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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
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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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**SATURDAY 3 OCTOBER 2020**

**Commencing at 10.00 a.m.**

**ADEN**

**Kathiri State of Seiyun**



1000

x1000 ★

1946 Victory 2½a. blue variety **overprint inverted**, large part original gum, fine.  
S.G. 13a. £1,300

£150-200



1001

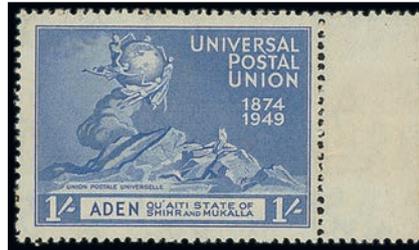
x1001 ⊕田

1946 Victory 2½a. blue top right corner block of four, variety **overprint inverted**, lightly toned unmounted gum, otherwise fine and a rare and attractive positional multiple.  
S.G. 13a, £5,200

£800-1,000

Aden - *contd.*

## Qu'aiti State in Hadhramaut



1002

x1002 ★ 1949 UPU 1/- blue with margin at right, variety **surchage omitted**, lightly mounted mint; there are a couple of light age patches on the reverse (one in the margin). Sanabria handstamp on the reverse. S.G. 19a, £4,000

£400-500

## ANDORRA

### French Post Offices



1003

x1003 ☉ 1932-43 prepared for use but not issued 20c. ultramarine, unmounted mint; tiny blue mark on the reverse. Superb and a great rarity. Only one sheet of 25 printed. Signed Calves and others. See footnote after S.G. F81, £38,000; Yvert 30A, €40,000

£2,000-4,000

**ANGUILLA**



Ex 1004

x1004 ⊛

1967 "Independent Anguilla" ½c. to \$5 set of sixteen. unmounted mint; \$1 with light gum bend and some values showing partial offset of the surcharge on the reverse, this is particularly strong on the 50c. A very rare and desirable set. S.G. 1-16, £25,000

£6,000-8,000

*Note: This lot is accompanied by two letters of provenance. The first from Urch, Harris gives the history of this set, being one of three purchased on the day of issue by the rector and the doctor. Shortly after this the postmaster was instructed not to sell any more mint stamps in order to protect the small stock from the ravages of philatelists. He was free to apply these stamps on mail posted at his office. The second letter is from the then owner to Harmers of London, prior to their sale by auction*

**AUSTRIA**



1005

x1005 ☉★

1918 Air 2.50k. on 3k. ochre, **surcharge inverted**, large part original gum, fine and rare. Signed Ferchenbauer and with Babor Certificate (2004). S.G. 297Bc, £1,900; ANK 226y I

£400-500



1006

x1006 ☉★

1918 Air, prepared for use but not issued 7k. on 10k. brown, original gum, fine and rare

£300-500



1007

x1007 ★田

1933 W.I.P.A. granite paper 50g. (+ 50g.) ultramarine block of four, large part original gum with the lower pair remaining unmounted mint, fine. S.G. 704, £2,200+

£400-500



1008

x1008 ☉田

1933 W.I.P.A. miniature sheet in official folder, fine unmounted mint. S.G. MS705, £4,500

£800-1,000



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Austria - contd.



1009

x1009 ⊕田

1936 Dollfuss 10s. slate-blue lower left corner block of four, fine unmounted mint, hinged in the margins only. Rare. S.G. 793, £5,200+

£1,000-1,500



1010

x1010 ⊕

1936 Dollfuss 10s. slate-blue lower left corner pair, unmounted mint, a few split perfs., fine. S.G. 793, £2,600

£300-500



1011

x1011 ④

1946 Renner, the set of four miniature sheets, unmounted mint, fine. S.G. MS976, £3,250

£400-600

Austria - *contd.*



————— 1012 —————

x1012 ㊦㊧㊨

1950-53 Air, Birds 60g. to 20s. set of seven in unmounted mint blocks of four; one 60g. with tiny tone speck on reverse otherwise fine. S.G.1215-1221, £2,000+

£200-400

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**BAHAMAS**



1013

x1013 ★ ㊦

1942 Landfall of Columbus 8d. ultramarine and scarlet block of eight (2x4) with margin at left, the right stamp in third row showing “COLUMBUS” error, lightly mounted mint; there is some light gum ageing. Brandon Certificate (1999). S.G. 170a, £12,000

£800-1,200



1014

x1014 ㊦ ㊦

1942 Landfall of Columbus 2/- slate-purple and indigo top right corner block of four with sheet number “084”, the lower right stamp showing variety **stop after “COLUMBUS”**, unmounted mint. S.G. 172c, £5,000

£500-800

BELGIUM



1015

x1015 ★田

1919-20 Helmet 1c. to 10f. set of fourteen in blocks of four, fine mint, the lower pair in each unmounted. Rare multiples. S.G. 237-250, £4,000+

£1,000-1,200



1016

x1016 ★田 1919-20 Helmet 2f. purple block of four, a fraction gum toned otherwise fine mint, the lower pair unmounted. A rare multiple. G. Bolaffi Certificate (1979). S.G. 248, £2,600+ £500-600



Ex 1017

x1017 ⊕ 1929 Orval Abbey 5c. to 10f. set of nine in horizontal pairs, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 543-551, £2,000+ £300-400

**BERMUDA**



1018

x1018 ☉

1924-32 Script 2/6d. black and bright orange-vermilion on deep blue, a vertical pair, apparently unmounted mint. A good multiple of this elusive stamp. R.P.S. Certificate (1999). S.G. 89k, £6,500

£1,500-2,500



1019

x1019 ★

1924-32 Script 2/6d. black and bright orange-vermilion on deep blue, well-centred, fine with large part original gum. B.P.A. Certificate (2003). S.G. 89k, £3,250

£800-1,000



1020

x1020 ㊦

1938-53 12/6d. grey and lemon on ordinary paper, a top right corner block of nine, mounted in the top margin only; some gum ageing and pencil "G.P.O. Jun 48" on the reverse in the corner margin. Shows some of the minor positional plate flaws. R.P.S. Certificate (1999). S.G. 120d, £5,400

£700-1,000

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1021

x1021 田

1938-53 12/6d. grey and lemon on ordinary paper, lower margin block of four, mounted in the margin only; pencil "54" in the margin and further notes on the reverse. B.P.A. Certificate (2001). S.G. 120d, £2,400

£600-700

## BRITISH POST OFFICE IN SIAM



1022



1023

x1022 ★

1882-85 CC 2c. brown, unused with part original gum, a couple of shortish perfs. at top, otherwise fine. Rare. Briefmarkenprüfstelle Certificate (2003). S.G. 2, £4,000

£600-800

x1023 ★

1883 "TWO CENTS" on 32c. pale red, unused with traces of original gum; heavy hinge remainder, otherwise fine. B.P.A. Certificate (1999). S.G. 12, £3,250

£400-500

**BRUNEI**

Japanese Occupation



1024

x1024 ★田

1942-44 \$5 and \$25 in marginal blocks of four, both large part original toned gum with a few split perfs. \$25 bottom left stamp with corner crease. Proud-Bailey Certificate (1967) for the \$5. S.G. J18, J19, £8,000

£1,000-1,200



1025

x1025 ★

1944 \$3 in orange on 1c. black, an unused example with toned original gum, nevertheless very rare. S.G. J20, £9,000

£1,000-2,000

**CANADA**

*In August 1959 an errand boy was sent to a post office in Winnipeg to purchase thirty 5c. stamps. On his return three were affixed to letters at which point it was noticed that the central design was upside down. A partial sheet of 28 was discovered at Picton, Ontario a few days later and then two complete panes of 50 were discovered in post office stocks and returned to postal headquarters in Ottawa. The discovery of these errors sent collectors to their local post offices. However no more were discovered. In total, 162 are known to have survived.*



1026

x1026 ☉

1959 Opening of the St. Lawrence Seaway 5c. with margin at right variety **centre inverted**, unmounted mint; there is some very light gum ageing. A good example of this error. E. Diena Certificate (1985). S.G. 513a, £9,000

£1,500-2,000



1027

x1027 ★

1959 Opening of the St. Lawrence Seaway 5c. variety **centre inverted**, very lightly mounted mint; some light gum ageing. A good example of this error. S.G. 513a, £9,000

£1,000-1,200

**CAYMAN ISLANDS**

**Two Great Rarities of Cayman Islands Philately**



1028



1029

x1028 ★ 1907 (Nov.) “½D” on 5/- salmon and green, variety **surcharge inverted**, fresh and fine with large part original gum. Extremely rare and one of the world’s great 20th Century rarities. Signed E. Diena and accompanied by his Certificate (1980). S.G. 18a, £100,000 £30,000-40,000

*Note: Only four examples are believed to exist, one of which, in a pair with normal, is in the collection of Her Majesty The Queen*

x1029 ★ 1907 (Nov.) “½D” on 5/- salmon and green, variety **surcharge double**, large part original gum, well centred and a fine example of this rare error. B.P.A. Certificate (1951). S.G. 18b, £12,000 £3,000-4,000

*Note: Only twenty examples are believed to exist, of which, one is used and four are in pair with normal, one of which is in the Royal Philatelic Collection*



1030

x1030 ★ 1908 (Feb.) 2½d. on 4d. brown and blue, large part original gum, fresh and fine. There are numerous guarantee signatures and handstamps on the reverse. R.P.S. Certificate (1975). S.G. 35, £1,800 £400-600

CEYLON



1031



1032



1033

- x1031 ★

1912-25 MCA 50r. dull purple, part original gum; part hinge remnant though a fresh example of this stamp. R.P.S. (1976) and B.P.A. (1999) Certificates. S.G. 320, £650

£180-240
- x1032 ★

1912-25 MCA 100r. grey-black, large part original gum, fresh and fine. B.P.A. Certificate (2000). S.G. 321, £3,250

£800-1,200
- x1033 ★

1912-25 MCA 500r. dull green, an unused example with fresh colour and bright appearance, large part original gum; gum lightly toned, fine and very rare. R.P.S. Certificate (1976). S.G. 322, £8,500

£1,500-2,000



1034

- x1034 ★

1912-25 MCA 1000r. purple on red, a lovely mint example with large part original gum which is a touch toned, although barely noticeable and not affecting the fine and fresh appearance of this great rarity. B.P.A. Certificate (1980). S.G. 323, £35,000

£5,000-7,000



1035



1036



1037

- x1035 ★      1921-32 Script 100r. brownish grey, large part original gum; slightly toned, and light gum bend at left. Scarce. S.G. 359, £3,250      £400-600
- x1036 ★      1921-32 Script 100r. grey-black, unused with large part original gum, a fraction gum toned otherwise fine. Signed A. D(iena). S.G. 359h, £3,250      £400-600
- x1037 ★      1921-32 Script 100r. dull purple and blue, unused with large part original gum; a trifle gum toned otherwise fine. B.P.A. Certificate (1999). S.G. 360, £2,750      £300-400

**CYPRUS**



1038



1039

- x1038 ★      1928 Script £5 black on yellow with large part original gum, fine. S.G. 117a, £3750      £800-900
- x1039 ⊕      1928 Script £5 black on yellow with margin at top, unmounted mint; some light, even gum ageing. A handsome example of this stamp. S.G. 117a, £3750      £500-600

FALKLAND ISLANDS

1933 Centenary Issue



1040

x1040 ★田

½d. to £1 set of twelve in blocks of four, mounted between the vertical pairs on slightly off white gum. A remarkable set, dramatic and exceptionally rare in blocks of four. Friedl Certificate (1980) for top four values. S.G. 127-38, £17,000

£10,000-15,000



1041

x1041 ★ 5/- black and yellow and 5/- black and yellow-orange, large part original gum; the black and yellow with light vertical gum bend, both lightly gum toned. P.F. Certificate (1996) for the black and yellow-orange. S.G. 136, 136a, £4,200

£600-800



1042

x1042 ★ 5/- black and yellow-orange, a horizontal pair from the left of the sheet, large part original toned gum, small pencil notation and hinge mark in the margin; a very rare multiple. B.P.A. Certificate (1970). S.G. 136a, £6,500+

£1,000-1,500

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OF AUSTRALIAN COLONIES ERRORS**

**PART II**

**1 October 2020 | 10 AM | London**

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**TASMANIA | VICTORIA | WESTERN AUSTRALIA**

Falkland Islands,, 1933 Centenary Issue - *contd.*



1043

x1043 ★田

£1 black and carmine block of four from the lower left corner of the sheet; lightly toned original gum, mounted on one stamp and the margins only; a very handsome and rare multiple. S.G.138, £10,000

£2,000-4,000



1044

x1044 ★

1938 Script 5/- indigo and pale yellow-brown, very lightly mounted mint. A rare shade. B.P.A. Certificate (1985). S.G. 161b, £1,100

£300-400

The Famous “H.M.S. Glasgow” Error



1045

x1045 ⊛

1964 Anniversary of Battle of the Falkland Islands, 6d. black and light blue, **error H.M.S. Glasgow**, unmounted mint. A fine example of this outstanding Queen Elizabeth error. S.G. 216a, £40,000

£8,000-12,000



1046

x1046 ⊛

1964 Anniversary of the Battle of the Falkland Islands, 6d. black and light blue, **error H.M.S. Glasgow**, unmounted mint; a couple of very lightly toned perfs. at top not affecting the appearance of this rarity. S.G. 216a, £40,000

£5,000-8,000

FALKLAND ISLANDS DEPENDENCIES

South Georgia



1047



1048

- x1047 ⊕ 1944-45 ½d. black and green, variety **watermark sideways**, unmounted off-white gum; fine and rare. S.G. B1a, £4,750 £1,000-1,500
- x1048 ★ 1944-45 ½d. black and green, variety **watermark sideways**, slightly toned gum; lightly mounted, a rare stamp. B.P.A. Certificate (1997). S.G. B1a, £4,750 £600-800

FRANCE



————— 1049 —————

- x1049 ⊕★ 1928 “Ile de France” 10f. on Berthelot 90c. rose-carmine and 10f. on Pasteur 1f. 50 blue, very lightly hinged, pencilled or handstamped signatures on the reverse; fine and rare. S.G. 464-465, £18,500, Spink Maury €16,200 £1,500-2,000

1929-33 Tourist Issue



1050

- x1050 ⊕ 10f. “Port de la Rochelle” bright ultramarine, special printing, mint, fine and rare. Signed Brun. S.G. 474ba, £18,000. Spink Maury 261A €22,500 £6,000-8,000



1051

- x1051 ★ 10f. “Port de la Rochelle brown, special printing, original gum, two handstamps on reverse, fine and rare. Spink Maury 261B, €6,000 £1,000-1,200



1052



1053

- x1052 ★ 10f. “Port de la Rochelle” special printing in black-brown with margin at top, original gum, fine and rare. Spink Maury 261C, €6,000 £1,000-1,200

- x1053 ★ 10f. “Port de la Rochelle” special printing **imperforate** in black-brown from the lower right corner, original gum, fine. Spink Maury €5,000 £800-1,000



1054

- x1054 ★ 10f. “Port de la Rochelle” special printing **imperforate** in brown with margin at top, pencilled and handstamped signatures on the reverse, fine. Spink Maury €5,000 £800-1,000

France, 1929-33 Tourist Issue - *contd.*



1055

x1055 田

20f. bright red-brown “Pont du Gard” perforation 11, block of four, unmounted mint, superb and rare. S.G. 475a, £5,600+, Spink Maury 262A, €9,800+

£2,000-2,500



1056

x1056 田

1935 Breton River Scene 2f. slate (instead of blue-green), a horizontal pair from the upper left corner of the sheet, unmounted mint, slightly toned gum otherwise fine. An exceptional rarity. Pencilled and handstamp signatures on the reverse. J-F Brun Certificate (2002). S.G. 525, £18,000+, Spink Maury 301a, €22,000+

£2,000-2,500



1057

x1057 ☉

1936 Paris Exhibition 50c. **carmine** (instead of orange) with margin at left, unmounted mint. Superb and rare. R.P.S. Certificate (2000). S.G. 558a, £15,000. Spink Maury 325a, €14,000

£1,500-2,000

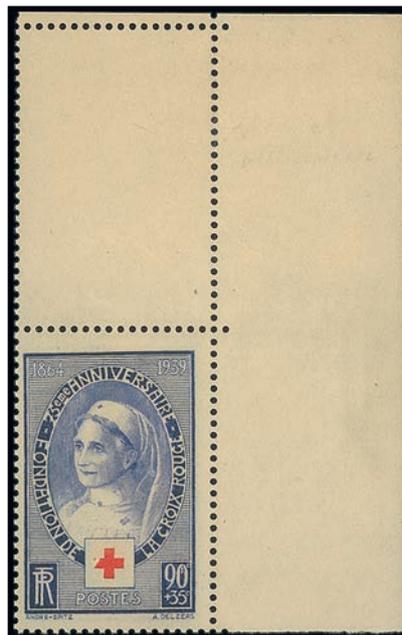


1058

x1058 ☉

1937 Mermoz 30c. **yellow-green** (instead of dark grey-green), unmounted mint; small gum stain but still a fine example of this rare stamp. S.G. 570a, £13,000, Spink Maury 337a, €12,500

£1,000-1,200



1059

x1059 ☉

1939 unissued Red Cross 90c. + 35c. with frame printed in ultramarine, unmounted mint, a top right corner example (hinged in the margin), lightly gum toned, a few split perfs. and a tiny fault in the margin (not affecting the adhesive). Only one sheet of 25 printed. S.G. 634a, £16,000, Spink Maury 422A, €22,500

£2,000-2,500

FRENCH SOUTHERN AND ANTARCTIC TERRITORIES



1060

x1060 ④④

1969 unissued Air Concorde **error of value 87f. blue and deep blue**, unmounted mint, fine. A rare and popular modern error. Calves Certificate (1983). Yvert 19a

£1,500-2,000

GERMANY



1061

x1061 ★

1933 (29 Nov.) Welfare Fund miniature sheet, fine and mounted in the margins only, the strip of four unmounted mint. Oechsner Certificate (1998). S.G. MS525a, £2,250; Mi. 508-511, €1,500

£200-250

**Official**



1062

x1062 ⊛ 1927-33 20pf. brownish-grey, variety **watermark horizontal**, unmounted mint; scarce. Briefmarkenprüfstelle Certificate (2005). S.G. O438a, £1,700; Mi. 119Y, €1,100 £250-300

**Allied Occupations**



1063

x1063 ⊛田 1949 Engineer's Congress 30pf. blue, **second printing**, corner block of four from the upper left of the sheet, unmounted mint; rare. Hans-Dieter Schlegel Certificate (2002). S.G. FB46a, £3,200; Mi. 46II, €2600 £400-450



1064

x1064 ⊛ 1949 Engineer's Congress 30pf. blue, **second printing**, unmounted mint; rare. Hans-Dieter Schlegel Certificate (2002). S.G. FB46a, £800; 46II, €650 £120-150

Germany - *contd.*

## Post Offices and Colonies

### Caroline Islands



1065

- x1065 ⊕ 1899 48°, 3pf. to 50pf. set of six, full original gum; a few tone spots to the reverse of 10pf., 25pf. and 50pf., fine and rare. S.G. 1-6, £5,180; Mi. 11-61, €10,000 £1,000-2,000



1066

- x1066 ○ 1899 48°, 3pf. grey-brown, 5pf. green, 10pf. carmine and 20pf. ultramarine, all used with crisp part datestamps, the 5pf. used on piece and tied by 'PONAPE/KAROLINEN' c.d.s.; fine and rare. S.G. 1-4, £2,280; Mi. 11-41, €1,920 £200-250

### Mariana Islands



Ex 1067

1068

- x1067 ⊕ 1899 48°, 20pf. ultramarine, 25pf. orange and 50pf. chocolate, unused with full original gum, fine and a rare trio. Briefmarkenprüfstelle Certificate (2001) for the 25pf. S.G. 4-6, £7,775; Mi. 41-61, €15,750 £1,500-2,000

- x1068 ★ 1900 56°, 25pf. orange, variety **overprint inverted**, unused without gum, fine. Rare. Friedrich Steuer Certificate (1992). S.G. 11 var; Mi. 5b II k, €2,800 £400-500

**GIBRALTAR**



1069



1070

x1069 ★ 1889-96 10c. carmine, error value omitted, large part original gum, centred a little to the left as usual, there is a light horizontal gum crease; pencil signature on the reverse. Fresh and attractive. Brandon Certificate (2004). S.G. 23b, £7,000 £1,000-1,200

x1070 ★ 1889-96 10c. carmine, error value omitted, large part original gum (slightly sweated), centred a little to the left. A fresh looking and attractive stamp. Ceremuga Certificate (2005). S.G. 23a, £7,000 £500-700



1071



1072

x1071 ★ 1925-32 £5 black and violet, lightly mounted mint. S.G. 108, £1,600 £400-500

x1072 ★ 1925-32 £5 black and violet, large part original gum which is a little off-white, otherwise fine. S.G. 108, £1,600 £300-400

**GOLD COAST**



1073

x1073 ★ 1889-94 20/- green and red, large part original gum, fine B.P.A. Certificate (1976). S.G. 24, £3,500 £800-1,000

**GRENADA**



1074

x1074 ★ 1938-50 perf. 12½x13½ 2½d. bright blue, lightly mounted mint, fine. One of the major King George VI rarities. R.P.S. Certificate (1997). S.G. 157a, £11,000 £3,000-4,000



1075

x1075 ★ 1938-50 perf. 12½x13½, 2½d. bright blue, unmounted mint; some light, even gum ageing. B.P.A. Certificate (1978). S.G. 157a, £11,000 £1,500-2,500



1076

x1076 ⊕田 1938-50 perf. 12 10/- slate-blue and bright carmine (narrow), a left margin block of four, fine unmounted mint; a few trivial gum wrinkles. S.G. 163c, £3000 £500-800

HUNGARY

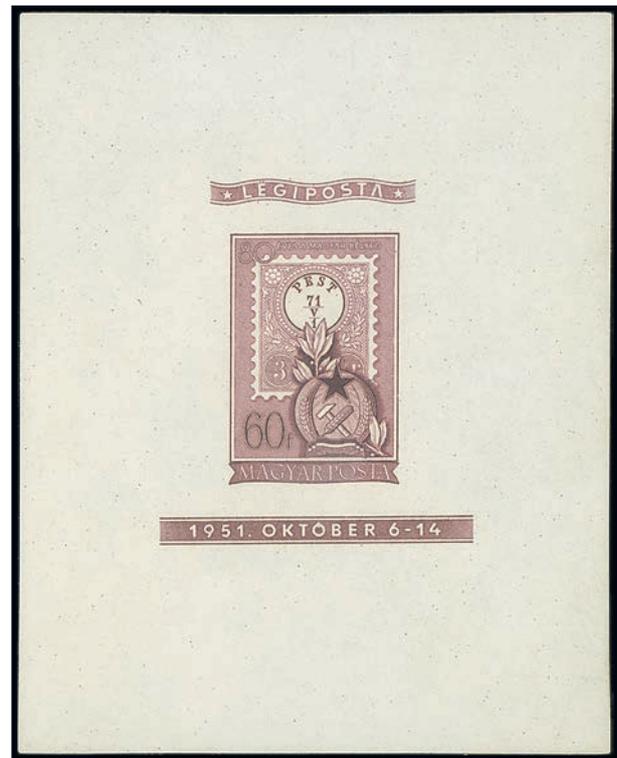
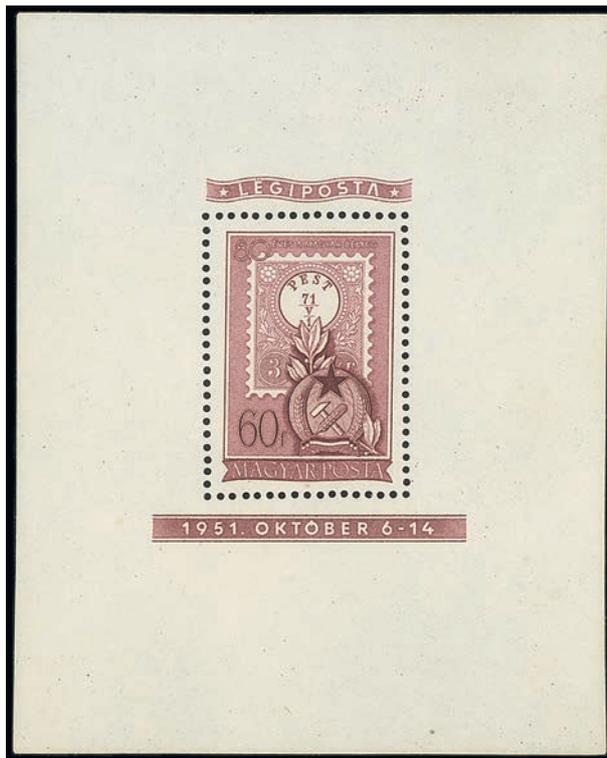


Ex 1077

x1077 田

1932 Madonna and Child 1p. to 10p. set of four in unmounted blocks of four, fine and scarce multiples. Mi. 484-487, €1,680+; S.G. 535-538, £2,000+

£250-300



1078

x1078 田

1951 Anniversary of the First Postage Stamp, 60f. reddish purple miniature sheets both perforated and imperforate as issued to members of the Exhibition Committee, unmounted mint; fine and scarce. Footnote after Michel 1203; Footnote after S.G. MS1199a

£300-400

ICELAND



Ex 1079

x1079 ★ 1921-30 surcharge set, large part original lightly toned gum; rare. S.G. 137-150a, £1,700; Facit 98-107, 121-123, 158-159, SEK 14,275 £200-250



1080

x1080 ④ 1933 air 'Hopflug' 1k. to 10k. set of three, part original gum, fine and fresh. E. Diena Certificate (1983). S.G. 205-207, £2,000; Facit 165-167, SEK 17,000 £300-400

Official Stamps



Ex 1081

x1081 △ 1930 Parliamentary Millenary 3a. to 10k. set of sixteen, each used on small piece and tied by "REYKJAVIK" c.d.s., fine and scarce. S.G. O174-O189, £1,900; Facit Tj59-74, SEK 19,000 £300-350

**IRAN**



1082

x1082 ★

1956 50d olive-brown and sepia with margin at left, variety **centre inverted**, part original and lightly toned gum, pencilled number on reverse. A striking rarity of which only 100 were printed. S.G. 1100var.

£500-600

**IRELAND**



1083

x1083 ★

1922-34 coil, 2d. grey-green vertical pair **perf. 15 x imperf.** The top stamp with a light crease and possible faint remains of mounting, the lower stamp remaining unmounted, light overall gum toning. Both stamps bear collector's handstamp "s.p.", the lower stamp with pencilled initial. A striking multiple of this coveted Irish rarity. B.P.A. (1964) and MacDonell Whyte (1985) Certificates. S.G. 75b, £26,000

£3,000-4,000

*Note: This particular pair is listed and illustrated by Joseph E. Foley in 'The Rare Coil' as example 6/7, one of two known vertical mint pairs.*

## ITALY



1084

1085

- x1084 ★ 1863-67 mint range including 1863-65 set with 5c. (2, one identified as Turin printing, the other particularly well-centred), 10c. (2, with shades, one identified as Turin), 15c. light blue (London printing), and 40c., also 1867 20c. light blue and 20c. azure. Most with large part original gum, some values with lightly browned gum. Sorani Certificate (2000) for 5c. mentioning good centring, Raybaudi Certificate (1993) for 10c. ochre yellow and (1999) for 15c., and Chiavarello Certificate (1998) for 20c. azure. A fine and valuable group. Sassone 14-22, 26, c. €18,000++

£800-1,000

- x1085 ⊕ 1865 20c. on 15c. dull blue Type II, unmounted mint and with good centring, only a few minor gum wrinkles mentioned for the sake of accuracy. A superb example of this rare stamp. Enzo Diena Certificate (1997), (copy). S.G. 17, £8,500; Sass. 24, €13,000++

£1,000-1,500



1086

- x1086 ★田 1865 20c. on 15c. dull blue Type I block of four, large part original gum, a fine multiple. S.G. 17 (Type I), £3,600; Sass. 25 (Type III), €3,250

£400-500



1087

- x1087 ★ 1877 10c. azure and 20c. ochre orange (2), large part original gum, some gum ageing to both 20c. stamps. A. Diena Certificate (1974) for 10c., Sorani Certificate (2003) for single 20c. S.G. 21, 22, £18,500; Sass. 27, 28, €11,000

£600-800



1088

x1088 ⊕ 1927-29 1l. 75c. brown, **perf. 14**, unmounted mint, centred to upper right, evenly browned gum on evenly browned gum. A supremely rare stamp. Raybaudi Certificate (1998). S.G. 212a, £41,000; Sass. 242, €84,000 £2,000-3,000



1089

x1089 ⊕ 1927-29 1l. 75c. brown, **perf. 14**, unmounted mint, centred to top, gum toned, otherwise a respectable example of this extremely rare stamp. A. Diena (1971) and Sorani (2001) Certificates. S.G. 212a, £41,000; Sass. 242, €84,000 £1,000-2,000



1090

x1090 ⊕⊕ 1933 Balbo Transatlantic Flight, 5l. 25c. + 44l. 75c. overprinted “APPARECCHIO/I - RECA” and “VOLO DI RITORNO/NEW YORK ROMA”, unmounted mint with only a few trivial toned perfs. and creamy gum. Enzo Diena Certificate (1984). S.G. 379var, £35,000; Sass. 53, €67,500 £4,000-5,000



1091

x1091 ⊕⊕ 1933 Balbo Transatlantic Flight, Official 5l., 25c. + 44l., 75c. overprinted “SERVIZIO DI STATO”, marginal from the lower right of the sheet, unmounted mint with a few trivial toned perfs., otherwise a fine example of this scarce stamp. Enzo Diena Certificate (1983). S.G. O379, £3,250; Sass. 1, €6,300 £500-600

Italy - contd.



1092

x1092 ☉ 1991 Centenary of Basketball 500l. with **error of colour dark ultramarine**, marginal from the top of the sheet showing part inscription, unmounted mint with pencil signatures. One of only fifty possible from the only sheet printed, this being position six. E. Diena (1996) and Carraro (1998) Certificates. S.G. 2129var; Sass. 1967A, €18,500 £800-1,000

## Italian Colonies



1093

x1093 ☉ 1934 Rome-Mogadishu set of four 25l. + 2l. in unissued carmine-brown, unmounted mint, the Somalia stamp with gum slightly disturbed and evenly browned gum throughout. An attractive and scarce set. S.G. O136, O238, O209, O226, £16,000; Sass. 1, €26,000 £1,000-1,500

## Cyrenaica



1094

x1094 ☉ 1929 National Defence 30c. + 10c. to 5L + 2l set of four with trial overprints, unmounted mint, some gum toning and wrinkles. E. Diena Certificate (1990). Sassone P9-12, €6,000 £600-800

Eritrea



1095

x1095 ★ 1927-35 Express Letter 1L.25c. on 60c. sepia and carmine with **black surcharge**, part original toned gum, a few short perfs., otherwise a presentable example of this extremely scarce stamp. Raybaudi Certificate (2000). S.G. E116a, £12,000 Sass. 8, €13,000 £500-700



1096

x1096 © 1929 National Defence 30c. + 10c. to 5L on 2L set of four with trial overprints, unmounted mint, a little gum toned otherwise fine. Rare. E. Diena Certificate (1990). Sass. P4-7, €6,000 £600-800

Italian East Africa



1097

x1097 ☉ 1941 10c. to 1L.25 set of four, unmounted mint with evenly browned gum. Only one hundred sets ever printed, the design never issued. An extremely scarce set. Sass. 41-44, €22,500 £800-1,000

Italy - *contd.*

## Italian Post Offices in China - Peking



1098

- x1098 ★ 1917 8c. on 20c. on 15c. slate, original slightly toned gum, well-centred and fine. A rare stamp. Bolaffi Certificate (1975). S.G. 5, £4,500; Sass. €15,000 £1,000-1,200



1099

- x1099 ★ 1917 50c. violet surcharged “PECHINO/20 CENTS”, large part original gum which is evenly toned. A splendid rarity that is infrequently offered. Raybaudi Certificate (1997). S.G. 7, £46,000; Sass. 6, €120,000 £5,000-10,000



1100

- x1100 ★ 1917 50c. violet surcharged **error** “PECHINO/40 CENTS”, fine unused with large part original gum. A remarkable rarity. Raybaudi Certificate (2001). S.G. 7b, £18,000; Sass. 6a, €50,000 £3,000-6,000



1101

- x1101 ★ 1918-19 5L. blue and rose surcharged “2 dollari/Pechino”, unused with large part original gum (lightly toned), fine appearance and a rare stamp seldom offered. Diena Certificate (1978). S.G. 29, £14,000; Sass. 29, €35,000 £2,000-4,000



1102

x1102 ★

1918-19 5L. blue and rose surcharged “2 DOLLARI/PECHINO”, fine unused with large part original gum. A fabulously rare stamp, **only 15 examples known** (used and unused). Signed by Diena, Raybaudi and Fiecchi. Fiecchi (1961), Raybaudi (1980) and Diena (1982) Certificates. S.G. 30, £90,000 Sass. 30, €240,000

£10,000-20,000



1103

x1103 ★

1918-19 5L. blue and rose surcharged “2 DOLLARI/PECHINO”, unused with large part original gum, a little gum toned but of fresh appearance, well-centred and a fine example of this extremely rare stamp with **just 15 examples recorded**. Signed E. Diena, A. Diena and others, E. Diena Certificate (1977). S.G. 30, £90,000. Sass. €240,000

£10,000-20,000

Italy - *contd.*

## Italian Post Offices in China - Tientsin



1104

- x1104 ⊛ 1919-21 "2/Dollari/Tientsin" on 5L. blue and rose, unmounted mint, off-centre as are all the known examples, fine. Raybaudi Certificate (2003). S.G. 54, £11,000. Sass. 23, €45,000 £2,000-5,000

## Somalia



1105

- x1105 ⊛ 1928-41 Parcel Post 50c. yellow, unmounted mint with fine and fresh appearance, a perfect example of this valuable stamp. E. Diena (1992), Toselli (1992) and Raybaudi (1996) Certificates. S.G. P115, £20,000; Sass. 58, €24,000 £2,500-3,000



1106

- x1106 ⊛ 1930 National Defence 30c. + 10c. to 5L. + 2L. set of four with trial overprints, unmounted mint, a little gum toned, fine and scarce. E. Diena Certificate (1986). Sass. P4-P7, €6,000 £600-800



Ex 1107

- x1107 ⊛ 1932-38 perf. 14 5c. to 25L. set of eighteen, unmounted mint, with light gum toning. 25L. from the right of the sheet, signed 'A. Diena' in the margin. A. Diena (1954) and Colla (1998) Certificates for 20L. when part of a block of four, and Raybaudi (1996) Certificate for 10L. and 25L. A scarce set. S.G. 161a-178a, £23,000+: Sass. 213-230 €41,250 £2,000-3,000

**JAMAICA**



1108

- x1108 ★ 1941 5/- slate-blue and yellow orange, **line perf. 14**, fine unused with large part original gum. A good example of this popular stamp. S.G. 132a, £7,000 £1,200-1,500

**KENYA, UGANDA AND TANGANYIKA**



1109



1110

- x1109 ★ 1903-04 CC 50r. grey and red-brown, large part original gum, centred a fraction to upper right and there are a few light perf. tones on the reverse. Fresh appearance. Signed by Enzo and Alberto Diena. Diena Certificate (1988). S.G. 16, £2,500 £600-800
- x1110 ★ 1912-21 MCA 20r. black and purple on red, centred to lower left, lightly mounted mint, fresh and fine. S.G. 59, £475 £150-200



1111



1112

- x1111 ★ 1912-21 MCA 20r. purple and blue on blue, centred to left, large part original gum, fine. S.G. 60, £550 £150-180
- x1112 ★ 1912-21 MCA 50r. dull rose-red and dull greyish green, centred to left, large part original gum; some light gum ageing. Initialled by A. Diena. S.G. 61, £900 £200-250

Kenya, Uganda and Tanganyika - *contd.*



1113

x1113 ★ 1912-21 MCA 100r. purple and black on red margin top, well-centred, mounted in the selvedge only. A superb example of this stamp. Signed by Peter Holcombe on reverse. S.G. 62, £9,500

£3,000-4,000



1114

x1114 ⊕ 1912-21 MCA 500r. green and red on green, unmounted mint. A superb example of this rare stamp. G. Oliva and A. Diena (1963) Certificates and signed by both on the reverse. S.G. 63, £40,000

£12,000-16,000



1115

- x1115 ★ 1921 Script 50r. carmine and green, a lower right corner example with plate number “1”, large part original gum. A fine and desirable example of this stamp. S.G. 75, £3,250 £1,000-1,500

**1922-27 High Values**



1116



1117



1118



1119

- x1116 ★ £2 green and purple, large part original gum, lightly mounted but some very light gum ageing. Good appearance. S.G. 96, £1,200 £250-300
- x1117 ★ £3 purple and yellow, lightly mounted mint, fine and fresh. S.G. 97, £1,800 £500-600
- x1118 ★ £4 black and magenta, large part original gum, a couple of minor gum wrinkles, otherwise fine. S.G. 98, £3,000 £700-900
- x1119 ★ £5 black and blue, large part original gum, centred slightly to lower right, fine. S.G. 99, £3,250 £800-1,000



1120

- x1120 ★ £10 black and green, large part original gum, well-centred, some light gum ageing, otherwise fine and of good appearance. Signed by E and A Diena. A.Diena Certificate (1974). S.G. 100, £14,000 £2,500-3,000

Kenya, Uganda and Tanganyika, 1922-27 High Values - *contd.*



1121

x1121 ★ £10 black and green, large part original gum, well-centred, some light gum ageing, otherwise fine and of good appearance. Brandon Certificate (1997). S.G. 100, £14,000 £2,500-3,000



1122

x1122 ★ £20 red and green, marginal from the top of the sheet, unmounted with lightly toned gum; margin once folded behind and mounted thereon, otherwise a fine and well-centred example. Holcombe Certificate (1985). S.G. 101, £29,000 £6,000-7,000



1123

x1123 ⊕ £25 black and red, marginal from the left of the sheet, unmounted mint, brilliant colour and good centring with only a few toned or short perfs. Various experts' signatures and handstamps to reverse. Holcombe Certificate (1993). S.G. 102, £38,000 £5,000-8,000



1124

x1124 ☉

£50 black and brown, a top right corner example plate number “1” and sheet number “05”, mounted in the margin only and with lightly toned gum. A prestigious and highly attractive stamp nevertheless. B.P.A. Certificate (2003). S.G. 103, £50,000

£12,000-15,000



1125

x1125 ★

£50 black and brown, large part original gum (slightly toned); perf. tone at left. A.Diena Certificate (1975). S.G. 103, £50,000

£5,000-8,000

Kenya, Uganda and Tanganyika, 1922-27 High Values - *contd.*



1126

x1126 ★

£75 purple and grey from the top left of the sheet with plate number "1", very lightly mounted with lightly toned gum, light natural gum bend and top margin detached and beginning to split at side. Extremely rare and the most elusive of all the values in this series. Signed A Dena and with his (1966) and Brandon (1986) Certificates. S.G. 104, £150,000

£30,000-40,000

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David Melat, 1985  
'Kilimanjaro', Spink, 2002

LEeward ISLANDS



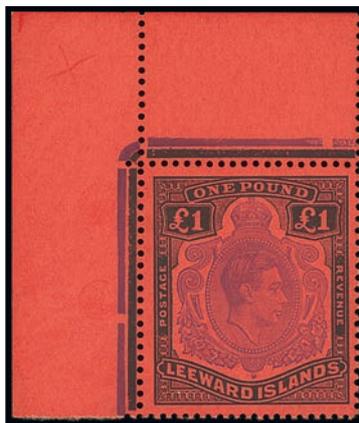
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x1127 ⊕ 1938-51 £1 violet and black on scarlet, variety **watermark sideways**, fine unmounted mint. R.P.S. Certificate (1986). S.G. 114cw, £6,500 £1,600-2,000



1128

x1128 ⊕ 1938-51 £1 violet and black on scarlet, left marginal with variety **watermark inverted**, fresh with bold colours, unmounted mint. A premium example of this scarce stamp. B.P.A. Certificate (1991). S.G. 114cw, £6,500 £1,600-2,000



1129

x1129 ⊕ 1938-51 £1 violet and black on scarlet, a top left corner example variety **watermark inverted**, unmounted mint. B.P.A. Certificate (1968). S.G. 114cw, £6,500 £1,600-2,000

LIECHTENSTEIN



1130



1131

- x1130 ★ 1930-31 Prince Francis I and Princess Elsa, perf.  $11\frac{1}{2} \times 10\frac{1}{2}$  1f.20 sepia, centred to upper left, hinge remnant at top, fine mint. Very rare. S.G. 107C, £13,000; Mi. 105C, €15,000 £1,500-2,000
- x1131 ★ 1930-31 Prince Francis I and Princess Elsa, perf.  $11\frac{1}{2} \times 10\frac{1}{2}$  2f. red-brown and deep greenish blue, well-centred, hinge remnant, fine mint. Rare. S.G. 109C, £5,500; Mi. 107C, €7,500 £1,000-1,200



1132

- x1132 ⊗ 1934 Vaduz miniature sheet; unmounted mint and fine. S.G. MS144, £2,750; Mi. Block 1, €1,800 £250-300



Ex 1133

x1133 ⊕

1948 (Apr.) Air, Pioneers of Flight, 10r. to 10f. set of ten, all **imperforate** from the top right corner, fine unmounted mint. Rare. Rupp Certificate (1983). Mi. 257-266U, €15,000

£2,000-2,500



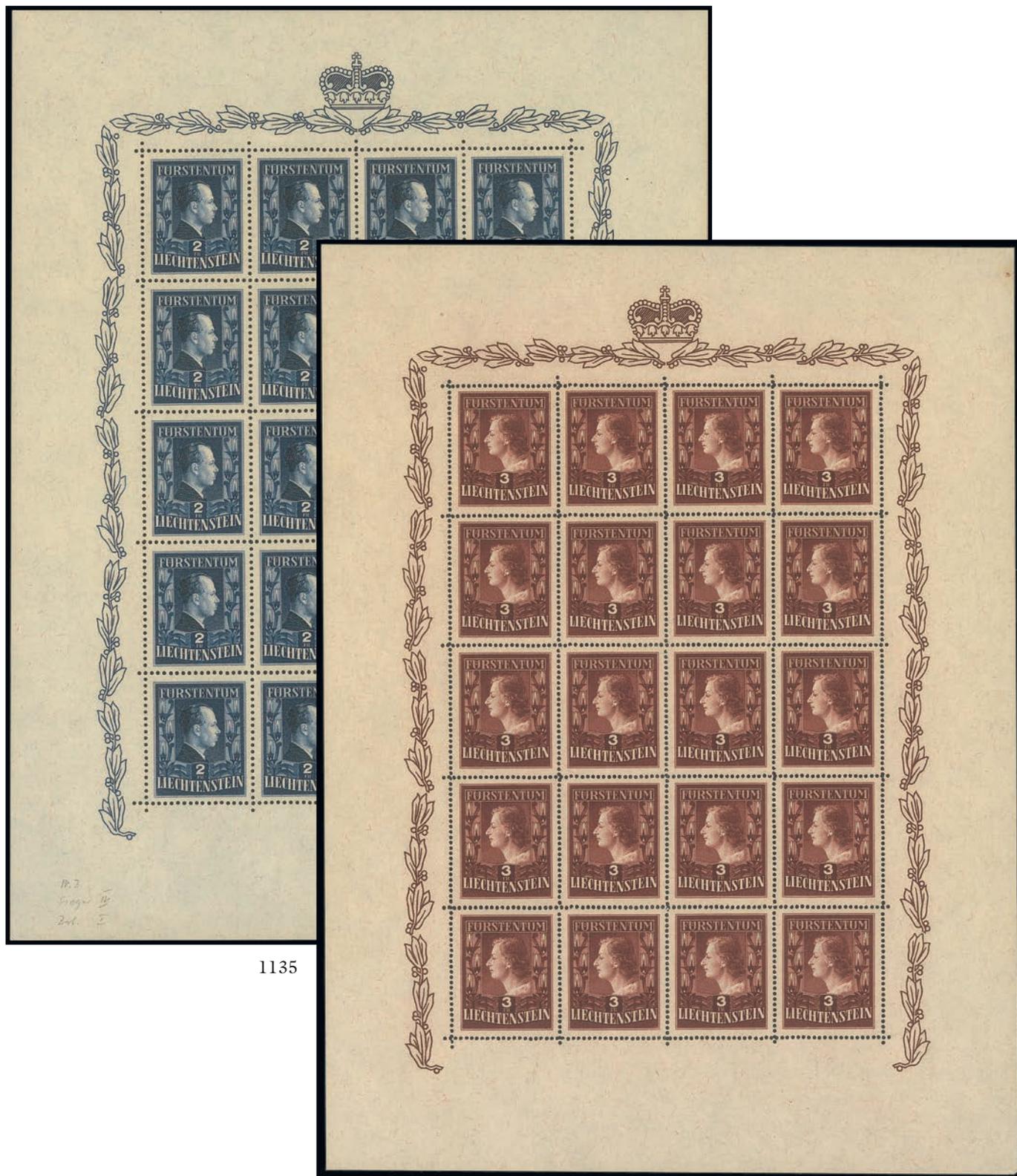
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x1134 ⊕⊕

1948 (Apr.) Air, Pioneers of Flight, 20r. red-brown **imperforate** sheetlet of nine, fine unmounted mint. Rare. Mi. 259 U, €13,500+

£1,500-2,000

Liechtenstein - contd.

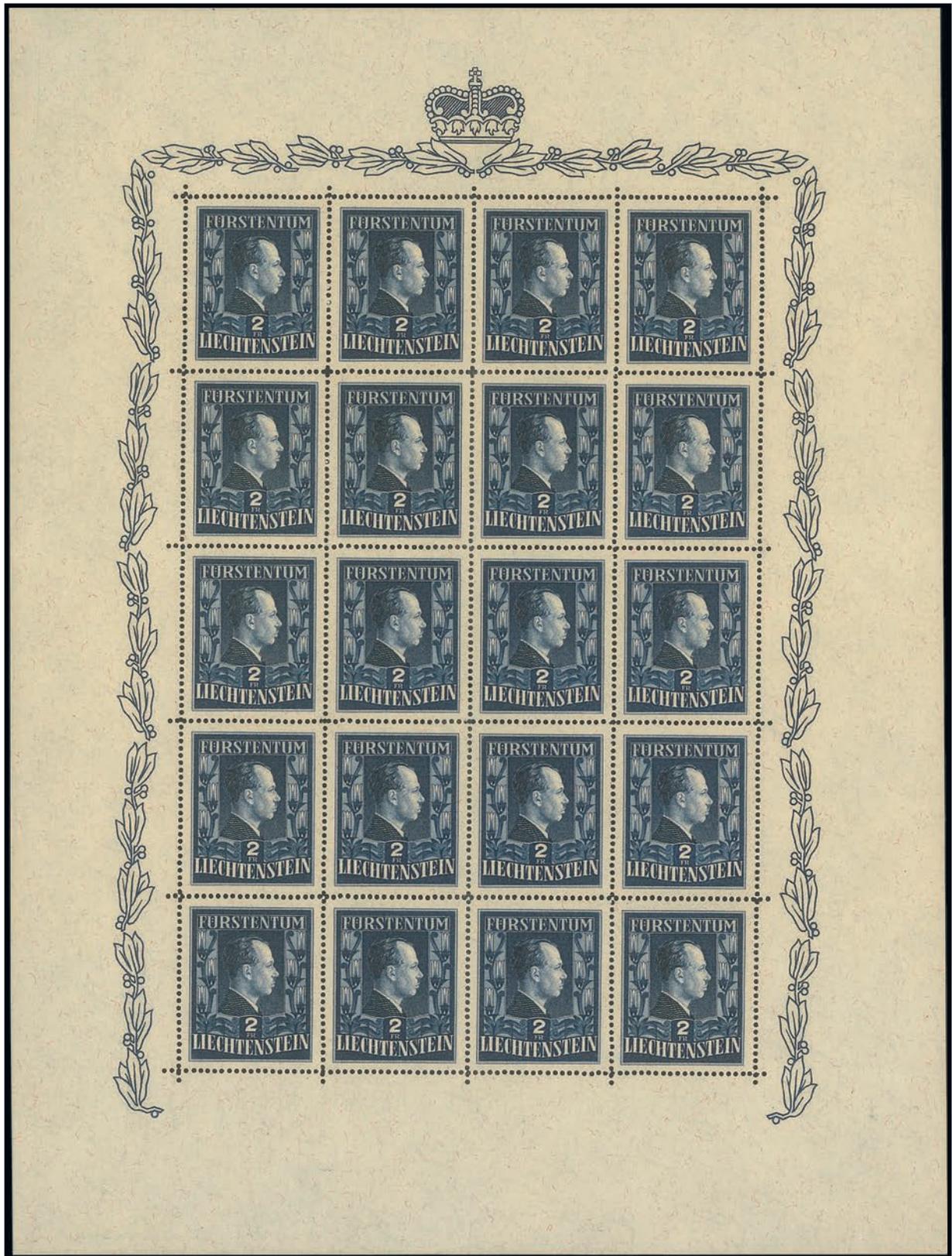


1135

x1135 ④

1951-52 perf. 12½x12 2f. deep blue and perf. 14½ 3f. lake-brown, both a complete sheet of twenty, unmounted mint and fine. S.G. 302A and 303B, £5,600; Mi. 304A, 305B, €2,400

£350-500



1136

x1136 Ⓢ

1951-52 perf. 14½ 2f. deep blue, complete sheet of twenty, unmounted mint, fine and rare. S.G. 302B, £36,000; Mi. 304B, €18,000

£2,000-2,500

Liechtenstein - *contd.*



1137

x1137 ④

1951-52 perf. 12½x12 3f. lake-brown, complete sheet of twenty, unmounted mint, fine and rare. S.G. 303A, £7,000; Mi. 305A, €3,600

£400-500

**MALAYA**

**Straits Settlements**



1138

x1138 ★ 1894 3c. on 32c. carmine-rose, variety **surchage omitted**, lightly mounted mint, fine and fresh. S.G. 94a, £4,500 £1,000-1,200



1139

x1139 ★ 1904-10 MCA \$100 purple and green on yellow, a lightly mounted mint example of this sought-after rarity, fine. Signed Bloch. Friedl Certificate (1975). S.G. 122, £22,000 £5,000-6,000



1140

x1140 ★ 1904-10 MCA \$25 grey-green and black, mint example from the top of the sheet with plate number "1", large part original gum; a touch gum toned and with a couple of short perfs. at upper left, nevertheless a highly attractive example of fine appearance. S.G. 139, £3,500 £700-900

Malaya, Straits Settlements - *contd.*



1141



1142

- x1141 ☉ 1904-10 MCA \$100 purple and green on yellow, unmounted mint from the top of the sheet, a very fine choice example of this rarity. Signed A. Diena. B.P.A. Certificate (1984). S.G. 140, £22,000 £6,000-8,000
- x1142 ★ 1904-10 MCA \$100 purple and green on yellow, a top right corner example with trimmed margins, large part original gum, very fine and fresh example of this rarity. Signed A. Diena, E. Diena and Peter Holcombe and accompanied by a Certificate from each (1974, 1988 and 1989 respectively). S.G. 140, £22,000 £5,000-6,000



1143

- x1143 ★ 1906-12 MCA \$25 purple and blue on blue, a well-centred example, very lightly mounted, fine mint. Scarce. S.G. 168, £3,750 £800-1,000

**A Major Showpiece of the Highest Calibre**



1144

x1144 ★

1906-12 MCA \$500 purple and orange, well-centred with rich colours, wonderfully fresh and fine mint; the rarest stamp of the Edwardian period, only ten mint examples have been recorded with a corner plate number pair in the Royal Philatelic Collection. An incredibly rare opportunity to acquire one of the world's most coveted philatelic gems. Signed Giulio Bollafi and Alberto Diena and accompanied by a Certificate from the latter (1958). S.G. 169, £170,000

£60,000-80,000

Malaya, Straits Settlements - *contd.*

1145

- x1145 ★ 1912-23 MCA \$25 purple and blue on blue, a top left corner example with plate number, fresh and fine appearance, large part original gum which is a trifle toned. An attractive positional piece. S.G. 213, £3,250

£600-800



1146

- x1146 ★ 1912-23 MCA \$25 purple and blue on blue, well-centred with large part original gum, fine. S.G. 213, £3,250

£800-1,000



1147

- x1147 ★ 1912-23 MCA \$100 black and carmine on blue, a well-centred mint example with large part original slightly toned gum, one lightly toned perf. at lower left otherwise fine and an attractive example of this rare stamp. Signed A. D(iena). S.G. 214, £12,000

£2,000-3,000

A Major Rarity of the Straits Settlements



1148

- x1148 ★ 1912-23 MCA \$500 purple and orange-brown, a mint example with fresh and vibrant colours, well-centred and with large part original off-white gum; one perf. with just a faint trace of toning at right otherwise very fine and a world class rarity of exhibition quality. Signed Alberto Diena. R.P.S. Certificate (1975). S.G. 215, £100,000 £25,000-35,000



1149

- x1149 ★ 1921-33 Script \$100 black and carmine on blue, large part original gum with a couple of toned perfs., otherwise a good example of this high value. S.G. 240c, £10,000 £1,500-2,000

Malaya, Straits Settlements - *contd.*



1150

x1150 ★

1921-33 Script \$500 purple and orange-brown, a lower left corner example with plate number, large part original gum which is lightly toned, margins at one time folded behind and perfs. reinforced as a result. A resplendent example of this highly sought after high value. A. Diena Certificate (1973). S.G. 240d, £75,000

£15,000-20,000

Federated Malay States



1151

x1151 ★ 1904-22 MCA \$25 green and orange, part original gum; a few tiny patches of gum missing, fine and fresh appearance. S.G. 51, £2,250 £500-600

Johore



1152



1153

x1152 ★ 1922-41 Script \$50 green and ultramarine, large part original, slightly off-white, gum, fine and fresh appearance. S.G. 126, £1,500 £300-400

x1153 ★ 1922-41 Script \$100 green and scarlet, left marginal, large part original gum, fine. S.G. 127, £2,000 £500-600

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Malaya, Johore - *contd.*

1154

x1154 ⊕

1922-41 Script \$500 blue and red, marginal from the top right of the sheet, unmounted mint with light brownish gum. A collectable example of this well established rarity. S.G. 128, £24,000

£5,000-8,000



1155

x1155 ★

1922-41 Script \$500 blue and red, large part original off-white gum, with just the faintest trace of a hinge. A fine example of this rarity. R.P.S. (1968) and B.P.A. (2006) Certificates. S.G. 128, £24,000

£4,000-6,000

Trengganu



1156



1157



1158

- x1156 ★ 1910-19 MCA \$25 rose-carmine and green, a well-centred example with large part original gum; fine. S.G. 18, £1,700 £400-600
- x1157 ★ 1910-19 MCA \$25 rose-carmine and green, centred to upper left, large part original gum which is lightly toned but not affecting the fine appearance. S.G. 19, £1,700 £300-400
- x1158 ★ 1921-41 Script \$5 green and red on yellow, large part original gum, fine. S.G. 44, £550 £150-200



1159



1160

- x1159 ⊕ 1921-41 Script \$25 purple and blue, marginal from the top of the sheet, unmounted slightly disturbed gum, fine and fresh appearance. S.G. 45, £1,400 £300-400
- x1160 ★ 1921-41 Script \$50 green and yellow from the foot of the sheet showing large part plate number "1", large part original gum, fine and fresh. S.G. 46, £3,250 £800-1,000
- x1161 ★ 1921-41 Script \$100 green and scarlet, well-centred mint example with large part original gum; a few tiny foxing marks barely affecting the fine appearance of this rarity. S.G. 47, £9,500 £1,500-2,000



1161

- x1162 ★ 1921-41 Script \$100 green and scarlet, with bright colours, large part original gum, fine. A good example of this scarce stamp. S.G. 47, £9,500 £2,000-2,500

**MALTA**



1163

x1163 ★ 1919 MCA 10/- black, large part original toned gum. Horst Pröschold Certificate (1984). S.G. 96, £3,250 £300-400

**MEXICO**



Ex 1164

x1164 田★ 1934 (Sept.) National University, Air 20c. to 20p. set of eight in unmounted mint blocks of four; some gum toning on low values. A rare set in multiples, seldom offered. S.G. 553-560, £5,600 £1,000-1,500



1165

x1165 田★ 1935 (Apr.) Air, Amelia Earhart 20c. lake, large part original gum, fine. Only 480 examples printed. A key stamp of Mexico and an Air Mail rarity. P.F. Certificate (1972). S.G. 581a, £3,500 £600-900



1166

x1166 ㊦㊧

1939 Air, Sarabia 20c. blue and red unmounted mint block of four from the upper corner of the sheet, fine and rare. S.G. 626a, £1,900+

£300-500

**NATAL**



1167



1168

x1167 ★

1902-03 CC £5 mauve and black, centred to right, unused with large part original gum, fine. Nussbaum Certificate (1978). S.G. 144, £5,500

£1,800-2,200

x1168 ★

1902-03 CC £20 red and green, unused with large part original gum, one corner perforated otherwise fine. A stunning example of this rarity. P.F. (1948), Bolaffi (1958) and A.Diena (1973) Certificates with pencil signatures on the reverse. S.G. 145b, £30,000

£6,000-8,000

NETHERLANDS



Ex 1169

x1169 ⊕ 1913 Independence 2½c. to 10g. set of twelve, fine unmounted mint. Briefmarkenprüfstelle Certificate (2005). S.G. 214-225, £1,800; NVPH 90-101, €3,985 £500-600



1170

x1170 ⊕ 1913 Independence 10g. orange on vermilion, unmounted mint. S.G. 225, £1,200; NVPH 101, €2,250 £200-300



1171



1172

x1171 ⊕ 1926-39 Queen Wilhelmina 9c. orange-red and black with margin at left showing number “1”, variety **value omitted**, a fraction gum toned otherwise fine unmounted mint. Extremely rare, only twenty examples possible, all coming from the first vertical row of the sheet. Briefmarkenprüfstelle Certificate (2003). S.G. 315Aa, £22,000; NVPH 181Af, €17,500 £3,000-4,000

x1172 ⊕ 1926-39 Queen Wilhelmina 9c. orange-red and black with margin at left showing number “3”, variety **value omitted**, a little gum toned otherwise fine unmounted mint. Extremely rare, only twenty examples possible, all coming from the first vertical row. Briefmarkenprüfstelle Certificate (2003). S.G. 315Aa, £22,000; NVPH 181Af, €17,500 £2,000-3,000



1173



1174

- x1173 ⊛ 1943 (Jan.) First European Postal Congress, 10c. on 2½c. yellow with **surcharge omitted**, tiny natural paper inclusion at foot otherwise fine unmounted mint. Very rare. S.G. 570a, £7,500; NVPH 404f, €6,250 £1,200-1,500
- x1174 ⊛ 1949-52 Queen Juliana 1g., 2½g., 5g. and 10g., fine unmounted mint. Raybaudi Certificate (1980). S.G. 698-701, £1,700; NVPH 534-537, €1,300 £150-200

**Netherlands Indies**



1175

- x1175 ⊛田 1938-40 watermark rings 50c. indigo block of four from the foot of the sheet, unmounted mint, folded through the central vertical perfs., fine. S.G. 410, £2,000+ £400-600

NEWFOUNDLAND



1176

x1176 ④★

1919 (Apr.) Air, “Hawker” 3c. brown with the initials “J.A.R.” (J.A. Robinson, the postmaster) on the reverse, large part original gum; there is some very minor gum ageing on the reverse. A fine example of this popular rarity. Sanabria handstamp on reverse. Nussbaum Certificate (1980). S.G. 142, £22,000

£4,000-5,000

*Note: It is believed that only 87 unused examples of this stamp are possible*



1177

x1177 ④★

1927 (May) Air, “De Pinedo” 60c. black, very lightly mounted mint, fresh and fine. Position [6] from the sheet of fifty. A fine and desirable example of this rarity; it is believed that only 33 unused examples have survived. E. Diena (1978) and Nussbaum (1979) Certificates. S.G. 163, £42,000

£8,000-10,000



1178

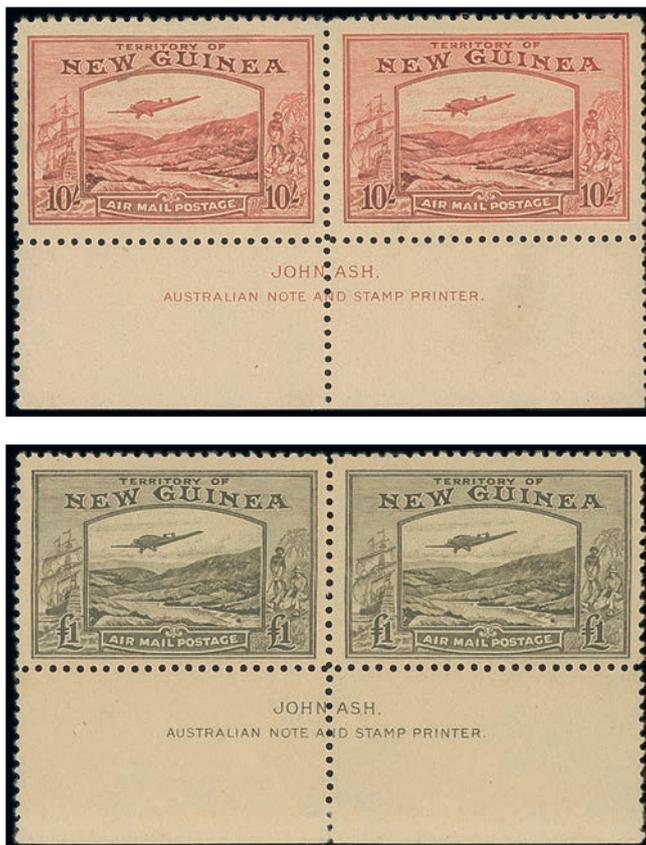
x1178 ④★

1930 (Sept.) Air, "Columbia" 50c. on 36c. sage-green, lightly mounted or unmounted mint. A fine and desirable example of this airmail stamp. Signatures on reverse and Friedl Certificate (1980). S.G. 191, £6500

£1,500-2,000

*Note: The Newfoundland government overprinted 300 copies of the 36c "Caribou" issue for use on this flight. Only 100 were actually used: 65 from St. John's and 35 from Harbour Grace. Five unused blocks of four are known. After flying 2,650 miles, the plane was forced down at Tresco Island, off the coast of England. The "Columbia" was able to finish the flight, landing at Croydon Airport on October 13.*

**NEW GUINEA**



Ex 1179

x1179 ④⊕

1939 Air ½d. to £1 set of fourteen in matching imprint pairs, unmounted mint, lightly toned gum as usual. S.G. 212-225, £2,200

£500-800

**NIGER COAST**



1180

x1180 ★ 1893 (Dec.) 10/- on 5d. with part original lightly toned gum, nevertheless an important stamp. Holcombe Certificate (1986). S.G. 41, £6,500 £1,000-1,200

PROVENANCE:  
Colonel Green  
Matthias

**NORTH BORNEO**

**Japanese Occupation**



Ex 1181

x1181 ⊕ 1942 1c. to \$5 handstamped in violet except for the 4c. and 8c., each fine mounted with toned gum. All initialled "MDR" on reverse. Scarce. B.P.A. Certificate (1998). S.G. J1-J17, £4,655 £800-1,000

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**NORTHERN NIGERIA**



1182

x1182 ★ 1904 (Apr.) MCA £25 green and carmine, excellent colours, fresh unmounted mint; gum lightly toned. Undoubtedly one of the finest known examples and one of the great 20th Century British Empire rarities. B.P.A. Certificate (1985). S.G. 19, £60,000 £12,000-16,000



1183

x1183 ★ 1904 (Apr.) MCA £25 green and carmine, part original gum; aged. A good example of this great rarity. B.P.A. Certificate (1980). S.G. 19, £60,000 £3,000-4,000

**NYASALAND**



1184

x1184 ★ 1895 no watermark £10 black and orange-vermilion, lightly mounted or unmounted mint, centred a little to the right. A fine example of this stamp. Handstamp on the reverse. Briedmarken Certificate (2003). S.G. 30, £8,000 £2,500-3,000



1185

x1185 ★ 1895 no watermark £25 black and blue-green, well-centred, unused with large part original gum. A very fine example of this difficult stamp. S.G. 31, £16,000 £5,000-6,000



1186



1187

x1186 ★ 1896 CC £1 black and blue with large part original gum, centred low, creased corner perf. and a couple of very faint marks on the reverse. S.G. 40, £1,300 £250-300

x1187 ★ 1897-1900 CC £1 black and dull purple, centred to foot, lightly mounted mint, fresh and fine. S.G. 51, £500 £180-240



1188

x1188 ★ 1897-1900 CC £10 black and yellow, fairly well-centred, large part original gum. A fresh and remarkable example. S.G. 52, £9,000 £3,000-4,000



1189

x1189 ★ 1903-04 CC £10 grey and blue, centred slightly to left, large part original gum, fresh appearance. S.G. 67, £8,500 £2,000-2,500



————— 1190 —————

x1190 ★ 1907 MCA 2d. dull and bright purple and 4d. grey-green and black, both with large part original gum. Fresh and fine examples of these incredibly rare stamps. B.P.A. Certificates (1977) for both. S.G. 69-70, £38,000 £10,000-12,000

Nyasaland - *contd.*



1191

- x1191 ★ 1908 MCA £1 purple and black on red, large part original gum, centred to upper left; a good example. S.G. 81, £650 £150-200



1192

- x1192 ★ 1908 MCA £10 purple and ultramarine with margin at right showing the plate number, lightly mounted or unmounted mint; centred a little to the left and with some very light surface scuffs. A fine and desirable positional example of this high value stamps. Signed A.Diena. B.P.A. Certificate (1998). S.G. 82, £12,000 £2,000-3,000



1193



1194



1195

- x1193 ★ 1913-21 MCA £10 purple and dull ultramarine, large part off-white original gum; there are a few perf. tones on reverse in the lower left corner, fresh colour. S.G. 99, £8,000 £1,500-2,000
- x1194 ★ 1913-21 MCA £10 purple and royal blue, well-centred, lightly mounted mint; there is a toned perf. on reverse at lower right, otherwise fresh and fine. A. Diena Certificate (1964). S.G. 99e, £4,000 £1,000-1,200
- x1195 ★ 1913-21 MCA £10 purple and royal blue, centred to top, lightly mounted mint with slightly off-white gum. Signed by E. Diena and A.Diena. S.G. 99e, £4,000 £800-1,000

**RUSSIA**



1196

x1196 ☉ 1922 “Philately for the Children” set with 1k. orange perf. and imperf., unmounted mint, the 10k. slightly toned. Both 1k. signed Romeko. S.G. 273-278. £2,080 £400-600



1197

x1197 ○ 1922 “Philately for the Children” set with 1k. perf. and imperf., neat Moscow cancellations, fine. S.G. 273-278, £2,280 £400-500



1198

x1198 1922-23 imperf. 20r. on 15k. blue and red-brown, large part original gum, good to large margins all round, pencilled signature on the reverse; fine and rare. S.G. 297, £3,750 £800-1,000



1199

x1199 ☉★ 1930 Zeppelin 40k. blue and 80k. carmine, **imperforate**, large part original gum; the 80k. toned; very rare. Philatelic Foundation Certificates (1984). S.G. 574b, 575b, £3,800 £400-500

Russia - *contd.*



————— 1200 —————

x1200 ④⊕

1930 Zeppelin 40k. blue and 80k. carmine, each in an **imperforate horizontal pair**, unmounted mint; fine and very rare. S.G. 574b, 575b, £7,600+

£1,000-2,000



————— Ex 1201 —————

x1201 ④★

1935 Air Rescue of Chelyuskin Expedition set of ten; large part original gum, scarce. S.G. 678-687, £800

£150-250



1202



1204



1203

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|-------|---|----------|
| x1202 | ★ 1935 Air Moscow to San Francisco 1r. on 10k. sepia, large part original gum; scarce. S.G. 706, £750   | £150-200 |
| x1203 | ⊛ 1949 25th. Anniversary of the Death of Lenin miniature sheet, variety <b>imperforate</b> , unmounted mint; rare. S.G. MS1463ab, £1,700  | £300-500 |
| x1204 | ⊛ 1972 Centenary of L. Sobinov 10k. chestnut, <b>error of inscription "Artist СССР"</b> , unmounted mint from the foot of the sheet; fine and a rare modern variety. Wassmann Certificate (2001). S.G. 4054var. | £200-300 |

ST. HELENA



1205

x1205 ★ 1922-27 Script, 10/- grey and olive-green, variety torn flag, large part original gum (toned). S.G. 112b, £1,800 £200-250



1206

x1206 ⊗ 1961 Tristan Relief surcharge set of four, each with lower sheet margin, unmounted mint. Each with B&K handstamp in the margin. B.P.A. Certificate (1983). S.G. 172-175, £8,000 £2,500-3,000

*Note that each stamp shows the positional variety broken "e" in "Relief"*

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1207

x1207 ☒

1961 Tristan Relief surcharge set of four, each value in a lower left corner margin pair (the 2½c. + 3d. from lower right with plate numbers) and affixed to picture post card of "Beaching a Longboat" and cancelled by the first day c.d.s. The first stamp showing broken "i" in "Relief" and other positional varieties. Brandon Certificate (2005). S.G. 172-175, £7,000

£1,200-1,400

St. Helena - *contd.*



1208

x1208 ○

1961 Tristan Relief surcharge set of four, used with neat first day c.d.s. on the foot of each stamp; a few faint perf. tone spots. An attractive set. S.G. 172-175, £3,500

£800-1,000



1209

x1209 ☒

1961 Tristan Relief surcharge set of four, used on first day cover addressed to London; unusual to be addressed overseas. R.P.S.S. Certificate (1977)

£800-1,000

**SAAR**



Ex 1210

x1210 ★ 1920 overprinted on stamps of Bavaria, 5pf. to 10m. set of fifteen, fine lightly mounted mint. S.G. 18-31, £1,700; Mi. 18-31 £200-300



1211



1212

x1211 ⊗ 1920 overprinted on stamps of Bavaria, prepared for use but not issued 2pf. grey, unmounted mint; fine. Signed Dr. Schnieder and others. See footnote after S.G. 31, £1,400, Mi.A31, €2,500 £300-400

x1212 ⊗ 1920 overprinted on stamps of Bavaria, 2pf. slate with margin at foot, an unmounted mint example, fine. Burger Certificate (2003). Mi. A31, See footnote after S.G. 31, £1,400 £300-400

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1213

x1213 ★田

1928 Christmas Charity 10f. +10f. chocolate, originally a mint block of six, now a vertical pair and block of four; mounted on two stamps only; fine and rare multiples. S.G. 134, £3,600; Mi. 134, €4,520

£500-700

## SAN MARINO



1214



Ex 1215

x1214 ☉

1903 2L. bright violet, unmounted mint, centred to foot, fresh and fine. S.G. 50, £1,000, Sass. 44, €2,750

£200-250

x1215 ☉☉

1943 prepared for use but not issued Anti-Fascist Air 25c. to 20L. set of eight, unmounted mint; fine and scarce. Sorani Certificate (1990). Sass 26-33, €9,750

£800-1,000



1216

x1216 ㊦㊧

1950-51 Air photogravure 500L. brown and grey-green, sheet of six (3x2), unmounted mint, crease in margin at lower left, fine and rare. S.G. 414, £720++, Sass. €5,000

£400-500



1217

x1217 ㊦

1951 Air "Bandiera" 1000L. blue and blackish brown, unmounted mint from the top of the sheet (hinged in the margin), fine. S.G. 423, £900, Sass. €850

£150-200

**SARAWAK**



1218

x1218 ⊕ 1888-97 prepared for use but not issued, \$2, \$5 and \$10, unmounted mint and fine. S.G. 21a, 21b, 21c, £3,800 £1,000-1,500

**SIERRA LEONE**



1219



1220



1221

x1219 ★ 1912-21 MCA £5 orange and green, fairly well-centred, large part original creamy gum; fine and scarce. S.G. 130, £4,500 £1,000-1,500

x1220 ★ 1921-27 Script £2 blue and dull purple and £5 orange and green, large part original gum; the £5 a trifle toned, otherwise fine and fresh appearance. E. Diena Certificate (1983). S.G. 147-148. £4,400 £800-1,200

x1221 ★ 1921-27 Script £5 orange and green, large part original gum, fine and of fresh appearance. S.G. 148, £3,500 £1,000-1,200



1222



1223

x1222 ⊕⊕ 1963 Second Anniversary of Independence 11/- on £1 black and orange, right marginal block of four, unmounted mint; a little toned in places, nevertheless a scarce multiple. S.G. 269, £3,400+ £400-600

x1223 ⊕⊕ 1963 2nd Anniversary of Independence 11/- on £1 black and orange, block of four; unmounted lightly toned gum, a scarce multiple. S.G. 269, £3,400 £400-600

**SPAIN**



1224



1225

x1224 ★ 1879 10p. olive-bistre, mint, fine and fresh. Briefmarkenprüfstelle Certificate (2003). S.G. 272. £2,000 £250-300

x1225 ⊗ 1931 prepared for use but not issued continuous overprint in blue 10p. brown, Control A000,000, unmounted mint; fine. Handstamps on reverse and Comex Certificate (2004). Edifil NE27, €1,485 £250-300



Ex 1226

x1226 ⊗ 1938 In honour of the Militia 5c. to 10p. set of nine, unmounted mint; fine. S.G. 861b-861j, £650 £150-200



Ex 1227

x1227 ★ 1940-46 Zaragoza Cathedral Restoration Fund, Postage and Express set in imperforate pairs, the 40c. a vertical pair and original gum, the others horizontal pairs and unmounted mint; fine. S.G. 982-995, E1006 £300-400

Spain - contd.



1228

x1228 ④⊕田 1950 Canary Island Visit Air 10c. on 25p. top right corner block of four showing sheet number and with figures on the reverse, unmounted mint, fine and scarce. S.G. 1151, £3,000+

£600-800



1229

x1229 ④⊕ 1950 Canary Island Visit Air 10c. on 25p. without figures on reverse, unmounted mint, fine. Bergua Certificate (1993). S.G. 1151a, £4,500

£800-1,000



1230

x1230 ④ 1965 J. Romero de Torres 1p. error of colour green instead of brown, unmounted mint, fine. Signed Roig. See footnote after S.G. 1727

£200-250

**SWEDEN**



1231

x1231 ★ 1891-1911 King Oscar II, 5ö brown **error of colour**, part original toned gum. A fine example of this great rarity. Signed E. Diena and accompanied by his Certificate (1981) and also that of Franz Obermüller (1980). S.G. 45d, £8,000; Facit 52v9, SEK 60,000 £1,500-3,000

PROVENANCE:  
King Carol II of Romania, 1951



————— 1232 —————

x1232 ★ 1910-19 “Varnamo” 55ö light blue and 80ö black, fine mint with large part original off-white gum; very rare. Both signed Georg Bühler and with his Certificate (1984). S.G. 82 and 84, £5,000; Facit 92, 94, SEK 34,000 £600-700



————— 1233 —————

x1233 ★ 1910-19 “Varnamo” 55ö light blue and 80ö black, mint with large part original gum; the 55ö with slight offset on the reverse and the 80ö with light toning, fine and very rare. S.G. 82 and 84, £5,000; Facit 92, 94, SEK 34,000 £600-700

Sweden - *contd.*



1234

x1234 ★ 1920-26 no watermark, imperf. x perf. 13 5ö chestnut horizontal strip of four, original gum with three remaining unmounted mint, fine and scarce. S.G. 97Aa, £1,900+, Facit 142E, SEK 29,500+ £300-500



1235

x1235 Ⓞ★ 1920 Air group of three comprising 20ö on 2ö yellow with **surcharge inverted** (a few tones spots to reverse) and 20ö on 2ö yellow and 50ö on 4ö lilac both with **watermark Crown**; all with large part original gum. G. Renon Certificate for the 20ö with Crown watermark. S.G. 120d, 120d, 120db, £5,000; Facit 137vπ, 137vm and 138vm, SEK 31,000 £400-600



1236



1237

x1236 Ⓞ★ 1920 Air 20ö on 2ö yellow, variety **watermark Crown**, very well-centred, unused with large part original gum; very rare. S.G. 120db, £4,250; Facit 137vm, SEK 26,000 £400-600

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Ex 1238

x1238 ⊗田

1924 U.P.U. 5ö to 5kr set of fifteen in unmounted mint blocks of four, gum a little toned; scarce multiples. S.G. 146-160, £3,000+; Facit 196-210, SEK 44,000

£500-700

Sweden - *contd.*

Official Stamps



1239

x1239 ★

1874 20ö deep carmine-red, 30ö brown and 1kr. blue and bistre, unused group of three with large part original gum (the 20ö and 30ö toned); a scarce group. Obermüller Certificate (1997) for the 20ö and Briefmarkenpüfstelle Basel Certificate (2003) for the 30ö. S.G. O35, O38, O41, £3000; Facit TJ6c, TJ8b and TJ10, SEK 25,900

£300-500

## SWITZERLAND



1240

x1240 ☉⊕田

1933-37 Air 20c. green and deep green block of four from the lower right corner of the sheet showing sheet number, variety **imperforate**, unmounted mint with the faintest tone spot to the top right margin. An extraordinary positional multiple and a key item for this issue. Zum. 4z. 1.09, CHF 58,000+

£6,000-8,000



1241

x1241 ㊦ 1933-37 Air 50c. black and red with margin at right, variety **imperforate**, unmounted mint, light and even gum ageing. One from only two sheets of twenty-five. Renggli Certificate (2002). Zum. 9z. 1.09, CHF 6,500

£1,000-1,500



1242

x1242 ㊦田 1935-37 Air 10c. on 15c. light green and green block of four, variety **surcharge inverted**, unmounted mint. A wonderful exhibition showpiece of superlative quality, extremely scarce as a multiple from the sheet of fifty. Zumstein (1972) and Briefmarkenprüfstelle (2002) Certificates. S.G. 359a, £40,000+; Zum. 20. 1A.09, CHF 68,000 +

£8,000-10,000



1243



1244

x1243 ㊦ 1935-37 Air 10c. on 15c. light green and green with margin at right, variety **surcharge inverted**, unmounted mint; experts handstamp on reverse. An example of superb quality. Hunziker Certificate (1937). S.G. 359a, £10,000, Zum. 20. 1A.09, CHF 17,000

£2,500-3,000

x1244 ㊦ 1935-37 Air 10c. on 15c. light green and green, variety **surcharge inverted**, well centred with toned perf. to top left, otherwise fine unmounted mint. 'MOLLER-BASEL' handstamp to reverse. Renggli Certificate (2002). S.G. 359a, £10,000, Zum. 20. 1A.09, CHF 17,000

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Switzerland - *contd.*

**1938 Pro Aero**

*This series was issued in 1938 to promote the Swiss 'Pro-Aero' campaign. A special air mail flight was to be conducted to thirteen Swiss cities carrying mail franked with these stamps. For efficiency, the stamps were issued pre-cancelled and very few exist without a cancellation.*



1245

x1245 ㊦㊧

1938 Pro Aero 75c. on 50c. deep grey-green block of four **without cancellation**, unmounted mint, each stamp signed in pencil by G. Bolaffi, the lower left with the smallest blemish on the reverse, mentioned only for the sake of accuracy. A stunning Switzerland and air mail rarity, most unusual in a block of four. Marchand and Weid (2004), Giulio Bolaffi (1978) Certificates. S.G. 386, Zum. 26, CHF 60,000

£10,000-15,000



1246

x1246 ㊦

1938 Pro Aero 75c. on 50c. deep grey-green **without cancellation** from the top of the sheet, perfectly centred and unmounted mint. A most beautiful example. Walter Abt Certificate (1990). S.G. 386 (unpriced), Zum. 26, CHF 15,000

£2,500-3,000



1247

x1247 ㊦㊧

1938 Pro Aero 75c. on 50c. deep grey-green and red **without cancellation**, unmounted mint, particularly fine and fresh. A very scarce stamp. Rellstab Certificate (2002). S.G. 386 (unpriced), Zum. 26, CHF 15,000

£2,000-2,500



1248

x1248 ㊦㊧

1949 Technology and Landscape 20c. maroon **first printing** in marginal block of four from the left of the sheet with sheet numbers '8' and '7', unmounted mint and in superlative condition, magnificent in every way. Marchand Certificate (1998). S.G. 514, £22,000 Zum. 301, CHF 17,000

£3,000-4,000



1249

x1249 ㊦㊧

1949 Technology and Landscape 20c. maroon **first printing** in lower right corner marginal block of four with sheet number '2' and date '28 v 49', unmounted mint, the faintest perf. tone to the lower left stamp, lower right stamp with Moser-Raz handstamp and trivial horizontal gum bend across both. A superb positional multiple and highly desirable. Briefmarkenprüfstelle Certificate (2002). S.G. 514, £22,000, Zum. 301, CHF 17,000+

£2,000-3,000

Switzerland, 1938 Pro Aero - *contd.*



1250

x1250 田

1949 Technology and Landscape 20c. maroon **first printing** block of four, unmounted mint with very few minor tone spots, a wonderful multiple of this rare stamp. Rellstab Certificate (1982). S.G. 514, £22,000; Zum. 301, CHF 17,000.

£2,000-3,000

## TRANSVAAL



1251

x1251 ★

1902 £5 brown-orange and violet with Plate number, unused with large part original gum. A very fine and attractive example of this scarce stamp. S.G. 259, £2,250

£500-800

VATICAN



1252

x1252 ★ 1934 surcharge set, first printing, very lightly hinged, slightly toned original gum; fine. Pencilled signatures and handstamps on reverse. A. Diena Certificate (1984). S.G. 35-40, £1,700. Sass. €2,000 £250-300



1253

x1253 ⊕ 1934 surcharge 1L.30 on 1L.25, the proof printing with the surcharge in thinner figures, unmounted mint from the top of the sheet; superb and the rarest stamp of the Vatican. A. Diena Certificate (1971). Sass. 36A, €45,000 £2,000-4,000



1254



1255

x1254 ⊕ 1952 12L. on Basilicas 13L. olive-green, variety **surcharge inverted**, unmounted mint, fine and fresh. H. Avi Certificate (2004). S.G. 175var., Sass. 154a, €6,000 £700-800

x1255 ⊕⊕ 1953-60 Air 500L. green and deep turquoise-green, perforated 14, unmounted mint from the top of the sheet, fine and a modern rarity. Ryabaudi Certificate (1987). S.G. 190b, £5,500. Sass. 33/1, €6,500 £800-1,000

Vatican - *contd.*



1256

x1256 ⊕

1996 Pope John Paul II's Journeys 500L. blue green and 1000L. green, both with variety silver (inscription, value and coat of arms) omitted; both unmounted mint, very rare. Carraro Certificates (1998). S.G. 1137var, 1138 var.; Sass. 1060a, 1061a, €20,000

£2,000-4,000

**ZULULAND**



1257

x1257 ★

1894-96 £5 purple and black on red, large part original gum with part hinge remainder; watermark centred low. Pencil signature on the reverse. B.P.A. Certificate (1952). S.G. 29, £5,500

£1,200-1,500

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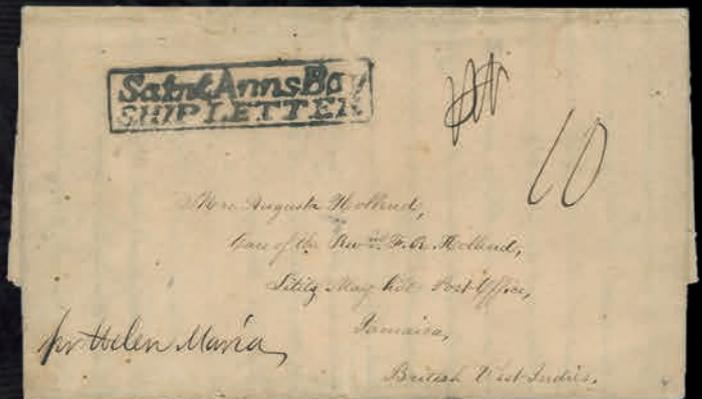
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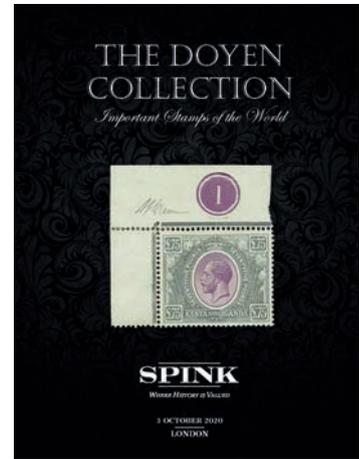
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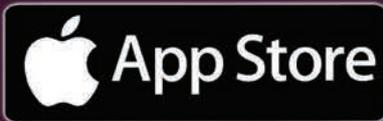
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If you give us instructions to bid on your behalf, by using the form provided in our catalogues or via our website, we shall use reasonable endeavours to do so, provided these instructions are received not later than 24 hours before the auction. If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

- 4.5 **On-line Bidding**  
We offer internet services as a convenience to our clients. We will not be responsible for errors or failures to execute bids placed on the internet, including, without limitation, errors or failures caused by (i) a loss of internet connection by either party for whatever reason; (ii) a breakdown or problems with the online bidding software and/or (iii) a breakdown or problems with your internet connection, computer or system. Execution of on-line internet bids on www.spink.com and Spink Live is a free service undertaken subject to other commitments at the time of the auction and we do not accept liability for failing to execute an online internet bid or for errors or omissions in connection with this activity.
- 4.6 **Telephone Bids**  
If you make arrangements with us not less than 24 hours before the sale, we shall use reasonable endeavours to contact you to enable you to participate in bidding by telephone, but in no circumstances will we be liable to either the Seller or you as a result of failure to do so.
- 4.7 **Currency Converter**  
At some auctions, a currency converter will be operated, based on the one month forward rates of exchange quoted to us by Barclays Bank Plc or any other appropriate rate determined by us, at opening on the date of the auction. Bidding will take place in a currency determined by us, which is usually sterling for auctions held in London. The currency converter is not always reliable, and errors may occur beyond our control either in the accuracy of the Lot number displayed on the converter, or the foreign currency equivalent of sterling bids. We shall not be liable to you for any loss suffered as a result of you following the currency converter.
- 4.8 **Video images**  
At some auctions there will be a video screen. Mistakes may occur in its operation, and we cannot be liable to you regarding either the correspondence of the image to the Lot being sold or the quality of the image as a reproduction of the original.
- 4.9 **Bidding Increments**  
Bidding generally opens below the low estimate and advances in the following order although the auctioneer may vary the bidding increments during the course of the auction. The normal bidding increments are:
- |                    |                                  |
|--------------------|----------------------------------|
| Up to £100         | by £5                            |
| £100 to £300       | by £10                           |
| £300 to £600       | £320-£350-£380-£400 etc.         |
| £600 to £1,000     | by £50                           |
| £1,000 to £3,000   | by £100                          |
| £3,000 to £6,000   | £3,200-£3,500-£3,800-£4,000 etc. |
| £6,000 to £10,000  | by £500                          |
| £10,000 to £20,000 | by £1,000                        |
| £20,000 and up     | Auctioneer's discretion          |
- 4.10 **Bidding by Spink**
- 4.10.1 We reserve the right to bid on Lots on the Seller's behalf up to the amount of the Reserve (if any), which will never be above the low estimate printed in the auction catalogue.
- 4.10.2 The Spink Group reserves the right to bid on and purchase Lots as principal.
- 4.10.3 Lots with this symbol (Ⓢ) indicate that a party has provided Spink with an irrevocable bid on the lot that will be executed during the sale at a value that ensures that the lot will sell. The irrevocable bidder, who may bid in excess of the irrevocable bid, will be compensated based on his bid in the event he or she is not the successful bidder or may receive a fixed fee in the event he or she is the successful bidder. If the irrevocable bidder is the successful bidder, the fixed fee for providing the irrevocable bid may be netted against the irrevocable bidder's obligation to pay the full purchase price for the lot. If the irrevocable bid is not secured until after the printing of the auction catalogue, a pre-sale announcement will be made indicating that there is an irrevocable bid on the lot.  
If you are interested in placing an irrevocable bid in an auction, please contact us at chairmanoffice@spink.com. Typically, only some of the lots with an estimate, which must exceed £100,000 or equivalent in other currencies are open to irrevocable bids.
- 4.11 **The Auctioneer's Discretion**  
The auctioneer has the right at his absolute discretion to refuse any bid to advance the bidding in such manner as he may decide to withdraw or divide any Lot, to combine any two or more Lots and, in the case of error or dispute, to put an item up for bidding again.
- 4.12 **Successful Bid**  
Subject to the auctioneer's discretion, the striking of his hammer marks the acceptance of the highest bid, provided always that such bid is higher than the Reserve (where applicable), and the conclusion of a contract for sale between you and the Seller.
- 4.13 **After Sale Arrangements**  
If you enter into any private sale agreements for any Lot with the Seller within 60 days of the auction, we, as exclusive agents of the Seller reserve the right to charge you the applicable Buyer's Premium in accordance with these Terms and Conditions, and the Seller a commission in accordance with the terms of the Seller's agreement.
- 4.14 **Return of Lot**
- 4.14.1 Once your bid has been accepted for a Lot then you are liable to pay for that Lot in accordance with these Terms and Conditions. If there are any problems with a Lot then you must notify us within 7 days of receipt of the Lot, specifying the nature of the problem. We may then request that the Lot is returned to us for inspection. Save as set out in clause 5.13, the cancellation of the sale of any Lot and the refund of the corresponding purchase price is entirely at our sole discretion. We will not normally exercise that discretion if the Lot is not received by us in the same condition that it was in at the auction date.
- 4.14.2 No lot may be returned on account of condition if the condition was stated by a third party grading company (including, but not limited to PCGS, NGC, ANACS, ICG, PMG, WBG, Legacy Currency Grading).
- 5 **AFTER THE AUCTION**
- 5.1 **Buyer's Premium and other charges**  
In addition to the Hammer Price, you must pay us the Buyer's Premium at a rate of 20% of the final Hammer price of each lot, postage charge and a fee for paying by card.
- 5.2 **Value Added Tax**  
Other than in respect of Zero-rated Lots (o) VAT is chargeable on the Hammer price and the Buyer's premium of daggered (†) and (Ω) lots at the standard rate (currently 20%), and on lots marked (x) at the reduced rate (currently 5% on the Hammer price and 20% on the Buyer's premium). VAT on Margin scheme lots (identified by the absence of any VAT symbol next to the lot number) is payable at 20% on the Buyer's premium only.
- 5.3 **VAT Refunds**
- General**
- 5.3.1 As we remain liable to account for VAT on all Lots unless they have been exported outside the EU within 3 months of the date of sale, you will generally be asked to deposit all amounts of VAT invoiced. However, if a Spink nominated shipper is instructed, then any refundable VAT will not be collected. In all other cases credits will be made when proof of export is provided. If you export the Lot yourself you must obtain shipping documents from the Shipping Department for which a charge of £50 will be made.
- 5.3.2 If you export the Lot you must return the valid proof of export certificate to us within 3 months of the date of sale. If you fail to return the proof of export certificate to us within such period and you have not already accounted to us for the VAT, you will be liable to us for the full amount of the VAT due on such Lot and we shall be entitled to invoice you for this sum.
- 5.3.3 To apply for a refund of any VAT paid, the proof of export certificate must be sent to our Shipping Department clearly marked 'VAT Refund' within 3 months of the date of sale. No payment will be made where the total amount of VAT refundable is less than £50 and Spink will charge £50 for each refund processed.
- VAT Refunds - Buyers from within the EU**
- 5.3.4 VAT refunds are available on the Hammer Price and Buyer's Premium of Daggered (†) and Investment Gold (g) Lots. You must certify that you are registered for VAT in another EU country and that the Lot is to be removed from the United Kingdom within 3 months of the date of sale.
- 5.3.5 Where an EU buyer purchases a Lot on which import VAT has been charged, no refund of VAT is available from us. It may be possible to apply directly for a refund on form VAT 65 to HM Revenue & Customs Overseas Repayment Section, Londonderry.
- VAT Refunds - Buyers from outside the EU**
- 5.3.6 Where a Lot is included within the Auctioneers' Margin Scheme and evidence of export from the EU is produced within 3 months of the date of sale, the VAT on Buyer's Premium may be refunded.
- 5.3.7 Where the Lot is marked as a Daggered (†) Lot the VAT charged on the Hammer Price may be refunded where evidence of export from the EU is produced within 3 months of the date of sale. A refund of VAT charged on the Buyer's Premium can also be made on receipt of proof of business as a collectibles dealer.
- 5.3.8 Where the Lot is marked as an Omega (Ω) Lot or an Import VAT (x) Lot and evidence of export from the EU is produced within 3 months of the date of sale, the VAT charged on both the Hammer Price and Buyer's Premium may be refunded. Where required, we can advise you on how to export such Lots as a specific form of export evidence is required. Where we advise you on the export of the Lots, please be aware that the ultimate responsibility in respect of obtaining a valid proof of export certificate will lie with you and we will not be responsible for your failure to obtain such certificate.
- 5.3.9 Lot marked as Investment Gold (g) is exempt from VAT on Hammer price. A refund of VAT charged on the Buyer's Premium can be made on receipt of proof of business as a collectibles dealer and where evidence of export from the EU is produced within 3 months of the date of sale.
- 5.4 **Payment**
- 5.4.1 You must provide us with your full name and permanent address and, if so requested, details of the bank from which any payments to us will be made. You must pay the full amount due (comprising the Hammer Price, the Buyer's Premium and any applicable VAT) within seven days after the date of the sale. This applies even if you wish to export the Lot and an export licence is (or may be) required.
- 5.4.2 You will not acquire title to the Lot until all amounts due have been paid in full. This includes instances where special arrangements were made for release of Lot prior to full settlement.
- 5.4.3 Payment should be made in sterling by one of the following methods:
- Direct bank transfer to our account details of which are set out on the invoice. All bank charges shall be met by you. Please ensure that your client number is noted on the transfer.
  - By cheque or bank draft made payable to Spink and Son Ltd and sent to Spink at 69 Southampton Row, Bloomsbury, London WC1B 4ET. Please note that the processing charges for payments made by cheques or bank drafts drawn on a non-U.K bank shall be met by you. Please ensure that the remittance slip printed at the bottom of the invoice is enclosed with your payment.

- (iii) By Visa or Mastercard. All Corporate cards regardless of origin and Consumer debit and credit cards issued outside the EU are subject to a fee of 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.

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## Postal Charges

### Prices for all items including postage and packaging

Invoice Value	UK	EU	Rest of the World
Up to £1,500	£12	£20	£30
Up to £10,000	£20	£40	£60
Above £10,001	£30	£60	£90

The above fees are in GBP and would be converted into the sale currency if applicable.

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. Such lots are subject to 20% VAT on the Buyers' Premium but are not be subject to VAT on the Hammer Price.
2. Where Lots are sold using the Auctioneers' Margin Scheme to UK VAT-registered businesses, the VAT on Buyers' Premium is not recoverable as input tax. Upon request on sale day, we will issue invoices that show VAT separately on both the Hammer Price and the Buyer's Premium. This will enable VAT-registered businesses to recover the VAT charged as input tax, subject to the normal rules for recovering input tax.

#### ii. Zero-Rated Lots

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

#### iii. Daggedged Lots

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

#### iv. Imported and Omega Lots

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

#### v. Investment Gold Lots

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

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## SALE CALENDAR 2020

### STAMPS

25 Aug-8 September	Stamps of the British Commonwealth	London	20139
3 September	The Charles Freeland Collection of Three Islands: St Lucia, Nevis & St Vincent	London	20037
1 October	The Gary Diffen Collection of Australian Colonies Errors - Part 2	London	20039
1 October	The 'Lionheart' Collection of Great Britain and British Empire - Part XIII	London	20013
3 October	The Doyen Collection	London	20034
14 October	Stamps and Covers of Southern Africa	London	20040
23 October-9 November	The Philatelic Collectors' Series e-Auction	Hong Kong	
28 October-11 November	Stamps and Covers of France and French Colonies	London	20160
4-17 November	The Double Head & Admiral Stamps of Rhodesia	New York	175
19 November	The "Dubois" Collection of Jamaica Postal History and Stamps - Part I	London	20041
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15 September	British Coins and Commemorative Medals: Autumn Auction	London	20005
15 September	The Ennismore Collection of Anglo-Saxon and Viking Coins	London	20055
22 September-6 October	Spink Numismatic e-Circular 5: Indian and Islamic Coins	London	20125
7 October	A Collection of English Patterns	London	20006
13 October-1 November	The Numismatic Collector's Series e-Auction	Hong Kong	CSS55
1-10 December	Spink Numismatic e-Circular 6: Sixpences	London	20126
15 December	The Tony Abramson Collection of Dark Age Coinage	London	20000

### BANKNOTES

6-30 August	World Banknotes e-Auction	London	20110
10-21 September	The Numismatic Collector's Series Sale	New York	360
8 October	The Mark T. Ray Collection of English Banknotes	London	20021
13 October-1 November	The Numismatic Collector's Series e-Auction	Hong Kong	CSS55
4/5 November	World Banknotes	London	20009

### MEDALS

10-21 September	The Numismatic Collector's Series Sale	New York	360
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