# Worldwide Stamps and Postal History

















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### Sale 1042—Tuesday and Wednesday, April 16-17, 2013

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Tuesday, April 16 Session One (lots 3001-3136) at	10·30 a m
British North America:	. 0.50 a
Br. Columbia & Vancouver Islandslots	3001-3012
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Newfoundland	3040-3065
Nova Scotia, P.E.I.	3066-3105
Canada Essays, Proofs & Specimens	3106-3136
Session Two (lots 3137-3493) at British North America:	1:30 p.m.
Canada	3137-3266
<b>British Commonwealth:</b>	
Great Britain	3267-3334
Anguilla thru Bermuda	3335-3360
British Central Africa	3361-3374
British East Africa thru Bushire	3375-3387
Cape of Good Hope incl. Mafeking	3388-3428
Cayman Islands thru Falkland Islands	3429-3467
Fiji thru Hong Kong	3468-3485
India thru Jordan	3486-3493

Wednesday, April 17	
Session Three (lots 3494-3616) at	10:30 a.m.
British Commonwealth:	
Kenya and Ugandalots	3494-3504
Kuwait thru New Britain	3505-3522
New Zealand thru Niger Coast	3523-3540
North Borneo thru Papua New Guinea	3541-3556
Rhodesia thru St. Helena	3557-3577
St. Kitts-Nevis thru Samoa	3578-3593
Sierra Leone thru Straits Settlements	3594-3607
Sudan thru Zululand	3608-3616
Session Four (lots 3617-3912) at	1:30 p.m.
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Thursday, April 11, 10am-4pm
Friday, April 12, 10am-4pm
Monday, April 15, 10am-4pm
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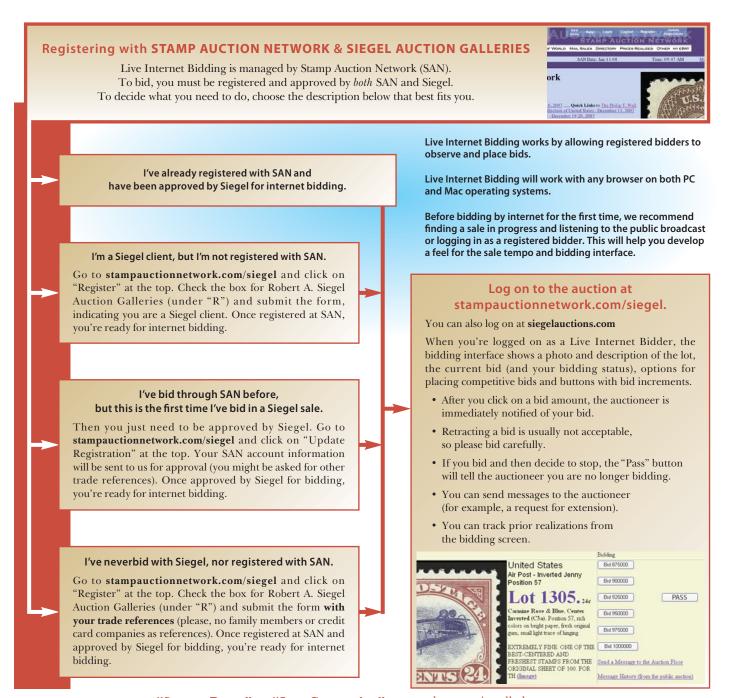
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### **Grades, Abbreviations and Values Used in Descriptions**

#### **Grades and Centering**

Our descriptions contain detailed information and observations about each item's condition. We have also assigned grades to stamps and covers, which reflect our subjective assessment. For stamps, the margin width, centering and gum are described and graded according to generally-accepted standards (an approximate correlation to numeric grades is provided at right). Although we believe our grades are accurate, they are not always exactly aligned with third-party grading terms or standards for all issues. A lot may not be returned because a certification service grades a stamp lower than the grade stated in the description. Information from the P.S.E. Stamp Market Quarterly and P.S.E. Population Report<sup>5M</sup> is the most current available, but lots may not be returned due to errors or changes in statistics or data.

**Extremely Fine Gem (90-100):** The term "Gem" describes condition that is the finest possible for the issue. This term is equivalent to "Superb" used by grading services.

**Extremely Fine (80-90)**: Exceptionally large/wide margins or near perfect centering.

**Very Fine (70-85):** Normal-size margins for the issue and well-centered with the design a bit closer to one side. "Very Fine and choice" applies to stamps that have desirable traits such as rich color, sharp impression, freshness or clarity of cancel.

**Fine (60-70):** Smaller than usual margins or noticeably off center. Pre-1890 issues may have the design touched in places.

**Very Good (below 60):** Attractive appearance, but margins or perforations cut into the design.

#### **Guide to Gum Condition**

<b>Gum Categories:</b>	MINT N.H.		NO GUM				
	Mint Never Hinged Free from any disturbance	Lightly Hinged Faint impression of a removed hinge over a small area	Hinge Mark or Remnant Prominent hinged spot with part or all of the hinge remaining	Part o.g. Approximately half or more of the gum intact	Small part o.g. Approximately less than half of the gum intact	<b>No gum</b> Only if issued with gum	
Catalogue Symbol:	**	*	*	*	*	(★)	
PRE-1890 ISSUES		90 stamps in these ca a premium over Sca		Scott Value for "O.G."		Scott "No Gum" Values thru No. 218	
1890-1935 ISSUES	Scott "Never Hinged" Values for Nos. 219-771	Scott Value for "O.G." (Actual value will be affected by the degree of hinging)		effects of humidi half of the gum.	ty, climate or hingi The significance o	howing noticeable ng over more than f gum disturbance ne Original Gum	
1935 TO DATE	Scott Value for "Unused"			In valuing a stamp in any of the Original Gum categories depends on the degree of disturbance, the rarity and normal gum condition of the issue and other variables affecting quality. For example, stamps issued in tropical climates are expected to have some gum disturbance due to humidity, and such condition is not considered a negative factor in pricing.			

#### Covers

Minor nicks, short edge tears, flap tears and slight reduction at one side are normal conditions for 19th century envelopes. Folded letters should be expected to have at least one file fold. Light cleaning of covers and small mends along the edges are accepted forms of conservation. Unusual covers may have a common stamp with a slight crease or tiny tear. These flaws exist in virtually all 19th century covers and are not always described. They are not grounds for return.

#### **Catalogue Values and Estimates**

Unless otherwise noted, the currently available *Scott Catalogue* values are quoted in dollars with a decimal point. Other catalogues are often used for foreign countries or specialized areas and are referred to by their common name: *Stanley Gibbons* (SG), *Dietz, American Air Mail Catalogue* (AAMC), *Michel, Zumstein, Facit*, etc. Estimates are indicated with an "E." and reflect our conservative valuation in dollars. Reserves will never exceed the low end of the estimate range; they will sometimes exceed Scott Catalogue value for stamps in Extremely Fine condition.

Because of certain pricing inconsistencies in the *Scott Catalogue*—for example, blocks that have no gum, the absence of premiums for Mint N.H. items, etc.—we cannot guarantee the accuracy of values quoted for multiples, specialized items and collection lots. We generally try to be conservative, but buyers may not return a lot because of a discrepancy in catalogue value due to Scott pricing inconsistencies.

#### Symbols and Abbreviations (see chart above for gum symbols)

$\blacksquare$	Block	E	Essay	pmk.	Postmark	No.	Scott Catalogue Number
$\boxtimes$	Cover	P	Proof	cds	Circular Datestamp	hs	Handstamp
FC	Fancy Cancel	TC	Trial Color Proof	var.	Variety	ms.	Manuscript

## The End of A Myth

Sometimes a myth, when repeated enough times, becomes "fact." One such often-repeated myth in philately is that Siegel Auction Galleries does not sell anything other than United States material. There is no question that the Siegel firm sells more U.S. stamps and postal history than any other firm, by a considerable margin. And, I suspect that when the Siegel firm has sold any worldwide collections, such auctions might have been overshadowed in people's minds by so many impressive offerings of U.S. material.

When I was running my own namesake firm for many years, often in direct competition for collections with the Siegel firm, I certainly did not dissuade potential sellers of important worldwide material from believing in this myth. It allowed me to sell many wonderful collections and exhibits simply because there was this perception that my major competitor did not sell such properties. All the while I knew the truth — and it gave me great pause — that the Siegel firm not only sold an extraordinary number of important foreign collections over the years, but also did so with great success. From the incomparable Josiah K. Lilly collection of worldwide stamps up to recent spectacular sales, such as the Islander Collection of South America stamps (where the famous Brazil "Pack" strip sold for a remarkable \$2,185,000), the list of important worldwide collections sold by the Siegel firm is impressive by any measure.

After having sold my auction firm a few years ago I took a little time off to decide what I would do next in my career. I thought about opening another firm under my name, but I could not get out of my mind the professional respect I had for the Siegel firm as a competitor. And, I thought about the unfair myth that still existed about Siegel not selling worldwide stamps. I also wondered what could be accomplished if I teamed up with the Siegel firm and created a separate entity that devoted itself exclusively to the proper marketing and presentation of important worldwide exhibits and collections. Well, as fate would have it, Scott Trepel, the president of the Siegel firm, was thinking along similar lines. And, long story short — welcome to our first Siegel International sale.

Siegel International was created to give collectors of important worldwide philatelic material a desirable alternative when selling their collections. Siegel International offers potential sellers all of the benefits that sellers of U.S. material have enjoyed for years:

- Unmatched financial strength, giving collectors peace of mind knowing that they will be paid on time after the sale
- Outstanding philatelic expertise with a staff handpicked for their experience, professionalism and knowledge in dealing in worldwide stamps and postal history
- Lavishly produced catalogs (like this one in your hands) that spare no expense and are filled with highly informative and accurate descriptions
- A selling venue in one of the stamp capitals of the world, New York City, where, unlike some other overseas venues, stamps can be sold free of extra fees such as VAT or GST
- Competitive seller's commissions and the lowest buyer's premium among major auctioneers, which invites the optimum number of bidders to participate
- And, the option to be paid in United States Dollars, which is still considered one of the safest and most stable currencies in the world

So, whether you are a collector of British Empire stamps in Chicago, an award-winning exhibitor of Brazil in Switzerland, or an accumulator of important worldwide rarities in Beijing, you now have a new choice of where to sell your stamps. Robert A. Siegel Auction Galleries, which has been America's premier stamp auctioneer since 1930, is now your best choice when selling international collections.

Charles F. Shreve

### SESSION ONE (LOTS 3001-3136) TUESDAY, APRIL 16, 2013, AT 10:30 A.M.

#### WORLDWIDE STAMPS AND POSTAL HISTORY

# BRITISH NORTH AMERICA BRITISH COLUMBIA & VANCOUVER ISLAND

3001 ★ 1860, 2½p Dull Rose, Imperforate (1; SG formerly 1). Without gum as issued, large sheet margin at right, two ample margins, just into the frameline at top, light vertical crease

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A HIGHLY COLLECTABLE EXAMPLE OF THIS RARE STAMP.

SG £10,000 ...... 20,000.00



3001



3002

1860, 2½p Pale Dull Rose (2a; SG 3). Horizontal pair, intense color, cancelled by attractive full strike of blue "Paid" in oval by Dietz & Nelson Express Co., left stamp short perfs, small pre-use crease, Fine appearance, a scarce and desirable cancel, with 1994 Holcombe certificate, cataloged as singles with no premium for the better cancel, SG £400...... 500.00

3003 **1865, 5c Rose, Imperforate (3, SG 11).** Full margins all around, small nick in bottom margin, attractive color, cancelled by blue "35" pmk., trivial thin speck and small tear

at bottom

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. THIS IS THE KEY RARITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA AND VANCOUVER ISLAND.

With 1996 A.P.S. certificate. SG £9,000 ...... 11,000.00



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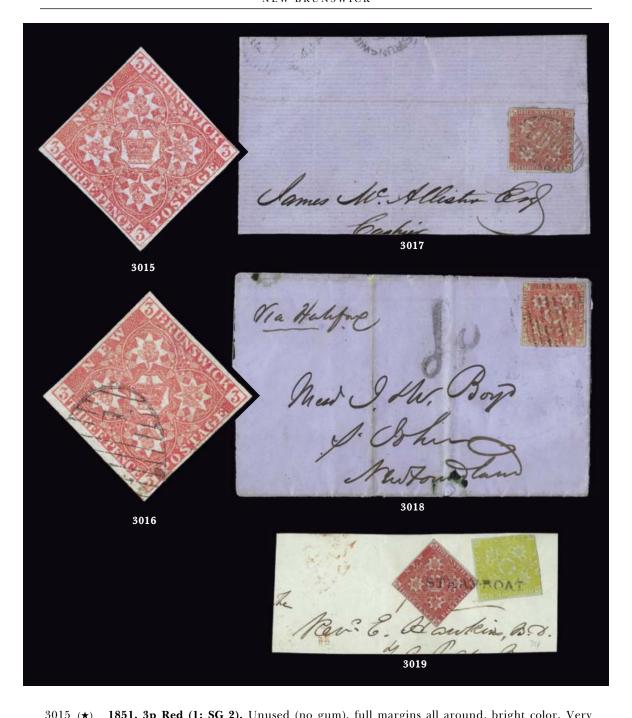
- 3006 

  1865, 5c Rose (5; SG 13). Tied by blue "Wells Fargo & Co. San Francisco, Apr. 7" oval datestamp on 3c Pink entire with black printed frank, the 5c stamp was applied in San Francisco, cover with slight edgewear, a Fine mixed franking ...... E. 500-750



#### **NEW BRUNSWICK**

- 3013 **1851, 3p-1sh Reprints (1R-3R).** 3p in Orange, other two in Violet Black, horizontal pairs, 1sh with some creasing, otherwise Very Fine, Unitrade C\$800.00 as singles ...(**Photo Ex**) 550.00
- 3014  $\boxplus$  **1851, 3p-1sh Reprints (1R-3R).** Blocks of four, 3p in Bright Orange, 6p and 1sh in Violet Black, full margins around, 3p and 1sh faint vertical crease affecting two stamps each, Very Fine appearance, Unitrade C\$1,600.00 as singles ......(**Photo Ex**) 1,100.00



3015 ( <b>★</b> )	Fine, with 1987 Greene Foundation certificate, SG £2,750
3016	<b>1851, 3p Red (1; SG 2).</b> Four large margins, fresh color, neat "1" in grid cancel, Very Fine, SG £325
3017	1851, 3p Red (1; SG 1). Four margins, with plate flaw vertical line through bottom left "3", tied on part of cover by oval grid, some minor gum staining along edge, Fine, this is the only such example we have ever encountered E. 300-400
3018 ⋈	1851, 3p Red (1; SG 1). Four margins, tied by bar grid on folded cover to St. John's Newfoundland, blue "Chatham Fe 22 1858" origination backstamp, also Woodoughlandstown, Sackville and St. John's backstamps, manuscript "Via Halifax", fancy "4" due handstamp, vertical file folds, Fine, scarce use of the 4p packet rate to Newfoundland, with 2002 Greene Foundation certificate E. 400-500
3019	<b>1851, 3p Red, 6p Olive Yellow (1, 2; SG 1, 4).</b> Tied on large piece by "STEAMBOAT" straightline, stamps with full margins nearly all around, just into the design in one place each, small flaws, Fine appearance, scarce cancel, SG £1,050



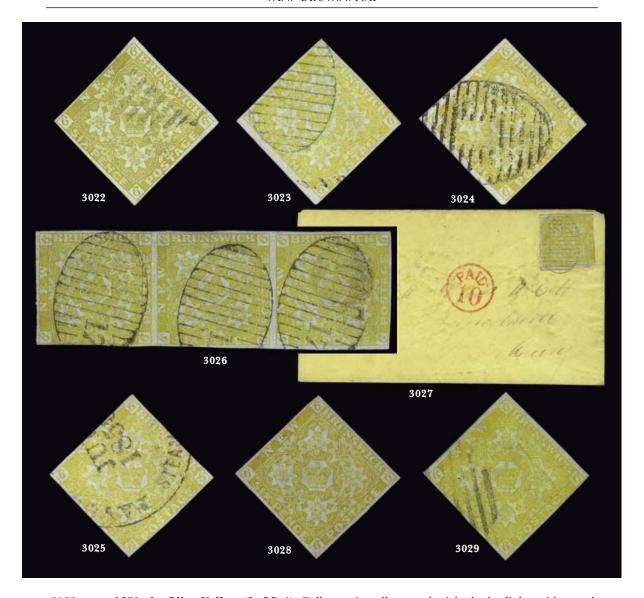
3020 ⋈ **1851, 3p Red, 6p Olive Yellow (1, 2; SG 2, 4).** Singles of each, tied by "30" in grids on 1858 registered cover to St. John, "St. Stepen N.B. AU 19, 1858" origination backstamp, St. John receiver of Aug. 20, stamps with four margins except 6p just touching the frameline in one place, bright colors, trivial wrinkles

VERY FINE. A RARE COVER PAYING THE THREE CENTS LOCAL POSTAGE AND SIX CENTS REGISTRATION RATE.

Ex Seybold, Brouse, Dale-Lichtenstein, Kanai and Koh Seow Chuan. ..... E. 2,000-3,000



3021



3022	<b>1851, 6p Olive Yellow (2; SG 4).</b> Full margins all around, rich shade, light grid cancel, Very Fine, with 1979 Brandon certificate, SG £700
3023	<b>1851, 6p Olive Yellow (2; SG 4).</b> Ample to large margins all around, attractive color, blue grid cancel and portion of an additional cancel at bottom left, Very Fine 1,150.00
3024	<b>1851, 6p Olive Yellow (2; SG 4).</b> Full to large margins around except a little close at top right, intense color, grid cancel, Very Fine, SG £700
3025	<b>1851, 6p Olive Yellow (2; SG 4).</b> Mostly ample margins around, bright color, cancelled by a scarce <b>Steamboat</b> circular datestamp, small thin, Fine appearance, SG £700 1,150.00
3026	<b>1851, 6p Olive Yellow (2; SG 4).</b> Horizontal strip of three, full to large margins all around, rich color, cancelled by "17" in grid postmarks of Hillsborough, faint diagonal crease affects left two stamps, right stamp with stain on back that just shows thru, Very Fine appearance and a scarce multiple, ex Seybold (with his violet handstamp on back) and Koh Seow Chuan, signed Bloch, SG £2,100 as singles, Scott Retail as singles
3027 ⋈	1851, 6p Olive Yellow (2; SG 4). Nearly four margins, small faults, tied by "28" in grid on cover to Maine, "St. George N.B. My 9 1859" origination and St. Stephen transit backstamps, red "Paid 10" in circle handstamp, cover opened at right and some wear, Fine  1,500.00
3028 (★)	<b>1851, 6p Orange Yellow (2a; SG 3).</b> Unused (no gum), full margins all around, pressed-out horizontal crease, Very Fine appearance, with 1970 R.P.S. certificate, SG £4,500 6,500.00
3029	<b>1851, 6p Orange Yellow (2a; SG 3).</b> Full to large margins all around, bright color, light grid cancel, pinpoint thin speck in bottom margin, Very Fine appearance, with 1960 R.P.S. certificate, SG £800



3030 (★) 1851, 1sh Bright Red Violet (3; SG 5). Unused (without gum), full margins all around, fresh color, small purple handstamp on back

VERY FINE EXAMPLE OF THE 1851 ONE-SHILLING NEW BRUNSWICK BRIGHT RED VIOLET ISSUE. UNUSED STAMPS ARE VERY RARE.

Ex Koh Seow Chuan. With 1999 Greene Foundation certificate. SG £18,000... 30,000.00

#### 1860 5-CENT CONNELL





3032EX

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- 3032 P **1860, 5c Connell Proofs (Unitrade 5P).** Eight items, includes Proofs in the issued color on both India and card, Type B and Type C Specimen overprints, and Trial Color Proof in Orange on card, the Proof on card with toned spot, one India paper with thin spot, otherwise Very Fine, also included but not counted in the catalog value are three Proofs privately perforated to resemble the stamp (one is fairly convincing), Unitrade value ................(**Photo Ex**) C\$ 1,500.00



Postmaster General Charles Connell



3034

- 3034 ★ 1860, 5c Connell (5; SG 13). Part original gum, bright color, full and intact perfs all around with just a few unpunched, unusually well-centered, small repaired hole in the forehead
  - VERY FINE APPEARING EXAMPLE OF THE RARE 5-CENT CONNELL STAMP. PERHAPS 50-60 EXIST.
  - The 5c Connell stamp is usually found with poor centering. The perfs are often damaged from scissors-separation or are roughly pulled apart, the result of poor perforating. The example offered here, with its excellent centering and intact perforations, is in better condition than most of the other existing examples.

3035 (\*) **1860, 5c Connell (5; SG 13).** Unused (no gum), fresh color, perfs bit blunted as is usual for this stamp, centered to right, tiny perf tear at top left caused when separated from adjacent stamp

FINE APPEARING EXAMPLE OF THE RARE 5-CENT CONNELL STAMP.



3035



3036 (★) **1860, 5c Connell (5; SG 13).** Unused (no gum), faults and repaired at top

FINE APPEARANCE. THE FAMOUS "POCKET WATCH STAMP" NAMED BECAUSE CHARLES CONNELL'S SON KEPT IT IN THE BACK OF HIS WATCH.



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3039 ⋈ **1860, 17c Black (11; SG 19).** Tied by oval grid on cover **to London, England,** neat "St. John, N.B. SE 14 1866" origination and St. Stephen transit (Sep. 15) backstamps, manuscript "Via New York", red London receiver at lower left, (Sep. 29), cover with small tear at top

FINE. A RARE SINGLE FRANKING PAYING THE 17-CENT RATE TO THE UNITED KINGDOM.

Ex Wellburn and Koh Seow Chuan. With 2001 B.P.A. certificate. Unitrade C\$7,500.00

5,250.00

#### NEWFOUNDLAND





3040EX 3041

1857, 4p Scarlet Vermilion (4; SG 4). Ample margins all around, intense color, thin at bottom, Very Fine appearance, with 1998 A.P.S. certificate, SG £3,000 ................................ 3,750.00



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8 REMARKS BOARDS

3055EX 3056EX 3057 3044 (\*) **1857, 1sh Scarlet Vermilion (9; SG 9).** Traces of original gum, close margins but clearing all around except just touching the frameline at bottom, accompanying certificate notes "slightly soiled and oxidized", the oxidization has since been removed and we do not see the soiling

FINE UNUSED EXAMPLE OF THE ONE-SHILLING NEWFOUND-LAND SCARLET VERMILION. AN EXTREMELY RARE STAMP IN UNUSED CONDITION.

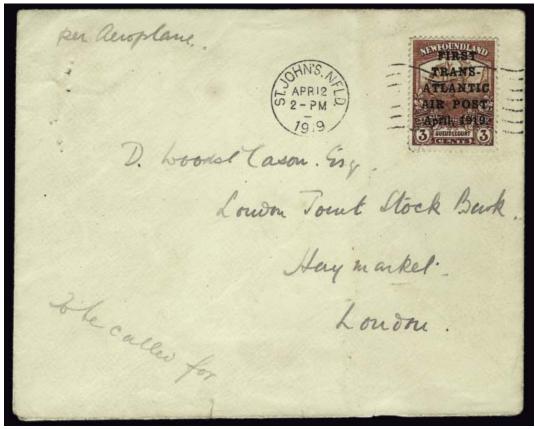
This value is not known for having large margins, like those seen on other denominations such as the 8p. Many are cut in or have faults.

With 2007 P.F. certificate. SG £23,000...... 45,000.00



- 1857, 1sh Scarlet Vermilion (9; SG 9). Framelines mostly complete on three sides, just in at bottom, deep color, a presentable example of this scarce stamp, SG £8,500 ... 10,000.00
- 1860, 4p Orange, Sperati Forgery (12 Sperati). Large Die format with grid "cancel", signed in pencil on front and Sperati handstamp on back with manuscript "No. 94", slight corner crease at top right, still Very Fine....... E. 200-300
- 3048 P **1897, 1c-60c Cabot, Plate Proofs on India (Unitrade 61P-74P).** Mounted on card, mostly large margins all around, Very Fine, Unitrade value......(Photo Ex) C\$ 775.00
- 3050 S **1897, 1c-60c Cabot, Red "Specimen" Overprints (Unitrade 61S-74S).** Mint N.H., fresh, Fine-Very Fine, Unitrade value........................(**Photo Ex**) C\$ 1,500.00
- 3051 S 1897-1908, 1c-5c Royal Family and Map, "Specimen" Overprints With Security Punches (78S-86S). 31 of the 47 possible combinations, with two to nine of each denomination, Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine, Unitrade value.......(Photo Ex) C\$ 1,550.00
- 3052 P 1897-1901, 1c-5c Royal Family, Plate Proofs on India (Unitrade 78P-85P). Mounted on card, complete set of six values, large margins, bright colors, Extremely Fine, Unitrade value ........................(Photo Ex) C\$ 450.00
- 3053 ⋈ **1897-1901,** ½**c-5c Royal Family (78/85).** Five denominations, tied on special multicolored registered cover by light grid cancels, "N.N.&W. Railway T.P.O. Newfo. DE 15, 99" rimless circular datestamp, **to London, England,** light blue crayon also ties 1c, several transit and receiving backstamps, Very Fine and most attractive ...... E. 200-300
- 3054 TC 1910, 12c Guy, Trial Color Plate Proof on Thick Gummed Paper (96TC). Two, one imperforate in red and one perforated in green, Mint N.H., Very Fine, scarce.......................(Photo Ex) E. 150-200
- 3055 TC 1937, 1c-48c Coronation, Black Trial Color Plate Proofs on Thick Wove Paper (233TC-43TC). Large margins, Very Fine.......(Photo Ex) E. 200-300
- 3056 P 1937, 1c-48c Coronation, Plate Proofs on Thick Wove Paper (233P-43P). All with large margins, Very Fine, only 100 of each were produced .......(Photo Ex) E. 300-400

#### NEWFOUNDLAND PIONEER FLIGHTS



3058

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1919, 3c Red Brown, Hawker Air Post (C1; SG 142). Well-centered, tied by "St. John's Nfld Apr. 12, 1919 2-PM" postmark on cover to London, England, manuscript "per Aeroplane", Official Seal on back, cover with tiny pinholes at left and small tear at bottom (both are trivial and not noted on certificate)

VERY FINE. AN UNUSUALLY FRESH AND CHOICE HAWKER FLIGHT COVER.



Lt. Harry G. Hawker Pilot of the flight

Postmaster J. A. Robinson of St. John's overprinted 200 stamps, of which only 95 were used. The plane was forced down at sea due to a defect in the cooling system after covering only 1,100 miles. The mail bag was immersed, and some of the stamps were washed off of the covers and replaced at a later date. This cover is remarkable for its freshness.

With 1971 B.P.A. certificate. Unitrade C\$35,000.00 ............ 28,000.00



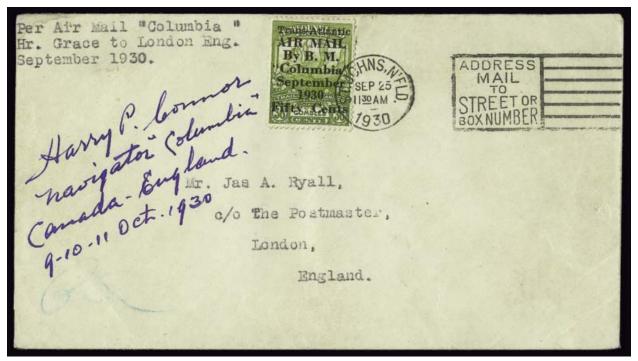
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3059 ⋈ 1927, 60c Black, De Pinedo Air Post (C4; SG 163). Well centered, tied by neat strike of "St. Johns, Nfld. May 20 10-AM 1927" machine cancel on cover addressed to the British Consulate in Naples, Italy, usual faint strike of "Trepassy Newfld MY 21, 1927" date-stamp, Rome and receiving backstamps

VERY FINE. A GREAT AIR POST RARITY. ONLY 225 DE PINEDO STAMPS WERE USED ON FLIGHT COVERS.



Francesco de Pinedo



3060 ₪ 1930, 50c on 36c Olive Green, Columbia Air Post (C5; SG 191). Position 4, tied by "St. Johns, N'fld. Sep 25 1930" machine cancel on cover to London, England, typed "Per Air Mail 'Columbia' Hr. Grace to London Eng. September 1930", neat "Harbour Grace Newf'd OC 9 30" backstamp, well-centered, certificate mentions two minute interior faults affecting stamp, cover signed by navigator Harry Connor, with original letter addressed to the postmaster in London asking to return the cover back to Newfoundland VERY FINE APPEARANCE. ONLY 65 PIECES OF MAIL WITH THE SPECIALLY SURCHARGED STAMP WERE CARRIED FROM ST. JOHN'S. A GREAT RARITY.

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. 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.







- 3063 S **1931, 15c Brown, \$1.00 Blue Air Post, Perforated "Specimen" (C6S, C8S).** 15c Mint N.H., \$1.00 with small h.r., fresh and Very Fine......(**Photo Ex)** E. 150-200

#### **NOVA SCOTIA**



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1851, 1p-1sh Reprints on Thin Hard White Paper (1R/7R). Horizontal pairs, each with large margins around, fresh colors, Extremely Fine, Unitrade C\$1,000.00 as singles, Scott Retail as singles .......................(Photo Ex) 600.00

3067  $\boxplus$  1851, 1p-1sh Reprints on Thin Hard White Paper (1R/7R). Matching bottom left corner margin blocks of four, exceedingly fresh, Extremely Fine, a beautiful set of reprint blocks, Unitrade C\$2,000.00 as singles.....(Photo Ex) 1,200.00



3070

3070 ★ 1853, 1p Red Brown (1; SG 1). Horizontal pair, large part original gum, ample to large margins all around, especially rich color

VERY FINE. AN ATTRACTIVE AND SCARCE ORIGINAL GUM PAIR OF THE NOVA SCOTIA ONE-PENCE RED BROWN.



3071 1853, 1p Red Brown (1; SG 1). Wide margins incl. part of two adjoining stamps, bright fresh color, unusually light grid cancel, Very Fine and choice, with 1973 R.P.S. certifi-1853, 1p Red Brown (1; SG 1). Four large margins, attractive color, bold grid cancel, 3072 1853, 1p Red Brown (1; SG 1). Ample to large margins all around, bright color, light 3073 grid cancel, Very Fine, with 2002 Greene Foundation certificate, SG £425....... 650.00 3074 1853, 1p Red Brown (1; SG 1). Horizontal pair, large to huge margins all around incl. part of adjoining stamps at top, deep rich color and a superb impression, neat manuscript "X" cancels, Extremely Fine, ex Halifax Collection and Mayer, SG £850 as 3075 1853, 1p Red Brown (1; SG 1). Horizontal pair, mostly large margins all around, rich 3076 1853, 1p Red Brown (1; SG 1). Horizontal strip of three, full to mostly large margins all around, deep rich color, neat oval grid cancels, faint spot in top margin above middle stamp, Very Fine-Extremely Fine, ex Mayer, with 1976 P.F. certificate not noting the 3077 1853, 1p Red Brown (1; SG 1). Horizontal strip of three, full to large margins all around, rich color, oval grid cancels, right pair with expertly repaired margins, barely detectable from the front, left stamp is sound, Very Fine appearance, SG £1,275 as singles, Scott 



3078 

1853, 1p Red Brown (1; SG 1). Block of four, ample to mostly large margins all around, rich color, light oval grids and partial strike of Br. Packet circular datestamp at right,

ONE-PENNY RED BROWN.

light vertical crease thru left stamps

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. AN ENORMOUSLY
RARE USED BLOCK OF THE 1853 NOVA SCOTIA

Ex Dale-Lichtenstein and Mayer. ..... E. 4,000-5,000



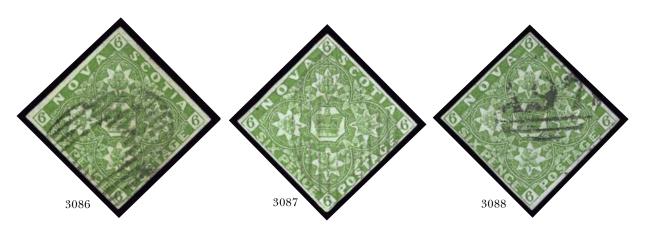
- 3082 ⋈ **1851, 3p Blue (2; SG 4).** Pair, mostly ample to full margins around, just touching the frameline in a couple places, rich color, tied by light grids on folded letter to Vermont, "Antigonish N.S. Jy 30 1857" backstamp, Amherst (Aug. 1) and St. John's (Aug. 3) transit backstamps, horizontal file fold away from stamps, Fine................. E. 200-300





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**1851, 6p Yellow Green (4; SG 5).** Four full to large margins, deep rich color, grid cancel, Very Fine and choice, with 2001 Greene Foundation certificate, SG £500 ......................... 675.00

**1851, 6p Yellow Green (4; SG 5).** Ample to full margins, especially bright color, light strike of grid cancel, Very Fine, with 1992 Greene Foundation certificate, SG £500 ................. 675.00

3088 **1851, 6p Yellow Green (4; SG 5).** Ample to large margins, bright color, "A97" in grid cancel, Very Fine, ex Argenti and Mayer, with 1957 R.P.S. certificate, SG £500... 675.00





1857, 6p Dark Green (5; SG 6). Oval grid cancel, four uncommonly large and even margins, rich color, tiny thin speck, Extremely Fine appearance, SG £900....... 1,750.00







3097 ( $\star$ ) **1851, 1sh Cold Violet (7; SG 7).** Unused (no gum), ample to full margins all around, fresh color

VERY FINE. A RARE UNUSED EXAMPLE OF THE NOVA SCOTIA ONE-SHILLING COLD VIOLET. IT IS BELIEVED LESS THAN TWELVE UNUSED EXAMPLES EXIST.



3098 **1851, 1sh Cold Violet (7; SG 7).** Full margins all around, attractive color, unobtrusive strike of grid cancel and small portion of red transit postmark leaves the entire design clearly visible

VERY FINE AND CHOICE USED EXAMPLE OF THE RARE NOVA SCOTIA ONE-SHILLING COLD VIOLET.

Ex Kanai and Consul Weinberger. With 2004 B.P.A. certificate. SG £5,500 ..... 6,500.00



3099 **1851, 1sh Cold Violet (7; SG 7).** Pair, close to large margins around except just into frameline, rich color, neat grid cancels and red transit postmark on one stamp, certificate notes slight loss of color on one stamp

FINE APPEARANCE. A RARE USED PAIR OF THE NOVA SCOTIA ONE-SHILLING COLD VIOLET. With 1983 Greene Foundation certificate. SG  $\pounds11,000$  as singles. Scott Retail as singles... 13,000.00



ent denominations, incl. issued colors and Trial Colors, two with part imprint in margin, couple trivial thin specks, otherwise Very Fine......(Photo Ex) C\$ 1,200.00 1860-63, 1c-121/2c Plate Proofs (8P/13P). Fourteen different, five different denomina-3101 P tions, incl. issued colors and Trial Colors, three with "Specimen" overprint, a few small 3102 P 1860, 1c Black, Small Die Proof on India (8P2). 31 x 40mm mounted on card, exceedingly fresh, Very Fine ..... E. 150-200 1860, 1c Black, Horizontal Pair, Imperforate Vertically (8c). Strip of three imperf verti-3103 ★ cally, with part imprint in left selvage, original gum, fresh, Fine, cataloged as a pair, Unitrade C\$250.00 325.00 3104 P 1860, 12½c Black, Small Die Proof (13P2). 35 x 39mm, sharp impression, Very Fine ..... 3105 E PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND, 1872, 3c Green, Queen Victoria Essay, Perf 12 (Minuse & Pratt 13E-Aa). Original gum, deep color, Very Fine ...... E. 150-200

#### CANADA ESSAYS, PROOFS AND SPECIMENS







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- 3107 TC

  1851, 6p Trial Color Proofs (Unitrade 2TC/2TCxi). Six, in Red Lilac (right sheet-margin single mounted on card), Red Purple, Orange Yellow, and "Specimen" overprints in Gray (Green overprint), Greenish Gray and Gray Blue, all on India paper and with four margins, Red Purple with small thin and Orange Yellow with wrinkle at bottom, otherwise a Very Fine group, Unitrade value .......................(Photo Ex) C\$ 1,775.00
- 3108 TC 1857, 6p Trial Color Plate Proofs on India with Vertical "Specimen" (Unitrade 2TCviii, ix, xi). In Black, Greenish Gray, and Gray Blue, the black is mounted on card, large margins, Very Fine, Unitrade value......(Photo Ex) C\$ 850.00



C\$ 2,500.00

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3110 P **1851, 3p Black, Plate Proof with Vertical Carmine** "Specimen" Overprint (Unitrade 3Pi). Full margins around, fresh, Very Fine, Unitrade value .... C\$ 2,500.00



3110





3113 TC 1857, ½p Plate Proof and Trial Color on India (Unitrade 8P, 8TC, 8TCi, 8TCii). Issued color and Black with "Specimen", Deep Rose and Yellow Orange, Black mounted on card, one with slight hinge thins and one with minor crease, otherwise Very Fine, Unitrade Value ...................................(Photo Ex) C\$ 1,200.00



3114 PH 1857, 7½p Black, Trial Color Plate Proof on India (Unitrade 9TC). Block of four, large margins all around, remarkably fresh, tiny nick in the top margin above the right proof

EXTREMELY FINE. A VERY RARE PROOF BLOCK.

3114

3115 TC 1859-64, 1c-17c Cents Issue, Plate Proofs and Trial Colors on India (Unitrade 14TC/20TCii). Ten different, two are mounted on card, three with Specimen overprint, a few small flaws, otherwise Very Fine, Unitrade value .......(Photo Ex) C\$ 2,900.00



3119 E 1870, 1c-3c Engraved Plate Essays (Minuse & Pratt 35E-Aa to 37E-Ab). Six, 1c Deep Yellow, 2c Deep Blue, Yellow Green (small thin), Dark Green (on card) and Blue on Bluish paper (small faults, unlisted), 3c Orange, all with large margins, except for the mentioned two faults Very Fine-Extremely Fine......(Photo Ex) £. 500-750 1870, 1c Deep Yellow Engraved Plate Essay (Minuse & Pratt 35E-Aa). Large margins all 3120 E around, with part imprint in top sheet margin, brilliant color, Extremely Fine..... E. 150-200 1870, 3c Lithographed Plate Essay on White Glazed Paper (Minuse & Pratt 37E-Ad). 3121 E Two, one in Red-Orange and one in Black, both with large margins all around, 3122 P 1876, 5c Slate Green, Plate Proof on Card (38P4). Sheet margin at left with partial 3123 E 1880, 1p Dim Brown, Colony of Canada Plate Essay (Minuse & Pratt E-Aa). Large margins on all four sides, bright color, Extremely Fine and scarce ...... E. 400-500 3124 E 1880, 1p Dull Blue Green, Colony of Canada Plate Essay (Minuse & Pratt E-Aa). Full to large margins all around, fresh color, Very Fine, a scarce essay ...... E. 400-500 1880, 1p Dark Violet, Queen Victoria Plate Essay (Minuse & Pratt E-Bb). On hard bond 3125 E paper, four large margins, bright and fresh, Very Fine..... E. 300-400 3126 E 1880, 1p Black, Queen Victoria Plate Essay (Minuse & Pratt E-Ba). On white card, large margins, small thin spot, Very Fine appearance, quite scarce...... E. 300-400 1880, 6p Black, Viking Head Plate Essay (Minuse & Pratt E-Ca). On thick card, four 3127 E large margins, Extremely Fine ...... E. 300-400 1880, 6p Dark Blue, Viking Head Plate Essay (Minuse & Pratt E-Ca). Large margins 3128 E incl. sheet margin at left, brilliant color, trivial faint toned spot in the far left margin, Extremely Fine E. 300-400



3129EX

3129 P 1897, ½c-\$5.00 Jubilee, Plate Proofs on Card (Unitrade 50P4-65P4). Complete set in horizontal pairs, all with large margins, bright and fresh

EXTREMELY FINE. A MAGNIFICENT AND RARE SET OF PLATE PROOF PAIRS ON CARD OF THE 1897 JUBILEE ISSUE.





colors, large margins, Very Fine set, no more than 171 sets can exist, Unitrade value..... (Photo Ex) C\$ 2,000.00 1897-98, ½c-6c Maple Leaf, Plate Proofs on India Card (66P-71P). All with large to huge 3131 P margins around incl. some sheet margins, Extremely Fine, Unitrade value ...... 1897-98, ½c-10c Maple Leaf, Diagonal "Specimen" Handstamps (66S-73S). Without 3132 S gum, Fine, the first such Specimen set we have encountered .......(Photo Ex) E. 400-500 1935, 1c-13c Silver Jubilee, Plate Proofs on Card (211P-16P). 3c, 10c and 13c with sheet 3133 P margin at left, other margins large and even, pristine and Extremely Fine, Unitrade 1955, Canadian Bank Note Experimental Essay. Two, one imperforate in Green, the 3134 E other perforated in Blue (right sheet margin copy), both with original gum (Mint N.H.), Extremely Fine, accompanied by a 1955 letter from the Canadian Bank Note Company regarding these experimental Essays............(Photo Ex) E. 150-200 1913, Brown Black, Official Seal, Plate Proof on India (Unitrade OX4P). Mounted on 3135 P card, large even margins all around, brilliantly fresh, Extremely Fine, Unitrade value .... 

1897-98, ½c-10c Maple Leaf, Plate Proofs on India Card (Unitrade 66P-73P). Bright

3130 P

3136 P

#### END OF SESSION ONE

1913, Brown Black Official Seal, Plate Proof on India (Unitrade OX4P). Mounted on card, four large margins, very fresh, Extremely Fine, Unitrade value ............ C\$ 800.00







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## SESSION TWO (LOTS 3137-3493) TUESDAY, APRIL 16, 2013, AT 1:30 P.M.

#### CANADA PENCE ISSUES

3137 **1851, 3p Red, Laid Paper (1; SG 1).** Four large margins incl. a **sheet margin** at top, other three margins large and even, attractive bright color and detailed impression, neat grid cancels

EXTREMELY FINE. SHEET MARGIN EXAMPLES OF CANADA 3-PENCE RED ON LAID PAPER ARE RARELY SEEN, ESPECIALLY IN THIS GEM QUALITY.

With 2004 Greene Foundation certificate, SG £1,000....... 1,000.00



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- 1851, 3p Orange Vermilion, Laid Paper (1; SG 1). Horizontal pair, large to huge margins all around, wonderful color, lightly cancelled by two strikes of target handstamp EXTREMELY FINE. AMONG THE FINEST OF THE FEW KNOWN USED PAIRS OF THE 1851 3-PENCE ORANGE VERMILION BEAVER.



barely into frameline at top, bright color, left stamp with shallow thin spot, Fine appear-1851, 3p Red, Laid Paper (1; SG 1). Four large margins, bright shade, tied by seven-ring  $3142 \boxtimes$ cancel with matching "Toronto No 26 1851" circular datestamp on small cover to Quebec, Dec. 5 backstamp, the stamp is Extremely Fine and uncommonly choice, with 3143 1851, 3p Orange Vermilion, Laid Paper (1a; SG 1a). Four large margins, bright color in this distinctive shade, light target cancels as well as portion of a red cancel at bottom,

1851, 3p Red, Laid Paper (1; SG 1). Horizontal pair, large margins on three sides, just

strong laid lines, Extremely Fine, a beautiful used example of the first stamp of Canada, 3144 1851, 3p Orange Vermilion, Laid Paper (1a; SG 1a). Vertical pair with target cancels,

bright color, large margins on three sides, just barely touches the frameline at top of right side, Fine, a scarce multiple, catalog values are for singles, SG £2,000..... 2,000.00

31451851, 6p Grayish Purple, Laid Paper (2; SG 2). Four very large and even margins, rich color and a well incised impression, target cancel

> EXTREMELY FINE. A FABULOUS COPY OF THE CANADA 1851 6-PENCE ON LAID PAPER.

> With 1990 Holcombe and 2008 Sismondo certificates......

> > 3146



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1851, 6p Grayish Purple, Laid Paper (2; SG 2). Four large margins including a sizable sheet margin at left, rich color and a sharp impression, centrally-struck target cancel, Extremely Fine, sheet margin copies of the 1851 6p are rare, ex King, with 2002 P.F. certifi-







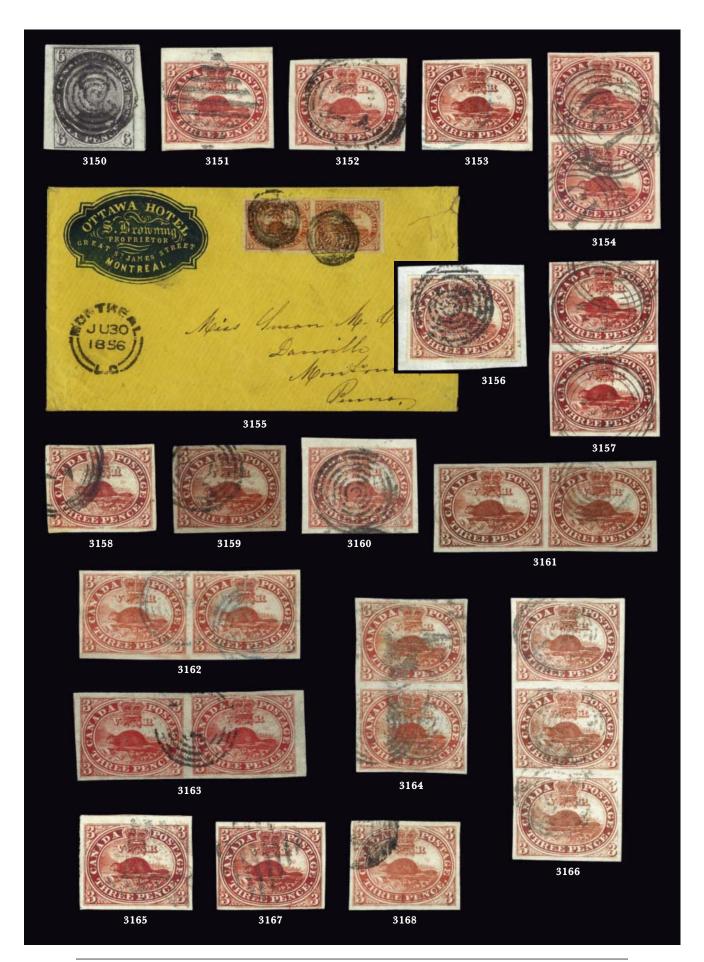
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1851, 6p Slate Violet, Laid Paper (2; SG 2). Particularly deep shade and proof-like impression, large margins all around except a little close at top left, tied by target cancel on fresh cover to Boston, red "Montreal, L.C. De 13 1852" circular datestamp and matching "Canada" in arc exchange handstamp

VERY FINE. AN ESPECIALLY HANDSOME COVER WITH THE CANADA 1851 6-PENCE ON LAID PAPER.

Ex Green, Guilford and Gross..... E. 2,000-3,000



3150	<b>1851, 6p Grayish Purple (2b; SG 3).</b> Exceptionally wide margins, ample to full at top and bottom, fresh color, target cancel, Very Fine, with 2001 B.P.A. certificate, SG £1,400.00
3151	<b>1852, 3p Red (4; SG 5).</b> Exceptionally large margins all around incl. <b>sheet margin</b> at top, gorgeous color that is bright and vivid, crisp detailed impression, bold square grid cancel, Extremely Fine, a superb stamp, SG £200
3152	1852, 3p Red (4). Huge margins on all four sides incl. a portion of the adjoining stamp at right, gorgeous color that is particularly rich and vibrant, fresh paper, centrally struck numeral "21" four-ring handstamp, Extremely Fine, an outstanding stamp in every regard, ex Dr. Tang
3153	1852, 3p Red (4; SG 5). Large margins around incl. frameline of adjoining stamp at bottom, deep rich color, light blue target cancel, Extremely Fine, SG £200 225.00
3154	<b>1852, 3p Red (4; SG 5).</b> Vertical pair, Positions B53/63, top stamp showing a strong <b>reentry in "V.R."</b> , large margins, rich color, neat "19" four-ring cancels of London, Extremely Fine, SG £400 as normal singles, Scott Retail as singles
3155 ⋈	<b>1852</b> , <b>3p Red (4; SG 5).</b> Horizontal pair, large margins all around, tied by target cancels, matching "Montreal L.C. JU 30, 1856" circular datestamp at bottom left on yellow cover with <b>fancy corner card of Ottawa Hotel</b> , to Danville Penn., cover with tear at top right not affecting stamps or markings, Very Fine and attractive E. 500-750
3156	<b>1852, 3p Brown Red (4a; SG 8).</b> Four large margins, rich color, tied on piece by target cancel, Extremely Fine, SG £250
3157	<b>1852, 3p Brown Red (4a; SG 8).</b> Vertical pair, full to large margins all around, deep rich color and a sharp impression, neat target cancels, Very Fine and choice, SG £500 as singles, Scott Retail as singles
3158	<b>1857, 3p Red, Ribbed Paper (4c; SG 22).</b> Strong ribbing that shows quite clearly, large margins, deep color, neat numeral target handstamp, trace of toning at bottom left, otherwise Very Fine, SG £450
3159	<b>1852-55, 3p Orange Red, Thin Paper (4d; SG 7).</b> Large even margins all around, deep color and an intense impression, numeral target cancel, Extremely Fine and handsome, signed Sismondo, SG £250
3160	1852-55, 3p Scarlet Vermilion, Thin Paper (4d; SG 7). Huge margins all around, bright color, target cancel, faint corner crease at top left, otherwise Extremely Fine 225.00
3161	1852-55, 3p Orange Red, Thin Paper (4d; SG 7). Horizontal pair, large even margins on all four sides, beautiful color in a particularly rich shade, excellent impression, light strike of blue grid cancels, Extremely Fine, a Gem pair with great eye appeal, ex Carrington and King, with 2002 B.P.A. certificate, SG £500 as singles, Scott Retail as singles
3162	<b>1852-55, 3p Orange Red, Thin Paper (4d; SG 7).</b> Horizontal pair, large margins on all four sides, rich color and detailed impression, two light strikes of <b>blue</b> target cancel, Extremely Fine, a Gem-quality pair, ex Dr. Tang, SG £500 as singles, Scott Retail as singles
3163	<b>1852-55, 3p Orange Red, Thin Paper (4d; SG 7).</b> Horizontal pair, large margin all around incl. a <b>sheet margin</b> at right, brilliantly rich color and a sharp impression, light strike of target cancel, Extremely Fine, SG £500 as singles, Scott Retail as singles 450.00
3164	<b>1852-55, 3p Orange Red, Thin Paper (4d; SG 7).</b> Vertical pair, large margins, attractive color, Very Fine and choice, SG £500 as singles, Scott Retail as singles
3165	1852, 3p Deep Red (Unitrade 4i; SG 6). Four exceptionally large margins incl. showing the adjoining stamp's frameline at top, rich color in this distinctive shade, very lightly cancelled, Extremely Fine Gem, ex King, Unitrade C\$350.00, SG value £ 250
3166	<b>1852, 3p Orange Red (Unitrade 4ii).</b> Vertical strip of three, Positions A68/78/88, the bottom stamp with prominent <b>short transfer</b> at top right, large even margins all around, rich color, lightly cancelled, Extremely Fine, an important plate variety, with 2004 Greene Foundation certificate, Unitrade value as three normal stamps C\$ 1,050.00
3167	<b>1852, 3p Red, Cracked Plate at Lower Right (Unitrade 4ix).</b> Position 31, displaying the two cracked lines well, full to large margins all around, deep rich color, grid cancel, Very Fine, Unitrade value
3168	1852, 3p Red, Major Re-entry (Unitrade 4vii; SG 8b). Position A47, with bold line thru "EE PEN", large even margins all around, bright color, unobtrusive cancel leaving the re-entry characteristics clearly visible, Extremely Fine, a select example of the most important of the re-entries. SG £850









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3173 ⋈ 1857, 10p Blue, Thick Wove Paper (7a; SG 20). Deep rich color and detailed impression, margins range from large to close in a couple places, tied by square grid on small cover to Lanark, Scotland, red "Legislative Assembly February 14, 1859, Canada" ornamental datestamp in red, Liverpool transit circular datestamp, Lanark receiving backstamp VERY FINE. AN IMPRESSIVE AND SCARCE COVER FROM THE FAMOUS "MRS. STRANGE" CORRESPONDENCE.

Also of note is this cover is endorsed "O. Mowatt, MPP" at bottom left. Mr. Mowatt was a member of the Provincial Parliament and Postmaster General just a few years later. Ex Seybold (with his handstamp on reverse), Dale-Lichtenstein, Nickle, Guildford and Gross.

E. 2,000-3,000



3174 ★ 1857, ½p Rose (8; SG 17). Lightly hinged, intense color and impression, large margins all around, Very Fine and attractive, with 1974 R.P.S. certificate, SG £950 ............ 1,000.00 1857, ½p Rose (8; SG 17). Unused (no gum), large margins, fresh color, Very Fine, SG 3175 (★) 1857, ½p Rose (8; SG 17). Lightly hinged, ample to full margins all around, tiny thin 3176 ★ speck in bottom left corner, Very Fine appearance, with 2005 Greene Foundation certifi-1857, ½p Rose (8; SG 17). Vertical strip of three, large margins all around, rich color, 3177 lightly cancelled, tiny wrinkle and faint toning in left margin, Very Fine appearance, a scarce multiple, ex Carey Fox and King, SG £1,650 as singles, Scott Retail as singles ...... 2,100.00 1857, ½p Rose (8; SG 17). Four large margins, tied by "Hamilton C.W. JY 13 1858" circular datestamp on small folded letter paying the local drop rate (which was the  $3178 \bowtie$ intended use of this stamp), additional circular datestamp at right, Extremely Fine, an 1857, ½p Rose, Vertically Ribbed Paper (8b; SG 21a). Close to large margins around, 3179 fresh color, lightly cancelled, Very Fine example of this rare stamp, with 1992 FQP 

1857, 7½p Green (9; SG 12). Large margins all around, deeply rich color and an excellent impression, red target cancel

VERY FINE AND CHOICE EXAMPLE OF THE 1857 7½ PENCE GREEN ISSUE. A STAMP WITH WONDERFUL EYE APPEAL.

With 2006 B.P.A. certificate. SG £2,250 .......... 3,500.00



3180



3181 1857, 7½p Green (9; SG 12). Gorgeous rich color and an especially intense impression, large margins nearly all around, unusually light cancel, Very Fine, a handsome

and desirable stamp, with 2001 B.P.A. certificate, SG 

3181

3182 1857, 6p Reddish Purple, Very Thick Soft Wove Paper (10; SG 23). Full to large margins all around, lovely rich color, target cancel

> VERY FINE. A WONDERFUL EXAMPLE OF THE 6-PENCE REDDISH PURPLE ON VERY THICK SOFT WOVE PAPER.

> Ex Chapin and Gross. 1959 P.F. certificate no longer accompanies. SG £3,750 ...... 6,000.00



3182







3185

3183 (★) 1858, ½p Rose, Perf 12 (11; SG 25). Unused (no gum), Fine, a scarce unused stamp, with 

3184 1858, 3p Red, Perf 12 (12; SG 26). Horizontal pair, attractive color, lightly cancelled, some separated perfs at top reinforced with a hinge, right stamp with light vertical 

1859, 1c Rose (14; SG 29). Horizontal strip of five, tied by grid cancels, matching 3185 ⋈ "Toronto OC 23, 1863" circular datestamp on orange cover with Beaver Mutual Fire Insurance Association corner card at bottom left, to Brantford, Mohawk and receiving backstamps, Fine, attractive multiple..... E. 150-200



- 3191 (★) **1868, 15c Gray Violet, Thin Paper (29e).** Small part original gum, exceptionally bright and fresh, well-centered, Very Fine, with 1997 Greene Foundation certificate, Unitrade C\$900.00.... 525.00
- 3192 ★ 1868, 15c Gray, Pawnbroker Variety (Unitrade 30iii). Original gum, h.r., wide margins, Extremely Fine, a scarce and highly collectable plate variety that is found only on examples from Position 10, with 1997 Greene Foundation certificate, ex Crossings and Roberts, Unitrade value...

  C\$ 2,500.00



3195	★⊞	1870, 1c Yellow (35; SG 75). Block of nine, top row h.r., bottom six stamps Mint N.H., brilliant color, Fine-Very Fine
3196	*	1878, 1c Yellow, Imperforate Pair (35b; SG 75da). Horizontal pair with part imprint at bottom, original gum, small h.r., typical natural gum bends, large margins, bright color, crease in the far bottom left margin, Extremely Fine, SG £600.00, Unitrade C\$600.00 475.00
3197	*	1891, 2c Green, Imperforate Pair (36a; SG 78a). Horizontal pair, lightly hinged, large to huge margins all around incl. sheet margin at left, rich color, Extremely Fine, SG £700, Unitrade C\$900.00
3198	(★)	1870, 3c Copper Red, Ottawa Printing (37b, SG 79). Unused (no gum), remarkably well-centered with wide margins, Extremely Fine Gem, a highly select example of this scarce stamp, ex Crossings and Roberts, with 1990 Greene Foundation certificate, SG $\pounds$ 1,100, Unitrade C $\$$ 1,800.00
3199	**	1876, 5c Slate Green (38; SG 97). With part imprint in top selvage, light natural thin spot under full original gum that is Mint N.H., light natural gum bend, fresh color, well-centered, Extremely Fine appearance, ex Roberts, with clear 1998 R.P.S. certificate, Unitrade C\$3,600.00
3200	*	1873, 6c Yellow Brown, Perf 11½ x 12 (39b; SG 98). Original gum, tiny h.r., wonderfully rich color on fresh white paper, Very Fine, with 1985 Greene Foundation certificate, SG £550, Unitrade C\$1,200.00
3201	*	<b>1891, 3c Bright Vermilion, Imperforate Pair (41b; SG 105ba).</b> Horizontal pair, original gum, lightly hinged, large even margins all around, bright color, Extremely Fine, SG £550, Unitrade C\$600.00
3202	*	<b>1891, 3c Bright Vermilion, Imperforate Pair (41b; SG 105ba).</b> Horizontal pair with <b>sheet margin</b> at left, original gum with some natural gum bends as usual, radiant color, pinpoint thin speck, Extremely Fine appearance, ex Roberts, SG £550, Unitrade C\$600.00
3203	*	<b>1891, 5c Gray, Imperforate Pair (42a; SG 106a).</b> Horizontal pair, original gum (a little streaky as usual), large margins all around, pinpoint thin speck at top, Extremely Fine appearance, SG £700, Unitrade C\$900.00
3204	**	<b>1888, 8c Slate (44b; SG 118).</b> Mint N.H., spectacular proof-like color and impression, excellent centering with especially wide margins, Extremely Fine Gem, ex Roberts, Unitrade C\$1,600.00
3205	*	<b>1893, 8c Gray, Imperforate Pair (44d; SG 117a).</b> Horizontal pair, original gum, large even margins around, tiny thin speck and faint gum soak in bottom margin, Extremely Fine appearance, ex Roberts, SG £950, Unitrade C\$1,000.00
3206	*	<b>1897, 10c Brown Red (45; SG 111).</b> Lightly hinged, rich color, Very Fine, SG £250, Unitrade C\$900.00
3207	*	1894, 10c Brown Red, Imperforate Pair (45c; SG 111a). Horizontal pair with part imprint sheet margin at top, original gum, minor h.r., large margins, rich color, Extremely Fine, ex Roberts, SG £750, Unitrade C\$750.00
3208	*	1893, 20c Vermilion, Imperforate Pair (46a; SG 115a). Horizontal pair, original gum, large margins, bright color, small thin spot at top, Very Fine appearance, SG £1,700, Unitrade $C$1,800.00$
3209	*	1893, 50c Deep Blue, Imperforate Pair (47a; SG 116a). Pair with bottom left corner margin, original gum, sheet stacking has caused some gum disturbance and thin spots, intense proof-like color and impression, Extremely Fine appearance, SG £1,800, Unitrade C\$1,800.00
		1897 JUBILEE ISSUE
3210	**	<b>1897, ½c Jubilee (50).</b> Mint N.H., exceptionally well-centered amid unusually large margins, deep color, Extremely Fine, with 2006 Gratton certificate, Unitrade C\$480.00
3211	*	<b>1897, 1c, 2c, 5c Jubilee (51, 52, 54).</b> 1c Mint N.H., 2c with small h.r., 5c lightly hinged, each is well-centered (particularly the 2c), rich colors, Extremely Fine, 2c with 2007 P.F. certificate grading XF-S 95, Unitrade C\$250.00(Photo Ex) 142.00
3212	**	<b>1897, 5c Jubilee, Slate Blue (Unitrade 54i).</b> Mint N.H., perfectly centered with wide margins, beautiful rich color, certificate mentions a natural paper crease which is barely perceptible, Extremely Fine, with 2001 Greene Foundation certificate, Unitrade value



- 3220 **\* 1897, 50c Jubilee (60).** Original gum, small h.r., well-centered, fresh color, Extremely Fine, with 2007 P.F. certificate graded VF-XF 85, Unitrade \$500.00 ......................... 375.00



- 3221 ★ 1897, \$1.00-\$5.00 Jubilee (61-65). All with original gum (disturbed on \$5.00), \$2.00 and \$4.00 each with light gum bend, bright fresh colors, Very Fine, an attractive set of dollar value Jubilees, Unitrade C\$9,200.00 .......(Photo Ex) 6,700.00

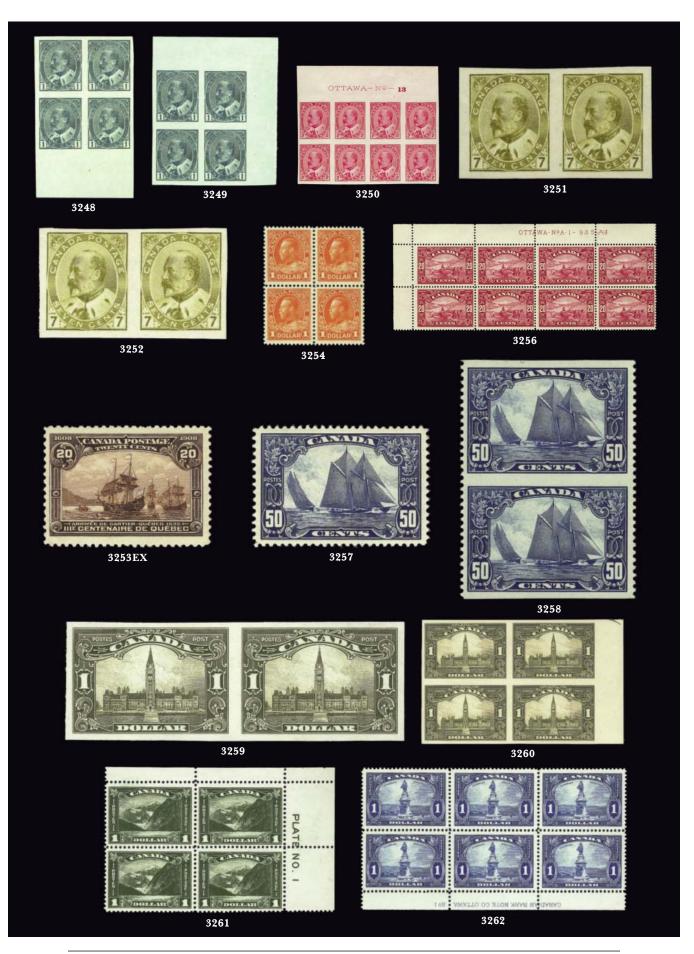
- 3224 ★ **1897, \$3.00 Jubilee (63).** Original gum, wide margins, well-centered, rich color, Extremely Fine, with 2005 Greene Foundation certificate, Unitrade C\$2,000.00 1,400.00



3230	) ★	<b>1897, 1c Blue Green, Imperforate Pair (67a).</b> Horizontal pair, original gum, large margins, deep color, Extremely Fine, Unitrade C\$600.00
3231	**	<b>1897, 6c Brown Maple Leaf (71).</b> Mint N.H., choice centering with especially wide margins, deep color, Extremely Fine Gem, Unitrade C\$600.00
3232	. ★★	<b>1897, 6c Brown Maple Leaf (71).</b> Mint N.H., excellent centering, rich color, Extremely Fine, Unitrade C\$600.00
3233	**	<b>1897, 6c Brown Maple Leaf (71).</b> Mint N.H., unusually wide margins, deep color, Extremely Fine, Unitrade C\$600.00
3234	**	<b>1897, 6c Brown Maple Leaf (71).</b> Mint N.H., outstanding centering with wide margins, deeply rich color, trivial gum bend, Extremely Fine, Unitrade C\$600.00
3235	<b>★★</b>	<b>1897, 6c Brown Maple Leaf (71).</b> Six singles and one vertical pair, all Mint N.H., rich color, one stamp with a single unpunched perf, one with Fine centering, others are Very Fine-Extremely Fine, Unitrade C\$4,350.00
3236	5 ★★⊞	<b>1897, 6c Brown Maple Leaf (71).</b> Mint N.H. block of four, well-centered (particularly the right pair), rich color, Extremely Fine, Unitrade C\$2,400.00
3237	′ ★★⊞	<b>1897, 6c Brown Maple Leaf (71).</b> Mint N.H. block of four, well-centered, especially the bottom right stamp which is a wide-margined Gem, rich color, Extremely Fine, Unitrade C\$2,400.00
3238	3 ★★⊞	<b>1897, 6c Brown Maple Leaf (71).</b> Mint N.H. block of four, rich color, Fine-Very Fine, Unitrade \$600.00 for Fine, \$2,400.00 for Very Fine
3239	) ★★⊞	1897, 6c Brown Maple Leaf (71). Mint N.H. block of ten, containing some well-centered and wide-margined stamps, rich color, Very Fine-Extremely Fine, Unitrade C\$6,000.00
3240	<b>*</b>	<b>1898, 8c Orange, Imperforate Pair (72a).</b> Horizontal pair, original gum, lightly hinged, large even margins all around, Extremely Fine, Unitrade C\$900.00
3241	<b>.</b> *	1898, ½c Black, Imperforate Pair from the A.B.N. Co. Archives (Unitrade 74v). Without gum as issued, large margins, Very Fine, Unitrade value
3242	: ★	<b>1898, 1c Gray Green, Imperforate Pair (75a).</b> Horizontal pair, original gum, lightly hinged, large even margins, bright and fresh, Extremely Fine, only two sheets of 100 were printed, Unitrade C\$1,500.00
3248	<b>3</b> (★)	1898, 2c Carmine, Die I, Imperforate Pair (77c). Without gum, horizontal pair with sheet margin at left, bright color, large margins, Extremely Fine, Unitrade C\$500.00
3244	*	<b>1899, 5c Blue, Imperforate Pair (79a).</b> Horizontal pair, original gum, lightly hinged, large and even margins, deep color, Very Fine, Unitrade C\$1,500.00



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- 3252 ★ 1903, 7c Olive Bister, Imperforate Pair (92a). Without gum as issued, horizontal pair, large margins, Very Fine, with 1994 A.P.S. certificate, Unitrade C\$1,000.00....... 800.00
- 3253 ★ 1908, ½c-20c Tercentenary (96-103). ½c-7c Mint N.H., 10c with slightly disturbed o.g., 15c lightly hinged, 20c small h.r., well-centered with wide margins, Extremely Fine set, Unitrade C\$2,640.00......(Photo Ex) 1,402.00
- 3254 ★★⊞ 1923, \$1.00 Orange, Dry Printing (122). Mint N.H. block of four, dazzling intense color, well-centered with wide margins, Extremely Fine, Unitrade C\$1,800.00................ 960.00



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- 3256 ★★⊞ 1929, 20c Harvesting (157). Mint N.H. top left selvage imprint and plate No. 1 block of eight, vibrant color, Fine-Very Fine, the catalog value is for plate blocks of six.... 540.00
- 3258 **\* 1929, 50c Bluenose, Vertical Pair, Imperforate Horizontally (158c).** Lightly hinged, well-centered, deep color, Very Fine and choice, Unitrade C\$1,000.00 .................. 800.00
- 3259 ★★ 1929, \$1.00 Parliament, Imperforate Pair (159a). Mint N.H. horizontal pair, large even margins all around, bright color, Extremely Fine, Unitrade C\$1,450.00 ....................... 1,050.00
- 3260 ★⊞ 1929, \$1.00 Parliament, Imperforate (159a). Block of four with sheet margin at right, other margins large and balanced, lightly hinged, Extremely Fine, Unitrade C\$1,800.00
- 3261 ★★⊞ 1930-31, \$1.00 Mt. Cavell (177). Top right corner selvage plate No. 1 block of four, Mint N.H., well-centered and with deep color on fresh paper, Very Fine, Unitrade C\$4,000.00

#### ST. LAWRENCE SEAWAY INVERT

The St. Lawrence Seaway provided for passage from the Atlantic Ocean to the Great Lakes. It was a collaboration between the United States and Canada. The Seaway was opened in 1959 with a ceremony led by Queen Elizabeth II and President Eisenhower. Both the United States and Canada issued stamps to commemorate the event. Both stamps have the same basic design, except the Canada stamp has bilingual text at top. The invert is only known on the Canadian stamp.



EXTREMELY FINE EXAMPLE OF THE RARE CANADA SEAWAY INVERT.

3263 ★★

1959, 5c Seaway Invert (387a; SG 513a). Mint N.H., beautifully centered, rich colors



3264

3264 \*\* 1959, 5c Seaway Invert (387a; SG 513a). Mint N.H. vertical pair with selvage at left, vibrant colors on fresh white paper





3266EX

3265 ★★ 1982, 32c Maple Leaf, Beige and Tagging Omitted. The so-called "Maple Leaf in Winter" error, Mint N.H., Extremely Fine, only 150 known, Unitrade C\$1,500.00....... 1,200.00 1994, 52c and 90c Christmas (Unitrade 1534ii, 1535ii). Mint N.H., Very Fine, these two 3266 ★★ values were prepared for an anticipated rate increase that was never approved ......

(Photo Ex) C\$ 800.00

GREAT BRITAIN

See also lot 3816 for reconstruction of 1864 1p Red

- 3267 Rowland Hill. ALS, datelined "24th Dec. '66" and reads "Don't trouble yourself further about the troops. The figures as they originally stood were taken from a statement made by Lord Elcho in the H. of Commons which I am now afraid was incorrect. The real facts of the case cannot be stated, as the information is considered confidential. You will see that I have altered the back of the report, Yours Faithfully, Rowland Hill", fresh and Very Fine ALS from the father of the postage
- 3268 (★) 1840, 1p Black (1; SG 2). Lettered E-C, unused (barest traces of original gum), full margins, intense shade VERY FINE. A SCARCE UNUSED EXAMPLE OF THE FAMOUS "PENNY BLACK". SG £12,000 with original gum, Scott Retail with original gum ...... 10,000.00



3268



3269 ★ 1840, 1p Black (1; SG 2). Lettered I-A, part original gum, full to mostly large margins all around, crisp impression, mild crease at bottom right, Very Fine appearance, a rare original-gum example of the Penny Black, SG £12,000.... 









- 1840, 1p Black, Plate 11 (1; SG 2). Lettered H-G, large margins to well clear, intense shade and impression, neat Maltese Cross cancel, faint vertical crease, small thin spot, Very Fine appearance, scarce from Plate 11, unlisted in Scott, Stanley Gibbons value .......... £ 4,500

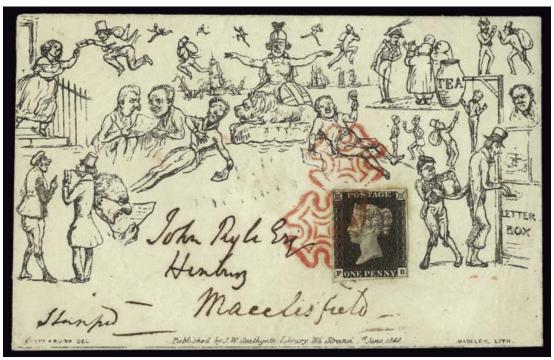


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3278 **1840, 1p Black (1; SG 2).** Plate 2, horizontal strip of six, lettered CC-CH, full to mostly large margins all around, bright shade and a sharp impression, neat red Maltese Cross cancels, light vertical crease between the left two stamps and thru the right stamp (as one would expect on a multiple this size)

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. ONE OF THE LARGEST KNOWN USED MULTIPLES OF THE PENNY BLACK.

Ex Chartwell...... E. 1,500-2,000



3279

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1840, 1p Black (1; SG 2). Plate 3, lettered F-B, large margins to clear, tied by two strikes of red Maltese Cross, "JU 3, 1840" backstamp on Southgate's Envelope No. 1 "Pick-Pocket" and used to Henbury, Macclesfield, trivial edgewear

VERY FINE AND CHOICE. THIS IS THE EARLIEST RECORDED USE OF ANY OF THE SOUTHGATE CARICATURE ENVELOPES. IT IS ALSO THE ONLY RECORDED EXAMPLE OF THE SOUTHGATE NO. 1 "PICK POCKET" ENVELOPE USED WITH A PENNY BLACK. A REMARKABLE RARITY.

Ex Seymour. Offered to the market for the first time since 1984...... E. 3,000-4,000

Please see lot 3295 for another Southgate caricature envelope



- 3280 ⋈ 1840, 1p Black (1; SG 2). Lettered L-H, large margins to clear, bright shade, tied by well-struck red Maltese Cross on folded letter to Shropshire, clear strike of "Mortlake MY 23, 1840" circular datestamp at lower left with manuscript "prepaid", also with receiving back-stamp of the same day, fresh and Very Fine, used during the first month of issue.......

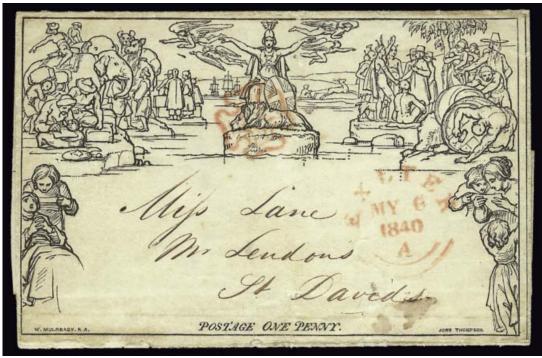
  E. 500-750
- 3282 

   1840, 1p Black (1; SG 2). Lettered F-D, large margins all around, intense shade, tied by neat strike of Maltese Cross, matching "Ashby De La Zouch MY 6, 1841" rimless circular datestamp on folded letter to Newbury, Berks, red London backstamp of the following day, fresh and Extremely Fine, used exactly one year after officially issued ... E. 300-400
- 3283 ⋈ **1840, 1p Black (1; SG 2).** Twelve covers and one cover front only, wide range of uses and shades, few earlier uses incl. June 24, July 29 and July 30 of 1840, four others from 1840, generally four margins or just touched or just in at spots, nine tied by red Maltese Cross cancels, three by black, few minor cover flaws, generally Fine-Very Fine, a worthwhile and desirable group of the Penny Blacks ..................(**Photo Ex**) E. 3,000-4,000



3204	around, gorgeous bright color, bold red Maltese Cross cancel, Extremely Fine, a Gem stamp in every respect, with 2011 Sismondo certificate, SG £975
3285	<b>1840, 2p Blue (2; SG 4).</b> Lettered R-E, large margins to full, intense shade, Very Fine and choice, SG £1,100
3286	<b>1840, 2p Blue (2; SG 4).</b> Horizontal pair, Plate 2, lettered N-E to N-F, large margins all around, radiant color, lightly cancelled, Extremely Fine, a beautiful pair, signed Buhler, SG Specialised £2,000
3287	<b>1840, 2p Blue (2; SG 4).</b> Horizontal strip of three, lettered H-D to H-F, large to huge margins all around, spectacular color that is remarkably deep and vivid, neat black Maltese Cross cancels, Extremely Fine, a marvelous strip, SG Specialised £2,850 as a pair and single
3288 ⊠	<b>1840, 2p Blue (2; SG 5).</b> Lettered L-E, large margins to in at top, small flaw at upper right from placement near edge of cover, tied by bold Maltese Cross, "Stroud MA 10, 1841" double-circle datestamp on cover to Birmingham, receiving backstamp (Mar. 11), also with "MinchinHampton" backstamp, some edgewear, Fine E. 300-400
3289 ⋈	<b>1840, 2p Blue (2; SG 5).</b> Horizontal pair, lettered S-G to S-H, large margins to in at bottom, tied by Maltese Cross cancels, red boxed Sept. 8, 1842 origination backstamp on folded cover to Dunfermline, Scotland, receiving backstamp (SE 9), vertical file folds well away from stamps, Fine, scarce pair used on cover E. 750-1,000

# MULREADY ENVELOPES MAY 6, 1840—FIRST DAY OF OFFICIAL USE



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1840, 1p Black, Mulready Lettersheet (U3). Stereo A11, cancelled by red Maltese Cross, matching "Exeter MY 6, 1840 A" First Day circular datestamp and used to St. David's, accompanied by undated and unsigned note in same hand as address Thank Rowland Hill for this letter", some edgewear and small ink mark at bottom

VERY FINE. A RARE EXAMPLE OF THE ONE-PENNY MULREADY, USED ON THE FIRST DAY OF ISSUE. ESPECIALLY DESIRABLE WITH THE DATE SO CLEARLY STRUCK ON THE FRONT OF THE LETTERSHEET — HIGHLY SUITABLE FOR DISPLAY.

The datestamp on most First Day covers was usually struck on the back, making display difficult. The example offered here, with a clear strike of the May 6, 1840 circular datestamp, is a wonderful exhibition piece. SG from £18,000 ...... E. 4,000-5,000



Cross once over Britannia and again — against regulations — at upper right, matching "May 7 1840" in Maltese Cross backstamp and used from London to Hereford, fresh and Very Fine, used on the second day of issue, ex Shaida and Giamporcaro.... E. 400-500 1840, 1p Black, Mulready Letter Sheet (U3). Stereo A8, cancelled by red Maltese Cross,  $3292 \bowtie$ with "LS 3 MY 8 1840" in black Maltese Cross on reverse, used only two days after the first day of issue, addressed to Hants, letter datelined Bishopsgate 8 May, 1840, light vertical filed folds and some minor soiling, Fine, attractive early use, SG £475....... 500.00 1840, 2p Blue, Mulready Lettersheet (U4). Stereo a104, cancelled by red manuscript and  $3293 \bowtie$ matching "T. P. Putney's" boxed handstamp, "JU 1, 1840" backstamp, light horizontal file fold at top, some wear, Very Fine, attractive early use, SG £2,000, Scott Retail \$2,000.00 E. 400-500  $3294 \bowtie$ 1840, 2p Blue, Mulready Lettersheet (U4). Stereo a104, cancelled by well-struck "71" in grid and indistinct red straightline handstamp, red "SP 30, 1846" backstamp and used to London, minor edgewear, Very Fine, SG £2,000, Scott Retail \$2,000.00 ...... E. 400-500 Southgate Envelope No. 6 — "Papal". Wonderful impression of the design with the Pope  $3295 \bowtie$ replacing Britannia, neat "Montrose SE 19, 1840" circular datestamp at lower left, manuscript rating, trivial edgewear, Very Fine, scarce, only thirteen are recorded in the British Pictorial Envelopes book ..... E. 1,000-1,500





3297



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- 3298 

  1841, 1p Red Brown, Bluish (3; SG 8). Block of six, lettered M-A to O-B, large margins all around, rich color, "30" in oval grid cancels, Extremely Fine, a scarce and handsome block.......

  E. 300-400



3299



3300 1847, 1sh Pale Green (5; SG 54). Large margins all around incl. sheet margin at bottom, bold strike of "498" duplex cancel of Manchester, bright color, Extremely Fine, the close spacing of these stamps makes large-margin copies such as this quite rare, signed Calves 3301 ⋈ 1847, 1sh Pale Green (5; SG 54). Large margins all around incl. wide sheet margin at right, cancelled by "309" in oval grid and tied by red "Boston Paid 24 Jun. 13" credit circular datestamp on 1855 folded letter to Salem Mass., manuscript "U.S. Mail Steamer via Liverpool", red "21 Cents" credit handstamp, Gateshead origination and Liverpool transit backstamps, vertical file fold thru the adhesive, otherwise quite fresh and 3302 1848, 10p Red Brown (6; SG 57). Extraordinarily large margins incl. sheet margin at top and portion of the adjoining stamp at bottom, rich color, faint oily spot at top left from cancellation ink, otherwise Extremely Fine, the presence of such a significant portion of the adjoining stamp at bottom shows the narrow spacing that can occur between stamps, 1848, 10p Brown (6; SG 57). Full to large margins incl. portion of the adjoining stamp at 3303 top, barred diamond "16" pmk. of London, rich color and sharp embossing, Very Fine, 1848, 10p Red Brown (6, SG 57). Horizontal strip of three, margins mostly all around,  $3304 \bowtie$ tied by "16" in oval grids on 1852 folded letter to Venetia, Italy, red April 24 doublecircle datestamp, "P." in circle, red crayon also ties strip, receiving backstamps, Fine, a rare use..... E. 1,000-1,500 3305 1854, 6p Red Violet (7; SG 60). Huge margins all around incl. portion of adjoining stamp at bottom and large sheet margin at top, bright fresh color, neat "107" in barred oval handstamp, part of circular datestamp at bottom, also with red "Paid" handstamp at

3306



3307 ⋈	1854, 6p Red Violet (7; SG 60). Framelines nearly all around, just in at bottom, used with 1854 1p Red Brown on Bluish (8; SG 17), stamps tied by bold "152" in oval grid on blue registered cover to Macclesfield, green "Burton-On-Trent Dec. 6, 1854" circular datestamp alongside, receiving backstamp, cover with trivial stain at bottom right, otherwise fresh and Fine
3308 ⋈	1857, 4p Rose (26; SG 66a). Bright shade, with wing margin at right, tied by "17" in grid, blue "London MY 2, 1859" backstamp on folded letter to Chalons, France, Calais and Paris transits, receiving backstamp, red "PD" in oval handstamp, fresh and Very Fine E. 150-200
3309 ⋈	1873, 4p Vermilion, Pl. 14 (43, SG 95). Horizontal pair and single originally forming a strip of three, tied by "L.S. 3" in grid and "Lombard St. SP 23, 1870" duplex postmark on folded letter to Oporto, Portugal, endorsed "Via Southampton France" and with the "Southampton crossed out, neat "Franco" oval and red "P D" in oval handstamps, clear receiving backstamp (Sept. 29), horizontal file fold well away from stamps, Very Fine  E. 200-300
3310	1882, £5 Orange on Bluish (93a; SG 133). Cancelled by boxed parcel and 1887 Sheffield circular datestamp, couple short perfs at top left and pressed-out vertical crease, Fine appearance and an affordable copy of this scarce stamp, with 2001 Sismondo certificate,



3313	**	1887-92, ½p-1sh Jubilee Definitives (111-112; SG 197/211). Pristine set that is Mint N.H. (scarce thus), bright colors, Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail for hinged \$537.10, SG Specialized catalog for Mint N.H(Photo Ex) £ 926
3314		1891, £1 Green (124; SG 212). Neat Sheffield circular datestamp and light boxed postmark, rich color on bright paper, Very Fine, signed Alcuri, SG £800
3315		<b>1891, £1 Green (124; SG 212).</b> Central strike of Threadneedles registry cancel, also faint red crayon mark, well-centered, rich color, faint vertical crease and a shallow thin spot, Very Fine appearance, SG £800
3316	**	<b>1902-11</b> ½ <b>p-1sh King Edward VII (127-138; SG 215/257).</b> Mint N.H., 2½p, 9p and 10p with selvage, exceedingly fresh, Fine-Very Fine( <b>Photo Ex</b> ) 1,024.00
3317	*	1902-11, 2sh6p-10sh King Edward VII (139-141; SG 260/265). Lightly hinged, all are nicely centered and fresh, 2sh6p with tiny toned perf tip at top, 5sh with trivial gum bend, Very Fine, SG £1,425(Photo Ex) 1,435.00
3318	*	<b>1902</b> , <b>£1 Green (142; SG 266).</b> Wonderfully fresh color and paper, a Very Fine example of this high value, SG £2,000
3319	*	<b>1902</b> , <b>£1 Green (142; SG 266).</b> Lightly hinged, fresh color, Very Fine, SG £2,000
3320	*	<b>1902</b> , <b>£1 Green (142; SG 266).</b> Tiny h.r., well-centered, rich color on bright paper, Very Fine, SG £2,000
3321	*	1915, 5sh Carmine, De La Rue (174b; SG 409). Lightly hinged, perfectly centered, brilliant color, Extremely Fine, with 1991 P.F. certificate as a generic No. 174 before they separated the printings in Scott, SG £425
3322	*	1913, £1 Green, Seahorse (176; SG 403). Lightly hinged, perfectly centered, vibrant color, Extremely Fine, an especially desirable example of this popular stamp, SG £3,000



3323	*	<b>1913, £1 Green, Seahorse (176; SG 403).</b> Lightly hinged, bright color, Very Fine, SG £3,000
3324	*	<b>1913, £1 Green, Seahorse (176; SG 403).</b> Lightly hinged, trivial gum bend, rich color, Fine, SG £3,000
3325	*	1918-19, 2sh6p-10sh Seahorses (179-181; SG 414, 416, 417). 5sh bottom right corner margin single, 10sh with selvage at left, 5sh and 10sh are Mint N.H., 2sh6p and 10sh each with a short perf, otherwise a Very Fine set(Photo Ex) 940.00
3326	**	1929, £1 Black, Postal Congress (209; SG 438). With bottom left corner selvage, stamp Mint N.H. (hinged in the selvage only), slight gum streak at bottom left, well-centered, Extremely Fine, SG £750 as hinged
3327	*	<b>1929, £1 Black, Postal Congress (209; SG 438).</b> Lightly hinged, well-centered, Very Fine, SG £750
3328	*	<b>1929, £1 Black, Postal Congress (209; SG 438).</b> Lightly hinged, fresh and Very Fine, SG £750
3329	*	1929, £1 Black, Postal Congress (209; SG 438). Lightly hinged, Very Fine, SG £750
3330		1929, £1 Black, Postal Congress (209; SG 438). Neat circular datestamps, intense shade on fresh paper, faint trace of a crease at top, Very Fine appearance, SG £550 700.00
3331	*	<b>1934, 2sh6p-10sh Seahorses (222-224; SG 450-452).</b> Lightly hinged, bright colors, well-centered, Very Fine, a choice set, SG £575( <b>Photo Ex)</b> 680.00
3332	**	1961, 3p Post Office Savings Bank, Orange Omitted (380a; SG 624Aa). Timson printing, vertical strip of three with selvage at bottom, the bottom stamp the error, Mint N.H., middle (non-error) stamp with disturbed o.g., Very Fine, SG £550
3333	**	<b>1969, 5p Ship, Black Omitted (575a; SG 778a).</b> Mint N.H., Very Fine, a scarce modern error, SG £3,200
3334		1892, £1 I.R. Official (O15, SG O16). Cancelled by light strikes of 1892 oval "Glasgow, P.O. Account Branch" oval datestamps, well-centered and rich color, light horizontal crease, Very Fine appearance, a scarce Official stamp, signed Champion, SG £2,500
		2,250.00

### BRITISH COMMONWEALTH

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3335EX

3335 ANGUILLA, 1967, ½c-\$5.00 Overprints (1-16; SG 1-16). Used with neat circular date-stamps

VERY FINE. ONE OF THE RAREST SETS FROM THE QUEEN ELIZABETH II ERA.

Very few sets were sold as the sale of these stamps was strictly controlled by the Postmaster. With 1999 Brandon set certificate. SG £3,500.....(Photo Ex) 3,867.00

#### **AUSTRALIA**







3338 ★ **1919, £2 Deep Rose & Black (58; SG 45).** Lightly hinged, especially rich colors, Very Fine, SG £4,250.......... 7,000.00

3338







1934, £2 Dull Rose & Black (129; SG 138). A couple small marks on the face prompts us to offer it as used, still with full original gum, Very Fine, SG £550.................................. 800.00



3342



3343 ★ 1908, 10sh Postage Due (J37; SG D61). Perf 11½ x 11, tiny h.r., wonderfully fresh color, Fine, with 1988 and 2011 B.P.A. certificates, SG £2,500 ....... 5,200.00

3344 ★ 1908, 20sh Postage Due (J38; SG D62). Small h.r., brilliant color on pristine white paper

FINE. A REMARKABLY FRESH EXAMPLE OF THE 20-SHILLING POSTAGE DUE, WHICH IS ONE OF THE RAREST POSTAGE DUES.





- BARBADOS, 1859, 1sh Black Imperforate, 1p Blue Pin-Perf 14 (9, 11; SG 12a, 14). Tied on piece by barred oval cancel, fresh colors, Very Fine, ex Charlton Henry and Dale-Lichtenstein ...... E. 200-300

#### BRITISH BECHUANALAND

- 3354 ★ 1913-15, ½p-5sh Overprints (83-93; SG 73-84). A few h.r., most are lightly hinged, Seahorse stamps are well-centered, Fine-Very Fine, SG £360 ......(Photo Ex) 395.00

### **BERMUDA**



3355

3355 ★ 1874, 3p on 1p Rose (11, SG 12). Part original gum, especially rich color, centered to the left as are all known examples, certificate mentions a horizontal bend and minor soiling, both of which are quite trivial

FINE. AN ATTRACTIVE EXAMPLE OF THE 1874 3-PENCE ON ONE-PENCE SURCHARGE. THIS IS ONE OF THE KEY RARITIES OF BERMUDA.

Only one pane of 60 stamps received this surcharge. Three blocks of four and one block of six are recorded. Of the 42 remaining singles, about eight are used and some have undoubtedly been lost to philately, leaving a very small number of unused singles available.









1875, 1p on 2p, 3p and 1sh (13-15; SG 15-17). Used set, 1sh tied on piece, rich colors, Fine, 2p with 2003 Brandon certificate, 3p signed Holcombe and with 1988 B.P.A. certificate, 1sh with 2002 Brandon certificate.....(Photo Ex) 1,210.00

3357 ★ 1910-24, ¼p-£1 King George V (40-54; SG 44-55). Complete set of fifteen values, some h.r., £1 lightly hinged, shilling values are well-centered, Fine-Very Fine, SG £655......................(Photo Ex) 891.75

1924, 1p Carmine, Ty. I, Damaged Flag (83b var; SG 78 var). Plate 2, Position 8, rich color, neat strike of Hamilton circular datestamp, Very Fine, unlisted in Scott or Gibbons, ex Luddington ...... E. 200-300

3359 \* 1927, 2sh Ultramarine & Violet on Blue, Break in Lines Below Left Scroll Variety (94 var; SG 88e). Lightly hinged, well-centered, Very Fine, unlisted in Scott, SG value .. £ 275



3360 ★ 1932, 2sh6p Black & Bright Orange Vermilion on Deep Blue Chalky Paper (95 var; SG 89k). Lightly hinged, excellent centering, intense colors, Extremely Fine, an especially handsome example of this rare printing, with 1992 and 2011 B.P.A. certificates, SG value....... £ 3,250

# BRITISH CENTRAL AFRICA











3363  $\star$  1891, £10 Red Brown (17; SG 17). Original gum, fresh color, a Fine example of this scarce high value, with 1957 R.P.S. and 2004 Brandon certificates, SG £4,250... 4,500.00

3366 **1895**, £10 Vermilion & Black (30; SG 30). Centrally struck "Tshiromo B.C.A. AU 18" double-circle date-stamp, vibrant colors, well-centered, certificate mentions "surface disturbed" which is inconsequential and unworthy of mention

VERY FINE. A RARE POSTALLY USED EXAMPLE OF THE  $1895\ \pounds 10$  UNWATERMARKED ISSUE.

Signed on the back by Robson Lowe as postally used. With 1972 R.P.S. certificate. SG £4,500..... 4,800.00



3366









3370

3370 ★ 1898, 1p Vermilion & Ultramarine, Pair, One Without Oval (58e; SG 56a var). Without gum as issued, horizontal pair, left stamp the error, right stamp normal, framelines all around except just touching at bottom, vibrant colors, light vertical crease at left (not mentioned on accompanying certificate)

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. AN IMMENSELY RARE EXAMPLE OF THE BRITISH CENTRAL AFRICA ONE-PENCE ERROR WITHOUT OVAL IN A PAIR WITH A NORMAL STAMP. THIS IS ACTUALLY OFFERED WITH MUCH LESS FREQUENCY THAN THE MORE FAMOUS INVERTED OVAL ERROR. A PHENOMENAL RARITY.

According to Robson Lowe's *Encyclopedia*, in 1891 the Imperial Post opened its first post office, and in 1893 the post was greatly expanded. The first issues were those of Rhodesia overprinted "B.C.A.", which were followed by British Central Africa stamps printed by De La Rue & Co. in England. In a monograph by Fred J. Melville, the author refers to the theft of a case of stamps containing several denominations that disappeared en route from England. The theft occurred about January 25, 1898, and it was claimed that the case was lost overboard. The stamps were eventually found about a year later. In response to this theft, on March 11 the Post Office issued a notice requiring that all mail addressed to places within the British Central Africa Protectorate be paid in cash rather than stamps, and that new stamps (called "tokens" in the notice) would be affixed to indicate payment. The new stamps were printed locally at Blantyre (now Malawi) which was a major center for colonial trade. A new supply of stamps was received in November and use of the local stamps was discontinued.

It is believed only twenty such errors were produced. However, in our review of important British Commonwealth auctions, we notice this error is almost always missing, and in a couple cases exists only as a single and not in this desirable se-tenant format with a normal stamp.

Ex Hind and Preston. 1939 R.P.S. certificate no longer accompanies. With clear 2011 R.P.S. certificate. The Stanley Gibbons catalog lists the oval omitted error as No. 55d, the Pale Ultramarine color. This is probably an error, as it is suggested these all emanated from the same printing. We believe the SG value of £30,000 refers to this stamp ................................... 30,000.00



3371

3371 ★ 1898, 1p Vermilion & Ultramarine, Ty. I, Oval Inverted (58i; SG 54b). Without gum as issued, framelines complete all around, large margins at top and bottom, bright fresh colors, horizontal crease in the top margin (as do most examples of this rarity) and a very shallow thin spot (neither of which are mentioned on the certificate)

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A RARE EXAMPLE OF THE BRITISH CENTRAL AFRICA ONE-PENNY "CHEQUE STAMP" WITH THE OVAL INVERTED. ONLY FIFTEEN IN TOTAL WERE PRINTED AND NO MORE THAN THIRTEEN EXAMPLES CAN EXIST IN PRIVATE HANDS. THIS COPY IS ONE OF THE FINEST KNOWN. A GREAT RARITY OF BRITISH AFRICA.

The stamps were printed in sheets of 30 comprising two horizontal rows of fifteen. For the first setting, the blue portion of the design was printed in two operations. This resulted in the top row of one sheet printed with the oval inverted. Of the fifteen printed, a pair (Positions 11-12) is in the Royal Collection and another pair (Positions 14-15) is also known. Of the remaining eleven singles, many have not been seen for some time and nearly all have faults much more severe than the example offered here.





1903, £10 Ultramarine & Black (69; SG 67). Centrally struck "Port Herald B.C.A., July, 2, 1904" cancel, rich vibrant colors, well-centered

VERY FINE. A RARE POSTALLY USED EXAMPLE OF THE BRITISH CENTRAL AFRICA 1903 £10 KING EDWARD VII.





3374

3374 \* 1907, 2p Violet & Dull Violet, 4p Black & Gray Green (71-72; SG 69-70). 4p with selvage at right, h.r., bright colors

FINE. A RARE SET OF THE 2-PENCE AND 4-PENCE BRITISH CENTRAL AFRICA KING EDWARD VII ISSUE. CONSIDERED TO BE THE RAREST OF BRITISH COMMONWEALTH KING EDWARD VII ISSUES. PERHAPS TWELVE EXAMPLES OF EACH ARE IN PRIVATE HANDS.

The 2p and 4p British Central Africa King Edward VII stamps were prepared but never issued. On July 6th 1907 the name of the territory was changed to Nyasaland Protectorate. It is estimated only eighteen examples of each of these values ever reached the market. Of this tiny number, a block of four and single of each are in the Royal Collection and a single of each are in the British Library.

Each value is accompanied by both a 1978 B.P.A. certificate and a 2011 R.P.S. certificate. SG  $\pm 32,000...$  31,500.00

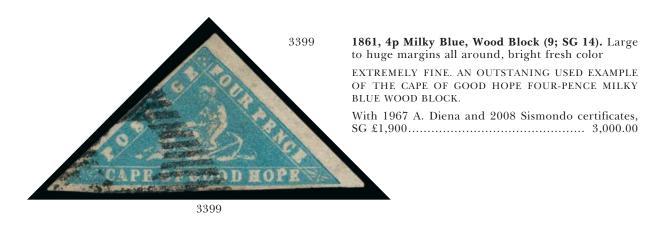


# BRITISH EAST AFRICA

3375	<b>1890, 2a Vermilion Imperf, 4a Yellow Brown Imperf. (16a, 19a; SG 6a, 9a).</b> Horizontal pairs of each, tied on piece of Registered envelope by "Mombasa Oc 21 1893" squared circle datestamp, both pairs large margins around and rich color, Very Fine, a rare piece, with 2011 B.P.A. certificate, SG £2,500
3376 ★	<b>1891, 3a Black on Red, Imperforate (18a; SG 8ab).</b> Horizontal pair, large part original gum, wide margins, Extremely Fine, with 2011 B.P.A. certificate, SG £1,100 1,150.00
3377	<b>1891, 4½a Dull Violet, Imperforate (20a; SG 11ab).</b> Horizontal pair, tied on piece by full strike of "Mombasa No 23 93" squared circle datestamp, full to large margins all around, Very Fine, with 2011 B.P.A. certificate, SG £450
3378 ★	1891, 4½p Brown Violet, Horizontal Pair, Imperforate Between (20c; SG 11ac). Large part original gum, Fine, a very scarce error, SG £1,500
3379	<b>1890, 8a Blue, Imperforate (23a; SG 12a).</b> Horizontal pair, cancelled by "Mombasa 28.3.92" squared circle datestamp, large even margins all around, rich color, Very Fine and scarce, with 2011 B.P.A. certificate, SG £1,200
3380 ★	1895, ½a-5r Overprints (38-52; SG 33-47). Original gum except a couple low values no gum, 8a, 2r and 4r with natural s.e., fresh colors, Fine, most of the key values signed, SG £2,750(Photo Ex) 3,355.00
3381 ★	<b>1898 5r Lilac (109; SG 99).</b> Large part original gum, well-centered, faint crease at top, Very Fine appearance, signed A. Diena, SG £2,000
3382 ★	1898, 50r Lilac, Reversed Watermark (109 var; SG 99x). Original gum, bright color, Very Fine, a scarce variety, with 2011 B.P.A. certificate, SG £2,250



3383		<b>BRITISH GUIANA, 1855, 4c Pale Blue, Retouched (11b; SG 20a).</b> Four large margins, neat 1858 circular datestamp, bright color, Very Fine, with 1998 Brandon certificate, SG £750
3384	*	<b>BURMA, 1937 3p-25r King George V (1-18; SG 1-18).</b> Lightly hinged, high values are well-centered, fresh, Very Fine, SG £2,000( <b>Photo Ex)</b> 1,371.00
3385	***	BURMA, 1939, 12a6p-10r King George VI Officials (O22-27; SG O21, 24-27). Blocks of four, Mint N.H. except two 2r stamps with a small paper adherence, Very Fine, SG £920, Scott Retail for hinged(Photo Ex) 1,166.00
3386	*	BUSHIRE, 1915, 24c Yellow Brown & Dark Brown (N24; SG 23). Position 3, h.r., small faults, Fine appearance, only 143 were printed, with clear 2013 Sadri certificate, SG £900
3387	(★)	BUSHIRE, 1915, 1t Gold, Purple & Black (N28; SG 28). Small part original gum, small fault in the right margin, Fine appearance, only 170 were issued, with 2013 A.P.S. certificate, SG $\pm$ 800
		CAPE OF GOOD HOPE
3388		<b>1853, 1p Deep Brick Red on Deeply Blued Paper (1b; SG 1a).</b> Square pair, full to mostly large margins all around, gorgeous rich color, triangular cancel, Very Fine, with 2004 Sismondo certificate, SG £850 as singles
3389		<b>1853, 1p Deep Brick Red on Bluish Paper (1f; SG 3a).</b> Large margins all around, rich color, Very Fine and choice, signed Buhler, SG £325
3390	$\blacksquare$	<b>1853, 4p Deep Blue on Deeply Blued Paper (2a; SG 2).</b> Block of four, full to large margins all around, bright fresh color, triangular cancels, faint internal paper wrinkle mentioned only for accuracy, Very Fine, with clear 2004 Sismondo certificate, SG £900 as singles, Scott Retail as singles
3391	(★)	<b>1855, 1p Dull Red (3a; SG 5a).</b> Large margins to clear, unused (no gum), bright shade, Very Fine, SG £650
3392		<b>1855-58, 1p Dull Red (3a; SG 5b).</b> Square pair, large margins all around, lovely rich color, neatly cancelled, Extremely Fine, ex Dale-Lichtenstein, SG £600 as singles. 825.00
3393	$\blacksquare$	<b>1855, 1p Dull Red (5a; SG 5b).</b> Block of four, two full margins, just into design on two sides, quite fresh, neat triangular cancels, Fine and scarce, with 1950 R.P.S. certificate, SG $\pounds 1,200$ as singles
3394		<b>1858, 6p Pale Lilac (5; SG 7).</b> Square pair, four margins, a little close on one side, otherwise full to large, attractive color, unusually light triangular cancel, Very Fine, with 2004 Sismondo certificate, SG £550 as singles
3395	*	<b>1859, 1sh Dark Green (6a; SG 8b).</b> Square pair, original gum, h.r., large margins, rich color, Very Fine, a pretty pair, SG £800
3396	★⊞	<b>1859, 1sh Dark Green (6a; SG 8b).</b> Triangular block of four, original gum, large even margins all around, deep vibrant color, Extremely Fine, with 2004 Sismondo certificate, SG £1,600 as singles
3397		1861, 1p Carmine, Wood Block (7a; SG 13a). Large even margins all around, deep rich color and an uncommonly strong impression, lightly cancelled
		EXTREMELY FINE. A TRULY RARE STAMP IN THIS FAULT-FREE AND SUPERB CONDITION.
		Ex Rinkoff. Signed A. Diena and with 1977 R.P.S. certificate, SG £3,500 4,000.00
		TAPEOFGOOD ASSE





3400 1861, 4p Dark Blue, Wood Block (9c; SG 14c). Large margins all around, rich color and a deeply etched impression, small closed tear at bottom, Very Fine appearance, this is the scarcest of the 4p Wood Block shades, with 2005 Sismondo certificate, SG £5,000...... 1863, 1p Dark Carmine, 4p Dark Blue (12, 13; SG 18, 19). Square pairs of each, original 3401 ★ gum, full to mostly large margins around, exceptionally fresh, each has one gum crease, Very Fine, both with clear 2004 Sismondo certificates, SG £950 as singles...... ......(Photo Ex) 1,015.00 3402 ★⊞ 1863, 1p Dark Carmine (12; SG 18). Triangular block of four with sheet margin at right, nearly full original gum, other margins full, deep rich color, light crease at right, Very Fine appearance, P.F. certificate No. 170968 no longer accompanies, SG £1,000 as 1863, 4p Dark Blue (13; SG 19). Triangular block of four, crackly original gum, large 3403 ★⊞ margins all around, two small sealed tears at right, Very Fine appearance, SG £900 as 3404 1863, 4p Slate Blue (13a; SG 19b). Large even margins all around, bright color in this distinctive shade, lightly cancelled, Extremely Fine, signed A. Diena, SG £500..... 600.00



#### MAFEKING



1900, 6p on 2p Green & Carmine (174, SG 13). Lightly hinged, extraordinarily fresh, 3412 ★ 1900, 1sh on 6p Violet on Rose (175, SG 14). Part original gum, deep color, tiny sealed 3413 ★ tear at left, otherwise a Fine example of this rare issue, with 2007 Sismondo certificate, 1900, 1p-3p Blue Major Goodyear and Baden-Powell (178-180; SG 17, 20, 21). With 3414 both formats of the Baden-Powell stamp, each tied on piece (though on No. 180 it may not be original piece), first two with tiny surface blemish, otherwise Fine-Very Fine, No. 179 with clear 1987 A.P.S. certificate, SG £1,800.....(Photo Ex) 2,325.00 3415 1900, 1p Pale Blue on Blue Laid, Major Goodyear (178; SG 17). Well-struck circular 1900, 1p Deep Blue on Blue Laid, Major Goodyear (178; SG 18). Original gum, h.r. at 3416 ★ top, especially deep color, tiny surface blemish at top right, Fine, SG £1,100.... 1,100.00 3417 ★ 1900, 1p Blue on Blue Laid, Major Goodyear (178; SG 17). Large part original gum, a 1900, 3p Blue on Blue, Baden-Powell (179; SG 20). H.r., deep intense color, Very Fine, 3418 ★ 1900, 3p Blue on Blue, Baden-Powell (179; SG 20). Lightly hinged, fresh unrubbed 3419 ★ 1900, 3p Blue on Blue, Baden-Powell (179; SG 20). Neat portion of circular datestamp, 3420 



- 3427 ★ Vryburg, 1899, 2p on 6p Violet (N3; SG 3). Unhinged but with small spot on gum, exceedingly bright and fresh, a Fine example of this rare stamp, ex Dale-Lichtenstein (as part of a pair), with photocopy of a 1990 B.P.A. certificate as pair, SG £2,000 .. 2,500.00



### CAYMAN ISLANDS

3429 ★ 1901, 6p Chocolate, Dented Frame Under "A" (6a; SG 6a). Fresh color, Very Fine, 1907, 1p on 5sh Vermilion & Green (19; SG 19). Lightly hinged, unusually bright and 3430 ★ 1908, 2½p on 4p Brown & Blue, Provisional Surcharge (20; SG 35). Well-centered, fresh 3431 ★ colors, small pooling of gum causes a slight stain visible only on the reverse, Very Fine 1907, 1p on 4p Black & Red on Yellow, Inverted Surcharge (20 footnote; SG 35 foot-3432 ★ note). Lightly hinged, quite fresh, Very Fine and scarce, the 1p on 4p surcharge was intended for use as a Revenue stamp, though a few were postally used, only twenty such 1917, 1/2p on 21/2p Ultramarine, War Tax (MR4; SG 55). Faintly hinged, bright and 3433 ★ 

### **CEYLON**

1917, 1½p on 2½p Ultramarine, War Tax (MR4; SG 55). Lightly hinged, deep color,



3434 ★

3435 ★ 1924, 100r Gray Black (246; SG 359). Lightly hinged, wonderful centering, deep shade on pristine bright paper, Extremely Fine, a marvelous quality stamp, with 1990 Brandon certificate, SG £2,500..... 2,750.00

3436 ★ 1921, 100r Gray Black (246; SG 359). Small h.r., wide margins, rich color, Very Fine, handsome, signed Bloch and with 2011 B.P.A. certificate, SG £2,500 ... 2,750.00



3436



3437 ★ 1927, 100r Ultramarine & Dull Violet (247; SG 360).

Lightly hinged, beautifully centered, remarkably fresh, proof-like colors on immaculate white paper

EXTREMELY FINE. AN ESPECIALLY DESIRABLE EXAMPLE OF THIS SCARCE HIGH DENOMINATION CEYLON ISSUE.

With 2011 B.P.A. certificate. SG £1,800........... 2,500.00

3437



3438



3439

3439 ⋈ COCOS ISLANDS, 1991 (43c) on 90c, Official (O1). Vertical strip of three, tied by Cocos Islands circular datestamp of 26 March 1991 on large cover to Canada, bottom stamp with trivial corner perf crease, cover with small faults (as expected on a commercial mailing) not affecting the adhesives, Fine, the 1991 Official stamp is actually very scarce postally used (Scott catalogs three C.T.O. singles at \$390.00), with 2007 A.P.S. certificate, includes the original letter from an administrator on Cocos Islands noting how difficult it is to find someone on Cocos to correspond with due to the very high illiteracy rate ..... E. 300-400

### **CYPRUS**



3440

3440 ★ 1886, ½pi on ½pi Green, Watermark Crown CC (27; SG 28). Lightly hinged, unusually well-centered, attractive color

> EXTREMELY FINE. ONE OF THE FINEST KNOWN COPIES OF THIS RARE STAMP. THE MAJOR-ITY OF UNUSED EXAMPLES ARE EITHER NO GUM AND/OR HAVE FAULTS TO SOME DEGREE.

1886, ½pi on ½pi Green, Crown CC Watermark (27; SG 3441 **28).** Cancelled by "Larnaca JU 2 86" squared circle datestamp, Fine, with 2011 B.P.A. certificate, SG £425... ...... 500.00



3441



3442

1928, £5 Black on Yellow (109; SG 117a). Lightly hinged, 3442 ★ unusually well-centered, deep color EXTREMELY FINE. A BEAUTIFUL EXAMPLE OF THE CYPRUS

£5 BLACK ON YELLOW KING GEORGE V ISSUE.

With 2011 B.P.A. certificate. SG £3,500....... 3,250.00

#### EAST AFRICA AND UGANDA PROTECTORATES

3443 ★ 1903, 20r Olive Gray & Black (15; SG 15). Lightly hinged, light natural gum wrinkle, well-centered, Very Fine and choice, SG £600 ...... 675.00



3443



3444 ★ 1903, 50r Orange Brown & Black (16; SG 16). Lightly hinged, particularly rich colors on fresh white paper, Very Fine, with 2005 Brandon certificate, SG £1,800.... 







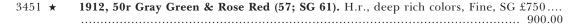
- 3445 ★ 1903, 50r Orange Brown & Black (16; SG 16). Lightly hinged, bright colors, Very Fine,
- 3446 ★ 1903, 50r Orange Brown & Black (16; SG 16). Lightly hinged, light natural gum crease,
- 3447 ★ 1904, 20r Olive Gray & Black (30; SG 32). Lightly hinged, Very Fine, SG £650. 675.00













3452

3452 ★ 1912, 100r Black & Violet on Red (58; SG 62). Lightly hinged, exceedingly well-centered, deep colors

EXTREMELY FINE. AN EXTRAORDINARILY CHOICE EXAMPLE OF THIS RARE HIGH-DENOMINATION EAST AFRICA AND UGANDA PROTECTORATES ISSUE.

With 2011 B.P.A. certificate. SG £6,500 ...... 6,000.00



# FALKLAND ISLANDS

3454 ★1898 2sh6p Dark Blue, 5sh Brown Red (20-21; SG 41-42). Original gum, small h.r., well-centered and margined, fresh and Very Fine, SG £525(Photo Ex) 550.003455 S1912-14, ½p-£1 King George V, "Specimen" Overprint (30S-40S; SG 60s-69s). Complete set of eleven values, some h.r., 3sh no gum, Fine-Very Fine, SG value	3453	1891 ½p on Half of 1p, Unsevered Pair (19d; SG 13a). With proper segmented circular cork cancel, bright color, light vertical crease, Fine appearance, a scarce unsevered pair, with 2011 P.F. certificate, SG £1,000
set of eleven values, some h.r., 3sh no gum, Fine-Very Fine, SG value	3454 ★	1898 2sh6p Dark Blue, 5sh Brown Red (20-21; SG 41-42). Original gum, small h.r., well-centered and margined, fresh and Very Fine, SG £525(Photo Ex) 550.00
circular datestamps on registered cover to London, receiving backstamps, Very Fine, a handsome cover, Scott Retail \$900.00 just as used stamps	3455 S	set of eleven values, some h.r., 3sh no gum, Fine-Very Fine, SG value
choice example of this scarce provisional, signed Bloch and with 2011 P.F. certificate, SG £1,300	3456 ⋈	circular datestamps on registered cover to London, receiving backstamps, Very Fine, a
Fine, with 2011 P.F. certificate, SG £1,300	3457 ★	choice example of this scarce provisional, signed Bloch and with 2011 P.F. certificate, SG
	3458 ★	<b>1928, 2½p on 2p Brown Violet (52; SG 115).</b> Lightly hinged, uncommonly fresh, Very Fine, with 2011 P.F. certificate, SG £1,300
	3459 ★	



3460 ★ 1933, ½p-£1 Tercentenary, Perforated "Specimen" (65S-76S; SG 127s-38s). Lightly hinged, rich colors

VERY FINE. A CHOICE SET OF ONE OF THE RAREST OF ALL THE KING GEORGE V "SPECIMEN" SETS.

2sh6p-£1 signed Bloch and with his 1980 Friedl certificate. Also with 2011 B.P.A. certificate for the top three values. Unlisted in Scott. SG value ............(Photo Ex) £ 3,750



- 3461 ★ 1933, ½p-£1 Tercentenary (65-76; SG 127-38). Bright and fresh, a few trivial h.r., Fine-Very Fine set, SG £4,000......(Photo Ex) 4,053.00
- 3462 ★ 1933, ½p-£1 Tercentenary (65-76; SG 127-38). A few values with minor h.r., bright fresh colors, Fine-Very Fine set, SG £4,000......(Photo Ex) 4,053.00
- 3463 ★ 1933, ½p-£1 Tercentenary (65-76; SG 127-38). Fresh colors, a few small h.r., Fine-Very Fine set, SG £4,000......(Photo Ex) 4,053.00
- 3464 ★ 1933, 5sh-£1 Tercentenary (74-76; SG 136-38). 5sh with small h.r., other two lightly hinged, well-centered, Very Fine, SG £3,900 ......(Photo Ex) 3,650.00

### FALKLAND ISLANDS H.M.S. "GLASGOW" ERROR



3467

3467 ★ 1964, 6p H.M.S. "Glasgow" Error of Vignette (151a; SG 216a). Lightly hinged, rich colors, well-centered and fresh

VERY FINE. A BEAUTIFUL EXMPLE OF THE FAMOUS H.M.S. "GLASGOW" ERROR OF VIGNETTE. PERHAPS 17 ARE KNOWN.

This issue was produced to commemorate the 50th anniversary of the Battle of the Falkland Islands. It is believed this error occurred when a sheet with the center showing the "Glasgow", which was used for the 2½p value, was accidentally included among the supply of the 6p value, where it received the wrong frame. Only 17 examples are reported, though this number may include some duplication.



3468 **\* FIJI, 1871, 3p Black on Pink Laid Paper (7; SG 6).** Full original gum (rare on this issue), roulettes on three sides, fresh, small thin in the top left corner, Fine appearance, with 1988 Brandon certificate, SG £1,800.............. 1,800.00

# **GIBRALTAR**











3470 ★	1921-32, £5 Dull Violet and Black (93; SG 108). Lightly hinged,
	well-centered, fresh and Very Fine, with 1983 and 1999 B.P.A.
	certificates, SG £1.500

- 1921-32, £5 Dull Violet and Black (93; SG 108). Barest trace of 3471 ★ hinging, well-centered, fresh and Very Fine, with 1974 A. Diena
- 1921-32, £5 Dull Violet and Black (93; SG 108). Lightly hinged, 3472 ★
- 3473 ★ 1921-32, £5 Dull Violet and Black (93; SG 108). Lightly hinged, rich colors, Very Fine, SG £1,500 ...... 1,750.00
- 1921-32, £5 Dull Violet and Black (93; SG 108). Lightly hinged, 3474 ★









- GILBERT & ELLICE ISLANDS, 1924, £1 Geo. V (26; SG 24). Top selvage with plate 3475 ★★ No. 11, stamp Mint N.H. (hinged in selvage only), Very Fine, catalog values are for
- 3476 ★ GILBERT & ELLICE ISLANDS, 1924, £1 King George V (26; SG 24). Lightly hinged,
- GOLD COAST, 1889, 20sh Green & Red (24; SG 24). Original gum, rich vibrant colors, 3477 ★ Fine, the rare key stamp to the colony, with 2010 Brandon certificate, SG £3,250......



### HONG KONG

PAID AT HONG KONG. Clear strike of crowned circle handstamp in red (Ty. CC3) on  $3478 \bowtie$ folded cover to Bombay, India, light strike of "Hong Kong AU 3, 1854" backstamp, rimless receiving backstamp of Sept. 3, letter datelined July 19th from Jardine Matheson discussing receipt of six chests of opium and You may be assured that our best attention shall be directed to the disposal of the drug but at the same time we are sorry to say that in the present state of the market we see little prospect of the adventure resulting favorably.", endorsed p. Gottinger", manuscript rating, receipt docketing at lower left, tiny tear at top, Very Fine, PAID AT HONG KONG. Clear strike of crowned circle handstamp in red (Ty. CC3) on  $3479 \bowtie$ folded letter to Gibraltar, neat strike of "Hong Kong 9 AU 1858" backstamp, blue receiving circular datestamp, red crayon rating, fresh and Very Fine use to an unusual destina-1865, 8c Orange Buff (13; SG 11). Three overlapping singles tied by "B62" postmarks on  $3480 \bowtie$ 1872 cover to Melbourne, Victoria, Poochow, Hong Kong and Melbourne backstamps, Fine, a scarce destination... E. 300-400 3481 1865, 90c Bister, Sperati Forgery (23 var; SG 18 var). Convincing forgery with "B62" cancel, Sperati handstamp on back with "No. 24" in manuscript, Fine and unusual ....... E. 200-300 1900, 2c Green (37; SG 56). Tied by "F.P.O. No. 5 30 AU 00" circular datestamp on  $3482 \bowtie$ China 1c Red Postal Card to Bombay, India where it was internally forwarded to Tuticorin, Sailkot and Bakloh, card with small tear at top and some minor edge wear, Fine ..... E. 150-200



- 3483 ⋈ 1891, 10c Violet on Red (44; SG 38). Two singles, tied by Shanghai circular datestamp on 1898 cover to Germany, with large Hangchow circular datestamp of 28 Nov. 1898, on back are two 10c Green Coil Dragon stamps of China tied by duplex, Dessau receiving backstamp, cover with small tear at bottom, Fine....................... E. 300-400
- 3484 

  1938-47, 4c, 6c, 20c Postage Dues (J7, J8, J11). Tied on back of cover by "Hong Kong 9-30-49" circular datestamp on inbound cover from Indochina, pair of 10c and \$1 Air Post tied by circular datestamp, Very Fine................................ E. 200-300

See also lot 3824 for British Offices in China

## INDIA

- 3486 ★ 1902-09, 3p-25r King Edward VII (60-76; SG 119-147). Complete set of seventeen values, plus extra shade of the 1a, lightly hinged, brilliant colors, Very Fine, an unusually fresh set, SG £2,250.....(Photo Ex) 1,634.00



- 3488 \*\* INDIA, 1937, 2r-25r King George VI (163-167; SG 260-264). Each in a Mint N.H. vertical or horizontal pair, one 25r stamp with fingerprint on gum, Very Fine, SG £906, Scott Retail as hinged .........................(Photo Ex) 402.00
- 3490 \* IRELAND, 1922, 2sh6p-10sh Seahorses, Thom Overprint (36-38; SG 44-46). Lightly hinged, 5sh with minor gum bend, Fine-Very Fine, SG £1,400......(Photo Ex) 2,550.00
- 3491 ★ IRELAND, 1925, 2sh6p-10sh Seahorses, Se-Tenant Pairs with Wide and Narrow Overprints (77a-79a; SG 83a-85a). Horizontal pairs of each value, 5sh Mint N.H., other two values lightly hinged, quite fresh, Very Fine, SG £1,950 as hinged......(Photo Ex) 3,450.00
- 3492 \*\* IRELAND, 1935, 2sh6p-10sh Seahorses (93-95; SG 99-101). Mint N.H., well-centered, rich colors, Very Fine, 2sh6p and 10sh each lightly signed in pencil, SG £400 as hinged .(Photo Ex) 1,550.00



3493 ★ JORDAN, 1951, 3m Carmine & Black, 20m Violet & Black, King Talal Accession Unissued Values.

3m with partial "salt" cancel, 20m faintly hinged, 3m with tiny repair at bottom left corner (not noted on certificate)

FINE-VERY FINE APPEARANCE. THESE WERE NEVER ISSUED DUE TO THE KING'S ILL HEALTH.

These two stamps (along with three other values) were quickly withdrawn before they were issued. All were supposed to have been burned, but a tiny number of each value was saved from destruction. Most of the salvaged copies are damaged to some degree (some quite severe). These two examples are in far superior condition to most (particularly the 20m). The certificate for the 3m notes "the only used copy", though it was probably done by favor. Both with a 2001 Filatco certificate ....... E. 1,000-1,500

### END OF SESSION TWO

# SESSION THREE (LOTS 3494-3616) WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17, 2013, AT 10:30 A.M.

### KENYA AND UGANDA



3494



3495

3496 ★

1925, £2 Brown Violet & Green (38; SG 96). Lightly hinged, deep colors on bright white paper, Very Fine and choice, with 2011 B.P.A.

certificate, SG £900...... 800.00



3496



3497







98 3499 350



3501

3501 \*\* 1922, £10 Green & Black, Crown in Watermark to Right of CA (41A var; SG 100w). Mint N.H., tiny pencil note on gum, outstanding centering and incredibly fresh

EXTREMELY FINE. A PHENOMENAL MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE KENYA AND UGANDA £10 GREEN & BLACK WITH WATERMARK CROWN TO RIGHT OF "CA". ALMOST CERTAINLY THE FINEST COPY OF THIS WATERMARK VARIETY.



- 3502 S 1922, £50 Brown & Black, "Specimen" Overprint (41D-S; SG 103s). Lightly hinged, exceedingly fresh, Fine, collecting this issue with "Specimen" overprint is an excellent alternative to the issued stamp which catalogues SG £30,000, SG value............... £ 1,000
- 3503 S 1922, £75 Gray & Purple, "Specimen" Overprint (41E-S; SG 104s). Light h.r., bright and fresh colors, Very Fine, collecting this issue with "Specimen" overprint is an excellent alternative to the issued stamp which catalogues SG £85,000, SG value................... £ 1,600
- 3505 ★★⊞ KUWAIT, 1939, 2r, 10r and 15r King George VI (54, 56-57; SG 48, 50-51). Each in Mint N.H. block of ten with selvage on at least two sides, fresh and Very Fine, SG £4,125 ...... (Photo Ex) 2,135.00
- 3506 ★★ MALAYA JOHORE, 1904, \$10.00 Green & Black, \$50.00 Green & Blue (73-74; SG 75-76). Mint N.H., exceedingly fresh, Very Fine, catalog values are for hinged, SG £485 ..... (Photo Ex) 385.00
- 3508 \*\* MALAYA SELANGOR, 1895, \$3.00 Green & Olive (38; SG 63). Mint N.H., rich colors on white paper, Very Fine, the catalog values are for hinged, SG £600............................... 600.00

### **MAURITIUS**



3510

3510 **1848, 1p Orange on Yellowish White Paper, Early Impression (3a; SG 7).** Horizontal pair, Positions 5-6, lightly cancelled, margins all around ranging from close to large, intense color and a sharp early impression

FINE-VERY FINE. AN ATTRACTIVE AND RARE PAIR OF THE ONE-PENNY POST PAID MAURITIUS FROM THE EARLY IMPRESSION.









- 3514 S NATAL, 1902, £1.10sh-£20 King Edward VII, "Specimen" Overprint (97S-100S; SG 143s-145bs). The £1 and £5 h.r., £1.10sh no gum, £20 with traces of original gum, well-centered, Very Fine, SG £1,125 .......(Photo Ex) 980.00
- NATAL, 1902, £1.10-£10 King Edward VII, "Specimen" Overprints (97S-99S; SG 143s-145s). Well-centered and fresh colors, £1.10 with album offset on gum, other two values lightly hinged, £5 trivial corner gum crease, Very Fine, SG £675.......(Photo Ex) 505.00

- 3518 ★ NAURU, 1916, 2sh6p-10sh Seahorses (13-15; SG 21-23). Lightly hinged, well-centered, Very Fine, SG £420......(Photo Ex) 615.00



3520





### **NEW ZEALAND**

3523 **1855, 1p Orange Red (4; SG 4).**Horizontal pair, full margins all around except just into the design at right, rich color, lightly cancelled, Fine, a scarce multiple, with 1999 Brandon certificate, catalog values are for singles, SG £3,600 ..... 3,900.00



3523



3524

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3525 ★ 1906, 1p Claret, New Zealand Exhibition (123a; SG 371a). Small h.r., remarkably deep rich color on white paper

FINE. THE CLARET WAS THE ORIGINAL PRINTING OF THE ONE-PENCE VALUE, BUT WAS DEEMED UNACCEPTABLE. ALL BUT ONE SHEET OF  $60~\rm STAMPS$  WAS DESTROYED.







### NIGER COAST PROTECTORATE



3529 ★	1893, ½p on 2½p Violet on Bluish, Green Surcharge (13; SG 27). With selvage at top, original gum, lightly hinged, very fresh, Fine, signed Holcombe and with 2005 Brandon certificate, SG £500
3530 ★	1893, ½p on ½p Violet on Bluish, Red Surcharge (17; SG 31). Original gum, rich colors, Fine, with 2001 Brandon certificate, SG £600
3531 ★	1893, ½p on ½p Violet on Bluish, Blue Surcharge (18; SG 32). Original gum, bright colors, Fine, with 2007 Brandon certificate, SG £425
3532 ★	1893, ½p on 2½p Violet on Bluish, Green Surcharge (19; SG 33). Lightly hinged, fresh colors, Fine, with 2007 Brandon certificate, SG £450
3533 ★	1893, ½p on 2½p Violet on Bluish, Red Surcharge (21 var; SG 19). Original gum, wellcentered, Very Fine, signed Bloch and with 1999 Brandon certificate, SG £500 450.00
3534 ★	1893, ½p on ½p Violet on Bluish, Vermilion Surcharge (17; SG 9). Original gum, lightly hinged, rich colors, Fine, with 2005 Brandon certificate, SG £425
3535 ★	1893, ½p on ½p Violet on Bluish, Blue Surcharge (24; SG 14). Original gum, lightly hinged, rich colors, Fine, with 1985 B.P.A. and 2005 Brandon certificates, SG £425. 400.00
3536 ★	1893, ½p on ½p Violet on Bluish, Green Surcharge (25; SG 11). Original gum, lightly hinged, fresh and Very Fine, with 1990 B.P.A. and 2005 Brandon certificates, SG £300 300.00



#### NORTH BORNEO

- 3542 ★ 1912, \$5.00 Red Violet, \$10.00 Brown (158-159; SG 184-185). Lightly hinged, \$5.00 with slight gum toning, mild gum bend and stray punched perf at right, Fine-Very Fine, SG £3,400......(Photo Ex) 3,300.00
- 3543 ★ 1918, 1c + 2c-\$10.00 + 2c Red Cross, Semi-Postals (B14-B30; SG 214/234). Lightly hinged, bright and fresh, Very Fine, SG £1,100 ......(Photo Ex) 1,162.00
- 3544 **1918, 1c + 4c-\$10.00 + 4c, Semi-Postals (B31-B47; SG 235/252).** Each tied on piece by same circular datestamp, bright colors, Fine-Very Fine set, with 2000 Brandon set certificate, SG £1,100 .................................(Photo Ex) 1,212.00
- 3545 ★ 1942, 1c-\$5.00 Japanese Occupation Handstamps (N1-N15; SG J1-15). Some h.r., fresh colors, 8c creased, otherwise Fine-Very Fine, each signed Bloch and Rowell, with a 1978 Friedl set certificate, SG £4,545 ......................(Photo Ex) 3,370.00



3545EX







3546 ★ NORTH WEST PACIFIC ISLANDS, 1918, £1 Ultramarine & Brown (38; SG 118). In the distinctive pale shade of this printing more aptly described in Gibbons as "Grey-

#### NYASALAND PROTECTORATE



3547 ★ 1908, £10 Ultramarine & Lilac (11; SG 82). Lightly hinged, bright colors VERY FINE. A FRESH EXAMPLE OF THE ELUSIVE £10

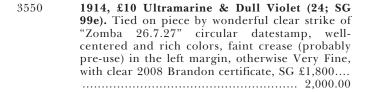
NYASALAND KING EDWARD VII ISSUE.

With 2011 B.P.A. certificate. SG £11,000....... 9,500.00

3547

- 1918, 4sh Black & Red, Nick in Top Scroll (21 var; SG 95d). Well centered, bright 3548 ★ colors, Very Fine, SG value £ 325
- 1914, £10 Ultramarine & Dull Violet, "Specimen" Overprint (24S; SG 82s). Well 3549 S centered, lightly hinged, slightly rubbed colors, Very Fine appearance, SG value .. £ 1,000

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3550

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3551 ★ 1919, £10 Ultramarine & Dull Violet, Nick in Top Right Scroll (24 var; SG 99e var). Lightly hinged, intense colors on bright paper

FINE. A RARE EXAMPLE OF THE NYASALAND £10 WITH THE NICK IN TOP RIGHT SCROLL VARIETY. A RARE VARIETY OF THIS SCARCE STAMP.

Stanley Gibbons lists this plate variety only on the 1914 printing (No. 99). They list four of the plate varieties for the 1919 printing but not the Nick in Scroll variety. Signed A. Diena ..... E. 3,000-4,000



3551



PALESTINE, 1918, 5m on 1p Gray Blue (3a; SG 2). With selvage at bottom, light circu-3552 3553 PALESTINE, 1918, 5m on 1p Gray Blue (3a; SG 2). Light circular datestamp dated 26 PAPUA, 1901, 2sh6p Brown & Black (8; SG 16a). Lightly hinged, rich colors, well-3554 ★ PAPUA, 1932, ½p-£1 Pictorials (94-109; SG 130-145). Low values are lightly hinged, 2s-3555 ★ £1 are Mint N.H. (5sh with tiny spot on gum), fresh and Very Fine, SG £500 as hinged, PAPUA NEW GUINEA, 1960, 6p on 7½p Postage Due (J6; SG D1). Tied along with the  $3556 \bowtie$ other five values of the Postage Due set (on front and back), as well as the 2p Blue Definitive, by "Goroka, Papua & New-Guinea 2 MR 1960" circular datestamps on locally addressed cover, "Deficient Postage Tax" handstamp, Fine-Very Fine, scarce on cover, with 1998 Brandon certificate, cataloged simply as a used stamp, SG £450.............. 775.00



## RHODESIA

3557	1892, £10 Orange Brown (19; SG 13). Showing a portion of the papermaker's watermark, light circular datestamp, nicely centered, certificate states "slightly soiled" which is unduly harsh, Very Fine, with 1979 Philatelic Federation of Southern Africa, SG £700 800.00
3558	1892, £10 Orange Brown (19; SG 13). Neat "Salisbury 15 Dec 1897" circular datestamp, rich color, Fine, scarce postally used, with 1985 E. Diena certificate, SG £700 800.00
3559 ★	1897, £2 Bright Red, Perf 15 (58; SG 74). Original gum, beautifully centered, lovely rich color, Extremely Fine, signed Bloch and with 2011 R.P.S. certificate, SG £1,700
3560 (★)	<b>1901, £5 Dark Blue (74; SG 92).</b> Unused (no gum), rich color, Very Fine, a scarce stamp, with 2006 Sismondo certificate, SG £3,250
3561 S	1901, £10 Blue Lilac, Perforated "Specimen" (75S; SG 93s). Lightly hinged, well-centered, Very Fine, with 2011 B.P.A. certificate E. 200-300
3562 ★	1910, ½p-£1 Double Heads (101-118; SG 119/165). Complete set of eighteen values, some h.r., rich colors, 2sh with natural gum crease, Fine-Very Fine(Photo Ex) 3,950.00
3563 ★	1910 ½p-£1 Double Heads (101-118; SG 119/165). Complete set of eighteen values, bright colors, some h.r., 10p with disturbed gum, 2p and 5p each with tiny thin spot, 6p with faint perf toning, overall Fine-Very Fine(Photo Ex) 3,950.00
3564 ★	1913-19, ½p-£1 Admirals (119-138). Complete set of 20 values, incl. both 1sh and an extra shade of the 1p, some h.r., Fine-Very Fine, £1 with B.P.A. certificate(Photo Ex) 1,310.00
3565 ★	1923 £1 Magenta & Black (138a; SG 311). Lightly hinged, rich colors, well-centered, Very Fine, SG £600           750.00
3566 ★	1913-23, £1 Black & Bright Purple, Die III (138a var; SG 278). Lightly hinged, bright colors, Very Fine, SG value

#### ST. CHRISTOPHER



3567

3567 ★ 1886, 1p on 6p Green, Inverted Surcharge (18a; SG 24a). Position 18 of the setting, part original gum, fresh color, diagonal crease (recent certificate states "treated to reduce crease")

FINE APPEARING EXAMPLE OF THE ST. CHRISTOPHER ONE-PENCE ON SIX-PENCE WITH INVERTED SURCHARGE. ONE OF THE GREAT RARITIES OF THE BRITISH WEST INDIES. PERHAPS FIVE EXAMPLES ARE RECORDED.

#### ST. HELENA



3568

3568 ★★ 1894, 1sh on 6p Yellow Green, Double Surcharge (39a; SG 45a). With selvage at right, stamp is Mint N.H. (hinged in the selvage only), bright color, horizontal crease at top VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A RARE EXAMPLE OF THE DOUBLE SURCHARGE ERROR ON THE ONE-SHILLING ON SIX-PENCE ST. HELENA ISSUE.



- 3569 ★ 1922, ½p-15sh Tercentenary (79-94; SG 97-113). Most lightly hinged, a few middle values with h.r., well-centered, fresh colors, Very Fine, SG £1,275 ...(Photo Ex) 1,474.00
- 3570 ★⊞ 1922, ½p and 1p Tercentenary, Torn Flag Variety (79-80 var; SG 97b, 98b). Blocks of four with selvage at bottom, the variety the top right stamp, lightly hinged, Fine-Very Fine, SG value.......(Photo Ex) £ 475



- 3573 ★ 1922, 15sh Violet & Black on Blue (94; SG 113). Lightly hinged, outstanding colors in a particularly dark shade, intense impression, Extremely Fine, SG £1,000............ 1,075.00

- 3578 ★ ST. KITTS-NEVIS, 1923, ½p-£1 Tercentenary (52-64; SG 48-60). Most are lightly hinged, bright colors, well-centered, 1½p with trivial gum bend, Very Fine, SG £1,200 ... .......(Photo Ex) 1,600.00

#### SAMOA









3584 3585 3586 3587

1878, 2sh Chocolate, Type II (7b; SG 8a). Row 1, Position 3, showing a portion of the 3584 papermaker's watermark, large margins, light Apia circular datestamp, Very Fine, with 1878, 2sh Chocolate, Type II (7b; SG 8a). Row 1, Position 2, light strike of double-circle 3585 1879, 5sh Emerald Green, Type III (8; SG 14). Row 1, Position 2, light strike of double-3586 circle datestamp, bright color, trivial crease at bottom left, still Fine and scarce, with 2009 1878, 5sh Green, Type II (8b; SG 9). Row 2, Position 1, neat Apia double-circle date-3587 stamp, bright color, small owner's backstamp just shows thru, Fine, a scarce stamp, with 3588 Samoa 1877-82 Express Stamps Specialized Collection. 91 unused or used stamps, some in multiples incl. two blocks of ten showing the full setting, all are identified as to type (state) and most are identified as to position within the setting, incl. 30 2sh and four 5sh stamps, many of these are used which are actually more difficult to find than unused, mixed condition as always on these, though many are Fine or better, a great opportunity

3589 ★ 1914, "1 Shillings" on 1m Carmine (110; SG 110). The shaved period after "I" variety (Michel 10I/I), lightly hinged, bright fresh color

VERY FINE. ONLY 100 EXAMPLES OF THE "1 SHILLINGS" SURCHARGE WERE PRINTED, LESS THAN 20 OF WHICH ARE THE SHAVED PERIOD VARIETY.

With 1983 Killian certificate. SG £3,250 for the basic stamp. Michel  $\in$ 5,000 for the variety.......3,500.00



3589



3590 ★ 1914, 2sh on 2m Blue (111; SG 112).

Original gum, wide margins, rich color, natural gum bends and pinpoint thin speck, Very Fine appearance, only 126 were printed, with clear 1957 B.P.A. and 1993 Holcombe certificates, SG £3,500.....





3592

#### SIERRA LEONE

- 3597 ★ 1933, ½p-£1 Wilberforce (153-165; SG 168-180). Lightly hinged, bright colors, Fine-Very Fine, SG £750 .......(Photo Ex) 948.00



3601 ★★





8EX 3599

SOUTH WEST AFRICA, 1923-24, 3p, 1sh-5s, £1 Overprints, Setting III (19, 22-25, 27; SG 19, 22-25, 27). Used horizontal bilingual pairs of each, light circular datestamps, 3p with a couple separated perfs, Fine-Very Fine, SG £811 ......(Photo Ex) 809.00

#### STRAITS SETTLEMENTS

- 3599 **1880, 10c on 30c Claret (25A; SG 37).** Square dots and blue company chop cancels, thin, Fine appearance, a rare stamp, with 2009 Brandon certificate, SG £900 ................ 925.00



1902, \$100.00 Dull Violet & Green on Yellow (104A, SG 122). Incl. selvage with control

No. 1 at top, stamp is Mint N.H. (hinged in selvage only), single toned perf visible only on back and a tiny natural gum inclusion

FINE. AN IMPRESSIVE EXAMPLE OF THE  $\$100.00\ 1902$  STRAITS SETTLEMENTS ISSUE, WITH THE CONTROL NUMBER AND STAMP IN PRISTINE MINT NEVER-HINGED CONDITION.

3602 S 1911, \$25.00 Blue & Violet on Blue, "Specimen" Overprint (145S; SG 168s). Original gum (called a little disturbed on certificate), deep colors, Very Fine, with 2011 B.P.A. certificate, SG value . £ 600



3602



3603

3604 S 1908, \$500.00 Violet and Orange, "Specimen" Overprint (146S; SG 169s). Lightly hinged, bright fresh colors, Fine, an affordable alternative to the issued stamp which catalogues £120,000, with 2011 B.P.A. certificate, SG value..................... £ 3,500



3604



3605



3606 ★ 1915, \$100.00 Red & Black on Blue (173; SG 214). Barest trace of hinging, vibrant colors

> VERY FINE. A CHOICE ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE STRAITS SETTLEMENTS \$100.00 KING GEORGE V.

> Signed A. Diena and with 2011 B.P.A. certificate. SĞ £8,000 ...... 5,750.00

3607 S 1921, \$500.00 Orange & Dull Violet, "Specimen" Overprint (204S; SG 240ds). Small h.r., well-centered, rich colors, Very Fine, a relatively inexpensive way to fill an otherwise nearly impossible space in the album (normal stamp catalogues SG £55,000), with 2011 R.P.S. certificate, ŠG value ...... £ 3,500



3607



3609

3608 3609



SUDAN, 1911, 10p Deep Violet & Black, Army Official (MO12; SG A13). Tiny h.r., 3608 ★ deep colors, well-centered, Very Fine, with 1954 B.P.A. certificate, SG £550 ...... 625.00

TRANSVAAL, 1900, £5 Dark Green, "V.R.I." (213; SG 237). Used with two 2p and one 10sh from the same series, tied by "Registered Johannesburg 20.11.01" double-circle datestamps on piece, rich colors, Very Fine, genuine examples of this stamp are few and 



- 3610 ★ TRANSVAAL, 1903, £5 Violet & Orange (267; SG 259). Lightly hinged, rich colors, 3611 TRANSVAAL, 1902, £5 Violet & Orange (267; SG 259). Postally used with 1909 doublecircle datestamp, rich colors, Fine, with 1928 R.P.S. and 2007 Brandon certificates, SG 3612 WESTERN AUSTRALIA, 1857, 2p Brown on Red, Printed on Both Sides (2b; SG 15a). With partial impression of four different stamps on back, three full margins, just barely touching the frameline at right, lightly cancelled, Fine, a rare error, with 1983 R.P.S. 3613 WESTERN AUSTRALIA, 1857, 6p Gray Black, Rouletted (9; SG 23). With roulettes on all four sides (rare thus), "1" numeral cancel, Fine, with 1988 B.P.A. certificate, SG 3614 ★★ ZANZIBAR, 1913, 200r Black & Brown (140; SG 260g). Mint N.H., with selvage at left, rich colors, Fine, not an easy stamp to find in Mint N.H. condition, with 1967 A. Diena and 2005 Sismondo certificates, catalog values are for hinged, SG £1,000....... 1,000.00 ZULULAND, 1892, 5sh Rose (11; SG 11). Lightly hinged, well-centered, deep rich 3615 ★



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#### END OF SESSION THREE

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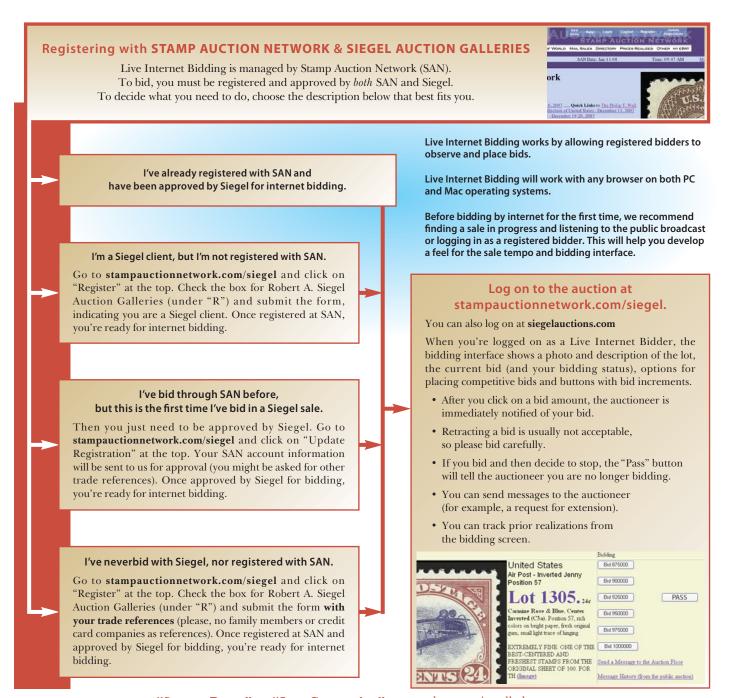
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## SESSION FOUR (LOTS 3617-3912) WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17, 2013, AT 1:30 P.M.

#### WORLDWIDE STAMPS AND POSTAL HISTORY

#### EXCEPTIONAL AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO. SAMPLE BOOK



3618

#### AUSTRIA





3620 ★★ 1936, 10sh Dollfuss (380; Michel 588). Mint N.H., with selvage at left, perfectl centered, Extremely Fine Gem, Michel $\in$ 1,400
3621 ★★ 1936, 10sh Dollfuss (380; Michel 588). Mint N.H., excellent centering, rich color Extremely Fine, Michel €1,400
3622 ★★ 1936, 10sh Dollfuss (380, Michel 588). Mint N.H., well centered and fresh, Extremel Fine, Michel €1,400
3623 ★★ 1962, 1.50s Boy Scouts, Imperforate (684 var; Michel 1122U). Single with large sheet margin and "52.50" at top, Mint N.H., small gum disturbance in the selvage only we away from stamp, Extremely Fine, Michel value € 80
1922, 2½k-100K Musicians Semi-Postals, Die Proofs on Card (B50P-56P; Miche 481UII-24UII). Mounted in a specially prepared and numbered (9 out of 100) bookle with the original folder cover, Very Fine E. 400-50
3625 ★★ 1926, 3g+2g-40g+10g Nibelungen Issue, Imperforate (B71 var - 76 var; Michel 488U 93U). Mint N.H., Each with large sheet margin at left, other margins large and ever 3g+2g with trivial rust spot on gum mentioned only for strict accuracy, Extremely Fine a lovely well matched set, Michel €700(Photo Ex) 500.0
3626 ★★ 1933, 50g WIPA, Granite Paper (B110a; Michel 556A). Mint N.H., excellent centering

3627 1933, 50g WIPA Souvenir Sheet, Granite Paper (B111; Michel Block 1). Cancelled by 30 June 1933 Exhibition postmark in the bottom right corner, still with original gum (hinged), Very Fine, Michel €3,000 



3627

3628 ★ 1946, 5g+3g and 12g + 12g Unissued Anti-Fascist (B178 footnote; Michel VI-VII). Lightly hinged, Very Fine, Michel €2,600 for Mint N.H., Scott Retail for Mint N.H...... .....(Photo Ex) 2,000.00 1946, 1sh-5sh Renner Souvenir Sheets (B185-B188; Michel 772B-75B). Mint N.H., Very 3629 ★★ 3630 ★★ 1946, 1sh-5sh Renner Souvenir Sheets (B185-B188; Michel 772B-75B). Mint N.H., 5sh with small spot on gum mentioned only for complete accuracy, Very Fine, Michel €2,300 ... .....(Photo Ex) 2,000.00 1918, 2k-4k Without Overprint and 7k on 10k Unissued Air Post (C1 var - C3 var). 3631 ★ Lightly hinged, fresh and Fine-Very Fine, only 500 of the 7k Surcharge were printed .... .....(Photo Ex) 1,050.00 3632 E 1930 Air Post Essays. For the rejected 5g and 10g design, 42 different Die Essays, plus nine sheetlets of four showing three 5g and one 10g design, Very Fine..... (Photo Ex) E. 400-500 3633 ⋈ LOMBARDY-VENETIA, 1850, 5c Orange (1c; Sassone 1h). Single showing two printing varieties, "heavy sheet margin" at left and "raised quads" in bottom margin, tied by Milano circular datestamp on 1857 folded cover to Vienna, backstamped, stamp with four large margins, Very Fine, with 2005 Sismondo certificate..... E. 200-300 3634 BELGIAN CONGO, 1887, 3.50fr on 5fr Violet Parcel Post (Q3). Light strike of circular datestamp, fresh color, a couple short perfs at bottom left, Fine, an elusive stamp, with 3635 BELGIUM, 1849, 10c Brown (1). Vertical pair, huge margins to just touched at lower right incl. corner sheet margin at top right, neat cancels incl. trace of red cancel at upper left, small corner crease at bottom right, Very Fine-Extremely Fine, impressive corner 



## BRAZIL

3636	<b>1843, 30r Black, Early Impression (1).</b> Four large even margins, crisp impression, lightly cancelled, Extremely Fine, a highly select copy of Brazil No. 1, with 1999 Sismondo certificate
3637	<b>1843, 30r Black, Intermediate Impression (1a).</b> Large even margins on all four sides, fresh color, unusually light cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2008 Sismondo certificate
3638	<b>1843, 60c Black, Early Impression (2).</b> Large margins all around, sharp impression, cancelled by "Correio Geral da Corte 23 7 18-44" double-circle datestamp, Extremely Fine, with 2008 Sismondo certificate
3639	<b>1843, 60r Black, Intermediate Impression (2a).</b> Four large margins, light strike of double-circle datestamp, fresh and Extremely Fine, with 2000 Sismondo certificate
3640	<b>1843, 90r Black, Early Impression (3).</b> Full to large margins all around, especially intense shade and impression (noted as "a very early impression" on the certificate), light double-circle datestamp, Very Fine and choice, signed Fulpius, Kohler and with 2000 Sismondo certificate
3641	<b>1843, 90r Black, Late Impression (3b).</b> Large even margins all around, neat strike of double-circle datestamp, Extremely Fine, signed Meyer and with 2008 Sismondo certificate
3642 ⋈	<b>CHINA, 1908 Postcard from France to China.</b> Color picture postcard of Carnaval de Nice, France 10c Sower tied by "Nice 5-3-08" circular datestamp, sent to Shanghai where two arrival circular datestamp of April 1 applied, fresh and Very Fine E. 150-200
3643 (★)	CHINA, 1912, 1c-\$5.00 Sun Yat-Sen (178-89). Unused (no gum), a few minor perf flaws, 50c with trivial corner crease, Fine appearance(Photo Ex) 1,492.00



- 3644 ★ EGYPT, 1926, 5m-15m Navigation Congress, Imperforate Royal Printing (118 var 120 var; Nile Post C14a-16b). With "Cancelled" printed on back, large even margins, Very Fine, only 50 sets printed, ex King Farouk.......(Photo Ex) E. 300-400
- 3645 ★★ EGYPT, 1926, 5m-50p "Port Fouad" Overprints (121-24; SG 141-44). Mint N.H. set, 50p with selvage at bottom, Very Fine, SG £2,500 as hinged, Scott Retail as hinged................................(Photo Ex) 2,250.00
- 3646 ★ EGYPT, 1929, 5m-20m Ninth Birthday, Imperforate Royal Printing (155 var 158 var; Nile Post C29a-32a). With "Cancelled" printed on back, large even margins, Very Fine, only 50 sets printed, ex King Farouk......(Photo Ex) E. 400-500
- 3647 \*\* EGYPT, 1956, Arab Scout Jamboree Souvenir Sheet of Three, Perforated and Imperforate (B13-B15 var; SG MS513-14). Mint N.H., fresh and Very Fine, SG £3,400 ... ....(Photo Ex) 1,500.00
- 3648 ★⊞ EGYPT, Suez Canal, 1868, 1c-40c Steamship (L1-L4; Nile Post SC1-SC4). Blocks of four or six mounted on two album pages, incl. 1c unused block of four, 5c original gum block of six, four original gum 20c blocks of four, two with sheet margins, all with position and plate notations, the 1c block with small fault on the top left stamp, 40c block with some mild creasing, otherwise Very Fine, blocks of this issue are very scarce, with the Nile Post catalog assigning huge premiums, 1c signed A. Brun, one 20c signed Bolaffi, 40c signed A. Brun, Nile Post catalogue value \$19,440.00...............(Photo Ex) E. 2,000-3,000





#### FRANCE

- 3650 EE 1850, 40c Rose Plate Essay (7E; Yvert 5E). Full sheet of 150 showing the retouch (Type II) in Positions 146 and 147, quite fresh, a few minor selvage edge faults, Very Fine, a rare Essay sheet that was ultimately used for the 1870 Siege of Paris issue ....... E. 1,500-2,000
- 3651 ⋈ 1850, 40c Orange on Yellowish, Ty. I (7; Yvert 5). Two vertical pairs originally forming a block of four, vibrant color, large margins to barely in at one spot, tied by "DS2" in lozenge cancels struck bit heavily and breaking paper in spots, "Paris 20 Nov. 52" double-circle datestamp on folded letter to New York, "21" due handstamp for postage due from recipient, vertical file fold affects bottom stamps, some edgewear, still Very Fine, unusual use, carried aboard the Collins Line's Arctic, this required double French rates and single British and U.S. rates, the 16 decimes in postage pays the 12c French domestic and 4 decimes channel postage....... E. 300-400



- 3653 ⋈ 1853, 1fr Lake (21; Yvert 18). Large margins to barely in at upper right, used with three 10c Bister (13), tied by square of dots, "Paris 13 Avril 54" double-circle datestamp on small blue cover to New York, "Boston Br. Pkt. 5 Apr. 27" one 10c affected from placement over edge of cover, otherwise Very Fine, a scarce franking, the 1fr is rarely seen on cover........... E. 1,000-1,500
- 3654 ⋈ 1870, 30c Brown (46; Yvert 47). Large margins, bright color, used with 20c and tied by "2240" in lozenges, "Marseille 30 Juil. 71" double-circle datestamp on folded letter to Georgetown, District of Columbia, red "P.P." boxed handstamp, London transit, red "2 Cents" credit handstamp, Very Fine, the direct rate was reduced from 60c to 50c on May 25, 1871 ...... E. 200-300



3659 ★ 1928, 10fr on 90c "Ile de France", 4½mm and 6½mm Surcharges (C3, C3b; Yvert A3, 3b). Vertical pair with selvage at bottom, top stamp the scarcer 6½mm surcharge, bottom stamp the normal 4½mm surcharge, top stamp and selvage lightly hinged, bottom stamp Mint N.H., wonderfully bright and fresh

VERY FINE. AN IMPRESSIVE AND VERY RARE PAIR OF THE 10-FRANC "ILE DE FRANCE" DISPLAYING THE DIFFERENT SPACINGS OF THE SURCHARGE. ONLY 295 OF THE WIDE-SPACED SURCHARGE WERE PRINTED.

For additional "Ile de France" Air Posts on cover, please see lots 3724-3726







3661

3660 ★★ 1936, 85c-50Fr Plane over Paris (C8-14; Yvert A8-14). Mint N.H., well-centered, fresh and Very Fine, Yvert €2,290......(Photo Ex) 1,697.00

#### FRANCE BALLONS MONTES



3662

Ballon Monte, Earliest Known Possible Cancellation Date. France No. 33 horizontal pair tied on cover (with letter enclosure) by star cancellation with "Paris 5e. 18 Sept. 70/R. St. Lazare" double-circle datestamp addressed to Turin, Italy, red boxed "PD" handstamp, Turin arrival backstamp of Oct. 25, Very Fine and scarce destination, this cover just missed the final departure from Paris (4e.) earlier in the day before encirclement by the Prussian army making this the earliest known possible cancellation date for a balloon flight, this should have been flown on the *Neptune* but due to the overload of mail, only the lightest pieces made the flight, judging by the arrival datestamp, this made it on a later balloon flight but it is impossible to determine the specific flight....................... E. 1,500-2,000



- 3664 ⋈ Ballon Monte Jules-Favre #1, Oct. 16, 1870 (BM13). France Nos. 32 and 33 tied on petite folded letter by "4" in Star handstamp, "Paris 15 Oct. 70/B. L'Enghien" double-circle datestamp alongside and addressed to Brussels, Belgium, red boxed "PD" handstamp, Very Fine ..... E. 200-300



3666 ⋈ Ballon Monte Archimede, Nov. 21, 1870 (BM31). France No. 34 tied on cover by two strikes of "31" in Star handstamp, "Paris 19 Nov. 70/Corps Legislatif" double-circle datestamp and addressed to Cowes, Isle of Wight, red boxed "PD" handstamp, Cowes Nov. 24 arrival datestamp on reverse, slightly rough opening at top not effecting adhesive, still Fine, a rare destination...... E. 500-750



- Ballon Monte Ville d'Orleans, Nov. 24, 1870 (BM33). France No. 33 tied on folded letter by star handstamp, "Paris 22 Nov. 70/(CO)" double-circle datestamp and addressed to Dieppe where it was then forwarded to London, light manuscript "voir au dos" with London address on reverse, red boxed "Affranchissement Insuffisant" and "More to Pay" in circle, Dieppe and London arrival backstamps, Very Fine, an incredible usage on an already turbulent balloon voyage, the balloon went drastically off course and had to jettison some of its mail bags in Norway to avoid crashing into the North Sea but the balloon drifted away and was found a few days later, a more complete history on the balloon flight can be found at http://www.scc-online.org/ph05may.pdf.. E. 400-500
- Ballon Monte Ville d'Orleans, Nov. 24, 1870 (BM33). Folded letter without stamp as many are known to have floated off, with "Paris 24 Nov. 70/R. D'Amsterdam" double-circle datestamp and addressed to Trouville-sur-Mer, arrival backstamp, Fine, another example of this fascinating balloon voyage...... E. 200-300
- 3669 Ballon Monte General Renault, Dec. 11, 1870 (BM41). France No. 57 tied on folded Correspondance Havas (French Edition) of Dec. 8 by Star handstamp, "Paris 8 Dec. 70/(SO)" double-circle datestamp and addressed to Beaune, arrival backstamp, due to the nature of this fragile tissue paper there are some hinge repaired tears within, still Fine and rare..... E. 300-400



- 3671 

   Ballon Monte Duquesne, Jan. 9, 1871 (BM55). France No. 34 tied on folded letter by "6" in Star handstamp and "Paris 6 Jan. 71" double-circle datestamp, addressed to Halstead, England, red boxed "PD" handstamp, Earls Colne transit and Halstead arrival backstamps, Very Fine ....... E. 200-300
- Ballon Monte General Cambronne, Jan. 28, 1871 (BM67). France No. 57 tied on folded Gazette des Absents No. 31 with letter by Star handstamp and "Paris 26 Jan. 71/R. St. Lazare" double-circle date-stamp, addressed to Bordeaux, arrival backstamp of Jan. 29, Fine, judging by the date, this should have flown on the famous Richard Wallace which left Jan. 27 but was lost at sea in the Bay of Arcachon, although doesn't appear it did based on the arrival of Jan. 29 on reverse which predates other known covers from that ill-fated flight with arrival markings by a couple weeks.... E. 400-500



A Boules de Moulin containing mail



3673

3673 Incoming Siege of Paris Mail, Boules de Moulins. France 1870 20c Blue (No. 44) horizontal strip of five, tied on folded letter datelined "Decembre 30, 1870" by indistinct double-circle datestamp and addressed to Paris, manuscript "Paris par Moulins (Allier)" directive at bottom, Aurillac transit, strip slightly in on left four stamps, reinforced along bend in letter

VERY FINE. A RARE BOULES DE MOULINS COVER, SENT INTO PARIS DURING THE SEIGE. THIS IS IN BETTER CONDITION THAN NORMALLY SEEN, AS MANY SUFFERED WATER DAMAGE.

During the Siege of Paris it was virtually impossible to get mail into the city. Balloons (Ballons Montes) and Pigeon Post were used for outgoing mail. Boules de Moulins were an attempt to bring mail into Paris, using semi-floating balls of zinc sent down the Seine and carried by the current. The service started Jan. 4, 1871 and was discontinued Jan. 31. None actually reached Paris during the Siege; they were found later, some as recently as 1982...... E. 750-1,000



Incoming Siege of Paris Mail, Boules de Moulins. France 20c Blue (No. 44) horizontal strip of five, tied on folded letter by "Lascelle 12 Jan. 71" double-circle datestamp addressed to Paris, manuscript "Pour Paris par Moulins (Allier)" directive at bottom, Aurillac transit, strip slightly in on at least one side, minor edge faults at top, Very Fine and rarely found in this condition as these often suffer from water damage to some degree, from the same correspondence as the previous lot....... E. 750-1,000



3675

3675 ⋈ Incoming Siege of Paris Mail, Boules de Moulins. Folded letter without stamp as many were known to have floated off, with "Roubaix 30 Dec. 70" double-circle datestamp and addressed to Paris, manuscript "Paris par Moulins (Allier)" directive at bottom, Lille a Paris transit, Fine and rare, with cover in typical condition as many suffered from immersion in water....... E. 200-300



3678 TC FRENCH COLONIES, 1859, 10c Eagle and Crown, Black, Large Die Trial Color Proof (3P). 60 x 56mm, some light toning and small hole at right well away from

design, Fine and rare..... E. 400-500

#### **GERMANY**

1920, 14m Vermilion and Magenta, Quatrefoils Watermark (210; Michel 151Y). Bold circular datestamp, bright colors, Very Fine, this type of water-marked paper was intended for use on Revenue stamps only, with 2003 P.F. certificate, Michel €1,300 ... 975.00



3679



3679

3680

3680 ⊞ BERLIN, 1949 1m Olive with Red Surcharge (9N33; Michel 33). Used block of six with neatly struck "Berlin-Charlottensurg 8 18.8.49" circular datestamps, bright fresh color, top left and bottom right stamp each with just a faint hint of a crease, Fine, a rare block, with clear 1994 A.P.S. certificate, cataloged as six singles, Michel €3,300 ...... 2,700.00

SUDETENLAND, 1938, 2k + 3k Masaryk Souvenir Sheet, "Wir sind frei" Overprint 3681 ★★ (Michel Block 3). Mint N.H., fresh, Extremely Fine, rare as only 60 of these souvenir sheets were made, with 1980 Mahr certificate, Michel value..... € 4,000



3681



3682EX

1944, 6pf, 12pf and 14+16pf Allied Propaganda Stamps (Michel 15, 16, 17, 29). No. 29 is lightly hinged, other three Mint N.H., No. 16 with natural gum crease, Fine-Very Fine, Michel value for Mint N.H.....(Photo Ex) € 810

3682 ★



3683 ★★⊞ DANISH LEGION POST, 1944, 500 and Undenominated Legion Post (Michel IV-V).

Complete sheet of ten stamps (five se-tenant pairs) with selvage on all four sides, stamps are all Mint N.H., some hinge marks in the selvage, far bottom selvage with small thins VERY FINE. MOSTLY LIKELY A UNIQUE SHEET OF THIS RARE LEGION POST ISSUE.

With 1984 Krischke certificate. Michel value as five se-tenant pairs ...... € 14,000



### **GREECE**



3685

3685 PH GREECE, 1861, 11 Light Brown Barre Proof (1P). Complete sheet of 150 with printer's inscription "Typograhie Ernest Meyer, Rue De Verneuil 22 A Paris" at bottom, some small faults as expected on a full sheet (one stamp with small hole)

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A UNIQUE BARRE PROOF SHEET.

Tseriotis certificate was issued but no longer accompanies..... E. 2,000-3,000



thin Greenish paper with plate flaw (position 27), 20L Black with 1l Chocolate printed on reverse, 30l Brown horizontal pair, 40l Mauve on Bluish thin paper, 80l Carmine and 10l Yellow Orange with control number on back and plate flaw (position 107), all with four large margins, Very Fine-Extremely Fine, a scarce group of Barre proofs..... (Photo Ex) E. 300-400 3687 P⊞ 1861, 801 Carmine Barre Proof (6P). Block of six with sheet margin at top, vivid color, large margins, Very Fine and handsome ...... E. 200-300 3688 ★⊞ 1861, 801 Rose on Pink, Paris Print (6). Block of four with full original gum (streaky as usual), three stamps are Mint N.H., large even margins, gorgeous rich color, Extremely Fine, accompanied by an original gum single with sheet margin at left ...... ......(Photo Ex) 2,000.00 3689 E HUNGARY, 1918, 25f Emperor Charles, Black Hand Drawn Essay of the Unadopted Design (130E). 100 x 113mm, signed by the artist Ferenz Melbing, affixed to 120 x 160mm gray card with two stamp-size photographic reproductions at bottom, violet recording handstamp dated 16 June 1917, Fine, a unique collateral item for the specialist E. 200-300 ISRAEL, Moses Montefiore Signed Letter. On "Holy Land Sir Moses Montefiore, Bart." 3690 letterhead, a Very Fine signature of one of the most influential Jewish activists of the 19th Century ..... E. 400-500

1861, 11-801 Barre Proofs (1P/7P). 11 Brown Chocolate on thin white paper, 51 Green on

3686 P

3691 ⋈



- 3692 (\*) **ISRAEL, 1948, 3m-1,000m Doar Ivri (1-9).** Tabbed set affixed to special presentation page, the 1,000m has full tab which is most unusual on these, 20m and 1,000m with separated perfs between stamp and tab, Fine-Very Fine ...... E. 500-750

#### ITALIAN STATES

- 3694 ⋈ ITALIAN STATES. Cito Letter. 1557 folded letter with four citos, three stirrups and 2 gallows warnings, addressed to the Council of Ten at Padua, Very Fine example of these special delivery forerunners...... E. 500-750
- ROMAN STATES, 1852, 6b Black on Gray, 7b Black on Blue (7a, 8; Sassone 7, 8). Vertical strip of three of 7b, tied by "Roma 27 Ago 53" double-circle datestamps on folded cover to Warrenton, North Carolina, red Sard French entry circular datestamp, "New-York Ship 7cts. Oct. 19" due datestamp, red "P.D." handstamp but only paid to entry to U.S., some soiling, stamps with few flaws, still Fine and scarce use... E. 300-400
- 3696 

  TUSCANY, 1851-52, 1cr Carmine, 9cr Gray Lilac (4, 8; Sassone 4, 8). Vertical strip of three of 9cr, large margins to in, tied by "Firenze 2 Feb. 1855" circular datestamps on folded letter to New York, bold "PD" handstamp, "N. York Am. Pkt. 21 Feb. 21" due circular datestamp, carried on the Collins Line's Baltic which departed Liverpool Feb. 10 and arrived New York Feb. 21, fresh and Fine, unusual and rare franking ... E. 400-500



#### **ITALY**

- 1863, 60c Lilac (32; Sassone L21). Two singles, tied by "12" in lozenge, "Firenze 18 Gen.  $3697 \bowtie$ 68" circular datestamp on cover to New York, blue "NA 2" in octagon handstamp, various transit datestamps incl. red New York Paid All, also with Havana, Cuba backstamp of Feb. 11, Very Fine, this was likely routed to New York via Cuba where the blue "NA 2" and Havana backstamps were applied, a very unusual use..... E. 200-300 1865, 2c Orange Brown (25; Sassone T15). Block of ten, right stamps and bottom left 3698 ★⊞ stamp with paper remnants, other seven stamps Mint N.H., rich color, some perf separa-
- 3699 ★ 1889, 5c Dark Green (52; Sassone 44). Horizontal strip of four, right stamp with paper remnant, other three stamps Mint N.H., Fine, Sassone €4,250 as singles, Scott Retail as
- 3700 ★⊞ 1889, 5c Dark Green (52; Sassone 44). Block of six, top left stamp with paper remnant, bottom left stamp with just a faint trace of hinging, other four stamps Mint N.H., bottom right stamp with tiny tear in right margin, Fine appearance, a rare block (a hinged block of four catalogs \$6,750.00), Sassone €6,000 as singles, Scott Retail as singles .... 9,750.00
- 1924, 11 Brown and Green, Columbia Advertising Label (87d; Sassone FB19). Tied by 3701 ⋈ 1925 Rome duplex on cover to The Netherlands, boxed "A.4" backstamp, stamp with traces of perf tip toning, otherwise Fine, this is the rarest of all the advertising label
- 3702 ★★ LIECHTENSTEIN, 1934, 5m Vaduz Souvenir Sheet (115; Michel Block 1). Mint N.H.,

3703 ★ JAPAN, 1875, 12s Rose, Syllabic 3 (46). Original gum, certificate mentions light toning at bottom which is very trivial, Fine, a rare stamp, with 2011 P.F. certificate...... 3,500.00



3703

 $3704 \bowtie$ JAPAN, 1924, 3c Rose (131b). Bright color, tied by neat strike of circular datestamp on cover to Hong Kong, China, also with Hong Kong Postage Dues 1c Brown, 4c Red and strip of three of 10c Ultramarine (J1, J3, J5) tied by "Victoria, Hong Kong, 18AU 36" circular datestamps, purple due marking, some slight edgewear, Very Fine, attractive franking ... E. 200-300



MARIANA ISLANDS, 1899, 25pf Orange, Inverted 3705 ★ Overprint (15a; Michel 5bIIK). Lightly hinged, rich color, Very Fine, only one sheet was printed with the inverted overprint, signed Engel, Thier and with 1983 Bothe certifi-

3705

MONACO, 1956, 1fr-500fr Royal Wedding (366-370, C46-C48). Lot consisting of the two 3706 ★★ souvenir sheets, 1fr, 15fr and 500fr Large Die Proofs, a set of imperforate singles with left sheet margin, three First Day covers and one signed cover, Very Fine..... 



NEPAL, 1917, ½a Orange, Tête-Bêche Pair (11a). Vertical têtebêche pair with telegraph cancel as always, full to large margins, couple of pre-printing creases that are endemic to the rough native paper these were printed on, Very Fine and rare, unpriced in Scott...... E. 1,000-1,500



- PUERTO RICO, 1877, 10c Carmine, 25c Ultramarine, 50c Bister (14, 16, 17). Tied by light strike of circular datestamp on folded cover datelined Aug. 12, 1877 to Genoa, Italy, red London transit circular datestamp ties two stamps, Genoa backstamp (Aug. 31), this is reportedly the latest known use before the UPU rates came into effect, Very Fine, a most attractive three-color franking, ex Gallagher...... E. 300-400

- 3712 

   SENEGAL, 1859, 10c Bister on Yellowish (French Colonies 3). Horizontal pair, large margins to full, tied by blue "GOR" lozenge, matching "Senegal ET DEPces, Goree, 29 Aout 68" double-circle datestamp on blue folded cover to Casamance, red boxed "PD" handstamp, light horizontal file fold well away from stamps, Very Fine, scarce intracolony cover, ex Vogel, signed Calves .................................. E. 400-500
- 3713 

   SENEGAL, 1865, 20c Blue on Bluish (French Colonies 4). Large margins to full, tied by blue lozenge, matching "Senegal ET DEPces St. Louis 31 Oct. 66" double-circle datestamp on blue folded cover to Goree, endorsed "par courrier" at upper left, horizontal file fold well away from stamp, Very Fine, scarce and attractive intra-colony cover, ex Vogel ...... E. 500-750
- 3714 

   SENEGAL, 1872-77, 10c Bister on Rose, 30c Brown on Yellowish (French Colonies 20, 22). Singles of each, margins all around, fresh colors, tied by blue "GOR" (Goree, Senegal) in lozenge of dots on neat folded cover to Marseilles, France, matching blue "Senegal-Et-Dpeces Goree 15 Janv 77" double-circle datestamp, blue double oval merchant's cachet, Very Fine, lovely pristine cover ............................... E. 400-500

#### **SURINAM**



3715EX

3715 S 1945, 10c-10g Queen Wilhelmina, "Specimen" Overprints and Security Punches (193S-207S; NVPH 229S-243S). Each in a block of twelve, all but the 1.50g and 5g are top margin plate number blocks, Mint N.H. except on 5g stamp is hinged, one 5g stamp tear from the punch

VERY FINE AND SCARCE. ONLY  $300~\mathrm{OF}$  EACH WERE PRODUCED.

With 2000 Muis certificate. NVPH value as singles.....(Photo Ex) € 45,000



- SWITZERLAND, 1881, 50c Deep Violet, Double Transfer, One Inverted (67b; Michel 43I). With a pronounced double transfer with one inverted, especially noticeable in the top and bottom tablets, "Belfaux 12.6.82" circular datestamp, attractive color in a slightly pale shade, a few blunt perfs and a thin spot, Fine appearance, a rare error, with 1964 Hunziker certificate...... 5,500.00
- 3718 ★★⊞ SWITZERLAND, 1945, 10Fr PAX (305; Michel 459). Mint N.H. top right corner selvage block of four, choice centering, fresh and Extremely Fine, Michel value ...... € 800
- 3720 **TRIESTE (Zone A), 50c-5L "F.T.T." Retail Sales Tax Stamps.** Five values, the 5L shows a clear **double handstamp**, light boxed cancels, Very Fine, seldom offered ..........(**Photo Ex**) E. 150-200
- 3721 ★ VATICAN CITY, 1934, 40c on 80c-3.701 on 101 Overprints (35-40; Sassone 35-40). A couple values with minor h.r., fresh, Fine-Very Fine, Sassone €2,000......(Photo Ex) 1,667.00

# THE AWARD-WINNING COLLECTION OF CATAPULT MAIL FROM THE HENRY HOUSER ESTATE



3724

3724 

1928, 10fr on 90c "Ile de France" Air Post, Inverted Surcharge (C3a; Yvert A3a). Used with 50c stamp, tied by "New-York Au Havre 23-8-28" First Day of Issue octagonal datestamp on flown catapult cover to Paris, well-struck six-line catapult handstamp cachet at lower right

VERY FINE. A PHENOMENAL FRANCE AIR POST RARITY. ONLY TWO COVERS ARE KNOWN WITH THE INVERTED ILE DE FRANCE 10-FRANC ON 90-CENTIME SURCHARGE.

The provisional surcharges were created during an attempt to create a new service to expedite mail crossing the Atlantic. This was accomplished using a combination of boat and plane to transport the mail. The mail was placed on board the ship, and a plane would take off from the ship at a predetermined point. This new Catapult Mail service gained about 24 hours, as mail on board ships had to wait for the ship to dock and then be removed. The "Ile de France" provisionals were created due to the popularity of the first leg of the voyage. Realizing that the ship would not have sufficient postage on board for the return voyage, the French Consul General in New York commissioned Emile Cabella, a New York printer, to surcharge 3,000 90c and 1,000 1.50fr stamps. News of the stamps reached France before the plane arrived and they were instantly sought by collectors.

Only 50 stamps were printed with the inverted surcharge. Of those, 45 have normal spacing, as seen on the example offered here. Only two covers with inverted surcharges are known to exist.

Signed Raybaudi and accompanied by his 1987 certificate. Yvert €20,000. Scott Retail.... 19,000.00





3726



WIA SAN FRANCISCO, BY U.S.A. AIR MAIL & CATA FULL FLIGHT.

BY AIR MAIL

Western Queensland

Win Honolulu - San Franciske
Remouse Preme und
Katapultbeförerung nach Hamburg.

Deutscher Schleuderflug
D. "Bremen"
- Southampton
25. Mai 1932

Herrn Karl Hennig.
Femburg - Wendsbeck,
Osterkanp 1.

Mit Luftpost
befördert
Hamburg 1

- 3727 ⋈ 1930, May 19, Bremen to New York, Catapult Flight (Graue-Leder K-21 DZ). Danzig Nos. 170, C27, and C29 tied by multiple strikes of "Zoppot Luftpost 11.5.30" circular datestamp on cover to Brooklyn N.Y., well-struck red catapult cachet, Danzig and Berlin transit and Brooklyn N.Y. backstamps, 1g stamp with selvage at top, Fine, quite scarce as Graue-Leder record a mere four Danzig covers carried on this flight ....... E. 400-500
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   1931, May 17, Bremen to Southampton, Catapult/Zeppelin Combination Flight (Graue-Leder K-60 X4). Germany 2m South America Zeppelin Flight stamp tied on card, posted on board the Bremen for the catapult flight, stamp tied by "Deutsch Amerikanische-Seepost 13.5.31" circular datestamp, Friedrichshafen Jun. 6 circular datestamp where it was used in combination with a Zeppelin flight on the Seville leg and dropped in Toulouse, corresponding red catapult and Zeppelin cachets, card with trivial corner bend, still Fine, a scarce combination usage ............................... E. 750-1,000



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- 3730 ⋈ 1932, Jun. 28, Europa to New York, Zeppelin/Catapult Combination Flight (Graue-Leder K-111 X1). Germany 1m Zeppelin Flight used with 10pf, 15pf, and 50pf (2) stamps, tied by "Friedrichshafen 18 6 32" circular datestamps on cover to Roessler in Paterson N.J., used in combination with a Netherlands Zeppelin flight from which it then travelled to its destination via a catapult flight, corresponding blue Zeppelin and violet catapult cachets, Very Fine and scarce......................... E. 500-750
- 3731 ⋈ 1932, Aug. 2, Europa to New York, Mixed Franking Catapult Flight (Graue-Leder K-119 BE). Belgium 25c and 2fr stamps tied on cover by two strikes of "Deurne 27 VII 1932" circular datestamp to New York, payment for catapult made with Germany 50pf stamp tied by "Koln, Flughafen 28.7.32" datestamp, violet catapult cachet, Brussels transit backstamp, Very Fine, a small number of Belgium combination covers are known on this flight, Graue-Leder states only one known although we have been able to find another ...... E. 400-500
- 3732 ⋈ 1932, Aug. 20, Europa to New York, Mixed Franking Catapult Flight (Graue-Leder K-123 LX). Luxembourg No. C2 with an additional No. 194 on back, each tied by "Luxembourg-Ville 13.8.32" circular datestamps on registered pictorial postcard to Turrialba, Costa Rica, additionally franked by Germany No. B33d and tied by a Seapost cancel, green catapult cachet, New York and San Jose, Costa Rica transit handstamps, Germany stamp with trivial tear, still Fine, a scarcely encountered destination E. 400-500





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  1933, Jun. 6, Bremen to New York, Catapult Flight (Graue-Leder K-143 JU). Yugoslavia No. 75 with selvage at left, tied by violet "Beograd 27.V.32" triangular datestamp on cover to New York, well-struck black catapult cachet, Very Fine ...... E. 400-500
- 3735 ⋈ 1933, Jul. 19, Europa to New York, Catapult Flight (Graue-Leder K-153 HU). Hungary 20f Postal Card, additionally franked by 4f (2), 20f, 32f, and 50f stamps, tied by strikes of "Legi Posta Budapest 33 JUL 14" circular datestamp to New York, red supplementary cachet, green catapult cachet, Hungary transit backstamp, Fine, only seven Hungary examples are known carried aboard this flight ................................ E. 400-500



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- 3737 ⋈ 1933, Oct. 10, Bremen to Amsterdam, Catapult/Zeppelin Combination Flight (Graue-Leder K-172 X10). U.S. Nos. 696 single and C18 block of four, stamps tied by "U.S. Ger. Seapost 5 Oct 1933" circular datestamp on cover posted on board the Bremen for the catapult flight then onwards to Friedrichshafen where it was used in combination with a Zeppelin flight on the Spain leg, corresponding green catapult and red Zeppelin cachets, Seville and New York backstamps, Very Fine, a rare and attractive combination ....... E. 1,000-1,500
- 3738 ⋈ 1934, Aug. 29, Europa to New York, Catapult Flight (Graue-Leder K-201 JU). Yugoslavia Nos. B43-B45 and C4-C5 tied on cover by three strikes of "Zemun 22 VIII 34" triangular datestamp to New York, red supplementary cachet, violet catapult cachet, and red Berlin Air Mail strike along with transit backstamp on reverse, Fine................. E. 400-500
- 3739 ⋈ 1934, Sept. 9, Bremen to New York, Catapult Flight (Graue-Leder K-203 LN). Nine Liechtenstein stamps (Nos. 79, 126, 94-95, C1-C4 and C6) tied by multiples strikes of "Triesenberg 31.VIII.34" circular datestamp on registered cover to Long Beach N.Y., blue catapult cachet, New York transit and Long Beach backstamps, Very Fine, Graue-Leder report only fourteen Liechtenstein covers carried on this flight ....... E. 400-500



addressed to Long Beach N.Y., red Berlin Air Mail handstamp, red catapult cachet, Berlin and New York transit and Long Beach arrival backstamps, Very Fine, a rarely encountered catapult cover ..... E. 500-750 3741 ⋈ 1934, Oct. 3, Europa to New York, Catapult Flight (Graue-Leder K-209 LA). Latvia 10s, 25s and 1l stamps tied on cover by "Riga-Lidpasts, Latvija 26.9.34" circular datestamps to New York, red supplementary cachet, green catapult cachet, Berlin transit backstamp, Fine ..... E. 500-750 1935, Jun. 5, Europa to New York, Catapult Flight (Graue-Leder K-219 JU). Yugoslavia  $3742 \bowtie$ Nos. 102, 105-106, 110, and 112 tied by multiple strikes of "Zemun 31 V 35" triangular datestamp on registered cover addressed to New York, red supplementary cachet, red catapult cachet, Berlin transit and New York arrival backstamps, Fine...... E. 400-500  $3743 \bowtie$ 1935, Jun. 12, Bremen to New York, Catapult Flight (Graue-Leder K-221 LN). Liechtenstein Nos. 116-118 and 120-121 tied by strikes of "Triesenberg 5.VI.35" circular datestamp on registered cover to New York, blue catapult cachet, New York receiving backstamps, Very Fine, Graue-Leder notes that only eight Liechtenstein covers are

known on this flight..... E. 400-500





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  1935, Jul. 24, Bremen to New York, Catapult Flight (Graue-Leder K-229 LN). Liechtenstein Nos. C6 and C9-C13, tied by "Triesenberg 18.VII.35" circular datestamps on registered cover to Long Beach N.Y., violet catapult cachet, New York transit and Long Beach arrival backstamps, Very Fine, Graue-Leder reports eleven Liechtenstein covers carried on this flight...... E. 400-500
- 3745 ⋈ 1935, Aug. 21, Europa to New York, Catapult Flight (Graue-Leder K-235 HU). Hungary Nos. 487-491 tied on registered cover by two strikes of "Legi Posta, Budapest 1935 Aug. 15" circular datestamp to New York, red supplementary cachet along with Koln transit, violet catapult cachet, New York backstamps, Very Fine, Graue-Leder records seven covers from Hungary on this flight .. E. 400-500



Amelia Earhart. Autograph at lower left on U.S. flight and double catapult cover, begins with the U.S. flight, Aug. 20, 1929 Women's National Air Derby violet cachet to Andover Mass. on U.S. 5c stamped envelope with "Douglas Ariz. Aug. 20 1929" machine cancel and North Bridgton Me. backstamp, cover then posted on board the *Bremen* to Southampton about 10 months later, with U.S. 2c (3) and 15c stamps tied by "U.S. Ger. Seapost Jun 28 1930" circular datestamps and red catapult cachet (Graue-Leder K-30b), finally, after a couple months, the cover was posted on board the *Europa* to Amsterdam with Germany 2m stamp and tied by "Deutsch-Amerikanische Seepost 17.9.30" circular datestamp and red catapult cachet (Graue-Leder K-48c)

VERY FINE. MOST CERTAINLY A UNIQUE COMBINATION OF A U.S. FLIGHT AND TWO CATAPULT FLIGHTS ON A COVER SIGNED BY AMELIA EARHART.

The Women's National Air Derby, commonly known as the Powder Puff Derby, was the first official women-only air race in the United States and included Douglas Ariz. as one of the stops. Amelia Earhart was a contender and this is most likely when the cover was signed.

With 1992 P.F. certificate..... E. 1,500-2,000

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#### FLIGHT COVERS



3748EX

3748 ⋈ 1929 Eckener "Graf Zeppelin" Round the World Flight (AAMC Z-72 to Z-76). Ten covers of the different legs of the journey from Lakehurst to Lakehurst and Lakehurst to Friedrichschafen, incl. No. Z-72 with Lakehurst Aug. 7 circular datestamp, Z-72d, Z-72f, Z-73 (two) with one example on a real photo postcard of the Graf Zeppelin, Z-73f signed by Eckener and his crew, Z-74, Z-74a, Z-75 and Z-76, all with well struck cachets and handstamps, Very Fine ................................(Photo Ex) E. 500-750



3749

3749 ☑ Italian Air Cruise, New York-Rome (AAMC 1184f). Flight cover from Chicago to Rome leg, United States No. 570 (three), 701 and 702 tied by Jul. 18, 1933 slogan machine cancel from Chicago, large flight cachet, Rome and New York registry backstamps, minor corner bend at top left, otherwise Very Fine............................... E. 200-300



3750

3750 ₪ 1938 Howard Hughes Record Around The World Flight (AAMC 1307). Specially prepared legal-size Air Mail cover, mailed from New York on July 10 with No. C23 tied by duplex postmark, flown to France where 85c Air Post stamp was cancelled on July 11, then sent to Russia where 20k pre-cancelled stamp affixed, then sent to Fairbanks Alaska, Minneapolis and New York, where No. C19 was cancelled with July 14 arrival duplex, appropriate cachets and handstamps, signed by crew Stoddart, Connor and Lund, as well as Howard Hughes

EXTREMELY FINE. ONE OF THE VERY FEW COVERS FROM THIS FLIGHT THAT WAS ACTUALLY SIGNED BY HOWARD HUGHES.

#### LARGE LOTS BY COUNTRY OR AREA

3752 ★	Aden Collection, 1937-1963. Unused on Scott pages, complete per Scott incl. Kathirin State of Seiyun and Quaiti State of Shihr and Mukalla, also contains South Arabia 1963-1966, Fine-Very Fine
3753 Р	Argentina Proofs, 1890-1910. Mostly Plate Proofs or Trial Colors in blocks, 80 items total, incl. 1899 Liberty series ½c-50c each in blocks of four in three different colors (45 blocks total), also the 1910 Pictorials, especially the 10p Centenary Monument which is represented by ten different trial colors in pairs and another four blocks of six, and sever die proofs from the 1910 Pictorials, a few with light hinge stains, but overall a Very Fine lot.  E. 200-300
3754	Argentina - Corrientes Collection, 1856-1878. Specialized collection of about 100 stamps and 30 covers in a stockbook, several multiples incl. 3c two complete panes of eight and a tête-bêche block of four, used stamps incl. some circular datestamps, covers mainly with manuscript cancels, many are identified as to type, position, shade, etc., slightly mixed condition with many Fine-Very Fine, a worthwhile lot for the specialist E. 2,000-3,000
3755 ⊠	Asia Cover Group. Twelve covers to or from Asia, incl. 1908 from Korea to U.S. with Japan 10s Blue, nine 20th Century commercial covers from China to U.S. incl. one with U.S. postage due stamps applied, two inbound covers, one 1881 from U.S. to Yokohama and one to Canton, China mailed on board the U.S.S. President Cleveland, slightly mixed condition E. 200-300
3756 ★	Australia Collection, 1913-1999. Virtually all unused in two albums, Kangaroos to 2sh King George V to 1sh4p, just about complete from 1934, some Air Post issues, otherwise no Back-of-Book, the later issues are largely Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine E. 750-1,000
3757	Australian States Collection. In a Scott album, all of the States are very well-represented the earliest issues mostly used and contain many stamp cataloging hundreds of dollars each, as well as some cataloging over \$1,000.00, incl. seldom seen rouletted and compound perf stamps, the later issues are a mix of unused and used, also Back-of-Book issues such as Postage Dues, Postal-Fiscals and Officials, while the condition is somewhat mixed, the overall quality is nicer than what is usually encountered, the imperforate stamps generally with four margins and a large percentage Fine-Very Fine, seventeen certificates accompany E. 5,000-7,500
3758	<b>Australian States Assortment.</b> About 80 early imperforate stamps, Victoria, New South Wales and South Australia are the strongest, several catalogue hundreds of dollars each mostly used but does contain some unused, usual mixed condition but nearly all Fine-Very Fine appearance, ten Sismondo certificates accompany E. 1,000-1,500
3759 ⋈	Austria 19th Century Cover Lot. About 100 covers or cards, incl. stampless (most of which are mining related), various usages with 1850-1883 issues, Lombary-Venetia and many from Offices in Levant, a small number are from the very early 20th Century, wide range of usages from the Austrian-Hungarian Empire, with better cancels noticed, most are domestic or European destinations, also includes some off cover used stamps with cancel interest, majority Fine-Very Fine, three Sismondo certificate accompany, close inspection recommended
3760 ★	Austria Lot. Nearly all unused, with some better early issues from 1863-80 (these are in slightly mixed condition), 20th Century sets incl. 1910 Birthday issue and later definitives and commemoratives, largely Fine-Very Fine
3761 ★★	Bahrain Complete Collection, 1933-2004. On Scott pages, spot check of the better stamps show all but one (1973 War Tax stamp) to be Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine E. 750-1,000
3762	Brazil 19th Century Small Group. Thirteen items, most of the value in three 1843 Bull's Eyes, used 30r Intermediate Impression, unused pair 60r Intermediate Impression and unused 30r Worn Impression (Sismondo certificate), these three with large margins all around but faults, the others are mainly from the 1844-54 issues incl. a few multiples  E. 500-750
3763 ★	British Africa Collection. Through the King George VI issues on Scott pages, over 20 different colonies, some quite valuable, such as Rhodesia, with First Issue to £5, Double Heads to £1 with duplicated shades, Admirals also to £1, throughout all colonies the 20th Century has a high degree of completion, with many useful sets, some elusive areas such as British East Africa, Niger Coast Protectorate, Orange River Colony and Transvaal, the vast majority is unused, but there are some mostly early used stamps, some small faults but overall a Fine collection of this popular area, 29 certificates accompany
	E. 10,000-13,000

3764 ★ British Africa Queen Elizabeth II Collection. In eight Scott albums and one Lighthouse album, most of the African colonies are present and start with the first QEII issues and go to at least 1980, with some going further, like the South Africa which goes to 2006 and incl. all the Homelands, most are complete or missing no more than a couple sets for completion, earlier sets are often lightly hinged, the more modern issues Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine E. 2,000-3,000 3765 \* British America Collection. Through the King George VI era on Scott pages, some of the early 19th Century is used, otherwise nearly all unused, with all the British America colonies except no Canada & Provinces and Falkland Islands, some are complete, while others have a high degree of completion, all of the 20th Century definitive and commemorative sets present, all but a few with original gum, majority Fine-Very Fine ..... E. 5,000-7,500 3766 ★★ British America Queen Elizabeth II Collection. In seven Scott albums and two binders, all colonies represented except Canada and Falkland Islands, all go to at least 1980, with several going beyond, they are all either complete or missing just a set or two for completion (the first Anguilla set is not present), earliest sets are often lightly hinged, the later issues usually Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine ...... E. 2,000-3,000 3767 British Columbia and Vancouver Island Balance. 23 stamps, two of which are in a pair and four are in a strip, incl. 1860 2½p unused, used and used pair, 1865 5c and 10c unused, eleven of the 1867-69 Surcharges, incl. Nos. 15, 16 (two) and 17 (two), plus there are some Law stamps and a few other things, mixed condition ...... E. 1,000-1,500 3768 British Commonwealth Collection. Album of mostly used to about 1940, about fifteen countries present, with Great Britain which incl. ten Penny Blacks, several high values such as the £1 Seahorse, and a nearly complete run of all plate numbers of the 1864 1p Red in unused condition, Australia incl. two £2 Kangaroos, New Zealand, Hong Kong, Ireland (incl. all of the Seahorse overprints mainly unused), Cyprus, Canada (incl. a complete set of the Jubilee issue) and provinces, plus other British America colonies, with early Queen Victoria issues, and a solid run of later definitive and commemorative sets (these are sometimes mixed unused and used), somewhat mixed condition, a few certificates accompany, the lot also includes an additional more modest album of stamps...... ..... E. 10,000-15,000 3769 ★ British Commonwealth Assortment. Several dozen mostly unused 20th Century, many better popular stamps and sets, strong in Falkland Islands, with duplicated selections of 1898-1929 Issues, also 5sh-£1 Tercentenary, two St. Helena 15sh Badge of Colony, three G.B. £1 PUC (one used), two Brunei £25 (one no gum), a few used 19th Century incl. five G.B. Penny Blacks, India 1947 Independence set of three in full sheets, and more, somewhat mixed quality but many are Fine-Very Fine and overall a highly saleable lot... ..... E. 4,000-5,000 3770 British Commonwealth Lot. A few hundred items, nearly all pre-war, incl. unused or used singles and sets, wide range of items and areas incl. Great Britain (four with Puerto Rico cancels incl. two 5sh) and Canada, a few areas have duplication incl. fourteen Cape of Good Hope 4p Triangle (all with full margins all around) and a few hundred Great Britain 1841 2p Blue, some British America on album pages, mixed condition..... E. 2,000-3,000 3771 ★ British Commonwealth 20th Century Balance. 36 unused sets (a couple are short sets missing an expensive high value), most from the King Edward VII and King George V eras, plus a few late Queen Victoria tablet sets, 21 different countries incl. Great Britain, catalog values as high as \$948.00 (Sierra Leone Wilberforce set), most are in the \$150.00-\$400.00 range, all with original gum, a few tiny imperfections here and there, but overall a clean saleable group that is Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail over \$11,000.00..... ..... E. 2,000-3,000 3772 British Commonwealth Assortment. Arranged in two binders, hundreds of used or unused stamps, early to 1950s, useful medium-priced stamps noticed, mixed condition... E. 400-500 3773 ★ British Commonwealth Miscellaneous Lot. Random assortment of mostly various QEII issues, some earlier items, an album of British Antarctic Territory and more. E. 200-300 British Commonwealth Cover Lot. Around 200 covers or cards, pre-stamp to the 1930s,  $3774 \bowtie$ from a nice range of Colonies, includes Great Britain and several from Canada, also some legal-size registered covers from Australasia franked with several stamps, incl. New Guinea and North West Pacific Islands, Postal Cards incl. a few unused, slightly mixed condition but overall Fine ..... E. 750-1,000  $3775 \bowtie$ British Commonwealth Covers. About 150 neatly arranged on exhibit pages, from early to 1950's or so, the majority from early 20th Century, virtually all commercial mail and

the vast majority to the United States, a few early items incl. a G.B. Penny Black, Fine ...

E. 300-400

- 3776 ★ British Commonwealth Seahorse Overprint Lot. Overprints on the Great Britain 1913-19 Seahorse issues, with Bechuanaland, Ireland, Nauru, British Offices in Morocco and Turkey, plus one unoverprinted stamp, most are in complete sets, only slight duplication (two sets of the Ireland Dollard series), uncounted in the catalog value are two Offices in Morocco Specimen overprints, an unoverprinted 10sh with Specimen overprint, a couple used items and G.B. 10sh Waterlow that is regummed, majority lightly hinged, nearly all Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail is about \$4,800.00....... E. 750-1,000
- 3777 ★ British Commonwealth 1935 Silver Jubilee Omnibus. Complete collection neatly mounted in a special Vallancey Press album (spine split and reinforced with tape), the Egypt stamp is included, also incl. are nine complete country sets on registered covers, Fine-Very Fine, the special album is not easy to find ........................ E. 400-500

- 3780 \*\* British Commonwealth Omnibus Issues. Collection of Omnibus issues from 1937 to 1997, with 1937 Coronation, 1946 Peace, 1951 University, 1953 Coronation, 1958 West Indies, 1963 Freedom From Hunger, 1963 Red Cross, 1965 I.T.U., 1965 I.C.Y., 1966 Churchill, 1966 Royal Visit, 1966 World Cup, 1966 W.H.O., 1966 Unesco, 1972 Wedding, 1973 Wedding, 1980 Birthday, 1986 Birthday and 1997 Hong Kong, also Disney Issues, most of the Omnibus are complete, a few are missing just a set or two, also incl. some duplicates, as well as various 1935 Jubilee and 1948 Wedding sets, some of the earlier are lightly hinged, the later issues Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine ......... E. 500-750
- 3781 ★ British Pacific Collection. Issues from twelve different colonies through the King George VI era, most are the small island colonies, but also New Guinea and Papua, nearly all unused, with just a handful of early stamps and some of the New Guinea Air Post sets used, little in the 19th Century, but the 20th Century is very well filled, with highly saleable definitive and commemorative sets, some of the colonies are complete, while others are missing just a stamp or two, overwhelmingly Fine-Very Fine... E. 3,000-4,000

Canada Collection, 1852-1993. Mostly unused in a Scott album (pages go to 2004), earliest issue a mix of unused and used, incl. 1855 10p Blue, 1857 ½p, 1858 Perforated ½p

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and 3p, 1859 Cents Issue mostly unused, Large and Small Queens, an attractive complete set of the 1897 Jubilee, and appears complete from 1897 onward incl. Back-of-Book, unused are mostly with original gum and the later issues are Mint N.H., some small faults but the vast majority is Fine-Very Fine ..... E. 4,000-5,000 3789 Canada Collection, 1852-1935. Neatly laid out in a stockbook, starts off with a large engraved Beaver vignette, stamps begin with an attractive used pair of the 1852 3p Red as well as a 6p single, both used and unused stamps from the 1857-59 period, plus some proofs, two covers incl. one franked with two 10c and one 5c on 1864 Court House cover (repaired) and one with a single 1c on circular, value in Large and Small Queens, with better unused values, nearly all unused from 1897 onward, incl. Jubilee Issue to 50c, Tercentenary set complete, plus all of the Queen Victoria-King George V definitives incl. coils, a few errors incl. \$1.00 Parliament imperf pair, a handful of plate blocks and more, the early issue are in somewhat mixed quality, the 20th Century is generally Fine-Very Fine .... E. 3,000-4,000 3790 Canada and Provinces Small Balance. With Canada No. 4 used single and pair, New Brunswick No. 1 used, Newfoundland No. 15A original gum, Nova Scotia No. 2 used single and one on mourning cover, all with four margins, a few tiny flaws (pair has crease between stamps), otherwise Very Fine...... E. 300-400 3791 ★★ Canada Modern Collection, 1948-2001. Complete collection for the period in nine White Ace albums, incl. se-tenant blocks, booklet panes and some sheetlets and souvenir sheets, every space is filled, most if not all Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine ...... E. 400-500 3792 ★ Canada accumulation. In a stockbook, a few early items incl. Newfoundland, some unused pre-war dollar values, much is modern mint, with singles and blocks incl. dollar values, early issue in mixed quality, the modern is Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine ..... E. 200-300 3793 ★ Canada Semi-Official Air Post Collection. 25 unused stamps (incl. a few blocks and têtebêche pairs) and a dozen covers, best unused stamp is No. CLP2, several others in the \$100.00-\$200.00 catalog value range, with better Patricia Airways overprints, also a few unlisted such as two Jack V. Elliot 25c Blue essays (both Mint N.H.) and a couple other flight covers, largely Fine-Very Fine, the Scott Retail should easily exceed \$3,000.00..... E. 500-750 3794 Canadian Provinces Group. Primarily the first issues of New Brunswick and Nova Scotia, over 40 items, most still on the original auction or retail lot cards, mainly used singles, with some used pairs, a few unused or covers as well, incl. New Brunswick 3p (three singles, two pairs and two on covers), 6p (two, one on cover) and one 1sh, Nova Scotia 1p five singles, 3p (nine singles incl. two unused, four pairs) and three 6p values, plus a few later issues and some Canada proper, some small faults, a large percentage with Very Fine appearance ...... E. 4,000-5,000 3795 Cape of Good Hope Triangle Balance (1/15). Used lot of twelve singles and two pairs, incl. both values from the First Issue, seven from the 1855-57 Issue incl. shades, the De La Rue Issue incl. pairs of the 1p and 4p, plus singles of the 6p and 1sh, condition is well above what is normally seen, all have large margins around and fresh colors, some minor imperfections, Very Fine-Extremely Fine appearance, clear Brandon certificate for the 6p De La Rue printing, Scott Retail is about \$3,800.00..... E. 500-750 3796 ★ Ceylon Collection, 1857-1988. In a Scott album, early issues generally used and containing all the better stamps, such as 1857-59 4p, 8p and 9p, the perforated Queen Victoria Heads are just about complete and contain some better unused stamps, 20th Century is well filled with unused, incl. two 50r King George V, plus War Tax and Officials, a few varieties are sprinkled throughout, also a complete run of Sri Lanka to 1988, early issues in somewhat mixed quality, later largely Fine-Very Fine, four certificates accompany...... E. 1,500-2,000

- 3797 China Collection and Accumulation. Offered intact as received, the collection portion is in seven Scott Specialty albums (some of which duplicate others), from the earliest Dragons to issues past the year 2000 for Taiwan and P.R.C., the early issues are mainly used and fairly well filled, with some unused such as two examples of the large 4c Red Revenue, later issues mixed mint or used, the early issues of Taiwan and P.R.C. are often used, and incl. key items such as P.R.C. No. 628 souvenir sheet, the later modern sets and souvenir sheets are Mint N.H., in addition to these albums, there are stockbooks and loose material in a small box, this part of the lot actually contains a large percentage of the value, incl. many better mint N.H. P.R.C. items, with Cultural Revolution period sets and later souvenir sheets in useful quantities, the 1980 Monkey stamp is represented by five singles, two blocks of four and a first day cover, better early Taiwan souvenir sheets such as five No. 1091a and two No. 1095a (all in folders), plus there are some earlier items and some elusive stamps, incl. Sinkiang No. C3 original gum with B.P.A. certificate and Tsingtau Province No. 4 used block of eight with P.F. certificate, the vast majority is in Fine-Very Fine condition, an outstanding and valuable lot of this popular area....... E. 40,000-50,000 3798 ★ China Miscellaneous Lot. Some P.R.C. sets from the early 1960s, Scott Nos. 1054-57, 1980 Monkey used, a few Local Posts, some handstamps on Manchukuo stamps after liberation, also covers from the early 20th Century, stamps are Fine-Very Fine ...... E. 500-750 3799 ★ Croatia, 1941-1945. On album pages, stock pages and sales sheets, incl. many souvenir sheets and sheetlets, majority Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine ..... E. 300-400
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   Danish West Indies Cover Group. Over 25 items, a few stampless, three with Great Britain stamps incl. one to Trinidad and one to Nova Scotia, a few higher values such as 1905 5Fr on philatelic cover, some with U.S. stamps, overall a Fine lot...... E. 400-500
- 3802 ★ Egypt Collection, 1866-1990. Very comprehensive collection in a Scott album, earliest issues a mix of unused and used, incl. some extra varieties, the 20th Century is mostly unused and appears to be complete, incl. the scarce Port Fouad set which is used, solid Back-of-Book incl. Postage Dues, Officials, Military Stamps and Palestine Occupation, many are Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine ................................ E. 1,500-2,000
- Begypt Postcard Collection. 298 postcards in two albums mainly from the 1900s-1930s, some are real photos, little to no duplication noticed, predominately unused but also incl. used examples, cards depict various topics including historical sites (Pyramids at Giza, Sphinx, etc.) and everyday Egyptian life, mostly Fine-Very Fine, a difficult collection to duplicate ...... E. 200-300

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   France Covers to United States. Three, incl. mourning cover with 80c, 40c and 10c Napoleon III imperforate to New Orleans; pair of 40c used in 1857 to New York; last is 1872 use of 80c on Insufficiently Paid cover to New Orleans, overall Fine-Very Fine and interesting group, mounted on exhibit pages ............................... E. 200-300

- 3809 ★★ French Southern & Antarctic Territories Collection, 1956-2011. Practically complete collection in three Lindner hingeless albums, missing only a couple insignificant sets from the 1990s, also incl. one cover (No. C7) and some sheetlets, in addition there is a fourth binder with imperforate singles (incl. 1965 ITU Air Post), pairs and deluxe sheets, the 20fr Albatross is lightly hinged, everything else we checked is Mint N.H., Very Fine......

  E. 1,000-1,500
- 3810 ★ Germany 20th Century Lot. Mostly unused sets, souvenir sheets or better values from the 1930s, 1940s and early 1950s, particularly strong in Third Reich Mint N.H., with better Postage, Semi-Postal and Air Post sets, incl. some Berlin and the Karl Marx souvenir sheets of DDR, some of the better ones with useful duplication, a little bit of used, some blocks, the vast majority Fine-Very Fine and highly saleable...... E. 3,000-4,000
- 3811 

   Germany Cover Accumulation. Several hundred in a box, some 19th Century incl. German States, but much is 20th Century, incl. inflation covers, Third Reich incl. picture postcards, WWII incl. locals and Feldpost, and early post-war incl. some DDR, both commercial and philatelic covers are present, Fine-Very Fine ...... E. 1,000-1,500
- German Colonies and Offices Lot. A few hundred items, much is cancel interest incl. some forerunners, several of which are tied on piece, also unused or used sets and singles, large 1902 cover from Tientsin to Germany with four 10pf stamps, a little Postal Stationery, etc., slightly mixed condition ............................... E. 1,000-1,500
- 3813 ★ Gibraltar Complete Collection, 1886-1998. Unused on Scott pages, every stamp is present incl. the £5 King George V (Brandon certificate), modern souvenir sheets and booklets, a few varieties, original gum, modern issues are Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine .....

  E. 1,500-2,000
- Great Britain Small Balance, 1840-1841. Consisting of 1840 2p Blue used, 1841 1p Red two choice used copies in different shades, 1841 2p Blue used strip of three, and two used 1p Mulready envelopes, a few minor flaws, most Very Fine appearance E. 400-500
- 3817 

  Great Britain Transatlantic Covers to United States. 25 covers mounted on exhibit pages, used from 1857-98, nice range of frankings incl. five with single 1sh used in 1857-58, some 3p, some with three 1p, few other interesting such as five 1p, also 1p printed wrapper, significant group addressed to Sugar Grove Penn., some flaws to be expected, overall Fine-Very Fine .................................. E. 750-1,000

- LARGE LOTS BY COUNTRY OR AREA 3819 ★ Great Britain Collection. To 2001 in a Scott album, no early issues except for an attractive four-margin Penny Black, the rest of the collection is mostly unused and starts with the 1887 Jubilee, some King Edward VII and King George V issues, from 1936 onward it is practically complete (no Back-of-Book), also incl. three albums and one stock book of Channel Island which appear to be complete ...... E. 750-1,000 3820 ⋈ Great Britain Airway Letters. Over 50 covers from the 1930s to 1970s, on sales cards with write-ups, many from the 1950s and 1960s with BEA labels affixed, incl. Scottish Airways, five Channel Islands from 10 Sept. 1945, Helicopter Mail, and more, incl. one with special Scottish Airways envelope on the 31 July, 1939 flight, also BEA and British Airways mint labels in singles and blocks, plus a set of progressive dies proofs for the 1970 BEA issue, Fine-Very Fine ...... E. 400-500 3891 ⋈ British Foreign Post Office in Constantinople Collection. 64 covers from 1857-1906 neatly arranged on exhibition pages, most with the British Foreign Office Constantinople circular datestamp (usually a backstamp) receiving marking, most were sent from Great Britain but origins also incl. Italy, Greece, Cyprus and Singapore, also a couple from Constantinople to Great Britain, overall a Fine lot worthy of expansion .... E. 750-1,000 Greece 20th Century Group. Unused sets mainly from the 1950s, but a few earlier incl. 3822 ★ Air Post, some Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail in excess of \$2,000.00 ..... E. 300-400 3823 ★ Hong Kong Collection, 1862-2002. Neatly arranged in mounts in a Scott album, a few
- Hong Kong Collection, 1862-2002. Neatly arranged in mounts in a Scott album, a few early used issues, with first two sets complete less 96c Bister, also the 1876-80 Surcharges (Scott 29-35), then jumps to the King George V issues, with the first set complete mostly used though the key \$5.00 and \$10.00 stamps are unused, also the King George VI Definitives complete unused, the QEII are complete unused, incl. all the definitive sets and souvenir sheets, also the first two Postage Due sets, unused are all original gum, with the later issues Mint N.H., nearly all Fine-Very Fine ....... E. 1,000-1,500
- British Post Offices in China Accumulation. Over 400 unused stamps neatly laid out in a stock book, incl. both the first and second issue, though heavier in the first issue, quantities up to 28, with \$3.00 (17), \$5.00 (19) and \$10.00 (21), all with original gum, a spot check shows a few to be Mint N.H. (all cataloged as hinged), largely Fine-Very Fine, a remarkable holding, the Scott Retail is about \$63,000.00, while the Stanley Gibbons value approaches £60,000...... E. 10,000-15,000
- 3826 ⋈ Iceland Postal Stationery Collection, 1879-1939. About 120 items on exhibition pages, plus a few uncounted modern, just about all different (often times there is a mint and used of the same item), incl. postal cards, intact mint reply cards, letter cards and printed matter cards, incl. several of the "Gildi" overprints, also a proof of the first postal card and a cut out design of the 1939 Posthorn, Fine-Very Fine ...... E. 500-750
- India Collection. Mostly used collection in three albums from the early issues to the 1990s, plus Convention States, generally lacking the high values, some duplication, there are also many covers, postcards and Postal Stationery throughout, some unused incl. better such as Chamba 1943 King George VI 1r-25r, mixed condition ...... E. 750-1,000
- Indian Feudatory States Lot. In a stockbook, a couple hundred unused or used stamps from a variety of States, nearly 200 Court Fee stamps also from a wide range of States, plus a few India stamps and covers and a little Burma and Nepal, mixed condition......

  E. 200-300

3831 ★ Ireland Complete Collection, 1922-2006. In seven White Ace albums, every space is filled incl. all four Seahorse sets and modern souvenir sheets and full sheetlets, early issues mostly hinged, from 1960 on it appears to be Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine..... E. 1,000-1,500 3832 Israel Miscellaneous Lot. Several dozen diverse items, incl. a few Turkey stamps with Jerusalem cancels, a couple interim period incl. Safed local on cover, flight covers, early stamps incl. 1948 New Years set in vertical gutter pairs, Revenue stamps in blocks, and more, largely Fine-Very Fine ..... E. 500-750 3833 ★★ Israel Small Lot. Mostly Mint N.H. early tabs, incl. #C1-6, also the 1949 souvenir sheet, others with catalog values to \$70.00 (No. 37), not counted in the catalog value are used No. 15 with full tab and hinged No. 31-32 tête-bêche pair and gutter pairs, No. 23 and 24 each with a lightly toned perf in the tab, otherwise Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail....... 3834 Israel, Palestine and Judaica Accumulation. Twelve binders of Palestine stamps, covers incl. forerunners, town cancels with Palestine stamps, inbound mail, several WWII Field Post Office covers, postcards, Palestine Revenue stamps used on documents, various Judaica items, etc., worth a close look ...... E. 400-500 Israel Cover Lot. Probably over 100 items, incl. forerunners, with various country's 3835 ⋈ offices in the Ottoman Empire, as well as Turkey stamps (with some off cover cancels), some early Palestine covers, WWI and WWII censored, interim period and some Israel First Day covers, Fine, worth taking a look ...... E. 200-300 3836 ⋈ Italy - Republic of Venice, Early Postal History. Three 3-ring binders containing 65 covers, earliest is 1409 and latest is about 1591 (one later exception is 1765 letter from Alois Mocenico IV, the Doge of Venice, with lead seal), each beautifully mounted on exhibit page and with brief explanation of origin and destination, fantastic range of destinations incl. Alexandria (1419 and 1420), Damascus, some inbound such as 1464 use from Germany to Venice, another from Candia (Crete) to Pera (Turkey), 1429 and 1479 from Syria to Venice, the 16th Century mostly from Florence but also some from Corsini correspondence to England, fantastic range of guild and other markings, seals, etc., overall in wonderful condition VERY FINE. A FANTASTIC COLLECTION OF 15TH AND 16TH CENTURY ITALIAN POSTAL HISTORY. THESE COVERS, USED WHEN ITALY WAS A MAJOR MARITIME TRADING CENTER, ARE AN EXCELLENT WINDOW INTO THE BIRTH OF POSTAL DELIVERY SERVICE. Also included are five pieces with Lombardy-Venetia Railway and Telegraph stamps from 1859-67. ..... E. 5,000-7,500 3837 ★ Italy 1924-25, Advertising Label Stamps. Over 50 unused or used stamps, a few multiples, three full sheets and one cover, better stamps incl. unused 25c Tagliacozzo and 50c Coen, used incl. 25c Piperno, 50c Tagliacozzo and 1L Columbia, sheet incl. 15c Columbia, unused with original gum, just slightly mixed quality, mostly Fine..... E. 1,500-2,000 3838 Japan Miscellaneous Group. With 19th Century used, some genuine stamps and many forgeries, later mint stamps, some used Postal Cards and a few covers, mixed condition... E. 300-400 Japan Collection. Scott album pages of unused and used stamps, starts with 1875 and 3839 goes thru 1960's, few better are represented but almost all unused are hinged on pages, range of issues, overall Fine-Very Fine ..... E. 200-300 Japan, Souvenir Sheets. 1940s and 1950s souvenir sheets, incl. several National Parks 3840 \*\* (usually with folder), four 1948 Beauty and two 1949 Moon and Geese, also a few Athletic Meet se-tenant strips or blocks, most are Mint N.H., there are some faults incl. a few with mild toning, Fine-Very Fine appearance, the Scott Retail is about \$3,800.00. E. 500-750 Jordan Collection, 1920-1982. In a Scott album, some early overprints incl. sets, virtually 3841 ★ complete from 1924 on incl. souvenir sheets, also comprehensive Back-of-Book incl. Air Posts, Postage Dues, Postal Tax and Palestine Occupation, original gum except the high values of the 1933 Pictorial set are no gum, most of the modern is Mint N.H., Fine-Very Korea Small Lot, 1900-1903. Consisting of 1900-01 Definitives complete unused set of 3842 ★ thirteen values, plus extra 2ch and 6ch, the 1903 Falcon set complete, the two high values used, all original gum except 15c Falcon, on the 1900 Issue, the 15ch has a tear and the 1wn has a thin and pulled perfs, some others with small faults, Fine appearance Kuwait Collection, 1923-1988. Unused on Scott pages, appears to be complete less only 3843 ★ one minor set from 1983, incl. Air Post, Postage Dues and Officials, the early issues are

generally lightly hinged, from 1970 Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine..... E. 750-1,000

- Malayan States Collection. In a Scott album, all States well represented, also incl. Strait Settlements and the modern Malaysia to 1996, while generally lacking the most expensive stamps, it is well filled with desirable mostly unused stamps, many complete sets, nearly all with original gum, some Mint N.H., the vast majority Fine-Very Fine. E. 3,000-4,000
- Malayan States Collection. Mostly used collection in three albums, incl. Straits Settlements, the Malayan States and modern Malaysia, hundreds of stamps with some duplication, plus there are covers scattered throughout as well as additional binder containing over 50 Straits Settlements covers, mixed condition...... E. 750-1,000
- 3847 ★ Maldive Islands Complete Collection, 1906-1992. In two albums, all of the Scott-listed stamps and souvenir sheets are present, plus some unlisted such as 1960 25r, 50r and 100r (these are Mint N.H.), 1972 Dinosaur souvenir sheet and the 1974 Churchill set imperforate, the earliest issue are lightly hinged, later are Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine ....

  E. 400-500
- 3848 ★ Malta Collection, 1860-1995. Unused on Scott pages, lacking only the rare 10sh St. Paul for completion, plus there are several varieties, incl. many of the different shades of the 1860-78 ½p Queen Victoria, also of note is 1922 5sh "Self-Government" overprint with broken scroll (SG 113a), Back-of-Book issues as well, nearly all with original gum, modern issues Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine ......................... E. 1,000-1,500
- Mauritius Collection, 1848-1980. On Scott pages, incl. some early used high-catalogue stamps such as 1p and 2p Intermediate Impressions, 2p Worn Impression, two 2p Lapirot printings, even the rare 2p Sherwin printing (B.P.A. certificate states repaired), later 19th Century well filled incl. some better unused, the 20th Century is complete unused less the 1924 50r, with the latest issues Mint N.H., early issues in typical mixed quality, overall a Fine collection ................................ E. 1,500-2,000
- 3850 

  Mexico Lot. Small but interesting group of stamps and covers, the covers incl. some First Issue, 1848 "Vera Cruz" boxed handstamp during the Mexican-American War, two 1901-02 registered covers from the Parral Mines Ltd. to England (with interesting letters), a few miscellaneous stamps, 1864 Eagle essay, 1895 50c "Official" proof overprint (Mepsi certificate) and more incl. a few banknotes, Fine ........................ E. 300-400

- Music Topical Collection. Mounted on exhibit pages and some loose, value in early 20th Century Europe, particularly France, Germany and Austria, with mint stamps, imperforates, covers, Proofs incl. several France Deluxe Proofs, Czechoslovakia 1934 Music souvenir sheets, also some 19th Century stamps such as Finland No. 2 with P.F. certificate (thin), covers incl. U.S. Civil War patriotic and a stampless cover addressed to Francis Scott Key, the 20th is usually Fine-Very Fine...... E. 1,000-1,500
- 3854 ★ Nepal Collection, 1881-2000. In a Scott album, incl. the first three issues unused (with Geoffrey Flack certificates), other unused and used 19th Century incl. multiples and plate studies, the period from 1907-2000 is complete unused (mostly Mint N.H.) incl. Air Posts and Officials, mainly Fine-Very Fine................................. E. 500-750
- New Brunswick Balance. Most of the value in the 1851 Issue used, incl. 3p (three), 6p and two 1sh, also reprints incl. 6p and 1sh in horizontal pairs, 1860-63 Issue unused incl. three blocks, mixed condition ....... E. 1,000-1,500
- 3856 ★ Newfoundland Collection Balance. Mostly unused, a few stamps from the 1857 and 1860 Issues, after 1861 it is very well filled and generally lacking only the rare Air Post stamps, also included are some varieties, Proofs and some better flight covers, Back-of-Book incl. not only Air Post and Postage Dues, but also Revenues and Postal Cards, earlier issues in mixed quality, the later material is mainly Fine-Very Fine....... E. 2,000-3,000

- New Republic Collection, 1886-1887. 117 stamps, thirteen of which are used, contains all major Scott numbers except Nos. 1A, 51 and 65, the First Issue also collected by the different dates incl. on the higher values, the used stamps often duplicate a mint example, otherwise practically no duplication, many with original gum, some small faults, but largely a Fine lot of this challenging country, three P.F. and one A.P.S. certificate accompany, Scott Retail for the basic stamps is probably over \$10,000.00 ...... E. 2,000-3,000

  New Zealand Collection, 1855-1999. On album pages, early issues mainly used and incl. Scott Nos. 2, 3 (neatly repaired) and 10 (thin), all three with certificates, other useful
- Scott Nos. 2, 3 (neatly repaired) and 10 (thin), all three with certificates, other useful Queen Victoria Heads imperforate and perforated, later 19th Century incl. 1878 2sh and 5sh used, the 20th Century is mostly unused and well-filled, particularly after 1922, a little Back-of-Book, later issues Mint N.H., majority Fine-Very Fine ...... E. 1,500-2,000
- North Borneo and Related Areas Collection. In an album, not only North Borneo, but also Labuan, Brunei and Sarawak, contains many of the desirable unused sets from all areas, plus some varieties, Brunei is complete thru 2006 less only a few of the rare Japanese Occupation overprints, most with original gum, generally Fine-Very Fine......

  E. 3,000-4,000
- 3860 ★ North West Pacific Islands, Collection. 43 stamps, seven of which are used, incl. three £1 (one used), Fine-Very Fine....... E. 500-750
- Nova Scotia, Balance. About 30 items, much of the value in the 1851-57 Issue, incl. 1p (two, one unused), 3p (three, two unused), 6p (two) and 1sh (two), 1860-63 Issue complete in both Yellow and White paper, some blocks incl. a block of 24 of 8½c with three imprints, some proofs and a few Revenue stamps, mixed condition. E. 1,500-2,000
- 3862 ★ Oman Collection, 1944-1994. Unused on Scott pages, starts with the Muscat issues from 1944-61 which are complete less only the 1955 1½a on 1½p Green, Oman issues start in 1966 and are complete less a couple insignificant sets from the 1990's, includes the scarce 1978 Surcharge set of three both unused (lightly hinged) and used, plus an extra used copy of the 40b on 150b, all souvenir sheets as well, most are lightly hinged through 1971, thereafter mainly Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine ........................ E. 1,000-1,500
- 3863 ★★ Pakistan Complete Collection, 1947-2007. Mint N.H. in a Scott album, incl souvenir sheets, Officials and Bahawalpur (without the 1947 Provisionals), every major Scott number is present, with a few varieties as well, also complete Bangladesh from 1974-2001, spot check shows all to be Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine ...... E. 400-500
- 3864 ★ Palestine Collection, 1918-42. On Scott pages, essentially complete with all major Scott numbers present, a few varieties incl. No. 3a (toning), the 1927-42 Definitive set is Mint N.H., others mostly lightly hinged, Fine-Very Fine...... E. 200-300
- 3866 

   Portugal, 1915, Red Cross Franchise Stamp. Lot of unused stamps, covers and cards, several unused stamps incl. shades, two blocks and two with the green overprint, two unused Postal Cards, and eight used cards or covers, six of which are prisoner-of-war mail sent from the Azores to Germany, Spain or Switzerland, Fine lot ........ E. 200-300
- Portuguese Colonies Collection. Offered intact as received, a remarkably comprehensive mostly unused collection in two Scott Specialty albums, all Colonies except Timor, high degree of completion, some Colonies complete, others are missing only a handful of stamps, there are additional pages with errors and varieties, numerous scarce and elusive stamps are present, overall condition is much better than usual, most stamps have original gum and are Fine or better, the collector neatly mounted everything in clear mounts, making for an especially nice presentation, our estimate is conservative as the total Scott Retail value is about \$70,000.00, with some unlisted items not counted E. 10,000-15,000
- 3868 ★ Prince Edward Island Collection. Mostly unused, 1861 Issue incl. two unused 2p plus one on cover, 3p and 6p both used and unused, 1862-65 Issue in various shades, plus a complete sheet of the 4½p, some Proofs incl. 1862 1p and 2p Die Proofs in Black and a set of twelve different colors of the 6p Reprint Proof, somewhat mixed condition............
- Puerto Rico Cover Group, 1861-1885. Six covers and three fronts on lot cards with writeups, six are stampless, one is locally addressed (Moca), others to U.S., markings incl. Ship, Forwarders, red British circular datestamp, three with Cuban stamps, Puerto Rico circular datestamp and oval official handstamp, mixed condition, overall a Fine lot ....... E. 300-400

3870 ★★ Qatar Collection, 1957-1999. Complete except for some of the 1966 Surcharges and the 1972 10d and 25d Definitives (Scott 291A, 291B), incl. souvenir sheets and imperforate sets, does have some of the 1966 Surcharges such as 50d-10r Definitives Mint N.H., plus some used, as well as Boy Scouts, JFK and others (incl souvenir sheets), some sets listed in SG but not Scott, the 1961 Set and Olympic Overprints are lightly hinged, spot check shows all others to be Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine, an unusually comprehensive collection of this increasingly popular country ..... E. 750-1,000 Romania Lot. Over 100 mostly 19th Century stamps on album pages, sales sheets and 3871 stock cards, some Moldavia-Walachia issues, much is Prince Carol imperforate issues, incl. unused stamps, shades and varieties, some later items as well, a few covers and Postal Cards, slightly mixed condition ..... E. 300-400 3872 ★ Russia Collection, 1865-1992. In three Scott Specialty albums and two Davo hingeless albums for the more recent issues, the period from 1980-92 is very well filled (Mint N.H.), the earlier period is a little more scattered, with a mix of unused and CTO, Fine ..... E. 500-750 3873 ⋈ Russia Cover Lot. 25 covers or cards, with some from the 1860s and 1870s incl. two and three-color frankings, a multicolored advertising, three Army of the Northwest and one Offices in Turkey with Wrangel issues, one 1917 free frank with Oil Tanker Elena violet handstamp, a 1928 postcard with Grozny Oil Field or Industrial Mine cancel, one Air Post cover, and an unused 5k Blue entire with the indicia inverted in the bottom left corner (ex Faberge), overall a Fine lot that includes some scarce items ...... E. 500-750 3874 ★ Russia Zemstvo Collection. Old-time collection on quadrille pages, over 400 mostly different from fifteen districts, a few are used, some errors noted, mixed condition ...... E. 2,000-3,000 3875 ★★ Saar 1947 Overprints Specialized Group. Incl. a complete set of the First Printing, plus some varieties, also ten blocks of various sizes showing errors or varieties, incl. 10c on 2pf block of six, double surcharge, one albino, 60c on 3pf pair with inverted surcharge, 2fr on 12pf pair, one without surcharge, and more, most are identified with Staedel numbers, Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine ..... E. 500-750 3876 ★ Scout Topical Collection. On stock pages and sales sheets, most is post-war through the 1980s, with unused sets and souvenir sheets, does incl. all three of the Thailand Semi-Postal overprint sets from 1920, many Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine..... E. 500-750 Seychelles Complete Collection, 1890-1982. All unused on Scott pages, every space is 3877 \* filled incl. Postage Dues, original gum, latest issues Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine ..... Singapore Collection, 1948-2001. Virtually complete collection (lacking only a couple 3878 ★★ Postage Due sets) in two Lighthouse hingeless albums, incl. King George VI definitive in both perfs and all souvenir sheets incl. 1969 Sesquicentennial, the two King George VI sets are lightly hinged, spot check of other better items (incl. the 1948 Silver Wedding) are Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine E. 750-1,000 Sudan Collection, 1897-2008. Mostly unused on Scott pages, major numbers are 3879 ★ complete except for a few Official stamps, incl. the 1970 withdrawn set and some varieties on the 1992 Surcharges, Officials and Military Officials incl. the perfins, the more modern issues are Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine...... E. 500-750  $3880 \bowtie$ Switzerland Stampless Covers. 28 covers, all but four are on sale pages with write-ups and Winkler numbers, nine are Basel from 1769-73, others are 19th Century incl. two fancy Militare Ticino handstamps, one 1840 cover with Lengnau handstamp and Zollamt/Lengnau in oval pasted over top, quite clean with most Very Fine.... E. 400-500 3881 Switzerland Pioneer Air Post Collection. Consisting of eight of the eleven issued stamps (missing Aarau, Liestal and Sitten), used, all but two are tied on piece and all but one shows the entire flight cancel, a few minor imperfections, otherwise Fine, Michel value... Thailand 1920 Boy Scout Overprint Lot. Incl. First Overprint (B12-B17) both original 3882 ★ gum and used, the other two sets (B18-B23, B24-B30) original gum, stamps appear Fine but on some backs are affected by hinge stains or toning, Scott Retail about \$2,400.00.... 3883 ★ Togo (British) Collection, 1914-1916. Mostly unused on Scott pages, First Setting

complete to 40pf plus also the 80pf, also ½p and 1p Surcharges, Second Setting with the two surcharges, 20pf and 30pf, also used blocks of four of 20fp, 25pf and 30pf, Third Setting with 5pf, both King George V overprint sets and a few varieties, also incl. is the 1915 Cameroun British Occupation set complete, a few minor flaws, mainly Fine-Very Fine, five certificates accompany....... E. 500-750

- 3884 ★ Tonga Collection, 1886-2005. Essentially complete and nearly all unused in a bulging Scott album, every space is filled, incl. Postage, Air Post, Air Post Officials (first set Mint N.H.), Officials and Niuafoou, very high percentage is Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine, not an easy country to assemble a complete collection ........................ E. 750-1,000
- 3886 ★ Trucial States Collection. On Scott pages, with complete Abu Dhabi, complete Dubai with some of the Scott-unlisted sets (most of these listed in Gibbons but a few J.F.K.-related are unlisted in both), Fujeira 1964-66 issues incl. some imperforate, also the 1961 general Trucial States set, some are Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine ...... E. 400-500
- Turkey Group with Cancel Interest. Several dozen mostly used items, incl. First Issue, 1865-76 Surcharges, 1917 Overprints tied on piece, plus stamps from related areas such as Thrace, better cancels noted incl. used in Greece and Egypt, also six covers from the early 20th Century, a Fine lot for the specialist........................ E. 300-400
- 3888 ★★ United Arab Emirates Complete Collection, 1972-2003. Mint N.H. on Scott pages, all stamps and souvenir sheets from the period are present, incl. the unissued 1975 Swimming and 1977 6th National Day sets, Very Fine...... E. 750-1,000
- Watican City Unused Lot, 1929-1939. Lacking only the 1934 Provisionals and a couple low values from the 1936 Press Conference set, incl. Back-of-Book, most are lightly hinged, however the key 1935 Judicial Congress (No. 41-46) is Mint N.H., also some uncounted items such as some modern sets and three covers, one which bears a complete First Issue set (incl. Special Delivery), the other two are commercial mail franked with Lira values of the 1933 Issue, Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail is about \$1,500.00...... E. 300-400
- Worldwide Accumulation. Many hundreds of unused or used stamps on lot cards, stock-cards, a few stockbooks, album pages and some stock pages, a large portion is from Europe, but that also incl. Colonies, Occupation issues, Used Abroad, as well as Eastern Europe, plus there is some Middle East and other areas, many mint sets and better values, loaded with saleable \$50.00-\$400.00 cataloging items, some errors and varieties, etc., much is Fine-Very Fine ................................ E. 7,500-10,000
- Worldwide Collection, 1840-1959. Housed in seven Scott International albums, four of which go to 1940, the other three are 1941-1959, plus there are single country albums of Hungary and Ghana, the Scott albums are exceedingly well filled with unused or used stamps from all parts of the globe, incl. many complete sets, mainly Fine. E. 4,000-5,000
- 3893 ★ Worldwide Lot. Several dozen items, mainly better Western Europe 20th Century unused sets and singles, such as Austria 10sh Dollfuss, WIPA souvenir sheet and a set of Renner souvenir sheets, Switzerland PAX set and more, a few 19th Century incl. Bavaria No. 1 used with a P.F. certificate, other areas such as Japan 1916 10s Heir Apparent, slightly mixed condition, much is Fine-Very Fine...... E. 2,000-3,000
- Worldwide Group of Specialized Collections. A dozen or so little specialized collections of elusive areas, such as early Afghanistan, Albania, Bosnia & Herzegovina incl. cancels and proofs, Czechoslovakia WWII locals, Fiume incl. covers, France Specimen overprints, Honduras Air Post Officials, Italy "B.L.P." overprints, Saudi Arabia, Sweden locals, Thailand cancels, Venezuela 1896 Map issue incl. tête-bêche pairs, and more, many are on album pages, mixed condition, needs close examination ....................... E. 2,000-3,000
- Worldwide Intriguing Lot. Non-Scott listed material, such as revenues (incl. on documents), proofs, essays, artist's drawings, errors, varieties, labels, ephemera, etc., hundreds of items from all over the world and all time periods, definitely worth careful scrutiny ...

  F. 1.500-2.000
- First Issues of the World Collection. In a homemade album, mostly Europe and Latin America, but also other areas such as Iran (first four stamps with Sismondo set certificate) and China, mostly used, plus there are over 50 Greece Hermes Heads and a few miscellaneous items, mixed condition, a few certificates accompany...... E. 750-1,000

3897	*	Worldwide Balance of Consignment. Mostly unused in ten albums or binders, better areas incl. Canada with 1898 2c Imperial Penny Post imperforate pair, 1908 Tercentenary set, a 50c Bluenose and a couple imperforate between pairs from the 1928 Issue, also France incl. 1936 50fr Air Post, a few Russia Air Post sets, modern Great Britain incl. gutter pairs, and more, much is Mint N.H. and Fine-Very Fine
3898		<b>Worldwide 19th Century Collection.</b> Hundreds of stamps stuck down in a very old French album (split spine), from all parts of the world, higher catalog stamps are present but condition is very mixed so inspection is required E. 400-500
3900		<b>Worldwide Group.</b> 58 items which were originally sold at a mail sale, but subsequently received negative certificates (mostly Sismondo) and were returned, some were forged stamps or cancels, but most were returned for faults, repair, or misidentification, with these still having reasonable value, inspection essential E. 400-500
3901	*	Worldwide Mostly Unused Group. Much is British Commonwealth, incl. Australia Kangaroos and King George V Heads, early Bermuda, various King Edward VII tablets "Specimen" overprints, a little Asia incl. Indonesia blocks of four, and more, some are Mint N.H., mostly Fine-Very Fine E. 400-500
3902	*	<b>1949 UPU Collection.</b> Unused collection incl. the British Commonwealth Omnibus series complete (most lightly hinged), appears to have all the European issues incl. the Berlin set (Mint N.H.), plus sets from other parts of the globe, Fine-Very Fine E. 300-400
3903		<b>Worldwide Balance of Consignment.</b> Filling two boxes, thousands of unused and used stamps on stock pages, album pages, stockcards, etc., from a wide range of countries and periods, also some covers, mixed condition E. 200-300
3904	*	<b>Worldwide Accumulation.</b> Four three-ring binders containing stock pages of unused and used stamps, some nice British Commonwealth such as some 1937 and 1946 Omnibus issues, some Liechtenstein, Netherlands, Russia, Ukraine, Germany and some Areas, many others, also some United States, overall Fine-Very Fine E. 200-300
3905		Worldwide Forgeries. Several hundred items, incl. forged stamps, overprints and cancels, as well as altered, cleaned cancels and added to cover, from crude to very convincing, a large number with certificates E. 200-300
3906	*	Worldwide Balance. Seven binders of mostly unused from the 1970s, though some earlier, incl. complete sets and part sets, range of areas incl. Thailand and Middle East, much Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine E. 150-200
3907		Worldwide Cut Square Collection. Many hundreds in seven binders, cut squares from envelopes or wrappers, from 19th Century and early 20th Century, five binders are British Commonwealth incl. Canada and Indian States, other two are Europe and Latin America, most are cut large and with Very Fine appearance E. 150-200
3908	$\boxtimes$	<b>Worldwide Cover Accumulation.</b> Many hundreds (probably over 1,000) from pre-stamp to about 1950, much is Europe, incl. colonies and Eastern Europe, but also South America, Middle East and other areas, wide range of commercial and philatelic usages, also postal stationery incl. unused, inspection will prove worthwhile E. 3,000-4,000
3909	$\boxtimes$	Worldwide Cover Lot. Over 50 items, quite varied, with 19th Century including some Russia and other European origins, Transvaal, also 20th Century which is mainly Zeppelin and flight covers, incl. the three German "Polar-Fahrt" on separate flown covers and U.S. \$1.30 on a flown cover, also some Japan and a couple other Asia, mixed condition E. 750-1,000
3910	$\boxtimes$	Worldwide 20th Century Cover Accumulation. A few thousand, much is commercial mail from the 1930s-1970s, incl. many WWII censored and a few P.O.W., also some large correspondences incl. one from Papua New Guinea starting in the 1950s, some philatelic items as well, largely Fine-Very Fine E. 500-750
3911		Worldwide Postcard Collection. Over 800 housed in four old French postcard albums, most are used picture postcards sent to France from various countries around the globe in the early 19th Century (1900-1915), most notably from French Colonies in Africa or Caribbean, with several from Senegal, French Sudan, Martinique and Guadeloupe, also some from the Middle East, incl. Egypt and Algeria, other parts of the world incl. Europe, plus there is a group that was sent to Canton, China from a wide range of countries, Fine
3912	$\boxtimes$	Worldwide Postcards. Many hundreds from the early part of the 20th Century, incl. both unused and used, strongest area is France, with a wide variety of topics, also some French Colonies, various other European countries, Canada, and other areas, Fine-Very Fine  E. 300-400

#### END OF SALE — THANK YOU

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Tues.-Wed., April 16-17, 2013

OR FAX YOUR BIDS: (212) 753-6429

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Lot	Bid	Lot	Bid	Lot	Bid
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We will be pleased to arrange for shipping and transit insurance for purchases in this sale (except those described as "floor sale only"). To expedite billing and delivery of lots to hundreds of buyers per sale, we use standard charges for postage and insurance, based on the package weight and mailing requirements (see schedule). The standard charges are sometimes slightly more or less than the actual postage or Fedex fees, but we do not include any charge for our labor or packing costs. Therefore, we ask all buyers to remit the prescribed amount for shipping charges.

Transit insurance is provided in all cases, except when the buyer has furnished us with proof that insurance coverage is effective under another policy. Proof, in such cases, will be accepted in the form of a written certificate from the insurance carrier.

You are responsible for insurance charges, which will be added to your invoice. This coverage is provided for our mutual protection against theft or loss in transit.

#### **Bidding Increments**

The auctioneer may regulate the bidding at his discretion. However, to assist absentee bidders in establishing their maximum bid for each lot, the increments shown at right will be used in most cases. We recommend that written bids conform to these increments (those which do not will be reduced to the next level).

## REVISED CHARGES FOR SHIPPING EFFECTIVE SEPTEMBER 1, 2010

We have reduced the Fedex Envelope charge to \$20, reflecting the elimination of the fuel surcharge. All other charges remain the same.

#### **Current Postage & Insurance Charges**

Weight/Class	<b>Shipping Method</b>	Charges
Up to 2 lbs.	Fedex Envelope	\$20.00
Over 2 lbs.	Fedex Box	\$35.00*
Non-U.S.	Fedex/Courier	\$50.00**
Bulk Lots	UPS Preferred	By weight and value

These fees reflect additional Fedex charges for residential delivery, signature and fuel surcharge.

\*Higher fees will be charged on packages weighing more than 5 lbs. or insured for more than \$75,000.

\*\*Buyers are liable for all customs duties and clearance charges. An accurate declaration of value will be made on all import/export documents.

Up to \$50	\$5	\$3,000-7,000	\$250
\$50-200	\$10	\$7,000-20,000	\$500
\$200-500	\$25	\$20,000-30,000	\$1,000
\$500-1,000	\$50	\$30,000-75,000	\$2,500
\$1,000-3,000	\$100	\$75,000 up	\$5,000

