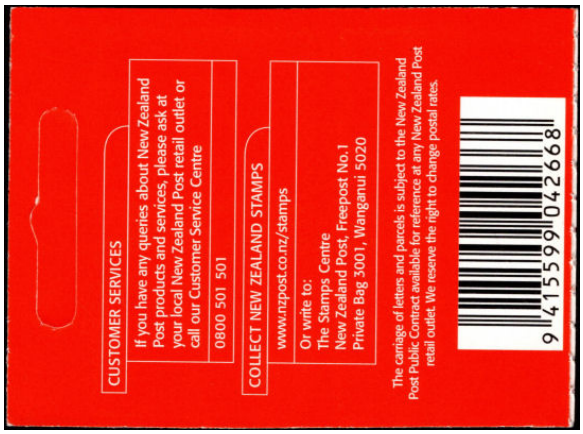


W109 & W110 2006 $4.50 & $13.50 Christmas Booklets

W109a The 2006 $4.50 Christmas booklet was issued on October 4, 2006, back to the same time as its International counterpart. It contained 10 self adhesive stamps of 45c showing "a Koru and star above a Christmas tree". It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.

W110a The International Christmas Booklet for 2006 contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $1.50 showing "Four sprays of Pohutukawa flowers". It had a green foldable cover (three folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Ten International Economy labels and ten Airmail labels are on the back of the cover and second panel, along with two stamps. The remaining eight stamps, four of each, on the lower two panels. With stamps totalling $15.00, the retail price of the booklet was $13.50, i.e. buy 9 get 1 free. **W110az** This booklet has been seen completely imperforate.













Guillotining of the finished booklets had for some time been of poor quality. It is often difficult to find booklets with their sides at right angles to the top and bottom. This can be seen in a number of the images on the previous pages. Below is a good example of guillotining gone wrong, causing a wave affect to the side of the booklet when unfolded. Part of the adjoining booklet also appears.



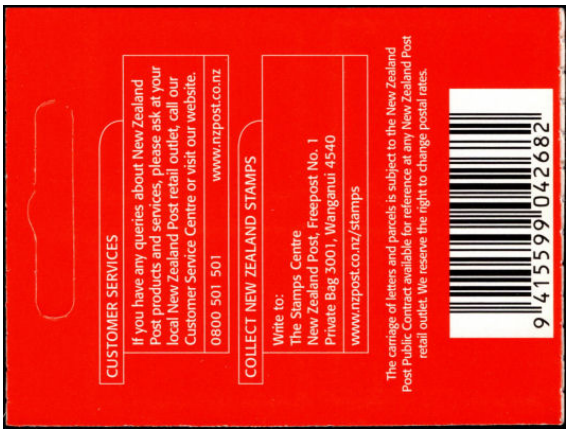
W111 2007 $5.00 Lake Coleridge Booklet

A change from 45c to 50c for the basic rate, meant no more "Kaikoura Coast, Whale Tail" reprints. **W111a** A new $5.00 Lake Coleridge booklet was released on May 9, 2007. It contained 10 self adhesive stamps of 50c showing "Lake Coleridge". It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.

There were three reprints for this booklet, each identified by a 1, 2 or 3-Kiwi reprint symbol on the reverse. The **W111az** 1-Kiwi was issued around March, 2008, the **W111ay** 2-Kiwi, July 2008 and the **W111ax** 3-Kiwi in November 2008.

The 1-Kiwi reprint had an enlarged rates table on the inside. To accommodate this, the two stamps backed onto the front cover were moved further right towards the hanging slot. Even though this booklet was identified as a reprint, for some reason, this reprint was considered a new product, as it now has a new barcode, which was continued through the remaining reprints. The 3-Kiwi reprint has additional wording above the barcode.















W112 2007 $10.00 Rangitoto Island Booklet

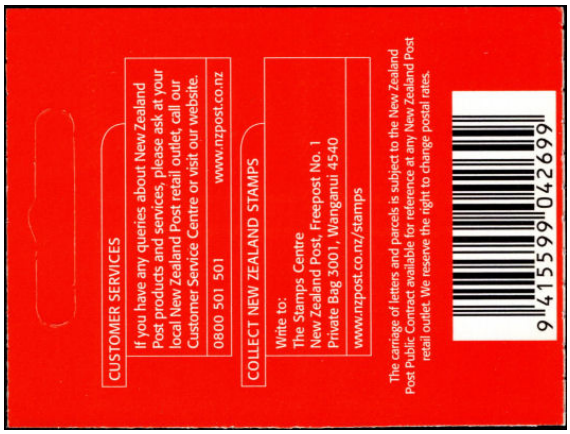
There was also a change from 90c to $1.00 for the FastPost rate. **W112a** A new $10.00 Rangitoto Island booklet, different to its 2004 predecessor, was also released on May 9, 2007. It contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $1.00 showing a different view of "Rangitoto Island". It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.

There were five reprints for this booklet, each identified by a 1, 2, 3, 4 or 5-Kiwi reprint symbol on the reverse. The **W112az** 1-Kiwi was issued late 2007, the **W112ay** 2-Kiwi, early 2008, the **W112ax** 3-Kiwi, July 2008, the **W112aw** 4-Kiwi, November 2008 and the **W112av** 5-Kiwi in July 2010.

As was the case with the Lake Coleridge booklet there was an enlarged rates table on the inside, but this did not occur until the 2-Kiwi reprint. To accommodate this, the two stamps backed onto the front cover were moved further right towards the hanging slot. Even though this booklet was identified as a reprint, again, for some reason, this reprint was considered a new product, as it now has a new barcode, which was continued through the remaining reprints. Each reprint has different wording above the barcode.

Both the **W112axa** 3-Kiwi and **W112awa** 4-Kiwi reprints are known completely imperforate.





















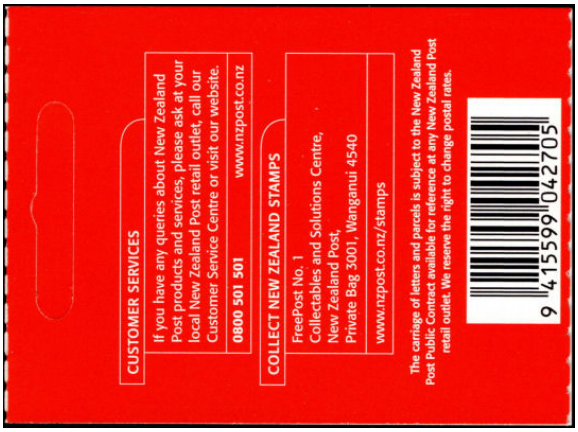
4-Kiwi Reprint, Completely Imperforate Stamps

W113 & W114 2007 $5.00 & $13.50 Christmas Booklets

The 2007 Christmas booklets were issued on October 3, 2007. **W113a** The $5.00 booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of 50c showing "Four Christmas Symbols". It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.

W114a The $13.50 International Christmas Booklet for 2007 contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $1.50 showing "Baby Jesus amongst pine trees". It had a green foldable cover (three folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Ten International Economy labels and ten Airmail labels are on the back of the cover and second panel, along with two stamps. The remaining eight stamps, four of each, on the lower two panels. With stamps totalling $15.00, the retail price of the booklet was $13.50, i.e. buy 9 get 1 free.







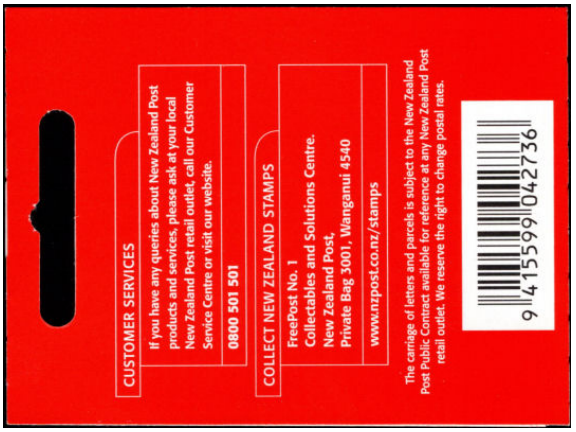
W115 & W116 2008 $5.00 & $10.00 Underwater Reefs Booklets

On January 9, 2008, a pair of Underwater Reefs booklets was issued. **W115a** The $5.00 booklet depicted images of Dusky Sound, Fiordland, while **W116a** the $10.00 booklet showed Mayor Island, Bay Of Plenty. Each had 10 self adhesive stamps of 50c or $1.00 respectively. They had a red foldable covers (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front covers.







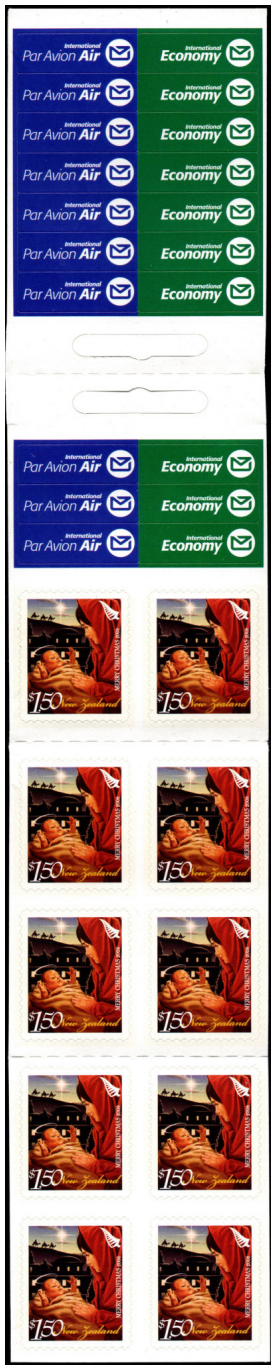




W117 & W118 2008 $5.00 & $15.00 Christmas Booklets

The 2008 Christmas booklets were issued on October 1, 2008. **W117a** The $5.00 booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of 50c showing "Baby Jesus and Mary and Joseph". It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.

The **W118a** $15.00 International Christmas Booklet for 2008 contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $1.50 showing "Baby Jesus and Mary". It had a green foldable cover (three folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Ten International Economy labels and ten Airmail labels are on the back of the cover and second panel, along with two stamps. The remaining eight stamps, four of each, on the lower two panels. The retail price of the booklet was now $15.00, no more buy 9 get 1 free.



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Attach a $1.50 stamp and either an

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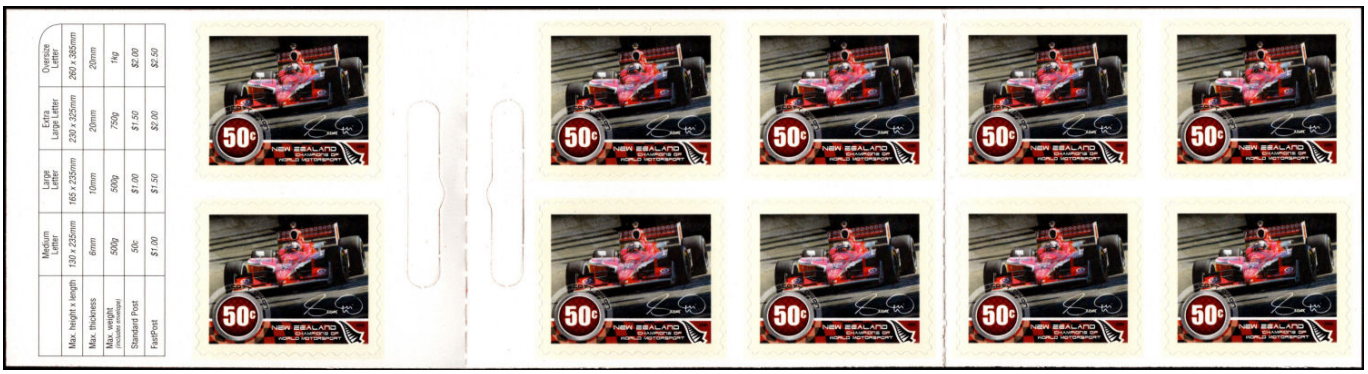


W119 & W120 2009 $5.00 & $10.00 NZ Champions Of World Motorsport

To honour New Zealand Champions Of World Motorsport, a pair of booklets was issued on February 4, 2009. The **W119a** $5.00 booklet had Indycar Champion Scott Dixon, while the **W120a** $10.00 booklet featured Bruce McLaren. Each had 10 self adhesive stamps of 50c or $1.00 respectively. They had a red foldable covers (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front covers.













W121 2009 $9.00 Russell Booklet

W121a Following an increase of the AirPost rate to $1.80, a new booklet was issued on July 1, 2009. Featuring an image of "Russell", it contained 5 x $1.80 Russell self adhesive stamps. It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover, with three on the middle panel. On the bottom panel are two large International Airmail labels.

A **W121az** reprint was issued in February 2010 and has a 1-Kiwi reprint symbol on the reverse. A second reprint occurred in January 2011 and it can be identified by the **W121ay** 2-Kiwi reprint symbol on the reverse. There are no other differences between the original and the reprints.











W122 2009 KiwiStamp NVI Booklet

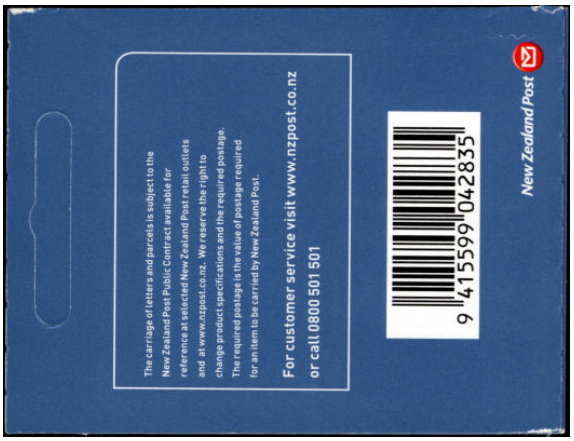
2009 saw a brand new concept in booklets. New Zealand Post introduced non-denominated or non-value indicator (NVI) booklets. There is no value printed on the stamps. There is a cost for the booklet, which covers the current domestic standard postal rate. When that postal rate is increased, the stamps are still valid at any time. The purpose of these stamps is to avoid NZ Post having to produce large quantities of small value make-up stamps to make up the difference to the new rate. As postage rates increased, the price of the same booklet was also increased.

W122a When released on September 7, 2009, the booklet sold for $5.00. With a rate change on October 1, 2010, it increased to $6.00. Featuring an image of "a State Highway 1 sign", it contained 10 x no value self adhesive stamps. The stamps featured classic New Zealand images. The booklet had a blue foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.

W122az New Zealand Post also produced a special printing of 11,000 booklets. These booklets had the words "KiwiStamp" and the fern printed in silver foil instead of the normal white on each stamp. Plus there was a unique number, out of 11,000, also printed in silver at the top of the first inside panel. They were purchased in their own plastic bag with a "Numbered Product" label securing the bag. From the outside, there is no difference between this booklet and the normal booklet, all the silver is on the inside.

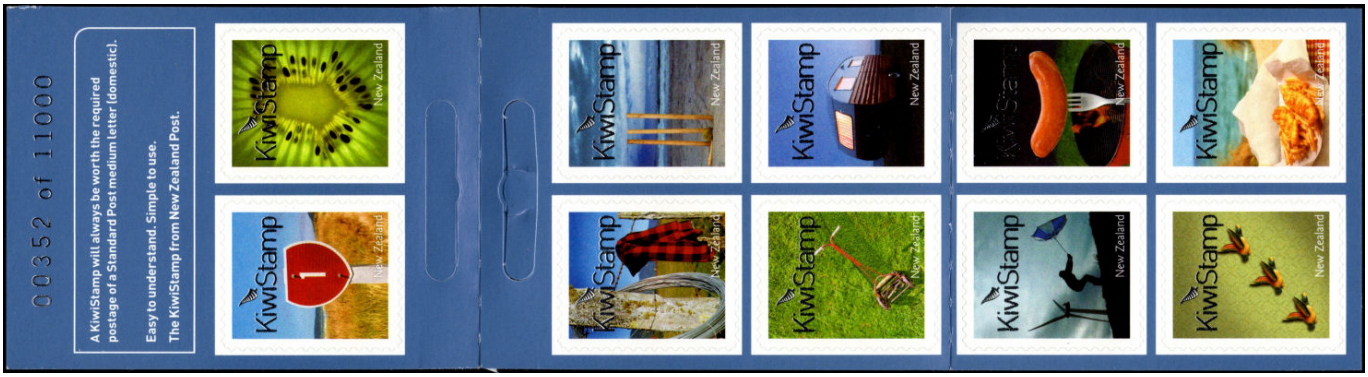
There was also a large standard and a large limited edition version of this booklet produced. They contained 50 NVI stamps. Refer to the Chapter on **Miscellaneous & Unofficial Booklets** for details.











W123 & W124 2009 $5.00 & $15.00 Christmas Booklets

The 2009 Christmas booklets were issued on October 7, 2009. The **W123a** $5.00 booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of 50c showing "Shepherds and Farm Animals". It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.

The **W124a** $15.00 International Christmas Booklet for 2009 contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $1.80 showing "Magi". It had a green foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. The booklet has gone back to just three panels, with the removal of the Air Mail & Economy labels.













W125 2010 $12.00 Mitre Peak, Milford Sound Booklet

W125a August 4, 2010 saw a new $12.00 booklet featuring Mitre Peak on the cover. The booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $1.20 showing "Mitre Peak, Milford Sound". It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.



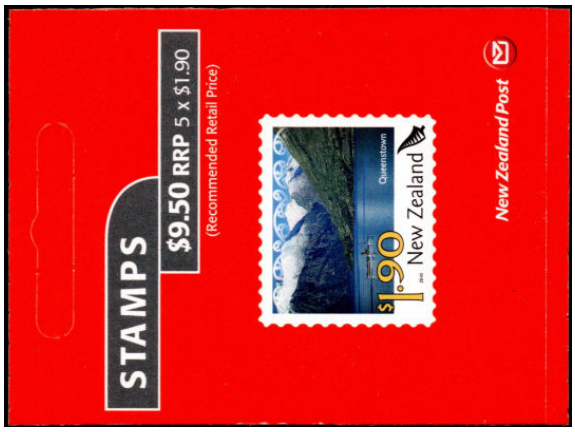




W126 2010 $9.50 Queenstown Booklet

Another change to the AirPost rate saw a new **W126a** $9.50 Queenstown booklet. Similar to the 2009 "Russell" booklet, it was released August 4, 2010. The booklet contained 5 x $1.90 Queenstown self adhesive stamps. It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover, with three on the middle panel. On the bottom panel are two large International Airmail labels.

W126az, W126ay, W126ax, W126aw, and W126av In 2011, a reprint was issued and over the next two years, a total of five reprints were released. These can be identified by a 1, 2, 3, 4 or 5-Kiwi reprint symbol on the reverse. Two other changes occurred during these reprints, the first was a change to the wording on the middle inside panel next to the stamps. This first appeared on the 2-Kiwi reprint. The second was a code above the barcode, and this appeared on the 3-Kiwi reprint.











W127 & W128 2010 $5.40 & $16.00 Christmas Booklets

The 2010 Christmas booklets were issued on October 20, 2010. The **W127a** $5.40 booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of 60c showing the "Adoration Of Shepherds". Fifty years since the first Christmas stamp, the 1960 stamp is featured as a stamp on a stamp. The booklet had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.

The **W128a** $16.00 International Christmas Booklet for 2010 contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $1.90 showing a "Pohutukawa Tree". The image is the 35c Christmas stamp from 1979, giving another stamp on stamp. The booklet had a green foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.

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W129 2011 KiwiStamp NVI Booklet

W129a A new version of the KiwiStamps NVI booklet was released on March 23, 2011. It was a similar layout to its 2009 predecessor, but this time had five new images, arranged in pairs. This booklet stayed around for a very long time, eventually being replaced in June 2021. With such longevity, there were a number of varieties and reprints. To have them all, excluding errors, you will need 20 booklets.

When released, the booklet sold for $6.00. With a rate change on July 1, 2012, it increased to $7.00. Further increases were $8.00 on July 1, 2014, $10.00 on July 1, 2016, $12.00 on July 1, 2018, and $13.00 on July 1, 2019. Featuring an image of "a Kiwi road sign", it contained 10 x no value self adhesive stamps. The stamps featured classic New Zealand images. The booklet had a blue foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.

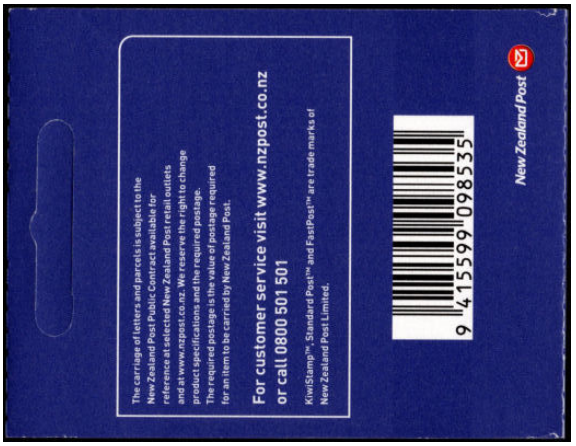
The booklet was originally printed by Australia Post Sprintpak. It measured 60mm wide and had 9 roulettes on the folds. Early in 2012, it was replaced by a version **W129az** that had 19 roulettes on the folds. A reprint, **W129ay** with a 1-Kiwi symbol on the reverse, was issued on November 28, 2012.

Towards the end of 2013, a change was made to the printers, with Southern Colour Print Ltd, Dunedin taking over. On November 15, 2013, a **W129ax** second reprint was issued. This reprint had significant changes to the original and first reprint. The booklet was now 58mm wide. The image on the cover had been cropped differently. This is best observed by looking at the position of the telegraph pole. The pole passes through the "Ze" of New Zealand Post on the original, and "an" of Zealand on the reprint. The cover is also a lighter blue. On the reverse is the 2-Kiwi reprint symbol, and also a new code above the barcode.

On May 9, 2014, another **W129b** reprint occurred. This was not treated as a reprint, as there were no reprint symbols on the reverse. However there were other changes. The wording on the left of the two stamps on the inside cover was removed. A new barcode was issued, and the code above the barcode was changed. It was like we were starting again.

This version went through a total of 15 reprints, **W129bz through W129bl**, all identified by 1 through 15-Kiwi reprint symbols on the reverse. By the time the 15th reprint occurred in 2020, the colour of the cover had evolved into a deeper blue than the original.









9 Roulettes



19 Roulettes















Reprint 15 Kiwis - Darker Blue Cover

W130, W131 & W132 2011 $6.00, $17.10 & $21.60 Christmas Booklets

There was a change for the Christmas Booklets of 2011. A third booklet was introduced, giving two for International postage. The first covered Australia and the Pacific Islands, while the second was for the rest of the world. Discounts were again back on offer, with a "buy 9, get 1 free" reflected in the purchase price.

The booklets were issued on November 2, 2011. The **W130a** $6.00 booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of 60c showing the "Baby Jesus". It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.

The **W131a** $17.10 International Christmas Booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $1.90 showing "Mary & Joseph". It had a green foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.

The **W132a** $21.60 International Christmas Booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $2.40 showing "Shepherds". It had a green foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.








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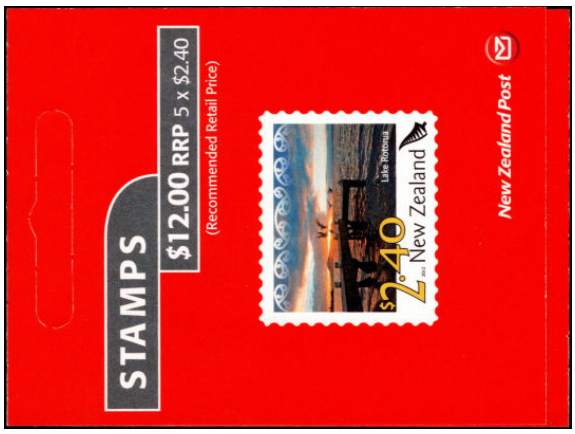

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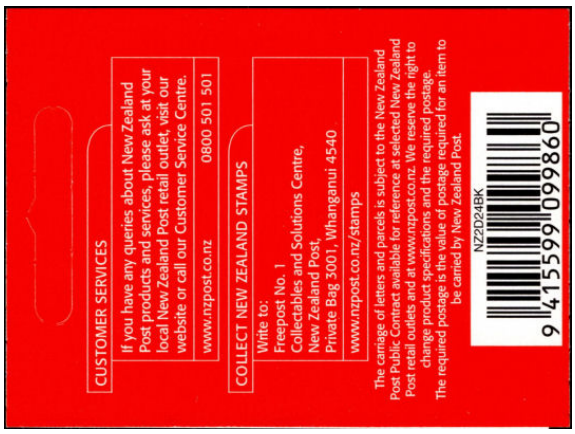
W133 2012 $12.00 Lake Rotorua Booklet

The $2.40 Lake Rotorua stamp first made an appearance as a gummed stamp in 2010. The stamp had "2010" placed on it, to the left of "New Zealand", as indicated by the red circle on the image at the bottom of the page. In 2012, a self adhesive version of the stamp was issued in booklets. Because it was 2012, the stamps and the booklet covers had "2012" placed on them. The original and the 1-Kiwi reprint booklets had "2012". When the error was realised, future issues were changed to "2010" to match the original gummed version. Therefore the 2, 3 & 4-Kiwi reprints all had "2010" dates.

W133a February 1, 2012 saw the original $12.00 booklet featuring Lake Rotorua on the cover. The booklet contained 5 x $2.40 Lake Rotorua self adhesive stamps. It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover, with three on the middle panel. On the bottom panel are two large International Airmail labels.

There were four reprints of this booklet, **W133az** 1-Kiwi (November 29, 2012), **W133ay** 2-Kiwi (November 1, 2013), **W133ax** 3-Kiwi (April 9, 2015) and **W133aw** 4-Kiwi (September 14, 2015).









Original Gummed Stamp with 2010 date.



Original and 1-Kiwi Reprint



2, 3 & 4-Kiwi Reprints

W134 2012 $14.00 Cape Reinga Booklet

W134a May 23, 2012 saw a new $14.00 booklet featuring Cape Reinga on the cover. The booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $1.40 showing "Cape Reinga". It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.

There were two reprints of this booklet. A **W134az** 1-Kiwi reprint on April 10, 2013 and a **W134ay** 2-Kiwi reprint on April 10, 2015.









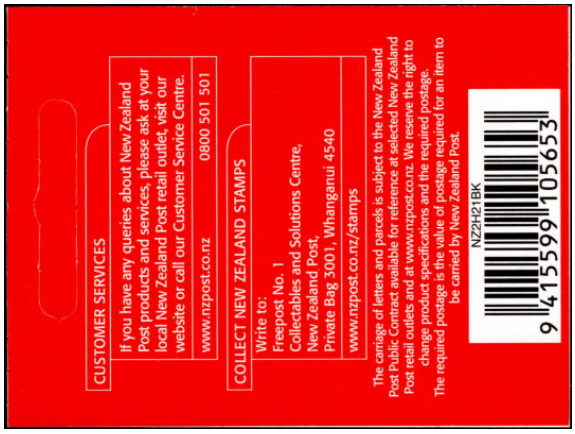


W135 2012 $10.50 Stewart Island Booklet

W135a May 23, 2012 also saw a new $10.50 booklet featuring Stewart Island on the cover. The booklet contained 5 self adhesive stamps of $2.10 showing "Stewart Island". It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover and three on the back cover. There was no third flap with International Airmail labels.

There were two reprints of this booklet. A **W135az** 1-Kiwi reprint on May 10, 2013 and a **W135ay** 2-Kiwi reprint on November 1, 2013. This booklet is known **W135ax** completely imperforate.











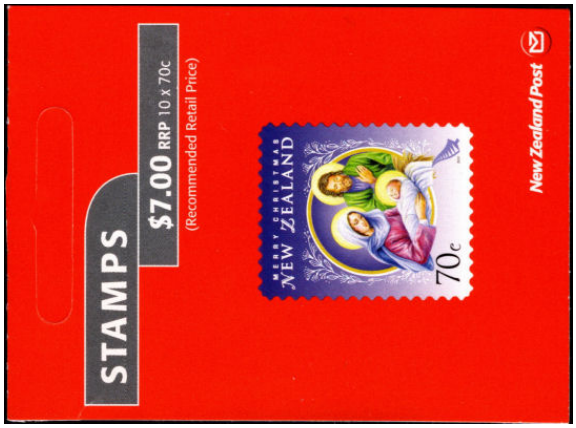
W136, W137 & W138 2012 $7.00, $17.10 & $21.60 Christmas Booklets

For the Christmas Booklets of 2012, a third booklet was again produced, giving two for International postage. The first covered Australia and the Pacific Islands, while the second was for the rest of the world. Discounts were offered, with a "buy 9, get 1 free" reflected in the purchase price.

The booklets were issued on October 3, 2012. The **W136a** $7.00 booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of 70c showing the "Mary, Joseph and Baby Jesus". It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.

The **W137a** $17.10 International Christmas Booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $1.90 showing "The Angel Of The Lord". It had a blue foldable cover (five folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Four stamps are backed onto the front cover, with four on the second panel and two on the third along with one Airmail label. There were three further panels, each with three Airmail labels. Opened up, the booklet is very long, so only a partial unfolded image is shown.

The **W138a** $21.60 International Christmas Booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $2.40 showing "Three Wise Men Bearing Gifts". It had a blue foldable cover (five folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Four stamps are backed onto the front cover, with four on the second panel and two on the third along with one Airmail label. There were three further panels, each with three Airmail labels. Opened up, the booklet is very long, so only a partial unfolded image is shown.













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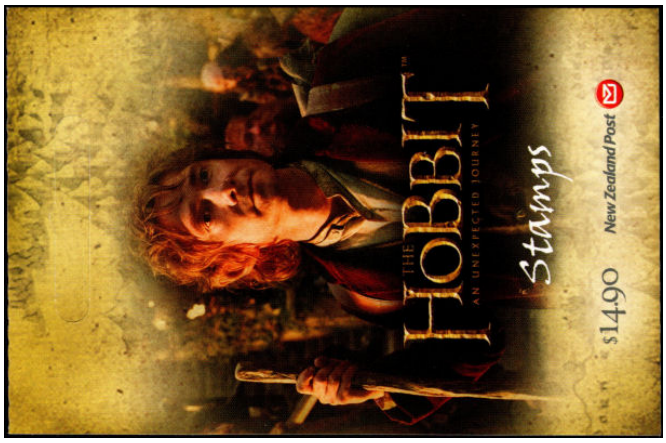


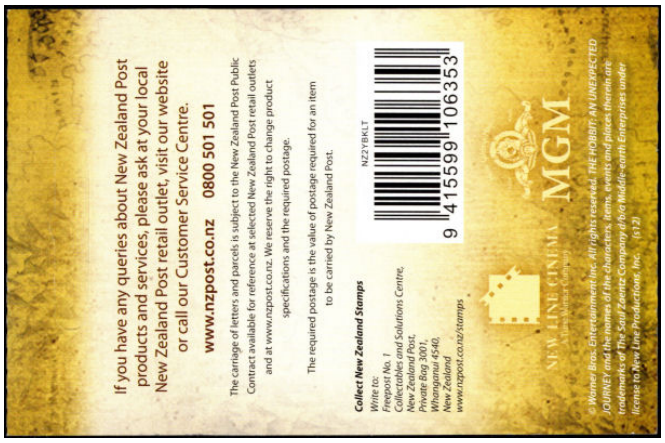
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W139 2012 $14.90 Hobbit I - An Unexpected Journey Booklet

Nine years after the Lord Of The Rings Trilogy had been shown, Peter Jackson undertook the challenge again by producing Tolkien's The Hobbit. Also made as a trilogy, the first film was in cinemas in December 2012. Again to celebrate his work, New Zealand Post produced booklets.

W139a On November 1, 2012, the first booklet in the Hobbit trilogy was issued. The booklet had a multicolour foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. It contained 10 self adhesive stamps of varying denominations, 4 x 70c, 2 x $1.40, 1 x $1.90, 1 x $2.10, 1 x $2.40 and 1 x $2.90 of the Hobbit I - An Unexpected Journey series.







W141, W142 & W143 2013 $7.00, $17.10 & $21.60 Christmas Booklets

For the Christmas Booklets of 2013, there were two booklets for International postage. The first covered Australia and the Pacific Islands, while the second was for the rest of the world. Discounts were offered, with a "buy 9, get 1 free" reflected in the purchase price.

The booklets were issued on October 2, 2013. The **W141a** $7.00 booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of 70c showing "Giving Christmas Presents". It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.

The **W142a** $17.10 International Christmas Booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $1.90 showing "Decorating The Christmas Tree". It had a blue foldable cover (five folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Four stamps are backed onto the front cover, with four on the second panel and two on the third along with one Airmail label. There were three further panels, each with three Airmail labels. Opened up, the booklet is very long, so only a partial unfolded image is shown.

The **W143a** $21.60 International Christmas Booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $2.40 showing "Beach Cricket". It had a blue foldable cover (five folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Four stamps are backed onto the front cover, with four on the second panel and two on the third along with one Airmail label. There were three further panels, each with three Airmail labels. Opened up, the booklet is very long, so only a partial unfolded image is shown.









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W144 2013 $14.90 Hobbit II - The Desolation Of Smaug Booklet

W144a On November 1, 2013, the second booklet in the Hobbit trilogy was issued. The booklet had a multicolour foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. It contained 10 self adhesive stamps of varying denominations, 4 x 70c, 2 x $1.40, 1 x $1.90, 1 x $2.10, 1 x $2.40 and 1 x $2.90 of the Hobbit II - The Desolation Of Smaug series.





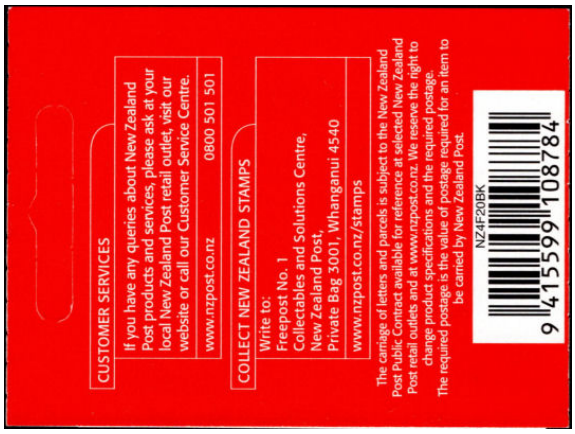


W146 2014 $10.00 Mt. Taranaki Booklet

W146a On May 7, 2014, a new $10.00 booklet featuring Mt. Taranaki was released. The booklet contained 5 x $2.00 Mt. Taranaki self adhesive stamps. It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover, with three on the middle panel. On the bottom panel are two large International Airmail labels.

There were three reprints of this booklet. A **W146az** 1-Kiwi reprint on July 9, 2014, a **W146ay** 2-Kiwi reprint on April 9, 2015, and a **W146ax** 3-Kiwi reprint on July 9, 2015.













W147 2014 $12.50 Punakaiki Pancake Rocks Booklet

W147a Also on May 7, 2014, a new $12.50 booklet featuring the Punakaiki Pancake Rocks was released. Similar to the Mt. Taranaki booklet, it contained 5 x $2.50 Pancake Rocks self adhesive stamps. It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover, with three on the middle panel. On the bottom panel are two large International Airmail labels.

There were two reprints of this booklet. A **W147az** 1-Kiwi reprint on April 9, 2015 and a **W147ay** 2-Kiwi reprint on September 14, 2015.











W149, W150 & W151 2014 $8.00, $18.00 & $22.50 Christmas Booklets

For the Christmas Booklets of 2014, there were two booklets for International postage. The first covered Australia and the Pacific Islands, while the second was for the rest of the world. Discounts were offered, with a "buy 9, get 1 free" reflected in the purchase price.

The booklets were issued on October 1, 2014. The **W149a** $8.00 booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of 80c showing "Mary and Baby Jesus". It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.

The **W150a** $18.00 International Christmas Booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $2.00 showing "One of the Three Wise Men". It had a blue foldable cover (five folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Four stamps are backed onto the front cover, with four on the second panel and two on the third along with one Airmail label. There were three further panels, each with three Airmail labels. Opened up, the booklet is very long, so only a partial unfolded image is shown.

The **W151a** $22.50 International Christmas Booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $2.50 showing an "Angel". It had a blue foldable cover (five folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Four stamps are backed onto the front cover, with four on the second panel and two on the third along with one Airmail label. There were three further panels, each with three Airmail labels. Opened up, the booklet is very long, so only a partial unfolded image is shown.









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W152 2014 $15.60 Hobbit III - The Battle Of The Five Armies Booklet

W152a On November 12, 2014, the third booklet in the Hobbit trilogy was issued. The booklet had a multicolour foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. It contained 10 self adhesive stamps of varying denominations, 4 x 80c, 2 x $1.40, 1 x $2.00, 1 x $2.10, 1 x $2.50 and 1 x $3.00 of the Hobbit III - The Battle Of The Five Armies series.







W154, W155, & W156 2015 $8.00, $18.00 & $22.50 Christmas Booklets

For the Christmas Booklets of 2015, there were two booklets for International postage. The first covered Australia and the Pacific Islands, while the second was for the rest of the world. Discounts were offered, with a "buy 9, get 1 free" reflected in the purchase price.

The booklets were issued on November 4, 2015. The **W154a** $8.00 booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of 80c showing an "Angel". It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.

The **W155a** $18.00 International Christmas Booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $2.00 showing "Mary & Jesus". It had a blue foldable cover (five folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Four stamps are backed onto the front cover, with four on the second panel and two on the third along with one Airmail label. There were three further panels, each with three Airmail labels. Opened up, the booklet is very long, so only a partial unfolded image is shown.

The **W156a** $22.50 International Christmas Booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $2.50 showing "Pohutukawa Flower". It had a blue foldable cover (five folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Four stamps are backed onto the front cover, with four on the second panel and two on the third along with one Airmail label. There were three further panels, each with three Airmail labels. Opened up, the booklet is very long, so only a partial unfolded image is shown.













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W157 2016 $20.00 New Zealand Native Glowworms Booklet

W157a On March 20, 2016, a new $20.00 booklet was released. It was similar in size to the Hobbit booklets and featured New Zealand Native Glowworms. The booklet had a dark multicolour foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. It contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $2.00, showing the Glowworms in Ruakuri Cave. Also of interest is the shape of the barcode on the reverse cover.

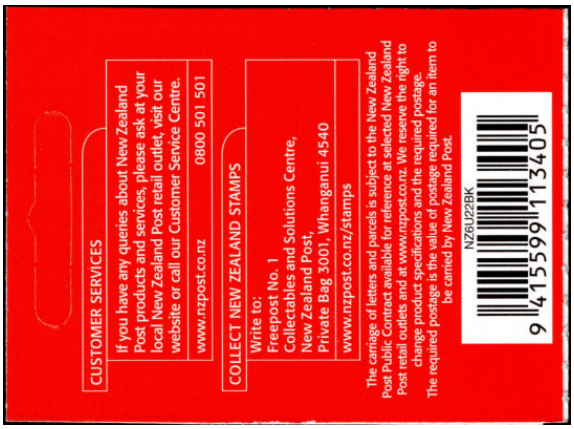


W159 2016 $11.00 Awaroa Bay Booklet

W159a On May 18, 2016, following increases in Airmail rates, an $11.00 booklet featuring Awaroa Bay was released. It contained 5 x $2.20 "Awaroa Bay, Abel Tasman Scenic Reserve" self adhesive stamps. It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover, with three on the middle panel. On the bottom panel are two large International Airmail labels.

W159az There was one reprint of this booklet in 2018. It had a 1-Kiwi reprint symbol on the reverse.







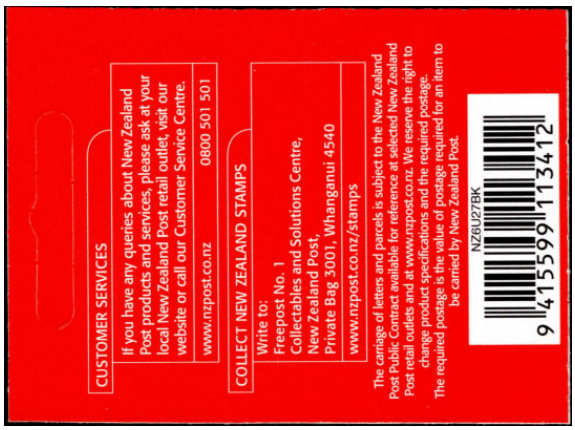


W160 2016 $13.50 Marlborough Vineyards Booklet

W160a Also on May 18, 2016, a new $13.50 booklet featuring Marlborough Vineyards was released, to cater for the increase in the other overseas rate. It contained 5 x $2.70 Marlborough Vineyards self adhesive stamps. It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover, with three on the middle panel. On the bottom panel are two large International Airmail labels.

There were three reprints of this booklet. A **W160az** 1-Kiwi reprint in 2017, a **W160ay** 2-Kiwi reprint in 2018 and a **W160aw** 3-Kiwi reprint in 2020.













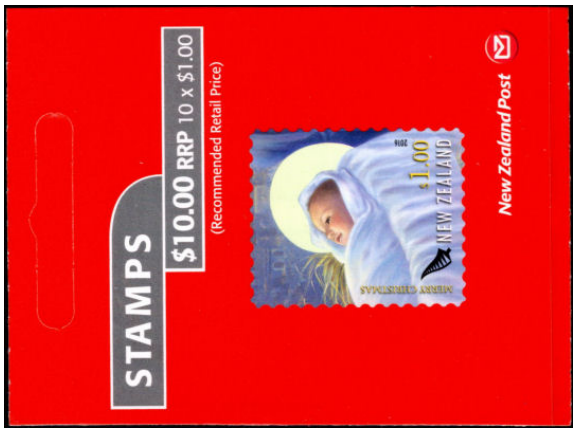
W161, W162, & W163 2016 $10.00, $19.80 & $24.30 Christmas Booklets

For the Christmas Booklets of 2016, there were two booklets for International postage. The first covered Australia and the Pacific Islands, while the second was for the rest of the world. Discounts were offered, with a "buy 9, get 1 free" reflected in the purchase price.

The booklets were issued on November 2, 2016. The **W161a** $10.00 booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $1.00 showing "Baby Jesus in a Manger". It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.

The **W162a** $19.80 International Christmas Booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $2.20 showing a "Shepherd with a Crook". It had a blue foldable cover (five folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Four stamps are backed onto the front cover, with four on the second panel and two on the third along with one Airmail label. There were three further panels, each with three Airmail labels. Opened up, the booklet is very long, so only a partial unfolded image is shown.

The **W163a** $24.30 International Christmas Booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $2.70 showing "Mary". It had a blue foldable cover (five folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Four stamps are backed onto the front cover, with four on the second panel and two on the third along with one Airmail label. There were three further panels, each with three Airmail labels. Opened up, the booklet is very long, so only a partial unfolded image is shown.













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W165, W166, & W167 2017 $10.00, $19.80 & $24.30 Christmas Booklets

With no rate changes and the NVI KiwiStamps doing their job, there were no other regular booklets produced during 2017, just the next round of Christmas stamps.

For the Christmas Booklets of 2017, there were two booklets for International postage. The first covered Australia and the Pacific Islands, while the second was for the rest of the world. Discounts were offered, with a "buy 9, get 1 free" reflected in the purchase price.

The booklets were issued on November 1, 2017. The **W165a** $10.00 booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $1.00 showing a "Quilled Angel". It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.

The **W166a** $19.80 International Christmas Booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $2.20 showing a "Quilled Bauble". It had a blue foldable cover (five folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Four stamps are backed onto the front cover, with four on the second panel and two on the third along with one Airmail label. There were three further panels, each with three Airmail labels. Opened up, the booklet is very long, so only a partial unfolded image is shown.

The **W167a** $24.30 International Christmas Booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $2.70 showing a "Quilled Bell". It had a blue foldable cover (five folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Four stamps are backed onto the front cover, with four on the second panel and two on the third along with one Airmail label. There were three further panels, each with three Airmail labels. Opened up, the booklet is very long, so only a partial unfolded image is shown.













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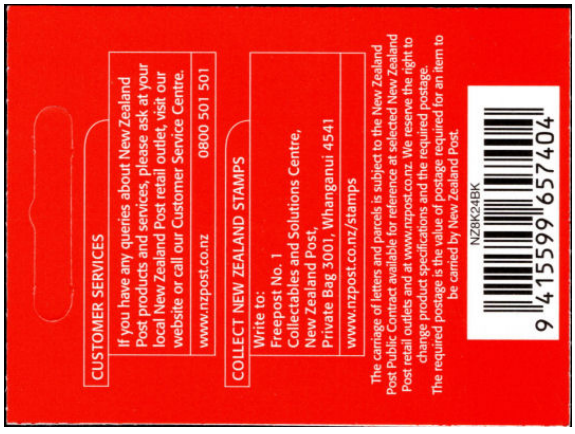
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W169 2018 $12.00 Mt. Maunganui, Tauranga Booklet

W169a On June 6, 2018, following increases in Airmail rates, a $12.00 booklet featuring Mt. Maunganui, Tauranga was released. It contained 5 x $2.40 "Mt. Maunganui" self adhesive stamps. It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover, with three on the middle panel. On the bottom panel are two large International Airmail labels.

W169az I have a certified example of this booklet, printed on the backing paper, meaning no self-adhesive on the stamps.

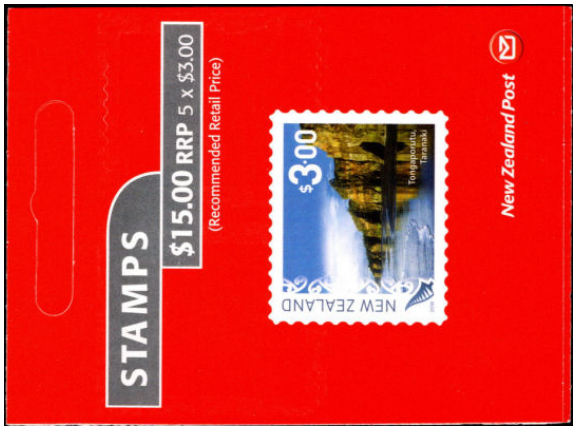






W170 2018 $15.00 Tongaporutu, Taranaki Booklet

W170a Also on June 6, 2018, a new $15.00 booklet featuring Tongaporutu, Taranaki was released, to cater for the increase in the other overseas rate. It contained 5 x $3.00 Tongaporutu self adhesive stamps. It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover, with three on the middle panel. On the bottom panel are two large International Airmail labels.







W170b On June 1, 2022, there was a reprint of the $3.00 Tongaporutu booklet. But instead of issuing it in red with a 1-Kiwi reprint symbol, it was decided to give it a full makeover and treat it like a new booklet. The cover was changed to a purplish-blue, with a complete new layout. This layout and colour was first seen with one of the 2021 Christmas booklets. The layout of the stamps on the inside were rearranged to have just one on the inside cover and four on the middle panel. There were still two International AirMail labels, but the design had been changed. The back had a different barcode and the code above the barcode was also changed.

W170bz In May, 2023, a reprint of this new version was issued. It had a 1-Kiwi reprint symbol on the reverse. This Kiwi symbol was now in a Lilac colour. The other observation is that the cover of this reprint was a more blackish-blue and was matt compared to the purplish-blue and gloss of the original.

It should also be noted that the original stamp has a 2018 date, whereas the 2022 version and the reprint both have a 2022 date.











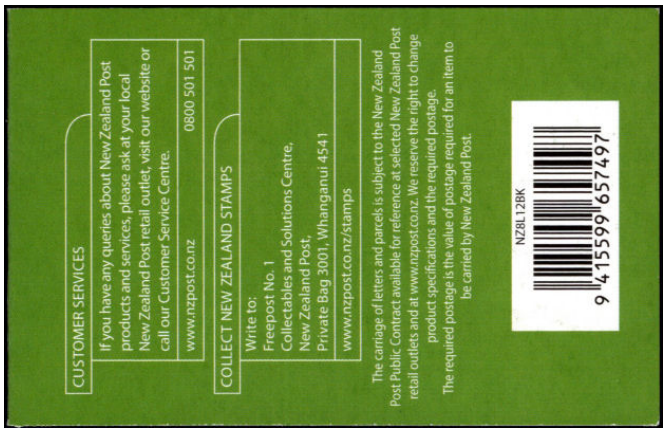


W171 2018 $7.20 Round Kiwi Booklet

For the first time since 1996, a non self-adhesive booklet was produced.

W171a On July 4, 2018, a $7.20 Round Kiwi booklet was issued. It contained a strip of 6 x $1.20 gummed Brown Kiwi on a green background circular stamps. There was no customary hanging slot. The strip was adhered to the inside of the front cover by the left selvedge. The strip was folded twice. The inside of the booklet is completely plain.







W172, W173, & W174 2018 $12.00, $21.60 & $27.00 Christmas Booklets

For the Christmas Booklets of 2018, there were two booklets for International postage. The first covered Australia and the Pacific Islands, while the second was for the rest of the world. Discounts were offered, with a "buy 9, get 1 free" reflected in the purchase price.

The booklets were issued on November 7, 2018. The **W172a** $12.00 booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $1.20 with two different images, in se-tenant pairs. It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.

The **W173a** $21.60 International Christmas Booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $2.40. It had a blue foldable cover (five folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Four stamps are backed onto the front cover, with four on the second panel and two on the third along with one Airmail label. There were three further panels, each with three Airmail labels. Opened up, the booklet is very long, so only a partial unfolded image is shown.

The **W174a** $27.00 International Christmas Booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $3.00. It had a blue foldable cover (five folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Four stamps are backed onto the front cover, with four on the second panel and two on the third along with one Airmail label. There were three further panels, each with three Airmail labels. Opened up, the booklet is very long, so only a partial unfolded image is shown.













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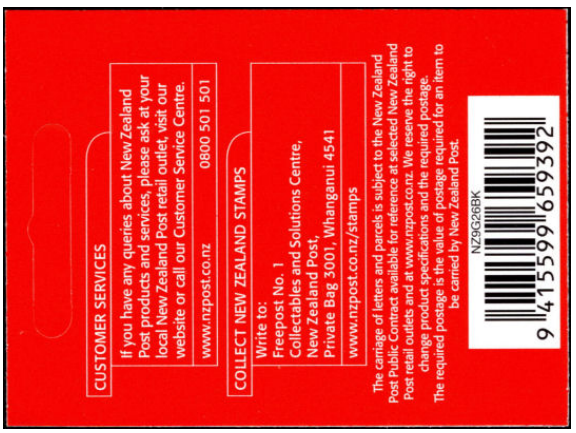
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W175 2019 $13.00 Escarpment Walkway, Paekakariki Booklet

W175a On June 5, 2019, following increases in Airmail rates, a $13.00 booklet featuring the Escarpment Walkway, Paekakariki was released. It contained 5 x $2.60 "Paekakariki" self adhesive stamps. It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover, with three on the middle panel. On the bottom panel are two large International Airmail labels.

Later in the year, a reprint was issued. It had a **W175az** 1-Kiwi reprint symbol on the reverse.









W176 2019 $16.50 Dunedin Railway Station Booklet

W176a Also on June 5, 2019, a new $16.50 booklet featuring the Dunedin Railway Station was released, to cater for the increase in the other overseas rate. It contained 5 x $3.30 Dunedin Railway Station self adhesive stamps. It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover, with three on the middle panel. On the bottom panel are two large International Airmail labels.

Later in the year, a reprint was issued. It had a **W176az** 1-Kiwi reprint symbol on the reverse.









W177, W178, & W179 2019 $13.00, $23.40 & $29.70 Christmas Booklets

For the Christmas Booklets of 2019, there were two booklets for International postage. The first covered Australia and the Pacific Islands, while the second was for the rest of the world. Discounts were offered, with a "buy 9, get 1 free" reflected in the purchase price.

The booklets were issued on November 6, 2019. The **W177a** $13.00 booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $1.30 with two different images, in se-tenant pairs. It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.

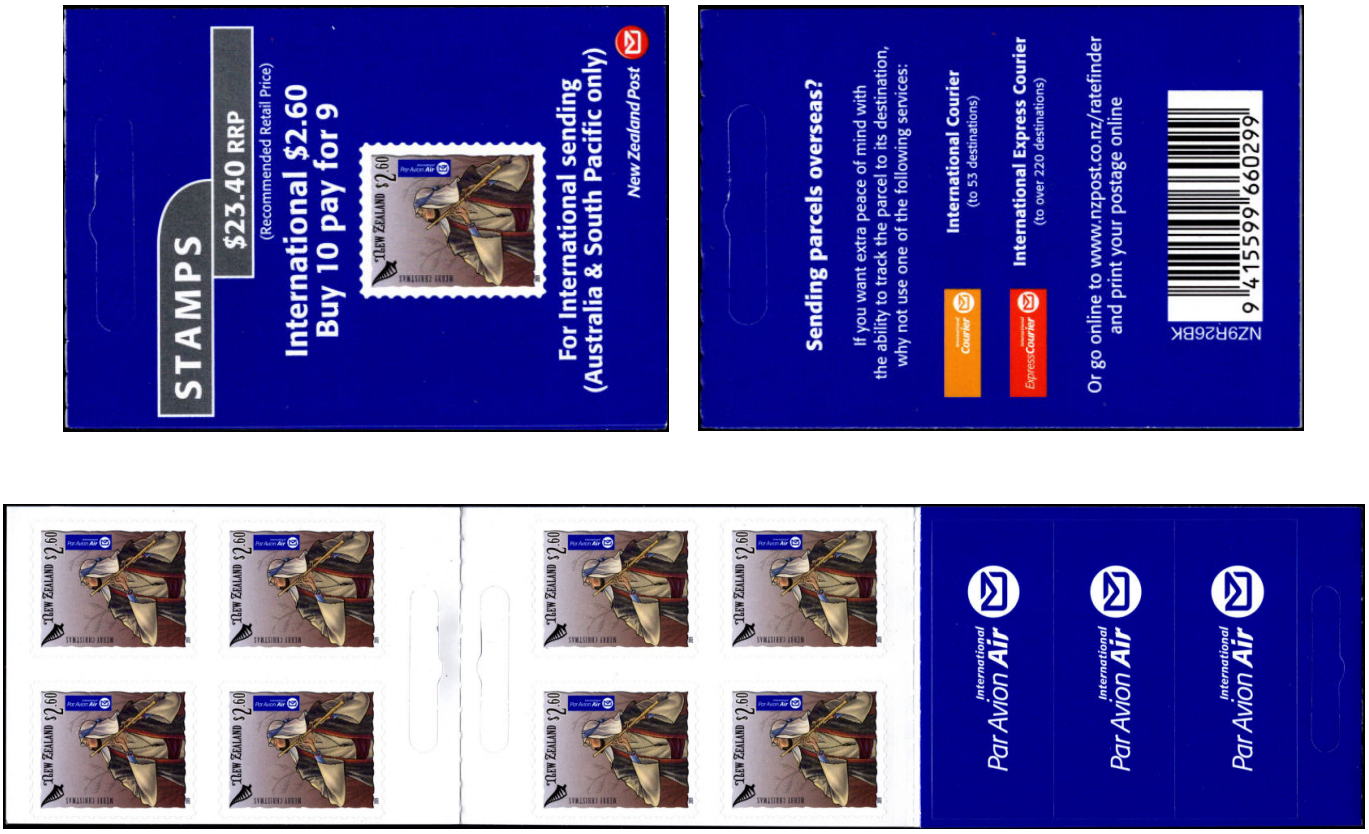
The **W178a** $23.40 International Christmas Booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $2.60. It had a blue foldable cover (five folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Four stamps are backed onto the front cover, with four on the second panel and two on the third along with one Airmail label. There were three further panels, each with three Airmail labels. Opened up, the booklet is very long, so only a partial unfolded image is shown.

The **W179a** $29.70 International Christmas Booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $3.30. It had a blue foldable cover (five folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Four stamps are backed onto the front cover, with four on the second panel and two on the third along with one Airmail label. There were three further panels, each with three Airmail labels. Opened up, the booklet is very long, so only a partial unfolded image is shown.









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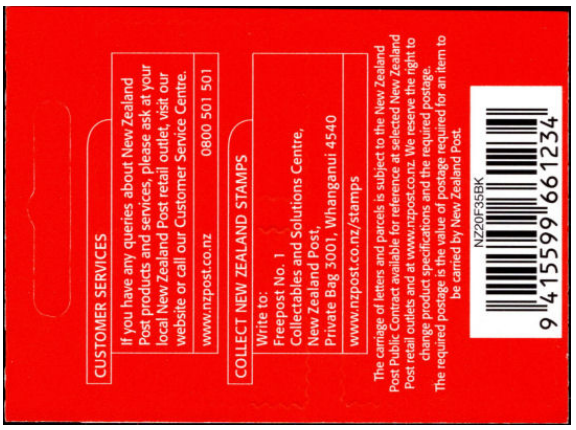


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W181 2020 $17.50 Fitzroy Bay, Marlborough Sounds Booklet

W181a Another rate increase to the Rest Of The World, saw a new $17.50 booklet featuring Fitzroy Bay, Marlborough Sounds released on August 5, 2020. It contained 5 x $3.50 Fitzroy Bay self adhesive stamps. It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover, with three on the middle panel. On the bottom panel are two large International Airmail labels.







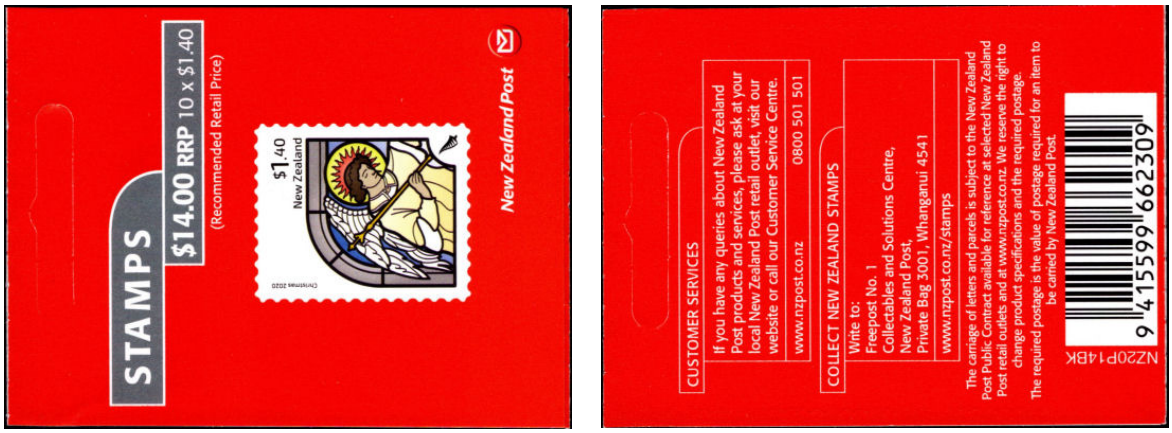
W182, W183, & W184 2020 $14.00, $27.00 & $35.00 Christmas Booklets

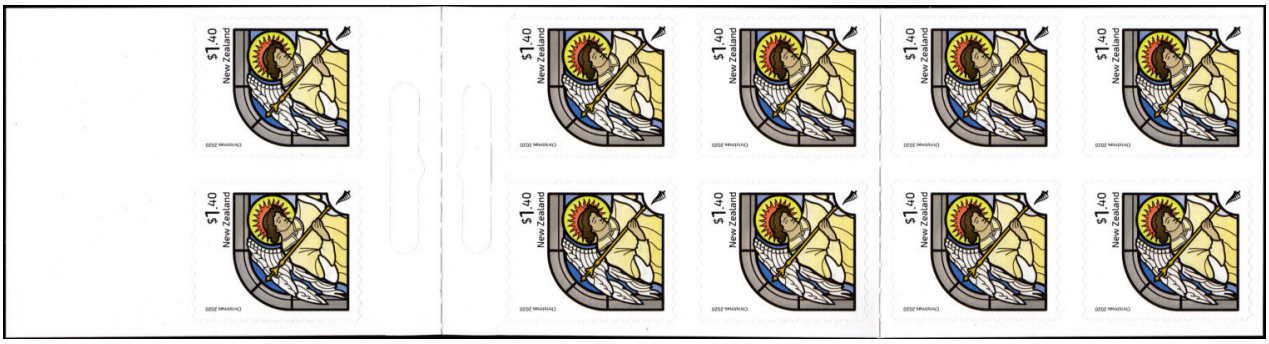
For the Christmas Booklets of 2020, there were two booklets for International postage. The first covered Australia and the Pacific Islands, while the second was for the rest of the world. Discounts, which had been offered for a number of years, were no longer available.

The booklets were issued on November 4, 2020. The **W182a** $14.00 booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $1.40. It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.

The **W183a** $27.00 International Christmas Booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $2.70. It had a blue foldable cover (five folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Four stamps are backed onto the front cover, with four on the second panel and two on the third along with one Airmail label. There were three further panels, each with three Airmail labels. Opened up, the booklet is very long, so only a partial unfolded image is shown.

The **W184a** $35.00 International Christmas Booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $3.50. It had a blue foldable cover (five folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Four stamps are backed onto the front cover, with four on the second panel and two on the third along with one Airmail label. There were three further panels, each with three Airmail labels. Opened up, the booklet is very long, so only a partial unfolded image is shown.





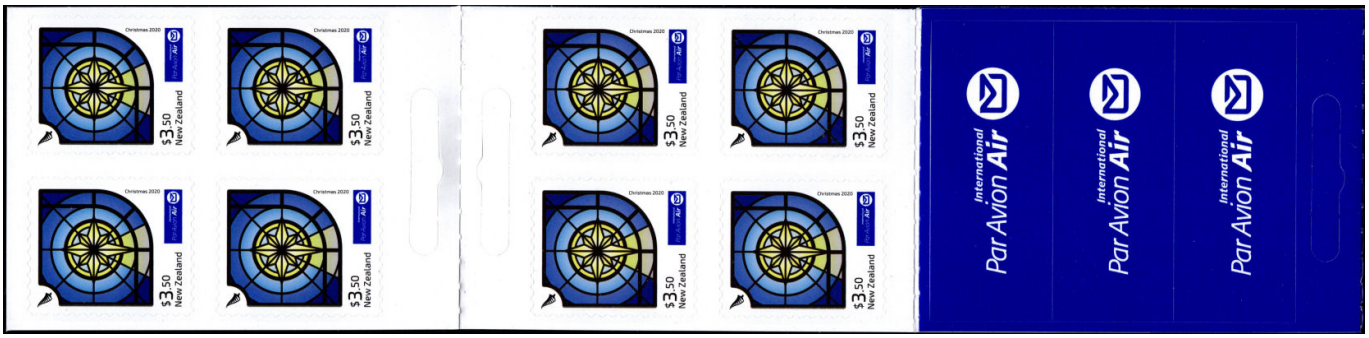




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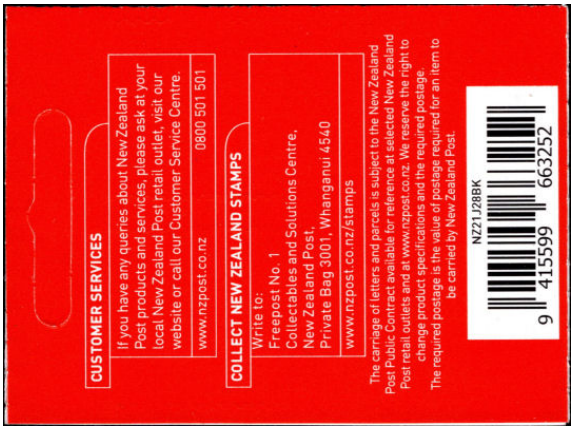


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W185 2021 $14.00 Auckland Booklet

W185a On June 2, 2021, following increases in Airmail rates, a $14.00 booklet featuring Auckland was released. It contained 5 x $2.80 "Auckland" self adhesive stamps. It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover, with three on the middle panel. On the bottom panel are two large International Airmail labels.



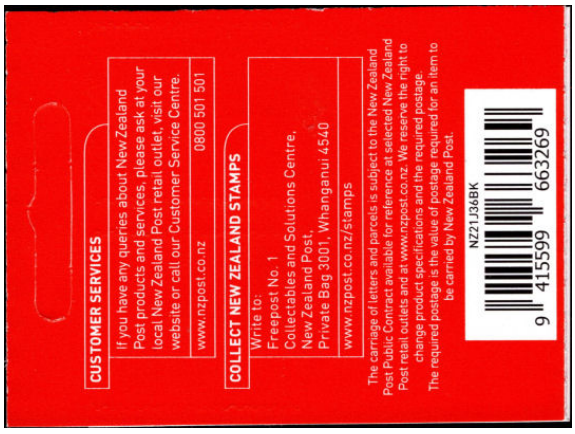




W186 2021 $18.00 Waikato River Booklet

W186a Another rate increase to the Rest Of The World, saw a new $18.00 booklet featuring the Waikato River released on June 2, 2021. It contained 5 x $3.60 Waikato River self adhesive stamps. It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover, with three on the middle panel. On the bottom panel are two large International Airmail labels.







W187 2021 KiwiStamp NVI Booklet

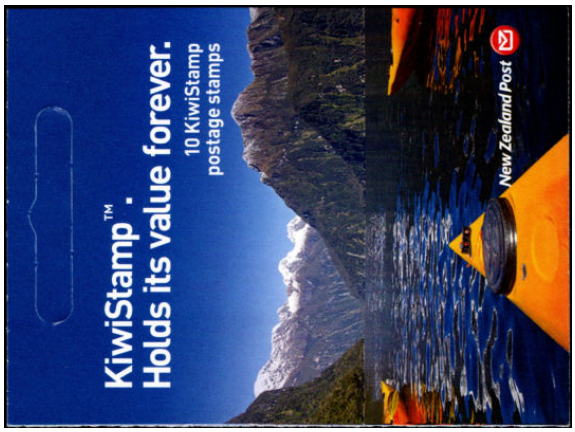
W187a After being around since 2011 and going through an enormous number of reprints, the KiwiStamp NVI booklet was updated with new images on June 2, 2021.

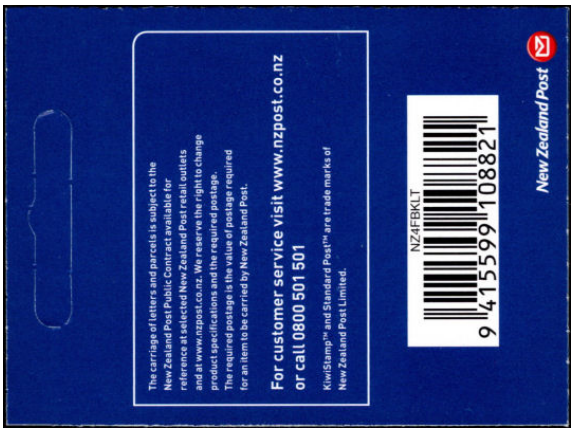
Featuring an image of scenic beauty, it contained 10 x no value self adhesive stamps. The stamps featured five classic New Zealand outdoor activities in pairs. The booklet had a blue foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.

W187az In 2022, a reprint was issued. It differed from the original with the change of New Zealand Post to NZ Post and a new logo. This was reflected on the cover and also the reverse. There was also a 1-Kiwi reprint symbol on the reverse.

W187ay A second reprint occurred in May 2023, and this is identified by the 2-Kiwi reprint symbol on the reverse.

A 50 stamp version exists. For details see the chapter on **Miscellaneous & Unofficial Booklets**.









Front Of 1-Kiwi Reprint With New Logo





W188, W189, & W190 2021 $15.00, $28.00 & $36.00 Christmas Booklets

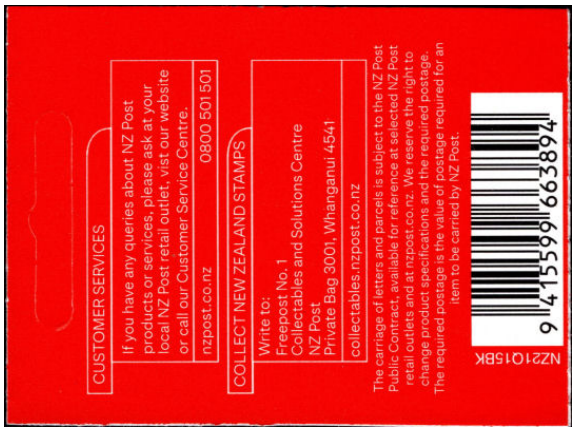
For the Christmas Booklets of 2021, there were two booklets for International postage. The first covered Australia and the Pacific Islands, while the second was for the rest of the world.

The booklets were issued on November 3, 2021. The **W188a** $15.00 booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $1.50. It had a red foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.

The **W189a** $28.00 International Christmas Booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $2.80. It had a blue foldable cover (five folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Four stamps are backed onto the front cover, with four on the second panel and two on the third along with one Airmail label. There were three further panels, each with three Airmail labels. Opened up, the booklet is very long, so only a partial unfolded image is shown.

The **W190a** $36.00 International Christmas Booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $3.60. It had a blackish-blue foldable cover (five folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Four stamps are backed onto the front cover, with four on the second panel and two on the third along with one Airmail label. There were three further panels, each with three Airmail labels. Opened up, the booklet is very long, so only a partial unfolded image is shown.

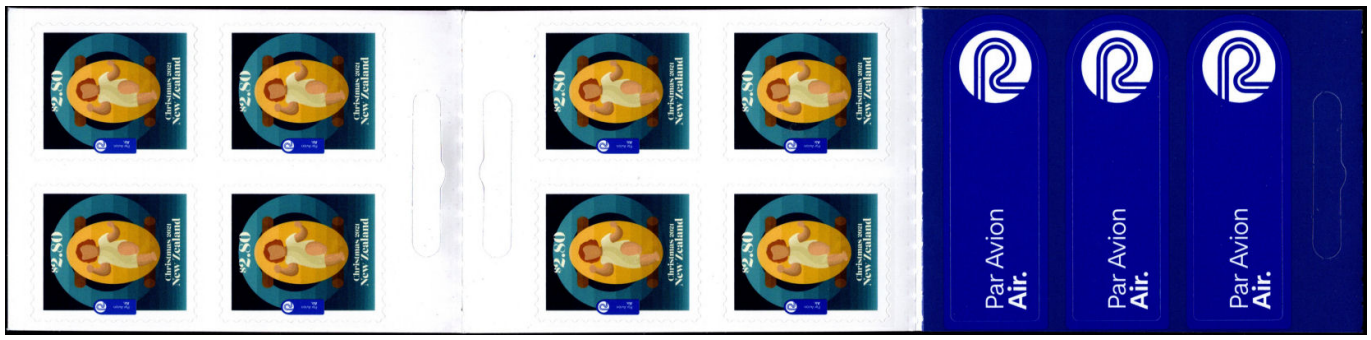








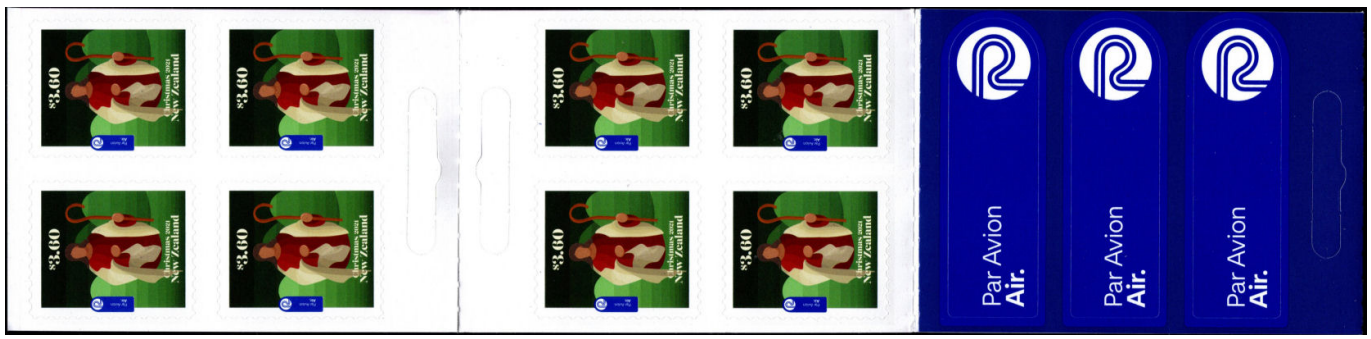




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W191 2022 $19.00 Te Mata Peak, Hawkes Bay Booklet

W191a Another rate increase to the Rest Of The World, saw a new $19.00 booklet featuring Te Mata Peak, Hawkes Bay released on June 1, 2022. It contained 5 x $3.80 Te Mata Peak self adhesive stamps. It had a purplish-blue foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. The layout of the stamps on the inside were rearranged to have just one on the inside cover and four on the middle panel. There were two International AirMail labels, with the new design and logo, on the third panel.

W191az In May, 2023, a reprint was issued. It had a 1-Kiwi reprint symbol on the reverse. This Kiwi symbol was in a Lilac colour. The cover of this reprint was a more blackish-blue and was matt compared to the purplish-blue and gloss of the original.









W192, W193, & W194 2022 $17.00, $30.00 & $38.00 Christmas Booklets

For the Christmas Booklets of 2022, there were two booklets for International postage. The first covered Australia and the Pacific Islands, while the second was for the rest of the world.

The booklets were issued on October 5, 2022. The **W192a** $17.00 booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $1.70. It had a blackish-blue foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.

The **W193a** $30.00 International Christmas Booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $3.00. It had a blackish-blue foldable cover (five folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Four stamps are backed onto the front cover, with four on the second panel and two on the third along with one Airmail label. There were three further panels, each with three Airmail labels. Opened up, the booklet is very long, so only a partial unfolded image is shown.

The **W194a** $38.00 International Christmas Booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $3.80. It had a blackish-blue foldable cover (five folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Four stamps are backed onto the front cover, with four on the second panel and two on the third along with one Airmail label. There were three further panels, each with three Airmail labels. Opened up, the booklet is very long, so only a partial unfolded image is shown.

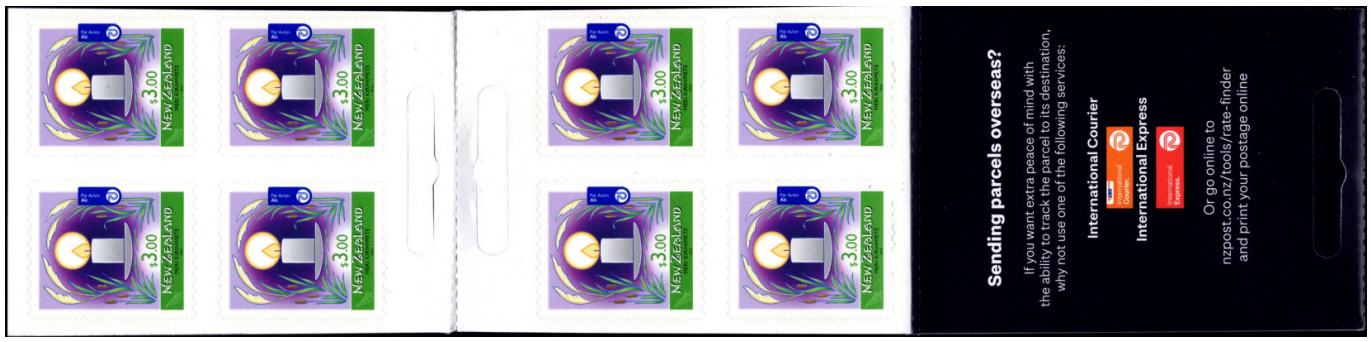






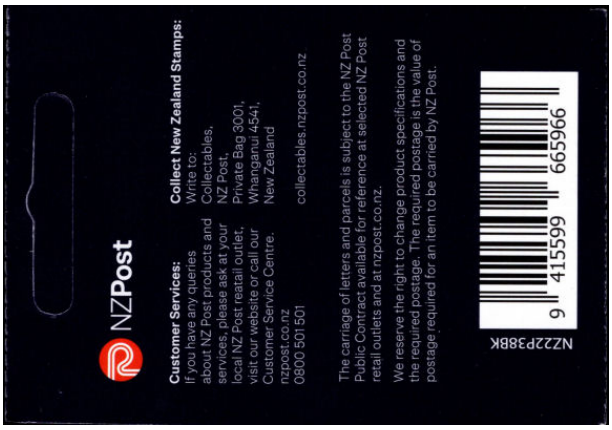






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W195 2023 $16.50 Emerald Lakes, Tongariro Crossing Booklet

W195a On June 7, 2023, following increases in Airmail rates, a $16.50 booklet featuring the Emerald Lakes was released. It contained 5 x $3.30 "Emerald Lakes" self adhesive stamps. It had a blackish-blue foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. The layout of the stamps on the inside were rearranged to have just one on the inside cover and four on the middle panel. There were two International AirMail labels on the third panel.







During the early part of 2024, two reprints have been issued. The first has a lilac 1-Kiwi on the reverse, whilst the 2-Kiwi version has been changed to white.

Be aware that counterfeit versions of this booklet exist.





W196 2023 $20.00 Island Bay, Wellington Booklet

W196a Another rate increase to the Rest Of The World, saw a new $20.00 booklet featuring Island Bay, Wellington released on June 7, 2023. It contained 5 x $4.00 Island Bay self adhesive stamps. It had a blackish-blue foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. The layout of the stamps on the inside were rearranged to have just one on the inside cover and four on the middle panel. There were two International AirMail labels on the third panel. This $4.00 stamp had previously been released in June 2020, as a gummed stamp.







During the early part of 2024, a reprint was issued. It has a lilac 1-Kiwi on the reverse. A second reprint appeared in December 2025, with the 2-Kiwi symbols reverting back to white.

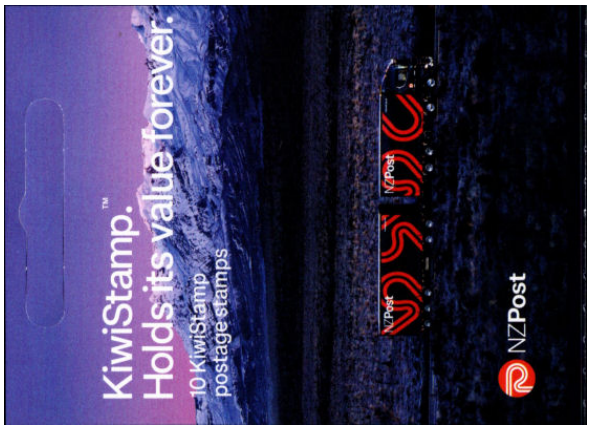


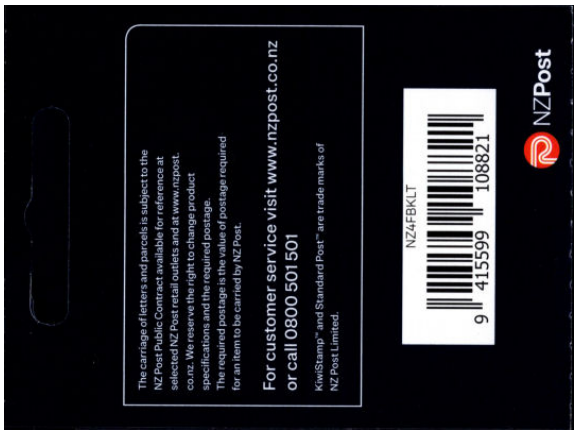


W197 2023 KiwiStamp NVI Booklet

After only two years, the KiwiStamp NVI booklet was updated with new images on July 1, 2023.

W197a Featuring a NZ Post truck against a scenic backdrop, it contained 10 x no value self adhesive stamps. The stamps featured five various NZ Post transport vehicles in pairs. The booklet had a dark blue foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.







W197az Around September of 2024, a reprint was issued. It has a white 1-Kiwi on the reverse.

A 50 stamp version exists. For details see the chapter on **Miscellaneous & Unofficial Booklets**.

Be aware that counterfeit versions of this booklet exist.



W198, W199, & W200 2023 $20.00, $33.00 & $40.00 Christmas Booklets

For the Christmas Booklets of 2023, there were two booklets for International postage. The first covered Australia and the Pacific Islands, while the second was for the rest of the world.

The booklets were issued on October 4, 2023. The **W198a** $20.00 booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $2.00. It had a blackish-blue foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.

The **W199a** $33.00 International Christmas Booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $3.30. It had a blackish-blue foldable cover (five folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Four stamps are backed onto the front cover, with four on the second panel and two on the third along with one Airmail label. There were three further panels, each with three Airmail labels. Opened up, the booklet is very long, so only a partial unfolded image is shown.

The **W200a** $40.00 International Christmas Booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $4.00. It had a blackish-blue foldable cover (five folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Four stamps are backed onto the front cover, with four on the second panel and two on the third along with one Airmail label. There were three further panels, each with three Airmail labels. Opened up, the booklet is very long, so only a partial unfolded image is shown.













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W201 2024 $18.00 Whanganui Journey Booklet

W201a On June 5, 2024, an $18.00 booklet featuring a Whanganui Journey was released. It contained 5 x $3.60 "Whanganui Journey" self adhesive stamps. It had a blackish-blue foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. The layout of the stamps on the inside were rearranged to have just one on the inside cover and four on the middle panel. There were two International AirMail labels on the third panel. A **W201az** 1-Kiwi reprint was issued around April, 2025.





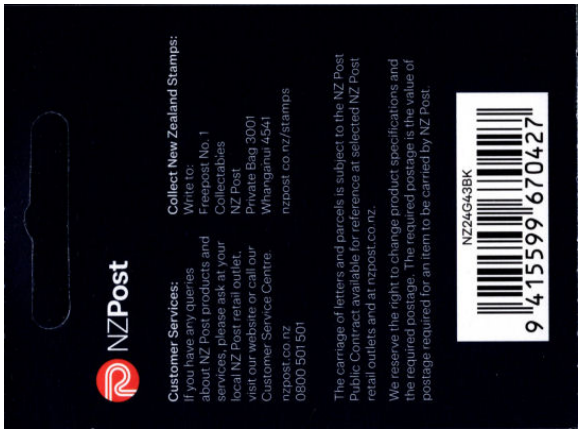


1-Kiwi Reprint
around April, 2025

W202 2024 $21.50 Paparoa Track Booklet

W202a On June 5, 2024, an $21.50 booklet featuring the Paparoa Track was released. It contained 5 x $3.60 "Paparoa Track" self adhesive stamps. It had a blackish-blue foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. The layout of the stamps on the inside were rearranged to have just one on the inside cover and four on the middle panel. There were two International AirMail labels on the third panel. A **W202az** 1-Kiwi reprint was issued around April, 2025.









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W203, W204, & W205 2024 $23.00, $36.00 & $43.00 Christmas Booklets

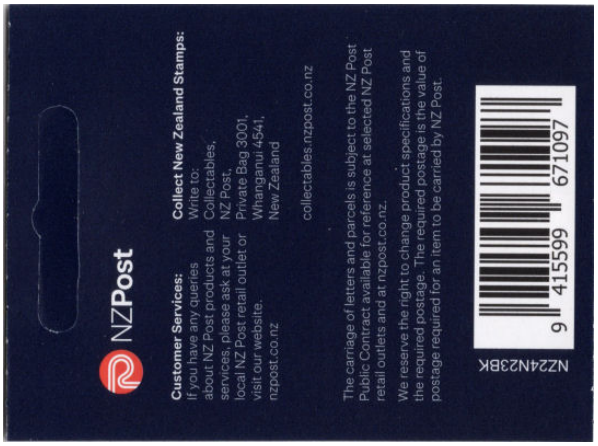
For the Christmas Booklets of 2024, there were two booklets for International postage. The first covered Australia and the Pacific Islands, while the second was for the rest of the world.

The booklets were issued on October 2, 2024. The **W203a** $23.00 booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $2.30. It had a blackish-blue foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.

The **W204a** $36.00 International Christmas Booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $3.60. It had a blackish-blue foldable cover (five folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Four stamps are backed onto the front cover, with four on the second panel and two on the third along with one Airmail label. There were three further panels, each with three Airmail labels. Opened up, the booklet is very long, so only a partial unfolded image is shown.

The **W205a** $43.00 International Christmas Booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $4.30. It had a blackish-blue foldable cover (five folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Four stamps are backed onto the front cover, with four on the second panel and two on the third along with one Airmail label. There were three further panels, each with three Airmail labels. Opened up, the booklet is very long, so only a partial unfolded image is shown.








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W206 2025 $21.00 Maungawhau/Mount Eden Booklet

W206a On June 4, 2025, an $21.00 booklet featuring Maungawhau/Mount Eden was released. It contained 5 x $4.20 "Maungawhau/Mount Eden" self adhesive stamps. It had a blackish-blue foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. The layout of the stamps on the inside were rearranged to have just one on the inside cover and four on the middle panel. There were two International AirMail labels on the third panel.







W207 2025 $23.50 Lake Rotokawau Booklet

W207a On June 4, 2025, an $23.50 booklet featuring Lake Rotokawau was released. It contained 5 x $4.70 "Lake Rotokawau" self adhesive stamps. It had a blackish-blue foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. The layout of the stamps on the inside were rearranged to have just one on the inside cover and four on the middle panel. There were two International AirMail labels on the third panel.







W208 2025 KiwiStamp NVI Booklet

W208a After only two years, the KiwiStamp NVI booklet was once again updated with new images on July 2, 2025.

Featuring New Zealand Rivers, it contained 10 x no value self adhesive stamps. The stamps featured five various New Zealand Rivers in pairs. The booklet had a dark blue foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.

A 50 stamp version exists. For details see the chapter on **Miscellaneous & Unofficial Booklets**.







W209, W210, & W211 2025 $29.00, $40.00 & $47.00 Christmas Booklets

For the Christmas Booklets of 2025, there were two booklets for International postage. The first covered Australia and the Pacific Islands, while the second was for the rest of the world.

The booklets were issued on October 1, 2025. The **W209a** $29.00 booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $2.90. It had a blackish-blue foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Two stamps are backed onto the front cover.

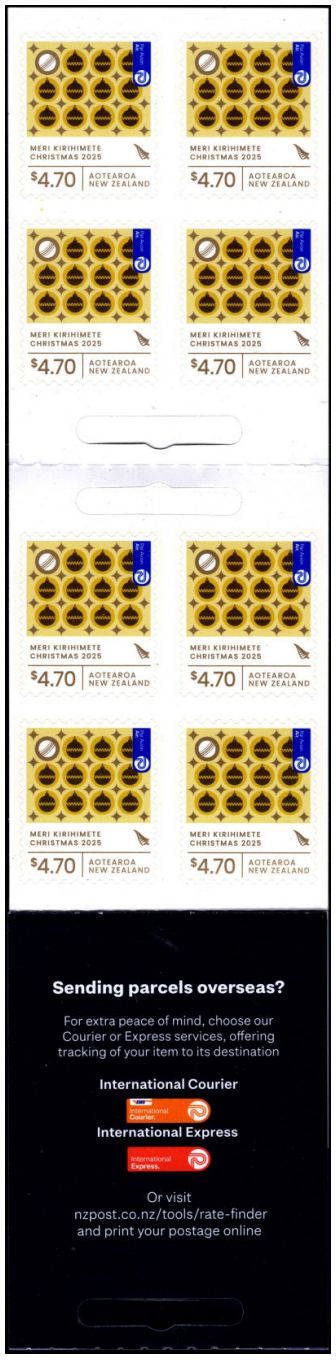
The **W210a** $40.00 International Christmas Booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $4.00. It had a blackish-blue foldable cover (five folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Four stamps are backed onto the front cover, with four on the second panel and two on the third along with one Airmail label. There were three further panels, each with three Airmail labels. Opened up, the booklet is very long, so only a partial unfolded image is shown.

The **W211a** $47.00 International Christmas Booklet contained 10 self adhesive stamps of $4.70. It had a blackish-blue foldable cover (five folds) incorporating a hanging slot. Four stamps are backed onto the front cover, with four on the second panel and two on the third along with one Airmail label. There were three further panels, each with three Airmail labels. Opened up, the booklet is very long, so only a partial unfolded image is shown.








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W212 2026 $24.50 Bounty Islands Booklet

W212a On April 1, 2026, a $24.50 booklet featuring Bounty Islands was released. It contained 5 x $4.90 "Bounty Islands Marine Reserve" self adhesive stamps. It had a blackish-blue foldable cover (two folds) incorporating a hanging slot. The layout of the stamps on the inside were rearranged to have just one on the inside cover and four on the middle panel. There were two International AirMail labels on the third panel.









New Zealand Prestige Booklets

Prestige Booklets are a means of presenting a stamp issue in a more colourful, descriptive form, closely resembling a small book. The stamps included are always in miniature sheet format. The idea for this type of booklet was first introduced in Great Britain in 1972. It took a while for the concept to be taken up by other countries, but these days, most countries produce them. They are designed mainly for the collector as souvenirs of a stamp issue. The miniature sheets contained, are often in a different make-up to the regular released versions of the stamp. They can have different perforations, alternate mesh direction, making them an additional collectible. Some collectors break down the booklet to just save the miniature sheets, and discard the rest. Some of the booklets have a premium added to the purchase price, to cover production costs, and this can give reason as to why they are not always recognised by the major catalogue producers.

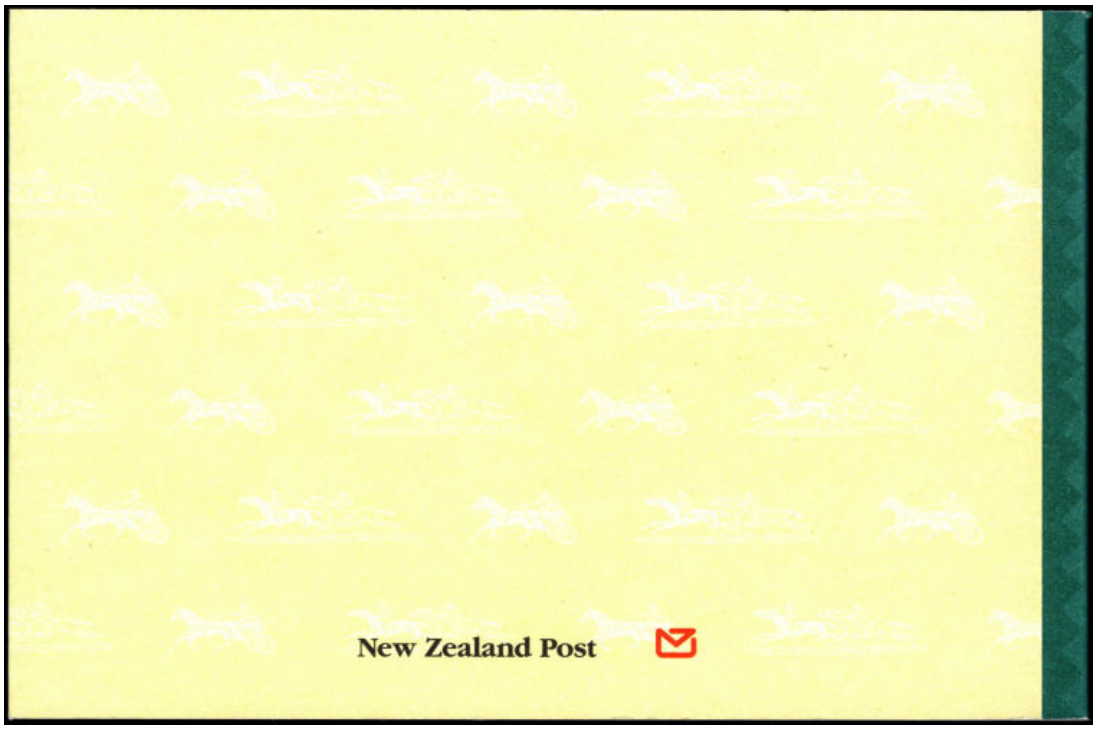
In my opinion, New Zealand took the sensible approach and only produced one per year on average, unlike Australia, who saw the opportunity to make money from collectors, and flooded the market with many various issues, some of them with 12 or 16 booklets for one issue. To date, New Zealand has produced 23 Prestige Booklets, while for the same period Australia has produced 258.

The first 15 booklets all measured approximately 165 mm x 110 mm, then a change occurred with the next one measuring 150 mm x 150 mm, before going back to the 165 mm x 110 mm for the next two. A series of 5 booklets were released over the next 5 years to commemorate WWI and these measured 105 mm x 180 mm and were housed in a cardboard box. One further booklet was produced in 2020 and it was the 150 mm x 150 mm format. There have been no more issued since then.

Each booklet contains many pages of descriptive text and illustrations, as well as the miniature sheets containing the stamps. For each Prestige Booklet, shown, are the front and back covers, along with any page containing a stamp.

W55a 1996 "New Zealand Racehorses"





The first Prestige Booklet was issued on January 24, 1996 at a cost of $13.40, the face value of the stamps included. It features New Zealand racehorses. There were six miniature sheets, each with one stamp from the set of 6, and a seventh with all six stamps in a 3x2 array. There were no miniature sheets released with the regular issue. The only other miniature sheet available was the same as the seventh one, with "Racehorses Limited Edition" overprinted from the Limited Edition folder. There have been a few rare examples of duplicated or inverted panes reported.


Melbourne Cup
40c
Wellington Cup
NEW ZEALAND
Waverley Cup
TARANAKI STAKES
WATKINS HANDICAP


Stradbroke Handicap
80c
DOOMBEN CUP
NEW ZEALAND
CAULFIELD STAKES
Queensland Derby
All Aged Stakes
Queen Elizabeth Stakes


$1.00
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BLOSSOM LADY
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HUNTER CUP
Air NZ Free-For-All
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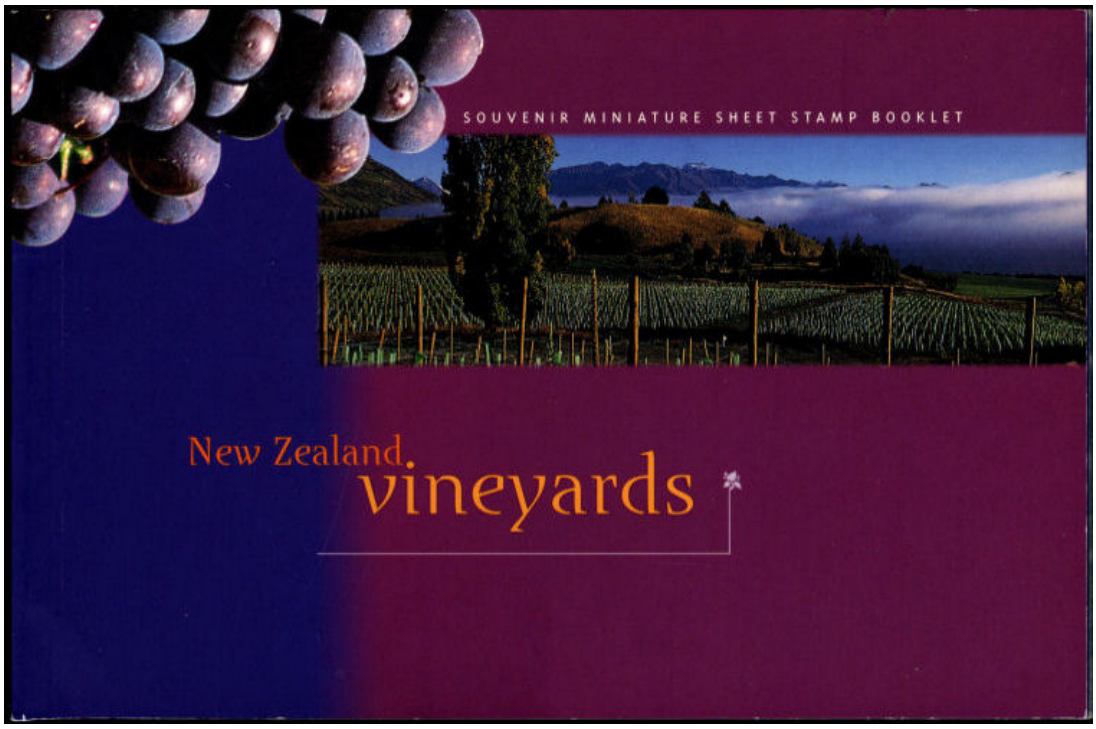

$1.20
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NEW ZEALAND
NSW Derby
3YO Sires Stakes Final
NZ 2YO Championship
New Zealand Derby


Japan Cup
$1.50
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HORLICKS
NEW ZEALAND
TVNZ Stakes
DB DRAUGHT CLASSIC
L K S Mackinnon Stakes


New Zealand Derby
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AJC DERBY
$1.80
BONECRUSHER
NEW ZEALAND
Australian Cup
W S Cox Plate
CAULFIELD STAKES
Air NZ Stakes


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40¢
KIWI
NEW ZEALAND
80¢
ROUGH HABIT
NEW ZEALAND
$1.00
BLOSSOM LADY
NEW ZEALAND
$1.20
NEW ZEALAND
$1.50
HORLICKS
NEW ZEALAND
$1.80
BONECRUSHER
NEW ZEALAND

W61a 1997 "New Zealand Vineyards"





The second Prestige Booklet was issued on March 19, 1997 at a cost of $13.40, the face value of the stamps included. It features New Zealand vineyards from around the country. There were six miniature sheets, each with one stamp from the set of 6, and a seventh with all six stamps in a 3x2 array. There were no miniature sheets released with the regular issue other than the "Pacific '97" sheet that had just three of the values. The only other miniature sheet available was the same as the seventh one, with "Limited Edition" overprinted from the Limited Edition folder.


40c
Central Otago
New Zealand
Central Otago
40c


80c
Hawke's Bay
New Zealand
Hawke's Bay
80c


$1.00
Marlborough
New Zealand
Marlborough
$1.00


$1.20
Canterbury/Waipara
New Zealand
Canterbury/Waipara
$1.20


$1.50
Gisborne
New Zealand
Gisborne
$1.50


$1.80
Auckland/Waiheke
New Zealand
Auckland/Waiheke
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$6.70
Central Otago
40c
Hawke's Bay
80c
Marlborough
$1.00
Canterbury / Waipara
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Gisborne
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Auckland / Waiheke
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New Zealand Vineyards

W65a 1998 "New Zealand Performing Arts"

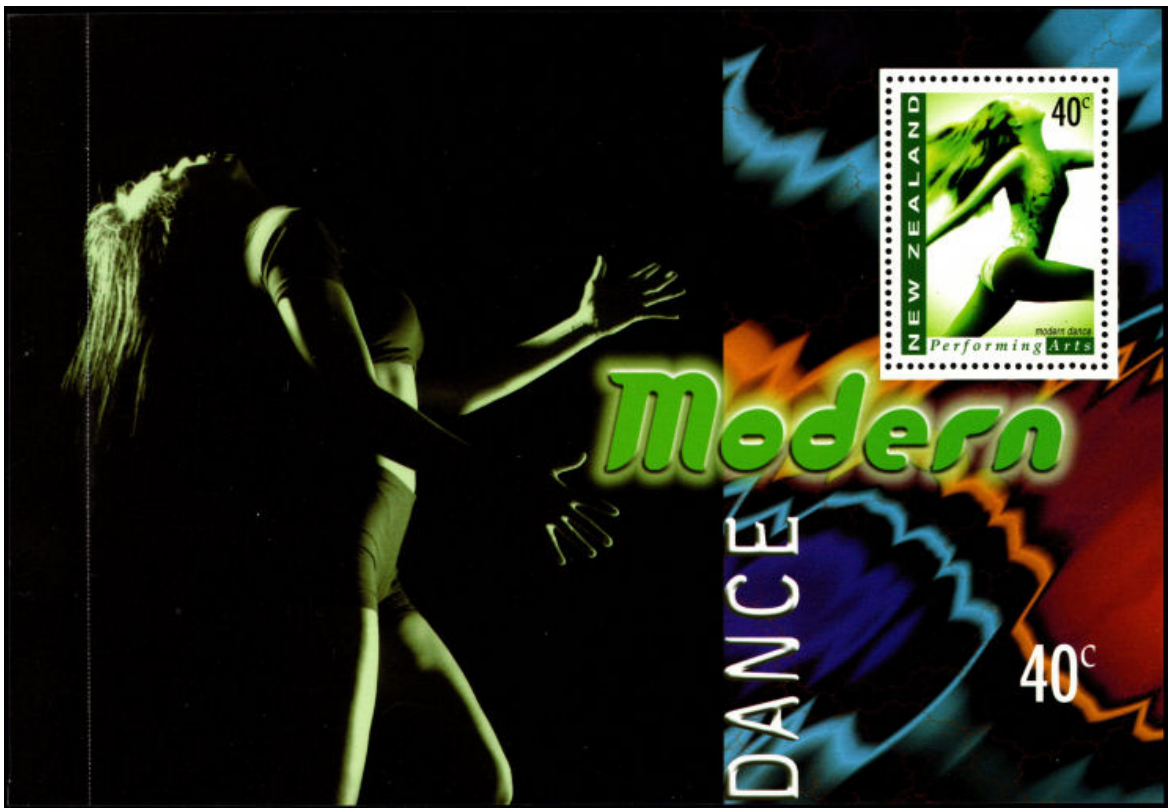




The third Prestige Booklet was issued on January 14, 1998 at a cost of $13.40, the face value of the stamps included. It features various forms of Performing Arts of New Zealand. There were six miniature sheets, each with one stamp from the set of 6, and a seventh with all six stamps in a 3x2 array. There were considerable design and production difficulties with this issue, with the result that all the single stamp miniature sheets, except the $1.00, were perforated 13.4 x 13.7. The $1.00 miniature sheet and the one with all 6 stamps was perforated 12.

Because of the hectic goings on at the printers at the time, a small number of the $1.20 miniature sheets that clearly had a perforation error along the top line, and were marked so for destruction via a black pen defacing the stamp, still managed to make it through the entire production process to get released along with the regular booklets. A small bundle of these error booklets was purchased by Campbell Patersons Ltd at the Downtown Post Shop in Auckland.





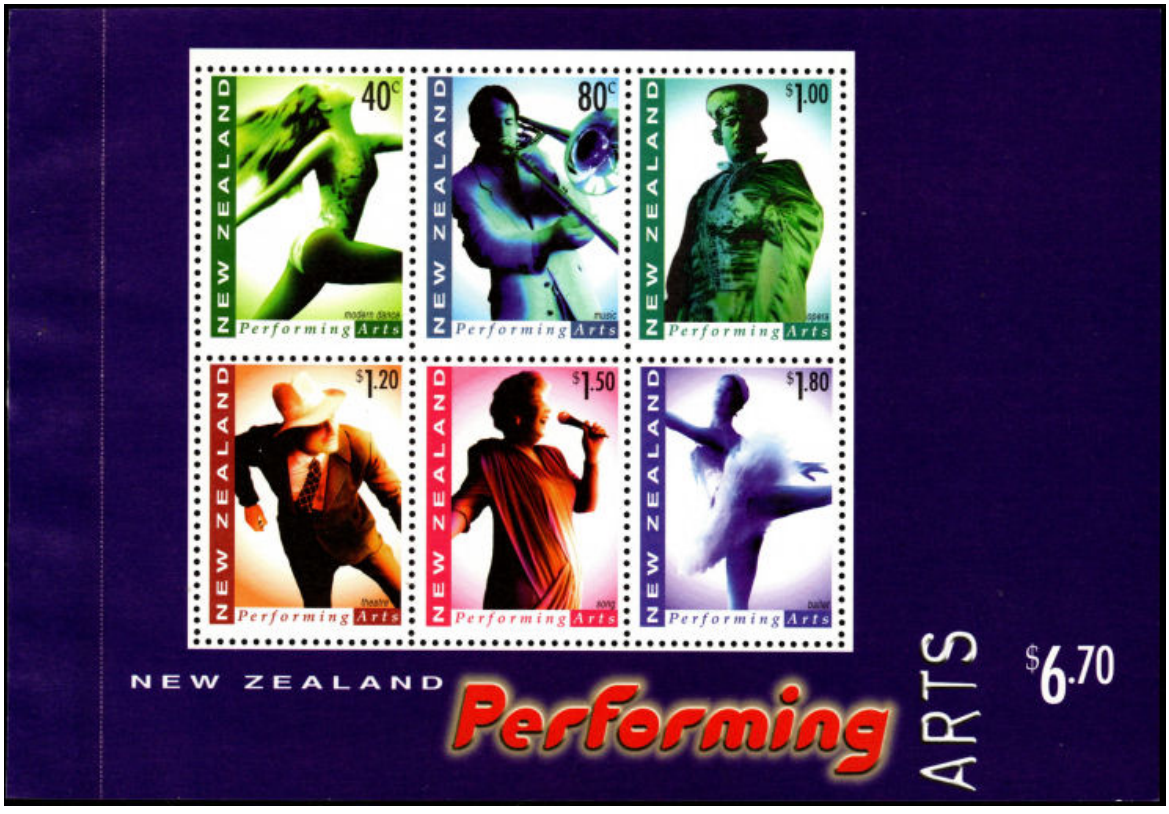

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80c
NEW ZEALAND
80c
Performing Arts


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Performing Arts
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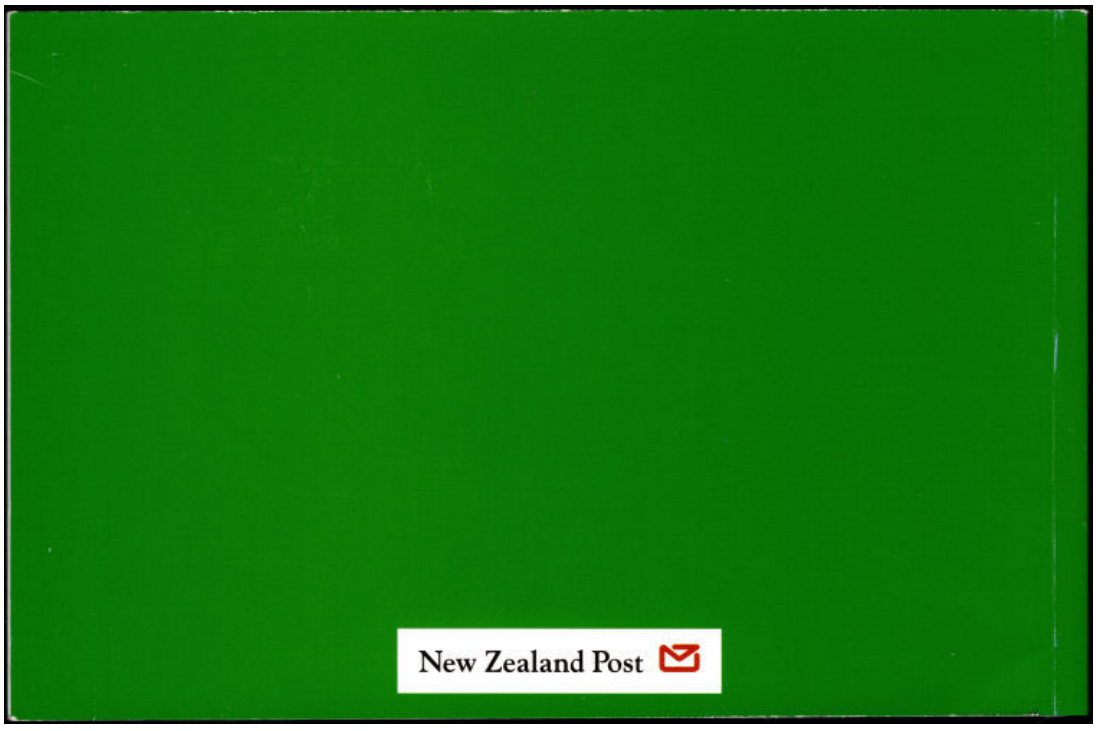

Song
NEW ZEALAND
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Performing Arts
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NEW ZEALAND
$1.80
Performing Arts
Ballet
$1.80


NEW ZEALAND
40c
80c
$1.00
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W75a 1999 "New Zealand Scenic Walks"





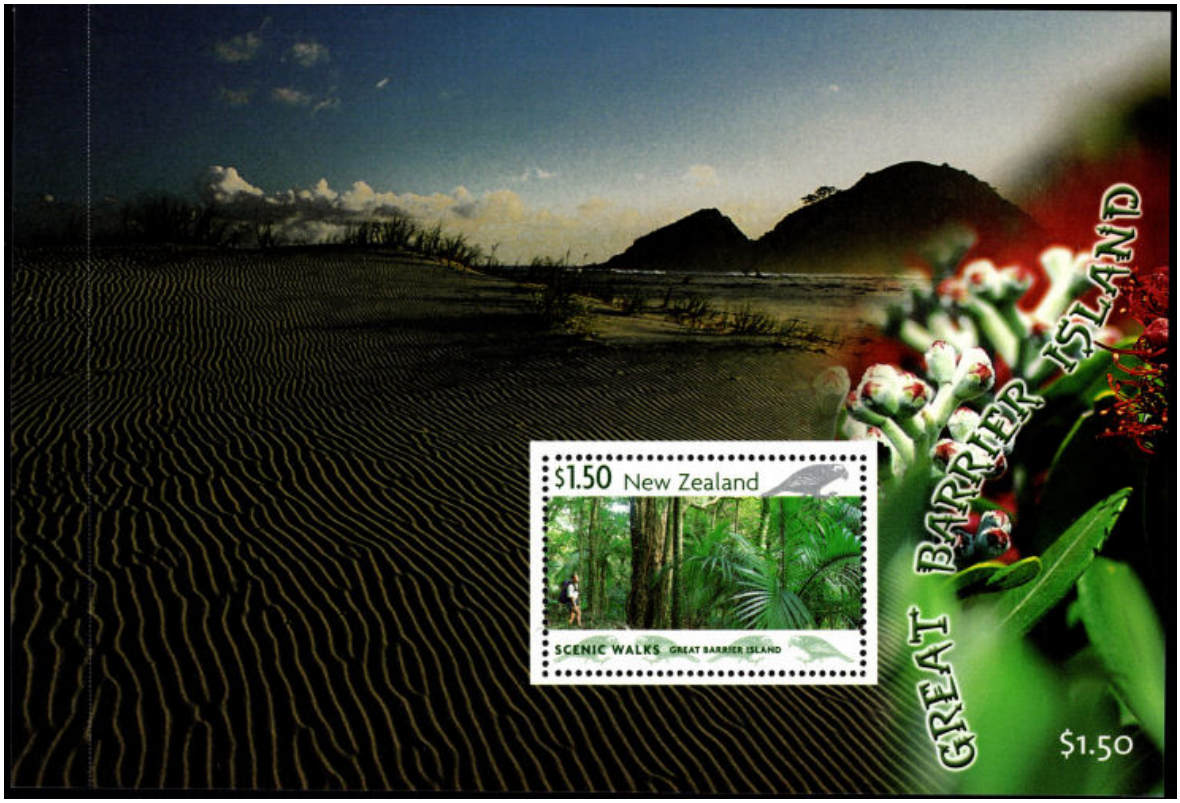
The fourth Prestige Booklet was issued on July 28, 1999 at a cost of $13.40, the face value of the stamps included. It features scenic walks throughout New Zealand. There were six miniature sheets, each with one stamp from the set of 6, and a seventh with all six stamps in a 2x3 array. There were no miniature sheets released with the regular issue other than the "Palmpex '99" sheet that had just had the $1.80 value. The only other miniature sheet available was the same as the seventh one, with "Limited Edition" overprinted from the Limited Edition folder, in place of where the $6.70 has been removed.


40c New Zealand
SCENIC WALKS WEST RUGGEDY BEACH, STEWART ISLAND
STEWART ISLAND
40c


80c New Zealand
SCENIC WALKS ICE LAKE, BUTLER VALLEY, WESTLAND
WESTLAND
80c


$1.00 New Zealand
SCENIC WALKS TONGA BAY, ABEL TASMAN N.P.
ABEL TASMAN NATIONAL PARK
$1.00


$1.20 New Zealand
SCENIC WALKS EAST MATAKITAKI VALLEY, NELSON LAKES N.P.
NELSON LAKES NATIONAL PARK
$1.20


$1.50 New Zealand
SCENIC WALKS GREAT BARRIER ISLAND
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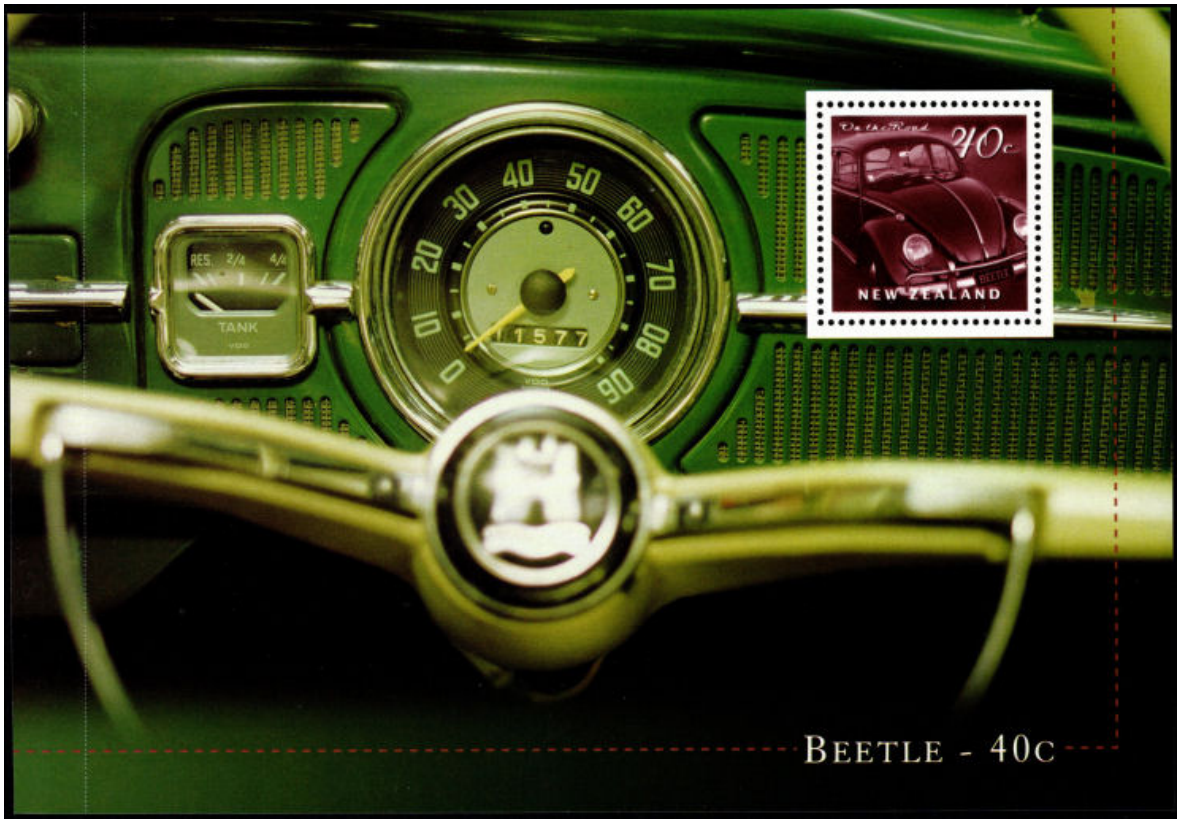

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SCENIC WALKS WEST RUGGEDY BEACH, STEWART ISLAND
80c New Zealand
SCENIC WALKS ICE LAKE, BUTLER VALLEY, WESTLAND
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SCENIC WALKS TONGA BAY, ABEL TASMAN N.P.
$1.20 New Zealand
SCENIC WALKS EAST MATAKITAKI VALLEY, NELSON LAKES N.P.
$1.50 New Zealand
SCENIC WALKS GREAT BARRIER ISLAND
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NEW ZEALAND SCENIC WALKS
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W80a 2000 "On the Road"

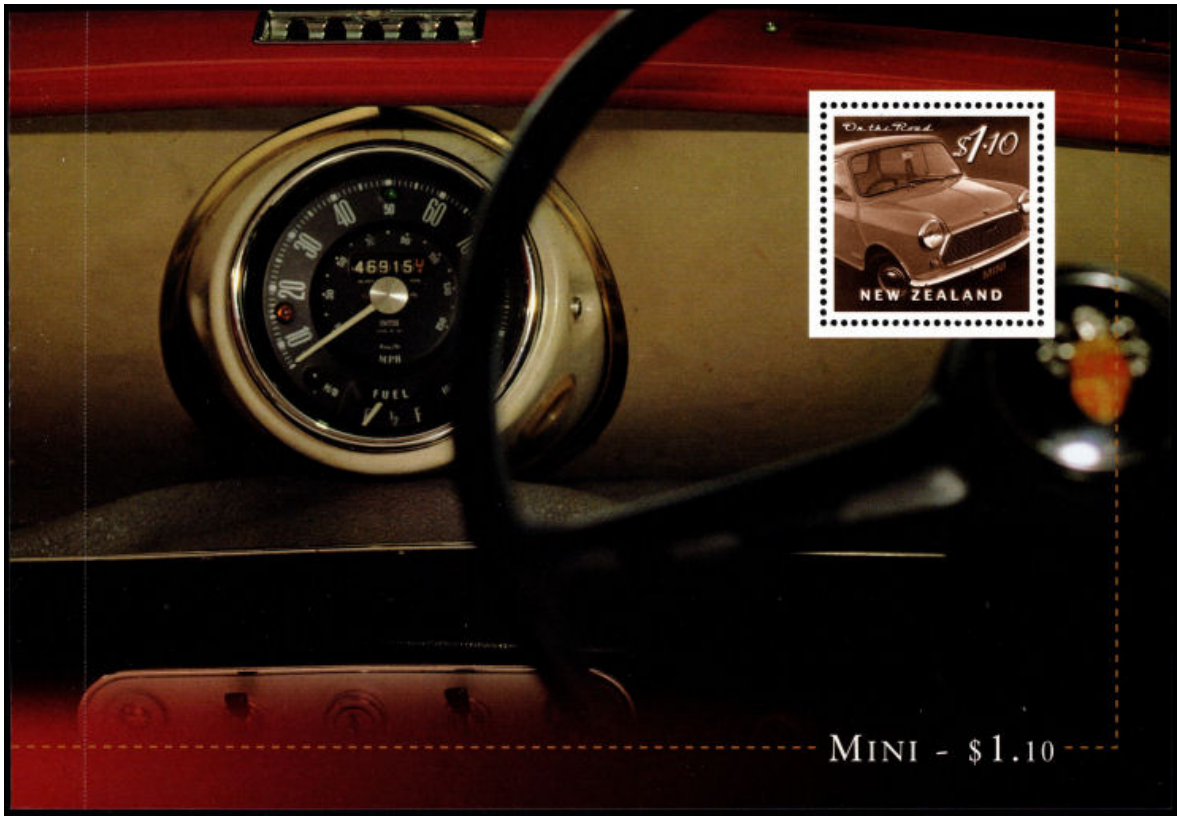


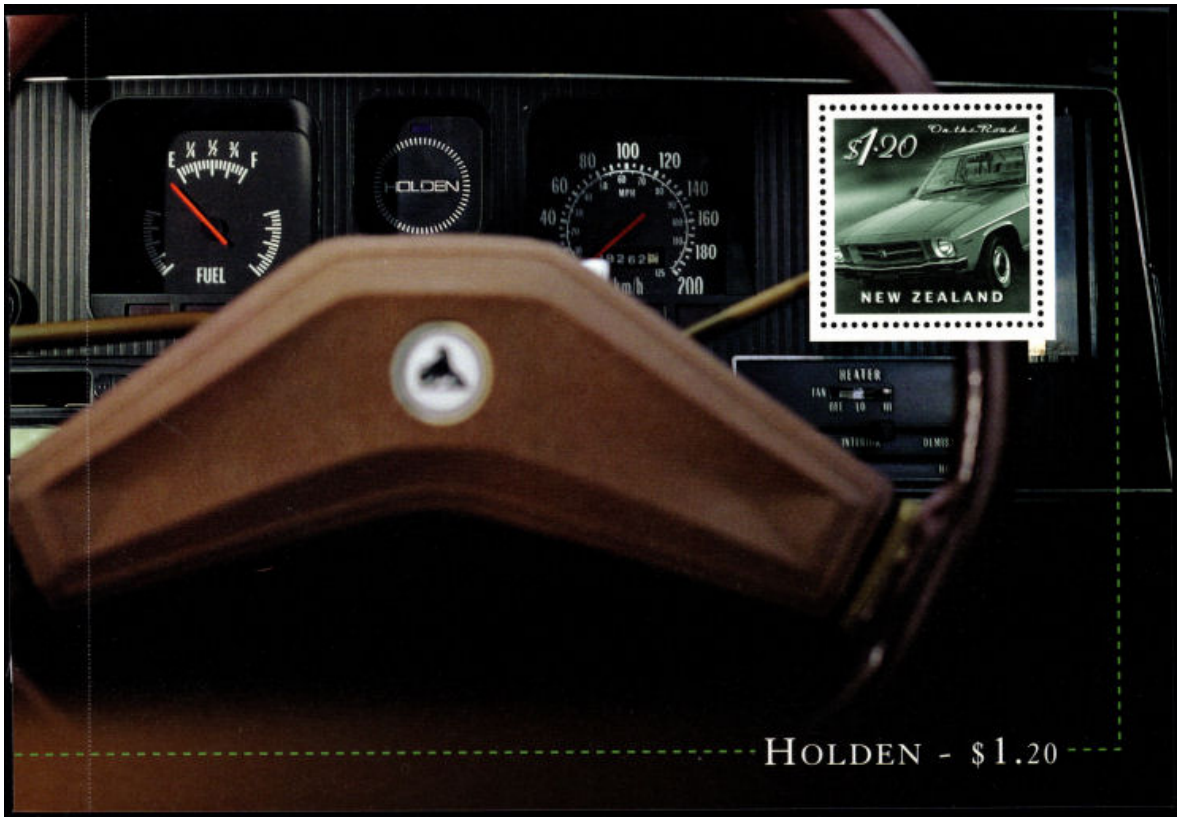


The fifth Prestige Booklet was issued on June 1, 2000 at a cost of $14.95, a premium of $1.35 over the face value of the stamps included. It features cars that were popular in New Zealand during the 1960's and 70's. There were six miniature sheets, each with one stamp from the set of 6, and a seventh with all six stamps in a 3x2 array. The only other miniature sheet available was the same as the seventh one, with "Limited Edition" overprinted from the Limited Edition folder, but it was attached to an imperforate version as well, making it a double sized miniature sheet.


On the Road
40c
NEW ZEALAND
BEETLE
RES. 3/4 4/4
TANK
1577
BEETLE - 40C


On the Road
80c
NEW ZEALAND
ZEPHYR - 80C


On the Road
$1.10
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MINI - $1.10


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NEW ZEALAND
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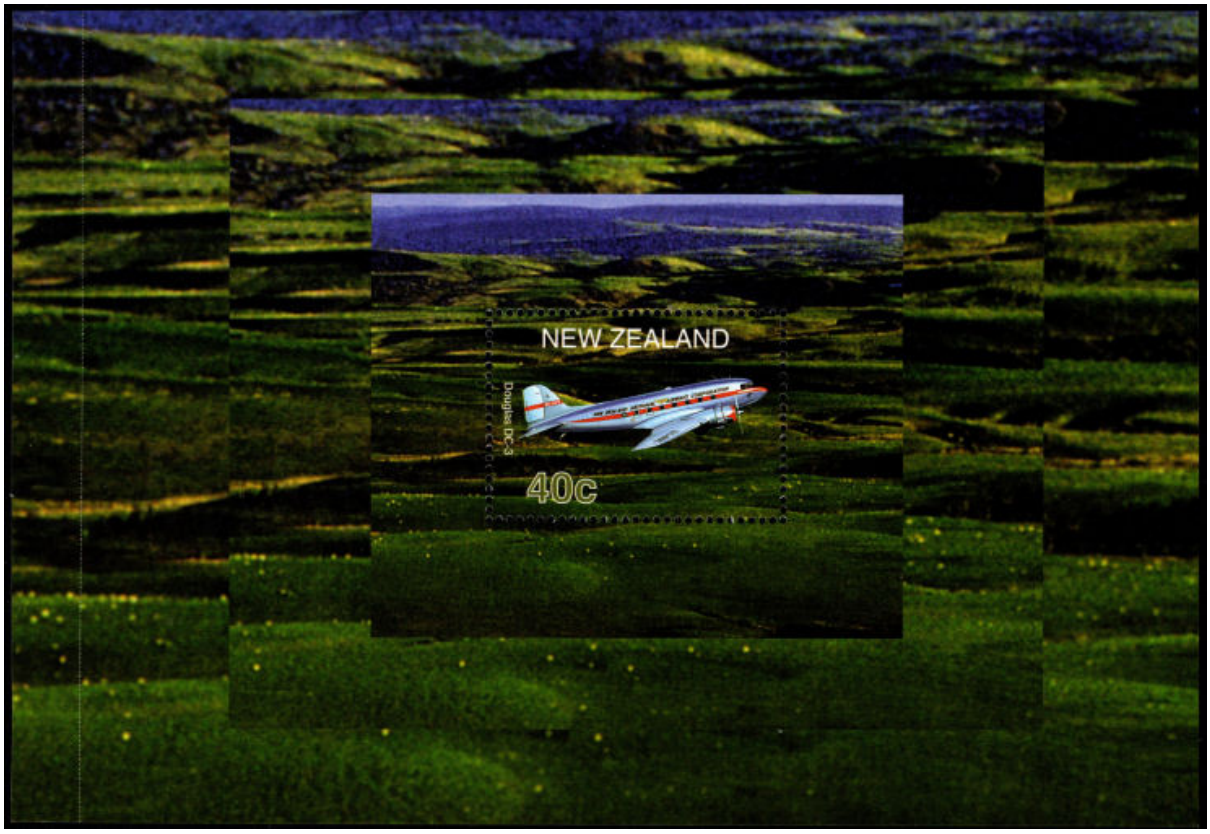

$6.80
On the Road
70c
NEW ZEALAND
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NEW ZEALAND
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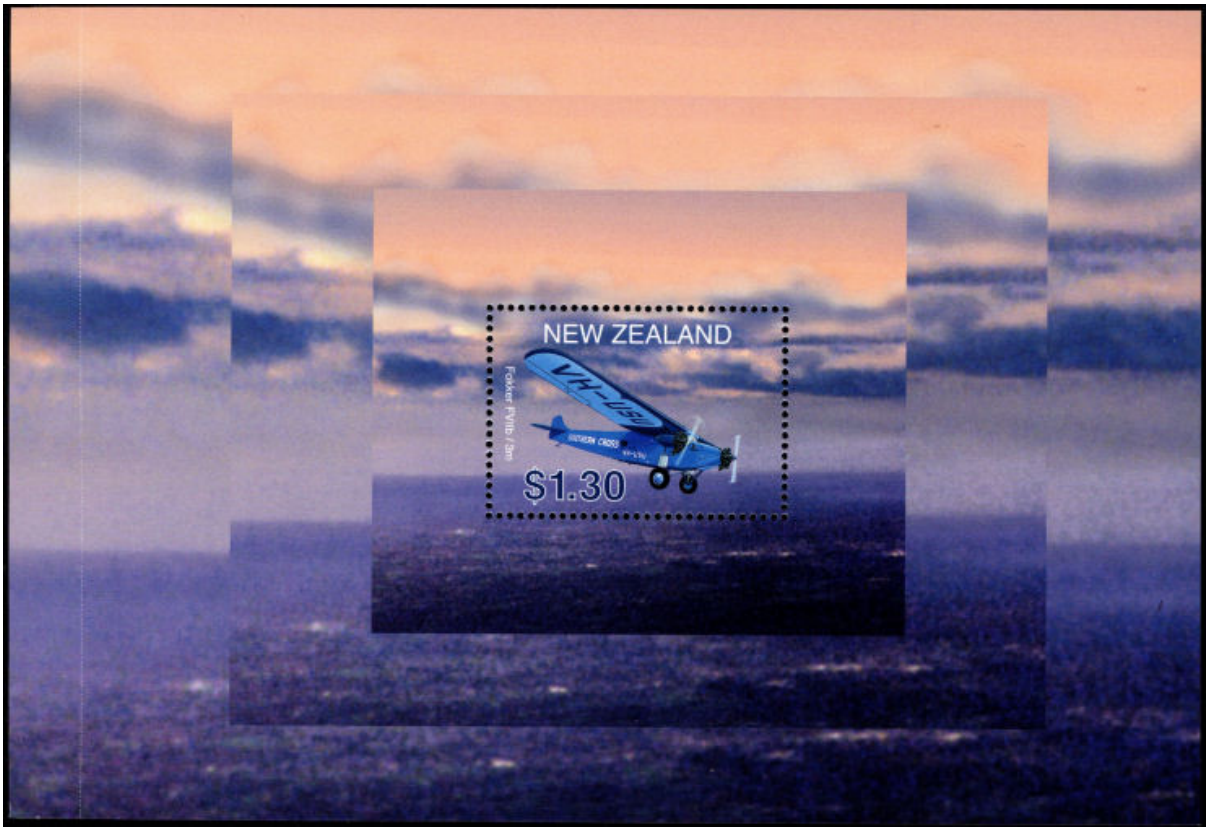


The sixth Prestige Booklet was issued on May 2, 2001 at a cost of $19.95, a premium of $6.15 over the face value of the stamps included. It features aircraft seen in New Zealand skies. There were six miniature sheets, each with one stamp from the set of 6, and a seventh with all six stamps in a 3x2 array. The only other miniature sheet available in this set, was from the Limited Edition folder, but it was a large sheetlet of 24 stamps.

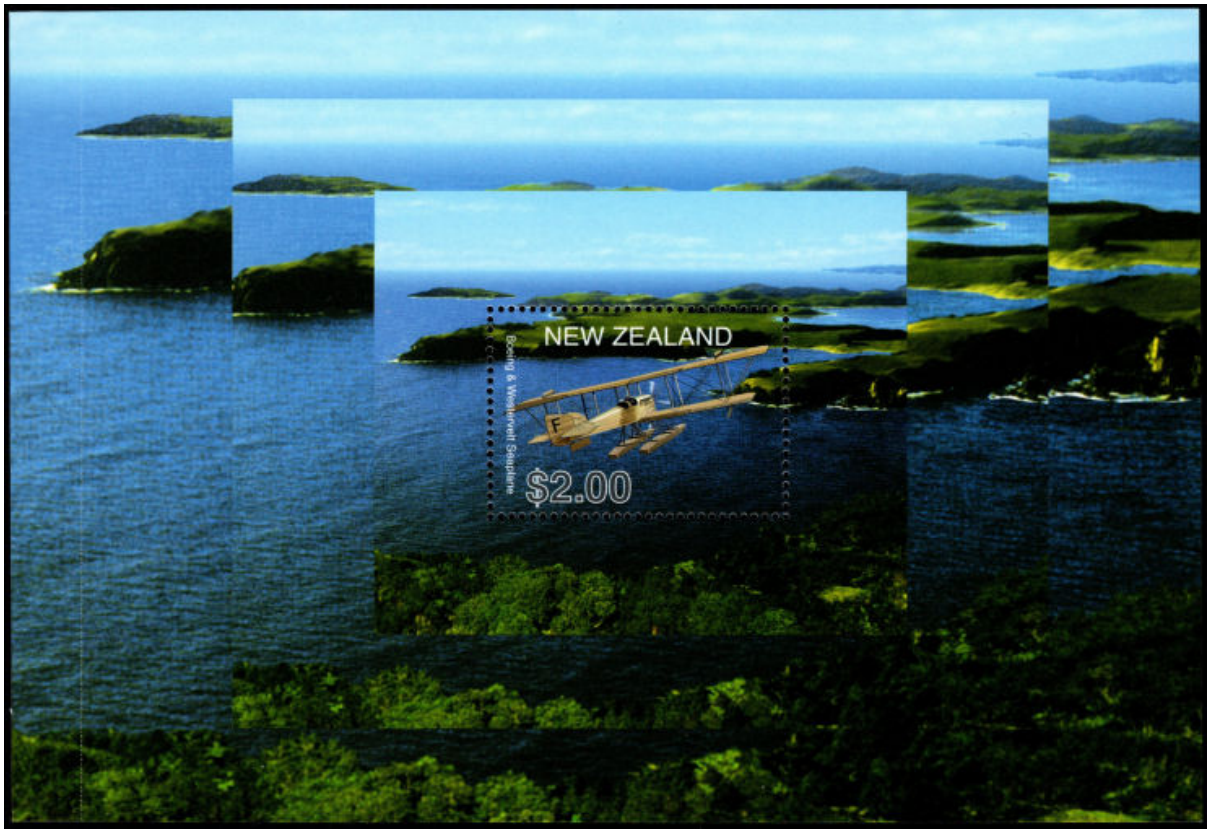

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Douglas DC-3
40c


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Fletcher FU24 Topdresser
80c


NEW ZEALAND
90c

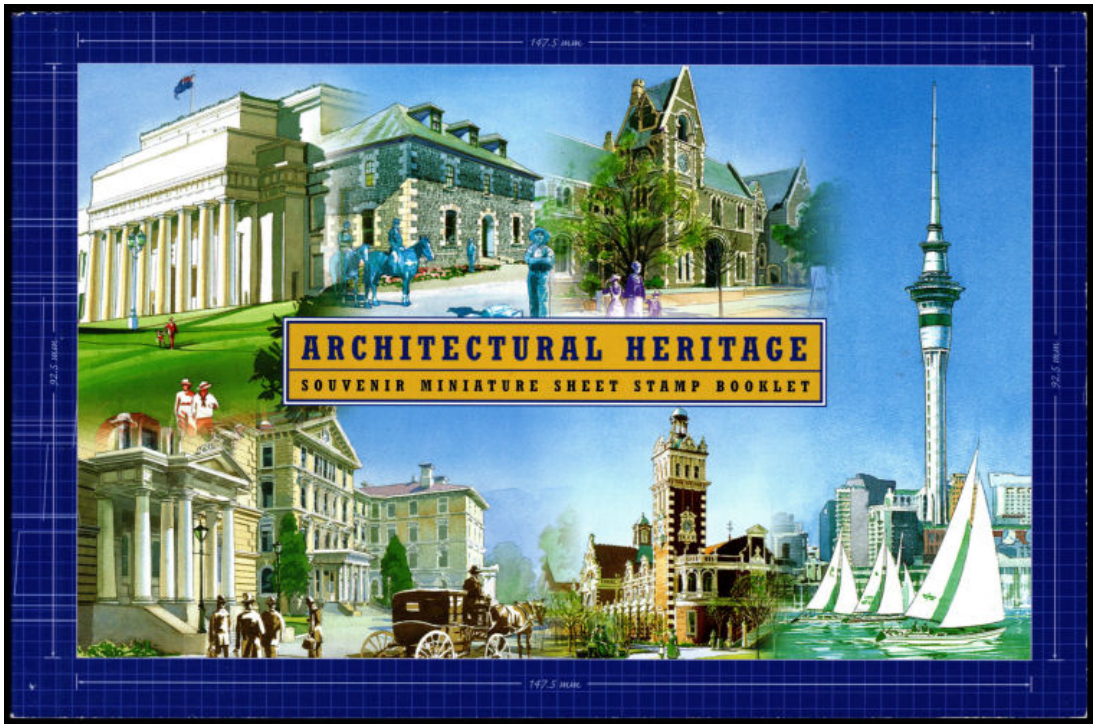

NEW ZEALAND
$1.30


NEW ZEALAND
de Havilland DH100 Vampire
$1.50


NEW ZEALAND
Boeing & Westervelt Seaplane
$2.00

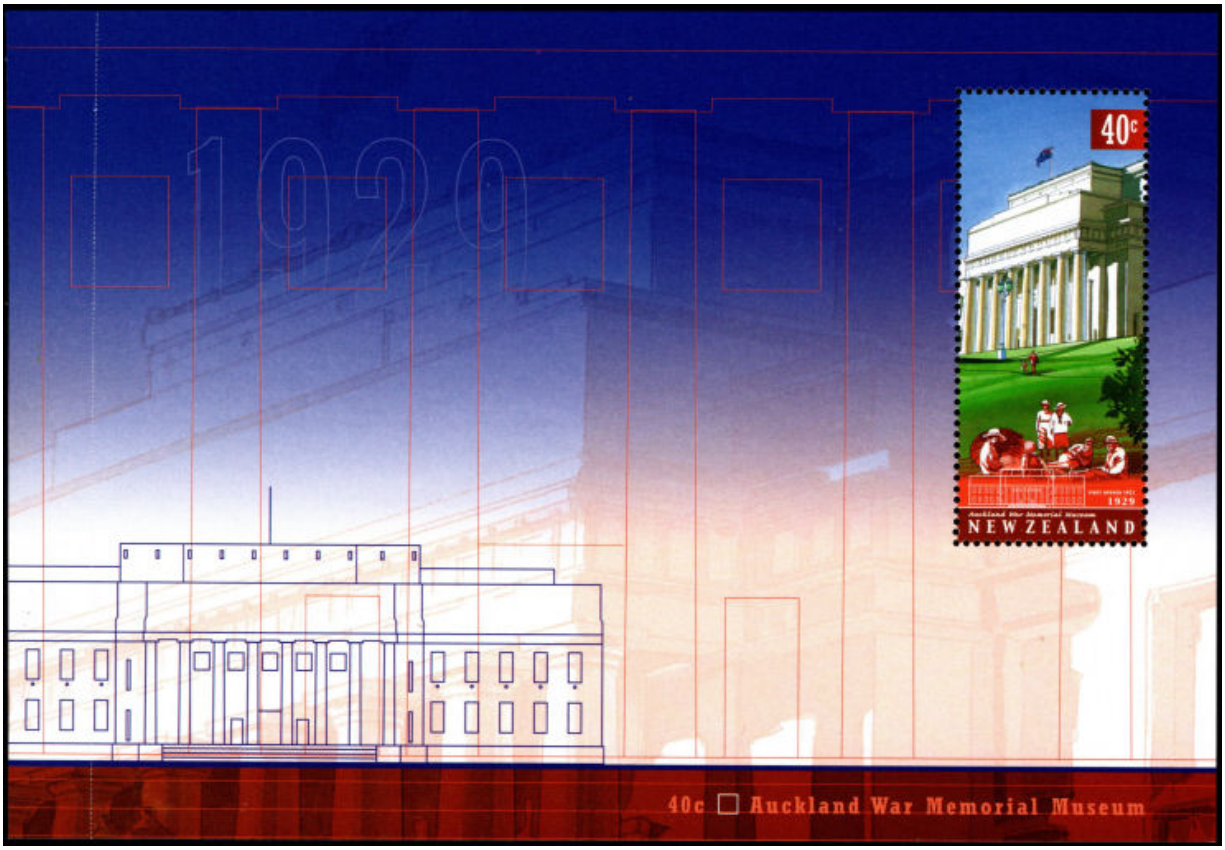

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Douglas DC-3
40c
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80c
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de Havilland DH82A Tiger Moth
90c
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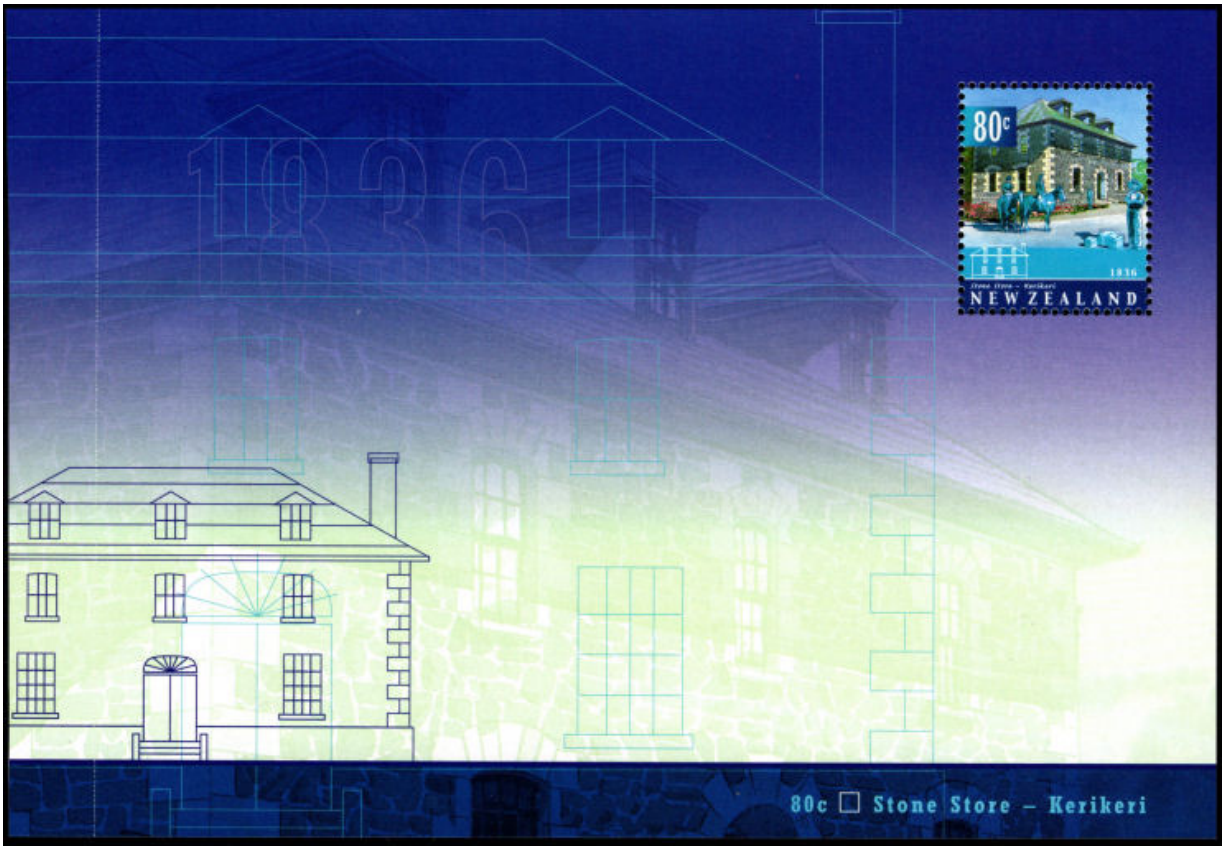
W86A 2002 "Architectural Heritage"

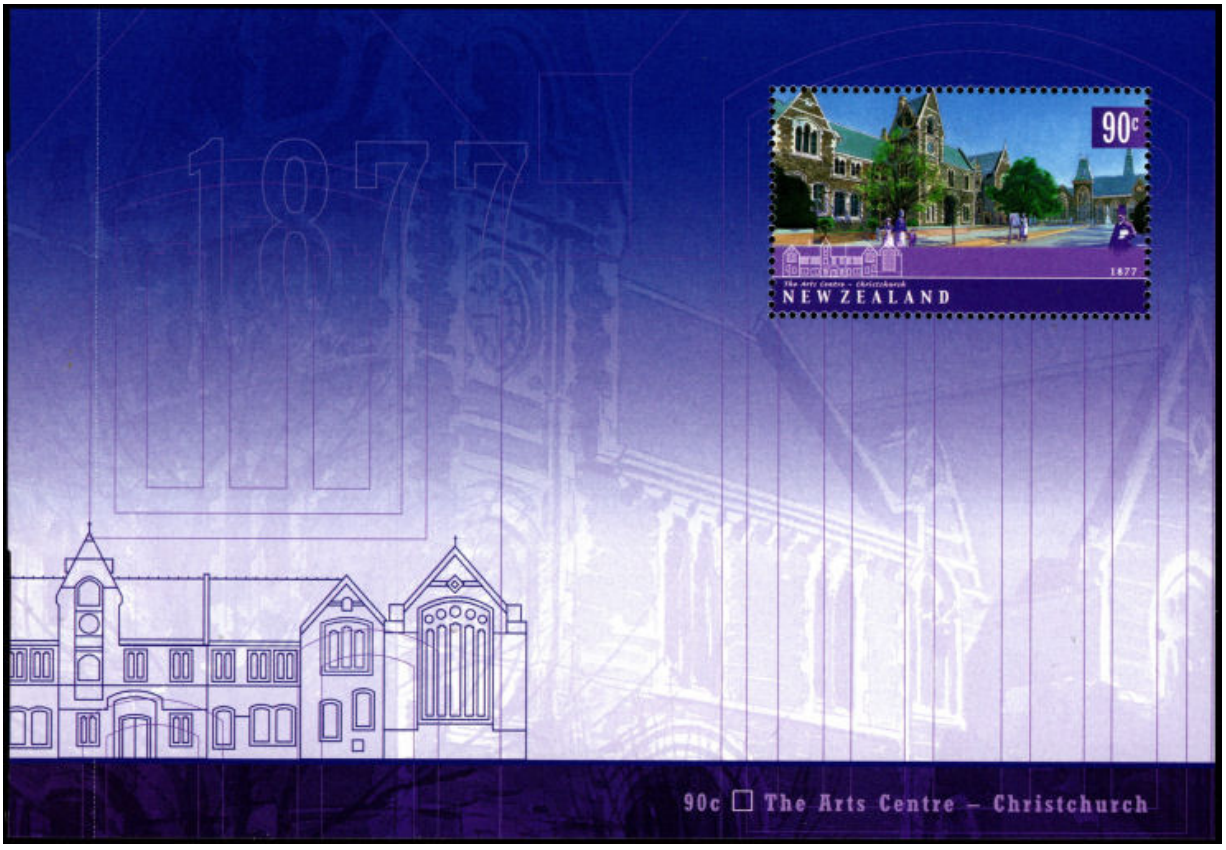




The seventh Prestige Booklet was issued on April 3, 2002 at a cost of $16.95, a premium of $3.15 over the face value of the stamps included. It features notable New Zealand buildings. There were six miniature sheets, each with one stamp from the set of 6, and a seventh with all six stamps in an interlocked block. There were no other miniature sheets from this issue.

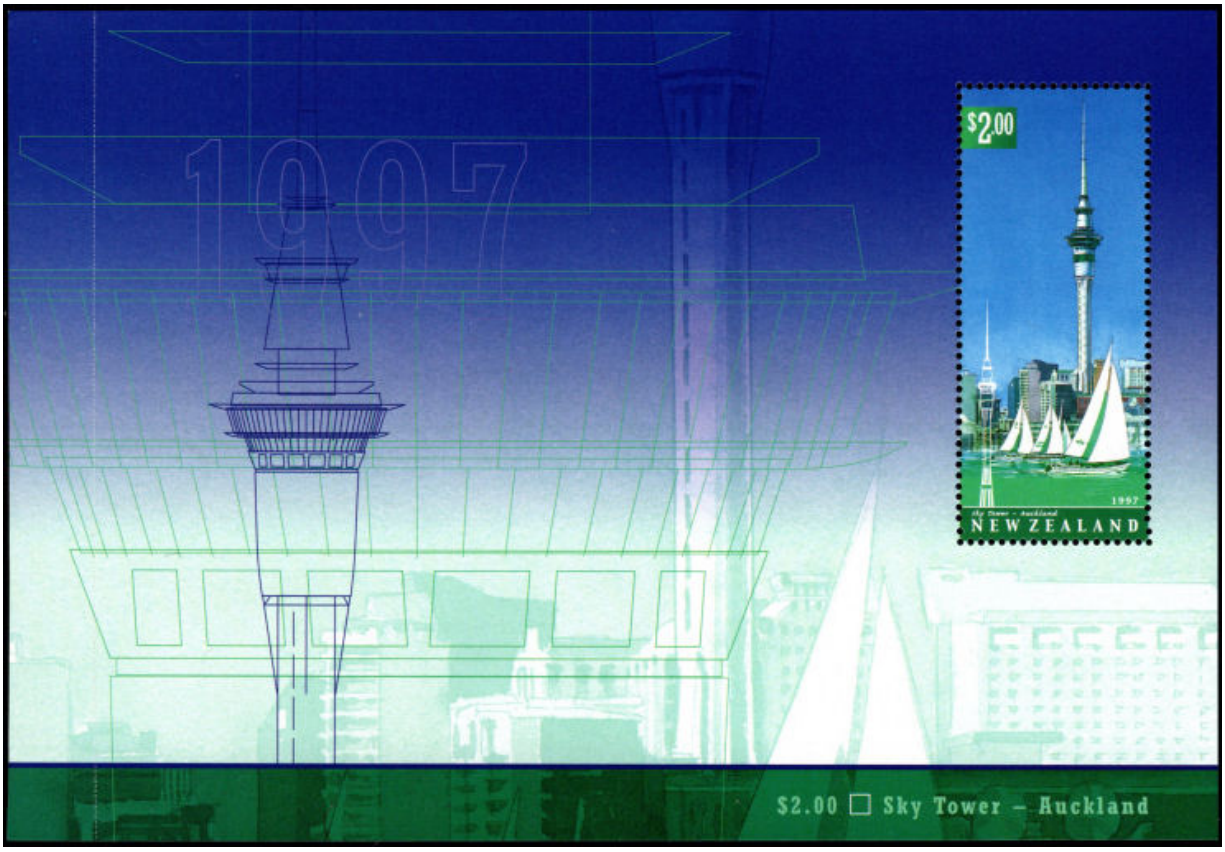

1929
40c
NEW ZEALAND
40c ☐ Auckland War Memorial Museum


1836
80c
NEW ZEALAND
80c ☐ Stone Store – Kerikeri


1877
90c
NEW ZEALAND
90c ☐ The Arts Centre – Christchurch


1876
$1.30
NEW ZEALAND
$1.30 ☐ Government Buildings – Wellington


1906
$1.50
NEW ZEALAND
$1.50 ☐ Railway Station – Dunedin


1907
$2.00
1997
NEW ZEALAND
$2.00 ☐ Sky Tower – Auckland


Auckland War Memorial Museum
25mm
Stone Store
25mm
The Arts Centre
50mm
60mm
40c
80c
90c
$2.00
$1.30
$1.50
1929
1836
1877
1876
1906
1997
NEW ZEALAND
25mm
50mm
Government Buildings
25mm
Dunedin Railway Station
25mm
Sky Tower
$6.90 Architectural Heritage

W91A 2003 "Military Uniforms"





The eighth Prestige Booklet was issued on April 2, 2003 at a cost of $19.95, a premium of $3.95 over the face value of the stamps included. It features different uniforms, medals and associated paraphernalia. There were five miniature sheets, each comprising 4x2 blocks of 8 stamps. There are four different stamps on each sheet, and these are repeated on the second row. There were no other miniature sheets from this issue of 20 stamps.


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NZMR


40c
NEW ZEALAND


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NEW ZEALAND


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NEW ZEALAND

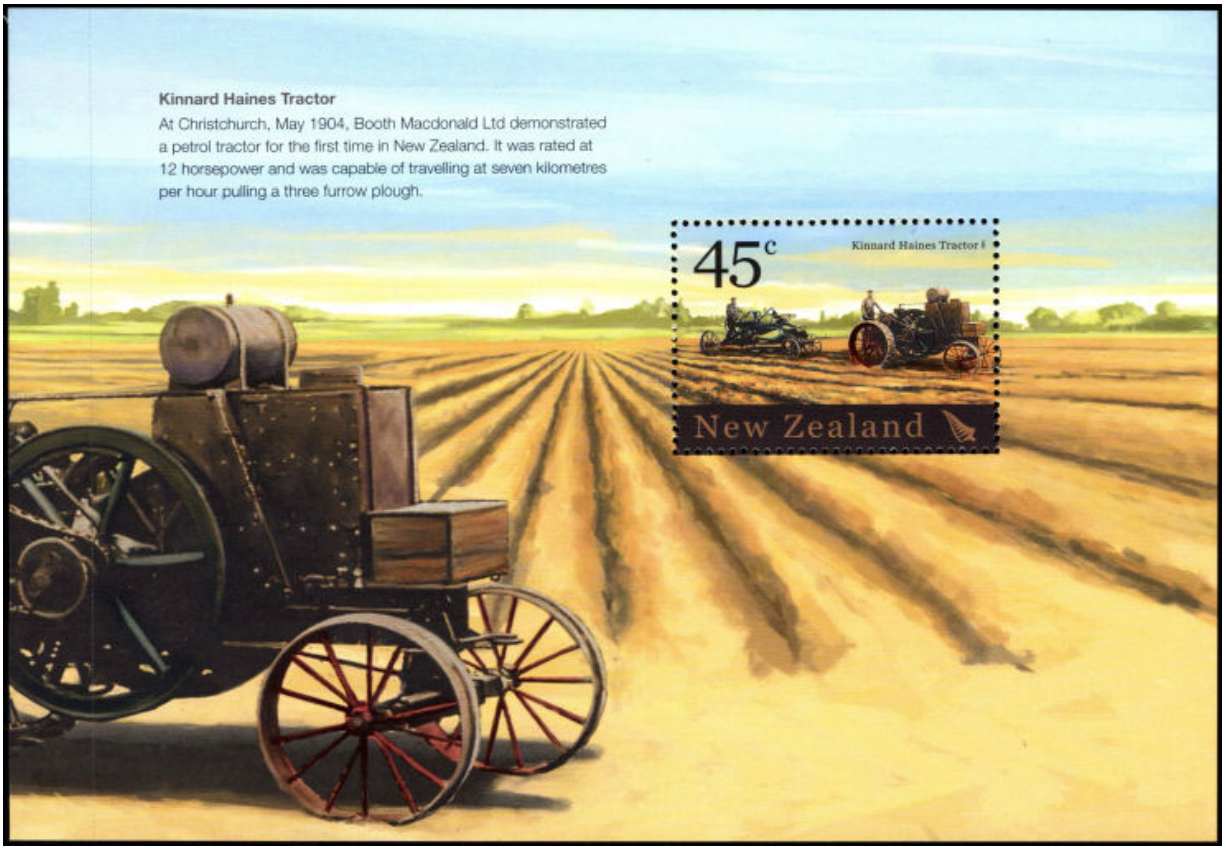

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PEACE

W99A 2004 "Historic Farm Equipment"



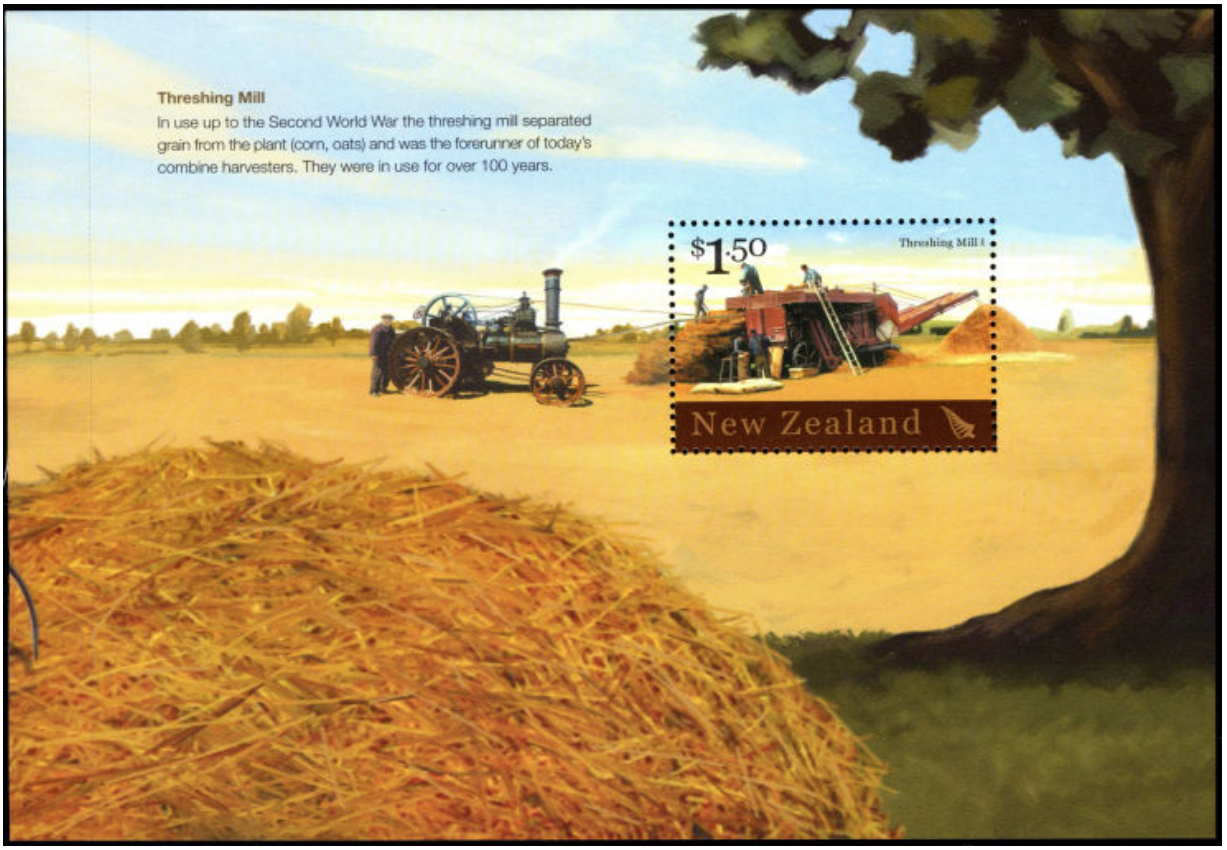


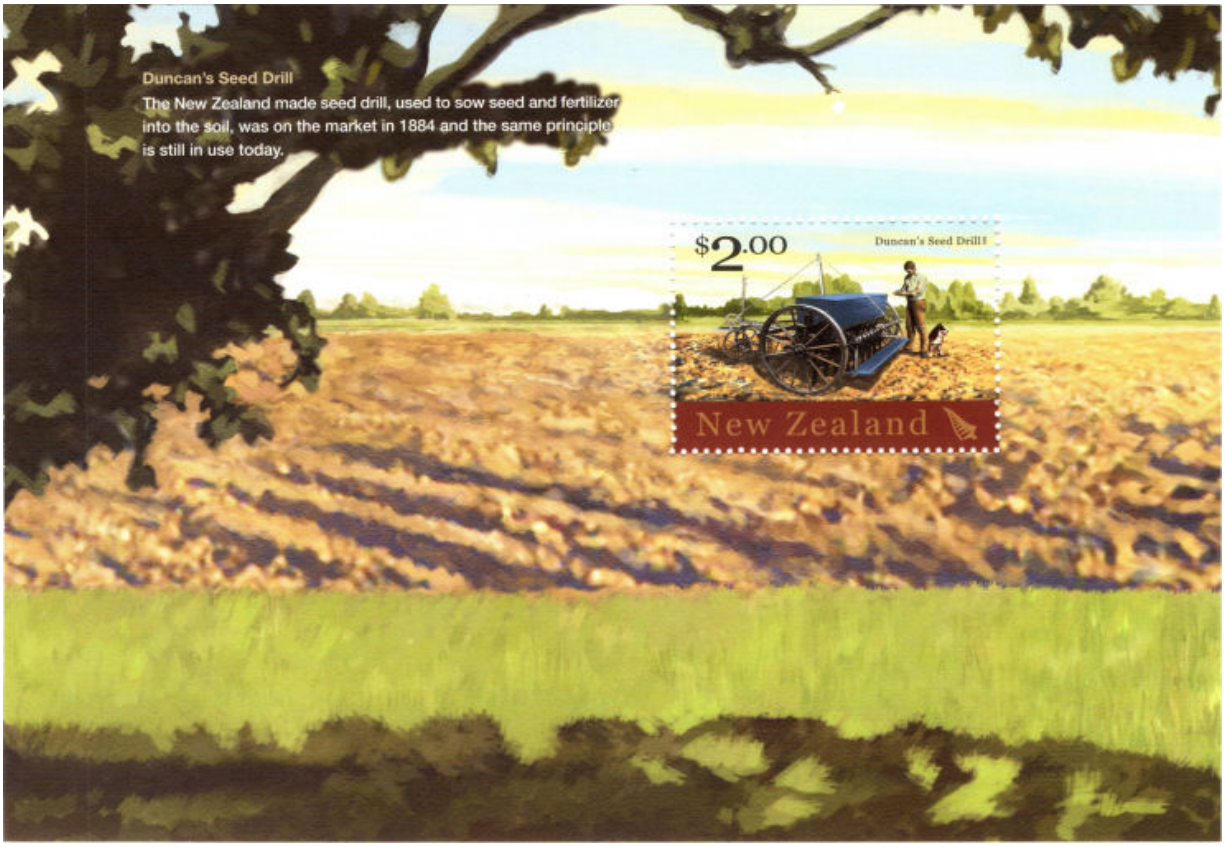
The ninth Prestige Booklet was issued on April 5, 2004 at a cost of $19.95, a premium of $7.55 over the face value of the stamps included. It features farm equipment from early New Zealand. There were five miniature sheets, each with one stamp from the set of 5, and a sixth with all five stamps in a 2 over 3 block. There were no other miniature sheets from this issue. This prestige booklet was produced by a different printer from the regular issue, causing major differences in the size, paper, perforations and colour compared to the regular issued stamps.


Kinnard Haines Tractor
At Christchurch, May 1904, Booth Macdonald Ltd demonstrated a petrol tractor for the first time in New Zealand. It was rated at 12 horsepower and was capable of travelling at seven kilometres per hour pulling a three furrow plough.
45c
New Zealand


Fordson F Tractor with Plough
The first mass produced tractor, the Fordson (1918), persuaded farmers that these machines could replace horses. With tasks such as turning the soil with ploughs, tractors were working quicker and easier.
90c
New Zealand

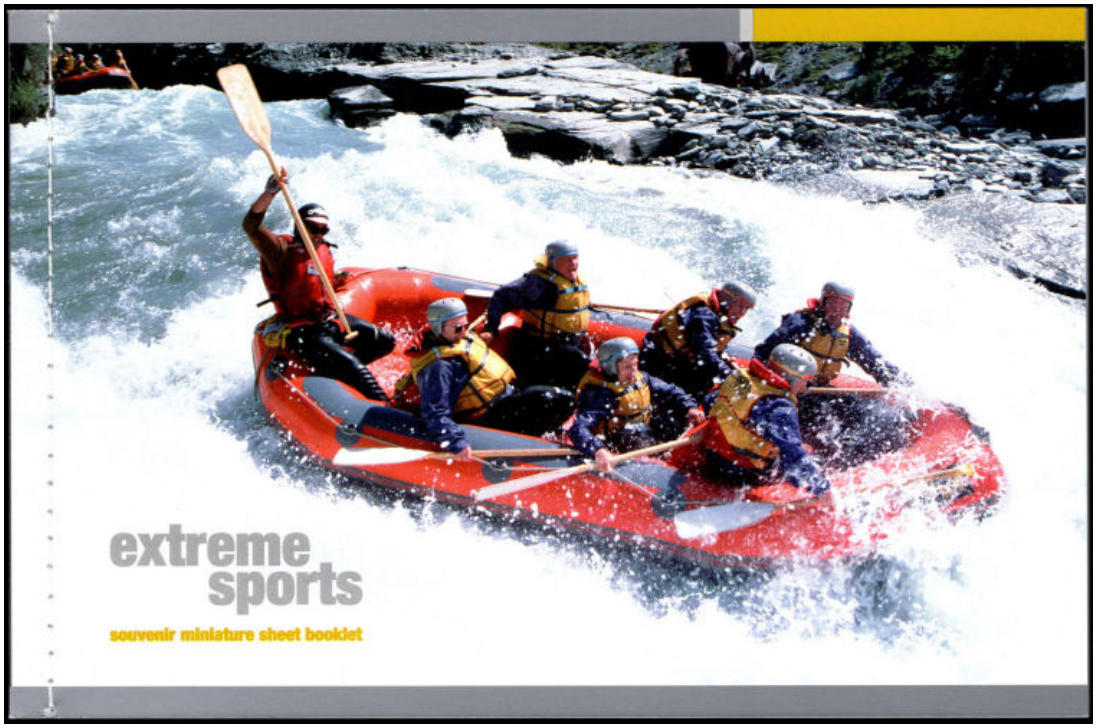

Burrell Traction Engine
Powered by steam, traction engines were popular with contractors and large property owners. They were heavy and cumbersome but capable of pulling heavy loads and powering threshing mills etc.
$1.35
Burrell Traction Engine
New Zealand


Threshing Mill
In use up to the Second World War the threshing mill separated grain from the plant (corn, oats) and was the forerunner of today's combine harvesters. They were in use for over 100 years.
$1.50
Threshing Mill
New Zealand


Duncan's Seed Drill
The New Zealand made seed drill, used to sow seed and fertilizer into the soil, was on the market in 1884 and the same principle is still in use today.
$2.00
Duncan's Seed Drill
New Zealand


45c
Kinnard Haines Tractor
New Zealand
90c
Fordson F Tractor with Plough
New Zealand
$1.35
Burrell Traction Engine
New Zealand
$1.50
Threshing Mill
New Zealand
$2.00
Duncan's Seed Drill
New Zealand
Historic Farm Equipment

W102A 2004 "Extreme Sports"





The tenth Prestige Booklet was also issued in 2004, on December 1, 2004 at a cost of $14.95, a premium of $2.55 over the face value of the stamps included. It features popular New Zealand "extreme sports". There were five miniature sheets, each with one stamp from the set of 5, and a sixth with all five stamps as two singles and a vertical strip of 3. There were no other miniature sheets from this issue.



whitewater rafting

Whitewater rafting is just one version of extreme rafting available in New Zealand. Those who'd like to take the experience underground can do so by 'blackwater' caves at Waitomo, in Nelson and Marlborough or on the West Coast.



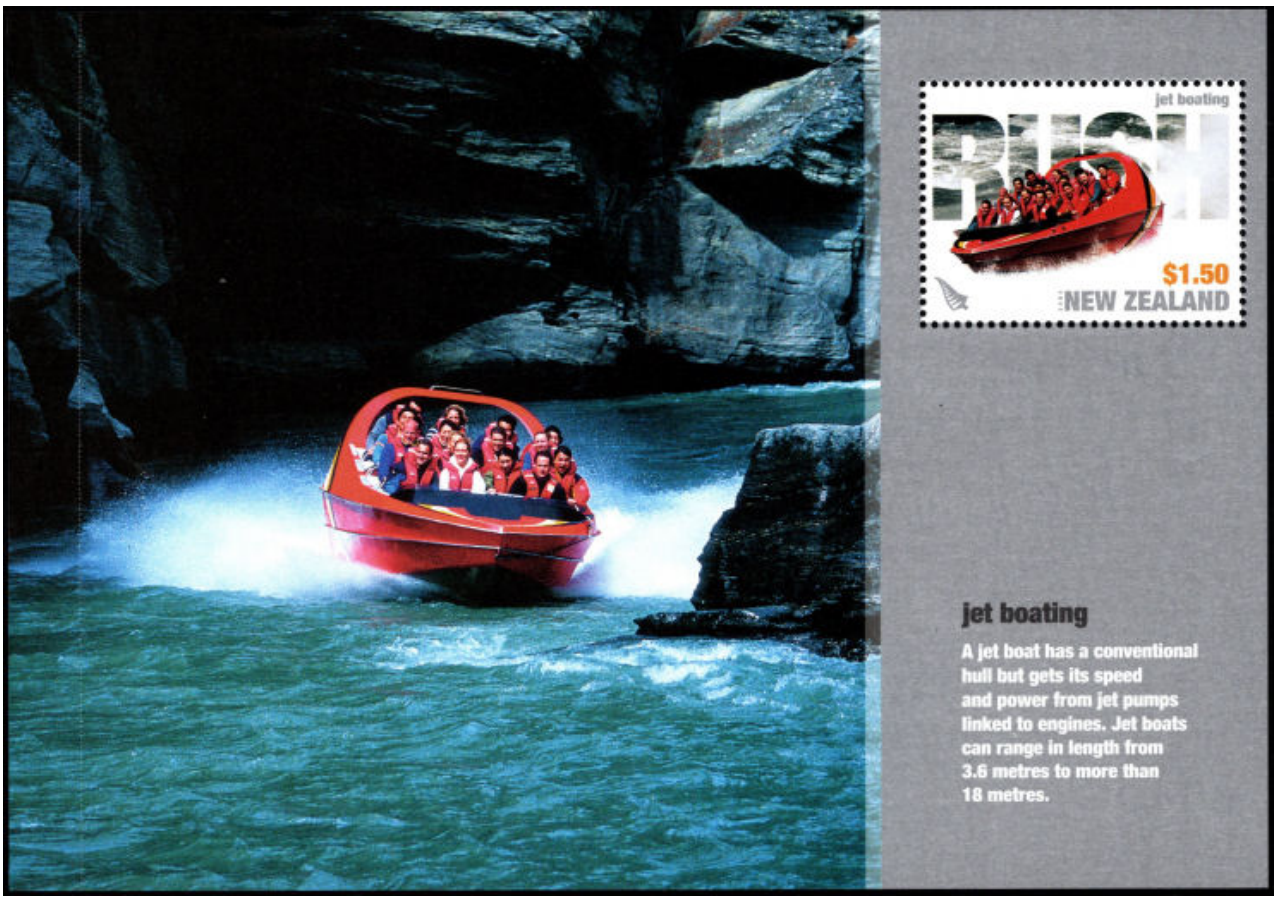
snowsports

Skiing and snowboarding are two of the extreme sports to have been accepted as Olympic medal events. Skiing first became an Olympic event at the 1924 Games. Snowboarding became a Winter Olympic Games medal sport in 1998.



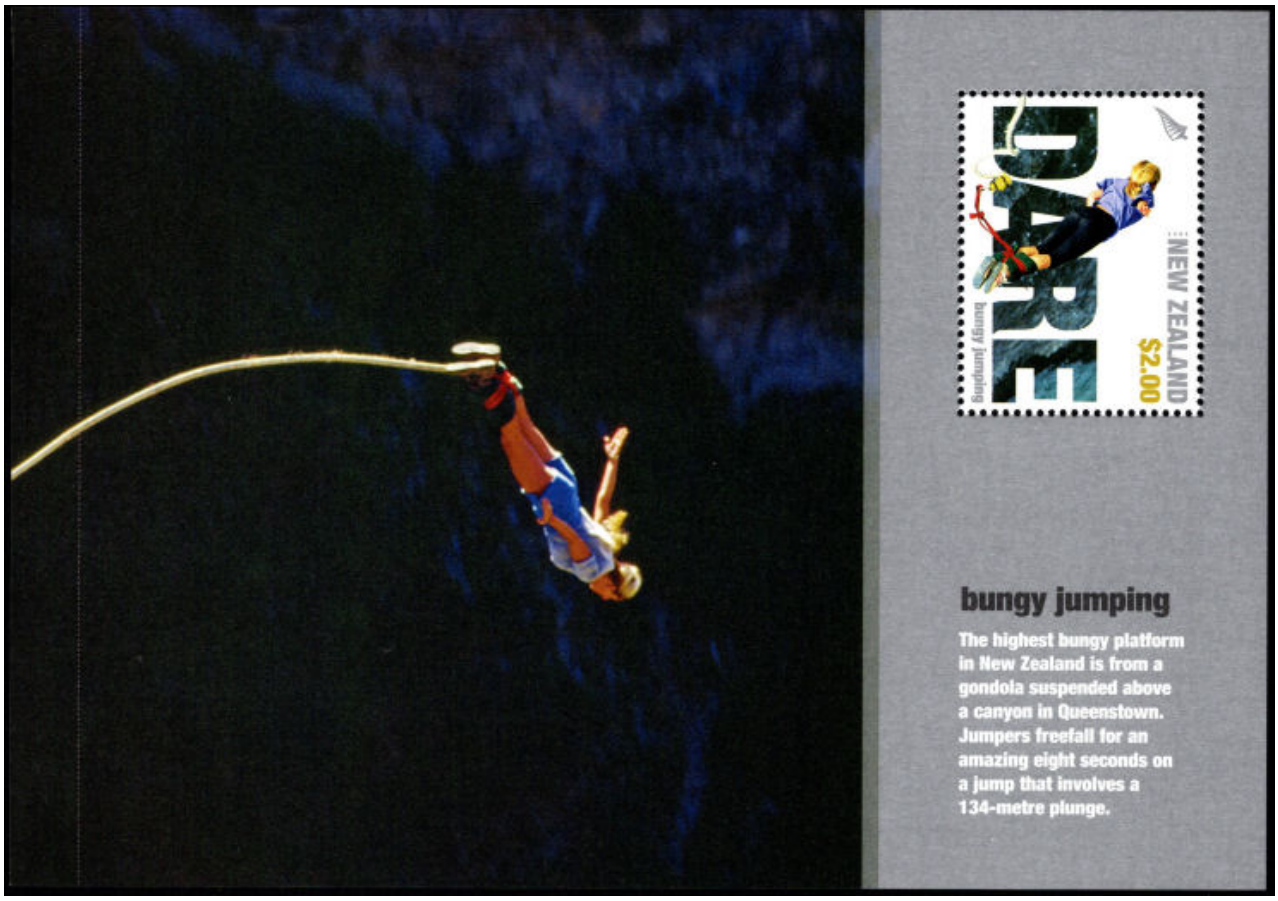
skydiving

The parachute itself may have been used by the Chinese for recreation as early as the 12th century, and was proposed as a way to escape burning buildings by Leonardo da Vinci in 1483. The first successful descent by parachute from an airplane was by Captain Albert Berry of the United States Army in 1912.



jet boating

A jet boat has a conventional hull but gets its speed and power from jet pumps linked to engines. Jet boats can range in length from 3.6 metres to more than 18 metres.


DARE
bungy jumping
NEW ZEALAND
$2.00
bungy jumping
The highest bungy platform in New Zealand is from a gondola suspended above a canyon in Queenstown. Jumpers freefall for an amazing eight seconds on a jump that involves a 134-metre plunge.


extreme sports
BOG
snowsports
NEW ZEALAND
90c
DARE
bungy jumping
NEW ZEALAND
$2.00
whitewater rafting
WILD
45c
NEW ZEALAND
skydiving
FREE
$1.35
NEW ZEALAND
jet boating
RUSH
$1.50
NEW ZEALAND

W108A 2006 "75th Anniversary of the Hawke's Bay Earthquake"





The eleventh Prestige Booklet was issued on February 3, 2006 at a cost of $19.95, a premium of $1.95 over the face value of the stamps included. It features different images commemorating the 75th Anniversary of the Hawke's Bay earthquake. There were six miniature sheets, each comprising 3x2 blocks of 6 stamps, and a seventh with a 2x2 block with a "Red Cross" gutter between. There are three different stamps on the 6 sheets, and two on the seventh, and these are repeated on the second row. There were no other miniature sheets from this issue, other than a sheetlet that contained all 20 stamps in a 5x4 array.


45¢
NAPIER BEFORE THE EARTHQUAKE
AERIAL VIEW OF THE DEVASTATION
75th ANNIVERSARY OF THE HAWKE'S BAY EARTHQUAKE
NEW ZEALAND
75th ANNIVERSARY OF THE HAWKE'S BAY EARTHQUAKE 1931-2006


45¢
A NEW ART DECO CITY
CELEBRATIONS
HAWKE'S BAY REGION TODAY
75th ANNIVERSARY OF THE HAWKE'S BAY EARTHQUAKE
NEW ZEALAND
75th ANNIVERSARY OF THE HAWKE'S BAY EARTHQUAKE 1931-2006


45¢
75th ANNIVERSARY OF THE HAWKE'S BAY EARTHQUAKE NEW ZEALAND
75th ANNIVERSARY OF THE HAWKE'S BAY EARTHQUAKE 1931-2006


45¢
RED CROSS
RESCUE SERVICES
1931 75 2006
75th ANNIVERSARY OF THE HAWKE'S BAY EARTHQUAKE NEW ZEALAND
75th ANNIVERSARY OF THE HAWKE'S BAY EARTHQUAKE 1931-2006


45¢
DEVASTATION
EMERGENCY MAIL FLIGHTS
ZK-AAJ
REFUGEES EVACUATED BY TRAIN
75th ANNIVERSARY OF THE HAWKE'S BAY EARTHQUAKE
NEW ZEALAND
75th ANNIVERSARY OF THE HAWKE'S BAY EARTHQUAKE 1931-2006


45¢
MEDICAL SERVICES
REFUGEES
EMERGENCY ACCOMMODATION
75th ANNIVERSARY OF THE HAWKE'S BAY EARTHQUAKE
NEW ZEALAND
75th ANNIVERSARY OF THE HAWKE'S BAY EARTHQUAKE 1931-2006

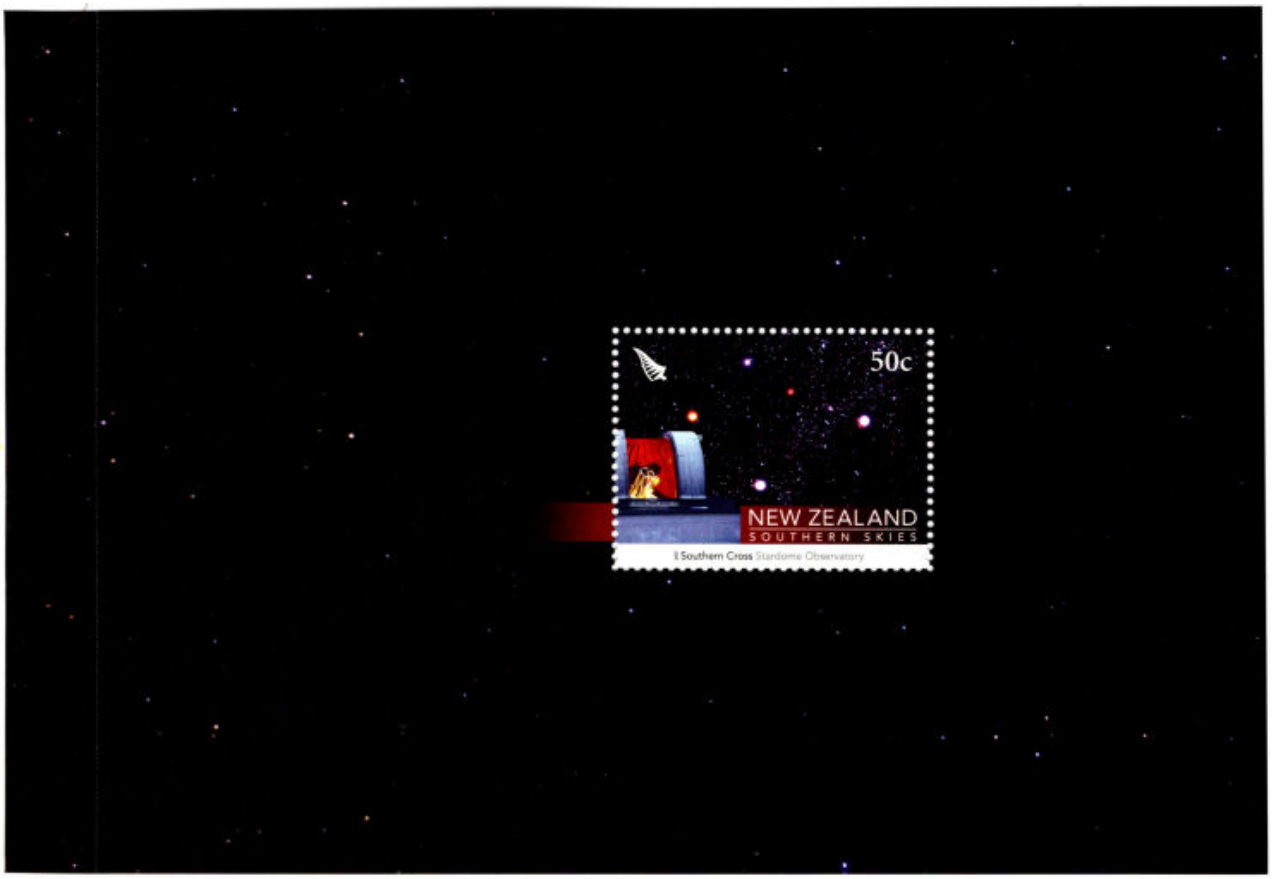

45c
COMMUNITY SPIRIT
75th ANNIVERSARY OF THE HAWKE'S BAY EARTHQUAKE
NEW ZEALAND
45c
MAKESHIFT COOKING FACILITIES
75th ANNIVERSARY OF THE HAWKE'S BAY EARTHQUAKE
NEW ZEALAND
45c
BUILDING INDUSTRY
75th ANNIVERSARY OF THE HAWKE'S BAY EARTHQUAKE
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1931-2006

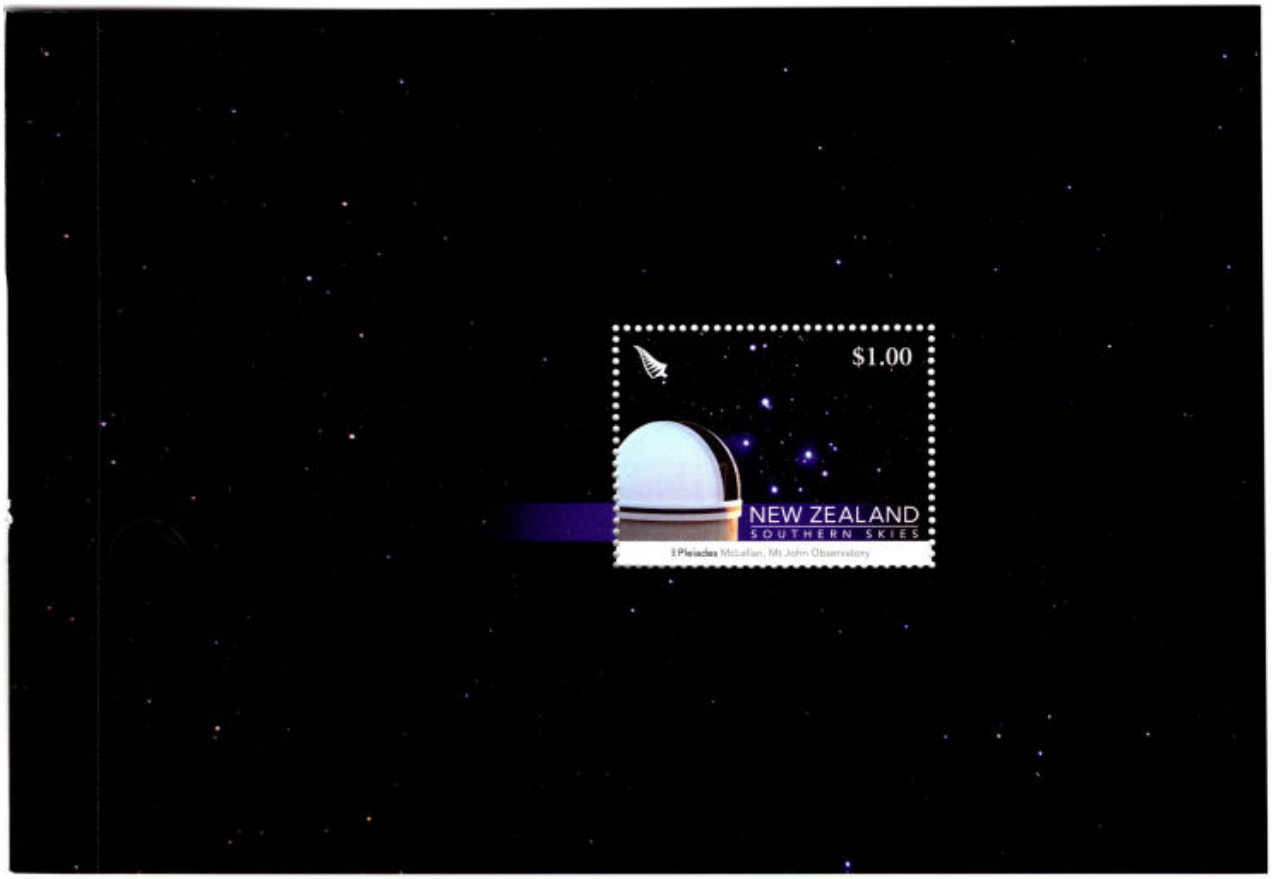
W112A 2007 "Southern Skies"



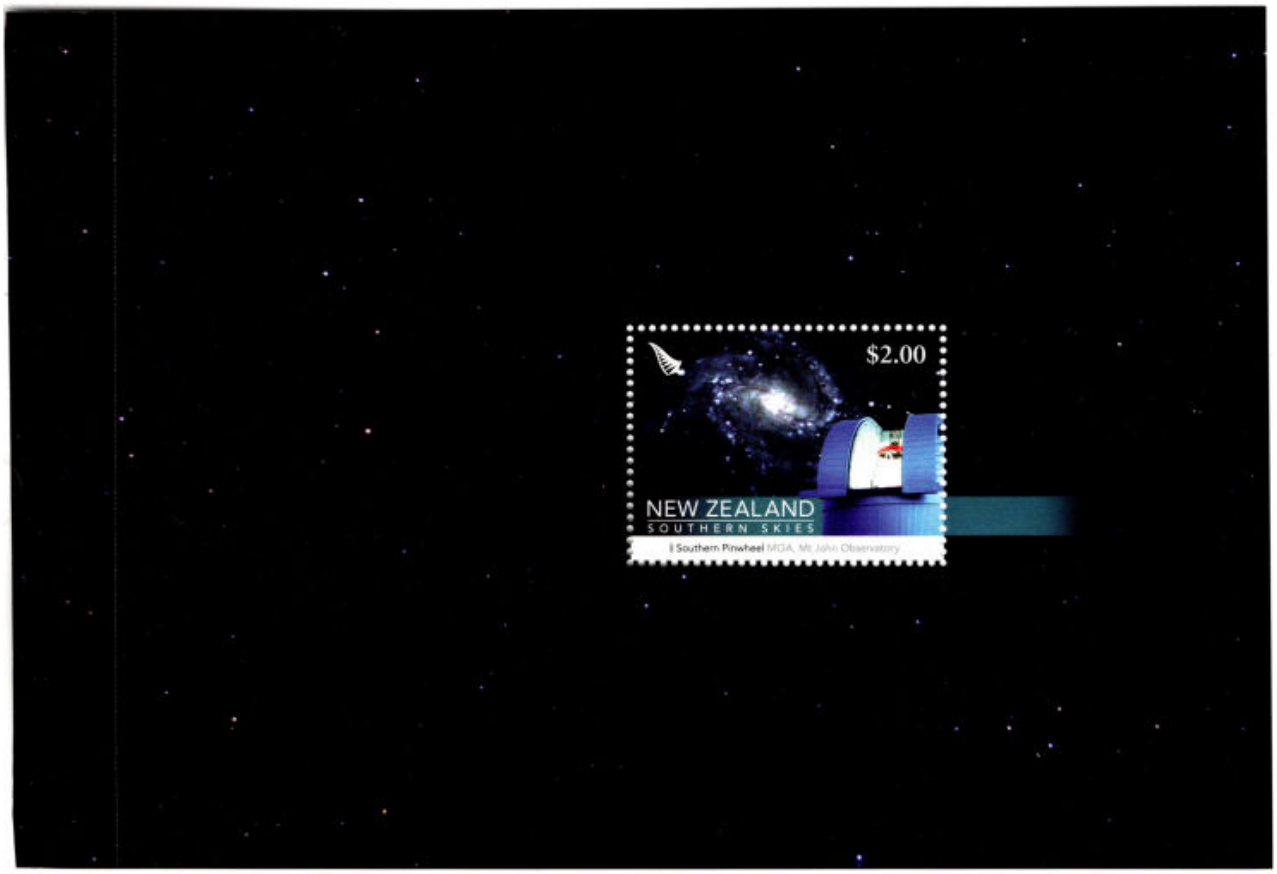


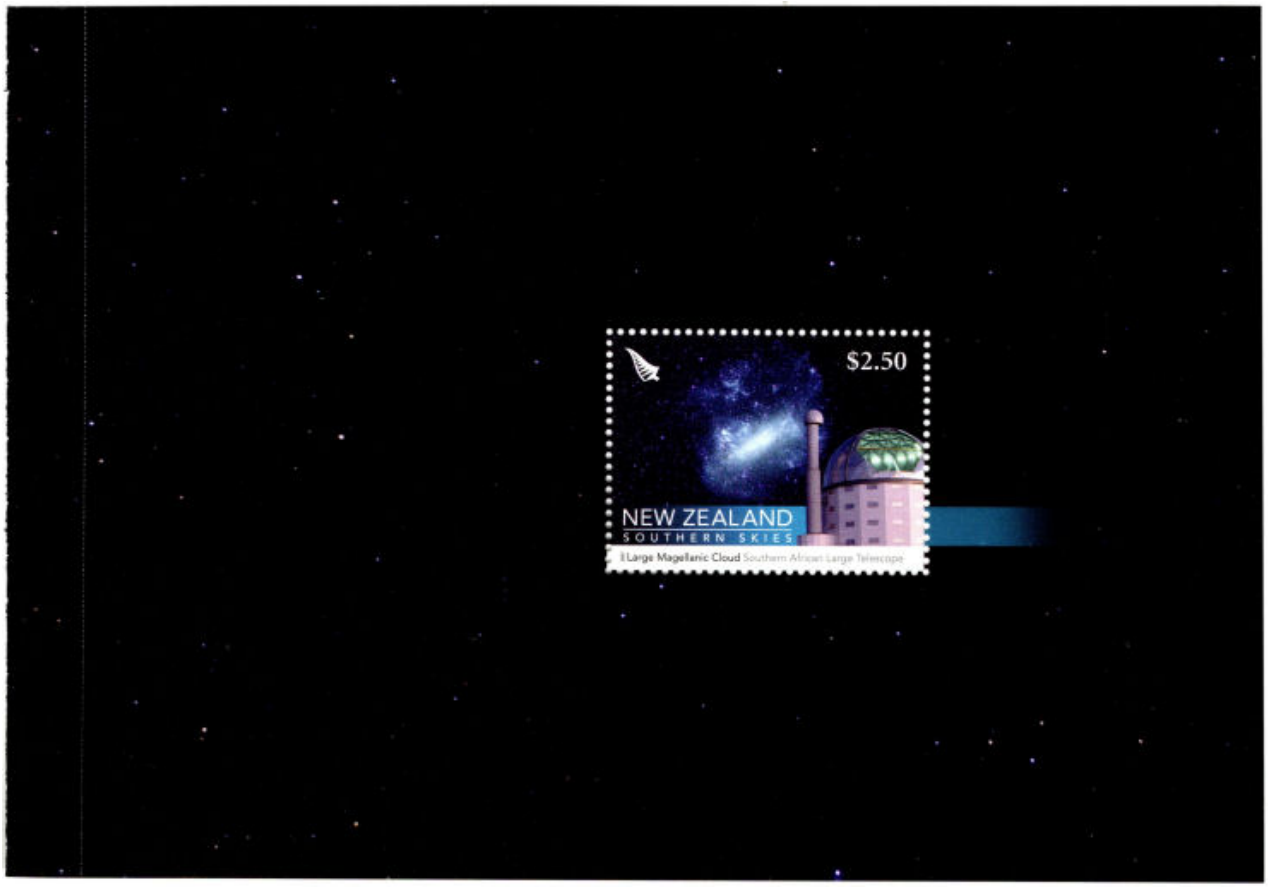
The twelfth Prestige Booklet was issued on June 6, 2007 at a cost of $19.90, a premium of $4.90 over the face value of the stamps included. It features each stamp with a New Zealand observatory and an astronomical object seen in the Southern Hemisphere. There were five miniature sheets, each with one stamp from the set of 5, and a sixth with all five stamps as a 2 over 3 block. The only other miniature sheet available in this set, was for the 2007 Huttpex Stampshow, but this only included two stamps from the set.


50c
NEW ZEALAND
SOUTHERN SKIES
Southern Cross Stardome Observatory


$1.00
NEW ZEALAND
SOUTHERN SKIES
Pleiades McLellan, Mt John Observatory

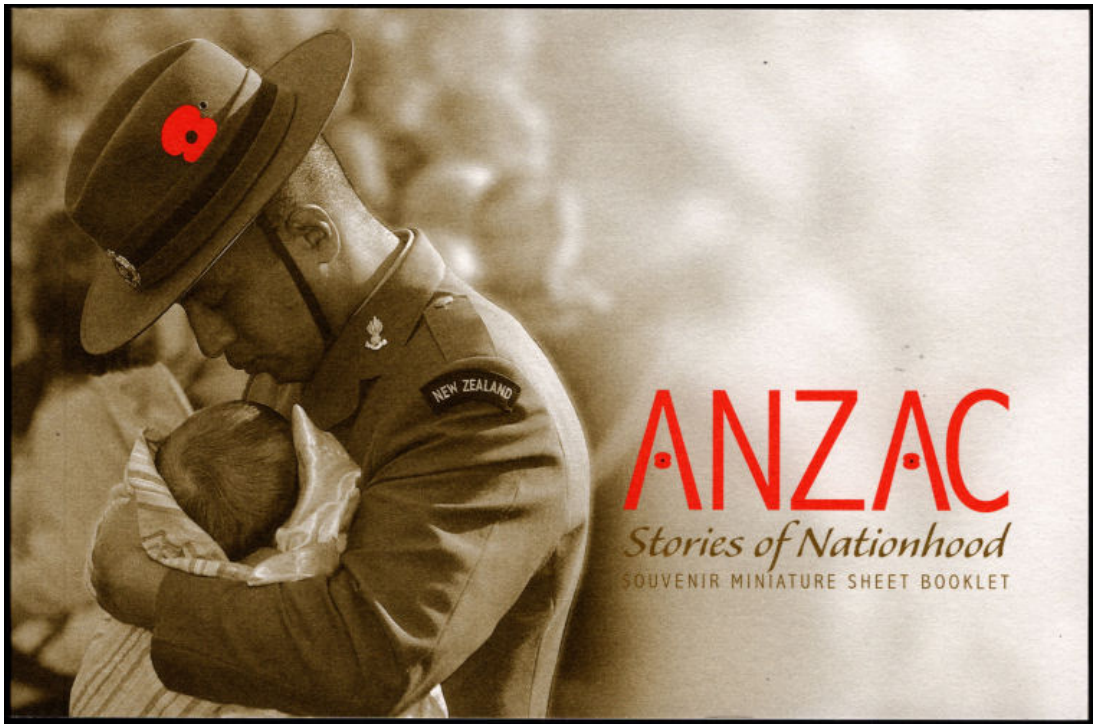

$1.50
NEW ZEALAND
SOUTHERN SKIES


$2.00
NEW ZEALAND
SOUTHERN SKIES


$2.50
NEW ZEALAND
SOUTHERN SKIES
Large Magellanic Cloud Southern African Large Telescope


50c
NEW ZEALAND
SOUTHERN SKIES
Southern Cross Stardome Observatory
$1.00
NEW ZEALAND
SOUTHERN SKIES
Pleiades McLellan, Mt John Observatory
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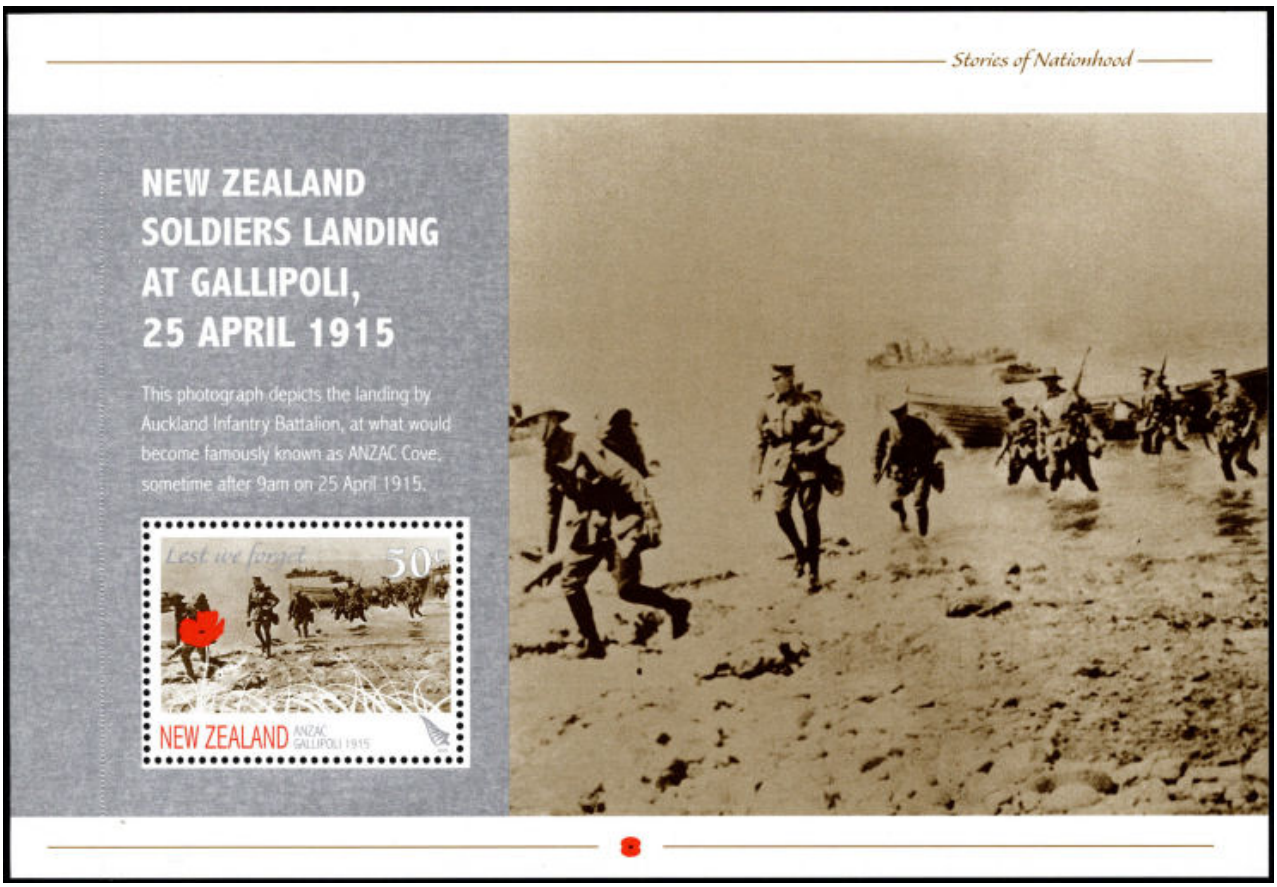
W116A 2008 "ANZAC - Stories Of Nationhood"





The thirteenth Prestige Booklet was issued on April 2, 2008 at a cost of $19.90, a premium of $3.90 over the face value of the stamps included. It was the first in a series of five booklets to commemorate ANZAC involvement in military operations. This one features stamp scenes from WWI, WWII and the Vietnam War. There were six miniature sheets, each with one stamp from the set of 6, and a seventh with all six stamps as a 3x2 block. The only other miniature sheet available in this set, was for the 2008 "90th Anniversary Of The End Of WWI", but this only included three stamps from the set. The stamps in the booklet were HM, compared to the VM on the sheet stamps.


Stories of Nationhood
DAWN PARADE
Sapper John Frank Manila Luamanu and his daughter Zada Silver Luamanu, 5 months old at the time of the photograph. Taken ANZAC Day 2007 in Palmerston North.
Lest we forget
50c
NEW ZEALAND ANZAC DAWN PARADE
NEW ZEALAND


Stories of Nationhood
NEW ZEALAND SOLDIERS LANDING AT GALLIPOLI, 25 APRIL 1915
This photograph depicts the landing by Auckland Infantry Battalion, at what would become famously known as ANZAC Cove, sometime after 9am on 25 April 1915.
Lest we forget
50c
NEW ZEALAND ANZAC GALLIPOLI 1915


Stories of Nationhood
NEW ZEALAND SOLDIERS AT THE WESTERN FRONT, 1916 – 1918
Lunch in the front line, La Synge Farm, 6 April 1918.
Lest we forget
$1.00
NEW ZEALAND
ANZAC
WESTERN FRONT 1916-1918

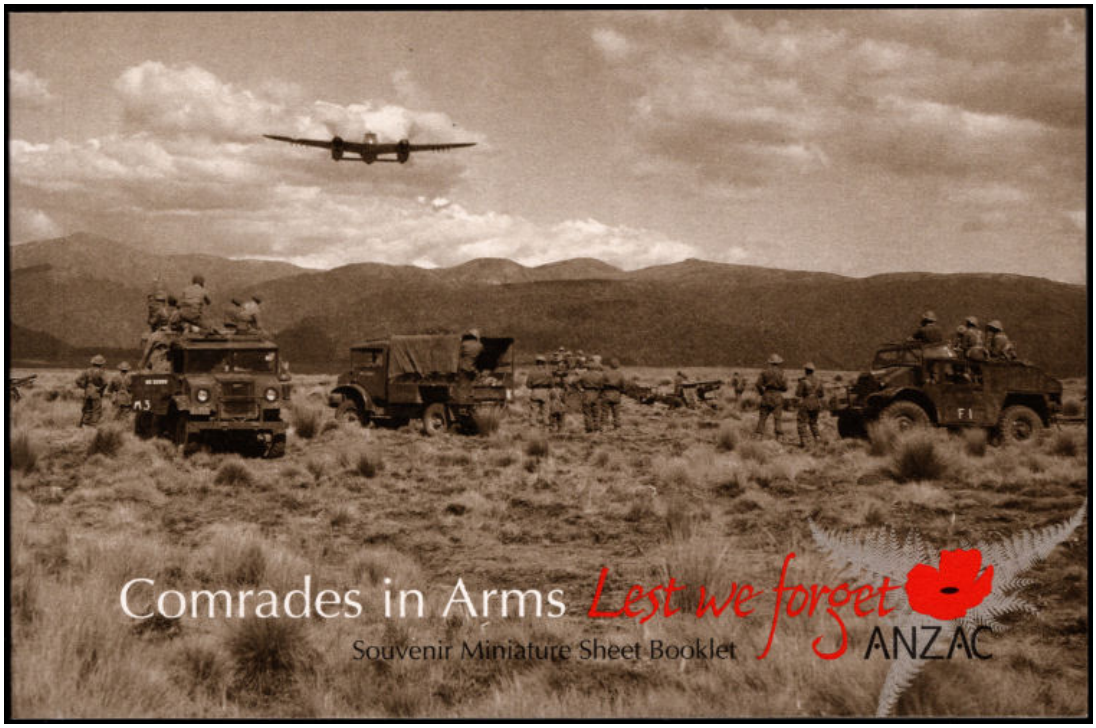

Stories of Nationhood
CHALK KIWI, SLING CAMP, ENGLAND, 1919
Barracks at Sling Camp, Salisbury Plain, England, 1919.
Lest we forget
$1.50
NEW ZEALAND
ANZAC
CHALK KIWI, ENGLAND 1919


Stories of Nationhood
MĀORI BATTALION PERFORMING THE HAKA, EGYPT, 1941
Members of the Māori Battalion who had fought in Greece, performing a haka for the King of Greece at Helwan, Egypt, June 1941.
Lest we forget
$2.00
NEW ZEALAND ANZAC HAKA, EGYPT 1941


Stories of Nationhood
NEW ZEALAND SOLDIERS IN VIETNAM
1965 – 1971
Pictured here is 161 Battery at Nui Dat.
Lest we forget
$2.50
NEW ZEALAND ANZAC VIETNAM 1965-1971


Lest we forget
50c
NEW ZEALAND ANZAC DAWN PARADE
Lest we forget
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NEW ZEALAND ANZAC GALLIPOLI 1915
Lest we forget
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NEW ZEALAND ANZAC VIETNAM 1965-1971
Stories of Nationhood

W120B 2009 "ANZAC - Comrades In Arms - Lest We Forget"





The fourteenth Prestige Booklet was issued on April 1, 2009 at a cost of $19.90, a premium of $3.90 over the face value of the stamps included. It was the second in a series of five booklets to commemorate ANZAC involvement in military operations. This one features stamp scenes from WWI, WWII, the Korean War and the Vietnam War. There were six miniature sheets, each with one stamp from the set of 6, and a seventh with all six stamps as a 3x2 block. There were no other miniature sheets for this issue. The stamps in the booklet were perforated 14, compared to the sheet stamps, which were 13.5 x 13.25.


Funeral Procession of the Unknown Warrior ~ 2004
At the conclusion of the Memorial Service at the Wellington Cathedral of St Paul, the Unknown Warrior was carried shoulder high from the Cathedral through an Honour Guard of Distinguished Veterans and placed on a gun carriage.
The Funeral Procession then progressed through the streets of Wellington to the National War Memorial.
50c
Lest we forget
New Zealand
ANZAC


NZ (Māori) Pioneer Battalion ~ WW1
Members of the Pioneer Battalion taking a break from trench improvement work, near Gommecourt, France, 25 July 1918.
The New Zealand (Māori) Pioneer Battalion, which initially championed Māori and Pākehā as 'comrades in arms', also provides the tupuna for a whakapapa that includes 28 (Māori) Battalion to today's Ngati Tumatauenga (Tribe of the War God) – the Māori identity of the modern New Zealand Army.
50c
Lest we forget
New Zealand
ANZAC


No. 75 (NZ) Squadron RAF
~ WW2
Members of 75 Squadron walking alongside a Wellington bomber, having returned from a successful mission.
In recognition of their wartime record, in October 1946 the RAF officially handed over the 75 Squadron title and badge to the RNZAF. This is the only occasion on which the RAF has 'gifted' a squadron title and badge to another Commonwealth Air Force and is a tribute to the sacrifices and contributions made by all New Zealanders in the RAF during World War 2.
$1.00
New Zealand
Lest we forget
ANZAC


HMS Achilles ~ WW2
HMS Achilles, a Leander class cruiser, arrived on the New Zealand station on 6 September 1936. At the end of August 1939 she was despatched to the eastern Pacific, later proceeding to the Atlantic where she took part in the Battle of the River Plate. She was known as HMS Achilles until November 1941, when the New Zealand Division of the Royal Navy became the Royal New Zealand Navy (RNZN). From then until her return to the United Kingdom in 1946 she was known as HMNZS Achilles.
$1.50
New Zealand
Lest we forget
ANZAC


Kayforce ~ Korea
Gun crew go into action, Korea,1 April 1952. Laying is Gunner John Braithwaite, Palmerston North; ramming is Gunner Sam Gilbert of Samoa; and loading is Gunner Peter Jansen of Pahiatua.
72
03ZS13
$2.00
Lest we forget
New Zealand
ANZAC


ANZAC Battalion ~ Vietnam
Phuoc Tuy province, Vietnam, 23 March 1968. New Zealand soldiers of 6 Platoon, V Company, ANZAC Battalion, boarding an Iroquois helicopter of 9 Squadron RAAF, to return to base at the conclusion of operation Pinnaroo. The operation took place in the southern part of Phuoc Tuy province. The ANZAC Battalion was composed of elements of the 1st Battalion, RNZIR and the 2nd Battalion, RAR.
20
$2.50
Lest we forget
New Zealand
ANZAC

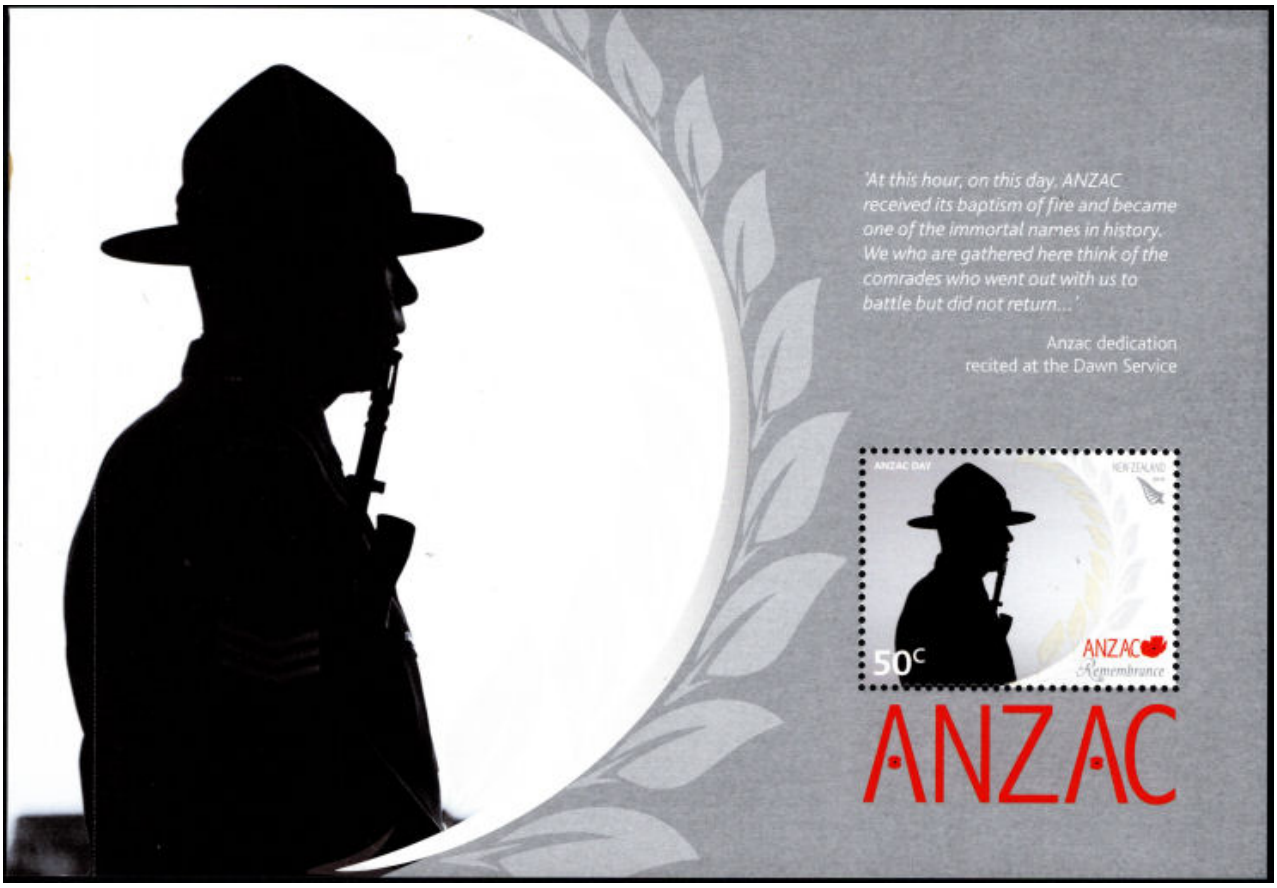

50c
Lest we forget
New Zealand
ANZAC
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W124B 2010 "ANZAC - Stories Of Remembrance"





The fifteenth Prestige Booklet was issued on April 7, 2010 at a cost of $19.90, a premium of $2.10 over the face value of the stamps included. It was the third in a series of five booklets to commemorate ANZAC involvement in military operations. This one features stamp scenes of remembrance from the various wars. There were six miniature sheets, each with one stamp from the set of 6, and a seventh with all six stamps as a 3x2 block. The only other miniature sheet available in this set, was for the 2010 "London International Exhibition", but this only included three stamps from the set. The stamps in the booklet were perforated 14, compared to the sheet stamps, which were 13.5.


'At this hour, on this day, ANZAC received its baptism of fire and became one of the immortal names in history. We who are gathered here think of the comrades who went out with us to battle but did not return...'
Anzac dedication recited at the Dawn Service
ANZAC DAY
NEW ZEALAND
50c
ANZAC
Remembrance
ANZAC


'[T]hey'll fall in on the road and there won't be a band but they'll march in step because they're old soldiers and they'll swing along... and halt on the asphalt. A good sound. A body of disciplined men coming to halt as one man... The Last Post, the forlorn Last Post will float and fall through the quiet air and the sad notes will be for all the boys killed...'
Gordon Slatter *The Returned Man* (1959)
GALLIPOLI VETERANS MARCHING ANZAC DAY 1990
NEW ZEALAND
50c
ANZAC
Remembrance
ANZAC


'I sat at Mrs Ngarimu's table inspecting the medal in reverential silence... As I returned the box and medal to her hands I said, "You must be very proud of this Victoria Cross". She smiled, and said very quietly and kindly, "Oh, no. I would rather have my son." And she raised her eyes to look lovingly at the photo of Moana.'
Husayn Rawlings's recollection of a visit to the Ngarimu household as a nine-year-old in 1955
(Monty Soutar Nga Tama Toa: The Price of Citizenship C Company 28 (Māori) Battalion 1939-1945)
NEW ZEALAND
$1.00
ANZAC
Remembrance
ANZAC


'Army nurses led the parade... After the nurses would come the overseas women, ambulance drivers, V.A.D.'s and others... The wreaths would be placed, official ones first, gigantic compositions in scarlet cotton poppies and laurel leaves, the dark or the gilded laurel: then several big ones from the women's organizations, home-made, perhaps, but still elaborate and handsome...'
Robin Hyde
Nor the Years Condemn (1938)
NEW ZEALAND
$1.80
ANZAC
Remembrance
ANZAC


'They came hither from the end of the world; from the great cattle-runs and sheep stations; from wheat-farms and mining-fields; from the vast plains of Australia; from the mountains and lakes of New Zealand; unhesitatingly, without stopping to count the cost, they answered the call to arms...'
Speech at the Unveiling of the ANZAC memorial by Sir Percy Loraine, High Commissioner for Egypt and the Sudan, 23 November 1932
NEW ZEALAND
$2.30
ANZAC
Remembrance
ANZAC


'When we went back to Sangro, there were quite a few who wanted to bring the bodies back to Aotearoa. But I said no, this is a beautiful cemetery, looking out to sea. I'd rather leave them here than bring them back to the blackberries of Nuhaka...'
Lillian Adsett, part of the 28 (Māori) Battalion pilgrimage to cemeteries in the Middle East, North Africa and Italy, 1977
NEW ZEALAND
$2.80
ANZAC
Remembrance
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Stories of Remembrance
ANZAC DAY
50c
ANZAC
Remembrance
GALLIPOLI VETERANS MARCHING
ANZAC DAY 1980
50c
ANZAC
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Our history – Our identity

W133B 2012 "75 Years Of The Royal New Zealand Air Force"

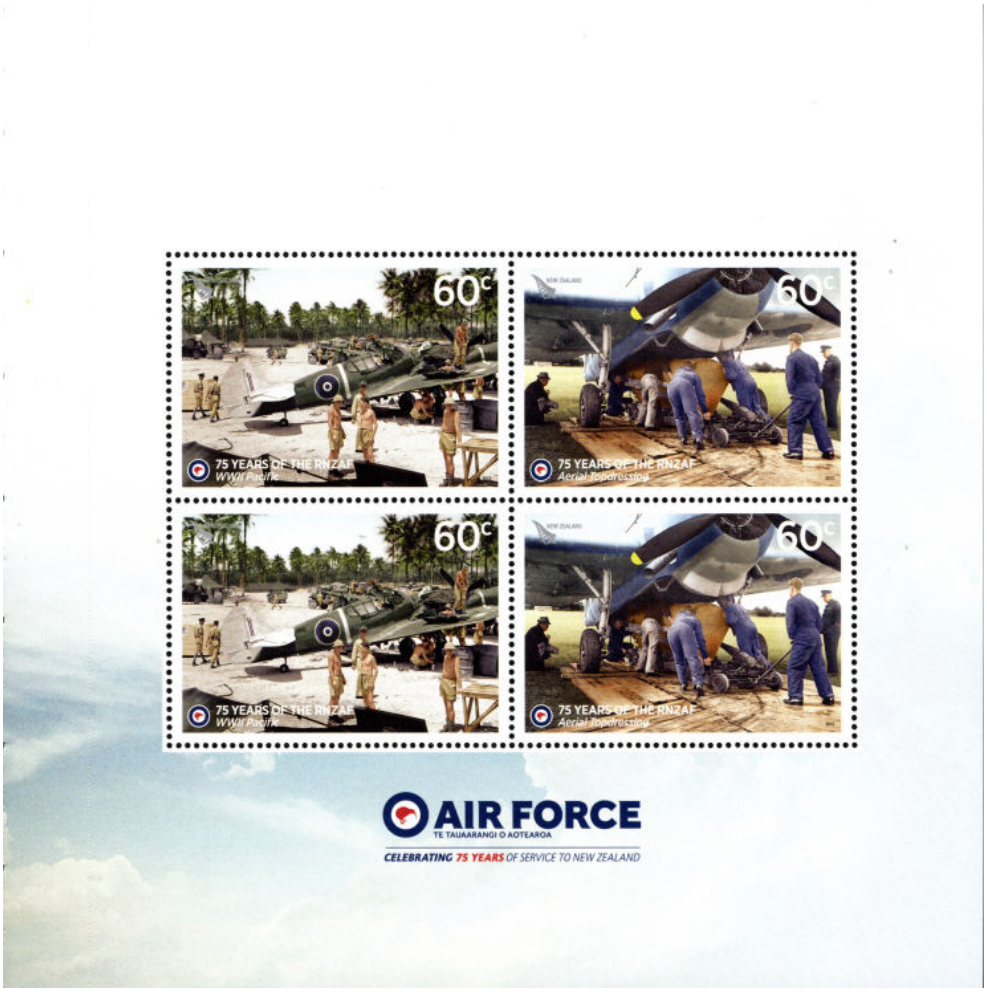




The sixteenth Prestige Booklet was issued on March 15, 2012 at a cost of $19.90, a premium of $1.90 over the face value of the stamps included. It features scenes from 75 years of Royal New Zealand Air Force activities. There were eight miniature sheets, seven with two stamps from the set of 15, doubled in a 2x2 block, and an eighth with a single stamp in a vertical pair. This booklet was the first to appear in a different size to all the previous booklets. It was square shaped, measuring 150 mm x 150 mm.


60c
75 YEARS OF THE RNZAF
The Beginning
60c
75 YEARS OF THE RNZAF
Air Training Corps
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The Beginning
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Air Training Corps
AIR FORCE
TE TAUAARANGI O AOTEAROA
CELEBRATING 75 YEARS OF SERVICE TO NEW ZEALAND


60c
75 YEARS OF THE RNZAF
WWII Europe
60c
75 YEARS OF THE RNZAF
Women's Auxiliary Air Force
60c
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WWII Europe
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75 YEARS OF THE RNZAF
Women's Auxiliary Air Force
AIR FORCE
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CELEBRATING 75 YEARS OF SERVICE TO NEW ZEALAND


60c
75 YEARS OF THE RNZAF
WWII Pacific
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75 YEARS OF THE RNZAF
Aerial Topdressing
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60c
75 YEARS OF THE RNZAF
Territorial Air Force
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75 YEARS OF THE RNZAF
South East Asia
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AIR FORCE
TE TAUAARANGI O AOTEAROA
CELEBRATING 75 YEARS OF SERVICE TO NEW ZEALAND


60c
75 YEARS OF THE RNZAF
ANZAC
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75 YEARS OF THE RNZAF
Naval Support
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75 YEARS OF THE RNZAF
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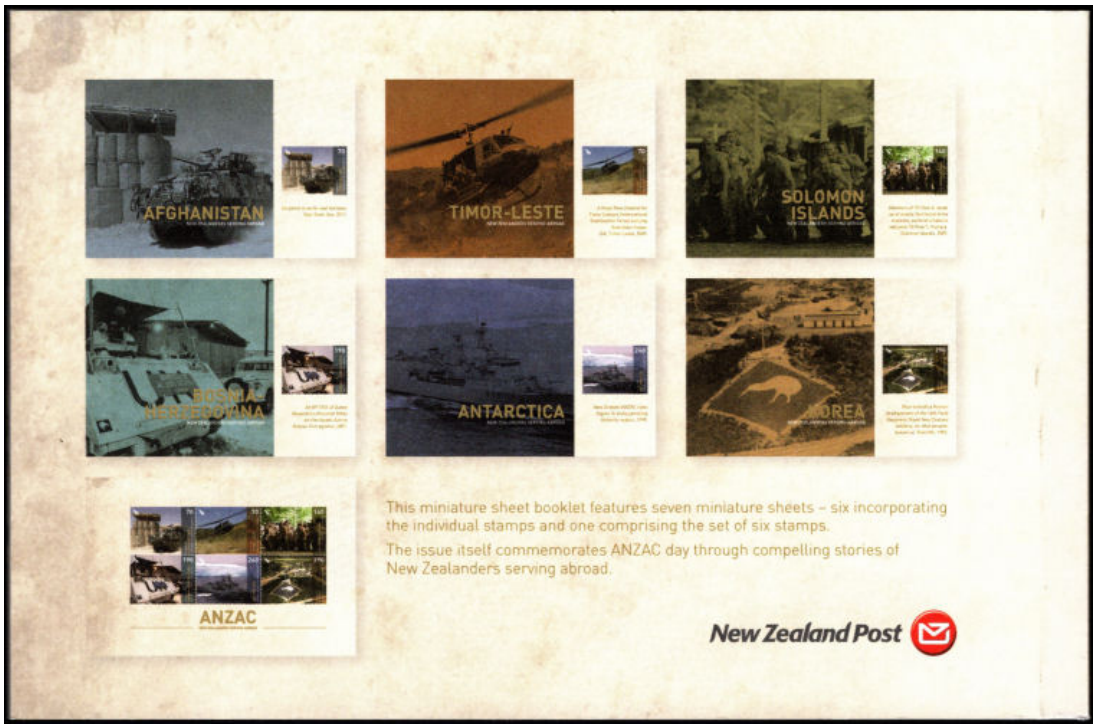

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Transport
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Peacekeeping
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Peacekeeping
AIR FORCE
TE TAUAARANGI O AOTEAROA
CELEBRATING 75 YEARS OF SERVICE TO NEW ZEALAND


60c
75 YEARS OF THE RNZAF
Search and Rescue
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75 YEARS OF THE RNZAF
The Future
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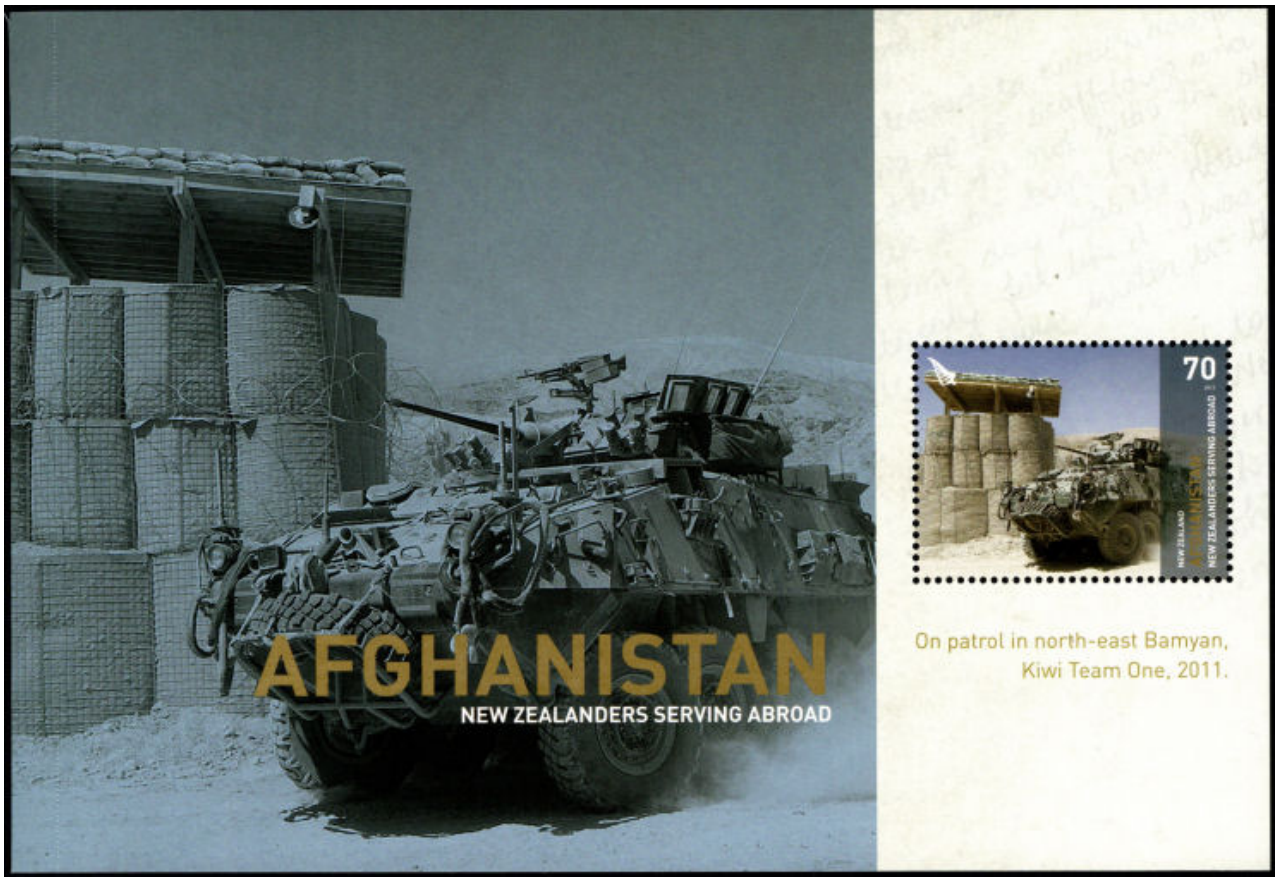

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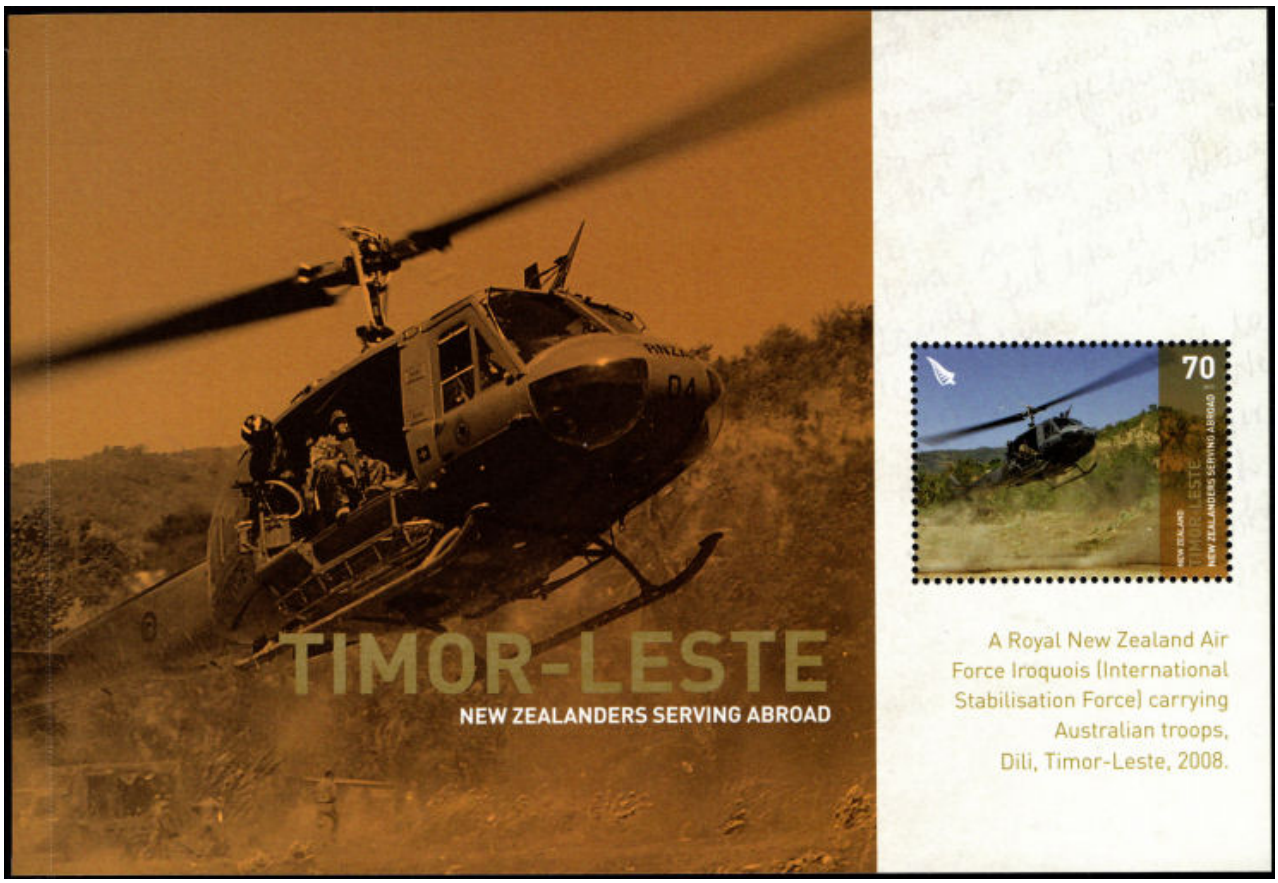
W140a 2013 "ANZAC - New Zealanders Serving Abroad"

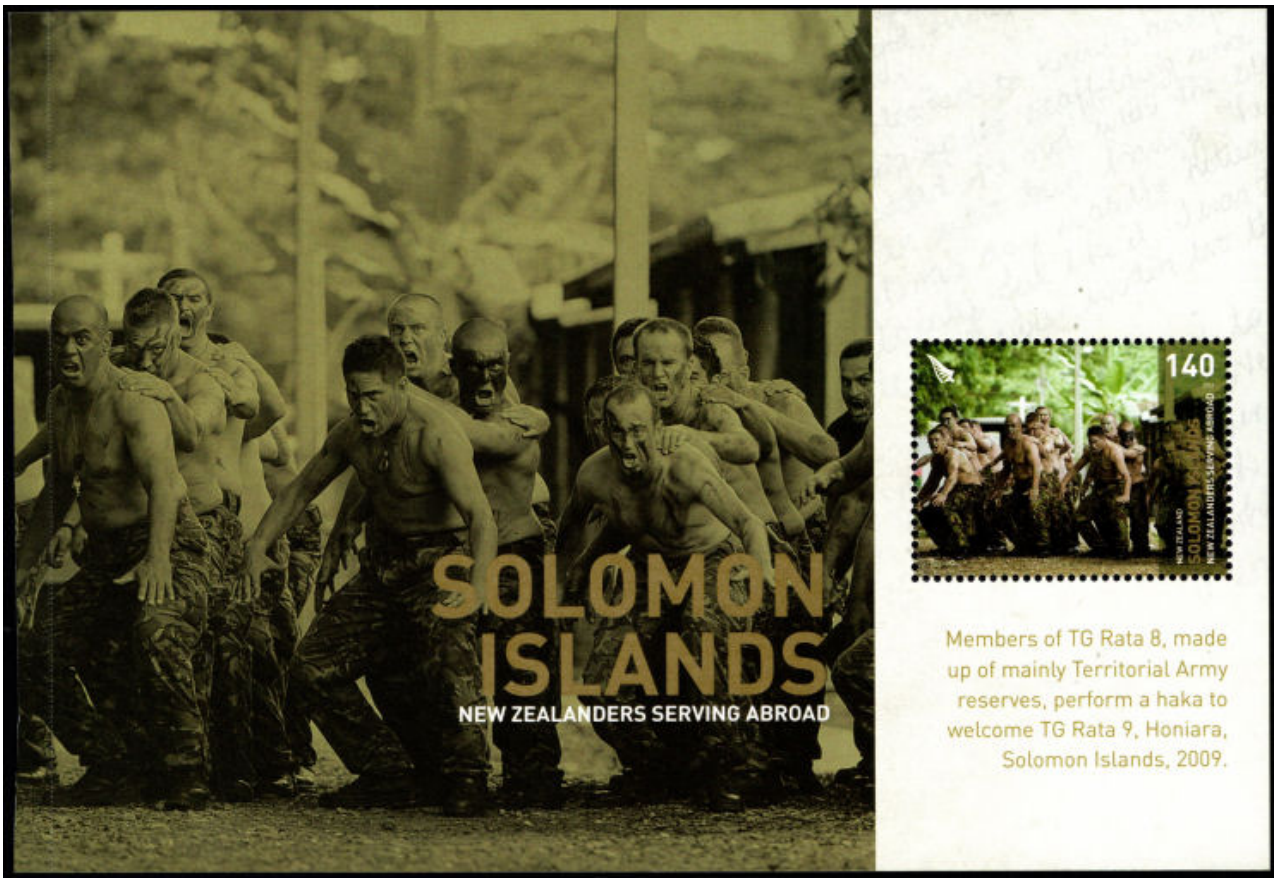




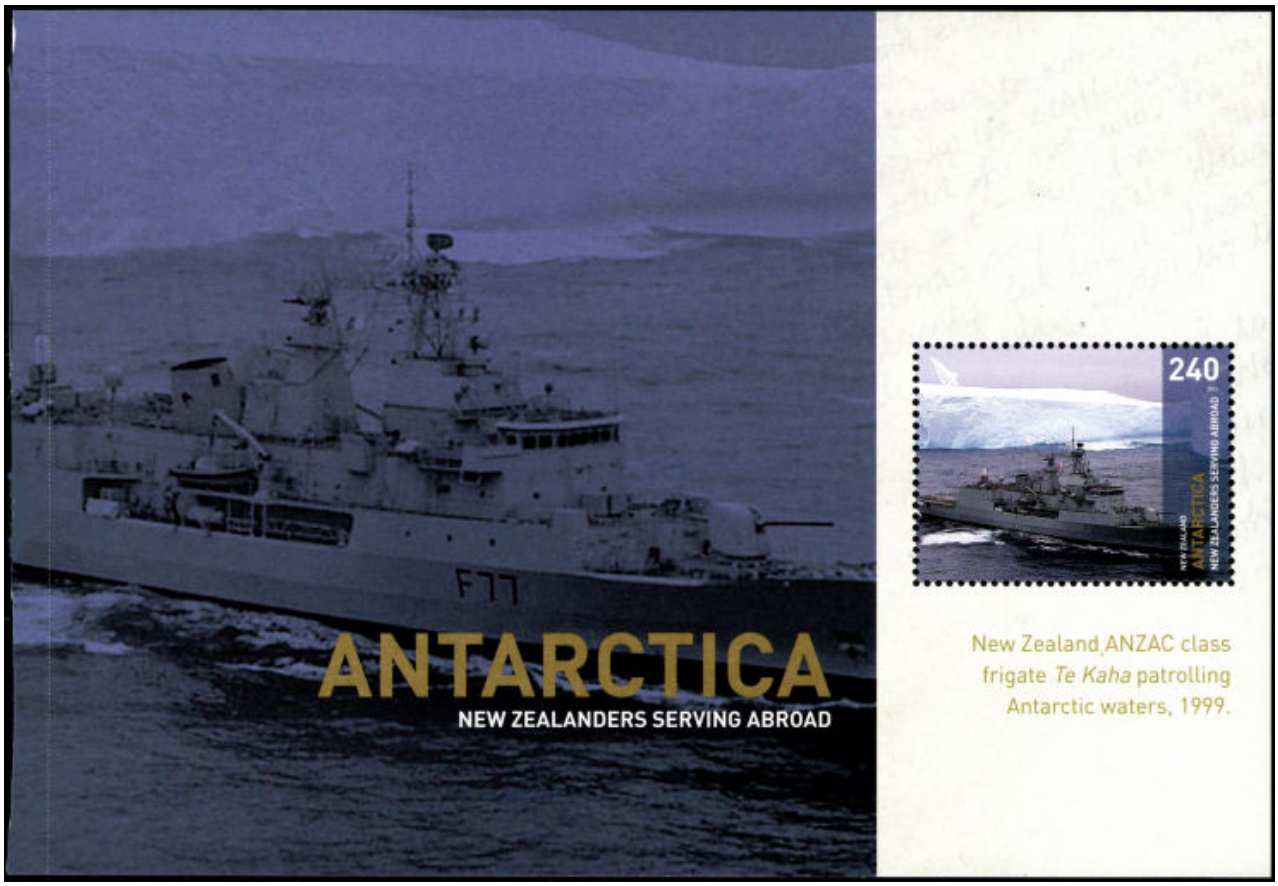
The seventeenth Prestige Booklet was issued on April 10, 2013 at a cost of $19.90, a discount of $0.10 over the face value of the stamps included. It was the fourth in a series of five booklets to commemorate ANZAC involvement in military operations. This one features stamp scenes from various overseas locations. There were six miniature sheets, each with one stamp from the set of 6, and a seventh with all six stamps as a 3x2 block. There were no other miniature sheets for this issue.


AFGHANISTAN
NEW ZEALANDERS SERVING ABROAD
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On patrol in north-east Bamyan,
Kiwi Team One, 2011.

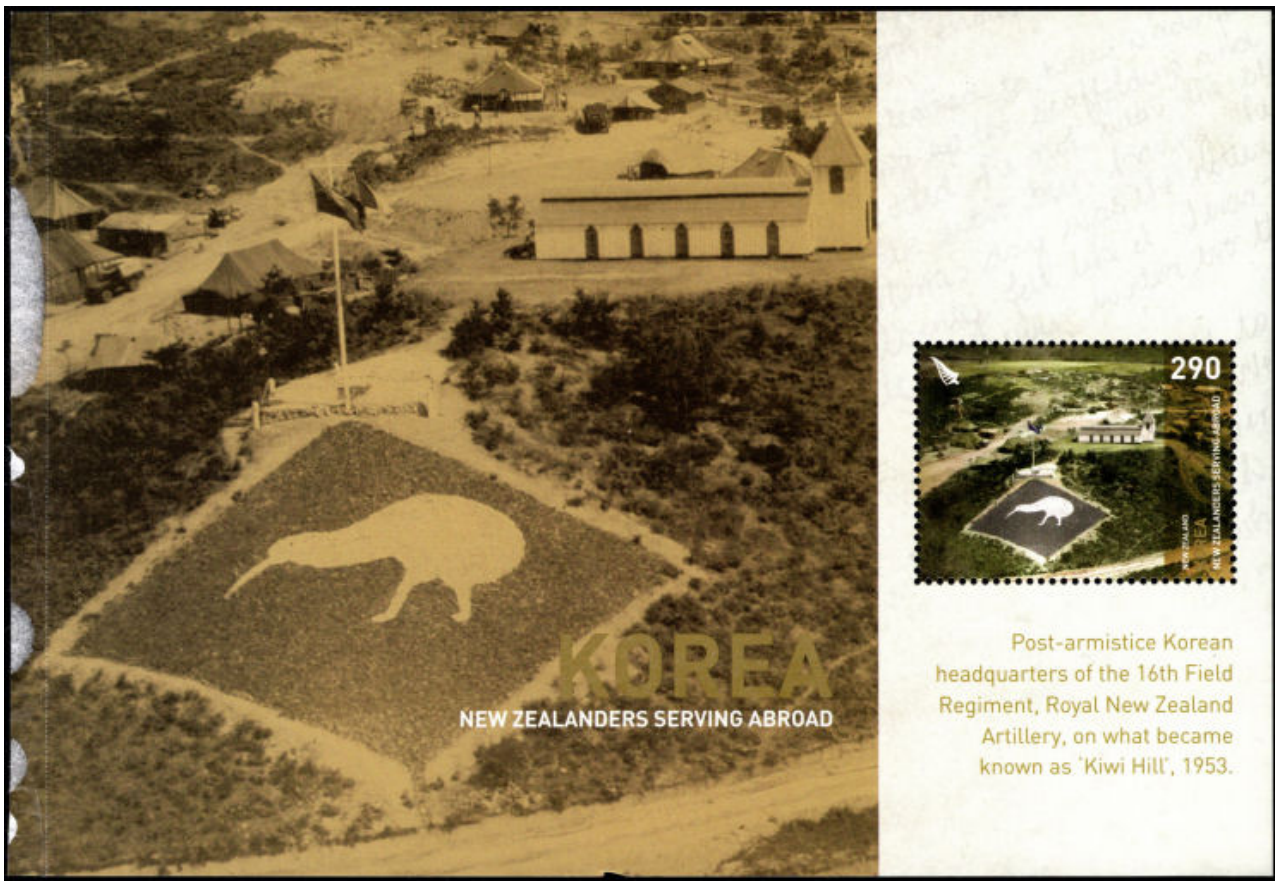

TIMOR-LESTE
NEW ZEALANDERS SERVING ABROAD
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A Royal New Zealand Air
Force Iroquois (International
Stabilisation Force) carrying
Australian troops,
Dili, Timor-Leste, 2008.


SOLOMON ISLANDS
NEW ZEALANDERS SERVING ABROAD
140
Members of TG Rata 8, made up of mainly Territorial Army reserves, perform a haka to welcome TG Rata 9, Honiara, Solomon Islands, 2009.

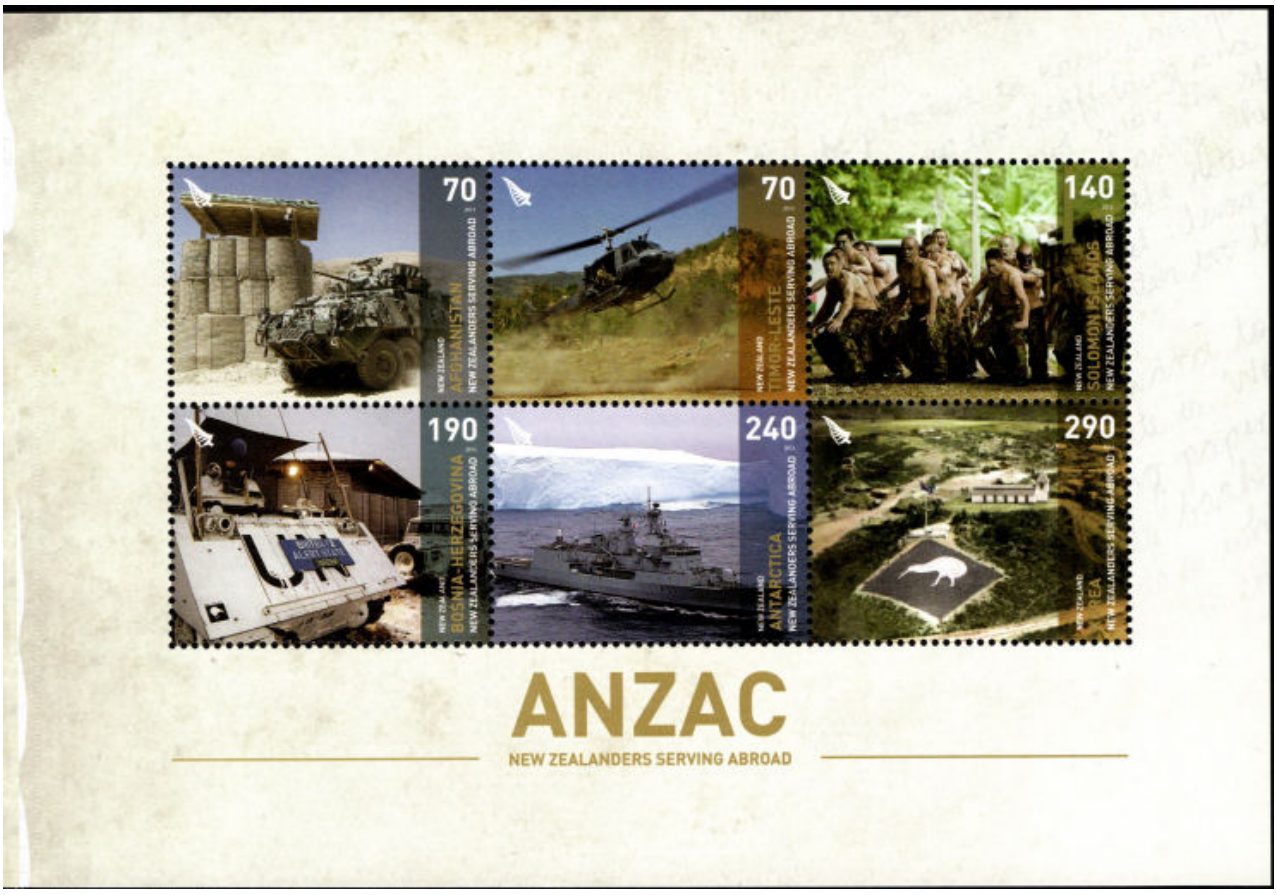

BOSNIA-HERZEGOVINA
NEW ZEALANDERS SERVING ABROAD
190
An M113A1 of Queen Alexandra's Mounted Rifles on checkpoint duty in Bosnia-Herzegovina, 2007.



New Zealand ANZAC class frigate *Te Kaha* patrolling Antarctic waters, 1999.



Post-armistice Korean headquarters of the 16th Field Regiment, Royal New Zealand Artillery, on what became known as 'Kiwi Hill', 1953.


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ANZAC
NEW ZEALANDERS SERVING ABROAD

W145a 2014 "ANZAC - WWII Poster Art"





The eighteenth Prestige Booklet was issued on April 2, 2014 at a cost of $19.90, a discount of $0.10 over the face value of the stamps included. It was the fifth in a series of five booklets to commemorate ANZAC involvement in military operations. This one features poster art from WWII. There were six miniature sheets, each with one stamp from the set of 6, and a seventh with all six stamps as a 3x2 block. There were no other miniature sheets for this issue. The stamps in the booklet were perforated 13, compared to perforated 15 of the sheet stamps.





This recruitment poster called for young men between 16 and 18 years of age to join the Air Training Corps. The Corps was established in 1941 to make sure there were enough future recruits to fill the ranks of the Royal New Zealand Air Force during the Second World War.

The poster features a recruit playing a bugle in front of the British Royal Air Force roundel. This emblem was used by New Zealand at that time.

WWII POSTER ART





This small 'posterette' encouraged young women (from 17 years of age) to join the Women's Land Service (WLS). The woman is wearing a standard-issue working hat, shirt and overalls, and happily drives a tractor while waving her hand in the victory sign. This poster was displayed in 225 railway stations throughout New Zealand in October 1943.

The WLS was the largest of the women's war services, with 2,711 'land girls' placed on farms. Hundreds of women also served unofficially on family land.

WWII POSTER ART





This 1941 recruitment poster invited New Zealand men to join the Royal New Zealand Air Force. The heroic pose of the pilot looking skyward, possibly after a dangerous mission, provided a noble example. Such imagery tapped into widely held values of patriotism and loyalty.

The pilot is actually a self-portrait of the artist, Claude Wade, who worked for the Ilott Studio in Wellington after emigrating from Britain after the First World War.

WWII POSTER ART



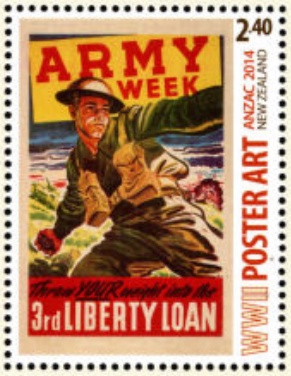


This fund-raising poster was issued for the '3rd Liberty Loan' floated in June 1943. The New Zealand government helped to finance the war through loans and savings. Seven loan campaigns raised a total of £145 million.

The fund-raising campaigns were huge and dramatic. The 3rd Liberty Loan campaign lasted for six weeks, devoting a week of public events to each of the forces. This poster advertised the Navy's week and was displayed in railway stations, post offices and savings banks.

WWII POSTER ART



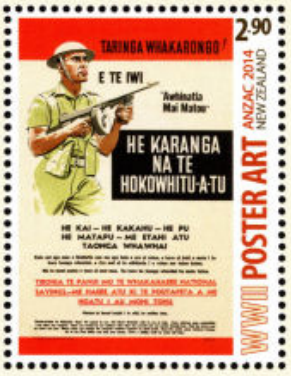


This fund-raising poster was issued by the New Zealand government for the '3rd Liberty Loan' floated in June 1943, and was displayed in railway stations, Post Offices and savings banks throughout the country.

The diagonal composition of the soldier throwing a grenade is in perfect harmony with the slogan: 'Throw YOUR weight into the 3rd Liberty Loan'. Such visual devices were commonly used in Second World War posters.

WWII POSTER ART





This rare Second World War poster shows how Māori were appealed to in their own language to give money to the war effort: 'Stop! We appeal to you. The Māori Battalion calls to you to help… Go to the Post Office and lend your money.'

The soldier in the poster was based on an official photograph of Private Te Rangi Arena (Allen) of the 28th Māori Battalion during Tommy gun training at Maadi, Egypt, some time between 1940 and 1941.

WWII POSTER ART


DUTY CALLS
THE YOUTH OF NEW ZEALAND
join the
AIR TRAINING CORPS NOW!
70c
HELP FARM FOR VICTORY
Join the
WOMEN'S LAND SERVICE
70c
THE AIR FORCE NEEDS
MEN!
AN INVITATION to You
AIR SECRETARY
PRIVATE BAG - - WELLINGTON, C.I.
1.40
NAVY WEEK
New Zealand expects...
3rd LIBERTY LOAN
1.90
ARMY WEEK
Throw YOUR weight into the
3rd LIBERTY LOAN
2.40
TARINGA WHAKARONGO!
E TE IWI
"Awhinatia Mai Matou"
HE KARANGA NA TE HOKOWHITU-A-TU
2.90
WWII POSTER ART
ANZAC 2014 NEW ZEALAND
WWII POSTER ART

The First World War - 100 Years - Lest We Forget

In 2014, to commemorate 100 years since the First World War commenced, New Zealand Post issued the first of a five booklet series. There would be one per year from 2014 until 2018. If you purchased the first issue, you were offered a study cardboard box to house the collection in.

Images of the Miniature Sheets will appear when I gather some spare copies to pull apart. These five Prestige Booklets are not that common.



W148a 2014 WWI - NZ's Story I - 1914 For King & Empire



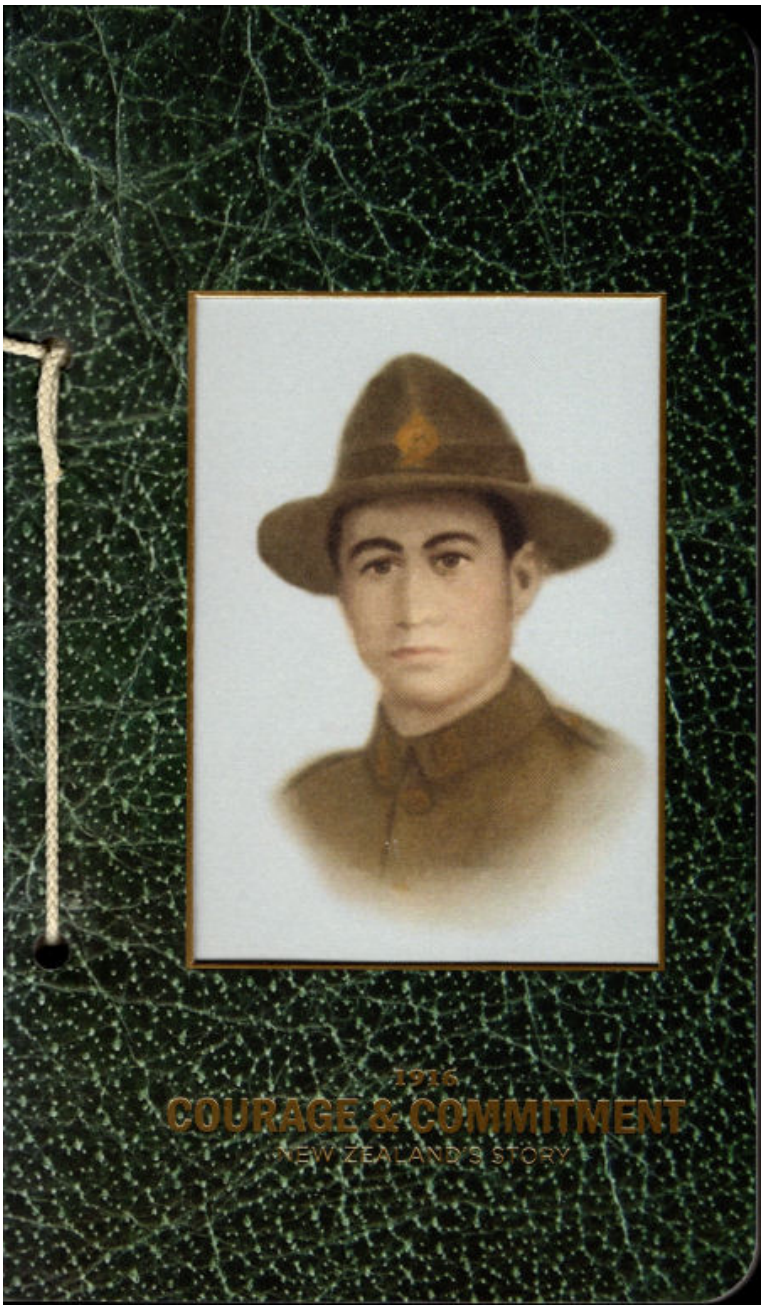
The nineteenth Prestige Booklet was issued on July 29, 2014 at a cost of $39.90, a premium of $12.30 over the face value of the stamps included. It was the first in a series of five booklets to commemorate the centenary of WWI. There were ten miniature sheets, each with one stamp from the set of 10, and then one with all six 80c stamps as a 2x3 block, followed by another with the four higher value stamps in a 2x2 block. The only other miniature sheet for this issue was for "Baypex 2014 National Stamp Exhibition", but it only contained three of the stamps from the issue.

W153a 2015 WWI - NZ's Story II - 1915 The Spirt Of ANZAC



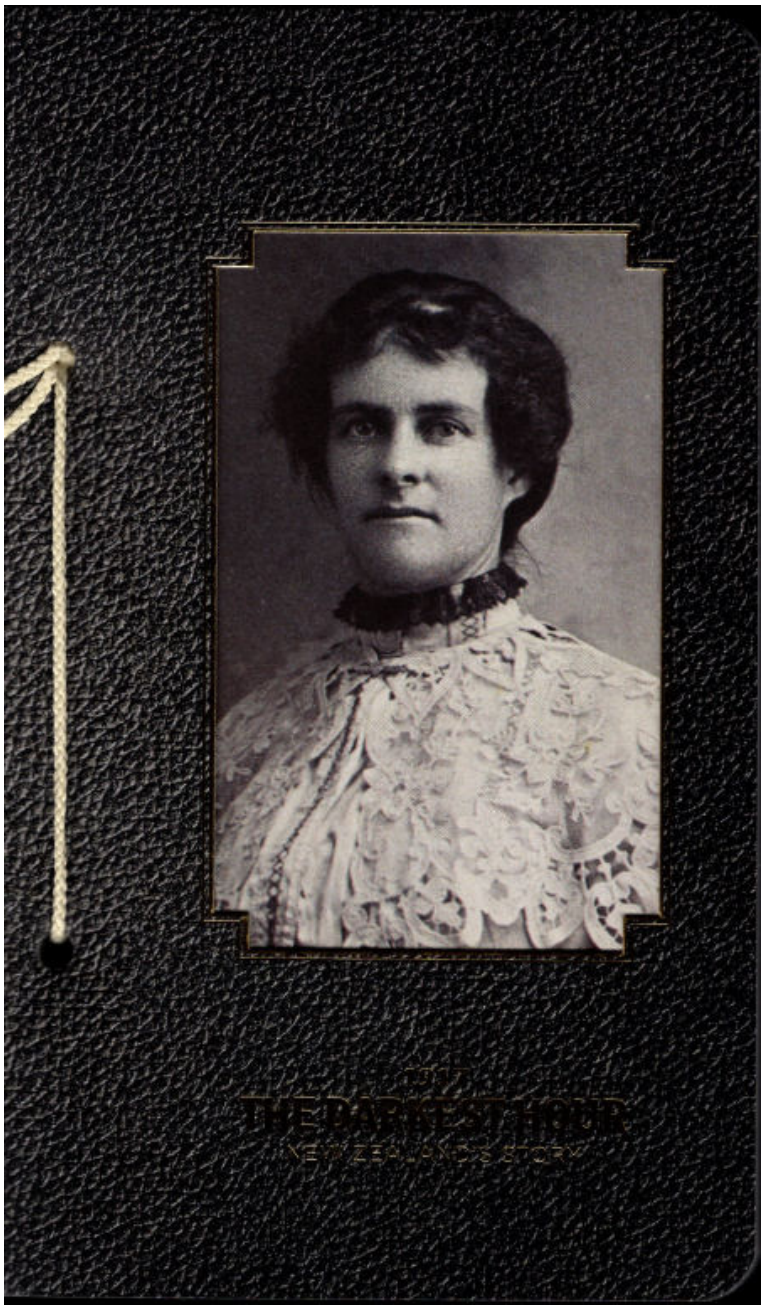
The twentieth Prestige Booklet was issued on March 23, 2015 at a cost of $39.90, a premium of $12.30 over the face value of the stamps included. It was the second in a series of five booklets to commemorate the centenary of WWI. There were ten miniature sheets, each with one stamp from the set of 10, and then one with all six 80c stamps as a 2x3 block, followed by another with the four higher value stamps in a 2x2 block. The only other miniature sheet for this issue was for "2015 Capital Stampshow", but it only contained three of the stamps from the issue.

W158a 2016 WWI - NZ's Story III - 1916 Courage & Commitment



The twenty-first Prestige Booklet was issued on April 6, 2016 at a cost of $39.90, a premium of $12.30 over the face value of the stamps included. It was the third in a series of five booklets to commemorate the centenary of WWI. There were ten miniature sheets, each with one stamp from the set of 10, and then one with all six 80c stamps as a 2x3 block, followed by another with the four higher value stamps in a 2x2 block. There were no other miniature sheets for this issue.

W164a 2017 WWI - NZ's Story IV - 1917 The Darkest Hour



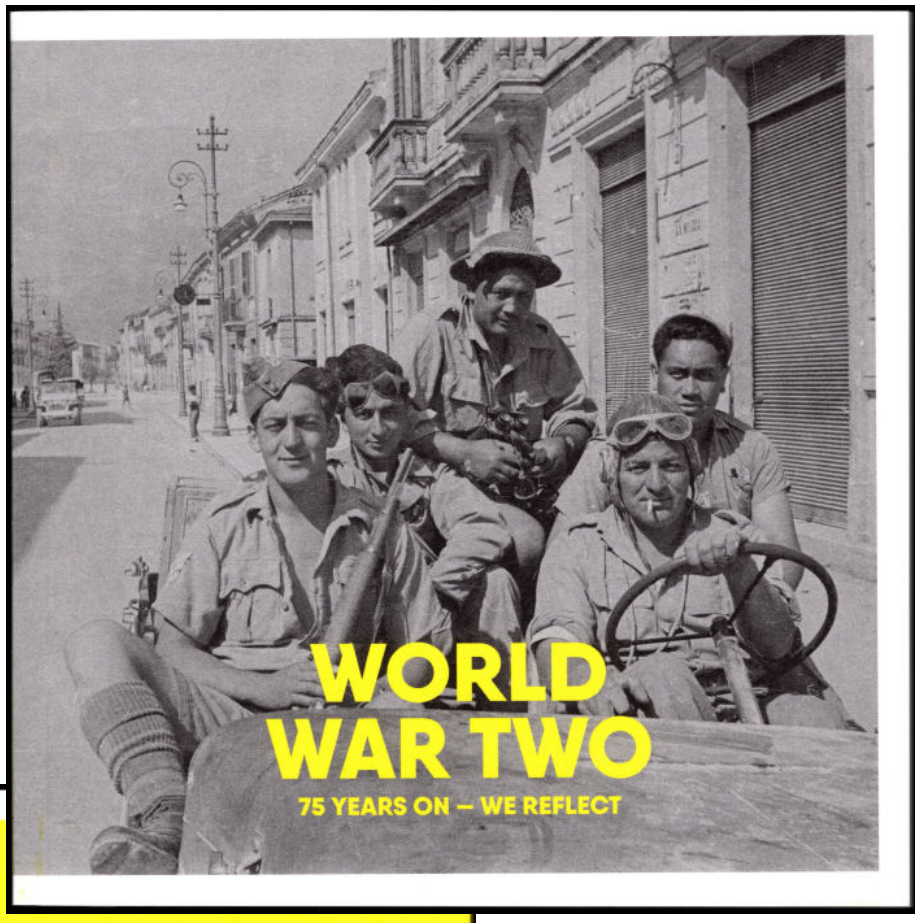
The twenty-second Prestige Booklet was issued on April 5, 2017 at a cost of $39.90, a premium of $8.30 over the face value of the stamps included. It was the fourth in a series of five booklets to commemorate the centenary of WWI. There were ten miniature sheets, each with one stamp from the set of 10, and then one with all six $1.00 stamps as a 2x3 block, followed by another with the four higher value stamps in a 2x2 block. There were no other miniature sheets for this issue.

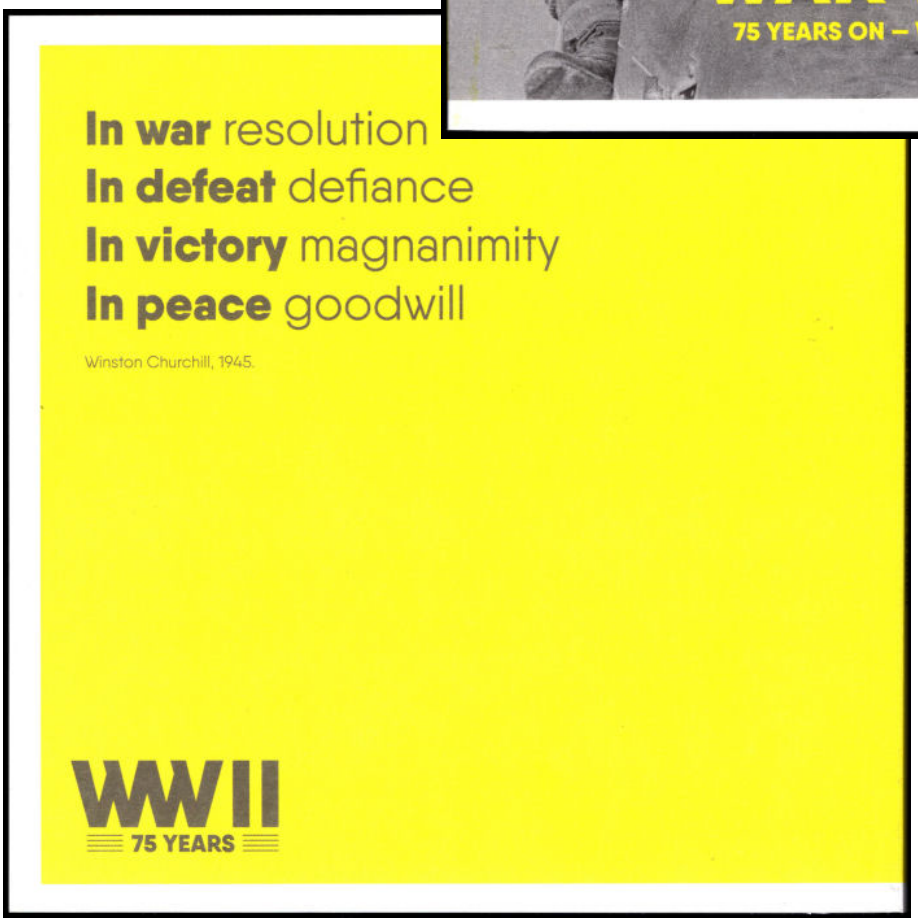
W168a 2018 WWI - NZ's Story V - 1918 Back From The Brink



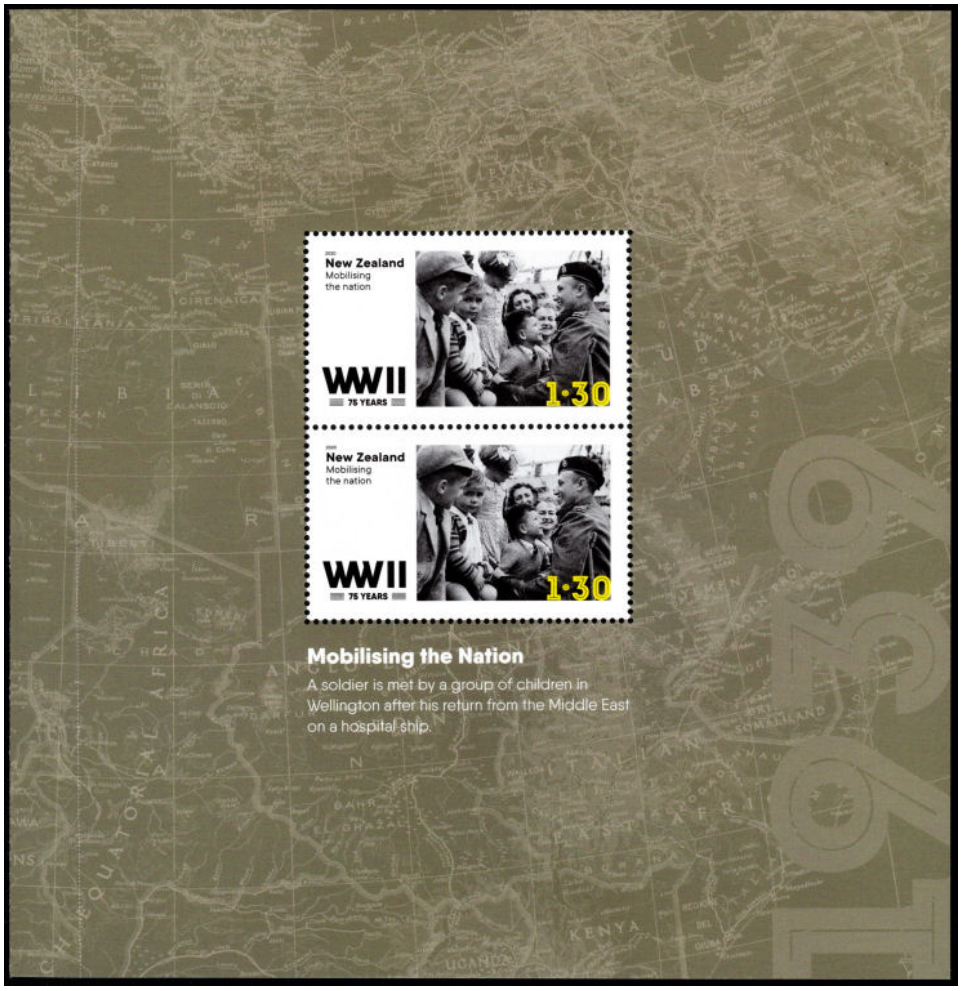
The twenty-third Prestige Booklet was issued on April 4, 2018 at a cost of $39.90, a premium of $8.30 over the face value of the stamps included. It was the fifth in a series of five booklets to commemorate the centenary of WWI. There were ten miniature sheets, each with one stamp from the set of 10, and then one with five $1.00 stamps and a $2.20 stamp as a 2x3 block, followed by another with the three higher value stamps and a $1.00 stamp in a 2x2 block. There were no other miniature sheets for this issue.

W180a 2020 World War Two - 75 Years On - We Reflect



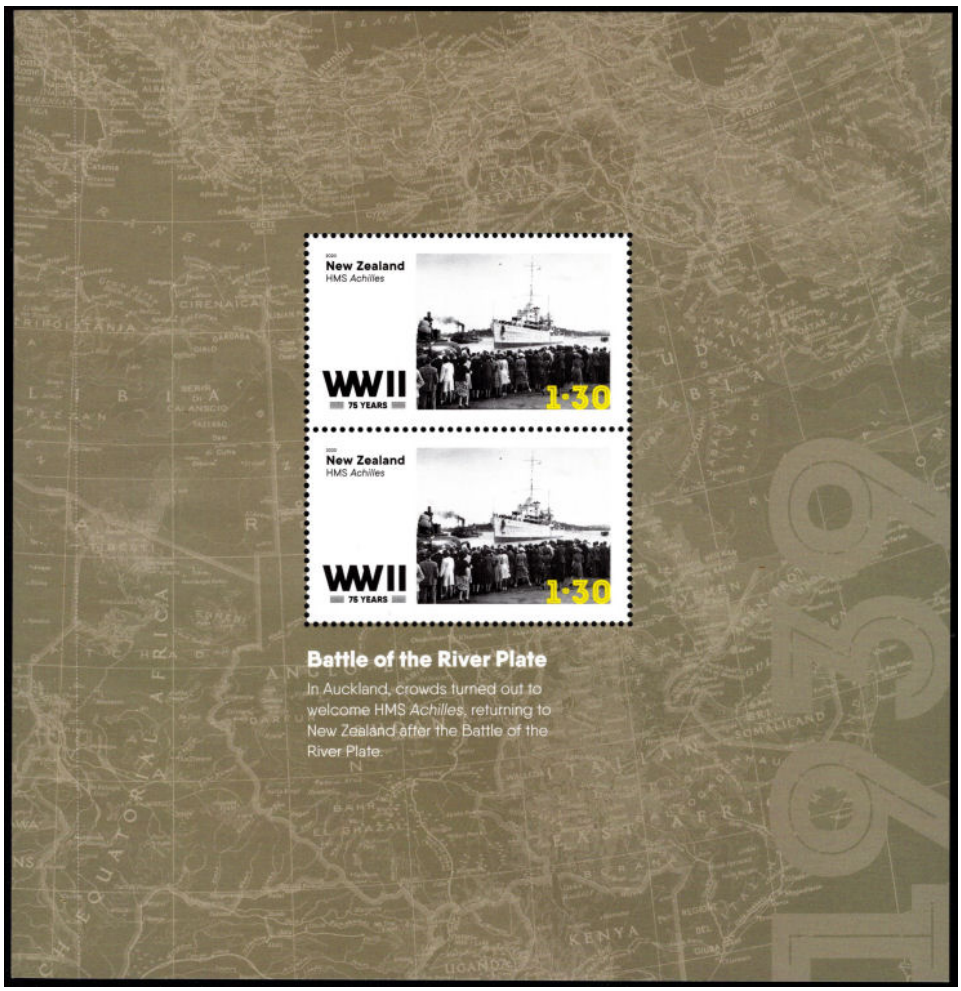


The twenty-fourth Prestige Booklet was issued on April 1, 2020 at a cost of $39.90, a premium of $0.90 over the face value of the stamps included. It reflected on the WWII war years through 15 key themes and events. There were fifteen miniature sheets, each with one stamp from the set of 15, as a vertical pair. There were no other miniature sheets for this issue, other than a sheetlet that contained all 15 stamps.



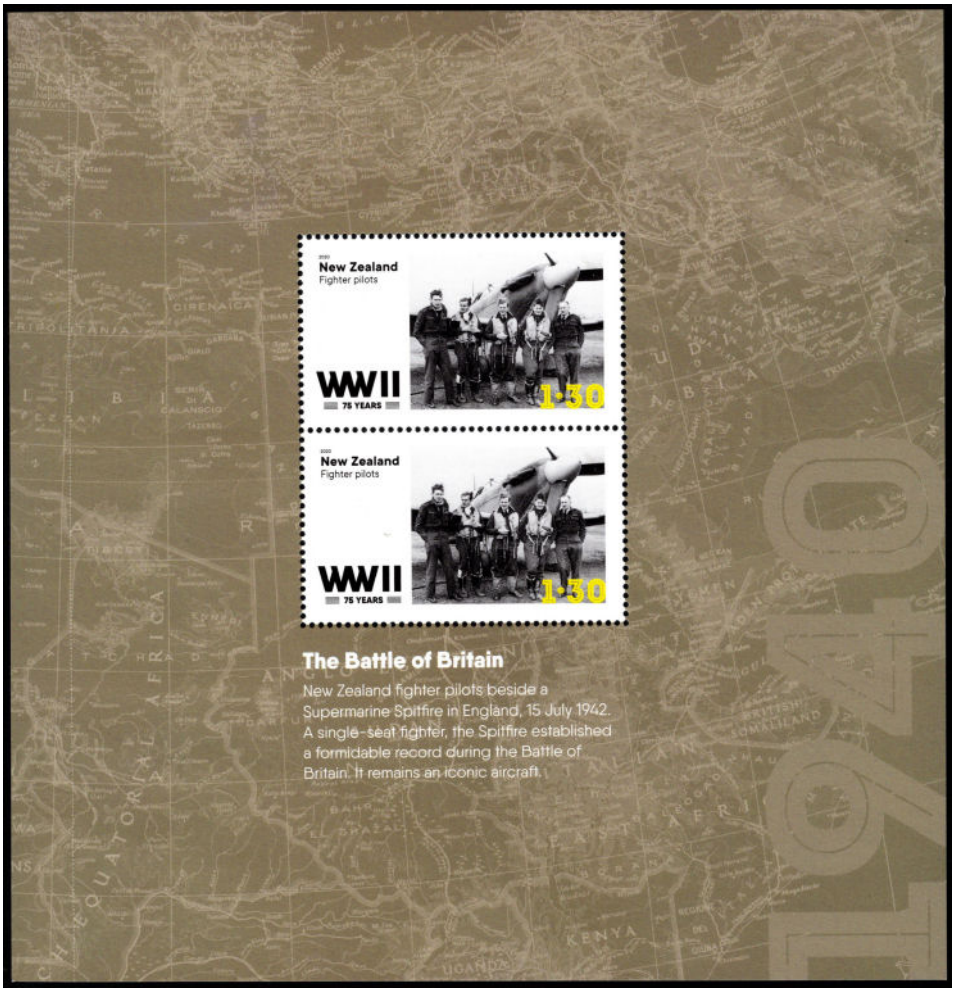
Mobilising the Nation

A soldier is met by a group of children in Wellington after his return from the Middle East on a hospital ship.



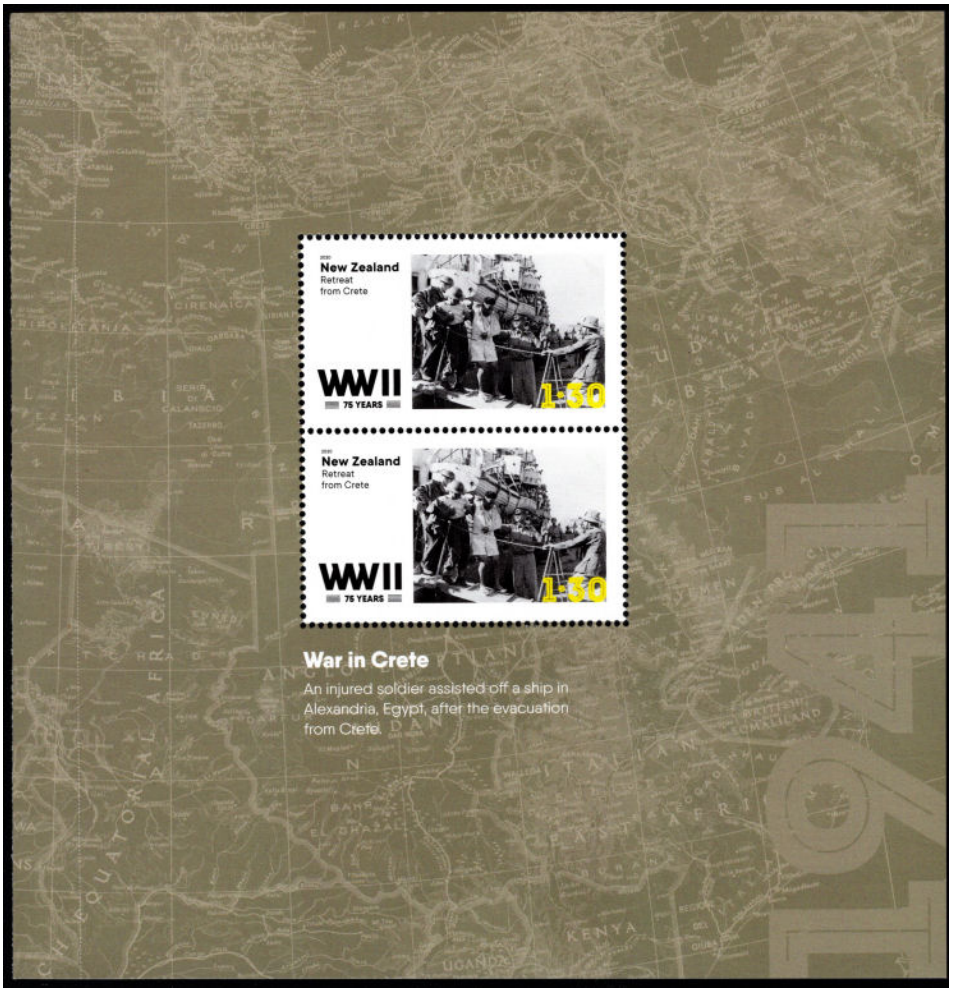
Battle of the River Plate

In Auckland, crowds turned out to welcome HMS *Achilles*, returning to New Zealand after the Battle of the River Plate.



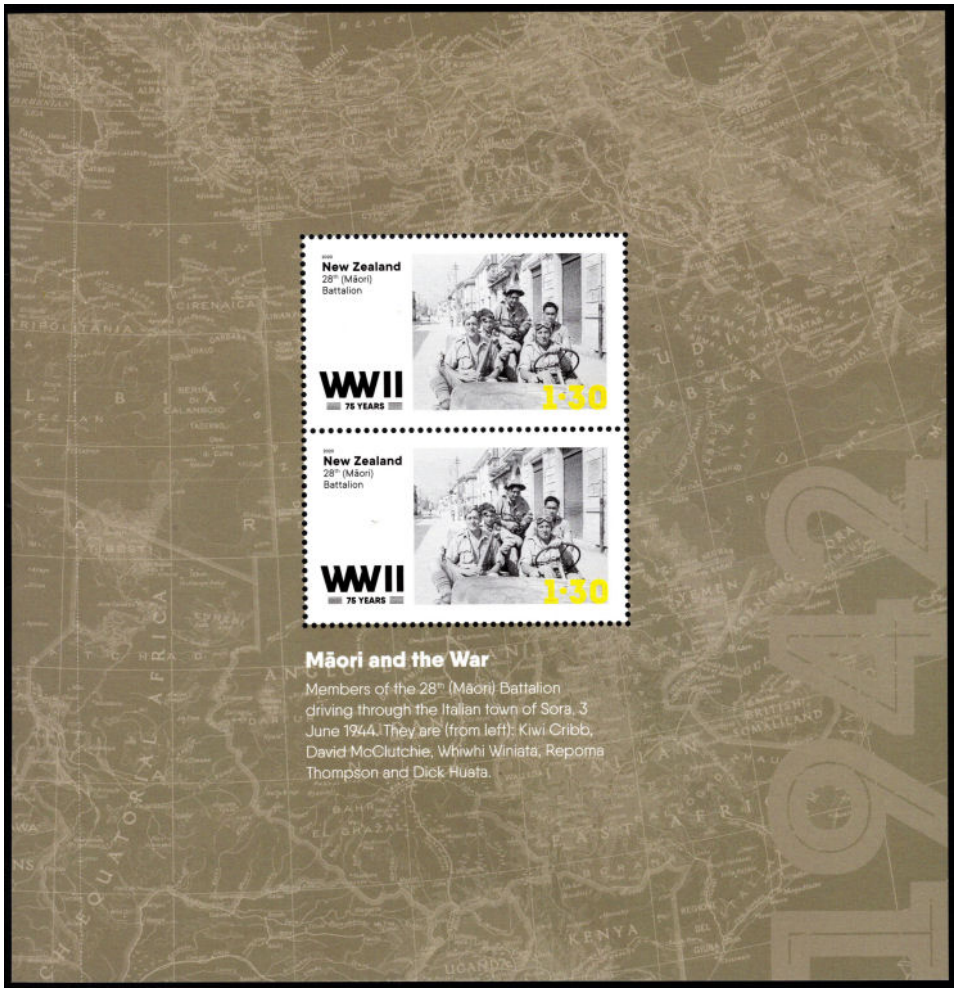
The Battle of Britain

New Zealand fighter pilots beside a Supermarine Spitfire in England, 15 July 1942. A single-seat fighter, the Spitfire established a formidable record during the Battle of Britain. It remains an iconic aircraft.



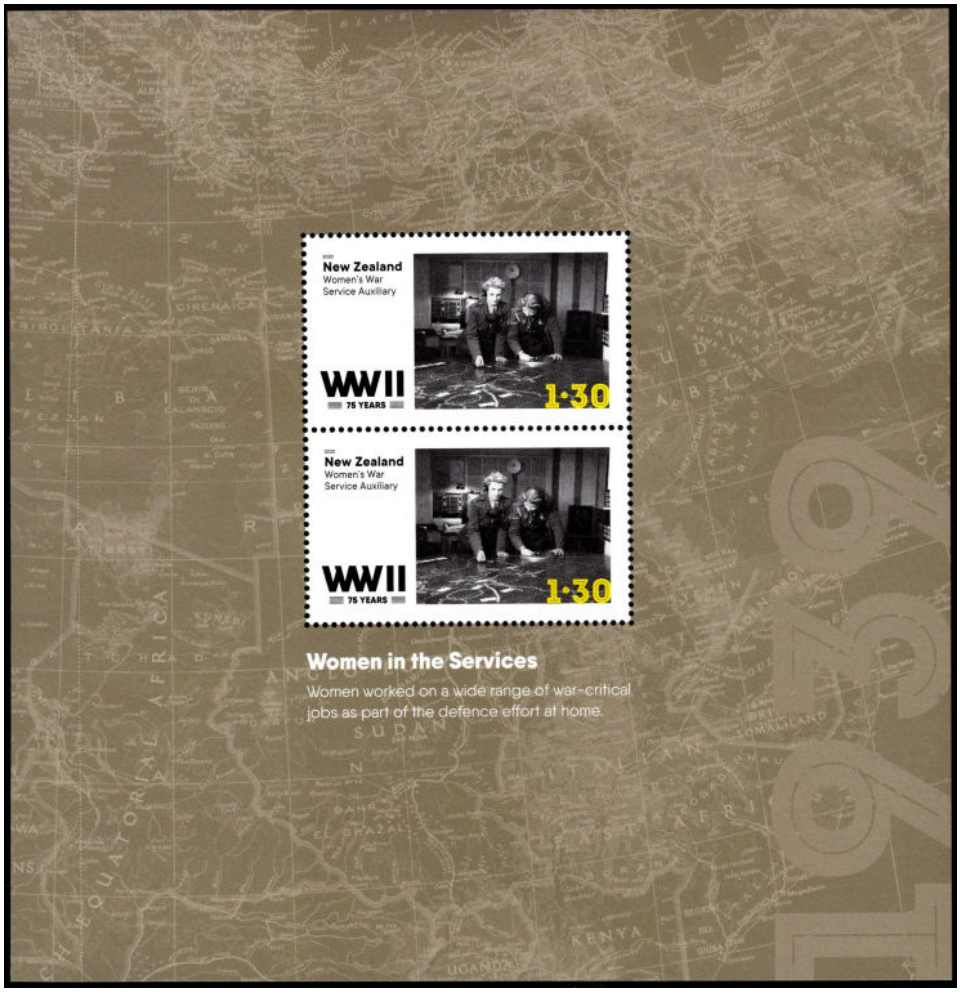
War in Crete

An injured soldier assisted off a ship in Alexandria, Egypt, after the evacuation from Crete.



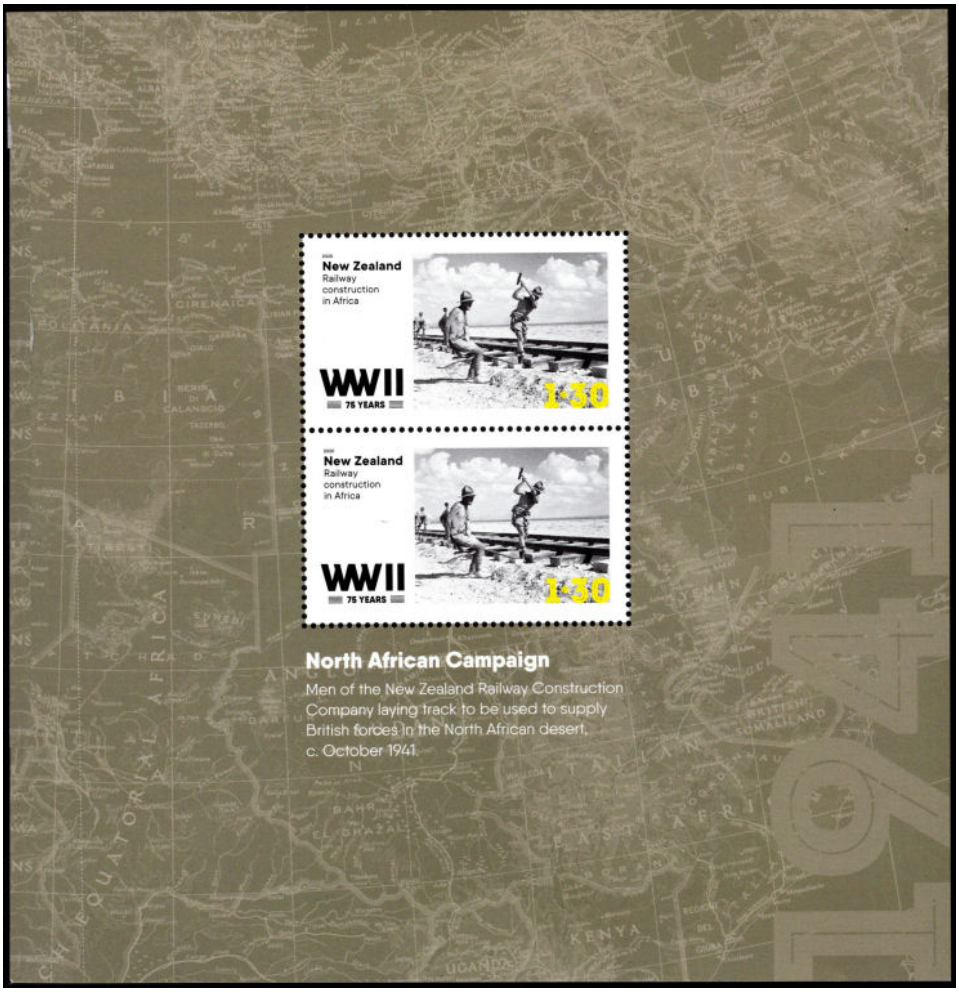
Māori and the War

Members of the 28th (Māori) Battalion driving through the Italian town of Sora, 3 June 1944. They are (from left): Kiwi Cribb, David McClutchie, Whiwhi Winiata, Repoma Thompson and Dick Huata.



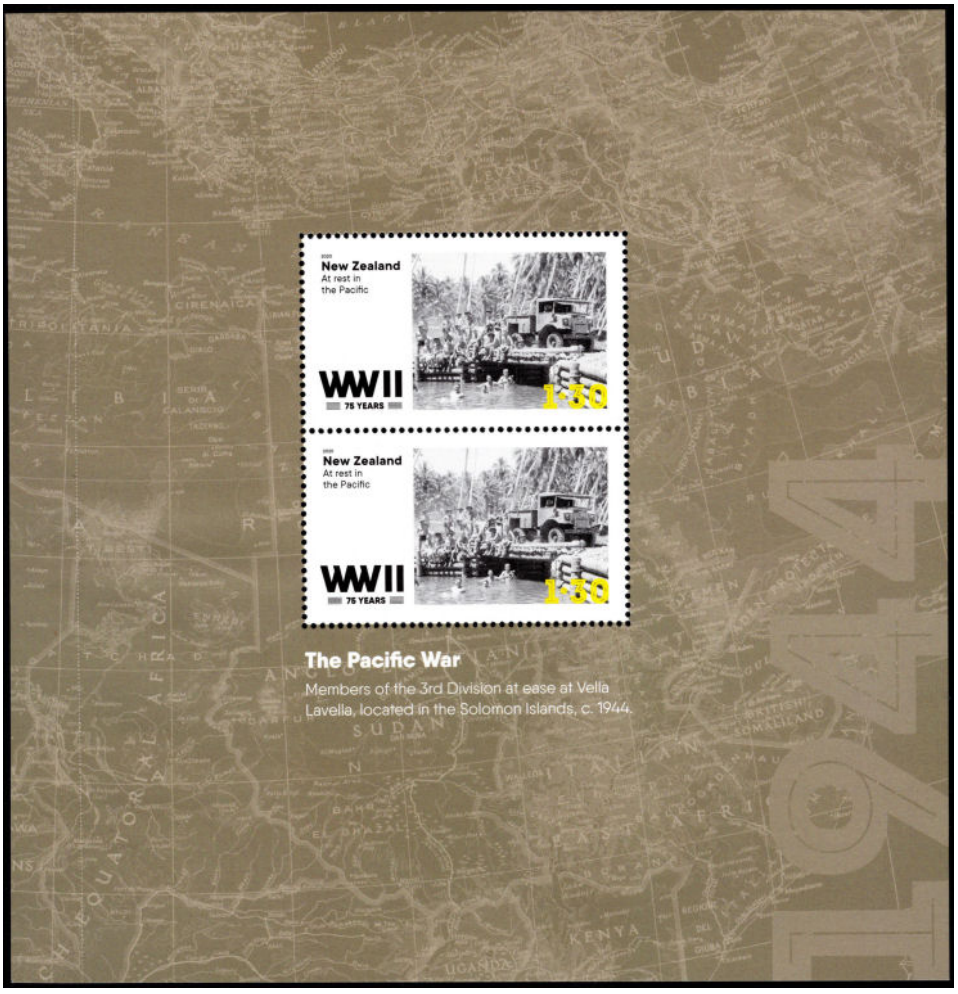
Women in the Services

Women worked on a wide range of war-critical jobs as part of the defence effort at home.



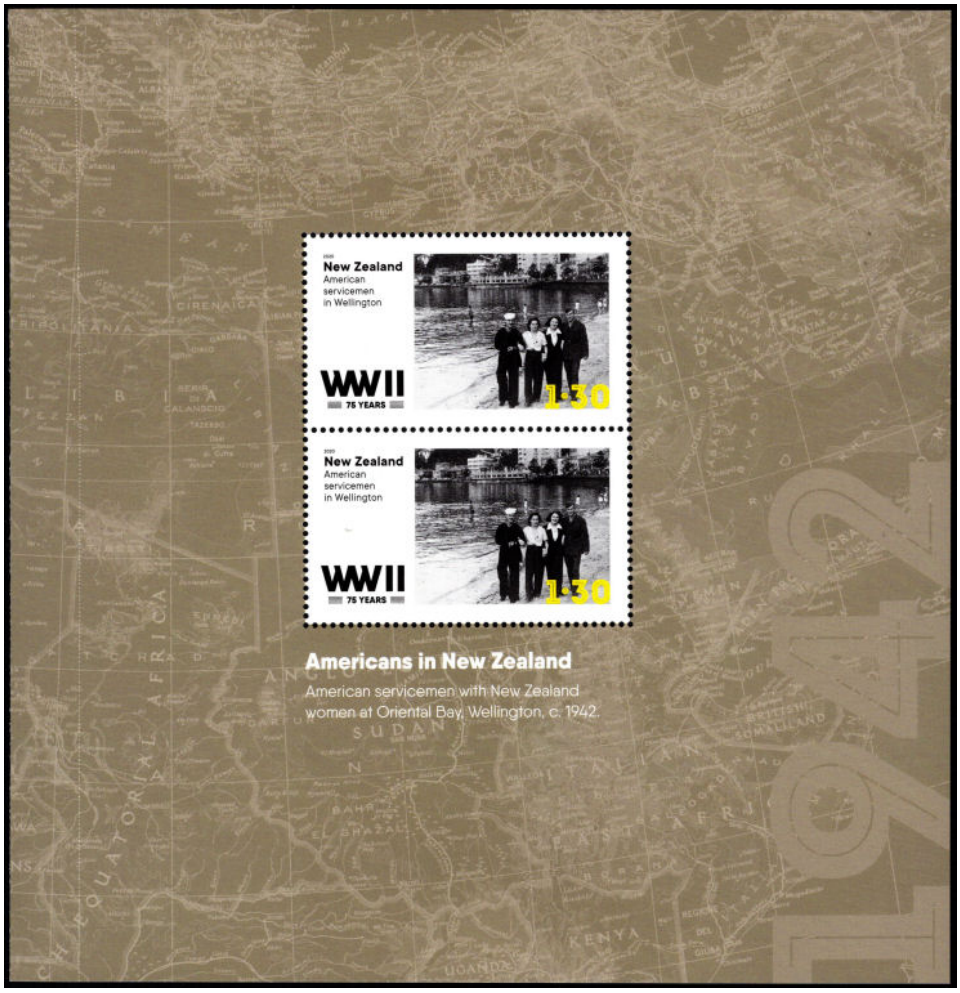
North African Campaign

Men of the New Zealand Railway Construction Company laying track to be used to supply British forces in the North African desert, c. October 1941.



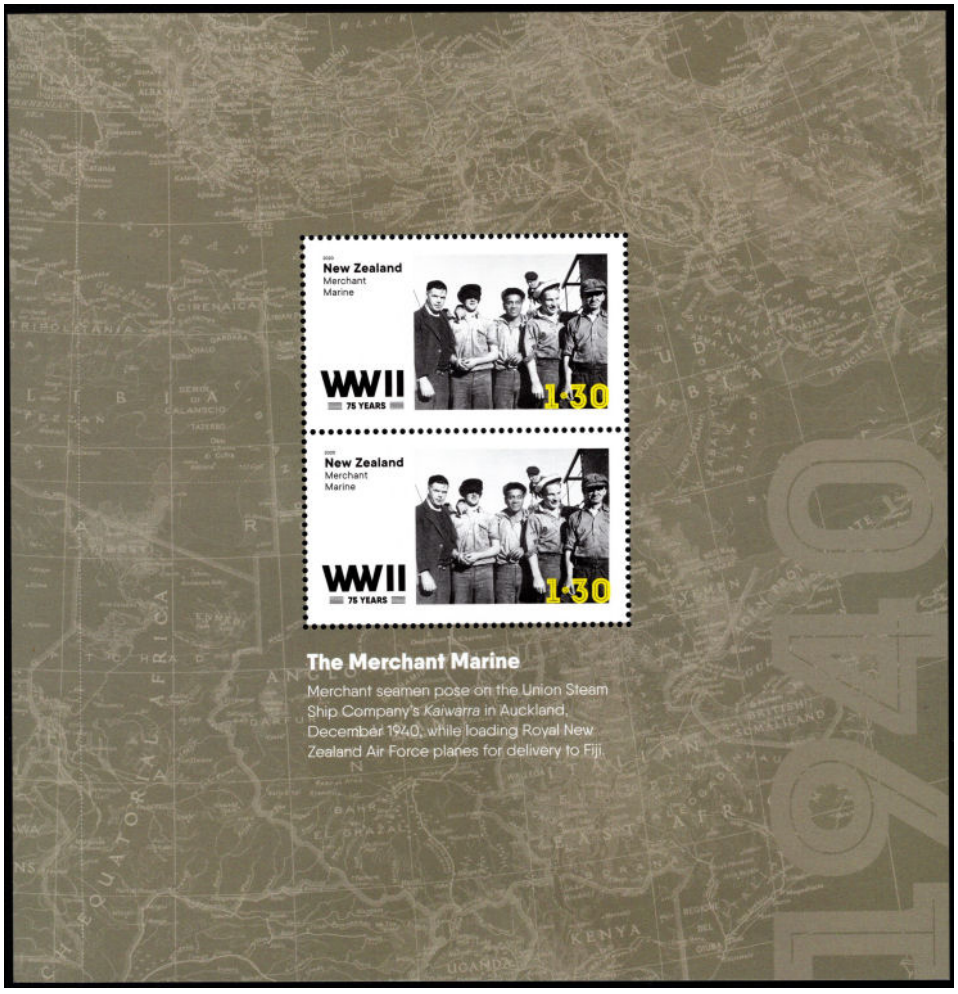
The Pacific War

Members of the 3rd Division at ease at Vella Lavella, located in the Solomon Islands, c. 1944.



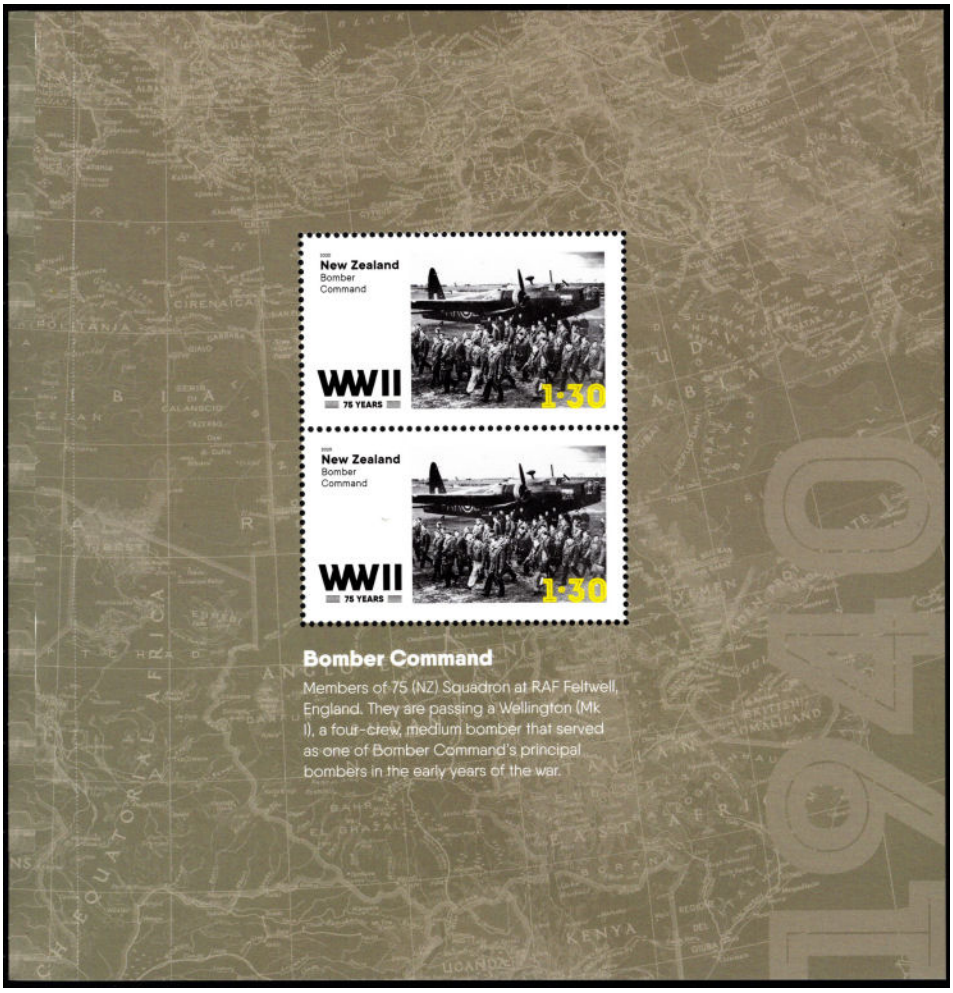
Americans in New Zealand

American servicemen with New Zealand women at Oriental Bay, Wellington, c. 1942.



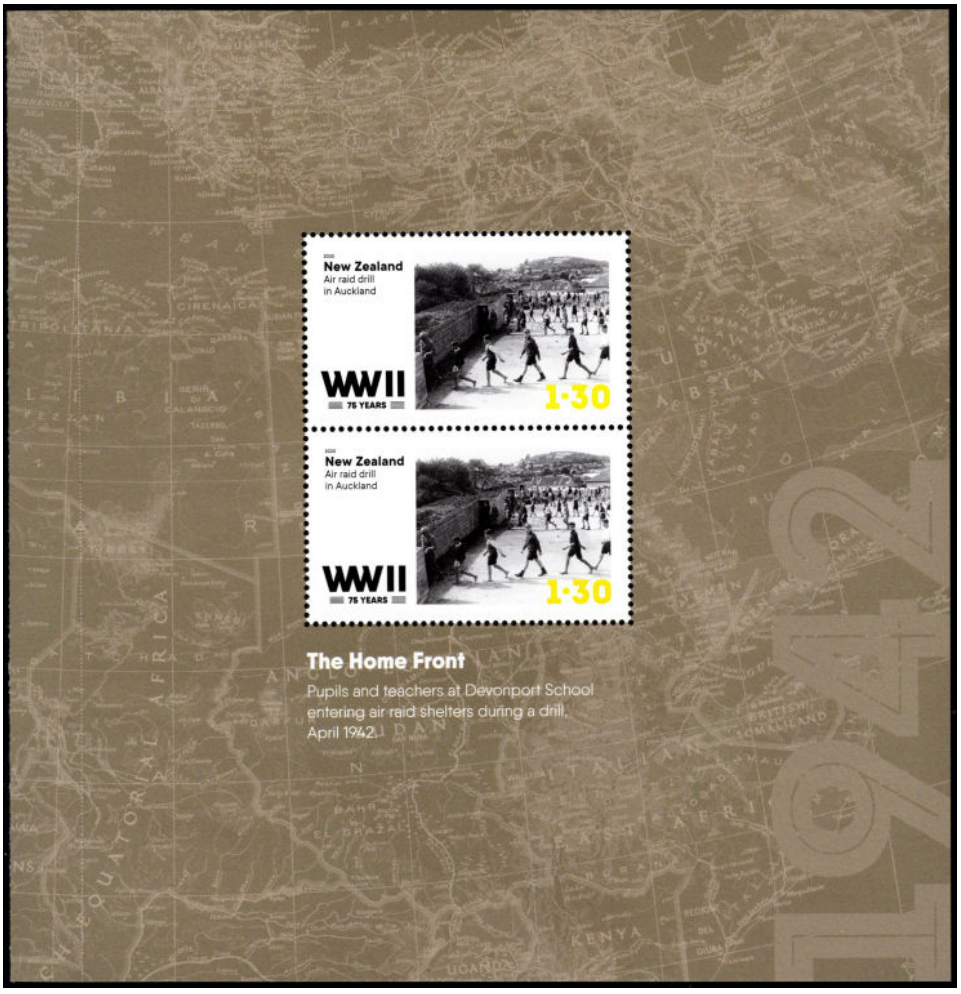
The Merchant Marine

Merchant seamen pose on the Union Steam Ship Company's *Kaiwarra* in Auckland, December 1940, while loading Royal New Zealand Air Force planes for delivery to Fiji.



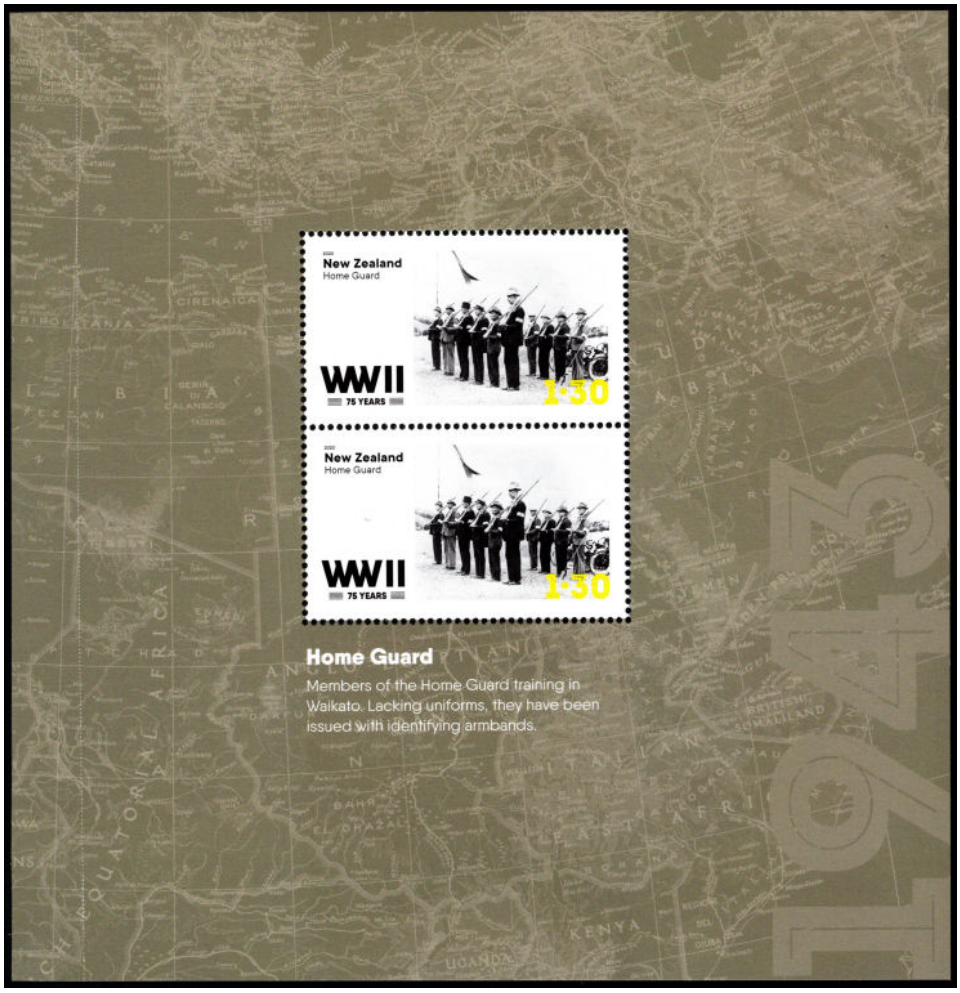
Bomber Command

Members of 75 (NZ) Squadron at RAF Feltwell, England. They are passing a Wellington (Mk I), a four-crew, medium bomber that served as one of Bomber Command's principal bombers in the early years of the war.



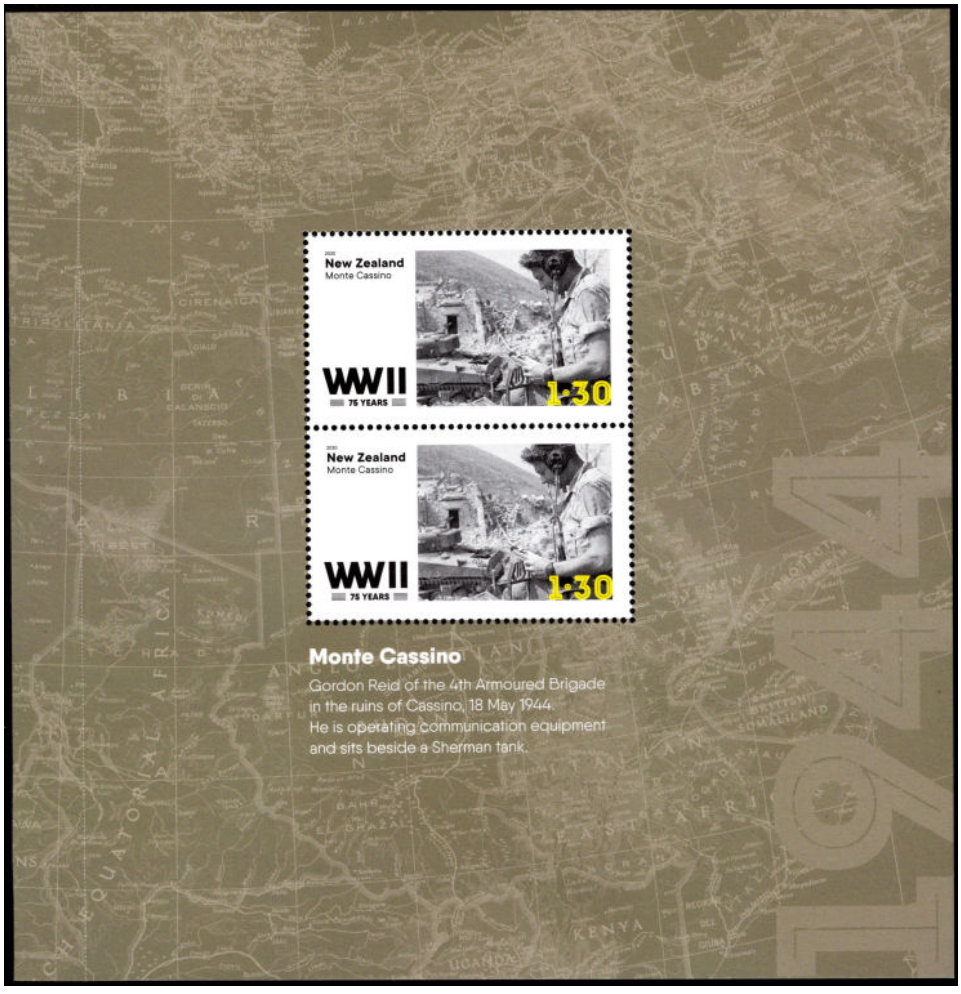
The Home Front

Pupils and teachers at Devonport School entering air raid shelters during a drill, April 1942.



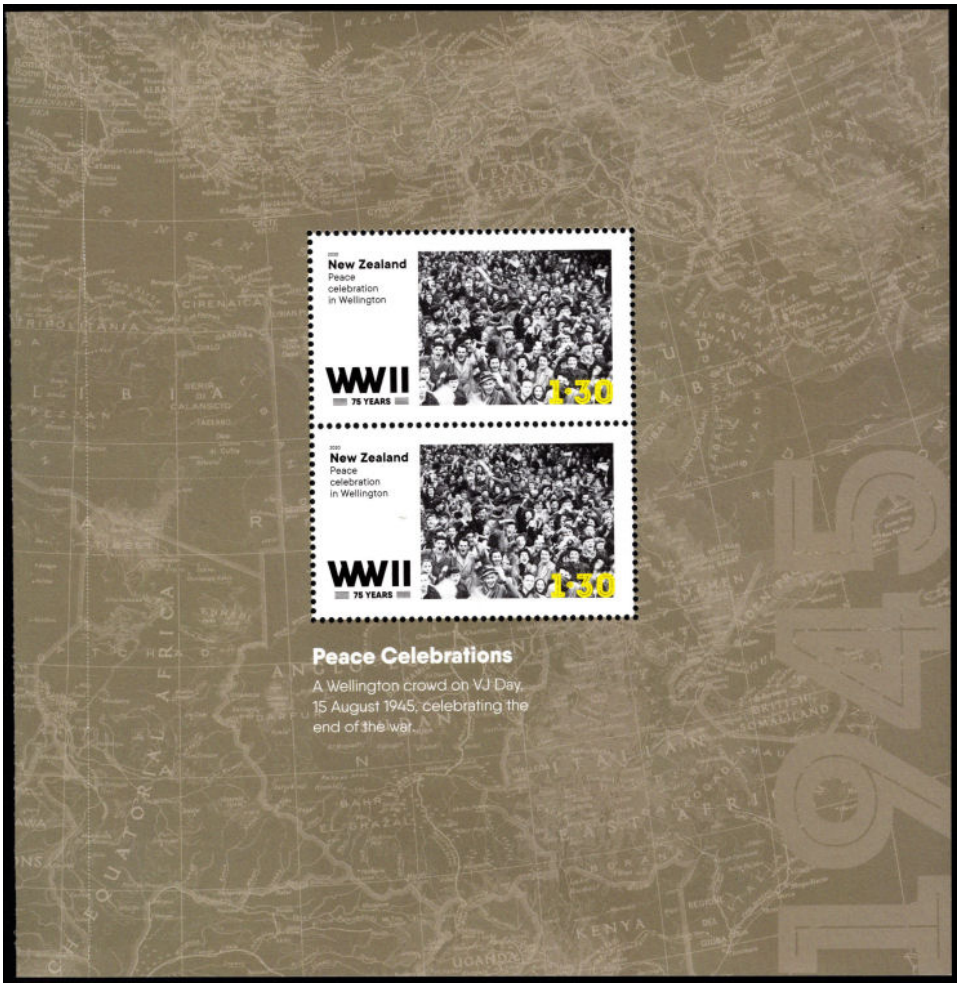
Home Guard

Members of the Home Guard training in Waikato. Lacking uniforms, they have been issued with identifying armbands.



Monte Cassino

Gordon Reid of the 4th Armoured Brigade in the ruins of Cassino, 18 May 1944. He is operating communication equipment and sits beside a Sherman tank.


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A Wellington crowd on VJ Day, 15 August 1945, celebrating the end of the war.
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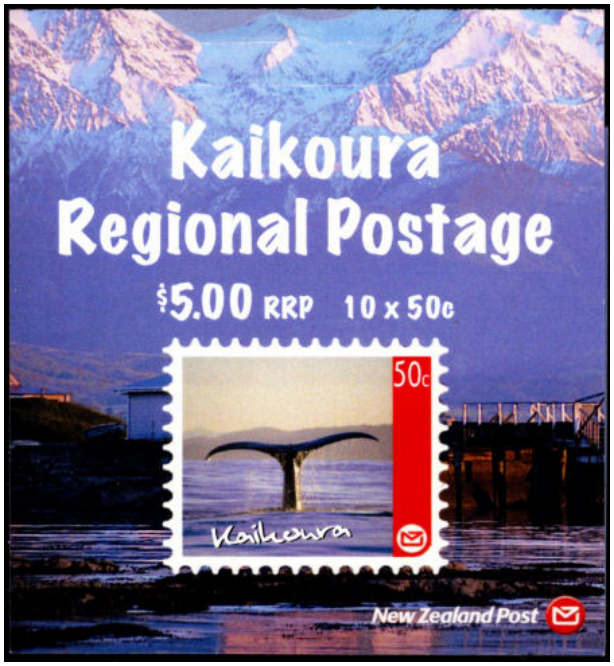


Regional Postage Label Booklets

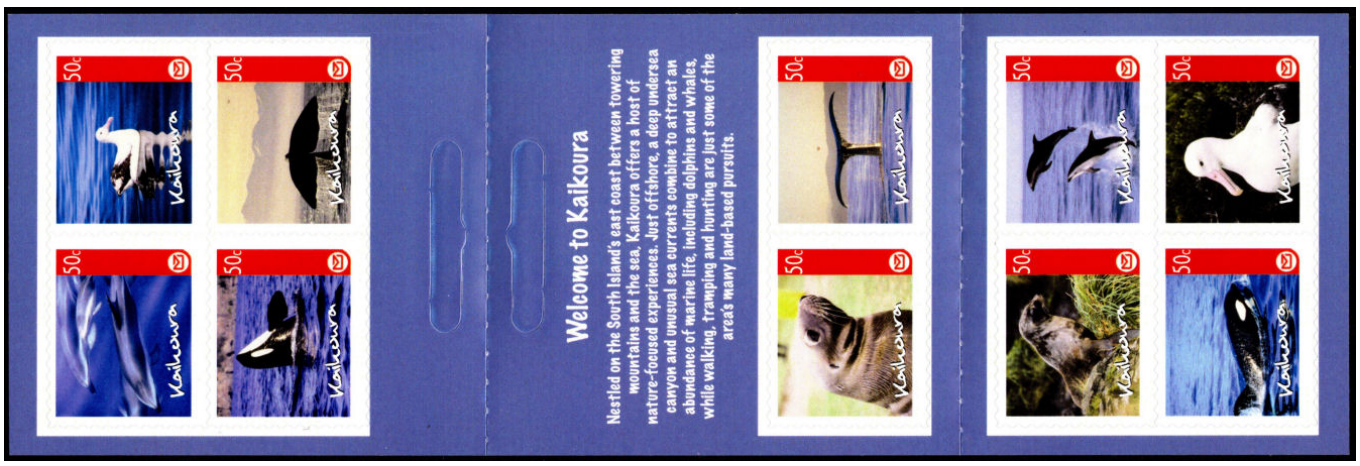
Customised Advertising Labels (CALs) or as they were previously known "Personalised Advertising Labels", had been around since 2004. So when New Zealand Post started getting requests from their PostShops to produce customised labels showing images relevant to their local areas, they decided to do a trial.

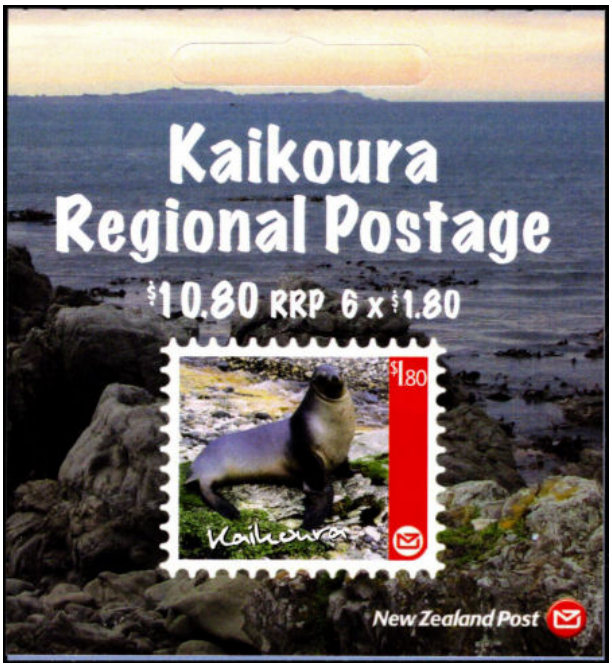
Two booklets were produced, and even though they contained CALs, they were referred to as Regional Postage Labels (RPLs). The trial took place in March 2010, at their Kaikoura outlet. The first $5.00 booklet contained 10 x 50c Kaikoura related images and the second, a $10.80 booklet, contained 6 x $1.80 images. The cover displayed "Kaikoura Regional Postage".

New Zealand Post advised that if the trial was successful, then further "hotspots" were likely to follow. The Kaikoura booklets sold out very quickly, so it would have appeared that the trial was a success, however it would be another four years before any similar booklets would be seen.

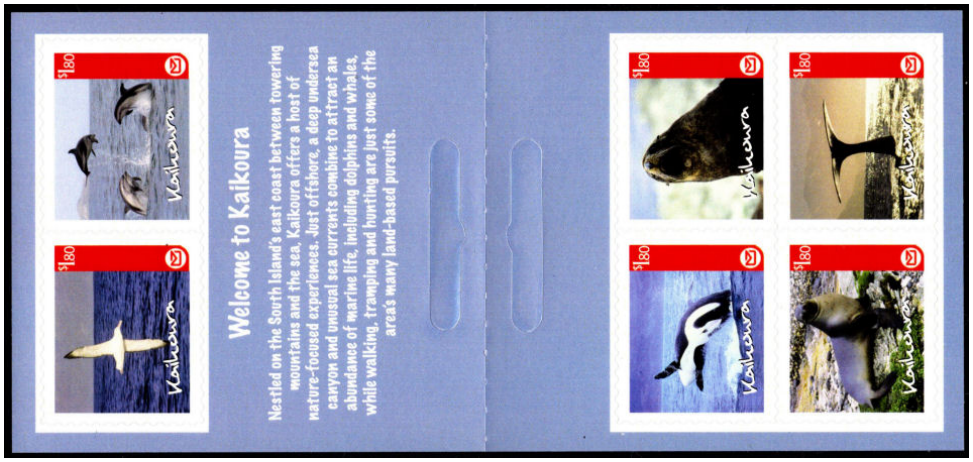












There are more than 80 Visitor Information Centres spread throughout New Zealand. These centres are referred to as "i-Sites". Following the successful trial four years previous, New Zealand Post started producing booklets to distribute through these "i-Sites" aimed at the tourist market. The booklets would contain stamps intended to pay either the internal letter/postcard rate or the international postcard rate.

Photos were supplied by the "i-Site" organisation. The country was basically divided up into nine regions, with ten different scenes being used for the stamps in each regional booklet. A tenth booklet was a generic one covering all of New Zealand, with iconic images.

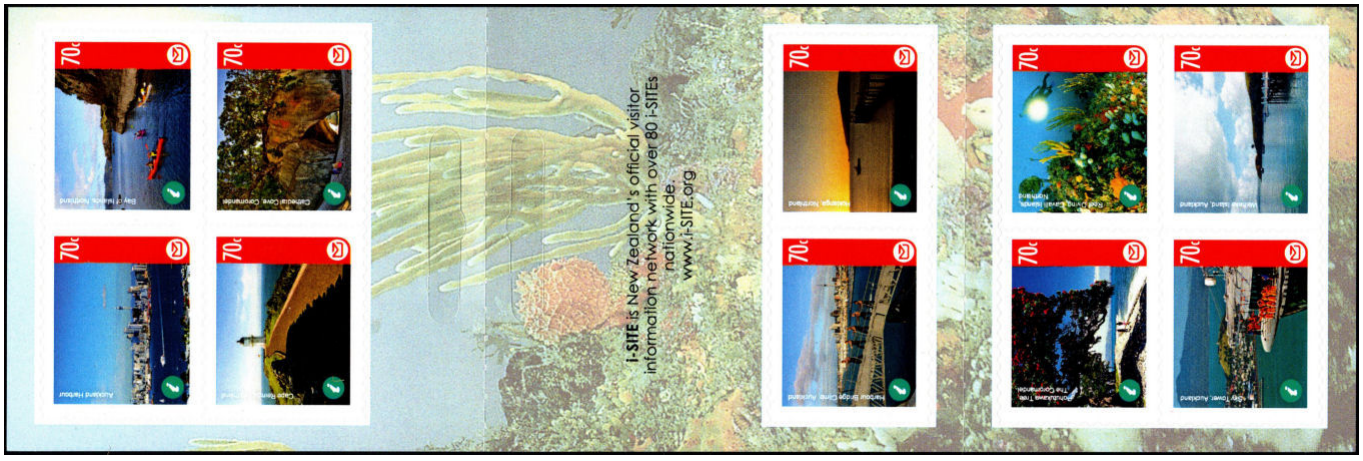
Around April 2014, there were 20 booklets produced. Ten with ten different 70c stamps and a further ten with ten $1.90 stamps. In each case, the 70c stamps and the $1.90 stamps used the same images.

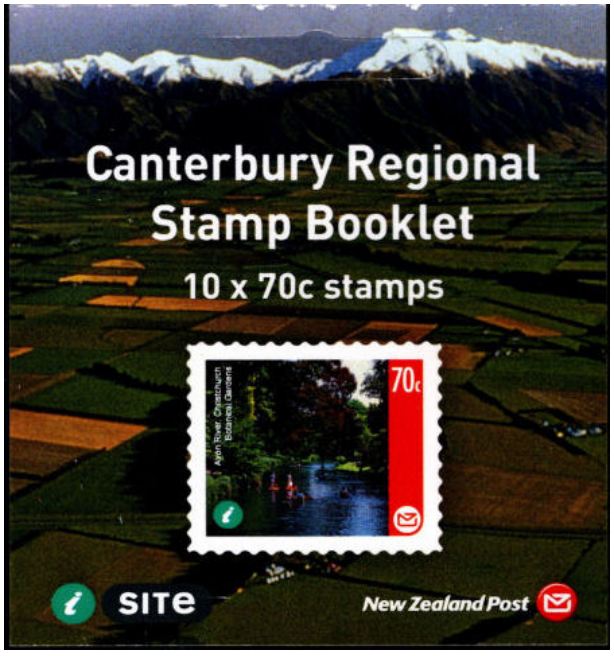
The regions issued were Auckland/Northland & Coromandel, Canterbury, Eastern/Central North Island, Lower South Island, Taranaki, Top Of South, Waikato, Wellington, West Coast & the generic New Zealand. The 10 x $7.00 booklets for these regions are shown on the next few pages.





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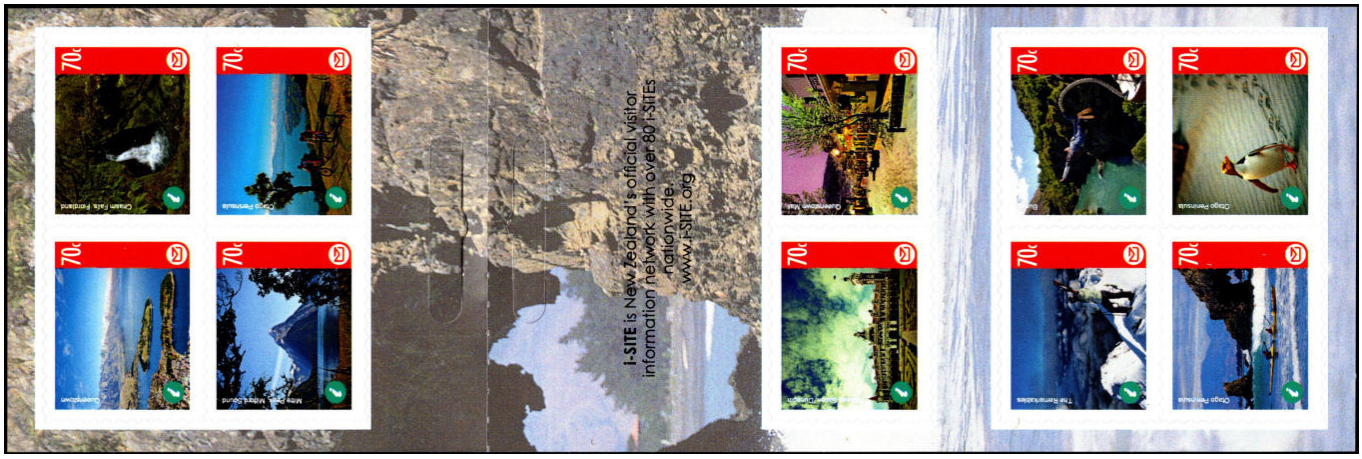
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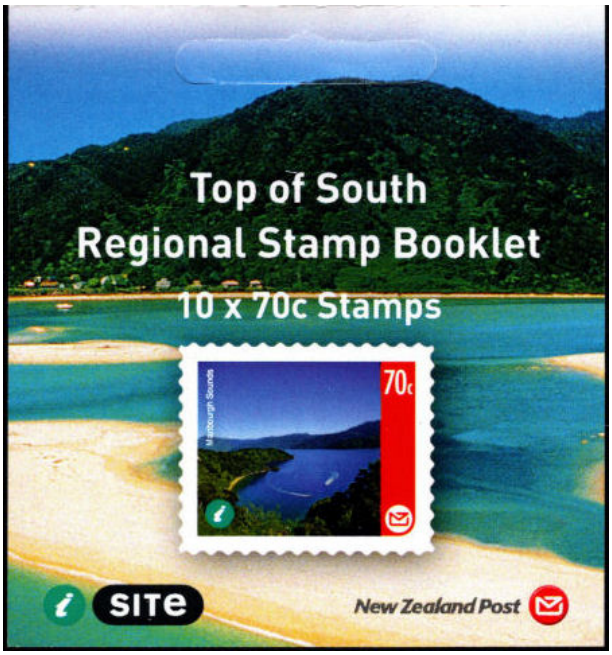






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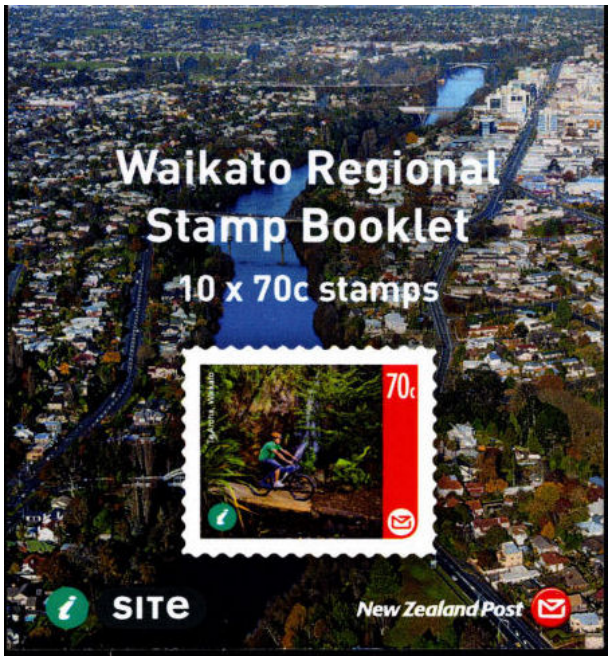

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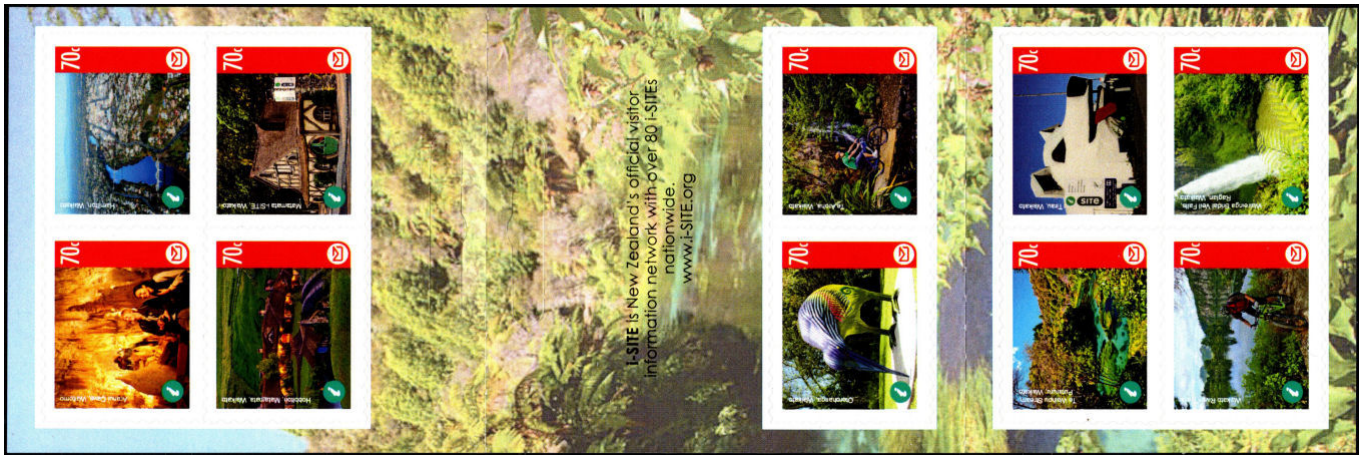
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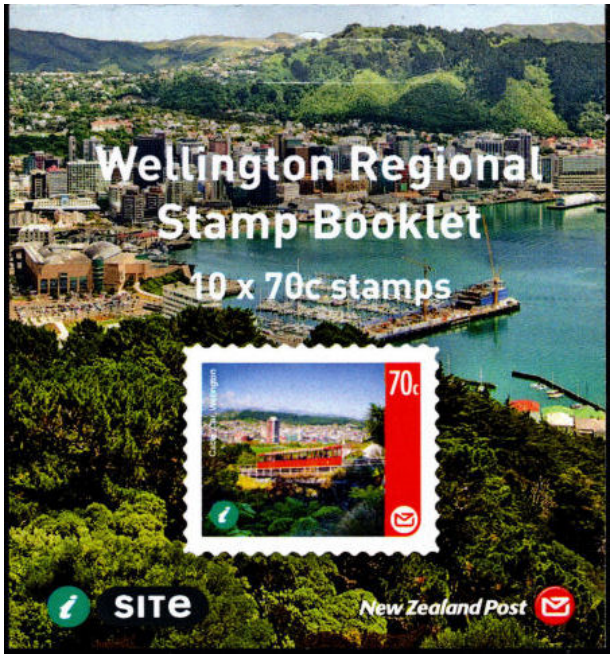

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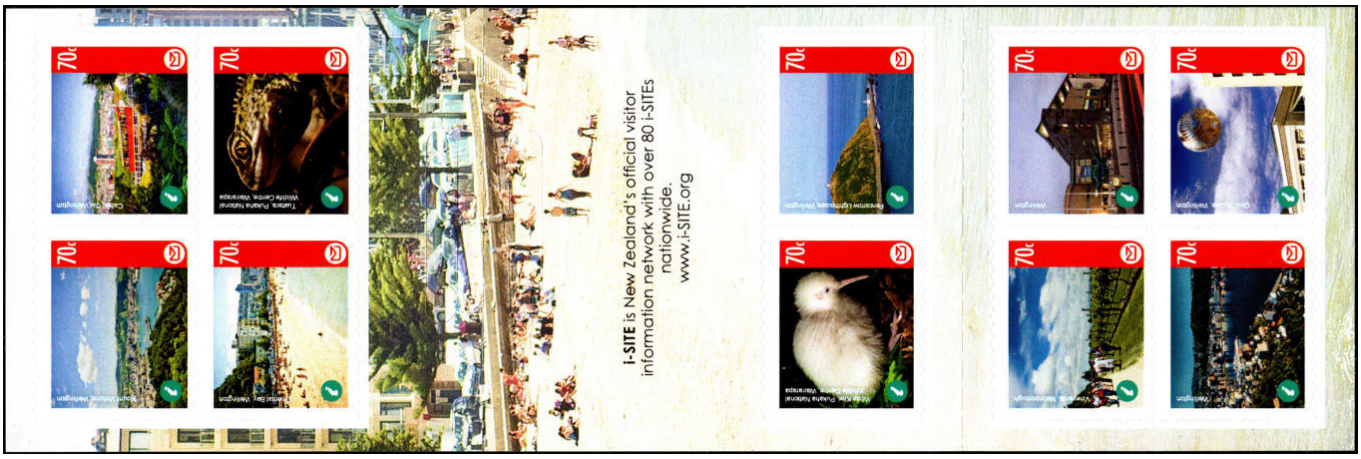
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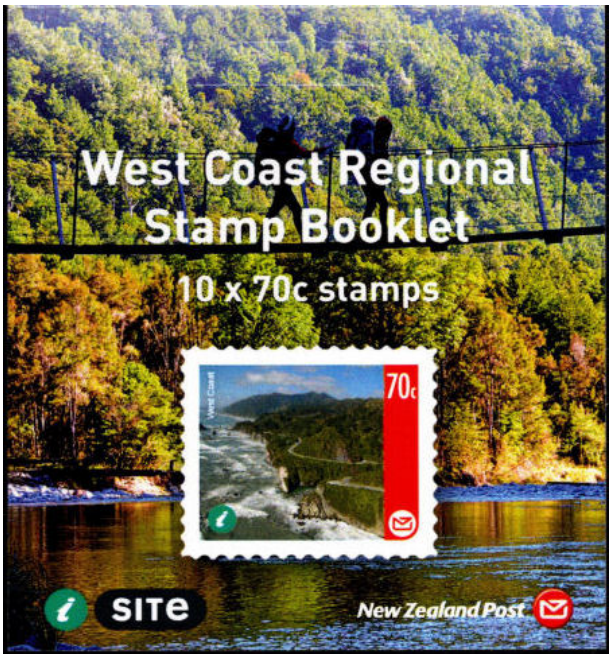






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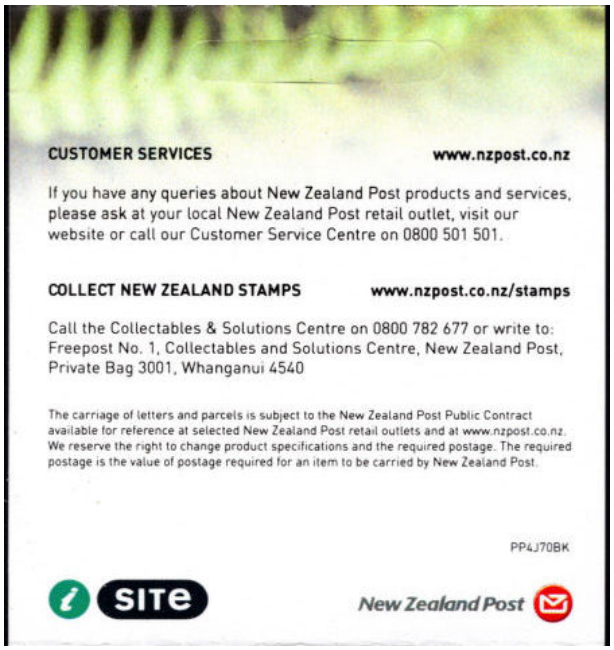




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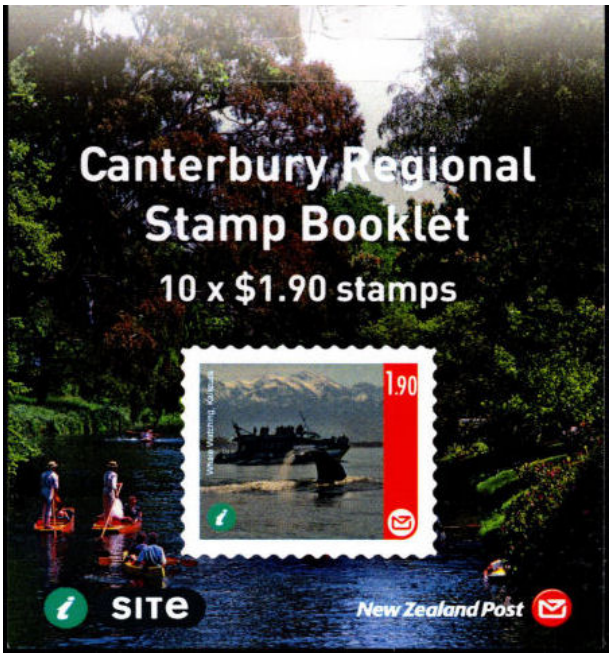
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The product code for the $7.00 West Coast booklet on the previous page was incorrect. It had the code for the $19.00 West Coast booklet.

The $19.00 booklets used the same stamp images as the $7.00 booklets. Only the covers were revised, a different stamp from the set was used. There were different product codes on the reverse. As for the stamps themselves, the only differences were the values shown in the right-hand red panel of each of the designs.



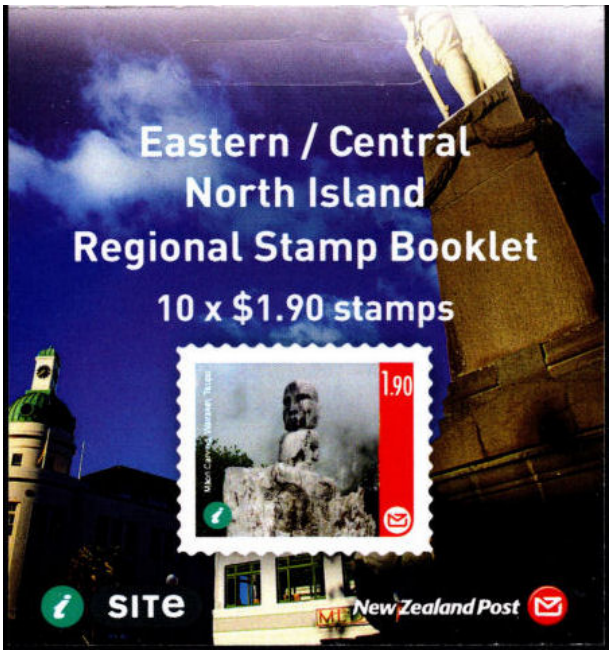




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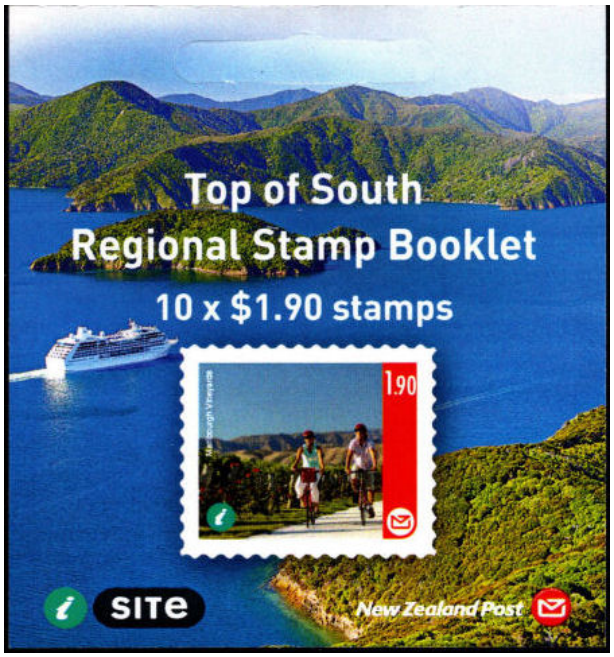


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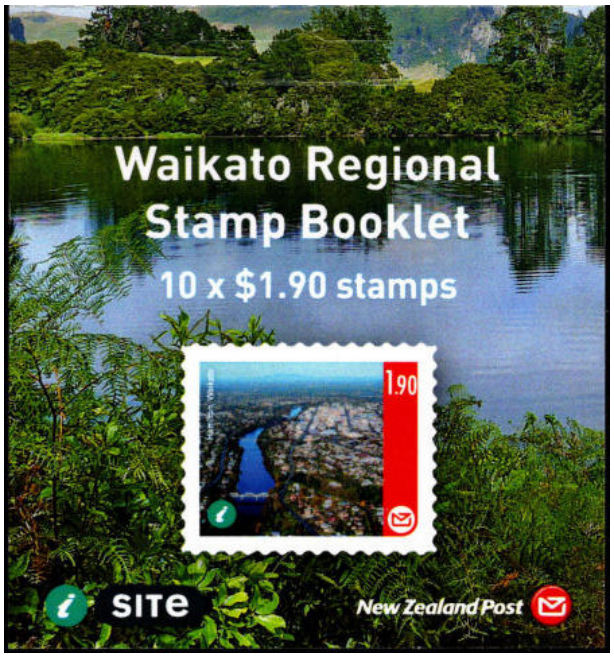




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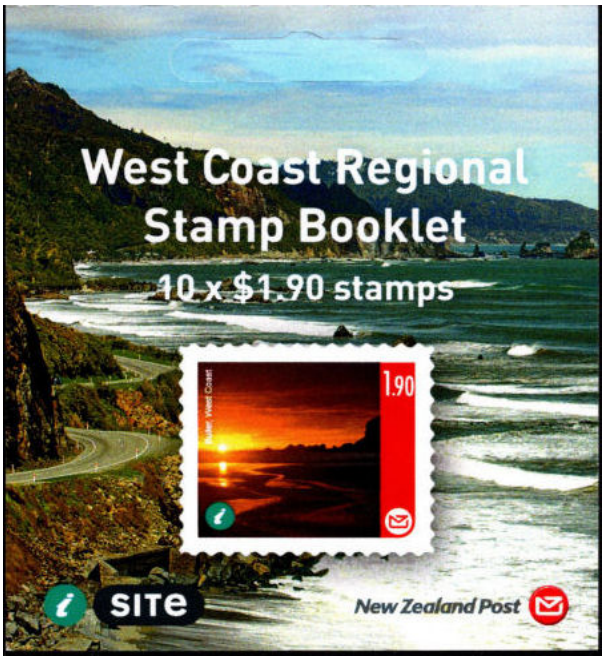




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These $7.00 and $19.00 booklets had a very short lifespan, as the postage rates were increased on July 1, 2014. Quite a few of the "Visitor Information Centres" had not even received their stock.

The inland standard letter rate rose from 70c to 80c and the international postcard rate rose from $1.90 to $2.00.

So the whole exercise was repeated with the issue of another 20 booklets, now displaying the revised postage rates. Ten $8.00 booklets and ten $20.00 booklets.

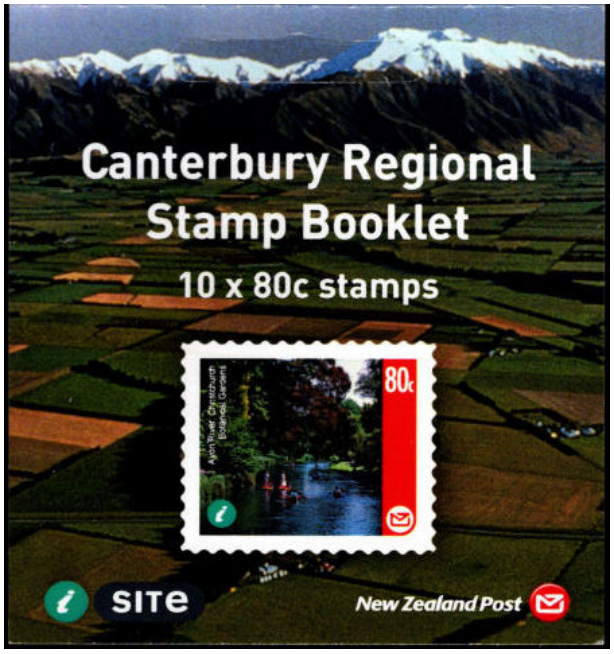
There was one significant change between this release and the original release. The "Taranaki" booklet was renamed the "Western North Island" booklet. The reason for this was that of the images included, only five of them were from the Taranaki region, the other five were from the Manawatu and Whanganui areas.

Another change was the introduction of a barcode on the reverse, with the product code placed just above it.

There were a number of discrepancies on the artwork for the covers and the stamps and these are shown later in this section.


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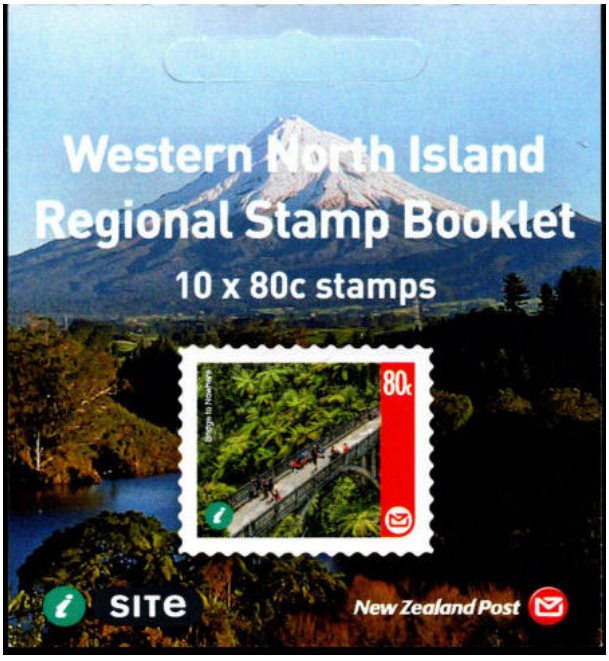

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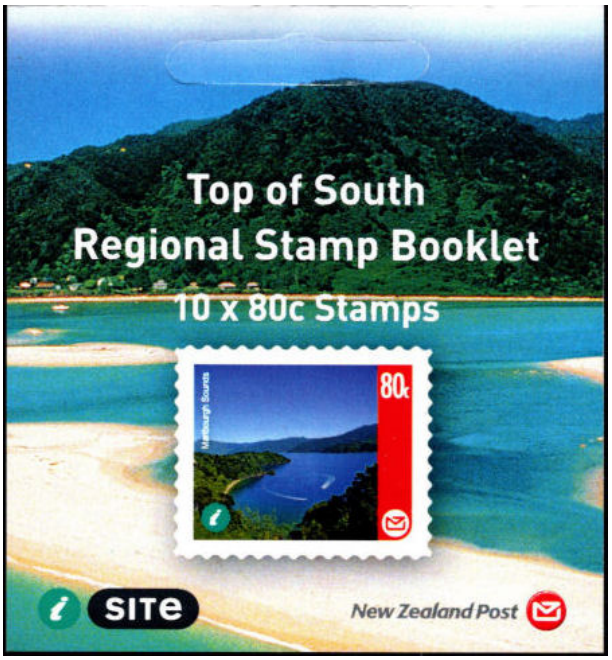

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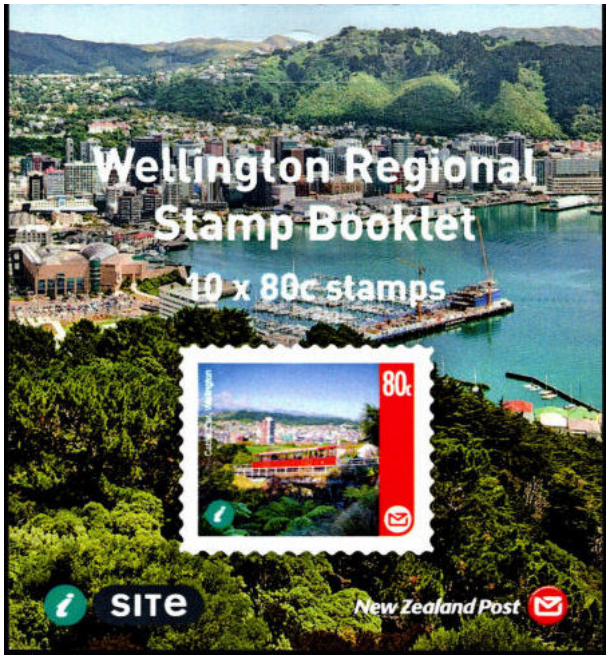

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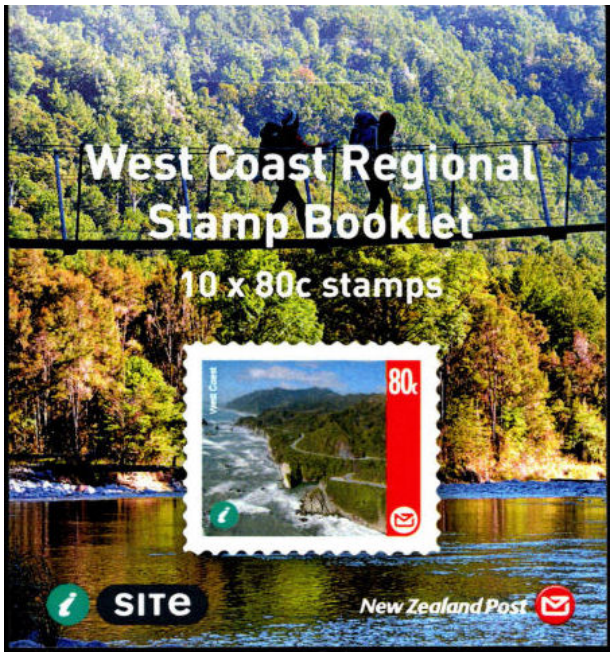

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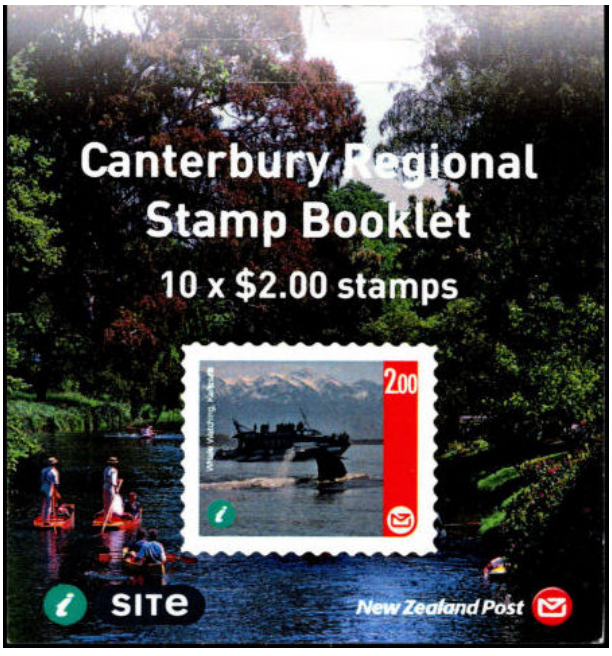

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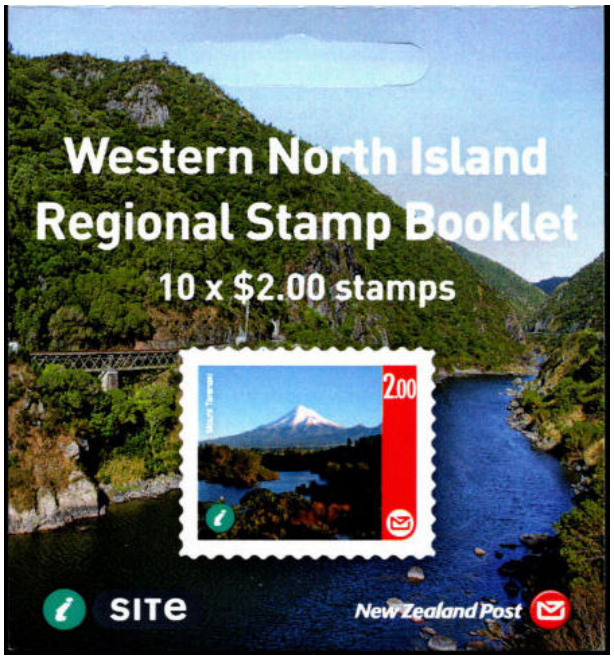

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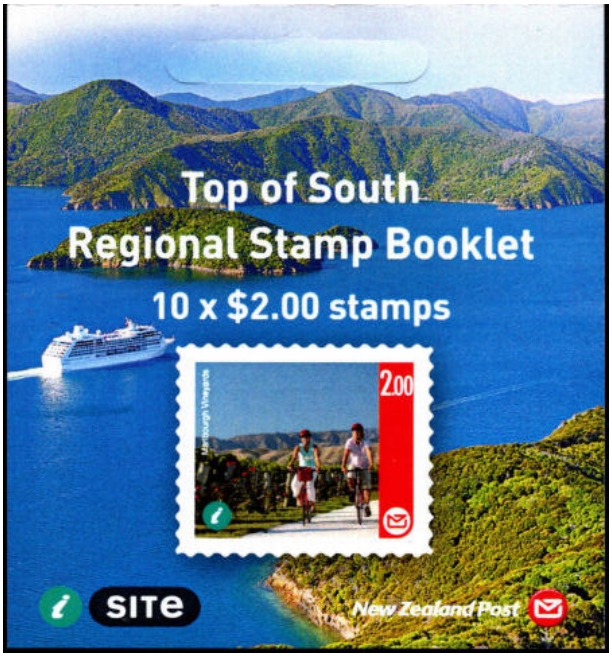

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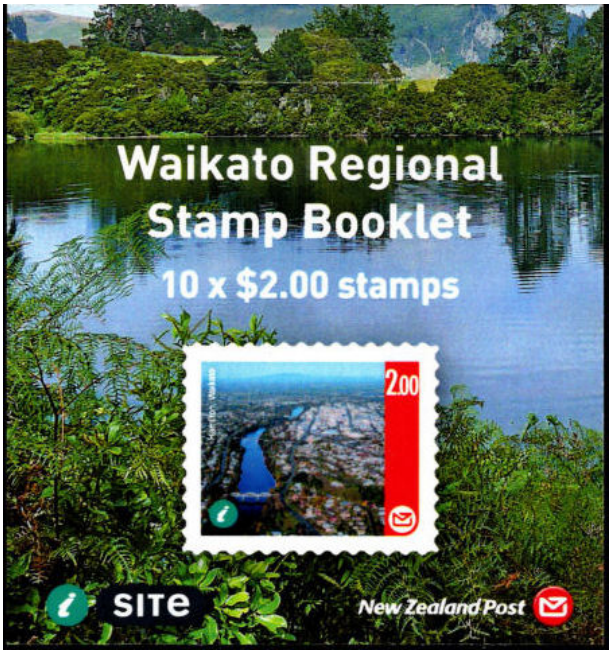

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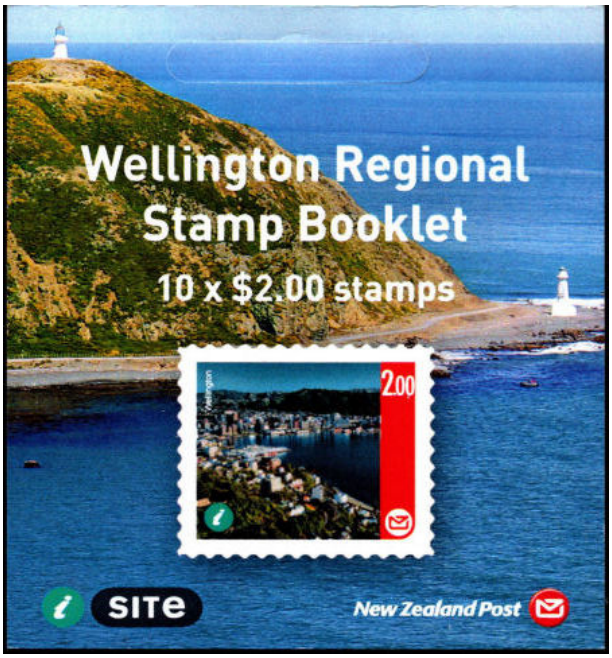

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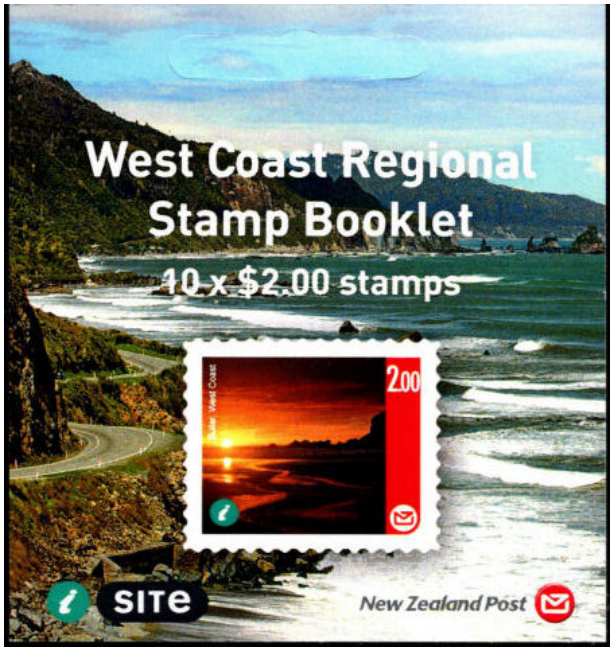

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Two years went by with these booklets selling quite well to the tourist market. July 2016 saw another rate change. The inland standard letter rate rose from 80c to $1.00 and the international postcard rate rose from $2.00 to $2.20.

Other than the rate changes. the only other change was a new barcode and product code on the reverse. The covers and reverses are shown for completeness.


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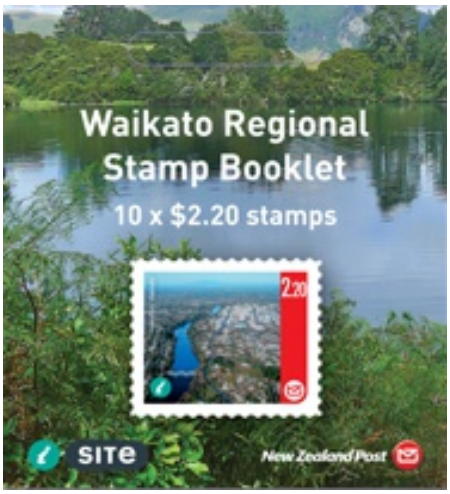

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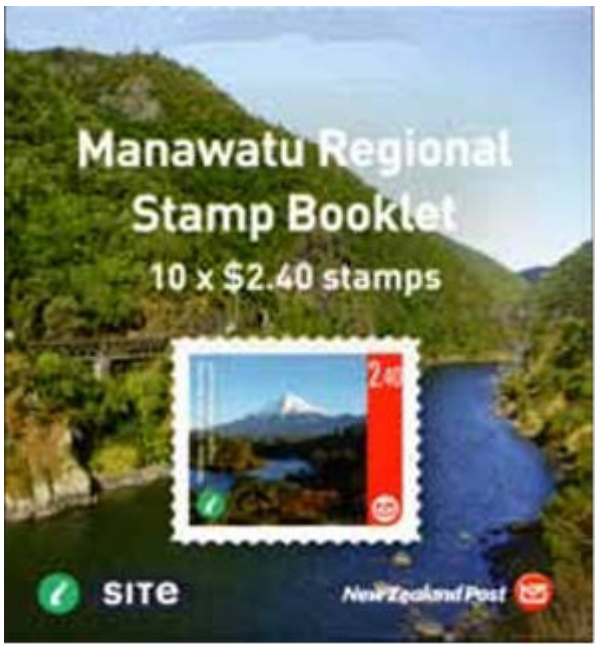
Once again, as is inevitable, postage rates were increased on July 1, 2018. The inland standard letter rate rose from $1.00 to $1.20 and the international postcard rate rose from $2.20 to $2.40.

This was the fourth iteration of these booklets and it was expected that the 20 booklets would be reprinted with new denominations. But two things happened. The Taranaki booklet from the first print, that became Western North Island for the second and third print, reverted back to Taranaki for this fourth print, and a new region was introduced with the production of a new Manawatu booklet. That now made 22 booklets.

The Taranaki booklet has a new cover image, but the stamp on the cover is the same as previously used on the Western North Island booklet. The inside contents include two images of Mount Taranaki taken from the previous booklet and repeated as alternating pairs.

The Manawatu booklet has ten new images inside, but the designers chose to use the almost the same image for the cover, as the Taranaki booklet. The difference is the inscription on the cover stamp. On the Taranaki booklet it says "Mount Taranaki", whereas on the Manawatu booklet it says "Manawatu River from Vaucluse Heights, Palmerston North". For the first time we have a booklet with a stamp on the cover, that does not appear as an actual stamp inside. What is interesting is that the "Manawatu River from Vaucluse Heights, Palmerston North" description does appear on the eighth stamp in the booklet, which is the "Manawatu River".







Taranaki



Manawatu

The other nine $1.20 booklets and the other nine $2.40 booklets are the same as previously displayed, apart from the demoninations and the barcode/product codes on the reverse.

Withs CALs no longer produced after June 2019, no further releases of these booklets have been issued.

Quality control and proof checking was not very prevalent with the i-Site Booklets. There are a number of spelling errors and caption variations throughout the issues. These must have been quite an embarrassment to New Zealand Post, as the booklets were designed for the tourist market, and this did not set a good example, especially when the errors were also on the covers.

Auckland / Northland & Coromandel Booklet

The front covers of the 70c and 80c booklets show the stamp from row 4/1 with a caption in one line reading 'Pohutukawa Tree, Coromandel' whereas the actual stamp within the booklet has a caption in two lines reading 'Pohutukawa Tree, The Coromandel'. Later releases of the "Auckland" booklet used a diiferent stamp on the cover.









Canterbury Booklet

Two of the ten stamps in this booklet have scenes of Kaikoura. The stamp at row 4/1 has an incorrect spelling, with the caption reading 'Kaikora, Canterbury' (missing 'u') in all eight values, i.e. 70c, 80c, $1.00, $1.20, $1.90, $2.00, $2.20 and $2.40. The correct spelling is used in the caption for the stamp at row 5/2 'Whale Watching, Kaikoura'.





Wellington Booklet

The stamp at row 4/1 in the Wellington booklet has the caption 'Vineyards, Martinborough', which is correctly spelt in the $1.90 and $2.00 booklets, but wrongly spelt as 'Vineyards, Matinborough' (missing 'r') in the 70c and 80c booklets. This error was corrected in later booklets.









Lower South Island Booklet

In the Lower South Island Regional Booklet, the stamp at row 3/1 has a spelling error in the caption which reads 'Railway Sation, Dunedin'. It is difficult to read the word “Railway”, but the error of spelling, 'Sation' instead of 'Station' is clear. This error was never fixed during the life of the booklets.





Top Of South Booklet

In the Top Of South booklet, there is a spelling error on the first stamp in row 1. "Abel" is spelt incorrectly as "Able" on the 70c and 80c stamps, but is correct on the $1.90 and $2.00 stamps. The error was corrected for the next release of booklets.









In the same booklet, seven stamps have the text, "Marlborough" on them. Three of those seven are spelt incorrectly on the 70c and 80c stamps, but are correct on the $1.90 and $2.00 stamps. The errors were corrected for the next release of booklets. The first shown is row 4 stamp 2.









Row 3, stamps 1 & 2





Marlbourgh Sounds

Marlbourgh Vineyards





Marlborough Sounds

Marlborough Vineyards

Customised Advertising Labels (CALs) Booklets

CALs were produced from 2004 until 2019. They generally took the format of being gummed or self-adhesive sheets. During this period, there were also 16 different booklets produced. The first of these came in June 2009, surprising some collectors, who didn't know that booklets were an option. It was for a customer, Maui Gas. They were celebrating 30 years of gas for New Zealand. Printed by Southern Colour Print, it looked like a regular New Zealand Post booklet.



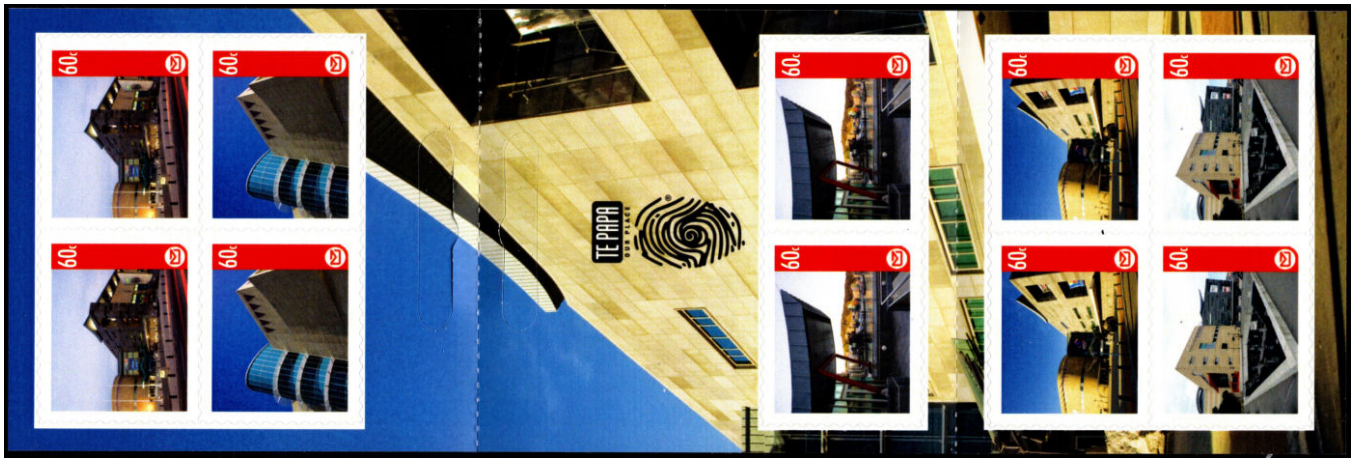




November 2010, saw the release of a $6.00 booklet for the Te Papa Museum, Wellington. The cover measured 75mm x 70mm, as opposed to the 78mm x 58mm of the previous booklet. This new measurement became the standard size for all other CAL booklets.







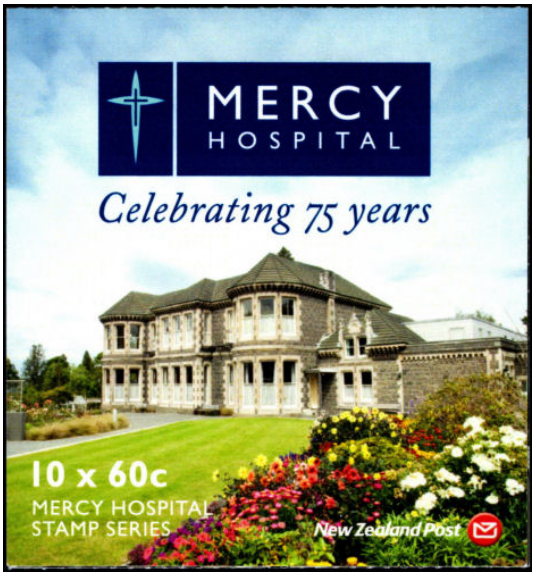
December 2010, a $6.00 New Zealand Customs Service, protecting New Zealand borders for 170 years, was released.







July 2011, a $6.00 Mercy Hospital Dunedin, celebrating 75 years.







January 30, 2012, the Heart Foundation produced a $6.00 booklet that sold for $7.00. The $1.00 extra going to charity.



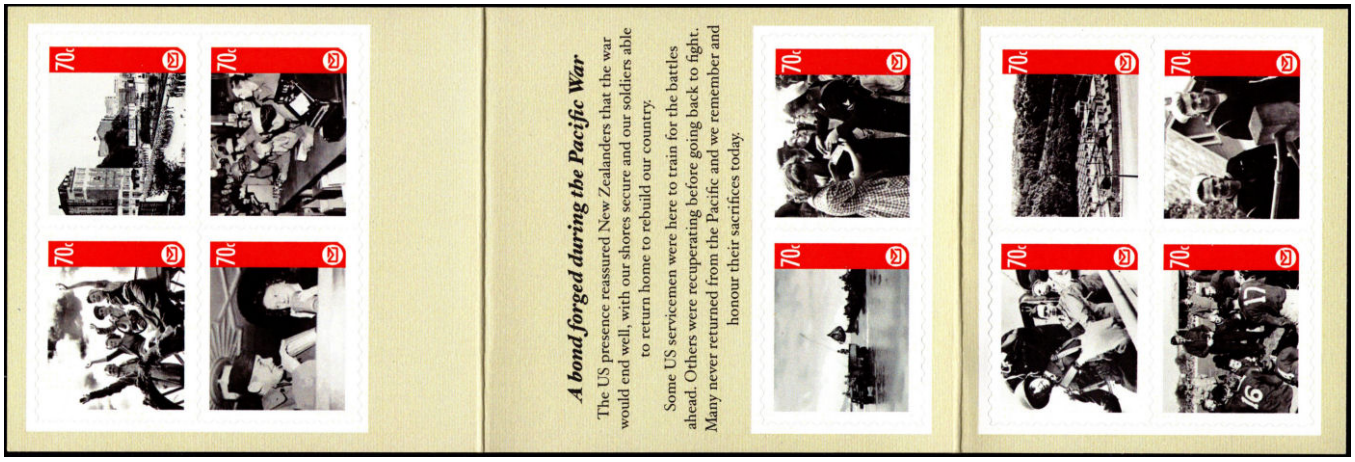




July 2012, a $7.00 booklet, 70th Anniversary Commemorations of US Forces in New Zealand.







July, 2012, after the rate change, the Heart Foundation produced a $7.00 booklet that sold for $8.00. The $1.00 extra going to charity.



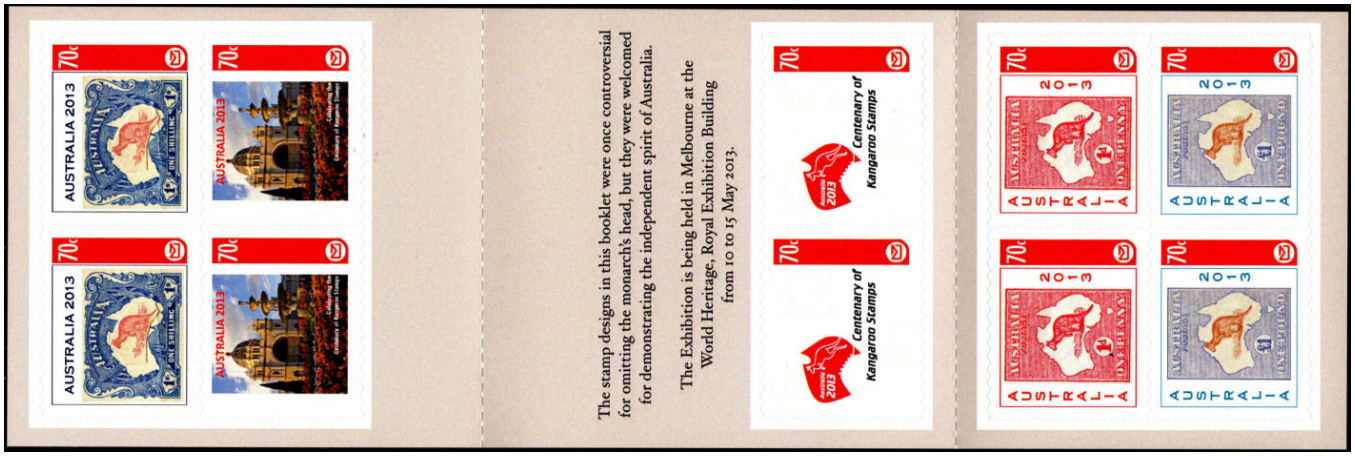




March 26, 2013, a $7.00 booklet, released at the Australia 2013 Exhibition in Melbourne, to celebrate the Centenary of Kangaroo Stamps.







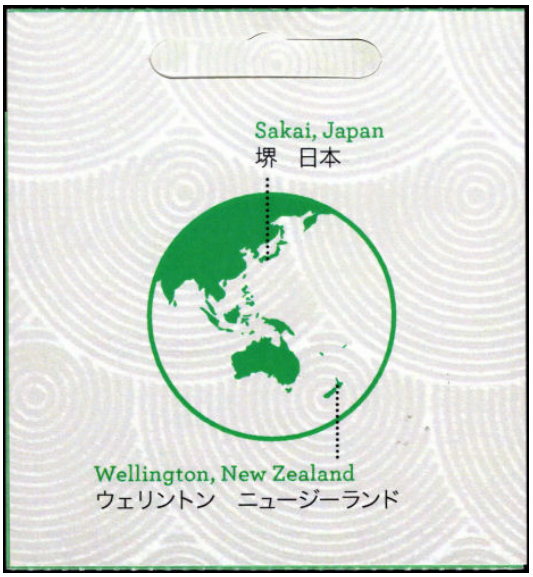
June 30, 2014, after another rate change, the Heart Foundation produced their third version of their booklet. An $8.00 booklet that sold for $9.00. The $1.00 extra going to charity.

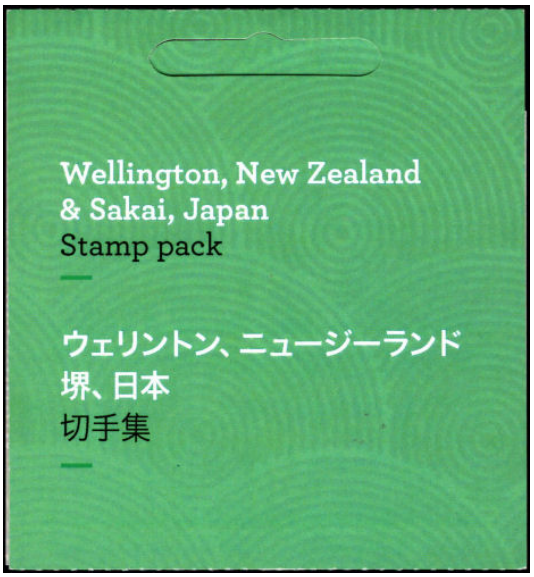






June 30, 2014, the first of two $7.00 booklets celebrating Sister Cities, for Wellington and Sakai, Japan.







June 30, 2014, the second of two $7.00 booklets celebrating Sister Cities, for Wellington, with Beijing, Xiamen, Tianjin and Zhejiang, China.







June, 2015, the China booklet, celebrating Sister Cities, for Wellington, with Beijing, Xiamen, Tianjin and Zhejiang, China, was re-issued as an $8.00 booklet following the rate change.



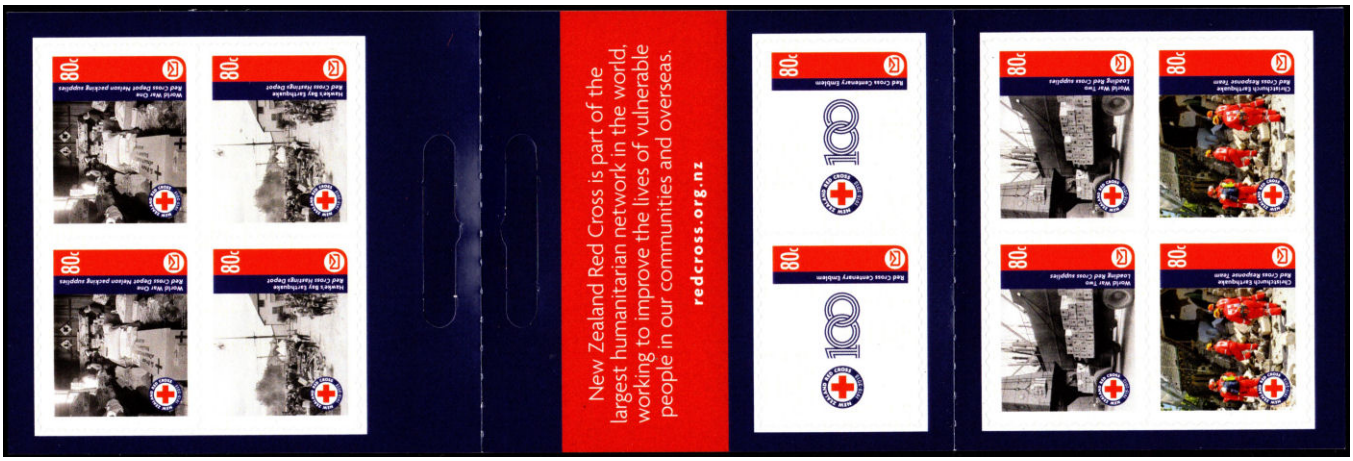




November, 2015, an $8.00 booklet for the New Zealand Red Cross, celebrating A Century Of Care. The booklet sold for $9.00. The $1.00 extra going to the Red Cross.



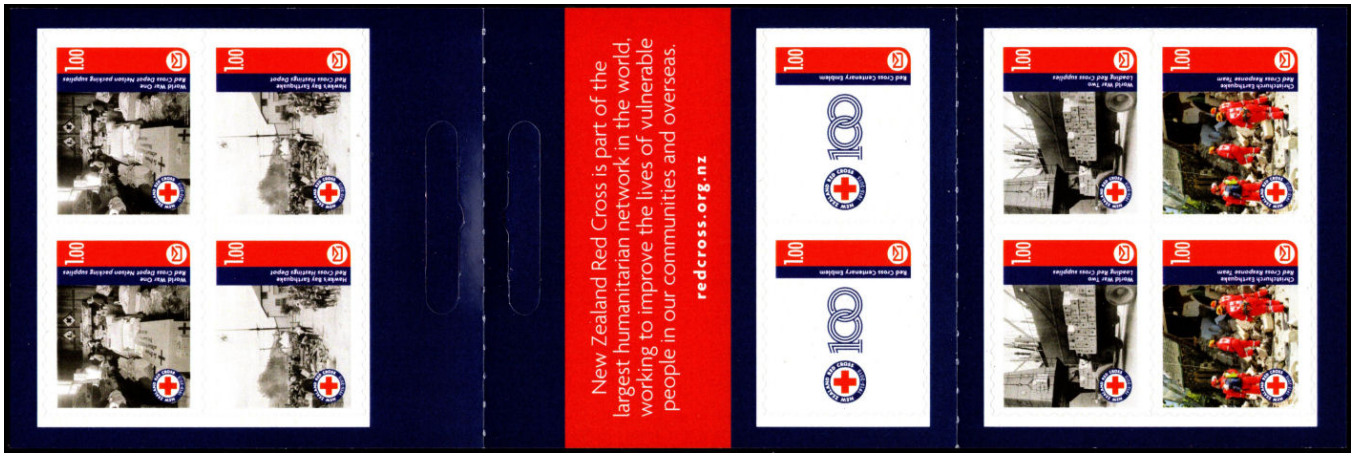




July, 2016, following a rate rise, a $10.00 booklet for the New Zealand Red Cross, celebrating A Century Of Care. The booklet sold for $11.00. The $1.00 extra going to the Red Cross.



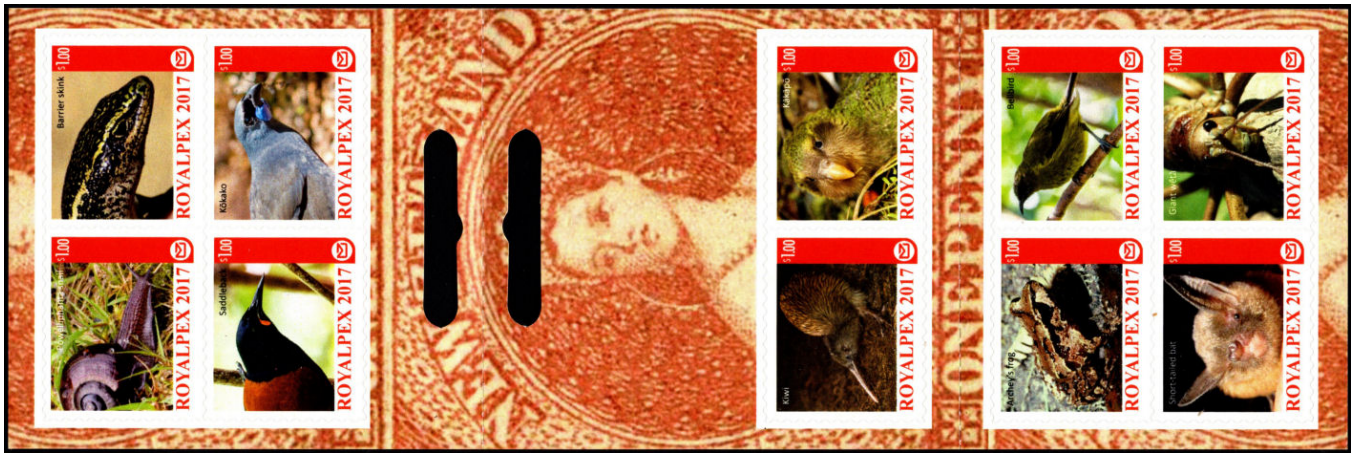




November 24, 2017, a $10.00 booklet, released at the Royalpex National Stamp Exhibition 2017 in Hamilton.



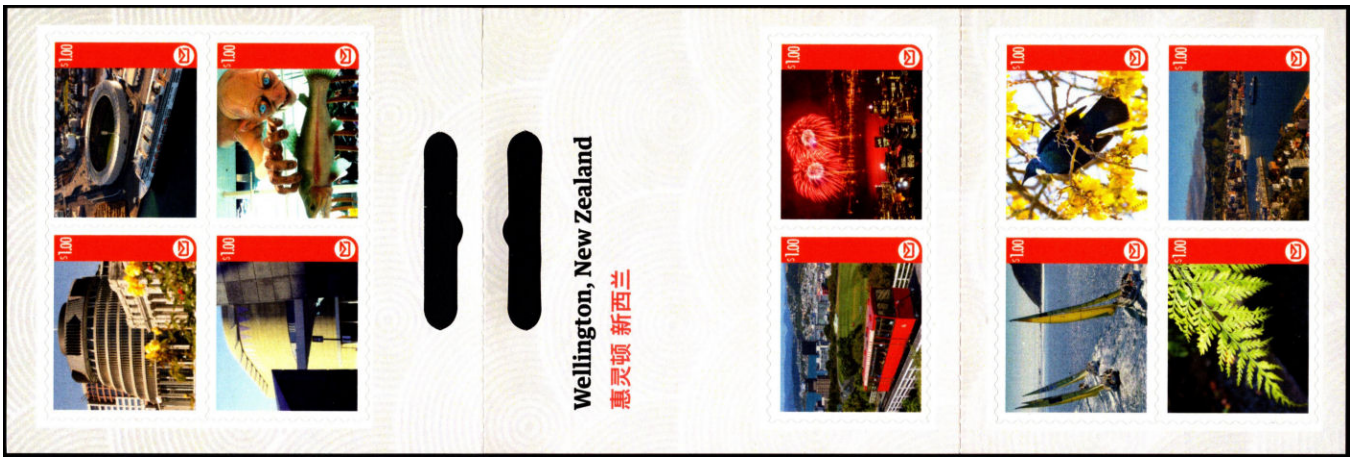




December, 2017, a further booklet celebrating Sister Cities, for Wellington, with Beijing, Xiamen, Tianjin and Zhejiang, China. This time it was a $10.00 booklet with different images and the removal of Sister Cities from the stamps.





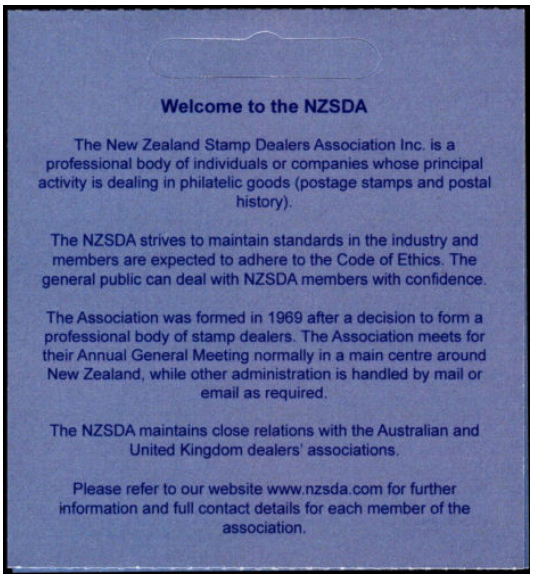


Personalised Stamp Booklets

NZ Post introduced a new type of Personalised Stamp on June 18, 2019. CALs were discontinued on June 17, 2019. The new Personalised Stamps are similar to CALs, but have a few different features. They have a white area on the right hand side, with "New Zealand" printed in red, along with the NZ Post logo, and stamp denomination.

To date, there have been two booklets produced with these Personalised Stamps. The first was on November 9, 2019, to celebrate the New Zealand Stamp Dealers Association's 50th Anniversary and Captain Cook's 250th Anniversary Of Arrival In New Zealand.







The second Personalised booklet was on March 19, 2020, for NZ2020, the FIAP International Stamp Exhibition held in Auckland. The exhibition only lasted a day, as it was shut down early due to the Coronavirus outbreak.







Miscellaneous & Unofficial Stamp Booklets

There are a number of different booklets that fall into this section. Some are more folders than booklets, but are shown for completeness. You can decide if they are booklets or not. Included are booklets produced by NZ Post, but not always available across the counter. Others are original booklets that have been overprinted to commemorate an event, or private booklets that contain NZ Post stamps, also promoting an event. There are Post Card folders, also private folders containing CALs, Cinderella booklets and the beginnings of Alternate Mail booklets.

Large NVI Booklets

When the **W122a** 2009 KiwiStamp NVI Booklet was released, a small number of larger booklets were also produced. Along with the **W122az** 11,000 overprinted in Silver booklets, there was also a limited edition larger version produced. The booklet consists of five panels and four folds. There are 12 stamps on four of the panels, and 2 stamps on the front cover. Each stamp appears 5 times. The two larger booklets **W122aX** contained 50 NVI stamps, with the **W122aW** limited edition version also having the words KiwiStamp overprinted in Silver. It was offered to customers who had a standing order for the Limited Edition Folders that NZ Post had been producing since 1994. They were numbered out of 3,000 with your exclusive number. I don't know what happened to those numbers that were not taken up by the customers, so there is no clear indicator as to how many actually exist.

Apart from the overprint of KiwiStamps in Silver, there is another difference in the 50 stamp covers. The limited edition has the words "of 3,000" whereas the standard version just says "50 KiwiStamps".



W122aX Standard 50 NVI Version


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W122aW Limited Edition 50 NVI Version



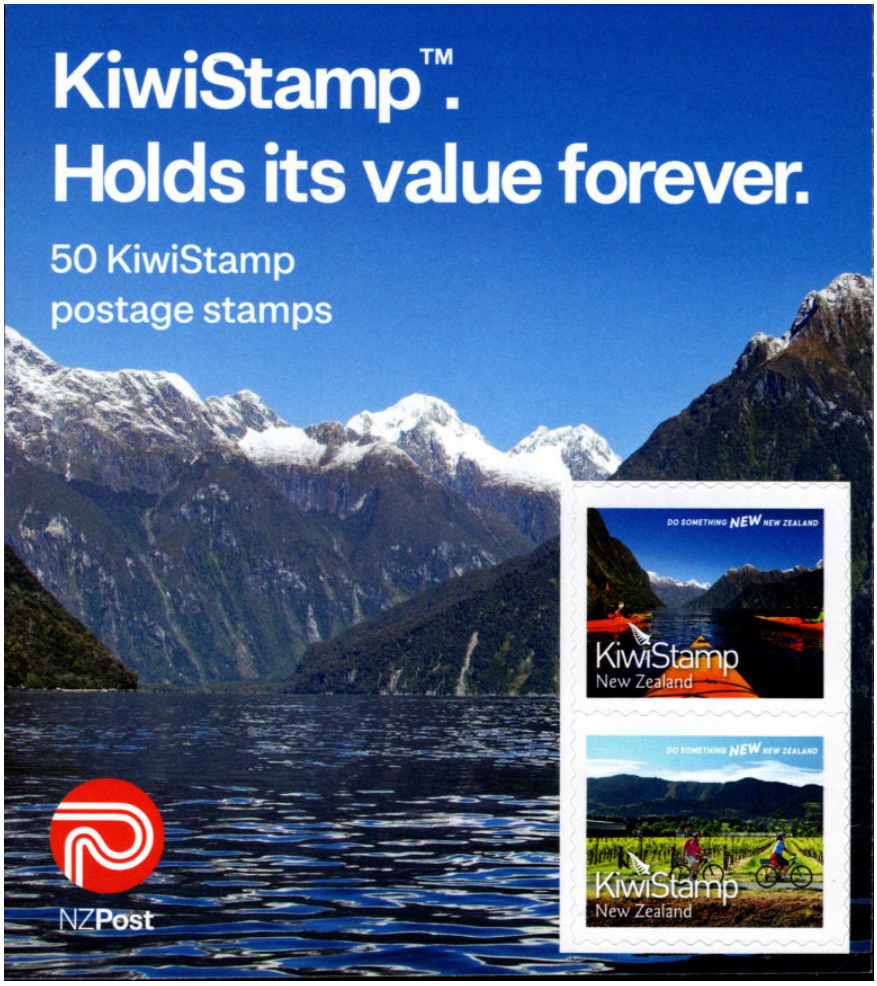


There doesn't appear to have been a 50 stamp version of the W129a 2011 KiwiStamps NVI release, If you know of one, please let me know.

There was a 50 NVI issue for the 2021 release. This **W187aW** booklet consists of five panels and four folds. There are 12 stamps on four of the panels, and 2 stamps on the front cover. Each stamp appears 10 times.

There are three known versions of this 2021 50 NVI issue, that are completely imperforate.

W187aW


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There was a 50 NVI issue for the 2023 release. This **W197aW** booklet consists of five panels and four folds. There are 12 stamps on four of the panels, and 2 stamps on the front cover. Each stamp appears 10 times.

W197aW

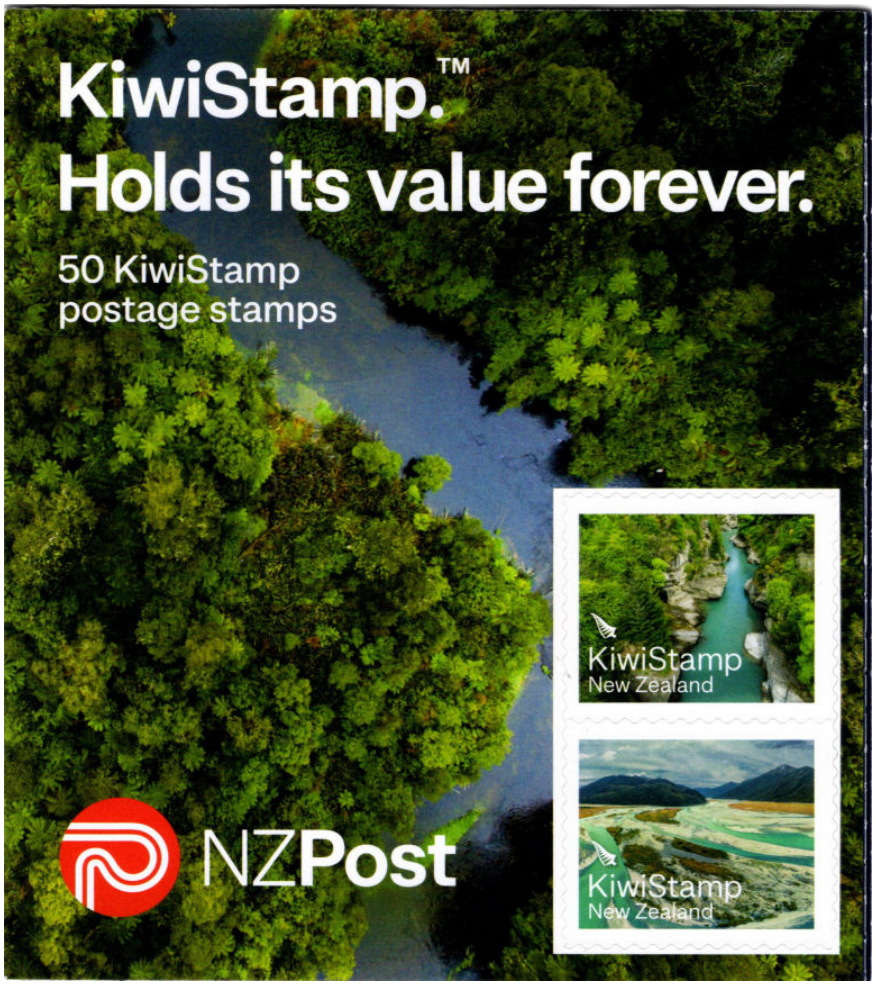

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W208aW

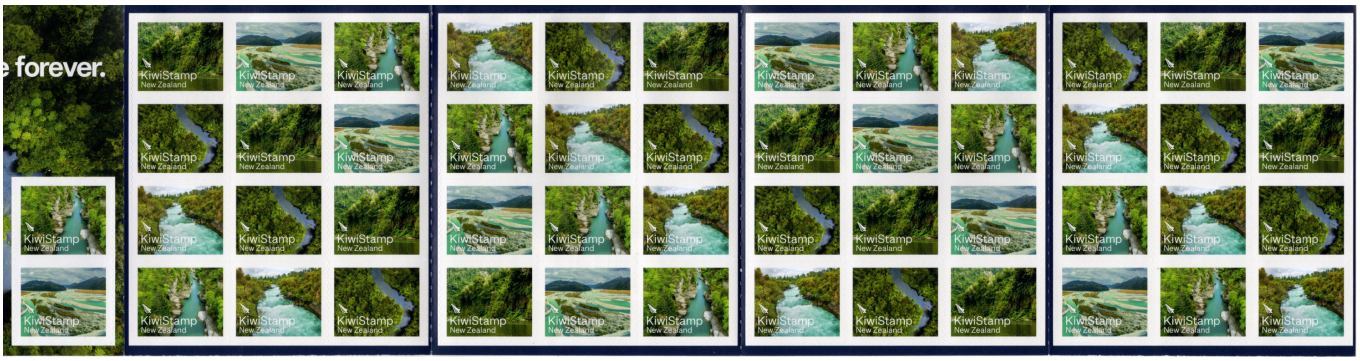


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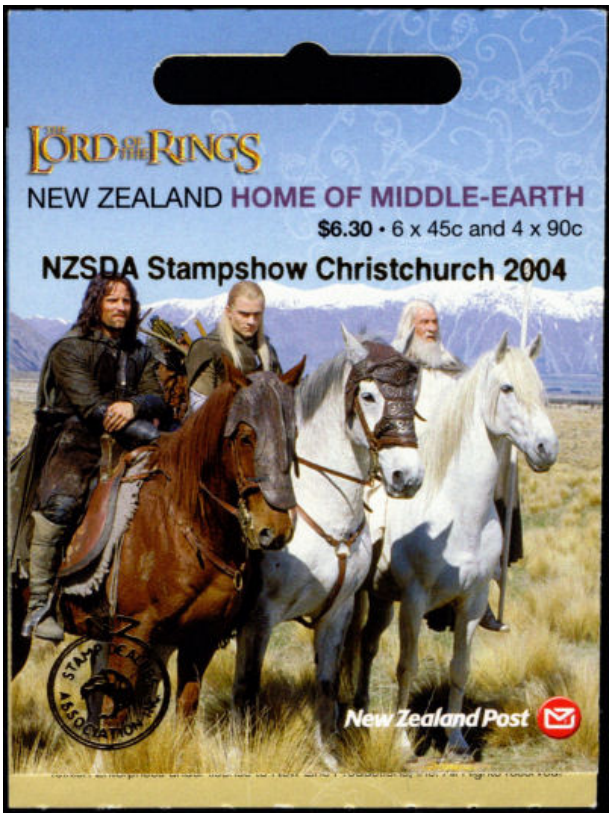
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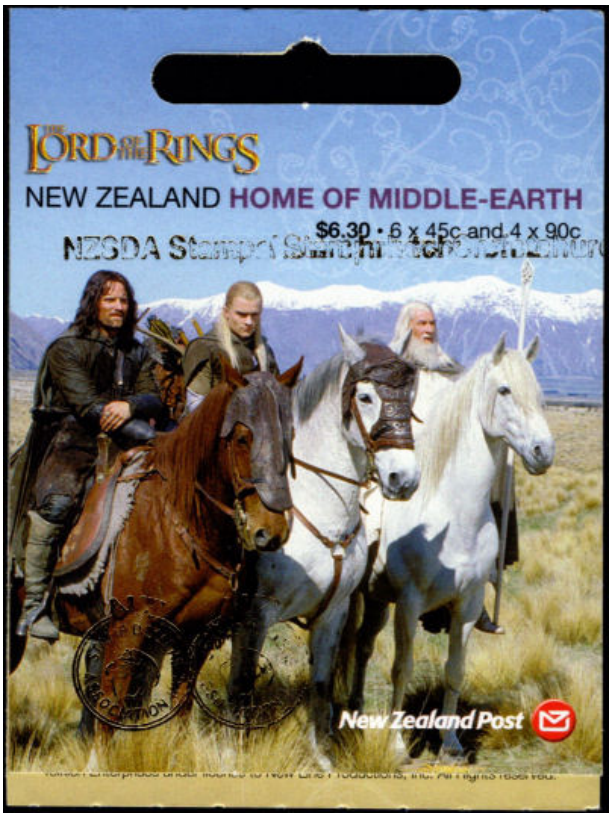
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Genuine Booklets Overprinted

The 2004 Lord Of The Rings - New Zealand Home Of Middle Earth booklet was overprinted for sale at the NZSDA Stampshow in Christchurch, 2004. This was done to defray some of the expenses incurred in running the show. There were 250 booklets overprinted. The overprint was in gold lettering "NZSDA Stampshow Christchurch 2004" and also had a circular gold symbol on the bottom left. One booklet is known with a doubled overprint and is shown below on the right.





Doubled Overprint

The National Stamp Exhibition held in Christchurch in November 2006 was titled "KIWIPEX". It was held to mark the centenary of the 1906 Christchurch International Exhibition. One of the fund raising souvenirs produced by the organisers, was an overprint on the 2005 booklet produced to celebrate the sesquicentennial of New Zealand's 1st postage stamps. The front cover had the word "KIWIPEX" placed on the stamp, just below the image. On the inside flap were printed details of the exhibition. 500 overprinted booklets were produced.





Alternate Cover Exhibition Booklets

1977 Pan Pacific Philatelic Exhibition

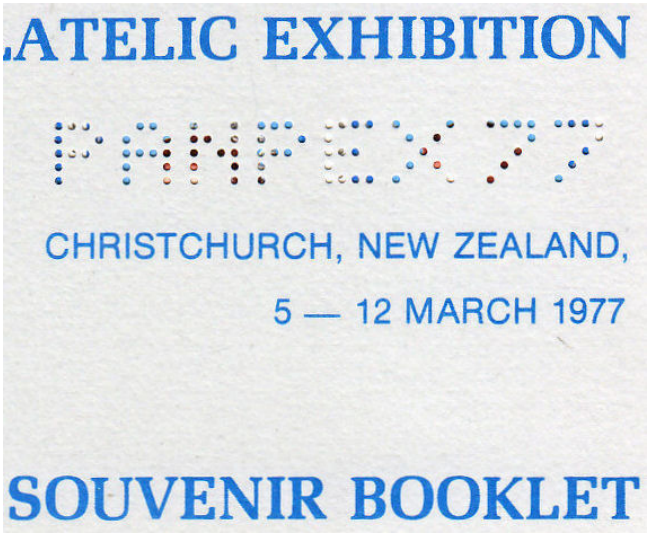
The organisers of the Pan Pacific Philatelic Exhibition, held in Christchurch from 5-12 March 1977, produced 5,000 Blue and 5,000 Yellow Booklets containing a Silver Jubilee Miniature Sheet, stapled to the cover by two staples on the left selvedge. Each of the sets of 5,000 were individually numbered. The organisers had a Perfin machine on their stand and it was made available to purchasers of a booklet to administer a perfin punch themselves, if the wished. It could be applied anywhere, but most were done either above or below the "Christchurch, New Zealand".

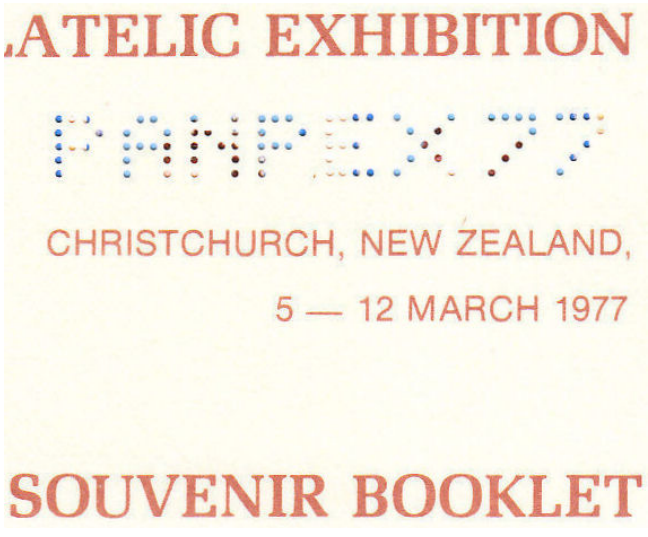





PAN PACIFIC PHILATELIC EXHIBITION
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This booklet is produced by the Exhibition Committee to commemorate the Silver Anniversary of the ascension to the throne of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II.

PALMPEX
LIMITED EDITION No 2455
5,000

QUEEN ELIZABETH II SPECIAL STAMP ISSUE

Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II acceded to the throne on February 6, 1952.
To commemorate the first 25 years of Her Majesty's reign, the New Zealand Post Office released a special commemorative Silver Anniversary souvenir sheet of stamps. The souvenir sheet contained five stamps. Each stamp featured a different portrait of Her Majesty and all the stamps are of the same denomination, 8 cents.
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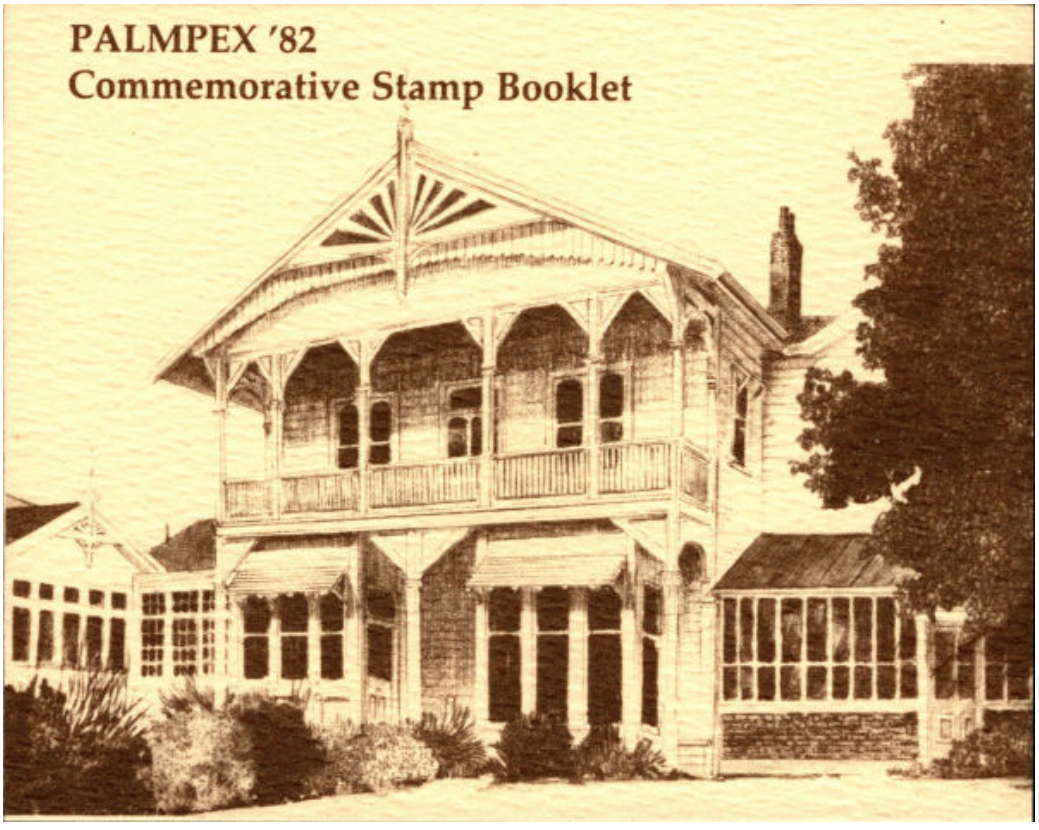
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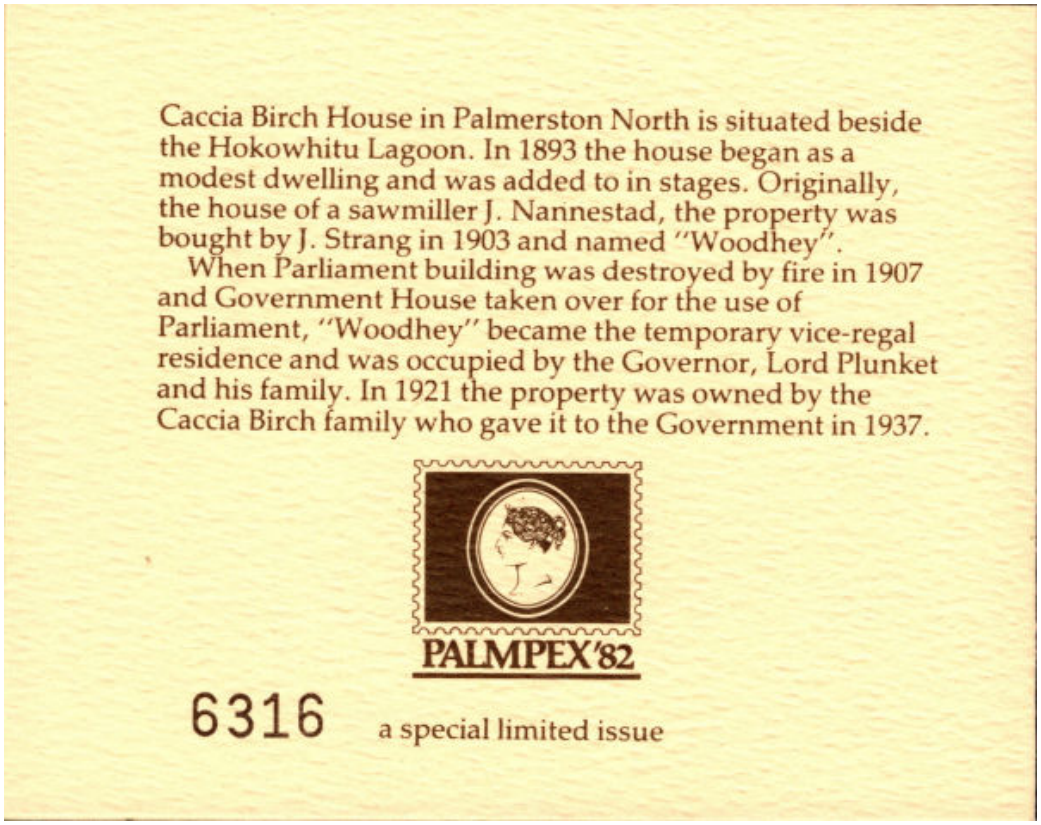
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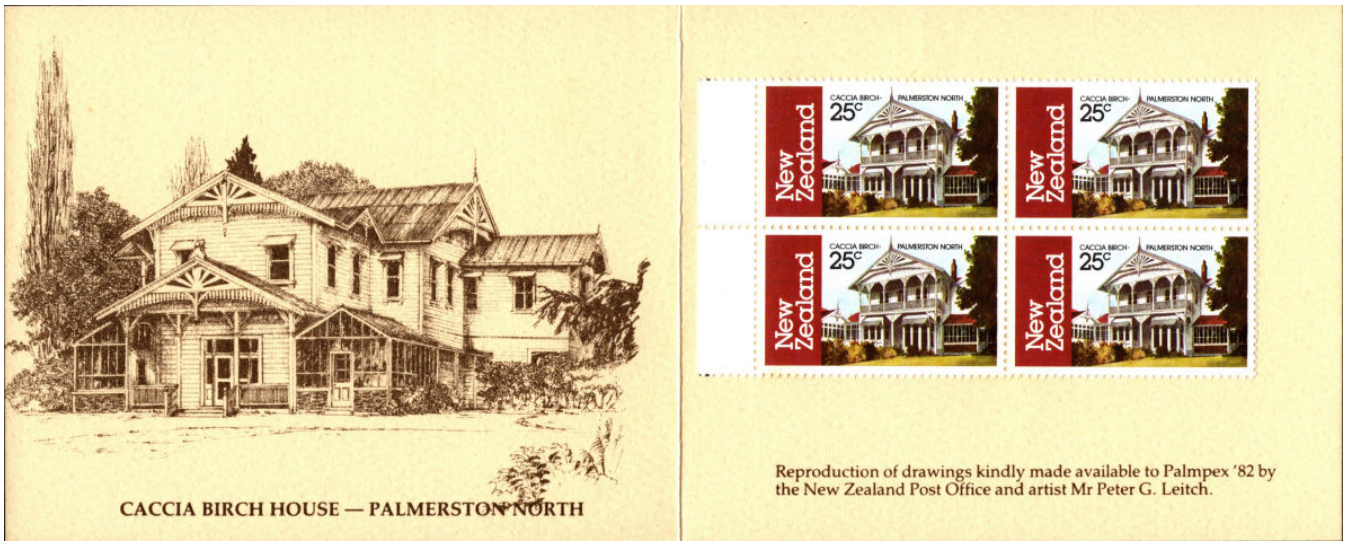
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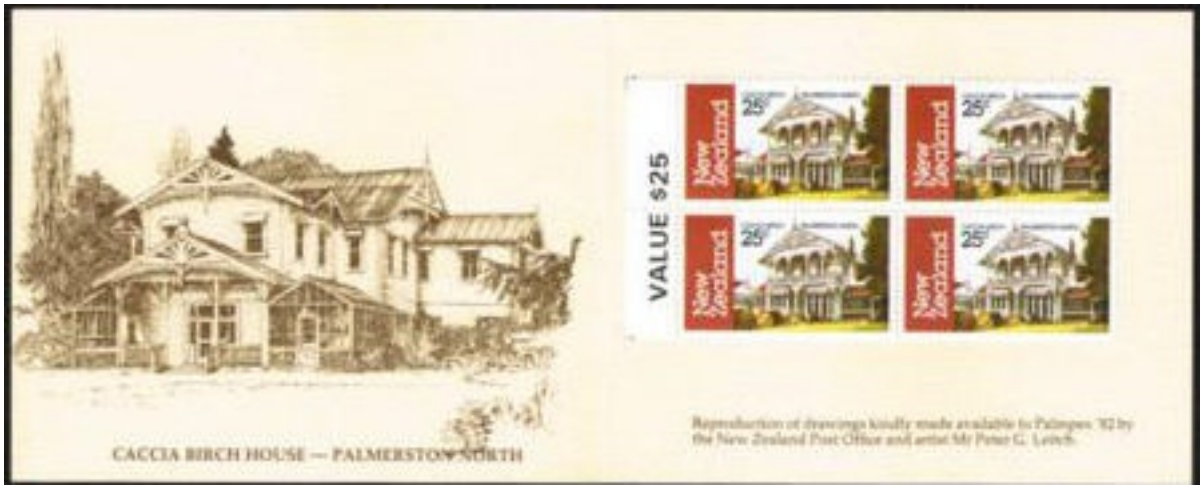
1982 PALMPEX Philatelic Exhibition



Another National Stamp Exhibition was held in Palmerston North from 15-23 May 1982. For this one, to again assist with costs, the organisers produced a booklet that contained a block of 4 of the 25c Caccia Birch House from the Architecture stamp set that had been released the month before. There were 12,000 individually numbered booklet covers produced, and from these, 10,000 were made up for sale, all with stamps adhered to the booklet by the left selvedge. Just under 7,500 were sold and around 120 were also overprinted with SPECIMEN. Selvedges with the Sheet Value can also be found.

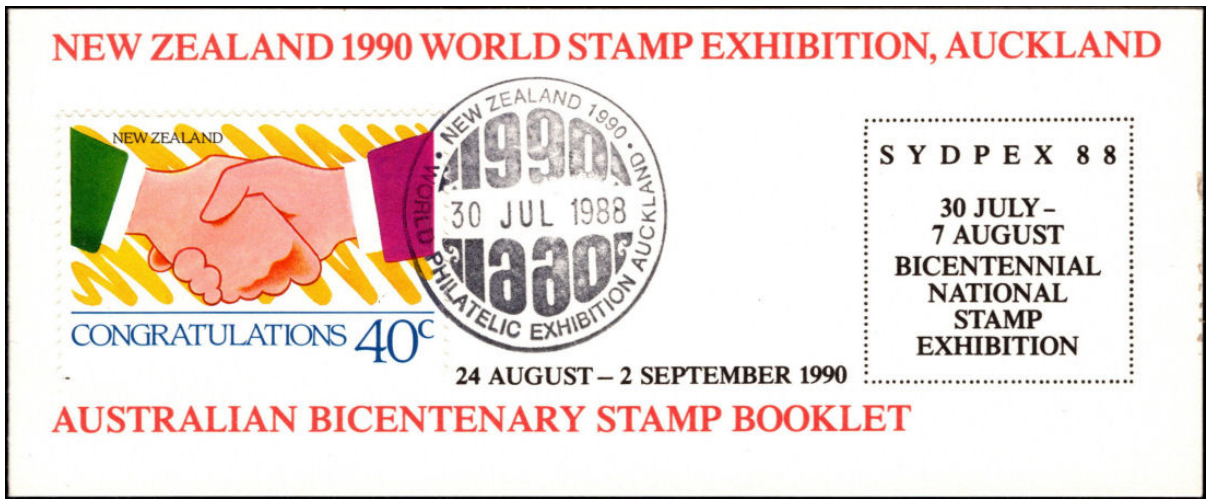


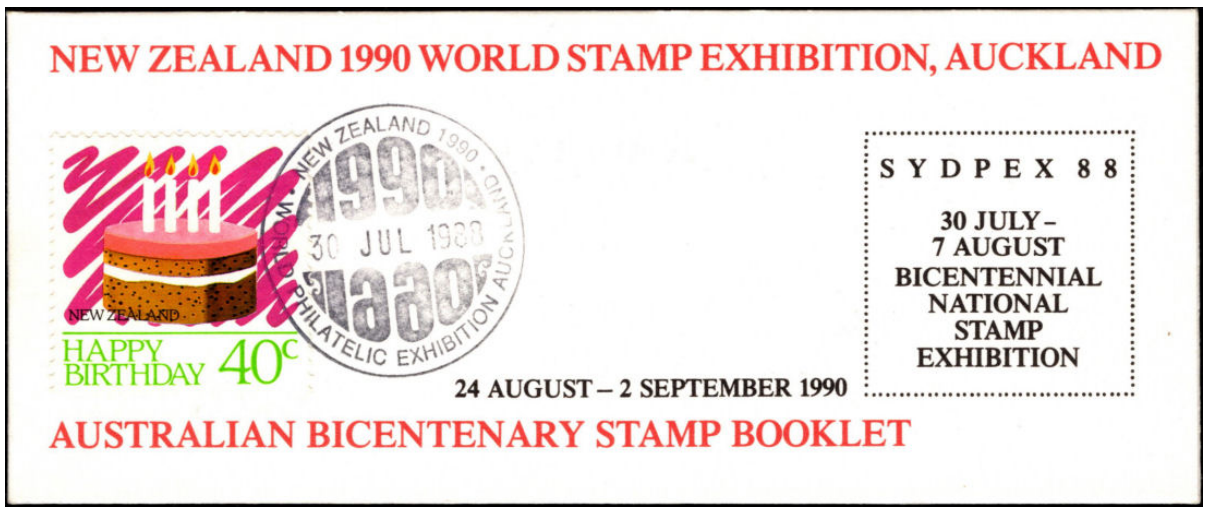




1988 Sydpex 88 Bicentennial National Stamp Exhibition

In the lead up to the 1990 World Stamp Exhibition in Auckland, the organisers took the opportunity to produce a number of fundraising souvenirs. Amongst them were some booklets sold at the Sydpex 88 Australian National Stamp Exhibition held in Sydney. There were two booklets that contained strips of 5 of the New Zealand 40c stamp commemorating the Bicentenary of Australia. The strips were adhered to the inside by either the left or right selvedge. The two booklets had either one of the 1988 40c "Happy Birthday" or "Congratulations" greetings booklet stamps on the cover and these were cancelled on the opening day of Sydpex 88 by the New Zealand 1990 exhibition organiser's 30 July 1988 pictorial date stamp.







Back Cover



Left Selvedge



Right Selvedge

NZ 1990 Endangered Bird "Specimen" Stamp Issue

To raise more funds for New Zealand 1990, New Zealand Post organised to have the 6 high value definitives featuring New Zealand's endangered birds to be overprinted SPECIMEN in red. The overprinting of the stamps with SPECIMEN invalidates them, but gives collectors the opportunity to purchase $25 worth of stamps for $15. The stamps were housed in mounts inside a black folder that featured a kiwi on the cover. Probably not classified as a booklet by many, it was sold at Philatelic Centres and all proceeds went to the NZ 1990 Exhibition organisers. There are two versions of the folder, a plain cover or the second with the Exhibition's logo printed in gold.

NEW ZEALAND POST PHILATELIC

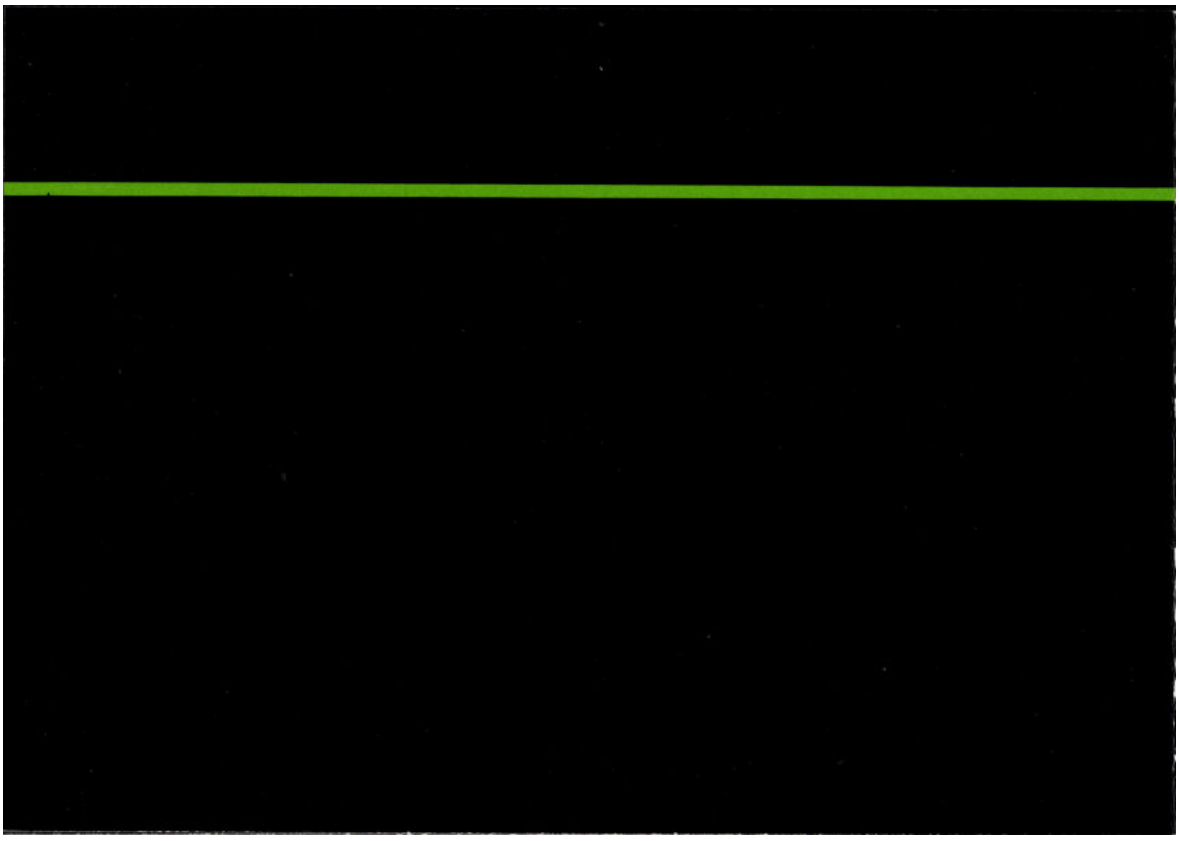
New Zealand Endangered Bird
"Specimen" Stamp Issue



NEW ZEALAND POST PHILATELIC

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NZ 1990 Orchids Miniature Sheet

New Zealand Post issued an Orchid Miniature Sheet on April 18, 1990, in support of the New Zealand 1990 World Stamp Exhibition. The organisers of the Exhibition arranged with New Zealand Post to have a quantity of the miniature sheets imperforate for their use at the Exhibition. Their were 10,000 sheets produced and these were housed in a numbered blue booklet folder and sold for $25.00 as a season ticket for the Exhibition. Just over 6,000 of them were sold, with the remaining imperforate sheets being returned to New Zealand Post for destruction. Booklet number 10,000 is shown below.

WORLD STAMP EXHIBITION NEW ZEALAND 1990

AUCKLAND EXPO CENTRE 24 AUGUST - 2 SEPTEMBER

NZ 1990



SOUVENIR SEASON TICKET $25

Autographs

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World Stamp Exhibition New Zealand 1990 thanks New Zealand Post for their support.

This imperforate sheet, of the miniature sheet produced by New Zealand Post, has been printed and supplied to New Zealand 1990 World Stamp Exhibition for the special season ticket souvenir.

The Orchids featured are:
SUN ORCHID, *Thelymitra pulchella:* Lovers of full sun, these blooms come in a variety of shades from white to pink to the lavender-blue shown on this stamp. You will find them on clay banks or in well-lit, damp spaces.

SPIDER ORCHID, *Corybas macranthus:* An inhabitant of shady, damp places, this large orchid attracts insects to its reddish-black flower by exuding a sickly-sweet nectar.

WINIKA ORCHID, *Dendrobium cunninghamii:* The Maori name, Winika, belongs to the New Zealand Lady's Slipper, our only Dendrobium orchid. Look for its large, brilliant white and pink flower, perched in trees, from December through to January.

GREENHOOD ORCHID, *Pterostylis banksii:* From October to December these pale, green-white flowers can be seen on the damp, shady forest floor. The species shown here is the best known of the Greenhoods and was called Tutukiwi by the Maoris.

ODD-LEAVED ORCHID, *Aporostylis bifolia:* Two unevenly shaped leaves give this high country dweller its name. From December to January it displays a white and lemon flower, sometimes with a purple ridge on the dorsal sepal.



Timpex 2009 Booklet

A National Stamp Exhibition was held in Timaru in October 2009. It was titled Timpex 2009 and one of the souvenirs available was a pair of booklets that housed a block of 4 of the $1.50 Bronze Circular Kiwi stamp, overprinted with "Timpex" and "17-19 October 2009" on the stamp's selvedges. The booklets were the same, with the only difference being one cover was blue and the other a yellow-cream. The booklets were sold from May 2008 to raise funds for the Exhibition.



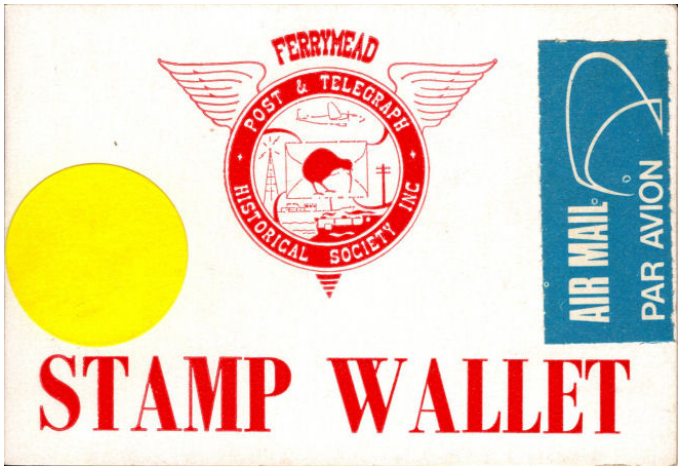


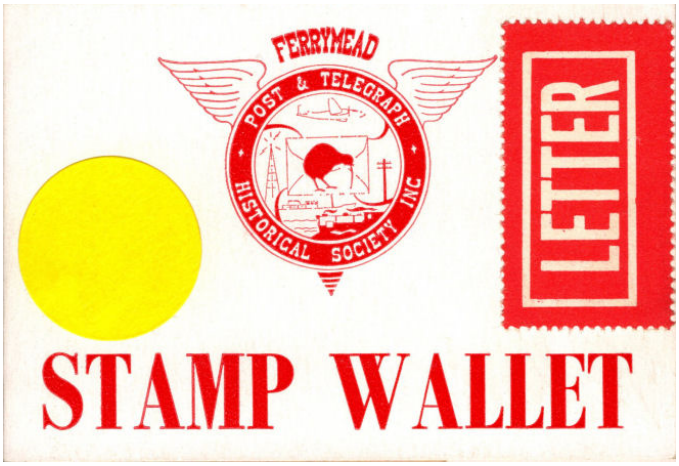


Unofficial Booklets Sold At Face Value

Ferrymead 1980 Booklet

Ferrymead Historic Village, located in the south east of Christchurch, contains many historic buildings and businesses from the settlement of Canterbury period. One such building located there is a post office. Initially, the Ferrymead Post Office was sited in a small temporary building in the park. It had its own datestamp and sold stamps to visitors. One of the volunteers manning the Ferrymead Post Office arranged for white booklet folders to be printed in red ink. These booklets were sold after the opening of the Ferrymead Post Office on 5 April 1980. Printed by the Ferrymead Print Shop, the white booklet covers featured the Ferrymead Post & Telegraph Historical Society's logo in red. These were produced to promote the Ferrymead Post & Telegraph Historical Society. Booklets contained 10 stamps and they were affixed to the booklet via the stamp selvedges. The content and values varied over time.





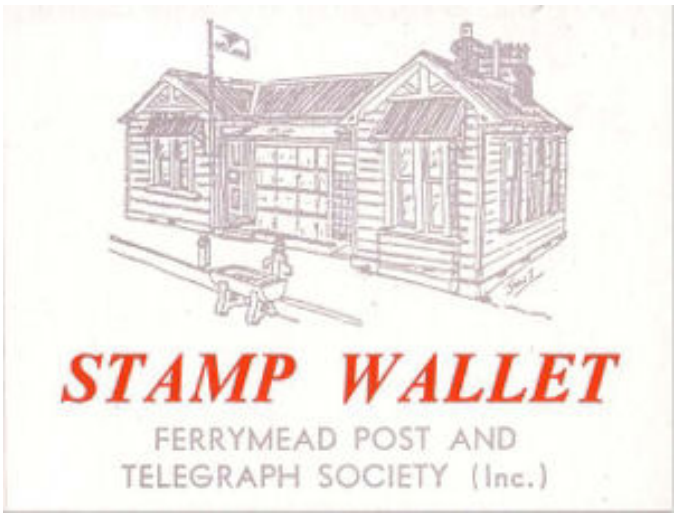
FERRYMEAD POST AND TELEGRAPH SOCIETY (Inc.) was formed in 1976, with the objective of preserving all facets of the History of the N.Z.P.O. and allied Postal, and Telecommunications Systems.





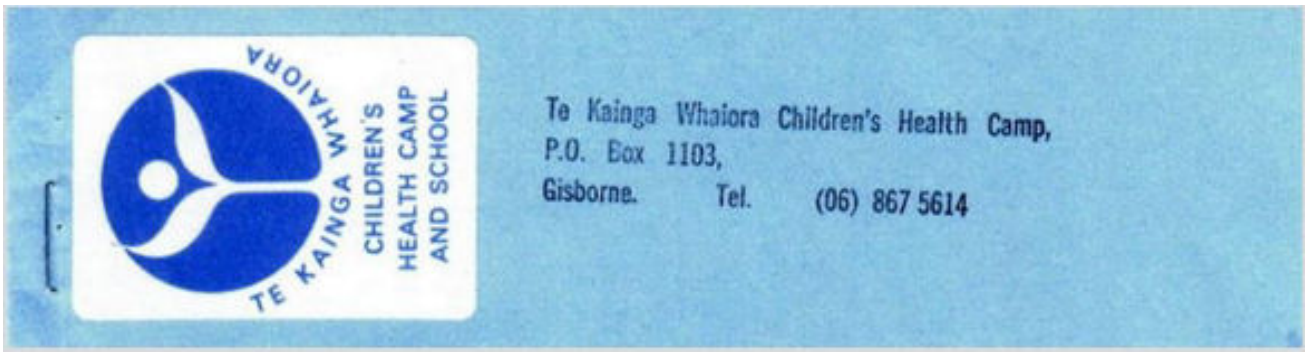


On 24 April 1994 a new, permanent building was opened as the Ferrymead Post Office. This building is featured on the front cover of a new booklet, and the Ferrymead Post & Telegraph Historical Society's logo is depicted on the rear of the booklet cover. These booklets were produced after the opening of the new post office and are printed in grey and red on white card stock. Again, there are varying contents and values.



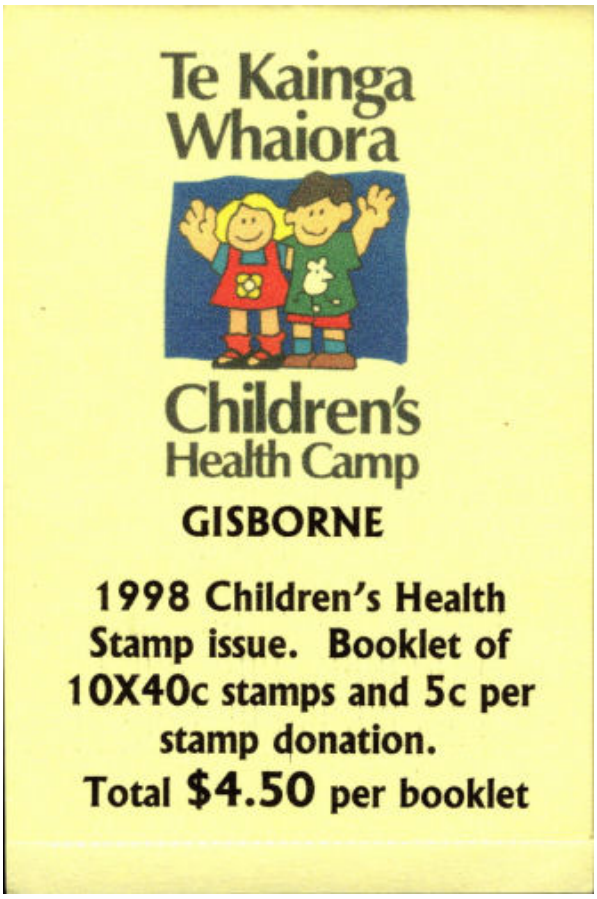
Gisborne Health Camp 1995-1997

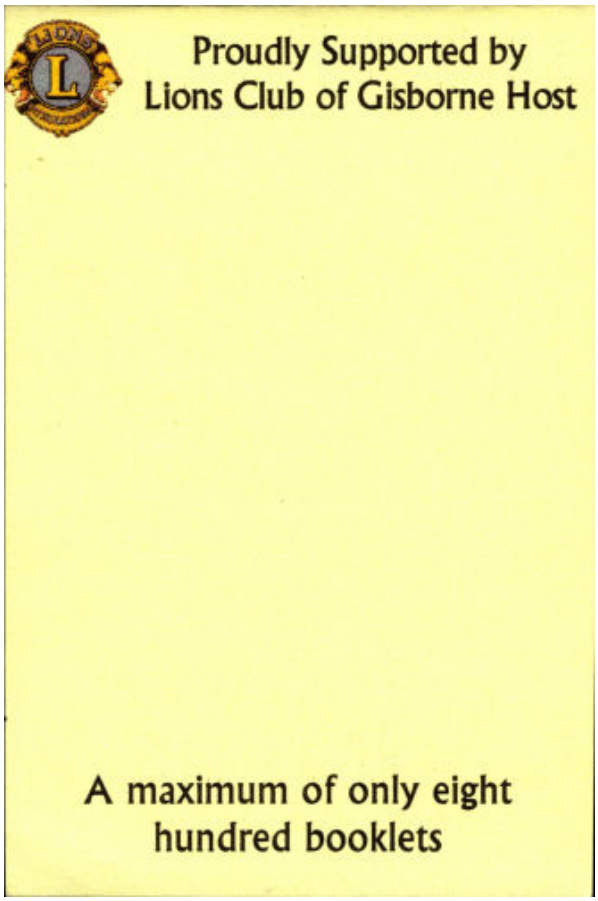
Gisborne was the location of one of only seven New Zealand health camps. In 1995, 1996 & 1997, Gisborne's Health Camp sold health stamps in folders, measuring approximately 14.3 x 3.7 cm. Each cover bore the blue & white Te Kainga Whaiora children's health camp and school's self-adhesive label and a rubber handstamp impression of the health camp's address and telephone details. In 1995 the booklet cover was blue and contained 10 x 45c + 5c triangular skateboarding health stamps. These were stapled in the booklet. In 1996 the booklet cover was pale blue and contained 10 x 40c + 5c stapled child in car seat self adhesive health stamps. In 1997 the booklet cover was orange-yellow and contained 10 x 40c + 5c stapled fruit picking self-adhesive health stamps.



Gisborne Health Camp 1998-2002

The Lions Club of Gisborne sponsored the production of new style stamp booklets which measured 6.5 x 9.6 cm. Each bore the Gisborne Health Camp's logo of a young boy and girl waving happily to the viewer. The rear of the booklet cover bore the sponsor's logo and the number produced. The 1998 booklet cover was yellow and contained 10 x 40c + 5c child in lifejacket sheet health stamps. The stamp booklets were sold at both the Gisborne Health Camp and at the Gisborne Post Shop at face value ($4.50) with the 50c premium going to the Gisborne Health Camp. The stamps were adhered via the top selvedge or bottom selvedge and a sheet value version was also available.







Top Selvedge



Bottom Selvedge

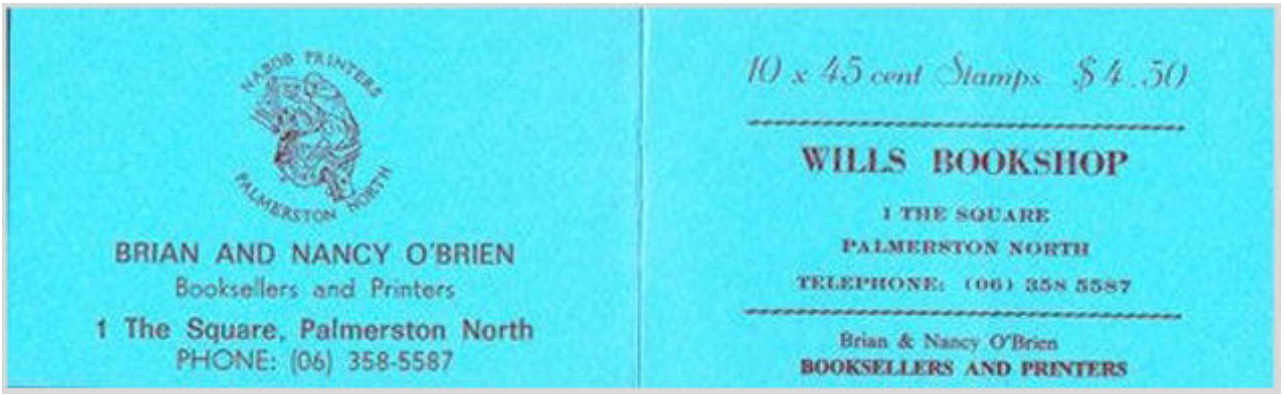


Value Selvedge

The 1999 booklet cover was pale blue and contained 10 x 40c + 5c A Lion in the Meadow child's reading book sheet health stamps. The 2000 booklet cover was pale blue also. It contained 10 x 40c + 5c Teddy Bear sheet health stamps. There doesn't appear to be any 2001 booklets. The 2002 booklet's cover was red with the wording and health camp's logo now all printed in black. It contained 10 stapled 40c + 5c vegetables self-adhesive health stamps.

Wills Bookshop 1993

In 1993, Wills Bookshop in Palmerston North, produced a booklet that contained 10 x 45c 1993 Christmas stamps. It appears to be a one-off production as the shop no longer exists. The cover was blue and the quantity produced is unknown.



1996 Health Stamps

In 1996, a plain red card cover was used to produce a booklet that contained 10 x 1996 40c + 5c Child In Car Seat Health Stamps. There is no indication as to who produced it. The cover has a hand written $4.50 and a Smiley Face produced by an ink stamper.



Suburban Auckland Post Shops - 1998 Health Stamps

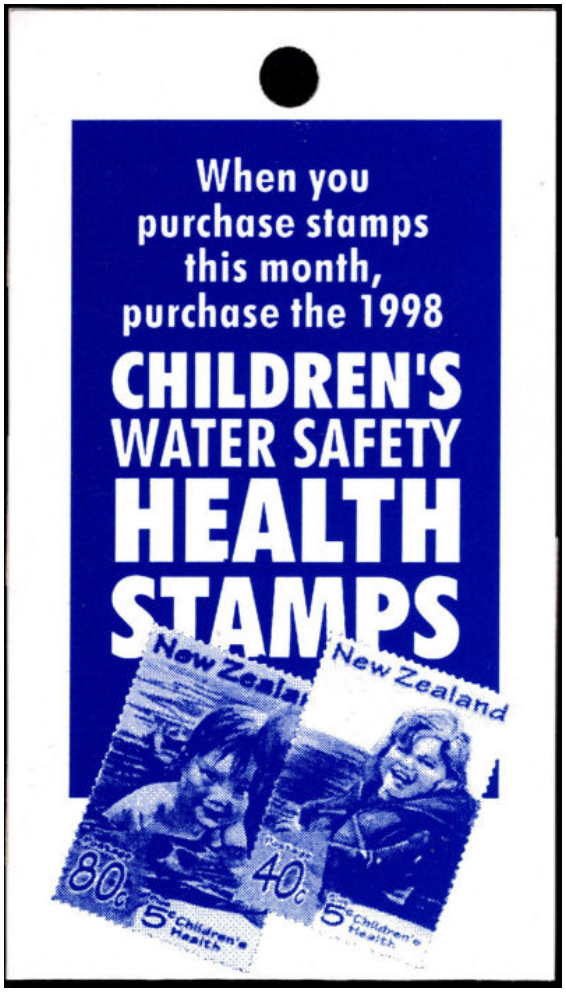
In 1998, a marketing strategy was undertaken in Auckland by Tise Wilson, manager of Remuera Post Shop, to promote the sale of health stamps via stamp booklets. New Zealand Post arranged to print 5,000 booklet covers. These were white card printed in blue ink. Depicted on the front covers were 40c + 5c & 80c + 5c 1998 Health Stamps. Each booklet was to contain 10 of the appropriate denomination stamps. Eighteen New Zealand Post Shops were involved in the promotion and each individual post shop would then affix the relevant stamps inside the booklet covers. Some used gummed sheet stamps, others used self-adhesive stamps.

The 5,000 covers were distributed as follows:- Auckland Mail Centre x 100; Dominion Road x 200; Glen Innes x 300; Greenmount x 200; Howick x 250; Mangere x 300; Newton x 100; Newmarket x 200; Otahuhu x 500; Pakuranga x 200; Panmure x 100; Parnell x 150; Ponsonby x 200; Remuera x 500; Royal Oak x 300; St. Heliers x 400; St. Lukes x 500 and Waiheke Island x 500.

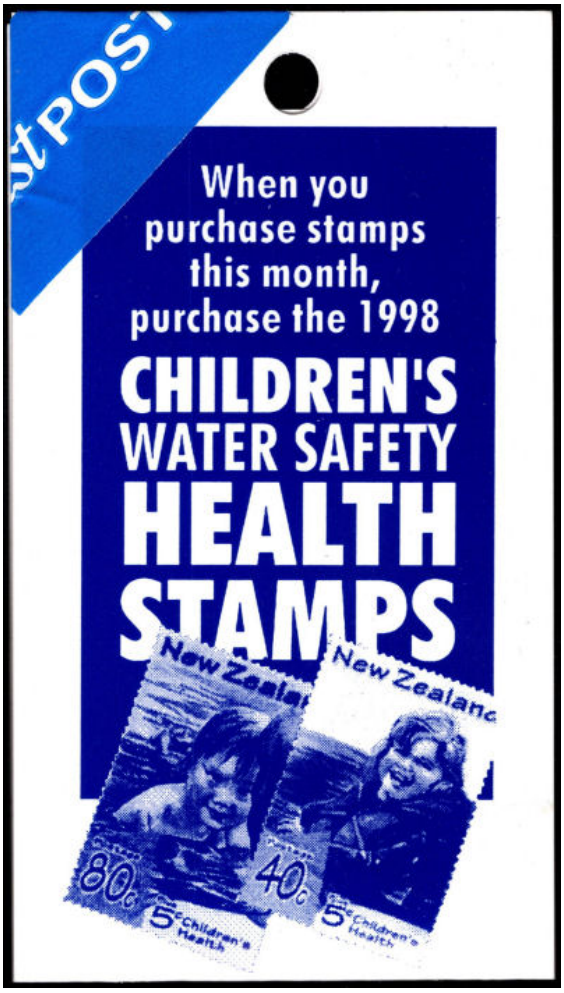
Two of the Auckland Post Shops, Downtown and Wellesley Street, did not participate in the above promotion. They decided to do their own, see separate listings.

All 5,000 of the Auckland health stamp booklets were sold within the first three weeks of the 1998 health stamp promotion.

In order to make it easier for staff to differentiate the booklet covers containing the 80c + 5c learning to swim health stamps, they placed a fast post sticker to the cover. Some to the top corner as shown, others over the 40c line on the reverse, leaving the 80c wording exposed.







80c stamps cover with Fastpost sticker in top corner.



Sheet stamps with Value on selvedge.



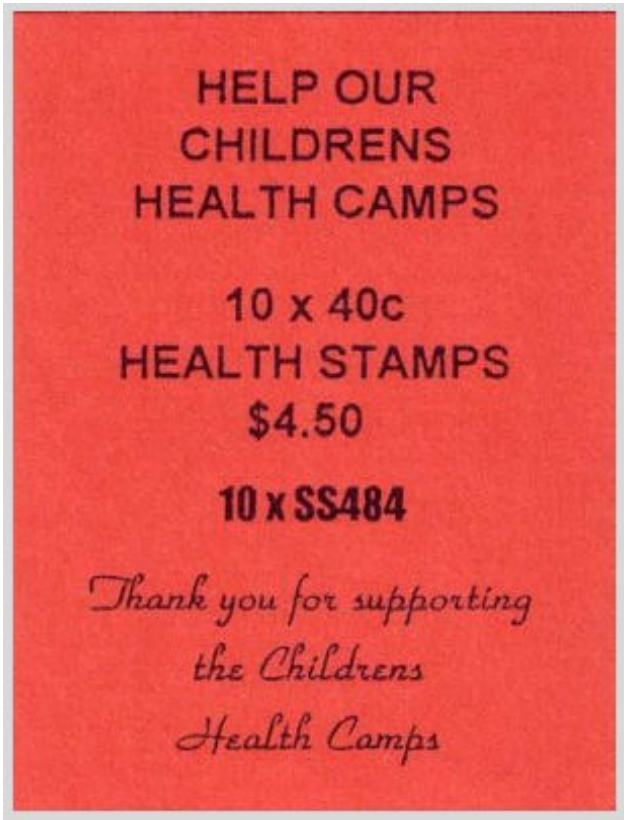
Two strips of 5 self-adhesive stamps.



80c stamp booklets showing printer's imprint. Plain top and bottom selvedges, and Sheet Value blocks are also known.

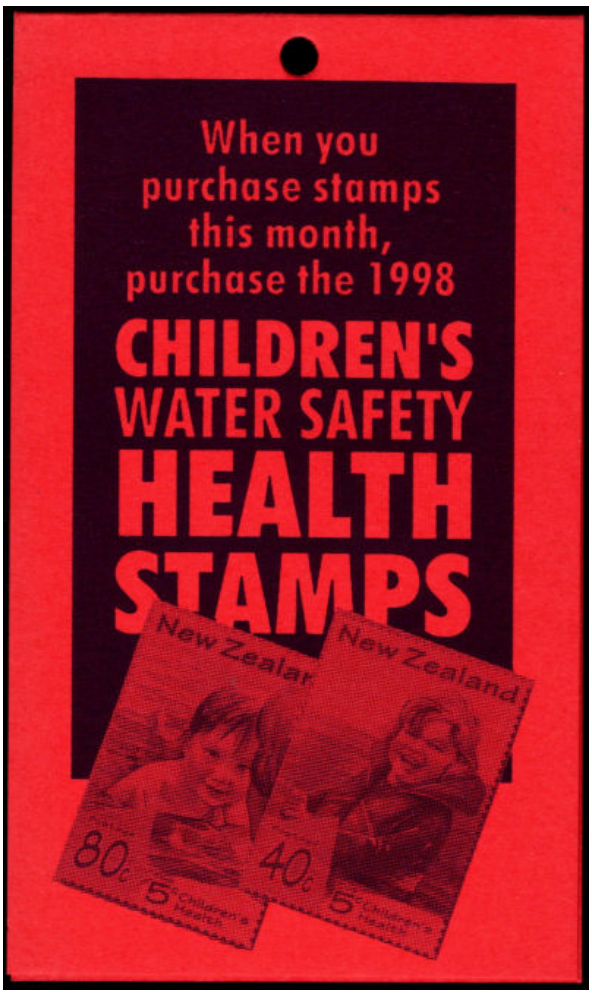
Wellesley Street - 1998 Health Stamps

Deciding to do their own booklet and not join the group above, Wellesley Street Post Shop issued a very bland red cover with writing only. They only offered the one denomination of 40c + 5c stamps. Quantity is unknown.



Downtown Post Shop - 1998 Health Stamps

The Downtown Post Shop produced 1,000 booklets, using the same print layout as the Suburban booklets. The front was the same, with a change on the back to say "Downtown Post Shop" instead of "Post Shops". They also numbered each booklet. Red card was used with black ink. Even though the back cover mentions 80c = 5c versions, only the 40c + 5c booklets were produced. Blank top and bottom selvedge versions can be found, along with the Sheet Value version and the two Printers Imprint versions.







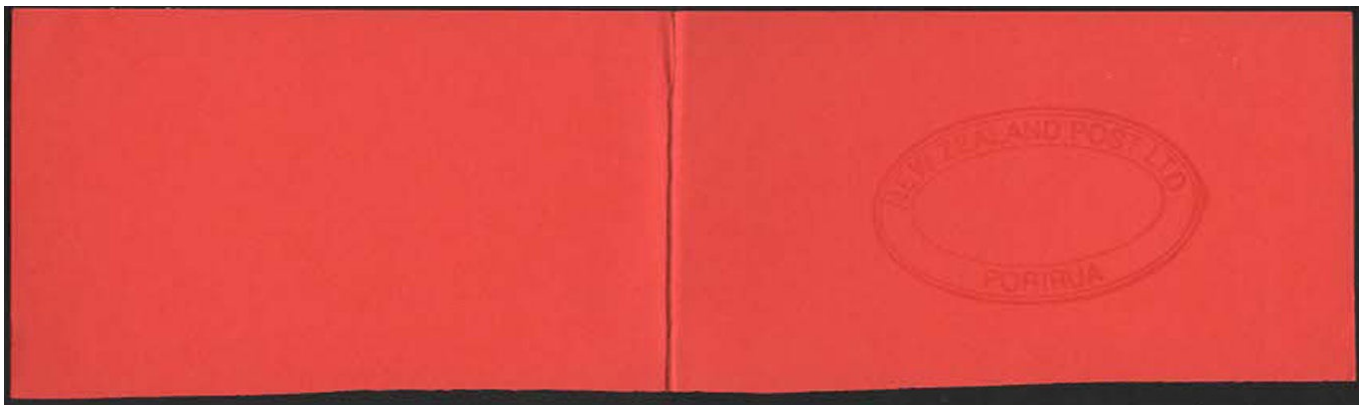






Porirua Post Shop - 1998 Health Stamps

No doubt, news of what was happening in Auckland traveled south. Following along with the trend, the manager of the Porirua Post Shop produced his own primitive version of the Health Stamp Booklets. It is folded red cardboard with an oval New Zealand Post Ltd Porirua date-stamp on the front. It was done in red ink, so it is very hard to see in the image. Only a 40c + 5c version was produced, quantity unknown.

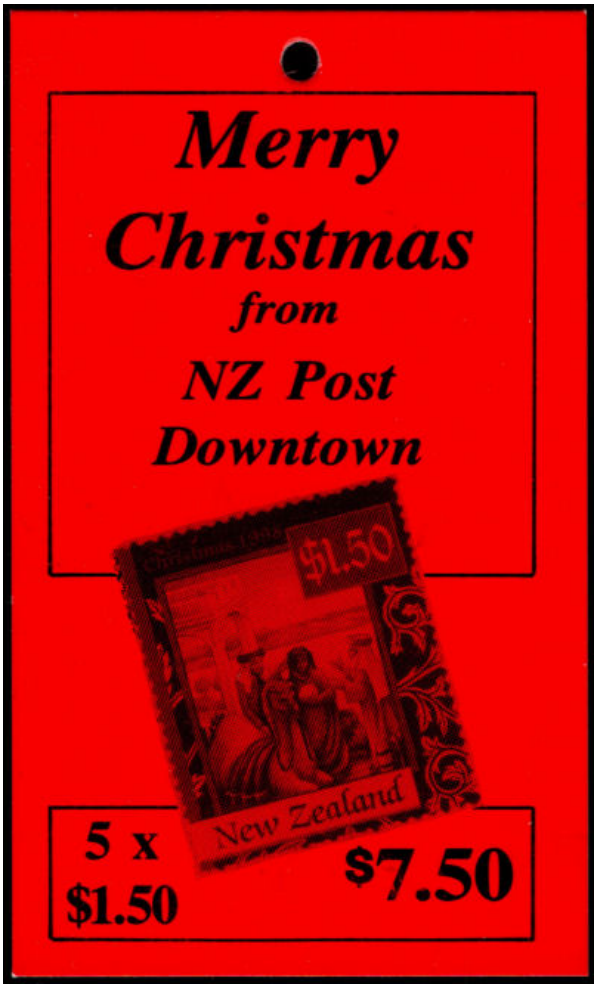




Downtown Post Shop - 1998 Christmas

Following on from their success with the 1998 Health Stamp booklets, the Downtown Post Shop put together a pair of Christmas Booklets for the 1998 Season. There was a $7.50 booklet and a $9.00 booklet. Produced on very glossy card, the $7.50 booklet was red with black ink and contained 5 x $1.50 stamps adhered by the top or bottom selvedge. An image of the stamps included was shown of the front cover. A similar green cover was used for the $9.00 booklet. It contained 5 x $1.80 stamps. For both booklets, printers imprint details and sheet value could be found on the selvedges.

It appears that New Zealand Post head office were not pleased with the production of these unofficial booklets, and as such, no further unofficial booklets have been produced.









Booklets Containing CALs

When CALs (Customised Advertising Labels) were introduced in 2004, the ANZ Bank was the second issuer behind the Wellington Festival Of Arts, with a set of three 5c labels in April 2004. The bank had been working with New Zealand Post with the trial of these new labels and when the postage rates increased from 40c to 45c, they saw an opportunity for goodwill to their customers.

The 5c labels, depicting current business customers of the bank, were sent out to various business customers to provide make-up stamps to be used along side existing 40c stamps. Six labels, on a 3 x 2 sheetlet, were enclosed in a cardboard folder that had a hole in the front cover, allowing one of the labels to be seen through the cover.



The top image of the three is a label seen through a hole in the cover.



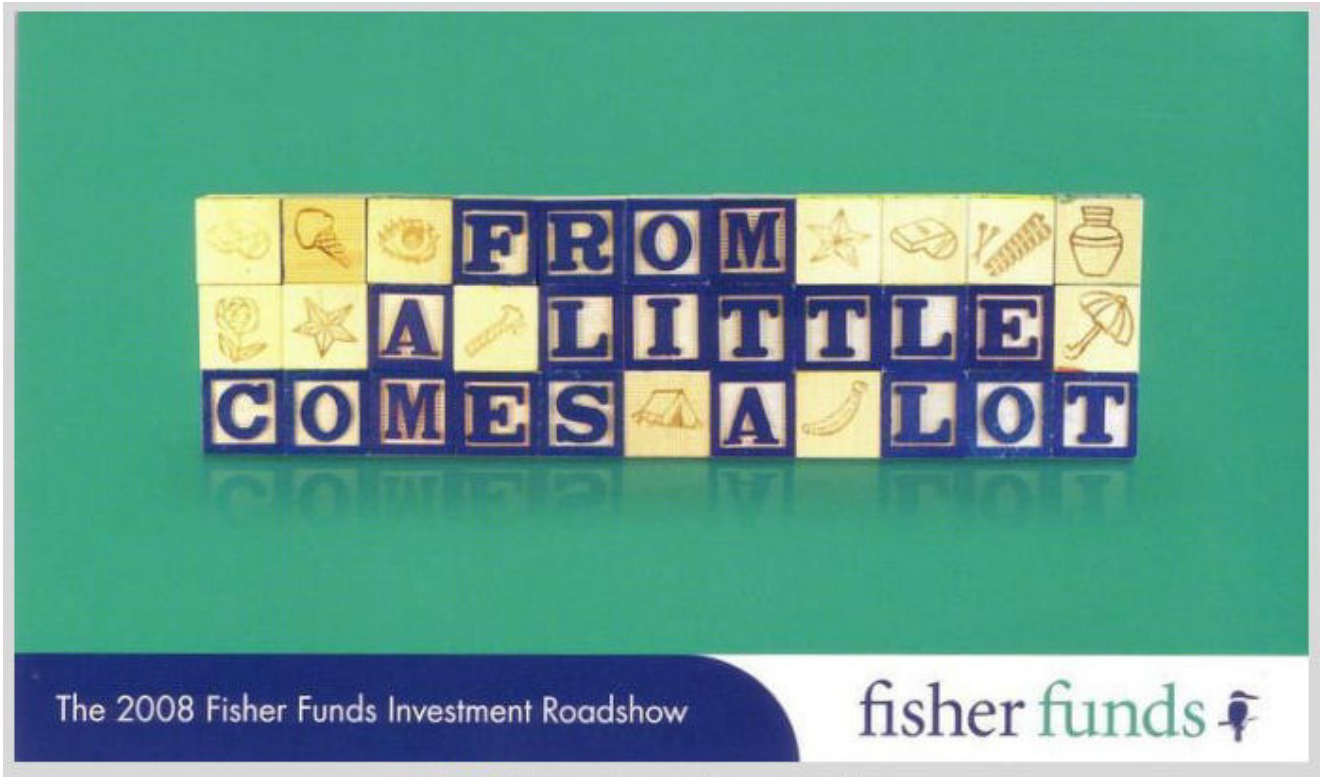


The third CAL to be issued in 2004 was for the 45c BMW. To thank their valued customers who had purchased a new car during the year, a Christmas Card Folder was produced and sent out by the dealership. It contained one 45c CAL and the suggestion on the card was to use the label on a postcard to friends or simply add it to your own collection.

This folder certainly enters the debate as to whether it should be classified as a booklet or not.



Fisher Funds is one of New Zealand's largest specialist investment managers with over 500,000 Kiwis invested across KiwiSaver and Managed Funds. In May 2008, a gummed CAL promoting their business was issued. During the many investment seminars held around the country that year, Fisher Funds gave away strips of four of the CAL to current investors and potential new clients. The strip of CALs was housed in the folder shown below.



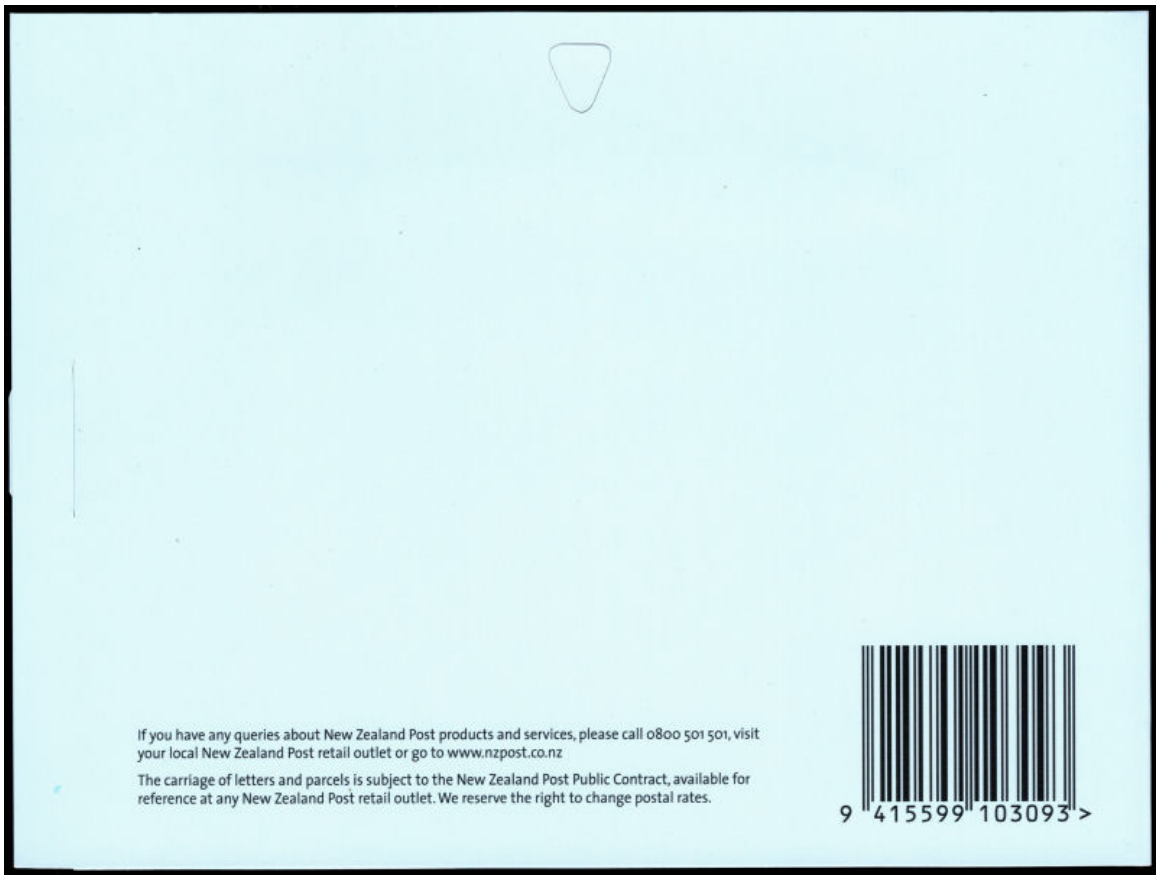
In 2009 The Waikato Philatelic Society issued a booklet containing four 50c Ambury Shield 60th Anniversary CAL's.

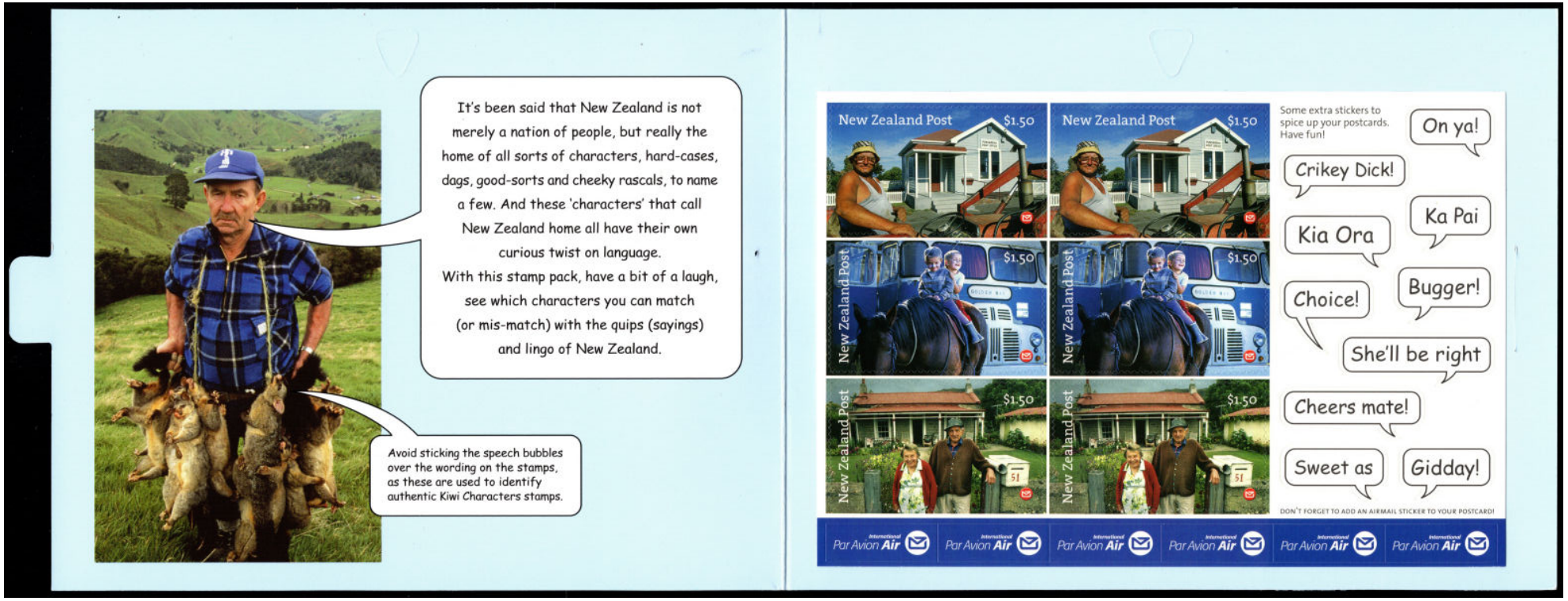


Postcard Stamp Booklets

March 16, 2004 saw three items from New Zealand Post that went under the radar with most collectors. Three Postcard Stamp Booklets were issued. They each contained a block of three pairs of $1.50 self-adhesive stamps, along with airmail labels and other fun stickers.



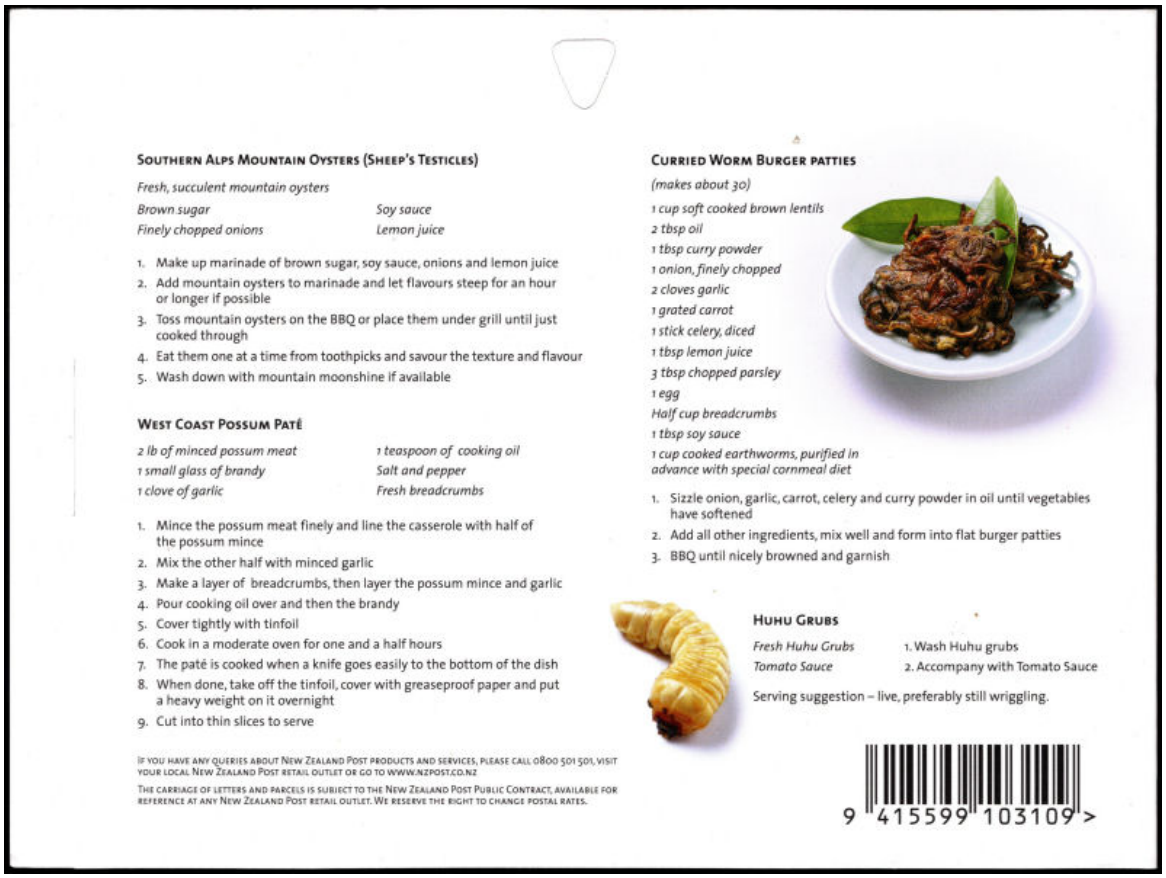




It's been said that New Zealand is not merely a nation of people, but really the home of all sorts of characters, hard-cases, dags, good-sorts and cheeky rascals, to name a few. And these 'characters' that call New Zealand home all have their own curious twist on language.
With this stamp pack, have a bit of a laugh, see which characters you can match (or mis-match) with the quips (sayings) and lingo of New Zealand.

Avoid sticking the speech bubbles over the wording on the stamps, as these are used to identify authentic Kiwi Characters stamps.





Southern Alps Mountain Oysters (Sheep's Testicles)

Fresh, succulent mountain oysters
Brown sugar
Finely chopped onions
Soy sauce
Lemon juice

1. Make up marinade of brown sugar, soy sauce, onions and lemon juice
2. Add mountain oysters to marinade and let flavours steep for an hour or longer if possible
3. Toss mountain oysters on the BBQ or place them under grill until just cooked through
4. Eat them one at a time from toothpicks and savour the texture and flavour
5. Wash down with mountain moonshine if available

West Coast Possum Paté

2 lb of minced possum meat
1 small glass of brandy
1 clove of garlic
1 teaspoon of cooking oil
Salt and pepper
Fresh breadcrumbs

1. Mince the possum meat finely and line the casserole with half of the possum mince
2. Mix the other half with minced garlic
3. Make a layer of breadcrumbs, then layer the possum mince and garlic
4. Pour cooking oil over and then the brandy
5. Cover tightly with tinfoil
6. Cook in a moderate oven for one and a half hours
7. The paté is cooked when a knife goes easily to the bottom of the dish
8. When done, take off the tinfoil, cover with greaseproof paper and put a heavy weight on it overnight
9. Cut into thin slices to serve

Curried Worm Burger patties

(makes about 30)
1 cup soft cooked brown lentils
2 tbsp oil
1 tbsp curry powder
1 onion, finely chopped
2 cloves garlic
1 grated carrot
1 stick celery, diced
1 tbsp lemon juice
3 tbsp chopped parsley
1 egg
Half cup breadcrumbs
1 tbsp soy sauce
1 cup cooked earthworms, purified in advance with special cornmeal diet

1. Sizzle onion, garlic, carrot, celery and curry powder in oil until vegetables have softened
2. Add all other ingredients, mix well and form into flat burger patties
3. BBQ until nicely browned and garnish

Huhu Grubs

Fresh Huhu Grubs
Tomato Sauce
1. Wash Huhu grubs
2. Accompany with Tomato Sauce

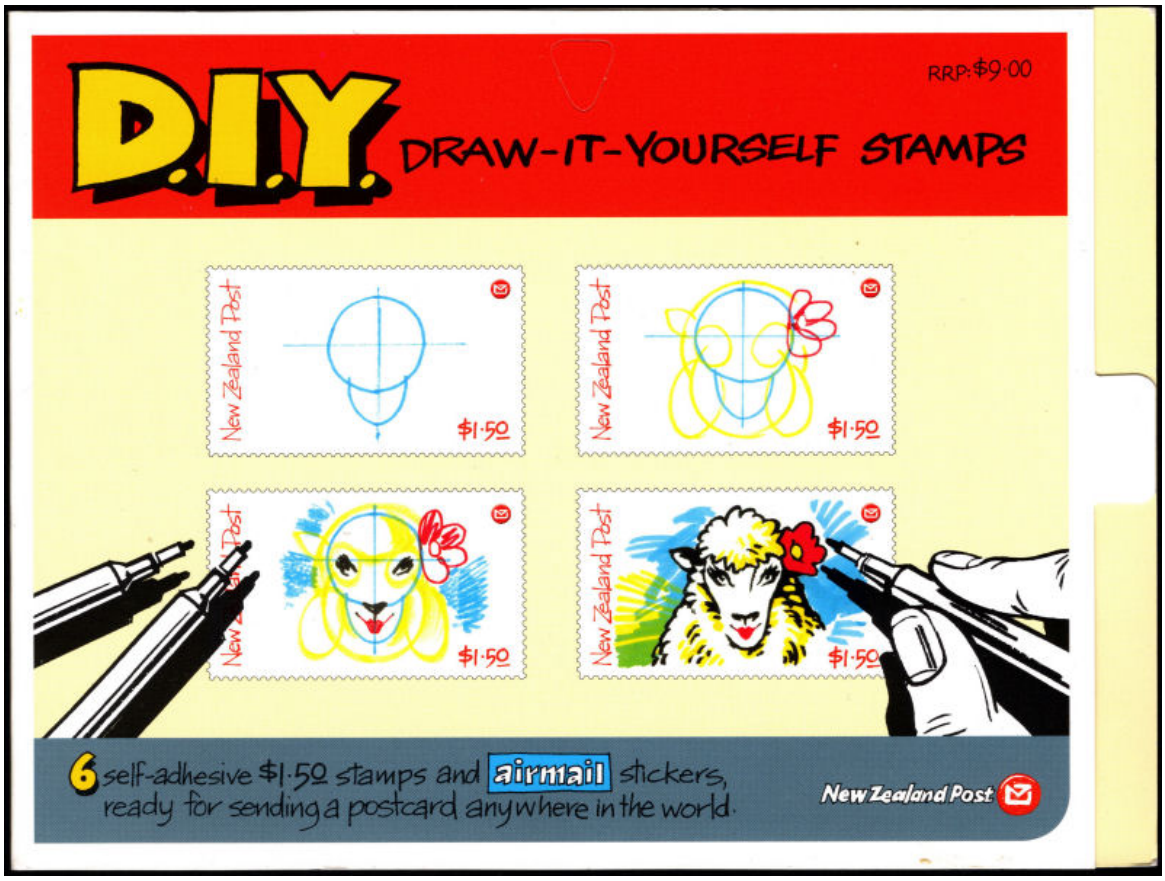
Serving suggestion – live, preferably still wriggling.

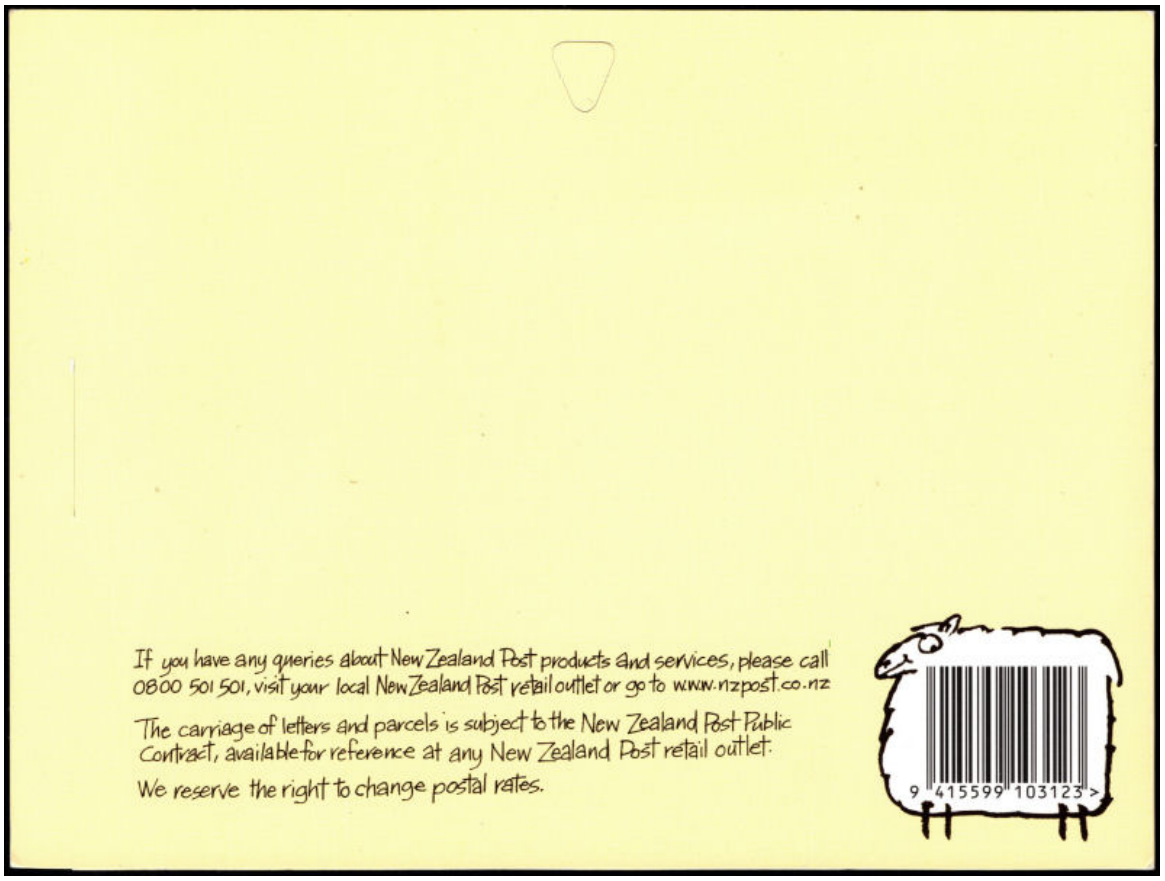
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Some extra stickers to spice up your postcards. Have fun!
DON'T FORGET TO ADD AN AIRMAIL STICKER TO YOUR POSTCARD!
Par Avion Air
$1.50
New Zealand Post
Once a year in New Zealand, sheep scurry for the hills, worms quiver in the earth, seagulls head offshore for their squawking, and the possums begin to fret about what might become of them.
Once a year around the country, wily and adventurous New Zealanders of a culinary ilk go out in search of new and exotic wild foods, for the Hokitika Wildfoods Festival.
Visit www.wildfoods.co.nz for more information on the Hokitika Wildfoods Festival.





This Booklet allowed the purchaser to draw their own designs on the stamps.

In the great tradition of kiwi ingenuity, jimmying-things-up-with-number-eight-wire (or in other words generally having a go), New Zealand Post presents the all **original** **DIY** (DRAW-IT-YOURSELF) STAMPS. Even if you're not great at art, don't worry. That's right, you don't need to be a dab hand at drawing. **DIY** stamps are just the thing for having a bit of **fun** and then sending to your friends and family around the world.

SOME HANDY HINTS AND STARTER TIPS:

- Draw a kiwi (but not at night)
- A cheeky Pukeko or kea.
- The Southern Alps glistening at sunset
- Draw one picture over all the stamps so that each individual stamp becomes a piece of a puzzle.
- Place the stamp on a postcard and just write all over it.

SOME THINGS TO BE CAREFUL OF:

- As your postcard has a long way to travel, ensure that anything you stick on to the stamp is firmly affixed (and is unlikely to cause damage to other mail items).
- Try to use waterproof pens.
- Avoid drawing over the preprinted sections of each stamp, as these are used to identify authentic **DIY** stamps.
- Don't draw or write anything rude or offensive because New Zealand Post or the overseas Post Office may refuse to deliver it.

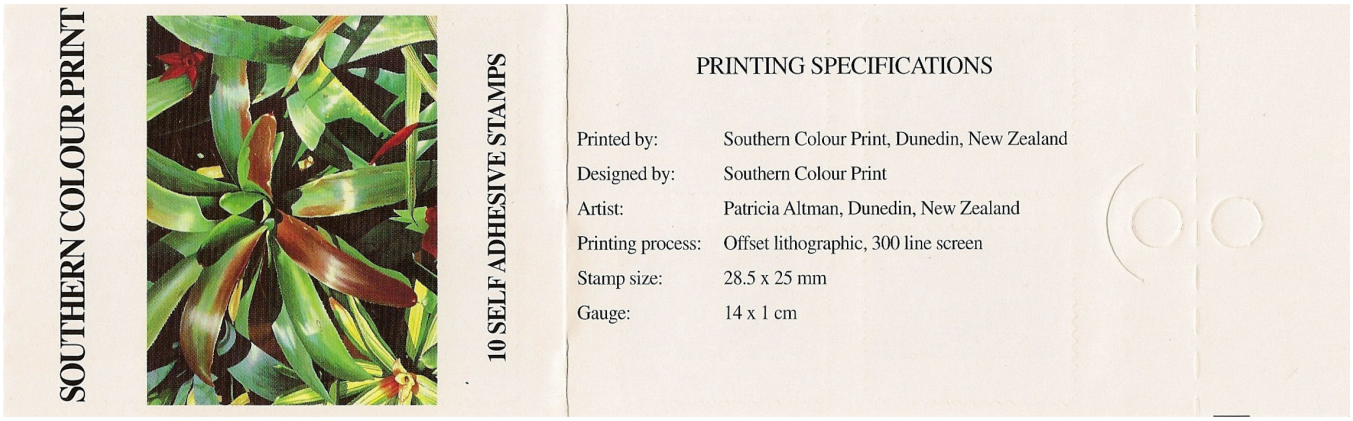
Par Avion Air

Don't forget to add an airmail sticker to your postcard

$1·50 New Zealand Post

Stamp Printers Booklets





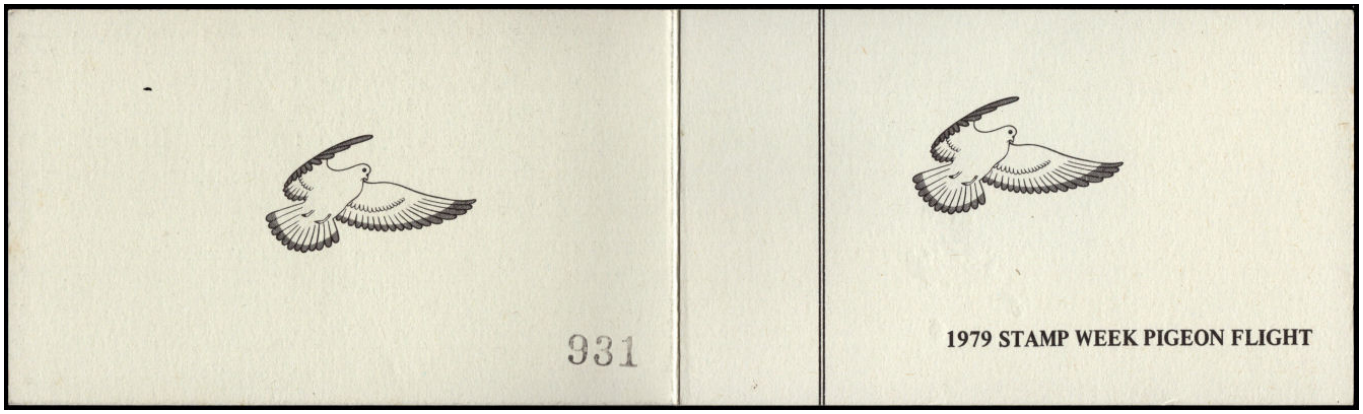


This booklet was issued at "Singapore '95 Stamp Show" to prospective customers of Southern Colour Print, as an example of their capabilities. The printer did not have a stand there, but were in attendance to look for business among the many postal administrations present. My special thanks to Glenn Morgan for supplying the images and information from his forthcoming book entitled "The Stamp Production Handbook", regarding worldwide dummy printers material.

Cinderella Booklets

From 1978 to 1984 inclusive, there was an annual release of a Cinderella miniature sheet depicting Pigeon Post. For the second year, 1979, approximately 1,000 booklets containing the four stamps from the miniature sheet were issued.

If you are aware of any other Cinderella Booklets, let me know for future inclusion.





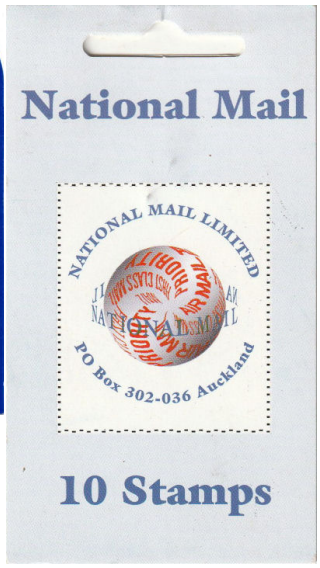
Alternate Mail Booklets

In 1998, the Postal Services Act removed New Zealand Post's statutory monopoly on the carriage of letters, opening up the market to full competition. Under the Act, anyone can process and deliver mail, at any cost, as long as they registered as a postal operator with the Ministry of Business, Innovation and Employment. A number of operators have come and gone since 1998, and these services opened a completely new area for stamp collectors. Some operators only issued stamps, but a few offered booklets as well. These booklets number into the hundreds and are quite challenging to collect. These different operators will be added in time, but due to the volume, may become a separate book on their own. Examples of a few of the carriers are shown below.





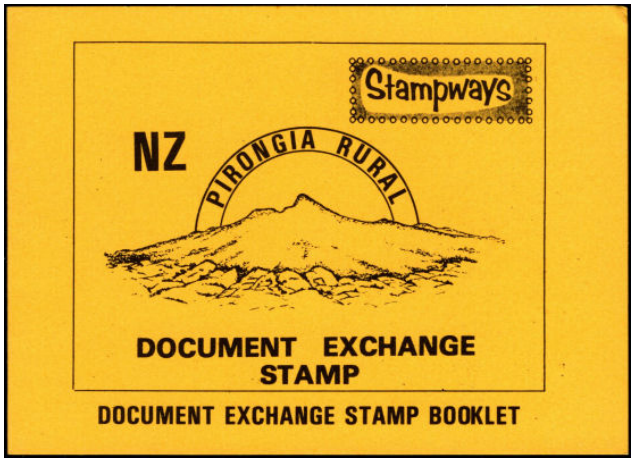
















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Check List Of NZ Post Booklets

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☐	W1ba	First Stamp Booklet 1901	2s 6½d	1000/2/1901-1022A	
☐	W1ab	First Stamp Booklet 1901	1s 0½d	1150/5/1901-4038A	Larger Print
☐	W1bb	First Stamp Booklet 1901	2s 6½d	460/5/1901-4038	Larger Print
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☐	W2c	First Stamp Booklet 1902	2s 0½d	Four Panes	
☐	WO2a	First Stamp Booklet 1907	10s	Official Overprint	
☐	W3a	Edward VII 1910-1914	2s	Ornamental Star	
☐	W3b	Edward VII 1910-1914	2s	Advertisements	Back Nelson Teas
☐	W3b	Edward VII 1910-1914	2s		Back Baldwin & Rayward
☐	W3b	Edward VII 1910-1914	2s		Back Redio Paint Cleaner
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☐	W4h	George V 1915-1934	2s	24 x 1d Field Marshall, Perf 14	Parisian Adverts
☐	W4j	George V 1915-1934	2s	24 x 1d Field Marshall, Perf 14x15	Parisian Adverts
☐	W5a	1d Kiwi 1935-1938	2s	Die 2	Parisian Adverts
☐	W5b	1d Kiwi 1935-1938	2s	Die 3	Binding Left, no adverts
☐	W6a	George VI 1938-1941	2s	24 x 1d Stamps	
☐	W6b1	George VI 1938-1941	2s	18 x 1d, 12 x ½d Stamps	Advertising Inserts
☐	W6b2	George VI 1938-1941	2s	18 x 1d, 12 x ½d Stamps	Blank Inserts
☐	W6c	George VI 1938-1941	2s 3d	18 x 1½d Stamps	
☐	W7a	Queen Elizabeth II 1954-1959	4s	12 x 1d sm, 12 x 3d sm	Back BP Petrol
☐	W7aa	Queen Elizabeth II 1954-1959	4s	12 x 1d sm, 12 x 3d sm, airmail labels	Back BP Visco-Static
☐	W7b	Queen Elizabeth II 1954-1959	4s	12 x 1d sm, 12 x 3d lg, airmail labels	Back BP Visco-Static
☐	W7c	Queen Elizabeth II 1954-1959	4s	12 x 1d lg, 12 x 3d lg, airmail labels	Back Motorists
☐	W7d	Queen Elizabeth II 1954-1959	4s	12 x 1d lg, 12 x 3d lg, white paper	Back Greys Filter
☐	W8a	1960 Pictorial 1960-1967	4s	12 x 1d, 12 x 3d Stapled	Back Greys Filter
☐	W8b	1960 Pictorial 1960-1967	4s 6d	12 x ½d, 12 x 1d, 12 x 3d Stapled	Back DR Filters
☐	W8ca	1960 Pictorial 1960-1967	4s 3d	6 x ½d, 12 x 1d, 12 x 3d Stitched, Unnumbered	Back DR Filters
☐	W8cb	1960 Pictorial 1960-1967	4s 3d	6 x ½d, 12 x 1d, 12 x 3d Stitched, Any Same No.	Back DR Filters
☐	W9aa1	1967 Decimal 1967-1969	50c	6 x ½c, 11 x 1c, 12 x 3c, Plain Selvedge	Back Wellington
☐	W9ab1	1967 Decimal 1967-1969	50c	6 x ½c, 11 x 1c, 12 x 3c, All "XA" at Top	Back Wellington
☐	W9ab2	1967 Decimal 1967-1969	50c	6 x ½c, 11 x 1c, 12 x 3c, All "XA" at Bottom	Back Wellington
☐	W9ab3	1967 Decimal 1967-1969	50c	6 x ½c, 11 x 1c, 12 x 3c, All "XB" at Top	Back Wellington
☐	W9ab4	1967 Decimal 1967-1969	50c	6 x ½c, 11 x 1c, 12 x 3c, All "XB" at Bottom	Back Wellington
☐	W9ac1	1967 Decimal 1967-1969	50c	6 x ½c, 11 x 1c, 12 x 3c, Mixed Codes Top	Back Wellington
☐	W9aa2	1967 Decimal 1967-1969	50c	6 x ½c, 11 x 1c, 12 x 3c, Plain Selvedge	Back Auckland
☐	W9ab5	1967 Decimal 1967-1969	50c	6 x ½c, 11 x 1c, 12 x 3c, All "XA" at Top	Back Auckland
☐	W9ab6	1967 Decimal 1967-1969	50c	6 x ½c, 11 x 1c, 12 x 3c, All "XA" at Bottom	Back Auckland
☐	W9ab7	1967 Decimal 1967-1969	50c	6 x ½c, 11 x 1c, 12 x 3c, All "XB" at Top	Back Auckland
☐	W9ab8	1967 Decimal 1967-1969	50c	6 x ½c, 11 x 1c, 12 x 3c, All "XB" at Bottom	Back Auckland
☐	W9ac2	1967 Decimal 1967-1969	50c	6 x ½c, 11 x 1c, 12 x 3c, Mixed Codes Bottom	Back Auckland



☐	W10a	1970 Pictorial 1970-1976	75c	9 x 1c, 6 x 3c, 12 x 4c, Watermark	Back Wellington
☐	W10b1	1970 Pictorial 1970-1976	75c	9 x 1c, 6 x 3c, 12 x 4c, No-Watermark	Back Auckland
☐	W10b2	1970 Pictorial 1970-1976	75c	9 x 1c, 6 x 3c, 12 x 4c, No-Watermark	Back Auckland, Cover Lt Green
☐	W11azL	1977 $1.00 Royal Arms	$1.00	Sky-Blue Cover	Left Selvedge
☐	W11azR	1977 $1.00 Royal Arms	$1.00	Sky-Blue Cover	Right Selvedge
☐	W11ayL	1977 $1.00 Royal Arms	$1.00	Greenish-Blue Cover	Left Selvedge
☐	W11ayR	1977 $1.00 Royal Arms	$1.00	Greenish-Blue Cover	Right Selvedge
☐	W12aL	1977 80c Rose	80c	Rose	Left Selvedge
☐	W12aR	1977 80c Rose	80c	Rose	Right Selvedge
☐	W13azL	1978 $1.00 Queen Elizabeth II	$1.00	Type A Left Selvedge	Perf 14¼ x 13¾
☐	W13azR	1978 $1.00 Queen Elizabeth II	$1.00	Type A Right Selvedge	Perf 14¼ x 13¾
☐	W13ayL	1978 $1.00 Queen Elizabeth II	$1.00	Type B Left Selvedge	Perf 14¼ x 13¾
☐	W13ayR	1978 $1.00 Queen Elizabeth II	$1.00	Type B Right Selvedge	Perf 14¼ x 13¾
☐	W13bL	1978 $1.00 Queen Elizabeth II	$1.00	Type A Left Selvedge	Perf 14¼ x 14½
☐	W13bR	1978 $1.00 Queen Elizabeth II	$1.00	Type A Right Selvedge	Perf 14¼ x 14½
☐	W14aL	1979 $1.20 Maori Artifact	$1.20	Left Selvedge	
☐	W14aR	1979 $1.20 Maori Artifact	$1.20	Right Selvedge	
☐	W15aL	1980 $1.40 Maori Artifact	$1.40	Left Selvedge	
☐	W15aR	1980 $1.40 Maori Artifact	$1.40	Right Selvedge	
☐	W15bL	1980 $1.54 Maori Artifact	$1.54	Left Selvedge	
☐	W15bR	1980 $1.54 Maori Artifact	$1.54	Right Selvedge	
☐	W16aL	1980 $2.00 Paua Shell	$2.00	Left Selvedge	
☐	W16aR	1980 $2.00 Paua Shell	$2.00	Right Selvedge	
☐	W16az	1980 $2.00 Paua Shell	$2.00	Left Selvedge	1 Asterisk
☐	W16ay	1980 $2.00 Paua Shell	$2.00	Left Selvedge	2 Asterisk
☐	W16bL	1980 $2.20 Paua Shell	$2.20	Left Selvedge	
☐	W16bR	1980 $2.20 Paua Shell	$2.20	Right Selvedge	
☐	W16bz	1980 $2.20 Paua Shell	$2.20	Left Selvedge	1 Asterisk
☐	W17aL	1982 $2.40 Map Stamp	$2.40	Left Selvedge	Perf 12 ¾ x 12 ½
☐	W17aR	1982 $2.40 Map Stamp	$2.40	Right Selvedge	Perf 12 ¾ x 12 ½
☐	W17az	1982 $2.40 Map Stamp	$2.40	Left Selvedge, Printers Imprint	Perf 12 ¾ x 12 ½
☐	W18aL	1982 $2.40 Map Stamp	$2.40	Left Selvedge	Perf 14 ¼ x 14
☐	W18aR	1982 $2.40 Map Stamp	$2.40	Right Selvedge	Perf 14 ¼ x 14
☐	W18az	1982 $2.40 Map Stamp	$2.40	Left Selvedge, Printers Imprint	Perf 14 ¼ x 14
☐	W17bL	1982 $2.64 Map Stamp	$2.64	Left Selvedge	Perf 12 ¾ x 12 ½
☐	W17bR	1982 $2.64 Map Stamp	$2.64	Right Selvedge	Perf 12 ¾ x 12 ½
☐	W17bz	1982 $2.64 Map Stamp	$2.64	Left Selvedge, Printers Imprint	Perf 12 ¾ x 12 ½
☐	W18bL	1982 $2.64 Map Stamp	$2.64	Left Selvedge	Perf 14 ¼ x 14
☐	W18bR	1982 $2.64 Map Stamp	$2.64	Right Selvedge	Perf 14 ¼ x 14
☐	W18bz	1982 $2.64 Map Stamp	$2.64	Left Selvedge, Printers Imprint	Perf 14 ¼ x 14
☐	W19aL	1985 $2.50 Queen Elizabeth II	$2.50	Left Selvedge	Lake Tekapo
☐	W19aR	1985 $2.50 Queen Elizabeth II	$2.50	Right Selvedge	Lake Tekapo
☐	W19az	1985 $2.50 Queen Elizabeth II	$2.50	Left Selvedge, Printers Imprint	Lake Tekapo
☐	W19bL	1985 $2.75 Queen Elizabeth II	$2.75	Left Selvedge	Tongariro National Park
☐	W19bR	1985 $2.75 Queen Elizabeth II	$2.75	Right Selvedge	Tongariro National Park
☐	W19bz	1985 $2.75 Queen Elizabeth II	$2.75	Left Selvedge, Printers Imprint	Tongariro National Park
☐	W20a	1986 $3.00 Kakapo	$3.00	Plain Top & Bottom Selvedge	Matukituki Valley
☐	W20aV	1986 $3.00 Kakapo	$3.00	Sheet Value Top Selvedge	Matukituki Valley
☐	W20az	1986 $3.00 Kakapo	$3.00	Part Printers Imprint Bottom Selvedge	Matukituki Valley
☐	W20ay	1986 $3.00 Kakapo	$3.00	Part Printers Imprint & 1 Kiwi	Matukituki Valley



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☐	W20ax	1986 $3.00 Kakapo	$3.00	Part Printers Imprint & 2 Kiwi	Matukituki Valley
☐	*W20aa*	1986 $3.00 Kakapo	$3.00	Plain Top & Bottom Stockholmia O/P	Matukituki Valley
☐	*W20aaV*	1986 $3.00 Kakapo	$3.00	Sheet Value Top Stockholmia O/P	Matukituki Valley
☐	*W20aaz*	1986 $3.00 Kakapo	$3.00	Part Printers Imprint Bottom Stockholmia O/P	Matukituki Valley
☐	W20b	1986 $3.30 Kakapo	$3.30	Plain Top & Bottom Selvedge	Canterbury Stream
☐	W20bV	1986 $3.30 Kakapo	$3.30	Sheet Value Top Selvedge	Canterbury Stream
☐	W20bz	1986 $3.30 Kakapo	$3.30	Part Printers Imprint Bottom Selvedge	Canterbury Stream
☐	*W20bb*	1986 $3.30 Kakapo	$3.30	Plain Top & Bottom Stockholmia O/P	Canterbury Stream
☐	*W20bbV*	1986 $3.30 Kakapo	$3.30	Sheet Value Top Stockholmia O/P	Canterbury Stream
☐	*W20bbz*	1986 $3.30 Kakapo	$3.30	Part Printers Imprint Bottom Stockholmia O/P	Canterbury Stream
☐	W21a	1987 $4.00 Blue Duck	$4.00	Plain Top & Bottom Selvedge	Aruriri Valley, Otago
☐	W21aV	1987 $4.00 Blue Duck	$4.00	Sheet Value Top Selvedge	Aruriri Valley, Otago
☐	W21az	1987 $4.00 Blue Duck	$4.00	Part Printers Imprint Bottom Selvedge	Aruriri Valley, Otago
☐	W21ay	1987 $4.00 Blue Duck	$4.00	Part Printers Imprint & 1 Kiwi	Aruriri Valley, Otago
☐	W21b	1987 $4.40 Blue Duck	$4.40	Plain Top & Bottom Selvedge	Totaranui Beach, Nelson
☐	W21bV	1987 $4.40 Blue Duck	$4.40	Sheet Value Top Selvedge	Totaranui Beach, Nelson
☐	W21bz	1987 $4.40 Blue Duck	$4.40	Part Printers Imprint Bottom Selvedge	Totaranui Beach, Nelson
☐	W21by	1987 $4.40 Blue Duck	$4.40	Part Printers Imprint & 1 Kiwi	Totaranui Beach, Nelson
☐	W22a	1987 $4.00 Blue Duck, New Logo	$4.00	Plain Top & Bottom Selvedge	Aruriri Valley, Otago
☐	W22aV	1987 $4.00 Blue Duck, New Logo	$4.00	Sheet Value Top Selvedge	Aruriri Valley, Otago
☐	W22az	1987 $4.00 Blue Duck, New Logo	$4.00	Part Printers Imprint & 1 Kiwi	Aruriri Valley, Otago
☐	W22ay	1987 $4.00 Blue Duck, New Logo	$4.00	Part Printers Imprint & 2 Kiwi	Aruriri Valley, Otago
☐	*W22aa*	1987 $4.00 Blue Duck, New Logo	$4.00	Plain Top & Bottom Capex Overprint	Aruriri Valley, Otago
☐	*W22aaV*	1987 $4.00 Blue Duck, New Logo	$4.00	Sheet Value Top Capex Overprint	Aruriri Valley, Otago
☐	*W22aaz*	1987 $4.00 Blue Duck, New Logo	$4.00	Part Printers Imprint & 1 Kiwi Capex O/P	Aruriri Valley, Otago
☐	W22b	1987 $4.40 Blue Duck, New Logo	$4.40	Plain Top & Bottom Selvedge	Totaranui Beach, Nelson
☐	W22bV	1987 $4.40 Blue Duck, New Logo	$4.40	Sheet Value Top Selvedge	Totaranui Beach, Nelson
☐	W22bz	1987 $4.40 Blue Duck, New Logo	$4.40	Part Printers Imprint & 1 Kiwi	Totaranui Beach, Nelson
☐	*W22bb*	1987 $4.40 Blue Duck, New Logo	$4.40	Plain Top & Bottom Capex O/P	Totaranui Beach, Nelson
☐	*W22bbV*	1987 $4.40 Blue Duck, New Logo	$4.40	Sheet Value Top Capex O/P	Totaranui Beach, Nelson
☐	*W22bbz*	1987 $4.40 Blue Duck, New Logo	$4.40	Part Printers Imprint & 1 Kiwi Capex O/P	Totaranui Beach, Nelson
☐	W23a	1987 $4.00 Blue Duck, Red & Blue Logo	$4.00	Plain Top & Bottom Selvedge	Wellington By Night
☐	W23aV	1987 $4.00 Blue Duck, Red & Blue Logo	$4.00	Sheet Value Top Selvedge	Wellington By Night
☐	W23az	1987 $4.00 Blue Duck, Red & Blue Logo	$4.00	Part Printers Imprint & 2 Kiwi	Wellington By Night
☐	W23ay	1987 $4.00 Blue Duck, Red & Blue Logo	$4.00	Part Printers Imprint & 3 Kiwi	Wellington By Night
☐	W23ax	1987 $4.00 Blue Duck, Red & Blue Logo	$4.00	Part Printers Imprint & 4 Kiwi Joined Pair	Wellington By Night
☐	W23b	1987 $4.40 Blue Duck, Red & Blue Logo	$4.40	Plain Top & Bottom Selvedge	Katiki Point, Otago
☐	W23bV	1987 $4.40 Blue Duck, Red & Blue Logo	$4.40	Sheet Value Top Selvedge	Katiki Point, Otago
☐	W23bz	1987 $4.40 Blue Duck, Red & Blue Logo	$4.40	Part Printers Imprint & 2 Kiwi	Katiki Point, Otago
☐	W24a	1988 $2.00 Personal Message Stamps	$2.00	5 x 40c Personal Messages	
☐	*W24aa*	1988 $2.00 Personal Message Stamps	$2.00	5 x 40c Personal Messages	World Stamp Expo O/P
☐	W25aL	1988 $7.00 FastPost Par Avion	$7.00	10 x 70c Paradise Shelduck	Left Selvedge
☐	W25aR	1988 $7.00 FastPost Par Avion	$7.00	10 x 70c Paradise Shelduck	Right Selvedge
☐	W25az	1988 $7.00 FastPost Par Avion	$7.00	10 x 70c Paradise Shelduck Coloured Dots	Left Selvedge
☐	W25ay	1988 $7.00 FastPost Par Avion	$7.00	10 x 70c Paradise Shelduck Coloured Dots	Left Selvedge & 1 Kiwi
☐	W26aT	1988 $3.50 Christmas	$3.50	10 x 35c Christmas	Plain Top Selvedge
☐	W26aB	1988 $3.50 Christmas	$3.50	10 x 35c Christmas	Plain Bottom Selvedge
☐	W26aV	1988 $3.50 Christmas	$3.50	10 x 35c Christmas	Sheet Value Top Selvedge
☐	W26az	1988 $3.50 Christmas	$3.50	10 x 35c Christmas (Imprint Se-Tenant Pair)	Printers Imprint Bottom
☐	W27a	1988 $6.00 Round Kiwi	$6.00	6 x $1.00 Green Circular Kiwi	



☐	W28aL	1988 $4.00 Mt Cook	$4.00	10 x 40c Brown Kiwi, Handiwrap	Blank Left Selvedge
☐	W28aR	1988 $4.00 Mt Cook	$4.00	10 x 40c Brown Kiwi, Handiwrap	Blank Right Selvedge
☐	W28az	1988 $4.00 Mt Cook	$4.00	10 x 40c Brown Kiwi, Handiwrap	Coloured Dots Left Selvedge
☐	W28ay	1988 $4.00 Mt Cook	$4.00	10 x 40c Brown Kiwi, Handiwrap, 1 Kiwi	Coloured Dots Left Selvedge
☐	W28ax	1988 $4.00 Mt Cook	$4.00	10 x 40c Brown Kiwi, Handiwrap, 2 Kiwi	Coloured Dots Left Selvedge
☐	W28aw	1988 $4.00 Mt Cook	$4.00	10 x 40c Brown Kiwi, Handiwrap, 3 Kiwi	Coloured Dots Left Selvedge
☐	W28av	1988 $4.00 Mt Cook	$4.00	10 x 40c Brown Kiwi, NZ Stamps, 3 Kiwi	Coloured Dots Left Selvedge
☐	W28au	1988 $4.00 Mt Cook	$4.00	10 x 40c Brown Kiwi, NZ Stamps, 5 Kiwi	Coloured Dots Left Selvedge
☐	W28at	1988 $4.00 Mt Cook	$4.00	10 x 40c Brown Kiwi, NZ Stamps, 6 Kiwi	Coloured Dots Left Selvedge
☐	W28a*L	1988 $4.00 Mt Cook	$4.00	10 x 40c Brown Kiwi, NZ Stamps	Blank Left Selvedge
☐	W28a*R	1988 $4.00 Mt Cook	$4.00	10 x 40c Brown Kiwi, NZ Stamps	Blank Right Selvedge
☐	*W28aaL*	1988 $4.00 Mt Cook "Stamp World"	$4.00	10 x 40c Brown Kiwi, Handiwrap	Blank Left Selvedge
☐	*W28aaR*	1988 $4.00 Mt Cook "Stamp World"	$4.00	10 x 40c Brown Kiwi, Handiwrap	Blank Right Selvedge
☐	*W28aa*L*	1988 $4.00 Mt Cook "Stamp World"	$4.00	10 x 40c Brown Kiwi, NZ Stamps	Blank Left Selvedge
☐	*W28aa*R*	1988 $4.00 Mt Cook "Stamp World"	$4.00	10 x 40c Brown Kiwi, NZ Stamps	Blank Right Selvedge
☐	*W28aaz*	1988 $4.00 Mt Cook "Stamp World"	$4.00	10 x 40c Brown Kiwi, Handiwrap	Coloured Dots Left Selvedge
☐	*W28aay*	1988 $4.00 Mt Cook "Stamp World"	$4.00	10 x 40c Brown Kiwi, NZ Stamps, 3 Kiwi	Coloured Dots Left Selvedge
☐	W29aT	1989 $3.50 Christmas	$3.50	10 x 35c Christmas	Plain Top Selvedge
☐	W29aB	1989 $3.50 Christmas	$3.50	10 x 35c Christmas	Plain Bottom Selvedge
☐	W29aV	1989 $3.50 Christmas	$3.50	10 x 35c Christmas	Sheet Value Top Selvedge
☐	W29az	1989 $3.50 Christmas	$3.50	10 x 35c Christmas (Imprint Se-Tenant Pair)	Printers Imprint Bottom
☐	W30a	1990 $4.00 Foodtown Envelope	$4.00	10 x 40c Brown Kiwi	Foodtown Logo
☐	W30az	1990 $4.00 Foodtown Envelope	$4.00	10 x 40c Brown Kiwi	No Foodtown Logo
☐	W31aL	1990 $4.00 Hang-Sell	$4.00	10 x 40c Brown Kiwi	Left Selvedge
☐	W31aR	1990 $4.00 Hang-Sell	$4.00	10 x 40c Brown Kiwi	Right Selvedge
☐	W31az	1990 $4.00 Hang-Sell	$4.00	10 x 40c Brown Kiwi, 6 Kiwi	Coloured Dots Left Selvedge
☐	W31ay	1990 $4.00 Hang-Sell	$4.00	10 x 40c Brown Kiwi, 7 Kiwi	Coloured Dots Left Selvedge
☐	W31ax	1990 $4.00 Hang-Sell	$4.00	10 x 40c Brown Kiwi, 8 Kiwi	Coloured Dots Left Selvedge
☐	W32a	1991 $2.00 Thinking Of You	$2.00	5 x 40c Thinking Of You	
☐	W35a	1991 $2.25 Thinking Of You	$2.25	5 x 45c Thinking Of You Hang Sell	
☐	W33a	1991 $2.00 Happy Birthday	$2.00	5 x 40c Happy Birthday	
☐	W36a	1991 $2.25 Happy Birthday	$2.25	5 x 45c Happy Birthday Hang Sell	
☐	W34aL	1991 $4.50 Rock Wren Blue	$4.50	10 x 45c Rock Wren	Left Selvedge
☐	W34aR	1991 $4.50 Rock Wren Blue	$4.50	10 x 45c Rock Wren	Right Selvedge
☐	W34az	1991 $4.50 Rock Wren Blue	$4.50	10 x 45c Rock Wren	Left Selvedge, Coloured Dots
☐	W37aT	1991 $4.50 Rock Wren Red	$4.50	10 x 45c Rock Wren, Hang Sell, Top Selvedge	Imperf Left & Right, Roman I
☐	W37aB	1991 $4.50 Rock Wren Red	$4.50	10 x 45c Rock Wren, Hang Sell, Btm Selvedge	Imperf Left & Right, Roman I
☐	W37azT	1991 $4.50 Rock Wren Red	$4.50	10 x 45c Rock Wren, Hang Sell, Top Selvedge	Perf Left & Right, Roman I
☐	W37azB	1991 $4.50 Rock Wren Red	$4.50	10 x 45c Rock Wren, Hang Sell, Btm Selvedge	Perf Left & Right, Roman I
☐	W37bT	1991 $4.50 Rock Wren Red	$4.50	10 x 45c Rock Wren, Top Selvedge	Perf Left & Right, Roman I
☐	W37bB	1991 $4.50 Rock Wren Red	$4.50	10 x 45c Rock Wren, Btm Selvedge	Perf Left & Right, Roman I
☐	W37cT	1991 $4.50 Rock Wren Red	$4.50	10 x 45c Rock Wren, Hang Sell, Top Selvedge	Perf Left & Right, Roman II
☐	W37cB	1991 $4.50 Rock Wren Red	$4.50	10 x 45c Rock Wren, Hang Sell, Btm Selvedge	Perf Left & Right, Roman II
☐	W37bzT	1991 $4.50 Rock Wren Red	$4.50	10 x 45c Rock Wren, Top Selvedge	Perf Left & Right, Roman II
☐	W37bzB	1991 $4.50 Rock Wren Red	$4.50	10 x 45c Rock Wren, Btm Selvedge	Perf Left & Right, Roman II
☐	W37by	1991 $4.50 Rock Wren Red	$4.50	10 x 45c Rock Wren, Btm Se-Tenant Pair	Complete Imprint, Roman II
☐	W38aT	1992 $4.00 FastPost	$4.00	5 x 80c Penguin	Plain Top Selvedge
☐	W38aB	1992 $4.00 FastPost	$4.00	5 x 80c Penguin	Plain Bottom Selvedge
☐	W38aV	1992 $4.00 FastPost	$4.00	5 x 80c Penguin	Sheet Value Top Selvedge
☐	W38az1	1992 $4.00 FastPost	$4.00	5 x 80c Penguin	Printers Imprint 1 Bottom



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☐	W38az2	1992 $4.00 FastPost	$4.00	5 x 80c Penguin	Printers Imprint 2 Btm
☐	W38az3	1992 $4.00 FastPost	$4.00	5 x 80c Penguin	Printers Imprint 3 Btm
☐	W38bT	1992 $8.00 FastPost	$8.00	10 x 80c Penguin	Plain Top Selvedge
☐	W38bB	1992 $8.00 FastPost	$8.00	10 x 80c Penguin	Plain Bottom Selvedge
☐	W38bV	1992 $8.00 FastPost	$8.00	10 x 80c Penguin	Sheet Value Top Selvedge
☐	W38by1	1992 $8.00 FastPost	$8.00	10 x 80c Penguin	Printers Imprint 1 Btm
☐	W38by2	1992 $8.00 FastPost	$8.00	10 x 80c Penguin	Printers Imprint 2 Btm
☐	W38bzT	1992 $8.00 FastPost, Barcode	$8.00	10 x 80c Penguin, Barcode & Roman I	Top Selvedge
☐	W38bzB	1992 $8.00 FastPost, Barcode	$8.00	10 x 80c Penguin, Barcode & Roman I	Bottom Selvedge
☐	W39aPP	1992 $4.50 Scenic Panorama	$4.50	10 x 45c Scenic Hang Sell, Left Part Perf	Perf Top & Btm, Roman I
☐	W39aFP	1992 $4.50 Scenic Panorama	$4.50	10 x 45c Scenic Hang Sell, Left Full Perf	Perf Top & Btm, Roman I
☐	W39az	1992 $4.50 Scenic Panorama	$4.50	10 x 45c Scenic Hang Sell, Left Full Perf	Imperf Top & Btm, Roman I
☐	W39ay	1992 $4.50 Scenic Panorama	$4.50	10 x 45c Scenic Hang Sell, Left Full Perf	Imperf Top & Btm, Roman II
☐	W39ax	1992 $4.50 Scenic Panorama	$4.50	10 x 45c Scenic Hang Sell, Left Full Perf	Imperf Top & Btm, Roman III
☐	W39bPP	1992 $4.50 Scenic Panorama	$4.50	10 x 45c Scenic, Left Part Perf	Perf Top & Btm, Roman I
☐	W39bLFP	1992 $4.50 Scenic Panorama	$4.50	10 x 45c Scenic, Left Full Perf	Perf Top & Btm, Roman I
☐	W39bRFP	1992 $4.50 Scenic Panorama	$4.50	10 x 45c Scenic, Right Full Perf	Perf Top & Btm, Roman I
☐	W39bz	1992 $4.50 Scenic Panorama	$4.50	10 x 45c Scenic, Left Full Perf	Perf Top & Btm, Roman II
☐	W39by	1992 $4.50 Scenic Panorama	$4.50	10 x 45c Scenic, Left Full Perf	Perf Top & Btm, Roman III
☐	W40aT	1993-1995 $8.00 Falcon	$8.00	10 x 80c NZ Falcon, Perf 14, White $8.00	Top Selvedge, Roman I
☐	W40aB	1993-1995 $8.00 Falcon	$8.00	10 x 80c NZ Falcon, Perf 14, White $8.00	Bottom Selvedge, Roman I
☐	W40bT	1993-1995 $8.00 Falcon	$8.00	10 x 80c NZ Falcon, Perf 12, Black $8.00	Top Selvedge
☐	W40bB	1993-1995 $8.00 Falcon	$8.00	10 x 80c NZ Falcon, Perf 12, Black $8.00	Bottom Selvedge
☐	W40c	1993-1995 $8.00 Falcon	$8.00	10 x 80c NZ Falcon, Perf 12, Black $8.00, Hang Sell	Top Selvedge, Imperf L & R
☐	W41a	1993 $4.50 Tusked Weta	$4.50	10 x 45c Tusked Weta, Hang Sell	Left Selvedge
☐	W41b	1993 $4.50 Tusked Weta	$4.50	10 x 45c Tusked Weta	Left Selvedge
☐	W42a	1993 $4.50 NZ Fish	$4.50	10 x 45c Fish Panorama, Hang Sell	Left Selvedge
☐	W42b	1993 $4.50 NZ Fish	$4.50	10 x 45c Fish Panorama	Left Selvedge
☐	W43a	1993 $4.50 NZ Dinosaur	$4.50	10 x 45c Dinosaur, Hang Sell	Left Selvedge
☐	W43b	1993 $4.50 NZ Dinosaur	$4.50	10 x 45c Dinosaur	Left Selvedge
☐	W44a	1993 $4.50 Christmas	$4.50	10 x 45c Christmas, Hang Sell	Top Selvedge
☐	W44b	1993 $4.50 Christmas	$4.50	10 x 45c Christmas	Top Selvedge
☐	W45a	1994 $4.50 Tourism NZ	$4.50	10 x 45c White Water Rafting, Hang Sell	Left Selvedge
☐	W45az	1994 $4.50 Tourism NZ	$4.50	10 x 45c White Water Rafting, Hang Sell	Left Selvedge, Roman II
☐	W45b	1994 $4.50 Tourism NZ	$4.50	10 x 45c White Water Rafting	Left Selvedge
☐	W45bz	1994 $4.50 Tourism NZ	$4.50	10 x 45c White Water Rafting	Left Selvedge, Roman II
☐	W46a	1994 $4.50 Kiwiana	$4.50	10 x 45c Kiwiana, Hang Sell	Left Selvedge
☐	W46b	1994 $4.50 Kiwiana	$4.50	10 x 45c Kiwiana	Left Selvedge
☐	W47a	1994 $4.50 Christmas	$4.50	10 x 45c Christmas, Hang Sell	Left Selvedge
☐	W47b	1994 $4.50 Christmas	$4.50	10 x 45c Christmas	Left Selvedge
☐	W48a	1994 $4.50 Cricket	$4.50	10 x 45c Beach Cricket, Hang Sell	Left Selvedge
☐	W48b	1994 $4.50 Cricket	$4.50	10 x 45c Beach Cricket	Left Selvedge
☐	W49a	1995 $4.50 Environment	$4.50	10 x 45c Environment Panorama	Left Selvedge
☐	W50a	1995 $4.50 Rugby League	$4.50	10 x 45c Rugby League	Left Selvedge
☐	W51a	1995 $4.50 Farmyard Animals	$4.50	10 x 45c Farmyard Animals	Left Selvedge
☐	W53a	1995 $4.00 Farmyard Animals	$4.00	10 x 40c Farmyard Animals	Left Selvedge
☐	W52a	1995 $5.00 Trial AirPost	$5.00	5 x $1.00 Butterfly	Left Selvedge
☐	W54a	1995 $4.00 Christmas	$4.00	10 x 40c Christmas	Top Selvedge
☐	W56a	1996 $4.00 NZ Seashore	$4.00	10 x 40c Seashore	Left Selvedge
☐	W56b	1996 $4.00 NZ Seashore	$4.00	10 x 40c Seashore, Self Adhesive	



☐	W57a	1996 $5.00 Pohutukawa AirPost	$5.00	5 x $1.00 Pohutukawa	28 Roulettes
☐	W57az	1996 $5.00 Pohutukawa AirPost	$5.00	5 x $1.00 Pohutukawa	15 Roulettes
☐	W57b	1996 $5.00 Pohutukawa AirPost	$5.00	5 x $1.00 Pohutukawa	1 Kiwi
☐	W58a	1996 $4.00 Christmas	$4.00	10 x 40c Christmas	
☐	W59a	1996 $4.00 Stout-Legged Wren	$4.00	10 x 40c Stout-Legged Wren	
☐	W60a	1996 $8.00 Doubtful Sound FastPost	$8.00	10 x 80c Doubtful Sound	13 Roulettes
☐	W60az	1996 $8.00 Doubtful Sound FastPost	$8.00	10 x 80c Doubtful Sound	8 Roulettes
☐	W60b	1996 $8.00 Doubtful Sound FastPost	$8.00	10 x 80c Doubtful Sound	4 Panels
☐	W60bz	1996 $8.00 Doubtful Sound FastPost	$8.00	10 x 80c Doubtful Sound	1 Kiwi
☐	W60by	1996 $8.00 Doubtful Sound FastPost	$8.00	10 x 80c Doubtful Sound	2 Kiwi
☐	W60bx	1996 $8.00 Doubtful Sound FastPost	$8.00	10 x 80c Doubtful Sound	3 Kiwi
☐	W62a	1997 $4.00 NZ's Wackiest Letterboxes	$4.00	10 x 40c Wackiest Letterboxes	
☐	W63a	1997 $4.00 Christmas	$4.00	10 x 40c Christmas	
☐	W64a	1997 $4.00 Creepy Crawlies	$4.00	10 x 40c Creepy Crawlies	
☐	W66a	1998 $4.00 Scenic Definitives	$4.00	10 x 40c Scenic	Readers Digest
☐	W66az	1998 $4.00 Scenic Definitives	$4.00	10 x 40c Scenic, no "Marlborough Sounds"	Readers Digest
☐	W66b	1998 $4.00 Scenic Definitives	$4.00	10 x 40c Scenic	Scenic Skies
☐	W66bz	1998 $4.00 Scenic Definitives	$4.00	10 x 40c Scenic	Town Icons
☐	W66by	1998 $4.00 Scenic Definitives	$4.00	10 x 40c Scenic	Super 12
☐	W66bx	1998 $4.00 Scenic Definitives	$4.00	10 x 40c Scenic	Stamp Focus
☐	W66bw	1998 $4.00 Scenic Definitives	$4.00	10 x 40c Scenic	Get Stuck Into Stamp Collecting
☐	W66bv	1998 $4.00 Scenic Definitives	$4.00	10 x 40c Scenic	New Zealand Stamp Collection
☐	W66bu	1998 $4.00 Scenic Definitives	$4.00	10 x 40c Scenic	Threatened Birds
☐	W66c	1998 $4.00 Scenic Definitives	$4.00	10 x 40c Scenic, Phosphor Paper	New Zealand Stamp Collection
☐	W66cz	1998 $4.00 Scenic Definitives	$4.00	10 x 40c Scenic, Phosphor Paper	Threatened Birds
☐	W67a	1998 $4.00 Greetings	$4.00	10 x 40c Greetings	
☐	W68a	1998 $4.00 Christmas	$4.00	10 x 40c Christmas	
☐	W69a	1998 $4.00 Town Icons	$4.00	10 x 40c Town Icons	
☐	W70a	1999 $4.00 U-Bix Rugby Super 12s	$4.00	10 x 40c Auckland Blues	
☐	W71a	1999 $4.00 U-Bix Rugby Super 12s	$4.00	10 x 40c Waikato Chiefs	
☐	W72a	1999 $4.00 U-Bix Rugby Super 12s	$4.00	10 x 40c Wellington Hurricanes	
☐	W73a	1999 $4.00 U-Bix Rugby Super 12s	$4.00	10 x 40c Canterbury Crusaders	
☐	W74a	1999 $4.00 U-Bix Rugby Super 12s	$4.00	10 x 40c Otago Highlanders	
☐	W76a	1999 $4.00 Yachting	$4.00	10 x 40c Yachting	
☐	W77a	1999 $4.00 Christmas	$4.00	10 x 40c Christmas	
☐	W78a	2000 $5.50 International Air	$5.50	5 x $1.10 Kaikoura Coast	
☐	W79a	2000 $4.00 Kiwiana II	$4.00	10 x 40c Kiwiana II	
☐	W81a	2000 $4.00 Christmas	$4.00	10 x 40c Christmas	
☐	W82a	2001 $4.00 100 Years Of Tourism	$4.00	10 x 40c Bungy Jumping	
☐	W84a	2001 $7.50 100 Years Of Tourism	$7.50	5 x $1.50 Sea Kayaking	
☐	W84az	2001 $7.50 100 Years Of Tourism	$7.50	5 x $1.50 Sea Kayaking	1 Kiwi
☐	W83a	2001 $9.00 100 Years Of Tourism	$9.00	10 x 90c Mt. Alfred	
☐	W83az	2001 $9.00 100 Years Of Tourism	$9.00	10 x 90c Mt. Alfred	1 Kiwi
☐	W85a	2001 $4.00 Christmas	$4.00	10 x 40c Christmas	
☐	W86a	2001 $9.00 Lord Of The Rings I	$9.00	Various Denominations	
☐	W87a	2002 $4.00 Scenic Coastlines	$4.00	10 x 40c Tongaporutu Cliffs	
☐	W87az	2002 $4.00 Scenic Coastlines	$4.00	10 x 40c Tongaporutu Cliffs	1 Kiwi
☐	W89a	2002 $7.50 Scenic Coastlines	$7.50	5 x $1.50 Meybille Bay	
☐	W88a	2002 $9.00 Scenic Coastlines	$9.00	10 x 90c Curio Bay, Catlins	
☐	W88az	2002 $9.00 Scenic Coastlines	$9.00	10 x 90c Curio Bay, Catlins	1 Kiwi



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☐	W90a	2002 $4.00 Christmas	$4.00	10 x 40c Christmas	
☐	W91a	2002 $9.00 Lord Of The Rings II	$9.00	Various Denominations	
☐	W92a	2003 $7.50 Arrowtown	$7.50	5 x $1.50 Arrowtown	Barcode 460
☐	W92b	2003 $7.50 Arrowtown	$7.50	5 x $1.50 Arrowtown	Barcode 460, 1 Kiwi
☐	W92bz	2003 $7.50 Arrowtown	$7.50	5 x $1.50 Arrowtown	Barcode 460, 2 Kiwi
☐	W92by	2003 $7.50 Arrowtown	$7.50	5 x $1.50 Arrowtown	Barcode 460, 3 Kiwi
☐	W92bx	2003 $7.50 Arrowtown	$7.50	5 x $1.50 Arrowtown	Barcode 460, 4 Kiwi
☐	W92c	2003 $7.50 Arrowtown	$7.50	5 x $1.50 Arrowtown	Barcode ending 804
☐	W92d	2003 $7.50 Arrowtown	$7.50	5 x $1.50 Arrowtown	Barcode now ending 811
☐	W92dz	2003 $7.50 Arrowtown	$7.50	5 x $1.50 Arrowtown	Barcode 811, 1 Kiwi
☐	W92dy	2003 $7.50 Arrowtown	$7.50	5 x $1.50 Arrowtown	Barcode 811, 2 Kiwi
☐	W92dx	2003 $7.50 Arrowtown	$7.50	5 x $1.50 Arrowtown	Barcode 811, 3 Kiwi
☐	W92dw	2003 $7.50 Arrowtown	$7.50	5 x $1.50 Arrowtown	Barcode 811, 4 Kiwi
☐	W93a	2003 $4.00 Christmas	$4.00	10 x 40c Christmas	
☐	W94a	2003 $8.00 Christmas	$8.00	8 x $1.00 Christmas	
☐	W95a	2003 $9.00 Lord Of The Rings III	$9.00	Various Denominations	
☐	W96a	2004 $4.00 Zoo Animals	$4.00	10 x 40c Zoo Animals	
☐	W97a	2004 $4.40 Scenic Definitives	$4.40	4 x 10c Champ & 10 x 40c Marlb	
☐	W98a	2004 $4.50 Kaikoura 'Whales Tail'	$4.50	10 x 45c Whales Tail	
☐	W98az	2004 $4.50 Kaikoura 'Whales Tail'	$4.50	10 x 45c Whales Tail	1 Kiwi
☐	W98ay	2004 $4.50 Kaikoura 'Whales Tail'	$4.50	10 x 45c Whales Tail	2 Kiwi
☐	W98ax	2004 $4.50 Kaikoura 'Whales Tail'	$4.50	10 x 45c Whales Tail	3 Kiwi
☐	W98aw	2004 $4.50 Kaikoura 'Whales Tail'	$4.50	10 x 45c Whales Tail	4 Kiwi
☐	W98av	2004 $4.50 Kaikoura 'Whales Tail'	$4.50	10 x 45c Whales Tail	5 Kiwi
☐	W98au	2004 $4.50 Kaikoura 'Whales Tail'	$4.50	10 x 45c Whales Tail	6 Kiwi
☐	W98at	2004 $4.50 Kaikoura 'Whales Tail'	$4.50	10 x 45c Whales Tail	7 Kiwi
☐	W99a	2004 $9.00 Rangitoto Island	$9.00	10 x 90c Rangitoto Island	
☐	W99az	2004 $9.00 Rangitoto Island	$9.00	10 x 90c Rangitoto Island	1 Kiwi
☐	W99ay	2004 $9.00 Rangitoto Island	$9.00	10 x 90c Rangitoto Island	2 Kiwi
☐	W100a	2004 $6.30 Lord Of The Rings Home Of Middle Earth	$6.30	Various Denominations	
☐	W101a	2004 $4.50 Christmas	$4.50	10 x 45c Christmas	
☐	W102a	2004 $8.00 Christmas	$8.00	8 x $1.00 Christmas	
☐	W103a	2005 $4.50 New Zealand Farmyard	$4.50	10 x 45c Horned Sheep	
☐	W104a	2005 $4.50 150 Years Of NZ Stamps II 1905-55	$4.50	10 x 45c Christchurch Ex 1906	
☐	W105a	2005 $9.00 150 Years Of NZ Stamps II 1905-55	$9.00	10 x 90c Health Red Boy 1931	
☐	W106a	2005 $10.00 Christmas	$10.00	10 x $1.00 Christmas	
☐	W107a	2005 $4.50 Christmas	$4.50	10 x 45c Christmas	
☐	W108a	2006 $4.50 Year Of The Dog	$4.50	10 x 45c Labrador	
☐	W108B	2006 $4.50 Kapa Haka	$4.50	10 x 45c Maori Lady & Poi	11 Booklets sold
☐	W109a	2006 $4.50 Christmas	$4.50	10 x 45c Christmas	
☐	W110a	2006 $15.00 Christmas	$15.00	10 x $1.50 Christmas	
☐	W111a	2007 $5.00 Lake Coleridge	$5.00	10 x 50c Lake Coleridge	
☐	W111az	2007 $5.00 Lake Coleridge	$5.00	10 x 50c Lake Coleridge	1 Kiwi
☐	W111ay	2007 $5.00 Lake Coleridge	$5.00	10 x 50c Lake Coleridge	2 Kiwi
☐	W111ax	2007 $5.00 Lake Coleridge	$5.00	10 x 50c Lake Coleridge	3 Kiwi
☐	W112a	2007 $10.00 Rangitoto Island	$10.00	10 x $1.00 Rangitoto Island	
☐	W112az	2007 $10.00 Rangitoto Island	$10.00	10 x $1.00 Rangitoto Island	1 Kiwi
☐	W112ay	2007 $10.00 Rangitoto Island	$10.00	10 x $1.00 Rangitoto Island	2 Kiwi
☐	W112ax	2007 $10.00 Rangitoto Island	$10.00	10 x $1.00 Rangitoto Island	3 Kiwi
☐	W112aw	2007 $10.00 Rangitoto Island	$10.00	10 x $1.00 Rangitoto Island	4 Kiwi



☐	W112av	2007 $10.00 Rangitoto Island	$10.00	10 x $1.00 Rangitoto Island	5 Kiwi
☐	W113a	2007 $5.00 Christmas	$5.00	10 x 50c Christmas	
☐	W114a	2007 $15.00 Christmas	$15.00	10 x $1.50 Christmas	
☐	W115a	2008 $5.00 Underwater Reefs	$5.00	10 x 50c Underwater Reefs	
☐	W116a	2008 $10.00 Underwater Reefs	$10.00	10 x $1.00 Underwater Reefs	
☐	W117a	2008 $5.00 Christmas	$5.00	10 x 50c Christmas	
☐	W118a	2008 $13.50 Christmas	$13.50	10 x $1.50 Christmas	
☐	W119a	2009 $5.00 NZ Champ Motorsport	$5.00	10 x 50c Scott Dixon	
☐	W120a	2009 $10.00 NZ Champ Motorsport	$10.00	10 x $1.00 Bruce McLaren	
☐	W121a	2009 $9.00 Russell	$9.00	5 x $1.80 Russell	
☐	W121az	2009 $9.00 Russell	$9.00	5 x $1.80 Russell	1 Kiwi
☐	W121ay	2009 $9.00 Russell	$9.00	5 x $1.80 Russell	2 Kiwi
☐	W122a	2009 KiwiStamp NVI	NVI	10 x NVI State Highway Sign	
☐	W122az	2009 KiwiStamp NVI	NVI	10 x NVI State Highway Sign	Silver Overprint
☐	W123a	2009 $5.00 Christmas	$5.00	10 x 50c Christmas	
☐	W124a	2009 $15.00 Christmas	$15.00	10 x $1.80 Christmas	
☐	W125a	2010 $12.00 Mitre Peak, Milford Snd	$12.00	10 x $1.20 Mitre Peak	
☐	W126a	2010 $9.50 Queenstown	$9.50	5 x $1.90 Queenstown	
☐	W126az	2010 $9.50 Queenstown	$9.50	5 x $1.90 Queenstown	1 Kiwi
☐	W126ay	2010 $9.50 Queenstown	$9.50	5 x $1.90 Queenstown	2 Kiwi
☐	W126ax	2010 $9.50 Queenstown	$9.50	5 x $1.90 Queenstown	3 Kiwi
☐	W126aw	2010 $9.50 Queenstown	$9.50	5 x $1.90 Queenstown	4 Kiwi
☐	W126av	2010 $9.50 Queenstown	$9.50	5 x $1.90 Queenstown	5 Kiwi
☐	W127a	2010 $5.40 Christmas	$5.40	10 x 60c Christmas	
☐	W128a	2010 $16.00 Christmas	$16.00	10 x $1.90 Christmas	
☐	W129a	2011 KiwiStamp NVI	NVI	10 x NVI (5 Pairs) Kiwi Road Sign	Barcode 8535, 9 Roulettes
☐	W129az	2011 KiwiStamp NVI	NVI	10 x NVI (5 Pairs) Kiwi Road Sign	Barcode 8535, 19 Roulettes
☐	W129ay	2011 KiwiStamp NVI	NVI	10 x NVI (5 Pairs) Kiwi Road Sign	Barcode 8535, 19 Roulettes, 1 Kiwi
☐	W129ax	2011 KiwiStamp NVI	NVI	10 x NVI (5 Pairs) Kiwi Road Sign	Barcode 8535, 19 Roulettes, 2 Kiwi
☐	W129b	2011 KiwiStamp NVI	NVI	10 x NVI (5 Pairs) Kiwi Road Sign	Barcode 8821
☐	W129bz	2011 KiwiStamp NVI	NVI	10 x NVI (5 Pairs) Kiwi Road Sign	Barcode 8821, 1 Kiwi
☐	W129by	2011 KiwiStamp NVI	NVI	10 x NVI (5 Pairs) Kiwi Road Sign	Barcode 8821, 2 Kiwi
☐	W129bx	2011 KiwiStamp NVI	NVI	10 x NVI (5 Pairs) Kiwi Road Sign	Barcode 8821, 3 Kiwi
☐	W129bw	2011 KiwiStamp NVI	NVI	10 x NVI (5 Pairs) Kiwi Road Sign	Barcode 8821, 4 Kiwi
☐	W129bv	2011 KiwiStamp NVI	NVI	10 x NVI (5 Pairs) Kiwi Road Sign	Barcode 8821, 5 Kiwi
☐	W129bu	2011 KiwiStamp NVI	NVI	10 x NVI (5 Pairs) Kiwi Road Sign	Barcode 8821, 6 Kiwi
☐	W129bt	2011 KiwiStamp NVI	NVI	10 x NVI (5 Pairs) Kiwi Road Sign	Barcode 8821, 7 Kiwi
☐	W129bs	2011 KiwiStamp NVI	NVI	10 x NVI (5 Pairs) Kiwi Road Sign	Barcode 8821, 8 Kiwi
☐	W129br	2011 KiwiStamp NVI	NVI	10 x NVI (5 Pairs) Kiwi Road Sign	Barcode 8821, 9 Kiwi
☐	W129bq	2011 KiwiStamp NVI	NVI	10 x NVI (5 Pairs) Kiwi Road Sign	Barcode 8821, 10 Kiwi
☐	W129bp	2011 KiwiStamp NVI	NVI	10 x NVI (5 Pairs) Kiwi Road Sign	Barcode 8821, 11 Kiwi
☐	W129bo	2011 KiwiStamp NVI	NVI	10 x NVI (5 Pairs) Kiwi Road Sign	Barcode 8821, 12 Kiwi
☐	W129bn	2011 KiwiStamp NVI	NVI	10 x NVI (5 Pairs) Kiwi Road Sign	Barcode 8821, 13 Kiwi
☐	W129bm	2011 KiwiStamp NVI	NVI	10 x NVI (5 Pairs) Kiwi Road Sign	Barcode 8821, 14 Kiwi
☐	W129bl	2011 KiwiStamp NVI	NVI	10 x NVI (5 Pairs) Kiwi Road Sign	Barcode 8821, 15 Kiwi
☐	W130a	2011 $6.00 Christmas	$6.00	10 x 60c Christmas	
☐	W131a	2011 $17.10 Christmas	$17.10	10 x $1.90 Christmas	
☐	W132a	2011 $21.60 Christmas	$21.60	10 x $2.40 Christmas	
☐	W133a	2012 $12.00 Lake Rotorua	$12.00	5 x $2.40 Lake Rotorua	
☐	W133az	2012 $12.00 Lake Rotorua	$12.00	5 x $2.40 Lake Rotorua	1 Kiwi



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☐	W133ay	2012 $12.00 Lake Rotorua	$12.00	5 x $2.40 Lake Rotorua	2 Kiwi
☐	W133ax	2012 $12.00 Lake Rotorua	$12.00	5 x $2.40 Lake Rotorua	3 Kiwi
☐	W133aw	2012 $12.00 Lake Rotorua	$12.00	5 x $2.40 Lake Rotorua	4 Kiwi
☐	W134a	2012 $14.00 Cape Reinga	$14.00	10 x $1.40 Cape Reinga	
☐	W134az	2012 $14.00 Cape Reinga	$14.00	10 x $1.40 Cape Reinga	1 Kiwi
☐	W134ay	2012 $14.00 Cape Reinga	$14.00	10 x $1.40 Cape Reinga	2 Kiwi
☐	W135a	2012 $10.50 Stewart Island	$10.50	5 x $2.10 Stewart Island	
☐	W135az	2012 $10.50 Stewart Island	$10.50	5 x $2.10 Stewart Island	1 Kiwi
☐	W135ay	2012 $10.50 Stewart Island	$10.50	5 x $2.10 Stewart Island	2 Kiwi
☐	W136a	2012 $7.00 Christmas	$7.00	10 x 70c Christmas	
☐	W137a	2012 $17.10 Christmas	$17.10	10 x $1.90 Christmas	
☐	W138a	2012 $21.60 Christmas	$21.60	10 x $2.40 Christmas	
☐	W139a	2012 $14.90 Hobbit I - An Unexpected Journey	$14.90	Various Denominations	
☐	W141a	2013 $7.00 Christmas	$7.00	10 x 70c Christmas	
☐	W142a	2013 $17.10 Christmas	$17.10	10 x $1.90 Christmas	
☐	W143a	2013 $21.60 Christmas	$21.60	10 x $2.40 Christmas	
☐	W144a	2013 $14.90 Hobbit II - The Desolation Of Smaug	$14.90	Various Denominations	
☐	W146a	2014 $10.00 Mt. Taranaki	$10.00	5 x $2.00 Mt. Taranaki	
☐	W146az	2014 $10.00 Mt. Taranaki	$10.00	5 x $2.00 Mt. Taranaki	1 Kiwi
☐	W146ay	2014 $10.00 Mt. Taranaki	$10.00	5 x $2.00 Mt. Taranaki	2 Kiwi
☐	W146ax	2014 $10.00 Mt. Taranaki	$10.00	5 x $2.00 Mt. Taranaki	3 Kiwi
☐	W147a	2014 $12.50 Punakaiki Pancake Rocks	$12.50	5 x $2.50 Pancake Rocks	
☐	W147az	2014 $12.50 Punakaiki Pancake Rocks	$12.50	5 x $2.50 Pancake Rocks	1 Kiwi
☐	W147ay	2014 $12.50 Punakaiki Pancake Rocks	$12.50	5 x $2.50 Pancake Rocks	2 Kiwi
☐	W149a	2014 $8.00 Christmas	$8.00	10 x 80c Christmas	
☐	W150a	2014 $18.00 Christmas	$18.00	10 x $2.00 Christmas	
☐	W151a	2014 $22.50 Christmas	$22.50	10 x $2.50 Christmas	
☐	W152a	2014 $15.60 Hobbit III - Battle Of The Five Armies	$15.60	Various Denominations	
☐	W154a	2015 $8.00 Christmas	$8.00	10 x 80c Christmas	
☐	W155a	2015 $18.00 Christmas	$18.00	10 x $2.00 Christmas	
☐	W156a	2015 $22.50 Christmas	$22.50	10 x $2.50 Christmas	
☐	W157a	2016 $20.00 New Zealand Native Glowworms	$20.00	10 x $2.00 Glowworms	
☐	W159a	2016 $11.00 Awaroa Bay	$11.00	5 x $2.20 Awaroa Bay	
☐	W159az	2016 $11.00 Awaroa Bay	$11.00	5 x $2.20 Awaroa Bay	1 Kiwi
☐	W160a	2016 $13.50 Marlborough Vineyards	$13.50	5 x $2.70 Marlborough Vineyards	
☐	W160az	2016 $13.50 Marlborough Vineyards	$13.50	5 x $2.70 Marlborough Vineyards	1 Kiwi
☐	W160ay	2016 $13.50 Marlborough Vineyards	$13.50	5 x $2.70 Marlborough Vineyards	2 Kiwi
☐	W160aw	2016 $13.50 Marlborough Vineyards	$13.50	5 x $2.70 Marlborough Vineyards	3 Kiwi
☐	W161a	2016 $10.00 Christmas	$10.00	10 x $1.00 Christmas	
☐	W162a	2016 $19.80 Christmas	$19.80	10 x $2.20 Christmas	
☐	W163a	2016 $24.30 Christmas	$24.30	10 x $2.70 Christmas	
☐	W165a	2017 $10.00 Christmas	$10.00	10 x $1.00 Christmas	
☐	W166a	2017 $19.80 Christmas	$19.80	10 x $2.20 Christmas	
☐	W167a	2017 $24.30 Christmas	$24.30	10 x $2.70 Christmas	
☐	W169a	2018 $12.00 Mt. Maunganui, Tauranga	$12.00	5 x $2.40 Mt. Maunganui	
☐	W170a	2018 $15.00 Tongaporutu, Taranaki	$15.00	5 x $3.00 Tongaporutu	
☐	W170b	2018 $15.00 Tongaporutu, Taranaki	$15.00	5 x $3.00 Tongaporutu	Purple-Blue Cover
☐	W170bz	2018 $15.00 Tongaporutu, Taranaki	$15.00	5 x $3.00 Tongaporutu	1 Kiwi
☐	W171a	2018 $7.20 Round Kiwi	$7.20	6 x $1.20 Gummed Brown Kiwi	
☐	W172a	2018 $12.00 Christmas	$12.00	10 x $1.20 Christmas	



☐	W173a	2018 $21.60 Christmas	$21.60	10 x $2.40 Christmas	
☐	W174a	2018 $27.00 Christmas	$27.00	10 x $3.00 Christmas	
☐	W175a	2019 $13.00 Escarpment Walkway, Paekakariki	$13.00	5 x $2.60 Paekakariki	
☐	W175az	2019 $13.00 Escarpment Walkway, Paekakariki	$13.00	5 x $2.60 Paekakariki	1 Kiwi
☐	W176a	2019 $16.50 Dunedin Railway Station	$16.50	5 x $3.30 Dunedin Railway Station	
☐	W176az	2019 $16.50 Dunedin Railway Station	$16.50	5 x $3.30 Dunedin Railway Station	1 Kiwi
☐	W177a	2019 $13.00 Christmas	$13.00	10 x $1.30 Christmas	
☐	W178a	2019 $23.40 Christmas	$23.40	10 x $2.60 Christmas	
☐	W179a	2019 $29.70 Christmas	$29.70	10 x $3.30 Christmas	
☐	W181a	2020 $17.50 Fitzroy Bay, Marlborough Sounds	$17.50	5 x $3.50 Fitzroy Bay	
☐	W182a	2020 $14.00 Christmas	$14.00	10 x $1.40 Christmas	
☐	W183a	2020 $27.00 Christmas	$27.00	10 x $2.70 Christmas	
☐	W184a	2020 $35.00 Christmas	$35.00	10 x $3.50 Christmas	
☐	W185a	2021 $14.00 Auckland	$14.00	5 x $2.80 Auckland	
☐	W186a	2021 $18.00 Waikato River	$18.00	5 x $3.60 Waikato River	
☐	W187a	2021 KiwiStamp NVI	NVI	10 x NVI (5 Pairs) Mountains & Water	
☐	W187az	2021 KiwiStamp NVI	NVI	10 x NVI (5 Pairs) Mountains & Water	1 Kiwi
☐	W187ay	2021 KiwiStamp NVI	NVI	10 x NVI (5 Pairs) Mountains & Water	2 Kiwi
☐	W188a	2021 $15.00 Christmas	$15.00	10 x $1.50 Christmas	
☐	W189a	2021 $28.00 Christmas	$28.00	10 x $2.80 Christmas	
☐	W190a	2021 $36.00 Christmas	$36.00	10 x $3.60 Christmas	
☐	W191a	2022 $19.00 Te Mata Peak, Hawkes Bay	$19.00	5 x $3.80 Te Mata Peak	
☐	W191az	2022 $19.00 Te Mata Peak, Hawkes Bay	$19.00	5 x $3.80 Te Mata Peak	1 Kiwi
☐	W192a	2022 $17.00 Christmas	$17.00	10 x $1.70 Christmas	
☐	W193a	2022 $30.00 Christmas	$30.00	10 x $3.00 Christmas	
☐	W194a	2022 $38.00 Christmas	$38.00	10 x $3.80 Christmas	
☐	W195a	2023 $16.50 Emerald Lakes, Tongariro Crossing	$16.50	5 x $3.30 Emerald Lakes	
☐	W195az	2023 $16.50 Emerald Lakes, Tongariro Crossing	$16.50	5 x $3.30 Emerald Lakes	1 Kiwi
☐	W195ay	2023 $16.50 Emerald Lakes, Tongariro Crossing	$16.50	5 x $3.30 Emerald Lakes	2 Kiwi
☐	W196a	2023 $20.00 Island Bay, Wellington	$20.00	5 x $4.00 Island Bay	
☐	W196az	2023 $20.00 Island Bay, Wellington	$20.00	5 x $4.00 Island Bay	1 Kiwi
☐	W196ay	2023 $20.00 Island Bay, Wellington	$20.00	5 x $4.00 Island Bay	2 Kiwi
☐	W197a	2023 Kiwistamp NVI	NVI	10 x NVI (5 Pairs) Post Transport	
☐	W197az	2023 Kiwistamp NVI	NVI	10 x NVI (5 Pairs) Post Transport	1 Kiwi
☐	W198a	2023 $20.00 Christmas	$20.00	10 x $2.00 Christmas	
☐	W199a	2023 $33.00 Christmas	$33.00	10 x $3.30 Christmas	
☐	W200a	2023 $40.00 Christmas	$40.00	10 x $4.00 Christmas	
☐	W201a	2024 $18.00 Whanganui Journey	$18.00	5 x $3.60 Whanganui Journey	
☐	W201az	2024 $18.00 Whanganui Journey	$18.00	5 x $3.60 Whanganui Journey	1 Kiwi
☐	W202a	2024 $21.50 Paparoa Track	$21.50	5 x $4.30 Paparoa Track	
☐	W202az	2024 $21.50 Paparoa Track	$21.50	5 x $4.30 Paparoa Track	1 Kiwi
☐	W203a	2024 $23.00 Christmas	$23.00	10 x $2.30 Christmas	
☐	W204a	2024 $36.00 Christmas	$36.00	10 x $3.60 Christmas	
☐	W205a	2024 $43.00 Christmas	$43.00	10 x $4.30 Christmas	
☐	W206a	2025 $21.00 Maungawhau/Mount Eden	$21.00	5 x $4.20 Maungawhau/Mount Eden	
☐	W207a	2025 $23.50 Lake Rotokawau	$23.50	5 x $4.70 Lake Rotokawau	
☐	W208a	2025 Kiwistamp NVI	NVI	10 x NVI (5 Pairs) NZ Rivers	
☐	W209a	2025 $29.00 Christmas	$29.00	10 x $2.90 Christmas	
☐	W210a	2025 $40.00 Christmas	$40.00	10 x $4.00 Christmas	
☐	W211a	2025 $47.00 Christmas	$47.00	10 x $4.70 Christmas	



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☐	W212a	2026 $24.50 Bounty Islands	$24.50	5 x $4.90 Bounty Islands

