Queen Victoria

East India Company Administration

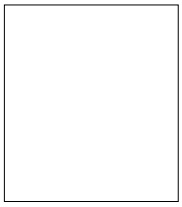
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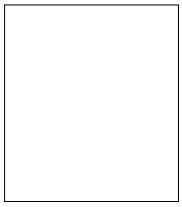
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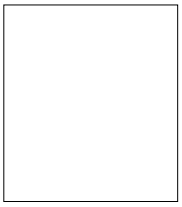
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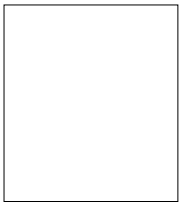
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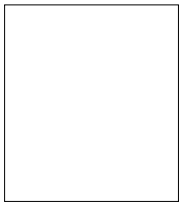

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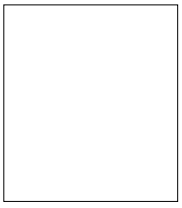

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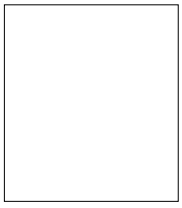

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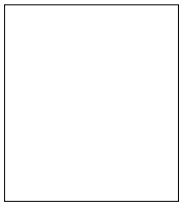
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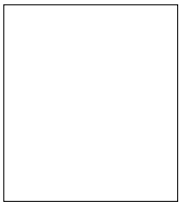

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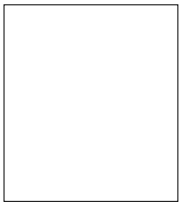

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Die III.(1855)


sg 8 pale blue


sg 8a blue


sg 9 greenish-blue


sg10 deep blue

Queen Victoria

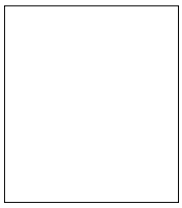
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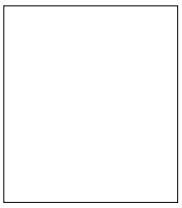
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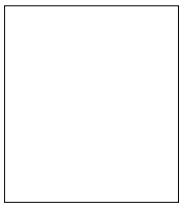
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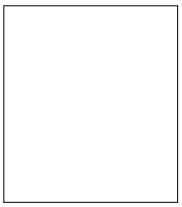

sg 11 Deep Red


sg 12 Red

Die II

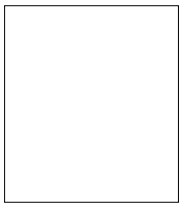
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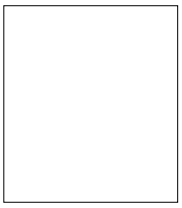

sg 13 Deep Red


sg 14 Dull Red

Die III

With pointed bust.(1855)


sg 15 Red


sg 16 Dull Red

Queen Victoria

1854

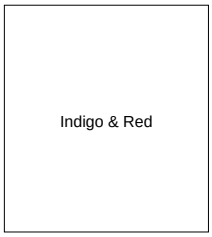
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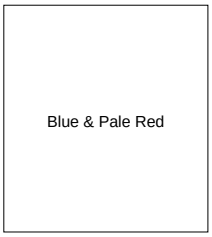
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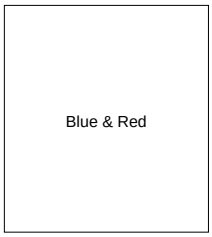
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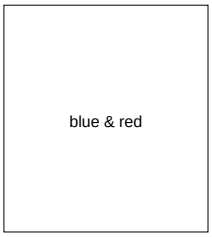


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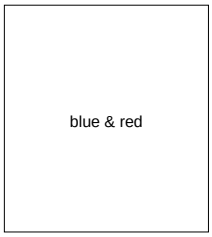


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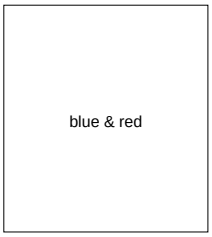
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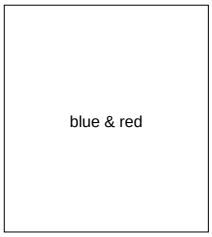
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sg 21a Head:II.Frame:I



sg 21b Head:IIIa.Frame:I



sg 21c Head:III.Frame:II

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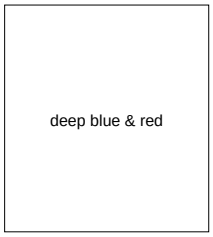
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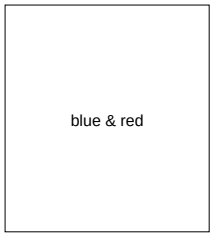
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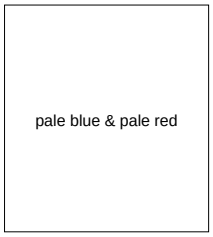
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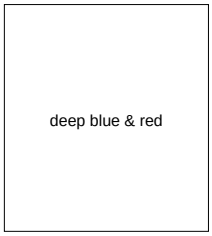
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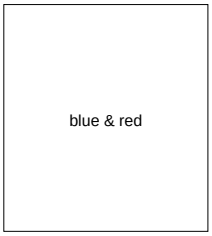
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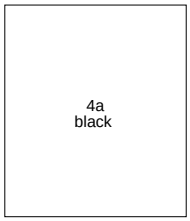
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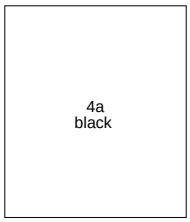


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sg 36 Die I

Used



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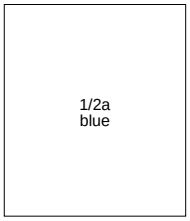
Queen Victoria

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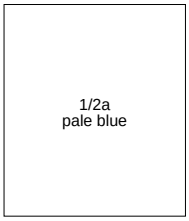
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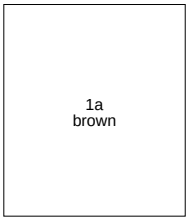
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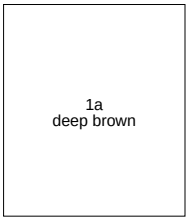
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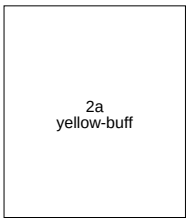
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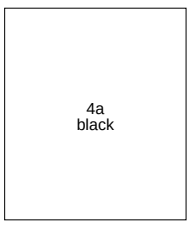
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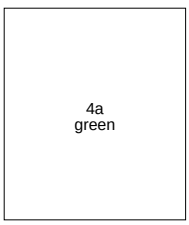
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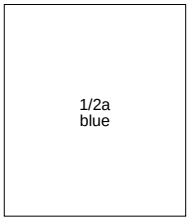
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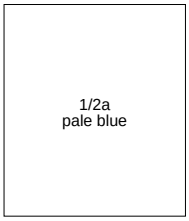
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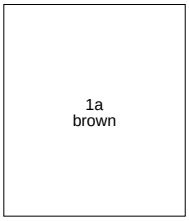
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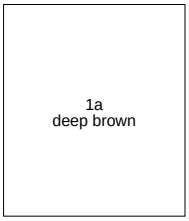
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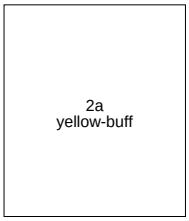
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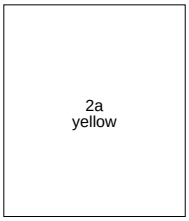
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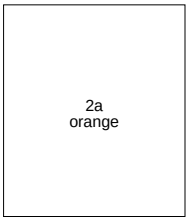
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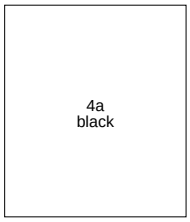
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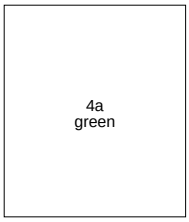
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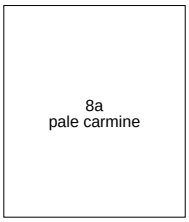
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sg 48 Die I



sg 49 Die I

Queen Victoria

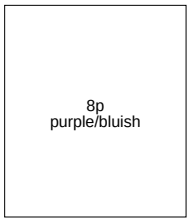
Crown Colony

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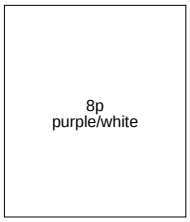
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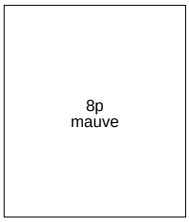
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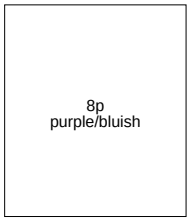


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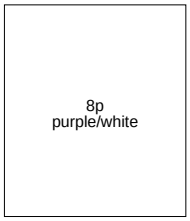


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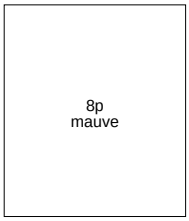
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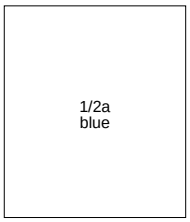
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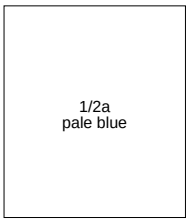
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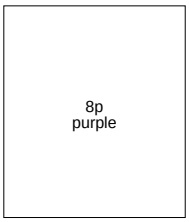
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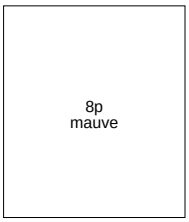
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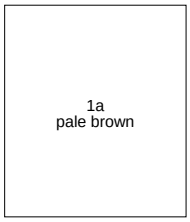
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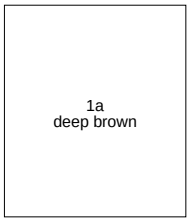
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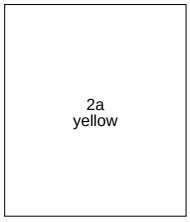
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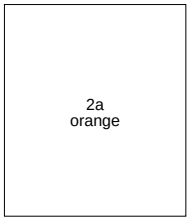
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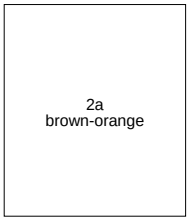
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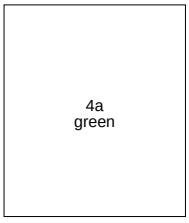
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Queen Victoria

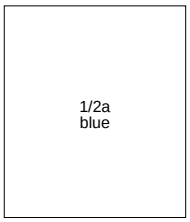
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Wmk: Elephant. Perf 14

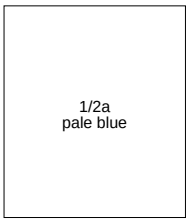
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1865

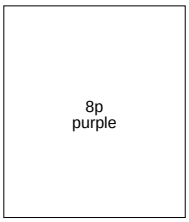
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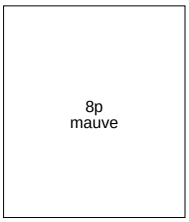
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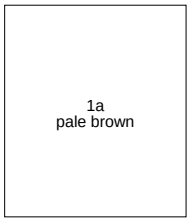
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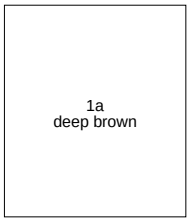
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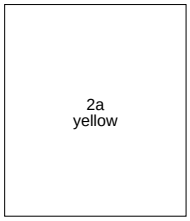
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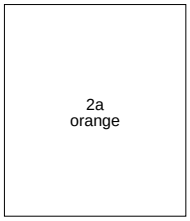
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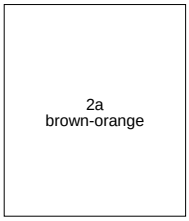
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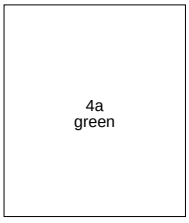
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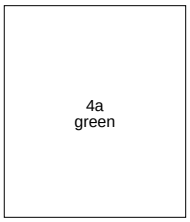
Queen Victoria

Two Dies of the 4a:
Die I- Mouth closed; line from corner of mouth downwards only. Pointed chin.
Die II- Mouth slightly open; lips, chin & throat defined by line of colour. Rounded chin

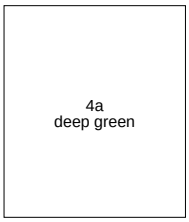
1866-1878

Wmk. Elephant. Perf 14

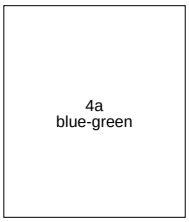
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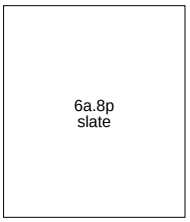
sg 69 Die I



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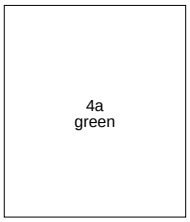


sg 71 Die II 1878

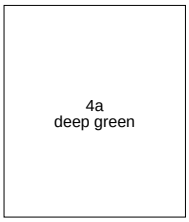


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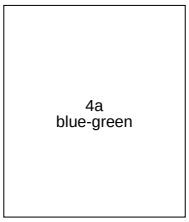
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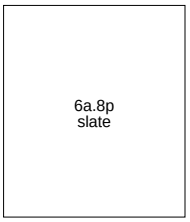
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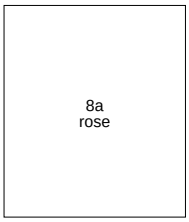
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Queen Victoria

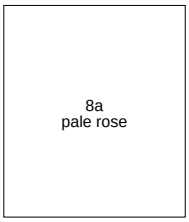
1868

Wmk. Elephant. Perf 14

Mint



sg 73 Die II

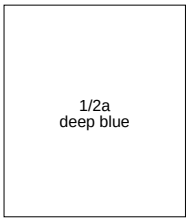


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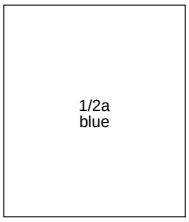
Die II- Profile redrawn and different diadem

1873

Wmk. Elephant. Perf 14



sg 75 Die II

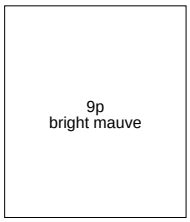


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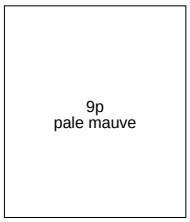
Die II- Features, especially the mouth, more firmly drawn

1874

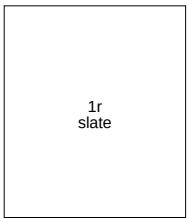
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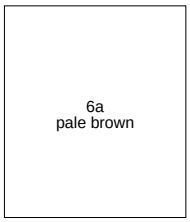
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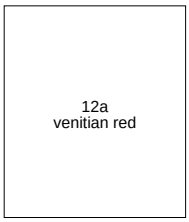
Wmk. Elephant. Perf 14



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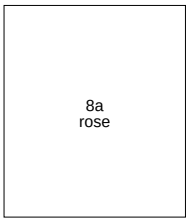
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Queen Victoria

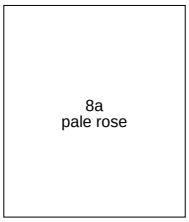
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Wmk. Elephant. Perf 14

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sg 73 Die II

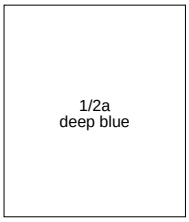


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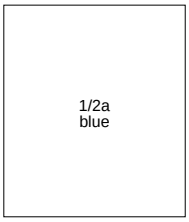
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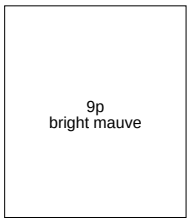


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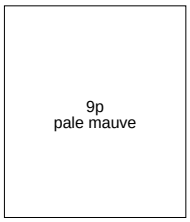
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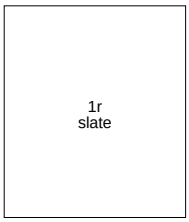
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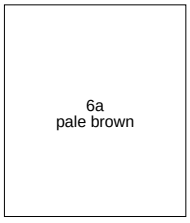
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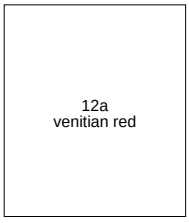
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Queen Victoria

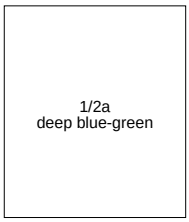
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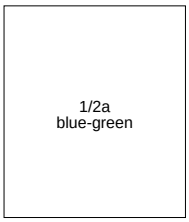
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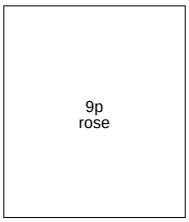
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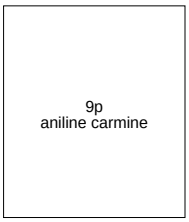
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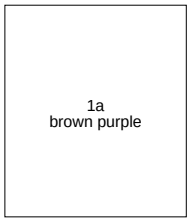
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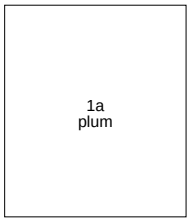
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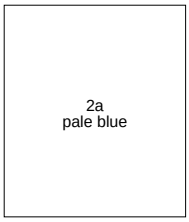
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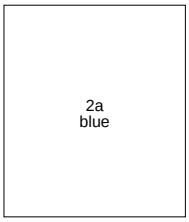
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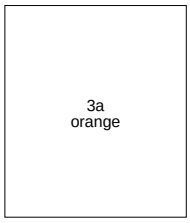
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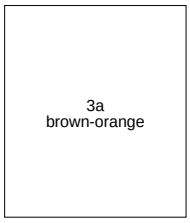
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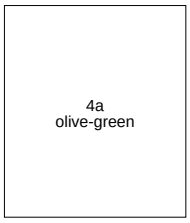
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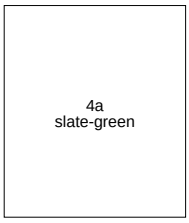
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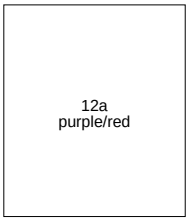
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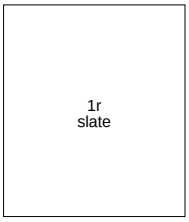
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Queen Victoria

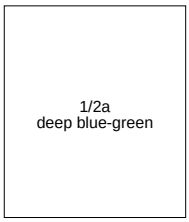
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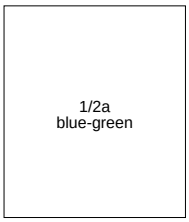
Single Star wmk. Perf 14

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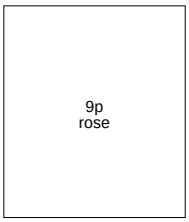
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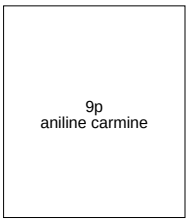
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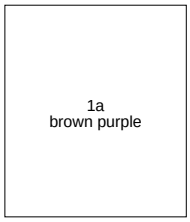
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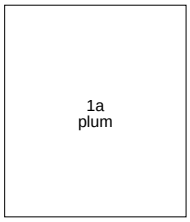
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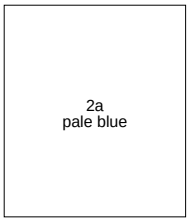
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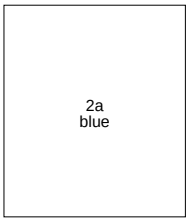
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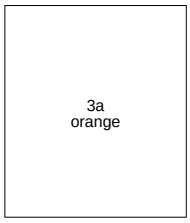
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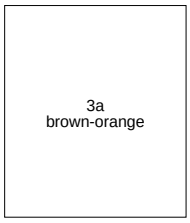
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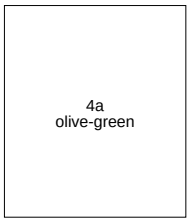
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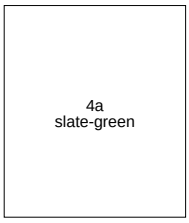
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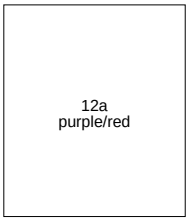
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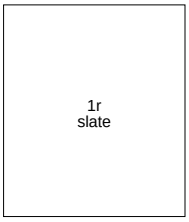
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Queen Victoria

Surcharged

1891



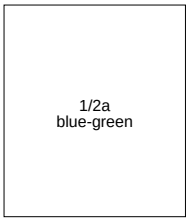
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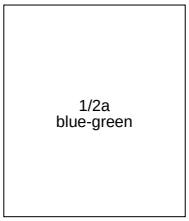
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Surcharged '2 1/2a' on 4a6p [sg97]

1898



sg 110 Mint



sg 110 Used

Surcharged '1/4a' on 1/2a [sg85]

Queen Victoria

Single Star wmk. Perf 14

1892-97

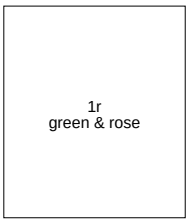
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sg 105



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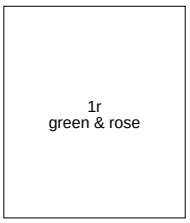
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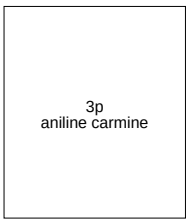


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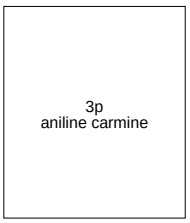


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1899



sg 111 Mint



sg 111 Used

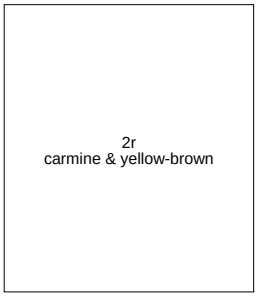
Queen Victoria

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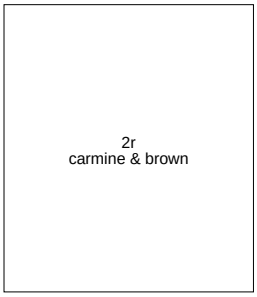
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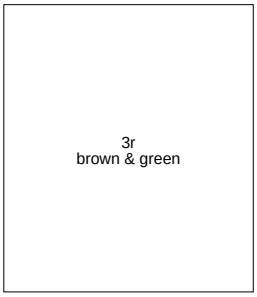
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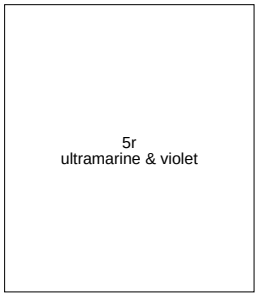
sg 107



sg 107a

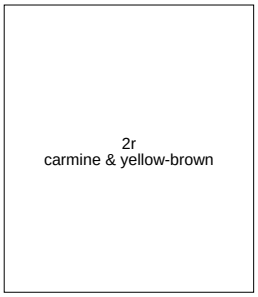


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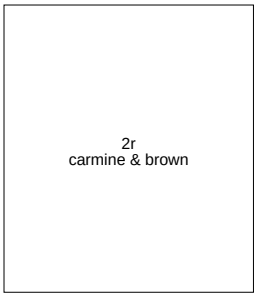


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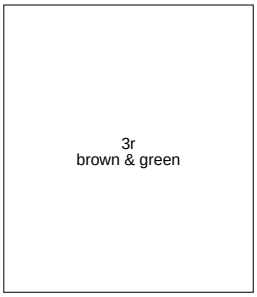
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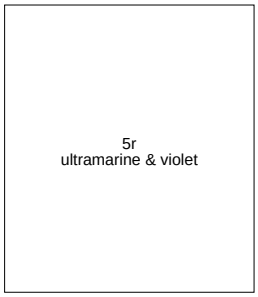
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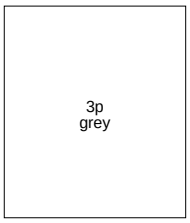
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Queen Victoria

Single Star wmk. Perf 14

1900-1902

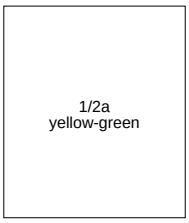
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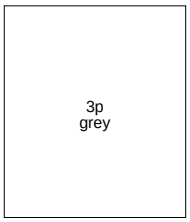


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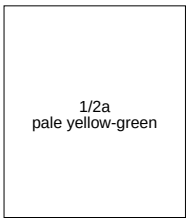


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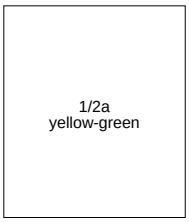
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