## INTRODUCTION

This edition has been revised to have all information concerning Plate Numbers, Controls, and Imprints immediately after the Issue of Stamps concerned, instead of in separate sections. We are sure this innovation will be popular. There are many price alterations, and there is every reason to believe that still further advances in obsolete issues must be expected. The B.C.O.F. issue has been included, but prices of the issue are not given, as there is no steady market at the time this book goes to press.

Norfolk Island is part of Australia, and the stamps of this "Electorate" have been included accordingly. Attention is directed to:

- Inclusion of an item in this catalogue does not mean we hold stocks of that item.
- 2. Shades and Colours are listed in this book (particularly in the 1d. Georgian), with strict relation to each and every other stamp in that series, and, whilst opinions may vary, our Shade Control is all covering, and strictly adhered to by us at all times. (See inside cover.)
- 3. Prices of practically all scarce items have been given conservatively low, and actual selling prices can only be given after we have purchased those items.
- 4. The Handbook of the Kangaroo Type Stamps of Australia, by Major H. Dormer Legge, is being published simultaneously with this edition. Full particulars are given on cover iii.
- 5. All prices listed are subject to fluctuations.

The sections of this Edition are now:-Lettered K. The Engraved Stamps...... Page 4 E. Page 16 ,, The Georgian Issues (Head of George V)-Single Line Perforations ..... G.S. Page 18 Single and Large Multiple Watermarks.... G. Page 19 Small Multiple Watermarks ..... G. Page 38 0. Page 47 Page 48 0. Special Issues, Commemoratives ..... S. Page 54 A. Page 67

Due to increased costs of production from causes beyond our control, it has been found necessary to increase the price at which it has remained for so long, viz., 3/6, to 4/6 per copy.

In ordering, always give the prefix letter and number.

## Note Particularly.

The pricing of Imprints and Controls in almost every instance is now given in "Blocks of Four."

The system of listing is to give first the primary colour, and then all shades of that colour; then varieties, lettered a, b c, etc. The prices for the varieties are for the cheapest shades.

The extreme right column gives a description of the variety, and also a list of the varieties known. Major varieties include shades, retouches, re-entries, and more noticeable plate flaws, etc.

Minor varieties consist mainly of electro flaws and faults. As their philatelic interest is small, we do not list them.

All prices are subject to alteration without notice.

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