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THE GERALD V.H. FLACK COLLECTION OF SOUTHERN AFRICA POSTCARDS,  
THE "TRIESTE" COLLECTION OF AUSTRIA AND THE DR. IAN MATHESON COLLECTION OF  
BRITISH HONDURAS; NYASALAND, PAKISTAN BAHAWALPUR AND GREAT BRITAIN  
WITH FINE SECTIONS OF LINE-ENGRAVED AND QUEEN ELIZABETH II ERRORS





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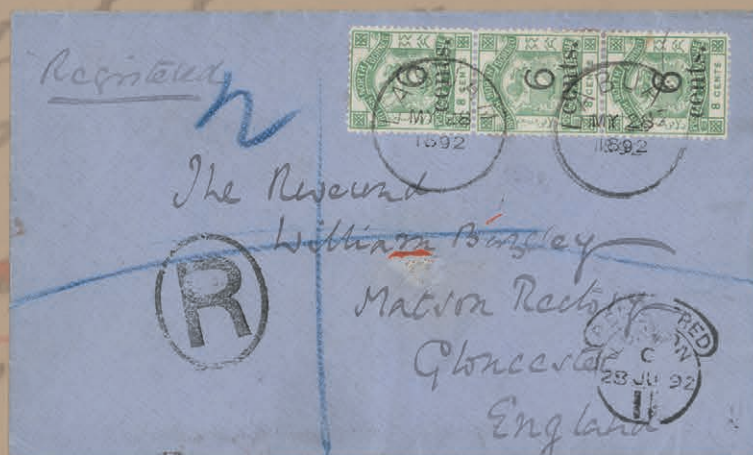
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mint	unused with original gum showing slight disturbance caused by previous hinge, which may be present in part or entirely removed
part original gum	unused with original gum significantly disturbed or heavily hinged
unmounted mint	original gum as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

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

## Symbols and Abbreviations

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

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## WEDNESDAY 29 JANUARY 2020

Commencing at 2.00 p.m.

### THE GERALD V.H. FLACK COLLECTION OF SOUTHERN AFRICA POSTCARDS

**Note:** Reference numbers refer to those in  
"Pioneer Postcards of Southern Africa, 1896-1900"  
by Bram Leeflang

#### CAPE OF GOOD HOPE

- |         |  |          |
|---------|--|----------|
| x1001 ☒ | 1897-1900 J.C. Hubrich, Cape Town <i>"Greetings from Cape Town"</i> coloured postcards (16) comprising Nos. 1 (used), 2 (2, one used), 3, 4 (5 used, one with stamp missing), 5 (3, two used, one the earliest known card produced by Hubrich, used 18 August 1897), 6 (2 German adaptations, one used, both rare), 7 (rare German adaptation (2 used, one with stamp missing)) and another unlisted German adaptation; same designs printed stationery postcards comprising Nos. 1 (2, one used), 2 (3 used), 3 (4 used), 4 (3 used) and (2 used). A fine lot   | £350-400 |
| x1002 ☒ | 1898 published by Maskew Miller, Cape Town, <i>"From the land of the Southern Cross"</i> , Type 1 (art nouveau style) Nos. 1.1, 4.1 (2, one used), 6.1 and 7.1, Type 2 (Gothic type) Nos. 1.3 (used), 2.2 (2, one unaddressed), 3.2 (used), 3.3 (3 used), 4.2 (3), 4.3 (used), 7.2, 8.2 (used), 9.2 (2 used), 10.2 (used) and 11.2 (used); 1898 published by Thorne, Stuttaford & Co., Cape Town Nos. 1.1 (used), 1.2 (3 used), 1.3 (2 used, one the earliest known usage), 2.2, 3.1 (2, one used; the unused a proof? without stamp impression), 3.2 (2 used, one the earliest known usage), 4.1 (2, one used) and 5.1; Arndt and Cohn of Hamburg No. 12 (2, one used); The Caledon Natural Chalybeate Waters; Ox-Wagon Transport unused on ½d. and 1d. on 1½d. cards; Wesleyan High School, Grahamstown (used); and S.A. Industrial and Arts Exhibition, Grahamstown (rare). Mostly fine | £350-450 |
| x1003 ☒ | 1899-1900 South African Royal Mail Service cards comprising Donald Currie & Co. (used), Arundel Castle (2, one used, both stained), S.S. Avoncastle (used), Carrisbrook Castle (4, three used), Dunvegan Castle (3 used), Tantallon Castle (2 used) and Tintagel Castle (used); Arndt and Cohn of Hamburg <i>"With kind regards and best wishes!"</i> Nos. 10 (6, five used) and 11 (2 used); and two other early shipping cards with undivided backs. Mostly fine   | £150-200 |
| x1004 ☒ | 1899 1d. carmine (37) comprising government issued with views of G.P.O. Cape Town (2, one spotted), the Jetty Port Elizabeth, Houses of Parliament Cape Town (lightly spotted), Buffalo Harbour East London, Town House Cape Town and Table Mountain from Docks Cape Town, each handstamped "ULTRAMAR" in blue; <i>"With kind regards and best wishes!"</i> series printed by Arndt and Cohn of Hamburg for Proudfoot and Lenkeit in Port Elizabeth comprising Nos. 1 (3, two used), 2 (4 used), 3 (4, one used), 4 (used), 5 (used), 6 (4, three used), 7 (5, four used), 8 (2 used) and 9 (4, two used); and privately printed and issued by the Beach Hotel Company No. 2 (2, one used), rare. A fine lot   | £200-250 |

The Gerald V.H. Flack Collection of Southern Africa Postcards - *contd.*

## NATAL

- x1005 ☒ 1898 Durban from the Berea Id. card from Point Natal to Germany use 19 November 1898. The earliest known Natal postal stationery picture postcard, fine £80-100
- x1006 ☒ A range of cards including published by Adams & Co. Nos 2 (unused on pink and used on blue and 2581.1 (used); A Greeting from Durban (3, two used); Five vignette card of Durban (used); Kaiser Friedrich Quelle Nos. 1.4, 2.3 and one unlisted (Bahnhof in Pieter-Martizburg); Official issue Nos. 1 (4 used), 2 (4, three used), 3 (3, one used), 4 (2, one used) and 5 (3, two used); Otto Seiffert, Germany with 1899 imprint No. 110 and 1900 imprint Nos. 1103 (used) and 1109; Trappisten Mission, Mariannhill Nos. 1, 2 (used), 4 (2, one used - stamp torn off) and 5 (2); Albert Aust, Germany No. 10; J.H. Groeneveld Nos. 4 and 11; B. Kuhlen, Germany No. 2; and another fifteen cards. A good lot £250-300

## ORANGE FREE STATE

- x1007 ☒ A small range including A Driessen, Rotterdam No. 1; Ernest Rennert No. 1.2 (3, one used); Paul Kohl, Germany No. 65; Ox-Wagon Transport No. 4; small vignette postcard No. 15; Gebroeders van Rijkom, Amsterdam No. 3; W.A. Wright, Bloemfontein Nos. 1.1 (used, the earliest known OFS postcard - 7.6.99) and 2.2. (2, one used), all very rare; also nine others including three (one used) published by Deal Bros, Bloemfontein. A good lot £250-300

## RHODESIA



1008

- x1008 ☒ 1896 (12 July) "Dr. Jameson" published by A.J. Edwards, Bulawayo, used from Bulawayo and showing Tax markings; also another later unused card. The earliest known postcard published in Rhodesia. Photo £300-400

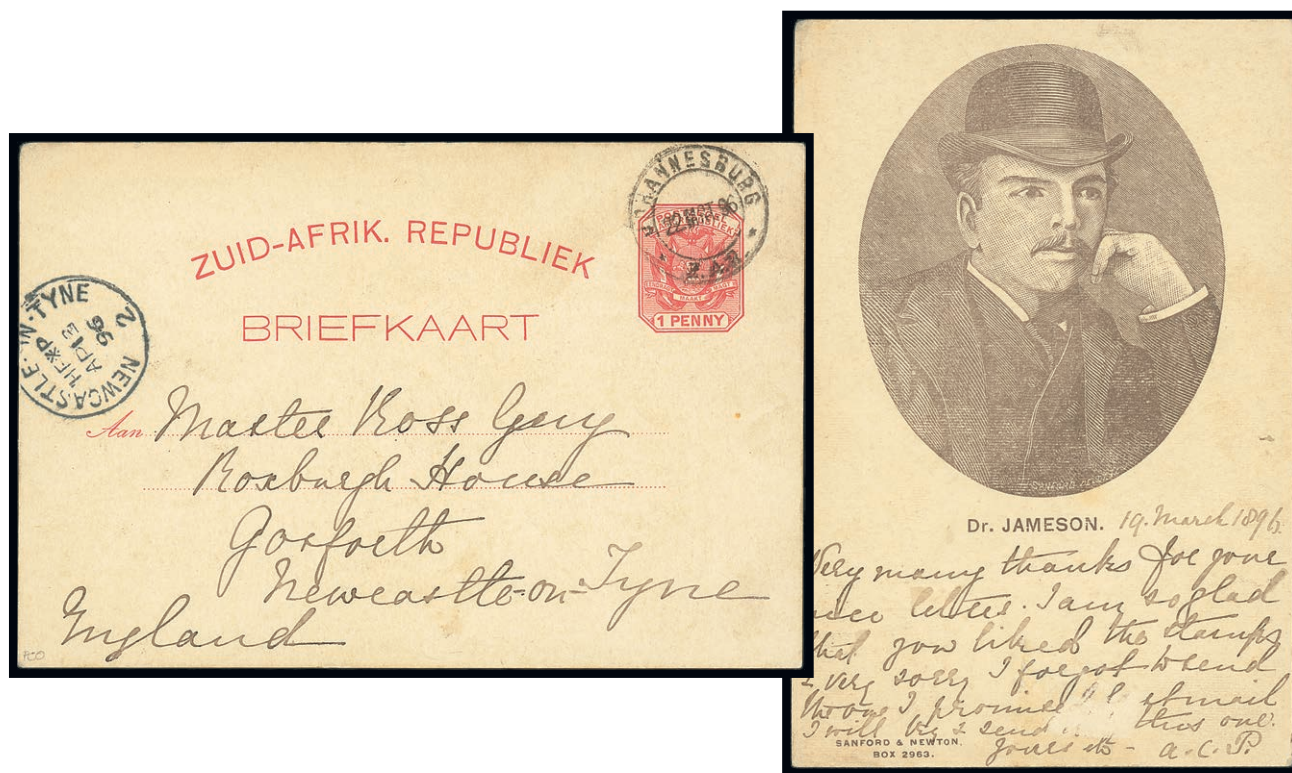


**SOUTH WEST AFRICA**

- x1009 ☒ A collection of cards (66) including "Greetings from Walfish Bay" by Mertens & Sichel used 22 Feb. 1899 (earliest known postcard of Walfish Bay); "Gruss aus Deetsch Sudwestafrika", various types and a panorama type of Luderitzbucht. A fine and interesting lot £350-450

**TRANSVAAL**

- x1010 ☒ 1896 M.Z. Booleman & Co./Sallo Epstein, Johannesburg Nos. 1.1 (2 used), 1.2 (2 used), 1.3 (3 used), 1.4 (2 used, one the earliest known used Southern African postcard - 6.2.96) and 1.5 (2 used, one the second earliest known used Southern African postcard - 9.2.96). A fine and rare lot £450-550



1011

- x1011 ☒ 1896 Sanford & Newton, Johannesburg "Dr. Jameson" 1d. card used to England (19.3.96), fine. Photo £150-200
- x1012 ☒ 1897 Emil Boas, Berlin Transvaal trade exhibition in Berlin Nos. 1 (2, one used), 2 (used), 3 (used), 4 (2, one used), 5 (used), 6, 7 (used), 8 (used), 9 (2 used), 10 (3, two used), 11 (used), 12 (2, one used), 13 (2, one used), 14 and 15; J. Goldiner, Berlin Nos. 18 to 21 (20 unused); other Berlin Exhibition cards (6, three used); and the 1900 World Exhibition, Paris cards, various types (8, three used). A fine and colourful lot £300-400

## The Gerald V.H. Flack Collection of Southern Africa Postcards, Transvaal - *contd.*

- x1013 ☒ A range of cards (80) including C. Basson & Co., Pretoria Nos. 1 (2), 2, 4 (2) and 7; Sallo Epstein & Co., Johannesburg Group 2 Nos. 2.1, 2.2 (2), 2.3 (used), 2.4 and 2.5, Group 3 Nos 3.1 (4 used) and 3.2 (2, one used), Group 4 Nos. 4.1 (used), 4.2 (5, three used) and 4.3 (used), Group 5 Nos. 5.1 (2 used) and 5.2 (used), Group 6 Nos. 6.1, 6.2 (used), 6.3 (used) and 6.4, Group 7 Nos. 7.1 (used), 7.2c (used), 7.3 (2 used, one in colour), 7.4 (used), 7.5c (used), 7.7 (2 used, one in colour), 7.8c (used), 7.9c (2, one used), 7.10c (used) and 7.11 (used), Group 9 Nos. 9.1 (used), 9.2, 9.5c (used) and 9.6 (used), Group 10 Nos. 10.1 (used), 10.2 (used), 10.3 (2, one used), 10.5 (used), 10.6 (used) and 10.8, and Group 11 Nos. 11.1 (used), 11.2 (used), 11.3 (used), 11.4 (used) and 11.5 (used); and an unused 1d. Machadodorp card. Mostly fine £450-550
- x1014 ☒ A range of cards (153) including J.H. de Bussy, Pretoria Type 1 Nos. 1.1 (3, two used), 2.1 (3, one used), 5.1 (2 used), 6.1, 7.1 (2 used, one with stamp missing), 8.1 (2, one used), 10.1 (used), 11.1 (2, one used) and Type 2 Nos. 3.2 (2, one used), 4.2 (2), 5.2 (used), 6.2 (used), 8.2 (used), 9.2, 10.2 (used) and 12.2; Ed Nels, Brussels Nos. 1.5 (used), 1.7 (3, one used), 1.8 (4, one used), 2.2, 2.3, 2.6 and 2.7 (2); Ernst Rennert Nos. 5.2 (used), 6.1, 7.1 (2, one used), 8.1 (2), 8.2 (used) and 9.2 (2, one used); Frey & Kirsch, Germany Nos. 1 to 5 (No. 4 unused); Helios, Amsterdam Nos. 1 (2), 2 (3), 3 (2, one used), 5 and 6 (used); Höveker & Wormser, Pretoria Nos. 1 and 3; Kaiser Friedrich Quelle, Germany Nos. 3.1 and 3.3; Sallo Epstein & Co., Johannesburg Group 12 Nos. 12.4, 12.2 and 12.3, all with stamp missing and Group 14 Nos. 14.2 (2 used, both with stamp missing), 14.2 (2, one used - stamp missing), 14.4 and 14.5 (used). A good lot, mostly fine £500-600

## ABU DHABI

- 1015 Ⓐ☒ Aerogrammes: 1964-71 selection of 12 different, 1964 30n.p., 1967 30f. on 30n.p. (both with dot variety), 1967 40f., 1971 30f. on 20f., 50f. on 40f., etc., all unused; fine £100-150

## ADEN

- x1016 1937-61 largely mint collection including 1937 Dhow set and a few mint multiples to 3½a., 1939-48 mint and used sets, the former with some additional values to 10r., and 1951 range with all values in mint imprint and/or plate number strips of five; generally good to fine. Cat. c.£2,800 £450-550
- x1017 ★ 1951 (Oct.) 15c. on 2½a. deep ultramarine, variety **surchage double**, fine very lightly mounted mint. B.P.A. Certificate (1964). S.G. 38a, £1600. Photo £500-600

## Kathiri State of Seiyun

- x1018 Ⓢ 1946 Victory 2½a. blue, error **surchage inverted**, unmounted mint from the upper-left corner of the sheet (hinged in the margin only); fine and rare. R.P.S. Certificate (1993). 13a, £1,300. Photo £400-500

## AFGHANISTAN

- x1019 ★Ⓢ 1873-74 Shahi black, blocks of thirty (5x6) being the upper and lower halves of the sheet on paper with "PRO-BONO/UNIVERSAL FOOLSCAP" watermark, unused; fine. S.G. 13 £800-1,000



## ANTIGUA

- 1020 ★ 1882-1953 small mint range on stockpages including 1882 CA 4d., 1884-87 CA 1d. to 6d., 1903-07 CC ½d. to 2/6d. top right corner examples with plate number and 5/-, 1921-29 MCA 3d. to £1 and Script ½d. to 4/-, 1932 Tercentenary ½d. to 5/-, 1935 Jubilee 1d. lower left corner block of four with diagonal line by turret, 1938-51 ½d. to 5/- and 1953-62 ½c. to \$2.40. Fresh and fine £400-500

## ASCENSION

- 1021 ○ 1924-33 ½d. (2) with varieties *cleft rock* and *broken mainmast*, and 2d. (fault at top) with variety *torn flag*, used. S.G. 10a, 10c, 13b, £975 £150-200
- 1022 ★ 1938-53 perf. 13 1d. black and yellow-orange, variety *mountaineer flaw*, mounted mint. S.G. 39ba, £350. Photo £100-120

## AUSTRALIA

- 1023 1913-53 mint and used collection in two albums, on pages etc. in a small box including a red Senator album consisting of a specialised collection of King George V Heads including 1913-14 1d. red with minor varieties as mint singles, pairs, blocks of four and as large as nine, 1914-20 1d. red mainly used selection with varieties and shades, other 1914-20 issues with shades and varieties, 1924-25 1d. sage-green mainly mint specialised collection with singles, pairs, blocks of four, six, nine, twelve, fifteen and eighteen, 1930 Surcharges with varieties, pairs, blocks etc., 1931-36 set of eight both mint and used, 1931-36 Kangaroo 6d. to 10/- mint and to £2 used (also some duplication), 1914-36 Kangaroo mint and used selection on pages with a few Official stamps mint and used, 1929-30 £2 black and rose used on a stockcard, a black Senator album including 1928 Melbourne Philatelic Exhibition miniature sheet (2 mint and one used by centrally struck Exhibition c.d.s.), 1929 Centenary 1½d. including block of eight from the foot of the sheet with imprint and signed in the margin by the stamp designer *G. Pitt Morrison* in black ink, also blocks of four with plate numbers (one of each 1-12) etc., 1931 Kingsford Smith's Flight with plate number blocks, 6d. violet block of sixteen, one with re-entry and a single example showing the same, 1932 Bridge to 5/- used, other commemorative issues in blocks of four, with plate numbers etc., 1937-49 set to £1 (2) mint and used, 5/- (2), 10/- and £1 mint marginal blocks of four, 1946 B.C.O.F. set to 5/- and also marginal blocks of four (light diagonal crease to 2/- and 5/- blocks) and ½d. orange complete sheet of one-hundred and sixty; an interesting collection in chiefly good condition, worthy of closer inspection £2,000-4,000
- x1024 ☼ 1971 (Sept.) Aboriginal Art 20c. with **blue omitted**, fine unmounted mint. With normal for comparison. S.G. 494ac, £1300. Photo £300-400
- x1025 ☼田 1979 (July) Little Grebe 20c. top marginal block of four with **yellow (beak and eye) omitted**, fine unmounted mint. B.P.A. Certificate (2009). S.G. 673a, £760. Photo £200-250

## AUSTRIA

*See lots 1472 to 1486*

## BAHAMAS

1026 ㊦

1859-60 1d. imperforate plate proof block of four in black on card with mostly large margins, the lower pair with light horizontal crease not affecting fine appearance. A scarce multiple. Photo

£300-400



1027

x1027 ㊧

1880 (16 Mar.) envelope to New York, bearing 1876 CC perf 14 4d. bright rose cancelled "A05", showing New York "DUE/3/U.S. CURRENCY" d.s. (22.3) with U.S. Postage Due 3c. affixed alongside and, on reverse, despatch and arrival datestamps. A neat and attractive franking. Photo

£800-1,000

x1028 ㊦

1942 Columbus 4d. block of four with margin at left, the top right stamp showing variety "COIUMBUS" (R.5/2), fine unmounted mint. KGV1 Expertising Certificate (2013). S.G. 168a, £1200. Photo

£500-600

x1029 ★ ㊦

1942 Columbus 4d. block of four, the top right stamp showing variety "COIUMBUS" (R.5/2), fine mint with large part original gum. B.P.A. Certificate (1999). S.G. 168a, £1200. Photo

£400-500

## BAHRAIN

x1030 ★

1948 Olympic Games 2½a. on 2½d. ultramarine, variety **surcharge double** (R.9/3), fine unused with large part original gum. B.P.A. Certificate (2000). S.G. 63a, £3500. Photo

£1,500-1,800

## BARBADOS

1031 ★ ㊦

1852-55 (1d.) blue block of ten (5x2) with margin at left, fresh and fine unused with large part original gum (lower row unmounted). S.G. 3, £600

£150-180





1017



1022



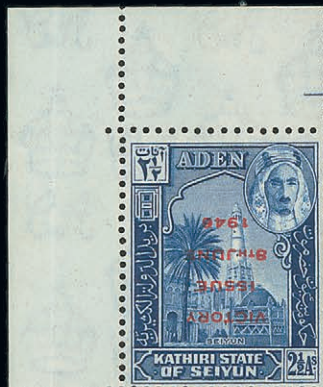
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Ex 1042



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Ex 1051



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## BECHUANALAND

1032 ★ 1932 ½d. to 10/- mint; sound. S.G. 99-110, £500 £120-150

### Postage Due Stamps

x1033 1926 used trio, 1d. and 2d. mint control blocks of six (lower left 1d. with distorted "P" in "PROTECTORATE"), and 1932 trio in used blocks of four, each on small piece cancelled with Lobatsi 1943 datestamp. S.G. D1-D6, £875. Also 1888 imperforate Fournier reproduction overprinted "*Facsimile*" £300-400

## BELGIUM

1034 1849-2002 mint and used collection housed in three green Lighthouse albums and a black binder, contained in a carton, including 1849 Epauvette 10c., 20c., imperf. Medallions to 40c. (2), 1865-66 1f. (2), 1869-80 1f., 1893-1900 to 2f. (2), 1895-1908 10c. to 2f., 1910 and 1911 Exhibition sets, 1912 with values to 5f., 1915-22 5f. "Franken", 1918 Red Cross set, 1919-20 Helmet set, 1921 5f. miniature sheet of 4, 1928 Orval, 1929 Orval restoration set, 1930 Antwerp miniature sheet, 1931 Disabled soldiers sheet, 1933 Cardinal Mercier set, 1932 Infantry Memorial, 1934 Anti T-B, 1935 Brussels sheet, 1944-56 perf. 11½ 5f., 1949 Paintings sheets, a fine range of later issues with 1952 U.P.U. set, 1952 Culture 4f. and 8f. with labels, Officials, Postage Dues, Telegraphs, etc., many fine. A valuable and useful lot £3,000-3,500

1035 1849-1937 mint and used selection on stockpages, including 1849 Epauvette 10c. (4), 20c. (8), 1849-50 framed LL 40c. (2), later imperf. and perf. Medallions to 40c., 1865-66 1f. (2), 1869-80 5f. yellow-brown unused, 5f. red-brown unused and another with savings bank roulette, 1893-1900 2f. (2 unused and 3 used), etc., mixed condition £1,000-1,200

## BERMUDA

1036 ★ 1938-53 perf 14 2/- deep purple and ultramarine on deep blue (unmounted), 2/6d. black and red on grey-blue, 5/- green and red on yellow, 10/- green and deep lake on pale emerald and line perf 14¼ 2/6d. black and red on grey-blue (centred to upper left), fine mint. Cat. £1380 £200-300

x1037 ☉ 1938-53 perf 14, 2/6d. black and red on pale blue, a lower right corner pair with plate number, the right stamp showing *broken lower right scroll*, very fine unmounted mint (hinged in the margin only). S.G. 117b/be, £670. Photo £250-300

## BRITISH EAST AFRICA

x1038 ★ 1890 surcharged on stamps of Great Britain, the set of three, the ½a. and 1a. with part original gum, the 4a. unmounted mint and with B.P.A. (1983). Also two "used" forgeries. S.G. 1-3, £1,375 £300-350

x1039 ★ 1890-95 "Sun and Crown" ½a. to 5r. set of fifteen with ½a. (2), 1a., 2½a. (2), 3a. shades and 4½a. brown-purple, unused with part original gum, 2r. to 5r. set of four forgeries "unused" and "used" together with "unused" 5r. imperforate; 1894 (Nov.) 5a. on 8a. and 7½a. on 1r. handstamped "SPECIMEN", 5a. on 8a pair and 7½a. on 1r. unused with part original gum and forgeries on both values, 1895 (Jan.) 5a. and 7½a. both handstamped "SPECIMEN", 5a. (2) and 7½a. unused with part original gum; generally good to fine. Cat. £950+ £300-400

Photo for lot 1037 appear on page 11

1040	1890-95 2r. (forgery), 4r. and 5r., 1897 on Zanzibar 1a. and 1897 1r. dull blue, unused with part gum; 1895 3a., 1896-1901 4a. and 5r., 1897 on Zanzibar 1a., 4½a. and 7½a., and 1897-1901 1r. dull blue, 2r., 3r. and 5r. (postmark not guaranteed) used	£200-250
x1041	1895 (Feb.) “½ Anna TEER” on 3a. (marginal), unused with part original gum and used, together with a forged unused “1 Anna TEER” on 3a. black on bright red and S.G. 23 and 26, all three “used”. An interesting group	£150-200
x1042 ★	1895 (July) handstamped “BRITISH/EAST/AFRICA” ½a. to 5r. set of fifteen and (29 Sept.) 2½a. on 4a. dull violet, unused with part to large part original gum; all considered genuine though not guaranteed and sold as is. S.G. 33-48. Photo	£600-700
x1043 ★	1895-96 on India ½a. to 5r. set of fifteen with additional 4a. slate-green and 8a. magenta, unused with part to large part original gum; generally good to fine. S.G. 49-63, 55b, 57c, £770	£250-300
x1044 ★	1895-96 on India 1r. green and aniline carmine, variety <b>overprint double, one sideways</b> , part original gum; sound. S.G. 60d, £425. Photo	£120-150
x1045 ★	1895-96 on India 2r., 3r. and 5r., all with small overprint for use as specimen stamps for the UPU, unused with part to large part original gum. A scarce trio. Cat. £500	£200-250
x1046 ★	1895 (Dec.) “2½” on 1½a. sepia together with UPU “SPECIMEN” overprint Types 12, 13 and 14 in brown-red, mint; the first with a couple of light fox marks, the “specimen” trio fine. S.G. 64, £605	£150-200
x1047 ★	1896-1901 ½a. to 5r. set of fifteen overprinted “SPECIMEN” and issued stamps set of fifteen with additional 1a. (2), 2½a. and 1r. shades, part to large part original gum and generally good to fine. S.G. 65-79, £935	£250-300
x1048 ★	1897 (2 Jan.) on Zanzibar set of six and UPU distribution set of six (additional 4½a. with hand-painted flags) with stop after “Africa”, unused with part to large part original gum and generally good to fine. Also 2a. on 1895 (3 Jan.) <i>Powter</i> envelope from Mombasa addressed locally. S.G. 80-85, etc., £700+	£250-300
x1049 ★	1897 (2 Jan.) on Zanzibar surcharges set of six, and UPU distribution with stop after “Africa. “2½” Type 14 on 1a. and “2½” on 3a. Type 14, unused (issued “2½” Type 14) or with part original gum. S.G. 86-91, etc., £1,300	£300-400
x1050 ☉	1897-1903 1r. to 50r. set of eight, each overprinted “SPECIMEN”, part to large part original gum; fine. S.G. 92-99, £915	£300-350
x1051	1897-1903 1r. (4 including the three listed shades) to 10r., unused with part to large part original gum, 20r. and 50r. (watermark reversed) fiscally used, generally fine. S.G. 92-99, £3,060. Photo	£800-1,000
<b>Covers</b>		
x1052 ☒	1902 (21 Jan.) envelope registered from Machakos to Leipzig, bearing 1896 ½a. yellow-green and 4a. deep green tied by two double-ring datestamps and with registration handstamp at left, Mombasa (23.1) and faint arrival datestamp on reverse; scarce and attractive. Photo	£250-300
x1053 ☒	1903 (12 Dec.) envelope (with contents) registered from Kisumu to England, bearing 1896 3a. grey (faint toning in one corner) neatly cancelled by double-ring datestamp with a further strike and registration handstamp at left, London Registered oval transit datestamp at foot, Mombasa and Altringham datestamps on reverse. Photo	£140-180

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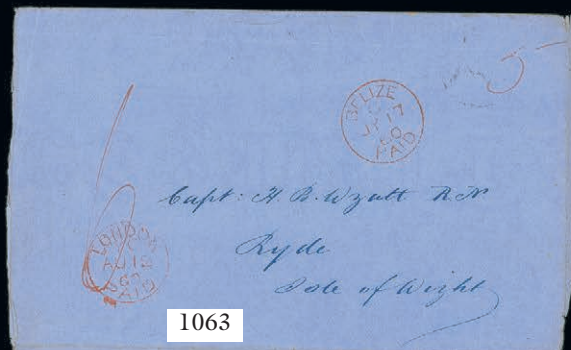
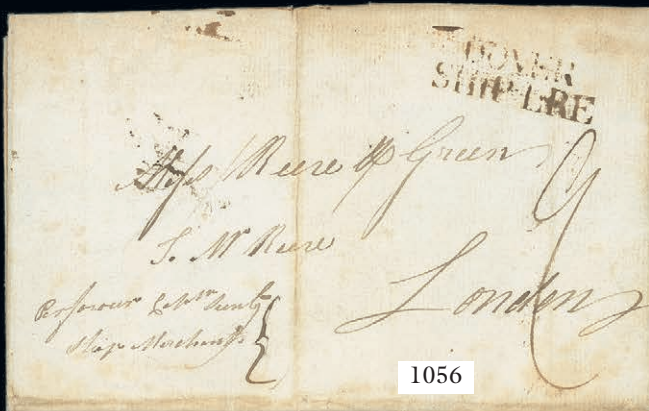
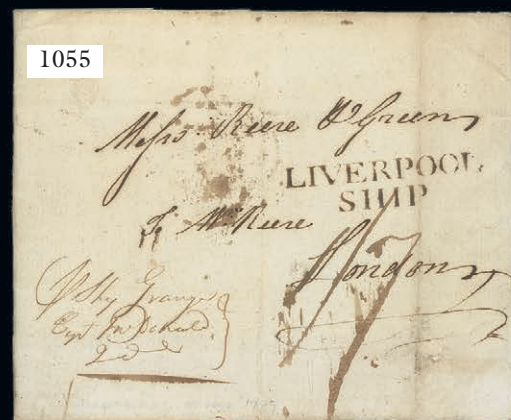
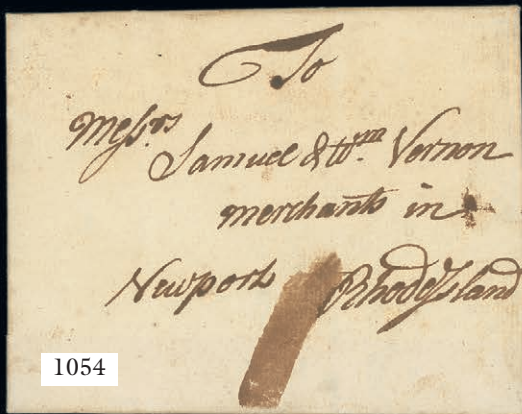
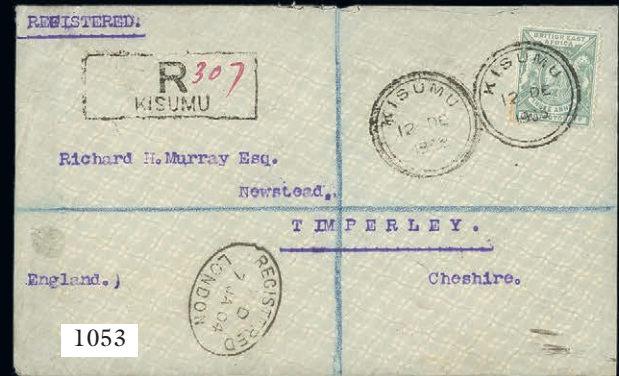
## BRITISH HONDURAS

### The Dr. Ian Matheson Collection

#### Early Letters and Handstamps

- x1054 ☒ 1767 (28 May) entire letter from James Bourke to Samuel and William Vernon, merchants in Newport, Rhode Island, at that time a British Colony; the contents headed "Hondoras" include "I have one hundred Tons Logwood on board and am in hope to get the rest very soon. I have three men up the River and heard yesterday they are all coming down sick which if they do I shall be very badly of. I have had three men sick on board for this some time but they are better now." An exceptionally early letter from the area known as "Belize". An earlier letter is known from Roatan, also in the Bay of Honduras, though this today is a part of the Republic of Honduras. Photo £500-600
- Note: The early settlers in the Bay of Honduras were known as "Baymen". These were loggers, who provided logwood, mahogany and other hardwoods for furniture for the European and American markets. The settlement was attacked by the Spanish in 1754-55, sacked and destroyed. The English re-occupied and fortified Belize in 1756. In 1763 a peace treaty with the Spanish allowed the English presence, although the Spanish tried to annul it soon afterwards. In 1779 the Spanish again destroyed Belize. Many men were massacred, other settlers were marched to Yucatan, shipped to Havana and held prisoner there until 1782*
- x1055 ☒ 1789 (10 Nov.) entire letter from Captain George Faith to a London timber merchant, sent on the ship "Grange" and rated "1/7", carried to Liverpool with fine "LIVERPOOL/SHIP" handstamp (S1) applied on face and with London arrival datestamp (18.2) on reverse, a transit time of 100 days. Photo £400-500
- Note: The 1788 Treaty of London allowed British subjects to occupy the territory for logging and subsistence farming. Commercial crops were prohibited. The land remained under Spanish sovereignty. Captain Faith was in charge of a group of reformed pirates, who were employed to cut logwood. This yielded blue dye which was used in the textile industry*
- x1056 ☒ 1790 (3 July) entire letter headed "St. George's Key" from Captain George Faith to a London timber merchant, sent on the ship "Marchant" and rated "9", carried to Dover with fine "DOVER/SHIP LRE" handstamp (S3) applied on face and with London arrival datestamp (1.9) on reverse; interesting contents include "Here is a report come from Jamaica informing us of a war with Spaine [sic], which has alarmed the merchants so that the send for most part of the negro[es] from the works [here]. Photo £400-500
- Note: Written from St. George's Caye which was desirable residential area, away from the swampy and unhealthy area, where the sea breezes kept the cayes cooler and where there were fewer mosquitoes*
- PROVENANCE:  
Drs. Harper, March 2009
- x1057 ☒ 1798 (5 Oct.) entire letter (re-inforced folds and a little soiled) from James Gordon, a Captain in the Honduras Militia "care of Capt. Edwards Ship Eagle" to Thomas Gibbs in London giving a first-hand account of the Battle of St. George's Caye, rated "9" and with faint "PORTSMOUTH/SHIP-LRE", arrival datestamp (12.1) on reverse. A very important historical document giving an eyewitness account of the action and with an extract transcript available. Photo £600-800
- Note: The Battle of St. George's Caye was a key event in the history of British Honduras. Prior to this battle the Spanish forces in the Caribbean had harassed the settlers on a periodic basis. The territory had been abandoned and resettled several times during the 18th century. The last major attack took place between 3 and 10 September 1798. The Spanish fleet were surprised and routed by a much smaller, poorly equipped force comprising makeshift craft prepared by the settlers and H.M.S. "Merlin", the only serious warship in the force. Great Britain considered Honduras to be a British Colony from that date onwards and the Battle is celebrated each year as the country's National Day*
- PROVENANCE:  
Drs. Harper, March 2009
- x1058 ☒ 1813 (Set./Oct.) entire "p Ship Charming Kitty" to Yorkshire, rated "1/5" and with fine oval-framed "SHIP-LETTER/Crown/FALMOUTH" (S4) in red, only struck in red from 1812-14; the remaining page of text refers to plague in Belize in the aftermath of a hurricane some five weeks earlier, this being the hurricane of August 1813. Photo £300-400





**British Honduras, Early Letters and Handstamps - *contd.***

- x1059 ☒ 1821 (12 July) entire docketed as from "*L.E. Williams, Honduras*" to London, rated "2/8" and showing, on reverse, step-type "FOLKESTONE/SHIP LETTER" crossed by a filing crease and light arrival datestamp (13.9), and 1843 entire ex the *Huth* correspondence to London, rated "8" and showing, on reverse, London "SHIP LETTER" handstamp £150-180
- x1060 ☒ 1826 (13 June) entire from missionary Thomas Wilkinson "*p Elizabeth*" to London, rated "1/4" and showing fine step-type "DEAL/SHIP LETTER" (S8), arrival datestamp (17.8) on reverse, and 1830 (30 Jan.) entire letter ex the *Huth* correspondence from Belize forwarding agent Charles Evans relating to consignments of indigo and related correspondence from Guatemala, rated "3/2" and showing, on reverse, step-type "SHIP-LETTER/PLYMOUTH" (S6) and arrival datestamp (8.5) £200-250
- x1061 ☒ 1844 (20 Nov.) entire (no side panels) from Belize forwarding agent Francisco Camoyano to London, rated "1/-" and showing "BELIZE" double-arc datestamp in red (crossed by filing crease), and 1849 (27 Nov.) missionary entire (less one side panel) to London, rated "2/-" and showing on reverse superb "BELIZE" double-arc datestamp alongside arrival datestamp (21.1) £150-180



1062

- x1062 ☒ 1856 (17 July) "*prepaid*" envelope to Jamaica, showing a good strike of the Crowned Circle "PAID/AT/BELIZE" handstamp and, on reverse, Belize double-arc datestamp and Kingston arrival datestamp (23.7); a little soiled though a very presentable example of this rare handstamp. S.G. CC1, £4,000. Photo £1,500-1,800
- x1063 ☒ 1860 (17 July) entire (no side flaps) to Ryde, Isle of Wight, rated "5" and "6" and showing a fine strike of the rare "BELIZE/PAID" in red with code "C" (PD2), London Paid transit datestamp (12.8) at lower left, arrival datestamp (13.8) on reverse. The earliest recorded date of use of this rare code C datestamp of which less than ten examples are recorded. Photo £400-500
- PROVENANCE:  
H. Barnstone, June 1980
- x1064 ☒ 1861 (15 Dec.) entire to Edinburgh, rated "5" and showing a good strike of the rare "BELIZE/PAID" in red with code "C" (PD2) over-cancelled London Paid transit datestamp (14.1), arrival datestamp (16.1) on reverse. The latest recorded date of use of this rare code C datestamp of which less than ten examples are recorded. Photo £250-300
- PROVENANCE:  
H. Barnstone, June 1980

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- x1065 ☒ 1861-64 entire letters ex the *Lanman* correspondence to New York, handed to ships captains for carriage to USA and placed into the post there, one “PER HONDURAS” and one “*pr James Welch*”, both showing circular-framed “5”, and two “*Pr Pallas*” with one showing “NEW YORK SHIP LETTER/4” datestamp £200-250
- x1066 ☒ 1863 (14 Sept.) entire carried on the *Teviot* to Edinburgh, rated “11” (due to London from the rate of 1/-) and showing a fine strike of the “BELIZE/PAID” datestamp with code “A” (PD2), arrival datestamp (14.10) on reverse; attractive. Photo £200-250  
*Note: The Belize Paid datestamp with code letter C was replaced in 1862 with a slightly different instrument with code A*
- Incoming Mail from the United Kingdom**
- x1067 ☒ 1858 (15 Sept.) large part entire from London to Lieut. Holmes of the Royal Artillery bearing 1855-57 wing-margin 6d. lilac cancelled with “76” duplex and with Belize double-arc datestamp (B2) on reverse, and 1859 (15 Feb.) entire letter ex the same correspondence, rated “6” and showing Lombard St. datestamp at right, the reverse with Belize double-arc datestamp (B2); fold faults though a scarce pair as few incoming letters have survived prior to 1860 £200-250  
*Note: Lieut. Holmes, who served with The 2nd. West India Regiment, was part of a force that was there to protect Belize City from the sea following a fear of reprisal raids after the Battle of St. George’s Caye in 1798. The strength of the regiment was just 17 officers, 17 sergeants, 6 drummers and 367 rank and file. Note that the address on both of these covers is inscribed “British Honduras”, although the settlement only became a British Colony in 1862*
- x1068 ☒ 1865 (16 Feb.) entire (no side flaps) from London to Belize, rated “1/-” with “1d.” handstamp (amount due to the Colony) alongside, bearing 1865 1/- green Plate 4 cancelled “19” and with Lombard St. datestamp alongside, the reverse with Belize BSC2 datestamp (2.4, the earliest recorded date of use); most attractive. Photo £120-150  
 PROVENANCE:  
 Ed Addis, March 1991
- x1069 ☒ 1871 (Apr.) entire letter carried privately to St. Thomas whence forwarded by Lamb & Co. with their cachet in red on face and reverse, 1873 front bearing 1873 1/- green Plate 7 cancelled with “89” duplex and 1875 front bearing 1d. cancelled “25”, all three from London to Belize showing arrival datestamp (BSC2) on face £150-200  
*Note: The first with contents lobbying support to influence the route of the next mail contract. The writer favoured the route via New Orleans instead of the route via Jamaica. In 1872 the RMSP contract was renewed when a monthly service was entered into between Belize and Jamaica*
- x1070 ☒ 1874 (9 Jan.) entire letter from London “*p Mail Str Nile*” to Belize, rated “1/-” and showing Lombard St. datestamp in red and a light strike of the very rare “BELIZE” 23½mm. datestamp (BSC3, only recorded in 2000), the earliest recorded example of the three known. Photo £500-600  
*Note: The text includes mention of the possible loss of two vessels with the “Cornwall” wrecked off Key West, and them now awaiting the arrival of the “Danish Beauty”*
- x1071 ☒ 1874 (9 Feb.) entire letter from London “*p R. M. Str. Moselle*” to Belize, rated “2/-” and showing Lombard St. datestamp in red and a superb strike of the very rare “BELIZE” 23½mm. datestamp (BSC3, only recorded in 2000), the latest recorded example of the three known. Photo £500-600
- The Guatemalan Mails**
- x1072 ☒ 1835 (27 May) entire letter from Belize forwarding agent Francisco Camoyano to Guatemala and showing “4” (19mm. high) charge handstamp, comprising 2 Reales due to each country, and 1839 (14 Oct.) fragile entire from London to Guatemala, manuscript “2/2” packet letter endorsement at upper left and with despatch datestamp on reverse £120-150



**British Honduras, Early Letters and Handstamps, The Guatemalan Mails - *contd.***

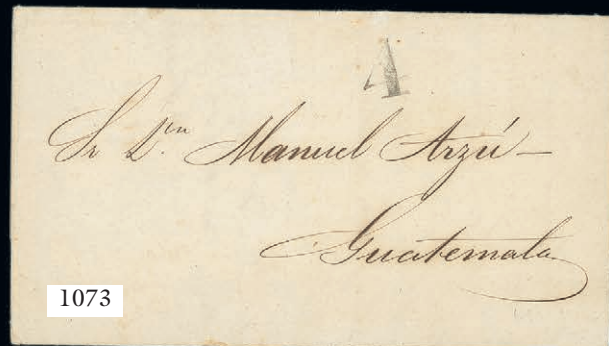
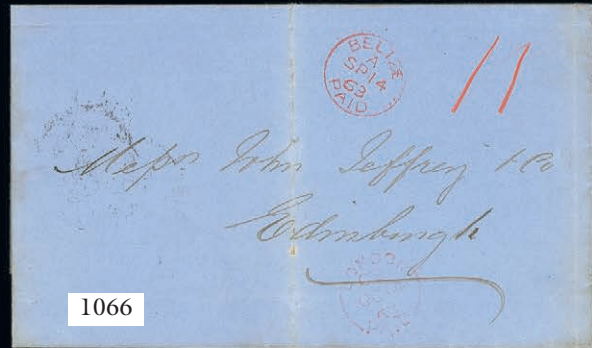
- x1073 ☒ 1851 (17 Sept.) entire letter from Belize forwarding agent Francisco Camoyano to Guatemala and showing "4" (14mm. high) charge handstamp. Photo £200-250
- x1074 ☒ 1852 (1 Sept.) entire letter from Guatemala to Paris, no marks of origin so probably carried privately to Belize and posted there, showing "15" (decimes) handstamp (deleted), framed "COLONIES/&C ART 13." handstamp and "ANGL/2/CALAIS" datestamp (19.10) on face, the reverse with Belize double-arc datestamp (16.9) across join, London and Paris datestamps. Photo £150-180
- x1075 ☒ 1860 (16 Oct.) entire letter from London to Guatemala, no marks of origin and struck in transit with rare oval handstamp of Belize forwarding agent Antonio Mathe and "4" (13mm. high) charge handstamp; minor faults on reverse though an attractive British Honduras f.a.c. cover. Photo £300-400  
PROVENANCE:  
Drs. Harper, March 2009
- x1076 ☒ 1862 (16 May) entire letter from London to Guatemala, bearing 1855-57 6d. lilac cancelled "12", showing "1" due to Belize Post Office, "6" Reales handstamp and, on reverse (part flap missing), despatch datestamp in blue and a light strike of the Belize datestamp (BSC1); one of five examples of this rare datestamp recorded and the earliest to Guatemala. Photo £150-180
- x1077 ☒ 1862 (2 June) envelope from Guatemala to France, showing despatch datestamp in red, "4" charge handstamp (13mm. high), "GB/2F" accountancy handstamp, "10" decimes handstamp and Calais entry datestamp, all on face, the reverse with Belize datestamp (BSC1), London and three French datestamps; one of five examples of this rare datestamp recorded and the earliest from Guatemala. Photo £150-180



1078

- x1078 ☒ 1875 (6 Jan.) entire from Guatemala on post office business "Via Belize" to Paris, rated "4" showing large triple-ring "ADMON GRAL de CORREOS/GUATEMALA" handstamp with a small quetzal and banner at centre inscribed "LIBERTAD/15/DE/SEPTIEMBRE/1824", superb "CORREOS DE GUATEMALA/PAQUETTES" despatch datestamp in red, very rare "BELIZE/PAID" bridge-type PD5 datestamp (15.1, 10 months earlier than recorded) and similar style London Paid (13.2) datestamp, all in red, oval-framed "PD" and Calais entry datestamp (14.2), all on face, two further French datestamps on reverse. Highly attractive and an almost certainly unique cover of exhibition quality. Photo £2,500-3,000  
PROVENANCE:  
Drs. Harper, March 2009

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## British Honduras - *contd.*

### Diplomatic Bag Mail

x1079 ☒

1878 and 1881 envelopes ex the Sir William Grey correspondence sent by diplomatic bag, the first a mourning type (no flap) from Guildford through the Colonial Office at Downing Street endorsed "*to be forwarded*" and bearing 1d. red cancelled "325", the second with Government House, British Honduras imprint on flap to his mother and bearing 1d. red cancelled by London S.P.P. "w c/4" duplex. An attractive pair of covers from this unusual correspondence

£150-200

*Note: William Grey Wilson (1852-1926) was Assistant Colonial Secretary in Belize, a career diplomat later knighted in 1904. He also served in Jamaica, Sierra Leone, St. Helena, the Falkland Islands and the Bahamas, the last three as Governor*

## GREAT BRITAIN USED IN BRITISH HONDURAS



1080

x1080 ○

1d. rose-red (defective) and 6d. lilac (2, one with wing-margin and one on 1860 front and part back to Sheffield) all cancelled by large "A06", 4d. rose with reduced wing-margin and 6d. lilac (2, one defective) each cancelled by small "A06", fair to fine strikes. S.G. Z1-Z3, £3,125. Photo

## No Watermark Issue

### "Florin" Head Die Proofs

x1081 ⑩

Head with horizontal lined background with uncleared surrounds, two stamp-size proofs in unissued designs, most noticeable in the arrangement of the Queen's hair, in black inset on thick card marked "*made as Exple for 1d. Postage*". Photo

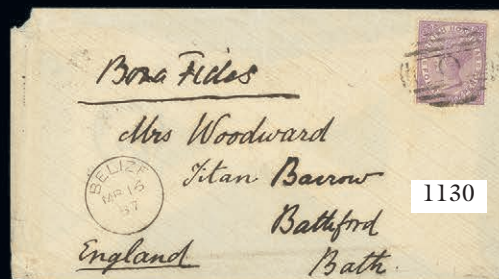
£400-500

*Note: British Honduras was the only Colony to use the "Florin" Head*

PROVENANCE:  
Sir Henry Tucker

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British Honduras, 1865 No Watermark Issue - *contd.*



1082



1083

x1082 ⑩

Head with horizontal lined background in unissued design and large uncleared surround with the surround encroaching on base of neck and showing some scratch marks, in black on glazed card (92x60mm.). Photo

£350-450

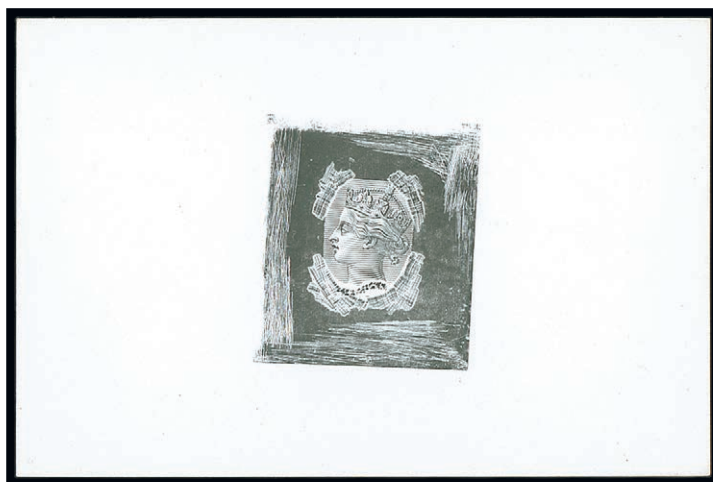
PROVENANCE:

Sir Henry Tucker

x1083 ⑩

Head with horizontal lined background in unissued design and large uncleared surround with the neck now clear, in black on glazed card (92x60mm.). Photo

£300-400



1084



1085

x1084 ⑩

Head with uncleared oval surround in unissued design and uncleared surround appearing to show initial signs of the garter around the head, in black on glazed card (92x60mm.). Photo

£350-450

PROVENANCE:

Sir Henry Tucker

x1085 ⑩

6d., stamp-size in black and inset on thick card. Photo

£500-600



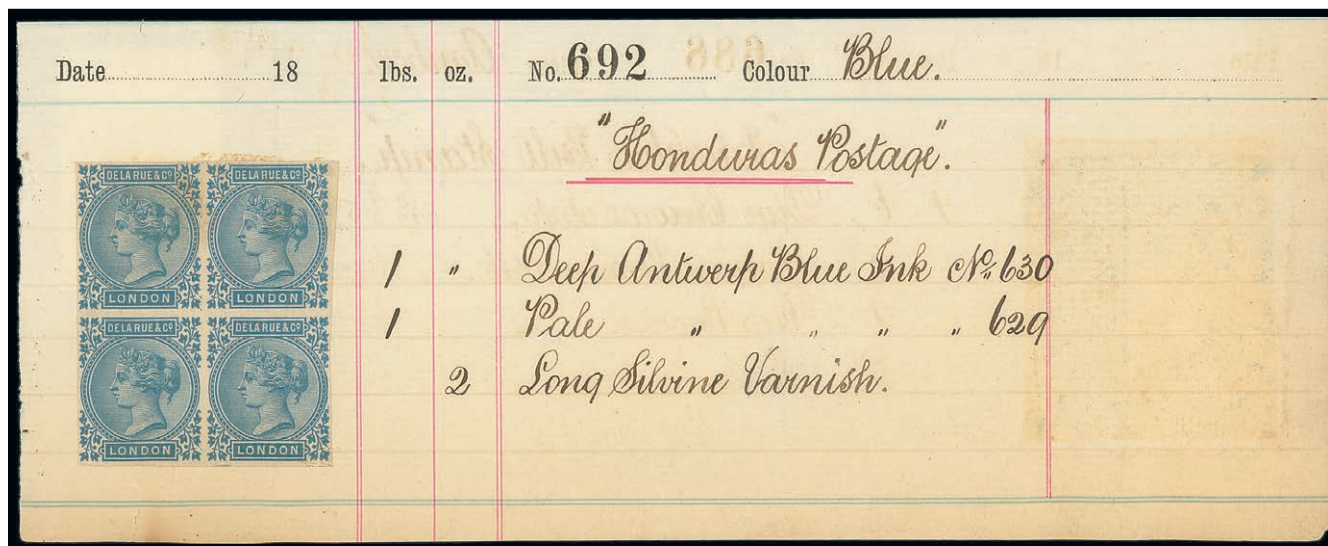
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x1086 ①

1/- in green on glazed card (92x60mm.) "1865" in blue; some removal of the surface at left and at top though a very rare proof in this colour. Photo

£800-1,000

## Ink Recipes



Ex 1087

x1087 ②田

Queen Victoria dummy stamp block of four on piece numbered "692" for "*Honduras Postage*", this shade made from pale and deep Antwerp blue the recipes, 629 and 630, for which accompany this piece with a similar block and a pair of the oblong dummy stamps, the reverse of the pieces originally had dummy stamps for Mauritius Bill stamp and two different recipes for Italy. Photo

£300-350



## British Honduras, 1865 No Watermark Issue - *contd.*

### Specimen Stamps

- x1088 ☉ 1d. pale blue and 1/- green, both handstamped "SPECIMEN" (D5), the 1d. with reduced wing margin and toned gum with some stains on face, the 1/- with two small thins at top. Photo £150-200
- x1089 ☉ 1d. pale blue, 6d. rose and 1/- green, each handstamped "SPECIMEN" (D2), part original gum; 1d. with a few clipped perfs, otherwise fine and a rare trio. B.P.A. Certificate (1985) for 1d. and R.P.S. Certificate (1999) for 1/- . Photo £1,000-1,200
- x1090 ☉ 1d. pale blue, 6d. rose and 1/- green, each handstamped "SPECIMEN" (D5) and affixed on piece of thin card (106x47mm.) taken from a De La Rue sample book. A rare set. Photo £500-600
- x1091 ☉ 1/- green handstamped "SPECIMEN" (D5), part original gum; fine. B.P.A. Certificate (1998). Photo £200-250

### Issued Stamps

- x1092 ★ 1d. pale blue (4, three with wing-margin), 1d. blue (4, one with wing-margin), 6d. rose and 1/- green (2, one with wing-margin), unused or with part to large part original gum; the 1d. blue with wing-margin with faults the others fair to fine with the 6d. very fine. S.G. 1-4, £1,905 £300-400
- x1093 ○ 1d. pale blue, 1d. blue, 6d. rose (3, two with wing-margin) and 1/- green, all cancelled with large "A06"; 1d. pale blue with clipped perfs. at foot, otherwise generally good to fine. S.G. 1-4, £780 £200-250
- x1094 ★田 1d. pale blue block of four cut "imperforate" beyond the perforations at left, large part original gum; fine and attractive. S.G. 1. Photo £300-350
- x1095 ★田 1d. blue block of four, large part original gum; tiny light pink mark on reverse of each. Scarce and attractive. S.G. 2. Photo £350-400
- x1096 ○ 1/- green horizontal strip of six with wing-margin at right, each cancelled with large "A06". A very rare and possibly unique multiple. S.G. 4. Photo £500-600

PROVENANCE:

R. Hart, February 1978

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British Honduras, 1865 No Watermark Issue - *contd.*

Covers



1097

x1097 △

1869 (6 Sept.) front to Aberdeen, Mississippi, bearing 1d. pale blue truncated wing-margin strip of three and a single each cancelled "A06", additionally tied by New Orleans transit datestamps (11.9) with despatch datestamp below and circular-framed "STEAMSHIP/10" handstamp at left; the adhesives with some trimmed perforations, the front rebacked and with some peripheral faults, nevertheless a rare and presentable franking of the first issue. Photo

£2,500-3,000

PROVENANCE:

Maurice Burrus, Ed Addis, March 1991

Simon Richards, October 2005



1098

x1098 ☒

1872 (15 July) envelope to New Orleans, bearing 1d. blue vertical strip of three and a single (defective corner) each cancelled "A06" and with Belize datestamp below, "JAMAICA/TRANSIT" handstamp at right over-cancelled by "N Y STEAMSHIP/10" transit datestamp (25.7), the reverse with Kingston, Jamaica transit c.d.s. (20.7). A very rare and attractive franking with only a handful of first issue covers recorded. A highly important exhibition cover. Photo

£6,000-8,000

PROVENANCE:

Drs. Harper, March 2009



## 1872-74 Watermark Crown CC Issue, Perf. 12½

## Die Proofs



1099

x1099 ⑩ 3d. in black on glazed card, marked “BEFORE HARDENING” and dated “*Aug. 2, 1872*”; minor browning at edges, otherwise fine. Photo £400-500

x1100 ⑩ 3d. in black, stamp-size and inset on thick card; stain at lower left corner. Photo £250-300

PROVENANCE:  
Drs. Harper, March 2009

## Imperforate Plate Proofs

x1101 ⑩ 1d. deep blue, good to very large margins, no gum, very fine, and a further example with wing margin at right, touched at base, part original gum, sold on its merits. Photo £250-300

x1102 ⑩ 3d. chestnut, good to large margins; small light stain at upper right. Photo £120-150

x1103 ⑩ 6d. rose, good regular margins, part original gum; fine. Photo £250-300

x1104 ⑩ 1/- green, small to good margins all round, no gum, small handstamp on reverse. Photo £150-200

## Issued Stamps

x1105 ★ 1d. pale blue, 1d deep blue (2, one showing **watermark inverted and reversed**, perf. defect at foot) and 3d. red-brown (two shades) the first without gum, the others with part original gum. S.G. 5-7, 5y, £1,005 £200-250

x1106 ○ 1d. blue (2, both showing damaged pin variety at top and foot), 3d. red-brown, 6d. rose, 6d. bright rose-carmine, 1/- green and 1/- deep green; 3d. with marks on reverse though all of good to fine appearance. S.G. 5-10a group, £342 £100-120

x1107 ★ 6d. rose, fresh unused with large part original gum; very fine. Philatelic Foundation Certificate (1981). S.G. 9, £450. Photo £200-250

PROVENANCE:  
Tompkins, November 2006

x1108 ★ 6d. rose, a pale delicate shade showing break in frame above “U” of “HONDURAS”, unused with part original gum. Most unusual. S.G. 9, £450, £450. Photo £140-180

Photos also appear on page 25

**British Honduras, 1872-74 Watermark Crown CC Issue, Perf. 12½, Issued Stamps - *contd.***

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| x1109 ★ | 1/- green showing break in frame above "B" of "BRITISH", unused with part original gum. Unusual. S.G. 10, £700. Photo           | £300-350 |
| x1110 ★ | 1/- deep green, variety <b>watermark inverted</b> , fresh unused with small part gum. Scarce. S.G. 10aw, unpriced unused. Photo | £180-200 |

PROVENANCE:

H. Barnstone, June 1980

"Foxley", March 2014

**1877-79 Watermark Crown CC Issue, Perf. 14**

**Die Proof**



1111

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|---------|---|----------|
| x1111 ① | 4d. in black on glazed card (92x60mm.), marked "BEFORE HARDENING" and dated "May 31 1879", very fine. Photo | £500-600 |
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**Cancelled Stamps**

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| x1112 ② | 3d. chestnut overprinted "CANCELLED", part original gum. Rare. Photo | £250-300 |
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PROVENANCE:

Dr. Conrad Latto, September 1993

"Foxley", March 2014

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| x1113 ③ | 4d. mauve with marginal letters watermark, overprinted "CANCELLED" (D4), unused without gum; a few perfs. trimmed in places. Rare. Photo | £150-200 |
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PROVENANCE:

Dr. Conrad Latto, September 1993

"Foxley" March 2015

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|---------|---|----------|
| x1114 ④ | 4d. mauve with part marginal letters watermark, overprinted "CANCELLED" (D7), unused without gum, perfs. trimmed at top. Rare. R.P.S. Certificate (1999). Photo | £150-200 |
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| x1115 ⑤ | 6d. rose, imperforate and handstamped "CANCELLED" (D6), no gum; vertical crease though rare. Photo | £150-200 |
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Photos also appear on page 25

**Specimen Stamps**

x1116 ⑤	1d. blue handstamped "SPECIMEN" (D8), traces of gum; fine and rare. R.P.S. Certificate (1996). Photo	£250-300
x1117 ⑤	1d. blue overprinted "SPECIMEN" (D11), some gum; perfs. partially trimmed at base. Rare. Photo	£200-250
x1118 ⑤	3d. chestnut, imperforate and handstamped "SPECIMEN" (D5), no gum; small surface abrasions. Rare. R.P.S. Certificate (1998). Photo  PROVENANCE: Derek Nathan	£200-250
x1119 ⑤	3d. chestnut, imperforate and handstamped "SPECIMEN" (D8), no gum. B.P.A. Certificate (1995). Photo	£250-300
x1120 ⑤	4d. mauve overprinted "SPECIMEN" (D8), small part gum. Rare. B.P.A. Certificate (1995). Photo	£250-300
x1121 ⑤	4d. mauve overprinted "SPECIMEN" (D11), small part gum. Rare. Photo	£150-300
x1122 ⑤	1/- green imperforate and overprinted "SPECIMEN" (D11), no gum; small scissor-cut at lower right corner just into design. Photo. R.P.S. Certificate (1999). Photo	£200-250

**Issued Stamps**

x1123 ★	1d. pale blue, 1d. blue, 3d. chestnut, 4d. mauve (marginal with plate number, lovely fresh colour), 6d. rose and 1/- green, the 1d. values without gum, the others with part original gum; 1d. blue with rounded corner, otherwise sound, S.G. 11-16, £1,445	£250-300
x1124 ○	1d. pale blue, 1d. blue, 3d. chestnut, 4d. mauve (6 with a strip of three with misplaced watermarks straddling the perforations and two with watermark inverted), 6d. rose and 1/- green, generally good to fine. S.G. 11-16, £362+	£150-200

**1882-87 Watermark Crown CA Issue****Imperforate Plate Proof**

x1125 ⑥	4d. mauve on gummed watermarked paper; cut very close to outer frameline at upper left, otherwise fine. The sole recorded example. Photo  PROVENANCE: "Foxley", March 2014	£700-800
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**Specimen Stamps**

x1126 ⑤	1d. rose and 1/- grey, both overprinted "SPECIMEN" (D11), unused with part original gum and without gum respectively; the 1/- with a few trimmed perfs. at top. S.G. 18s, 22s, £350	£100-120
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**Issued Stamps**

x1127 ★	1d. blue, 1d. rose, 1d. carmine, 6d. yellow (2) and 1/- grey, unused with part original gum; one 6d. with a couple of short perfs., 1/- grey with a corner crease, one 6d. fine. S.G. 17-19, 21, 22, £958	£200-250
x1128 ○	1d. blue, 1d. rose, 4d. mauve (11, eight, including a pair, showing large part of "CROWN AGENTS" marginal watermark, one with "+" watermark and one bisected and tied on piece), 6d. yellow and 1/- grey; used and generally good to fine. S.G. 17-22 group, £474+	£150-200

Photos also appear on page 25



**British Honduras, 1882-87 Watermark Crown CA Issue, Issued Stamps - *contd.***

- x1129 ★田 4d. mauve block of four, large part original slightly toned gum; folded between. S.G.20, £380. Photo £150-200

**Cover**

- x1130 匣 1887 (16 Mar.) envelope from Belize to Bath, bearing 4d. mauve cancelled "o" in oval of bars and showing despatch datestamp at lower left, arrival datestamp (13.4) on reverse; small corner fault, otherwise fine. Photo £300-400

**1888 (Jan.) Surcharges on 1872-79 Watermark CC Stamps, Perf. 12½**

- x1131 ★ 2c. on 6d. (2), one with damaged pin variety at top and foot, unused without gum and with (a pale shade), R.5/2, [26] with **broken "N" in "CENTS"**, unused with part original gum. S.G. 25, £380 £120-150



1132

- x1132 ○ 3c. on 3d. chocolate, two part cancellations; one shortish perf. at foot otherwise sound and a very collectable example of this very rare stamp of which only sixty were printed. B.P.A. Certificate (1964). S.G. 24, £6,000. Photo £1,800-2,000

PROVENANCE:  
William Fraser, October 2003

**1888 (Jan.) Surcharges on 1872-79 Watermark CC Stamps, Perf. 14**

**Essay**



1133

- x1133 ⑥ 2c. on 6d. rose with "2" with curved foot, unused with small part original gum. Rare with just eight examples believed known. R.P.S. Certificate (2009). S.G. 25c, £3,250. Photo £1,400-1,600

*Note: This example is from a trial block of eight illustrated in the London Philatelist by Beckton*

PROVENANCE:  
Sir Henry Tucker  
Simon Richards, October 2005

Photos also appear on pages 21 and 37

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## Issued Stamps

- x1134 ★ 2c. on 6c. rose, fresh unused with part original gum, and 3c. on 3d. chestnut, unused without gum. S.G. 25, 26, £300 £100-120
- x1135 ○ 2c. on 6d. rose (2, one with marginal line watermark, the other bisected and used on small piece) and 3c. on 3d. chestnut, Row 5/3, [26] with **broken “N” in “CENTS”**; also 2c. on 3c. Panelli forgery “used”. S.G. 25-26, £280+ £100-120
- x1136 ★ ㊦ 2c. on 6c. rose block of six (3x2), R. 2/5 or 8/5, [23] in the setting, the top centre stamp R. 2/5 [23] of the setting **broken “C” in “CENTS”**, unused with part original gum; two light fox marks on reverse and the lower left stamp either severed and rejoined or replaced with another, probably the former. B.P.A. Certificate (1987). S.G. 25, £1,140 £700-800



1137

- x1137 ★ 2c. on 6d. rose, variety **surcharge double**, unused with part original gum, fine and attractive. Rare. R.P.S. Certificate (1973). S.G. 25a, £2,500. Photo £700-800
- x1138 ★ ㊦ 3c. on 3d. chestnut marginal block of four from the right of the sheet, R.2/5 or 8/5, [23] in the setting, variety **broken “C” in “CENTS”**, large part original gum; traces of light toning on some perfs. A scarce multiple. R.P.S. Certificate (1992). S.G. £440+. Photo £150-200

## Cover

- x1139 ㊤ 1888 (17 Jan.) envelope from Belize “*via New Orleans La & New York*” to Berlin, bearing 2c. on 6d. rose (3, two bisected diagonally) and 3c. on 3d. chestnut all cancelled “o” in oval of bars and showing despatch datestamp below, the reverse with London (4.2) and arrival (6.2) datestamps; addressee expunged though the earliest recorded date of use of these surcharges and with only one other item, a card to Vienna, also known. Photo £400-500

## 1888 Surcharges on 1882-87 Watermark CA Stamps

- x1140 A collection comprising 2c. on 1d. (10 with a block of four and a marginal pair showing albino surcharges in margin), 10c. on 4d. (6 with a corner plate number pair with albino surcharges in margin), 20c. on 6d. (11 with a corner block of six) and 50c. on 1/- (2), unused or with part to large part original gum; 2c. on 1d. (3, two being bisects on piece), 10c. on 4d. (10, three being forged inverted surcharges), 20c. on 6d. (3) and 50c. on 1/- (ex Tompkins, R.P.S. Certificate, 1948), many showing broken type varieties, used; fair to fine £500-600
- x1141 ○ 2c. on 6d. rose, variety **surcharge inverted**, lightly cancelled; thinned at upper right and one short perf. A very rare stamp though sold on its merits and not subject to return. Photo £200-250
- x1142 ★ 2c. on 6d. rose, variety **surcharge double**, unused with part original gum; fine and scarce. R.P.S. Certificate (1993) incorrectly naming as used. S.G. 27b, £900. Photo £300-350
- x1143 ★ ㊦ 10c. on 4d. mauve pane of thirty (6x5) showing two plate numbers at top and two at foot, [4] showing **missing upper left hand serif on “N” of “CENTS”**, [17] showing **broken “C” of “2 CENTS”** and [28] with **broken “1” in “10”**, large part original gum with the lower left corner vertical pair, severed, replaced and re-inforced. A scarce and impressive multiple. S.G. 28, £2,100+ £600-800

Photos also appear on pages 21, 25 and 37

## British Honduras, 1888 Surcharges on 1882-87 Watermark CA Stamps - *contd.*

### Covers

- x1144 ☒ 1888 (22 May) envelope registered from Belize to Germany, bearing 2c. on 1d. bisected diagonally, 3c. on 3d. and 10c. on 4d. (2), all cancelled with oval of bars, showing "REGISTERED" handstamp, oval-framed "R", Belize datestamp, London and Liverpool registered oval datestamps, all on face; some creases clear of the adhesives and a few other small faults though an unusual franking; also 2c. on 1d. bisected diagonally on front addressed locally and 2c. on 1d. (2, one bisected diagonally) on faked envelope addressed locally (R.P.S. Certificate 2001) £200-250
- x1145 ☒ 1888 (23 May) OHMS envelope registered from Belize to Halifax, Nova Scotia, bearing 10c. on 4d. and 20c. on 6c. both neatly cancelled with "o" in oval of bars, showing "REGISTERED" handstamps and two "R" in oval of bars, all in red and despatch datestamp, all on face, St. John and Halifax datestamps on reverse; a little truncated at left though an attractive franking. Photo £150-200

## 1888 (Mar.) "TWO" on 50c. on 1/- Grey

### Issued Stamps

- x1146 A block of nine with narrow sheet margin at left and three singles, mint with the block (crease through lower row) unmounted, and three singles (one bisected vertically on piece), used, one stamp in the block and five of the singles with broken letter or numeral "5". S.G. 35, £940+ £300-350

### Cover

- x1147 ☒ 1889 (6 June) envelope registered to Germany, bearing "TWO" on 50c. on 1/- horizontal pair, one bisected diagonally and in combination with 1888 perf. 14 2c. on 6c., 3c. on 3d. and 1888 CA 2c. on 1d. and 10c. on 4d., all cancelled "o" in oval of bars and showing Belize datestamp alongside, "REGISTERED" handstamp at foot and London Registered oval datestamp additionally tying the 2c. on 6d., arrival datestamp (25.6) on reverse; envelope with light fold at left well clear of the adhesives. An attractive franking. Photo £500-600

## 1888-91 London Surcharges

### Specimen Stamps

- x1148 ☉ 1c. on 1d strip of three, 2c. on 1d., 3c. on 3d., 6c. on 3d. (2), 10c. lower left corner strip of three with plate number and adjoining single, 20c. on 6c. and 50c. on 1/-, all overprinted "SPECIMEN" (D12); also the set of seven each handstamped "SPECIMEN" in what is thought to be a bogus type with each affixed to piece of thin card. S.G. 36-42s £200-250

### Issued Stamps

- x1149 Collection on leaves, the mint including 1c. on 1d. block of sixty, 2c. on 1d. large part pane of fifty and a single (indented "ring" flaw) with **inverted watermark**, 3c. on 3d. block of four, 6c. on 3c. corner blocks of fifteen and thirty, 20c. on 6d. block of four and 50c. on 1/-, a few with type varieties noted; the used with one of each and 2c. on 1d. diagonal bisect on front, 2c. on 1d. vertical bisect on piece and 2c. on 1d. horizontal bisect pair on piece; generally good to fine. Cat. £1,350 £250-300
- x1150 ○ 1c. on 1d. dull green horizontal strip of three **imperforate at top due to paper fold**, used; some severed perfs. between the left-hand pair re-inforced. Most unusual. S.G. 36. Photo £400-500

### PROVENANCE:

C.L.J. Snowden, April 1944  
"Foxley", March 2014

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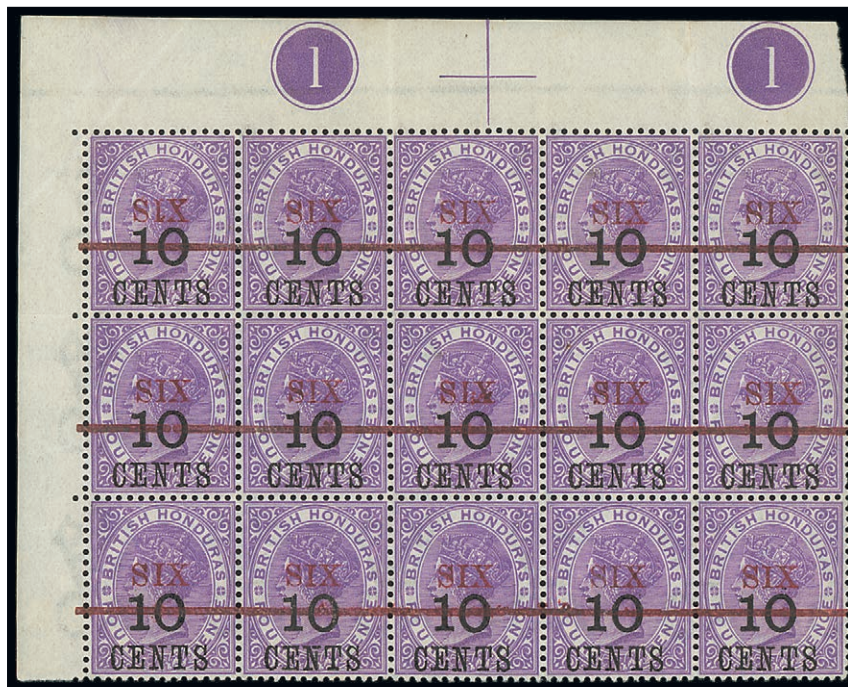


## Covers

- x1151 ☒ 1889 (25 June) OHMS envelope registered to Germany bearing 20c. on 6d. cancelled "o" in oval of bars with Belize datestamp at foot and showing "REGISTERED" handstamp, "R" in oval bars and London Registered datestamp, all in red, and 1890 (24 Oct.) envelope to Germany bearing 10c. on 4d. cancelled "o" in oval of bars and with Belize datestamp at left £200-250
- x1152 ☒ 1891 (May) *Aikman* envelopes (3) each bearing 2c. on 1d. pair, one bisected diagonally, one from Corozal with the adhesives cancelled "c", the other two (one unaddressed) with the stamps cancelled "o", a further undated envelope to Belize marked "Newspaper only" bearing single 2c. on 1d. single bisected diagonally and cancelled "K65", and 1892 (Apr.) to U.S.A. bearing 1c. on 1d. (6) cancelled "o". Also 1891 (Feb.) Guatemala 3c. red card to Belize with arrival datestamp on face £100-120
- x1153 ☒ 1891 (10 July) envelope registered from Belize to Germany, bearing 50c. on 1/- cancelled "c" with despatch datestamp alongside, "REGISTERED/BELIZE" and "R" in oval handstamps, and London Registered datestamp, all in red on face, arrival datestamp on reverse. A rare stamp used alone on cover. Photo £200-250

## 1891 (May) Six Cent Surcharges

## Essays



1154

- x1154 ⑥ ⑥ "SIX" in red on 10c. on 4d. mauve, an upper left corner plate block of fifteen (5x3), Row 2/1 showing **broken bar** and Row 3/2 with **broken "N"** in "CENTS", fresh mint with all the stamps remaining unmounted, two corner creases, one crossing the upper right-hand stamp, and a marginal single from Row 5/4 showing damaged "0" in "10". The block rare. Cat. £2,249+. Photo £1,500-2,000
- x1155 ⑥ "SIX" without bar in red on 10c. on 4d. mauve, two examples in contrasting shades, part original gum; one with a horizontal crease and one with a thin spot though of good appearance. R.P.S. Certificate (1992 and 1998). Cat. £1,100. Photo £250-300

Photos also appear on pages 21 and 37

**British Honduras, 1891 (May) Six Cent Surcharges - *contd.***

**Issued Stamps**

- x1156 A small collection including "6" in red on 10c. on 4d. (2, one toned) and "6" in black on 10c. on 4d. ("CROWN" of Crown Agents watermark towards foot) panes of thirty, both stamps in used blocks of four, and a few singles including one of each with damaged "0" in "10", one of each with surcharge misplaced to foot and "6" in black on 10c. on 4d. bisected diagonally and used on small piece; other than the one pane generally fine £150-200
- x1157 ★ "6" in red on 10c. on 4d. mauve, variety **"6" and bar inverted**, marginal with plate number, initialled "W G A" (W.G. Aikman) in ink on reverse, fresh mint with trace of mount only in margin; light fold at foot of margin, otherwise fine. S.G. 43a, £600 £300-350
- x1158 ★ "6" in red on 10c. on 4d. mauve, variety **"6" and bar inverted**, initialled *W.G.A* (W.G. Aikman) in ink on reverse, mint. Scarce. S.G. 43a, £600. Photo £250-300
- PROVENANCE:  
Sir Henry Tucker
- x1159 △ "6" in red on 10c. on 4d. mauve, variety **"6" and bar inverted**, tied to small piece by part "o" in oval of bars and with small part of "RECEIVED" handstamp. Scarce. R.P.S. Certificate (1983). S.G. 43a, £600. Photo £250-300



1160

- x1160 ★ "6" in black on 10c. on 4d. mauve, variety **"6" and bar inverted**, fresh mint; fine and very rare. An exceptional example. B.P.A. Certificate (2002). S.G. 44a, £4,500. Photo £2,500-3,000
- PROVENANCE:  
Tompkins, November 2006
- x1161 ○ "6" in black on 10c. on 4d. mauve, variety **"6" and bar inverted**, twice cancelled with part "o" in oval of bars; a little toned though of good appearance, otherwise sound. Scarce. B.P.A. Certificate (1935). S.G. 44a, £1,100. Photo £250-300

Photos also appear on page 37



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## Covers



1162

x1162 ☒

1892 (19 Feb.) Aikman envelope registered "per S.S. Stillwater" from Belize to New Orleans, bearing "6" in red on 10c. on 4d. mauve (2, one variety "6" **only inverted**), thrice cancelled "o" in oval of bars and showing Belize datestamp, "R" in oval, U.S. registration numbers and "RECEIVED/FEB 23 1892/NEW ORLEANS, LA" datestamp in magenta; envelope with some small faults and a little toned though an exceptionally rare variety, particularly on cover. B.P.A. Certificate (2006). S.G. 43, 43b, £6,500+. Photo

£2,500-3,000

*Note: Only six examples of the "6" only inverted can exist, as one of each of these errors came in the first six sheets, and the mistake was then corrected*

## PROVENANCE:

Sir Henry Tucker

Simon Richards, October 2005



1163

x1163 ☒

1892 (19 Feb.) Aikman envelope registered "per Stillwater" from Belize to New Orleans, bearing "6" in black on 10c. on 4d. mauve (2, one variety "6" **only inverted**), cancelled "o" in oval of bars and showing Belize datestamp, "R" in oval, U.S. registration numbers and "RECEIVED/FEB 23 1892/NEW ORLEANS, LA" datestamp in magenta; envelope with central vertical crease well clear of the adhesives. An exceptionally rare variety, particularly on cover. S.G. 44, 44b, £6,500+. Photo

£3,000-3,500

*Note: Only six examples of the "6" only inverted can exist, as one of each of these errors came in the first six sheets, and the mistake was then corrected*

## PROVENANCE:

Hart (1978)



British Honduras, 1891 (May) Six Cent Surcharges, Covers - *contd.*



1164

- x1164 ☒ 1892 (6 Apr.) Aikman imprint envelope registered from Belize “*via U.S.A.*” to Stanley Gibbons in London, bearing “6” in red on 10c. on 4d. mauve and “6” in black on 10c. on 4d. mauve, both variety “6” and bar inverted, both cancelled “o” in oval of bars and showing Belize datestamp, “r” in oval and Liverpool Registered oval datestamp (20.4), all on face; envelope toned and with adhesive tape stain at left though a rare franking. R.P.S. Certificate (1946). S.G. 43a, 44a, £1,700+. Photo £1,200-1,500
- PROVENANCE:  
Peter Jaffé, October 2006
- x1165 ☒ 1895 (26 Feb.) letter card registered from Belize to Germany, bearing “6” in red on 10c. on 4d. mauve horizontal strip of six, apparently from the top row of the pane cancelled “K65” in oval of bars and showing despatch datestamp, “r” in oval, Liverpool and London Registered oval datestamps, Ulm arrival datestamp (20.3) on reverse £300-400

## 1891 (Oct.) Surcharges

### Issued Stamps

- x1166 A small collection, the mint with 5c. on 5c. on 3d. (32) with a marginal block of thirty, several showing varieties including **broken bar** (one in each row), and 15c. on 6c. on 3d. (9), three showing additional impression of surcharge from contact with another pane of stamps, one with broken bar and one with thick bar; the used with 5c. on 3c. on 3d. (9) with two blocks of four, one with broken bar and one with wide pace between “i” and “v” of “FIVE”; generally fine and an interesting group £120-150
- x1167 ★ “FIVE” on 3c. on 3d., variety “FIVE” and bar double, widely spaced, fine mint. B.P.A. Certificate (1984). S.G. 49b, £375. Photo £140-180
- x1168 ★ “FIVE” on 3c. on 3d., variety “FIVE” and bar double, closely spaced, fine mint. Holcombe Opinion (1991). S.G. 49b, £375. Photo £140-180

### Covers

- x1169 ☒ 1893 (15 Sept.) envelope registered from Belize to Germany, bearing 15c. on 6c. on 3d. cancelled “o” in oval of bars and with despatch datestamp alongside, “r” in oval at left, two arrival datestamps 91.10) on reverse. A scarce stamp used alone. Photo £140-180
- x1170 ☒ 1897 (3 Dec.) envelope registered from Belize to Canada, bearing 5c. on 3c. on 3d. pair cancelled by Belize datestamp and with “r” in oval at left, U.S. registration numbers on face and transit datestamps on reverse and 1898 (17 Jan.) envelope to Germany bearing 5c. on 3c. on 3d. vertical strip of three cancelled by Belize datestamps, arrival datestamp (7.2) on reverse. An attractive pair £150-200

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British Honduras - *contd.*

## 1891-1901 Keyplate Issue

Essays



1171

x1171 ⑩ Master design for a new keyplate issue showing the head as used for previous issues, a new frame and the value tablet left blank, in ultramarine with the country name and side panels enhanced in Chinese white, on tracing paper (63-67x85mm.) dated "JAN. 19TH 91". Photo £800-1,000

x1172 ⑩ Imperforate proof in green and carmine with handpainted 50c. value tablet in rose and Chinese white, affixed to small piece; superb. Photo £500-600

### Die Proofs

x1173 ⑩ 1c., 5c. and 10c. country name and value tablets, each stamp-size in black on glazed card and affixed to De La Rue day book piece dated "Jan 30 60 leads from each die" and further, in red ink, "Feb 22.95", fine. Photo £400-500

PROVENANCE:

R. Hart February 1978

H. Barnstone, June 1980

John Sussex, November 2002

x1174 ⑩ 25c. country name and value tablets, in black on glazed card (92x60mm.) dated "7 JAN. 98"; fine. Photo £350-400

PROVENANCE:

R. Hart February 1978

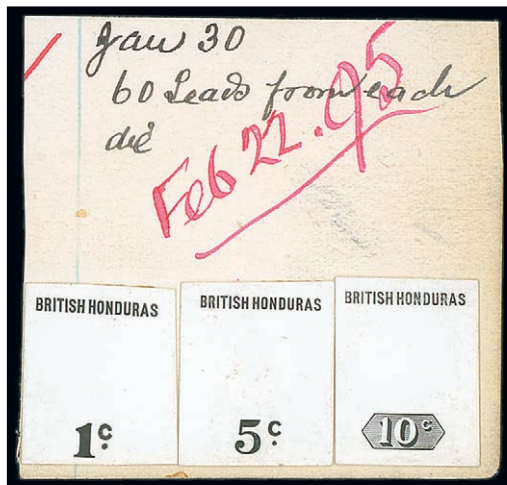
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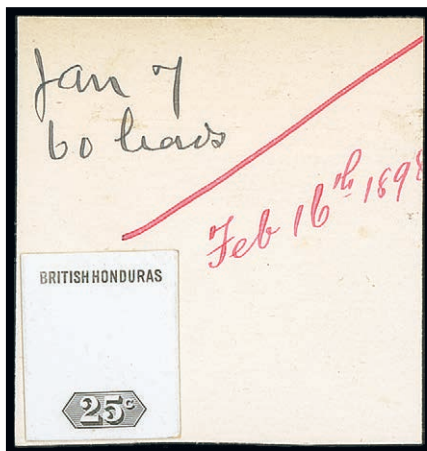




1173



1174



1175



1176

x1175 ①

25c. country name and value tablet, stamp-size in black on glazed card affixed to De La Rue day book piece marked "Jan 7 60 leads" and further, in red ink, "Feb 16th 1898", fine. Photo

£150-200

PROVENANCE:  
R. Hart February 1978  
H. Barnstone, June 1980  
John Sussex, November 2002  
Simon Richards, October 2005

x1176 ①

50c. country name and value tablets, in black on glazed card (92x60mm.) dated "20 SEP. 99"; fine. Photo

£350-400

PROVENANCE:  
Sir Henry Tucker  
Simon Richards, October 2005

British Honduras, 1891-1901 Keyplate Issue, Die Proofs - *contd.*



- x1177 ⑩ 50c., \$1, \$2 and \$5 country name and value tablets, each stamp-size in black on glazed card and affixed to De La Rue day book piece marked "*Sept 20 60 leads from each*" and further, in red ink, "*Oct 10th. 99*", fine. Photo £1,200-1,500
- PROVENANCE:  
R. Hart February 1978  
H. Barnstone, June 1980  
John Sussex, November 2002  
Simon Richards, October 2005
- x1178 ⑩ \$1 country name and value tablet, in black on glazed card (92x60mm.) dated "20 SEP. 99", fine. Photo £350-400
- PROVENANCE:  
Sir Henry Tucker  
Simon Richards, October 2005
- x1179 ⑩ \$2 country name and value tablet, in black on glazed card (92x60mm.) dated "20 SEP. 99", fine. Photo £350-400
- PROVENANCE:  
Sir Henry Tucker  
Simon Richards, October 2005
- x1180 ⑩ \$5 country name and value tablet, in black on glazed card (92x60mm.) dated "20 SEP. 99", fine. Photo £350-400
- PROVENANCE:  
Sir Henry Tucker  
Simon Richards, October 2005

**“POSTAGE POSTAGE” Imperforate Imperium Proofs**

- x1181 ⑩ 2c. with unshaded value tablet from an Appendix sheet dated 13 March 1891, in ultramarine and affixed to piece marked “6 Cents” and initialled in red ink, fine. Photo £500-600  
 PROVENANCE:  
 John Sussex, November 2002  
 Simon Richards, October 2005
- x1182 ⑩ 2c. with shaded value tablet from an Appendix sheet dated 13 March 1891, in mauve and green affixed to piece marked “12 Cents” and initialled in red ink. Photo £500-600
- x1183 ⑩ 2c. with shaded value tablet from an Appendix sheet dated 13 March 1891, in yellow and blue-green affixed to piece marked “24 Cents” and initialled in red ink. Photo £500-600  
 PROVENANCE:  
 John Sussex, November 2002
- x1184 ⑩ 6d. Die II, white numeral with shaded value tablet from an Appendix sheet dated 15 December 1897, in maroon and black affixed to small piece. Photo £300-350  
 PROVENANCE:  
 John Sussex, November 2002

**“POSTAGE & REVENUE” Imperforate Imperium Proofs**

- x1185 ⑩ 6d. solid and white numeral vertical pair on CA watermarked paper, the colour combination used for the \$2 value; very fine. Photo £500-600  
*Note: This colour combination was also used for the Leeward Islands 1890 5/-, the St. Vincent 1899 5/- and Sierra Leone 1896 2/-*  
 PROVENANCE:  
 John Sussex, November 2002  
 Sir Gawaine Baillie, November 2006

**“POSTAGE & REVENUE” Perforated Imperium Proofs**

- x1186 ⑩ 2c. white numeral in green and red as used for the 50c. value, perf. 14 on gummed unwatermarked paper. Photo £200-250  
*Note: This colour combination was also used for the Gold Coast 1889 20s.*  
 PROVENANCE:  
 Sir Gawaine Baillie, November 2006
- x1187 ⑩ 6d. white numeral in green and red as used for the 50c. value, perf. 14 on gummed unwatermarked paper; perfs. clipped at foot. Photo £120-150  
*Note: This colour combination was also used for the Gold Coast 1889 20s.*  
 PROVENANCE:  
 Sir Gawaine Baillie, November 2006

**Imperforate Colour Trials**

- x1188 ⑩ 1c. in green and lilac on ungummed, unwatermarked paper; fine. Photo £200-250  
 PROVENANCE:  
 “Foxley”, March 2014
- x1189 ⑩ 1c. in green and deep lilac, affixed to small piece, fine. Photo £200-250
- x1190 ⑩ 1c. in green and carmine, affixed to piece marked “\$1”, fine. Photo £250-300
- x1191 ⑩ 1c. in green and ultramarine, affixed to piece marked “\$2”, fine. Photo £250-300
- x1192 ⑩ 1c. in green and black, affixed to piece marked “\$5”, fine. Photo £250-300

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**British Honduras, 1891-1901 Keyplate Issue, Imperforate Colour Trials - *contd.***

x1193 ⑩	5c. in grey-black and ultramarine on blue, the colour of the 1900 stamp, affixed to piece initialled "WHM", fine. Photo PROVENANCE: Sir Henry Tucker Simon Richards, October 2005	£250-300
x1194 ⑩	5c. in grey-black and ultramarine on gummed CA watermarked paper, fine. Photo PROVENANCE: Sir Henry Tucker Simon Richards, October 2005	£250-300
x1195 ⑩	6c. in ultramarine with sheet margin at foot showing Jubilee line, on gummed CA watermarked paper, fine. Photo PROVENANCE: Sir Henry Tucker Drs. Harper, March 2009 "Foxley", March 2014	£250-300
x1196 ⑩	10c. in green and magenta on ungummed, unwatermarked paper, fine. Photo	£250-300
<b>Specimen Stamps</b>		
x1197 ⑤	1c. to \$5 set of fifteen, the 2c., 3c., 6c., 12c. and 25c. in horizontal strips of three and with additional \$1 and \$5 (2), all overprinted "SPECIMEN" (D12), the 6c. showing broken "M" in "SPECIMEN", mint; the additional \$5 values a fraction toned though generally fine with the strips, which are rare, being mostly unmounted	£300-400
x1198 ⑤	10c. dull purple and green and 50c. to \$5, each overprinted "SPECIMEN" (D12) and later handstamped "ULTRAMAR" in blue by a Postal Receiving Authority, the 10c. without gum, the 50c. to \$5 most unusually mint. Photo	£200-250
<b>Issued Stamps</b>		
x1199	A mint and used collection, the mint including a set of fifteen and additional 1c. (3, two with Plate 2), 2c., 5c. grey-black and ultramarine on blue, 6c. 10c. dull purple and green (2, one with Plate 3) and 24c. blocks of four, 6c. Plate 2 block of eight and \$2, the used with set less 6c., and with a few additional values to 12c. cancelled with oval of bars; the high value postmarks not all guaranteed and not returnable with viewing essential. Generally good to fine	£300-400
x1200 ○	1c. dull green showing major misplacement of the country name and duty plate to the lower right, used. A spectacular variety. S.G. 51 var. Photo	£150-200
x1201	1c. dull green with part original gum, 2c. carmine-rose and 5c. ultramarine used, all three with showing <b>malformed "s"</b> ; the used with a couple of small faults though an unusual trio. KGVII Expertising Certificate (2015). S.G. 51a, 52a, 54a, £705. Photo for 5c.	£200-250
x1202	2c. rose-carmine mint with part original gum and used, both showing <b>malformed "s" repaired</b> . R.P.S. Certificate (1993) for mint example stating it is not a constant variety. S.G. 52b, £515. Photo for mint	£120-150
x1203 ★	3c. brown, variety <b>watermark inverted</b> , mint. S.G. 53w, £300. Photo	£100-120
x1204 F	10c. mauve and green, 12c., 24c., 50c., \$2 and \$5, each with Madame Joseph Type 74 forged datestamps; also four basic genuine stamps with the original country name and value tablets bleached out and replaced with \$1, \$2 (2) and \$5 values	£120-150
x1205 ★	50c., \$1, \$2 and \$5, part (\$5) to large part original gum. S.G. 62-65, £615	£150-180
x1206 ○	\$5 green and black, fine used. B.P.A. Certificate (2014). S.G. 65, £475. Photo PROVENANCE: "Foxley", March 2014	£150-200







**British Honduras, 1891-1901 Keyplate Issue - *contd.***

**Covers**

x1207 ☒	1892-1903 envelopes (9) and a front all from Belize to Austria franked at 10c. (2x6c.), Germany at 7c. (1c. plus 6c.), U.K. at 30c. (5x6c.) and U.S.A. (7) at 5c. (4, three different), 6c., 8c. (6c. plus Edward 2c.) and 10c., four cancelled with obliterators, the others with datestamps with the item to Germany showing short-lived double-ring BDC-1 type; a couple with faults though generally fine	£200-250
x1208 ☒	1893-1902 envelopes and a front all registered from Belize to U.K. at 7c., 12c. and 17c., and U.S.A. at 10c. (3), 11c., and 15c. (the front with 10c. and Edward 5c.), two cancelled with obliterators (one the scarce oval of bars), the others with datestamps, a couple under or over franked. An attractive group	£250-300
x1209 ☒	1905 <i>Kinze</i> envelope registered from Belize to Germany, bearing \$1 with neat datestamp and with oval-framed "R" in oval alongside, arrival datestamp (7.8) on reverse. A scarce stamp used alone	£150-200

**1899 "REVENUE" ISSUE**

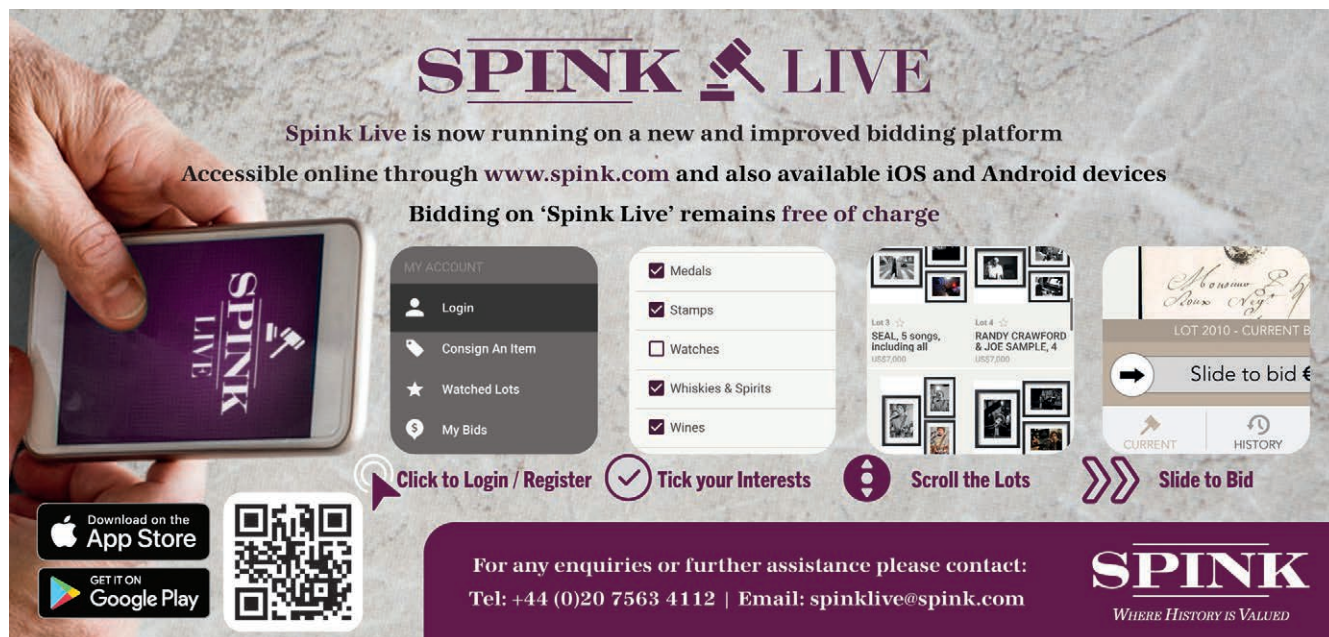
x1210 ★	The set of four with overprint 12mm. long, the set of four with overprint 11mm. long 5c. marginal with plate number, and 5c. marginal block of four, [43-50], with [44] showing overprint 12mm. long, good to fine mint; also 25c. and 50c. on 1/- fiscally used. S.G. 66-69, 66d, 67c, 68d, 69c, £817+. Photo	£200-250
x1211	The set of four with overprint 12mm. long, mint plus 5c. and 25c. used plus another 50c. on 1/- cleaned, all [34] from the first printing with variety "BEVENUE"; the mint 50c. on 1/- not guaranteed and sold on its merits. S.G. 66-68a, £1,335+	£500-600
x1212	The set of four with overprint 12mm. long, with additional 5c. marginal pair, 25c. (2, one marginal with plate number), all with part to large part original gum, and used 10c., all [5] variety <b>tall narrow "U"</b> . A scarce and fine group. R.P.S. Certificate (1988) for 50c. on 1/-	£150-180
x1213	The set of four with overprint 12mm. long, the 5c. used, the other three mint, all variety <b>broken third "E"</b> (sometimes referred to as the small "E" variety), 5c. (2, one with the same variety) on 1899 envelope registered from Belize to U.S.A., and 25c. mint with variety <b>wide space between "REV" and "ENUE"</b> . A fine group	£200-250
x1214 ★田	5c. and 25c. blocks of four with overprint 12mm. long, one in each showing variety "BEVENUE", fresh lightly mounted mint. A most attractive pair. S.G. 66/a, 68/a, £471+	£180-200
x1215	5c. ultramarine, variety <b>malformed "s" at right</b> , Plate 2 Row 7/3, fresh mint, and a used example (horizontal crease) cancelled with neat 1900 double-ring datestamp. S.G. 66b, £1,050. Photo for mint	£300-350
x1216 ★国	10c. mauve and green, a complete left-hand pane less the top row, [30] showing variety "REVENUE" and with [43], [45-48/49-54/55-60] with overprint 11mm. long, four other stamps with minor type varieties. A rare multiple proving that the "BEVENUE" error was corrected yet the "REVENUE" was not. S.G. 67, 67b, 67c, £1,845  PROVENANCE: R. Hart, February 1978 "Foxley", March 2014	£800-1,000
x1217 ★	10c. mauve and green horizontal pair with overprint 12mm. long, the right-hand stamp, [30] variety "REVENUE", and a marginal single with overprint 11mm. long, [54], with "E" partially failing to print, fine mint. R.P.S. Certificate (1992) for the pair. S.G. 67/b, 67c var., £745+. Photo for pair	£300-350



- x1218 ★ 25c. red-brown and green, [36], variety “REVE UE”, fresh unused with part original gum; very rare with only three examples apparently recorded. Also a used example (soiled and two corner creases at upper left) showing an early state of the variety with “N” lightly printed. B.P.A. Certificate (2003) for the mint example. S.G. 69b, £2,500+. Photo for mint  
£1,500-2,000
- Note: Of the three examples that have been recorded with the “N” completely omitted one was in the Manus collection, sold by Plumridge in 1933, and one is in the Royal Philatelic Collection*
- x1219 ★ 25c. red-brown and green Plate 2, Row 7/3, [39], variety repaired “s” at right, fresh with part original gum. Scarce. S.G. 68c, £750. Photo  
£250-300
- Cover**
- x1220 ☒ 1899 (3 Nov.) envelope to New Orleans, bearing 5c, ultramarine (corner bend) with overprint 11mm. long, and 1901 (13 Dec.) envelope to New York bearing 10c. mauve and green with overprint 12mm. long, both from Belize and neatly cancelled by datestamp with arrival datestamps on reverse. An unusual pair as there was no need for these stamps to be used postally, however they did have postal validity like any other “Postage & Revenue” issue  
£150-200

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- x1221 ☉ 1948 Olympic Games 1r. on 1/- brown with margin at right, variety **surcharge double**, fine unmounted mint. S.G. guarantee h.s. on reverse. KGVI Expertising Certificate (2011). S.G. 30a, £1800. Photo £700-900

**BURMA**

- x1222 ☒ 1891-1941 collection of Rangoon cancellations on envelopes (53, four registered), stationery cards (6) and envelopes (18) and a cheque, variously addressed and franked, cancellations includes slogans, Rangoon R.M.S., G.P.O. Sorting, Reg, Train Late, Potataung REG, Magyidan, Pazundaung, East London, Minto-Manbisno, Arlone, Merchant Street REG, Thongwa, Botataung and Rangoon University. A most interesting lot well worth examination £500-600

**CANADA**

- x1223 ☉ 1983 (Feb.) Maple Leaf 32c. with variety **beige (background) and tagging omitted**, fine unmounted mint. B.P.A. Certificate (2009). S.G. 1032b var; Unitrade 924 T1c, \$1500. Photo £250-300

**CAPE OF GOOD HOPE**

- 1224 ○ 1861 Woodblock 4d. pale milky-blue, huge margins and large part of neighbouring stamp to foot, crisp cancellation to centre; fine. S.G. 14, £2,250. Photo £500-700

**Mafeking Siege**

- 1225 ★ 1900 1d. pale blue on blue and 1d. deep blue on blue, each with large part original gum; some peripheral rubbing to some perforations, otherwise fine. S.G. 17-18, £2,400. Photo £400-600

**CAYMAN ISLANDS**

- 1226 ★ 1900-50 mint collection in Exeter album including 1902-05 CA ½d. to 6d., 1905 MCA ½d. to 1/- with additional ½d., 1d. and 6d. showing *dented frame*, 1907 MCA ½d. to 5/- with additional 1/- plate number block of four, 1907 (Aug.) ½d. on 1d., 1907-09 ½d. to 10/-, 1908 1d. on 4d., 1912-20 MCA ¼d. to 10/- with paper changes, 1917 (Feb.) War Stamp 1½d. (Type 14) on 2½d. with no fraction bar and 1½d. (Type 15) on 2½d. with no fraction bar and straight serif (2, one in a corner plate number block of four), 1917 (Sept.) War Stamp 1½d. (Type 17) on 2½d. with watermark reversed, 1921-26 MCA 3d. to 10/- and Script ¼d. to 10/-, 1932 Centenary ¼d. to 10/-, 1935 ¼d. to 10/-, 1938-48 ¼d. to 10/- and 1950 ¼d. to 10/-, fresh and fine mint £800-1,000

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- x1227 ★ 1907 (Nov.) “1D” on 5/- salmon and green, variety **surcharge double**, fine mint. Extremely rare, eight mint examples recorded including one in a block of four and two in a pair. B.P.A. Certificate (1933). S.G. 19a, £22,000. Photo £6,000-7,000

### CEYLON

- 1228 ★ 1856-1953 mint collection including 1857-64 imperf ½d. and perf 12½ ½d. (2), 1861-64 wmk Star, clean-cut and intermediate perf 1d. dull blue, 5d. and 1/-, rough perf 9d. and 1/-, 1863-66 CC perf 12½ ½d. (2, one with watermark inverted), 1d., 2d. grey-green pair, 2d. emerald, 4d. (straight-edge at right), 5d. grey-olive with watermark reversed and 8d., 1867-70 CC 2d. (3, one with watermark inverted and one with watermark reversed), 4d. (2, one with watermark reversed), 6d. block of four and singles (2, one with watermark reversed), 10d. (2) and 1/- (3), 1883-86 CA 2c. pale brown, 1885 5c. on 8c. to 1r.12 on 2r.50 less 28c. on 32c., 1887 CC 1r.12 (2, one with watermark upright), 1892 3c. on 28c. pair with surcharge double, 1899-1900 2c. to 2r.25 (2), 1903-05 CA 2c. to 2r.25 plus additional 6c. with watermark inverted), 1904-05 MCA 2c. to 2r.25 in pairs, all but 1r.50 with plate number, 1910-11 2c. to 10r., 1912-25 1c. to 10r. (5, two die II) and 20r. with some additional shades/paper changes and some watermark varieties, 1918-19 War Stamp 5c. purple with watermark inverted, 1921-22 1c. to 20r. with some die II and watermark varieties, 1926 (Nov.) 2c. on 3c. with surcharge double, 1927-29 1r. to 20r., 1938-49 2c. to 5r. and Official 1869 8d., 1895 2c. to 1r.12 less 3c. and 1903-04 2c. to 30c. A fresh and fine lot £6,000-8,000
- 1229 ☉ 1925 MCA 1000r. purple on red, overprinted “SPECIMEN” in black, large part original gum; fine. S.G. 323s, £1,800. Photo £500-700

### CHINA

- 1230 ○ 1894 Dowager Empress 1ca. to 24ca., 9ca. cancelled in black, the others in blue, a few short perfs., fine and scarce. S.G. 16-24, £1,800. Photo £500-600
- x1231 ★ 1943 Provincial surcharges, Hunan 50c. on 16c. olive-brown, variety perf. 11x13 and thin “16” at right, (position 200), unused without gum, sheet margin at right, fine and possibly unique. S.G. 689da, var. Photo £250-300
- East China**
- x1232 ★ East China Peoples Post: 1949 Parcel Post set of four to \$50,000 on \$5, unused without gum; fine and fresh. S.G. ECP397-400, £325 £80-100



**China - *contd.***

**North China**

x1233 ★ ☒ North China Peoples Post: 1949 Labour Day set of five in blocks of four, variety imperf. between both horizontally and vertically from a special printing (perforated around the outer edges of the blocks only), unused without gum; fine. S.G. NC313-317vars. £150-200

x1234 ★ Suiyuan-Inner Mongolia Border Area: 1949 \$2 on \$3,000 deep claret, unused; fine and scarce. S.G. NC378, £750. Photo £250-300

**Shanghai**

x1235 ★ 1896 2c. brownish red and black, variety **inscriptions inverted**, large part original gum; fresh and fine. A rare variety. S.G. 187a, £3,000. Photo £800-1,000

**CYPRUS**

1236 ★ 1925 £5 black on yellow, lightly mounted mint; a fine example of this popular high value. S.G. 117a, £3,750. Photo £800-1,000

**DUBAI**

1237 ☒ Selection of nine postal stationery items, including Postal cards 1963 10 N.P. red on blue with additional impression of 15 N.P. brown, Aerogrammes 1964 20 N.P. to 40 N.P., 1965 20 N.P. to 40 N.P., etc., unused, fine £100-120

1238 ☐☒ Aerogrammes: 1963-67 selection of 16 different, including 1963 20 N.P. to 40 N.P. (2 different sets), later issues with 60f. on 20d. Eagle (two different types), etc., fine £150-200

**FIJI**



1239

1239 ☒ 1881 envelope from Levuka to London, bearing 1877 (Jan.) laid paper 6d. rose pairs (2), both neatly and clearly tied by "sunburst" cancel (Proud Type K1), showing framed "TOO LATE" h.s. (unlisted by Proud) partly overstruck by red London Paid arrival d.s. (26.9). A magnificent franking which is probably, if not the, finest cover bearing this issue and a major exhibition showpiece. Photo £10,000-12,000

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**FRANCE**

- 1240 ○ 1849-2013 largely complete used collection housed in two albums and on loose sheets in a box including 1849-52 40c. orange (2) and 1f. carmine (2), Imperforate Empire Issue 10c. bistre, 1c. olive-green (3) and 25c, blue, 1917-18 Orphans set to 5fr.+1fr., 1923 Bordeaux Philatelic Congress, 1927 Strasbourg Miniature sheet, 1929 Le Havre, 1929 Tourist Issue to 20fr. Pont Du Gard and PEXIP 1937 Miniature sheet etc; chiefly fine £2,500-3,000

**Reunion**

- 1241 ㉔ 1938 Airmail perf. 12½, 6f.65 brown and red, upper marginal vertical pair, the top stamp **without surcharge**, unmounted mint; an incredibly scarce variety and particularly visual as a pair with the normal surcharged stamp, fine. Yvert 3 var. Photo £2,500-3,500

**GERMANY**

- 1242 1889-1900 "Crown/Eagle" issue, the exceptional highly specialised collection housed in fourteen large stockbooks and some others contained in two cartons, including 2pf. (270+), 3pf. (1,470+), 5pf. (2,500+). 10pf. (4,200+), 20pf. (1,000+), 25pf. (240+) and 50pf. (580+), mostly with identified plate flaws, several with "short" certificates, mostly used but with some mint, mostly unmounted or used positional multiples showing identified plate flaws; chiefly fine. Stated to Cat. €90,000+ with no account taken for rare shades, cancellations, thick papers, etc. Also a carton of associated literature and an empty stock book. A remarkable lot that would be very difficult to replicate £10,000-12,000

**Allied Occupation - Russian Zones****Saxony**

- x1243 ㊄ 1945-46 imperf. 3pf. yellow-brown, watermark steps up from left to right when viewed from the reverse (Stufen steigend von der Rückseite gesehen), a **vertical strip of five** from the foot of the sheet with numeral "6" in the margin, unmounted mint, a couple of very minor gum bends or wrinkles; fine. The largest recorded strip of this variety and one of the greatest rarities of the Allied Occupations. Jasch Certificate (2019). Michel 67Y, €20,000. Photo £2,000-2,500

**GIBRALTAR**

- x1244 ㊄ 1938-51 perf 13, watermark sideways, 2d. grey complete sheet of sixty (folded) with variety "**A**" of "**CA**" **missing from watermark** (R.1/7), fine unmounted mint. S.G. 124b/124ba, £1700+ £500-600

**GOLD COAST**

- 1245 Collection of postmarks on stamp and piece (760+) well written up and contained in green album including 1907 Aboso Proud D2 single and pair on one piece, 1893 Ada D4; Apam D3, D4 and D7 (clear strikes), Asamama D1, 1953 and 1955 Ashanti Newton D9 (before Proud dates), Axim coded D2 x4, 1907 Bengoro D2 on piece, 1923 Beyin D7, 1904 Half Assini D3 with 1928 D3 struck twice tying two stamps to piece, 1930s Jamasi D4, faint Jumapo D2 on piece, group of Kwitta, Obuasi D2 (1909), D3 (1903) and D5, Saltpond D2 (1888) and D3 (1889) both well struck, 1887 Secondee D2, 1899 Tarkwa D2, Winnebah D2. £500-600

**GREECE**

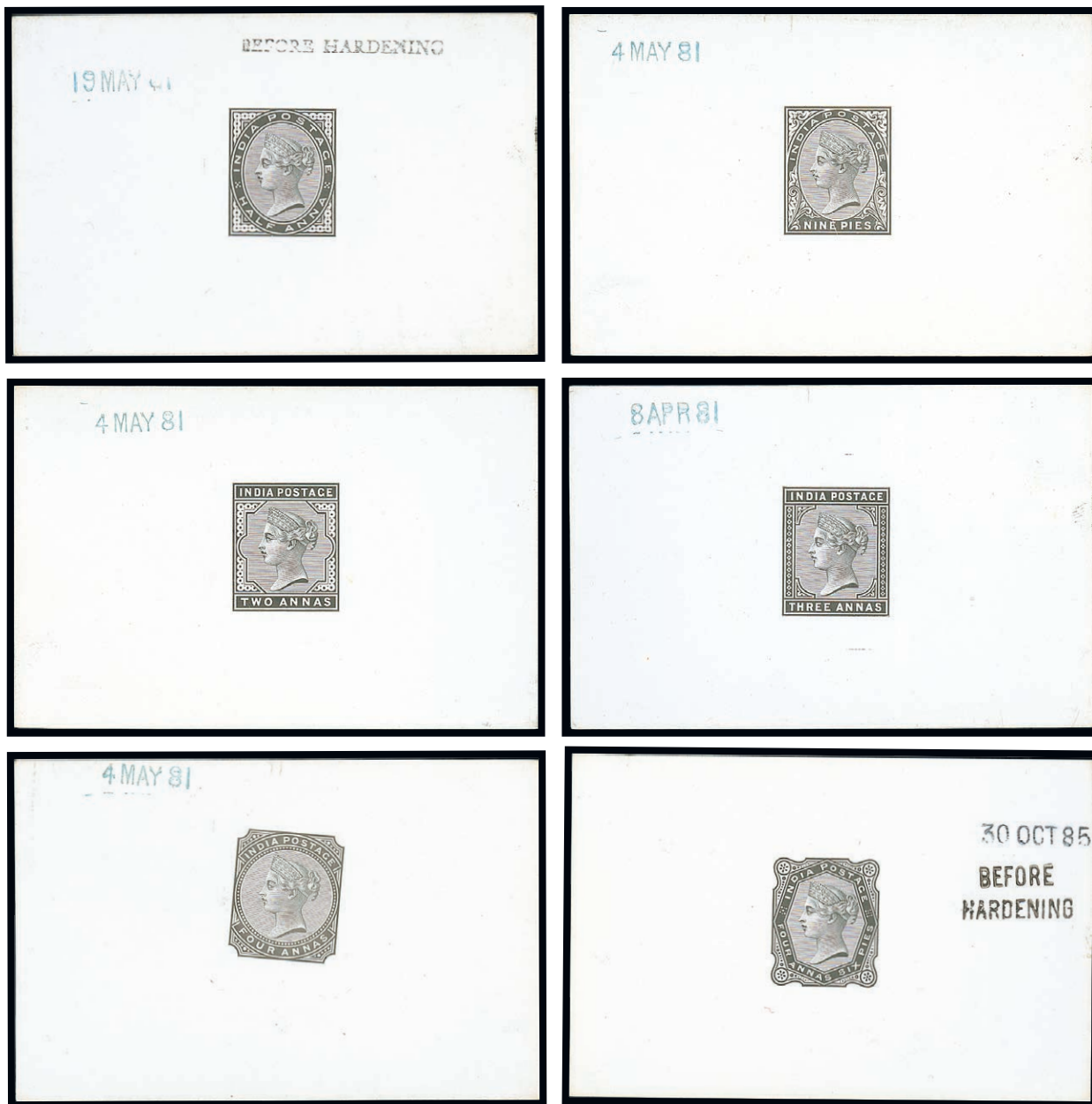
- 1246 Early to modern mint and used selection housed in a stockbook, including 1917 Venizelist 50L. block of 24, 1d. block of 26, 1961 Europa set in mint sheets of 50, etc., mixed condition £100-150

Photos appear on page 55

## HONG KONG

- x1247 ④ 1975 (Oct.) Birds 50c. with variety **brown omitted**, very fine unmounted mint. With normal for comparison. S.G. 335a, £900. Photo £350-450
- x1248 ④ 1976 (Apr.) Girl Guides Diamond Jubilee \$1.30 with variety **light blue (background) omitted**, fine unmounted mint. With normal for comparison. Unlisted in S.G. Photo £150-180

## INDIA



1249

- x1249 ④ 1882-90 1/2a., 9p., 2a., 3a., 4a. and 4a.6p. die proofs, each in black on glazed card (92x60mm.), the 1/2a. and 4a.6p. marked "BEFORE HARDENING", the first five dated in May 1881, the last dated "30 OCT 85". A fine group. Photo £2,000-2,500

Photos also appear on page 43



- x1250 ☒ A collection of Sea Post Office cancellations in an album comprising envelopes (20), Indian stationery envelope and picture postcards (36) showing several types of cancellation with mail from Burma (2), Canada (2), Germany (10), GB, India (4) and U.S.A. A good lot well worth viewing £400-500

### Telegraph Stamp

- x1251 ⑥ 1860 "ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH" 1r. reddish purple, imperforate imprimatur, from the right of the sheet with part inscription, unused without gum, some loss of blueing (with resultant colour suffusion on the reverse); still a beautiful item with near perfect surface and bright colour. One of only three recorded in private hands. S.G. T2 Proof. Photo £1,000-1,200
- PROVENANCE:  
Terry Sturton, March 1999

## IRAN

- x1252 △ Ahmed Shah letterhead with circle in brown and gold embossed Lion, inscription and Crown. Attractive and rare. £200-300
- x1253 △ Ahmed Shad and Nassre-ed-din-Shah letterheads with circles in brown or green and with embossed inscription, Lion and Crown in Gold; fine £250-300
- x1254 Mint and used selection (47) including first types, Barre Essays, 1881 50c. proof in black, 1881-82 10f., perf. errors, etc., mixed condition £200-250

### 1901-02 Surcharges

- x1255 ★ 5kr. on 50kr. reddish brown, handstamped in blue, horizontal pair, **one without handstamp**, large part original gum; fine and scarce. Persiphila Certificate. S.G. 180a, var. Photo £150-200
- x1256 ★田 5kr. on 50kr. reddish brown, handstamped in blue, block of four, two with handstamp diagonal, one surcharge diagonal inverted and the last with surcharge horizontal, large part original gum; fine. S.G. 180a, vars. Photo £150-200

### 1902 "Tomans" Money Order Issue

- x1257 ○ 50t. magenta, Abbassi cancellation and control "0529", touched at places, rare postally used. Persiphila 273 and with Certificate £80-100
- x1258 ○ 100t. bronze-red, Hamadan cancellation and Control "560", large margins and fine. Rare postally used. Persiphila 274 and with Certificate. Photo £150-200

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- x1259 ☒ 1906 typeset 2ch. grey, horizontal strip of three, tied by two violet oval negative seal cancellations of Khansar to reverse of cover; cover faults but rare. Only four covers recorded with this cancellation. S.G. 293. Photo £250-300

### 1911-13 Ahmed Mirza

- x1260 ★ 1ch. to 30kr. set of 21, 1922 Controle 1ch. to 30kr. (set with only one 3ch.), large part original gum, probably second printing. S.G. 361-381, 555-557, 559-572 £200-250
- x1261 ★ 1ch. to 30kr., selection of fifteen values, including 20kr. and 30kr. (signed Saadri), 1922 3ch. on 12ch., 6ch. and 24ch., 1923 10ch. on 20kr., 1kr. on 30kr., part original gum, includes short vignettes; good to fine. Between S.G. 361 and 381, 573-576 £100-150

### Iran, 1911-13 Ahmed Mirza - *contd.*

x1262 ☒	6ch. carmine and grey, tied to the reverse of cover by violet negative cancellation of Hendijan, transit and arrival datestamps; cover faults but attractive and rare. Less than 10 covers recorded with this cancellation. Photo	£150-200
x1263 ★	2kr., 3kr., 5kr., 20kr. and 30kr., large part original gum, fine. Each signed Saadri. S.G. 375-376, 378, 380-381, £550	£150-200
x1264 ★	20kr. buff and chocolate (2), 30kr. green and carmine (2), 1935 "POSTES IRANIENNES" on Riza Shah Pahlavi 2ch., 3ch., 6ch. and 9ch. (2), part original gum, fair to fine. Each signed Saadri	£200-250
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x1265 ○	1917 12ch. on 1kr. carmine and blue, Kirmanchah (Depart) cancellation, trace of a thin at foot. Very rare. Persiphila Certificate. S.G. 481, £600. Photo	£200-250
x1266 ☉○	1927 Air 1ch. to 20kr., used, chiefly fine. A rare set. The 10kr., 20kr. and 30kr. signed Farahbakhsh. S.G. 642-657, £467. Photo	£150-200
x1267 ☒	1949 War Effort 2r.50 blue, tied to the reverse of envelope from Bandar Abbas to Bombay by "BOMBAY FOREIGN/PAQUEBOT" cancellation of 13 Sept. 1949, red "TRAVEL & SHIP/P & O AND B.I." meter mark on the front; fine. Believed to be unique. Saadri Certificate (2019). Photo	£250-300
x1268 ☒	Selection of twenty-six covers and cards, including a variety of frankings and destinations, three from India to Iran, etc., mixed condition	£150-200
x1269 ☒	Selection of twelve covers or cards and twelve waybills, including 1907 10c. sepia on blue (pair) with registration label (pair) with Shad-Abdol Azim seal cancellation, 1913 cover franked 6ch. with violet Ram Hormoz negative seal cancellation, 1920 2ch. postal stationery card with Tezardjan negative seal cancellation, etc., mixed condition but an interesting group	£250-300
x1270 ☒	1885 (c.) red on green interpostal seal, used on reverse of envelope with Teheran c.d.s. alongside; the envelope folded and with faults. Scarce	£150-200
x1271 ☒	1906-14, selection of nine covers from Russia to Iran, a variety of frankings; good to fine	£100-120

## IRELAND

### Booklets

x1272 ☉☒	1946 2/, black on buff cover, edition "28-46", perfs. trimmed at foot as usual but exceptionally fresh and fine. Rare. S.G. SB6, £1,400. Photo	£400-500
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### Propaganda Labels

1273 ★	1914 Anti Home Rule 1d. Carson and flags (6 unused without gum, block of four and vertical pair) and Carson 1d. (3 unused without gum, marginal single and horizontal pair, right stamp with defects, 1d. red hand (10, marginal block of four and two vertical pairs, unused without gum, six with some creasing) and 1914 Home Rule 1d. Hibernia (8, marginal block of four, and a vertical pair and horizontal pair unused without gum, a few creased), 1d. Harp (8, a complete pane of eight split into vertical pairs, unused without gum and with some peripheral creasing and two stamps with tears) and 1d. John Redmond (10, complete pane of eight split into a block of four and two vertical pairs and another vertical pair, unused without gum, some peripheral creasing and damage to the margins), a very scarce group. Hibernian €6,360. Photo for selection	£1,000-2,000
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Ex 1273



## ITALIAN STATES

- x1273A A small selection (34) in a red stockbook, including Papal States, Sicily 1859 ½g. fine used (signed A. Diena, Fiechi, Bolaffi), 2g. Plate 2 strip of three (signed E. Diena, A Diena), etc., mixed condition £500-750

## ITALY

### Dodecanese Islands

- 1274 Duplicated mint and used selection housed in a stockbook, including 1912 sets for all the Islands, 1929 King's visit without imprint 30c. (2), 5L. (2), 1930 Virgil Postage and Air (5 sets), 1932 Dante Air 100L. (2), 1932 Garibaldi with the Postage sets for all the Islands, 1944 (July) War Victims (10 sets), 1944 (Oct.) War Victims (4 sets, 50c. + 2L., 80c. + 2L. and 8c. + 2L. on unaddressed 30c. card), etc., mixed condition £200-250

## JORDAN

### The Kirkbride "Moab" Provisional

- 1275 ○ 1920 1p. pale blue on white wove paper, initialled "AK." in violet and used by two distinct strikes of the local Kerek c.d.s. in violet; slightly soiled at left, part original gum and expertising signatures on reverse, fine and scarce. S.G. 19a, £4,000. Photo £1,000-2,000

*Note: This interesting and scarce stamp was issued between October 1920 and March 1921 by Sir Alec Kirkbride, the British Advisor for the Moab District, some 500-600 examples are thought to have been produced, however very few survive today.*

- 1276 1920-74 mint and used collection on Lindner pages comprising a range of Palestine overprints, a number with B.P.A. Certificates (each from 1981) including 1920 1m. sepia unused with **overprint inverted**, 1922 9p on 9p ochre unused with violet surcharge, 20p. on 20p. pale grey overprinted in black, 10p. ultramarine **overprinted in violet** unused, 20p. pale grey **overprinted in violet**, unused, 1923 ½p. on 9p. ochre with surcharge in red and inverted unused, ⅝p. on 3m. yellow-brown with **surcharge in black** unused and also fiscally used, ⅝p. on 9pi. ochre **overprinted in black and violet** used, 1p. on 5p. deep purple **overprinted in violet and surcharged in black** unused etc. along with much duplication of other stamps of Palestine overprinted, also 1961 Hammarskjold Memorial 15f. with overprint inverted, 1964 Pope Paul's visit 1 50f. brown and black imperforate pair and 80pf. imperforate marginal example, 1974 U.P.U. 60f. with **bright carmine omitted** (3), other imperforate varieties, miniature sheets etc; an attractive and valuable collection in chiefly good to fine condition. S.G. £30,000+. Photo £7,000-10,000

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Ex 1266



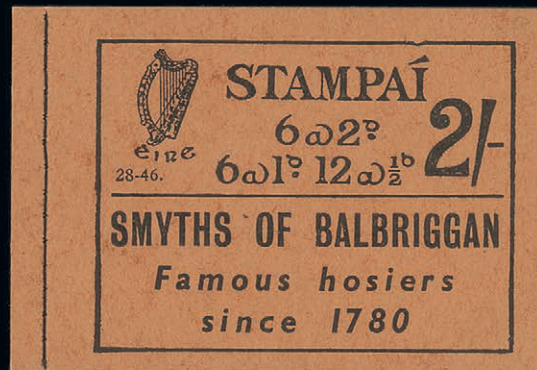
Ex 1278



1256



1275



1272



Ex 1279



Ex 1302



Ex 1306



— Ex 1320 —



Ex 1323



1310



1317



— Ex 1328 —



1243

Jordan - *contd.*

## 1951 King Talal, Unissued Commemoratives



— 1277 —

- 1277 3f. carmine and black and 20f. violet and black, rare unused examples of these unissued stamps, the 3f. with gum creases and lightly soiled, the 20f. with full original gum and just very light creasing, still very good condition for these sought after and scarce stamps. Photo £2,000-3,000
- Note: These were commissioned to commemorate the accession of King Talal to the throne in 1951, following his abdication on 11th August 1952, the stamps were destroyed; just a few values were salvaged after the burning.*

## KENYA, UGANDA AND TANGANYIKA

- x1278 ★ 1903-04 ½a. to 50r. set of sixteen, each overprinted "SPECIMEN", good to fine mint. S.G. 1-16s, £1,105. Photo for 50r. £300-400
- x1279 ★ 1903-04 ½a. to 20r. with additional 1r. shade and 10r. (pale shade) on chalk-surfaced paper, fresh mint with the 20r. marginal and the stamp remaining unmounted, and 50r. fiscally used "RAILWAY PROVINCIAL/E.A.P." handstamp in violet; fine to very fine. Brandon Certificate (1998) for 50r. S.G. 1-16, £2,805. Photo £800-1,000
- x1280 ★ 1904-07 ½a. to 20r. with additional ½a. to 8a. on chalk-surfaced paper and 2½a. listed shade, mint and generally fine. S.G. 17-32, 17a-25a, £900+ £250-300
- x1281 ★ 1907-08 1c. to 75c. set of nine overprinted "SPECIMEN", an issued set of nine with additional 1c. and 2c. shades, and 1910 redrawn 6c., good to fine mint. S.G. 34-43, £424 £120-150
- x1282 ★ 1938-54 1c. Plate 2.2/4B complete sheet with miscut margins, 1c. Plate 2/7A block of four, R.9/6 with retouched value tablet and R.10/8 with tadpole flaw, 1c. Plate 2/5a. half sheet of fifty, R9/6 with retouched value tablet, 1c. Plate 3/7B complete sheet, R.9/6 with retouched value tablet, 1c. upper right corner block of forty (8x6), R. 2/5 repaired left-hand value tablet, 5c. black and green Plate 2/1B and 4/1A imprint strips of ten, Plate 1A and 5/2A plate blocks of four, 5c. brown and orange Plate 5/3A block of eight and Plate 6/3A block of six, 10c. brown and orange Plate 4/5B block of four, 15c. black and rose-red perf. 13¼ Plate 1/2B imprint strip of ten, 30c. black and blue perf. 13¼ Plate 1 corner strip of four with sheet number, 50c. perf. 13x11¼ Plate 1A marginal block of four and perf. 13x12½ Plate 3B/4B corner block of four, and £1 perf. 12½ blocks of four (2, one with sheet number); mint and generally fine. Cat. c. £1,350 £300-400
- Booklets**
- x1283 田 1950 1s. blue on yellow stapled at right with 5c. brown and orange (perfs. a little trimmed at top) and 10c. black and green (2, perfs. fine) panes of four; rare. S.G. SB4, £750 £400-500
- x1284 田 1950 1s. blue on yellow, stapled at right with 5c. brown and orange (perfs. trimmed off at foot) and 10c. black and green (2, perfs. fine) panes of four; rare. S.G. SB4, £750 £400-500

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## MALAYA



1285



— 1286 —

## Johore

1285 ★

1922-41 Script \$500 blue and red with sheet margin at foot showing Plate No. “1”, a superb mint example and a magnificent exhibition showpiece. The only example recorded. B.P.A. Certificate (1981). S.G. 128. Photo

£18,000-22,000

## PROVENANCE:

George Bloch, May 1996

Sir Gawaine Baillie, November 2006

## Pahang

x1286 ⑤

1949 UPU 15c. and 25c. perforated “SPECIMEN”, without gum, both “B.W. ARCHIVES” h.s. on reverse, fine. The only known examples ex the printer’s archives. B.P.A. Certificate (1987). S.G. 50-51. Photo

£1,000-1,200

## MAURITIUS

x1287 ★

1921-34 Script watermark, Die II 2c. brown strip of twelve from the top of sheet number “1996”, the left-hand pane with no vertical perforations in margin, the right-hand pane perforated through the margin, mint with one hinge remainder at top centre, the stamps all unmounted. Rare and unusual. S.G. 224

£200-250

## NETHERLANDS

1288

1852-1961 a predominantly used collection housed in a blue Davo hingeless album, including 1872-91 2g.50, 1923 Accession set, 1923 Culture, 1928 Olympics, 1930 Rembrandt, later issues, Postage Dues, etc., mixed condition

£250-300

## NEVIS

1289 ⑨ ⑧

1862 imperforate colour proofs on thick card comprising 1d. green, 4d. violet-grey, 6d. orange and 1/- lake, each in a complete sheet (3x4), the last two a little trimmed, fine

£420-480

## NEW HEBRIDES

1290 ④ ⑧

1920-21 2d. on 40c. red on yellow (1913 French issue with “RF” sheet wmk.), a marginal block of twelve (3x4) being the top four rows of a pane, fresh unmounted mint. A rare and spectacular multiple, only 1200 were issued. S.G. 35, £1560+

£350-450

## NEW SOUTH WALES



1291



1292



1293



1294



1295



1296



1297

x1291 ★	1851 Laureated, imperf 1d. carmine on thick yellowish paper, close (top) to large margins, unused without gum, fine. S.G. 44, £5000. Photo	£1,500-2,000
x1292 ★	1852 Laureated 1d. brick-red, unused without gum, close to large margins for this issue, ink notation on reverse, fine. S.G. 48, £2500. Photo	£1,000-1,200
x1293 ★	1854-59 Diadem 6d. bluish grey, unused without gum, close margins, fine. S.G. 92, £2000. Photo	£600-700
x1294 ★	1854-59 Diadem, imperf 6d. olive-grey, small to good margins, unused without gum, fine. S.G. 95, £2000. Photo	£800-1,000
x1295 ★	1854-59 Diadem 1/- pale red with close to small margins, unused without gum, fine. S.G. 100, £5000. Photo	£800-1,000
x1296 ★	1856 "REGISTERED" (6d.) vermilion and Prussian blue, good margins on three sides, just into frame at right, unused without gum, fine. S.G. 102, £2000. Photo	£800-1,000
x1297 ★	1860-72 wmk. double-line figure of value, perf 13 8d. bright yellow, a vertical strip of four from the left of a sheet, brilliant colour, fresh with large part original gum, some minor splitting, fine. Very rare and almost certainly a record multiple. B.P.A. Certificate (2019). S.G. 167c. Photo	£3,500-4,000

### PROVENANCE:

William Frazer, September 2003  
"Alvarado", May 2010

**NORWAY**

- 1298 1855-1969 mint and used collection in pre-printed album including 1855 4sk. blue used, 1856 2sk. to 8sk used, 1863-64 2sk., 3sk. and 24sk. mint and 4sk. and 8sk. used, 1867-68 1sk to 8sk mint and 4sk. used, 1871-75 values to 7sk., 1877 set to 60ö mint and some used, 1878 1k. to 2k. set of three mint, 1882-93 set to 25ö with 12ö pale green used and 25ö dull mauve mint, 1893-1908 perf. 14½ x 13½ 1ö to 60ö mint (50ö and 30ö used), 1907-10 set to 2k. mint, 1909 set, 1925 set mint, 1926-34 set with values to 60o, also Officials, Postage Dues etc and plenty of mint sets to 1969; condition little mixed in a few places, chiefly good to fine
- £500-700

**NORTHERN RHODESIA**

- x1299 ☒ 1929 (Feb.) Rhodesian Congo Border Concession Ltd, Ndola imprint envelope (229x102mm.) to Duly & Co. at Bulawayo and carried by the R.A.F. during the Railway Strike on the copper belt, bearing 1925 2d. yellow-brown with large part Ndola datestamp and with manuscript "R.A.F." on reverse. Rare with less than one dozen of these flight covers believed to exist. See articles in *The Rhodesian Philatelist*, January 2005 and the RSCJ 217, December 2005. Photo
- £800-1,000

**NYASALAND**

- 1300 1891-95 selection with 4/- perforated "SPECIMEN", 2d. and 4d. blocks of four, 6d deep blue (3), 8d., 1/-, 2/6d. and 4/-, all with part original gum; 2d., 6d. ultramarine, 6d. deep blue (2, one used with Revenue 2/6d. on piece), 8d., 2/6d. used and 3/- on 4/- used fiscally; generally fine
- £150-200
- 1301 ○B 1891-95 1d. black marginal block of sixteen (4x4), [1-34] with [11] showing shade top to "B.C.", each block of four neatly cancelled with centrally applied "BANDAWE" double-ring datestamp (25.1.94, the earliest known usage). A scarce and attractive multiple
- £120-150
- 1302 ★ 1895 1d. on 2d. sea green and vermillion, variety **surcharge double without full stop** from a trial printing of one sheet, and issued stamp block of four and two singles, one with offset of surcharge on reverse, unused with part original gum, and a used example; fine. S.G. 20, £990. Photo
- £300-400

Photos appear on pages 55 and 63



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Nyasaland - *contd.*



1303

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| 1303 ⑩  | 1895 large Arms die proof of the vignette in black on card (90x114mm.); very fine. Rare. Photo   | £800-1,000 |
| PROVENANCE:<br>Graeme McFarlane, September 1989 |  |            |
| 1304 ★  | 1895 no watermark 1d. to 5/- with additional 1/- overprinted "SPECIMEN" (D12), unused with part original gum. S.G. 21-28, £1,280   | £300-400   |
| 1305 ○  | 1895 no watermark 1d. to £1 with additional 3/- and £1 (cancelled with indistinct numeral in violet), 5/- bisected diagonally and fiscally used on small piece, £1 cleaned and £10 with forged Blantyre cancellation. S.G. 21-20 £2,015+ | £300-400   |
| 1306  | 1896 1d. to £1 with additional 1d. marginal block of four, 2/6d. and £10 overprinted "SPECIMEN", fresh unused with part original gum, 1d. to 2/6d. used and 3/- fiscally used; generally fine. S.G. 32-41, £2,580+. Photo for £1         | £600-700   |
| 1307 ★  | 1897-1900 1d. to £1 with additional 1d. and 4d. corner examples with sheet number, fresh mint; also 1901 trio overprinted "SPECIMEN", mint and used sets and 4d. mint block of four; generally fine. S.G. 43-51, 57d-58, \$1,442         | £300-350   |
| 1308 ○  | 1897-1900 1d. to £1 used with various datestamps, additional £1 fiscally used and £10 cleaned and with forged cancellation; generally fine. S.G. 43-51, £1,100   | £300-350   |

Photo for lot 1306 appears on page 55



1309

1309 ★ ㊄

1897 "ONE PENNY" on 3/- black and sea-green, a lower right corner block of six (2x3), variety **surcharge double**, unused with traces of gum, portion of right-hand margin folded onto reverse which has varying degrees of pink paper adhesions; some folded and a few split perforations between though a rare and impressive multiple of this scarce variety; also a block of four and a single mint and a used block of four. S.G. 53, 53c, £4,658+. Photo

£2,000-2,500

### 1898 (11 Mar.) Cheque Stamps

#### Setting I

1310 ○

1d. vermilion and grey-blue initialled "JTG" on reverse and neatly cancelled with Zomba datestamp for 11 March, the first day of issue; fine and scarce. S.G. 54, £1,100. Photo

£350-400

1311 ☒

1d. vermilion and grey-blue initialled "JTG" on reverse, neatly cancelled by Zomba datestamp on 12 March envelope addressed locally to William Wheeler, the Chief Accountant; envelope with flap missing and small part at lower missing though a rare stamp on cover. Photo

£700-800

#### Setting II

x1312 ○

1d. vermilion and ultramarine, variety **no control at back**, and (June) perf, 12 1d. vertical pair (minor misalignment of perfs. at foot) tied on piece by Zomba squared-circle datestamps, and three singles, one with **without control at back**, variously cancelled; generally fine

£150-200

Photos also appear on pages 55 and 63

## Nyasaland, 1898 (11 Mar.) Cheque Stamps, Setting II - *contd.*

x1313 ☒	1d. vermilion and pale ultramarine horizontal strip of five, each neatly cancelled by Fort Johnston datestamp and tied by "R" in circle handstamp on 1898 (19 May) envelope registered locally. A rare franking with very few of the registration handstamp recorded. Holcombe Opinion (1996). S.G. 55b. Photo	£800-1,000
1314 △	1d. vermilion and pale ultramarine block of four, [7-8/22-23] with margins at top and foot, each neatly cancelled with Zomba 21 May datestamp and tied on piece; a scarce multiple. S.G. 55b, £600+. Photo	£250-300
1315 ○	1d. vermilion and pale/deep ultramarine, a selection comprising a pair cancelled with barred numeral and seventeen singles (two with no obvious controls) with datestamps of Blantyre, Chiromo, Fort Anderson and Zomba; generally good to fine. S.G. 55bh, 56, £2,660+	£400-500
x1316 ☒	1d. vermilion and pale ultramarine from the foot of the sheet, placed sideways and neatly tied on 1897 (27 May) envelope from Blantyre to "ZIM". S.G. 56. Photo	£150-200
1317 ★	1d. vermilion and pale ultramarine <b>without control</b> , unused without gum as issued; trace of a thin at top, otherwise sound and very rare. S.G. 56a, £7,000. Photo <i>Note: Some controls doubly printed are regarded as kiss prints, but on this block the position of the various letters varies, so that it is considered a true double</i>	£2,000-2,500
1318 ○田	1d. vermilion and deep ultramarine block of four, variety <b>controls doubly printed</b> , fine used with each cancelled by July 8 datestamp. A scarce and most unusual multiple. S.G. 56b, £1,800+. Photo	£600-800

## 1898 (June) Cheque Stamps

### Setting II, Perforated 12

1319 ○	A collection comprising a block of four, a pair and singles (34, one on envelope from Blantyre addressed locally), shades, variously cancelled and generally good to fine. S.G. 57, 57a, £1,400+	£300-400
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### 1903-04 Issue

1320 ⑨	1d. imperforate colour trials (2) on CA watermarked paper with traces of gum, frames in brown, vignettes in scarlet and in blue-green; fine. Photo PROVENANCE: Graeme McFarlane, September 1989	£300-400
1321 ★	1d. to £1 with additional 1d. (2) to 1/- in blocks of four, 2d. plate block of twelve from the top of the pane and 2/6d. shade, and 1907 1d. and 6d., mint and generally good to fine. Cat. £945	£300-350
1322 ○	1d. to 4/-, 10/- (grey-green faded, not guaranteed postally used) and £1 (Port Herald 1904 squared-circle datestamp), and 1907 1d. and 6d., used; also 10/- and £1 fiscally used. Generally good to fine	£120-150

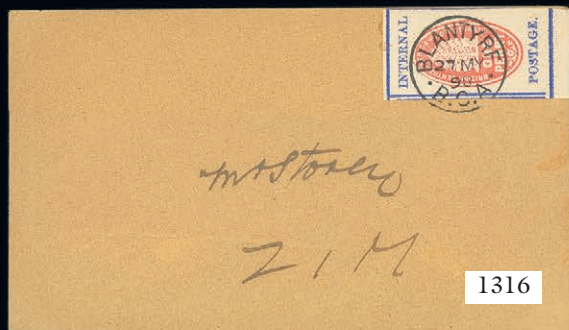




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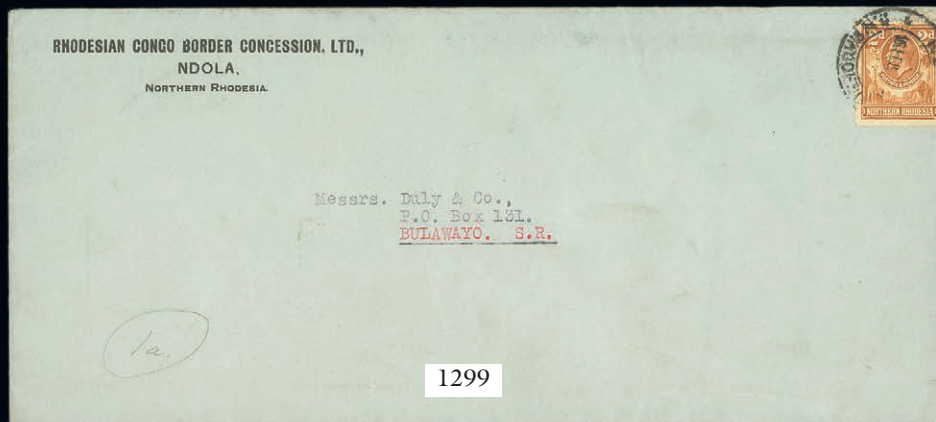
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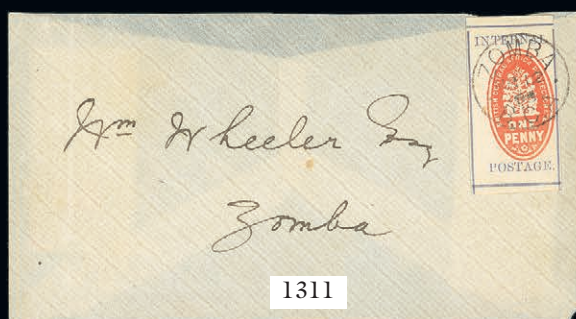
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## Nyasaland, 1898 (June) Cheque Stamps, - *contd.*

1323 ★	1908-11 ½d. to £1 and scarce 2/6d. brownish black and deep rose-red on pale blue shade, fine mint. S.G. 72-81, 78a, £1,250. Photo for £1	£350-400
1324 ○	1908-11 ½d. to 6d., 4/- with small part squared-circle datestamp and £1 with large part 1912 squared-circle datestamp, good to fine used; also 2/6d. fiscally used. S.G. 73-80 group, £950. Photo for £1	£250-300
1325 ★	1913-21 ½d. to £1 with ½d., 1d., 2d. (2), 2½d., 3d., 4d. (2), 6d., 1/- (3) and 10/- shades, a used set to £1 with a few shades to 1/-, 10/-, and £10 purple and dull ultramarine fiscally used; £1 mint with horizontal crease, used 10/- and £1 faded. Cat. £1,775	£200-250
1326 ★	1921-64 mint collection with the basic issues complete except for 1935 Silver Jubilee set and a couple of other commemorative singles, additional items include 1938 10/- shade, 1944 5/- shade, 1946 Victory pair perforated "SPECIMEN" 1951 Diamond Jubilee 3d. corner plate number single with base of crown in watermark in margin missing, 1953-54 ½d., 2d. and 6d. coil strips of three and marginal singles from sheets; generally fine. Cat. c. £1,450	£300-400
1327 ○	1921-64 used collection with the basic issues less Jubilee 3d. complete, and with 1938 10/- (not guaranteed) and 1944 5/- shades, generally fine. Cat. £1,020	£200-250
1328 ★	1935 Silver Jubilee set, the 3d. and 1/- both with <i>kite and vertical log</i> , mint; each with a hinge remainder. S.G. 123, 124, 125k, 126k, £853. Photo	£250-300
x1329 ★	1938-44 £1 purple and black on red showing <i>serif in "g"</i> , very fine mint. S.G. 143a, £1100. Photo	£450-550

## Postage Due Stamps

1330	1950 set of five and additional 1d. corner block of four, mint; 1d., 2d., 3d. (4 with a strip of three), 4d. pair (one with broken "d") and 6d. pair, used, and 1951 envelope from Zomba to Limbe franked at 1½d., showing "T" and alongside "Id" handstamps and bearing 1d. cancelled on arrival. Cat. £774+	£250-300
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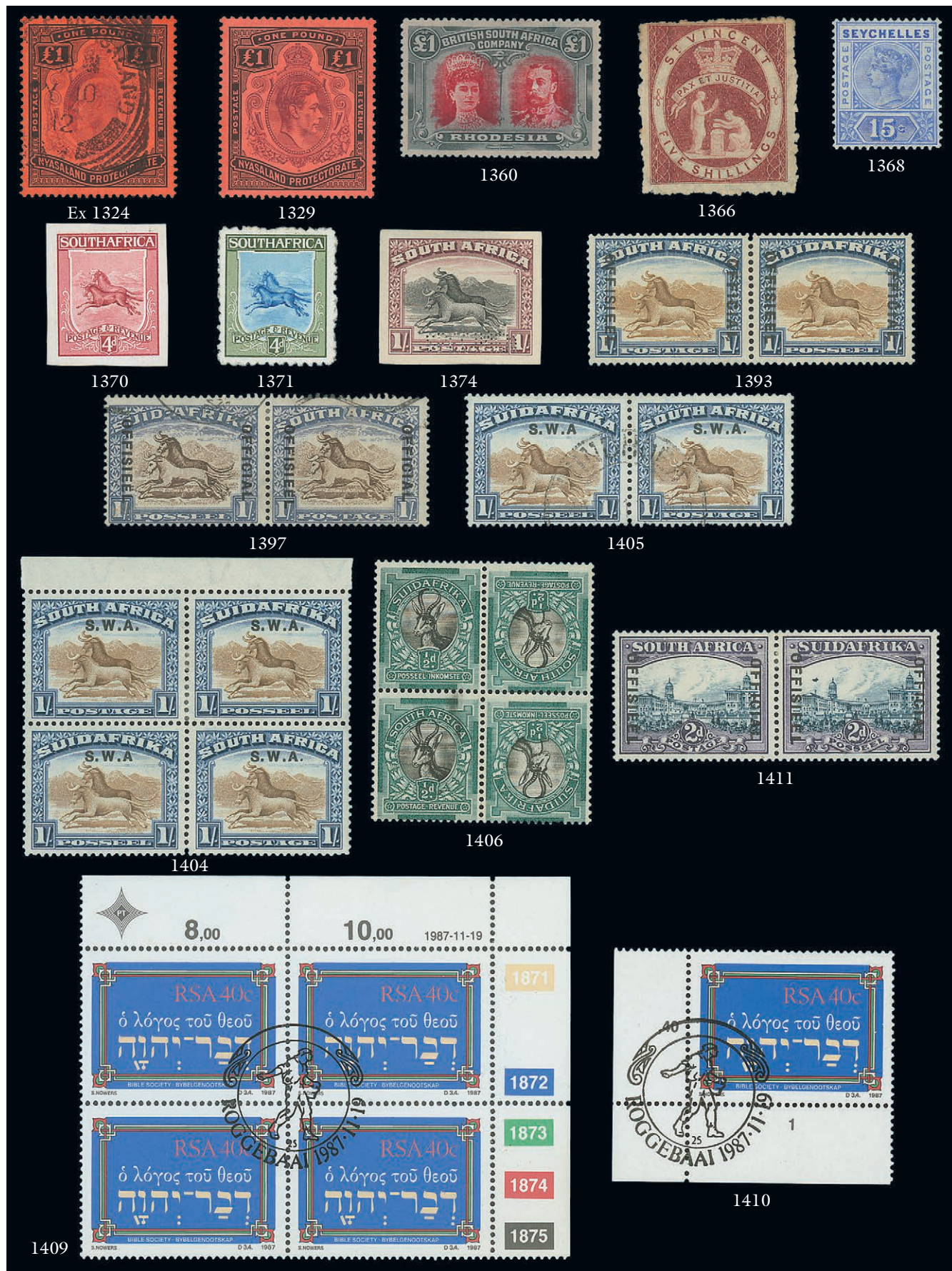
## Postal Stationery

1331 ☒	1892-1914 collection comprising postcards (16 with 1895 ½d. and 1d. cancelled though unaddressed, 2d. from Chiromo addressed locally and 2d. used from Blantyre used in 1906 via Beira to Bulawayo), wrappers (3 with 1900 1d. used from Zomba to London) and registered envelopes (8, six unused with three surcharged "FOUR" in 1892 and 1914 4d. sizes F and G used from Livingstonia to Groves and Lindley in London with different coloured registration labels). An interesting lot	£180-200
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## Nyasaland-Rhodesian Field Force

1332 ○	1911 Portuguese Nyasa 2½r., 20r., 25r., 50r., 75r., 100r., 200r., 300r., 400r. (2) and 500r., each pre-cancelled with "NYASALAND/FF2" squared circle used at Mtangula; a scarce group	£200-250
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**PAKISTAN**

**Bahawalpur**



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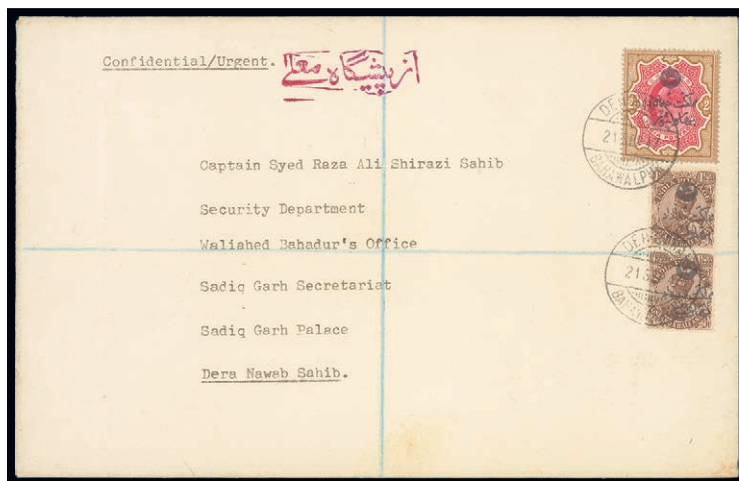


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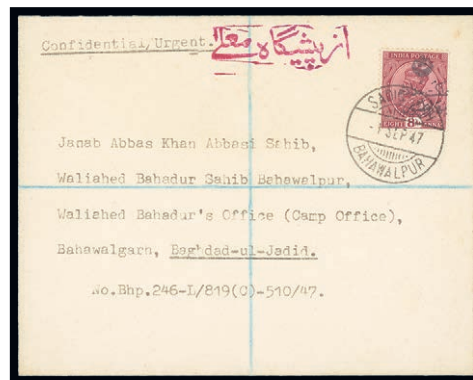
- x1333 ☉ 1947 (Aug.) 2a. vermillion vertical strip of three, the centre stamp with **overprint double**, fine unmounted mint. Rare. B.P.A. Certificate (1999). S.G. 6/6a, £4750. Photo £2,800-3,500
- x1334 ☉ 1947 (Aug.) 6a. turquoise-green vertical strip of three, the centre stamp with **overprint double**, fine unmounted mint. Rare. B.P.A. Certificate (1999). S.G. 10/10a, £4750. Photo £2,800-3,500
- x1335 ☉ 1947 (Dec.) Bicentenary ½a., 1948 (Oct.) Multan Campaign 1½a. and 1949 (Mar.) Silver Jubilee 3p., ½a., 9p. and 1a., each overprinted "SPECIMEN" and affixed to separate De La Rue card; also unoverprinted Official 1r. and 2r. on separate De La Rue card; fine £200-250

**1947 (Sept.) Star and Crescent Overprint on Stamps of India**

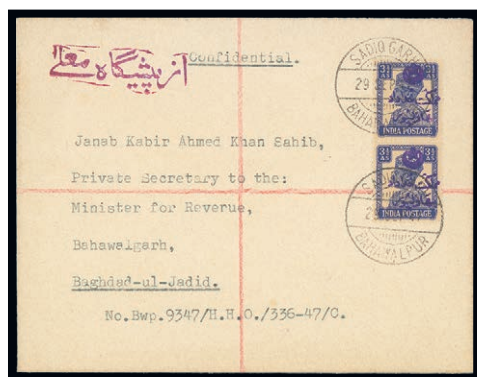
- x1336 ☒ K.E. 2r. carmine and yellow-brown (S.G. 139) and K.G.V 1½a. chocolate vertical pair (S.G. 165) with overprints in black, tied by "SADIQ GARH/BAHAWALPUR" c.d.s. on 1947 (21 Sept.) envelope (embossed coloured Arms on flap) registered to Dera Nawab Sahib with avis de reception counterfoil on reverse, fine. R.P.S. Certificate (2018). Photo £2,000-2,500
- x1337 ☒ K.G.V 8a. deep magenta (S.G. 179) with overprint in black, tied by "SADIQ GARH/BAHAWALPUR" c.d.s. on 1947 (1 Sept.) envelope (embossed coloured Arms on flap) registered to Baghdad-ul-Jadid with avis de reception counterfoil on reverse, fine. R.P.S. Certificate (2019). Photo £800-1,000
- x1338 ☒ K.G.VI 3a. bright violet (S.G. 271d) with overprint in red, clearly tied by part c.d.s. on 1947 (12 Dec.) locally addressed envelope, fine. R.P.S. Certificate (2015). Photo £800-1,000
- x1339 ☒ K.G.VI 3½a. bright blue vertical pair (S.G. 272) with overprint in violet, tied by "SADIQ GARH/BAHAWALPUR" c.d.s. on 1947 (29 Sept.) envelope (Arms on flap) registered to Baghdad-ul-Jadid with avis de reception counterfoil on reverse, fine. R.P.S. Certificate (2017). Photo £800-1,000
- x1340 ☒ K.G.VI 3½a. bright blue (S.G. 272) with overprint in black, tied by "SADIQ GARH/BAHAWALPUR" c.d.s. on 1947 (5 Sept.) envelope (embossed coloured Arms on flap) registered to Dera Nawab Sahib with avis de reception counterfoil on reverse, fine. R.P.S. Certificate (2017). Photo £800-1,000



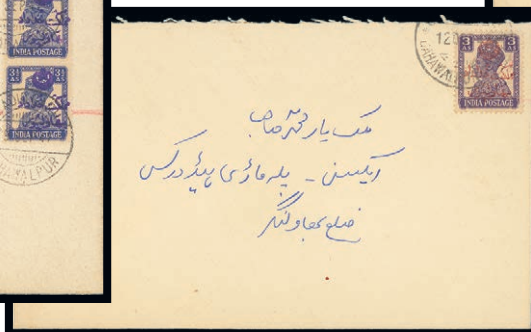
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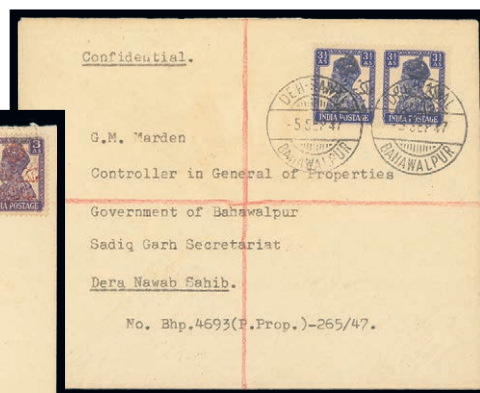
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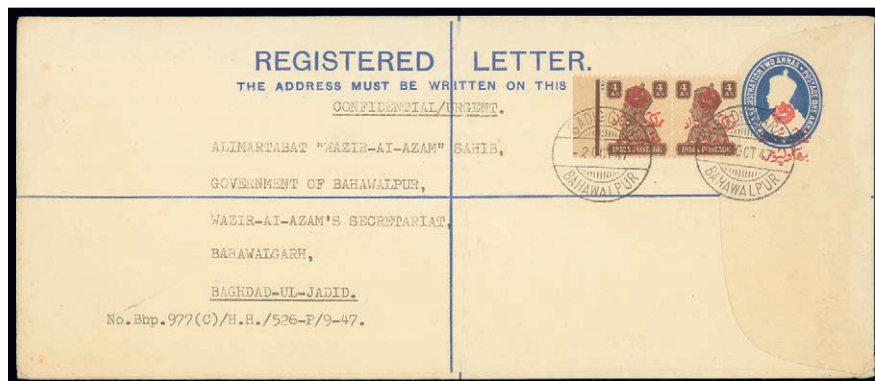
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x1341 ☒ K.G.VI 4a. brown marginal pair (S.G. 273) on K.G.V 3a. stationery envelope (size H) to Baghdad-ul-Jadid, all with overprints in red, tied by "SADIQ GARH/BAHAWALPUR" c.d.s. (2.10.47) and showing avis de reception counterfoil on reverse, fine. R.P.S. Certificate (2019). Photo

£1,000-1,200

x1342 ☒ K.G.VI Official 1a.carmine (S.G. O146) with overprint in black, tied by "SADIQ GARH/BAHAWALPUR" c.d.s. on 1947 (25 Sept.) envelope to Cholistan with avis de reception counterfoil on reverse, fine. R.P.S. Certificate (2019). Photo

£800-1,000

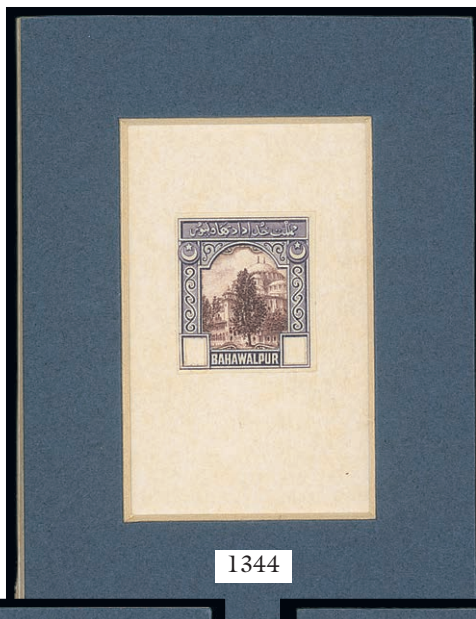
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1948 (Apr.) Issue

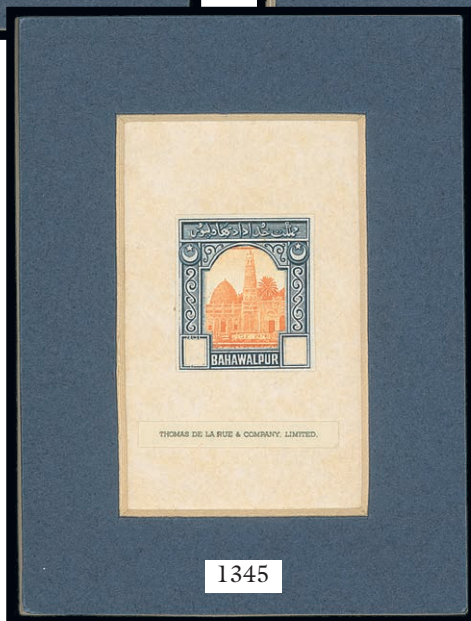
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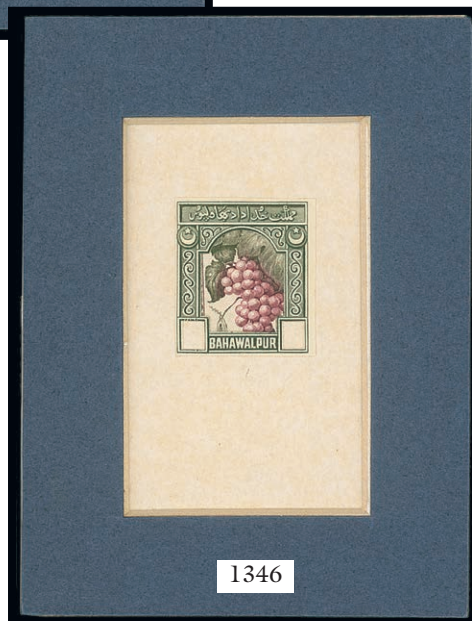
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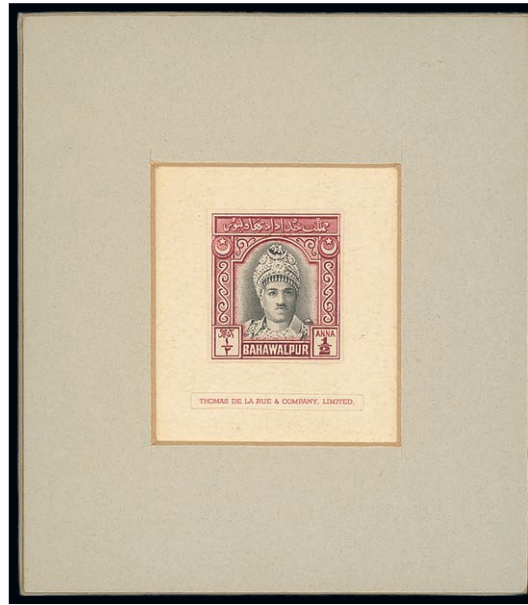


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| x1343 ⑤ | Undenominated printed composite essay of unissued design in dark green and black with De La Rue imprint below, inset on thick card (77x102mm.), fine. R.P.S. Certificate (2019). Photo  | £150-180 |
| x1344 ⑤ | Undenominated printed composite essay of unissued design in deep brown and black, inset on thick card (77x102mm.), fine. R.P.S. Certificate (2019). Photo                               | £150-180 |
| x1345 ⑤ | Undenominated printed composite essay of unissued design in orange and deep green with De La Rue imprint below, inset on thick card (77x102mm.), fine. R.P.S. Certificate (2019). Photo | £150-180 |
| x1346 ⑤ | Undenominated printed composite essay of unissued design in purple and deep green, inset on thick card (77x102mm.), fine. R.P.S. Certificate (2019). Photo                              | £150-180 |



## Die Proof



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- x1347 ⑩ ½a. in issued colour with De La Rue imprint affixed below, inset on thick card (90x102mm.), fine. R.P.S. Certificate (2019). Photo £150-180

## Covers

- x1348 ☒ 4a. and 1r. neatly tied by “DEH-RAWAL/BAHAWALPUR” c.d.s. on 1949 (27 Apr.) envelope (large coloured embossed Arms on flap) registered to Dera Nawab Sahib and showing avis de reception counterfoil on reverse, fine £120-150
- x1349 ☒ 6a. marginal vertical pair tied by “REGISTERED/SADIQ-GARH. BAHAWALPUR” oval datestamp on locally addressed 1949 (24 Aug.) envelope (176x256mm.), fine. Philatelic Federation of Pakistan Certificate (2011) £120-150
- x1350 ☒ 5r. neatly tied by “DEH-RAWAL/BAHAWALPUR” c.d.s. on 1949 (27 Oct.) envelope (large coloured embossed Arms on flap) registered to Dera Nawab Sahib, fine £120-150

## Specimen Stamps

- x1351 ⑤ ½a., 1a., 9p. and 1½a., each perforated “SPECIMEN”, all with toned gum, fine £80-100

- x1352 ⑤ 1949 (Oct.) UPU perf 14 set of four, each overprinted “SPECIMEN”, all a little gum toned otherwise fine. S.G. 43-46 £80-100

## Official Stamps

- x1353 ☒ 1945 1r. black and orange clearly tied by “SADIQ GARH/BAHAWALPUR” c.d.s. on 1946 (12 Sept.) “ON HIS HIGHNESS'S SERVICE” envelope registered to Baghdad-ul-Jadid, fine £120-150
- x1354 ☒ 1946 Victory 1½a. pair tied by “SADIQ GARH/BAHAWALPUR” c.d.s. on 1947 (11 Sept.) envelope to Bagdad-ul-Jadid, fine. Philatelic Federation of Pakistan Certificate (2012) £120-150
- x1355 ☒ 1948 1r. deep green and orange marginal vertical pair tied by “SADIQ-GARH/BAHAWALPUR” c.d.s. on 1949 (23 Sept.) envelope registered to Cholistan, fine £120-150
- x1356 ☒ 1948 5r. chocolate and blue tied by “SADIQ GARH/BAHAWALPUR” c.d.s. on 1950 (22 Mar.) “ON BAHAWALPUR GOVERNMENT SERVICE.” envelope registered to Baghdad-ul-Jadid with avis de reception counterfoil on reverse, fine £120-150

## QUEENSLAND

- x1357 ☒ 1871 (21 Oct.) envelope registered from Rockhampton to London, marked "Via Southampton", bearing Chalon 6d. (2) and "REGISTERED" 1/-, all clearly cancelled, showing "REGISTERED/ROCKHAMPTON" oval d.s. at lower left and red arrival registered d.s. (30.12) additionally tying the 6d.; the envelope a touch soiled and with recipient's notation at left. Photo £200-250
- Note: Hugh Campbell in "Queensland Postal History" records this as the only example of the registered datestamp known and refers to this cover at page 205.*

## RHODESIA

- 1358 ○ 1892 (2 Jan.) ½d. on 6d. (2), 4d. on 6d. (2) and 8d. on 1/- (2) used; one ½d. and 4d. in pale shades, otherwise sound. S.G. 14, 16, 17, £4,300 £500-600
- 1359 ★ 1910-13 perf 14 10/- blue-green and orange, two examples, one fresh mint, the other, [26], unused and a little toned towards upper right. S.G. 164 £150-200
- x1360 ★ 1910-13 perf 14 £1 bright carmine and bluish slate, RSC 'E'; lightly mounted, well-centred example of this scarce and distinctive shade. Photo £1,000-1,500
- x1361 ☉☒ 1913-19 perf. 14 1d. brown-red complete sheet of sixty with imprint at foot, unmounted mint. S.G. 192 £250-300

### Postal Stationery

- 1362 ☒ 1899 1d. red card with views of Victoria Falls on reverse, one full view *View from North bank*, the other half card size view *Mail fall, View from Cataract Island*; a couple of tiny tone patches, otherwise fresh and fine. H&G11a £200-250

## RHODESIA AND NYASALAND

- x1363 ☉ 1959-62 3d. black and blue, variety **printed on the gummed side**, fine unmounted mint. Bridger & Kay Certificate (1963). S.G. 22b, £450. Also Southern Rhodesia 1964 10/- corner block of four, one with extra "feather" flaw, unmounted mint £150-200

## ST. CHRISTOPHER

- x1364 ☒ 1874 (27 Dec.) envelope to London, bearing 1870-71 perf 12½ 1d. dull rose (10) tied by St. Kitts c.d.s. without code letter and showing arrival datestamp (14.1.75) on reverse; some staining and other faults though a very rare franking. Photo £600-800

## ST. KITTS-NEVIS

- x1365 ☉☒ 1950 Tercentenary 1½d. orange lower left corner block of eighteen (3x6), the middle stamp in bottom row showing **error St. Edward's Crown**, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 87b, £1300 £400-500

## ST. VINCENT

- 1366 ★ 1880 (June) 5/- rose-red, unused with large part original gum, excellent strong colour, centre to top (a little soiled), fine. R.P.S. Certificate (1978). S.G. 32, £1100. Photo £200-300

Photos appear on pages 65 and 79

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**SAUDI ARABIA****Literature**

- 1367 1973 M. Max Mayo catalogue, four fine unused examples £100-120

**SEYCHELLES**

- x1368 ★ 1897-1900 15c. ultramarine, variety **repaired** "s", original gum; fine and fresh. S.G. 30a, £550. Photo £150-200

**SHARJAH**

- 1369 ☉✉ Aerogrammes: 1964 20 N.P., 30 N.P. and 40 N.P., 1966 the same three values but with portrait obliterated by violet bars, 1969 40d. on 20 N.P. and portrait obliterated, unused (the first cancelled to order); fine £100-120

**THE 1/- GNU ISSUES OF SOUTH AND SOUTH WEST AFRICA, 1927-52****South Africa****Essays**

- 1370 ☉ 1923 Harrison 4d. essay in carmine, screened, imperforate, gummed, fine. Photo £300-400
- 1371 ☉ 1923 Harrison 4d. essay in blue and green, screened, perf 11½, ungummed, fine. Photo £300-400

**Die Proofs**

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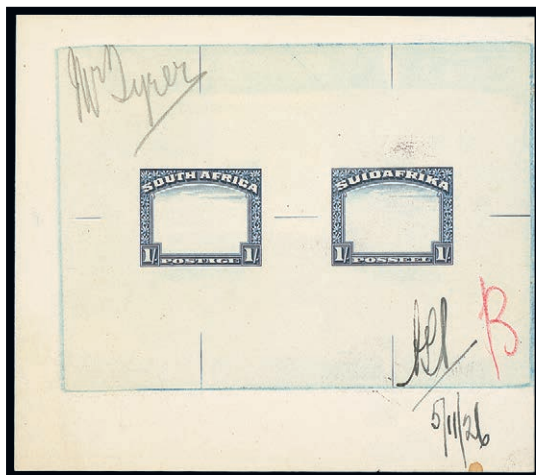
- 1372 ☉ 1927 Bradbury Wilkinson, 1/- vignette in yellow-brown (issued colour) on glazed wove paper (108x75mm.) endorsed in pencil at lower right; light horizontal fold clear of impression. Photo £800-1,000

PROVENANCE:  
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The 1/- Gnu Issues of South Africa, 1927-52, Die Proofs - *contd.*



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1927 Bradbury Wilkinson 1/- frame in deep blue (issued colour) on glazed wove paper (108x75mm.), dated "5/11/26" and signed in pencil at upper left and further in ink at lower right, fine. Photo

£1,200-1,500

PROVENANCE:  
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**Colour Trial**

1374 ② ⑤

1927 Bradbury Wilkinson 1/- (English) in black and purple-brown, imperforate, perforated "SPECIMEN" (Type B1) and ungummed, fine. Photo

£500-600

**Ink Trials**



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1927 Bradbury Wilkinson 1/-, imperforate examples of both languages affixed to thick card, the English endorsed above "FIXED INK" and the Afrikaans "FUGITIVE INK", this having a treated area at right, the English further endorsed below "Approved" in red, the card, with printed printer's label at lower left, marked "submitted" in faint pencil at upper left. Photo

£2,000-2,500

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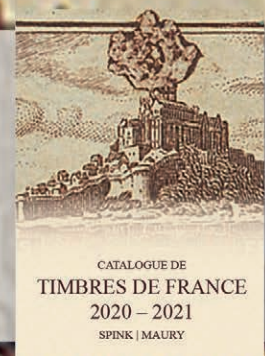
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**Issued Stamps**

- 1376 ★ 1927 Bradbury Wilkinson 1/- in matching right marginal pairs from each of the six printings with pencil order number and date on the margins, also an additional interpanneau block of eight from the 1928 printing, all without gum, fine £180-220  
PROVENANCE:  
Bradbury Wilkinson archive
- 1377 ★ 1927-28 Bradbury Wilkinson 1/- collection mounted on four pages, including a pair overprinted "SPECIMEN", a pair and blocks from the various printings including perf up and down types, and strips across the panes and gutter; the odd minor fault though generally very fine with a number unmounted. (84). S.G. 36, 36a, £2300 approx £400-500
- 1378 ★ 1932 Pretoria rotogravure 1/- with watermark upright, a collection on album page comprising thirteen pairs (three with arrow in margin) and three corner blocks of four. A number of flaws including *dart in gnu's back* positional pair and block, *collar* flaws and others. Mostly very fine and a number unmounted. S.G. 48, 48a, £2300 approx £400-500
- 1379 ★ 1932 Pretoria rotogravure 1/- with watermark inverted, a collection mounted on album page comprising blocks of twelve and four (4), all corner, the block of twelve showing running sheet number in margin and one *twisted horn* flaw. Mostly very fine or unmounted. S.G. 48bw, 48cw, £680 approx £180-220
- 1380 ★ 1932 Pretoria rotogravure 1/- with watermark inverted, upper and lower marginal blocks of twelve, the former showing arrows and *twisted horn*, plus two further pairs, all mounted on album page, mostly very fine or unmounted. S.G. 48bw, 48cw, £680 approx £200-250
- 1381 ★ 1932 Pretoria rotogravure 1/- with watermark inverted, a collection mounted on two album pages of flaws and varieties, including *twisted horn* (2, both with inking smears), paper joins (3), pair, vertical strip of three and vertical block of six, on creased paper pair and block, "travelling" flaws (2) plus unlisted; mostly very fine or unmounted. S.G. 48bw, 48cw £500-600
- 1382 ★ 1932 Pretoria rotogravure 1/- with watermark inverted, a collection of positional blocks and varieties; four arrow pairs or blocks, shifts of vignette including dramatic downward block, smudged frames block, shifted perforations corner block of six and *twisted horn* corner block of eight; mostly very fine or unmounted. S.G. 48bw, 48cw £600-800

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**The 1/- Gnu Issues of South Africa, 1927-52, Issued Stamps - *contd.***

- 1383 ★ 1939 First hyphenated 1/- collection on album pages (8), first issue with blue arrows, various marginal and positional multiples, arrow and sheet numbers in red and black, a few varieties with doctor blade lines and smudged frames blocks; mostly very fine or unmounted. Also a range overprinted for Kenya, Uganda and Tanganyika. S.G. 62 £300-400
- 1384 ★ 1939 First hyphenated 1/- collection on album pages (3), second issue with brown arrows, various marginal and positional multiples, arrows plus minor varieties; mostly very fine or unmounted. S.G. 62 £100-120



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- 1385 ○田 1939 First hyphenated 1/- brown and chalky blue, a left marginal block of four, [3/1-4/2], showing **interruption of blue printing affecting the lower pair**, cancelled by 1949 "RISSIK STREET/JOHANNESBURG" c.d.s. at right, full gum. Rare. S.G. 62 var. Photo £700-900
- 1386 ★田 1939 First hyphenated 1/- brown and chalky blue right marginal block of four showing **major interruption of blue printing affecting the lower pair, the left stamp largely omitted** [4/5-5/6], part red running sheet number in margin, mounted in the selvage only. Spectacular. S.G. 62 var. Photo £3,500-4,000



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- 1387 ⊕田 1939 First hyphenated 1/- brown and chalky blue right marginal block of four showing **major interruption of blue printing affecting the upper pair**, [4/5-5/6]. Very fine unmounted mint. S.G. 62var. Photo £3,500-4,000
- 1388 ★ 1939 First hyphenated 1/- brown and chalky blue horizontal pair showing major variety **frame omitted**, a few perfs split at top, fine mounted mint. A spectacular and major Union rarity. S.G. 62b, £18,000. Photo £8,000-10,000
- 1389 ★ 1950-52 hyphenated and screened 1/-, a collection on album pages (10) of both the printings/shades with a comprehensive range of positional blocks, double rows across the sheet, arrows, sheet numbers and a few varieties; mostly very fine or unmounted. S.G. 120, 120a £250-300



## Issued Stamps - Officials

- 1390 ★ 1931 Bradbury Wilkinson 1/- overprinted "OFFICIAL/OFFISEEL", narrow spacing, a collection on album pages (3) including double bottom rows from both panes showing **stop after "OFFICIAL"**, four further pairs or blocks with the same, positional multiples plus a use corner block of six; mostly very fine or unmounted. S.G. O10, O10a, £2200 approx £400-500
- 1391 ⊕<sup>®</sup> 1931 Bradbury Wilkinson 1/- overprinted "OFFICIAL/OFFISEEL", narrow spacing, a complete right pane of 60 with R.10/7 showing **stop after "OFFICIAL"**; largely severed vertically through centre, fresh unmounted mint. S.G. O10/O10a, £1465+ £250-300
- 1392 ★<sup>®</sup> 1931 Bradbury Wilkinson 1/- overprinted "OFFICIAL/OFFISEEL", narrow spacing, a complete double bottom row across the sheet, left and right panes, R.10/1 and 10/7 with **no stop after "OFFICIAL"**, hinged on margins with most stamps remaining unmounted. A rare survivor in this format. S.G. O10/10a, £770+ £250-300
- 1393 ★ 1931 Bradbury Wilkinson 1/- overprinted "OFFICIAL/OFFISEEL", wide spacing, hinge trace, very fine fresh mint. Rare. S.G. O10b, £1800. Photo £500-600
- 1394 ★ 1931 Pretoria rotogravure 1/- overprinted "OFFICIAL/OFFISEEL" with watermark inverted, narrow spacing, a collection mounted on album pages (2) with positional pairs and blocks with arrows and sheet numbers, *twisted horns* and other minor flaws, plus the lower two rows of the sheet; mostly very fine or unmounted. S.G. O17, O17a, £2000 approx £500-600
- 1395 ★ 1931 Pretoria rotogravure 1/- overprinted "OFFICIAL/OFFISEEL", inverted and upright watermarks, wide spacing, a collection mounted on album pages (3) with positional pairs and blocks with arrows and minor flaws plus two used. Mostly very fine or unmounted. S.G. O17b, O17bw, £1400 approx £300-400
- 1396 ★ 1939 First hyphenated 1/- overprinted "OFFICIAL/OFFISEEL", a collection mounted on album pages (5) with positional pairs and blocks, arrows, sheet number, upper two rows plus minor flaws and a used block of six; mostly very fine or unmounted. S.G. O25, £2800 approx £500-600
- 1397 ○ 1939 First hyphenated 1/- overprinted "OFFICIAL/OFFISEEL", showing **diaresis over second "e" of "OFFISEEL"** on both English and Afrikaans stamps. Very fine used cancelled with part machine datestamps at top. Rare. S.G. O25a, £3000. Photo £800-1,000



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- 1398 ★ 1939 First hyphenated 1/- overprinted "OFFICIAL/OFFISEEL", an upper marginal strip of six across the sheet showing "**OFFICIAL**" **twice on left stamps** and "**OFFISEEL**" **twice on right stamp**. Two half sheets printed although not placed into normal stocks. Sensibly hinge strengthened in margin, minor marks on gum. Rare. S.G. see footnote, £4250. Photo £1,500-1,800

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## The 1/- Gnu Issues of South Africa, 1927-52, Issued Stamps - Officials - *contd.*

- 1399 ★ 1950 hyphenated and screened 1/- overprinted "OFFICIAL/OFFISEEL", a collection on album pages (5) with positional pairs and blocks, mostly corner, plus arrow, sheet number and cylinder, and minor varieties, also a used pair; mostly very fine or unmounted. S.G. O38, £900 approx £200-250
- 1400 ★ 1950 hyphenated and screened 1/- overprinted "OFFICIAL/OFFISEEL" (Type O7), a collection mounted on album pages (4) with positional blocks, mostly corner, plus cylinder and sheet numbers, both shades represented with the blackish brown in blocks of ten (corner) and four. Very fine, mostly unmounted. S.G. O47, O47a, £660 approx £150-180

## Issued Stamps - Revenues

- 1401 1927 Bradbury Wilkinson plus First hyphenated 1/- overprinted "CUSTOMS/DUTY" or "DOUANE", a range on an album page with imprint block of four, pair and two singles mint, three singles used of the former plus mint and used singles of the latter, mostly fine. An uncommon group £80-100

## South West Africa

- 1402 ★ 1927 1/- overprinted "SOUTH WEST AFRICA", a collection mounted on album pages (3) with proof impressions of the overprint struck in black or blue in blocks of ten and four, two pairs overprinted "SPECIMEN" (one with B.P.A. Certificate), three marginal with imprint, blocks of four and larger, minor varieties including one with clear blue ink smear; mostly fine or unmounted. S.G. 51 £250-300
- 1403 ★ 1927 1/- with "S.W.A." overprints, a collection mounted on album pages (2) with pair overprinted "SPECIMEN", positional pairs and blocks including one with overprint misplaced to top, and minor varieties; fine or very fine mint. S.G. 64 £80-100
- 1404 ★ 1927 1/- with "S.W.A." overprints (Type 10), perf 14x13½ down upper marginal block of four, lower left stamp **without stop after "A"**, the adjacent stamp with smaller stop, R.2/3-4; central hinge just encroaching on lower pair, very fine and fresh. S.G. 64b/64ba, £1760. Photo £600-800
- 1405 ○ 1927 1/- with "S.W.A." overprints (Type 10), perf 14x13½ down pair, the left stamp **without stop after "A"**, the right stamp with smaller stop, R.2/3-4, very fine used with light Windhoek c.d.s. B.P.A. Certificate (2009). S.G. 64ba, £1900. Photo £700-900

## SOUTH AFRICA

- 1406 ⊕田 1926-27 ½d. black and green, block of four **two horizontal tête-bêche pairs**, a striking multiple, unmounted mint; fine and scarce. S.G. 30ea, £3,000. Photo £1,000-2,000
- x1407 ★ 1930-44 1d. black and carmine Type I vertical strip of five, the centre three with **frame omitted**, the top and bottom stamps with frame partly omitted, fine unused with large part original gum. S.G. 43b, £1800+. Photo £1,000-1,200
- x1408 ★田 1933-48 hyphenated 6d. green and vermilion Type I block of four, the lower right stamp showing variety *falling ladder*, fine mint, the lower pair unmounted. S.G. 61a, £300 £120-150
- x1409 ○田 1987 (Nov.) Bible Society 40c. "The Word of God" recalled stamp, an upper right corner block four neatly cancelled at centre by Roggebaai first day cancellation. A superb and scarce multiple of this unissued stamp. See note after S.G. 628, £2,200. Photo £700-900
- x1410 ○ 1987 (Nov.) Bible Society 40c. "The Word of God" recalled stamp, a lower left corner example neatly cancelled by Roggebaai first day cancellation. Superb. See note after S.G. 628, £550. Photo £150-200

## Official Stamps

- 1411 ★ 1930-47 2d. blue and violet horizontal pair showing **airship flaw**, fine mint. Scarce. S.G. O15a, £1,000. Photo £300-350

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## SOUTH AUSTRALIA

x1412 ○	1886 "POSTAGE & REVENUE", perf 11½-12½, £10 bronze, cancelled to order, fine. S.G. 206a. Photo	£600-700
x1413 ○	1886 "POSTAGE & REVENUE", perf 11½-12½, £15 silver, cancelled to order, fine. S.G. 207a. Photo	£900-1,000
x1414 ○	1886 "POSTAGE & REVENUE", perf 11½-12½, £20 claret, cancelled to order, fine. S.G. 208a. Photo	£1,000-1,200

## SOUTHERN RHODESIA

### Booklet

x1415	1933 (3 Mar.) 3/- black on red with postage rates on inside front cover, incomplete and containing line perf. 12 1½d. chocolate strips of three (2). Regardless of being incomplete an exhibitable example of this very rare booklet. S.G. SB3. Photo  <i>Note: The 1½d. postage rate was reduced from 1½d. to 1d. eight weeks after SB3 was issued. Postal officials were instructed to detach the 1½d. panes and use them for other purposes. The remaining stock of the booklet was then sold at 1/6d.</i>	£500-600
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## SOUTH WEST AFRICA

x1416 ☉	1977 Namib Desert 4c. with <b>cyan and yellow omitted</b> , fine unmounted mint. With normal for comparison. Unlisted in S.G. Photo	£350-450
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## SUDAN

x1417 ☉	1948 5m. olive-brown and black, a lower left corner block of sixteen (4x4) with <b>watermark inverted</b> , fine unmounted mint. S.G. 100a, £1280	£350-450
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### Official

x1418 ☉	1951 2p. deep blue and pale blue, error <b>overprint inverted</b> , unmounted mint; fine and rare. Only one sheet of fifty of this error was discovered. R.P.S. Certificate (1976). S.G. O74a, £1,200. Photo	£400-500
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## SWAZILAND

x1419 ★	1889-92 perf. 12½x12 1d. carmine upper right corner block of four with R. 1/10 showing lower half of "e" blocked, R.2/10 showing bar of "e" thinned, nearly resembling a "c", and an upper right corner vertical strip of three showing unusual underinking of the overprint, large part original gum; the vertical strip with vertical creasing though an unusual pair of multiples. S.G. 1	£120-150
x1420 ☒	1893 (27 Feb.) <i>Van Gorcum</i> envelope to Holland, bearing 1889-90 ½d. with black overprint, ½d. with carmine overprint, 1d. carmine and 2d. olive-bistre ( a few short perfs. at foot) with " <i>Swazilan</i> " variety, twice neatly cancelled by Bremersdorp squared-circle datestamps and with a further strike below, the reverse with Johannesburg, Cape Town (6.3) and Assen (27.3) datestamps. The 2d. variety a very rare stamp on cover which is franked at the correct rate of 4d. B.P.A. Certificate (1996). Photo	£800-1,000

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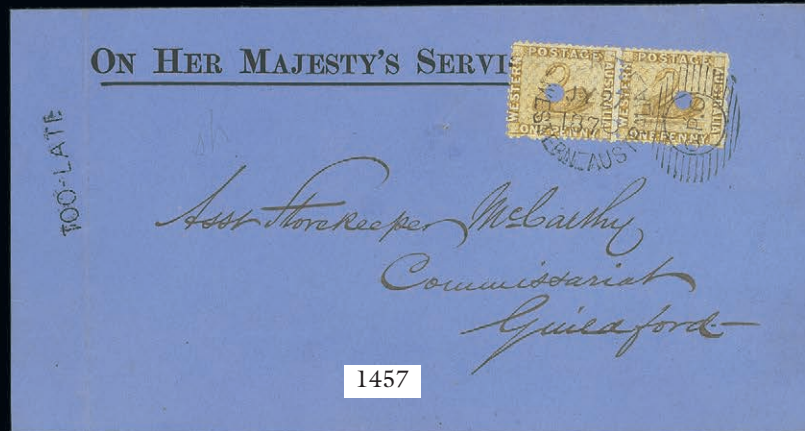
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1452



1471

**Swaziland - *contd.***

x1421 ★	1961 1c. on 1d. trial printing, 10c. on 1/- and 25c. on 2/6d. applied at bottom left, lightly mounted mint. Cat. £1,022. Photo for 25c.	£300-350
x1422 ★	1961 1c. on 1d. trial printing, 10c. on 1/- and 25c. on 2/6d. applied at bottom left, lightly mounted mint; 1c. on 1d. with diagonal gum bend, otherwise sound. Cat. £1,022. Photo for 25c.	£250-300
x1423 ⓈⓈ	1962-66 ½c. and 25c. in left and right-hand imprint block of ten (2x5), both variety <b>watermark inverted</b> , and ½d. block of four with variety <b>brown spears shifted to left</b> , fine unmounted mint. S.G. 90w. 102w, £1,000+	£250-300
x1424 Ⓢ	1968 Independence ½c. marginal block of six (2x3) with <b>albino overprint</b> , 3c. with overprint shifted well to right, 15c. corner blocks of four (2) with black printing misplaced to upper right to touch or close to touching Queen's medallion, 15c. (3) on gum Arabic (only seven sheets thus printed), 25c. corner pair with overprint shifted up into Queen's medallion, and 50c. marginal vertical strip of three with overprint shifted to right; fine unmounted mint. An interesting selection	£150-200
x1425 Ⓢ	1968 Independence ½c., variety <b>brown (spears) omitted</b> , unmounted mint. Scarce. S.G. 142a, £425. Photo	£120-150
x1426 Ⓢ	1978 10th. Anniversary of Independence, a collection of thirty-two imperforate progressive colour proof vertical marginal pairs, comprising 4c., 6c., 10c. (6), 15c. (6), 25c. (6) and 50c. (6), together with one each in the issued form, all on gummed CA watermarked paper. A fine group	£180-200
x1427	1980 perf. 13½ 2c., variety <b>black printing double</b> on piece with 1c. on piece, perf 13½ 4c. and 10c. (misperforated at foot resulting in small stamp) with perf. 12 on piece, 2c. (3, one misperforated at left resulting in small stamp) used with 10c. on 4c. on envelope to Johannesburg; 1982 Princess of Wales 21st. Birthday 5c. plate 1B corner block of four with <b>watermark inverted</b> (cat. £168+), and 1984 Fungi set of four imperforate proofs in issued colours affixed in Format presentation folder	£120-150

**Postage Due Stamps**

x1428 ☒	1948 (17 Feb.) "native" unstamped envelope (no flap) from Pretoria to Dwaleni, showing circular-framed "T/3D" and bearing, on reverse, Postage Due 1d. and 3d. cancelled with arrival datestamp (21.2), held for nearly three months and with face panel marked with manuscript " <i>Unclaimed</i> " in blue crayon alongside Dwaleni datestamps (15.5). A most unusual cover. Photo	£150-200
x1429 ☒	1950 (13 Mar.) unstamped envelope from Mbabane addressed locally to the Colonial Development Corporation, showing despatch datestamp alongside circular-framed "T/LXV" handstamp and bearing Postage Due 1d. strip of three with arrival datestamp (13.3), and 1968 (9 Dec.) unsealed unstamped envelope from Springs to Manzini, showing despatch datestamp alongside circular-framed "T" and "T/2C" handstamps and manuscript "945" (possibly relating to a postage due notice placed in the addressee's P.O. Box), and bearing Postage Due 1c. (2) cancelled on arrival (17.12)	£150-200



## POSTAL STATIONERY

## Aerogrammes

- x1430 ㊄✉ 1956 6d. selection comprising two handstamped "SPECIMEN" in seriffed type, twenty-two overprinted "SPECIMEN" in sans-serif type with the stamp impression perforated with horseshoe "SPECIMEN", each individually numbered on reverse "26" and "30" to "50" and with security control register list, one unused with "4 FEB 1957" date handstamp (applied by a Receiving Authority) one used, uprated with 6d., to U.S.A., and 1961 5c. on 6d. unused; fine £300-400

## Registered Envelopes

- x1431 ⑩ 1932-36 4d. embossed proof in vermilion on cream thin card (64x63mm.), marked "Regn 339" and dated "2.11.32". Very fine and rare. Photo £350-400
- x1432 ⑩ 1932-36 4d. embossed proof in vermilion on cream thin card (64x63mm.). marked "Regn 339", "Appd", initialled and dated "2.11.32"; paper clip mark at upper left. Rare. Photo £300-350
- x1433 ✉ 1932-36 4d. size G unused (2, one overprinted "SPECIMEN" and used (3, one used on first day of issue from Mbabane, one from Hlatikulu to Durban in 1936 and one from Piggs Peak to Bloemfontein in 1938), 4d. size H2 unused and used from Mbabane on first day of issue; 1937 4d. size G (2, one overprinted "SPECIMEN") and used with H&G imprint Type 1 in 1940 from Gollell Rail (11.11) to Durban. Fine £150-200
- x1434 ✉ 1961-65 5c. size G unused (3, one with "20 DEZ. 1955" and another with "13 JULI 1961" dates on reverse applied by a Receiving Authority), used (9), 4d. triangular flap sizes G and H unused and size G used (3), and later formular types (4, one without registration fee charged). A fine and interesting group £100-120

## Union Items

- x1435 ✉ 1913 1d. envelope (146x91mm.) used from Piggs Peak (27.4.18) to Davel, 1930 1d. vermilion on grey letter card, (2, one uprated with KGV uprated ½d., the other with 1d. Ship), and 1931 2d. vermilion letter card, all three from Mbabane (19.11.32) to Pretoria; fine £150-180

## Revenue Stamps

- x1436 ★ 1914 overprinted "SWAZILAND/REVENUE/ONLY" (Trotter/Midwood Series 6), 1d. Ship Typo severed pair, unused with toned reverse; one stamp creased A rare item that was only discovered in 2004. PFSA Certificate (2004). Also Bechuanaland, on Transvaal 2/6d. (BP.1) used with Mochudi datestamp (a little soiled) and on Cape 5/- (BP61.) on piece with Resident Magistrate oval datestamp £80-100

## Airmails

- x1437 ㊄✉ 1933 (1 May) postcard from Mbabane to Croydon "1st. Despatch per new rapid delivery Per Imperial Airways", franked at 6d. and with Croydon arrival datestamp (16.5, a saving of one day) on address side), and 1934 Imperial Airways envelope from Mbabane to Perth, Australia franked at 1/8d.; a scarce duo £80-100

## SWEDEN

- 1438 1858-1970 mint and used selection housed in a stockbook, including booklets, miniature sheets, etc., mixed condition £100-150

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## SWITZERLAND



1439



1440

x1439 ○

1854 Berne printing, green thread 5r. blue, so-called error of colour, blue bars cancellation, good margins three sides, outer frame line touched at foot; a little thinned but a good example of this rare error. Jann (1973) and Rellstab (1991) Certificates. Photo

£1,500-2,000

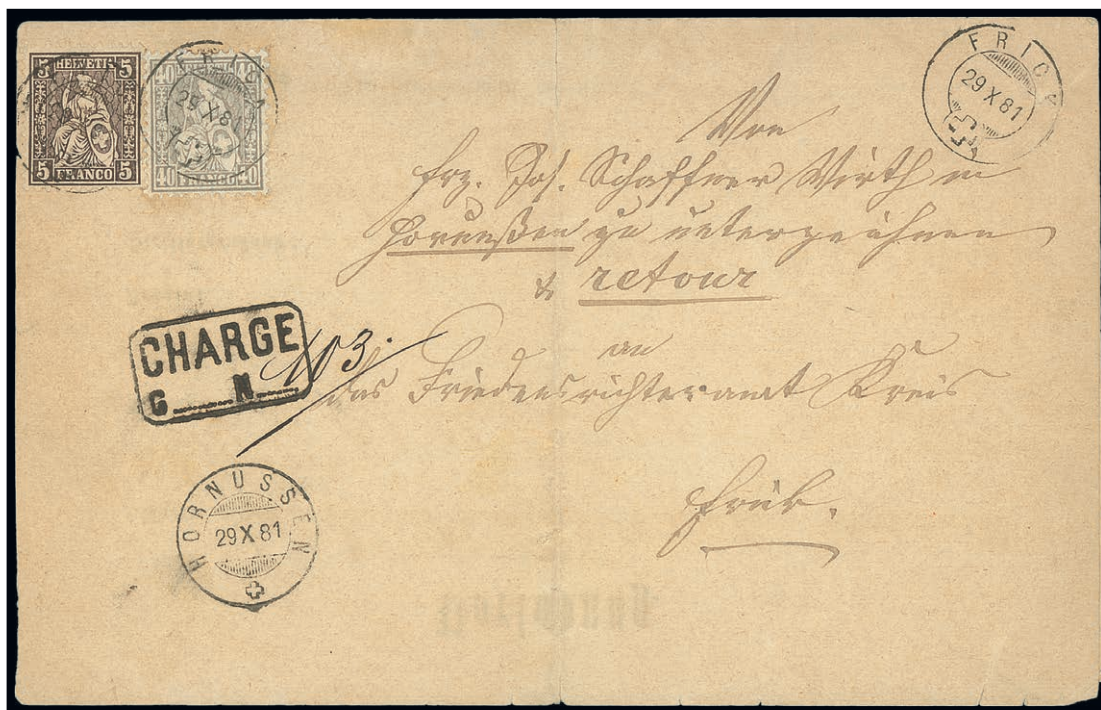
PROVENANCE:

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x1440 ○

1881 granite paper 40c. grey, **horizontal pair** with Trogen cancellations of 2 Feb. 1884; the pair has been separated and rejoined by a hinge; fine and a great rarity. Rellstab Certificate (1990). S.G. 111, £9,000. Zumstein 50, 8,400 Sw. Frs. Photo

£1,200-1,500



1441

x1441 ☒

1881 granite paper 40c. grey with 5c. brown on envelope dated 29 Oct. 1881 to Hornussen, Frick cancellations and arrival datestamp on the front; fine and fresh. A great rarity, especially on cover. Rellstab Certificate (1985). S.G. 111, Zumstein 50, 19,000Sw. Frs. Photo

£2,000-3,000

1442

A mint and used selection on stockpages, including forgeries of the Cantonal issues, 1850-51 2½r., 1850-52 Rayons, 1854-62 Seated Helvetias with values to 1f. (2), 1862-64 60c. (2), 1f. (2), 1882-1903 perf. 9½ 20r. and 25r. unused, 40c., 50c. and 1f. used, 1914-18 10f., 1928-31 5f., later issues, etc., mixed condition

£400-600

## TASMANIA

- x1443 ★ 1868-69 serrated perf 19 at Hobart, 1d. carmine, unused, fine. Rare. S.G. 118, £950.  
Photo

£500-700



1444

- x1444 ① 1899 Pictorial 1d. imperforate colour trials (5) in red (close to issued colour), yellow-green, myrtle green, deep blue and in blue, fine. Only a single example known of each colour. Photo

£2,500-3,000

## THAILAND

- x1445 ★ 1980-86 King Bhumibol Definitives, Enschede 25s. (5), 50s. (5), 75s. (5) and 1b.25 (10, five the 1985 reprint), Govt. Ptg. Works Tokyo 1b. (5), 2b. (5), 3b. (6, one redrawn), 4b. (5), 5b. (8, two redrawn), 6b. (7, one redrawn), 6b.50 (5), 7b. (5), 7b.50 (5), 8b. (6), 8b.50 (5), 9b. (5), 9b.50 (5), 10b. (7), 20b. (5), 50b. (6) and 100b. (7), Harrison 50s., 1b.25 (5, four in a booklet), 1b.50 (5) and 2b. (9), and Leigh-Mardon 2b., fine mint with virtually all in unmounted blocks of four; and 1988-93 Definitive 1b. to 100b. with additional 1b., 2b., 3b., 5b., 6b., 7b (2), 8b., 9b. and 20b., all in blocks of four. S.G. cat. £1450+

£250-300

## TIBET

## Anglo-Tibetan War

- 1446 1904 (10 Sept) cover from Lahssa to Kingstown Ireland endorsed '*Active Service - No stamps available*', bearing circled 'T' handstamp, tombstone postage due handstamp for one anna and '1D. / F.B. / A.' handstamp with Lahssa collection and Kingstown arrival datestamps on reverse. Cover with normal creasing and marks, otherwise in good condition

£500-600

*Sent from Colonel Edward Patrick Connolly F.R.P.S.L. to whom there is addressed a postal stationery envelope also included.*

## UGANDA

- x1447 ★ 1898-1902 set of seven overprinted "SPECIMEN", unused without gum, and as issued set of seven with 1a., 3a., 8a. and 1r. shades, and 1902 ½a. and 2½a. S.G. 84-93, £540

£120-150

Photo for lot 1443 appears on page 77



## VICTORIA



1448



1448A



1448B



1449

- x1448 ★ 1850-53 Half-Length, third state of dies, 2d. olive-grey, unused without gum, margins close to just touching, thin at lower right and small surface abrasion to right of Queen's head, nevertheless a very presentable example of this rare stamp of which only four unused examples have been recorded. R.P.S.V. Certificate (2008). S.G. 10a, £9000. Photo £2,500-3,000
- x1448A ★ 1854 Queen on Throne, J.S. Campbell, clear impression 2d. brownish purple with close margins, very fine unused. S.G. 19a, £850. Photo £300-350
- x1448B ★ 1854 Half-Length, J.S. Campbell 3d. blue [6], close to good margins showing sheet margin at right. Very fine unused and a very early impression from this printing. S.G. 24, £1600. Photo £1,000-1,200
- x1449 ★ 1854-57 Half-Length, Campbell & Fergusson 3d. greenish blue, mostly good margins (just clear at top left), small thin at upper left otherwise fine. S.G. 31a, £2250. Photo £500-600



1450



1451



1454

- x1450 ★ 1854 "REGISTERED" 1/- rose-pink and blue, unused without gum, good to large margins, small thins at top and slight diagonal crease nevertheless a fine looking example of this rare stamp. Ceremuga Certificate (2012). S.G. 34, £4250. Photo £1,200-1,500  
*Note: Geoff Kellow in "Stamps of Victoria" page 98 states "unused stamps are very rare".*
- x1451 ★ 1854 Woodblock, imperf 2/- dull bluish green on pale yellow, unused without gum, close to good margins, slight thinning at top due to hinge removal, otherwise very fine for this. Ceremuga Certificate (2012). S.G. 35, £6000. Photo £1,500-2,000  
*Note: Geoff Kellow in "Stamps of Victoria" page 69 states "unused examples of the imperforate stamp are rare...a handful of examples".*
- x1452 ☒ 1859 (11 Feb.) double rate entire from Ballarat to Hamburg, marked "via England", bearing Woodblock imperf 2/- (damaged at lower left prior to application) and Emblem imperf 4d., both clearly tied by Barred Numeral "5", showing manuscript "1/4", oval-framed "P", red London Paid transit c.d.s. (11.4) and, on reverse, despatch, Melbourne (12.2) and arrival (13.4) datestamps. A rare franking to Germany. Photo £500-600
- 1453 ★ 1867-81 Laureated 5/- blue on yellow, part original gum; some light gum creasing not affecting its fine appearance; small mark on Queen's neck. S.G. 139, £4,250. Photo £700-900
- x1454 ★ 1886 10/- grey-green unused with original gum, centred to lower left, fine. S.G. 272a, £1400. Photo £700-800

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**VIETNAM (SOUTH)**

- 1455 ⑥ 1963-67 selection of eighty-four different epreuve de luxe on card; chiefly fine £200-250

**VIRGIN ISLANDS**

- 1456 ★ 1868-1964 mint range on hagner leaves including 1868 1/- on toned paper, 1878 CC 1d. with watermark upright, 1883 CA ½d. yellow-buff, 1887-89 CA 1d. to 1/- set of four overprinted "SPECIMEN" plus 4d. (2) and 1/-, 1888 4d. on 1/- (2, one used), 1904 CA ½d. to 1/- set of nine, 1938-47 ½d. to £1 (2 sets), 1952 1c. to \$4.80, 1956-62 ½c. to \$4.80 and 1964-68 1c. to \$2.80 (10c. with a blunt corner); fine. Cat. £1580 £300-400

**WESTERN AUSTRALIA**

- x1457 ☒ 1870 (27 July) "ON HER MAJESTY'S SERVICE" envelope (slightly truncated at left) from Perth to Guildford, bearing 1864 perf 12½ 1d. bistre pair, both with central official puncture, clearly tied by duplex and showing unframed "TOO-LATE" h.s. at left. Rare. Photo £1,200-1,500

**YUGOSLAVIA**

- 1458 1918-61 duplicated mint and used selection housed in a damaged stockbook, including 1951 Culture set on first day cover, Serbia, Trieste Zone B, miniature sheets, etc., mixed condition £120-150

**ZANZIBAR**

- x1459 ★ 1895-96 ½a. to 5r. set of fifteen, 1r. grey with fox mark at foot though fine mint. S.G. 3-21 group, £500 £150-180
- x1460 ⑤ 1896, 1899-1901 and 1904 sets, all overprinted "SPECIMEN" (D12), the 1899-1901 set without gum, the others with part to large part original gum. S.G. 156-174s, 188-204s, 210-224s, £800 £200-250
- x1461 ★ 1904 set and 1908-09 set to 10r. (6c., 12c. an 1r. with watermark sideways), part to large part original gum; a couple of low values with gum bends though generally good to fine. S.G. 210-239, £900+ £200-250
- x1462 ⑤ 1908-09 1c. to 200r. set of twenty-one, each overprinted "SPECIMEN" (D12), 10r. a little toned, the others with part to large part original gum (20r. unmounted) and generally good to very fine. S.G. 225-245s, £1,490 £250-300
- 1463 ★ 1908-09 200r. brown and greenish black, some gum creasing otherwise fresh and fine unused with large part original gum. S.G. 245, £1800. Photo £300-400
- x1464 ⑥ 1913 1c. to 75c. imperforate plate proof horizontal pairs on ungummed watermarked paper, and 1922c. 4r. printer's sample imperforate horizontal pair both overprinted "SPECIMEN" (DS2) £250-300
- x1465 ⑤ 1913 1c. to 200r. set of twenty-one, each overprinted "SPECIMEN" (D12), values to 10r. and 40r. (paper wrinkles) with part to large part original gum, the others without gum though of fine appearance. S.G. 246-260gs, £1,270 £200-250
- x1466 ⑤ 1914-22, 1921-29, 1926-27 and 1936 sets, all overprinted or perforated "SPECIMEN", mint with some, including 1921-29 and 1926-27 sets unmounted; 1921 20r. toned though generally fine. S.G. 261-322s, £1,250 £250-300
- x1467 ★ 1921-29, 1926-27 and 1936 sets, mint; 1921-29 4r. to 10r. with faintly toned gum; a few unmounted and of generally fine appearance. S.G. 276-322, £455. Also 1938 and 1950 envelopes to South Africa both bearing 1936 5c. to 1/- values £180-200

Photos also appear on pages 77 and 79

**Zanzibar - *contd.***

- x1468 1936-64 mint with the basic issues, including all Jamhuri sets, complete additional items include 1936-1944 and 1946 commemorative sets perforated "SPECIMEN"; also a selection of commemorative covers (10) including four bearing Jamhuri sets; 1936 Specimen set with toned gum though generally fine with the 1946 Specimen set unmounted. Cat. c. £680 £150-200

**Postage Due Stamps**

- x1469 ★ 1926-30 1c. to 31c. basic set of ten unused, 1936 sets (2, one perforated "SPECIMEN", the issued set a fraction toned), 1956-62 chalk-surfaced set and 1964 Jamhuri set in corner blocks of four, mint; generally good to fine £100-120
- x1470 ★ 1930-33 6c. to 25c. set of six, each in a complete sheet of ten, fresh unused; 3c. with small puncture hole on north-west corner margin, otherwise very fine. Scarce and most attractive in this form. S.G. D18-24, £700+ £280-300
- x1471 ☒ 1950 India 6a. aerogramme to P.O. Box 307, apparently underfranked by 20c. and bearing 1936 Postage Due 5c. vertical pair and 30c. (covering tax mark) both cancelled by "REG/ZANZIBAR" datestamp. A scarce cover with these Postage Dues rated x30 in S.G., i.e. £1560. Photo £300-400

## AUSTRIA

### The "Trieste" Collection

- x1472 1833-1947 a collection of seventy-eight covers, cards or fronts and a quantity of pieces housed in two binders contained in a carton, including a few pre-stamp entires, 1850-54 6k. and 9k. on entire to Amsterdam, 1k., 6k., 9k. (2) on entire letter to Gibraltar, 1858-59 2k. on local Trieste entire letter, 2k. and 3k. black on entire to Botzen, 15k. on front to Malta, redirected and additionally franked Tuscany 40c. (2), 15c. on front to Malta, redirected and additionally franked Tuscany 80c., 1860-61 2k. on entire to Naples, 1863 perf. 14 2k., 10k. with 1863-65 perf. 9½ 1k. brown pair on entire to Genoa, etc., condition mixed but a valuable and interesting lot £4,000-6,000
- x1473 ☒ 1850 (19 Sept.) entire to Innsbruck franked Hand Paper 2k. black vertical strip of three and 3k., all with large to very large margins all round, Trieste barred oval cancellations, arrival on the reverse; superb. S.G. 2, 3. Photo £150-200
- x1474 ☒ 1853 (8 April) printed local entire letter franked Hand Paper 2k. black, good to very large margins and showing a trace of the adjoining stamp at left, framed Trieste cancellation and red barred oval arrival datestamp on the reverse; clean horizontal filing fold, superb. A rare single franking. Ferchenbauer Certificate (1987). S.G. 2, Photo £80-100
- x1475 △ 1854 Machine Paper 1k. lemon-yellow, used with Lombardy Venetia Machine Paper 10c. black, each with margins all round, on small piece with Trieste circular cancellations; fine. A very rare mixed franking. Ferchenbauer Certificate (2004). S.G. 6, Lombardy 6. Photo £2,500-3,000
- PROVENANCE:  
Dr. Jerger
- x1476 ☒ Lombardy Venezia 1854 Hand Paper 15c. red, very large margins all round, tied to small entire to Gorz by framed Trieste/26/7 cancellation, arrival datestamp on reverse fine and scarce use of Lombardy in Trieste. S.G. 3. Photo £100-120
- x1477 ☒ 1859 (7 Sept.) entire letter to Verona, endorsed "*p Vapore*", franked Lombardy Venetia 1858-62 15s. blue, type II (3, arranged as a strip), arrival datestamp on the reverse; fine and scarce use of Lombardy stamps in Trieste. Fiecchi (1976) and R. Diena (2007) Certificates. S.G. 21b. Photo £2,500-3,000
- x1478 △ 1860-61 2k. yellow, used with Lombardy Venetia 1858-62 3s. black type II, hinged on small piece, Trieste circular date stamp cancellations, fine. A rare mixed franking. A. Diena Certificate (1976). S.G. 33, Lombardy Venetia 17B. Photo £2,000-3,000
- x1479 △ 1863-64 perf. 9½ 3k. green, 15k. brown used with Lombardy Venetia 1864 perf. 9½ 3s. green on piece, oval Trieste cancellations; a trifle soiled but fine and a very rare combination franking. Signed Fiecchi, A. Diena, Matl and with Ferchenbauer Certificate (2004). S.G. 46, 49, Lombardy Venetia 33. Photo £3,000-4,000

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Austria - *contd.*

## A WONDERFUL TWO ISSUE COMBINATION COVER OF GREAT BEAUTY



1480

- x1480 ☒ 1863 (6 Jan.) entire to Brescia franked 1860-61 perf. 14 3k. green, 15k. blue, Lombardy Venetia 1858-62 3s. green type II, framed Trieste 1/6 cancellations and the "P.D." alongside, transit and arrival datestamps on reverse; despite a slight crease affecting one of the stamps, superb and absolutely unique. A wonderful two issue combination cover of great beauty. Signed Mondolfo, Colla, Ferchenbauer. S.G. 33, 37 Lombardy Venetia 1z8B. Photo £35,000-45,000
- LITERATURE:  
Illustrated on page 214 of "Mischfrankaturen" by Dr. Anton Jerger
- x1481 ☒ 1865 (2 May) entire letter to Vienna franked Lombardy Venetia 1863 perf. 14 15s. brown, oval TRIESTE/2/5 cancellation, arrival c.d.s. on reverse; superb use of Lombardy Venetia in Austria, the 15s. is particularly rare. Ferchenbauer (1991) and Bottacchi (2008) Certificates. Photo £2,000-3,000
- x1482 ☒ 1865 (9 May) entire letter to Alexandria, Egypt, franked Lombardy Venetia 1864 perf. 9½ 3s. green (two pairs and a single), oval Trieste cancellations, arrival c.d.s. (17.5) on reverse; a trifle soiled but an incredibly rare used of Lombardy Venetia issues in Austria. A rare destination and a unique franking. E. Diena (1991) and Colla (2004) Certificates. S.G. Lombardy Venetia 33. Photo £7,500-10,000

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AN EXTRAORDINARILY RARE COMBINATION OF ISSUES



1483

x1483 ☒

1866 (29 March) envelope to Bologna franked 1863-64 perf. 9½ 15k. brown vertical pair and Lombardy Venetia 1863 perf. 14 2s. yellow, oval Trieste cancellations, arrival datestamp on the reverse; fine and an extraordinarily rare combination of issues. Unique and beautiful. Signed Fiecchi, E. Diena and Sorani. Ferchenbauer Certificate (2004). S.G. 49, Lombardy Venetia 27. Photo

£25,000-30,000



Austria - *contd.*

## A VERY UNUSUAL AND RARE COMBINATION COVER



1484

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|---------|---|----------------|
| x1484 ☒ | 1867 (2 Aug.) entire to Milan franked 1863-64 perf. 9½ 2k. green vertical pair and Lombardy Venetia 1863 perf. 14 10s. blue, oval Trieste cancellations with "P.D." alongside and with transit and arrival markings on the reverse; fine. An extremely rare mixed franking. E. Diena (1982) and Boule (2000) Certificates. Photo                      | £20,000-25,000 |
| x1485 ☒ | 1868 (11 Dec.) 5kr. red postal stationery envelope to Greece, oval Trieste cancellation, "AFF.INSUFF" handstamp, on arrival taxed by 1862-67 5L., 10L. and 40L., margins all round to a little cut into, with Cefalonia cancellations; a few minor imperfections but a very unusual and rare combination cover. P. Holcombe Certificate (1986). Photo | £200-300       |
| x1486 ☒ | Lombardy Venetia, selection of 42 covers or pieces in a small red binder, issues from 1850, Postal Fiscals, etc., mixed condition   | £150-200       |

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## COLLECTIONS AND RANGES

- 1487 ★ A small mint miscellany including Antigua 1922 MCA £1 unmounted mint; Ascension 1924-33 1d. grey-black and deep blue-green unmounted mint lower left corner block of four with *cleft rock* variety; Bahamas 1938-52 ½d. brown-purple marginal block of six (3x2) with one showing **elongated "E"**; Bermuda 1922-34 Script ¼d. to 1/-; British Guiana 1862-65 perf 12½-13 4c. (centred to lower right), 1913-21 MCA 1c. to 96c. set of eleven and 1934 1c. to \$1; Gibraltar 1898 ½d. to 1/- and 1903 CA 4/-; Jamaica 1905-11 MCA QV 3d. block of four with interpanneau margin at left, variety **watermark inverted**; New Guinea 1939 Air £1; New Zealand 1898 Pictorial 6d. green imperforate plate proof pair, 1902-07 Pictorial perf 11 2/- and Official 1913-25 2/-; Niue 1918-29 Cowan 10/-; Malaya - Trengganu 1910-19 1c. to \$5 (\$3 with minor traces of perf toning); Victoria 1873-87 Bell 2d. deep lilac-mauve, die I perf 13 marginal block of four; and Zanzibar 1914-22 MCA 10r. A good fine lot £500-700
- 1488 ☉ 1949 Anniversary of the U.P.U. blue souvenir album, largely complete unmounted mint including Portuguese Colonies Macao 32a. purple, Timor 16a. yellow-brown, Germany Allied Occupation 30pf. ultramarine and the scarce West Germany set of seven to 2dm., very fine condition £500-700
- 1489 Various, mostly Foreign countries, housed in sixteen albums, stockbooks, packets and loose contained in three cartons, including Argentina, Hungary with miniature sheets, Israel with forerunner covers, Lebanon, San Marino, Saudi Arabia with covers, Spain with better miniature sheets, Colonies, Yemen, Thematics with Animals, World Refugee Year, picture post cards, etc., mixed condition but a valuable and useful lot £600-800
- 1490 A duplicated, all world selection housed in eleven stockbooks and lose contained in a carton, including Austria with Post Offices in the Levant, Belgium 1960 Railway Parcels set and imperf. set, Belgian Congo, Croatia, Ecuador, Fiume, France, Germany States, East Germany, Great Britain, Monaco 1891-94 1f, and 1901-21 75c. (2) blocks of four, Nicaragua, Saudi Arabia, etc., mixed condition. An interesting lot £600-800
- 1491 An all world selection housed in twelve albums or stockbooks, packets and loose, contained in three cartons, including Austria, Germany, Ghana, Hungary, Iran, Ireland, Italy, Korea, Malaya Straits Settlements, Pakistan, Russia, South Africa, Spain with civil war labels, Thematic with Space, Sport, covers and cards, etc., mixed condition and an untidy lots which will, however, repay careful examination £800-1,200
- 1492 Various, chiefly Great Britain and USA contained in a quantity of albums or stockbooks and loose contained in five cartons, including Australia, France Great Britain with Post Office training bars, 1840 1d. (2, one on cover), 2d., 1925 Wembley, 1948 Wedding £1, 1952-54 11d. block of six, later with values to £10, booklets, First Day covers, presentation packs, United States with some early issues, 1901 set, 1918 Air set, later with values to \$5 mint and used, full sheets, etc., mixed condition £1,000-1,200
- 1493 Duplicated selection of Eastern European countries in a stockbook, including Albania 1919 Comet overprints, Bulgaria, Czechoslovakia, Hungary 1933 Air set on cover, Lithuania, Poland 1928 Warsaw miniature sheet, Romania 1934 Mamaia Scouts (3), Russia 1933 Stratosphere, 1935 Games, Serbia 1914 3d., etc., chiefly fine. A valuable and useful lot £1,200-1,500
- 1494 A chiefly mint accumulation in a small box including St. Helena on Hagner pages with a range of early issues, 1908-11 set to 10/-, 1912-16 set of ten to 3/-, 1922-37 MCA set of five to £1, Script set to 15/- (two of some values), 1934 Centenary set etc. also mint on pre-printed pages with 1938-50 set to 10/-, 1953-59 set to 10/-, 1961-65 set of fourteen and four chalky paper values, a quantity of ex-auction lots (61) with Falkland Islands 1933 Centenary 2/6d. unused, 1938-50 5/- indigo and pale chestnut unused, Jamaica 1921 6d. Abolition of Slavery overprinted 'SPECIMEN', Mauritius 1938-49 25c. block of six, lower right stamp with 'I' flaw, New Zealand 1862-63 6d. black brown unused, 1864 1d. carmine-vermilion unused, St. Vincent 1862068 6d. deep green strip of five unused, Turks Islands 1d. brown-red block of four, Mauritius mint and used on pages, Jamaica on pages, a few covers etc; chiefly good to fine, worthy of closer inspection £2,000-4,000

## GREAT BRITAIN

### Stamp Rollers

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|------|--|----------|
| 1495 | Crown Derby style stamp moistening roller, small nick on roller otherwise fine and original. Photo   | £100-150 |
| 1496 | Two rollers, one a 1908-09 Birmingham D&F glass roller with silver surround, a few very small chips to roller, otherwise fine, the other a ceramic roller with a blue on white floral design, also fine. Photo | £50-100  |
| 1497 | 1912-13 Chester S.I.L.d and Finnigan glass roller in trough style silver case on bun feet. Very fine with small chips to ends of roller. Photo   | £200-250 |
| 1498 | 1903-4 Birmingham Y&Co. frosted glass roller on silver surround with red leather base. Some tarnishing to silver otherwise fine. Photo   | £100-150 |

### Desk Set

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|------|--|----------|
| 1499 | 1930-31 London AC a handsome silver desk-top writing set comprising one large tray on flat bun feet with unusual stamp box mounted in the middle with small tray at top and hinged compartment at bottom with two glass inkwells either side each with silver hinged lids and set in a silver tray, also a pen rest at front. Very fine. Photo | £250-300 |
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### Stamp Envelopes & Pendants

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| 1500 | A small group of envelope style stamp containers (9) including a 1920-21 Chester 9 carat gold single stamp envelope; 1908-9 Chester silver double stamp envelope; 1916-17 Birmingham C&N chased silver single stamp engraved envelope with blue enamelled 'STAMPS', pretty; 1903-4 Chester H.C. & S.Ltd heavily engraved single stamp envelope with floral design and shield with suspension ring; 1902-3 Birmingham W.J.H. silver container with book type opening and deeply engraved pendant, marked 'STERLING'; continental silver flat book-type with engraved pendant with link, marked .900, inscribed 'Zum 60. Geburtstag!' inside; brass pendant with enamelled red, white and blue Victoria facsimile stamp; 1889-90 Birmingham C.E.S. silver decorative stamp shaped pendant with rounded corners bearing initials 'E.C.' with internal compartment. A nice group | £250-300 |
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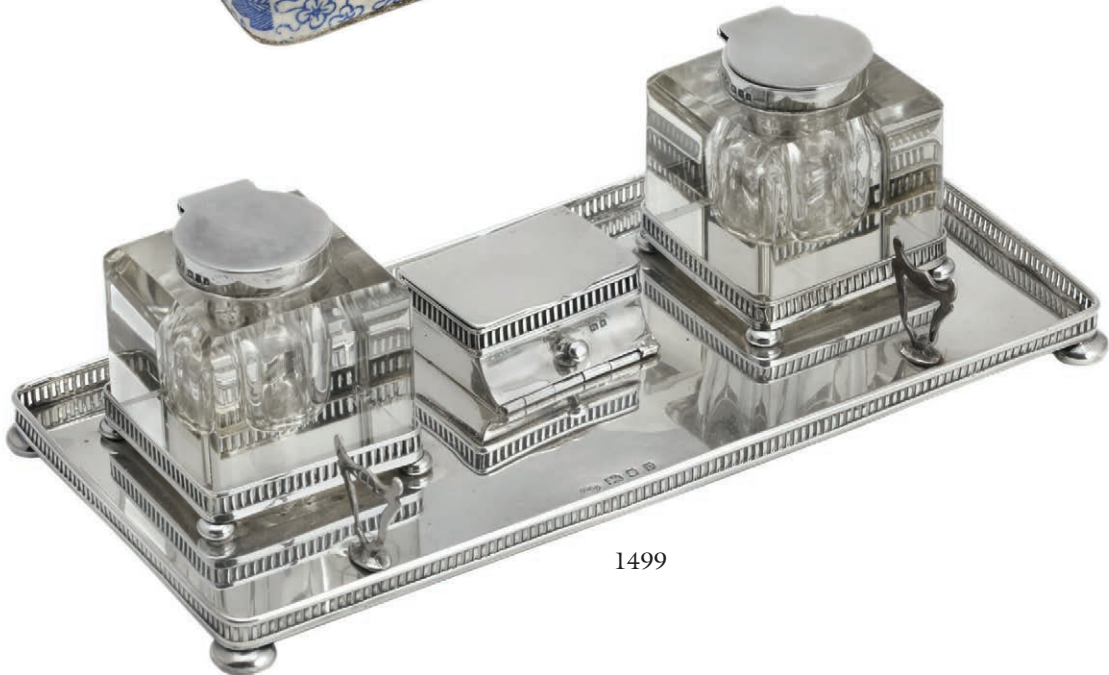
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**Great Britain - *contd.*****Stamp Boxes**

1501	1889-90 Birmingham silver vesta case with attractively scrolled engraving throughout and inscribed 'ACE' with side hinged sprung lid and small flat lid opening to sloped compartment on the reverse. Fine. Photo	£100-150
1502	1897-98 Birmingham, possibly L&S silver triple tray half barrel box with sprung leather-backed lid on attractive scroll legs. Fine. Photo	£200-250
1503	1902-03 Birmingham D&S single tray box with cut glass base and silver lid engraved 'J.C.B.'. Fine. Photo	£75-100
1504	1904-05 Birmingham unusual coal scuttle box with top hinged lid opening to large compartment. Photo	£200-250
1505	1905-06 London GB & Sons cut glass box with three trays and silver lid, a few minor dents in lid, otherwise good. Photo	£150-200
1506	1905-06 Birmingham H C F silver roller blotter box with stamp window and flat lid opening to sloped compartment, both mounted either side of the handle, all on wooden rocker base. Fine and rare. Photo	£250-300
1507	1906-07 Chester silver vesta case with half-and-half scrolled and starred engraving and side hinged lid opening to large compartment and small stamp slot. Photo	£100-150
1508	1907-08 Birmingham silver wheelbarrow with smooth turning wheel and single window lid opening to sloped compartment. Fine and rare. Photo	£300-350
1509	1909-10 Birmingham W.H.H. silver combination case fastened by working latch opening to ½ sovereign, sovereign and stamp sprung dispensers with unusual addition of a compass. Small dents to reverse of case, otherwise most attractive. Photo	£250-300
1510	1911-12 Birmingham J.L.B. silver double tray half barrel box on ball feet, backing to lid slipping, otherwise good. Photo	£75-100



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## Great Britain, Stamp Boxes - *contd.*

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|------------------------|--|----------|
| 1511                   | Unknown date, Birmingham attractive silver single tray box with angled lid on simply patterned base. Fine. Photo   | £100-150 |
| 1512                   | Rare gunmetal combined ½ sovereign, sovereign and stamp container - these in silver metal without hallmarks - and pencil case (pencil not present), with blue glass button clasp. Photo  | £150-200 |
| 1513                   | Two wooden Tunbridge Ware boxes, one with decorative design featuring KGV ½d. stamp design, varnish on design has suffered, 9 x 4 x 2.5 cm, the other a single stamp box with KEVIII 1d. stamp surrounded by attractive chequered border. Photo  | £75-100  |
| 1514                   | A small group of brass stamp boxes (4) including a double compartment box with decorative cloisonné lid showing flowers in multiple colours; triple compartment cloisonné box in two shades of blue showing oriental dragon design opening to deep sloping blue enamelled compartments; Ges Gesch Art Deco triple compartment box with floral design on lid; and a double compartment box with Chinese style engraving   | £100-150 |
| 1515                   | A small group of wooden stamp boxes (6) including 1905-06 Birmingham L & S walnut veneered triple compartment box on mahogany base with key hole (key not present) and one divider missing; Swiss wooden puzzle box (which defeated this describer) with floral design; triple box with deeply carved lid with sleeping lion inscribed 'Luzern'; double compartment box with painted flower; single compartment box in shape of miniature Swiss chalet, a few faults; and simple quadruple box with marquetry lined top with painted 'Stamps'  | £75-100  |
| <b>Postal Ephemera</b> |  |          |
| 1516                   | Coil stamp dispenser with sprung internal mechanism, inscribed 'STERLING SILVER', possibly American; also a pendant seal holder with monogrammed worn rubber seal and interesting sprung mechanism and engraved flower on lid. Unusual. Photo  | £100-150 |
| 1517                   | Mauchline Ware perpetual calendar roller with illustration of Shakespeare's House and extensive postal and telegram rates 24 x 2.7 mm; also 'The Popular Paper Knife' with ruler and inland and foreign postal rates 32 x 3 cm. Both appear undated. Photo   | £100-150 |
| 1518                   | A small group of miscellaneous cases (5) including 1937 Coronation case with coloured enamel portraits for stamp booklets with instructions 7 x 5 cm; tortoiseshell twin sided double holder with space for four different stamp sizes, 5 x 4 x 1 cm; unusual red, black, green and purple Bakelite and leather case, 3.5 x 3 x 0.75 cm; leather stamp holder by W J Lyon of Glasgow with gold stamped postal rates, 7 x 10.5 cm; and embroidered case 11.5 x 5.5cm with 'To guard her head / From dust and damps / This case is made / For postage stamps' in green on one side and 'In England letters / Find no grace / Unless they bear / Victoria's face' on the other in brown | £50-100  |



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Great Britain - *contd.*

Scales



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| 1519 | John Sheldon miniature scales to weigh $\frac{1}{2}$ and 1oz, charged at 1d. and 2d., 7 x 0.75 cm with seal at one end. Photo   | £100-150 |
| 1520 | 1898-99 L & S silver letter scales with scrolled base and ivorine scale with figures worn. Photo  | £100-150 |
| 1521 | A fine group of interesting scales (6) including precision scales 0 - 18oz in enamel, brass and steel by Concav, 24 x 21 x 12.5 cm with levelling foot; Austrian brass counterbalance scales to 8oz with Art Deco floral base 16 x 11 x 7 cm; Miller of Newport brass scales with five weights $\frac{1}{4}$ - 2oz, engraved rates under the weights, 17 x 10 x 6.5cm; brass scales with 'Made in England and Warranted Accurate' marks on the arms, $\frac{1}{2}$ - 4oz weights, polished wooden base, rates on plastic strip fastened to base; S Mordan & Co. brass scales with 6 weights $\frac{1}{4}$ - 6oz, also on wooden base, rates engraved in letter side of scales; and Waterlow & Sons brass scales on high wooden base, brass weights $\frac{1}{2}$ - 8oz, 26 x 12 x 13 cm | £200-250 |



1521A

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| 1521A | Base metal letter balance in the shape of a bare footed boy holding up a candlestick in one hand and a letter balance in the other, with counter balance working as ball and socket, all mounted on an ornate base with four ball feet. Photo | £75-100 |
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Afternoon session commencing at 2.00 p.m. (Lots 1522-1812)

## POSTAL HISTORY



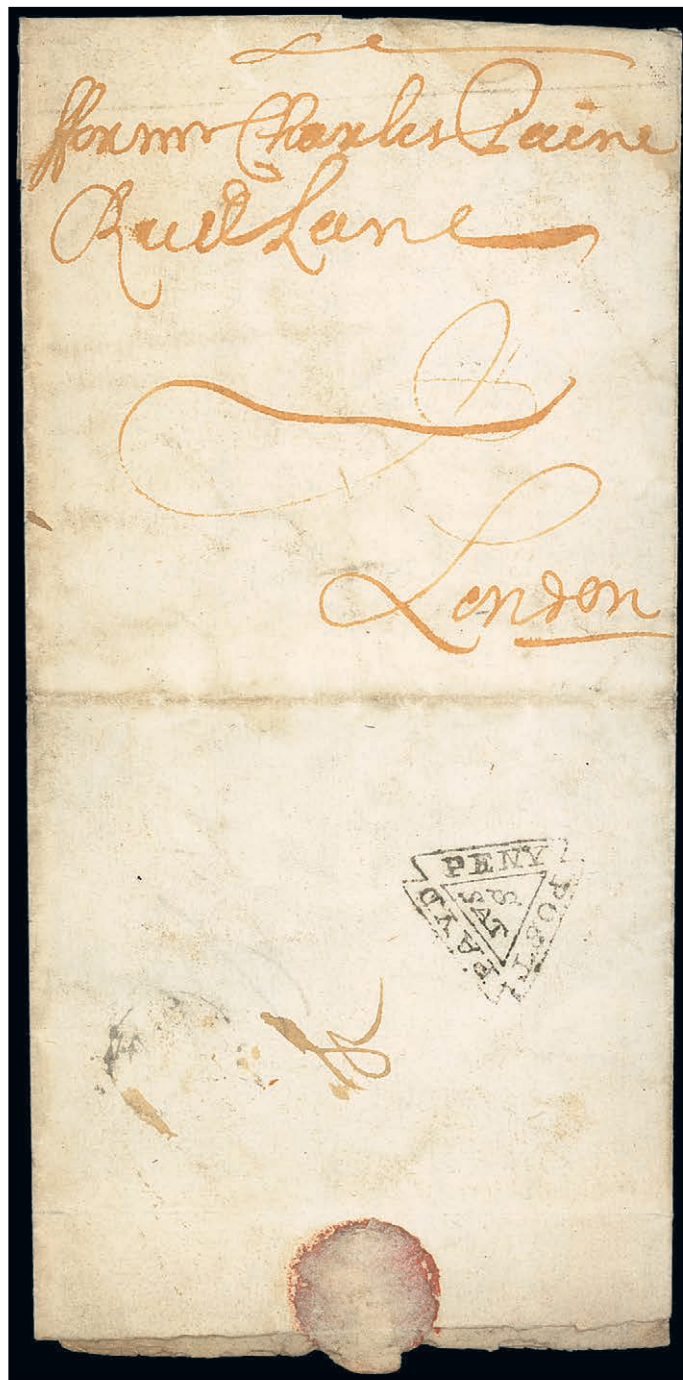
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1685 (Sept. 10-14) "The London Gazette" including "By the King A PROCLAMATION For Enforcing the Due Execution of the Acts of Parliament for Erecting the Post Office, and for Settling the Profits thereof upon Us, Our Heirs and Successors"; pre-printing paper crease at lower right; fine for its age and a document of major importance. Photo

£500-600

Postal History - *contd.*



1523

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| 1523 ☒ | 1693 (6 April) entire to London, on reverse superb “PENY/POST/PAYD/S/SAT” type 2 Dockwra marking for Southwark; attractive and rare. Photo   | £400-500 |
| 1524 ☒ | 1702 (23 May) entire letter endorsed “ <i>For her Maj.s Service</i> ” (Queen Anne) to the office of Ordnance in Portsmouth, interesting contents concerning “ <i>fireworks for fireships</i> ”, a little stained along filing folds. Rare  | £80-100  |
| 1525 ☒ | 1772-1846 selection of nineteen covers and a front, including 1836 entire with red undated circular Tunbridge Wells with manuscript <i>Not for</i> inserted, 1845 Shipping report for Frederick Huth, Penny Post, Ship Letter, Too Late, Town, Paid, Free, Dockwra and Bishop marks; mixed condition. An interesting group | £200-250 |



- 1526 ☒ 1788-1847, selection of eight entire letters comprising 1788 with convex "MANCHES/TER", 1812 with red framed "Dobcrofs/P.P.", 1830 with framed "Teignmouth/Penny Post" and red inspectors mark, 1831 with framed "Staley Bridge/Penny Posr" and red Addl/½, 1834 with **blue** "PAID AT TRURO" and framed "Truro/P.y Post", 1836 with *Torquay/Penny Post* and boxed "No. 1", 1839 with "Newark/PennyPost", 1847 with "New Buckingham/Penny Post"; fine. A scarce group £350-450
- 1527 ☒ 1793-1919 selection of twenty-two items housed in a white album, including 1813 entire to Rochdale with green Manchester dated mileage marking, 1825 entire letter to Huddersfield, redirected to Leeds with framed "Oldham/P.P.", 1837 entire to Glasgow with red framed "PAID AT/Liverpool", 1842 stampless entire from Manchester to Leeds, 1841-53 1d. Plate 173 strip of six on 1853 entire letter registered from Peterborough to London, 1868 entire to the United States franked 6d., etc., mixed condition £100-120
- 1528 ☒ 1794-1853, collection of thirty-eight covers in a green S.G. Philatelic album, principally Penny Post markings, including scarce types, undated circles, straight lines and Mileages, etc., a wide range of Towns; chiefly good to fine £400-500
- 1529 1802 "Justification of a Memorial presented to The Right Honorable Lord Auckland, and The Right Honorable Lord Charles Spencer, His Majesty's Joint Post Masters General" being a lengthy printed complaint by J. Hobart Briggs, inspector of Franks and Clerk of the Roads concerning his treatment by a Mr. Stone and Mr. Hume of the Inland Dept. The pamphlet describes the operation of the Postal Franking service during the years 1767 and 1802; unpublished; some age staining and minor faults £120-150
- 1530 ☒ 1804 (30 May) entire letter to Daventry with superb distinctive "NHAMPTON/66" Mileage marking; clean and uncreased. Willcocks & Jay 134. Photo £100-120



1531

- 1531 ☒ 1807 (13 Feb.), entire letter from Philadelphia to Leeds, sent unpaid by Private Ship, endorsed "Latona" (deleted) and sent via the ship "Abigail", with very fine double oval "Ship Letter/(Crown)/HULL" (Robertson S.3) and rated "1/10" in manuscript; the entire has been strengthened by archival tape along some internal folds. A major maritime rarity and the finer of the two recorded examples of the Ship Letter/Hull marking. Photo £1,200-1,400

## PROVENANCE:

Ex Alan Robertson and illustrated in his reference catalogue "A History of the Ship Letters of the British Isles"

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| 1532 ☒ | 1812 (28 March) entire to London with Manchester/185 datestamp and mileage marking, framed "PENNY P. UNPAID" and "4PP" all in red; filing folds and a trifle soiled. Rare. The Penny P. Unpaid marking only recorded for Altringham  | £80-100  |
| 1533 ☒ | 1814 (4 Feb.) entire to London from a Prisoner of War in France, fine oval "TRANSPORT OFFICE/(Crown)/GR/PRISONER OF WAR" cachet overstruck by blue "Two PyPost/Unpaid/Bge St. Westminster" and "2" handstamp; horizontal filing fold, fine and scarce. Photo   | £200-250 |
| 1534   | 1815-53, five Acts of Parliament relating to Postage to Cape of Good Hope, Mauritius and the East Indies, Prince Edward Island, The New Post & Stamp Offices Edinburgh, Treasury Warrant of Postal Rates to South America, etc., good to fine  | £150-200 |
| 1535 ☒ | 1823 (12 May) entire letter to Abergavenny with superb crooked type "Missent to/Carmarthen", dated marking on reverse; clean central vertical filing fold clear of the marking. An exceptionally rare Welsh mark. Photo  | £180-220 |
| 1536 ☒ | 1825 (8 Jan.) entire letter to Ludlow with superb boxed "BELVI/de/s PL" (Belvidere Place), dated marking on reverse. Rare and Exhibition quality. Photo  | £150-200 |
| 1537 ☒ | 1825 entire letter from Calcutta to South Wales with framed "INDIA LETTER/PORTSMOUTH", red oval "MISSENT/TO/BIRMINGHAM" and octagonal "MISSENT TO/SALISBURY"; some internal staining but a rare and attractive combination of markings. Photo  | £180-220 |
| 1538 ☒ | 1827 (13 Oct.) entire letter to a firm of Solicitors in Brighton, from an inmate held in the King's Bench Prison, London, with superb framed "BELVI/DE/S PL/E", poignant contents concluding " <i>Altho I am in prison my spirit is not beat down - I will do justice to everyone - this place shall never alienate the true principles I received from my late dear parents</i> ". Offered with a contemporary coloured print of the prison | £100-120 |
| 1539 ☒ | 1837 (19 Dec.) entire letter to Bagshot, re-directed to London and then to Brighton, with red "BAGSHOT" and manuscript <i>Redirected</i> , framed "POSTAGE NOT PAID/TO LONDON" and, on reverse red framed "Bagshot/Penny Post", dated markings on reverse; some stains but a scarce twice re-directed entire   | £100-120 |
| 1540 ☒ | 1838 (22 Nov.) small visiting card entire to London with red Free datestamp on the front, on reverse straight line "HOLKUM" and Lynn datestamp; attractive and scarce  | £100-120 |
| 1541 ☒ | 1838-55 five entires with Penny Post handstamps, comprising Bangor (red), Brighton, Chilham (blue), Highgate (rare), and Hounslow; strikes and condition good to fine  | £150-180 |



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Carmarthen

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Henry Lloyd Esq  
Salisbury  
Wiltshire

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1546

No. 317

Missent to  
INDIA-LETTER  
PORTSMOUTH

J. J. Philipps Esq  
late Med Surgeon in the Army  
Service Aberglasney near Cardiff  
South Wales.

1537

London & Brighton Railway.  
London Terminus.

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My dear Sir

I have been so closely  
occupied with other matters that I  
have been obliged to defer replying  
to your note.

I enclose a new ticket. When  
the 3 months expires please let me  
know should your experiments  
be incomplete & the ticket shall  
be renewed -

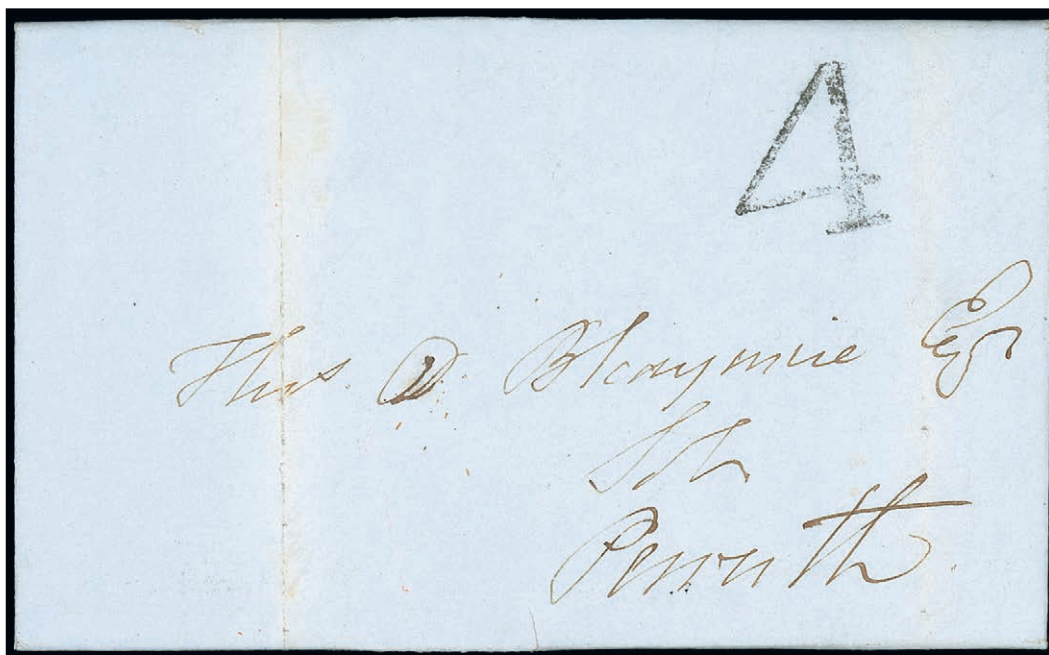
Yours faithfully  
Richard L. Phillips

Mr. Richards Esq

1544



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1542

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|--------|---|------------|
| 1542 ☒ | 1839 (27 Dec.) entire letter to Penrith with a fine and clear "4" due handstamp of Carlisle; filing folds clear of the handstamp. A very rare letter from the Uniform 4d. period. Photo   | £700-1,000 |
| 1543 ☒ | 1841 (29 Jan.) entire to The Secretaries of the Wesleyan Missions, London, endorsed <i>Paid</i> with Oldham undated "Butterfly" (Willcocks & Jay 339), Manchester datestamp and London Tombstone arrival, all in red; a clean horizontal crease crosses all three handstamps; attractive and rare   | £120-140   |
| 1544 △ | 1845 (11 Jan.) a one page letter on "London & Brighton Railway/London Terminus" stationery, signed <i>Rowland Hill</i> , interesting contents regarding "...a new ticket" and "...your experiment"; fine. Also a rare photograph of Rowland Hill. Photo   | £700-800   |
|        | PROVENANCE:<br>Christies, Robson Lowe sale (May 1987)   |            |
| 1545 ☒ | 1845-59 selection of fifteen entires/envelopes with undated circle handstamps, including scarcer Villages and Towns, four bearing imperf. 1d., the others 1d. Stars; strikes and condition mixed but with some superb strikes   | £150-200   |
| 1546 ☒ | 1846 (23 April) entire letter to Boulogne endorsed <i>Paid</i> , with Hastings curved "PAID"/1d. with the "1d." deleted, red "PD" in oval and manuscript "5/5/10" indicating 5d. to Britain, 5d. to France = 10d., arrival datestamp; fine. Believed to be the only recorded example of the Hastings 1d. U.P.P. handstamp being modified for overseas postage. Photo  | £400-500   |
| 1547 ☒ | 1854-62 selection of thirteen entires or envelopes, including Bristol Spoon cancellations (2), distinctive seals, script <i>Too Late</i> markings Coventry and Dundee, etc., good to superb   | £100-120   |
| 1548 ☒ | 1855-61 collection of 22 covers and a Penny pink envelope with blue sideways Duplex cancellations, including scarcer Towns, comprising Brighton, Bristol, Cardiff, Chesterfield, Coventry, Derby, Kendal, Leeds, Leicester (2), Manchester, Newbury, Newcastle on Tyne, Norwich, Nottingham (2), Sheffield (2), Tunbridge Wells, Wakefield, Wrexham, York, included is a most unusual mourning envelope franked 1d. which appears to be a strikingly under-inked impression, leaving a blue tinged ivory head cancelled by Weymouth and Newbury sideways duplex cancellations; chiefly good to fine | £200-250   |

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- 1549 ☒ 1857 (17 March) Penny Pink envelope registered to London, re-directed on arrival and additionally franked 1d. Stars (2) with London "76" duplex cancellations and with superb circular Dublin Registered c.d.s. and oval "REGISTERED/G.P.O." datestamp below; fine and rare £150-200
- 1550 ☒ 1858 (1 Sept.) envelope to Fife franked 1d. Stars with light barred oval cancellation, endorsed *Above ½ oz.* and with "MORE/TO/PAY" in circle additionally cancelling the stamp, dated markings on reverse; fine. The More to Pay marking very rare used as a cancellation. Photo £150-200
- 1551 ☒ 1868-1932 an interesting group of five covers, comprising 1868 to Sweden franked 6d. with red "3d" and PD in circle handstamps, 1872 two entires from Tunbridge Wells to Prussia franked 3d., 1903 envelope to H.R.H. Prince Radolin in Paris franked Edward VII 5d. with London hooded cancellation, 1932 envelope with enclosure to London franked 1½d. and London, Midland and Scottish Railway 3d. Railway letter stamp; good to fine £200-250
- 1552 ☒ 1886 (1 April) 1d. pink postal stationery envelope with "W & T Avery/Birmingham" advertising ring, addressed to Kidderminster, Birmingham squared circle cancellation; clean and uncreased £150-180
- 1553 ☒ 1861 (13 Feb.) embossed Valentine envelope to Newport, Mon., franked 1d. rose-red with two "561" barred oval cancellations and c.d.s. on the reverse; fine and attractive. Photo £120-140



1554

- 1554 1872, a Victorian oak country house letter box retailed by Henry Rodriguez, of classical pillar form with an octagonal top, brass letter box and brass bordered notice detailing postage rates and schedule, the plinth drawer with brass diamond shaped registration mark and dealers name. With original key. Photo £4,500-5,000

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1555

A selection of nine items, including embossed envelopes, an 1833 love letter, a picture hand crafted from seaweed and coloured silk, etc.; mixed condition

£60-70



1556

1556

Two appealing oil on panel Mail coach paintings, "The Royal Mail Coach" and "Royal Mail Coach in deep snow" by W.S. Maggs, each 6½" x 5" and attractively framed. Photo

£1,500-2,000



## 1840 MULREADY

## One Penny Letter Sheets

- 1557 ☒ A24 dated 13 May 1840, addressed to Swansea, central red Maltese Cross cancellation in a brownish shade, framed "No. 2" on the front and Bristol c.d.s. on the reverse; some wrinkling, fine £150-200
- 1558 ☒ A25 (?) dated 1844 (22 June) with printed "Samuel Hanson & Son/Importers of foreign fruits" printed heading, addressed to Aberdeen, central London chief office "14" barred oval cancellation, transit and arrival datestamps on reverse; filing folds and portion of reverse missing from seal removal. Scarce. Specialised £1,100. Photo £250-300
- 1559 ☒ A66, a striking clear print, dated 1841 (9 June) from Liverpool to Hull, fine black Maltese Cross cancellation and with red "PxL" (paid late) marking; clean horizontal filing fold, fine and most attractive. Photo £250-300
- 1560 ☒ A69 dated 1840 (3 Aug.) from London to the Post Office, Cowes, Isle of Wight, lovely red Maltese Cross cancellation slightly to the right of Britannia, contrary to Post Office instructions; some creases £180-200



1561

- 1561 ☒ A76, dated 1840 (1 Sept.) to Suffolk, superb central orange-red, double lined Hadleigh Maltese Cross cancellation and with Hadleigh datestamp on the reverse; vertical filing folds and flaps eccentrically folded diagonally on posting. Fine. Photo £500-600  
*Note: Listed and illustrated in Rockoff and Jackson, Volume 2*
- 1562 ☒ Stereo missing, dated 1840 (22 Aug.) with blue printed "English and Scottish Law Fire and Life Assurance" advertisement (Specialised MA122), addressed to Jersey, red Maltese Cross cancellation; some imperfections. Rare Channel Islands usage. Photo £180-200
- 1563 ☒ A234, dated 1840 (18 Aug.) to Nottingham, superb red Maltese Cross cancellation in an orange-red shade; pressed crease at foot but clean and scarce. Photo £180-200

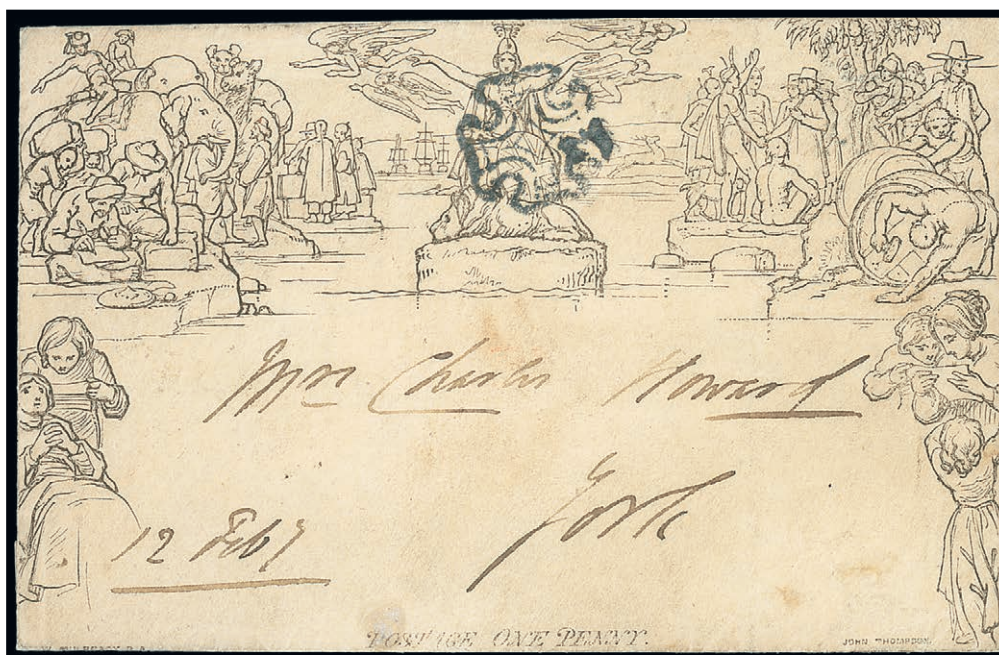
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## 1840 Mulready - *contd.*

### One Penny Envelopes

- 1564 ☒ A132, 1840 (25 May) to Chelmsford, deep red Maltese Cross cancellation, clear datestamp on reverse; overall soiling and small part of flap missing. A scarce May date. Photo £150-200
- 1565 ☒ A134 dated 1840 (9 June) to Chatham, crisp red Maltese Cross cancellation in an orange-red shade and with matching Rochester c.d.s. on reverse; clean and uncreased. Exhibition quality. Photo £300-350
- 1566 ☒ A144, dated 1840 (14 May), addressed to London with central red Maltese Cross cancellation overstruck by **blue** framed "PyP/No. 15" and (on reverse) "HANDSWORTH" in the same colour, red arrival datestamp (15.5); pressed vertical creases, very fine and an outstanding rarity. Believed to be the only recorded use of the Handsworth Penny Paid marking on a Mulready. Photo £2,500-3,000



1567

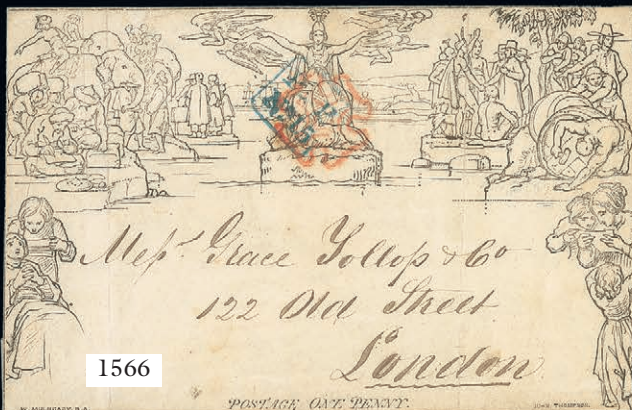
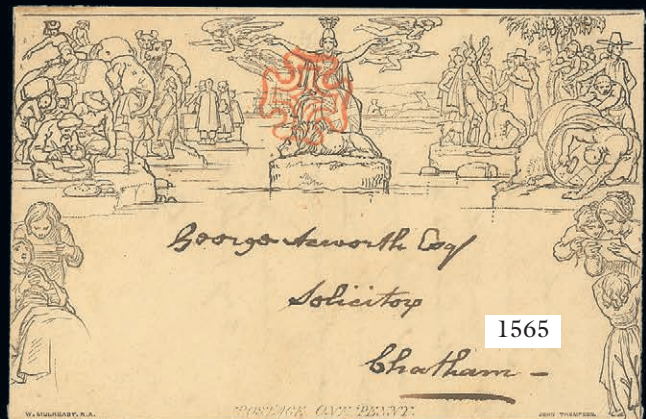
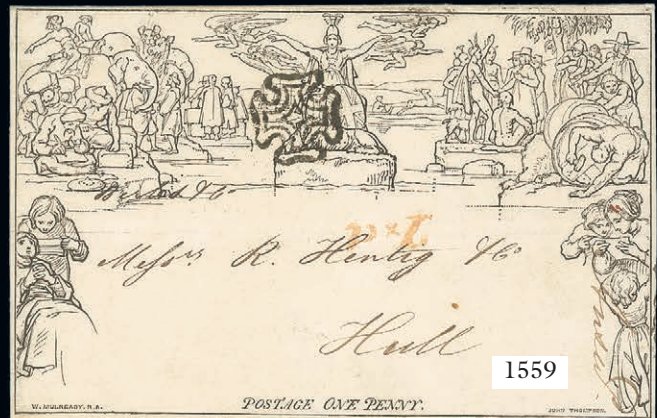
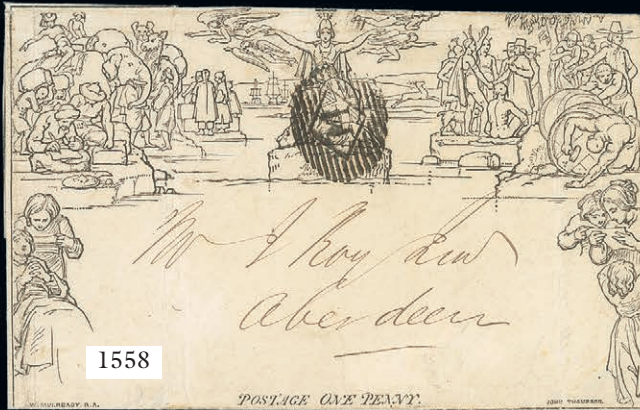
- 1567 ☒ A149 used to York, dated 1842 (12 April), central **dark blue** Maltese Cross cancellation and with matching Preston c.d.s. on the reverse; a trifle soiled but fine and rare. Mike Jackson Certificate (2019). Specialised ME2, £35,000. Photo £4,500-5,000
- Note: Rockoff & Jackson record many covers from Preston described as having various shades of blue Maltese Crosses from Feb. 1843 to 1844, but they record no examples of a Mulready obliterated at Preston.*

### Two Penny Letter Envelopes

- 1568 ☒ a196, dated 1840 (27 Oct.), to Holywell, red Maltese Cross cancellation with matching St. Asaph datestamp on the front; overall soiling and some back flap imperfections. Rare. Concise £2,500. Photo £400-500
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- x1569 ⑩ Line Engraved Proofs and Essays: 1869 Paris Exhibition 2d. blue, Plate 9: QK, imperforate on soft white card, paper hinge remnants, tiny surface scuffs, fine. Only one sheet of 240 printed. Specialised DP49, £5,000. Photo £600-800

Photo for lot 1569 appears on page 115







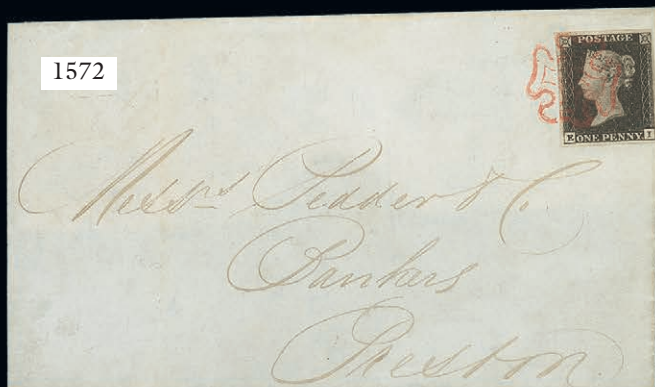
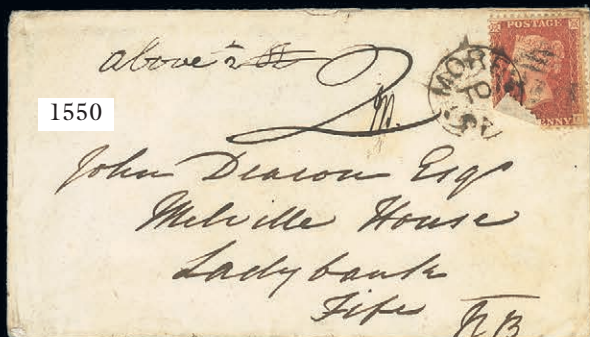
## 1840 ONE PENNY BLACK

### Plate Ia

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| 1570 ☒   | AI, a lovely delicate impression with good to enormous margins all round, tied by a red Maltese Cross cancellation in a red-brown shade to entire (no side flaps) to Edinburgh, Lombard St. Maltese Cross datestamp of 9 May 1840 on reverse; fine. Very and rare used on the first Saturday. Specialised AS1td, £4,800. Photo   | £500-700 |
| <i>Note: Recorded in "May Dates" by Mike Jackson</i> |  |          |
| 1571 ○   | BF, Plate II JH, Plate IX EH (on piece with London "Broken Points" Maltese Cross cancellation) and LK (fine and attractive); mostly with margins all round, some faults but good to fine appearance  | £150-200 |
| 1572 △   | EI a fine early impression not showing Plate wear, good to large margins all round, tied by a crisp red Maltese Cross cancellation in a pinkish shade, to front with part of back flap to Preston, Huddersfield c.d.s. in the same shade on reverse; fine and scarce first Saturday usage. Photo   | £350-400 |
| 1573 ☒   | FE, slightly worn impression, good to large margins all round (scissors cut in margin at foot, clear of the design), tied to entire letter by a pale red Maltese Cross in a pinkish shade and with matching Derby c.d.s. of 12 Sept. 1840 alongside; fine and an attractive cover. Photo   | £200-250 |
| 1574 ☒   | FK intense black shade, used with Plate Ib EJ, intense black shade, non-coincident re-entry showing portions of the original impression, tied by red Maltese Cross cancellations to entire letter from Derby to Burton on Trent dated 10 Feb. 1841, good to huge margins, FK showing a trace of the adjoining stamp at foot; fine and a rare entire bearing two different Plates. Photo  | £400-500 |
| 1575 ☒   | GG good to huge margins all round, tied by <b>black</b> Maltese Cross cancellation to small entire (no side flaps) with Hatfield u.d.c on the front and docketed 17 April 1841; fine and accompanied by a similar unfranked entire from the same sender on the same date but to a different address. Most unusual. Photo   | £400-450 |
| 1576 ☒   | OI showing pronounced Plate wear, slightly close to very large margins all round and showing a portion of the adjoining stamp at right, tied by red Maltese Cross cancellation to entire letter to Cambridgeshire, red Sevenoaks datestamp of 24 July 1840 on the front and with arrival datestamp on the reverse; fine. Interesting contents are a response to an enquiry into legal judgements of 1830 against one Richard Smith with charges for the related search and reply totaling 11/9d. Photo | £250-300 |
| 1577 ○   | PB, original re-entry, worn impression, good to large margins, upright red Maltese Cross cancellation; fine. Photo   | £140-160 |
| 1578 ○   | PB, original re-entry, slightly worn impression, large margins, practically complete and upright red Maltese Cross cancellation; very fine and attractive. Photo   | £220-250 |
| 1579 ○   | PB original re-entry, worn impression, good to large margins, crisp <b>black</b> Maltese Cross cancellation, fine and a most appealing combination of scarce varieties. Photo  | £250-300 |
| 1580 ☒   | QJ, TF, Plate Ib PG (constant variety), Plate V FJ, PD, Plate VII BH, MA, Plate VIII BL, FE, Plate IX AK, entire letters to the same addressee in Ashby-de-la-Zouche, two cancelled in black, including Plate Ia QJ, the others in shades of red; mixed condition but an attractive group (10 items)   | £500-600 |

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## 1840 One Penny Black - *contd.*

### Plate Ib

1581 ☒	CL non-coincident re-entry, showing portions of the original impression, clear to large margins, unusually placed sideways and cancelled by red Maltese Cross cancellation on local Ashby-de-la-Zouch entire letter, dated 23 Oct. 1840; fine	£120-150
1582 ☒	DK intense black shade, good to very large margins all round, tied by two red Maltese Cross cancellations to entire letter to Ashby-de-la-Zouch dated 18 Feb. 1841; fine	£100-120
1583 ☒	DL intense black shade, large margins all round, tied by smudged red Maltese Cross cancellation to entire letter from Nottingham to Ashby-de-la-Zouch dated 1 Dec. 1840; fine	£100-120
1584 ☒	EL good to very large margins, tied by red Maltese Cross cancellation to entire letter from Nottingham to Ashby-de-la-Zouch, dated 28 Nov. 1840; a few minor stain spots, fine	£120-140
1585 ☒	HB, original re-entry, intense black shade, good to large margins, tied by indistinct red Maltese Cross cancellation, on entire letter from Nottingham to Ashby-de-la-Zouch, dated 12 Dec. 1840; fine	£120-140
1586 ☒	JC non-coincident re-entry, showing part of the original design, used with JL, intense black shades and with clear to huge margins all round, tied by red Maltese Cross cancellations to entire letter from Nottingham to Ashby-de-la-Zouch, dated 10 Dec. 1840; fine and scarce. Photo	£200-250

### Plate II


1587 △	BH, OH, OI and OJ, singles arranged as a strip of four, all with margins all round, tied by heavy red Maltese Cross cancellation to piece with Pembroke c.d.s. of 18 Dec. 1840; OH with heavy vertical crease, others fine	£400-500
1588 △	DK good to large margins all round, tied to piece by upright, crisp red Maltese Cross with undated circular "CLIFTON" alongside and with red Bristol c.d.s. of 31 May 1840 (fourth Sunday) c.d.s. on the reverse; fine. Photo	£400-500
1589 ☒	HG large if somewhat uneven margins, tied by a crisp red Maltese Cross in a scarlet shade, to neat, small entire letter to Wells with Bath c.d.s. of 6 July 1840 on reverse; clean and uncreased. Photo	£350-400

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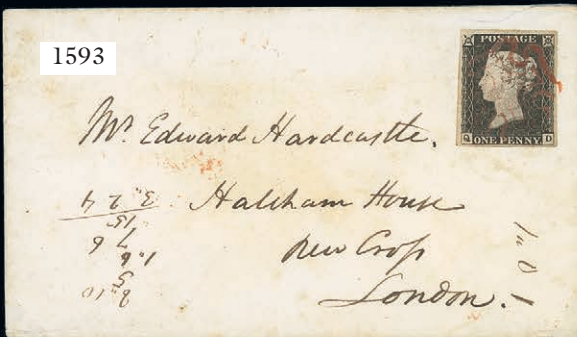
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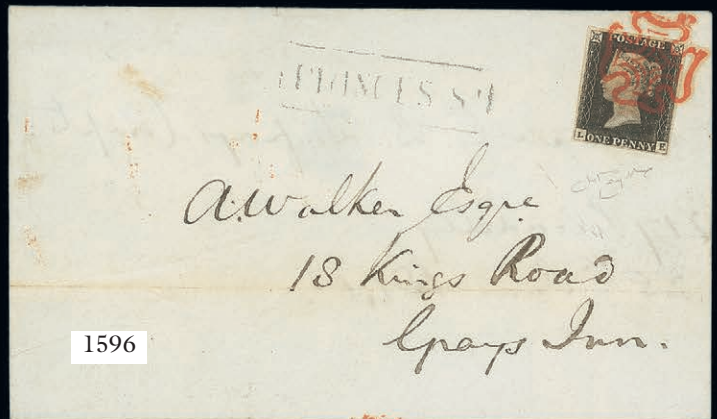
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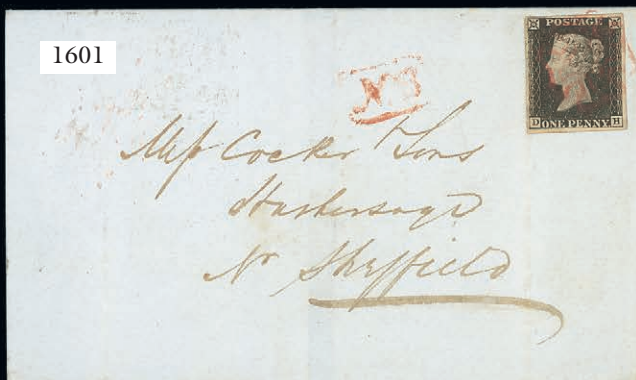
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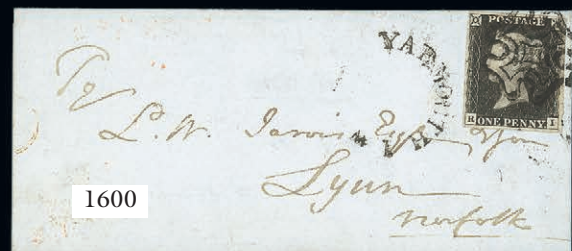
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## 1840 One Penny Black, Plate II - *contd.*

- 1590 △ JL a lovely delicate impression, large margins, tied to small piece by crisp red Maltese Cross cancellation; superb. Photo £200-250



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- 1591 ☒ KA good to large margins all round, tied by a crisp red Maltese Cross in a pinkish shade to entire letter to Ashby-de-la-Zouch, dated 26 Oct. 1840 and with Burton on Trent c.d.s. in the same colour on the reverse; rare, clean and beautiful. Photo £600-800
- 1592 △ KI intense black shade, good to large margins, tied to piece by Aberdeen ruby Maltese Cross cancellation; attractive and scarce. Specialised AS14, £1,200+. Photo £250-300
- 1593 ☒ QD grey-black shade, good to large margins, tied by red Maltese Cross cancellation in an orange-red shade, to envelope, dated 19 Aug. 1840, from Brighton to London; fine. Photo £200-250
- 1594 ☒ RH close to large margins all round, tied by red Maltese Cross cancellation, in a rusty-red shade to entire letter to Ashby-de-la-Zouch, on reverse matching "Fazeley" undated circle and Tamworth c.d.s. of 10 Nov. 1840; the adhesive with tear at right and the entire with faults. Good appearance and interesting contents regarding mining £100-120  
*Note: See Rockoff & Jackson, page 425*
- 1595 ☒ SB clear to huge margins and showing a portion of the adjoining stamp at left, tied by a red Maltese Cross cancellation, in a pinkish shade, with superb script "Too Late" alongside and Burton on Trent c.d.s. on reverse, in the same colour, to entire letter to Ashby-de-la-Zouch dated 14 Nov. 1840; fine. Photo £400-500  
*Note: See Rockoff & Jackson page 415*

## Plate III

- 1596 ☒ LE, slightly worn impression, good to large margins all round tied by a crisp red Maltese Cross cancellation to entire to Grays Inn, London, framed "PRINCESS ST" alongside, arrival datestamp of 25 June 1840 on the reverse; scarce. Photo £350-450

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## 1840 One Penny Black - *contd.*

### Plate IV

1597 ☒

EJ, large to very large margins all round, tied to the upper left corner (contrary to Post Office instructions) of entire letter from Dunfermline to Charleston dated 16 July 1840, red Maltese Cross cancellation in a brown-orange shade, c.d.s. on reverse; fine and scarce Scottish usage. Photo

£250-300



1598

1598 ☒

MG large margins to touched at places, tied by red Maltese Cross cancellation to legal receipt, dated 27 July 1840 from Liverpool to Bradford, re-used to the same recipient, from the same sender and bearing 1841-52 1d. red, Plate 22, FH, margins all round with black Maltese Cross cancellation and with another black Maltese Cross on the 1d. black to denote that it was no longer valid, dated markings on front and reverse; filing folds clear of the adhesives, fine and highly unusual. R.P.S. Certificate (2012) stating "... 1d. red many have been lifted and re-affixed". Photo

£1,000-1,500

1599 ○

NA good to very large margins all round, black Maltese Cross cancellation; a trifle soiled but attractive. Photo

£120-150

1600 ☒

RI good to large margins all round, tied by a superb black Maltese Cross cancellation to petite entire dated May 8 1841 to Norfolk, Yarmouth I.W. u.d.c. alongside, dated marking on reverse; fine. B.P.A. Certificate (2011). Photo

£400-500

### Plate V

1601 ☒

DH good to very large margins all round, tied by Aberdeen ruby-red Maltese Cross cancellation to entire to Sheffield, dated 25 June 1840, dated markings on the reverse, framed "No. 3" in ruby red on the front; vertical filing folds (one just clipping the margin of the adhesive, design clear); rare and appealing. Specialised AS25ve, £4,500. Photo

£700-800

1602 ☒

GB good to enormous margins and showing a portion of the adjoining stamp at upper left, tied by a red Maltese Cross cancellation in a pinkish shade, to entire letter to Ashby-de-la-Zouch dated 10 Feb. 1841 (first Official day of use of the black Maltese Cross) with Burton-on-Trent datestamp in the same colour as the Cross on reverse; fine and an interesting entire which comprises four separately written letters with interesting contents mostly referring to the Burton and Moira Canal "... we had abandoned all idea of going to Parliament for the Burton & Moira Canal this session....", etc. Photo

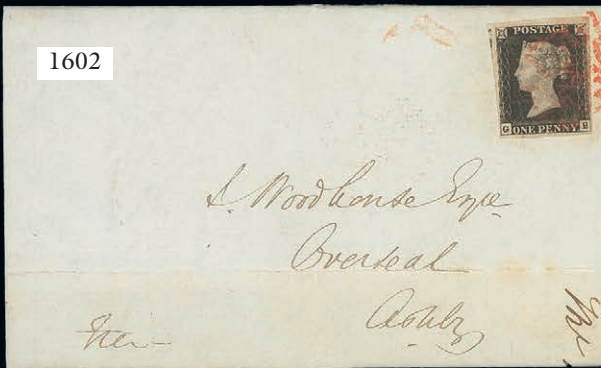
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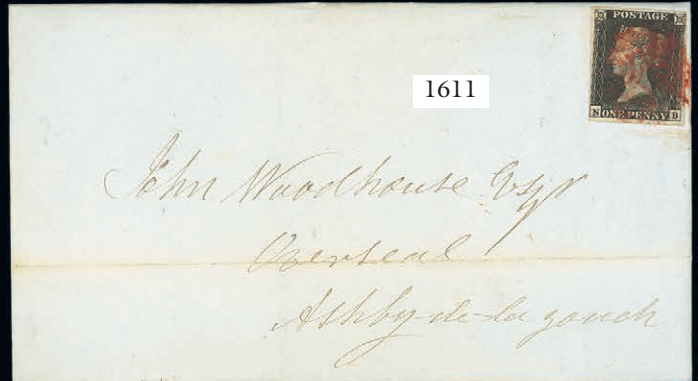
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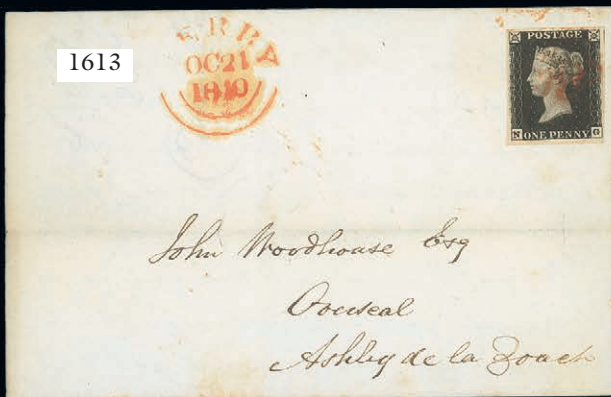
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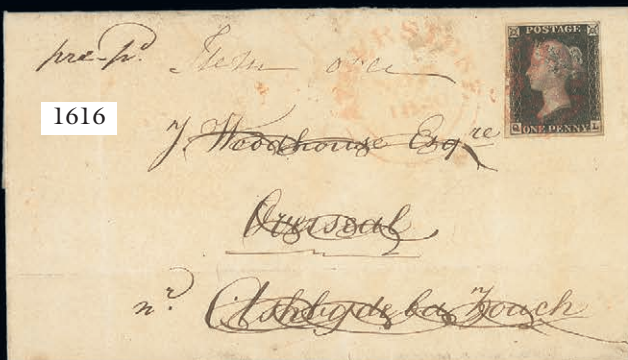
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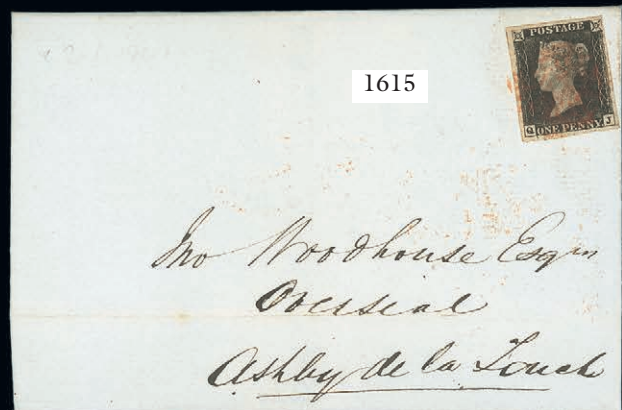
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## 1840 One Penny Black, Plate V - *contd.*

1603 ☒	NE intense black shade, good to very large margins all round, tied by red Maltese Cross cancellation to entire letter from Nottingham to Ashby-de-la-Zouch, dated 26 Oct. 1840; fine	£120-150
1604 ○	OH intense black shade, good to huge margins, red Maltese Cross cancellation; very fine. An exceptional example. Photo	£150-200
<b>Plate VI</b>		
1605 ○	BI good to very large margins all round, black Maltese Cross cancellation which leaves the Queen's profile completely clear; fine and an outstanding example. Photo	£300-350
1606 ☒	FC (2, one with superb Forsbrook u.d.c., adhesive placed at the lower left of the cover), LH, MF, QI and SL, six entire letters to the same addressee in Ashby-de-la-Zouch, margins all round to just touched or slightly cut into, red Maltese Cross cancellations, an attractive group, one with the adhesive placed at lower left, contrary to Post Office instructions	£250-300
1607 △	JE, large margins, tied to small piece by red Maltese Cross cancellation; a trifle soiled	£120-140
1608 ☒	KA (State 1), PE (State 2), tied by heavy red Maltese Cross cancellations to entire letter to Ashby-de-la-Zouch, Nottingham c.d.s. of 4 Feb. 1841 on reverse, PE is just touched at lower left, otherwise margins all round, KA showing a portion of the adjoining stamp at right. A rare cover. Photo	£200-250
1609 ☒	MC an unlisted slightly worn plate, good to large margins all round, tied by unclear red Maltese Cross to entire letter to Ashby-de-la-Zouch, dated 16 Jan. 1841, Nottingham c.d.s. on reverse; filing fold, fine	£100-120
1610 ☒	MI (State 1) used with TB (State 2), each with good to large margins all round and tied by red Maltese Cross cancellations to entire letter to Ashby-de-la-Zouch with unclear Nottingham datestamp of 8 Jan. 1841 on the reverse; horizontal filing fold at foot, well clear of the adhesives, fine and a rare cover. Photo	£300-400
1611 ☒	NB unlisted slightly worn impression, small to large margins, tied by slightly smudged red Maltese Cross cancellation to entire letter to Ashby-de-la-Zouch from Nottingham, dated 29 Jan. 1841; horizontal filing fold well clear of the adhesive, fine. Photo	£100-120
1612 ☒	NF intense black shade, small to large margins, tied by slightly unclear red Maltese Cross cancellation to entire to Ashby-de-la-Zouch from Nottingham, dated 14 Jan. 1841; horizontal filing fold well clear of the adhesive, fine	£100-120
1613 ☒	NG intense black shade, good to large margins all round and showing a trace of the adjoining stamp at right, tied by light red Maltese Cross to entire letter to Ashby-de-la-Zouch with Derby c.d.s. of 21 Oct. 1840 on the front; horizontal filing fold well clear of the adhesive, fine. Photo	£150-200
1614 ☒	QF margins all round, tied by a red Maltese Cross in a rose-red shade, to entire letter to Ashby-de-la-Zouch with Northampton c.d.s. of 9 Dec. 1840 on the reverse. The adhesive unusually applied at the lower left of the entire, contrary to Post Office Instructions. Photo	£180-200
1615 ☒	QJ re-entry, good to large margins all round and showing a trace of the adjoining stamp at left, tied by red Maltese Cross in a pinkish shade to entire letter to Ashby-de-la-Zouch with Sheffield datestamp of 3 Feb. 1841 in the same pinkish shade on the reverse; clean horizontal filing fold at foot, well clear of the adhesive, fine and a rare combination. Photo	£200-220

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- 1616 ☒ QL good to large margins, tied by a red Maltese Cross in a pinkish shade to entire letter to Ashby-de-la-Zouch with matching Atherstone c.d.s. of 24 Nov. 1840 alongside, the entire re-directed to Cheshire with the new address and manuscript "1" on reverse; unusual. Photo £250-300
- Note: Rockoff & Jackson record the pink Maltese Cross of Atherstone used in November 1840 on page 409*
- 1617 ☒ SJ good to large margins all round, tied by slightly unclear red Maltese Cross cancellation to entire dated Oct. 20 1840 to Ashby-de-la-Zouch, Nottingham c.d.s. on reverse; fine £100-120

**Plate VII**

1618

- 1618 ☒ AK-BL **block of four**, AK shaved at left, otherwise small to large margins all round, tied to large wrapper to Ashby-de-la-Zouch br red Maltese Cross cancellations in a rose-pink shade, Coventry c.d.s. of 10 Jan. 1841 on the reverse; vertical filing fold well clear of the adhesives. Fine. Karl Louis records only three other blocks of four on cover from this plate. A highly important, recently discovered rarity. Specialised £26,000 for a block of four off cover. Photo £4,000-5,000
- 1619 ☒ CK a little cut into at right, good to large margins other sides and showing a trace of the adjoining stamp at left, tied by red Maltese Cross to entire letter, endorsed *Pre-Paid* to Chesterfield with Sheffield c.d.s. of 8 Feb. 1841 on the reverse, redirected to Ashby-de-la-Zouch and with red Chesterfield additionally cancelling the stamp, red manuscript "1"; fine and full of character. Photo £150-200
- 1620 ☒ FH good to large margins all round, tied by a bold black Maltese Cross cancellation to entire letter dated 16 Feb. 1841 from Chudleigh to London, dated marking on reverse; fine. Photo £350-400

Photos also appear on pages 117 and 121



1840 One Penny Black - *contd.*

Plate VIII



1621

- |         |   |              |
|---------|---|--------------|
| 1621 ☒  | AK sheet margin and inscription "... careful not to rem..." at top, close to very large margins other sides, tied by red Maltese Cross which leaves to Queen's profile almost untouched, to entire to Dublin dated 7 Dec. 1840; fine and scarce. Only a few marginal inscription Plate VIII covers recorded. B.P.A. Certificate (2019). Photo | £1,400-1,600 |
| 1622 ☒  | CB small to huge margins and showing a portion of the adjoining stamp a left, tied by a red Maltese Cross cancellation in a rose-pink shade to entire letter with red Ashby-de-la-Zouch c.d.s. of 27 Jan. 1841 on the front; fine. Photo  | £250-300     |
| 1623 ☒  | IH intense black shade, good balanced margins all round, red Maltese Cross cancellation in a pink shade, on entire letter to Ashby-de-la-Zouch with red Derby c.d.s. of 3 Feb. 1841 on the front; fine and with interesting contents regarding the Moira and Burton Canal. Photo  | £220-250     |
| 1624 ☒  | JB good margins, tied by a red Maltese Cross cancellation which leaves the Queen's profile clear, to entire letter to London with red Godalming c.d.s. of Jan. 12 1841 on the reverse; small part of flap missing; fine. Photo  | £200-250     |
| x1625 ○ | JJ large to very large margins all round and showing traces of the adjoining stamps at left and right, crisp and upright black Maltese Cross cancellation; fine and very attractive. Photo  | £150-200     |

Photo for lot 1625 appears on page 115

1619

Mr John Woodhouse  
Messrs Swigg & Woodhouse  
Over Seal - Chesterfield  
Per. Pais Ashby de-la-Zouch



1620

Mr Andrew Lister Clifford  
Hobbs's Hotel  
Duke St  
Manchester by London



1622

J. T. Woodhouse Esq  
Over Seal



1623

John Woodhouse Esq  
Over Seal  
Ashby de-la-Zouch



1624

Messrs Pinfold & Morgan  
Solicitors  
St. Andrew's House  
Holborn London



1633

PT  
EK back to  
Messrs Pinfold & Morgan  
Care  
Lawrence  
part to  
part to  
part to  
part to



1641

Messrs Edmunds  
Bankers  
Chancery Cross  
London



1642

James Osellife Esq  
Bank  
Bristol



1840 One Penny Black - *contd.*

Plate IX

1626 ○

IC good to very large margins all round, crisp black Maltese Cross and part of an additional red cancellation; fine. Rare and appealing. Photo

£150-200



1627

1627 ★

LC large part original gum, good to very large margins all round and showing a trace of the adjoining stamp at foot. Exceptionally fresh and fine. Concise £20,000. Photo

£4,000-6,000

Plate X



1628

1628 ☒

TI an unlisted intense black shade, part of sheet margin at foot and large to very large margins other sides, tied by black Maltese Cross to entire letter to London and with Sevenoaks c.d.s. of 26 Feb. 1841 on the front. With interesting contents from J.M. Herries to The Rt. Hon J.C. Herries M.P. (Chancellor of the Exchequer 1827-28) regarding Lord Macaulay (British Historian and Secretary of War at the time of writing) “.. I am sorry Macaulay behaves so improperly in office... Genius as a writer... He will loose his temper and reputation” . One of the finest known Plate X singles on cover. Photo

£1,500-1,800



**Unplated**

- 1629 ○ A selection, several with margins all round, some are just touched or cut into one margin. Fair to good. with red or black Maltese Cross. (11) £300-350
- 1630 ☒ A small group of covers with Kingston to London, Liverpool to Cork and Plate VIII to Norwich, margins are generally good but close or just cut into in one place. (3 covers) £120-150
- 1631 ☒ A group of covers with single frankings cancelled by red Maltese Cross and addressed to Bath, Ballymony, Bradford, Edinburgh and London, the stamps are generally with three margins, mixed condition. (5 covers) £120-150

**1840 TWO PENCE BLUE****Plate 1**

- 1632 ○ DA part of sheet margin at left and large margins other sides, complete and almost upright red Maltese Cross cancellation; superb. Photo £700-800
- 1633 ☒ 1840 (9 Dec.) wrapper to Salisbury bearing EI-EK **strip of three** with good to large margins all round and cancelled by the experimental London Maltese Cross in black, there is a very faint despatch and a superb bright red Salisbury c.d.s. (10.12) on the reverse; there is some arrival notation. A good multiple of cover. Photo £500-600
- 1634 △ GI in a creamy pale blue shade, large margins, tied to piece by a red Maltese Cross cancellation in an orange-red shade; fine and a most appealing contrast of colours. Photo £600-800

**Plate 2**

- 1635 ☒ JC-JD **horizontal pair**, large margins, black Maltese Cross cancellations; fine very attractive. Photo £600-800
- PROVENANCE:  
Seymour, Part I



1636

- 1636 ○ SI-SJ **horizontal pair**, good to very large margins all round, crisp red Maltese Cross cancellations; exceptional. The red Maltese Cross cancellations rare on Plate 2. Photo £1,200-1,500

**Unplated**

- 1637 ○ A selection cancelled by red or black Maltese Cross, mixed margins; one red Cross with additional part straight-line postmark in black. (11) £250-300

Photos also appear on pages 115 and 121

## 1841-53 ONE PENNY RED-BROWN

### "Black" Plates

- 1638 ☒ Plate 1b: CH large margins, tied by black Maltese Cross cancellation to entire letter, with printed "North Midland Railway" heading on the interior, to Ashby-de-la-Zouch, with red Chesterfield c.d.s of 3 June 1841 on the reverse; fine and scarce £140-160
- 1639 ☒ Plate 5: AH, also Plate 18: PB, Plate 19: BC (with Leamington Maltese Cross), Plate 20: AA, AH, AC and AL (arranged as a strip of four), Plate 70: PA (registered), Plate 75: SF, 1841 2d. blue Plate 3: NB, all on entires/entire letters, mostly to the same addressee in Ashby-de-la-Zouch, also a piece bearing 1d. Plate 26: EB with Liverpool "PL" alongside; a few minor faults but chiefly good to fine £350-400
- 1640 ○ Plate 11: IJ, small to large margins all round, central and upright number "12" in Maltese Cross cancellation; fine. Specialised AS74wl, £1,000+. Photo £120-150
- 1641 ☒ Plate 14: HJ, touched at top, close to large margins other sides, tied to entire letter to London by a fine strike of the distinctive Brighton Maltese Cross with another strike repeated below, c.d.s of 16 Aug. on reverse; fine and scarce. *This distinctive Maltese Cross is notoriously difficult to find clearly and completely struck.* Photo £150-200
- 1642 ☒ Plate 16: TI-TK **horizontal strip of three**, close to large margins all round, tied by black Maltese Cross cancellations to entire to Ripon, red Pateley Bridge undated circle on the front, arrival datestamp (28.8.42) on the reverse; fine. A most unusual 3d. rate, either underpaid by a 1d. or overpaid. B.P.A. Certificate (2014). Photo £250-300
- 1643 ☒ Plate 20: AI clear to small margins all round, tied by black Maltese Cross cancellation which leaves the Queen's profile largely clear, to entire letter to Ashby-de-la-Zouch with superb scarce "Sutton-in-Ashfield" undated circle alongside, Alfreton c.d.s. of 21 June 1842 on the reverse; fine £100-120
- x1644 ☒ Plate 21: NH, good to very large margins all round and showing a portion of the adjoining stamp at lower left, tied by "Wessex" type Dorchester c.d.s. of 26 June 1842 to entire letter to London, with arrival c.d.s. on reverse; very fine. R.P.S. Certificate (1995). Photo £800-1,000

Photos appear on pages 115, 121 and 127



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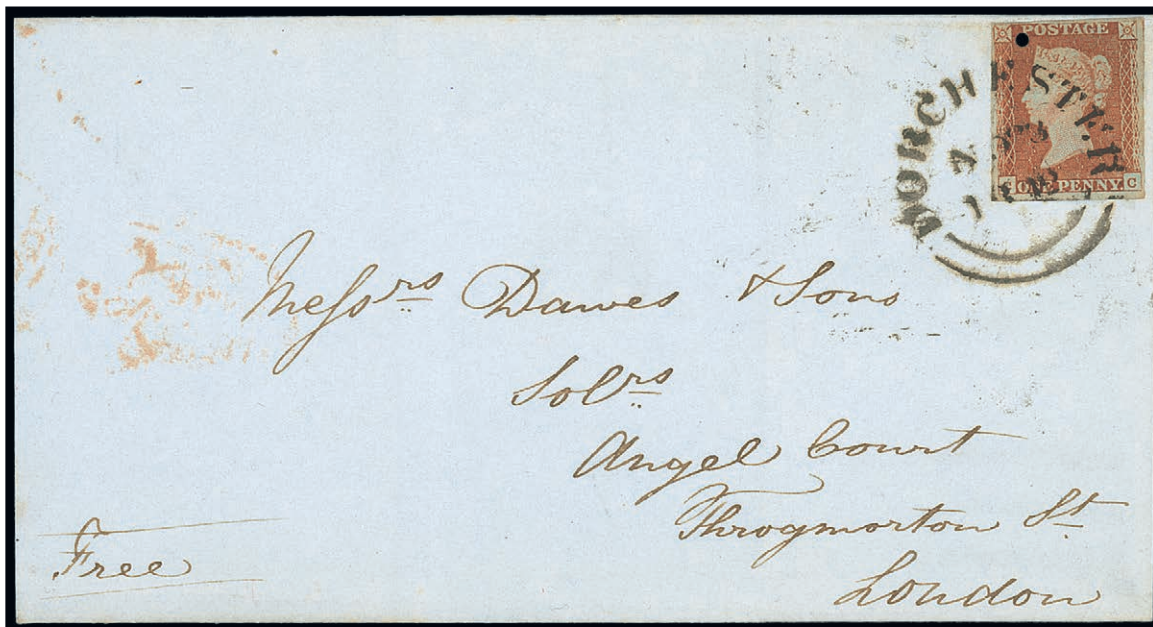
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1645

1645 ☒

Plate 22: CC close to large margins, tied to entire to London by larger type Dorchester/No 23/1842 datestamp, red London arrival on reverse; fine and rare. Specialised BS11va, £3,000. Photo

£600-700

PROVENANCE:

"Maximus" February 1970

1646 ☒

Plate 24: AF, large margins, tied to entire letter to Ashby-de-la-Zouch by a superb strike of the Coventry distinctive Maltese Cross and with framed "No. 3" alongside, Coventry c.d.s. of 28 May 1843 on the reverse; horizontal filing fold, fine. With dramatic contents regarding mining "... I want to consult you upon affairs of the most vital importance to the colliery. Something very speedily must be done on the colliery - or we shall have no colliery at all - we shall be doomed....". Photo

£600-800

1647 ☒

Plate 26: AJ, close to very large margins all round, tied to entire letter to Plymouth by Kingsbridge/De 8/1842 cancellation, arrival datestamp on reverse; filing folds well clear of the adhesive. Fine and rare. Specialised BS15va, £3,000. Photo

£600-700

*Note: This is not one of the four examples recorded by Rockoff & Jackson, none of these being a complete cover*

1648 ☒

Plate 29: SE (Squat letter "S"), Plate 32: QH, touched to large margins all round and each showing portions of adjoining stamps, tied to separate entire letters, black Maltese Cross cancellations, the second being the distinctive Fochsbers void centre (Recorded by Rockoff & Jackson, page 112)

£80-100

Photos also appear on page 127



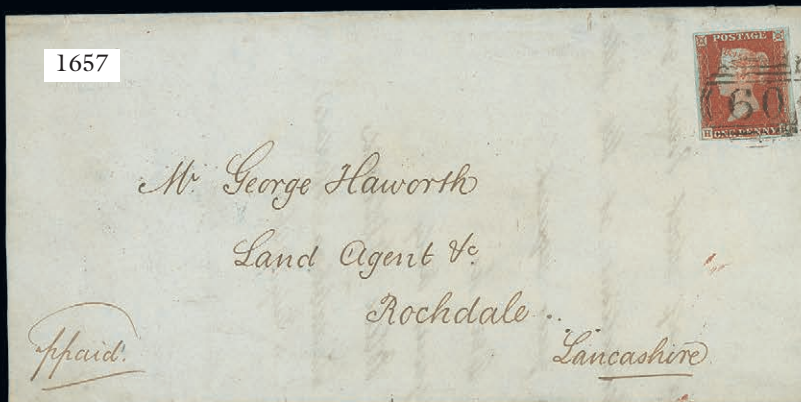
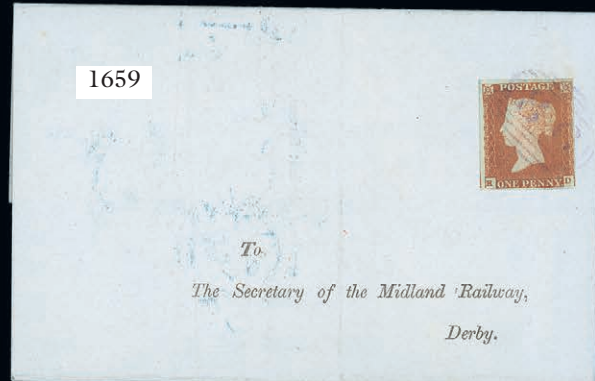
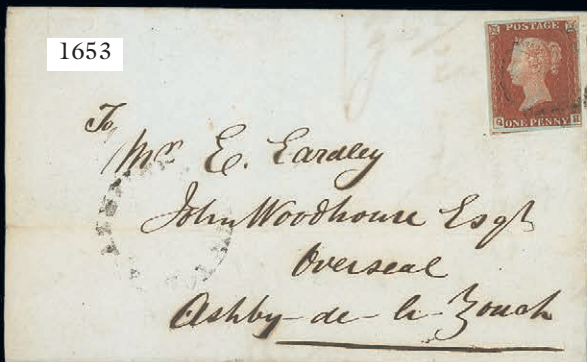
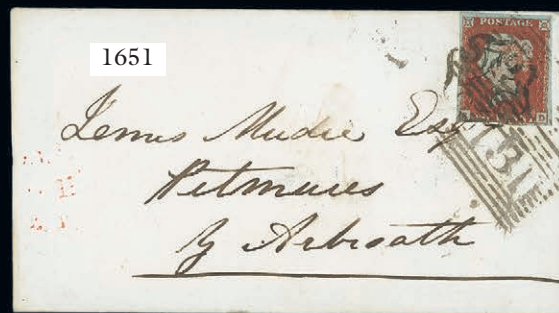
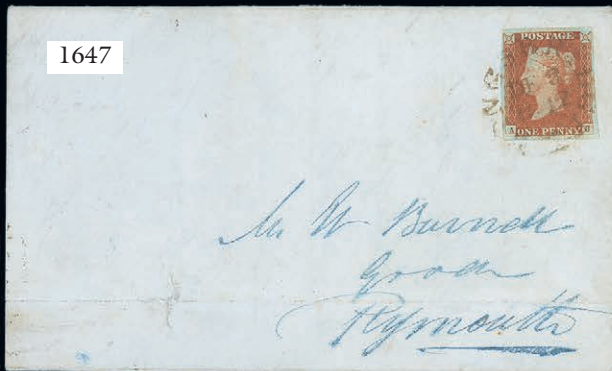
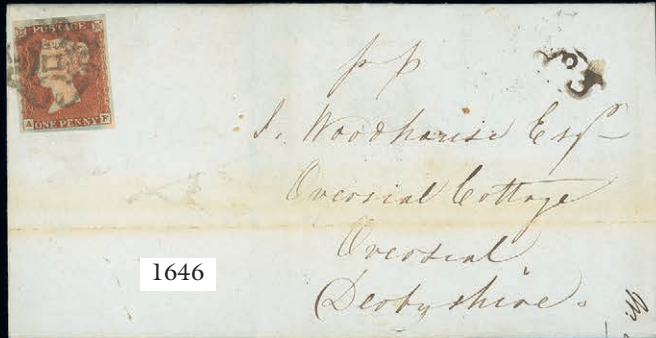
1841-53 One Penny Red-Brown, "Black" Plates - *contd.*



1649

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|--------|--|--------------|
| 1649 ☒ | Plate 34: KI good to large margins all round, tied by indistinct boxed numeral and a superb oval "MISSENT TO/SWINDON" to small entire (side flaps missing) to Chippenham, dated markings of Taunton and Chippenham on the reverse; some tiny stain spots but clean and uncreased. A major rarity. Photo  | £1,000-1,400 |
| 1650 ○ | Plate 38: ED, large margins all round and showing a small portion of the adjoining stamp at top, cancelled by a large part strike of the rare distinctive Mullingar Maltese Cross cancellation; fine and rare. M. Jackson Certificate (2018). Specialised BS26tr, £3,600. Photo  | £400-500     |
| 1651 ☒ | Plate 50: SD good margins, tied by black Maltese Cross and Scottish "131" of Edinburgh to small envelope (with enclosure) to Arbroath, dated markings of Arbroath and Ratho on reverse; fine and a most unusual combination of the Maltese Cross and numeral cancellations. Photo  | £250-300     |
| 1652 ☒ | Plate 53: BI margins all round, on entire letter to Glastonbury with "721" barred oval cancellation and "LANGPORT/140" mileage alongside, also unplated IH, clear to large margins all round on entire to Sheffield with London District "13" cancellation which leaves the Queen's profile completely clear; fine   | £100-120     |
| 1653 ☒ | Plate 54: QH close to large margins and showing a portion of the adjoining stamp at foot, tied by black Maltese Cross cancellation which leaves with Queen's profile clear, to Ashby-de-la-Zouch and with Alfreton c.d.s. of 6 March 1846 on the reverse; fine and scarce late use of the Maltese Cross, interesting contents including the Fox and Owl Inn. Photo   | £150-180     |
| 1654 ☒ | Plate 60: BD (?) good to large margins all round, placed sideways and tied by a fine strike of the scarce "244" barred oval cancellation of Ticknall which leaves the Queen's profile clear, to entire letter to Ashby-de-la-Zouch dated 11 Nov. 1845, Ticknall u.d.c. alongside; horizontal filing fold clear of the adhesive; fine and scarce. Photo   | £300-400     |
| 1655 ☒ | Plate 62: DF large to huge margins all round and showing portions of three adjoining stamps, tied by "546" barred oval cancellation to entire letter to Ashby-de-la-Zouch, re-directed to London, Newcastle-Staffs c.d.s. of 17 Feb. 1846 on the reverse; filing fold clear of the adhesive but fine and with interesting contents regarding mining, the annoyed writer complains that he is at his wits end regarding the lack of rails | £150-200     |

Photo for lot 1650 appears on page 115





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



1656

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|---------|---|--------------|
| 1656 ☒  | Plate 62: ME-NF <b>block of four</b> , touched or cut into at places, tied by four <b>blue</b> "DERBY/DE 21/1845/A" datestamps to large entire letter to Ashby-de-la-Zouch dated 20 Dec. 1845; an absent portion of the front of the entire (not affecting the area of the address or stamps) has been neatly replaced, but most attractive and an extraordinary and highly important rarity. Believed to be the only recorded block of four 1d. reds on cover with blue circular date stamp cancellations. Photo | £2,500-3,000 |
| 1657 ☒  | Plate 64: HH, <b>watermark inverted</b> , good to large margins all round and showing a trace of the adjoining stamp at right, tied by crisp "60" barred oval to entire letter (no side flaps), on reverse Middlehan u.d.c., dated markings of Bedale and Rochdale; fine and a scarce variety on cover. Photo   | £150-200     |
| 1658 ☒  | Plate 65: SF, large margins, an extraordinary worn plate, tied to envelope from Ipswich to Lowestoft, dated 17 Sept. 1846; a trifle stained (mostly on the reverse). Photo  | £100-120     |
| x1659 ☒ | Plate 75: RD, good to very large margins all round and showing a trace of the adjoining stamp at left, tied by a superb, crisp <b>violet</b> "86" barred oval cancellation of Bishops Auckland to Midland Railway entire letter to Derby dated 15 March 1848; very fine and most attractive. R.P.S. Certificate (1992). Specialised BS28xe, £16,000. Photo  | £1,500-2,000 |
| 1660 ☒  | Plate 107: GL large to huge margins and showing a trace of the adjoining stamp at foot, tied by "6" barred oval cancellation of Alfreton to entire to Ashby-de-la-Zouch dated 18 June 1851; two clean vertical filing folds well clear of the adhesive, fine and an extremely rare Plate. Interesting references to Swanwick colliery. Specialised £550 off cover. Photo  | £350-450     |

Photos also appear on pages 127, 131 and 133





1661




- 1661 ○ Plate 169: BG-DH, phenomenal **block of six** showing significant portions of all possible fourteen adjoining stamps, London district “21” barred oval cancellations; some wrinkling and a minor diagonal crease affection DG. A stunning block. Photo £800-1,000
- 1662 ○ Plate 169: PG-PH, a remarkable **horizontal pair** showing significant portions of all ten adjoining stamps, London district “12” barred oval cancellations. Wonderful. Photo £300-350
- 1663  Selection of seven entire letters, including Two Penny Post handstamps (4), 1845 entire letter with scarce “STAPLEFORD” u.d.c., another bearing 1d. Plate 13 with Fazeley u.d.c., 1848 entire to Ashby-de-la-Zouche with blue “SUTTON-IN-ASHFIELD” u.d.c. (only recorded in 1849), also 1d. pink envelope with Leigh St. and 1856 envelope franked 1d. Stars with blue King William St. Two Penny post markings; strikes and condition mixed £100-150
- 1664  Selection of ten covers, including cancellations with Perth distinctive Maltese Cross, markings with framed LESLIE Scots local, Plated with PB (Plate 98) and FB (Plate 106) on entire letter from Glasgow to Edinburgh, Plate 176: AG (faults) on “Post Magazine”, etc., also perf. 1d. Stars on O.H.M.S. Inspector of Prisons entire, 1d. Plate number with watermark Garter 4d. vermillion on envelope registered to Loughborough endorsed *Gone Away*, etc., mixed condition £400-500

Photo for lot 1662 appears on page 115

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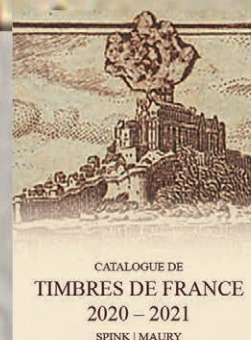
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## 1841 TWO PENCE BLUE

### Plate 3



1665

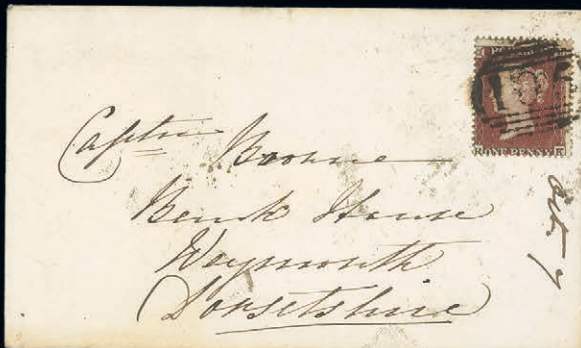
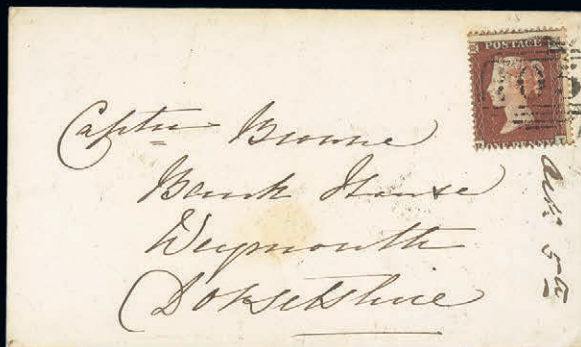
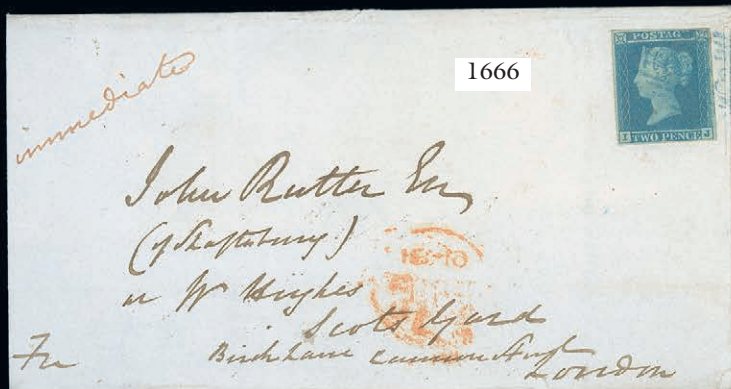
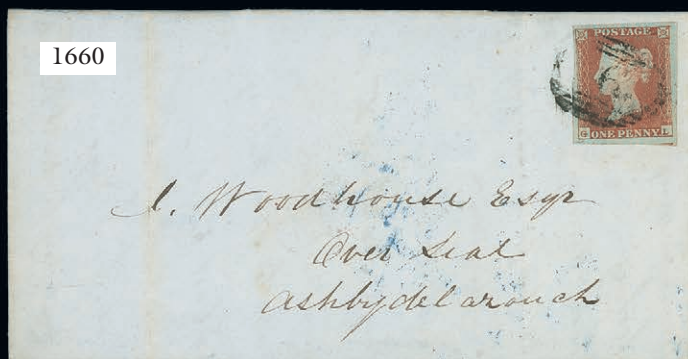
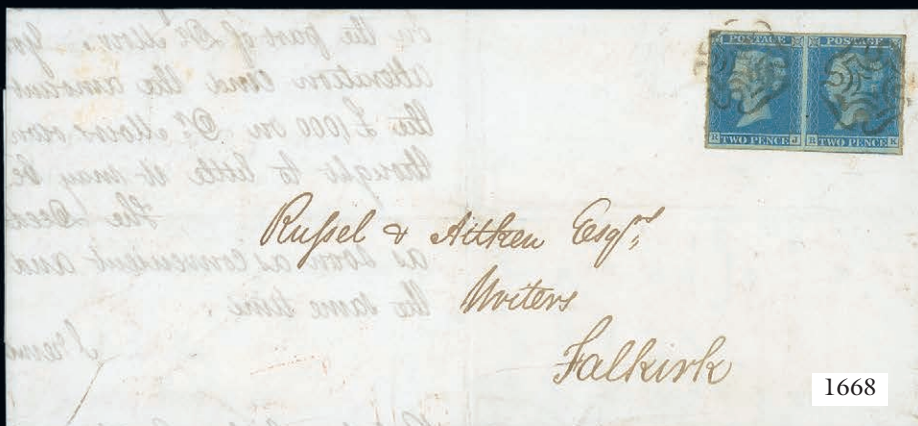
- 1665 ○田 HI-IJ **block of four**, large to gigantic margins all round showing significant portions of five adjoining stamps, “387” barred oval cancellations of Huddersfield; fine and rare. Specialised £1,700. Photo £500-600
- 1666 ☒ IJ good to large margins all round, tied by **blue** “698” barred oval cancellation of Shaftesbury to entire dated 29 Oct. 1849 to London, endorsed “*Immediate*”, dated markings on reverse; fine and rare. Specialised £3,000. Photo £600-700
- x1667 ○田 RA-SF **block of twelve**, margins all round, London “17” barred oval cancellations; superb and an extremely rare multiple. Photo £1,800-2,000
- PROVENANCE:  
Ex Seymour, 1951
- 1668 ☒ RJ-RK (RJ “J” flaw), **horizontal pair** with good to very large margins all round and RK showing a portion of the adjoining stamp at foot, tied by Edinburgh distinctive Maltese Cross cancellations to long entire letter to Falkirk dated 20 May 1843; fine. A lovely 4d. franking with distinctive cancellations. Photo £350-400
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- 1669 ☒ 1850-54 Archer perforations: Plate 97, ME, tied by London district “43” barred oval cancellation to envelope to Ashby-de-la-Zouche dated March 31 1854; beautifully centred, light vertical filing fold. Fine. S.G.16b, £2,100. Photo £400-500

## 1854-57

### Watermark Small Crown, Perf. 16

- 1670 ☒ 1d. Plum: Plate 168, RJ, RK and RL, consecutive lettering from the same sheet, used on three envelopes, ex the same correspondence to Captain Browne in Dorset, dated Oct. 1854, “105” barred oval cancellations and each with Winfield u.d.c. on reverse; fine. A quite remarkable group.. S.G. 19/20. Photo £800-1,200
- 1671 △ 1d. Plate 203: TA, tied to piece by superb **blue** “29” barred oval cancellation of Ashburton, centred to upper left, fine. S.G. 17 £100-120
- 1672 ☒ 2d. Plate 5: GF-GJ (strip of three and a pair) tied by three only Scottish “159” numeral cancellations of Glasgow to entire letter dated 14 Oct. 1854 to Nantes, GF well centred and GI with clear profile, GI and GJ additionally tied by red Calais entry marking and with red PD in oval alongside. The entire with Murdoch, Brothers/Pharmaceutical Chemists label on the interior. Most appealing and a rare cover. Photo £800-1,000

Photos also appear on pages 115 and 133



1670



1854-57 - *contd.*

Watermark Large Crown, Perf. 16



1673

1673 ☒

1d. red-brown, Plate 15: KG-KI, **horizontal strip of four**, barred oval cancellations, on long entire letter to Ashby-de-la-Zouch, dated 27 Oct. 1855, dated markings on reverse; a little stained and two clean vertical filing folds (one between the stamp) affect the strip. Nevertheless an exceptionally rare strip which illustrates how the centring varies within the sheet, possibly the only recorded multiple of this stamp. S.G. 26, Specialised Cat. £1,250 for a single, off cover. Photo

£3,500-4,000

## 1856-58

1674 ☒

1d. rose-red, Perf. 14, Plate 63: KI-LJ, **block of four** tied by London "60" barred oval cancellations to entire letter to Derby; vertical filing fold, fine

£100-140

1675 ☒

1d. rose-red, Perf. 14, tied by a very fine Stoke on Trent Spoon cancellation to entire letter to Ashby-de-la-Zouch, dated 20 March 1858; vertical filing fold and small stain (from seal) visible on the front. Rare. S.G. 36. Photo

£200-250

x1676 ★

1864-79 1d. rose-red, Plate 225: MG, large part original gum, centred to upper right as usual, fresh colour and fine. S.G. 43/44, £3,000. Photo

£600-800

1677 ☒

1858-76 2d. Plate 9: OE-RE **vertical strip of four**, TE, used with 1862-64 4d. Plate 3, tied by London "15" barred oval cancellations to long mourning entire letter registered to Derby; fine red oval REGISTERED/E/21 JA 63/LONDON datestamp; filing folds affecting some of the adhesives. An impressive cover

£120-140

1678

A small Line Engraved selection, six items, including 1855 watermark Small Crown, perf. 14 1d. reserve Plate 4 on entire, 1856 entire to Ashby-de-la-Zouch franked 1d. with Nottingham sideways duplex cancellation, 1856 piece franked 1d. Plate 38 single and Plate 54 strip of three with Wakefield sideways duplex cancellation, 1869 envelope to Derby franked 1d. with fine Burton on Trent Spoon cancellation, 1868 long cover to Derby franked 2d. Plate 9 **block of four** and 1d., etc., mixed condition

£200-250

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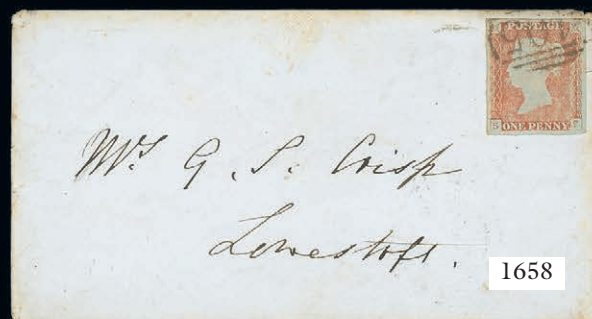
1672



1675



1679



1658



1762



1683

1679 ☒

1847-54 Embossed 1/- green, from the upper right corner of the sheet and with large margins other sides and showing a portion of the adjoining stamp at foot, Irish "176" cancellation and tied by red "Am Packet/Jul 11/Paid/24" datestamp to envelope addressed to Texas, blue Mountcharles/Donegal and blue Donegal datestamp; overall staining and the adhesive with diagonal wrinkle. An extraordinary example. S.G. 54. Photo

£700-800



## 1855-57

x1680 ⑤

Watermark Medium Garter 4d. carmine on thick, blued, highly glazed paper, overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 2 vertically, original gum; fine and scarce. Concise 63s, £1,200. Photo

£300-400



1681

1681 ★ ②

6d. pale lilac, block of eight (4x2) from the foot of the pane, original gum with the lower strip remaining unmounted mint and showing "POSTAGE SIX PENCE." inscription at foot; the last stamp in the upper strip with a pulled perf. and a few slightly toned perf. tips. A spectacular and very rare multiple, possibly the largest surviving piece. S.G. 70. Specialised £15,500 as two blocks of four. Photo

£6,000-8,000

## 1862-64

x1682 ⑥

4d. bright red, Plate 3, without hair lines: Imprimatur lettered TK, from the foot of the sheet and with current number "206", unused without gum; minor wrinkles but a unique positional piece. SG. 79, var. Photo

£1,500-2,000

## 1867-80

1683 ☒

1868 (23 Aug.) wrapper to Calcutta "via Marseilles" bearing 2/- blue NA/OA vertical pair with 4d. orange plate 10 and 1d. plate 116 tied by indistinct barred oval; some soiling but a good 4/5d. franking. Photo

£100-120

## 1872-73

1684 ⑥

6d. chestnut, Plate 11: Imprimatur lettered TC, large part original gum; fine and scarce. One of only 22 possible examples, many of which are in institutional collections. Specialised £3,800. Photo

£1,000-1,200



**1867-83****Watermark Maltese Cross**

- 1685 ○ 5/- rose, plate 1: DC, cancelled by light strike of indistinct barred oval obliterator; centred a fraction high and left. S.G. 126, £675 £70-80
- 1686 ★ 5/- pale rose, Plate 2: HD, part original gum; horizontal crease and a couple of light tone marks. S.G. 127, £11,000. Photo £800-1,000



1687



1689

- 1687 ○ 10/- greenish grey, AI, neat Glasgow c.d.s. of 18 June 1882; fresh colour, fine and rare. S.G. 128, £3,200. Photo £600-800
- 1688 ○ 10/- greenish grey, GI. cancelled by a very light strike of the registered barred oval; centred a little to the right. A very good example of this stamp with postal cancellation. Photo £400-500
- 1689 ○ £1 brown-lilac, EG, cancelled by Glasgow 1882 (17 May) c.d.s. with a fragment of the remainder of the duplex cancellation; two horizontal bends. Well centred and attractive. S.G. 129, £4,500. Photo £500-600

**Watermark Anchor, Blued Paper**

- 1690 ☉ £5 orange, DB overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, without gum. S.G. J128s, £3,500. Photo £500-700

**Watermark Anchor, White Paper**

- 1691 ○ 5/- pale rose, Plate 4: BB with a fine and neat strike of Northallerton c.d.s. dated 1883 (13 Oct.); there are a couple of very faint age marks, well centred. A most attractive example. S.G. 134, £4,200. Photo £400-500
- 1692 ○ £5 orange, AE cancelled by a central strike of Glasgow 1895 (25 Mar.) c.d.s. A good example. Stollow handstamp on the reverse. S.G. 137, £3,500. Photo £700-800
- 1693 ○ £5 orange, DL cancelled by Lombard Street 1898 c.d.s.; a good example with strong colour. Photo £600-800

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## 1873-80

### Watermark Orb

x1694 ⑤	2½d. rosy mauve, Plate 8: OH-PL, imperf. <b>block of ten</b> (5x2) from the lower right corner of the sheet, handstamped "SPECIMEN" type 9, with inscription "POSTAGE", "2½d." and current number "531"; unmounted mint, some minor wrinkles. A fine and rare positional piece. S.G. 141, Specialised £4,000+-. Photo	£1,000-1,500
x1695 ⑥	2½d. rosy mauve, Plate 16: KH, unmounted mint, centred to left, fine and fresh. S.G. 141, £525	£150-200

### Watermark Large Garter

x1696 ★	8d. orange, large part original gum, well centred, deep vibrant colour; very fine. S.G. 156, £1,850. Photo.	£300-400
x1697 ⑩	1/- green, Plate 9: Imperforate imprimatur lettered AD, large part original gum, good margins, fine. Specialised. £3,500. Photo	£400-450

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1698 ⑩	1880-81 1½d. colour trial in carmine pink on gummed and watermarked paper, fine. Specialised £3,000. Photo	£400-600
x1699 ⑩	1881 1d. Die II, imperforate colour trial in umber on gummed and watermarked paper, large margins, large part original gum; fine. Photo	£200-300

## 1884

### Watermark Crowns

1700 ○	£1 brown-lilac, ID, cancelled by indistinct registered ovals; vertical crease; well centred and good appearance. S.G. 185, £3000. Photo	£100-150
1701 ○	£1 brown-lilac, PD cancelled by squared circle datestamp, there is a faint mark at left. Photo	£150-180

## 1883-84

### White Paper

x1702 ⑥	5/- crimson, <b>horizontal pair from the lower left corner of the sheet</b> , unmounted mint, hinge mark and some wrinkles in the margins only; fresh colour and fine. S.G. 181, £1,950+. Photo	£700-800
x1703 ⑩	1883 or 1884 1½d. lilac, imperforate imprimatur lettered AH, large part original gum; fine and fresh. S.G. 188, Specialised £575. Photo	£150-200

## 1897-92

1704 ★	£1 green, QD, large part original gum; vertical crease at right. Good appearance. S.G. 212, £3,500. Photo	£300-400
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POSTAGE 531 2½d



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## 1887-92



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| 1705 ☉ | £1 green, Plate 2: TA, broken frame variety, unmounted mint from the lower-left corner of the sheet (hinged in the margin only); a couple of light diagonal wrinkles as might be expected. Rare so fine. S.G. 212a, £10,000+. Photo | £6,000-8,000 |
|        |   |              |
| x1706  | 1890 Postal Jubilee medal in silvered-bronze; fine with considerable amounts of original lustre and scarce  | £150-200     |

## KING EDWARD VII ISSUES

### 1902-10 De La Rue

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|---------|---|----------|
| x1707 ⑩ | 3d. Die Proof in black on glazed card (92x60mm.), without markings; superb and rare. Specialised £3,250. Photo            | £400-500 |
| x1708 ☉ | 10/- ultramarine, unmounted mint, well centred, good colour; superb. S.G. 265, £2,000. Photo                              | £700-800 |
| 1709    | £1 dull blue-green, large part original gum; horizontal crease; also a used example which shows ageing on the reverse (2) | £250-300 |

### 1911-13 Somerset House

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|--------|--|----------|
| 1710 ★ | £1 deep green with lower left corner margins, part original gum with some gum disturbance around large hinge mark. Photo | £400-500 |
| 1711 ○ | £1 deep green in a vertical pair cancelled by light registered ovals dated 1911 (2 Nov.); a good multiple. Photo         | £300-400 |

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**KING GEORGE V ISSUES**



1712

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|--------|---|--------------|
| 1712 ⑥ | 1911 Downey Heads 3d. engraver's sketch die for an unadopted design, very fine die proof printed in black on thick white proofing paper (54x52mm.) with shaded background and shaded upper corners (as Specialised figure 23); fine and scarce. Photo | £1,000-1,500 |
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**1912-24 Watermark Royal Cypher**

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|----------|---|----------|
| x1713 ⑥  | Coinage Head die proof, accepted state, in black on white proof paper (68x77mm.), handstamped "244" on the reverse; fine and rare. Photo  | £400-500 |
| 1714 ④ ⑥ | 1d. carmine, Control "R21" block of six (3x2) from the lower right corner of the sheet, unmounted mint; superb. R.P.S. Certificate (2019). Specialised N16(10), £1,050 as six singles. Photo  | £300-400 |
| x1715 ⑥  | Medal head die proof as used for the 5d. and 1/- values, in black on glazed proof paper (134x111mm.) showing only a small part of the background shaded. Fine. Photo  | £250-300 |
| 1716 ★ ⑥ | 6d. slate-purple, "C.13" Control block of six (3x2) from the lower left corner of the sheet, original gum with all except one remaining unmounted mint; very fine and scarce. R.P.S. Certificate (2019), Specialised N26(2), £1,125 as six singles. Photo | £300-400 |

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King George V Issues - *contd.*

1913 Waterlow

x1717 ☉	2/6d. sepia-brown, overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 26, unmounted mint, slight wrinkles, well centred and fine. S.G. 400, £650. Photo	£200-250
1718 ★	10/- indigo-blue, large part original gum; light mark on the gum. S.G. 402, £1,000. Photo	£150-200
1719 ○	£1 dull blue-green, fine used with a central strike of Guernsey c.d.s. S.G. 404, £1,600. Photo	£300-350

1915 De La Rue



1720

1720 ☼	2/6d. yellow-brown, watermark reversed, unmounted mint from the right of the sheet, clearly showing the variety, unmounted mint; fine. S.G. 406wj, £1,800. Photo	£800-1,000
1721 ☼田	2/6d. pale yellow-brown, <b>block of four</b> from the right of the sheet, unmounted mint, well centred; very slightly toned gum; fine and a scarce block. S.G. 406, Specialised N64(7), £2,700+. Photo	£800-1,000
x1722 ☼	5/- bright carmine, unmounted mint, fine. S.G. 409, £1,100. Photo	£400-500

1723 ★	1924-26 2½d. blue "O31" Control pair from the lower left corner of the sheet, the Control single unmounted mint, the other hinged and some pencil notations in the margins; fine. A very rare Control piece. S.G. 422. Specialised £2,000 for the single. Photo	£300-400
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1929 P.U.C.

1724 ★	£1 black, large part original gum; light even gum toning. S.G. 438, £750. Photo	£120-150
1725 ○	£1 black good used with neat registered oval cancellations. Photo	£120-150





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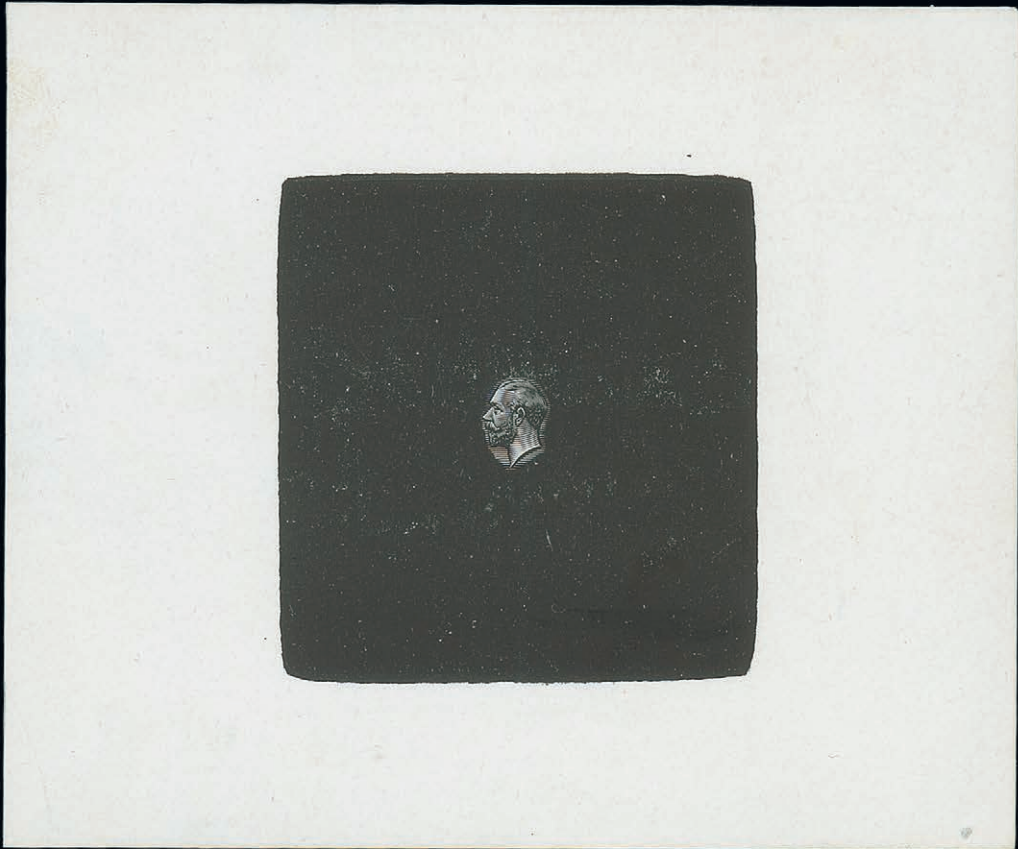
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1935 Silver Jubilee



1726

1726 △

2½d. Prussian blue “error of colour”, used with ½d. green on piece dated 30 Oct. 1935 from Upper Edmonton; fine and rare. R.P.S. Certificate (2006). S.G. 456a, £14,000++. Photo

£8,000-10,000





1727

1727 ☒

2½d. Prussian blue “error of colour”, **vertical pair** used with ½d. green on cover dated 26 July 1935 registered from Cricklewood to Rugby; registration etiquette missing and the cover and stamps with a few very minor stain spots. The only recorded multiple of the 2½d. Prussian blue on cover. B.P.A. Certificate (2001). S.G. 456a. Photo

£18,000-22,000



## QUEEN ELIZABETH II ISSUES

### 1952-58 Photographic Essays

- 1728 ④ Stamp sized Photographic Essays for 2d., 2½ (4), 4d. and 1/- in unadopted designs each affixed to card, fine and scarce. *While the central photographic portrait was being perfected, the Post Office established a list of artists to be invited to submit designs for the new stamps. The design brief insisted that the photographic portrait of The Queen would be the central feature, but that it was eminently desirable to include the four national floral emblems, it was also insisted that the words 'postage' and 'revenue' must feature.* Photo £500-700

### 1958-65

- x1729 ★ 2d. red-brown vertical pair (streaky printing), "Dollis Hill" phosphor trial on ungummed unwatermarked handmade paper with all over green phosphor, fine. Specialised ST4(3)a, £600 £200-250
- 1730 ④ 3d. deep lilac, "Dollis Hill" phosphor trial horizontal pair with upright watermark and a 4mm. blue phosphor band resulting in one with 2mm. band at right, the other with a 2mm. band at left; unmounted mint, fine. Specialised ST7(3)b, £550+ £150-200

- x1731 ④ 1961 Parliamentary Conference 6d. and 1/3d., imperforate imprimaturs with "N/P/IMPRIMATUR" on reverse; unmounted mint, fine and rare. S.G. 629P-630P, £2,000. Photo £400-500

- x1732 ④ 1967 (Feb.) E.F.T.A. Sea Freight 9d. ordinary with **black (Queen's head etc.), brown, new blue and yellow omitted**, superb unmounted mint. With normal for comparison. S.G. 715a, £1300. Photo £500-600

### 1968 (Nov.) Christmas

- x1733 ④ 4d. Boy and Girl with Rocking Horse with **vermilion omitted**, superb unmounted mint. With normal for comparison. S.G. 775b, £525. Photo £250-300
- x1734 ④ 4d. Boy and Girl with Rocking Horse with **ultramarine omitted**, superb unmounted mint. With normal for comparison. S.G. 775c, £500. Photo £220-260

- x1735 ④ 1969 Anniversaries 1/6d. Flags of NATO countries, "Traffic light" block of six (3x2) from the upper right corner of the sheet, variety yellow-green (Italian and Portuguese flags) omitted, unmounted mint, fine and a rare positional piece. S.G. 794f, £510++ £200-250

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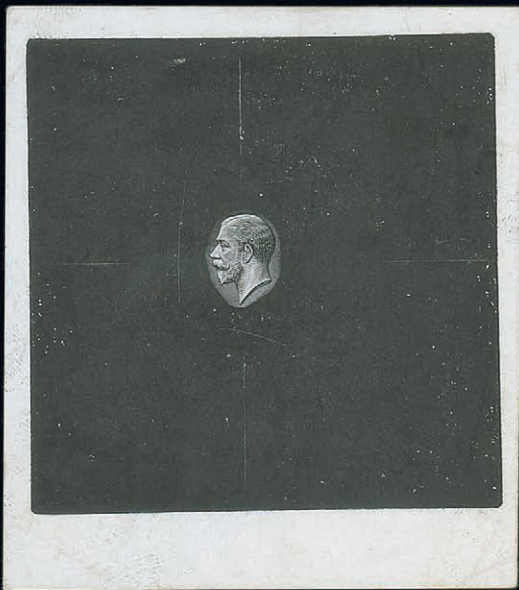
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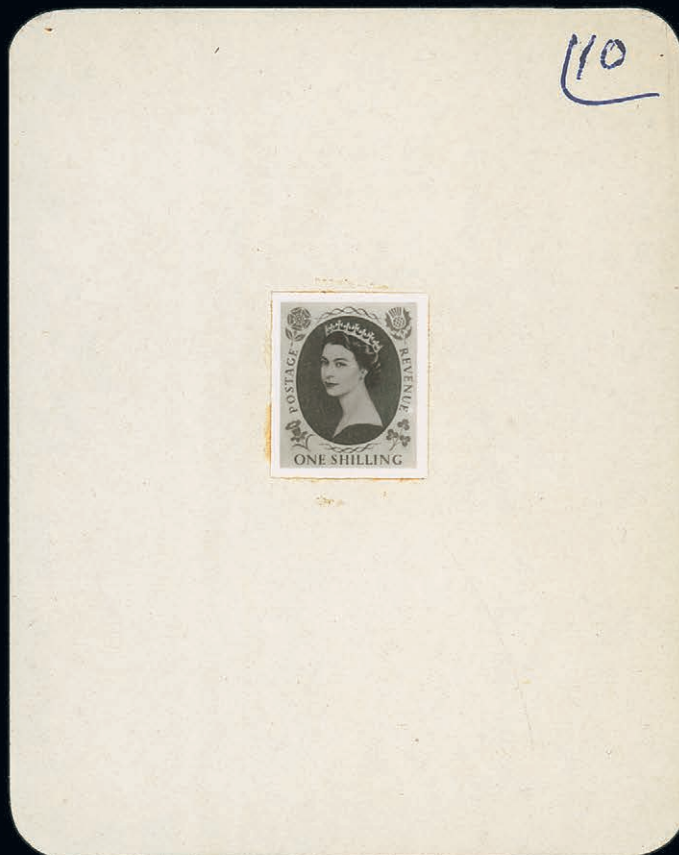
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1737

1736 ⊕Ⓡ

1969 British Architecture 5d., **imperforate** Traffic Light block of eight (2 se-tenant blocks of four); unmounted mint, fine and scarce. Between eighteen and thirty-six blocks known. S.G. 796a, var. Photo

£1,000-1,200

1737 ⊕Ⓡ

1970 Literary Anniversaries 5d., **imperforate Plate Number block of eight** (two se-tenant blocks of four), unmounted mint, fine. S.G. 824ab, £4,500+. Photo

£1,300-1,500



- 1738 Ⓢ 1971 Anniversaries 3p. Servicemen and Nurse of 1921, variety **orange-red** (nurse's cloak) omitted, unmounted mint, fine. S.G. 887b, £850. Photo £200-250
- x1739 Ⓢ 1973 (Feb.) Tree Planting Year 9p. Oak Tree with **brownish grey (Queen's head)** omitted, fine unmounted mint. With normal for comparison. S.G. 922b, £825. Photo £350-450
- 1977 Racket Sports**
- 1740 Ⓢ 8½p. Lawn Tennis, block of six (2 x3), the lower pair **completely imperforate**, the others partly so; unmounted mint, fine. S.G. 1022a, £2,750 for an imperforate pair. Photo £600-700
- 1741 Ⓢ 11p. Squash, **imperforate horizontal pair**; unmounted mint, fine and scarce. Brandon Certificate (2000). S.G. 1024a, £9,000. Photo £2,700-3,000
- 1977 Silver Jubilee**
- 1742 Ⓢ 8½p. pale turquoise-green, **imperforate block of four from the foot of the sheet**, unmounted mint, fine. Twenty-five pairs recorded. S.G. 1033a, £1,900. Photo £580-650
- 1743 Ⓢ 13p. bistre-yellow, **imperforate horizontal pair**, unmounted mint; fine. About twenty-four pairs recorded. S.G. 1037a, £2,000. Photo £600-700



1744

- 1744 ○ 1977 Christmas 7p. se-tenant strip of five from the right of the sheet, variety **imperforate**, neatly cancelled; fine. Nine mint strips known, this is the only recorded used strip. S.G. 1044a, £4,500 mint. Photo £1,000-1,200
- 1745 Ⓢ 1978 Christmas 9p. The Waits, **imperforate horizontal pair from the foot of the sheet**; unmounted mint. some tiny wrinkles in the margin only, fine. Around fifteen pairs recorded. S.G. 1072a, £2,000. Photo £600-700

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1746

1746 ♂<sup>®</sup>

1979 Dogs 11p. West Highland Terrier, **imperforate cylinder number block of four from the lower left corner of the sheet**, unmounted mint and fine, contained in a block of eight with the stamps above damaged. A very rare positional piece, around eight pairs known. S.G. 1077a, £13,500+. Photo

£2,200-3,000

1747 ♂

1979 Spring Wild Flowers 11p. Bluebells, **imperforate vertical pair from the upper left corner of the sheet**, contained in a cylinder number block of six (3x2), the adjoining block partly perforated; unmounted mint, the variety with a very slight bend, fine. Ten to fifteen pairs recorded. S.G. 1081a, £3,250. Photo

£900-1,000





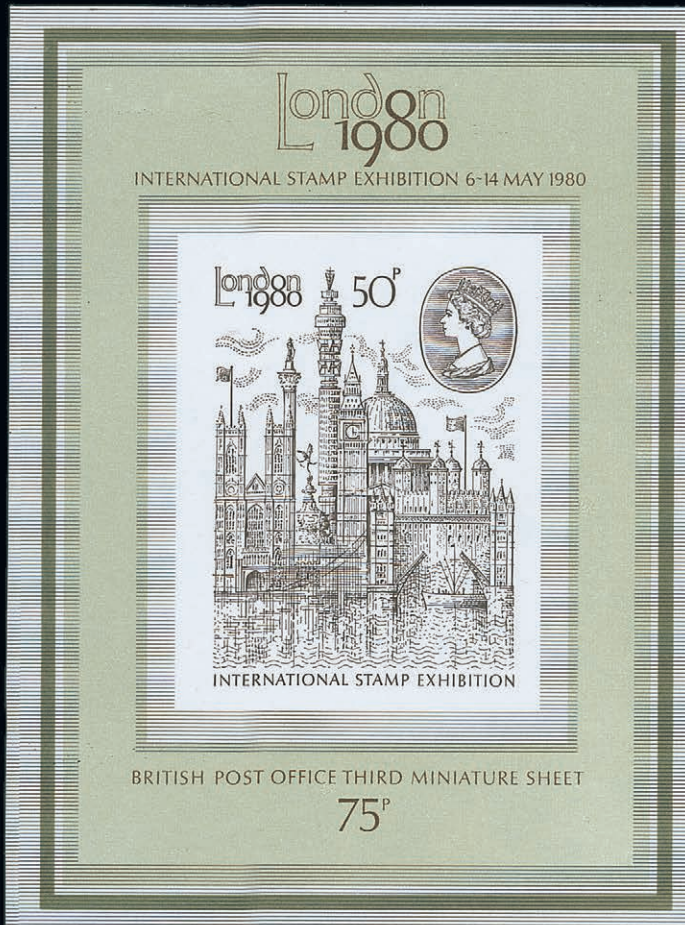
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1979 Centenary of the Death of Rowland Hill

1748 \*

10p. Sir Rowland Hill, horizontal strip of four from the top of the sheet with cylinder numbers, the left hand horizontal pair variety **imperforate**, the adjoining pair partly perforated, unmounted mint. Around four pairs recorded (one of these damaged). S.G. 1095a, £8,250. Photo

£1,200-1,500



1749

x1749 \*

Miniature sheet, variety **bright blue** (background of 13½p., etc.), unmounted mint; superb. Pierron records only six examples of the variety. S.G. MS1099e, £8,500. Photo

£2,500-3,000

1750 \*B

1979 Christmas 10p. Angel appearing to the Shepherds, **imperforate**, **Traffic Light block of four** from the lower right corner of the sheet, unmounted mint; fine. Twenty-five pairs recorded. S.G. 1105b, £2,400+. Photo

£700-800

1751 \*

1980 London 1980 50p. miniature sheet, variety **imperforate**; unmounted mint, fine and rare. Around twelve recorded. S.G. MS1119a, £4,500. Photo

£1,300-1,400

1752 \*

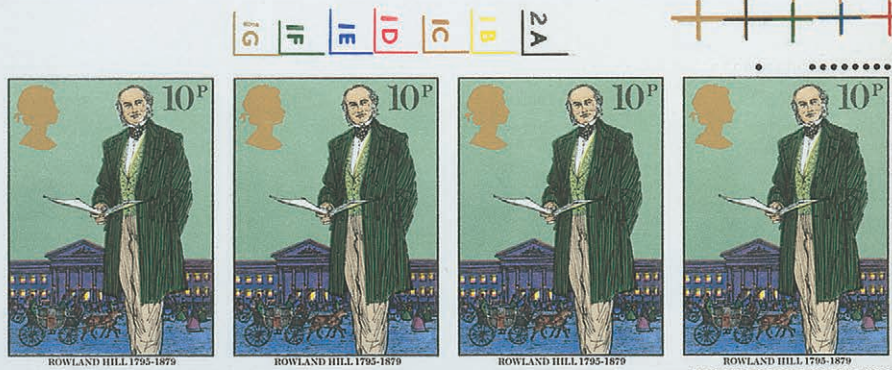
1982 British Textiles, 15½p. "Strawberry Thief", **imperforate horizontal pair**; unmounted mint, fine. Ten pairs recorded. S.G. 1192a, £3,250. Photo

£1,000-1,200

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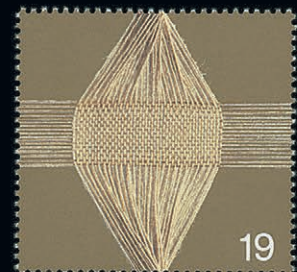
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1982 Christmas

- 1753 Ⓢ<sup>®</sup> 15½p. "The Holly and the Ivy", lower marginal marginal interpanneau block of twelve (6x2), the lower block of four variety **imperforate** (lower pair with faint indents), unmounted mint, roughly separated at left affecting two stamps and a tiny gum wrinkle on one imperf. stamp. Rare. S.G. 1203a, £7,000 as two imperf. pairs. Photo £2,100-2,500

PROVENANCE:  
Sir G. Baillie

- 1754 Ⓢ 19½p. "I saw three ships" **imperforate horizontal pair**; unmounted mint, fine and rare. Six pairs recorded. S.G. 1204a, £5,500. Photo £1,600-1,800

- 1755 Ⓢ 1983 Christmas 12½p. "Christmas Post", **imperforate horizontal pair** contained in a strip of three with the adjoining stamp only partly perforated; unmounted mint, the variety with small gum wrinkle at top; fine. Around eight pairs recorded. S.G. 1231a, £3,500. Photo £1,000-1,200

1984 Urban Renewal



1756

- 1756 Ⓢ 20½p. Milburngate Centre, Durham, **imperforate horizontal pair** from the lower left corner of the sheet, contained in a Plate number block of six (3x2), a few very faint traces of indents at top; fine unmounted mint. Three pairs recorded. S.G. 1246a, £9,500. Photo £2,800-3,000

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Queen Elizabeth II Issues, 1984 Urban Renewal - *contd.*

1757 \*

31p. Commercial Street Development, Perth, **imperforate horizontal pair from the foot of the sheet**; unmounted mint, slight gum wrinkles, fine. About five pairs recorded. S.G. 1248a, £7,000. Photo

£1,800-2,000



1758

1758 \*B

1985 Famous Trains 17p. "Flying Scotsman", **imperforate Traffic Light block of six (2x3) from the lower right corner of the sheet**; unmounted mint, some light creasing, fine and a rare positional piece. Around twelve pairs recorded. S.G. 1272a, £12,000+. Photo

£3,000-3,500

1759 \*B

1985 European Music Year 22p. "The Planet Suite", **imperforate block of four from the upper right corner of the sheet**, contained in a block of eight with the adjoining stamps partly perforated; unmounted mint, vertical crease affecting two of the imperforate stamps. Fine and a rare positional piece. Around five pairs recorded. S.G. 1283a, £13,000+. Photo

£2,000-2,500

PROVENANCE:  
Sir G. Baillie

1760 \*B

1985 Royal Mail 34p. Town Letter Delivery, block of twenty (5x4) from the left of the pane, variety **imperforate horizontally between the second and third rows**; unmounted mint, faint traces of indents; fine and rare. S.G. 1293a, £8,500+. Photo

£1,000-1,500

1761 \*

1985 Christmas 12p. Principal Boy, **imperforate vertical pair from the top of the sheet**; unmounted mint, fine. Around ten pairs recorded. S.G. 1303a, £3,000. Photo

£900-1,000

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1733



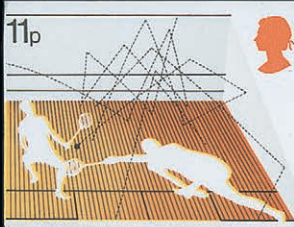
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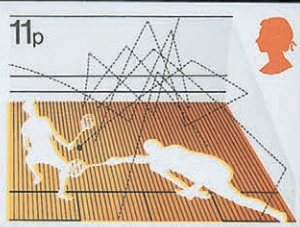
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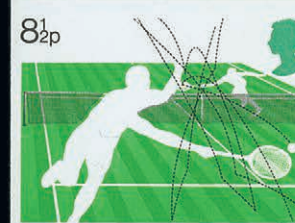
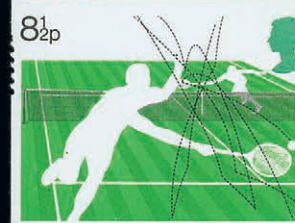
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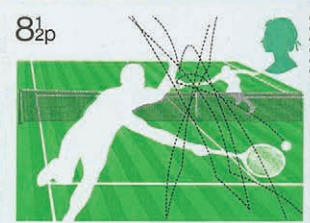
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OTAL SHEET VALUE £8.50

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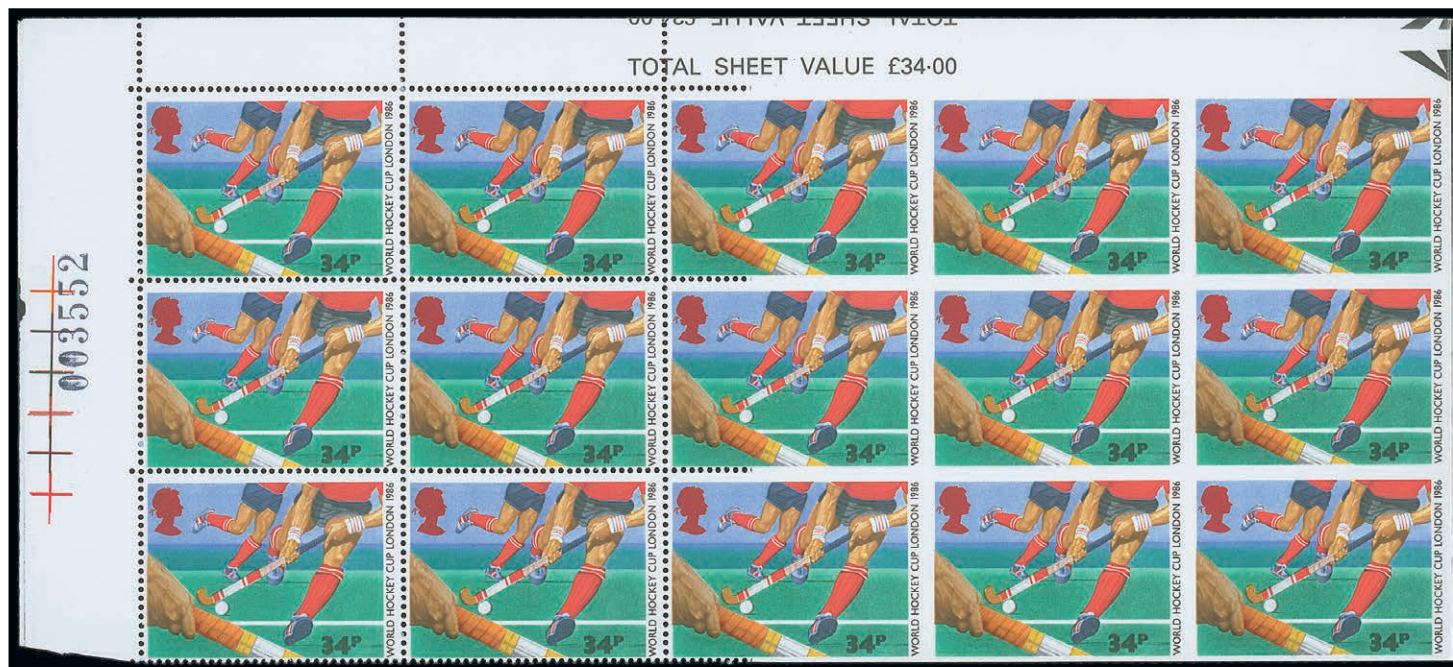
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1986 Commonwealth Games

1762 △

22p. Rowing, block of nine (3x3) and a corner single, variety **imperforate**, used with Machin 10p. on piece; two pairs in the block are fine, the others with faults. The only recorded examples of this error recorded. Brandon Certificate (1997). S.G. 1329a, unpriced. Photo

£1,200-1,500



1763

1763 ⊛ B

34p. Hockey, block of fifteen (5x3) from the upper left corner of the sheet, the upper right corner block of four completely imperforate and the lower right corner pair imperforate except for the faintest trace of indents, the three adjoining stamps partly imperforate; unmounted mint. S.G. 1332a, £11,000 for the block of four. Photo

£3,300-3,600

1764 ⊛ B

1986 Christmas 12p. The Glastonbury Thorn, **imperforate Traffic Light block of four from the lower right corner of the sheet** contained in a block of six (3x2) with the adjoining stamps partly perforated; unmounted mint, some minor defects hardly affecting the fine appearance. A rare positional block. Around six pairs recorded. Brandon Certificate (1995). S.G. 1341a, £8,000+. Photo

£2,000-2,500

1765 ⊛

1987 Studio Pottery 34p. Pot by Hans Coper, **imperforate horizontal pair from the left of the sheet**; unmounted mint, the left hand stamp with a small surface scrape. Very rare. Two to four pairs recorded. S.G. 1374a, £6,000 as a vertical pair. Photo

£1,500-2,000

1766 ⊛

1988 Welsh Bible 18p. Revd. William Morgan, **imperforate horizontal pair from the left of the sheet**; unmounted mint, small crease in the margin well clear of the stamp, fine. Around four pairs recorded. S.G. 1384a, £5,500 for a vertical pair. Photo

£1,600-1,800

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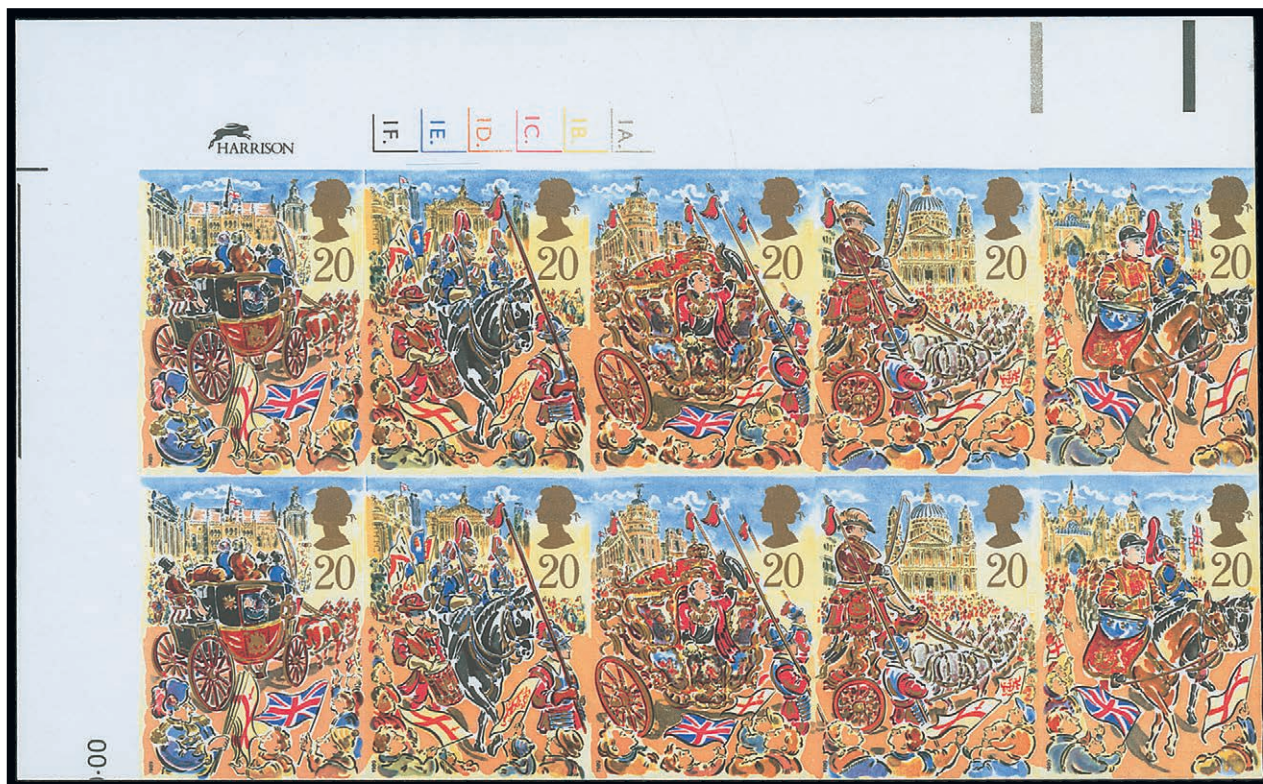
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1767

- 1767 ⓈB 1989 Lord Mayor's Show 20p., block of ten (5x2) comprising two se-tenant strips of five, variety **imperforate**; unmounted mint, some light bends barely detracting from this unique modern rarity of which only around three strips known. S.G. 1457ab, £24,000+. Photo £7,000-8,000

**1989 Christmas**

- 1768 ⓈB 20p. + 1p. Octagon Tower, **imperforate horizontal pair** contained in a block of six (2x3) from the top of the sheet with the pair above being partly perforated; unmounted mint, fine. Ten pairs recorded. S.G. 1464a, £3,500. Photo £1,000-1,200
- 1769 ⓈB 20p. + 1p. Octagon Tower, block of twenty (2x10) from the right of the sheet with the lower right corner "Traffic Light" block of four completely imperforate and the pair above partially so; unmounted mint, folded through the gutter margin, fine and rare. Ten imperforate pairs recorded. S.G. 1464a, £7,000+ for the block of four. Photo £2,100-2,500

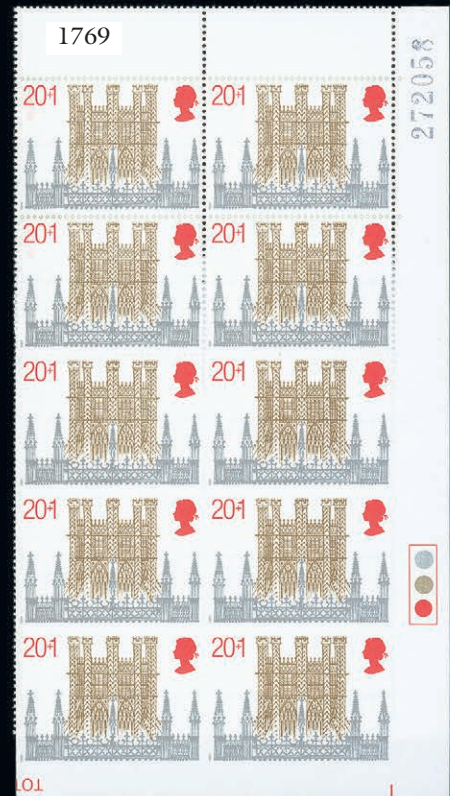
- 1770 ⓈB 1990 150th Anniversary of the Penny Black, 20p. brownish black and cream, Queen Victoria and Queen Elizabeth II, complete sheet of 200 (10x20) with the top right block of twenty completely imperforate, unmounted mint, folded along the central rows of horizontal and vertical perfs., fine and rare. S.G. 1469a, £22,500+ £5,000-6,000
- 1771 Ⓢ 1990 Gallantry Awards 20p. D.S.C. and D.S.M., **imperforate horizontal pair from the left of the sheet**; unmounted mint, fine. Twenty-five pairs know (fifteen of these damaged). S.G. 1519a, £3,000. Photo £900-1,000

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1991 Scientific Achievements

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| 1772 ⊕B | 22p. Michael Farriday, <b>imperforate block of six</b> (3x2) from the lower right corner of the sheet; unmounted mint, some slight soiling in the margin on the gummed side. Fine. S.G. 1546a, £1,950+. Photo   | £600-800     |
| 1773 B  | 22p. Faraday, <b>imperforate block of eight from the foot of the sheet with vertical interpanneau margin</b> ; unmounted mint, a few minor gum wrinkles, fine and an impressive multiple. Around forty pairs recorded. S.G. 1546a, £2,600. Photo  | £800-1,000   |
|         | PROVENANCE:<br>Sir G. Baillie   |              |
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| 1774 ⊕B | 1991 Dinosaurs 22p. Iguanodon, <b>imperforate block of four</b> contained in a block of eight (4x2) from the upper right corner of the sheet and with the adjoining stamps partly perforated and showing a 2mm. shift of the vertical perfs.; unmounted mint, the variety block very fine. S.G. 1573a, £7,500+. Photo   | £2,200-2,500 |
| 1775 ⊕B | 1992 The Four Seasons 22p. Hare on the North Yorkshire Moors, complete sheet of 100, the upper pane completely imperforate, the lower pane with the upper row partially imperforate, unmounted mint, a heavy vertical crease affects one row and a few light wrinkles; unmounted mint and chiefly fine. Around fifty imperforate pairs recorded. S.G. 1588a, £21,250+   | £3,000-4,000 |
|         | PROVENANCE:<br>Sir G. Baillie   |              |
| 1776 ⊕B | 1992 Gilbert and Sullivan 24p. The Gondoliers, Traffic Light block of thirty (6x5) from the lower left corner of the sheet, variety <b>imperforate</b> ; folded through one vertical row and a few other light creases, otherwise fine unmounted mint. S.G. 1625a, £10,500+. Photo  | £2,500-3,000 |
|         | PROVENANCE:<br>Sir G. Baillie   |              |
| 1777 ⊕B | 1993 Christmas 19p. Bob Cratchit and Tiny Tim, cylinder number block of twelve (3x4) from the right of the sheet, the lower left corner horizontal cylinder number pair <b>completely imperforate</b> (faint trace of indents at top but one of only three recorded imperforate pairs), sheet margin partly separated and with tear in the margin (just clear of the design), the remaining stamps partly perforated to varying degrees; unmounted mint. Rare. S.G. 1790a, £7,000 for the imperf. pair. Photo | £2,100-2,500 |

1994 Medical Discoveries

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| 1778 ⊕  | 25p. Ultrasonic Imaging, <b>imperforate horizontal gutter pair</b> ; unmounted mint, some minor wrinkles, fine. Five pairs recorded and two of these are creased. S.G. 1839a, £7,000 for a vertical pair. Photo                                    | £1,000-1,200 |
| 1779 ⊕田 | 25p. Ultrasonic Imaging, <b>imperforate vertical pair</b> contained in a block of four with a partly perforated pair, roughly torn at the edges and a few light bends; unmounted mint. Rare. Brandon Certificate (1997). S.G. 1839a, £7,000. Photo | £700-800     |

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1994 Christmas

x1780 ⊕ 19p. Mary and Joseph, marginal **imperforate** horizontal pair, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 1843a, £175 £80-100

1781 ⊕ 19p. Mary and Joseph, complete sheet of 100, variety **imperforate**; unmounted mint, heavy vertical crease affecting one row of ten; fine. S.G. 1843a, £8,750+ £1,500-2,000

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1782 ⊕ 1996 Classic Sports Cars 43p. Jaguar XK120, block of fifteen (the lower three rows of the pane with cylinder numbers), the lower left corner horizontal pair **completely imperforate**, the adjacent rows partly imperforate; unmounted mint, fine and rare. Around 8 imperforate pairs recorded. S.G. 1948a, £3,750 for an imperforate pair. Photo £1,100-1,300

1783 ⊕ 1997 450th Death Anniversary of King Henry VIII, 26p. King Henry VIII, complete sheet of sixty (two panes 6x5), the two vertical rows at left showing progressive failure of perforation leaving the upper left corner vertical pair completely imperforate and the lower left vertical strip of three imperforate between the stamps and the left margin, the remaining five stamps in this row showing faint indents between the stamps and margin; a few tiny wrinkles. fine unmounted mint. A spectacular item. Only six imperforate pairs recorded. S.G. 1965a, £7,250 for an imperforate vertical pair £2,200-2,500

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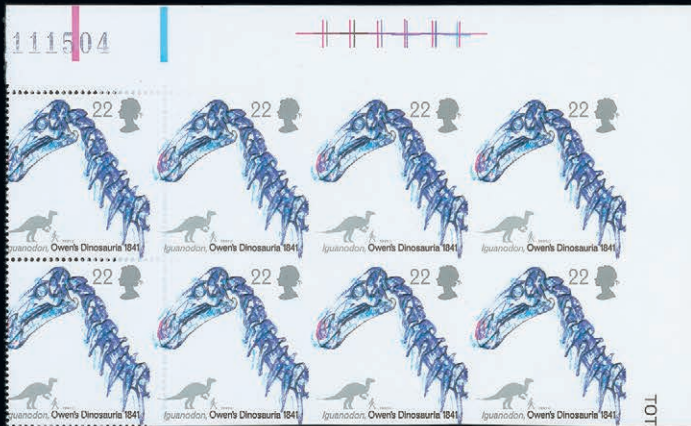
1997 Christmas

1784 ⊕ (2nd.) Children and Father Christmas pulling Cracker, cylinder number block of fifteen (5x3) from the lower left corner of the sheet, the cylinder number block of six variety **imperforate** and the adjoining vertical strip partly perforated; unmounted mint, fine. S.G. 2006a, £4,500 as three imperforate pairs £1,400-1,600

1785 ⊕ 31p. Father Christmas riding Cracker, Traffic Light block of twelve (4x3) from the lower right corner of the sheet, the Traffic Light block of six variety **imperforate**, the adjoining vertical strip partly so; fine unmounted mint. S.G. 2008a, £6,250 as three imperforate pairs £1,900-2,100

1997 Royal Golden Wedding

1786 ⊕ 20p. Wedding Photograph 1947, block of fifteen (3x5), the upper left vertical pair variety **imperforate** (very slight trace of some indents) and with four others partly imperforate; unmounted mint, fine and rare. S.G. 2011a, Unpriced. Photo £2,000-2,500



1774



1777



1786



1782



Queen Elizabeth II Issues, 1997 Royal Golden Wedding - *contd.*



1787

1787 ⊕<sub>B</sub>

26p. Queen Elizabeth II and Prince Philip, 1997, Traffic Light block of ten (2x5) from the lower left corner of the sheet, the Traffic Light block of four **completely imperforate**, the adjoining pair partly so; unmounted mint, fine. Around eight pairs recorded. S.G. 2012, £13,000 as two vertical pairs. Photo

£4,000-5,000



1788 ★

26p. Queen Elizabeth II and Prince Philip, 1997, **imperforate vertical pair**, part slightly disturbed gum. fine and attractive. Around eight pairs recorded. S.G. 2012a, £6,500. Photo

£1,500-2,000

## 1997 Diana, Princess of Wales



1789

1789 ⊕ ②

26p., a block of five se-tenant strips of five, the upper left corner block of six (3x2) completely imperforate and the six adjoining stamps partly so, unmounted mint, fine and rare. Only four strips known. Brandon Certificate (1998). S.G. 2021ad, £17,000 as two imperforate strips of three. Photo

£5,000-7,000

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Queen Elizabeth II Issues, 1997 Diana, Princess of Wales - *contd.*



1790

1790 ⊕ B

26p. block of five se-tenant strips of five, the lower left corner block of six **completely imperforate** and the six adjoining stamps partly imperforate, imperforate edges roughly separated with the lower strip torn into, otherwise fine and rare. S.G. 2021ab, £17,000 as two imperforate strips of three. Photo

£2,000-2,500

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## 1998 Christmas

1791 ⊕ B

26p. Angel Praying, Plate number block of twenty (5x4) from the lower left corner of the sheet, the Plate number block of four variety **imperforate** and with the adjoining five stamps partly imperforate; unmounted mint, one with a slight bend. Fine. S.G. 2065a, £6,500 as two blocks of four

£1,500-2,000

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1792 \*

26p. Angel Praying, horizontal strip of five from the foot of the sheet, containing an **imperforate pair** and one partly imperforate; unmounted mint; fine. S.G. 2065a, £3,250 as an imperforate pair

£800-1,000



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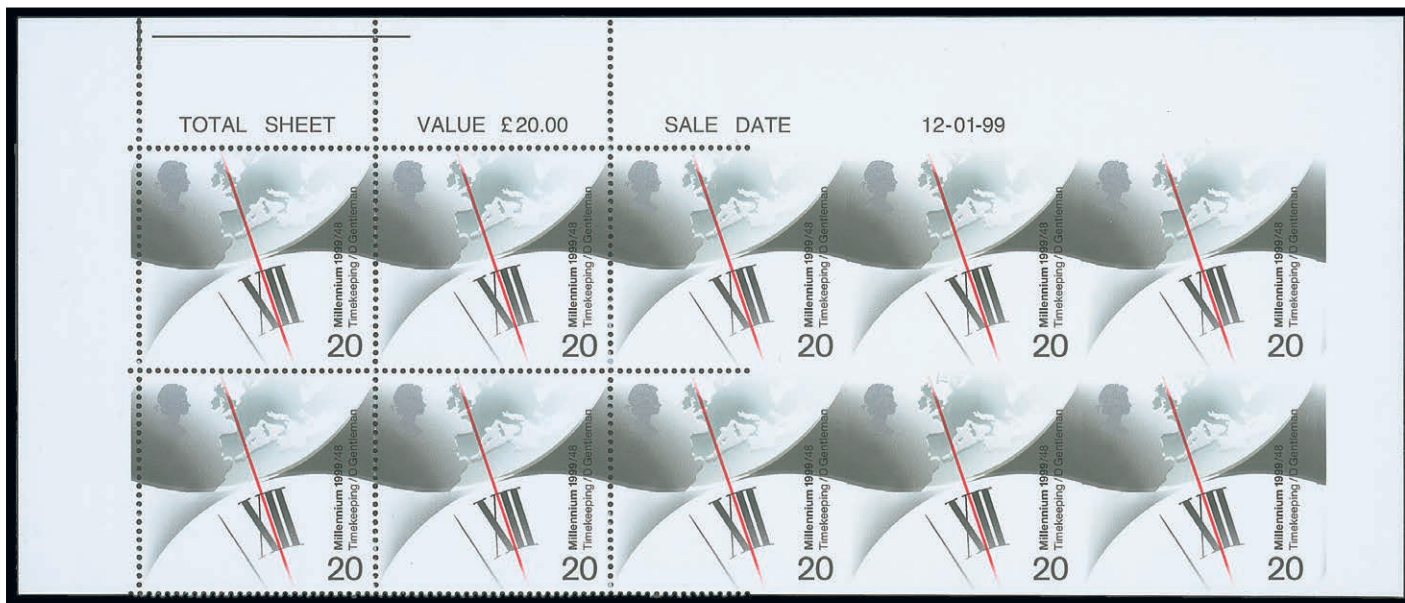
1793 \*B

26p. Angel Praying, block of fifty (5x10) including five completely **imperforate pairs** and eight stamps partly imperforate; unmounted mint, folded in places not affecting the varieties, fine. Around fourteen imperforate pairs recorded. S.G. 2065a, £16,250 as five imperforate pairs. Photo

£5,000-6,000



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1794

1794 ⊕ B

1999 Millennium Series, The Inventors Tale 20p. Greenwich Meridian and Clock, block of ten (5x2) with the right hand block of four variety **imperf** and with the adjoining pair partly imperf; unmounted mint, light vertical crease or bend clear of the variety, fine and scarce. Seven to fourteen pairs recorded. S.G. 2069a, £7,500 as two pairs. Photo

£2,200-2,500

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1795

1795 ⊕ B

1999 Millennium Series, The Patients Tale, 26p. Patient on Trolley, block of ten (5x2) from the lower left corner of the sheet, the corner block of four **completely imperf** and the adjoining pair partly imperf; unmounted mint, minor wrinkles and a small tear in the margin, fine. S.G. 2081a, £12,000 as two imperf pairs. Photo

£2,500-3,000



- x1796 Ⓢ 1999 (May) Millennium Series 19p. Woven Threads with **bronze (Queen's head) and phosphor omitted**, superb unmounted mint. With normal for comparison. S.G. 2088ay, £675. Photo £300-400
- 1797 ⓈⓇ 1999 Royal Wedding 26p. Prince Edward and Sophie Rhys-Jones, **imperforate Cylinder Number block of six (2x3)** from the lower left corner of the sheet; unmounted mint. A rare positional piece. Sixteen pairs recorded. S.G. 2096a, £5,400+. Photo £1,600-1,800



1798

- 1798 ⓈⓇ 1999 Millennium Series, Scientist's tale 26p. Galapagos Finch, block of eight (4x2) with the left hand block of four **variety imperforate**; unmounted mint, a couple of minor wrinkles, fine and scarce. Twenty pairs recorded. S.G. 2103a, £2,400+. Photo £720-800

### 2001 Submarine Service

- 1799 Ⓢ (1st.) Swiftsure, **imperforate horizontal pair**, unmounted mint, slight horizontal bend, fine. Twenty-five pairs recorded of which fifteen are damaged. S.G. 2203b, £1,400. Photo £420-450
- 1800 Ⓢ (1st.) Swiftsure self adhesive booklet, variety **imperforate**, a few minor creases and the panes with some separation. Rare. S.G. 2207ab, £3,750 £400-500



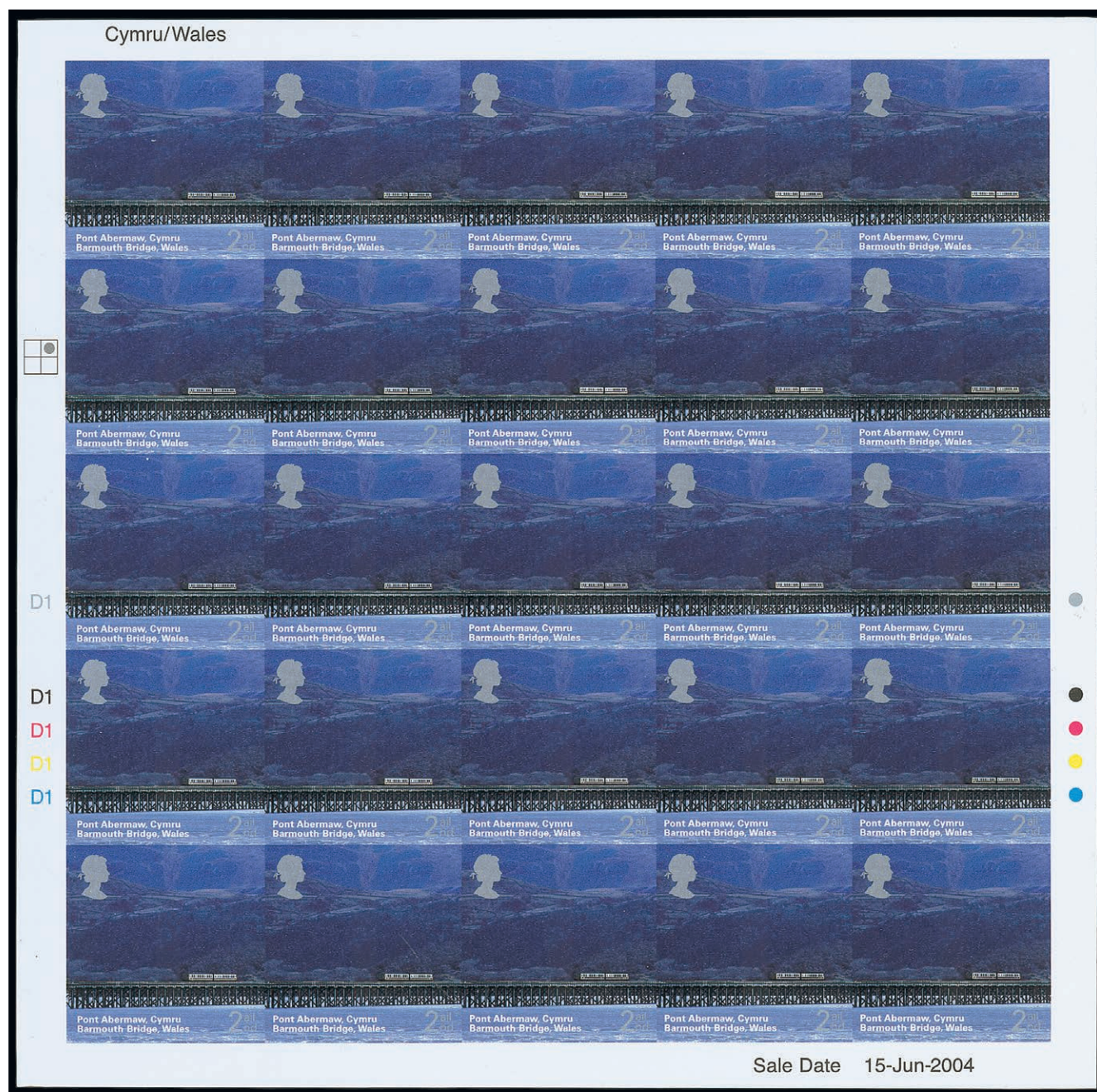
1801

- 1801 Ⓢ 2002 Europa (E) Trick Tri-cyclists, horizontal strip of five from the left of the sheet with the left hand pair **imperforate**, unmounted mint, fine. S.G. 2277a, £3,000. Photo £900-1,000

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1802

1802 ⊕ B

2004 A British Journey: Wales (2nd.) Barmouth Bridge, imperforate pane of twenty-five, unmounted mint, fine. Between 24 and 36 pairs recorded. S.G. 2466a, £8,400 as twelve imperforate pairs. Photo

£2,500-3,000

**1971-96 Machin**

- x1803 ☼ 11½p. drab (1 centre band), an **imperforate** vertical pair, superb unmounted mint. S.G. X893a, £350. Photo £150-180
- x1804 ☼ Harrison phosphorised paper 24p. marginal **imperforate pair**, superb unmounted mint. S.G. X969a, £280. Photo £140-160

**1993-2017 Machin, Elliptical Perf.**

- 1805 ☼田 4p. new blue, **imperforate block of four**, some very lightly indented vertical perforations; unmounted mint, fine. S.G. Y1669a, £2,200 £650-700

**1993-2007 Machin, Elliptical Perf.**

- 1806 ☼田 7p. grey, sheet of 200, including fifty stamps completely imperforate and sixteen partly so, unmounted mint, some creasing where folded and traces of horizontal indentations. Rare. S.G. Y1762a, unpriced £2,000-3,000

**1993-2017 Machin, Elliptical Perf.**

- 1807 ☼田 40p. turquoise blue, **imperforate block of six (3x2)**; unmounted mint, the right hand pair with slight faults. S.G. Y1711a, £1,050 £250-300
- 1808 ☼田 Engraved £5 brown, **imperforate block of four**, unmounted mint, fine. S.G. Y1803a, £1,900. Photo £550-600

**Booklets**

- 1809 ☼田 2004 Self adhesive containing 12 (2nd), variety imperforate with matrix intact; the cover with a few minor bends and cut slightly obliquely. Uncatalogued. S.G. ME4var. £500-600

**OFFICIALS****Government Parcels**

1810

- 1810 ○ 1891-1900 1/- green and carmine, **overprint inverted**, the usual Mount Pleasant Parcel Office cancellation; the colour very slightly diffused. Fine. Only about fifteen examples of this rare variety are recorded and at least five of these are damaged. R.P.S. Certificate (1978). S.G. O72a, £15,000. Photo £3,000-5,000

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## TELEGRAPHS



1811

1811 ⑤B

1876 3/- slate blue, Plate 1: PF-TH, block of fifteen (5x3) from the foot of the pane handstamped "SPECIMEN" type 9, unmounted mint; the usual gum wrinkling and a few blunt perfs. as usual, fine. S.G. T12s, £1,500+. Photo

£250-300

## CHANNEL ISLANDS

### Guernsey

1812 ④

1989 La Coupee Sark 20p. on uncoated paper, unmounted mint, plain edge at foot; fine. S.G. 310a. Photo

£200-300

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We offer internet services as a convenience to our clients. We will not be responsible for errors or failures to execute bids placed on the internet, including, without limitation, errors or failures caused by (i) a loss of internet connection by either party for whatever reason; (ii) a breakdown or problems with the online bidding software and/or (iii) a breakdown or problems with your internet connection, computer or system. Execution of on-line internet bids on [www.spink.com](http://www.spink.com) and Spink Live is a free service undertaken subject to other commitments at the time of the auction and we do not accept liability for failing to execute an online internet bid or for errors or omissions in connection with this activity.
- 4.6 Telephone Bids**  
If you make arrangements with us not less than 24 hours before the sale, we shall use reasonable endeavours to contact you to enable you to participate in bidding by telephone, but in no circumstances will we be liable to either the Seller or you as a result of failure to do so.
- 4.7 Currency Converter**  
At some auctions, a currency converter will be operated, based on the one month forward rates of exchange quoted to us by Barclays Bank Plc or any other appropriate rate determined by us, at opening on the date of the auction. Bidding will take place in a currency determined by us, which is usually sterling for auctions held in London. The currency converter is not always reliable, and errors may occur beyond our control either in the accuracy of the Lot number displayed on the converter, or the foreign currency equivalent of sterling bids. We shall not be liable to you for any loss suffered as a result of you following the currency converter.
- 4.8 Video images**  
At some auctions there will be a video screen. Mistakes may occur in its operation, and we cannot be liable to you regarding either the correspondence of the image to the Lot being sold or the quality of the image as a reproduction of the original.
- 4.9 Bidding Increments**  
Bidding generally opens below the low estimate and advances in the following order although the auctioneer may vary the bidding increments during the course of the auction. The normal bidding increments are:
- |                    |                         |
|--------------------|-------------------------|
| Up to £100         | by £5                   |
| £100 to £300       | by £10                  |
| £300 to £600       | by £20                  |
| £600 to £1,000     | by £50                  |
| £1,000 to £3,000   | by £100                 |
| £3,000 to £6,000   | by £200                 |
| £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](mailto: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:  
(i) 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.  
(ii) 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 3%. 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](mailto: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. Dagged Lots

Lots which are Dagged (†) 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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### LIFESTYLE COLLECTABLES

7-17 December	Fine Whisky & Rum e-Auction	Hong Kong	SFW33
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