

Fun with stamps #27

Name _____

Time _____

What do you know about these country's first issues?

Mauritius

A

Hawaii

B

Afghanistan

C

Tibet

D

Natal

E

Latvia

F

Assign the correct order of issue to these 6 countries.
(2 pts each, 12 pts total)

Answers

Printed using enamel paint instead of ink.	
Printed without ink, embossed on colored papers.	
Printed on the back of German military maps.	
Only one unused copy is known to exist.	
Printed only 500 copies.	
Until 1891, stamps cancelled by tearing a piece off.	

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Bonus Points (as marked)

- (1) Great Britain issued the first postage stamp on May 6, 1840 -- what day of the week was it? (2 pts) _____
- (2) The City Despatch Post in New York, a local carrier, issued the world's second stamp in what year? (2 pts) _____