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#### CURRENT UNUSED British Colonial Stamps AT A TRIFLE OVER FACE

Having made arrangements to receive frequent consignments of current unused stamps from almost all British and American Colonies and Dependencies direct, I purpose offering them to subscribers to this paper at a very small percentage over face value.

Sets will not be broken. Only one set of each kind will be supplied to each subscriber at one time.

I give below a pretty full list of current British and American Colonials, with face values. Where prices are quoted, the sets are now in stock. Cash advance orders for unpriced sets will be received at 25% over face value, and sets will be forwarded when they arrive.

Postage is extra. Remittances should be made by Postal Note, Post Office, or Express Money Order, or Bank Notes at current rates of exchange.

	Face Value	My Price
3 Bahamas, 1, 2½ & 4p.	\$0 15	\$0 18
2 " 6p & 1s	37	—
5 Barbados, ¼, ½, 1, 2 & 2½p	13	—
4 " 5, 5, 8 & 10p	59	—
4 Bechuanaland, ½, 1, 2 & 3p	13	18
2 " 4 & 6p	20	—
5 Bermuda, ½, 1, 2, 2½ & 3p	18	22
3 " 4, 6p & 1s	45	—
3 Br. Central Africa, 1, 2 & 4p	14	—
? " " 6p & 1s	37	—
5 Br. E. Africa, ½, 1, 2, 2½, 3a	21	—
3 " " 4, 4½ & 5a	31	—
2 " " 7½ & 8a	35	—
5 Br. Guiana, 1, 2, 4, 5 & 6c	18	22
3 " 8, 12 & 24c	44	—
5 Br. Honduras, 1, 2, 3, 5 & 6c	17	21
3 " 10, 12 & 24c	46	—
2 " 25 & 50c	75	90
2 Br. Levant, 40 & 80 paras	15	—
1 " 4 piastres	20	—
3 Br. South Africa, ½, 1, 2 & 6p	19	26
1 " " 1s olive gr'n	25	—
5 Canada, ½, 1, 2, 5 & 8c	17	20
3 " 10, 20 & 50c	80	90
5 Cape of G. H., ½, 1, 2, 2½, 3p	18	23
3 " 4, 6p & 1s	45	57
4 Chamba, ½, 1, 2 & 4a	17	—
3 " 6, 8a & 1r	68	—

**CURRENT UNUSED  
BRITISH COLONIAL STAMPS  
AT A TRIFLE OVER FACE**

	Face Value	My Price
7 Ceylon, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 12 & 15c	17	—
4 " " 25, 28, 30 & 75c	51	—
5 Cyprus, ½, ¾, 1, 2 & 4pia.	25	—
3 " " 6, 9 & 12 piastres	30	—
5 Falkland I'ds, ½, 1, 2, 2½, 4p	20	—
3 " " 6, 9p & 1s	55	—
5 Faridkot, ½, 1, 2, 3 & 4a	24	—
3 " " 6, 8a & 1r	63	—
5 Fiji Islands, ½, 1, 2, 2½ & 4p	20	—
3 " " 5, 6p & 1s	47	—
4 Gambia, ½, 1, 2, 2½ & 3p.	13	—
2 " " 4, 6p & 1s	45	—
5 Gibraltar, ½, 1, 2, 2½ & 4p	20	—
2 " " 6p & 1s	37	—
4 Gold Coast, ½, 1, 2, 2½ & 3p	14	—
2 " " 6p & 1s	37	—
5 Grenada, ½, 1, 2, 2½ & 3p	13	23
3 " " 6, 8p & 1s	53	—
7 Gwalior, ¼, ½, 1, 1½, 2, 3, 4a	28	—
4 " " 6, 8, 12a & 1r	95	—
5 Hong Kong, 2, 4, 5, 10 & 12c	20	—
3 " " 20, 30 & 50c	60	—
7 India, ¼, ½, ¾, 1, 1½, 2, 2½a	19	—
3 " " 3, 4, 8a & 1r	79	—
5 Jamaica, ½, 1, 2, 2½ & 3p.	18	23
3 " " 4, 6p & 1s	45	—
7 Jhnd, ¼, ½, 1, 1½, 2, 3 & 4a	28	—
4 " " 6, 8, 12a & 1r	95	—
6 Johore, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 & 6c	13	18
3 " " 10, 25 & 50c	51	—
7 Labuan, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 & 8c	13	—
5 " " 12, 18, 24, 25 & 50c	78	—
6 Lagos, ½, 1, 2, 2½, 3 & 4p	26	—
5 " " 5, 6, 7½, 10p & 1s	82	—
4 Leeward Isl'ds, ½, 1, 2½ & 4p	16	20
3 " " 6, 7p & 1s	51	—
5 Malay States, 1, 2, 3, 10 & 25c	25	—
5 Malta, ½, 1, 2, 2½ & 4p	20	25
3 " " 4½, 5p & 1s	44	—
8 Mauritius, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 15, 18c	21	—
3 " " 25, 36 & 50c	40	—
5 Morocco Ag., 5, 10, 20, 25, 40c	20	—
3 " " 50c, 1 & 2p	70	—
6 Nabha, ¼, ½, 1, 1½, 2 & 4a	22	—
4 " " 6, 8, 12a & 1r	95	—
5 Natal, ½, 1, 2, 2½ & 3p	18	—
3 " " 4, 6p & 1s	45	—
6 Newfoundl'd, ½, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5c	16	20
5 " " 6, 8, 10, 12 & 15c	51	60
4 " " 24, 30, 35, 60c	149	175
5 N. S. Wales, ½, 1, 2, 2½, 3p	13	—
5 " " " 4, 5, 6, 7½ & 8p	62	—
4 " " " 9, 10, 12½p & 1s	88	—
6 N. Zealand, ½, 1, 2, 2½, 3, 4p	27	—
5 " " 5, 6, 8, 9p & 1s	81	—
4 Niger Coast, ½, 1, 2 & 2½p	12	—
3 " " 5, 6p & 1s	47	—
7 N. Borneo, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8c	18	—
5 " " 12, 18, 24, 25 & 50c	78	—

7 Patiala, ¼, ½, ¾, 1, 2, 3, 4a	26	—
4 " " 6, 8, 12a & 1r	95	—
5 Queensland, ½, 1, 2, 2½ & 3p	13	—
4 " " 4, 5, 6p & 1s	55	—
5 St. Helena, ½, 1, 1½, 2, 2½a	15	—
2 " " 5 & 10p	31	—
5 St. Lucia, ½, 1, 2, 2½ & 3p	18	23
3 " " 4, 6p & 1s	45	—
5 St. Vincent, ½, 1, 2½, 3 & 4p	22	28
3 " " 5, 6p & 1s	47	59
5 Sarawak, 2, 4, 8, 10 & 12c	22	30
2 " " 16 & 25c	25	—
6 Seychelles, 2, 3, 4, 8, 10 & 12c	14	—
5 " " 15, 16, 18, 36c, 1r	67	—
5 Sierra Leone, ½, 1, 1½, 2, 2½p	15	—
5 " " 3, 4, 5, 6p & 1s	61	—
5 S. Australia, ½, 1, 2, 2½ & 3p	18	—
5 " " 4, 5, 6, 9p & 1s	73	—
8 Straits S., 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10c	23	—
3 " " 12, 24 & 25c	37	—
3 " " 30, 32 & 50c	67	—
6 Tasmania, ½, 1, 2, 2½, 3, 4p	27	—
3 " " 5, 6 & 8p	39	—
3 " " 9, 10p & 1s	63	—
5 Trinidad, ½, 1, 2, 2½ & 4p	20	25
3 " " 5, 6p & 1s	47	—
5 Turk's Is., ½, 1, 2½, 4 & 5p	26	33
2 " " 6p & 1s	37	—
6 Victoria, ½, 1, 2, 2½, 3 & 4p	27	—
4 " " 5, 6, 9p & 1s	65	—
4 Virgin Is., ½, 1, 2½ & 4p	16	20
3 " " 6, 7p & 1s	51	—
5 W. Australia, ½, 1, 2, 2½, 3p	18	—
4 " " 4, 5, 6p & 1s	55	—
6 Zanzibar, ½, 1, 2, 2½, 3 & 4a	30	—
4 " " 4½, 5, 7½ & 8a	57	—

**CURRENT UNUSED**

**AMERICAN COLONIAL STAMPS  
AT A TRIFLE OVER FACE**

5 Cuba, 1, 2, 3, 5 & 10c.	21	27
1 " " special delivery, 10c.	10	13
6 Guam, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 & 6c	21	—
3 " " 8, 10 & 15c	33	—
3 Hawaii Is., 1, 2 & 5c	8	10
3 " " 10, 12 & 25c	47	—
4 Philippines, 1, 2, 3 & 5c	11	14
2 " " 10 & 15c	25	32
5 Porto Rico, 1, 2, 5, 8 & 10c	26	33

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**Boiestown, New Brunswick, Canada**

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Correspondents in British Colonies (except Canada) may remit in stamps to any amount. High values and sets ( $\frac{1}{4}$ p to 1s) are preferred. Badly centred stamps are not wanted.

From correspondents in all other countries I will accept current unused stamps up to \$2.00. Stamps must be well centred. High values or sets are preferred.

### UNUSED BRITISH COLONIALS

	Catalogue Value	My Price
	\$o 13	\$o 10
2 Antigua .. ..	13	10
2 Bahamas .. ..	14	10
6 Barbados .. ..	18	12
2 Bechuanaland Protectorate	8	5
2 Bermuda .. ..	7	5
4 British Bechuanaland	23	15
2 British East Africa ..	7	5
6 British Guiana .. ..	24	16
3 British Honduras .. ..	14	10
5 British South Africa ..	21	15
14 Canada .. ..	47	30
4 Cape of Good Hope	16	10
4 Ceylon .. ..	20	15
4 Cyprus .. ..	18	13
3 Dhar .. ..	12	9
4 Egypt .. ..	13	8
2 Falkland Islands .. ..	8	5
2 Faridkot, surch'd on India	8	6
2 Fiji Islands .. ..	8	5
3 Gambia .. ..	15	12
4 Gibraltar .. ..	15	11
4 Gold Coast .. ..	16	11
4 Grenada .. ..	16	11
5 Gwalior .. ..	21	15
5 India .. ..	17	12
2 Jamaica .. ..	7	5
2 Jhind, surcharged on India	7	6
7 Johore .. ..	29	18
7 Labuan .. ..	26	17
2 Lagos .. ..	8	5
2 Leeward Islands .. ..	8	5
2 Malta .. ..	8	5
7 Mauritius .. ..	21	14
2 Montserrat .. ..	43	32
2 Morocco Agencies .. ..	6	5
3 Nabha .. ..	20	10

2 Natal .. ..	\$o 07	\$o 05
4 Negri Sembilan .. ..	16	10
2 New Brunswick .. ..	8	6
10 Newfoundland .. ..	49	30
5 New South Wales .. ..	21	15
2 New Zealand .. ..	6	4
2 Niger Coast .. ..	8	5
9 North Borneo .. ..	40	27
7 Nowanuggur .. ..	37	15
4 Orange Free State .. ..	15	12
2 Pahang .. ..	10	7
5 Perak .. ..	16	11
2 Patiala .. ..	10	6
3 Prince Edward Island	61	40
3 Queensland .. ..	13	9
6 Sarawak .. ..	24	14
5 Selangor .. ..	21	14
4 Seychelles Islands .. ..	15	10
3 South Australia .. ..	11	7
4 St. Helena .. ..	16	11
2 St. Lucia .. ..	8	5
4 St. Vincent .. ..	16	10
8 Straits Settlements .. ..	33	22
2 St. Maland .. ..	40	25
4 Sudan .. ..	13	10
2 Sungei Ujong .. ..	9	7
2 Swaziland .. ..	16	13
2 Tassanania .. ..	11	6
2 Tonga .. ..	8	6
4 Transvaal .. ..	19	11
4 Trinidad .. ..	16	10
2 Turk's Islands .. ..	8	5
2 Victoria .. ..	8	5
2 Virgin Islands .. ..	8	5
3 Zanzibar .. ..	13	10
3 Zululand .. ..	16	11

### USED BRITISH COLONIALS

9 Barbados .. ..	30	18
14 British Guiana .. ..	46	30
31 Canada .. ..	70	35
12 Cape of Good Hope	39	20
12 Ceylon .. ..	39	25
8 Cyprus .. ..	43	25
3 Deccan .. ..	11	6
3 Gibraltar .. ..	7	4
4 Gold Coast .. ..	12	10
3 Grenada .. ..	10	7
4 Gwalior .. ..	16	6
4 Hong Kong .. ..	8	3
21 India .. ..	56	30
11 Jamaica .. ..	25	12
2 Jhind, surcharged on India	7	3
7 Labuan .. ..	50	20
5 Leeward Islands .. ..	15	10
4 Malta .. ..	14	8
2 Nabha .. ..	8	3
4 Natal .. ..	10	4
13 Newfoundland .. ..	53	30
18 New South Wales .. ..	52	25
15 New Zealand .. ..	38	20
9 North Borneo .. ..	31	12
4 Orange Free State .. ..	9	4
4 Patiala .. ..	19	8

## Cheapest Sets in the Market

### USED BRITISH COLONIALS

	Catalogue Value	My Price
12 Queensland .. ..	\$o 34	\$o 18
5 St. Lucia .. ..	22	20
6 Selangor .. ..	22	15
5 Sierra Leone .. ..	32	24
7 South Australia .. ..	—	14
8 Straits Settlements .. ..	31	16
8 Transvaal .. ..	23	12
5 Travancore .. ..	40	12
6 Trinidad .. ..	15	10
3 Ulwur .. ..	10	6
12 Victoria .. ..	27	17
9 Western Australia .. ..	—	20

### UNUSED AMERICAN COLONIALS

5 Cuba, 1899 .. ..	20	17
5 Hawaiian Islands .. ..	19	15
3 Philippine Islands, 1899 .. ..	14	12
3 Porto Rico, 1899 .. ..	17	14

### USED FOREIGN

13 Austria, 1890, 1kr to 2gld .. ..	50	35
4 " 1891, 20 to 50kr .. ..	7	4
12 Belgium, 1861-81 .. ..	—	12
18 " 1833-94 .. ..	—	12
20 Brazil .. ..	—	25
9 Bulgaria, 1882-83, 1s to 50s .. ..	22	14
7 " 1839, 5s to 1l .. ..	22	15
7 Bolivia, 1894, 1c to 100c .. ..	31	17
14 Dutch Indies .. ..	43	27
3 Ecuador revs. used post. 1 .. ..	65	20
4 Guamante, 1890, 1c to 10c .. ..	14	8
7 Guatemala, 1887-95 .. ..	22	12

**MATTHEW R. KNIGHT,**  
Boiestown, New Brunswick, Canada

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