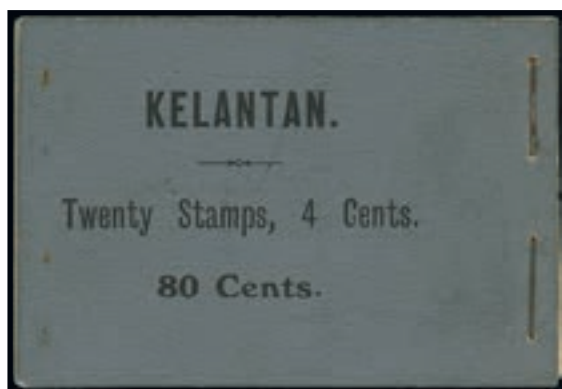


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Lot 1906



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★	Mint or Unused	⊞	Block larger than four
○	Used	Ⓟ	Proof
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		ⓕ	Forgery

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Gambia, Germany, Gold Coast, Greece	767	-	797
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KUT, with fine British East Africa	990	-	1111
Leeward Islands, Liechtenstein, Luxembourg	1112	-	1123
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St. Helena, featuring Prestamp Mail	1609	-	1659
St. Kitts & Nevis, St. Lucia, St. Vincent	1660	-	1701
Sarawak, Saudi Arabia, Seychelles, Sierra Leone, Somaliland, South Africa	1702	-	1749
South West Africa, Spain, Sudan, Swaziland, Sweden, Togo, Tonga	1750	-	1762
Trinidad & Tobago, Turkey, Turks & Caicos Islands	1763	-	1799
Virgin Islands, Yemen, Yugoslavia	1800	-	1863
Zanzibar	1864	-	1964

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GREAT BRITAIN

- 1 ○ ★ 1840-1915 Selection comprising used 1d blacks (4) and 1840 2d blue (all with faults), 1841 2d strip of three (good margins), 1891 £1 green (faults); 1915 De la Rue 2/6 yellow-brown mounted mint; also a 1905 Parcel Post label franked 1d + 6d. (11). £180-200

- 2 ○ ★ 1840-79 Line Engraved issues, used collection in an album including 1d blacks (7) and 1840 2d blues (2), a few later mint, some faults. (100s). £200-250

- 3 ★ ○ 1840-2003 Mint and used collection in four stockbooks and loose including 1d blacks (7) and 1840 2d blues (3), 1858-76 2d plate 13 mint block of four, 1870 ½d plate 14 mint marginal pair, 1918-19 2/6 and 5/- mint, 1959 2d phosphor graphite watermark St. Edwards Crown mint, decimal mint with definitives up to £5 in blocks (face value £600+), 1978-84 Collectors Packs, also 1937-2001 F.D.Cs in four albums. The 1840 stamps with faults, later issues mainly fine. (Many 100s). £400-500

- 4 ○ 1840-2012 Used collection in five albums including 1840 1d and 2d (faults), Surface Printed with all 9d stamps, £5 orange, 1883-84 2/6 - 10/-, 1891 £1 green, 1902 KEVII set to £1, 1913 Multiple Royal Cypher ½d and 1d, 1913 £1, 1929 PUC £1, QEII issues largely complete, all postage dues, officials with I.R QV bicoloured 1/-, 5/-, 10/- (2017 B.P.A Certificate), O.W QV 5d, KEVII 2d, 2½d, Board of Education QV 5d, KEVII 2½d, R.H ½d and 1d, Admiralty, Govt. Parcels, etc. A good collection, the official overprints not guaranteed though no obvious forgeries present, mainly fine. (5 Albums). Photo on Page 14. £2,500-3,000

- 5 ★ 1841-1986 Mint collection in two albums including 1841 1d (four margins, part gum), 1870 ½d (4) and 1½d, 1875 6d plate 14, 1882 4d plate 18, 1880-81 1½d and 2d, 1883 5d green, 1887 ½d - 1/- (both 1/- colours), 1913 Waterlow 2/6 and 10/- (2), 1919 Bradbury Wilkinson 5/-, 1961-86 Commemoratives complete. (100s). Photo on Page 12. £600-700

- 6 ★ ○ QV-QEII Mint and used accumulation including Officials, KEVII mint to 1/- with shades, KGVI 11d cylinder block perf type 5 dot (S.G. £450, mounted on upper pair), etc. Also a complete coil roll of "Poached Egg" testing stamps in a G.P.O box. (100s). £150-250

- 7 ★ ○ QV-QEII Mint and used collection on pages including 1867 5/-, 1902 5/- (3), 1953-89 QEII issues with many varieties and multiples, some duplication and postal history. (1,000s). £250-300

- 8 ○ 1840 1d Black, OC plate 2 used with a red Maltese Cross, four good even margins, very fine. Photo on Page 12. £120-150

- 9 ○ 1840 1d Black, KC plate 2, four good to large margins, cancelled by distinctive Plymouth Maltese Cross in black, scarce so fine. With B.P.A Certificate (2011). S.G. £2,500. Photo on Page 12. £500-600

- 10 ○ 1840 1d Blacks, all plate 6, IL, QE (state 2) and SF all used with black Maltese Crosses, QE with corner crease and IL with trace of a pressed crease, all unusually fine looking stamps with four good to enormous margins. (3). Photo on Page 12. £350-400

- 11 ○ 1840 1d Blacks, all plate 8, AI, BB and OD all used with black Maltese Crosses, all fine with four good margins. (3). Photo on Page 12. £400-500

- 12 ○ 1840 1d Black, TE plate 8, good to large margins, superb used with a red Maltese Cross. Photo on Page 12. £160-180



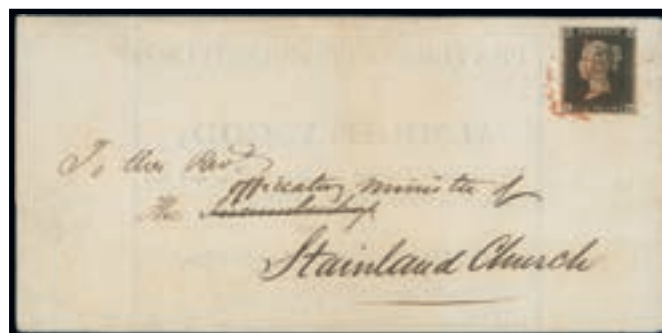
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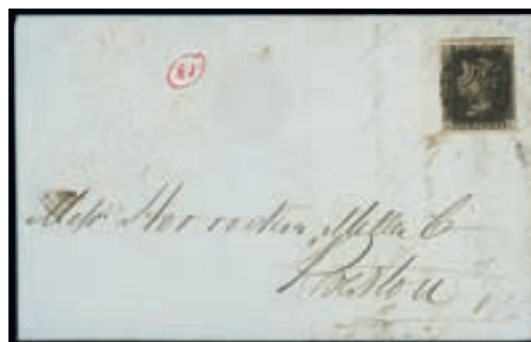
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- 13 ○ 1840 1d Black, SC plate 10, four large margins, superb used with a black Maltese Cross. With R.P.S. Certificate (2000). S.G. £950. Photo on Page 12. £150-180
- 14 ☒ 1840 Large part entire (reduced at left) bearing 1d black PD-PG plate 2 strip of four each tied by a red Maltese Cross, PD with four margins, PF just touched at upper left corner, the others with two or three margins, crossed by a horizontal file fold. £100-150
- 15 ☒ c.1840 Small cover posted within London, from the poet and art dealer Edwin Atherstone to his daughter Mary, a 1d black IL plate 5 with four small to good margins placed in the lower left corner, cancelled by a red Maltese Cross (not tied), unusually without any backstamps, offered 'as-is'. £100-120
- 16 ☒ 1840-41 Entire letter and entires (2) bearing 1d blacks, all four margins, comprising SH plate 5 on entire letter from Uttoxeter to Cheadle with red Maltese Cross (crossed by vertical file fold), CJ plate 8 on entire from London to Norwich with red Maltese Cross, and GG plate 8 on entire from London to Aberdeen, also an unused 1d Mulready lettersheet stereo A25 (vertical file fold), a few cover faults. (4). £220-260
- 17 ☒ 1840 (May 8) Small cover posted within London bearing 1d black TJ plate 1a, good to large margins, red Maltese Cross cancel and superb MY 8 datestamp on left flap (opened for display), also dated "8 May 1840" by the sender above the address, "Bond St. NO" handstamp alongside the stamp. Seal cut from the reverse and small closed file hole, an attractive use on just the third day of issue. S.G. £5,000. Photo on Page 6. £1,600-1,800
- 18 ☒ 1840 (May 24) Entire from Gloucester to London franked 1d black QL plate 1a, four margins, tied by a brown Maltese Cross, fine Gloucester and London backstamps. A fine and scarce third Sunday use, with Enzo Diena (1978) and Brandon (2004) Certificates. S.G. £6,500+. Photo on Page 6. £2,000-2,400
- 19 ☒ 1840 (Sep. 18) Printed "Statement of the number of prisoners committed to the House of Correction at Wakefield, for eight months, from January 1st to August 31st 1840", folded up with an embossed oval wafer seal "HOUSE / OF / CORRECTION / WAKEFIELD", posted to Nostell Priory near Pontefract franked by a 1d black JK plate 4, good to large margins, tied by a red Maltese Cross, matching Wakefield backstamp. Fine, an unusual printed form. Photo on Page 6. £300-350
- 20 ☒ 1840 (Nov. 27) Printed "Form of Prayer and Thanksgiving to Almighty God for the safe delivery of the Queen, and the happy birth of a Princess, to be used at Morning and Evening Service in all churches and chapels throughout England and Wales on Sunday 29th November", the attached wording of the prayer and thanksgiving now removed, posted from Halifax to The Revd Officiating Minister of Stainland Church, franked by 1d black IK plate 2 with good to large margins tied by a red Maltese Cross, Halifax backstamp. Very fine, an unusual printed letter concerning the birth of Queen Victoria's first child. Photo on Page 6. £400-500
- 21 ☒ 1840 (Dec. 16) Entire letter to Gatehouse franked 1d black, NE plate 3 with four small to large margins tied by purple maroon Maltese Cross, with boxed Newton Stewart datestamp on reverse in the same colour. This distinctive colour cross recorded from Newton Stewart by Robson Lowe in the G.B Philatelist of August 1961, with B.P.A Certificate (1993). S.G. £8,500. Photo on Page 6. £1,800-2,200
- 22 ☒ 1840 (Dec. 31) Printed entire letter announcing the liquidation of a business partnership, and the formation of a new firm with two of the previous three partners, posted from London to Hathersage near Sheffield, bearing a 1d black GD plate 5 with four large even margins cancelled by a red Maltese Cross, London datestamp on reverse, unusually also backstamped with a second Maltese Cross in red, very fine. With B.P.A Certificate (1998). Photo on Page 6. £500-600
- 23 ☒ 1841 (Feb. 12) Handwritten Valentine poem, four eight line verses to "Dear Meg", posted from Belfast to a lady in Ballymore, Ballyclare, franked by a 1d black, AG plate 8 (faults) tied by a red Maltese Cross, Belfast Late and Belfast backstamps. The 1841 Valentines Day was the only one where 1d blacks were in use, many Valentines however being posted prepaid in cash or unpaid. £180-200



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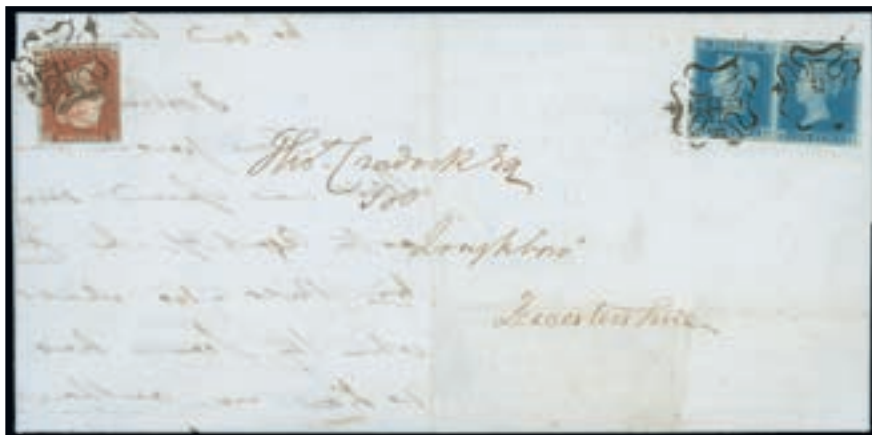
- 24 ☒ **Plate 11.** 1841 (Mar. 13) Entire letter from Newcastle to Berwick bearing a 1d black, PL plate 11, very fine with good to large margins, tied by a black Maltese Cross, Newcastle-on-Tyne backstamp. Also an 1841 entire from Edinburgh with matching PL plate 11 1d red (four margins) tied by a black Maltese Cross. The 1d black cover with traces of minor staining along a pressed file fold, otherwise unusually fine, a scarce matched pair, the 1d black cover with R.P.S Certificate (1975). S.G. £16,350. (2). Photo on Page 6. £2,800-3,200
- 25 ☒ 1841 (Mar. 20) Entire letter from Manchester to Preston with 1d black KL plate 9, four close to huge margins, with central distinctive Maltese Cross in black, red Manchester backstamp. S.G. £2,500. Photo on Page 6. £500-600
- 26 ☒ 1842 (Nov. 14) Entire letter from Sheffield to Wath near Sheffield bearing a 1d black, FI plate 9, the stamp partly torn away at left in an apparent attempt to remove the red cancel, the stamp still applied but recognised as a previously used stamp, endorsed “old stamp” (tying the stamp to the letter) and charged 2d, strangely without any backstamp. An unusual unsuccessful attempt at a postal fraud. With Brandon Certificate (2007). Photo on Page 8. £2,500-2,800
- 27 ☒ 1857 (Dec. 10) Cover from Edinburgh to Perth bearing a 1d black, ED plate 4, tied by straight line “HANOVER STREET” Scots local cancel type VII. The stamp separated by tearing, torn into at both sides, nevertheless a remarkable and unique use of a Scots local cancel on a 1d black. With Eichele Certificate (2012). Photo on Page 8. £600-800
- 28 ○ 1840 2d Steel blue, plate 1, BG-BH pair with orange-red Maltese Crosses, a superb pair with good margins, this shade very scarce in multiples. With Brandon Certificate (2020). Photo on Page 12. £1,000-1,200
- 29 ☒ 1841 (Apr. 22) Entire from Kirby Lonsdale to Kendal bearing 1840 2d blue, KL plate 1 with four margins (close at foot) tied by a neat Maltese Cross, despatch and arrival backstamps in blue, light vertical fold, otherwise fine and attractive. £150-180
- 30 ☒ 1842 (Feb. 3) Registered entire from Mildenhall to Norwich endorsed “Money Letter” and “Registered”, the 1/- registration fee paid in cash with red “P1/-”, the postage paid with an 1840 2d deep blue, MI plate 2 with large margins cancelled by a black Maltese Cross. Side panels removed and the original address panel cut out, the entire restored with the address replaced, nevertheless a very rare use of an 1840 2d on a registered letter, very few recorded. Photo on Page 8. £1,000-1,200
- 31 ○ 1841 1d Red-brown, PD plate 15 with four margins, close at left, cancelled by a Maltese Cross in red. With R.P.S Certificate (1979). S.G. £2,500. Photo on Page 12. £500-600
- 32 ☒ 1841-43 Cover and entires (2) with 1d reds tied by black Maltese Crosses, 1841 items from Plympton to Place House, Fowey with 1d plate 9 (four margins) or St. Agnes to Hoyle with “No. 1” and blue Truro datestamp bearing 1d plate 11 (four large to enormous margins, a superb stamp), also 1843 entire from Penzance to Hayle. S.G. £725+. (3). £120-150
- 33 ☒ 1842-53 Entire letters and covers bearing 1d reds (12, two with two singles or a pair) or 1841 2d blue, all selected stamps with four margins, including 1842 Greenock Maltese Cross, and 1845 entire letter with blue Leeds arrival datestamp struck across the stamp (cancelled by “255” numeral). (13). £200-240
- 34 ☒ 1841 (June 19) Entire letter from Dalry to Edinburgh franked 1d red, IH plate 11 with four margins (very close at base, large margin on other sides) cancelled by a red Maltese Cross, Dalry backstamp in a matching red ink with Glasgow and Edinburgh datestamps. A light pressed horizontal file fold crosses the stamp, otherwise fine and scarce, with Mike Jackson Certificate (2017). S.G. £22,000. Photo on Page 8. £4,000-5,000
- 35 ☒ 1842 (Feb. 17) Entire from Redruth to Hayle bearing a 1d red, RA plate 2 with four good to large margins, cancelled by a blurred Maltese Cross in Red, Redruth backstamp and a Hayle arrival datestamp on the front, central vertical fold, otherwise fine and scarce. With Mike Jackson Certificate (2017). S.G. £22,000. Photo on Page 8. £5,000-6,000



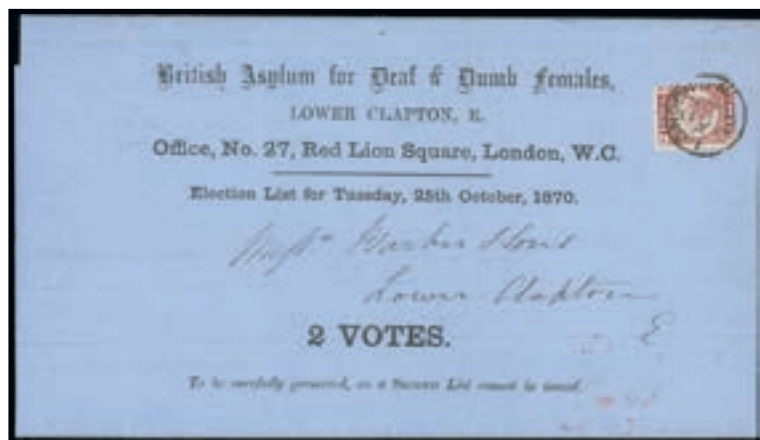
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- 50 ○ 1857 4d Rose-carmine, watermark Large Garter, used with red oval “PD” cancel, very unusual. Photo on Page 12. £200-250
- 51 ★ 1862-64 4d Pale red plate 4, watermark Large Garter, FF with margin at right, variety imperforate, four good margins, fine mint with original gum. S.G. 82a, £2,400. Photo on Page 12. £900-1,000
- 52 ○ 1867-80 3d Rose plate 8, watermark Spray of Rose, singles (20) and pairs (2) all superb used with single ring datestamps, some marginal. S.G. 103, £1,440+. (24). £300-350
- 53 ○ ☐ 1867-80 3d Rose, watermark Spray of Rose, plates 7, 8 and 9 in blocks of four, all superb used with single ring datestamps of Nottingham, Dorking or Swindon. S.G. 103, £1,325. (3). Photo on Page 20. £300-350
- 54 ○ ☐ 1867-80 10d Pale red-brown plate 1, watermark Spray of Rose, GI-HJ block of four with wing margin at left, fine used with Seething Lane single ring datestamps. S.G. 113, £2,400. Photo on Page 20. £450-550
- 55 ○ 1867-80 1/- Deep green plate 6, watermark Spray of Rose, KB with right plate number double, fine used with Littlehampton c.d.s. S.G. £400. Photo on Page 12. £100-120
- 56 ○ ☐ 1867-80 2/- Deep blue plate 1, watermark Spray of Rose, PG-QH block of four with wing margin at right, fine used with Aldgate single ring datestamps. S.G. 119, £1,400. Photo on Page 20. £240-300
- 57 ○ 1867-83 5/- Rose, plate 1, watermark Maltese Cross, EG superb used with Liverpool datestamps. S.G. 126, £675+. Photo on Page 14. £200-240
- 58 ★ 1874 5/- Rose plate 2 mint, fine fresh colour and perfect perforations, original gum, a rare stamp so fine. With Brandon Certificate (1998). S.G. 127, £15,000. Photo on Page 14. £7,000-8,000
- 59 ○ 1874 5/- Pale Rose, plate 2, watermark Maltese Cross, CH fine used with Greenock c.d.s. S.G. 127, £1,500. Photo on Page 14. £300-350
- 60 (P) 1878 10/- Die Proof in black on white glazed card, dated “Apr. 30, 1878”, fine and scarce. S.G. £3,500. Photo on Page 16. £900-1,100
- 61 ○ 1878 £1 Brown-lilac, watermark Maltese Cross, BB fine used with London S.E c.d.s. S.G. 129, £3,750. Photo on Page 14. £1,200-1,400
- 62 (P) (S) 1877 4d Sage-green, plate 15, JD imperforate marginal plate proof handstamped type 9 Specimen, superb mint. S.G. £525+. Photo on Page 14. £180-200
- 63 (S) 1880 4d Grey-brown plate 17, watermark Large Garter, FA with margin at left handstamped type 9 Specimen, superb unmounted mint. S.G. 154s, £350++. Photo on Page 12. £160-180
- 64 (P) 1878 6d Grey plate 16, watermark Spray of Rose, TG imperforate Imprimatur, fine mint. Very scarce, just 22 stamps removed from the Imprimatur sheet, several of which are in institutional collections. S.G. £2,750. Photo on Page 12. £380-450
- 65 (P) ☐ 1878 6d Grey plate 16, watermark Spray of Rose, PE - QF imperforate corner marginal plate proof block of four, part inscription in upper margin, each handstamped type 9 Specimen, superb mint, mounted in the upper margin only. S.G. £1,800++. Photo on Page 18. £800-1,000
- 66 (P) 1880 QV Head Die Proof with oval background, in rose with uncleared surround, die sunk on wove paper, 60x68mm. This head was produced by Perkins Bacon and used for their 1880 Tender Essays. A fine proof, unlisted by S.G. Photo on Page 18. £250-300
- 67 ★ 1881 3d Rose plate 21, watermark Imperial Crown, ME - MF mint pair, original gum, very fine. S.G. 158, £1,000. Photo on Page 12. £250-300



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- 68 (P) 1881 5d Imperforate plate proof with margin at base, in black on white glazed card. S.G. £850. Photo on Page 12. £300-350
- 69 ○ 1881 1d Lilac die I, watermark inverted, fine used, scarce. S.G. 170wi, £600. Photo on Page 12. £220-260
- 70 (P) 1881 1d Lilac die II, Die Proof in black on white glazed card, stamped “BEFORE HARDENING” and dated “3 JUN 81”, 92 x 60mm, very fine. S.G. £1,500. Photo on Page 16. £450-550
- 71 (P) 1881 1d Lilac die II, Die Proof in the adopted colour of lilac, on white glazed card, 92x60mm. A superb proof, very rare. S.G. £5,500. Photo on Page 16. £2,400-2,600
- 72 (P) 1881 1d, Die II, perforated colour trial in deep olive on white gummed paper, fine and scarce. S.G. £3,250. Photo on Page 12. £700-800
- 73 ★ 1881 1d Lilac die II, variety printed on both sides, the impression on reverse inverted, hinge marks on the front, otherwise fine mint and very scarce. S.G. 173e, £800. Photo on Page 12. £250-300
- 74 (★) 1881 1d Lilac die II with “PEARS / SOAP” on reverse in blue, superb unmounted mint. S.G. £550+. Photo on Page 12. £200-240
- 75 (S) ○ 1881-84 Specimen, mint and used issues on six pages including 1d lilac (2), 6d on 6d and Imperial Crowns £1 brown (no gum) all handstamped “SPECIMEN”, 2/6 - 10/- and 1½d - 1/- lilac and green set (9d a little faded) all used, etc., a few faults mainly to mint issues. (39). Photo on Page 12. £250-350
- 76 (★) 1883-84 5/- Crimson, NE-NF pair with lower margin, superb unmounted mint. S.G. 181, £1,950++. Photo on Page 20. £900-1,000
- 77 (S) 1883-84 10/- Cobalt on white paper, MB handstamped type 9 Specimen, superb mint, very lightly mounted. S.G. 182s, £3,400. Photo on Page 14. £900-1,100
- 78 (S) 1883-84 10/- Ultramarine, JB handstamped type 11 Specimen, fine mint. S.G. 183s, £550. Photo on Page 14. £160-180
- 79 ○ 1883-84 10/- Ultramarine, GA superb used with a Bakewell c.d.s. S.G. 183, £525. Photo on Page 14. £130-150
- 80 ○ 1884 £1 Brown-lilac, watermark Imperial Crowns, HC fine used with light squared circle cancels. S.G. 185, £3,000. Photo on Page 12. £320-380
- 81 ○ 1884 £1 Brown-lilac, watermark Imperial Crown, NC used with light Registered cancels, light vertical crease at left, an attractive stamp. S.G. 185, £3,000. Photo on Page 12. £260-300
- 82 (E) 1887 Reply Paid essay in blue, using the 1½d Jubilee issue head plate with an engraved background, mint single with margin at left, imperf x perf 14, superb unmounted mint. S.G. £425++. Photo on Page 12. £200-240
- 83 ★ 1887 ½d Vermilion with “PEARS / SOAP” on reverse in orange, hinge mark on the face, otherwise fine mint. S.G. £525. Photo on Page 12. £150-180
- 84 (★) 1887 ½d Vermilion with “PEARS / SOAP” on reverse in orange, margin at left, superb unmounted mint. S.G. £525++. Photo on Page 12. £280-320
- 85 (P) S 1891 £1 Green, CC imperforate proof handstamped Specimen type 9, light horizontal crease close to upper edge, otherwise fine mint, very scarce. S.G. £6,500. Photo on Page 12. £1,400-1,600
- 86 (S) 1891 £1 Green, DD handstamped Specimen type 11, fine mint. S.G. 212s, £1,100. Photo on Page 12. £300-350



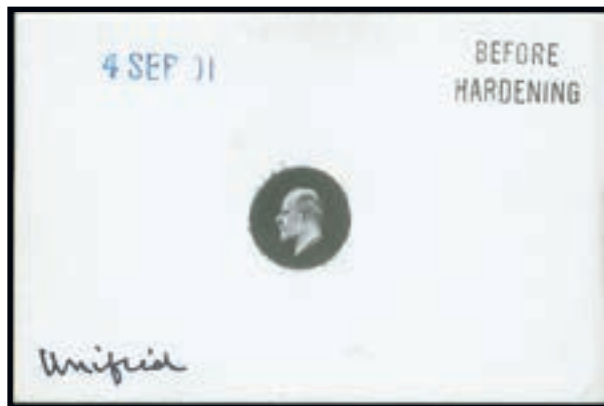
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- 87 ○ 1891 £1 Green fine used with Gracechurch St. datestamps. S.G. 212, £800. Photo on Page 12. £120-150
- 88 (P) ⊞ 1900 ½d Green, imperforate plate proof block of four in green on ungummed buff paper, fine. S.G. £880. Photo on Page 20. £200-240
- 89 ○ ⊞ 1900 1/- Green and carmine, block of four fine used with Streatham Hill Nr. Rly Station datestamps. A scarce block used in G.B, most multiples of this stamp found used in South Africa. S.G. 214, £700. Photo on Page 20. £160-180
- 90 (P) 1901 King Edward VII Small Head Die Proof with uncleared surround, in black on white glazed card dated “4 SEP 01” and stamped “BEFORE / HARDENING”, endorsed “unified”, 92x60mm, fine and scarce. S.G. £3,000. Photo on Page 16. £700-800
- 91 (P) 1901 King Edward VII Small Head Die Proof, a cleared thin white contour line around the head, in black on white glazed card dated “5 SEP 01” and stamped “AFTER / HARDENING”, endorsed “Original Die no. 20 (solid ground)”, 92x60mm, fine and scarce. S.G. £3,000. Photo on Page 16. £700-800
- 92 (P) 1901 King Edward VII 1d Die Proof in black on white glazed card, signed “A.A Roberts”, 92x60mm, fine and scarce. S.G. £3,000. Photo on Page 16. £600-700
- 93 (P) 1908 King Edward VII 1d Die Proof in black on white glazed card, dated “3 JUN. 08” and stamped “AFTER / STRIKING”, initialled “H.W”, 92x60mm. This die was produced in 1901; it is not known why De la Rue then took further proofs from the die in 1908. Very unusual and rare. S.G. £3,000. Photo on Page 16. £700-800
- 94 (P) 1908 King Edward VII 1d Die Proof in black on white glazed card, dated “23 DEC. 08” and stamped “AFTER / STRIKING”, initialled “W.P”, 92x60mm. This die was produced in 1901; it is not known why De la Rue then took further proofs from the die in 1908. Very unusual and rare. S.G. £3,000. Photo on Page 16. £700-800
- 95 (E) 1903 1d KEVII “Canada Head” essay, colour trial in carmine-red on gummed wove paper, 62x75mm, tiny mark below and well clear of the essay, otherwise fine and scarce. S.G. £3,250. Photo on Page 18. £650-750
- 96 (S) 1902 2/6 Lilac handstamped Specimen type 16, very fine mint. S.G. £400+. Photo on Page 14. £120-140
- 97 ○ ⊞ 1902 5/- Bright Carmine, block of six fine used with Guernsey datestamps. S.G. 263, £1,540. Photo on Page 18. £280-320
- 98 ○ ⊞ 1902 10/- Ultramarine, block of four superb used with Guernsey datestamps. S.G. 265, £2,500. Photo on Page 18. £600-700
- 99 ★ 1902 £1 Dull blue-green superb unmounted mint. S.G. 266, £3,000. Photo on Page 12. £1,000-1,200
- 100 ○ 1902 £1 Dull blue-green, vertical pair with upper margin, superb used with Guernsey datestamps. S.G. 266, £1,650+. Photo on Page 18. £550-650
- 101 (P) ⊞ 1909 4d Orange, imperforate plate proof block of four on buff paper. S.G. £340+. Photo on Page 20. £90-110
- 102 (P) c.1910 Imperforate De la Rue Minerva Head dummy stamps in six differing colours on gummed chalk surface paper. (6). £100-120
- 103 ✉ 1911-12 KEVII ½d on picture postcards, virtually all Harrison printings, various shades, including perf 15x14 stamps (55, S.G. £100 on cover), also a 1913 card with ½d Downey Head showing an unusual moustache flaw. (138). £250-300



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- 104 ○ **B** 1911 KEVII Somerset House 2/6 dull reddish purple, block of six used with Dalston Lane 244, Hackney datestamps, ink mark on one stamp, otherwise fine. S.G. 316, £1,460. Photo on Page 18. £300-350
- 105 ★ 1912 KEVII Somerset House 5/- carmine, lower right corner marginal single, date cuts to marginal rule, superb mint. S.G. 318, £425+. Photo on Page 18. £160-180
- 106 ★ 1912 KEVII Somerset House 5/- carmine, lower right interpane marginal pair, date cuts to marginal rule below the corner stamp, superb mint. S.G. 318, £850+. Photo on Page 20. £350-400
- 107 ★ 1911 KEVII Somerset House £1 deep green, superb unmounted mint. S.G. 320, £3,000. Photo on Page 12. £1,000-1,200
- 108 ○ 1911 KGV ½d Bright Green Downey Head, die B, watermark Imperial Crown, variety watermark sideways, superb used with light 1911 (Oct. 3) c.d.s. A very rare variety, with R.P.S Certificate (1999). S.G. 325a, £5,750. Photo on Page 12. £3,000-3,500
- 109 **P** 1911 KGV Downey Head 1d, die 1B imperforate plate proofs, marginal single and a pair in carmine on unwatermarked chalk surfaced paper, fine mint. Also 1d die 2 imperforate paper trial pair in scarlet on John Allen special finish paper. S.G. £1,040. (5). Photo on Page 12. £200-240
- 110 **S** 1912 KGV 1d Scarlet Downey Head, watermark Imperial Crown, overprinted “CANCELLED” type 25, fine mint, scarce. S.G. £600. Photo on Page 12. £180-200
- 111 ★ 1912 KGV 1d Deep bright scarlet Downey Head, without watermark, superb unmounted mint. S.G. £1,500. Photo on Page 26. £500-600
- 112 **S** ★ 1912-24 ½d - 1/- Mint including ½d, 1d pair and imperf 1d pair with “CANCELLED” overprint type 24, imperf ½d and 1d pairs with Specimen overprints type 26, Controls of all values (109), shades. (c.250). £250-300
- 113 ★ 1912-24 7d Olive, margin at right, without watermark, superb unmounted mint, a very scarce variety this fine. S.G. £950. Photo on Page 26. £400-450
- 114 ★ 1912-24 9d Agate, margin at right, without watermark, fine mint, a scarce variety. With R.P.S Certificate (1989). S.G. £950. Photo on Page 26. £400-500
- 115 ★ 1912-24 1/- Bistre, watermark Royal Cypher, variety watermark inverted, superb unmounted mint. S.G. 395wi, £350. Photo on Page 26. £130-150
- 116 ★ 1913 Waterlow 2/6 Sepia-brown, lower left corner marginal single, lightly mounted in the margins only, the stamp unmounted, very fine. S.G. 400, £600+. Photo on Page 20. £230-260
- 117 ★ 1913 Waterlow 5/- Rose-carmine, lower right corner marginal single, lightly mounted in the lower margin only, the stamp superb unmounted. S.G. 401, £1,100+. Photo on Page 20. £480-550
- 118 ★ 1913 £1 Dull blue-green unmounted mint, superb in all respects. With R.P.S Certificate (2007). S.G. £3,800. Photo on Page 26. £1,600-2,000
- 119 ★ 1915 De la Rue 2/6 Grey-brown, margin at base, superb unmounted mint. S.G. 407, £700+. Photo on Page 28. £300-350
- 120 ★ 1915 De la Rue 2/6 Sepia, margin at right, superb unmounted mint. S.G. 408, £550+. Photo on Page 26. £200-240
- 121 ★ 1915 De la Rue 5/- Bright carmine, margin at right, superb unmounted mint. S.G. 409, £1,100+. Photo on Page 26. £450-500



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- 122 ★ 1915 De la Rue 5/- Bright carmine, margin at right, superb unmounted mint. S.G. 409, £1,100+. Photo on Page 26. £450-500
- 123 ★ 1915 De la Rue 5/- Pale carmine, superb unmounted mint. S.G. 410, £1,400. Photo on Page 26. £450-550
- 124 ★ 1915 De la Rue 10/- Bright (Cambridge) blue unmounted mint, an exceptional stamp, rare in this quality. With Brandon Certificate (2017). S.G. N70 (3), £14,000. Photo on Page 26. £3,500-4,000
- 125 ★ 1915 De la Rue 10/- Bright (Cambridge) blue unmounted mint, an exceptional stamp, rare in this quality. With Brandon Certificate (2020). S.G. N70 (3), £14,000. Photo on Page 26. £3,500-4,000
- 126 ○ ☐ 1915 De la Rue 10/- Pale blue, upper left corner marginal block of four, superb used with light single ring datestamps. S.G. £3,600+. Photo on Page 30. £1,000-1,200
- 127 ★ ☐ 1918 Bradbury Wilkinson 2/6 Chocolate-brown, block of four superb unmounted mint. S.G. 414, £1,300+. Photo on Page 30. £650-700
- 128 Ⓢ 1918 Bradbury Wilkinson 5/- Rose-red overprinted "CANCELLED" type 24, superb unmounted mint, very scarce. S.G. £1,000+. Photo on Page 26. £450-500
- 129 ○ ☐ 1919 Bradbury Wilkinson 10/- Dull grey-blue, block of nine used with Guernsey datestamps, a few reinforced perforations between the two upper left stamps, otherwise very fine. S.G. 417, £1,575+. Photo on Page 22. £600-700
- 130 ○ △ 1918-19 Bradbury Wilkinson 2/6 (25), 5/- (25) and 10/- (3) used, piece bearing sixteen 2/6 stamps, and a large piece from a parcel to Uganda bearing 5/- block of six, also a mint 2/6, various shades, mixed quality with some faults and parcel cancels. (76). £100-150
- 131 ★ ☐ 1924-26 1d and 1½d Marginal blocks of four both on experimental paper with differing GR watermark, 1d block with a very light diagonal crease to upper stamps, otherwise fine, both mounted on one upper stamp only, the other stamps unmounted. S.G. 419b, 420g, £740+. (2 blocks). Photo on Page 20. £240-280
- 132 ★ 1924-26 1½d Red-brown, variety printed on the gummed side, superb unmounted mint. S.G. 420c, £1,000. Photo on Page 26. £350-400
- 133 ★ ☐ 1924-26 6d Reddish purple, lower left corner marginal block of six, variety watermark inverted, mounted on two upper stamps, the other four stamps unmounted, fine. S.G. 426wi, £480+. Photo on Page 30. £180-200
- 134 Ⓢ 1924 British Empire Exhibition 1d and 1½d overprinted "CANCELLED" type 28, fine mint. S.G. £2,200. (2). Photo on Page 26. £600-700
- 135 Ⓢ 1929 PUC ½d, 1d and 1½d overprinted "CANCELLED" type 33, fine mint. S.G. £1,800. (3). Photo on Page 26. £550-650
- 136 ○ 1929 PUC £1, margins at left, fine used with South Kensington datestamps. S.G. 438, £600. Photo on Page 28. £150-180
- 137 Ⓟ 1935 Silver Jubilee, 1½d imperforate colour trial in pale brown, affixed to card. Superb and rare, six examples known, each in a different shade of brown. Photo on Page 14. £2,400-2,800
- 138 ★ ✉ 1935 Silver Jubilee stamps and postal history, collection on pages including 2/- and 3/- booklets, control blocks of six, booklet panes (9), 1/- postal order with issuing c.d.s of the Hearts of Oak Benefit Society, May 7th F.D.Cs to South Africa franked 1d + 2½d pair (+ 6d) or to USA franked ½d + 1d + 1½d (3) and redirected back to G.B with U.S stamps, other covers (45) with first flights and commercial air mails, T.P.Os, 1d used in Tristan da Cunha, Paquebots and maritime mail, cover with 2½d tied by Deutsche Seepost cancel, cover to Peru sent by air via New York paid 2/3 with Silver Jubilee ½d (2), 1½d (7) and 2½d (6) + definitive ½d, etc., also May 1st Post Office Circular with news of the issue of the Jubilee stamps. (64). £350-450



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- 139 Ⓢ 1939-42 KGVI 2/6 Brown, 2/6 yellow-green, 5/- red and 10/- dark blue in horizontal strips of three all overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 23, the four strips affixed to three pieces cut from the Mauritania Post Office U.P.U Specimen collection, each handstamped violet "SPECIMEN / COLLECTION / MAURITANIE". A unique group, exceptional exhibition items. (4 strips). Photo on Page 28. £4,000-5,000
- 140 Ⓢ 1940 Stamp Centenary ½d - 3d set of six in vertical strips of three, all affixed to a piece cut from the Mauritania Post Office U.P.U Specimen collection, tied by violet "SPECIMEN / COLLECTION / MAURITANIE" handstamps. A unique archival piece, that proves these stamps were sent as Specimens to the U.P.U for distribution to member countries. (6 strips). Photo on Page 22. £1,000-1,200
- 141 Ⓢ 1941 KGVI ½d Pale green, 1d pale scarlet, 2d pale orange, 2½d light ultramarine and 3d pale violet, the five values issued in lighter colours in 1941, all in horizontal or vertical (2d) strips of three, affixed to two pieces cut from the Mauritania Post Office U.P.U Specimen collection, tied by violet "SPECIMEN / COLLECTION / MAURITANIE" handstamps. Unique archival pieces, that prove these stamps were sent as Specimens to the U.P.U for distribution to member countries. (5 strips). Photo on Page 22. £600-800
- 142 Ⓢ 1941-42 KGVI ½d Pale green, 1d pale scarlet, 1½d pale red-brown and 2d pale orange all sent as Specimen stamps to the U.P.U, each handstamped "AMOSTRA", applied in Lisbon to Specimens received for distribution to the Portuguese colonies. Mint original gum, very minor toning, otherwise fine and scarce, with B.P.A Certificate (1992). (4). Photo on Page 26. £180-220
- 143 ★ Ⓟ 1976-84 Machins, unmounted imperforate pairs or blocks comprising 9p deep violet vertical pair, 11½p drab (1 centre band) vertical pair, 16p olive-drab horizontal pair, 18p bright green horizontal pair, 18p deep olive-grey horizontal pair and block of four, also an imperforate colour trial without value in ultramarine on waxy gummed paper (creased), and 2001 Submarine Centenary booklets (2, S.G. PM2). S.G. X883a, 893a, 913a, 949a, 955a, £1,495. (9). Photo on Page 26. £200-250
- 144 ★ 1984-2004 Royal Mail Yearbooks 1-21 (with additional 1986 Yearbook), all complete (22). Also some Presentation Packs. £200-240
- 145 Expert Committee Certificates issued between 1959 and 2014, mainly for QV stamps or covers or KGV stamps, now sadly separated from the original items, mainly from the R.P.S but some B.P.A, Holcombe, etc., many issued for very rare items. (c.190). £75-100

Officials

- 146 ★ ☐ **Admiralty.** 1903 KEVII 2d, type O10 overprint, mint block of four, the lower pair unmounted, tiny mark on upper left stamp, otherwise fine and scarce in a block. S.G. £2,200. Photo on Page 20. £300-350
- 147 ★ **Army.** 1900 ½d Green, Control "R", fine mint, scarce. S.G. £300. Photo on Page 28. £100-120
- 148 △ **Office of Works.** 1903 KEVII 10d tied to small piece by light oval Registered datestamps. With B.P.A Certificate (1999). S.G. O40, £7,000. Photo on Page 26. £3,200-3,800

Telegraph Stamps

- 149 Ⓟ 1876 10/- Die Proof in black on white glazed card, stamped "BEFORE HARDENING" and dated "Oct. 20 1876", 92x60mm, fine and scarce. S.G. £1,300. Photo on Page 30. £450-500
- 150 ○ 1877 £1 Brown lilac used with Liverpool Exchange c.d.s and boxed cancel. S.G. £950. Photo on Page 26. £160-200
- 151 ○ 1877 £5 Orange used with 1882 Glasgow c.d.s, two light creases, still an exceptional looking stamp. With B.P.A Certificate (2018). S.G. £3,200. Photo on Page 14. £1,200-1,400



Postage Dues

(Also see lots 267-270, 273/5)

- 152 Ⓔ c.1912 Essays in pencil and Indian ink for a 2d postage due stamp, the two essays similar in design but showing differences in the side details and size of wording, with a stamp size pencil drawing of the current 1d postage stamp alongside, all drawn by Mr H.J Howard who worked in the Secretary's office at the G.P.O, believed to have been submitted to the 1912 Conference which discussed the proposal to issue postage due stamps (recommending that five values of dues be issued, the design brief being given to George Eve). The two essays each 90x100mm, on thick card (255x316mm), a further stamp size essay excised from the upper left corner (believed to be in the Royal Collection), central horizontal fold and small split at upper right corner (well away from the essays), a unique and important item in the development of the first G.B postage due stamps, with an article on this essay by Graham Mark. Photo on Page 24. £2,500-3,000
- 153 1914 (April 14) Post Office Notice "Surcharges, Introduction of "Postage Due" labels", announcing the issue of four values of postage due stamps on April 20th, no surcharges to be paid on delivery of any letter or parcel on and after that date that does not bear due stamps. Light horizontal fold, otherwise fine, very few examples known of this notice. £150-200
- 154 Ⓟ 1914 2d Colour trials, the eighteen colours (also the issued colour), the 2d carmine creased, otherwise fine, some unmounted. S.G. £1,980. (18). Photo on Page 26. £280-350
- 155 Ⓢ 1914-23 ½d - 1/- Set of eight in marginal blocks of four, all overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 23, superb unmounted mint. S.G. £1,560+. (8 blocks). Photo on Page 28. £550-650
- 156 Ⓢ Ⓟ 1914-23 Simple Cypher Issue with Specimen overprints, comprising set of eight (both 1/- bright blue and deep bright blue shades) with type 23 overprint, 2d and 3d type 26 overprint, also 2d colour trials in carmine, Bartolozzi brown and blue green with type 23 overprint, 3d type 23 a little stained, otherwise fine. S.G. £1,030. (14). Photo on Page 26. £200-250
- 157 Ⓢ ⓑ 1914 Somerset House 1d, D.14 Control block of six, each overprinted type 23 Specimen, lightly mounted on two stamps, fine and scarce. S.G. £270++. Photo on Page 30. £160-200
- 158 Ⓢ ⓑ 1914 Somerset House 2d, D.14 Control block of six, each overprinted type 26 Specimen, unmounted mint, superb and scarce. S.G. £240++. Photo on Page 30. £160-200
- 159 ★ ⓑ 1914-23 Simple Cypher ½d - 1/-, mint collection well mounted on pages with 5d Specimen, 1½d interpanneau pair and 2d interpanneau block, all ½d - 1/- Somerset House Controls (some staining), Harrison ½d - 5d with Controls, and D.14 ½d - 5d Somerset House printing Control blocks of six and Harrison printing Control strips of three (a little staining, 5d values fine), also 1924 Waterlow 1d B24 and C25 Control blocks of six. S.G. £1,000+. (80 stamps). £180-220
- 160 ★ 1914 2d Agate upper right corner marginal strip of four (left pane), watermark sideways inverted and reversed, the watermark displaced downwards resulting in the strip watermarked "POSTAGE", superb unmounted mint. A unique variety, this strip the example recorded in the S.G. specialised catalogue as S.G. R41ba. With R.P.S Certificate (2011). Photo on Page 28. £500-700
- 161 ✉ **First Day Cover.** 1914 (Apr. 19) Stampless postcard posted within Folkestone with a 1d charge mark, a 1d postage due applied the following day on the first day of issue, tied by Folkestone P.P (Parcel Post) c.d.s., the message refers to the new stamps. Pinhole (with surrounding white circle) at upper edge, otherwise fine. Photo on Page 10. £160-180
- 162 ✉ **First Day Cover.** 1914 (Apr. 19) Cover from Belgium to W.T Wilson in Birmingham franked 15c, handstamped "T" and endorsed "2d to pay" with a 2d postage due stamp cancelled at Handsworth on the first day of issue (Apr. 20), a North Western T.P.O Day Down transit c.d.s alongside, a fine F.D.C with R.P.S Certificate (2011). Also a stampless cover posted from Manchester to Southport on April 20th, a 2d due applied the following day, the second day of issue. (2). Photo on Page 10. £220-260



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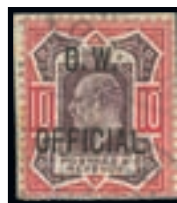
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- 163 ☒ **Bisected Dues.** 1921 Picture postcard from Alexandria to London franked 1d, with a 1d charge mark, a diagonally bisected 2d postage due stamp tied by Ealing c.d.s (June 18), fine and very scarce. Photo on Page 10. £300-350
- 164 ☒ **Postage Stamp Used as a Due.** 1924 Cover posted within France franked at the 5c printed matter rate, redirected to England and charged 1½d (the minimum charge on mail from overseas), collected with a 1d postage due + ½d postage stamp tied by Denton, Harleston datestamps (Sep. 4). Flap missing and small tear at upper edge, otherwise fine and unusual. Photo on Page 32. £100-120
- 165 ★ ★ 1914-94 Postage dues complete mint, the QEII issues unmounted. S.G. D1/110, £1,900. (109). £150-200
- 166 Ⓢ 1924-31 Block Cypher issue with Specimen overprints, comprising 2d, 3d, 1/- and 2/6 with type 23 overprint, ½d, 1d and 4d with type 26 overprint and 2/6 with type 30 overprint, the very scarce type 26 and 30 overprints listed but unpriced by Gibbons. (8). Photo on Page 26. £350-400
- 167 ★ ★ 1924-36 Block Cypher ½d - 2/6, mint Controls comprising Waterlow set of nine (1½d stained) and the eight Harrison printing values, also 3d experimental paper with D25 Control, and an unmounted 3d printed on the gummed side. S.G. £1,600+. (19). £300-350
- 168 ☒ **Bisected Dues.** 1932 Cover from Malta to Cornwall franked 1½d, endorsed "1d to pay" with a diagonally bisected 2d postage due tied by Perranwell Station c.d.s (Jan. 25), 45cm opening tear from the upper edge well clear of the stamp, otherwise fine and very scarce. A rare postage due bisect with a station cancel, and the only recorded bisected 1924-31 issue 2d (D24). Photo on Page 32. £250-300
- 169 Ⓢ 1936-37 King Edward VIII 3d, 4d, 5d and 1/- overprinted Specimen type 30, the 5d mint, the others without gum, the 4d thinned, otherwise fine and very rare. Only recorded on these four values, believed to come from the Harrison & Sons day book, ex Marcus Samuel. (4). Photo on Page 26. £600-700
- 170 ★ ★ 1936-37 King Edward VIII ½d - 2/6 Control singles mint, all ten listed controls, 2/6 A37 mounted in the margin only, 2/6 C38 unmounted, very fine. S.G. £1,660. (10). Photo on Page 28. £350-400
- 171 ★ 1937-69 KGVI and QEII postage due, mint lower marginal singles of all stamps including 1937-50 issue Controls and ½d - 3d lower left corner pairs (also a 2/6 block of 16 used) without Controls, 1954-55 4d blue lower right corner imperf pair (D43a), 1959-63 2/6 - 10/- inverted watermarks, all superb unmounted. S.G. £2,000. (101). £350-400

Revenues & Cinderellas

- 172 Ⓟ **Revenues - Cardiff.** 1899 (Apr. 7) Piece bearing perforated embossed 1d blue revenue tied by the red embossed cancel with arms of Cardiff, handstamped "INLAND REVENUE / STAMPS / 7 ARP 99 / CARDIFF" and endorsed "I hereby certify that the above is the first stamp which was over-embossed at Cardiff, P.J Congdon". A unique proof of the first revenue cancel used at the Stamp Office at Cardiff. £250-300
- 173 Ⓟ **Revenues - Cork.** 1902 (Apr. 30) Piece bearing perforated embossed Ireland 1d revenue tied by the red embossed cancel with arms of Cork, endorsed below "Cork", a unique proof of this new cancel used at the Cork Stamp Office. Photo on Page 32. £250-300
- 174 Ⓟ **Revenues - Nottingham.** 1897 (Oct. 4) Piece of embossed Inland Revenue paper bearing embossed perforated 1d blue revenue tied by the red embossed cancel with arms of Nottingham, handstamped "INLAND REVENUE / STAMPS / 4 OCT. 97 / NOTTINGHAM" and initialled. A unique proof of the first revenue cancel used at the Stamp Office at Nottingham. Photo on Page 32. £160-200
- 175 ★ ☒ **Bus Stamps.** c.1927-79 Bus Parcel stamps, the collection in two albums and on pages, virtually all pre-decimal with some pre-WW2 stamps noted, including Northern Ireland, Midland Red, stamps on covers (82), Specimens, etc., an interesting lot. (588 + 82 covers). £400-600



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PICTURE POSTCARDS, EPHEMERA & AUTOGRAPHS

- 176 ☒ **Sir Walter Scott.** 1807 (July 26) Part letter written and signed by Scott, sent free to the Marquis of Abercorn in London and redirected to Ferry Bridge, a little splitting at folds, a good autograph. Also 1808 entire letter from Henry Dundas in Downing St., sent free to Edinburgh, the letter referring to Water Scott, one of the Clerks of the Court of Session. (2). £150-200
- 177 **Stamp Trade.** The collection of stamp dealer ephemera in two albums, including printed packets, lot covers, perforation gauges, approval sheets, hinges, postcard of W.S Lincoln's shop, etc. (c.350). £200-250
- 178 ☒ **Novelty Shaped Postcards.** 1910-22 Cards containing fold-out views, with a stamp applied directly to the card, most sent at the ½d book-post rate, including cards in the shape of a train, car, teddy bear, golliwog, fish, shell, charabanc, horse drawn coach, bathing hut, sailing boat, bathing tent, swan, aeroplane, seaside scenes, lifeboat man, young lady, soldier, clock, post box, donkey, Welsh maid, etc. (31). £750-1,000
- 179 ☒ **Novelty Shaped Postcards.** 1909-24 Cards containing fold-out views all with a separate address tag attached by string, virtually all dated 1909-12, sent at the ½d book-post rate, one extraordinary card with a real walnut shell attached containing rolled-up views of Edinburgh tied together with string, other cards in the shape of a roller skate, Norfolk wherry, Cornish pasty, telescope, pie, sailing boat, lifeboat, donkeys, hats, soldiers, stocking, leaf, shoe, baby, fish, medicine bottle, fir cone, policeman, shamrock, fly, ship, rose, golliwog, aeroplane, hands, teddy bear, basket, crab, shells, dog, bathing tent or hut, cooking pot, biscuit, etc., also one unused card with "Lands End" cachet. A fine and unusual collection. (45). £1,500-1,800
- 180 ☒ **Novelty Shaped Postcards.** 1912-28 Cards containing fold-out view, comprising 1912 card depicting coaches in the Lake District franked ½d, 1917 card depicting an airship and aeroplane posted unpaid, and 1928 card in the shape of a biscuit with tie-on address tag franked 1d, all three charged 1d postage due. (3). £100-120
- 181 ☒ **Novelty Shaped Postcards - Exhibitions.** 1908-11 Cards comprising Valentine Series "Giant Post Card" for the Ballymacclinton, Franco-British or Japan-British (2) Exhibition all sent at the ½d book-post rate, with exhibition cancels; long panoramic cards for the Scottish National Exhibition at Edinburgh (2) or Franco-British Exhibition all franked ½d, two with exhibition cancels, two with messages therefore charged 1d postage due; unused Coronation Exhibition cards in the shape of a Scottish soldier or boy wearing a kilt (missing tie-on address tags), and an unused 1911 Glasgow Scottish Exhibition card in the shape of a sailing ship. (10) £200-250
- 182 ☒ **Novelty Shaped Postcards - Japan-British Exhibition.** 1910 Postcards in the shape of a Japanese boy, Japanese Pavilion or shoes all containing fold-out views of the exhibition, with tie-on address tags franked ½d (2) or 1d (to Germany), two with exhibition cancels, one of these charged 1d postage due, unusual. (3). £160-200
- 183 ☒ **London G.P.O and Mount Pleasant Sorting Office.** c.1910 Long Panoramic postcards depicting letter sorting in various divisions of the G.P.O or Mount Pleasant, the complete set of twelve cards, superb unused. (12). £200-250
- 184 ☒ **London G.P.O and Mount Pleasant.** c.1910 Postcards depicting sorting or views at the G.P.O or Mount Pleasant including long Panoramic postcards (3), Collectors Publishing Co series (6), etc. (10). £120-150
- 185 **London G.P.O.** c.1910-20 Large real photographs of sorting in the G.P.O, including the Foreign Section, some probably press photos, fine quality, most approx 21x16cm. (9). £140-160
- 186 ☒ **Ramsgate.** 1906-12 Picture postcards depicting the souvenir programmes for the annual dinner of the Ramsgate and Broadstairs Post Office staff all illustrated with views of the Post Office, post van, staff, etc, also a 1905 card of the tallest and shortest members of the P.O staff, fine and unusual. (7). £200-240



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- 187 ✉ **Newcastle to Kirkwhelpington Mail Coach.** 1905 Real photo postcards of the mail coach which was attacked and robbed near Kenton in April 1905, one taken outside a small rural post office (posted from Newcastle 25 April 1905), small corner fold, otherwise fine, superb quality cards. (2). Photo on Page 32. £100-120
- 188 ✉ **Postmen.** c.1890-1913 Real photographs (5) and picture postcards (3) of postmen in uniform including a postman pushing a V.R mail cart, 1913 N.W.D.O staff in front of a G.R mail van, etc., also four sentimental type cards "Postal Expressions" with couples depicting various postal terms, shown in the upper corner of each card. (12). £120-140
- 189 ✉ **Penny Post Series.** c.1910 Complete set of twelve cards with various postal views including the first T.P.O, modes of mail transport, Rowland Hill and John Palmer, a present day T.P.O, etc., all published by E. Blackwell, Post Office, Northampton, and sold in aid of the Rowland Hill Benevolent Fund, four postally used in G.B (3) or New Zealand. A rare set. (12). Photo on Page 32. £280-320

POSTAL HISTORY

(Also see lots 278-391, 427, 429, 432, 436, 441, 446, 450, 457, 463, 832, 1628, 1866)

- 190 1734-1857 Post Office letters and forms including rare 1734 G.P.O Edinburgh form completed by the Inverary Postmaster showing £1.8.2 due for a quarter's salary (including a quarter of all postage collected on inland country-road letters retained by the postmaster); unused letters regarding payment of Postmasters accounts; 1857 £80 Bond for a letter carrier, etc. (7). £180-220
- 191 ✉ △ 1741-1835 Entire letters (9) and fronts (2) including 1741 letter from Samuel Squire at St. John's College with "CAM / BRIDGE" handstamp; 1784 letter sent free from Horfield to Droitwich reporting the escape of three felons from prison and asking what action is to be taken against the Keeper of the prison, with "22 BRISTOL" first type mileage mark; 1794 and 1828 prepaid letters from the Victualling Office in London to H.M.S "Bonetta" at Portsmouth or H.M.S "Gloucester" at Sheerness, the first with "POST / PAID" experimental datestamp; 1834 printed wrapper "Uniformity of Weights and Measures" prepaid 7d, etc. Also an unused lettersheet with printed address panel "Missent and Redirected Letters / His Majestys Postmaster General / London". (12). £300-350
- 192 ✉ c.1770-90 Entire letters and entires with town handstamps comprising two line Norwich in purple, single line Godstone, Newcastle, Newport, Bath, curved Staines, also an 1817 letter with small Redruth handstamp, the c.1760 entire to Rolls Coffee House in London, all very fine strikes. (7). £240-280
- 193 ✉ 1810-1917 Entire letters, covers and cards including 1839 4d Post entire letter from St. Helens, 1847 entire franked 1d from Manchester with cachet of the Belgian Consulate, 1863 U.S Consulate Cardiff printed envelope posted from Bath, 1858 Rideout machine cancels (2), 1856 Glasgow Madeleine Smith cancel, H&K Packet backstamps (6), 1901 stampless express cover sent within London, 1909 "POSTED ON / "LA MARGUERITE"", 1847 G.P.O "Remittance Letter of Acknowledgement" printed letters with Paid datestamps, etc. (32). £220-260
- 194 ✉ 1812-1994 Covers and cards, with an album of Scottish covers and cancels, and an unusual collection of 1988-94 royal or official covers (60) all addressed to the Commissioner of the Metropolitan Police at New Scotland Yard, one cover addressed in the handwriting of Lady Diana and initialled "D", another Guaranteed Delivery cover from Prince Charles. (277). £150-200
- 195 ✉ 1820 Entire letter from London to "Adam Park, Surgeon to the Hon. East India Coy Ships, Gravesend" concerning his brother Mungo Park, the explorer then missing in Africa, with an enclosed page from the report of the African Association giving an account by Park's African guide Isaac, who the Association is going to send back into West Africa to try to find Park. Also other 1804-1918 letters, covers and cards including 4d Post Period letter prepaid local 2d charge, 1848-49 letters from Hastings to India prepaid in cash (3), 1849 cover to Grays Inn Coffee house, etc. (81). £150-200





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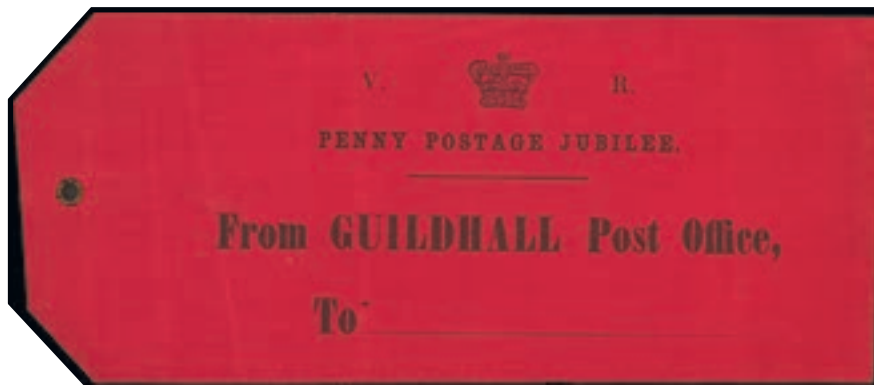
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Frees

- 217 ☒ △ c.1770-1839 Entire letters or entires (22) and fronts (27) including items franked by Bishops (27); London Sunday datestamps (10); 1790 letter to the Earl of Breadalbane, Colonel of the 4th Fencibles at Taymouth, with an enclosed printed form listing the strength of the regiment; 1820 entire from the Duke of Sussex (sixth son of George III) to his son in the 12th Lancers at Norwich and redirected to London; 1808 front sent free to Bermuda, etc., handstamps include Lovegrove 22, 24. Also seven 1764-1817 Acts of Parliament granting franking privileges to specific Offices of State. (56). £380-450
- 218 ☒ △ 1805-39 Entire letters or entires (22) and fronts (7) including alterations in the day of posting by the sender (3), wrapper for forwarding Parliamentary Acts with printed address of the Chief Magistrate or Head Officer at Corfe Castle, an unopened packet of Parliamentary Acts sent to the Magistrates at Sheffield Green near Uckfield, etc. Also 1802 and 1835 printed lists of M.Ps or Offices of State entitled to free postage, an 1800 letter from the Director of Posts in Brussels telling the addressee he must sign letters himself to qualify for free postage, etc. (34). £150-200
- 219 ☒ **Chelsea Hospital.** 1788-1839 Entire letter and entires (4) comprising 1788 entire to Chelsea Hospital with circular “FREE / C” (reduced in size); 1824 letter to Chelsea Hospital charged 2/9 but redirected to the Paymaster General, endorsed “Official” with the charge cancelled and a Free datestamp; 1832 entire from Alloa to the Paymaster General, endorsed “Chelsea Pensioners”, Free datestamp with the charge and “Addl/½” deleted; 1834-39 printed Royal Hospital Chelsea wrappers, one with Free datestamps the other with printed “Collector of Excise” address sent to Scotland with the charge deleted but “½” handstamp applied in error. (5). £120-150
- 220 ☒ **Navy/Army/Chelsea Hospital.** 1821-39 Entire letters or entires comprising printed wrappers from the Admiralty Office, Navy Pay Office (3), War Office (2) or Royal Hospital Chelsea (2, one unusually addressed to Upper Canada with a Kingston arrival backstamp, edge faults); also free letters addressed to Chelsea Hospital, “The Adjutant General, Horse Guards” or “General Lord Hill Commanding Forces, Charing Cross”; and an 1833 letter endorsed from the “Commissariat” to a coal merchant requesting his lowest price for supplying coal to Bolton Barracks’ with an enclosed wrapper intended for the reply with printed O.H.M.S Commissariat heading and address of The Lords of the Treasury. (12). £200-250
- 221 ☒ **Navy.** 1805-39 Entire letter and entires (7) all with printed O.H.M.S or “Pursuant to Act of Parliament ...” headings and imprints of “Admiralty”, “Admiralty Office” or “Navy Pay Office”, four with the names of George Elliott, J.W Croker or Charles Wood printed on the front, seven with Free datestamps including 1805 Navy Pay Office letter concerning a claim for wages or prize money for a seaman from H.M.S “Anson” unusually sent to Guernsey but missent to Helston. Also 1830 Navy Act which includes clauses on franking letters. (9). £160-180
- 222 ☒ **Official Mail.** 1804-46 Entire letters or entires, all printed wrappers for the Tithe Commissioners (2), Inspector of Corn Returns, Commissioners of Assessed Taxes or the Poor Law Commissioners (5), also an 1837 free entire to His Majesties Commissioners for the Building of Churches in England & Wales, seven posted prior to 1840 with Free datestamps, three posted after 1840 with Paid datestamps (10). £120-150
- 223 ☒ △ **Disallowed Frees.** 1799-1839 Entire letters or entires (8) and fronts (3), comprising letters from Dublin with Free datestamps applied in error subsequently charged (2), 1799 letter with red boxed “Above Privileged / Number” and 1831 front with “ABOVE / WEIGHT”, 1832 front to France with “Return’d / for Postage”, letters headed with the incorrect date (2) or place of posting and a front with incomplete date all charged, 1832 letter apparently charged for redirection, 1823 letter from London to Berkshire redirected on the reverse back to London but endorsed “Not the Members usual residence” and charged 8d. An unusual group. (11). £250-300
- 224 ☒ △ **Penny Posts.** 1838-39 Entire letters of entires (6) and a front all with Penny Post handstamps including Ironbridge, Horndean and Cuckfield, two redirected, two on printed O.H.M.S wrappers from the Admiralty or Secretary of State’s office. (7). £100-120

- 225 ☒ △ **Christmas Day.** 1826-39 Entire letters or entires (5) and fronts (2) all with Christmas Day postmarks including War Office wrapper to Ireland posted 23 Dec. 1839 (during the 4d Post period) finally delivered on Dec 27th with five transit datestamps over the Christmas period, 1830 entire from Brighton with “W” handstamp, etc. (7). £100-120
- 226 ☒ △ **Sunday Datestamps.** 1824-39 Entire letters or entires (9) and fronts (7) all with Sunday datestamps of London, including scalloped types (11), four with circular framed “C”. (16). £120-150
- 227 ☒ **Newspapers.** 1707 The “Post-Man” newspaper to Rye charged 2d, 1714/15 “The Evening Post” newspaper to Reading both sent free, signed “Frank, Rich. Bigg” or “Frank Ja. Jennings”, all with Bishop Marks, unusual. (3). £160-180
- 228 ☒ **Channel Islands.** 1801-05 Entire letters (2) and entires from Newport or London (3) all sent free to Thomas Sausmarez in Guernsey, three with Free datestamps, three signed by the Judge Advocate General. Also an 1829 letter from Lord Napier to Francis Freeling asking if he can frank letters to Jersey and Guernsey; and 1830 letter from Major Macbean, 84th Foot in Jersey, to Freeling, complaining that he had to pay 1/6 postage on a letter franked by Mr Barrow, Secretary to the Admiralty. (6). £150-180
- 229 ☒ **Scotland - Money Order Office.** 1808 (Oct. 3) Partly printed letter from the Money Order Office in Edinburgh, “Your account with this office for the quarter ended June 5 1808 has been examined and found to be correct. Balance £39.16.1 in our favour, which sum has been duly paid”, the partly printed address with “Money Order Office” heading and “F. Freeling” signature, sent from Edinburgh to the Postmaster of Elgin with red c.d.s. Very scarce. £200-240
- 230 ☒ **Ireland - Explanatory Handstamps.** 1824-39 Entire letter, entires (3) and an envelope all with Free datestamps and explanatory handstamps in red, comprising boxed “TOO LATE / H” or small type “TOO-LATE” of Dublin, circular “MID / DAY / MAIL” of Dublin, “CORK EVG MAIL” on 1824 entire from Mitchels Town endorsed “On the business of the Commissions of the Irish Fisheries”, or scarce “Redirected / at Belfast” on 1839 entire from London to Belfast, redirected to Liverpool and then to London with three Free datestamps. Vertical file folds, the last with edge faults and a little overstruck, two to Edward Lees at the Dublin G.P.O. (5). £160-180

Late Fees & Late Mail

- 231 ☒ △ 1856-71 Covers and entires (32) and pieces (26) with “Posted Since” duplex cancels or datestamps, the covers with handstamps of Edinburgh (25), Glasgow (2), Liverpool (4) or Dublin, a few faults though most are fine. (32+) £450-500
- 232 ☒ 1858-70 Entire letters and covers with “Posted Since” datestamps of Edinburgh (6) or Liverpool (3, all with “POSTED-SINCE / LIVERPOOL / 8.30 LAST NIGHT” c.d.s, one in brown on a letter to New York “p. America”), all fine. (9). £160-200
- 233 ☒ 1866 (Dec. 27) Entire letter from Bradford to Paris franked 6d, paying the 4d postage and 2d “northern towns” late fee, for mail from the Yorkshire towns of Bradford, Halifax, Huddersfield and Leeds to France sent on the special late train to London to connect with the Continental Night Mail. Scarce, few examples recorded. Photo on Page 34. £180-220

Maritime Mail

- 234 ☒ **Falmouth Mutiny/Plymouth.** 1810 (Oct. 16) Entire letter from London to Madeira, posted unpaid so handstamped “Return’d / for Postage”, finally dispatched on the “Diana” which sailed from Plymouth on December 8th for Brazil, arriving at Funchal on Dec. 21st (endorsed as such by the recipient). A scarce “Plymouth” Packet letter, the Packets moved to Plymouth from early November 1810 until February 1811 following the mutiny amongst Packet crews at Falmouth in October. With an article on the Mutiny and subsequent Plymouth sailings by M.E Philbrick. £150-180



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235  **Falmouth Packets.** 1777-1826 Entire letters (2) and an entire, comprising 1777 letter from London to Madeira “p. Hillsborough Packet”, 1812 entire with red “GIBRALTAR” handstamp to London “p. Windsor Castle Packet”, and 1826 letter from Falmouth to Lisbon “p. Duke of Marlborough” prepaid 4/9. The “Hillsborough” was captured by an American Privateer in 1780; the “Windsor Castle” fought an action off Barbados in 1807 capturing the French Privateer “La Genii” with 14 guns and 96 men (of whom 21 were killed and 34 wounded), the “Windsor Castle” having four killed and eight wounded out of a crew of 28, with eight guns. The “Windsor Castle” was captured by an American Privateer in 1815; the “Duke of Marlborough” was captured by a French Privateer in 1808 who plundered the ship, threw the guns overboard and took six crew prisoner, before handing the ship back to the Captain and remaining crew, the mails having been thrown overboard before the ship surrendered. (3). £140-160


236  **Transatlantic Mail.** 1818-63 Entire letters sent between G.B and USA or Cuba, including 1842 letter from Scotland to USA prepaid at the 8d ship letter rate with scarce lozenge datestamp of Liverpool (Rob. M24 without code letter, usually only used on packet letters) and a Ship Letter Liverpool datestamp, 1818 letter from Havana sent by H.M.S “Larne” with boxed “PACKET LETTER”, forwarding agents cachets (2), etc. (13). £120-150


237  **Birmingham.** 1907 (Aug. 9) Picture postcard of Japan, addressed to England, a G.B 1d cancelled a month later by superb “BIRMINGHAM / SHIP” c.d.s, unusual. £100-120


238  **Falmouth/St Mawes.** 1862 (Apr. 16) Stampless mourning envelope to London endorsed “Ship Letter Unpaid” and charged 2d, with a Falmouth c.d.s on the front, the enclosed letter headed “Ship Reunion off the Lizard” and including “we expect to disembark at Gravesend by Sunday if we get a good wind. Wallingford will then take the troops on to Chatham Wally is quite a different character since we left Calcutta”. Very unusual, charged as an inland letter despite the Ship Letter endorsement on the cover. Also an 1871 Stampless cover from St. Mawes to Sweden (corner fault) with an enclosed letter on notepaper headed with a fine engraving of St. Mawes harbour. (2). £140-160


239  **Folkestone - Mobile Box.** 1848 (June 2) Entire letter from France to London with superb boxed “M.B”, backstamped at Folkestone and London, charged 10d, fine and scarce. Photo on Page 34. £500-600

240  **Fowey.** 1849 Entire letter to New York, written at sea on the ship “Panama” en route to Talcahana, Chile, landed at Fowey then taken to London where it was held for 36 days awaiting 1/4 postage, finally despatched on the “Niagara” packet. Handstamped “FOWEY / SHIP LETTER” (S3), datestamps of Fowey and London (May 24/June 29), boxed “No / Detained for Postage” and “Returned for / Postage”, and “5 / CENTS”, all in red. Scarce and very unusual. Photo on Page 38. £400-500

241  **Greenock/U.S.A.** 1790 (Oct. 3) Entire letter from Norfolk, Virginia, to Glasgow, endorsed “pr the Louisa, Capt. Dickson q.d.c”, posted upon arrival at Greenock as an inland letter, handstamped “GREENOCK” and charged 3d. The interesting letter includes the views of a French ship captain friend on the French Revolution, the newly elected President George Washington, and the ending of the war with Spain. £150-180

242  **London - Mobile Box / Ship Letter.** 1850 (Oct. 22) Entire letter from Havre to London endorsed “Consignees”, and “Bill of Lading p. Wm Joliffe”, therefore free of charge, handstamp red boxed “M.B” and “(crown) / EXEMPT SHIP LR” with a London Paid datestamp, file fold, otherwise fine. Photo on Page 38. £180-220

243  **Greenock & Ardrishaig Packet - “Chevalier”.** 1902 (Dec. 19) Picture postcard of S.S “Linnet” at Ardrishaig, a KEVII ½d cancelled by “GK & ARDRISHAIG PACKET / B / CHEVALIER” wide type c.d.s, an unusually fine strike of this scarce datestamp, only recorded with code “B” in 1902-03. Also a card of the ship. (2). Photo on Page 38. £200-250

244  **Greenock & Ardrishaig Packet - “Chevalier”.** 1907 (Dec. 23) Picture postcard to Glasgow with KEVII ½d cancelled by “GK & ARDRISHAIG PACKET / A / CHEVALIER” wide type c.d.s, minor corner creasing. Also a real photo postcard of the steamer. The latest recorded use of this first type “Chevalier” c.d.s, very scarce, ex. Roger Hosking collection. (2). Photo on Page 38. £150-180



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- 245  1907-13 Picture postcards franked ½d, cancelled at Liverpool with violet “POSTED ON / “LA MARGUERITE”, or cancelled at Glen Garth (Anglesey) with violet “L&N.W.S.S. Co LTD / SNOWDON”, also a postcard showing a relief map of north Wales. All fine, the “Snowdon” cachet very scarce. (3). Photo on Page 38. £160-180
- 246  **U.S/British Sea Post Office.** 1910 (Mar. 16) Picture postcard of S.S “Philadelphia” posted on the ship, a G.B ½d pair applied but correctly disallowed, the stamps ringed with U.S Sea P.O duplex number “2” applied away from the stamps, circular “U.S SEA P.O / T 2” tax mark, the stamps cancelled “723” at Southampton, charged 1d. An unusual use of G.B stamps on the U.S Sea P.O. £100-120




Military & Naval Mail

(Also see lots 394/6, 820, 1619, 1621/2, 1625/6, 1864)

- 247  **Naval Mail - Carlist War.** 1837-38 Entire letters written by Lt. M.H Bunbury from H.M.S “Minden” at Lisbon (4) or H.M.S “Castor” at Barcelona (2), the long interesting letters (with full transcripts) detailing the wars in Portugal and Spain, one with red Falmouth Ship Letter. (6). £250-300


Mulreadys & Caricatures

- 248  1840 (May 10) 1d Lettersheet, stereo A27, used from Lincoln to Holbeach on the first Sunday of use, red Maltese Cross cancel and matching Lincoln datestamp on the front, small tear at base repaired internally with tape, still an unusually fine May 10th use, very scarce. S.G. £10,000. Photo on Page 38. £5,000-6,000
- 249  1840 (May 10) 1d Lettersheet, stereo A54, used from Leamington to Ramsgate on the first Sunday of use, Leamington and London backstamps which display well with the upper flap open, vertical central fold and minor flap faults, a good May 10th use. S.G. £10,000. Photo on Page 38. £3,000-3,500
- 250  1840 (May 24) 1d Envelope, stereo A150, used in Ireland on the third Sunday, from Loughrea to Bray, with a superb ruby Maltese Cross, Loughrea datestamp on the upper flap, also backstamped in Dublin. Small flap repair, otherwise superb. S.G. £4,000+. Photo on Page 38. £2,500-3,000
- 251  1840 (May 25) 1d Lettersheet, stereo A69, used from Manchester to Whitchurch with a 1d black, CB plate 4 with four margins, in the upper corner cancelled by a deep red Maltese Cross, “Britannia” unusually uncanceled, Manchester backstamp. Minor soiling and peripheral faults, two pressed vertical file folds, very scarce. With B.P.A Certificate (2020) which states “adhesive lifted to press filing fold and re-affixed; and Brandon Certificate (2004). S.G. £15,000. Photo on Page 40. £3,000-3,500
- 252  1840 (June 1) 2d Lettersheet, stereo a104, used from London to Bury St. Edmunds, signed in the lower corner by the sender Henry Jermyn, a bright red Maltese Cross applied below Britannia with red “T.P / Putney So” alongside, London c.d.s on reverse. An unusually fine and attractive 2d Mulready. S.G. £2,400. Photo on Page 40. £800-1,000
- 253  1840 (July 31) 1d Envelope, stereo A170, used from Bakewell to Grantham, a red Maltese Cross applied to the right of Britannia with a matching Bakewell datestamp below and a Grantham backstamp. Redirected to “Board of Customs, London” with 1d paid in cash, shown by red manuscript “P1”, again redirected to Lewisham Hill, Blackheath with a further 1d paid in cash, an indistinct two line Paid handstamp applied across Britannia with red “PD” datestamp (Aug. 3) alongside, a further tombstone type “PAID” datestamp in red applied upon arrival. A very unusual twice redirected Mulready with six handstamps all in red. Photo on Page 40. £800-1,000
- 254  1840 (Aug. 12) 1d Envelope, stereo A135, contemporarily handpainted in watercolour, very well done with fine subtle colours, posted from Barnes to “Lady Mansel, Wrotham Heath, nr. Wrotham, Kent”, with a fine vermilion Maltese Cross, black “T.P / Barnes” on the front, London backstamp. An unusually fine and attractive handcoloured Mulready, with Brandon Certificate (2005). Photo on Page 40. £1,000-1,200



- 255  1840 (Oct. 12) 1d Lettersheet, stereo A7, from Banbridge to Blair Athol, with a 1d black, LK plate 2 (four margins, tiny fault at upper right), the stamp and envelope both with red Maltese Cross cancels, backstamped at Banbridge, Belfast and Edinburgh. The edges a little trimmed (with no loss to the printed wording) and a few flap faults, otherwise fine, an attractive and rare uprated Mulready from Ireland. With Brandon Certificate (2008). S.G. £15,000. Photo on Page 40. £3,500-4,000
- 256  1840 (July 25) Humes Comic Envelope number 1, state 3 with Lawrie and Knight advert inside, used from Edinburgh to Ryde, Isle of Wight, bearing a 1d black, JC plate 4 (three margins) tied by a red Maltese Cross, Edinburgh backstamp. Opened out to display the printed flaps, minor flap faults, attractive and rare. With Brandon Certificate (2018). Photo on Inside Front Cover. £5,000-6,000
- 257  1840 (Aug. 12) Southgate Mulready Caricature envelope number 3 used from Moffat to Lockerbie bearing a 1d black, JJ plate 3 with good to huge margins cancelled by a red Maltese Cross. Seal cut from reverse, some staining, the stamp not tied, with R.P.S. Certificate (1974) “is genuine as far as one can say”. A scarce envelope, ex. Donald Turner, included in the Bodily/Jarvis/Hahn listing of recorded examples. Photo on Page 40. £1,500-1,800

Parcel Post

(Also see lot 345)

- 258 1883 Parcels Post official publications, “Rules for Head Postmasters”, “Rules for Sub-Postmasters”, “Rules for Town Receivers”, “Circular Letter to Surveyors dated 1st February 1883”, and “Report of the Deputy Postmaster-General to the Right Honourable The Lords of Her Majesty’s Treasury, 20th February 1883”. Five rare publications produced prior to the introduction of the Parcels Post in August 1883, giving all rules and regulations of the new service with reproductions of the forms and labels to be used. (5). £600-700
- 259 c.1883-1918 Post Office Notices (3) and ephemera with 1891 menu for The Foreign & Colonial Parcel Post Mount Pleasant fourth annual dinner, Parcels Post label and Postal Regulations card with rates, parcel tags with wrapper or cover giving rates, parcel tags with cover advertising parcels sent by the LMS, 1912-15 P.O Notices advertising parcel services to Rhodesia and Belgian Congo (faults), China via Siberia or Gold Coast Colony. (9). £250-300
- 260  **Private Parcel Labels/Postal Stationery.** c.1896-1933 Labels (6) and parcel tags (2), comprising Thornton Pickard tie-on Parcel Post tags each with two differing embossed QV stamps (one with Parcel Post label on reverse, the other a little shortened at left); Whitfield King parcel labels with embossed KEVII 4d + 4d, 4d + 1/-, 1/- (shortened at base) or KGV 6d; and P.T.P.O Post Office type Parcel Post labels for Marshall & Snelgrove or Pryce Jones Ltd both franked 4d. A few faults but an unusual group. (8). £160-200

Pictorial Envelopes

- 261  1840-90 Envelopes and lettersheets with Mulready 2d envelope stereo a196 and lettersheet stereo a103 both unused, Deraedemaeker reprints of propaganda envelopes (23) for Ocean Penny Postage, Peace, Anti-slavery, Intemperance, Commerce, etc., all fine. (26). £500-600
- 262  **Postal Reform.** 1841 (Jan. 13) Entire letter from Huntingdon to Chatteris prepaid 1d in cash, the address panel with a fancy border printed in sliver, with “Edis, Huntingdon” at the base and “Paid” in the lower left corner, red Huntingdon datestamp, tiny fault at upper edge, otherwise fine. Similar 1840-41 printed lettersheets intended for prepaid mail were produced by J.W. Barraclough of Nuneaton (now listed by S.G. in their G.B catalogue) and I.R Taylor in London (recorded used at March and St. Ives); these are described in “British Postal Reform” by J. Grimwood-Taylor (p 630/2) which does not record this lettersheet by Edis. Very rare. Photo on Page 40. £600-800

Postage Due Mail

(Also see lots 161/4, 168, 180, 246, 288/9, 297, 392, 700/2)

- 263 ☒ 1809-40 Entire letters and entires including letters from Europe handstamped “oz at 5/4 per oz”, “oz at 6/8 per oz” (2) or “oz at 8/8 per oz” all applied in the London Foreign Branch, “More To Pay” handstamps (4, one 1840 letter charged single rate deficiency only in error), etc., also Paid handstamps. (12). £250-300
- 264 ☒ 1831 Entire letter from Stettin to Frederick Huth & Co. in London, initially handstamped with dotted framed “oz at 5/4 per oz” (intended for use on letters from Belgium and Holland) and charged 5/4, the error quickly noticed and the incorrect handstamp apparently deliberately smudged and replaced by the correct “oz at 6/8 per oz”, the rate altered with the original rate deleted by a large inspectors crown. Vertical file fold at right, otherwise fine and exceptional, the only example of these rate handstamps applied in error and corrected that we have seen. Photo on Page 40. £200-250
- 265 ☒ 1855-1912 Underpaid covers and cards from abroad including picture postcards deemed liable to letter rate (28), unusual 1½d charge mark on 1881 Austria 2kr postcard, 1892 USA cover franked 6c with unusual 9d charge mark, 1888 stampless cover from India charged 10d, 1900 Rhodesia postcard franked 1d and charged 6d, etc. (81). £240-280
- 266 ☒ c.1897-1943 Covers and cards including registered mail (4), forces mail (6) with an unusual unpaid 1940 cover from the French naval ship “Jules-Verne” at Dundee with a 5d charge mark but bearing 4½d in due stamps, 1927 unpaid cover inscribed “Printed Matter” but endorsed “above 260 grammes” and handstamped “Liable to Letter Rate” with a charge of 3/6½, etc. (13). £150-180
- 267 ☒ 1914-70 Covers and cards all bearing postage due stamps, including 1915 registered cover posted out of course and unpaid charged 6d with three 2d dues (one D14 control), 1914 stampless official cover from the Belgian Ministry of Foreign Affairs located at Le Havre charged 5d, air mail covers from India with charges of 1/1½, 1/5½ or 1/9½, demonetised QV stamps (2), 1924 unpaid cover with 3d charge mark but bearing a 1/- postage due (presumably charges for four covers), registered mail posted out of course (3), dues used in Isle of Man (2), etc. (68). £160-200
- 268 ☒ **Europe.** 1915-68 Covers and cards from Europe, all unpaid or underpaid with charges ranging from 1d to 1/2, including 1½d charges (12, five bearing 1½d brown dues), 2½d charges (10, two with 1d + 1½d brown dues), 3½d charges (5), 4½d, 5½d, 6½d, 7½d, 8½d, five with due stamps applied at ½d less than the charge shown. An interesting lot, all written up on pages. (50). £140-160
- 269 ☒ **Asia/Australia.** 1925-70 Covers and cards from Australia (5), New Zealand (4), India (10), Papua (2), Netherlands Indies (2), Iraq (3), Aden, Sarawak, etc., all unpaid or underpaid with charges ranging from 1d to 5/8, including covers from India charged 9½d (2), 11d (2) or 1/10½ (2), from Persia or Sarawak charged 1/7, from Australia charged 10d, 1/1, 1/8, 3/3, or 5/8, from New Zealand charged 1/4 (2), 2/2, 2/6, from Papua charged 1/1, etc., also a Malaya cover with 1d charge mark but bearing 11d in postage due stamps (probably a bulk charge on several items). A fine and interesting lot with some unusual combinations of dues and uses of 2/6 and 5/- values, all written up on pages. (32). £200-250
- 270 ☒ **U.S.A.** 1915-70 Unpaid covers and cards from USA with charges of 1d (6), 1½d (7, two with Paquebot cancels, two with 1½d brown due), 2d (3), 3d, 4½d (2), 5½d (2), 6d, 10d (strangely with 2d + 8d + 10/- dues, possibly a charge for a bundle of items), 1/2, 1/3½, 1/4½ (2), 1/6, 1/10½ or 2/3, some unusual charges and combination of due stamps. (30). £120-140
- 271 ☒ **Invalid Stamps.** 1893-1970 Covers and cards including 1895 cover with a disallowed 1d lilac bisect, 1915 postcard with a partial stamp endorsed “mutilated stamp” and charged, demonetised stamps, G.B stamps applied abroad (7), 1919 Malta stamp used in G.B, 1920 use of G.E.A overprint stamp in Northern Rhodesia, 1965-70 Southern Rhodesia stamps (8), etc. (29). £220-260



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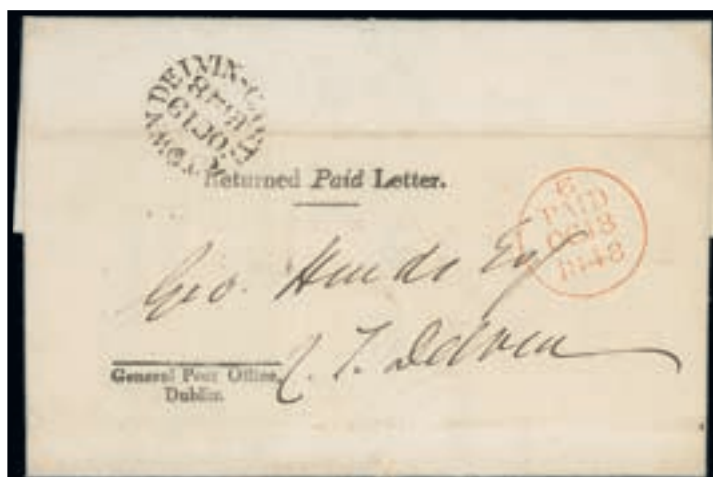
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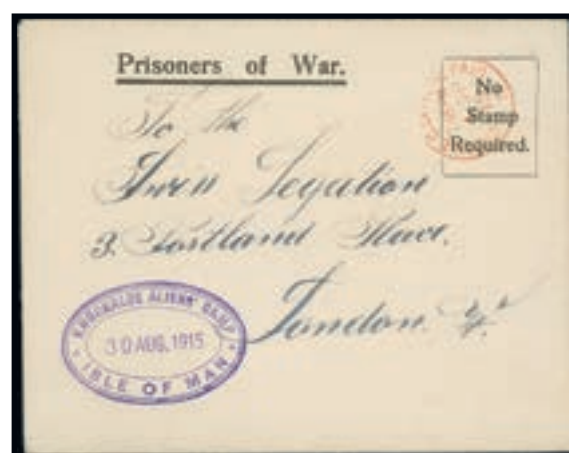
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- 272 ☒ **½d Charges.** 1901-53 Covers and cards from abroad all charged ½d, including Canada 1c postcard charged the single deficiency only in error, 1906 Ceylon cover and 1940 KUT cover both sent internally then redirected to G.B charged the single rate difference between the inland and empire rates, 1938 postcard from France with a ½d charge mark but a 1d postage due stamp strangely applied, etc. (24). £100-120
- 273 ☒ **1½d Charges & Due Stamps.** 1921-36 Covers and cards with 1½d charges or showing the use of the 1½d brown due stamp, mainly 1921-25 period minimum charges on mail from abroad, collected with ½d + 1d (6) or 1½d brown (16), one redirected with two 1½d dues, paquebot and naval mail (4), cover from Colombia with a bisected stamp allowed in Colombia but apparently disallowed in G.B, triangular “H.M” cancel or red c.d.s; the use of the 1½d due on higher charges comprising 1½d + 1d (2), 1½d pairs (2) or 1½d + 2d; also 1½d charges on 1931 internal USA cover redirected to G.B and 1936 cover from Tristan da Cunha. (29). £260-320
- 274 ☒ **High Value Dues.** 1950-70 Covers and forms bearing 2/6 - £1 value postage dues, including 1966 O.H.M.S Post Office cover from Rhodesia with the Postage Paid c.d.s disallowed and charged 11/3, 1970 cover from Rhodesia with stamps disallowed and an exceptional £1.5.8 charge, etc. (10). £100-120
- 275 ☒ **Customs Charges/Accumulated Charges.** 1938-92 Covers or parcel address panels with customs duty or purchases tax charges (14), or accumulated charges for several items (18), some large blocks of postage due stamps with charges up to £222.41, a few with mixed postage due stamp issues. (32). £200-240

Postal Stationery

(Also see lots 260, 393)

- 276 ☒ 1840 (Apr. 13) House of Commons One Penny envelope used to Liverpool with red Paid crowned datestamp, red wax House of Commons Library seal on reverse, light horizontal fold, otherwise fine. S.G. £3,000. Photo on Page 44. £500-600
- 277 ☒ 1843 (Apr. 22) 2d Blue envelope from London to Worcester cancelled by superb number “4” in Maltese Cross, London backstamp. Refolded at left edge with repaired tear and flap faults, very rare with very few examples recorded on the 2d envelope. S.G. £3,500. Photo on Page 44. £800-1,000
- 278 ☒ 1878 2d Size K registration envelopes, flap with plain edge, six unused envelopes with the scarce wrapper band (K size, 12 envelopes for 2/10, black on yellow paper), the envelopes all a little damp stained but unusual. RP6 (K). (6 + band). £80-100
- 279 ☒ 1889 2d Size I registration envelopes with adhesive compensation labels on reverse (one with label altered in manuscript, another with a label of new rates applied over the old rate label), all posted from Bury St. Edmunds to Marple franked 2d, 4d, 4½d or 5d, all marked “Fragile with Care” with diagonal blue lines. (4). £100-120

Railways & T.P.Os

- 280 ☒ **T.P.Os.** 1847-1914 Covers and cards with T.P.O cancels or handstamps (44) including 1902 cover to USA with KEVII 2d + 2½d each cancelled “K48” and “LONDON & HOLLYHEAD / T.P.O / UNITED STATES MAIL” c.d.s below, 1890 cover to Germany with ½d + 1d pair cancelled “PLYMOUTH TO BRISTOL T.P.O” c.d.s, 1895 registration envelope to Germany with “LONDON & DOVER T.P.O / NIGHT MAIL” transit c.d.s on the front, etc. Also a few station and R.S.O cancels. (70). Photo on Page 44. £550-650
- 281 ☒ 1891 Cover to Manchester with a 1d lilac and South Eastern Railway 2d letter stamp both pen cancelled and tied upon arrival by Manchester 498 duplexs (Aug. 30), violet “WATERLOO / PARCELS OFFICE” in lower left corner, the reverse unusually bearing a large label “South Eastern Railway, Charges To Pay, Booked Through, To Manchester via Wloo”. A fine commercial railway letter sent in the first year of the service. Photo on Page 44. £150-180

- 282 ☒ 1904-05 Covers franked KEVII 1d, all bearing 2d railway letter stamps, comprising Oldham, Ashton & Guide Bridge Rly (2), Highland Railway, Midland Rly, Sheffield & Midland Railways Committee or Garstang & Knot End Railway, four with violet station cancels, all fine. (6). £350-400
- 283 ☒ 1920-28 Wilson covers to Manchester, franked 1½d and bearing railway letter stamps with 3d surcharges, comprising 1920 Manchester, South Junc. & Altrincham Ry 2d stamp with violet “THREE / PENCE” handstruck surcharge cancelled by violet “STRETFORD”, and 1928 manuscript “3” surcharge on Cheshire Lines Committee 4d letter stamp cancelled violet “CHESHIRE LINES RLY. / BAGULEY, PHONE: 459 SALE” and date. Two scarce stamps on cover. (2). £150-180
- 284 ☒ c.1841-1969 Covers, cards, etc., in two albums with station cancels, T.P.Os, railway perfin, picture postcards, some ephemera, etc. (c.170). £120-160

Registered Mail

(Also see lots 30, 279, 342/3)

- 285 ☒ 1850-79 Registered covers including 1850 cover from London to Otley franked 1d (2) + 2d with 6d registration paid in cash, 1858 cover franked 1d + 3d (3) with red boxed “REGISTERED / AT / GLASGOW”, 1858 cover from Durham franked 1d + 6d, 1858-68 covers franked 1d + 2d pair (2 covers), 1879 cover from Linlithgow unusually franked 1½d pair, etc. (9). Photo on Page 44. £500-600
- 286 ☒ 1907-12 Registered covers addressed abroad, all bearing KEVII stamps, comprising cover to Sweden with boxed “LATE FEE 2d” franked by a single 7d, Express cover from Brighton to France franked 2½d + 5d, insured cover to France franked ½d + 1/-, and two insured 3d registration envelopes to Germany additionally franked by three 1/- stamps (another stamp missing) or ½d + 1d (2) + 1½d + 3d. Five unusual higher frankings. (5). £250-300

Returned Letter Office

References to envelope and lettersheet types are taken from “The Returned Letter Offices of Great Britain” by J. Snelson and R.B Galland, published by The Royal Philatelic Society London, 2017.




- 287 ☒ 1901-38 Covers and cards all returned to the sender, various cachets including boxed dated “RETURNED TO / POST OFFICE / W.C.D.O”, “RETURNED TO / POST OFFICE / UNCLAIMED / E.C.D.O” (or similar N.W.D.O), boxed “Returned to Post Office / LIVERPOOL on” or “NOT KNOWN / AT PRESTON, LANCS”, WW1 covers (10) with “RETURNED TO SENDER / BY THE CENSOR” label or boxed “Picture Postcards / are returned / by the Censor”, also 1918 lettersheet from a P.O.W in Germany with part message deleted and enclosed British Postal Censorship slip, and a 1917-18 correspondence (9, three with Royal Flying Corps flaps). (46). £150-180
- 288 ☒ 1834 and 1839 O.H.M.S Lettersheets from the General Post Office requesting postage on letters detained at the Foreign Post Office, St Martins-le-Grand, the 1834 letter to Valparaiso requesting 3/11 on a ship letter, the 1839 letter to France requesting 2/6½ postage. Both with red Free datestamps but charged upon delivery, the 1834 lettersheet with Francis Freeling imprint, the 1839 lettersheet with W.L. Maberley imprint, both fine. (2). Photo on Page 44. £200-250
- 289 ☒ 1896 (Jan. 13) London R.L.O lettersheet, the largely printed letter requesting 2½d postage on an unpaid book packet addressed to Sarawak, Borneo, with red London Official Paid c.d.s and a Singapore backstamp. The latest Detained for Postage lettersheet we have seen, very unusual to Sarawak, one of the few countries still not in the U.P.U at this date, part lower flap missing. £120-150
- 290 ☒ 1877-1901 London R.L.O lettersheets, unused printed letters concerning undelivered letters disposed of in the R.L.O or letters detained because they contain items liable to injure officers or other mail; 1882 letter “a packet addressed to you containing strawberries from which moisture was escaping, injurious to other correspondence, has this day been destroyed”; and 1901 letter requesting 9d postage if a parcel refused by the addressee is to be returned to the sender. (4). £160-180

- 291 ☒ **Officially Sealed Labels.** c.1880-1950 Returned Letter Office Officially Sealed labels (22, three on covers) mainly from London but including labels of Liverpool, Sheffield and Newcastle-on-Tyne, also other Officially Sealed labels (43), etc. (65+). £80-100
- 292 ☒ **London Two-Penny Post.** 1828-32 “Returned Letter” wrappers containing regulations of the Two-Penny Post, the Comptroller shown as T.M. Musgrave, posted within London. Types R-III-30 and R-VI, fine and scarce. (2). £200-220
- 293 ☒ **London.** 1830-51 Lettersheets, the first with “Returned Letter” heading and “Returned Letter-Office” in the lower corner, six others sent in 1849-51 with “Returned Paid Letter” heading and “Dead Letter Office” in the lower corner, the 1830 lettersheet with Francis Freeling shown as Secretary, the others with W.L. Maberley, these six with printed “Caution to the Public, as to sending Property by Post”, one the scarce variety recommending “use of the Money Order Office, where they will incur no hazard”. Two with undelivered letters enclosed, one to a passenger on a ship at Southampton endorsed “Sailed”. Types 6c, 10f/g. (7+). £240-280
- 294 ☒ **London.** 1839 Lettersheet with “On Her Majesty’s Service” heading and “Free. / W.L. Maberley. / Dead Letter Office.” in the lower corner, printed message inside referring to “Letters for Foreign Places”, used with a red Free datestamp. Also 1848 “Remittance Letter of Acknowledgement” form with red W.L. Maberley imprint on the front used with a crowned Paid datestamp, and 1895 lettersheet posted at Leeds with “Free / S.A. Blackwood” imprint. A rare R.L.O lettersheet for letters posted unpaid to foreign destinations where prepayment was compulsory. Type Fo-i, one recorded. (3). £120-150
- 295 ☒ **London.** 1852-64 “Returned Paid” letter envelopes, six also with “On Her Majesty’s Service” heading, lower corner with “Dead Letter Office” (5), “Returned Letter Branch / Circulation Department”, “General Post Office” or “Returned Letter Branch / General Post Office” (5), blue or white paper. All with a printed explanation and caution under the flap, the Secretary shown as W.L. Maberley (2), Rowland Hill (9, one with a label over Maberley’s name) or John Tilley, three with enclosed letters. (12+). £200-240
- 296 ☒ **London.** 1870-1900 Envelopes with “Returned Letter Office / General Post Office, London” in the lower corner, various papers and headings, three printed registered envelopes on blue paper, three other blue envelopes sent by registered mail, one returning a redirected registered letter charged 1d. (14). £250-300
- 297 ☒ **Bristol / Postage Due Mail.** 1887-1901 “Returned Paid Letter (3) and “Returned Postal Packet” (2) envelopes with “Returned Letter Branch / Post Office, Bristol” in the corner, the 1887 envelope charged 1d with an enclosed ½d newspaper wrapper handstamped “of the nature / of a Letter / 134” and “1d” but refused, another 1901 envelope with boxed “1d” charge mark. (6). £180-200
- 298 ☒ **Dublin.** 1848 “Returned Paid Letter” wrapper with “General Post Office / Dublin” in the lower corner, Aug. Godby shown as the Secretary, used from Dublin to Castletown Delvin, fine and scarce. Type D-G-RP, about three examples recorded. Photo on Page 44. £120-150
- 299 ☒ **Edinburgh.** 1825-48 Lettersheets with “Returned Letter” (7) or “Returned Paid Letter” (2) headings, “Retd Letter Office / Edinburgh” (2) or “Dead Letter Office, Edinburgh” (7) in the lower corner, the Secretary shown as Aug. Godby, Edw. S. Lees (7) or Francis Abbott. Types 16, various formats, one with an enclosed letter. (9). £220-260
- 300 ☒ **Edinburgh.** 1857-1900 “Returned Paid Letter” (13) and “Returned Postal Packet” (2) envelopes, twelve also with “On Her Majesty’s Service” heading, “Returned Letter Branch / G.P.O Edinburgh” (6), “Returned Letter Office / Edinburgh” (3), “Returned Letter Office / General Post Office, Edinburgh” (2) or “Returned Letter Office / G.P.O Edinburgh” (4) in the lower corner, various papers. Seven blue envelopes with a printed explanation and caution under the flap, the Secretary shown as Francis Abbott, one with an enclosed letter. (15+). £250-300
- 301 ☒ **Liverpool.** 1879-1900 “Returned Paid Letter” (2), “Registered Returned Paid Letter” or “Returned Postal Packet” envelopes, Returned Letter Branch / Post Office, Liverpool” in lower corner, all different, scarce. (5). £120-150

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| 302 | ✉ | Manchester. 1881-1901 Envelopes with various headings, all with “Returned Letter Branch / Post Office, Manchester” in lower corner, two blue registered envelopes, another registered envelope with printed “REGN FEE / 2d” charge and explanation on reverse that the letter contains value and has been compulsorily registered. (8). £200-250 |
| 303 | ✉ | Newcastle-on-Tyne. 1898-1900 “Returned Postal Packet” envelopes with “Returned Letter Branch / Post Office, Newcastle-on-Tyne” in lower corner, four differing sizes numbered 1-4, scarce. (4). £120-140 |
| 304 | ✉ | Other Offices. 1880-1900 Envelopes with imprints of the Returned Letter Branch at Glasgow (4), Birmingham, Leeds, Belfast or Dublin, all different, one Glasgow envelope with violet boxed “½ / POSTAGE / DUE FOR / RETURN / TO / SENDER”, the Birmingham envelope with 1d charge for a redirected letter, scarce. (8). £200-240 |

Royalty

(Also see lots 401-410)

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| 305 |  | 1823-2019 Covers and cards including items from Sandringham (10), Windsor Castle (12), Holyrood Palace (9), Kensington Palace (2), 1941 cover from Badminton House with KGV Cypher cachet and Chippenham Paid c.d.s, cachets of The Royal Yacht (7) and Royal Flight, also covers signed by the Duke of Cambridge (2), 1898 cover posted from Germany by the Princess of Battenberg to her son Prince Alexander of Battenberg at Lyndhurst, a Christmas card depicting the Castle of Mey signed by The Queen Mother, a few royal visit covers, etc. (80+). | £200-240 |
| 306 |  | Balmoral Castle. 1894-2002 Covers and cards with circular datestamps of Balmoral Castle (52, some on P.O. forms), Court Post Office Balmoral Castle (12, some on forms) or Official Paid Balmoral Castle (9), oval registration and boxed parcel datestamps, boxed Postage Paid handstamp, Aberdeen meter with EIIR Cypher (4), Cypher cachets of KGV (unusually franked 1½d), KGVI or QEII, some postcards and ephemera. (c.120). | £250-300 |
| 307 |  | Buckingham Palace. 1912-2017 Covers, various Cypher and other cachets, oval registration datestamps (5), boxed Postage Paid handstamp, meter marks, etc, some with letters. (66+). | £150-180 |

COUNTY POSTAL HISTORY

Channel Islands

(Also see lots 228, 398/9)

World War Two Red Cross Message Scheme

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| 308 | ✉ | Unused British message forms (5, three types); Instructions for sending messages (5, four types, one issued by the British Legion Office in Aberdeen); and "Instructions for Reply" (32, eight types), very unusual. (42).
£100-120 |
| 309 | ✉ | 1940-43 Forms, selected items including form signed in manuscript by George Bradshaw, "TIMBRE-REPOSE" cachets (3), Isle of Man Red Cross Message Bureau cachets (2), etc. (40).
£200-250 |
| 310 | ✉ | German Red Cross Form Errors. 1942-44 Forms from Guernsey all with errors, with the address details printed on both sides (the answer details therefore omitted), red printing omitted (3) and red printing misplaced (7, five miscut as a result), a very unusual group. (11).
£100-120 |
| 311 | ✉ | 1941-44 British or German forms to or from Jersey (22) or Guernsey (53) all with large circular "BRITISH RED CROSS AND ST. JOHN WAR ORGANISATION" cachets with a central Red Cross, various cachet types, all fine. (75).
£200-250 |

- 312 ☒ 1942-45 Forms comprising 1943 German forms from Guernsey with return message received in September handstamped unframed “Deutsches Rotes Kreuz / 14 SEP 1943”; 1942-44 German forms from Guernsey with replies sent in 1945 (Feb. 26/Mar. 1) and a 1945 (Feb. 24) British form to Guernsey all delivered several months after the war with unframed “Recu au Comite International / Croix - Rouge Geneve, le” with separate “10 DEC 1945”. Two rare cachets, both only recorded on one single date. (4). £150-200
- 313 ☒ 1942-44 Forms to or from Guernsey (24) or Jersey (5) all with parts of the message deleted or excised, eighteen with attached P.C.11 British Postal Censorship slips “The British Examiner is not responsible for the mutilation of this letter”, seven differing formats with some on blue paper, very unusual. (29). £300-350
- 314 ☒ 1941-45 German forms from Guernsey (43) or Jersey (9) to members of the British forces, including forms to T.D Luscombe on H.M.T Welland c/o G.P.O London (21, also four forms to Luscombe at R.C.M.B 201, St. James’s, London), 28 with cachets on reverse explaining that the form was not to be used for a reply (in two types, four or six lines), unusual. (52). £200-250
- 315 ☒ **German Censorship.** 1943-44 Forms to or from Guernsey (61) or Jersey (3), all censored in Berlin with censor cachets in black applied by the Gestapo (38) or Wehrmacht (26), four of these sent between June 29th and July 1st 1944 with additional boxed “833” censor. (64). £350-400
- 316 ☒ **Fortress Period.** 1944 Red Cross Message Bureau forms each with a typed “Summary of Civilian Message in suspense at Lisbon, Portugal. Destined for the Channel Islands”, all sent to Guernsey with a typed address on reverse, the original forms dated 1st-29th March. Carried to Guernsey on the Red Cross Ship S.S “Vega” (after normal communications were severed after the capture of St. Malo in August). (8). £150-200
- 317 ☒ 1940-41 Swiss Red Cross forms (84, dated 6 Nov. 1940 - 23 Jan. 1941) and British Red Cross forms (32, Dec. 3-30 1940, the first probably the earliest recorded use) from G.B. to Guernsey, all with replies on reverse sent in early 1941, ten signed in manuscript by George Bradshaw. (116). £200-250
- 318 ☒ **Canada.** 1941-43 German forms from Jersey (6) or Guernsey (18) all to Canada, all censored upon arrival, 23 with replies on reverse. (24). £450-550
- 319 ☒ **Canada.** 1944 (Dec. 12) Canadian Red Cross forms to Jersey (2), one from Mary Lawson in Fort Erie, fine and scarce. Also a 1941 German form from Jersey to Mary Lawson, the 1942 reply on the reverse, part of the reply message excised, all with Red Cross cachets and Canadian censor handstamps. (3). £150-200
- 320 ☒ **Ceylon.** 1941-44 Forms (3) comprising very scarce Swiss Red Cross enquiry form (number 189) sent to Alice Fuller (via the Red Cross office in Paris) on behalf of her husband Gunner F.D Fuller with reply on the reverse dated 21 June 1941, and two German forms sent by Alice Fuller to her husband, a 1943 (Apr. 5) form sent c/o R.C.M Bureau 35 in London, a 1944 (Jan. 10) form sent to R.C Office, Ceylon Branch, Colombo. Also a 1943 3c postal stationery postcard to L/Bdr Fuller, 23rd Lt. A.A Regt, Base Post Office, Colombo, from the Red Cross Office in Colombo with printed message acknowledging receipt of a Red Cross Message for despatch to enemy occupied territory. A scarce and unusual correspondence. (4). £120-150
- 321 ☒ **Ceylon.** 1942-44 Ceylon Red Cross forms from Gordon Male to his wife or parents in Jersey (16, two types), all with circular “CEYLON BRANCH / (Red Cross) / B.R.C.S” cachets and Swiss Red Cross cachets, the 1942-43 forms also with German Red Cross cachets and 1944 forms with Red Cross cachets applied in Cairo, seven with replies on reverse. Also two unused forms on blue paper. A very scarce correspondence. (18). £700-900
- 322 ☒ **Egypt.** 1941-43 Egyptian Red Cross forms (5, two types) and Swiss Red Cross forms (4) from Egypt to Jersey, all with Egyptian censors and Red Cross cachets applied in Cairo, and German forms from Jersey to Egypt (4). Also a German form from Jersey to G.B strangely with an Egyptian Red Cross cachet, and two related items. A scarce group. (16). £300-350

- 323 ☒ **Egypt.** 1941-44 Forms from Pte Maurice Le Var in Egypt to his wife Edith and/or son David in Jersey (23), also two forms to his parents in Jersey, Swiss Red Cross forms (11) and Egyptian Red Cross forms (14, two types) all with replies on reverse, all with Cairo C.I.C.R cachets and Egyptian Postal or Field Censors; and German forms from Jersey to Le Var in Cairo (4, one with reply on reverse), some with part senders address excised. Also a copy of his enlistment papers into the R.A.S.C, form for a message broadcast to his sister in England, pictorial Christmas airgrams to his wife and son both sent to his sisters address, and a British R.C letter. An interesting and extensive lot to and from Egypt. (29+). £700-900
- 324 ☒ **Egypt.** 1941-44 Forms (69) sent between L.A.C Stanley A. Brouard and his wife, parents or other relatives in Guernsey, the extensive lot comprising Swiss Red Cross (number “61”) forms sent from England to Guernsey in 1940 (4, July 31 - Nov. 7), the first three without any message seeking any news of the addressees (replies sent 17 Jan. - 4 Mar. 1941), all giving Brouard’s address as “R.A.F c/o Channel I Committee”; British forms from England (4) with a fifth similar form sent in 1942 from R.C.M.B in Manchester when Brouard was actually in the Middle East; Swiss Red Cross forms (6) and Egyptian Red Cross forms (23, three types) all sent from Egypt with Cairo C.I.C.R and Postal or Field Censor cachets, many with part senders address excised, all with replies on reverse; and German forms from Guernsey (32) mostly addressed to R.A.F c/o G.P.O or War Office but ten addressed to Cairo and four others addressed “late Cairo” or “late Iraq”, ten with Cairo C.I.R.C and/or Egyptian censor cachets, six with “NOT TO BE USED FOR REPLY” cachets on reverse, also three related B.R.C.S or Egyptian Red Cross letters. An exceptional and rare correspondence. (72). £1,000-1,200
- 325 ☒ **Ireland.** 1942-44 German forms from J.B Thuillier in Jersey (3) or Guernsey (2) to his mother in Kinsale, the first three forms sent from Jersey in 1942 all with replies on the reverse, the forms all with cachets of the Irish Red Cross Society on reverse, four types of cachet comprising unframed bilingual three line handstamps with address of 20 Merrion Square, 21 St Stephen’s Green or without address, or circular bilingual cachets without address (2). Also two summary forms for messages from Mrs Thuillier sent on 8th May 1944, held in suspense at Lisbon. A very scarce correspondence. (7). £250-300
- 326 ☒ **South Africa.** 1943-44 South African Red Cross forms (16, five types) all from F.H Smith to his mother in Guernsey, all with replies on the reverse sent back between 23 March 1943 and 5 June 1944, also 1943 (Nov. 2) and 1944 (May 2) German forms from Guernsey to F.H Smith in South Africa. A rare correspondence, all with large or small circular cachets of the South African Red Cross Society, Swiss and German Red Cross cachets, eleven handstamped boxed “BY AIRMAIL / PAR AVION”, eleven with Egyptian Postal Censors. (18). £800-1,000
- 327 ☒ **Switzerland.** 1941-43 Swiss Red Cross form “61” apparently from Hove to Guernsey but with the cachet “Mission Catholique Suisse / en faveur / des prisonniers de guerre / FRIBOURG (Suisse), believed to be from an escaped P.O.W in Switzerland; and Swiss Red Cross enquiry forms numbered “958” sent from Geneva to the German Red Cross in Paris seeking news of named individuals in Guernsey, two sent on behalf of an enquirer in Canada and three sent on behalf of the British Red Cross, four forms with replies from Guernsey. (6). £240-300
- 328 ☒ **USA.** 1941-44 American Red Cross forms to Guernsey or Jersey, and German forms from Guernsey (22) or Jersey (5) to the USA, 24 with replies on the reverse, various German, Swiss and U.S Red Cross cachets, one with an accompanying American Red Cross envelope and letter, one form incorrectly addressed and returned to Guernsey with an attached “Retour Postaux” slip. Also a 1944 summary message form for a letter from the USA to Guernsey held in suspense at Lisbon. A scarce group. (30). £500-600
- 329 ☒ **USA.** 1941-44 German forms all from Alice, Laura or Julia la Ray in Guernsey to relatives in the USA, all (except one) with replies on the reverse, eleven with dated American Red Cross cachets. (22). £300-350

Cheshire

- 330 ☒ **Capenhurst/Bromborough, etc.** 1799-1937 Entire letters, covers and cards including prestamp letters to Capenhurst (5), 1828 letter with “NESTON” fleuron handstamp, cancels of Childer Thornton, Bromborough, Burton, Caldý, etc. (32). £180-200

- 341 ☒ 1851-74 Covers (2) and an entire all sealed by the Post Office, bearing red wax seals impressed with mailbag seals, comprising “GENL POST OFFICE”, “EASTERN DISTRICT POST OFFICE” or “FOREIGN DIVISION G.P.O”, one 1858 cover with two line “Received open and resealed / at the General Post Office”, some faults, unusual. (3). £120-150
- 342 ☒ 1856 G.P.O Letter Bill from the Chancery Lane Receiving House, recording one registered letter posted to Bewdley, with straight line “Chancery Lane” and a red G.P.O Paid datestamp, folded, very rare. Also c.1840 London Twopenny Post account form for £4 for paid letters received in one month. (2). £120-150
- 343 ☒ 1857 Registered Letter receipt with red “PAID / C+ / 15 AU 15” Maltese Cross type datestamp, obliterated with a red “CHARING CROSS / (crown)” mailbag seal handstamp, another “PAID / C+” handstamp with correct AU 17 date then applied. Probably a unique use of a mailbag seal handstamp. £100-120

Suffolk

(Also see lot 30)

- 344 ☒ **Bury St. Edmunds - Transatlantic Mail.** 1849-56 Stampless covers to New York with differing Bury datestamps on the front, both prepaid in cash, the first endorsed “Private Ship” so prepaid 8d with red Ship Letter London and Ship Letter Liverpool datestamps and a 6c charge, the second prepaid at the 1/- packet rate. A good pair. (2). £80-100
- 345 ☒ **Bury St. Edmunds - Parcel Post.** 1887-1925 Parcel Post labels for Bury St Edmunds main office (12, seven with M.O.O datestamps), town sub-offices (15) or village sub-offices (29), two applied to parcel tags, twenty bearing stamps, seven with rubber datestamps, also the hardbound book “Parcel Post Service in Norfolk and Suffolk” by J. Dahl & V. Sussex. (56 + book). £200-250
- 346 ☒ **Bury St. Edmunds - Sub offices.** 1800-1924 Entire letters, covers and cards with prestamp handstamps of Mildenhall, Woolpit (4) and Ixworth Penny Post (2), 1843-58 undated circles (15, from eight offices, including Horringer on cover to Newfoundland franked 6d), rubber cancels (35), real photo picture postcard of Culford Post Office etc. (73). £260-320

Wiltshire

- 347 ☒ **Chippenham.** 1706 (Mar. 30) Entire letter to London backstamped “CHIPNHAM”, a little overinked but quite readable, “AP/1” Bishop Mark; and 1750 (Aug. 10) entire letter to Bristol backstamped fine “CHIPP / ENHAM”, the first very early, a very scarce pair. BCC 127/130. (2). £150-200
- 348 ☒ **Chippenham.** 1744-45 Entire letters from Ezekiah Dickinson at Monks, to his brother Caleb in Bristol, both backstamped “CHIPP / ENHAM” (BCC 130), charged 3d, both fine, a scarce early handstamp. (2). £120-150
- 349 ☒ △ **Chippenham.** 1778-1839 Entire letters (28), entires (3) and a front, including 1767 “CHIPPENHAM” (BCC 133), 1778 “CHIPPEN / HAM” (BCC 135), various two line or circular mileage marks, circular mileage erased type, “Chippenham” (3, BCC 160), etc., one 1814 letter to Richards Coffee House in London. (32). £200-250
- 350 ☒ **Chippenham.** 1840 (Sep. 19) Entire to London bearing a 1d black, DI plate 3, four margins, tied by a red Maltese Cross, fine. £100-120
- 351 ☒ **Chippenham.** 1841 (Feb. 16) Entire letter to Portsmouth bearing a 1d black, KJ plate 9, four margins, tied by a black Maltese Cross, fine. £150-180
- 352 ☒ △ **Chippenham.** 1841-88 Entire letters, covers and cards including 1841 letter bearing a 1d black (GK plate 6, three margins) tied by a black Maltese Cross, 1850 “Missent to / Chippenham”, undated circles of Marshfield, Crosshands, Gidea-Hall, etc, also 1931 Show Ground Chippenham skeleton on large piece, a few faults. (11). £120-150

- 353 ✉ △ **Chippenham - Penny Posts.** 1816-44 Entire letters (13), entires (6) and fronts (4) with Chippenham Penny Post handstamps (20, five types) and/or receiving house handstamps with numbers 1-6, 8, 9 and 11, a good group. (23). £300-350
- 354 ✉ **Corsham.** 1832-37 Entire letters from Neston Park or Pickwick both with “CORSHAM” fleuron backstamps, file folds, otherwise fine. (2). £120-150

Scotland

(Also see lots 21, 27, 34, 37, 39, 43, 229, 231, 241, 243/4, 256/7, 299, 300, 306)

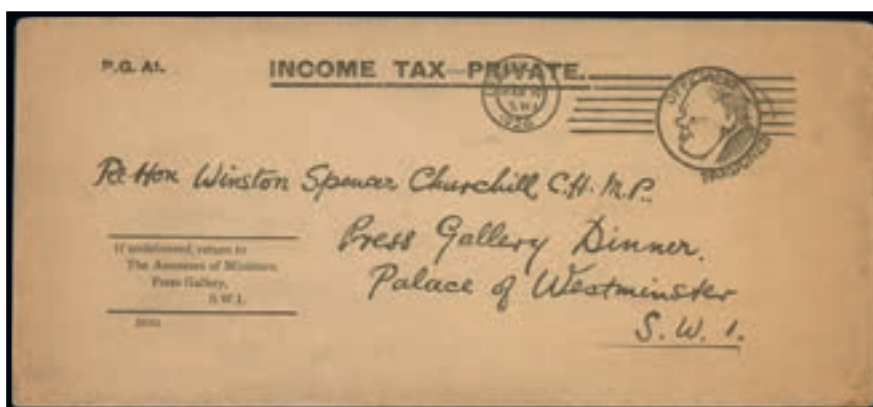
- 355 ✉ 1813-55 Entire letters all bearing red wax seals impressed with mailbag seals, comprising “LANG / TOWN”, “BUCKIE P.O”, “POST OFFICE / GR / STRANRAER” or “STIRLING P.O”, the last with a second wax seal impressed with arms and “DEAD LETTER OFFICE”, an unusual and scarce group. (4). £200-240
- 356 ✉ **Edinburgh.** 1848 Entire from Wishaw to Edinburgh bearing for 1d reds, backstamped superb octagonal boxed “RECEIVED OPEN / & RE-SEALED / AT THE POST OFFICE / EDINBURGH” with a red wax seal impressed “GENERAL POST OFFICE / V.R / EDINBURGH”, tear to flap, otherwise largely fine and scarce. £150-180

THEMATICS

- 357 ✉ (P) **Chemistry.** The award winning collection superbly written up on 128 pages including signature of Nobel Laureate R.L.M Synge tying Swedish Nobel stamp to piece, Russia 1934 stamps with Specimen handstamps applied in Lisbon (4), Belgium 1966 3f ministerial proof, 1d black used, 1972 Ross Dependency 18c working die proof, 2002 North Korea artwork for the adopted Magnetite stamp, 1928 cover with U.S fancy cachet of Clarksdale depicting a copper smelter, 1928 Russia cover with 3k affixed to a label advertising the manufacture of laboratory glassware, 1935 cover from R.M.S “Alamanzora” with “DAMAGED BY / SALT WATER” cachets on both sides, G.B 1965 Lister Centenary 6d original artwork, 1893 Hammonia Local Post lettercard with Sunlight Soap advert used, adverts on the reverse of New Zealand QV stamps including mint 8d strip of three and coloured adverts (35), 1840 G.B 1d Mulready lettersheet “Envelope Select Advertiser” No.1 containing various adverts, France 1887 15c lettercard containing multiple adverts (and sold for 5c) used within Paris, Nigeria 1968 2/6 original artwork, De la Rue ink recipe bearing two labels in tyrian plum, Victoria 2d colour trial pairs with trial cancels showing various attempts to remove the cancel or ink lines (3), USA 1903 1c blue die proof, Australia 1932 10/- mint, New Zealand 1901 1d P.T.P.O postcard with Kempthorne, Prosser & Co advert for manures and fertilisers, USA 1865 patriotic envelope used, India 1949 Gandhi 10r unmounted, 1812 entire letter with “ANTIGUA” large fleuron, etc. Also four stockbooks with chemistry related stamps. This exhibit won a large Vermeil at Singapore 2015, Gold at Westpex 2017, and Large Gold at various national shows in Australia, New Zealand and USA. (100s). Photo on Page 54. £3,000-4,000
- 358 ✉ ★ **Tuberculosis/Health Stamps.** 1897-1994 Semi-postal “health” issues, the well written up collection with covers and miniature sheets, including 1897 New South Wales Consumptive Homes pair mint and 1897 (July 7) cover flown Hay to Sydney franked 1d + Consumptive Homes 1/- (1d), Belgium mint sets complete with some covers, Netherlands, etc., also seals and labels from Colombia, Cuba, Sweden, etc. (100s). Photo on Page 54. £250-300
- 359 ✉ ★ **Postwar Britain.** The very well written up display collection on life in Britain from 1945 until 1969, on 131 pages, including covers or cards from German P.O.Ws (5, also a 3d P.O.W banknote and two large photos of P.O.Ws working on the land), 1951 Festival of Britain slogan proof impressions on P.O envelope and poster stamps in folder, 1948 £1 mint block of six, Coronation silk bookmark, 1955 Castles 2/6 - £1 on Waterlow presentation card, 1957 Scout poster stamps in folder, 1960 Wilding issue presentation pack, London Transport Executive railway parcel stamps (5), etc. An interesting collection. £300-400



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- 360 ✉ ★ **Winston Churchill.** The very well written up thematic display on 44 pages with picture postcards, scarce 1926 “Income Tax - Private” imitation cover with printed address of Churchill and caricature of Churchill “Officially Pardoned” within the imitation official franking mark and postmark, 1941 miniature calendar sold in aid of Usher Street Council School Spitfire Fund, 1941 cover from Canada and clipper rate cover from Australia both to Churchill, 1940 Official Paid Downing Street cover with enclosed printed letter from Churchill, two large photos of Churchill, Stalin and Truman at Potsdam or Yalta, another large press photo of Churchill with the U.S Ambassador and Truman’s personal representative, Canada War Bonds leaflet, propaganda leaflet dropped by the R.A.F, 1965 Battle of Britain F.D.C posted at Biggin Hill signed by Douglas Bader, 1974 Centenary Isle of Man or Jersey air letters overprinted “PROOF” or “Specimen”, etc. Photo on Page 54. £300-350

Cricket

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| 361 | ✉ | <p>Autographs. 1901-2001 Letters, postcards, menus, commemorative covers and ephemera, all signed by various English cricketers, also some umpires and commentators, including 1913 postally used card from F.L. Lane; 1954 G.B 1d reply card sent by Godfrey Evans from Grenada during the M.C.C tour of the West Indies; letters from Basil D'Oliveira, Herbert Sutcliffe, Harold Larwood or Les Ames; menus (33) signed by Geoffrey Boycott, Denis Compton, Jim Laker, John Snow, Derek Randall, Ian Botham, Ted Dexter, Allan Lamb, Godfrey Evans, Mike Gatting, Courtney Walsh, David Lloyd, Mike Atherton, Dickie Bird, etc; letters from Brian Johnson, also a 1901 letter signed by the illustrator Leslie Ward (better known as "Spy"). (62).</p> <p style="text-align: right;">£240-280</p> |
| 362 | ✉ | <p>Autographs - Prime Ministers, Politicians, etc. 1898-2000 Autographs and letters, menus or commemorative covers including Gladstone, Anthony Eden (piece and signed 1937 cover), Ramsey MacDonald (signed 1927 cover), Alfred Milner (piece), Edward Heath (3 Christmas cards), Margaret Thatcher signed photo, Harold Wilson signed menu, Jeremy Thorpe, John Major (letter + signed scorecard), also commemorative covers signed by W. Whitelaw, James Callaghan, Lord Teddor, Leonard Cheshire, Douglas Bader, etc., most signatories apparently M.C.C members. (19).</p> <p style="text-align: right;">£100-120</p> |
| 363 | ✉ | <p>Autographs - County Sides. 1923-2004 Autographs of county sides on paper (16) or commemorative covers or cards (8), with Derbyshire 1955 and 1970, Essex 1987, Gloucestershire 1970, Kent c.1950 (2) and 1985 (2), Lancashire 1923, 1926 and 1984, Leicestershire 1935 and c.1990 (2), Middlesex 1924, Nottinghamshire c.1932, Somerset 1932, Surrey 1952-56 and 1964, Sussex 1989 (2) and 2002, Warwickshire 1982, Worcestershire 1978. (25).</p> <p style="text-align: right;">£240-280</p> |
| 364 | ✉ | <p>Autographs - Test Players. 1971-94 Autographs on cards, menus or commemorative covers (10, most with special cancels) including 28 former England players signatures around a mounted 1984 100 Years of Test Cricket cover; 1992 Royal Household C.C v Vic Lewis C.C signed covers with Windsor Castle c.d.s or special cancel signed by Don Bradman, Colin Cowdrey, Richard Hadlee, Gary Sobers, etc.; 1982 cover signed by the rebel English team to South Africa (Knott, Walmer, Lever, Gooch, Amiss, Willey, Boycott, Underwood, etc.); 1977 Melbourne C.C Test Centenary cover with signatures of eight English slow bowlers; 1993 Ashes Tour with signatures of Paul Getty, John Major and 13 cricketers; 1985 Fred Trueman International XI Caymans Islands Tour brochure and menu both signed by all players; c.1990 England team signatures on card; 1971 Queensland C.C menu for a dinner in honour of World XI with 41 signatures (Lindwall, Graveney, Tony Greig, etc); 1994 Summertime at Lords maximum card signed by Gooch, Graveney, Gatting, May, Boycott, Gower and Carr, etc. (14).</p> <p style="text-align: right;">£200-250</p> |
| 365 | | <p>England - Fixture Cards. 1874-1939 Club fixture cards including 1879 Uxbridge C.C card signed by Gubby Allen, Jim Sims, H.W Leveson-Gower, Ronnie Acid and two others; and cards for 1874 Rochdale C.C (with attached members admission ticket); 1876 Union C.C; 1884 Farnham C.C (split); 1888 Newmarket C.C; 1890 Harrogate College C.C; 1894 Gore Court (Maidstone) C.C; 1903 Streatham Tradesmen's C.C; 1904 Aylsham C.C; 1908 Castle Howard C.C; 1911 Hillington & Flitcham C.C; 1912 Croydon Cricket & Lawn Tennis Club; 1925 Redcar C.C; 1926 Hampshire C.C.C; 1939 Frogs C.C. Also 1919 Saltaire C.C fixture card and season ticket bearing a 6d Excise Revenue stamp, and a cloth club hatband. A scarce group. (17).</p> <p style="text-align: right;">£180-220</p> |

- 366 **Tom Graveney Ephemera.** 1980-2000 Ephemera named to Tom Graveney, including 1981 M.C.C Honorary Life Membership card, membership cards for Gloucestershire (5) and Queens Park C.C, menus (27) and invitation cards (79), the majority from the M.C.C but others from Australia or the West Indies, Chequers and Wimbledon, 1987 M.C.C Bicentenary menu and invite with accompanying guest list signed by Graveney, 13 menus signed by Graveney or others, also a signed P&O cruise log. (115). £180-220
- 367 **Australia - Tours to England.** 1921-2005 Ephemera including 1934 Kennington Oval scorecard (Australia 701 in the 1st innings with record 472-2, test won by 562 runs) and guest list for a luncheon at the Savoy Hotel; scarce 1937 scorecard for the women's second test at Blackpool C.C; 1938 invitations to a dinner at the Mansion House and to the test at Headingley; 1948 Kennington Oval scorecard, ticket and accompanying letter; 1953 Australian team signatures, Kennington Oval scorecard, ticket and accompanying letters, B.R excursion flyer; 1956 luncheon menu, Old Trafford scorecard (where Laker took 19 wickets), tickets (6); 1961 dinner menu, tour itinerary; 1964 Essex match scorecard, 1968 M.C.C dinner menu with four signatures, Cricket Writers dinner menu signed by Bill Lawry; 1993 Old Trafford dinner menu signed by the England team; also an Australia team cloth badge, etc. (52). £200-250
- 368 ☒ **Australia - Autographs.** 1981-99 Autographs and signed covers (15, various special postmarks) with 1992 Victoria team signatures, 1999 Western Australia team signatures on 13 Sheffield Shield Final tickets, Ausipex 1984 Australian Champions miniature sheet signed by Lillee, Marsh and Chappell, 1988 British Australian Bicentenary Issue cover signed by Waugh, Lillee, Ian Chappell, etc. (30). £100-120
- 369 ☒ **New Zealand.** 1947-2008 Ephemera and signed covers, including 1947 M.C.C Tour of N.Z programme of matches and dinner menu signed by Dick Pollard; 1949 N.Z tour of England dinner menu signed by eleven cricketers; 1954 N.Z Women's team tour of England menu signed by five players; 1960 Australia tour of N.Z programme of matches; signed covers (6) with signatures of Martin Crowe, Richard Hadlee, etc. (16). £80-100
- 370 **South Africa - Tours to England.** 1904-2003 Ephemera including scarce 1904 programme of the International Olympic Committee meeting in London which included two days at Lords watching M.C.C v South Africa; 1907 Cambridge University match scorecard; 1929 Headingley and Old Trafford test invitations; 1935 Headingley test invite; 1947 invitation to South Africa House; 1951 M.C.C and British Sportsman's Club dinner menus; M.C.C dinner menus for the 1955, 1960 and 1965 tours; 1960 letter to Wrigley Co. thanking them for chewing gum sent to the South African team; 1994 Lords scorecard signed by the two Captains, etc. (17). £120-150
- 371 ☒ **South Africa.** 1983-96 Autographs and signed covers comprising c.1995 signatures of seven players (including Hansie Cronje) on O.F.S Cricket Union notepaper; 2003 Trent Bridge menu signed by the South African team; signed covers (8) with 1995-96 England tour covers signed by the England team (2 covers) or South African team; 1994 Centenary match at Lords cover signed by the South African team; 1983 West Indies XI unofficial South Africa tour signed by the South African team; and Australia tour to South Africa signed covers (2) and a card. (10). £80-100
- 372 ☒ **West Indies - Autographs & Signed Covers.** 1966-2001 Signed covers and cards (26) including 1968 M.C.C tour covers signed by the England team (2); 1966 maximum cards bearing the Barbados Independence issue 35c depicting Gary Sobers all signed by Sobers (3); 1979 Prudential Cup final covers signed by England and West Indies teams; various England v West Indies test match covers signed by Clive Lloyd, Courtney Ambrose, Richie Richardson, etc. Also 1994 West Indies XI v International XI programme signed by both teams including Brian Lara, Malcolm Marshall, etc. (27). £180-220
- 373 ☒ **Sri Lanka, Zimbabwe, etc.** 1932-2003 Ephemera and autographs including unused Argentine Cricket Association batting order card and South American cricket team card from the 1932 South American tour to England; 1963 Rhodesia v Cavaliers programme signed by the visiting team including Colin Bland, Ted Dexter, John Edrich, Richie Benaud, etc.; 1973 M.C.C tour of East Africa team signatures including Mike Brearley; 1982 M.C.C v U.S.A signed cover; 1982 Sri Lanka v England first test F.D.C signed by seven Sri Lanka players; signatures of 1996 Sri Lanka World Cup winning team, and both teams in the 1996 Chris Cowdrey XI v Sri Lanka match, both including signature of Muralitharan, etc. (31). £120-150

- 374 ★ ✉ **G.B - Stamps and Covers.** 1969-2010 Stamps, covers and cancels with a cricket theme, the extensive collection, many commemorative covers with special cancels, some produced in very small quantities, some mint decimal stamps valid for postage, etc. (Many 100s). £200-400
- 375 (P) ★ **1984-88 “Leaders of the World” Cricket Omnibus Sets.** The collection in three albums including 1984-85 Tuvalu, Nevis and St. Vincent proofs (c.87, most imperf, some progressive proofs), many contained within eight Format International Security Printers folders, one on a “Format” card, also Specimen overprints, interpanneau pairs from mint archive sheets, all issued stamps mint, used and on F.D.Cs (100, some covers signed by the players depicted). (200++). £200-250
- 376 ★ ✉ **2000 West Indies Tour Omnibus Issue.** Collection in two albums including the rare Antigua & Barbuda 90c and \$5 with error “MARCH” for “MATCH” (corrected prior to issue but one error sheet of each value apparently escaping destruction and subsequently split up and sold), also photographic copies of 21 original designs (some never issued) from the designer A. Melville-Brown, and all issued stamps and miniature sheets mint, used and on F.D.Cs (47), one signed by Rohan Kanhai. (100++). Photo on Page 30. £150-200
- 377 ★ ☐ **Barbados.** 1988 West Indian Cricket 50c with Lawson Bartlett portrait shown in error, upper left marginal block of four, coloured “traffic lights” in upper margin, superb unmounted mint. S.G. 865a. Photo on Page 138. £300-400

Mourning And Death

All the following items are mourning envelopes or lettersheets with black printed borders unless otherwise stated.

Great Britain

- 378 ✉ 1812-51 Prestamp and stampless lettersheets (84) and envelopes (66), including free franks, undated circles, London Local Post, Penny Posts, covers prepaid in cash, some very early envelopes. (150). £300-400
- 379 ✉ **Uniform 4d Post.** 1839-40 Lettersheets (3) and a cover posted during the 4d Post period, lettersheets from Shaftesbury (part reverse missing, with boxed “MISSENT TO / SALISBURY”), Cheltenham or Taunton charged 4d, and a cover from Beaumaris sent locally in Anglesey charged 2d. (4). £100-150
- 380 ✉ 1841 (Mar. 1) Mourning envelope posted within London bearing a 1d black, CE plate 6 (three margins, touched at left) tied by a black Maltese Cross, straight line “Piccadilly” alongside. £80-100
- 381 ✉ 1841 (Apr. 10) Mourning lettersheet written and posted from Hampton Court to Watford bearing 1d black, DB plate 5 state 2 with four large margins, tied by a black Maltese Cross, “T.P / Hampton Court” alongside. Splitting to folds, repaired internally, a fine example of this scarce stamp on an entire. Photo on Page 54. £200-240
- 382 ✉ 1842 (Jan. 31) Mourning envelope from London to Dublin bearing 1d black DH plate 8, four margins, with a black Maltese Cross cancel, fine. £100-120
- 383 ✉ 1841-53 Covers and lettersheets bearing imperf 1d reds, some pairs, also two lettersheet with a 2d blue, including Maltese Crosses, undated circles, straight line office handstamps, some with letters enclosed. (141). £250-300
- 384 ✉ 1854-79 Covers and lettersheets, the collection in six albums bearing perforated ½d (11), 1d reds (c.1,000) or 2d blues (9), cancels include spoons, sideways duplexes, other duplexes and numeral obliterations, undated circles, some unusual crossed border envelopes, many with letters. (1,000+). £500-600
- 385 ✉ 1880-1902 Covers and lettersheets bearing ½d green (6), 1d venetian red (72, two with 1d + ½d), 1d lilacs (476), ½d blue (3), ½d orange (33) or 1900 ½d green (6), duplex, numeral obliterator and squared circle cancels, many with letters, a hand illustrated cover and front noted. (596). £300-400



- 386 ☒ 1902-70 KEVII-QEII Covers, the majority pre-1936, a few registered, express or postage due items noted, many with letters. (c.580). £250-300
- 387 ☒ 1849-81 Covers including 1853 stampless cover with enclosed In Memorium card addressed to "Mr John Chambers, Kings Cross Post Office" with a fine "KINGS CROSS" undated circle on the front, presumably hand delivered; covers bearing 1d reds with "Missent to Rugby / and Newcastle R.W.P.O", circular framed "C&G / R.P.O" or "L&E / R.P.O", oval framed "B.B" (Blind Bag) and "NOT / FULLY ADDRESSED", cover with adhesive label "Search the scriptures", 1881 1d venetian red cover with "STOURBRIGDE / 750" error of spelling duplex, etc. (8). £200-250
- 388 ☒ 1865 Triangular shaped mourning cover posted within London franked 1d red. Also 1877 cover with printed border of two thin lines, crosses in the corners, posted from Oxford to Germany franked 2½d. Two very unusual mourning envelopes. (2). Photo on Page 58. £100-120
- 389 ☒ 1867-1910 Covers and lettersheets including registered mail (4, two franked 1d red + 4d), express mail (3, two stampless, one an early use in 1892), 1d lilac postal fiscals (2), covers franked 1d + 2d railway letter stamps (2), and a cover bearing a 1d cheque stamp, a few faults. (12). £140-160
- 390 ☒ 1853-54 Stampless mourning covers from France to England both with scarce curved framed "FOREIGN PAID" with matching backstamps of Southampton. (2). £80-100
- 391 ☒ 1901 (June 5) Mourning cover to Dartmouth with QV 10d cancelled by Blandford double ring c.d.s, a Blandford single ring c.d.s and undated parcel handstamp alongside with violet boxed "½d POSTAGE DUE FOR RETURN TO SENDER", the reverse with a further 13 Blandford handstamps including 87 duplex and numeral obliterations, triangular "BIT", oval framed "R" and Registered datestamp and "More to Pay / above - oz / 87", vertical fold, very unusual. Photo on Page 58. £120-150
- 392 ☒ **Postage Due Mail.** 1840-1911 Covers and lettersheets posted unpaid and charged 2d (12), franked 1d but overweight and charged 2d (7), charged 1d for redirection (9), or disallowed at the ½d rate and charged 1d (2), virtually all with handstruck charge marks. (30). £100-120
- 393 ☒ **Postal Stationery.** 1841-1958 QV-KGVI Stationery envelopes (70) and postcards (3) with printed mourning borders, including 1841 2d blue envelope posted from London (minor edge faults, slightly reduced at upper edge with loss of black border and flap missing, but very scarce), 1d pink envelopes (48, one with number "6" in Maltese Cross), unused KGV 2d envelopes revalued to 1½d with triangular "W.C." handstamp (3), covers with stationery cut-outs (3), 1871 ½d violet postcard with an advert for the West Central Mourning Warehouse used within London, also a lettercard with printed contents from a monumental mason. An interesting group, some scarce. (74). £350-400
- 394 ☒ **Crimean War.** 1854 Cover from London to "George Evans, Staff Asst. Surgeon, Constantinople" and redirected to Varna bearing 6d embossed (cut to shape), very unusual to Bulgaria. Also 1855 cover from Southampton to "Captain Bainbridge, 13th Regt Light Infantry, Crimea" bearing 1d red vertical strip of three. (2). £120-140
- 395 ☒ **Boer War/WW1/WW2.** 1889-1944 Covers including 1899-1901 official War Office or C. in C. envelopes signed or initialled by Wolseley (2) or Roberts, WW1 covers to or from soldiers (7) or P.O.Ws (2), cover returned by the censor, 1940 (June 25) cover with enclosed letter from G.B to France censored but apparently hand delivered, etc., (48). Also picture postcards of war memorials (74), Earl Haig or Buller's tomb, and In Memoriam postcards for Hector MacDonald or Captain Ball V.C. (126). £100-120
- 396 ☒ **Naval Mail.** 1853-84 Covers from G.B to naval officers abroad, including 1853 cover from Burnham to H.M.S "Sampson" at Malta prepaid 1/3 in cash, 1874 cover from Bath to H.M.S "Petrel" at Panama franked by 6d grey plate 13 (2), 1875 cover from Frome to H.M.S "Petrel" at San Francisco franked 1d red strip of three, 1884 cover from Sandwich to H.M.S "Swiftsure" at Vancouver Island, etc. (6). £180-200
- 397 ☒ **Ireland.** 1844-1968 Covers and lettersheets from or to Ireland, mainly QV, including spoons, Straffan Station c.d.s and "415" obliterator, some post 1922, some with letters. (121). £150-200

- 398 ☒ **Channel Islands.** 1844-1971 Covers to or from the islands, mainly QV including 1844 cover from Guernsey franked 1d with “SHIP LETTER” backstamp, 1864 cover to Alderney with arrival backstamp, WW2, St. Saviours rubbers (3), etc. (79). Also printed Guernsey In Memoriam cards (40), all fine. (127). £250-300
- 399 ☒ **Guernsey/India.** 1882-84 Covers from Guernsey to Shillong, Assam, bearing 5d indigo (2) or 5d green (3, one with two stamps), minor edge faults. (5). £200-240
- 400 ☒ **Official Mail.** 1892-1965 Covers and lettersheets, mainly stampless with official cachets including “TOWER OF / LONDON”, some stamped including I.R. Official stamps, 1911 cover franked 1d with House of Commons duplex, etc., some with letters, also unused stationery. (91+). £150-200
- 401 ☒ **Royalty.** 1815-41 Letters, etc., comprising 1815 letter written and signed by Ernest, Duke of Cumberland and King of Hanover, and 1834 letter from the Duchess of Kent (mother of Queen Victoria) to her cousin (neither postally used); 1841 cover from Queen Adelaide posted within London; also two 1817 mourning cards for Princess Charlotte. (5). £120-150
- 402 ☒ **Royalty.** c.1840-1939 Covers, letters and ephemera including covers signed by Duke of Cambridge (3, one bearing a 1d black which does not belong), letters from Princesses Helena, Victoria, Beatrice, Alice of Athlone, Margaret of Connaught, covers initialled by the Duke of Connaught or Albert, Prince of Wales, 1862 cover from Princess Helena posted to Germany, also In Memoriam cards for Princess Alice (3) and Prince Leopold (2), and unused invitation cards to the funerals of Duke of Cambridge or Princess Louise. (21). £250-350
- 403 ☒ **Royalty.** 1842-1980 Covers, also some letters and ephemera, with QV covers from or to Buckingham Palace, Windsor Castle or Balmoral (22), stampless covers with cypher cachets of KEVII, KGV, KGV I or QEII, cachets of Privy Purse, Lord Steward, Lord Chamberlain, Master of the Horse, KGV I funeral tickets, etc. (135+). £400-500
- 404 ☒ **Royalty - Prince Albert/Queen Victoria.** 1861 Prince Albert Mourning cards (7), and woven silks (3, one a bookmark depicting Albert, Rosenau and Windsor Castles); 1901 Queen Victoria In Memoriam cards (23), mourning picture postcards (21), funeral service programme and invitations (2), and a few other related postcards. (71+). £500-600
- 405 ☒ **Royalty - Queen Victoria.** Undated mourning covers addressed in Queen Victoria’s handwriting with her crest on the flap, to The Lord Bishop of Rochester or The Duchess of Edinburgh, Grand Duchess of Russia both signed “The Queen”, or to The Lady Southampton or Viscount Bridport both signed “The Q”, all hand delivered, the first with R.P.S Certificate (2013). (4). £300-350
- 406 ☒ **Royalty - Queen Victoria.** 1880 Mourning cover with VRI crest on the flap and royal seal, addressed in Queen Victoria’s handwriting to Prince Christian Victor of Schleswig Holstein at Cumberland Lodge, Windsor, registered from Baden bearing 10pf pair on the front and another 10pf pair on the reverse. Photo on Page 58. £150-180
- 407 ☒ **Royalty - Queen Victoria.** 1901 Printed fancy mourning envelopes “In Memory of our Beloved QUEEN VICTORIA”, with coloured flags applied in the upper left corner, one posted from Nova Scotia to India franked Canada 2c, the other posted from USA to London franked 5c, very unusual and attractive. (2). £80-100
- 408 ☒ **Royalty - King Edward VII/Queen Alexandra.** 1901-25 Covers, letters, ephemera and picture postcards including a letter written and signed by Alexandra, 1912 cover with KGV cypher and hand delivered cover to Queen Mary both addressed in the handwriting of Alexandra, many KEVII picture postcards for the Coronation, royal visits, In Memoriam, funeral, etc (c.200), printed In Memoriam cards for Alexandra or King Edward VII (10), funeral and memorial service programmes (10), Windsor Castle funeral or memorial service invitations (6), unused India pictorial mourning envelope, 1910 (May 20) cover posted within Harrogate with black borders around a 7d stamp, etc. A good collection. (c.260). £800-1,000

- 409 ☒ **Royalty - King George V/Queen Mary.** 1910-53 Covers, letters, ephemera and picture postcards including KGV In Memoriam cards (8) and postally used covers (18), Queen Mary funeral programme and invitation, KGV funeral programme and Special District Orders, picture postcards (67), 1937 registered cover from Windsor Castle with enclosed note from Queen Mary, also 1935 Silver Jubilee pictorial envelopes (4), etc. (128). £250-300
- 410 ☒ **Royalty - King Edward VIII.** 1936 Stampless covers with boxed “ERI / VIII” cypher (5), other 1936 covers with KGV cypher or cachets of Privy Purse (4), Lord Steward (2) or Lord Chamberlain, etc. (30). £250-300
- 411 ☒ **Personalities.** 1826-1936 Covers and letters written or signed by politicians, nobility, etc., including 1884 letter from Randolph Churchill, covers signed by the Archbishop of Canterbury (5), 1862 letter concerning the death of Sir Stamford Raffles (faults), etc. (60+). £200-250
- 412 **Duke of Wellington.** 1852 Embossed mourning card, initiation cards to the lying in state and the funeral, printed notice for persons going in the funeral procession or service at St. Paul’s, and printed “Lines on the body of the Duke of Wellington lying in state”. (5). £180-220
- 413 ☒ **Politicians, etc.** 1843-1923 In Memoriam cards for Stanley Earl of Derby, Disraeli (2), Gladstone (4), Bonar Law, thanks for sympathy card from Mr & Mrs Lloyd George, unused printed envelope showing Gladstone cutting off the Queens head, ticket to funeral of Palmerston, mourning covers signed by Stanley (2) or Palmerston or to Disraeli, also In Memoriam cards for Alfred, Lord Tennyson, etc. (20). £220-260
- 414 ☒ **G.B & Germany In Memoriam Cards - Wartime Casualties.** 1899-1945 In Memoriam cards and death notices for British casualties from the Boer War (3), WW1 (8), or WW2, or German casualties from WW1 (32) or WW2 (13, five postally used), also an 1899 card for a soldier who died in India. (58). £120-150
- 415 **Royal Navy - In Memoriam Cards.** 1870-1925 Cards for 500 sailors lost in H.M.S “Captain” in 1870 (also a printed verse on the loss, sold on behalf of the relief fund), 1893 card to a sailor drowned by the foundering of H.M.S “Victoria”, 1900 Brighton naval boating disaster, 1910 card to a sailor killed on H.M.S “Bellerophon”, 1914 card for sailors lost on the Submarine A1, 1916 cards for Lord Kitchener lost on H.M.S “Hampshire” (7, also six postcards, memorial service programme and invitation), 1925 card for sailors lost on Submarine M1. Also a 1905 postcard of the funeral of a sailor from Submarine A8, 1931 postcard to the crew of submarine “Poseidon” sunk off Wei-Hai-Wei and a postcard commemorating the submarine H.M.S “Thetis” sunk in Liverpool Bay in 1939. (30). £200-250
- 416 **In Memoriam Cards.** 1859-1932 Cards for unusual incidents or disasters, or to individuals who died in unusual ways, including WW1 air raids (2), drowning and shipwrecks (9), fires (2), colliery accidents (8, also three handbills), loss of the R101 airship, 1904 Hull fishermen fired on by the Russian Navy (2), Titanic Disaster, Tay Bridge Disaster, Regents Park disaster caused by breaking ice, 1928 Thames flood, industrial accidents (4), deaths at sea (2), policemen killed on duty (2, also three postcards), accidentally shot, killed by a lion, murdered (2), etc. An exceptional group, all carefully selected. (48). £400-500
- 417 ☒ **In Memoriam Cards.** QV-QEII In Memoriam cards, the extensive collection including silk types, fine embossed cards, some with postally used envelopes. (480+). £500-600
- 418 ☒ 1855-1930 Lettersheets with printed death notices or funeral invitations, mainly QV, nearly all postally used. (27). £100-150
- 419 ☒ 1824-1951 Letters, invoices, business cards, etc., from undertakers, cemeteries, monumental masons, coffin makers, mourning warehouses, etc., some fine letterheads, some postally used. (74). £200-250
- 420 ☒ QV-QEII Ephemera including Thanks for Sympathy cards, unused mourning cards and stationery, picture postcards of graves, 1895 card advertising a harmonic concert at a public house to raise funds to pay for a child’s funeral, etc., some postally used. (250+). £300-350

Other Countries

- 421 ☒ ★ **Famous People.** Covers, postcards and stamps on cover, all mourning famous people including Presidents, Kings, Popes, etc., with French postal stationery, Thanks for Sympathy cards for President Kennedy or Princess Grace of Monaco both postally used in official envelopes, etc. (c.175). £100-150
- 422 ☒ 1876-1975 Lettersheets with printed death notices within black borders, from many countries, mainly Europe, most postally used (62). Also various ephemera, mourning cards, etc. (c.108). £150-200
- 423 ☒ 1868-1961 Mourning envelopes from various countries including Morocco Agencies (8), Gold Coast with 1933 Le Havre Paquebot, Southern Rhodesia, S.W.A., K.U.T, Gambia 1951 cover with Kunta-Ur c.d.s, Palestine, Malaya, Mauritius, Ceylon, China, Japan, Israel, Ethiopia, Hong Kong, also 1808 cover from G.B to Ceylon franked 1d + 1/-, 1892 cover from G.B to Shanghai, etc. (84). £200-250
- 424 ☒ **Europe.** 1858-1960 Mourning covers from Bulgaria (10, one 1943 cover from the royal household with "Palais Royal Sofia" c.d.s), Czechoslovakia (45), Greece (27), Poland (9), Romania (18, three from the King or Queen), Yugoslavia (13), Croatia or Latvia, some with enclosed cards or letters. (124). £280-320
- 425 ☒ **British West Indies.** 1857-1977 Covers with stampless 1857 cover from G.B to St. Kitts, other covers from G.B to various islands (6), covers from Jamaica (17, with 1901 Paquebot), Bahamas (2), Barbados (4), Bermuda (3), British Guiana (7, one 1936 cover to Barbados with two 1d postage dues applied upon arrival), Trinidad (2) or Antigua. (43). £180-200
- 426 ☒ **South & Central America.** c.1868-1965 Covers, the extensive collection including Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Cuba, Colombia (with Scadta covers), Costa Rica, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Guatemala, Haiti, Mexico (with 1868 Guadalajara 2r), Nicaragua, Paraguay, Peru, Uruguay, Venezuela, etc., also some ingoing covers from G.B, some with letters, an interesting lot. (183). £600-800
- 427 ☒ **Aden/G.B.** 1877-84 Covers from G.B to Aden, the first from London bearing three plate 15 2d blues, the second from Rotherham bearing two plate 23 2½d blue stamps, the 1877 cover with the flap missing, the 1884 cover to the P&O Agents endorsed "On board Mecca". (2). £100-150
- 428 ☒ **Australian States.** 1864-1910 Covers from New South Wales (14), Queensland (4), South Australia (9), Tasmania (5), Victoria (20) or Western Australia (1909 registered cover from Kalgoorlie), including official covers. (53). £200-250
- 429 ☒ **Australian States/G.B.** 1849-98 Covers from G.B to New South Wales (2), Victoria (6), Tasmania or South Australia, including 1849 stampless ship letter prepaid 8d in cash, 1864 cover franked 6d + six 1d reds, 1874 cover franked 3d + 6d, 1878 cover franked 6d with G.B and Victoria 1/- charge marks, other covers franked 6d (5, all differing stamp issues), etc. (10). £200-250
- 430 ☒ **Australia.** 1916-46 Covers including 1930 cover to London with the stamp washed off and boxed "DAMAGED BY FIRE / ON / S.S COMORIN", some with enclosed cards or letters, also a few covers from G.B to Australia. (35). £120-150
- 431 ☒ **Austria & Hungary.** c.1850-1990 Covers and lettersheets with stamps of Austria, Bosnia or Hungary, also a few stampless covers, some with contents including printed death notices, a few possibly from royalty, military mail, postage dues, etc. (c.200). £400-500
- 432 ☒ **Austria & Germany/G.B.** 1852-1905 Covers from G.B to Austria (8) or Germany (21) including 1852 stampless covers prepaid 8d in cash (2), 1861-74 covers franked 3d (3), 4d pair or 6d (5), an unusual 1881 cover from Battle to Vienna franked 1d + 1½d, 1863 cover from Canterbury with oval "P.D" of Dover, etc. (29). £180-200
- 433 ☒ **Belgium.** 1846-1976 Covers and lettersheets including printed death notices, WW1 German occupation overprints, 1915 registered cover from Le Havre to Holland sent via London with boxed "POSTED OUT / OF COURSE", also a few covers from G.B to Belgium. (123). £250-300

- 434 ☒ **Belgium.** 1935-36 Covers and cards bearing Queen Astrid mourning stamps, and related picture postcards, KUT cover with enclosed invite to a memorial service for the Queen, first flight cover to Chad, etc., (43). Also 1934 cover with enclosed card from the Royal Palace thanking the addressee on condolences on the death of King Albert, similar 1965 covers and cards for Queen Elizabeth (2), Belgian Congo covers with King Albert mourning stamps (4), etc. (57). £120-150
- 435 ☒ **Canada.** 1855-1969 Covers including stamps of Nova Scotia (2), New Brunswick, Prince Edward Island and Newfoundland (2), prestamp mail, transatlantic, 1859 5c (2), 1868 3c, small Queen issues, etc. (121). £300-400
- 436 ☒ **Canada/G.B.** 1848-1948 Covers from G.B to Canada including stampless covers (5, one with “ST. KEVERNE” undated circle on the front, another with a Paid c.d.s applied in error and deleted), 1862-75 covers franked 3d (3), 4d pair, 6d (3), 1d pair + 6d or 2d + 6d, etc. (36). £200-240
- 437 ☒ **Denmark & Iceland.** c.1890-1985 Covers from Denmark (92) or Iceland (20), many with printed death notices enclosed, also covers from G.B to Denmark (13) and some death notices without envelopes. (123+). £200-250
- 438 ☒ **Egypt & Sudan.** 1870-1952 Covers from Egypt (35) or Sudan (3), and covers from G.B to Egypt (5), including 1891 cover to Malta signed by the Duke of Cambridge, 1898 stampless cover from Cairo to Assouan signed by Lord Curzon, 1898-99 covers to London with enclosed letters signed by Curzon (2, one hand delivered, the other posted in London franked 1d, probably sent by diplomatic bag), Cooks Tourist Office c.d.s on covers from G.B redirected to the Mena House Hotel or returned to G.B unclaimed, etc. (43). £200-250
- 439 ☒ **Finland & Russia.** 1865-1991 Covers and lettersheets from Finland (28) or Russia (29) including printed death notices, also a few ingoing covers (5) including 1879 unpaid stampless cover from Sweden to Finland charged upon arrival. (62). £200-240
- 440 ☒ **France.** 1822-1979 Covers and lettersheets including prestamp, forces mail, printed death notices and cards, 1930 cover to USA with 1f50 + U.S Special Delivery 10c cancelled by Southampton M.B c.d.s, also some Monaco. (c.400). £700-1,000
- 441 ☒ **France/G.B.** 1839-1941 Covers and lettersheets from G.B to France including stampless covers (4), 1859-75 covers franked at 3d (7), 4d (21) or 8d (2) rates, 1875 registered cover franked 6d grey plate 14, 1877 cover from York franked 1d and charged 5c postage due, 1893 cover with 2½d cancelled by St. Malo c.d.s with “ANG. B.M. / ST MALO” c.d.s alongside, 1894 cover franked 2½d with a 10c postage due for redirection, etc. (77). £300-350
- 442 ☒ **French Colonies.** 1890-1959 Covers from Indo China (11, three first flights), Morocco (23, with military mail and Marrakech 10c local on 1900 part cover to Mazagan), Algeria (13, also two 1883 covers from G.B), Tunisia (11), New Caledonia, French Somali Coast, Reunion (3, with 1892 cover bearing 10c + 15c overprints), etc. (74). £250-300
- 443 ☒ **Germany.** 1859-c.2000 Covers and lettersheets, the extensive collection including Baden, Prussia, Wurttemberg, Bavaria, Third Reich, French Zone, British & American Zone, Russian Zone, DDR, Saar, Danzig, some military, printed death notices and cards, etc. (c.400). £800-1,000
- 444 ☒ **Germany - Royalty.** 1875-1929 Covers (8) and letters (6) from or to royalty including letters from Princess Louise (3, two with envelopes), also a stampless cover posted within Austria bearing a “Portofrei” label allowing free franking for the Thurn & Taxis royal family (tied by Gmunden c.d.s, with Raybaudi Certificate), 1875 cover from France franked 80c pair to Prince Gustave de Wasa in Vienna redirected to the Palace at Oldenburg, etc. Also related picture postcards or postal stationery cards. (32). Photo on Page 58. £250-300

- 445 ☒ **Germany - Hindenburg.** 1934 Covers bearing Hindenburg mourning stamps including Catapult flights from the “Europa” or “Bremen” (5), 1935 (Dec. 4) postcard posted on the Graf Zeppelin third pendulum flight from Rio de Janeiro, etc. (64). Also mourning postcards for Hindenburg (3), Bismarck (13), etc. (83). £200-250
- 446 ☒ **Gibraltar/Malta/Cyprus.** 1863-1936 Covers, including 1865 cover franked 6d from G.B to Gibraltar with circular framed “S” handstamp (applied to mail delivered via Spain), 1863-70 covers franked G.B 6d from Malta (2) or Gibraltar (2), 1890 cover bearing Gibraltar 25c on 2½d surcharge, etc. (18). £180-220
- 447 ☒ **India.** 1867 Mourning covers from Calcutta to London, two franked at the 6a8p rate with a single 6a8p or 8p + 1a pair + 4a, the other two endorsed by Express to Bombay and franked 4a + 6a8p for the 10a8p rate, all fine, an unusual group. (4). Photo on Page 58. £250-300
- 448 ☒ **India.** 1902 (Nov. 19) Cover to USA franked ½a + 1a pair each cancelled by “F.P.O No. 31” c.d.s, not recorded by Proud. Photo on Page 58. £150-180
- 449 ☒ **India.** 1848-1951 Covers including 1856 cover from Calcutta to “Captain F. McFarlane, 9th Royal Lancers, Umballa” franked 1854 1a with retta cancel, 1857 cover to Scotland bearing 1855 4a on blued paper, etc. (41). £250-300
- 450 ☒ **India/G.B.** 1859-1936 Covers from G.B to India including 1859-80 covers franked at 6d (3), 8d (3), 9d, 10d (front) or 1/- (3) rates, 1890 cover franked 5d + 6d late fee, 1899 stampless War Office cover initialled by General Wolseley to his son in Madras, etc. (31). £250-300
- 451 ☒ **Italy.** 1823-1966 Covers including Papal States, 1878 Natante Colico-Como c.d.s with “3157” cancel, etc., some enclosed letters and death notices, also covers from G.B to Italy with 1860s covers franked 6d, 8d or 10d. (176). £350-400
- 452 ☒ **Netherlands.** 1840-1987 Covers and lettersheets including printed death notices, mail to Netherlands Indies, WW2, also covers from G.B to Holland (16), 1879-81 covers posted within Netherlands Indies (3), covers from Luxembourg (10), etc. (106). £250-300
- 453 ☒ **New Zealand.** 1863-1939 Covers including official mail, 1936 KGV mourning covers (2), covers from G.B to New Zealand (10) with three 1863-88 covers franked 6d, etc. (36). £160-200
- 454 ☒ **Portugal.** 1836-1972 Covers and lettersheets including 1908 letters on royal notepaper sent after the assassination of the King (2, with envelopes), crowned Congress cancels (2, one stampless, one bearing Congreso de los Dipitados stamp), 1872 cover to Sweden with imperf 100r + perforated 120r, also Cape Verde, etc., some with enclosed letters or cards. (55). £220-260
- 455 ☒ **South Africa.** 1874-1944 Covers including 1874 cover to Robben Island, 1894 registered Transvaal cover to Germany franked 1d (3) + 3d + 4d (2) to pay the 1/2 rate, etc. (58). Photo on Page 58. £200-250
- 456 ☒ **South Africa - Boer War.** 1900-02 Covers including 1900 cover from Holland to Lt. Smyth-Osbourne, P.O.W in Pretoria, covers to or from Boer P.O.Ws, Boer censor seal used by the British, cover with enclosed letter from France to the General Commandant of the Boers in Transvaal, etc. (41). £250-300
- 457 ☒ **South Africa/G.B.** 1855-1936 Covers from G.B to South Africa including 1855 cover prepaid 8d in cash, 1875 covers franked at 4d or 6d (5) rates, 1891 cover to Kimberley with boxed dated “ADVERTISED / AND / UNCLAIMED”, etc. (17). £150-180
- 458 ☒ **Spain.** 1860-1967 Covers and lettersheets including printed death notices, civil war, postage due mail, etc. (131). £250-300
- 459 ☒ **Sweden & Norway.** 1867-1961 Covers and lettersheets from Sweden (63) or Norway (17) including printed death notices, also covers from G.B to Sweden (10) or Norway (3, one 1871 cover franked 6d to Bergen). (93). £250-300

- 460 ☒ **Switzerland.** 1862-1990 Covers and lettersheets including printed death notices, 1918 (Feb.) cover to USA detained by the U.S censorship until May 1919, T.P.Os, a few Liechtenstein, covers from G.B to Switzerland. (251). £350-400
- 461 ☒ **Turkey.** 1864-1926 Covers including 1864 cover from the French P.O at Constantinople franked France 10c + 20c (2), 1879 German P.O cover franked Germany 20pf and 1882 cover from British P.O to USA franked 2½d, covers with stamps of British Levant (7), German P.O (3), Austrian P.O (2) or French Levant, 1898 cover with Turkish stamps cancelled in manuscript, ingoing covers, etc. (25). £200-250
- 462 ☒ **USA.** c.1850-1957 Covers including transatlantic, postage dues, special delivery, R.P.Os, 1901 cover with enclosed Thanks for Sympathy card from Mrs KcKinley, some with letters or printed death notices. (240). £400-500
- 463 ☒ **USA/G.B.** 1844-1942 Covers and lettersheets from G.B. to USA including stampless covers (8) and other 1862-75 covers franked 3d (7), 6d (3), or 1/- (4), etc. (104). £300-400

WORLDWIDE STAMPS & COVERS

- 464 ⑤ 1955-79 Handpainted essays (17), for Liberia 1955 native flowers (2) or 1979 Rowland Hill Centenary (7), Guinea 1959 Air set (3) or Morocco 1960 Karaouiyne University 1100th Anniversary (5); also a 1866-1975 Liberia collection in an album. (17+ album). £250-300
- 465 ○ ★ 1840-c.1960 World collection in three albums including 1d black on 1840 cover from London to Basingstoke, etc. (3 Albums). £140-160
- 466 ★ ○ A large accumulation of world and Commonwealth stamps including 1937 Coronation omnibus issues largely complete mint and used with many First Day and other covers, some KGV Commonwealth with Bermuda, Antigua, Gilbert & Ellice, Gibraltar, Australia, useful Malta, etc. (1,000s). £300-400
- 467 ○ ★ Commonwealth and world stamps in 21 albums or stockbooks with further stamps on pages and loose, mainly prewar, with many unusual and selected cancellations, varieties, forgeries, cinderellas, etc. A good lot with many better stamps. (1,000s). £800-1,200
- 468 ○ ★ **Cinderellas.** Worldwide cinderellas in three stockbooks or albums and on pages with exhibition and advertising labels, revenues, G.B and foreign telegraph stamps, Swiss hotel posts (15) and other locals, a few railway stamps, etc. (100s). £100-150
- 469 ○ △ **Maritime Cancels.** Worldwide stamps or pieces with Paquebot or Sea Post Office cancels, including stamps of British East Africa, British Somaliland, Zambezia, Mozambique, Ascension, Kamerun, Falkland Islands, Papua, etc., some unusual and scarce cancels. (600+). Photo on Pages 28 & 72. £200-300
- 470 ☒ ★ G.B and Worldwide covers and cards including items with an oil or gas theme, Turkey postcards, etc., also G.B 1929 3/- U.P.U booklet no. 171 (S.G. £350), and some stamps. (100s). £100-200
- 471 ☒ 1822 - c.1990 Covers and cards including Orient Line mail with Paquebot handstamps (16), Canada Small Queen covers (3), 1864-72 entire letters from G.B to Spain franked 6d (6), KUT WW2 forces mail (15) and P.O.W lettersheet with "ITALIAN EVACUEE CAMP No. 1 / KENYA COLONY", etc. (135). £150-200
- 472 ☒ 1827-88 Entire letters and covers, mainly to Huth & Co in London, with prestamp letters from Bergen, Hamburg (6), 1862 cover with Denmark 4s, etc. (28). £80-100
- 473 ☒ 1856-1924 Covers and cards including 1910 Mauritius cover sent by special delivery bearing nineteen 1c stamps, 1909 Iceland postcard from Isafjörður, 1884 Heligoland postcard from the Colonial Postmaster to the Crown Agents, 1924 postcard bearing Transjordan ½pi (S.G. 122) with blue oval cancel, etc., a few faults. (15). £100-150

- 474 ☒ **Air Mails.** 1909-87 Covers and cards in an album including D.O.X and Zeppelin flights, first flights, commercial covers, and commemorative covers (some signed), 1919 R34 novelty postcard with pull-out views, etc. (c.140). £150-180

British Commonwealth

- 475 ★ ○ 1840-1935 Mint and used collection in a well filled New Ideal album, some useful stamps noted including Bamra 1888 4a used (thin), Bermuda 1932 12/6 mint, Canada 1897 15c - 50c mint, Cape triangulars (8), Gibraltar 1886 4d and 6d overprints mint, Mauritius 1848-59 1d (S.G. 10, cut into) and 2d (S.G.8, touched at two corners and thinned but reasonable appearance) used, Nova Scotia 1841-60 1d, 3d, 6d used (faults), St. Vincent 1888 6d violet mint, etc., some faults but a reasonable collection. (100s). Photo on Page 72. £300-400
- 476 ★ ○ QV-KGV Stamps and varieties, a selection including Cyprus S.G. 16ab used, Falkland Islands KEVII 1/- on piece with South Georgia c.d.s (S.G. Z19), Gambia S.G. 43a used (creased), Gold Coast S.G. 77aw used, Mauritius S.G. 117a used, North Borneo S.G. 55b unused no gum, Labuan S.G. 50b used, OFS S.G. 150a used, PF2 mint, Uganda S.G. 54a unused, etc., also a few unlisted varieties. An interesting selection, a few faults but many better stamps, all items of some merit. S.G. £7,500 (approx). (62). Photo on Page 72. £600-800
- 477 ★ ○ QV-KGVI Mint and used collection in four albums including Ascension 1924-33 1d cleft rock variety mint, 1d grey-black and bright blue-green mint (3), Gambia, Falkland Islands 1938-50 set mint, Malta with 1922 5/-, 10/- and 1922-26 set mint, Maldive Islands 1906 set mint, 1935 Jubilee omnibus issues virtually complete used on pieces (just missing the Egypt forces seal) with Bechuanaland 2d short extra flagstaff and Sierra Leone 2d double flagstaff, 1948-49 Royal Wedding omnibus issues complete mint (38 high values unmounted, the others lightly mounted), etc. (100s). £1,000-1,200
- 478 ★ 1854-1956 Mint stamps on nine pages showing the standard designs printed by De la Rue, including Perak 1936 \$100 Revenue, F.M.S 1907 \$1, F.M.S 1926 \$250 Revenue, Nyasaland 1903 4/- and 1908 2/6, etc. (99). Photo on Page 78. £300-400
- 479 ★ ○ QV-QEII Mint and used collection in seven albums or stockbooks and loose, including Australia with 1913 2/- and 1929 5/- mint, 1932 10/- and Sydney Harbour Bridge 5/- used, Rhodesia, Canada, British West Indies with Bermuda KGVI high value mint, Grenada, Turks & Caicos, etc. (1,000s). £250-300
- 480 ★ c.1920-80 Mint collection, with a few earlier and later issues, comprising British West Indies, Bermuda, British Guiana, British Honduras and Canada, the 1935-80 issues largely complete, in four substantial albums with blocks and miniature sheets in two further stockbooks. (6 Albums). £600-700
- 481 ★ ○ 1936-52 KGVI Mint and used collection in an album including KUT with 10c black & green block containing mountain retouch, the occasional earlier stamps with Cape triangulars (2), etc., also 1910-61 South Africa collection in an album. (2 Albums). £200-250
- 482 ★ ○ 1938-68 Mint and used sets from Falkland Islands & Dependencies, St. Helena, St. Kitts or Tripolitania, all fine. S.G. £650. (111). £70-80
- 483 ★ **1935 Silver Jubilee Omnibus issue** complete mounted mint, including Egypt forces letter stamp, fine. S.G. £1,600. (250). £200-300
- 484 ★ **Ascension/St. Helena.** 1903-73 Collection including Ascension 1924-33 1d broken mainmast, 2d and 8d cleft rock varieties all mint, St. Helena 1922-37 issue mint to 5/-, etc. (100s). £100-150
- 485 ★ ○ **British West Indies.** QV-QEII Collections in six albums or stockbooks and on pages with Virgin Islands mint to 1979, Montserrat mint and used to 1988, St. Lucia 1937-76 in three albums, cancellations of British Guiana and Bermuda, etc. (1,000s). £100-200

- 486 ★ **Postage Dues.** 1926-51 G.B Postage dues overprinted for overseas territories, comprising Bechuanaland Protectorate set of three, M.E.F set, both Tripolitania sets, both Eritrea sets, and the Southern Rhodesia set including the scarce 4d green, all unmounted, fine. S.G. £655. (35). Photo on Page 72. £150-180
- 487 ✉ **Picture Postcards.** c.1900-30 Postcards including Ascension (15), Falkland Islands (8), St. Helena (24), North Borneo (8), Pacific Islands (32), Papua New Guinea (8), etc., most unused. (228). £200-250
- 488 ★ ○ **Revenues.** QV-KGV Revenue and telegraph stamps in an album with many scarcer stamps including Niger Coast Consular overprint 2½d and 10/-, Nigeria 1916 6d, Sierra Leone 1884 5/- on 1/- unused pair, British East Africa 1897 Judicial Fee 5r and 10r, Seychelles with Bill of Exchange 1897 5c on 40c (2) and 1921 Stamp Office 12c, Stellaland 1884-86 issues mint to £5 (7), 1903 Bechuanaland Protectorate overprint £5 block of four (Barefoot 13, a little discoloured), Ceylon, Selanger, Straits Settlements, Zanzibar, KUT, Uganda, telegraph stamps of India, Ceylon, Natal, OFS (with "FT" errors and 1900 V.R.I A.T £4 mint), etc. A good lot. (100s). £300-400

AFGHANISTAN

- 489 ✉ △ 1881-1932 Used issues on pages including c.1881-1900 covers (5) and fronts (2), 1907 Zigzag roulette lab printed on both sides (faults), etc. (64). £100-120

ANTIGUA

- 490 ✉ △ 1831-60 Entirets (2), a cover and pieces (2) including 1859 entire franked G.B 6d (cut into) tied by "A02" numeral, 1856 cover with double arc datestamp, etc. (5). £150-180
- 491 ○ **G.B Used in Antigua.** G.B 1d Red (upper perfs trimmed) and 6d lilac cancelled "A02". S.G. Z1, 5, £930. (2). £80-100
- 492 ★ ○ 1862-87 QV Stamps, the mint and used selection on pages including 1862 6d imperforate plate proofs (2) and proof strip of four in black from the defaced plate, 1862-67 1d (4) and 6d (5) used all apparently imperf but probably cut down from misperforated or partly perforated stamps, 1862 rough perf 6d unused no gum (light crease), 1863-67 1d mint or unused (4, all three shades, S.G. 7, 7b mint), all 1876-84 issues mint or unused (S.G. 20, 22/3 mint), all 1863-87 issues used, 1887 2½d with large "2" showing slanting foot mint or unused and used (2), also cancellations with English Harbour c.d.s (2) or "A18" (2), revenues (23) and a few forgeries. S.G. £4,500 (approx). (132). £300-400
- 493 ○ 1882 Crown CA 2½d red-brown, variety large "2" with slanting foot, tiny tone mark to one corner perf, otherwise fine used. S.G. 22b, £1,300. Photo on Page 72. £150-180
- 494 Ⓢ 1886-1903 Specimen overprint stamps affixed with part own gum to two pages from the Royal Swedish General Post Office U.P.U Specimen collection, comprising 1886-87 2½d, 4d and 1/- on a printed stamp album page and 1903 KEVII ½d - 5/- set of ten affixed to a plain page with manuscript country name and date. Two unique archival pages. S.G. 27/40s, £475 as stamps. (13). £120-150
- 495 ★ ○ 1903-29 Mint and used selection including 1908-17 set mint, 1921-29 ½d - £1 set of 25 superb mint and used. S.G. £1,600. (79). Photo on Page 72. £350-400
- 496 ○ △ **Village and Other Cancels.** QV-KGV Stamps, mainly with village cancels, including 1876-94 manuscript date cancels believed to have been used at villages (22, three also with "SP" used at St. Peters), other village cancels (220) with very scarce datestamps of St. Stephens on 1928 piece, St. James on 1929 piece (4 strikes), Montpelier (4) and Pares, also Official Paid and M.O.O datestamps, Paquebots, overseas cancels (with 1903-07 5/- cancelled at Castries), Gold Coast QV 10/- cancelled at Antigua. (275). Photo on Pages 14 & 204. £400-500



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- 497 ☒ **Village Cancells.** 1930-36 Covers with village cancels of All Saints, Bendals, Cedar Grove, Falmouth, Green Bay, Gunthorpes, Pares, St. Marys or St. Johnstons, the last two covers registered with registration labels of St. Johns. Most philatelic but still very scarce, the Freeland & Jordan Antigua handbook illustrates another 1933 cover of Pares described as “possibly the only surviving early cover”, and states only about half a dozen examples of St. Johnstons are recorded (this example possibly the only known registered cover). (9). Photo on Page 68. £500-600
- 498 ○ ☒ **Leeward Islands used in Antigua.** QV Stamps with Antigua cancels including 1890 set with additional 1/- (2), the 5/- on piece; 1897 Sexagenary overprint ½d, 2½d, 4d, 7d; and the three 1902 1d surcharges on piece. Also 1914-37 covers and cards including 1937 KGV 1d Leewards postcard franked Antigua 1d + 3d. (S.G. £775 as stamps). (26 + 3 covers). Photo on Page 78. £140-160

ASCENSION

(Also see lot 484)

- 499 ☒ 1849 (Dec. 28) Stampless cover to H.M.S “Superb” at Portsmouth, redirected to Queenstown, backstamped boxed “JA 26 1850 / LIVERPOOL / SHIP”, London, Portsmouth, Dublin and Queenstown datestamps, charged 8d. The enclosed letter, written from Ascension by “Black Boy Henry France” includes “I went to Captain Hutton to ask him for liberty and he would not let me come the rest of the black men as well as myself would be most happy if we could see you”. A fine early letter from Ascension, apparently written by a former slave, many of whom were landed on the island by the Royal Navy in the 1840s. Photo on Page 58. £1,800-2,200
- 500 ☒ 1925 (Jan. 1) Registered cover to London bearing 1924 ½d - 1/- (the nine values issued by this date), the 1/- with variety torn flag, the cancel with year incorrectly shown as “24”. A scarce 1/- variety used, especially on cover. S.G. 10/7, 18b, £1,000+ as stamps. Photo on Page 68. £180-220

AUSTRALIA & STATES

(Also see lots 428/30, 1518/9, 1524, 1549)

- 501 ○ ★ **Australian States.** Mainly used accumulation in a stockbook and on pages including Victoria 1884 4d rose used, 1897 Diamond Jubilee pair mint, South Australia officials (3), Tasmania 1854 4d orange fine used, Western Australia 1854 imperf 1d (2) and 1860 rouletted 2d used, and some Australia KGV. Also Australian States numeral cancels in a stockbook and in packets. (100s). £250-300
- 502 © **Australian States - Specimens.** Selection including South Australia 1883 issue perf 11½ ½d, 3d, 4d and 6d and 1901 issue 2/- all in horizontal or vertical strips of five, Tasmania 1880 Stamp Duty 3d, 6d and 1/- in pairs, Queensland 1868-74 perf 13 1d, 3d, 6d and 1/-, 1882-95 2/- - £1 set of five, Western Australia 1865 Crown CC 1/- (S.G. 61s, £225), 1871 Crown CC sideways 3d (S.G. 63s, £150), Crown CA sideways 1d, 2d, 4d (S.G. 103/5s, £275), 1884 6d (S.G. 80s, £150), etc. S.G. £1,175+. (54) £150-180
- 503 ○ **Queensland.** 1860 Imperf 6d green, good to large margins with a portion of the adjoining stamp at left, used with “85” cancel of Nebo, very fine. S.G. 3, £950. Photo on Page 72. £200-250
- 504 ★ ○ **Tasmania.** 1899-1912 Pictorial Issue, the specialised mint and used collection in an album, and on stockcards or loose, with Specimen overprints, a range of compound perfs on all values (approx 78), double perfs on 1d pair, 2d (6, single + pair + block of six) and 3d, imperforate ½d, 1d (5) ad 2d (2), imperforate between stamp and margin varieties on ½d, 1d (2), 2d (4), plate varieties, shades, etc. Also cancellations with numerals and c.d.s cancels sorted in packets, and duplicates including Victoria and Australia. A good collection with some very scarce varieties. (1,000s). Photo on Pages 14, 30 & 104. £500-600
- 505 ☒ **Lord Howe Island.** 1930 (Sep. 4) Cover addressed within Lord Howe Island franked River Murray Tercentenary 1½d with manuscript surcharge “2d Paid PM LHI” tied by a Lord Howe Island c.d.s. When the Lord Howe Island Post Office ran out of 2d stamps the Postmaster was authorised to surcharge 1½d stamps in manuscript; 260 stamps were surcharged and used between August 23rd and October 17th 1930. A fine and scarce cover (S.G. £750 as a single stamp). Photo on Page 68. £300-400

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| 506 | ✉ | Air Mails. 1929-80 Flight covers in an album, mainly first flights, some commercial covers including 1941 cover to G.B with "Privileged Mail, Governor of Queensland" cachet, etc. (151). £250-300 |
| 507 | | Air Mails. c.1930 Photograph of C. Kingsford Smith and his three crew standing in front of "Southern Cross", boldly signed by Kingsford Smith. A fine signed photo, 245x187mm. £80-100 |

AUSTRIA

(Also see lots 431/2)

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| 508 | ○ △ | 1850-54 Imperf issues all with selected cancels, c.d.s, boxed and straight line types, some pairs and pieces, all very fine. (213). | £150-200 |
| 509 | ○ | 1850-2002 Used collection in three Davo albums including 1850-54 imperf set, 1858-59 type I and type II sets, 1863 perf 14 set, 1874-80 set, 1883 set, 1910 Emperors Birthday set, 1917 10k violet, 1931 Rotary set, Writers Fund, 1932 Painters, 1933 Ski Championships, WIPA stamp on ordinary and granite papers, Catholic Congress, 1936 Dollfuss 10s, 1945 Osterreich overprint set of 23 to 5rm, air issues with 1935 set, 1933 WIPA miniature sheet unused (no gum, lower marginal fold), newspaper stamps, postage dues and military issues. Mainly fine, a good level of completeness. S.G. £15,000 (approx). (3 Albums). Photo on Pages 14 & 28. | £750-1,000 |
| 510 | ○ ☒ | 1902-90 Stamps, covers and picture postcards with a specialised collection of 1918-21 “Deutschosterreich” overprints, 1918-30 patriotic picture postcards depicting Austrian towns and castles published by “Deutscher Schul Verein” (159), other postcards including Tyrol and Carinthia Plebiscites (43), “Sondertarif” cancels, etc. (100s). | £150-180 |
| 511 | ☒ | Gymnastics - “Turnfest”. 1896-1938 Picture postcards, labels and ephemera illustrating the history and postal history of the “Turnfest” German Gymnastics movement, including silver medallions (2), 1902 Linz Kreisturnfestplatz cachet, datestamps for 1912 Prague 6th Sokol Turnfest and similar events in Kornenberg (1921), Linz (1922), Neustadt (1924), Graz (1925) Vienna (1925), Innsbruck (1930), also competitors identification cards, membership cards, many coloured or photographic picture postcards, etc. (c.200). | £200-240 |
| 512 | ☒ ★ | Philatelic Events. 1909-37 Cards, covers and labels including official cards for German Philatelic Day and Federation Day of German-Austrian Clubs in 1909 (5) or 1911 (5), Vienna Philatelic Exhibitions in 1911 (8, also labels), 1923 (4, also labels) or WIPA 1933 (21, various cancels including Melk-Wien Schiffpost and Schloss Laxenburg Surprise Journey), one cover with various WIPA labels and 50g+50g stamp (S.G. 703, £350, address cut out), International Stamp Dealers Day cancels, Austrian Philatelic Day cancels, etc. (153). | £200-240 |
| 513 | ☒ | Trieste. 1819-1952 Entire letters, covers and cards including prestamp mail with 1822 registered letter, Austrian stamps including “COL LLOYD / DA TRIESTE” (2) or “La arrta per mare” cancels, 1870 stampless entire with “LETTERE ARRIVATE / COL VAPORE / DAL LEVANTE”, WW1, Venezia Giulia and Italian period, WW2 Dienstpost, AMG stamps including 8L + 12L postage dues on stampless 1949 military pension form, Yugoslav Zone B, British F.P.Os, etc. An interesting lot. (51) | £450-550 |

BAHAMAS

- 514 ★ ○ 1859-90 QV Issues, mint and used selection on pages with G.B 1d red cancelled “A05” (faults), 1859 imperf 1d reddish lake Specimen with horizontal ink line (horizontal crease), 1d dull lake used; 1861-62 rough perf 1d and 6d used, 4d unused no gum (thinned); 1862 perf 11½ 4d unused no gum (minor toning), 6d used; 1863-77 Crown CC 1d vermilion with “C38” cancel of British P.O at Callao, perf 12½ 1/- used (2), perf 14 1/- deep green mint; 1882 Crown CA perf 12 4d and perf 14 1d both unused no gum, some watermark varieties; 1883 4d on 6d used; 1890 6d malformed “E” mint and used with manuscript cancel; also cancels including “27” numerals, village and P.O.S.B. datestamps, forgeries. Some faults but an interesting group with some unusual stamps. (104). Photo on Page 72. £700-1,000

- 515 Ⓢ 1863 Crown CC 1d Brown-lake perf 12½, mint with manuscript “Specimen”, Samuel type DM5, from the De la Rue archives, fine and rare. Photo on Page 72. £200-250
- 516 Ⓢ 1884-90 1d - £1 Set of six and 1898 1/- blue green, the 2½d ultramarine overprinted “SPECIMEN”, all affixed with part own gum to a printed album page, used by the Royal Swedish General Post Office for their U.P.U Specimen collection. An attractive archival page. S.G. 44a, 49/57, £440 as stamps. (7). £100-120
- 517 ★ ○ 1901-30 Mint and used selection on pages including 1901 1d plate number single with the plate number unusually obliterated, 1911-19 set mint and 5d Specimen, 1912-19 set mint and 6d malformed “E” used, study of War Tax overprints with 1917 1d “long stroke to 7” mint and used, 1918 (Feb.) 1/- mint and used, Queens Staircase issues with double tree trunk variety, study of Special Delivery overprints with multiples and all printings of the 1916 5d, also Specimen overprints including 1912 5/- and £1 with plate numbers, inverted watermarks used (S.G. 58w, 73w, 80y, 82w), etc. S.G. £2,200+. (237). £350-450
- 518 Ⓢ 1917-59 Stamps affixed to seven complete or partial pages from the Goa Post Office U.P.U Specimen collection, fifty 1917-46 stamps overprinted or perfined “SPECIMEN”, 1919 War Tax ½d and 1926 1/- KGV definitives additionally handstamped “COLONIAS” in green or blue applied in Lisbon, some stamps with discoloration or faults. (96). £300-350
- 519 ✉ 1918 (Oct. 7) Registered A.R cover from Nassau to USA bearing 1918 (Feb.-July) 1/- War Tax overprint block of four, a rare multiple, especially on an apparently commercial cover. S.G. 95, £640 as stamps. Photo on Page 68. £200-250
- 520 ✉ 1937 Picture postcard of Nassau, bearing a blue Girl Pat label and franked 1½d, both cancelled at Nassau (Mar. 22), minor ceasing. Also a postcard of the Motor Trawler “Girl Pat”. Photo on Page 68. £150-180
- 521 ○ △ **Sub-Office Cancels.** QV-KGV Stamps and pieces with sub-office cancels, many from small outer islands, mainly circular datestamps but including a few mailbag seal handstamps, many early and scarce, including Acklins and Rum both in manuscript, Hope Town, Clarence Town, Arthurs Town, Harbour Island, Rock Sound, Crooked Island (the only recorded example), etc. (186). Also stamps (24) and covers (2) with Paquebot or manuscript cancels. A fine and scarce lot, the result of many years of searching through collections. (210 + 2 covers). Photo on Page 72. £500-600
- 522 ✉ **Sub-Office Cancels.** 1927-37 Covers with KGV stamps tied by datestamps of Colonel Hill, Roses, Palmetto Point (Registered), Port Howe or Harbour Island, the last with handstruck slogan “IN YOUR TRAVELS VISIT / PICTURESQUE DUNMORE TOWN / HARBOUR ISLAND, BAHAMAS / THE IDEAL HEALTH RESORT”. Also a 1915 cover from Nassau with handstruck slogan “HAVE YOU BEEN TO / NASSAU, BAHAMAS / IF NOT, WHY NOT”. (6). £200-250
- 523 ✉ **Sub-Office Cancels.** 1932 (Oct. 28) Registered cover to USA franked 3d, cancelled by “ABRAHAM’S BAY / BAHAMAS” temporary rubber datestamp with a second strike alongside, fine and very scarce, only recorded for nine days (Oct. 20-28). Photo on Page 68. £140-160

BAHRAIN

(Also see lots 879/80, 1523)

- 524 ○ △ 1890-1933 India stamps and pieces with Bahrain cancels, including 1882-90 1a6p, 4a, 8a and 12a, the 12a unlisted by S.G. (18). £100-120
- 525 ★ ○ 1933-64 Mint and used collection including 1934-37 issue mint (2a small die only), all KGVI definitive sets mint, 1952 ½a on 1d with fraction omitted mint, 1960 (July 1) 5n.p - 1r on F.D.C from Awali and 1960 (July 1) cover from Awali bearing British P.O surcharges 1n.p - 75n.p and 2r, some blocks, etc. S.G. £1,800+. (357 + 4 covers). £200-250



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- 526  1937-40 Commercial air mail covers from Bahrain to England, franked 7a6p, 14a (4, one with one stamp missing), 14a6p or 21a6p, and covers from USA (4, two reduced) or India to Bahrain. Also 1950-57 covers (4, three with Awali c.d.s). (16). £160-200

BARBADOS

(Also see lot 377)

- 527 ★ ○ 1852-81 Britannia Issues, mint and used collection on pages including 1852-55 ½d - 4d mint and used, unissued deep slate pair, 1855-56 ½d - 1/- used, 1860 pin-perf ½d (3, one fine) and 1d used, 1861-70 rough or clean-cut perf issues mint and used, 1870-73 Star Watermark and 1875-81 Crown CC issues mint, imperforate 4d and 1/- plate proofs in black, 1875-81 ½d, 1d, 4d and 1/- with Specimen overprints, 1875 (Mar 12) piece franked 1d + diagonally bisected 1d (not guaranteed), also a few forgeries, etc., some faults but many fine, an interesting group. (121). Photo on Page 72. £400-500
- 528  1857 (Nov. 11) Entire to St. Lucia franked 1d blue (scissor cut to top) cancelled by numeral "1", reverse with Barbados and St. Lucia double arc datestamps and c.d.s with sideways "1" below year date, charged 4d. Also 1859 cover to England franked 1d + 6d (both cut into) tied by "1" numerals, some soiling. The first an unusual destination. (2). £120-150
- 529 ★ 1871 4d Dull rose-red, watermark Small Star rough perf 14 to 16, mint, upper perfs a little gum stained, a good example of this scarce stamp. S.G. 49, £2,000. Photo on Page 72. £200-250
- 530 (P) 1873 5/-, Imperforate plate proof on unwatermarked paper, small corner thin, and the issued stamp fine used. S.G. 64. (2). £100-120
- 531 ○ △ 1878 1d Surcharge on half 5/-, type 3a and 3b surcharges used, the second on piece with a few upper perfs trimmed. S.G. 86/7, £1,600. (2). Photo on Page 78. £150-200
- 532 ★ ○ 1882-1935 Mint and used collection on pages with 1882-86 6d Specimen type BAR2, 3d, 6d, 1/- and 5/- Specimen type D12, 3d deep purple unmounted mint block of four and mint single, used set of nine, 1892-1903 set used, 1897 Diamond Jubilee white and blue paper sets used, 1905 set used, 1906 Nelson Centenary set used, 1909-10 set used, 1912-16 set mint, 1920 Victory set used with additional 6d inverted watermark, 1921-24 set used, 1925-35 set with all perfs used, etc. S.G. £4,000+. (184). Photo on Page 78. £400-500
- 533 ★ 1988 West Indian Cricket 50c with Lawson Bartlett portrait shown in error, lower margin with Walsall Printers imprint, superb unmounted mint, with matching imprint stamp showing the correct portrait of Herman Griffith. S.G. 856a. Photo on Page 80. £80-100
- 534 ★  1988 West Indian Cricket 50c with Lawson Bartlett portrait shown in error, upper right marginal block of four, coloured "traffic lights" in upper margin, superb unmounted mint. S.G. 865a. Photo on Page 138. £300-400
- 535  1881-1907 Covers and cards including unused formula postcards franked ½d + 1d (2), 1d (2, one with "BARBADE" in square brackets) or without stamps, 1893 (Feb 20/21) local covers with black "PAID / AT / BARBADOS" crowned circle (2), 1893 ½d on 1d envelope registered to England franked 3d + ½d on 4d strip of three, 1895 stampless cover from Government House to the Turks & Cacos Island Commissioner with circular "BARBADOS / PAID / OFFICIAL" and "JAMAICA / TRANSIT" (opening faults), 1907 cover to St. Lucia bearing Kingston Relief Fund 1d pair, etc. (15). £200-240
- 536 ★ ○ **Revenues.** 1916 KGV Revenue overprints comprising 1d red (4, two types, one with "e" in differing font), 1d violet (3), 2d (the two types), 3d, 4d (3, two types), 6d, 1/-, 2/-, 3/-, 1d on 2½d (9, three with "Penvy" error), 2/- on 3/- all mint, 3/- used and 1d violet with plate number apparently postally used. Also QV 1d overprinted "Revenue" and ½d surcharge on a diagonally perforated and bisected 1d with "Revenue" overprint all apparently postally used, status unknown. A scarce group. (32). Photo on Page 86. £150-180

- 537 ○ ☒ **Village and Other Cancels.** QV-KGV Stamps with numeral cancels, “Bootheel” type numerals and village datestamps, virtually all on QV stamps including imperf (20) and perforated (62) Britannia issues, also Paquebots and maritime cancels, crowned circle, etc., most very fine, a good lot. (210 + 2 cards). Photo on Page 86. £400-500

BARBUDA

- 538 ★ ○ 1922 ½d - 5/- Overprint set of eleven mint, used stamps (18) including 2½d inverted watermark, 1d with concentric rings cancel, 1/- block of four on piece, 2/- (2), etc. S.G. £525. (29). £120-150
- 539 ⓘ ★ 1922 Overprint issue, set of eleven overprinted “SPECIMEN” (2d, 2½d with corner faults, most values showing light offsets of the Specimen overprint on the face), set mint with additional ½d - 1/-, 2½d inverted watermark mint, set fine used, and a 1923 “Postmaster, Barbuda” O.H.M.S cover registered to England franked 3d pair + 6d. S.G. £800+. (41 + cover). £120-150
- 540 ○ ☒ 1923-34 Stamps of Leeward Islands (42) or Antigua (26) cancelled in Barbuda including Leeward Islands 1890 2½d, 4d, 6d and 1/-, KEVII ¼d, ½d and 2d and KGV issues to the 5/-; Antigua 1908-17 ½d and 1d (faults), 1913 5/-, 1921-29 issues with 3/-, 4/-, £1, 1932 Tercentenary ½d, 1d and 3d - 5/-. Also three registered covers bearing KGV Leewards ½d, 2d + Antigua 2½d, Leewards ½d + Antigua Tercentenary 1d, 1½d, 2½d, or Antigua 1921-29 5/-. A scarce group. S.G. £1,500 (approx) as basic stamps. (68 + 3 covers). Photo on Page 80. £400-500

BECHUANALAND

- 541 ○ 1888 British Bechuanaland ½d on 3d inverted and upright surcharges both used with identical genuine Vryburg datestamps dated 19 DE 83, the inverted surcharges supposedly all bogus, an intriguing pair. Also Stellaland 1885 1d (faults) and 3d (two pulled perfs at lower left) used with manuscript cancels, both additionally cancelled with Transvaal numeral “6”, very unusual. Stellaland S.G. 1/2 + Bechuanaland S.G. 29, £1,100. (4). Photo on Page 78. £150-200
- 542 ○ 1888-90 Bechuanaland Protectorate overprint varieties comprising 1888 (Aug) and 1890 ½d Protectorate overprints both variety overprint double, and 1889 Protectorate 4d on ½d surcharge with the surcharge dramatically shifted sideways, all used. S.G. 40a, 53var, 54b. (3). Photo on Page 72. £120-140
- 543 ★ 1914-23 2/6 and 5/- Seahorses mint, all three printings of both values, the De la Rue 2/6 pale brown shade. S.G. 83/5, 87/9, £920. (6). £150-180

BELGIUM

(Also see lots 433/4)

- 544 ○ ★ 1849-2002 Used collection in seven Davo albums including 1849 framed 40c carmine (four margins), 1865 and 1866 sets, 1878 5f, 1915-20 5f “FRANKEN”, 1918 Red Cross surcharge set, 1919-20 set, 1932 Cardinal Mercier Fund set, Infantry Memorial pair, 1933 Orval Abbey set, 1932-34 TB Fund sets, 1952 U.P.U Congress sets, mint miniature sheets with 1924 Brussels Philatelic Exhibition, 1930 Antwerp Philatelic Exhibition, 1931 Brussels Philatelic Exhibition, 1935 SITEB, also railway stamps, booklets, postage dues, etc., Fine quality, a high level of completeness. S.G. £11,000 (approx). (7 Albums). Photo on Page 78. £700-900
- 545 ⓘ 1923-28 Railway and newspaper stamps handstamped violet “SPECIMEN”, comprising 1923-27 5c - 50f railway parcel stamps current in 1927 (24 values, missing the 1f.10, 1f.50, 1f80, 2f.10, 2f.40 and 3f.30 which were no longer in use, and the four values issued after 1927) all with handstamp type 1; and the set of eighteen 10c - 20f railway parcels stamps with “JOURNAUX DAGBLADEN 1928” overprints all with handstamp type 2, all superb mint. (42). Photo on Page 72. £240-280

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- 546 ★ 1865 6d Dull purple, watermark Crown CC, mint, hinge remainders, otherwise fine and scarce. S.G. 6, £1,000. Photo on Page 76. £180-220
- 547 ★ 1866 2d Dull blue, watermark Crown CC, fine mint. S.G. 3, £550. Photo on Page 76. £100-120
- 548 ★ ○ 1865-1921 Mint and used collection on pages including 1865-1903 Crown CC 1d, 2d dull blue (minor toning) mint, set with additional shades used, 1874 3d on 1/- used (S.G. 13b, small thin), 1875 1d on 2d used (also 1d on 3d and 1d on 1/- with faults), both 1920-21 Tercentenary sets used (the first ¼d variety watermark Crown to right of CA), etc., also a few forgeries. S.G. £2,200+. (149). £250-350
- 549 ☒ 1868 (July 5) Cover to Hantsport, Nova Scotia, franked 6d dull purple cancelled by numeral “2”, “BERMUDA / H / PAID” c.d.s of Hamilton alongside with “CTS / 5” charge mark for internal Nova Scotia postage and red “4” credit to the British Post Office, backstamped at Halifax. Fine and scarce; virtually all mail to Nova Scotia was addressed to Halifax. Photo on Page 68. £200-250
- 550 ★ ☐ 1881 Perf 14x12½ 3d yellow-buff mint block of four, lightly mounted on the upper pair only, the lower pair unmounted, superb. S.G. 10, £720+. Photo on Page 104. £250-300
- 551 ☒ 1904-18 Covers and cards bearing Dock issue stamps, various local and overseas destinations and rates including printed matter, postcards, late fees and registered mail. (69). £350-400
- 552 ☒ 1910-36 Covers and cards bearing Caravel issues, various local and overseas destinations and rates including printed matter, registered mail, etc. (73). £300-350
- 553 ☒ 1921-28 Covers and cards bearing second Tercentenary issue stamps, various local and overseas destinations and rates, seven registered, mainly commercial. (26). £280-320
- 554 ○ 1937 KGV 12/6 Revenue with Hamilton c.d.s (July 26), a genuine postal cancel but dated shortly after this stamp ceased to be valid for postal use, light horizontal crease. S.G. F1. £80-100
- 555 ○ ☒ **Cancellations.** The collection of numeral and other cancels mainly on QV stamps, on pages with type K1 numeral “1” - “15” (numbers “12” and “15” with severe faults), type K2 “B/14”, type K3/K4 duplexes with all numbers to “19”, undated type M4/5 datestamps of Hamilton or Ireland Island, type H2 Paid c.d.s with numbers “6”, “7” or “11” or without number, “3” charge mark of Canada, “St G” and “I” Paid datestamps, red “Paid Liverpool Br. Packet” c.d.s and other maritime datestamps, transit or arrival datestamps with Malta, Horta, etc., village datestamps, also cards with duplex numbers “3”, “6” or “8” applied upon arrival. A good lot with some very scarce cancels. (246). Photo on Page 72. £1,000-1,200
- 556 ☒ 1857-2000 Covers and cards, mainly QEII with commercial mail, picture postcards, F.D.Cs, sub-office cancels, some earlier including 1857 stampless cover to England with red “ST. GEORGES - BERMUDA / PAID” datestamp type P3, 1921 Hamilton machine cancels in purple (4), “Come to Bermuda, The Island of Rest” slogans with town die inverted or year omitted, etc. (700+). £200-300
- 557 ☒ 1850-1969 Covers and cards including 1850 stampless letter, 1867 cover franked 1/- and 1878 cover franked 6d all from G.B to Bermuda, postal stationery with formula cards and KGV 1/4d wrapper handstamped oval “BERMUDA / ¾d / POSTAGE PAID” commercially used, first Tercentenary 1/- on commercial cover, etc. (54). £140-160
- 558 ☒ 1888-1952 Covers and cards including 1888 covers to England franked 4d (2), Boer War P.O.W covers (2, faults), WW2 censors (7), etc. (74). £300-350
- 559 ☒ **Sub-Offices.** 1897-1960 Covers and cards with sub-office cancels including double ring c.d.s type H5 (27, from twelve offices), type H9 or H12 single ring datestamps (23, from ten offices), unrecorded 1956 boxed “CRAWL”, etc., most pre-1940, mainly fine. (62). £500-600



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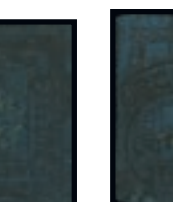
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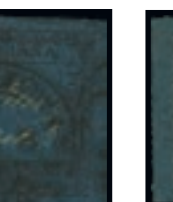
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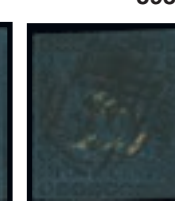
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- 560 ✉ **Air Mails.** 1937-83 First Flight covers including 1937 Bermuda to Baltimore (2) or return flight (2); 1939 (June 8/9) P.A.A U.S to Europe Northern route covers flown from Bermuda to G.B (2) or Australia via G.B, or from G.B to Bermuda, June 21st Southern route from Bermuda to G.B, and November 16th first direct flight covers from Bermuda to Lisbon or G.B; 1946 Jamaica to London via Bermuda; 1960 New York to Bermuda 10c air letter (just four U.S air letters flown), etc. (98). £280-350
- 561 ✉ **Postal Stationery.** 1880-1971 Specimen, unused and used postal stationery, comprising postcards (163), registration envelopes (22) and newspaper wrappers (80), including formula cards, KGVI ¼d wrappers with violet ¼d or ¾d Postage Paid franks commercially used, etc. (265). £600-700

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- 562 Ⓢ 1939 2c - 5b Postage set of eighteen, and 5c - 10b Second National Eucharist Congress set of ten, all in strips of three (Air Post 10b in three singles) affixed to five pieces cut from the Mauritania Post Office U.P.U Specimen collection, all handstamped violet "SPECIMEN / COLLECTION / MAURITANIE". Unique archival sets. (28 strips). Photo on Page 138. £500-600

BRITISH GUIANA

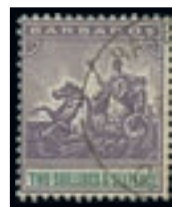
- 563 ○ **G.B Used in Demerara.** 1856-57 1d Red pair, 4d rose (2) and 6d lilac all cancelled "A03", one 4d with the "A03" a little overinked, also with handstamp (possibly a Spanish charge mark) in blue, the other four stamps all with fine cancels but with trimmed perfs on one side, one 1d red with vertical crease. S.G. Z1/3, £1,180. (5). Photo on Page 76. £120-150
- 564 △ **G.B Used in Demerara.** 1856 1/- Green on small piece cancelled "A03", a few toned perfs, otherwise fine and scarce. S.G. Z4, £1,800. Photo on Page 76. £200-250
- 565 ○ **G.B Used in Demerara.** 1856 1/- Green with clear "A03" cancel, a couple of short perfs at left, otherwise fine and scarce. S.G. Z4, £1,800. Photo on Page 76. £200-250
- 566 ○ 1852 1c Black as magenta, type I, light vertical crease, part of lower frame line torn away, good margins on the other three sides, used with two Demerara double arc datestamps (JU 5 1855). A very reasonable example of this scarce stamp, (sold by Robson Lowe, 26th June 1946). S.G. 9, £6,500. Photo on Page 78. £400-500
- 567 ○ 1852 1c Black on magenta, type II, small to large margins, two small thins, used with 1854 Demerara double arc datestamp, a very reasonable looking example of this scarce stamp. S.G. 9, £6,500. Photo on Page 78. £400-500
- 568 ○ 1852 4c Black on deep blue, four good to large margins, surface rubs at top and left as are often found on this stamp, tiny thin at top, used with JY 2 1852 datestamp. A very reasonable example of this rare stamp, (sold by Robson Lowe, 26th June 1946). S.G. 10, £12,000. Photo on Page 78. £700-900
- 569 Ⓟ 1853-59 Small Ship type plate proofs in black on thin card, 1c (2, one cut into) and 4c showing retouch (creased and thinned), scarce. (3). Photo on Page 76. £300-350
- 570 Ⓟ ★ 1853 1c Reddish brown, four margins, unused no gum, probably a proof. S.G. £2,250. Photo on Page 76. £400-500
- 571 ○ 1853-59 1c Vermilion, stone A, four margins, close at left, used with Berbice double arc datestamp. S.G. 11, £1,700. Photo on Page 76. £150-180
- 572 ○ 1853-59 1c Brownish red, stone B type, four large margins, used with "A5C" c.d.s of Springs, very fine. S.G. £2,750. Photo on Front Cover. £500-600



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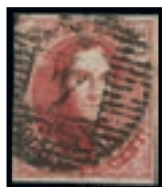
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- 573 ○ 1853-55 4d Deep blue, four margins, close at left, used with “L” datestamp of Leguan dated MR 15 1853, a very early date of use. S.G. 18, £1,100. Photo on Page 76. £120-150
- 574 ○ 1853-55 4d Deep blue vertical pair, large margins on three sides, both cut into at right, vertical crease, used with A5C” datestamps of Springs. Illustrated in the London Philatelist of 1912 (page 24). S.G. 18, £2,200. Photo on Page 104. £150-180
- 575 △ 1855 (Apr. 30) Piece bearing 4d blue with retouch, four small to large margins, tied by “E9C” c.d.s of De Kinderen, the datestamp with “E9C” in error for “E6C”. S.G. 19a, £1,000. Photo on Page 86. £150-180
- 576 ○ 1853-55 Used selection comprising 1c brownish red, 4c deep blue with retouch, 4d blue (3) and 4d pale blue (possibly unused), cancels include “A1C” c.d.s of Aurora and “E5C” of Mahaica, all with faults. S.G. 13, 18a, 19, 20. (6). Photo on Page 76. £150-180
- 577 ★ 1853-55 4c Pale blue unused, no gum, both three margins, S.G. 20. (2). Photo on Page 76. £150-180
- 578 (P) 1860 4c New die, plate proof in black on thin card, fine. Photo on Page 76. £150-180
- 579 ○ 1860 4c Blue used, two or three margins, one torn, cancels include “A3C” c.d.s of Queens Town dated JU 7 1860 (a very early use of this stamp) and “W.C.B.2” c.d.s of Fort Wellington. S.G. 21. (3). £100-120
- 580 ○ ★ 1860-63 Perf 12 Small Ship issue on thick paper (21), mainly used selection comprising 1c pale rose (2), 1c reddish brown, 2c (4), 4c (4, one mint, minor perf toning), 8c (4), 12c lilac (2), 12c grey lilac (2), 24c (2, both shades), cancels include “A03” in blue (3) and “5d” in red. Also 1862-65 issues on thin or medium paper, a few mint including medium paper 8c. S.G. 29/65a, £3,000+. (51). Photo on Page 76. £300-400
- 581 ★ ○ 1863-76 Small Ship issues, the mint and used selection on pages, all perfs, including perf 10 4c, 8c, 12c, 24c and 48c mint, perf 12½ 6c mint (2), perf 15 4c (3) and 6c used. S.G. 66/115. (156). Photo on Page 78. £300-350
- 582 (P) 1863 Imperforate 48c proofs with diagonal “SPECIMEN” overprint type BG1 or violet “CANCELLED”, the first without gum. Both overprints are described by Townsend, and are listed or described by Samuel. (2). Photo on Page 78. £180-220
- 583 ✉ 1862 (Dec. 4) Cover to Mahaicony franked 4c blue cancelled by “A3C” c.d.s of Queens Town, the cancel rather overinked but a second finer strike on the reverse, a scarce cancel on cover. Photo on Page 88. £200-250
- 584 ★ 1862 Provisional Issue 1c black on rose mint part gum, stamp 2/1 with upper left ornament reversed, thinned but still a very reasonable looking example of this scarce stamp. S.G. 116, £5,500. Photo on Page 76. £250-300
- 585 ○ 1862 Provisional Issue 1c black on rose used, stamp 1/5 with “1” in “BRITISH”, upper margin, roulettes at base, a fine stamp. S.G. 116c, £1,500. Photo on Page 76. £300-400
- 586 ○ 1862 Provisional Issue 1c black on rose used, stamp 3/2 with horizontal bar above “H” of “BRITISH”. S.G. 117, £1,500. Photo on Page 76. £200-250
- 587 ○ 1862 Provisional Issue 1c black on rose used, stamp 4/5 with incorrect ornament at left side of the lower row, roulettes on three sides, two tiny thins but an unusually fine looking stamp. S.G. 118c, £1,600. Photo on Page 76. £250-300
- 588 ★ ○ 1862 Provisional Issue 2c black on yellow unused and used with “ACB3” c.d.s of Blairmont, both position 4/2 with missing upper bar to “T” of “POSTAGE”, the unused stamp stained and thinned without gum but scarce, the used stamp with small thin. S.G. 120. (2). Photo on Page 76. £150-200
- 589 ○ 1862 Provisional Issue 2c black on yellow used, stamp 1/2 marginal at top, roulettes on both sides, tiny thin at upper left, an exceptional looking stamp. S.G. 120, £600. Photo on Page 76. £140-160



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- 590 ○ 1862 Provisional Issue 2c black on yellow used, stamps 3/1 with “C” for “O” in “TWO” and narrow “T” in “CENTS”, 3/6 with italic “T” in “TWO”, and 3/4 with italic “S” in “CENTS” and a vertical bar before “CENTS”, the last with roulettes on three sides but cut into at right, all thinned. S.G. 120b,d,f, £2,700. (3). Photo on Page 76. £120-150
- 591 ○ 1862 Provisional Issue 2c black on yellow used, type 10 position 2/5 with reversed ornament at left, partial roulettes on two sides, minor soiling; and type 12 position 4/6 with incorrect ornament at upper left and “C” for “O” in “POSTAGE”, upper roulettes, tiny thin and diagonal crease. Two reasonable stamps showing varieties to the side ornaments. S.G. 119, 121d, £1,400. (2). Photo on Page 76. £140-160
- 592 ○ 1862 Provisional Issue 4c black on blue used, stamp 1/1 with “E2C c.d.s of Beterverwagting, thinned; and stamp 2/1, traces of roulettes at right, both stamps with irregular ornaments at base. S.G. 122, £2,000. (2). Photo on Page 76. £200-250
- 593 ○ 1862 Provisional Issue 4c black on blue used, stamp 1/4, an unusually large stamp with upper margin and roulettes at base, very fine. S.G. 122, £1,000. Photo on Page 76. £250-300
- 594 ○ 1862 Provisional Issue 4c black on blue used, stamp 1/6 with incorrect ornament at left, roulettes at left and base, fine. S.G. 122b, £1,600. Photo on Page 76. £300-350
- 595 ○ 1862 Provisional Issue 4c black on blue used, stamp 2/4 with ornament omitted at right, small split at upper left just touching the frame, roulettes at left, tiny thin at lower left clear of the printed stamp. S.G. 122d, £1,400. Photo on Page 76. £150-180
- 596 ○ 1862 Provisional Issue 4c black on blue used, stamp 4/4 with raised “U” in “FOUR”, exceptionally with roulettes on all sides, lightly cancelled, small thin but an unusually fine looking stamp. S.G. 123, £1,400. Photo on Page 76. £200-250
- 597 ○ 1862 Provisional Issue 4c black on blue used, stamp 4/5, imperforate margin at base with roulettes on the other three sides, an unusually fine stamp. S.G. 123, £1,400. Photo on Page 76. £350-400
- 598 ○ 1862 Provisional Issue 4c black on blue used, stamps 4/1 with “1” for “I” in “BRITISH” and “GUIANA”, and 4/2 with roulettes on the two sides, both thinned, two very reasonable looking stamps. S.G. 123, 123c, £3,000. (2). Photo on Page 76. £200-250
- 599 ○ 1862 Provisional Issue 4c black on blue used, stamp 2/6 with inner frame, fine. S.G. 123b, £1,900. Photo on Page 76. £250-300
- 600 ○ 1862 Provisional Issue 4c black on blue used, stamp 2/5 with inner frame and “1” for “I” in “BRITISH”, full roulettes at right, a fine stamp. S.G. 123ba, £1,900. Photo on Page 76. £300-350
- 601 ○ 1862 Provisional Issue 4c black on blue used, stamps 3/4 with small “S” in “BRITISH”, and 3/6 with lower right ornament pointing downwards, thins, two reasonable looking stamps. S.G. 124, £2,800. (2). Photo on Page 76. £180-220
- 602 ○ 1862 Provisional Issue 4c black on blue used, stamp 3/3 with italic “S” in “BRITISH”, unusually with roulettes on all four sides, minor surface rubbing at left and lower left edges clear of the printed design, an unusually fine stamp. S.G. 124d, £1,600. Photo on Page 76. £300-350
- 603 ⑤ 1876-79 Crown CC 1c - 96c set of nine handstamped “SPECIMEN” type BG2, the 1c, 8c and 48c with upper margin showing plate number “1” lightly mounted in the margin only with the stamps unmounted, 2c and 24c without gum, the other four values very lightly mounted mint, the 8c and 12c creased. Believed to have been locally applied to U.P.U Specimen sets supplied directly by the Colony to the U.P.U instead of being supplied via London. A scarce set. S.G. 126/34s, £1,100 (for the 1c - 24c, 96c, the 48c unlisted by S.G.). (9). Photo on Page 80. £250-300

- 604 ○ 1876-79 Crown CC 12c pale violet, watermark inverted, fine used, scarce. S.G. 131w, £550. Photo on Page 76. £120-150
- 605 ⑤ ○ 1876-79 Crown CC Perf 14 1c - 96c set of nine with additional values, perf 12½ 4c and perf 14x12½ 1c all used, also 1c, 4c (no gum) handstamped "SPECIMEN" type BG2, 1c, 6c, 12c, 24c and 48c mint, 1882 Crown CA set used with 4c unusually twice perfined "SPECIMEN" type BG3, 8c handstamped "SPECIMEN" type BG4. Crown CC Specimens with faults, otherwise fine. S.G. 126/36, 170/4, £1,275+. (39). £150-200
- 606 ★ 田 1878 Provisional Issues, mint or unused selection comprising S.G. 137 block of four, 138 and 139 mint, S.G. 139 and 140 mint with part gum, S.G. 137, 141 (also two very faulty stamps), 142, 144, 145 and 148 unused no gum, a useful group. S.G. £3,725. (16). Photo on Page 76. £400-500
- 607 ★ 1878 Provisional Issue 2c rose, the first type 8c Official revalued with two horizontal bars across "OFFICIAL" and one vertical bar, unused no gum, a few short perfs at right, a good example of one of the scarcest stamps of British Guiana. S.G. 146, £5,500. Photo on Page 76. £600-800
- 608 ○ 1878 Provisional Issues, used selection comprising S.G. 137 (2, one damaged), 138 (3), 139 (2), 140 (2), 141 (3), 142 (4, one torn), 144, 145, 146 (3), 148, a useful group. S.G. £3,160. (22). Photo on Page 78. £450-550
- 609 ★ 田 1881 Provisional Issues, mint selection comprising S.G. 149 (3), 150 (7, including a block of four), 151 (3, one no gum), 152 (4), 153 (3), 154 (2, one no gum), 155 (2), 157 (4, two no gum), 158 (no gum), 159, also 2c on 12c double surcharge (S.G. 155a, faults), a good group. S.G. £3,320. (31). Photo on Page 78. £400-500
- 610 ★ 1881 1c on 48c Official stamp, variety broken frame at upper right, mint, a little paper adhering to reverse, a rare variety on this stamp. S.G. 154a (£1,400 used, unpriced mint). Photo on Page 76. £300-400
- 611 ★ 田 1881 2c on 12c Official stamp block of four, margin at left, both horizontal pairs with setenant types 23 and 24 "2" surcharges, mint, hinge remainders, a fine and scarce block. S.G. 155a, £3,200+. Photo on Page 104. £600-700
- 612 ★ 1881 2c on 24c Official stamp, surcharge types 23 and 24 in a se-tenant pair, fine mint, scarce. S.G. 157a, £1,900. Photo on Page 76. £350-450
- 613 ○ △ 1881 Provisional Issues, used selection comprising S.G. 149, 150 (3), 151 (2), 152 (2, one creased), 153 (5, vertical pair and horizontal strip of three on piece), 154 (2), 155 (2), 156 (a little faded), 157 (2), 159. S.G. £1,955. (21). £150-200
- 614 ○ 1881 2c on 12c or 24c Official stamps, both surcharge type 24, the 2c on 12c violet with one short perf at left, otherwise fine, two scarce stamps used. S.G. 156, 158, £1,375. (2). Photo on Page 76. £200-250
- 615 ★ 田 1882 Provisional Issue 1c black on magenta, mint corner block of six, the lower half of the sheet from the second setting, fifth printing, comprising S.G. 162 (4), 162c, 164, very light diagonal crease to lower pair, otherwise fine. S.G. £555+. Photo on Page 204. £150-180
- 616 ○ 田 1882 Provisional Issue, 1c and 2c (2) used blocks of six comprising first setting first printing 1c upper half of sheet (S.G. 162 x 2, 164 x 4) and 2c upper half of sheet (S.G. 163, 163b, 165 x 4, two stamps with small "H"), 2c first setting third printing lower half of sheet (S.G. 163, 167b x 3, 165 x 2), all fine, unusual multiples. S.G. £810+. (3 blocks). £200-240
- 617 ○ 1882 Provisional Issue, second setting reconstructed sheets, 1c fifth printing comprising vertical strips of four and five, pair and a single, the vertical strip of five including the major variety missing cross at right (which only occurs on this one printing), and 2c fourth printing comprising two vertical strips of five and two singles, all used. Two fine reconstructions, with varieties foot to "1" and small "2" (4). S.G. £1,140. (24). £250-300

- 618 ★ ○ 1882 Provisional Issue 1c black on magenta, variety missing cross at right, unused no gum, and used within a pair. This major variety occurred on stamp six of the fifth printing only. Strangely unlisted by Gibbons, who list similar varieties for the earlier 1862 provisional issue. S.G. 164var. (3). Photo on Page 78. £100-120
- 619 ○ 1882 Provisional issue 1c black on magenta, ship with two masts, variety Specimen perfin omitted, fine used. S.G. 162b, £550. Photo on Page 78. £140-160
- 620 ○ 1882 Provisional Issue 1c black on magenta, ship with three masts, variety Specimen perfin omitted, full perfs on three sides, fine used. S.G. 164a, £550. Photo on Page 78. £140-160
- 621 ★ 1882 Provisional Issue 2c black on yellow, ship with three masts, upper margin, variety Specimen perfin omitted, unused no gum, fine and scarce. S.G. 165b, £1,300. Photo on Page 80. £250-300
- 622 ★ ○ 1882 Provisional Issue 1c (two masts) unused no gum and used, 1c (3 masts) used, 2c (2 masts) used (2, one with small “2”), 2c (3 masts) unused no gum, all with variety Specimen perfin double, very unusual. (6). Photo on Page 80. £300-400
- 623 ★ ○ 1882 Provisional Issue, mint and used selection comprising 1c (2 masts) unused (2) or used (10, one with complete offset on reverse, one with foot to “1”, a block of four on piece comprising S.G. 162 x 3 + S.G. 164, a pair with inverted perfin on one stamp), 1c (3 masts) mint or used (6, one with foot to “1”), 2c (2 masts) unused (2, one small “2”) or used (2, one small “2”), 2c (3 masts) unused (2) or used (6, two small “2”). S.G. £1,910. (31). Photo on Page 78. £350-400
- 624 ★ ⑤ 1888-1934 Mint selection including 1888 \$2 Inland Revenue overprint, 1889 set, 1898 Jubilee set, 1900-03 set, 1905 \$2.40 overprinted “Postage & Revenue” (2), 1934 \$1 (2), also various Specimens overprints (23) and postage due 1c, 2c, 12c perfined Specimen, and a few used stamps. S.G. £1,250+. (76). Photo on Page 76. £140-160
- 625 ★ 1899 2c Surcharges, varieties comprising 2c on 5c “CINTS”, shaved “E” or short “T”, and 2c on 10c surcharge inverted, all mint, the 2c on 10c with some gum toning and small piece of paper adhering to reverse but good appearance and scarce. S.G. 222c/d, 223c, £955. (4). Photo on Page 86. £130-150
- 626 ⑤ c.1914 2c Photographic stamp size essay, an attractive design mounted on card, probably unique. £100-120
- 627 ○ ⑤ **Officials.** 1875 1c Single and block of six, 2c, 24c (also two others with faults) and 1877 1c, 2c, 4c, 8c with Official overprints, all used. S.G. O1/2, 5/7, 10, £1,100. (14). Photo on Page 76. £140-160
- 628 ⑤ **Forgeries.** Various forgeries (and a few reprints) of the 1851-88 issues, also forged 12 on 48c surcharge, Official overprints (2, one with “SPECIMEN” handstamp type BG2), and 1898 Jubilee 1c handstamped “WAR TAX”. (77). £80-100
- 629 ☒ △ 1851-1933 Covers and cards (13, also a front and part used reply card) including 1851-55 entire letters with differing “BERBICE” double arc datestamps, 1869 cover franked 2c orange pair (one torn prior to use), 1929 first flight to Suriname, 1931 \$1 on F.D.C (S.G. £65 as a stamp), 1879 card to Stanley Gibbons regarding the sale of British Guiana stamps including two examples of the 1856 4c blue and 4c yellow cotton reels, etc. (15). £100-120
- 630 ☒ c.1890-1980 Covers and cards in two albums including maritime mail, postal stationery, picture postcards, etc. (210); also stamps with 1937 Coronation Specimen set, 1931 and 1934 sets mint, 1954 3c “clubbed foot” mint, and books on British Guiana Philately by Townsend & Howe or Proud. (210++). £200-300
- 631 ○ **Cancellations.** 1860-1913 Issues with maritime cancels (12) including scarce French Anchor in retta on 1866 48c, oval “GB / 40c” (2, one on 1866 24c), other accountancy handstamps in red (13), circular framed “PP”, oval framed “PD”, violet oval “POSTMASTER / CANCELLED / GENERAL” (6), etc. An unusual group. (40). Photo on Page 78. £180-220



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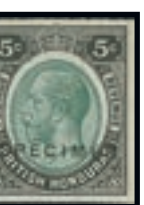
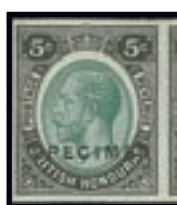
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- 632 ☒ **Cancellations.** 1880-1924 Covers and cards including 1880 and 1890 covers from Georgetown with cork obliterated types K20 or K30, 1895 postcard from Suddie endorsed "Missent to Sparta" with backstamps of Sparta and Taymouth Manor, 1886 cover with Mariabba double ring c.d.s, 1910-24 covers with datestamps of T.P.O Pomeroun, Fellowship or Eversham, 1913 card with Anna Regina transit c.d.s. (8). £150-180
- 633 ○ **Sub-Office Cancellations.** 1860-1936 Stamps with village cancels, the comprehensive collection in an album, mounted by type, with code type datestamps (47), single ring datestamps, large American type c.d.s, a few mailbag seals, double ring datestamps, fleuron types, squared circles, T.P.Os, rare Carmicheal St. error of spelling, etc. An exceptional collection, the result of decades of careful collecting, (c.460). £1,200-1,500
- 634 (P) (S) **Postal Stationery.** 1879 3c Postcard colour trials in red-brown, green, purple brown, scarlet, lilac or blue. Also the 3c card handstamped "SPECIMEN" type BG2, and 1885 One Cent on 3c card perfined "SPECIMEN" type BG3. (8). £300-400
- 635 ★ ○ **Revenues.** 1869-1911 Revenue stamps, the mint and used collection on pages with 1869-77 issue (40), 1865-87 issue (74), 1875 50c on 12c (2), 1887 Provisional Surcharges 12c on 24c (2), 25c on 72c (2) and 50c on 60c, etc. (155). £200-250

BRITISH HONDURAS

- 636 ○ **G.B Used in Belize.** 1856 6d Lilac cancelled "A06", blunt corner at lower left, a fine strike of the A06 cancel. S.G. Z3, £400. Photo on Page 76. £80-100
- 637 ★ ○ 1865-87 Pence issues, mint and used selection with no watermark 1d mint and used and 6d mint, Crown CC perf 12½ 3d mint, 1d, 6d unused no gum, Crown CC perf 14 1d, 3d, 6d mint, 1d, 4d and 1/- unused no gum, Crown CA 6d mint and used, 1/- overprinted "SPECIMEN", also Crown CC perf 14 1d with handstamped vertical "SPECIMEN" (19x2½mm, serified lettering with stop, unlisted by Samuel) in red, and a few forgeries. S.G. £3,000+. (54). Photo on Page 84. £350-400
- 638 (S) 1865 1d, no watermark, blue shade with "SPECIMEN" overprint type D2; and pale blue shade with "SPECIMEN" handstamp type D5, minor soiling and upper perfs trimmed, very scarce. (2). Photo on Page 84. £200-250
- 639 (P) 1872 Crown CC 1/- deep green, imperforate plate proof fine mint, reverse with light pencil note and signature "imperf stamp, J.M Bartels", very scarce. Photo on Page 76. £150-180
- 640 ★ ○ 1888-91 Surcharges, mint and used selection including 1888 2c on Crown CC 6d mint and used, 1888 10c on 4d corner plate block of six with albino surcharges in upper margin (no gum) and 20c on 6d blocks of four mint (2), 1888-91 Specimen set of seven with 50c in a vertical strip of three (10c no gum, 50c creased), a few plate numbers and multiples with 1891 6c on 10c on 4d with red or black "6" surcharges both in complete mint panes of thirty, bisects on pieces (3) or cover, and a few forgeries. Also 1891-1901 1c - \$1 mint and a few Specimen overprints. S.G. £3,000+. (162). Photo on Page 138. £350-400
- 641 ○ 1888 50c on \$1 Grey used, scarce. S.G. 30, £700. Photo on Page 84. £140-160
- 642 ★ 1899 Revenue overprints, 10c and 25c strips of three and 5c strip of five all containing the variety "BEVENUE", 5c strip with a little buckling of vertical perfs between the third and fourth stamps, otherwise fine mint. S.G. 66/8a, £925+. (3 strips). Photo on Page 84. £200-250
- 643 ★ (B) 1899 5c Revenue overprint, mint sheet of sixty, margins on three sides, plate number "2", stamp 6/4 with "BEVENUE" variety, seventeen stamps in rows 8-10 with 11mm overprint. A little splitting to upper central perfs between columns three and four, otherwise fine. S.G. 166/a/d, £1,870. £180-220



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- 644 ★ ○ 1899 Revenue overprints, mint and used selection with 5c double overprint used (faults), 5c, 10c and 25c with “BEVENUE” variety (the 5c, 25c within pairs, 10c with small tone mark) all mint, 11mm overprints, 10c with final “E” virtually missing, 50c on 1/- mint, etc. S.G. 66/9, £1,900. (38). Photo on Page 84.
£240-280
- 645 ★ 1899 50c on 1/- Grey with 11mm Revenue overprint, unmounted mint, superb and very scarce. S.G. 69c, £650. Photo on Page 84. £150-180
- 646 ○ ☐ 1899 50c on 1/- Grey with Revenue overprint, block of four used, the lower right stamp with 11mm overprint. Very scarce. S.G. 69/c, £1,925. Photo on Page 104. £400-500
- 647 ○ Ⓢ 1902-32 Mint and used collection including 1902 2c inverted watermark, 1904-07 set used (also mint to \$2), 1913-21 set to \$5 mint, 1932 Belize Relief Fund set on cover, Specimen overprints with 1913-21 set (some stained), 1915-16 set of three, 1921 1c, 1921-22 Peace 2c and 4c and 1923 postage due set of three, also 1922-33 issue 5c imperf sample pair in unissued colours each with Specimen overprint. S.G. 80/142, £2,800 (approx). (188 + 2 Covers). Photo on Page 84. £350-400
- 648 ○ ✉ **Cancellations.** 1853-1955 Stamps and pieces (400+), covers and cards (25, also two fronts), virtually all QV-KGV period, many very scarce sub-office cancels including T.R.Ds, mailbag seals, duplexes, straight line cancels, maritime, 1927 cover with Northern River c.d.s, etc., a few unrecorded by Proud. A fine lot, the result of many years careful collecting. (425+). Photo on Page 86. £1,000-1,200
- 649 ✉ △ **Cancellations.** 1919-49 Covers (7) and a front with temporary rubber datestamps comprising Double Head (D6, 1949), Guinea Grass (D4 on 1926 registered front and D5 on 1936 cover), Mullins River (D2 on 1919 cover, D4 on 1931 cover), San Estevan (D5, 1932), San Pedro (D5, stampless 1936 cover), Seine Bight (D1, 1929). A scarce group, five appear commercial. (8). £350-400

BRITISH LEVANT

- 650 ★ [B] 1885-1921 Overprints and surcharges with 1885 set of three mint, 12pi on 2/6 blued paper used (2), 1893 40pa on ½d handstamped surcharge used on piece, 1902-05 12pi on 2/6 mint (5) and 24pi on 5d mint blocks of nine and ten, 1911-13 mint set and 5pi on 1/- blocks of twelve and sixteen, British Currency 1905 2d blocks of twelve and 24 mint, etc. S.G. £3,500+. £400-500

BRUNEI

(Also see lot 1489)

- 651 ✉ 1931 (Apr. 6) R.A.F. Air Sea Survey Flight first phase by S/Lr Livock & F/O Grierson in S.1162, cover to Singapore with blue “BY AIR MAIL” label and a Brunei c.d.s. on address side, the reverse franked 1c, 2c, 3c, 4c (2) and 5c to make up the correct 15c Air Fee + 4c postage rate, cancelled by three strikes of boxed “AIR MAIL / BRUNEI.”, with Singapore arrival c.d.s. (Apr. 9, 4.30PM). The address panel well restored, minor stain and light fold but very rare, just ten covers stated to be flown. Photo on Page 88. £1,000-£1,500
- 652 ✉ 1931 (June 30) R.A.F. Borneo Tour, cover to “L.A.C. Blackburn, 205 (Flying Boat) Squadron, R.A.F. Seletar Singapore”, blue “BY AIR MAIL” label with “TO SINGAPORE” added in manuscript, franked 1c to 50c (eleven different stamps, seven on reverse) each cancelled Brunei c.d.s. Carried by the fourth stage flight which left Brunei on July 1st, the fifth stage flight to Kuching, and the sixth stage flight left Kuching on July 5th, backstamped on arrival in Singapore (July 7, 7.30AM – Sarawak mails from this flight were backstamped at 8AM). Tiny mails carried, no more than about five covers recorded from any stage of this flight, a Brunei Air Mail rarity. Photo on Page 88. £2,000-£2,500



BURMA

(Also see lots 854, 881, 891, 900/4, 923/5, 1443/4, 1488, 1490)

- 653 △ ○ 1854 India imperf issues cancelled in Burma comprising 1a on piece cancelled by diamond of dots with Toungoo c.d.s alongside, 1a cancelled "B/156" of Rangoon (2) or "B/12" of Bassein, 2a and 4a (cut to shape) cancelled "B/5" of Akyab, three 1a stamps cut into, one 1a and the 2a fine. (6). £100-150
- 654 ○ 1895-1935 India stamps cancelled in Burma, mainly rupee values including 1895 2r (3), 3r, 5r, 1902-11 3r, 10r, 15r, 1911-23 10r, 15r, 25r, etc. (28). £100-150
- 655 ★ 1937 KGV 3p - 25r Set of eighteen fine mint. S.G. 1/18, £3,000. (18). Photo on Page 86. £1,000-1,200
- 656 ★ **Officials.** 1937 3p - 10r Set of fourteen fine mint. S.G. 1/4, £1,000. (14). Photo on Page 86. £300-350

Air Mails

- 657 ☒ 1911 (Sep. 9) First UK Aerial Post, brown London to Windsor card with two KGV ½d Downey Heads tied by the London Aerial Post c.d.s code "4", addressed to Rangoon, the card written at John Barker's, a scarce destination. Photo on Page 88. £200-250
- 658 ☒ 1935-36 Covers from Rangoon (5) or Myingyan, addressed to India, England (4) or Tanganyika, five with boxed dated "TOO LATE FOR AIR MAIL / RANGOON", the cover to Manyoni franked 6a6p but handstamped boxed "INSUFFICIENTLY PAID FOR / TRANSMISSION BY AIR MAIL". (6). £150-180
- 659 ☒ 1937 (Apr. 1) Burma overprint issue on illustrated First Day Covers (three differing designs) with all values to the 12a, four from Rangoon to India or G.B (3), one from Meiktila franked 11a to New Zealand. (5). £150-180
- 660 ☒ 1938 First "All Up" Air Service, March 2nd flight to England or South Africa, August 1st flight to Australia or New Zealand and August 6th cover to England carried on the first return flight from Australia, November 1st flight to Hong Kong, the first cover from Syriam. All fine, first flight covers from stages 3 and 4 of the scheme uncommon. (6). £200-240
- 661 ☒ 1939 (Nov. 1) CNAC First flight from Rangoon to Chungking, covers with the first flight cachet franked 2a6p + 1r, one a printed first flight cover, the other a CNAC envelope unusually signed by the pilot, this cover with two heavy vertical folds but scarce. (2). £150-180
- 662 ☒ **Singapore.** 1940-41 Censored covers from Rangoon to Singapore franked 14a (3) or 1r, 1941 (Nov. 1) cover franked 3a6p to India then redirected to the Naval Base at Singapore franked 14a with "BASE POST OFFICE - 4 / DELY" arrival c.d.s (Dec. 4), and a cover from Henzada to Penang franked 2a6p but handstamped boxed "INSUFFICIENTLY PAID FOR / TRANSMISSION BY AIR MAIL". (6). £180-220
- 663 ☒ 1940 (Dec. 2) Registered cover from Rangoon to USA endorsed via Chungking, franked KGV 10r pair + KGV 8a, backstamped at Philadelphia and New York, censored. A little shortened at left, otherwise fine, a scarce high rate and use of the KGV 10r. Photo on Page 88. £250-300
- 664 ☒ 1941 (Aug. 26) Long censored cover from Rangoon to New York endorsed via Chungking, franked KGV 1a + 5r pair and single, a scarce use of the 5r and a very high rate of 15r1a. Photo on Page 90. £300-350
- 665 ☒ 1941 (Aug. 30) Registered censored cover from the East Asiatic Co. Ltd in Rangoon, to London inscribed via USA, handstamped "V", franked 5r15a6p, comprising KGV 2a6p pair and KGV 6p, 2a, 4a pair, 2r + 5r (the 6p - 2r stamps all perfined E.A.C), backstamped at Honolulu and New York. An unusual high rate. Photo on Page 88. £180-220
- 666 ☒ 1941 (Sep. 17) Censored cover from The East Asiatic Co Ltd in Rangoon, to New York franked KGV 10r + KGV 4a pair (all perfined E.A.C), a scarce high franking. Photo on Page 88. £200-240



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- 667 ☒ 1941 (Sep. 9) Long censored cover from Rangoon to New York endorsed via Chungking, an exceptional 19r franking comprising KGV 2a6p pair and 15r + KGVI 3p, 1r and 2r, the first 15r very scarce on cover. Photo on Page 90. £450-550
- 668 ☒ 1941 (Nov. 11) Long censored cover from Rangoon to New York endorsed via Chungking, an exceptional 10r15a9p rate comprising KGVI 3p pair and single, 1a strip of three, 4a, 8a and 10r. A very scarce use of the KGVI 10r, the highest value in the set. Photo on Page 90. £250-300
- 669 ☒ 1941 (Dec. 9) Long censored cover from Rangoon to New York “via Clipper”, the 11r rate paid by KGVI 1r + 5r (2), opening tear at left with part censor label removed, otherwise fine and a scarce high franking, posted two days after Pearl Harbour, probably sent from Singapore by surface mail across the Pacific (or possibly by horseshoe route to Durban). Photo on Page 90. £200-250
- 670 ☒ 1942 (Mar. 24 - Apr. 13) O.A.S Covers franked 14a to Bombay and redirected to Durban, or 1r12a to Durban, with “BASE P.O / BURMA” datestamps and violet triangular 378 / F.S free”, both from an officer in the R.I.A.S.C. (2). £120-150
- 671 ☒ 1942 (Mar. 21-30) O.A.S Covers to England franked 1r10a or 1r11a with “BASE P.O / BURMA” datestamps and violet triangular “455 / F.S / FREE”, the first cover endorsed “via Lashio - Calcutta C.N.A.C”, the second cover a little stained. Also a stampless censored O.A.S air mail cover to England endorsed “By Calcutta, Lagos & Lisbon” with violet boxed “TREAT AS PREPAID / AND DELIVER FREE / CALCUTTA G.P.O”, from the “British Military Mission, H.Q C.E.F, Burma”. (3). £180-220

CANADA

(Also see lots 318/9, 435/6)

- 672 △ **Nova Scotia.** c.1865 Piece bearing 1860-65 2c pair (right stamp crossed by heavy vertical fold) and a diagonally bisected 2c to pay a 5c rate, cancelled by two strikes of “A92” Cunard mailboat numeral. The Robson Lowe North America Encyclopaedia (page 383) illustrates a virtually identical 2c bisect (+ pair) piece with “A92” mailboat cancels, very rare. Photo on Page 86. £150-200
- 673 ★ ○ **Prince Edward Island.** 1861-72 Mint and used range including perf 9 2d rose die I unused (no gum, faults) and very scarce 6d yellow-green (S.G. 4) mint, perf 11½-12 6d mint (2) and used (2), 9d used (2), also 2c rose imperforate proof and 2d, 4d, 3c and 12c imperforate proofs in black. S.G. £2,500+. (69). Photo on Page 84. £200-300

CAYMAN ISLANDS

- 674 ○ **Jamaica used in Cayman Islands.** 1889-94 ½d and 2½d with part oval Grand Cayman cancels in violet, the 2½d with some creasing, the ½d fine. S.G. Z1, 4, £1,900. (2). Photo on Page 84. £160-200
- 675 ○ **Jamaica used in Cayman Islands.** 1891 ½d Official overprint with oval Grand Cayman datestamp in violet, fine and scarce. S.G. Z14, £1,400. Photo on Page 84. £250-300
- 676 ○ **Jamaica used in Cayman Islands.** 1892 (Apr. 26) ½d Official overprint with oval Grand Cayman datestamp in violet, fine and scarce. S.G. Z14, £1,400. Photo on Page 84. £250-300
- 677 ★ ○ 1900-26 Mint and used collection on pages including 1900-05 sets mint, 1907 4d and 5/- mint, 6d and 1/- used, 1907 1d on 5/- mint, 1907-09 set mint, 1912-20 set mint (with additional 10/-), War Tax 1½d on 2d grey mint and used both with the identical variety broken “1” in “½” (a major variety which is clearly constant, but unlisted by S.G.), 1921-26 Specimen overprints (9), Multiple Crown CA set mint, Multiple Script CA 10/- mint and 3d with inverted and reversed watermark mint, etc. S.G. £2,000 (approx). (115). Photo on Page 84. £300-350



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- 678 ○ 1907 1d on 5/- Pair used with Cayman Brac datestamps. A very scarce stamp used in Cayman Brac, just one sheet of the 1d surcharge believed to have been sent there, many of which were fiscally used (see “Crisis in the Cayman Islands Post Office” by Graham Booth, page 78). S.G. 19, £800+. Photo on Page 84. £240-280
- 679 ☒ 1907 (Dec. 3) Cover from George Town to Jamaica franked 1d on 5/-, backstamped at Kingston and Half Way Tree (Dec. 7). Light central vertical fold, otherwise fine, a very scarce commercial use of this stamp on cover. S.G. 19. Photo on Page 88. £1,500-2,000
- 680 ★ ○ 1908 1d on 4d, Mint and used with a George Town c.d.s (OC 6 08), both fine. This stamp was issued for revenue use but some examples are known postally used, and this used example seems to be a postal cancel. Mentioned by S.G. in a footnote, priced at £250 mint, unpriced used. Scarce. (2). Photo on Page 84. £150-200
- 681 ☒ 1913 (July 20) Picture postcard from Boddentown to Jamaica franked KEVII 1d carmine, transit and arrival datestamps of Georgetown and Mandeville (Aug 11). A very scarce commercial postcard from Boddentown. £120-150
- 682 (P) 1923 4½d Imperforate proof in blue on unwatermarked ungummed paper, traces of a light crease, otherwise fine. A scarce proof in an unissued colour. Photo on Page 84. £150-180
- 683 ☒ 1924-37 Covers with cancellations of West Bay, Northside, Cayman Brac and Boddentown, the first two commercial covers to George Town or England. (4). £100-120
- 684 ○ △ **Cancellations.** QV-KGV Stamps and pieces including Jamaica ½d with oval violet Grand Cayman datestamp and 1d red with Grand Cayman c.d.s (S.G. Z1, 12, both with severe faults), Rural Post cancels of Grand Cayman (3), East End (6) or West Bay (3), ¼d cancelled by intaglio mailbag seal, QV ½d with “A” within bars cancel, datestamps of Boddentown, East End, West Bay, North Side, Little Cayman or The Creek, Jamaica and G.B arrival datestamps, circular framed “T”, etc. Also 1907 ½d on 1d, ½d on 5/- and 1d on 5/- fiscally used. (68). Photo on Page 84. £200-250



CEYLON



(Also see lots 320/1, 332, 912, 930)

- 685 ☒ 1857 (Mar. 12) Cover to England endorsed “Paid via Southampton” with red manuscript “6”, backstamped superb circular “BADULLA / POST-PAID” with manuscript date, circular “BRITISH PACKET / POSTAGE / PAID” with arrival datestamps of London and Gosport. A fine cover sent three weeks before the first Ceylon stamp was issued. £120-150
- 686 ☒ 1860 (Feb.) Entire to Calcutta “per steamer from Galle” franked 1857-59 imperf 1d (two margins) and 2d (2, one touched at top, otherwise fine with full margins) paying the 5d ship letter rate to India, barred oval cancels, reverse with an unclear despatch datestamp and S.L Calcutta G.P.O arrival datestamps, two violet handstamps of John F. Seybold. An attractive and scarce entire to India. Photo on Page 92. £600-800
- 687 ☒ 1860 (May 20) Entire from Colombo to London franked at the 9d rate via Marseille, bearing 1857-59 imperf 1d + 2d + 6d (all three margins) with barred cancels, London E.C Paid arrival datestamp alongside, backstamped with Colombo Post-Paid datestamp. A fine entire, the part letter mentioning the wreck of the P&O “Malabar”, in which Lord Elgin has lost everything. Photo on Page 92. £500-700
- 688 △ 1860 Front to London via Marseille franked 1857-59 imperf 4d dull rose (cut to shape) + 5d (three margins) paying the 9d rate, well tied by barred cancels, red London Paid arrival c.d.s (Feb. 28), file folds well away from the stamps. An attractive item, the 4d exceptionally rare used on cover, very few fronts or entires recorded. (S.G. 4, £4,500 as a stamp). Photo on Page 92. £1,200-1,500
- 689 ☒ 1865 (Dec. 29) Mourning envelope to London via Marseille franked 1864 perf 12½ 10d vermilion tied by barred cancel, red Kandy Paid and London Paid (29 Jan 66) datestamps, a fine cover. Photo on Page 92. £300-400

- 690  1865 (Nov. 29) Stampless cover to England endorsed "Paid via Marseille", paid in cash with red "10d", almost certainly due to a shortage of stamps at Pusselawe, backstamped superb red "PUSSELAWE / PAID" c.d.s, red Colombo Paid c.d.s applied the following day with a London Paid arrival datestamp (Dec. 26). Opening tear at upper edge, otherwise fine, a very unusual cover paid in cash from a small office. Photo on Page 92. £300-400
- 691  1866 (Jan. 15) Cover to England via Marseille franked 1867-70 10d red-orange tied by barred cancel, a fine Kandy Paid c.d.s alongside, backstamped at Galle and in England, minor staining, otherwise fine. Photo on Page 92. £250-300
- 692  1866 (June 27) Cover to "The Lady Napier, Government House, Madras" and forwarded to Ootacamund, franked 1861-64 perf 14-15 5d chestnut (small tear at upper right corner) tied by barred cancel. Red Trincomalie and Colombo Paid datestamps and a Madras arrival datestamp (July 7), backstamped at Galle, Madras and Ootacamund. An unusual cover, apparently forwarded within India free of charge, presumably because of the addressee, small tear at upper edge and minor creasing, otherwise fine. Photo on Page 92. £400-500
- 693  c.1867 Cover from Kandy to Slave Island, Colombo, franked 1864 1d deep blue tied by two oval barred cancels, red Kandy Paid backstamp, lower flap removed, otherwise fine. £100-150
- 694  1869 (Mar. 15) Entire from Galle to Hong Kong "Per French Mail" franked 1863-65 perf 12½ 2d ochre and 5d grey olive + 1868 1d vertical pair and single, paying the 10d rate, all cancelled by vertical oval "B" obliterators, red Galle Paid c.d.s alongside, backstamped at Hong Kong (Apr. 1). A fine and scarce combination of stamps, unusual to Hong Kong. Photo on Inside Back Cover. £1,200-1,500
- 695  1870 (Apr. 21) Cover from Kandy to Deltota bearing 1868 1d blue tied by vertical oval "C" obliterators, red Paid despatch and arrival datestamps. Very fine, this 1d stamp uncommon on cover. Photo on Page 92. £200-250
- 696  **Postal Stationery.** 1857-64 1d Pale blue envelopes, unused and used from Matura to Galle or Elkadua to Colombo, all with embossed wreath of flowers on flap, the Matura envelope stained, the Elkadua envelope with a little toning and paper adhering to reverse but otherwise fine with a superb red Paid c.d.s. H&G1a. (3). £120-150
- 697  **Postal Stationery.** 1864-67 1d Pale blue envelopes with a single flower in a circle embossed on the flap, used from Nuweralliya to Kandy or Colombo both with red Paid datestamps, one with a couple of ink fingermarks, otherwise fine. H&G1. (2). £180-220
- 698 ○ **Numeral Cancels.** QV Stamps in a stockbook, with numeral cancels from 1 to 118, also A to H, 1857 imperf 2d (3 margins) with "124" cancel of Aden, and three covers. (c.670). £100-150

CHILE

- 699  (F) 1860-66 Entire letter and entires (3) posted between Santiago and Valparaiso all franked 5c (cut into). Also forgeries of first issue 1c, 5c, 10c, 20c with forged target cancels. (8). £70-100
- 700  1869-78 Stampless entire letters (2) and entires (3, one with side portions removed) all from Valparaiso to G.B with differing charge marks, comprising unframed "1/-", "1/6", "2/-" or "3/-", or circular framed "1/6", all endorsed "via Panama", three with Valparaiso or Valparaiso Unpaid (2) British P.O datestamps, the other two with Callao British P.O transit datestamps. An unusual group, the 1/6 and 2/- charge marks shown by Tabcart as types M69, 70, 73 of Liverpool, the 1/- and 3/- charges probably applied in London. (5). £200-250

- 701  1874 Cover from Santiago to Hamburg franked 5c pair, sent via Peru, Panama and G.B, with Callao British P.O backstamp, very scarce circular framed “1/5 / UNPAID” applied in London, showing the amount due from the North German Federation postal authorities to the British P.O. A few minor tone marks, otherwise fine. Photo on Page 108. £200-240
- 702  **British P.O.** 1879 Entire letter from Serena to Wales bearing an uncanceled Chile 10c stamp (paying internal postage), backstamped with blue “COQUIMBO” British P.O c.d.s (Nov. 16) with an unusual small “11d” charge mark. A late cover from the British P.O, the c.d.s unusual in blue. £120-140
- 703 (S) 1927-34 Specimen stamps with 1927 80c overprinted “SPECIMEN” in red, the others all perfined “SPECIMEN”, comprising 1928 official overprint set of five, 1929 10c and 15c, 1928-29 Air Mail overprints (9), 1930 Nitrate Export Centenary set of six, 1934 Centenary of Constitution pair, 1936 400th Anniversary of Discovery of Chile set of twelve, all fine mint. (37). Photo on Page 86. £350-400

CHINA

(Also see lots 198, 751, 854)

- 704 (S) **Szechwan.** 1933-34 Overprinted issues, all 23 issued stamps with violet “SPECIMEN” handstamp, type BEC 2a applied upon arrival by the Bechuanaland Post Office to specimen stamps received from the U.P.U, seventeen stamps applied to an archival piece, six stamps hinged to a second piece. A superb group, unique specimens of all the stamps issued for Szechwan Province. (23). Photo on Page 96. £800-1,000

COLOMBIA

- 705 (S) 1917-20 Stamps (27) and 1918 1c wrapper, including 1917 A.R 4c and 5c, 1917 registration 4c and 10c, 1917 ½c - 10p set of twelve, 1920 3c and 1920-21 ½c - 50c set of eight all handstamped violet “OFICIO”, also 1917 5c and 10c overprinted “Muestra” in black, all fine mint. (30). Photo on Page 78. £350-400

COSTA RICA

- 706 (S) 1883-1910 Stamps (46) and postal stationery (6), various types of Specimen overprint including “Muestra” on 1883 set of five, “SPECIMEN” on 1889 1c - 5p (additional 20c, 1p shades), archival pieces bearing 1907 or 1910 sets of ten with four concentric circles specimen cancel and red circular “POSTES ET TELEGRAPHES / COLLECTION / DE / BERNE / MADAGASCAR”, archival piece with the 1910 set of ten each with the four concentric circles specimen cancel and violet “ULTRAMAR” applied in Lison, etc. A fine and rare group. (52). Photo on Page 96. £1,200-1,400
- 707 (S) 1940-61 Sets including 1940 Pan-American Health Day postage and air issues, 1944 Panama Boundary Treaty, 1945 Air sets, etc., all overprinted “MUESTRA” (various types), fine mint. The 1961 stamps were the final stamps from any country to received a Specimen overprint before being sent to the U.P.U for distribution to member countries. (145). Photo on Page 78. £1,400-1,600

CUBA

- 708 (S) 1898 1m - 5m Orange-brown (inscribed “1898 y 99”) handstamped violet “MUESTRA” type 3, all in strips of five (as distributed by the U.P.U), fine mint, very scarce in strips. (5 strips). Photo on Page 84. £250-300
- 709 (S) 1936-38 Stamps handstamped “MUESTRA” (type A, 28x6mm), including air and express delivery issues, 1938 Cancer and T.B Fund charity stamps, two examples of the 1938 Key West to Havana first flight 5c with the handstamp on reverse to avoid obliterating the overprint, all fine mint. From 1902 onwards Specimen stamps of Cuba were distributed in normal unused condition with the exception of these 1936-38 issues. (42). Photo on Page 78 £400-450



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- 710 Ⓢ 1939 Birth Centenary of General Garcia, 2c red and 5c blue in imperforate and perforated strips of three, the four strips affixed to an archival piece from the Mauritania Post Office Specimen collection, all handstamped violet “SPECIMEN / COLLECTION / MAURITANIE”. A unique archival piece. (4 strips). £100-120

CYPRUS

(Also see lots 878, 1471)

- 711 ★ 1880 1d Red plate 181 with Cyprus overprint, QG superb mint, original gum. S.G. 2, £500. Photo on Page 84. £100-120
- 712 ★ ○ 1880 4d Sage-green overprinted Cyprus, mint singles with original gum (2, shades, one with two tiny ink marks), used single with “C” cancel of the British Post Office at Constantinople, and HJ-HL strip of three with “969” cancels of Nicosia. S.G. 4, £1,280. (6). Photo on Page 84. £180-220
- 713 ○ 1881 Half-Penny surcharge (16mm) on 1d red plate 216, JG fine used with “975” cancel of Limassol. S.G. 8, £500. Photo on Page 84. £100-120
- 714 ○ 1882-86 Die I ½pi emerald-green used, fine and scarce. S.G. 16, £500. Photo on Page 84. £100-120
- 715 ○ 1886 ‘½’ on ½pi Surcharge, watermark Crown CC, fractions 8mm apart, used with Larnaca squared circle of MY 27 86, the first day of issue of this stamp. A little colour loss as is usual for this issue, otherwise fine and an unusual first day use. S.G. 28, £425. Photo on Page 84. £100-120
- 716 Ⓢ 1894-96 30pa - 45pi Specimen set of ten, affixed with part own gum to a printed Swedish album page, from the Royal Swedish General Post Office U.P.U Specimen Collection. S.G. 40/9, £350 as stamps. (10). £100-120
- 717 Ⓢ 1921-23 KGV Multiple Script CA 10pa orange and green, 30pa violet and green, 1pi carmine and blue, 2pi blue and purple and 4pi all overprinted “SPECIMEN”, fine mint, original gum; and Specimens of the same 10pa, 1pi, 2pi and 4pi stamps without gum each also handstamped violet “COLONIAS”, applied by the Portuguese receiving authority, these Colonias stamps toned and the 1pi with a blunt upper right corner, but still a scarce group. Also KGV and KGV stamps including R.P.O and Rural Service cancels. (160). £100-120
- 718 ✉ △ 1881-1976 Covers and cards, and a few fronts, including V.R Khrysokho Rural Service cancel tying QV ½pi to cover, 1932 Stampless official cover with G.R Exometokhi Rural Service handstamp, 1943 covers from refugees at Pedhoulas to the Red Cross in Nicosia (3), 1951-52 cover to USA sent by diplomatic bag with Cyprus stamps cancelled in Washington D.C. (4), c.1955 stampless O.H.M.S. cover to an “Eoka” detainee in Camp X with circular violet “PASSED / CENSOR” (opening faults), post-war British forces mail, etc. (86). £250-350

CZECHOSLOVAKIA

- 719 Ⓢ **Bohemia & Moravia.** 1939-41 Postage, Postage Due, Newspaper, Personal Delivery and Red Cross Relief issues, all stamps until the Prague Fair issue at September 1941 in horizontal or vertical strips of three on archival pages or pieces from the Mauritania Post Office U.P.U Specimen collection, all handstamped violet “SPECIMEN / COLLECTION / MAURITANIE”. A unique and exceptional archival group. (90 strips). Photo on Page 208. £1,800-2,200

DENMARK

(Also see lot 437)

- 720 ○ ★ 1851-2002 Used collection in three Davo albums including 1851 2R.B.S, 1854-59 set, 1863 rouletted set, 1919-41 Parcel Post set, 1924 Air set, newspaper stamps, postage dues, officials, mint miniature sheets, Danish West Indies, etc. S.G. £7,000 (approx). (3 Albums). Photo on Page 84. £400-500



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DOMINICA

- 721 ★ ○ 1874-90 QV Issues, mint and used collection on pages with 1874 and 1877-79 Crown CC sets, 1882-83 surcharges, 1883-88 and 1886-90 Crown CA sets all mint and used, 1886 ½d on 6d and 1d and 1/- surcharges with varieties, additional stamps with Crown CA 4d Grey malformed “CE” mint and used, Crowned Circle cancels, G.B 6d on piece cancelled “A07” (faults), 1888 1d rose bisect on piece, Specimens, forgeries, etc., a few faults. S.G. 1/26, £4,000 (approx). (132). Photo on Page 84.
£500-600
- 722 ★ 1879 4d Blue, malformed “CE” in “PENCE”, mint, a couple of short perfs at left and some gum accumulation on upper perfs, scarce. S.G. 7a, £1,600. Photo on Page 84.
£200-240
- 723 ⑤ 1886-1910 Specimen overprints, comprising 1886-88 ½d - 6d set of six and 1903 ½d - 5/- set of ten, affixed by part own gum to a printed Swedish album page, from the Royal Swedish General Post Office U.P.U Specimen collection. S.G. £475 as stamps. (15).
£140-160
- 724 ⑤ 1886 4d Grey, malformed “CE” in “PENCE”, overprinted “SPECIMEN”, fine mint, very rare, just six Specimen stamps possible with this variety. S.G. 24as. Photo on Page 84.
£150-200
- 725 ★ ○ 1903-33 Mint and used collection on pages with 1903-07, 1907-08 and 1908-20 sets used, 1920 War Tax 1½d on 2½d black surcharge with short fraction bar used (2, one on cover), 1921-22 2/- and 2/6 used, 1923-33 £1 used with Pointe Michel c.d.s, a few Specimen overprints, etc. S.G. 27/91, £2,300 (113 + 4 covers). Photo on Page 100.
£300-350
- 726 ⑤ 1908 ½d Blue-green with “SPECIMEN” overprint reading downwards, on piece cut from an archive page. The normal U.P.U Specimen overprint on this issue reads upwards; this inverted overprint believed to be from the De la Rue archives. Small paper adherence on face, otherwise fine and scarce. Photo on Page 100.
£100-120
- 727 ○ **Leeward Islands used in Dominica.** 1890-1903 QV stamps used in Dominica all with village cancels including manuscript cancels of Vieille Case, St. Joseph and Wesley (2), Laplaine c.d.s with day in manuscript, other datestamps of Coulibistrie, Dublanc (2), Mahaut (2), etc. A very scarce group. (28). Photo on Page 98.
£350-400
- 728 ○ △ **Leeward Islands used in Dominica.** 1890-1932 Stamps and pieces including QV 1890 ½d - 5/- set of eight, and the three 1902 1d surcharges on a single piece, village cancels (25) with Mahaut, etc. (70 + cover).
£150-180
- 729 ○ **Manuscript Cancels.** 1876-90 Stamps (mainly 1d values) with manuscript cancels of Wesley (3), Colihaut, Vieille Case, Rosalie, Portsmouth (2), Soufriere, “CB” (2, Castle Bruce?), others possibly revenue uses, a few faults, a scarce group. (19). Photo on Page 98.
£300-400
- 730 ○ ☒ **Cancellations.** 1903-38 KEVII and KGV Stamps with village cancels including Castle Bruce, Coulibistrie, Delices, Dublanc, Grand Bay, Mahaut, Vieille Case, etc., (146 + cover). Also maritime cancels or overseas cancels (74 + 3 coves) including handstruck (2) or manuscript “YARE”, paquebots, cancels from various other West Indies islands, etc. An interesting lot. (220 + 4 covers). Photo on Page 100.
£300-350
- 731 ★ ○ **Revenues/Postal Fiscals.** 1879-88 Selection including 1879 1d, 6d (2, one inverted watermark), 1/- mint, 1d, 6d (2) and 1/- postally used, 1888 1d lilac mint and postally used, 1d rose mint (2, faults) and postally used (2), etc. S.G. R1/6, £960+. (28).
£100-120
- 732 ☒ **Postal Stationery.** 1882 (July 11) Formula postcard franked 1d + ½d, addressed to Stafford Smith & Co., sadly reduced at left by about 11mm, only 100 cards printed, about half a dozen used examples recorded. Also 1894 Leeward Islands 1d reply card, reply half correctly used from England to Dominica, corner faults. (2).
£100-120



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DOMINICAN REPUBLIC

- 733 Ⓢ 1933-43 Postage, Postage due, Registration and Air stamps (71) and 1935 13c postal stationery registration envelope, all handstamped "Muestra" (various types), the 1935 8c on 7c and 30c on 8c registration stamps unusually with an additional handstamp on reverse, all fine mint. (72). Photo on Page 100. £700-800
- 734 Ⓢ ✉ 1935 13c Postal stationery registration envelope handstamped violet "Muestra" type 2, fine and unusual. £80-100
- 735 Ⓢ 1940-41 Stamps in vertical or horizontal strips of three, comprising 1940 Air Post 10c, 15c, 20c, Rowland Hill 3c and 7c, Mothers Day set of four, Military Hospital ½c, 1941 Fortress and Statue set of four, Express 10c (both colours), Insured letter 8c and 30c, Trujillo-Hull Treaty 3c - 17c, affixed to ten archival pieces from the Mauritania Post Office Specimen collection all handstamped violet "SPECIMEN / COLLECTION / MAURITANIE". A unique archival group. (23 strips). £350-400

ECUADOR

- 736 Ⓢ 1928-47 Postage, Air, Official and Postal Tax stamps hinged to six pages from the Saudi Arabian Post Office Specimen collection, English and Arabic wording on the reverse, including 1929 Scadta 50c - 25s set of ten and 1s with "R" overprint all cancelled by "SERVICIO DE TRANSPORTES AEREO / GUAYAQUIL" c.d.s dated 13 VII 1928 which was only applied to specimen sets prior to sending to the U.P.U for distribution to member countries. (241). £250-300

EGYPT

(Also see lots 302/4, 438, 821, 1481, 1495)

- 737 ✉ 1865 (July 4) Entire letter from Hamburg to Singapore, sent via the British Post Office at Alexandria, bearing G.B 1865 1/- plate 4 marginal pair each cancelled "B01" cancels to Singapore, also with a "HAMBURG" c.d.s. on the front, backstamped at Triest (July 7), Alexandria (July 13) and Singapore (Aug. 11). Minor toning and ink erosion to inscriptions, horizontal file fold, still a very unusual and scarce letter from Hamburg to Singapore sent via Egypt, with British stamps added in transit. Photo on Page 108. £200-£250
- 738 Ⓢ **Meters.** 1920 Piece bearing proof impressions of the first type 2m, 4m, 5m, 10m and 50m meter in violet, sent to the U.P.U as specimens for distribution to member countries, this piece forwarded to the Mauritania Post Office, affixed to part archive page and handstamped violet "SPECIMEN / COLLECTION / MAURITANIE", the page dated in 1951 when an audit of the archive was taken. A remarkable U.P.U Specimen page. Also see lot 779. Photo on Page 96. £220-260

FALKLAND ISLANDS

(Also see lot 1456)

- 739 ★ 1912-20 3/-, 5/- Deep rose-red, 5/- maroon, 10/- and £1 all superb mint. S.G. 66/9, £1,000. (5). Photo on Page 86. £200-250
- 740 ★ 1929-37 Whale and Penguin ½d - £1 set of thirteen with additional line perf 1d, 4d, 6d and 1/-, all fine mint. S.G. 116/26, £895. (17). Photo on Page 98. £180-220

FIJI

- 741 ★ ○ 1938-55 ½d - £1 Set unmounted mint and fine used, also additional 2d stamps and six covers including 1942 (May 19) 2d F.D.C. S.G. 249/66b, £415+. (76 + 6 covers). £80-100

FINLAND

- 742 ○ ★ 1856-2002 Used collection in two Davo albums including 1856 5k pen cancelled (thin), 10k (cut into), 1860 5k with full roulettes, 1866-71 5p and 1m with full roulettes (1m, S.G. 48 with 2003 A.P.S Certificate), 1875-81 set, 1885 set, 1891 set (3½r with 1995 A.P.S Certificate), 1901-15 10m (all three colours), 1925-29 set, 1930 Zeppelin 10m, parcel post, military post with “1983” overprint Faltpost stamp used on commercial card, Karelia, Ingermanland, also some mint miniature sheets and booklets. Fine quality, virtually complete from 1895. S.G. £4,000. (approx). (2 Albums). Photo on Page 98.
£250-300
- 743 ★ 1921 2m, 3m and 25m Single impressions within a pane of 25 stamp spaces, 3m pane with light diagonal crease, otherwise superb mint, produced for specimen distribution by the U.P.U but also sold to the public, these three panes sold to the public with the scarce printed envelope in which these panes were enclosed. Facit 2,400kr +. (3).
£150-180

FRANCE & COLONIES

(Also see lots 440/2, 1510, 1619/23, 1625/6)

- 744 ☒ 1850 (Mar. 28) Cover from Paris to London bearing 1849 20c black (4, three with four margins, one just touched at right), London and Witham arrival datestamps on the front, fine. Photo on Page 108. £300-400
- 745 ○ ★ 1849-2002 Used collection in four Davo albums including 1849-50 10c - 40c (15c, 40c three margins), 1852 10c, 1853-60 set (1f thinned), 1869 5f, 1870-71 set (2c, 4c mint), 1871 unissued 10 on 10c mint (thinned), 1876-85 sets (both types), 1877-90 set, 1917-19 and 1922-27 War Orphans sets, 1923 Bordeaux Philatelic Congress 1f, 1927 Strasbourg Philatelic Exhibition pair, 1929 Le Havre Philatelic Exhibition 2f, 1928-31 Sinking Fund sets, 1937 PEXIP miniature sheet, air issues with 1927 Marseille Aviation Display pair, 1936 50f green and 50f ultramarine, postage dues with 1859 Lithographed 10c, 1871-78set, 1881-92 set (5f black with Schollmeyer Certificate), 1884-91 set, also mint miniature sheets including 1925 Paris Philatelic Exhibition, 1927 Strasbourg Philatelic Exhibition, 1937 PEXIP. A fine collection, unusually complete. S.G. £32,000+. (4 Albums). Photo on Page 98. £2,000-2,500
- 746 Ⓢ 1889-1903 Issues for various Colonies or Post Offices abroad, all applied by own part gum to pages from the Royal Swedish General Post Office Specimen collection, mainly Peace & Commerce sets, with stamps from Post Offices in China (21), Crete (15), Turkey (15), Cavalla (7), Dedeagh (7), Morocco (7), Anjouan (17), Diego Suarez (39), Madagascar (28), French Guyana (34), French India (17), French Oceania (17), Grand Comoro (17), French Sudan (17), Guadeloupe (31), Ivory Coast (17), Benin (26), Martinique (19), Mayetta (18), New Caledonia (38), Nossi Be (21), Reunion (32), Ste. Marie de Madagascar (13), Senegal (30), Tahiti (8), some scarce stamps, high catalogue value. (511).
£1,200-1,500
- 747 ☒ **Paris Pneumatic Post.** 1880-1949 Postal stationery, postcards, envelopes, lettercards and a Money Order form, unused (12) or used (11), also 1907 privately produced envelope used with 5c + 25c stamps. (24).
£100-120
- 748 Ⓢ **French Colonies - Forgeries.** The accumulation of forgeries from many colonies in a stockbook, many 1892 “tablet” issues, also forged surcharges and overprints, etc. (100s).
£100-150
- 749 Ⓢ **French Sudan.** 1921 5c - 1f Postage Due set of eight and 1927 2f on 1f and 3f on 1f postage dues each handstamped violet “COLONIAS”, applied in Lisbon to Specimen stamps received from the U.P.U for distribution to the Portuguese Colonies, the ten stamps on an archival piece from the Goa Post Office Specimen collection. Unique. (10).
£240-280
- 750 Ⓢ **Guadeloupe.** 1944 Provisional Surcharge issue 40c on 35c, 50c on 25c, 1f on 65c and 4f on 1f.05 on 2f, all handstamped “Specimen” type 1, fine mint. The only stamps of Guadeloupe to receive a Specimen handstamp before being sent to the U.P.U for distribution to member countries. Scarce. (4). Photo on Page 98.
£280-320

- 751 Ⓢ **Indo-China Post Office in Pakhoi.** 1903 1c - 5f, the fourteen values issued in 1903 (missing the 25c black on rose and 50c brown on azure issued in 1904) all handstamped Specimen type R3, applied in Rhodesia to Specimen stamps received from the U.P.U. A few minor perf faults, otherwise fine mint, a unique set. (14). Photo on Page 98. £800-1,000
- 752 ★ **Madagascar.** 1902 10c Surcharge on Diego Suarez 50c carmine, fine mint, very scarce. S.G. 36, £5,000. Photo on Page 78. £200-250

Air Mails

- 753 ✉ **Djibouti.** 1929-37 Covers including 1929 first flight to Dire-Daoua with “1 SERVICE AVION” applied to the three stamps, 1931 flight to Addis Abbeba (June 3) and return flight (June 17), 1931 Goulette & Salel flight to Paris (2), 1932 (May 13) flight to Rome, etc. (7). £160-180
- 754 ✉ **Madagascar.** 1929-31 Pioneer flights with 1929 (Oct.) attempted flight from Paris by Goulette, Marchesseau and Bourgeois, covers and cards flown to Fort Lamy (with registered C.O.P), Kanda, Brazzaville or Gao; 1929 (Dec.) first flight from Paris with covers to Ouagadougou or Madagascar (3) or Madagascar to Paris; and 1931 (Dec.) Puillet and Arrachart Madagascar to Paris flight. Stamps include 1926-27 War Orphans 1f + 25c and 5f + 1f (2). (10 + C.O.P). £280-350
- 755 ✉ **Madagascar.** 1930-40 Covers with 1930 (Mar. 14) Leopoldville to Paris flight; 1935 first regular Paris to Madagascar service covers flown from Monaco to Madagascar or Fort Lamy to Elisabethville; 1936 (Mar. 25) Diego Suarez to Tananarive; 1936 Algeria to Madagascar by LANA and SABENA and Madagascar to France by Air Africa first flights; 1936 (Oct. 28) Aero Club of Madagascar flight around the island with backstamps of twelve towns, etc. (14). £200-250
- 756 ✉ **New Caledonia / Australia.** 1931-44 Covers with 1931 (May 4) cover from Hanoi to Sydney, returned and forwarded to France; 1939 (Mar. 23) Martinet flight from Noumea to Marseille, pilot signed; 1940 Noumea to New Zealand first Panam flight (2); and 1944 New Caledonia Red Cross envelope from Canala to Geneva with New Caledonia censor cachet and seal. (5). £120-150
- 757 ✉ **North Africa.** 1919-36 Covers and cards flown from or to Morocco (12), Algeria (6) or Tunisia (5), including 1926 (Nov. 30) Tunis to Nice, 1929 (Mar. 4) Tunis to Antibes, early commercial flights to and from Morocco, 1926 (Nov. 11) Algiers to Marseille pilot signed, etc. (23). £130-150

Martinique

- 758 ✉ 1751-66 Entire letters to France, the first with “I. DUFOREST / A. BORDEAUX” forwarding agents cachet on reverse (part flap missing, clear of cachet), the second endorsed as privately carried by Captain Dauvial. The 1751 letter the earliest recorded F.A.C of France. (2). £100-150
- 759 ✉ **Bordeaux.** 1756-1837 Entire letters and entires all landed as ship letters at Bordeaux, handstamps include small circular crowned “B” of 1756, circular “BORD X · COL” of 1788, unframed “COLONIES PAR / BORDEAUX” (2), framed “PAYS D’OUTREMER / PAR BORDEAUX” or “PAYS D’OUTREMER” with a Bordeaux c.d.s, the 1788 letter with scarce “LA MARTINIQUE” handstamp, five others with “MARTINIQUE” handstamps (2 types), all fine. (7). Photo on Page 108. £400-500
- 760 ✉ **Cherbourg.** 1815-29 Entire letters landed as ship letters at Cherbourg, with scarce boxed “COL. PAR CHERBOURG” or boxed “PAYS D’OUTREMER / PAR CHERBOURG” with a “MARTINIQUE” handstamp. (2). £150-180
- 761 ✉ **La Flotte.** 1735 Entire letter to Bordeaux, landed as a ship letter at La Flotte, with “LA FLOTE” handstamp, minor discoloration to a horizontal file fold, otherwise fine and scarce. £100-120



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- 762 ☒ **Le Havre.** 1774-1839 Entire letters or entires landed as ship letters at Le Havre, with unframed curved “COL. FRANCOISE / PAR / LE / HAVRE”, red unframed “COLONIES PAR / LE HAVRE”, boxed “PAYS D’OUTREMER / PAR LE HAVRE” (2) or “BUREAU MARITIME (HAVRE)” c.d.s, three with “MARTINIQUE” handstamps. (5). £200-240
- 763 ☒ **Marseille.** 1785-88 Entire letters landed as ship letters at Marseille all with unframed “COLON · FRANC / PAR MARSEILLE” and “MARTINIQUE”, two also with straight line or small curved “COLONIES” handstamps in red. (3). £240-300
- 764 ☒ **Nantes.** 1821-30 Entire letters or entires landed as ship letters at Nantes, with unframed “COLONIES PAR / NANTES” (2) or boxed “PAYS D’OUTREMER / PAR NANTES” (2), three with “MARTINIQUE” handstamps. (4). £150-180
- 765 ☒ 1833-66 Entire letters or entires, the first from France to Martinique, the others from Martinique (6) or from French Guyana sent via Martinique, all with St. Pierre datestamps. (8). £150-200
- 766 ★ ○ 1872-1939 Mint and used collection, with covers (17), including 1872-80 imperf French Colonies issues mint (55) with 1877-78 15c grey (2), 75c carmine (2), 1880 25c ochre on yellow (2), or used in Martinique (47); and Martinique issues from 1912 with 1920 inverted or double surcharges used on cover (5, on three covers), 1924 (Feb.) inverted surcharges, etc. (193 + 17 covers). £200-250

GAMBIA

- 767 ⑤ 1887-1902 Specimen overprints, comprising 1887-93 ½d, 1d, 2d and 6d, 1898 ½d - 1/- set of eight, and 1902 ½d - 1/- and 2/-, affixed with part own gum to a printed Swedish album page, from the Royal Swedish General Post Office Specimen collection. S.G. £600 (+ KEVII issue) as stamps. (21). £280-320
- 768 ⑤ 1902 KEVII ½d - 3/- set of twelve overprinted “SPECIMEN”, additionally handstamped “ULTRAMAR” in violet, applied in Lisbon to Specimen stamps received from the U.P.U for distribution to Portuguese Colonies, no gum, otherwise fine and scarce. (12). Photo on Page 98. £300-350
- 769 ★ ○ 1902-71 Mint and used collection including 1912-22 ½d, 2d (2), 6d and 1/- split “A” variety all mint, etc. S.G. £2,000 (approx). (190). £200-250
- 770 ⑤ 1909 KEVII 1d and 3d - 3/-, the 4d, 5d, 7½d and 10d in rejoined pairs; and 1912-22 KGV 1d - 4d and 7½d - 3/-, the 1d, 1½d, 3d, 4d, 7½d, 1/6 and 2/6 all in rejoined pairs, all overprinted “SPECIMEN” with part circular handstamp applied by upon receipt at Gabon, no gum with some discoloration or surface faults to a few stamps, nevertheless a unique group. (36). Photo on Page 98. £650-750
- 771 ○ △ **Cancellations.** QV-QEII Stamps and pieces in an album with “Received” c.d.s, dumb target type cancels or circle of parallel bars, village cancels with Basse, Kunta-Ur, Fatoto, Karantaba, Brikama, Cape St. Mary, Parcel Post c.d.s, Paquebots, Wireless Station, etc. Also 1906 1d on 3d used block of four, and 1912 3d with split “A” variety used. (c.240) £120-150

GERMANY

(Also see lots 443/5, 719, 737, 1123, 1507, 1516, 1573, 1576)

- 772 ★ ○ 1872-1988 Collection in five albums, mainly used until 1902 and mint from 1905, including 1874 9 on 9k used, West and East Germany issues both complete mint for 1949-88, Berlin Western Sector issues complete mint for 1946-88, French Zone, Soviet Zone, U.S and British Zone and Allied Occupation all mint and largely complete, shades, many plate, gum, watermark and perforation varieties, the mint stamps mostly mounted, otherwise fine. S.G. £20,000 (approx). (5 Albums). Photo on Page 86. £800-1,000
- 773 ★ ○ 1940-48 WW2 Occupation issues, Displaced Persons Camp posts, a few propaganda forgeries, Ghetto issue banknotes, etc., and a few WW1 issues, in an album. Also an album of Bohemia & Moravia. £100-150

- 774 ☒ ○ The large accumulation of stamps and covers including collections of Freemasonry, Oberammergau, perfin (with a few “POL” issues, one on 1938 cover), Berlin special registration labels of 1970-72, also some postal stationery, a few books, etc. (Many 100s). £150-200
- 775 ☒ **First Day Covers.** 1949-77 F.D.Cs in seven albums comprising West Germany for 1949-76 with all Humanitarian Relief Fund sets from 1952, Berlin Western Sector for 1950-77 with all 1951-53 sets, and Saar for 1951-58. S.G. £1,500+ as stamps. (7 Albums). £150-200
- 776 ★ **Booklets, Booklet and Coil Stamps.** 1910-82 Mint collection in two albums including S.G. SB12, 13, 14, 15, 19, 22, 23, 25, 26, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 35, 39, 41, 46 booklets complete, other booklets with covers only and separate panes (S.G. 17, 18, 20, 34, etc), many complete panes, se-tenant and tete-beche pairs or strips, also booklets and stamps for Berlin and East Germany with further issues in three stockbooks and on pages. All mint, virtually all unmounted, a fine collection. S.G. £20,000++. (5 Albums). Photo on Page 104. £1,500-2,000
- 777 ★ **Booklets.** 1947-80 Booklets including 1948 Air Mail label booklet, West Germany with 1951 2.50m numeral & posthorn issue booklets (4, S.G. SB50, £950 each), 1955 2.50m booklet (4, S.G. SB51), also some mint and used panes, a few booklets exploded, some C.T.O booklets, a good lot. S.G. £6,000+. (c.240). £300-400
- 778 ★ ○ **Local Stamps.** 1945-46 Local Issues including overprints on Hitler Head issues, many towns, some scarce (533). Also a study of the 1861-63 local issues of Hamburg showing genuine stamps, reprints and forgeries. (c.650). £200-250
- 779 Ⓔ **Meters.** c.1922 Envelope with five meter essays in black each with a differing town name, values from 10pf to 1m, the five essays in the five designs adopted for the first meter machine of Egypt (used in Cairo in Feb/March 1922, see lot 738). Rare and interesting early meter essays. £100-120
- 780 ★ ○ 1849-1959 German States, occupation issues, German colonies, Plebiscite issues, Danzig and Saar, the well filled Schaubek album, virtually all mint (with some used German states), including Bavaria and other states with many better stamps (some possible forgeries); Marienwerder 1920 50pf overprint; Saar first issue to 80pf; Danzig; Memel; P.O in Morocco with 1900 set, 1905 set; P.O in Turkey with 1884 set; Cameroon with C.E.F 2s on 2m; Caroline Islands; Kiautschou; Mariannas 1901 set; German East Africa; Samoa 1900 set; South West Africa unissued 1897 25pf and 50pf, etc. A good lot. (100s). Photo on Page 98. £500-600
- 781 ☒ **Postal Stationery.** 1873-1949 Mint postal stationery (mainly postcards and reply cards), the collection written up in nine albums including commemorative and pictorial cards, WW1 and WW2 occupation issues, Colonies and P.Os abroad, Pneumatic Post, Money Order cards, printed to private order, Danzig, Saar, French Zone, Russia cards overprinted for Pleskau or Luga, etc., all fine. (9 Albums). £250-300
- 782 ☒ **Leipzig Trade Fair.** 1875-2009 Covers and cards, cancels, picture postcards, labels, ephemera, the extensive collection well written up in seven large albums, about half pre-1940, a fine collection. (100s). £600-800
- 783 ☒ **Leipzig Trade Fair.** 1897 Fair, the well written up collection in an album with Louis Godard balloon card bearing oval “Luftstation des Fesselballons uber Leipzig” cachet postally used, other balloon cards (2), other picture postcards all finely printed in colour, exhibition cancels, labels, postal stationery cards with printed views, booklet of scenes of Leipzig and the exhibition area, promotional notebook, Lipsia local post stamps and covers, etc. £200-300
- 784 ☒ **Leipzig Trade Fair - Air Mails.** 1921-90 Flown covers from the Leipzig trade fairs including 1928 invitation card to USA flown by Graf Zeppelin, 1936 Zeppelin flights (5, two posted on board), 1939 Zeppelin flights (2), etc., in two albums. (287+). £150-200
- 785 ☒ **Leipzig Trade Fair.** The large accumulation of covers, picture postcards, brochures, ephemera, badges, a few books, etc. (Many 100s). £150-200

- 786 ☒ **Leipzig Exhibitions and Fairs.** 1897-1990 Postcards, covers, cancels, labels and ephemera, the collection written up in six albums including studies of the 1913 Turnfest, builders trade exhibition and inauguration of the Peoples War Memorial, 1914 Universal Exhibition of Book Publishers, also Leipzig Technical Fairs, amusement fairs, agricultural touring exhibitions, Esperanto congresses, etc., and Leipzig views, cancels and perfins. An interesting collection, mainly pre-1940. (750+). £250-300
- 787 ★ ☒ **Upper Silesia.** 1920 Stamps and covers, the collection well written up on pages, with additional items loose, including surcharge varieties, 5pf on 15pf violet mint (2), Plebiscite overprint varieties, circular “C.I.H.S” handstamped overprints on 2pf-75pf and National Assembly set of four mint (all expertised as genuine but offered “as-is”, also 2½pf used) and forgeries, official stamps overprinted “C.I.H.S” with numerous varieties, covers from many different offices, propaganda labels, Polish “O.S” overprints including use on covers, etc. Also the specialised German Handbook. A fine collection, huge catalogue if all genuine. (100s). £800-1,200
- 788 ☒ **Saar.** 1915-69 Covers and cards including postal stationery, air mails, etc. (95) £100-150
- 789 ★ ○ **Saar.** 1947-59 Mint and used collections in five albums, well written up with varieties, multiples and covers, including 1948 Flood Disaster Relief miniature sheet unmounted and postage set used with additional 12f + 8f, Air 25f + 2f used (2) and miniature sheet unmounted, 1949 Youth Hostels 8f + 5f (3) and 10f + 7f (4) used, 1949 National Relief Fund set mint and used, 1950 Adolf Kolping 15f + 5f used, 1950 Stamp Day 15f + 5f mint (2) and used (3, two on maximum cards), 1950 Council of Europe 200f mint (2) and used, 1950 and 1951 Relief Fund sets mint and used, also Officials with 1949 set mint, Return to Germany issues, etc. A fine collection. S.G. £9,000+-. (100s). £600-800

The Norddeutscher Lloyd

- 790 ☒ 1897-1912 Menus (3), menu postcards (19) and other postcards (6) including 1896-97 coloured menus and postcards given to passengers on ships (2) all pre-dating the first combined menu and postcard, the earliest recorded menu postcard from November 1897 and other early menu postcards from 1897-99; 1907 poster type cards produced for the NDL 50th Anniversary (3); fourteen cards postally used with 1899 card posted at Saipan franked Marianas 10pf with violet oval “YSLAS MARIANAS / (crown) / YSLA DE SAIPAN”, 1899 “Speise-Karte” posted on the “Prinz Heinrich” from Hong Kong with Kais Deutsche Marine Schiffspost No. 39 c.d.s, other Seepost cancels (5), etc. A fine lot. (28). £250-300
- 791 ☒ 1899-1910 Complete menus with an integral postcard (17) and postcards removed from menus (93), also a menu depicting the North Cape posted from Trondheim, other menus or passenger lists (2) and postcards (4), the menu postcards including pictures of passengers on or alongside ships, youths in maritime scenes, national costume, sailing ships and/or steamers, views of Germany, scenes from Hauffs Phantasia “Baccus the Goddess of wine”, etc., one complete menu posted at Tientsin franked China 10pf, 43 other menu postcards postally used including Seepost cancels (10, one franked china overprint 10pf) and Kais Deutsche Marine Schiffspost No. 6 c.d.s on a stampless card from the hospital ship “Gera” at Aden when returning from the Boxer campaign in China. A fine lot, very attractive postcards and menus. (117). £600-700
- 792 1891-1910 Ships menus (54) without postcards, all superbly printed in colour with views of Mediterranean or Channel ports, ships, pretty ladies, etc., many with music programmes on the reverse, also passenger lists (2) and menu postcards (2), a fine lot. (58). £480-550



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- 793 ☒ 1904-10 Complete menus with an integral postcard (12), and menu postcards (64) all finely printed in colour, with view of Mediterranean or Channel ports, twenty postally used. (76). £450-500
- 794 ☒ 1884-1913 Postcards, covers and ephemera concerning the transatlantic route including printed log sheets (4), 1865 brochure from the NDL agent in New York, picture postcards (22, six with Seepost cancels), also postcards of the 1900 fire at the NDL Dock at Hoboken (18), books, etc. (67). £280-320
- 795 ☒ 1898-1915 Picture postcards (162), passenger lists (4) and other ephemera (6) depicting various ships or ship's captains, 29 cards with Seepost cancels. (172). £580-650

GOLD COAST

- 796 ○ **Revenues.** 1899-1903 QV (17) and KEVII (8) stamps with "JUDICIAL" overprints, including all QV and KEVII from 2/- to 20/-, also QV postage stamps to the 20/-, all fiscally used. (66). £180-220

GREECE

- 797 Ⓢ 1922 Revolution overprints, all postage and postage due handstamped violet "Specimen" applied prior to sending to the U.P.U, single examples of each stamp distributed to U.P.U member countries due to a shortage of available specimens, all fine mint. Ex Marcus Samuel. Hellas 398/455s, €1,740. (58). Photo on Page 86. £600-700

GREENLAND

- 798 ○ ★ 1938-2013 Used collection in two Davo albums with both 1945 sets, also some mint including 1945 Liberation set, some miniature sheets and 2000-2006 year packs, fine quality, complete to 2010. S.G. £1,500+. (2 Albums). £200-250

GRENADA

- 799 ☒ **G.B used in Grenada.** 1858 (July 25) Entire to England, the 1/- double rate paid by 6d pair (one with small corner fault) each cancelled "A15", reverse with "GRENADA" double arc datestamp with "25" inverted. Horizontal file fold, recipients file note partly over the right stamp, otherwise fine. Photo on Page 108. £150-200
- 800 Ⓟ 1861 Imperforate 1d and 6d (2) proofs in rose, (shades), one 6d proof on horizontally laid paper (just touched at left), the 1d proof with small thin, marginal 6d proof with pressed crease. (3). Photo on Page 98. £250-300
- 801 ★ ○ 1861-81 Chalon Head issues, mint and used collection on pages with no watermark 1d mint and used (4), 6d used, various later watermarks, perfs and shades, 1864 1d with unusual violet "SPECIMEN" handstamp (16 x 2½mm sans serif lettering with stop), 1863 6d rose unused, 1879 Small Star perf 15 1d pale green unused, 1875 1/- with "SPECIMEN" overprint type GR1 across two stamps (left stamp with preprinting fold), 1881 Large Star 2½d with "PENCF" or no stop varieties used, 1881 2½d Broad Star used (2), 4d mint, also 1881 ½d mint marginal block of four with marginal watermark inverted, imperf plate proof without value in black, etc. (75). Photo on Page 98. £400-500
- 802 ★ ☒ 1875 1d Perf 14, watermark Large Star, mint block of four with double vertical perforations, the lower pair with further additional vertical and horizontal perforations, vertical crease to the two right stamps, a spectacular perforation variety. S.G. 14var. Photo on Page 104. £150-180

- 803 ★ ○ 1883-91 Postage overprints and surcharges on orange Chalon Head revenue issues, the mint (23) and used (11) selection with some varieties, including S.G. 37a (stained), 37c, 39, 43b mint, S.G. 27c, 28, 29a used, also five forgeries. S.G. £4,000. (39). Photo on Page 98. £400-500
- 804 ★ ○ 1883-1936 Mint and used collection on pages including 1895-99 set mint and on cover (1/- corner fault), 1902 ½d - 5/- used, 1906-11 set mint, 1913-22 Multiple Crown CA set with all shades and papers used, 1916 War Tax 1d red with triangle for "A" variety mint (3) and used (2), 1921-31 Multiple Script CA set used and mint plate blocks (10, various values from 2d to 5/-), postage dues with 1892 1d - 3d set of three mint, Surcharge Postage 2d on 6d mint, etc. S.G. £3,800 (approx). (200 + cover). £350-450
- 805 (S) (P) 1902 KEVII ½d and 2d - 10/-, 1906 1d and 2d, 1908 5/- and 10/- all overprinted "SPECIMEN" and additionally handstamped "ULTRAMAR", applied in Lisbon to Specimen stamps received from the U.P.U for distribution to the Portuguese Colonies, discolouration to the 1902 1/- - 10/-, 1908 5/- and 10/-, no gum, scarce. Also 1908 5/- imperforate proof in orange and grey-green, upper left corner torn and repaired, applied to card. (14). Photo on Page 98. £100-120
- 806 (S) 1921-32 Multiple Script CA ½d, 1d carmine-red, 2d orange, 2½d dull blue, 6d dull purple (the five original values issued in 1921) overprinted "SPECIMEN", all in corner marginal plate number "2" strips of three, tiny thin on one 2½d stamp, otherwise fine mint. Probably unique in this form, just three complete sheets of each value overprinted Specimen, ex. Freeland and "Koh-i-Noor". (5 Strips). Photo on Page 80. £250-300
- 807 ★ **Postage Dues.** 1892 Surcharge Postage 1d on 6d mauve, vertical tete-beche pair fine mint, very scarce. S.G. D4a, £3,500. Photo on Page 104. £500-600
- 808 ★ **Postage Dues.** 1892 Surcharge Postage 2d on 6d mauve, vertical tete-beche pair, a little paper adhering to reverse of one stamp, otherwise fine mint, very scarce. S.G. D6a, £4,000. Photo on Page 104. £500-600
- 809 ✉ **Postage Dues.** 1909 (Feb. 3) Stampless cover (with O.H.M.S heading crossed out and folded over prior to use), addressed to "His Honour E.J Cameron, Grenada" with a 2d postage due stamp with plate number "1" in lower margin tied by G.P.O Grenada c.d.s, unusual. £100-120
- 810 ○ **Cancellations.** QV-KGV Stamps with numeral cancels, village datestamps and maritime cancels, including rare 1861-62 first period double ring numeral datestamps A, B (2), C (2), D (2), F (2), second period (from 1872) double ring numeral datestamps (14, A-G), single ring numeral datestamps (31), sub-office datestamps (81) with Crochu, Birch Grove, Grand Roy, etc., Parcel Post, Official Paid, Paquebots, overseas datestamps with Barbados double arc datestamp on 1863 1d, New York numeral "12" on 1883 ½d strip of three, etc. (185 + card). Photo on Page 98. £500-600
- 811 ✉ **Postal Stationery.** 1881 (May 27) 1½d Postcard used to Whitfield King & Co. in Ipswich, the message concerning a consignment of 303 used stamps sent with part payment accepted in books, Ipswich Sorting Tender backstamp, a few minor edge faults, very scarce. Also 1881 1d and 1½d and 1881-82 1d cards unused, 1886 ½d and 1d reply cards overprinted Specimen. (6). Photo on Page 108. £250-300
- 812 (S) ✉ **Postal Stationery.** 1938 KGVI 1½d Envelope overprinted "SPECIMEN", the stamp additionally handstamped violet boxed "SPECIMEN / Collection / A.O.F" applied to U.P.U specimens upon receipt at Senegal. Minor staining but unique. £120-150
- 813 ★ ○ **Revenues.** 1875-1903 Mint and used revenues, 1875-79 1d - £1 Chalon Head type in orange (43) with some varieties including 2/- pair and strip of three (central stamp with wide gap in value) both imperforate vertically, 3d varieties "THRFE" (2) or "PFNCE", 2/- varieties "TVVO" and "SHILLNG" (2), mint 1d with manuscript "Postage", 1d on piece with c.d.s (2), 6d with c.d.s (2), forged 3/- value on piece with c.d.s; 1884 1d surcharges (4) including 1d with c.d.s, 1½d variety "THRFE"; 1884 issue (14) with 3d and 6d imperforate proofs, 1d with c.d.s, £1 mint; 1903 £1. (62). Photo on Page 136. £250-300

HONDURAS

- 814 Ⓢ ✉ 1890-91 Postal stationery with Specimen handstamps, comprising 1890 2c and 3c postcards with red handstamp applied to the stamps, 1891 3c postcard and 25c envelope with large underlined handstamp in violet applied below the stamps, unusual. (4). £120-140
- 815 Ⓢ 1929-41 Specimen stamps with various “Muestra” overprints comprising 1929 planned flight from New York Air Post set of five (2 sets), 1937 U.S Constitution Anniversary 46c, Comayagua Anniversary set of four, postage and air definitive set of fifteen, official air set of eight, 1940 imperforate and perforated Pan-American Union miniature sheets, and 1941 obligatory tax pair, all fine mint. (42). Photo on Page 100. £400-500
- 816 Ⓢ 1939-41 Archival pieces (6) bearing 1939 Official Air set of eight, 1941 Official Air 5c and 8c overprinted for public use, 1941 Postal Tax 1c or Red Cross 1c all in strips of three, also 1940 Pan-American Union miniature sheet imperforate (3 sheets) or perforated, the four miniature sheets, official Air set and 1941 1c stamps all overprinted “Muestra”, the stamps all handstamped violet “SPECIMEN / COLLECTION / MAURITANIE”. A unique group, from the Mauritania Post Office Specimen collection. (40). £400-500

HONG KONG

(Also see lots 694, 929, 1515)

- 817 ★ 1991 QEII \$1 Definitive, variety black printing double, superb unmounted mint. A spectacular variety, unlisted by Gibbons. S.G. 607var. Photo on Page £240-280

HUNGARY

- 818 ✉ 1860 Entire letters posted within Hungary franked at the 5kr local rate, bearing Austria 1858-59 2kr + 3kr black type II tied by boxed Prag datestamps, or 2kr + 3kr green tied by Szecseny c.d.s, a good pair. (2). £100-120

INDIA

(Also see lots 43, 398, 447/50, 653/4, 657, 686, 692, 1000, 1443/4, 1454/5, 1462, 1487/8, 1490, 1634, 1867/82)

- 819 ✉ 1801 (Nov. 1) Entire letter from an Ensign in the 1st Battn, 3rd Regt., sent from Bombay to “Adam Park at Capt Maxwells Cy Ship Calcutta, Calcutta”, the reverse with fine oval intaglio “B BAY / NOT PAID”, not recorded by Hammond Giles. Adam Park was a ship’s surgeon with the H.E.I.C and the brother of the African explorer Mungo Park (see lot 195); the letter includes some obscure references to Mungo, also the writer having caught an infection from a local whore. Photo on Page 108. £200-250
- 820 ✉ 1822 Large part letter to Scotland endorsed “Soldiers Letter, from J. Kilby, Serjt of the Establishment” and countersigned, prepaid at the 1d soldiers rate, but charged upon arrival (variously rated 1/-, 1/6, 1/10, 1/11½) with boxed “India Letter Deal” and “Missent to Glasgow”, the reverse with fine red circular “MADRAS / PAID / 1D / SOLDIERS LETTER” datestamp (Jan. 18, Hammond Giles SD9) and arrival handstamps. Sent by Mary McBain to her father, who writes “When you write direct as follows: To Serjeant John Kilby employed in the Commissary General’s Dept. Madras, as he is my child’s Godfather and he lives next door to the G.P.O - it is him that got this letter sent off for me”. Overall soiling and staining, mainly to the address panel with repairs to folds, but a very presentable example of the rare Soldiers Letter datestamp on the reverse. Photo on Page 108. £150-200
- 821 ✉ **Waghorn.** 1839 (May 1) Entire letter from Calcutta “By the overland mail” with superb black “Care of / Mr Waghorn / Suez” (signed, with the letter number and 1/- charge), red boxed “INDIA”, charged 3/8½. Backstamped red boxed “STEAM POSTAGE (8) / INLAND DO (15) / TOTAL (1-7)” with boxed “BRITISH / FOREIGN” (1/10 British + 1/10½ Foreign) and a London c.d.s. (July 7), a transit time of 67 days. A fine Waghorn letter. Photo on Page 112. £2,500-3,000



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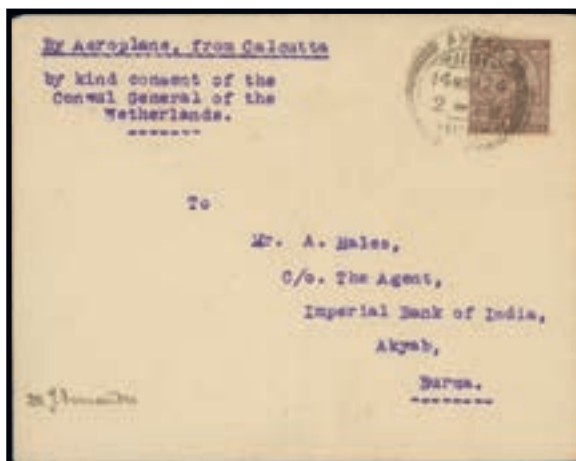
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- 822 ★ 1882 ½a Blue-green, variety double impression, mint with upper margin, an unusually fine example with the merest trace of a hinge on the stamp, signed "T. Allen" in pencil. S.G. 85a, £1,700. Photo on Page 86. £400-500
- 823 ★ 1882-90 9p Aniline-carmine, watermark inverted, unused, no gum. S.G. 87w, £750. Photo on Page 98. £100-120
- 824 Ⓢ 1882-99 Stamps overprinted "CANCELLED" type D6, comprising 1882-90 ½a (toning), 1a, 1892-97 2a6p, 1899 3p, 1883-99 On H.M.S overprint 3p (thinned), ½a, 1a (creased) and 2a (thinned), the 2a6p with partial date in lower margin, a scarce group from the De la Rue archives. (8). Photo on Page 164. £300-400
- 825 ○ 1883 1r Slate, watermark inverted, used. S.G. 101w, £425. Photo on Page 98. £100-120
- 826 ★ ⬠ 1911-46 KGV and KGVII Issues complete mint with additional shades, including 1911-23 set (10r and 25r a little toned), 1921 "NINE NINE" surcharge variety (also "PIES PIES" variety in pair, not guaranteed), 1926-33 5r - 15r (also 25r toned), 1937-40 15r and 25r unmounted, etc. S.G. £2,300+ (approx). (153). £300-400
- 827 ⬠ 1937-40 10r, Watermark inverted, margin at base, gum toned, otherwise fine unmounted mint. S.G. 262w, £750. Photo on Page 140. £300-350
- 828 ★ 1937-40 15r, Watermark inverted, lightly mounted mint. S.G. 263w, £425. Photo on Page 86. £160-180
- 829 ★ **Officials.** 1866-1942 Mint issues including 1866-72 2a (a few short perf tips), 4a and 8a; 1867-73 set and 1874-82 black overprint set; 1888-1922 largely complete with additional shades including 1909 KEVII 10r green and scarlet, 15r and 25r (minor toning), 1912-23 KGV 15r and 25r; 1925 surcharges on KEVII stamps with 2r on 10r green and carmine (corner crease); 1926-31 and 1937-42 sets, a few stamps toned, the majority however fine. S.G. £4,000 (approx). (127). Photo on Pages 104 & 136. £380-450
- 830 ★ **C.E.F.** 1900 Unissued 1a6p sepia, superb mint. S.G. C10c, £450. Photo on Page 136. £120-140
- 831 ○ ✉ QV-KGV Cancellations, collection in two albums including 1854 4a (2) on cover to England each cancelled "C/43", ½a on local cover and other 1854 issues with cut square 4a (3), covers bearing 1865 ½a blue (3, single use, nine stamps on cover from Hyderabad to Bombay, sixteen stamps on cover to France) or ½a + 4a, 1883 1r block of eight fine used, "ON/L/F/S" overprints (3), parcel piece bearing 32 C.E.F stamps totalling 6r6a, some used abroad with scarce 1916 2a6p on piece cancelled "AMARA" c.d.s, Mohammerah, Aden, etc. (100s). £500-600
- 832 ✉ 1898 (Dec. 25) First Day of Imperial Penny Postage, cover from G.B to India with a 1d red tied by Baildon H92 duplex, arrival backstamp of Bangalore (15 Jan. 99), unusual with a 1d red, very fine. Photo on Page 112. £500-600
- 833 △ **Aden.** 1902 Large cloth piece cut from a parcel to England, franked QV 4a, 8a and 1r (3) tied by "ADEN / PAR." datestamps, bearing a Parcel Post Customs Declaration address label and "Aden Road-Borne (from Docks to Mt. Pleasant)" label, another similar label with the upper portion removed bearing a Customs handstamp. Very unusual. £200-250

Air Mails

- 834 ✉ 1911 (Feb. 18) Allahabad First Aerial Post, cover to Thomas Cook & Sons in Paris franked KEVII 1a tied by the special pictorial Aerial Post handstamp in magenta, underpaid by 1½a to France, handstamped "T" and marked "30c", a 10c postage due inter-panneau strip of three applied and cancelled by triangular handstamps. Redirected to England, backstamped with violet "T.C. & S. PARIS / Recd 4 APR 1911 / MAIL DEPARTMENT" and datestamps of Allahabad, Bombay, Paris and Southampton. A rare destination and the only Allahabad Aerial Post cover we have recorded bearing postage due stamps. A remarkable and unique cover. Photo on Page 112. £1,800-2,200

- 835 ☒ 1911 (Feb. 18) Allahabad First Aerial Post, ½a postal stationery envelope to Hyderabad with the special pictorial Aerial Post cancel in magenta, Allahabad and Hyderabad backstamps, unobtrusive vertical fold, otherwise fine. Photo on Page 112. £180-220
- 836 ☒ 1911 (Feb. 18) Allahabad First Aerial Post, registered cover to Indore franked by KEVII 15r tied by the special pictorial Aerial Post cancel in magenta with a further strike alongside, reverse with registration label bearing boxed “R / ALLAHABAD” and datestamps of Allahabad and Indore. A remarkable high franking, probably unique. Photo on Page 112. £2,800-3,500
- 837 ☒ 1919 (Jan. 9) G.B to India first through Aerial Mail flown by R.A.F Handley Page “Old Carthusian”, stampless cover to Bombay endorsed “On Service” and “By Handley Page Aerial Flight”, signed “C. Jessel, Capt.”, with “F.P.O 55” c.d.s and violet “POSTAL SERVICE M.E.F / AERIAL POST-BAGHDAD-DELHI / PER / HANDLEY PAGE AEROPLANE”, backstamped at Delhi (Jan. 20) and Bombay with violet circular “CARRIED BY AERIAL MAIL / BAGHDAD-DELHI / JANY. 1919”. Flown from Baghdad to Ormara, then taken by H.M.S “Britomart” to Karachi and rail to Delhi. An unusually fine cover, scarce. Photo on Page 112. £2,000-2,500
- 838 ☒ 1920 (Mar. 9/10) Bombay to Karachi experimental air service, registered cover and picture postcard both carried on the seventh and last flight on March 11th, the cover franked 1a + 1½a + 2a + 6a, the postcard franked 3p + 1½a block of four on the reverse with 1½a + 2a6p and a Bombay War & Relief Fund ½a label on the picture side. (2). £150-180
- 839 ☒ 1920 (Jan.-Mar.) Karachi to Bombay experimental air service, registered covers (5) and a postcard carried on the first, second and seventh flights from Karachi, or the first, fifth and seventh flights from Bombay all with the special Air Post datestamps, the card stained and the first Karachi cover with a couple of edge tears, otherwise largely fine. (6). £250-300
- 840 ☒ 1924 (Nov. 14) Amsterdam to Batavia flight by the Dutch aviators Van der Hoop and Poelman, cover flown on the Calcutta to Akyab leg and posted upon arrival franked KGV 1a, typed inscription “By Aeroplane from Calcutta by kind consent of the Consul General of the Netherlands 13th Nov. 1924”, numbered “25” and signed by J. Fernandez, President of the Calcutta Philatelic Club. Light vertical fold, otherwise fine and scarce, 25 covers flown. Photo on Page 112. £350-450
- 841 ☒ 1925 (Feb. 5) Anglo-Indian Survey Flight by Alan Cobham, covers flown from Calcutta to Karachi or London both posted upon arrival, with flight vignettes and cachets, the cover to Karachi franked KGV ¼a strip of four cancelled at Drigh Road, the cover to London with an uncanceled KGV 2a, a 3d charge mark and 3d postage due stamp cancelled at Kensington, backstamped at Waddon Aerodrome Croydon (Mar. 17). Two fine covers, both signed on the reverse by the flight engineer Arthur B. Elliott. (2). £200-250
- 842 ☒ 1925 (Feb. 8) Anglo-Indian Survey Flight by Alan Cobham, 1a postal stationery envelope flown from Rangoon to Akyab and onto Calcutta, cancelled at Rangoon with an Akyab c.d.s on the front, backstamped at Calcutta, initialled “AJC”. Fine and scarce, 32 covers flown. Photo on Page 112. £200-240
- 843 ☒ 1925 (Feb. 8) Anglo-Indian Survey Flight by Alan Cobham, 1a postal stationery envelope flown from Rangoon to Akyab and onto Calcutta, cancelled at Rangoon with an Akyab c.d.s on the front, backstamped at Calcutta, signed “Alan J. Cobham”. Fine and scarce, 32 covers flown, just nine of these signed in full. Photo on Page 116. £300-350
- 844 ☒ 1925 (June 12) Quetta to Hindubagh flood relief emergency R.A.F flight, 1a stationery envelope cancelled at Quetta and backstamped at Hindubagh on the same day. Vertical fold and small fault at upper left corner, otherwise fine and very rare, signed on the reverse by Stephen Smith, just 12 covers flown. Photo on Page 116. £400-500
- 845 ☒ 1926 (July 23) England to Australia flight by Alan Cobham, cover flown from Karachi to Calcutta bearing two flight vignettes and a KGV 1a cancelled at Park Street, Calcutta, with “BY D. H. 50” cachet. Fine, 43 covers flown on this leg of this historic flight. £150-180

- 846 ✉ 1927 (June 27) De Havilland Moth demonstration flight over Calcutta by W.H Vetch, ½a postcard cancelled in Calcutta, violet flight cachet, the message written by E.L Widdicombe who accompanied Vetch on the flight, initialled by Vetch and numbered “5”. Fine and scarce, just eleven cards flown. Photo on Page 116.
£250-300
- 847 ✉ 1927 (July 17) Calcutta to Shillong flight by W.H Vetch, an H.F Bennett envelope with violet cachet “D.H. MOTH Aeroplane / G.E.B.M.O / AIR 15-7-27 MAIL / CALCUTTA SHILLONG”, a KGV 1a cancelled at Cherra-Punji, backstamped at Shillong. A few tiny tone spots, otherwise fine, 35 covers flown to Cherra-Punji.
£180-220
- 848 ✉ 1927 (Nov. 3) Saigon to Paris return flight by Capt. Leon Challe, cover to London, flown from Calcutta to Paris with KGV 1a cancelled at Park Street, Calcutta, printed flight inscription and violet “CONSULAT GENERAL DE FRANCE / CALCUTTA”, very fine, 67 covers flown.
£100-120
- 849 ✉ 1927-34 Flight covers including 1927 (July 17) Calcutta to Shillong flight posted at Cherrapunji, 1928 (Oct. 11) fourth experimental Dutch flight from Calcutta to Rangoon (2), 1929 (May 21) Bengal Air Transport Co. Calcutta to Darjeeling first flight (4), 1933 (Mar. 21) Dacca to Dum Dum experimental flight (2, 53 flown), 1933 (July 7) Karachi to Calcutta extension covers flown on legs to or from Cawnpore (4), etc., minor faults, most fine. (25).
£350-400
- 850 ✉ 1927-28 Basra-Cairo air service, covers flown from Bombay (9) or Karachi (2), to London (10) or Switzerland, all with various types of Air Mail label in red, blue or yellow, a 1928 (Feb. 29) cover probably with a first day use of the official Post Office issue blue Air Mail label, ten with circular “BY / AIR” cachets, a few a little stained. (11).
£300-350
- 851 ☐ ★ **Air Mail Labels.** 1927 Booklet containing three panes of the first official Post Office issue Air Mail labels, the panes of 25 labels all imperforate horizontally between rows 3/4 and 5/6, other panes removed, the booklet cover with printed “A.M.-1 / AIR MAIL LABELS / MGIPAh. - 283 - 11-5-27”, with manuscript “3” and “imperf between three”. A scarce variety and part booklet.
£150-200
- 852 ✉ 1928 (Mar. 20/July 5) Covers to England flown from Basra to Cairo and Marseille to London, the first carried on the first flight of this route (60 flown), both bearing a vertical pair of the first official Air Mail label in blue both with the variety imperforate between, very unusual. (2).
£150-180
- 853 ✉ **USA.** 1929 (Jan. 14) New Orleans to Houston first flight franked 9c, also bearing 8½d in uncanceled British stamps; and 1930 (Feb. 15) St. Louis International Aircraft Show flown cover franked 9c, both covers addressed to India, flown from London. Very unusual. (2).
£150-200
- 854 ✉ **China.** 1929 (Apr.) Green sheet printed in Rangoon depicting the Chinese aviator Wenlin Tschen and his aeroplane “Amoy”, wording in English and Chinese, reverse with printed “London to Nanking by Air, Aeroplane “Amoy” X-CRIA, Chinese Aviator Wenlin Tschen”, signed by Stephen Smith, a large tear repaired by tape, very scarce. In 1929 the Chinese Navy purchased four Avro Avian IV biplanes and decided to fly one from England to China. The plane was flown by Chen Wenlin and Christian Johannsen who left London on March 2nd but had to return after engine trouble over the Channel. They again left after repairs on March 13th arriving at Amoy on May 12th and continuing to Nanking ten days later, the greatest long distance flight in Chinese history. This sheet was apparently flown from Rangoon to Nanking, certified by Stephen Smith.
£300-350
- 855 ✉ 1929 (Apr. 7) Imperial Airways Karachi to London first flight, covers flown to Basrah, Baghdad, Damascus, Cairo, Alexandria, Gaza or London (2, one addressed to USA), all fine. (8).
£200-240
- 856 1929 (Apr.) Imperial Airways Karachi to London first flight, piece bearing proof impressions of the cachets used on mail at Gwador, Lingeh, Jask, Bouchir, Basra, Baghdad and Rutbah, all in violet, very unusual.
£80-100
- 857 ✉ 1929 Covers franked KGV 1a cancelled at Dum Dum, carried on the June 14th Alcock & Brown commemorative flight by J.B. Scholte, or the June 25th Dum Dum to Naihati and return flight by Joan Page, both signed by the pilots (the Joan Page cover signed in ink on reverse), also an unused Scholte flight cover. Two uncommon pilot signed covers. (3).
£150-180



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- 858 ☒ 1929 (Nov. 5) Karachi to London first all air service, registered 1a stationery cards with a picture applied to the reverse depicting the committee of the Aero Philatelic club of India with greetings on the occasion of the first flight with air mail stamps, all franked KGV 1½a + Air 8a, flown to Salonica, Naples or Lucerne with arrival datestamps, fine and scarce. The first flight from India after the issue of Air stamps on November 4th. (3). £300-350
- 859 ☒ 1929 (Dec. 20) 2a Air stamp First Day Cover bearing a block of four, twice signed in the margin by the stamp designer G. Grant, all cancelled at Park Street, Calcutta, first day cachet alongside, a little staining to the stamps, nevertheless a scarce F.D.C. Photo on Page 116. £200-250
- 860 ☒ 1929 (Dec. 30) Karachi to Delhi by Indian State Air Service, first flight covers flown from Karachi to Hyderabad, Jodhpur or Delhi, Hyderabad to Delhi or Jodhpur to Delhi, and return flight covers from Delhi to Jodhpur or Karachi, or Hyderabad to Karachi. (8). £200-250
- 861 ☒ 1930 (Feb. 3) Karachi to Teheran first flight, registered cover franked Air 8a, carried by Imperial Airways to Bushire and then transferred to internal Persian air service, fine and very scarce. Photo on Page 116. £120-150
- 862 ☒ 1930 (Mar. 17) First Air Mail acceptance from Gwadur, cover to England (with enclosed letter) franked Air 2a + 6a each tied by "GWADUR" c.d.s, reverse with Baghdad c.d.s and a G.B ½d cancelled upon arrival (Mar. 27), fine and very scarce. Photo on Page 116. £200-250
- 863 ☒ 1930 (Aug.) Jacobabad to Reti emergency R.A.F flights due to flooding, covers franked KGV 1a flown from Jacobabad to Reti (Aug. 23) or Reti to Jacobabad (Aug. 19), and a 1a envelope flown from Jacobabad to Reti (Aug. 28) redirected back to Jacobabad and carried on the return flight, the first two with "EMERGENCY AIR MAIL" cachets. (3). £200-250
- 864 ☒ 1930 (Aug. 30) Reti to Jacobabad emergency R.A.F flight, cover franked KGV 1a cancelled at Reti, arrival backstamp, unusually signed by the pilot Ft. Lt. Wallis F. Akerman. £100-120
- 865 ☒ 1930 (Dec. 21) A.B Murad Karachi to Cape Town solo flight attempt, cover flown from Dum Dum to Delhi with KGV 1a cancelled upon arrival, two flight cachets, one tying a 1930 Christmas charity label, signed by the pilot. Fine, 32 covers flown. £120-150
- 866 ☒ 1931 (Jan. 10) Karachi to Abadan first flight, Aero Philatelic Club of Calcutta cover franked 3p block of four + Air 4a, Basrah and Abadan backstamps with violet "A.P.O.C - ABADAN / MAIL / 20 JAN 1931" cachet, fine and scarce. £100-120
- 867 ☒ 1931 (Feb. 25) Imperial Airways first despatch to East Africa sent entirely by air, Aero Philatelic Club of Calcutta covers from Jodhpur to Assiout, Luxor, Assouan, Kareima, Khartoum, Kampala, Kosti, Juba, Kisumu, Mwanza, Nairobi, Moshi or Dodoma, all flown by Trans-Indian Air Service from Delhi to Karachi and Imperial Airways from Karachi to Cairo connecting with the London to East Africa service. Scarce, very small postings to most destinations, all bearing 1929 Air stamps, minor staining. (13). £500-600
- 868 ☒ 1931 (Apr.) Imperial Airways London to Australia first experimental flight, covers flown on the outward flight from Karachi to Calcutta, Darwin or Brisbane, Delhi to Rangoon, Calcutta to Victoria Point or Christchurch, Akyab to Calcutta, Victoria Point to Calcutta, or on the return flight from Calcutta to Jodhpur or London, Allahabad to London. Also second return experimental flight cover from Allahabad to Delhi. (12). £250-300
- 869 ☒ 1931 (Apr. 12) London to Australia first experimental flight, 1a envelope franked Air 2a + 6a to New Zealand, flown from Calcutta to Darwin, signed by the pilot Charles Kingsford Smith, horizontal fold, otherwise fine and scarce. Photo on Page 116. £150-180



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- 870 ✉ 1931 (Apr. 12/30) Imperial Airways first experimental England to Australia and return flights, covers carried on the outward flight from Allahabad to Calcutta or Rangoon, or on the return flight from Rangoon to Akyab, Calcutta, Allahabad or Delhi, Akyab to Allahabad, Calcutta or Delhi, or Allahabad to Delhi, all fine. (10).
£200-250
- 871 ✉ 1931 (Apr. 13) Cover from Bombay to Goa franked 1a, red "FIRST AIR MAIL / FROM BOMBAY TO / PORTUGUESE INDIA" cachet, backstamped at Nova Goa and Siolim. Minor creasing and a little shortened at left but very scarce, just 15 covers flown. Photo on Page 118.
£150-200
- 872 ✉ 1931 (May 5) Imperial Airways second experimental England to Australia flight, covers flown from Jodhpur to Allahabad, Delhi to Allahabad or Calcutta, Allahabad to Calcutta or Calcutta to Akyab, all fine, just six covers flown on the Jodhpur to Allahabad leg. (5).
£150-200
- 873 ✉ 1931 (July 1) Delhi to Karachi emergency flight by Delhi Flying Club due to the temporary suspension of the Indian State Air Service, covers from Calcutta flown from Delhi to Jodhpur or Karachi (addressed to England), fine and scarce. (2).
£150-180
- 874 ✉ 1932 (Jan. 2/5) Delhi Flying Club service between Delhi and Karachi, first flight cover from Jodhpur to Delhi, and cover to London carried on the first return flight from Delhi to Karachi, signed by the pilot P.D Sharma, also 1931 (Dec. 28) cover carried on the last Imperial Airways flight from Delhi to Karachi. All fine, just 17 covers carried on the Jan. 5th flight from Delhi. (3).
£200-240
- 875 ✉ 1932 (Jan. 5) Delhi to Jodhpur first flight by the Delhi Flying Club, cover with flight cachet franked 3a3p, fine and scarce, just 16 covers flown.
£100-120
- 876 ✉ 1932 (Feb. 26) Cover from Bombay to Goa franked 1a + 3p, endorsed "By Major Craveiro Lopes plane, second flight Bombay / Goa" with arrival backstamp, fine and very scarce.
£120-150
- 877 ✉ 1932 (Feb.-Nov.) Bertram Atlantic Expedition, Cologne to Sydney flight led by Capt. Hans Bertram in his Junkers seaplane "Atlantis", large unaddressed "Deutsch-Amerikanische Petroleum, Berlin" envelope with "BERTRAM ATLANTIS / EXPEDITION" cachet, bearing stamps and cancels of all the countries visited en route, comprising Germany (Berlin), Switzerland (Lugano), Italy (Venice), Greece (Athens), Syria (Alexandrette), Iraq (Baghdad), Persia (Bushire), India (Bombay), Ceylon (Colombo), Siam (Bangkok), Straits Settlements (Singapore), Netherlands Indies (Batavia) and Australia (Wyndham and Sydney). The expedition left Darwin on May 19th but were blown off course and came down near Wyndham; they were not found until July 4th. Fine and scarce, 40 covers flown from Germany to Australia.
£450-550
- 878 ✉ 1932 (Apr. 25) First flight from India to Cyprus, cover from Gwalior franked 10½a, backstamped at Cairo, fine and very scarce.
£120-150
- 879 ✉ 1932 (Oct. 4) Imperial Airways first flight from India to London by the new route via Bahrain and Sharjah, illustrated envelopes flown from Karachi to Bahrain, Cairo or Athens, all with arrival backstamps, all very fine, scarce envelopes. (3). Photo on Page 118.
£350-400
- 880 ✉ 1932 (Oct. 7) Aero Philatelic Club of Calcutta, cover from Calcutta to Bahrain franked 3p + ½a + Air 2a, carried on the first flight of the new Imperial Airways route via Bahrain, fine and scarce.
£150-180
- 881 ✉ 1932 (Oct. 9) Cover from Rangoon to Kampala franked 9p + Air 4a, 6a, carried on the first return Netherlands Indies to Holland flight, from Rangoon to Cairo, backstamped at Cairo and Kampala. Fine and scarce, very few covers carried on this return flight.
£100-120
- 882 ✉ 1932 (Oct. 16/17) Tata Sons Ltd, Karachi to Madras route, first outward flight covers flown from Bombay or Bellary to Madras, and return flight covers flown from Madras to Bombay or Cape Town via Karachi, all signed by the pilot N. Vintcent, very scarce. (4). Photo on Page 118.
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| 883 | ✉ | 1932 (Oct. 15-17) Tata Sons Ltd Karachi to Madras and return first flights, official first type flight covers with a Union Jack on India (7) and second type flight covers with the Union Jack removed (4), flown from Karachi to Bellary or Madras, Ahmedabad to Madras, Bombay to Madras, or on the return flight from Madras to Bellary, Ahmedabad or Karachi, Bellary to Ahmedabad or Karachi, Bombay to Ahmedabad, all fine. Also a commercial window envelope from Poland to India (address missing) franked on the reverse with sixteen air stamps totalling 190gr, carried on the first flight from Karachi to Bombay with boxed First Airmail handstamp and Kalbadevi, Bombay arrival c.d.s (Oct. 15), probably unique from Poland. (12). £250-300 |
| 884 | ✉ | 1932 (Oct. 17/18) Tata Sons Ltd, Karachi to Madras route, small size Aero-Philatelic Club of Calcutta covers (41) and other covers (13) carried on the first return flight, from Madras (13), Bellary (12), Bombay (13) or Ahmedabad (16), all to differing destinations mainly in Africa or the Middle East. Destinations include Rutbah Wells, Basra, Baghdad, Tiberias, Haifa, Cairo, Khartoum, Kisumu, Kampala, Mwanza, Broken Hill, Limbe, Dar-es-Salaam, Johannesburg, Cape Town, Paris, London, Colombo, etc. Also a cover from London carried on the first outward flight from Karachi to Ahmedabad. A scarce group, very small mailings to many overseas destinations. (55). Photo on Page 118. £1,800-1,200 |
| 885 | ✉ | Gwadur. 1932 (Oct. 17/18) Tata Sons Ltd, Karachi to Madras route, small Aero-Philatelic Club of Calcutta covers carried on the first return flight from Madras, Bellary, Bombay or Ahmedabad all addressed to Gwadur, with arrival datestamps; and covers posted at Gwadur carried on the Oct. 20th return flight by Imperial Airways and Tata, addressed to Ahmedabad, Bombay, Bellary or Madras. Fine and scarce, very few covers flown to or from Gwadur. (8). Photo on Page 118. £800-1,000 |
| 886 | ✉ | Portuguese India/Tanganyika. 1932 (Sep./Oct.) Tata Sons Ltd Karachi to Madras route, registered Tanganyika 15c reply card (both halves, separated) and postcard posted from Dar-es-Salaam to Goa, the postcard carried on the first flight of the Tata service from Karachi to Bellary (then redirected to Goa), the reply card separated and the reply half franked Portuguese India 4t (3), posted back from Margao to Dar-es-Salaam and carried on the first return flight by Tata, the original Dar-es-Salaam Certificate of Posting applied to the reverse of this reply half. Probably unique, ex Pennycuick. (3). Photo on Page 118. £300-400 |
| 887 | ✉ | 1932 (Dec. 11) Imperial Airways special Christmas flight, covers flown from Karachi to Cairo or London, the cover to Cairo very scarce. (2). £100-120 |
| 888 | ✉ | 1933 (Mar. 7) First KLM flight via Persia, covers flown from Karachi to Jask or Bushire, with arrival datestamps, very scarce, few covers carried. (2). £150-180 |
| 889 | ✉ | 1933 (Apr 5) Paris to Hanoi flight by Maryse Hiltz, cover from Calcutta franked KGV 3p + 1a, bearing the Calcutta to Rangoon flight vignette depicting an elephant, tied by the cachet explaining it was actually flown to Hanoi as Hiltz did not land at Rangoon, and was returned to Calcutta by Air-Orient, the flight label unusually without the flight date altered. 90 Covers flown. £100-120 |
| 890 | ✉ | 1933 (Apr. 5) First Official KLM flight to China via Saigon, covers from Calcutta (2), Akyab (2) or Rangoon (2), one cover from each origin to Hong Kong or Shanghai, all flown to Saigon, backstamped at Saigon and upon arrival, the Burma covers registered, very scarce. (6). £500-600 |
| 891 | ✉ | 1933 (Apr. 5) First Official KLM flight to Japan and the Philippines via Singapore, covers from Calcutta (2), Akyab (2) or Rangoon (2), one cover from each origin to Tokyo or Manila, all backstamped at Singapore and upon arrival, the Burma covers registered, very scarce. (6). Photo on Page 118. £600-700 |
| 892 | ✉ | 1933 (May/June) Air routes diverted from Bombay to Poona due to flooding at Juhu Aerodrome, May 30th first flight from Poona to Karachi, and June 5th first flight from Poona to Bahrain with arrival backstamp, both scarce. (2). £180-220 |
| 893 | ✉ | Gwadur. 1933 (July 7) England to India air route extension to Calcutta, covers posted at Gwadur, carried on the first flight to Cawnpore, Calcutta or Bandeong via Calcutta, all with Air stamps tied by "GUADAR" c.d.s, the last with minor staining, very scarce from Gwadur. (3). £200-250 |



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- 894 ☒ 1933 (July 7) Extension of the air route to Calcutta, first outward flight covers from Karachi to Jodhpur, Delhi, Cawnpore, Allahabad, Asansol, Calcutta (2, one pilot signed), Bangkok, Medan, Palembang or Bandoeng, cover from G.B with Holyhead Paquebot c.d.s flown to Calcutta, also an unused flight cover, invitation to the inauguration of the service at Drigh Road Aerodrome, and a C.O.P with Karachi c.d.s. (15). £300-350
- 895 ☒ 1933 (July 7/8) Extension of the air route to Calcutta, covers carried on intermediate legs of the first flight, from Jodhpur to Delhi, Cawnpore, Allahabad, Asansol, Calcutta, Alor Star or Batavia; Delhi to Cawnpore, Allahabad, Asansol, Calcutta or Singapore; Cawnpore to Allahabad, Asansol or Calcutta, Allahabad to Asansol or Calcutta, Asansol to Calcutta. Some legs very scarce, three covers to Calcutta also carried on the return flight to London. (18). £350-400
- 896 ☒ 1933 (July 11) Extension of the air route to Calcutta, covers carried on the first return flight from Calcutta, all to differing destinations within India (6), in the Gulf or Middle East (8), Africa (12) or Europe (5), Canada and British Guiana, destinations including Gwadur, Jask, Bushire, Bahrain, Kuwait, Basra, Baghdad, Rutbah Wells, Gaza, etc., also covers from Rangoon to Lucknow or England carried on the flight from Calcutta, very few covers flown to some destinations, some with minor staining. (35). Photo on Page 118. £800-1,000
- 897 ☒ 1933 (July 11) Extension of the air route to Calcutta, covers carried on the return flight, posted at intermediate stops, comprising covers from Asansol (28), Allahabad (20), Cawnpore (24), Delhi (9) and Jodhpur (5), all to differing destinations within India (15), to the Gulf or Middle East (22), Africa (32) or Europe (17) including Gwadur, Bahrain, Basrah, Baghdad, Jask, Bushire, Kuwait, Tiberias, Gaza, etc., also covers posted from Karachi to Athens or London. A few stains though most are fine, very few covers carried to some destinations, a rare group that would be very hard to replicate. (88). Photo on Page 122. £2,500-3,000
- 898 ☒ **Sharjah.** 1933 (July 10) Asansol to Sharjah cover, carried on the first flight on the new air route between Karachi and Calcutta, with Bahrain and Dubai arrival c.d.s. Also 1933 (Oct. 2) cover from Akyab to Sharjah, carried on the first return flight on the route from Rangoon, with Bahrain arrival c.d.s. Minor staining, two very scarce covers to Sharjah. (2). £400-500
- 899 ☒ 1933 (July 21) Australia to England flight by James Wood in “The Spirit of Western Australia”, cover carried on the Calcutta to Lucknow leg with “DUM DUM AIR PORT” label tied by the violet flight cachet (a further strike on reverse), posted upon arrival franked KGV 1a3p, signed by Stephen Smith. A few very minor tone spots, otherwise fine and scarce, 16 covers flown. Photo on Page 122. £150-180
- 900 ☒ 1933 (Oct. 1) Extension of the air route from Calcutta to Rangoon, covers and cards to Akyab or Rangoon flown from Karachi, Jodhpur, Delhi, Cawnpore, Allahabad or Calcutta, the Calcutta to Rangoon card with cachet date error corrected in manuscript. Also a first flight cover from London to Rangoon signed by the pilot. (13). £250-300
- 901 ☒ 1933 (Oct. 2) Extension of the air route to Rangoon, first return flight covers from Rangoon (23) all to differing destinations, including Akyab, Gwadur, Kuwait, Bahrain, Basra, Baghdad, Gaza, Cairo, Alexandria, Cape Town, Windhoek, and destinations in India or Europe; also covers from Akyab (10) all to differing destinations including Baghdad, Cape Town and destinations in India or Europe. (33). £700-800
- 902 ☒ 1933 (Oct. 5) Cover to England franked KGV ½a (on reverse) + Air 8a cancelled “PORT BLAIR” c.d.s, carried on the third flight from Rangoon, the first airmail acceptance from the Andaman Islands, fine and scarce. Photo on Page 122. £150-180
- 903 ☒ 1933 (Dec. 7/8) India National Airways first flights between Calcutta and Rangoon, outward flight covers from Calcutta (5), Chittagong (4), Akyab or Bassein, and return flight covers from Rangoon (5), Bassein (4), Akyab (2) and Chittagong, all to differing destinations, one pilot signed. Also Dec. 1st first flight covers from Dacca to Calcutta or Chittagong, or Calcutta to Dacca. (26). £300-350



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- 904 ☒ 1933 (Dec. 15) Extension of air route from Rangoon to Singapore, first outward flight covers to Bangkok, Alor Star and Singapore from Karachi, Jodhpur, Delhi, Cawnpore, Allahabad, Calcutta, Ahmedabad, Bellary, Akyab and Rangoon, also covers from Madras to Bangkok or Alor Star, Bombay to Bangkok or Singapore, and covers to Bandon from Allahabad, Calcutta and Rangoon, a few minor stains, the majority fine, a good lot. (37).
£1,200-1,500
- 905 ☒ 1934 (Jan. 19/20) Captain Barnard's Flying Circus, cover delivered by Robert Wyndham, the one armed parachutist, franked 3p + ½a pair; and Bihar Earthquake Relief Fund flight at Dum Dum franked KGV ½a, both with flight vignettes and cachets. (2).
£120-150
- 906 ☒ 1934 (Feb. 10/11) Madras to Calcutta service by Madras Air Taxi service, covers carried on all legs on both the outward and return flights, all fine. (20).
£350-400
- 907 ☒ 1934 (Feb. 5/6) Covers from Baghdad to Vizagapatam or Gaza to Puri, both flown on the first Madras Air Taxi Service flight from Calcutta. Two very scarce acceptances from Iraq or Palestine, very fine. (2). Photo on Page 122.
£150-200
- 908 ☒ 1934 (Nov. 25) Karachi to Darwin first flight via Imperial Airways and Qantas, cover from Madras to New Zealand bearing Air 12a, unusually with boxed "KARACHI-LAHORE / 6 DEC 34 / FIRST / AIR MAIL" applied in error and deleted in manuscript, fine.
£100-120
- 909 ☒ 1934 (Dec. 4) Indian National Airways Lahore to Karachi service, first flight covers from Lahore to Multan, Sukkur or Karachi, Multan to Sukkur or Karachi or Sukkur to Karachi (addressed to Cape Town), also 6th Dec. return flight cover from Karachi to Lahore, all signed by the pilot P.D Sharma. All fine, pilot signed covers scarce. (7). Photo on Page 122.
£300-350
- 910 ☒ 1934 (Dec. 13) England to Australia extension by Qantas, first flight covers from Bombay (7), Jodhpur, Meerut, Delhi, Cawnpore (3), Allahabad, Calcutta (2) or Rangoon (8) all to differing destinations in Netherlands Indies (3), Australia (18) or New Zealand (3), three underpaid, one with Australian postage due 1d + 2d pair cancelled at Brisbane. (24).
£400-500
- 911 ☒ 1935 (Jan. - Nov.) Tata flights comprising Jan. 4/5 Bombay to Hyderabad and return first flights; Feb. 25/26 Bombay to Calcutta demonstration flight covers carried on all six legs on both outward and return flights; Oct. 29 demonstration flight from Bombay to Trivandrum, Cannanore to Trivandrum and return flight from Trivandrum or Cannanore to Bombay. (18).
£200-250
- 912 ☒ 1936 (Dec. 22) Tata Christmas flights to Ceylon, two covers from India with the boxed cancel signed by the pilots B.K.N Ras or H.D Bhamcha, and return flight cover signed by Bhamcha, also an underpaid cover from India to Lady Ezra in Colombo with the Indian and Ceylon cachets, and a cover from G.B to the Nawab of Bahawalpur with the boxed flight cachet, scarce signed covers. (5).
£180-220
- 913 ☒ 1937 (Apr. - Nov.) Tata flights comprising April 16th new routes via Bhuj, covers all carried on differing legs, from Bhuj (5), Madras, Hyderabad, Bombay (4) or Ahmedabad (4); Nov. 1st Trivandrum to Bombay reopened service; Nov. 8-10 Bombay to Delhi or return, covers carried on various legs from Bombay (2), Bhopal (2), Indore (2), Gwalior or Delhi. (24).
£200-250
- 914 ☒ 1938 (Feb. 22) Imperial Airways Southampton to Singapore Survey Flight by the flying boat "Coogee", covers cancelled at Kankroli and flown from Udaipur to Gwalior, Cawnpore, Allahabad, Calcutta or Singapore, fine and scarce, very little mail flown. (5). Photo on Page 122.
£500-600
- 915 ☒ 1938 (Feb. 28) Imperial airways Singapore to Southampton return survey flight, covers flown from Gwalior to Gwadur, Bahrain, Baghdad or Southampton, or from Udaipur to Baghdad, the cover to Gwadur incorrectly cancelled by the "GWALIOR R.S AIR" c.d.s, the others cancelled at Lashkar, fine and very scarce, very little mail carried. (5). Photo on Page 122.
£700-800



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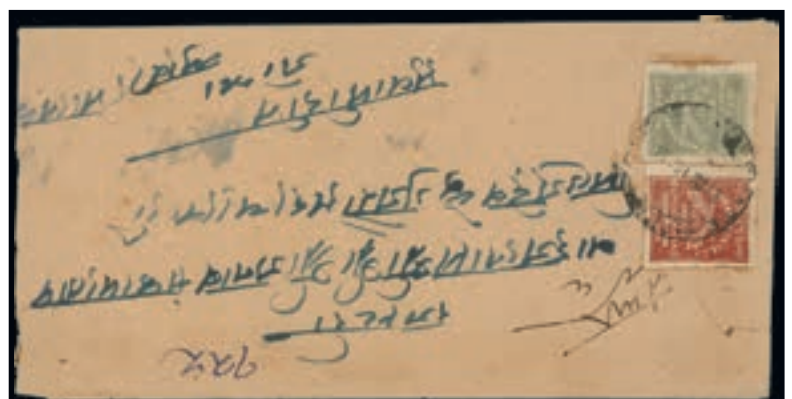
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- 916 ☒ 1938 (July 15 - Aug. 4) Hans Bertram round the world flight, unaddressed cover bearing stamps tied by cancels or cachets applied at each place visited en route, comprising stamps of Germany (Berlin), Iraq (Baghdad), Iran (Jask), India (Jodhpur and Calcutta), Burma (Rangoon), Siam (Bangkok), Indo-China (Hanoi), Hong Kong (Victoria), Philippines (Manila), USA (Honolulu and New York) with cachets of Guam, Wake Island and Midway Island, Berlin arrival c.d.s. Minor staining, unusual and scarce. Photo on Page 120. £350-450
- 917 ☒ 1939 Cover (25x17½cm) from the Bank of India Ltd in Bombay to the bank in London handstamped "Business Documents", a remarkable 72r10a franking comprising KGV 15r + KGV 2a, 8a, (both perfined), 2r, 5r, 25r pair, slightly shortened at left, opening tear above the stamps and a little creasing at right. Photo on Page 120. £400-500
- 918 ☒ 1941 (Sep. 7) First "V" Campaign flight from Chittagong to Calcutta, "Trump Cards" cover posted at Dum Dum franked KGV 1a3p, pilot signed. Fine and scarce, 40 covers flown. Photo on Page 122. £120-150
- 919 ☒ 1941 (Sep. 10) Second "V" Campaign flight from Chabua to Calcutta, "Esau Stars" cover with "V" in upper left corner, the blue wording inverted in the lower right corner in error, pilot signed, posted at Dum Dum franked KGV 1a3p. 20 Covers carried on this flight, just eight with the "Esau Stars" envelope, this cover unique with the printing error. Photo on Page 124. £250-300
- 920 ☒ 1941 (Sep. 10) Third "V" Campaign flight from Danjam to Calcutta, "Dont Believe in Rumour" cover posted at Dum Dum franked KGV 1a3p, pilot signed. 23 Covers carried on this flight, just six with the "Dont Believe in Rumour" envelope. Photo on Page 124. £200-250
- 921 ☒ 1941 (Sep. 10) Fourth "V" Campaign flight from Digboi to Calcutta, "Run Nazi Run" cover posted at Dum Dum franked KGV 1a3p, pilot signed. 35 Covers carried on this flight, just eight with the "Run Nazi Run" envelope. Photo on Page 124. £160-200
- 922 ☒ 1941 (Sep. 10) Fifth "V" Campaign flight from Heho to Calcutta, "Dont Believe in Rumour" cover posted at Dum Dum franked KGV 1a3p, incorrect "'P" - CACLUITA" cachet corrected with "'P" - CALCUTTA", pilot signed. 32 Covers carried on this flight, seventeen with the "Dont Believe in Rumour" envelope, just four covers with the incorrectly spelt Calcutta cachet. Photo on Page 124. £180-220
- 923 ☒ 1941 (Nov. 21) First "V" Campaign flight from Burma, flown from Myitkyna to Calcutta, "Wireless Message" envelope posted at Dum Dum franked KGV 1a3p, pilot signed. Fine and scarce, 44 covers flown. Photo on Page 124. £120-150
- 924 ☒ 1941 (Nov. 21) Third "V" Campaign flight from Burma, flown from Shewbo to Calcutta, "Missing Link" envelope with inscription including "I used to hear Benito", posted at Dum Dum franked KGV 1a3p, pilot signed. Fine and scarce, 44 covers flown, just six "Missing Link" covers with the Benito inscription. Photo on Page 124. £180-220
- 925 ☒ 1941 (Nov. 21) Fourth "V" Campaign flight from Burma, flown from Rangoon to Calcutta, signed by the six crew, posted at Dum Dum franked KGV 1a3p. A rarity, just two covers flown, certified on reverse by Stephen Smith. Photo on Page 124. £500-700
- 926 ☒ 1942 (Aug. 27) Karachi to Multan emergency flight due to flooding damaging the railway line, flown cover franked 1½a, arrival backstamp. Very scarce, few covers carried. Photo on Page 124. £150-200
- 927 ☒ 1942 (Oct. 23) "V" Campaign envelope "The Missing Link" endorsed "Free On Active Service, By R.A.F Plane to Base", flown by R.A.F plane from the Assam border to Calcutta, Unit Censor cachet, backstamped at Indian F.P.O 99 located at Shenam, and upon arrival at Calcutta (Oct. 28). Rare, very few covers flown. Photo on Page 126. £300-400
- 928 ☒ 1942 (Oct. 29) U.S.A.A.C Reconnaissance flight over enemy territory, "V" Campaign cover "Trump Cards" with cachet, pilot signed, posted at Calcutta franked KGV 9p pair. Fine and scarce, 32 covers carried, twelve with the "Trump Cards" envelope. Photo on Page 126. £180-220

- 929 ☒ 1942 (Nov. 4) U.S.A.A.C Bombing Raid over Hong Kong, “V” Campaign cover “Trump Cards” with cachet, pilot signed, posted at Calcutta franked KGVI ½a + 1a. Fine and very scarce, 28 covers flown, just three with the “Trump Cards” envelope. Photo on Page 126. £300-350
- 930 ☒ 1942 (Dec. 7) R.C.A.F Flight from Galle, Ceylon to Calcutta, posted upon arrival franked 1½a, pilot signed with cachet, numbered “1”, reverse sealed by blue cloth with “R.C.A.F”. Rare, just eight covers flown. Photo on Page 126. £300-350
- 931 ☒ 1943 (May 16) Chubua to Calcutta flight by E. Galstin, cover with oval “CHUBUA / AERODROME” cachet and inscription, posted upon arrival franked 1½a. Rare, just six covers flown. Photo on Page 126. £250-300
- 932 ☒ 1944 (June 30) Comilla to Calcutta D.C.3 flight by Ft. Lt. B. Bayley, inscribed and signed cover to Stephen Smith delivered by hand, bearing a “V for VICTORY” label, certified on reverse by Smith. The only cover flown, unique. Photo on Page 126. £500-600

Convention States

- 933 ★ **Chamba.** 1887 ½a Service overprint, variety “CHMABA”, mint, minor toning and reverse with some gum accumulation at top, very scarce. S.G. O1a, £550. Photo on Page 136. £140-160
- 934 ★ **Gwalior.** 1928-36 15r and 25r mint, the 25r with a little gum loss, otherwise fine. S.G. 100/1, £700. (2). Photo on Page 86. £220-250
- 935 ★ **Patiala.** 1885-90 ½a, Service overprint type O3 in red, prepared for use but not issued, mint, toning, otherwise fine. Photo on Page 136. £100-120
- 936 ☒ **Patiala.** 1900 1a Envelope registered within Patiala, bearing 1896 4a olive-green with overprint variety “PATIALA” omitted, scarce on cover. S.G. 21a, £400 as a stamp. Photo on Page 126. £150-200

Feudatory States

- 937 ★ ○ Mint and used collection in three albums and stockbooks, and on Hagner cards, a useful and extensive lot. (100s). £200-300
- 938 ○ **Bundi.** 1941 8a Green overprinted Service (“R” with pointed diagonal leg), fine used, very scarce. S.G. O58, £1,200. Photo on Page 136. £400-500
- 939 ☒ **Charkhari.** 1942 (June 16) Local native cover bearing 1930-45 ½a red-brown and 2a greenish grey tied by Charkhari State c.d.s, tear at right edge (below and clear of the stamps), otherwise fine. (S.G. 35, 43, £212 as stamps). Photo on Page 126. £250-300
- 940 ☒ **Hyderabad.** 1892-1937 Covers comprising 1892 ½a postal stationery (“H.H NIZAM’S GOVERNMENT” embossed flap) to Delhi with crescent type cancel, reverse franked India ½c tied by Hyderabad squared circle; 1905 2a registration envelope franked 1a grey-black (2) with native cancels, and India KEVII ½a (6, three pairs) tied by Mander datestamps, tear and tape stain at upper left; 1931 and 1937 Official covers “On H.E.H The Nizam’s Service” with crest on the flap franked 1917-20 1a or 1934-44 8p + 1a with Official overprints. (4). £150-180
- 941 ③ **Hyderabad.** 1907 Essays, 1a, 2a, 3a, 4a, 8a and 12c imperforate proof pairs; and 1908 set of eight colour trials in unadopted colours, all imperforate with margin, no gum, fine. (20). £100-120
- 942 ☒ **Jammu & Kashmir.** c.1866 Native cover bearing ½a grey-black handstamped in watercolours, tied by red circular seal cancel, scarce. (S.G. 1, £250 as a stamp). Photo on Page 132. £250-350

- 943 ○ ☒ **Jammu & Kashmir.** 1866-94 Used and unused collection on pages and stockcards including first issue stamp (S.G. 1?) on cover, later issues on cover (2), 1879 8a red unused sheet of eight, etc. (181 + 4 covers).
£250-350
- 944 Ⓟ **Karpurthala.** 1940 1a Green revenue stamp, imperforate proof on ungummed paper, small thin, otherwise fine and scarce. Photo on Page 28.
£80-100
- 945 ○ ☐ **Kishangarh.** 1917-18 Blocks of four with “ON/K/D/S” handstamps used, comprising 1904-10 perf 13½ ½a chestnut with double overprint on upper right and lower left stamps, omitted from the other two stamps; and 1913-16 rouletted 1a red with overprints on the upper left stamp and centrally across the lower pair, omitted from the upper right stamp, unusual. S.G. O18a, O30ac, var., £575. (2 blocks).
£100-120
- 946 ○ Ⓢ **Orchha.** 1913 ½a Green and 1a red used. Also a perforated ½a red stamp, similar in design to the 1914-35 issue, in an unused block of twelve, presumably a forgery. S.G. 1,2, £480. (3). Photo on Page 164.
£100-120
- 947 ☒ **Orchha.** 1939 (Nov. 6) Registered cover with Palera registration handstamp, franked on the reverse with 1939-42 1a pair and strip of three (S.G. 34) cancelled by “O” within a circle of bars obliterations and datestamps of Tikamgarh, a Palera c.d.s alongside, a little light creasing, otherwise fine and attractive. Photo on Page 132.
£150-180
- 948 ☒ **Orchha.** 1945 (July 11) Registered cover with Palera registration handstamp, franked on the reverse with 1939-42 1a + 3a cancelled by “O” within a circle of bars, Palera c.d.s (day altered in manuscript) and an arrival c.d.s alongside, fine. (S.G. 34, 39, £232 as stamps). Photo on Page 132.
£250-300

IONIAN ISLANDS

- 949 Ⓢ **Italian Occupation.** 1941 Italy 5c - 1L25 Postage and Air set of nine overprinted “ISOLE JONIE”, strips of three of each stamp on an archival piece from the Mauritania Post Office Specimen collection, all handstamped violet “SPECIMEN / COLLECTION / MAURITANIE”, unique. (9 strips).
£350-420

IRELAND

(Also see lots 23, 173, 230, 250, 255, 298, 325, 397, 1654)

- 950 ★ ○ Mint and used issues including four PTT booklets with mint issues to 1950 (2) or 1956 (2), Stamp Year books from 1992-96 (7) and 2015, some postal history, etc.
£100-150

ITALY

(Also see lots 451, 949)

- 951 Ⓢ **Italian States - Forgeries.** Photographic prints of forgeries of Modena (2), Naples (6), Papal States (7), Sardinia (15), Sicily (8) or Tuscany (2) each handstamped “SPERATI / REPRODUCTION” on the reverse, mounted on album pages within a folder entitled “The Work of Jean de Sperati, Part IV”, produced by the B.P.A in 1954. (40).
£70-80
- 952 ○ ★ 1862-2002 Mainly used collection in three Davo albums including 1862 10c - 40c, 1889 set, 1891-97 set, 1922 Philatelic Congress set, 1923 Propaganda Fide set, Black Shirt Fund, Manzoni set, 1924 1L surcharge set, Trade Propaganda overprint set, 1928 Filiberto set, 1930 Third Defence issue, Ferrucci set, Virgil set, Dante set, 1932 Garibaldi set, 1935 and 1936 Bellini sets, 1937 Child Welfare and Augustus the Great sets, Air issues with 1930 Transatlantic Mass Formation 7L.70 mint, 1933 Air Express pair and Zeppelin set, 1934 Rome to Buenos Aires flight set, Football World Cup air issues, Rome to Mogadiscio flight set, Express and Pneumatic Post issues, Postage Dues, Parcel Post with 1946-57 set in pairs, mint miniature sheets. A fine collection. S.G. £25,000+. (3 Albums). Photo on Pages 80, 100 & 136.
£1,400-1,600

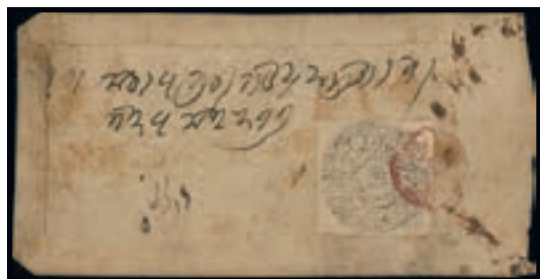
- 953 ★ ○ **Fiume.** 1918-20 Mint and used issues including 1918-19 overprints on Hungary with postage 2f - 10k set (3k and 5k mint, the others used); sheet with thirty C.T.O examples of the Hungary overprint 2f express stamp with varieties double overprint (25) or partial misplaced overprints (5); 1919-20 surcharges, etc. (188). £120-150
- 954 ○ ★ **Vatican City.** 1929-2002 Used collection in three Davo albums, including 1934 surcharge set of six, 1948 500L, 1949 1000L, also mint miniature sheets with 1954 stamp centenary sheet, and some Papal States including 1852 1sc used (touched at right), the Vatican all fine and virtually complete. S.G. £7,000 (approx). (2 Albums). Photo on Page 100. £500-600

JAMAICA

(Also see lots 674/6)

- 955 ☒ 1775 (June 20) Entire letter from Kingston to London endorsed by the "Anna Teresia" Packet, a fine "JAMAICA" handstamp (PS.5) on the flap, charged 1/-. £120-150
- 956 ☒ 1783-96 Entire letters from Spanish Town, Kingston or Green Island, all carried by the "Duke of Cumberland" Packet, all backstamped "JAMAICA" (PS.8) and London Bishop Marks, the 1783 letter endorsed "Inland Post Pd 7½" with "17/FE" and "20/FE" Bishop Marks, all reasonable strikes of the Jamaica handstamp. (3). £200-240
- 957 ☒ 1798 (Mar. 4) Identical letters to London, one endorsed by "Princess of Wales" Packet, the other by the "Grantham" Packet, both with poor "JAMAICA" (PS.6) backstamps, arrival datestamps of Mar. 25 or Apr. 19, charged 5/-. The "Grantham" had been captured by a French Privateer on its previous voyage in 1797 but was recaptured by H.M.S "Tamar" and the crew rescued. The "Princess of Wales" was captured by the French Privateer on its following voyage from Jamaica in 1798. (2). £120-150
- 958 ☒ 1802 Entire letters from Morant Bay or Kingston to London, both backstamped with two line "JAMAICA" datestamps (PS.11 or PS. 12), the Kingston letter endorsed by the "Auckland" Packet, the Morant Bay letter endorsed "Inland Paid 7½", both charged 1/10. (2). £120-150
- 959 ☒ 1808-11 Entire letters from Spanish Town or Kingston to England both with large Jamaica fleuron datestamps (PS.14 or PS.15), endorsed by the "Prince Ernest" or "Prince Adolphus" Packets, charged 1/11 or 2/-. The "Prince Ernest" was attacked by a French schooner in 1808, the badly damaged ship making it to Jamaica with the Captain and two crew wounded. The "Prince Adolphus" was captured by an American Privateer off Martinique in 1812. (2). £100-120
- 960 ☒ **Disinfection.** 1810 (Mar. 11) Entire letter from Kingston to Scotland endorsed by the "Manchester" Packet, disinfected due to an outbreak of yellow fever in the West Indies with clear signs of scorching, charged 2/3. The "Manchester" was captured by an American Privateer in 1813 but recaptured three months later. Disinfected mail is very unusual from Jamaica. £100-120
- 961 ☒ 1813-20 Entire letters (4) and an entire all with Jamaica medium fleuron datestamps (PS.17, 18), endorsed by the "Darlington", "Wolsingham", "Lady Louisa", "Sandwich" or "Princess Elizabeth" Packets, charged 2/2 (3), 3/8 or 4/4. Two letters from Edward Warren at the Victualling Office to his brother Thomas, one concerning the manumission of Thomas's remaining slaves and other estate matters. (5). £150-200
- 962 ☒ 1825-29 Entire letters to Scotland (5) or London, written from Westmoreland and posted at Savanna-la-Mar (4), Clarendon, or Goshen with fine "GOSHEN / JA" and small Jamaica fleuron backstamps, endorsed by the "Sheldrake", "Swallow", "Countess of Chichester", "Hope", "Cygnet" or "Alpha" Packets, the five letters to Scotland all with fine boxed "½" in green applied at Falmouth. (6). £200-250
- 963 △ ○ **G.B Used in Jamaica.** Pieces (4) and stamps (10) comprising 1d red cancelled A01 of Kingston (corner fault) or A44 of Goshen; 4d cancelled "SAVANNAH-LA-MAR" double arc datestamp (faults), A01 of Kingston (2), A28 of Annotto Bay, A57 of Montego Bay, A59 of Morant Bay, A73 of St. Anns Bay; 6d cancelled A01 of Kingston (2), A55 of Mile Gully (vertical fold), etc., a few faults. S.G. £2,200+. (14). Photo on Page 136. £200-250

- 964 △ **G.B Used in Jamaica.** 1859 (Sep. 2) Large piece franked 6d cancelled “A49”, Lilliput datestamp alongside and Kingston c.d.s at left, minor perf toning, otherwise fine and attractive. S.G. Z90, £290+. £120-150
- 965 ☒ **G.B Used in Jamaica.** 1859 (Mar. 28) Entire from Savannah-La-Mar to Kingston with 4d vertical pair each cancelled “A75”, despatch and arrival backstamps, fine. Photo on Page 132. £300-350
- 966 ☒ **G.B Used in Jamaica.** 1859 (Dec. 10) Small entire (side flaps removed) from Spanish Town to Kingston with 4d cancelled “A76”, light c.d.s at left, arrival backstamp, the stamp tied to the cover by ink lines drawn by the sender prior to posting, fine. Photo on Page 132. £200-250
- 967 (S) (P) 1860 Pines watermark 1d, 2d, 4d, 6d and 1/- imperforate proofs all with “SPECIMEN” overprint type D2, the 1/- badly cut into and without gum, the 2/- just touched at right, otherwise fine mint. (5). Photo on Page 136. £300-400
- 968 (S) 1860 Pines watermark with Specimen overprints, comprising 1d (fault at left) and 3d (2, one rubbed, one severely cut into) with manuscript Specimen type DMS; 1d, 3d (upper perfs trimmed) and 1/- with overprint type D2; 6d (trimmed at right) and 1/- with overprint type D5; 1/- (trimmed at left) with overprint type J2; 3d with overprint type J3, a scarce group. (10). Photo on Page 136. £300-350
- 969 ○ 1860 1/- Brown, Pines watermark, “\$” for “S” variety, fine used. S.G. 6c, £500. Photo on Page 136. £100-120
- 970 ★ ○ 1860-1932 Mint and used collection including 1860-70 set unused no gum (4d mint) and used, 1870-83 set mint (4d, 1/- no gum) and used (also 5/- inverted watermark used), 1883-97 set mint and used, 1890-91 2½d on 4d with varieties double surcharge mint (thin) and used, “PFNNY” used (2), “PFNNY” and “KK” for “Y” used (2), War Tax varieties with 1916 1½d on 2d “TAMP”, 1921 ½d bow flaw mint (2) and used (5, three on two covers), Officials with inverted and double overprints, postal fiscals, WW1 Red Cross labels (17, four types, one with “Jamaica” printed twice), telegraphs and revenues, and a few Specimens including 1921 2½d sample proof in unissued colours. S.G. £7,000+. (100s). Photo on Page 136. £800-1,000
- 971 ○ 1873 1/- Brown, watermark Crown CC, “\$” for “S” variety, fine used. S.G. 13a, £600. Photo on Page 136. £120-140
- 972 (P) 1875 5/- Die Proof in black on white glazed card, stamped “BEFORE HARDENING” and dated “June 18, 1875”, 92x60mm, fine. Photo on Page 140. £150-180
- 973 ○ 1897 1/- Brown, watermark Crown CA, “\$” for “S” variety used with Falmouth squared circle, fine. S.G. 24a, £500. Photo on Page 136. £100-120
- 974 ○ 1910 2½d Pale Ultramarine, watermark Multiple Crown CA, variety watermark inverted, used. Very scarce, unlisted by Gibbons. S.G. 42var. Photo on Page 136. £150-200
- 975 (S) 1921 Unissued Abolition of Slavery 6d, watermark Multiple Script CA, overprinted “SPECIMEN”, superb unmounted mint. S.G. 91s, £850. Photo on Page 100. £200-250
- 976 ○ 1923 5/- Blue and yellow-brown, watermark Multiple Script CA, variety watermark inverted, excellent colour and centring, used with light c.d.s cancels, scarce so fine. S.G. 105w, £400. Photo on Page 164. £100-120
- 977 (S) 1858 5/- Postal fiscal handstamped “SPECIMEN” type GB2, applied at Somerset House in London, mint, a few short perf tips at left, otherwise fine and scarce. Photo on Page 164. £100-120



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Ex 982



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- 978 ○ △ **Cancellations.** QV-KGV Stamps and pieces with numerals (99), temporary rubber datestamps (101, 57 on QV stamps), Jamaica Railways datestamps (68), Paquebots and maritime cancels (10 + cover), c.d.s and squared circle datestamps (171 + card), a good lot with some scarce cancels. (449 + 2 covers). Photo on Page 136. £400-500
- 979 ☒ **Numeral Cancels.** 1870-76 Entire letters comprising 1870 letter from Mandeville to Newport with 1d strip of three (Pines watermark) each cancelled "A61", endorsed "3d more"; 1874 partly printed "Monthly Abstract of wages paid on Llandovery Estate, St. Ann" from St. Ann's Bay to London endorsed "Estate Returns per Book Post" with 1d cancelled "A73"; and 1876 letter from Gordons Town to Newport with 1d pair each cancelled "A42". (3). £150-180
- 980 ○ ☒ **Numeral Cancels.** QV stamps (290) with numeral cancels, the collection in an album with cancels for A27-A82, E06-G16, 193-201, 598-647, A-F, a good number of first issue Pines watermark stamps noted including 2d strip of six cancelled "A85", 1882 1d postcard from Middle Quarters cancelled "A82" and 1890 front from Port Royal with 1d strip of four cancelled "A67" also with boxed "JAMAICA PAID" datestamps in red. Also a small study of registration cancels including two 1905-09 covers. (300+). £500-600
- 981 ☒ **Crash Mail.** 1946 (Sep. 4) Cover from London to Kingston inscribed "London-Jamaica, Special Direct Flight", the stamps washed off, recovered from the B.S.A.A flight which crashed near Bathurst, Gambia, on September 7th. Scarce, very little mail was recovered. £80-100

Gibraltar Camp

Opened in 1940 as a refugee camp for evacuees from Gibraltar, also having Dutch refugees from the East Indies and some German Internees. The camp closed in 1947.

- 982 ☒ 1940 (Nov. 1-13) Covers to Constant Spring franked 1½d, tied by Kingston "4" c.d.s, the first cover endorsed "This postmark was used on the opening day of the special Post Office at Camp Gibraltar (Evacuee Camp)" above violet cachet "W.A. CAMPBELL, Postmaster General", the second cover with violet straight line "CAMP GIBRALTAR". Very scarce early covers, the only date of use of this first cachet recorded by Proud. (2). Photo on Page 132. £120-150
- 983 ☒ 1941 (Nov. 3) Stampless O.H.M.S cover to Kingston with oval "GIBRALTAR CAMP / JAMAICA" T.R.D, circular "OFFICIAL / (crown) / FREE" and boxed "V / FOR VICTORY" all in violet, black circular "GIBRALTAR / CAMP" and Kingston "4" c.d.s. Fine and very scarce, this oval T.R.D not recorded by Proud. Photo on Page 132. £100-150
- 984 ☒ 1940-44 Covers and cards with 1940 (Nov. 13) cover with very scarce straight line "CAMP GIBRALTAR"; 1941-42 covers to refugees in London or Tangier with circular "GIBRALTAR / CAMP", the second cover registered with "GIBRALTAR CAMP" registration label; 1943 postcard from Kingston to the camp with "GIBRALTAR CAMP" double ring arrival c.d.s; 1944 cover to "Major Patron, President, Gibraltar Evacuation Committee, London" with "GIBRALTAR CAMP" double ring datestamps. Also a cover from Major Patron in Gibraltar; covers from Gibraltar evacuees in Morocco or Madeira (2); cover from Gibraltar to an evacuee in Madeira; and a G.B O.H.M.S cover with cachet of the Gibraltar Evacuation Centre in London, etc. (13). £350-400
- 985 ☒ 1942 (Dec. 21) 1d Postal Stationery postcard probably from a German Internee, registered to the USA franked 2d + 1/- all cancelled by the Kingston "4" c.d.s, circular "GIBRALTAR / CAMP", bearing "GIBRALTAR CAMP" registration label and an Air Mail label, censored in the USA. An exceptional registered postcard. Photo on Page 132. £150-180
- 986 ☒ 1940-43 Covers, four with the Kingston "4" c.d.s and circular "GIBRALTAR / CAMP", the final two cancelled by the "GIBRALTAR CAMP" double ring c.d.s. Three from Dutch refugees to USA or Dutch forces in Canada (2), the others to G.B, Gibraltar or sent locally in Jamaica. (6). £240-280



Ex 989



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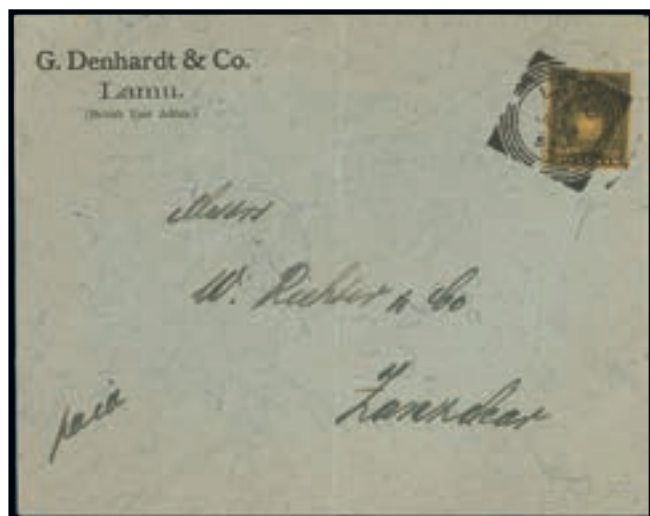
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- 987 ☒ 1942-43 Covers to the USA (3) or to Dutch forces in Canada, three with the Kingston “4” c.d.s and circular “GIBRALTAR / CAMP”, the final cover cancelled by the double ring “GIBRALTAR CAMP” c.d.s, one registered with “GIBRALTAR CAMP” registration label. (4). £200-250
- 988 ☒ 1943 Covers to G.B, USA or Dutch forces in Canada (2), two with the Kingston “4” c.d.s and circular “GIBRALTAR / CAMP”, two others cancelled by the double ring “GIBRALTAR CAMP” c.d.s, one registered with “GIBRALTAR CAMP” registration label. (4). £200-250
- 989 ☒ **Registered Mail.** 1941-45 Registered covers to Gibraltar (2), Paraguay, Dutch forces in Canada (2, one redirected to G.B) or sent locally in Jamaica, three with Kingston “4” c.d.s and circular “GIBRALTAR / CAMP”, two cancelled by the double ring “GIBRALTAR CAMP” c.d.s, a sixth cover written from the camp but posted in Kingston. The covers all with differing registration labels, comprising a “GIBRALTAR” label with manuscript “Camp” (8 May 1941, the label presumably brought from Gibraltar with the refugees), blank label with manuscript “Camp Gibraltar” (24 Jan. 1942), “GIBRALTAR CAMP” (20 May 1942), “CAMP GIBRALTAR” (19 Oct. 1943) and a blank label with manuscript “Gib Camp” (15 Oct. 1945). A rare and exceptional group. (6). Photo on Page 134. £550-650

To Be Sold on Friday 27th October 2023 at 10.30am Precisely

KENYA, UGANDA & TANGANYIKA

(Also see lots 886, 1479)

- 990 ☒ **Mafia.** c.1916 Cover to Zanzibar franked on the reverse with I.E.F ½a pair and 1a each cancelled by violet “G.R / POST / MAFIA” (S.G. type M4), green censor seal partly lifted to display the stamps. This Mafia handstamp was used as a cancellation from November 1915 until July 1916; it was then used as an overprinting device on mint stamps. A scarce commercial cover from Mafia Island, minor edge faults. Photo on Page 134. £500-700
- 991 ☒ **Air Mails.** 1928 (Feb. 12) Cover to England with Sudan 10m tied by Khartoum c.d.s, the reverse with “Entebbe Club, Uganda” embossed on the flap and endorsed “By air from Entebbe to Khartoum AJC”. Cobham made his famous “round Africa” flight in a Short Singapore flying boat in 1927; no official mail was carried but he is known to have hand carried two covers from England to East Africa and three covers from Entebbe to Khartoum. An exceptionally rare cover from this important flight, a few insignificant opening tears, otherwise fine. Previously sold in the Argyll Etkin auction of 29th September 2017 (lot 945, realised £3,500). Photo on Page 134. £2,500-3,000

British East Africa

- 992 ☉ 1890-1903 Issues distributed as Specimen stamps by the U.P.U, applied to a printed album page and second plain page from the Royal Swedish General Post Office Specimen collection, comprising 1890-95 ½a - 5r (no 1a, 3a, 4a grey, 4½a), 1894 5a on 8a and 7½a on 1r surcharges and 5a, 7½a all handstamped violet “SPECIMEN” type BEA1, 1895-96 India overprint set of fifteen and 2½ on 1a6p U.P.U printing, 1896-1901 set overprinted Specimen, 1897 Zanzibar overprint set of six and 2½ surcharges U.P.U printing set of three with stop after “Africa”, 1897 1r - 50r set of eight overprinted Specimen, 1903 ½a - 50r KEVII set of sixteen overprinted Specimen, all applied to the pages with own part gum. A unique specimen archive showing unoverprinted stamps distributed as specimens, Specimen overprints and handstamps, and the special printings produced for U.P.U distribution. S.G. £4,600 as stamps. (80). £1,600-1,800



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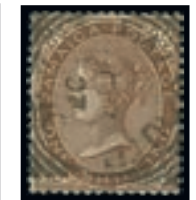
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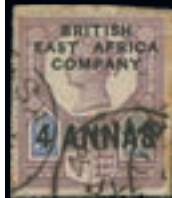
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1890 British East Africa Company Overprints on G.B., S.G. 1-3

- 993 Ⓢ ½a on 1d, 1a on 2d and 4a on 5d Set of three each handstamped “CANCELLED” (type GB14), fine mint and very scarce, no more than twelve sets overprinted. (3). Photo on Page 136. £2,500-3,000
- 994 ★ ½a - 4a Set of three fine mint, the 1a and 4a with R.P.S Certificates (1991/2). S.G. £1,400. (3). Photo on Page 136. £350-450
- 995 ○ ½a - 4a Set of three used with Mombasa datestamps, the 4a on small piece. S.G. £900. (3). Photo on Page 136. £250-300
- 996 ○ 4a on 5d Variety “British” shifted to left (“B” over “S” of East), fine used with 1890 (July 1) Mombasa c.d.s. This variety occurred in column 2 of the sheet, just 130 stamps possible. Photo on Page 136. £120-150
- 997 ★ ○ Selection comprising ½a on 1d mint (light corner stain) and used, 1a on 2d mint and used (2, faults), also forged surcharges (7, all values). (12). £250-300
- 998 ✉ 1895 (Mar. 15) Registered cover from Mombasa to Whitfield King & Co. in England bearing 4a on 5d pair (left stamp with “B” over “S” variety), London and Ipswich arrival datestamps. Fine and scarce, just 780 4a stamps issued (130 with the variety), virtually all known covers bearing this issue addressed to Whitfield King. Illustrated in “British East Africa” by Minns & Krieger. Photo on Page 134. £800-1,000
- 999 ✉ 1895 (Mar. 15) Registered cover from Mombasa to Whitfield King & Co in England, bearing the set of three with 1890-95 1a, paying the correct 6½a rate, London and Ipswich arrival datestamps. Fine and scarce, virtually all known covers bearing this issue addressed to Whitfield King. With Brandon Certificate (1999). Photo on Page 134. £800-1,000

India Stamps Used in Mombasa

- 1000 ○ India 4a, rejoined pair each with a fine 1890 (Oct. 6) Mombasa c.d.s, left stamp stained and with small corner fault, the right stamp fine. India stamps were used at Mombasa from July until October 1890 after stocks of the GB overprint issue were sold out (due to the purchase by Whitfield King) and prior to the first regular B.E.A Co. issue on October 13th. The 4a probably the scarcest of the India stamps recorded used in B.E.A. S.G. 25a, £2,200. Photo on Page 136. £500-600

1890 I.B.E.A Co Definitive Issue, S.G. 4-19

- 1001 Ⓟ Undenominated Master Die Proof of the small format design (used for the ½a - 1r) in grey-green on thick wove paper, corner thin, otherwise fine and unique, 21x25mm. Just seven Master Proofs recorded, all in differing colours, ex. Danson. Photo on Page 136. £600-700
- 1002 Ⓢ Ⓟ ½a Imperforate sample proof in red-brown on thin card, perforated “SPECIMEN” type B1. Fine and scarce, just five examples recorded, two in this colour. Photo on Page 136. £500-600
- 1003 Ⓢ Ⓟ 1a Imperforate sample proof in orange-red on thin card, perforated “SPECIMEN” type B1. Fine, only two 1a proofs recorded, unique in this colour. Photo on Page 136. £500-600
- 1004 Ⓢ Ⓟ 2a Imperforate sample proof in grey-blue on thin card, perforated “SPECIMEN” type B1. Fine and rare, just eight examples recorded, unique in this colour. Photo on Page 136. £500-600
- 1005 Ⓢ Ⓟ 4a Imperforate sample proof in orange-red on thin card, perforated “SPECIMEN” type B1. Fine and rare, just three examples recorded, unique in this colour. Photo on Page 136. £500-600
- 1006 Ⓢ Ⓟ 8a Imperforate sample proof in light brown on thin card, perforated “SPECIMEN” type B1. Fine and rare, just four examples recorded, two in this colour. Photo on Page 136. £500-600



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- 1007 (S) (P) 8a Imperforate sample proof in bright blue on thin card, perforated "SPECIMEN" type B1. Fine and rare, just four examples recorded, unique in this colour. Photo on Page 136. £500-600
- 1008 (S) (P) 1r Imperforate sample proof in dark brown on thin card, perforated "SPECIMEN" type B1, fine. The only recorded 1r sample proof. Photo on Front Cover. £600-700
- 1009 (S) ½a-2r, the Twelve perforated values issued in 1890 or February 1891 each handstamped "SPECIMEN" (16x2mm) in red or green, most handstamps very faint, no gum, all fine. The Bradbury Wilkinson archives contained one sheet of each of these twelve values with these faint Specimen overprints. (12). £200-250
- 1010 (S) ½a - 5r Overprinted "SPECIMEN" type BEA1 in violet, fourteen values (missing the 4a grey, 8a carmine), the 8a blue and 1r grey without gum, 2½a with small defect at left and 5r with stain at base, otherwise fine mint. A rare group, this Specimen overprint only recorded on five values by Samuel and Krieger/Minns. (14). Photo on Page 100. £1,000-1,200
- 1011 (S) ½a, 1a, 2a and 8a blue handstamped "SPECIMEN" type BEA1 in violet, no gum, the 1a creased. Scarce. (4). £120-150
- 1012 ★ ½a Deep brown, imperforate horizontal pair, light vertical fold in central margin, otherwise fine mint. Scarce, three sheets printed with ninety pairs possible. S.G. 4ba, £900. Photo on Page 136. £250-300
- 1013 ○ ½a Deep brown, imperforate horizontal pair, used with 1893 (Nov. 23) Mombasa squared circle, fine. S.G. 4ba, £400. Photo on Page 136. £130-150
- 1014 ○ ½a Deep brown, imperforate horizontal pair, used with 1894 (Jan. 16) Mombasa squared circles, fine. S.G. 4ba, £400. Photo on Page 136. £130-150
- 1015 ★ ½a Deep brown, horizontal pair, variety imperforate between, unused no gum. Very scarce, three sheets printed with ninety pairs possible, just ten unused pairs recorded by Krieger/Minns. S.G. 4bb, £2,250. Photo on Page 136. £600-700
- 1016 ○ ½a Deep brown, horizontal pair, variety imperforate between, used with 1894 (Jan. 16) Mombasa squared circles. Fine and scarce. S.G. 4bb, £700. Photo on Page 142. £240-280
- 1017 ★ ½a Deep brown, vertical pair, variety imperforate between, mint, minor toning, otherwise fine and scarce. Just two sheets printed with sixty pairs possible. S.G. 4bc, £1,400. Photo on Page 140. £400-500
- 1018 △ ½a Deep brown, vertical pair, variety imperforate between, used on small piece with 1893 (Dec. 20) Mombasa squared circles, fine and scarce. S.G. 4bc, £600. Photo on Page 140. £200-250
- 1019 ★ 1a Blue-green, variety "ANL" for "AND", fine mint. With R.P.S Certificate (2019). S.G. 5aa, £1,000. Photo on Page 142. £300-350
- 1020 ○ 1a Blue-green, variety "ANL" for "AND", fine used with 1892 (Mar. 28) Mombasa squared circle. S.G. 5aa, £1,300. Photo on Page 142. £400-500
- 1021 ★ (B) 1a Blue-green, mint block of nine, the lower central stamp with variety "ANL" for "AND", light crease to lower row, scarce within a block. S.G. 5aa, £1,075+. Photo on Page 138. £250-300
- 1022 ★ 1a Blue-green, imperforate horizontal pair, light horizontal crease, otherwise fine mint, extremely scarce. Just two sheets printed with sixty pairs possible but very few mint pairs recorded. S.G. 5a, £5,000. Photo on Front Cover. £1,200-1,400
- 1023 ○ 1a Blue-green, imperforate horizontal pair used with 1894 (Feb. 12) Mombasa datestamps, fine and very scarce. S.G. 5a, £1,500. Photo on Page 142. £500-600
- 1024 ○ 1a Blue-green, imperforate horizontal pair used with 1893 (Nov. 24) Mombasa squared circle, fine and very scarce. S.G. 5a, £1,500. Photo on Page 142. £500-600



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- 1025 ★ 2a Vermilion, imperforate horizontal pair, light crease, otherwise fine mint. Extremely scarce, just two sheets printed with sixty pairs possible. S.G. 6a, £5,000. Photo on Page 142. £1,200-1,400
- 1026 ○ 2a Vermilion, imperforate horizontal pair, used with 1892 (Dec. 27) Mombasa squared circles, pressed horizontal crease, good appearance and very scarce. S.G. 6a, £1,500. Photo on Page 142. £350-450
- 1027 ★ 2½a Black on bright yellow, imperforate horizontal pair, both stamps touched at top, very close at left, otherwise fine mint, part gum. Scarce, just three sheets printed with ninety pairs possible. S.G. 7cb. £1,200. Photo on Page 142. £200-250
- 1028 ○ 2½a Black on bright yellow, imperforate horizontal pair, used with 1893 (Nov. 23) Mombasa squared circles, left stamp with corner crease, otherwise fine. S.G. 7cb, £600. Photo on Page 142 £160-180
- 1029 ○ 2½a Black on bright yellow, imperforate horizontal pair, used with 1894 (Jan. 16) Mombasa squared circles, very fine. S.G. 7cb, £600. Photo on Page 142. £200-240
- 1030 ★ 2½a Black on bright yellow, horizontal pair, variety imperforate between, fine mint. Very scarce, three sheets printed, ninety pairs possible. S.G. 7cc, £1,500. Photo on Page 142. £500-600
- 1031 ○ 2½a Black on bright yellow, horizontal pair, variety imperforate between, used with 1894 (Mar. 14) Mombasa datestamps, vertical blue crayon line through right stamp, otherwise fine and scarce. S.G. 7cc, £750. Photo on Page 142. £200-240
- 1032 ★ 2½a Black on bright yellow, vertical pair, variety imperforate between, one short perf at left, otherwise fine mint. Very scarce, three sheets printed, ninety pairs possible. S.G. 7cd, £1,400. Photo on Page 140. £450-550
- 1033 ○ 2½a Black on bright yellow, vertical pair, variety imperforate between, used with 1893 (Dec. 20) squared circles, upper stamp thinned, good appearance and scarce. S.G. 7cd, £750. Photo on Page 140. £150-180
- 1034 ★ 3a Black on bright red, imperforate horizontal pair, superb mint. Very scarce, three sheets printed, ninety pairs possible. S.G. 8ab, £1,200. Photo on Page 142. £400-500
- 1035 ★ 3a Black on bright red, imperforate vertical pair, lower stamp touched at base, otherwise fine mint, scarce. S.G. 8ab, £1,200. Photo on Page 140. £250-300
- 1036 △ 3a Black on bright red, imperforate horizontal pair tied to piece by 1893 (Nov. 23) Mombasa squared circle, the pair crossed by a blue crayon line, otherwise fine and scarce. S.G. 8ab, £550. Photo on Page 142. £180-200
- 1037 △ 3a Black on bright red, imperforate horizontal pair tied to piece by 1893 (Dec. 20) Mombasa squared circles, the pair crossed by a blue crayon line, otherwise fine and scarce. S.G. 8ab, £550. Photo on Page 100. £180-200
- 1038 ★ 3a Black on bright red, horizontal pair, variety imperforate between, light horizontal crease, otherwise fine mint. Scarce, just three sheets printed, ninety pairs possible. S.G. 8ac, £900. Photo on Page 142. £200-240
- 1039 ★ 3a Black on bright red, vertical pair, variety imperforate between, fine mint. Scarce, four sheets printed, 120 pairs possible. S.G. 8ad, £700. Photo on Page 140. £240-280
- 1040 ○ 3a Black on bright red, vertical pair, variety imperforate between, used with 1894 (Jan. 16) Mombasa squared circles. Upper stamp with small fault at right, otherwise fine and scarce. S.G. 8ad, £425. Photo on Page 140. £100-120
- 1041 ★ 4a Yellow-brown, imperforate horizontal pair, left stamp with two pinholes at upper edge, otherwise fine mint and extremely scarce. Just two sheets printed, sixty pairs possible. S.G. 9a, £5,000. Photo on Page 142. £1,200-1,400



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- 1042 ★ 4a Grey (imperf) unused horizontal pair, left stamp crossed by blue crayon line, no gum. Just two sheets printed, one sheet of sixty apparently ungummed, fine and very scarce. S.G. 10, £2,600. Photo on Page 142. £600-700
- 1043 ★ 4a Grey (imperf) unused, no gum, fine and very scarce. S.G. 10, £1,300. Photo on Page 142. £400-500
- 1044 ★ 4a Grey (imperf) unused, no gum, fine and very scarce. With R.P.S Certificate (1993). S.G. 10, £1,300. Photo on Page 142. £400-500
- 1045 ○ 4a Grey (imperf) horizontal pair used, each with a 1894 (Feb. 12) Mombasa c.d.s, fine and very scarce. S.G. 10, £2,800. Photo on Front Cover. £1,000-1,200
- 1046 ○ 4a Grey (imperf) used with light squared circle cancel, light vertical crease, otherwise fine and scarce. With R.P.S Certificate (1975), S.G. 10, £1,400. Photo on Page 142. £300-350
- 1047 ★ 4½a Brown-purple, imperforate horizontal pair, unused without gum, small central closed tear and small surface fault at base of right stamp, good appearance and scarce. Three sheets printed, ninety pairs possible. S.G. 11ab, £2,250. Photo on Page 142. £250-300
- 1048 ○ 4½a Brown-purple, imperforate horizontal pair used with 1893 (Nov. 23) Mombasa squared circle, fine and scarce. S.G. 11ab, £550. Photo on Page 142. £180-200
- 1049 ★ 4½a Brown-purple, horizontal pair, variety imperforate between, vertical crease to left stamp and small thin to right stamp, natural paper inclusion in central margin, mint. Rare, just one sheet printed, thirty pairs possible. S.G. 11ac, £1,500. Photo on Page 142. £200-250
- 1050 ○ 4½a Brown-purple, horizontal pair, variety imperforate between, used with 1894 (Jan. 16) Mombasa squared circles. Rounded corner at lower left, otherwise fine and very scarce. S.G. 1ac, £1,000. Photo on Page 142. £300-350
- 1051 ★ 4½a Brown-purple, vertical pair, variety imperforate between, unused without gum. Minor toning and a couple of short upper perfs but scarce, three sheets printed with ninety pairs possible. S.G. 1ad, £1,100. Photo on Page 140. £150-200
- 1052 ○ 4½a Brown-purple, vertical pair, variety imperforate between, used with 1893 (Nov. 23) Mombasa squared circle, fine and scarce. S.G. 11ad, £550. Photo on Page 140. £180-200
- 1053 △ 8a Blue, imperforate horizontal pair tied to piece by 1893 (Nov. 24) Mombasa squared circles and a London Registered arrival datestamp, left stamp with 3mm tear into upper right corner, still an attractive and scarce pair. Just two imperf sheets printed, sixty pairs possible. S.G. 12a, £1,800. Photo on Page 100. £300-350
- 1054 ★ ☐ 8a Grey, unused block of four, no gum, otherwise superb and very scarce. Krieger/Minns only record three unused blocks of four of this stamp, one of which is in the Royal Collection. S.G. 13, £1,000+. Photo on Page 140. £500-600
- 1055 △ 1892 (Dec. 27) Piece cut from a postal stationery registration envelope, bearing 8a grey + 1r grey tied by Mombasa squared circles, two scarce stamps used, very unusual in combination. S.G. 13, 15, £500+. Photo on Page 100. £200-250
- 1056 △ 1r Carmine, imperforate horizontal pair tied to piece (cut from a postal stationery registration envelope) by 1893 (Oct. 21) Mombasa squared circle, fine and very scarce. Just two sheets printed with sixty pairs possible. S.G. 14a, £1,700. Photo on Page 100. £600-700
- 1057 ★ ☐ ½a - 5r Mint multiples comprising blocks of four of the ½a, 1a, 2½a, 3a, 4a (2), 4½a brown-purple, 8a blue (2), 1r carmine, 2r, 3r, 4r, 5r, also ½a blocks of eight and nine, 2a block of twenty, 8a blue block of fifteen, all fine, several marginal. S.G. £730++. (18 blocks). £300-350



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- 1058 ★ ½a - 5r Mint set of fifteen (excluding 4a grey) with additional stamps and shades, including all three listed shades of the 2½a, both 3a shades, both 4½a colours, 8a grey, 1r grey (2), 5r (2), nine stamps apparently imperforate. S.G. £1,200+. (46). £250-300
- 1059 ○ △ ½a-5r Used set of fifteen (excluding 4a grey) with additional stamps and shades, including ½a with Wasin cancel, 3a, 1r grey, 2r and 4r with Lamu cancels, 8a grey, imperforate 4a yellow-brown tied to piece, 1a and 8a blue apparently imperforate, etc. S.G. £890+. (31). Photo on Page 142. £240-280
- 1060 △ 1891 (Oct. 10) Large piece cut from a registered cover bearing ½a, 1a, 2a, 4a, 8a grey all tied by Mombasa datestamps, a further strike below with a red London Registered arrival datestamp. The scarce 8a crossed by a very light horizontal crease but otherwise fine, the other stamps all crossed with a heavier diagonal crease, 2a with small corner fault. A reasonable franking with the scarce 8a grey, from an apparently commercial cover, paying the three x 4½a rate + 2a registration fee. Photo on Page 204. £200-250
- 1061 ☒ 1892 (Mar. 28) Cover to Mrs Powell, Kings Lynn, Norfolk, franked 4½a dull violet tied by a Mombasa squared circle, with an intriguing pencil endorsement alongside "Paid 4½a my a/c (initials), some overall soiling, pressed creases and minor edge faults, light crease through the stamp. Also 1892 (May 24) cover from Bishop Alfred R. Tucker to his son in London, initialled "A.E.Eq.A" (Alfred, Eastern Equatorial Africa) franked ½a tied by Mombasa squared circle, another stamp unfortunately removed (with a replacement 4a hinged in its place). Tucker went to Uganda as a C.M.S Missionary in 1890, was appointed Bishop of Equatorial Africa and later Bishop of Uganda. Two interesting and early covers from the interior of B.E.A or Uganda, both probably carried by caravan or runner to Mombasa. (2). £400-500
- 1062 ☒ 1893 (June 23) Cover with printed return address of G. Denhardt & Co., Lamu, addressed to Zanzibar, franked 2½a tied by a fine Lamu squared circle, backstamped at Mombasa and Zanzibar. Light vertical fold, otherwise very fine, an early commercial cover. Photo on Page 134. £300-350
- 1063 ☒ 1893 (Oct. 16) Registered cover to Germany bearing 4½a dull violet (small corner fault) tied by Lamu squared circle with oval "R" handstamp, backstamped at Zanzibar, Aden and in Germany. A good early commercial cover from Lamu. Photo on Page 134. £300-350
- 1064 ☒ 1894 (Mar. 14) 1a Postcard franked ½a, 3a and 4½a brown-purple, registered from Mombasa to H.L Hayman in London, with red London Registered arrival datestamp (Apr. 10), no message, philatelic but still a scarce and attractive franking. Photo on Page 144. £180-220
- 1065 ☒ 1895 (May 9) Registered cover to George Jackson, Knowle, franked 5r tied by Mombasa c.d.s., Registered arrival datestamps of London (June 2) and Birmingham. Philatelic but still a scarce stamp on cover. (S.G. £80 as a stamp). Photo on Page 144. £180-220
- 1066 ⑥ **Forgeries.** 1892 Cover to the Philippines bearing ½a, 4a and 7½a tied by forged Mombasa datestamps. Also forgeries of the 8a grey (2) and 1r grey (2, one "used"). (5). £80-100
- 1067 ○ ★ **Revenues.** 1a, 2½a, 8a blue, 1r grey, 1r carmine and 4r handstamped "INLAND / REVENUE" in black or violet, the 2½a with Mombasa c.d.s, the two 1r stamps with Lamu squared circles, 1r grey and 1r carmine fiscally used. Also 1895 8a blue B.E.A overprint and 1895-96 India 1a B.E.A overprint both handstamped "INLAND / REVENUE". (8). £100-120

1891 Mombasa Provisional Surcharges, S.G. 20-26

- 1068 ○ ½ Anna on 2a vermilion, handstuck surcharge initialled "A.D" with the original value obliterated, used with Mombasa c.d.s of MR 30 91, the stamp crossed by blue crayon line, light crease at upper right corner, otherwise fine, with R.P.S Certificate (1991). S.G. 20, £1,400. Photo on Page 142 £200-250
- 1069 ○ ½ Anna on 2a vermilion, handstamped surcharge initialled "A.D", variety surcharge double, also with the original value not obliterated, used with Mombasa c.d.s, fine and exceptionally rare. We can only find a record of one other example, in the Royal Collection. With R.P.S Certificate (1971). S.G. 20a, £13,000. Photo on Front Cover. £6,000-7,000



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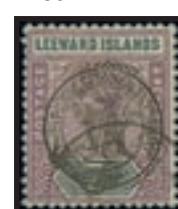
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- 1070 ○ 1 Anna on 4a brown, handstamped surcharge initialled “A.B” with the original value obliterated, used with Mombasa c.d.s. Fine and scarce, with R.P.S Certificate (1969). S.G. 21, £2,500. Photo on Page 142. £700-800
- 1071 ○ ½ Anna on 2a vermilion, manuscript surcharge with initials “A.D”, original value not obliterated, upper marginal single used with Mombasa c.d.s, small defects at right and upper right corner and a few short perfs, still a good looking example of this rare stamp. S.G. 22, £5,500. Photo on Page 142. £800-1,000
- 1072 ○ ½ Anna on 2a vermilion, manuscript surcharge with initials “A.B”, right marginal single used with Mombasa c.d.s, two short perfs, otherwise fine. S.G. 23, £1,300. Photo on Page 142. £350-450
- 1073 ○ ½ Anna on 2a vermilion, manuscript surcharge with initials “A.B”, used with 1893 (June 19) Melindi squared circle, fine and unique with this cancel. This stamp is specifically mentioned in the Krieger/Minns handbook. With a 1998 letter from John Minns stating the stamp is genuine, and offering to buy it for £500. S.G. 23, £1,300+. Photo on Page 142. £800-1,000
- 1074 ○ ½ Anna on 2a vermilion, manuscript surcharge with initials “A.B”, distinctive heavy surcharge of Lamu, upper marginal single used with Lamu c.d.s, trace of light crease and very minor soiling. Also a used example with the usual manuscript surcharge of Mombasa, stained and corner fault. S.G. 23, £1,300+. (2). Photo on Page 142. £300-400
- 1075 ○ ½ Anna on 2a vermilion, manuscript surcharge with initials “A.B”, variety “annas”, used with 1891 (Mar. 2) Mombasa c.d.s, fine. With B.P.A Certificate (2014). S.G. 23a, £2,000. Photo on Page 142. £800-1,000
- 1076 ○ ½ Anna on 3a black on red, manuscript surcharge with initials “A.B”, used with 1891 (June 23) Mombasa c.d.s, fine and very scarce. With Brandon Certificate (2005). S.G. 24, £2,750. Photo on Page 142. £1,000-1,200.
- 1077 △ 1894 (Oct. 15) Piece bearing 1890-95 2½a and two examples of the 1 Anna on 3a black on red manuscript surcharge with initials “V.H.M” all tied by Mombasa datestamps, an oval Registered Woolwich arrival datestamp (Nov. 16) alongside. A scarce piece, from the final posting of this provisional by R. Macallister. S.G. 25, £4,500+. Photo on Page 140. £1,600-1,800
- 1078 ○ 1 Anna on 3a Black on red, manuscript surcharge with initials “V.H.M”; and 1 Anna on 4a brown, manuscript surcharge with initials “A.B”, both stamps fiscally used with manuscript cancels, a FE 21 91 Mombasa c.d.s subsequently applied to fraudulently attempt to simulate postal use. Two interesting reference items, the first with “pink” B.P.A Certificate (2009). S.G. 25/26. (2). Photo on Page 142. £300-400
- 1079 ○ 1 Anna on 4a brown, manuscript surcharge with initials “A.B”, the distinctive heavy surcharge of Lamu, used with 1891 (Mar. 31) Lamu c.d.s, fine and scarce. With B.P.A Certificate (1981). S.G. 26, £2,250. Photo on Front Cover. £1,000-1,200
- 1080 ○ 1 Anna on 4a brown, manuscript surcharge with initials “A.B”, the distinctive heavy surcharge of Lamu, used with 1891 (Mar. 31) Lamu c.d.s, vertical crease, good appearance and scarce. S.G. 26, £2,250. Photo on Page 146. £400-500
- 1081 ★ 1 Anna on 4a brown, manuscript surcharge with initials “A.B”, mint left marginal single, the surcharge in a differing hand to the usual surcharges (possibly the same hand used for many of the S.G.22 ½ anna surcharges), with the surcharge and “A.B” initials clearly in the same hand. With a 1975 letter from the dealer Peter Dickinson giving the opinions of Roy Dunston and Stuart Rossiter on this stamp, Dunston being of the opinion that a clerk wrote both the surcharge and initials (and not Archibald Brown), and the stamp is therefore not a forgery, but also not a genuine “A.B” initialling. An intriguing stamp. S.G. 26var. Photo on Page 146. £400-500

1894 5a and 7½a Surcharges, S.G. 27/8

- 1082 (S) 5a on 8a Blue and 7½a on 1r carmine handstamped "SPECIMEN" (BEA1) in violet, in unmounted mint strips of five, as distributed by the U.P.U. Fine, possibly unique in strips. S.G. £475++. (2 strips). Photo on Page 142. £500-600
- 1083 (S) ★ 5a and 7½a Handstamped "SPECIMEN" (BEA1), mint and used, also 5a pair and block of four mint, used 5a and mint 7½a both with forged surcharges. S.G. £955. (14). £150-180
- 1084 ☒ 1895 (Jan. 10) Registered cover from Mombasa to H.L Hayman in London bearing 5a and 7½a surcharges, minor staining clear of the stamps, philatelic but still scarce stamps on cover. Photo on Page 144. £150-200

1895 5a and 7½a, S.G. 29/30

- 1085 (P) 7½a Imperforate plate proof in carmine on thick wove paper, no gum, thinned but scarce, just one sheet of sixty printed. Photo on Page 146. £120-150
- 1086 (P) 7½a Imperforate plate proof pair in ultramarine on thick wove paper, no gum, minor soiling to right stamp, trace of light thin to left stamp, scarce, just one sheet of sixty printed. Photo on Page 146. £240-280
- 1087 (S) 5a and 7½a Handstamped "SPECIMEN" (BEA1) in violet, in unmounted mint strips of five, as distributed by the U.P.U., fine, possibly unique in strips. S.G. £475++. (2 strips). Photo on Page 146. £500-600
- 1088 (S) 5a and 7½a Handstamped "SPECIMEN" (BEA1) in violet, in mint strips of three, lightly mounted on the central stamps only, fine and scarce. S.G. £285++. (2 strips). Photo on Page 146. £200-250
- 1089 ★ ○ Selection comprising 5a and 7½a corner blocks of four without gum from the printers file sheets both dated "Dec 14/94" in the margin, mint blocks of six of both values, 5a mint (2) and used (2), 7½a mint (2) and used (3, one used in 1905), and an 1895 piece bearing the two stamps with 1890-95 ½a - 8a. (30). £100-120

1895 ½ Anna Provisional Surcharge, S.G. 31

- 1090 ★ ½ Anna on 3a black on red, manuscript surcharge with initials "T.E.C.R", fine mint. S.G. £600. Photo on Page 146. £150-180
- 1091 ★ ½ Anna on 3a black on red, manuscript surcharge with initials "T.E.C.R", fine mint. S.G. £600. Photo on Page 146. £150-180
- 1092 ○ △ ½ Anna on 3a black on red, manuscript surcharge with initials "T.E.C.R", two used stamps, one on piece with 1890-95 2a tied by JU 6 Mombasa datestamps, the other with FE 19 Mombasa c.d.s, the earliest recorded date of use of this stamp. S.G. £139+. (2). £80-100
- 1093 ○ ☒ ½ Anna on 3a Black on red, manuscript surcharge with initials "T.E.C.R", lower right corner block of four, used with FE 19 Mombasa datestamps, the earliest recorded use of this stamp. S.G. £260++. Photo on Page 140. £200-250
- 1094 ☒ 1895 (May 9) Registered cover to H.L Hayman in London bearing two 1890-95 1a pairs and two ½a on 3a manuscript surcharges initialled "T.E.C.R", all tied by Mombasa datestamps, philatelic but still an uncommon stamp on cover. Photo on Page 144. £400-500

1895 British East Africa Handstamped Overprints, S.G. 33-47

- 1095 ★ ½a - 5r Set of fifteen mint, with additional 4a, the 4½a and 1r without gum, otherwise fine. A very scarce set, the 5a and 5r with "British" partly omitted, the 5a with 1980 B.P.A Certificate. S.G. £3,080. (16). Photo on Page 100. £700-800

1895-96 British East Africa Overprints on India, S.G. 49-64

- 1096 ★ 1r Green and carmine, variety overprint double one sideways, fine mint. One pane of 120 stamps existed with this variety. S.G. 60d, £425. Photo on Page 146. £120-150
- 1097 ★ 1895 2½ on 1a6p Sepia surcharges, reprints with surcharge types 12, 13 or 14 all printed as U.P.U Specimen stamps, type 13 surcharge a little toned on reverse, type 14 surcharge with lower margin, scarce. S.G. £485. (3). £120-150

1897 2½ Surcharges on Zanzibar, S.G. 86-91

- 1098 ★ Mint selection comprising 2½ on 1a, surcharge types 12 (2, one with East Africa heavily struck, possibly due to a second impression), 13 and 14; 2½ on 3a surcharge types 12 and 14, all fine. S.G. £1,040. (6). £220-260

Postal Stationery

- 1099 ✉ 1893 (Apr. 19) 1a Postcard to Frank Finn in Maidstone, written by the Mombasa Postmaster T.E.C. Remington and signed "T.E.C.R." (as used on the 1895 provisional surcharges), the interesting message including "Am sending by this mail to the Zoo, one lemur, one monkey, one box millipedes. The mongoose I have had for two months needs go and die last night. I wont forget about the birds & lizards by next mail", light fold. £80-100
- 1100 ✉ (S) 1893-96 Stationery including 1893 issue ½a and 1a postcards and 2½a envelope with Specimen overprints, 1a postcard commercially used to India, 2½a envelopes used to India or within Mombasa, unused 2a registration envelopes (2), 1895 British East Africa overprints with ½a and 1a postcards posted within Lamu, 2½a envelopes used to G.B or within Lamu, etc. (21). £200-250

KEVII & KGV Postal Stationery

- 1101 (S) ✉ **East Africa and Uganda.** 1903-20 KEVII Specimen, unused and used ½a postcards (4) and reply cards (4), 1a postcards (4) and reply cards (4), 3c postcards (4) and reply cards (3), 6c postcards (6) and reply cards (3), the ½a and 1a used reply cards the reply half only, two registered. (32). £300-350
- 1102 (S) ✉ **East Africa and Uganda.** 1912 KGV 3c and 6c Postcards and 6c reply card all locally handstamped "SPECIMEN", also 3c and 6c postcards and reply cards overprinted "SPECIMEN" and unused, 3c postcards (2) and 6c postcards (3) used, two registered, the local Specimens scarce. (16). £280-320
- 1103 ✉ **East Africa and Uganda.** 1903-13 KEVII 2a Registration envelopes, size F unused and used to England, size H unused (2) or used (5) with envelopes from Jinja to Mombasa franked 2a, Lamu to Mombasa endorsed via "S.S Kilwa" franked KGV 6c (2), Mombasa to USA franked 2½a (2) + 5a, Nairobi to G.B franked 6c (2) with wax "Postmaster Generals Office" seal, or Kampala to Switzerland franked ½a + 2a. (9). £200-240
- 1104 (S) ✉ **East Africa and Uganda.** 1913-22 KGV Registration envelopes, comprising first 18c envelopes (inscribed "Registration Fee") size F Specimen (3), unused (2) or used; second type 18c envelopes (inscribed "Postage & Registration") size F unused; 31c size G Specimen, unused and used; 35c green size G envelopes, first type unused and used, second type (with Postage box in italics) Specimen, unused and used. (15). £220-260
- 1105 (S) ✉ **East Africa and Uganda.** 1904-12 Newspaper wrappers comprising KEVII ½a wrappers overprinted "SPECIMEN", unused, used locally or to Germany uprated ½a, 1a wrappers overprinted "SPECIMEN", unused, used to Germany, or used from Mombassa to Nairobi uprated ½a + 1a single + block of four (the 6½a rate up to 26ozs weight); 1908 KEVII 3c wrapper handstamped violet "SPECIMEN" (15x3mm, locally applied?), overprinted "SPECIMEN", unused, used to Ruanda or German East Africa; 1912 KGV 3c wrappers overprinted "SPECIMEN" or unused. (15). £180-220



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- 1106 (S) ☒ **Kenya and Uganda.** 1924-34 Envelopes comprising 20c orange on grey Specimen, unused with wrapper band ("TWENTY FOUR POSTAGE ENVELOPES" altered to 25 in manuscript), unused envelope with scarce variety albino impression of stamp, used (3, one registered to France uprated 40c); 20c orange on white paper (135x106mm) unused and used (2, to USA, one registered franked 40c); 15c red on grey Specimen, unused, used to Egypt; 15c red on white (145x90mm) unused and registered from Mbarara to New Zealand franked 35c; 15c red on white (135x106mm) unused and used (4) with two air mail covers to Madagascar franked 2s, registered to India franked 30c or air mail to France franked 60c. (19). £240-280
- 1107 (S) ☒ **Kenya and Uganda.** 1923-35 Registration envelopes comprising 50c size G Specimen, unused (2, shades), used (5, one with Namasagali c.d.s, one to Jamaica); 1930 45c size G Specimen, unused and used (3, one with scarce circular framed "A.R" of Jinja), size H2 unused and used to England franked 1/60; 1935 50c with "Additional Postage" inscription within the stamp box, size G front used, size H unused with pink interleaving under flap. A good lot, the 1935 KGV issue very scarce. (17). £240-280
- 1108 (S) ☒ **G.E.A Overprints.** 1919-22 3c Postcards Specimen, unused or used (4); 6c postcards Specimen, unused or used (3); 31c size F registration envelopes Specimen, unused or used, a good lot, the used items all commercial. (14). £400-500
- 1109 (S) ☒ **Tanganyika.** 1923-33 Postcards comprising 1923 Giraffe issue 15c postcards with tiny "SPECIMEN" overprint on the stamp (2, 11x2mm, possibly from the printers archives?), unused and used (2), 15c + 15c reply cards overprinted "SPECIMEN" or unused; 1927 KGV 15c cards overprinted "SPECIMEN", unused and used (4, one to Romania franked 10c, one air mail to Germany franked 60c), 15c + 15c reply cards overprinted "SPECIMEN" or unused and reply half sent by air from Tanga to Daressalaam franked 20c. (16). £140-160
- 1110 (S) ☒ **Tanganyika.** 1927-34 Registration envelopes size G Specimen, unused and used (5, one to Cyprus), and size H Specimen, unused and used (3), one with "LUPEMBE" skeleton datestamps and manuscript registration label. (12). £220-260
- 1111 (S) ☒ **Kenya, Uganda & Tanganyika.** 1935 20c Lettercards Specimen, unused or used (2), one commercially used to Cape Town franked Silver Jubilee 30c, the other philatelically used from Limaru to Germany franked 10c, no message, the outer selvedge intact. The card to Cape Town stained, the others fine, a scarce item of postal stationery postally used. (4). £160-200

LEEWARD ISLANDS

(Also see lots 498, 727/8, 1535, 1854/5)

- 1112 (S) 1890 ½d - 5/- Set of eight overprinted "SPECIMEN", all in mint strips of three, as distributed by the U.P.U, minor rubbing to the 1/- and 5/-, otherwise fine. Very rare, possibly unique in strips. S.G. 1/8s, £975+-. (8 strips). Photo on Page 146. £500-600
- 1113 (S) 1890 ½d - 5/- Set of eight and 1902 surcharge set of three, two sets of each distributed as Specimens by the U.P.U, affixed by part own gum to two archival pieces from the Tunisia Post Office Specimen collection, one 1890 set with the standard Specimen overprint, the other set with handstamped 12.5x1.6mm sans-serif "SPECIMEN" overprints clearly applied by De la Rue (unrecorded by Samuel, and unknown on any other Crown Colony issue); one 1902 surcharge set as issued, the other set each handstamped violet "SPECIMEN" type TUN1 upon receipt in Tunisia. An exceptional and unique group, each piece with a B.P.A Certificate (2016). (22). Photo on Page 150. £1,800-2,000
- 1114 (S) 1890-1902 Specimen stamps affixed by own part gum to two archival pieces from the Royal Swedish General Post Office Specimen collection, comprising 1890 set of eight and 1902 set of nine overprinted Specimen, and 1902 surcharge set of three unoverprinted. S.G. £550 as stamps. (20). £180-200

- 1115 ★ ○ 1890-1932 Mint and used collection, complete mint with all KGV shades, the used stamps just missing the 1897 Sexagenary 5/- and the 1921-32 die II set, some additional shades and varieties including 1890 4d damaged "S" within a mint block of four, 1897 Sexagenary ½d - 1/- used on a part front from Antigua to R.M.S "Eden" at St. Lucia, 1912-22 3d damaged "d" mint (2) and used (a prominent and constant variety, but unlisted by S.G.), 1902 1d on 4d mint black of thirty, Sexagenary overprint forgeries, bogus official overprints, etc. S.G. 1/87, £7,000 (approx). (280 + front). £800-1,000
- 1116 ★ ○ 1897 Sexagenary 7d mint and used, both showing clear doubling of virtually the entire overprint. S.G. 7var. (2). Photo on Page 146. £100-150
- 1117 ★ ○ 1902 and 1905-08 KEVII Crown CA and Multiple Crown CA 2½d mint and used, all four stamps with the variety wide "A" in "LEEWARD", fine. S.G. 23a, 32a, £1,835. (4). Photo on Page 146. £250-300
- 1118 ○ **Maritime Cancells.** QV-KGV Stamps with ship or Paquebot cancels, or overseas arrival datestamps, including QV ½d, 1d (3), 2½d (6) and KEVII 1d with scarce manuscript "Solent" (3) or "Esk" (2) or handstruck "SOLENT" (3), "ESK" (2) or "EDEN", etc. Also R.M.S.P 10c mint. (49). Photo on Page 146. £200-250
- 1119 (P) ○ **Revenues.** 1911 KGV Fees stamp, Master Die Proof in black on white glazed card, reduced to stamp size, applied to a piece cut from the De la Rue striking book endorsed "Oct. 60 leads & 6 extra" and "nov 4th 1913". Also QV (8), KEVII (5) and KGV (3) Fees stamps used. A unique proof. (17). Photo on Page 140. £250-300

LIECHTENSTEIN

- 1120 ○ ★ 1912-2002 Used collection in three Davo albums including Austria P.O issues, 1921 set with perf 9½ stamps (no 3r), 1928 Accession Anniversary set, 1930 perf 10½ set, 1930 Air set, 1931 Zeppelin pair, 1932 Official set with perf 11½ 50r and 1f.20, 1933 set of three and official pair, 1933-35 set, 1934-36 Air and Official sets, 1936 Air pair, 1938 Prince Francis 3f, 1937-41 set, 1951-52 perf 14½ 2f - 5f, 1968 55r Official on white paper, also mint miniature sheets including 1934 Vaduz Philatelic Exhibition. A fine collection, virtually complete. S.G. £15,000+. (3 Albums). Photo on Page 80. £1,000-1,200
- 1121 (S) 1931-32 Zeppelin 1f and 2f, and 5rp - 1.20f Official set of eight, all handstamped "MUSTER", in red on the Zeppelin pair and violet on the official set, all fine mint. These were the only Liechtenstein issues to receive a Muster handstamp prior to U.P.U distribution. (10). Photo on Page 164. £300-350

LUXEMBOURG

- 1122 ○ ★ 1852-2000 Used collection in three Davo albums including 1852 10c (2) and 1sgr (2), 1859-64 imperf set of nine, 1865-75 set of eight, 1874-79 imperf 4c and perf 13 set of nine, 1882-84 set, 1906-19 set, all 1926-38 Child Welfare sets, 1935 Intellectuals Relief fund set of 15 C.T.O, 1939 Royal Wedding set, also mint miniature sheets with 1921 15c sheet of five, 1923 10f green sheet, and Officials used with 1875-80 type O7 overprint rouletted 1c - 1f (O79/87, missing 20c) and perf 13 1c - 1f, type O8 overprint rouletted 1c, 20c (2), 40c and perf 13 10c overprint inverted, 12½c, 25c, S.P overprint type O9 1c, 4c, 1f, type O10 5c, 10c, 12½c, 20c, 30c, etc. A good lot with scarce officials, fine quality. S.G. £22,000 (approx). Photo on Pages 140 & 146. £1,400-1,800
- 1123 (S) **German Occupation.** 1940 3rpf - 100rpf Surcharge set of sixteen all in horizontal or vertical strips of three, on two archival pieces from the Mauritania Post Office Specimen collection, all handstamped violet "SPECIMEN / COLLECTION / MAURITANIE", unique. (16 strips). £350-400

MALAYA

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- 1124 ☒ **Stamp Trade.** 1896-1980 Covers, cards and ephemera relating to stamp dealers and the stamp trade in Malaya, including 1896 cover from C.A Ribeiro & Co in Singapore with an enclosed wholesale price list, also approval sheets, covers to or from dealers, etc. An interesting collection. (c.60). £120-150
- 1125 ★ ○ The extensive QV - modern mint and used accumulation in eight stockbooks, many useful stamps including varieties, papers and shades, Trengganu unissued 1941 3c blue-green (2, faults), postage dues, some postmarks, etc., with Straits Settlements, F.M.S, Kedah, Kelantan, Malacca, Negri Sembilan, Pahang, Penang, Perak, Perlis, Selangor, Singapore, Trengganu, some B.M.A and Japanese Occupation, worthy of careful viewing. (1,000s). £2,000-3,000
- 1126 ★ ○ A large accumulation, mainly remaindered collections, also duplicates in stockbooks, KGVI sets mint to \$5, Straits, Singapore, etc., in fourteen albums or stockbooks. (1,000s). £300-500
- 1127 ★ ☐ 1948-68 Mint sheets including 1948 Silver Wedding 10c sheets for nine states (also a Perak sheet used), 1957-62 pictorial definitive sheets for various states (18), 1965 Orchids sheets from Kedah or Kelantan (15), etc. (45 sheets). £100-120
- 1128 ○ ☒ Stamps and covers in a box, mainly Straits Settlements and Singapore including postal stationery, pre-war airmails, censors, picture postcards, oval Singapore Dead Letter Office datestamps in red (2), etc. (100s). £300-500
- 1129 ☒ Covers and cards, the large accumulation, virtually all post-war with Singapore, Straits Settlements and various States, postal stationery, etc. (1,000s). £300-400
- 1130 ○ △ **Cancellations.** Stamps and pieces in three stockbooks and loose, the extensive accumulation with many scarcer cancels from all states including temporary rubber types, Penang To Singapore and other maritime cancels, Christmas Island pieces, Labuan, Siam used in Kelantan, Kedah used in Perlis, Kelantan blocks, also many perfins, cancels on Sarawak, Brunei and North Borneo, etc. An extensive and interesting lot. (1,000s). £500-600
- 1131 ○ △ **Cancellations.** The extensive accumulation of stamps and pieces selected for their cancellations, QV to modern, including Straits Settlements, Singapore, Penang, Malacca, F.M.S, B.M.A, Johore, Kedah, Kelantan, Negri Sembilan, Perak, Selangor, etc., with F.M.S used in Kedah, Straits/Kedah combination pieces, etc., an interesting lot, worthy of careful viewing, in eight albums or stockbooks. (1,000s). £1,500-2,000
- 1132 ☒ **Johore.** 1894-1970 Covers and cards including 1894 card from Netherlands Indies with arrival c.d.s, pre-war covers with registration handstamps of Batu Pahat, Kota Tinggi, Muar, Punchor, Scudai, 1930s covers from Ulu Tiram, Yong Peng, Benut, BMA covers including red band envelope from Kluang, picture postcards, etc. (60). £250-300
- 1133 ☒ 1950s 'Malayan Emergency', collection of military mail in a Philatelic Album comprising covers (78), pieces (3) and air dropped leaflets (7), a wide range of regiments including Gurkha regiments, Commonwealth regiments (9, with Australian, New Zealand and Kings African Rifles), etc. (88). £250-£300



Ex 1134



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Ex 1144



Ex 1148



Ex 1217



Ex 1218



Ex 1220



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Ex 1564



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Ex 1568



Ex 1592

Kedah

Siam Used in Kedah

- 1134 ○ 1883 1s Yellow-ochre with straight line “KEDAH” cancel between bars, generally considered to be bogus, though very scarce; and stamps with the first type 28mm Kedah c.d.s comprising 1887-91 1a vertical strip of five and a single, 2a (7), 3a (2), 4a (3), 8a (2, one creased), 12a (faults), 1898-99 2a on 64a, 3a on 12a (thin), 4a on 12a (2, one thinned), 1899-1904 8a, several 1887-91 issue stamps a little faded, a good group. S.G. £2,815. (27). Photo on Page 154. £400-500
- 1135 ○ △ 1898-1905 Stamps with the second type 24mm Kedah c.d.s, comprising 1887-91 12a, 1898-99 4a on 12a, 1899-1904 4a carmine single (faults), rejoined pair and vertical strip of three on piece, 8a, 10a, 1905-09 2a, 4a single and pair (originally from the same cover), 8a, 12a (2, one with surface scrape), 24a, also Straits QV 5c with a light but clear Kedah c.d.s, a good group. S.G. £1,575. (19). Photo on Page 154. £350-450
- 1136 ☒ 1903 (Oct. 19) Double length panoramic postcard “Panorama of Kedah” posted to Penang franked 1899-1904 4a carmine cancelled by fine “KEDAH” 24mm c.d.s, a second strike at the left. Redirected to England with a message added and reposted at Penang franked Straits KEVII 3c, deemed liable to letter rate so handstamped triangular framed “T”, a ½d charge mark applied in the London Foreign Branch. Heavy central vertical fold and minor staining but a remarkable card from Kedah. Photo on Page 144. £1,500-2,000
- 1137 ○ △ 1905-09 Stamps cancelled with the bilingual double ring Kedah c.d.s, comprising single 4a, 5a (3), 9a (3, one thinned), 18a, 24a (thinned), and pieces bearing three 3a stamps, a single 9a, or 5a + 8a. S.G. £1,385. (12). Photo on Pages 158 & 170. £300-400
- 1138 ○ △ **Langkawi/Kwala Muda.** 1900-09 Stamps with bilingual double ring datestamps (type C, English at foot) comprising Langkawi on two 1899-1904 8a stamps, originally from the same cover, vertical crease to both stamps; and Kwala Muda on 1905-09 3a on piece (6 July 1909, final month of use of Siam stamps) or 8a (2, one thinned). A scarce group. S.G. Z160, 164, 208, £1,825. (5). Photo on Page 154 & 158. £350-400

Federated Malaya States Used in Kedah

- 1139 ○ △ 1909-12 Stamps and pieces with double ring datestamps in English, comprising Alor Star type F c.d.s on 1c (unlisted by S.G. on this value), type G c.d.s on 4c, 8c, 10c and on pieces bearing 1c strip of three or 3c (3 pieces); Kulim on 3c (4, three on piece) or 4c (3); Langkawi on 3c (5, one on piece) or on piece bearing 1c + 10c; Sungei Patani on 1c or 3c on piece. S.G. £1,890. (26 stamps). Photo on Page 154. £300-350
- 1140 ○ △ **Alor Star.** 1909-12 Stamps (26) and pieces (17, bearing 24 stamps) all with the bilingual Kedah double ring c.d.s, including 1c and 4c blocks of four and pieces bearing three 1c stamps (2 pieces), 1c + 3c or 3c + 10c, comprising 1c (19), 3c (22), 4c (5), 5c (stained), 8c (4), 10c, a scarce group. S.G. £2,465. (52 stamps). Photo on Page 158. £600-700
- 1141 ☒ **Alor Star.** 1911 (July 22) “On Government Service” cover to “The Advisor Kedah, Alor Star” bearing 4c and 5c singles and blocks of four all tied by the bilingual Kedah double ring c.d.s, with 23 July arrival backstamp, a little staining around the 4c stamps, very unusual and scarce. S.G. Z233/4, £790 as stamps. Photo on Page 156. £300-400
- 1142 ☒ **Alor Star.** 1911 (July 22) “On Government Service” cover to “The Advisor Kedah, Alor Star” bearing 20c and 50c singles and blocks of four all tied by the bilingual Kedah double ring c.d.s, with 23 July arrival backstamp, minor perf stains, one 50c rubbed, very unusual and scarce. S.G. Z237/8, £950 as stamps. Photo on Page 156. £400-500
- 1143 △ **Kulim.** 1910 Pieces bearing 1c - 10c all cancelled with Kulim bilingual double ring c.d.s dated 30.5.1910, also a further 3c on piece with similar cancel (21.2.1910), superb and very scarce. S.G. Z248/52, £500+-. (6 pieces). Photo on Page 158. £250-300



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- 1144 △ **Langkawi.** 1909-12 1c, 8c and 3c on piece all cancelled by Langkawi bilingual double ring c.d.s, also an 8c stamp with a Siamese c.d.s. Very scarce, the 1c unlisted by Gibbons with this c.d.s. S.G. Z256/7. (4). Photo on Page 154. £100-150
- 1145 ○ △ **Jitra.** 1909-12 Stamps (3) and pieces (8) comprising 3c with violet oval Post Office Jitra datestamp (5, three on piece), and double ring c.d.s on pieces bearing 1c strip of three (2 pieces) or four 1c stamps, or on 3c (3, two on piece). S.G. Z268/70, £1,044. (18 stamps). £150-200
- 1146 ☒ **Jitra.** 1912 (Apr. 3) Picture postcard to England franked 3c, tied by Jitra c.d.s, transit datestamps of Alor Star and Penang, the stamp a little discoloured, otherwise fine and scarce. Photo on Page 144. £400-500
- 1147 △ ○ **Kuala Muda.** 1910-11 Pieces (10) franked 1c strip of three, 3c (3 pieces), 3c pair (2 pieces) or 3c strip of three (4 pieces), also a single 4c, all cancelled by Kuala Muda single ring c.d.s. S.G. Z263/5, £1,395. (23 stamps). Photo on Page 154. £200-250
- 1148 ○ △ **Lunas.** 1909-12 Stamps (5) and pieces (9) comprising 3c with violet oval Post Office Lunas datestamp (7, six on piece, two pieces from the same cover together forming a virtually complete cancel), and double ring c.d.s on 1c strips of three on piece (2 pieces), 3c (3, one on piece) and 4c. S.G. Z271/4, £1,690. (18 stamps). Photo on Pages 154 & 158. £250-300
- 1149 ○ △ **Semiling/Yen.** 1909-12 Stamps (4) and pieces (6) comprising 1c strip of three and 3c on piece with Yen datestamps; pieces bearing 1c strip of three (2 pieces) or block of six, 3c on pieces (2 pieces) and a single 8c all with Semiling datestamps. S.G. Z275/6, 281/2, £1,600. (19 stamps). Photo on Page 170. £250-300
- 1150 ☒ **Semiling.** 1912 (Jan. 29) Picture postcard to England franked 3c, tied by Semiling c.d.s, Penang transit datestamp, fine and very scarce. Photo on Page 144. £400-500

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- 1151 ☒ 1919 (July/Aug.) Covers hand addressed to L.K. Seng in Penang, from Baling with Straits 1c + Kedah 4c or Alor Star with Straits 1c + Kedah 3c, or registered from Kulim with Straits 1c, 4c + Kedah 2c (2) or from Semiling with Straits 1c, 4c + Kedah 2c, 4c, the last two with boxed registration handstamps, minor faults. (4). £150-200
- 1152 ☒ 1919 (Oct/Nov) Covers to L.K Seng in Penang, four from Baling, two registered from Semiling with boxed registration handstamps, all with Straits 1c and 4c stamps used in combination with Kedah stamps. (6). £200-300
- 1153 ☒ △ 1919 (Apr-Oct.) Covers (2), pieces (10) and a stamp, with July 30 commercial cover from Alor Star to London bearing Straits 1c + Kedah 3c, Sep. 19 cover from Alor Star to Penang bearing Straits 1c block of four, pieces with Straits + Kedah stamps (8, three with oval Post Office Padang Serai datestamp), etc. (13). £200-250
- 1154 ☒ 1919 (Sep. 26) Registered A.R cover from Yen to Penang with boxed "YEN / R" registration datestamp and "A.R" on the front, franked on the reverse with three Straits 1c stamps and Kedah 21c paying the correct 24c rate, fine. Photo on Page 156. £150-200
- 1155 ☒ 1919 (May 22) Cover from Alor Star to England franked Straits 1c + 3c, only 1c and 4c Straits stamps valid in Kedah at this time, the 3c therefore invalid with the two stamps circled, treated as unpaid with a "T" handstamp applied, the Alor Star c.d.s away from the stamps. The stamps cancelled in transit in Singapore (May 24), a 1d charge mark applied in London and 1d due collected at Epsom, backstamped at Penang. An interesting and unusual cover. Photo on Page 156. £100-150

1912-57 Stamp Issues

- 1156 Ⓢ 1912 4c, 5c, 10c - 50c and \$2 "SPECIMEN" overprints, all with circular handstamp applied upon receipt in Gabon, no gum, unique. (8). £120-150



Ex 1137



Ex 1138



Ex 1143



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Ex 1302

- 1157 ★ ○ 1912 1c - \$5 Study on pages with Specimen set of fourteen, 1c - \$3 mint, set of fourteen used, additional mint and used shades including \$2 and \$5 used, 1c - \$1 in mint blocks of four, watermark varieties with \$1 Crown to left of CA mint and used, examples of poor registration of the head and duty plates, also covers and cards (10) and a front with picture postcards (4, one registered), etc. S.G. 1/14, £2,800+. (294 + 11 covers). £500-700
- 1158 ★ ○ 1912-40 Mint and used accumulation including 1912 \$2 used, 1919-21 3c watermark inverted and reversed mint (2), 1921-32 20c feather in hat mint (2), \$2 used (3), \$3 mint (4) and used (3), \$5 mint (2) and used (4), several Specimen stamps, etc. S.G. £2,500++. (100s). £300-400
- 1159 △ 1919 (June 27) Pieces bearing vertically bisected 1912 8c, diagonally bisected 1912 8c or 10c all tied by Kulim c.d.s, philatelic but very unusual. A shortage of 4c stamps occurred in 1919, resulting in Straits 1c and 4c stamps being authorised for use. (3). Photo on Page 158. £150-200
- 1160 ★ ○ 1919-21 1c - 25c, Mint and used study on pages with 2c - 25c Specimen overprints, 1c watermark inverted mint (2), 3c watermark inverted and reversed mint (3) and used (3), 4d red short sheaf variety mint (2) and used (2), 21c watermark Crown to left on CA and reversed mint, etc., also three covers or cards. S.G. 15/23, £3,000. (c.280). £500-600
- 1161 ★ ☒ 1919 21c Unmounted mint block of four, variety watermark Crown to left of CA and reversed, fine and scarce in a block. S.G. 22y, £1,700. Photo on Page 170. £400-500
- 1162 ★ □ 1919 Surcharges, 50c on \$2 and \$1 on \$3 in unmounted mint blocks of six. S.G. 24/5, £540+. (12). £150-180
- 1163 ★ □ 1919 Surcharges, 50c on \$2 and \$1 on \$3 in unmounted blocks of six and used singles, the \$1 a corner block, also a mint 50c block of four. S.G. 24/25, £1,000+. (18). £250-300
- 1164 ★ ○ 1921-32 1c - \$1, Mainly mint accumulation with many blocks, including 1c sheet split into two halves and 10c sheet split into three parts (including feather in hat variety), 4c short sheaf mint (2) and used (2), 10c type II mint (14), 25c feather in hat mint, 40c type I watermark Crown to left of CA mint (4) and used (4), 40c type II mint, a few Specimens, etc. S.G. 26,37, £2,000++. (100s). £300-400
- 1165 ✉ ★ 1921-32 25c - \$1, Mint and used study including airmail covers to London bearing 25c die II or 40c die II, also registered cover to Morocco bearing 1c, 4c, 10c, 15c, etc. S.G. 26/37. (25 + 3 covers). £100-150
- 1166 ★ ○ 1922 Malaya-Borneo Exhibition, first setting, study on pages with used set, misplaced overprints (16), mint singles and multiples with varieties including no stop 1c, small second "A" 1c - 4c, raised stop 1c - 25c, raised "IBITION" 1c - 10c, oval second "O" 1c - 10c and 50c, thin first "T" 1c - 10c and 50c, also forgeries (18), and registered cover bearing 1c - 10c, mainly fine. S.G. 41/8, £1,100+. (124 + cover). £250-300
- 1167 ★ □ 1922 Malaya-Borneo Exhibition, first setting, 21c mint reconstructed block of thirty, rows 7-12, each row separated and rejoined with hinges, including varieties feather in hat (strangely unlisted by S.G. on this stamp), oval "O" (4) and raised stop (3); and 25c mint reconstructed block of 34, rows 5-8, 9/4-5, 10/4-5 and rows 11-12, comprising three blocks of ten and a block of four rejoined with hinges, including varieties feather in hat, oval "O" (4) and raised stop (3). S.G. 42/3, £3,855+. (64). £400-500
- 1168 ★ 1922 Malaya-Borneo Exhibition, 1c - 50c mint accumulation including first setting 21c (20, also two used), 25c (11, also two used) and 50c (23, one feather in hat variety), and second setting 21c (8), 25c (17, one small "Y" variety) and 50c (6), a few varieties and multiples noted, some toning, otherwise fine. S.G. 41/51, £3,500 (approx). (c.240). £300-400
- 1169 ★ ○ 1922 Malaya-Borneo Exhibition, second setting, 21c, 25c and 50c set of three mint, 21c and 50c used, 25c small "Y" variety mint and used, mint 21c corner pair, 25c and 50c corner blocks of four all containing the small "Y" variety, the used 25c and 50c stamps with faults, the mint corner multiples toned with one 50c stamp thinned. S.G. 49/51, £1,300. (17). £150-200

- 1170 ☒ 1923 (May 9) Registered cover from Alor Star to Oswald Marsh in London bearing Malaya-Borneo Exhibition first setting 1c - 10c and second setting 21c - 50c, philatelic and a little toned, but a very scarce use of these second setting overprints on cover. Photo on Page 156. £250-300
- 1171 (E) (P) 1922 5c Government Survey Essays, imperforate pairs in black, green or orange each on white glazed unwatermarked paper, also imperforate 5c sample proof pair in brown on thick unwatermarked paper each with "SPECIMEN" overprint type DS1, the 5c black essay pair creased, otherwise fine. (4 pairs). Photo on Page 158. £200-250
- 1172 (S) ★ 1922-40 1c - 35c, Study on pages with 4c, 8c, 12c and 35c (2) Specimen stamps, 1940 6c carmine-red mint (25) and used (18, also ten with Japanese War Tax handstamps), 8c mint (11), 12c imprint block of ten, 35c imprint blocks of six and ten, 35c used, etc., also covers to Europe franked 12c (2 covers) or to England franked 4c pair. S.G. 52/9, £2,500+. (c.320). £250-300
- 1173 ★ (B) 1922-40 1c - 35c Mainly mint accumulation, many multiples, including 1940 6c carmine-red large part sheet of ninety, 8c mint blocks of four (3), 35c mint blocks of four (2), etc. S.G. 52/9, £2,000+. (100s). £180-220
- 1174 ○ 1922-40 5c Yellow, watermark inverted, used singles (9) and a vertical pair. S.G. 55w, £1,210. (11). £150-200
- 1175 ○ 1922-40 5c Yellow, watermark reversed, fine used, scarce. S.G. 55x, £425. Photo on Page 146. £140-160
- 1176 ○ 1922-40 5c Yellow, watermark reversed, fine used with 29 AU 1923 c.d.s, scarce. S.G. 55x, £425. Photo on Page 146. £140-160
- 1177 ○ 1922-40 5c Yellow, watermark inverted and reversed, fine used with 20 JY 1932 c.d.s, very scarce. S.G. 55y, £425. Photo on Page 146. £150-180
- 1178 ★ (B) 1940 6c Carmine-red, unmounted mint sheet of 120, including minor re-entries. S.G. 56a, £1,800. £200-250
- 1179 ★ (B) 1940 6c Carmine-red, unmounted mint sheet of 120, including minor re-entries. S.G. 56a, £1,800. £200-250
- 1180 (S) (H) 1937 10c - \$5 Study on pages with set of nine perforated "SPECIMEN", 10c - 30c in mint imprint pairs, 40c - \$1 and \$5 in mint imprint blocks of four, \$1 - \$5 in mint corner blocks of four, used set of nine, a fine lot. S.G. 60/8, £2,175+. (60). Photo on Page 180. £400-500
- 1181 ☒ 1937-41 Covers bearing 1937 Sultan Abdul Hamid Halimshah stamps, comprising 1937 (June 30) First Day Covers franked 10c (2 covers) or 10c - 30c, covers from Indian F.P.O 36 franked 30c to India or 50c to G.B, Indian F.P.O 31 to India franked 1c + 12c (2), air letter from Indian F.P.O 66 to India franked 12c (staining), covers to England franked 25c, 1c + 2c + 12c + 40c or 25c + 30c, clipper covers to G.B from Indian F.P.O 36 franked \$1(2) or from F.P.O S.P 503 franked \$2 (both with faults, the \$2 cover severely torn), also 12c to USA and 10c on cover to Penang. (14). £200-300
- 1182 ★ (B) 1937 10c, 50c, \$1 and \$5 in complete unmounted mint sheets of sixty, \$1 sheet with central horizontal perfs reinforced with hinges, a few minor tone spots, otherwise superb unmounted. S.G. 60, 65/6, 68, £4,980. (4 sheets). £600-700
- 1183 ★ ○ 1938-40, Die II 1c and 2c, comprising 1c mint and used (10, two blocks), 2c mint (2) and used (26, three blocks), and 1941 cover to England bearing eight 1c stamps. S.G. 68a/69, £1,100+. (39 + cover). £200-240
- 1184 ★ (H) 1938 1c Black, die II, mint marginal block of four, gum a little toned, otherwise fine. S.G. 68a, £720. Photo on Page 180. £140-160
- 1185 ★ 1938 1c Black, die II, mint vertical strip of four with plate number "2" in lower margin, folded along horizontal perforations and reinforced with hinges, otherwise fine. S.G. 68a, £720+. Photo on Page 204. £160-180

- 1186 ★ 田 1940 2c Bright green, mint block of four, fine and scarce. S.G. 69, £1,500. Photo on Page 170. £300-400
- 1187 ★ ○ 1948-59 Commemorative Issues including 1948 Silver Wedding pair on F.D.C, \$5 plate 1 and 1a mint singles and used; 1949 U.P.U F.D.C, set in mint imprint blocks of ten; 1953 Coronation plate and imprint blocks; 1959 Installation of Sultan plate blocks, varieties and F.D.C. (123). £100-120
- 1188 ③ 田 1950 8c Imperforate proofs on thin unwatermarked paper, plate block of four and a block of four with very light printing of the stamp both on buff paper, and a vertical pair on grey paper, unusual. (10). £100-150
- 1189 ★ ○ 1950-55 1c - \$5 Mint and used study on pages with the set in mint corner plate blocks of four, some additional plate blocks with 30c block of twenty, used set with some blocks, 1950 (June 1) F.D.C bearing set of fourteen, 1955 (Sep 4) 30c F.D.C, mainly commercial covers and cards (40) with 1956 Changloon skeleton c.d.s, etc. S.G. 76/90. (100s). £300-400
- 1190 ★ ○ 1957-62 Issues, mint and used study on album pages with 1957 (May 5) Federation of Malaya issue F.D.C used in Kedah; 1957 pictorial issue in mint plate blocks, some additional plate blocks with 50c - \$5 plate blocks of six, \$5 used, F.D.C and commercial covers; 1959-62 set in mint plate blocks with 10c deep maroon plate block of six, \$5 used, F.D.C and commercial covers; 1959-62 set in mint plate blocks with 10c deep maroon plate block of six, \$1 and \$2 plate blocks of eight, both \$5 perforations in plate blocks of six, \$2 block of four used, misforated 5c blocks, commercial covers. S.G. 92/114a. (100s). £300-400
- 1191 ★ 田 **WW2 - Thai Occupation.** 1944 General issue 1c - 15c set of six in mint pairs and singles, mint blocks of four of the 8c (3 blocks) and 15c, with some additional stamps, also set of six on philatelic cover and 1c + 2c on philatelic postcard both from Alor Star, both censored, a few stamps with some staining, otherwise fine. S.G. TM1/6, £800+. (38 + 2 covers). £150-200

Covers and Cancellations

- 1192 ④ ○ 1912-42 Covers (11), stamps or pieces (110), a study of the cancellations of Kedah, comprising Alor Star, Bagan Samak including 1918 cover franked 4c + 10c to England with boxed registration handstamp, Bedong, Gurun, Kuala Ketil including 1927 cover to England franked 1c + 20c with boxed registration handstamp, Kuala Muda, Kuala Nerang, Padang Lanjut, Langkawi, Semiling, Sungei Patani, Padang Serai, Yen with five 1919 pieces bearing Kedah + Straits stamps, and forged datestamps. (121). £400-500
- 1193 ④ **Padang Serai.** 1918 (Nov. 1) Cover to Singapore franked 1c + 3c cancelled violet oval "POST OFFICE / PADANG SERAI" datestamp, a second strike alongside, backstamped at Lunas and Singapore. Some toning, two file holes at left and a little roughly opened at upper edge, nevertheless superb strikes of this very scarce cancellation. Photo on Page 156. £150-200
- 1194 ④ **Kulim.** 1924 Cover to England with 3c pair cancelled circular "BRITISH EMPIRE / EXHIBITION 1924", a Kulim c.d.s (Oct. 25) alongside; and 1926 (July 25) cover from Kulim to India franked 2c + 4c on the reverse, with boxed "KEDAH / EXHIBITION" handstamp, the envelope a little toned but a very rare handstamp, only recorded from Alor Star and Sungei Patani by Proud. (2). £150-200
- 1195 ④ △ **Postage Due Mail / Explanatory Handstamps.** 1925-57 Covers (7) and a front with 1925 cover franked 6c to USA and 1929 cover franked 4c to G.B both with triangular framed "T", 1938 cover from India to Alor Star with violet boxed "TO PAY / CENTS", 1939 covers from Kulim to G.B with Straits stamps disallowed and ringed and triangular "T" applied (2, one with the "T" and charge obliterated), 1933-57 covers (2, faults) and a front with boxed "UNDELIVERED FOR REASON STATED, RETURN / TO SENDER AT ADDRESS SHOWN ON COVER". (8). £200-300
- 1196 ④ 1940 (June 17) Cover from Alor Star to Penang franked on the reverse with 4c vestral pair, violet bilingual slogan handstamp "Kedah Agri-Horticultural & Livestock Exhibition / in aid of THE MALAYA PATRIOTIC FUND / At Alor Star on 5th, 6th & 7th July 1940" alongside, minor creasing. Very scarce, only recorded 15th - 20th June. Photo on Page 162. £150-200



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- 1197 ☒ **Air Mails.** 1931-41 Covers sent by air comprising 1931 (Dec. 18) 56c rate and 1934 68c registered rate by KLM to England, 1933 (Dec. 30) Alor Star to Calcutta first flight, 1935 35c rate to USA and 15c postcard rate to G.B, 1938 8c first all-up service from Kedah to G.B or Penang to Kedah, 1941 forces mail to G.B franked 50c or 60c (from Indian F.P.O 36, cachet of The Leicestershire Regt.), 1935-37 covers (3) and a postcard from G.B to Kedah, and a London F.S mail bag label for air mail to Alor Star. (14). £250-300
- 1198 ☒ △ 1922-80 Covers and cards (116) and pieces (c.95), including picture postcards (12), 1932-34 A.R cards (2), 1935-38 cards from Europe to Kedah (5), postage dues, censors, BMA, registered, cancellations with skeletons, Mobile Post Offices, etc. (c.211). £300-400
- 1199 ☒ △ **British Military Administration.** 1945-49 Covers (13) with 1945 (Oct. 6/13) stampless covers from Alor Star to Kulim or posted within Kulim both carried free of charge prior to the issue of B.M.A Malaya stamps, 1945 (Oct. 19) B.M.A Malaya F.D.Cs from Alor Star (2), stamped covers from Alor Star (6, three registered), Sugei Patani (2, registered) or Kulim (2, one registered). Also 1946 pieces with B.M.A stamps cancelled by prewar type datestamps of Karangan (3), Kuala Ketil (7, with date in manuscript) or Kulim (7). (30). £200-250
- 1200 ☒ △ **British Military Administration.** 1945-46 Covers (8) and a front, pieces and stamps (43) with B.M.A stamps cancelled by temporary handstamps, including two line "POST OFFICE / B. BHARU" on cover franked 2c + 3c (2) to Penang and on pieces (3); similar "POST OFFICE / SERDANG" on covers to Penang or Singapore franked 8c or 3c + 6c + 8c + 10c, an airmail cover to England franked 25c (2) and on stamps and pieces (10); single line "P. SERAI P.O" on local cover franked 8c, air mail cover to England franked 10c (5) and on a front, pieces or stamps (15); straight line "YEN KEDAH" on stamps (4); unclear circular occupation cancels on registered covers from Bandar Bharu and Padang Serai; pieces with circular violet handstamps of Lunas (8), Jitra, Sungei Patani, etc., most with manuscript dates. (52). £600-800
- 1201 ☒ △ **British Military Administration - Baling/Bedong.** 1946 covers (5), pieces and stamps (11) with cover to Sungei Patani bearing 10c block, covers to Penang franked 2c + 6c or 1c (2) + 6c, and pieces or stamps (7) all with violet circular "BEDONG / KEDAH" cancels, Air Mail covers from Bedong to G.B with 50c or nine stamps totalling 50c cancelled circular "BEDONG / SYBURI", and pieces (4) with similar "BEDONG" cancels, dates in manuscript. (16). Photo on Page 162. £350-400
- 1202 ☒ **British Military Administration - Lunas.** 1946 Covers to Singapore franked 8c or 1c (2) + 6c with violet circular "LUNAS" cancels, dates in manuscript. (2). £200-250
- 1203 ☒ △ **British Military Administration - Sungei Patani.** 1946 Air Mail covers to G.B franked 5c pair + 8c (4, another removed) or 10c (2) + 15c pair cancelled circular intaglio "REGISTRATION & PARCELS / KEDAH / SUNGEI PATANI", local cover franked 2c and stamps or pieces (7) cancelled violet circular "SUNGEI PATANI / KEDAH / POST OFFICE", all undated, scarce. (10). Photo on Page 162. £350-400

Postal Stationery

- 1204 ☒ **Postcards & Reply Cards.** 1912-26 1c Postcard and reply card unused and Specimen; unused 1c postcard with added 1c stamp; 2c green postcard Specimen, unused and used to G.B franked 2c; 2c brown postcard Specimen, unused and registered to Germany uprated 19c; 3c postcard and reply card Specimen, unused and used. Also 1938 stampless official postcard from the G.P.O at Alor Star requesting payment for a telephone subscription, two punch holes. (18). £200-250
- 1205 ☒ **Registration Envelopes.** 1912-26 Envelopes comprising 10c size G Specimen, unused and used to G.B in 1919 franked Straits 4c (wax seal on front but very scarce); 10c size H unused and used to Germany in 1920 uprated 5c + 50c; 10c size H2 unused and used to England franked 20c (faults); 12c Specimen, unused and used to G.B franked 9c (flap faults); 15c Specimen, unused and used to G.B franked 8c, a scarce group. (13). £300-400
- 1206 ☒ **Registration Envelopes.** 1949-57 20c Envelopes comprising 1949 size G, H, H2 and K unused, size G, H (2) and H2 (2) used; c.1955 envelopes with revised reverse, size G unused, G (2), H2 (reduced at left) and K (2) used, three used in Perak. (15). £250-300



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- 1207 ☒ **Envelopes.** 1949-56 10c Envelopes, rounded flap unused, used (2, one registered uprated 20c), or endorsed “Columbite Sample C”, presumably from the printers archives; and pointed flap envelope unused (2, differing papers) or used (2, one with faults). (8). £150-200
- 1208 ☒ 1948-74 Stationery with 4c postcards unused and used (2, one franked 2c), 4c reply card unused, 4c + 2c red postcard unused and used (2), both cards unused with stamps obliterated by horizontal bars for official use, formula air letters used (9), 5c red air letter used with 25c Kedah stamp, Federation of Malaya 6c postcards (2) and 30c registration envelope used from Kedah, Malaysia size G (2) or H2 registration envelopes used from Kedah. (25). £150-200

Kelantan

- 1209 c.1905-49 Photos, Sultans letter, etc., including 1914 signed letter on crested notepaper from Sultan Muhammed IV to Dr J.D Gimlette (Kedah Govt. Medical Officer); original photos from the papers of J.D Gimlette (9) including pictures of 1910 proclamation of King George V (5), J.D Gimlette (2) and his bungalow (signed); 1920 real photo postcard of the proclamation of the new Sultan, etc. (21). £200-250
- 1210 ☒ **Picture Postcards.** c.1920-55 Cards including a fine series of c.1920 real photo views by S. Ohishi (10, one used), real photo cards of Kota Bharu postally used in 1932 franked two 3c stamps or C.T.O in 1933 with 1c (2 cards), etc. (17). £200-250

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- 1211 ○ △ **Kota Bharu.** 1891-1909 Stamps cancelled “KALANTAN” single ring c.d.s, comprising 1887-91 8a, 12a (5, one on piece), 24a, 1899-1904 4a carmine, 8a (2), 1905-09 1a (3, one severely thinned), 2a (faults), 8a (2), 12a (3, one thinned), 1t, three cancelled in violet, a few faults. S.G. £2,600. (20). Photo on Page 164. £300-400
- 1212 ○ △ **Kota Bharu.** 1908-09 Stamps cancelled by Kota Bharu double ring c.d.s, comprising 1899-1904 8a, 1905-09 1a (faults), 4a scarlet (2), 4a red and sepia, 9a (4, one on piece), 18a (corner fault), 1908 2a on 24a, 9a on 10a (2, one on piece), also a 15s stamp with 1914 Tumpat c.d.s., a few faults. S.G. £1,620+. (14). £150-200
- 1213 ○ △ **Batu Mengkebang.** 1907-08 Stamps and pieces cancelled by manuscript “B.M” and date with single ring “KALANTAN” c.d.s applied in Khota Bharu, comprising 1887-91 12a on piece with 16.8.07 cancel, 1905-09 8a with 1908 cancel and 12a on piece with 14.6.07 cancel, very scarce. (3). Photo on Page 164. £250-300
- 1214 ○ △ **Batu Mengkebang.** 1908-09 Stamps (11) and pieces (7) cancelled by Batu Mengkebang double ring c.d.s, comprising 1889-1904 8a on piece, 1905-09 1a (2), 4a scarlet (2), 8a, 9a (3), 1907 1a on 24a on piece, 1908 9a on 10a (8, five on pieces), a fine and scarce group. S.G. £4,845. (18). Photo on Page 164. £600-700
- 1215 ☒ 1904 (Feb. 3) 4a Lettercard franked 12a, written from Kuala Lebir to Scotland, the stamps cancelled at Singapore (Feb. 15), fine and scarce. Photo on Page 162. £150-200
- 1216 ☒ 1899 Austria 3h postcard from Karlsbad to Singapore and redirected to Kelantan, with two Singapore datestamps and a fine “KALANTAN” arrival datestamp of Kota Bharu, central vertical fold, otherwise fine and very unusual. Photo on Page 162. £120-150

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- 1217 ○ △ **Kota Bharu.** 1909-11 Stamps and pieces with double ring c.d.s, comprising 1c (3), 3c (10, with pieces bearing a pair of strip of three), 4c (4, with a pair on piece), 5c on piece or 8c (2), a fine group. S.G. £1,555. (20). Photo on Page 154. £250-300

- 1218 ○ △ **Kota Bharu.** 1909-11 Stamps and pieces with single ring c.d.s, comprising 1c strip of three on piece, 3c (11, seven on pieces), 4c (3), 8c (3), 10c (a few trimmed perfs) and 20c. S.G. £1,610. (22). Photo on Page 154. £250-300
- 1219 ☒ **Kota Bharu.** 1909-10 Picture postcards from J.D Gimlette to his sister in England with single or double ring datestamps, the stamps unfortunately removed, F.M.S 3c or 4c stamps with genuine Kota Bharu single or double ring c.d.s applied to give the appearance of being stamped cards (S.G. £145 as stamps). Also a 1911 card from Moscow to Kelantan franked 4k, Penang and Singapore transit datestamps, fine Kota Bharu and Batu Mengkebang single ring arrival datestamps, minor toning but unusual. (3). £140-160
- 1220 ○ △ **Batu Menkebang.** 1909-11 Stamps comprising 3c (2), 5c (faults) with double ring c.d.s, 1c pair, 3c (5, one with faults, one on piece), 4c, 8c, 10c, 20c with single ring c.d.s. S.G. £1,440. (17). Photo on Page 154. £250-300

1911-55 Stamp Issues

- 1221 ★ ○ 1911-15 1c - \$25 Study on pages with Specimen set of twelve, mint and used sets of thirteen with additional shades and multiples, plate number singles or multiples of all values (except \$1 green and emerald) with \$1 green and brown pair and \$25 block of four, \$2 pane of sixty, \$5 plate blocks of eight and twelve, used blocks of four including \$1 green and emerald, 1c and 5c Specimen stamps with receiving handstamp of Gabon, a few minor varieties, etc. S.G. 1/12, £1,700+. (262). Photo on Page 180. £350-400
- 1222 ○ 1911-15 5c Green and red on yellow, variety watermark inverted, fine used with Oct. 1917 Tumpat c.d.s, very scarce. S.G. 4w, £750. Photo on Page 146. £200-250
- 1223 ⑤ 1915 \$1 Green and brown, imperforate plate proof on watermarked gummed paper, fine. Photo on Page 146. £200-250
- 1224 ☒ 1911-15 Philatelic covers bearing first issue stamps with local covers posted at Tumpat to H.C Barnard bearing 1c - 8c pairs or 10c (2) + 50c + \$1 green and emerald, and registered covers from Kota Bharu to G.B or Europe (2) bearing 1c - 5c, 1c - 10c or 1c, 3c, 8c - 30c. Also a 1912 order for stamps bought by H.C Barnard. (6). £250-300
- 1225 ☒ 1913 Home made real photographic picture postcards depicting the market at Kota Bharu or the police station at Pasir Mas, posted from Kota Bharu to Belgium franked 3c on the picture side, transit and arrival datestamps of Singapore and Belgium, unusual. (2). £150-200
- 1226 ☒ 1913 Real photo picture postcard depicting a boat on the Jelai River at Pahang, posted from Kota Bharu to Yokohama franked 1c vertical strip of three, redirected to the German P.O at Shanghai, transit datestamps of Singapore and Nagasaki. £100-150
- 1227 ☒ 1912-18 Covers to England (2) or Singapore all franked 4c with cancels of Kota Bharu, Pasir Puteh or Tumpat, the last with two punch holes at left, otherwise fine. (3). £200-250
- 1228 ☒ 1922 On Government Service envelope with violet official cachet "H.W Thomson / SPECIAL ADVISOR TO THE / GOVERNMENT OF KELANTAN" registered from Kota Bharu to the Botanical Gardens in Singapore, franked 1911-15 3c, 4c, 10c, boxed registration handstamp. Photo on Page 162. £150-200
- 1229 ☒ **Bisects.** 1911 (June 6) Registered cover from Kota Bharu to G.W Barker in England franked 1c, 5c, 50c and a vertically bisected 3c, transit and arrival backstamps, philatelic but very unusual. £200-250
- 1230 ☒ **Bisects.** 1911 (Sep. 20) Registered covers from Kota Bharu to G.W Barker in England, one franked 3c pair, 50c and a vertically bisected 8c, the other cover bearing 1c pair and a vertically bisected 10c with a further stamp removed (a 4c applied in its place, which does not belong). (2). Photo on Page 162. £250-300

- 1231 ★ ○ 1921-28 1c - \$1 Study on pages with Specimen set, mint and used (no 30c) sets, additional shades and blocks, plate numbers with plate "1" and "2" multiples for several values. S.G. 14/23, £1,180+. (170).
£250-300
- 1232 ⑤ 1924 \$1 Green and brown, strip of three each overprinted "SPECIMEN", tied to piece cut from the Madagascar Post Office U.P.U Specimen book by red circular "POSTES ET TELEGRAPHES / COLLECTION / DE / BERNE / MADAGASCAR", also a piece from the same page with signature and cachet of the Director of Posts. Unique. S.G. 23s. Photo on Page 158. £100-150
- 1233 ✉ 1922 (June 26) Registered On Postal Service cover with "POST OFFICE / KOTA BHARU / (KELANTAN)" cachet, to USA, bearing 1c green and 2c brown vertical pairs and 6c claret vertical strip of three tied by Kota Bharu datestamps, edge faults but an interesting cover showing the 2c and 6c stamps were issued more than a month earlier than the date given by Gibbons. £80-100
- 1234 ✉ △ 1923-37 Covers (17) and a front from Kota Bharu all bearing 1921-28 issue stamps, including air mail covers franked 25c (2) or 55c to England, registered mail (5), cover franked 5c to England with "T" handstamp charged 1½d postage due, registered cover franked 30c to Austria with Kota Bharu Post Office wax seal, also a cover with 5c tied by Paquebot Singapore c.d.s, some faults. (18). £300-350
- 1235 ✉ 1929 Registered covers (4) from Kota Bharu to USA bearing 1921-28 issue blocks of four, comprising 3c + 6c scarlet, 4c + 5c, 30c or 50c blocks, also cover to Fiji with 1c black block of eight. S.G. £260 as stamps. (5). £100-150
- 1236 ✉ 1934-36 Commercial covers from Kota Bharu to England, two sent by surface mail franked 4c pair or 3c + 5c, the other two sent by air mail franked 5c + 10c pair or registered franked 10c + 30c, the last with an unusual locally produced Air Mail label, all fine, the air mail covers scarce. (4). Photo on Page 162. £250-300
- 1237 ★ ① 1922 Malaya-Borneo Exhibition, mint study on pages with 4c, 10c and 30c plate blocks of four, 5c plate block of 24, 4c block of 32, 30c damaged value tablet within a block of four, \$1 block of six, \$2 and \$5, minor varieties, a fine lot. S.G. 30/8, £1,600. (152). Photo on Page 146. £350-450
- 1238 ○ 1922 Malaya-Borneo Exhibition 1c - \$5 set of nine, also additional 30c (2), all with Kota Bharu datestamps, a few minor tone spots, scarce. S.G. 30/8, £1,260. (11). Photo on Page 146. £200-250
- 1239 ★ 1922 Malaya-Borneo Exhibition, 1c with clear doubling of the word "EXHIBITION", mint, unusual. S.G. 37var. Photo on Page 146. £100-120
- 1240 ★ ② 1922 Malaya-Borneo Exhibition, 5c marginal block of four, variety watermark, unused with traces of gum only, fine appearance and very rare, unlisted by Gibbons. S.G. 31var. Photo on Page 170. £800-1,000
- 1241 ★ ② 1922 Malaya-Borneo Exhibition, 5c block of four with margin at left, variety "MALAYA" 14mm long, believed to be a trial overprint subsequently included in postal stocks. A rare variety, fine mint. S.G. 31a, £1,600. Photo on Page 170. £400-500
- 1242 ③ 1928 \$1 Blue, Die Proof in the issued colour on wove paper, dated "Oct 10" and numbered "5" in pencil, 58x58mm. A superb and very rare proof. Photo on Back Cover. £1,000-1,500
- 1243 ★ ○ 1928-35 \$1 Blue, perf 12 perfined "SPECIMEN" (no gum), mint (2, shades, one marginal unmounted) and used, perf 14 mint and used (3), all fine. S.G. 39, £533. (8). £100-120
- 1244 ④ 1936 \$1 Photographic essay, very similar to the issued 1937 design but with the \$1 value in a differing fount, dated "10.9.36" on the reverse. From the De la Rue archives, probably unique. Photo on Page 140. £200-250
- 1245 ⑤ 1937-40 1c - \$5 Set of fifteen perfined "SPECIMEN", fine mint. S.G. 40/54s, £1,700. (15). Photo on Page 164. £450-550

- 1246 ★  1937-40 1c - \$1 Mint imprint pairs, also 1c block of nine and a single with preprinting paper flaw in lower left corner, 2c, 6c and 25c corner blocks of six. S.G. 40/52, £1,000+. (54). Photo on Page 170. £250-300
- 1247 ○ 1937-40 1c - \$5 Set used (no 8c, 1c in two strips of four, 4c and 10c in pairs), fine and scarce. S.G. 40/54, £1,300. (23). Photo on Page 164. £300-400
- 1248 ○ 1937-40 8c pair, 25c, 50c and \$2 all used in 1941 with Indian F.P.O 34 datestamps. S.G. £260+. (5). Photo on Page 164. £70-80
- 1249  1937-40 10c, Perforated and gummed forgeries printed in blue and orange (2) or brown on pink paper, very unusual. (3). Photo on Page 164. £100-120
- 1250 ★ 1940 \$2 Red-brown and scarlet, mint. S.G. 53, £500. Photo on Page 164. £120-140
- 1251 ★ 1937 \$25 Green and red-brown with "Revenue" inscription, mint, very scarce. Photo on Page 164. £150-200
- 1252  1937 First Day Covers, comprising July 7th covers from Kota Bharu bearing 1c + 2c + 5c or five 1c stamps or from Kuala Krai to South Africa bearing 1c + 2c + 4c, and October 16th covers from Kota Bharu franked 2c + 6c to Canada or 10c to India. Also two registered covers to England bearing the twelve 1c - 50 values, both with wax seals impressed "KOTA BHARU / R / POST OFFICE". (7). £250-300
- 1253  1937-39 Covers from Kota Bharu (3) and a picture postcard from Tumpat, all to the USA, with a registered cover franked 1c pair + 2c + 4c + 6c + 12c, underpaid 4c for the 30c rate but accepted as fully paid in error; covers franked 6c (censored) or 12c and postcard franked 2c + 4c, all fine. (4). £200-250
- 1254   1937-41 Covers (12), picture postcards (2) and a front all bearing 1937-40 issue stamps, with covers from Kota Bharu to Singapore franked 5c, or to G.B franked at the 8c surface rate (7) or 55c air rate (2), air mail O.A.S covers franked 25c to India or A.I.F Forces Abroad (faults), two postcards from Tumpat to G.B franked 4c, and a front from Kuala Pergau bearing eight 4c stamps, various stamp combinations, ten censored, a few faults. (15). £300-400
- 1255  1938 Registered covers from Kuala Krai or Tumpat to London both franked at the 23c rate, both with boxed "RECOMMANDE" and registration handstamps, both fine. (2). £200-250
- 1256  1938 Covers from Kota Bharu to Denmark or Austria, the first sent by KLM franked 2c + 40c, the second sent by surface mail franked 2c + 4c + 6c. (2). £150-180
- 1257  1941 Cover from Sungei Kusial to New Zealand franked 50c, posted as a train letter and cancelled at Singapore (Aug. 29), censored, fine and unusual. Photo on Page 168 £100-150
- 1258  1941 (Aug. 18) Cover from Kota Bharu to Scotland sent by Pan-American air mail, franked 10c + 40c + 50c + \$1 paying the \$2 clipper rate, the 40c stamp with piece torn from the upper corner upon opening, otherwise fine and scarce. Photo on Page 168. £200-250
- 1259  1941 (Oct. 2) Cover from Kota Bharu to London endorsed "Air Mail Throughout Via Pan-American Clipper" franked 1940 \$2 paying the clipper rate, cancelled by Field Post Office S.P 504 c.d.s, violet "R.A.F / CENSOR / 77". A fine and scarce use of the \$2 on a clipper cover. Photo on Page 168. £500-600
- 1260  1941 (Dec. 8) Cover to England endorsed "By Clipper via New York Air throughout", signed on the reverse by an Officer in The Malay Regiment with embossed regimental crest on the flap, franked 1940 \$2 to pay the clipper rate. Cancelled by "F.P.O / 30B c.d.s at Kuala Krai, with Base Post Office 4 backstamp (Dec. 10) and triangular army censor No. 2727. A fine and scarce use of the \$2 on a clipper cover. Photo on Page 168. £500-600
- 1261 ★ ○ 1948-53 Commemorative issues including 1948 Royal Wedding 10c pre-printing paper fold used on cover, \$5 mint plate block of four, \$5 mint (3) and used; 1949 U.P.U mint plate blocks; 1953 Coronation. S.G. £375+. (105 + 8 covers). £100-120



Ex 1137



Ex 1149



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- 1262 ★ ○ 1951-55 1c - \$5 Set of 21, mint and used study on pages with the set in mint plate blocks of four, additional shades and plate blocks or pairs, the set used including \$2 block of four, also most values to the \$1 on commercial covers (22), 1c - 8c on F.D.C, etc. S.G. 61/81, £1,700+. (242 + 23 covers).
£300-400
- 1263 ★ [B] 1951-55 2c Orange, variety tiny stop, the variety within a complete mint sheet of 100 and plate block of six, a used single and within a used pair, block of four and plate blocks of six (2, one on cover). S.G. 62/a, £470+. (119 + cover).
£100-120
- 1264 ★ ○ **WW2 - Thai/Japanese Occupation.** 1944 Thai Occupation General Issue 1c - 15c set of six mint with additional shades of most values, 1c, 2c (3, two on a single piece) and 8c (2) used in Kelantan. Also Kelantan 1937-40 issue surcharged in cents (comprising 1c, 2c, 8c, 10c, 12c, 30c, 40c, 50c) but without Japanese seal handstamps, from remainder sheets. S.G. £740. (29).
£120-150

Stamp Booklets

- 1265 ★ 1927 36 Cents booklet containing six panes of six 1923 1c black stamps, stapled at right, the staples a little rusted, otherwise fine and a very rare complete booklet, possibly unique. S.G. SB1, £3,750. Photo on Page 170.
£2,000-2,500
- 1266 ★ 1927 96 Cents booklet containing four panes of six 1922 4c stamps, grey cover stapled at left, minor rusting to the staples, otherwise fine and a very rare complete booklet, possibly unique. S.G. SB2, £3,750. Photo on Page 170
£2,000-2,500
- 1267 ★ 1927 40 Cents booklet containing four panes of ten 1923 1c black stamps, stapled at left, a little rusting to the staples, further staple rust marks at the right, otherwise fine and a very rare complete booklet, possibly unique. S.G. SB3, £3,750. Photo on Page 170.
£2,000-2,500
- 1268 ★ 1927 80 Cents booklet containing two panes of ten 1922 4c stamps, deep green cover stapled at right, a fine and very rare complete booklet, possibly unique. S.G. SB4, £3,750. Photo on Front Cover. £2,000-2,500

Cancellations and Covers

- 1269 ○ ☒ c.1915-76 Stamps and pieces (53+) and covers (23), selected cancels including single ring Kalantan c.d.s (eleven 3c stamps, including block of four), first type Batu Mengkebang c.d.s (6), double ring Kota Bharu Parcel Post (3), 1928 Nal c.d.s on piece (earliest recorded date), Gual Periok, Kuala Gris and Kuala Pergau single ring datestamps, Tumpat arrival c.d.s. on 1917 postcard from Singapore and 1940 censored cover from USA, the remainder postwar. (76+). Photo on Page 164.
£200-250
- 1270 ☒ 1934-37 Covers with the crest of Sultan Ismail on the reverse, the first sent by air to England bearing four 1921-28 10c stamps, the second sent free of charge within Kelantan signed by the Private Secretary to the Sultan. Also a 1953 "On His Highness Service" cover sent free of charge within Kelantan with "MENTRI DESAR / KELANTAN" (Prime Minister) cachet, all with Kota Bharu datestamps. (3).
£200-250
- 1271 ☒ △ **Kuala Krai.** 1924 Covers to Penang with scarce barred type double ring c.d.s (Proud D2), one cover franked 1c pair + 3c (datestamps a little faint in places); the other "On Government Service" cover registered with 1c + 8c vertical pair tied by two fine datestamps, boxed registration handstamp and violet "W.A Ward / DISTRICT OFFICER / ULU KELANTAN", minor staining but scarce and attractive. Also similar cancels on stamp or piece. (2+). Photo on Page 168.
£180-220
- 1272 ☒ **Kuala Krai.** 1935 Registered cover to USA franked 1c + 4c + 6c (2) + 10c, paying the 27c rate, fine Kuala Krai single ring datestamps (Proud D7) with boxed "RECOMMANDE" and registration handstamp completed in manuscript, fine.
£100-120
- 1273 ○ **Pasir Mas.** 1916 (Oct. 10) 4c Black and red, rejoined block of four (comprising two vertical pairs) with central violet "PASIR MAS / KELANTAN" c.d.s (Proud D2), lower pair creased, otherwise fine and very scarce, the only date of use of this datestamp recorded by Proud. Photo on Page 188.
£150-200



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- 1274 ○ △ **Pasir Puteh.** c.1910-56 Stamps (12), pieces (4) and a 1939 cover, including first type double ring c.d.s (2), straight line cancel (not recorded by Proud), large violet datestamp (2, Proud D3, only one date recorded), small c.d.s (4, Proud D5, with piece and cover), large c.d.s (2, Proud D6), etc. A scarce group. (17). Photo on Page 146. £250-350
- 1275 ○ △ **Sungei Kusial.** c.1925-64 Stamps (7) and pieces (6) including boxed handstamp (4, Proud D2, three in violet), large c.d.s (4, Proud D3), etc. (13). Photo on Page 146. £150-200
- 1276 ○ ☐ **Tanah Merah.** 1916 (Nov. 30) 4c Black and red block of four with central Tanah Merah double ring datestamp in violet (Proud D2), the date inverted, the earliest recorded datestamp from this office. Photo on Page 188. £100-150
- 1277 ☒ **Tanah Merah.** 1921 (Nov. 15) Registered cover to India franked 1c (2) and 8c (2) tied by light double ring datestamps (Proud D2), boxed registration handstamp alongside, only one example of this registration handstamp recorded by Proud, the envelope toned and roughly opened at left but very scarce. Photo on Page 168 £150-200
- 1278 ☒ △ **Temangan.** 1931 Cover to England franked 6c and 1927-41 stamps (9) and pieces (5), cancels comprising Proud type D2 (5, with cover and two pieces), D3 state 1 error of spelling, D3 state 2 (4, two on piece), D4 (5, one on piece), a scarce group. (15). Photo on Page 158 £250-350
- 1279 ☒ **Temangan.** 1938 (May 28) Cover with enclosed letter to Czechoslovakia bearing 1937 1c - 8c tied by four fine Temangan datestamps (Proud D3 state 2), arrival c.d.s alongside, backstamped at Kuala Krai, fine and very scarce. Photo on Page 168. £300-400
- 1280 ☒ **Tumpat.** 1931 (Dec. 15) Registered cover to England franked 1c black + 5c vertical strip of four each cancelled by a Tumpat c.d.s, with boxed "RECOMMANDÉ" and registration handstamp, backstamped at Kota Bharu and Penang. Unusually endorsed "Rail", therefore routed northwards to Hai Yat Junction in Siam, then southwards to Penang. A fine cover. Photo on Page 168. £200-250
- 1281 ☒ **Tumpat - British Empire Exhibition.** 1923 (Oct. 3) Registered cover to USA bearing 1921-23 1c - 10c, the six stamps cancelled with two strikes of the "BRITISH EMPIRE / EXHIBITION 1924" slogan handstamp, boxed registration handstamp and c.d.s on the front, transit and arrival backstamps. A rare cancel, not recorded by Proud used at Tumpat, very fine. Photo on Page 172. £500-600
- 1282 ☒ **Tumpat/Kota Bharu - British Empire Exhibition.** 1923 (Nov. 30) Cover to England with 1c + 3c cancelled by the "BRITISH EMPIRE / EXHIBITION 1924" slogan handstamp, a Tumpat c.d.s alongside, fine and rare from Tumpat. Also a 1924 cover to India with 3c vertical pair on reverse cancelled by the British Empire Exhibition slogan handstamp at Kota Bharu, the envelope toned. (2). Photo on Page 172. £400-500
- 1283 ○ △ **River Post.** 1919-21 First issue stamps (12, one on piece) with double ring River Post c.d.s Proud type D1 (4) or single ring c.d.s Proud type D2 (8 stamps, including 1c pair, 3c strip of three and 4c on piece). Very rare cancels, used on the River Kelantan T.P.O service between Kota Bharu and Tanah Merah/Kuala Krai, only in operation 1917-21. (12). Photo on Page 158. £400-500
- 1284 ☒ **River Post.** 1921 (Aug. 11) Real photo picture postcard franked 4c to Denmark, cancelled by single ring "RIVER POST / KELANTAN" c.d.s (Proud D2, "Post" unclear, the remainder of the cancel readable), very rare. Photo on Page 172. £300-400
- 1285 ☒ △ **British Military Administration.** 1946-51 Covers (27), pieces (17) and stamps (19), the cancellation study including registered covers from Kota Bharu, Temangan and Kuala Krai with prewar registration handstamps, locally made printed registration labels of Kota Bharu, later manuscript or typed registration labels, etc. An interesting lot. (63). £300-400

- 1286 ☒ **British Military Administration.** 1948 (Jan. 21) Stampless cover with “British Adviser, Kelantan Government” printed on the flap, signed by Major A. Rentse (Civil Affairs Officer) and endorsed “Forces letter”, addressed to Denmark, with Kota Bharu c.d.s (Proud D8), transferred to the army postal service with Indian F.P.O 560 backstamp (Jan. 23), very unusual. £100-120

Perak Stamps Used in Kelantan, 1951

- 1287 ☒ ○ 1951 Covers (3), stamps (12) and a piece, with covers from Kota Bharu franked 50c to G.B (2 covers) or registered to Singapore franked 15c pair, also cancels of Tumpat, Temangan and Pasir Mas, scarce. (16). £150-200

Postal Stationery

- 1288 ☒ 1911 (Jan. 23) 1c Postcard with fine Kota Bharu single ring c.d.s, addressed to the British Resident at Kuala Lipis, with Singapore and Kuala Lumpur transit datestamps. Message reads “Our new stamps have not come out yet but this is one of the postcards”, arrival backstamp. A scarce early use of this card. Photo on Page 172. £100-150
- 1289 ☒ **Postcards.** 1910-37 Cards comprising 1910 1c Specimen and unused, 3c Specimen, unused and used to Germany franked 3c; 1920 1c Specimen; 1922 2c brown and 1926 2c green Specimen, unused and used to Germany franked 4c; 1927 4c and 1937 2c Specimen, unused and used to Germany franked 2c; the used cards philatelic but scarce, all fine. (18). £300-400
- 1290 ☒ **Postcards/Envelopes.** 1949-66 Postcards including BMA 4c card used in Kelantan; 1949 4c postcard and reply card unused, 4c postcard with 2c stamp used and 4c reply card with 2c stamp unused; 4c postcard with red 2c postage paid unused, C.T.O and used, etc. Also 1949-54 10c envelopes unused (2) and used (2, one registered). (15). £250-300
- 1291 ☒ **Envelopes.** 1937-38 5c Envelopes Specimen, unused, used to Singapore (faults) or used from Kuala Krai to England franked 1c + 2c, the last scarce. (4). £200-250
- 1292 ☒ **Registration Envelopes.** 1927-31 10c Envelopes, size G Specimen, unused and used from Kuala Krai to Scotland franked 1c + 4c + 6c with boxed registration handstamp, also size H unused. (4). £150-200
- 1293 ☒ **Registration Envelopes.** 1932 10c Envelope size H to Singapore, franked 1c + 4c + 5c, boxed “RECOMMANDE” and registration handstamp of Kota Bharu, fine and scarce. Photo on Page 172. £200-250
- 1294 ☒ **Registration Envelopes.** 1937 15c Envelopes, size G Specimen and unused, size H unused, all superb. (3). £150-200
- 1295 ☒ **Registration Envelopes.** 1939 15c Envelope used from Kota Bharu to Singapore franked 5c, fine and scarce. Photo on Page 172. £200-250
- 1296 ☒ **Registration Envelopes/Air Letters.** 1949-65 Registration envelopes with 1949 20c size G unused, size H unused and used from Bachok, size H2 unused and used, size K unused (not recorded by H&G); c.1954 20c envelopes with sender’s address details added to reverse, size G unused and used; c.1956 20c size G envelope with new reverse unused and used, etc. Also air letters (9). An uncommon group. (22). £250-300
- 1297 ☒ **Reply Coupon.** 1937 10c Imperial Reply Coupon with Kuala Krai c.d.s, very fine and rare. £100-150

Perlis

- 1298 1910 (Aug. 2) British Post Office Notice “Parcel Post to the States of Kelantan, Kedah and Perlis” announcing new reduced rates by the long sea route or overland route, piece torn from upper edge not affecting the wording, a scarce notice, 210x335mm. £80-100

Siam Used in Perlis

- 1299 ○ 1899-1909 Stamps with single ring Perlis cancels, comprising 1899-1904 1a, 4a carmine (2, one with small corner faults, the other on piece) and 1905-09 12a, the cancels dated 1904 (1a) or 1906. S.G. Z404, 408, 422, £1,575. (4). Photo on Page 154. £300-350
- 1300 ☒ 1908 (Oct. 11) 4a on 1½a Postcard written from Perlis to Medan, Netherlands Indies, cancelled by the double ring bilingual Perlis c.d.s, a Penang transit datestamp alongside, tiny and unobtrusive 4mm tear and light crease at right edge, otherwise superb and very rare. Photo on Back Cover. £7,000-10,000
- 1301 ○ **Straits Settlements Used in Perlis.** KEVII 1c single and pair cancelled by Perlis double ring bilingual c.d.s, 1c pair (faults) and 3c with single ring Perlis c.d.s, the 1c pair single ring c.d.s dated 25.8.05 and the 1c pair double ring bilingual c.d.s dated 22.12.1908, both during the Siam stamp period, the 3c dated 13.6.11 when F.M.S stamps were in use. Very unusual. (6). Photo on Page 184. £100-120

Federated Malay States Used in Perlis

- 1302 ○ △ 1909-12 Stamps (3) and pieces (9) comprising double ring bilingual c.d.s cancelling two 1c stamps on piece, 2c (2, one with ink stains) or 8c (faults but very rare, unlisted by Gibbons), or single ring Perlis c.d.s on eight pieces bearing 1c, 1c pair, 1c strip of three or 3c (5 pieces). S.G. £2,450. (16 stamps). Photo on Pages 158 & 184. £500-600
- 1303 ○ △ 1909-12 Stamps (6) and pieces (12) with single ring Perlis c.d.s, comprising two 1c strips of three both on piece, 3c (14, ten on pieces) and 4c pair. S.G. £2,960. (22 stamps). Photo on Page 184. £600-700

Kedah Used in Perlis

- 1304 ○ △ 1912 First Issue 1c - 50c with Perlis single ring datestamps, comprising 1c (3), 3c (16, one on piece), 4c (23, one on piece), 5c (2), 8c (2), 10c (6), 20c, 30c (4), 40c (3) and 50c, all clear cancels dated between 1912 and 1920, a fine and scarce group. (61). Photo on Page 184. £600-800
- 1305 ☒ 1914 (Aug. 27) Cover to Singapore franked 1c black and green strip of three tied by two fine Perlis single ring datestamps, Penang and Singapore backstamps, the address a little waterstained, otherwise fine, a scarce early cover. Photo on Page 172. £400-500
- 1306 ○ △ 1919-23 Stamps with Perlis single ring datestamps comprising 1919 1c (4), 2c (2), 4c (14, two on piece), 1919 50c on \$2, 1921-22 1c (4), 2c, 3c (2), 4c (3, one with short sheaf variety), 5c (21) and 10c (4), also a 1922 1c postcard to Denmark bearing 1921 1c unfortunately with other stamps removed. A good group, the 50c on \$2 rare used in Perlis. (56 + postcard). Photo on Page 184. £700-800
- 1307 ☒ 1920 (Mar. 27) Cover to India with 1919 4c red on reverse cancelled by the Perlis single ring c.d.s, a further strike on the front, Penang transit c.d.s. A fine and scarce cover. Photo on Page 172. £300-400
- 1308 ☒ **Postal Stationery.** 1913 3c Postcard written from Perlis to Medan, Netherlands Indies, with a Perlis single ring c.d.s and Penang transit datestamp, an early and rare card from Perlis. Photo on Page 176. £1,000-1,500
- 1309 ○ 1921-22 5c (15) and 10c (2) with double ring "PERLIS" c.d.s (Proud D3), a scarce cancel only used June 1923 until April 1924. (17). £250-300
- 1310 ○ △ **Kangar.** 1924-40 Stamps (26) and pieces (5) with Kangar datestamps, both narrow type (Proud D4) and wide types (Proud D5/6), stamps include 1922-40 1c, 3c and 5c blocks (fault to one 3c), 12c (2), 1921-32 10c (2), 20c, 25c, 1937 10c, 30c, etc. (35 stamps). £250-300
- 1311 ☒ **Postal Stationery - Kangar.** 1927 2c Postcard used to Penang, cancelled by Kangar double ring c.d.s (Proud D4), fine and scarce. Photo on Page 176. £200-250



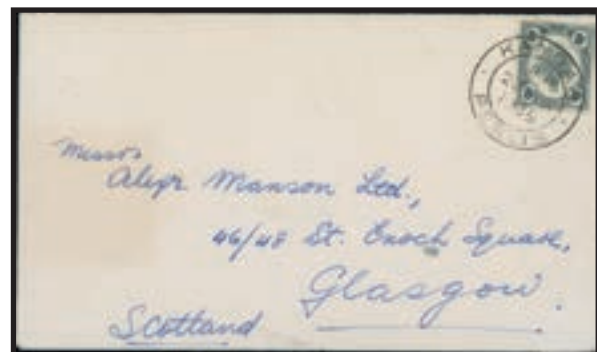
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- 1312 ☒ **Kangar.** 1933-35 Picture postcards to England franked 2c vertical pair or 4c (2 cards) all cancelled by Kangar double ring c.d.s (Proud D5), all very fine. (3). £400-500
- 1313 ☒ **Kangar.** 1934 (Dec. 8) Cover to England endorsed “Imperial airmail Alor Star - London”, franked 1932 25c and bearing a blue “BY AIR MAIL” label, both tied by a Kangar double ring c.d.s (Proud D5), minor staining mainly to the reverse. Photo on Page 176. £150-200
- 1314 ☒ **Kangar.** 1939 (Mar. 23) Cover to Scotland franked 8c cancelled by Kangar double ring c.d.s (Proud D6), fine and scarce. Photo on Page 176. £250-350
- 1315 ☒ **Kangar.** 1940 (Sep. 14) Cover with “British Adviser Perlis” printed on the flap, sent by E.V.G Day from The Residency, franked 8c cancelled by Kangar double ring c.d.s (Proud D6), triangular Penang censor cachet, minor creasing, otherwise fine and scarce. Photo on Page 176. £250-350
- 1316 ○ △ **Padang Besar.** 1924-31 Stamps (19) and pieces (2) with Padang Besar datestamps, both narrow type (Proud D2) and wider type (Proud D3), including piece with four 4c deep carmine stamps, 1921 20c, 1937 10c pair, 12c, 25c, etc. (24 stamps). £300-400

Other Cancels, Picture Postcards

- 1317 ☒ ○ **Padang Besar.** c.1925 Real photo picture postcards depicting the arrival of the Penang to Bangkok mail train at Padang Besar, or the railway station (2), one showing a crowded platform, well taken cards, two prepared for sale at the 1924 British Empire Exhibition Malaya Pavilion (with another card from the series showing Arau caves). Also ten 1922 5c stamps with Padang Besar datestamps, including a block of four. (10 + 4 cards). £150-200
- 1318 ☒ 1933 Cover posted unpaid from Brussels to Kangar handstamped “T” with boxed “TO PAY / 24 CENTS”, transit and arrival datestamps of Alor Star and Kangar (Dec. 4), endorsed as unknown with boxed “RETOUR / A L'ENVOYEUR” and “UNDELIVERED FOR REASON STATED, RETURN / TO SENDER AT ADDRESS SHOWN ON COVER”. Oval Dead Letter Office datestamps of Alor Star (2, Dec 20) and Singapore (2, in red, Dec. 33 and 6 Jan. 34), backstamped in Paris. An unusual and rare cover to Perlis. Photo on Page 176. £300-400
- 1319 ☒ ○ **Cancellations.** c.1930-80 Covers (17), pieces or stamps (110) including Kedah 4c, 5c and 8c stamps cancelled at Kangar or Padang Besar (75), 1950 Kedah stamps cancelled at Kangar (2), 1952 cover from Kedah with Kedah and Perlis stamps, covers with datestamps of Kangar Mobile Post Office (4), skeleton datestamps of Bukit Keteri or Kuala Perlis, Arau first day of Post Office, etc. (127). £150-200

British Military Administration

- 1320 △ ○ **Kangar.** 1945-47 BMA Stamps on pieces (17, bearing 50 stamps), and single stamps (5), all cancelled by the Kangar Japanese Occupation type c.d.s (Proud D8) with the date slugs removed, in violet or purple, most with the date in manuscript. A scarce group. (22). £350-450
- 1321 ☒ **Kangar.** c.1946 Air Mail cover to England franked B.M.A 50c cancelled by the Kangar Japanese Occupation type datestamp (Proud D8) in purple, the date in manuscript, the upper portion a little faint but a rare cancel on a commercial cover. Photo on Page 176. £250-300
- 1322 ☒ **Kangar.** 1947 (July 1) Cover to Prai franked BMA 8c cancelled by the Kangar Japanese Occupation type datestamp (Proud D8) in purple, the date in manuscript, the reverse endorsed “Received at 12 pm Empty cover with flap open, P.M Prai 16/7/47” with a Prai (July 16) c.d.s alongside, minor tone spots and horizontal fold near base. An unusually clear strike of this c.d.s, the latest recorded date of use, rare on a commercial cover. Photo on Page 176. £350-400
- 1323 △ ○ 1947-51 BMA Stamps on covers (2) or pieces (21, bearing 45 stamps), and single stamps (12), with datestamps of Kangar, Proud types D9 (some in violet) or D10, three with Padang Besar datestamps, one cover bearing BMA 1c + 2c (2) + Silver Wedding 10c. (35). £200-250



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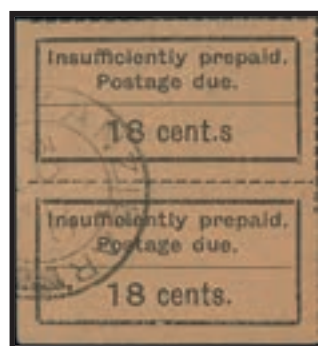
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1948-95 Stamp Issues

- 1324 ★ ○ 1951-55 1c - \$5 Mint and used study on pages with the set in mint plate blocks of four, many values with additional plate blocks of four or larger, other mint blocks including \$1 - \$5 blocks of four, used set, some covers. S.G. 7/27, £2,600+. (293 + 11 covers). Photo on Page 180. £500-600
- 1325 ★ ○ 1948-53 Commemorative issues with 1948 Silver Wedding \$5 plate block mint, \$5 used (2, one on cover); 1949 U.P.U plate blocks and F.D.Cs (2); 1953 Coronation plate blocks and covers. S.G. £460+. (83 + 11 covers). £100-120
- 1326 ★ ○ 1957-95 Stamps, the collection with a study of the 1957-67 definitive set with one or more plate blocks of all values, used set and covers including \$5 on 26 June 1957 F.D.C (S.G. incorrectly giving the issue date as August 21st), 10c misforated; 1965 Orchids set; 1971 Butterflies set; 1979 and 1986 definitives; some Federation of Malaysia issues used in Perlis, etc. (100s). £300-400

Postal Stationery

- 1327 ✉ **Postcards/Air Letters.** 1951-68 Postcards including 1951 4c postcard (dot in “Y” variety) and reply card unused; 4c postcard and reply card with added 2c stamp unused and postcard used from Arau; 2c + red 2c postage paid postcard unused and used; Federation of Malaya cards used in Perlis (3); and air letters (4, two with 25c stamp and red 5c postage paid, all used). (14). £250-300
- 1328 ✉ **Envelopes.** 1951 10c Envelopes unused (3, laid and rough papers) or used from Alor Star to Kangar. (4). £100-150
- 1329 ✉ **Registration Envelopes.** 1951-68 20c Envelopes, with 1951 size G unused and used, sizes H and H2 used, size K unused; c.1957 size G envelope with upright stamp in light blue and altered reverse unused; also three Federation of Malaysia envelopes used in Perlis, a scarce group. (9). £250-300

Trengganu

1910-19 1c - \$25, S.G. 1/18

- 1330 ③ \$3 Frame Die Proof in black on white glazed card, 92x60mm, fine. Photo on Page 188. £200-300
- 1331 ③ 1c - \$25 “SPECIMEN” overprints, missing the 10c purple, \$5 with some toning and minor faults, otherwise complete and fine mint. S.G. 1/8, 10/18s. (18). Photo on Page 164. £200-300
- 1332 ★ ② Mint sheets, panes and blocks comprising 1c interpanneau block of twenty and part right pane of 57, 2c right panes of sixty (2 panes) and part left pane of forty, 3c right pane of sixty, 4c red-brown and green right pane of sixty and part left pane of forty, 4c carmine left pane of sixty and part right pane of forty, 10c green and red left pane of sixty and part right pane of forty, the 1c blocks, one 2c pane and 3c pane with plate numbers in upper and lower margins, other panes and blocks with the upper and lower margins removed. S.G. £880. (12 blocks/panes). £100-150
- 1333 ★ ③ 1c - \$25 Study on pages with mint set to the \$5, the 1c - \$3 (except 4c carmine) all in plate number singles or pairs, some additional shades and blocks, 1c - \$1 used, \$1 - \$25 fiscally used. Also 1c, 2c, 8c ultramarine, 10c green and red, 10c purple (2), 20c, 25c (2), 30c, 50c, \$1 and \$3 overprinted “SPECIMEN, all with circular handstamp applied by the Gabon Post Office, the 2c and 10c fine, the others all with some surface rubbing, nevertheless a unique group. S.G. £1,200+. (131). Photo on Page 178. £250-300
- 1334 △ 1922 (Dec. 21) Piece bearing a diagonally bisected 10c tied by “KRETAI” c.d.s, some staining, scarce. Photo on Page 178. £80-100
- 1335 ○ \$3 Green and red on green fine used, a very scarce stamp postally used. S.G. 16, £650. Photo on Page 184 £150-200



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- 1336 △ \$5 Green and dull purple fine used on piece with 1914 Trengganu c.d.s, very scarce. S.G. 17, £900.
Photo on Page 178. £300-350
- 1337 △ \$25 Rose-carmine and green vertical pair and two singles fiscally used on piece with fine circular cancel in violet. S.G. £1,000. Photo on Page 180. £200-250
- 1338 △ ☐ \$25 Rose-carmine and green block of four fiscally used on piece with fine circular cancel in violet. S.G. £1,000. Photo on Page 180. £250-300
- 1339 ⑤ \$5 Perforated forgeries, rather crudely produced in various unissued colours, one with the centre inverted, all on paper with various watermarks, all with forged cancels, one with fault at upper edge, very unusual. (7).
£100-150
- 1340 ☒ 1911-19 Registered covers all with boxed Trengganu registration handstamps, comprising 1911 covers to W. Barker in England franked 10c + 8c bisect or 20c + 10c bisect, both with a third stamp removed or cut from the cover; 1911 cover to USA franked 1c + 3c + 50c; 1918 cover to England franked 10c + 20c; 1919 cover to USA franked 10c + \$1. The bisects very unusual, the others all fine. (5). £160-200
- 1341 ☒ 1913 Real photo picture postcard of Kampong China, Trengganu, posted to England with 1c + 3c on the picture side cancelled by Trengganu c.d.s backstamped at Singapore and Oxford. A fine and scarce early picture postcard. Photo on Page 182. £100-150
- 1342 ☒ 1919 (Jan. 25) Long cover with printed bilingual heading “NO POSTAL SERVICE”, the English word “ON” inverted in error, “General Post Office / Trengganu” in the lower left corner, addressed to Switzerland franked 10c tied by the bilingual Trengganu c.d.s, a further strike below. An extraordinary official Post Office envelope error, possibly unique. Photo on Page 182. £200-250

1917-18 Red Cross Surcharges, S.G. 19/22

- 1343 ★ ☐ 3c + 2c and 8c + 2c Complete sheets of 120, each comprising two panes of sixty, also 3c + 2c large part sheet of 108 with the upper two rows from the left pane removed, all setting III. S.G. £530. (3 sheets). £100-120
- 1344 ★ ☐ Mint left panes of sixty comprising 3c + 2c (3 panes), 4c + 2c orange, 4c + 2c red-brown and green, 8c + 2c (2 panes), one 3c + 2c pane from setting IV with thick “2” variety, the others all setting III. S.G. £900+. (7 panes). £200-250
- 1345 ★ ☐ Extensive mainly mint accumulation on stockcards and pages with some blocks, 3c + 2c with varieties thick “2” or inverted “SS” (toned), “CSOSS” on 3c + 2c (4), 4c + 2c and 8c + 2c, misplaced overprints, incomplete or broken letters, minor constant varieties with square stop, shaved “R”, comma, small last “s”, etc., some identified by setting type. (c.850). £300-400
- 1346 ★ ○ 3c + 2c Mint and used, 3c + 4c orange and 3c + 8c both mint, all with the “CSOSS” variety, also 3c + 4c orange and 3c + 8c with the “CSOSS” variety in the lower margin. S.G. 19c, 20c, 22c, £650+. (6).
£120-150
- 1347 ★ ⊙ 3c + 2c Mint vertical pair, upper stamp with variety “RED CROSS” omitted, superb unmounted. S.G. 19g, £450. Photo on Page 188. £120-150
- 1348 ★ 3c + 2c Variety “2c” omitted, fine mint. S.G. 19i, £450. Photo on Page 184. £100-120
- 1349 ★ 3c + 2c Variety “2c” twice, fine mint. S.G. 19j, £550. Photo on Page 184. £120-140
- 1350 ★ 4c + 2c Red-brown and green, vertical pair, lower stamp without surcharge, a very rare variety, fine mint, mounted on the upper stamp only. S.G. 21a, £4,250. Photo on Front Cover. £1,000-1,500



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- 1351 ★  4c + 8c Mint lower right corner plate block of four, the corner stamp with variety inverted "SS", light crease through the left pair but a scarce variety only recorded as occurring on 1/6 in setting I, this block proving that there must have been another unrecorded setting for this value. Also 3c + 2c corner marginal plate number pair, the inverted "SS" variety in the lower margin below the left stamp. S.G. 22b, £1,000+. (2). Photo on Pages 178 & 180. £200-250
- 1352 ★ 8c + 2c, Variety "RED CROSS" twice, fine mint. S.G. 22e, £650. Photo on Page 184. £140-160
- 1353 ★ 8c + 12c, Variety "2c" omitted, fine mint. S.G. 22f, £500. Photo on Page 184. £100-120
- 1354  1918 Registered covers bearing 3c + 2c, 4c + 2c orange and 8c + 2c singles addressed to G.B or Perak, or lower marginal pairs addressed to USA, or to G.B bearing 3c + 2c, 3c + 4c red-brown and green, 3c + 8c, all with boxed Trengganu registered handstamp, the cover to Perak with some faults, one other cover with the flap missing, otherwise fine. (4). £200-250
- 1355  1918 (Feb. 17) On Postal Service cover endorsed from the General Post Office, registered to the Bahamas bearing five 2c + 4c orange stamps, one with comma after 2c variety, bilingual Trengganu datestamps and boxed Registration handstamp, backstamped at Singapore, London and Nassau, unusual. Photo on Page 182. £250-300
- 1356  1919 (Nov. 27) Real photo postcards depicting Fort Trengganu or a Malay Mosque at Trengganu, franked on the picture side by 3c + 2c or 4c + 2c orange tied by bilingual Trengganu datestamps, both addressed to Belgium. (2). £120-150

Straits Settlements used in Trengganu, 1921

- 1357 ○  1921 (May 18) 1c, 2c and 6c Corner plate blocks of four each cancelled to order by central Trengganu bilingual c.d.s, very unusual. (3). £100-150
- 1358  △ 1921 Covers to Singapore or Australia bearing Straits 2c, 4c, 6c and Trengganu 5c tied by "KEMAMAN" datestamps with dated boxed registration handstamps, both with part of the address cut out but scarce used from Kemaman. Also a front to France with Straits 4c strip of three cancelled by Trengganu datestamps, a little staining. (3). £100-150
- 1359  △ 1921 (Mar. 4) Registered cover to England bearing Straits 2c, 4c, 6c and Trengganu 4c, 5c, 10c all tied by bilingual Trengganu datestamps, boxed registration handstamp, opening tears at upper edge; also three pieces bearing Straits 4c or 6c pairs or two 2c stamps. The earliest recorded use of Straits stamps in Trengganu. (4). £150-200
- 1360  1921 (Mar. 11) Registered cover to Rangoon bearing Straits 2c, 4c, 6c and Trengganu 5c tied by bilingual Trengganu datestamps, boxed registration handstamp, backstamped at Singapore and Rangoon, very fine. £100-150
- 1361  1921 (Mar. 18) Registered cover to Perak bearing Straits 2c pair + 4c + 6c tied by bilingual Trengganu datestamps with boxed registration handstamp, backstamped at Singapore, Ipoh and Batu Gajah, very fine. Photo on Page 182. £120-160
- 1362  1921 (May 3) Cover with printed "On Postal Service" heading and "General Post Office / Trengganu" in the lower left corner, posted to England franked Straits 4c tied by bilingual Trengganu c.d.s, fine and unusual. Photo on Page 182. £150-200
- 1363  1921 (Dec. 31) Registered cover to England franked 2c + 4c (5, one on reverse), another 2c stamp probably removed from the reverse, the stamps on the front cancelled by the bilingual Trengganu c.d.s with boxed registration handstamp alongside, the 4c on reverse cancelled in transit at Singapore. Vertical fold at left, otherwise fine and apparently commercial, probably the last day Straits stamps were valid in Trengganu. £80-100



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1921-41 1c - \$100, S.G. 23-47

- 1364 (P) \$5 Vignette Die Proof, depicting Sultan Suleiman, in black on white glazed card, stamped "BEFORE / HARDENING" and dated "26/4/21" in pencil, 92x60mm, fine and scarce. Photo on Page 188. £250-350
- 1365 ★ (B) \$1 Purple and blue on blue paper, watermark Multiple Crown CA, left pane of sixty, plate number "2", fine mint. S.G. 23, £900. £150-200
- 1366 (S) ★ \$1, \$3 and \$1 Watermark Multiple Crown CA, the set of three overprinted "SPECIMEN", \$1 corner plate block of four, \$3 corner plate strip of three and \$5 corner plate pair all mint, also the three stamps fiscally used. S.G. 23/5, £1,065+. (15). Photo on Page 178. £250-300
- 1367 ★ (H) \$5 Green and red on pale yellow, watermark Multiple Crown CA, upper right corner plate block of four, fine mint. S.G. 25, £720+. Photo on Page 186. £200-300
- 1368 (P) 6c Orange, imperforate plate proof on gummed watermarked paper, fine and scarce. Photo on Page 184. £200-250
- 1369 (S) 1c - \$5 Watermark Multiple Script CA set overprinted or perfined "SPECIMEN", also additional 20c with broken "M" variety, the \$1 and \$5 without gum, otherwise fine mint. S.G. 26/44s, £1,000. (20). £200-250
- 1370 (S) \$25, \$50 and \$100 Overprinted "SPECIMEN", \$50 with small thin, otherwise fine mint. S.G. 45/7s, £2,025. (3). Photo on Page 164. £500-600
- 1371 ★ (O) 1c - \$3 Watermark Multiple Script CA, study on pages with the set mint and used, additional shades and blocks, most values to the \$1 in mint plate blocks of four, 2c sheet of 120, a fine study of the five printings of the 5c purple on yellow with 1939 5c deep reddish purple on bright yellow mint, 4c scarlet-vermilion used (2), 8c grey ordinary paper used, \$3 interpanneau pair mint, \$3 green and brown-red used; etc. S.G. £3,000 (approx). (c.450). £500-600
- 1372 (★) (O) 1941 4c Scarlet-vermilion, unmounted mint and used. S.G. 30a, £475. (2). Photo on Page 184. £100-120
- 1373 (★) 1941 6c Orange on ordinary paper, unmounted mint, tiny and inconsequential gum bend, otherwise superb. Most stamps from this printing were overprinted during the Japanese Occupation; the first unoverprinted mint example seen. Very rare. S.G. 33a, unpriced mint. Photo on Page 184. £300-400
- 1374 ★ (H) \$3 Green and lake and green and brown-red shades on green paper, watermark Multiple Script CA, both in corner plate blocks of four, fine mint. S.G. 43/a, £1,040+. (2 blocks). Photo on Page 180 £250-300
- 1375 ★ \$5 Green and red on yellow paper, watermark Multiple Script CA, fine mint. S.G. 44, £650. Photo on Page 164. £140-180
- 1376 ★ \$5 Green and red on yellow paper, watermark Multiple Script CA, upper right corner marginal pair with plate number "1", fine mint. S.G. 44, £1,300+. Photo on Page 188. £350-450
- 1377 (O) \$5, \$25, \$50 and \$100 Fiscally used, the \$50 with surface faults, otherwise fine, the \$100 scarce. S.G. £1,450. (4). Photo on Page 164. £250-300
- 1378 (★) \$25 Purple and blue, unmounted mint, fine and scarce. S.G. 45, £1,400. Photo on Page 164. £350-450
- 1379 ★ (★) 1941 Unissued 2c orange, 3c blue-green, 8c rose and 15c ultramarine, the 15c with small part gum only, otherwise fine mint, the 8c unmounted. S.G. £2,375. (4). Photo on Page 184. £500-600
- 1380 ★ (H) 1941 Unissued 2c Orange, upper left corner plate block of four, upper pair unmounted, possibly unique as a plate block. S.G. £1,300+. Photo on Page 186. £400-500
- 1381 (★) 1941 Unissued 3c blue-green, fine unmounted mint. S.G. £1,400. Photo on Page 184. £350-450



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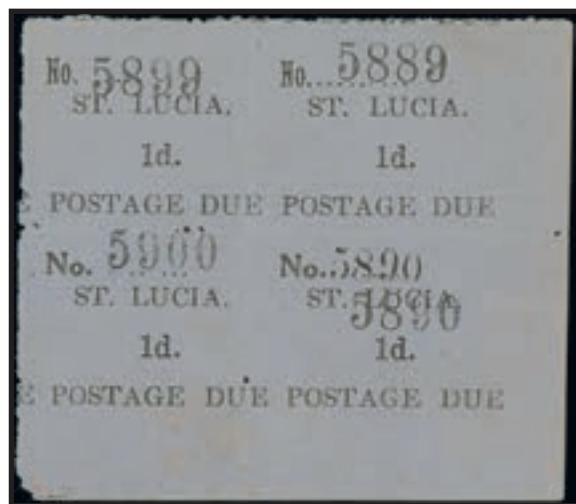
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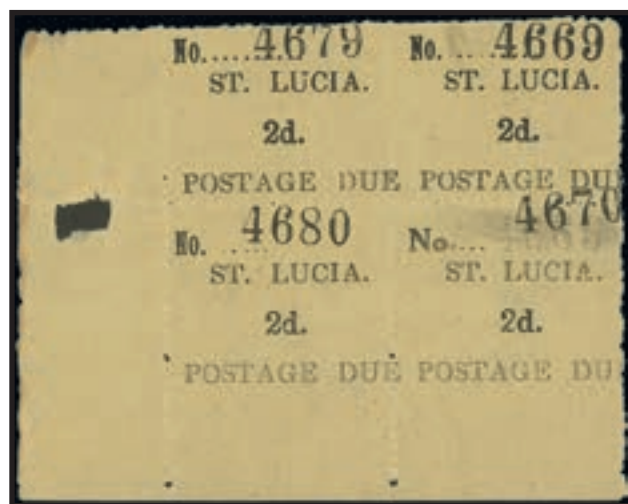
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- 1382 ★  1941 Unissued 6c slate-grey, upper left corner plate block of four, upper pair unmounted, possibly unique as a plate block. S.G. £1,300+. Photo on Page 186. £400-500
- 1383 ★  1941 Unissued 8c rose, upper left corner plate block of four, upper part unmounted, possibly unique as a plate block. S.G. £1,300+. Photo on Page 186. £400-500
- 1384 ★  1941 Unissued 15c ultramarine, upper left corner plate block of four, upper pair unmounted, possibly unique as a plate block. S.G. £1,300+. Photo on Page 186. £400-500
- 1385  1923-32 Covers from the G.P.O, registered to Austria franked 5c + 10c + 12c, and printed "On Government Service" envelopes registered to India franked 2c (2) + 4c + 10c, or to Canada franked 1c (2) + 6c with General Post Office Trengganu cachet. (3). £150-200
- 1386  1926-40 Covers including Chinese red band envelope and an advertising cover to Singapore both franked 5c, registered cover to F.M.S franked 10c pair, covers to the USA at the 12c rate (2), censored covers to G.B franked 8c (2), covers to G.B or USA bearing Malaya Patriotic Fund labels (2), etc. (15). £400-500
- 1387  **Air Mails.** 1935-38 Covers to England, sent by Imperial Airways franked at 25c (3), 38c or 52c rates, also a cover sent by KLM bearing 1c - 25c stamps, one cover to Prince Abdul Aziz at school in Oxford. (6). £200-250
- 1388  **Air Mails.** 1938-39 Covers to England (3) or Canada, franked at the 8c "All-Up" rate (one overpaid by 1c), carried by Imperial Airways to London, one 1938 (Feb. 25) cover carried on the first acceptance at the 8c rate, redirected to South Africa. (4). £150-200
- 1389  **Clipper Rate.** 1941 (Oct. 4) Cover to England endorsed "Per American Trans-Pacific Clipper Service", franked at the \$2 clipper rate, bearing six 25c stamps + 50c, censored in Singapore, fine and scarce. Photo on Page 182. £200-250
- 1390  **Clipper Rate.** 1941 (Nov. 10) Registered cover to Jamaica endorsed "By Pacific Clipper", franked at the \$2.15 registered clipper rate, with 5c deep reddish purple + 10c + 50c (4, two vertical pairs), censored in Singapore, backstamped at Singapore, Honolulu, Miami and in Jamaica. A fine and rare clipper cover to an unusual destination. Photo on Page 190. £300-400
- 1391  1941 (Oct. 24) Censored cover to India franked on the reverse with 3c chestnut and 5c deep reddish purple (S.G. 29a, 32a), these late printings scarce on cover. £150-200
- 1392  1941 (Dec. 10) Censored cover to London franked 3c chestnut and 5c deep reddish purple (S.G. 29a, 32a), these late printings scarce on cover, very fine. Photo on Page 190. £200-250

1922 Malaya-Borneo Overprints, S.G. 48-58

- 1393 ★  Mainly mint selection on stockcards, many with varieties including 20c "X" virtually missing (2), 2c and 4c no stop (both within blocks of twelve), thin "I" and broken second "A" (5), broken "R" (2), oval "O" (11), raised stop (19), small "A" (17), \$3 with faulty "B", etc. (185). Photo on Page 184. £500-700
- 1394 ★ Mint selection, all with identified varieties, including scarce broken "R" 2c - 25c and 50c - \$5, broken "R" and "X" (6, to the 50c), no stop 10c, 20c (perf faults) and 25c within a block, etc. (50). Photo on Page 164. £300-350
- 1395 ○ 2c, 5c - \$3 Raised stop variety, all used with Trengganu datestamps, \$3 with small fault at right, otherwise fine and scarce. S.G. £1,780. (9). Photo on Page 184. £250-300
- 1396 ○ 2c, 5c - \$3 Small second "A" variety, all used with Trengganu datestamps, fine and scarce. S.G. £1,780. (9). Photo on Page 184. £400-500



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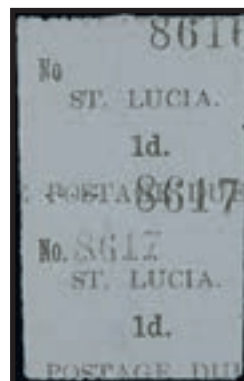
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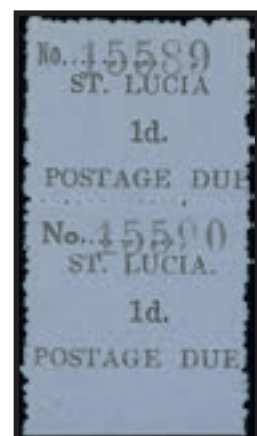
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- 1397 ○ △ 2c - \$5 Set of eleven used, the 2c - 50c on separate pieces with 4 APR Trengganu datestamps (First Day of Issue?), \$1 with small part Dungun c.d.s probably applied by favour, \$3 with Kretai c.d.s. S.G. £1,600. (11).
Photo on Page 212. £350-450
- 1398 ★ \$5 Green and dull purple, variety small second "A", mint, margin at right, very fine. S.G. 58d, £600.
Photo on Page 212. £150-180
- 1399 ○ \$5 Green and dull purple, variety small second "A", used with part Dungun c.d.s, cancelled by favour.
S.G. 58d, £1,500. Photo on Page 212. £250-300

1941-63 Stamp Issues

- 1400 ★ [B] 1941 2c on 5c Deep reddish purple and 8c on 10c bright blue both in complete sheets of 120, each with the two panes of sixty separated, the 2c with constant frame break variety on 10/2, the 8c sheet with some toning and staining, the 2c sheet fine, scarce in sheets. S.G. 59/60, £2,340. (2 sheets). £200-300
- 1401 ★ ○ 1941 2c and 8c Surcharges, mint and used selection including 2c plate blocks of six and twelve (including broken frame variety), 8c plate block of twelve, high and low surcharges, 8c used at Kerteh (2) and Besut, etc. S.G. 59/60, £443. (48). £80-100
- 1402 ☒ 1941 Covers bearing the 2c and 8c surcharges, the two values on May 1st First Day cover posted within Trengganu, and June 3rd cover from Dungun to USA franked 1921-41 2c, 8c, 10c + 1941 2c and 8c surcharges. Scarce issues on cover. (2). Photo on Page 190. £200-250
- 1403 ★ ○ 1948-53 Commemorative issues with 1948 Silver Wedding \$5 mint corner and plate blocks, pair on F.D.C; 1949 U.P.U F.D.C and plate blocks; 1953 Coronation; also 1957 Federation of Malaya 10c Independence Day F.D.Cs used in Trengganu (2), all fine. S.G. £450 (approx). (111 + 10 covers).
£100-120
- 1404 ★ 1949 U.P.U 50c, variety "C" of "CA" missing from watermark, mounted mint, fine. S.G. 66a, £900.
Photo on Page 212. £120-150
- 1405 (P) 1949 Progressive Die Proof for the single working plate (used for the 1c - 15c values), with uncleared surround and parts of the design either side of the Sultan's vignette, in black on white glazed card, 92x60mm. A fine and rare proof. Photo on Page 188. £400-500
- 1406 (P) [B] 1952 8c Green, imperforate plate proofs printed on buff paper without watermark or gum, comprising a lower left corner marginal block of eight with "TRENGGANU" in the lower margin, and an upper left corner marginal block of four with plate number "1". (2 blocks). £150-200
- 1407 ★ ○ 1949-55 1c - \$5 Mint and used study on pages including the set in mint plate blocks of four (30c in pair) with some additional plate blocks and other multiples, set used, F.D.Cs bearing 1c - 8c or 30c, most values to the \$1 on covers. S.G. 67/87, £1,200+ (approx). (211 + 19 covers). £250-300
- 1408 ★ ○ 1957-63 1c - \$5 Mint and used study on pages including set in mint plate blocks of four, set used (\$2 on cover), other covers (8), 10c maroon misperforated single and pair, etc. S.G. 89/99, £700+. (111).
£150-200
- 1409 ★ ○ **WW2 - Thai Occupation.** 1944 General Issue, mint set with some additional values, used set in blocks of four (with additional 8c block) and used set in singles (additional 1c, 15c) all with Trengganu cancels, 2c used with Kemaman c.d.s and 2c pair with Dungun c.d.s. Also four covers with forged Trengganu occupation overprints, the cancels and censors also forged. S.G. TMI/6, £1,570. (50 + 4 covers). £200-300



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Ex 1402



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Ex 1442

Postage Due Stamps

- 1410 (P) 1937 Progressive Die Proof in black on glazed card, with uncleared corner and central value tablets and surround, slightly larger than stamp size, affixed to thick card endorsed and dated "G/Trengganu 271" and "15.III.37", further endorsed "Die Proof Duty Blank" and "appd subject to outline of stamp being connected and verification of vernacular, 17/3", 89x89mm. A superb proof, just one similar proof recorded, unique with these endorsements. Photo on Back Cover. £700-1,000
- 1411 (S) ★ 1937 1c - 10c Set of four perforated "SPECIMEN", set in corner marginal pairs with plate number "1" and in singles, with additional 1c pair and block of four, 10c pair, all fine mint. S.G. D1/4, £960. (24). Photo on Page 212. £200-300
- 1412 ○ 1937 1c - 10c Set of four used, fine and very scarce. S.G. D1/4, \$550. (4). Photo on Page 184. £180-220

Cancellations, Covers & Picture Postcards

- 1413 ☒ ○ **Cancellations.** 1915-85 Covers (76) and many pieces and stamps, cancels from many offices, most written up on pages, including skeletons, postage due mail, registered and explanatory marks, mainly 1950-70 period, some earlier including a small study of fiscal and telegraph cancels, Thai Occupation set used, etc. (100s). £400-600
- 1414 ☒ **Besut.** 1934-36 Covers to England with Besut c.d.s (Proud D2), the first registered with nine 3c stamps on reverse, boxed registration handstamp on the front, small part address crossed out and two small file holes in upper corner; the second franked 3c + 5c on the reverse, some staining. A scarce cancel. (2). £200-250
- 1415 ☒ **Jabor.** 1939 (Sep. 20) Air Mail cover to England franked 1921-41 5c + 50c cancelled by Jabor double ring c.d.s (Proud D2), violet boxed censor cachet of Singapore. An unusually fine strike of this very scarce c.d.s. Photo on Page 190. £250-300
- 1416 ☒ **Jabor.** 1940 (Apr. 25) Air Mail cover to England franked 1924-41 20c + 35c cancelled by Jabor double ring c.d.s (Proud D2), fine, a very scarce c.d.s. £200-250
- 1417 ○ △ **Kuala Kemaman.** 1910-19 1c (3, including a pair), 3c (9, one on piece), 4c (4), 5c, 8c (2) and 10c all cancelled by undated circular violet "KUALA KEMAMAN / TRENGGANU" (Proud D1). A scarce cancel, recorded in use in 1913-14. (20). £200-250
- 1418 ☒ **Kuala Kemaman.** 1913 (Mar. 10) 3c Postal stationery postcard to Batavia, cancelled by violet circular "KUALA KEMAMAN / TRENGGANU" (Proud D1) with straight line "10 MAR 1913" alongside in the same colour ink, Singapore transit c.d.s (Mar. 15) and boxed "4". Superb and very rare. Photo on Page 190. £2,000-3,000
- 1419 ☒ **Kuala Kemaman.** 1914 (Nov. 8) Picture postcard to England franked 3c cancelled by violet circular "KUALA KEMAMAN / TRENGGANU" (Proud D1), a second strike alongside with straight line "8 NOV 1914" in the same colour ink, transit c.d.s of Singapore (Nov 13). Superb and very rare. Photo on Inside Back Cover. £2,000-3,000
- 1420 ☒ **Kemaman.** 1917 (July 5) Cover to London franked 1910-19 4c cancelled by violet bilingual Kemaman single ring datestamp, a second strike alongside, light fold, otherwise fine. £120-160
- 1421 ☒ **Kemaman.** 1917 (July 26) Cover to London franked by two 1910-19 2c stamps cancelled by violet bilingual Kemaman single ring datestamp, a second strike on the front, light fold, otherwise fine. Photo on Page 190. £150-200
- 1422 ☒ **Kemaman.** 1938 (Mar. 15) Registered cover to Stanley Gibbons Ltd in London franked Trengganu 6c + 12c + Straits Settlements KGV 5c all tied by Kemaman datestamps (Proud D4), inscribed by the sender "First Day of Issue of S.S Malaya stamps used in Trengganu State on loan 15th March 1938". Very scarce, two other 1938 covers recorded from Trengganu bearing Straits stamps. £100-150

- 1423 ☒ **Kemasek/Kretay.** 1931 Covers to Singapore, registered with 1921-41 1c - 6c cancelled by Kretay datestamps (Proud D3) and boxed registration handstamp below; or franked 1c interpanneau block of six tied by Kemasek datestamps (Proud D4), two further strikes on reverse, tear at lower right corner. Two scarce cancels. (2).
£200-250
- 1424 ☒ 1937 Air Mail covers to England franked 1921-41 25c, one cancelled by Kemaman c.d.s (Proud D4); the other posted in Perak, the stamp initially disallowed and a "T" handstamp applied at Batu Gajah, this handstamp then deleted and the stamp cancelled by the Batu Gajah c.d.s, unusual. (2).
£100-150
- 1425 ○ △ **Maritime Mail.** 1910-41 Stamps (14) or pieces (9, bearing 14 stamps) cancelled by various named ship cachets including S.S Larut, Lipis, Medusa, Boribat, Yugala, Hong Ho and Malini, or with circular dotted dumb cancel of Bangkok (3), also a Straits KEVII 4c with 1911 Trengganu c.d.s. (29 Stamps). Photo on Page 188.
£250-300
- 1426 ☒ ○ **Maritime Mail - Paquebots.** 1911-40 Covers (4), pieces (36) and stamps (67) with undated cover from Bangkok to E.A Dickson, British Agent, Trengganu (Dickson only being the British Agent in 1913) with Straits KGV 3c cancelled by fancy "Paquebot" (not recorded by Hosking), all the Trengganu stamps and pieces and a 1936 cover bearing 5c strip of three with Singapore Paquebot cancels, also two covers from Besut or Setui to Singapore (one endorsed "From S.S Asdang") with 1915 5c cancelled in manuscript. (107).
£150-250
- 1427 ☒ △ **British Military Administration.** 1945-49 Covers (17), pieces (29) and a few stamps, including cover to USA with Batu Makit registration label altered in manuscript to Kuala Trengganu, cover from Kretay to Denmark franked 3c pair + 6c (2) + 8c strip of four, covers with cancels of Dungun, Marang, etc. Also a 1945 cover from G.B to Trengganu. (47).
£300-350
- 1428 ☒ 1947 (Nov.) Cover to USA franked BMA 6c cancelled by "TG" within triangle, an enclosed Christmas card from Kuala Trengganu. A rare printed matter cancel, not recorded by Proud.
£100-150
- 1429 ☒ **Official Mail.** 1946-71 Stampless official covers (10), various official cachets and printed covers, also a 1938 official cover from the State Engineer to England franked 8c. (11).
£120-150
- 1430 ☒ **Picture Postcards - Kemaman.** 1933-39 Picture postcards with Kemaman cancels, a fine real photo card of the old town at Kemaman sent to the USA franked 1c + 5c on the picture side, a card of a mosque with 4c on the picture side cancelled to order, and cards to USA franked 6c (2), also a real photo card of the Customs House at Kemaman (stamp removed). (5).
£200-250
- 1431 ☒ **Picture Postcards - Kemaman.** c.1922 Real photo postcards of Kemaman harbour, mining coolies huts, native hunters or native life on the river, all unused, very fine quality amateur views, very scarce. (4).
£100-150
- 1432 ☒ **Picture Postcards - Kuala Trengganu.** 1925-36 Real photo postcards (11) including views of the General Post Office, 1935 King George V Silver Jubilee celebrations (2), a Boy Scout gathering at the Royal Palace, a busy river view, celebratory arch, etc, two with stamps on the picture side cancelled to order, one posted to Java with 2c - 20c stamps on the picture side, five posted to G.B (4) or Switzerland franked 4c (3) or 6c (2), three unused. Also c.1930-55 original real photographs (11) and a few more recent postcards. (11+).
£250-300

Postal Stationery

- 1433 ☒ **Postcards.** 1912 (Sep. 28) 3c Postcard to London, the message written and signed by the Postmaster stating "neither envelopes nor postcards bearing impressed stamps are in use in the State of Trengganu" - an extraordinary and clearly incorrect statement since this is written on a postal stationery card. A fine and early use of this first postcard, cancelled at Trengganu with a Singapore transit c.d.s, reverse with "Postmaster General / Trengganu" cachet.
£100-150

- 1434 ☒ **Postcards.** 1911 1c Green and 3c red postcards Specimen, unused and used, the 1c card commercially used in 1913 to Perak, the 3c card an early 1911 (Mar. 13) use to Austria (no message), both with Trengganu cancels and Singapore transit datestamps, all fine, scarce cards used. (6). £200-300
- 1435 ☒ **Postcards.** 1920-22 Cards comprising 1920 2c and 3c Sultan Zain-ul Ab-din cards overprinted Specimen; 1922 Sultan Suleiman 2c and 4c cards Specimen, unused (both with wrapper bands) or used in 1928 to Germany, the 2c card franked 4c (no message) and the 4c card franked 8c. (8). £120-150
- 1436 ☒ **Registration Envelopes.** 1922-38 Envelopes comprising 10c size G Specimen, unused and used to USA in 1924 franked 14c, size H2 and K unused; 15c size G Specimen, unused and used, size H2 unused and used, size K unused, the two used 15c envelopes with some staining, otherwise fine. (11). £300-400
- 1437 (P) **Registration Envelopes.** 1928 15c Registration envelope stamp, Die Proof in black on white glazed paper, 47x52mm, fine and rare. Photo on Page 188. £300-400
- 1438 (P) **Registration Envelopes.** 1928 15c Registration envelope stamp, Die Proof in black on white glazed paper, endorsed "Appd AS 7/1", 45x51mm, fine and rare. Photo on Page 188. £300-400
- 1439 ☒ **Registration Envelopes.** 1949-86 Envelopes including 1949 20c size G unused and used (Jerteh skeleton and "A.R" handstamp), size H unused and used (2, one franked 10c + \$2), size H2 unused and used, size K unused; c.1950 20c size G envelope with revised reverse unused and used; c.1955 new format 20c envelopes size G unused and used, size H2 used (not listed by Higgins & Gage); and six Malaysia envelopes used in Trengganu. (19). £250-300
- 1440 ☒ 1949-85 Stationery including 1949 10c envelope unused (2, differing flap types) and used; 1949 4c postcard unused (with wrapper band) and used, reply card unused; 4c postcards uprated with two 1c stamps or 2c used, 4c reply cards uprated with 2c stamp unused and used; also formula air letters (3) and Malaysia stationery used in Trengganu. (27). £150-200

Air Mails

The fine collection with many rare and unique covers to and from Singapore and Malaya. Also see lots 651/2, 662, 904, 1556, 1702/7).

- 1441 ☒ 1923 (July 28) Straits Settlements acceptance for the D.E.I Army Airforce Bandoeng to Weltevreden and return flight, cover from Malacca to Bandoeng franked 12c with the Weltevreden flight cachet and "A12" postman's delivery handstamp on the front, Singapore c.d.s. & Bandoeng flight cachet on reverse, opened at sides, otherwise fine. Proud states a despatch from Malacca was made to connect with this flight and was the first opportunity for the public in Malaya to use an airmail acceleration; It was flown without surcharge. Ex Ties Verkuil, believed to be the only known Straits Settlements acceptance for this flight. Photo on Page 190. £500-£600
- 1442 ☒ 1926 (Aug) Singapore to Kuala Lumpur by Air Survey Co, covers franked at the 4c rate from Tanglin (2, Aug. 21, one recancelled by Singapore G.P.O c.d.s. Aug. 23, 8 AM), or posted at the G.P.O (Aug. 23, 6 AM), all with "BY AIR MAIL" cachet and arrival c.d.s. (Aug. 23), all fine. Also a two page handwritten report (& typed transcript) on the flight with details of the different covers, noting that the 8 AM G.P.O covers are the rarest; and a small photo of the pilot Neville Vintcent and personnel of the Air Survey Co. (5). Photo on Page 190. £250-£300
- 1443 ☒ 1927 (Mar. 31) Rangoon to Penang flight by Neville Vintcent, a commercial India 1a postal stationery envelope from Moulmeingyun to Penang, correctly franked for surface mail but forwarded for convenience by the Rangoon P.O by this flight so treated as underfranked (!), with octagonal "T / C / 20" and the violet boxed flight cachet "RANGOON-PENANG / FIRST AIR MAIL / APRIL 1927". Reverse with Penang arrival c.d.s. (Apr. 2) and Straits 4c postage due vertical pair cancelled two days later. Minor opening fault at right, otherwise fine, very unusual and scarce. Photo on Page 194. £600-£800



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- 1444 ☒ 1927 (Mar. 31) Rangoon to Penang flight by Neville Vintcent, cover to “The Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs, India, New Delhi, via Penang” with India KGV 2a cancelled violet boxed “RANGOON-PENANG / FIRST AIR MAIL / APRIL 1927”, Rangoon (Mar. 31) and Penang (Apr. 2) datestamps alongside, light crease, otherwise very fine and scarce. Photo on Page 194. £400-£500
- 1445 ☒ 1928 (Oct. 20) Kuala Lumpur acceptance for the K.L.M. Medan to Amsterdam flight, cover to England franked F.M.S. 6c + 20c + \$1, Penang (Oct. 22) and Amsterdam (Nov. 16) backstamps, fine and scarce, few flown due to the very high \$1.26 rate. Also a cover from Penang (Oct. 6) franked 18c to England with cachet “FIRST SERVICE FROM MALACCA / CONNECTING WITH MARSEILLES- / LONDON AIR MAIL”; and a cover from Muar (Dec. 3) to England franked Johore 6c +12c, the additional 12c for the accelerated air service from Marseille to London. Three fine covers. (3). £150-£200
- 1446 ☒ 1929 (Aug) First acceptance for Karachi to London flight, registered cover from Johore franked 41c with an early Johore “By Air Mail” label, and two covers from Kuala Lumpur franked F.M S 26c, one with G.B. P.U.C. ½d applied upon arrival (Aug. 19), all fine. (3). £100-120
- 1447 ☒ 1929 (Oct. 24) Karachi to Basle service, cover franked 32c from Orchard Road, Singapore, to Switzerland, fine and scarce. Photo on Page 194. £200-£250
- 1448 ☒ 1929 (June 2) Perth to Adelaide service, cover from Kuala Lumpur to New South Wales franked F.M S 10c + 20c (24c Air Fee + 6c postage), endorsed “By West Australian & Perth-Adelaide Airmail”, Singapore and Perth (June 27) backstamps, Dubbo c.d.s. (July 4) applied upon redirection. Minor faults but a rare Malaya acceptance for this internal Australian air service. Photo on Page 194. £400-£600
- 1449 ☒ 1930 (Feb.) Experimental Singapore to Batavia flight, registered cover from Johore franked 37c; and three covers from Kuala Lumpur franked F.M S 2c + 20c or 2c + 35c (registered), also a long stampless “On Postal Service” cover with cachet “Secretary for Postal Affairs / S.S. and F.M.S.” to the Director General of Posts in Bandoeng, this official cover with a heavy vertical fold but probably unique. (4). £100-£120
- 1450 ☒ 1930 (Feb.) Experimental Singapore to Batavia flight, Straits Settlements acceptances from Singapore G.P.O or Katong (2), one postal stationery card franked at the 16c rate, covers franked 22c or 37c (registered), all fine. Also covers from Singapore carried on the first regular flight on March 4th franked 34c or 39c (registered), the first returned with red oval Dead Letter Office Singapore backstamp, postage dues (?) apparently removed from the reverse. (5). £120-£150
- 1451 ☒ 1930 (Feb. 12) Karachi to Germany (Nuremberg) flight, registered cover from Singapore G.P.O. to Spain franked 47c, Penang, Paris and Madrid backstamps, a scarce Singapore acceptance. Photo on Page 194. £150-£200
- 1452 ☒ 1930 (May 22) Karachi to Greece (Athens) flight, registered cover from Katong, with Singapore, Penang and Athens backstamps, a scarce Straits acceptance. Photo on Page 194. £150-£200
- 1453 ☒ 1930 (Sep.-Oct.) First direct K.L.M. Amsterdam to Indies flight, cover from G.B. to Singapore franked 1/1½; and two first return flight covers, one franked 55c from Singapore to England with a 10c postage due handstamp, the other a 6c postal stationery envelope uprated 69c registered from Orchard Road, Singapore to Amsterdam (unclaimed and returned in November). (3). £120-£150
- 1454 ☒ 1930 (Nov.) Singapore to India R.A.F Goodwill flight, picture postcard posted within Singapore (Nov. 14) to flight crew at the Europe Hotel franked 2c, readdressed to Karachi and flown on the R.A F flight, with “By R.A.F. / Hanaidi & Wapiti Aeroplanes. / Straits Settlements to” in green and “Karachi” added in purple, Karachi arrival c.d.s. (Nov. 25), signed by the pilot W.G. Salmond (then A.O.C. India, later dropping the William he became Air Marshall Sir Geoffrey Salmond). Fine and very rare, just 13 items flown, only three pilot signed items recorded by Brown for all legs of this flight. Photo on Page 194. £1,000-£1,200



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- 1455 ☒ 1930 (Nov.) Singapore to India R.A.F. Goodwill flight, picture postcard posted within Singapore (Nov. 14) to flight crew at the Europe Hotel franked 2c, readdressed to Stephen Smith in Calcutta and flown on the R.A.F. flight to New Delhi with "R.A.F. / Straits Settlements – India" cachet in black, New Delhi and Calcutta arrival datestamps. Fine and rare, just 13 items flown. Photo on Page 194. £700-£800
- 1456 ☒ **Falkland Islands.** 1930 (Dec. 30) First Straits acceptance for the Jan. 2nd French service to Montevideo via Marseille, Dakar and Brazil, registered cover from Katong franked \$2.22, addressed to Port Stanley, Falkland Islands, with Penang, Marseille & Montevideo backstamps, carried from Montevideo by H.M.S. "Despatch" arriving at Stanley on Feb. 23rd. An exceptional destination, just two recorded covers from this service, both to Stanley. Small corner fault and light crease, otherwise fine, an attractive and rare cover. Photo on Page 196. £600-£800
- 1457 ☒ 1931(April) First Experimental London to Australia flight, Aero Philatelic Club of Calcutta cover from Calcutta to Singapore franked 9a, boxed "UNCLAIMED" and "UNDELIVERED FOR REASON / STATED / RETURN TO SENDER" cachets (Proud I16, I26) and red Dead Letter Office backstamp. £100-£120
- 1458 ☒ 1931 (Apr. 6) First Experimental London to Australia flight, cover from Singapore to Palembang franked 24c, inscribed for this flight, flown to Soerabaja (Apr. 18), also backstamped at Batavia and Palembang, unusual. £100-£120
- 1459 ☒ 1931 (Apr.) First Experimental London to Australia flight, covers from Singapore to Sydney franked 46c or 61c (registered); and first return flight covers from Singapore (2) or Katong (2) to London, two franked 48c, two registered franked 63c or 64c. Also a cover from Singapore to Sydney carried on the second flight. (7). £150-£200
- 1460 ☒ 1931 (Apr. 28) First Experimental Australia to London return flight, registered cover from Singapore G.P.O to Sialkot franked 37c, and a cover from Kuala Lumpur to Calcutta franked F.M.S 22c, two scarce intermediate stages. (2) £100-£120
- 1461 ☒ 1931 (Apr. 28) First Experimental Australia to London return flight, registered cover from Johore franked 63c and a cover from Kuala Lumpur franked F.M.S 48c, both to G.B. Also two 1931 (Apr. 15) covers from Singapore to London sent by K.L.M. via Alor Star to Amsterdam franked 56c or 71c (registered). (4). £120-£150
- 1462 ☒ 1931 (April) Hollywood to Singapore flight by the American aviators Ross Hadley and John Pratt, stampless Aero Philatelic Club of Calcutta cover flown to Singapore, signed by both pilots and inscribed "Hollywood to Singapore 1/4/31", posted back from Singapore to Calcutta with a Singapore c.d.s. and red "POSTAGE DUE", Calcutta arrival backstamp (Apr. 24). Fine and very scarce, about five covers stated flown to Singapore. Photo on Page 196. £200-£250
- 1463 ☒ 1931(May) First K.L.M. Amsterdam to Australia flight, covers and a card flown from Alor Star with unusual Straits 2c postal stationery card uprated 16c flown to Batavia; and covers from Penang franked \$1, registered from Johore franked 96c or from Kuala Lumpur franked 81c or \$1 (registered) all flown to Australia. (5). £100-£150
- 1464 ☒ 1931 (May) Second Experimental Australia to London flight, covers from Singapore, registered to Allahabad, or to England (4, one registered), the first a scarce intermediate stage. (5). £100-£150
- 1465 ☒ 1931 (Aug.) K.N.I.L.M. Singapore to Medan first flight, registered cover from Singapore franked 32c, a 2c postcard uprated 11c from Singapore flown to Batavia, and printed matter rate cover franked 7c from Kampong Glam to Belawan flown to Batavia, all fine. (3). £100-£120
- 1466 ☒ 1931 (Nov.) Imperial Airways first Karachi to Cape Town flight via Cairo, Springbok cover from Kuala Lumpur franked \$1, Penang and Cairo backstamps and arrival cachet of Barclays Bank Cape Town, signed by the pilot of the Johannesburg to Cape Town leg R.F. Caspareutheus. A rare Malaya acceptance, stated to be the only signed cover carried. Photo on Page 196. £200-£250

- 1467 ☒ 1931 (Jan.) Delayed A.N.A. England to Australia Christmas flight, covers from Johore (2, one registered), Kuala Lumpur (2, one registered), Singapore (2) or Banting, all to Australia, the Banting cover to the Postmaster General, Sydney, franked F.M.S 4c pair + plate block of ten. (7). £100-£150

1933 (Dec.) Imperial Airways Extension of Empire Route to Singapore & Return

Eastbound from Europe, Africa, Middle East & Asia

- 1468 ☒ **Great Britain.** Covers (7) and postcard from G.B., to Singapore (5, one registered, another apparently commercial, one reposted with Straits Settlements stamps, a G.B. ½d on reverse to prove arrival on the first return flight), Tangkak, Johore (registered), Bandon or Bangkok, Siam. All fine, six are printed Speedbird covers. (8). £180-£200
- 1469 ☒ **European Acceptances.** Speedbird covers from Ireland, Belgium, France, Netherlands and Greece, all to Singapore, scarce acceptances. (5). £300-£400
- 1470 ☒ **European Acceptances.** Speedbird covers from Netherlands and Greece to Alor Star, arrival backstamps. Scarce, very small mails sent to Alor Star, Kedah. (2). £200-£250
- 1471 ☒ **Cyprus.** Speedbird cover franked 4.1/2pi from Limassol (Dec. 9) to Singapore, carried back under cover to England on the return flight with a G.B. ½d tied to reverse by Lee on the Solent c.d.s. (Jan. 11, 1934). Scarce. £120-£150
- 1472 ☒ **Malta.** Covers from Valetta to Singapore flown from Brindisi, franked 1s 9½d with violet Air Mail datestamps (Dec. 5 or 16), both posted back from Singapore by surface mail franked 8c on the reverse, Feb. 1934 arrival datestamps. Very unusual and scarce. (2). £200-£250
- 1473 ☒ **South Africa.** House of Assembly Cape Town envelope sent by Wyndham to Singapore franked 1d, 2d & 6d Official pairs, arrival c.d.s.; and a cover from Kalk Bay franked 1/3d to the Imperial Airways Station Superintendent Singapore, amusingly with bilingual cachet "Insufficiently Paid for Air Mail / beyond (Calcutta)". (2). £150-£200
- 1474 ☒ **Basutoland.** Wyndham cover from Maseru to Singapore franked 1d, 2d, 3d and 1/-, the first day of issue of the first Basutoland stamps, arrival c.d.s. £100-£120
- 1475 ☒ **Nyasaland.** Wyndham cover from Blantyre to Singapore franked ½ d, 3d and 6d pairs with "Nyasaland Darkest Africa In Fairest Mood" slogan cancels, Cairo & Singapore backstamps, fewer than 20 covers flown. £100-£120
- 1476 ☒ **Southern Rhodesia.** Covers with seven or more stamps totalling 1/5 tied by large "NATIVE QTR / BULAWAYO S.R" datestamps, addressed c/o Thomas Cook & Son, Singapore, with their chop on reverse. (2). £100-£150
- 1477 ☒ **Northern Rhodesia.** Registered Wyndham cover from Broken Hill to Singapore franked 1/9, unusually with the Registered Letter receipt, the cover returned with violet boxed "UNCLAIMED" (Proud I26), minor soiling. Also a Speedbird cover from Mpika to Singapore franked 1/-, Cairo transit backstamp. (2). £150-£200
- 1478 ☒ **Belgian Congo.** Wyndham cover from Elizabethville to Singapore franked 4f, Cairo and Singapore backstamps. Scarce, very few flown. Photo on Page 196. £150-£200
- 1479 ☒ **Kenya.** Speedbird cover from Nairobi to Singapore franked 2/-, violet bilingual "By Air Mail To" cachet left blank, Cairo transit backstamp. £100-£120
- 1480 ☒ **Morocco Agencies.** Speedbird cover from Tangier to Singapore franked 1/4½d, Paris and Singapore backstamps, carried under cover on the return flight to London, a G.B. 1/2d on reverse tied by Lee on the Solent c.d.s. (Jan. 11, 1934). Scarce, very few covers flown. Photo on Page 196. £150-£200

- 1481 ☒ **Egypt.** Speedbird covers from Alexandria to Bandon (Tung Song backstamp indicates by rail from Alor Star) and Singapore, both with arrival backstamps; and covers from Cairo to Singapore, one franked 85m handstamped “T” with Straits Settlements 10c & 12c postage dues tied Singapore c.d.s. (Dec. 19), unusual. (4). £120-£150
- 1482 ☒ **Palestine.** Speedbird cover from Gaza to Singapore franked 45m, scarce, very few covers flown from Gaza. £100-£120
- 1483 ☒ **Iraq.** Covers from Baghdad to Bangkok or Singapore, each with special circular cachet in purple, arrival backstamps, just 16 covers flown to each destination. Also a Speedbird cover from Baghdad to Kuala Lumpur with Penang backstamp. (3). £150-£200
- 1484 ☒ **Iraq.** Cover from Basrah with special circular cachet in turquoise; and Speedbird covers from Baghdad Ar-Rashid or Basrah, all to Singapore, the first with an arrival backstamp, all fine and scarce. (3). £150-£200
- 1485 ☒ **Bahrain.** Speedbird cover to Singapore franked 3a6p + 4a with circular “BY / AIR” cachet, fine and scarce. £100-£120
- 1486 ☒ **Kuwait.** Speedbird cover bearing India Air 2a, 3a & 4a overprinted Kuwait neatly tied to cover to Katong, Singapore, with Basrah transit backstamp. A fine and rare cover, the franking including the key 4a value. Photo on Page 196. £600-£800
- 1487 ☒ **India.** Speedbird covers from Guadur (franked on reverse with 1/2a + Air 2a and 4a, a neat single strike of the c.d.s. cancel), Karachi (2, one with Imperial Airways chop) or Delhi, all to Singapore, the first scarce. (4). £200-£250
- 1488 ☒ **Burma.** Speedbird covers from Akyab to Singapore, or Rangoon to Bangkok with arrival backstamp; also two other covers from Rangoon to Singapore. (4). £100-£150

Westbound First Return Flight from Singapore & Malaya

- 1489 ☒ Covers from Brunei franked 43c, Jesselton, North Borneo franked 21c or Kuching, Sarawak franked 49c, all to the same addressee in England, inscribed to go via Singapore to connect with the first return flight, recipients private handstamp on reverse showing delivery on 11th Jan. 1934. Three fine and attractive covers. (3). £200-£250
- 1490 ☒ **India and Burma.** Covers and cards from Singapore, a 2c postal stationery postcard uprated 6c to Rangoon, Speedbird covers franked 15c to Rangoon (2, one a Speedbird label) or 20c to Calcutta, and a plain postcard franked 9c to Allahabad and forwarded to Holland, all with arrival datestamps. All fine, the card to Allahabad very scarce. (5). £100-£150
- 1491 ☒ **Iraq.** Speedbird covers franked 23c from Singapore to Imperial Airways at Baghdad or Basrah, the Basrah cover with a 6f due handstamp of Baghdad and violet bilingual “PARTI”, reverse with six datestamps of Basrah Unpaid or Magil, finally endorsed “not known at Shaibah” and “The addressee left Shaibah without address”. (2). £100-£150
- 1492 ☒ **Bahrain.** Speedbird cover from Singapore to Bahrain franked 20c, arrival backstamp. Scarce, very few covers flown. £100-£120
- 1493 ☒ **Kuwait.** Speedbird cover from Singapore to Kuwait franked 33c, handstamped “T” in circle and boxed “POSTAGE DUE / (1 anna)”, Baghdad, Basrah, Basrah Unpaid and Kuwait backstamps. Scarce, very few covers flown. £120-£150
- 1494 ☒ **Palestine.** Speedbird cover to Gaza franked 38c, arrival backstamp. Scarce, very few covers flown. £100-£120

- 1495 ☒ **Egypt.** Registered Speedbird covers (differing designs) from Singapore, franked 45c to Port Said or 53c to Cairo, arrival backstamps, very fine. (2). £100-£150
- 1496 ☒ **Sudan and Uganda.** Registered Speedbird covers from Singapore, franked 78c to Malakal or Entebbe, with Cairo and arrival backstamps, the Malakal cover forwarded to Liverpool. (2). £120-£150
- 1497 ☒ **Northern Rhodesia.** Speedbird covers from Singapore to Broken Hill, one cover to Wyndham franked 63c (one 12c stamp with Thomas Cook perfin), the other registered franked 88c, both with arrival backstamps. (2). £120-£150
- 1498 ☒ **Nyasaland.** Cover from Singapore to Limbe franked 63c (one 12c stamp with Thomas Cook perfin), Limbe backstamp. A scarce destination with a very small mail. Photo on Page 196. £120-£150
- 1499 ☒ **Belgian Congo.** Wyndham cover from Singapore to Elisabethville franked 83c, flown to Broken Hill, arrival backstamp and Wagons-Lit cachet. Minor toning but scarce, very few covers flown. £120-£150
- 1500 ☒ **Southern Africa.** Speedbird covers (two designs) from Singapore, registered to Bulawayo franked 73c (5c + 6c + 12c + 50c, the lower three values with Thomas Cook perfins), registered to Windhoek franked 98c, or to Cape Town franked 83c, all with arrival backstamps, fine. (3). £200-£250
- 1501 ☒ **Europe.** Speedbird covers (two designs) from Singapore flown to Brindisi franked 47c or 62c (registered to Parma), 47c to Paris or 50c to The Hague. Also a plain "Inapress" cover franked 43c to The Hague with circular Qantas cachet, the Singapore-London inscription obliterated with red bars. All fine, scarce destinations. (5). £250-£300
- 1502 ☒ **Great Britain.** Speedbird covers from Singapore franked 43c (3) or 60c (registered) and a picture postcard franked 24c. Also an unusual registered Speedbird cover from Jasin, Malacca franked 60c, and a Speedbird cover from Kota Bharu franked Kelantan 3c + 10c + 30c. All fine, the Kelantan cover scarce. (7). £150-£200
- 1503 ☒ **Kuala Lumpur.** Covers from Kuala Lumpur franked 20c to Calcutta, 83c to Cape Town, or to G.B. franked 43c (an illustrated Souvenir business size cover) or 53c (2), all fine. (5). £100-£150
- 1504 ☒ **Johore.** Speedbird covers from Johore Bharu to Calcutta, Wadi Halfa, Mombasa, Mpika, Salisbury, Keetmansdorp, Paris and G.B., various rates from 20c to 73c, and a plain registered cover from Tangkak to G.B. franked \$1.10, all with arrival backstamps. Covers from Johore are scarce and many of these are very small mails. A good lot. (9). £500-£600

1934 - 46 Flights

- 1505 ☒ 1934 (April) Kuala Lumpur & intermediate stops added, first flight covers from Kuala Lumpur registered to Penang franked 10c, or franked 40c from Kuala Lumpur to England (2, differing printed special covers) to U.K. Also an unusual registered cover franked 59c from Ipoh to Athena sent to Kuala Lumpur to connect with the first flight, bearing a provisional registration label (with Kuala Lumpur altered to Ipoh), arrival backstamp. (4). £100-£150
- 1506 ☒ 1934 (Oct. 10) J.S. Davis printed matter cover from Singapore to Brazil franked 55c, inscribed "By Airmail to London, By Zeppelin from Germany", bearing "BY AIR MAIL" and VIA ZEPPELIN / FRIEDRICHSHAFEN" labels both overstruck by red bars in London, probably forwarded by sea. Unusual. £100-£150
- 1507 ☒ **MacRobertson Air Race.** 1934 (Oct. 18) Registered air cover from Schwerin, Germany, to Soerabaja franked 15pf + 80pf air stamps, inscribed "Berlin-London-Singapore By Air Race London-Melbourne only to Singapore", with Berlin, Singapore (Oct. 29) and Soerabaja backstamps. Probably just diverted to the Imperial Airways regular service which left the same day as the race started and arrived in Singapore on the 29th. An unusual souvenir of this race with a Singapore connection. £100-£150

- 1508 ✉ 1934 (Dec.) First regular England to Australia flight, printed flight covers from Akyab to Singapore franked 8a6p signed by the pilot Percy Wilson, Kuala Lumpur to Charleville franked F.M.S 20c with “T/CENTIMES/30” and three Australia 1d postage dues applied, or from Singapore to Darwin, Camooweal, Sydney or New Zealand all franked 25c. Also plain covers from Taiping to Melbourne franked F.M.S 25c or Ipoh to New Zealand franked F.M.S 26c. (8). £200-£250
- 1509 ✉ 1934 (Dec.) First Australia to England return flight, printed flight covers (two types) flown from Brisbane or Perth (registered), and plain covers from Darwin bearing Merino Ram set of three or from Wellington bearing N.Z. Air 4d + 5d on 4d, all to Singapore, the New Zealand cover oddly reposted in Singapore (Dec. 15) at local 5c letter rate. (4). £120-£150
- 1510 ✉ 1935 (July 9) Cover from Noumea to Paris franked New Caledonia 1f50 + 3f with rare “PAR AVION / VIA / Australie-Singapour-Angleterre service” air mail label, and cachet of the “Cabinet du Gouverneur”, unusual. £100-£120
- 1511 ✉ 1935 (Sep.) Inauguration of bi-weekly London to Singapore service, first flight covers from London franked 6d (3, two with different Silver Jubilee frankings, Wilton Road Hudson’s Place cancels) or from Calcutta franked 8a, all to Singapore; and a cover carried on the return flight from Singapore to Cape Town franked 55c. (4). £100-£150
- 1512 ✉ **Sarawak.** 1936 (Jan. 19) R.A.F. Flying Boat K.3592 Singapore to Kuching flight by S/Lr K.B. Lloyd, cover to Kuching franked Silver Jubilee 8c, bearing a blue By Air Mail label, with Kuching arrival backstamp (Jan. 20). Fine and very rare, probably fewer than five covers known. Photo on Page 196. £400-£500
- 1513 ✉ 1936 (Feb. 5-12) Imperial Airways Singapore to Nigeria flight, covers from Singapore to Kano, a Feb. 5th cover inscribed “First through Air mail from Malaya to Nigeria via Khartoum” franked 55c, a second cover of Feb. 12th inscribed “First Air Mail, Singapore-Nigeria” franked 70c, both covers backstamped at Kano on Feb. 22nd. Posted a week apart but both delayed en route, catching the third flight from Khartoum to Nigeria. Scarce, the first Singapore flight covers to reach Nigeria, very little mail flown on either date. (2). £200-£250
- 1514 ✉ 1936 (Feb.) R.A.F. Singapore to Japan Goodwill flight, covers from Singapore franked 12c to Kuching or 8c to Hong Kong, both with arrival backstamps, and a cover franked 26c to Japan flown to Shanghai and then sent by sea. Also a cover from Shanghai to Major Graham in Tanglin, Singapore endorsed “By Royal Air Force Flying Boat”. The Kuching cover scarce, the cover to Japan a little creased, otherwise fine. (4). £150-£200
- 1515 ✉ 1936 (Mar.) Imperial Airways Singapore to Hong Kong first flight, covers from Singapore, Malacca & Penang franked 12c to Hong Kong; and a scarce India acceptance registered from Rangoon intended for the first flight but too late or misdirected with Hanoi, Haiphong and Hong Kong (Apr. 1) backstamps. Also two return flight covers with cachets from Hong Kong to England. (6). £120-£150
- 1516 ✉ 1937 (Feb.) Junkers JU 86 delivery flight from Dessau, Germany to Melbourne via Singapore, envelope with printed view of the Junkers plane “Buckeberg”, apparently sent under cover from Batavia to Germany and hand carried on the flight which left Dessau on Feb. 17th, addressed to a “Chief Pilot bound for Singapore, to be posted in Melbourne” but posted instead at Singapore (Feb. 24) franked \$1, forwarded to Batavia (Feb. 26). With newspaper cutting (in Dutch, with translation) about the “Buckeberg” flight and copy page from the Lufthansa archive giving the itinerary of the 22,000km flight by Capt. Kommol, which also tested the reliability of crude oil diesel engines; and a press photo of the aeroplane at Dessau prior to the flight, renamed “Lawrence Hargrave” after a pioneer Australian aviator. A remarkable souvenir cover of the flight and the only item seen. Photo on Page 202. £300-£400
- 1517 ✉ 1937 (April) USA 1c + 1c reply card from New York to Penang, the outward half franked US Air 20c + 50c and carried on the first FAM14 flight from San Francisco to Hong Kong, the attached reply half, reposted from Penang to KLM in Amsterdam franked Straits 25c + 40c, again reposted to New York with Dutch stamps. A colourful round the world card. £100-£150



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Ex1560



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- 1518 ☒ 1937 (April) Brisbane to Cape Town flight by Mrs Bonney, cover flown to Penang with Australia and Queensland stamps cancelled at Brisbane (Apr. 8), reposted from Penang (Apr. 21) to Brisbane with Straits 1c, 2c, 10c and 12c, reverse with flight cachet and Brisbane Paquebot machine (Apr. 26), pilot signed. Very scarce, stated only four covers posted in Straits Settlements and the only Penang item seen by vendor. Photo on Page 202. £250-£300
- 1519 ☒ 1937 (April) Brisbane to Cape Town flight by Mrs Bonney, cover flown to Singapore with Australian and Queensland stamps cancelled at Brisbane (Apr. 8), reposted from Singapore (Apr. 20) to Brisbane, flight cachets on both sides with Brisbane backstamp (May 4), pilot signed. Very scarce, stated only four covers posted in the Straits Settlements. Photo on Page 202. £300-£400
- 1520 ☒ 1937 (June 16) Printed K.L.M. envelope commemorating the introduction of the Douglas DC 3 on the Holland to east Indies service, posted from Singapore to Berne franked 65c. £100-£120
- 1521 ☒ 1938-41 First flight covers comprising 1938 (Apr. 2) Penang to Alor Star and May 2nd Singapore to Ipoh flights by Wearne Bros; 1940 (Apr. 3) Penang to Kota-Bharu and return flight from Kota-Bharu franked Kelantan 2c pair + 4c both with rare Kota Bharu three line datestamp (Proud D10, only recorded date); 1941 (May 10) first Pan Am Singapore Clipper to Manila franked 30c or to San Francisco franked \$1.45, the rate date stamp only used this one flight, a few slight faults. (6). £150-£200
- 1522 ☒ 1938 (Mar. 2) Singapore to England first all-up flight at the 8c rate, cover (Raffles Hotel notepaper enclosed) addressed to Imperial pilot Capt. E.J. Finnegan at Karachi, with Calcutta & Karachi backstamps, a scarce intermediate stage flight. £80-£100
- 1523 ☒ 1938 (Mar. 2) Singapore to England first all-up flight at the 8c rate, cover to Capt. "E. J. Finnegan c/o Imperial Airways Bahrein, Bahrein Island, Persian Gulf", with Calcutta c.d.s. and Imperial Airways Bahrain cachet, endorsed "Returned addressee not here" and returned on IE 640 with Singapore arrival c.d.s (Apr. 8), finally forwarded to London. A rare intermediate stage flight. £150-£200
- 1524 ☒ 1946 (Mar./Apr.) Lord Louis & Lady Edwina Mountbatten S.E.A.C. Goodwill Tour, cover with Australia 2.1/2d cancelled at Stanmore, N.S.W. (Mar. 30) and New Zealand 1d and 2d cancelled at Ohakea Air Force (Apr. 1) or Whengarai Air Force (Apr. 9), red oval "AIR C.S.E.A. / COMM. SQUADRON" with manuscript "10 April '46 SINGAPORE". Rare, just six covers flown. AAMC1035B. Photo on Page 202. £250-£300

MALTA

(Also see lot 1472)

- 1525 ○ 1860-2007 Used collection in two Davo albums including 1860 ½d buff no watermark on blued paper, 1863-84 ½d (3), all 1885-1914 and 1921-2003 issues, both 1922-26 £1 stamps, a few dubious cancels otherwise very and virtually complete. S.G. £6,500 (approx). (2 Albums). Photo on Page 212. £800-1,000
- 1526 ★ 1919 10/- Black, watermark Multiple Crown CA, fine mint, scarce. S.G. 96, £3,250. Photo on Page 212. £700-800
- 1527 ☒ c.1917 Stampless P.O.W lettersheets from a Turkish P.O.W in Polverista Camp to Stamboul, all with violet oval "FREE FROM PRISONER OF WAR / P.C" and a Turkish censor. (4). £100-120

MAURITIUS

- 1528 ○ 1903 Express Delivery 15c on 15c, surcharge type E3, variety surcharge inverted, used, fine and scarce. S.G. E3a, £850. Photo on Page 212. £150-180

MEXICO

- 1529 ☒ 1899 1c - 5p Set of ten handstamped "MUESTRA" type 1 in black, fine mint. (10). £100-120



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Ex 496

- 1530 © 1900 1c - 5p Independence set of eleven handstamped 23x1½mm “MUESTRA”, fine mint. (11). £100-120

MONTSERRAT

- 1531 ○ **G.B Used in Montserrat.** 1856 6d lilac cancelled “A08”, one pulled perf at right, otherwise fine and scarce. S.G. Z3, £750. Photo on Page 184. £120-150
- 1532 ★ 1876 Unissued 6d blue-green, stamp 7/1 superb mint, scarce so fine. S.G. 3, £1,500. Photo on Page 184. £300-400
- 1533 ★ ○ 1876-1932 Mint and used collection including 1876-85 QV issues complete mint (with additional 1880 2½d and 4d) and used, 1884-85 Crown CA with the scarce 4d blue mint and used and 2½d red-brown mint, also 1d reversed watermark variety inverted “S” used (minor toning), 1903 Specimen set, all KEVII sets mint, 1914 5/- mint, 1916-22 and 1932 sets used, 1922-29 set mint. S.G. 1/93, £8,000 (approx). (150). Photo on Page 184. £700-800
- 1534 ☒ △ **Bisects.** 1883-84 Covers (2) and pieces (8), the two covers to Dominica both with vertically bisected 1d with bogus “½” surcharge subsequently applied in Dominica; pieces bearing two 1d stamps and a bisected 1d to pay the 2½d rate (4 pieces), two 1d bisects, a single 1d bisect (2 pieces), a 1d bisect and one quarter of a 6d. An interesting group. (10). Photo on Page 184. £300-350
- 1535 ○ ☒ **Leeward Islands used in Montserrat.** 1890-1902 QV Stamps including 1890 ½d - 1/-, 1897 Sexagenary ½d - 2½d, 6d and 7d, and the three 1902 1d surcharges used on cover. S.G. £800 as basic stamps. (27 + cover). £100-120
- 1536 ☒ △ **Covers & Cancellations.** QV-KGV Covers and cards (7) and stamps or pieces (65) including 1908 ½d newspaper wrapper to Ireland unusually cancelled by Official Paid c.d.s, 1904 local registered cover franked ½d + 1d + 3d with violet straight line “REGISTERED”, 1d on piece cancelled “ST. JOHN N.B / SHIP LETTER”, also village datestamps, Paquebot, ship or overseas cancels. (72). £150-180
- 1537 ★ ○ **Revenues & Cinderellas.** QV Revenues comprising c.1866-81 1d red mint (4), used with “A08” or c.d.s cancel (3), and revenue use (3), 1887 1d lilac mint and used, and Leeward Islands QV 2/- Fees stamp used in Montserrat. Also WWI French Red Cross 1d + 1d labels imperf or perforated. (15). Photo on Page 178. £100-120

MOROCCO AGENCIES

(Also see lot 1480)

- 1538 © 1898 and 1903 5c - 2p Sets of eight applied by part own gum to an archival piece from the Royal Swedish General Post Office Specimen collection, the 1903 KEVII set with Specimen overprints. S.G. £335 as stamps. (16). £140-160
- 1539 ★ [B] 1907-37 Overprints and surcharges on G.B KEVII and KGV issues, the mint and used accumulation including blocks, with British Currency KEVII 4d orange block of nine mint, 2/6 Specimen, mint and used, KGV 1914-31 2/6 mint (2), 5/- Specimen; Spanish Currency KEVII 5c on ½d block of forty, 15c on 1½d blocks of forty, thirty and twenty all mint, 3p on 2/6 mint single and block of four and used (3), 12p on 10/- mint (2) and used (3), KGV De la Rue 12p on 10/- mint single and block of four; French Currency high values. Also Kuwait and Bahrain KGVI 10r on 10/- surcharges unmounted. S.G. £4,000 (approx). £400-500
- 1540 © [B] 1914 2/6 Sepia-brown, Waterlow printing, unmounted mint block of eight (2 x 4) with margin at left, each overprinted “SPECIMEN” type GB26, the left margin endorsed “Deld 11/6/14 Wt. 7”. A unique Specimen block, from the British Postal Museum Archive. Photo on Page 204. £1,200-1,500

NETHERLANDS & COLONIES

(Also see lots 452, 1630)

- 1541 ○ ★ 1852-2002 Mainly used collection in three Davo albums, including 1852 and 1864 6c - 15c, 1867 set, 1881-98 set, 1898 1g, 1905 10g, 1913 Centenary set, both 1920 2.50 surcharges, 1921 Marine Insurance set mint, 1923 Queens Jubilee set, 1924 Hague Philatelic Exhibition 10c - 35c mint and used, 1924-26 interrupted perfs set mint, postage dues, telegraphs, 1916 Internee labels mint (2 types), 1884 Money Order set, some additional sets, miniature sheets and booklets mint. Fine quality, largely complete. S.G. £8,000+. (3 Albums). Photo on Page 178. £500-600
- 1542 ☒ **Air Mails.** 1923-40 Covers and cards from Holland (8) or the Dutch East Indies (14) including 1928 Soerabaja to Den Haag pilot signed, 1924 commercial picture postcard from Amsterdam to Stockholm, also a KLM postcard of J.B Scholte, and 1940 first KLM flight cover from Amsterdam to Shanghai. (24). £150-180
- 1543 ⑤ **Curacao.** 1873-1902 Postage and postage due issues, all stamps applied by own part gum to both sides of a printed album page from the Royal Swedish General Post Office Specimen collection, including 1889 15c - 1.50g, 1889 1c - 5c set of five, 1892-93 12½c, 15c and 25c, 1889 2½c - 50c postage due set of ten (15c type I, 10c, 50c type II, others type III), 1892 12½c and 25c postage dues all handstamped or overprinted "SPECIMEN", the other stamps unoverprinted, very fine. (48). £480-550
- 1544 ⑤ **Netherlands Indies.** 1870-1904 Postage and postage due issues, applied by own part gum to two archive pages from the Royal Swedish General Post Office Specimen collection, including 1883-88 1c, 12½c and 30c, 1887 5c, 1882 30c and 50c postage dues handstamped "SPECIMEN", the others unoverprinted, very fine. (46). £200-240
- 1545 ⑥ **Netherlands Indies.** 1892 Queen Wilhelmina 2g.50, imperforate proofs in various unissued colour combinations on thin paper, fine and unusual. (17). Photo on Page 184. £100-150
- 1546 ⑤ **Netherlands Indies.** 1923 Queen Wilhelmina Silver Jubilee 5c - 5g set of seven each in a vertical strip of three, affixed to part archival page from the Madagascar Post Office Specimen collection, each handstamped red circular "POSTES ET TELEGRAPHES / COLLECTION / DE / BERNE / MADAGASCAR", unique and attractive. (7 strips). £350-400
- 1547 ☒ △ **Netherlands Indies - Meters.** 1929-42 Covers (37) and fronts (7) with meter marks, various types, towns and company adverts, wartime airmails and censors. (44). £80-100
- 1548 ⑤ **Surinam.** 1873-1900 Postage and postage due issues, all stamps applied to both sides of a printed album page from the Royal Swedish General Post Office Specimen collection, including 1889 15c, 20c, 30c, 40c and 1g, 1886 postage due 30c and 40c all handstamped "SPECIMEN", the others unoverprinted, very fine. (56). £300-350

NEW GUINEA

- 1549 ○ **Queensland Used in New Guinea.** 1882-91 2d and 6d, and 1897 1d pair all cancelled "BNG", and 1897 1d cancelled by Port Moresby datestamp. (5). Photo on Page 184. £150-180
- 1550 ☒ 1915 (Jan. 4) Cover bearing G.R.I 8d on 80pf, second setting (G.R.I 5mm from value) cancelled violet oval "RABAU / NEW BRITAIN" datestamp (first day of use of this cancel), addressed to "Pvte Harry Lynch, Rabaul" and redirected to "KA EW, A COY". The envelope toned at left, not affecting the stamp or cancel, an uncommon stamp on cover. S.G. 26, £600 as a stamp. Photo on Page 202. £150-200
- 1551 ★ 1915 Registration labels surcharged G.R.I 3d, Herbertshohe (Deutsch Neu-Guinea) mint (transparent backing paper on reverse, one pulled perf), and Rabaul (Deutsch-Neuguinea) unused without gum. S.G. 33d, 36e, £925. (2). Photo on Page 184. £100-120

NEW ZEALAND

(Also see lots 453, 1524)

- 1552 ☒ ○ **Cancellations.** QV-QEII Covers and cards (87), stamps and pieces (c.120) including 1867 cover from Dunedin to Ireland “via Panama” franked 6d, T.P.Os, islands, registration, parcel post, etc. (200+). £120-150

NICARAGUA

- 1553 © 1940 Visit of President Sanozo to USA air set of twelve, and Pan-American Union Anniversary air mail 1.25c, all in vertical strips of three, affixed to two archival pieces from the Mauritania Post Office Specimen collection, all handstamped violet “SPECIMEN / COLLECTION / MAURITANIE”, unique. (13 strips).
£200-240

NIGERIA

(Also see lot 1513)

- 1554 © **Lagos.** 1886-1902 Stamps affixed by own part gum to a printed album page from the Royal Swedish General Post Office Specimen collection, comprising 1886 2/6, 5/- and 10/-, 1887-91 2d - 10/- set of ten (faults to 1/-) and 1904 KEVII ½d - 10/- set of ten all overprinted Specimen, also 1893 ½d on 4d. S.G. £1,050 as stamps. (26).
£350-400
- 1555 © **Niger Coast.** 1894 5/- Imperforate colour trial in lake on thin paper, no gum, fine and scarce. Photo on Page 154.
£150-200

NORTH BORNEO

(Also see lot 1489)

- 1556 ☒ 1929 (Apr. 2) Cover from Jesselton to F.J. Field in England franked 2c + 12c, intended to go by air from Marseille to London, the air inscription deleted, “Cancelled” written across the blue Air Mail label and endorsed “Forwarded by Ordinary Mail” all in red ink, with violet “Superintendent of Mails, Penang” chop below, Penang backstamp (Apr. 10). Unusual.
£100-£120

NORWAY

- 1557 ○ ★ 1855-2015 Used collection in three Davo albums including 1863-66 set, 1882-93 large die Posthorn set, 1907-10 die A and die B 1kr - 2kr sets of three, 1941 Posthorn watermark 50øre with “V” overprint, also mint miniature sheets. Fine quality, largely complete. S.G. £3,000 (approx).
£250-300

NYASALAND

(Also see lots 1475, 1498, 1597)

- 1558 © 1896 Crown CA 2d, 4d, 6d and 1/- overprinted “SPECIMEN”, additionally handstamped circular “POSTES / CORREOS” presumably applied by the receiving postal authority, 2d with small thin at top, otherwise fine and unusual, the first example of this circular handstamp we have seen. S.G. 33/6s. (4). Photo on Page 184.
£120-150
- 1559 ★ 1898 (June) 1d Cheque stamp setting II, perf 12, reverse with “X/A” control, further control “1” at left 12mm below the “X/A” control with partial “V” control at right 16mm below the “X/A” control, unused without gum, margin at top, horizontal crease but a scarce and interesting stamp. S.G. 57, £6,500. Photo on Page 188.
£500-600



Ex 719



Ex 1573



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- 1560 ☒ 1903-04 Covers from Scotland franked 2½d, both to “The Revd the Padre, Universities Mission, Kota Kota, Tanga, German East Africa”, both with “Tanga” crossed out, one endorsed “via Chinde”, the other “via Durban” and “Lake Nyassa B.C.A via Salisbury”. Both covers backstamped at Tanga, Chinde, Fort Johnston and Kota Kota (squared circle), the first also backstamped at Dar-es-Salaam, the second also backstamped at Durban, Kimberley, Salisbury, Beira and Chiromo. (2). Photo on Page 202. £150-200

PAKISTAN

- 1561 ★ ○ 1947-67 Mint and used collection in an album including 1947 set, 1948-57 set with some perf varieties, 1961 overprinted and handstamped decimal surcharges with varieties, 1963-79 set with various watermarks, etc. S.G. £1,300+. (100s). £150-180
- 1562 △ **Dubai.** 1948 (Jan. 4) Piece bearing ½a vertical pair cancelled by Dubai c.d.s, fine. Pakistan stamps only used in Dubai from October 1947 until March 1948. £80-100
- 1563 **Bahawalpur.** 1935 King George V Silver Jubilee, sheet of four labels issued by Bahawalpur State, depicting King George V and the ruler of Bahawalpur, no gum, unusual. £80-100
- 1564 © **Bahawalpur.** 1949 U.P.U Anniversary, postage and official sets of four all overprinted “SPECIMEN” with a 4mm punch hole, no gum, fine and unusual. (8). Photo on Page 154. £120-150

PALESTINE

(Also see lots 1482, 1494)

- 1565 ☒ 1919-27 Covers and cards including 1918 1m-20p set used on two registered covers (one to 49 Balloon Section, R.A.F, E.E.F), 1921 “Central Committee Knesseth-Israel Jerusalem Palestine” cover franked 2m with red “JERUSALEM / PAID 3 MILLS” skeleton (file holes, faults), etc. (9). £100-120

PARAGUAY

- 1566 © 1940 Second Buenos Aires Peace Conference 50c - 100p set of eight all in strips of three, affixed to three archival pieces from the Mauritania Post Office Specimen collection, all overprinted “MUESTRA” by Waterlow & Sons and handstamped violet “SPECIMEN COLLECTION / MAURITANIE” upon receipt, unique. (8 strips). £200-240

PERSIA

(Also see lots 861, 888)

- 1567 © 1875-1903 Postage and official issues affixed to five pages from the Royal Swedish General Post Office Specimen collection, 1875-78 imperf issues mostly reprints, 1894 16c and 5k - 50k with a horizontal ink line applied prior to distribution by the U.P.U, various surcharges and overprints, an unusual group. (135 stamps). £500-600
- 1568 © 1899 1c - 50k Set of sixteen with violet control handstamps, all in strips of five as distributed as specimens by the U.P.U, each handstamped “ULTRAMAR”, applied in Lisbon before being sent to one of the Portuguese Colonies. The 2k and 3k strips with some perf separation and one 50k stamp detached, one 2k stamp torn and repaired, some toning to the 1k - 4k strips, otherwise fine and very scarce in strips. (16 strips). Photo on Page 154. £850-1,000
- 1569 © 1917 Surcharge set of eleven in vertical or horizontal strips of three, affixed to two archival pieces from the Mauritania Post Office Specimen collection, all handstamped violet “SPECIMEN / COLLECTION / MAURITANIE”, unique. (11 strips). £500-600

- 1570 (S) 1921 Coronation 3c - 5t set of eleven in horizontal strips of three (the 5t in pair + single), all handstamped 18 x 2½mm "SPECIMEN" prior to sending to the U.P.U, affixed to a part archival page from the Mauritania Post Office Specimen collection, with violet "SPECIMEN / COLLECTION / MAURITANIE" handstamps. Unique. (33 stamps). Photo on Page 208. £900-1,100

PERU

- 1571 (S) 1937-38 Issues handstamped "MUESTRA" type 1, comprising 1937 postage and air set of nineteen in new colours (also additional marginal 1.50s orange with handstamp in the margin and on the stamp), 1937 Inter-American Technical Conference air set of four, 1938 Eighth Pan-American Conference postage and air set of six, all fine mint. The only Peru stamps to be overprinted Muestra prior to sending to the U.P.U. (30). Photo on Page 178. £300-350
- 1572 ★ **Pacific Steam Navigation Co.** 1857-86 Mint stamps well written up on two pages, comprising 1857 1r blue mint or unused without gum and 2r brown-red unused without gum, all four margins, the 2r close but clear at left; reprints of the 1r yellow, 2r blue and 2r brown; and 1886 20c, 80c and 1s freight stamps mint, the 20c and 80c with minor faults but scarce; also the 1928 monograph on the subject by E.D Bacon. A good lot, the 1857 1r mint and 2r with R.P.S Certificates (2017). S.G. £5,300 (for the three 1857 stamps). (9 + booklet). Photo on Pages 178 & 184. £1,400-1,600

POLAND

- 1573 (P) (B) **German Occupation.** 1944 2z Deep green (Cracow Barbican), 4z slate-violet (Tyniec Monastery) and 6z agate (Lwow) each in imperforate proof block of ten, all lower marginal with printers imprint, on yellowish ungummed paper, a few very minor marginal creases, otherwise fine and very scarce. (30). Photo on Page 208. £700-900

PORTUGAL & COLONIES

(Also see lots 247, 454, 871, 876, 886)

- 1574 (X) 1787-1816 Entire letters between G.B and Portugal or Spain showing the mail routings during the Napoleonic period, with 1787 letter from Lisbon sent overland with "D'ESPAGNE" handstamp, 1808-12 letters sent by Falmouth Packets to Lisbon (2), Corunna (2) or Cadiz, 1814 letter to Lisbon sent via Bilbao with oval "HESPAÑA", 1814 letter from Cuba to London privately carried to Lisbon with British Packet Agency handstamp and forwarding agent endorsement, 1815 letter by packet from Corunna (during 100 days war) and 1815 letters sent via France (3), also three later letters. (15). £240-300
- 1575 (X) **Angola.** 1891 Cover to Germany endorsed "pelo mocambique", franked 1886 perf 12½ 50r tied by an oval datestamp, arrival backstamps. £100-120
- 1576 (X) **Azores - "Tin Can" Mail.** 1902-09 Picture postcards (20) and covers (3) from Norddeutscher Lloyd ships all sent ashore in the Azores, mails and money for postage being lowered in a sealed metal ball to a local whale boat and rowed to Velas where the mails were dealt with by the NDL agent. All franked by Angra stamps cancelled at Velas (20) or Angra do Heroismo (3), the seven 1902-04 items handstamped "Forwarded by / John C. Lacerda / Agent for the Norddeutscher / Lloyd, of Bremen, at / Vellas - S. Jorge - Azores" in violet (6) or red. Also picture postcards showing a mail cask being lowered to the whale boat (3) or the boat returning to shore with the mail (2), and associated postcards (8). An interesting and rare group, one 1902 card inscribed by the sender "By Bottle Post from the Azores Islands". (36). £600-700
- 1577 (S) **Cape Verde.** 1986 Set of three souvenir sheets each containing four 50\$ stamps in differing colours, each stamp with "SPECIMEN" overprint, the first stamps since 1961 to be sent to the U.P.U with Specimen overprints and the last stamps of any country to be so distributed. After lengthy correspondence the ordinary stamps were returned by the U.P.U to the printers in Vienna in return for ordinary mint stamps, but the Specimen overprint souvenir sheets were distributed to member countries in May 1986. Very unusual. (3). £240-280

- 1578 (P) (B) **Cape Verde.** 1925 Postage Due/Charity Tax proofs, imperforate blocks of fifteen of the Pombal Monument or Planning of Reconstruction of Lisbon designs in violet on wove paper, each block with two or three proofs with the country name “CABO VERDE” and “30c MULTA” postage due overprint, the remaining proofs without overprint or country name, each proof with two punch holes, one block endorsed in the sheet margin “Overprinting correct, letter spacing as marked, 1/3/25” and initialled. Also other imperforate proofs without country name in violet (3) or orange (2, as used for Macau), perforated Cape Verde stamps in violet (4), and Macau imperforate orange proof pair (Planning Reconstruction of Lisbon) with 4A Multa overprint, all with two punch holes. (41). £150-180
- 1579 (X) **Mozambique.** 1922-43 Covers comprising 1922 cover from Switzerland to Quelimane redirected to Chinde franked 40c (including 5c on 2c with misplaced surcharge); 1928 registered cover from Chinde to Geneva franked 2c, 6c, 80c + 2E with a 40c stamp under the 2E stamp; 1935 Beira to Blantyre first flight cover; and 1943 Paris Philatelic Exhibition flight cover to Mozambique. (4). £120-150

Nyassa Company

c.1894 Rook Issue

- 1580 ★ (B) 10r, 20r and 50r Set of three in imperf and perforated singles and blocks of four; 5r on 10r, 75r on 20r and 100r on 50r “Provisorio” surcharge set of three in imperf and perforated singles and blocks of four (imperf 100r on 50r a marginal pair), all fine mint. These stamps were printed in London for the Nyassa Co., and sold at their London office, but the Portuguese Govt. refused to authorise their use in the Nyassa Co. territories. An uncommon group, ex Dahl. (58). £300-350
- 1581 ★ (B) Mint selection comprising imperf 10r (10), 20r (13), 50r (13), perforated 10r (8), 20r (22), 50r (29), 5r on 10r imperf (13) and perforated (19), 75r on 20r imperf (2) and perforated, 100r on 50r imperf (2) and perforated. A fine lot with blocks of four or larger of all the unoverprinted stamps and the 5r perforated and imperf surcharges. An uncommon group. (133). £500-600
- 1582 ★ (B) 10r Imperforate and perforated sheets of 100, the imperf sheet with minor creasing, otherwise fine. (2 sheets). £200-250

1901 Pictorial Issue and 1903-10 Surcharges

- 1583 (X) 1902 (May 8) Cover from Porto Amelia to Germany bearing 5r (3), 10r (3) and 15r (3), backstamped at Ibo, the French Post Office in Zanzibar and upon arrival at Kenzingen, a scarce early cover. £160-180
- 1584 ★ (B) 1903-10 Surcharges and overprints, mint selection including 130r on 300r London surcharge variety “PEIS”, 15r “PROVISORIO” overprint block of twelve, and all five local surcharges or overprints, the very scarce 15r and 25r vertical “PROVISORIO” overprints with Mota or Washburne Certificates (25r with small thin at left). S.G. 40/51. (31). Photo on Page 212. £150-180
- 1585 ★ (B) 1910 5r on 2½r and 50r on 100r both in complete mint sheets of fifty, the 5r sheet with Inexpip Certificate. S.G. 50/1. (2 sheets). £100-120
- 1586 (X) 1905 (Jan. 31) Picture postcard to Germany with 25r “PROVISORIO” overprint cancelled at Ibo, Dar-es-Salaam and Hamburg transit and arrival datestamps. A scarce commercial use. Photo on Page 202. £160-180

1911 King Manuel II “Republica” Overprint Issue

- 1587 ★ (B) 2r - 500r Mint with shades and multiples including 2½r, 5r, 10r and 50r blocks of fifteen, 10r, 25r, 300r blocks of twenty five, 10r sheet of fifty, also 20r on postcard (stained) and two 1912 picture postcards of Porto Amelia or Fort Vasco de Gama with 10r, 25r, 200r, 400r or 5r, 50r, 100r, 500r on the picture side C.T.O with Deutsche Seepost datestamps of S.S “Kaiser”. (330 + 3 cards). £200-250



Ex 1397

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Ex 1411



Ex 1525



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Ex 1584



Ex 1609



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Ex 1591



Ex 1608



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Ex 1721

- 1588 ☒ 1913 (Apr. 14) 10r Mozambique postcard overprinted “NYASSA” and “Republica”, registered to Prague franked 10r + 25r pair all cancelled at Ibo, bearing a blue Ibo registration label, Prague arrival c.d.s, with the Certificate of Posting (torn). Philatelic (no message) but still a very unusual and scarce franking with the original C.O.P. Photo on Page 202. £150-180
- 1589 ☒ 1913 10r Mozambique postcards overprinted “NYASSA” and “Republica”, posted from Porto Amelia (June 11) franked 20r, or from Palma (Sep. 12) franked 50r, both to Germany, probably philatelic but still unusual and scarce. (2). £200-250
- 1590 ☒ 1919-22 Card and cover sent after the introduction of the new currency, comprising 1919 (July 16) 20r Mozambique card overprinted “NYASSA” and “Republica”, sent from Ibo to Paris franked 10r, minor creasing and two small repaired tears; and 1922 (Jan. 3) registered cover from Palma to Germany franked 2½r (2) + 10r (3) + 100r with a Palma registration label, Mocimboa, Beira and London transit datestamps, minor soiling, the front and reverse of the cover separated. Two scarce commercial uses from smaller offices. (2). £200-250

1918-21 New Currency Surcharges

- 1591 ★ ☐ 1918 ¼c - 1E Mint set of eighteen with “Republica” overprint in black (the scarce ¼c without gum, 1c with a few toned perfs), also a few additional stamps and surcharge varieties with 2c on 20r surcharge double, 2c on 20r, 10c on 100r and 7½c on 75r block of four all surcharge inverted (these four all with Mota Certificates), 50c on 115r on 150r with double bar obliterating the 115r surcharge. A scarce group, the varieties all unlisted by Gibbons, inverted surcharges listed by Afinsa on the 7½c value only. (36). Photo on Page 212. £300-400
- 1592 ★ ☐ 1921 Lisbon surcharges, mint set of twelve and varieties comprising ½c on 2½r error of value (unlisted by S.G., Afinsa 82, €550), 2c on 20r double surcharge (virtually torn in two), inverted surcharges comprising ½c on 5r, 1c on 10r (7, with pair and block of four), 1½c on 300r (6, pair + block of four, one thinned), 3c on 400r, 12c on 500r (5, single + block of four), 20c on 200r. Also London surcharges set of twelve and 10c on 100r sheet of fifty. A good lot, the ½c on 2½r error and 2c double surcharge both with Mota Certificates. (100). Photo on Page 154. £250-300

1921 Pictorial Issue

- 1593 ☒ 1923-28 Picture postcards with stamps cancelled at Porto Amelia, one card to Austria franked 1c, 1½c, 20c on the picture side and 2c, 7½c on the reverse, the other cards with a single stamp or two stamps placed on the picture side, including a real photo card of Zebras bearing the 1E Zebra stamp, these four card all addressed to Europe but probably cancelled to order. (5). £100-120
- 1594 ☒ 1924-28 Covers from Ibo to Germany franked 10c pair, 40c and 1E; Palma to Germany with 17 stamps totalling 1E.60, nine of these stamps on the reverse, two tied by Porto Amelia transit c.d.s with the other seven heavily cancelled in pencil; and three covers from Porto Amelia, to USA franked 1c, 5c, 50c, to London franked 20c, 40c, 1E or to Lisbon franked 30c and 50c, all five commercial. (5). £160-200

RHODESIA

(Also see lots 1476/7, 1497)

- 1595 ⑤ 1896-1901 Issues affixed with part own gum to both sides of a printed album page from the Royal Swedish General Post Office Specimen collection, comprising 1896-97 die I 3d, 8d - 4/-, die II ½d - 10/- set of nine, 1897 ½d - 8d, 1898 ½d - 1/- and 1901 £1, the 1898 2½d and 1901 £1 perfined “SPECIMEN”. (30). £120-140
- 1596 1914 (Nov. 1) Memos sent between Nolanga and the British South Africa Police in Victoria, regarding an alleged party of armed Boers seen on the right bank of the Lundi, and whether Nolanga should be defended if attacked. (2 pages). £100-120

- 1597 ☒ **Rhodesia - Nyasaland Field Force.** 1916 (Dec. 21) Stampless cover with enclosed letter, from Acting Capt. James H.L. Vaughan, British South Africa Police, to his wife in Portugal, with “F.P.O / 1” c.d.s used at Old Njombe, censored, delivered without charge. The enclosed letter, headed “B.S.A Police, c/o Army Post Office, Broken Hill” (suggesting mail for the Rhodesia Column was still being forwarded via A.P.O 1 in Broken Hill) includes “Our aeroplane has just arrived, tremendous excitement, especially amongst the native troops as they have never seen one before, as a matter of fact many of my men have not either. Just as he passed over our camp he looped the loop, excitement was intense then, natives could not understand it. They say a bird can’t do it, how then can a white man”. An interesting letter, to an unusual destination. £200-250

Air Mails

- 1598 ☒ **1926 Alan Cobham London to Cape Town Survey Flight.** 1926 Cover to London, endorsed by the Flight Engineer Arthur Elliott “London to Cape flight, Bulawayo 31.1.26” and signed A.B Elliott, hand carried by Elliott from London to Bulawayo and posted upon arrival, franked 2d cancelled by Bulawayo c.d.s (Feb. 1). Six covers were carried by Elliott and posted back to George Mason from stops en route, in Sudan, Northern Rhodesia (2, Ndola and Broken Hill), Southern Rhodesia (Bulawayo) and South Africa (2). A unique cover from this important pioneer flight and the first cover to be flown by air in Southern Rhodesia. Photo on Page 216. £2,400-2,800
- 1599 ☒ **1926 Alan Cobham Cape Town to London Return Survey flight.** 1926 (Feb. 5) Long stampless cover addressed to London, inscribed “Rhodesia to London by Air, Alan Cobham & A.B Elliot, February 1926”, with a Salisbury c.d.s, sent under cover to Arthur Elliott in Cape Town and carried by Elliott on the return flight to London, with an enclosed letter from H.M Barbour in Salisbury concerning this cover, and another cover to Barbour which was carried by Elliott on the outward flight from London and posted at Bulawayo, subsequently displayed in the window of H.M Barbour’s shop in Salisbury (also a news cutting from a local Salisbury newspaper about this cover). The cover is endorsed with the places and dates of stops made on the flight, and has dated cachets of hotels stayed at in Assouan, Athens and Pisa, signed by Alan J. Cobham and Arthur B. Elliott (and one other), inscribed “Received at Croydon Aerodrome Sat. Mar 13th, S.L. Elliott”. An exceptional Rhodesia cover from this important pioneer flight, just one other similar cover (without contents) recorded. Photo on Inside Back Cover. £2,400-2,800
- 1600 ☒ 1927 (Dec. 23) Cover with a printed heading “RHODESIAN AVIATION SYNDICATE” and a picture of a biplane, posted within Bulawayo franked 1d, addressed to F. Issels, Chairman, The Rhodesian Aviation Co Ltd. Also a printed Prospectus for establishing a limited company, The Rhodesian Aviation Co. Ltd., which was to acquire the Rhodesian Aviation Syndicate; the share capital of £10,000 was not raised by the end of January 1928, and the limited company did not materialise for another two years. A unique advertising envelope from one of the earliest aviation companies in Southern Rhodesia; the accompanying prospectus showed it owned just two aeroplanes (one in transit from London) and had a single pilot. (Cover + Prospectus). Photo on Page 216. £700-800

Revenues

- 1601 1895-1903 Legal documents comprising Deeds of Transfer (21), Mortgages (4) and prenuptial marriage agreements (2), also receipts (2), all bearing 1892-93 issue stamps, with 6d (3), 1/- (19), 2/- (2), 2/6 (4), 5/- (10), 10/- (48), £1 (15), £2 (9) and £5 (2), a few also with later issue stamps including 1896 BSAC overprint 1/-, 1896-97 6d (2), 1/- (3), 3/-, 5/- (2), 10/-, 1897 £1 and 1898-1908 £1. (29 documents). £350-400
- 1602 1897-1965 Legal documents, mainly Deeds of Transfer, Powers of Attorney and Mortgages, various stamps including 1896-97 6d (2), 1/- (6), 2/6, 3/- (3), 4/- (2), 5/- (3), 10/- (9), 1897 6d (2) and £1 (3), 1898-1908 1/- and £1 (2), 1909 £1, Southern Rhodesia revenues comprising 1924 £1, (3), 1931 £2 (2), 1937 3/-, 10/-, £1, £2, £10, £20, 1954 5/-, 10/-, £2, £5 (2), £10 (5), also revenue stamps of Cape Colony, Transvaal, O.F.S, South Africa, one Cape 1/- revenue applied at Vryburg, Bechuanaland in 1897. (40 documents). £300-400

ROMANIA

- 1603 (S) ☒ 1885 5b and 10b Postcards handstamped “SPECIMEN” type 1, unusual. (2). £100-120
- 1604 (S) 1940-41 Sets all in strips of three, comprising 1940 King Michael definitives and Aviation fund issue (the sixteen original values issued in 1940), 1941 Carol I Endowment fund set of five, Cernauti and Chisinau occupation overprint sets of five, Red Cross fund set of five, and Anti-Bolshevik Crusade set of four, affixed to seven archival pieces from the Mauritania Post Office Specimen collection all handstamped violet “SPECIMEN / COLLECTION / MAURITANIE”, a fine and unique group. (42 strips). £800-1,000

RUSSIA

- 1605 ★ ☒ **Batum.** 1920 (June) 1r - 50r Set of nine overprinted “British Occupation” in mint multiples, all containing the variety “BPITISH” (position 1/19), the 7r within a pair, the 1r, 2r, 5r and 15r within blocks of four, the 3r, 10r, 25r and 50r within strips of three. The 7r with heavy crease, 15r a little stained, 2r with minor gum stain, otherwise fine and a scarce set in multiples, just 175 possible examples on the 50r and no more than 660 examples on any value above the 1r. S.G. £1,450+. (30). Photo on Page 178. £200-250
- 1606 ★ ○ **Ukraine.** 1918 Trident overprint issues on Russia, the mint and used accumulation in a stockbook and on stockcards, many types, some probably forgeries. (c.800). £100-150
- 1607 ★ ○ **Post Offices Abroad.** 1863-1913 Mint and used collection in an album including 1863 6k on medium paper unused, 1865 ROPIT first issue 10pa and 2pi mint (10pa with Mikulishi certificate), 1865-67 second and third ROPIT issues (11), 1872-90 vertically laid paper 10k mint, 1876-79 surcharges (4), covers (4) including 1909 ROPIT anniversary 70pi on registered cover from Constantinople, etc. Also 1920-21 Wrangel Refugee Post issues with a cover from Constantinople, 1918 Polish Corps in Russia (4, with 3k, 25k) used on pieces, 1919-21 Polish P.O in Constantinople with 1920 15f postcard used, Polish L.O.P.P air post stamps, etc. (c.400). Photo on Page 184. £200-250
- 1608 (S) **Post Offices in Turkish Empire.** 1900-10 Surcharge issue, the 35pi and 70pi with cyrillic Specimen handstamps type 1 in pale greenish-blue, fine mint; and the 4pa - 70pi set of thirteen on archival pieces, the 35pi and 70pi with the cyrillic Specimen handstamp, all additionally handstamped violet “ULTRAMAR”, applied in Lisbon to U.P.U Specimens received for distribution to the Portuguese Colonies, the 10pa on 2k and 7pi on 70k with faults, otherwise fine and scarce. (15). Photo on Page 212. £350-400

ST. HELENA

(Also see lot 484)

- 1609 ★ 1864-1937 Mainly mint collection on pages with 1864-80 Crown CC issues (13, S.G. 6, 14, 17, 24, 30 mint, others without gum, also two Specimens), 1884-94 Crown CA issues mint (14), 1890-97 set, 1903 set, 1908-11 set of four, 1922-37 set of twenty (no 15/-) with additional 1½d shade and unmounted 4d with broken mainmast variety. S.G. 6/113, £2,700. (97). Photo on Page 212. £350-400
- 1610 (S) 1887-97 Issues overprinted “SPECIMEN”, comprising 1887-93 2½d, 3d, 4d and 6d, and 1890-97 ½d - 10d set of seven, all affixed with part own gum to a printed album page from the Royal Swedish General Post Office Specimen collection. S.G. £550 as stamps. (11). £200-240
- 1611 (S) 1911 KEVII 1d Red, prepared for use but not issued, with violet “SPECIMEN” handstamp type SH2 applied in St. Helena, fine mint. This stamp was printed in this large format in error, due to a misunderstanding in the order sent to De la Rue. Upon receipt in St. Helena the stamps were destroyed, a few copies however receiving this specimen handstamp, probably used in presentation sets. Very scarce, with B.P.A Certificate (2019). Photo on Page 212. £480-550
- 1612 (S) 1949 U.P.U Anniversary set of four handstamped “SPECIMEN” in black (3d), red (4d, 1/-) or blue (6d), by an unidentified postal authority, fine mint, probably unique. (4). Photo on Page 100. £120-140



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Prestamp Mail

- 1613  **Slave Trade/Madagascar.** 1717 (Jan. 27) Entire letter from James Hunter, Surgeon on a slave ship returning from Madagascar, written from “St De Lana” to his brother in Leeds, probably carried by an East India Co vessel to London and posted upon arrival with “25/FE” Bishop Mark, charged 4d. The letter includes “We arrived hear from the Cape of Good Hope being obliged by Charter of Party to deliver some of our slaves for ye use of the East India company We left ye Island of Madagascar Decem ye 1st and brought captive from there 386 slaves. We was upon the island above five months before we got fully slaved and in ten weeks after ye date hearof expect to deliver them being our full cargo at Bonis Airs in ye Spanish West Indies I left my good wellwisher and truly no less than experienced surgeon Mr Barcly at Madagascar last August 1716 he was a man in years and being super cargo and our Capts father in law went a grate way up in ye country to accomidate the King of Timmohriff and settle a factory for trade so expostulated himself in his journey fell into delirium”. The East India Co sanctioned the taking of slaves from Madagascar from 1716 to 1721; slaves could be bought for 10/- of goods, the EIC requiring nine slaves to be delivered for every £500 of goods exported to Madagascar. In 1716 two licences were granted, to the vessels “Hamilton” and “Mercury”. Some soiling and splitting of folds, which have been repaired, but a historic letter with good content on the slave trade, only one earlier letter recorded from St. Helena with postal markings. Photo on Page 216.
£1,500-2,000
- 1614  1794 (May 19/20) Entire letter from James Crichton at St. Helena, addressed to Scotland endorsed “Pr Bombay Castle”, containing two letters for his brother and mother, with London backstamp (July 23) and “LONDON / SHIP-LRE”, charged 1/7. Also a letter of July 1st from St. Helena, no address panel. Crichton was surgeon to the EIC factory in China; he sailed as surgeon on the “Bombay Castle” in a convoy of 16 Indiamen to St. Helena where he left the ship until he could return to China on a store ship. Scarce early letters from St. Helena, the final letter written in July describing various ships that have called at the island, also the attractive young ladies he has met. The address panel with vertical file fold, a little soiled at right, otherwise fine. (2). Photo on Page 216.
£700-1,000
- 1615  1805 (Aug. 31) Entire letter from Thomas Clode, a cadet going to India, addressed to his brother in England, the letter and address panel both dated and inscribed from St. Helena, the reverse endorsed “Forwarded by Body Schou & Co. Agents to Danish EI Compy, Plymouth 9 Nov 1805”, with oval “SHIP-LETTER / (crown) / PLYMOUTH”, charged 3/6. The letter describes the arrival and departure of various Indiamen, naval ships and whalers, this letter despatched on a Danish ship from Mauritius which is departing for Hamburg. A little splitting at folds, otherwise fine, an early and unusual letter carried by a Danish East India Co. vessel. Photo on Page 216.
£600-800
- 1616  1807 (Apr. 26) Entire letter to London, written by Lieut Cadoux, originally enclosing a letter to be forwarded to his father, partial oval “Ship Lre / (crown) / ISLE OF WIGHT”, charged 2/-, fine. Photo on Page 216.
£400-500
- 1617  1814 (Apr. 8) Entire letter to Cape Town endorsed “pr favour Capt John Jansen” with oval “SHIP LETTER / (crown) / CAPE OF GOOD HOPE”, charged “6” altered to “4”. Two tears to upper edge, repaired internally, otherwise fine and very unusual to the Cape of Good Hope. Photo on Page 218.
£350-400
- 1618  1815 (Nov. 25) Letter written and signed by Sir Hudson Lowe, Governor of St. Helena, written in London shortly before his departure for St Helena, addressed to “Mr Triphook, 37 St James’s St”, hand delivered. Lowe had custody of Napoleon whilst Governor from 1815 until 1820.
£100-120
- 1619  1816 (June 26) Entire letter from Camp Deadwood written by Lt.-Col. John Mansel commanding the 2nd Battalion 53rd Foot, one of the regiments sent to the island to guard Napoleon, addressed to his sister in England with oval “Ship Lre / (crown) / EASTBOURNE”, charged 1/6. The letter includes “Bonaparte is very quiet, he seldom shows himself and never comes out of his own grounds. I have not seen him a month. I have not forgotten the commission you gave me to procure some of his own handwriting but hitherto I have been unsuccessful in obtaining it, tho’ Poppleton, the officer in waiting, has promised to get me some ever since I have been in the island”. A fine letter with an uncommon ship letter. Photo on Page 216.
£600-800



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- 1620 ☒ 1816 (June 17) Entire letter written by Susan Lowe, wife of the Governor Sir Hudson Lowe, from Plantation house, addressed to The Countess of Loudoun in Scotland and redirected to Bath, various handstamps and charges. The letter includes "Bonaparte and his family still shun associating with any of the garrison or the inhabitants of St. Helena but he continues to receive morning visits". A fine letter. Photo on Page 218.
£600-800
- 1621 ☒ 1816 (July 27) Entire letter from Lt.-Col. John Mansel to his sister in England with indistinct India Packet Letter London datestamp, charged 4/3. The Postscript reads "I have succeeded in procuring a small scrap of Bonaparte's own hand writing for your disposal which I will bring home". Small hole to the address panel caused by the wax seal of another letter adhering, otherwise fine. Photo on Page 218.
£400-500
- 1622 ☒ **Packet Letter.** 1816 (Aug. 19) Entire letter written by George Dunlop, Surgeon attached to the 2nd Battalion, 66th Foot, which served as part of the guard on Napoleon from 1816 until 1819, from Huts Gate Camp to Dunlop's father in Scotland. The address panel endorsed "Dunlop 66th Regiment", with a fine strike of the oval "ST HELENA / PACKET LETTER" datestamp (Aug. 24), fine "INDIA PACKET LETTER / G.P.O / LONDON" arrival datestamp (Oct. 16), charged 4/8. The letter includes "our camp was removed from Tag Late to Huts Gate last week on account of the badness of the weather. We are within a few yards of General Bertrands house and have frequent opportunities of seeing him. He is much liked in the island and highly esteemed by Napoleon. The ex Emperor still continues to live to himself, no person is admitted to see him; when the weather is better I have no doubt we shall see much more of him. He has I understand expressed a wish to be introduced to all our Officers". Closed tear to the address panel, nevertheless a fine strike of this rare Packet Letter datestamp, just 14 examples recorded between 1816 and 1820 (the Packet operating 1815-19). Photo on Page 218.
£1,200-1,500
- 1623 1817 (June 17 - July 1st) Twelve page letter written by Lord Amherst (signed "A") to his wife, written en route to England following his unsuccessful diplomatic mission to the Emperor of China. Begun on the "Caesar" at sea en route to St. Helena, the final four pages written on the island. From St. Helena he writes "We are lodged with Sir Hudson and Lady Lowe he has spoken to me most confidentially respecting his important charge. I am in expectation of a visit from Count Bertrand and am told it is probable he will be the bearer of a message from Bonaparte appointing a time for my seeing him. He is suffering with a swelled face which I am informed is the only reason why he has not yet fixed an interview. I have rode all about Longwood, his residence and seen the bounds presented to him, it being Sir Hudson wish, since the debate upon that subject in the House of Lords, that I should be made acquainted with his exact situation. We are grossly deceived in England by the publication of Montholons letter, and by the exaggerated, I might say unfounded, reports of the treatment experienced by our prisoner". An interesting historical letter, not posted.
£400-500
- 1624 ☒ 1817 (July 24) Entire letter to London with "SHIP LETTER / PLYMOUTH", charged 1/7, very fine. Photo on Page 218.
£400-500
- 1625 ☒ 1817 (Oct. 10) Entire letter from George Dunlop, Surgeon with the 66th Foot, to his brother in Scotland, reporting the arrival of the first Battalion and the return of the second Battalion to England to be disbanded, Dunlop having been ordered to remain to do duty with the first Battn. until further orders. The letter includes "I have been introduced to Napoleon who addressed several questions to me. He is now become much more social than formerly and frequently rides out. It is the opinion of many here that he will be allowed to go to England in eight or ten years. He appears to be in bad health on account his being troubled with swelled legs, his limits are enlarged that he may have more exercise Mardens account of Bonaparte is said to be very incorrect by those who came out with him and they give him credit for only about one half of what he states. Bony has seen it himself and is very much displeased at it". A good letter, privately carried to England and posted at Plymouth Dock, charged 1/3. Photo on Page 218.
£600-800
- 1626 ☒ 1819 (Mar. 17) Entire letter from George Dunlop, Surgeon in the 66th Foot, to his father in Scotland with scarce oval "ST HELENA / PACKET LETTER" (Apr. 2), charged 3/6. Dunlop gives an account of his recent travels in the Cape, reports his imminent departure for England as the Battalion is to be reduced to 600 and will return upon the arrival of the 20th Regt in St. Helena, meanwhile Napoleon continues making frivolous complaints. A good example of the Packet Letter handstamp, just 14 examples recorded. Photo on Page 218.
£800-1,000



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- 1627 ☒ 1819 (June 27) Entire letter from H.M.S “Eurydice” off the Island off St. Helena, written by C.H Swinbourne to his sister in London and redirected to Newcastle, with “SHIP LETTER / DEAL” charged 1/-. A fine letter. Photo on Page 220. £400-500
- 1628 ☒ 1819 (Oct. 17) Entire letter from Frome to “Q.M Serjt Rayside, H.M 66th Regt, Saint Helena” prepaid 1/11, with light Frome handstamp, London Paid datestamp and red oval “Post Paid Ship Letter / (crown) / LONDON” (Jay 1248a, Robertson S41, only recorded in red in 1819), backstamped with the very scarce double oval datestamp (Jay 1424, only recorded 1818-19 on covers passing through London with a London Ship Letter handstamp). The letter is from a former soldier discussing money, debts and pensions. Tear at lower left edge, otherwise fine, two scarce handstamps and an unusual destination, sent shortly after the Packet Service to St. Helena had ceased. Photo on Page 220. £600-800
- 1629 ☒ 1821 (Mar. 2) Entire to the London Missionary Society with boxed “SHIP LETTER”, charged 2/10, reverse with recipients endorsement “St. Helena 2nd March 1821, Messrs Daniel & Broadway”, fine. Photo on Page 220. £300-400
- 1630 ☒ 1829 (June 15) Entire letter from “The Commander and Officers of the Dutch Sloop of War Triton” addressed to “Sir Dallas Esq., Jamestown”, hand delivered. The letter includes “we take the freedom to present a few Amboina shells and some arms belonging to the inhabitants of the S.W Coast of New Guinea or Papua we had the pleasure to perceive your taste for curiosities receive our highest thanks for the very kind reception we received at Plantation house”. An extraordinary and unique local letter to the Governor; the “Triton” was returning to Europe after a voyage to New Guinea where they had founded Fort Du Bus on Triton Bay and declared the area a Dutch possession. Photo on Page 220 £600-800
- 1631 1830 (Jan. 22) Letter from Capt. Grevill, H.M.S “Espoir” at St. Helena, explaining his actions taken regarding orders received from H.M.S “Hecla”, apparently sent to someone at the Admiralty, with a note to say his proceedings have been approved and all he did has been confirmed, not posted. £100-120
- 1632 ☒ 1833 (Apr. 8) Entire letter from Charles Dallas, Governor of St. Helena, addressed to “General Sir John Doveton K.C.B, Madras”, the address panel signed “Dallas Gov. St. Helena”, backstamped with “MADRAS BEARING POSTAGE” datestamps. Dallas reports his move from Plantation House which was in an unhealthy location - “Dr Arnold says he thinks it was the cause of General Walker’s death. I was lucky in having Buonaparte’s house to go to it is a most superb mansion and have got it painted and fitted up very handsomely”. Doveton’s reply is written inside in pencil. Minor flap faults, a fine letter to India, from the last EIC Governor. Photo on Page 220. £600-700
- 1633 ☒ 1834 (Mar. 19) Entire letter written by “Superville” in French, addressed to Bordeaux “Par Lanisida” with a Nantes c.d.s and boxed “PAYS D’OUTREMER”, charged 16 decimes. An unusual destination from St. Helena, fine. Photo on Page 220. £400-500
- 1634 ☒ 1836 (Aug. 24 - Sep. 12) Entire letters from Mary Sampson (2), the first to a friend at the American Mission at Bombay begun on the “Ranger” bound from India to England and completed at St. Helena on Sept. 1st; the second written from the island on Sept 12th to her parents in New York. The letters describe the loss of her husband and her voyage back to the USA, her decision to leave the ship at St. Helena on the advice of the American Consul William Carrol who advised her to get a ship direct from the island to the USA, and her problems in finding a suitable passage; she has visited Napoleons tomb and his house at Longwood. The letter to Bombay redirected to Poona, backstamped “BOMBAY / POST NT PAID” and charged 4a; the letter to USA endorsed “pr Capt Reny Ship Eclipse” with faint Salem c.d.s, charged 20½c, this letter to the USA with a few faults and tear at base. (2). £600-700
- 1635 ☒ 1836 (Sep. 16) Entire letter to Nantes, with a Bordeaux c.d.s and boxed “PAYS D’OUTREMER”, charged 31 decimes, a little ink erosion on the address panel, otherwise fine, an unusual destination from St. Helena. Photo on Page 220. £300-400
- 1636 ☒ 1836 (Oct. 12) Entire letter from Agnes Brookhouse to Mary Sampson at Utica, New York, endorsed “Care of J.E Warner Esq”, with a blue “PHILADA / PA” c.d.s (Dec. 3) and matching “SHIP”, red oval Utica arrival datestamp, charged 26¾c. A fine letter to the USA. Photo on Page 220. £500-600



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- 1637 ☒ 1836 (Dec. 4) Entire letter from Marina Mead to her son at school in London, privately carried and posted at Liverpool, charged 1/-, minor soiling and strengthening to folds. £200-250
- 1638 ☒ 1837 (Feb.) Entire letter from Agnes Brookhouse to Mary Sampson in Utica, N.Y, forwarded to Augusta, endorsed "Politely forwarded by Capt Sampson", red datestamps of "NEW BEDFORD / MS" (Apr. 10) and Utica, charged 24¾c. A little splitting to folds, otherwise fine. £400-500
- 1639 ☒ 1838 (Apr. 12) Entire letter from John Biddle on the ship "Victoria" off Jamestown, en route from India to Bristol, a postscript added the following day mentioning the American Consul Mr Carroll, to his brother in Philadelphia with red "NEW LONDON / CT" c.d.s (June 3) and matching "SHIP", charged 20¾c. A fine letter to the USA. Photo on Page 222. £500-600
- 1640 ☒ 1839 (Jan.) Entire letter to Nantes, carried via England with "KINGSBRIDGE / SHIP LETTER" and London (Mar. 5), Calais, Paris and Nantes backstamps, "3/2" crossed out and "3/-" shown as due to G.B., charged 18 decimes. A fine letter. Photo on Page 222. £400-500
- 1641 ☒ 1839 (Oct. 27) Entire letter from Marina Mead to her son at school in London, unusually sent via the Cape with fine crowned oval "GENERAL POST OFFICE / CAPE OF GOOD HOPE" (Dec. 13), red boxed "INDIA LETTER / DEAL" and a London c.d.s on reverse, charged 8d. Photo on Page 222. £500-600
- 1642 ☒ 1840 (Jan. 22) Entire letter from Edmund Lyons on H.M.S "Melville" at St. Helena, to his brother Lord Fitzalan in London, with "SHIP LETTER / HASTINGS", charged 8d. The "Melville" is shortly to sail for Ascension and West Africa. Photo on Page 222. £300-400
- 1643 ☒ 1840 (Mar. 23) Entire letter from an army officer returning from India to England, written on the ship "Lord Lowther" at sea lat. 11°13mins S. long. 87E, to his wife in England with red "INDIA LETTER / DARTMOUTH" (In.3, recorded 1839-40) and a London c.d.s, charged 8d. The ship is going to call at St. Helena; the writer will send leaves of the Willows from Napoleon's tomb. £100-120
- 1644 ☒ **Post Office Fee.** 1841 (Mar. 15) Entire letter to J. Mead in London, from his mother who is about to leave the island for the Cape, with boxed "INDIA LETTER / PORTSMOUTH", charged 8d. The letter includes, "another slave vessel came in yesterday with 320 negros on board, this now makes about 1000 negroes on the island, what is to become of this place with such a set of creatures as they are, some people think it will be a bad thing for the island as many of them are a very treacherous race, I cannot write any good accounts of the island as it gets worse every day". Some splitting at folds, also partly split along a horizontal file fold, still a good looking address panel with the scarce "3½" Post Office handling fee. Photo on Page 222. £300-350
- 1645 ☒ **Post Office Fee.** 1842 (June 23) Entire letter from Eliza Torbitt at Walbro Cottage to her cousin J. Mead in London with scarce "3½" Post Office handling fee, crossed out upon arrival when the letter was charged 8d, superb boxed "1842 AU 22 / LIVERPOOL / SHIP" on reverse. Horizontal file fold and a little splitting at folds. Photo on Page 222. £300-350
- 1646 △ ☒ 1842 (Sep.) Front and upper flap to England, charged 8d with boxed "INDIA LETTER / COWES". Also an 1838 entire from Thomas Brooke, late St. Helena Civil Service, posted from Barnstaple to East India House in London. (2). £120-150
- 1647 ☒ 1844 (Apr. 2) Entire letter from William Kelly, Captain of H.M.S "Conway" at St. Helena, to Yorkshire, charged the 8d ship letter rate but unusually without any ship letter handstamp, backstamped at London and Wakefield. The "Conway" will shortly proceed to West Africa and serve on anti-slavery patrol for the next four months. He is sending back a magnificent chest of shells for distribution amongst the ladies. A fine and unusual letter. Photo on Page 222. £400-500
- 1648 ☒ 1844 (Apr. 23) Entire letter to Bordeaux backstamped "BRIXHAM / SHIP LETTER" with 8d charge, red boxed "COLONIES / &c. Art 12" and Calais c.d.s, backstamped at Paris and Bordeaux, charged 20 decimes. A little damp staining mainly to the internal letter, otherwise fine, a scarce use of this Art 12 accountancy mark on St. Helena mail. Photo on Page 222. £600-700



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- 1649 ☒ 1845 (May 12) Entire letter to Nantes backstamped “28 JU 1854 / LIVERPOOL / SHIP” (year shown as 1854, in error for 1845), datestamps of Boulogne, Paris and Nantes, fine. Photo on Page 222. £300-350
- 1650 ☒ 1845 (Sep. 10) Entire letter from John Parker, waiting for a passage to the USA, to “Rajkissen Metter & Co in Calcutta, care of Isaac Chase & Co, U.S Consul, Cape Town”, forwarded from the Cape with oval “FORWARDED BY / CAPE OF GOOD HOPE / ISAAC CHASE U.S.C” and Calcutta Ship Letter backstamp. File folds, otherwise fine, a rare Cape F.A.C on a letter to India. Photo on Page 222. £800-1,000
- 1651 ☒ 1847 (May 1) Entire letter to France sent via England, backstamped “SHIP LETTER” and a London c.d.s, charged 8d with red boxed “COLONIES / &c ART 13”, Boulogne and Marseille datestamps, charged 21 decimes. Fine, a scarce accountancy mark on mail from St. Helena. Photo on Page 222. £400-500
- 1652 ☒ 1849 (July 9) Cover with enclosed letter from C.B Brown to his mother in England, backstamped boxed “10 SP1849 / LIVERPOOL / SHIP” with an “8” charge mark. The letter is written at St. Helena en route to England, and describes a terrific storm encountered off the Cape. A fine cover. £300-350
- 1653 ☒ 1850 (Aug. 1) Entire letter to France with red “COLONIES FRA / PAUILLAC” c.d.s (Sep. 27) and Bordeaux backstamp, charged 25 decimes. A fine and scarce cover carried from the island directly to France (and not via England). Photo on Page 222. £400-500
- 1654 ☒ **Ireland.** 1851 (Jan. 21) Entire letter to Marseille, sent via Ireland with scarce blue “QUEENSTOWN / SHIP LETTER” (Rob S1) and a Queenstown datestamp (Mar. 13), “8” charge mark and red boxed “COLONIES / &c ART. 13”, datestamps of Dublin, London, Calais and Marseille, charged 20 decimes. A fine and rare cover. Photo on Page 222. £900-1,200
- 1655 ☒ 1851 (Apr. 1) Printed circular from Saul Solomon (merchant, French Consul and forwarding agent) announcing the transfer of his business to his son Nathaniel Solomon and Mr George Moss, addressed to Batavia with oval “GENERAL POST OFFICE / (crown) / CAPETOWN”, charged 48 duiten. An interesting circular from Solomon, well known to postal historians as a forwarding agent, a rare destination from St. Helena. Photo on Page 222. £600-800
- 1656 ☒ 1853 (May 18) Entire letter simply addressed to Miss Jane Bruce, privately carried to England and addressed to Lancashire, posted from London franked 1d (four margins). The writer reports his arrival from Ascension; he leaves in two weeks for Loanda. Possibly the earliest letter from St. Helena to bear a postage stamp. Photo on Page 222. £600-800
- 1657 ☒ 1858 (Mar. 8) Cover to the USA, endorsed by the sender “St. Helena, March 8th 1858” and “Per Ship”, with “NEW-YORK / SHIP / APR 15 / 5cts” c.d.s, carried on the whaler “Dove” of New London. A fine and unusual cover. Photo on Page 230. £400-500
- 1658 ☒ 1871 (Sep. 13) Cover (with embossed royal arms on the flap), addressed to the British ship “Rinaldo” at Poste Restante, Havre, prepaid in cash, endorsed “Prepaid” and “6”. Red “ST. HELENA” and “LONDON / PAID” (Oct 11) datestamps and oval framed “PD”, datestamps of Calais, Paris and Le Havre. Although stamps were issued in 1856 mail could still be prepaid in cash until 1872. A late use of cash prepayment and a superb and rare strike of the first St. Helena c.d.s in red, only used in this colour in 1870-71. Photo on Page 230 £1,000-1,200
- 1659 ☒ 1872 (Jan. 27) Entire to Paris with “ST HELENA” c.d.s in black and “G.B / 2F” Anglo-French Accountancy mark, London, Calais and Paris datestamps, charged 12 decimes. A very scarce accountancy mark on St. Helena mail, fine. Photo on Page 230. £600-700



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ST. KITTS & NEVIS

St. Christopher





- 1660 ★ ○ 1870-88 Mint and used collection including G.B 6d cancelled "A12", bogus QV essays (2), stamp issues largely complete with 1870 perf 12½ 1d watermark inverted unused no gum and watermark sideways mint and used, perf 14 1d watermark inverted mint, 2½d red-brown used (2), 4d blue mint, 1882-90 Crown CA 1d dull magenta mint, 2½d red-brown mint, 4d blue unused no gum, 6d used, 1/- watermark inverted used, 1884-88 surcharges with 1885 ½d on half 1d surcharge inverted mint and used, 1886 4d on 6d no stop after "d" unused no gum and used, 1887 front to USA with 1d on ½d strip of three, Antigua 1d cancelled "A12" (3), a few forgeries, etc. A useful collection, a few unused stamps without gum, otherwise largely fine. S.G. £7,000 (approx). (97). Photo on Page 226. £600-700
- 1661 ⑤ 1875 1d Magenta, watermark Crown CC, with "SPECIMEN" overprint type D10, fine mint, possibly unique. This type D10 overprint only recorded by Samuel on the St. Christopher 1870 perf 12½ 1d rose and 6d, unlisted on this stamp with no example in the Brookes collection. Probably from the De la Rue archives. Photo on Page 226 £200-250
- 1662 ★ ☒ 1885 Halfpenny on half 1d, a block of four (comprising four unsevered pairs) superb mint, lightly mounted on the upper pair only, the lower pair unmounted. S.G. 23a, £480+. Photo on Page 188. £150-180
- 1663 ⑤ 1886 1d on 6d Green and 4d on 6d green surcharges, 1886-90 6d olive-brown and 1/- mauve overprinted "SPECIMEN", affixed with part own gum to a printed album page from the Royal Swedish General Post Office Specimen collection. S.G. £205 as stamps. (4). £120-140
- 1664 ✉ 1883 (Mar. 12) 1d Postal Stationery postcard to England bearing a vertically bisected 1d dull magenta cancelled by three horizontal bars, the card with a few minor stains and tiny tear at base. This 1d bisect was authorised during a shortage of ½d stamps in February and March 1883; the Brookes collection contained one other example with this unusual three bar dumb cancel. Ex. Urwick and Brookes. S.G. 12a, £1,500. Photo on Page 230 £200-250
- 1665 ○ **Manuscript Cancellations.** 1871-90 QV Stamps comprising 1d magenta (22), ½d green (4), 1d rose (10, one with distorted "E" variety), 6d green or 1d on 6d (4) all cancelled with a manuscript date, as used at various village offices, two additionally with manuscript "D.B" (Dieppe Bay) or "O.R" (Old Road). A scarce group. (41). Photo on Page 226. £250-300
- 1666 ★ ○ **Revenues/Postal Fiscals.** 1883-86 Mint and used selection, Nevis stamps handstamps violet "Saint / Christopher" (19) with 1d, 6d (2) and 1/- (cross on hill variety) apparently used with "A09" or "A12" cancels, 4d (3) and 6d mint; Nevis stamps handstamped violet "Saint Chris / topher" (6) with 6d cancelled "A09", 1/- mint; Nevis stamps overprinted black "Saint / Christopher" (9) with 1/- cancelled "A12", 4d and 1/- (2) mint; St Kitts 6d revenue overprinted small Saint Kitts Nevis; St. Kitts revenue stamps overprinted large Saint Kitts Nevis (79) with 1d, 3d, 6d (2), 1/- (2), 5/- apparently postally used, 1d (14), 3d (5), 6d (6), 1/- (8), 5/- (7) mint, one of each value with plate number "1". (114). Photo on Page 226. £200-250

Nevis

- 1667 ★ ○ 1862-83 Mint and used collection including 1862 imperforate 1d lake (3) and 6d orange proofs on paper, coloured 1d - 1/- proofs on card (4); all printings of the 1862-78 issues with 1d (43), 4d rose (5), 4d orange (19), 6d grey (10), 1/- (21, two with crossed lines on hill variety) and a few forgeries; 1879-80 issues with 4d blue mint, 6d green mint (2, one with a few trimmed perfs, the other without gum) and used, 1/- used, 6d and 1/- Specimen overprints; 1883 ½d on 1d in violet or black used. S.G. 1/36. (161). Photo on Page 226. £500-700
- 1668 ★ ☒ 1867 4d Deep orange, complete mint sheet of twelve, full margins, a few split perfs reinforced with hinges, otherwise fine and scarce. S.G. 12, £1,920+. £300-350

- 1669 ★ **B** 1877-78 1d Vermilion-red, perf 15 and perf 11½ sheets of twelve mint, full margins, a few split perfs reinforced with hinges, otherwise fine and scarce. S.G. 17, 22, £1,284. (2 sheets). £200-250
- 1670 ★ 1878 4d Orange-yellow, variety imperforate between stamp and left margin, fine mint, very scarce. S.G. 18var. Photo on Page 226. £200-250
- 1671 ★ 1883 ½d on half 1d lilac-mauve, surcharge in black, unsevered pair unused, no gum and thinned, nevertheless a presentable example of this rarity. S.G. 36b, £6,500. Photo on Page 226. £200-250
- 1672  ○ **Cancellations/G.B used in Nevis.** c.1858-1907 Covers (3), stamps and pieces (27) with piece bearing G.B 6d (2, one with corner fault) cancelled “A09”, G.B 4d (perf faults) with partial “A09” cancel, crowned circle cancels (6), manuscript date cancels (14, three with postal cancels); Leeward Islands cancelled “A09” with 1890 5/-, Sexagenary ½d pair, 1d and 4d on separate pieces, local cover bearing QV 1d and registered cover to Prague franked KEVII 1d + 6d with Nevis registration label, etc. (31). Photo on Page 226. £200-240
- 1673 ★ ○ **Revenues/Postal Fiscals.** 1877-83 Mint and used selection with 1877 embossed issues (11), handstamped Revenue overprints (25, with and without stop) and printed Revenue overprint (63) including S.G. F1-8 mint, 1d lilac-mauve bisect postally used on piece with 1d postage pair (S.G. F6a), S.G. F2, 3, 8 postally used, also Crown CC 6d Revenue overprint postally used, ten others with “A09” cancels most of which are probably forged. (99). £200-250
- 1674 ★ ○ **Revenues/Postal Fiscals.** 1882 Perf 15 1/- Green overprinted “Revenue”, variety crossed lines on hill, mint (large paper hinge adhering) and fiscally used, very scarce. S.G. F5a, unpriced. (2). Photo on Page 226. £150-180

St. Kitts-Nevis

- 1675 ★ ○ 1903-23 Selection comprising 1903 set, 1905-18 set with all shades and 1923 Tercentenary ½d - 10/- all mint, 1903 5/- used, also 1921-29 1d rose-carmine perfined “SPECIMEN”, and 1926 local registered cover franked 1½d red pair, S.G. £1,000. (49 + cover). Photo on Page 100. £120-140
- 1676 ★ 1920-22 ½d Blue-green, watermark, Multiple Crown CA, variety “C” missing from watermark, partial offset on reverse, mint. With B.P.A Certificate (1993). S.G. 24a, £500. Photo on Page 244. £100-120
- 1677  1923 Tercentenary ½d - £1 set of thirteen overprinted “SPECIMEN”, the £1 without gum, otherwise fine mounted mint. S.G. 48/60s, £800. (13). £80-100
- 1678  ○ 1926 Stampless cover sent within St. Kitts with black Official Paid c.d.s and oval “ADMINISTRATOR / ST. CHRISTOPHER & NEVIS”. Also Leeward Islands 1928 £1, St. Kitts 1920-22 2/- vertical pair and £1, 1923 Tercentenary £1 all cancelled by the oval Administrator handstamp. (Cover + 5 stamps). Photo on Page 244 £120-150
- 1679 ○  **Cancellations.** QV-KGV Stamps of Leeward Islands (47) or St. Kitts (29, also two covers and two fronts) with duplex or c.d.s village cancels, including Cayon rubber c.d.s. on 1926 registered front and 1930 stamp, Dieppe Bay duplex on 1928 registered front and rubber c.d.s on 1928 stamp, Old Road rubber c.d.s on 1928 stamp, Sandy Point c.d.s. on 1923 and 1926 covers. Also Paquebots, maritime and overseas cancels (23), an uncommon group. (103). Photo on Page 244. £200-250
- 1680 ○  **Anguilla.** QV-KGV Stamps of Leeward Islands (13) or St. Kitts (39, also two covers) cancelled in Anguilla, with “AN” code duplexs, “A” code c.d.s or Anguilla Valley c.d.s, also scarce rubber cancels of Forest (3d on piece), Anguilla Road on 1928 “Marshall” registered cover or Blowing Point (2, single 1/- and 3d on piece). A good lot, with values to the 2/6, the philatelic but very scarce Anguilla Road cover having taken a week just to reach Anguilla Valley. (52 + 2 covers). Photo on Page 230. £200-250

ST. LUCIA

- 1681 ○ **G.B Used in St. Lucia.** 1856-57 4d Rose and 6d lilac cancelled "A11", the 6d with some trimmed perfs at base, both fine strikes. S.G. Z3/4, £750. (2). Photo on Page 226. £140-160
- 1682 ★ ○ 1860-1936 Mint and used collection including 1860 1d, 4d (2) and 6d (2) mint, 1863 1d (2), 4d and 6d mint, 1864-76 perf 12½ 1d (2), 4d (2), 6d and 1/- mint, perf 14 6d and 1/- mint, 1881 and 1882-84 perf 14 surcharges mint and used, various 1860-84 re-entries and forgeries, 1883-98 die I and II sets mint, 1891-98 die II set used and a cover bearing die I 6d (2) + die II 4d, 1/-, 5/-, 10/-, 1891-92 surcharges mint and used with some varieties, all 1902-30 sets mint with listed shades, 1912-21 Specimen set, 1936 set mint, also St Lucia Steam Conveyance Ltd locals (8 + forgeries). A good collection. S.G. 1/124, £9,000 (approx). (285 + 5 covers). Photo on Page 226. £800-1,000
- 1683 ★ △ 1863 Unissued ½d on 6d and 6d on 4d surcharges, the 6d with glue mark and some paper adherence to reverse but good appearance and very scarce; and ½d on 6d tied to piece by "A11" cancel, unlisted used by Gibbons but apparently a genuine cancel, very unusual. S.G. 9/10, £1,170 + used ½d. (3). Photo on Page 244. £180-220
- 1684 △ 1891-92 ½d on half 6d, a miscut pair on piece tied by "A11" cancel, two thirds of the left stamp with ½d surcharge variety figure "1" used as fraction bar, only one third of the right stamp with the ½d surcharge therefore misplaced to the left across the two stamps, very unusual. S.G. 54g, £450+. Photo on Page 212. £100-120
- 1685 Ⓢ 1902-03 KEVII Crown CA set of five, 1902 Columbus 2d, and 1905 Multiple Crown CA 6d and 5/- all overprinted "SPECIMEN" and handstamped violet "ULTRAMAR", applied in Lisbon to Specimen stamps received from the U.P.U for distribution to the Portuguese Colonies. Minor toning and corner fault to ½d, scarce. (8). Photo on Page 244. £100-120
- 1686 ★ [B] **Postage Dues.** 1930 1d Block of six (2x3), centre right stamp with missing stop after "LUCIA", unused, fine. S.G. D1d, £330+. £100-120
- 1687 ★ **Postage Dues.** 1930 1d Vertical strip of three, central stamp with handstamped number double (partly on the stamp above), this stamp with horizontal crease, unused, scarce. S.G. D1e, £900. Photo on Page 186. £150-200
- 1688 ★ [田] **Postage Dues.** 1930 1d Block of four, the lower right stamp with handstamped number double, the original number misplaced downwards, the second number struck in a smaller fount, unused, very unusual and scarce. S.G. D1e, £900+. Photo on Page 186. £240-280
- 1689 ★ **Postage Dues.** 1930 1d Vertical pair, lower pair with handstruck number double, the original number misplaced upwards, the second number applied in a smaller fount type, unused, fine and scarce. S.G. D1e, £900. Photo on Page 188. £240-280
- 1690 ★ [田] **Postage Dues.** 1930 2d Block of four, lower right stamp with incorrect number (4669) applied and erased and the correct number (4670) applied above, unused, fine and very scarce. S.G. D2g, £2000+. Photo on Page 186. £500-600
- 1691 ★ ○ **Postage Dues.** 1930 Narrow fount "No" 1d unused (9, two with no stop after "LUCIA") and used (4), 2d unused (15) and used (4), and wide fount "No" 1d unused (3) and used (4), 2d unused (6) and used (5), several wide and narrow fount stamps in se-tenant pairs or blocks including 2d block of six with three wide fount stamps; also misperforated 2d resulting in "Postage Due" at the top of the stamp (5), and a cover from Turks Island bearing 1d + wide fount 2d. S.G. £2,477. (52 + cover). Photo on Page 188. £250-300
- 1692 ○ ☒ **Cancellations.** QV-KGV Stamps and pieces (195) and covers (5) with village cancels, Dennery manuscript cancels (3), 1936 cover from Michoud with 1d postage due applied at Castries, other covers with cancels of Gros Islet and Canaries, and a few associated picture postcards; also Paquebots, maritime cancels and cachets with violet "EDEN", overseas datestamps, etc. (200+). Photo on Page 244. £250-300



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Ex 1680



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- 1693 ★ ○ **Revenues/Postal Fiscals.** 1881-84 Mint and used selection including ½d green with “stamp” double overprint (S.G. F11a, possibly fiscally used and cleaned), “ONE PENNY / STAMP” overprint double in both black and red, 28 other stamps with apparent postal cancels some of which are clearly forged but others probably genuine, with scarce French Sea Post c.d.s on 4d yellow. (36). Photo on Page 226. £150-200

ST. VINCENT

- 1694 ☒ 1862 (July 8) Stampless cover to England prepaid 6d in cash with red “PAID / AT / ST. VINCENT” crowned circle, two St. Vincent datestamps (one over the crowned circle) and red London Paid arrival c.d.s, red “5” indicating the amount due to the British Post Office. A good example of the reuse of this crowned circle in 1862 during a shortage of 6d stamps. Photo on Page 230. £250-300
- 1695 ★ ○ 1856-1932 Mint and used collection including G.B 6d cancelled “A10” (small tear), 1860-80 Perkins Bacon issues with 1866 1/- slate-grey perf 11-12½ used (S.G. 8, one pulled perf), 1/- brown used, stamps with horizontal or vertical ink lines (11, probably Specimens), 1875-78 4d and 6d pale green mint (S.G. 25/6), 1d vertical plate proof pair in black, 1885 ½d proof pair in black, some multiples and forgeries, a few Specimens, 1899 set mint and 1d inverted watermark used, 1907-32 sets mint, War Tax overprints with varieties, 1928 £1 tied to piece by Cumberland c.d.s. S.G. 1/141, £6,000++. (c.400). Photo on Pages 226 & 258. £800-1,000
- 1696 © 1880 5/- Rose-red (no gum) and 1885 ½d both handstamped “Specimen” type SV1 and 1888 5/- lake overprinted “SPECIMEN” type D11. The SV1 local overprint very scarce; the 5/- D11 overprint done by De la Rue in London probably on presentation stamps and not sent to the U.P.U. (3). Photo on Page 212. £200-250
- 1697 ★ ○ 1881 Surcharges, ½d on half 6d unused no gum and used, 1d on 6d mint, 4d on 1/- used with oval “GB / 40c” accountancy mark, the last with three short upper perfs but a very unusual cancel on this uncommon stamp. S.G. 33/5, £1,605. (4). Photo on Page 226. £160-180
- 1698 ○ ☒ **Cancellations.** QV-KGV Stamps (255) and covers (5) with village cancels including abbreviated datestamps, 1887 card from Dominica with Barrouallie arrival c.d.s, covers with datestamps of Beguia or New Ground, also Parcel Post, Late Fee, accountancy marks, Paquebots and maritime with manuscript “Esk”, arrival cancels with “A11” of St. Lucia on 1878 6d, etc. A good lot. (260). Photo on Page 226. £400-500
- 1699 ★ ○ **Revenues.** 1881-90 Revenue overprints and surcharges including 1882 3d on half 6d mint pair and used block of three, 1888 3d on 4d lilac (2), 1890 6d on 4d (3) and 1/- on 4d, etc. Eleven with apparent postal cancels (some probably forged), an unusual group. (68). Photo on Page 226. £200-250
- 1700 ★ **Revenues.** 1882 5/- Rose-red overprinted “REVENUE”, variety overprint double one inverted, mint. Very rare, probably only occurring on a single sheet of twenty stamps. Photo on Page 212. £150-200
- 1701 © ☒ **Postal Stationery.** 1893 1d and 1½d Postcards handstamped “Specimen” type SV7, fine and scarce. (2). £180-200

SARAWAK

(Also see lots 289, 1489, 1512, 1514)

- 1702 ☒ 1929 (July 13) “Venus” flight, cover to Singapore franked 1c pair + 12c for Air Fee and postage, tied by Kuching datestamps with circular dated “KUCHING / AIR MAIL” alongside, sent by sea from Pontianak with Singapore arrival backstamp (Apr. 18). Fine and scarce. Photo on Page 230. £300-£400
- 1703 ☒ 1931 (June 4) R.A.F. Air Sea Survey Flight second phase, cover from Kuching franked 17c with blue “BY AIR MAIL” label, backstamped at Singapore (June 5, 1.45PM) and at Katong. £120-£150

- 1704 ☒ 1931 (Apr. 3) Imperial Airways England to Australia first official air mail, printed 'publicity' envelope from London franked 1/-, addressed to "The Secretariat, Kuching", backstamped at Singapore (Apr. 16) and Kuching (Apr. 21), a few minor tone spots. John Rogers records one other similar cover to Sarawak. A rare destination. £150-£200
- 1705 ☒ 1931 (Dec. 2) Cover to Bangkok bearing a blue "BY AIR MAIL" label, inscribed below "Alor Star-Bangkok (Siam)", franked 2c, 3c, 4c (all with Plate No 2) and 8c cancelled at Kuching. Sent by sea to Singapore, the air connection missed so sent on by surface mail, the air mail label and inscription overstruck with boxed "Too Late" applied in Siam, backstamped at Singapore (Dec. 4) and Bangkok (Dec. 9). Unusual. £100-£150
- 1706 ☒ 1933 (May 12) Registered cover from Kuching to Singapore inscribed "Per R.A.F. Flying Boat GEZCG" below a blue Air Mail label, franked 1c, 2c, 4c, 5c, and 8c, with violet boxed "UNCLAIMED" (Proud I26), returned to the sender, backstamped at Singapore (May 13) and Kuching (May 22). Photo on Page 230. £150-£200
- 1707 ☒ 1935 (Jan. 17) Commercial cover from Kuching to Singapore franked 5c, endorsed "Per R.A.F. Flying Boat no. 1161", flown by W/Cr Scott, fine and scarce. Photo on Page 240. £150-£200

SAUDI ARABIA

- 1708 Ⓢ 1926-27 1/8pi - 10pi Set of eight, 1pi and 2pi postage dues, and 1927 Establishment of Kingdom overprint 1/8pi - 10pi set of eight, affixed to four archival pieces, each handstamped "SPECIMEN" type BEC2a (the 1927 1/4pi and 5pi not handstamped) applied upon receipt by the Bechuanaland Post Office. The 1926-27 set and dues with some perf staining, otherwise fine and unique. (18). Photo on Page 246. £600-700

SEYCHELLES

- 1709 ○ QV-KGV Stamps with village cancels including Takamaka, Cascade, Anse Boileau, etc., maritime and overseas cancels, also Mauritius used in Seychelles (7, some faults) or Rodrigues (3), some very scarce cancels. (43). Photo on Page 226. £150-200

SIERRA LEONE

- 1710 ★ 1896-97 £1 Purple on red, upper margin, unmounted mint. S.G. 53, £325+. Photo on Page 178. £100-120

SOMALILAND

- 1711 Ⓢ 1921 2r and 5r with violet boxed "SPECIMEN" handstamp type SP1, applied to presentation sets, fine mint, very scarce. (2). Photo on Page 246. £120-150

SOUTH AFRICA

(Also see lots 326, 455/7, 1473, 1617, 1641, 1655)

- 1712 ☒ ○ **Cancellations.** A collection of Cape cancels on covers and cards, stamps and pieces, in two albums; and a stockbook containing numeral cancels of Cape, Natal and O.F.S (including Natal P.O.A cancels), with some Boer War cancels. (100s). £200-250
- 1713 ○ ★ **Cape, Natal, OFS and Transvaal.** Various unusual stamps on pages with V.R.I overprint varieties, telegraphs and revenue stamps, a few railway stamps, Transvaal V.R.I 2/6 - £5 overprinted "SPECIMEN", Officials with Natal KEVII stamps perfined "NGR" (33 stamps on ten pieces), Cape stamps with eleven hole official perfin (7), Transvaal stamps overprinted "C.S.A.R" (8), Natal 1861 Telegraph 10/- mint and £1 used (minor toning), etc. (300+). £250-300

- 1714 ☒ **Cape of Good Hope.** 1900 1d Postal stationery envelope franked ½d + 1d, from East London to Shanghai, backstamped at Durban, Colombo and Hong Kong, an unusual destination. £100-120
- 1715 ★ ○ **Griqualand.** 1887-79 ½d - 5/- Mint and used stamps with various overprints, some varieties, also a few forgeries. (101). £250-300
- 1716 ○ **Natal.** 1877 ½d on 1d Yellow, varieties surcharge inverted or “S” omitted from “Postage”, both used, scarce. S.G. 91a,e, £550. (2). Photo on Page 226. £120-150
- 1717 ○ **Natal.** 1879 1d on 6d, variety surcharge double, one inverted, used, scarce. S.G. 93c, £350. Photo on Page 226. £100-120
- 1718 ○ **Natal.** 1879 1d on 6d, variety surcharged four times, used, scarce. S.G. 93d, £325. Photo on Page 226. £100-120
- 1719 ○ ★ **New Republic.** 1886-87 Stamps including 1d dated 4 JAN 87 on blue granite paper without arms tied to piece by rare “Ngompost 2/2/88” manuscript cancel (just two examples recorded by Jonkers), 2s dated 30 AUG 86 on white paper without arms unused with variety “S” inverted (unlisted by Gibbons, thinned), an unusual green 1d cinderella, etc. (8). Photo on Page 178. £150-200
- 1720 ★ ○ **Transvaal - Railway Officials.** 1905-07 KEVII C.S.A.R Overprints and perfins, comprising Crown CA ½d, 1d (2), 2d, 4d, 6d, 1/- overprints and 2d perfin all used, Multiple Crown CA 1d scarlet, 3d, 6d mint, ½d yellow-green, 4d, 6d, 1/- used. A scarce group, the mint stamps and used 1/- perfin all unpriced by Gibbons. S.G. RO3/5, 7/9, 12, 14/19, £870 + four unpriced stamps. (15). Photo on Page 226. £500-600
- 1721 ○ **Transvaal - Telegraph Stamps.** 1901-02 1d, 6d and 1/- on 2/6, and 5/- on £2 revenue with V.R.I overprint, all overprinted “Transvaal / Telegraphs”, the 1/- on 2/6 with a few perf faults, otherwise all fine used, the 5/- on £2 scarce. S.G. T1/3, 5, £400. (4). Photo on Page 212. £100-120

Boer War

- 1722 ★ ○ 1900-01 Stamp issues including Lydenburg ½d and 3d (corner fault) mint, 1d and 3d used, Pietersburg (43, one with Thabina c.d.s, three with triangular “47” cancels, one with Pietersburg squared circle), Mafeking 1d on Cape ½d (S.G. 1) unused and 6d on 2d (S.G. 13) used, etc., a few faults. (58). £200-250
- 1723 △ **Schweizer Renecke.** 1900 Transvaal ½d, 1d and 2d with “BESIEGED” overprint reading vertically upwards, used on separate pieces tied by Schweizer Renecke c.d.s (11 or 12 SEP), the 2d with ink stain at left occurring prior to use, probably caused by the overprinting ink. S.G. 1/3, £1,075. (3). Photo on Page 244. £200-250
- 1724 ☒ △ **British Forces Mail.** 1899-1902 Covers and cards (64) and fronts (6), various F.P.O and A.P.O cancels including hooded circle Registered types (6) and other registered mail (6, two from F.P.O 17 with unusual dumb cancels), mainly with G.B stamps (with some mixed frankings), redirected mail including “NOT IN NETLEY HOSPITAL”, also a few ingoing covers, mixed quality with some faults. (70). £300-400
- 1725 ☒ △ **British Forces Mail.** 1900-02 Covers from British forces (17) including five covers enclosing a series of long and interesting letters from 2Lt H. de Burgh Edwards, covers endorsed from Pte Wooding 2nd Northants Regt (9, some faults), “Army Form C” envelope with Natal 1d tied by F.P.O 15 c.d.s, also F.P.O datestamps on pieces (c.70) and stamps. (100+). £100-150
- 1726 ☒ **Burgher Camps - Transvaal/Bermuda.** 1901 Covers from Transvaal to P.O.Ws in Bermuda with dated cachets of the Burgher Camps at Balmoral, Belfast, Heidelberg, Krugersdorp or Middelburg, all endorsed upon arrival, with “not Darrells”, “not Burtt”, “not Hawkins”, “at Morgans” or “Tuckers”. A fine and unusual group. (5). Photo on Page 240. £500-600

- 1727 ☒ **Burgher Camps - ORC/Bermuda.** 1901-02 1d Postcard from “Bethulie R. Camp” and a registered cover posted at Bethulie, probably from the camp, also two covers posted at Winburg probably from the refugee camp, all to P.O.Ws at Burtts Island, Darrells Island (2) or Morgans Island, some faults. (4). £120-150
- 1728 ☒ △ **P.O.W Mail.** 1900-02 Covers (18) and fronts (2) to Boer P.O.Ws, including 1901 cover to “Officer of the Hawarden Castle, Table Bay” with an enclosed letter from the sister of a Boer P.O.W held on the ship asking that he be allowed out on parole to visit their sick mother, cover franked G.B 1d tied by F.P.O 23 c.d.s to a P.O.W at Tin Town with violet “PASSED / S.O.P NATAL / CENSOR / P. of W.” and triangular “PASSED / CENSOR / P. OF W.”, front to Bermuda with red “NOT TUCKERS”, etc. Also picture postcards (7) and a few later covers and cards, very mixed quality with some faults. (38). £150-200
- 1729 ☒ **Prisoner of War Ships.** 1900-01 Cover endorsed from a P.O.W on the “Kildonan Castle” franked 1d and a stampless O.H.M.S cover endorsed “Free from Censor, Kildonan Castle” both with Simons-Town datestamps and a Belle Vue P.O.W censor, and a cover endorsed from a P.O.W on the “Mongolian”, franked 1d cancelled at Cape Town, all fine. (3). £160-200
- 1730 ☒ **Prisoner of War Ships - Cape Town.** 1901-02 Covers posted in South Africa, addressed to Boer P.O.Ws on the S.S “Bavarian” or “Orient” (both redirected to St. Helena), “Roslin Castle” (redirected to India), “Lake Montrose” (redirected to Bermuda) or “Hawarden Castle” (handstamped “T” and “1d”, redirected to Ceylon with manuscript “T6c”); cover to a P.O.W at Ladysmith redirected to “St Helena, S.S Orient”; and a cover posted at Cape Town to a P.O.W on the Transport “Canada”, Docks Cape Town but redirected to Durban (the “Canada” returning from St. Helena with P.O.Ws went directly to Durban, not stopping at Cape Town). (7). £300-350
- 1731 ☒ **Prisoner of War Ships - Cape Town.** 1899-1901 Covers addressed to Boer P.O.Ws on ships off Cape Town or Simons Town, comprising covers to the ships Penelope (2), Catalonia, Hawarden Castle (stamp removed), Manila, Harlech Castle, City of Cambridge (2), Kildonan Castle (2), Roslin Castle, Armenian (2), Bavarian, City of Vienna or Pindari, mainly fine, a scarce group to twelve different ships. (16). £700-800
- 1732 ☒ **Prisoner of War Ships - Durban.** 1900 Covers posted in South Africa, addressed to Boer P.O.Ws on ships off Durban, with a stampless cover from Army Post Office Standerton to S.S “Chicago” and covers franked 1d to the S.S “Manila”, “Yorkshire” or “Catalonia”, the last two redirected to Ceylon, all fine. (4). £200-250
- 1733 ☒ **P.O.W Mail - Bermuda.** 1901-02 Covers from South Africa to P.O.Ws in Bermuda, two from prisoners in Belle Vue Camp, four redirected with various endorsements, three with circular “PRISONERS OF WAR / PASSED / CENSOR / BERMUDA”. (9). £300-360
- 1734 ☒ **P.O.W Mail - Bermuda.** 1902 Dutch 5c postcards (2) and a German 10pf postcard all to J.M.J Muller in Bermuda, the two Dutch cards redirected with various endorsements and blue circular “PRISONERS OF WAR / PASSED / CENSOR / BERMUDA”, the German card received after Muller’s release and forwarded to Holland. (3). £150-180
- 1735 ☒ **P.O.W Mail - Bermuda/Ceylon.** 1901-02 Covers from P.O.Ws in Diyatalawa Camp, one to a P.O.W at Morgans Island, the other to a P.O.W in Belle Vue Camp and redirected to Bermuda endorsed “not Hawkins”; and a Bermuda 1d postcard from A.C Erasmus on Darrells Island to his father J.C Erasmus in Diyatalawa Camp with blue circular “PRISONERS OF WAR / PASSED / CENSOR / BERMUDA”. (3). £240-280
- 1736 ☒ **P.O.W Mail - Bermuda.** 1902 (Sep. 19) Cover from Bermuda to Transvaal franked ½d pair, posted nearby four months after the war, therefore not censored, with bilingual boxed “Insufficient Address”, backstamped at the Returned Letter Office Johannesburg. Fine and unusual. £100-120

Union of South Africa

- 1737 ★ ○ 1910-63 Specialised collection written up on pages with interprovincial uses, 1913-24 £1 used in S.W.A., plate blocks, coil stamps, inverted watermarks, many varieties including 1934 4d spear flaw and 1938 2d airship flaw within mint pairs, postage dues and officials, covers, also duplicates in stockbooks, an extensive lot. (1,000s). Photo on Page 226. £800-1,000
- 1738 ⑤ 1923 Harrison & Sons Ltd 1d Springbok essays (15) printed by photogravure in various colours, unscreened imperforate essays in single colours (3), screened imperforate essays in black with "Muster" overprint or in blue and carmine, screened perf 14 essays in single colours (7, one overprinted "Muster") or in two colours (3), one imperf essay on watermarked paper, all fine. Also eleven other Harrison sample stamps. (26). £180-220
- 1739 ★ 田 1926-27 Perf 14½x14 1d, Pretoria printing, mint block of four, misperforated through the centre of the stamps, unusual. Photo on Page 258. £100-120
- 1740 ⑤ 1929 Darmstadt Trials, dummy cigarette labels (16, Dix 1-5, 7-10, 12-18) and Hunter-Penrose dummy stamps (10, Dix 19, 21-23, 26, 28-31, 33, the last overprinted "S.W.A."), various papers, inks and colours. (26). £260-320
- 1741 ⑤ 1929 Darmstadt Trails, 1d ship stamp, frame only imperforate (14) or perforated (14), vignette only imperforate (12) or perforated (3) and the complete design all perforated (44), various inks and papers, virtually all in pairs or blocks, 36 differing Dix numbers. (87). Photo on Page 226. £800-1,000
- 1742 ⑤ 1929 1d Springbok essays by J. Booysen, imperforate horizontal pairs in red-brown or violet and a vertical pair in black. (6). Photo on Page 226. £100-120
- 1743 田 ★ 1928 and 1936 Philatelic Exhibitions including 1928 official exhibition cover and covers bearing the exhibition label (2) all with the red exhibition c.d.s, unused exhibition labels in differing colours (3), 1936 JIPEX catalogue with the two cancelled miniature sheets on the cover, and a study of the JIPEX miniature sheets mint, used or on covers. (131). £100-150
- 1744 ★ 1744 ★ Booklets. 1927-51 Booklets, booklet panes and stamps, including the exploded covers and interleaves for 1927 2/6 booklet (SB6), 1937 2/6 booklet (SB10, scrape to cover, some staining), etc. £100-120
- 1745 ○ Revenues. 1864-1995 Revenues from Cape Colony, Natal, O.R.C, Transvaal or South Africa, the used collection in an album, including complete documents, Customs Duty and Douane overprints, also duplicates in two stockbooks. (100s). £150-200
- 1746 田 ★ Christmas Seals. 1929-97 Christmas TB Fund seals, the extensive collection including covers, booklets and sheets, 1949 packet of ten booklets, also Easter seals for crippled children. (100s). £100-150
- 1747 田 △ Shipping Postmaster. 1931-32 Registration envelopes to England both with violet oval "SHIPPING POSTMASTER / CAPETOWN" datestamps and a Docks Capetown c.d.s, the first cancelled by the oval datestamps, the other cancelled by the docks c.d.s with the oval datestamp alongside. Also two pieces. (4). £100-120
- 1748 田 Air Mails. 1918-39 Flight covers, the extensive written up collection, mainly first or special flights, including 1918 "Make Your Sixpence Fly" Red Cross cards (5), 1925 internal air service (32, two to GB with postage due marks crossed out, one redirected cover carried on three flights), 1929 internal first flights (60, two to G.B underpaid), 1931 reduced rate from G.B (2), 1931 Imperial Airways G.B to East Africa flight (15), SWAA flights (3), Christmas flight from G.B (39), 1932 Imperial Airways G.B to South Africa services (99, one pilot signed), reduced postcard rates (8), 1934 services to Australia, Nyasaland, Madagascar, first service via Italy, JIPEX flights (24), first Empire Air Mail rate (7), SAA flights to Kenya, Southern Rhodesia, Angola and S.W.A., etc., also an album of air letters including military issues, some commercial covers and a few postwar flights. (400+). £1,000-1,200

- 1749 ☒ **Air Mails.** 1918 “Make Your Sixpence Fly” cards franked ½d, large wings cards with Aerial Post c.d.s (Nov. 20) or Cape Town machine (Dec 9), and small wings cards with Aerial Post c.d.s (Nov 24/27) or Krugersdorp c.d.s (Nov. 26) with an Aerial Post c.d.s at left, the four flown cards carried on the flights over Johannesburg, Germiston to Johannesburg, or Johannesburg to Pretoria (2), mainly fine. (5). £180-220

SOUTH WEST AFRICA

- 1750 Ⓢ ☒ **Postal Stationery.** 1923 Postcards (5), wrappers (8) and registration envelopes (9, sizes F, G and H2) with English or Afrikaans overprints, all overprinted Specimen in red, four from the U.P.U’s own collection with “1923” date, six others (comprising postcards H&G 1a, 2, wrappers H&G 2, 3, registration envelopes H&G 3b, 4a) additionally handstamped “SPECIMEN” type BEC2a upon receipt by the Bechuanaland Post Office, these Bechuanaland Specimens unique in private hands. (22). Photo on Page 240. £1,000-1,200

SPAIN & COLONIES

(Also see lots 247, 458, 708, 1574)

- 1751 ☒ **Royalty - Picture Postcards.** c.1900-30 Postcards, the extensive collection in nine albums with individual and family portraits, royal visits and events, real photographic cards, caricatures and comic, Alfonso XIII with the Wright brothers at their Aviation School, royal visit to England, royal births and children, etc., also some 1929 Barcelona Exhibition cards. (c.1,100). £400-500
- 1752 **Royalty - Signed Photos.** Fine signed photos of King Alfonso XIII, with 1928 inscription to major W.W.T Torr; or his wife Victoria Eugenia, with 1926 inscription to Major Torr; also postcard of their children Beatriz and Maria Cristina signed by both children with Christmas greetings on reverse from Victoria Eugenia, 1955 Christmas card signed by King Alfonso, 1933 signed photo of Miklos Horthy (Regent of Hungary) inscribed to Lord Chilton, a large silk picture of Alfonso XIII, a photo of the Spanish King and Queen at Cowes Regatta, and various other pictures, photos and related memorabilia, the photos mostly framed. (5+). £300-400
- 1753 Ⓢ **Elobey, Annobon & Corisco.** 1907 1c - 10p Set of sixteen affixed to an archival piece from the Goa Post Office Specimen collection, each handstamped violet “ULTRAMAR” applied in Lisbon to U.P.U Specimens prior to distribution to the Portuguese Colonies. (16). £300-350
- 1754 Ⓢ **Puerto Rico.** 1897 5c Brown violet and 80c black, 1898 1m - 2p set of twenty, all handstamped “MUESTRA” (2 types), all fine mint, the complete collection of stamps sent to the U.P.U handstamped Muestra. (22). Photo on Page 226. £300-350

SUDAN

(Also see lots 991, 1496)

- 1755 ★ Ⓟ **Varieties.** 1897-2008 Mint stamps with varieties, the collection in two albums including 1897 1m overprint inverted (2, one with 1991 R.P.S Certificate, the other offered ‘as-is’, also a forgery), 1927 4m inverted watermark, 1931 2p Air Mail overprint sheet of sixty including extended “R” variety, 1935 2½p on 3m missing arabic letter within a block, 1940 5m on 10m with all four listed varieties within pairs, 1948 5m inverted watermark, also School overprints, 1927 10p colour trial, 1940 4½p surcharge proofs (6) and various 1951 proofs, many post-independence issues including 1962 surcharges with complete sheets (4) showing inverted, double or missing surcharge on certain stamps, various 1997-2007 surcharge varieties with 2000 U.P.U 150D black printed twice, 2006 Africa Cup £S4.5 black printed twice, etc. An interesting collection. (S.G. £1,050 for 1897-1948 listed varieties). (1,600+). £400-500
- 1756 ★ Ⓡ **Officials.** 1900-2003 Mint collection in an album including S.G. O1 (3) and O2 (3) with inverted and reversed perfins, S.G. O3-18 with some listed varieties, S.G. O21/5, O27/8 and O30-O83, additional 1936-46 ordinary paper or chalk-surfaced paper varieties (including O33a, 38a, 39ca, 40a, 41a), later issues apparently complete, also 1903 1m, 3m, 5p Specimens; Army Official issues including A1a/b, A3, A4, A12/3 (10p, S.G. A13, with toned gum), A14-A18, A20-24, also A6/10, A14/6 with Specimen overprints; and some postage due and telegraph issues. S.G. £5,000 for 1900-1954 issues. (100s). £550-650

SWAZILAND

- 1757 ★ 1889 Perf 12½ 2d overprinted Swaziland, variety overprint inverted, fine mint. S.G. 5a, £1,200. Photo on Page 238. £200-250

SWEDEN

(Also see lot 459)

- 1758 ○ ★ 1855-2010 Mainly used collection in three Davo Albums, including 1855-58 set (rare 3s fine, 4s, 6s faults), 1856-62 Stockholm local issue in black and bistre, 1858-72 set, 1862-72 3ore, 17ore purple, 1872-79 perf 14 and perf 13 sets, Landstorm sets with second 1916 issue used, 1924 U.P.U Congress set used, U.P.U Anniversary set mint and used, postage dues, officials, etc. Fine quality, largely complete, also used stamps in year packs between 1995 and 2014. S.G. £9,000+. (3 Albums). Photo on Page 238. £700-900

TOGO

- 1759 △ ○ 1915 (May) Anglo-French Occupation overprints (type 7) on Gold Coast, ½d pair used on piece, the right stamp with variety "CUPATION"; also 1d used with variety "CCUPATION", a little toning and two short perfs at upper left corner, two scarce varieties used. S.G. H34e, 35f, both unpriced used. (2). Photo on Page 238. £100-120
- 1760 △ 1915 (May) Gold Coast £1 with Anglo-French Occupation overprint type 7, variety small "F", tied to piece by Assahun c.d.s, very fine. S.G. H46a, £500. Photo on Page 246. £120-150

TONGA

- 1761 (P) (S) 1988 Australian Bicentennial miniature sheets including an imperforate proof of the Niuafu'ou sheet on thick card and Specimen overprints on both sheets; and 1989 Cricket through the Ages miniature sheet with imperf proof strip of five stamps and sheet overprinted Specimen, also all miniature sheets mint, used and on F.D.Cs (26). £80-100
- 1762 (S) ✉ **Postal Stationery.** 1906 1d Postcards with coloured views on the reverse (3, Pine-Apple Plantation, A Native Village and Stripping Bark for Tappa Making), and 1910 1½d lettercard, all overprinted "SPECIMEN". (4). £180-200

TRINIDAD & TOBAGO

Tobago

- 1763 ✉ 1811-49 Entire letters to G.B, comprising 1811 letter endorsed "P. The Ship Tobago Capt'n M. Lewin" with Dover Ship Letter, 1843 letter with Tobago fleuron datestamp and Grenada transit datestamp, and 1849 letter with Tobago double arc datestamp. (3). £80-100
- 1764 ★ ○ 1879-96 Mint and used collection with 1879 1d - 5/-, 1880 ½d - 1/- and all 1882-96 issues complete mint and used (except 1879 3d, the 1879 5/- used possibly a forged cancel), also varieties including 1879 6d and 1880 4d inverted watermarks both used, 1883 2½d surcharge long tail to "2" mint and used, malformed "CE" on 1882 4d green used (2, one thinned), 1885 4d grey mint and used (2), 1891 ½d on 4d and 2½d on 4d both mint, Slash flaw on 1882 2½d (2) and 1885-96 1d used, wide space in surcharge varieties including 1896 ½d on 4d used, broken "O", stop after "G" and "G" joined to circle plate flaws, misplaced surcharges, Crown CA fiscal issues with apparent postal use and £1 mint, 1896 ½d on 4d used on cover, etc. A few faults though most are fine, a good collection. S.G. £12,000 (approx). (223 + cover). Photo on Page 238. £900-1,200



1757



Ex 1758



1759



1765



1766



Ex 1767



Ex 1771



Ex 1773



1779



Ex 1786



Ex 1794



1800



1804



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Ex 1850



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Ex 1850



Ex 1764



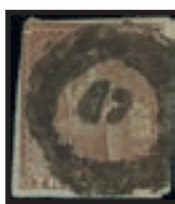
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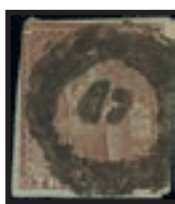
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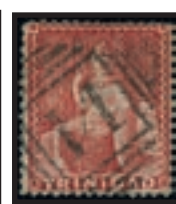
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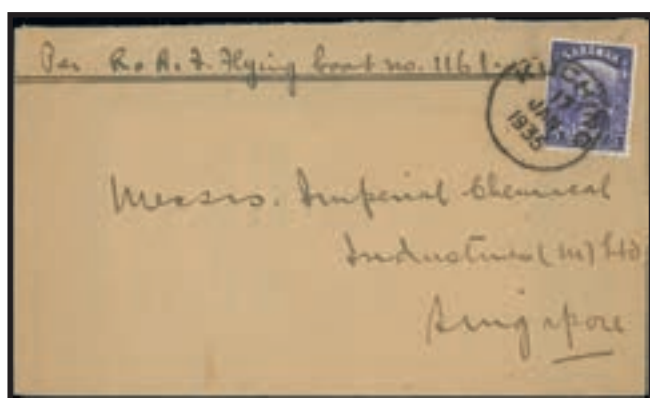


Ex 1850

- 1765 △ 1880 1d Manuscript surcharge on half 6d orange tied to piece by “A14” cancel, scarce. S.G. 7, £1,100. Photo on Page 238. £200-250
- 1766 ★ 1880 4d Yellow-green, watermark Crown CC, variety malformed “CE” in “PENCE”, fine mint, very scarce. S.G. 10b, £1,900. Photo on Page 238. £400-500
- 1767 ★ ○ 1882-96 Crown CA ½d, 1d, 2½d, 4d, 1/- olive-yellow, 1/- pale olive-yellow and 1/- orange-brown fine mint, and 6d fine used, all with Slash flaw. S.G. £1,810. (8). Photo on Page 238. £350-450
- 1768 ★ [B] 1885-96 Crown CA plate blocks from the upper right corner of the left pane, 1d block of fifteen (3x5), 4d block of twelve (3x4) and 6d block of twenty (4x5) all including the Slash flaw on stamp 1/4, plate number “1”, all superb unmounted mint. S.G. 21/a, 22/b, 23/a, £830+. (3 Blocks). £200-250
- 1769 ★ [B] 1882-96 Crown CA 2½d plate block of twelve (6x2) and 4d plate block of fifteen (3x5) both containing the variety Slash flaw repaired, also 4d lower right corner strip of three with variety malformed “CE”, all plate number “1”, unmounted mint. S.G. 16/c, 22/b/c. £825+. (3 multiples). £200-250
- 1770 ○ [H] 1896 1/- Orange-brown block of four used, a very scarce multiple. S.G. 24c, £560++. Photo on Page 258. £150-180
- 1771 ○ 1886-87 ½d Surcharges on 2½d, 6d stone or 6d orange-brown, all with variety wide space between “½” and “Penny”, all fine used, S.G. 26/8a, £640. (3). Photo on Page 238. £140-160
- 1772 ★ [B] 1889 1d Surcharge on 2½d, unmounted mint marginal block of six with plate number “1”, very unusual. S.G. 29, £660++. Photo on Page 186. £150-180
- 1773 ○ △ 1891-92 ½d on 4d and 2½d on 4d surcharges, both with variety malformed “CE”, the 2½d on 4d on piece with a couple of clipped perf tips at lower left, otherwise fine used. S.G. 30b, 31a, £975. (2). Photo on Page 238. £180-200
- 1774 ○ 1896 ½d on 4d, first setting, reconstructed block of twelve comprising strips of three and four, a pair and three singles, stamps 5, 6, 8, 9 and 11 with wide gap between “½” and “d”, all cancelled by 1897 (Feb. 5) Tobago datestamps. S.G. 33/a, £1,705. (12) £300-350
- 1775 ○ [X] **Cancellations.** QV-KGVI Stamps of Tobago (28 + 3 covers), Trinidad (24) or Trinidad & Tobago (10) including scarce “14” (2), “15” (2) and “16” (2) numeral cancels, Tobago double arc datestamps (4), “LATE FEE”, Money Order, Parcel Post and Official Paid datestamps, Tobago stamps cancelled in Trinidad and Barbados, and datestamps of Roxboro, Speyside and Scarborough, also two 1893-94 covers franked 1d posted within Tobago or to Trinidad. (65). Photo on Page 238. £140-160
- 1776 [X] **Cancellations/Postal Stationery.** 1894 (Jan. 24) Germany 10pf reply card, reply half commercially used from Tobago to Germany, the stamp cancelled in manuscript with a Tobago c.d.s and the very scarce “14” numeral in a diamond, believed to have been used on the inland postal route between Scarborough and Roxborough. Photo on Page 240. £150-180
- 1777 [X] **Postal Stationery.** 1891-96 Postal stationery postcards comprising 1892 provisional ½d on 1½d and 1d on 1½d cards unused, ½d on 1½d cards to Trinidad or registered to San Marino bearing two 1d stamps, unusual. (4). £120-150

Trinidad

- 1778 [X] 1851 (Dec. 28) Cover to England franked 1d purple-brown (two margins, paying the internal postage) cancelled numeral “1” (type 1b) of Port of Spain, charged 1/-, Trinidad and arrival backstamps. A fine cover in the first year of use of Trinidad stamps. Photo on Page 240. £150-200
- 1779 ○ 1852 1d Blue, first printing with fine impression and clear distinct background lines, on blue cartridge paper, fine used with “1” cancel, good to large margins. S.G. 14, £2,500. Photo on Page 238. £300-400



1707



Ex 1726



Ex 1750



1776



1778



Ex 1788



1789



1813

- 1780 ★ ○ 1852-1906 Mint and used collection with a good range of Britannia issues (116), some numeral cancels, 1869 5/- used (3), 1894 5/- mint (8) and used (4), 1896 5/- used on piece, 1883 formula postcard with two bisected stamps used to Tobago (staining), unused formula card with 1d + 1d bisect, other bisects on piece (2), a range of 1882 manuscript 1d surcharges (72), a few forgeries, etc. (243). £300-400
- 1781 ⑤ 1869-1903 Issues affixed by part own gum to two pages from the Royal Swedish General Post Office Specimen collection, comprising 1869 5/- rose-lake, 1876 perf 14 6d yellow-green, 1883-84 ½d, 1d and 1/- all with tiny "SPECIMEN" handstamp type TRI1, 1883 2½d and 4d, 1896 ½d - £1 set of ten, 1898 Columbus Commemoration 2d, 1899 3d on 5d and 1901-06 ½d - 5/- set of six all with the standard type D12 De la Rue Specimen overprint, also 1894 "OS" overprint ½d - 5/- official set of seven. An interesting combination of specimen stamps from the 1884 distribution of single stamps, with later issues. S.G. £1,095 + unlisted specimens. (32). £700-800
- 1782 ⑤ ☒ 1869-96 Stamps (11) and QV 2d + 2d reply card with locally applied Specimen overprints, comprising type TRI1 on 1869 5/-, 1883-84 ½d - 4d, 1/- (2, one without gum), 1885 postage due 4d (corner fault) and 6d and the reply card, type TRI2 on 1896 5/- (small corner thin), also 1883-84 1d, 4d and 6d (all without gum) and unissued 3d on 5d with type D12 Specimen overprint. (16) £150-200
- 1783 ★ ○ **Officials.** 1894 O.S Overprint ½d - 5/- set of seven mint, ½d - 1/- used, and 5/- with a fake cancel. Also unused 1d postcard with "On Official Service Only" overprint, some staining. The stamps all fine, very uncommon. S.G. O1/7, £1,255+. (15). £150-180
- 1784 ○ **Postage Due.** 1905-06 3d Plate number in lower margin, watermark Multiple Crown CA, variety watermark inverted, fine used. A scarce used plate number stamp. S.G. D12w, £180++. £60-70
- 1785 ⑤ ○ **Fee Stamps.** 1887-96 "Fee" (16) and "Free Fee" (5) overprints including 1887 1d Fee and Free error (the "R" deleted in ink, creased), overprint essays on the 3d violet postage due (stained), 4d grey and 5/- rose-lake, 1d apparently postally used, a few faults, the overprint essays very scarce. (21). Photo on Page 246. £200-250
- 1786 ○ △ **Cancellations.** 1851-1935 Stamps and pieces (c.450) and covers (13), numeral cancels including type 1 (12), 2 (15), 3 (2), 4 (26), 5, 6 (20), c.d.s type 7 (23), 8, duplex type 9 (35, also numbers T5 and T9 used as arrival marks on covers, one cancelled by type 6 numeral "9" of Manzanilla), circular datestamps including Guayaguayare and Monos, G.B 1/- cancelled by Trinidad double arc datestamp, steamer datestamps, "D22" numerals of Ciudad Bolivar (4), maritime cancels with French Anchor in retta, French sea post, paquebots, "EDEN" and "SOLENT" cachets, Posted on Board, Plymouth & Bristol T.P.O c.d.s or "B16", overseas cancels, etc. A fine collection with many very scarce cancels, a few apparently unrecorded. (450+). Photo on Pages 238 & 246. £1,000-1,200
- 1787 ○ **Cancellations - Explanatory Handstamps.** 1860-83 1d - 5/- Cancelled straight line "TOO-LATE" (40, ten in red), "LATE" (2, one in red), "REGISTERED" (5) or partial boxed "Too Late For Bag", various types, eighteen also with datestamps or numeral cancels, mainly Britannia issues. (48). £100-120
- 1788 ⑤ ☒ **Postal Stationery.** 1884 ½d, 1d, 1½d and 2d Postcards, 1d, 1½d and 2d reply cards, 2d F and G size registration envelopes, and ½d and 1d wrappers, all with tiny "SPECIMEN" handstamp type TRI1, a complete presentation set of postal stationery, superb and rare, ex Marriott. (11). Photo on Page 240. £600-700
- 1789 ☒ **Postal Stationery.** 1892 2d Reply card, reply half posted from Dresden to a German sailor on S.M.S "Moltke" at Port of Spain, redirected to Jamaica, datestamps of London, Trinidad and Kingston. A scarce commercial use of this reply card from Germany, minor staining. Photo on Page 240. £120-150

Trinidad & Tobago

- 1790 ★ ○ 1913-35 Mint and used stamps, mainly War Tax issues with many multiples and varieties including inverted and double overprints, broken letters due to preprinting paper folds, misplaced overprints, also 1916 ½d Official overprint double, a few Specimen overprints, 1922-28 set mint, 1935 Silver Jubilee 6d extra flagstaff mint, etc. (c.640). £200-250
- 1791 ⑤ ★ 1935-44 Issues with 1935-37 set perfined "SPECIMEN" unused no gum (all marginal), set mint and used with some additional stamps, 8c sheet of sixty; and 1938-44 1c - 60c perfined "SPECIMEN" (the nine values issued in 1938), set mint and used with some additional values, also ten covers. S.G. 230/8, 246/56, £850+. (160 + 10 covers). £80-100
- 1792 ○ **Revenues.** 1908-35 Embossed revenue issues used, pence issues overprinted in three lines (65) or two lines (5), and cents issues (5, including \$24 value, unlisted by Barefoot), various values. (75). £100-120

TURKEY

(Also see lots 461, 1527)

- 1793 ⑤ ☒ **Postal Stationery.** 1914 10pa and 20p Postcards and reply cards, 20pa and 1pi envelopes, lettercards and reply letter cards, 2pa and 10pa wrappers, 1pi registration envelopes sizes G, H2 and K, all overprinted "SPECIMEN" by the printers Bradbury Wilkinson, size K registration envelope with vertical fold, otherwise superb. The only Turkish postal stationery sent to the U.P.U with a Specimen overprint. (15). £400-500

TURKS & CAICOS ISLANDS

- 1794 ★ ○ 1867-95 Mint and used collection including QV vignette proof, 1867 1d double perf, 1d block of four and 1d throat flaw (2, one used), 1873 1d throat flaw, 1881 surcharges comprising S.G. 7 (3), 8 (3), 9 (6), 12 (2), 13 (3), 14 (4), 15, 16, 17 (5), 18 (7, one used, three with throat flaw), 19 (4, two used), 20, 21 (2), 22 (2, one used), 23, 26, 28, 29, 42 (2, both used), 43 (3, one used), 44 (used), 45 (used), 48, also a cover bearing S.G. 7 + S.G. 43 with three other stamps unfortunately removed, 1882 2d red-brown mint block of four, 1889-93 Crown CA 1d lake mint sheet of thirty, 1d lake bisects (2) and 1d crimson lake bisect all on pieces, 1893 ½d on 4d setting 2 mint (3) and used on piece with a bisected 4d, etc. A good lot with some uncommon stamps, some unused stamps without gum and some trimmed perfs on the 1867-81 issues but many fine, also a few forgeries. S.G. £15,000 (approx). (207 + 2 covers). Photo on Pages 238 & 244. £1,200-1,500
- 1795 ★ 1881 2½ on 1/- Dull blue, surcharge type 26, mint, large part gum and full perforations, hinge remainders, a fine example of this scarce stamp. S.G. 39, £3,750. Photo on Front Cover. £500-600
- 1796 ★ ○ 1900-35 Mint and used collection including 1900 set overprinted "SPECIMEN", mint (also 2½d inverted watermark) and used, 1913-21 2/- emerald and blue-green paper blocks mint, War Tax overprints with varieties, 1922-26 imperforate plate proofs in blue on card (13) and set used, 1928 set mint and used, etc. S.G. £2,400+. (328). £300-350
- 1797 ★ ○ **War Tax Stamps.** 1917-19 Mint and used study including 1917 (Jan.) 1d overprint inverted mint (2) and used, 1918 (June) 1d mint pair with inverted watermark, many minor varieties with broken letters, incomplete and misplaced overprints, preprinting paper fold, blocks, covers (6), etc. (322). £100-120
- 1798 ☒ 1869-1909 Covers and cards including 1889 2½d envelope and 1904 postcard franked 1d both with two line "JAMAICA / TRANSIT", 1889 commercial registered cover to London franked 4d, 1897 registered cover franked ½d, 2½d, 4d and 5d, etc., also ingoing mail comprising 1869 entire from G.B to the Turks Island Postmaster franked 1/-, 1896 postal stationery postcard from France, and 1897 registered cover from Mauritius franked 48c. (13). £150-180

- 1799 ☒ △ **Cancellations.** QV-KGVI Covers (6), stamps and pieces (54), the KGV period covers with Turks Island single ring c.d.s used at Grand Turk or Cockburn Harbour (3, one registered cover with matching C.O.P and delivery slip) or Salt Cay c.d.s (2, registered), also very scarce boxed Rural Post Blue Hills cancel on ¼d, oval Radio Office Salt Cay on piece, Paquebots, etc. (60). Photo on Page 238. £200-250

VIRGIN ISLANDS

- 1800 ○ **G.B Used in Tortola.** 1856 6d Lilac cancelled "A13", pulled upper left corner perf and tiny thin at upper right, otherwise fine and scarce. S.G. Z3, £2,250. Photo on Page 238. £250-300
- 1801 ② 1866 Die Proofs comprising 1d in bright blue on wove paper, 1d in pale blue or sage green on card, 6d in sage green on card, good to large margins, all fine. (4). £200-250
- 1802 ② ○ 1866 Imperforate plate proofs or colour trials comprising 1d in blue (2) or green (6, shades), 6d in blue (2) or rose (6, shades, two creased) on ungummed wove paper; also an imperf 1d green postally used with "A91" cancel, trimmed and corner fault but very unusual. (17). £200-250
- 1803 ★ ○ 1866 Perf 12 Selection on pages comprising 1d mint or unused (39) and used (11), 6d mint or unused (52, with three blocks of four) and used (20), white and toned papers, shades. S.G. 1/7. (122). £500-600
- 1804 ★ 1866 1d Green on toned paper, perf 15x12, perforated margin at left with impressions of vertical perfs showing a previous failed attempt to perforate the margin, unused with traces of gum only, a very scarce stamp. S.G. 5a, £5,500. Photo on Page 238. £400-500
- 1805 ★ 1866 1d Green on toned paper, perf 15x12, imperforate between stamp and left margin, unused with traces of gum only, a very scarce stamp. S.G. 5a, £5,500. Photo on Front Cover. £500-600
- 1806 ★ 1866 1d Green on toned paper, perf 15, stamp 2/4 from the first setting clearly in the colour of the 1866 issue, unused, applied to a piece of album page. The perf 15 1d is only listed by Gibbons in blue-green or yellow-green, but one other example is recorded in this green shade issued in 1866. Very unusual. Photo on Page 178. £100-120
- 1807 ★ ○ 1866 6d Rose-red on toned paper, large "V" variety, first state mint (3) and second state mint (4, one stained) or used (3). S.G. 7a, £3,050. (10). £300-400
- 1808 ★ ○ 1868-70 Perf 15 1d mint or unused (155) and used (32, with a pair and strip of three), the study with several partial or complete sheet reconstructions, scarce mint large part sheet of eleven (missing stamp 1, heavy crease to three stamps), double perf, white and toned papers and shades. (187). £600-700
- 1809 ★ ○ 1867-70 Perf 15 4d, 6d and 1/- mint and used selection, various shades and papers with at least one example of every listed stamp, comprising 4d mint (20) and used (10), 6d mint or unused (15) and used (4) with a partial reconstruction of fifteen stamps, and 1/- mint or unused (6) and used (7), also 1888 4d on 1/- used (3). A good lot, including the scarce 1/- crimson frame on greyish paper (S.G. 20) mint and used (2), a few faults though most are fine. S.G. 8/21b, £12,500+. (65). Photo on Page 246. £700-1,000
- 1810 ② 1867 4d Die Proofs in dull mauve, orange, or green, all on card, large margins, all fine. (3). Photo on Pages 244 & 258. £250-300
- 1811 ② 1867 4d Imperforate colour trials, strip of three and singles (2, one on pink paper) in differing shades of red, on ungummed wove paper. (5). £100-120
- 1812 ★ ② 1867 4d Lake-red on buff paper, mint sheet of twenty five, part lower margin missing, the other margins attached with hinges, twelve stamps unmounted, a scarce sheet. S.G. 16, £1,125+. £500-600
- 1813 ☒ 1881 (July) Cover to Charles Hadfield in London franked 4d lake-brown (minor staining to upper corners) tied by a smudged and heavily degraded strike of the A91 numeral, Tortola and London backstamps, light vertical fold and minor edge wear. A very scarce stamp on cover, ex Frazer. Photo on Page 240. £250-350



1676



Ex 1678



Ex 1679



Ex 1683



Ex 1685



Ex 1692



Ex 1794



1723



1822



1824



1844



1828



1831



1834



Ex 1854



1946



Ex 1960



Ex 1909



1959



Ex 1868



Ex 1961



Ex 1810

- 1814 ★ ○ 1867-70 1/- on Greyish or toned paper, a partial reconstruction of fifteen positions (from the sheet of twenty), comprising mint or unused stamps (10, including position 11 with long tailed “S”) and used (5, most with faults), mixed condition but most of the unused stamps fine. S.G. 14, £4,000+. (15).
£300-400
- 1815 ⑤ 1867 1/- Crimson frames, imperforate plate proof, stamp 16 from the lower left corner, no gum, fine and very scarce, ex. Ferrary. Photo on Page 246. £400-500
- 1816 ★ ○ 1867 1/- Crimson frames, a reconstructed sheet of twenty with mint or unused (18) and used (2) stamps, white and toned papers, position 11 with long tailed “S”, position 19 with long sleeve variety, mainly fine. S.G. 18/19, £1,650+. (20). £200-250
- 1817 ★ ⑤ 1867 1/- Crimson frames, mint sheet of twenty, stamp 11 with variety long tail to “S” and stamp 19 with long sleeve variety, unmounted, superb and scarce. S.G. 19, £1,650++. Photo on Page 256. £600-800
- 1818 ★ ○ 1867 1/- Crimson frames on greyish paper, a reconstructed sheet of twenty, stamp 20 used, the others all mint or unused, includes stamp 11 with long tail to “S” variety (fault at left) and stamp 19 with long sleeve variety, stamps 10 and 20 with some trimmed perfs, the others mainly fine. Probably the only existing sheet reconstruction of this uncommon stamp, of which only 40-50 sheets were printed. S.G. 20, £16,650. (20). £1,500-1,800
- 1819 △ c.1867 Piece bearing 1866 perf 12 1d deep green and 1867 1/- with crimson frames on greyish paper cancelled “A91”, a very unusual stamp combination. S.G. 2, 20, £965+. Photo on Page 246. £200-250
- 1820 ○ 1867 1/- Crimson frames, stamp 11 with long tail to “S”, used with “A91” cancel, fine and scarce, ex Snowden. S.G. 20a, £2,750. Photo on Front Cover. £600-700
- 1821 ✉ 1872 (Mar. 26) Mourning envelope to Charles Hadfield in London bearing 1/- with crimson frames tied by “A91” cancel, Totola backstamp, the stamp with major faults to both upper corners, the cover with tears to upper edge and flap and minor edge wear, nevertheless a rare stamp on cover, ex Frazer. Photo on Page 250. £200-250
- 1822 ⑤ 1868 1/- Single frame line, imperforate plate proof, no gum, fine and scarce, ex. Ferrary. Photo on Page 244. £300-350
- 1823 ★ ○ 1868 1/- Single frame line, toned and white papers, partial sheet reconstruction of 16 stamps (from the sheet of 20), position 16 an imperforate plate proof (thinned), position 6 and 15 used, the others mint or unused, including stamp 11 with long tail to “S” (a little soiled) and stamp 19 with long sleeve variety, a few small faults, the majority fine. S.G. 21, £2,850+. (16). £300-400
- 1824 ○ 1868 1/- Single frame line on toned paper, used stamps cancelled by “A93” mailboat numeral, or “B16” numeral applied on the Plymouth & Bristol T.P.O, the first with minor staining but a rare cancel on Virgin Islands, the second with faults. An unusual pair, ex Jaffe. S.G. 21. (2). Photo on Page 244. £120-150
- 1825 ✉ 1873 (Dec.) Mourning cover to Charles Hadfield in London bearing 1868 1/- (single frame line) just tied by “A13” cancel, red London Paid arrival c.d.s alongside, backstamped at Tortola. Two small tears to upper edge and flap torn, otherwise fine and a very scarce stamp on cover, ex McCann. Photo on Page 250. £500-600
- 1826 ⑤ 1878 1d Yellow-Green, watermark Crown CC, overprinted “CANCELLED” type D7, affixed to a piece cut from a De la Rue archival page with pencil date “Feb 1 77” above, very rare. Photo on Page 246. £300-350
- 1827 ★ ○ 1878 1d Green watermark Crown CC sideways mint (13) and used, upright watermark mint (13) and used (3), shades. S.G. 22/b, £3,100. (30). £250-300
- 1828 ⑤ 1879-80 1d Green and 2½d red-brown, watermark Crown CC, both overprinted “CANCELLED” type D7, affixed to separate pieces, from the De la Rue archives, very rare. (2). Photo on Page 244. £600-700



Ex 1708



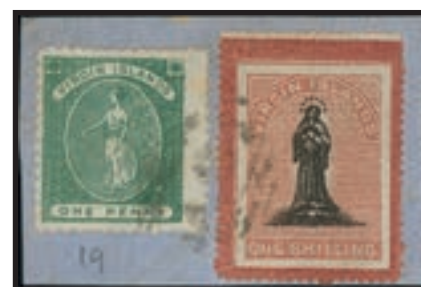
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1951

- 1829 ★ ○ 1879-80 Crown CC 1d green mint marginal pair with plate number "1", mint (3) and used (2), 2½d red-brown mint (3) and used, one mint 2½d a little soiled, otherwise largely fine. S.G. 24/5, £1,100. (11).
£120-150
- 1830 ★ ☐ 1879 2½d Red-brown, watermark Crown CC, mint block of four, very fine, a scarce multiple. S.G. 25, £480+.
Photo on Page 258. £200-250
- 1831 Ⓢ 1883 ½d Yellow-buff, watermark Crown CA, overprinted "CANCELLED" type D4, affixed to piece, small ink mark at upper left. From the De la Rue archives, very rare. Photo on Page 244. £300-350
- 1832 Ⓢ 1883 ½d Dull green and 1d pale rose, watermark Crown CA, both overprinted "CANCELLED" type D7, affixed to separate pieces, one with pencil date "27 Aug 83". From the De la Rue archives, very rare. (2).
Photo on Page 246. £600-700
- 1833 Ⓟ 1883 ½d Dull green, imperforate plate proof on Crown CA watermarked paper, no gum, minor rubbing at left, scarce. Photo on Page 238. £100-120
- 1834 Ⓢ 1884 2½d Ultramarine, watermark Crown CA, overprinted "SPECIMEN" type D5 in red, affixed to piece, minor perf tones at upper right, from the De la Rue archives, very rare, especially in red. Photo on Page 244.
£300-350
- 1835 Ⓟ 1884 2½d Ultramarine, imperforate plate proof on gummed Crown CA watermarked paper, margin at right, very fine and scarce. Photo on Page 238. £300-350
- 1836 ★ ☐ 1883-84 Crown CA ½d - 2½d set of four, with both 1d shades, all in mint blocks of four, the 2½d in a corner marginal block with plate number "2", 1d pale rose block with light crease to lower pair, otherwise all fine and very scarce. S.G. 26/31, £920+. (5 Blocks). Photo on Page 258. £500-700
- 1837 ★ ○ 1883-84 Crown CA ½d - 2½d mint and used selection including ½d yellow-buff mint (2, one with double vertical perfs at right) and used (2), ½d dull green and 1d deep rose plate number singles mint, ½d dull green block of six used on piece and detached triangle flaw mint and used (minor staining), 1d pale rose mint and used, 1d deep rose mint (3) and used (2), 2½d mint block of four, etc. Also 1901 2½d envelope registered to the USA, bearing 1883 ½d green with detached triangle variety (an edge tear unfortunately just extending into the stamp) + 1899 ½d pair + Leewards ½d, philatelic but a scarce variety on cover. S.G. 26/31, £2,500. (36 + cover). £280-350
- 1838 Ⓟ 1887 1d Rose, imperforate plate proofs on Crown CA paper, one with traces of gum only, a second proof tied to piece by an apparently genuine "A91" cancel, presumably cancelled to order but very unusual. (2). Photo on Page 238. £180-220
- 1839 Ⓢ 1887 1d - 1/- Set of four and 1899 ½d - 5/- set of eight all overprinted "SPECIMEN", affixed by own part gum to a printed album page, from the Royal Swedish General Post Office Specimen collection. S.G. £475 as stamps. (12). £180-200
- 1840 Ⓢ ☐ 1887 Crown CA 6d deep violet, upper right corner block of six all overprinted "SPECIMEN", light creasing to the left vertical pair, otherwise fine, a very scarce Specimen block. Also the Specimen set of four, fine mint. (10). Photo on Page 246. £300-400
- 1841 ★ ○ 1887-89 Crown CA 1d - 1/-, mint and used selection comprising 1d mint (14) and used (25, with block of eight and strip of four on piece), 4d mint (9, one pair with reversed watermark) and used (10), 6d mint (10, with long "I" variety) and used (4), 1/- sepia mint (7) and used (3), 1/- brown mint (3) and used (4), shades. Also Specimen set of four (three without gum). S.G. 32/41, £3,550. (92). £300-350
- 1842 ★ ☐ 1887 1d Rose and 6d deep violet in mint sheets of 24, mounted in the margins only, the stamps unmounted, 6d sheet with tall "I" variety, both fine. S.G. 34, 39, £600+. (2 sheets). £200-250
- 1843 ★ ☐ 1887 4d Chestnut, mint sheet of 24, mounted in the margins only, the stamps unmounted, a couple of marginal thins, otherwise very fine. S.G. 35, £840+. £200-250

- 1844 (P) 1887 1/- Red, imperforate colour trial on gummed Crown CA watermarked paper, fine and scarce. Photo on Page 244. £250-300
- 1845 ★ [B] 1887 1/- Brown, mint sheet of 24, a few perfs reinforced with hinges, left three stamps with light crease, good appearance, scarce. S.G. 41, £1,200+. £300-350
- 1846 [E] 1890 (June/July) Registered O.H.M.S cover and part cover from Tortola with "A91" cancels, the cover to Pemberton Wilson & Co in London franked 6d deep violet, the part cover (reduced at left, part flap missing) to Moens in Brussels franked 1d red pair + 4d chestnut, two correctly rated covers sent in the correct period prior to the issue of Leewards stamps in October 1890. (2). £150-200
- 1847 (E) 1887 Antigua 4d chestnut with "VIRGIN ISLANDS" essay overprint, minor soiling, no gum. A rare essay from the De la Rue archives, ex Yardley. Photo on Page 238. £250-300
- 1848 ★ ○ 1888 4d Surcharge on 1/-, partial reconstruction of 16 positions (from the sheet of twenty), comprising mint (12) and used (4), including stamp 11 with long tail to "S" variety mint, stamp 19 with long sleeve variety within a mint block of four, mint and used pairs, white and toned papers, all fine. S.G. 42, £2,680+. (16). £300-400
- 1849 (P) 1899 ½d Yellow-green imperforate plate proof vertical pair on gummed watermarked paper, fine and scarce. Photo on Page 258. £250-300
- 1850 ★ ○ 1899 ½d - 5/-, Mint and used selection including Specimen, mint and used sets, additional examples of all values with a further three used 5/- stamps, ½d mint corner block of six including both value errors, both ½d value errors used, ½d imperf between stamp and central margin mint, 1d imperforate between stamp and margin mint (2), 4d value error mint (also used with faults), etc. S.G. 43/50, £2,200. (62). Photo on Page 238. £300-400
- 1851 [E] 1899-1913 Covers and cards bearing stamps of the 1895 issue, including set of eight on 1899 cover to Germany, 1d on 1902 D.W.I 1c card to St. Thomas, ½d pair or 1d on commercial 1903 picture postcards to G.B, 1909 cover to Dominica with both ½d value errors, 1901 Leewards 2d registration envelope franked 2½d + 1867-70 4d + 1887-89 1d, etc. (7). £150-180
- 1852 ★ ○ 1904-49 Mint and used collection including 1904 KEVII Specimen set handstamped "ULTRAMAR" (shilling values discoloured), 1904 and 1913-19 sets mint and used, 1922-28 sets mint and Script CA Specimen set, War Stamps, 1935 Jubilee 1d kite and vertical log mint, a few covers, etc. S.G. 54/129, £1,000+. (222). £150-180
- 1853 (F) **Forgeries.** Various forged stamps and cancels, mainly the 1866-68 issues including Fournier sheets of 25 (2), also unusual forgeries of the 1879-84 key-plate issue (6), etc. (140). £140-160
- 1854 [E] ○ **Leeward Islands used in Virgin Islands.** 1890-1903 QV Covers (6), stamps and pieces (61) used at Tortola, with 1897 registered cover to Nova Scotia franked ½d + 4d, 1902 and 1903 covers both bearing the three 1902 1d surcharges, ½d newspaper wrapper cancelled to order and 2½d envelopes (2), also all 1890 values (three complete sets with additional values, a couple miscoloured), Sexagenary issues to the 1/-, and QV issues of Antigua (2), St. Vincent (2) and Turks Islands cancelled "A91" at Tortola. S.G. £2,400 (approx). (68 + 6 covers). Photo on Page 244. £300-400
- 1855 [E] ○ **Leeward Islands used in Virgin Islands.** KEVII-KGVI Covers (5), stamps and pieces (156) including all KEVII sets, 1912-22 set with additional 5/- (4), 1921-32 set to £1 (the 10/- on piece) and 2½d orange-yellow on an apparently commercial cover, 1931-32 die I set, 1938-51 ¼d - 5/- on cover and £1 on piece, etc. A good lot with some scarce stamps used in the Virgin Islands. S.G. £3,000+. (161). Photo on Page 246. £400-500

- 1856 ☒ ○ **Cancellations.** QV-KGV Covers (3), stamps and pieces (109) with cancels of Anegada (5), East End (5, four on KEVII stamps), West End (38 + 2 covers, nine on KEVII stamps) or Virgin-Gorda (25), maritime and overseas cancels, 1917 cover with large Road Town double ring c.d.s (Proud D8), etc. Also a few QEII covers and pieces with commercial 1958 cover from Virgin Gorda, 1971 covers from Cane Garden Bay and Jost Van Dyke, etc. (124). Photo on Page 238. £250-300
- 1857 ☒ **Cancellations - Virgin-Gorda.** 1908-10 1d Postal stationery envelopes to Tortola or England, both cancelled "VIRGIN-GORDA / V.I" c.d.s, backstamped at Road Town. Two scarce early commercial covers from Virgin-Gorda, both fine. (2). £200-250
- 1858 ☒ **Cancellations - Virgin-Gorda.** 1927 (May 16/17) Registered covers to W.T Wilson in England bearing 1922-28 ½d - 2½d, 3d + 1/-, 2/6 or 5/-, all cancelled by the Virgin-Gorda c.d.s with boxed registration handstamp below, all fine, philatelic but scarce. (4). £120-150
- 1859 ☒ 1916 Picture postcard from Road Town to France with KGV ½d pair on the picture side, the address side with black "PAID / AT / TORTOLA" crowned circle handstamp, minor edge stain, otherwise fine and unusual. Also 1935 stampless registered cover to England endorsed "On Postal Service, O.H.M.S" with violet "POST OFFICE, TORTOLA", and 1953 registered cover franked 6c to England with violet oval "POSTMASTER / (crown) / VIRGIN ISLANDS". (3). £150-180
- 1860 (P) (S) **Postal Stationery.** 1880 1½d Postcard stamp, die proof in black on glazed card, reduced to stamp size and mounted with card surround; also 1½d brown postcard cut-out with scarce "CANCELLED" overprint type D7. (2). Photo on Pages 178 & 238. £120-150
- 1861 ☒ **Postal Stationery.** 1889-1927 Postcards (6) and envelopes (9), including used 1880 issue 1½d postcards (3), 1901 issue 2½d envelopes (3, both sizes, one with a stamp removed) and 1926 1d KGV envelope, some philatelic. Also 1887 France 1c postcard to the Virgin Islands Postmaster with Tortola arrival c.d.s. (16). £150-200

YEMEN

- 1862 (S) 1930 1b - 1i Set of six and 1931 ½b - 1i set of eleven all handstamped "SPECIMEN" type 1, the 1930 1b, 6b and 1i without gum, otherwise fine mint. The only Yemen stamps sent to the U.P.U with a Specimen overprint. (11). Photo on Page 258. £240-280

YUGOSLAVIA

- 1863 (S) 1940 Postal Workers charity set of five and Child Welfare charity set of four, all in strips of three, affixed to two pieces from the Mauritania Post Office Specimen collection, handstamped violet "SPECIMEN / COLLECTION / MAURITANIE", the Child Welfare set with some staining and faults, Postal Workers set superb, unique. (9 strips). £240-280

ZANZIBAR

- 1864 **Livingstone/Slavery.** 1872 (undated) Four page letter from Lieut. William Henn, R.N. on printed "LIVINGSTONE SEARCH EXPEDITION" notepaper, with good content describing captured Arab slave dhows and the numbers and conditions of the slaves, the way these slave traders deliberately wreck their dhows to escape naval vessels drowning many of the slaves, the discharging of slaves at Zanzibar harbour under the guns of the English men of war who are powerless to touch them under the treaty signed with the Sultan, and the way slave traders and customs officials in Zanzibar leave the weak or ill slaves to drown with the incoming tides. The Livingstone Search Expedition was despatched to Zanzibar in February 1872 by the British Government and Royal Geographical Society to search for Dr Livingstone (who had not been heard of since 1869) but was abandoned in April 1872 when news of Stanley's meeting with Livingstone reached Zanzibar. No cover but a rare and interesting letter, presumably from a former member of the Search Expedition written when serving on a naval anti-slavery patrol. £500-600



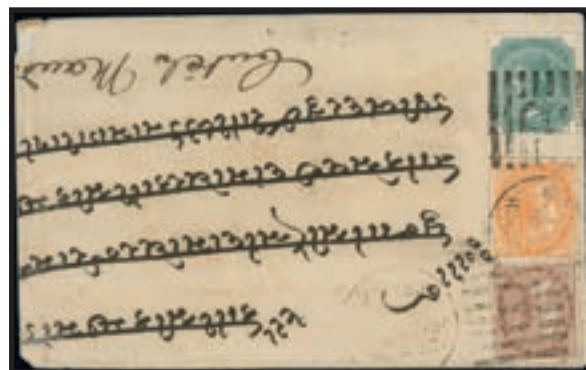
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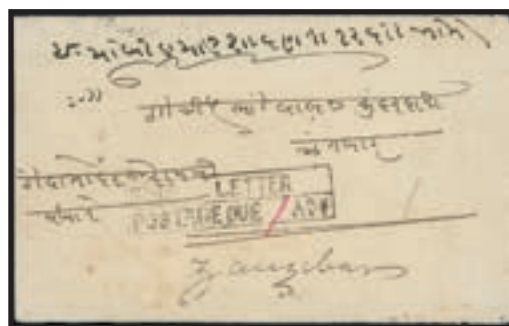
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- 1865 **Maps.** 1613 French map “Description Des Abissins” depicting central Africa with the islands of Zanzibar and Pemba, hand coloured, description on reverse, 180x117mm; c.1750 map “Cote de Zaquebar” by Robert de Vangondy, 182x234mm; and c.1750 “Chart of the Eastern Coast of Africa” drawn from the French chart of the Eastern Ocean published in 1790 by order of the Count de Maurepas, hand coloured, 209x252mm. (3).
£150-200
- 1866 ☒ 1885 (July 17) Cover from London Zanzibar franked 5d green with Zanzibar arrival c.d.s on the front, flap missing, otherwise fine, an uncommon destination at this early date. Also 1877 (May 28) P.O Circular with notice “Compulsory Prepayment of Postage to Zanzibar” and 1884 (Jan. 22) P.O Circular with notice “Prepayment of Postage to Zanzibar no longer compulsory”. (3). Photo on Page 250. £180-220

India Used in Zanzibar

- 1867 ☒ c.1876 Cover to India franked on the reverse with die II 4a tied by a diamond of bars, datestamps of Zanzibar (type Z1), Aden, Sea Post Office and Mundra alongside. Edge faults, the front and reverse virtually separated with piece missing at lower right corner, nevertheless a very scarce cancel on cover. Also a second cover with forged Zanzibar c.d.s and diamond of bars cancel. (2). £100-150
- 1868 △ ○ c.1879-82 Pieces (4) bearing ½a + die II 4a, 1a, 1a strip of three or 2a + 8a pair, and a single ½a or 12a, all cancelled by “BRITISH / P.O. / ZANZIBAR / B” duplexs, scarce on the 12a value. S.G. £820. (6). Photo on Page 244. £120-150
- 1869 ☒ c.1880 Cover to India franked 1a + 2a + die II 4a cancelled by “BRITISH / P.O. / ZANZIBAR / B” duplexs, Aden, Sea Post Office and T.P.O Enquiry Office Bombay backstamps, a little reduced at left with small fault to upper left corner, otherwise fine. Photo on Page 250. £300-400
- 1870 ☒ c.1880 Cover to India franked 1a + 2a brown-orange cancelled “BRITISH / P.O. / ZANZIBAR / B” duplex, transit datestamps of Aden, Sea Post Office and T.P.O Enquiry Office Bombay, minor edge faults, a little reduced at left. Photo on Page 250. £250-300
- 1871 ☒ c.1881 Cover to England franked ½a + die II 4a cancelled “BRITISH / P.O. / ZANZIBAR / B” duplex, Aden and Bedford backstamps, very minor staining around the ½a stamp, otherwise fine. Photo on Page 250. £300-350
- 1872 △ ○ 1882-95 Pieces (9) and stamps (77) with Zanzibar cancels, including duplex type Z3 on 2a, 3a, 4a die I and II, 6a and 1r (Z29a, scarce), squared circle type Z4 on 1a Official, 6a, 8a (2), 1r, type Z5 squared circle on 9p, 12a venetian red, ½a Official, Zanzibar Reg. c.d.s on 9p pair, 12a venetian red, 12a purple on red (2), double ring c.d.s type Z7 on 9p, 3a, 4a, 12a, 1r, etc. (94 stamps). Photo on Page 254. £250-300
- 1873 ☒ 1885 (Jan. 16) Cover to India, the reverse bearing ½a blue vertical pair and two singles each cancelled by Zanzibar four bar squared circle with year omitted (recorded Jan. - Sept. 1885), minor edge faults and creasing, otherwise fine, ex Minns. Photo on Page 250. £150-200
- 1874 ☒ 1887-94 Covers to London franked 4a6p (faults), posted within Zanzibar franked ½a, or to USA franked 2a6p pair, all cancelled by Zanzibar three bar duplex type Z5, the first cover to the Wesleyan Missionary Society believed to be from British East Africa, initialled on the reverse “E.C.G” by the writer Edward Cyril Gordon. Also an 1884 cover posted from Aden to England by Lt. H. Hay, R.N franked 4a, the filing endorsement showing the original letter to be from Zanzibar. Some cover faults, the cover to USA fine. (4). £200-250
- 1875 ☒ 1888 (Aug. 21) Cover addressed to Zanzibar, the reverse with ½a blue-green tied by Zanzibar three bar squared circle with a single ring c.d.s (Aug. 22) alongside, the front with the very scarce boxed “SHIP LETTER / POSTAGE DUE AN” showing a 1a charge for the 1a masters fee on ship letters. One of three examples recorded by J. Griffith-Jones, illustrated and described on pages 117-120 of his book on Zanzibar postage dues. Ex Minns. Photo on Page 250. £300-400



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Ex 1911



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- 1876 ☒ 1887-93 Postal stationery postcards (5) and envelopes (2) cancelled by Zanzibar squared circles type Z5 (6) or double ring c.d.s, comprising 1½a cards (2), 1a on 1½a reply cards (2, outward or reply half) and ¼a card franked 1a, all commercially used to Germany (4) or USA, and 2a6p on 4a6p envelope C.T.O or used to London. (7). £200-250
- 1877 ☒ 1888-95 Covers to Cutch-Mandvee in India, frankings comprising 1a (2) + 3a or a single 2a both with boxed “BOMBAY / SHIP LETTER / POSTAGE DUE 1AN”, twelve ½a stamps (three strips of four) with circular “T” and “OVERLAND POSTAGE / DUE / AS / 6”, 2a6p pair or 1a + 1a6p, all cancelled by Zanzibar three bar duplex type Z5, and a cover with a single 2a6p cancelled by the double ring c.d.s, some staining and other cover faults, two a little reduced. (6). £300-350
- 1878 ☒ 1890 (Jan. 3) ½a Postal stationery envelope franked 1a + 1a6p each cancelled fine Zanzibar three bar squared circle, with La Reunion A Marseille LV No 3 transit datestamp, sent by the author Frieda Sophia von Bulow to her husband in Berlin, the family crest embossed at left, sealed by three red wafer seals with the embossed Bulow family crest tied by arrival datestamps. Minor stain at upper left corner, otherwise fine. Photo on Page 252. £200-250
- 1879 ☒ 1890 (Oct. 2) The Eastern Telegraph Co. Ltd printed telegram envelope registered to Tamatave, franked 1a + 4a each tied by “ZANZIBAR / REG.” c.d.s, with circular framed “R”, octagonal La Reunion A Marseille L.V No 4 and Ligne T Paq. Fr. No. 1 transit datestamps. Roughly opened with some loss to upper edge, removed from an album with part of the brown album page adhering to reverse upper edge, unusual, especially to Madagascar. Photo on Page 252. £180-220
- 1880 ☒ 1891 (Mar. 30) 4a6p Envelope franked 1a, registered to Paris, each cancelled “ZANZIBAR / REG” c.d.s, with circular framed “R” and La Reunion A Marseille L.V No 2 transit datestamp, superb. Photo on Page 252. £200-250
- 1881 ☒ 1894 (Aug. 29) Registered cover to Germany franked 2a + 2a6p each cancelled “ZANZIBAR / REG” c.d.s, circular framed “R”, very fine. With Behr Certificate (2010). Photo on Page 252. £200-250
- 1882 ☒ 1901-03 Covers to Zanzibar, franked on the reverse by QV ½a or KEVII 3p blocks of four tied by Zanzibar squared circles (the QV block also cancelled by manuscript cross), both with boxed “PAQUEBOT” on the front. (2). £150-180

India Overprinted “Zanzibar”, S.G. 1 - 21.

- 1883 ★ 1a Plum overprinted in blue, small second “Z” and inverted “q” for “b”, mint with large part gum, minor toning and tiny fault to upper right corner, with B.P.A Certificate (2000). Very scarce. S.G. 2, £3,000. Photo on Page 254. £450-600
- 1884 ○ 1a Plum overprinted in blue, small second “Z” and inverted “q” for “b”, used with AP 96 c.d.s, upper left corner a little rounded, otherwise fine and scarce. S.G. 2, £500. Photo on Page 254. £100-120
- 1885 ★ ½a Blue-green, variety “Zanzidar”, mint, minor discolouration and perf toning, very scarce. S.G. 3j, unpriced mint (£4,000 used). Photo on Front Cover. £1,000-1,200
- 1886 ○ ½a Blue-green, variety “Zanzidar”, used, 2mm tear at upper right, otherwise fine and scarce. S.G. 3j, £700. Photo on Page 254. £100-120
- 1887 ★ ½a Blue-green, variety “Zanibar”, very fine mint, scarce. With B.P.A Certificate (1987). S.G. 3k, £1,300. Photo on Page 254. £400-500
- 1888 ★ ½a Blue-green, horizontal pair, right stamp with variety diaeresis over last “a”, superb mint, very scarce. S.G. 3l, £2,000. Photo on Page 254. £700-1,000
- 1889 ○ 1a Plum, variety “Zanzidar”, used, a little toned but very scarce. S.G. 4j, £4,000. Photo on Page 254. £800-1,000



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- 1890 ★ 1a Plum, horizontal pair, right stamp with variety “Zanibar”, superb mint, signed by P.C Pemberton in pencil, very scarce. S.G. 4k, £1,700. Photo on Page 254. £500-600
- 1891 ○ 1a6p Sepia, variety “Zanzidar”, used with 8 No 95 c.d.s, thin at top but scarce, with Holcombe Certificate (1988). S.G. 5j, £1,200. Photo on Page 254. £150-180
- 1892 ★ 1a6p Sepia, horizontal pair mint, right stamp with variety “Zanibar”, one short perf at upper right corner, otherwise fine and scarce. S.G. 5k, £1,600. Photo on Page 254. £400-500
- 1893 ★ 1a6p Sepia, variety diaereses over last “a”, superb mint, very rare. With R.P.S Certificate (1971). Ex Sturton. S.G. 5m, £1,600. Photo on Page 254. £500-600
- 1894 ○ 2a Blue, variety “Zanzidar”, used, fine and rare. S.G. 7j, £3,000. Photo on Front Cover. £1,000-1,200
- 1895 ★ 2a Blue, variety overprint double, superb mint. With Brandon Certificate (1997). S.G. 7m, £275. Photo on Page 254. £80-100
- 1896 ★ 2a Blue, variety overprint double, small second “z”, superb mint. S.G. 7m, £275. Photo on Page 254. £80-100
- 1897 ○ 2a6p Yellow-green, variety “Zanzidar”, small second “z”, used with 27 No 95 Reg c.d.s, light crease and perf stains at left, very scarce. With B.P.A Certificate (2018). Ex. Sturton and Griffith-Jones. S.G. 8j, £1,800. Photo on Page 254. £350-450
- 1898 ★ 2a6p Yellow-green, horizontal pair, right stamp with variety “Zanibar”, unused no gum, toned, scarce. S.G. 8k, £700. Photo on Page 254. £100-120
- 1899 ○ 2a6p Yellow-green, horizontal pair used with 8 NO 96 c.d.s, right stamp with variety “Zanibar”, tiny surface thin, otherwise fine and rare. S.G. 8k, £1,400. Photo on Page 254. £350-450
- 1900 ★ 3a Brown-orange, variety “Zanzidar”, mint, upper left corner rounded with small thin, scarce. With R.P.S Certificate (1990). S.G. 10j, £1,000. Photo on Page 254. £180-220
- 1901 ○ 3a Brown-orange, variety “Zanzidar”, used, tiny thin to one corner perf, otherwise fine and very scarce. S.G. 10j, £1,900. Photo on Page 254. £600-700
- 1902 ★ 6a Pale brown, variety “Zanibar”, one short upper perf, otherwise fine mint. S.G. 13k, £800. Photo on Page 254. £150-180
- 1903 ★ 6a Pale brown, horizontal pair, the right stamp with variety “Zanibar”, unused without gum. With R.P.S Certificate (1992). S.G. 13k, £820. Photo on Page 254. £150-180
- 1904 ○ 6a Pale brown, variety “Zanibar”, used with 12 JL 96 Reg. c.d.s, fine and scarce. S.G. 13k, £1,400. Photo on Page 254. £500-600
- 1905 ★ 1r Green and carmine, variety overprint vertically downwards, mint, light gum creases and a little toned. S.G. 18j, £425. Photo on Page 254. £100-120
- 1906 ★ 5r Ultramarine and violet, variety “r” inverted, fine mint, very rare. With R.P.S Certificate (2017). S.G. 21k, £4,750. Photo on Front Cover. £2,000-2,500
- 1907 ★ 5r Ultramarine and violet, variety overprint double one inverted, fine mint. S.G. 21l, £850. Photo on Page 246. £250-300




1920



1817

- 1908 ★  Varieties comprising mint ½a block of twelve and 6a block of six both containing arabic “2” for “r” (small ink mark to 6a); 2a, 12a and 1r slate mint with arabic “2” for “r”; ½a, 2a6p (2) and 3a mint with gothic second “z”; 2a6p and 6a mint, 1a and 6a used with broken “p” for “n”, a good group. S.G. £1,000+. (31).
£200-250
- 1909 ★  Mint and used selection (75) with additional values, minor varieties and blocks, including mint set, used set (no 1a), broken first “Z”, thick san-serif “b”, 4a “n.z” variety within a block of four, 3r misplaced overprint, 5r overprint double one inverted (thinned), 4a block of eight and 6a block of six, used 3r with overprint at foot, used 5r with central overprint or overprint at foot, a useful lot. Also various forgeries (34), some with B.P.A Certificates. S.G. £3,000 (approx). (109). Photo on Page 244. £300-400
- 1910 ★ Overprint setting 2, mint 1a6p, 2a, 3a, 4a, 6a (2), 8a, 12a, 1r green and carmine and 2½ on 2a (S.G. 26) all with small second “z” and wide space between “z” and “i”, the 6a with “an” partly printed. A scarce variety, found on position 1/6 of this second setting. (10). Photo on Page 254. £500-600
- 1911  1895-96 Long covers with printed “ON POSTAL SERVICE” heading and “Postmaster General, British East Africa & Zanzibar / ZANZIBAR” in the lower corner, both registered, the first stampless to Belgium endorsed “Bulletin de Verification”, the second to Canada franked 1r slate, this last cover reduced at left, otherwise both fine. A good pair, the 1r slate scarce on cover, especially as a single franking. (2). Photo on Page 252.
£400-500
- 1912  1896 (Apr. 24) Cover to Germany bearing ½a vertical pair and 2a horizontal pair, Aden and Wuerzburg backstamps, a fine commercial double rate cover. £150-200
- 1913  1896 (May 1) Cover to Muscat franked on the reverse with 1a + 1a6p, apparently posted at sea, the stamps cancelled in transit at Bombay, a Muscat arrival c.d.s alongside. Very unusual. Photo on Page 252.
£300-400
- 1914  1896 (May 11) 2a Zanzibar overprint registration envelope size F commercially used to Karachi, franked 1a + 4a (with inverted “q” for “b” variety) cancelled by Zanzibar Reg. datestamps, minor edge faults, scarce.
£180-220
- 1915  1896 (July 11) Long cover with printed heading “ON H.H THE SULTAN OF ZANZIBAR’S GOVERNMENT SERVICE”, registered to Germany franked 8a (broken capital “Z” variety) + 12a each cancelled by Zanzibar Reg. c.d.s, the 12a very scarce on commercial cover. £180-220
- 1916  1896 (Sep. 11) Locally addressed cover bearing ½a - 5r (13 values, no 3r or 1r slate), fine. S.G. £480 as stamps. £100-120
- 1917  1896 Covers and cards comprising 2a6p overprint stationery envelope franked 1a6p, locally addressed to the Chief Steward on R.P.D “Kaiser”; commercial cover to London franked 2a6p, Suez backstamps; ½a overprint postcard to Germany franked 1a; ½a overprint newspaper wrapper to The Editor of “The Times” in London franked ½a. (4). £200-250
- 1918  1896 (Dec. 30) Cover to Aden franked ½a + 1a6p vertical pair + 2a (2), arrival backstamp, a good commercial triple rate cover. Photo on Page 252. £180-220
- 1919  1898 2a Overprint registration envelope size F franked 4a, and ½a blue overprint envelope franked 6a, both registered to Germany, philatelic but fine and attractive. (2). £100-120

1895-96 2½ Surcharges on India Overprints, S.G. 22-40

- 1920 ★  2½ on 1a6p Sepia, type 2 surcharge in red, mint block of twenty with margin at base, eighteen with small raised second “z”, minor toning, a fine and scarce block. S.G. 22, £1,500+. Photo on Page 256. £500-600
- 1921 ★ 2½ on 1a6p Sepia, type 2 surcharge in red, variety inverted “q” for “b” (with second “z” normal), 3/3 from setting 1, fine mint, very scarce. S.G. 22var., £300. Photo on Page 254. £80-100



Ex 1695



1739



1770



1830



1849



Ex 1836



Ex 1862



1928



1930



1936



1939



1940



1944



1955



Ex 1810

- 1922 ★ 2½ on 1a6p Sepia, type 2 surcharge in red, variety broken “p” for “n”, 5/5 from setting 1, fine mint, very scarce. S.G. 22var., £375. Photo on Page 254. £100-120
- 1923 ○ 2½ on 1a6p Sepia, type 2 surcharge in red, variety broken “p” for “n”, fine used with 21 DE 95 c.d.s, 5/5 from setting 1, very scarce. S.G. 22var., £300. Photo on Page 254. £80-100
- 1924 ○ 2½ on 1a6p Sepia, type 2 surcharge in red, used horizontal pair, right stamp with “Zanzidar” variety, thinned but very scarce. S.G. 22j, £1,360. Photo on Page 254. £140-180
- 1925 ★ 2½ on 1a6p Sepia, type 2 surcharge in red, mint horizontal pair, right stamp with variety “Zanizbar”, left stamp creased, minor gum loss, the variety otherwise fine and very rare. With R.P.S Certificate (2005). S.G. 22k, £4,825. Photo on Front Cover. £2,000-2,500
- 1926 ○ 2½ on 1a6p Sepia, type 2 surcharge in red, variety “Zanizbar”, used, a little staining and a split caused by the datestamp, still a very scarce variety. S.G. 22k, £1,900. Photo on Page 254. £150-180
- 1927 ○ 2½ on 1a6p Sepia, used horizontal pair with 2 JA 96 datestamps, right stamp with inverted “1” in fraction, both with small second “z” and inverted “q” for b”, crossed by ink line, otherwise fine. With B.P.A Certificate (2018). S.G. 22l, £960. Photo on Page 254. £300-350
- 1928 ⊗ 2½ on 1a Plum, surcharges in black, first setting, mint vertical pair, type 4 surcharge on the upper stamp and type 3 surcharge on the lower stamp, light horizontal crease to upper stamp, otherwise fine unmounted. S.G. 23/4, £950+. Photo on Page 258. £200-240
- 1929 ★ 2½ on 1a Plum, surcharges in black, second setting, mint vertical strip of three showing all three surcharge types, type 4 on the upper stamp, type 3 on the central stamp and type 5 on the lower stamp, all with small second “z”, mounted on the upper stamp only, the other stamps unmounted, superb. S.G. 23/5z, £900+. Photo on Page 246. £300-350
- 1930 ★ 2½ on 1a Plum, surcharges in black, second setting, mint vertical pair, type 3 surcharge on upper stamp and type 5 surcharge on lower stamp, offset on reverse, fine. S.G. 23/25z, £425+. Photo on Page 258. £120-150
- 1931 ★ 2½ on 1a Plum, surcharges in black, first setting, small second “z”, mint horizontal pair, left stamp with type 4 surcharge and right stamp with type 5 surcharge, a few split perfs, otherwise very fine. S.G. 24/5, £975+. Photo on Page 254. £300-350
- 1932 ○ 2½ on 1a Plum, surcharges in black, second setting, small second “z”, horizontal pair used with 5 DE 96 c.d.s, left stamp with type 5 surcharge, right stamp with type 4 surcharge, a few split perfs and a little toning. S.G. 24/5z, unpriced used. Photo on Page 254. £100-120
- 1933 ★ 2½ on 1a Plum, type 5 surcharge in black, first setting, small second “z”, superb mint. S.G. 25, £325. Photo on Page 254. £100-120
- 1934 ☒ 1896 (May 21) 1a on 1a6p Zanzibar overprint postcard used to Germany, bearing 2½ surcharge on 1a (S.G. 24, type 4 surcharge in black, first setting), the 2½ surcharge cancelled in transit by an Aden c.d.s, fine and very scarce on cover. S.G. £300 as a stamp (x25 on cover). Photo on Page 252. £500-800
- 1935 ★ 2½ on 2a Pale Blue, surcharge type 6 in red, variety broken “p” for “n”, 3/2 from setting 3, just 32 examples possible, fine mint. Very scarce. S.G. 26var., £375. Photo on Page 254. £100-120
- 1936 ★ ⊞ 2½ on 2a Pale Blue block of four, surcharge type 6 in red, setting 4 with small second “z” on all stamps, the lower right stamp with variety inverted “1” in fraction, very fine mint, the lower pair unmounted. S.G. 26/j, £675+. Photo on Page 258. £200-240
- 1937 ★ ○ 2½ on 2a Pale Blue, surcharge type 6 in red, mint and used, both with variety inverted “1” in fraction. S.G. 26j, £725. (2). Photo on Page 254. £200-240

- 1938 ★ △ 2½ on 2a Pale Blue, surcharge type 6 in red, mint or used on piece, both with variety roman “1” in fraction. S.G. 26k, £410. (2). Photo on Page 246. £100-120
- 1939 ★ ▢ 2½ on 2a Pale Blue, surcharged in red, mint block of four, upper pair with type 7 surcharges, lower pair with type 6 surcharges, all with small second “z”, staining mainly to the upper pair, lower pair unmounted. S.G. 26/7, £600. Photo on Page 258. £100-120
- 1940 ○ ▢ 2½ on 2a Pale Blue, surcharged in red, used block of four, upper pair with type 6 surcharges and lower pair with type 7 surcharges, upper left stamp with normal second “z”, the others with small second “z”, upper right stamp with antique “r”. A fine and scarce block, 4/1-5/2 from setting 3. S.G. 26/7, £330+. Photo on Page 258. £140-160
- 1941 ○ 2½ on 2a Pale Blue, type 8 surcharge in black, fine used, very scarce. S.G. 28, £2,500. Photo on Page 254. £800-1,000
- 1942 ○ 2½ on 1a6p Sepia, type 6 surcharge in red, variety inverted “1” in fraction, fine used, scarce. S.G. 29j, £1,200. Photo on Page 254. £300-400
- 1943 ★ 2½ on 1a6p Sepia, type 6 surcharge in red, variety roman “1” in fraction, fine mint, scarce. S.G. 29k, £900. Photo on Page 254. £250-300
- 1944 ★ ▢ 2½ on 1a 6p Sepia, type 7 surcharge in red, mint block of four, all with small second “z”, minor toning, otherwise fine unmounted. A very scarce block, just 192 stamps surcharged in this type. With B.P.A Certificate (2006). S.G. 30, £1,800+. Photo on Page 258. £600-700
- 1945 ★ 2½ on 1a Plum, red surcharges prepared for official purposes, type 3 and 4 surcharges fine mint. S.G. 32/3, £700. (2). Photo on Page 254. £160-180
- 1946 △ 2½a on 1a Plum, red type 3 surcharge prepared for official purposes, tied to piece by 9 FE 98 Zanzibar Reg. c.d.s, minor perf toning, otherwise fine and scarce. S.G. 32, £800. Photo on Page 244. £200-240
- 1947 ★ 2½a on 1a Plum, red surcharges prepared for official purposes, mint vertical strip of three, the upper stamp with type 3 surcharge, centre and lower stamps with type 5 surcharges, upper stamp with tall second “z”, central stamp with varieties no dot over “i” and inverted “q” for “b” (with normal second “z”), this central stamp unmounted. A rare multiple, S.G. 32, 34var., £1,600+. Photo on Page 246. £600-700
- 1948 ★ 2½ on 1a Plum, red type 4 surcharge prepared for official purposes, superb unmounted mint. S.G. 33, £450. Photo on Page 254. £100-120
- 1949 ○ 2½ on 1a Plum, red type 4 surcharge prepared for official purposes, used with Colaba Bombay squared circle, crossed by three pencil lines, tiny surface rub at upper right corner, scarce. S.G. 33, £1,200. Photo on Page 254. £160-200
- 1950 ○ 2½ on 1a Plum, red type 5 surcharge prepared for official purposes, used with 14 AU 02 Zanzibar squared circle, scarce. S.G. 34, £850. Photo on Page 254. £180-200
- 1951 ★ ▢ 2½ on 1a6p Sepia, red surcharges prepared for official purposes, mint block of four with margin at base, upper pair with type 3 surcharges, lower pair with type 5 surcharges, lower right stamp with small second “z”, the others with normal “z”, lower pair unmounted. Fine and scarce, with R.P.S Certificate (2013). S.G. 35, 37, £440+. Photo on Page 246. £150-180
- 1952 ○ 2½ on 1a6p Sepia, red type 3 surcharge prepared for official purposes, variety no dot to “i”, 2/3 from setting 3, used with 10 JA 98 Zanzibar Reg c.d.s, very scarce. S.G. 35var., £750. Photo on Page 254. £180-200
- 1953 ○ 2½ on 1a6p Sepia, red surcharges prepared for official purposes, type 3, 4 and 5 surcharges all used with 10 JA 96 Zanzibar Reg datestamps, very fine. S.G. 35/7, £1,200. (3). Photo on Page 254. £350-400

- 1954 ★ 2½ on 1a6p Sepia, red type 4 surcharge prepared for official purposes, 3/4 from the final stage of setting 3 with tall second “z” and the constant variety broken “ar”, exceptionally with the surcharge entirely below the Zanzibar overprint, fine mint and rare. S.G. 36var., £225++. Photo on Page 254. £100-120
- 1955 ★ 2½ on 2a Dull Blue, red surcharges prepared for official purposes, mint vertical pair, upper stamp with type 3 surcharge and lower stamp with type 4 surcharge, both with small second “z”, lower stamp unmounted, fine and scarce. S.G. 38/9, £475. Photo on Page 258. £150-180
- 1956 Ⓢ 2½ on 2a Dull Blue, red type 3 surcharge prepared for official purposes, variety no dot over “i”, superb unmounted mint, scarce. S.G. 38var., £450. Photo on Page 254. £120-140
- 1957 ○ 2½ on 2a Dull Blue, red type 3 surcharge prepared for official purposes, used with 11 JL 96 Zanzibar Reg. c.d.s, fine. S.G. 38, £375. Photo on Page 254. £100-120
- 1958 ○ 2½ on 2a Dull Blue, red type 4 surcharge prepared for official purposes, fine used. S.G. 39, £750. Photo on Page 254. £160-180
- 1959 ★ 2½ on 2a Dull Blue, red type 5 surcharge prepared for official purposes, variety no dot over “i”, fine mint, scarce. S.G. 40var., £450. Photo on Page 244. £140-160
- 1960 ★ ○ 1895-96 2½ Surcharges, mint and used selection, comprising S.G. 22, 26, 27 (2), 29 (2), 30 (toning), 34 (no gum), 35 (2), 36, 37, 38, 39, 40 (2) mint, S.G. 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 26j (faults), 27, 29 (2), 30 (thin) used, a few faults though many are fine; also red 2½ on 1a type 5 surcharge (S.G. 34) on piece with violet “SPECIMEN handstamp of Natal, corner faults but unique. S.G. £4,750. (27). Photo on Page 244. £500-600

India Revenues Overprinted “Zanzibar”

- 1961 Ⓢ 1892-94 4a - 50r Special Adhesive set of thirteen overprinted “ZANZIBAR”, all additionally handstamped “CANCELLED”, 17½x1½mm on the 1892 values (1r, 2r, 5r, 10r, 50r) and 19x1¾mm on the 1893-94 values, all superb mint. The first India stamps to be overprinted for use in Zanzibar. Fine and scarce, ex Marcus Samuel. (13). Photo on Page 244. £500-600

India Postal Stationery Overprinted “Zanzibar”

- 1962 ✉ 1895 Covers and cards comprising ½a envelopes mint (2, blue and black overprints) and used (2, blue overprints), 2a6p envelopes mint and used, 2a6p on 4a6p envelopes mint and used; ¼a postcards used (3), ¼a reply cards mint (2, blue and black overprints), 1a on 1a6p postcards mint and used, 1a on 1a6p reply cards mint and used (2); ½a wrapper mint, 1a wrapper used; 2a registration envelopes size F mint and used, size J mint (2, blue and black overprints) and used (stamps removed), mainly fine. (25). £250-300

Postage Dues

- 1963 ○ 1926-30 18c Black on salmon, vertical pair, upper stamp with “Cent•s” variety, used, fine. S.G. D9/a, £360. Photo on Page 178. £100-120
- 1964 ○ ★ 1926-33 Used and unused selection comprising 1926-30 15c and 18c on orange paper vertical pairs with “cent•s” variety on upper stamp used, cancels on the lower stamps only; 1926-30 9c and 18c on orange paper both used (18c with Mkoani c.d.s), 31c and 50c both with “cent•s” variety unused, and two unusual 1933 pieces cut from envelopes with combinations of the 1926-30 9c + 18c orange + 1930-33 2c, or 1926-30 21c + 1930-33 2c pair + 6c, the pieces a little creased. S.G. £1,000. (15). £200-250

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