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mint	unused with original gum showing slight disturbance caused by previous hinge, which may be present in part or entirely removed
part original gum	unused with original gum significantly disturbed or heavily hinged
unmounted mint	original gum as issued
unused	without gum

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entire letter	complete as sent with comments still attached to the outer address portion
entire	the outer portion of a folded letter but without contents
cover	an envelope

Symbols and Abbreviations

⊗	unmounted mint	d.s.	datestamp
★	unused	h.s.	handstamp
○	used	Ⓐ	air mail
⊞	block of four	Ⓢ	specimen
⊞	block larger than four	Ⓒ	cancelled
☒	used on cover, entire letter, etc.	Ⓔ	essay
△	on piece	Ⓟ	proof
var.	variety, varieties	F	forgery
cat.	catalogue, catalogue value	R	reprint
c.d.s.	circular datestamp		

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WEDNESDAY 24 OCTOBER 2018

Commencing at 2.00 p.m. (Lots 501-1061)

ABU DHABI

- 501 ④ ☒ 1964-71 selection of aerogrammes (15) including 1971 20f. unused and cancelled, 40f., 1971 30f. on 20f., 50f. on 40f. unused and cancelled, etc., good to fine £200-250

ADEN

- x502 ★ 1937-66 mint collection with some QE shades, Hadhramaut and Seiyun, apparently complete, generally fine. Cat. £2,000+ £500-600

Kathiri State of Seiyun

- 503 ★ 1946 Victory 2½a. blue, marginal from the right of the sheet, variety **overprint inverted**, mint; gum very slightly toned, otherwise fine. S.G. 13a, £1,300. Photo £400-500

ANGUILLA

- 504 ④ ☒ 1967 "Independent Anguilla" 15c. and 25c. tied on 1967 (25 Nov.) airmail envelope (slight wrinkles) to London, fine. S.G. 9, 11 £100-120

ASCENSION

- 505 ☒ 1906 (26 June) coloured picture postcard "Wideawakes (Sooty Terns) & Eggs, Ascension" to London bearing 1d. red with fine datestamp £100-120

AUSTRALIA

- 506 1913-46 mint and used collection (195) housed in a green binder, including 1913-24 with values to 2/- mint, 1914-20 4d. pale orange-yellow, 5d., 1915-27 2d. (2), 2½d., 3d. (2), 6d., 9d. and 1/-, 1929-30 5/- mint and used, 1931-36 5/- and 10/- used, 1937-49 10/- overprinted "SPECIMEN", etc., chiefly good to fine £300-400



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- 507 ★ 1913 first watermark £2 black and rose, well-centred and of good colour, fine mint. S.G. 16, £6,500. Photo £2,000-2,500

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Australia - contd.

Literature

- o508 Selection of fifteen items, contained in a carton, including "Tasmania-Stamps and Postal History" by Tinsley, "The Postal History of The Port Phillip District 1835-1851", "South Australia; The Long Stamps 1902-1912" and "Victoria: The Postage Dues" all by Purves, "The Stamps of Victoria" by Kellow, "Queensland Cancellations and Other Markings 1860-1913" by Campbell and "Between the Lines" by Smits. Generally fine £30-40

BAHAMAS

- 509 ○ 1859 thick, opaque paper, 1d. reddish lake, three just clear to good margins, touched at left, neatly cancelled "A05"; sound. Society of Philatelic Americans Certificate (1978). S.G. 1, £2,250. Photo £300-350
- 510 ★ 1884 £1 Venetian red, fresh and fine mint. S.G. 57, £275. Photo £140-180
- 511 ★ 1938-52 £1 deep grey-green and black on thick paper, lightly mounted mint, and £1 blue-green and black on ordinary paper marginal block of four, unmounted mint. S.G. 157, 157a, £490 £200-250

BAHRAIN

- 512 ★ 1933-2003 mostly mint collection housed in a blue binder contained in a carton, including 1933-37, 1934-37, 1938-41 and 1942-45 sets, 1948-49 surcharges on Great Britain, 1948 Wedding, 1950-55 2r. on 2/6d. to 10r. on 10/- corner blocks of four, 1960 set, 1964 set, 1966 5f, to 1d., 1968 New Town, 1971 Independence and a very fine range of later issues, with miniature sheet, blocks, etc., chiefly very fine £800-1,000
- 513 ★ 1964-2006 mostly mint selection in a file contained in a carton, including 1973 War Tax 5f., 1975 Horses sheet, 1977 Dogs, 1985 Fish sheet, 1993 Flowers, 1997 Horses, 2002 25f. to 2d. miniature sheet, etc., chiefly fine with most unmounted £250-300

BARBADOS

1852-55 Issue

- x514 △ (2d.) greyish slate, **bisected vertically**, left and right halves of different stamps, cancelled "1" and tied on piece of an entire, the reverse showing light complete strike of a Dominica double-arc datestamp for August 1854; **the only known example of two of these bisects used on the one item.** B.P.A. Certificate (1932). S.G. 4b, £8,500 on cover. Photo £800-1,000
- x515 △ (2d.) greyish slate, **bisected vertically**, a large right half cancelled "10" and clearly tied on right-half portion of 1854 (Aug.) mourning envelope from St. Peter to Bridgetown with numeral "1" arrival datestamp (23.8) on reverse; the piece with a few small faults though a very unusual usage of this bisect with a parish cancellation. R.P.S. Certificate (1939). S.G. 4b, £8,500 on cover. Photo £500-600

PROVENANCE:

E.T. Granger

1855-58 White paper Issue

- x516 ○ (1d.) deep (dark) blue strip of three, clear to large margins and each neatly cancelled "1", thought to come from the fourth printing of October 1858; fine and believed to be the second largest used multiple known. S.G. 10, £180+. Photo £100-120



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1858 (Nov.) Issue

x517 ○ 6d. pale rose-red, two examples with good to large margins, one on piece tied by bootheel "1", the other cancelled with fine bootheel "5" (St. John), the latter possibly an imperforate example of the 1861-70 6d. rose-red. R.P.S. Certificate (2017) for both as S.G. 11 £100-120

1861-70 Rough Perf. 14 to 16 Issue

x518 ★ ② (½d.) deep green block of eighteen (3x6), fresh with large part original gum and the majority remaining unmounted; most attractive and the largest recorded multiple. S.G. 20, £630+. Photo £300-350

x519 ★ (½d.) deep green, marginal from the left of the sheet showing plate number "2", large part original gum; fine and rare. S.G. 20. Photo £600-700

x520 ★ (½d.) green marginal block of six (3x2) from the top of the sheet, large part original gum, and (½d.) blue-green marginal pair from the left of the sheet, both stamps unmounted mint, fine. S.G. 21, 21a £100-120

x521 ★ (½d.) green, marginal from the left of the sheet, variety **imperforate between stamp and margin**, part original gum, crease in margin and a little toned, and a further example, variety **double row of vertical perfs. at left**, unused; the former with just four examples recorded. R.P.S. Certificate (1975) for former. Photo £250-300

x522 ★ ② (½d.) blue-green block of fifteen (3x5), large part original gum; one horizontal row with a light bend, otherwise fresh and fine, S.G. 21a, £825. Photo £400-500

x523 ★ ② (½d.) blue-green lower left corner block of twelve (3x4), variety **imperforate between stamps and left-hand margin**, large part original gum, fresh and fine. The discovery block of this variety. S.G. 21a, £660+. Photo £500-600

x524 ★ ② (½d.) grass green block of eight (4x2), fresh with large part original gum, the lower row remaining unmounted. A most attractive multiple. S.G. 22, £336+. Photo £150-200

x525 ★ (½d.) grass green vertical pair, variety **imperforate**, good to very large margins and possibly from the lower right corner of the sheet, part original gum, a couple of light corner creases, otherwise of fresh and fine appearance. R.P.S. Certificate (1959). S.G. 22a, £850. Photo £300-350

x526 ★ ② (½d.) yellow-green block of four, fresh with large part original gum; light vertical gum crease, otherwise fine and most attractive £100-120

x527 ★ (½d.) yellow-green vertical pair, variety **imperforate**, good to large margins, large part original gum, fine; possibly a shade variation of the pair offered above as grass green. Photo £300-350

x528 ★ ② (1d.) blue blocks of four in contrasting shades, fresh with part to large part original gum; one with light corner crease though a most attractive pair. S.G. 23, £640+ £250-300

x529 (1d.) blue and (1d.) deep blue, unused with part original gum, (1d.) blue strip of three with "1" bootheel cancellations (the third largest multiple recorded), (1d.) blue "transient variety showing doubling at foot - kiss print" cancelled "1" and (1d.) deep blue "not a true double impression but a consequence of jarring of the press", cancelled with bootheel "1". R.P.S. or B.P.A. Certificates for the four singles. An interesting group £80-100

x530 ★ (1d.) pale blue (worn plate) lower right corner strip of six, variety **imperforate**, fresh unused without gum; creases in margins, otherwise fine. A rare and impressive multiple. A. Diena Certificate (1953). S.G. 23a, £2,400+. Photo £1,000-1,200

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Barbados, 1861-70 Rough Perf. 14 to 16 Issue - contd.

x531 ★	(1d.) deep blue strip of three, the centre stamp showing "split" in design at upper right caused by a small natural paper crease, part original gum, fresh and most attractive. S.G. 24, £225+. Photo	£100-120
x532 田	(1d.) deep blue block of ten cancelled with several bootheel "1"; upper right stamp with a diagonal crease though an impressive multiple and the largest known used block of this stamp. S.G. 24. Photo	£200-300
x533 ★田	(4d.) dull rose-red block of six (3x2), the top stamp showing unusual "white" flaw behind Britannia's head caused by a paper indentation, large part original gum. A rare block and the third largest multiple recorded. S.G. 25, £960+. Photo	£400-500
x534 ○	(4d.) dull rose-red horizontal pair, both cancelled with bootheel "1", fine and one of very few multiples recorded. S.G. 25. Photo	£100-120
	PROVENANCE: S.F. Cave, March 1980 E. A. Bayley, October 1990	
x535 ★田	(4d.) dull brown-red block of six (3x2), unused with large part original gum, the lower row remaining unmounted. A rare multiple of this delicate shade. B.P.A. Certificate (1984). S.G. 26, £1,140+. Photo	£600-700
x536 ★	(4d.) dull brown-red horizontal pair, variety imperfurate , good to large margins and large part original gum; fine and rare. R.P.S. Certificate (1959). S.G. 26a, £1,600+. Photo	£800-1,000
	PROVENANCE: E.K. Lickfold, February 1962	
x537 ★田	(4d.) lake-rose block of four, large part original gum, fresh bright colour and most attractive. A rare multiple. S.G. 27, £760. Photo	£400-500
	PROVENANCE: Forsyth, March 1978 E. A. Bayley, October 1990	
x538 ★	(4d.) lake-rose vertical marginal pair, part original gum; ink notations in margin, otherwise fine. S.G. 27, £380+. Photo	£200-250
x539 ★田	(4d.) lake-rose lower left corner block of four, variety imperfurate , unused with large part original gum; some light overall soiling and upper right stamp with tone spot, nevertheless very rare and the largest recorded multiple. S.G. 27a, £3,400+. Photo	£2,500-3,000
	PROVENANCE: E.K. Lickfold, February 1962 Peter Jaffè, November 2006	
x540 ★田	(4d.) dull vermilion block of four, large part original gum with the lower pair apparently unmounted; lower right stamp with small light mark on gum, otherwise fresh and fine. A rare multiple. S.G. 28, £1,400+. Photo	£700-800
x541 ★	(4d.) dull vermilion horizontal pair, variety imperfurate , large part original gum; trace of oxidisation at foot, otherwise fine. Rare. S.G. 28a, £1,500. Photo	£600-700
x542 ★田	6d. bright orange-vermilion block of eight (4x2), fresh unused with large part original gum. A rare and impressive multiple. S.G. 31, £1,280+. Photo	£600-800
	PROVENANCE: Sir James Marshall, May 1947 Hodsell Hurlock, 1958 S.F. Cave, March 1980 E.A. Bayley, October 1990	

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Barbados, 1861-70 Rough Perf. 14 to 16 Issue - *contd.*

x543 ★	6d. bright orange-vermilion horizontal strip of three, variety imperforate , clear to large margins and with large part original gum; minor gum wrinkles, otherwise sound. S.G. 31 var. Photo	£200-300
x544 ★㊦	6d. dull orange-vermilion block of twelve (3x4), fresh with large part original gum, the centre block of six remaining unmounted. A most attractive multiple and the second largest block known. S.G. 32, £2,160+. Photo	£1,200-1,400
x545 ★㊦	6d. dull orange-vermilion block of four, variety imperforate , good to large margins and showing guide line at lower right corner, large part original gum; some gum creasing and small gum bulge on one stamp though a scarce multiple. S.G. 32a, £1,500+. Photo	£500-600
x546 ★	6d. dull orange-vermilion horizontal marginal pair, variety imperforate , unused without gum; diagonal crease. R.P.S. Certificate (2017) states "has been bleached that has affected the shade". Also a used imperforate single cancelled with bootheel "11". A.P.S. Certificate (2001)	£100-120
x547 ★㊦	6d. orange block of four, fresh with part original gum. An attractive multiple. S.G. 33, £800+. Photo	£350-400
	PROVENANCE: Basil B. Benwell, April 1985 Peter Jaffè, November 2006	
x548 ★㊦	1/- brown-black block of fifteen (5x3), large part original gum with the centre row and a few others remaining unmounted. A fine and impressive multiple. S.G. 34, £1,125+. Photo	£1,000-1,200
	PROVENANCE: Charlton Henry, April 1961	
x549 ○㊦	1/- brown-black block of four, cut "imperforate" at left with perforation line inside, each cancelled with bootheel "1"; a fine and scarce multiple. S.G. 34. Photo	£140-180
x550 ★㊦	1/- black block of six (3x2), part original gum, folded between horizontally; a fresh and fine multiple. S.G. 35, £390+. Photo	£200-250
x551 ○	1/- black strip of four, light indistinct bootheel cancellations; a scarce and attractive multiple. S.G. 35. Photo	£100-120
	PROVENANCE: Sir James Marshall, May 1947	
x552 ★	1/- black single showing perforation guide marks at foot, added to plate 14 April 1863, large part original gum; small thin at lower left corner, otherwise fine and most unusual. R.P.S. Certificate (2016). S.G. 35 var. Photo	£120-150
 1875 Watermark Crown CC, Perf. 12½ Issue		
x553	½d. bright green with watermark reversed and 4d. deep red with watermark inverted , mint; 4d. deep red with watermark inverted used with datestamp and 4d. deep red with watermark reversed used with bootheel; the mint 4d. with a diagonal crease though generally good to fine. S.G. 67x, 68w, 68x, £659	£180-200
x554 ★	4d. deep red with watermark inverted and reversed , unused with large part original gum; small tone mark at upper right, otherwise fine. The discovery example. R.P.S. Certificate (2017). S.G. 68 var. Photo	£200-250
x555 ○	6d. chrome yellow with watermark upright , part bootheel cancellation; a couple of shortish perfs., otherwise fine. Very rare with only handful of examples recorded. R.P.S. Certificate (2007). S.G. 70a, £3,000. Photo	£1,200-1,400

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1875-80 Watermark Crown CC, Perf. 14 Issue

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| x556 ○ | ½d. bright green with watermark inverted and reversed , the discovery example, light bootheel cancellation and accompanied by an example with watermark reversed , light datestamp. R.P.S. Certificate (2016) for watermark inverted and reversed. S.G. 72x, 72y, unpriced | £100-120 |
| x557 ★ | 1d. dull blue with watermark inverted , the discovery example, and 1d. dull blue with watermark reversed , mint. S.G. 73w, unpriced and 73x | £120-150 |
| x558 ○ | 1d. grey-blue with watermark sideways , neat bootheel cancellation. Scarce with only about twelve examples thought to exist. S.G. 74a, £750. Photo | £200-250 |
| x559 ★ | 1d. grey-blue with watermark inverted , fresh mint. S.G. 74w, £225 | £80-100 |
| x560 ★ | 1/- dull mauve with watermark sideways reversed , large part original gum; small red handstamp on reverse. The discovery example. R.P.S. Certificate (2016). S.G. 83x. Photo | £400-500 |

BASUTOLAND POSTAL HISTORY

The award-winning Steven Gardiner Collection

The Moirosi Campaign

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| x561 ☒ | 1879 (early June) soldier's envelope (opened-out) " <i>From Pt. W. Harbor No. 1 Troop C.M. Rifles, South Africa. On Active Service in Basutoland</i> " to England, marked " <i>Stamps unobtainable</i> ", countersigned by the Commanding Officer of No. 1 Troop and showing two part strikes of double-ring Aliwal North datestamp (6.6), Cape Town (21.6) and superb "1/-" handstamp, all on face; some staining at right and two small faults at foot, otherwise sound. A very rare cover from this campaign of which just three examples are believed to exist. Photo | £1,200-1,500 |
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Note: The High Commissioner of the Cape, Sir Bartle Frere, and the Cape Premier, Mr. Gordon Sprigg, mounted a campaign against the Chief Moirosi of the Bapedi for not paying taxes and refusing the disarm. Sprigg mobilised 300 Cape Mounted Yeomanry, Cape Mounted Rifles and some Fingo Levies at Palmietfontein on the border of the Moirosi country in February 1879. The campaign lasted until late November 1879 when the Chief and his troops were finally over-run

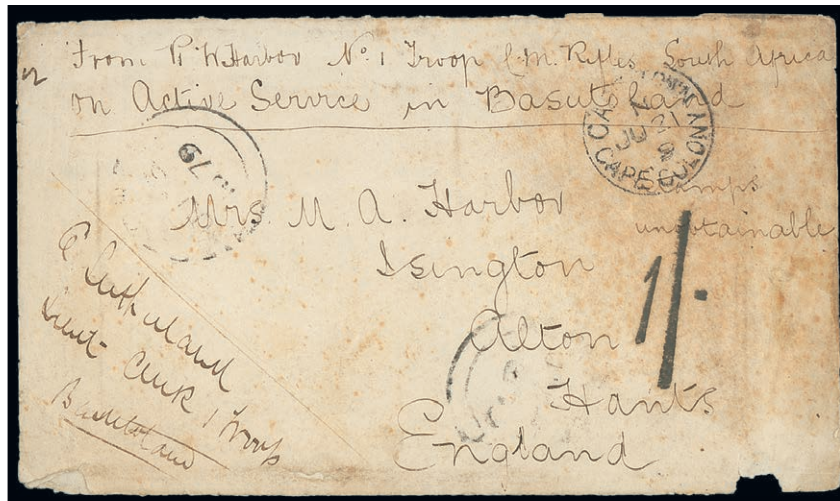
The Basutoland Rebellion (The Gun War)

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| x562 ☒ | 1880 (Sept.) envelope ex the <i>Pillans</i> correspondence to Rosebank, marked " <i>On Active Service</i> " and marked " <i>Eustace D.E.O.V.R.</i> " (Duke of Edinburgh's Own Volunteer Rifles) and showing Queenstown (30.9), Cape Town (7.10) and Rosebank (7.10) datestamps, all on face; a fine and clean cover from this famous campaign. Photo | £1,000-1,200 |
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Note: The Basuto refused to give up their arms according to the Disarmament Ordinance of 1878 issued by the Cape Government. Fighting broke out between the Cape troops and the Basuto early on 13 September 1880 at Mafeteng. There was a decisive engagement at Qalabani in October 1880 in which Moirosi ambushed a column of Cape soldiers, killing or wounding 39 troops

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| x563 ☒ | 1880 (Oct.) soldier's envelope " <i>On Active Service</i> " to England, marked " <i>Free Os Furness Lieut. No. 3 Ca, D.E.O.V.R.</i> " and bearing Cape 1d. red with indistinct numeral cancellation, additionally tied by fine Cape Town datestamp (16.10) and with part Aliwal North datestamp (10.10) at left, Seaford arrival datestamp (11.11) on reverse; envelope with overall staining, fault at top and on flap, nevertheless a rare letter written shortly before forces entered Basutoland on 19 October. Photo | £600-700 |
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- x564 ☒ 1881 (5 Feb.) envelope from Queenstown to Capt. George Green of the “*Kat River Levies*” in Mafeteng, sent unstamped with fine despatch datestamp, appearing as if the force had moved on, there is a transit datestamp of King Williams Town (19.3) on reverse, before it was marked “*Maseru*” and sent back to Basutoland via Aliwal North where a “3” on 3d. adhesive was affixed and cancelled with small part datestamp with a further clear strike below, again Capt. Green was not traceable as the cover was then sent back to Queenstown with a transit datestamp of 14 April before eventually receiving a Balfour datestamp of 20 April; some faults with part flap missing though one of only four recorded incoming covers to soldiers during this campaign. Photo £600-700
- Note: The Kat River Levies (a regiment from British Kaffraria) became the Corps of Rifles in 1827 and subsequently became the Cape Mounted Rifles. Edmund Carrington was the Commanding Officer in Mafeteng in 1880 when the town was besieged during the Gun War. It was relieved in November 1880*
- x565 ☒ 1881 (11 Mar.) soldiers envelope “*On Active Service - M Gorton C Troop, Baker’s Horse*” from Kokstad to England, countersigned by the Commanding Officer Lt. W.H. Molyneux, showing despatch datestamp, “d1” rate handstamp and small circular-framed “ch”, all on face, the reverse with Cape Town (21.3), Bristol (21.4) and Dorchester (14.4) datestamps, minor imperfections at left and on flap though an attractive cover from this campaign. Photo £700-800
- Note: Baker’s Horse was named after Lieut.-Col. F.J. Baker and was commissioned out of Natal on 2 October 1878. They were involved in a number of skirmishes with the Basuto. They were based at Kokstad and moved as far as Matatiele. On 7 February 1881 they were near Moirosi’s Mountain with the main force stationed at Palmietfontein*
- x566 ☒ 1881 (17 June) blue envelope (complete with letter headed “*T Horse Camp. Thlotse Heights*”) ex the *Burmiester* correspondence from Capt. William Kay Dow of the Transvaal Horse to Cape Town, marked “*Wm. Kay Dow, Capt, Leribe*” at lower left corner and bearing 1880 “3” (S.G. Type 10) on 3d. dull rose cancelled with barred oval “317” (D1) and with fine “THLOTSE/HEIGHTS” datestamp (D3, 19.6) at left, the reverse with “MASERU/BASUTOLAND” (D2, 22.6, part date altered in manuscript) and Cape Town (4.7) datestamps, the envelope with a couple of small faults though the earliest recorded date of use of both the barred oval and Thlotse Heights datestamp. Photo £800-1,000

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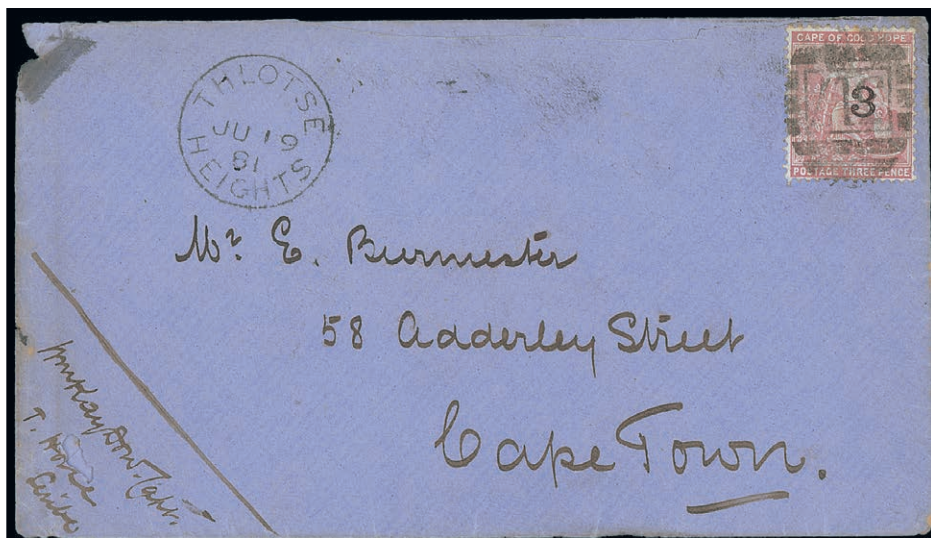
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x567 ☒

1883 soldier's envelope "From Trooper R. Holmes, C.M.R. Fingoland S. Africa" at Southeyville to England, countersigned by Sergeant Hopgood of the Cape Mounted Rifles at "Bolo Drift", showing despatch datestamp on face, Queenstown (3.4), Cape Town (9.4) and small part of U.K. (1.5) datestamps; some creasing though an unusual cover written after the peace treaty was signed though during a period of continued unrest. Photo

£600-700

Note: A peace treaty was signed with Basotho chiefs in 1881, in which colonial authorities conceded most of the points in dispute. The land remained in Basotho hands and the nation enjoyed unrestricted access to firearms in exchange for a national one-time indemnity of 5000 cattle. However, unrest continued and it quickly became clear that Cape Town could not control the territory. In 1884, the British government returned Basutoland to Crown colony status, granting internal self-government in the process. With effective power once again firmly with the chiefs, the conflict subsided

The Cape Post Office Period

Leribe (Thlotse Heights)



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x568 ☒

1877 Cape of Good Hope 6d. bright violet cancelled with superb near-complete "LERIBE/BASUTOLAND" 8 October 1877 datestamp (Proud D2); fine and the sole example recorded. Photo

£250-300

Note: The Transvaal Horse was stationed at Leribe during the Basutoland Rebellion. The British High Commissioner, Sir Hercules Robinson, intervened in the dispute on 29 April 1881, He upheld the validity of the Disarmament Ordinance of 1878. A complete amnesty was offered allowing the retention of the Basuto guns on payment of a £1 license fee per annum. The Basuto's still refused to give up their arms and there was no way of collecting the tax

- x569 ☒ 1889 (7 June) envelope ex the *Burmeister* correspondence, complete with letter from Louis Wroughton, Assistant Commissioner of Leribe, “*Via Kimberley*” to Cape Town, bearing 2d. bistre cancelled by fine “THLOTSE/HEIGHTS” datestamp (D3) with a further strike alongside, the reverse with “FICKSBURG/O.V.S.” datestamp (an unrecorded type) in magenta and small parts of Bloemfontein and Cape Town datestamps; clean and most attractive. Photo £400-500
- Note: The writer requests a quote for a pendant made out of “17-18 Jubilee Shillings and Jubilee florin” and asks for correspondence to go to Thlotse Heights “via Aliwal North”*
- x570 ☒ 1893 (2 Nov.) 1d. brown missionary correspondence card to Rev. A. Mabile at Morija, cancelled with “THLOTSE/HEIGHTS” datestamp (D3) with a further strike and Maseru (D2) transit datestamp (3.11) at left, arrival datestamp (D2, 8.11) on reverse. Photo £150-200
- Note: The Rev. Adolphe Mabile (June 12, 1836-May 20, 1894) was a noted Swiss missionary who worked for the Paris Evangelical Mission Society in Basutoland. He became a philologist of Sesotho, an educator, and a trusted advisor for external affairs to King Moshoeshoe I, the creator of what became the modern Lesotho state, and to his successor, King Letsie I*
- x571 ☒ 1895 (21 Mar.) envelope registered to Winch Brothers in Colchester, bearing ½d. grey, 1d. carmine and 2½d. sage-green (D4) cancelled with several “THLOTSE/HEIGHTS” datestamps (D3) and with manuscript “Registered 13” at foot, indistinct London Registered oval datestamp in red at right, the reverse with despatch, Cape Town Registered and arrival (16.4) datestamps; 2½d. adhesives with a few faults though an attractive three-colour registered franking and the latest recorded date of use of the D2 datestamp. Photo £400-500
- PROVENANCE:
Christie’s Robson Lowe, September 1995

Mafeteng

- x572 ☒ 1883 (5 Jan.) 1d. brown missionary correspondence card written by Rev. Thomas at Morija to Rev. Boegner at “*Post Office Cape Town*” and redirected back to Rev. Boegner c/o Rev. Mabile at Morija, put into the post at Mafeteng and cancelled with barred oval “156”, manuscript “2d” postage due for redirection and showing Aliwal North oval datestamp and Cape Town c.d.s. (15.1); crease across upper left. An unusual missionary correspondence card. Photo £140-180



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- x573 ○ 1890 British Bechuanaland 1885 issue 6d. reddish purple cancelled with near-complete “MAFETENG/BASUTOLAND” datestamp (D2) for 13 October. A previously unrecorded usage of Bechuanaland stamps in Basutoland. PFSA Certificate (1995). Photo £100-120
- x574 ☒ 1891 (1 June) 1d. brown missionary correspondence card, uprated with ½d. grey, from Louis Germond at “*Siloe*” to the Editor of the Express at Bloemfontein, twice cancelled with barred oval “156” and with despatch datestamp (D2) at foot, arrival squared-circle datestamp (9.6) on reverse. Photo £120-150
- Note: Louis Germond was responsible for establishing the missionary station in 1863. No postal facilities were ever established at Siloe and mail was posted at the nearest town of Mafeteng*

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Basutoland, The Cape Post Office Period, Mafeteng - *contd.*

- x575 ☒ 1894 (8 Mar.) ½d. green missionary correspondence card, uprated with ½d. grey, written in French from “*Makeneng*” to Scotland, cancelled with barred oval “156” and showing despatch (D2), Aliwal North and Cape Town datestamps, all on face. Photo

£120-150
- x576 ☒ 1894 (Oct.) and 1895 (Mar.) 1½d. grey missionary correspondence cards from Rev. Frederic Christol at Herman Missionary Station, the first to France and the second to Jerusalem, both cancelled with barred oval “156” and showing despatch (D2), Aliwal North, Cape Town and arrival datestamps, all on face, the latter also showing senders cachet at upper left corner. An unusual pair of these cards which were apparently only issued on 1 January 1895, the former usage prior to this date being a mystery

£250-300
- x577 ☒ 1897 (9 Sept.) 1d. pink envelope, uprated with 1d. carmine, to Johannesburg, sharing barred oval “156” with fine despatch datestamp (D2) alongside, Bloemfontein (10.9) and Johannesburg (11.9) datestamps on reverse, and 1900 envelope to Cornwall bearing 1d. cancelled with barred oval “156” and with D2 datestamp alongside

£180-200

Maseru



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- x578 ☒ 1878 (10 Dec.) envelope to Morija and redirected to Thabana Morena, bearing 1876 4d. blue lightly cancelled with void circle of thin bars (K1) and showing despatch datestamp (D2), light Mafeteng (D1) and Aliwal North (14.12) alongside. A remarkable item, being the only cover proving that the dumb grid cancel, which was originally allocated to Kimberley, was in fact used later at Maseru as it has the barred oval “281” as well. Photo

£2,800-3,000

Note: Because of the postal route at this time, the cover travelled from Basutoland to Aliwal North, in the Cape Colony, and then returned to Thabana Morena in Basutoland. This cover is described on page 33 of the Scott handbook

PROVENANCE:
G.N. Gilbert Bill Hart, 1978

- x579 △ 1885 (7 May) and 1886 (22 Apr.) registered letter receipts numbered “63” and “67” for mail to King William’s Town, both showing Type D2 datestamps and signed by the Deputy Postmaster at Maseru, G. Griffiths, who was involved in both the Moiroso Campaign and the Basutoland Rebellion when he was the Governing Agent

£100-120
- Note: The receipt numbered “63” is illustrated on page 36 of the Scott handbook*



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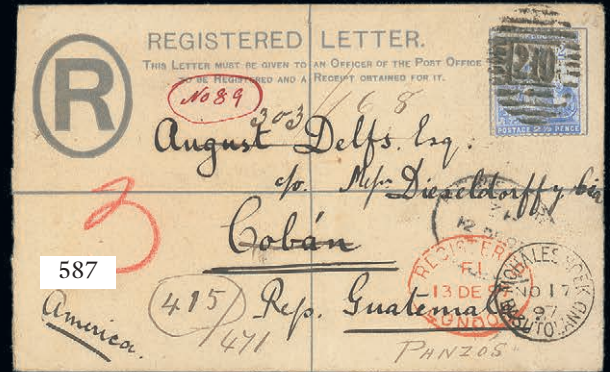
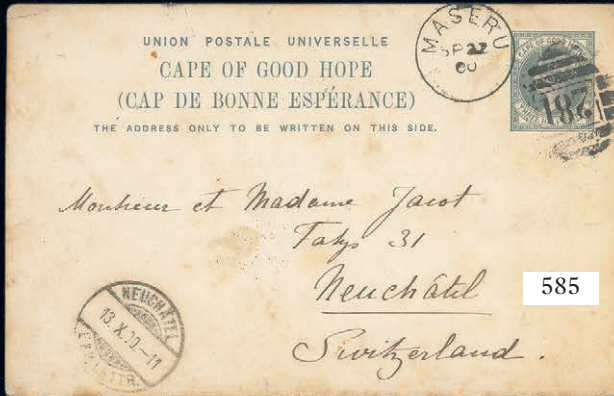
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- x580 ○ 1886 Griqualand West 1879 4d. dull blue (S.G. 26) cancelled with near-complete D2 datestamp (some frame breaks) for 2 September; tear at left, nevertheless a new discovery and very rare usage of this stamp in Basutoland. Also similar 4d. with forged “G.W.” overprint and genuine D2 datestamp, apparently without rim. PFSA Certificate (2012 and 2017) respectively. Photo £200-250
- x581 ☒ 1886 (7 Oct.) “O.H.M.S.” (deleted) Post Office envelope to King William’s Town, marked “G Griffiths Oct 1886” at left and bearing 2d. bistre with barred oval “281 and showing D2 datestamp (some frame breaks) at left, Aliwal North (9.10) and arrival datestamps on reverse; the adhesive with minor faults though an attractive cover with the D2 datestamp showing frame breaks being a new discovery. Photo £300-350
- x582 ☒ 1894 (Sept.) 1½d. grey missionary correspondence card to Switzerland, cancelled by barred oval “281” with D2 datestamp alongside, Aliwal North, Cape Town, London and Neuchatel datestamps at left; two creases though an unusual usage to Switzerland with the message (written in French) to his parents commenting on being sorry that the recipient had to pay tax on cards received and Rev. Jacottet being in Morija. Photo £120-150
- x583 ☒ 1896 (29 July) ½d. green missionary correspondence card from Miriam Cachet to Miss Keck at the Girls School via Rev. Dyke who was the resident missionary at Morija, cancelled by barred oval “281” with despatch D2 datestamp (first digit of year date only printing) alongside, and 1899 (4 May) 1d. brown missionary correspondence card from Edouard Jacottet visiting “Berea Hills” (18 kms. from Maseru) to Vevey, Switzerland, cancelled with D2 datestamp with a further strike alongside and with arrival datestamp at left £180-200
- x584 ☒ 1896 (11 Sept.) ½d. on 1d. brown card from Deaconess Maria Burton, placing an order for seeds, to Bloemfontein, cancelled by barred oval “281” with D2 datestamp alongside and arrival datestamp (12.9) at left; small fault at lower right corner, otherwise sound £100-120
Note: Deaconess Maria Burton was the first teacher at the school, set up by the Anglican Diocese of Bloemfontein, established for the children of European officials, traders and missionaries active in the Maseru area
- x585 ☒ 1900 1½d. grey missionary correspondence card from Eduardo Jacottet to Switzerland, cancelled with fine barred oval “281” and with “MASERU” datestamp (D3) alongside, arrival datestamp at lower left; the latest recorded date of use of the barred oval “281” and the second day of use of the new Maseru datestamp. Photo £120-150
Note: Jacottet arrived in Morija from the Castle Mail Steamer “Grantully Castle” in 1884. He travelled via East London to Basutoland. This card is addressed to the Jacottet’s of the Mission Swiss Romande

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Basutoland, The Cape Post Office Period - *contd.*

Mohaleshoek

- x586 ☒ 1895 (Sept.) ½d. green card to Bloemfontein, cancelled with superb barred oval "210" with D2 datestamp below and arrival datestamp at left, Mafeteng and Wepener datestamps on reverse, vertical crease repaired with tape on reverse and a little soiled, and 1895 (Oct.) ½d. on 1d. brown card (addressee's surname reduced) to Quthing, cancelled with fine barred oval "210" and with D2 datestamp at lower left corner, arrival datestamp on reverse £100-120
- x587 ☒ 1897 (17 Nov.) 4d. G size registered envelope, uprated with 2½d. ultramarine, to Cobán, Guatemala and redirected to Panzós, the adhesive cancelled by fine barred oval "210" with D2 and two UK datestamps below, the reverse with Aliwal North, Cape Town and two Guatemala datestamps. An attractive and almost certainly unique destination at this time. Photo £200-250
- x588 ☒ 1899 (1 Apr.) envelope to Simons Town, bearing 1d. red cancelled by barred oval "210" and with D2 datestamp alongside, the reverse showing a legible strike of the Mafeteng 28mm. relief datestamp (D3) for 2 April partly overstruck by arrival datestamp (5.4); faults, including having been severed horizontally towards foot and rejoined, not affecting any markings. Exceptionally rare, being the latest recorded date of use of the barred oval "210" and one of only two recorded examples of the relief datestamp. Photo £150-200

Moriya

- x589 ☒ 1886 (16 Dec.) 1d. brown missionary correspondence card to Rev. Louis Jalla c/o Rev. Ellenberger "via Quthing" to Masitisi, cancelled by barred oval "277" with despatch D2 datestamp and Mohaleshoek D2 datestamp (the latest recorded date of use in this period), and 1887 (5 May) 1d. brown missionary correspondence card from Rev. Thomas Woodman to Bloemfontein, cancelled with barred oval "277" with faint despatch datestamp at centre, the reverse with two different Wepener datestamps and arrival datestamp (10.5) £120-150
- Note: Rev. Louis Jalla was visiting for a few months from the missionary station at Sesheke, Northern Rhodesia*
- x590 ☒ 1887 (13 Jan.) 1d. brown card to Wellington cancelled by barred oval "277" and with D2, T.P.O. and arrival datestamps, 1887 (24 Jan.) 1d. brown card (vertical crack/crease at left) "via Maseru and Ladybrand" to Bloemfontein, cancelled by barred oval "277" and showing D2, Maseru, Lady Brand and Bloemfontein datestamps, and 1887 (24 Nov.) 1d. brown card (written by E. Casalis, son of one of the original missionaries who arrived in Basutoland in 1833) "via Aliwal North" to Smithfield, O.F.S., cancelled by barred oval "277" and with part D2 datestamp at left £180-200
- x591 ☒ 1887 (10 Mar.) 1d. red card to Aliwal North, cancelled with indistinct barred oval "277" and with fine D2 datestamp alongside, only the second recorded example of this card used in Basutoland. Photo £100-120
- x592 △ 1887 (29 Sept.) envelope front, joined to non-contemporary reverse, to New York, bearing ½d. grey, 1d. red and 6d. purple twice cancelled with indistinct barred oval "277" and with D2 datestamp towards foot and light "2½" accountancy handstamp, upon arrival undelivered and with 10c. purple-brown Postage Due cancelled by oval-framed "PO", Postage Due oval datestamp in violet, marked "Not found" and returned to Basutoland showing Cape Town Returned Letter Office datestamp for 24 February 1889 and various other markings; several creases and other faults though a most interesting item. Photo £100-120

- x593 ☒ 1892 (9 July) and 1893 (22 June) envelopes ex the same correspondence to Wellington, Cape bearing 1d. and ½d. grey (2) respectively, and 1897 envelope “*via England*” to Switzerland bearing 2½d. ultramarine, all cancelled with indistinct strikes of barred oval “277” and showing good to fine D2 datestamps, various backstamps. An attractive trio £150-200
- x594 ☒ 1895 (21 Jan.) ½d. on 1d. brown card, written by Eugene Mabile, son of the missionary Adolf Mabile, to Teyateyaneng, cancelled by barred oval “277” with D2 and Maseru D2 datestamps alongside, arrival D2 datestamp on reverse, and 1896 (16 July) 1d. brown card to Bloemfontein, cancelled by good barred oval “227” with arrival datestamp alongside and despatch D2 datestamp at left £150-200
- Quthing**
- x595 ☒ 1895 (3 June) 1d. pink envelope, uprated with 1d. red (2), to Switzerland, cancelled by three barred oval “135” and with D3 datestamp below, Aliwal North, Cape Town and Lucerne datestamps on reverse; envelope with tear on reverse through opening though a most attractive franking. Photo £200-250
- x596 ☒ 1896 (6 Feb.) 1d. pink envelope “*via Herschel*” to Lady Grey, cancelled with light barred oval “135” and with D3 datestamp at left, Herschel and Lady Grey datestamps on reverse; clean and most attractive. Photo £180-200
- Teyateyaneng**
- x597 ☒ 1898 (21 Apr.) envelope (small imperfections) to Sir Benjamin Whitney at Dublin, bearing ½d. grey and 1d. red (2) twice cancelled by barred oval “688” and with fine D2 datestamp alongside, Maseru D2 transit datestamp (22.4) at foot, and 1899 (13 Dec.) 1d. red card to Dublin, cancelled by fine barred oval “688” and with D2 datestamp below, repaired tear through barred oval. A generally attractive pair with the former illustrated on page 266 of the Scott handbook. Photo £250-300
- x598 ☒ 1900 (29 Apr.) envelope registered to Sir Benjamin Whitney in Dublin, bearing 1d. red (4) cancelled with three D2 datestamps, manuscript “*Registered No. 31*” at left and London Registered hooded datestamp in red at foot, the reverse with Aliwal North, Cape Town and Dublin (26.5) datestamps; scarce and most attractive. Photo £300-400
- Incoming Mail**
- x599 ☒ 1888 envelopes (2) ex the *Hobson* correspondence from Hanover or King William’s Town to Maseru, both bearing 2d. bistre and one with D2 datestamp on face, 1893 1d. pink envelope (flap faults), uprated with 1d. on 2d. bistre, from East London to Mohaleshoek and showing boxed “POSTED LATE” handstamp, 1893 ½d. green card from Queens Town to Morija, and 1897 ½d. on 1d. brown card from “*Buchanan Qumba East Griqualand*” to Morija cancelled with barred oval “264” and with Kei Road datestamp at left £120-150
- x600 ☒ 1893 (8 Dec.) 4d. G size registered envelope, uprated with 1d. red, from Kimberley to the Rev. A Mabile in the Morija District, cancelled “227” and with, on reverse, Aliwal North, Eastern T.P.O. Down, Western T.P.O. Down and Morija D2 datestamps; registration stamp torn through opening, otherwise fine. An unusual registered item of incoming mail £100-120
- x601 ☒ 1894 O.F.S. 2d. Brief Karte from Bloemfontein to the Penny Mail Officer at Grahams Town with despatch (Batten #62, scarce) and arrival datestamps on face, the contents refer to Chief Lerothodi’s visit to the town “*In Langdens’ Basutoland Communication - with Chief Lerotholi and a large escort of Basu Warriors on horseback arrived here yesterday. It disturbed the quiet of the Bloemfontein Sunday afternoon to have a bank of native warriors riding through the streets - Commission and Chief leave for Cape Town today*”; a most interesting card. Also O.F.S. 1892 ½d. Post Karte from Ladybrand to “*Mafobas Nek*” near Morija with despatch and Maseru D2 datestamps £120-150

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The Boer War

Civilian Mail

- x602 ☒ 1900 (May) envelope from Mafeteng to England bearing 1d. red with barred numeral "156" and D4 datestamp, the reverse with mention that the cover had been posted in O.F.S. and making reference to Jammersdrift where the British were under siege, 1900 (Dec.) envelope from Maseru to Cape Town cancelled with D3 datestamp and with Opened Under Martial War label, 1901 (Jan.) ½d. grey envelope used locally from Leribe with D4 datestamp, 1901 (Sept.) 1d. red letter card from Maseru to London with D2 datestamp, contents mention that the British are arming the natives to be used as scouts but not for fighting, 1901 (Dec.) ORC 1d. outward half of reply card, uprated with ½d. (another stamp removed) from Maseru to England with D2 datestamp without year showing, 1902 ½d. green card, uprated stamp removed, from Mafeteng to Tunisia with D4 datestamp, 1902 envelope "*Per Book Post*" from Aliwal North to Rev. Dieterlen at Leribe, 1902 (Jan./Feb.) O.R.C. ½d. cards from Ladybrand, one via Maseru to Mafeteng, the other to Maseru, 1902 (Feb.) envelope from Johannesburg to Don Don Drift, Morija, bearing 1d., censored with label and showing fine Morija D3 datestamp with only second numeral of year date, 1902 (May) envelope from England to Quthing franked at 1d. and with Martial Law label at top, D3 arrival datestamp on reverse, 1902 (June) envelope from Morija to Wellington, Cape bearing 1d. with D2 datestamp and with triangular-framed censor cachet in blue; mixed condition though an interesting group
- £200-250
- x603 ☒ 1900 (Sept.) 1d. red letter card, uprated with ½d. and 1d., from "*Berea Hills*" to Vevey, Switzerland and cancelled with several Maseru D2 datestamps, and 1901 (July) 1d. on 1½d. grey missionary correspondence card from Eduardo Jacottet at Thaba Bosin to Paris and cancelled by Maseru D2 datestamp alongside arrival datestamp
- £100-120
- x604 ☒ 1901 envelopes (2) from Teyateyaneng to Cape Town, both bearing 1d. red with D2 datestamp, one with Opened Under Martial Law censor label and triangular framed censor handstamp in violet applied over censor handstamp in red, the other with two despatch datestamps and Cape Town censor handstamp
- £100-120
- x605 ☒ 1902 (14 Jan.) ½d. brown card, uprated with 1d. red, from Leribe to Paris, the stationery impression cancelled with D4 datestamp and the additional stamp cancelled in pencil, part arrival datestamp alongside, the card message headed "*Leribe Camp*" and possibly written by a one of the French fighting on the Boer side
- £100-120
- Note: It is believed that both the Boers and British used Basutoland as a base during the Boer War. The Boers also used Basutoland as a springboard into the Orange River Colony*
- Military Mail**
- x606 ☒ 1900 (3 May) envelope from Mafeteng to Capt. Gale of "*No. 5 Company R.P.R.*" Railway Pioneer Regiment at Norwals Point, bearing 1d. red cancelled by barred oval "156" and D4 datestamp, Aliwal North and arrival datestamps on reverse
- £100-120
- Note: The Railway Pioneer Regiment was employed chiefly on the Cape-Pretoria railway, also on the Krugersdorp line, did service on armoured trains and sometimes acted as a fighting force. Capt. Gale was killed a month later on 7 June at Roodewal*
- x607 ☒ 1900 (22 May) envelope from Maseru to England, marked "*On Active Service, 3rd. Cpy, 1st. Batt. I.Y.*" (Imperial Yeomanry) and showing D2 (23.5) datestamp, 28 May F.P.O. datestamp (at that time allocated to APO 17 at Winburg) and London Paid datestamp (16.6), a further clear Maseru datestamp and Birmingham datestamp on reverse, and 1901 (Jan.) envelope from Thomas River near Cathcart to Lieut C. Burtram, variously redirected with various handstamps and datestamps including Maseru and Leribe
- £100-120

- x608 ☒ 1900 (June) envelope from Leribe to England, marked “*On Active Service Stamps Unobtainable*” though bearing G.B. 1d. lilac with blue crayon cross (not recognised as valid postage) and D4 datestamp, and 1900 (Sept.) unfranked Letter Card “*On Active Service No Stamps*”, written from Spitzkop, O.F.S. to England and with fine Leribe D4 datestamp; the first with some soiling though an unusual pair with the owner recording only five examples of British campaign mail £150-200
- x609 ☒ 1901 (18 Dec.) Assistant Commissioner’s Office OHMS envelope (225x102mm., minor soiling) with printed titles deleted and marked “*From Capt. W Mayne 1st. Batt*”, to Harrismith O.R.C. and bearing 1d. red with part D2 datestamp and with a further strike towards foot; rare with only one other item of Official stationery recorded by the owner £100-120

Prisoner of War Mail

- x610 △ Undated mourning front to Henry Frans Serfontyn at Green Point Camp, bearing 1d. red unusually cancelled with circular “CENSOR/PRISONERS OF WAR” cachet in back with a further strike at foot, endorsed “*Censored*” followed by a set of initials and showing **circular “cogwheel” type “O V/CENSOR/s”** handstamp, believed one of less than ten recorded; this handstamp apparently used at Leribe and only applied to mail destined for Cape Town. Photo £200-250

Mail to and from Ceylon

- x611 ☒ 1900-01 collection of envelopes (10) and fronts (6) from Leribe (5), Mafeteng (4), Maseru (3, one with inverted day and month slugs), Mohaleshoek (front registered), Morijs and Teyateyaneng (2), all to Diyatalawa Camp and franked at 1d., 2d., 2½d. or 5d., most with “CENSOR/PRISONERS OF WAR” cachet or Camp censor cachet and with two items from Mafeteng with small “*maldirige*” (misorted/misdirected) handstamp; condition rather mixed as one would expect with a lot of this nature though an interesting lot £800-1,000
- x612 ☒ 1902 (Jan.) envelope from Diyatalawa Camp to Mrs. van der Riet at Thlotse Heights, bearing 3c. green (2) sharing datestamp and showing “CENSOR/PRISONERS OF WAR” cachet in blue, Cape Town (26.5) and Ficksburg (24.6) datestamps, all on face, Maseru datestamp (1.6) on reverse. A rare usage of incoming mail from Ceylon with only six examples recorded by the owner, and a very late use of the censor handstamp just before peace was declared on 31 May. Photo £150-200
- Note: Apparently written by Tobias Johannes van der Riet who with his two sons were captured at Fouriesburg on 30 July 1900 while serving with the Malitz Commando. They were all sent to Ceylon on the “Dilward”*

- x613 ☒ 1902 (Apr.) envelope from Leribe to Diyatalawa Camp, bearing G.B. 1d. lilac circled with blue crayon as unaccepted for postage and with D4 datestamp below, showing large “2D.” postage due handstamp, orange Opened Under Martial Law label partially over the stamp and tax marking and showing “CENSOR/PRISONERS OF WAR” cachet in blue, upon arrival marked “*Mt. Lavinia*” twice in red ink indicating transfer of the prisoner to this second camp. Photo £100-120
- Note: Mount Lavinia was the second camp to be opened in Ceylon on 17 December 1900. It was a convalescent camp that housed patients recovering from fever and other ailments. This cover is illustrated on page 38 of the Scott handbook*

Mail to St. Helena

- x614 ☒ 1900 (Dec.) envelope from Maseru to Green Point Camp, Cape Town, bearing 1d. with D3 datestamp, upon arrival redirected to “*St. Helena*” and with arrival datestamp (12.3) alongside the adhesive, and 1902 (Dec.) envelope (minor imperfections) from Maseru to Broad Bottom Camp bearing 1d. with D2 datestamp, both with “CENSOR/PRISONERS OF WAR” cachet in blue £150-200

Basutoland, The Boer War, Mail to St. Helena - *contd.*

- x615 ☒ 1901 (May) envelope from Leribe to Henry Harris in Tent 88, bearing G.B. 1d. lilac, most unusually accepted for postage and cancelled with D4 datestamp, "CENSOR/PRISONERS OF WAR" cachet in blue at right. Photo £100-120
- Note: Henry Harris from Hope Valley was captured at Paardekraal on 27 February 1900*
- x616 ☒ 1901 (Oct. and Nov.) envelopes ex the *Saunders* correspondence from Morija to Broad Bottom Camp, both bearing 1d. red cancelled by D3 datestamp with a further strike alongside, both showing "PRISONERS OF WAR/CENSOR/BROAD BOTTOM CAMP" handstamp in violet, the first very faint, the second largely fine; the November cover a little toned though a generally attractive pair £200-250
- x617 ☒ 1901 (Nov.) envelope bearing 1d. red and 1902 (Feb.) ½d. green card, both from Maseru to Broad Bottom Camp and cancelled with D2 datestamps, the first with "CENSOR/PRISONERS OF WAR" cachet in blue, the second with large blue crayon marks on front and no apparent censoring

Later Cape Period

- x618 ☒ 1903-09 group of four missionary usage cards, comprising 1903 1d. on 1½d. from "*Maphutseng*" to Switzerland with Mohaleshoek D2 datestamp, 1906 1d. on 1½d. from "*Thabaleng*" to France with Teyateyaneng D2 datestamp, 1909 ½d. from "*Maphutseng*" to Morija with Mohaleshoek D2 datestamp and 1909 ½d. from "*Kaeneng*" to Morija with Teyateyaneng D2 datestamp and D3 arrival datestamp £140-180
- x619 ☒ 1905-10 selection of covers/cards, picture postcards (8) and letter card fronts (2) from Leribe (D6 datestamp six months earlier than recorded by Proud), Maseru (3, one a real photo type "*Basuto Cavalry*" and one to Japan with Maseru Customs cachet), Morija (3), Mohaleshoek (written by Sir Herbert Stoley, British Resident Commissioner) and Teyateyaneng, and 1907 incoming cards from Cape to Maseru and Quthing and from Scotland to Maseru, all with arrival datestamps. Also two postcards with views of Basutoland on reverse £300-300
- x620 ☒ 1906 (21 Sept.) 4d. F size registered envelope, uprated with 1d. red (3), from Leribe to England, all neatly cancelled with D4 datestamp, manuscript "*No. 215*" registration mark and, on reverse, Cape Town, London and Ipswich datestamps. Photo £100-120

Interprovincial Period

- x621 ☒ 1911 (11 Apr.) envelope from Maseru to Switzerland bearing 1911 2½d. with D6 datestamp, 2½d. block of six (possibly the largest used in Basutoland) cancelled with five D6 strikes on the same day, and four further examples cancelled at Leribe, Mafeteng and Maseru (2, one D6 and one D7) £200-250
- x622 ☒ 1912 (28 Jan.) envelope from Maseru to Switzerland bearing O.R.C. 2½d. with D6 datestamp, 1912 (Feb.) envelope and (Mar.) card to England, both bearing Transvaal 1d. with D6 datestamp, and 1913 (May) incoming envelope from Bloemfontein to Maseru bearing 1d., marked "*Unknown*" and with D6 arrival datestamp £150-200
- x623 ☒ 1912 (Feb.) and (Apr.) 1d. stationery view cards (Houses of Parliament and Table Mountain respectively) from Mafeteng to France with D6 datestamps, and 1912 and 1915 Natal 1d. stationery cards from Teyateyaneng to Switzerland both with D2 datestamps; two with small imperfections though an unusual quartet £150-200
- x624 ☒ 1912 (July) envelope from Mohaleshoek to U.S.A. bearing Transvaal 1d. with D2 datestamp, showing framed "T/30C" and New York Terminus "DUE/6/CENTS" duplex handstamps, 1912 (Aug.) O.R.C. ½d. green card, uprated with Transvaal ½d., from Quthing to Switzerland and cancelled with D3 datestamp, and 1913 (Oct.) outside period envelope (a little soiled) from Maseru to Germany bearing Transvaal 1d. (2) and South Africa ½d. with D7 datestamp (a few days earlier than recorded by Proud); also loose Transvaal 1/- with Leribe datestamp, 1/- and 5/- with Maseru datestamps and Postage Due 1d. with Mafeteng relief datestamp £200-250



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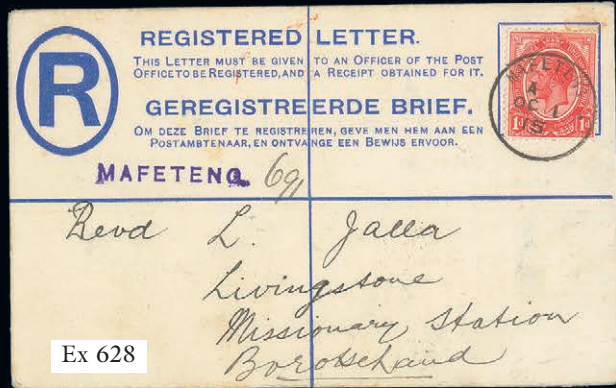
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The South Africa Post Office Period

- x625 ☒ 1913-33 collection of envelopes/cards (11) all from Maseru, including 1913 O.F.S. ½d. card to Leribe, embossed "MASERU" and with D7 datestamp, 1914 envelope to France bearing 2½d., 1914 envelope to Grahamstown bearing 1d. (2) with D8 datestamp (earliest recorded), 1925 OHMS envelope from the B.M. Police Office addressed locally with D10 datestamp, 1925 envelope to France franked at 3d., 1931 envelope by airmail to England franked at 6d., 1933 envelopes (2) registered to Pretoria with R5 registration cachet (both earlier than date recorded in Proud). An interesting group £300-400
- x626 ☒ 1914-33 collection of envelopes/cards (25) and a range of loose adhesives/pieces (30) from a variety of offices, the covers/cards with mail addressed locally and overseas and including 1914 and 1915 uprated missionary usage cards from Butha Buthe and Teyateyaneng to Germany and Switzerland, 1924 and 1927 cards from Mamathes with D2 relief datestamp, 1927 ½d. card with Butha Buthae D4 relief datestamp, 1928 card from Thaba Bosigo, 1930 ½d. card from Thabana Moreno with D2 on first day of P.O. re-opening, 1930 (registered) and 1933 envelopes from Sekakes, 1932 envelope from Majera with D3 (latest recorded date) and 1933 envelope from Quthing to France with 1931 "MISSION EVANGELIQUES" exhibition label used on reverse. Also incoming cards (2) and registered envelopes (5). An interesting lot with viewing recommended £400-500
- x627 ☒ 1915 envelope from Morija to France bearing 2½d. with D6 datestamp and showing Crowned oval-framed "PASSED CENSOR" cachet in violet, 1917 On Active Service cards (2) from France to Mafeteng with one redirected to O.F.S. and showing large part arrival D12 datestamp (lettering and time code different), 1918 ½d. card, uprated with ½d., from Rev. Jacottet at Morija and envelope from Quthing bearing 2½d., both to Switzerland and censored with cachet and label respectively. An interesting and unusual WWI group £150-200
- x628 ☒ 1915 (1 Oct.) F size 4d. registered envelope, uprated with 1d., from Mafeteng to Rev. Adolfe Jalla at Livingstone Mission Station, N.W. Rhodesia showing superb straight-line "MAFETENG." registration handstamp in violet and with the adhesive cancelled by relief datestamp, the reverse with a further strike of the relief datestamp, Registered Bulawayo (7.10) and Livingstone (9.10) datestamps, both the registration handstamp and the relief datestamp previously unrecorded; also two loose adhesives with the same relief datestamp used in 1922 and 1930. Photo £150-200



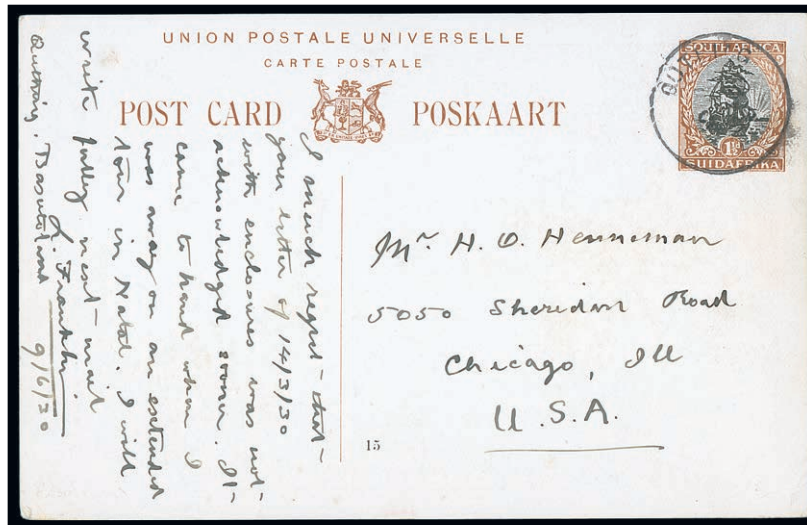
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- x629 ☒ 1916 (14 Oct.) envelope from Quthing registered to London, bearing 1d. and 2d. pair both cancelled with D5 datestamp and with manuscript "Quthing 395" registration marking, Lady Grey (23.10) and indistinct arrival datestamps on reverse. The only recorded example of this manuscript registration. Photo £100-120

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- x630 ☒ 1930 4d. G size registered envelope, uprated with 1d., from Leribe to Lourenco Marques, cancelled with D8 datestamp showing time code blocked out and with R2 registration cachet, over 3 years earlier than recorded by Proud; also 1920 Groves and Lindley front registered from Thabaneng to England, showing “*Thabaneng*” registration handstamp in violet (R1, believed the only recorded example) followed by registration number and with the adhesives cancelled at Mafeteng, possibly through the despatch datestamp being lost or damaged

£100-120



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- x631 ☒ 1930 (9 June) 1½d. card from Quthing to U.S.A. cancelled by the sole recorded example of the D6 relief datestamp; the date unclear though believed to be the same date as the message. Photo

£100-120

Postage Dues

- x632 ☒ 1924 (June) postcard from the British Empire Exhibition in London to Potchefstroom and redirected to Morija, showing “T” handstamp and bearing 1d. cancelled with D6 datestamp, and 1924 (Oct.) envelope back bearing 1d. marginal block of fifteen with four D6 datestamps, surely the largest known block used in Basutoland

£100-120

- x633 ☒ 1926 (Jan.) 4d. G size registered envelope, uprated with 1d., from Durban to Morija, marked on face in blue crayon “Paid 4d. postage/10/-/no letter” and, on reverse, showing oval-framed “T/4d” handstamp, framed “POSTED OUT/OF COURSE” and bearing Postage Due 2d. vertical pair with D6 arrival datestamp (28.1), 1932 piece bearing Transvaal ½d., showing circular-framed “T/3D” and with Postage Due 3d. cancelled with Qachasnek D6 datestamp, and 1933 unstamped envelope from Maseru to Sir Clement Rankhelepe at the Masite Training Institution, Morija with D13 despatch datestamp, manuscript “T 4d” and bearing Postage Due 2d. vertical pair sharing D8 datestamp

£140-180

- x634 ☒ 1933 (Oct.) envelope from Johannesburg to Maseru bearing ½d., upon arrival franked with Postage Due 1933 1d. and 3d. used on day of issue, and 1933 (30 Dec.) unfranked envelope registered from Maseru to Pretoria showing fine R5 registration cachet and bearing Transvaal Postage Due 5d. (2, one creased) both showing inverted “p” for “d” and believed unique as such. An interesting and most unusual duo of philatelic frankings

£100-120

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Incoming Mail



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x635 ☒

1914 (9 Apr.) envelope from Mongu-Lealui to Jacques Delpech at a mission station at Sesheke, Northern Rhodesia, subsequently readdressed to Rev. Duby via Livingstone (24.4) to Morija (1.5) and again readdressed to the original addressee at Pretoria (7.5), eventually undelivered and returned to the sender with manuscript "Bulawayo Poste Restante" and machine datestamp (10.5), bearing 1910-13 ½d. (2) with despatch datestamp and showing a variety of redirection datestamps on front and reverse; minor soiling around the adhesives though an interesting much travelled cover and full of character. Photo

£500-600

Note: Jacques Delpech undertook a private trip to Basutoland and Barotseland to discover the "reality of a Mission". He went on a trip up the Zambezi River with Basutoland missionary Rev. Dieterlen between Sesheke and Barotse during 1914. He was a keen photographer and many recorded photographs were taken in Northern Rhodesia

x636 ☒

1917 (9 Sept.) envelope from England to Miss E.S. Thomson in Salisbury, Rhodesia bearing ½d. pair, marked "Please forward" and upon arrival (16.10) duly redirected to her at Durban (1.11) and again (on reverse) to Mrs. Keable at Leribe (10.11) before being sent "Poste Restante" to Durban (12.11) once again; minor edge faults though a fascinating cover. Photo

£100-120

Note: Mrs. Keable was the wife of Robert Keable an ordained Anglican minister who became the rector at Leribe. He served as chaplain with South African Forces fighting in France during World War I. There he met and fell in love with a nurse, Grace Buck, a development which resulted in him quitting the church and leaving his wife

BATUM

- 637 ☒ 1912 postcard to U.S.A. bearing 4k. red and 1917 10k. blue stationery envelope to Holland, both cancelled with Batum datestamps, 1919 cash prepayment envelopes (3), two with the framed handstamp completed for 15k. or 50k, the third unaddressed and uncompleted; also Turkish Occupation of Batum, block of four and three singles on four pieces with single-ring datestamps. An unusual group £250-300
- 638 1919-20 Aloe Tree study of the three issues including 1919 (4 Apr.) issue with unused and used (2) sets, two sets on separate covers also bearing (13 Apr.) imperforate values, a set on stationery card and 3r. on envelope with 1919 (Nov.) 1k. with violet surcharge, 1919 (Nov.) "BRITISH OCCUPATION" with unused and used sets, 2r., 3r. and 5r. unused multiples with some showing minor varieties, and 1920 "BRITISH OCCUPATION" with mint (2) and used sets, a range of mint multiples, 5r. with "BPITISH", 5r. with plate crack flaw, 50r. with offset, etc; generally good to fine £300-400
- 1919 (13 Apr.) Issue**
- 639 ★ Set of four with additional 10r. on 3k., unused with part to large original gum; 10r. on 10 on 7k. with a trace of soiling and light horizontal crease, otherwise sound. A scarce set. S.G. 7-10, £1,300. Photo £200-250
- 640 ○ 10r. on 1k., 10r. on 3k. (2, both on pieces) and 10r. on 5k., fine used. S.G. 7-9, £774. Photo £200-250
- 641 ☒ 10r. on 1k. and 10r. on 3k. cancelled on unaddressed envelope, and 10r. on 3k. on 1919 and 1920 envelopes addressed locally or to Switzerland £150-200
- 1919-20 Issue**
- 642 10r. on 3k. (5 with a tête-bêche pair and one with surcharge inverted) and 15r. on 1k. (11 with black tête-bêche pair, red (2, one with surcharge inverted), mint, 10r. on 3k. (2, one on piece) and 15r. on 1k. (4 with red and violet (2) overprints), used; generally fine. Holcombe Opinions or Certificates for three including the tête-bêche pairs. S.G. 19-20b, £1,864+ £600-700
- 1920 (Jan.) Issue, Imperforate**
- 643 ★ 50r. on 1k. orange, fine mint. Scarce. S.G. 21, £650. Photo £250-300
- 644 ★ 50r. on 1k. orange vertical tête-bêche pair, fine mint. Rare. Society of Russian Philately Certificate (1981). S.G. 21, £1,300+. Photo £500-600
- 645 ○ 50r. on 1k. orange, used; fine and scarce. S.G. 21, £800. Photo £300-350
- 646 ★ 50r. on 2k. yellow-green, mint; horizontal and vertical creases, fresh and fine appearance. Scarce. S.G. 22, £900. Photo £150-200
- 647 ★ 50r. on 2k. yellow-green, variety **surcharge inverted**, fine mint. Very scarce. S.G. 22 var., £950+. Photo £400-500
- 648 △ 50r. on 2k. yellow-green, used on piece; fine and scarce. S.G. 22, £1,100. Photo £400-500

Batum - contd.

1920 (Jan.) Issue, Perforated

649 ★	50r. on 2k. yellow-green with interpanneau margin (severed and rejoined) at right, lightly mounted mint; light horizontal crease towards foot, otherwise fresh and fine. Holcombe Opinion (1995). S.G. 23, £850. Photo	£200-250
650 ⊕	50r. on 3k. carmine-red, fresh unmounted mint; one short perf. at right, otherwise fine. Rare. Holcombe Opinion (1995). S.G. 24, £1,500. Photo	£350-400
651 ○	50r. on 3k. carmine-red, fine used. Rare. S.G. 24, £1,600. Photo	£500-600
652 ★	50r. on 4k. red, part original gum. Scarce. S.G. 25, £1,000. Photo	£300-400
653 △	50r. on 4k. red, fine used on piece. Scarce. S.G. 25, £1,100. Photo	£300-400
654 ★	50r. on 5k. brown-lilac, mint; small tone marks at upper left, barely apparent on face. S.G. 26, £450. Photo	£100-120
655 ○	50r. on 5k. brown-lilac, fine used. S.G. 26, £600. Photo	£200-250
656 ★	50r. on 10k. deep blue, fresh mint; two short perms. at lower left, otherwise fine and a presentable example of this very rare stamp. Philatelic Foundation Certificate (1989). S.G. 27, £3,250. Photo	£600-700
657 ○	50r. on 10k. deep blue, neatly cancelled, two shortish perms. and light tone at foot though an attractive example of this very rare stamp. Mikulski Certificate (1989). S.G. 27, £3,250. Photo	£600-700
658 ⊕	50r. on 15k. blue and red-brown, fine unmounted mint. Scarce. S.G. 28, £850. Photo	£300-400
659 ★	50r. on 15k. blue and red-brown, variety surchage inverted , large part original gum; horizontal crease and two faint tones on reverse. A very scarce variety. Holcombe Opinion (1994). S.G. 28, £850+. Photo	£200-250

1920 (Jan.-Feb.) Issue, Perforated

660 ★	A set of nine with additional 25r. on 5k. and 50r. on 4k. with black surcharges, set of five with blue surcharges, good to fine mint. S.G. 29-37, £1,585	£350-400
661 ○	A set of nine with additional 25r. on 20 on 14k., 25r. on 50k., 50r. on 2k. (surchage inverted) and 50r. on 4k (surchage inverted) with black surcharges, set of five, with additional set less 25r. on 50k., with blue surcharges, the additional values each on piece; the two inverted surcharges with faults though generally fine. S.G. 29-37, £2,975	£700-800
662 ★	25r. on 5k. to 25r. on 50k. and 50r. on 2k. with black surcharges, 25r. on 20 on 14k., 2r. on 25k. and 25r. on 50k., mint, and 25r. on 10 on 7k. used, all in vertical tête-bêche pairs; generally fine and a scarce group. Holcombe Certificate or Opinion for two. Cat. £2,460+	£700-800

1920 (Jan.-Feb.) Issue, Imperforate

663 ★	50r. on 2k. yellow-green, 50r. on 3k. carmine-red and 50r. on 5k. brown-lilac, fresh mint; 50r. on 5k. with Dr. Cereza handstamp just showing through at foot. A fine and rare trio. S.G. 38-40, £2,800. Photo	£1,000-1,200
664 △	50r. on 2k. yellow-green, used on small piece; very fine. S.G. 38, £500. Photo	£180-200
665 ★	50r. on 3k. carmine-red, variety surchage inverted , mint; fine and scarce. Holcombe Opinion (1994). S.G. 39 var., £550+. Photo	£200-250

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1920 (Mar.) Romanov Issue

- 666 50r. on 4k. rose-carmine mint (3) and used (2, one on piece), good to fine. S.G. 41, £760 £200-250

1920 (1 Apr.) Surcharges

- 667 A mint and used study, the mint comprise black surcharge 25r. on 5k. (3), 25r. on 25k. (10 with a block of four and a single with surcharge partially missing at foot) and 50r. on 50k. (33, 26 including a block of twenty with "50" cut), and blue surcharge 25r. on 5k. (4 with a pair showing surcharge applied diagonally), 25r. on 25k. (3 with a pair) and 50r. on 50k. (8 with a block of four and two with "50" cut), and used with black surcharge 25r. on 25k., 50r. on 50k. (2, one with "50" cut) and blue surcharge set of three (50r. on 50k. with "50" cut); generally good to fine. S.G. 42-44ba, £5,400+ £1,400-1,600

Postcard Stamps

- 668 ★ 35k. on Arms 4r. red, unused with traces of gum; horizontal crease, a few perfs. missing at top and a fraction soiled though of fair appearance for this very rare stamp. Society of Russian Philately Certificate (1980). S.G. P1, £10,000. Photo £500-600
- 669 ★ 35k. on Romanov 4k. carmine-red, unused without gum; a few perf. tips a little soiled, otherwise sound and a presentable example of this, the rarest stamp of Batum. S.G. P2, £18,000. Photo £2,500-3,000

Postal Stationery Cards

- 670 ☒ 35k. on 3k. red unused (2), used (5, one uprated with 1919 set, two uprated with 1919 5k. and 10k., one a reply half, all three addressed locally, and one with additional stamps removed), 35k. on 35k. reply card with both halves cancelled though unaddressed, and 35k. on 4k. red U.P.U. type unused; the unused 35k. on 3k. both a little toned though generally good to fine £400-500

BELGIAN CONGO

- 671 1886-1960 mint and used collection on pages, including 1886 5f. mint and used, 1887 Parcel Post 3f. 50 on 5f. used (Kaiser Certificate 1998), 1887-94 5f. violet, 5f. grey mint and used, 10f., prepared for use but not issued 25f., 50f., 1887 Parcel Post 3f. 50 on 5f. violet, 1889 3f. 50 on 5f. violet, 1892 3f. 50 on 5f. grey, 1898 3f, 50, 10f., 1909 overprints with values to 10f., 1910 3f., 10f., 1918 Red Cross set, 1923-27 set, 1928 Stanley set, 1930 Native Protection, 1931 surcharge set, 1931-37 set, 1934-37 Air set with 1f. booklet pane of eight, 1944 Red Cross set, 1947-50 10c. to 100f., 1952 Flora 10c. to 100f., etc., unmounted mint, part original gum, unused and used, chiefly good to fine. A super lot £1,400-1,600

BERMUDA**1865-1903 Perf. 14 Issue**

- 672 ★ 1d. pale rose and 1886 CA 1d. carmine-rose, both left pane [49] variety **inverted "Q" for "O" in "ONE"**, fine mint £120-150
- 673 ○ 2d. dull blue, variety **watermark inverted**, blue numeral cancellation; a few short perfs. at foot, otherwise sound. S.G. 3w, £700. Photo £250-300
- 674 ○ 3d. yellow-buff, variety **watermark inverted**, part numeral cancellation; minor surface abrasion in one corner, otherwise sound. S.G. 5w, £325. Photo £100-120
- 675 ★ 6d. dull mauve horizontal pair, variety **watermark inverted**, large part original gum; one with a short perf. at foot, the other with small corner crease. S.G. 7w, £360+. Photo £100-120

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Bermuda - contd.

- 676 ○ 1883-1904 1d. carmine-rose, variety **watermark inverted**, datestamp cancellation; two small imperfections, otherwise sound. S.G. 24w, £375. Photo £100-120
- 677 ★ 1901 ¼d. on 1d. collection comprising complete sheet of 240, double pane of 120 less left-hand margin, left and right-hand panes of sixty, block of nine and four singles, mint, block of fifteen and an interpanneau strip of three used; the sheet of 240 gum toned though of generally good to fine appearance. S.G. 30/30b, £2,498 £300-400
- 678 ② 1910-25 1d. carmine Plate III imperforate plate proof block of six (3x2), [79-93], [80] with master plate retouch and plate scratch between [80] and [81]; some creasing. Photo £350-400
- PROVENANCE:
Morris H. Ludington, June 1999
"Foxley", March 2017
- 679 ○ 1910-25 2½d. blue, variety watermark inverted and reversed, lightly cancelled, fine. S.G. 48y, £325. Photo £100-120
- 680 ★ 1918-22 5/- green and carmine-red on pale yellow, [45] *break in lines below left scroll*, State I, lightly mounted mint. Scarce. S.G. 53de, £400. Photo £150-180
- 681 ④ 1918-22 £1 purple and black on red, [45] *break in lines below left scroll*, unmounted mint. Scarce. A.P.S. Certificate (1996). S.G. 55e, £1,600+. Photo £600-700
- 682 ★ 1920 War Tax 1d. carmine Plate II block of six (3x2), top centre stamp, R.1/8, with "Flag" flaw, fine mint. S.G. 58a, £140+ £100-120
- 1924-32 Issue**
- 683 ★ 2/- purple and blue on grey-blue, [45] *break in lines below left scroll*, State I repaired, very lightly mounted mint. S.G. 88ge var., £350. Photo £120-150
- 684 ★ 2/6d. grey-black and pale orange-vermilion on grey-blue, fresh lightly mounted mint. Rare. B.P.A. Certificate (2018). S.G. 89h, £2,750. Photo £1,000-1,200
- 685 ★ 2/6d. black and carmine-red on deep grey-blue, 36A *nick in top right scroll*, State II, exceptionally lightly mounted mint. S.G. 89i var. Photo £120-140
- 686 ★ 2/6d. black and scarlet-vermilion on deep blue, 36A *nick in top right scroll*, lightly mounted mint. S.G. 89jc, £500. Photo £180-200
- 687 ★ 2/6d. black and bright orange-vermilion on deep blue, fresh and fine mint. Rare. B.P.A. Certificate (1999, then 89g). S.G. 89k, £3,250. Photo £1,400-1,600
- 688 ④ 10/- green and red on pale emerald, [45] *break in lines below left scroll*, State I, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 92e, £800. Photo £300-350
- 689 ★ 12/6d. grey and orange, [9] *break through scroll*, lightly mounted mint; one short perf. at foot. S.G. 93d, £900. Photo £300-350
- PROVENANCE:
"Foxley", March 2017



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1938-53 Issue

690 ★	2/6d. black and red on pale blue, [60] <i>broken lower right scroll</i> , fresh mint. S.G. 117be, £650. Photo	£220-250
691 ○	5/- dull yellow-green and red on yellow line perf. 14¼ horizontal pair from the lower right corner of the sheet with plate number, [59] with <i>broken top right scroll</i> , [60] with <i>broken lower right scroll</i> , both with part Hamilton 1945 datestamps; a fine and scarce positional multiple. KGV1 Expertising Certificate (2007). S.G. 118bd, be, £1,100+. Photo	£400-500
692 ★	12/6d. grey and pale orange March 1943 printing on ordinary paper, [60] <i>broken lower right scroll</i> , fresh mint. Fine and rare. S.G. 120ce, £2,250. Photo	£900-1,000
693 ★	£1 pale purple and black on pale red, [60] <i>broken lower right scroll</i> , fresh lightly mounted mint. Fine and rare. S.G. 121be, £2,000. Photo	£800-1,000

694 ⊕⊞	1962-68 2d. pale lilac, indigo, yellow and green marginal block of six (2x3) from the right of the sheet, variety yellow misplaced 2mm. to right , unmounted mint; pre-printing paper creases. S.G. 164d, var.	£100-120
695 ⊕	1965 I.C.Y. 2/6d. deep bluish green and lavender, marginal from the right of the sheet, variety lavender printed double , unmounted mint (pencil notation in margin) with used example for comparison. S.G. 188 var.	£100-120
696 ⊕⊞	2001 20c. White-tailed tropic bird lower left corner Plate 1A block of four and 20c. Cahow lower right corner Plate 1B block of four, both with perfs. misplaced 4mm. to left , unmounted mint. A spectacular pair with a used example of the Cahow for comparison. S.G. 854, 855 var.	£150-200

BRITISH EAST AFRICA

1897-1903 Issue

697 ★	20r. pale green, fresh mint; two tiny thins at top, fine appearance. S.G. 98, £1,200. Photo	£200-250
698 ⊙	50r. mauve overprinted "SPECIMEN", fine mint. S.G. 99s, £400. Photo	£150-180
699 ★	50r. mauve, fine mint. An attractive example of this scarce high value. S.G. 99, £2,500. Photo	£700-800

BRITISH GUIANA

700 ○	1850-51 "Cottonreel" 12c. blue Type B cut round, initialed and cancelled with Demerara datestamp (year date unclear); odd traces of thinning and small ink mark at right, barely apparent on face. A very presentable example of this classic stamp. R.P.S. Certificate (1994). S.G. 51, £11,000. Photo	£1,500-1,800
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BRITISH LEVANT**British Post Offices in the Turkish Empire****Beirut**

- x701 ☒ 1877-94 covers (7) and a cover top to various destinations, five bearing 2½d. cancelled "G06" and two later to Cyprus or U.S.A. franked at 2½d. and cancelled with hooded datestamp; also 1906 revenue document from the British Post Office bearing Turkish fiscals (2) sharing "BEYROUT/BRITISH POST OFFICE" datestamps; two items with faults though generally good to fine £150-200
- 702 ☒ 1911 (9 May) envelope registered to Austria bearing unoverprinted Edward VII 7d. with oval Beyrout datestamp; transit and arrival datestamps on reverse, fine. Pröschold Certificate (1984) £100-150

Constantinople

- x703 ☒ 1857-1900 selection of incoming mail (12) from France, G.B. (9, one in 1867 with "NOT CALLED FOR" and boxed "UNCLAIMED" handstamps in red) and U.S.A. (3), all but one with arrival datestamps in black, blue or red; a few faults though an interesting group £150-200
- x704 ☒ 1860-85 covers/cards (17) to a variety of destinations and franked at 1d. (2), 2½d. (7, one with 2½d. rosy mauve Plate 1), 4d. rose, 5d. (3), 6d. (2), 9½d. (registered) and 1/-, all cancelled "C" in oval of bars in two different types, one showing "TOO LATE" in red, and 1892-1902 cards (5) and 1912 envelope, all cancelled with single-ring datestamp; condition mixed in places though generally good to fine £350-400

Smyrna

- x705 ☒ 1879-92 covers/cards (7), mostly to England and franked at ½d., 1d. (3), 2½d. (2) and 3d., all cancelled "F87", 1896-1909 covers/card (3) all cancelled with single-ring datestamp, incoming mail (3, one redirected to Beirut) also with single-ring datestamps, and U.S. cover and card with Levant and Smyrna names of origin; a few faults though generally of good appearance £120-150

The Issued Stamps

- x706 ☒ 1885-1902 range of covers to various destinations, four bearing 1885 40pa. on 2½d., forty three (ten registered) bearing one or two 1887 40pa. on 2½d. (one with retta cancellation) or 80pa. on 5d., variously cancelled, a few with barred ovals, the others with datestamps; condition a little mixed in places though generally good to fine £600-800
- 707 ★ 1887-96 40pa. on 2½d. purple on blue handstamped "SPECIMEN", British Currency 1911-13 ½d., 1d., Post Offices in Constantinople and Smyrna Turkish Currency 1921 180pi. on 10/- (unused without gum), British Currency 1921 2d. to 2/6d., chiefly fine with original gum £100-120
- x708 ☒ 1893 (25 Feb.) envelope (stain at right) from Constantinople to England, bearing "40 PARAS" on ½d. vermilion with surcharge misplaced to left and cancelled "c" in oval of bars, despatch and arrival datestamps on reverse, (28 Feb.) and (1 Mar.) envelopes from Constantinople to Germany and Switzerland respectively, both bearing "40 PARAS" on ½d. vermilion, the first with "s" normal, the second with the surcharge very underinked, and a further loose example showing damaged "s" and cancelled with 1 March datestamp. B.P.A. Certificates for 28 February cover (1985) and loose stamp (1983) S.G. 7 £250-300
- x709 ☒ 1893 (28 Feb.) 2d. blue G size registered envelope, uprated with "40 PARAS" on ½d. vermilion, from Constantinople to Oxford, neatly cancelled with datestamp, and (1 Mar.) G.B. 1d. card, uprated with "40 PARAS" on ½d. vermilion, registered from Stamboul to London with neat datestamp £250-300

British Levant, The Issued Stamps - *contd.*

- x710 ☒ 1899 (16 Feb.) envelope from the Armenian Catholic Patriarch in Constantinople to Cyprus, bearing 1887 40pa. on 2½d. with variety **surcharge misplaced 4mm. to left** and lightly cancelled with datestamp, senders cachet and Larnaca datestamp (22.2) on reverse. Scarce. Photo £200-250
- x711 ☒ 1903-21 range of covers/cards (127, some registered), generally to Europe and bearing a variety of surcharged or Levant values, many with the 1902-05 40pa. on 2½d., others of interest include 1912 envelope to Greece with Levant 1d. cancelled by intaglio seal handstamp and 1923 (26 Sept.) envelope from Constantinople to England with typed Post office note saying that the Office will close that day; also a few others £500-700
- x712 ☒ 1919-22 covers bearing a variety of Great Britain values (many with 2½d. only), forty-seven (some registered) and fronts (4) used at the Civilian Post Offices, thirty used at Army Post Offices, eight unstamped with various military datestamps, and Indian Post Office items (3) £300-400
- Postal Stationery**
- x713 ☒ A range of cards used at Constantinople, comprising G.B. ¼d., 1d. brown (3), 1d. vermilion (3) and 1d. carmine, 4½pi. on 1½d. (3 in two sizes), Levant KEVII 1d. (2) and KGV 1d. (3), the first five with various types of barred oval "C", the others with datestamps; the first (small faults) scarce though generally good to fine £200-250
- 714 ☒ 1912 (30 Jan.) Edward VII ½d. newspaper wrapper used from Constantinople to Austria; fine and rare £100-120

BRITISH OCCUPATION OF ITALIAN COLONIES

- x714A ★ Middle East Forces: 1942 (Mar.) Nairobi 5d. brown, a vertical pair showing **square and round stops se-tenant**, fresh and fine lightly mounted mint. Rare. S.G. M10b, £1,800. Photo £500-600
- 715 Middle East Forces: 1943-47 selection (66), including two complete sets, a set to 5/- in blocks of four, 5/- and 10/- overprinted "SPECIMEN" (Sismondo Certificate 2008), also 1942 Postage Due set used; fine £150-200
- 716 Eritrea: 1948-49 5c. on ½d. to 10r. on 10/- mint and used sets, 1951 5c. on ½d. to 10s. on 10/- set mint, Postage Due 1948 sets mint and used, 1950 set mint; fine. Cat. £465 £120-150

BRITISH POSTAL AGENCIES IN EASTERN ARABIA

- 717 ⊕☒ 1948 Silver Wedding 15r. on £1 blue complete sheet of twenty (5x4), unmounted mint, some wrinkles at left; fine and scarce. S.G. 26, £500+ £150-200
- 718 ☒ Selection of covers/airletters (33) contained in an album, including a good range of QEII issues with some first day covers though chiefly commercial, mostly good to fine £500-600

BRITISH SOLOMON ISLANDS

- 719 ★ 1914-23 ½d. to £1 with additional 5/- (marginal) and £1 (marginal with plate number, rubbed), and 1925 10/-, mint and generally fine. S.G. 22-38, 52, £860 £200-250

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BURMA

- 720 ☒ 1913 (16 May) coloured picture postcard (The Mingoan Bell, Near Mandalay) to England bearing 1a. with "CHINA STREET/BHAMO" c.d.s.; small perimeter faults. Scarce. Photo £150-200
- 721 ☒ 1937 envelope from Rangoon to India bearing 1937 ½a. and 2a., 1947 OHMS Government Claim for Compensation card (creases) from Rangoon addressed locally and redirected to Caun bearing 1946 Official 3p. vertical strip of three, 1947 OHMS Government of Burma Claim for Compensation card from Simla to New Delhi bearing India Official 9p., and 1954 6a. aerogramme, uprated with 2a., from Rangoon to England with fine "DAMAGED BY SEAWATER/COMET MAIL" handstamp in red (scarce on mail from Burma); also India 1858 envelope to England bearing ½a. (4) and 4a. black cancelled "156" in diamond of bars and 1924 Mount Everest card from Rongbuk Glacier card to England. An interesting group £100-120
- x722 1937-72 mint and used collection, the mint including 1938-46 (Jan.) complete, a few Japanese Occupation and many later, the used with 1937 set, 1947 3p., 6p., 9p. 2a., 2a.6p. and 3a.6p. blocks of four with overprint inverted, and Officials 1937-47 complete; Official 1937 10r. poor though generally good to fine. Cat. £2,280+ £500-600

Japanese Occupation

- 723 ☒ 1942 overprinted at Henzada, KGV 3p. grey marginal block of four from the right of the sheet, the right-hand vertical pair showing "pin" variety, neatly cancelled by central Henzada datestamp and affixed on 1942 (10 May) envelope (two tiny holes) to Bassein with arrival datestamp (14.5) on reverse. S.G. J22. Photo £250-300

CANADA

- 724 ☒ 1847 (Mar.) entire letter from Quebec to Aberdeen, rated "1/2" and "1/4" and showing a good strike of the Crowned Circle "PAID/AT/QUEBEC L.C." handstamp with Quebec and London Paid datestamps on face; also 1856 small envelope from Brantford to England with light "PAID 8 STG" and "10d Cy" handstamps in red £80-100

1851 Laid Paper

- 725 ○ 3d. red, good to very large margins, neat target cancellation; tiny corner crease at lower left, otherwise very fine. Greene Foundation (1983) and Brandon (1987) Certificates. S.G. 1, £1,100. Photo £300-400
- 726 ○ 3d. orange-vermilion, large to enormous margins with trace of adjoining stamp at upper left, mainly light target cancellation leaving Beaver clear; an exceptional example. Greene Foundation Certificate (1981). S.G. 1a, £1,100. Photo £450-500
- 727 ○ 6d. slate violet, good to very large margins, target cancellation at top; fine. S.G. 2, £1,300. Photo £300-350
- PROVENANCE:
Dale Lichtenstein
- 728 ○ 6d. brown-purple, clear to large margins, central target cancellation; a sound example of this distinctive shade. R.P.S. Certificate (1973). S.G. £1,400. Photo £300-350

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Canada - contd.

1852-57 Handmade Paper

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| 729 ○ | 3d. red horizontal pair, good to large margins, target cancellations applied lightly on the right-hand stamp; fine. S.G. 5, £450. Photo | £180-200 |
| 730 ○ | 3d. light red, good to very large margins showing trace of adjoining stamp at upper left, lightly cancelled, and 3d. brown-red, good to large margins and clearly cancelled; very fine and sound respectively. S.G. 5, 8, £500 | £180-200 |
| 731 ○ | 3d. orange-red horizontal pair, large margins on three sides, close or touched at left, neat light target cancellations; attractive. S.G. 5/8 group. Photo | £120-150 |
| 732 ○ | 3d. deep red, good to large margins and with target cancellation in blue; fine and most attractive. B.P.A. Certificate (1987). S.G. 6, £275. Photo | £140-180 |
| 733 ○ | 3d. brown-red (3, shades), clear or good to large margins, one with small part target cancellation at right leaving much of design clear, the other two with numerals "2" and "47" (Three Rivers); fine | £200-250 |
| 734 ○ | 3d. brown-red with major re-entry (upper pane, R.5/7), large to enormous margins, cork cancellation; small purple handstamp on reverse just shows through to face at lower left-hand value tablet though a please example of this scarce variety. S.G. 8b, £950. Photo | £250-300 |
| 735 ○ | 6d. slate-violet, large margins all round, part double strike of numeral target cancellation; fractional soiling at left, otherwise sound. B.P.A. Certificate (1972). S.G. 9, £1,100. Photo | £250-300 |
| 736 ○ | 6d. grey with sheet margin at left showing " <i>Rawdon, Wright, Hatch & Edson, New-</i> " imprint, large margins on the other three sides, light numeral target cancellation; an attractive shade and scarce with imprint. Photo | £400-500 |
| 737 ○ | 6d. grey, good to very large margins, neatly cancelled with near-complete diamond of bars; fine. Photo | £250-300 |
| 738 ○ | 7½d. deep yellow-green, good to large margins, partially light numeral target cancellation; fine. R.P.S. Certificate (1974). S.G. 12, £2,500. Photo | £700-800 |
| 739 ○ | 10d. dull blue, good margins all round, diamond of bars cancellation; fine. S.G. 14, £1,700. Photo | £400-500 |

1852-57 Machine-Made Paper

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| 740 ○ | ½d. rose, good to large margins and light cancelled; fine. Also ½d. imperforate plate proof in black on India paper (traces of soiling) overprinted "SPECIMEN." in carmine. S.G. 17, £600+. Photo | £250-300 |
| 741 ○ | 6d. grey-lilac, good to very large margins showing trace of adjoining stamp at top, light numeral target cancellation. A fine and attractive example of this scarce stamp. S.G. 19, £2,500. Photo | £700-800 |

1857 Thin, Soft Horizontally Ribbed Paper

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| 742 ○ | 3d. red, good to huge margins showing portion of adjoining stamp at top, light numeral "5" (Brantford) target cancellation; very fine. R.P.S. Certificate (1948). S.G. 22, £450. Photo | £200-250 |
| 743 ○ | 3d. red, large margins all round, light numeral "21" (Montreal) target cancellation; fine. S.G. 22, £450. Photo | £150-200 |



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1858-59 Perforated 11¾

- 744 ○ 3d. red with good perforations all round, well struck numeral "19" (London) target cancellation; fine. S.G. 26, £375. Photo £120-150
- 745 ○ 6d. brownish grey with good perforations all round, light diamond of bars cancellation; an attractive example of this rare stamp. B.P.A. Certificate (2004).S.G. 27, £4,250. Photo £1,500-1,800
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- 746 ○ 1859 1c. (4), 5c. (9 with a pair, one with traces of re-entry), 10c. (2), 12½c. and 17c. (3), used, varying perfs. and shades, and 1864 2c. rose unused; generally good to fine £250-300
- 747 ○ 1868-90 Large Queen selection with parts of papermakers watermarks, comprising 1c. red brown "E &/CLU", 3c. "& C", 3c. "M", 3c. (defective) "CLU", 12½c. "THA", 12½c. "S" and 12½c. with small part of two letters, variously cancelled; generally good to fine with the 1c. superb. Cat. £1,725+ £300-400
- x748 ★ 1903 1c. to 50c., 1908 Quebec set, part original gum, some hinge remainders, 50c. with small gum skips at foot; quite well centred and fresh. S.G. 173-195, £1,650 £120-150



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- 749 ② B 1928 (c) "Eckerlin" imperforate slightly oversize reversed impression 3c. essays in black, orange-red, blue and green, each in a complete sheetlet of twenty-five (5x5) on ungummed thick paper; the black sheet with five slightly "short" impressions. Fine and extremely rare in complete sheets. Photo £2,000-2,500
- Note: Dr. Eckerlin was director of Herbst & Illig of Frankfurt-am-Main. In 1928 Dr. Eckerlin contacted the American Bank Note Company for the purposes of promoting a proprietary rotary intaglio printing process that was faster and cheaper than steel engraved printing. Herbst & Illig provided a small selection of ABNC banknote vignette proofs and experimental sheets of the 3c. Admiral design, slightly enlarged and in reverse to prevent accusations of forgery*

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1935 Silver Jubilee

- 750 ⑩ 3c. portraits of both the King and Queen die proof with die number “X-V-126” and “X-V-127” respectively and imprint, both in black on card (150x229mm.) as used for banknotes £300-400
- 751 ⑩ 5c. portrait die proof with die number “X.V.116 A” and imprint, in black on card (189x153mm.) as used for the 1935 \$20 bank note; the odd light tone on the die area £200-250
- 751a ⑩ 10c. vignette with die number “X-V-128” and imprint, in black on card (186x151mm.), as might be used on banknotes. £250-300

Covers

- 752 ☒ 1852 (29 Nov.) entire letter from Montreal to New York, bearing handmade paper 3d. red vertical pair with good to large margins, both cancelled with fine target and additionally tied by despatch datestamp in red, showing curved-framed “CANADA” and unframed “PAID”. A lovely cover in outstanding condition. Photo £1,100-1,300
- PROVENANCE:
“Lionheart” Part IV, February 2015
- 753 ☒ 1856 and 1857 mourning envelopes ex the same correspondence from Peterborough to Port Sarnia, the first bearing 3d. orange-vermilion with light target, the second bearing 3d. deep red with neat target, both adhesives with good to large margins and both covers with arrival datestamp on face and despatch datestamp on reverse; an attractive pair £300-350
- 754 ☒ 1862 printed circular from Hamilton to Goderich bearing 1859 1c. with light duplex, 1863 mourning envelope (seal cut away) from Montreal to London bearing 12½c. with duplex cancellation and with arrival datestamp alongside, and 1867 mourning envelope from Hamilton to New York bearing 10c. brownish purple with duplex cancellation and showing “PAID/CANADA 10 CENTS” handstamp in red alongside the adhesive; the first with a vertical fold, otherwise good to fine £180-200

CAPE OF GOOD HOPE**1853 Deeply Blued Paper**

- 755 ○田 1d. pale brick-red block of four, good to very large margins all round and with each pair neatly cancelled. B.P.A. Certificate (1991) states “stained” which we consider harsh. S.G. 1, £1,800. Photo £400-500
- 756 ○ 1d. deep brick-red “tank” pair with good to large margins, neatly cancelled; fine and attractive. Brandon Certificate (1989). S.G. 1a, £950+. Photo £300-400
- 757 ○ 4d. deep blue with good to large margins, cancelled leaving centre of design clear. S.G. 2, £275. Photo £100-120

1855-63 White Paper

- 758 △ 1d. deep rose-red block of four with clear to very large margins, mainly lightly cancelled and affixed on small piece; a fine and scarce multiple. S.G. 5b, £1,500. Photo £500-600
- PROVENANCE:
C. Emerson Huston, 1961
- 759 ○ 1d. rose-red, 4d. blue (9 with a pair, one single marginal) and 6d. pale rose-lilac (tiny thin), all with clear or good to large margins, the 4d. pair and some singles superb with one in a rich deep shade £200-250
- x760 ○ 4d. blue with good to large margins and 6d. pale rose-lilac with margins all round, both neatly cancelled in red. An attractive pair. S.G. 6a, 7 £150-200

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Cape of Good Hope, 1855-63 White Paper - *contd.*

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| 761 ○ | 6d. rose-lilac, good to enormous margins showing portion of adjoining stamp at foot, small part cancellation at foot leaving Britannia clear. An outstanding and most attractive intermediate shade example. Photo | £200-250 |
| | PROVENANCE:
G.H. Boucher, June 1953 | |
| 762 ★ | 6d. pale rose lilac, unused (regummed), good to large margins all round; small tear at foot and a trifle soiled. Fine appearance. B.P.A. Certificate (2017). S.G. 7, £1,200 | £100-120 |
| 763 ○ | 6d. slate-lilac on slightly blued paper, large to very large margins all round and lightly cancelled leaving Britannia clear; a very fine example. Holcombe Certificate (1988). S.G. 7c, £500. Photo | £250-300 |
| 764 ○ | 6d. slate-lilac on slightly blued paper, good to large margins and neatly cancelled; fine. S.G. 7c, £500. Photo | £250-300 |
| 765 ○ | 1/- bright yellow-green, large well balanced margins all round, lightly cancelled at foot leaving Britannia clear; a most attractive stamp. S.G. 8, £300. Photo | £150-200 |
| 766 ○ | 1/- bright yellow-green, good to large margins and lightly cancelled, most attractive. S.G. 8, £300. Photo | £100-120 |
| 767 ○ | 1/- deep dark green with part marginal watermark, good to large margins all round and generally lightly cancelled; fine. S.G. 8b, £550. Photo | £200-250 |
| 1861 Woodblocks | | |
| x768 ○ | 4d. pale milky blue, close to very large margins nearly all round and with neat cancellation, good strong colour. A sound example. S.G. 14, £2,000. Photo | £250-300 |
| 1863-64 De La Rue Issue | | |
| x769 ★田 | 1d. deep carmine-red triangular marginal block of four, fresh with large part original gum; the usual traces of gum creasing. Fine and attractive. PFSA Certificate (1980). S.G. 18, £1,300. Photo | £600-800 |
| 770 ○ | 1d. deep carmine-red, good to large margins and neatly cancelled with small part barred oval at foot, and 4d. blue with good to large margins and cancelled with part barred oval; fine. S.G. 18, 19a, £465 | £150-200 |
| x771 ○ | 1/- bright emerald-green with good to large margins and clearly cancelled; crease along right edge of the cancellation line, possibly caused by over-zealous application of the handstamp. S.G. 21, £700. Photo | £100-120 |
| 772 ○ | 1/- bright emerald-green, good to very large margins and unusually cancelled with large part Cape Town unframed datestamp; fine. S.G. 21, £700. Photo | £250-300 |
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| 773 ★ | 1874-76 “ONE PENNY” on 6d. deep lilac, six unused examples, two with part original gum (one with a few short perfs. at left, the other centred to lower left and with small light mark at right), the others without gum and including one with broken “P”. S.G. 32, £3,680 | £300-400 |



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Covers

- 774 ☒ 1858 (17 May) envelope from Grahams Town "via Fort Murray" to Mount Foke, bearing 1855-63 white paper 4d. blue with good to very large margins and neatly cancelled, despatch oval datestamp on reverse; very fine; also 1860 large part front to Holland bearing 1/- bright yellow-green with good to very large margins showing portion of adjoining stamp at right, clearly cancelled and tied and showing London Paid datestamp and "Engeland/Franco" handstamp £150-200
- x775 ☒ 1863 (Mar.) mourning envelope from Cape Town "Per Royal Mail Steam Ship Briton" to Ireland, bearing 6d. pale rose-lilac with good to very large sheet-edge margins and indistinct cancellation, showing manuscript "5" in red crayon, London Paid (19.4) and Ennis (30.4) datestamps. Photo £200-250
- 776 ☒ 1865 (8 Sept.) envelope (no flap) from Cape Town to Murraysburg, bearing 4d. slate-blue with good to large margins, neatly cancelled "1" in oval of bars and showing despatch datestamp alongside, light unframed arrival datestamp (11.9) in red above; fine and most attractive. S.G. 19b. Photo £400-500

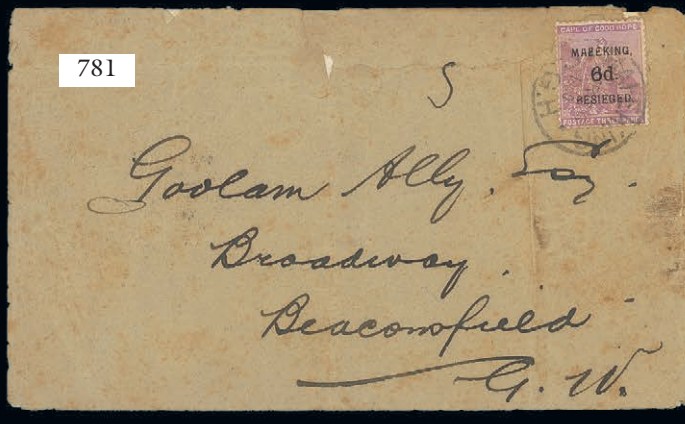
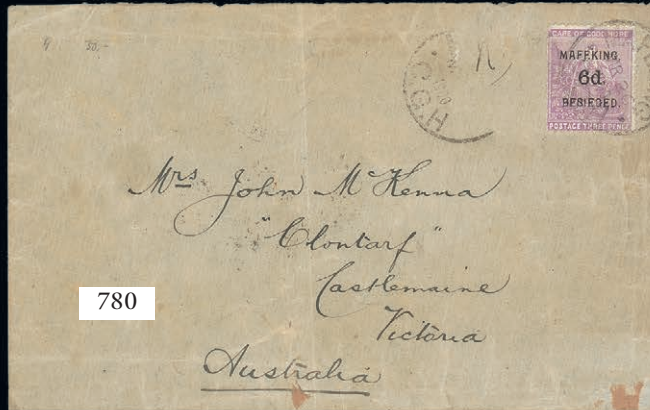
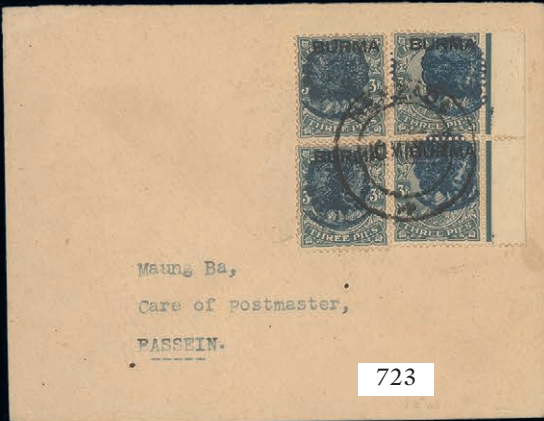
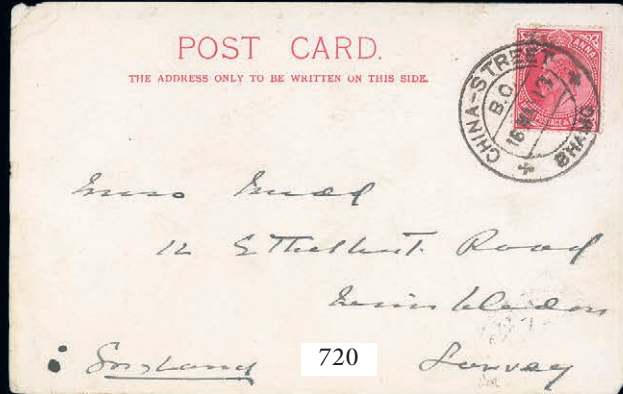
Boer War

- 777 ☒ 1900 (20 Aug.) "The British Isles and Colonies chasing out Kruger" illustrated envelope from Cape Town to Warwick bearing ½d. (2); some slight stains £80-120
- 778 ☒ Selection of postcards (28), mostly anti-British, over half coloured and chiefly unused; good to fine £350-500
- 779 ○ Collection of stamps, covers (21) and one front, showing a wide variety of Army and Field Post office cancellations including Natal Field Force octagonal cancellations (10) with covers (4), pieces etc., Railway T.P.O.'s, G.B. used in South Africa including 1/- green and carmine block of four and 1/- green on Natal solo franking cover; a fine and most interesting lot containing a myriad of censor marks, etc. Viewing recommended. £400-500

Mafeking

- x780 ☒ Cape of Good Hope 6d. on 3d. magenta tied on "Mafeking Club" envelope to Victoria, Australia, transit and arrival markings on reverse; the adhesive with light wrinkle at upper right, the envelope with faults and another stamp removed. An extremely rare destination. R.P.S. Certificate (1979). S.G. 4. Photo £400-500
- x781 ☒ Cape of Good Hope 6d. on 3d. magenta tied on envelope to Beaconsfield, Griqualand West; the adhesive creased and the envelope with some faults. Extremely scarce. R.P.S. Certificate (1970). S.G.4. Photo £400-500
- x782 ☒ Bechuanaland Protectorate 1d. on ½d., 3d. on 1d., 6d. on 2d. and Baden Powell small format 3d. deep blue on blue, tied on 1900 (21 Apr.) envelope addressed locally; also bears Bechuanaland Protectorate 6d. on 3d. which did not originate on the envelope and the 3d. with surface defect, nevertheless attractive and a colourful franking. S.G. 6, 7, 8, 10, 21. Photo £600-800
- PROVENANCE:
F.D. Roosevelt, April 1946
- x783 ★ Goodyear 1d. pale blue on blue vertical pair, mint; fine and scarce. S.G. 17, £2,400+. Photo £800-900
- x784 ○ Goodyear 1d. (6, one on piece), good to fine. Also 1900 (27 Feb.) M'Bulwana postcard (unaddressed) and 1900 (5 Sept.) stampless envelope marked "No Stamps available". S.G. 17/18, £1,950 £500-600

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CAYMAN ISLANDS

- 785 ⑤ 1902-03 ¼d. to 1/- and 1907 4d. to 5/-, all overprinted "SPECIMEN", part original gum; a few minor imperfections, good to fine. S.G. 3s-7s, 13s-16s, £475 £100-120
- 786 ★ 1917 War Stamp 1½d. (Type 16) on 2½d. deep blue, fine mint. S.G. 55, £750. Photo £200-250

CEYLON

- 787 ★ ㊦ 1912-25 5c. purple, variety watermark sideways with Crown to left of CA, a block of nine (3x3) from the right of the sheet, original gum with eight remaining unmounted mint; gum a little toned as usual. S.G. 303a, £4,500 £500-600
- 788 ⑩ 1935 Silver Jubilee 9c., 20c. and 50c. die proofs of the frames in black on wove paper; a very rare trio with only one other complete set recorded. Photo £800-1,000

COOK ISLANDS

- x789 ⑩ ㊦ 1932 no watermark, 1d. black and lake imperforate plate proof sheet (10x8, gummed), the odd small tear in selvage, otherwise fine, and 4d. black and bright blue, perf 14x13 mint sheet (8x10) with some concertinad perforations, gum creasing and three tone spots on reverse though of fine appearance. S.G. 103b, £2,400+ £300-400
- x790 ㊦ ㊦ 1932 no watermark, 1d. black and lake lower left corner block of four showing mixed perms 13 and 14 at left, fine unmounted mint, and 4d. black and bright blue block of four with margin at top, compound perf 14 and 13 (centre vertical row), some gum creases and small stain on reverse of selvage, otherwise fine unmounted mint. R.P.S. Certificate (1979) for latter. S.G. 100b var., 103c £100-150

CYPRUS

- 791 ○ 1880-1915 used selection (9), including 1904-10 ½pi. with watermark inverted, Village cancellations with VR Messaorea, VR Yaloussa, ER Calavasso, GR Vasilia, etc., good to fine £100-120
- 792 ★ 1923 £1 purple and black on red, fresh and very lightly mounted mint; fine. S.G. 101, £1,400. Photo £500-600

EGYPT

- 793 1866-1983 mint and used collection on pages contained in a carton, including 1866 5pa. to 10pi. set of imperf. proofs on unwatermarked paper, 5pi. used, 10pi. unused, 1867-71 5pi., 1923-34 Harrison E£1 used, 1925 Geographical, 1926 Agricultural, 1932 100m. on £E1, 1933 Railway, 1934 U.P.U. set, 1938 Wedding £E1, 1956 Stamp Anniversary miniature sheets perf. and imperf., later issues, Postage Dues, Officials, etc., mixed condition though many fine £650-850

794	1866-1957 mint and used collection, well written-up on pages and contained in a carton, including 1866 10pa., 20pa., 1pi., 1867-71 2pi., 1878 5pa. on 2½pi. with surcharge inverted, 1879 2pi. unused, 1881-1902 with values to 5pi. (3), 1884 20pa. on 5pi. with surcharge inverted unused and used, 1888-1909 to 10p. (3), 1914 set, 1921-22 with 1m. two dots omitted in pair with normal, 15m. both types, 1922 Crown overprints, 1923-24 Harrison £E1 mint and used (2), 1925 Geographical, 1926 Agricultural, 1926-27 Air, 1926 Birthday 50p. compound perf., 1927-37 to 500m. and £1 (both types), 1931 Zeppelin with 50m. on 27m. error of date mint and on card, 1932 100m. on £E1, 1933 Railway set, 1933-38 Air, 1933 Aviation Congress, 1934 U.P.U. mint and used, 1938 Wedding £E1 mint and used, 1939-46 to £E1, 1946 Stamp Anniversary miniature sheets perf. and imperf., 1947-51 to £E1, £E1 control block of 4, 1953-56 to £E1, 1953 Bars overprints with values to £E1 and £E1 control block of four, later issues, Postage Dues, Officials with 1922-23 set, Postal Stationery with 1941 3m. and 4m. envelopes unused, 1914 2m.+2m. reply paid card, 1932 3m. brown, etc., a few forgeries amongst the earlier issues though chiefly good to fine and a valuable lot	£2,500-3,000
795	1866-1952 mint and used collection on large leaves, including 1866 20pa., 1867-71 5pi., 1914 with values to 200m., 1923-24 Harrison £E1 mint, 1925 Geographical, 1926-29 Air, 1926 Birthday 50p., 1927-37 500m., £E1, 1931 Zeppelin set, 1933 Railway Congress, 1933-38 Air set, 1933 Aviation Congress, 1938 Wedding £E1, 1939-46 £E1, 1947-51 £E1, 1952 Egypt and Sudan with values to £E1, 1953-56 to £E1, 1953 Bars overprints, Officials, Postage Dues, etc., chiefly good to fine	£600-800
796	1866 mint and used collection (132) on pages, including unwatermarked proofs with values to 10pi. (3), issued stamps with values to 5pi. (3, one used), 10pi. (6, one used), watermark and perf. varieties, also a selection of nine forgeries; condition mixed though a very useful lot	£1,000-1,500
797 ⑥	1866 Reister essays without text or value and no ornament, five, in four different colours, also 10pa. and 2pi. Penasson essays; mixed condition	£100-120
798	1867-71 mint and used collection (151) on pages including 10pa. (12 unused), 20pa. (10 unused with a pair), 2pi. (5 unused), 5pi. (4 unused and three used), covers, cancellations, etc., also eleven forgeries; mixed condition	£600-800
799	1878 surcharges, mint and used collection (72) on pages including 5pa. on 2½pi. block of four, imperf. single, surcharge inverted, 10pa. on 2½pi. blocks of four (2), single with inverted surcharge, etc., chiefly good to fine. S.G. 42-43	£300-350
800 ★	1879-1902 mint selection (26) including 1879 5pa. with watermark inverted, 20pa. (2) with watermark inverted, 1881 with values to 5pi., etc., good to fine	£120-150
801 ★	1922 Official 1m. sepia with watermark inverted large part original gum; fresh and fine. Rare with Haas recording just four examples. Signed Haas and with his Certificate (1996). S.G. O98w, unpriced. Photo	£400-500
1923-24 Harrison Issue		
802	A collection on leaves with essays (6), issued set to £E1 mint and used, 2m., 3m., 15m. and 20m. mint with inverted watermark, coil experiment perf. 5m. red-brown strip of six overprinted "CANCELLED" in black, 5m. imperf. block of four with watermark. 10m. issued colour imperforate proof block, 1m. single and 15m. imperf. watermarked block printed in black (both with Haas Certificate, 1993), 20m. proofs in brown and the issued colour, a fine lot for further expansion. S.G. 111-122	£1,000-1,200
803 ④	50m. bluish-green imperforate horizontal pair on watermarked paper , unmounted mint, superb and rare. Only one sheet of 100 printed. Haas Certificate (1997). Photo	£200-250
804 ④	100m. purple imperforate horizontal pair on watermarked paper , unmounted mint, fine and scarce. Only one sheet of 100 printed. Haas Certificate (1997). Photo	£200-250
805 ④	200m. purple imperforate horizontal pair on watermarked paper , sheet margin at top, unmounted mint, slight wrinkles, fine. Photo	£200-250

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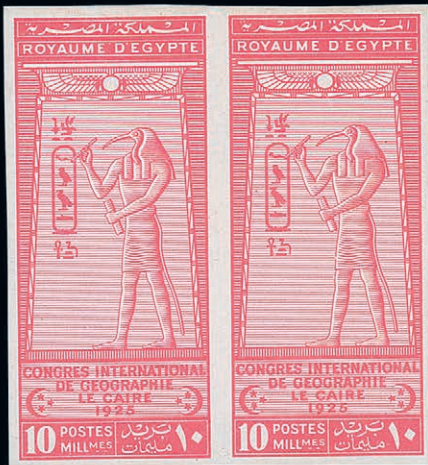
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806 ★	1925 Geographical Congress 10m. rose-carmine imperforate horizontal pair , very lightly hinged, minor wrinkles, fine and rare. S.G. 124a, unpriced. Photo	£300-400
807 ○	1926 Port Fouad set of four each neatly cancelled; very lightly toned, otherwise fine. Egypt Study Circle Certificate (1999). S.G. 141-144, £1,700. Photo	£400-500
808 ⊕	1936-37 Farouk set of seven (4m. in pair) with "Royal" misplaced perforations, unmounted mint, fine. S.G.233-239	£100-120
809	1937-44 Boy King collection with mint set and shades to £E1, a range of control blocks of four including 50pi. and £E1, set to 20m. with inverted watermark in blocks of four, 50pi. and £E1 in marginal imperforate singles on watermarked paper, £E1 with centre misplaced used (small faults though very rare, Haas Certificate 1996), etc., generally fine and an interesting collection. S.G. 248-258, 276-283	£400-500
810 ⊕	1938 Leprosy 5m. red-brown, variety imperforate on watermarked paper , unmounted mint from the foot of the sheet; fine. Only 100 examples exist imperforate. Haas handstamp and his Certificate (1995). S.G. 273 var. Photo	£200-250
811 ⊕	1945-51 1m., 2m., 4m., 10m. to 20m., eight values in imperforate horizontal pairs on watermarked paper , unmounted mint, the 15m. with tiny fault in margin at foot; fine	£250-300
812 ★	1946 Cairo Aviation Congress 30m. green from the left of the sheet, variety overprint double , original gum; fine. Signed Sanabria and Haas, Haas Certificate (1989). S.G. 314b, £325. Photo	£150-200
813 ⊕田	1948 S.A.I.D.E. 22m. on 200m. grey block of four, variety surcharge double (very close), unmounted mint, fine and rare. Only one sheet of fifty printed. Haas Certificate (1988). S.G. 350a, £320+	£150-200
814	1952 "King of Egypt and the Sudan 16th October 1951" overprints collection with set to £E1 mint and used, 2m., 30m. and 40m. all with overprint double (Haas Certificates 1988 or 1989), colour trial of the overprint with Farouk seal on reverse on ten values, 4m. misplaced perfs., 10m. pair with surcharge a cheval (Haas Certificate 1990), etc., a fine and interesting lot	£400-500
815 ⊕	1956 Scouts Jamboree imperf. and perf. miniature sheets, unmounted mint, lightly gum toned. Scarce. S.G. MS513-514, £3,400	£500-600
816 ★	1958-2006 mint collection housed in two stockbooks contained in a carton, including 1959 Revolution set and miniature sheet, 1959-60 UAR 1m. to 500m., 1964-67 1m. to 500m., 1964 Post Day, 1964 Nubia set and miniature sheet, 1965 Postage Due set, 1967 Post Day, 1967-68 Official set, 1969 Tourist Year, 1969 Cairo Millenary set and miniature sheet, 1969-71 to £E1, 1971 Dam miniature sheet, 1971 Air, 1972-77 to £E1, 1972 Tutankhamun set and miniature sheet, 1972 Air, 1976 Post Day set, 1978-85 with values to £E1, 1985-90 with values to £E2, 1989-91 Air, 1993 to £E5, later issues, etc., chiefly fine with most unmounted	£250-300
Postage Dues		
817 ★田	1886-87 10pa. rose-red complete sheet of 100 (10x10) comprising twenty-five blocks of the four types, margins almost complete with inscription at top, unmounted mint or part original gum; a few small thins, central vertical perfs. re-inforced with a strip of selvage, largely fine and rare. Possibly the only surviving complete sheet. S.G. D62, £8,000 as singles	£2,000-3,000
818 ★田	1886-87 1pi. rose-red complete sheet of 100 (10x10) comprising twenty-five se-tenant blocks of the four types, practically complete margins, inscription at top and Official cachet at left; unmounted mint or large part original gum, one torn at foot, otherwise fine and rare. S.G. D64, £4,000 as singles.	£1,000-1,200
819 ★田	1886-87 2pi. rose-red block of eighty (10x8) comprising twenty se-tenant blocks of the four types, inscription at top and Official cachet at left, unmounted mint or large part original gum; fine and rare. S.G. D65, £3,360 as singles	£800-1,000
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Royal Imperforates with "Cancelled" on the Reverse

Definitives

821	<p>1927-34 set of twenty-three single examples as per the Lee listing, including 10m. purple block of four, 40m. olive-brown pair, 500m. both photogravure and lithograph printings and an exceptional marginal example of the £E1. A fine and rare assembly, only 125 of the 500m. and just 50 of the £E1 value printed. S.G. 148-172. Photo</p>	£2,000-2,500
822	<p>1927-34 5m. red-brown, perf. 13x13½. The only perforated value with Cancelled on reverse. Nile Post D112fp. Photo</p>	£120-150
823	<p>1927-34 5m. dark red-brown in a superb horizontal tête-bêche booklet strip of six, sheet margins at left and right. Exceptional and rare. Nile Post D112jp. Photo</p>	£400-500
824	<p>1936-37 5m. deep brown in a superb horizontal tête-bêche booklet strip of six, sheet margin at left and right. Exceptional and rare. Only two sheets produced. Nile Post D132fp. Photo</p>	£400-500
825	<p>1937-46 Boy King 1m. to £E1 set of nineteen including the scarce 20m. grey-violet (only 100 printed) and fine examples of the 50p. and £E1, also a rare example of the 2m. imperforate without "Cancelled" on the reverse</p>	£300-400
826	<p>1937-46 5m. red-brown booklet pane of twelve with margins at left and right. Fine and a rare multiple with only one sheet of 120 stamps printed in the booklet format. Nile Post D140bka. Photo</p>	£400-500
827	<p>1937-46 6m. yellow-green booklet pane of twelve with margins at left and right. Fine and a rare multiple with only one sheet of 120 stamps printed in the booklet format. Nile Post D141bka. Photo</p>	£400-500
828	<p>1937-46 10m. purple booklet pane of twelve with sheet margins at left and right. Fine and a rare multiple with only one sheet of 120 stamps printed in the booklet format. Nile Post D142bka. Photo</p>	£400-500
829	<p>1937-46 15m. brown-purple booklet pane of twelve with sheet margins at left, right and foot. Fine and a rare multiple with only one sheet of 120 stamps printed in the booklet format. Nile Post D144bka. Photo</p>	£400-500
830	<p>1937-46 20m. blue booklet pane of twelve with sheet margins at left and right. Fine and a rare multiple with only one sheet of 120 stamps printed in the booklet format. Nile Post D145bka. Photo</p>	£400-500

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Egypt, Royal Imperforates with "Cancelled" on the reverse - *contd.*

Commemoratives

831 ②	1926 Navigation Congress set; fine. Only 50 sets printed. S.G. 123-140. Photo	£250-300
832 ②	1926 Cotton Congress set of three; fine. Only 50 sets printed. S.G. 145-147. Photo	£250-300
833 ②	1927 Medical Congress set, fine. Only 50 sets printed. S.G. 176-177	£150-200
834 ②	1929 Birthday set of four; fine. Only 50 sets printed. S.G. 178-181. Photo	£250-300
835 ②	1931 Agricultural and Industrial Congress set of three, fine. Only 50 sets printed. S.G. 182-184	£150-200
836 ②	1933 Railway Congress set of four, fine. Only 50 sets printed. S.G. 189-192. Photo	£300-400
837 ②	1933 Aviation Congress set of five, fine. Only 50 sets printed. S.G. 214-218. Photo	£600-800
838 ②	1936 Agricultural and Industrial Exhibition set of five, fine. Only 50 sets printed. Photo	£400-500
839 ②	1936 Anglo-Egyptian Treaty set of three, fine. Only 100 sets printed. S.G. 245-247	£200-250
840 ②	1937 Montreux Conference set of three, fine. Only 50 sets printed. S.G. 259-261	£200-250
841 ②	1937 Ophthalmological Congress set of three, fine. Only 50 sets printed. S.G. 262-264	£200-250
842 ②	1938 Cotton Congress set of three, each from the top of the sheet, fine. Only 50 sets printed. S.G. 266-268	£150-200
843 ②	1938 Radio Congress set of three, fine. Only 50 sets printed. S.G. 269-271	£200-250



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844 ②	1938 Birthday £E1 green and sepia. Superb and rare. Only one sheet of twenty-five printed. S.G. 272. Photo	£2,000-2,500
845 ②田	1940 Children's fund 5m. + 5m. red-brown, block of four from the lower left of the sheet and each with green Pyramid handstamp on reverse; one with small fault. Only 100 printed. S.G. 284.	£300-400
846 ②	1946 Visit of Ibn Saud 10m. green, fine. Only 50 printed. S.G. 306	£100-120
847 ②	1946 Stamp Anniversary set of four, each from the top of the sheet; fine. Only 50 sets printed. S.G. 307-310. Photo	£400-500
848 ②	1946 Arab States Conference set of seven; fine. Only 50 sets printed. S.G. 315-321. Photo	£400-500
849 ②	1947 Contemporary Art Exhibition set of four, fine. Only 50 sets printed. S.G. 334-337	£200-250
850 ②	1949 Agriculture and Industry Exhibition set of five; fine. Only 50 sets printed. Photo	£300-350

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Air Mails

- 851 [Ⓐ]Ⓟ 1927-29 27m. chestnut, fine. Only 50 printed. S.G. 133. Photo £150-200
- 852 [Ⓐ]Ⓟ 1933-38 Handley-Page set of 21 with additional shades of the 1m., 6m., 8m. (3), 10m. (3), 20m. and 30m., fine and rare. Only 50 full sets can exist. S.G. 193-213. Photo £800-1,000
- 853 [Ⓐ]Ⓟ 1941-46 set of four, also the rare 1946 25m. dark violet shade (only 50 printed), fine. S.G. 285-288 £250-300

Officials

- 853a [Ⓟ] 1926-37 collection on leaves with English and Arabic "CANCELLED", a fresh and fine complete collection with the rare 20m. olive-green and 50m. slate-green (3, only 100 of each printed) and a page of the 1937 special printings. A fine lot £250-300
- 854 [Ⓟ] 1927-58 selection of thirty-one, including the set of ten with shades (15 stamps, the 20m. not underprinted in English), also underprinted Cancelled in Arabic with 4m., 8m. and 30m. blocks of four, 6m. corner pair, etc., a fine group £150-200
- 855 [Ⓟ] 1938 set underprinted Cancelled in Arabic (9) and English (9), fine. S.G. 0276-284 £100-120

British Forces in Egypt

- 856 Collection on pages including 1932-33 "Postal Seal" and "Letter Seal" mint, 1932-35 3m. black on azure used, 3m. deep blue, (3 mint and one used), 1935 Silver Jubilee 1p., 1935 Xmas 3m. on 1p. (2), covers, etc., mixed condition £400-500
- 857 1932-35 mint and used selection (18) including 1932-33 "Letter Seal" 1p., 1932-35 Christmas Seals, 1934-35 perf. 14½x14 1p., 1935 Silver Jubilee 1p., 1935 Xmas 3m. on 1p. (2), etc., fair to fine £150-200

1935 Silver Jubilee 1p. ultramarine

- 858 [△] Series of three letters, dated 15th. May, 17th. May and 31st. May, from Buckingham Palace to Squadron Leader C.H. Moore, Royal Air Force, Aboukir, thanking him for sending examples of the British Forces in Egypt 1935 Jubilee 1p. to the King; also a covering envelope dated 15 May with violet "GVR" in circle on the front and red embossed Crown on reverse; some stains and punch holes. A fascinating group £200-300
- 859 [★]Ⓟ Block of nine (3x3) from the right of the sheet, the centre stamp with variety **short "U" in "JUBILEE"**, original gum with eight, including the variety, remaining unmounted mint; fine and a scarce multiple. S.G. A10, £3,150+. Photo £1,000-1,200
- 860 [○]Ⓜ Block of four with 6 May first day of issue datestamps; fine. S.G. A10, £720+. Photo £200-250
- 861 [ⓧ] A single tied by retta cancellation to reverse of 6 May envelope (opened out and slightly truncated) to Scotland, Alexandria (B) datestamp alongside the adhesive, Abu Qir c.d.s. of the same date and red "14" handstamp on face; fine. S.G. A10. Photo £150-200
- PROVENANCE:
John Firebrace, 1992
- 862 [ⓧ] A vertical pair, one with variety **short "U" in "JUBILEE"**, tied by retta cancellation on reverse of small envelope to Manchester, Cairo c.d.s. of 29 Dec. 1935 and red "19" on the front; a few very faintly stained perfs., fine. Multiples on cover are rare. Brandon Certificate (1999). S.G. A10. Photo £700-800
- 863 [ⓧ] A single tied by retta cancellations on reverse of envelope to Scotland, Alexandria (B) c.d.s. of May 6 1935 (first day) alongside, Abu Qir datestamp of the same date and red "13" on the front; minor soiling, otherwise fine and scarce. S.G. A10. Photo £300-350

Egyptian Occupation of Gaza

- 864 [Ⓜ] Selection housed in two stockbooks, including 1953 Bars overprints with errors, 1959 55m. on 100m. block of fifty, etc., unmounted mint, original gum and used, chiefly fine £150-200

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FALKLAND ISLANDS

- 865 △ 1869-76 black and red Franks, fine strikes on pieces of white wove paper. R.P.S. Certificate (1996) for both stating "not forming part of an original cover - genuine". Cat. £300 £100-120
- 866 ★ 1878-1902 mint collection (181) including 1878 1d. 1882 1d., 4d., 1885-91 1d. pale claret (3), 1d. brownish claret (6 with a pair), 4d. (5), 1889-91 1d. (4), 4d., 1891 "½d." on half 1d. brownish claret, "½d." on half 1d. red-brown (3), 1891-1902 1d. orange red-brown (8), 1d. brown (3), 1d. claret (8), 2½d. pale chalky ultramarine (7), 2½d. dull blue (4), 2½d. Prussian blue (5), 4d. brownish black, 6d. orange-yellow (5), 1/- grey-brown (6), 1/- yellow-brown (5 with a corner block of four), unused or original gum, many fine £1,000-2,000
- 867 ○ 1891 "½d." on half 1d. red-brown, se-tenant with unsurcharged whole stamp, cork cancellation; fine. B.P.A. Certificate (2017). S.G. 14b, £2,000. Photo £700-800
- 868 ○ 1912-20 6d. brown-orange with watermark inverted, fine used with c.d.s. of 30 Sept. 1919; unrecorded on this shade. S.G. 64b, var. Photo £600-800



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- 869 ☒ 1935 Silver Jubilee set, the 1/- with *extra flagstaff*, on 1935 (6 Nov.) envelope registered to London, fine and rare. R.P.S. Certificate (1976), S.G. 139-141, 142a. Photo £1,000-1,200

FIJI

- 870 ★ 1903 £1 grey-black and ultramarine, fresh with large part original gum; fine. S.G. 114, £375. Photo £140-180
- 871 ★ 1912 £1 purple and black on red, fine mint. S.G. 124, £300. Photo £100-120

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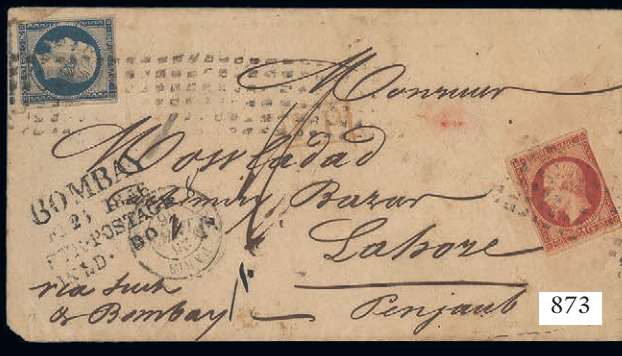
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FRANCE

- 872 ☒ 1853 (28 June) wrapper (no top and bottom flaps) from Paris to Ainsé, bearing 1852-53 25c. pale blue **horizontal pair** with large margins all round and tied by star cancellations; fine. S.G. 39 £100-120
- 873 ☒ 1856 (Jan.) envelope from Paris "*via Suez & Bombay*" to Lahore, bearing 1853 20c. (corner fault) and 80c. cancelled with oblong of blocks and showing despatch and "BOMBAY/STR. POSTAGE/INLD DO" transit datestamp (25.2), both on face, light arrival datestamp on reverse. Photo £250-300
- 874 ☒ 1862 envelope from Narbonne "*voie de Suez*" to Bombay, bearing 1853 10c., 20c. and 40c. with indistinct petit chiffres, despatch datestamp and framed "PD" all on face, arrival datestamp on reverse; a few faults though an unusual three-colour franking. Photo £200-250





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- 875 ☒ 1869 5f. grey, 1871-65 thick figures 10c. and 80c., tied by Paris "5" star cancellations on 1875 (27 May) envelope to Sancoins, red wax seals on reverse; the envelope with some creases though a fine and striking high value franking. S.G. 131, 203, 208, Photo £4,000-4,500
- x876 ☒ 1872 (7 Sept.) entire to Valparaiso bearing 1853-61 5c., 1863-70 80c. and 1871-76 15c. with "532" gros chiffres cancellations and Bordeaux c.d.s., red boxed "P.P." and "15" handstamp; horizontal filing fold clear of the adhesives. Fine and a scarce three colour, three issue franking £100-120
- 877 ☒ 1891 entire letter with fine red "C.B" (Chateau Bicetre, Revolutionary Prison) and 1899 entire with "Don A.Hollande/TROUPES Foises"; also 1806 entire with framed "Gal EN CHEF DE/L'ARMEE D'ITALIE" and 1828 entire with "DEB 1/BOURG, L'AIN" handstamp; good to fine £400-500
- 878 ☒ 1927 (10 Oct.) Paris to Buenos Aires flight by Costes and Le Brix, unaddressed cover bearing Merson 3f., Pasteur 1f. 50 with Bourget Aviation cancellation, violet "RAID: PARIS A BUENOS-AIRES" three line cachet and Buenos Aires arrival (14.10); scarce. Muller 173. Photo £1,500-2,000

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FRENCH COLONIES**Dahomey**

- 879   1941 National Fund set of four in complete sheets of twenty-five (5x5), unmounted mint; fine. S.G. 143a-143d, £825+ £150-200



French Polynesia

- 880 1958-95 mostly mint collection housed in three albums contained in a carton, including 1958 10c. to 20f., Air 13f. to 200f., 1962 15f. and 25f., 1962 Conference 20f. (3), 1962 Fish (2 sets), 1963 Games, 1965 ITU, 1965 Museum (2), 1965 Swimming (2), 1965 Schools 20f. (2), 1966 Boats (2), 1966 Games (2), 1967-68 Art, 1968 Discovery miniature sheet, 1968 WHO (3), 1969 Concorde 40f. (2), 1969 Buildings, 1969 Napoleon 100f., 1970 P.A.T.A., 1970 Expo, 1971 Games miniature sheet, 1971 Water-skiing, 1971 De Gaulle (4), 1971 Paintings, 1972 Paintings (2), 1973 Loti 60f., 1973 Paintings (2), 1974 Landscapes (3), 1974 Paintings (4), 1975 Paintings (3), 1976 Concorde 100f. (4), 1976 Ecology (3), 1976 Olympics miniature sheet (3), 1976 Pirouges (2), later issues, etc., chiefly fine £800-900

French Sudan

- 881   1941 National Defence Fund set in sheets of twenty-five (5x5), unmounted mint; some with slightly flat gum as usual. S.G. 213-216, £850+ £150-200



Indo-China

- 882   1929 (April) envelope registered to Perpignan bearing Indian Woman 1c., 20c., 40c. (2) with Saigon cancellations, "PREMIER VOYAGE/POSTAL PAR AVION/INDOCHINE FRANCE" cachet, arrival c.d.s. (12.4) on reverse; fine £100-120





Ivory Coast

- 883   1941 National Defence Fund set of four in blocks of twenty-five (5x5), unmounted mint, some slightly flat gum as usual, fine. S.G. 178-178c, £1,375+ £250-300

Morocco

- x884  1909-85 collection of covers (36, a few registered) nearly all to Europe, bearing a variety of values and including 1907 and 1918 unstamped soldiers items, and a range of later airmail rates, unused/used postal stationery cards/letter cards, and two others £100-120
- x885  Collection of picture postcards (87, some used) in an album with a range of views, people, costumes, etc. A fine and unusual lot £400-500

Niger

- 886   1933 (13 Apr.) envelope to Paris bearing Paris Exposition 50c. with Bilma cancellation, special "Exploration/du/Ténére 1933/Mission/Capitaine/Wauthier" black on pink Par Avion label, Paris arrival (19.4) on reverse, a little stained around the adhesive, otherwise fin. Rare with just twelve flown. Muller 14. Photo £500-600
- 887   1941 National Defence Fund set in complete sheets of twenty-five (5x5), unmounted mint, some slightly flat gum as usual; fine. S.G. 98a-98b, £1,000+ £200-250

St. Pierre et Miquelon


- 888  1923 (Feb.) 15c. postal stationery envelope to Dijon, additionally bearing 1c., 2c., 4c., 5c., 10c., 20c. and 25c., arrival c.d.s. on reverse; fine £100-120

Photo for lot 886 appears on page 61

French Colonies - *contd.*

Senegal

- 889 ☒ A fine collection of (4) envelopes and entire letters including 1819 (25 April) entire letter to Bordeaux with "COL.PAR/LORIENT" overstruck by "54/LORIENT", 1857 (9 Oct.) envelope (with contents) to Montauban with "COL.FR.ANGL/AMB.CALAIS" c.d.s., red framed "PD" and blue "DIRECTION DE LA POSTE AUX LETTERS/ST. LOUIS/(SENEGAL)", transit and arrival datestamps on reverse; small portion of the envelope missing at lower left. Also 1867 (17 Jan.) entire to Bordeaux bearing General Issues Eagle 10c. vertical strip of three and 40c. with blue "SNG" in lozenge of dots cancellations and matching "SENEGAL ET DEP./ST. LOUIS" c.d.s. alongside; one 10c. slightly faulty, otherwise fine and an attractive franking, and 1867 (5 June) envelope (with enclosure) to Bordeaux, bearing General Issues Eagle 10c. and 40c. tied by blue "GOR" in lozenge of dots cancellations, red boxed "PD" and blue "SENEGAL ET DEPT/GOREE" c.d.s. alongside additionally tying the 10c., transit and arrival markings, both with Behr Certificates (1998-99); fine £500-600
- 890 ④☒ 1925 (7 Feb.) Dakar to Paris flight by Lemaitre and Arrachart, unaddressed cover bearing 1922 25c. with Dakar c.d.s., blue "PAR AVION/RAID DAKAR PARIS" five line and circular cachets, on reverse El Golea, Casablanca and Versailles transit and arrival markings and four line cachet; fine. Muller 2 £100-120
- 891 ⑥☒ 1941 National Defence Fund set in blocks of twenty-five (5x5), unmounted mint, some slightly flat gum as usual; fine. S.G. 213-216, £800+ £120-150

Togo

- 892 ⑥☒ 1941 National Defence Fund set in complete sheets of twenty-five (5x5), unmounted mint, some slightly flat gum as usual; fine. S.G. 151-154, £850 £150-200

Tunisia

- 893 ④☒ 1929 (Oct.) envelope to French Sudan bearing 1919-20 Air 30c., 1920-21 60c., 1927-28 Air 1f., 1f. 75 on 75c., 1928-30 3c. on 1c., on arrival bearing, on reverse, French Sudan 15c. (2), 60c. on 75c. (2) and registered from Kayes to Marseilles, fine £400-500

GAMBIA

- 894 ★ 1880-1929 largely mint selection including 1880 watermark sideways 6d. blue and 1898-1929 basic issues near complete, the 1906 Surcharge pair used; also KGV Keyplate 2/6d. on 1912 *Kiderlen* envelope registered to Germany. (108) £250-300
- 895 ⑤ 1902-05 ½d. to 3/- set of twelve and 1904-06 5d., 7½d. and 10d., all overprinted "SPECIMEN", mint and generally fine. S.G. 45-56, 63, 65, 66s, £325 £100-120

GERMAN COLONIES

Cameroun

- 896 ☒ 1909 (6 May) envelope registered to Geneva, bearing 3pf. strips of six and three and a single, 5pf. pair and 20pf., all tied by "DUALA/KAMERUN" c.d.s. and showing registration label; envelope with three small indentations at left £80-100

Morocco

- x897 ☒ Collection of covers (5, two registered, one from Fes Mellah), stationery cards (16, all used) and picture postcards (14) bearing a variety of values from various offices; also Spanish Morocco selection of envelopes/cards (20) £100-120

GIBRALTAR

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- 898 ☒ 1858 (20 Oct.) entire to Stirling, endorsed "*By first ship*" and bearing 1855-57 1/- green **horizontal pair** cancelled "G" in bars, blue Gibraltar c.d.s. and "GIBRALTAR/20 OCT 1858/SHIP LETTER" in the same colour alongside and red "SHIPLETTER/A/NO 2/1858/LONDON", Stirling arrival (3.11) on reverse; red mark on the first adhesive, otherwise fine and extremely rare. Photo £1,000-1,200
- 899 ★ 1889 10c. carmine, variety **value omitted**, fresh with large part original gum; tiny fox mark between two perfs. on reverse, otherwise fine. Rare. R.P.S. Certificate (1954). S.G. 23a, £7,000. Photo £2,500-3,000
- 900 ★ 1912 £1 dull purple and black on red and 1927 £1 red-orange and black, fine mint with the first lightly mounted. S.G. 85, 107, £330 £120-140
- x901 © 1938-51 ½d. deep green marginal interpanneau block of forty-eight (12x4), 2d. carmine and 3d. light blue marginal blocks of twenty-four (6x4), all imperforate plate proofs on thin unwatermarked paper with thin blue horizontal ruled lines across face, also 3d. frame only in blue vertical pair on thin unwatermarked paper with ruled lines across face, fine £400-500

GILBERT AND ELLICE ISLANDS

- 902 ★ 1924 £1 purple and black on red, fresh and very lightly mounted mint; very fine. S.G. 24, £550. Photo £250-300

Photos also appear on pages 59 and 69

GOLD COAST

- 903 ○ 1875-1954 mostly used selection housed in two stockbooks, including 1875-76 perf. 12½ 1d., 4d. and 6d., 1876-84 2d. bisect on piece, 1883 ½d. and 1d. (2), 1884-91 to 2/- (2), 1889 1d. on 6d., 1889-94 20s. dull mauve and black on red, 1898-1902 5/- and 10/-, 1902 to 20s., 1913-21 to 20s., 1921-24 5/-, 1928 ½d. to 10/-, 1938-43 set, 1948 Wedding set, 1952-54 set, Postage Due 1923 set, 1951-52 set, Togo overprints, cancellations, etc., chiefly good to fine £500-600
- George VI Covers and Cancellations**
- 904 ☒ 1938-48 collection of seventy-six mostly surface mail items with some cancellation and rate interest, including 1942 (20 May) with "DAMAGED BY SEA WATER" cachet, 1946 Returned in Bad Condition, "MISSENT", "TOO LATE" (3 from different sub offices), etc., chiefly fine £500-600
- 905 Ⓐ☒ Air Mail collection of over 150 items housed in two albums and loose contained in a carton, including a good range of British, French and United States services, 1942 to Havana with scarce circular "AV2" and two later covers with London types "AV2", a wide range of destinations with 1940 to China with Hong Kong Censor, rates, cancellations, censor with type VII label and Censor #532, etc., chiefly good to fine £800-1,000
- 906 ☒ Censored mail collection of 111 items including a range of hexagonal type with scarce number "27", boxed type with Crown, 1942 "GOLD COAST SPITFIRES FUND" 1d. label, some registered and airmail, chiefly good to fine. An interesting lot £700-800
- 907 ☒ Short Paid Mail and Postage Due collection on leaves, fifty-four items mainly to Canada, Cape Coast, England, United States, etc., a variety of handstamps and markings, chiefly good to fine £500-600
- 908 ☒ Towns and Postal Agencies collection on pages, eighty-one items including a good range of Offices, some arranged by postal routes, Censored, Missent with 1939 Kraboa Coal Tar with "MISSENT TO" alongside Achimota datestamp, Air Mail with 1942 cover registered from Jasikan with multicoloured "YOU BUY EM/WE'LL FLY EM" label, 1944 cover from Bogoso with "T.P.O.W. DOWN" (believed to be the earliest known use), etc., good to fine £700-800

GREECE

- 909 ★ 1900 surcharges on Small and Large Hermes Heads, a mint collection (46) on pages including imperf. 2d. on 40L., 3d. on 10L., 5d. on 40L., perf. 3d. on 10L., 5d. on 40L. (3), 1d. on 40L. (2 perf. 13½), A.M. imperf. 1d. on 40L., perf. 1d. on 40L., etc., unmounted mint or with large part original gum, chiefly fine. S.G. 122-147 £140-180
- 910 ⊕ 1900 "A.M." surcharges on Olympic Games set of five, unmounted mint; fine and scarce. S.G. 148-152, £600 £200-250
- 911 ★ 1922 "Revolution 1922" overprints, mint collection (67) on pages, including stamps of Crete with Greece overprint 50L. on 50L. (small "GREECE"), 5d. on 5d. black and olive-green, etc., unmounted mint or with original gum; fine £250-300

HAITI

- 912 1881-1943 mint and used collection on pages including 1881 imperf. to 20c. unused and used, 1882-86 2c. (unused) and 5c. (used) postal forgeries, 1893-95 5c. strip of four on cover to Germany, 1896 7c. imperf. between pair, 1943 censored cover to Ireland, Postal Stationery, etc., chiefly fine £300-400

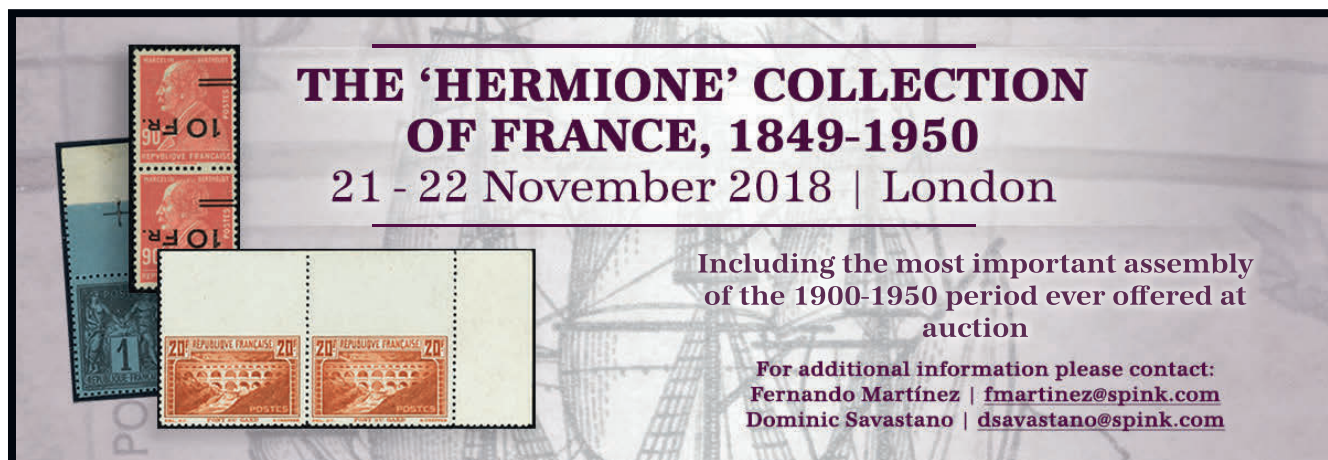
HONG KONG**Post Offices in China**

- †913 ☒ 1917 (29 Jan.) combination cover from Shanghai to Tokyo bearing "CHINA" 1c. (4) tied by Shanghai c.d.s., one 1c. on reverse missing the postmark and cancelled by violet crayon; some minor damage on reverse though a very early usage of the overprinted stamps which were put on sale from 1st. Jan 1917. Also Ningpo 1919 (15 Apr.) half part of registered cover to U.S.A., bearing "CHINA" 20c. cancelled Ningpo index "A" c.d.s. and with Chicago (13.5) arrival c.d.s. on reverse £250-300

INDIA

- 914 ○ 1854 4a. 4th. Printing, Head Die III, Frame Die II, blue and red, clear to good margins, neatly cancelled "C/1"; sound. S.G. 23, £550. Photo £150-180
- x915 ★ 1855 (1 Oct.) blue glazed paper 8a. carmine Die I, fresh with large part original gum and apparently unmounted; one short perf. at foot, otherwise fine. S.G. 36, £1,100. Photo £300-350
- 916 ★ 1856-64 prepared for use but not officially issued, 2a. yellow-green, unused with part original gum; thin thin at top and a few shortish perfs., otherwise sound. Rare. S.G. 50, £3,750. Photo £800-1,000
- 917 ☒ 1857 (18 Dec.) envelope (complete with letter) from Kohat "via Southampton" to London, handstamped with boxed "INDIA PAID" and bearing 1854 4a. 2nd printing blue and red cancelled with light numeral in diamond of bars, upon arrival redirected to Tunbridge Wells with 1856-58 1d., both this and the 4a. clearly cancelled by London Inland Office "27" in oval of bars, the reverse with datestamps in black, red, blue-green and blue. An attractive redirected franking. B.P.A. Certificate (2017). Photo £1,000-1,200
- x918 ☉☒ 1866 6a.8p. slate left-hand marginal block of twelve showing "133 RUPEES" inscription, unmounted mint; mild gum yellowing with trivial marks at edge of selvage, still a fine and desirable multiple. S.G. 72, £1,140. £300-400
- 919 ○ 1902-11 3p. to 25r. with some additional shades to 5r., used, 25r. with violet cancellation, chiefly good to fine. S.G. 119-147. £200-250
- x920 ☉☒ 1921 "ONE AND A HALF ANNAS" chocolate block of sixty-four (8x8) with interpanneau margin at centre, unmounted mint; perfs. largely severed between lower right horizontal pair and three pencil accounting? notations on reverse. A spectacular showpiece multiple. S.G. 165, £576+ £120-150
- 921 ☉ 1948 Gandhi 10r. purple-brown and lake from the foot of the sheet with current number, unmounted mint and hinged in the margin only; fine. S.G. 308, £400. £150-200

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1949 75th. Anniversary of U.P.U. proof sheet of the four values in black on wove paper, each design defaced with two small lines across the upper left corner, offered with a presentation folder from the P.&T. Department bearing the four issued stamps and annotated as being presented to Col. R.C.G. Chapman for his assistance in the design of the stamps. Fine and very rare. Photo

£500-600

923 田

1973 Interpol 20np., eleven imperforate colour trials, all marginal from the left of the sheet and unmounted mint; fine

£150-200



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INDIAN CONVENTION STATES

924 ★ A mint collection in three Godden De Luxe albums contained in a carton, including Chamba complete with Official stamps plus 1887-95 1a. showing variety "CHMABA" (B.P.A. Certificate, 1990) and additional Official 1938-40 9p. to 10r.; Faridkot 1887-1900 ½a. to 1r.; Gwalior virtually complete including Official stamps (missing 1907-08 8mm spacing 2a., 4a. and 8a., and 1936 2a. small die) plus 1899-1911 ½a. with tall "R", 1903-11 3a. with tall "R", Officials 1895-96 ½a., 1a., 2a. and 4a. with Hindi characters transposed and 1913-23 ½a. and 1a. with overprint double; Jind complete (the July 1885 8a. and 1r., 1896 2r. and 5r. and 1938 25r. with B.P.A. Certificate, 2007) including Official stamps plus 1886-99 ½a. with overprint inverted and Official 1885 ½a. and 1a. with overprint inverted; Nabha complete including Official stamps plus 1891 1a. 6p. showing "ABHA" for "NABHA"; Patiala complete including Official stamps plus 1884 1a. (B.P.A. Certificate) and 8a. with overprint in red and in black, 1885 4a. with overprint in red and in black and 8a. showing variety "AUTTIALLA" (B.P.A. Certificate) and Official 1885 large "SERVICE" 2a. showing variety "SERVICE" double, one inverted. A fine lot and a superb basis upon which to expand. Cat. approximately £33,000. *Ex Lord Vestey Collection* £22,000-25,000

Nabha

925 ⊕ 1885 8a. dull mauve, unmounted mint; a little toned, otherwise a fine example of this scarce stamp. S.G. 5, £550. Photo £200-250

INDIAN FEUDATORY STATES

Bundi

926 ★⊕ 1914-41 Type B, 10a. yellow-brown, the upper left stamp in a sheet of four with three Type C, fine unused. S.G. 35a, 42b, £570+. Photo £250-300

927 ★⊕ 1914-41 Type B, 12a. sage-green, the upper left stamp in a sheet of four with three Type C, fine unused. S.G. 36, 44, £716+. Photo £300-350

928 ★⊕ 1914-41 Type C, 3r. grey-blue and chocolate on medium wove paper sheet of four, fine unused. S.G. 47a, £480+. Photo £200-250

929 ★⊕ 1914-41 Type H, 5r. vermilion and yellow-green sheet of four, fine unused. S.G. 72, £1,000+. Photo £400-500

Soruth

930 ★⊕ 1929 ½a. and Official overprinted in red ½a. and 2a., each in a complete sheets of forty, fresh mint with nearly all unmounted. Scarce multiples. S.G. 50, O2a, O4b, £1,740 £350-400

IRAQ

Turkish Stamps used in Iraq

931 ○ Selection comprising three covers, a card and three pieces, cancellations of Baghdad and Kerbella; strikes and condition good to fine. Photo £1,000-1,200

Issues for Baghdad

932 ★ Selection comprising S.G. 7, 13, 21 with part original gum and S.G. 24 used, fair to fine. £2,125 £400-500

Photos appear on pages 69, 73 and 77

Pictorial Designs of 1914

933 ★	¼a. on 2pa. claret and ¼a. on 5pa. dull purple, large part original gum with hinge remainders, fine and fresh. S.G. 1, 2, £800	£250-300
934 ○	¼a. on 2pa. claret, parts of two Advanced Base cancellations; fine. S.G. 1, £500. Photo	£150-200
935	¼a. on 5pa., large part original gum, fine, and a used example (a trifle soiled) used on piece with Baghdad c.d.s. of 21 Sept. 1917. S.G. 2, £725	£150-200
936 ★	1a. on 20pa., unused without gum, some short perfs., fair appearance and rare. S.G. 5, £1,200	£100-150
937 ★	2pi. on 1pi. bright blue, original gum; fresh and fine. S.G. 6, £500. Photo	£200-250

Pictorial Designs of 1914, Overprinted with small five pointed Star

938 ★	1a. on 20pa. Castle of Europe, part original gum (small hinge thins), ink mark on reverse shows on the face. Rare. B.P.A. Certificate (1932). S.G. 7, £800. Photo	£150-200
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Postal Jubilee

939 ★	½a. on perf. 12½ 10pa. carmine., 1a. on perf. 13½ 20pa. blue and 2a. on perf. 13½ 1pi. black and violet, mint; all with minor toning around the perfs. though of generally good appearance and a rare trio. S.G. 9, 10a, 11b, £5,025. Photo	£800-1,000
940 ★	½a. on perf. 12½ 10pa. carmine, large part original gum, small blue ink mark at top; fine. B.P.A. Certificate (1932), S.G. 9, £1,400. Photo	£300-400
941 ○	½a. on perf. 12½ 10pa. carmine, used, trace of a thin at top. Scarce. S.G. 9, £1,500. Photo	£250-300
942 ★	2a. on perf. 12½ 1pi. black and violet, part original gum; small faults though of good appearance. S.G. 11, £750. Photo	£100-120

Overprinted with six pointed star and Arabic date within crescent

943 ★	½a. on 10pa. green, part original gum; vertical crease, otherwise sound. Holcombe Opinion (1989). S.G. 13, £350	£100-120
944 ○	½a. on 10pa. green, well-centred, fine used. S.G. 13, £375. Photo	£150-200
945 ★	2a. on G.P.O. Constantinople 1pi. ultramarine, original gum; fine. S.G. 17, £375. Photo	£120-150
946 ★	2a. on G.P.O. Constantinople 1pi. and 2a. on 1901 1pi., part original gum; the second with pulled perf. at left. S.G. 17, 18, £875	£200-250
947 ★	2a. on 1901 1pi. dull blue, part original gum; fine. S.G. 18, £500. Photo	£150-200
948 ★	2a. on 1901 1pi. dull blue, part original gum; trace of a stain at left. S.G. 18, £500. Photo	£120-150
949 ○	2a. on G.P.O. Constantinople 1pi. ultramarine, used; a few shortish perfs. as usual. S.G. 18, £550. Photo	£150-200

Overprinted with six pointed star, Arabic date between crescent

950 ★	½a. on 10pa. grey-green, original gum; very fine. S.G. 19, £375. Photo	£120-150
951 ○	½a. on 10pa. grey-green, used; trace of staining on reverse. S.G. 19, £425. Photo	£120-150
952 ★	½a. on perf. 12½ 10pa. carmine, part original gum; diagonal crease and small stain at foot. Scarce. S.G. 20, £500	£100-120

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Iraq, Overprinted with six pointed star, Arabic date between crescent - *contd.*

953 ★	1a. on G.P.O. Constantinople 20pa. rose, original gum, some rough perms. at right as usual. S.G. 21, £375	£100-120
954 ★	1a. on G.P.O. Constantinople 10pa. carmine, large part original gum; a trifle soiled. S.G. 21, £375	£100-120
955 ★	1a. on 1909 20pa. rose, unused without gum; a few slightly rough perms. Scarce. S.G. 22, £1,300. Photo	£150-200
956 ★	1a. on 10pa. on 20pa. claret, original gum; fine. S.G. 23, £600. Photo	£250-300
957 ○	2a. on G.P.O. Constantinople 1pi. ultramarine used, fine. S.G. 24, £600. Photo	£200-250
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958	Mint and used collection housed in two stockbooks and on pages contained in a carton, including 1918-21 ¼a. on 5pa. to 10r. on 100pi., 1920-23 Official Script ½a. on 10pa. to 2r. on 25pi., 1932 Official 1d. on 25r., 1949 Faisal II perf. and imperf. miniature sheets, 1949 Air perf. and imperf. miniature sheets, 1953 Coronation miniature sheet, 1958-60 Republic overprints, 1959-6- 1f. to 1d., 1962 Official set, 1967 Flood Relief surcharges, 1970-71 Obligatory Tax set, 1973 Obligatory Tax, 1973 Official overprints, later issues with blocks, imperf., etc., chiefly good to fine	£800-1,000
959	1919-70 mint and used selection on pages, including Mosul, 1923-25 5r. and 10r., 1929 (3 Jan.) special flight to Karachi bearing 1½a. (3) with "IRAQ TO INDIA" cachet cancellations, 1929 (10 Apr.) airmail cover with type-written "BY AIR MAIL PAR AVION, Via First Flight, Karachi - London...", 1957-59 unissued 25f., 30f. 40f. and 50f., 1958 Republic overprints on 1954-57 1f. to 200f. blocks of four, later issues with overprint varieties, etc., chiefly fine	£250-300
960	1918-84 mint and used collection housed in nine albums or stockbooks contained in a carton, including 1918-21 set, Tougra type B 1r. on 10pi. mint and used, 1920-23 Official set, 1923 Official set, 1924-25 Official set (2), 1931 ½a. to 10r. (2), Official set, 1932 with values to 1d. on 25r. mint and used, 3f. on ½d. surcharge double, 1932 Official 100f. on 2r. surcharge at foot, 1932 (May) Official set, 1934-38 set, Official set, 1941-47 1f. to 1d. with perf. varieties, Official 1f. to 1d. with perf. varieties, 1948-51 1f. to 1d. (20 values) in pairs, Official set, 1955 Treaty 10f. overprint inverted (2), 1957-58 unissued 15f., 25f., 30f., 50f., 75f., 100f., 1958 Official set, 5f. overprint inverted and unissued 8f., 30f. and 50f., 1958-60 Republic 1f., 2f., 5f. and 10f. vertical pairs with overprints transposed, modern issues with first day covers, etc., chiefly good to fine. A good lot worthy of careful examination	£1,000-1,200
961	1918-32 mint and used collection (94), the mint including 1918-21 set of fourteen, 1923-25 1r. and 5r., 1932 Surcharge 15f. on 3a. to 1d. on 25r., 1932 (May-June) set less ½d., Official 1920-23 no watermark 5r. on 50pi. and Script 2r. on 25pi., and 1923 1r. to 10r., the used (18) sprinkled throughout; generally good to fine. Cat. £2,200+	£400-500
962 ☉	1918-21 ¼a. on 5pa. to 10r. on 100pi. perforated "SPECIMEN", large part original gum; fine and fresh. S.G. 1s-3s, 5s-14s, £600	£250-300
963 ☉	1920-49 collection of "SPECIMEN" overprints, including 1927 1r., 1927 Official. 1r., 1948-51 1f. to 1d. (22 values), 1948 miniature sheet perf. and imperf., 1948-51 Official 1f. to 1d. (21 values), 1949 Air miniature sheet perf. and imperf., etc., chiefly fine	£300-400
964 ☉	1920-23 Official, watermark Script ½a. on 10pa. to 2r. on 25pi. overprinted "SPECIMEN", slightly toned original gum; fine. S.G. O33s-40s, £275	£100-120

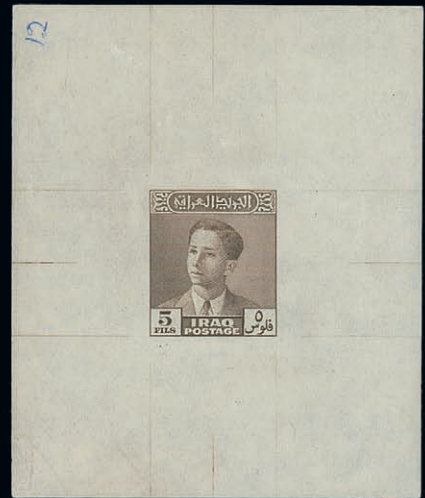
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965 ☒	1922-89 collection of covers and cards housed in nine albums contained in a carton, including Mandate period with items from Amarah, Arbil, Baghdad, Baghdad Ad Mansura, Baghdad Cantonment, Basrah City, Dohl, Exchange Square Baghdad, Erbil, Hillah, Hindia Barrage, Kerbela, Lower Baghdad, Maqil, Mosul, Najaf, Shahraban, etc. with airmails, registered, the later issues well represented with commercial airmails, registered and censored from a variety of origins to many different destinations, incoming mail, "OPENED UNDER MARTIAL LAW" label, Iraqi invasion of Kuwait, Banknotes, Air Letters, First flights, Meter marks, picture post cards, Telephone cards, etc., mixed condition. A most interesting lot	£2,000-2,500
966 ☉	1923 Official set overprinted "SPECIMEN", large part original gum, hinge remainders and minor gum blemishes, fine. S.G. O54s-65s, £800	£250-300
967 ☉	1924-25 Official ½a. to 10r. overprinted "SPECIMEN", original gum; fine. S.G. O66s-77s, £425	£150-200
968 ★	1931 25r. violet, original gum; fine and rare. S.G. 92, £900. Photo	£500-600
969 ⊕	1931 Official ½a. to 10r., fine mint. S.G. O93-104, £325	£100-120
970 ★	1931 Official 25r. violet, original gum; fine and rare. S.G. O105, £900. Photo	£400-500
971 ⊕	1932 New Currency surcharges 2f. on ½a. to 1d. on 25r., set of sixteen, unmounted mint, fine. S.G. 106-121, £500	£200-250
972 ⊕	1932 Official New Currency surcharges 3f. on ½a. to 1d. on 25r., fine mint. S.G. O122-137, £625	£250-300
973 ○	1932 Official 3f. on ½a. to 1d. on 25r., used; chiefly fine. S.G. O122-137, £425	£200-250
974 ☉	1932 Official 2f. to 1d. perforated "SPECIMEN", large part original gum; a few small imperfections. S.G. O155s-171s, £475	£100-120
975 ☒	1933 (27 Oct.) printed official Posts and Telegraphs " <i>Depeche-avion</i> " blue-green envelope from Baghdad to Akyab, the front advising that the contents were a late registered envelope, sealed on reverse with two "IRAQ POSTS/AND/TELEGRAPHS" blue on white circular labels cancelled by despatch datestamp and with arrival datestamp (1.10) alongside; one label damaged on opening though a rare and most unusual item	£700-800
976 ☉	1934-38 2f. to 1d., twelve values perforated "SPECIMEN", original gum; fine. Between S.G. 173s and 189s	£100-120
977 ☉	1934 Official 1f. to 1d. set of eighteen in horizontal pairs, perforated "SPECIMEN", fine unmounted mint; a fine set of multiples	£400-500
978	1941-2016 mostly mint collection housed in four albums contained in a carton, including 1948-51 Official ½d. and 1d. blocks of ten, 1949 Air perf. and imperf. miniature sheets, 1958 Republic overprints on 1954-57 1f. to 200f., 1f. lines of overprint transposed (two blocks of four each with two normal), 2f. sheet of 100 with five showing lines of overprint transposed, 10f. block of 25 (5x5) with 5 showing lines transposed, 1957-58 King Faisal II prepared for use but not issued unoverprinted 20f. sheet of 100, 1967 Flood Relief surcharges with blocks of four, 1970 Obligatory Tax set of six, 1971 Students day set in blocks of four, 1973 History Congress set in blocks of four, 1973 Obligatory Tax set of five in blocks of four, 1994 Surcharges, 1995 Crime of Blockade 10d. vertical strip of three imperf. horizontally, 1996 100d. on 50f. (S.G. 2008) block of four, later with miniature sheets, proofs, errors, imperf., progressives, etc., chiefly fine. A comprehensive and impressive lot	£1,500-2,000
979 ☉	1941-47 1f. to 1d., twenty values overprinted "SPECIMEN"; mint, fine. S.G. 208s-229s	£150-200

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980 ⑤	1948-51 Official 1f. to 1d. overprinted "SPECIMEN" (no 14f.), original gum; fine. S.G. O298s-308s, O310s-323s	£150-200
981 ④	1948-51 Official 5f., 1958 Official 3f. and 4f., each variety overprint double ; mint, fine. S.G. O303a, O406a-407a	£100-120
982 ④B	1948-49 Obligatory Tax 2f. brown (S.G. type 27) block of thirty (3x10, the top three rows of the sheet), unmounted mint; fine. S.G. T326, £870+	£400-500
983 ☒	1949-2016 collection of first day covers housed in six albums contained in a carton, over 700 items, including 1949 U.P.U., 1953 Coronation, 1955 Abrogation set in blocks of four, 1958 Army Day (2), 1965 Army Day miniature sheet, 1967 Costumes, 1967 Tourism, later with better miniature sheets, etc., some duplication, chiefly fine	£350-400
984 ⑥P	1950 King Faisal II 5f. essay die proof in brown on gummed paper (56x68mm.) numbered "12". Rare. Photo	£500-600
985 ⑤	1954-57 1f. to 20f. (except 16f.) overprinted "SPECIMEN", unmounted mint; fine. S.G. 346s-354s, 356s-363s	£150-200
986 ⑥	1956 Arab Postal Conference 28f. die proof in Prussian blue on gummed paper (69x59mm.) numbered "0078", excised and subsequently affixed to the surround; fine S.G. 388P	£200-250
987 ⑥	1957 King Faisal II die proof of the head only in green, on gummed paper (58x 71mm.) numbered "0477" and with "IRAQ/362" imprint; some ink staining on reverse, otherwise fine. Photo	£400-500
988 ⑤	1957-58 1f. to 10f. prepared for use but not issued without overprint, and 15f. to 200f. overprinted "SPECIMEN"; unmounted mint, fine. S.G. 396s-403s and footnote	£200-250
989 ⑤	1958 Official 1f. to 10f. prepared for use but not issued, and 8f., 30f. and 50f. overprinted "SPECIMEN", unmounted mint, fine. S.G. O404s-410s, etc.	£150-200
990 ⑥	1958 Army Day 8f. die proof of the frame only in green on gummed paper (70x58mm.) numbered "44"; some red marks on reverse, otherwise fine. S.G. 411P. Photo	£400-500
991 ⑥	1958 Army Day 10f. black and brown die proof affixed to Bradbury Wilkinson presentation card endorsed "2ND. PROVING" and dated 27 Nov. 1957 on reverse; fine. Photo	£500-600
1963 Definitives		
992 ⑥	3f. vertical pair, 4f., 20f. and 1d. horizontal pairs, imperforate rough impression proofs in purple on gummed paper; fine	£100-120
993 ⑥	75f. die proofs in black and in purple-brown on ungummed paper; fine	£100-120
994 ⑥	200f. die proofs in deep green and in purple; fine	£100-150
995 ⑥	500f. die proofs in deep brown, deep purple and reddish purple, the first without value, fine	£150-200
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996 ④田	1973 Official leaf motif overprints, set of twenty-four values in blocks of four, the 12f. with one stamp with portrait obliterated with type 225 overprint; unmounted mint, one 1d. with disturbed gum, fine. A rare set. S.G. O1130a-1147a, £1,500++	£800-1,000

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Postal Stationery

- 997 ☒ Selection of sixteen items, including cards 1920 ½a. on 10pa. and 1a. on 20pa. unused, ½a. on 10pa. + ½a. on 10pa. used, 1931 ½a. overprinted "SPECIMEN", Letter Card 1920 1a. on 20pa., Envelopes 1920 1a. on 20pa. with 1½a. on 5pa. (6) Air Mail to England, 1931 ½a. overprinted "SPECIMEN", Registered Envelopes 1919 2½a. on 1pi. in the three different sizes, unused, etc., good to fine £500-600

Literature

- 998 Selection of six items contained in a carton, including "The Postal History of Iraq" by Proud (2 examples), "Postal History 1920s to 1940s" by Armitage and Johnson, "Occupation Surcharges for I.E.F., Baghdad, Iraq and Mosul" by Cockrill, "Overland Mail via the Syro-Iraqi Great Desert" by Collins, etc., fine £50-100

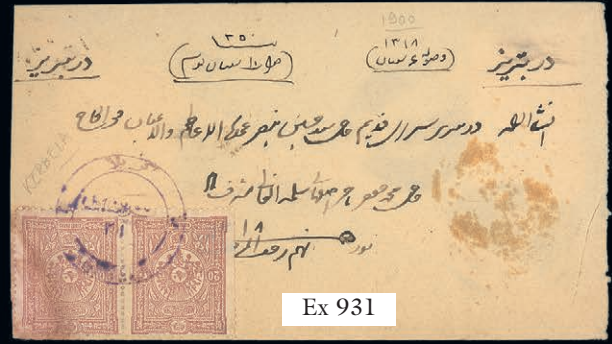
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Postal History

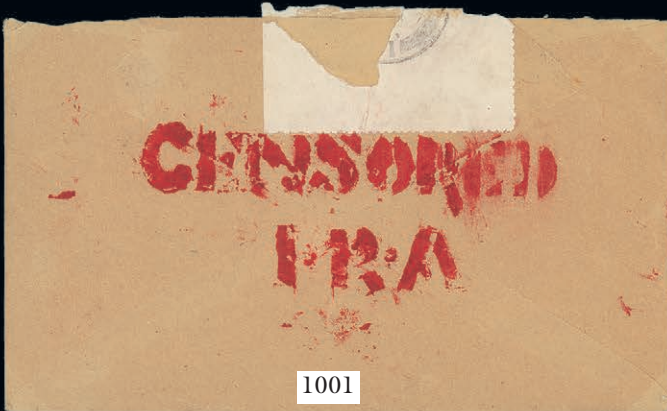
- 999 ☒ 1916 Easter Rising, collection of covers (52), cards (13) or fronts housed in two albums contained in a carton, including "On Active Service", "DUBLIN" undated with vertical bars, Postage Due markings with "FCR", Camps, Censored, Skeletons, "PBC/DUBLIN", five covers to Major General A.E. Sandbach, etc., chiefly good to fine and a most interesting lot £1,000-1,200
- 1000 △ 1921 (31 Mar.) front from Killiney with manuscript "IRA", 1922 (28 July) reverse of envelope with manuscript "Recovered from raided mails J.A.B." £100-150
- 1001 ☒ 1921 (16 Apr.) envelope used within Cork and bearing 2d. orange with machine cancellation, on reverse large red "CENSORED/I.R.A." cachet and officially sealed label; fine. Photo £250-300
- 1002 ☒ 1921 (2 July) envelope from Waterford to Tramore bearing 2d., blank censor strip and endorsed on the front "I.R.A." in blue crayon and "Took 5 or 6 days to reach me"; vertical filing fold and a little roughly opened. Photo £150-200
- 1003 ☒ 1921 (11 Oct.) envelope from Dublin to London bearing 2d., front with black "CENSORED/BY I.R.A." cachet; the envelope with small fault at top and part of flap missing. Photo £200-250
- 1004 ☒ 1922 (22 Feb.) envelope registered from Dublin to Bradford bearing unoverprinted ½d., 2d. (2) and overprinted ½d., fine and scarce £100-150
- 1005 ☒ 1922 (4 Nov.) envelope (with enclosure) bearing 2d. and with violet "SALVED FROM/FIRE GPO DUBLIN" on front and reverse; lightly charred and with Ambulance envelope. Fine and scarce. Photo £300-400
- 1006 ☒ 1923 (10 Mar.) envelope to London, marked "Stamps un obtainable", taxed 2d. on arrival; fine £100-120
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- 1007 ★ 1922-99 comprehensive, mostly mint collection housed in four green Lighthouse albums contained in a carton, including 1922-34 set, 1d. perf. 15 x imperf. (single perf.), 1940-68 to 10/-, 1941 Easter Rising, 1948-65 Air, 1953 An Tostal, 1953 Emmet, 1957 William Brown, 1968-70 to 10/-, 1982-83 to £5, later issues, Postage Dues with 1925 set, miniature sheets, booklets and panes, self adhesives, etc., chiefly fine with most unmounted £300-400



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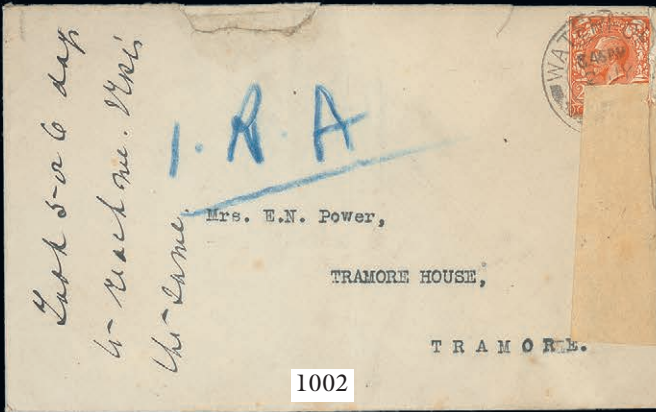
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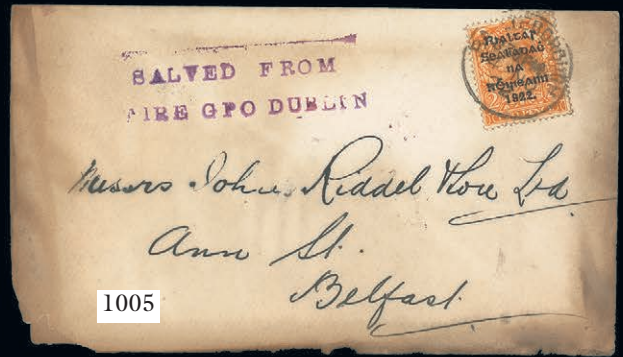
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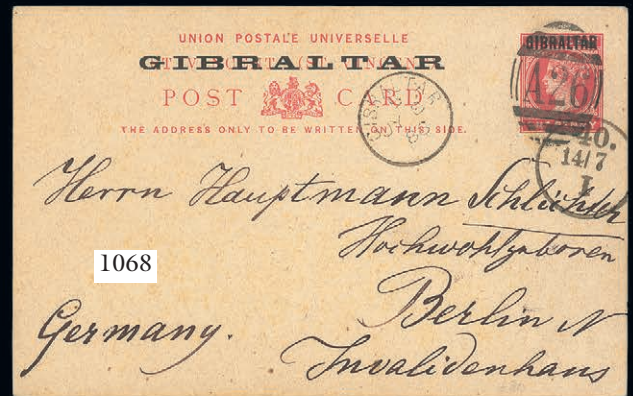
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Ireland - contd.

- 1008 ★ 1922-35 overprints on Great Britain, mint collection (94) on pages including Dollard low value proofs in black (single and pair) and red, high value (with manuscript on reverse), Thom in black, 1922 Dollard ½d. to 10d., 2/6d., 5/- (2), 10/- (2), 1922 Thom blue-black overprint ½d. to 1/-, 1922-23 to 10/-, 1925-28 wide and narrow date sets, 1935 2/6d. to 10/-, etc., chiefly fine £600-800
- 1009 ★ 1922 Thom shiny blue-black ink 2/6d. to 10/-, original gum; the 2/6d. and 5/- with small imperfections, 10/- fine. S.G. 44-46, £1,400 £300-400

1922-23 Thom Issue

- 1010 ⊕田 1d. scarlet block of four from the right of the sheet, the last stamp with variety **accent and "t" inserted by hand**, unmounted mint; fine. S.G. 53c, £250+ £150-200
- PROVENANCE:
William Frazer, July 2003
- 1011 ★田 2½d. bright blue block of four, 4d. grey-green block of six (2x3), both containing variety **no accent**, fine mint; the 2½d. very lightly wrinkled. S.G. 56a, 58a, £340+ £150-200
- PROVENANCE:
William Frazer, July 2003
- 1012 ★田 6d. reddish purple block of four from the right of the sheet, the second stamp with variety **accent inserted by hand**, original gum; manuscript in the margin, fine. S.G. 60a, £850. Photo £300-350
- 1013 ⊕田 9d. olive-green block of four from the right of the sheet, the second stamp with variety **no accent**, unmounted mint; fine. S.G. 61a, £275+ £150-200
- PROVENANCE:
William Frazer, September 2003

- 1014 ★ 1922 Dollard 2/6d. sepia-brown, 5/- and 10/-, 1922-23 Thom 2/6d, 5/- and 10/-, 1925 narrow date 2/6d., 5/- and 10/- and 1935 2/6d., 5/- and 10/- (all three upper corner examples), fine mint with the last set unmounted. Cat. £1,055 £250-300

1922-34 Issue



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- 1015 ★ 2d. grey-green **perf. 15 x imperf.**, original gum, as usual some paper fibres on the reverse, light soiling at left and wrinkles at the centre. Fine for this very rare stamp. Number XIV of the Brady listing of the twenty unused examples he records. Signed DF and with D. MacDonnell Certificate (2004). S.G. 74b, £13,000. Photo £3,000-5,000
- 1016 ○ 2d. grey-green **perf. 15 x imperf.**, fine used. Rare. B.P.A. Certificate (1971). S.G. 74b, £1,600. Photo £400-500

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1925-28 Issue

- 1017 ★ 2/6d. chocolate-brown, 5/- rose-carmine and 10/- dull grey-blue, **wide and narrow date horizontal pairs**, original gum with 10/- unmounted; fine. Signed Hamilton-Bowen. S.G. 83a-85a, £1,950. Photo £800-1,000
- 1018 ★田 2/6d. chocolate-brown, 5/- rose-carmine and 10/- dull grey-blue blocks of four from the lower left corners of the sheets, each with variety **circumflex accent over "a"** on the second stamp, original gum, some hinge remainders, fine and a rare set. S.G. 86a, 87a, 88a, £2,525+. Photo £800-1,000
- 1019 ★ 2/6d. chocolate-brown and 5/- carmine-rose, both variety **flat accent on "a"**, original gum; fine. S.G. 86c, 87c, £1,300. Photo £400-500
- 1020 ★ 10/- dull grey-blue horizontal pair from the left of the sheet, the second stamp variety **circumflex accent over "a"** original gum; fine. S.G. 88, 88a, £1,190. Photo £300-350

ITALY

- 1021 ☒ 1280 (12 Feb.) letter on vellum from Pancalieri to Romagnano, 1388 (c) (5 Sept.) entire letter from Pavia to Padua, 1452 (8 Dec.) entire letter from Portogruaro to Torcello, 1486 (12 Aug.) entire letter from Venice to Tripoli di Siria, 1598 (10 Dec.) entire letter with attached wax seal from Venice to Brescia, 1660 (3 July) from Reggio Emilia to Scandiano, 1681 (30 June) "A.Q" No. 8967 from Venice; a fine group of seven early letters, well written up with explanations (in Italian) £900-1,000

Telegraph Stamps

- 1022 Very early proofs for proposed Telegraph issues, five embossed issues including three types unlisted by Hiscocks, one particularly attractive proof in red and yellow closely related to the "*Renard*" fiscal essays of France, offered with complete forms (5) and pieces (11) showing scarce usage of Italian postage stamps for telegraphic purposes. £150-200
- 1023 ⑥ 1864 Hummel essays on thick paper in nine different colours. Fine and attractive. £100-120

JAMAICA

- 1024 ⑥ 1875 2/- die proof in black on glazed card (92x60mm.), marked "BEFORE HARDENING" and dated *June. 18. 1875*; fine £120-150
- 1025 ⑥田 1923 Child Welfare set of three, 96 of each value overprinted "SPECIMEN", nearly all in large blocks and fresh unused without gum with most affixed to thin card. A rare offering from the Bradbury, Wilkinson archive. S.G. 107-107c, £13,440 £1,500-2,000

JORDAN

- 1026 ⑥田 1953 1f. yellow-green and red-brown overprinted with two bars 1¼mm. apart, a complete sheet of fifty (10x5), **the lower row without bars**, unmounted mint, fine and rare. S.G. 378Ae, £3,000+ £1,200-1,500
- 1027 ★ 1988-2006 mint collection housed in a stockbook, including sets, miniature sheets, etc., unmounted mint; fine and a comprehensive lot £150-200

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KENYA, UGANDA AND TANGANYIKA

1913-21 Issue

1028 ★	20r. black and purple on red, fresh mint. S.G. 59, £475. Photo	£150-200
1029 ★	20r. purple and blue on blue lower right corner example with plate number, lightly mounted mint; fine and most attractive. S.G. 60, £550. Photo	£250-300
1030 ★	50r. dull rose-red and dull greyish green, fresh mint; thin speck at upper right; very fine appearance. S.G. 61, £900. Photo	£200-250
1031 ⑤	500r. green and red on green overprinted "SPECIMEN", large part original gum. A most attractive example of this top value. S.G. 63s, £1,500. Photo	£500-600

1032 ⑤	1921 Script 50r. carmine and green lower left corner example with plate number, overprinted "SPECIMEN", mint with off white gum; small surface defect on "M" of "SPECIMEN" and thin in margin though an impressive example of this high value. S.G. 75s, £500. Photo	£100-120
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1922-27 Issue

1033 ★	£1 black and orange, fresh colours, lightly mounted mint. S.G. 95, £225	£100-120
1034 ★	£2 green and purple, marginal from the right of the sheet, lovely fresh bright colours and with the stamp remaining unmounted; very fine. S.G. 96, £1,100. Photo	£400-500
1035 ★	£5 black and blue, fresh lightly mounted mint. An attractive example of this scarce stamp. S.G. 99, £3,250. Photo	£1,500-1,800
1036 ★	£10 black and green, fresh colours and lightly mounted mint; tiny light handstamp on reverse. Rare and attractive. S.G. 100, £14,000. Photo	£5,000-6,000
1037 ⑤	£25 black and red overprinted "SPECIMEN", fresh and fine mint. S.G. 101s, £1,500. Photo	£400-500
1038 ⑤	£50 black and brown overprinted "SPECIMEN", fresh mint with a single hinge remainder. Scarce. S.G. 103s, £2,000. Photo	£500-600
1039 ⑥	£75 die proof of the frame in black on glazed card (92x60mm.), unmarked; fine. Photo	£800-1,000

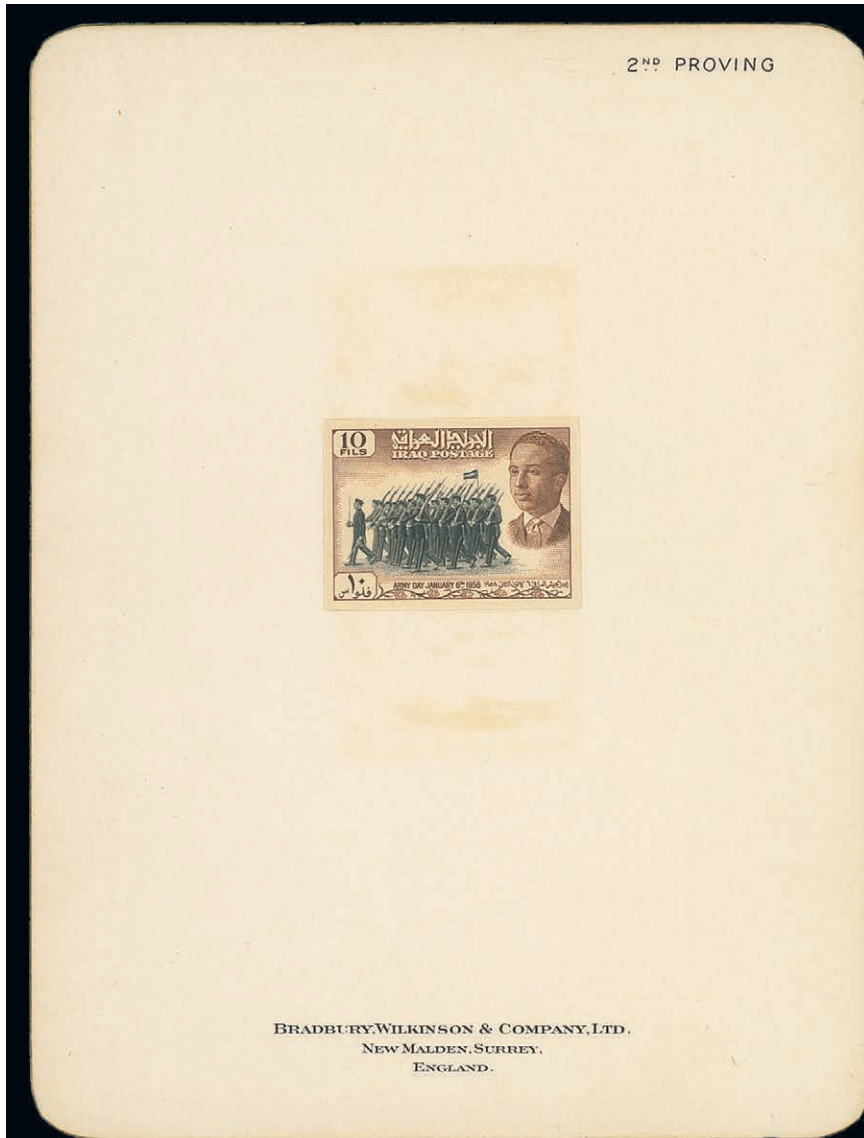
KUWAIT

x1040 ★	1923-75 mint collection neatly mounted on printed pages, including 1923-24 set, 1929-37 set less one 2a. and 15r., 1932-34 Air set, 1939 set, and a good range of later issues with booklets (2, one exploded), and Officials with 1923-24 set and 1929-33 1r. to 15r.; generally good to fine. Cat. £3,400	£600-800
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1923-24 Issue

1041 ④	½a. emerald overprint double , unmounted mint, interpanneau margin at top; fine. S.G. 1a, £350. Photo	£120-150
1042 ★	½a. emerald overprint double , original gum (stained). Ceremuga Certificate (2007). S.G. 1a, £350	£100-120
1043 ④	1a. chocolate overprint double , unmounted mint; fine. S.G. 2a, £500. Photo	£150-200

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Ex 1019



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Kuwait - *contd.*

- 1044 ★ 1933-2008 mostly mint collection in a red stockbook, including 1948-49 with values to 10r. on 10/-, 1948 Wedding set, 1950-54 with values to 10r. on 10/-, 1963 National Day, 1964 1f. to 1d., 1965 Falcon 8f. to 90f., 1968 Museum 1f. to 50f., 1969-74 8f. to 1d., 1973 Birds and Hunting Equipment, 1975 Census, 1975 8f. to 100f., 1976 Olympics, 1977 Popular Games, 1977 15f. to 200f., 1978 Water Resources, 1981-85 with values to 500f., 1983 Desert Plants, 1985 Library, 1990 Falcons, 1996 5f. to 350f., later issues with miniature sheets, Desert Shield covers, etc., chiefly fine with most unmounted mint £400-600
- x1045 ⊕Ⓜ 1939 2r. purple and brown lower left corner pane of twenty (margins on two sides), one showing **extended "T"** (1st repair), mint and mounted in margin only; lightly toned and partly separated between third and fourth vertical rows, scarce, and 1948-49 2r. on 2/6d. yellow-green and 5r. on 5/- top right corner block of four and a single (lightly toned), each showing **"T" guide**, fine mint. Murray Payne 11b, 36a, 37a; £1,075 £100-150
- x1046 ⊕Ⓜ 1948 Silver Wedding 15r. on £1 blue complete sheet of twenty, Row 3/4 variety **short bars**, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 75, 75a, £972+ £250-300
- 1047 ⊕ 2004 50th. Anniversary of Kuwait Airways, miniature sheet from a limited printing, unmounted mint; fine. S.G. 1808-1813 var. £250-300
- Booklets**
- 1048 ⊕ 1959-2005 selection of sixteen different, including 1959 4r.80, 2005 Flags and Emblems, etc., fine £150-200

LAGOS

- 1049 1876-1906 mint and used selection (48) including 1879 CC perf. 14 1/- orange mint, 1882 CA 2d. mint, KEVII values (7) to 5/- overprinted "SPECIMEN", others in an approval book, condition variable, and 1897 envelope registered to Liverpool bearing 1894 5d. Cat. £750+ £150-200

LEEWARD ISLANDS

- 1050 ★ 1928 £1 purple and black on red, lightly mounted mint; fine. S.G. 80, £225 £100-120
- x1051 ★ 1938-51 10/- bluish green and red on green, [44] *damaged cliché* affecting the right-hand value tablet and "10 SHILLINGS"; very lightly mounted mint; tiny mark at foot £50-60

MALAYA

Straits Settlements

- 1052 ☒ 1857 (5 May) entire letter from Singapore to Hong Kong, bearing India 1a. brown strip of three each cancelled "B/172" and with despatch and arrival (14.5) datestamps across join on reverse. Photo £250-300

Johore

- 1053 ☒ 1904 envelopes (3, one with letter) ex the same correspondence registered to Capt. Hamilton of the 4th. Leinster Regiment at Newton Mearns, Scotland, all variously franked at 16c. (one with 1904 10c. on 4c. and one with part of the franking on reverse) and cancelled with double-ring "JOHORE/Crown/BAHRU" handstamp and with registration handstamp in red alongside; a few small faults in places though generally good to fine and an attractive trio £250-300

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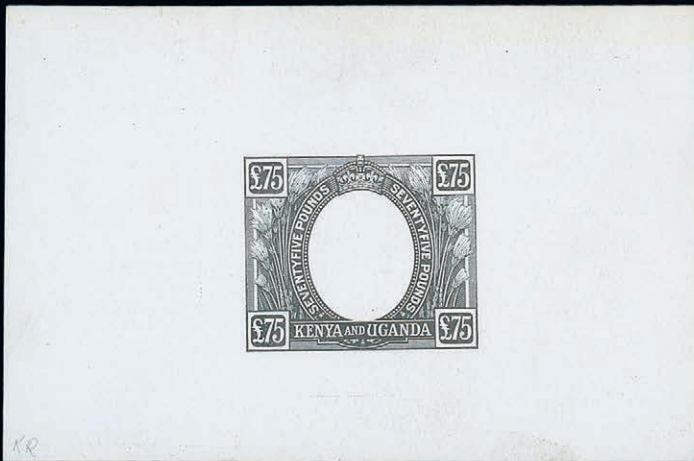
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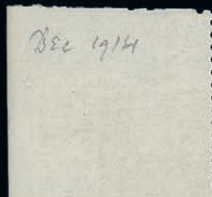
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Malaya - contd.

Perak

- 1054 △ A collection of post-war cancellations in three volumes in a carton, comprising covers/cards (5) and pieces/loose stamps (900+) covering a wide range of post offices from Aulong to Ulu Sapetang, a large number are on BMA values. A good lot well worth careful viewing £200-250

Japanese Occupation

General Issues

- 1055 ○ 1943 (3 Apr.) Negri Sembilan 25c. dull purple and scarlet horizontal pair with Gallatly Chop A **brown overprint**, fine used and a very rare multiple. B.P.A. Certificate (2003). S.G. J170b, £1,400+. Photo £500-600
- 1056 ○ 1943 (3 Apr.) Pahang 30c. dull purple and orange with red overprint (ex Ivor Little), and Selangor 40c. scarlet and dull purple (on small piece) and 50c. black on emerald, fine used. S.G. J185a, 219, 220, £545 £150-200

Penang

- 1057 △ 1942 (15 Apr.) 10c. dull purple marginal example from the foot of the sheet, variety **overprint double, one inverted**, used on piece with part Paid April 1942 datestamp; fine and scarce. B.P.A. Certificate (2003). S.G. J82b, £425. Photo £150-200
- 1058 ○ 1942 (15 Apr.) \$5 green and red on emerald, used with large part indistinct datestamp; minor surface scrapes in the lower right corner, otherwise sound. Rare. Signed Rowell. S.G. J89, £750. Photo £150-200

Trengganu

- 1058a ○ 1942 (Sept.) 1c. black and 2c. green (2, one with red overprint), fine used. S.G. J97, 98, 98b, £540 £150-200

MALTA

- 1059 ⊕ 1905 ½d. die proof in black on glazed card (92x60mm.), marked "BEFORE HARDENING" and dated "8 JUN. 05", fine £100-120
- 1060 ★ 1926 "POSTAGE" 3d. black on yellow, variety **overprint inverted** and with the usual three sets of initials, mint. S.G. 49a, £170 £80-100
- 1061 ⊕ 1956-58 6d. indigo, variety **watermark inverted**, unmounted mint, from the right of the sheet; fine. S.G. 274w, £325 £150-200

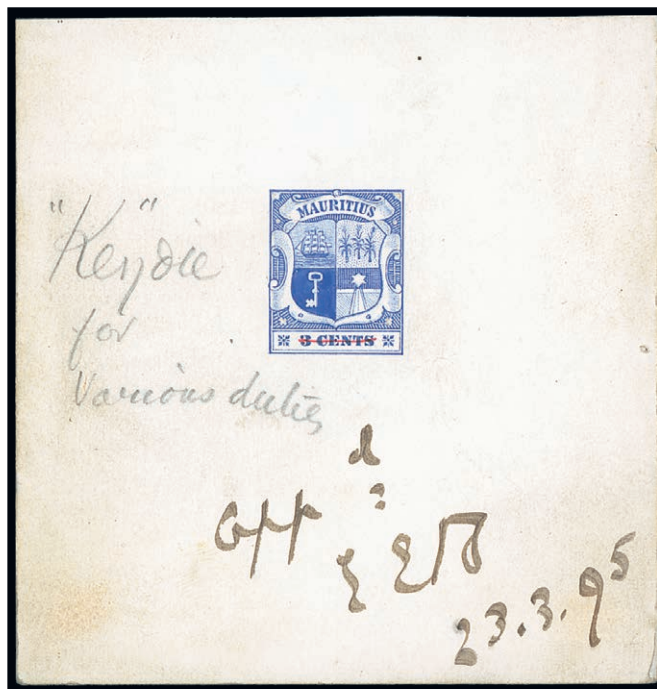
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THURSDAY 25 OCTOBER 2018

Commencing at 10.00 a.m. (Lots 1062-1553)

MAURITIUS

- 1062 ○ 1848-59 "POST PAID", earliest impression on thick yellowish paper, 1d. orange-vermilion, [3], three good to large margins, touched or cut-into at foot, neatly cancelled with crossed strikes of boxed "PAID." handstamp; central thin spot, otherwise sound and an attractive example of this classic stamp. Richter (1992) and B.P.A. (1994) Certificates. S.G. 3, £18,000. Photo £1,800-2,000
- 1063 ○ 1848-59 "POST PAID", early impression on medium blue paper, 1d. vermilion, [4], small to just clear margins largely on three sides, touched at top, clear six-ring target cancellation; a sound example of this scarce stamp. Holcombe Opinion (1989). S.G. 6, £7,500. Photo £600-800
- 1064 ○ 1848-59 "POST PAID", worn impression 1d. red, [6], good to large margins and cancelled with part boxed "INLAND" handstamp, sound. S.G. 16/19 group, £900. Photo £200-250
- 1065 1858 "FOUR PENCE" used, 1858-62 (4d.) (2, used), (6d.) unused and used, (9d.) (2, one re-issued as a (1d.) value, both used, and not issued red-brown and blue, both unused, generally with four margins, (9d.) with two margins; fair to fine. Cat. £1,470 £120-150
- 1066 ② 1859-61 6d. plate proof in black on stout wove paper, good margins on all sides, fine. Photo £150-180



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- x1067 ② 1895-99 Arms handpainted essay of the complete design in bright blue on white card (90x93mm.), the value "3 CENTS" has been crossed through in red ink and "Key die for various duties" in pencil written alongside, the card marked "appd", initialed "E.E.B." and dated "23.3.95". Delightful. Photo £2,500-3,000

PROVENANCE:

De La Rue archives, November 1976
Spink auction, April 2000

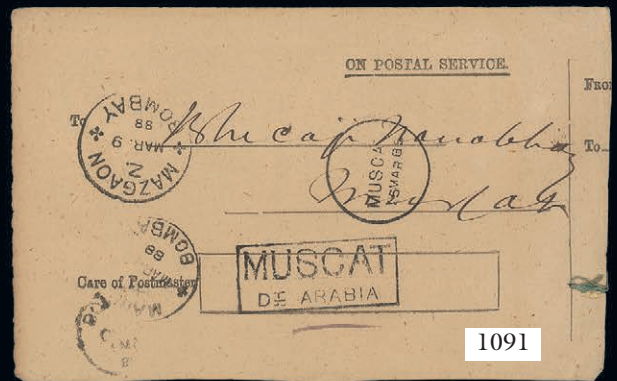
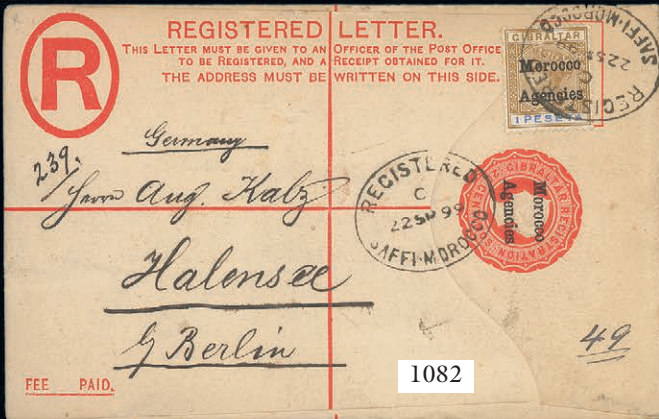
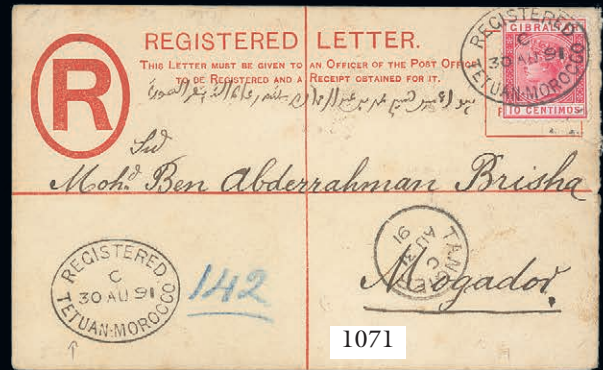
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MOROCCO AGENCIES

Gibraltar Used in Morocco

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| x1068 ☒ | 1886 (8 July) "GIBRALTAR" 1d. red card from Rabat to Germany, cancelled "A26" and with Gibraltar datestamp alongside, arrival datestamp partially cancelling stamp impression; the contents mention the new courier service of the Gibraltar P.O., just established between the Barbary coast ports and Gibraltar. The earliest known item of mail originating from this office, which opened in May 1886, and the earliest postal cancellation originating from any of the Moroccan Agencies apart from Tangier. Photo | £250-300 |
| x1069 ☒ | 1888 (7 Feb.) "GIBRALTAR" 1d. red card from Rabat to Germany, cancelled by "A26" duplex and with Gibraltar datestamp (10.2) at left, arrival datestamp (16/2) at foot, two small internal splits, otherwise fine. The earliest known usage of the Rabat duplex. Photo | £200-250 |
| x1070 ☒ | 1890 (14 Nov.) 20c. G size registered envelope from Rabat to France, uprated with 25c. blue neatly cancelled "A26" and with fine "REGISTERED/RABAT" oval datestamp alongside, similar Gibraltar oval datestamps (17/11) at left, examples of both datestamps and arrival datestamp (21.11) on reverse; vertical crease at left, otherwise sound. Scarce. Photo | £200-250 |
| x1071 ☒ | 1891 (30 Aug.) 20c. F size envelope from Tetuan to Mogador, bearing 10c. carmine with fine "REGISTERED/TETUAN.MOROCCO" oval datestamp with another superb strike at lower left, Tangier transit datestamp (31.8) at foot; flap torn on opening though most attractive. Photo | £120-150 |
| x1072 ☒ | 1891 (16 Nov.) 10c. red card from Mazagan to Germany, cancelled "A26" and with clear "MAZAGAN MOROCCO" datestamp at left, Gibraltar transit datestamp (10.11) at centre; believed to be the earliest known usage of this datestamp on cover. Photo | £150-200 |
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| x1073 ☒ | A collection of postal stationery cards (17) to a variety of destinations including local, Denmark, India and Palestine, showing duplex cancellations of Casablanca (5), Gibraltar (4), Mazagan, Mogador (3, one not addressed), Rabat (2), Tangier and Tetuan; also a few loose values (23) with various postmarks; condition a little mixed in places though an interesting lot | £400-500 |
| 1074 | Selection in a red stockbook, including British Currency 1925-36 set mint and used, 1/- block of four showing a fine offset of the overprint on the upper pair, Spanish Currency 1914-26 15c. on 1½d. surcharge double, one albino, 12p. on 10/- De La Rue and Waterlow printings, 1948 Wedding 45p. on £1 mint and used, Tangier, Reply Paid coupons, etc., chiefly very fine | £250-300 |
| x1075 ☒ | 1889-1957 miscellaneous range of covers (24) bearing a variety of values, the majority from Tangier, 1915 registered letter receipt from Casablanca with oval-framed "AR", and a selection of unused stationary cards (15) and registered envelopes (4) | £150-200 |
| 1076 ★ | 1902-57 collection contained in stockbook including values in British, Spanish and French currencies, many complete sets including K.E. VII to 2/6, K.G. VI to 10/-, Q.E. II to 1/-, two examples of K.E. VII 3p. on 2/6 and 1p. on 10d. Mostly fine throughout with occasional evidence of hinges or slight discolouration. (hundreds) | £500-600 |
| x1077 ☒ | 1905-40 used collection of postal stationery cards (38) with the majority addressed locally or to Germany, variously cancelled with duplex or datestamps; two with additional stamps removed and a couple with filing punch holes | £300-400 |

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Morocco Agencies - *contd.*

Gibraltar Period

- x1078 ☒ 1898-1905 "Morocco Agencies" cards (11) and wrappers (3), variously addressed with one to Sierra Leone, cancelled with duplex of Casablanca (3, one with scarce Mazagan double-ring datestamp struck on arrival), Larache (faint), Rabat, Saffi (2), Tangier (3) and Tetuan (2), "A26" of Fez with datestamp alongside, and datestamp of Mogador; generally good strikes. Also an unused range of "Morocco Agencies" stationery cards (12, two overprinted "SPECIMEN"), registered envelope and wrappers (5, one overprinted "SPECIMEN")
- 1079 ★ 1898-1900 40c. orange-brown, variety **inverted "V" for "A"** [R6/6], 1903-05 20c. grey-green and carmine and 25c. purple and black on blue, both variety **Broad top to "M"** [R7/3] (the first contained in a strip of three), unmounted mint or original gum, the last with a few very faintly stained perfs. S.G. 5a, 19b, 20b, £747
- x1080 ☒ 1898 (31 May and Aug.) "Morocco Agencies" 5c. cards, both uprated with 5c., from Saffi to Germany and Belgium respectively, both with duplex cancellations, the first (faint strike) from Carl Frank, Saffi based stamp dealer, dated the day before the official introduction of overprinted Gibraltar stamps and postal stationery, 1898 (July) 10c. card from Mazagan to Saffi, 1899 10c. card from Casablanca to Portugal, 1900 10c. card from Mogador to Belgium and 1902 card from Fez to Tangier, all with duplex cancellations; fair to fine
- 1081 ★ 1899 40c. orange-brown, 50c. bright lilac, 1p. bistre and ultramarine and 2p. black and carmine, each in a horizontal pair containing variety **Broad top to "M"** [R7/3], original gum; the last with Oswald March handstamp on reverse, fine. S.G. 13b 14b, 15b, 16b, £1,090
- x1082 ☒ 1899 (22 Sept.) 20c. G size registered envelope, uprated with 1p. bistre and carmine, from Saffi to Germany, both registration stamp and 1p. neatly cancelled by "REGISTERED/SAFFI MOROCCO" oval datestamp with the reverse showing senders cachet, Tangier (27.9), Casablanca (28.9) and arrival datestamps. S.G. Z118. Photo
- ### British Currency
- 1083 ★ 1914-31 Waterlow 2/6d. sepia-brown from the left of the sheet showing [R2/1] re-entry, original gum; typical gum wrinkling, fine. R.P.S. Certificate (1966). S.G. 51a, £800. Photo
- 1084 ★ 1914-31 De La Rue 2/6d. yellow-brown, variety **overprint double**, large part original gum, typical gum wrinkles, fine and scarce. B.P.A. Certificate (1992). S.G. 51a, £1,500. Photo
- 1085 ☉☒ 1925-36 ½d. green block of four, variety **watermark inverted**, unmounted mint, fine and scarce. S.G. 55aw, £300+
- 1086 ★☒ 1925-36 2½d. blue 15½mm. overprint "V34" control block of six (3x2) from the lower left corner of the sheet, original gum with five remaining unmounted mint, fine. Rare. S.G. 58a. Photo
- 1087 ★☒ 1925-36 1/- bistre-brown 15½mm. overprint control "V34" block of six from the lower left corner of the sheet, original gum with five remaining unmounted mint; fine. S.G. 61b
- ### Spanish Currency
- x1088 ☒ 1907 30c. on 4d. G size registered envelope, uprated with 15c. on 1½d., from Mazagan to Switzerland, neatly cancelled with oval Registered datestamps, and 1932 30c. on 4d. F size registered envelope, uprated with 5c. on ½d., 20c. on 2d. and 25c. on 2½d., from Tetuan to Germany with all cancelled by oval Registered datestamps. An attractive pair
- 1089 ☉☒ 1937-52 40c. on 4d. grey-green block of twenty (5x4) from the right of the sheet, unmounted mint, fine and scarce. S.G. 169, £800+

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French Currency

- 1090 ★ ㊄ 1917-24 1f. on 10d. turquoise blue “J17” control block of six from the lower left corner of the sheet, variety **surcharge double, one albino**, original gum with the lower row remaining unmounted mint, fine and rare. One of only two recorded control blocks of this variety. B.P.A. Certificate (1972). S.G. 199a, £510+. Photo £250-300

MUSCAT

- 1091 △ 1888 (16 March) “ON POSTAL SERVICE” Registered Article Acknowledgement black on buff label, to India with single-ring MUSCAT c.d.s. (Donaldson 8a) and framed “MUSCAT/D^T ARABIA” (unrecorded by Donaldson), Mazgaon and Bombay transit and arrival datestamps; fine and rare. Photo £600-800
- 1092 1944 Postage and Official sets cancelled on two philatelic covers, British Postal Agencies in Eastern Arabia E.II selection with mint blocks to 5r. type II on 5/-, etc., fine £100-150

NATAL

- 1093 ☒ 1882 *Heckler* envelope registered to Nova Scotia bearing 1872 3d. bright blue (4, another removed) and with circular-framed “REGISTERED/NO./NATAL” handstamp in red at foot, 1894 envelope registered to New South Wales bearing 2½d. pair and 4d. brown, and 1900 “*Book - Post*” wrapper registered from the Trappist Monastery at Marriann Hill to German East Africa, bearing ½d., 3d. and 4d. cancelled at Durban; an interesting trio of registered mail £150-200
- 1094 ☒ 1884-1912 covers/cards (15, three incoming) with destinations including Australia, Ceylon and Philippine Islands, several with tax marks including one from India bearing Natal 1d. with Akbarpur datestamp, one marked “*Refused*” in blue crayon, one bearing two 1d. with one applied in lower left corner and marked “*Late fee*”, two others with “UNCLAIMED” and “TOO LATE” handstamps. An interesting lot £200-250
- 1095 ☒ 1885 (May) mourning envelope from Sidmouth “*via Dartmouth pr Hoawrden Castle*” to Newcastle, bearing 1883-84 6d. dull green with squared-circle datestamp, upon arrival redirected locally with 4d. brown cancelled by Newcastle datestamp; unusual. Photo £120-150
- 1096 ★ 1891 2½d. on 4d. brown vertical pair, the lower stamp variety “TWO PENGE”, and a single from the top of the sheet with variety “HALFPENN”, lightly toned original gum, the second with small gum bends. S.G. 109a, 109b, £370 £120-150
- 1097 ② 1902 ½d. and 1908 5/- and 10/- frame die proofs in black on glazed card (92x60mm.), all marked “BEFORE HARDENING” and variously dated £300-350

NEPAL

- 1098 ☒ 1935 (21 Oct.) envelope to Italy bearing, on reverse, India 1926-33 ½a., 1a.6p., 1935 Silver Jubilee ½a. and 1½a. (5), upon arrival redirected to Belgium and bearing Italy 60c. (affixed overlapping the edge) and 1L.25 on the front; tiny imperfections though an unusual franking £100-120

NETHERLANDS INDIES

- x1099 ☒ 1840 (c.) printed entire letter to Amsterdam with blue “Ongefrankeerd/Zee Brief/Sourabaya” (Wolff De Beer 293b), Batavia c.d.s. and red Den Helder Zee Brief transit; fine, 1857 (c.) entire to Batavia with fine red “Dienst Brief/Buitenzorg” (Wolff De Beer 134c), and 1858 (May) form with strikes of the red “Postkantoor/Te/Pekalongan” (Wolff de Beer 237) on front and reverse; tear clear of the handstamps £120-150
- 1100 ★ 1864 imperf. 10c. carmine, large part original gum, large margins; horizontal crease at foot. S.G. 1 £100-120

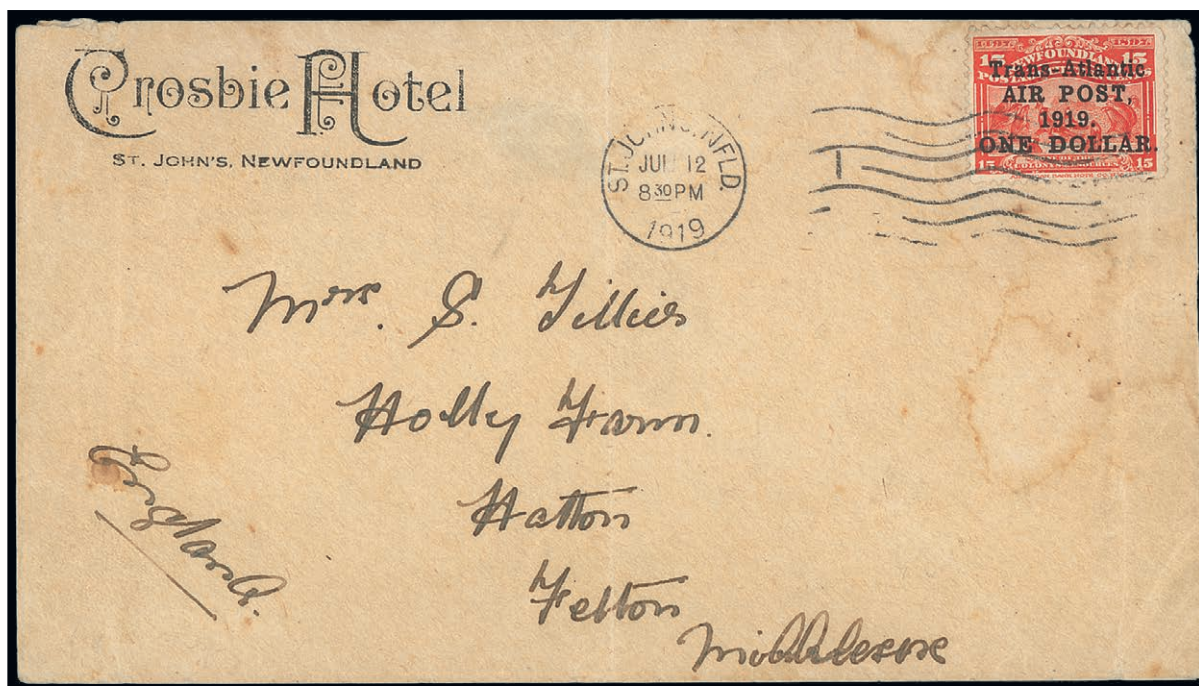
NETHERLANDS NEW GUINEA

- 1101 1950-58 mint and used collection housed in a blue album, including 1950-52 1c. to 5g. mint and used, 1953 Flood Relief set, 1957 Postage Due set, 1962 UNTEA 1c. to 5g. (both printings), 5g. first and second printings in blocks of ten, postal stationery, American forces in New Guinea, delivery stations, cancellation surveys, etc., chiefly fine

NEWFOUNDLAND

- x1102 ☉★田 1919 \$1 on 15c. bright scarlet block of four with varieties **no comma after “AIR POST”** and **no comma and no stop after “1919”** part original gum, well centred, fine and scarce. S.G. 143, 143a, 143b, £795. Photo £200-250
- x1103 ☉★田 1919 \$1 on 15c. bright scarlet block of four with varieties **no comma afer “AIR POST”** and **“A” of “AIR” under “a” of “Trans”**, unused with part or large part original gum, some split perfs., otherwise fine. S.G. 143, 143c, £765+. Photo £200-250

1919 “Martinsyde” Supplementary Mail



1104

- x1104 ☉☒ 1919 (12 July) “Crosbie Hotel” envelope to Middlesex, bearing \$1 on 15c. tied by St. John’s machine cancellation, London arrival of 7 Jan. 1920 on reverse; a little soiled and small part of flap missing. A scarce cover from the second “Martinsyde” supplementary mail. Photo £2,000-2,500

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1919 “Handley Page” Flight

x1105 ㊄☒	Harbour Grace Mail: Envelope to London, endorsed “By <i>Handley Page Aeroplane</i> “ATLANTIC”, bearing \$1 on 15c. with variety no comma after “AIR POST” (uncancelled), on reverse Parrisboro duplex of July 7; the envelope soiled, creased and with part of flap missing. Photo	£600-800
x1106 ㊄☒	St. John’s Mail: 1919 (9 June) Steer Brothers envelope to London, bearing \$1 on 15c. tied by St. John’s machine cancellation and with Harbour Grace c.d.s. (14.6) alongside; a little roughly opened and with small tape stain on reverse. Photo	£800-1,000
x1107 ㊄☒	St. John’s Mail: 1919 (9 June) envelope to Derby with typewritten “Special AIR MAIL BY Handley-Page or Vickers-Vimy Rolls Aeroplane. Posted June 9th. 1919”, bearing \$1 on 15c. with variety no comma after “AIR POST” (uncancelled) with St. John’s machine postmark at top and Harbour Grace c.d.s. (14.6) alongside. St. John’s commemorative postmark of 14 June 1929 on reverse; the envelope a little creased at top. Photo	£800-1,000
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x1108 ㊄⊕	1921 Air 35c. red, wide setting vertical pair, the lower stamp variety no stop after “1921”; fine mint. S.G. 148/148a, £280+	£70-90
1109 ㊄☒	1921 Air 35c. red narrow setting, two used on envelopes to Halifax, the first variety no stop after “1921”, the second variety no stop and first “1” of “1921” below “P” of “Halifax” , St. John’s machine cancellations of Nov. 17 or Nov. 26 1921 and arrival datestamps of 4 Feb. 1922; fine. S.G. 148g, 148h	£150-200
x1110 ㊄⊕田	1922-23 “AERIAL SERVICE” 15c. dark blue and dark brown perforated essay, two unused blocks of four from the foot of the sheet, a little stained	£80-100

NEW GUINEA

1111 ㊄★	1932-34 Air without dates ½d. to £1 set of sixteen, fine mint. S.G. 190-203, £250	£100-120
x1112 ㊄○田	1932 (Aug.) Air £1 olive-grey block of six (2x3), each cancelled with “POST OFFICE/SALAMAUA” c.d.s., the top pair thinned and the bottom pair with slight crease, nevertheless a rare and presentable multiple. S.G. 203. Photo	£250-300

NEW SOUTH WALES**1850-51 Sydney Views**

1113 ○	1d. Plate I, carmine, [9], good to large margins and neatly cancelled with central upright “25” (Kiama); central vertical crease though of fine appearance. S.G. 2, £500. Photo	£100-120
1114 ○	1d. Plate I, reddish rose pair, [6-7], good to large margins and both neatly cancelled “89” (Kempsey); very fine. S.G. 3, £950. Photo	£300-400
1115 ○	1d. Plate I, reddish rose, [7], clear to large margins and neatly cancelled with exceptionally fine and rare “93” (Boyd, RRRR). S.G. 3, £500. Photo	£300-400
1116 ○	1d. Plate II on hard greyish paper, dull carmine pair, [17-18], clear to very large margins showing portion of adjoining stamp at right, unusually sharing a good single strike of “95” (Brisbane); a fine and attractive multiple used in Queensland. S.G. 11, £750. Photo	£300-350
1117 ○	1d. Plate II on hard greyish paper, brownish red, [3], large to enormous margins and neatly cancelled with Sydney obliterator. S.G. 12, £350. Photo	£150-200

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New South Wales, 1850-51 Sydney Views - *contd.*

- 1118 ○ 2d. Plate I, very early impression, greyish blue, [15], good to very large margins showing dividing lines at top and foot, cancelled "57" (Raymond Terrace); an exceptional early print and very fine. S.G. 15, £550. Photo £300-350
- PROVENANCE:
"Lionheart" III, June 2014
- 1119 ○ 2d. Plate I retouched, greyish blue, [24, line above value], a huge example showing dividing lines on all sides, neatly cancelled "62" (Morpeh); an outstanding example of this retouch. S.G. 19, £300. Photo £200-250
- PROVENANCE:
"España", March 1994
- 1120 ○ 2d. Plate II, early impression, grey-blue, [2, fan as in Plate III but without shading, and inner circle intersects the fan], a very large example with dividing lines on three sides, neatly cancelled with Victoria Butterfly "37" (Ship Letter Office, Melbourne); very fine and scarce. S.G. 23b, £1,200. Photo £400-500
- 1121 ○ 2d. Plate II, early impression, grey-blue, [18], good to large margins showing dividing lines at right and at foot, neatly cancelled "32" (Berrima); very fine. RPS of Victoria Certificate (1978). S.G. 23, £300. Photo £150-180
- PROVENANCE:
"España", March 1994
- 1122 ○ 2d. Plate III, ultramarine, [6], a very large example showing dividing lines intact on three sides, neatly cancelled at Sydney; very fine. S.G. 29, £225. Photo £120-150
- PROVENANCE:
"Lionheart" III, June 2014
- 1123 ○ 2d. Plate IV on hard bluish grey wove paper, ultramarine, [20, fan with six segments], good to large margins on three sides and 10mm. sheet margins at foot, neatly cancelled with sharp "7" (Penrith); small ink "5" on reverse of margin; a premium example. S.G. 31, £200. Photo £120-150
- 1124 ○ 2d. Plate IV on hard bluish grey wove paper, Prussian blue pair, [7-8], large margins all round showing dividing lines on three sides, unusually showing a superb single strike of "44" (Yass); very fine and most attractive. S.G. 32, £340. Photo £200-250
- 1125 ○ 2d. Plate IV on hard bluish grey wove paper, bright blue, [6], three good to large margins showing some dividing lines, and 6mm. sheet margin at top, clearly cancelled "82" (Armidale); fine. S.G. 33, £190. Photo £120-150
- PROVENANCE:
"Lionheart" III, June 2014
- 1126 ○ 3d. on soft yellowish wove paper, yellow-green, [10], generally light Sydney obliterator; fine and most attractive. S.G. 39, £325. Photo £150-180
- PROVENANCE:
Alfred Caspary, October 1958
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- 1127 ○ 1851-97 collection (51) including Laureated 2d. (5) and 3d., Diadem imperforate 6d. (6, two watermark "8" and one on piece with Registered 6d. cancelled "96" at Maryborough, Queensland), 1/- (3), perf. 12 2d. (2) and 6d. (2), perf. 13 6d. (9, three with watermark "6" inverted and three with watermark "12", one inverted), 8d., 1/- (7), 1861-88 5/- and a few later; condition variable though with the Diadem imperforate 6d. fine to very fine. Also 1876 and 1879 covers to Scotland £150-200

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New South Wales - contd.

1851-53 Laureated Issue

1128 △ 1d. on bluish medium wove paper, carmine horizontal pair, [47-48], just clear to very large margins nearly all round, both cancelled "37" (Bungendore) and tied on small piece. S.G. 45, £320+. Photo £100-120

PROVENANCE:
William Frazer, October 2003

1129 ○ 6d. Plate I on greyish blue wove paper, yellow-brown vertical pair, [20/25], good to large margins on three sides, frameline just touched at base, both neatly cancelled with dumb obliterator; a fine and scarce multiple. S.G. 74, £550+. Photo £200-250

PROVENANCE:
Hutson, February 2013

1130 ○ 8d. on medium bluish paper, dull yellow vertical pair, [39/49], close to large margins mainly all round, upper stamp touched at right, both neatly cancelled "95" (Brisbane, Queensland) and lower stamp with small part of red datestamp at right corner; a fine and rare multiple. S.G. 79, £1,200. Photo £400-500

x1131 ☒ 1852 (2 Jan.) entire (227x90mm.) from Sydney "*Per Ship Kate*" to England, bearing 1851 2d. Plate I fine impression ultramarine strip of three with good to large margins and each cancelled with clear dumb obliterator, "PAID AT SYDNEY/N.S. WALES" datestamp at upper right, Sydney, London and Birmingham (30.4) datestamps on reverse, attractive, and 1856 (Jan.) OHMS entire (209x88mm.) from Albury? via Goulburn and Yass to Deniliquin, bearing 1854 2d. Plate III with indistinct numeral cancellation. Also 1859 pink envelope to London bearing 6d. £150-200

1854-59 Diadem Issue

1132 ○ 5d. dull green with good to large margins, neatly cancelled with "N.S.W." elliptical oval duplex; fine and attractive. S.G. 88, £650. Photo £250-300

1133 ○ 6d. greyish brown with large margins all round (small scissor-cut at upper right), cancelled by "N.S.W." in elliptical ovals on 1860 envelope from Sydney per "*Benares*" to Yorkshire, despatch and Yarm arrival (12.7) datestamps on reverse; very fine. Photo £150-200

1134 ☒ 6d. olive-grey with good to large margins, neatly cancelled with "N.S.W." duplex on 1859 (2 July) entire from Sydney to Melbourne and showing arrival datestamp (26.2) on reverse; very fine. S.G. 93. Photo £300-350

PROVENANCE:
John Boker, April 1981

1135 ○ 8d. golden yellow/orange-yellow with enormous margins all round showing portions of two adjoining stamps, cancelled "6" in rays; scissor-cut at left and small light mark in left margin, otherwise fine. Photo £600-700

PROVENANCE:
George Ginger, December 1945
Hutson, February 2013

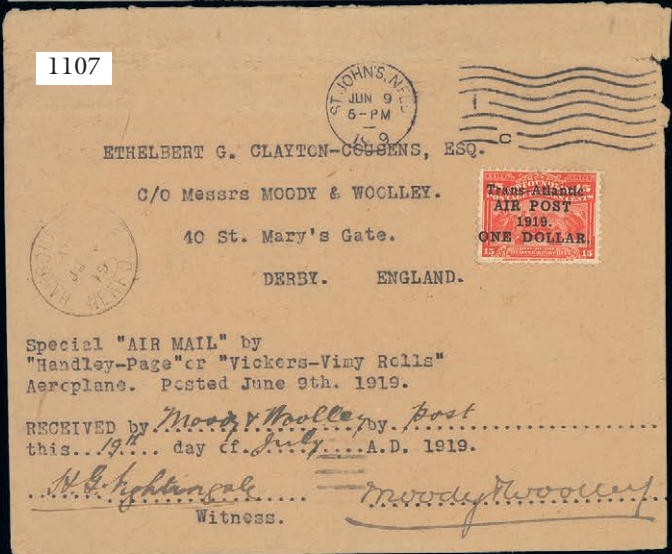
1136 △ 8d. yellow-orange with small to large margins, neatly tied to piece by Sydney duplex of 6 August 1859, fine. R.P.S. Certificate (1936). S.G. 98, £1,300. Photo £500-600

PROVENANCE:
Hutson February 2013

1137 ☒ 1/- pale red with good to large margins, neatly cancelled with "N.S.W." duplex on 1859 (13 Apr.) entire from Sydney "*Pr Malta via Steamer via Marseilles*" to England, Leamington arrival datestamp (6.6) on reverse; very fine. S.G. 100. Photo £300-350

PROVENANCE:
John Boker, April 1981

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New South Wales - *contd.*



1138

- x1138 ★ 1856-60 Diadem, imperf 1d. orange-vermilion horizontal pair with margin at left showing convolvulus pattern, unused with small part original gum, some creases. Rare. S.G. 107. Photo £1,500-1,800

Note: Three examples are recorded, two pairs of which this is the finer, and the Boker block of four which has not been seen since the sale.

- x1139 △ 1856-60 Diadem, imperf. 2d. deep dull blue horizontal pair with second retouch, [104-105], [104] showing heavy retouching to base of neck and shading below, [105] showing a blistered impression, close margins on three sides, touched along top, tied to small piece by "66" in rays, and showing "SINGLETON/N.S.W." c.d.s. for 19 August 1859. Very fine and an important retouch item. Photo £900-1,100

PROVENANCE:

Hutson V.P. Manwood, November 1995

"Carrington", November 2012



1140

- x1140 ★ 1860-72 Diadem, perf 12 6d. grey-brown, imperforate between stamp and margin at left which shows convolvulus pattern, crease along right side otherwise fine and mounted in the selvedge only. The only example recorded. S.G. 143. Photo £2,000-2,500

- x1141 ★ 1860-72 Diadem, perf 13 5d. bluish green with margin at left showing convolvulus pattern, fine unused with large part original gum. Scarce. S.G. 160. Photo £500-600

- x1142 ★ 1861 Coin, perf 13 5/- dull purple with margin at left showing convolvulus pattern, unused with large part original, some minor gum creases otherwise very fine. The only example recorded. S.G. 174a. Photo £750-1,000

- x1143 1882 Coin, perf 10 5/- deep purple, an unused single and used horizontal pair, both with margin at left showing convolvulus pattern, fine. S.G. 177a. Photo £400-500

Official Stamps

- 1144 ○ 1890 watermark "5/-" sideways, 20s. cobalt-blue neatly cancelled-to-order, fine. B.P.A. Certificate (1979). S.G. O48, £1,100. Photo £300-350



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Ex 1147



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NEW ZEALAND

Early Letters and Handstamps

- 1145 ☒ 1846 (19 May) entire letter from Joseph Pilley, Adjutant of the 58th. Regiment (embossed crest of regiment at top of letter) at Auckland to William Law at the Treasury, London, rated "4" (deleted) and "1/-" and showing fine "PAID AT/AUCKLAND" framed handstamp, superb "NEW-ZEALAND" double-arc datestamp on reverse over-cancelled with arrival datestamp (2.11). A fine letter written during the 1st. Maori War with mention of campaign matters and lack of feminine company. Photo £800-1,000
- 1146 ☒ 1849 (22 Dec.) entire from Auckland to Exeter, rated "8" and showing fine Crowned Circle "PAID/AT/AUCKLAND NEW ZEALAND" handstamp, despatch, London and arrival (8.4) datestamps on reverse. Photo £140-180

1855-57 Printed in London

- 1147 ○ 2d. dull blue on blued paper, good to large margins, neatly cancelled with fine near-complete "11" obliterator (Port Ahuriri), very fine; also another fair example. S.G. 2, £1,300. Photo for first £250-300
- 1148 ○ 1/- pale yellow-green on blued paper, clear to large margins, numeral cancellation leaving right side of stamp clear; small mark on Queen's bust, otherwise sound. Rare. Odenweller Certificate (2003). S.G. 3, £5,500. Photo £1,200-1,500

1855-58 Printed in Auckland on Blue Paper

- 1149 ○ 1d. red horizontal pair with just clear to large margins, the left-hand stamp showing trace of adjoining stamp at foot, sharing superb central "10" obliterator (Wellington) with trace of a further strike at right. A very fine, beautiful and rare multiple of this scarce stamp. S.G. 4, £4,000. Photo £3,000-3,500
- PROVENANCE:
William Frazer, June 2003
- 1150 ○ 2d. blue, a strip of three with margins on two sides and largely elsewhere, sharing manuscript "*Turanga*" across all three stamps, and each additionally cancelled "1" at Auckland; one with small ink spot on reverse, otherwise fresh and fine. S.G. 5, £900+. Photo £300-350
- 1151 ○ 2d. blue, a light shade with good to large margins showing trace of adjoining stamp at left, cancelled "1"; fine. S.G. 5, £300. Photo £100-120
- 1152 ○ 1/- green, good to very large margins and neatly cancelled "10" (Wellington), fine and most attractive. B.P.A. Certificate (1993). S.G. 6, £3,750. Photo £1,200-1,500
- 1153 ○ 1/- green, clear to large margins and neatly cancelled "18" (Otago) leaving Queen's face largely clear. A pleasing example of this rare stamp. S.G. 6, £3,750. Photo £900-1,000

PROVENANCE:
Chartwell, June 2011

1857-63 Issue

- 1154 ○ 1d. dull orange pale shade with good to large margins, cancelled "18", 2d. pale blue with margins mainly all round, cancelled "15", and 6d. with clear to large margins, cancelled "1"; a sound trio. S.G. 8, 10, 13, £1,230. Photo £250-300
- 1155 ○ 2d. blue horizontal strip of three on soft paper, good to large margins and mainly lightly cancelled; a fine and attractive multiple. Philatelic Foundation Certificate (1973). Also a single in a bright shade on hard paper and clearly cancelled "18". S.G. 10, £720+. Photo £200-250

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Ex 1172



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Ex 1202



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Ex 1206



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New Zealand, 1857-63 Issue - contd.

- 1156 ○ 6d. brown on soft paper, two shades, both with four margins and with indistinct numeral cancellations; fine. S.G. 13, £600. Photo £200-250
- 1157 ○ 6d. pale brown on soft paper, large margins all round and showing interruption of printing across top due to paper overlap, neatly cancelled "16" (Port Victoria); fine, attractive and unusual. B.P.A. Certificate (1979). S.G. 14, £300. Photo £150-200
- 1158 ○ 1/- dull emerald-green, good to large margins and neatly cancelled "10" (Wellington); a fine and attractive example of this scarce stamp. S.G. 16, £1,800. Photo £700-800
- PROVENANCE:
William Frazer, June 2003

1862 Issue, Imperforate

- 1159 ○ 1d. orange-vermilion (2), 2d. shades (4, two worn plate), 3d. brown-lilac (3), 6d. black-brown (3, one enormous), 6d. red-brown, 6d. brown and 1/- green, all with four margins except one 1d.; fair to very fine £300-400
- 1160 ★ 1d. orange-vermilion, clear to large margins, unused with some gum which may not be original; fresh colour and most attractive. S.G. 33, £950. Photo £250-300
- 1161 ★ 1d. carmine-vermilion, good to large margins, unused with part original gum, two handstamps on reverse, fine and attractive. S.G. 35, £450. Photo £150-180
- 1162 ★ 3d. brown-lilac, good to large margins and showing strong colour burring in left margin, large part original gum; fine. S.G. 40, £600. Photo £200-250
- PROVENANCE:
William Frazer, June 2003

- 1163 ○ 6d. red-brown with four margins and cancelled "5/OTAHUHU/A", 1864-67 2d. blue cancelled and tied on small piece by complete "HEADQUARTERS" in oval of bars, and 1871 perf. 12½ 6d. blue cancelled with large part "COROMANDEL" in oval of bars. An attractive trio of Maori War cancellations £180-200

1862 Issue, Rouletted

- 1164 ○ 2d. slate-blue showing roulettes, or traces thereof, on all sides, lightly cancelled; a sound example of fine appearance. RPSNZ Certificate No. 1014. S.G. 50, £850. Photo £250-300
- PROVENANCE:
John White
- 1165 ○ 6d. black-brown showing roulettes, or traces thereof, on three sides and showing portion of adjoining stamp at right, lightly cancelled; fine. B.P.A. Certificate (1999). S.G. 53, £475 £150-200

1862 Issue, Perforated 13

- 1166 ○ 2d. blue with neat complete Dunedin 1863 datestamp, and 1/- in the three listed shades of dull green, deep green and yellow-green, indistinct cancellations, the last most unusually in red-brown, good to fine. S.G. 72, 78-80, £1,280 £300-350

1862-63 Pelure Paper Issue

- 1167 ○ 6d. black-brown (3), one imperforate with four margins and lightly cancelled, one rouletted with 4mm. sheet margin and cancelled "1" and one perf. 13 and cancelled "OTAGO" in bars; good to fine. S.G. 85, 88, 93, £1,125. Photo £200-250
- 1168 ○ 1/- deep green, imperforate with clear to large margins, cancelled leaving most of the portrait clear; brown spot in right margin, otherwise sound. Scarce. RPSNZ Certificate (1998). S.G. 86, £1,100. Photo £250-300

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1864 Watermark "NZ", Imperforate

- 1169 ○ 1d. carmine-vermilion, two examples with clear or good to large margins, one cancelled "1", the other "7"; fine. Also a further example (defective) with light small part strike of a GB accountancy handstamp. S.G. 97, £700+ £250-300
- 1170 ○ 6d. red-brown, clear to large margins and neatly cancelled with part Drury Maori War datestamp; very fine and scarce. Sorani Certificate (1982). S.G. 99, £700. Photo £300-350
- 1171 ○ 1/- green, large regular margins and with neat part duplex cancellations; very fine. S.G. 100, £275. Photo £120-150

1864 Watermark "NZ", Perforated 13 at Dunedin

- 1172 ○ 1/- deep green, neatly cancelled with large part Dunedin 1865 datestamp; fine. R.P.S. Certificate (1957). S.G. 106, £500. Also perf. 12½ 2d. (2, one with inverted watermark) and 6d. (3) one with double perfs. at right and imperforate at left. Photo for 1/- £800-1,000
- PROVENANCE:
H.L. Bartrop, October 1984

- 1173 ○ 1/- green cancelled with "OTAGO" in bars; fine. B.P.A. Certificate (2017). S.G. 106, £500. Photo £180-200

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- 1174 ○ 1864-67 1d. (8, one with part original gum), 2d. (10), 3d. (8, one imperforate and one cancelled with Southland "S" in circle), 4d. rose (2), 4d. yellow (4), 6d. red-brown (10) and 1/- (4), shades throughout and variously cancelled; generally good to fine £300-400

- 1175 ○ 1864-67 4d. rose (2), one cancelled with small part Invercargill datestamp and one with small part numeral obliterator, both leaving face clear; a fine and most attractive pair. S.G. 119, £500. Photo £250-300

- 1176 ○ 1871-73 watermark Large Star selection comprising perf. 10x12½ 1d. (2), 2d. vermilion (3, one perf. 12½ compound with perf. 10 on one side), perf. 12½ 1d. (7 with a strip of four, two with retouches), 2d. orange R.20/7 retouch and 6d., 1873 no watermark 1d. and 2d. retouched, and Sidefaces (10, four with adverts); generally good to fine. Cat. £1,500+ £300-350

- 1177 ○ 1872 no watermark, 2d. vermilion with complete "H" and part "S" of "T.H. SAUNDERS" papermakers watermark, small part cancellation at foot leaving clear portrait; a fraction soiled, otherwise sound. Scarce. S.G. 138c, £800. Photo £200-250

- 1178 ★ 1872 no watermark, 4d. orange-yellow with complete "A" of "T.H. SAUNDERS" papermakers watermark, clearly visible from the face of the stamp, fresh with large part original gum; very scarce. S.G. 139a, £400. Photo £180-200

- 1179 ○ 1873 watermark "NZ", 2d. vermilion R.20/7 retouch, centrally cancelled with numeral "6"; fine and scarce. S.G. 141a, £425. Photo £150-180

- 1180 ○ 1873 (Aug.) watermark Lozenges, 2d. vermilion showing large part "C" and small part "T" of "INVICTA" in double-lined capitals, fine used. Scarce. S.G. 142, £500. Photo £150-200

- 1181 ⊕ⓑ 1941 small format 9d. scarlet and black block of sixteen (4x4), unmounted mint; two stamp in the bottom row with tiny gum adherences. Fine. S.G. 630, £1,520+ £400-500

- 1182 ★ 1941 small format 9d. scarlet and black selection (55) including blocks of four (2) and eight (3), mainly unmounted mint, a few small faults though chiefly fine. S.G. 630, £5,225 £800-1,000

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New Zealand - *contd.*

Covers and Cancellations

- 1183 ☒ 1862 (24 May) envelope ex the *Stafford* correspondence from Stirling “*via Marseilles*” to Nelson, bearing 1862-64 9d. straw cancelled with “308” duplex, upon arrival redirected to Wellington with 1855 or 1862? 2d. dull blue with clear to large margins, neatly cancelled “15” and with Wellington c.d.s. (5.8) on face. A rare and most attractive redirected franking. Photo £1,200-1,500
- PROVENANCE:
H. Gordon Kaye, April 1991
Joseph Hackmey, May 2010
Derek Diamond, July 2016
- 1184 ☒ 1862 (11 Dec.) envelope, complete with letter headed “*Hawkesbury*”, ex the *Burdock* correspondence from Waikouaiti to Glasgow, bearing 1862 imperforate 6d. black-brown with good to very large margins (one small corner crease outside design) clearly cancelled “05” in oval of bars and showing Dunedin (12.12) and London (16.2) datestamps, both on face, despatch and Glasgow (17.2) datestamps on reverse; part flap missing though of fine appearance. Also from the same correspondence, undated mourning envelope from John Wallace Murdoch at *Goodwood Otago* to his uncle John Wallace Murdoch at Otago. Photo for first £300-400
- 1185 ☒ 1863 (13 Mar.) envelope ex the *Murdoch* correspondence from Dunedin “*via Marseilles*” to Glasgow, bearing 1862 imperforate 1d. orange-vermilion, roughly separated with largely clear to enormous margins, perf. 13 6d. black-brown and 1862-63 pelure paper, perf. 13 2d. ultramarine, each cancelled “DUNEDIN” in oval of bars, despatch and arrival (16.5) datestamps on reverse; envelope with faults at top and on flap through opening though a most unusual combination of adhesives and a very rare and colourful three-colour franking. S.G. 33, 75, 91, £1,300+-. Photo £600-800
- 1186 ☒ 1865 (18 Aug.) entire from Dunedin “*Via Marseilles*” to London, bearing 1864 watermark “NZ”, perf. 12½ 6d. red-brown and 1864-67 2d. Plate I worn pale blue pair twice cancelled by “OTAGO” duplex and with arrival datestamp (16.10) below. a scarce and attractive mixed-issue 10d. rate franking. Photo £300-350
- 1187 ☒ 1867 and 1869 envelopes ex the *Diack* correspondence from Dunedin to Pitcaple, Scotland, the first bearing 1864-67 1d. pale orange-vermilion pair, 2d. blue Plate II and 6d. red-brown, the second bearing 1d. pale orange-vermilion strip of four and 6d. brown, all cancelled with “O” duplex, both 1d. multiples showing missing perf. variety; a couple of small imperfections though an attractive pair of differently franked 10d. rates £300-400
- 1188 ☒ 1868-69 envelopes (3) ex the *Diack* correspondence from Dunedin “*Via Marseilles*” to Pitcaple, Scotland, each bearing 2d. blue Plate II pair (shades) and 6d. brown/red-brown all cancelled with “O” duplex; two with flaps stuck down though of good to fine appearance £200-250
- 1189 ☒ 1868, 1872 and 1873 envelopes ex the *Colenso* correspondence to Napier, the first and last from Wellington bearing 1864-67 3d. lilac and 1872-73 perf. 12½ 2d. vermilion R.13/12 retouch, both cancelled with “070” duplex, the 1872 cover “*Per Star of the South*” bearing 1872-73 2d. orange cancelled with Auckland “1” duplex; an attractive trio £180-200
- 1190 ☒ 1868 (4 Jan.) envelope from New Plymouth to England, bearing 1864-67 3d. lilac (2) sharing “9” duplex and with Wellington arrival datestamp (2.3) on reverse; a fine and most attractive franking. S.G. 117. Photo £300-350
- 1191 ☒ 1869 (19 Aug.) envelope ex the *McLean* correspondence from Waikouaiti to Wellington, bearing 1864-67 1d. pale orange-vermilion and 2d. blue Plate II both neatly cancelled “05” in oval of bars and showing, on reverse, despatch, Dunedin and arrival (24.8) datestamps; attractive. Photo £120-150

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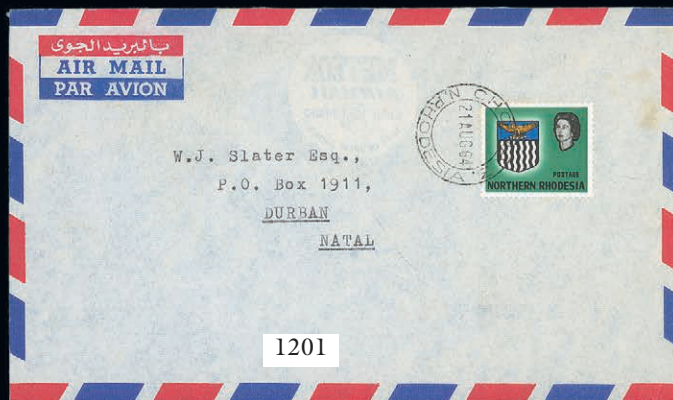
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New Zealand, Covers and Cancellations - *contd.*

- 1192 ☒ 1870 (10 May) envelope ex the *McLean* correspondence from New Plymouth to Auckland, bearing 1864-67 3d. deep mauve cancelled with "9" duplex, arrival datestamp (14.5) on reverse; a fine and most attractive franking using this stamp alone. Photo £200-250
- 1193 ☒ 1870 (June) envelope from Wellington to Auckland, bearing 1864-67 1d. pale orange-vermilion showing a couple of blind perfs. at right and 2d. blue Plate II, both placed sideways and cancelled with "070" duplex, and 1873 (July) envelope from Wellington to Wanganui, bearing 1873 no watermark 2d. vermilion cancelled with "070" duplex, arrival datestamps on reverse of both £150-200
- 1194 ☒ 1900 (3 Sept.) "Rule Britannia New Zealand to the Front!" illustrated envelope to Marton showing a Maori holding the New Zealand flag alongside Britannia and a Lion and bearing 1d. pair; some staining though scarce. Photo £250-300

NIUE

- x1195 ⑩ 1938 1/-, 2/- and 3/- imperforate plate proof marginal blocks of four of the frame on wove paper, fine £80-100

NORTHERN RHODESIA

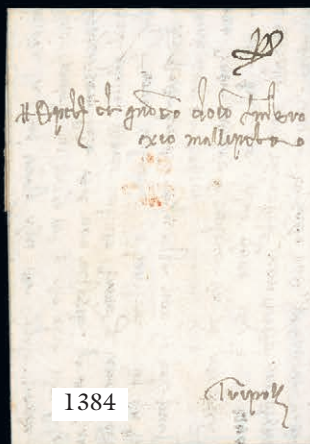
- x1196 ★ 1925-29 2/- to 10/-, mint; 7/6d. and 10/- with gum a little toned. S.G. 11-17 £150-180
- x1197 ○ 1925-29 2/- to 20/- used; 10/- with thin at centre though of good to fine appearance. S.G. 11-17 £180-200
- x1198 1938-52 5/-, 10/- and 20/- mint, 5/- and 10/- used on revenue piece and 20/- used; 1948 Wedding set mint and 20/- used; 1953 5/-, 10/- and 20/- mint and used, and Revenue 1d., 3d. and 2/6d. mint £120-150

1963 Issue

- x1199 ★ ½d. bright violet, variety **value omitted**, mint with gum glazing at right, and two others, one with value misplaced to right. S.G. 75, a, £1,100. Photo £200-250
- x1200 ★ 1d., 3d. and 4d., all variety **value omitted**, 3d. (2) and 4d. with value misplaced, 1/- to 20/-, all mint, and 1/- to 20/- used £120-150
- x1201 ☒ 4d. green, variety **value omitted**, neatly cancelled by Choma c.d.s. on 1964 (21 Aug.) envelope to Natal. Scarce used and very rare on cover with only a handful of examples recorded. S.G. 79a, £500. Photo £300-400
- x1202 ⊕ 6d. light olive-green, variety **value omitted**, unmounted mint; minor ink drag mark at right. Scarce. S.G. 80a, £850. Photo £200-250
- x1203 ⊕ 9d. yellow-brown, marginal from the right of the sheet, variety **value omitted**, unmounted mint. Scarce. S.G. 81a, £600 £200-250

Postage Due Stamps

- x1204 1929 1d. to 4d. perforated "SPECIMEN", mint and a little toned, and the set of four used. S.G. D1-4, £260 £80-100



NOVA SCOTIA**1851-60 Issue**

- 1205 ○ 1d. red-brown horizontal pair with deep blueing, good to large margins and both neatly cancelled with oval of bars, lightly applied on the right-hand stamp; very fine. S.G. 1, £950. Photo £400-500
- 1206 ○ 1d. red-brown with nice blueing, good to large margins and light cancelled, and 3d. blue with clear to good margins and neatly cancelled with void oval of bars. An attractive pair. S.G. 1, 2/4, £625. Photo for 1d. £250-300
- 1207 ○ 6d. yellow-green, good to large margins and neatly cancelled with a light void oval of bars; very fine. B.P.A. Certificate (1974). S.G. 5, £550. Photo £250-300
- 1208 ☒ 1853 (10 Sept.) entire from Windsor to St. John West, bearing 3d. blue with good to large margins and neatly cancelled with void oval of bars, the reverse with despatch, Annapolis and arrival (13.9) datestamps; clean and most attractive. Photo £150-200
- 1209 ☒ 1857 (26 Sept.) envelope from Kentville to Woodtown, New Jersey, bearing 6d. yellow-green with good to large margins and tied by fine void oval of bars, superb circular-framed "PAID/10" in red alongside, the reverse with despatch, Annapolis and St. John datestamps; tiny surface abrasion in one corner square, otherwise very fine and most attractive. R.P.S. Certificate (1980). Photo £700-800

NYASALAND

- 1210 ☉ 1896 £25 black and green overprinted "SPECIMEN", large part original gum. S.G. 42s, £425. Photo £150-180
- 1211 ★ 1903-04 1d. to £1, good to fine mint. S.G. 59-66, £650 £180-200
- 1212 ★ 1908-11 £1 purple and black on red, fine mint. S.G. 81, £650. Photo £200-250
- 1213 ★ 1942 10/- bluish green and brown-red on pale green ordinary paper, fresh mint. S.G. 142a, £425. Photo £120-150

OMAN

- 1214 ★ 1966-2009 mint collection housed in two printed Lindner albums contained in a carton, including a few British Post Offices in Eastern Arabia and Muscat, 1966-67 3b. to 10r., 1969 Oil Shipment, 1970 New Currency, 1971 National Day, 1971 5b. on 3b., 1971 Childrens Fund, 1972 Book Year, 1972-75 5b. to 1f., Edward Crown 5b. to 75b., 1976-82 5b. to 1r., 1981 Sinbad set and miniature sheet, 1982 Flora and Fauna, 1989 Costumes set and miniature sheets, etc., chiefly fine. £800-1,000

ORANGE FREE STATE

- 1215 ☒ 1874-1901 envelopes (13, mostly addressed within South Africa), variously franked with two bearing 1890-91 1d. on 3d. values, one registered to Germany bearing 1892 2½d. on 3d. (3) and with "Vom Auslande" registration label, three with V.R.I. values with two censored; condition variable with viewing recommended £180-200

- 1216 ☒ 1882 (28 Sept.) envelope from Bloemfontein to England, bearing 1d. brown (6) cancelled "1" and making up the newly introduced reduced rate of 6d. (one of the very earliest covers at this rate reduced from 10d.), 1884 envelope from Bloemfontein to Birmingham, bearing 6d. rose cancelled "1" and showing fine despatch datestamp in violet at lower left, and 1894 Winch Brothers envelope from Vrede to Colchester bearing ½d. chestnut (5) cancelled "x" in oval of bars £200-250
- 1217 ☒ 1885 envelope from Jagersfontein to New York and 1888 envelope (flap missing) from Rouxville to Germany, both franked at 7½d. (½d.+1d.+6d.) cancelled "c" or "12" in oval of bars respectively and showing late use of the "2½d." accountancy handstamp in red; an unusual pair £120-150
- Orange River Colony**
- 1218 ☒ 1901-07 envelopes (6) and a front addressed within South Africa or to England (4), including 1905 1d. envelope, uprated with 1d., from Dealesville to Reddersburg, 1906 envelope from Harrismith to England bearing 1d. cancelled "63" in violet and 1907 envelope registered from Bloemfontein to London franked at 6½d. £100-120
- 1219 ★ 1903-04 ½d. to 5/- set of nine (2), one overprinted "SPECIMEN", fresh mint. S.G. 139-147, £550 £150-200

PAKISTAN**Bahawalpur**

- 1220 ☒ 1949 (7 May) Pakistan 1½a. postal stationery envelope, uprated by 1a.3p (Hybrid-Karachi overprint from the Lahore plate), from Baghdad-ul-Jadid to Natal; a trifle soiled, otherwise fine and very scarce. Photo £250-300

PALESTINE

- 1221 ☒ Collection on pages, including Ottoman Post Offices with 1894 20pa. postal stationery card with "JERUSALEM" cancellation, Austrian Post Offices with covers and cards from Jaffa and Jerusalem, French, German, Italian and Russian Post Offices, etc., mixed condition £200-250
- x1222 ☒ 1918-48 range of covers (49) with a few earlier types and forty (with a few items of stationery) bearing Pictorial issue frankings from a range of offices, unused postcards (3), Austrian Post Office (4), incoming (7) and a few others £100-120
- 1223 ★☒ 1918 (10 Feb.) 1p. indigo "A18" control block of four from the lower left corner of the sheet, un gummed; fine. S.G. 1, £900. Photo £250-300
- 1224 ★ 1920 perf. 15x14 3m. chestnut, variety **overprint inverted**, fine mint; pencilled signature on reverse. S.G. 18a, £550. Photo £200-250
- 1225 ○ 1920 (Dec.)-21 1m. sepia, perf. 14, used with Jerico c.d.s. of 22 April 1921; fine and rare. Holcombe Certificate (1992). S.G. 38, £950. Photo £300-350
- 1226 ★ 1920 (Dec.)-21 5m. purple perf. 14 and 1923 2p. ochre perf. 14, original gum; fine. S.G. 43, 81b, £355 £100-120
- 1227 1922 1m. to 20p. (9p., 10p. and 20p. perf. 15x14) all from the foot of the sheet with plate number "1", 1927-45 200m. blocks of four (2), Postage Due 1928-44 6m. orange-brown block of six (3x2) from the upper left corner of the sheet with plate number "1", fine mint. Also 1946 reply coupon with Tel Aviv and Vienna cancellations £100-120

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Palestine - contd.

1922 (Sept.-Nov.), Perforation 14

- 1228 ★田 1m. sepia block of four from the foot of the sheet, variety **overprint double**, original gum, the lower pair remaining unmounted mint, lightly toned as usual, fine and scarce. Holcombe Certificate (1992). S.G. 71c, £1,000+. Photo £250-300
- 1229 ⊕ 1m. sepia from the left of the sheet, variety **overprint double**, unmounted mint; fine. S.G. 71c, £250 £100-120
- 1230 ⊕ 2p. olive from the right of the sheet, variety **overprint inverted**, unmounted mint; trivial gum bends, otherwise fine and scarce. S.G. 81a, £325 £120-150
- 1231 ○ 20p. bright violet, and perf. 15x14 10p. light blue with **watermark inverted**, used, fine and scarce. S.G. 84, 88w, £445 £150-200

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- 1232 ○ 1922 (Sept.-Nov.) perf. 15x14 10p. light blue, "E F F." for "E E F." in bottom panel [R.10/3], Tel Aviv cancellation; fractionally toned though a fine example of this scarce variety. S.G. 88a, £300 £100-120
- x1233 ☒ 1927-45 Pictorials selection of twenty-five covers (four registered), censored to France, Hungary, Iran, Netherlands, United States, etc., a range of frankings; mixed condition £50-60
- 1234 ⊕ 1932-44 Pictorial 250m. (234), 500m. (154) and £P1 (78), unmounted mint; chiefly fine. S.G. 109-111, £4,000 £300-400

Postage Due 1923 Issue

- 1235 ⊕ 1m. yellow-brown **imperf. horizontal pair** from the left of the sheet (types 1-2), unmounted mint; fine. S.G. D1a, £325 £120-150
- 1236 ⊕ 2m. blue-green, **imperf. horizontal pair** from the top of the sheet (types 4-5), unmounted mint and hinged in the margin only, fine. B.P.A. Certificate (1988) and with George Bühler handstamp. S.G. D2a, £450. Photo £150-200
- 1237 ⊕ 2m. blue-green **imperf. horizontal pair** (types 1-2), unmounted mint; fine. S.G. D2a, £450. Photo £150-200
- 1238 ★ 2m. blue-green **imperf. horizontal pair** (types 4-5), original gum, fine. Friedl Certificate (1984) and George Bühler handstamp on reverse. S.G. D2a, £450. Photo £150-200
- 1239 ★ 2m. blue-green (types 5-1) **imperf. proof pair**, 8m. mauve (types 2-3) **imperf. horizontal pair**; the first without gum, the 8m. unmounted mint, fine. Bale P.D. 2a. S.G. D4a £120-150
- 1240 ○ 8m. mauve horizontal pair, variety **imperf. between**, Jerusalem c.d.s. of 9 Oc. 1924; small faults though of fine appearance and very rare. S.G. D4b, £2,250. Photo £500-600

PAPUA

- x1241 ☒ 1897 (11 Mar.) commercial envelope from Cairo to The Colonial Treasurer, Port Moresby, British New Guinea, bearing 1p. neatly tied by Cairo c.d.s. with another strike alongside and showing blue British New Guinea, Treasurer arrival datestamp (10.5) with, on reverse, Melbourne (21.4), Cooktown (29.4) and Port Moresby (10.5) datestamps. An extraordinary destination. Photo £600-800
- 1242 ★ 1932 ½d. to £1 set of sixteen, unmounted or lightly mounted mint; 5d. with a thin spot, otherwise fine. S.G. 130-145, £550 £180-200

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- x1243 ⑥ 1938 Air 2d. stamp-size photographic essay in a design similar to that issued but with "PAPUA" at upper left and "AIR MAIL POSTAGE" and denomination at foot, the reverse with part of Stamp Printing Branch oval cachet, initialled and dated "22/10/37", and 1939 Air 2d. enlarged photograph (98x76mm.) of the issued design on Velox photographic paper, fine £200-250

QATAR

- 1244 ★ 1957-2000 mint collection housed in a blue stockbook, including 1957-59 2r. on 2/6d. to 10r. on 10/- (both types), 1964 Olympics, 1964 Kennedy, 1966 Coinage, 1972 Independence set and miniature sheet, 1972 surcharge set, 1972 Birds, 1972 5d. to 10r., 1973-74 5d. to 10r., 1976 Birds, 1977 5d. to 10r., 1979 5d. to 10r., 1982 5d. to 15r., later issues, miniature sheets, etc., chiefly fine with most unmounted mint £350-450

QUEENSLAND

- 1245 ○ 1860-78 Chalon Head used selection (37) including 1860 1d., 1869-61 3d., 6d., "REGISTERED" and a range of later perforated values to 1/-; 1862 entire from Rockhampton to Brisbane bearing 2d. cancelled "201", 1866 envelope, complete with contents headed "*Albert River*", to England bearing 6d. yellow-green cancelled at Brisbane, and 1869 most attractive envelope from Ipswich "*via Marseilles*" to England bearing 2d. (2) and 6d. each cancelled "87" £200-250
- 1246 ○ 1860 imperforate, 1d. carmine-rose with good to very large margins all round and with frameline of adjacent stamp at right, lightly cancelled with "Q.L." in elliptical ovals; an exceptionally fine example. S.G. 1, £800. Photo £300-400
- 1247 ○ 1860 imperforate, 6d. green with good to very large margins showing frameline of adjoining stamp at right, small part lozenge cancellation at upper left leaving nearly all of design clear; a very fine example. R.P.S. (1963) and B.P.A. (1997) Certificates. S.G. 3, £800. Photo £300-350
- 1248 1890-1908 mint and used collection including 1890 ½d. mint blocks of 16 and 24, 2d. used range with part reconstructions and 2½d. part reconstruction with a selection of mint multiples, 1897-1908 range to 6d. with many mint multiples, and 1897-98 roulette 1d. study with a few mint multiples and a pair on cover; fair to fine with some ex Butler £400-500

RHODESIA

- 1249 1892-95 collection (53), the mint including 1892-93 1d. to £1, 1892 ½d. on 6d., 1892-94 set of seven with a few shades and 1895 pair, used with 1892-93 1d. to 10/- and £2, 1892-94 sets (2, one less 3d.) with a few shades and 1895 pair; generally good to fine. Cat. £1,800 £300-350
- x1250 ★ 1892-93 1d. (3), 6d. (6, one ultramarine), 1/- (2), 2/- (4), 2/6d. (5, one lilac), 5/- (2), 10/-, £1, £2, £5 and £10, unused (£5 and £10) or with part original gum. Sismondo Certificate (2012) for £10 £400-500
- x1251 1892-93 1d., 6d. deep blue, 1/-, 2/-, 2/6d. grey-purple, 2/6d. lilac, 5/-, 10/- and £1 unused or with part original gum, £2 with fine Salisbury 1894 datestamp, £1, £5 (2) and £10 cleaned or used fiscally. Cat. £1,000+ £200-250
- 1252 ○ 1892-93 £1 blue horizontal pair, both neatly cancelled with Selukwe datestamp; a few short perfs., otherwise fine. A scarce multiple. S.G. 10, £340 £100-120
- 1253 ★ 1892 (Jan.) Surcharge set of four, part original gum; good to fine. S.G. 14-17, £650 £140-180

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Rhodesia - contd.

x1254 ★	1892 (Jan.) Surcharge set of four unused (2d. tears at foot) and 4d. on 6d. with doubtful Gwelo datestamp, 1892-94 set of seven with additional 8d. and 4/- (2), 1895 2d. and 4d., 1896-97 Die I and Die II sets (latter with additional 4/- handstamped "Specimen"), unused or with part gum, and 1898 3d. heart of the sheet block of four used; fair to fine	£250-300
1255	1896-97 Large Arms collection (67) with the basic issues complete mint and used (excluding £1), additional items include 1896-97 4d. ultramarine and mauve mint and used and 1897 6d. mint block of four; generally fine. Cat. £1,700	£300-350
1256 ★	1896 Matabele Provisional Surcharges, 1d. on 4/- with large part original gum, fine and 3d. on 5/- with part original gum; the latter with a couple of short perfs., otherwise sound. S.G. 52, 53, £490	£120-150
1257	1909-12 mint (29) and used (49) collection, the mint with set to 10/-, 2½d., 4d., 1/- and 2/6d. no stop varieties, and Surcharges (6), the used with set to £1, a few shades to 1/-, 2½d. and 4d. no stop varieties and Surcharges (10); generally good to fine. S.G. 110-118, £1,400+	£250-300
x1258 ★	1909-12 ½d., 1d. in pair, 2½d., 3d. (2), 4d. (2, one in pair), 1/-, 2/6d. and 10/-, all variety no stop , and £1 grey-purple, and 1909-11 5d. on 6d. (5 with a block of four), 7½d. on 2/6d., 10d. on 3/- blocks of four (2) and 2/- on 5/-, mint; the 1/- variety thinned though generally good to fine	£250-300
1259 ★	1910-13 ½d. to 1/-, one of each with the 8d. perf. 13½, fresh mint; also two others, four Admirals used and Northern Rhodesia 1952 envelope from Lusaka to Scotland franked at 2½d. and with light Army Signals datestamp and "VI" handstamp in red	£140-180

1910-13 Double Head Issue

Perforated 14

1260 ○	A used selection comprising ½d. (4), 1d. (3), 2d. (5), 2½d. (4), 3d. (4), 4d. (4), 5d. (5, one the error, purple-brown and ochre), 6d. (3), 8d., 10d. (2), 1/- (2) and 2/- (2); generally good to fine. Cat. £1,200+	£200-250
x1261 ☒	1d. red block of four twice cancelled by Lusakas double-ring datestamp on reverse of 1913 (13 Oct.) 4d. G size registered envelope to Johannesburg, and 2d. on 1914 envelope (another stamp torn away) ex the same correspondence	£120-150
x1262	2d., 2½d., 4d., 5d. <i>gash in ear</i> , 8d. (2, one <i>gash in ear</i>), 1/- (4, three <i>gash in ear</i>), 2/-, 2/6d., 3/-, 5/- (rouletted) and 7/6d. (2, one overprinted "SPECIMEN"), 10d. and 2/- (2) used; faults in places	£200-250
1263 ○	2/6d. brownish red and carmine-red, RSC "A", cancelled with two part datestamps; two pulled perfs. at upper left, otherwise sound. S.G. 155a group	£80-100
x1264 ★	2/6d. sepia and crimson, two shades, fresh mint. S.G. 156, £850	£200-250
x1265 ★	2/6d. bistre-brown and crimson, mint with the usual slightly crackly gum; fine and scarce. S.G. 156a, £1,100. Photo	£300-400
1266 ○	3/- bright green and magenta, lightly cancelled with two small part datestamps; some short/ragged perfs. at right, otherwise sound. Scarce. S.G. 158a, £850. Photo	£120-150
1267 ○	10/- deep myrtle and orange, neatly cancelled-to-order; light mark on reverse. S.G. 163, £300. Photo	£120-150
x1268 ★	10/- blue-green and orange, fine mint. S.G. 164, £425. Photo	£120-150



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Rhodesia, 1910-13 Double Head Issue - *contd.*

Perforated 15

1269 ★	2d. black and grey-black, RSC "F", [34], large part original gum; horizontal crease at top; good appearance. S.G. 171, £900. Photo	£120-150
1270 ★	3d. purple and yellow-ochre, RSC "G", regummed and a fraction soiled at top, otherwise sound and a presentable example of this very rare stamp. S.G. 173 group, £9,000. Photo	£800-1,000
1271 ★	5d. lake-brown and olive, part original gum; a couple of faint tones at upper right, otherwise sound. Scarce. S.G. 175, £800. Photo	£180-200
x1272 ★	1/- black and blue-green, large part original gum; two perf. tips at top with faint tones, otherwise fine. S.G. 177, £1,300. Photo	£250-300

1913-24 Admiral Issue

x1273	A selection with 1d. printers file horizontal pair imperfurate between and at right , each with 4mm. hole puncture, Die II perf. 14 10d. and 1/-, Die III perf. 14 4d., 6d. (2), 8d., 10d. (3), 1/- (5), 3/-, 5/-, 10/- and perf. 15 5/-, some on white paper, mint, Die III 2d. (2), 10d., 1/- (2) and 2/6d. used, £1 (2) fiscally used; fair to fine	£200-250
x1274 ★	Die II, perf. 14 7/6d. maroon and slate-black with handpainted cap, mint. S.G. 240, £350	£100-120
1275 ★	Die II, perf 14 £1 black and violet with handpainted cap, lightly mounted mint with the usual crackly, slightly toned, gum. S.G. 243, £450. Photo	£120-150
1276 ★	Die II, perf. 15 £1 black and purple, part original gum; a couple of shortish perfs. at foot, otherwise sound. Scarce. S.G. 254, £1,800. Photo	£500-600
1277 ○	Die III, perf. 14 used selection comprising 2d. (6), 3d. (3), 4d. (5), 5d. (4), 6d. (3), 8d. (3), 10d. (2), 1/- (3), 2/- (4 with a pair), 2/6d. (2), 3/-, 5/- (2), 10/- and £1 (2); generally good to fine for these. S.G. 255-279b group, £1,730 plus both £1 values whose postmarks are not guaranteed	£300-350
1278 ○	Die III, perf. 15 2d. black and brownish grey, used with indistinct cancellation; fine. S.G. 279c, £400. Photo	£100-120
1279 ○	Die III, white paper, perf. 14 2d. (2), 3d., 4d., 6d. (3), 8d. (2), 1/- (2), 2/- (2), 3/- and 5/-, used; one 8d. and the 3/- a little faded though generally good to fine. S.G. 291-307, £865	£180-200

1280	1965-78 collection with the basic issues complete mint and used, additional items include sets to £1 mint and used and a few blocks; generally fine. Cat. £650	£100-120
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RHODESIA AND NYASALAND

1281 ○	1954-63 used collection with the basic issues, including coil stamps and Postage Dues, complete, additional items include 1955 Falls (2), 1960 Kariba Dam and 1962 Airmail sets in blocks of four; generally fine	£80-100
x1282 ②	1954 1/- pair, 5/- head only and complete design, both in interpanneau blocks of four (creases between), imperfurate plate proofs, each with 2mm. hole puncture, and 1959 1/- vignette imperfurate plate proof pair	£100-120

RUSSIA

1283

Mint and used collection housed in thirteen albums or stockbooks and loose contained in two cartons, including some early issues, 1933 Ethnographical, 1933 Stratosphere, 1934 Disaster, 1940 Fair, 1946 Revolution sets perf. and imperf., 1947 Elections, 1947-56 Moscow, 1947 Five Year Plan. 1948 Shishkm, 1948 Agriculture, 1948 Young Communists, 1948 Theatre, 1948 Revolution. 1948 Artillery, 1949 Museum, 1949 Lenin, 1949 Dezhnev, 1949 Army 40k., 1949 Press Day, 1949 Ship Building all cancelled, 1957-58 Handicrafts 40k. Woodblock engraving imperf. between stamp and margin at right, later mint sets and miniature sheets, etc., chiefly good to fine.

£500-800



1284

x1284 ©

1913 Romanov 7k., two different essays prepared by the State Printing Works, Vienna, very similar to the issued designs though each with different backgrounds, negative impressions in sepia, the first 80x102mm., the second 84x111mm. with both mounted on board with printers notations, also stamp-size die proof, a negative impression in black with solid figures of value and an imperforate proof block of ten (5x2) of a positive impression in orange; fine. The only proofs of this issue so far recorded printed in Vienna. Photo

£2,000-2,500

ST. HELENA

x1285 ★	1863 1d. Types A and B, 1864-80 perf. 12½ 1d. Types A (2), B and C, 3d. Type B, 4d. Type A, 5/- and perf. 14 2d., unused or with part original gum; the first with a thin, the others good to fine	£180-200
x1286 ★	1903 set of six and 1934 Centenary set, good to fine mint. S.G. 55-60, 114-123, £535	£150-200
1287 ★	1923 MCA £1 grey and purple on red, fresh lightly mounted mint. S.G. 96, £450. Photo	£140-180
1288 ☒	1922-37 Script 5d. green and deep carmine on green, variety <i>broken mainmast</i> , neatly cancelled and tied on 1928 (7 Dec.) <i>Deakin</i> envelope registered to England; one short perf. at lower left, otherwise fine. A scarce variety on cover. S.G. 103a, £350+	£100-120

SAMOA

1289 ☒	1895 (24 Apr.) envelope registered to Arbroath, bearing 1886 1/- rose-carmine bisected diagonally and tied by datestamp, London Registered d.s. (24.5) on face and arrival of the same date on reverse; the envelope folded and some faults, nevertheless a scarce first day usage. B.P.A. Certificate (2016). S.G. 25a, £350	£80-100
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SAUDI ARABIA

Hejaz

1290 ⊕ⓑ	1925 large "Hejaz Government, 4th. October, 1924" blue overprint on Postage Due 1pi. blue block of fifteen (3x5) from the right of the sheet with plate number; unmounted mint, fine. S.G. D91, £825+	£200-250
1291 ⊕ⓑ	1925 small "Hejaz Government, 4 October, 1924" on Postage Due 1pi. blue block of fifteen (3x5) from the right of the sheet, variety overprint inverted , unmounted mint; a few faults in the margins, otherwise fine. S.G. D94a, £750	£150-200
x1292 ★	1925 Pilgrimage Commemoration set of five, large part, slightly toned original gum; scarce. Only 800 sets overprinted. Ceremuga Certificates (2005). S.G. 210-214, £1,395	£100-150

Hejaz and Nejd

1293 ⓑ	1926 ½pi., 2pi. and Postage Due ½pi., oversize imperf. proofs in green on gummed paper; fine	£150-200
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Saudi Arabia

1294 ★	1938 Charity Tax ⅛g. scarlet, original gum, some slight gum staining not visible on the front. A rare stamp. S.G. 356, £950. Photo	£150-200
1295 ○	1960 2½p. International reply paid coupon on Misr watermarked paper, violet Mecque cancellation; fine	£100-120

SEYCHELLES

1296 ⓑ	1890 48c. country name and value tablet die proof in black on glazed card (92x60mm.), marked "BEFORE HARDENING" and dated "25 OCT. 89"; fine	£100-120
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SIERRA LEONE

- 1297 ★ 1897 2½d. on 1/- dull lilac **vertical strip of three** from the top of the sheet, Types 8, 10, 8, unused without gum, vertical creasing and a little discoloured. Scarce. B.P.A. Certificate (2016), S.G. 63, 65, 63 £120-150
- 1298 ☒ 1897 2½d. on 1/- dull lilac Type 8 **horizontal strip of three** from the right of the sheet, tied on 1897 (17 Sept.) Freetown locally addressed envelope; blue crayon stroke affecting the centre stamp. Fine. B.P.A. Certificate (2016). S.G. 63 £100-120
- 1299 ★ 1905 MCA £1 purple on red, mint; trivial surface rubbing. S.G. 98, £300. Photo £100-120

SINGAPORE

- 1300 1948-2010 mint (mostly unmounted) and used (mostly the early sets) collection in fifteen albums/stockbooks, contained in two boxes, including miniature sheets, sheetlets, first day covers/souvenir covers (440+) plus some aerogrammes, booklets and year books (2011 and 2012). Viewing recommended £400-500

SOUTH AFRICA

- x1301 ○ An Interprovincial Period collection of stamps/pieces used in the various States, comprising Cape used in the Cape (11), Natal (9), Orange River Colony (10) and Transvaal (9), all including KEVII sets to 5/-; Natal Precedent Period (3), used in the Cape (14), Natal (14), Orange River Colony (10) and Transvaal (16) with values to 5/- (4), 10/- (3), £1 (4) and £1.10s. (2); Orange River Colony Precedent Period (6), used in the Cape (11), Natal (9), Orange River Colony (9) and Transvaal (9) with values to 5/-; Transvaal Precedent Period (6), the Cape (15), Natal (14), Orange River Colony (13), Transvaal (13) with values to £1 (4); Transvaal Postage Dues used in the Cape (6), Natal (4), Orange River Colony (4) and Transvaal (6) with values to 1/- (2); a range of pieces (59) bearing combinations of different States and other pieces (12 bearing Revenue stamps. A fine lot with viewing strongly recommended £1,000-1,200
- 1302 ○田 A selection with 1926-27 Pretoria ½d. upper right corner block of four with the right-hand vertical pair affected by gross miss-perforation resulting in the upper right stamp being **imperforate between stamp and margin**; severed between stamps and right-hand margin affecting the design of the upper right stamp, neatly cancelled by central New Redruth c.d.s. with year date inverted, 1d. marginal block of six (2x3), four stamps and Jubilee lines with part or complete offset, and 6d. upper left corner block of four with extra perforations in left-hand margin; unmounted mint. Also a collection of 1927-30 and 1930-44 South Africa blocks and pairs with various varieties, faults in places, some good to fine £150-200
- 1303 Collection contained in five albums contained in a carton, including 1936 Jipex miniature sheets, 1936 Empire Air Post Cards, 1941-46 War Effort, 1942-44 War Effort with mint and used blocks, varieties, Booklet panes, unused and used, chiefly good to fine £350-400
- 1304 ☒ 1910 (c.) envelope to Cape Town bearing Transvaal ½d. yellow-green (3) and 1d. scarlet, cancelled "*Cape Town*" in manuscript and with postmaster's initials, also 1904-09 4d. black and brown (15) in two blocks, tied to parcel piece by "CAPETOWN" roller cancel. A fine and unusual pair of interprovincial usages. £80-100
- 1305 ★田 1913-24 1d. rose-red Plate 1 upper right marginal corner block of six with reversed perforations, mint; some natural gum creasing though fresh and attractive. S.G. 4var, SACC R4,500 £200-250
- 1306 ★ 1913-24 1d. rose-red Plate 2 lower right marginal pair with the distinctive two cuts in Jubilee line, fresh mint with small amount of gum on face in margin only. Attractive and scarce. SACC R11,000. Photo £350-400

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South Africa - contd.

1307 ○	1913-24 10/- deep blue and olive-green, variety watermark inverted , used; horizontal crease though of good appearance and very rare. S.G. 16w, £2,000. Photo	£400-500
x1308 ⊕	1923 Harrison 1d. Springbok essays, a selection in blocks of four comprising unscreened imperforate in violet, screened large format, perf. 13½ rose and green, grey and blue and purple and blue (block of six), perf. 11½ rose and blue and purple and blue, and screened, small format, perf. 14 in blue and in carmine (2, one overprinted " <i>Muster</i> "); a fine group	£300-400
x1309 ⊕	1923 Harrison 1d. Springbok essays, a selection comprising unscreened imperforate in violet (3 with a pair, creased), ultramarine and black, screened, small format, imperforate in grey-brown (9 with a block of four, all overprinted " <i>Muster</i> ", three with red ink lines) and perf. 14 in blue block of four and in carmine block of four overprinted " <i>Muster</i> "; also 1929 1d. Booysen essay, imperforate in violet and perforated in black, and Hunter Penrose essay, imperforate in carmine and in brown; generally fine	£200-250
x1310 ⊕	1925 Air set in vertical interpanneau marginal pairs all with one stamp separated and rejoined), 3d. corner blocks of four from the four corners of the sheet and the set of forgeries in blocks of four, and 1929 Air 4d. and 1/- blocks of four from the four corners of the sheet, 4d. corner pair with <i>cloud</i> flaw and 1/- marginal strip of three, mint and generally fine	£100-120
x1311 ★	1926-27 Waterlow printing selection comprising ½d. block of ten with minor type varieties, 1d. arrow marginal block of four and six both showing three horizontal double perfs., five marginal or corner blocks of four and four booklet blocks of six, and 6d. blocks of four (6, all but one marginal or from corner of sheet, all watermark upright) and horizontal pairs (2, one with <i>white oranges</i>); mint and generally fine	£140-180
x1312 ★	1926-27 Pretoria printing range of blocks of four or larger, largely marginal or from the corner of the sheet, comprising ½d. (28) including blocks of four, six and eight with some double horizontal perforations, three with one or two stamps showing partial offset, one with pre-printing creased paper and one with vertical perfs. misplaced 3mm., 1d. (25 and a pair) with some miss-perforations in margin, booklet panes (4), one grossly miss-perforated, a couple with partial offsets, and 6d. (8 and three pairs, all watermark upright), one with miss-perforation in margin and two of the pairs with vignettes misplaced to right, mint and generally fine. An interesting lot	£400-500
x1313 ★	1927-30 issue selection of blocks of four, comprising perf. 14 3d. (5, one with imprint), 4d. (4, one with imprint and one interpanneau) and 1/- (5, one with imprint), perf. 14x13½ down 2d. (5, one with imprint), 3d., 4d. (4, one with imprint) and 1/-, and perf. 14x13½ up 2d. (4), 4d. (3) and 1/- (4), and horizontal pairs with perf. 14 1/-, 2/6d. with imprint, 5/- (2), 10/- and perf. 14x13½ down 3d. (2, one with imprint), mint and generally fine. Cat. £4,500+	£800-1,000
x1314 ★ ⊕	1930-44 issue collection of blocks of four or larger up to twenty, comprising ½d. (6, two with paper joins), 1d. (16 with marginal letters A, B (2), D (2) and E) and Darmstadt trials, one frame only and one with only one pair of vignettes, 2d. slate-grey and lilac (7, one with doctor blade flaws), 3d. black and red (4), 3d. blue (8), 4d. re-drawn (4), 6d. (6) and 2/6d. (7), and horizontal pairs with ½d. (2), 1d., 2d. slate-grey and lilac, 3d. black and red, 6d. (5, one watermark upright and one with large green printing smudge), 1/- (5, four with arrows, all watermark upright) and 2/6d. green and brown with inverted watermark, mint and generally fine	£400-500
x1315 ★	1930-44 unhyphenated 2d. blue and violet horizontal pairs (2) in contrasting shades, mint; one with a hinge remainder. S.G. 44e, £700	£100-120
1316 ⊕ ⊕	1964-72 ½c. Kingfisher imperforate block of four from the top of the sheet, hinged in the margin only with the stamps remaining unmounted; fine. S.G. A238a, £800+. Photo	£200-250
x1317 ⊕ ⊕	1974 Centenary of U.P.U. 15c., imperforate proof colour separation trials (4), comprising bright blue, deep violet, bright blue and sage-green, and deep violet and orange-brown, all in marginal blocks of four	£100-120

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- x1318 ⑥ 1974 Definitive issue selection of proofs, etc., comprising 3c. flower outline in deep purple and in rose-pink, both in blocks of six, 3c. complete design pair, 5c. bird outline in grey block of eight and complete design block of six, 7c. fish outline in deep purple block of six and in rose-pink blocks of six (2) and eight, and 20c. bird outline in block of four in black and complete design blocks of four (2), all imperforate, 7c. perforated colour trial blocks of four (2), 20c. pair with variety **black omitted**, and a few issued stamps. A good group for the thematic collector £300-400
- x1319 ⑥ 1976 (Apr.) World Bowls Champions 15c., a sheet of the gold foil used for the overprint showing 110 impressions (5x22) and four "P1054" controls after the overprint was made; a couple of creases though a most unusual and possibly unique item £200-250
- x1320 ★ 1977 Definitive 4c. marginal pair, variety **imperforate**, 6c. (marginal) variety **value omitted**, and 1984 Building 11c. pink marginal block of four with vertical perforations misplaced 5mm. to left; fine unmounted mint £120-150

SOUTH AUSTRALIA

1855 Printed in London

- 1321 ○ 1d. dull green, very large margins all round and showing frameline of adjoining stamp at foot, cancelled with Adelaide obliterator leaving profile clear; scarce in this very fine condition. Holcombe Opinion (1993). S.G. 1, £500. Photo £250-300
- 1322 ○ 1d. dull green, large to very large margins all round and showing frameline of adjoining stamp at right, neatly part numeral cancellation at upper right; a fine example of this classic stamp. S.G. 1, £500. Photo £200-250
- 1323 ○ 2d. rose-carmine (8 with a strip of four and four singles, one with huge margins, largely considered London prints) and 6d. blue (3 with a pair); also 1856-58 2d. and 1/-, 1858-59 1/- pair and a few later (11); generally fine £250-300
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- x1324 ○ 1860-69 second rouletted, 1/- dark grey-brown block of ten (5x2), neatly cancelled by void obliterator, the top left stamp with small tear at top and the top right stamp creased, nevertheless an impressive multiple and probably the largest known. Rare. S.G. 40. Photo £400-500

SOUTHERN RHODESIA

- x1325 1924 1d., 2d., 3d., 4d., 1/- and 2/- blocks of four 1½d. block of six, 6d. strip of three, 8d. and 2/6d. pairs, imperforate printers proofs with various size punch holes, issued stamps with 1d. (block of four) to 5/- with 10d., 2/6d. and 5/- shades, ½d. vertical interpanneau pairs (2), both imperforate between upper stamp and margin and 1d. imprint pair imperforate between stamp and interpanneau margin, mint £400-500
- x1326 ⑥ 1935-53 selection of imperforate printers proofs with punch holes, comprising 1932 2d. vignette (2) and complete design singles, 2d. frame, 2d. and 3d. complete design in blocks of four, 1935 1d. and 2d., 1937 1d. complete design and 2d. vignette pair, 1940 1½d. frame pair and complete design single, 2d. vignette single and complete design pair, 1947 Victory set in blocks of four and 6d. interpanneau block of sixteen, and 1953 Rhodes ½d. vignette and complete design block of four and a single, 1d. block of four and 1/- singles (2); also 1935 Jubilee 1d. and 2d. printers samples each overprinted "WATERLOW & SONS LTD", both with a small punch hole, a few others, and modern covers (8). An interesting lot £500-600

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SOUTH WEST AFRICA

South African Occupation

- x1327 ☒ Kuibis: 1916 (June) envelope to Keetmanshoop bearing 1d. with fine strike of the part rubber datestamp, made from the German canceller with the German eagle and lettering removed, boxed censor cachet alongside, arrival datestamp on reverse. Putzel B2 £100-120
- x1328 ☒ Neuheuis: 1918 (21 Jan.) envelope to Windhoek bearing ½d. pair with two superb rubber datestamps in violet, "100" censor label at top and censor cachet at foot, arrival datestamp on reverse, and 1935 "O.H.M.S." printed Rainfall Record report form to Windhoek with fine converted datestamp. Putzel 3, 4 £120-150
- x1329 ☒ Ondonga: 1916 (Oct.) printed Weather Report to Windhoek with rubber datestamp in violet, Tsumeb and arrival datestamps on reverse and 1920 (July) envelope (fractionally truncated) to Finland bearing 2½d. similarly cancelled with the datestamp in a more worn state, transit and arrival datestamp on reverse. A scarce pair. Putzel 1 £180-200
- x1330 ☒ Otavifontein: 1918 (Mar.) envelope to Switzerland, bearing 1d. (3) cancelled with two strikes of the "59" military datestamp and circular datestamps of the same date, censor cachet with manuscript date at left, censor label cancelled with Cape Town Censor datestamp (30.3) on reverse; scarce. Putzel 2. Photo £120-150
- x1331 ☒ Otjiwarongo: 1915 (7 Dec.) ½d. card (two punch holes at foot) to Swakopmund cancelled with "57" military datestamp with "Otjiwarongo" handstamp applied above, censor cachet and arrival datestamp (12.12) alongside, senders cachet at foot. Scarce, being in use for just three months. Putzel 2 £120-150
- x1332 ☒ Seeis: 1916 (2 Nov.) ½d. green card to Keetmanshoop cancelled with a good strike of the rare double-ring rubber datestamp, arrival datestamp on reverse, and 1920 June envelope to Seeis franked at 1½d. and showing a good strike of the converted datestamp struck on arrival, "Unclaimed" and returned to Windhoek arriving back via Gobabis in December. Putzel 2, 3b. Photo for first £200-250
- x1333 ☒ Tses: 1916 (Oct. and Nov.) *Gries* homemade envelopes to Windhoek, both bearing ½d. (2) cancelled with good strikes of the rubber datestamp and with transit and/or arrival datestamps on reverse, both with censor labels and the latter also with boxed censor cachet; an unusual pair with early dates for this scarce datestamp. Putzel 4 £120-150
- x1334 ☒ Censored Mail: A collection of envelopes/cards (36, seven registered) with a few to overseas destinations showing a variety of the circular numeral types or labels with numbers between 99 and 106, also envelopes/cards (3) from Prisoners of War £300-350

- x1335 1923-63 mint and used selection on stockpages, including 1927 2/6d. imprint pair, 1931 Pictorial ½d. to 20s., Air 3d. and 10d. unmounted mint, 1938 Voortrekker Centenary (8 sets), 1938 Voortrekker Commemoration (5 sets), 1939 Huguenots, 1954 1d. to 10/- (2 sets), Official 1929 1d. watermark inverted, etc., chiefly fine £150-200

1923 (1 Jan.-17 June) Setting I

- x1336 6d., 1/-, 1/3d., 2/6d. and 10/- horizontal pairs, all overprinted "SPECIMEN" vertically at left; ½d., 1d., 3d., 4d., 6d., 1/-, 1/3d. and 2/6d. horizontal pairs all showing damaged "A" in "Afrika", the 3d. with one stamp thinned, the Specimen group unused with some toning mainly confined to reverse £500-600
- x1337 ★ ½d. to 5/- mint collection of pairs, blocks of four and other multiples with interpanneau blocks, and with some showing plate numbers, including ½d. pairs (4), strips of three and four and a blocks of four (4) with misplaced overprints, 1d. pairs (4) and a blocks of four (2) with misplaced overprints, 2d. pair (no gum) with **overprint inverted**, 2/6d. pairs (7) and a block of four, and 5/- pairs (5); generally good to fine with viewing recommended £400-500

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x1338 ★ ㊄	½d. Plate 5 block of forty, lower left and lower right blocks of sixty, interpanneau block of forty and interpanneau block of forty without plate number, and ½d. Plate 6 upper left and upper right panes of sixty, a few with minor varieties and useful study multiples, good to fine mint with many unmounted. S.G. 1, £990+	£150-200
x1339 ★ ㊄	½d. green block of twelve from a right-hand pane with margins at left and right, variety misplaced overprint with the pairs showing “Africa./Afrika.” over “South West/Zuid-West”, mint; a fraction toned and with a few pairs in the top row with perfs. re-inforced. A scarce multiple	£300-400
x1340 ★	1/3d. pale violet marginal horizontal pair from the left of the sheet, variety overprint inverted , fine mint. Scarce. S.G. 8a, £400. Photo	£200-250
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x1341 ○	1923 (31 Mar.) Setting II 5/- and 10/- horizontal pairs, used, 5/- with two small thins, the 10/- with a perfs. separated and a fraction soiled, otherwise sound, S.G. 13, 14, £1,125	£150-200
x1342 ○	1924 (29 June) Setting IV 2/6d. purple and green horizontal pairs (3), one with large part Luderitz 1924 datestamp, one with two part Walvis Bay 1925 datestamps and one with indistinct German type datestamp; good to fine and an attractive trio. S.G. 28, £510	£140-180
x1343 ★ ㊄	1927 (Aug.) S.W.A. £1 pale olive-green and red upper right corner block of four with plate number, mint and mounted in margins only; light horizontal fold in top margin. A scarce positional multiple. B.P.A. Certificate (2017). S.G. 57. Photo	£400-500
1344 ㊄ ㊄	1931 (Aug.) flight envelope from Omaruru to Windhoek bearing 1930 overprint at top 1d. upper right corner block of four, 1932 (Jan.) first flight envelopes (3) comprising Windhoek to Salisbury bearing Air 3d. pair, Keetmanshoop registered to Cape Town bearing Air 3d. and 10d. pairs and Windhoek registered to Bulawayo bearing Air large overprint later printing 3d. and 1/-; a fine quartet. Stamps cat. £270	£80-100
x1345 ㊄ ㊄	1942-43 War Effort ½d. to 1/- set of eight, the 1/- from the 1944 printing, all in panes of 120, unmounted mint; odd slight stain, folds splitting some perfs, chiefly fine. S.G. 123-130. Also 1945 Victory block of four proofs of the overprint on wove paper, fine	£200-250
x1346 ㊄ ㊄	1943-44 War Effort ½d. and 1d. complete sheets of sixty units, 1½d. corner block of sixty units, 2d. marginal blocks of twelve and twenty-four units, 3d. sheet of thirty-six units, 4d. corner block of fifty units and 6d. marginal block of fifty-four units, unmounted mint and nearly all fine. Cat. £1,000+	£150-200
x1347 ㊄	1964 Assembly Hall 3c. colour trials (3) in singles and pairs, 1965 Anniversary of Windhoek 3c. colour trials in two different shades in blocks of four, 1970-71 ½c. proof block of ten (5x2) with sheet numbers at both sides, 1½c. proof block of four and an issued block of twenty-one; generally fine. Cat. R.22,400+	£300-350
x1348 ㊄	1964 Dr. Vedder 3c. and 15c. colour trials, 3c. Swiss paper U.P.U. Tokyo printing block of fifteen with sheet margins on three sides and a single, and 1968 (Jan.) Swart 15c. Harrison paper U.P.U. printing corner block of six; fine. Cat. R.13,100+	£150-200
x1349 ㊄ ㊄	1968 (20 Apr.) envelope (complete with contents, charred corners) from Windhoek to Germany and from mail recovered from Boeing 707 (The “Pretoria”) which crashed at Windhoek on 21 April with the loss of 123 persons, accompanied by a typed explanatory notice from the Windhoek Postmaster; scarce	£180-200
x1350 ㊄ ㊄	1968 (20 Apr.) charred remnants of an envelope and aerogramme from Windhoek to Germany and from mail recovered from Boeing 707 (The “Pretoria”) which crashed at Windhoek on 21 April with the loss of 123 persons, both accompanied by a typed explanatory notice from the Windhoek Postmaster and the envelope with an “ambulance” cover for onward transmission; scarce	£150-200

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South West Africa - contd.

x1351 ⑩	1970 (Feb.) Water 2½c. and 3c. imperforate proof pairs and interpanneau pairs, perforated 2c. pair with minor green shift and 3c. block of four and a pair with missing phosphor, and 1972 RSPCA 5c., the upper cat with apparent variety yellow omitted ; generally fine. Cart. R.3,300+	£100-120
x1352 ⑩	1973 (May) Paintings imperforate proofs comprising 2c. (2, one with out black colour), 4c. and 10c. blocks of four, and perforated 5c. pair and 15c. block of four, both with large gutter margins. Cat. R5,200+	£150-200
x1353 ⑩	1973 (Sept.) Succulents selection of proof items with set of sixteen imperforate pairs, 1c. set of three progressive proofs and as issued, all in imperforate blocks of four, and coil stamps 1c., 2c. and 5c. perforated blocks of ten (2x5), the 2c. imperforate horizontally; fine. Cat. R. 21,800+	£400-500
x1354 ①	1973 (Sept.) Succulents selection comprising 1c., 3c. (9 with a pair and a strip of four) and 10c., all variety value omitted (or hugely misplaced on the strip with only one value showing), 3c. pair with value misplaced, 3c. with whole design misplaced, 7c. marginal strip of three with design misplaced 3mm. horizontally, and 20c. pair with variety extra cactus due to misplaced lilac; fine unmounted mint. Cat. R. 12,000	£250-300
x1355 ①ⓑ	1973 (Sept.) Succulents 1c. cylinder block of six (3x2), variety value omitted , fine unmounted mint. A scarce multiple. SACC 250a, R.21,000	£250-300
x1356 ⑩	1974 (Feb.) Rare Birds selection of imperforate proofs, comprising the set of four in pairs, 15c. set of three progressive or issued colours in marginal "arrow" blocks of four and 15c. issued colours large part sheet divided in to blocks of eighteen and twenty-seven; fine	£250-300
x1357 ⑩ⓐ	1974 (Apr.) Rock-Engravings set of three in blocks of six, 1975 (Mar.) Birds of Prey set of four in strips of three and sets of three (10c.)/four, and 1976 (Mar.) set of four in marginal blocks of six (2x3), all imperforate proofs with one group of the Birds marginal and signed by the designer with instructions to the printer for charges in colour to two values. Cat. R.30,000+	£300-400
x1358 ①	1974 (Apr.) Rock-Engravings 5c., variety black omitted , unmounted mint; trace of a horizontal bend at foot and small mark on gum. Scarce. SACC 274a, R.75,000; S.G. 265a, £1,200. Photo	£400-500
x1359 ⑩ⓐ	1974 (Sept.) Diamond Mining set in pairs, 1974 (Nov.) Trek 4c. marginal block of four, 1975 (July) Historic Monuments set in blocks of four, 1976 (May) Historic Castles set in marginal strips of four and 1976 (Sept.) Modern Buildings set in marginal blocks of twelve, all imperforate proofs; fine. Cat. R.20,400+	£250-300
x1360 ⑩	1975 (Oct.) Schroder Paintings imperforate proofs, comprising set of four in interpanneau tête-bêche pair (folded between) and the miniature sheet; fine. Cat. R.17,000+	£200-250
x1361 ①	1977 (Mar.) Namib Desert 4c., marginal from the left of the sheet, variety two colours omitted , fine unmounted mint. Scarce. SACC306a, R.20,000. Photo	£300-350
Official Stamps		
1362 ①ⓑ	1938 (1 July)1½d. purple-brown right-hand pane imprint block of twelve (six pairs), the lower left South West Africa variety "OFFICIAL" for "OFFICIAL", the stamps unmounted mint; crease at upper right affecting one pair, well clear of the variety pair. S.G. O17, a, £410+	£120-150

Postage Due Stamps

- x1363 ★ ㊦ 1923 (Jan.-July) Setting I South Africa De La Printing 3d. black and blue lower right corner block of fifteen (3x5) showing progressive overprint displacement to foot resulting in the lower row with "Africa./Afrika." over perforations at foot, Row 8/6 variety "Wes" for "West", fresh mint; one non-variety stamp with thin spot, otherwise fine. Also 1924 Setting VI on South Africa Pretoria printing 2d. upper left corner block of eight showing sharp offset of overprint, 1927 6d. marginal block of twenty-four and 1928-29 on South Africa 1922-26 3d. marginal block of six, both showing fine offset of value. S.G. D4, 4a, 30, 38, 40 £100-120
- x1364 ★ 1923 (July) Setting II, South Africa Pretoria printing rouletted 1d. black and rose vertical pair with offset of overprint on reverse, mint with the lower stamp unmounted. A great rarity in any form with a vertical pair undoubtedly rarer than the traditional horizontal pair. S.G. D13 var. Photo £2,500-3,000

Covers and Cancellations

- x1365 ㊦ 1923-27 covers (12, all registered) from Kolmankop (3), Windhoek (3) and other offices and addressed internally (6), to South Africa, Australia, Austria or Germany (3), variously franked and with various styles of datestamp; an attractive group £140-180
- x1366 ㊦ 1923-25 covers (11) from a variety of offices and addressed internally (3), to Cape Town, Canada, England and Germany (5), variously franked with a variety of datestamp types and including one to England routed via U.S.A. with Postage Due 2c. (2) and the one to Cape Town bearing 2d. with Kub rubber datestamp in violet £140-180
- x1367 ㊦ 1923 (30 Jan.) firms printed envelope from Wilhelmstal to Luderitzbucht, bearing Union ½d. green pair in combination with Setting I ½d. pair cancelled with three adapted type datestamps, Windhoek and arrival datestamps on reverse. A rare mixed franking usage which were only permitted during January 1923. Briefmarkenprüsstelle Certificate (2000) £250-300
- x1368 ㊦ 1924-31 covers/cards (34, six registered) addressed internally, to South Africa or Germany, bearing a variety of frankings, half from Windhoek, one from Hofmeyr to Windhoek bearing 1d. block of six each cancelled with unframed rubber datestamp with a superb strike of the intaglio "HOFMEYR/O.O" handstamp below, manuscript registration marking at lower left, subsequently franked with 2d. cancelled with Mariental, datestamp, one from Okombahe and two on flight covers. Also 1968 envelope registered from Karibib to Germany bearing 1923 2/6d. pair £200-250
- x1369 ㊦ 1926 (Feb.-Mar.) envelopes (3) from Ukamas to Keetmanshoop with manuscript cancellations, one bearing ½d. pair, one registered (370x138mm., folded at centre) bearing 2d. and 1926 4d. and one a 4d. registered envelope uprated with 1d., all cancelled "Ukamas" in manuscript with date below, the first two also cancelled with Kalkfontein datestamp in transit. A scarce trio £100-120
- x1370 ㊦ ㊦ 1936 (27 Mar.) envelope registered from Windhoek "Via Cairo, Saigon, Canton, Philippines" to U.S.A., bearing 1924 Setting IV 2/6d. pair and 1930 Air 4d. and 1/- neatly cancelled, Chicago transit datestamp on reverse £120-150
- x1371 ㊦ 2004-09 envelopes (4, two registered, one to Germany) bearing Standard Mail 2005 90c., 2007 90c. and \$1.50, all with **overprint inverted**, and 2007 Registered Mail \$1.20 with **overprint double**; a scarce and unusual quartet £100-120

Photo for lot 1364 appears on page 125

SUDAN

x1372 ★ 1903 5m. on 5pi. brown and green, variety **surcharge inverted**, large part original gum; fine. Signed Helbig. S.G. 29a, £325 £80-100

Postage Due Stamps

1373 1897-1901 *Egyptian Royal Collection* range (150) on original pages and auction folder, including 1897 set in mint vertical strips of six (1p. separated into a pair and a strip of four), mint and used (2) blocks of four and singles (2), and a couple of bisects on pieces, and 1901 mint and used (2) blocks of four; generally good to fine £150-200

SWAZILAND

1889-92 Issue

x1374 ★ A mint selection comprising ½d. (14 with a block of four), 1d. (16 with blocks of four and six), 2d. (5), 6d. (6) and 1/- (18 with blocks of four and ten), and red overprint ½d. (9 with a block of four, one with offset of overprint on reverse), generally good to fine, not all guaranteed, and used ½d. (4 with a pair), 2d. (3 with a pair on piece), red overprint ½d., a few forgeries and Transvaal (6) and South Africa (3) used in Swaziland; also an example of the Harvey Pirie handbook £200-250

x1375 ★ 1912 Perf. 12½ 6d. blue complete sheet of sixty (10x6), fresh mint with most stamps remaining unmounted; the left-hand margin severed and some perfs. across the sheet severed, otherwise sound. A rare multiple. S.G. 6 £400-500

x1376 ★ 1912 Perf. 12½, overprinted in carmine, ½d. grey complete sheet of sixty (10x6), mint; some perfs. severed and strengthened, and a few fox marks in places, otherwise sound. A scarce multiple. S.G. 10 £120-150

†1377 1902 (12 June) envelope to England, marked at lower left corner "A N Grieve M O Steinaecker's Horse Pigg's Peak" and bearing E.R.I. 1d. red and green neatly cancelled by Field Post Office 26 (Barberton) datestamp with triangular-framed "PASSED PRESS/CENSOR./BARBERTON" cachet in violet, very late use of a censor cachet after war was officially over, and 1902 (30 Oct.) "Army Telegraphs & Signals" telegram form from the postmaster at Barberton to the Special Commissioner at Pigg's Peak advising of the re-opening of the post office at Mbabane and requesting him to arrange a temporary office and sleeping accommodation £150-200

†1378 ★ 1933 ½d. to 10/- set of ten with additional 2/6d. and 5/- blocks of four, mint with gum a fraction toned. Also unused ½d. stationery card. S.G. 11-20, £392+ £100-120

x1380 1978 10th. Anniversary of Independence collection of thirty-two imperforate progressive colour proofs in blocks of four, comprising 4c., 6c., 10c. (4), 15c. (4), 25c. (4) and 50c. (4), together with one of each in the issued form, and pairs in the issued form, all on gummed CA watermarked paper. A fine group £150-200

x1381 ★ 1984 Surcharges, 30c. on 1c. and 30c. on 2c. horizontal pairs, both variety **surcharge omitted in pair with normal**, fine mint. S.G. 475a, £375, 476ab, unpriced £200-250

x1382 1984 Surcharges, 30c. on 2c. horizontal pair, variety **surcharge omitted in pair with normal**, fine mint, and 30c. on 2c. used strip of three, variety **surcharge double**; fine. S.G. 476ab, etc. £150-200

Postage Due Stamps

x1383 1933-71 collection (96) including 1933 1d. (3) and 2d. (3) perforated "SPECIMEN", 1961 2d. on 2d. large and small surcharges, 1961 Decimal surcharges with plate and imprint blocks, and later with plate blocks; also Revenue stamps (4). Generally fine £80-100

SYRIA

- 1384 ☒ 1484 entire letter (worm holes on reverse) from Aleppo to Tripoli with some sealing strip and without postal markings; fine. Photo £250-300
- 1385 Mostly mint collection housed in five stockbooks and on pages contained in a carton, including 1924 Surcharges on Olympic Games, 1926 Refugees set, Air 5p. on 10p. pair on "AU" for "AUX", 1929 Exhibition Postage and Air, 1930-36 set, 1934 Republic Air set, 1936 Fair Postage and Air, 1938 Air miniature sheet, 1944 Lawyers (2), 1945 Millenary set (2), 1945 overprints on Fiscals, 1945 Fiscal 200p., 1946-47 Postage and Air, 1958 Damascus Fair miniature sheet, 1958 Childrens Day, later issues to 2006, Alaouites 1925 0p.10 to 25p. on 5f., 1925 Air, 1929-30 Air 0p. 50 overprint inverted block of four, Latakia 1931-34 0p.10 to 200p., 1931 Postage Due 8p., 15p., 1931-33 Air set, Alexandrette, etc., chiefly fine. A valuable and useful lot £800-1,000

TANGANYIKA

- x1386 ○ 1917-21 G.E.A. 6c. scarlet, variety **watermark sideways**, lightly cancelled; spot of sealing wax on "A" of overprint and a few small faults (corner crease and surface rubbing) though of reasonable appearance and a sound example of this very rare stamp. The first example of this variety that we record offering. S.G. 48a, £2,500. Photo £400-500

TASMANIA

- x1387 ○ 1853 (Nov.) Courier 1d. blue on medium soft yellowish paper, good to large margins; soiled and thin in lower left corner, otherwise sound. S.G. 2, £1500. Photo £400-500

1855 Printed in London

- x1388 ○ 1d. carmine horizontal strip of three with mainly good to large margins (centre stamp just cut-into at foot), lightly cancelled "29" at Evandale, fine. R.P.S. Certificate (1991). S.G. 14. Photo £1,500-1,800
 PROVENANCE:
 W.E. Tinsley, October 1990
- 1389 ○ 1d. carmine, good to large margins and neatly cancelled "64", fine and most attractive. S.G. 1, £900. Photo £350-400
- 1390 ○ 2d. deep green, clear to large margins with trace of adjoining stamp at top, small part cancellation at top leaving Queen's portrait clear, and 4d. blue (2), both with clear to good or enormous margins. A fine trio. S.G. 15, 18, £810. Photo for 2d. £250-300
 PROVENANCE:
 William Frazer, September 2003, for 2d.
- 1391 ○ 2d. green with large margins all round and showing portion of adjoining stamp at left, neatly cancelled "64". A choice example of this classic stamp. Ceremuga Certificate (2006). S.G. 16, £450. Photo £250-300
- 1392 ☒ 4d. blue, three very good to large margins (just touched at left), neatly cancelled "68" and clearly tied on 1856 (30 May) entire (repaired spike hole) from Hobart to Geelong, Victoria, showing Pre-Paid and "SHIP LETTER/FREE/GEELONG VICTORIA" datestamps in red, both on face; adhesive with light fold at top though most attractive. S.G. 18 £100-120

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Tasmania - contd.

- 1393 ○ 1856-57 thin white paper, no watermark, 2d. dull emerald-green, good to large margins, small part cancellation at foot leaving Queen's portrait clear; a fine and most attractive example of this scarce stamp. S.G. 20, £950. Photo £400-500
- PROVENANCE:
William Frazer, September 2003
- 1394 ○ 1856 (Nov.) pelure paper, 1d. deep red-brown, clear to large margins and showing trace of adjoining stamp at top, lightly cancelled "68". A fine example of this scarce and delicate stamp. R.P.S. Certificate (1930). S.G. 24, £750. Photo £350-400
- 1395 ○ 1857-91 Chalon Head predominantly used selection (54), including 1857-59 1d. (2), 2d. (4) and 4d. (5), 1858 1/- (3), 1860-67 6d. (3), and a perforated range with values to 1/-, ten pen-cancelled, and a later selection with some Sidefaces; mixed condition £120-150
- 1396 R® 1858 6d. rejected die without lettering and with fancy oval surrounds, die proofs in green, carmine, orange and deep orange, all on surfaced thin card (46-63x47-90mm.). A most attractive quartet £300-400
- x1397 ② 1858 6d. and 1/- imperforate plate proof pairs in black on wove paper, the 6d. with outer frameline touched, fine £200-250



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- 1398 ☒ 1859 (12 Dec.) entire letter from Hobart Town "Via Marseilles" to London, bearing 1857-59 1d. red-brown, 2d. green and 1858 Perkins Bacon 6d. dull lilac and 1/- vermilion, all with clear to large margins except 6d. which is touched at right, all neatly cancelled "62" with the 6d. additionally tied by "GENERAL-POST-OFFICE/HOBART-TOWN" despatch datestamp of 13 December, arrival datestamp (4.2) on reverse; the 2d. value a little soiled, otherwise a spectacular and most attractive four-colour franking of great rarity. Holcombe (1984) and B.P.A. (2014, incorrectly identifying the 6d. as S.G. 48) Certificates. Photo £4,000-5,000

PROVENANCE:
Koichi Sato, June 2014



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Ex 1390



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Ex 1433



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Tasmania - contd.

- 1399 ☒ 1860 envelopes (3) ex the *Murdock* correspondence from Hobart to Glasgow, one at the rare 9d. per ¼oz. rate bearing 1d., 2d. and 6d. cancelled “62”, the other two bearing 6d. shades cancelled “48” or “62”; also 1866 mourning envelope from Hobart to Melbourne bearing 6d. grey-violet with mute obliterator; condition rather mixed though an unusual group. Photo for first £400-500
- 1400 ⊕田 1871-91 perf. 11½ 6d. dull lilac block of four from the top of the sheet, fine mint. S.G. 135, £900+ £100-120
- 1401 ☒ 1878 (6 July) double rate mourning envelope from Fingal “*Via Brindisi*” to England, bearing Chalon perf. 11½ 6d. bright violet pair and Sideface perf. 11½ 2d. green pair (one with small corner tear) each cancelled with superb strikes of “34” numeral and with fine despatch datestamp below, Launceston (7.7) and Bridgenorth (27.8) datestamps on reverse. A scarce and highly attractive mixed-issue franking. S.G. 138, 145a. Photo £500-600
 PROVENANCE:
 David Cohen, July 2007
- 1402 ★田 1880-91 perf. 11½ 1d. vermilion-red double pane of 120 less the left-hand pane upper right corner block of four and the right-hand pane lower right corner block of four, fresh mint with nearly all unmounted. An attractive multiple. S.G. 160a, £1,232 £200-250

TOBAGO



1403

- 1403 ★ 1879 £1 mauve, an upper right corner example with **double perforations at top and at right**, lovely fresh bright colour, large part original gum. A remarkable and highly attractive example of this rare stamp. S.G. 6, £4,250. Photo £2,500-3,000

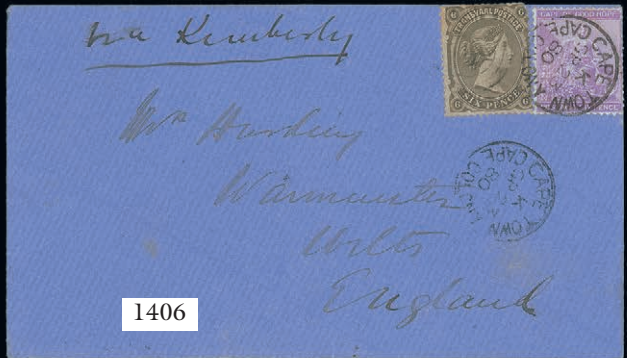
TRANSVAAL

- 1404 1870 Viljoen medium paper, rouletted 1d. (7 with a marginal strip of three and a pair), 1871 Otto 3d., 1872-74 Borrius, thin transparent paper 1d., thin opaque paper 6d. and thickish wove paper 6d. (two shades), 1874 Davis 6d., all unused, 1875-77 Stamp Commission, very thin pelure paper 1d. used, 1877 (June) imperf. 1d., 6d. and 1/- used, 3d. unused, 1877-79 3d. mauve on blue used and 1878-80 1d. (2), 3d. (2) and 6d. (2) used; condition mixed though an interesting group £120-180
- 1405 ☒ 1880 (Apr.) envelope from Lydenburg “*Per Mail Steamer*” to Ireland, bearing 1878 6d. olive-black cancelled “13” in concentric circles and in combination with Cape of Good Hope 6d. mauve cancelled in Cape Town, showing despatch, additional Cape Town and Limerick (19.5) datestamps, all on face. An attractive combination franking from the first British Occupation period. Photo £400-500
Note: After 1 April 1880 letters to overseas destinations could be sent with Transvaal stamps only, though for a while after this date covers are found with combination frankings until Cape stamps had been used up by the Post Offices
- 1406 ☒ 1880 (Sept.) blue envelope from Pretoria “*via Kimberley*” to England, bearing 1878 6d. olive-black cancelled “1” in concentric circles and in combination with Cape of Good Hope 6d. mauve cancelled at Cape Town (23.9) with a further strike below, the reverse with despatch, Bath and Warminster (18.10) datestamps; attractive. Photo £400-500

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DEED OF TRANSFER

Transvaal - contd.

- 1407 ☒ 1884 (12 Aug.) envelope from Pretoria to England, bearing 1883 Celliers 1d. black and 3d. pale red (3, each with one row of perfs. cut away) all cancelled "1" in concentric circles and with despatch datestamp alongside, the reverse (part flap missing) with Cape Town (19.8) and Welwyn datestamps. Photo £250-300
- 1408 ☒ 1888 (Oct.) envelope from Zeerust "Via Kimberley - Capetown" to Sweden, bearing ½d., 3d. and 6d. for the 9½d. rate, twice cancelled "8" and with despatch datestamp and "2½d" accountancy handstamp in red alongside, various transit datestamps on reverse; a few small faults though an unusual rate and scarce destination. Photo £180-200
- 1409 ☒ 1889-1909 covers/cards (20) and a large front with a range of explanatory markings, including manuscript "Missent to Worcester Cape Colony", "POST TOO LATE/1" (5), "POSTED LATE", "POSTED OUT OF COURSE", "OFFICIALLY REDIRECTED", "OFFICIALLY RE-ADDRESSED", bi-lingual "INSUFFICIENT ADDRESS", "UNKNOWN" and "GONE NO ADDRESS", the front with manuscript "Late fee Paid" £250-300
- 1410 ☒ 1889-96 envelopes (13) mainly to Europe with a variety of values and frankings, three bearing 1895 1d. on 2½d. to Pretoria (2), Vienna (1 or 2) and USA (4), one from Pilgrim's Rest to England with 2d. olive-bistre (4), another from Pietersburg to England with 6d. pale blue, and three large items from Johannesburg to the Secretary of the Gold Fields of South Africa Ltd. in London franked at 1/- (2) or 2/6d. £250-300
- 1411 ☒ 1893-1908 envelopes (15, eight registered) and cards (10), largely to Europe at various rates, one to London and redirected to Rotterdam with ½d. and 1d. added for redirection, one registered cover to York with "CAUTION" label on reverse, 1893 1d. card, uprated with 1d. on 6d. (an unusual commercial usage of this stamp), and 1897 envelope from Pretoria to Germany with imprint of the ZAR Explosive Manufacturers £200-250
- 1412 ☒ 1895-1909 envelopes/cards (20) and a front addressed within South Africa or to Europe, all underfranked and with a variety of tax markings including "½D", "T" oval or circular types with Roman numerals below (6, one from Roberts Heights), "MORE TO PAY/ABOVE OZS" (5, a couple with Roman numerals below) and one to Sweden bearing "LOSEN" label and 4ö and 20ö adhesives affixed as Postage Dues. An interesting group £250-300
- 1413 ☒ 1901-02 Boer War covers/cards (17), mostly outgoing though with incoming from Germany, Holland and Queensland, including three unstamped soldiers covers with Army or Field P.O. datestamps, others civilian with many showing tax handstamps and censor marks £250-300
- 1414 ☉ 1902 set of twelve, 1903 set of four and 1905-09 set of four, all overprinted "SPECIMEN", part to large part gum and generally good to fine. Cat. £585 £140-180
- Incoming Mail**
- 1415 ☒ 1895 (Nov.) envelope from Pasadena to Johannesburg bearing 5c. brown, showing "ONAFGEHAALD", "OEPUBLICEEERD" (faint) and bi-lingual "Not called for" instructional handstamps, the reverse with "ONAFLIAALBE BRIEFVENDEP/Z.A.R." and Cape Town R.L.O. datestamps, and 1896 (June) envelope from New York to England and redirected to Johannesburg, bearing 5c. brown and showing rare "DEBIT" handstamp alongside circular-framed "5D" postage due handstamp. An unusual pair £100-120
- 1416 ☒ 1900-13 covers/cards (16) from the Cape, Europe or Australia, variously franked and all underpaid being charged with a variety of tax markings up to 5d. and/or with Postage Due 1d., one from South Australia and one from Victoria, both with message on front and taxed as letters, one from Germany bearing 10pf. pair with manuscript "Obsolete stamps used 1900". An interesting group £150-200
- 1417 ☒ 1905-17 envelope and postcards (4) from England or U.S.A., four bearing Postage Due 1d., one with circular-framed "1D/T.P.O" and four with circular-framed "T/1D/T.P.O" handstamps; a scarce group £150-200

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TRINIDAD

1847 (16 April) "Lady McLeod"

The steamship "Lady McLeod" plied between Port of Spain and San Fernando carrying passengers, freight and mail. In 1847 the owner, David Bryce, made a stamp available so that those who wished to send letters were able to prepay the charge for carrying them on board the ship



1418

1418 ○

(5c.) blue, good to large margins and neatly cancelled with pen cross. A most appealing example of this very rare local post stamp. R.P.S. Certificate (997) states "Transient flaw at foot of stamp, small surface abrasion", the former under "M", the latter of which is extremely difficult to detect. S.G. 1, £10,000. Photo

£7,000-8,000

PROVENANCE:

Bruno Gozzini, August 2001



1419

1419 ☒

1847 (1 July) entire letter from Gilbert Taylor at Port of Spain to his colleagues at San Fernando, bearing (5c.) blue with clear to very large margins nearly all round and showing fraction of adjoining stamp at upper left corner, just cut-into at lower left corner, clearly cancelled with a strong pen cross, interesting contents including "Nanny says she took the letter down on a Sunday morning and stuck in the tape in the News Room Passage" and "The Snake will be down with goods today"; the letter re-inforced in places though a most attractive example of this rare local stamp on cover. Sismondo (2000) and Brandon (2004) Certificates. S.G. 1. Photo

£12,000-15,000

Trinidad - contd.

- 1420 1863-75 perf. 12½ selection with (1d.) (13, six unused and one on front), 4d. violet/lilac (11, five unused), 4d. grey (2), 6d. (13), 1/- lilac/mauve (8, two unused), 1/- chrome yellow (3), and 1869 perf. 12½ 5/- (7), generally good to fine. Also Tobago 1850 copy of *The Tobago Chronicle* addressed to Scotland without postal markings, the back page with an announcement concerning the introduction of registered letter post at Tobago with the fee being 6d. £200-250

TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

- 1421 ★田 1935 Silver Jubilee set of four in lower left corner blocks of four, one in each with variety *extra flagstaff*, unmounted mint. S.G. 239-242a, £400+ £180-200

TRISTAN DA CUNHA

- 1422 1937-90 mint and used collection housed in two albums and a stockbook contained in a carton, including 1920 (Nov.) stampless envelope to Cape Town with a fine strike of type III cachet (recorded as in use from 8 Feb. 1921), Cape Town arrival of 18 Nov. 1920, 1937-50 covers (7) to South Africa with cachets, 1946 Potato essay, 1952 set mint and used (2), 1954 set mint and used, 1960 to 10/-, 1961 to 1r., 1965-67 set, 1978 Paintings 20p. wmk. Crown to right, later issues with values to £2, booklets with 1958 3/6d., 1960 3/6d., etc., chiefly good to fine £150-200
- 1423 ★ A mint selection in a small stockbook, including 1963 Resettlement and 1965 Ship sets, a range of later issues, and booklets with 1957/58 3/6d., 1958 3/6d., 1960 3/6d. and 1965 4/2d.; the booklets with odd traces of foxing though generally fine £100-120

UNITED ARAB EMIRATES

- 1424 1973-2006 mostly mint collection in a stockbook, including 1973 5f. to 10d., 1973 Traffic week, 1975 Oil Conference set and miniature sheet, 1975 National Day, 1976 Traffic, 1976 5f. to 10d., 1977 5f. to 10d., 1982-86 50d., 1986 Chess set and miniature sheet, 1990-2004 Falcons with values to 50d., 2002 Childrens paintings, later issues, aerogrammes, etc., chiefly fine £250-300

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UNITED STATES

- x1425 ☒ 1857-61 3c. brown type I, tied by Savannah c.d.s. on embossed, hand-coloured ladies envelope to Richmond; fine and most appealing. Photo £150-200
- x1426 ☉田 1901 Pan American Exposition 4c. black and brown, unmounted mint block of four, well-centred, fresh and fine. Also an original gum single. S.G. 302 £50-60

VATICAN

- 1427 1933-74 mint and used collection in an album and a stockbook, including 1933 Holy Year (unmounted), 1934 1L. 30 on 1L. 25, 1935 Juridical, 1936 Catholic Press, 1938 Archaeological Congress, 1948 Tobias Air, 1949 Basilicas, 1951 Beatification, 1951 Gratian Air, 1953 Libri Sententiarium, 1954 Marian Year, later issues, many fine £300-350

VICTORIA

- 1428 ○ 1851-1902 used collection (67), including Half Length 1d. (4), 2d. and 3d. (3), Queen on Throne 2d. (2), Woodblock 6d. (4), Too Late 6d., Registered 1/- and 2/- (on piece), Queen on Throne 1d. pair, Emblems (8), Beaded Ovals (8), Laureated (19 with four 1863-73 2d., one with double printing, and Octagonal 1/, on piece), and Stamp Duty (4); also 1900 Charity 2d. mint; condition a little mixed in places though generally good to fine £300-400
- 1429 ○ 1855 "TOO LATE" 6d. lilac and green without stop (Type 2, [21]), a huge example with light Barred Oval cancellation; very fine. RPSV Certificate (1982). S.G. 33, £250. Photo £120-150
- 1430 ☒ 1856 (Apr.) entire from Melbourne "*p Red Jacket*" to London, bearing 1854 6d. orange cancelled "1" and showing manuscript accountancy "5", Liverpool Australian Packet Paid (8.4) and London Paid (9.4) datestamps, all on face, and 1863 envelope from Sandhurst to Edinburgh, bearing Beaded Oval 3d. blue and 1863 6d. black lightly cancelled, upon arrival redirected locally with 1d. red cancelled with "131" duplex £140-180
- 1431 ☒ 1865 (15 Nov.) envelope with embossed "VIA MARSEILLES" logo in red, from Melbourne to Switzerland, bearing 1863 6d. grey-black and 1865 1/- blue on blue (2) lightly cancelled with "VICTORIA" duplex and showing French entry datestamp and unframed "P.D." in red, arrival datestamp (13.1) on reverse; most attractive. Photo £150-200
- 1432 ○ 1867 (Dec.) Laureated 5/- blue on yellow (20, three with reversed watermark) from the Purves collection and mounted on two of his album pages with photos and notes, variously cancelled; condition very mixed with some faults and defects though a fine lot for the student of these fascinating stamps. Also 1901-12 selection of mint with values to 3d., some in blocks up to twenty, generally fine £400-500
- 1433 ○ 1884 watermark V over Crown Type 33, Stamp Duty £10 mauve and 1897 watermark V over Crown Type 33 £50 bright mauve, both neatly cancelled-to-order with centrally applied Melbourne 15 February 1901 datestamp; fine. S.G. 264, 290, £850. Photo for £50 £300-400
- x1434 ★ 1901-10 wmk V over Crown, perf 12½ 1½d. maroon on yellow, a top left corner vertical pair showing an additional perf. 11 row at top, mint with some hinge remnants. A fine example of this very rare mixed perfs. of which only a couple of examples are recorded. RPSV Certificate (2009). S.G. 411, £1300+. Photo £500-600

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VIRGIN ISLANDS

x1435

1866-99, the award-winning Downing exhibition collection neatly mounted and written-up on sixty-four pages; commencing with 1806-28 pre-stamp covers (4) with "TORTOLA" datestamps; Great Britain Used in Tortola 1d. (2) and 6d. each cancelled "A91"; 1866 1d. die proofs in blue-green, deep blue and lilac, 6d. die proofs in pale green (2), 6d. plate proof in bright blue (2) and rose (2); 1866 issued stamps with 1d. mint blocks of four (3), fifteen and twenty-five and a range of plated singles (55, a few used), **1d. perf. 15x12 unused and used**, 6d. complete sheets (2), both showing A. Cowan & Sons papermakers watermark, and singles (24, a few used); 1867-70 1d. (83 with unused complete sheet and two blocks of four), 6d. (9) and 1/- (19 with a vertical strip of three and a two used); 1867 4d. die proof in lilac, plate proofs (7) in various colours with a marginal block of four in vermilion, and issued stamps with sheet and blocks of four (3) mint and used (5), 1867 1/- with frames superimposed white paper mint sheet and used (6), and greyish paper unused (12) and used (5); 1868 single frameline 1/- (28 with a few used); 1878 1d. watermark upright (57 with a mint sheet and a block of four) and watermark sideways (28) with one imperforate, two handstamped "CANCELLED" and a complete mint sheet; 1879-80 1d. and 2½d. selection, the latter with one handstamped "CANCELLED"; 1883-84 issue range with a few mint multiples; 1887-89 issue with 1d. (5), 4d. (4), 6d. (5) and 1/- (6) each overprinted "SPECIMEN", one of each on pieces ex the De La Rue collection, 1d. (4), 4d., 6d. and 1/- mint sheets and a range of used with 1/- on 1889 envelope registered to London; 1888 "4D" on 1/- unused/mint (17) and used (14), and 1899 Virgin and Lilies issue with Specimen, mint and used sets, a few mint multiples, ½d. **imperforate between stamp and margin**, ½d. corner block of nine with both spelling errors, 2½d. and 4d. on covers and concluding with the famous 4d. "FOURPENCE" error unused and used; condition varies throughout though of generally good to fine appearance and a fine lot for further study or expansion. Photo

£35,000-40,000



Ex 1435

Virgin Islands - contd.

x1436	1866-99 largely unused/mint accumulation on pages and in a stockbook, ranges of the Virgin values to 1/- (52) from various printings and including two unused blocks of four, 1d. die proof in blue-green, later values with some 1d. sheets, De La Rue values and 1899 issue; condition mixed with viewing recommended to appreciate the content	£1,200-1,500
x1437 ☒	1899-1980 range of covers (150+ with two bearing 1899 6d. and c. 60 being KGV) with a good offering of largely philatelic frankings and values to 5/-; postal stationery envelopes and cards with some overprinted "SPECIMEN", and a selection of picture postcards with some modern. An interesting lot with viewing recommended	£1,200-1,500
1438 ★	1899 4d. brown, error "FOURPENC" , unused with part original gum; trace of a crease in one corner, otherwise sound. Scarce. S.G. 46a, £750. Photo	£150-200
x1439	1904-72 accumulation on pages, etc., mint with some blocks, used, Specimen overprints, etc.; condition a little mixed with viewing recommended	£500-600
x1440 ⊗	1916-19 War Stamp 1d. carmine, marginal from the foot of the sheet, variety watermark sideways , unmounted mint; gum a little off white, otherwise fine. Scarce. R.P.S. Certificate (1981). S.G. 78a, £1,100. Photo	£200-250

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

1854 Issue

1441 ○	1d. black vertical pair, good to very large margins and showing portions of four adjoining stamps, both cancelled "1" (Perth) with the upper stamp having a very light strike; a very fine and impressive multiple. B.P.A. Certificate (2003). S.G. 1, £550. Photo	£250-300
1442 ○	1d. black with good to large margins and lightly cancelled, 4d. pale blue (2) with good to large margins, one cancelled "8" (Fremantle), the other with Official 3mm. puncture. Cat. £475+	£140-180
1443 ★	4d. blue marginal pair from the top of the sheet, fresh unused without gum; vertical crease between impressions, otherwise fine and most attractive. B.P.A. Certificate (2003). S.G. 3a, £900+. Photo	£350-400
1444 ○	4d. blue, a deep shade with clear to large margins, neatly cancelled with void oval of bars in red leaving swans head clear; fine and most attractive. S.G. 3a, £250. Photo	£120-150
1445 ★	4d. slate-blue, clear to good margins, unused without gum; small violet handstamp on reverse just shows through to face, otherwise fine. B.P.A. Certificate (2003). S.G. 3c, £4,000. Photo	£800-1,000
1446 ★	1/- pale brown, marginal from the foot of the sheet and showing portion of adjoining stamp at left, unused without gum; fine. B.P.A. Certificate (2003). S.G. 4c, £475. Photo	£200-250
1447 ○	1/- pale brown, small to large margins and neatly cancelled with part 1862 circular datestamp; fine. S.G. 4c, £325. Photo	£150-180
	PROVENANCE: Lord Vestey, May 2015	
1448 ○	1/- pale brown, good to large margins and cancelled with near-complete "Crown/REGISTERED" handstamp; fine and most unusual. S.G. 4c, £325. Photo	£150-180
	PROVENANCE: Lord Vestey, May 2015	

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1857-59 Litho Issue

- x1449 ○ 2d. brown on red (2 slightly varying shades), 6d. grey black (2), used, all touched in places, one 2d. with pre-printing paper flaws; fair to good. S.G. 15, 19, £2,200 £300-350
- 1450 ○ 2d. brown-black on red, variety **printed on both sides**, clear to large margins and showing small portions of two adjoining stamps, lightly cancelled with void oval of bars; very fine. B.P.A. Certificate (2003). S.G. 15a, £800. Photo £300-350
- 1451 ○ 6d. black-bronze, clear to large margins and neatly cancelled "17" (Australind), fine. B.P.A. Certificate (2002). S.G. 18, £650. Photo £240-280
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- 1452 ○ 1860-64 imperforate 6d. sage-green with good to large margins, cancelled "8" (Fremantle) and with small part London datestamp in red at lower right corner; fine and most attractive. S.G. 28, £400. Photo £150-180
- Note: This stamp was previously illustrated on the inside back cover of the S.G. Part 1 catalogue*
- 1453 1861-88 largely used selection (36), including 1861 4d. (2) and 1/- (2, on with Official puncture), 1864-79 1/- unused, 1874 1d. on 2d., 1883 perf. 12 4d., and 1888 4d. unused, generally good to fine £100-120

YEMEN

- 1454 ★ Mint selection on pages contained in a carton, including 1949 unissued U.P.U. with sheets, perfs., etc., 1960 Refugee Year imperf. and perf. sets, miniature sheets, 1961 United Nations imperf. and perf. sets, miniature sheet, 1961 Hodeida set and miniature sheet, 1961 Statues, 1962 UNESCO set and miniature sheet, 1962 Maternity perf. and imperf., Hadhramaut Appendix issues, etc., chiefly fine with most unmounted mint £150-200

ZULULAND

- 1455 ☒ 1899 (Mar.) envelope from Nkandhla to England, bearing Natal 1d. rose (2) sharing double-ring datestamp, upon arrival (9.4) marked "*Insufficient address*" and returned (15.4) to Natal and showing "RETURNED LETTER BRANCH/NATAL" datestamp on face, several transit datestamps on reverse; a few small faults though full of character £120-150

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REVENUES

Austria and Hungary

1456 A duplicated mint and used collection in three stockbooks contained in a carton, various types, papers, printings, etc., mixed condition £600-800

Basutoland

1457 1954-67 collection of the stamps, comprising postage values (11 to 10/-/R1 used fiscally with 1d. on receipt, and 25c. on Special Power of Attorney), 1953 £1 mint and £5 used, 1961 Surcharges with Revenue R1 on 10/- used, R1 on £5 mint (9 with an imprint/plate number strip of seven and one with original value cancelled by purple bar) and used on piece with Leribe registration label, R2 on £1 mint (2) and used on piece and R10 on £5 mint (2) and used (3 with a pair and one on piece), 1961 New Currency R1 mint (3 with a corner pair and a marginal single with plate number/s) and used (12 with a block of eight twice cancelled with District Commissioner Mokhotlong oval datestamps and a pair on passport page), R2 mint and used (2, one on fragment with two R10) and R10 mint, and 1967 R1 on R10 mint and used (2). A fine lot £700-800



— 1458 —

1458 ② 1954 £1 and £5 composite handpainted essays in a horizontal format with Arms at left and Queen's head and crown in bistre affixed at centre, the £1 in bright blue, the £5 in dark blue, both on card (38x40mm.) marked "NOT APPROVED". A stunning pair. Photo £1,200-1,500



1459

1459 ② 1954 £5 composite handpainted essay in very close to the issued design, in red-brown and grey with the background in Chinese white and the Queen's head and crown affixed, on card (31x43mm.). A exquisite piece of artwork. Photo £800-1,000

Documents

1460 △	1955 Deed of Transfer bearing 1953 £1 (3, one with fault in one corner), £5 (2) and Postage KGVI 1/- (3), all cancelled with Legal Secretary oval datestamp in violet. Barefoot 80, 81, £495+. Photo	£250-300
1461 △	1956-64 (7) comprising 1956 Mortgage Bond with Postage KGVI 6d. and QE 2/6d, 1957 Deed of Donation with 1953 £1 and £5 (scarce) and Postage 2/6d., 1957 Acknowledgement of Debt with 1953 £1 and Postage 1/- (2), 5/- and 10/-, 1959 Antenuptial Contract with 1953 £1, 1962 Special Marriage License with 1961 R10 on £5, 1964 Lease Agreement with 1961 R1 and Postage 10c. (5) and 1964 Magistrates Court document with 1961 R1, variously cancelled, three in manuscript	£300-400
1462 △	1959 (Nov.) General Notarial Bond bearing 1953 £1 (2) and £5 (9 with a block of four) all dated in manuscript. A rare franking. Barefoot 80, 81, £1,255+. Photo	£500-600
1463 △	1959 (Dec.) Deed of Donation bearing 1942 Native Tax English 10/- on 2/6d. and 1953 £1 (2) dated in manuscript. A rare mixed issue franking. Barefoot 74, 80, £230	£150-200
1464 △	1962 Deed of Donation bearing 1961 R10 on £5 strip of three, 1961 New Currency R1 strip of five and a pair (one with fault in corner) and Postage 5/- dated in manuscript; attractive. Barefoot 85, 86, £220+	£140-180
1465 △	1963 Special Notarial Covering Bond bearing 1961 R10 on £5 block of seven, 1961 New Currency R1 and Postage 10c. pair dated in manuscript. A scarce franking. S.G. 85, 86, £360+	£200-250

Belgium

1466	Duplicated mint and used selection contained in a stockbook, including Affiches, Effets de Commerce Crees a L'Etranger, 1891 Etranger 20f., Luxembourg, etc., mixed condition	£100-150
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Bosnia and Herzegovina

1467 ★ [ⓑ]	1917 Sugar Tax label blocks of 12 (3x4) and 25 (5x5), unused, fine	£100-120
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Cayman Islands

1468 ⊕	1961 £2, £10 and £50, fine unmounted mint. Barefoot 2, 4, 5, £400	£200-250
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France and Colonies

1469	Duplicated mint and mostly used selection housed in two stockbooks contained in a carton, including France with Dimension, Effets de Commerce, Local issues, Algeria, Alsace, Dahomey, Diego Suarez, Indo-China, Ivory Coast, Lebanon, Madagascar, Niger, Senegal, Tunisia, etc., mixed condition	£400-600
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Germany

1470	Duplicated mint and used selection contained in two stockbooks, including 1879 30m., 1907 50m., States, etc., chiefly good to fine	£200-300
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Iraq

1471	Valuable mint and used collection in album and loose, including sets, blocks of four, proofs, varieties, Obligatory Tax, documents, etc., mixed condition. A comprehensive lot	£2,000-2,500
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Revenues - *contd.*

Italy

1472	Atti Amministrativi: 1868-1998 mint and used collection (130+) including 1868 5L. unused, 1869 set unused, 1885 sets mint and used, 1914 surcharge set of four, 1915 5L. 25 and 6L. 30, 1918 2L. 70, 1914 2L. 50 on 2L. mint, 1924 10L. forgery, etc., chiefly good to fine	£200-250
1473	Books, Libraries and Radio: Selection (170) on pages, mostly different, chiefly used, mostly fine	£200-250
1474	Commercial Tax: 1863-2000 mint and used collection (500+) on pages including 1863 proof sheet, errors, 1863 15c. to 15L. two proof sheets of fourteen, 10L. and 15L. mint, 10L. and 15L. forgeries, 25c. to 15L. (12 values) imperforate, 1866 30c. on 25c. surcharge inverted, 12L. on 4L. and 15L. on 4L. 50 forgeries, 1908 Postage Dues, later issues with errors, etc., chiefly good to fine	£800-1,000
1475 ○	Circulars, Patents and Autotransporti: Used collection (93) on pages, including 1930-32 75L. + 2L., 70L. + 2L. (2 different), etc., mixed condition	£100-120
1476	Contracts: 1913-87 mint and used collection (130+) on pages including Verbali di Locazione 1936 2L. 50 to 60L., 1943 300L. on 150L., etc., chiefly good to fine,	£200-250
1477	Customs: Mint and used selection (30) including 1870 Circolazione, Legittimazione and Cabotaggio, etc., mixed condition	£250-300
1478	Fine Art and Cinema: Mint and used collection (70) on pages including 1922 10L. (both), 1922-30 series with twelve different, 1946 20L. green, Catastali 1872 2L. centre inverted, Cinema 1917 5c. on 80c., etc., mixed condition	£400-500
1479	Gunpowder: Mint and used selection (22), including 1873 10L. (2 mint, one used), 1902 Tassa Pagata, 1924 surcharge set used, 1924 1L., 2L., etc., chiefly good to fine	£100-120
1480	Luxury Goods and Hotels: 1920-38 mint and used collection (150+) on pages including 1920 with values to 150L. in mint pairs, 1921 with values to 150L. in mint pairs, 5L. centre inverted mint block of four pairs, 10L. (2) and 50L. (2) forgeries, etc., chiefly good to fine	£250-300
1481	Matches and Cigarette paper: 1895-1971 mint and used collection (250+) on pages, chiefly different, mixed condition	£180-200
1482	National Insurance: Mint and used collection (600+) on pages, including Political Victims, etc., unused and used, chiefly good to fine	£1,200-1,500
1483	Passports and Consular: Mint and used collection (470+) on pages including 1864 1L., 10L., Foreign Affairs 1L.50 two proof sheets, 1909 2L. and 10L. die proofs on glazed card, 1914 1L., 5L. used, 1915 2L. 50, 12L. 60 mint, Vidimazione 1868 1L. and 5L. die proofs on glazed card, 1889 1L. and 5L. die proofs, 1915 6L. 30 unused, 1924 12L. on 10L., Foreign Affairs 1868 5L. on 4L. forgery, Consular 1895 to 100L., 1924 to 100L., 1943 0.05L., 1944 Fascist 0.05L., 2L., 1944 overprints with 10L. (3) on document, 1946 25L., later issues with individual offices, etc., chiefly fine. A valuable and interesting lot	£2,000-2,500
1484	Passport Stamps: Collection (54) on pages including Romagna 1859 1L. and 3L., Sardinia 1858 with proofs, Tuscany 1860 1L. 50 unused and used, 2L. used, etc.; a rare group	£800-1,000
1485	Playing Card Duty: Collection (46) on pages including 1761 the four types, 1763 the three types and three Fascette, 1769 the nine types, etc., chiefly fine for these	£600-800
1486	Railways: Collection (500+) on pages including 1925 45L. on 72L., 60L. on 108L., red surcharge 4.50L. on 7L. 20, 1925 Bag Deposit surcharge set mint, 1925 25c. to 5L., 1925 International service 90c. orange, etc.	£1,200-1,500

1487	Registrazione, Urgenza, Tourism and National Solidarity: Mint and used collection (150+) on pages including Atti Civili 1868 40c. to 4L. unused, etc., mixed condition	£300-350
1488	Riscontro: 1866 mint and used collection (450+) including values to 5000L. (23 with a used block of eighteen), forgeries with values to 5,000L., etc., chiefly good to fine	£400-500
1489	Sales Tax: 1940-63 collection (250+) including 1940-42 20L. violet mint (Biondi Certificate 1992), later issues, etc., chiefly good to fine	£300-400
1490	Tassa Fissa: 1863-2002, mint and used collection (550+) on pages including 1863 three different proof sheets of twenty, 1863-71 three different proof sheets of six, 1866 10c. on 5c. surcharge inverted, etc., chiefly good to fine	£800-1,000
1491	Tobacco, Coffee and Liquour: Collection (150) on pages, mostly different, mixed condition	£300-400
1492	Transizione: Mint and used collection (1,000) including 1866 0.01 Fior and 0.07 Fior imperforate, 0.01 Fior and 0.07 Fior reconstructions of 100, 20Fior reconstruction of the five types, 1867 0.02 Fior reconstruction of 200, 1868 0.02 Fior partial reconstruction of 194, 1870 0.36 Fior centre inverted, 0.36 Fior error Lire 0.98 for 0.89, 20 Fior (15 arranged as a block) on piece, errors, forgeries, etc., chiefly fine. An amazing study	£1,500-2,000
1493	Weights and Measures: 1875-1980 mint and used collection (200+) on pages including 1882-91 2L. 50 imperf. between pair, 1025 with values to 100L. mint, 500L. used, 1946 20L., 40L., 50L., 500L. mint pairs, 20L. block of 20, 40L. block of 15, 50L. block of 20, etc., chiefly good to fine	£600-800
1494	Aegean Islands: Mint and used collection (220+) on leaves including 1912-13 handstamps (80), 1916 Comando Copro 10pa., 1pi., 2pi., 1912 Debito Pubblico overprints (13), 1916 surcharge sets for the various islands, 1916 with values to 15pi., 1921 to 90pi., etc., chiefly fine	£2,000-2,500
1495	Eritrea: Mint and used collection (270+) on pages including 1896 5c. to 10L. mint and used sets, 1920 3L., 1921 5L., 1930 20c. on 25c. (both types), 1936 1L. to 10L., Locals, British Occupation, etc., chiefly good to fine	£800-1,000
1496	Fiume: Collection on leaves, hundreds including 1919 surcharges on Hungarian fiscals (250+), 1919 8c. to 50c., 1920 to 1922 Bollo surcharges, Contratti di Borsa with many varieties, etc., chiefly fine. An interesting and colourful lot which would be very difficult to duplicate	£2,500-3,000
1497	Fiume and Kupa: Collection (400+) on pages including 1941 pre-cancelled, 1941 Intendenza Civile to 100L. on 250d., errors and varieties, etc., unused and used, chiefly fine. An interesting lot	£600-800
1498	Libya and other African Colonies: Mint and used collection (c. 500) on pages including 1913 to 3L., 1914 to 3L., 1914 to 3L., 1015 to 3L., 1916 to 3L., 1917 overprinted set except 1L., 1919 set, 1920 10c. on 1c., 1921 5c. on 2c., 10c. on 1c., 1922 set, 1928 1L., 30L., 1928 with values to 50L., Fimmiferi 1917 7½c., British Occupation, Locals, Somalia 1925 surcharges, 1928 20L. to 50L., 1931 to 50L., 1935 Tabacchi 10c., 25c., etc., chiefly fine and an interesting lot	£1,200-1,500
1499	Libya and Somalia: Collection in a blue binder, including Libya 1949 driving license, 1959 Passport containing values to £1 (11), various passport pages, etc., chiefly good to fine	£600-800
1500	Lombardy Venetia: A remarkable collection housed in a red album, extraordinary in terms of completion, research, breadth and usage and the finest ever formed; thousands including 1854 Annunci 5c. (13), 1854 Almanacchi 6k. mint and used, 1858 Annunci 1k. (5, one mint), 2k. (3, one mint), General issue 75c. centre inverted (2), 36L., 42L. (2 line, 4 examples), 48L., 54L., 60L., engraved value 75c. frame printed both sides, papers, perfs, 1858 72k. mint, 1858 engraved value ½k., 14f., 16f., 18f., 1860 blue paper 25k., 50k., 60k., 1860 to 20f., Postal frauds, Postal usages, etc. A fabulous lot with viewing essential to appreciate the scope and depth of this wonderful lot	£13,000-15,000

Revenues, Italy - *contd.*

1501	Montenegro: Selection (35) including 1941 with values to 3K. on 3d., 1942 with values to 10L. on 10d., some Albania, etc., chiefly fine	£100-150
1502	Occupation of Lubiana: Collection (170+) on pages including 1941 typographic overprint 10pa. to 250d., 1941 handstamped to 250d., Fascette Dazio Erariale 1941 (-) red and (-) brown, etc., chiefly good to fine	£1,800-2,000
1503	Occupation of Yugoslavia: Collection (200+) on pages including 1946 with values to 1000L. on 50c., Tassa Fissa 1946 surcharges, Amministrativi 1946 1L. on 2L. 970, 1L. on 3L. (4) various types, Comunal issues, unused and used, chiefly good to fine	£400-500
1504	San Marino: Collection housed in a blue binder hundreds including 1897-1919 Postage Due 10c. on Marriage Certificate, 30c. on 50c. on Birth Certificate (5), 1925 30c., 50c. and 1L. on Birth Certificate (2), , 1943 set, 1945 50L. on Passport, 1948-61 20L. on 50c. on Identity Card, 30L. on 25c. and 50L. on 1L. on Marriage Certificate, 250L. on 50c. (7) in Passport, etc., chiefly fine	£500-600
1505	Trieste Zona A: Mint and used collection on pages, hundreds including Cambiali 1947 1L. to 1,080L., Contratti di Borsa 1947 20c. to 1L., 1947 10L. on 1L., 1947 10L. on 2L. to 100L., Radiofonia 1956 150L. (red and black overprints), 500L. (2), Locals, Zone B, etc., unused and used, an interesting and valuable lot	£3,500-4,000
1506 ★	Trieste Zone A; Terre Redente 1919 0.02c. on 2c. to 5c. on 5L., Canbiali 1919 0.40c. on 40c., 1919 Red Cross (-) mint and used, 1c. (2), 2c., 10c., 20c., Fiammiferi 1918 (72 different), etc., chiefly fine	£300-400
1507	Venezia Giulia: Collection (84) on pages including Cambiali 1946 1L., 50L., 1946 3L. to 72L., Contratti di Borsa 1L., 2L., 5L. mint pairs, etc., unused and used, chiefly good to fine	£800-1,000
1508	Yugoslavia, Southern Zone: Selection (33) including 1942 COMUNE DI SUSSA 10c., 60c., 1L., 10L., etc., chiefly unused, mostly fine	£80-100

Jamaica

x1509	Judicial: 1957 6d. purple and purple and 1/- black and green, each in a complete double pane sheet of one hundred and twenty with sheet numbers "320" and "190" respectively, unmounted mint. Barefoot 52-53. Also 1939-40 pages (5) from the "Plaint and Minute Book" with various KGV/KGVI Judicial stamps to 10/- paying the Court Fee	£100-120
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Lebanon

1510	Mint and used collection housed in a blue stockbook, including French types with errors, 1974 with values to to 50L., Ottoman Empire issues with A.D.P.O. overprints, Bureau of Justice, General Security and Identity card, Medical Pensions, Dentists Pensions, Engineering Tax, Driving Fines, and many others. A valuable and interesting lot	£800-1,000
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Northern Rhodesia

x1511	1925 £2 brown, £10 (2) and £50 (2) with K.G.VI 10/- (2) and 20/- on two 1946-47 Inspection Certificates for work on Luanjwa. Also Southern Rhodesia 1952 Deed of Transfer for a property in Bulawayo bearing 1937 £1, £2 and £5 with Postage 5/-. Fine	£150-200
x1512 △	1925 £2 (2), £5, £10 (2) and £50 cancelled by dated oval on 1945 Certificate of Extra Work issued in Lusaka. Fine	£100-120
x1513 △	1925 £2, £10 and £50 (6) cancelled by dated oval on reverse of 1947 Certificate of Extra Work issued in Lusaka. Fine.	£200-240
x1514 ⊗	1955 (c.) 1d., crimson (2), 3d. bright green and 6d. brown in complete sheets of one hundred and twenty, and 1/- slate-purple and 20/- grey-black in complete sheets of eighty, unmounted mint. Fine. Barefoot 16-19, 24	£600-800

Portugal

- 1515 Mint and mostly used duplicated selection contained in two stockbooks, including Industrial Contribution 1894 50r., 1895 100r., 1897 1000r., Juros Contributions, Colonies, etc., mixed condition £300-400

South and Central America

- 1516 A much duplicated mint and used selection crammed in eighteen stockbooks contained in two cartons, tens of thousands including Argentina with States, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, Panama, Paraguay, Uruguay, Venezuela, etc., mixed condition, a fabulous lot and the result of many years of study. Careful inspection is sure to be rewarded £2,500-2,800

Southern Rhodesia

- 1517 Δ 1909 Antinuptial Contract between Cape Town and Salisbury residents bearing Cape Stamp Duty 1/- and £1 and Rhodesia 1/-; 1944-56 selection of documents (14, mostly re estates) and a cheque bearing various values, 1963 Firearm Certificate bearing 10/- and Standard Bank, Manica Road, Salisbury cheque overprinted "SPECIMEN". An interesting group £250-300

Spain

- 1518 Duplicated mint and used selection in a stockbook, including Giro 1862 to 200r., 1867 to 20E., 1870 to 20E., 1900 to 100p., Sello, Colonies, etc., chiefly good to fine. An interesting and useful lot £350-450

Switzerland

- 1519 Duplicated mint and used selection in a red stockbook including Cantonal issues, types, blocks, etc., chiefly good to fine £500-600

Yugoslavia

- 1520 Collection of over 5,000 in a stockbook contained in a carton, including issues for Serbia and Croatia, unused and used, duplicated in places with blocks and sheets, chiefly good to fine. "Fiscal stamps of the Yugoslavian States" by Dimitri Spajic (1969) and "Bosnien-Herzegovina Revenue Stamped Papers and Revenue Stamps" by Erler, Mrdja and Tkalcsics (1997) £500-600
- 1521 Collection (2000+) of municipal issues contained in a stockbook, including 90 complete sets and over 20 large blocks; chiefly fine £250-300
- 1522 1945-48 Occupation of Italian Territories: Selection (56) on pages, unused and used, chiefly fine £100-150

Collections and Ranges

- 1523 Selection contained in two stockbooks, including China, Egypt, Iran, Japan, United States with locals, etc., mixed condition £150-200
- 1524 Duplicated selection housed in two stockbooks contained in a carton, including Czechoslovakia, Denmark, Greece, Netherlands and Colonies, Norway, Poland, Romania, Russia, Turkey, Yugoslavia, etc., unused and used, mixed condition £300-400
- 1525 Duplicated Great Britain and Empire mint and used selection housed in four stockbooks contained in a carton, including Great Britain Chancery 1852 "Patchwork" 4d. pair, Civil Service, Companies Registration 1921 £1, Consular Service 1902 £50, Customs, District Audit, Ireland, Isle of Man, Land Commission 1884 £1, £5 overprinted "SPECIMEN", Land Registry, Life Policy 1854-69 to £1, Patent, Antigua, Canada, Cape of Good Hope, Ceylon, Cyprus, Fiji, Hong Kong, India and States, Mauritius, Natal, New South Wales Beer Duty, New Zealand, Orange River Colony, Queensland, St. Kitts Nevis, Seychelles, Tasmania 1902 (2d. per gallon) 4d., 10d., 1/8d., 2/10d. (3d. per Gallon) 6d., 2/6d., 3/9d., Transvaal, Victoria, etc., condition mixed, nevertheless and interesting and useful lot £1,100-1,300

COLLECTIONS AND RANGES

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| x1526 | A British Empire selection (53), including Bermuda 1938-53 perf. 14 £1, Jamaica 1905-11 with values to 5/-, Orange Free State 1903-04 set, 1905-09 set, Trinidad and Tobago 1915-18 War Tax selection, etc., unused and used, many fine | £120-150 |
| 1527 ☒ | Collection of postcards (200+) in an album, primarily unused with Salonica (67 with views, street scenes, people, etc.), Russia (25 with some views of Tiflis), Belgium (36, largely Ypres), Greece (17), Switzerland (40, some used) and a few with WWI FPO's; generally fine and an interesting group | £150-200 |
| 1528 | Selection on pages and loose, including Christmas Island 1957 3d. registered postal stationery envelope uprated by 3d. and 6d., Dubai 1950 envelope to Scotland with violet "NOT KNOWN AT/KILMARNOCK, AYRSHIRE", Great Britain including 1877 hand-illustrated envelope from London to Littlehampton, 1903 Edward 3d. (perfin) on cover registered to Liverpool, India, Southern Nigeria 1913 p.p.c. to England bearing 1d. with oval German Sea Post cancellation, etc., mixed condition | £150-200 |
| 1529 ⊕ | Collection of Arabian countries in a box file contained in a carton, including Ajman 1966 Churchill set in perf. and imperf. corner blocks of four, Dubai 1971 International Reply coupon used, Dubai 1964 Olympics imperf. set and miniature sheet, United Arab Emirates with year packs, etc., chiefly fine unmounted mint | £200-250 |
| 1530 ⊕ | Booklets, a modern selection contained in a carton, including Germany, Ireland, Netherlands, New Zealand, Portugal, etc., chiefly fine | £200-250 |
| 1531 | Selection in six albums or stockbooks contained in a carton, including Ireland, Spain with 1866 12c. unused, 1930 Goya Postage 10p. (3), Air 10p., 1940-46 Zaragoza Postage and Air 4p. + 1p., a duplicated mint and used range of modern issues, etc., mixed condition | £200-250 |
| 1532 ☒ | 1899-1916 selection of covers (10) including 1901 GB to India and then Egypt with Postage Dues, 1899 and 1900 Rhodesia items, the latter an unstamped soldier's cover, 1900 from England to Norway with 4o. Postage Due block of six, 1905 Express from London bearing 6d. and 1907 Falkland Islands with 1d. to London | £200-250 |
| 1533 | An interesting selection of covers and cards in packets and loose contained in a carton, including Great Britain with pre-stamp and stampless entires, Free entires, 1840 (Feb.) entire with handstruck Abingdon "2", 1840 Mulready 1d. unused and two used, 1841 stampless envelope with embossed "Pre-Paid/1840" on the front and "Whigs Awa" and dogs on the reverse, imperf. 1d. covers (140+) and a quantity off cover with some numbers in Cross cancellations, Hong Kong 1849 envelope to London endorsed "Per overland Mail", a family correspondence from a soldier serving in Egypt, Hong Kong, India and Palestine to England, etc., mixed condition though an interesting lot | £250-300 |
| 1534 ⊕ | A selection overprinted or perforated "SPECIMEN" (114), including Bahamas 1938 trio, Barbados 1897 Jubilee set, Bechuanaland Protectorate 1897 set of six, Bermuda 1936 set to 1/-, British East Africa 1896-1901 set, Ceylon KGV (5), Niger Coast 1892-94 set, Transvaal 1903 and 1905-09 sets, Victoria (8) and Zanzibar 1908-09 set less 5r.; faults in places though some fine | £250-300 |
| 1535 | A miscellaneous range of British Empire including Barbados 1897 Jubilee set mint, Jamaica War Stamp 1½d. pane with inverted "d" for "p" variety, Newfoundland, Nova Scotia, Orange River Colony, St. Vincent 1899 set to 1/- in mint blocks of four, South Australia with a few Departmentals and a few modern issues in large mint blocks or sheets | £250-300 |
| 1536 ★ | A selection of Seahorse overprints comprising Bechuanaland BW 2/6d. and 5/-; British Levant 45p. on 2/6d. to 180p. on 10/-; Morocco Agencies 2/6d., 5/-, 3p. on 2/6d., 6p. on 5/-, 3f. on 2/6d, 5f. on 5/- and re-engraved 3f. on 2/6d. and 6f. on 5/-, and Nauru 2/6d. (corner example), 5/- and 10/-; fine mint. Cat. £1,179 | £250-300 |
| 1537 | An All World selection on stockcards and loose, including Fiji, Great Britain, Iceland, Malaya Straits Settlements, Malta, Natal, New Zealand, Northern Rhodesia, Saudi Arabia 1934-58 1/8g. sheet of twenty-five, etc., mixed condition | £300-400 |

1538 ⊕	Range of Postage Due blocks and panes (13) from the nine colonies noted in S.G. for having missing watermark or substitution of St. Edwards Crown, some having the variety section removed, other showing pencil notes as to where the variety may be; viewing essential	£300-400
1539 ★	A British Empire selection with Antigua 1903-07 ½d. to 5/- set of ten overprinted "SPECIMEN", Bahamas 1884 £1 Venetian red, Dominica 1903-07 set, 1907-08 set, 1908-20 ½d. to 2/- and 1923 £1, Fiji 1954-59, 1959-63 and 1968 sts, 1959-63 set to 10/-, St. Kitts-Nevis 1922 £1, and Sierra Leone 1896-97 ½d. to £1, mint; a few of the sets with imperfections though generally good to fine. Cat. £2,130	£350-400
1540	Selection in stockbooks and loose contained in a carton, including Barbados, Bermuda, China, Dominican Republic, Ethiopia, Great Britain Channel Islands with values to £5, Lebanon, Venezuela, etc., mixed condition	£400-500
1541 ★	Large stockbook containing 1935 Silver Jubilee mint (no British Forces Egypt) with additional sets for British Honduras, Ceylon, Falkland Islands and Gibraltar; 1937 Coronation complete mint set; large quantity, 1949 U.P.U. unmounted mint, missing twelve sets though including Hong Kong; trace of hinges on several and some discolourations but overall very fine. (hundreds)	£400-500
1542 ☒	An All World selection of covers (38), cards (6) and pieces (2), including Aden (6), Batum, Bermuda, Cook Islands, Cuba, Germany (Berlin), G.B. (7, four Channel Islands), Malaysian States (3), M.E.F., Sudan, United States, etc. An interesting group with viewing recommended	£500-600
1543	An All World selection (250) including Barbados, Belgium, British Honduras, Cyprus, Egypt-Suez, Finland, French Post Offices in Indo-China (c. 150), Indian States, Newfoundland, Tanganyika-Mafia Island, and Turkey; fair to fine. Certificates for several	£500-600
1544	An All World selection housed in seven albums or stockbooks and loose contained in two cartons, including Australia, Bahamas, Bermuda, British Honduras, Canada, Great Britain 1952-54 11d. block of six, decimal commemoratives in blocks, definitives with values to £5 in blocks of four, £10 pair, miniature sheets, presentation packs, booklets, etc., mixed condition	£600-800
1545 ☒	1939-46 selection covers (92, 77 registered) including Bahamas, Bermuda, Great Britain 1939-48 2/6d. green, 2/6d. brown, 5/-, Jamaica, Trinidad and Tobago, United States, etc., a good variety of frankings, markings, censor strips, etc., chiefly good to fine	£800-1,000
x1546	A Q.V-KGVI mint and used West Indies collection, largely neatly arranged on Hagner leaves and with representations of Antigua, Bermuda, Dominica, Leeward Islands with KGV 10/- and £1 used and KGVI to £1 (3), Montserrat, Nevis, St. Christopher, St. Kitts-Nevis and Virgin Islands; condition mixed in places with viewing recommended	£800-1,000
1547 ★	Overprints on Great Britain 1885-1957 mint collection housed in a stockbook, including complete sets of Middle East Forces, B.M.A. Eritrea, East African Forces, and B.M.A. Somalia, British Levant 1885 set to 2/6d. (four with one used), Cyrenaica 1950 set to 500m., M.E.F. set 1d. and 2d. vertical pairs with se-tenant overprints, also complete sets of both B.M.A. and B.A., Tripolitania, Kuwait K.G. VI and Q.E. II, Qatar, British Postal Agencies in Eastern Arabia and several pages of various duplicates mint and used	£1,000-1,200
1548	A massive All World accumulation in stockbooks, on pages, approval booklets, packets and loose contained in three cartons, including Commonwealth with sets to £1, Abu Dhabi, Argentina, Belgium, China, French Colonies, Germany, Kuwait, Netherlands, Saudi Arabia, Spain, Sweden, South and Central American countries, miniature sheets, first day covers, etc., many fine and a valuable lot	£1,500-2,000

- 1549 ★ A mint Great Britain and British Commonwealth portfolio in two small stockbooks and on stock cards, including Great Britain 1902-10 10d. lower right corner block of four and 1911 2/6d. dull reddish purple; Antigua 1938-51 ½d. to 5/-; Ascension 1924-33 ½d. to 3/-, 1934 ½d. to 5/- (all a little gum toned), 1938-53 ½d. to 10/- with perf changes and 1948 Wedding; Australia 1938 £1 and 1948-50 Arms 10/-, £1 and £2 in lower left corner blocks of four with imprint; Bahamas 1948 ½d. to £1; Barbados 1c. to \$2.40; British Honduras 1907 \$5, 1913 \$5 and 1938-47 1c. to \$5; British Solomon Islands 1938-51 ½d. to 10/-; Canada 1930-31 50c. and \$1; Cayman Islands 1907 MCA 4d. to 5/-, 1921-26 Script ¼d. to 10/-, 1938-48 ¼d. to 10/- and 1950 ¼d. to 10/-; Ceylon 1857 blued paper 6d. purple-brown (close to good margins) used; Cyprus 1948 Wedding £1; Falkland Islands 1938 £1, 1948 Wedding £1 and 1952 1/3d. to £1 in corner blocks of four; Gambia 1906 ½d. on 2/6d. and 1d. on 3/-; Ireland 1925 narrow date 2/6d. to 10/-; Leeward Islands 1890 5/-; Malta 1928 ¼d. to 10/-; Montserrat 1903 5/-; New Zealand 1931 Smiling Boys; St. Lucia 1938-48 ½d. to £1; St. Vincent 1938-47 ½d. to £1; Samoa 1914-17 perf 14 2/- to £1; and Seychelles 1938-48 2c. to 5r. less 50c. bright blue. Cat. £10,000
- 1550 ★ A British Empire collection (less Dominions) neatly mounted, written-up and presented in seven *Simplex* springback albums, largely King George VI and Q.E. with some earlier issues and including a fine range of complete sets throughout, items include Aden 1937 Dhow set, Ascension 1922, 1924-33 and 1934 sets, Bermuda 1920 and 1921 Tercentenary sets, Grenada 1921-31 and 1934-36 sets, KGVI set with printings to 10/- (4), Hong Kong with KEVII and KGV values to \$1, Morocco Agencies Spanish Currency 3p. on 2/6d., 5p. on 5/- and 12p. on 10/- (2), St. Helena with a few Q.V., St. Lucia with a few Q.V. and 1936 set, and Seychelles with Q.V. nearly complete with some 1902 narrow "0" and "5" varieties and KEVII and KGV sets apparently complete, some Silver Jubilee sets in places; all generally fresh and fine. A most attractive collection with catalogue stated to be just in excess of £30,000
- o1551 A collection of literature relating to Antarctica (35) and albums (9) contained in two cartons; the literature includes *"The Cancellations of the Falkland Islands"* by Andrews (1956), *"T.A.A.F. Philatelie Histoire Postale"* by Tristant (1974), *"Postal History of the Australian Antarctic 1911-1965"* by Milner (1980), *"Deutsche Sudpolar Expedition"* by Trogel (1987), *"Histoire Postale des Iles Kerguelen"* by Couesnon (1989), *"Postcards of Antarctic Expeditions 1898-1957"* by Wharton (1998 and 2007 editions), *"Postmarks and Cachets of the British Antarctic Bases and South Georgia"* by Youle (2001), *"A Postal History of Ross Dependency"* by Jurisich (2002), *"The Postal History of the Falkland Islands and Dependencies"* by Proud (2006), some journals and auction catalogues, etc., chiefly fine. Collection of albums includes a boxed "Philatelic" with some leaves, fine though box damaged.
- 1552 A selection of three landscape format albums with slip cases, each 340x260mm. and beautifully leather bound with two in red and one in brown, each with gold tooling, silk end papers and the front of each with monogrammed initials "BJA"; also a collection of empty albums with some boxed binders contained in four cartons

£2,500-3,000

£6,000-8,000

£150-200

£40-50

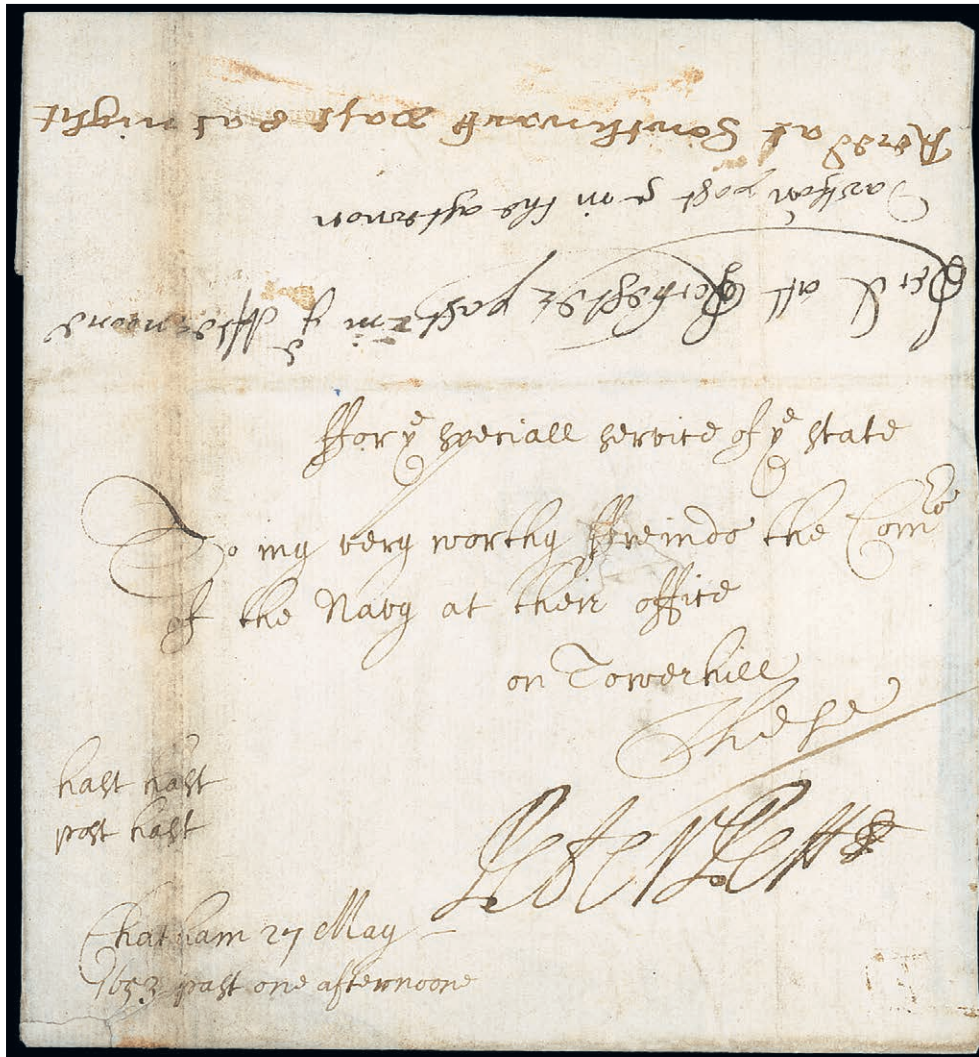
END OF MORNING SESSION

THURSDAY 25 OCTOBER 2018

**Afternoon Session
commencing at 2.00 p.m. (Lots 1554-1922)**

GREAT BRITAIN

Postal History including the Nicholas Stanley Ireland Collection



1554

1554 ☒

1653 (27 May) entire letter (from Peter Pett (1610-1672), master shipwright and second resident commissioner of Chatham), "Ffor ye speciall service of ye State/ To my very worthy ffriende the Com./ of the Navy at their office/ on Tower Hill" (signed) Peter Pett, and further endorsed on the front "Chatham 27 May/ 1853 past one afternoon" and "hast hast/post hast", on reverse (in different hands) "Recd at Rochester Past 2 in ye afternoone", "Dartford Past 5 in the afternoon" and "Rec'd at Southwalk past 8 at night"; the entire letter with interesting contents concerning the Paragon Elizabeth and Warwick ("I desire to know what order is given touching their men, wether they shall be laid off and when, that accordingly I may dispose of them". Samuel Pepys wrote "The constant Warwick was the first Frigate built in England. She was built in 1649, by Mr. Peter Pett, for a Privateer for the Earl of Warwick"; vertical filing fold at left and lacking a blank side flap. An extremely rare "Hast Hast/Post Hast" letter from the period of the first Dutch War. An exciting new discovery which has never previously been exhibited. Photo

£5,000-6,000

Postal History - contd.

1555 ☒ 1744 (21 Jan.) entire letter from France to Dublin, rated “2” in error, deleted and re-rated, showing very fine strikes of the horseshoe “COUNTERFEIT/2” and “RECHARGED” alongside, the former extremely rare, the latter unrecorded in this format; slightly rubbed horizontal filing fold and small corner fault clear of the handstamps. An extraordinarily rare and important item. Photo £800-1,000

PROVENANCE:
Spink sale, June 2001

1556 ☒ 1768 (3 Dec.) entire letter to Cognac, France, showing very fine strikes of the red “POST/PAID” in circle and reddish purple “POST/D/PAID” in circle, both of Dublin, the reverse with “DE/3” and English “8/DE” Bishop marks; light filing folds cross the handstamps in no way detract. Fine and rare. Photo £200-250

PROVENANCE:
Spink sale, June 2001



1557

1557 ☒ 1774 (21 June) entire letter with a superb strike of the Dockwra type “POST/PAID/PENNY” with space for receiving House number at the centre, handstruck “J-21 A” (June 21 Afternoon) alongside; a small tear on the reverse slightly extends to the front at top, well away from the handstamps. The most important of all the Irish Dockwras, and the earliest recorded date of use. A major rarity. Photo £8,000-10,000



1558

1558 ☒ 1774 (19 July) entire letter from Elizabeth Stuart in Bridge Street, Dublin, locally addressed to John Hatch at “Stephinsgreen”, the address panel showing a very fine strike of the black “J 19 A”, the lower flap with a superb strike of the black Dublin Dockwra “PENNY/POST/PAID/NO/1”; the letter being a desperate plea to the addressee for charity for her “six pore neackid Children”. A wonderful strike of this great Irish rarity, possibly the finest known and opening out perfectly for display. Photo £6,000-8,000

PROVENANCE: Spink sale, July 2003

Photos also appear on page 149

- 1559 ☒ 1785-1837 entires or entire letters (9) with Irish Provincial name handstamps, comprising straight line marks for Burriskane, Cootehill, Knocktopher, Rathdowney, Tullamore and Waterford, and circular undated for Cloghan, all struck in black, Limerick circular datestamp in red; strikes and items mostly good to fine £250-300
- PROVENANCE:
Spink sale, June 2001

- 1560 ☒ 1786 (15 Nov.) Peter Williamson's Unofficial Edinburgh Penny Post, entire letter to "David Balfour Writer of the Signet Hannover Street", on reverse cracked red wax seal, "N 15" (15 Nov.) and "PAID" 22x8mm., both superb. A smaller "PAID" handstamp (Auckland 454b) was used up to September 1786. The item offered here is believed to be the only recorded example. Clean vertical creases; fine and a highly important Scottish rarity. Photo £2,500-3,500



1560

- 1561 ☒ 1792 (22 Feb.) entire letter to London with fine "GODALMIN" and superb handstruck "4" alongside; fine and very rare. Photo £1,500-1,800



1562

- 1562 ☒ 1795 (1 May) entire letter from Dublin to Limerick with "FREE" handstamp cancelled by an Inspector's Crown and with superb "TREBLE POSTAGE" handstamp alongside, both in purple, rated "1/-" in manuscript; light filing folds. A fine and very rare entire showing abuse of the free franking privilege in Ireland. Photo £1,500-2,000

Photo for lot 1561 appears on page 149

Postal History - contd.

- 1563 ☒ 1802 (16 June) entire letter from Dublin to London, variously rated in manuscript, the address panel with a superb strike of the large red "S/IRELAND", the right-hand flap with a superb strike of the London Sunday code "S" circular datestamp for 20 June; a fine, clean, uncreased cover of wonderful exhibition quality which opens perfectly for display. Photo £600-800
- PROVENANCE:
Spink sale, July 2003
- 1564 ☒ 1805 (21 Sept.) entire letter from Streamtown to Boyle, redirected with "*try Ballymote*" and showing a superb strike of the black "BOYLE" with manuscript "*Missent to*" alongside, light part strike of "TULLAMORE" at right and rated "6"; fine, clean and most attractive £120-150
- PROVENANCE:
Spink sale, June 2001
- 1565 ☒ 1806 (24 July) entire letter to Ardee, the address panel with a superb strike of the large circular "FREE/DUB" with smaller, separately applied "JY/24/1806" circular datestamp in the centre; a fine, clean uncreased cover. Exceptionally rare in this superb condition. Photo £800-1,000
- PROVENANCE:
Spink sale, July 2003
- 1566 ☒ 1810 (9 May) entire to Kilworth with a fine strike of the red Dublin "Free" Mermaid datestamp; attractive and scarce. Photo £150-200
- PROVENANCE:
Spink sale, June 2001
- 1567 ☒ 1813 (11 Oct.) entire letter to Dublin, rated "P8", showing a superb strike of the blue "By CONNELL/67" mileage mark and red Dublin paid datestamp; light vertical filing fold crosses the first strike in no way detracting from the wonderful appearance £120-150
- PROVENANCE:
Spink sale, June 2001
- 1568 ☒ 1816 (Feb.) entire letter to Bath with brilliant red "BRISTOL/*Penny Post*" (Willcocks & Jay 136, rarity E), red datestamp and, on reverse, framed "No. 1", also 1835 (11 May) entire letter to Somerset with fine "NEWPORT/ISLE OF WIGHT" datestamp on reverse and superb *Missent/to Bristol*" (Willcocks & Jay 174, Rarity E) on the front; a fine pair of Bristol letters £200-220
- 1569 ☒ 1818 (21 Nov.) entire letter from Kew to Dublin with a superb red "(Crown)/TO.BE/DELIVERED/FREE" on the front and elaborate "P.P.OFFICE/1/24 NO 24/18 9.O'CLOCK MN" in the same colour; fine and extremely rare. The Free marking is believed to have been used for charitable institutions. Photo £800-1,000
- 1570 ☒ 1818 (26 Dec.) entire letter from Carnarvon to a Captain on the "*Schooner Mary Anne, Bristol, George's Quay or elsewhere. Dublin*", rated four times in manuscript, showing a superb strike of the red "NOT.CALLED.FOR" with fine red "CARNARVON/257" mileage mark below; fine and very attractive, the former marking unrecorded. Photo £800-1,000
- PROVENANCE:
Spink sale, June 2001

Lia Paris
 [Circular postmark: PARIS 16 OCT 1806]
 [Handwritten signature]
 Mr. J. B. Dillon
 [Handwritten signature]
 1555

[Circular postmark: PARIS 16 OCT 1806]
 [Circular postmark: PARIS 16 OCT 1806]
 Mr. Rich^d Monney
 Merch. in Com^{me}
 France
 1556

Mr. M. Hall.
 [Circular postmark: LONDON 11 OCT 1806]
 No 1 Basinghall Street.
 4
 London
 1561

No 21 June 2
 [Circular postmark: LONDON 21 JUN 1806]
 Messrs. Thompson & Sons
 Cockspur Street Chancery Lane
 London
 1563

Dublin July twenty four 1806
 [Circular postmark: DUBLIN 24 JUL 1806]
 Robert Young Esq
 Ardee
 1565

Dublin May twenty five
 [Circular postmark: DUBLIN 25 MAY 1806]
 Mr. J. Jackson Esq
 Bristol
 1566

[Circular postmark: TO BE DELIVERED FREE]
 Graves C. Swan Esq
 Leinster Street
 Dublin
 1569

NOT CALLED FOR
 [Circular postmark: BRISTOL 207]
 Capt. Giffillo
 Selwyns Mary Anne
 Bristol
 George's Quay or
 elsewhere. Dublin
 1570

Postal History - *contd.*



1571

- 1571 ☒ 1824 (20 Jan.) entire letter from London to Dublin, endorsed “*Private*”, showing a superb strike of the large red Crowned circular “IMPROPERLY PUT UNDER COVER TO EVADE POSTAGE/TO BE/CHARGED”, black Dublin arrival timestamp on reverse; vertical filing fold crosses the strike which barely detracts. This is one of the rarest Irish marks, there being only two known examples. Photo £1,000-1,200
- PROVENANCE:
Spink sale, June 2001
- 1572 ☒ 1824-49 selection of four entires/entire letters, comprising 1833 to London with manuscript “*Money Letter*” and framed “No. 1”, 1842 to Cranbrook with “Cranbrook/51” mileage handstamp, MAIDSTONE/PENNY POST and manuscript “*Refused, Expected 10 days before useless*”, 1838 with red script “*Colchester/Penny Post*”, 1849 stampless to Hereford with Haverford West blue “2” handstamp (R.P.S. Certificate 2018), etc., good to fine £150-200
- 1573 ☒ 1828-27 entires or entire letters (7) with Irish Paid markings, comprising 1828 red unframed “KILKENNY/POST PAID”, 1844 black unframed “POST PAID” of Portarlinton, 1834-37 framed Paid types for Ballymena (blue), Boyle and Cork (red), Limerick and Waterford (black), strikes and items good to fine £150-200
- PROVENANCE:
Spink sale, June 2001
- 1574 ☒ 1828 (20 June) entire to Dublin endorsed “*Post Paid*” and rated “9”, showing a very fine strike of the black “TRILLIC/RECG. HOUSE”, just overlapped by red framed Paid datestamp, light strike of red “ENNISKILLEN/80” mileage mark and a very faint scroll framed “POST PAID”; fine. Rare and attractive. Photo £150-200
- PROVENANCE:
Spink sale, June 2001

John Jacobs Esq.
 No 52 Inois Street
 PRILLI
 REC HOUSE
 Dublin
 1574

PAID double
 COLFRAM 125
 2/6
 Robert Milken Esq
 Bank of Scotland
 Glasgow
 1576

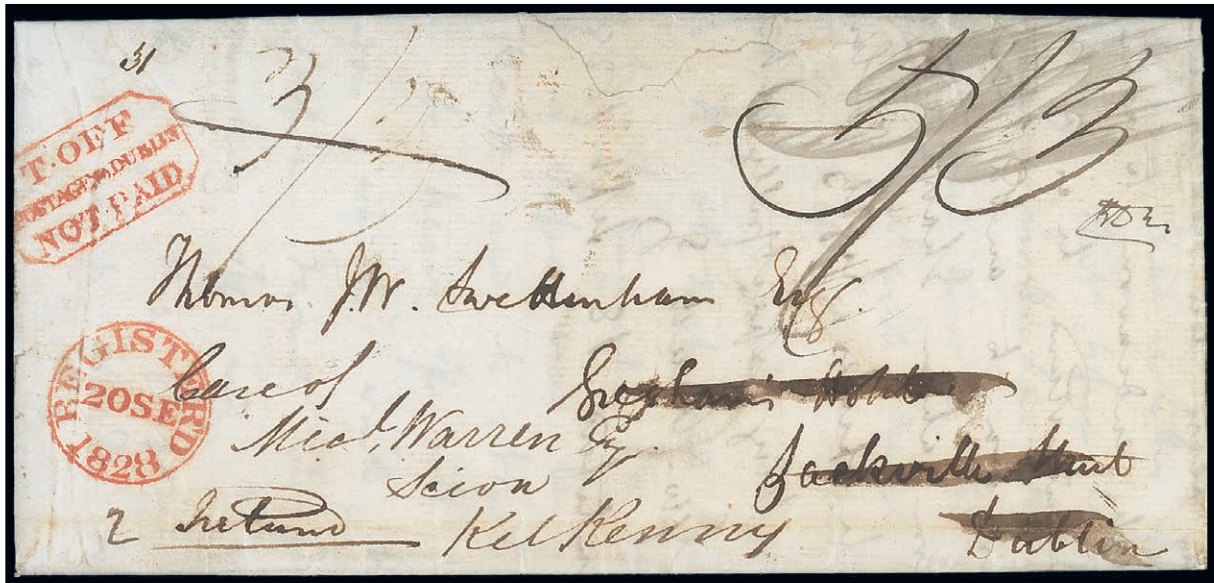
Peter Huber Esquire
 East-India House
 Longinsford
 Prizemoney
 London
 1577

John Stewart,
 5 Dec 1849
 DROGHEDA
 DE 6
 1849
 J. B. Handman Esq
 Drogheda
 1580

Dublin
 Mr J. Harcourt
 Captain Thompson
 8th
 Cahir
 1589

Joseph C. Walker Esq
 Secretary
 Office of Public Works
 Custom House
 Dublin
 1588

Postal History - *contd.*



1575

- 1575 ☒ 1828 (18 Sept.) entire letter from Knutsford to Dublin, redirected to Kilkenny, rated “3/3” the “5/3”, showing superb strikes of the red framed “T.OFF/POSTAGE TO DUBLIN/NOT PAID” (struck just off the edge of the cover) and “REGISTERED/20/SE/1828” alongside; the address panel with a closed tear at top well clear of the strikes. A wonderful combination of very rare marks. Photo £2,000-2,500

PROVENANCE:
Spink sale, June 2001
- 1576 ☒ 1830 (31 March) entire letter to Glasgow, endorsed “double” and rated “2/6”, showing a superb strike of the large red “PAID” at upper left and a slightly light strike of “COLERAIN/124” mileage handstamp at upper right; clean and attractive. Photo £150-200

PROVENANCE:
Spink sale, June 2001
- 1577 ☒ 1831 (Nov.) entire to East India House in London, endorsed “Enquiry for Prize money” at lower left, rated “1/4”, showing straight line “TOBERMORE/98” mileage mark on the address panel, the reverse with a very fine strike of the double-framed “DRAPERSTOWN/RECEIVING HOUSE” in red (just clipped by light fold); most attractive and very rare. Photo £400-500

PROVENANCE:
Spink sale, June 2001
- 1578 ☒ 1838 (3 Sept.) entire letter (with an attractive engraved letter head showing a view of a Dublin quayside) from Dublin to Leith, rated 1/4, with a good strike of the black “Addl./½” and a very fine strike of the framed “PUT IN AFTER/SIX OCLOCK” in red; a few minor imperfections, attractive £200-250

PROVENANCE:
Spink sale, June 2001

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1579

- 1579 ☒ 1839 entire letter from Dublin to India showing London Ship Letter datestamp with a spectacular strike of “RETURNED/*for*/POSTAGE” handstamp and the only recorded example of “NOT ACCORDING TO/ACT OF PARLIAMENT” in scroll handstamp; stains and fragile though an extraordinary discovery. This letter broke the regulations in that Assistant overseers, unlike overseers, were entitled to the concessionary 1d. rate. A major rarity. Photo £3,000-4,000
- 1580 ☒ 1839 (5 Dec.) entire letter from Dublin to Drogheda, the address panel showing a good to fine strike of the black Dublin handstruck “4”, the reverse showing a clear red Dublin despatch datestamp of 5 December (which opens well for display) being the first day of use for the Uniform Fourpenny rate; light fold crosses strikes but hardly detracts. A major Irish postal history rarity. Photo £2,000-2,500
- PROVENANCE:
Spink sale, June 2001
- 1581 ☒ 1840 (4 May) entire letter from Edinburgh to London, with light handstruck “1” and clear London Paid 6 May 1840 arrival datestamp, **first official day of use of Postage Stamps**; fine £120-250
- 1582 ☒ 1840 (7 May) stampless entire letter from Liverpool to Edinburgh, critical contents “..... Have you seen the new Postage envelopes? I think they are very clumsy things.....”; one side flap cut away, filing folds though a brutal and rare contemporary opinion of the Mulready design on the second official day of postage £300-400
- 1583 ☒ 1840 (4 June) entire to Dublin, the address panel showing a very fine strike of the black script-type “Killala/Penny Post” (unrecorded by Moxter), red Dublin Paid datestamp and manuscript “paid 1”, the reverse with a fine strike of the black “RH.LACKEN/139” mileage mark of Rathlacken, clean and extremely attractive £200-250
- 1584 ☒ 1840 (25 Nov.) stampless entire to Dublin with distinctive red “PI” overstruck by Roscrea c.d.s. and with red double line Paid datestamp alongside; horizontal filing fold clear of the markings. Scarce and fine £120-150
- 1585 ☒ 1840-43 entires (5) with U.P.P. Paid 1d. handstamps, comprising Aberystwyth “PAID/1D.” in shield, Ixworth “P1”, Marlborough “PAID/1”, Thetford “1d” in circle and Waltham Cross script “Paid 1”; strikes and condition good to fine £300-350

Photo for lot 1580 appears on page 151

Postal History - contd.

- 1586 ☒ 1840-51 collection of envelopes/entires (28) with Uniform Penny Post handstruck marks, including Blackburn, Chelmsford, Hastings, Tunbridge Wells, etc., strikes and condition chiefly good to fine. A good basis as a starter collection £250-300
- 1587 ☒ 1842-91 covers/entires (11, eight are 1d. pink stationery envelopes) with a variety of More To Pay markings, including Colchester "2", Plymouth "ABOVE ½ OZ" in "2", 1846 envelope with the adhesive placed within an embossed surround with "FREE" at the foot and manuscript "2 more to pay" alongside, etc., strikes and condition generally good to fine £150-200
- 1588 ☒ 1847 (4 Mar.) entire letter from the Customs House at Drogheda to Dublin, showing a superb strike of the green handstruck "4" of Drogheda, with corresponding despatch backstamp in the same colour; slightly refolded at top. Clean and most attractive. Photo £1,000-1,200
 PROVENANCE:
 Spink sale, June 2001
- 1589 ☒ 1847 (17 Oct.) envelope to a Captain with the 8th. Hussars at Cahir, redirected four times (Athlone, Ballincollig, Cork and Dublin) and endorsed "Not 7th. Hussars", rated 1, bearing 1841 1d. (minor faults) with margins nearly all round, tied by green Irish "23" in diamond of bars of Antrim and with a fine strike of a straight line "NOT KNOWN" (presumably Dublin), the reverse shows nine datestamps. Rare. Photo £150-200
 PROVENANCE:
 Spink sale, June 2001
- 1590 ☒ 1848 (18 Jan.) stampless entire letter to Derby with a wonderful strike of the Bolton "PAID/1" in circle with Bolton c.d.s. (crossed by filing fold) at lower left; fine £150-180
- 1591 ☒ 1848 (4 July) entire letter to Linlithgow with a superb strike of the blue handstruck "2" of Belfast, corresponding backstamp; two slightly worn folds clear of the strike. Scarce £100-120
 PROVENANCE:
 Spink sale, June 2001
- 1592 ☒ 1851 (16 Apr.) 1d. pink postal stationery envelope to Dublin, cancelled by a fine strike of the "265" numeral in light bright shade of blue, Kildare double-arc d.s. on reverse in the same colour; slight trace of water staining at left though still fine and scarce. Most appealing. Photo £250-300
 PROVENANCE:
 Spink sale, June 2001
- 1593 ☒ 1852 (Sept.) 1d. pink postal stationery envelope to the 81st. Light Infantry at Portsmouth and endorsed "immediate" up upper left, redirected on arrival to Dublin with large red "NOT KNOWN" on front and manuscript *Not 81 and Try 52*; the envelope with some soiling and minor corner creases, otherwise fine. Photo £300-400
 PROVENANCE:
 Spink sale, June 2001
- 1594 ☒ 1855 (1 Sept.) envelope to the Crimea, bearing Large Crown, perf. 16 1d. strip of three and three singles tied by fair to fine strikes of the blue "MULLINGAR" (English type) Spoon cancellations for 1 Sept. (the first day of use); some strengthened perimeter faults, parts of the address faded and re-inscribed, nevertheless a visually striking and rare combination. Photo £400-500
 PROVENANCE:
 Spink sale, June 2001
- 1595 1858 (30 July) letter insert with embossed "POST OFFICE" imprint at top and signed by Rowland Hill, addressed to Lord Chandos (Chairman of the London and North Western Railway) with the content referring to *the proposed acceleration of the Night Mails to and from the North*; light folds. A rare and most interesting document relating to the carriage of the post by rail. Photo £250-300

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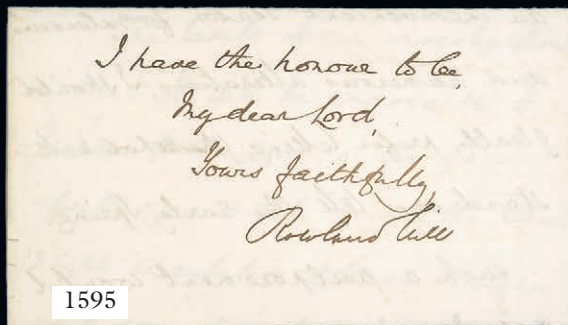
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Postal History - contd.

- 1596 ☒ 1859 (1 Apr.) 1d. pink postal stationery envelope to Dungarvan, cancelled by "ENNISKILLEN" Spoon (Irish type) datestamp and alongside dark blue "Missent from/to *Dungannon*", very fine to superb strikes; faint traces of soiling in no way detracting. A very rare and attractive item of exhibition quality. Photo £300-400
- PROVENANCE:
Spink sale, June 2001
- 1597 ☒ 1861 (14 June) 1d. pink postal stationery envelope "*Per Canadian Packet*" to Toronto, uprated with 1d. Stars and 1855-57 4d. Large Garter, tied by Down "78" Irish duplex datestamps; a few light stain spots and wrinkles. Photo £300-400
- PROVENANCE:
Spink sale, June 2001
- 1598 ☒ 1862 (10 Feb.) pale blue envelope to London bearing 1d. Stars tied by a fine light strike of the "CARRICK ON SHANNON" spoon (Irish type) cancellation, showing a superb impression of a very large handstruck "2" (presumably applied at Carrick on Shannon and apparently unrecorded) at left; visually striking and possibly unique. Photo £300-350
- PROVENANCE:
Spink sale, June 2001
- 1599 ☒ 1862 (25 Feb.) blue envelope to Liverpool bearing 1d. Stars tied by Cork "156" duplex and additionally tied by black oval "ROYAL VICTORIA HOTEL/CORK/POST PAID", extremely rare used as a cancellation; clean, neat and uncreased. Photo £400-500
- PROVENANCE:
Spink sale, July 2003



1600

- 1600 ☒ 1891 (22 Dec.) local Caterham envelope franked by 1881 1d. with a beautiful and wonderfully observed pen and ink sketch of a coach and horses with passengers, initialled R.W. at lower left; a few insignificant stain spots, fine and exceptionally appealing. Photo £1,000-1,200

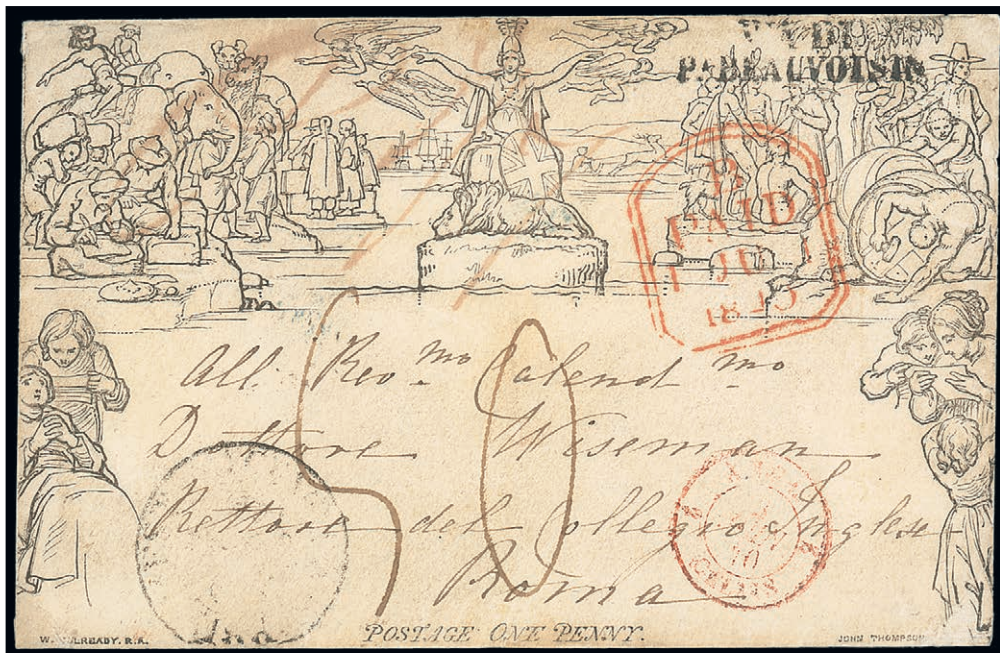
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- 1601 ☒ A valuable and interesting selection of Ireland in a stockbook and on pages, housed in a carton, including 1803 front with red "BELFAST/SHIP-LETTER", 1832 entire to Dublin with "*Belfast/Penny Post*" and red boxed "PAID/BELFAST", 1834 entire with "BELFAST/PENNY POST", 1843 entire with green framed "BELFAST/SHIP LETTER", 1855 entire with green "GREEN ISLAND/BELFAST", later with picture postcards, etc., mixed condition £250-300

1840 Mulready

One Penny Envelopes

- 1602 ☒ A134, used to Milverton, crisp red Maltese Cross cancellation and fine "LANGPORT/140" mileage mark below, without dated markings; seal removed from the reverse, otherwise fine and uncreased. Photo £150-200



1603

- 1603 ☒ A142, dated 1 June 1840, to **Rome**, without Maltese Cross cancellation, red London Paid Tombstone datestamp to the right of Britannia, "VIA DI/BEUVOISIN" handstamp at upper right, on reverse blue Portugal Street and Rome arrival of 13 June. Fine and an extremely rare overseas usage. B.P.A. Certificate (2010). Photo £7,500-8,500

PROVENANCE:
"Daisy" and "Mayflower"

One Penny Letter Sheets

- 1604 ☒ A2, dated 13 Aug. 1840 to Birmingham, central red Maltese Cross cancellation and with Oldham undated Butterfly marking alongside, Manchester and Birmingham datestamps on reverse; small hinge stains on reverse, otherwise fine. Photo £750-850

PROVENANCE:
Lagerloef, 1945

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1840 Mulready - *contd.*

Two Penny Envelopes



1605

1605 ☒

a197, dated 18 Oct. 1844 to Herefordshire, without Maltese Cross cancellation, central blue “Newton Butts/2d. PAID” and red London tombstone datestamp, on reverse Ledbury arrival (19.10); central vertical fold, fine. Most attractive with an ink amendment to the design, the seated woman at lower left now has a baby in her arms and a cradle at her feet. A manuscript note under the flap reads “I hope the postman will not steal this letter for the sake of the picture!”. Photo

£7,500-8,500

1840 One Penny Black

Plate Ia

1606 ☒

BC large margins, tied by crisp red Maltese Cross to entire from Edinburgh to Charleston, dated marking of 23 May 1840 on reverse; two light vertical filing folds well clear of the adhesive. Very fine and most attractive. Specialised £2,800. Photo

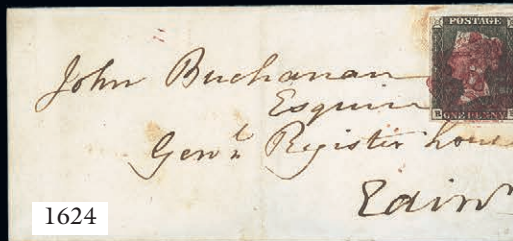
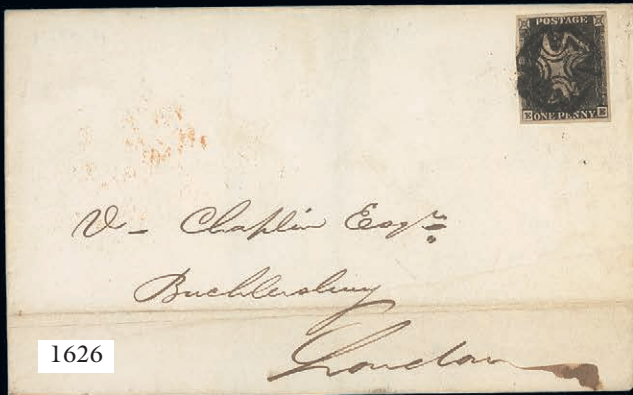
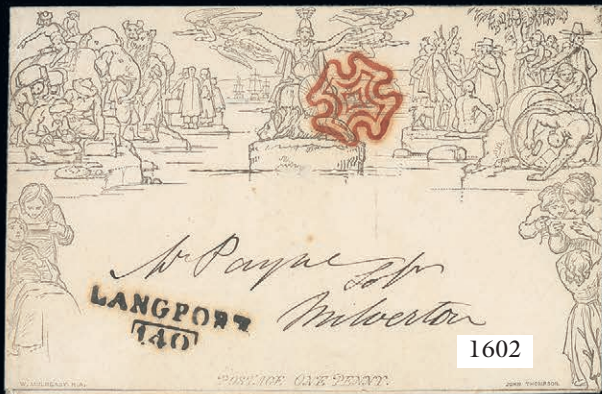
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1607 ○

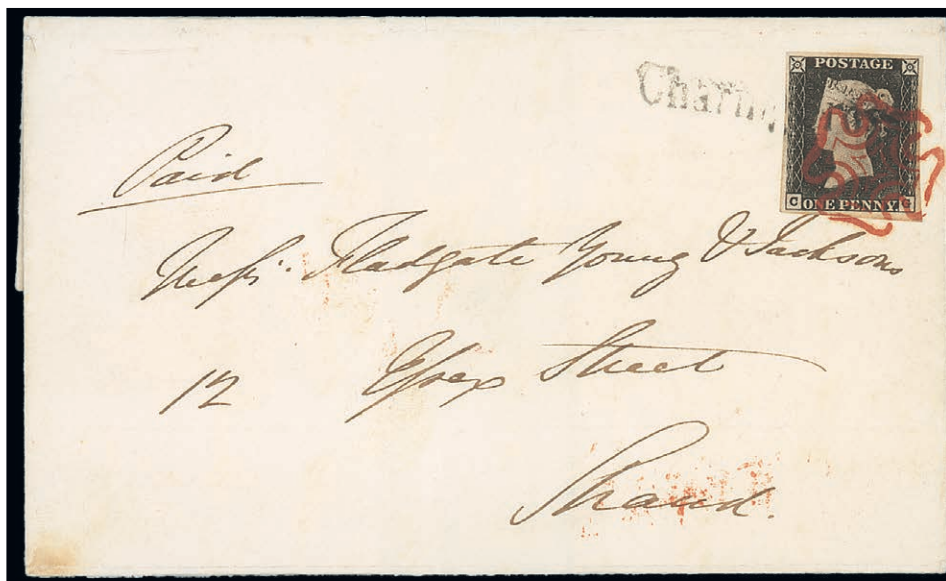
BF large margins, superb crisp and practically complete red Maltese Cross; stunning. Photo

£250-300

Photo for lot 1607 appears on page 161



1840 One Penny Black, Plate Ia - *contd.*



1608

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| 1608 ☒ | CG good to very large margins all round, tied by crisp red Maltese Cross and black "Charing Cross" to London entire dated 20 May 1840; very fine and rare. R.P.S. Certificate (2003). Specialised AS1ya, £9,000. Photo | £1,500-2,000 |
| 1609 ○ | DB grey-black shade, very worn impression, large balanced margins all round, "631" barred oval cancellation of Frodsham; very faint traces of toning on reverse. Striking and rare. Offered with the stained entire to Preston dated Sept. 1844 from which the adhesive was removed. Specialised A1za, £1,800. Photo | £500-600 |
| 1610 ○ | DE large margins, red Maltese Cross cancellation in an orange-brown shade; fine and a most attractive example. Photo | £200-220 |
| 1611 ○ | EL grey-black shade showing moderate plate wear, large margins all round, black Maltese Cross cancellation; very fine. P.E.(G.B.) Certificate (1994). Specialised AS2f, £1,100. Photo | £250-300 |
| 1612 ○ | FD large margins all round, superb upright and complete red Maltese Cross cancellation, matched by an equally fine example in black from Plate Ib showing burr rubs. A wonderful matched pair from Plate I. Photo | £350-400 |
| 1613 ○ | GI double letter "I", good to large margins all round, red Maltese Cross cancellation; fine. Specialised AS2d. Photo | £120-150 |
| 1614 △ | HA close to large margins all round, tied to piece by a crisp and practically upright magenta red Maltese Cross cancellation and with Burton on Trent datestamp of 23 May 1840 in the same colour on reverse; fine. Brandon Certificate (1999) describing the Cross as magenta and B.P.A. Certificate (1994) describing the Cross as blood-red. Photo. | £800-1,000 |
| 1615 ○ | IB grey-black shade showing moderate plate wear, crisp and practically complete magenta Maltese Cross cancellation; very fine and most attractive. Specialised AS2vd, £3,000. Photo | £600-700 |
| 1616 ○ | ID large balanced margins, red Maltese Cross in an orange-red shade; very fine. Photo | £150-200 |
| 1617 ○ | II large balanced margins, crisp and practically complete red Maltese Cross cancellation; very fine. Photo | £150-200 |

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1840 One Penny Black, Plate Ia - contd.

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| x1618 ☒ | JE good to large margins all round, tied by red Maltese Cross cancellation to stained envelope to Essex, dated 4 July 1840, and a collection of Glasgow Postal History from pre-stamp to modern, covers (37) and a quantity of loose stamps and pieces with a range of postmarks | £150-200 |
| 1619 ○ | LA near intense black shade, good to very large margins all round, red Maltese Cross cancellation which leaves the Queen's profile untouched; superb. Photo | £250-300 |
| 1620 ○ | LF good margins all round, red Maltese Cross cancellation in a violet shade; a little toned. Photo | £250-300 |
| 1621 ☒ | LF grey-black shade showing moderate plate wear, good to large margins all round, tied by upright red Maltese Cross cancellation to envelope to Hereford dated 28 May 1840; very fine. Photo | £500-600 |



1622

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| 1622 ☒ | MD grey-black shade showing moderate plate wear, large margins, tied to London entire letter by superb crisp red Maltese Cross and blue "Bridge St. Lamth."; datestamp on reverse. Wonderful. Specialised AS2ya, £9,000. Photo | £1,000-1,200 |
| 1623 ○ | OK grey-black shade showing moderate plate wear, good to large margins all round, upright red Maltese Cross in a pink shade; fine. Photo | £200-250 |
| 1624 ☒ | RF grey-black shade showing moderate plate wear, touched at places, tied to entire (no side flaps) from Glasgow to Edinburgh, dated 6 Jan. 1841, by clear Magenta Maltese Cross cancellation with "18" receiving House handstamp (Milton of Campsie) in the same colour on the reverse; faults though striking and very rare. Photo | £800-1,000 |

Plate Ib

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| 1625 ☒ | EC intense black shade, close to large margins all round, tied by a red Maltese Cross cancellation in a pink shade to entire (no side flaps) with an unclear datestamp of 19 Sept. 1840 in the same colour alongside, red London arrival (21.9) on reverse; vertical filing fold, fine. Photo | £250-300 |
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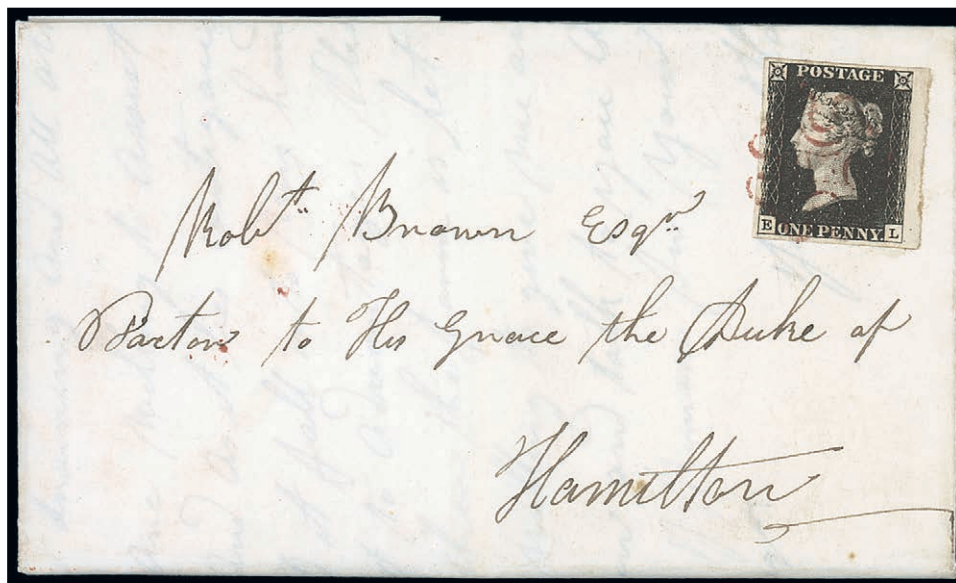
1626 ☒	EE large margins all round, tied to entire to London, dated 10 May 1841 by a fine strike of the distinctive Manchester “Fish Tail” Maltese Cross cancellation in black, dated markings on reverse; horizontal filing fold at foot. Fine. Specialised AS5ub, £4,500. Photo	£500-600
1627 ○	GH small to good margins, practically complete and upright red Maltese Cross in a rose-red shade; fine and attractive. Photo	£150-200
1628 ○	HF good to very large margins all round and showing a portion of the adjoining stamp at lower right, red Maltese Cross cancellation; fine. Photo	£120-150
1629 ○	HK-HL horizontal pair , HK re-entry, HL recut side lines and corner letters, intense black shade, large to very large margins all round, red Maltese Cross cancellations in an orange shade; superb. Photo	£600-800
1630 ○	ID non-coincident re-entry, intense black shade, good to very large margins all round, crisp red Maltese Cross cancellation, fine and matched by a fine four margined single in red. Photo	£200-250
1631 ☒	IE constant variety, intense black shade, good to very large margins all round, tied by upright red Maltese Cross cancellation to entire to Yeovil with “LANGPORT/140” mileage marking alongside. Fine. Photo	£250-300
1632 ○	LE touched at extreme upper left, Plate III: JC close to large margins on entire letter from Belfast to Coleraine, Plate V: QH on piece with Chichester c.d.s.; fair to good	£150-200
	Plate II	
1633 ○	BD constant variety, good to large margins all round, distinctive double lined red Maltese Cross cancellation of Stonehaven; fine and rare. R.P.S. Certificate (1990). Specialised AS15uf, £4,500. Photo	£500-600
1634 ○	KK burr rubs, touched at top left, just clear to close margins other sides, superb number “8” in Maltese Cross cancellation. A sound example of this rare stamp. B.P.A. Certificate (2007). Specialised AS15wh, £18,000. Photo	£1,800-2,000
1635 ○	TL double letter “T”, parts of sheet margin at left and at foot, very large margins other sides, crisp and practically complete red Maltese Cross cancellation. Superb. Matched by a fine four margined example in red. Photo	£250-300
	PROVENANCE: Shaída	
	Plate III	
1636 ☒	DG close to good margins all round, tied to entire letter to Glasgow, dated 3 Dec. 1840, by red Maltese Cross cancellation, red Glenluce datestamp on reverse; light vertical filing fold well clear of the adhesive. Photo	£150-200
1637 ☒	HA (double letter H), large margins, applied to the lower left of small envelope, contrary to Post Office instructions, dated 7 Sept. 1840 from Liverpool to London, red Maltese Cross cancellation; fine. Photo	£500-600
1638 ○	II huge margins showing traces of adjoining stamps at left and right, crisp and upright red Maltese Cross cancellation; superb. Photo	£250-300
1639 ○	QA part of sheet margin at left, close to very large margins other sides, crisp red Maltese Cross cancellation in a ruby or rose-pink shade; a faultless example. Photo	£200-250

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1840 One Penny Black - *contd.*

Plate IV

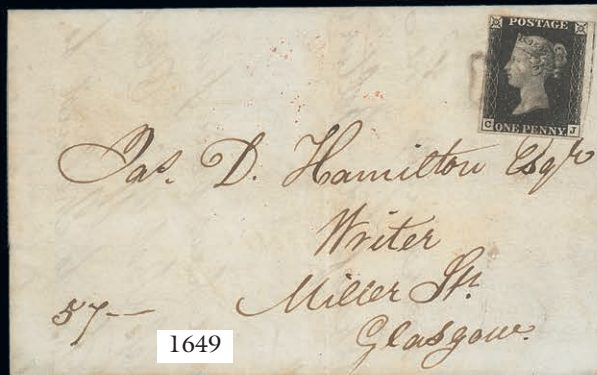
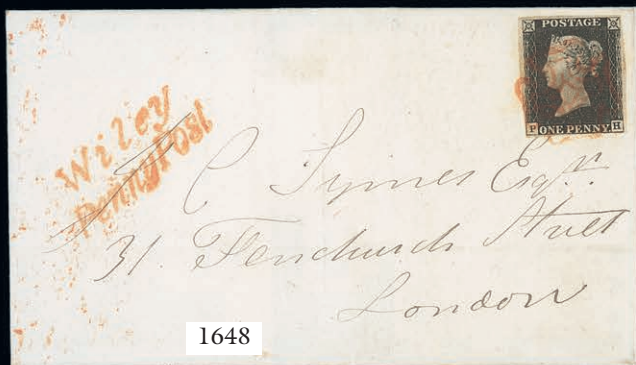
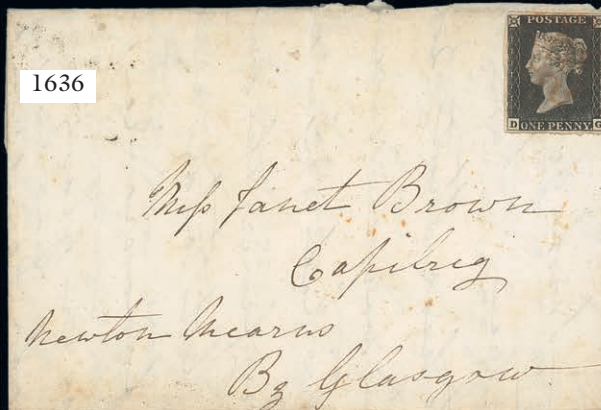
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| 1640 ○ | BK, red Maltese Cross cancellation, good to large margins; fine | £100-120 |
| 1641 ○ | CA intense black shade, good to large, if somewhat uneven margins all round, red Maltese Cross in an orange shade; fine. Photo | £120-150 |
| 1642 ○ | CL large margins all round, red Maltese Cross cancellation overstruck by "(N)EWEN(T)/117" mileage marking; very fine and rare. Photo | £500-600 |



1643

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| 1643 ☒ | EL near intense black shade, part of sheet margin at right and large margins other sides, tied to entire letter to Hamilton, dated 16 Jan. 1841 by a superb, crisp strike of the purple Maltese Cross and with straight line "STRATHEAVEN" in the same colour on reverse, opening well for display. A wonderful entire. Photo | £1,000-1,500 |
| 1644 ☒ | GL intense black shade, part of sheet margin at right and large margins other sides, tied by unclear red Maltese Cross cancellation to entire letter to Glasgow, with framed Glenluce datestamp on reverse. Photo | £150-200 |
| 1645 ○ | JA large to very large margins all round, purple Maltese Cross cancellation of Glasgow; fine and rare. B.P.A. Certificate (1988). Specialised AS23. Photo | £1,500-1,800 |
| 1646 ★ | NH, just touched to large margins, with full original gum which is slightly toned as usual, fresh appearance. Cat. £13,000. Photo | £600-700 |
| 1647 ○ | OB good to very large margins all round, crisp and practically complete distinctive Manchester "Fish Tail" Maltese Cross cancellation; exceptional. Specialised AS23ub, £1,400. Photo | £500-600 |
| 1648 ☒ | PH clear to large margins, tied by red Maltese Cross cancellation to entire to London, dated 12 Aug. 1840, red "Wiley/Penny Post" alongside, dated markings on reverse; fine and attractive. Photo | £250-300 |

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1840 One Penny Black - contd.

Plate V

- 1649 ☒ CJ close to very large margins all round and showing a portion of the adjoining stamp at right, tied by a watery black (faded dull violet) Maltese Cross cancellation to entire letter to Glasgow, dated 8 Jan. 1841, with datestamps and framed "26" Glasgow receiving office on reverse; light vertical filing fold well clear of the adhesive. Fine. Photo £300-500

- 1650 △ FC intense black shade, close to large margins, tied to piece by red Maltese Cross and "Ambrwb/Penny Post", complete and superb. Specialised AS24ya, £3,000. Photo £600-800

- 1651 ○ HG large margins all round, distinctive double lined Maltese Cross cancellation of Stonehaven; vertical crease, fine appearance and rare. Specialised AS25uf, £4,500. Photo £300-350

- 1652 △ LA an unlisted worn impression with good to large margins, tied to small piece by red and black Maltese Cross cancellations; fine and very rare. Specialised AS25vk, £2,600. Photo £700-800

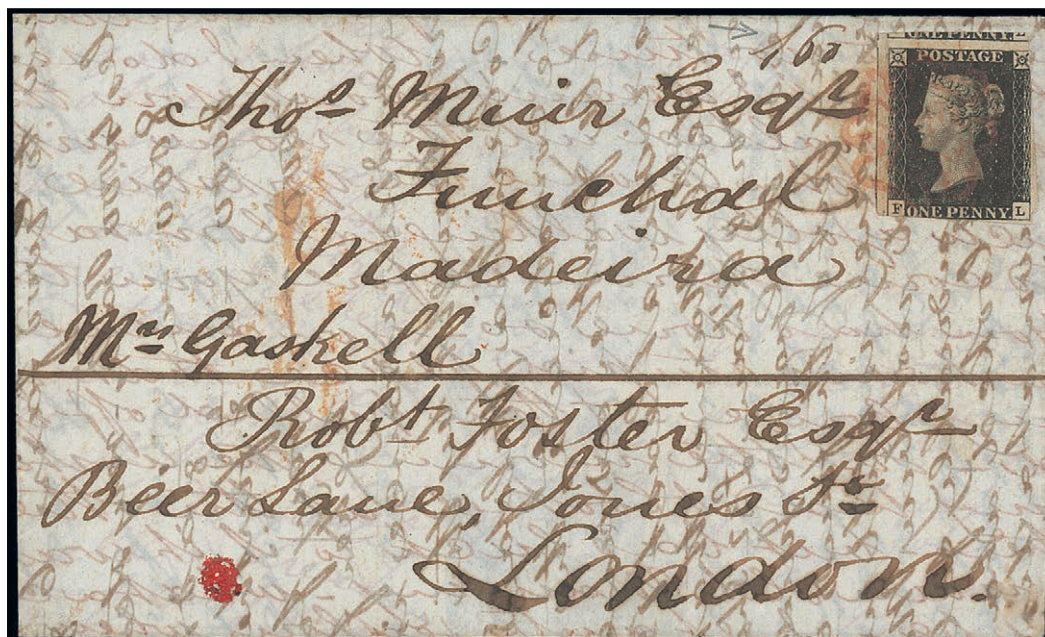
- 1653 ○ TA unlisted grey-black shade, good margins all round, black Maltese Cross cancellation; trace of a vertical bend or crease. Photo £100-120

Plate VI

- 1654 ☒ AA a huge example, from the top left corner of the sheet, showing a trace of the adjoining stamp at right, black Maltese Cross cancellation, on visiting card envelope with small seal stain, dated 26 March 1841, from Halifax to Liverpool; dated markings on reverse. A magnificent example. Photo £800-1,000

- 1655 ☒ BH large margins all round, tied by superb upright red Maltese Cross in an orange brown shade, to entire letter to Leven, dated 21 Sept. 1840, red Kircaldy datestamp in the same colour on reverse; fine. Brandon Certificate (2001). Photo £250-300

- 1656 ☒ TL good to large margins all round, crisp, upright and complete black Maltese Cross cancellation, on entire letter to Kendal with Kirby Lonsdale c.d.s. of 26 Feb. 1841 on the reverse; very fine. Photo £250-300



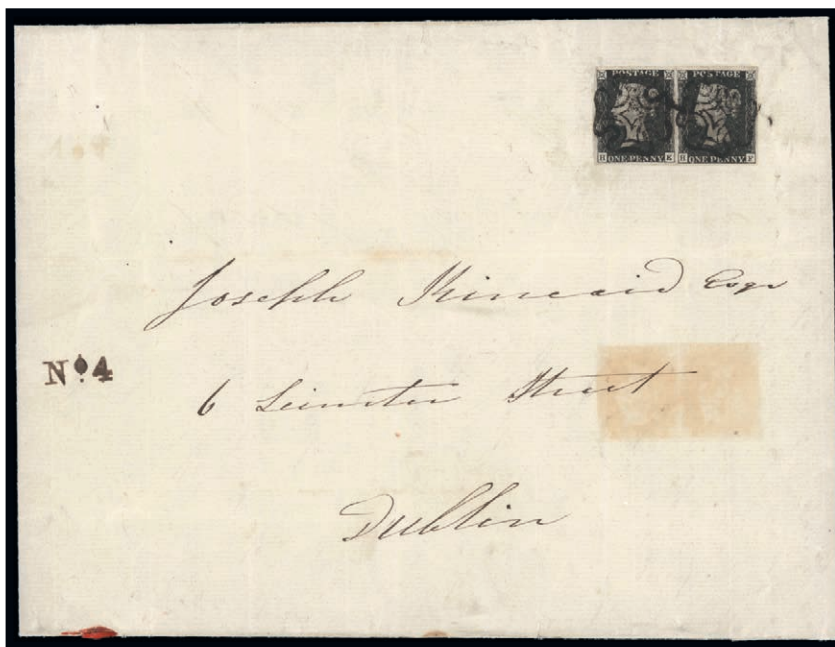
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Plate VIII

- 1657 ☒ CF good to huge margins all round and showing a portion of the adjoining stamp at right, tied by a crisp black Maltese Cross cancellation to entire letter to London dated 16 Feb. 1841, with undated double ring Bexhill on the front; fine. Photo £350-400
- x1658 ☒ FL touched at places but showing portions of three adjoining stamps, tied by red Maltese Cross cancellation to entire letter from Liverpool to London, then forwarded to Madiera, Liverpool and London datestamps on reverse, rated "160" (Reis) on the front; fine and rare. B.P.A Certificate (2013). Photo £6,000-8,000
- 1659 ☒ ME large to enormous margins and showing a portion of the adjoining stamp at right, tied by a light black Maltese Cross cancellation to entire letter to Sheffield, on reverse blue Malton c.d.s. of 29 March 1841; light horizontal filing fold well clear of the adhesive. Fine and extremely attractive. Photo £300-400
- PROVENANCE:
"Cowardine", September 2001

Plate IX

- 1660 ☒ EI large margins all round, tied by black Maltese Cross cancellation to entire letter to Stirling dated 9 March 1841, red T.P. marking alongside; horizontal filing fold well clear of the adhesive. Fine and attractive. Photo £300-400



1661

- 1661 ☒ HE-HF **horizontal pair**, good to large margins all round, tied by crisp and practically upright black Maltese Cross cancellation to large entire, dated 15 March 1841 to Dublin, "No. 4" handstamp at lower left, Ballyshannon c.d.s. on reverse; filing folds resulting in a mirror image of the adhesives appearing below and one just crossing HE. A rare Plate IX multiple on cover and an outstanding Irish usage. Photo £1,200-1,500
- 1662 ○ MC-MD **horizontal pair**, good to large margins all round, light red Maltese Cross cancellations; fine. Multiples from Plate IX are rare. Specialised £2,500. Photo £600-700
- 1663 ○ MJ good to very large margins, complete, central and practically upright black Maltese Cross cancellation; fine. Photo £150-200

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1840 One Penny Black - *contd.*

Plate X

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| 1664 ☒ | EI large to very large margins all round, tied by fine black Maltese Cross cancellation to entire letter to Bridgwater dated 21 July 1841, Dulverton u.d.c. on the front; fine and a rare cover from this Plate. Photo | £500-600 |
| 1665 ○ | QA good to very large margins all round, crisp black Maltese Cross cancellation; very fine and most attractive. Photo | £300-350 |
| 1666 ○ | RI re-entry and long tailed R, large margins, crisp black Maltese Cross cancellation; fine and attractive. Photo | £300-350 |

Plate XI



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| 1667 △ | CH good to very large margins all round, tied by a crisp and upright black Maltese Cross cancellation to piece with Darlington datestamp of 20 April 1841 alongside; very fine. A superb example from this rare Plate. R.P.S. Certificate (1982). Photo | £1,500-2,000 |
| 1668 ☒ | LG large margins all round, tied by a black Maltese Cross cancellation to entire letter, dated 7 March 1841 to Great Staughton, red St. Neots c.d.s. alongside; light horizontal filing fold well clear of the adhesive, fine and a superb cover from this rare Plate. B.P.A. Certificate (2007). Photo | £4,000-5,000 |

1840 Two Pence Blue

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| 1669 ○ | AI pale blue, good to large margins all round, cancelled by a crisp, large part strike of the distinctive Dublin Maltese Cross; fine. Specialised DS6vj, £2,500. Photo | £300-350 |
| 1670 ○ | AL deep blue, small part of sheet margin at right, good to very large margins other sides, complete, upright and practically central distinctive Manchester "Fish Tail" Maltese Cross cancellation; very fine. Specialised DS5ve, £1,750. Photo | £400-500 |

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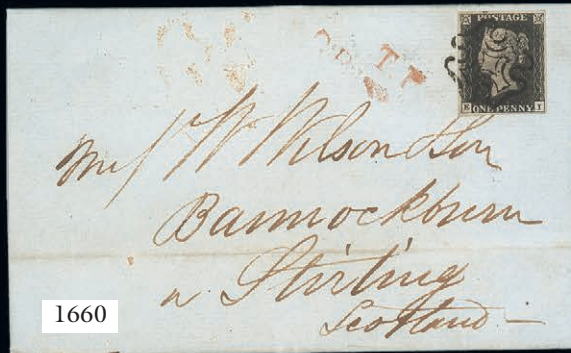
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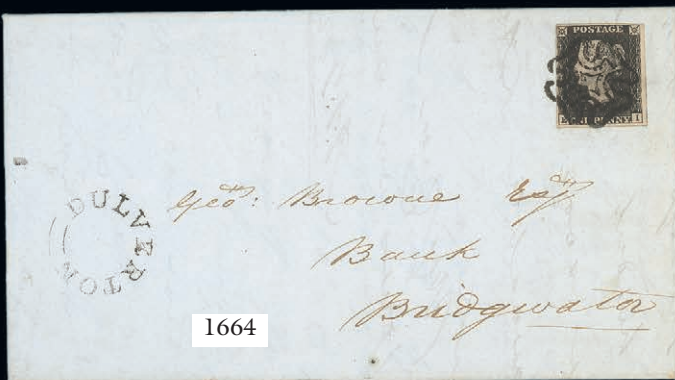
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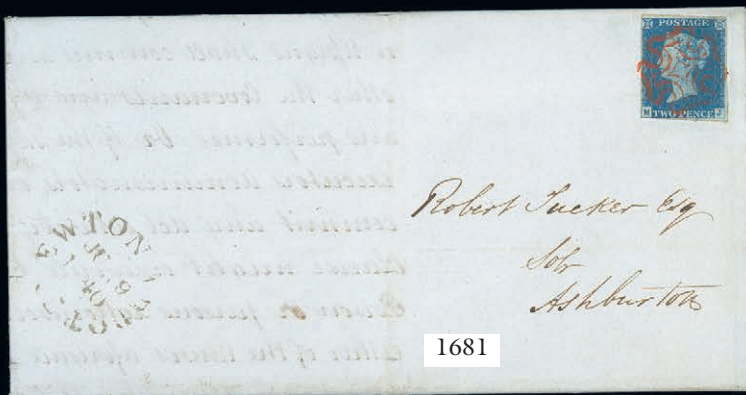
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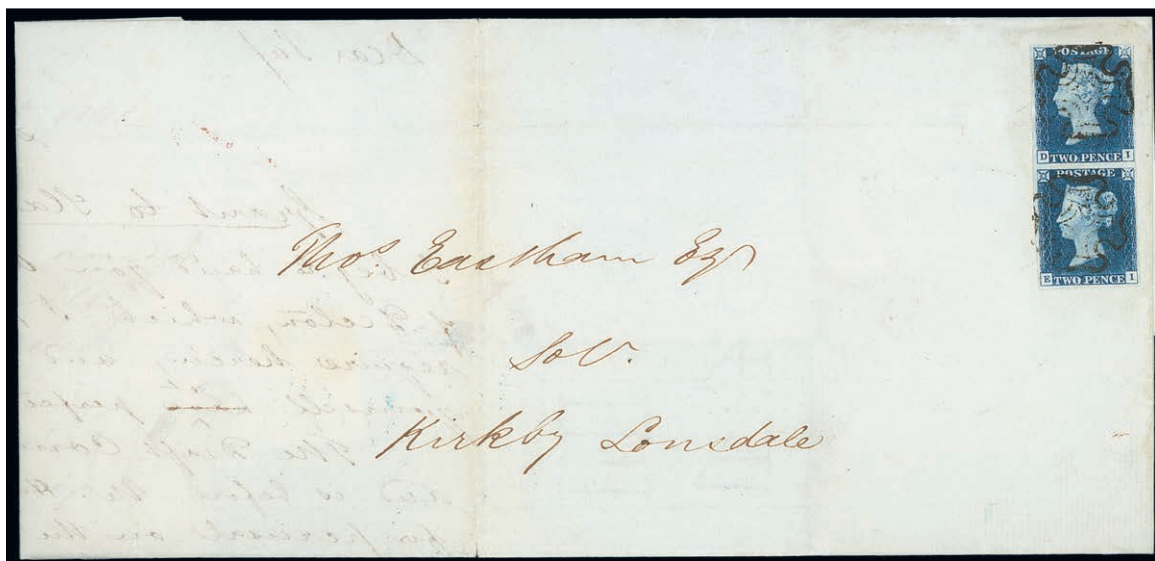
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1840 Two Pence Blue, Plate 1 - contd.

- 1671 Δ CC pale blue, enormous margins, tied to piece by a complete and practically upright strike of the distinctive Greenock Maltese Cross; superb and rare. B.P.A. Certificate (1996). Specialised DS6va, £2,500+. Photo £800-1,000
 PROVENANCE:
 "Cowardine"
- 1672 \circ CJ close to large margins, black Maltese Cross cancellation and showing a striking pre-printing paper fold at upper left. Stunning and rare. Photo £700-800
- 1673 \circ DB deep blue, large balanced margins, crisp and practically complete red Maltese Cross cancellation in an orange shade; superb. Photo, £400-500



1674

- 1674 \boxtimes DI-EI **vertical pair** in a deep full blue shade, good to large margins all round, tied by black Maltese Cross cancellations to long entire to Kirby Lonsdale, dated 27 Aug. 1841, blue Settle datestamp on reverse; vertical filing fold well clear of the adhesives, fine. Photo £1,000-1,200



1675

- 1675 \circ EH a little close at lower left, large to very large margins other sides, complete upright and central **ruby** Maltese Cross cancellation; superb. DS5uf, £7,000. Photo £1,200-1,500
- 1676 \circ GF deep full blue shade, complete black Maltese Cross cancellation, huge margins and showing good portions of adjoining stamps at left and right. A stunning example. Photo £600-800
- 1677 \circ HC good to large margins, large part of black Dublin distinctive Maltese Cross cancellation; fine. Specialised DS6vj, £2,500. Photo £200-250
- 1678 \circ IL very large margins all round and showing a trace of the adjoining stamp at foot, crisp red Maltese Cross cancellation; a flawless example of great visual appeal. Photo £500-600



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1840 Two Pence Blue, Plate 1 - contd.

- 1679 ○ LJ-LK **horizontal pair**, upright black Maltese Cross cancellations, large to very large margins all round and showing a trace of the adjoining stamp at lower left. An exceptional pair. Photo £800-1,000
- 1680 ○ LJ-LL **horizontal strip of three**, close to very large margins all round, red Maltese Cross cancellations which leave LL practically profile free; LK with a trace of a vertical crease which hardly detracts from the superb appearance of this rare strip. Photo £800-1,000
- 1681 ☒ MJ clear to large margins all round, tied by a stunning red Maltese Cross cancellation to entire letter to Ashburton, dated 9 June 1840 (early use), Newton Abbott c.d.s. on the front; fine. Photo £500-600



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- 1682 ○田 NE-OF pale blue **block of four** large margins, crisp black Maltese Cross cancellations, fine and rare. Brandon Certificate (1997). Specialised £28,000. Photo £4,000-6,000
- 1683 ○ NH-NI deep full blue **horizontal pair**, a little close at left but with large margins other sides, crisp black Maltese Cross cancellations; very fine and most attractive. Photo £600-800
- 1684 ○ OD-OF **horizontal strip of three** in a bright blue shade, red Maltese Cross cancellations in an orange-red shade and part of u.d.c. on OD, OF close at foot, good to very large margins other sides and showing a portion of the adjoining stamp at left; fine. Photo £1,000-1,200
- 1685 ○ OF deep full blue shade, large margins and showing portions of the adjoining stamps at top and at left, "147" barred oval cancellation of Bungay, fine. Specialised DS1xc, £2,500. Photo £500-600
- 1686 ○ OH large margins, red Maltese Cross cancellation; fine. Photo £250-300
- 1687 ○ SC red Maltese Cross cancellation, good even margins all round, fine and attractive. Photo £350-450
- 1688 ☒ TK pale blue shade, close to large margins all round, tied by crisp black Maltese Cross cancellation on entire letter to Helmsdale with framed DORNOCH/SE 13/1843" datestamp alongside; fine. Photo £600-800

Plate 2

- 1689 ○ MJ-MK **horizontal pair**, large margins all round, red Maltese Cross cancellations; an outstanding multiple. Photo £1,200-1,500

PROVENANCE:
"Wills", November 1989

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1841-53 One Penny Red-Brown**“Black” Plates**

- 1690 ☒ Plate 1b: FI double letter F, close to large margins all round, tied by black Maltese Cross cancellation to entire letter to Rye, dated 5 July 1841, dated markings of New Romney and Rye on reverse; the front of the entire with small sealed tear. Very fine. Photo £150-200
- 1691 ☒ Plate 1b: ID non-coincident re-entry, very large margins, tied by black Maltese Cross to entire letter to Manchester, dated 15 May 1841; fine £120-150
- 1692 △ Plate 1b: MK non-coincident re-entry, good to very large margins all round and showing a trace of the adjoining stamp at lower right, tied to piece by black Maltese Cross and with Taunton ‘Traveler’ datestamp of 6 March 1841 below; fine £100-150
- 1693 ☒ Plate 2: PJ, Plate 5: JH, Plate 8: PD, Plate 9: JG and Plate 10: IC, each tied to separate entire letter by black Maltese Cross cancellation, margins all round, a mostly fine and scarce group. Specialised £1,875 £200-250
- 1694 ○ Plate 2: PK, Plate 5: DI, Plate 8: BH (with Leeds distinctive Cross), Plate 10: TC (smudged red cancellation), Plate 11: BL (superb Manchester “Fishtail Cross), EF and EJ; Plate 10 creased and faults, the others chiefly fine to very fine £200-250
- 1695 ☒ Plate 5: FE good margins all round, tied by crisp black Maltese Cross cancellation to entire, dated 20 May 1841, to Sedgfield, Newcastle on Tyne c.d.s. on reverse; fine. Photo £150-200
- 1696 ☒ △ Plate 5: FJ (cut into) on entire without side flaps with “*Oswaldkirk/Penny Post*” alongside, also Plate 12: KI, Plate 14: S(?)H, Plate 15: MC, Plate 18: GB with Dumbarton Maltese Cross, Plate 18: OD on blue entire, beautifully addressed, Plate 26: FI, placed sideways, Plate 28: PF with script “*Fishguard/Penny Post*” on the reverse, Plate 34: JI placed sideways and with Edinburgh distinctive Maltese Cross cancellation; good to very fine. An attractive group of nine Plated examples on entires with Maltese Cross cancellations £250-300
- 1697 ☒ Plate 5: TB margins all round, tied by slightly unclear black Maltese Cross to entire dated 19 July 1842 from Liverpool to London; clean and uncreased, the adhesive with tiny wrinkles £100-120



1698

- 1698 ○ Plate 8: BD good to very large margins all round, crisp red Maltese Cross cancellation in an orange-red shade; superb and rare. R.P.S. Certificate (1983). Photo £1,800-2,000
- 1699 ○ Plate 9: AD State 2, close to large margins all round, upright black Maltese Cross cancellation; fine £100-120
- 1700 ☒ Plate 9: FK good to large margins all round, tied to local Edinburgh entire letter by a crisp and upright black Maltese Cross cancellation, leaving Queen’s profile clear, dated 25 May 1841; very fine and rare. Karl-Albert Louis Certificate (2017). Photo £200-250
- 1701 ☒ Plate 9: RK, SD, Plate 10: DB. Plate 11: IK (just touched at foot), all on separate entires, mostly with margins all round and fine £200-250

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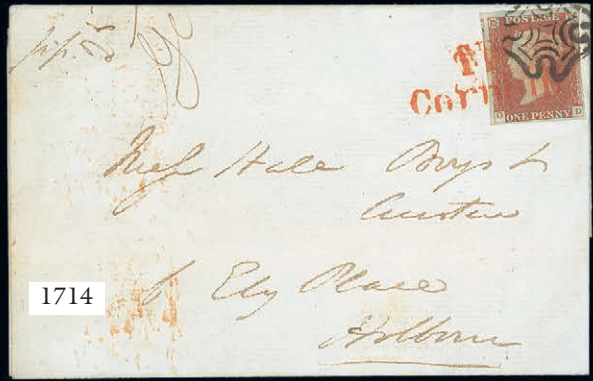
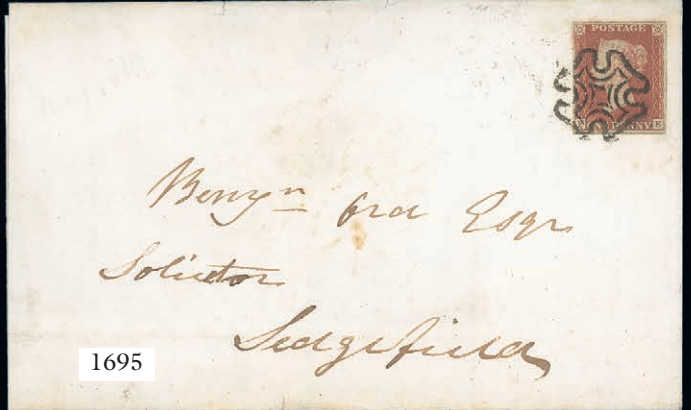
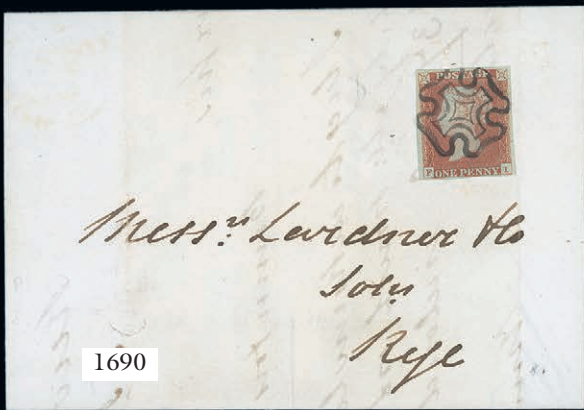
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| 1702 ★ | Plate 10: RI ("P" converted to "R"), original gum, large margins, fine and rare. Photo | £1,000-1,200 |
| 1703 ☒ | Plate 11: PE large margins, tied by black London broken points Maltese Cross cancellation to envelope dated 8 Jan. 1842 from Mary Ann Watts to Caroline Southey (1786-1854, poetess and wife of Robert Southey), with a substantial nine page enclosure on note paper with a delightful engraving of a dog, and interesting contents including her "blind devotion to Mr. Wordsworth". The envelope stained which partly affects the adhesive | £120-150 |
| 1704 ☒ | Plate 11: SE roller flaw, good to huge margins all round, tied by black Maltese Cross cancellation to envelope dated 21 Aug. 1841 from Lincoln to Nottingham; small part of flap missing from the reverse; fine | £100-120 |
| Later Plates | | |
| 1705 ○ | Plates 12-39 selection (33), including Plate 13: BA-BB horizontal pair , Plate 14: TH double letter H, part marginal inscription, Plate 21: PL double letter P, Plate 23: AJ with Lyme c.d.s., Plate 28: PC watermark inverted, Plate 30: RC "P" converted to "R", Plate 39: MA re-entry, etc., also six later Plates, used, chiefly very fine, some superb | £400-500 |
| 1706 ○ | Plate 12: LE with thin lined Edinburgh Maltese Cross cancellation, Plate 19: AB horizontal guide line through letter squares, dot in Maltese Cross cancellation, Plate 30: TA blur in letter square, on piece with Maltese Cross and Leeds c.d.s., close to large margins, good to fine | £200-250 |



1707

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| 1707 ★☒ | Plate 13: PA-RC, block of nine (3x3), QB, RB and RC showing basal shifts, original gum, touched at left and at foot, horizontal creases hardly detract from this superb block. The largest recorded mint multiple from this early Plate. P.T.S. Certificate (2013). Photo | £4,000-5,000 |
| PROVENANCE:
Seymour | | |
| 1708 ☒ | Plate 14: RB, Plate 15: NG, Plate 16: KJ, Plate 17: GI, Plate 26: NB, Plate 27: IL, Plate 32: LA and Plate 35: NH, four margined examples, each tied to separate entire letters by black Maltese Cross cancellations; good to fine. An attractive group of early Plates | £150-200 |
| 1709 ☒ | Plate 14: SC (double letter "S"), Plate 20: NE, Plate 26: TF, Plate 27 TE, Plate 29: FF, Plate 32: OH and Plate 35: BD, all tied to separate entire letters by black Maltese Cross cancellations, all with margins all round; good to fine. A scarce group of early Plates | £120-150 |

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1841-53 One Penny Red-Brown, "Black" Plates - *contd.*

- 1710 ☒ Plate 15: DL close at top, part of sheet margin at right and showing portions of adjoining stamps at left and at foot, tied by Edinburgh distinctive thin lined black Maltese Cross cancellation to entire, dated 11 Jan. 1842; faint wrinkles nevertheless a glorious example. Photo £100-120
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- 1711
- 1711 ★田 Plate 22: CK-DL, **block of four** from the right of the sheet and with large margins other sides, unused without gum, fine. A rare block printed by Neals Steam Press. R.P.S. Certificate (1964). Photo £4,000-5,000
- 1712 △ Plate 22: PG, large margins, tied to piece by complete Doncaster c.d.s. of 12 July 1842; fine. Photo £200-250
- 1713 ☒ Plate 23: AC double letter "C", good to huge margins, tied to entire to Dublin (no side flaps), by a fine strike of the Moate debris filled black Maltese Cross cancellation (See Rockoff & Jackson, volume 2, page 204), dated 7 July 1842, Moate c.d.s. on reverse (across flap); fine and rare. Photo £200-250
- 1714 ☒ Plate 23: OD close at right, large margins other sides and showing a portion of the adjoining stamp at left, tied by black Maltese Cross and red "T.P./CORNHILL" to entire letter to Holborn dated April 25 1842; fine. R.P.S. Certificate (1988). Photo £400-500
- 1715 ○ Plate 26: GE, good to very large margins all round and showing a trace of the adjoining stamp at foot, Dorchester Town c.d.s., fine. R.P.S. Certificate (1996). Photo £200-250
- 1716 ☒ Plate 28: AG good to large margins all round, tied to entire to Crieff by a distinctive thin lined Maltese Cross and with Errol boxed datestamp alongside, blue framed Crieff datestamp on reverse; clean and uncreased. Rare and beautiful. Photo £150-200
- 1717 ☒ Plate 32: CD small to large margins all round, tied to small entire letter to Dublin, dated 21 July 1843, by a fine strike of the extremely rare **distinctive Mullingar Maltese Cross** with blue Mullingar c.d.s. alongside; vertical filing fold at left through the datestamp, fine and a newly discovered example of this famously elusive Irish Cross. M. Jackson Certificate (2018). Specialised BS21tr, £20,000. Photo £4,000-5,000
- 1718 ○ Plate 33: MC, large to very large margins and showing a portion of the adjoining stamp at right, practically upright black Maltese Cross cancellation; superb. Photo £100-120
- 1719 ☒ Plate 35: RF slightly cut into at foot, large margins other sides and showing a portion of the adjoining stamp at right, tied by a fine upright strike of the number "8" in Maltese Cross and Hayle c.d.s. of 18 Oct. 1843; also Plate 70: CH, cut into at foot, large margins other sides on entire from the same correspondence, with "162" barred oval of Cardiff and Hayle c.d.s. of 16 Jan. 1847; filing folds clear of the adhesives, fine £150-200
- 1720 ☒ Plate 36: SC and TJ, each with large margins, tied by number "6" in Maltese Cross cancellations to entire letter to Kendal dated 26 Sept. 1843; very fine. Photo £200-250

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| 1721 ○ | Plate 37: PJ, good to large margins all round, practically complete, so-called “Channel Islands” distinctive Maltese Cross cancellation; fine and rare. M. Jackson certificate (2016). Photo | £1,800-2,000 |
| 1721a ☒ | Plate 38: ED good to huge margins all round and showing portions of adjoining stamps at foot and at right, tied by crisp and upright black Maltese Cross cancellation to entire letter, dated 1843 (19 Oct.) to Usk, with very fine tiny “TOO LATE” on the front and clear Abergavenny c.d.s. on the reverse | £100-120 |
| 1722 ☒ | Plate 39: KI large margins all round, tied to 1d. pink postal stationery envelope to Culross by two fine strikes of the number “2” in Maltese Cross cancellation, dated markings of 23 and 24 December 1843 on reverse; fine and a very rare combination. Photo | £350-450 |
| 1723 ☒ | Plate 45: EE-EF horizontal pair used on a folded Proof for an advertisement, tied by “423” barred ovals of Kirkby Lonsdale, Plate 58: LL tied to entire by “447” barred oval of Leeds with superb blue “MARSH LANE/LEEDS” below, Plate 71: MD double letter D, placed sideways over another 1d. with “177” barred oval of Cheltenham on envelope re-addressed to London, Plate 71: EJ placed sideways, on entire to Monmouthshire, Plate 74: PJ tied to envelope dated 1 April 1848 from London to Salisbury, Plate 110: FK large margins on envelope to Northallerton, Plate 127: RG on entire from London to “Paradise Square” Sheffield, with rare “Missent to/Derby R.O.” alongside; the first with some faults but a scarce and attractive group of seven plated entires | £250-300 |
| 1724 ☒ | Plate 46: SA-TC block of six (3x2), close at top, large margins other sides, tied by “29” barred oval cancellations of Ashburton to entire (no side flaps) dated 4 Dec. 1844 to Dawlish; fine. Rare and spectacular. Photo | £1,000-1,200 |

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| 1725 ★ | Plate 66: AL, from the upper right corner of the sheet with Plate number and inscription, large margins other sides, original gum; superb. A striking example. Photo | £1,500-2,000 |
| 1726 △ | Plate 66: BI huge margins and showing portions or traces of adjoining stamps on all four sides, tied to piece by London district "20" barred oval; superb. Photo | £100-120 |
| 1726a ☒ | Plate 67: SG huge margins and showing portions of two adjoining stamps, tied to entire letter to Leeds, dated 21 Nov. 1846, by London barred oval and straight line "KNIGHTSBRIDGE"; horizontal filing fold at foot well clear of the adhesive | £100-120 |
| 1727 ○ | Plate 69: KA-KD horizontal strip of four , small to large margins all round and showing traces of three adjoining stamps, cancelled by two strikes of the "805" barred oval of Torquay, contrary to Post Office instructions, KA with profile clear; fine and attractive. Photo | £300-350 |
| 1728 ☒ | Plate 74: AD touched at top, tied by London "11" barred oval cancellation to envelope to Vienna dated July 1850, redirected to Dresden and finally returned to Cheltenham in December 1850, a variety of markings on front and reverse. A busy envelope crossing the borders of three European countries. Photo | £150-200 |
| 1729 ○ | Plate 74: BD with London "62" barred oval, Plate 86: BJ with Tenby "784" in blue, Plate 91: SK part original gum, Plate 96: SB-SC horizontal pair with huge margins and showing portions of six adjoining stamps, Plate 97: HG-HH horizontal pair , QK-QL and Plate 103 SI-SJ horizontal pairs used together on piece, Plate 149: KD with London "16" barred oval, Plate 156: MH inverted watermark; good to large or enormous margins, chiefly fine and an attractive plated selection | £250-300 |
| 1730 ☒ | Plate 79: DF, tied by barred oval and fine blue "Minorities" to petite envelope, dated 25 March 1848 to Worcestershire, Broadway c.d.s. on reverse; the adhesive cut into on two sides but still most appealing. Photo | £150-200 |
| 1731 ○ | Plate 85: CG enormous margins and showing portions of five adjoining stamps, upright "498" barred oval of Manchester. An extraordinary example. Photo | £100-120 |
| 1732 ☒ | Plate 98: PB and Plate 106 FB on entire to Edinburgh with tiny circular GLASGOW alongside, Plate 114: GH close to very large margins on entire to Fife with framed blue "LESLIE" on reverse, Plate 140: OF placed sideways on envelope to Worcestershire with green framed "FISHERROW" and attractive Pictorial Portabello seal on he reverse, Plate 143: PJ and OE tied to entire letter to Fife with tiny circular "GLASGOW" alongside; fine. A scarce quartet of Plated Scottish entires | £150-200 |
| 1733 ☒ | Plate 106: NG tied by London "16" barred oval cancellation and red Calais entry marking to small envelope to Paris, dated April 16 1851, very fine "TOO LATE/G.P.O." and handstruck "8" alongside; the adhesive touched and the envelope a little stained but a scarce overseas destination | £100-120 |

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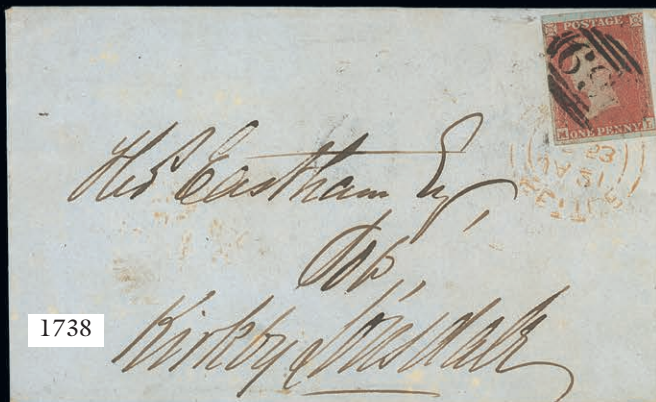
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1734 ☒	Plate 117: LJ close to very large margins and showing a trace of the adjoining stamp at right, tied to envelope originating in Wiesbaden, dated 1 Aug. 1851, to London, where the adhesive was applied and forwarded to Tunbridge Wells, a variety of markings; seal cut out from the reverse. Unusual	£120-150
1735 ☒	Plate 124: JG small to very large margins and showing a portion of the adjoining stamp at left, tied by blue "882" barred oval of Wimborne to entire letter to Dorchester dated 7 Feb. 1852; horizontal filing fold well clear of the adhesive. Fine. Photo	£150-200
1736 ○	Plate 141: FK, large margins, blue " <i>(Manor Cu)nningha(m)/Der(ry)</i> " receiving House cancellation; creased but superb appearance and rare. B.P.A. Certificate (2015)	£100-150
1737 ☒	Plate 142: CG, large margins, tied by blue Scottish "186" numeral of Irvine to petite envelope to Holy Town, very fine and most attractive. Also Plate 146: BG close to large margins, tied to toned envelope from the same correspondence, with jet-black "186" cancellation. Fine	£200-220
1738 ☒	Plate 152: ML small to huge margins all round, tied by "696" barred oval of Settle and a mirror image of the orange Settle c.d.s. of 21 Aug. 1853 to envelope to Kirby Lonsdale; fine and most unusual. Photo	£150-200
1739 ☒	Plate 170: CK good to very large margins all round and showing a portion of the adjoining stamp at lower right, placed at the lower left of mourning envelope (contrary to Post Office instructions) to Holytown, dated 6 Jan. 1854 and cancelled by blue Scottish "186" barred numeral of Irvine; fine. Photo	£200-250
1740 ☒	Plate 176: AG cut into and torn at foot, large margins other sides, tied by London inland "8" barred oval cancellation to "Post Magazine" to Bungay, arrival datestamp of 9 March 1854; despite the faults an attractive example of this extremely rare Plate on cover. Specialised £2,900 off cover. Photo	£400-500
1741 ★	Alphabet 1: BI, QE, BD and TC, Alphabet 2: QE, part original gum or unused, margins all round to touched at one place; good to fine. Each with B.P.A. Certificate (1951)	£250-300
1742	No Lot	
1743 ○	RJ, a little cut-into on entire letter dated 24 Oct. 1843 to Yarmouth Norfolk with script " <i>Too Late</i> " handstamp on reverse, GB, touched at foot on entire letter dated 28 Jan. 1844 to Wolverhampton, FK-FL horizontal pair cut into at left, large margins other sides, all with distinctive Maltese Cross cancellations of Norwich. Good to fine	£80-100
1744	No Lot	
1745 ○	A complete reconstruction, virtually all alphabet II, used, including exceptional examples, one cancelled in blue; chiefly fine	£600-700
Cancellations		
1746 ☒	1842 (16 Dec.) and 1843 (9 May), entire letter and envelope to Paisley and Leith, cancelled by fine strikes of the distinctive Maltese Cross of Greenock, margins all round, good to fine	£150-200
1747 ○	Selection (9), comprising blue Cross (3, one blue-green overstruck by Poulton Penny Post), Distinctive Cross with Coventry, Dumfries, Greenock, Norwich and York (2), chiefly very fine four margined examples, some exceptional	£800-1,000
1748 ☒	Numbers in Maltese Cross, "2" on IC, huge margins on entire to Kendal, "7" on Plate 35, IC close to good margins on entire to Edinburgh, "9" on Plate 36 GG with superb P.P./Merton, large margins on entire letter to Durham; good to fine	£200-250

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| 1749 ☒ | Selection of four entires/entire letters, comprising 1842 with very fine Perth distinctive Maltese Cross cancellation, 1845 to London, re-addressed to Bognor with red London "2", 1846 to Holytown with almost clear profile cancellation and undated Hanover St. on reverse, and 1848 with blue script " <i>Bolton le Sands/Penny Post</i> " on the reverse; good to fine | £120-150 |
| 1750 ○ | Selection (25), including coloured cancellations with blue "29" of Ashburton, Irish "244" of Gowran, Plate 20: SG on 1842 entire letter with Belfast/Late d.s. on reverse, etc., mostly fine | £150-200 |
| 1751 ☒ | Selection of entires (5), including cancellations with numbers "1" and "5" in Maltese Cross cancellations, the latter additionally tied by red "Charles St. Middx Hospital", 1842 to Cambridge with " <i>Tid/Penny Post</i> ", etc., good to fine | £150-200 |
| 1752 ○ | Selection of 140+ on stockpages, mostly with Maltese Cross cancellations, including "Black" Plates, numbers in Cross cancellations (23), margins all round to cut into; mixed condition | £300-400 |

1841 Two Pence Blue

Plate 3

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| 1753 ☒ | JF-JG horizontal pair tied to entire letter, dated 7 Oct. 1846 to Settle, blue York c.d.s. on reverse; vertical filing folds clear of the adhesive | £100-120 |
| 1754 △ | QK and QL, each with good to large margins all round, QL showing a portion of the adjoining stamp at top, tied to small piece by two complete strikes of the distinctive York Maltese Cross cancellation; fine. R.P.S. Certificate (1989). Photo | £500-600 |
| 1755 ○ | TE, large margins all round, complete and practically upright Norwich distinctive Maltese Cross cancellation; very fine. R.P.S. Certificate (1987). Photo | £300-400 |
| 1756 △ | TH good to large margins all round, tied to piece by an almost perfectly centred number "4" in Maltese Cross cancellation; tiny trace of toning at foot. Fine. Photo | £250-300 |
| 1757 ○ | An almost complete reconstruction of the plate, 235 stamps, mostly singles though including pairs (6) and strips of three (3), a few being duplicate letterings, mostly with margins all round or nearly all round, all except one with black Maltese Crosses; condition mixed but mostly good to fine and a number of very attractive examples present. Cat. £23,500 | £2,000-2,200 |

Plate 4



1758

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| 1758 ★ | BH "Spectacles" variety, large part original gum, large to very large margins all round. A superb example of this very rare stamp. R.P.S. Certificate (1987). Photo

PROVENANCE:
Eskenzi | £9,000-10,000 |
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1841 Two Pence Blue, Plate 4 - *contd.*

- 1759 ○ JJ close to large margins, tied to entire dated 10 Jan. 1851 to Edinburgh by **blue** Scottish "186" cancellation of Irvine. Also QI-QL **horizontal strip of four** touched at right, close to large margins other sides, with "511" barred oval cancellations of Market Harborough; fine £250-300
- 1760 ☒ LB and KB both with good to large margins all round, tied by London barred oval cancellations to long entire letter (no side flaps) dated 16 Dec. 1851, KB very close at left, LB with profile clear cancellation £100-120
- 1761 ○ NL sheet margin and inscription "...*be Back be careful n...*" at right, good to large margins other sides, London "4" barred oval cancellation; tiny fault in margin at left, clear of the design. Attractive and scarce £150-200
- 1762 ○ OK-OL **horizontal pair**, watermark inverted, a little close at foot to enormous margins and showing good portions of two adjoining stamps at top, "447" barred oval cancellations of Leeds; fine. R.P.S. Certificate (1987), Specialised ES14a, £1,700. Photo £400-500
- 1763 ○ SD good to very large margins all round, superb **blue** "802" barred oval cancellation of Bampton; fine. Specialised ES14wb, £1,000. Photo £250-300
- 1764 ○ TF "violet blue" with marked Ivory head, large to very large margins and showing a portion of the adjoining stamp at right, London barred oval cancellation; fine. Specialised ES17, £400 £100-150
- 1765 ○ A complete used plate reconstruction, comprising singles (123), pairs (32) and strips of three (18), mostly three or four margined, the majority with neat or light strikes of black numeral cancellations; condition somewhat mixed though a number of fine and very attractive examples included. Very rare. Cat. £21,600 £2,500-3,000

1850-54 "Archer" Perforations

- †1766 ☒ 1d. red-brown, Plate 94: PE, well tied by London numeral cancellation, on 1854 (25 Feb.) envelope to Daventry, the reverse with clear despatch c.d.s., straight-line "Gt. Coram.St." in blue and part green c.d.s. An unusually fine cover. B.P.A. Certificate (1969). S.G. 16b, £2,200. Photo £400-500

1854-57

Watermark Small Crown, Perforation 16

- 1767 ○ 1d. Plate 176: NK-OK rejoined **vertical pair** with framed Melness type VIII Scots local cancellation; some faults though unique. Photo £200-250
- 1768 ☒ 1d. CJ tied to envelope to Dublin, dated 24 July 1855, by **blue** Irish "438" numeral of Tullamore in blue; fine and uncreased £200-250
- 1769 ☒ 1d. DB, tied to entire letter to Plymouth by superb "383" Hull spoon datestamp of 21 Aug. 1854, which leaves the Queen's profile largely clear, manuscript "*Missent to Truro*" alongside. A beautiful cover. S.G. 17 £80-100
- 1770 △ 1d., 2d. strip of three, tied to piece by barred oval cancellations; fine. S.G. 17, 19 £100-120
- 1771 ○ 2d. **horizontal pair** with bright red "P-D" in oval cancellations. Superb and rare. S.G. 19. Photo £500-700

Watermark Small Crown, Perforation 14

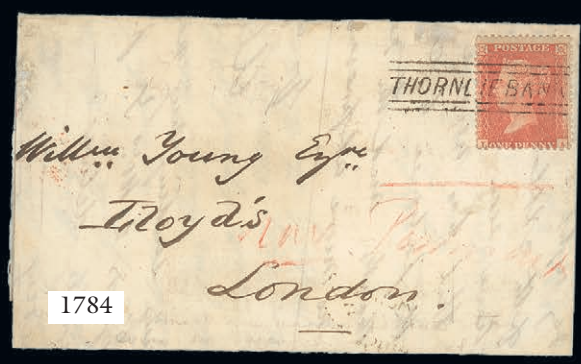
- 1772 ☒ 1d., CL tied to entire letter to Ballinasloe dated 5 Oct. 1855 by superb **blue** Irish "438" numeral of Tullamore, which leaves the Queens profile untouched; the entire with filing folds, fine. Photo £200-250

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 I should not have suffered so severely. I could not
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 the fact, and also that I have been shamefully imposed on
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 what similar character, and I have been obliged to
 give. I am, sir, yours faithfully,
 H. M. Serpant



1854-57, Watermark Small Crown, Perforation 14 - *contd.*

- 1773 ☒ 1d. Die II, TI-TK **horizontal strip of three**, tied by two **blue** "232" Spoon cancellations of 27 June 1855 to envelope, addressed to "*Lord Raglans Army/on service on the East*". Beautiful and rare. Photo £500-600
- 1774 ○ 2d. LF-MF **vertical pair**, Large Crown, perf. 16 2d. GK and JH (re-entry), used, good to fine. S.G. 23, 36a, £1,400 £150-200
- 1775 ☒ 2d. OL tied by London twin "47" barred oval cancellation to long envelope, dated 31 March 1857, to Falkirk, "C.R." (Caledonian Railway) handstamp alongside; filing folds clear of the adhesive. Fine £100-120
- 1776 ☒ 2d. QH tied to entire, dated 18 Aug. 1855 to Drogheda, by slightly unclear **green** Irish "186" numeral of Dublin; the entire with filing folds one of which affects the adhesive. Rare £120-150

Watermark Large Crown, Perforation 16

- 1777 ☒ 1d. Plate 3: GL, tied by Manchester "498" sideways duplex cancellation of 22 May 1855 to entire letter to Chipping Norton, dated markings on reverse; the front panel of the entire with small fault, otherwise fine and rare. S.G. 26. Photo £300-400

Watermark Large Crown, Perforation 14

- 1778 ☒ 1d., Plate 56 DT tied on envelope to London dated 21 Nov. 1856 by a fine upright strike of the Glasgow "159" Madelaine Smith type cancellation, also another on cover franked 1d. dated 11 April 1857, 1854 cover to Glasgow franked 1d. with Scottish "159" cancellation and blue boxed "GALLOWGATE" on reverse, 1857 cover to Glasgow franked 1d. with "221" experimental sideways duplex of Leith; good to fine £150-200
- 1779 ☒ 1d., well-centred, placed sideways and cancelled by a fine **green** "445" Waterford Spoon cancellation of 21 Jan. 1855 on entire letter to Derby; horizontal filing fold well clear of the adhesive. Very scarce and fine. Photo £250-300
- 1780 ☒ 1d., entires from Bradford to Manchester, Manchester to London and Northampton to Crick, each with sideways duplex cancellations, also entire letter franked 1d. to Ballymoney with Belfast spoon cancellation; good to fine £100-120
- 1781 ☒ 2d. NL, well centred, tied by London "19" barred oval to entire letter to Exeter, dated 29 March 1858; fine £150-200
- 1782 ☒ 2d. RB, rounded upper right corner, tied to entire letter, dated 2 April 1856, to Dublin by **blue** Irish "58" numeral of Banbridge, fine £150-200

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- 1783 ☒ 1855-76 selection of eight entires and a piece all franked with 1d., comprising 1855 to Devonport with superb **blue** "29" barred oval of Ashburton (rare on a cover bearing a perforated 1d.), piece with **blue** Ballina "29" spoon, 1856 to Cheshire bearing pair with "180" barred ovals of Chester with unusual "Sputnik" Inspectors mark, 1855 and 1856 entires with indented London "38" late mail duplex cancellations, 1859 to Shrewsbury with superb London "4" trial duplex, 1860 to Broadway with "611" duplex of Pershore and "2" handstamp alongside, 1861 with unusual square shaped "243" in diamond of Gorey, 1876 "Scinde, Punjuab and Delhi Railway" Company envelope from London to Epsom, also 1856-58 1d. unused with B.P.A. Certificate (1951). An interesting group £400-500

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1809



1815



1816



1813



1767



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1822



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1820



1805



1826

1856-58

- 1784 ☒ 1d. tied on entire letter to London, dated 18 July 1857 by a fine strike of the "THORNLEIBANK" Scots local cancellation (Alcock scarcity G), reduced red crayon marks on the front, fine and rare. Photo £300-350
- 1785 ☒ 1d. IB, tied by London district barred circle cancellation to O.H.M.S. Inspector of Prisons envelope, dated 17 Dec. 1857, to Pimlico, including autographed letter, signed, from John G. Perry, inspector of Prisons, to J. Pitt Taylor, including his autograph letter, signed, concerning Lambeth County Court, repeated debts, demoralisation and idleness. Superb red wax "Inspector of Prisons" seal on reverse; fine £150-200
- 1786 ☒ 1d. rose red, tied to envelope dated 25 April 1858 by fine strike of the straight line "LISSELANE" in greenish blue and with another strike on reverse, Dublin and London datestamps; vertical filing fold well clear of the adhesive. Fine and scarce. Photo £250-300
- 1787 ○ Line Engraved 1d. "Stars" collection (73) on pages, including cancellations in blue (6) and green (2), spoons, etc., mixed condition £150-200
- 1788 ○ Line Engraved selection on pages (82), including sixty two with protective underprints (2 ½d., the remainder 1d.), mostly Copestake Moore but with nine J & C Boyd, used; mixed condition £250-300

1864-79 One Penny Plate Numbers

- 1789 ★ Plates 71-224, except 77, 83, 88, 105, 115 and 140, but with additional 177 and 212, mint, mostly fine. S.G. 43/44, Cat. approx. £11,500 £1,200-1,500
- 1790 ★☒ Plate 176: SA-TF **block of twelve** (6x2) from the foot of the sheet, original gum; fine and fresh. S.G. 43/44, £960 as singles £180-220

1858-76 Two Pence Plate Numbers

- 1791 ★ Plates 9-15, mint and mostly unmounted, Plate 15 from the top of the sheet and with part inscription; fine. S.G. 45/47, £4,750 £800-1,000
- 1792 ○ Plate 14: A complete used reconstruction of the plate comprising 241 stamps (all singles except for one pair, one lettering duplicated), all either lightly or neatly cancelled in black, mostly numeral or duplex types though including at least twenty examples cancelled solely by a datestamp; mainly fine and attractive. Rare, especially given the number of circular dated cancellations. S.G. 47, £9,158+ £1,200-1,500
- 1793 ○ Plate 15: A complete used reconstruction of the plate comprising 240 stamps, all either lightly or neatly cancelled in black, mostly with numeral or duplex types though about ten examples cancelled solely by a datestamp; mainly fine and attractive. Rare. S.G. 47, £9,120+ £1,200-1,500

1870-79 Halfpenny

- 1794 ★ Set of Plates 1-20 except 9, original gum with several unmounted mint, Plate 2 with watermark inverted, chiefly fresh and fine. S.G. 48/49, £3,000+ £400-500
- 1795 ★ Plate 1 AI, Plate 3 GF, original gum; fine. S.G. 51/52, £1,225 £100-120

1847-54 Embossed

- 1796 ☒ 1/- green, cut-square, touched at top and foot, large margins on other sides, tied by "48" barred oval of Barnsley to entire letter to Baltimore dated 4 Oct. 1847, blue "12" on the front; horizontal filing fold crosses the adhesive, nevertheless attractive and scarce. Photo £250-300



- 1797 ☒ 10d. brown, cut-square, a little cut-into at top, margins on other sides, tied by “41” barred oval of Bakewell to entire (no side flaps) to Lille dated 18 May 1853, Angl. Amb Calais c.d.s. additionally ties the stamp, red “PD” in oval; fine. Photo £250-300
- 1798 ○ 10d. brown, cut-square, just touched at foot, good to large margins other sides; fine. Photo £250-300
- 1799 ○ 6d. mauve, cut-square, close to very large margins all round; fine £150-200
- 1855-57**
- 1800 ☒ 6d., tied by “078” barred oval of Brampton Brian (a small village in Herefordshire) to long blue envelope, dated 31 Dec. 1867, registered to Shepton Mallet; slight faults on reverse though a striking and impressive cover. S.G. 68 £100-120
- 1862-64**
- 1801 ☒ 4d. Plate 3 HE, tied on cover to Paris International Exhibition by duplex cancellation of 18 June 1862, red “P.D.” in oval and Angleterre/Calais entry marking; slight wrinkles, fine. S.G. 70 £100-120
- 1802 ○ 1/- green Plate 1 (= Plate 2) KD, variety “K” in circle, “A25” duplex cancellation of Malta which leaves the variety clear; fine and very rare, especially Used Abroad. S.G. 90a, £2,750. Photo £450-500
- 1867-80**
- 1803 ☒ 2/- dull blue FK, tied by London District “86” duplex of 2 Jan. 1878 to entire letter to Mexico, “35cs” charge marking; light filing folds well clear of the adhesive. Fine. Signed S. Sismondo, S.G. 118. Photo £200-250

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1867-83

Watermark Maltese Cross

- 1804 ○ 5/- rose, Plate 1 FJ, upright Manchester Royal Exchange c.d.s. of 23 Feb. 1872, wonderful fresh colour; fine. S.G. 126, £675. Photo £120-150
- 1805 ⊕ 10/- die proof with uncleared corner squares and plate number circles, in black on glazed card (90x60mm.) dated "Apr 30 1878"; a fine crisp impression. Attractive and scarce. Specialised *from* £3,000. Photo £1,000-1,200

Watermark Anchor, White Paper



1806

- 1806 ○ £5 orange, AM-AN vertical pair, crisp and upright Sheffield cancellations of 23 Jan. 1900; very fine and an attractive pair of this popular high value. S.G. 137, £9,500+. Photo £4,500-5,000



1807

- 1807 ★ £5 orange, DH, marginal, good strong colour, mounted in the margin, the stamp remaining unmounted; some gum creasing, otherwise fine. S.G. 137, £14,500. Photo £6,000-8,000

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| 1808 ★田 | 1873-80 3d. rose Plate 14: AJ-BK block of four , large part original gum; fresh and fine. S.G. 144, £2,100+. Photo | £800-1,000 |
| 1809 ⑨ | 1880-83 1/- orange-brown, Plate 14 imprimatur lettered DF, line perf. 14 at top, part original gum, small coloured mark/fault at upper right. Rare. R.P.S. Certificate (2008). Specialised J117 var. Photo | £1,000-1,200 |
| 1810 ○ | 1883-84 white paper 10/- ultramarine KE, crisp South Western District Office c.d.s. of 4 Oct. 1897; very fine. S.G. 183, £525. Photo | £180-200 |
| 1811 ⑨ | 1883 or 1884 1½d. (2), 2d. (2), 2½d. (2, one with missing upper left corner) and 3d., different perforated colour trials affixed to a page of the book "Specimens of Adhesive Stamps of Great Britain 1885" which was presented to Mr. Mulock of the Confidential Enquiry Branch, General Post Office | £1,400-1,600 |
| 1812 ☒ | 1887-92 ½d. vermilion with 4d. on cover registered to India, 1½d. on 1d. pink stationery envelope to Rotterdam, 2½d. on 2d. registered stationery envelope to Switzerland, 4d. on 2d. registered stationery cover sent Express to Liverpool, 4½d. on ½d. stationery envelope to Hamburg, 5d. and 9d. on 2d. registered stationery envelope to Switzerland, 6d. with 1d. on envelope registered to Trieste; a fine group | £120-150 |
| 1813 ④ | 1887 5d. dull purple and blue Die I, showing unlisted variety damage to right-hand frameline of the left-hand duty tablet , unmounted mint; small rub at right, otherwise fresh and fine. Most unusual. S.G. 207, £1,100+. Photo | £400-500 |

King Edward VII Issues

1902-10 De La Rue



1814

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| 1814 ★ | ½d. yellowish green, variety doubly printed , the lower stamp of a vertical pair from the foot of the sheet with a small portion of the upper stamp also showing the double impression, the upper stamp with original gum, the full variety unmounted mint; fine and one of the great rarities of the Edwardian era. B.P.A. Certificate (1992). £37,500 as an unmounted mint single. Photo | £25,000-30,000 |
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King Edward VII Issue, 1902-10 De La Rue - *contd.*

1815 ⊕	£1 dull blue-green, unmounted mint; slight wrinkles, fine. S.G. 266, £3,500. Photo	£800-1,000
1816 ○	£1 dull blue-green, Guernsey c.d.s. cancellation; fine. S.G. 266, £825. Photo	£300-350
x1817 ☒	Posted in Advance for Christmas selection of seven envelopes and two pieces, all franked with Edward ½d., including Birkenhead 1906, Liverpool 1908, Rochdale 1902 and 1903, etc., some faults though a scarce group	£150-200
The following six lots are slightly oversize proofs produced in 1928 by Hebst and Illig in Germany on Dr. Ekerlin's Rotary Press		
1818 ②	1d. in black on watermarked paper; fine. Photo	£250-300
1819 ②	1d. in black on thick cream card; fine. Photo	£250-300
1820 ②	1d. pair in blue on thinner cream paper; fine. Photo	£250-300
1821 ③	1d. (3) with two essays of the Russia 1913 Romanov 7k., sheetlet of five on watermarked paper, fine and a very rare two-country essay	£800-1,000
1822 ③	1d. reversed impression, on cream card, the impression slightly faulty. Photo	£250-300
1823 ②ⓑ	1d. reversed rough impression, block of six in red on card with faint normal impressions; creased at right. Photo	£500-600

King George V Issues

1912-24 Watermark Royal Cypher



1824

1824 ⊕ⓑ	1d. scarlet varnish ink block of six (3x2) from the top of the pane, unmounted mint, hinged in the margin only; diagonal bend affecting the fourth stamp, otherwise fine and rare. R.P.S. Certificate (1987). Specialised N16g, £18,000 as mounted. Photo	£3,500-4,000
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- 1825 ⊕ 9d. olive-green "T22" control pair from the lower left corner of the sheet, unmounted mint, gum disturbed in the margin at left, fine. S.G. 393a, £450+i £150-200
- 1826 ★ 1/- fawn-brown **varnish ink** "I16" control pair from the lower left corner of the sheet, original gum, the control single remaining unmounted mint; fine and rare. Brandon Certificate (2005). Specialised N32d, £5,000 as two mounted singles. Photo £800-1,000

1913-19 Seahorses

- 1827 ⊕ 1913 10/- indigo-blue, unmounted mint; well centred, good colour and perms., very fine. S.G. 402, £2,200. Photo £350-400
- 1828 ⊕ 1913 £1 dull blue-green, unmounted mint, slight gum wrinkles; fine. S.G. 404, £4,800. Photo £800-1,000



1829

- 1829 ★ 1913 £1 dull blue-green, original gum, well centred and with good colour and perms.; a fine example. S.G. 404, £3,500. Photo £1,200-1,500
- 1830 ★ 1915 De La Rue 2/6d. very deep brown from the left of the sheet, **watermark inverted and misplaced**, original gum; fine. Brandon Certificate (2001). Specialised N64(11)f, £2,750. Photo £750-1,000
- 1831 ⊕ 1918-19 Bradbury, Wilkinson 5/- rose-red (2) unmounted mint; both slightly off centre, fine. S.G. 416, £475 £300-350

1929 Postal Union Congress

- 1832 ⊙ £1 black, overprinted "SPECIMEN" in red, unused without gum; fine. S.G. 438s, £3,000. Photo £250-300
- 1833 ○ £1 black, fine used. S.G. 438, £550. Photo £300-350

1935 Silver Jubilee

- 1834 ⊙ ½d., 1d. and 1½d. each overprinted "CANCELLED" Type 28 twice and with punch hole, unmounted mint and each with the necessary crease; fine £300-350

King George V Issues, 1935 Silver Jubilee - *contd.*



1835

- 1835 Δ 2½d. Prussian Blue error of colour, a vertical strip of three with strong and vibrant colour and 1934-36 ½d. green (2), all affixed to parcel piece and cancelled with Highbury “cogwheel” October 1945 datestamps; the lower pair apparently folded between and with some slightly soiled perfs. in places, nevertheless an exceptionally rare and possibly unique used multiple of this famous “error of colour”. B.P.A. Certificate (2001). S.G. 456a, £45,000+. Photo £10,000-12,000

King George VI Issues

- 1836 \oplus 1937 3d. violet with “TWO PENCE/HALFPENNY/POSTAGE/HALFPENNY/WAR TAX” essay overprint, fine mint. S.G. 467 var. £100-120

Queen Elizabeth II Issues

- 1837 \oplus \boxplus 1958-65 2d. light red-brown block of four from the top of the sheet, variety imperf. between stamp and margin at top, unmounted mint, fine and scarce. Brandon Certificate (2006). S.G. 573var. Specialised S40a. Photo £300-400
- 1838 \oplus 1967 Christmas 3d. Adoration of the Shepherds horizontal strip of four showing a progressive dry print of the value with the first stamp with “3d.” completely omitted, unmounted mint, fine and scarce. Brandon Certificate (2007). S.G. 756var., Photo £400-500
- 1839 \oplus \boxplus 1967 Christmas 4d. Madonna and Child block of twenty-four, the lower two rows of the sheet with the fifth stamp in each horizontal row with Gold (Queen’s head) omitted, the adjoining block of six with Gold (Queen’s head and value) omitted, next vertical pair with Gold (4d.) omitted, unmounted mint, folded through the central vertical perfs., fine and rare. Brandon Certificate 2006). S.G.757var., 757a, 757b £1,200-1,500



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1828



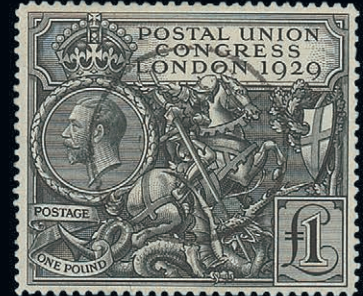
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1846



1854



1823

Queen Elizabeth II Issues - contd.


1840 ★	1968 British Paintings 1/- "Pinkie", variety Gold (Queen's head and value), embossing and phosphor omitted , unmounted mint from the right of the sheet; fine. S.G. 772Eb, £650	£200-250
1971-96 Issue		
1841 ⊕	3p. ultramarine (2 bands), 7p. purple-brown (1 centre band), 12½p. light emerald (1 centre band), phosphorised paper ½p., 16p., 18p., 22p. blue and 1972 £1, all in horizontal pairs, variety imperforate , the first mounted and with small thin, the others fine unmounted mint. Cat. £1,485+	£300-350
1842 ⊕Ⓚ	3p. bright magenta, FCP/PVAD, variety part imperforate horizontal strip of five in an upper left corner block of thirteen showing a progressive failure of the perforations, unmounted mint; diagonal tear affects the right-hand pair and another in the left margin. Photo	£250-300
1843 ⊕Ⓚ	9p. deep violet without varnish coating, imperforate and dry print , in a left margin block of twelve (6x2) showing progressive failure of the printing towards the left, two stamps with virtually no design remaining; unmounted mint and a spectacular block	£400-500
1844 ⊕	12p. yellowish green, phosphorised paper (PCP)/PVAD, an imperforate pair affixed to thin card and thought to be a printer's proof. Photo	£100-120
1845 ⊕Ⓚ	12½p. light emerald, one centre band, imperforate block of six (2x3) from the lower left corner of the sheet with cylinder number, unmounted mint, fine. S.G. X898a, £360+	£100-120
1971-96 Phosphorised Paper		
1846 ★Ⓚ	14p. grey-blue, (PCP)/PVAD block of four, variety imperforate and additionally showing dry print of the ink; some creasing and gum disturbance. A striking block. Photo	£150-200
1847 ⊕Ⓚ	16p. olive-drab, imperforate block of six (2x3) from the lower left corner of the sheet with cylinder number, unmounted mint; tiny wrinkles, fine. S.G. X949a, £600+	£120-150
1993-2007 Elliptical Perforation		
1848 ⊕Ⓚ	7p. bright magenta, two bands, imperforate block of six (2x3) from the lower left corner of the sheet with cylinder number, unmounted mint, some wrinkles in the margins, fine. S.G. Y1673a, £600	£150-200
1849 ⊕Ⓚ	7p. bright magenta, two bands, imperforate block of thirty-six (4x9) from the left of the sheet , unmounted mint, tiny wrinkles, fine. S.G. Y1673a, £3,600+	£400-500
1850 ⊕Ⓚ	19p. bistre with one centre phosphor band, a block of one hundred, being the top 10 rows of the sheet, the upper right corner block of twenty-five variety imperforate though with traces of "blind" perforations; fresh unmounted mint. S.G. Y1683	£500-600
1851 ⊕Ⓚ	35p. sepia, imperforate block of six (2x3) from the lower left corner of the sheet with cylinder number, unmounted mint, fine. S.G. Y1700a, £825+	£250-300
1852 ⊕Ⓚ	40p. turquoise blue, imperforate block of thirty (6x5) from the lower left corner of the sheet with Plate number D1, unmounted mint, fine and rare. SG. Y1711a, £5,250+	£1,500-2,000
1853 ⊕Ⓚ	43p. emerald, two bands, imperforate block of six (2x3) from the lower left corner of the sheet with cylinder number, unmounted mint, fine. Y1718a, £825+	£250-300
1854 ⊕	Engraved £5 brown imperforate horizontal pair , unmounted mint; fine. Brandon Certificate (2007). S.G. Y1803a, £950. Photo	£200-250

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1855

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| 1855 | ⊕田 Engraved £5 brown block of four, error printed in Iriodin ink unmounted mint, fine and extremely rare. It is believed that only twenty examples are recorded. S.G. Y1803var. Photo | £2,000-2,500 |
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| 1856 | ⊕B 1977 Silver Jubilee 8½p. plate numbers block of six (2x3), variety imperforate , unmounted mint, the lower pair superb, the other two pairs with faults. S.G. 1033a, £2,850+ | £400-600 |
| 1857 | ⊕B 1978 Christmas 7p. Singing Carols around the Christmas Tree block of eight (2x4) from the lower right corner of the sheet with traffic lights, variety imperforate between stamp and margin at foot and with ghosted perfs. affecting the remainder of the block; unmounted mint, fine. Brandon Certificate (2006). S.G. 1071var., | £500-600 |
| 1858 | ⊕B 1978 Christmas 9p. The Walts block of six (2x3) from the lower left corner of the sheet with traffic lights, the lower pair variety imperforate , ghosting of perfs. affecting the remainder of the block, unmounted mint, vertical crease, fine. Brandon Certificate (2006). S.G. 1072a, £2,000 | £250-300 |
| 1859 | ⊕B 1979 Spring Wild Flowers 9p. Primroses block of six (3x2) from the lower left corner of the sheet with traffic lights, variety the left-hand vertical pair completely imperforate , ghosted perfs. affecting the others and vertical crease at right. S.G. 1079a, £800 | £200-250 |



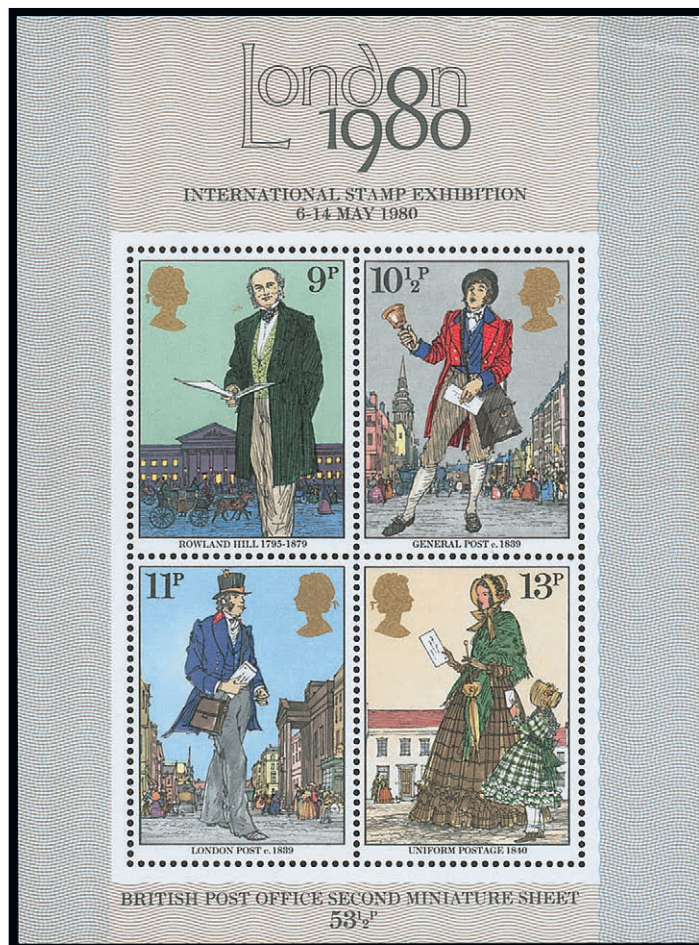
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1860

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| 1860 ⊕田 | 1979 Rowland Hill prepared for used but not issued miniature sheet with face values to 9p., 10½p., 11p. and 13p. with a sheet price of 53½p., unmounted mint; crease in the margin at top, otherwise fine and rare. One of only two or three known examples. Brandon Certificate (2006). Photo | £10,000-12,000 |
| 1861 ⊕ | 1979 Christmas 10p. horizontal pair, variety imperforate , unmounted mint; one stamp with small cracked wrinkle, otherwise fine. S.G. 1105b, £1,200. Photo | £250-300 |
| 1862 ② | 1981 Christmas 14p. Jesus Christ imperforate horizontal proof pair from the top of the sheet, without gum; fine. S.G. 1171 var. | £100-120 |
| 1863 ⊕田 | 1985 Insects 34p. Emperor dragonfly block of twenty-five (5x5) from the upper left corner of the sheet with plate numbers, the upper left vertical pair variety imperforate between stamp and margin , some ghosted perfs. on the other sides, unmounted mint; fine. S.G. 1281var. | £500-600 |

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1864

1864 ★

1989 Lord Mayor's Show, prepared for used though not issued se-tenant strip of five with face value 19p., original gum and offered with the Harrison and Sons presentation folder to which it was originally attached. Exceptionally rare. Only one or two strips recorded. Brandon Certificate (2007). See footnote after S.G. 1461. Photo

£4,000-5,000

1865 ⊕ ㉞

1990 Gallantry Award 20p. D.S.C and D.S.M. block of ten (2x5) with horizontal interpanneau margin between, variety lower block of four imperforate, unmounted mint, the margin at left clear though uneven; fine. Brandon Certificate (2006). S.G. 1519a, £6,000+. Photo

£1,200-1,500



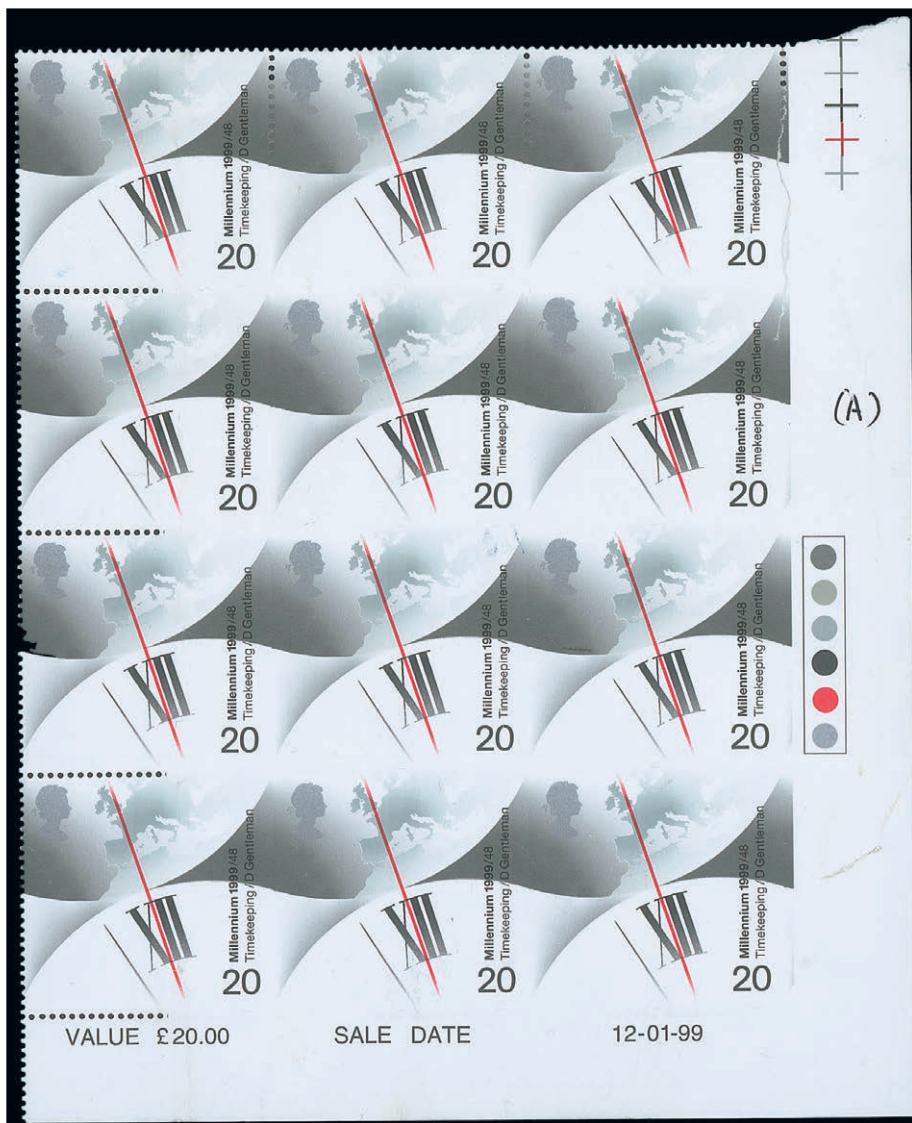
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Queen Elizabeth II Issues - *contd.*



1866

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| 1866 | ⊕ | 🇬🇧 | 1990 Christmas 22p. Fetching the Christmas Tree block of six (2x3) from the lower right corner of the sheet with traffic lights, variety imperforate , unmounted mint, a few minor wrinkles, fine and rare. Brandon Certificate (2007). S.G. 1527a, £9,000+. Photo | £2,000-2,500 |
| 1867 | ⊕ | | 1994 Christmas 19p. Mary and Joseph imperforate horizontal pair from the right of the sheet, unmounted mint; fine. S.G. 1843a, £175 | £80-100 |
| 1868 | ⊕ | | 1994 Christmas 19p. Mary and Joseph, horizontal marginal pair (unmounted mint) and 2002 Christmas 1st. vertical marginal pair (self-adhesive). both variety imperforate , fine. S.G. 1843a, 2322a, £475 | £120-150 |
| 1869 | ⊕ | 🇬🇧 | 1999 20p. Greenwich Meridian block of twelve (3x4) from the lower right corner of the sheet with traffic lights, variety the corner block of four imperforate and with ghosting of perfs. affecting the remainder of the block to varying degrees, unmounted mint with creasing slightly affecting the imperforate block, a little soiled and a tear affecting two of the normal stamps. Brandon Certificate (2002). S.G. 2069a, £7,500 as a block of four. Photo | £1,200-1,500 |
| 1999 Millennium Series | | | | |
| 1870 | ⊕ | | The Settlers Tale, 26p. Pilgrim Fathers, imperforate proof pair from the lower left corner of the sheet with silver and phosphor omitted , unmounted mint; fine. See footnote after S.G. 2087, £350 | £100-150 |
| 1871 | ⊕ | | The Settlers Tale 43p. Sailing Ship horizontal imperforate proof strip of four from the upper right corner of the sheet with traffic lights, showing variety gold, chocolate and phosphor omitted , unmounted mint, fine. See footnote after S.G. 2087, £1,400 | £150-200 |



1869

2000-02 Millennium Projects

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| 1872 ⑥ | 19p. Barn Owl imperforate horizontal proof pair from the foot of the sheet with the Queen's head printed in gold; un gummed, small wrinkles, fine. See footnote after S.G. 2128 | £100-120 |
| 1873 ⑥田 | 19p. Barn Owl imperforate proof block of four from the top of the sheet with Queen's head in gold instead of silver, un gummed, fine. See footnote after S.G. 2128, £800+ | £150-200 |
| 1874 ⑥B | 19p. Barn Owl imperforate proof block of six (2x3) from the lower left corner of the sheet with traffic lights, the Queen's head in gold; un gummed, fine. See footnote after S.G. 2138, £1,200 | £200-250 |
| 1875 ★ | (1st.) South American leaf-cutter imperforate horizontal pair from the right of the sheet, unmounted mint; fine. S.G. 2139 unpriced. Photo | £250-300 |
| 1876 ⑥田 | (1st.) Floodlit Church imperforate block of four from the foot of the sheet and with vertical gutter between, unmounted mint, vertical crease through the gutter margin; fine. Brandon Certificate (2006). S.G. 2171a, £1,500 | £300-400 |

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Queen Elizabeth II Issues - contd.

- 1877 ⊕ 2001 Centenary of Royal Navy Submarine Service (1st.) "Swiftsure" imperforate horizontal pair from the top of the sheet, unmounted mint, minor wrinkles, fine. S.G. 2203a, £1,400. Photo £250-300



1878

- 1878 ⊕ 2002 Rudyard Kipling self-adhesive, imperforate proof se-tenant block of ten; fine. Brandon Certificate (2006). S.G. 2243P-2252P. Photo £1,500-2,000

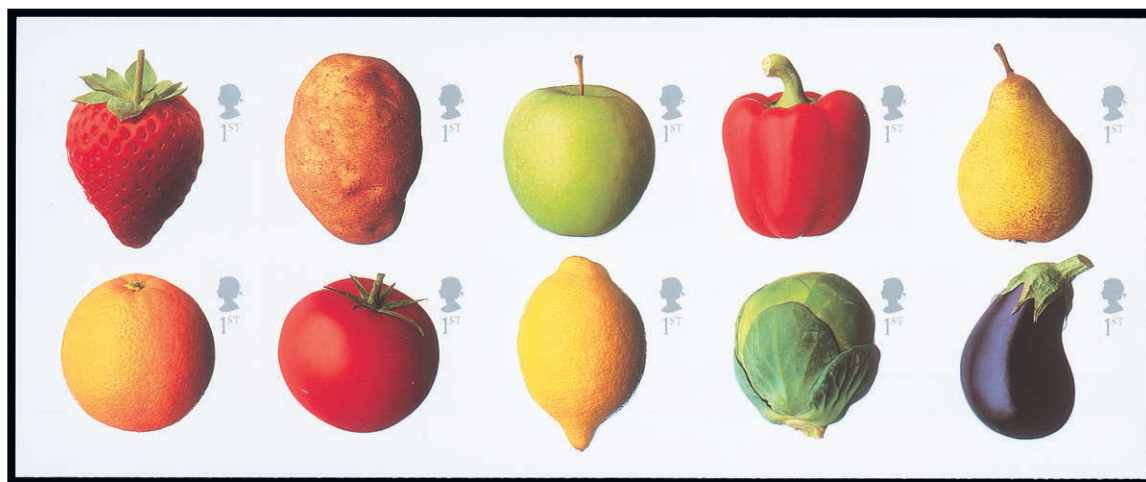
- 1879 ⊕ 2002-03 Greetings stamps (1st.) Bear pulling Potted Topiary Tree, variety Queen's head and value at left due to a perforating error, unmounted mint, fine. P.T.S. Certificate (2017). S.G. 2260var. £200-250

2002 Christmas

- 1880 ⊕ 2002 Self adhesive (2nd.) Blue Spruce Star imperforate sheet of fifty, comprising two panes of 25 (5x5), fine. S.G. 2321b, £2,240 as twenty-four pairs £400-500

- 1881 ⊕ 2002 Self adhesive (2nd.) Blue Spruce Star, imperforate sheet of fifty comprising two panes of twenty-five (5x5), fine. S.G. 2321b, £1,920 as twenty-four pairs. £250-300

- 1882 ⊕ 2002 Self adhesive (1st.) Holly complete imperforate sheet of fifty comprising two panes of twenty-five (5x5); marginal corner crease at upper left, fine. R.P.S. Certificate (2005). S.G. 2322b, £12,000 as twenty-four pairs £1,500-2,000



1883

- 1883 ⊕ 2003 Fruit and Vegetables (1st.) Self adhesive imperforate se-tenant block of ten (5x2); fine and rare. S.G. 2348ab, £3,500. Photo £1,200-1,500



1861



1877



1884



1885



1886



1887



1888



1875



1904



1842

Queen Elizabeth II Issues - contd.

2003 A British Journey, Scotland

- 1884 ② (2nd.) Ben More, alternative value, issued as (1st.), unmounted mint, fine. Brandon Certificate (2007). See footnote after S.G. 2391. Photo £400-500
- 1885 ② 37p. Dalveen Pass, Lowther Hills, alternative value (issued as 42p.), unmounted mint, fine. Brandon Certificate (2007). See footnote after S.G. 2391. Photo £400-500
- 1886 ② 42p. Loch Assynt, Sutherland, alternative value (issued as 2nd.), unmounted mint, fine. Brandon Certificate (2007). See footnote after S.G. 2391. Photo £400-500
- 1887 ② 68p. Papa Little, Shetland Islands, essay with "SCOTLAND" **not emboldened**, unmounted mint; fine. Brandon Certificate (2007). See footnote after S.G. 2391. Photo £400-500
- 1888 ② (1st.) Rothiemurchus, Cairngorms, alternative value (issued as (E)), unmounted mint, fine. Brandon Certificate (2007). See footnote after S.G. 2391. Photo £400-500

2004 Ocean Liners

- 1889 ②ⓑ (E) S.S. Canberra, **imperforate block of six (2x3)** from the lower left corner of the sheet with plate numbers, unmounted mint; a few very minor wrinkles, otherwise fine and most likely unique. S.G. 2449a, £1,800+ £500-600



1890



1891

- 1890 ②ⓑ Miniature sheet with "City of New York" inscribed "53", unmounted mint, fine and very rare. Only six believed to have been recorded. Brandon Certificate (2006). See footnote after S.G. 2455. Photo £1,500-2,000
- 1891 ②ⓑ Miniature sheet, with "City of New York" inscribed "53" and **imperforate**, unmounted mint, fine and scarce. Only six examples believed to exist. See footnote after S.G. 2455. Photo £1,500-2,000

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2004 A British Journey, Wales

- 1892 ⊕田 (2nd.) Barmouth Bridge, **imperforate block of six (2x3)** from the lower left corner of the sheet with plate numbers, unmounted mint, slight wrinkling in the margin; fine. S.G. 2466a, £2,100+ £400-500
- 1893 ⊕田 (1st.) Hyddgen, Plynlimon, **imperforate block of six (2x3)** from the lower right corner of the sheet with traffic lights, unmounted mint, a few light wrinkles, fine. S.G. 2467a, £2,100+ £500-600
- 1894 ⊕田 42p. Pen-pych, Rhonda Valley, **imperforate sheet of twenty-five with error of value**, unmounted mint, a few tiny wrinkles, fine and very rare. See footnote after S.G. 2472, £12,000 as twelve pairs £2,000-2,500
- 1895 ⊕田 68p. Marloes Sands **imperforate block of six (2x3)** from the lower left corner of the sheet with plate numbers, unmounted mint, fine and scarce. S.G. 2471a, £2,100+ £400-500

2004 Crimean War

- 1896 ⊕ 57p. Sgt. Powell **imperforate horizontal pair** from the upper right corner of the sheet, unmounted mint, minor wrinkles in the margin; fine. S.G. 2492a, £1,400 £400-450
- 1897 ⊕ 57p. Sgt. Powell, **imperforate block of six (2x3)** from the lower left corner of the sheet with plate numbers unmounted mint; a few minor wrinkles, fine. S.G. 2492a, £4,200 £800-1,000
- 1898 ⊕ 2004 Christmas, self adhesive trial booklet pane of six (3x2), the 68p. and £1.12 values with variety **reversed values and position within the block**; fine. Brandon Certificate (2007) £250-300

Booklets

1899

- 1899 ⊕田 2001 NVI (1st.) unissued self adhesive trial booklet of twelve with elliptical perforations; the cover with some minor roulette separations, fine and rare. These trials were sent to the National Institute for the blind for evaluation. Brandon Certificate (2007). Photo £1,500-2,000
- 1900 ⊕ 2004 A British Journey (Northern Ireland) imperf. self adhesive booklet containing four Gold (1st.) and two (1st.) Giants Causeway, proof printed by Questa with some minor differences to the issued type. Brandon Certificate (2007). S.G. 2440var. £800-1,000

Postage Dues

- 1901 ⊕田 1937-38 1/- deep blue block of four from the lower right corner of the sheet with a **striking pre-printing paper fold affecting the last stamp and resulting in a unprinted portion at lower right**, unmounted mint; fine and scarce S.G. D33var. £400-500
- 1902 ⊕ 1954-55 4/- blue **imperforate horizontal pair**, unmounted mint, fine. S.G. D43a, £250 £100-120

Officials

Inland Revenue

- 1903 ⊙ 1882-1901 on issues of 1880-81 ½d. green, 1d. lilac, 6d. grey Plate 18, each overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9 and affixed to a piece of a page from "Specimens of Adhesive Stamps of Great Britain 1885" presented to Mr. Murlock, head of the Confidential Enquiry Branch, General Post Office. S.G. O2s, O3s, O4s £400-500
- 1904 ★ 1880-81 1d. lilac, variety **imperforate**, part original gum; razor cut just into design at foot and tiny rub on face; fine appearance and very rare. R.P.S. Certificate (1988). S.G. O3c, £4,500. Photo £400-500

Government Parcels

- 1905 ⊙ 1883-86 9d. dull green, 1/- orange-brown Plate 13, both overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9 and affixed to a piece of a page from "Specimens of Adhesive Stamps of Great Britain 1885" presented to Mr. Murlock, head of the Confidential Enquiry Branch, General Post Office. S.G. O63s, O64s £500-600

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- 1906 Small mint and used selection (56) including Inland Revenue, Government Parcels 1883-86 9d., 1887-90 6d. block of eight on piece, 9d. pair, 1/-, Office of Works 1902-03 1d., etc., chiefly good to fine £200-250

Used Abroad

Colombia

- 1907 ☒ 1851 (8 Aug.) entire letter from Santa Marta to Panama, rated "8" and showing Crowned circle "PAID/AT/SANTA MARTA" in orange-red, seriffed double-arc datestamp on reverse. S.G. CC6, £1,900. Photo £500-600
- 1908 ☒ 1854 (22 Feb.) entire letter from Santa Marta via St. Thomas to New York, rated "1/-" and showing Crowned circle "PAID/AT/SANTA MARTA" in red alongside "STEAMSHIP/10/Cts.", despatch sans-serif double-arc datestamp on reverse; filing crease just touches right edge of Crowned circle. S.G. CC6, £1,900. Photo £400-500

Danish West Indies

- 1909 ☒ 1870 (29 June) envelope from St. Thomas "*via Ostende*" to Hamburg, bearing 1867-80 3d. rose Plate 5 (4 with a pair) and. 10d. red-brown (2, one with wing-margin) all cancelled "C51", and minimally cancelled 1d. Plate 125, showing light "ST. THOMAS/PAID" datestamp, oval-framed "PD" and London Paid datestamp (12.7), boxed arrival datestamp (14.7) on reverse; a couple of small imperfections though a rare and most attractive franking. Photo £600-800



1907



1908



1909



1911



1912



1913



1915



1916

Used Abroad - *contd.*

Egypt



1910

- 1910 ☒ 1857 (23 Dec.) envelope from Alexandria “*via Marseilles*” to London, rated “9” and showing Crowned circle “PAID/AT/ALEXANDRIA” partially overstruck by Paid arrival datestamp (31.12) and with Alexandria despatch datestamp in blue; fold across lower right corner clear of the markings. An attractive envelope showing this rare handstamp. S.G. CC1, £3,250. Photo £800-1,000

PROVENANCE:
Grant Glassco, November 1969

- 1911 ☒ 1861 (Mar.) small envelope from Cairo “*via Marseilles*” to Dowager Countess Guillamore in London, rated “9” and showing fine Crowned circle “PAID/AT/CAIRO”, the reverse with despatch and arrival datestamps; small cut at right well clear of the handstamp. Rare. S.G. CC2, £5,000. Photo £1,800-2,000

Note: Vicountess Guillamore was the widow of Standish O’Grady, 2nd. Viscount Guillamore and son of the 1st. Viscount Guillamore. He was an officer of the 7th. Hussars at the battle of Waterloo

PROVENANCE:
Dr. Paul Kornan, September 1994

Haiti

- 1912 ☒ 1877 (20 Oct.) entire letter from Les Cayes “*pr. R.M. Steamer*” St. Thomas, bearing ½d. Plates 5 and 10, 1d. Plate 174 pair, 1½d. Plate 3 and 4d. sage-green Plate 15 all cancelled with good to fine strikes of the Jacmel “C51” obliterator, weak Jacmel Paid datestamp (26.10) at foot and arrival datestamp (28.10) on reverse; filing crease crosses one ½d. and the 1d. pair defective when previously offered though a rare and attractive 8½d. rate franking. Signed Holcombe. Photo £500-600

PROVENANCE:
Dr. Paul Kornan, September 1994

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Mexico

1913 ☒

1867 (29 June) entire letter from Vera Cruz to New York, showing senders cachet, well struck "PAID/AT/VERA-CRUZ", oval-framed "FRANCO", "FRANQUEDO/VERACRUZ" (10.7) and "N.Y. STEAMSHIP/10" (11.7) datestamps, all on face, despatch double-arc datestamp on reverse; filing creases cross the markings though remaining of good appearance. S.G. CC3, £1,000. Photo

£300-350

Peru

1914

1914 ☒

1853 (21 Nov.) entire letter from Tacna to Cobija, showing oval-framed "FRANCA/TACNA" in blue and Crowned circle "PAID/AT/ARICA" alongside double-ring "ARICA", both light strikes; central horizontal filing crease clear of the markings. An attractive example of this rare Crowned circle. S.G. CC1, £4,750. Photo

£1,000-1,200

Porto Rico

1915 ☒

1853 (11 Nov.) entire letter from San Juan "Per Merlin" (on her last voyage on this route) to New York, rated "1/-" and showing Crowned circle "PAID/AT/SAN JUAN PORTO RICO" in black, partly overstruck by New York "STEAMSHIP/10" handstamp, despatch and St. Thomas (15.11) datestamps on reverse. S.G. CC1, £650. Photo

£200-250

1916 ☒

1863 (Jan.) entire letter from San Juan to Barcelona, rated "1/4" and showing Crowned circle "PAID/AT/SAN JUAN PORTO RICO" and with London Paid transit datestamp (13.2) at right, despatch datestamp on reverse; scarce as more usually found in conjunction with Spanish Colonial stamps. S.G. CC1, £650. Photo

£200-250

Collections and Ranges

1917 ⊕	1969-94 collections of Alderney, Guernsey, Isle of Man and Jersey housed in seven printed albums contained in a carton, practically complete with miniature sheets, etc.; fine	£100-150
x1918	Collection on ten pages, including early carrier stamps for Court Bureau, Clark & Co, Express Parcel Delivery Company and Newcastle District Carrying Co., pages of well written-up Circular Delivery Company stamps including multiples, and 1893 forgery used on cover to Isle of Wight, good range of private airmail stamps (10) and covers (6) including 1937 Lundy Island cover. A fascinating group	£200-250
1919	Selection on pages and loose, including Line Engraved covers with undated circular postmarks of Malone Road, Strandtown, 1855-57 Medium Garter 4d., 1858 envelope to Demerara franked 6d. with Scottish "65" cancellation and "SOUHEND" Scots local on reverse, 1862-64 thick paper 9d., 1869 cover from Edinburgh franked 2d. Plate 2, 1870 long blue envelope to Liverpool franked 1d. (2) and with circular "OVER/2/OZ/MORE TO PAY", 1872 and 1873 envelopes from the same correspondence to Singapore or Hong Kong each franked 3d., 1/-, 1880 1d. pink envelope to Italy additionally franked 1½d., 1889 5d. on cover to New York, etc., mixed condition	£250-300
1920	1840-2005 collection housed in four albums, seventeen stockbooks and six cover albums and loose, contained in two cartons, including 1840 1d., 1887-92 £1 green, 1912-24 1/- Control N19 strip of three, 1925 Wembley, 1934-36 set with Controls, 1937-47 4d, imperforate strip of three with Post Office training bars, 1939-48 set u.m., 1948 Wedding £1, 1951 set, 1957 Graphite set, early phosphor commemorative sets, later with values to £5 (5) and £10, first day covers with values to £5, Regionals, Guernsey, Isle of Man and Jersey with values to £5, etc., chiefly good to fine	£800-1,000
1921 ⊕	1847-92 selection overprinted "SPECIMEN", 36 stamps including 1847-54 Embossed 6d., 10d., 1864-80 Line-Engraved ½d., 1d., 1½d., Surface-Printed with 1855-57 6d., 1862-64 3d. (2, one with shaded spandrels), 4d., 9d. (2), 1/-, 1867-80 to 10d., 2/- blue, 1873-80 to 4d., 8d., 1/-, 1880-81 set to 5d., 1887-92 Jubilee 1/- dull green, etc., part original gum or unused; condition a little mixed in places, mostly fresh and attractive	£1,000-1,200
1922	1858-1969 mostly mint selection housed in two stockbooks contained in a carton, including 1858-79 1d. Plate 186 block of thirty (5x6), 1858-76 2d. Plate 9, 1867-83 watermark Cross 5/- unused, 1883-84 2/6d., 1887-92 ½d. to 1/-, 1900 1/-, 1897 London Philatelic Exhibition label, Departmentals Inland Revenue 1887-92 ½d. vermilion, 1901 ½d. green blocks of four, Government Parcels 1887-90 1/- (used), Edward 1d., 6d. overprinted "SPECIMEN", 7d. overprinted "CANCELLED", Telegraphs 1876 £1 imperf. colour trial in mauve, etc., mixed condition	£1,000-1,500

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 £100 to £300 by £10 £3,000 to £6,000 £3,200-£3,500-£3,800-£4,000 etc.
 £300 to £600 £320-£350-£380-£400 etc. £6,000 to £20,000 by £500
 £600 to £1,000 by £50 £20,000 and up Auctioneer's discretion

VAT is chargeable on the Hammer price and the Buyer's premium of daggered (†) and (Ω) lots at the standard rate (currently 20%), and on lots marked (x) at the reduced rate (currently 5% on the Hammer price and 20% on the Buyer's premium). VAT on Margin Scheme lots (identified by the absence of any VAT symbol next to the lot number) is payable at 20% on the Buyer's premium only.

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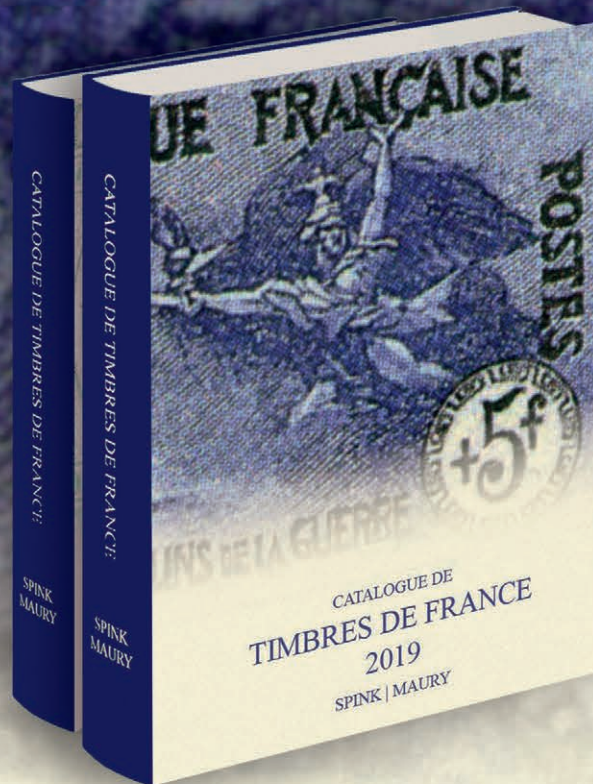
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TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR BUYERS

These conditions set out the terms on which we (**Spink and Son Limited** of 69 Southampton Row, Bloomsbury London WC1B 4ET (company no. 04369748)) contract with you (**Buyer**) either as agent on behalf of the Seller or as principal if we are the Seller. You should read these conditions carefully.

1 DEFINITIONS

The following definitions apply in these conditions:

Auctioneers' Margin Scheme	means a VAT margin scheme as defined by HM Revenue & Customs;
Buyer's Premium	means the charge payable by you as a percentage of the Hammer Price, at the rates set out in clause 5.1 below;
Certificate of Authenticity	means a certificate issued by an Expert Committee confirming the authenticity of a Lot;
Expert Committee	means a committee of experts to whom a Lot may be sent for an extension in accordance with clause 3.4.3;
Forgery	means a Lot constituting an imitation originally conceived and executed as a whole with a fraudulent intention to deceive as to authorship, origin, age, period, culture or source where the correct description as to such matters is not reflected by the description in the catalogue and which at the date of the auction had a value materially less than it would have had if it had been in accordance with the description in the catalogue. Accordingly, no Lot shall be capable of being a Forgery by reason of any damage and/or restoration work of any kind (including re-enamelling);
Hammer Price	means the amount of the highest bid accepted by the auctioneer in relation to a Lot;
Lot	means any item deposited with us for sale at auction and, in particular, the item or items described against any Lot number in any catalogue;
Reserve	the amount below which we agree with the Seller that the Lot cannot be sold;
Seller	means the owner of the Lot being sold by us;
Spink Group	Spink and Son Limited, our subsidiaries and associated companies.
VAT	value added tax chargeable under VAT and any similar replacement or additional tax; and
VAT Symbols	means the symbols detailing the VAT status of the Lot details of which are set out at the back of the catalogue.

2 SPINK'S ROLE AS AGENT

- 2.1 All sales undertaken by us either at auction or privately are undertaken either as agent on behalf of the Seller or from time to time, as principal if we are the owner of the Lot. Please note that even if we are acting as agent on behalf of the Seller rather than as principal, we may have a financial interest in the Lot.
- 2.2 The contract for the sale of the Lot will be between you and the Seller.

3 BEFORE THE SALE

3.1 Examination of goods

You are strongly advised to examine personally any goods in which you are interested, before the auction takes place. Condition reports are usually available on request. We provide no guarantee to you other than in relation to Forgeries, as set out in clause 5.13 of these Terms and Conditions.

3.2 Catalogue descriptions

3.2.1 Statements by us in the catalogue or condition report, or made orally or in writing elsewhere, regarding the authorship, origin, date, age, size, medium, attribution, genuineness, provenance, condition or estimated selling price of any Lot are merely statements of opinion, and are not to be relied on as statements of definitive fact. Catalogue and web illustrations are for guidance only, and should not be relied on either to determine the tone or colour of any item. No lot shall be rejected on the grounds of inaccurate reproduction. No lot illustrated in the catalogue and online shall be rejected on the grounds of cancellation, centring, margins, perforation or other characteristics apparent from the illustration. Estimates of the selling price should not be relied on as a statement that this price is either the price at which the Lot will sell or its value for any other purpose.

3.2.2 Many items are of an age or nature which precludes their being in perfect condition and some descriptions in the catalogue or given by way of condition report make reference to damage and/or restoration. We provide this information for guidance only and the absence of such a reference does not imply that an item is free from defects or restoration nor does a reference to particular defects imply the absence of any others.

3.2.3 Other than as set out in clause 5.13, and in the absence of fraud, neither the Seller nor we, nor any of our employees or agents, are responsible for the correctness of any statement as to the authorship, origin, date, age, attribution, genuineness or provenance of any Lot nor for any other errors of description or for any faults or defects in any Lot. Every person interested should exercise and rely on his own judgment as to such matters.

3.3 Your Responsibility

You are responsible for satisfying yourself as to the condition of the goods and the matters referred to in the catalogue description.

3.4 Extensions – Stamps only

3.4.1 If you wish to obtain an expert opinion or Certificate of Authenticity on any Lot (other than a mixed Lot or Lot containing undescribed stamps) you must notify us in writing not less than forty-eight hours before the time fixed for the commencement of the first session of the sale. If accepted by us, such request shall have the same effect as notice of an intention to question the genuineness or description of the Lot for the purposes of clause 5.13 (Refund in the case of Forgery) of these Terms and Conditions and the provisions of clause 5.13 (Refund in the case of Forgery) shall apply accordingly.

3.4.2 Notice of a request for an expert opinion or Certificate of Authenticity must give the reason why such opinion is required and specify the identity of your proposed expert which will be subject to agreement by us. We reserve the right, at our discretion, to refuse a request for an expert opinion or Certificate of Authenticity including (without limitation) where the proposed expert is not known to us.

3.4.3 If we accept a request for an expert opinion or Certificate of Authenticity we will submit the Lot to the Expert Committee. You acknowledge and accept that the length of time taken by an Expert Committee to reach an opinion will vary depending on the circumstances and in any event is beyond our control.

3.4.4 We will not accept a request for an extension on account of condition. Any Lot described in the catalogue as having faults or defects may not be returned even if an expert opinion or Certificate of Authenticity cites other faults or defects not included in the catalogue description, other than in the case of a Forgery.

3.4.5 Should Spink accept a request for an extension under the foregoing provisions of this paragraph, the fact may be stated by the Auctioneer from the rostrum prior to the sale of the Lot.

3.4.6 It should be noted that any stamp accompanied by a Certificate of Authenticity is sold on the basis of that Certificate only and not on the basis of any other description or warranty as to authenticity. No request for an extension will be accepted on such a stamp and the return of such a stamp will not be accepted.

3.4.7 If you receive any correspondence from the Expert Committee in relation to the Lot, including but not limited to a Certificate of Authenticity, you must provide us with copies of such correspondence no later than 7 days after you receive such correspondence.

4 AT THE SALE

4.1 Refusal of admission

Our sales usually take place on our own premises or premises over which we have control for the sale, and we have the right, exercisable at our complete discretion, to refuse admission to the premises or attendance at an auction.

4.2 Registration before bidding

You must complete and sign a registration form and provide identification before making a bid at auction. Please be aware that we usually require buyers to undergo a credit check.

If you have not bid successfully with Spink in the past, or you are registering with us for the first time, we reserve the right to require a deposit of up to 50% of the amount you intend to spend. Such deposit will be deducted from your invoice should you be successful. If you are unsuccessful at auction, your deposit will be returned by the same means it was paid to Spink.

Some lots may be designated, prior to the auction, as "Premium Lots", which means a deposit may be required before placing a bid on the item for sale. Information will be posted on our website in such an event.

4.3 Bidding as Principal

When making a bid (whether such bids are made in person or by way of telephone bids operated by Spink, commission or online or email bids), you will be deemed to be acting as principal and will be accepting personal liability, unless it has been agreed in writing, at the time of registration, that you are acting as agent on behalf of a third party buyer acceptable to us.

4.4 Commission Bids

If you give us instructions to bid on your behalf, by using the form provided in our catalogues or via our website, we shall use reasonable endeavours to do so, provided these instructions are received not later than 24 hours before the auction. If we receive commission bids on a particular Lot for identical amounts, and at auction these bids are the highest bids for the Lot, it will be sold to the person whose bid was received first. Commission bids are undertaken subject to other commitments at the time of the sale, and the conduct of the auction may be such that we are unable to bid as requested. Since this is undertaken as a free service to prospective buyers on the terms stated, we cannot accept liability for failure to make a commission bid. You should therefore always attend personally if you wish to be certain of bidding.

4.5 On-line Bidding

We offer internet services as a convenience to our clients. We will not be responsible for errors or failures to execute bids placed on the internet, including, without limitation, errors or failures caused by (i) a loss of internet connection by either party for whatever reason; (ii) a breakdown or problems with the online bidding software and/or (iii) a breakdown or problems with your internet connection, computer or system. Execution of on-line internet bids on www.spink.com and Spink Live is a free service undertaken subject to other commitments at the time of the auction and we do not accept liability for failing to execute an online internet bid or for errors or omissions in connection with this activity. Buyers who acquire lots on the-saleroom.com will have a fee of 3% on the hammer price added to their invoice for using this facility.

4.6 Telephone Bids

If you make arrangements with us not less than 24 hours before the sale, we shall use reasonable endeavours to contact you to enable you to participate in bidding by telephone, but in no circumstances will we be liable to either the Seller or you as a result of failure to do so.

4.7 Currency Converter

At some auctions, a currency converter will be operated, based on the one month forward rates of exchange quoted to us by Barclays Bank Plc or any other appropriate rate determined by us, at opening on the date of the auction. Bidding will take place in a currency determined by us, which is usually sterling for auctions held in London. The currency converter is not always reliable, and errors may occur beyond our control either in the accuracy of the Lot number displayed on the converter, or the foreign currency equivalent of sterling bids. We shall not be liable to you for any loss suffered as a result of you following the currency converter.

4.8 Video images

At some auctions there will be a video screen. Mistakes may occur in its operation, and we cannot be liable to you regarding either the correspondence of the image to the Lot being sold or the quality of the image as a reproduction of the original.

4.9 Bidding Increments

Bidding generally opens below the low estimate and advances in the following order although the auctioneer may vary the bidding increments during the course of the auction. The normal bidding increments are:

Up to £100	by £5
£100 to £300	by £10
£300 to £600	£320-£350-£380-£400 etc.
£600 to £1,000	by £50
£1,000 to £3,000	by £100
£3,000 to £6,000	£3,200-£3,500-£3,800-£4,000 etc.
£6,000 to £20,000	by £500
£20,000 and up	Auctioneer's discretion

4.10 Bidding by Spink

4.10.1 We reserve the right to bid on Lots on the Seller's behalf up to the amount of the Reserve (if any), which will never be above the low estimate printed in the auction catalogue.

4.10.2 The Spink Group reserves the right to bid on and purchase Lots as principal.

4.11 The Auctioneer's Discretion

The auctioneer has the right at his absolute discretion to refuse any bid to advance the bidding in such manner as he may decide to withdraw or divide any Lot, to combine any two or more Lots and, in the case of error or dispute, to put an item up for bidding again.

4.12 Successful Bid

Subject to the auctioneer's discretion, the striking of his hammer marks the acceptance of the highest bid, provided always that such bid is higher than the Reserve (where applicable), and the conclusion of a contract for sale between you and the Seller.

4.13 After Sale Arrangements

If you enter into any private sale agreements for any Lot with the Seller within 60 days of the auction, we, as exclusive agents of the Seller reserve the right to charge you the applicable Buyer's Premium in accordance with these Terms and Conditions, and the Seller a commission in accordance with the terms of the Seller's agreement.

4.14 Return of Lot

4.14.1 Once your bid has been accepted for a Lot then you are liable to pay for that Lot in accordance with these Terms and Conditions. If there are any problems with a Lot then you must notify us within 7 days of receipt of the Lot, specifying the nature of the problem. We may then request that the Lot is returned to us for inspection. Save as set out in clause 5.13, the cancellation of the sale of any Lot and the refund of the corresponding purchase price is entirely at our sole discretion. We will not normally exercise that discretion if the Lot is not received by us in the same condition that it was in at the auction date.

4.14.2 No lot may be returned on account of condition if the condition was stated by a third party grading company (including, but not limited to PCGS, NGC, ANACS, ICG, PMG, WBG).

5 AFTER THE AUCTION

5.1 Buyer's Premium and other charges

In addition to the Hammer Price, you must pay us the Buyer's Premium at a rate of 20% of the final Hammer price of each lot, a fee of 3% on the hammer price total for using the-saleroom.com and a fee for paying by card.

5.2 Value Added Tax

Other than in respect of Zero-rated Lots (o) VAT is chargeable on the Hammer price and the Buyer's premium of daggered (†) and (Ω) lots at the standard rate (currently 20%), and on lots marked (x) at the reduced rate (currently 5% on the Hammer price and 20% on the Buyer's premium). VAT on Margin scheme lots (identified by the absence of any VAT symbol next to the lot number) is payable at 20% on the Buyer's premium only.

5.3 VAT Refunds

General

5.3.1 As we remain liable to account for VAT on all Lots unless they have been exported outside the EU within 3 months of the date of sale, you will generally be asked to deposit all amounts of VAT invoiced. However, if a Spink nominated shipper is instructed, then any refundable VAT will not be collected. In all other cases credits will be made when proof of export is provided. If you export the Lot yourself you must obtain shipping documents from the Shipping Department for which a charge of £50 will be made.

5.3.2 If you export the Lot you must return the valid proof of export certificate to us within 3 months of the date of sale. If you fail to return the proof of export certificate to us within such period and you have not already accounted to us for the VAT, you will be liable to us for the full amount of the VAT due on such Lot and we shall be entitled to invoice you for this sum.

5.3.3 To apply for a refund of any VAT paid, the proof of export certificate must be sent to our Shipping Department clearly marked 'VAT Refund' within 3 months of the date of sale. No payment will be made where the total amount of VAT refundable is less than £50 and Spink will charge £50 for each refund processed.

VAT Refunds - Buyers from within the EU

5.3.4 VAT refunds are available on the Hammer Price and Buyer's Premium of Daggered (†) and Investment Gold (g) Lots. You must certify that you are registered for VAT in another EU country and that the Lot is to be removed from the United Kingdom within 3 months of the date of sale.

5.3.5 Where an EU buyer purchases a Lot on which import VAT has been charged, no refund of VAT is available from us. It may be possible to apply directly for a refund on form VAT 65 to HM Revenue & Customs Overseas Repayment Section, Londonderry.

VAT Refunds - Buyers from outside the EU

5.3.6 Where a Lot is included within the Auctioneers' Margin Scheme and evidence of export from the EU is produced within 3 months of the date of sale, the VAT on Buyer's Premium may be refunded.

5.3.7 Where the Lot is marked as a Daggered (†) Lot the VAT charged on the Hammer Price may be refunded where evidence of export from the EU is produced within 3 months of the date of sale. A refund of VAT charged on the Buyer's Premium can also be made on receipt of proof of business as a collectibles dealer.

5.3.8 Where the Lot is marked as an Omega (Ω) Lot or an Import VAT (x) Lot and evidence of export from the EU is produced within 3 months of the date of sale, the VAT charged on both the Hammer Price and Buyer's Premium may be refunded. Where required, we can advise you on how to export such Lots as a specific form of export evidence is required. Where we advise you on the export of the Lots, please be aware that the ultimate responsibility in respect of obtaining a valid proof of export certificate will lie with you and we will not be responsible for your failure to obtain such certificate.

5.3.9 Lot marked as Investment Gold (g) is exempt from VAT on Hammer price. A refund of VAT charged on the Buyer's Premium can be made on receipt of proof of business as a collectibles dealer and where evidence of export from the EU is produced within 3 months of the date of sale.

5.4 Payment

5.4.1 You must provide us with your full name and permanent address and, if so requested, details of the bank from which any payments to us will be made. You must pay the full amount due (comprising the Hammer Price, the Buyer's Premium and any applicable VAT) within seven days after the date of the sale. This applies even if you wish to export the Lot and an export licence is (or may be) required.

5.4.2 You will not acquire title to the Lot until all amounts due have been paid in full. This includes instances where special arrangements were made for release of Lot prior to full settlement.

5.4.3 Payment should be made in sterling by one of the following methods:

- Direct bank transfer to our account details of which are set out on the invoice. All bank charges shall be met by you. Please ensure that your client number is noted on the transfer.
- By cheque or bank draft made payable to Spink and Son Ltd and sent to Spink at 69 Southampton Row, Bloomsbury, London WC1B 4ET. Please note that the processing charges for payments made by cheques or bank drafts drawn on a non-U.K bank shall be met by you. Please ensure that the remittance slip printed at the bottom of the invoice is enclosed with your payment.
- By Visa or Mastercard. All Corporate cards regardless of origin and Consumer debit and credit cards issued outside the EU are subject to a fee of 2%. For all card payments there are limits to the amounts we will accept depending on the type of card being used and whether or not the cardholder is present.

- 5.4.4 Payments should be made by the registered buyer and not by third parties, unless it has been agreed at the time of registration that you are acting as an agent on behalf of a third party.
- 5.5 Invoices**
Invoices may consist of one or more pages and will show: Zero rated Lots (o); no symbol Lots sold under the Auctioneers' Margin Scheme; Lots marked (g) special scheme Investment Gold; Daggered Lots (†), imported Lots marked (x) and (Ω), (c) Lots with Zero rated hammer for EU VAT registered buyers.
- 5.6 Collection of Purchases**
5.6.1 Unless specifically agreed to the contrary, we shall retain lots purchased until all amounts due to us, or to the Spink Group, have been paid in full. Buyers will be required to pay for their lots when they wish to take possession of the same, which must be within 7 days of the date of the sale, unless prior arrangements have been made with Spink. Without prior agreement, lots will not be released until cleared funds are received with regard to payments made by cheque.
5.6.2 Unless we notify you to the contrary, items retained by us will be covered in accordance with our policy which is available for inspection at our offices from the date of sale for a period of seven days or until the time of collection, whichever is sooner. After seven days or from the time of collection, whichever is the earlier, the Lot will be entirely at your risk.
5.6.3 Our policy will not cover and we are unable to accept responsibility for damage caused by woodworm, changes in atmospheric conditions or acts of terrorism.
- 5.7 Notification**
We are not able to notify successful bidders by telephone. While Invoices are sent out by email or mail after the auction we do not accept responsibility for notifying you of the result of your bid. You are requested to contact us by telephone or in person as soon as possible after the auction to obtain details of the outcome of your bids to avoid incurring charges for late payment.
- 5.8 Packing and handling**
5.8.1 We shall use all reasonable endeavours to take care when handling and packing a purchased Lot but remind you that after seven days or from the time of collection, whichever is sooner, the Lot is entirely at your risk. Our postage charges are set out at the back of the catalogue.
5.8.2 It is the responsibility of the Buyer to be aware of any Import Duties that may be incurred upon importation to the final destination. Spink will not accept return of any package in order to avoid these duties. The onus is also on the Buyer to be aware of any Customs import restrictions that prohibit the importation of certain collectibles. Spink will not accept return of the Lot(s) under these circumstances. Spink will not accept responsibility for Lot(s) seized or destroyed by Customs.
5.8.3 If the Buyer requires delivery of the Lot to an address other than the invoice address this will be carried out at the discretion of Spink.
- 5.9 Recommended packers and shippers**
If required our shipping department may arrange shipment as your agent. Although we may suggest carriers if specifically requested, our suggestions are made on the basis of our general experience of such parties in the past and we are not responsible to any person to whom we have made a recommendation for the acts or omissions of the third parties concerned.
- 5.10 Remedies for non-payment or failure to collect purchases**
5.10.1 If you fail to make payment within seven days of your stipulated payment date set out in your invoice, we shall be entitled to exercise one or more of the following rights or remedies:
5.10.1.1 to charge interest at the rate of 2% per month compound interest, calculated on a daily basis, from the date the full amount is due;
5.10.1.2 to set off against any amounts which the Spink Group may owe you in any other transaction the outstanding amount remaining unpaid by you;
5.10.1.3 we may keep hold of all or some of your Lots or other property in the possession of the Spink Group until you have paid all the amounts you owe us or the Spink Group, even if the unpaid amounts do not relate to those Lots or other property. Following fourteen days' notice to you of the amount outstanding and remaining unpaid, the Spink Group shall have the right to arrange the sale of such Lots or other property. We shall apply the proceeds in discharge of the amount outstanding to us or the Spink Group, and pay any balance to you;
5.10.1.4 where several amounts are owed by you to the Spink Group in respect of different transactions, to apply any amount paid to discharge any amount owed in respect of any particular transaction, whether or not you so direct;
5.10.1.5 to reject at any future auction any bids made by you or on your behalf or obtain a deposit from you before accepting any bids.
5.10.2 If you fail to make payment within thirty-five days, we shall in addition be entitled to:
5.10.2.1 to cancel the sale of the Lot or any other item sold to you at the same or any other auction;
5.10.2.2 to arrange a resale of the Lot, publicly or privately, and, if this results in a lower price being obtained, claim the balance from you together with all reasonable costs including a 20% seller's commission, expenses, damages, legal fees, commissions and premiums of whatever kind associated with both sales or otherwise, incurred in connection with your failure to make payment;
5.10.2.3 when reselling the Lot, place a notice in our catalogue stating that you successfully purchased the Lot at auction but have subsequently failed to pay the Hammer Price of the Lot; or
5.10.2.4 take any other appropriate action as we deem fit.
5.10.3 If you fail to collect within fourteen days after the sale, whether or not payment has been made, you will be required
5.10.3.1 to pay a storage charge of £2 per item per day plus any additional handling cost that may apply.
5.10.3.2 you will not be entitled to collect the Lot until all outstanding charges are met, together with payment of all other amounts due to us.
- 5.11 Use of Default Information**
If you fail to make payment for a Lot in accordance with these Terms and Conditions:
5.11.1 we reserve the right to refuse you the right to make bids for any future auction irrespective of whether previous defaults have been settled; and
5.11.2 you acknowledge that we may (as necessary for our legitimate interests those of other auctioneers and live bidding platforms in referencing customers and avoiding customer defaults) disclose details of such default to other auctioneers and live bidding platforms, which will include your name, address, nature of the default and the date of the default.
Auctioneers or live bidding platforms who receive details of the default may rely on such information when deciding whether to enter into a transaction with you in the future.
- 5.12 Export Licence**
5.12.1 If required we can, at our discretion, advise you on the detailed provisions of the export licensing regulations. Where we advise you in relation to export licensing regulations the ultimate responsibility in respect of any export will lie with you and we will not be responsible for your failure to apply for any necessary licences.
5.12.2 If the Lot is going to be hand carried by you, you may be required to produce a valid export licence to us or sign a waiver document stating that a licence will be applied for.
5.12.3 You should always check whether an export licence is required before exporting. Export licences are usually obtained within two or three weeks but delays can occur.
5.12.4 Unless otherwise agreed by us in writing, the fact that you wish to apply for an export licence does not affect your obligation to make payment within seven days nor our right to charge interest on late payment.
5.12.5 If you request that we apply for an export licence on your behalf, we shall be entitled to recover from you our disbursements and out of pocket expenses in relation to such application, together with any relevant VAT.
5.12.6 We will not be obliged to rescind a sale nor to refund any interest or other expenses incurred by you where payment is made by you despite the fact that an export licence is required.
- 5.13 Refund in the case of Forgery**
5.13.1 A sale will be cancelled, and the amount paid refunded to you if a Lot (other than a miscellaneous item not described in the catalogue) sold by us proves to have been a Forgery. We shall not however be obliged to refund any amounts if either (a) the catalogue description or saleroom notice at the auction date corresponded to the generally accepted opinion of scholars or experts at that time, or fairly indicated that there was a conflict of opinions, or (b) it can be demonstrated that the Lot is a Forgery only by means of either a scientific process not generally accepted for use until after publication of the catalogue or a process which at the date of the auction was unreasonably expensive or impracticable or likely to have caused damage to the Lot. Furthermore, you should note that this refund can be obtained only if the following conditions are met:
5.13.1.1 you must notify us in writing, within seven days of the receipt of the Lot(s), that in your view the Lot concerned is a Forgery;
5.13.1.2 you must then return the item to us within fourteen days from receipt of the Lot(s), in the same condition as at the auction date; and
5.13.1.3 as soon as possible following return of the Lot, you must produce evidence satisfactory to us that the Lot is a Forgery and that you are able to transfer good title to us, free from any third party claims.
5.13.1.4 you must provide to us all evidence obtained by you that a Lot is a Forgery no later than 7 days after you receive such evidence.
5.13.2 In no circumstances shall we be required to pay you any more than the amount paid by you for the Lot concerned and you shall have no claim for interest.
5.13.3 The benefit of this guarantee is not capable of being transferred, and is solely for the benefit of the person to whom the original invoice was made out by us in respect of the Lot when sold and who, since the sale, has remained the owner of the Lot without disposing of any interest in it to any third party.
5.13.4 We shall be entitled to rely on any scientific or other process to establish that the Lot is not a Forgery, whether or not such process was used or in use at the date of the auction.

6 LIABILITY

- Nothing in these Terms and Conditions limits or excludes our liability for:
- 6.1 death or personal injury resulting from negligence; or
 - 6.2 any damage or liability incurred by you as a result of our fraud or fraudulent misrepresentation.

7 USE OF YOUR PERSONAL INFORMATION

- 7.1 We will use the personal information you provide to us as set out in our privacy notice (available at <https://spink.com/privacy-policy>) and in particular to:
- 7.1.1 process the bids you make on Lots (whether successful or otherwise) and other auction related services we provide;
 - 7.1.2 process your payment relating to a successful purchase of a Lot;
 - 7.1.3 arrange for delivery of any Lot you purchase, which will include passing your details to shipping providers and, on overseas deliveries, to customs where they make enquiries regarding the Lot;
 - 7.1.4 inform you about similar products or services that we provide, but you may stop receiving these at any time by contacting us.
- 7.2 In accordance with clause 4.2, we may pass your information to credit reference agencies in order to obtain credit checks from them, and they may keep a record of any search that they do.
- 7.3 In accordance with clause 5.11, where you default on making payment for a Lot in accordance with these terms and conditions we may disclose details of such default to other auctioneers and live bidding platforms.
- 7.4 We are also working closely with third parties (including, for example, other auctioneers and live bidding platforms) and may receive information about you from them.
- 7.5 Where you provide us with personal information about other individuals, you must ensure that your provision of that information is compliant with applicable data protection law.

8 COPYRIGHT

- 8.1 We shall have the right (on a non-exclusive basis) to photograph, video or otherwise produce an image of the Lot. All rights in such an image will belong to us, and we shall have the right to use it in whatever way we see fit.
- 8.2 The copyright in all images, illustrations and written material relating to a Lot is and shall remain at all times our property and we shall have the right to use it in whatever way we see fit. You shall not use or allow anyone else to use such images, illustrations or written material without our prior written consent.

9 VAT

You shall give us all relevant information about your VAT status and that of the Lot to ensure that the correct information is printed in the catalogues. Once printed, the information cannot be changed. If we incur any unforeseen cost or expense as a result of the information being incorrect, you will reimburse to us on demand the full amount incurred.

10 NOTICES

All notices given under these Terms and Conditions may be served personally, sent by 1st class post, or faxed to the address given to the sender by the other party. Any notice sent by post will be deemed to have been received on the second working day after posting or, if the addressee is overseas, on the fifth working day after posting. Any notice sent by fax or served personally will be deemed to be delivered on the first working day following despatch.

11 ADDITIONAL PROVISIONS

The following provisions of this clause 10 shall apply only if you are acting for the purposes of your business.

11.1 Limitation of Liability

Subject to clause 6, we shall not be liable, whether in tort (including for negligence) or breach of statutory duty, contract, misrepresentation or otherwise for any:

- 11.1.1 loss of profits, loss of business, depletion of goodwill and/or similar losses, loss of anticipated savings, loss of goods, loss of contract, loss of use, loss of corruption of data or information; or
- 11.1.2 any special, indirect, consequential or pure economic loss, costs, damages, charges or expenses.

11.2 Severability

If any part of these Terms and Condition is found by any court to be invalid, illegal or unenforceable, that part may be discounted and the rest of the conditions shall continue to be valid and enforceable to the fullest extent permitted by law.

11.3 Force majeure

We shall have no liability to you if we are prevented from, or delayed in performing, our obligations under these Terms and Conditions or from carrying on our business by acts, events, omissions or accidents beyond our reasonable control, including (without limitation) strikes, lock-outs or other industrial disputes (whether involving our workforce or the workforce of any other party), failure of a utility service or transport network, act of God, war, riot, civil commotion, malicious damage, compliance with any law or governmental order, rule, regulation or direction, accident, breakdown of plant or machinery, fire, flood, storm or default of suppliers or subcontractors.

11.4 Waiver

11.4.1 A waiver of any right under these Terms and Conditions is only effective if it is in writing and it applies only to the circumstances for which it is given. No failure or delay by a party in exercising any right or remedy under these Terms and Conditions or by law shall constitute a waiver of that (or any other) right or remedy, nor preclude or restrict its further exercise. No single or partial exercise of such right or remedy shall preclude or restrict the further exercise of that (or any other) right or remedy.

11.4.2 Unless specifically provided otherwise, rights arising under these Terms and Conditions are cumulative and do not exclude rights provided by law.

11.5 Law and Jurisdiction

- 11.5.1 These Terms and Conditions and any dispute or claim arising out of or in connection with them or their subject matter, shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the law of England and Wales.
- 11.5.2 The parties irrevocably agree that the courts of England and Wales shall have exclusive jurisdiction to settle any dispute or claim that arises out of, or in connection with, Terms and Conditions or their subject matter.

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Up to £10,000	£20	£40	£50
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Value Added Tax (VAT)

Charging of (VAT) at Auction

The information shown on this page sets out the way in which Spink intends to account for VAT.

i. Auctioneers' Margin Scheme

1. Where possible, we will offer Lots for sale under the Auctioneers' Margin Scheme. Such Lots can be identified by the absence of any VAT symbol next to the Lot number in the catalogue and will not be subject to VAT on the Hammer Price.
2. Where Lots are sold using the Auctioneers' Margin Scheme to UK VAT-registered businesses, the VAT on Buyers' Premium is not recoverable as input tax. Upon request on sale day, we will issue invoices that show VAT separately on both the Hammer Price and the Buyer's Premium. This will enable VAT-registered businesses to recover the VAT charged as input tax, subject to the normal rules for recovering input tax.

ii. Zero-Rated Lots

Limited Categories of goods, such as books, are Zero-rated (o) for VAT in the United Kingdom. Such Lots are offered under the Auctioneers' Margin Scheme. In these circumstances no VAT will be added to the Buyer's premium.

iii. Daggered Lots

Lots which are Daggered (†) in the catalogue are subject to VAT at 20% on both the Hammer Price and the Buyer's Premium.

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Lots which are marked (x) in the catalogue are subject to VAT at 5% on the Hammer price plus 20% on the Buyer's premium. Lots which bear the Omega symbol (Ω) are subject to VAT at 20% on the Hammer Price and on the Buyer's Premium. This VAT is payable on items imported from outside the EU. In these cases we have used a temporary importation procedure, which in effect means that the point of importation is deferred until the Lot has been sold. At this point the Buyer is treated as the importer and is liable to pay the import VAT due. We will collect the VAT from you and pay it to HM Customs and Excise on your behalf.

v. Investment Gold Lots

Lots marked (g) in the catalogue are exempt from VAT on the Hammer Price and are subject to VAT at 20% on the Buyer's Premium. A refund of VAT charged on the Buyer's Premium can also be made on receipt of proof of business as a collectibles dealer outside of the EU.

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SALE CALENDAR 2018/19

STAMPS

28 September	The Philatelic Collectors' Series Sale	Hong Kong	CSS35
24 October	The 'On India' Provisional Stamps of Zanzibar, The John Griffith-Jones Collection	London	18045
24/25 October	The Philatelic Collectors' Series Sale	London	18043
20 November	The Brian Brookes Collection of Martinique	London	18046
21/22 November	The 'Hermione' Collection of France, 1849-1950	London	18054
23 November	The Leonard Licht Collection of Great Britain Seahorse Issues	London	18053
18 January	The Lam Man Yin Collection of Small Dragons, Dowagers and 1897 Surcharges	Hong Kong	19008
19 January	Fortune Wang Shanghai Treaty Ports Part I	Hong Kong	19009
20 January	Fine Stamps and Covers of China and Hong Kong	Hong Kong	CSS37

COINS

25/26 September	Ancient, Indian and Islamic, British and Foreign Coins and Commemorative Medals	London	18006
26 September	The Williams Collection Part III - Norman Coins	London	18048
17 October - 7 November	The Michael Kelly Collection of Roman Coins part 2 - eAuction	London	18055
30/31 October	The Pywell-Phillips Collection of English Milled Silver and Copper Coins	London	18025
30/31 October	The Numismatic Collector's Series Sale	New York	342
5 December	The Williams Collection of Anglo-Saxon, Viking and Norman Coins - Part IV	London	18026
5/6 December	Ancient, British and Foreign Coins and Commemorative Medals	London	18007
4/5 January	Banknotes, Bonds & Shares and Coins of China and Hong Kong	Hong Kong	CSS36
13 January	The Numismatic Collector's Series Sale at Grand Hyatt, NY INC	New York	344
14/15 January	The Numismatic Collector's Series Sale	New York	344

BANKNOTES

3 October	The Ibrahim Salem Collection of World Banknotes	London	18050
3 October	The Alan Pickering Collection of East Africa and Other Properties	London	18052
4/5 October	World Banknotes	London	18032
10 October	British Banknotes	London	18049
30/31 October	The Numismatic Collector's Series Sale	New York	342
26 November - 4 December	World Banknotes Timed Auction	London	18040
4/5 January	Banknotes, Bonds & Shares and Coins of China and Hong Kong	Hong Kong	CSS36
11 January	World Banknotes at Grand Hyatt, NY INC	New York	343
14/15 January	The Numismatic Collector's Series Sale	New York	344

MEDALS

30/31 October	The Numismatic Collector's Series Sale	New York	342
28/29 November	Orders, Decorations and Medals	London	18003
14/15 January	The Numismatic Collector's Series Sale	New York	344

BONDS & SHARES

17 October	Bonds and Share Certificates of the World Online Auction	London	18021
30/31 October	The Numismatic Collector's Series Sale	New York	342
4/5 January	Banknotes, Bonds & Shares and Coins of China and Hong Kong	Hong Kong	CSS36
14/15 January	The Numismatic Collector's Series Sale	New York	344
January	Bonds and Share Certificates of the World Online Auction	London	

AUTOGRAPHS

July	Autographs, Historical Documents, Ephemera and Postal History	London	
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WINE & SPIRITS

18 January	An Evening of Great Whiskies and Rums	Hong Kong	SFW30
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HANDBAGS

November	Handbags and Accessories	Hong Kong	SHA02
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