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The Jersey Post Office issued five stamps on 21 March to mark the International Camellia Society's Congress from 30 March to 4 April.

The stamps are a good example of the diversity of the camellia world —

'Captain Rawes', on the 18p stamp, arrived in England from China in 1820, the first *C. reticulata* to reach the West.

'Brigadoon', on the 23p stamp, a *C. x williamsii*, is a cross between *C. saluenensis* and *C. japonica* 'Princess Baciocchi', a semi-double from Armstrong Nurseries in the USA in 1960.

'Elsie Jury', on the 30p stamp, a *C. saluenensis* x *C. japonica* 'Pukekura' hybrid of peony form, was produced by Les Jury in New Zealand in 1964.

'Augusto Leal de Gouveia Pinto', on the 35p stamp, is a *C. japonica* formal double from Portugal, first seen about 1904.

'Bella Romana', on the 41p stamp, is a rose form double from a *C. japonica* cultivar raised from seed by Del Grande, a nursery owner in Florence, Italy, in 1856. It was dedicated to Rome on the occasion of the Italian unification.

The idea for the camellia stamp issue was broached to the ICS Directors by Mrs. Mayda Reynolds in 1986. It was put to the Jersey Post Office two years later.

The camellias are from the Jersey gardens of Mrs. Mayda Reynolds and Mrs. Vi Lort-Phillips and were photographed by Stuart Abraham, a commercial photographer. Final work on the layout was begun in 1992 by Mrs. Andrée Valentine, now Philatelic Manager of the Jersey Post Office.

All ICS members attending the Jersey Congress received Presentation Packs. Mint sets and Presentation Packs are still available from the Jersey Post Office (see advertisement on opposite page).

JERSEY 'CAMELLIAS'



To mark the International Camellia Society's biennial Congress being held in Jersey Spring 1995, five stamps featuring camellias which are grown within the Island will be issued on 21st March 1995.

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