

SYNOPSIS - "FALKLAND ISLANDS DEPENDENCIES 1946 MAP STAMPS – OH! WHAT A MESS!

Treatment

This is a two-frame exhibit of 32 pages in tabloid form.

Organization

The exhibit is laid out by catalogue number of the errors based on the Catalogue by Stefan Heijtz. The focus is on the errors produced by rushing to production.

Significance

Every listed error is present in addition to a few non-listed.

Limitation

Material for this period is widely available except for the Center Plate errors which are difficult at best.

Philatelic Knowledge and Research

Most of my research involved the study of the material available from the Falkland Islands Museum as well as the Royal Philatelic Society London, which as a member I have had access to their vast library. I have also relied on the assistance of many dealers and fellow collectors which I greatly appreciate. I continue to learn.

Rarity and Condition

Finding clean and affordable material is difficult for some on the Center Plate errors due to the limited number of sheets printed and used. Since starting the exhibit, I have been able to secure some difficult to find material and by doing so have improved the exhibit. I consider this to be an ongoing process. None of the material has been repaired or altered and is in its original condition as found.

Significant items are highlighted by blue borders/matting and/or *blue bold italics*

References

Falkland Islands Museum.
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