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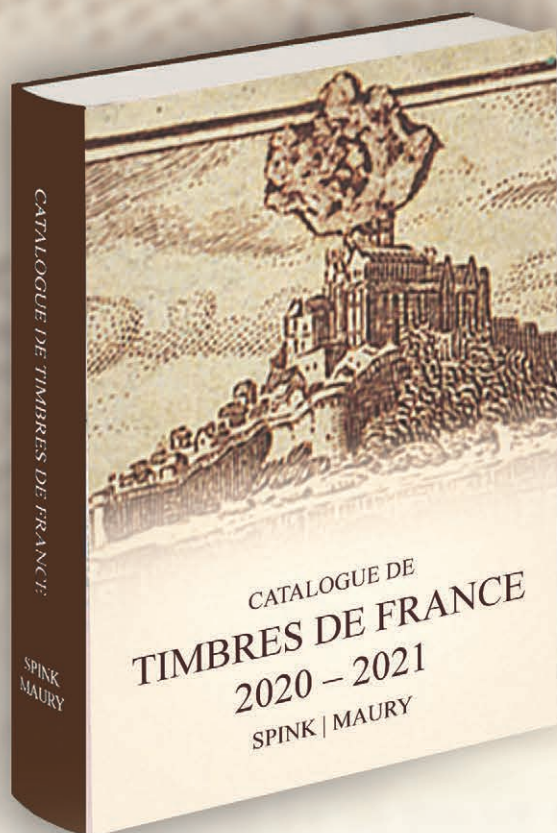
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unused	without gum

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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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Commencing not before 1.30 p.m. (Lots 1520-1951)

REUNION

- x1520 ☒ 1893-1901, five items, comprising 1893 cover to Gironde franked 5c. and diagonal overprint on perf. Dubois 10c. paying the Military concession rate, 1896 stampless envelope to Paris endorsed *Corps Expeditionnaire de Madagascar* with undated octagonal Corr. D'Armess/Hell Bourg, 1900 10c. postal stationery money order card from St. Denis to St. Andre, 1901 cover to Hell Bourg franked 1901 4c. on 40c. (surcharge misplaced) and 1901 cover from St. Denis to Paris franked 15c. on 1f., good to fine. Photo on our website €100-200
- x1521 ☒ 1893 (24 March) envelope to Toulouse franked 1c., diagonal overprint on perf. Dubois 20c., "2" on 20c. Dubois (2) with Reunion/St. Benoit cancellations with octagonal La Reunion A Marseilles/L.V. No. 3 alongside, transit and arrival markings on reverse; fine €100-200



1522

- x1522 ☒ 1895 (22 June) envelope registered to Paris franked 50c. carmine on rose, **horizontal pair, variety country name in red and blue**, paying the triple weight registered rate, Reunion/St. Denis dotted circle cancellation, Paris arrival on the reverse; the envelope with a light vertical fold well clear of the adhesives, fine. A unique cover €600-1,200

Photo for lot 1521 appears on page 9

Reunion - contd.

- x1523 ☒ 1897 (16 Feb.) Declared Value letter (300Fr.) to Narbonne franked 25c., diagonal overprint on perf. Dubois 35c. (2), **blue** Reunion/Pointe Galets cancellations, insurance cachet, transit and arrival datestamps on reverse; fine and rare

€150-300
- x1524 ☒ 1897 (26 Sept.) 10c. postal stationery card to London, English Dover Station Office "258" Duplex cancellation; fine and rare

€150-300
- x1525 ☒ 1899 (16 Feb.) envelope to Madagascar franked 25c. with Saint Pierre cancellation, charged at the second weight level and taxed 5c. and 15c. (3) Postage Dues with Tamative/Madagascar cancellations; superb and rare

€200-400
- x1526 ☒ 1899 (25 May) large envelope registered to St. Denis franked 2c., 5c., 15c. (2) with Reunion/St. Pierre cancellations; filing fold and some stain spots. A unique franking (12c. for third level business papers weight, 25c. registration)

€200-400
- x1527 ☒ 1901 (1 Oct.) envelope to Sceaux franked 1901 15c. on 1f. **surcharge inverted**, Reunion St. Pierre cancellation, transit and arrival markings on reverse; the envelope a little creased at foot, fine

€100-200
- x1528 ☒ 1901 envelope to Mauritius franked 1901 15c. on 1f. with Reunion/St. Joseph cancellation, underpaid and with "T" in triangle marking and with "12c/TO PAY" marking, Military cachet, transit and arrival markings on reverse; some faults but a scarce attempted use of the French community rate

€150-300
- x1529 ☒ 1902 (28 Oct.) Mourning envelope to St. Denis franked 1c. and 4c. with Salazie cancellation, not accepted at the printed matter rate, with "T" in triangle marking and taxed by 10c. Postage Due pair, fine and scarce

€150-300



1530

- x1530 ☒ 1906 (31 Aug.) entire Newspaper "BULLETIN COMMERCIAL", with intact wrapper, addressed to Bordeaux and franked 5c. with St. Denis cancellation; some stain spots but exceptionally rare

€350-700



1521



1523



1525



1524



1526

Reunion - *contd.*

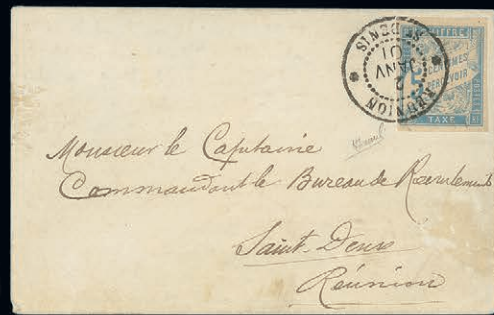
1900 (31 Dec.) - 1901 (20 Jan.), the use of Postage Due stamps for Postage stamps. In late December 1900 there was a shortage of the low value French Colonial Group type stamps. To meet this shortage, until the arrival of the next French Packet with new supplies, the local Postmaster, M. E. Puget authorised the use of the current French Colonial General issue Duval type Postage Dues for payment of Postage.

x1531 ☒

The collection, informatively written up to Exhibition standard on sixteen pages, twenty-four covers and a card, including Small Village Use with Etang Salé Hell-Borg with 1901 (24 Jan.) cover to St. Denis franked Postage Due 5c. strip of three, endorsed *Bon pour affranchissement*, the only recorded cover used after the official period, Pointe Des Galets, Possession, St. Andre, St. Denis with 1901 (7 Jan.) Declared Value (1,500Fr.) 15c. postal stationery envelope additionally franked Postage Due 15c., 30c. and 2f. paying the 2f. 60 rate (10c. postage, 25c. registration and 2f. 25 insurance), St. Joseph registered to St. Denis (one of only two registered letters recorded), St. Paul, with cover franked 1c. (4) and Postage Due 10c. (the only recorded cover with the combination of issues), etc., chiefly fine to very fine. A remarkable group. This collection won an American Philatelic Society One Frame Competition Champion of Champion Award in 2003 recognising it as the best one frame exhibit in the United States for that year.

€4,000-8,000

Note: After more than twenty-five years of research Dr. Grabowski estimates that only 50-60 covers survive from this period.

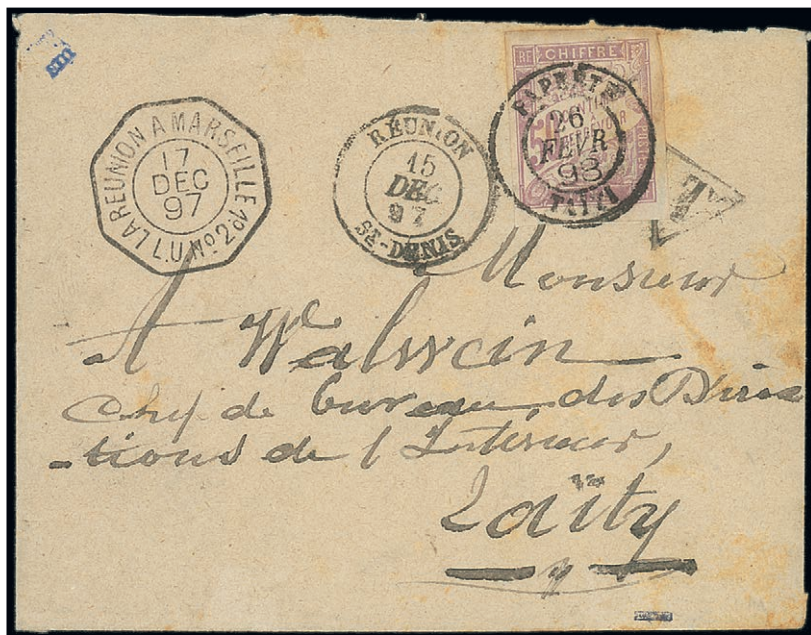


Ex 1531

Reunion - *contd.*

St. Denis

- x1532 ☒ 1893 (13 July) Declared value (300Fr.) envelope to Narbonne franked 5c., 15c. and 75c. with **blue** Reunion/St. Denis cancellations, insurance cachet, transit and arrival datestamps on reverse; fine. A rare 95c. franking (50c. postage, 25c. registration and 20c. insurance) €120-240
- x1533 ☒ 1894-1904, two covers, a front and two cards, including 1894 envelope posted unpaid to Paris taxed by 50c. Postage Due on arrival, 1900 advertising envelope to Trento franked 25c., 1902 front to Italy franked 15c., Taxed 20c. Postage Due on arrival, 1904 p.p.c. (St. Benoit. - L'Eglise) to Egypt franked 10c., etc., good to fine. Photo on our website €150-300



1534

- x1534 ☒ 1897 (15 Dec.) small envelope posted unpaid to Tahiti with Reunion/St. Denis and octagonal La Reunion a Marseille 1/L.U. No. 2 datestamps, "T" in triangle marking, on arrival taxed by 50c. Postage Due with Papeete/Taiti cancellation; minor stains but fine and extremely rare. Behr Certificate (2015) €500-1,000
- x1535 ☒ 1898 (16 Jan.) Declared Value (50Fr.) letter to Pontarlier franked 75c. (2) with Reunion/St. Denis dotted circle cancellation, octagonal La Ruenion a Marseille 1/L.U. No. 1 alongside, insurance cachet, transit and arrival markings on reverse; some wrinkles, fine €100-200
- x1536 ☒ 1903 (20 Sept.) "AR" envelope to Bohemia franked 10c., 50c. (red name) with St. Denis/Reunion dotted circle cancellations, arrival datestamp on reverse; fine €100-200



c.1930 The Train Station at St. Denis, La Réunion



1527



1528



1532



1536



1535



1529

Reunion, St. Denis - contd.

- x1537 ☒ 1907 (16 Feb.) Declared Value (100Fr.) letter to Paris franked 1c., 4c. and 50c. (blue name) with St. Denis/Reunion dotted circle cancellations, insurance cachet and octagonal transit datestamp on reverse; fine €100-200
- x1538 ☒ Postal Stationery: 1897 15c. letter card (selvedge missing) to Paris additionally franked 5c. (2), 1899 10c. post card to Mauritius, 1901 10c. card to Guadeloupe, redirected to Martinique, 1903 15c. envelope to the United States additionally franked 10c., 1913 "10" On 15c. letter card (selvedge missing) to Sedan, 1911 25c. envelope to Martinique additionally franked 1907-17 Map 10c., good to fine. Photo on our website €150-300
- Small Village Use**
- x1539 ☒ Cambuston: 25c. postal stationery envelope to Paris, Reunion/Cambuston cancellation; fine €110-220
- x1540 ☒ Cilaos: 1898 (29 June) envelope registered to Leipzig franked 10c. (2), diagonal overprint on perf. Dubois 35c., **blue** Reunion/Cilaos cancellations, octagonal La Reunion a Marseille/L.V. No. 1 transit, transit and arrival markings on reverse; fine and a rare combination, overpaid by 5c. €100-200
- x1541 ☒ Cilaos: 1901 (19 Jan.) 15c. postal stationery envelope to St. Denis with Reunion/Cilaos dotted circle cancellation, arrival datestamp on reverse; fine and used during the Dec. 1900-Jan. 1901 period when there was a shortage of low value stamps €120-240
- x1542 ☒ Dambuston: 1904 (31 Aug.) decorated envelope to Doctor Milko in Hungary, franked 10c. and 15c. with Dambuston/Reunion cancellation, octagonal La Reunion A Marseille/L.V. Nl. 2 transit alongside, arrival datestamp on reverse; fine €140-280
- x1543 ☒ Enire-Deux: 1899 (8 Aug.) 10c. postal stationery card to St. Pierre with Reunion/Enire-Deux dotted circle cancellation without month or year date, arrival datestamp on reverse; fine €150-300
- x1544 ☒ Etang-Sale: 1900 (16 Nov.) envelope registered to Lyon, franked 40c. with Reunion/Etang-Sale cancellation with octagonal La Reunion a Marseille/L.U. No. 3 alongside, transit and arrival markings on reverse; fine and rare €250-500
- x1545 ☒ Hell Bourg: 1895 (22 June) 15c. postal stationery envelope to Nossi Be, additionally franked 10c. with Reunion/Hell Bourg dotted circle cancellations, D'Zaoudzi/Mayotte transit on the front; fine and scarce €150-300
- x1546 ☒ Hell Bourg: 1903 (10 May) envelope registered to Ceylon franked 30c. with Reunion/Hell-Bourg dotted circle cancellation, red oval Registered/Mauritius transit on the front, transit and arrival markings on reverse; light vertical filing fold, fine €120-240
- x1547 ☒ La Riviere: 1907 (29 Nov.) envelope registered to Washington D.C. franked 15c., 1907-17 Map 10c. (and another on reverse) and Indochina 15c., Reunion/La Riviere cancellations, transit and arrival markings on reverse. The Indochina 15c. was not noticed and no Postage Due was charged €100-200
- x1548 ☒ Pointe Des Galets: 1901 (11 Oct.) 10c. postal stationery card (with number "046" at lower left) to Ireland, Reunion/Pointe Des Galets cancellation, Mauritius transit; small tear at foot but fine. The numbered cards are rare €100-200
- x1549 ☒ Possession: 1903 (30 Nov.) 10c. postal stationery post card to St. Paul with Reunion/Possession dotted circle cancellation, arrival datestamp on reverse; fine and scarce €150-300
- x1550 ☒ St. Benoit: 1903 (9 Dec.) 10c. postal stationery card to Plaine des Palmistes with Reunion/St. Benoit dotted circle cancellation, arrival on the front, fine €100-200

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Reunion, Small Village Use - *contd.*

x1551 ☒	St. Joseph: 1902 (12 Oct.) envelope registered to Paris, redirected many times ending in Roumania, franked 5c. (2), 1901 5c. on 40c. block of four, 5c. on 50c. pair, Reunion/St. Joseph cancellations, "T" in triangle marking, numerous transit and arrival markings, fine	€200-400
x1552 ☒	St. Leu: 1899 (10 Aug.) envelope to Canton franked 1c. (2), 4c. (2), 5c. and 10c. with blue Reunion/St. Leu cancellations with framed APRES/LE/DEPART and octagonal La Reunion a Marseille/L.V. No. 3 transit on the front, Aden, Hong Kong and Canton transit and arrival datestamps on the reverse; fine and scarce	€350-700
x1553 ☒	St. Leu: 1905 (16 Dec.), envelope to Isere franked 15c. with Reunion/St. Leu cancellation, transit datestamp on reverse; fine	€100-200
x1554 ☒	Sainte Philippe: 1899 (15 Sept.) envelope to Iseres franked 5c. and 10c. with Reunion/Saint Philippe dotted circle cancellation, octagonal transit on reverse; fine	€120-240
x1555 ☒	Ste. Suzanne: 1899 (31 July), envelope to Isere franked 15c. with violet Reunion/Ste. Suzanne cancellation, octagonal La Reunion a Marseille/L.V. No. 2 alongside; fine	€100-200
x1556 ☒	Ste. Suzanne: 1909 (27 Nov.) envelope registered to St. Marie franked 15c., 1901 5c. on 50c., 15c. on 75c., Reunion/Ste. Suzanne dotted circle cancellations, arrival datestamp on reverse; fine	€140-280
x1557 ☒	Tampon: 1903 (14 Aug.) envelope to Isere franked 15c. with Reunion/Tampon cancellation, transit and arrival datestamps on reverse; fine and scarce	€150-300
x1558 ☒	Postcards: Cambuston 1905 p.p.c. to Portugal, Entre Deux p.p.c. to America franked 2c. (2), Map 1c. on picture side, La Riviere 1904 p.p.c. franked 2c., 4c. (2) to Calvados, Plaine des Palmistes 1904 p.p.c. to Austria franked 5c. (on front and reverse), St. Andre 1904 p.p.c. to India; good to fine. Photo on our website	€120-240
x1559 ☒	Postal Stationery: Avirons 1906 10c. card to Switzerland, Bras Panon 1902 15c. envelope to La Rochelle, La Riviere 1904 10c. card to Ste. Suzanne, redirected to Hell-Bourg, St. Louis 1898 10c. card to St. Pierre via the railway, 1903 15c. envelope to Paris; good to fine. Photo on our website	€250-500

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| x1560 ☒ | Registered: 1895-1910, eight covers, including 1895 from St. Leu to Gironde franked 5c., 15c. strip of three with Millisime, 1900 from St. Suzanne to Isere franked 20c. (2), 1903 from St. Pierre to Isere franked 5c. (2), 15c. (2), 1906 from Pont des Gallets to Washington franked 25c. strip of three, etc., chiefly good to fine. Photo on our website | €200-400 |
| x1561 ☒ | 1897-1912, selection of seventeen covers, including Bras Panon 1904 to Isere redirected to Italy, Cambuston 1907 to Washington, Cilaos 1901 to Hell Bourg, Hell-Bourg 1901 to St. Denis, Pl. Des Palmistes 1897 to Gironde, Pointe des Galets 1903 to Paris, St. Anne 1901 to Reunion, Sainte Marie 1910 to Gironde, St. Rose 1904 to Belgium, Ste. Marie 1901 to St. Denis, Salazif 1897 to Paris, etc., chiefly fine and an interesting lot. Photo on our website | €400-800 |
| Military Concession | | |
| x1562 ☒ | 1893 15c. postal stationery envelope to Toulon, redirected to Saigon, 1895 stampless envelope to Calvados, 1896 stampless envelope to Paris, all with Military endorsements and cachets on reverse, 1906 envelope to Paris franked France 1901 F.M. 15c. with St. Denis cancellation; fair to fine. Photo on our website | €140-280 |
| x1563 ☒ | 1894 (23 Aug.) envelope to Paris franked 15c. with light blue Reunion/Hell Bourg cancellation and with undated octagonal Corr. D. Armees/Hell-Bourg alongside, on reverse Military endorsement and cachet; fine and scarce | €200-400 |
| x1564 ☒ | 1896 (16 Nov.) envelope endorsed <i>Correspondence Militaire</i> to La Rochelle franked 1c. (3, all with "REUNION" misplaced), 2c. and 10c. paying the 15c. military concession rate, blue Reunion/Saint Pierre dotted circle cancellations and with Corr D'Armess/L.U. No. 1 alongside; filing fold and some minor imperfections. Rare | €150-300 |
| x1565 ☒ | 1897 (30 Sept.) envelope endorsed <i>Gendarmerie Coloniale - Le chef de brigade</i> to Paris, franked France Sage 15c. marked as invalid and taxed by France 15c. Postage Due on arrival (to account for the unpaid postage, no penalty applied); the envelope with some small surface scuffs but otherwise fine and very scarce | €250-500 |

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Railway

- x1566 ☒ 1893-1905, selection of seven items, including 1893 10c. postal stationery card to St. Pierre with **blue** Reunion/Ligne du Vent cancellation, 1898 10c. postal stationery card to St. Pierre with "B.M". marking, 1903 morning envelope to Madagascar with Convoyeur B/Reunion cancellation, 1905 p.p.c. to Gironde with Convoyeur A/Reunion cancellation, etc., good to fine. Photo on our website €150-300
- x1567 ☒ 1895 (22 April) envelope to Gironde franked 25c. with **blue** Reunion/Ligne Sous Levant cancellation, 1897 envelope to Tamatave franked 25c. with Reunion/Ligne Sous Le Vent cancellation; fine. Photo on our website €200-400
- x1568 ☒ 1897 (23 Aug.) envelope to St. Paul franked 15c. with **blue** Ligne-S-Levant/Reunion cancellation, arrival datestamp on reverse; fine €150-300
- x1569 ☒ 1897 (29 Oct.) mourning envelope to St. Paul franked 5c. and 10c. with Reunion/Ligne SV cancellation, arrival datestamp on reverse; flap missing and some minor perimeter faults €120-240
- x1570 ☒ 1901 (28 Feb.) "EXPLOITATION DU CHEMIN DE FER" Avis d'arrivages to St. Paul, franked 5c., fine and rare €200-400
- x1571 ☒ 1901 (6 Dec.) envelope to St. Pierre franked 1901 15c. on 75c. with Reunion/St. Joseph cancellation with "B.M" alongside, arrival on reverse; fine €150-300
- x1572 ☒ 1902 (16 Feb.) mourning envelope to Isere franked 1901 5c. on 40c. (3) with Reunion/Sainte Anne cancellations with "B.M." alongside, transit and arrival markings on reverse; fine €100-200
- x1573 ☒ 1903 (17 Sept.) 10c. postal stationery card to Cambuston, redirected to St. Suzanne with Convoyeur D/Reunion cancellation, arrival marking on reverse; the card with pinhole €150-300



1574

- x1574 ☒ 1904 (16 Feb.) p.p.c. (St. Andre - Boutique de Chinois) to Plaine des Palmistes, posted at the short message rate of 5c. with Convoyeur D/Reunion datestamps, illegally franked 5c. on the picture side and treated as unpaid, "T" in triangle marking, taxed by 5c. Postage Due (pair) with Pl. des Palmistes cancellation; fine and an exceptional combination. Signed Calves €400-800



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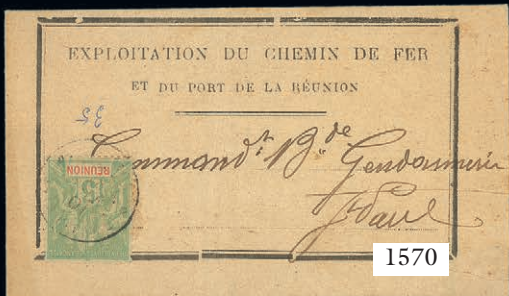
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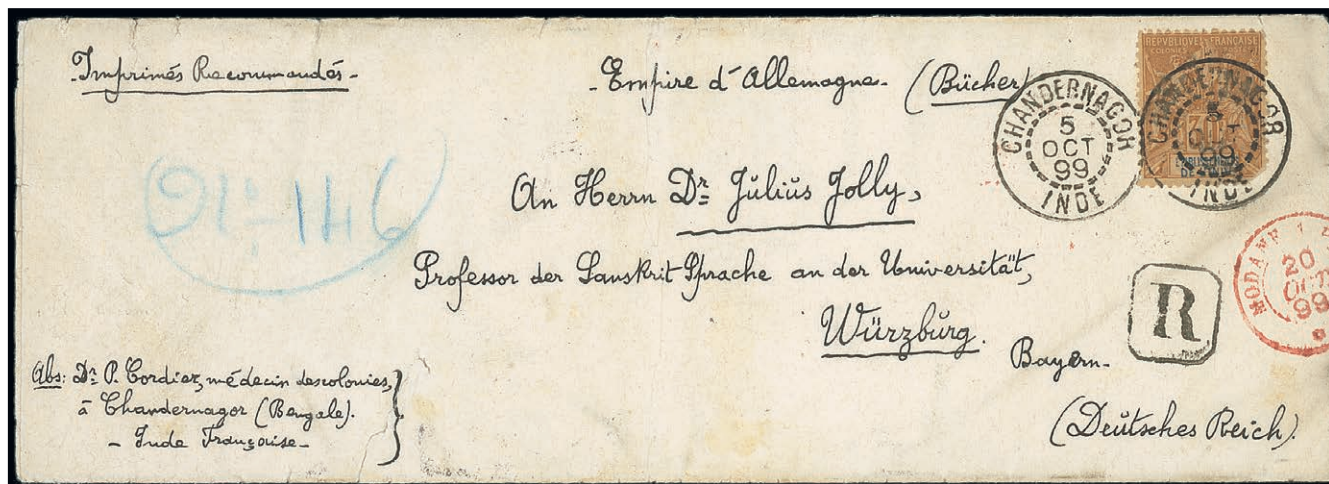
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FRENCH INDIAN SETTLEMENTS

- x1575 ☒ 1897 (19 Aug.) reply portion of 10c. + 10c. reply paid card, addressed to Mahe, Malabar Coast, with English Salisbury "683" duplex cancellation, Sea Post Office (30.8) and Mahe arrival; some perimeter faults but exceptional usage €150-300
- x1576 ☒ 1897 (24 Dec.) 25c. postal stationery cover to Trieste, 1900 (c.) 10c. postal stationery envelope to Oldenburg, both with Inde/Mahe cancellation, the first with red Modane a Paris transit; good to fine. Photo on our website €100-200
- x1577 ☒ 1902 (6 July) 15c. postal stationery envelope registered to Lyon, additionally franked 1c. (2), 2c. (5), 4c. (2) and 5c. with Inde/Mahe dotted circle cancellations, red Modane a Paris transit, arrival on reverse; some minor staining, fine and a spectacular cover €250-500
- x1578 ☒ 1917 (8 April), p.p.c. (Native craft) to Dordogne franked 5c., with British Post Office Pondicherry datestamp, with Sea Post Office cancellation (27.4), transit and arrival markings; some minor perimeter faults. Scarce €120-240
- Chandernagor**
- x1579 ☒ 1895 (4 June) 5c. postal stationery envelope to Paris, additionally franked 10c. (2), Indie/Chandernagor dotted circle cancellations, red Modane a Paris transit; fine €100-200



1580

- x1580 ☒ 1899 (5 Oct.) long envelope, registered to a Professor at Wurzburg University franked 30c. (lower right corner missing on affixing) with Chandernagor/Indie dotted circle cancellation, transit and arrival markings on reverse; light wrinkles, fine €200-400
- x1581 ☒ 1900-07 selection of five items, including 1900 15c. postal stationery envelope to Paris, 1902 envelope registered to Toulouse franked 15c. and 25c., 1903 (ca.) 10c. postal stationery envelope to New Caledonia with cancellation showing no year date, etc., chiefly good to fine. Photo on our website €120-240
- x1582 ☒ 1903 (6 Aug.) envelope to Lyon franked 5c. and 10c. with Chandernagor/Indie dotted circle cancellation; transit and arrival markings on reverse; fine €100-200
- x1583 ☒ 1903 (13 Aug.) 15c. postal stationery envelope to Belgium, Chandernagor/Indie dotted circle cancellation, "T" in triangle marking and Taxed by Belgian 20c. Postage Due; fine and scarce €200-400
- x1584 ☒ 1904 (21 Jan.) envelope to Besancon franked 1903 "0.15" on 25c., Chandernagor/Indie dotted circle cancellation, arrival datestamp on reverse; fine €100-200

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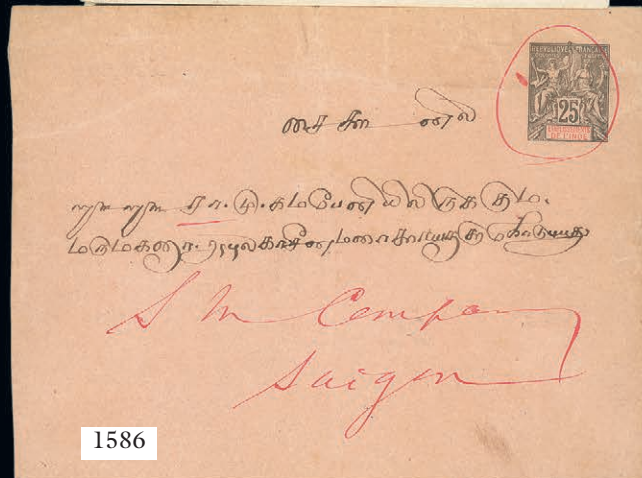
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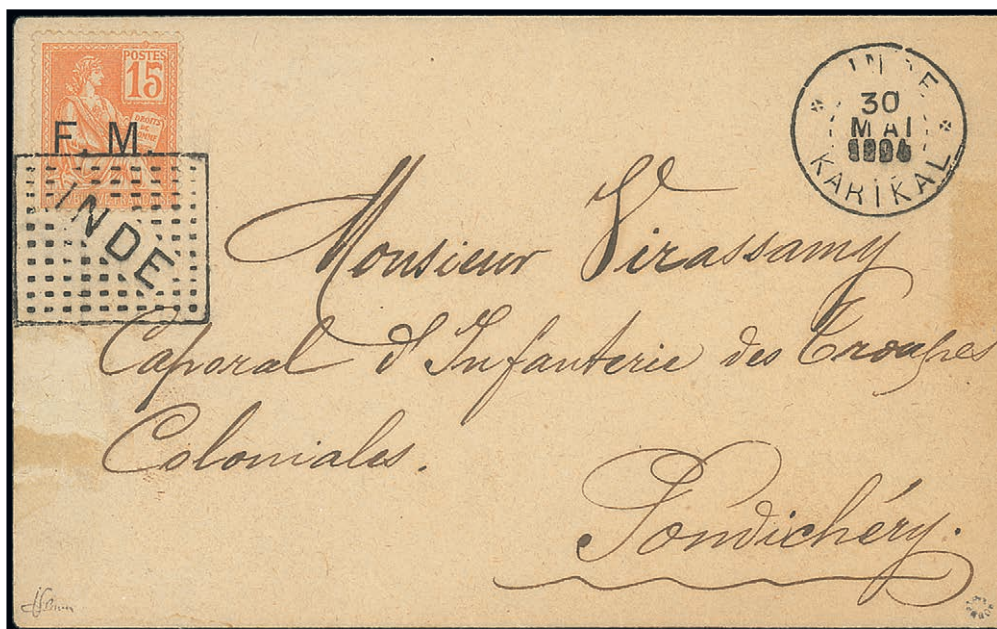


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Karikal

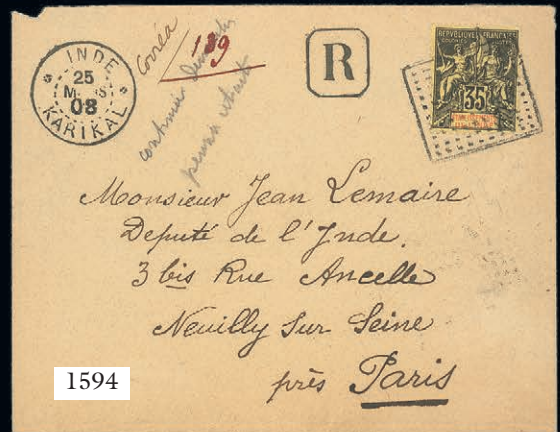
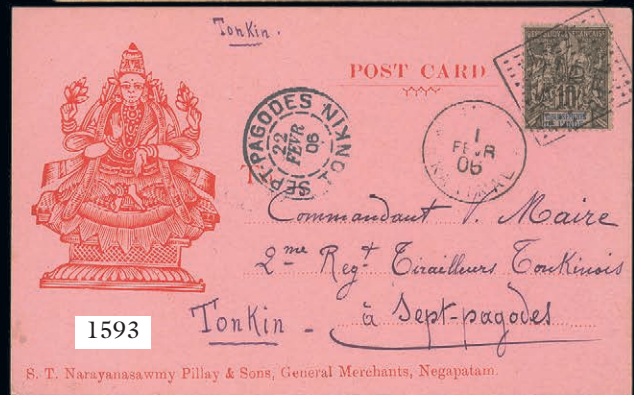
- x1585 ☒ 1896 (7 July) envelope registered to Rennes franked 50c. with boxed “INDE” cancellation with Inde/Karikal datestamp and red Modane a Paris transit on the front, transit and arrival datestamps on the reverse; fine and extremely early usage €250-500
- x1586 ☒ 1896 25c. postal stationery envelope to Saigon, apparently posted out of course, the stamp not recognised and ringed in red, however it continued on its journey with Karikal, Negapataam and Saigon transit and arrival markings on reverse; fold and a trifle soiled. Very rare €100-200
- x1587 ☒ 1900 (4 Sept.), envelope registered to Aubenton franked 40c. with boxed “INDE” cancellation with Inde/Karikal dotted circle datestamp and red Modane a Paris transit on the front, arrival datestamp on the reverse; a few very tiny stain spots, fine €250-500
- x1588 ☒ 1900 (31 Oct.) mourning envelope registered to Coulommiers, franked 2c. (5), 15c. and 30c. with seven boxed “INDE” cancellations with Inde/Karikal dotted circle datestamp and red Modane a Paris transit alongside, transit and arrival markings on the reverse; fine and scarce €300-600
- x1589 ☒ 1900 envelope to Benton franked 10c. and 20c., 1903 envelope to Paris franked 15c., 1903 p.p.c. to Paris, redirected to Gironde franked 5c. (2), 1906 cover to Besancon franked 10c., all with boxed “INDE” cancellations with Karikal datestamps alongside. Also 1908 p.p.c. franked 5c. (2) with Inde/Karikal dotted circle cancellation; good to fine. Photo on our website €300-600
- x1590 ☒ 1904 (12 Jan.) 25c. postal stationery envelope, additionally franked 1903 “0.15” on 25c., registered to Bordeaux, boxed “INDE” cancellation with Inde/Karikal datestamp alongside, transit and arrival markings on reverse; fine €200-400



1591

- x1591 ☒ 1904 (30 May) envelope to Pondicherry franked France 1901 F.M. 15c. orange tied by a perfect strike of the boxed “INDE” with Inde/Karikal datestamp alongside, Military endorsement and arrival datestamp on reverse; the envelope with small scuffs on the front. Fine. A unique cover €800-1,600

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1592

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| x1592 ☒ | 1905 (1 Nov.) envelope registered to a prisoner in St. Laurent, French Guiana, franked 15c. and 25c. with boxed "INDE" cancellations with Inde/Karikal datestamp alongside; a few minor stain spots, fine and rare. Signed Calves | €400-800 |
| x1593 ☒ | 1906 (1 Feb.) advertising postcard to Tonkin, franked 10c. with boxed "INDE" cancellation with Inde/Karikal datestamp and Sept Pagodes/Tonkin arrival alongside; superb | €300-600 |
| x1594 ☒ | 1908 (25 March) envelope registered to Paris franked 35c. with boxed "INDE" cancellation and Inde/Karikal datestamp alongside, transit and arrival markings on reverse; a small portion of the envelope missing at top, exceptional use of the 35c. as a single franking to pay the registered, French community rate | €150-300 |
| x1595 ☒ | 1911 (5 April) envelope registered to Troyes franked 20c., 30c. and 50c., Inde/Karikal cancellations, transit and arrival markings on reverse, fine. Possibly philatelically inspired | €100-200 |
| x1596 ☒ | 1912 (16 Oct.) envelope registered to Paris franked 1c. (2), 2c. (2), 4c. and 40c. to pay the 50c. French community registered 50c. rate, Inde/Karikal cancellations, transit and arrival markings on reverse; fine | €150-300 |
| x1597 ☒ | 1916 (17 March) 10c. on 25c. postal stationery envelope registered to Paris, additionally franked 1914 Brahma 25c., Inde/Karikal dotted circle cancellations; fine and scarce | €100-200 |
| x1598 ☒ | Postal Stationery: 1897 5c. envelope to Oise, 1897 25c. envelope to Paris, 1905 "0.05" on 25c. envelope to French Guyana, 1912 10c. envelope, additionally franked 25c. registered to Paris; the first three with boxed "INDE" cancellations, good to fine. Photo on our website | €120-240 |

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1910-1920 Cliché Agence Générale des Colonies
photograph of Karikal Government House



Pondichery

x1599 ☒ △

1893 envelope registered to Paris franked 15c., 35c., 1898 envelope to St. Brieuc franked 20c., 30c., 1899 large registered front to Paris franked 25c., 1f., 1902 envelope registered to Chaumont franked 50c.; good to fine. Photo on our website

€200-400



1600

x1600 ☒

1895 (1 Aug.) envelope to Bordeaux franked 25c. with Pondichery/Inde and octagonal Ligne N/Paq. Fr. No. 1 cancellations, with octagonal Pondichery Military datestamp alongside and Military cachet, arrival datestamp on reverse; a little stained and a some minor perimeter faults. Very rare

€400-800

x1601 ☒

1895 (19 Dec.) envelope to Saigon franked Reunion 25c., circular Pondichery/Inde cancellation with Ligne N Paq. Fr. No. 3 (?) alongside, Saigon arrival on reverse; the envelope with pinhole, otherwise fine. The improper use of the Reunion stamp not noticed and therefore not charged Postage Due

€250-500

Photo for lot 1601 appears on page 29



1890 Bourne & Shepherd Photograph of Pondichery Waterfront

French Indian Settlements, Pondichery - *contd.*



1602

- x1602 ☒ 1898 (25 Oct.) envelope registered to Paris franked 1c., 4., 5c., 10c. and 20c. with Inde/Pondichery dotted circle cancellations, octagonal Corr D'Armees/Indochine and red Modane a Paris transit datestamps on the front, arrival on reverse; a fine cover correctly franked at the 40c. Military concession rate. Very rare

€400-800
- x1603 ☒ 1898 (22 Nov.) envelope registered to Lyon franked 2c. single and block of four, 25c. (2), with Inde/Pondichery dotted circles cancellations and red Modane a Paris transit cancelling two stamps, red locally produced "AR" handstamp, arrival on reverse; fine

€100-200
- x1604 ☒ 1899 (April) p.p.c. (Hindoo Temple & Tank.) to Germany franked 5c. with Pondichery/Inde cancellation, "T" in triangle handstamp and charged 10pf. Postage Due; the card with small scuffs at right

€100-200
- x1605 ☒ 1901 envelope to Chaumont franked 15c., 1904 p.p.c. to Egypt franked "0.10" on 25c., 1904 to Toulon franked 5c., 1903 "0.10" on 25c., 1905 to Tonkin franked 2c. (5 on front and 10 on reverse, Fourcaut certificate 2001), 1909 p.p.c. to Calcutta franked 5c., 1909 envelope to Lyon franked 10c., 1910 (c.) full Death notice to Switzerland franked 5c., good to fine. An interesting lot. Photo on our website

€250-500
- x1606 ☒ 1903 (17 Dec.) stampless p.p.c. (La Cathedrale) to Calvados, pre paid in cash with red framed "PD", Pondichery/Inde and arrival datestamp; fine

€100-200
- x1607 ☒ 1903 (30 Dec.) small envelope to Travinh franked 1903 "0.05" on bisected fiscal, Inde/Pondichery cancellation, arrival on reverse; fine and scarce

€100-200



French Indian Settlements, Pondichery - *contd.*

- x1608 ☒ 1904 (Jan.) envelope to Bordeaux franked 1903 “0.15” on 25c. pair with Inde/Pondichery cancellation, violet Government cachet and arrival datestamp on reverse; some stain spotting but scarce. Signed Roumet, etc.

€150-300
- x1609 ☒ 1904 (13 April) “0.15” on 25c. postal stationery envelope, additionally franked 1903 “0.15” on 25c., 1903 “0.05” on bisected fiscal (2), registered to Chatellerault, Pondichery/Inde cancellations, arrival datestamp on reverse; fine

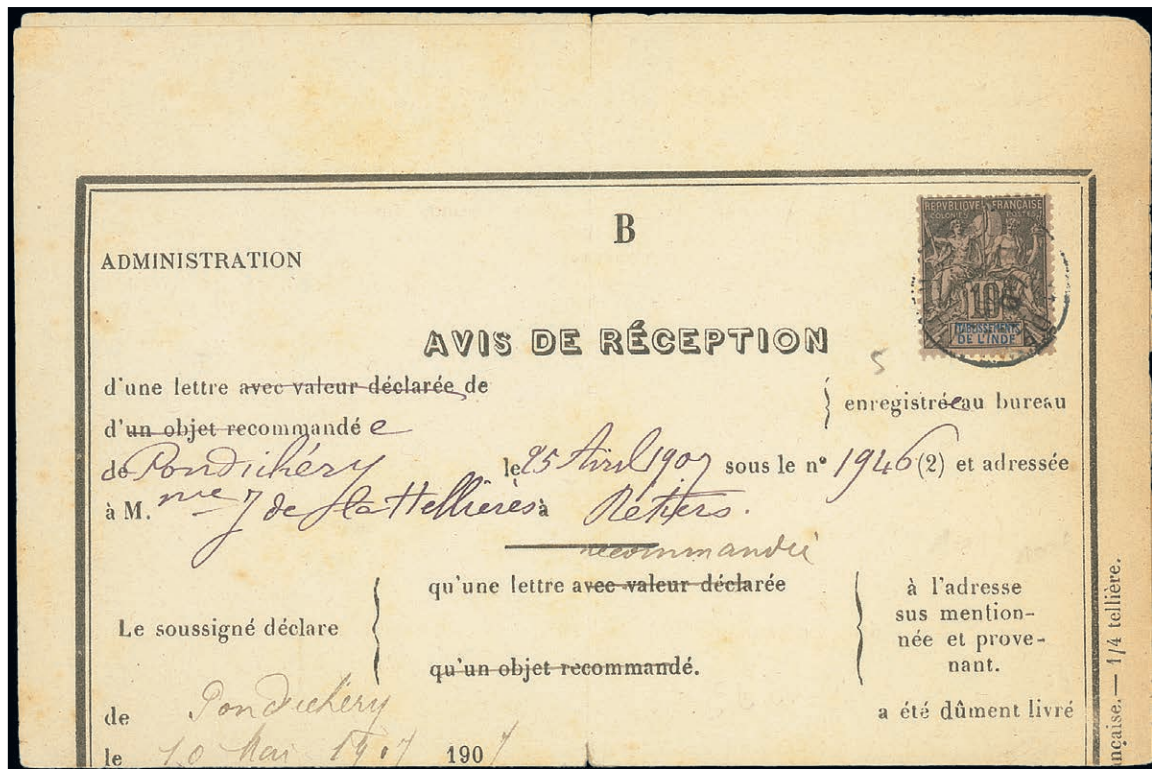
€250-500
- x1610 ☒ 1904 (27 April) “0.15” on 25c. postal stationery envelope, registered to Metz, additionally franked 15c., 1903 “0.15” on 25c. and 1903 “0.05” on bisected fiscal stamp, Inde/Pondichery dotted circle cancellations, transit and arrival markings on reverse; fine and a very scarce franking to make the 50c. overseas registered rate

€150-300
- x1611 ☒ 1904 (12 May) “0.15” on 25c. postal stationery envelope registered to Chatellerault, additionally franked 1903 “0.15” on 25c., 1903 “0.05” on bisected fiscal (2) with Inde/Pondichery dotted circle cancellations, arrival datestamp on the reverse; fine and a scarce 40c. franking paying the registered French community rate

€250-500
- x1612 ☒ 1904 p.p.c. (Place du Gouvernement - Fontaine et Hotel) to Nice franked 1903 “0.05” on 25c., part of address excised, scarce

€100-200
- x1613 ☒ 1906 (15 Nov.) “0.15” on 25c. postal stationery envelope, additionally franked 1905 “0.05” on bisected fiscal (2 on front, strip of four on reverse), locally produced “AR” handstamp, Pondichery/Inde cancellations, arrival datestamp on the reverse; fine and a scarce franking

€250-500

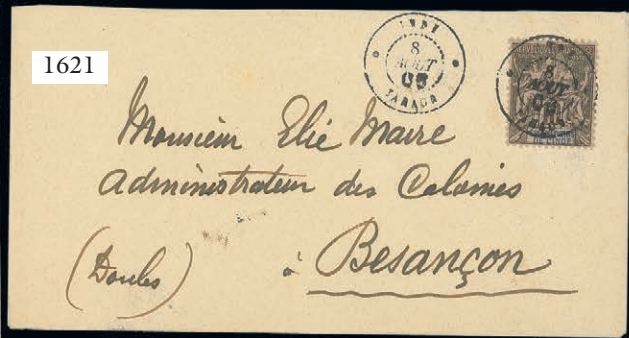


1614

- x1614 △ 1907 (10 May) AVIS DE RECEPTION franked 10c. for a letter from Pondichery to Lille et Vilaine; minor splits along folds. Rare

€200-400

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- x1615 ☒ 1909 (22 June) coloured "Bonne Fete" postcard registered to Tonkin, franked 35c. with Pondichery/Inde cancellation; fine. Rare use of the 35c. as a single franking (10c. postage, 25c. registration) €100-200
- x1616 ☒ 1916 (10 March) "10c" on 25c. postal stationery envelope, additionally franked 1914 Brahma 30c. registered to Neuilly, Inde/Pondichery dotted circle cancellations, arrival datestamp on reverse; fine and scarce €100-200
- x1617 ☒ Postal Stationery: 1893 15c. envelope to Hungary additionally franked 10c., 1895 10c. card to Paris, 1895 10c. card to Switzerland, 1904 "0.15" on 25c. card to Denmark additionally franked 5c. (2), 1905 "0.15" on 25c. envelope to Paris, 1906 "0.15" on 25c. envelope to France, 1909 5c. envelope to Paris; good to fine. Photo on our website €150-300

Yanon

- x1618 ☒ 1905 (21 June), envelope registered to Paris franked 15c. (rounded corner) and 25c., 1905 (4 Oct.) envelope registered to Paris franked 15c. pair and 25c., Indi/Yanon dotted circle cancellations; some small perimeter faults, scarce. Photo on our website €100-200
- x1619 ☒ 1905 (25 Oct.) envelope registered to Paris franked 15c. and 25c. with Indi/Yanon dotted circle cancellations, arrival datestamp on reverse; a little roughly opened; fine €100-200



1620

- x1620 ☒ 1906 (10 May) envelope registered to Paris franked 5c. (4), 25c. (3) with Indi/Yanon cancellations; some small faults but a rare seventh weight level registered franking €200-400
- x1621 ☒ 1906 (8 Aug.) envelope to Besancon franked 10c. with Indi/Yanon cancellation; fine and a scarce 10c. Community rate franking €150-300
- x1622 ☒ 1907 (25 Dec.) envelope to Jura, redirected to Paris, franked 10c. with Indi/Yanon cancellation, transit and arrival markings; a little soiled or stained €100-200

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INDO-CHINA

- x1623 △ 1897 (25 March) Judicial Petition franked “5” on 4c. and “10” on 10c. each overprinted “GRIFFE” with Revenue 1c. (2) and 50c. from Soctrang; fine and unusual €120-240
- x1624 ☒ 1898 (15 Dec.) Paris local letter (with enclosure) franked 15c., not accepted and uncanceled with manuscript “O” at left and right, “T” in triangle marking and taxed by 30c. Postage Due; fine and most unusual attempted illegal use €100-200



1625

- x1625 ☒ 1906 (8 July) envelope registered Poste Restante to Italy, redirected to Berne, franked General Issues 25c. block of five with unclear Vao-Kay/Tonkin (?) dotted circle cancellations, a variety of transit and arrival markings on front and reverse; filing fold, some perimeter faults and a little soiled or stained €150-300

PACKET MAIL

- x1626 ☒ 1893 (18 July) p.p.c. to Nyassa Territory franked 15c. with octagonal Yokohama a Marseille cancellation, Aden transit and blue Nyassa Company arrival; fine €100-200
- x1627 ☒ 1893 (30 July) envelope to Finistere franked 15c. with Corr. D. Arm/Ligne N Paq. Fr. No. 1 cancellation, 1898 (15 Feb.) envelope to Montpellier franked 5c. and 10c. with Corr. D. Arm/Lin. N P Fr. No. 2 cancellation, 1899 (22 Dec.) envelope to Paris franked 15c. Paq./Haipong a Saigon dotted circle cancellation, 1901 (15 Feb.) p.p.c. to Germany franked 10c. with octagonal Yokohama a Marseille cancellation, 1901 (27 Sept.) 15c. postal stationery envelope, additionally franked 10c. to St. Gallen with octagonal Ligne N cancellation; good to fine. Photo on our website €200-400
- x1628 ☒ 1894 (6 Nov.) envelope to Drome franked 25c. with red octagonal Ligne N/Paq. Fr. No. 4 cancellation and with another strike alongside, arrival datestamp on the reverse; fine €150-300
- x1629 ☒ 1894 (21 Dec.) envelope to Drome franked 25c. with blue Ligne de Saigon a Singapore cancellation, red Modane a Paris arrival, a variety of transit and arrival markings on the reverse; fine €150-300

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1630

- x1630 ☒ 1897 (21 March) double weight letter to Oise franked 1c., 4c., 20c. and the very rare 25c. with INDOCHINE omitted, tied by Ligne N cancellations, transit and arrival datestamps on reverse; fine. This is the only recorded example of this rare variety known on cover. Roumet Certificate (2000)

€1,000-2,000
- x1631 ☒ 1898 (27 April) envelope to Finistere franked 25c. with octagonal Corr. D. Armees/Paq. Fr. No. 7 cancellation, Military cachet, arrival datestamp on the reverse, fine

€220-440
- x1632 ☒ 1898 (23 Nov.) 10c. postal stationery card to Batavia, Ligne N/Paq. Fr. No. 8 cancellation, "V", transit and arrival markings; slightly stained, fine

€100-200
- x1633 ☒ 1899 (22 Dec) envelope to Besancon franked 15c. (3) with octagonal Ligne N/Paq. Fr. No. 4 cancellations to pay the overseas French Community triple weight rate, arrival datestamp; flap torn. Scarce

€100-200

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Local Mekong River Packets

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| x1634 ☒ | 1893 (4 March) envelope to Basel franked 5c., 10c. (2) with Vapeur No. 19 Cochinchine cancellations, transit and arrival markings on reverse; fine and scarce | €250-500 |
| x1635 ☒ | 1893 (3 May) 15c. postal stationery envelope to Vinhlong with Vapeur No. 2 Cochinchine cancellation, arrival on the reverse; small stain spot but fine | €120-240 |
| x1636 ☒ | 1894 (27 July) envelope to Saigon franked 15c. with Vapeur/No. 2 cancellation, arrival on reverse; fine | €100-200 |
| x1637 ☒ | 1896 (5 Sept.) envelope to Lyon franked 10c. and 15c. with Vapeur No. 6/Cochinchine cancellation with Ligne N/Paq. Fr. No. 1 below, transit and arrival markings on reverse; light vertical bend, fine | €200-400 |
| x1638 ☒ | 1904 (c.) p.p.c. (Jeune Fille) to Switzerland franked 4c. (2) and Grasset 2c. tied by mute double ring cancellations, Corcelles arrival; fine | €150-300 |

PAQUEBOT MAIL

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| x1639 ☒ | 1903 (30 May) p.p.c. (Boulevard Carner) to St. Tropez, franked 5c. with Singapore double ring cancellation; arrival datestamp; fine | €100-200 |
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1640

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| x1640 ☒ | 1903 (7 July) envelope to Ilo Ilo, Philippines, franked 25c. strip of three (uncancelled) paying the triple weight rate, cancelled on arrival by Ilo Ilo and bars cancellations and with arrival datestamp on the reverse; horizontal filing fold at foot; fine and very rare | €400-800 |
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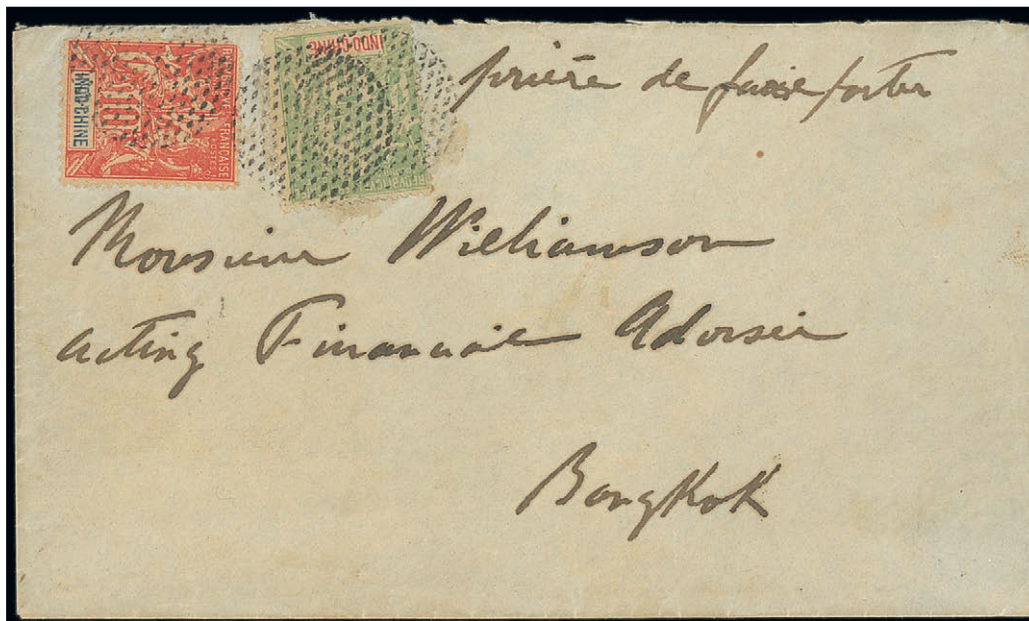
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Indo-China, Paquebot Mail - contd.

- x1641 ☒ 1903 (20 Aug.) 25c. postal stationery envelope to Saigon, Saigon Cochinchine/Paquebot cancellation, fine. Also 1904 (8 Sept.) p.p.c. (Femmes Tho) to Holland franked 5c. with framed PAQUEBOT and a variety of transit and arrival datestamps; fine. Photo on our website €100-200



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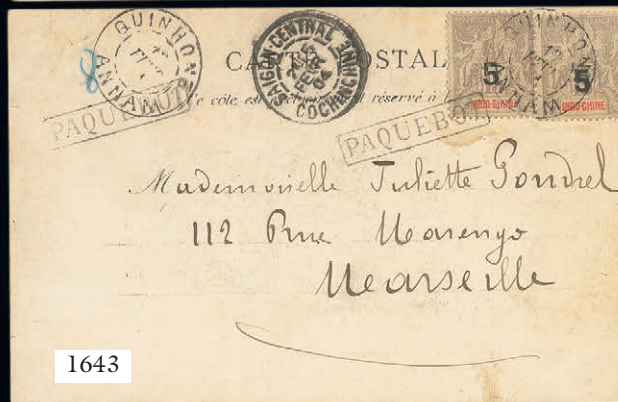
- x1642 ☒ 1903 (Oct.) envelope to Bangkok franked 5c. and 10c. with points of bamboo sticks cancellations, underpaid by 5c. but not taxed, arrival datestamp of 21 Oct. 1903 on the reverse; fine. An exceptionally rare cancellation believed to be previously unrecorded on Indochina issues €2,000-4,000
- x1643 ☒ 1904 (12 Feb.) p.p.c.(Saigon - Eglise de Choquan) to Marseille franked 1903 "5" on 15c. (2) with Quinhone/Annam and framed "PAQUEBOT" cancellations; fine €200-400
- x1644 ☒ 1905 (18 Feb.), p.p.c. (Tonkin - Hanoi - Typhon du 7 Juin 1903) to Bangkok, franked 10c. with Singapore double ring cancellation, Bangkok arrival; fine. Signed Roumet €140-280

ANNAM

Small Village Use

- x1645 ☒ Benthuy: 1903 (29 April) 15c. postal stationery envelope, additionally franked 25c., registered to Hanoi, Benthuy/Annam cancellations, arrival datestamp on reverse; fine €120-240
- x1646 ☒ Binh-Dinh: 1897 (28 April) declared value (100Fr.) envelope to Paris franked 30c. and 40c. with **blue** Binh-Dinh/Annam cancellations, "CHARGÉ" and octagonal Ligne N/Paq. Fr. No. 5 alongside, insurance cachet, transit and arrival markings on reverse; two light vertical creases, rare €250-500
- x1647 ☒ Bongson: 1905 (12 May), p.p.c. (Mandarin en palanquin decouvert) to Roumania franked 10c. with Bongson/Annam cancellation, Bucharest arrival and "69" in Posthorn marking; fine and a very rare destination €120-240

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Annam, Small Village Use - contd.

- x1648 ☒ Dran: 1905 (18 Oct.) p.p.c. (Les Carernes d'Artilerie - Saigon) to Rochelle, franked (on picture side) 5c. with Dran/Annam cancellation, Phanrang/Annam and Saigon transit datestamp on the address side, fine €100-200
- x1649 ☒ Faifo: 1898 (13 July) envelope registered to Lyon franked 50c. with Faifo/Annam cancellation, octagonal datestamp below, transit and arrival datestamps on reverse; a little roughly opened, fine and scarce €200-400
- x1650 ☒ Hue: 1897 (18 June) small envelope to Lyon franked 5c. (2) and 15c. with Hue/Annam cancellations with octagonal Ligne N/Paq.Fr. No.9 alongside; transit and arrival markings on reverse; fine €100-200
- x1651 ☒ Lethuy: 1905 (10 Aug.) p.p.c. (Les freres du Roi et leurs Précepteurs) to the Loire franked 10c. with Lethuy/Annam cancellation with date inserted by hand, Duang-Tri/Annam transit; fine and rare €300-600
- x1652 ☒ Lienoheu: 1903 (6 Dec.) p.p.c. (Hué - La Citadelle) to Oise franked 5c. with Lienoheu/Annam cancellation, transit and arrival datestamps. Rare €100-200
- x1653 ☒ Phanrang: 1902 (4 Sept.), envelope to Paris franked 15c. with Phanrang cancellation, transit and arrival markings on reverse; fine and scarce €150-300



1654

- x1654 ☒ Phantiet: 1893 (14 March) 15c. postal stationery envelope registered to Paris, additionally franked Dubois 5c. (2) and 1f., Phantiet/Annam dotted circle cancellations, red Modane a Paris datestamp on the front, transit and arrival markings on the reverse; a little soiled. Rare €400-800
- x1655 ☒ Quinhone: 1906 (19 Nov.) envelope registered to Java franked 50c. with Quinhone cancellation, octagonal transit datestamp on the front, Batavia squared circle arrival on the reverse; a rare destination €150-300

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Annam, Small Village Use - *contd.*

- x1656 ☒ Tourane: 1903 (13 Aug.) envelope to Paris franked 5c. and Postal Stationery cut out 10c., Tourane/Annam cancellation but the 10c. not accepted and cancelled by pen cross, "T" in triangle marking and taxed by French 10c. Postage Due on arrival; a few minor perimeter faults, scarce attempted postal fraud

€200-400
- x1657 ☒ Tourane: 1904 (28 Oct.) envelope to Bavaria franked 75c. with Tourane/Annam cancellation, transit and arrival datestamps on the reverse, fine

€250-500
- x1658 ☒ Postal Stationery: Selection of five items, comprising Banghoi 1904 10c. card, Quang-ngai 1895 15c. envelope, Quinehome 1901 15c. envelope, Song-Cau 1898 15c. envelope, Thuan-an 1900 15c. envelope; fine. Photo on our website

€150-300
- x1659 ☒ Post Cards: Selection of ten items comprising Bai-Ka (1904), Banghoi (1905), Cauhai (1905), Cuarao (1904), Ha-Tinh (1900), Lethuy (1904) Lienchieu (1903), Roon (1905), Tam-ky (1905), Thanh-Hoa (1901); good to fine. Photo on our website

€300-600
- x1660 ☒ 1897-1905 selection of eight items, comprising Hue (1902 and 1904), Lao-Boa (1905), Nhatrang (1901) with oval "B.M.", Phantiet (1898), Thanh-Hoa (1897), Tourane (1905), Vinh (1906), a variety of frankings and destinations, chiefly fine. Photo on our website

€250-500

Military Franchise

- x1661 ☒ 1894-1905, six covers, origins with Banghoi, Hue, Quinhone, Thuan-an 1894 with oval "B.M.", and 1895, Touranne, a variety of Military cachets, destinations, one franked 15c., another franked France 1901 F.M. 15c., the others stampless; good to fine. Photo on our website

€300-600
- x1662 ☒ 1896 (26 May) "CORPS EXPÉDITIONNAIRE DE MADAGASCAR" card handstamped "ANNAM-TONKIN" to Lyon, "CORPS EXP/TONKIN" undated double ring cancellation with Touranne/Annam and Corps Exp. Tonkin/Ligne N.10 datestamps, blue Military cachet; very fine and with the reply portion (also handstamped) attached

€300-600

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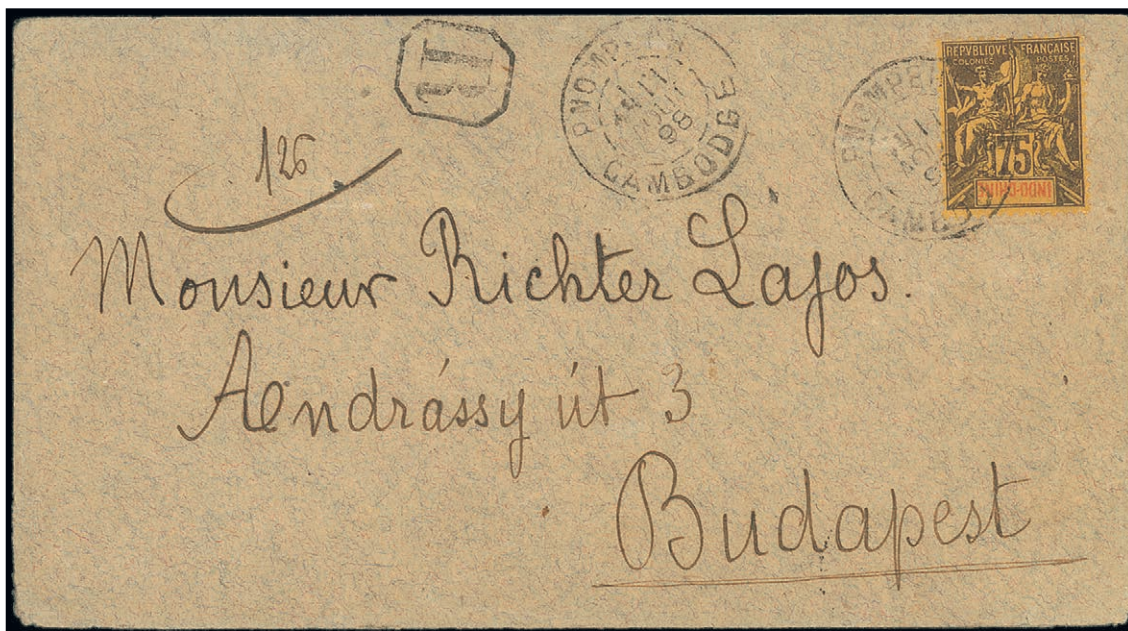


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CAMBODIA

- x1663 ☒ 1896-1906 selection of ten items, including Pnompenh with 1904 (Feb.) envelope registered to Paris, small village use with Kompong Chnang on 1902 p.p.c. to Millau, Soairieng on 1901 p.p.c. to Somme, Stungtreng on 1906 p.p.c. to Saigon, etc., fine. Photo on our website €150-300

Pnompenh



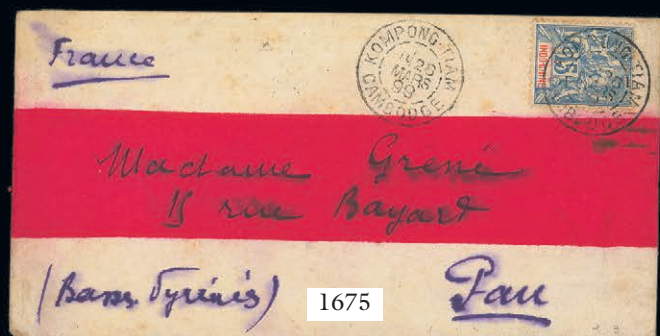
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- x1664 ☒ 1896 (11 Aug.) envelope registered to Lajos Richter (past President of the Hungarian Philatelic Society) in Budapest franked 75c. with the “INDO-CHINE” inscription inverted, Pnompenh/Cambodge dotted circle cancellation, a full range of transit and arrival datestamps on the reverse; superb and one of the great rarities of French Colonial philately. The only recorded example of this variety on cover €5,000-10,000
- x1665 ☒ 1904 (28 June) stampless Official envelope to Saigon with Pnompenh/Cambodge cancellation, arrival datestamp and official cachet on reverse; fine €100-200
- x1666 ☒ 1910 (19 Jan.) declared value (200Fr.) letter to Paris franked 50c. and Grasset 5c., Pnompenh/Cambodge dotted circle cancellation, unusual gold wax seals, declared valued cachet, transit and arrival markings on reverse; a few minute stain spots; fine €300-600
- x1667 ☒ 1913 (21 July) “10” on 15c. postal stationery envelope to Vinhlong, Pnompenh/Cambodge dotted circle cancellation, Vinhlong arrival on the reverse; fine €150-300

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- x1668 ☒ Banam: 1903 (12 June), p.p.c. (Crémation de la Reine Mère) to Ceret franked 10c. with Banam/Cambodge dotted circle cancellation, transit and arrival datestamps; fine. Photo on our website €110-220
- x1669 ☒ Banam: 1903 (15 Nov.) envelope to Dijon franked 15c. with Banam/Cambodge dotted circle cancellation, transit and arrival datestamps on reverse; a few slightly stained perfs., fine €100-200

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Cambodia, Small Village Use - contd.

- x1670 ☒ Kampot: 1903 (16 Dec.) 10c. postal stationery card to Saigon, Campot/Cambodge dotted circle cancellation, transit and arrival datestamps; fine €120-240
- x1671 ☒ Kampot: 1904 (26 July) envelope registered to Gorlofka, Russia franked 20c. (faults) and 30c. with Kampot/Cambodge dotted circle cancellations, a full range of transit and arrival markings on reverse. A very unusual combination of origin and destination at the correct 50c. rate €200-400



1672

- x1672 ☒ Khone: 1904 (27 Aug.) 15c. postal stationery letter card (selvedge removed) to Khong with Khone/Cambodge cancellation, Khong arrival on the reverse; fine. Exceptional usage between two border villages between Cambodia and Laos, both villages were subsequently transferred to Laos €400-800
- x1673 ☒ Khong: 1894 (20 Aug.) envelope to Nancy franked 25c. with Khong/Cambodge cancellation, transit and arrival markings on reverse; fine €140-280
- x1674 ☒ Kompong-Thom: 1906 (18 Oct.) p.p.c. (Girls for cooling at Kamogawa, Kioto) registered to Paris, franked 10c., Grasset 25c. on the address side and 1c. on the picture side, Kompong-Thom cancellations; fine €150-300
- x1675 ☒ Kompong-Tiam: 1899 (26 March) red band envelope to Pau, franked 15c. with Kompong-Tiam dotted circle cancellation, transit and arrival datestamps on the reverse; fine €100-200
- x1676 ☒ Kratie: 1900 (13 Feb.) envelope to Paris franked 15c. with Kratie/Cambodge cancellation, transit and arrival markings on reverse; a trifle soiled, fine and scarce €100-200
- x1677 ☒ Krauchmar: 1903 (15 Nov.) p.p.c. (Hill of Noge, Yokohama) to Nantes, franked 10c. with Krauchmar/Cambodge cancellation, octagonal Ligne N/Paq. Fr. No. 10 alongside; slight stain at foot, fine €120-240
- x1678 ☒ Krauchmar: 1903 (28 Dec.) p.p.c. (Entrée des Casernes) to Nantes with Krauchmar/Cambodge cancellation, octagonal transit alongside; fine €200-400
- x1679 ☒ Preyveng: 1904 (30 Dec.) 5c. postal stationery envelope to Indre et Loire, Preyveng/Cambodge dotted circle cancellation, transit and arrival datestamps on the reverse; fine €100-200

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Cambodia, Small Village Use - contd.

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| x1680 ☒ | Pursat: 1894 (26 Nov.) 5c. postal stationery envelope to Paris with Pursat/Cambodge dotted circle cancellation, transit datestamp on reverse; fine | €100-200 |
| x1681 ☒ | Pursat: 1905 (8 June) envelope registered to Auzon franked 40c. with Pursat/Cambodge cancellation, transit and arrival markings on the reverse; fine | €250-500 |
| x1682 ☒ | Takéo: 1899 (14 April) mourning envelope to Gironde franked 15c. with Takeo/Cambodge cancellation, transit and arrival markings on reverse; some minor staining, scarce | €150-300 |

Military Mail



1683

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| x1683 ☒ | 1896 (26 June) stampless envelope to Gers, endorsed <i>Corps d'occupation du Cambodge</i> with Corps Exped/Cambodge datestamp, blue Hospital Mixte/Pnom-Penh cachet, Corr. D'Arm and red Corps Exp Tonkin datestamps, another strike of the cachet, transit and arrival markings on reverse; fine and rare | €1,200-2,400 |
| x1684 ☒ | 1896 (Nov.) stampless envelope to Paris, endorsed <i>Troupes du Cambodge</i> with Corps Exped/Cambodge datestamp, blue Poste de Pnon Penh cachet, transit and arrival datestamps on reverse; fine and rare | €800-1,600 |
| x1685 ☒ | 1899 (23 Jan.) envelope to Gers franked 15c. with Corps Exped/Cambodge cancellation, small Ligne N. Paq Fr. No 10 datestamp, on reverse blue Hospital Mixte Pnom Penh cachet, transit and arrival markings; fine and rare | €700-1,400 |
| x1686 ☒ | 1902 (28 April) stampless envelope to Paris endorsed <i>Troupes du Cambodge</i> with Pursat/Cambodge and Corps Exped/Cambodge datestamps, red POSTE DE PURSAT cachet; transit and arrival datestamps on the reverse, fine and extremely rare use from a small village | €1,000-2,000 |

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1684



1685



1686

COCHIN-CHINA

x1687 ☒	1893 (18 March) envelope endorsed <i>Papiers D'affaires</i> registered to Vannes, franked 5c., 15c. (3) with Saigon Central/Cochinchine cancellations, arrival datestamp on reverse; a few minor perimeter faults but an extremely rare 50c. rate	€100-200
x1688 ☒	1893-1913 selection of fourteen items, including postal stationery with 1896 15c. letter card additionally franked 5c. pair to Alsace, 1897 15c. envelope additionally franked 40c. registered to Pnompenh, 1913 "10" on 15c. envelope to Marseilles, destinations with 1897 to Luxembourg, 1904 to Turkey, Postage Due, etc., chiefly fine and an interesting group. Photo on our website	€600-1,200
x1689 ☒	1897 (16 March) 25c. postal stationery letter card, additionally franked 1c., 2c. (2) and 10c. registered to Pnompenh, Saigon-Port/Cochinchine cancellations, selvedge intact, fine. A scarce card franked at the correct 40c. French community registered rate	€100-200
x1690 ☒	1898 (22 Jan.) Telegram form registered to Rochfort, franked 25c. (2) with Saigon-Central/Cochinchine cancellation, octagonal Ligne N datestamp alongside; fine and scarce	€140-280
x1691 ☒	1898 (8 Feb.) envelope to France franked 5c. (pair, one rounded corner) and 15c. with Mytho A Saigon railway cancellation, transit and arrival datestamps on the reverse; fine	€100-200
x1692 ☒	1900 (27 April) reply portion of a 10c. reply paid postal stationery card sent from Zurich to Saigon, Saigon Central/Cochinchine arrival; fine and scarce	€100-200
x1693 ☒	1900 (27 April) p.p.c. (Marseille - 85- Le Quai des Forces) to Germany franked 1c. (2), 2c. (2) and 4c. (showing an interesting variety "WDO" for "INDO"), Saigon-Central/Cochinchine cancellations, octagonal Ligne T and Limbach arrival, all on the address side; fine	€100-200
x1694 ☒	1900 (17 June) small envelope to Hatien franked 5c. and sent at the printed matter rate, Saigon-Port/Cochinchine cancellation, endorsed <i>Art. 9 de la loi du 25 Juin 1856</i> as the envelope contained additional writing, taxed Postage Due 30c. (2) with Haiten/Cochinchine cancellations; fine. Possibly the only recorded example of the application of this obscure law in any of the French colonies	€300-600
x1695 ☒	1900 (16 Aug.) envelope to Neully sur Seine franked 40c. with Saigon-Central/Cochinchine cancellation with framed, script " <i>Trouvé a la Boite</i> " alongside, arrival datestamp on reverse. Although franked at the 40c. French Community registered letter rate there are no registered markings	€120-240
x1696 ☒	1901 (19 Jan.) Telegram form registered to Marseille, franked 40c. with Saigon-Central/Cochinchine cancellation, arrival datestamp on reverse; fine and scarce	€200-400
x1697 ☒	1904 (April) small envelope to Tan an franked 5c. cut from a postal stationery item, Saigon-Central/Cochinchine cancellation. Rare use of a postal stationery cut-out accepted as postage	€100-200

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Antoine Léon Morel-Fatio 1859, French Conquest of Saigon

Cochin-China - contd.



1698

- x1698 ☒ 1904 (28 May) envelope registered to Tampico Camps, Mexico, franked 5c., 15c., 1903 "15" on 25c., Travinh/Cochinchine cancellations, on reverse New York transits and Mexican registration etiquette; the envelope folded at foot, fine and rare

€400-800
- x1699 ☒ 1904 envelope to Seine franked 15c. strip of three with Saigon-Central/Cochinchine cancellations (date unclear) and additionally cancelled by "APRES LE DÉPART", arrival datestamps on reverse; fine

€100-200
- x1700 ☒ 1909 (21 April) envelope registered to New Guinea franked 50c. and Grasset 15c. sharing a single Saigon-Port/Cochinchine cancellation, Singapore transit on their reverse; fine and a rare destination

€350-700
- Small Village Use**
- x1701 ☒ Baclieu: 1896 (22 Sept.) large part wrapper to Soctrang, endorsed "S.L." (Service Legal), posted unpaid, Baclieu/Cochinchine datestamp, violet Bac-Lieu cachets on front and reverse, "T" in triangle marking and taxed by 30c. Postage Due with Soctrang/Cochinchine cancellation. Rare

€120-240
- x1702 ☒ Bake: 1897 (26 Aug.) 25c. postal stationery envelope to Belgium with Bake/Cochinchine dotted circle cancellation and another strike repeated alongside, transit and arrival markings on reverse; flap missing but a rare office, not recorded by Languois & Bourselet

€200-400
- x1703 ☒ Bencat: 1896 (?) 5c. postal stationery envelope to Pnompenh with double ring Bencat/Cochinchine cancellation; minor scuffs on the reverse, scarce

€100-200
- x1704 ☒ Caibe: 1898 (4 Dec.) small envelope to Gers franked 5c. and 20c. with Caibe/Cochinchine dotted circle cancellations, Saigon Central transit datestamp on reverse; fine

€120-240

Photo for lot 1699 appears on page 51



1700



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1704



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1705

Cochin-China, Small Village Use - contd.

- x1705 ☒ Cangiou: 1901 (20 June) p.p.c. (Saigon - La Cathédrale) to Austria, franked 5c. pair with Cangiou dotted circle cancellation with another strike repeated alongside, arrival on the address side; fine €150-300

- x1706 ☒ Cap St. Jacques: 1895 (13 Aug.) 25c. letter card (selvedge removed) to England, 1895 (20 Sept.) 10c. postal stationery card to Vinklong. 1896 (22 Oct.) mourning envelope to Pnompenh franked 15c., 1902 local envelope franked 15c. (2), all with Cap St. Jacques/Cochinchine cancellations; good to fine. Photo on our website €200-400

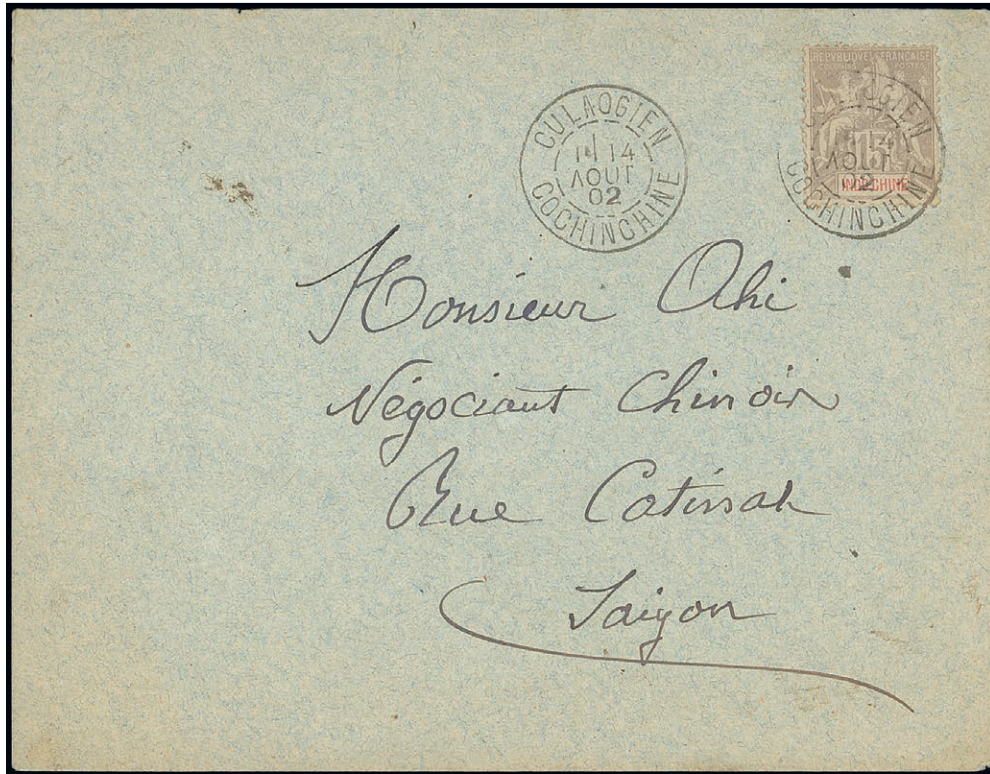
- x1707 ☒ Cholon: 1893 (19 Jan.) envelope to France franked 25c. (2), 1897 (13 Dec.) 15c. postal stationery envelope addressed locally, 1905 envelope registered to Paris franked 25c. and Grasset 15c., all with Cholon/Cochinchine dotted circle cancellations; good to fine. Photo on our website €140-280



1708

- x1708 △ Cholon-Binhaty: 1906 (21 April) large declared value (7,500Fr.) front to Sadec franked 25c., 50c., 75c. (2) and Grasset 10c. with Cholon-Binhaty/Cochinchine dotted circle cancellations, insured cachet; vertical filing crease, fine and an exceptional piece €200-400

Photo for lot 1705 appears on page 53



1709

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| x1709 ☒ | Culaogien: 1902 (14 Aug.) envelope to Saigon franked 15c. with Culaogien/Cochinchine dotted circle cancellation, arrival datestamp on reverse; fine and rare | €800-1,600 |
| x1710 ☒ | Daingai: 1903 (19 July) envelope registered to Paris franked 40c. with Daingai/Cochinchine dotted circle cancellation, red wax seal and arrival datestamp on reverse; fine | €100-200 |
| x1711 ☒ | Giadinh: 1895 (30 Aug.) 15c. postal stationery envelope to Algeria, additionally franked 5c. (2) and 25c., Giadinh/Cochinchine cancellations, red Modane a Paris T.P.O. datestamp on the front, transit and arrival markings on reverse; fine | €100-200 |
| x1712 ☒ | Hatien: 1903 (24 Sept.) mourning envelope to Seine franked 1c., 2c., 4c. (3) with Hatien/Cochinchine cancellations, transit and arrival markings on the reverse; fine | €150-300 |
| x1713 ☒ | Hong-Chong: 1903 (28 Dec.) p.p.c. (Un éléphant avec son bat) to Boulogne franked 5c. with Hong-Chong/Cochinchine dotted circle cancellation; a trifle soiled, fine | €150-300 |
| x1714 ☒ | Longxuyen: 1893 (26 April) 25c. letter card (margins intact) to Buenos Aires, 1893 (7 June) 15c. postal stationery envelope to France additionally franked 1c., 4c. and Dubois 30c., each with red Modane a Paris transit markings, 1900 (8 Aug.) 15c. postal stationery envelope to Saigon, framed "APRES/LE/DEPART", all with Longxuyen/Cochinchine cancellations; good to fine. Photo on our website | €250-500 |
| x1715 ☒ | Rachgia: 1898 15c. postal stationery envelope to Saigon, 1900 (12 Dec.) envelope registered to Paris franked 15c. and 25c., each with Rachgia dotted circle cancellations, transit and arrival markings; fine. Photo on our website | €150-300 |
| x1716 ☒ | Soctrang: 1902 (15 Nov.) envelope registered to Lyon franked 40c. with Soctrang/Cochinchine dotted circle cancellation, octagonal Ligne T/Paq. Fr. No. 4 alongside, transit and arrival markings on reverse; fine | €150-300 |

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Cochin-China, Small Village Use - contd.

x1717 ☒	Tanan: 1896 (6 Dec.) envelope to Soareng, Cambodia, franked 5c. and 25c., 1904 (23 Feb.) p.p.c. (Types de femmes Lu a Moung-Hou) to Yonne franked 10c., both with Tanan/Cochinchine dotted circle cancellations, arrival datestamps, fine. Photo on our website	€120-240
x1718 ☒	Tanchau: 1896 (10 Aug.) 15c. postal stationery envelope to Saigon with Tanchau/Cochinchine dotted circle cancellation, arrival datestamp on reverse; light vertical filing fold; fine and scarce	€100-200
x1719 ☒	Tanchau: 1912 (21 Sept.) envelope to Rachgia franked Hoi Hao 75c. with variety English part of the overprint omitted tied by Tanchau/Cochinchine cancellation; vertical filing fold and a trifle soiled; fine	€200-400
x1720 ☒	Tan-Huyen: 1901 (12 Feb.) 15c. postal stationery envelope registered to Saigon, additionally franked 25c. with Tan-Huyen/Cochinchine dotted circle cancellation, Bienhoa transit on reverse; fine	€100-200
x1721 ☒	Thudaumot: 1904 (29 Nov.) 15c. postal stationery envelope registered to Hanoi, additionally franked 40c., Thudaumot/Cochinchine cancellation, transit and arrival markings on reverse; fine	€150-300
x1722 ☒	Tieucan: 1900 (9 Dec.) 15c. postal stationery envelope registered to Saigon, additionally franked 25c., Tieucan/Cochinchine dotted circle cancellation, transit and arrival markings on reverse; fine	€250-500
x1723 ☒	Vinlong: 1893 (6 Dec.) envelope to France franked 25c. with Vinlong dotted circle cancellation, transit and arrival markings on reverse; fine	€140-280
x1724 ☒	Vunglien: 1900 (21 March) 15c. postal stationery envelope, registered to Saigon, additionally franked 25c., Vunglien dotted circle cancellations, transit and arrival markings on reverse; a trifle soiled. Fine	€150-300
x1725 ☒	1894-1906, selection of eleven covers and two cards,, including Bentré on 1896 cover to Paris, Bienhoa on 1904 card to Paris, Cairang on 1904 red band envelope, Cantho on 1899 cover to Rhone, Chaudoc on 1894 cover registered to Saigon, Gucong on 1896 envelope, Long-thanh on 1903 cover to Sarthe, Poulo-Condore on 1899 cover to Vosges, Tayninh on 1894 cover to Saigon, Travinh on 1904 cover registered to Paris, Vinlong on 1902 card to Bordeaux, etc., a variety of frankings and markings, chiefly fine. Photo on our website	€500-1,000
x1726 ☒	1894-1911 selection of ten postal stationery items, including Cailay on 5c. envelope. Caibé of 15c. letter card, Cai-nhum on 15c. envelope, Chogao on 5c. envelope, Daingi on 15c. envelope, Chua Chan on 10c. card, Hatien on 15c. letter card (selvedge missing), Honh-chong on 5c. envelope, Mytho on 15c. envelope, Sadec on 25c. envelope; good to fine. Photo on our website	€250-500

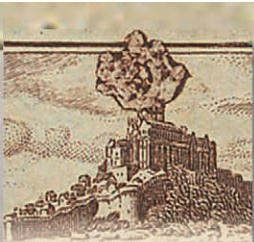
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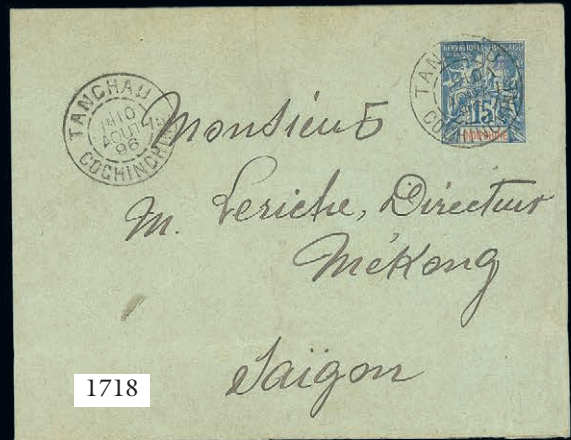
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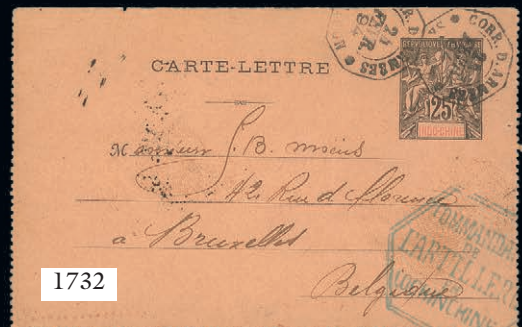
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Cochin-China - contd.

Military Mail

- x1727 ☒ 1894 (24 July) envelope to Paris endorsed *Corps expeditionnaire du Tonkin*, posted unpaid but with no Military validation, with "T" in triangle marking, framed "Trouve a la boite" and on arrival taxed by 30c. Postage Due; a little roughly opened but a scarce and unusual cover

€100-200
- x1728 ☒ 1898 (15 Feb.) envelope to France franked 5c. (3) with octagonal Corr. D. Armees/Saigon cancellations with Military cachet below, also 1904 (8 April and 10 June) stampless official covers from Rachgia and Giadinh; fine. Photo on our website

€100-200
- x1729 ☒ 1902 (29 Sept.) envelope to Hanoi franked France 1901 F.M. 15c. with Saigon Central/Cochinchine cancellation and blue Military cachet alongside, 1904 cover to Paris, franked France 1901 F.M. 15c. with Cap. St. Jacques/Cochinchine cancellation and Military cachet alongside; fine. Photo on our website

€100-200
- x1730 ☒ 1904 (28 Nov.) p.p.c. to Switzerland franked 10c. and France F.M. 1903 15c. with Soctrang/Cochinchine cancellations and with violet Soctrang Military cachet, Aubonne arrival, all on the address side, fine

€150-300

Military Mail - Saigon



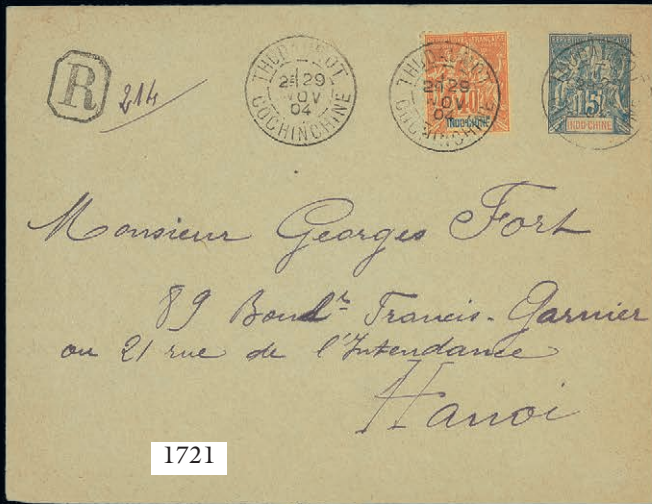
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- x1731 ☒ 1893 (March) envelope to Java franked 15c. with octagonal Corr D'Armees/Saigon cancellation, Military cachet at left, Saigon Central/Cochinchine datestamp. As the Military concession rate did not apply to mail outside of France and the Colonies a second octagonal datestamp had been deleted, red "T" in triangle marking and taxed by Netherlands Colonies 10c. postage due on arrival; fine and a very rare cover

€500-1,000
- x1732 ☒ 1894 (24 Feb.) 25c. letter card (selvedge removed) to Belgium with octagonal Corr D'Armees/Saigon cancellation, Military cachet at right, arrival datestamp on reverse. As there was no Military concession rate to Belgium the 25c. is a correct franking

€100-200

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Cochin-China, Military Mail - Saigon - *contd.*

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| x1733 ☒ | 1894 (15 March) 15c. postal stationery letter card to Sarthe, octagonal Corr D'Armees/Saigon cancellation, Military cachet at left and red Modane a Paris transit on the front, arrival on reverse; traces of staining, fine with selvage intact | €100-200 |
| x1734 ☒ | 1894 (20 May) 25c. postal stationery envelope, additionally franked 15c., registered to Paris, octagonal Corr. D'Armees/Saigon cancellations, Paris arrival on the reverse; fine. A scarce cover sent at the Military concession rate of 40c. | €250-500 |
| x1735 ☒ | 1894 (11 Aug.) envelope to Rochefort, franked 15c. with octagonal Corr. D'Armees/Saigon cancellation, blue Military cachet and Corr D. Armees/Lig. N Paq.Fr. datestamp alongside, arrival on reverse; fine | €150-300 |
| x1736 ☒ | 1895 (5 Oct.) 10c. postal stationery card to Madagascar with octagonal Corr D'Armees/Saigon cancellation, octagonal Ligne N/Paq. Fr. No. 6 and Corps Exped. De Madagascar/L.V. No. 1 datestamps alongside; fine | €150-300 |
| x1737 ☒ | 1896 (30 Sept.) 15c. postal stationery envelope to Madagascar, octagonal Corr D'Armees/Saigon cancellation, Military cachet at left, "T" in triangle marking, Saigon Central/Cochinchine and Corr. Des Armees/L.V. No. 1 datestamps; vertical filing crease and a trifle stained. Rare | €250-500 |
| x1738 ☒ | 1898 (27 Sept.) mourning envelope to Neully sur Seine, franked 1c. (2), 2c. (2), 4c. and 5c. with octagonal Corr. D'Armees/Saigon cancellations, Military cachet, arrival datestamp on reverse; a few small portions of flap missing, otherwise fine | €200-400 |

Military Mail - Small Village Use



1739

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| x1739 ☒ | Bentré: 1897 (7 Aug.) envelope to Brest franked 15c., Corr. D'Armees/Bentre dotted circle cancellation, Military cachet, transit and arrival datestamps on reverse; fine and an exceptional rarity | €2,000-4,000 |
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Cochin-China, Military Mail - Small Village Use - *contd.*



1740

- x1740 ☒ Cap St. Jacques: 1897 (9 Sept.) envelope to Paris endorsed *Corps d'Occupation de la Cochinchine* franked 5c. and 10c. with octagonal "Corr. D. Arm./Cap. St. Jacques" cancellations, red Paris a Modane datestamp on the front, transit and arrival markings on the reverse; fine

€500-1,000
- x1741 ☒ Chaudoc: 1894 (8 Aug.) envelope to Paris, endorsed *Troupes de l'Indo-Chine* franked 25c. with octagonal "Corr D. Arm./Chaudoc" cancellation, military cachet, transit and arrival markings on reverse; fine

€250-500
- x1742 ☒ Longxuyen: 1897 (27 July) mourning envelope to Nancy, endorsed *Corps de l'Indo Chine* franked 15c. with octagonal "Corr. D Armees/Longxuyen" cancellation, red Military cachet, transit and arrival datestamps on the reverse; a few small perimeter faults. Rare

€600-1,200

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1743

x1743 ☒ Soctrang: 1897 (2 Sept.) envelope to Paris franked 15c. with Corr D'Armees/Soctrang cancellation, **blue** Military cachet below, transit datestamp on reverse; fine. One of the most important covers in this magnificent collection. The only recorded example of the Soctrang Military cancellation recorded on Group Type issues, one other is known on the Dubois type €2,500-5,000

x1744 ☒ Tan-an: 1893 (22 April) envelope to Nancy, endorsed *Corps indigenes de l'Indo-Chine* franked 25c. with octagonal "Corr. D Armees/Tan-An" cancellation, two red Military cachets on the front, another five on the reverse, transit and arrival datestamps; fine €150-300



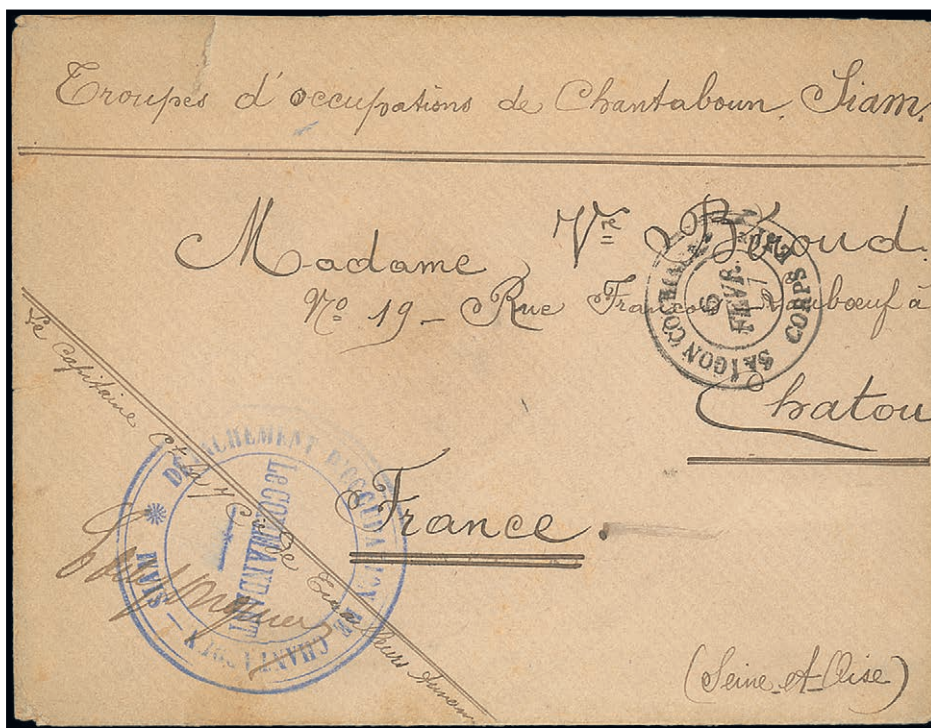
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x1745 ☒ Vinh Long: 1895 (22 Aug.) envelope endorsed *Troupes de l'Indo Chine* franked 15c. with octagonal "Corr. D. Arm/Vinh Long" cancellation, on reverse Military cachet, transit and arrival datestamps; very fine and scarce €650-1,300

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Cochin-China - *contd.*

Military Mail - Siam via Saigon

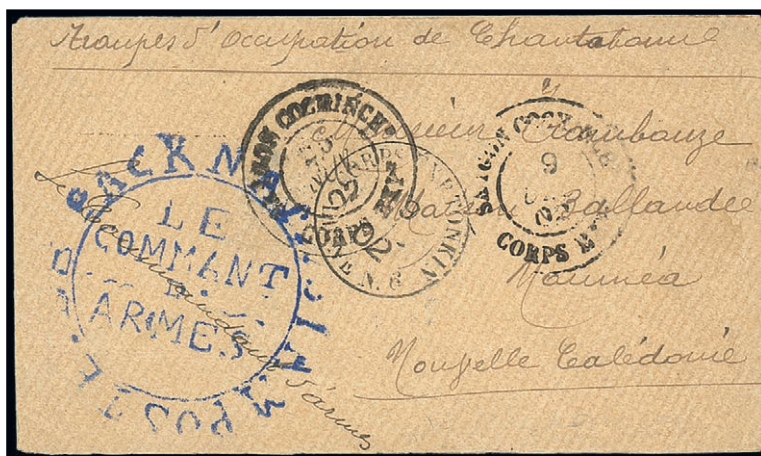


1746

x1746 ☒

1897 (6 Feb.) stampless envelope to Chatou, endorsed *Troupes d'occupation de Chantaboun Siam*, "Saigon Cochinchine/Corps Exp" datestamp, **blue** Military cachet, arrival datestamp on reverse; fine and rare

€500-1,000



1747

x1747 ☒

1902 (Nov.) small stampless envelope to New Caledonia, endorsed *Troupes d'occupation de Chantaboun*, "Saigon Cochinchine/Corps Exp" datestamps, **blue** Military cachet; fine and highly attractive. A truly remarkable destination

€1,200-2,400





1748

x1748 ☒

1903 (2 March) stampless envelope to Gironde endorsed *Troupes d'Occupation de Siam*, "Saigon Cochinchine/Corps Exp" datestamp, large blue Pak-Nam Military cachet, unusual violet wax seal and arrival datestamp on reverse; fine and scarce

€1,000-2,000



1749

x1749 ☒

1903 (2 March) stampless envelope to Paris endorsed *Troupes d'occupation du Siam* with "Saigon Cochinchine/Corps Exp" datestamp, small blue Military cachet, arrival datestamp on reverse; fine and scarce

€600-1,200

LAOS

Vientiane

- x1750 ☒

1901 (17 July) double weight letter to Basel franked 10c. (2), 15c. (2) with Vien-Tiane cancellations, transit and arrival markings on reverse; fine

€150-300
- x1751 ☒

1901 (29 Sept.), envelope to Basel franked 5c. (strip of five) with Vien-Tiane/Laos cancellations, transit and arrival markings on reverse; fine

€100-200



1752

- x1752 ☒

1902 (2 Aug.) envelope to Switzerland franked 5c. (strip of five) with Vapeur No. 19/Cochinchine cancellations, small Ligne N/Paq. Fr. No. 7 datestamp below, transit datestamps of Savan Naket and Saigon Central on the reverse; fine and very rare

€600-1,200

Small Village Use

- x1753 ☒

Attopeu: 1903 (30 May) envelope to Noves franked 15c. with Attopeu/Laos dotted circle cancellation, transit and arrival markings on reverse; fine

€250-500



1742



1744



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1761



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Laos, Small Village Use



1754

x1754 ☒

Ban-Nam-Bac: 1900 (14 March) mourning envelope to Paris franked 15c. with Ban-Nam-Bac/Laos cancellation, transit datestamps on reverse; some stains around the perfs., otherwise fine and rare

€500-1,000



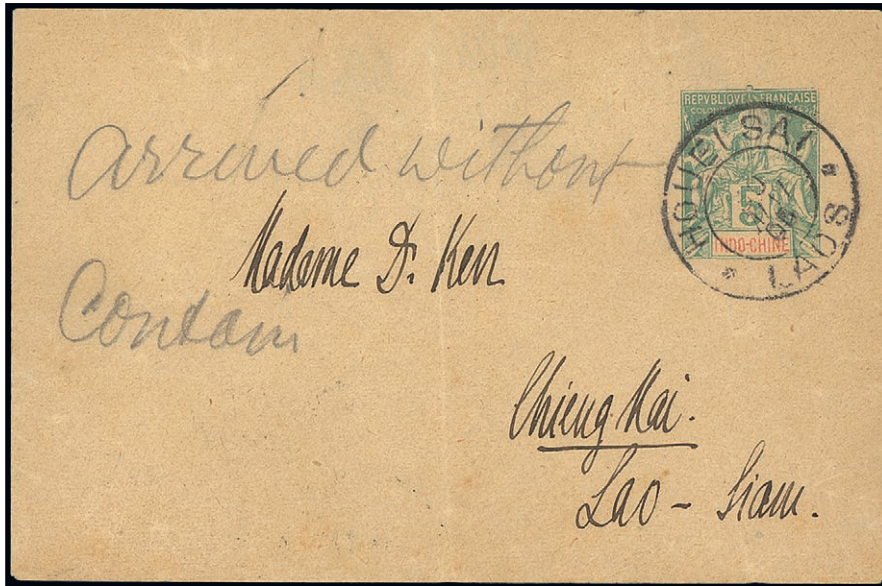
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x1755 ☒

Bassac: 1894 (4 Feb.) stampless envelope to Tarn, endorsed *Mission du Laos*, Bassac/Laos dotted circle datestamp, red Modane a Paris transit, "T" in triangle marking, taxed by 10c. (2) and 30c. Postage Dues; a trifle soiled. Rare

€500-1,000

- x1756 ☒ Bassac: 1904 (2 July) p.p.c. (Théâtre municipal a Saigon) to Bordeaux franked (on the picture side) 5c. with Bassac/Laos cancellation, Khong: 1897 (28 Oct.) 10c. postal stationery card to Paris with Khong/Laos dotted circle cancellation; fine. Photo on our website €100-200



1757

- x1757 ☒ Houeisai: 1905 (30 May) 5c. postal stationery envelope to Chieng Mai with Houeisai/Laos cancellation, a variety of transit markings on reverse; light vertical filing fold and slightly crumpled. A quite remarkable usage. Posted to Chieng Mai in Northern Siam, the most direct route is via the impassable mountains to the West. However, this envelope travelled south via Luang-Prabang (10.6) and Vientiane (20.6) to Bangkok (13.7) arriving at Chieng Mai (10.8). After such a journey, the endorsement *Arrived without contents* is very sad €400-800
- x1758 ☒ Khone: 1901 (21 Sept.) envelope registered to Marseilles franked 5c. (2), 10c. (2), 15c. and 25c., Khone/Laos dotted circle cancellations, transit and arrival markings on reverse; fine. A remarkable triple weight registered letter €130-260
- x1759 ☒ Luang-Prabang: 1907 (16 April) 10c. postal stationery card to Paris, Luang-Prabang/Laos dotted circle cancellation; fine €120-240

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x1760 ☒ Muong-Ngoi: 1905 (14 Aug.) p.p.c. (Dap-Cau - Barbiers) to Cahors, franked 5c. (2) sharing a single Muong-Ngoi/Laos cancellation, arrival datestamp; a few small holes at the lower left, nevertheless fine and rare €700-1,400

x1761 ☒ Pac-Hin-Boun: 1903 (7 Jan.) envelope to Berne franked 1c. (2), 4c. (2) and 15c. with Pac-Hin-Boun/Laos dotted circle cancellations, transit and arrival markings on reverse; fine and rare €350-700



1762

x1762 ☒ Pak-Se-Don: 1905 (24 Aug.) p.p.c. (Haut-Laos. - Défilé des autorités) to Paris, franked 5c. pair with Pak-Se-Don/Laos dotted circle cancellation, Bassac/Laos transit on the address side; fine and rare €400-800

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- x1763 ☒ Savan-Nakhet: 1904 (5 Oct.) envelope to Lyon franked 1903 "15" on 25c., 1905 (12 Oct.) p.p.c. (Haut-Laos - Colon et indigènes) to Nord franked 10c., 1907 (19 Jan.) p.p.c. (Laos - Fete champetre) to Seine franked 5c., all with Savan-Nakhet/Laos dotted circle cancellations; fine. Photo on our website €120-240
- x1764 ☒ Vienpouka: 1905 (30 Jan.) 15c. postal stationery envelope to Hanoi with Vienpouka/Laos dotted circle cancellation, transit and arrival markings on reverse; fine €150-300

Military Mail

1765

- x1765 ☒ 1895 (9 Jan.) envelope to Lyon, endorsed *Troupes du Mékong* and *Le capitaine comm. & le poste de Moung-Sen - Brosset-Heckel* franked 25c. (2), registered to Lyon, Khong/Cambodge cancellations, red "R" and Modane a Paris arrival, transit and arrival markings on reverse; some staining but very rare and possibly the first recorded Military mail from Laos €1,500-3,000
- NOTE: As an officer Brosset-Heckel was not entitled to a reduced rate, therefore the 50c. franking is correct*

TONKIN**Haiphong**

- x1766 ☒ 1894 (23 July) envelope registered to Constantinople, re-directed to Milan, franked 10c., 15c. and 40c. with Haiphong/Tonkin cancellations, octagonal Ligne N/Paq. Fr. No. 4, a variety of transit and arrival markings on reverse, some slight stains around the perfs., otherwise fine and an interesting double weight registered letter €140-280
- x1767 ☒ 1895 (7 Dec.) 15c. postal stationery envelope, additionally franked 40c. and 50c., registered to Philadelphia with Tong-Kin/Hai-Phung dotted circle cancellations, red boxed "A.R." below, octagonal transit on front, transit and arrival datestamps on reverse; filing fold, otherwise fine €100-200
- x1768 ☒ 1897 (26 Dec.) "A.R." envelope registered to Constantinople franked 5c. (2) and 50c. with Hai-Phong/Tonkin cancellations, Ligne N./Paq. Fr. No.7 c.d.s. alongside, transit and arrival markings on reverse; fine. A scarce cover charged 25c. postage, 25c. registration and 10c. for the receipt €200-400

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Tonkin, Haiphong - contd.

- x1769 ☒ 1898-1906, selection of six covers and a card, including 1898 triple weight wrapper to Lyon franked 15c., 1898 letter registered to Victoria franked 25c. (3), 1900 *Motte* correspondence cover to Algeria franked 4c. (3), 30c., 1905 A.R. cover registered to Japan, 1906 15c. postal stationery envelope to Pak Hoi, etc., good to fine. Photo on our website

€200-400
- x1770 ☒ 1900 (18 Sept.) "A.R." cover, registered to Victoria, Australia, franked 20c. and 30c. with Haiphong/Tonkin dotted circle cancellations, transit and arrival markings, fine. An interesting 50c. rate (40c. postage and 10c. for the return receipt)

€120-240
- x1771 ☒ 1901 (23 June) "A.R." letter registered to Victoria, franked 1f. and the return receipt for for the letter franked 10c., each with **red** Haiphong/Tonkin cancellation; the cover with small faults and portion missing from the front but a scarce pair. Photo on our website

€250-500
- x1772 ☒ 1901 (26 July) *Motte* correspondence envelope registered to Mogador, Algeria, franked 10c. and 30c. with **red** Haiphong/Tonkin cancellations, transit and arrival markings on reverse; fine and scarce

€200-400
- x1773 ☒ 1901 (21 Aug.) "*Motte*" correspondence envelope registered to Mogador, Algeria, franked 10c., 20c.(2) with **red** Haiphong/Tonkin cancellations, transit and arrival markings on the reverse; fine

€150-300
- x1774 ☒ 1902 (18 Feb.) Avis de réception to Natal franked 10c. with **red** Haiphong/Tonkin cancellation, transit datestamps of Natal and Aden on the interior; fine and rare

€250-500
- x1775 ☒ 1902 (31 July) *Motte* correspondence envelope registered to Mogador, Algeria, franked 20c. and 30c. with **blue** Tonquin/Hai-Phong dotted circle cancellations, transit and arrival markings on reverse; a trifle soiled, fine

€120-240

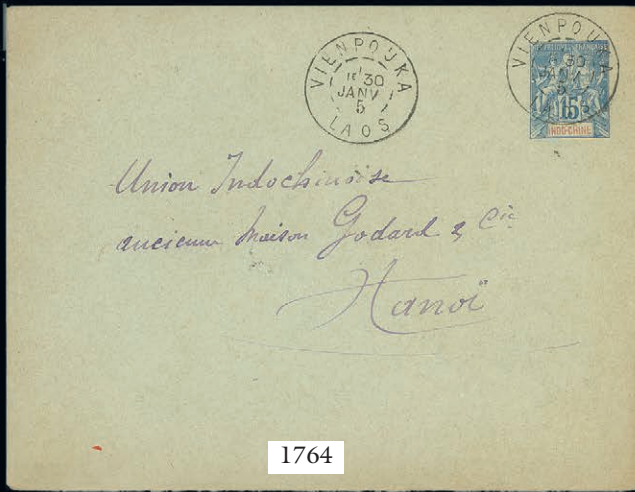


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- x1776 ☒ 1902 (18 Dec.) "A.R." envelope to Victoria, Australia franked 25c. and 75c. with blue Tonkin/Hai-Phong dotted circle cancellations; filing folds and a little stained around some perfs., fine

€100-200

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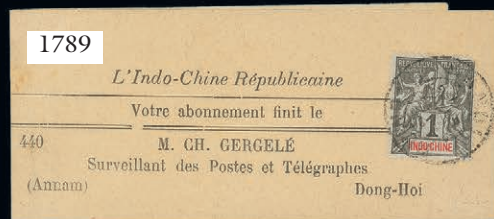
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Tonkin, Haiphong - contd.

- x1777 ☒ 1903 (4 March) envelope registered to Paris franked 40c. with Haiphong/Tonkin cancellation, arrival datestamp on reverse; fine €120-240
- x1778 ☒ 1903 (12 Aug.) local envelope franked 1903 “15” on 25c., surcharge misplaced to right and reading “5”, tied by Haiphong/Tonkin datestamp; the envelope with small portion missing at top. An unusual cover €100-200
- x1779 ☒ 1903 (14 Oct.) envelope to Na Thong franked 1903 “15” on 25c. with Haiphong/Tonkin cancellation, “B.M.” in oval alongside; central filing fold, fine €100-200



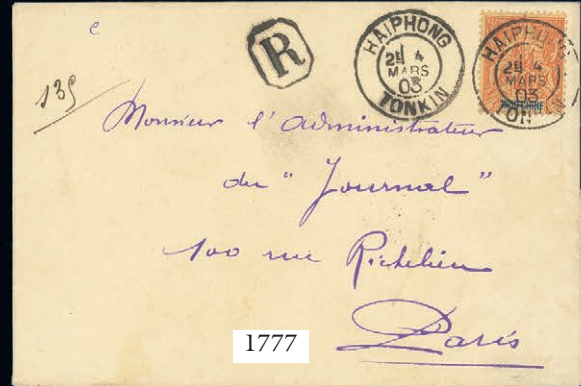
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- x1780 △ 1903 (11 Dec.) large declared value (5,000Fr.) front to Paris franked 5c., 1f., 5f., 1903 “15” on 25c. (12). Haiphong/Tonking cancellations and with octagonal Paq. Fr. No. 3 alongside; some stains and faults but an outstanding piece showing correct use of the 5f. €150-300



1781

- x1781 ☒ 1905 (17 Nov.) complete newspaper “Le Courrier d’Haiphong” to Paris, franked 20c. and Grasset 15c., unclear Haiphong/Tonkin cancellations; some minor imperfections but exceptionally rare €500-1,000



Tonkin, Haiphong - contd.

x1782 ☒ 1906 (22 July) envelope registered to Hanoi, franked 50c. vertical pair with Haiphong/Tonkin cancellations, arrival datestamp on reverse; fine. An unusual fifth level registered franking (15c. x 5 and 25c. registration) €120-240

Hanoi

x1783 ☒ 1896 (21 May) envelope registered to Narbonne franked 10c., 50c. with HANOI-RECTE/TONKIN cancellations, locally made red boxed No./AR handstamp, arrival datestamp on reverse; tiny surface adhesion on the front; fine and believed to be the only recorded example of the AR handstamp €350-700

x1784 ☒ 1897 (10 April) envelope endorsed *Corps d'occupation du Tonkin*, registered to Rhone, franked 40c. with HANOI-REDTE/TONKIN cancellation, green Hospital de Hanoi cachet, transit and arrival markings on the reverse; fine. A scarce cover sent at the Military concession rate €200-400

x1785 ☒ 1898 (3 Dec.) mourning envelope registered to Frasnès franked 50c. with HANOI-RECTE/TONKIN cancellation, red Modane a Paris datestamp on the front, transit and arrival markings on reverse; fine €200-400



1786

x1786 ☒ 1902 (29 July) "EXPOSITION DE HANOI EN 1902" wrapper to Manila, re-directed to Michigan, franked 5c. with Hanoi/Tonkin cancellation; a few minor perimeter faults but scarce and interesting item which contained details of the Hanoi Exposition of 1902-03 €100-200

x1787 ☒ 1903 (15 Jan.) "EXPOSITION DE HANOI EN 1902" printed envelope to Japan, franked 15c. with Hanoi-Exposition/Hanoi datestamp, a variety of transit and arrival datestamps, fine and extremely rare commercial use of this cancellation €250-500

x1788 ☒ 1903-05 three covers and five cards, including 10c. postal stationery card, mostly 5c. frankings made various ways, but with 10c. and 25c. on 1903 p.p.c. registered to Paris, 25c. and Grasset 15c. (2) on cover registered to St. Junien, etc., good to fine. Photo on our website €200-400

x1789 ☒ 1904 (Feb.) printed matter wrapper to Dong-Hoi franked 1c. with Hanoi/Tonkin cancellation (date unclear), Dong-Hoi/Annam arrival of 19 Feb. 1904 on the reverse; fine. The 1c. stamp used singly on a printed matter wrapper is a major rarity €250-500

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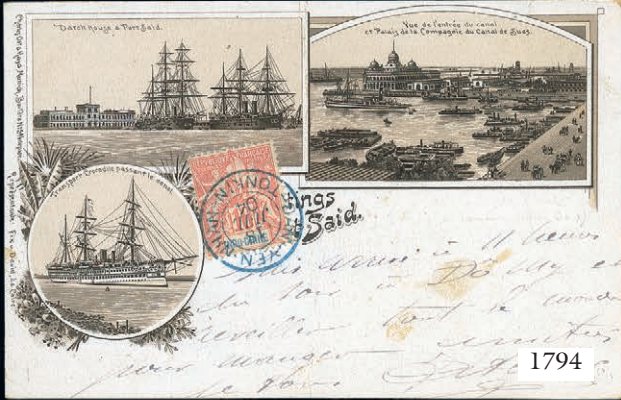
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1790

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| 1790 ☒ | 1904 (30 March) envelope registered to Tokio franked 50c. with Hanoi/Tonkin cancellation, a variety of transit and arrival markings and with three Japanese “Fusen” (redirection) forms attached; fine and most unusual | €400-800 |
| x1791 ☒ | 1904 (4 April) p.p.c. (Yunnan - 1052. Femme de la Region de Kai-Wa) franked Mongtze 2c., 4c. (2) with Hanoi/Tonkin cancellations, transit and arrival markings, fine and scarce use of Mongtze stamps at Hanoi | €100-200 |
| Small Village Use | | |
| x1792 ☒ | Ak-Hoi: 1903 (13 May) envelope to Cherbourg, redirected to Paris, franked 15c. with Ak-Hoi/Tonkin dotted circle cancellation, a variety of transit and arrival markings on reverse; fine | €120-240 |
| x1793 ☒ | Bac-Ninh: 1904 (22 Aug.) p.p.c. (Hanoi.-Boulevard, Francis-Garnier) to Madagascar franked 5c. with Bac-Ninh/Tonkin cancellation, transit datestamps of Saigon-Central, Singapore, Colombo, Mauritius and arrival of Tamatave; stained but rare | €100-200 |
| x1794 ☒ | Ban-Ten-Nhaan: 1904 (18 July), Egyptian p.p.c. franked (on picture side) 10c. with blue Ban-Yen-Bhan/Tonkin cancellation (with another strike on the address side); vertical crease and a little soiled. Scarce | €120-240 |
| x1795 ☒ | Caobang: 1900 (22 Feb.) insured letter (2,300Fr.) to Comps franked 10c., 25c. and 1f. (2) with Caobang/Tonkin cancellation, octagonal transit on the front, transit and arrival markings on the reverse; a trifle soiled but a rare 21f. 35 franking (30c. postage, 25c. registration and 1f. 80 insurance) | €200-400 |
| x1796 ☒ | Caobang: 1904 (27 Nov.) envelope registered to Paris franked 40c. with Caobang/Tonkin cancellation, transit and arrival markings on the reverse; fine | €100-200 |
| x1797 ☒ | Caudo: 1903 (21 Aug.) envelope registered to Paris franked 10c. block of four sharing a single Caudo/Tonkin cancellation, transit and arrival markings on reverse; vertical filing fold and a little stained. Fine | €140-280 |

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Tonkin, Small Village Use - contd.

- x1798 ☒ Ha-Giang: 1907 (25 June) "A.R." envelope registered to Geneva franked 25c. pair with Ha-Giang cancellation, transit and arrival datestamps on reverse; fine and scarce €100-200
- x1799 ☒ Haidzoung: 1896 (4 July) envelope registered to Algeria franked 25c. (2) with Haidzoung/Tonkin cancellation, transit and arrival datestamps on reverse; a little stained but rare €100-200
- x1800 ☒ Hon-Gay: 1898 (23 May) envelope registered to Kobe, franked 1c. (5), 2c., 5c. (6) on the front and 2c. (4) and 4c. (7) on the reverse, Hon-Gay/Tonkin cancellations, Japanese Fusen re-direction slip still attached, transit and arrival datestamps; fine and a rare double weight, registered letter with Fusen €300-600



1801

- x1801 ☒ Lam: 1905 (9 Jan.) large envelope registered to Dresden franked 25c., 50c. (2) with Lam/Tonkin dotted circle cancellations, transit and arrival markings on reverse; a few minor perimeter faults but fine. Blue W. Phillip handstamp on reverse €150-300
- x1802 ☒ Lang-Son: 1904 (14 Jan.) small envelope to Charenton-le-Pont franked 5c. with Lang-Son/Tonkin cancellation, arrival datestamp on reverse; fine €120-240
- x1803 ☒ Nam-Dinh: 1902 (19 Aug.) envelope registered to Paris franked 15c., 25c. with blue Nam-Dinh/Tonkin dotted circle cancellation, transit and arrival markings on reverse; vertical filing fold, fine €120-240
- x1804 ☒ Phu-lien: 1905 (3 Aug.) Insured letter (300Fr.) to Nimes franked 20c. (2), Grasset 5c., 15c. (2) with Phu Lien/Tonkin cancellations, red wax seals, insurance cachet, transit and arrival markings on reverse; a trifle soiled €150-300

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Tonkin, Small Village Use - contd.

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| x1805 ☒ | Quang-Yen: 1902 (25 March) opened out envelope (with enclosure) registered to Haiphong franked 10c., 15c. (2) with red Quang-Yen/Tonkin cancellations; fine and attractive | €100-200 |
| x1806 ☒ | Tonching: 1908 (27 April) p.p.c. (Eglise et Clocher Lofao-Chine) to Besancon franked 4c. and Grasset 1c. with red Tonching Chine cancellations (one with address inserted in manuscript) and Moncay/Tonkin datestamps applied as cancellations in transit; fine and rare | €300-600 |
| x1807 ☒ | Yen-bay: 1904 (25 Sept.) p.p.c. (Tonkin - Baie d'Along) to Madagascar franked 5c. (on picture side) with Yenbay/Tonkin cancellation, on the address side framed "AFFRANCHISSEMENT/INSUFFICIENT" "T" in triangle and taxed 10c. Postage Due pair with blue Tanatave dotted circle cancellation. <i>The 5c. franking on the picture side was technically illegal although this was rarely enforced</i> | €150-300 |
| x1808 ☒ | Postal Stationery: Selection comprising Bac-Ninh on 1899 5c. envelope, Bao-Lao on 1898 5c. envelope additionally franked 54c. (2), Camkhé on 1900 15c. envelope, Dapcau on 1894 15c. envelope, Doson on 1903 5c. envelope, Hai-Duong on 1903 envelope, Hong-hoa on 1905 10c. card, Laokay on 1900 15c. envelope, Lang-Son on 1903 15c. envelope, Land-Son on 1905 15c. envelope additionally franked 25c., Mon-Cay on 1905 15c. envelope, Ninh-Binh on 1902 5c. envelope, Nui-deo on 1905 5c. envelope, Phu-doan on 1900 envelope, Phuly on 1904 15c. envelope, Phu-Land-Thuong on 1896 10c. card, Phuc-Yen on 1905 15c. envelope, Quang-Yen on 1904 15c. envelope, Thai-Binh on 1899 15c. envelope, Thainguyen on 1904 15c. envelope, Van-yen on 1912 10c. card; good to fine (21 items). Photo on our website | €500-1,000 |
| x1809 ☒ | Postcards: Selection comprising Baoha (1904), Dong Trieu (1903), Doson (1900), Dong-Dang (1904), Lao-Kai (1903), Mui-Ngog 1903 and 1904), Nacham (1904), Port Wallut (1903), Tuyen-Quang (1901, 2 cards), Viettri (1904 with oval "BM"), Vinh-Yen (1904), Yen-Bay (1904); types, frankings and destinations, chiefly fine (14 items). Photo on our website | €250-500 |
| x1810 ☒ | 1894-1906 collection of thirty envelopes and a card, including Bac-Ninh, Caobang, Cho-Moi, Dapcau, Doson, Hoang-Thu-Bi, Hung-Yen, Lang-Son, Laokay, Luc-an-Chau, Nam-Dinh, Ninh-Binh, Ngan-Son, Pho-Lu, Phulo, Phu-Lang-Thoung, Phu-Nho, Quang-Yen, Thai-Binh, Than-Moi, Than-Poun, Thai-Binh, Sept Pagodes, Son-Tay, Thainguyen, Trai-Hut, Van-Bu, Vanlinh, Viettri, Vinh-Yen, etc., a variety of frankings, destinations, etc., chiefly fine. A valuable and interesting group | €1,200-2,400 |

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Ex 1810

Tonkin - contd.

Military - Stampless Mail

x1811 ☒	Anchu: 1893 (22 Dec.) envelope endorsed <i>Troupes d Indo Chine</i> with blue Anchu/Tonkin datestamp, Military cachets, transit and arrival datestamps on reverse; fine and believed to be the only recorded example	€150-200
x1812 ☒	Bi-Nhi: 1899 (7 Feb.) envelope to Grenoble endorsed <i>Troupes de l'Indo Chine</i> with Bi Nhi/Tonkin datestamp, Military cachet, transit and arrival datestamps on reverse; fine	€100-200
x1813 ☒	Cho-Moi: 1895 (20 Aug.) envelope to Grenoble endorsed <i>Corps expeditionnaire du Tonkin</i> with Chu-Mpi/Tonkin datestamp, Military cachets and endorsement at lower left; a little soiled	€120-240
x1814 ☒	Langson: 1901 (3 April) mourning envelope to Paris, endorsed <i>Corps d'Occupation du Tonkin</i> with scalloped Langson a Hanoi railway datestamps, Military cachets, transit and arrival markings on reverse; fine	€100-200
x1815 ☒	Langson: 1905 (27 Feb.) double weight envelope to Clairac, endorsed <i>Corps d'Occupation du Tonkin</i> , franked France 1903 F.M. 15c. (2) with Langson/Tonkin, only one of the F.M. was accepted and the envelope was therefore charged 30c. Postage Due on arrival, "T" in triangle handstamp, transit and arrival markings on reverse; part of flap missing. A scarce and interesting cover	€120-240
x1816 ☒	Mon-Cay: 1902 (13 May) double weight letter to Bordeaux, endorsed <i>Corps d'occupation du Tonkin</i> with Mon-Cay/Tonkin dotted circle datestamp, Military cachets, octagonal Noumea a Marseille/Paq. Fr. No. 1. As the letter was overweight "T" in triangle handstamp and taxed by 30c. (2) Postage Dues; minor perimeter faults, scarce	€120-240
x1817 ☒	Pho-Binh-Gia: 1899 (22 Dec.) small envelope to Nuits St. George, endorsed <i>Troupes de l'Indo-Chine</i> , Pho-Binh-Gia/Tonkin datestamps, two Military cachets, transit and arrival markings on reverse; fine	€120-240
x1818 ☒	Tien-Yen: 1898 (29 July) envelope to Paris, endorsed <i>Troupes de l'Indo-Chine</i> with Tien-Yen/Tonkin dotted circle datestamp, Ban Co Military cachets, transit and arrival markings on the reverse; fine	€100-200
x1819 ☒	Tuyen-Quang: 1893 (29 Jan.) envelope to Tarn endorsed <i>Troupes de l'Indo Chine</i> with Tuyen Quang/Tonkin datestamp, Military cachets with intaglio blue Vin Tuy, transit and arrival markings on reverse; fine	€100-200


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Tonkin, Military - Stampless Mail - contd.

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| x1820 ☒ | 1893-1904, collection of forty-three covers, including Bac-Kan s/Song Cau, Bac-Ninh, Ba-Hoa, Caobang, Dong-Dang, Dong-Khe, Dong-Trieu, Ha-Giang, Hon-Gay, Lam, Langson, Luc-an-Chau, Laokay, Moncay, Nan-Dinh, Nha-Nam, Nacham, Nguyen-Binh, Pho-lu, Phu-Lien, Phu-Yen-Binh, Phu-Land-Thoung, Pointe Pagode, Quang-Yen, Sept Pagodes, That-Khé. Tien-Yen, Tuyen-Quang, Viettri, Yen-Bai, etc., a wide range of Military cachets and destinations, chiefly fine. A valuable and highly interesting collection | €1,500-3,000 |
| Military Mail | | |
| x1821 ☒ | 1895 (21 June) envelope to Alsace Lorraine endorsed <i>Corps Expeditionnaire du Tonkin</i> , franked 15c. with Yen Bai/Tonkin cancellation, also 1896 (Dec.) envelope to Nevers endorsed <i>Corps d'Occupation du Tonkin</i> , franked 15c. with Tuyen Quang cancellation with Military cachet below; fine. Photo on our website | €120-240 |
| x1822 ☒ | 1896 (March) envelope to Paris endorsed <i>Corps expeditionnaire du Tonkin</i> with undated double ring Corps Exped/Tonkin cancellation, Military cachet and red Modane a Paris arrival datestamp on the front, transit and arrival datestamps on reverse; a trifle soiled. Fine | €150-300 |
| x1823 ☒ | 1897 (4 Feb.) envelope to Solesmes, endorsed <i>Corps d'Occupation du Tonkin</i> , franked 5c. and 10c. with Moncay/Tonkin cancellation, violet Military cachet and part of red Modane a Paris arrival on the front, transit and arrival markings on the reverse; a trifle soiled, fine | €200-400 |
| x1824 ☒ | 1897 (11 Dec.) envelope to Rouen franked 15c. with Hanoi/Tonkin cancellation with Tonkin/Corps Exped of the same date below, blue Military cachet, transit and arrival markings on the reverse; a few minor imperfections on the reverse | €120-240 |
| x1825 ☒ | 1898 (26 March) envelope to Tarn, endorsed <i>Corps Expeditionnaire du Tonkin</i> franked 15c. with Sept Pagodes cancellation and with Military cachet below, transit and arrival datestamps on reverse; a fine letter sent at the 15c. concession rate | €100-200 |
| x1826 ☒ | 1898 (28 July) envelope to Paris endorsed <i>Troupes de L'Indo Chine</i> , franked 15c. with Dong Dan/Tonkin cancellation, transit and arrival markings on reverse; fine | €150-300 |
| x1827 ☒ | 1903 (1 March) stampless envelope to Boulogne with octagonal Corr d. Armees/Hai-Phong datestamp, 1904 (30 Sept.) printed "CORPS D'OCCUPATION DU TONKIN" envelope to Paris with Haiphong/Tonkin datestamp and undated Corps expeditionnaire alongside; fine. Photo on our website | €150-300 |
| x1828 ☒ | Bhi-Nhi: 1913 (19 July) envelope to Hanoi franked France 1907 F.M. 10c., Bi-Nhi/Tonkin cancellation, Thatkhe/Tonkin dotted circle transit and Hanoi arrival on the reverse; slight stains, scarce | €100-200 |
| x1829 ☒ | Cao-Bang: 1905 double weight envelope to Beauvais franked 10c., Grasset 5c. and France 1904 F.M. 15c., Cao-Bang/Tonkin cancellations, transit and arrival markings on reverse; fine. A rare letter with the second level postage paid correctly by normal postage stamps | €200-400 |
| x1830 ☒ | Ha-Giang: 1904 (22 Dec.) envelope to Algeria franked France 1903 F.M. 15c., Hon-Gay 1906 (20 Feb.) envelope to Finistere franked France 1901 F.M. 15c., Vietri 1906 (29 Nov.) envelope to Hanoi franked France 1904 F.M. 15c., good to fine. Photo on our website | €100-200 |
| x1831 ☒ | Thainguyen: 1907 (11 Jan.) envelope to Paris franked France 1904 F.M. 15c. with Thainguyen/Tonkin dotted circle cancellation, transit datestamp on reverse; fine | €100-200 |

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Government Franchise

x1832 ☒ 1902, two wrappers and an envelope with different Government cachets from Hanoi and Haiphong; fine. Photo on our website €150-300

Parcel Post

x1833 △ 1901-03 four pieces of Parcel Post forms franked 1899-1902 10c. black (3) or 10c. red, cancellations of Cobang, Port Wallut, Quinhone or Thanh-Hoa; the first a little stained. Photo on our website €200-400

Railroad Postings

x1834 ☒ 1896 (25 May) envelope to Drome franked 25c. with Hanoi a Haiphong cancellation with Ligne N/Paq. Fr. No. 10 datestamp alongside; arrival on reverse; a few very slight stains, fine. Signed Roumet €150-300

x1835 ☒ 1899 (22 March) small envelope to Lille franked 5c. with Hanoi a Hiphong cancellation with Ligne N/Paq. Fr. No. 8 alongside; fine €100-200

x1836 ☒ 1901 (22 March) envelope to Neuilly franked 25c. with red Hanoi a Haiphong/Tonkin cancellation with another strike repeated alongside, arrival datestamp on reverse; fine and rare €100-200

x1837 ☒ 1903 (21 Jan.) red band envelope to Siene franked 15c. with scalloped Langson a Hanoi cancellation, transit and arrival markings on reverse; attractive and rare €100-200

x1838 ☒ 1903 (21 Oct.) p.p.c. (Sontay - Pagode des Mandarins) to Finistere franked 5c. (2) with Hanoi a Vinh cancellations, 1904 (24 March) envelope to Nimes franked 1903 "5" on 15c. (3) with Hanoi a Haiphong/B cancellations, 1904 (5 June) p.p.c. (Dong-Dang-Casernes et Village) to Orne franked 10c. with Langson a Hanoi scalloped cancellation; fine. Photo on our website €140-280

x1839 ☒ 1906 (2 May) p.p.c. (Laotien) to Tonkin, posted unpaid with Hanoi a Haiphong datestamp, taxed by Postage Due 5c. (pair) Quang-Yen/Tonkin cancellation; a little soiled but very scarce €150-300

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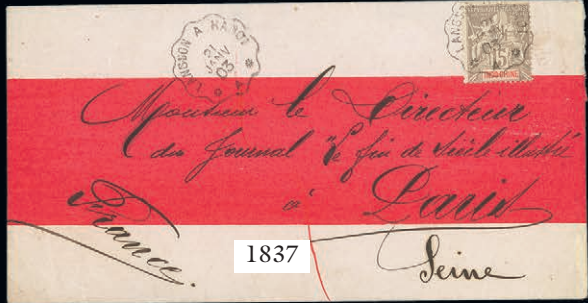
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- x1840 ☒ 1901 (4 July) envelope registered to Hong Kong franked 5c. (2) and 25c. with bilingual Canton cancellations, arrival datestamp on reverse; fine €100-200

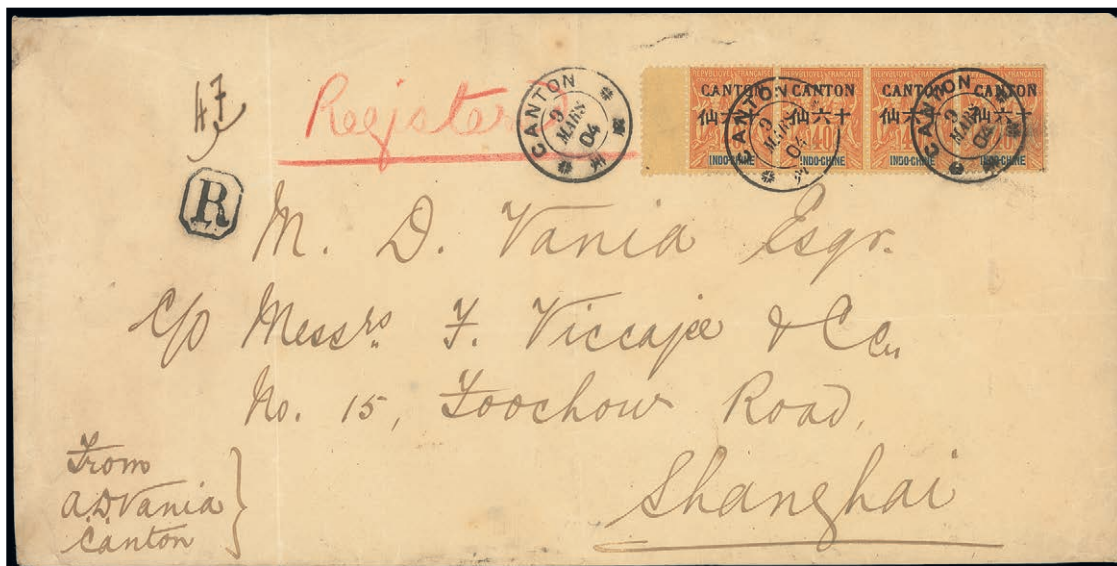


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- x1841 ☒ 1901 (25 Oct.) envelope to Switzerland franked 5c., 10c. (2) with bilingual Canton cancellations and German Post Offices Kiautschou 10c. with Tsingtau/Kiautschou cancellation, transit and arrival datestamps on the reverse; fine and scarce €600-1,200
- x1842 ☒ 1901-10 selection of nine items, including 1902 to Hanoi franked General Issue 10c. and 20c., 1906 registered to Berlin franked 5c. block of ten, 1904 registered to Bombay franked 20c. (2) and 30c. (2), 1904 registered to Macao franked 25c. and 30c., 1910 Registered to Bombay franked 75c., Postal stationery with 1901 10c. card to Dresden, 1907 25c. envelope additionally franked 5c. to Hong Kong, etc., some stains but chiefly good to fine. Photo on our website €300-600
- x1843 ☒ 1902 (17 Jan.) 10c. postal stationery card to Bangkok, bilingual Canton cancellation, Victoria Hong Kong (18.1) transit and Bangkok (27.1) arrival; fine €140-280
- x1844 ☒ 1902 (4 March) wrapper to Nay Lu franked 1c. with bilingual Canton cancellation, endorsed *Retour* (deleted) and *Refusé* "RETOUR/A L'ENVOYEUR" cachet; fine and an exceptionally rare 1c. franking €200-400
- x1845 ☒ 1903 (23 Aug.) envelope to Tonkin franked 15c. with Haiphong/Tonkin cancellation and framed "PAQUEBOT" alongside, fine. A scarce letter posted on a ship from Canton, arriving at Haiphong where it entered the mail to Hanoi €200-400



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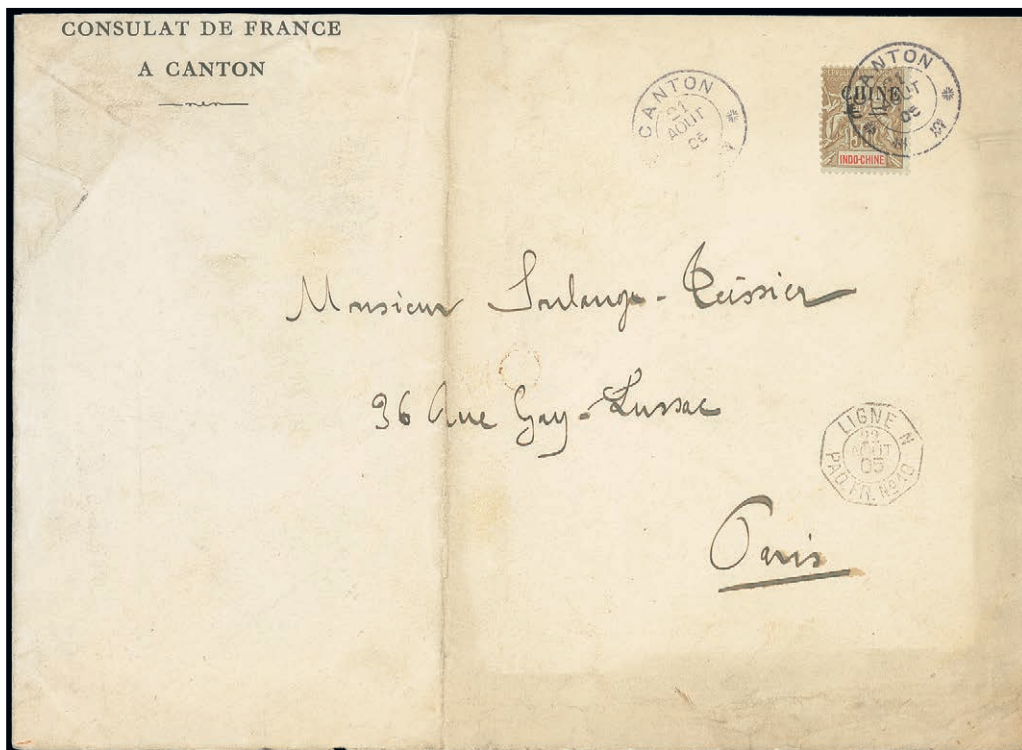


1846

x1846 ☒

1904 (9 March) long envelope registered to Shanghai franked 40c. strip of four with bilingual Canton cancellations, arrival datestamp on reverse; a trifle soiled but a very rare ninth weight level letter charged 1f. 35 postage and 25c. for registration

€140-280



1847

x1847 ☒

1905 (21 Aug.) large "CONSULAT DE FRANCE/A CANTON" envelope registered to Paris, franked 50c. brown with bilingual Canton cancellation, octagonal Ligne N/Paq. Fr. No. 10, arrival datestamp on reverse; vertical filing fold and a little soiled. Fine

€100-200



1848

x1848 ☒

1906 (13 Aug.) large registered SOCIETA COLONIALE ITALIANA, CANTON envelope to Shanghai franked General issues 1f. (2), Grasset 5c., 25c. (2) and 40c., bilingual Canton Chine cancellations, arrival datestamp on reverse; the envelope folded slightly out of shape and a little creased. An eighteenth weight level letter charged 2f. 70 postage and 25c. for registration. Rare

€300-600



1849

x1849 ☒

1908 (27 April) large linen lined BANQUE DE L'INDO-CHINE envelope to Hong Kong franked 30c. with bilingual Canton-Chine cancellation, arrival datestamp on reverse; fine. A rare triple rate franking paid by a single stamp

€200-400

Indo-Chinese Post Offices in China, Canton - *contd.*



1850

- x1850 ☒ 1910 (13 July) envelope registered to Indore franked General issue 50c. brown and Canton Indian Woman 15c. sharing a single bilingual Canton Chine C cancellation from a subsidiary office, transit and arrival markings; a trifle soiled and slight faults on the reverse but the only recorded example of this cancellation on the Group type issue €700-1,400

HAN-KEOU

- x1851 ☒ 1903 (1 July) envelope to Nimes franked General Issues 25c. with Han-Keou-Chine/Poste Francaise dotted circle cancellation, arrival datestamp on reverse; a few minor perimeter faults, fine €120-240
- x1852 ☒ 1905 (3 March) envelope to Gard franked Tchongking 15c. with Han-Keou-Chine/Poste Francaise dotted circle cancellation and with Military cachet below, arrival datestamp on reverse; fine €200-400

HOI-HAO

- x1853 ☒ 1902 (17 July) p.p.c. (Chinese Junk) to Seoul franked 10c. with Hoihao/Ile de Hainam cancellation, transit and arrival markings; fine €100-200
- x1854 ☒ 1902 (28 Nov.) envelope registered to Tokyo franked 10c., 15c. and 25c. with Hoi Hao/Ile de Hainam cancellations, transit and arrival markings on reverse; fine €100-200
- x1855 ☒ 1904 (26 Oct.) envelope registered to Sanfrancisco franked 25c. (2), 1904 (23 Dec.) envelope to Hanoi franked 15c., Hoi Hao/Ile De Hainam cancellations, also 1906 (30 June) envelope registered to Berlin franked 50c. with bilingual Hoi-Hao Chine cancellation; fine. Photo on our website €150-300

Photo for lot 1851 appears on page 91



Indo-Chinese Post Offices in China, Hoi-Hao - *contd.*



1856

- x1856 ☒ 1904 (10 Nov.) large insured (1,000Fr.) letter to Tonkin franked 10c., 25c. (single, pair, strip of three and block of eight) with Hoi Hao cancellations; small faults on the reverse; fine
€120-240
- x1857 ☒ 1905 (3 Feb.) envelope registered to Paris franked 15c. Millisime pair, 20c., Hoi Hao/Ile de Hainam cancellation, transit and arrival marking on reverse; very fine and scarce
€300-600

KOUANG-TCHÉOU-WAN

- x1858 ☒ 1906 (26 Aug.) envelope to Belfort, redirected to Paris franked 25c. and Grasset 10c. with bilingual Kouang-Tcheou-Wan/Chine cancellations, transit and arrival markings on reverse; fine
€100-200
- x1859 ☒ 1909 (12 May) envelope registered to Tien Tsin franked 75c. with bilingual Kouang-Tcheou-Wan-Chine cancellation, transit and arrival markings on reverse; fine
€140-280

Small Village Use

- x1860 ☒ Fort Bayard: 1902 (15 April) p.p.c. (Mirador de l'ancienne citadelle) registered to Siene, franked 15c. and 20c., Fort Bayard/Indo-Chine Francaise cancellations, blue Tonquin-Hai Phong and red Modane a Paris transit datestamps; a trifle stained at places; fine
€200-400
- x1861 ☒ Fort Bayard: 1903 (23 July) stampless envelope to Paris endorsed *Troupes du Indo Chine*, Fort Bayard/Indo-Chine-Francaise datestamp and undated Corps Exped/Tonkin alongside, Haiphong transit on the reverse; fine
€120-240
- x1862 ☒ Fort Bayard: 1904 (4 March) envelope registered to Hanoi franked unoverprinted 40c. (creased on application) tied by Fort Bayard/Indo-Chine-Francaise cancellation with another strike alongside, Haiphong arrival on reverse; fine
€250-500

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Indo-Chinese Post Offices in China, Kouang-Tchéou-Wan, Small Village Use - *contd.*



1863

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| x1863 ☒ | Fort Bayard: 1907 (27 Sept.) envelope to Hai Phong franked France 1904-06 F.M. 15c. green, Fort-Bayard/Chine cancellation, arrival datestamp on reverse; some slight stains but fine and rare | €400-800 |
| x1864 ☒ | Fort Bayard: 1910 (8 June) envelope to Paris franked France 1904-06 F.M. 15c. green with Fort Bayard-Indochine cancellations, partial arrival datestamp on the front; fine and very rare | €600-1,200 |
| x1865 ☒ | Potsi: 1903 (28 March) 5c. postal stationery envelope to Fort Bayard additionally franked 5c. (2) with Potsi/Indo-Chine-Francaise cancellations, arrival datestamp on the reverse, a little roughly opened and small part of flap missing; fine and very rare | €1,000-2,000 |
| x1866 ☒ | Quang Tcheou: 1900 (20 March) stampless envelope to Grasse endorsed <i>Troupes de Quang Tcheou Van</i> with Quang Tcheou/Indo-Chine Francaise datestamp with undated Corps Exped/Tonkin and blue Military cachet on the front, arrival datestamp on the reverse; vertical fold and a little soiled, fine | €100-200 |
| x1867 ☒ | Quang-Tcheou: 1902 (27 Nov.) envelope registered to Japan franked unoverprinted 50c. tied by Quang Tcheou/Indo-Chine Francaise (a little unclear but with a better strike below), transit and arrival markings on reverse; fine | €120-240 |
| x1868 ☒ | Tche-Kang: 1900 (4 May) stampless envelope to France endorsed <i>Corps d'expeditionnaire de Quang-Tchou-Wan</i> with Tché Kang/Indochine Francaise dotted circle datestamp, blue Tche-Kam Military cachet, transit and arrival markings on reverse; fine and very rare. One of only two recorded | €1,000-2,000 |

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COMBINATION LETTERS

Dali



1869

- x1869 ☒ 1903 (29 April) envelope to Alais franked China Coiled Dragon ½c. (2), 1c. for local Postage and Group type 25c. for International Postage, Mongtze/Chine cancellation, a variety of transit and arrival markings on the reverse; fine and rare. Signed Holcombe

€800-1,600
- Longtcheou**
- x1870 ☒ 1899 (1 June) envelope to Haiphong franked China coiled Dragon 2c. with bilingual Lungchow “Dollar” Chop cancellation and unoverprinted 5c. with **blue** Lang-Son/Tonkin cancellation; fine

€200-400
- x1871 ☒ 1899 (24 Dec.) opened out envelope registered to Marseilles and redirected to Paris, franked on the front with China Coiled Dragon 10c. pair with small bilingual Lungchow cancellation, on reverse unoverprinted 10c. block of four with Lang-Son/Tonkin cancellations, a variety of transit and arrival datestamps; fine and a rare cover, full of character

€1,000-2,000
- x1872 ☒ 1900 (4 May) envelope to Munich franked China Coiled Dragon 5c. pair with small bilingual Lungchow cancellation and unoverprinted 25c. with Lang-Son/Tonkin dotted circle cancellation, transit and arrival datestamps on reverse; fine and rare

€700-1,400
- x1873 ☒ 1901 (23 Oct.) red band envelope registered from Longtcheou to Hai-Phong franked China Coiled Dragon 2c. (9 on front and four on reverse) with small bilingual Lungchow cancellations, unoverprinted 40c. with Lang-Son cancellation; fine. A rare envelope with a request for a return receipt indicated by French framed “A.R.” and Chinese “RR”

€700-1,400
- x1874 ☒ 1901 (25 Aug.) envelope to Hanoi franked China Coiled Dragon 1c. (2) and 4c. with small bilingual Lungchow cancellations, unoverprinted 15c. with dotted circle Lang-Son cancellation, arrival datestamp on reverse; fine

€150-300

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1871



1872



1873

Combination Letters, Longcheou - *contd.*



1875

- x1875 ☒

1901 (6 Nov.) p.p.c. (Pagodon du Petit Lac.) franked China coiled Dragon 4c. with small bilingual Lungchow cancellation and unoverprinted 5c. pair with Lang-Son/Tonking dotted circle cancellation, red Hanoi a Haiphong/Tonkin datestamp below; fine and rare

€500-1,000
- x1876 ☒

1902 (9 Aug.) envelope to Murat franked China Coiled Dragon 10c. with small bilingual Longchow cancellation, unoverprinted 5c. and 10c. with Lang-Son/Tonkin dotted circle cancellations, Consulate handstamp and transit and arrival datestamps on the reverse; fine

€250-500



1877

- x1877 ☒

1902 (6 Sept.) envelope registered to Tonkin franked China Coiled Dragon 10c. with small bilingual Lungchow cancellations and unoverprinted 40c. with Langchow/Tonkin cancellation, handstruck "R/Lungchow - (China)/No." registration etiquette on the front, on reverse China 1c. (4) and 2c. with Lungchow cancellations; fine and rare

€500-1,000

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Nan-Ling

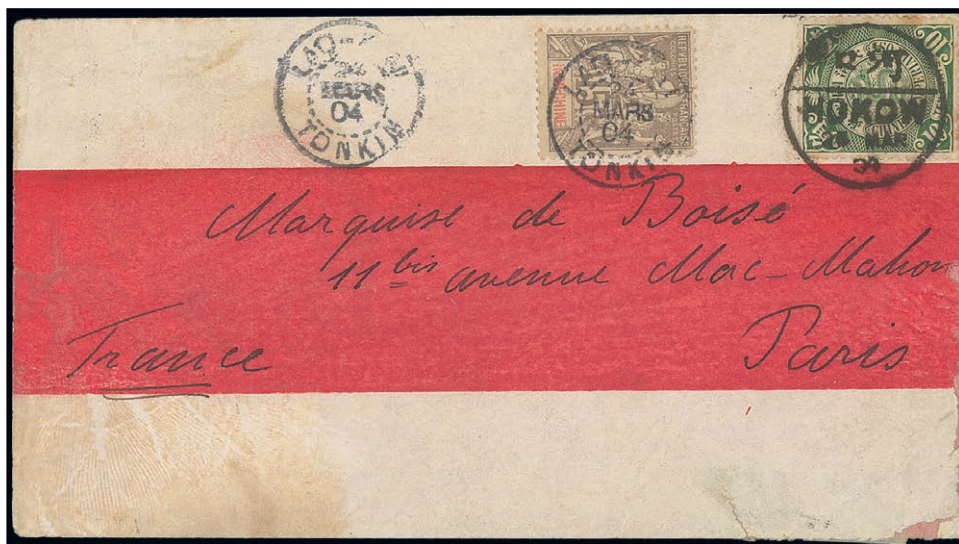


1878

x1878 ☒

1901 (28 June) envelope to France franked China Coiled Dragon 10c. with Nan-Ling Tombstone cancellation and bilingual Lungchow datestamp alongside, unoverprinted 25c. with Lang-Son/Tonkin dotted circle cancellation, transit and arrival markings on reverse; the 10c. with a few slightly stained perfs., fine and rare

€800-1,000



1879

x1879 ☒

1904 (23 March) red band envelope to Paris franked China Small Dragon 10c. with Hankon bilingual cancellation, unoverprinted 15c. with Lang-Son/Tonkin dotted circles cancellation, Haiphong transit on reverse; fine and scarce

€500-1,000

Combination Letters - contd.

Pakhoi

- x1880 ☒ 1902 (18 Feb.) envelope to Germany franked Coiled Dragon 2c. (2) with bilingual Pakhoi cancellation for local Postage, Group type 5c. with Haiphong/Tonkin cancellation for the International printed matter postage, transit and arrival markings, Insuffisance d'address label and endorsed *retour*; fine €100-200

MONGTZE



1881

- x1881 ☒ 1900 (20 Feb.) envelope to Gers franked "INDO-CHINE" 15c. with Laokay A/Tonkin cancellation, transit and arrival markings on reverse; fine. An exceptionally rare cancellation with only a handful recorded €800-1,600
- x1882 ☒ 1902 (10 Dec.) 5c. postal stationery envelope to Hungary, Mongtze/Chine cancellation, transit and arrival markings on the reverse; fine and a most unusual destination €140-280
- x1883 ☒ 1902 (24 Dec.) 5c. postal stationery envelope to Constantinople, Mongtze/Chine cancellation, transit datestamp on reverse; fine €110-220
- x1884 ☒ 1903 (7 Feb.) envelope to Hanoi franked General issues 5c. (2), 10c. (2), 1903 (6 Feb.) 15c. postal stationery envelope, to Hanoi, 1904 (24 March) envelope to Paris franked 1c., 4c., 1904 (19 May) envelope to Hue franked 30c.; good to fine. Photo on our website €150-300
- x1885 ☒ 1905 (4 April) envelope registered to Hanoi franked 20c. and 30c. with Mongtze/Chine cancellation, arrival datestamp on reverse; fine €120-240
- x1886 ☒ 1905 (11 April) small envelope registered to Hanoi franked General Issues 50c. with Mongtze/Chine cancellation, arrival datestamp on reverse; fine €200-400
- x1887 ☒ 1907 (10 Jan.) 5c. postal stationery envelope to Paris with bilingual Mong-Tseo-Chine cancellation, transit and arrival datestamps on reverse; fine. Sent at the printed matter rate €100-200
- x1888 ☒ 1908 (29 Jan.) envelope to Paris franked General issues 20c. and unoverprinted Grasset 5c., bilingual Mong-Tseu-Chine cancellation, transit and arrival markings on the reverse; fine €150-300



Mongtze - contd.

- x1889 ☒ 1910 (28 Nov.) p.p.c. (Dong-Dang. - La Porte de Chine) registered to Germany, franked General issues 30c. on the address side and Indian Woman 5c. on the picture side, bilingual Mong-Tseu-Chine cancellations, transit and arrival datestamps, fine €120-240

PAKHOI

- x1890 ☒ 1903 (10 Oct.) 10c. unoverprinted postal stationery card to Paris, 1904 (24 Feb.) p.p.c. (Song/Tom-Bac (côte quartier chinois)) to Reims, both with Packhoi/Chine cancellations, 1906 (20 Jan.) envelope registered to Algria franked 20c. and 30c., 1906 (30 April) envelope registered to Paris franked 25c., 75c. both with bilingual Pak-Hoi-Chine cancellations; fine. Photo on our website €150-300



1891

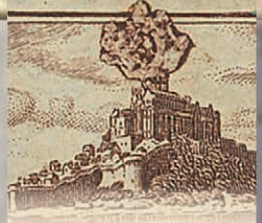
- x1891 ☒ 1906 (24 Aug.) declared value (900Fr.) letter to France franked 10c., General Issue 50c. and 1f., bilingual Pak-Hoi-Chine cancellations, octagonal Yokohama a Marseille/L.N. No. 6 datestamp alongside, insured cachet and transit datestamp on reverse; some minor perimeter faults; scarce €400-800
- x1892 ☒ 1906 (29 Oct.) insured (300Fr.) linen envelope to Paris, insured cachet, transit and arrival markings on reverse; franked 5f. (2) with bilingual Pak-Hoi-Chine cancellations, fine. A rare 37th. weight level item, correctly franked at 9f. 25 postage 25c. registration and 50c. insurance. This is the only recorded Group type letter from and of the Colonies or Post Offices showing proper use of the 5f. stamps alone €1,500-3,000
- x1893 ☒ 1907 (6 Aug.) envelope to Hong Kong franked 5c. (strip of five) with bilingual Pak-Hoi-Chine cancellations, arrival datestamp on reverse; fine. Photo on our website €200-400



1892

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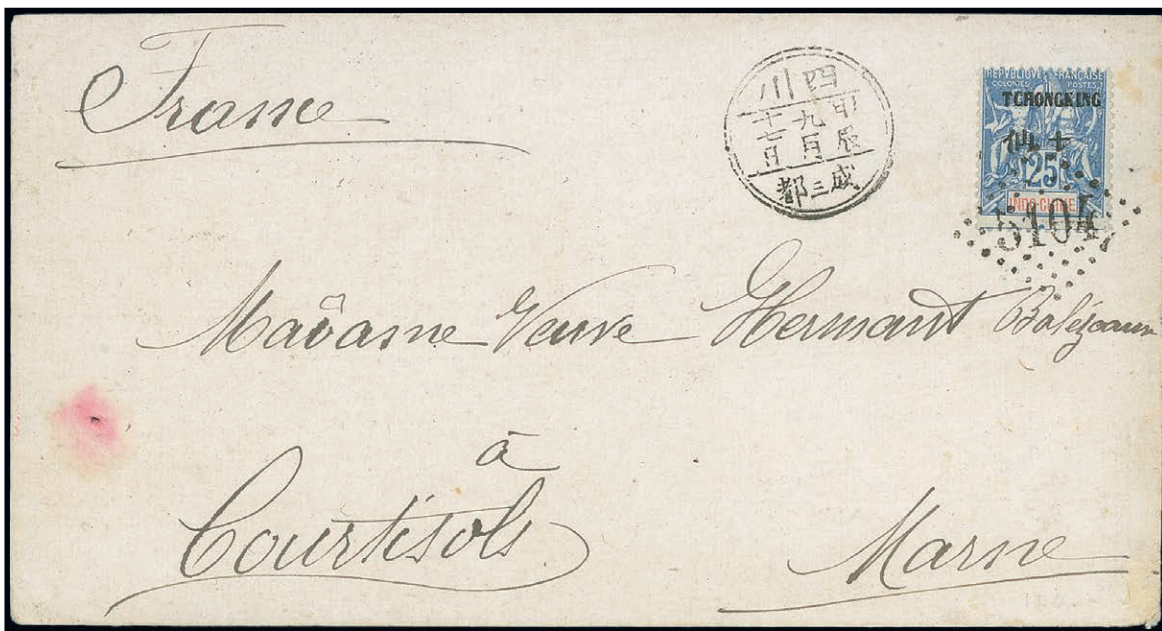


1894

x1894 ☒

1900 (24 May) envelope to Gers, posted from the Chinese Village of Szemao and with appropriate bilingual datestamp, franked unoverprinted 25c. with Laokay dotted circle cancellation, a variety of transit and arrival markings on the reverse; the envelope very slightly truncated at right; fine and extremely rare

€800-1,600



1895

x1895 ☒

1904 (14 Sept.) envelope to Marne, posted from the Village of Chengdu in Sichun province, franked Tchongking 25c. with "5104" large figures lozenge cancellation of Shanghai; transit and arrival markings on reverse; fine. This is an axceptional posting and possibly the last recorded use of the old "5104" obliterator

€750-1,500

TCHONGKING

- x1896 ☒ 1903 (2 July) envelope to Rennes franked General Issues 25c. with bilingual Tchong King cancellation, transit and arrival markings on reverse; a trifle soiled, fine €200-400
- x1897 ☒ 1904 (30 Jan.) envelope registered to Tsingtao franked 25c. vertical pair with bilingual Tchongking cancellation, transit and arrival datestamps on reverse; fine €150-300
- x1898 ☒ 1904 (29 March) envelope to France franked 15c., 1904 (22 Aug.) envelope registered to Paris franked 75c., both with bilingual Tchongking cancellations, 1907 (4 April) p.p.c. (A glimpse through the Mi-Tsang-Hsia.) to Tarn franked 10c., 1907 (22 Sept.) envelope to Rouen franked 10c. both with bilingual Tchong-King-Chine cancellations; fine. Photo on our website €150-300
- x1899 ☒ 1904 (17 April) envelope to Tsing Tau franked 20c., 30c., 50c. and 1f. with bilingual Tchong King cancellations, transit and arrival markings on reverse, fine. A scarce double weight registered franking €150-300
- x1900 ☒ 1904 (7 Aug.) p.p.c. (Yen yü tui.) registered to Germany franked 15c., 20c. with bilingual Tchong King cancellation, transit and arrival markings; fine and attractive €200-400

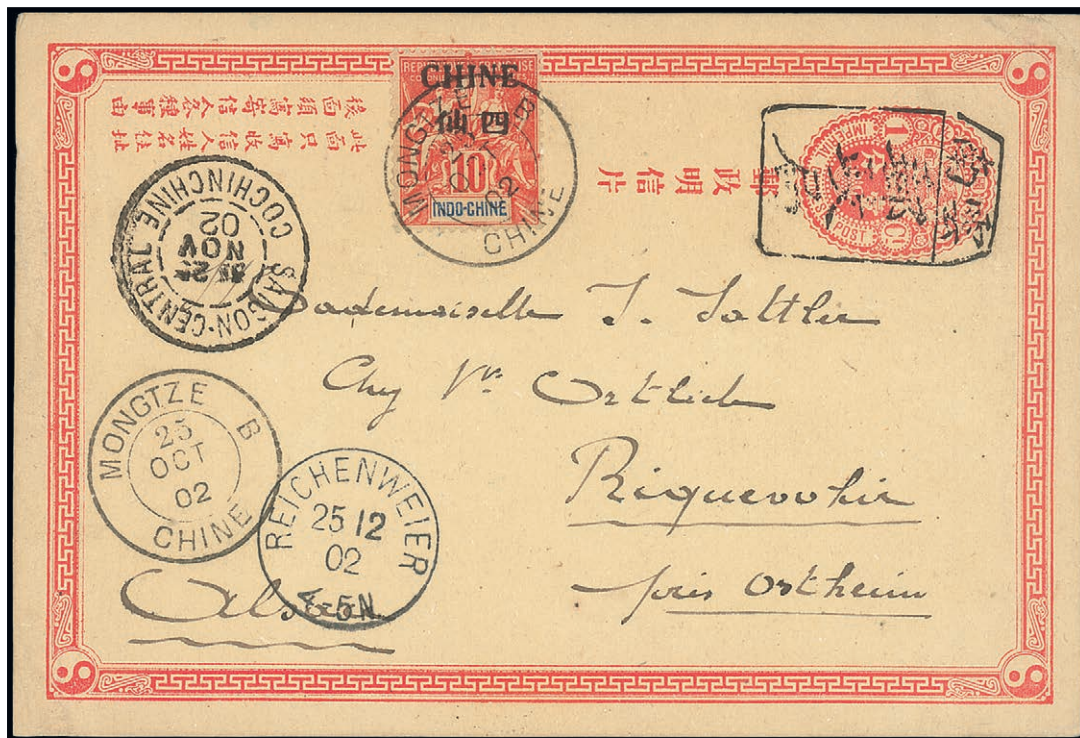


1901

- x1901 ☒ 1914 (20 Feb.) envelope to Paris franked France 1907 F.M. 10c. with bilingual Tchong-King-Chine cancellation and violet Service de la Mer Military cachet, transit datestamp on reverse; the envelope with a strengthened cut at left away from the adhesive; fine and very scarce Military mail €400-800

Photos also appear on pages 105 and 111

YUNNANFOU



1902

- x1902 ☒ 1902 (25 Oct.) Chinese Imperial 1c. postal stationery envelope with Tombstone cancellation, additionally franked General Issues 10c. with Mongtze B/Chine cancellation, transit and arrival markings on front and reverse; fine and rare

€1,000-2,000
- x1903 ☒ 1902 (28 Oct.) red band envelope to Gironde franked General Issue 10c. and 15c. with Mongtze B/Chine cancellations; minor faults on the reverse, fine

€100-200
- x1904 ☒ 1903 (27 May) Chinese 1c. postal stationery card (uncancelled) franked General issues 5c. pair to Paris, Mongtze B/Chine cancellation, 1904 (12 Dec.) envelope registered to Berlin franked 10c., 15c. and 25c. with Yunnan-Sen/Chine cancellations, 1910 (22 Feb.) 5c. postal stationery envelope to Hanoi with bilingual Yunnanfou-Chine cancellation; fine. Photo on our website

€200-400
- x1905 ☒ 1904 (26 Nov.) envelope registered to Cerchio franked 5c. (pair), 20c. (pair), Yunnan-Sen/Chine cancellations, arrival datestamp on reverse; fine

€150-300

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1889



1897



1893



1900



1899



1905



1907



1903

Yunnanfou - contd.



1906

x1906 ☒

1904 (20 Feb.) envelope registered to Paris, endorsed *Via Rangoon*, franked 75c. and unoverprinted 1f. pair, Mongtze B/Chine cancellations, transit and arrival markings on reverse, fine and a scarce tenth weight registered cover; small faults on the reverse

€600-1,200

x1907 ☒

1905 (31 Aug.) envelope to Iser, endorsed *Via Birmanie* bearing 25c. (2) with bilingual Yunnan-Fou-Chine cancellation, transit and arrival markings on the reverse; despite the endorsement this was not carried on the route via Burma

€100-200



1908

x1908 ☒

1906 (26 Jan.), 10c. postal stationery card to Constantinople, endorsed *Via Birmanie* additionally franked General Issues Grasse 5c. (2), 15c. with bilingual Yunn cancellations, R/Bhano handstamp, a variety of transit and arrival markings, a little stained but a rare cover carried on the route via Burma

€500-1,000

Photo for lot 1907 appears on page 111

ST. PIERRE ET MIQUELON



1909

- x1909 ☒ 1893 (13 May) long envelope registered to Yarmouth, Nova Scotia, franked 25c., 75c. and 1f. (2), St. Pierre Miquelon dotted circle cancellations, transit and arrival markings on reverse; vertical filing fold well clear of the adhesives; fine and a rare eleventh weight registered letter to an unusual destination €400-800

PROVENANCE:
Ex Stone
- x1910 ☒ 1893 (6 July) envelope registered to Lille franked 1892 diagonal "T/ST. PIERRE M-ON/P" on imperf. Postage Due 20c. and 30c., dotted circle St. Pierre - Miquelon cancellations, transit and arrival markings on reverse; fine €250-500
- x1911 ☒ 1893-1912 selection of twenty covers, including printed matter rates, overseas rates with 1897 long envelope to New York franked 75c., 1f., another from the same correspondence franked 5c., 30c. and 40c., 1904 stampless Official cover to Paris, etc., chiefly good to fine. Photo on our website €500-1,000
- x1912 ☒ 1893-1916 selection of eleven registered envelopes, including 1893 to Marseille franked 10c. (2), 15c. (2), 1894 to Amonay franked 1c. (5), 4c. (5) and 5c. (5), 1903 to the United States franked 10c. (5), 1895 to England franked 25c. (2) and 50c., 1906 to France franked 1c., 4c., 20c. 30c. (3), 1916 to the United States franked 40c. (2) and with registration etiquette, etc., good to fine. Photo on our website €800-1,600
- x1913 ☒ 1894 (7 Feb.) small envelope to Lyon franked 15c., 1891 diagonal red overprint on Dubois 10c., dotted circle St. Pierre/St. Pierre et Miquelon cancellations, blue Paris transit on the front and Lyon arrival on the reverse; fine €150-300
- x1914 ☒ 1894 (31 March) envelope registered to Lyon franked 15c., 25c., 1891-92 surcharge on Dubois "2" on 25c., "4" on 25c. (2) to make the 50c. rate, dotted circle St. Pierre/St. Pierre Miquelon cancellations, arrival datestamp on reverse, fine €250-500
- x1915 ☒ 1894 (17 Sept.) envelope registered to Paris franked 50c. (2) with dotted circle St. Pierre/St. Pierre et Miquelon cancellation, arrival datestamp on reverse; a fine triple weight registered letter €220-440
- x1916 ☒ 1897 (17 April) "A.R." letter registered to Montreal franked 10c. (2) and 40c. with St. Pierre/St. Pierre et Miquelon dotted circle cancellations, transit and arrival markings on reverse; filing fold at foot, fine. The only recorded A.R. letter recorded from St. Pierre to Montreal, charged 25c. postage, 25c. registration and 10c. for the return receipt. Signed Calves €500-1,000

PROVENANCE:
Ex Pratt

Photos also appear on page 115

St. Pierre et Miquelon - contd.

- x1917 ☒ 1897 15c. letter card to Canada (selvedge missing), additionally franked 1c. (2), 4c. (2), 1897 10c. postal stationery card to the United States, 1900 10c. postal stationery card to Saint Omer, 1902 25c. postal stationery envelope to the Danish West Indies; good to fine. Photo on our website €100-200
- x1918 ☒ 1899 (6 Jan.) envelope to Montauban franked 30c., St. Pierre/St. Pierre et Miquelon dotted circle cancellation, arrival on reverse, fine and a scarce double French community rate €100-200



1919

- x1919 ☒ 1900 (7 April) large opened out linen lined envelope registered to Guadeloupe franked 5c., 10c., 15c., 25c. and 30c. with dotted circle St. Pierre/St. Pierre et Miquelon cancellations, New York transit registration etiquette; some staining and minor perimeter faults, fine. A scarce quadruple weight registered franking €300-600
- x1920 ☒ 1901 25c. postal stationery envelope to Bangkok, unclear cancellation, transit datestamps of Boston and Singapore, Bangkok arrival; fine and a rare destination €200-400
- x1921 ☒ 1904 (25 March) p.p.c. (St Pierre - Enlevement du Bourdon de la Cathedrale) to Royan, franked 5c. with Paris Etranger cancellation, sent by M. Sure, helmsman on board the "Troude" (a French navy cruiser) €100-200
- x1922 ☒ 1904 (30 Sept.) p.p.c. (Reykjavik) to Paris, franked on the picture side, 10c. with unclear cancellations, fine. Sent by a Doctor on board the St. Francos D'Assise which visited boats of the French cod fishing fleet around Iceland, the Grand Banks, Newfoundland and Greenland €100-200
- x1923 ☒ 1905-08 a group of eight p.p.c.'s, 5c. or 10c. frankings, chiefly fine. Photo on our website €100-200
- x1924 ☒ 1906 envelope to Annonay franked 20c. with St. Pierre/St. Pierre et Miquelon dotted circle cancellation (date unclear), arrival datestamp on reverse, fine and a scarce double French Community rate franking €100-200

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St. Pierre et Miquelon - *contd.*



1925

- x1925 ☒

1907 (20 March) large envelope registered to Berlin Ontario, franked 15c. grey, single, strip of four and 25c., slightly light dotted circle St. Pierre/St. Pierre et Miquelon cancellations, transit and arrival markings on the reverse; the envelope with fold clear of the adhesives and very slightly truncated at left. Fine and a rare triple weight registered letter. The 15c. grey is one of the most difficult values from Saint Pierre et Miquelon to fine correctly used on cover

€500-1,000
- PROVENANCE:

Tillard
- x1926 ☒

1912 (29 Dec.) local philatelic cover franked by the 11 values of the 1912 surcharge set ("05" on 35c. wide spacing), St. Pierre/St. Pierre et Miquelon dotted circle cancellations, small violet Oscar Frey handstamps; scarce

€100-200



1921 St. Pierre et Miquelon Coastal Scene



1921



1922



1924



1930



1932



1926



1933

St. Pierre et Miquelon - contd.

- x1927 ☒ 1913 (13 Dec.) envelope registered to the Turks Islands, redirected to Detroit, franked 1912 "05" on 20c. pair and "10" on 40c. (strip of four), St. Pierre/St. Pierre et Miquelon cancellations, transit and arrival markings on reverse, fine and rare €250-500
- x1928 ☒ 1913-14 five registered covers, including 1913 to Halifax franked 20c. (2), 1909-17 Fisherman 5c. (2), 1913 to Siene franked 1912 "10" on 40c. (4, one the wide spacing), 1913 to France franked 1912 "05" on 4c. (7, one the wide spacing), etc., good to fine. Photo on our website €200-400
- x1929 ☒ 1920 10c. postal stationery envelope registered to Costa Rica, additionally franked 40c. with St. Pierre/St. Pierre et Miquelon cancellations, transit and arrival markings on reverse; fine and very late usage €150-300
- Small Village Use**
- x1930 ☒ Ile aux Chiens: 1898 (17 July) envelope to France, posted unpaid with dotted circle Ile aux Chiens/St. Pierre et Miquelon datestamps, "T" in triangle handstamp, on arrival taxed by France 50c. Postage Due, arrival datestamps on reverse; fine and rare €200-400
- x1931 ☒ Ile aux Chiens: 1901-11, four covers to France with the 10c. or 15c. rates paid by different combinations of values, good to fine. Photo on our website €400-800
- x1932 ☒ Ile aux Chiens: 1906 (24 Feb.) small envelope to St. Pierre, franked 5c. blue Postage Due (4) to pay postage, Ile aux Chiens/St. Pierre et Miquelon datestamp, St. Pierre/St. Pierre et Miquelon arrival; fine €250-500
- x1933 ☒ Ile aux Chiens: 1910 (26 July) envelope registered to the United States franked 20c. and 30c. with dotted circle Ile aux Chiens/St. Pierre et Miquelon cancellations, registration etiquette, transit and arrival markings on reverse; fine €100-200
- x1934 ☒ Langlade: 1914 (2 Jan.) envelope registered to Detroit franked 1912 "05" on 4c. strip of five and "05" on 25c. strip of five, dotted circle St. Pierre et Miquelon/Langlade cancellations, transit datestamp on reverse; filing fold clear of the adhesives, fine. A scarce franking paying the 50c. overseas registered rate €250-500
PROVENANCE:
Stone
- x1935 ☒ Miquelon: 1904 (22 June) 15c. postal stationery envelope, addressed locally, with dotted circle Miquelon/St. Pierre et Miquelon cancellation; flap missing; fine €100-200
PROVENANCE:
Stone
- x1936 ☒ Miquelon: 1913 (3 March) envelope to Paris franked 1912 "10" on 40c., dotted circle Miquelon/St. Pierre et Miquelon cancellation, transit and arrival markings on the front; fine €150-300
- x1937 ☒ Miquelon: 1913 (11 Dec.) envelope registered to Detroit franked 1912 "05" on 4c., "05" on 20c. (2), "05" on 25c., "05" on 30c. and "10" on 40c., dotted circle Miquelon/St. Pierre et Miquelon cancellations. A Philatelic franking but colourful and scarce €100-200

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St. Pierre et Miquelon - contd.

Military Concession Rate

- x1938 ☒ 1893 (20 Aug.) envelope to France, endorsed *Correspondence des Armees*, franked 15c. with dotted circle St. Pierre et Miquelon cancellation, "MARINE FRANCAISE/SERVICE DE LA MER" cachet, arrival datestamp on reverse; a few slight stains but fine and rare. Military correspondence from St. Pierre et Miquelon is very scarce €350-700
- x1939 ☒ 1896 (10 Oct.) envelope to Paris, endorsed *Correspondence des Armees*, franked 5c. and 10c. with dotted circle St. Pierre/St. Pierre et Miquelon cancellations, "BUREAU/DES/FONDS" cachet on front and reverse; fine €200-400

Military Franchise

- x1940 ☒ 1903 (23 May) envelope registered to Paris franked 25c., France 1901 F.M. 15c. orange, Miquelon/St. Pierre et Miquelon dotted circle cancellations, transit and arrival datestamps; fine. A quite remarkable cover with the Group type 25c. correctly paying the registration fee and being the only recorded example of the combination usage of these stamps from this colony €1,500-3,000

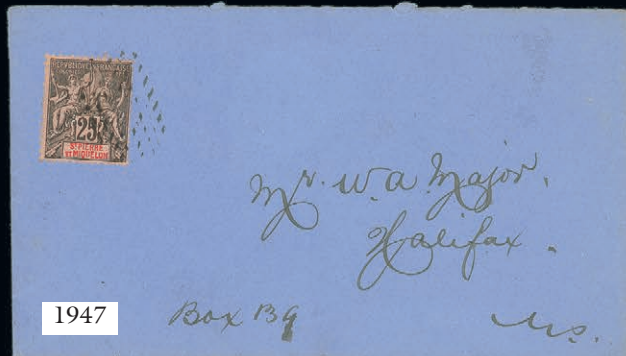
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Halifax

- x1941 ☒ 1899 (15 March) envelope to Paris franked 15c. (2) with Boston duplex cancellation of large violet "PAQUEBOT" alongside, 1904 envelope to Maine franked 10c. and 15c. with circle of eight bars cancellations; some faults. Photo on our website €250-500
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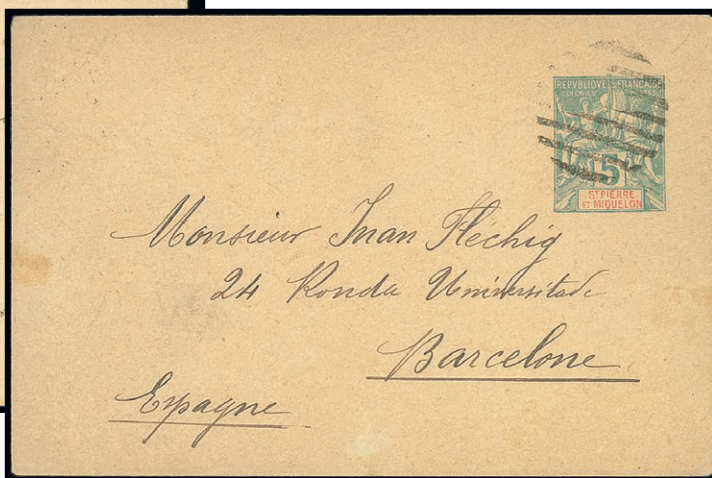
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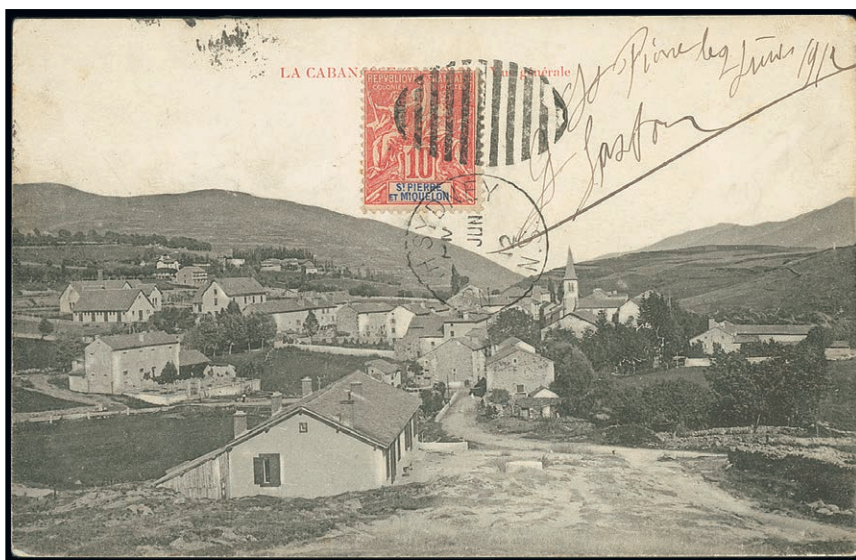


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- x1948 ☒ 1897 printed matter entire letter to Bayonne, franked 5c. with North Sydney cancellation, transit and arrival markings on reverse; folded and a little soiled €100-200
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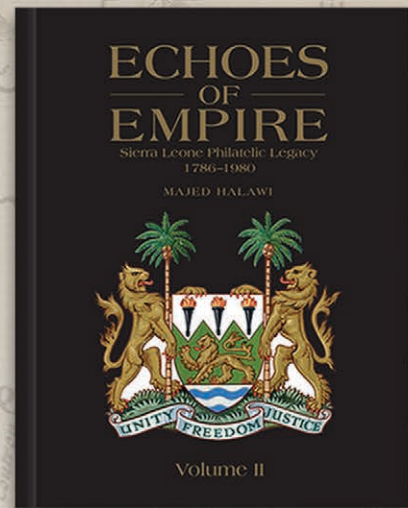
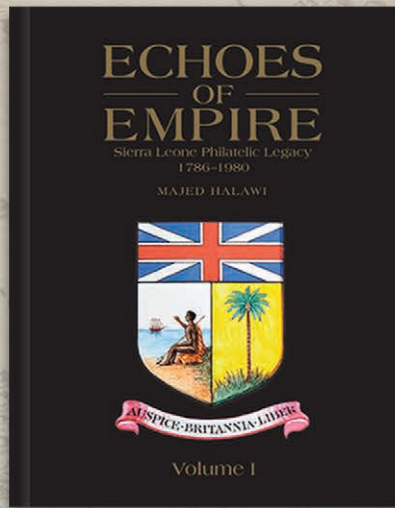
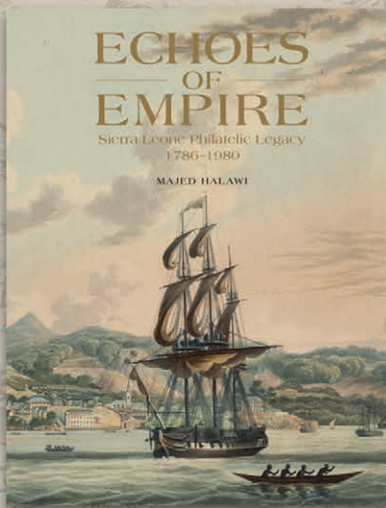
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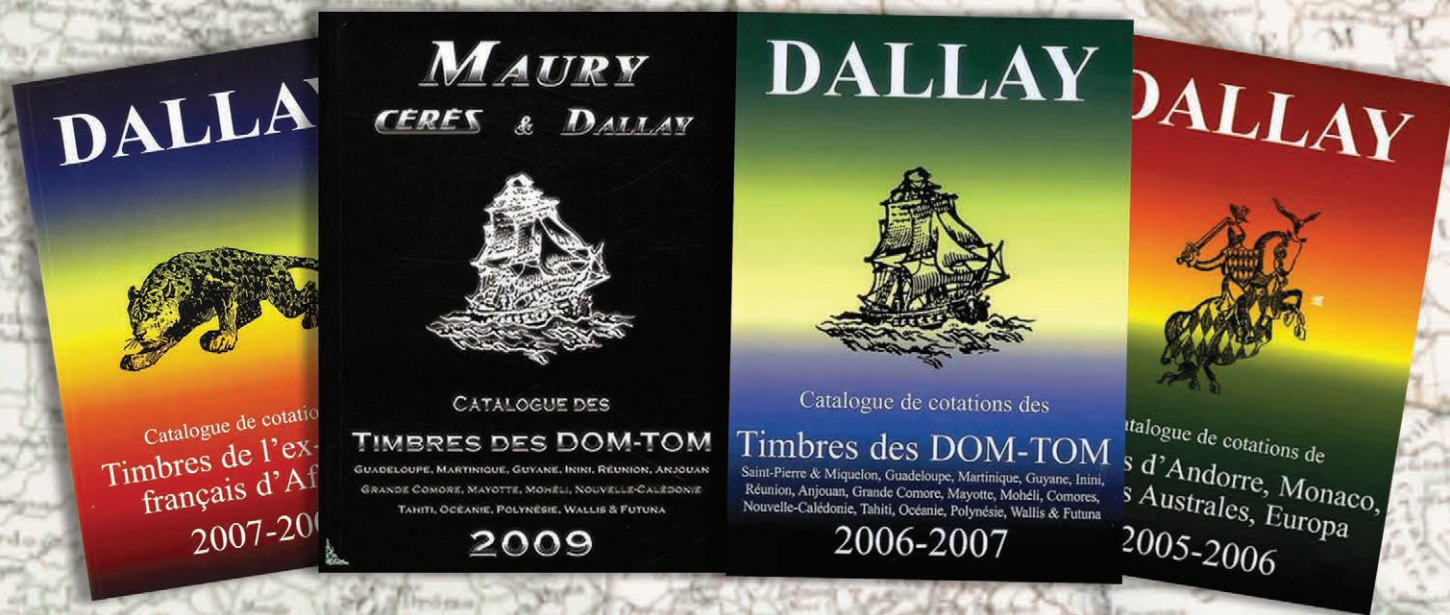
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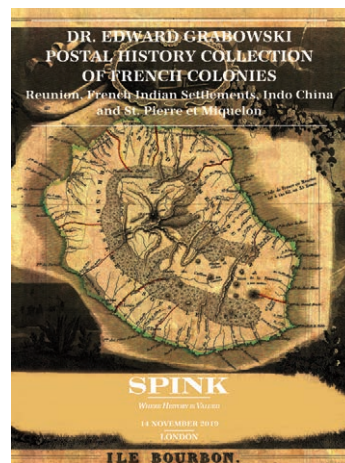
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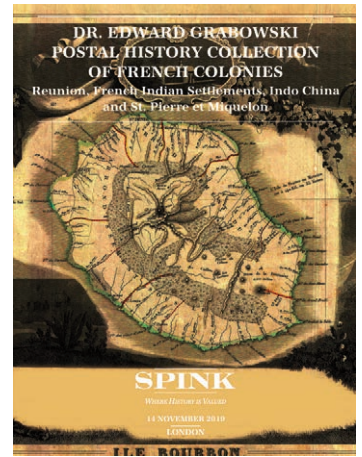
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At some auctions, a currency converter will be operated, based on the one month forward rates of exchange quoted to us by Barclays Bank Plc or any other appropriate rate determined by us, at opening on the date of the auction. Bidding will take place 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:
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| Up to €100 | by €5 |
| €100 to €300 | by €10 |
| €300 to €600 | by €20-€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 €10,000 | by €500 |
| €10,000 to €20,000 | by €1,000 |
| €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.
- 4.10.3 Lots with this symbol (⊕) indicate that a party has provided Spink with an irrevocable bid on the lot that will be executed during the sale at a value that ensures that the lot will sell. The irrevocable bidder, who may bid in excess of the irrevocable bid, will be compensated based on his bid in the event he or she is not the successful bidder or may receive a fixed fee in the event he or she is the successful bidder. If the irrevocable bidder is the successful bidder, the fixed fee for providing the irrevocable bid may be netted against the irrevocable bidder's obligation to pay the full purchase price for the lot. If the irrevocable bid is not secured until after the printing of the auction catalogue, a pre-sale announcement will be made indicating that there is an irrevocable bid on the lot.
- If you are interested in placing an irrevocable bid in an auction, please contact us at chairmanoffice@spink.com. Typically, only some of the lots with an estimate, which must exceed £100,000 or equivalent in other currencies are open to irrevocable bids.
- 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, Legacy Currency Grading).
- 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, postage charge 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.

- (iii) 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 11 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.

Postal Charges

Prices for all items including postage and packaging

Invoice Value	UK	EU	Rest of the World
Up to £1,500	£12	£18	£25
Up to £10,000	£20	£40	£50
Above £10,001	£30	£60	£75

Shipments of more than 2kg or volumetric measurement of more than 2kg have to be sent by courier. Certain countries may incur extra charge when courier services are required by our insurance policy. For lots sent by courier please contact Auctionteam@spink.com for calculation of any further relevant cost in addition to the above charges.

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. Daggedged Lots

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

iv. Imported and Omega Lots

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 2019/2020

STAMPS

11-24 October	The Branston Railway Museum Collection of Railway Stamps and Covers of Great Britain e-Auction	London	19050
22-23 October	The Philatelic Collectors' Series Sale	London	19045
6 November	The Treaty Ports of the Shanghai Postal System - Part III	Hong Kong	19056
6/7 November	The Philatelic Collectors' Series Sale	Hong Kong	CSS43
6-18 November	Stamps and Covers of France and French Colonies e-Auction	London	19046
13 November	The 'Rochambeau' Collection of France	London	19047
13-14 November	Dr. Edward Grabowski Postal History Collection of French Colonies	London	19048
5 December	Important Stamps of India	London	19063
5 December	The Davies Collection of Important Stamps of Great Britain and the World	London	19058
11 January	The Treaty Ports of the Shanghai Postal System - Part IV	Hong Kong	20018
11 January	The Shambhala collection of Tibet	Hong Kong	20019
12 January	Fine Stamps of China and Hong Kong	Hong Kong	CSS46
28 January	The Freshwater Collection	New York	172
29 January	The 'Lionheart' Collection of Great Britain and British Empire - Part XI	London	20011
29 January	The Philatelic Collectors' Series Sale	New York	173
30/31 January	The Philatelic Collectors' Series Sale	London	20010

COINS

4-14 November	Coins and Commemorative Medals e-Auction	New York	353
10-11 December	Coins and Commemorative Medals: Winter Auction	London	19007
4/5 January	Banknotes, Bonds & Shares and Coins of China and Hong Kong	Hong Kong	CSS45
19 January	The Numismatic Collector's Series at NY INC, Grand Hyatt	New York	355
20-30 January	Coins and Medals e-Auction	New York	356

BANKNOTES

22 November - 2 December	World Banknotes e-Auction	London	19064
4/5 January	Banknotes, Bonds & Shares and Coins of China and Hong Kong	Hong Kong	CSS45
17 January	World Banknotes at NY INC, Grand Hyatt	New York	354
19 January	The Numismatic Collector's Series at NY INC, Grand Hyatt	New York	355

MEDALS

27/28 November	Orders, Decorations and Medals	London	19003
4/5 January	Banknotes, Bonds & Shares and Coins of China and Hong Kong	Hong Kong	CSS45
19 January	The Numismatic Collector's Series at NY INC, Grand Hyatt	New York	355

BONDS & SHARES

21 October - 5 November	Bonds and Share Certificates of the World e-Auction	London	19019
13-21 December	Stocks & Bonds e-Auction	New York	350
4/5 January	Banknotes, Bonds & Shares and Coins of China and Hong Kong	Hong Kong	CSS45
19 January	The Numismatic Collector's Series at NY INC, Grand Hyatt	New York	355

HISTORICAL DOCUMENTS

9 July	Historical Documents, Postal History and Autographs	London	19022
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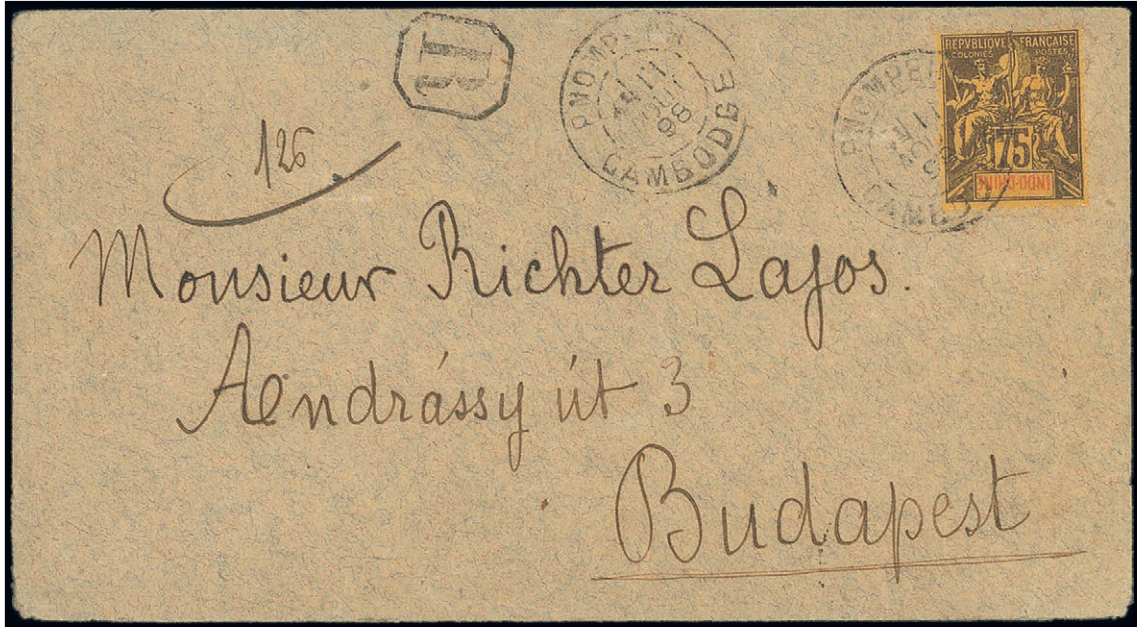
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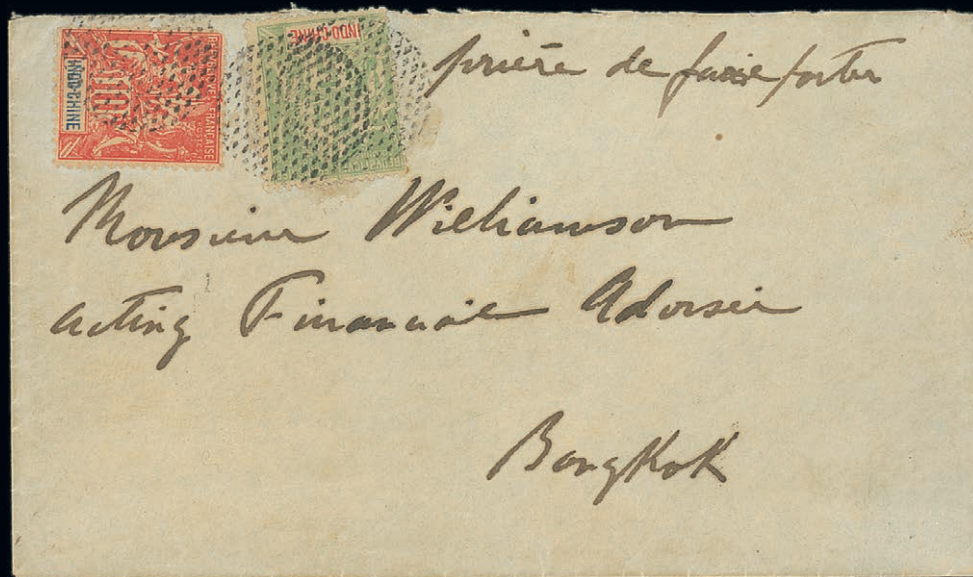
30 September-9 October	Handbags and Accessories e-Auction	Hong Kong	SHA03
28 October	Estates & Collections Auction	New York	351
7-21 January	A Collection of early Cutlery sets, Veterinary and Medical Implements, Scales and other Measuring Instruments, Objets Vertu and Scientific Instruments. Property of a gentleman	London	20020

The above sale dates are subject to change

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- VALUATIONS FOR INSURANCE AND PROBATE FOR INDIVIDUAL ITEMS OR WHOLE COLLECTIONS -
- SALES ON A COMMISSION BASIS EITHER OF INDIVIDUAL PIECES OR WHOLE COLLECTIONS -





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