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DEFINITIVE ISSUE

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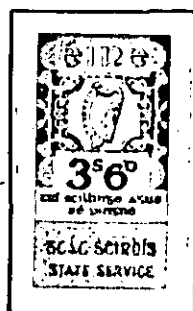
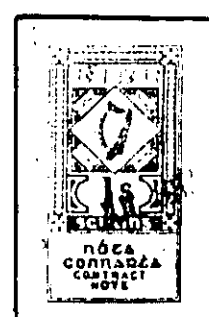
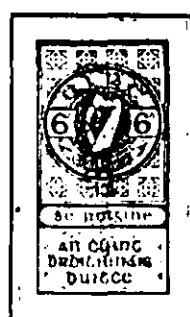
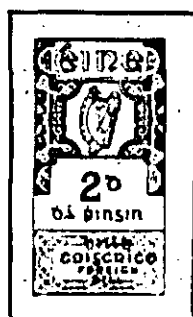
EIRE PHILATELIC ASSOCIATION

October, 1967

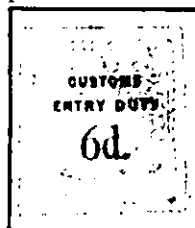
THE DEFINITIVE DESIGNS OF IRISH FISCAL STAMPS

The definitive designs of the current fiscal stamps of Ireland are of Gaelic design. Like their British counterparts, a legend panel is provided at the bottom of the design, in which is surprinted the governmental service to which it pertains.

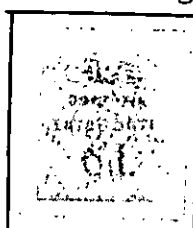
Designs A



Although the vast majority of the fiscals are of the Designs A shown above, certain unappropriated dies have been provided for special or emergency use. The first of these was the Design B without value consisting of a large harp in the center with the word "SAORSTAT" above and "EIREANN" below. This was followed by Design C without value consisting of a smaller harp in a center circle with elaborate scroll work and the word "EIRE" above. The excise duty (usually called "Entertainments" duty) is a specially designed stamp of various values (Design D). The Health Insurance and Pension system has also provided separate designs of which Designs E and F are examples.



B



C



D



E



F

DEFINITIVE IRISH NON-POSTAL ADHESIVE STAMPS

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Most of these series were made by printing the attribution in a panel at the base of unallocated dies. These dies differ for most values, but the values less commonly used (e.g. 4/6, 19/6) are made by printing the value with the allocation on a die reserved for such cases. The designs show involved Celtic scrolls and were made by William MacBride. All these, which include the country designator "EIRE", are specified in the following list as "Design A".

Design B is a simple harp motif surmounted by "SAORSTAT EIREANN", and it was replaced in the 1940s by a modification with smaller harp and with "EIRE" above. This is Design C.

BANKRUPTCY

GNO-BHRISEADH

Issue of 1935. Designs A. Wmk se. "Gno-Bhriseadh" in black at base of purple stamp. Various values.
5/=, 10/=, £ 1, and £ 2.10/=

CENSORSHIP OF FILMS

SCRÚDOIREACHT SCANNÁN

Issue of 1925. Designs A. Wmk se. "Scrúdoireacht Scannán" in black at base of purple stamp. Various values.
1/=, 2/=, 5/=, 10/=, £ 1

Issue of 1943-48. Similar, but wmk e.
1/= (1947), 2/= (1943), 5/= (1948), 10/= (1946), £ 1 (1945), £ 3 (1946).

CIRCUIT COURT

AN CHÚIRT BREITHIÚNAIS CHUARDA

Issue of 1927-32. Designs A. Wmk se. "An Chúirt Breithiúnais Chuarda" in black at base of purple stamp. Various values.
3d (1928), 6d (1928), 1/= (1928), 2/= (1928), 2/6 (1928), 4/= (1928), 5/= (1927), 10/= (1932), £ 1 (1927).

Issue of 1943-57. Similar, but wmk e.
6d (1945), 1/= (1944), 2/= (1943), 2/6 (1948), 4/= (1957), 5/= (1947), 10/= (1947), £ 1 (1947)

Issue of 1962- Inscription changed to AN CHUIRT CHUARDA. Wmk e.
3d, 6d, 1/=, 2/=, 2/6, 4/=, 5/=, 10/=, £ 1



COMPANIES REGISTRATION

CLÁRÚ CUIDEACHTANA

Issue of 1925-26. Designs A. Wmk se. "Clárú Cuideachtana/Companies Registration" in black at base of purple stamp. Various values.
4d (1925), 6d (1926), 1/= (1925), 5/= (1925), £ 1 (1926).

Issue of 1946-58. Similar, but wmk e.
4d (1952), 1/= (1955), 5/= (1946), £ 1 (1958).

CONSULAR SERVICE

SEIRBHÍS CHONSALTA

Superseded the PAS/PASSPORT series
Issue of 1931-34. Designs A. Wmk se. "Seirbhís Chonsalta/ Consular Service" in black at base of purple stamp. Various values.



6d (1931), 1/= (1931), 2/= (1931), 2/6 (1931), 4/=(1934)

Issue of 1943-60. Similar, but wmk e.

6d (1955), 1/= (1945), 1/6 (1943), 2/= (1943)
3/= (1950), 4/= (1956), 5/= (1943), 7/6 (1946), 10/= (1953), 12/= (1943), 12/6 (1948), 19/6 (1950), £ 1 (1950), 29/6 (1956), 30/= (1960).

CONTRACT NOTE

NOTA CONNARTHA



Issue of 1925-28. Designs A. Wmk se. "Nota Connartha / Contract Note" in black at base of purple stamp. Various values.

3d (1926), 6d (1926), 1/= (1926), 2/= (1926), 3/= (1928)
4/= (1928), 5/= (1925), 10/= (1925), £ 1 (1926)

Issue of 1943-55. Similar, but wmk e.

6d (1944), 1/= (1944), 2/= (1943), 3/= (1946),
4/= (1955), 5/= (1955), 10/= (1948), £ 1 (1949).

CUSTOMS ENTRY DUTY



Issue of 1925. Design B. Wmk se. Various stamp colors, overprinted in black, "Customs Entry Duty" and the value.

6d green, 1/= blue, 2/= Capri lake, 2/6 Ruby
5/= violet.

Issue of 1941. As 1925 but wmk e.

6d green, 1/= blue, 2/= orange yellow, 2/6
violet, 5/= lavender.



Issue of . Design C. Wmk e. Overprinting black. 6d green

CUSTOMS LATE FEE

Issue of 1959. Design C. Wmk e. Overprinted in blue "Customs Late Fee"
2/= bright red.

DISTRICT COURT

AN CHÚIRT BHREITHIÚNAIS DUITCHE

Issue of 1925-26. Designs A. Wmk se. "An Chuir Bhreithiúnais Duitche" in black at base of purple stamp. Various values.

6d (1926), 2/= (1926), 2/6 (1925), 5/= (1926), 10/= (1925)
£ 1 (1925).

Issue of 1944-59. Similar, but wmk e.

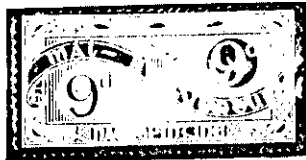
6d (1944), 1/= (1944), 2/= (1944), 2/6 (1948), 5/=(1944)
10/= (1947), £ 1 (1947), £ 5 (1959).

Issue of 1962. Similar but designation changed to AN CHÚIRT DÚICHE
6d, 1/=, 2/=, 2/6, 5/=(1944), 10/=(1947), £ 1, £ 5.

ESTATE DUTY

DIÚITÉ EASTÁIT

Issue of 1925-28. Designs A. Wmk se. "Diúité Eastáit/ Estate Duty" in black at base of purple stamp. Various values.
10/= (1925), £ 1 (1925), £ 1.10/= (1928), £ 2.10/= (1928)



Issue of 1925-35. Design D. Wmk se.

1/2d Ruby, 1d Blue, 1 1/2d Green, 2d Grey, 3d

Emerald, 4d Capri Lake, 6d Umber, 9d Violet.

Issue of 1925-35. Similar, but with overprinted double-lined C and, for values under 1/=, letters in upper corners. As last, plus 3 1/2d Raw Sienna, 4 1/2d Bright Red, 1/= Agate, 1/1 1/2d Primrose, 1/6 Pink, 2/= Azure, 3/= Red Brown, 4/= Pearl Green.

Issue of 1940-59. Similar, but wmk e. Values and colours as before with additional: 2 1/2d Roman Purple, 5d Blue, 5 1/2d , 6 1/2d. Cerise, 7d Green, 7 1/2d , 8d Viridine Green, 10d Orange, 10 1/2d Rembrandt Brown, 1/3 Steel Blue, 2/3 , 2/6 , 4/6

Issue of 1947-53. Same design but without overprinted C or letters. All overprinted in black or agate on 1/6 printed in Orange.

2 1/2d, 5 1/2d, 6 1/2d, 7d, 7 1/2d, 8d, 10d, 1/3, 1/8, 2/1 1/2d, 2/3, 2/6, 4/6.

FOREIGN BILL OF EXCHANGE

BILLE COIGRICHE



Issue of 1925-26. Designs A. Wmk se. "Bille Coigrich / Foreign Bill" in black at base of purple stamp. Various values.

2d (1926), 3d, 6d, 1/=, 2/=, 5/=, £ 1 (1925)

Issue of 1951-59. Similar, but wmk e.

2d (1959), 3d (1954), 6d (1951), 1/= (1954),

2/= (1952), 5/= (1952), £ 1 (1956).

INCOME TAX

CAIN IONCAIM

Issue of 1960. Special designs. Wmk e.

1/= green, 2/= Roman purple, 5/= azure, 10/= carmine,

£ 1 Capri lake & blue, £ 2 Grey & bright red.

INSURANCE, NATIONAL HEALTH

ÁRACHAS SLÁINTE NAISIUNTA



Issue of 1929. Design E. Wmk se. Various values and colours.

7d emerald , 8d ruby, 1/= azure & carmine, 5/10 grey & carmine, 6/8 brown & carmine, 7/7 Capri lake & carmine, 8/8 emerald green & carmine.

Issue of 1941. Similar, but wmk e. 1/= azure & carmine

INSURANCE, HEALTH & PENSION

ÁRACHAS SLÁINTE 7 PINSIN

Issue of 1935-36. Design F. Wmk se. Various values and colours.

9d red brown & emerald green (1935), 11d raw sienna (1935), 1/= carmine (1936), 1/4 gray (1936), 11/11d azure & carmine (1936), 17/4 emerald green & agate (1936).

Issue of 1940-41. Similar, but wmk e. Same values and colours.

Issue of 1948. 1940-41 issue revalued by overprinting in black.

1/3 on 9d, 1/5 on 11d, 1/7 on 1/=, 2/= on 1/4, 18/5 on 11/11. 26/= on 17/4.

INSURANCE, UNEMPLOYMENT

ÁRACHAS DIOMHAOINTIS

Issue of 1926-32. Special design. Wmk se.

4 1/2d Capri lake & agate, 5d umber & blue, 5 1/2d carmine,

6d pearl green & violet, 6 1/2d blue, 8d blue & pearl green, 8 1/2d carmine, 9 1/2d blue, 10d pearl green & emerald, 11d ruby, 1/1 Capri lake, 1/3 Rembrandt brown, 1/7 Capri lake, 9/2 1/2d pearl green & violet, 10/3 1/2d Rembrandt brown & agate, 12/8 pearl green & carmine, 14/1 emerald & carmine, 16/3 umber & carmine, 20/7 pearl green & Capri lake.

Issue of 1930. The 1926 issues revalued: 5 1/2d black on 8 1/2d, 6d carmine on 8d, 6 1/2d carmine on 9 1/2d, 7d black on 10d, 11d black on 1/3, 11d black on 9/2 1/2d, 11d black on 10/3 1/2d, 11d black on 12/8, 11d black on 16/3, 11d black on 20/7, 1/1 black on 1/7.

Issue of 1940 (?) Same design, wmk e. New colours.
8d blue & carmine, 8 1/2d violet, 9 1/2d umber, 10d carmine & blue, 1/3 green, 1/7 blue, 20/7 pearl green & Capri lake.

Issue of 1948. Last issue revalued, by black surcharge.
10d on 8d, 10d on 8 1/2d, 11d on 9 1/2d, 1/= on 10d, 1/7 on 1/3, 1/11 on 1/7, 24/11 on 20/7.

INSURANCE, UNEMPLOYMENT (Supplementary) ARACHAS DIOMHAOINTIS FOIRLIONTACH
Issue of 1943-56. Design as Unemployment Insurance with "Fiorliontach" added in same colour as value. Wmk e.
2d violet & carmine (1945), 4d emerald green & black (1943), (1953), 6d carmine & emerald green (1945), 8d ruby & blue (1945), 10d azure & carmine (1943), 1/= grey & bright red (1953), 1/4 yellow orange & violet (1943), 1/4 blue & carmine (1953), 1/10 red brown & black (1956), 2/4 orange yellow & blue (1956).

INSURANCE

ARACHAS

Issue of 1952-66. Special designs, superseding the separate issues for Health & Pensions and Unemployment.
Wmk e.
1/6 Capri lake (1952), 2/= cerise (1957), 2/6 red brown (1957), 2/10 pearl green (1962), 3/1 cerise (1964), 3/2 steel blue (1956), 3/4 blue violet (1952), 3/7 sky blue (1966), 3/9 bottle green (1966), 4/1 orange yellow (1957), 4/3 lemon yellow (1961), 4/8 fine emerald green (1952), 4/9 azure (1961), 5/= blue shade violet (1961), 5/5 ruby (1962), 5/6 blue (1957), 5/9 grey (1961), 6/- fine emerald green (1962), 6/6 fast golden yellow (1964), 6/11 raw sienna (1962), 7/3 yellow tint (1966), 7/4 red brown (1964), 7/5 blue (1966), 7/11 viridine green (1961), 8/= violet (1964), 8/9 fast Bordeaux (1966), 8/11 brown (1966), 9/= Roman purple (1961), 9/1 carmine (1962), 9/11 blue (1966), 10/2 blue tint (1966), 10/3 dark grey tint (1966), 10/4 grey (1966), 10/5 blue (1964), 10/6 agate (1962), 11/5 cherry red (1966), 11/10 orange (1964), 13/3 apple green (1966), 13/5 light brown (1966), 14/8 lavender tint (1966), 14/10 royal blue (1966), 43/4 carmine & blue (1952), 53/1 emerald green & carmine (1956), 60/8 emerald green & blue (1952), 71/6 Capri lake & blue (1956), 98/7 blue & agate (1961), 117/- carmine & blue (1961), 118/1 purple & red brown (1963), 135/5 green & ruby (1964), 136/6 raw sienna & purple (1963), 153/10 grey & azure blue (1964), 172/3 dark grey & apple green (1966), 174/5 red & black (1966), 190/8 apple green & blue (1966), 192.10 blue & brown (1966).

Issue of 1956 ? 4/8 revalued 5/6 by black overprint.



Issue of 1926. Designs A. Wmk Se. "Na Cuirteanna Breithiunais" in black at base of purple stamp. Various values.

2d, 3d, 4d, 6d, 1/=, 2/=, 2/6, 5/-, 7/6, 10/=, £ 1

Issue of 1943-60. Similar, but wmk e.

3d (1953), 4d (1954), 6d (1945), 1/= (1946)
2/= (1943), 2/6 (1950), 5/= (1946), 7/6 (1947), 10/= (1946), 12/6 (1957), £ 1 (1945), £ 5 (1960).

Issue of 1962. Same, but inscription changed to "NA HUASCHUIR-TEANNA" in legend panel at base of stamp.

2d, 3d, 4d, 6d, 1/=, 2/=, 2/6, 5/=, 7/6, 10/=, 12/6, £ 1, £ 5.

LAND COMMISSION

COIMISIUN NA TALMHAN



Issue of ? . Designs A, wmk se. "Coimisiun na Talmhan" in black at base of purple stamp
1/= 5/=

Issue of 1926-27. Designs A, wmk se. "Coimisiun na Talmhan" in carmine at base of purple stamp. Various values.

2d (1927), 3d (1926), 6d (1926), 1/= (1926), 2/= (1926), 5/= (1926).

Issue of 1945-60. Similar, but wmk e.

3d (1953), 6d (1945), 1/= (1945), 2/= (1945), 3/6 (1960), 5/= (1946), 7/6 (1960), 30/= (1960)

LAND REGISTRY

CLÁRATHACHT NA TALMHAN

Issue of 1925. Designs A, wmk se. "Clarathacht Na Talmhan" in black at base of purple stamp. Various values.

3d, 4d, 6d, 1/=, 2/6, 5/=, 10/=, £ 1

Issue of 1944-58. Similar, but wmk e.

3d (1950), 4d (1950), 6d (1946), 1/= (1944), 2/6 (1950), 5/= (1944), 10/= (1944), £ 1 (1944)
£ 3 (1958).

OFFICIAL ARBITRATION (Land)

EADARASCAN OIFIGIUIL (TALMHAN)

Issue of 1926. Designs A, wmk se. "Eadarascan Oifigiuil (Talmhan)" in carmine at base of purple stamp.

£ 1

Issue of 1955. Similar, but wmk e.

£ 1

OLD AGE PENSIONS



Issue of ? . Design B, wmk se. Overprinted "C.P.A. PAY 1/- EXTRA". 1/= black on orange.

Issue of 1947. Design C, wmk e. Similarly overprinted
2/6 black on orange, 5/= black on blue

These were issued in booklets containing seven panes of eight, half of one pane being cancelled by overprinting of parallel lines.

PASSPORT

PAS

Issue of 1925-30. Designs A, wmk se. "PAS / Passport" in black on purple stamp. Various values.
6d (1925), 1/= (1925), 2/= (1925), 7/6 (1930), 20/= (1925).

PUBLIC RECORDS

ANNÁLACHA PUIBLÍ

Issue of 1925-27. Designs A. "Annalacha Puiblí" in black at base of purple stamp. Watermark Se. Various values:

3d (1927), 6d (1925); 1/= (1925), 5/= (1925), 10/= (1927), £ 1 (1927).

Issue of 1944-64. Similar, but wmk e.

6d (1947), 1/= (1947), 2/6 (1955), 5/= (1944), 10/= (1964) £ 1 (1962).

REGISTRATION OF DEEDS

CLÁRATHACHT NA nDINTIÚIRÍ

Issue of 1925. Designs A. Wmk se. "Clarathacht Na nDintiuiri" in black at base of purple stamp. Various values
3d, 4d, 6d, 1/=, 2/=, 2/6, 10/=, £ 1

Issue of 1943-63. Similar, but wmk e.

3d (1947), 6d (1945), 1/= (1944), 1/6 (1963), 2/= (1943), 2/6 (1948), 5/= (1957), 10/= (1946), £ 1 (1951).

STATE SERVICE

STÁT-SHEIRBHÍS



Issue of 1925. Designs A. Wmk se. "Stat-Sheirbhis" in black on purple stamp. Various values.

2/6, 5/=, 10/=, £ 1

Issue of 1944-55. Similar, but wmk e.

2/6 (1947), 3/6 (1955), 5/= (1945), 10/= (1944), £ 1 (1944), £ 2 (1955)

BOARDS & AGENCIES

EXPORT LIVE STOCK INSURANCE BOARD

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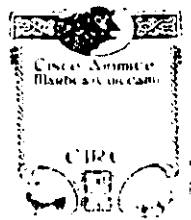
Issue of . Special design. No watermark. Various values.

1d dark blue, 3d green, 6d purple, 1/= orange, 2/= brown, 5/= light blue, 10/= red, £ 1 magenta, £ 5 black, £ 10

The 5/= red imperforate (illustrated) was a colour trial printing.

ANIMAL SLAUGHTER COMPENSATION FUND

CISTE AINMITE MARBTA



Issue of .

Details lacking on these. The label illustrated has no value shown

ADDITIONAL NOTES ON REVENUES

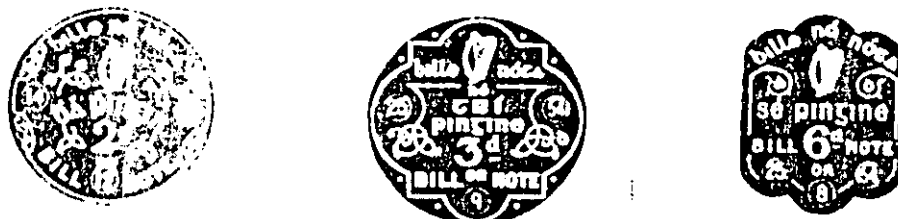
Most of the revenue stamps listed above are currently available at the Post Office. The Companies Registration stamps are not obtainable by the public. The various fees payable on documents registered in that office are denoted by stamps impressed on the documents and copies of documents supplied by the office are stamped with adhesive stamps of the value of the copying fees. Consular stamps are not obtainable at the post office. Registration of Deeds stamps at the Henrietta Street Stamp Office, Dublin.

EMBOSSSED GENERAL DUTY ADHESIVES

Before 1922, a wide range of the General Duty dies were struck on perforate, watermark (orbs) paper. (See page Y-6). After the establishment of the Free State a similar arrangement was made for the issue of stamps through the office in Cork. These stamps are not obtainable mint. A document requiring stamping is handed in and the requisite fee paid. The clerk then affixes the adhesives and ties it to the document with an embossed cancelling device.



STAMPED PAPER FOR BILLS & NOTES



REVENUE STAMP OBLITERATING MARKS

Courtesy of F.E. Dixon

Typical cancellations and obliterating marks seen on revenue stamps. Puncturing devices with various initials incorporated. P.R.I = Public Records, Ireland. R.C.J. = Judicature. S.C.J. = Supreme Court of Judicature. I.L.C. = Irish Land Commission.

