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DIE II, TWO DIFFERENT ROLLER IMPRESSIONS WERE USED. WHITE LINES BELOW POSTAGE AND ABOVE TWOPENCE WERE THICK FOR PLATES 7, 8, 9 AND 12, THIN FOR PLATES 13, 14 AND 15. PLATES 10 AND 11 WERE DEFECTIVE AND WERE REJECTED. PLATES OF 20 ROWS OF 12 STAMPS OF TWO PENNY. RE-ENTRIES IN THIS ISSUE ARE KNOWN ON PLATES 7 AND 12, WHILE PLATES 8 AND 9 SHOW ALSO EVIDENCE OF REPAIRING BY HAND RETOUCHING.

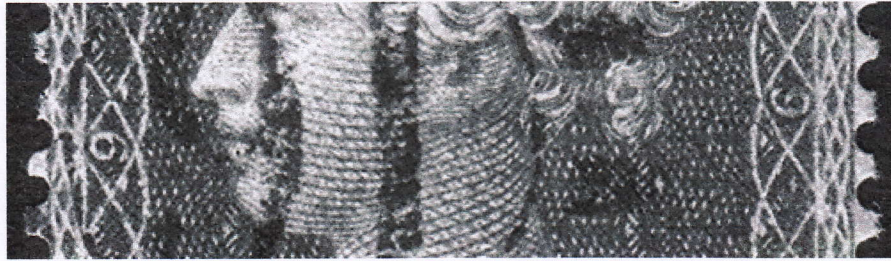


Plate number 9

WATERMARK LARGE CROWN. SPECIMENS OF THE PLATES ARE KNOWN WITH INVERTED WATERMARK.



Large Crown

LETTERS IN ALL FOUR CORNERS. IN IDENTIFYING STAMPS LOWER LETTERS ARE QUOTED.

PERFORATION 14. IMPERFORATES KNOWN FROM PLATES 9 AND 13.