

QUEEN VICTORIA

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TWO PLATES WERE PRODUCED IN 1867. PLATE 2 WAS NEVER PUT TO PRESS, BUT SOME “ABNORMALS” REACHED THE PUBLIC. THE PLATES WERE COMPOSED OF 240 STAMPS IN TWELVE PANES OF 20 STAMPS. THE PANES LYING IN FOUR ROWS OF THREE WERE IN 5 ROWS OF 4 STAMPS OF 10 PENNY.



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WATERMARK SPRAY OF ROSE. STAMPS WITH INVERTED WATERMARK EXIST.



Spray of Rose

LETTERS IN ALL FOUR CORNERS. THE CORNER LETTERS RAN FROM AA – AL
IN THE TOP ROW DOWN TO TA – TL IN THE BOTTOM ROW.
(QUOTING LOWER LETTERS ONLY).

PERFORATION 14.

THIS VALUE WAS INTRODUCED FOR PREPAYMENT OF POSTAGE TO INDIA,
MAURITIUS AND AUSTRALIA VIA MARSEILLES.
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