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George's Scar - May 2021

Thanks to Bernard Hughes, we now have the sheet position of the Ascension 1/- frame flaw of a scar across the king's cheek - without the need of a positional block.

The six examples examined so far each show the vignette variety found at Wv2B.6/4. (Both the images shown here are from the same stamp).

If you have an example of the cheek scar, we'd be glad to hear of it, particularly if it does not also have the vignette plate 2B variety of the two dots in the sky.



Hong Kong sheets – May 2021

As if to confirm that the low value Hong Kong had half sheet numbering, this example (adjacent to position 6/6) appeared amongst an eBay lot.



Elusive FDC's – March 2021

Brian Lippard asks if we have seen a genuine British Solomons first day cover.

Perhaps you have an answer for him.