

INTRODUCTION

In presenting this twenty-eighth edition of our Catalogue the editor regrets that a series of unforeseen circumstances precluded the finalising of much of the proposed further revision in certain sections and of necessity, this has been deferred.

The quickening interest aroused consequent upon recent technical developments and the use of heleon has been accentuated by the introduction of the decimal currency series, and has created an obvious unprecedented demand for £s. d. issues. This has been reflected in a sharp, and in some instances, an astounding increase in the prices of the better items some of which are really scarce, and a general upward trend which appears to be world-wide.

The desire to determine an equitable and realistic catalogue pricing guide commensurate with the rapidly changing Australian market, whilst remaining cognisant of the interests of both the collector and the trade, posed a somewhat difficult task.

Nevertheless, a serious effort has been made to minimise anomalies, provide fresh information and in general hope to please the majority.

The editor extends his grateful thanks to all who contributed constructive assistance in the preparation of this edition.

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