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CHRONICLE.

GREAT BRITAIN AND COLONIES.

The following list includes all British and Colonial adhesives issued too late to find a place in the body of Scott's 6oth Cat., so far as they have come within our notice.

We shall be thankful to have omissions pointed out, or to receive from our correspondents throughout the British Empire early information of new or intended issues.

BRITISH GUIANA.

1900 A30 48c dark gray & lilac brown

BRITISH HONDURAS.

1900 A8 5c gray black & blue on blue CAYMAN ISLANDS.

1900 - ½p green, Seychelles type ,, - ip rose, same type

CEYLON.

OFFICIAL.

1900 A24 3c dark green ,, A24 15c ultramarine

DHAR.

1900 Az 1a violet

,, Ar 2a black on yellow

,, A2 2a green

FARIDKOT.

1900 — 3p carmine, on India A31 FEDERATED MALAY STATES.

1500 - 5c lilac & ochre, on Perak A9

HONG KONG.

1900 At 5c lilac

HYDERABAD (Deccan).

1900 A3 //a on 1/2a red, native surch.

INDIA.

1900 'A19 3a puce

MALTA.

1900 At 1/2 p green, s. 'REVENUE', A2 1p rose, same surcharge

MAURITIUS.

1900 A38 to black green & black

,, A38 2c dull lilac & violet

,, A38 4c lilac & carmine on yellow

NEPAL.

1900 A2 3/2 black, pin ::

NEW ZEALAND.

1900 A23 3p yellow brown, re-engraved (wmkd. NZ and star)

NIGER COAST PROTECTORATE.

1900 A21 1/2p on 21/2p violet on blue

NORTH BORNEO.

UNPAID LETTER.

1900 A40 5c light blue & black

ORANGE RIVER COLONY.

1900 — . ½p em. green, on Cape A15

PERAK.

1900 A10 1c on 2d green & carmine ,, A9 3c on 3c lilac & blue

,, A9 3c on Sc lilac & blue ,, A9 3c on 50c green & black

,, A10 3c on 1d green & y. green

,, A10 3c on 2d green & carmine

SOUDAN.

1900 — 2m red & black, steamer ,, — 4m green & brown, steamer

,, - 10m mauve & green, ,,

,, - 20m red & blue, steamer

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

1900 A3 9p rose lilac, clean :: 11½ Official.

1900 A11 4p violet, wide surcharge

,, A17 5p brown purple, wide s.

A13 6p blue, wide surcharge

NOTES.

The new 5c. British Honduras has 'Postage & Revenue' in side labels.

The Malta ½p. and 1p. surcharged 'Revenue' are probably the forerunners of a new 'Postage & Revenue' type.

The Orange River Colony ½p. green is found once in each sheet of 240 without period after 'Colony.' The 1st vertical row of 10 stamps in the right lower pane has the E of 'ORANGE' quite noticeably out of line (lower) with the other letters. The ½p. green was overprinted with same setting as was used in surcharging the 2½p. blue Cape, and the latter shows the same varieties.

One stamp in each sheet of Perak 3c. on

503. is without a period after 'cent.'

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There seem to have been four settings of the Orange River Colony V. R. I. overprint. The 1st setting has level periods, and was applied to the ½p., 1p., 2p., 2½p. on 3p., 3p., 4p., 6p. rose, 6p. biue, 1s. and