

1937

CORONATION



CA



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Recess-printed by Messrs. De La Rue in sheets of 60 (10 rows of 6) on white wove paper Wmk. 'Multiple Script Crown over CA'. The issue was put on sale in the Protectorate on 12th May 1937.

1945

VICTORY



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The end of the 1939-45 war was commemorated in the Protectorate with stamps produced by the Union Government Printing Works of Pretoria. Sheets of 120 were prepared (20 rows of 6) on white wove paper Wmk. 'Multiple Springbok's Head' with comb 14 perforation. The stamps were inscribed alternately in English and Afrikaans. The stamps were overprinted 'BECHUANALAND' by the Union Printer. The stamps were issued on 3rd December 1945.

1938

KING GEORGE VI

Definitive Issue



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Printed by Messrs. Waterlow and Sons in sheets of 60 (10 rows of 6) on white wove paper Wmk. 'Multiple Script Crown over CA'.



1938
KING GEORGE VI



118b



118c



118d



118e



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119 (Deep)



121 (Deep)



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120a



121c Red-brown



123 (Pale)



123 (Medium)



123 (Deep)



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124



124a



122



125a (Grey)



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126 (Deep scarlet)



126a



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127a



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1938

KING GEORGE VI

Wmk.



CA



118c



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122



123



124a



125



126



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1938

KING GEORGE VI



118b



119



120



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1947
ROYAL VISIT

The tour by the Royal Family to Bechuanaland on 17th April 1947 was commemorated with a special issue of stamps. These were produced by Mervin Waterlow and Sons through recess-printing in sheets of 60 watermark 'Multiple Script Crown over CA' perf. 12½. The stamps were issued on 17th February and were withdrawn on 24th April.



1947
ROYAL VISIT



CA



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In 1947 the Royal Family visited Bechuanaland and the occasion was commemorated with a special set of stamps. The 1d showed King George VI in naval uniform; 2d. the King and Queen Elizabeth; 3d Princess Elizabeth and Princess Margaret and the 1/- included a portrait of the Royal Family.

The stamps were printed by Waterlow and Sons in sheets of 60 (10x6) Wmk. 'Multiple Script Crown over CA'. The stamps were issued on 17th February 1947 and remained on sale to 24 April 1947.



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ROYAL VISIT



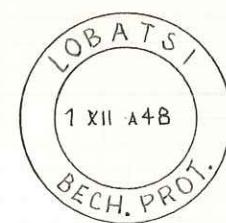
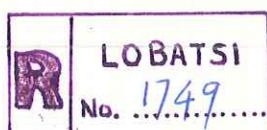
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1948

ROYAL SILVER WEDDING



A special issue to commemorate the silver jubilee of the marriage of King George VI and Queen Elizabeth. The 1½d was printed by Waterlow and Sons in photogravure. The 10/- value was printed by Bradbury Wilkinson in sheets of 120 consisting of two panes of 60. The stamps were issued on 1st December 1948.



1949

UNIVERSAL POSTAL UNION



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The 75th Anniversary of the founding of the Universal Postal Union was commemorated in the Protectorate with the issue of four stamps. The 1½d shows Hermes, the Globe and rail, sea and air transport. The 3d presents the Hemispheres, a paddle steamer and an aeroplane. With the 6d value showing Hermes distributing letters. The 1/- shows the U.P.U. monument in Bern, Switzerland.

Waterlow and Sons produced the 1½d and 1/- values in two panes of 60, Wmk. 'Multiple Script Crown over CA'. Bradbury Wilkinson were responsible for the 3d. and 6d. values. The watermark was the same. Stamps were issued on 10th October 1949.