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BRITISH STAMP PRINTERS By Glenn Morgan

In 1993 the British Philatelic Bulletin, Royal Mail's monthly magazine for stamp collectors, launched a series of Publications on specific topics relating to British stamp issues, design, postal history and stamp collecting in general. The 12<sup>th</sup> publication in the series, on British Stamp Printers, written by regular Bulletin contributor Glenn Morgan, is now available.

British Stamp Printers gives details of stamp production methods as well as historical surveys of stamp printers based in Britain, both past and present. These include the great names such as Bradbury Wilkinson, De La Rue, Harrisons, Perkins Bacon, Questa, Walsall, and Waterlows, also many small companies whose names will not be so familiar, such as A Alexander & Sons, J W Dunn, Kynoch Press, and T F Todhunter. Some of these companies printed very few stamps, sometimes just one issue. The listing will provide a useful work of reference for all interested in stamp printing. Also included are overseas printers of Royal Mail stamps – Cartor and Enschede. Mr Morgan deals with printers of postal stationery as well as adhesive postage stamps.

Glenn Morgan is a noted collector and philatelic writer, Librarian of the National Philatelic Society, and joint winner of the Rowland Hill Award for Journalistic Excellence in 2004.

British Stamp Printers is available from Royal Mail Tallents House, 21 South Gyle Crescent, Edinburgh EH12 9PB, price £2.95, handling charge £1.30 UK, £1.55 Europe, £2.15 overseas. Please quote product code PB390

Bulletin Publications 10 The Travelling Post Office 1838-2004 (by Peter Johnson), and 11 The First Elizabeth II Castle High Value Definitives are still available from Tallents House, price £2.95 each. Earlier Publications are now out of print..