

FIRST DEFINITIVE SERIES

Issued October 15, 1940 (½d, 1d, 1½d, 2d, 3d, 6d, 1/-, 2/6)

Watermark Multiple Script CA

Perf 11½ x 11 (1d, 3d, 2/6), 12½ (others)

Issued September 1, 1951 (4d, 8d)

Small Watermark Multiple Script CA

Perf 11½ x 11

The 1d, 3d, 4d, 8d and 2/6 values were designed and printed recess by Bradbury, Wilkinson & Co, London. The other values were designed and printed recess by Waterlow & Sons, New Malden. Designs feature ½d oranges; 1d Fletcher Christian on the "Bounty" and Pitcairn Island; 1½d John Adams and his house; 2d Lieutenant Bligh and "Bounty"; 3d Map of Pacific; 4d "Bounty" Bible; 6d H.M. Armed Vessel "Bounty"; 8d Pitcairn school in 1949; 1/- Fletcher Christian and Pitcairn Island; 2/6 Fletcher Christian on "Bounty" and Pitcairn coastline.



1.

1d Orange & Green



2.

1d Mauve & Magenta



3.

1½d Grey & Red



4.

2d Grey & Brown



5.

3d Green & Blue



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- 1d - Original issue cancelled on first day of issue - October 15, 1940
reverse-side of envelope - scan is shown at approximately 100%
- 1½d - issued date October 15, 1940
- 1d - with different coloring (March 3, 1955)



Mrs F. Evans,
24154 Dartmouth
Dearborn 8
Michigan, America.

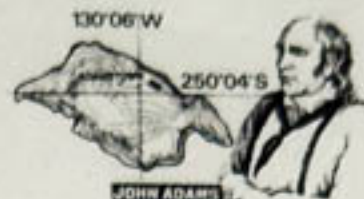


new color 3/3/55





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6. 5d 4d Black & Green



7. 6d Brown & Blue



8. 6d 8d Green & Magenta



9. 1/- Violet & Grey



10. 2/6 Green & Brown



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VICTORY

Issued December 2, 1946
Watermark Multiple Script CA
Perf 13½ x 14

Designed and recess printed by De La Rue & Company. The Houses of Parliament, London are featured on both stamps.



11.

2d Brown



12.

3d Blue

ROYAL SILVER WEDDING

Issued August 1, 1949
Watermark Multiple Script CA
Perf 14 x 15 (1½d), 11½ x 11 (10/-)

The 1½d value was designed and printed photogravure by Waterlow & Sons, the 10/- value was designed and recess printed by Bradbury, Wilkinson & Company. Both stamps feature Royal portraits based on photographs by Dorothy Wilding.



13.

1½d Scarlet



14.

10/- Mauve



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SECOND DEFINITIVE SERIES

Issued July 2, 1957

Watermark Multiple Script CA

Perf 13 x 12½ (Horizontal designs), 12½ x 13 (Vertical designs)

The stamps were recess printed by De La Rue. The 4d value (No. 25) was originally issued with an incorrect inscription — "Pitcairn School". A stamp with the correct inscription — "Schoolteacher's House" (No. 26) was issued May 11, 1958. The total quantity sold of No. 25 was 127,708. A reprint of the ½d value December 4, 1963 was on Block CA Watermarked paper. Denominations and subjects are: ½d Cordyline terminalis; 1d Map of Pitcairn Island; 2d John Adams and "Bounty" Bible; 2½d Handicraft (model of bird); 3d Bounty Bay; 4d Pitcairn School (incorrect inscription); 4d Schoolteacher's House; 6d Map of Pacific; 8d Inland Scene; 1/- Handicraft (ship model); 2/- Island Wheelbarrow; 2/6 Launching new Whaleboat.



20.



21.

1d Black & Green



22.

2d Brown & Blue



23.

2½d Brown & Orange



24.

3d Green & Blue



25.

4d Red & Blue

THE BOUNTY
The Bounty is on exhibit in
Flushing, New York, near the
New Shea Stadium

Scene from "Mutiny on the Bounty"

Greetings to Bounty Visitors from Pitcairn Island

Parkin Christian

PARKIN CHRISTIAN

Great, great Grandson of
Fletcher Christian of His
Majesty's Armed Vessel
Bounty—Pitcairn Island
South Pacific Ocean

MGM 5

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BOUNTY EXHIBIT
WORLD'S FAIR MARINA
FLUSHING, NEW YORK
U. S. A.

H. M. S. BOUNTY

A painting of the famous ship built expressly
for M-G-M's presentation of
"MUTINY ON THE BOUNTY"

Dear Bounty Visitor,

It gives me great pleas-
ure to extend greetings
to you from Pitcairn
Island.

Parkin Christian

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Great, great Grandson of
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Litho U. S. A.

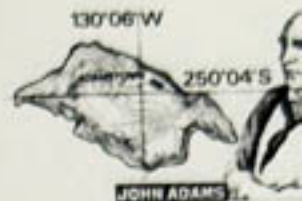


POST CARD

BOUNTY EXHIBIT
345 2nd Avenue, North East
St. Petersburg, Florida
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SECOND DEFINITIVE SERIES (Continued)



26.

4d Red & Blue



27.

6d Buff & Indigo



28.

8d Green & Red



29.

1/- Black & Brown



30.

2/- Green & Orange



31.

2/6 Blue & Red



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THIRD DEFINITIVE SERIES (Continued)



44. 8d Multicolour



45. 10d Multicolour



46. 1/- Multicolour



47. 1/6 Multicolour



48. 2/6 Multicolour



49. 4/- Multicolour



PITCAIRN

Sub-tropical Pacific Island lying almost mid-way between New Zealand and Panama — peopled by the descendants of the mutineers of the H.M.A.V. Bounty.

Discovered 1767. Settlement 1790.

British possession 1839.

First Issue Postage Stamps, Oct., 1940.





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ROYAL VISIT OF H.R.H. DUKE OF EDINBURGH

Issued February 22, 1971
Watermark Multiple St Edwards Crown CA
Perf 13

To commemorate the visit to Pitcairn of H.R.H. the Duke of Edinburgh the 10c definitive "Ship Landing Point" was overprinted in silver with the words "Royal Visit 1971".

Quantities: 38,844



118.

10c Multicolour

POLYNESIAN PITCAIRN

Issued May 3, 1971
Watermark Multiple St Edwards Crown CA
Perf 13½

Designed by Jennifer Toombs and printed lithography by Alden & Mowbray. This issue highlights the settlement of Pitcairn by Polynesians many hundreds of years before the arrival of the "Bounty" mutineers. Denominations and subjects are: 5c Polynesian Rock Carving; 10c Polynesian Artefacts; 15c Polynesian Stone Fishhook; 20c Polynesian Stone Deity.

Quantities: 5c 48,793; 10c 48,334; 15c 47,165; 20c 47,107.



119. 5c Dark Brown and Yellow Brown



120.

10c Dark Green and Grey



121.

15c Dark Blue and Grey



122.

20c Dark Red and Grey