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Focus On: Bahamas



This month we're shining the spotlight on stamps of the Bahamas. We have some wonderful examples available, including a rare surviving King George V £1 interpane plate block. The 1942 Landfall of Christopher Columbus overprint stamps marking the 450th anniversary, or the 'War Tax' issues, provide excellent starting points for collectors. This is without doubt an area that deserves further exploration...



BAHAMAS 1861 SG5/6, 38 Forgery by Spiro of Chalon 4d and 6d, and 1s in complete sheets

Stock Code: P201003823

1861-62 4d pink and 6d purple, and 1863-80 1s green, SPIRO LITHOGRAPHED FORGERIES, each in a complete sheet of 25, pin-perf 12½, 'used' with 'dumb' obliterations. Some perf toning, still above average with fresh colours. Attractive and now seldom seen in sheets.

$243.59*



BAHAMAS 1863 SG35 Mint 4d bright rose watermark CC perf 14

Stock Code: P201009437

1863-77 4d bright rose, wmk CC, perf 14, brilliant large part o.g. with lovely colour. Scarce so fine.

$499.68*



BAHAMAS 1916 SGS1c Mint Special Delivery Inverted

Stock Code: P201005984

1916 5d black and orange 'SPECIAL DELIVERY', type S1 opt, error opt inverted, large part o.g. Fine appearance and rare. BPA cert (1977)

$1,623.96*



BAHAMAS 1930 SG126/30 Mint Tercentenary set of 5 to 3s

Stock Code: P201011370

1930 Tercentenary set of 5 to 3s, fresh large part o.g.

$87.44*

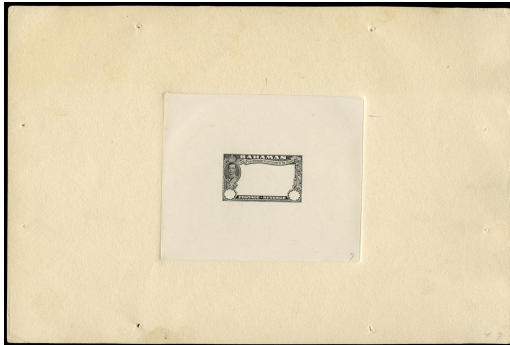


BAHAMAS 1948 SG178/93 Mint unmounted KGVI Eleuthera set of 16 to £1 imprint blocks

Stock Code: P212013182

1948 Eleuthera set of 16 to £1, upper corner imprint plate blocks of 4, unmounted o.g. Odd trivial blemishes but most attractive and now scarce in this form.

$468.45*



BAHAMAS 1948 SG178/93 Proof of frame for Tercentenary of Eleuthera issue

Stock Code: P212019844

1948 Tercentenary master die proof of the frame in black on thin white wove paper (89x75mm), sunk mounted on large card (227x152mm). Fine and attractive. Ex "Staircase" (Spink 8 Apr 1999, lot 497).

$562.14*



BAHAMAS 1966 SG277a Mint

Stock Code: G1341803

1966 (5c on) 4d green, blue and orange-brown, vertical strip of 10 with margins at top and bottom, error 'SURCHARGE OMITTED', unmounted o.g. Only 10 such strips existed, from a single sheet. The 1965 4d (SG 252) had been in sheets 10 x 6. BPA Cert (1983).

$4,059.90*