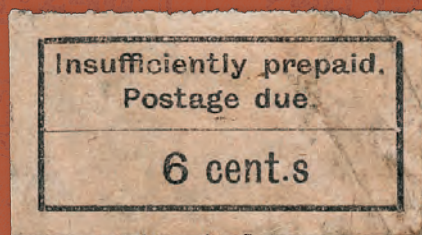


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Grades and Centering

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

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

Guide to Gum Condition

Gum Categories:	MINT N.H.	ORIGINAL GUM (O.G.)				NO GUM
	 Mint Never Hinged <i>Free from any disturbance</i>	 Lightly Hinged <i>Faint impression of a removed hinge over a small area</i>	 Hinge Mark or Remnant <i>Prominent hinged spot with part or all of the hinge remaining</i>	 Part o.g. <i>Approximately half or more of the gum intact</i>	 Small part o.g. <i>Approximately less than half of the gum intact</i>	 No gum <i>Only if issued with gum</i>
Catalogue Symbol:	★ ★	★	★	★	★	(★)
PRE-1890 ISSUES	<i>Pre-1890 stamps in these categories trade at a premium over Scott value</i>			Scott Value for "O.G."		Scott "No Gum" Values thru No. 218
1890-1935 ISSUES	Scott "Never Hinged" Values for Nos. 219-771	Scott Value for "O.G." (Actual value will be affected by the degree of hinging)		Disturbed Original Gum: Gum showing noticeable effects of humidity, climate or hinging over more than half of the gum. The significance of gum disturbance in valuing a stamp in any of the Original Gum categories depends on the degree of disturbance, the rarity and normal gum condition of the issue and other variables affecting quality. For example, stamps issued in tropical climates are expected to have some		
1935 TO DATE	Scott Value for "Unused"					

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Symbols and Abbreviations (see chart above for gum symbols)

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

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 WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 1, 2021, AT 10:30 A.M.
 WORLDWIDE STAMPS AND POSTAL HISTORY
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- 3001 E **1840, 1p “Rainbow” Color Trial, With Voided Corners, State 3 (SG Specialised DP20C(a)).** Printed in Deep Blue on white wove paper dipped in prussiate of potash, large to full margins, intense color, Very Fine, SG £2,250..... E. 500-750



3001



3002

- 3002 **1840, 1p Black (1; SG 2).** Plate 7, lettered H-A, huge balanced margins including traces of adjoining stamps at top and right, neat red Maltese Cross cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, a truly Superb example, with undated Bloxham opinion, Scott \$400.00, SG £400 E. 400-500

- 3003 田 **1841, 2p Blue, Thin Paper (4; SG 14; SG Specialised E17q).** Plate 4, lettered C-B/D-C, block of four, large margins all around including a portion of the adjoining stamps at left, deep color, light cancel, Very Fine and choice block, with 2005 R.P.S. certificate, catalogue values are for a block of four of the normal stamp (thin paper single catalogues double the normal SG price), Scott \$1,750.00, SG £1,100..... E. 500-750



3003



- 3004 ☒ **1841, 2p Blue (4; SG 14).** Horizontal strip of eleven, Plate 4, lettered H-A to H-K, wrapped around a folded cover and tied by light grids, with Liverpool F.R.H. Apr. 19, 1851 datestamp, sent to New York, red "Paid" and "5 Cents" handstamps, ms. "per Steamer Niagara", letter "D" stamp split upon opening as it was wrapped around both sides, vertical file fold causes a split in "H-H", large margins at top, bottom ranges from large to cut into, letter "K" stamp defective from being placed at the edge, Fine appearance, despite the faults, this is a very rare cover, as a strip of eleven is almost unheard of - the horizontal rows were only twelve across..... E. 750-1,000
- 3005 ☒ **1841, 2p Blue (4; SG 14).** Horizontal strip of six, Plate 3, SA-SF, large margins to in, certificate states blue, but this looks closer to the Deep Full Blue color, tied by Maltese Cross cancels on folded letter to New York, red "Apr. 1, 1843" backstamped "Boston Ms. Ship Apr. 19" transit datestamp, vertical file folds affect two stamps, accompanying certificate states written in the hand of James Buchanan as Senator but we see differences in writing styles, appears Fine, attractive usage, with 2002 Sismondo certificate..... E. 500-750
- 3006 (★) **1848, 10p Red Brown (6; SG 57).** Die Flattened, unused (regummed), four large balanced margins, rich color, pressed horizontal crease along top, Very Fine appearance, a rare unused example of the 10p Embossed Issue, with 2021 B.P.A. certificate, Scott \$11,500.00, SG £11,500 ... E. 750-1,000
- 3007 **1884, £1 Brown Violet (110; SG 185).** Lettered N-C, unusually light 1890 registered oval cancel, Very Fine, signed A. Diena and others, Scott \$3,000.00, SG £3,000..... E. 500-750



3008

- 3008 ★ **1913, £1 Green, Seahorse (176; SG 403).** Original gum, barely hinged, precisely centered, deep rich color, Extremely Fine Gem, a particularly desirable example in this superb condition, with 2021 B.P.A. certificate, Scott \$3,000.00, SG £2,800 E. 1,000-1,500

- 3009 **1885, 5sh I.R. Official, Raised Period After "R" (O8b; SG O9a).** Lettered H-H, hooded registered datestamps, well-centered, certificate notes "faked blueing" which we just deduced was strong offset from the cover this was originally affixed to, otherwise Very Fine and rare variety on this high value, with 2021 B.P.A. certificate, Scott \$3,150.00, SG £3,200..... E. 500-750

ANGUILLA 1967 ½c TO \$5.00 OVERPRINTS
ONE OF THE RAREST REGULARLY ISSUED
POST-WAR SETS OF THE WORLD



3010

3010 ★★ **ANGUILLA, 1967, ½c-\$5.00 Overprints (1-16; SG 1-16).** Mint N.H., brilliantly fresh throughout, 50c with overprint offset on gum, 60c with minor gum bend

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

The Postmaster of Anguilla strictly controlled the sale of this issue due to the short supply of stocks on which to overprint. No trade or overseas orders for mint stamps were accepted. Used examples can be found where people mailed letters or postcards from the island. However very few mint sets were sold over the counter, creating one of the rarest regularly issued post-war sets of the world.

Each value with clear 1970 B.P.A. certificate. Scott \$25,880.00. SG £28,000... E. 15,000-20,000



- 3011 ★ **ASCENSION, 1924, 3sh Black & Gray Blue, Cleft Rock (SG 20c).** Original gum, h.r., fresh color, Very Fine, SG £850 E. 200-300
- 3012 ★★田 **TASMANIA, 1878, 8p Violet Brown, “Specimen” Overprint (62S; SG 158s).** Mint N.H. bottom plate no. 1 block of twelve comprising the two bottom rows of pane, wing margin at right, deep rich color, some creasing (also affecting pos. 11 stamp) and splitting on right vertical pair, still Very Fine, a rare “Specimen” overprint multiple E. 500-750

BAHAMAS

- 3013 ☒ **1811 “Bahamas” Straightline.** Bold strike on unpaid folded cover to London, manuscript “Rev. Dr. Stephen, Aug. 22, 1811” docketing on interior flap, rated “2/-” and London Nov. 21, 1811 arrival backstamp, cover with minor tear at bottom, Very Fine strike E. 300-400
- 3014 ☒ **1845 “Bahamas” Straightline.** Crisp strike in red on folded cover addressed to Kent, England, rated “1/-” in red with London Feb. 11, 1845 tombstone arrival datestamp, Very Fine and quite scarce E. 300-400
- 3015 ☒ **1856 Folded Letter from Long Cay.** Unpaid folded letter datelined “Long Cay, July 2st, 1856” and addressed to Boston, Mass., “Boston Mass. 24 Oct” arrival datestamp and “5” and “Ship” handstamps, Very Fine and scarce cover originating in Long Cay E. 300-400
- 3016 田 **1859, 1p Black, Imperforate Plate Proof.** Block of four printed on thick card, large to ample margins all around, bold color and intense impression, Very Fine and scarce multiple E. 400-500



3017



3019



3020

- 3017 **1861, 1p Lake, Clean Cut Perf 14-16 (2a; SG 3).** Unusually well-centered, full perfs all around, cancelled by "27" of the Out Islands, Very Fine, a surprisingly scarce stamp, particularly in this impressive quality, ex Ludington and Charlton Henry, with 2007 B.P.A. certificate, Scott \$950.00, SG £750 E. 400-500



3018

- 3018 ✉ **1862, 4p Rose, Perf 13 (9; SG 18).** Used with **1862, 1p Carmine Lake (8a; SG 16)** horizontal pair, cancelled or tied by "A05" barred cancel with "Bahamas NO 21, 1862" despatch circular datestamp on reverse of mourning cover to London, manuscript "5" crayon rating, London arrival datestamp, cover with light soiling and missing part of backflap
 VERY FINE. A RARE AND ATTRACTIVE USE OF THE 1862 ONE-PENNY AND 4-PENCE PERFORATED 13 ON TRANS-ATLANTIC MOURNING COVER.
 These stamps are scarce as used singles but on cover are quite rare. Stanley Gibbons recommends a "from x 6" multiplier for covers. E. 3,000-4,000
- 3019 **1862, 6p Gray Violet, Perf 13 (10; SG 19).** Wide margins, wonderfully fresh color, neat "A05" barred cancel, Very Fine, with 2017 R.P.S. certificate, Scott \$600.00, SG £475 E. 200-300
- 3020 P **1863, 6p Deep Violet, Watermark CC.** Small part original gum due to presence of large paper h.r., large margins to clear, fresh color, Fine and scarce, with 1955 R.P.S. certificate. E. 200-300



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- 3021 ☒ **1863, 4p Rose (13; SG 26).** Tied by "A05" barred cancel with "Bahamas JA 5, 1871" despatch circular date stamp on reverse of cover to **Kingston, Jamaica**, manuscript rated "4" and "1" due handstamp, St. Thomas transit and Kingston arrival backstamps, boxed "Returned Letter Branch, 4 MY 71, Jamaica" and red "Unclaimed" handstamps, Very Fine and scarce use..... E. 750-1,000
- 3022 ☒ **1863, 4p Rose (13; SG 26).** Two covers, first a vertical pair tied by "A05" barred oval on cover to Geneva, NY, "Steamship 10" circular handstamp, Bahamas Apr. 9, 1864 despatch on reverse, slightly reduced at left, second cover a single tied by both "A05" barred oval and "5 N. York Br. Pkt" circular handstamp on cover to Albany, NY, "Nassau, New Providence FE 13, 1864" despatch backstamp, missing backflap and small tear, each cover from the same correspondence, Fine(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 300-400
- 3023 ☒ **1863, 4p Dull Rose (13b; SG 27).** Tied by "A05" barred cancel with "Bahamas JY 23, 1870" despatch circular date stamp on reverse of folded cover to New York, "N.Y. Steamship 3, Jul. 30" arrival date stamp, cover with small tear at top of no consequence, Very Fine ... E. 400-500
- 3024 ☒ **1863, 4p Dull Rose (13b; SG 27).** Rich color, cancelled by "A05" barred cancel with "Bahamas MR 11, 1866" despatch circular date stamp on reverse of cover to New York, "N. York Br. Pkt. 5 MAR 17" arrival date stamp, Very Fine and handsome use..... E. 300-400



- 3025 ✉ **1863, 4p Dull Rose (13b; SG 27).** Vertical pair, well-centered, cancelled by "A05" barred cancel with Bahamas Jan. 11, 1869 despatch circular datestamp on reverse of yellow cover to New York, manuscript "Columbia" ship name at bottom left, New York arrival datestamp, bottom stamp with minute tear and cover slightly reduced at left, otherwise Fine E. 300-400
- 3026 ★ **1882, 4p Rose, Perf 12 (25; SG 41).** Original gum, h.r., lovely pastel shade, fresh and Very Fine, signed Bloch, Scott \$925.00, SG £550 E. 300-400
- 3027 ★田 **1926, £1 Green & Black (84; SG 125).** Block of four, original gum, three stamps lightly hinged, other is Mint N.H., wonderfully rich color, minor perf separation at top, Very Fine, catalogued as singles, Scott \$860.00, SG £720 E. 200-300
- 3028 **1935, 1sh Jubilee, Dot by Flagstaff (SG 144h).** Plate 4, position R. 8/4, neat Nov. 27, 1935 circular datestamp, fresh and Very Fine, scarce in used condition, SG £400 E. 150-200
- 3029 ★★ **1935, 1sh Jubilee, Dash by Turret (SG 144i).** Mint N.H. with selvage at right, plate 4, R. 3/6, precise centering, bold colors, Very Fine and choice, a scarce and collectible variety, SG £500 as hinged E. 200-300
- 3030 **1935 Silver Jubilee Varieties.** Five SG-listed varieties, incl. SG nos. 141h (unused and used) and unused 142f (Mint N.H.), 142g, and 143g, fresh colors, Very Fine group, SG £1,135 (Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 300-400
- 3031 ★ **1938, 2p Pale Slate, Short "T" (SG 152a).** Original gum, lightly hinged, fresh and Very Fine, particularly scarce on the Pale Slate shade, SG £950 E. 300-400



- 3032 ★ 1942, ½p-£1 Landfall of Columbus, Perforated “Specimen” (116S-129S; SG 162s-175s). Complete set of fourteen values, original gum, mostly lightly hinged, 2p with control no. selva at top, fresh colors, Very Fine, Scott \$600.00, SG £600 (Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 200-300
- 3033 ★★田 1942, ½p Landfall of Columbus, Accent Flaw (SG 162c). Mint N.H. top right control no. 1499 block of four, top left stamp the variety from position R. 1/5 of right pane of 1938 printing only, bold color, Very Fine and attractive block, SG £550 E. 200-300
- 3034 ★ 1942, 4p Landfall of Columbus, “COIUMBUS” Error (SG 168a). Position R. 5/2, original gum, lightly hinged, precise centering, fresh and Very Fine, SG £1,200 E. 400-500
- 3035 ★ 1942, 4p Landfall of Columbus, “COIUMBUS” Error (SG 168a). Position R. 5/2, original gum, small h.r., well-centered, Very Fine, SG £1,200 E. 400-500
- 3036 ★★ 1942, 6c Landfall of Columbus, “COIUMBUS” Error (SG 169a). Mint N.H., position R. 5/2, bold colors, Very Fine and scarce, SG £1,200 E. 400-500
- 3037 ★★ 1942, 3sh Landfall of Columbus, Stop After “Columbus” (SG 173b). Mint N.H., position R. 2/12, deep rich colors, relatively well-centered for this, Very Fine, a very rare error in better condition than most which are often found with toned gum, Power Search shows only one other example offered by us, SG £2,500 E. 750-1,000
- 3038 ★ 1942, 5sh Landfall of Columbus, Broken “OF” (SG 174b). Position R. 2/6, original gum, lightly hinged, strong colors, Very Fine and scarce, SG £750 E. 200-300
- 3039 ★ 1942, £1 Landfall of Columbus, Broken “OF” (SG 175b). Position R. 2/6, original gum with selva at right, small h.r., bright and fresh, Very Fine and scarce variety, SG £1,000 E. 300-400



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- 3040 P **1948 Master Die Proof of Frame.** Four, each on card and printed from the finished state, each with "XC 4521" at top, couple of them faintly printed, three in Black and one in Violet, Very Fine and collectible examples of the Eleuthera finished die proofs of the frame(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 400-500
- 3041 ✉ **First Flight Nassau-Palma de Mallorca, Spain.** Queen Elizabeth II 10c tied by "Nassau, Bahamas 20 MAR 65" circular datestamp with additional strike at bottom left on cachet first flight cover to Frankfurt via Palma de Mallorca, with flight cachet and arrival back-stamps, Very Fine and quite rare, only a few were flown, with 1973 Grabowski certificate E. 200-300



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- 3042 ★ **1919, 1p Red & Black, War Charity, Double Overprint (B2a; SG 101a).** Original gum, lightly hinged, one overprint lighter (as always) and positioned slightly under the stronger, similar centering to other known examples we have encountered, Fine, it is believed only 30 such double overprints were produced, with 1994 B.P.A. certificate, Scott \$2,750.00, SG £2,000..... E. 500-750

- 3043 ★ **1916, 5p Orange & Black, Special Delivery, Double Overprint (E1a; SG S1a).** Original gum, lightly hinged, both overprints strong and distinct, well-centered, Very Fine and striking error, with 1950 P.F., 1983 Friedl, and 1991 B.P.A. certificates, Scott \$1,000.00, SG £800..... E. 300-400



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- 3044 ★ 1916, 5p Orange & Black, Special Delivery, Double Overprint (E1a; SG S1a). Original gum, lightly hinged, precise centering, vibrant color, Very Fine and choice, with 1968 R.P.S. certificate, Scott \$1,000.00, SG £800..... E. 300-400
- 3045 ★ 1916, 5p Special Delivery, Inverted Overprint (E1b; SG S1c). Original gum, lightly hinged, vibrant color on bright paper, Very Fine, it is believed only 30 were printed with the inverted overprint, with 1957 R.P.S. certificate, Scott \$1,750.00, SG £1,300..... E. 500-750
- 3046 ☒ 1916, 5p Special Delivery, Double Overprint, One Inverted (E1c; SG S1b). Used with 1917, 1p Semi-Postal (B1; SG 90), each tied by "Nassau, Bahamas, 27 JUN 17" circular datestamps with additional strike below on printed "On His Majesty's Service" cover addressed locally, cover with vertical file fold not affecting stamps, Very Fine, a rare error, especially used on cover, catalogued simply as used single where SG applies a "from x20" multiplier (not added), Scott \$1,750.00, SG £1,300..... E. 500-750
- 3047 ★★ 1918, 1p Carmine, Watermark Inverted & Reversed (MR2 va; SG 92y). Mint N.H., bright and fresh, Very Fine, a scarce watermark variety, SG £400 as hinged E. 150-200
- 3048 ★ 1918, 3p Brown on Yellow, War Tax, Inverted Overprint (MR3a; SG 94b). Original gum, lightly hinged, centered to the top as always, strong color, Fine, a very scarce War Tax error, with 1970 R.P.S. certificate, Scott \$1,400.00, SG £1,100..... E. 400-500
- 3049 ★★ 1918, 1p Carmine Rose, War Tax, Watermark Sideways (MR7a; SG 97a). Mint N.H. bottom left plate no. 2 interpane gutter salvage block of four, hinged in the gutter only, rich color on bright paper, Very Fine and rare positional block with the watermark error, with 1967 R.P.S. certificate, catalogued as hinged singles, Scott \$1,600.00, SG £800..... E. 300-400
- 3050 ☒ 1940, 2p on 1 1/2p Postal Postal Card (H&G 15A). Cancelled by Nassau, Bahamas Feb. 6, 1941 slogan machine cancel and addressed to Fargo, North Dakota, written message on reverse, minor wear, still Very Fine, a very rare provisional postal card used commercially, a very small handful are thought to exist..... E. 500-750



3051

3051 TC **BARBADOS, 1902, 6p Britannia, Earl of Crawford Trial Color Proofs in Black, Blue, and Slate Violet.** Set of the three colors with small star watermark, large to full margins, brilliantly fresh

VERY FINE. ONE OF ONLY THREE SETS PRODUCED, ONE OF WHICH IS IN THE ROYAL COLLECTION.

The 26th Earl of Crawford, James Ludovic Lindsay, was an important and influential collector at the turn of the 20th Century. He amassed a huge holding of proofs, both from the United States and various British Colonies. He obtained from contemporary printers three sets of trial color proofs of various colonies, including Barbados. He gave one set from each colony to the Royal Collection, leaving just two sets of each colony available for future collectors.

Ex Earl of Crawford..... E. 1,500-2,000



3052

3052 ★ **BARBADOS, 1875, 4p Scarlet, Perf 14 x 12½ (53b; SG 84).** Original gum, lightly hinged, intense color and impression on fresh paper, one slightly shortish perf at top of little consequence

VERY FINE ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE 1875 SCARLET WITH PERF 14 X 12½. ABOUT 20 ARE THOUGHT TO EXIST.

According to Stanley Gibbons, about 20 unused examples are known plus one used, though some estimate even fewer. With 1968 Robson Lowe and 1970 R.P.S. certificates (the latter not mentioning short perf). Scott \$9,000.00. SG £5,000 E. 1,500-2,000



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- 3053 ★ **BARBADOS, 1p on Half of 5sh Dull Rose, Unsevered Pair (57a; SG 86b).** Toned original gum, overall soiling and toning, about Fine, with faults aside, this is an incredibly rare unused and unsevered pair with only a small handful believed to exist in any condition, with 2006 Brandon certificate simply stating “large part original gum”, Scott \$28,500.00, SG £26,000..... E. 2,000-3,000



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- 3054 ★ **BARBADOS, 1892, 1/2p on 4p Brown, Double Surcharge, Red & Black (69c; SG 104b).** Original gum, lightly hinged, clear doubling of surcharge in each color, fresh and Fine, a scarce and visual error, with photocopy of 2007 B.P.A. certificate of a pair from which this originates, Scott \$950.00, SG £900..... E. 300-400

BERMUDA

- 3055 ★ **1930, 2sh6p Grey Black & Pale Orange Vermilion on Grey Blue (SG 89h).** Original gum, lightly hinged, fresh colors in this scarce shade, well-centered, Very Fine, with 1987 Brandon certificate, SG £2,750..... E. 750-1,000
- 3056 ☒ **1938, 10sh Green & Deep Lake on Bright Green (SG 119).** Used with 12sh6p and £1 (SG 120c, 121c), tied by “Hamilton, Bermuda, 4 MCH, 1949” machine slogan cancel on air mail cover to England, Very Fine and attractive three-color Key Plate franking, the 10sh quite scarce on cover..... E. 300-400
- 3057 ☒ **King George VI 2sh and 5sh Key Plate Covers.** Three registered covers, two 2sh covers with SG 116c to Canada, first is single cancelled by St. Georges 1947 circular datestamp, second is block of four with selvage at top cancelled by St. Georges 1943 circular datestamp, last is SG 118g (showing HPF 47 flaw) tied by Hamilton 1952 circular datestamp on uprated 3p registry entire to Jamaica, Very Fine trio.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 200-300



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- 3058 ☒ **1939 Pan American Airway First Flight, "Yankee Clipper" Northern Route.** Bermuda 2sh (123a; SG 116), tied by "St. Georges, Bermuda, 21 JUN 39" circular datestamp on flown first flight via Northern Route to Que Que, Southern Rhodesia, then used with Great Britain 1½p for onward transmission from London to Southern Rhodesia and Southern Rhodesia 1½p for ship rate back to Bermuda and tied by Que Que, Jul. 15, 1939 double-circle datestamp, New York transit and St. Georges arrival backstamps, Very Fine and remarkable cover, the **only three country franking** recorded for this flight E. 400-500
- 3059 ☒ **1939 Pan American Airway Flights, Northern & Southern Flights.** Four covers, three are forwarded Northern route, two with 2sh King George VI with Great Britain 1½p stamps, one Aug. 5, 1939 to Guernsey (**about 10 recorded from this flight**) and other Jun. 21, 1939 to Geelong, Australia, third is Jun. 8, 1939 addressed to Sydney, Australia, one is Southern Route to Bermuda with King George VI ½p, 5p, and 10p plus 4p and 5p Postage Due for underpayment, Very Fine group, quite scarce with additional Great Britain stamps to destinations outside Great Britain..... (Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 300-400
- 3060 ☒ **1941 Bermuda-U.S. Naval Combination Cover.** Two U.S. 15c Prexie and 10c Air Post tied by violet "U.S. Navy, May 28, 1941" machine cancel on cover from U.S. Serviceman onboard the "U.S.S. Tuscaloosa" and addressed to Lisbon, Portugal, violet "Passed by Naval Censor" marking at bottom left, **used with Bermuda 2sh (123a var; SG 116a)** and tied by Hamilton circular datestamp, Lisbon machine arrival backstamp, cover with minor edge tears and hinge reinforced tears on reverse, otherwise Very Fine, a remarkable and likely unique use, this cover should have gone to the U.S. and then back to Bermuda for a commercial flight to Lisbon, the fact that it was censored and then brought to a Bermuda civilian post office is highly unusual and is the only known combination we are aware of E. 1,000-1,500

BRITISH CENTRAL AFRICA



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- 3061 ★ **1891, £1 Blue (14; SG 14).** Original gum, paper h.r., intense color and impression, recent certificate oddly notes “pink show-through” which is just the h.r. showing thru this thin paper, Fine, with 2021 B.P.A. certificate, Scott \$1,300.00, SG £1,300 E. 300-400
- 3062 **1895, 1p-£1 Coat of Arms (21-29; SG 21-29).** Mostly neat circular datestamps, fresh colors, Fine-Very Fine, Scott \$1,653.00, SG £1,448 ..(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 400-500
- 3063 **1895, £10 Vermilion & Black (30; SG 30).** Clear strike of “Tshiromo, B.C.A., 5 SP 95” double-circle datestamp, small repair at top which has been reperfed and outer rim of cancel touched up, Very Fine appearance, despite the repair, this is a very rare postal use of this high value, with 2020 B.P.A. certificate, Scott \$5,500.00, SG £6,500 ... E. 750-1,000



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- 3064 ★ **1895, £25 Blue Green & Black (31; SG 31).** Original gum that accompanying certificate notes as “disturbed”, which is just caused by prior hinging, rich colors
- FINE AND RARE ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE 1895 £25 BLUE GREEN & BLUE. ONE OF THE KEY STAMPS OF BRITISH CENTRAL AFRICA.
- Our Power Search reveals this is the first original gum example we have offered in over 25 years. With 2021 B.P.A. certificate. Scott \$16,000.00. SG £16,000 E. 4,000-5,000



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- 3065 **1896, £10 Vermilion & Black (41; SG 41).** Well-struck Zomba “Hut Tax” fiscal cancel, bold colors, Very Fine, a scarce stamp even with a revenue cancel, an affordable alternative to a postally used example which catalogues \$6,000.00 (SG £6,000), with 2021 B.P.A. certificate ... E. 300-400
- 3066 ★ **BRITISH EAST AFRICA, 1897, 4r Carmine, Watermark Reversed (SG 95x).** Original gum, h.r., deep rich shade on bright paper, Very Fine and scarce watermark variety, SG £850 E. 300-400



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- 3067 **BRITISH GUIANA, 1852, 6p Black on Magenta (6; SG 9).** Uncommonly large margins all around, lightly struck circular datestamp and small pen cancel at top left in margin, small thin at top and light creases, Extremely Fine appearance, a presentable example of this rare stamp which is often found with smaller margins, fading and/or heavy facial rubbing, with 2021 B.P.A. certificate, Scott \$7,000.00, SG £6,500 E. 1,000-1,500
- 3068 **BRITISH GUIANA, 1852, 6p Black on Magenta (6; SG 9).** Large balanced margins, Demerara May 7, 1852 circular datestamp, lightly creased and small thins (accompanying certificate notes pinholes but we do not see it breaking the paper), Very Fine appearance, a presentable example of this rare stamp that is often found with varying levels of faults and smaller margins than the example offered here, with 2013 R.P.S. certificate, Scott \$7,000.00, SG £6,500 E. 1,000-1,500
- 3069 **BRITISH GUIANA, 1852, 6p Black on Magenta (6; SG 9).** Large to full margins all around, neat Demerara Jul. 5, 1855 circular datestamp, pressed horizontal crease, repaired and slightly touched up in places, Very Fine appearance, a presentable example of this scarce stamp, with 2019 Brandon certificate, Scott \$7,000.00, SG £6,500 E. 500-750



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- 3070 ★ **BRUNEI, 1906, 2c on 3c Brown & Black, "Brunei." Doubled (2a; SG 12a).** Original gum, clear second strike above main strike and slightly erased as always, fresh color, slight soiling along top perfs not mentioned on accompanying certificate, otherwise Very Fine, a rare error and the first example we have offered according to Power Search, with 1955 and 2003 B.P.A. certificates, Scott \$4,500.00, SG £3,750 E. 750-1,000
- 3071 **BRUNEI, 1922, 1c-\$1.00 Malaya-Borneo Exhibition, Broken E (SG 51b-59b).** Complete set of nine values, each showing the Broken "E" variety which occurred on the 4th and 10th vertical rows, neat circular datestamps, 1c heavily toned, otherwise Fine-Very Fine, SG £1,345(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 300-400
- 3072 ★ **BRUNEI, 1942, 8c Gray, Japanese Occupation Ovpt. (N9; SG J9).** Original gum with some toned spots, lightly hinged, intense shade on bright paper, Very Fine, a rare stamp, signed Rowell, with 2021 B.P.A. certificate, Scott \$1,000.00, SG £850 E. 300-400



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- 3073 ★ **BURMA, 1937, 3p-25r King George V (1-18; SG 1-18).** Original gum, h.r. except key 25r lightly hinged, bright and fresh, Fine-Very Fine, Scott \$1,457.00, SG £2,750.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 750-1,000
- 3074 ★ **BURMA, 1937, 3p-10r Officials (O1-O14; SG O1-O14).** Original gum, lightly hinged, fresh and Very Fine, Scott \$998.00, SG £950(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 300-400

CANADIAN PROVINCES

3075

BRITISH COLUMBIA & VANCOUVER ISLAND, 1865, 10c Blue, Imperforate (4; SG 12). Huge margins all around including trace of adjoining stamp at left, rich color and detailed impression, excellent strike of blue "Paid" in oval cancel

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A SUPERB USED EXAMPLE OF THE 1865 10-CENT IMPERFORATE. EASILY RANKING AS ONE OF THE FINEST KNOWN.

Ex Welburn. Signed Bloch. With 1983 R.P.S. certificate. Scott \$1,100.00. SG £900. Unitrade C\$1,500.00 E. 1,500-2,000



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BRITISH COLUMBIA & VANCOUVER ISLAND, 1865, 3p Pale Blue, Watermark Reversed (7a var; SG 22 var). Vertical pair, rich color, indistinct oval grid cancel, Fine, a rare pair showing the reversed watermark variety, the only examples we have encountered and **unlisted** in Scott, SG or Unitrade, with 2015 Greene Foundation certificate, by way of comparison, SG lists an inverted and reversed watermark for £550 (£1,100 as two singles) E. 400-500



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NEW BRUNSWICK, 1851, 3p Dark Red (1a; SG 1). Large margins to full, intense shade and impression, neatly struck grid cancel, Very Fine, ex Beck, with 2018 Greene Foundation certificate, Scott \$600.00, SG £450, Unitrade C\$800.00 E. 300-400

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NEW BRUNSWICK, 1851, 6p Olive Yellow (2; SG 4). Large to full margins all around, vibrant shade, light grid cancel, Very Fine, with 1987 and 2018 Greene Foundation certificates, Scott \$1,200.00, SG £850, Unitrade C\$1,600.00 E. 500-750



3079EX

- 3079  **NEW BRUNSWICK, 1860, 5c Connell, Plate Proof on India, Vermilion Ty. B and C "Specimen" Overprints (Unitrade 5Piv-5Pv).** Two items, first a se-tenant block of four, left vertical pair with thin type and right pair with thick type, large to ample margins, second is a bottom right corner margin horizontal pair, both thick type, wonderfully fresh and Very Fine, Unitrade C\$1,750.00
(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 300-400

- 3080 (★) **NEW BRUNSWICK, 1860, 5c Connell (5; SG 13).** Unused (no gum), rich shade, perfs intact though a bit blunted at left as often seen, unpunched at top as it was scissor cut from stamp above

FINE EXAMPLE OF THE RARE 1860 5-CENT CONNELL STAMP. ONLY A SMALL HANDFUL OF THE 50-60 THAT EXIST ARE IN SOUND CONDITION.

Connell, a provincial postmaster, had his own portrait engraved on the 5c stamp instead of Queen Victoria. Once this was discovered the entire printing of the Connell stamp was seized and destroyed. Some escaped destruction and today are very rare and much sought-after stamps.

The 5c Connell stamp is usually found with poor centering. The perforations are nearly always damaged from scissor-separation or are roughly pulled apart, the result of poor perforating. They also usually have creases, thins, and/or lack gum. The example offered here, being essentially sound, is in far better condition than most of the other existing examples.

With 1981 Greene Foundation certificate. Scott \$14,000.00. SG £10,000. Unitrade C\$8,000.00.....
 E. 3,000-4,000



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- 3081 (★) **NEW BRUNSWICK, 1860, 5c Connell (5; SG 13).** Unused (no gum), rich color, few perf flaws and possibly enhanced

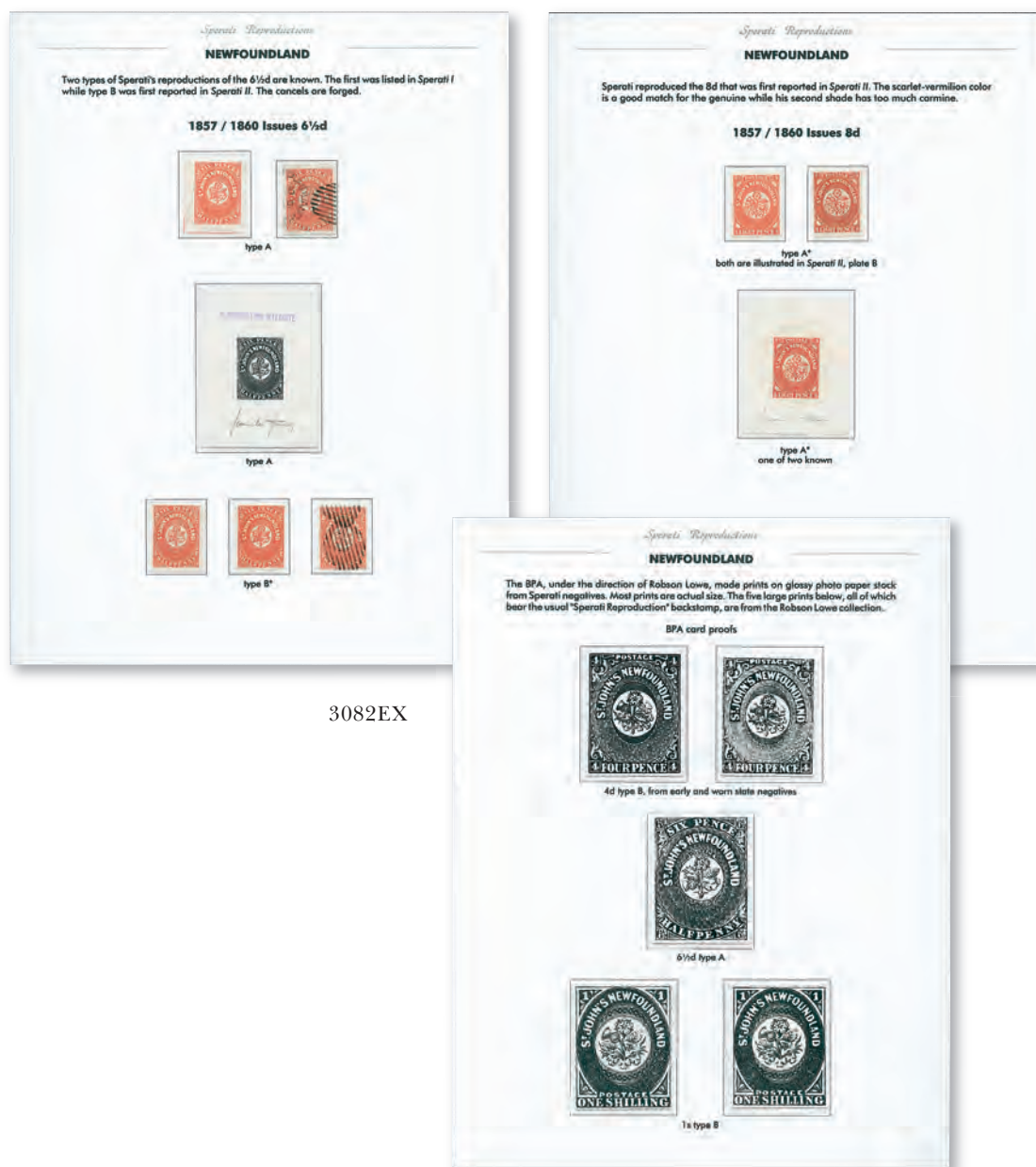
FINE APPEARANCE. A RARE UNUSED EXAMPLE OF THE 5-CENT CONNELL STAMP OF NEW BRUNSWICK.

Connell, a provincial postmaster, had his own portrait engraved on the 5c stamp instead of Queen Victoria. Once this was discovered the entire printing of the Connell stamp was seized and destroyed. Some escaped destruction and today are very rare and much sought-after stamps. The 5c Connell stamp is usually found with poor centering and varying degree of faults. The perforations are nearly always damaged from scissor-separation or are roughly pulled apart, the result of poor perforating.

With 1954 R.P.S. certificate. Scott \$14,000.00. SG £10,000. Unitrade C\$8,000.00 E. 3,000-4,000

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AN EXTRAORDINARY OFFERING
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1857 and 1860 Jean de Sperati Reproductions. The definitive offering of 46 items covering the 2p, 4p, 6p, 6½p, 8p and 1sh values, range of material from eighteen stamps, seven working and final die proofs, five exposure trials, five B.P.A. negatives and even an **original negative** of the 4p, mounted on stock pages or exhibit pages and neatly identified

FINE-VERY FINE. A REMARKABLE OFFERING OF THE NEWFOUNDLAND 1857 AND 1860 SPERATI REPRODUCTIONS. A GROUP FILLED WITH RARE ITEMS, SOME OF WHICH ARE UNIQUE OR WITH VERY FEW KNOWN. A PERFECT ASSEMBLAGE FOR THE SPECIALIST IN NEWFOUNDLAND PENCE ISSUES.

This assemblage contains various pieces originating from the collections of Robson Lowe, Bill Lea, Carl Walske, Sir Gawaine Baillie, among others. For more information on these and identifying the different types used by Sperati, please visit www.sperati.org/NFD/NFD.htm....
.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 10,000-15,000



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1857, 4p Scarlet Vermilion (4; SG 4). Large margins to ample, brilliant color, neat strike of grid cancel, corner crease at lower left corner

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A SCARCE EXAMPLE OF THE 1857 4-PENCE SCARLET VERMILION.

With 2010 P.F. certificate. Scott \$4,250.00. SG £3,500. Unitrade C\$7,000.00 E. 1,500-2,000

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1857, 6p Scarlet Vermilion (6; SG 6). Clear margins all around, bright color, neat strikes of grid cancel

FINE. A SCARCE SOUND FOUR-MARGIN EXAMPLE OF THE 6-PENCE SCARLET VERMILION.

With 1978 A.P.S. certificate. Scott \$5,000.00. SG £4,750. Unitrade C\$7,000.00 E. 1,000-1,500



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1860, 6p Orange (13; SG 14). Large margins to full, deep rich color, neat strike of grid cancel, Very Fine and choice, with 1953 R.P.S. certificate, Scott \$1,100.00, SG £800, Unitrade C\$1,600.00. E. 500-750

3086 S

1897, 1c-60c Cabot, Red "Specimen" Overprint (Unitrade 61S-74S). Mint N.H. set of fourteen values, fresh colors, Fine-Very Fine, Unitrade C\$1,500.00.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 300-400



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- 3087 P **1910, 1c-15c Tercentenary of Newfoundland, Plate Proofs (87P-97P; SG 95P-105P).** Complete set of ten values (6c Type I and 12c do not exist), Mint N.H. horizontal pairs, except 8c minor h.r., all except 3c either with sheet margin or corner sheet margin, wonderfully fresh colors, 10c with couple trivial toned spots on gum, Very Fine-Extremely Fine, a surprisingly scarce set, Power Search reveals this is the first set we have offered, Unitrade C\$3,625.00.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 1,000-1,500



3088

- 3088 ★ **1919, 3c Red Brown, Hawker Air Post (C1; SG 142).** Manuscript initials "J.A.R." on reverse, original gum, lightly hinged, centered a bit to top as most, rich color, certificate notes "soiled" at bottom left which we believe is just stray ink spray from overprint
- FINE. A RARE ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE FAMOUS NEWFOUNDLAND 1919 HAWKER AIR POST. NO MORE THAN 87 UNUSED CAN EXIST.
- This flight famously ended with a controlled crash landing in the ocean after about 13 hours of flying. Postmaster J. A. Robinson of St. John's overprinted 200 stamps for the special flight. No more than 87 unused stamps can still exist, though the actual number of surviving copies is probably quite lower. In addition to these, 95 were used and 18 were defective and subsequently destroyed.
- Ex Passano. With 1996 B.P.A. certificate. Scott \$25,000.00. SG £22,000. Unitrade C\$40,000.00..... E. 7,500-10,000



3089

- 3089 ★ **1921, 35c Red, Halifax Air Post, Wide & Narrow Spacing, Inverted Overprint (C3a, C3i; SG 148d, 148i).** Vertical se-tenant pair with shifted overprint, positions 1 and 6 of overprint setting, original gum, lightly hinged, top stamp with wide spacing and no period after "1921", bottom stamp with narrow spacing and with period after "1921" (not showing due to shift), bold color

VERY FINE. AN EXCEPTIONALLY RARE SE-TENANT PAIR OF THE 1921 HALIFAX AIR POST STAMP WITH INVERTED OVERPRINT SHOWING THE WIDE & NARROW SPACING. ONLY SIXTEEN OF THE NO. C3i WERE PRINTED.

Only 100 were printed from four settings of 25. The narrow spacing occurred four times on the overprint setting creating a total of sixteen possible examples. Only 40 with wide spacing and no period were printed. This is the first multiple of any inverted overprint variety we have offered according to Power Search. It is unlikely many other se-tenant examples still exist.

Signed Sanabria. With 2001 Brandon and 2003 B.P.A. certificates. Catalogued as singles. Scott \$15,750.00. SG £12,500. Unitrade C\$21,500.00 E. 4,000-5,000



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- 3090 ☒ **1927, May 23, Transatlantic Flight from Trepassy to Rome by De Pinedo, Trepassy Supplementary Mail Cancelled in Rome (AAMC 14c).** Newfoundland 60c Cabot (without overprint) tied by Rome Jun. 22, 1927 circular datestamp on supplementary mail cover to A.C. Roessler, c/o American Consul in Rome, Italy, Trepassy May 21 circular datestamp, receiving backstamp and violet American Consulate General handstamp

VERY FINE. AN EXTREMELY RARE DE PINEDO SUPPLEMENTARY MAIL FLIGHT COVER WITH THE ORDINARY NEWFOUNDLAND STAMP CANCELLED ON ARRIVAL IN ROME.

Only 75 covers were added to the mail on May 21 prior to take-off from Trepassy. The ordinary 60c stamp was used and left uncanceled until the mail entered the Rome post office.

With 1962 Bolaffi certificate. E. 2,000-3,000

- 3091 ★ **1933, 10c Pale Yellow (Unitrade C14i).** Original gum, relatively lightly hinged, precise centering, vibrant color in this distinctive shade, minute inclusion speck at bottom right

STILL VERY FINE EXAMPLE OF THE 1933 10-CENT IN THE PALE YELLOW SHADE. A MAJOR COLOR VARIETY OF WHICH A SMALL HANDFUL ARE THOUGHT TO STILL EXIST.

Some sources state only five recorded. Many of those have minor flaws and/or are oxidized. With 2021 Greene Foundation certificate. Unitrade C\$3,000.00 E. 1,500-2,000



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- 3092 ★ **1933, \$4.50 Balbo Air Post, Watermark Inverted & Reversed (C18 var; SG 235w).** Position 2, original gum, lightly hinged, flawless centering with wide margins, fresh color and intense impression, Extremely Fine and rare variety, likely less than a dozen examples exist, with 2021 Greene Foundation certificate, SG £2,250 E. 750-1,000
- 3093 **1938, 5c-\$100.00 Caribou, Inland Revenue (van Dam NFR26-NFR35).** Complete set of ten values, wonderfully fresh colors, neatly cancelled, Very Fine, a surprisingly scarce used set, van Dam C\$1,753.00.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 400-500
- 3094 ★ **NOVA SCOTIA, 1853, 1p Red Brown (1; SG 1).** Original gum, lightly hinged, large to full margins all around, deep rich color, bold impression on fresh blue paper, most recent certificate notes "gum slightly disturbed" which is harsh and just some minor offset, still Very Fine and choice, a handsome example and scarce with original gum, with clear 1989 Brandon and 2014 Greene Foundation certificates, Scott \$2,500.00, SG £3,000, Unitrade C\$6,000.00 E. 1,000-1,500



3095



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- 3095 **NOVA SCOTIA, 1853, 1p Red Brown (1; SG 1).** Wide margins including part of two adjoining stamps at sides, bright fresh color, unusually light grid cancel, Very Fine and choice, with 1973 R.P.S. certificate, Scott \$500.00, SG £475, Unitrade C\$700.00..... E. 300-400
- 3096 **NOVA SCOTIA, 1851, 6p Yellow Green (4; SG 5).** Large margins, rich color, neat grid cancel, Extremely Fine and choice, ex Reford, with 2016 Greene Foundation certificate, Scott \$825.00, SG £650, Unitrade C\$1,200.00 E. 300-400

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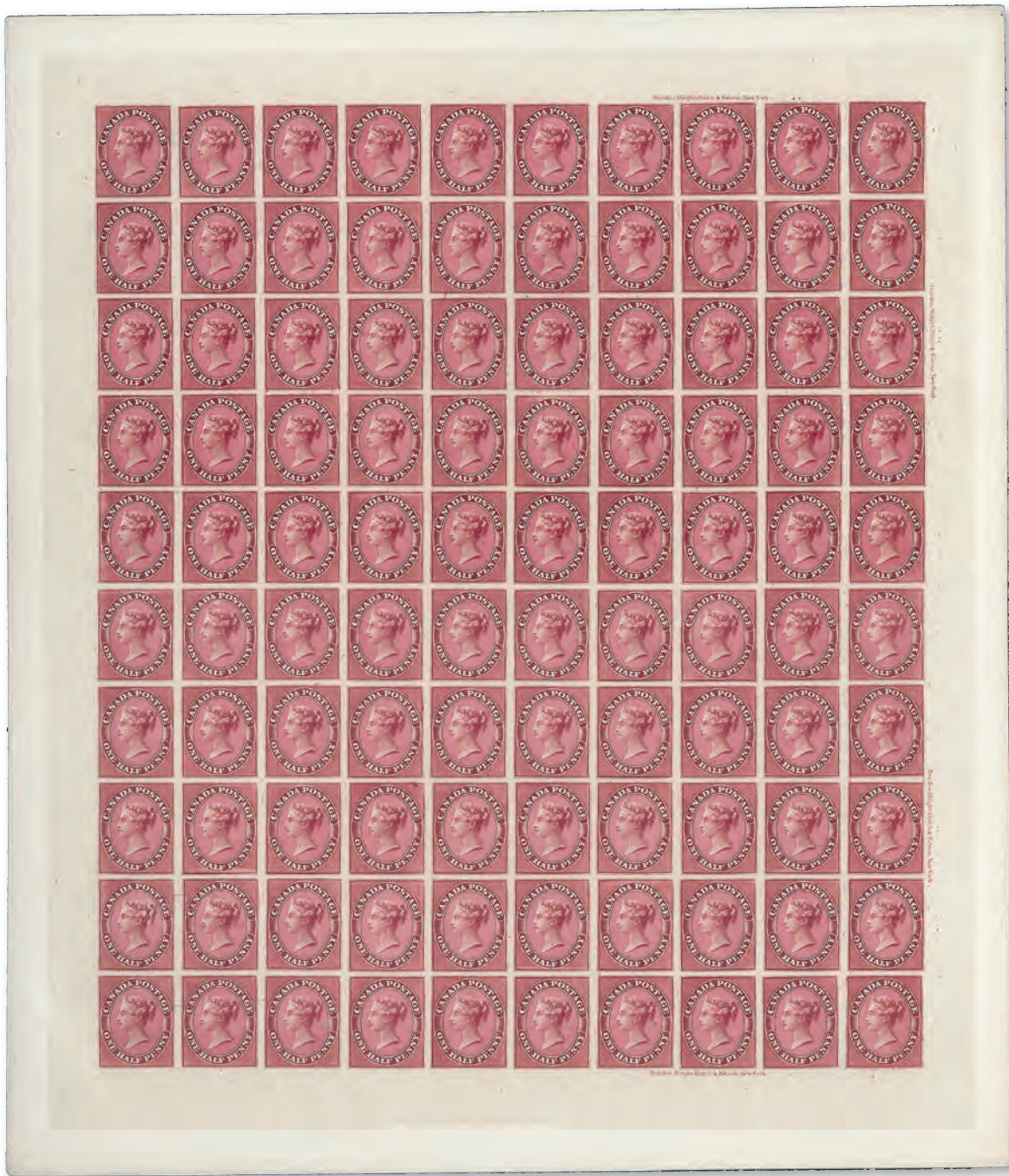


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3097°P田 **1851, 6p Red Lilac, Trial Color Plate Proof on India (Unitrade 2TC). Pane of 100** with double "Rawdon, Wright, Hatch & Edson, New-York." imprint on each side, vibrant color, affixed to original card backing so without the India paper flaws normally encountered

EXTREMELY FINE. A GORGEOUS AND RARE COMPLETE PANE OF 100 OF THE 1851 6-PENCE PRINCE ALBERT ISSUE PLATE PROOF ON INDIA.

The 1851 6p issue was printed from plates of 200 subjects. Unitrade value as singles with no premium for the imprints C\$30,000.00..... E. 7,500-10,000

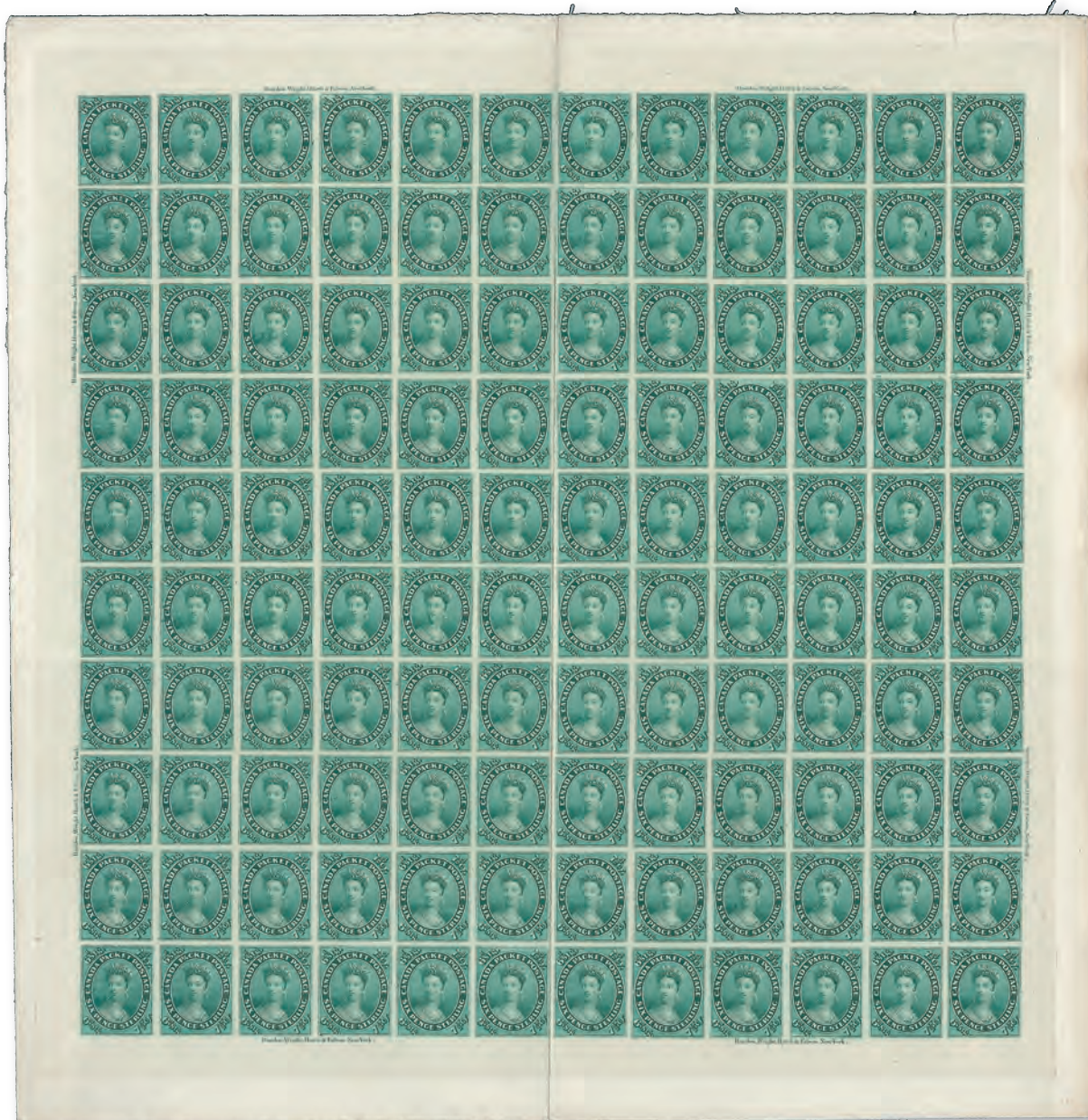


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3098° 田 **1857, ½p Rose, Plate Proof on India (Unitrade 8P). Pane of 100**, with “Rawdon, Wright, Hatch & Edson, New-York.” imprint on top and bottom, double imprint at right, rich color, affixed to original card backing so without the India paper flaws usually seen

EXTREMELY FINE COMPLETE PANE OF 100 OF THE 1857 ONE-HALF PENCE ISSUE PLATE PROOF ON INDIA.

Unitrade value as singles with no premium for the imprints C\$35,000.00
 E. 10,000-15,000



3099

3099° P 1857, 7½p Green, Plate Proof on India (Unitrade 9P). Sheet of 120 with double "Rawdon, Wright, Hatch & Edson, New-York." imprint on each side, brilliant color, affixed to original card backing which has been folded vertically between the sixth and seventh rows, minor edge nicks outside India paper

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A RARE COMPLETE SHEET OF 120 OF THE 1857 7½ PENCE ISSUE PLATE PROOF ON INDIA.

This issue was printed from a single plate of 120 subjects. Unitrade value as singles with no premium for the imprints C\$35,000.00 E. 10,000-15,000

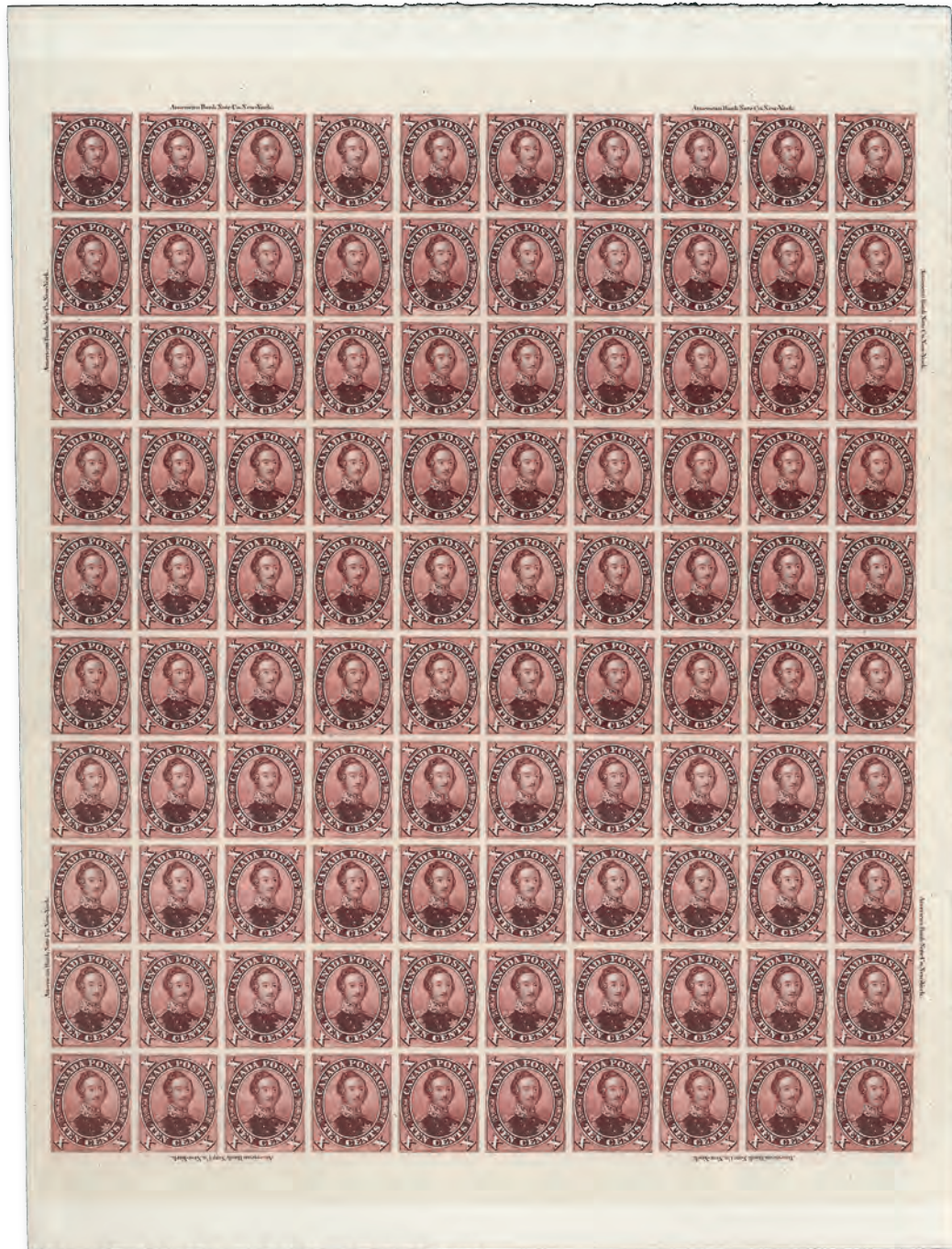


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3100° ㊦ **1859, 1c Rose, Plate Proof on India (Unitrade 14P). Sheet of 100** with double “American Bank Note Co. New-York.” imprint on each side, wonderful depth of color, affixed to original card backing so free of the usual India paper flaws, exceptionally fresh

EXTREMELY FINE. A BEAUTIFUL AND RARE COMPLETE SHEET OF 100 OF THE 1859 ONE-CENT ROSE ISSUE PLATE PROOF ON INDIA.

This issue was printed from a single plate of 100 subjects. Unitrade value as singles with no premium for the imprints C\$25,000.00..... E. 7,500-10,000



3101

3101° 田 **1859-64, 10c Brownish Purple, Trial Color Plate Proof on India (Unitrade 17TCi).**
Sheet of 100 with double "American Bank Note Co. New-York." imprint on each side,
 deep rich color, affixed to original card backing so free of the typical India paper flaws

EXTREMELY FINE AND RARE COMPLETE SHEET OF 100 OF THE 1859-64 10-CENT BROWNISH-PURPLE TRIAL COLOR PLATE PROOF ON INDIA.

This issue was printed from a single plate of 100 subjects. Unitrade value as singles with
 no premium for the imprints C\$27,500.00 E. 7,500-10,000



3102

3102° 田 **1859-64, 12½c Yellow Green, Plate Proof on India (Unitrade 18P). Sheet of 100** with double "American Bank Note Co. New-York." imprint on each side, wonderful depth of color, affixed to original card backing so without the usual India paper flaws

EXTREMELY FINE. A CHOICE AND RARE COMPLETE SHEET OF 100 OF THE 1859 12½ CENT YELLOW GREEN ISSUE PLATE PROOF ON INDIA.

This issue was printed from a single plate of 100 subjects. Unitrade value as singles with no premium for the imprints C\$35,000.00 E. 10,000-15,000



3103

3103° 3103 1859-64, 2c Dark Rose, Trial Color Plate Proof on India (20TC). Sheet of 100 with double "American Bank Note Co. New-York." imprint on each side, exceptional color, affixed to original card backing so free of the usual India paper flaws

EXTREMELY FINE. A BEATIFUL AND RARE COMPLETE SHEET OF 100 OF THE 1864 2-CENT DARK ROSE TRIAL COLOR PLATE PROOF ON INDIA.

This issue was printed from a single plate of 100 subjects. Unitrade value as singles with no premium for the imprints C\$30,000.00..... E. 7,500-10,000



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- 3104 TC **1851, 12p Vermilion, "Scar" Die Trial Color Proof on India (Unitrade 3TC).** From the composite die showing a scar across "CE" of "PENCE", ample margins, vibrant color, small sealed tear and thin at top right corner, Fine appearance, a rarely offered "scar" die trial color proof of the 12p stamp, Unitrade value C\$11,000.00 E. 750-1,000
- 3105 P **1851, 12p Black, Plate Proof on India, Vertical Carmine "Specimen" Overprint (Unitrade 3Pi).** Large balanced margins and affixed to card, razor sharp impression, Very Fine, with 1997 Greene Foundation certificate, Unitrade C\$2,500.00 E. 500-750
- 3106 **1852-55, 3p Orange Red, Thin Paper (4d; SG 7).** Jumbo margins including small portions of adjoining framelines on two sides, bold color and razor-sharp impression, target cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, a spectacular example, with 1995 Greene Foundation certificate, Scott \$225.00, SG £275, Unitrade C\$300.00 E. 300-400



3107

- 3107 **1852, 3p Orange Red, Major Re-entry (Unitrade 4xiii).** Horizontal pair, positions 79-80, the right stamp shows a clear re-entry, with lines thru many of the letters in the inscription, plus other lines throughout the design, large to huge margins, wonderfully fresh color in the Orange Red shade, well incised impression, cancelled by Brockville & Montreal railroad cancel dated Sept. 2, 1856
- EXTREMELY FINE. A SPECTACULAR SHOWPIECE SHOWING THE RARE MAJOR RE-ENTRY. EASILY ONE OF THE FINEST EXISTING EXAMPLES OF THIS RE-ENTRY.
- Ex Glassco, Dale-Lichtenstein, Dr. Tang, and Lace. With 2004 Greene Foundation certificate..... E. 2,000-3,000



- 3108 (★) **1859, 10c Brown, Perf 12 x 11¼ (17b; SG 36).** Unused (no gum), bold color and strong impression on fresh paper, impressively well-centered for this notoriously tightly spaced issue, Extremely Fine, a surprisingly rare stamp to find well-centered and sound, ex Lyman, with 2021 Greene Foundation certificate, Scott \$1,175.00, SG £1,500, Unitrade C\$1,600.00 E. 500-750
- 3109 ★★田 **1868-76, 15c Reddish Purple (29i; SG 61b).** Mint N.H. block of ten, exceptionally fresh color, Fine, a scarce multiple, catalogued as singles, SG £2,500 as hinged, Unitrade C\$5,000.00 E. 1,000-1,500
- 3110 ★★ **1890s, 2c Green, Ottawa Printing (Unitrade 36i).** Mint N.H., Jumbo margins with excellent centering, bold color, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb example, with 2018 Greene Foundation certificate, Unitrade C\$300.00..... E. 300-400
- 3111 **1877, 10c Dull Rose Lilac, Thick Paper (40 var; SG 87 var).** Neat diamonds in circle fancy cancel, fresh color printed on noticeably thick paper, Fine, a rare variety with **only two examples recorded**, ex Jura, with 2018 Greene Foundation certificate.... E. 300-400
- 3112 ★★ **1888, 3c Rose Carmine (41a).** Mint N.H., bold color and impression on bright paper, wide margins, Extremely Fine, ex "Calgary", with 2018 Greene Foundation certificate, Scott \$1,150.00, Unitrade C\$2,250.00 E. 400-500
- 3113 ★ **1893, 20c Vermilion (46).** With part "(B)ank Note Co. Ottawa" imprint in bottom selva, original gum, h.r. which serves as hinge reinforcement, excellent centering, fresh color, Very Fine, a handsome unused example, Scott \$400.00, SG £250, Unitrade C\$600.00 E. 200-300
- 3114 ★★ **1897, 3c Jubilee (53).** Mint N.H. top right corner selva single, extraordinarily well-centered with Jumbo margins, intense shade on fresh paper, Extremely Fine Gem, a stunning example of this 3c Jubilee, with 2021 Greene Foundation certificate, Scott \$75.00, Unitrade C\$120.00 E. 200-300



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- 3115 ★★ **1897, 10c Jubilee (57).** Mint N.H. with selvage at bottom, uncharacteristically well-centered, intense shade and well-incised impression, Extremely Fine Gem, a beautiful example seldom found in this pristine condition, with 2007 Gratton certificate, Scott \$400.00, Unitrade C\$750.00 E. 200-300
- 3116 ★ **1897, 50c Jubilee (60).** Original gum, exceedingly well-centered, unusually wide margins, gorgeous color that is close to the deep ultramarine shade, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2021 P.S.A.G. certificate (95 og H), Scott \$375.00, Unitrade C\$500.00..... E. 300-400
- 3117 **1897, \$2.00 Jubilee (62).** Exceptionally well-struck “Kingston, Canada, OC 13 98” circular datestamp, deep rich shade on fresh paper, Fine, a handsome example, with 2018 Gratton certificate, Scott \$550.00, Unitrade C\$600.00 E. 200-300



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- 3118 **1897, \$5.00 Jubilee (65).** Beautifully struck “Montreal, Canada, AU 6 97” circular datestamp, rich color, well-centered, Fine and attractive, an appealing example, the \$5.00 is typically encountered with the magenta Winnipeg cancel, with 2019 Greene Foundation certificate, Scott \$1,000.00, Unitrade C\$1,600.00..... E. 400-500
- 3119 ★★ **1898, 10c Brown Violet Maple Leaf (73).** Mint N.H., precise centering with wide margins, deep intense shade and crisp impression on bright paper, Extremely Fine Gem, an exceptional Mint N.H. example, with 2021 Greene Foundation certificate, Scott \$1,500.00, Unitrade C\$2,400.00..... E. 750-1,000
- 3120 ★★ **1899, 2c Carmine, Ty. I (77).** Mint N.H., extraordinarily Jumbo margins with excellent centering, wonderfully fresh color, Extremely Fine, a remarkable example and easily ranking as one of the finest examples, with 2010 Sismondo (Gem 100 Jumbo), Scott \$110.00, Unitrade C\$270.00 E. 200-300



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- 3121 (★) **1899, 5c Blue on Bluish, Imperforate (79a; Unitrade 79ii).** Horizontal pair, without gum as always on this issue, large even margins, deep color, Very Fine, with 2009 Sismondo certificate, Scott \$1,100.00, Unitrade C\$900.00 E. 300-400
- 3122 ★★ **1898, 8c Orange (82).** Mint N.H. with selvage at top, amazingly well-centered with particularly wide margins, vibrant and fresh color, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb example for the perfectionist, with 2019 Greene Foundation certificate, Scott \$700.00, Unitrade C\$1,800.00 E. 750-1,000
- 3123 ★★ **1900, 20c Olive Green (84).** Mint N.H. with selvage at right, wonderfully well-centered with wide margins, beautiful rich color on fresh white paper, crease in selvage of no consequence, Extremely Fine, a particularly choice quality example, with 2021 Greene Foundation certificate, Scott \$1,300.00, Unitrade C\$3,000.00 E. 1,000-1,500



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- 3124 ★★田 **1900, 20c Olive Green (84).** Mint N.H. block of four, particularly well-centered overall, strong color in a rich shade

VERY FINE. A HANDSOME NEVER-HINGED BLOCK OF FOUR OF THE 1900 20-CENT NUMERAL ISSUE.

Well-centered and never hinged multiples of high values are seldom encountered. With 2021 Greene Foundation certificate. Catalogued as singles. Scott \$5,200.00. Unitrade C\$12,000.00 E. 2,000-3,000



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- 3125 ★ **1898, 2c Imperial Penny Postage, Map Stamp, Imperforate (85a-86a).** Matching vertical pairs with sheet margin at top, without gum as issued, lovely fresh colors, Very Fine and choice, Scott \$900.00, Unitrade C\$1,400.00 E. 400-500
- 3126 ★ **1898, 2c Black, Imperforate Pair (Unitrade 86v).** Vertical pair with “**American Bank Note Co. Ottawa**” imprint in bottom margin, without gum as issued, wonderfully fresh, Extremely Fine, only 200 stamps printed leaving 100 pairs possible, **only four imprint** pairs are possible, Unitrade C\$1,250.00 E. 500-750



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- 3127 ★★ **1903, 1c Green (89).** Mint N.H. with top left corner selvage, near perfect centering with Jumbo margins, remarkably fresh color on bright paper, Extremely Fine Gem in every regard, a difficult stamp to improve upon, with 2021 Greene Foundation certificate, Scott \$115.00, Unitrade C\$245.00 E. 200-300
- 3128 ★★ **1903, 7c Olive Bistre (92).** Mint N.H., incredibly well-centered with wide margins, deep rich color on bright paper, Extremely Fine, a challenging stamp to find in this gem condition, with photocopy of 2020 Greene Foundation certificate for a block from which this originates, Scott \$550.00, Unitrade C\$1,750.00 E. 500-750



- 3129 ★田 **1911-25 1c-\$1.00 Admiral (104-122).** Complete set in **blocks of four**, original gum, mostly lightly hinged but couple **Mint N.H.** or partially so, few minor h.r.'s, lower denominations with either Dry or Wet Printing, incl. key 5c Dark Blue and 10c Plum, also with 1924 Imperforate set and 1926 "2 Cents" Surcharges, fresh and Very Fine, Scott should exceed \$6,000.00 simply as singles.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 1,000-1,500
- 3130 ★田 **1924, 5c Violet, Wet Printing, Thin Paper, Right Margin Pyramid Block of Four (Unitrade 112v).** Original gum, top right stamp lightly hinged, others **Mint N.H.**, intense shade, Fine-Very Fine, ex Pocklington, with 2007 Greene Foundation certificate, Unitrade C\$1,200.00 E. 300-400
- 3131 ★★ **1935, 13c Royal Yacht, Shilling Mark (Unitrade 216i).** Plate 1 UR, position 78, **Mint N.H.**, strong color, Very Fine and scarce variety, Unitrade C\$1,350.00..... E. 400-500
- 3132 ★★田 **1946, 10c Great Bear Lake, Shifted Perforations (269 var).** **Mint N.H.** block of four with **Canada Bank Note Co.** imprint in bottom selva, block showing **severe perforation shift** of bottom two horizontal perfs, inconsequential thin in bottom selva, Very Fine, a dramatic variety..... E. 300-400
- 3133 ★★ **1875, 2c Orange, Registration (F1).** **Mint N.H.** with selva at left, fantastic centering not typically associated with this issue, wide margins, bright color, Extremely Fine, a premium quality example, with 2021 Greene Foundation certificate, Scott \$240.00, Unitrade C\$450.00 E. 300-400
- 3134 ★★ **1875-88, 5c Yellow Green, Registered (F2b).** **Mint N.H.**, wonderfully well-centered with particularly wide margins, bold color, Extremely Fine, a choice quality example, with 2018 Greene Foundation certificate, Scott \$450.00, Unitrade C\$960.00..... E. 400-500
- 3135 ★★ **1935, 1c-10c Dark Violet, Postage Due, Imperforate (J15a-J20a).** Set of the four values that come imperforate, **Mint N.H.** horizontal pairs, large balanced margins all around, bold color, Extremely Fine set, rare in this choice condition as Unitrade states "*most of the imperf pairs have slightly disturbed gum due to poor storage*", only 100 pairs printed, Scott \$1,000.00, Unitrade C\$1,800.00(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 400-500



3136

- 3136 ★★ 1915, 5c-50c “War Tax” Overprints (Unitrade MR2B-MR2D). Mint N.H., excellent centering overall, far better than what is typically encountered, bold colors on fresh paper, Very Fine and choice, particularly scarce to find in this choice condition both well-centered and in Mint N.H. condition, each with 2021 Greene Foundation certificate, Unitrade C\$4,320.00..... E. 1,000-1,500



3137

- 3137 ★★ 1915, 50c Black, “War Tax” Overprint (Unitrade MR2D). Mint N.H. top left corner selva single, excellent centering with wide margins, deep rich color on bright paper, showing interesting guide line running the entire stamp just outside of left frameline, Extremely Fine, a stamp with tremendous eye-appeal, with 2014 Greene Foundation certificate, Unitrade C\$2,000.00..... E. 500-750

- 3138 ★★ 1916, 2c + 1c Brown, Die I (MR4a). Mint N.H., precise centering with uncommonly wide margins, deep rich color

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A RARE NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 2-CENT WAR TAX FROM DIE I. THE KEY WAR TAX ADMIRAL STAMP, RARE IN SUCH CHOICE CONDITION.

With 2021 Greene Foundation certificate. Scott \$1,900.00. Unitrade C\$4,050.00..... E. 1,500-2,000



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- 3139 ★★ 1951, \$1.00 “G” Official (O27). Mint N.H., perfectly centered with wide margins, brilliantly fresh, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2018 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$480.00), Scott \$80.00, Unitrade C\$120.00 . E. 200-300

- 3140 ★★ 1879, Brown, Officially Sealed (OX1). Mint N.H., uncharacteristically well-centered, intense shade and strong impression in darker shade closer to “Brown” than “Yellow Brown”

VERY FINE. A PRISTINE NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 1879 OFFICIALLY SEALED STAMP. RARELY ENCOUNTERED THIS CHOICE AND EASILY ONE OF THE FINEST.

Unitrade states “VF-NH copies of OX1 are EXTREMELY rare (if they exist).” This example, along with the ex “Calgary” and “Scarsdale” example is “living proof” that examples do exist but are exceptionally rare. Scott catalogue notes a 25-30% premium for Very Fine examples (not calculated here).

With 1994 Greene Foundation certificate. Scott \$2,750.00. Unitrade C\$3,750.00 ... E. 2,000-3,000



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- 3141 Manitoba Law Stamp, October 1877, 25c Red & Black, Trace of “L S” at Bottom of Stamp (van Dam ML19a). Clearly showing trace of the “LS” at bottom, herringbone cancel and blue “Nov. 5, 1877” datestamp, manuscript “EWR” initials at top right of E.W. Romans who was the deputy provincial treasurer, Very Fine and quite rare, we are aware of only one other example and likely no more than a few exist, with 2018 Greene Foundation certificate, van Dam C\$1,400.00 E. 500-750

END OF SESSION ONE

SESSION TWO (LOTS 3142-3391)
WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 1, 2021, AT 1:30 P.M.

BRITISH COMMONWEALTH (CONTINUED)

CAPE OF GOOD HOPE



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3143

- 3142 田 **1853, 1p Brick Red on Bluish Paper (1; SG 1).** Block of four comprising two square pairs, mostly large to ample margins, just touching at one corner, neat "CGH" in barred triangle cancels, ironed out vertical crease affecting one pair, Very Fine appearance, Scott \$1,950.00, SG £1,800 as singles E. 300-400
- 3143 (★) **1858, 1sh Yellow Green (6; SG 8).** Unused (no gum), large to full margins on each side, strong color and sharp impression, Very Fine, a scarce unused stamp, Scott \$4,000.00, SG £3,750 E. 750-1,000



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- 3144 ★ **Mafeking, 1900, 6p on 2p Green & Carmine (174, SG 13).** Small part original gum, fresh unwashed color, Fine and scarce, Scott \$1,600.00, SG £1,600..... E. 400-500
- 3145 ★ **Mafeking, 1900, 1sh on 6p Violet on Rose (175, SG 14).** Part original gum, additionally showing the constant variety of a short left leg of "A" in "Mafeking", deep color, tiny sealed tear at left, otherwise a Fine example of this rare issue, signed Calves and with 2007 Sismondo certificate, Scott \$7,500.00, SG £8,500..... E. 750-1,000
- 3146 ★ **Vryburg, 1899, 2½p on 2½p Ultramarine (N4; SG 4).** Original gum, lightly hinged, bright shade, most recent certificate noting "pressed vertical creases" which are just gum bends, otherwise Very Fine and scarce, signed Senf and Bloch, with 1989 and 2021 B.P.A. certificates, Scott \$1,800.00, SG £1,700..... E. 400-500

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- 3147 **1859, 4p Dull Rose (5; SG 4).** Ample margins all around, barred cancel, minute and insignificant thin spot in top and bottom margin, Very Fine appearance, a rare stamp, with 1994 Holcombe and 1997 B.P.A. certificates (the former not mentioning thin spots), Scott \$5,250.00, SG £4,500 E. 750-1,000
- 3148 (★) **1857, 5p Orange Brown (6; SG 5).** Unused (no gum), large balanced margins all around not typically associated with this first issue, exceptionally rich shade and intense impression, barely perceptible (not even in fluid) bend at bottom, Extremely Fine appearance, with 2021 B.P.A. certificate, Scott \$1,750.00, SG £1,600 E. 400-500
- 3149 **1859, 2sh Blue (13; SG 12).** Full margins to clear at left, wonderfully rich shade on bright paper, barred cancel, Very Fine, signed A. Diena and with 2001 B.P.A. certificate, Scott \$1,400.00, SG £1,300 E. 400-500
- 3150 ★ **1861, 2sh Blue, Rough Perf 14-15½ (36; SG 37).** Large part original gum, near perfect centering for this issue which is nearly always seen touching the sides, exceptionally fresh color, Extremely Fine, signed Bloch, with 1989 R.P.S. certificate, Scott \$800.00, SG £750 E. 200-300



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- 3151 ★ **1879, 2r50c Claret (82; SG 138).** Original gum, h.r., bold color, Very Fine, Scott \$800.00, SG £800 E. 200-300
- 3152 S **1912-25, 100r-1,000r King George V, "Specimen" Overprint (216S-218S; SG 321s-323s).** Original gum, 500r lightly hinged, others h.r., excellent colors, well-centered overall, 500r with barest trace of yellowing gum, Very Fine and scarce trio of "Specimens", SG £3,075 E. 1,000-1,500



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- 3153 ★ **CYPRUS, 1881, ½p on 1p Red, 16mm Long, Double Surcharge (9a; SG 8a).** Plate 201, lettered S-L, original gum, lightly hinged, slight but clear doubling of surcharge, mild diagonal crease not mentioned on certificate, Fine appearance, a scarce error, signed A. Diena and with 1977 Chiavarello certificate, Scott \$3,750.00, SG £3,750..... E. 750-1,000
- 3154 ★ **EAST AFRICA & UGANDA PROTECTORATES, 1904, 20r Olive Gray & Black (30; SG 32).** Original gum, lightly hinged, strong color, Fine, Scott \$875.00, SG £900 .. E. 300-400
- 3155 ★ **EAST AFRICA & UGANDA PROTECTORATES, 1907, 50r Orange Brown & Black (30A; SG 33).** Original gum, lightly hinged, bold colors on crisp paper, Fine, Scott \$2,750.00, SG £3,000..... E. 750-1,000



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- 3156 ★ **EAST AFRICA & UGANDA PROTECTORATES, 1912, 100r Black & Violet on Red (58; SG 62).** Original gum, small h.r., outstanding centering, intense color and impression, minor vertical gum crease not mentioned on accompanying certificate
- VERY FINE AND CHOICE. A HANDSOME AND DESIRABLE EXAMPLE OF THIS RARE HIGH-DENOMINATION OF EAST AFRICA & UGANDA PROTECTORATES.
- With 1997 Behr certificate. Scott \$9,750.00. SG £9,500 E. 3,000-4,000

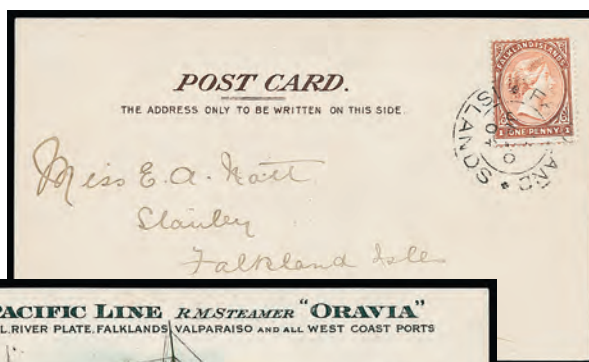


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- 3157 ★ **EAST AFRICA & UGANDA PROTECTORATES, 1919, 4c on 6c Carmine, Pair, One Without Surcharge (62c; SG 64d).** Bottom right corner **plate no. 1** horizontal pair, original gum, h.r., fresh color, Very Fine and dramatic error, especially desirable with the plate number, signed Bloch and with 1997 Brandon certificate, Scott \$2,000.00, SG £2,000 E. 750-1,000

FALKLAND ISLANDS

- 3158 ✉ **1904 Pacific Steam Navigation Company Post Card.** Falkland Islands 1p Victoria tied by "Falkland Islands, JA 20 04" double-circle datestamp on "Pacific Line R.M. Steamer Oravia" picture post card, addressed locally, Very Fine, scarce to find in used condition E. 200-300



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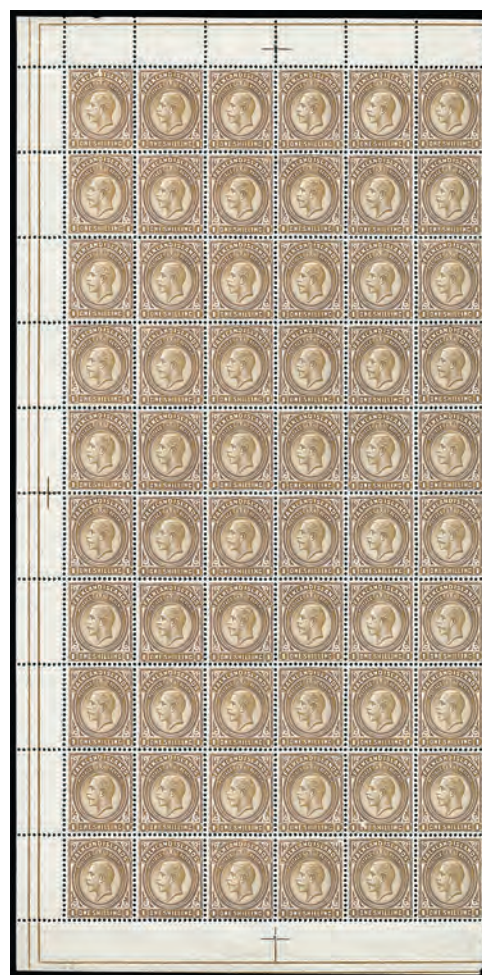
- 3159 P **1912-20 King George V Undenominated Die Proof.** Measuring 36 x 35mm, printed in black on thick glossy wove paper, proof was used for the lower denominations which is omitted at bottom, Very Fine and rare, ex Baillie, Heijtz £2,000 E. 1,000-1,500

- 3160 P **1912-20 King George V Die Proof of Head.** Measuring 33 x 34mm on thick wove paper, showing incomplete shading on lower portion of neck, Very Fine, this was the design which was ultimately used for the 1912-20 King George V Issue (and that of the War Tax Overprints), specifically mentioned on page 53 of Bunt's book in a letter sent by Sir Evelyn who was the chairman of De La Rue, Heijtz £1,000 E. 400-500



3160

- 3161 ★★田 1920, 1sh Brown on Thick Grayish Paper (35b; SG 65b; Heijtz 29c). Mint N.H. complete pane of 60, missing selvage at right, rich color, some minor separations in selvage and couple stamps with minor facial abrasion, still Very Fine and rare survivor as only 69 panes were issued without the "War Tax" overprint, unlikely many other intact panes have survived, Scott and SG as hinged singles, Scott \$2,400.00, SG £2,400, Heijtz £2,400 as singles..... E. 500-750



3161



3162

- 3162 ★田 1928, 2½p on 2p Brown Violet, Provisional (52; SG 115). Block of four with selvage at right, original gum (slightly browned as usual), lightly hinged, rich color
 VERY FINE AND SCARCE BLOCK OF FOUR OF THE 1928 2½-PENCE PROVISIONAL.
 With 1994 B.P.A. and 2013 Heijtz certificates. Catalogue values as singles. Scott \$5,600.00. SG £5,200..... E. 2,000-3,000



3163EX

- 3163 ★ 1933, ½p-£1 Tercentenary (65-76; SG 127-138). Original gum, lightly hinged except 5sh Mint N.H. with part imprint selvage at bottom, wonderfully bright and fresh

VERY FINE. A BEAUTIFUL SET OF THE POPULAR 1933 TERCENTENARY SET OF FALKLAND ISLANDS.

Scott \$4,800.00. SG £4,250(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 1,500-2,000



3164



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3166

- 3164 ★ 1933, 5sh Yellow Orange & Black, Centenary (74a; SG 136a). Original gum, lightly hinged, bold color in this distinctive shade, certificate notes toned original gum which is leaves us a bit baffled, otherwise Very Fine, with 2021 B.P.A. certificate, Scott \$3,250.00, SG £3,250 E. 750-1,000

- 3165 ★ 1935, 1sh Jubilee, Lightning Conductor (SG 142c). Plate "3", position R. 2/5, original gum, h.r., well-centered, corner crease, Very Fine appearance, the "Lightning Conductor" variety on the 1sh value is one of the rarest plate varieties as it came from the August 1935 Printing, so at most 94 examples were printed, most of which have been lost to philately, SG £3,500..... E. 750-1,000

- 3166 ★ 1935, 1sh Jubilee, Double Flagstaff (SG 142e). Plate "6", position R. 5/2, original gum, minor h.r., excellent centering, fresh colors, Very Fine, one of the scarcest plate varieties of the 1935 Silver Jubilee issue, SG £1,700..... E. 750-1,000



3167



3168

- 3167 ★★ 1938-46, 5sh Pale Yellow Brown & Indigo (94a; SG 161b). Mint N.H., beautifully rich and fresh colors on bright paper, Very Fine, a choice example of this key George VI color variety, with 1969 B.P.A. certificate, Scott \$650.00 as hinged, SG £1,100 E. 400-500
- 3168 ★★ 1971, 1 on 1½p Flowers, “5p” Instead of “1p” Error (198a; SG 264a). Mint N.H. with sheet margin at right, fresh and Very Fine, a scarce error and seldom offered, only three sheets printed (180 stamps total), Scott \$750.00, SG £750..... E. 200-300



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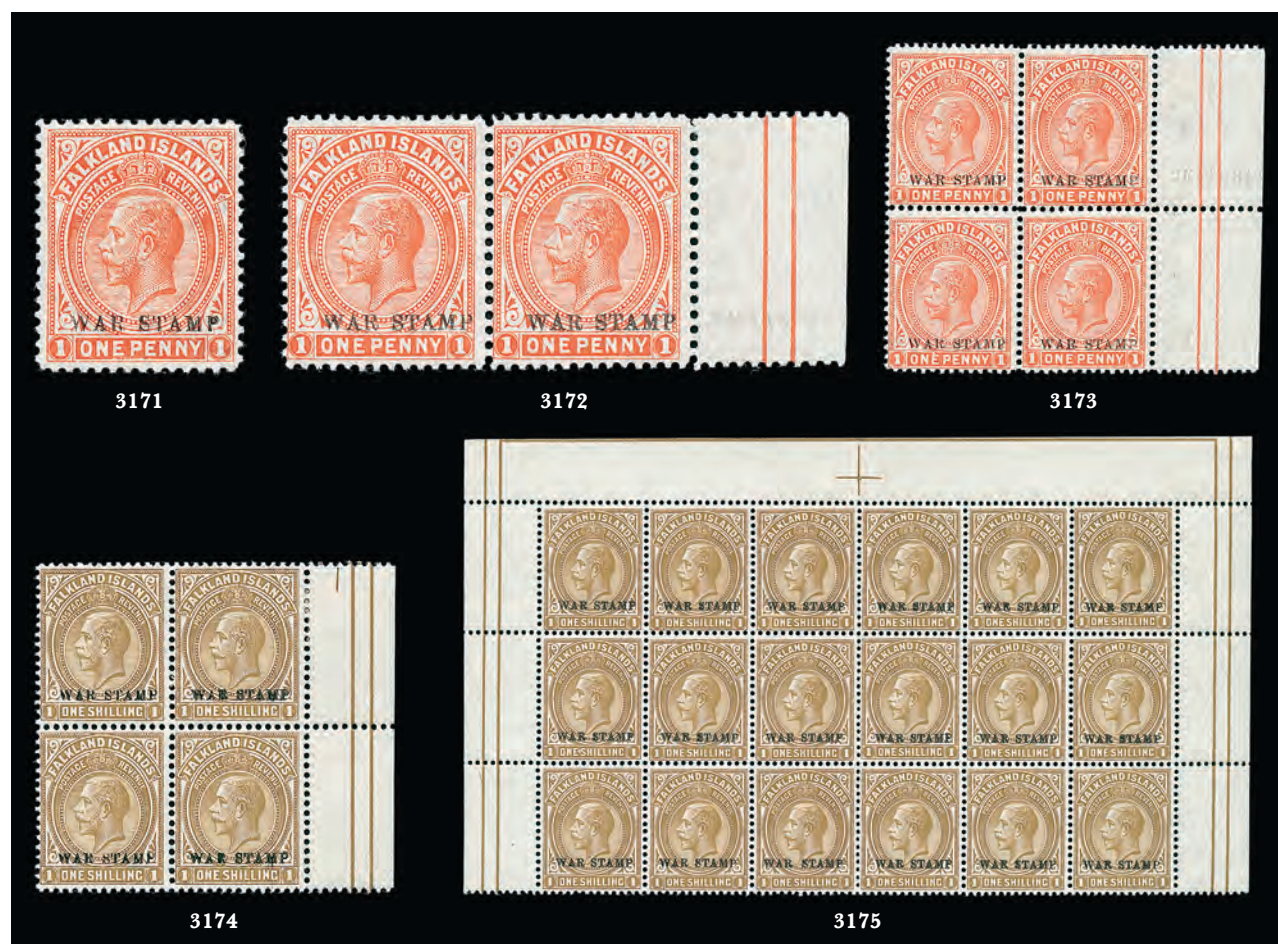
- 3169 ★★ Dependencies, 1981 Brown Rush, Light Brown (Queen’s Head and Territory Inscription) Omitted (1L57a; SG 93a). Mint N.H., bright and fresh, Very Fine, a rare and striking error, with 2013 Heijitz certificate, Scott \$3,750.00, SG £3,750..... E. 1,500-2,000

- 3170 S Dependencies, 1944, ½p-1sh South George Overprint, Perf “Specimen” (3L1S-3L8S; SG B1s-B8s). Mint N.H., bright colors, Fine-Very Fine, SG £650 (Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 200-300



3170EX

FALKLAND ISLANDS SPECIALIZED WAR TAX COLLECTION
FORMED BY CARLOS GARCIA-MORAL
ORGANIZED BY OVERPRINTING — FIRST OVERPRINTING



- 3171 ★ 1918, 1p Pale Scarlet, War Tax, Double Overprint, One Albino, First Overprinting (MR2c; SG 71a; Heijtz 36aIv1). Original gum, lightly hinged, well-centered, bright shade, Very Fine, only three sheets of 60 (180 total) was overprinted, with 1965 B.P.A. certificate as former No. 91b, Scott \$425.00, SG £425, Heijtz £300..... E. 200-300
- 3172 ★ 1918, 1p Pale Scarlet, War Tax, Double Overprint, One Albino, First Overprinting (MR2c; SG 71a; Heijtz 36av2). Horizontal pair with selvage at right which has **double reversed albino overprint**, original gum, lightly hinged, bold color, Fine and rare error, **only 30 examples** are possible with the double albino overprint in selvage, ex Bunt, Scott and SG without premium for selvage error, Scott \$800.00, SG £850, Heijtz £1,000..... E. 400-500
- 3173 ★★田 1918, 1p Pale Scarlet, War Tax, Double Overprint, One Albino, First Overprinting (MR2c var; SG 71a var; Heijtz 36av2). Mint N.H. block of four with **double reversed albino overprints in right selvage**, albino surcharges on stamps clearly seen from reverse, intense shade, Fine-Very Fine, an impressive multiple as three panes of 60 received the second overprint leaving **only 30 examples** with the double albino overprints in the selvage, Heijtz as singles £2,000..... E. 750-1,000
- 3174 ★田 1918, 1sh Yellow Brown, War Tax, Reversed Albino Overprint in Selvage, First Overprinting (MR3 var; SG 72 var; Heijtz 37av1). Block of four with **reversed albino overprint in right selvage**, original gum, top pair h.r., bottom pair Mint N.H., bold color, Very Fine and particularly scarce as only one pane of 60 was thought to have received this albino overprint leaving **only 10 examples possible**, this block accounting for 20% of the known examples, Heijtz £880 E. 300-400
- 3175 ★★田 1918, 1sh Yellow Brown, War Tax, First Overprinting (MR3 var; SG 72; Heijtz 37a, 37at1). Mint N.H. block of eighteen comprising the top three rows of the pane with full selvage, position 15 showing the Wide Space variety, Very Fine and fresh multiple, catalogued as singles, SG £990 as hinged, Heijtz £810..... E. 300-400

SECOND OVERPRINTING



- 3176 ★★田 1919, ½p Pale Green, War Tax, Overprint Offset on Reverse, Second Overprinting (MR1 var; SG 70 var; Heijtz 35av3). Mint N.H. block of eighteen comprising of three rows with selvage at sides, each stamp showing a clear offset strike on reverse, fresh and Very Fine, Heijtz £1,728 as singles..... E. 500-750
- 3177 ★★田 1919, 1p Pale Scarlet, War Tax, Double Overprint, One Albino, Second Overprinting (MR2c; SG 71a; Heijtz 36av3). Mint N.H. block of six with selvage at left, showing **strong double offset on reverse**, rich color on bright paper, Fine and exceptionally rare, especially as a multiple, Scott and SG as hinged with no premium for offset, Scott \$2,400.00, SG £2,550, Heijtz £4,320..... E. 1,000-1,500



3178

- 3178 ★★ 1919, 1sh Yellow Brown, War Tax, Overprint in Selvage at Left, Second Overprinting (MR3 var; SG 72 var; Heijtz 37av2). Mint N.H. horizontal pair with selvage at left showing **complete inked overprint impression**, particularly well-centered, bold color
- VERY FINE EXAMPLE OF THE ONE-SHILLING WAR TAX WITH INKED OVERPRINT IMPRESSION IN SELVAGE AT LEFT. ONLY TWELVE EXAMPLES ARE RECORDED.
- In order to meet demand for these overprints, even blocks and part sheets were overprinted. This caused some selvage overprinted examples to occur. Heijtz £3,600..... E. 1,500-2,000
- 3179 ★★田 1919, 1sh Yellow Brown, War Tax, Overprint Offset on Reverse, Second Overprinting (MR3 var; SG 72 var; Heijtz 37av3). Mint N.H. top left selvage block of four, each stamp showing strong overprint offset on reverse, Very Fine and scarce multiple, ex Palmer, Heijtz £720 as singles E. 200-300

THIRD OVERPRINTING



3180



3181

- 3180 ★★田 1919, ½p Pale Green, War Tax, “W” Without Serif and Bent, Third Overprinting (MR1a var; SG 70a var; Heijtz 35at2). Mint N.H. bottom left corner selva block of four containing position 55 at bottom left showing the variety, strong color, Very Fine, **only two examples are recorded**, remarkably both examples are featured in the collection offered here, these examples prove that sheets of the 1918 printing were used in the third overprinting of the ½p stamp in 1919, some theorize it could have been from either remainders at the Post Office or returned sheets from the Dependencies, with 1995 Heijtz certificate, Heijtz £1,800 E. 500-750
- 3181 ★★田 1919, ½p Pale Green, War Tax, “W” Without Serif and Bent, Third Overprinting (MR1a var; SG 70a var; Heijtz 35at2). Mint N.H. bottom left corner selva block of four containing position 55 at bottom left showing the variety, rich shade, Very Fine, **only two examples are recorded**, remarkably both examples are featured in the collection offered here, these examples prove that sheets of the 1918 printing were used in the third overprinting of the ½p stamp in 1919, some theorize it could have been from either remainders at the Post Office or returned sheets from the Dependencies, ex Palmer, with 1998 Heijtz certificate, Heijtz £1,800 E. 500-750



3182



3183

- 3182 ★ 1919, 1p Yellow Green, War Tax, Albino Overprint, Third Overprinting (MR1b; SG 70ab; Heijtz 35bv1). Original gum, lightly hinged, albino impression clearly seen on gum side, bold color, Very Fine, an exceptionally scarce variety with only one pane of 60 printed, likely caused in error by the printer by possibly keeping an interleaving sheet on the top sheet after the albino registration overprint, with 1984 Brandon certificate as old No. 87a, Scott \$2,500.00, SG £2,500, Heijtz £1,750 E. 750-1,000
- 3183 ★田 1919, ½p Green, War Tax, Horizontally Misplaced Overprint, Third Overprinting (MR1 var; SG 70c var; Heijtz 35cv2). Bottom right corner selva block of six, original gum, top right stamp h.r., others Mint N.H., each stamp showing a strong horizontal shift to the right, Very Fine, this horizontal shift was caused by the misregistration of the overprint due to the reduced selva at right, Heijtz £840 as singles E. 300-400



3184EX



3185

- 3184 ★ 1919, ½p Green, War Tax, Single & Double Offset on Reverse, Third Overprinting (MR1a var; SG 70b var; Heijtz 35cv1, 35cv4). Four items, Single Offset on reverse with Mint N.H. block of four and single, Double Offset with two horizontal pairs, original gum, lightly hinged, Very Fine and scarce group, only one pane of 60 with the double offset was printed, Heijtz £1,600.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 500-750
- 3185 ★田 1919, 1p Deep Orange Red, War Tax, Broken “W” and Platten Pin Impression, Third Overprinting (MR2 var; SG 71c var; Heijtz 36bt3). Bottom left corner selva block of four, original gum, top pair h.r., bottom right lightly hinged, bottom left the variety is Mint N.H. which shows the Broken “W” from State 3 and the Platten Pin impression, vibrant color, Very Fine, only 25 panes overprinted and therefore less than 25 known since some were State 2 or 4, Heijtz £450 as singles..... E. 150-200



3186

- 3186 ★ 1919, 1p Vermilion, War Tax, Double Overprint, Third Overprinting (MR2a; SG 71ca; Heijtz 36cv1). Horizontal pair, positions 21-22 (light pencil on reverse), original gum, minor h.r., vibrant shade on fresh paper
- VERY FINE. A RARE ORIGINAL-GUM PAIR OF THE ONE-PENNY WAR TAX WITH DOUBLE OVERPRINT. ONLY 58 EXAMPLES WERE PRINTED FROM ONE PANE.
- Only one pane of 60 was printed with the double overprint. Due to a foldover affecting two stamps at the bottom left of the sheet, two examples remained without the second overprint. See Lot 3187 in this sale for the unique block of twelve showing the foldover.
- With undated B.P.A. certificate. Catalogued as singles. Scott \$8,500.00. SG £9,000. Heijtz £7,000..... E. 3,000-4,000

1919 ONE-PENNY VERMILION WITH DOUBLE “WAR TAX” OVERPRINT
THE ICONIC BOTTOM MARGIN BLOCK OF TWELVE



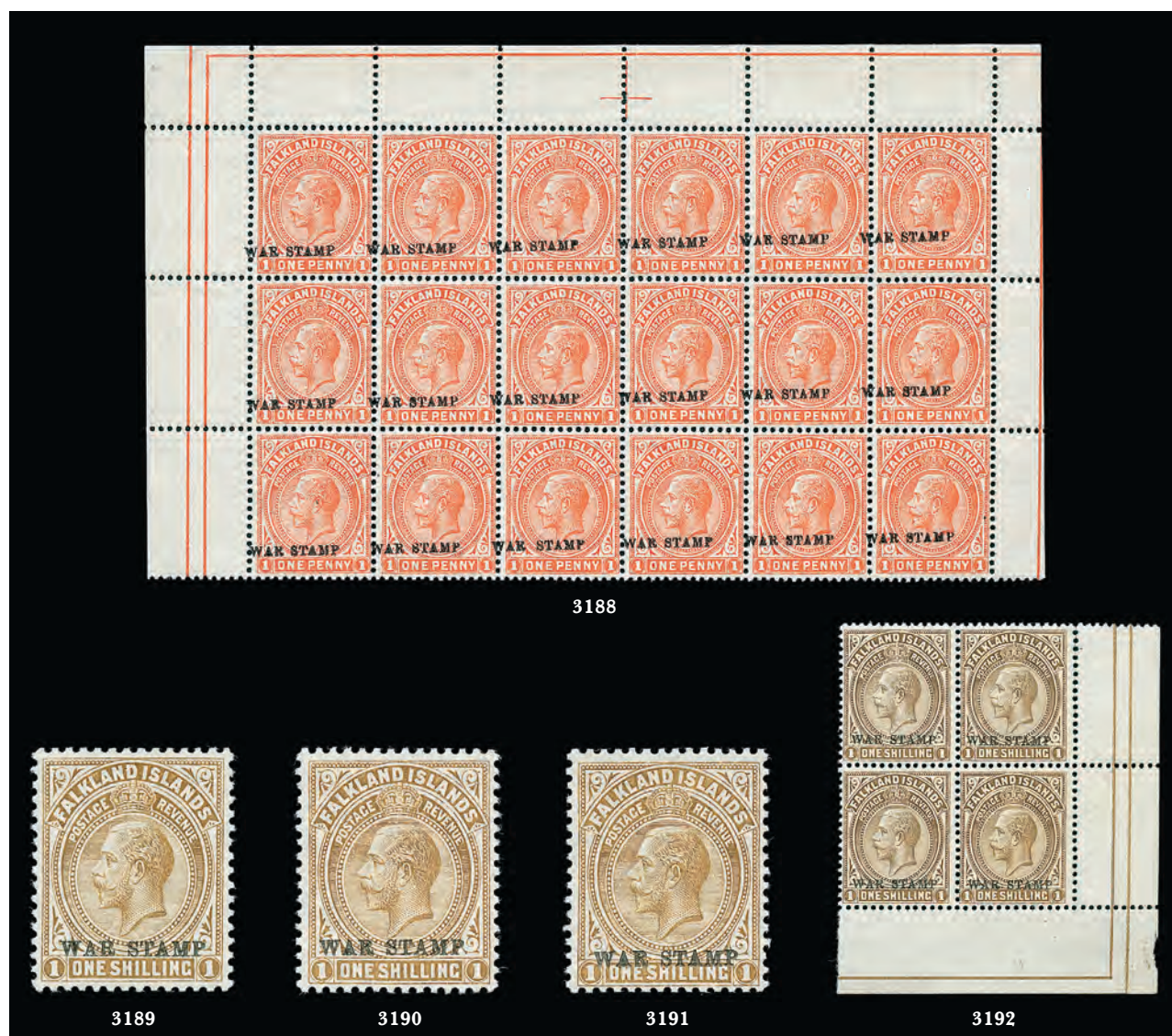
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3187 (★)田 1919, 1p Vermilion, War Tax, Double Overprint, Third Overprinting (MR2a; SG 71ca; Heijtz 36cv1). Block of twelve comprising the bottom two horizontal rows of the sheet, unused (no gum), bottom left **with foldover between overprints** causing the second overprint to miss the bottom left stamp and only “AMP” partial second overprint on position 56 (position eight in block), the “WAR ST” having been overprinted on reverse

VERY FINE. A TRULY REMARKABLE AND UNIQUE SHOWPIECE ITEM OF THE ONE-PENNY WAR TAX WITH DOUBLE OVERPRINT. ONLY ONE SHEET WAS PRINTED WITH THE DOUBLE OVERPRINT LEAVING ONLY 58 EXAMPLES POSSIBLE, THIS MULTIPLE CONTAINING TEN OF THOSE EXAMPLES.

This magnificent block was housed in the Chancery Lane Safe Deposit vaults in London during World War II. During the heavy aerial bombardments of September 1940, water from firefighters crept into the underground vault, causing this block to lose its gum. This block is mentioned in Stanley Gibbons in the footnote below the War Tax Issue.

Ex Marquess of Bute and Stanley. Catalogued as ten original gum singles. Scott \$42,500.00. SG £45,000. Heijtz £35,000..... E. 10,000-15,000



- 3188 ★田 1919, 1p Vermilion, War Tax, Horizontally Misplaced Overprint, Third Overprinting (MR2b var; SG 71c var; Heijtz 36cv3). Block of eighteen consisting the first three rows of a pane with full selvage, original gum, one center stamp small small h.r., others Mint N.H., each stamp showing strong shift of overprint to left, Very Fine, a spectacular showpiece, only one sheet from the Third Overprinting was thought to have had this shift, this block shows how the misplacement occurred as the right selvage is shortened and cut at an angle creating a registration issue when overprinting, ex Douglas and Palmer, Heijtz £2,568 as singles E. 750-1,000
- 3189 ★ 1919, 1sh Pale Yellow Brown, War Tax, Double Overprint, One Albino, Third Overprinting (MR3b; SG 72ab; Heijtz 37bv1). Original gum, lightly hinged, showing clear double offsets on reverse, excellent centering, bright color, Very Fine and choice, only 60 examples printed, with 1975 B.P.A. certificate as old No. 95a, Scott \$2,250.00, SG £2,250, Heijtz £1,700..... E. 750-1,000
- 3190 ★ 1919, 1sh Pale Yellow Brown, War Tax, Double Overprint, One Albino, Third Overprinting (MR3b; SG 72ab; Heijtz 37bv1). Original gum, lightly hinged, showing clear double offsets on reverse, well-centered, Very Fine, only 60 examples printed, with 1972 B.P.A. certificate as old No. 95a, Scott \$2,250.00, SG £2,250, Heijtz £1,700 E. 750-1,000
- 3191 ★ 1919, 1sh Pale Yellow Brown, War Tax, Double Overprint, One Albino, Third Overprinting (MR3b; SG 72ab; Heijtz 37bv1). Original gum, small h.r., showing clear double offsets on reverse, warm shade, Very Fine, only 60 examples printed, Scott \$2,250.00, SG £2,250, Heijtz £1,700 E. 750-1,000
- 3192 ★★田 1919, 1sh Pale Yellow Brown, War Tax, Overprint Offset on Reverse, Third Overprinting (MR3 var; SG 72a var; Heijtz 37bv2). Mint N.H. bottom right selvage block of four, showing strong offset of overprint on reverse, rich color, some separation between top right stamp and selvage, Very Fine and scarce multiple, ex Palmer, Heijtz £480 as singles E. 200-300



3193

- 3193 ★★ 1919, 1sh Pale Yellow Brown, War Tax, Overprint Partially Overprinted in Pair with Normal, Third Overprinting (MR3a var; SG 72ac var; Heijtz 37bv4). Mint N.H. horizontal pair with selvage at top (hinged in selvage only), left stamp showing “(WAR ST)AMP” partial overprint, fresh color

FINE. AN EXCEPTIONALLY RARE AND VISUAL PARTIALLY OVERPRINTED ERROR ON THE ONE-SHILLING WAR TAX OVERPRINT.

This error occurred when a sheet of the 1sh stamps was folded during the overprinting process. Ex Lovibond, Neild, and Palmer. Heijtz £7,200 E. 2,000-3,000



3194

- 3194 ★ 1919, 1sh Pale Yellow Brown, War Tax, Foldover and Part Albino Overprint, Third Overprinting (MR3 var; SG 72a var; Heijtz 37b var). With selvage at left, original gum, h.r., foldover thru stamp causing one strike of the overprint in reverse selvage and another strike partially on reverse selvage with “STA” and albino “MP” on stamp, Very Fine and spectacular foldover variety, with 1961 B.P.A. and 2012 Heijtz certificates E. 1,000-1,500

FOURTH AND FIFTH OVERPRINTS



- 3195 ★★田 1919, 1p Vermilion, War Tax, Horizontally Misplaced Overprint, Fourth Overprinting (MR2b var; SG 71c var; Heijtz 36cv3). Mint N.H. bottom left corner selvage block of four, each stamp showing a strong horizontal overprint shift to the left, bottom left example position 55 showing broken "W" from State 4, Very Fine and handsome multiple, Heijtz £864 as singles... E. 300-400
- 3196 ★田 1919, 1p Scarlet, War Tax, Fourth Overprinting (MR2 var; SG 71c var; Heijtz 36ct13-14). Two bottom right corner selvage blocks of four with States 3 and 4 of Position 60, original gum, State 3 with hinge reinforcements, State 4 lightly hinged, State 3 showing the rare "-" for "P" variety and State 4 with replaced "P" but "M" unchanged, Very Fine and rare duo, **only eight examples** of State 3 are thought to have been printed, likely less exist, Heijtz £1,260(Photo Ex) E. 400-500
- 3197 ★ 1919-20, 1/2p-1sh War Tax, Raised Spacer Varieties, Fourth & Fifth Overprintings (MR1-MR3 vars; SG 70-72 vars; Heijtz 35ct1, 35dt2, 36ct4, 36ct10, 37bt4). Five original gum items, 1/2p position 9 and another on Thick Grayish Paper position 5 as top right selvage block of four (variety and two others Mint N.H.), 1p with position 9 in Mint N.H. block of four with selvage at top and position 53 as single, 1sh position 53 as bottom right corner selvage block of four (variety Mint N.H.), Very Fine, a surprisingly scarce group, 1/2 ex Bunt and Palmer, 1p block ex Neild and Palmer and single ex Palmer, 1sh ex Palmer, Heijtz £1,073...(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 300-400
- 3198 ★ 1920, 1/2p Yellowish Green on Thick Grayish Paper, War Tax, Watermark Reversed, Fifth Overprinting (MR1c var; SG 70cx; Heijtz 35dwmk1). With selvage at left, original gum, lightly hinged, Fine, only one sheet of 60 overprinted with this variety, SG £600, Heijtz £375..... E. 200-300
- 3199 ★★ 1920, 1/2p Bluish Green on Thick Grayish Paper, War Tax, Watermark Reversed, Fifth Overprinting (MR1c var; SG 70cx; Heijtz 35dwmk1). Mint N.H., bold color, Fine, only one sheet of 60 overprinted with this variety, SG £600 as hinged, Heijtz £420..... E. 200-300
- 3200 ★ 1919, 1p Vermilion, War Tax, Watermark Reversed, Fifth Overprinting (MR2 var; SG 71cx; Heijtz 36cwmk1). Original gum, h.r., well-centered, gum bend at top left, Very Fine, only one sheet of 60 overprinted with this variety, SG £800, Heijtz £550 E. 200-300
- 3201 ★★田 1920, 1p Vermilion on Thick Grayish Paper, War Tax, Fifth Overprinting (MR2d; SG 71d; Heijtz 36d, 36dt1, 3). Mint N.H. top left corner selvage block of four (hinged in selvage only), top right example showing Thick "R" variety and bottom right example showing broken "W" and wide "P" varieties, bold color, Very Fine, only 25 examples of these varieties were printed, Scott and SG as hinged, Scott \$500.00, SG £480, Heijtz £552 E. 200-300



- 3202 ★★田 1920, 1p Vermilion on Thick Grayish Paper, War Tax, Fifth Overprinting (MR2d; SG 71d; Heijtz 36d, 36dt4). Mint N.H. block of six with selvage at right, top right example showing Broken "M" variety from position 42, Very Fine, only 25 examples of this variety was printed, Scott and SG as hinged, Scott \$750.00, SG £720, Heijtz £660 E. 200-300
- 3203 ★★田 1920, 1p Vermilion on Thick Grayish Paper, War Tax, Fifth Overprinting (MR2d; SG 71d; Heijtz 36d, 36dt6). Mint N.H. bottom left corner selvage block of four, top left example showing spaced "W AR" variety from position 49, vibrant color, Very Fine, less than 25 examples of this variety are possible as not all sheets printed contained this spacing, Scott and SG as hinged, Scott \$500.00, SG £480, Heijtz £498 E. 200-300
- 3204 ★★田 1920, 1sh Brown on Thick Grayish Paper, War Tax, Watermark Inverted, Fifth Overprinting (MR3c var; SG 72bw; Heijtz 37cwmk1). Mint N.H. top left corner selvage block of four (hinged in selvage only), uncommonly well-centered, strong color, Very Fine and choice, a scarce multiple with only three sheets of 60 printed (180 total), SG £1,800 as hinged singles, Heijtz £1,440 as singles E. 500-750
- 3205 ★★田 1920, 1sh Brown on Thick Grayish Paper, War Tax, Watermark Inverted, Fifth Overprinting (MR3c var; SG 72bw; Heijtz 37cwmk1). Mint N.H. top left corner selvage block of nine, showing minor varieties on position 2, 7-8, Very Fine and choice, rare as a multiple this size as only three sheets of 60 printed (180 total) were overprinted, SG £4,050 as hinged singles, Heijtz £3,240 as singles E. 1,000-1,500



3206

- 3206 ★ 1920, 1sh Brown on Thick Grayish Paper, War Tax, Watermark Reversed, Fifth Overprinting (MR3c var; SG 72bx; Heijtz 37cwmk2). Original gum, h.r., bold color, Fine, a rarely encountered watermark variety, SG £3,500, Heijtz £2,500 E. 1,000-1,500



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- 3207 **1920, 1sh Brown on Thick Grayish Paper, War Tax, Watermark Reversed, Fifth Overprinting (MR3c var; SG 72bx; Heijtz 37cwmk2).** Lightly cancelled, bold color, fresh and Fine, a rare watermark variety, especially in used condition, SG £3,500 as unused (unpriced in used condition), Heijtz £2,500 E. 1,000-1,500
- 3208 ★ **1920, 1sh Brown on Thick Grayish Paper, War Tax, Double Overprint, One Albino, Fifth Overprinting (MR3d; SG 72ba; Heijtz 37cv1).** Original gum, lightly hinged, with double offset strikes on reverse, spaced further than usually seen, fresh color, Fine, a rare variety with only one pane of 60 printed, Scott \$2,000.00, SG £1,900, Heijtz £1,300 E. 500-750
- 3209 ★ **1920, 1sh Brown on Thick Grayish Paper, War Tax, Double Overprint, One Albino, Fifth Overprinting (MR3d; SG 72ba; Heijtz 37cv1).** Original gum, lightly hinged, with double offset strikes on reverse, Fine and rare variety with only one pane of 60 printed, ex Palmer, Scott \$2,000.00, SG £1,900, Heijtz £1,300 E. 500-750



3210

- 3210 ★★田 **1920, 1sh Brown on Thick Grayish Paper, War Tax, Double Overprint, One Albino, Fifth Overprinting (MR3d; SG 72ba; Heijtz 37cv1).** Mint N.H. block of four with selvage at right, showing double offset on reverse, bold color

FINE. A RARE MINT NEVER-HINGED BLOCK OF THE ONE-SHILLING BROWN ON THICK GRAYISH PAPER WITH THE DOUBLE OVERPRINT, ONE ALBINO. ONLY ONE PANE OF 60 WAS OVERPRINTED.

The albino impression was first applied on sheets, followed by an inked impression. The intent of this was for proper positioning of the overprint. The two offset strikes on reverse was caused by the albino impression (lighter strike) and then the inked strike (stronger strike).

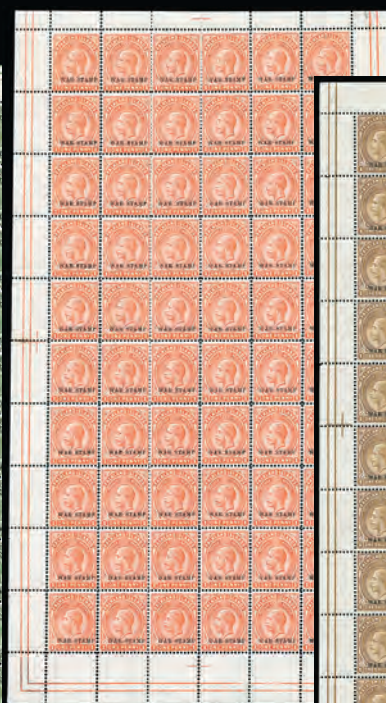
Scott and SG as hinged singles. Scott \$8,000.00. SG £7,600. Heijtz £6,240 as singles E. 3,000-4,000



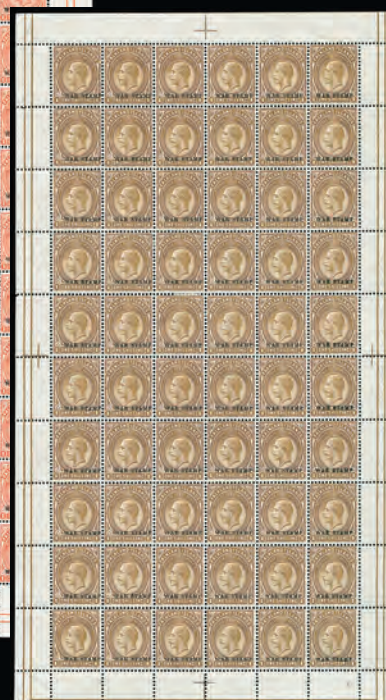
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FALKLAND ISLANDS WAR TAX COMPLETE PANES ORGANIZED BY OVERPRINTING

- 3211 ★田 1918, ½p Pale Green, War Tax, Reversed Albino Overprint in Selvage, First Overprinting (MR1 var; SG 70 var; Heijtz 35a, 35av1, 35av6, 35at1). Two complete panes of 60 with full selvage, original gum, couple hinge marks in selvage and sensible hinge reinforcement affecting two stamps on one pane, one sheet with **Reversed Albino overprints** in each of the ten right selvage pieces, other pane without, both showing the position 4 Face flaw and position 15 Wide Space, Very Fine pair of panes, ½p with Albino overprints ex Bunt and Palmer, Heijtz £684.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 300-400
- 3212 ★★田 1918, ½p Pale Green, War Tax, Reversed Albino Overprint in Selvage, First Overprinting (MR1 var; SG 70 var; Heijtz 35a, 35av1). Mint N.H. complete pane of 60 with full selvage, reversed albino overprint in each of the ten right selvage pieces, also showing the position 4 Face flaw and position 15 Wide Space, some splitting, Very Fine, Heijtz £590 E. 200-300
- 3213 ★★田 1918, 1p Pale Scarlet, War Tax, Reversed Albino Overprint in Selvage, First Overprinting (MR2 var; SG 71 var; Heijtz 36, 36av4). Mint N.H. complete pane of 60 with full selvage, showing **Reversed Albino overprints** in each of the ten right selvage pieces, also showing the position 15 Wide Space, some minor splitting mostly in selvage and toned area in selvage at left, otherwise Very Fine, Heijtz £480..... E. 200-300
- 3214 ★★田 1918, 1sh Yellow Brown, War Tax, Reversed Albino Overprint in Margin, First Overprinting (MR3 var; SG 72 var; Heijtz 37a, 37av1). Mint N.H. complete pane of 60 with full selvage, right selvage showing ten strikes of the rare **Reversed Albino Overprint**, some minor splitting in selvage of little consequence
- VERY FINE. ONLY TWO SURVIVING COMPLETE PANES OF THE ONE-SHILLING FROM THE FIRST OVERPRINTING WITH THE REVERSED ALBINO OVERPRINT IN RIGHT SELVAGE ARE BELIEVED TO STILL EXIST. ONLY FIVE PANES WERE THOUGHT TO HAVE BEEN OVERPRINTED.
- This sheet alone consists of 20% of the examples thought to have been printed. A major Falkland Islands War Tax rarity. Remarkably, this collection contains **both** of the known complete panes.
- Ex Stanley and Palmer. Heijtz £6,900 as singles E. 2,000-3,000
- 3215 ★★田 1918, 1sh Yellow Brown, War Tax, Reversed Albino Overprint in Margin, First Overprinting (MR3 var; SG 72 var; Heijtz 37a, 37av1, 37at1). Mint N.H. complete pane of 60 with full selvage, right selvage showing ten strikes of the rare **Reversed Albino Overprint**, position 15 also showing Wide Space variety, couple minor pencil notes in selvage
- VERY FINE. ONE OF TWO KNOWN SURVIVING COMPLETE PANES OF THE ONE-SHILLING FROM THE FIRST OVERPRINTING WITH THE REVERSED ALBINO OVERPRINT IN RIGHT SELVAGE. ONLY FIVE PANES WERE THOUGHT TO HAVE BEEN OVERPRINTED.
- This sheet alone consists of 20% of the examples thought to have been printed. A major Falkland Islands War Tax rarity. Remarkably, the collection offered here has **both** of the complete panes thought to still exist.
- Ex Baillie. Heijtz £6,900 as singles..... E. 2,000-3,000
- 3216 ★★田 1919, ½p Pale Green, 1p Pale Scarlet, War Tax, Second Overprinting (MR1-MR2; SG 70-71; Heijtz 35a, 35t1, 36a, 36at1). Two Mint N.H. complete panes of 60 with full selvage (couple hinge marks in selvage only), each with Wide Space variety on position 15, ½p also with pos. 4 Face flaw, each with minor selvage separation, Very Fine pair of panes, ½p ex Bunt and Palmer.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 200-300
- 3217 ★田 1919, ½p Yellow Green, War Tax, Third Overprinting (MR1a; SG 70a; Heijtz 35b, 35bt1-t2). Complete pane of 60 with full selvage, original gum, four stamps with sensible hinge reinforcements, showing two listed Heijtz varieties (positions 15 and 55 from State 2), couple minor selvage separations and one stamp with two small toned spots on gum, still Very Fine and scarce as **only 25 panes** were overprinted, unlikely many still exist as complete panes, ex Bunt and Palmer, Scott and SG as hinged singles, Scott \$1,800.00, SG £1,800, Heijtz £1,795 as singles..... E. 750-1,000
- 3218 ★★田 1919, 1p Orange Vermilion, War Tax, Third Overprinting (MR2b; SG 71b; Heijtz 36b, 36bt1, 36bt3). Mint N.H. complete pane of 60 with full selvage (hinged in selvage only), showing the position 15 Wide Space variety and position 55 Broken "W" and Platten Pin impression from State 3, Very Fine, **only 25 panes overprinted**, less likely with the State 3 variety of position 55, Heijtz £2,568..... E. 750-1,000
- 3219 ★★田 1919, 1p Orange Vermilion, War Tax, Third Overprinting (MR2b; SG 71b; Heijtz 36b, 36bt1, 36bt3). Mint N.H. complete pane of 60 with full selvage, showing the position 15 Wide Space variety and position 55 Broken "W" and Platten Pin impression from State 3, small thin spot in top selvage of no consequence, Very Fine, **only 25 panes overprinted**, less likely with the State 3 variety of position 55, Heijtz £2,568 E. 750-1,000



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- 3220 ★★田 **1919, 1p Deep Orange Red, War Tax, Third Overprinting (MR2b; SG 71b; Heijtz 36b, 36bt1, 36bt3).** Mint N.H. complete **pane of 60** with full selvage (hinged in selvage only), showing the position 15 Wide Space variety and position 55 Broken "W" and Platten Pin impression from State 3, some minor perf separation, Very Fine, **only 25 panes overprinted**, less likely with the State 3 variety of position 55, Heijtz £2,568..... E. 750-1,000
- 3221 ★田 **1919, 1p Orange Red and 1p Dull Vermilion, War Tax, Third Overprinting (MR2, MR2b vars; SG 71b-71c vars; Heijtz 36b, 36c).** Two complete **panes of 60** with full selvage, Line Perf example with hinge reinforcements in selvage, stamps Mint N.H., Comb perf hinged in selvage and two stamps at bottom, others Mint N.H., both showing the position 15 Wide Space variety, Line Perf with position 55 Broken "W" and Platten Pin impression from State 3, Comb Perf with Broken "W" from State 4, Very Fine and scarce pair of panes, only 25 of the Line Perf printed, less likely with the State 3 variety of position 55, Heijtz £2,617 (Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 750-1,000
- 3222 ★田 **1919, 1p Scarlet, War Tax, Fourth Overprinting (MR2 var; SG 71c var; Heijtz 36c, 36ct4-5, 36ct11, 36ct13).** Complete **pane of 60** with full selvage, original gum, sensible hinge reinforcements, showing four listed Heijtz varieties (positions 9, 15, 55, and 60), position 60 the rare "-" for "P" variety from state 3, Very Fine, **only eight examples** of the position 60 variety are possible, even less were likely printed, this as the **only recorded** complete pane with this variety, ex Cecil and Stanley, Heijtz £1,389 as singles E. 500-750
- 3223 ★田 **1919, 1p Vermilion, War Tax, Fourth Overprinting (MR2b var; SG 71c var; Heijtz 36c, 36ct1, 36ct4-6, 36ct12, 36ct14).** Complete **pane of 60** with full selvage, original gum, two stamps affected by slight adhesion and top right stamp with thin, showing six listed varieties (positions 2, 9, 15, 41, 55, and 60 - latter two from State 4), Very Fine, **only two panes** are recorded, ex Bunt and Palmer, Heijtz £323 E. 200-300
- 3224 ★★田 **1919, 1sh Pale Yellow Brown, War Tax, Fourth Overprinting (MR3 var; SG 72a var; Heijtz 37b, 37bt2, 37bt4, 37bt6).** Mint N.H. complete **pane of 60** with full selvage (one hinge mark in top selvage), showing three listed Heijtz varieties (positions 15, 53, and 60 from State 1), Very Fine and especially rare from the fourth overprinting, ex Stanley and Palmer, Heijtz £3,288 as singles E. 750-1,000
- 3225 ★★田 **1920, ½p Dull Yellowish Green on Thick Grayish Paper, War Tax, Fifth Overprinting (MR1c; SG 70c; Heijtz 35d, 35dt1-2, 35dt4-6, 35dv3).** Mint N.H. complete **pane of 60** with full selvage (hinged in selvage only), showing five listed Heijtz varieties (positions 2, 5 - Raised Spacer, 8, 42-43) plus position 4 with small flaw by nose, Very Fine and rare complete pane showing the Raised Spacer on position 5, Heijtz £909 E. 300-400
- 3226 ★★田 **1920, ½p Bluish Green and Yellowish Green on Thick Grayish Paper, War Tax, Fifth Overprinting (MR1c; SG 70c; Heijtz 35d, 35dt1, 35dt4-35dt7).** Two Mint N.H. complete **panes of 60** with full selvage, both showing four listed Heijtz varieties (positions 2, 8, 42, 43) plus position 4 with small flaw by nose, one also showing position 49, first with small toned spot in top selvage affecting one stamp, second with minor splitting in selvage, Very Fine and rare complete panes in slightly differing shades, Bluish Green ex Neild, Bunt, and Palmer, Scott and SG as hinged singles, Scott \$960.00, SG £840, Heijtz £1,114 as singles..... (Photo Ex) E. 300-400
- 3227 ★田 **1920, 1p Vermilion on Thick Grayish Paper, War Tax, Fifth Overprinting (MR2d; SG 71d; Heijtz 36d, 36dt1-36dt6).** Complete **pane of 60** with complete selvage, original gum, few light hinge marks and couple sensible reinforcements, vibrant color on this distinctive paper, showing the six listed Heijtz varieties (positions 2, 7, 8, 42, 43, and 49), small thin in selvage of no consequence
- VERY FINE. A REMARKABLE COMPLETE PANE OF THE ONE-PENNY VERMILION ON THICK GRAYISH PAPER. ONLY 25 PANES OF THIS PRINTING WERE OVERPRINTED AND UNLIKELY MANY OTHER COMPLETE PANES STILL EXIST.
- Ex Bunt and Palmer. Catalogued as hinged singles. Scott \$7,500.00. SG £7,200. Heijtz £5,245 ... E. 2,000-3,000
- 3228 ★★田 **1920, 1sh Brown on Thick Grayish Paper, War Tax, Fifth Overprinting (MR3c; SG 72b; Heijtz 37c, 37ct4-37ct5).** Mint N.H. complete **pane of 60** with full selvage (one hinge mark in selvage), showing two listed Heijtz varieties (positions 42 and 43), Very Fine and scarce complete pane, ex Stanley and Palmer, Scott and SG as hinged singles, Scott \$360.00, SG £420, Heijtz £547 as singles E. 200-300
- 3229 **Falkland Islands 1918-20 War Tax Exceptional Balance.** Many thousands of examples of each of the three values from the various printings of the stamps and overprintings of the War Tax overprint, part of the balance is neatly mounted and described on exhibit pages while other portions are slightly disorganized and on old exhibit pages, stock cards and pages, etc., contains a wide variation of shades and numerous plate and overprint varieties, most of which is listed in Heijtz, incl. some scarce material such as reverse offsets, reversed albino impression in selvage, and more with items cataloguing hundreds each (in Heijtz), majority of material is mint but some used as well, we notice singles, multiples such as pair and blocks and even complete panes of 60 of each value, a true treasure trove of material for the specialist in this War Tax Issue and viewing is essential to comprehend all that this collection entails .. (Website PDF) E. 3,000-4,000

WAR TAX POSTAL HISTORY



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- 3230 ☒ **South Georgia, 1918-20, 1/2p-1sh War Tax (MR1-MR3; SG Z32-Z34).** Two examples of 1/2p and 1p, used with 2p Brown Violet (32; SG Z24), each stamp tied by crisp strike of "South Georgia, C OC 15 19" double-circle datestamp on printed registered cover to London, England, **scarce registry label** with "New Island" crossed out and printed "South Georgia" added (Heijtz Type SG3B), Very Fine and scarce philatelic cover with this provisional registry label E. 400-500
- 3231 ☒ **1919, 1sh Pale Bister Brown, War Tax, Fourth Overprinting (MR3; SG 72a; Heijtz 37b).** Position 17 (as identified by plate scratches), used with 1/2p and 1p War Tax stamps, the former with slight vertical misplacement of overprint, tied by "Falkland Islands, C 7 OC 19" double-circle datestamps on printed "Registered Letter" entire to **Halifax, Nova Scotia**, registry label, London transit and Halifax arrival datestamps, 1p oxidized, Very Fine E. 200-300



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- 3232 ☒ **1919, 1p Deep Orange Red, War Tax, Broken "W" (State 4), Third Overprinting (MR2b var; SG 71b var; Heijtz 36bt4).** Vertical pair, bottom stamp from position 55 showing distinctive Broken "W" from State 4, used with 1/2p block of four, both cancelled or tied by "Falkland Islands, C 10 OC 19" double-circle datestamps on printed "Registered Letter" entire to **Melbourne, Australia**, registry label, London and Caulfield East transit and arrival backstamps, Very Fine and scarce variety on cover E. 400-500
- 3233 ☒ **1918-20, 1/2p-1p War Tax (MR1-MR2; SG 70-71).** Singles tied by "Port Stanley, Falkland Islands, C JA 19 20" double-circle datestamps on cover to Frodsham, England, "1d" postage due handstamp applied upon arrival and paid by horizontal pair of **Great Britain 1/2p Postage Due** stamps tied by Frodsham Mar. 12, 1921 double-circle datestamp, 1p stamp slightly oxidized, Very Fine E. 400-500



- 3234 ☒ **1918-20, 1p Orange Vermilion, War Tax (MR2; SG 71).** Vertical and horizontal pairs and two singles, all tied by "Falkland Islands, C 8 JY 19" double-circle datestamps on printed "Registered Letter" entire to Great Yarmouth, England, then forwarded to Manchester, registry label at top, Great Yarmouth and Manchester arrival datestamps, Very Fine E. 300-400
- 3235 ☒ **South Georgia, 1918-20, 1p Orange Vermilion, War Tax (MR2; SG Z33).** Tied by indistinct South Georgia double-circle datestamp on cover to **Bog Walk, Jamaica**, then forwarded to **Puerto Barrios, Guatemala**, Kingston, Bog Walk and Guatemala datestamps on reverse, minor edge flaws, still Very Fine, remarkable pair of destinations..... E. 200-300
- 3236 ☒ **1919, 1sh Yellow Brown, War Tax, Second Overprinting (MR3; SG 72; Heijtz 37a).** Horizontal pair, tied by crisp strike of "Falkland Islands, C 10 JY 19" double-circle datestamp with additional strike at top right on printed "Registered Letter" entire to New York, registry label, New York arrival datestamp, Very Fine, ex Prappas and Piggins..... E. 300-400
- 3237 ☒ **1920, 1sh Brown on Thick Grayish Paper, War Tax, Fifth Overprinting (MR3c; SG 72b; Heijtz 37c).** Position 21 (as identified by plate scratches), tied by "Falkland Islands, C 23 JU 20" double-circle datestamp on printed "Registered Letter" entire to **Subiaco, Western Australia**, registry label, London and Perth transit and arrival backstamps, Very Fine, a handsome cover and scarce destination E. 200-300
- 3238 ☒ **Falkland Islands War Tax Postal History Impressive Balance.** Group of over 45 covers, wide array with numerous registered covers, many on registered entires, multiples on cover, three-color frankings (MR1-MR3) on single covers, various destinations such as United States, Great Britain, France and even Sweden, small varieties often noted, some philatelic such as W.T. Wilson covers, others appearing commercial, many bought individually from respected dealers for upwards of £200 each, also with nine unused post cards, some small flaws though much is Fine-Very Fine, worthy of close inspection with high retail potential(Website PDF) E. 1,500-2,000



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- 3239 ★田 **GERMAN EAST AFRICA, Mafia Island, 1915, 45h Purple & Black, Deep Purple Overprint (NL24; SG M7B).** Block of four, Mint N.H. except top right stamp with barest trace of hinging, rich colors on fresh paper

VERY FINE. AN IMMENSELY RARE BLOCK OF FOUR. GIBBS ESTIMATES ONLY 20-30 WERE PRINTED.

With 1992 B.P.A. certificate. Catalogue values are as hinged singles. Scott \$6,600.00. SG £5,200..... E. 2,000-3,000



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- 3240 ✉ **GIBRALTAR, 1911, 6p Violet & Red Violet, Chalky Paper (56a; SG 70).** Used with 6p Dull Violet & Red Violet (70; SG 80), each tied by "Registered, Gibraltar, 26 NO 12" oval date-stamps on registered cover to Dresden, Germany, Plymouth and London transit and Dresden arrival backstamps, Very Fine, the 6p King Edward VII on Chalky Paper is exceptionally rare used on cover, especially used in period, signed Kohler, with 1999 B.P.B. certificate, the No. 56a (SG 70) catalogues \$450.00 (£375) simply as a used stamp E. 300-400
- 3241 ★★ **GIBRALTAR, 1921-32, £5 Dull Violet and Black (93; SG 108).** Mint N.H. though showing the slightest trace of toning, otherwise Very Fine, Scott \$1,750.00, SG £1,600..... E. 400-500
- 3242 (★) **GRENADA, 1883, ½p Orange & Green, Unsevered Pair (15a; SG 29a).** Unused (no gum), bright color, Very Fine and rare, only 18 are known unused, ex Schneider, with 1976 P.F. certificate, Scott \$2,000.00, SG £1,500 E. 400-500



3243

- 3243 ★ **GRENADA, 1950, 2½p Ultramarine, Perf 12½ x 13½ (136a; SG 157a).** Original gum, lightly hinged, wonderfully fresh color on bright paper

VERY FINE. AN ENORMOUSLY RARE ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE 2½-PENCE KING GEORGE VI WITH PERF 12½ X 13½. ONE OF THE RAREST KING GEORGE VI STAMPS OF THE ENTIRE BRITISH EMPIRE WITH LESS THAN A DOZEN THOUGHT TO EXIST.

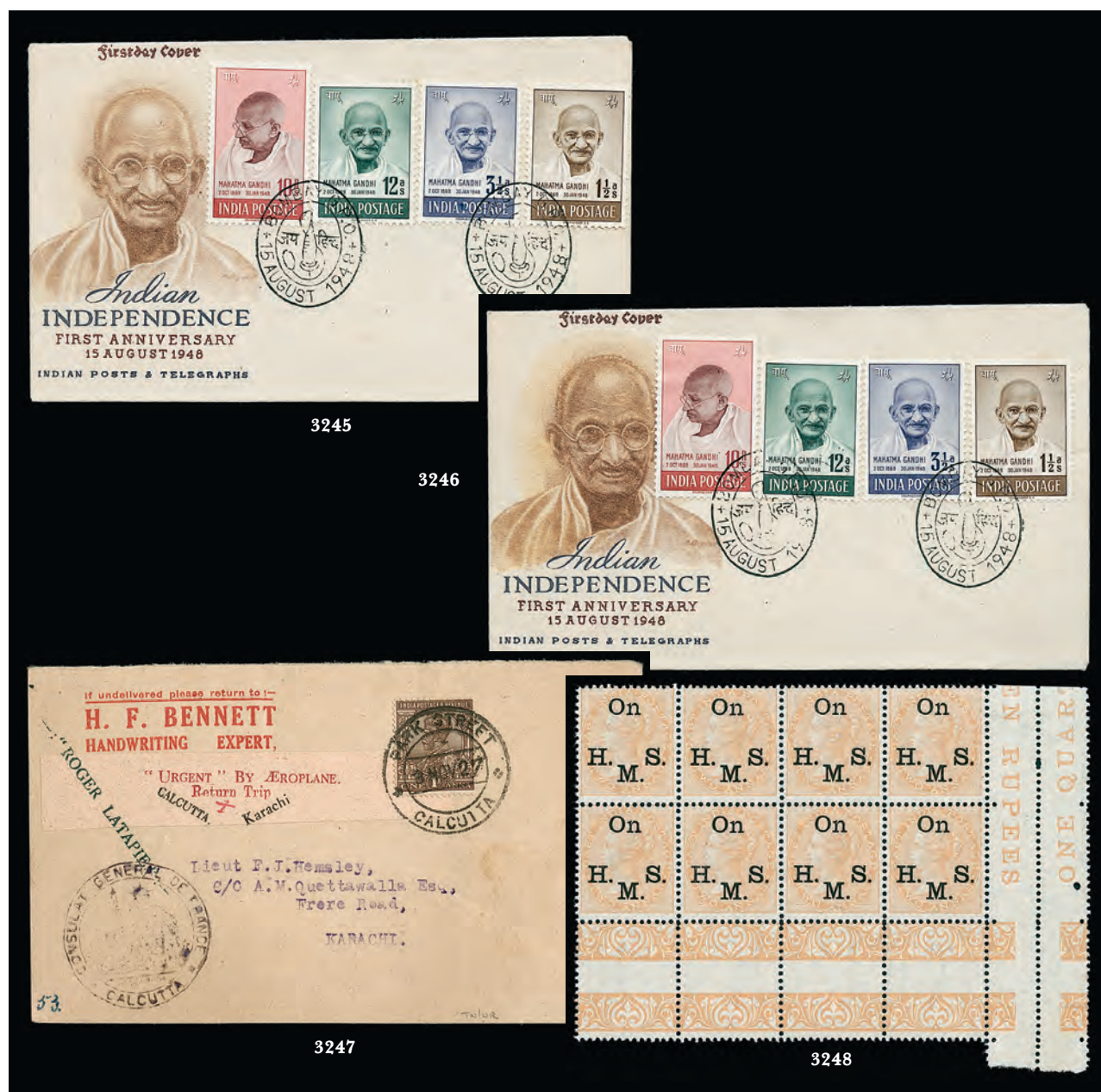
With 1959 B.P.A. certificate. Accompanied by a used example of this perf variety. Scott \$7,500.00. SG £11,000 E. 4,000-5,000



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- 3244 ★ **GRENADA, 1938-47, 10sh Seal of the Colony (142 vars; SG 163-163f).** Seven examples representing each of the shade and perforation varieties listed in Stanley Gibbons, original gum, lightly hinged, Very Fine, a scarce and useful group for reference, SG £1,560(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 400-500

INDIA



- 3245 ☒ **1948, 1½a-10r Gandhi (203-206; SG 305-308).** Complete set tied by "Bombay G.P.O., 15 August 1948" commemorative **first day** cancel on unaddressed cacheted cover, Very Fine E. 750-1,000
- 3246 ☒ **1948, 1½a-10r Gandhi (203-206; SG 305-308).** Complete set tied by "Bombay G.P.O., 15 August 1948" commemorative **first day** cancel on unaddressed cacheted cover, Very Fine E. 750-1,000
- 3247 ☒ **1927, Nov. 3, Roger Latapie Paris to Saigon Return Flight, Calcutta-Karachi Flight.** India 1a tied by "Park Street, Calcutta, 3 Nov. 27" double-circle datestamp which also ties pink "Urgent by Aeroplane, Return Trip, Calcutta, Karachi" label on cover to Karachi, "Roger Latapie" straightline handstamp, French consulate handstamp at bottom left, arrival backstamp, Very Fine, 55 letters carried by Capt. Leon Challe and Raymond Rapin E. 400-500
- 3248 ★★田 **1874-82, 2a Orange, Official (O24; SG O33a).** Mint N.H. block of eight from the top left pane with fancy interpanneau gutter at right and bottom, vibrant colors, Fine, a handsome unused block, catalogued as hinged singles, Scott \$320.00, SG £680 E. 200-300



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- 3249 E 1925, 1r on 10r Carmine Rose & Green, Official, Trial Surcharge Essay (O69E; SG O94E). Without gum as prepared, excellent centering, Very Fine, **one of only twelve** that were produced E. 400-500
- 3250 ★★ 1911, 1r Booklet of Six Panes of ½a and 1a, Without Post Office Inscription and Royal Cypher of King George V (SG SB5b). Complete booklet containing four Mint N.H. ½a and two Mint N.H. 1a panes (SG 149-150), one pane with trivial toned spot and booklet cut at left corners, otherwise Fine, a rarely encountered booklet, SG £2,000.. E. 500-750
- 3251 ★★ 1922, 2r Booklet of Four Panes of 2a (SG SB12). Complete booklet containing four panes of SG No. 166, panes Mint N.H. though with toned gum, cover with minor toned spots, otherwise Fine and scarce, SG £1,400..... E. 300-400



3252EX



- 3252 ★★ 1869, 1a-50r Queen Victoria, Telegraphs (SG T4-T20). Mint N.H., 2r with toned gum and couple other values with slightest trace of toning, 1r and 10r Die I, others Die II, fresh colors, 28r8a with part imprint selvage at top
- FINE-VERY FINE. A SELDOM OFFERED SET OF THE 1869 TELEGRAPH ISSUE IN FAR BETTER CONDITION THAN OFTEN ENCOUNTERED.
- SG £4,400.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 1,500-2,000



3253

- 3253 ★ **KENYA & UGANDA, 1925, £3 Yellow & Dull Violet (39; SG 97).** Original gum with a trace of toning, lightly hinged, vibrant and fresh color, Very Fine, Scott \$1,850.00, SG £1,800 E. 400-500

- 3254 ★ **KENYA & UGANDA, 1925, £4 Rose Lilac & Black (40; SG 98).** Original gum, lightly hinged, gorgeous bright colors on fresh paper
VERY FINE EXAMPLE OF THE 4-POUND ROSE LILAC & BLACK KING GEORGE V.
Signed Calves. Scott \$5,000.00. SG £3,000
..... E. 1,500-2,000



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- 3255 ★★ **KENYA & UGANDA, 1922, £75 Gray & Purple, "Specimen" Overprint (41E-S; SG 104s).** Mint N.H. though slightly toned, fresh colors, wonderfully well-centered
VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A SCARCE EXAMPLE OF THE £75 KING GEORGE V WITH "SPECIMEN" OVERPRINT.
A practical alternative to the issued stamp which catalogues \$140,000.00 (£150,000).
Scott \$3,500.00. SG value £4,750
..... E. 1,500-2,000

- 3256 ★ **KUWAIT, 1951, 5r on 5sh King George VI, Extra Bar at Top (SG 91a).** Position R. 2/2, original gum, lightly hinged, perfectly centered, brilliantly fresh color, Extremely Fine, unlisted in Scott, SG £1,100
..... E. 300-400



3256



- 3257 ★ **KUWAIT, 1923-24, ½a-15r King George V Officials (O1-O14; SG O1-O14).** Original gum, most lightly hinged, couple values h.r., fresh colors, 1½a shallow hinge thin (catalogues \$5.00), Fine-Very Fine, Scott \$938.50, SG £850.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 300-400

LABUAN

- 3258 ★ **1879, 12c Carmine (3; SG 3).** Original gum, lightly hinged, deep rich color on bright paper, well-centered, Very Fine, a choice example of this rare stamp, especially in original-gum condition, with 2021 B.P.A. certificate, Scott \$1,925.00, SG £1,900 E. 750-1,000
- 3259 ★ **1894-96, 1c Lilac & Black, Vertical Pair, Imperforate Between (49a; SG 62ba).** Original gum, lightly hinged, fresh colors, bottom stamp with light bend, otherwise Very Fine, a scarce error pair, Scott \$1,300.00, SG £1,200 E. 300-400
- 3260 ★ **1894-96, 5c Green & Black, Horizontal Pair, Imperforate Between (52a; SG 65ab).** Original gum, lightly hinged, deep rich colors on fresh paper, Very Fine, a rarely encountered error, Scott \$1,800.00, SG £1,500 E. 500-750
- 3261 ★田 **1896, 1c Lilac & Black, Orange Overprint (66c; SG 83b).** Block of four, original gum, h.r., fresh colors, well-centered, Very Fine and scarce multiple, catalogued as singles, Scott \$1,300.00, SG £800 E. 300-400
- 3262 ★ **1900, 4c Yellow Brown & Black, Vertical Pair, Imperforate Between (96a; SG 112a).** Original gum, small h.r., well-centered, strong color on fresh paper, Very Fine, a choice example of this scarce error, only a small handful are thought to exist, Scott \$1,450.00, SG £1,400 E. 500-750



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- 3263 ★ **1905, \$2.00 Gray Green (121; SG 140).** Original gum with slight toned gum bands, lightly hinged, strong color and bold impression, Very Fine appearance, a surprisingly rare unused stamp, our Power Search reveals only three other unused copies offered by us, signed Bloch and with 2000 B.P.A. certificate, Scott \$4,000.00, SG £3,500 E. 1,000-1,500
- 3264 ★ **LAGOS, 1886, 10sh Brown Violet (37; SG 29).** Original gum, small h.r., rich color, Very Fine, a surprisingly scarce high value stamp, Scott \$2,750.00, SG £1,600.... E. 750-1,000
- 3265 ★ **LEEWARD ISLANDS, 1952, £1 Violet & Black on Scarlet, Watermark Inverted (SG 114cw).** Original gum, very lightly hinged, wonderfully bright and fresh, mild gum bend of little consequence, Very Fine, a rare watermark error variety with only one sheet thought to have been printed, according to Power Search, this is the only example we have offered, SG £6,500 E. 1,000-1,500

MALAYA STATES



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- 3266 S **Federated States, 1900, \$25.00 Green & Orange, "Specimen" Overprint (13AS; SG 14s).** Original gum, lightly hinged, bright and fresh, Very Fine, Scott \$525.00, SG £600 E. 200-300
- 3267 ★ **Johore, 1884, 2c Rose, Double Overprint (9 var; SG 10b).** Original gum, lightly hinged, clear double of entire overprint, slight natural offset, Very Fine and scarce, with 2004 Brandon certificate, SG £950 E. 300-400
- 3268 ★★ **Kedah, 1965, 10c Flower Issue, Red Omitted (110 var; SG 119a).** Mint N.H., fresh and Very Fine, a scarce and visual error, SG £800..... E. 300-400



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- 3269 S **Perak, 1938-41, 1c-\$5.00 Sultan Iskandar, Perforated "Specimen" (84S-98S; SG 103s-121s).** Complete set of nineteen values, original gum, lightly hinged or h.r., wonderfully fresh and Very Fine, Scott \$450.00, SG £650(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 200-300
- 3270 ★ **Perak, 1936, \$25.00 Purple & Blue on Blue, Revenue (Barefoot 33).** Original gum, lightly hinged, bold colors, fresh and Very Fine E. 300-400
- 3271 ★ **Trengganu, 1910-19, \$25.00 Green & Carmine (19; SG 18).** Original gum, especially well-centered, bold colors, Very Fine and scarce high denomination, Scott \$1,800.00, SG £1,700 E. 500-750



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- 3272 ★ **Trengganu, 1910-19, \$25.00 Green & Carmine (19; SG 18).** Original gum, lightly hinged, precise centering, excellent colors, Very Fine and scarce example of this collectible stamp, with 2000 R.P.S. certificate, Scott \$1,800.00, SG £1,700 E. 500-750
- 3273 ★★ **Trengganu, 1938, \$5.00 Red & Green on Yellow (38; SG 44).** Mint N.H., bold colors on fresh paper, Very Fine, catalogued as hinged, Scott \$500.00, SG £650 E. 200-300

MAURITIUS

- 3274 **1848, 2p Blue on Yellowish White Paper, Worn Impression (4c; SG 21).** Mostly huge to large margins, ample at top left, well-struck "1" two-ring target cancel of Mahebourg, few shallow thin spots, Very Fine appearance, a handsome example of this classic stamp, signed E. Diena and Behr, Scott \$1,600.00, SG £1,700 E. 300-400
- 3275 **1848, 2p Blue on Bluish Paper, Worn Impression (6b; SG 22).** Position 11, large margins to clear at right with sheet margin at bottom, rich color, neatly struck target cancel, showing a guide line thru value at bottom, Very Fine and attractive example of this scarce stamp, ex Dale-Lichtenstein, with 2004 B.P.B. certificate stating this as Intermediate Impression (6a; SG 14), Scott \$1,500.00, SG £1,700 E. 750-1,000



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1848, 2p Blue on Bluish Paper, Worn Impression (6b; SG 22). Position 1, large to close margins all around, fresh color, boxed "INLAND" cancel (Kanai IIA-3), Very Fine, with 2012 Brandon certificate, Scott \$1,500.00, SG £1,700..... E. 400-500

3277

1859, 2p Blue, Dardenne Issue (17b; SG 43a). Vertical pair, huge to large margins all around, top stamp showing interesting natural printing flaw behind chignon, beautifully struck target cancels, exceptional color and strong impression on fresh paper, Extremely Fine Gem pair, a stunning pair in pristine condition, ex Kanai, signed A. Diena and with 1993 Holcombe certificate, catalogued as singles, Scott \$1,900.00, SG £2,200..... E. 750-1,000



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1919, 10r Green & Red on Blue Green, Olive Back, Die I (159a; SG 204a). Original gum, lightly hinged, rich colors on fresh paper, Very Fine, a surprisingly elusive stamp missing from most collections, with 1969 A. Diena certificate, Scott \$1,150.00, SG £1,100..... E. 300-400

3279 ★

MONTSERRAT, 1876, 6p Blue Green (2d; SG 3). Original gum, minor h.r., deeply rich color, Fine and scarce, with 1998 B.P.A. certificate, Scott \$1,350.00, SG £1,500..... E. 400-500



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- 3280 ★ **NAURU, 1916-23, 10sh Indigo Blue, Waterlow Printing (15c; SG 18).** Original gum, particularly wide margins, deep rich color of this distinctive shade, slightly rounded corner at top left (not mentioned on certificate)

FINE EXAMPLE OF THE 10-SHILLING INDIGO BLUE WATERLOW PRINTING SEAHORSE.

Erroneously listed in Scott as a sub-shade that should be given a full number designation as they originate from different printings (which is the case for the underlying stamps of Great Britain).

Ex Gilbert. With 2000 B.P.A. certificate. Scott \$12,500.00. SG £11,000 E. 2,000-3,000



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- 3281 ★ **NAURU, 1916-23, 10sh Indigo Blue, Waterlow Printing (15c; SG 18).** Sheet selvage at right, slightly tropicalized original gum, barely hinged (if at all), intense color in this distinctive shade, horizontal crease thru top of stamp, certificate notes top row of perfs soiled but we fail to see this, Very Fine appearance, a rare unused stamp, erroneously listed in Scott as a sub-shade that should be given a full number designation as they originate from different printings (which is the case for the underlying stamps of Great Britain), with 1995 Holcombe certificate, Scott \$12,500.00, SG £11,000 ... E. 1,000-1,500
- 3282 S **NAURU, 1916, 10sh Indigo Blue, Double Overprint, One Albino, "Specimen" Overprint (SG 18sa).** Original gum, lightly hinged, reverse clearly showing the second albino impression, intense color and impression on fresh paper, Very Fine, a handsome example of this rare "Specimen" error, SG £2,500 E. 750-1,000
- 3283 ★ **NIGER COAST PROTECTORATE, 1893, ½p on 2½p Violet on Bluish, Black Surcharge (26; SG 15).** Original gum, lightly hinged, fresh color though with minor surface abrasion at bottom which occurred prior to overprinting, otherwise Fine, a very rare stamp with **only nineteen reportedly printed**, with 1999 B.P.A. certificate, Scott \$4,750.00, SG £4,250..... E. 1,000-1,500



- 3284 (★) **NORTH BORNEO, 1925-28, 5c Yellow Brown, Vertical Pair, Imperforate Between (171 var; SG 281a).** Vertical pair, unused (no gum), fresh color, bottom stamp with small tear, Fine appearance, a rare error pair with only one row recorded leaving **only ten pairs known**, with 2015 Ceremuga certificate, unlisted in Scott, SG £1,200..... E. 200-300
- 3285 ★ **NORTH BORNEO, 1939, 1c-\$5.00 Pictorials (193-207; SG 303-317).** Original gum, lightly hinged, bold and bright colors, Very Fine, Scott \$711.75, SG £1,400..... (Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 300-400
- 3286 田 **NORTH BORNEO, 1912, 6c Olive Brown & Black, Postage Due, “Postage Due” Inverted (J25b; SG D42a).** Block of four with selvage at top, neat C.T.O. cancels (not recorded postally used), well-centered, Very Fine and scarce multiple, with 1985 B.P.A. certificate, catalogued as singles, Scott \$500.00, SG £560..... E. 200-300

NYASALAND PROTECTORATE

- 3287 ★ **1908, ½p-£1 King Edward VII (1-11; SG 72-81).** Original gum, h.r., fresh and Very Fine, Scott \$1,064.00, SG £950 (Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 300-400
- 3288 ★ **1908, ½p-£1 King Edward VII (1-11; SG 72-81).** Original gum, h.r., fresh colors, Very Fine, Scott \$1,064.00, SG £950 (Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 300-400
- 3289 ★ **1914, £10 Ultramarine & Dull Violet, “Specimen” Overprint (24S; SG 99S).** Original gum, lightly hinged, bright unrubbed colors on fresh paper, well-centered, Very Fine, SG £800..... E. 300-400



- 3290 ★ **1914, £10 Ultramarine & Dull Violet (24; SG 99e).** Original gum, h.r., intense color and impression on bright paper
VERY FINE. A SCARCE ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE 1914 10-POUND KING GEORGE V OF NYASALAND PROTECTORATE.
Scott \$4,000.00. SG £4,500..... E. 1,500-2,000



- 3291 **1914, £10 Ultramarine & Dull Violet (24; SG 99e).** Five examples, each with Blantyre oval revenue cancels, one with corner thin and another with slight surface rub, otherwise Fine-Very Fine, Scott \$1,375.00, SG £750(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 200-300
- 3292 S **PITCAIRN ISLANDS, 1940, ½p-2sh6p King George VI, Perforated “Specimen” (1S-8S; SG 1s-8s).** Complete set of eight values, original gum, lightly hinged, Very Fine, SG £1,400(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 400-500

RHODESIA

- 3293 ★ **1892, £5 Yellow Green (18; SG 12).** Original gum, h.r., rich color, Fine and scarce with original gum, signed Sorani, Scott \$1,775.00, SG £1,600 E. 500-750
- 3294 (★) **1892, £5 Yellow Green (18; SG 12).** Unused (no gum), showing part of papermaker's watermark, Fine, from the Waterlow printers archive which was affected by the bombings during WWII causing this stamp to have no gum, with 2014 Ceremuga certificate, Scott \$1,775.00, SG £1,600 E. 300-400
- 3295 (★) **1901, £5 Dark Blue (74; SG 92).** Unused (no gum), deep rich color on bright paper, well-centered, Very Fine, without gum as these were affected by water damage due to the bombings during WWII which damaged the archives, with 2016 Ceremuga certificate, Scott \$3,750.00, SG £3,500 E. 400-500

- 3296 ★★ **1901, £10 Blue Lilac (75; SG 93).** Mint N.H., pretty pastel shade on fresh paper, strong impression, Fine and exceedingly rare in Mint N.H. condition, signed E. Diena and with 1997 Richter certificate, catalogued as hinged, Scott \$3,750.00, SG £4,000..... E. 1,000-1,500



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- 3297 (★) **1901, £10 Blue Lilac (75; SG 93).** Unused (without gum), strong impression, Fine, without gum as these were affected by water damage due to the bombings during WWII which damaged the archives, with 2016 Ceremuga certificate, Scott \$3,750.00, SG £4,000 E. 500-750



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- 3298 (★) **1909, £5 Deep Blue on Bluish (100B; SG 113e).** Unused (no gum), well-centered, washed color as usually seen from those from the archives, light vertical crease (not mentioned on accompany certificate), Very Fine appearance, without gum as these were affected by water damage due to the bombings during WWII which damaged the archives, with 2015 Ceremuga certificate, Scott \$9,000.00, SG £9,500 E. 750-1,000

- 3299 S **1910, ½p-£1 King George V “Double Heads”, “Specimen” Oveprint (101S-118S; SG 119s-185s).** Complete set of eighteen, small part original gum due to paper remnants, likely from an archive page, wonderfully fresh colors throughout, Fine-Very Fine, a challenging set of these desirable stamps, with 2000 Ceremuga set certificate, SG £3,750(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 1,000-1,500



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- 3300 S **1910, ½p-£1 King George V “Double Heads”, “Specimen” Oveprint (102S-118S; SG 124s/185s).** Set of seventeen, lacking the ½p value, original gum except 1p no gum and £1 glazed gum, 4p and 6p with mild toning, 3sh with repaired corner, 5sh with small thin spot. 7sh6p with slightly faded color, £1 may have some of the red color touched up, Fine appearance, SG value for a complete set £3,750..... ..(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 300-400

- 3301 ★ **1910, 5p Olive Yellow & Brown, Error of Color (107a; SG 141ab).** Original gum, h.r., deep rich colors, Very Fine, a scarce error which was mistakenly printed in the color of the 3p stamp, with 2010 R.P.S. certificate, Scott \$725.00, SG £650 E. 200-300



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- 3302 ★ **1910, 8p “Double Head” Shade Group (109; SG 147-148).** Fourteen original gum examples, mostly lightly hinged, on Sir Gawaine Baillie’s album page with his plating notes, mostly Fine-Very Fine, ex Baillie(Website PDF) E. 500-750



3303

- 3303 ★ **1910-13, 7sh6p Carmine & Bright Blue (116 var; SG 162).** Original gum, lightly hinged, wonderfully fresh color in this scarce and distinctive shade
VERY FINE ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE 7-SHILLING 6-PENCE DOUBLE HEAD IN THE CARMINE & BRIGHT BLUE SHADE.
SG £5,000..... E. 1,500-2,000

- 3304 ★ **ST. HELENA, 1861, 6p Blue, Clean-Cut Perf 14 to 15½ (2; SG 2).** Original gum, h.r., deep rich color and strong impression, Fine, a scarce original gum example, with 1953 R.P.S. certificate, Scott \$2,100.00, SG £1,700..... E. 500-750



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- 3305 ★ **ST. HELENA, 1927, 5sh Gray & Green on Yellow, Broken Mainmast (SG 110a).** Original gum, h.r., fresh color, Fine, SG £750..... E. 200-300



3306

- 3306 ★★ ST. HELENA, 1961, 2½c+3d to 10c+1sh Tristan Relief Fund Overprints (B1-B4; SG 172-175). Mint N.H., each a top or bottom selva copy

VERY FINE SET OF THE 1961 TRISTAN RELIEF FUND OVERPRINTS. ONE OF THE RAREST SETS OF THE QUEEN ELIZABETH II ERA.

Only 434 sets were issued and placed on sale for one week in October 1961. The majority were used to make up first day covers.

Scott \$7,600.00. SG £8,000 E. 3,000-4,000



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- 3307 ★★ ST. LUCIA, 1967, \$2.50 Queen Elizabeth II, "Statehood, 1st March 1967" Printed in Black (225 Footnote; SG 239 Footnote). Mint N.H. top left selva single, Very Fine, only 300 examples were overprinted in black, some of which were eventually used on covers, with 1967 A. Diena and 1980 Merkur certificates..... E. 150-200
- 3308 ★★田 ST. LUCIA, 1967, \$2.50 Queen Elizabeth II, "Statehood, 1st March 1967" Printed in Black (225 Footnote; SG 239 Footnote). Mint N.H. bottom left corner selva block of four, fresh and Very Fine, only 300 examples were overprinted in black, some of which were eventually used on covers, with 1967 A. Diena certificate..... E. 500-750
- 3309 ★ ST. VINCENT, 1873, 6p Dull Blue Green (14Bc; SG 19). Original gum which accompanying certificate harshly notes as disturbed which is just due to prior hinging, fresh color, Fine, a scarce original gum stamp, with 2007 B.P.A. certificate, Scott \$2,250.00, SG £2,000 E. 400-500



- 3310 ★ **ST. VINCENT, 1880, 5sh Rose (29; SG 32).** Small part original gum, strong color, trivial toned spot at bottom left, otherwise Very Fine, signed Bloch, Scott \$1,275.00, SG £1,200..... E. 300-400
- 3311 **SARAWAK, 1899, 2c on 12c Red on Rose, Inverted Surcharge (33a; SG 33a).** Neat Sarawak circular datestamp, some slight staining mostly seen on reverse, otherwise Very Fine and rare, especially in used condition, with 1952 B.P.A. certificate, Scott \$1,400.00, SG £1,400..... E. 300-400
- 3312 E **SARAWAK, 1918, 3c on 1c Slate Blue, Red Cross Essays (70 Footnote var; SG 62 var).** Two Mint N.H. examples surcharged in red and black reading "Red Cross, Three Cents", black with selvage at left, Very Fine and rare pair of essays.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 200-300
- 3313 ★ **SEYCHELLES, 1952, 50c Bright Violet, St. Edward's Crown Watermark Error (166a; SG 167b).** Lightly hinged, bright color, choice centering, Very Fine, ex Cook, with 2004 Murray Payne certificate, Scott \$600.00, SG £550 E. 200-300
- 3314 S **SIERRA LEONE, 1912-24, 1/2p-£5 King George V, "Specimen" Overprint (103S-121S; SG 112s-130s).** Original gum, lightly hinged or h.r., wonderfully fresh colors, Very Fine, £5 signed A. Diena, SG £1,150(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 400-500

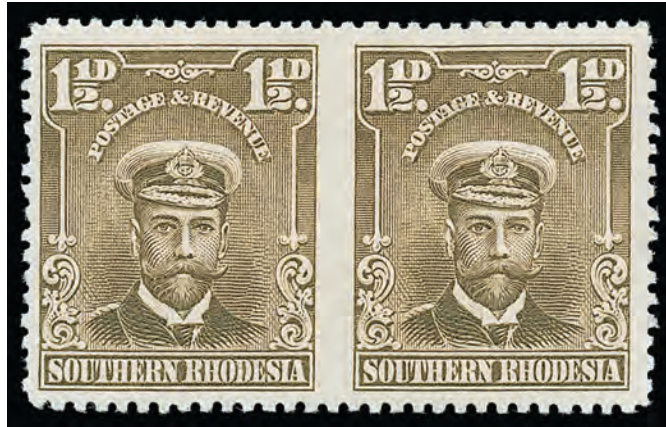
- 3315 ★ **SIERRA LEONE, 1912, £5 Gray Green & Orange (121; SG 130).** Original gum, lightly hinged, wonderfully fresh colors, certificate notes "tone spot at foot under UV" which is a first for us seeing this noted on a certificate, obviously nothing seen with the naked eye, still Very Fine and handsome example of this desirable stamp, with 2018 B.P.A. certificate, Scott \$3,750.00, SG £4,500 E. 1,000-1,500



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- 3316 S **SOUTHERN NIGERIA, 1901-1912 "Specimen" Overprints.** The complete offering of the four Definitive sets with "Specimen" overprints, includes SG Nos. 1s-9s, 10s-20s, 33s-44s, and 45s-56s, original gum, either h.r. or lightly hinged, wonderfully fresh overall, Fine-Very Fine, SG £1,850..(Website PDF) E. 500-750

1912 1½ PENCE BISTER BROWN
HORIZONTAL PAIR, IMPERFORATE BETWEEN
ONE OF ONLY EIGHT SUCH ERROR PAIRS RECORDED



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3317 ★ **SOUTHERN RHODESIA, 1924, 1½p Bister Brown, Horizontal Pair, Imperforate Between (3a; SG 3a).** Original gum, h.r., bold color, well-centered

VERY FINE EXAMPLE OF THE 1½-PENCE ADMIRAL HORIZONTAL PAIR, IMPERFORATE BETWEEN ERROR. ONLY EIGHT WERE PRINTED AND ONE OF THE KEY ERROR RARITIES OF SOUTHERN RHODESIA.

According to Power Search, this is the first example of this error we have offered. With 1979 B.P.A. certificate. Scott \$15,000.00. SG £15,000..... E. 5,000-7,500

STRAITS SETTLEMENTS

1867 SURCHARGES WITH "SPECIMEN" OVERPRINTS
 AMONG THE RAREST "SPECIMEN" OVERPRINTS
 IN BRITISH COMMONWEALTH PHILATELY



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3318 S 1867, 1½c on ½a to 32c on 2a Surcharges, "Specimen" Overprint (1S-6S, 8S-9S; SG 1s-6s, 8s-9s). Ten values, without 12c on 4a, each with clearly stuck "Specimen" overprint, original gum, h.r. (32c with large h.r.) except 1½c and 6c unused (no gum), 2c with gum bend, strong colors

FINE-VERY FINE GROUP OF "SPECIMEN" OVERPRINTS ON THE 1867 FIRST ISSUE OF STRAITS SETTLEMENTS. BY FAR SOME OF THE RAREST "SPECIMEN" STAMPS TO FIND IN THE ENTIRE BRITISH COMMONWEALTH.

Missing from even the most advanced collections..... E. 10,000-15,000



- 3319 S 1867-72, 2c, 6c, 12c, 24c Victoria, "Specimen" Overprints (10S, 12S, 14S, 15S; SG 11s, 13s, 15s-16s). Group of five examples, 12c with both red and black "Specimen" overprint, original gum, couple with large part, 6c with trimmed perfs at left and 24c with straight edge and vertical crease, otherwise Fine and scarce group(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 400-500
- 3320 ★田 1867, 12c Blue (14; SG 15). Block of four, original gum, lightly hinged, lovely fresh color on bright paper, insignificant small toned spot on gum of bottom right stamp, still Fine, catalogued as singles, Scott \$920.00, SG £1,000..... E. 200-300
- 3321 S 1882, 2c/96c Victoria, "Specimen" Overprints. Group of seven different values, includes 2c, 4c, 5c, 6c, 10c, 12c and 96c values, original gum, h.r., 10c with corner thin and 12c with surface scrape, otherwise Fine-Very Fine, a scarce group (Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 500-750
- 3322 (★) 1894, 3c on 32c Rose, Without Surcharge (74a; SG 94a). Unused (regummed), bright color which certificate notes as "slightly run" which is a bit harsh, Fine and affordable example of this rare stamp, only one pane of the upper left part of a sheet was discovered, with 1982 B.P.A. certificate, Scott \$6,500.00, SG £4,500..... E. 750-1,000
- 3323 ★ 1905, 30c Gray & Carmine, Damaged Frame & Crown (SG 134a). Original gum, small h.r., wonderfully fresh colors, Very Fine, a choice example of this scarce "Spaven" flaw, SG £750 E. 300-400
- 3324 ★ 1907, 4c on 18c Bister & Black, 12.5mm & 11mm Spacing (139 var; SG 146c). Vertical set-tenant pair, part original gum due to tropicalization, top stamp measuring 12.5mm between "Settlements." and "Four Cents.", bottom stamp measuring 11mm, fresh color, well-centered, Very Fine, a rare variety which only occurred on positions R. 4/10 and 9/10 of the first printing only, unlisted in Scott, SG £2,750..... E. 500-750
- 3325 S 1911, \$25.00 Blue & Violet on Blue, "Specimen" Overprint (145S; SG 168s). Original gum, h.r., couple toned perf tips which is truly minor, Fine, Scott \$800.00, SG £800.... E. 200-300

- 3326 ★ 1911, \$25.00 Blue & Violet on Blue (145; SG 168). Original gum, small h.r., well-centered, fresh colors

VERY FINE. A HANDSOME UNUSED EXAMPLE OF THE \$25.00 KING EDWARD VII.

Signed Champion. With 2000 Brandon certificate. Scott \$3,600.00. SG £3,750 E. 1,500-2,000



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- 3327 S 1908, \$500.00 Violet & Orange, "Specimen" Overprint (146S; SG 169s). Original gum, minor h.r., well-centered, fresh colors

VERY FINE. A CHOICE ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE \$500.00 KING EDWARD VII WITH "SPECIMEN" OVERPRINT.

An affordable alternative to the issued stamp, which catalogues \$175,000.00 (£170,000). Scott \$4,500.00. SG £5,000 E. 1,500-2,000



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- 3328 ★ 1915, \$25.00 Blue & Violet on Blue (172; SG 213). Original gum, mild h.r., intense colors and impression on fresh paper, Fine, Scott \$2,150.00, SG £3,250 E. 750-1,000
- 3329 ★ 1915, \$25.00 Blue & Violet on Blue (172; SG 213). Original gum, h.r., precise centering with wide margins, small facial scrape at bottom left causing minute thin spot, Very Fine appearance, Scott \$2,150.00, SG £3,250 E. 400-500
- 3330 S 1915, \$100.00 Red & Black on Blue, "Specimen" Overprint (173S; SG 214s). Original gum, relatively lightly hinged, deep rich colors, trace of a few toned perf tips, otherwise Fine, Scott \$1,250.00, SG £1,600 E. 300-400



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- 3331 ★ **1915, \$100.00 Red & Black on Blue (173; SG 214).**
With selvage at top, original gum, lightly hinged, exceptionally fresh colors

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

Signed A. Diena. With 1992 E. Diena certificate. Scott \$8,500.00. SG £13,000..... E. 4,000-5,000

- 3332 S **1915, \$500.00 Orange & Dull Violet, "Specimen" Overprint (174S; SG 215s).** Mint N.H., bright colors, mild diagonal gum crease

VERY FINE. A RARE MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 1912 \$500.00 KING GEORGE V WITH "SPECIMEN" OVERPRINT.

A relatively inexpensive way to fill an otherwise impossible space as the normal stamp catalogues \$90,000.00 (£100,000). Scott \$4,750.00. SG £5,500 E. 1,500-2,000



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- 3333 ★ **1921, \$25.00 Blue & Violet on Blue (202; SG 240b).**
Original gum, mild h.r., strong colors, well-centered, Very Fine, signed Oliva, Scott \$1,450.00, SG £1,500 E. 400-500

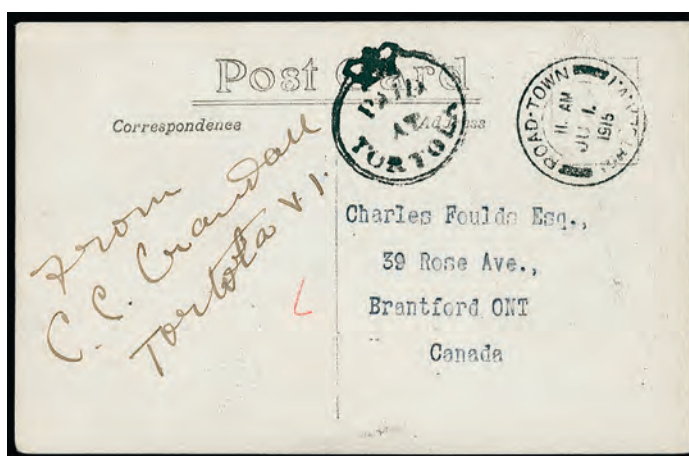
- 3334 S **1921-32, \$500.00 Orange & Dull Violet, "Specimen" Overprint (204S; SG 240ds).** Original gum, small h.r., few small faults incl. small thin, facial rubbing with small mark at bottom and repaired bottom left corner perf, still Fine and rare "Specimen" example which would otherwise catalogue \$75,000.00 (£75,000) as the issued stamp, Scott \$4,750.00, SG £5,000 E. 500-750



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- 3335 ★ **1938, \$25.00 Blue & Purple on Blue, Postal Fiscal (AR1; SG F1).** Brownish original gum, h.r., impressively well-centered, strong color, Very Fine, a surprisingly scarce stamp and the first we have offered according to Power Search, Scott \$1,450.00, SG £1,400..... E. 400-500

- 3336 ★ **TONGA, 1897, 7½p Green & Black, Inverted Center (47a; SG 48a).** Slightly disturbed original gum, h.r., rich colors, slight corner crease

VERY FINE. A RARE ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE 1897 7½-PENCE KING GEORGE II WITH INVERTED CENTER. ONLY ONE PANE OF SIXTY WAS PRINTED.

Ex Col. Green. Accompanied by front cover of his 1944 auction catalogue (with this item featured) and original lot card. Scott \$6,500.00. SG £9,000 E. 3,000-4,000



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- 3337 ☒ **VIRGIN ISLANDS, 1900-18, "Paid at Tortola" Crowned Circle Handstamp in Black (A2 Footnote; SG CC2 Footnote).** Well-struck with George V 1p (39; SG 70) on front tied by "Road-Town, Tortola, V.I., 11 AM, JU 1, 1915" double-circle datestamp with additional strike beside Crowned Circle on **real photo** postcard of "Native Brass Band" and addressed to Brantford, Canada, card with diagonal crease of little consequence, Very Fine, the use of this Crowned Circle during the 20th century was as an official paid marking, Scott \$1,100.00, SG £750.....(Photo/Website PDF) E. 300-400

ZANZIBAR

AN EXCEPTIONAL SPECIALIZED OFFERING

- 3338 **1895, 1a Violet Brown (2; SG 2).** Type E (small second "z" and inverted "q" for "b"), bold color, well-centered, clear Zanzibar Jan. 14, 1896 double-circle datestamp, Very Fine, ex Griffith-Jones, with 1989 Holcombe (wrongly as type H) and 2018 B.P.A. certificates, Scott \$600.00, SG £500..... E. 200-300



- 3339 **1895, 1a Violet Brown (2; SG 2).** Type E (small second “z” and inverted “q” for “b”), horizontal pair, positions R. 8 or 9/11-12, tied by clear strikes of “Zanzibar 8 FE 96” double-circle datestamps on small piece and “Mombasa FE 19 96” transit datestamp at right, left stamp with vertical crease, still Very Fine, a handsome and rare multiple of this scarce stamp, ex Griffith-Jones, with 1988 Oliva and 2018 B.P.A. certificates, catalogued as singles, Scott \$1,200.00, SG £1,000... E. 300-400
- 3340 **1895, 1a Violet Brown (2; SG 2).** Setting 1, position R. 7/4, **type F (second “z” Gothic and normal “b”)**, Feb. 1896 double-circle datestamp, slight color run at top left and mild diagonal crease at bottom, still a Very Fine appearing example of this rare variety which occurred only once in a pane of 120, the **only example** recorded by Stanley Gibbons, ex Griffith-Jones, with 1965 and 2018 B.P.A. certificates, SG £2,000 (taking into account the 4x multiplier)..... E. 400-500
- 3341 **1895-96, ½a Green, “Zanibar” Error (3b; SG 3k).** Setting 3, position R. 7/1-2, horizontal pair, right stamp the error, left stamp Type D (small second “z” and raised “ibar”), fresh color, well-struck “Zanzibar Reg. 27 JL 96” double-circle datestamps, barely perceptible surface marks, otherwise Very Fine and rare error, **only four examples** are recorded in used condition and especially desirable as a pair, ex Gartner and Griffith-Jones, with 2018 B.P.A. certificate, Scott \$1,900.00, SG £1,700 E. 500-750
- 3342 ☒ **1895-96, 1a Violet Brown, 2a6p Green (4, 7; SG 4, 8).** Two singles of 1a, all showing normal second “z”, each tied by “Zanzibar 2 JA 96” circular datestamps on reverse of registered cover **to Muscat, Oman**, “R” in circle handstamp, Muscat arrival backstamp, cover with edge flaws and couple toned spots, otherwise a Fine and rare registered commercial use, ex Griffith-Jones E. 400-500
- 3343 ★ **1895-96, 1a Violet Brown, “Zanibar” Error (4b; SG 4k).** Setting 3, position R. 7/1-2, horizontal pair with selvage at left, right stamp the error, left stamp Type D, original gum which has the slightest trace of toning, sensible hinge reinforcements, error stamp with mild diagonal bend of little consequence, Fine appearance and desirable as a se-tenant pair, **only nine examples** are recorded, ex Frazer and Griffith-Jones, with 1967 B.P.A. certificate not mentioning flaws (as old SG No. 4b), Scott \$1,900.00, SG £1,700 E. 300-400
- 3344 **1895-96, 1a Violet Brown, “Zanibar” Error (4b; SG 4k).** Setting 3, position R. 7/2, fresh color, couple toned perf tips and barely noticeable crease only mentioned on most recent certificate, Very Fine appearance, a rare and desirable error with **only four examples** recorded in used condition, ex Griffith-Jones, with 1989 Holcombe and 2018 B.P.A. certificates, Scott \$2,250.00, SG £2,000 E. 500-750

- 3345 ★ **1895-96, 1a Violet Brown, Diaeresis over last "a" (4c; SG 4l).** Setting 3, position R. 10/5, original gum, lightly hinged, lovely rich color on fresh paper

VERY FINE AND CHOICE ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE ONE-ANNA WITH DIAERESIS OVER THE LAST "A". ONE OF THE RAREST ZANZIBAR OVERPRINT ERRORS WITH ONLY TWO EXAMPLES RECORDED. THIS IS THE FINER OF THE TWO.

A stamp missing from even the most advanced collections. No example is recorded in even the Royal Collection. Ex Knight and Griffith-Jones. With 2018 B.P.A. certificate. Scott \$4,500.00, SG £4,750
..... E. 2,000-3,000



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- 3346 ☒ **1895-96, 1a6p Bister Brown, 3a Orange (5, 8; SG 5, 10).** 3a type C (tall second "z" and break in top stroke of first "Z"), each tied by "Zanzibar 19 AU 96" circular datestamps on reverse of registered cover to Wimbledon, England, "R" in circle handstamp, red London registered transit and Wimbledon arrival datestamps, cover with few slight folds not affecting stamps, Very Fine, cover paying the single foreign letter rate plus registry fee, ex Griffith-Jones..... E. 400-500



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- 3347 ★ **1895-96, 1a6p Bister Brown, "Zanzidar" Error (5a; SG 5j).** Setting 1, position R. 8/5, large part original gum (with minor corner adhesions), fresh color and strong impression

VERY FINE. AN IMMENSELY RARE ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE ONE-ANNA, 6-PIES WITH THE "ZANZIDAR" OVERPRINT ERROR. ONLY FOUR EXAMPLES ARE RECORDED IN PRIVATE HANDS.

There are five recorded, one of which is in the Royal Collection. Ex Gartner and Griffith-Jones. With 1993 B.P.A. certificate. Scott \$4,500.00. SG £4,000.....
..... E. 1,500-2,000



- 3348 **1895-96, 1a6p Bister Brown, “Zanzidar” Error (5a; SG 5j).** Setting 1, position R. 4/6 (second state), fresh color, clear strike of Zanzibar Jan. 9, 1896 double-circle datestamp, Very Fine and choice, **only fourteen used examples** are recorded, three of which are in the Royal Collection, ex Baumann, Steernberg, and Griffith-Jones, with 1977 B.P.A. certificate, Scott \$1,200.00, SG £1,200 E. 400-500
- 3349 **1895-96, 1a6p Bister Brown, “Zanibar” Error (5c; SG 5k).** Setting 3, position R. 7/2, relatively light circular datestamps, few faintly stained perfs at top (mainly seen on reverse and only mentioned on most recent certificate), otherwise Very Fine and rare, **only six used examples** are recorded, ex Griffith-Jones, with 1989 Holcombe and 2018 B.P.A. certificates, Scott \$1,750.00, SG £1,700 E. 500-750
- 3350 (★) **1895-96, 1a6p Bister Brown, Diaeresis over last “a” (5e; SG 5m).** Setting 3, position R. 10/5, unused (no gum), deep rich color, Very Fine, **only a few examples** are thought to exist from the late stages of printing from Setting 3, ex Griffith-Jones, with 2018 B.P.A. certificate, Scott \$1,550.00, SG £1,600..... E. 300-400
- 3351 ☒ **1895-96, 2a Ultramarine, 2a6p Green (6-7; SG 7-8).** Both type D (small second “z”), 2a Setting 2, position R. 10/6 additionally showing broken upright “b”, both showing shifted overprint to left, used on uprated registered 2a6p surcharged entire and all tied by “Zanzibar 27 JU 96” double-circle datestamps and addressed to **Bern, Switzerland**, Aden transit and Bern arrival datestamps, Very Fine, this cover paid the double rate plus 2a registry fee, ex Griffith-Jones..... E. 200-300
- 3352 **1895-96, 2a Ultramarine, “Zanzidar” Error (6a; SG 7j).** Setting 1, position R. 4/6, Type D (small Second “z” and normal “d”), well-centered, clearly struck “Zanzibar Reg 14 NO 95” **first day of issue** circular datestamp, Very Fine, a rare and noticeable error variety with **only six used examples** recorded in private hands, especially desirable with the first day of issue cancel, ex Griffith-Jones, with 1988 Holcombe and 2018 B.P.A. certificates, Scott \$3,500.00, SG £3,000..... E. 1,000-1,500



- 3353 ★ **1895-96, 2a Ultramarine, Diaeresis over last “a” (6g; SG 7l).** Setting 3, position R. 10/5, original gum, small h.r., strong color and impression, few slightly toned perf tips, otherwise Very Fine, **only a few examples** are thought to exist from the late stages of printing from Setting 3, ex Griffith-Jones, with 1993 and 2018 B.P.A. certificates, Scott \$2,850.00, SG £3,000 E. 1,000-1,500

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- 3354 ☒ **1895-96, 2a6p Green (7; SG 8).** Setting 2, position R. 10/4 (broken stem of “b”), tied by bold strike of “B1” in square bars cancel of Bombay in transit on reverse of 1896 cover to Karachi, “Paquebot” in square handstamp and Karachi Aug. 9, 1896 arrival backstamp, cover with minor folds of no consequence, Very Fine and handsome first issue cover which was posted on board a ship from Zanzibar, ex Griffith-Jones..... E. 500-750

- 3355 ★ **1895-96, 3a Orange, “Zanzibar” Error (8b; SG 10k).**
Setting 1, position R. 1/9, original gum, bold color

FINE AND VERY RARE. THERE ARE ONLY FOUR EXAMPLES RECORDED OF THE 3-ANNAS WITH “ZANIZBAR” OVERPRINT ERROR. A MAJOR ERROR WHICH IS RARELY ENCOUNTERED.

Of the four recorded, one resides in the Royal Collection and is unavailable to collectors. This overprint error occurred on only a small amount of sheets of the 1a6p and 3a values. All of the 1a6p values were eventually surcharged (24b; SG 22k).

Ex Melat, Walkley, and Griffith-Jones. Signed A. Brun.
With 2003 B.P.A. certificate. Scott \$7,500.00. SG
£6,500 E. 3,000-4,000



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- 3356 ★ **1895-96, 3a Orange, “Zanzibar” Error (8b; SG 10k).**
Setting 1, position R. 1/9, original gum, lightly hinged,
strong color, minor diagonal crease

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. ONLY FOUR EXAMPLES ARE RECORDED OF THE 3-ANNAS WITH “ZANIZBAR” OVERPRINT ERROR.

Of the four recorded, one resides in the Royal Collection and is unavailable to collectors. This overprint error occurred on only a small amount of sheets of the 1a6p and 3a values. All of the 1a6p values were eventually surcharged (24b; SG 22k).

Ex Griffith-Jones. With 1998 Brandon certificate. Scott
\$7,500.00. SG £6,500 E. 1,500-2,000

- 3357 ★田 **1895-96, 4a Olive Green (9; SG 12).** Setting 2,
half pane of 60, slightly toned original gum,
some sensible hinge reinforcements, few minor
toned spots and split perfs as to be expected, Fine
and quite rare, likely the largest multiple of this
setting in existence, accompanied by an exhibit
page showing positional varieties, ex Edwards,
Baumann, Sturton, and Griffith-Jones, cata-
logued as singles, Scott \$1,350.00, SG £1,260
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1895-96, 12a Violet on Red, “Zanzidar” Error (11a; SG 16j). Setting 1, position R. 4/6, Type D (small Second “z” and normal “d”), precise centering, wonderfully rich color, neat “Zanzibar Reg. 17 JA 96” circular datestamp

EXTREMELY FINE. A SUPERB USED EXAMPLE OF THE 12-ANNAS WITH “ZANZIDAR” OVERPRINT ERROR. ONLY SEVEN USED EXAMPLES ARE RECORDED.

Of the seven used, one resides in the Royal Collection. Ex Sturton and Griffith-Jones. With 2018 B.P.A. certificate. Scott \$5,000.00. SG £4,500 E. 2,000-3,000

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1895-96, 12a Violet on Red, “Zanzidar” Error (11a; SG 16j). Setting 1, position R. 4/6, Type D (small Second “z” and normal “d”), excellent color, clear Jan. 17, 1896 double-circle datestamp, nearly imperceptible bend at top

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. ONLY SEVEN USED EXAMPLES OF THE 12-ANNAS WITH THE “ZANZIDAR” ERROR ARE RECORDED.

Of the seven used, one resides in the Royal Collection. Ex Griffith-Jones. With 1989 Holcombe (not mentioning bend) and 2018 B.P.A. certificates. Scott \$5,000.00. SG £4,500 E. 1,500-2,000



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1895-96, 1r Gray, “Zanzidar” Error (12a; SG 17j). Setting 1, position R. 8/5, Type D (small Second “z” and inverted “p” for “d”), excellent centering, lightly struck Dec. 1895 double-circle datestamp

VERY FINE AND RARE. ONE OF ONLY FIVE USED EXAMPLES RECORDED OF THE ONE-RUPEE WITH “ZANZIDAR” OVERPRINT ERROR. A MAJOR ZANZIBAR ERROR RARITY.

Of the five used recorded, one is housed in the Royal Collection. Ex Sturton and Griffith-Jones. With 2018 B.P.A. certificate. Scott \$6,750.00. SG £6,000..... E. 2,000-3,000

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1895-96, 1r Carmine Rose & Green, Vertical Overprint (13a; SG 18j). Rejoined block of four (two vertical pairs), original gum, hinge reinforcement, showing three faint overprints along center perfs straddling all four stamps plated as Setting 3, R. 2/2-4, each showing the small second “z” and center strike with broken capital “Z” and no dot on “i”, position 3 with mild horizontal bend, still Very Fine and remarkable multiple, this is the largest multiple recorded with only one other known, this **unique** with the position R. 2/3 variety, the overprint is generally weak due to the attempted removal by the printer, this was originally thought to be a trial overprinting as no used examples are recorded, though more contemporary theories suggest this may be an accidental turning of the sheet when overprinting, though still possibly a trial overprint, ex Griffith-Jones, with 2018 B.P.A. certificate, catalogued as singles, Scott \$1,900.00, SG £1,700..... E. 500-750



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- 3362 **1895-96, 2r Brown & Rose, Inverted “r” (14b; SG 19k).** Position R. 2/3, additionally showing thick sans-serif first “a” as always, beautifully struck purple “Zanzibar Par 25 MA 96” circular date-stamp, trivial thinned perf at top of little consequence

VERY FINE APPEARING USED EXAMPLE OF THE RARE 2-RUPEE WITH INVERTED “R” OVERPRINT ERROR. ONLY FIVE USED EXAMPLES ARE RECORDED.

Ex Griffith-Jones. With 2018 B.P.A. certificate. Scott \$5,500.00. SG £5,000 E. 1,500-2,000



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- 3363 ★ **1895-96, 5r Violet & Blue, Inverted “r” (16b; SG 21k).** Position R. 2/3, original gum, small h.r., additionally showing thick sans-serif first “a” as always, mild vertical gum crease and slight thin from hinge removal, Very Fine appearance, a rare and distinctive error with **only ten examples** recorded, ex Griffith-Jones, with 1995 (not mentioning faults) and 2018 B.P.A. certificates, Scott \$5,000.00, SG £4,750 E. 1,000-1,500
- 3364 ★ **1895-96, 5r Violet & Blue, Double Overprint, One Inverted (16c; SG 211).** Original gum, fresh color, slight rubbing around inverted overprint from attempt to erase overprint as usual, certificate notes small corner crease which we feel is a natural gum crease, Fine, only two panes of twelve were printed, one above and the other below the upright overprint, ex Vestey, with 2007 B.P.A. certificate, Scott \$950.00, SG £850 E. 200-300
- 3365 ★ **1895-96, 5r Violet & Blue, Double Overprint, One Inverted (16c var; SG 211 var).** Original gum, lightly hinged, slight rubbing around inverted overprint from attempt to erase overprint as usual, upright overprint showing thick sans-serif “a”, couple mild creases, Very Fine appearance, only two panes of twelve were printed, one above and the other below the upright overprint, **unique** with the sans-serif “a” in this format, remarkably we have the “matching pair” of this position with the inverted overprint at bottom in Lot 3367, ex Griffith-Jones, with 2018 B.P.A. certificate, catalogued as normal, Scott \$950.00, SG £850 E. 200-300
- 3366 ★ **1895-96, 5r Violet & Blue, Double Overprint, One Inverted (16c; SG 211).** Original gum, lightly hinged, slight rubbing around inverted overprint from attempt to erase overprint as usual, Very Fine, only two panes of twelve were printed, one above and the other below the upright overprint, one of the finest examples as most have small faults to some degree, ex Griffith-Jones, with 1995 Brandon certificate, Scott \$950.00, SG £850 E. 300-400
- 3367 ★ **1895-96, 5r Violet & Blue, Double Overprint, One Inverted (16c var; SG 211 var).** Original gum, lightly hinged, slight rubbing around inverted overprint from attempt to erase overprint as usual, upright overprint showing thick sans-serif “a”, single toned perf at top and horizontal crease, Very Fine appearance, only two panes of twelve were printed, one above and the other below the upright overprint, **unique** with the sans-serif “a” in this format, remarkably we have the “matching pair” of this position with the inverted overprint at top in Lot 3365, ex Griffith-Jones, signed A. Diena and with 2018 B.P.A. certificate, catalogued as normal, Scott \$950.00, SG £850 E. 200-300



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1895-96, 6a Bister, “Zanzibarr” Error (17b; SG 13l). Setting 3, used with 4a Olive Green (9; SG 11, Type D), tied by complete strike of “Zanzibar 11 SE 96” double-circle datestamp on small piece, 6a with small corner perf fault of little consequence (not mentioned on accompanying certificate)

VERY FINE APPEARING EXAMPLE OF THE EXCEPTIONALLY RARE 6-ANNA WITH “ZANZIBARR” OVERPRINT ERROR. ONE OF ONLY TWO EXAMPLES RECORDED IN PRIVATE HANDS.

There are three recorded examples, one of which resides in the Royal Collection and is not available to collectors. The other in private hands is dated three days earlier. A peculiar error as this is only recorded on the 6a value and no position has been proven. Theories abound, the most substantive one is that an overprint setting must have been done in error due to the change in pane size of 8x10 rather than the normal 6x10.

Ex Crocker, Feer, and Griffith-Jones. With 1995 R.P.S. certificate. Scott \$4,750.00. SG £6,000..... E. 2,000-3,000



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1895-96, 6a Bister, “Zanibar” Error (17c; SG 13k). Setting 3, position R. 7/1-2, horizontal pair, right stamp the error, left stamp Type D, bold color, neat strike of “Zanzibar 30 JA 97” double-circle datestamp, Very Fine and handsome used pair with this error, **only five examples** are recorded in used condition, ex Griffith-Jones, with 1995 Brandon certificate, Scott \$1,400.00, SG £1,400..... E. 500-750

- 3370 ★田 **1896, 2½a on 1a Violet Brown (18-20; SG 23-25). Setting 3, complete setting of 60** from the bottom right half of the sheet, with each of the three overprint types including 26 of No. 18 (SG 23), ten of No. 19 (SG 24), and 24 of No. 20 (SG 25), toned original gum, mostly detached selvage at bottom, large paper backing adhesions, splitting and slight toned spots

FINE AND EXCEPTIONALLY RARE COMPLETE OVERPRINT SETTING OF 60 OF THE 2½-ANNA SURCHARGE IN BLACK. ONE OF ONLY TWO COMPLETE SETTINGS RECORDED IN BLACK.

Only five of Setting 3 are recorded, with two of them in black. A important piece for the specialist. Accompanied by an exhibit page showing the positional varieties.

Ex Edwards, Baumann, Sturton, and Griffith-Jones.
Catalogued as singles. Scott \$15,850.00. SG £20,850
..... E. 5,000-7,500



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- 3371 ★ **1896, 2½a on 1a Violet Brown, Inverted "1" in "½" (19a; SG 24zj). Setting 4, second surcharge setting, type D (small second "z"), position R. 4/5, dried original gum with the slightest hint of toning, excellent centering, strong color, Very Fine and very rare, most examples are from Setting 3, less than ten are recorded, ex Griffith-Jones, with 2018 B.P.A. certificate, Scott \$3,250.00, SG £2,750.....** E. 1,000-1,500

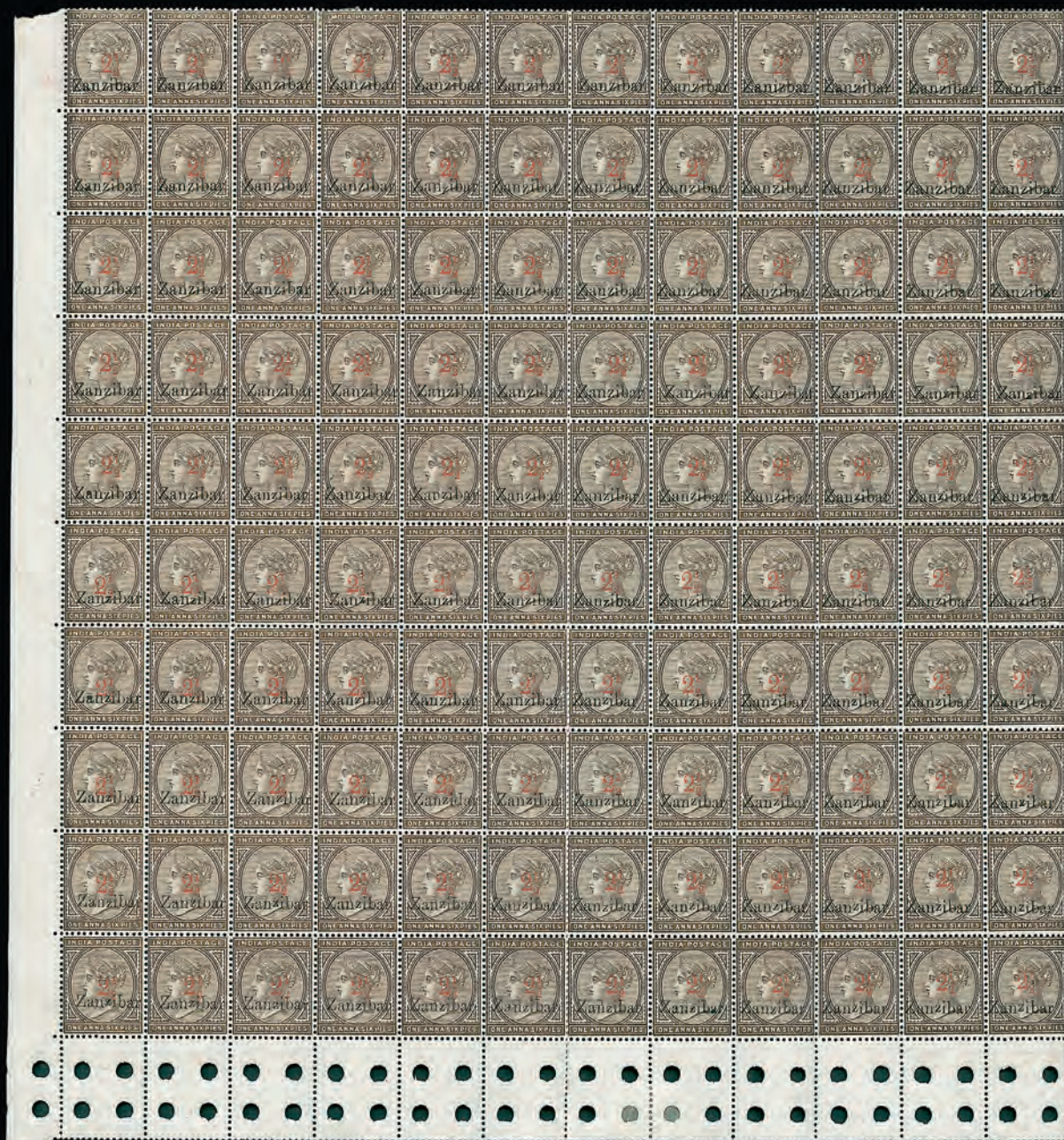
- 3372 ★ **1896, 2½a on 1a Violet Brown, Inverted "1" in "½" (19a; SG 24zj). Setting 3, second surcharge setting, vertical se-tenant strip of three showing the three types of surcharges used in Black, positions R. 4-6/5, top position the error, middle position No. 18 (SG 23z), type C (tall second "z"), bottom position No. 20 (SG 25z), type G (no dot over "i"), original gum, bottom stamp h.r., others lightly hinged, fresh color**

VERY FINE AND EXCEPTIONALLY RARE SE-TENANT STRIP OF THREE OF THE DIFFERENT TYPES USED WITH BLACK OVERPRINT, ONE POSITION WITH THE RARE INVERTED "1" ERROR. THE FINER OF THE TWO STRIPS RECORDED.

Two complete panes of 60 are additionally known but both have condition issues. Ex Baumann and Griffith-Jones. With 1977 R.P.S. certificate. Catalogued as singles. Scott \$3,675.00. SG £3,620 (taking into account the type multiplier) E. 1,500-2,000



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1895 2½-ANNA ON ONE-ANNA 6-PENCE BISTER BROWN
A REMARKABLE COMPLETE SETTING OF 120

- 3373 ★田 1895, 2½a on 1a6p Bister Brown (24; SG 22). Setting 1, **complete overprint setting of 120** from top half of the sheet with interpanneau selvage at bottom, original gum with some slight tropicalization, with the rare “**Zanzidar**” error (24a; SG 22j) on positions R. 4/6 and 8/5 and “**Zanizbar**” error (24b; SG 22k) on position R. 1/9, few toned spots and minor splitting as to be expected

OTHERWISE VERY FINE. ONE OF ONLY TWO COMPLETE OVERPRINT SETTINGS FROM SETTING 1 BELIEVED TO EXIST. EASILY ONE OF THE MOST IMPORTANT ZANZIBAR SURCHARGED ISSUE ITEMS IN EXISTENCE, ESPECIALLY WITH THE OVERPRINT ERRORS.

Accompanied by exhibit page highlighting all the positional varieties. Ex Hall, Danson, Sturton, and Griffith-Jones. Catalogued as singles. Scott \$18,595.00. SG £16,725 (without any premium for various type multiplier) E. 7,500-10,000



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- 3374 ★田 1895, 2½a on 1a6p Bister Brown (24; SG 22). Block of fifteen with selvage at left, positions R. 3-5/1-5, showing types B (broken “p” for “n”, plus first “a” clogged) on position R. 3/3, D (small second “z”), and H (inverted “q” for “b”) on position R. 5/5, original gum, small hinge reinforcement between two stamps on top row, we notice at least ten **Mint N.H.** examples, fresh and Very Fine, a scarce multiple, especially with types B and H, ex Griffith-Jones, catalogued as hinged singles, Scott \$1,275.00, SG £1,650 (taking into account type multiplier) E. 500-750



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- 3375 **1895, 2½a on 1a6p Bister Brown, “Zanzidar” Error (24a; SG 22j).** Setting 1, position R. 4/6, bold color, clear Dec. 16 (1895) double-circle datestamp, minute top left corner perf thin, Very Fine appearance, **less than a dozen examples** are thought to exist, ex Griffith-Jones, signed Holcome and with 2018 B.P.A. certificate, Scott \$1,450.00, SG £1,300 E. 400-500
- 3376 **1895, 2½a on 1a6p Bister Brown, “Zanzidar” Error (24a; SG 22j).** Setting 1, position R. 8/5, type D (small second “z” and inverted “p” for “d”), well-struck “Zanzibar Reg 15 DE 95” circular datestamp, top right corner perf thin, Very Fine appearance, **less than a dozen examples** are thought to exist, ex Griffith-Jones, with 1971 R.P.S. (as old No. 119b) and 2018 B.P.A. certificates, Scott \$1,450.00, SG £1,300..... E. 400-500



- 3377 ★田 **1896, 2½a on 2a Ultramarine (30-31A; SG 26-28).** Setting 3, **complete overprint setting of 60** comprising a half pane from the top half of the sheet, original gum, few h.r.'s including some sensible hinge reinforcements, featuring 47 examples of No. 30 (SG 26) including one Inverted “1” (30a; SG 26j) and four Roman “1” (30b; SG 26k), twelve No. 31 (SG 27) with one Inverted “1” (31b; SG 27m), and one example of the rare No. 31A (SG 28), wonderfully fresh color, few minor perf separations as to be expected

VERY FINE. A PHENOMENAL AND SURPRISINGLY FRESH COMPLETE OVERPRINT SETTING OF THE 2½-ANNA ON 2-ANNA SURCHARGE WHICH INCLUDES THE RARE VARIETIES AND NO. 31A (SG 28). A MAJOR SHOWPIECE ITEM FOR THE SPECIALIST.

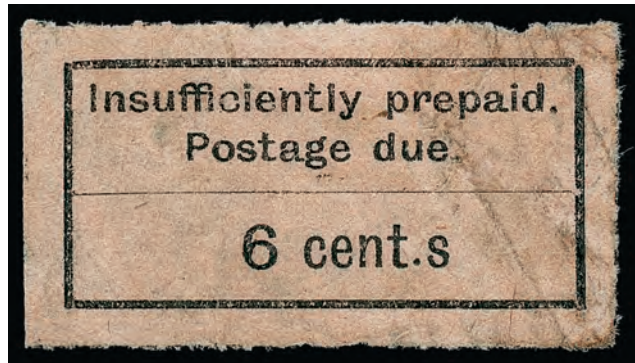
Accompanied by an exhibit page showing the positional varieties of both the “Zanzibar” and 2½a surcharge. Ex Hall, Baumann, Feer, Sturton, and Griffith-Jones. Catalogued as singles. Scott \$17,285.00. SG £15,590... E. 7,500-10,000

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- 3378 ★ 1896, 2½a on 2a Ultramarine, “Zanzibar” Double, One Albino (30c; SG 261). Setting 3, position R. 3/2, Type B (broken “p” for “n”), original gum, lightly hinged, showing clear double with offset on gum, bold color, Very Fine, **likely unique with the Type B overprint**, ex Griffith-Jones, SG £800 (taking into account the 5x multiplier)..... E. 300-400
- 3379 ★田 1896, 2½a on 2a Ultramarine, “Zanzibar” Double, One Albino (30c; SG 261). Block of four with selva at bottom showing part center line, positions R. 9-10/5-6, original gum, top left stamp lightly hinged, other three **Mint N.H.**, top pair Type D (small second “z”), clear and strong second overprint showing strong offset on gum and apparent on face, three stamps with traces of perf tip toning, otherwise Very Fine and scarce positional block with the variety, Stanley Gibbons notes this is from Setting 4 unlike most examples which originate from Setting 3, ex Griffith-Jones, with 2018 B.P.A. certificate, catalogued as singles, Scott \$760.00, SG £640..... E. 200-300
- 3380 ★ 1896, 1a Carmine, Double Overprint (33a; SG 42j). Setting 2, type C (tall second “z”), horizontal pair, h.r. which reinforces the center perfs, strong shift of second surcharge which is lighter, bold color on fresh paper, Very Fine and quite rare as **only one sheet of 60** was printed, only thirteen of which can be type C, few multiples are known, ex Griffith-Jones, with 2018 B.P.A. certificate, catalogued as singles, Scott \$1,650.00, SG £1,500..... E. 500-750
- 3381 田 1896, 4½a Orange (35; SG 44). Two positional blocks of four from Setting 3, first with “Protec” part inscription selva at left, positions R. 3-4/1-2, types B (broken “p” for “n”) and D (small second “z”), one of the former, three of the latter, second block with “& Reve” part inscription selva at bottom, positions R. 9-10/2-3, three examples type D (small second “z”), some reinforced perfs, both blocks with legible Sept. 11, 1896 double-circle datestamps, Very Fine, only 41 sheets overprinted, ex Griffith-Jones, catalogued as singles, Scott \$520.00, SG £480(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 200-300
- 3382 ★田 1897, 2½a on 4a Surcharge (53-54; SG 175-176). Se-tenant block of nine, slightly toned original gum, center stamp lightly hinged, others appear **Mint N.H.**, top two rows type A (SG 3), bottom row type B (SG 4), fresh colors, right vertical strip with gum crease, otherwise Very Fine and rare se-tenant multiple, of the 4,200 issued, less than 700 were No. 54 (SG 176), ex Griffith-Jones, catalogued as singles, Scott \$1,575.00, SG £1,575 E. 300-400
- 3383 Zanzibar 1895-96 Group of Specialist Items. With seven items on Gibbons sales cards, unused incl. Nos. 6d (SG 7m), 17g (SG 13o), 30d (SG 26m), and 31 (SG 27, Ty. D), used incl. Nos. 2 (SG 2, Ty. D), 12 (SG 17, Ty. D), 20 (SG 25, Ty. H), this group alone catalogues around £2,000, plus eighteen items mounted on part pages showing overprint varieties such as Types C and D, plus clogged “a”, raised “n” and speck between “n” and “z”, all on various values, mostly Fine or better, ex Griffith-Jones.....(Website PDF) E. 500-750

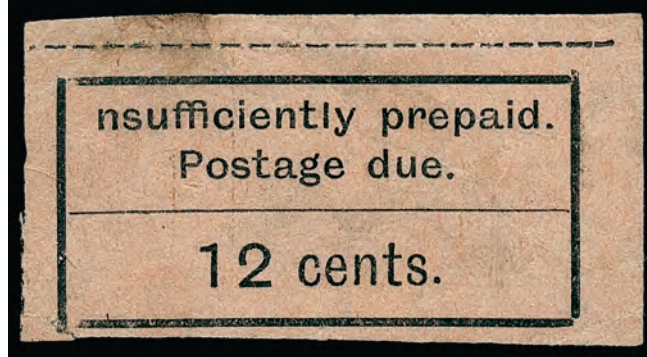
1926-30 6-CENTS BLACK ON ORANGE POSTAGE DUE
 “CENT.S” FOR “CENTS” ERROR
 THE ONLY KNOWN EXAMPLE AND
 ONE OF THE GREAT RARITIES OF ZANZIBAR PHILATELY



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- 3384 **1926-30, 6c Black on Orange, Postage Due, “cent.s” for “cents.” (J3Ac; SG D4a).**
 Position R. 4/1, uncanceled but previously used, slight trace of soiling and creasing
 FINE AND RARE. THIS IS THE UNIQUE EXAMPLE OF THE 6-CENTS POSTAGE DUE WITH
 THE “CENT.S” ERROR. AN IMPORTANT ZANZIBAR AND POSTAGE DUE RARITY OF THE
 WORLD.
 Ex Trueman and Griffith-Jones (and illustrated in his book). With 1998 B.P.A. certificate.
 SG £24,000. Scott \$25,000.00 E. 10,000-15,000

1926-30 12-CENTS ON ORANGE POSTAGE DUE
 “I” OF “INSUFFICIENTLY” OMITTED
 THE UNIQUE LISTING EXAMPLE



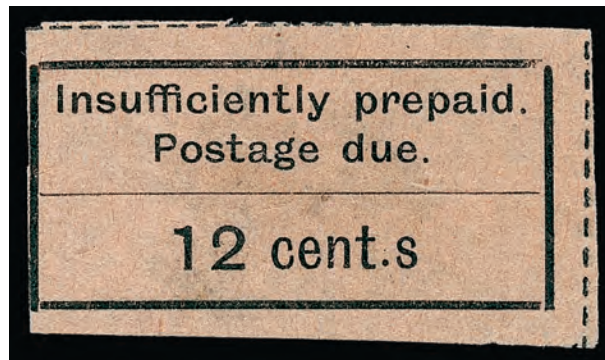
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3385 **1926-30, 12c Black on Orange, Postage Due, “I” of “Insufficiently” Omitted (J4A var; SG D6b).** Position R. 4/2, uncanceled but previously used, trivial faults incl. minor wrinkles and minute tear at bottom left

FINE EXAMPLE OF THE 12-CENTS POSTAGE DUE WITH “I” OF “INSUFFICIENTLY” OMITTED. THIS IS THE UNIQUE EXAMPLE OF THIS VARIETY WHICH WAS UNKNOWN PRIOR TO ITS DISCOVERY IN 2010. AN EXCEPTIONAL RARITY.

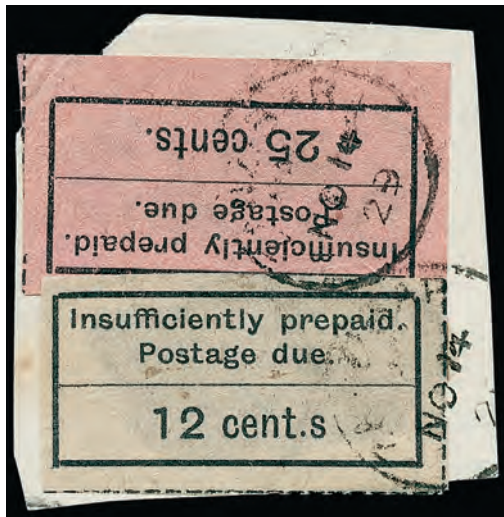
Ex Griffith-Jones. With 2011 B.P.A. certificate. Unlisted in Scott. SG £21,000.....
 E. 10,000-15,000

1926-30 12-CENTS BLACK ON ORANGE POSTAGE DUE
 “CENT.S” FOR “CENTS” ERROR
 A UNIQUE POSTAGE DUE RARITY



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- 3386 **1926-30, 12c Black on Orange, Postage Due, “cent.s” for “cents.” (J4Ac; SG D6a).**
 Position R. 4/1, uncanceled but previously used, bright and fresh colors
 VERY FINE. THIS IS THE UNIQUE EXAMPLE OF THE 12-CENTS POSTAGE DUE WITH
 “CENT.S” ERROR IN REMARKABLY FRESH CONDITION.
 Interestingly enough, this was first listed in Stanley Gibbons catalogue in 1939 but
 deleted in the 2006 edition as its whereabouts was unknown. It was re-listed in the 2015
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 Ex Karimjee and Griffith-Jones. With 2014 R.P.S. certificate. SG £21,000. Scott
 \$21,000.00 E. 10,000-15,000

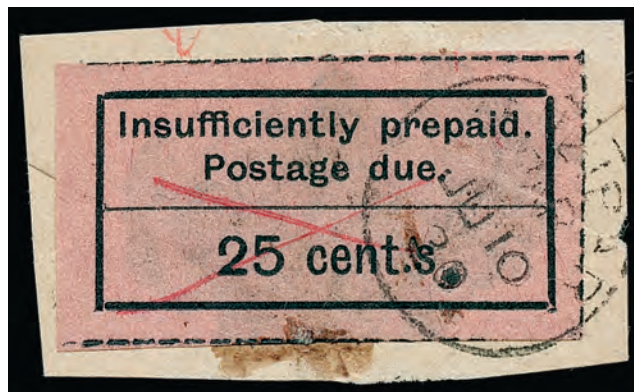


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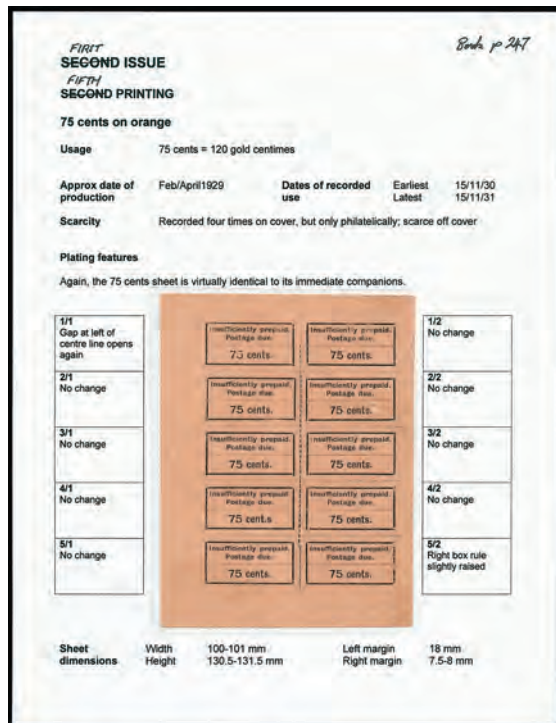
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- 3387 **1926-30, 12c Black on Green, Postage Due, “cent.s” for “cents.” (J4Bc; SG D7a).** Position R. 4/1, used with 25c Black on Magenta (J8B; SG D13), bottom left corner margin single (Position R. 5/1), tied on small piece by Zanzibar Nov. 14, 1929 circular datestamp, 25c with insignificant corner crease, still Very Fine, a rare and desirable combination of values, especially with the 12c error of which **only six examples are recorded**, ex Griffith-Jones, catalogued simply as error, SG £1,700, Scott \$1,750.00 E. 1,000-1,500
- 3388 **1926-30, 18c Black on Salmon, Postage Due (J6a; SG D9).** Position R. 3/2, roughly separated, tied on front of incoming cover by Zanzibar Registered cancel, printed “Rai Itmadi Jiwanbhai Lalji” cover originating in Tanganyika with 5c Green (correct rate 20c) and tied by “Tabora-Mwanza T.P.O. Down” circular datestamp, boxed “T.” handstamp and “30c” in blue crayon, Dar es Salaam transit datestamp, cover with minor file fold, Very Fine, a scarce commercial use of the Zanzibar postage due, ex Griffith-Jones and listed in his census as F.235 E. 1,000-1,500



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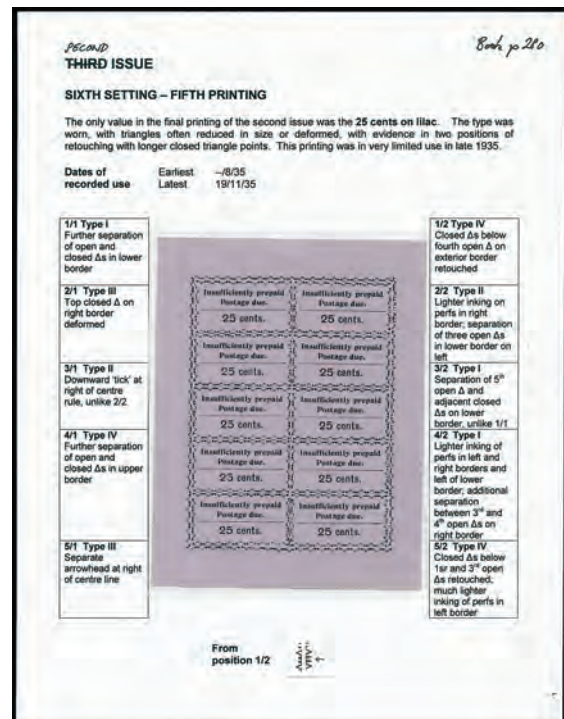
- 3389 **1926-30, 25c Black on Magenta, Postage Due, “cent.s” for “cents.” (J8B var; SG D13a).** Position R. 4/1, tied on piece by light 1930 circular datestamp and with red manuscript cross to indicate charges paid, trivial bend and some excess glue at bottom just affects the stamp
FINE. A RARE VARIETY OF WHICH ONLY FOUR ARE RECORDED.
Ex Griffith-Jones and illustrated in his book. Unlisted in Scott. SG £4,000..... E. 2,000-3,000



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- 3390 ★田 **1926-30 Typeset Postage Due Complete Sheets (J1/J11; SG D1/D17).** Remarkable group of 15 sheets of ten (2x5) on exhibit pages complete with plating notes, the complete representation of each of the values known as sheets (without 6c, 12c and 25c as they are obviously absent and not known in sheet form), incl. 3c, 9c and 15c-75c each with “cent.s” error in pos. R. 4/1, with both 18c colors, plus 1c, 2c, 3c, 9c and 15c without the error in the corrected setting, few sheets with the odd minor fault which is typical of this poor quality paper, 75c with margin fault above R. 1/1, Fine-Very Fine, a remarkable and rare group of sheets incl. **ten sheets** containing the collectible “cent.s” error, ex Griffith-Jones
(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 2,000-3,000

- 3391 ★田 **1930-33 Typeset Postage Due Complete Sheets (J12-J17; SG D18-D24).** Group of eight sheets of ten (2x5) on exhibit pages complete with plating notes, comprising of each of the values, with 2c (6th setting, 4th printing), 3c (6th setting, 1st printing), 6c (4th setting), two 12c (1st and 3rd setting), two 25c Pink (2nd and 5th setting), and 25c Dull Violet (6th setting, 5th printing), fresh and Very Fine group which is particularly rare in complete sheets, ex Griffith-Jones
(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 1,500-2,000



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END OF SESSION TWO

SESSION THREE (LOTS 3392-3507)
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 2, 2021, AT 10:30 A.M.

WORLDWIDE STAMPS AND POSTAL HISTORY

ARGENTINA



- 3392 ★ **1892-95, 5c Green, Error of Color (96b).** Original gum with barest trace of toning, lightly hinged, wide margins, rich color, Very Fine, only 100 were issued by the post office but 63 were recalled, leaving only 37 examples possible, Scott \$700.00..... E. 300-400
- 3393 ★ **1892-95, 5c Green, Error of Color (96b).** Original gum, lightly hinged, rich color, Very Fine, only 100 were issued by the post office but 63 were recalled, leaving only 37 examples possible, Scott \$700.00..... E. 300-400
- 3394 ★ **1899, 1p Blue & Black, Inverted Center (139a).** Original gum with the slightest trace of toning, lightly hinged, rich color, relatively well-centered, Very Fine, only one sheet of 50 was printed with the inverted center, ex Balner, with 1996 A.P.S. certificate (not mentioning toning), Scott \$2,000.00..... E. 500-750
- 3395 ★ **1910, ½c Blue & Gray Blue, Center Inverted (160a).** Original gum, lightly hinged, excellent centering, fresh colors, Very Fine, ex Balner, signed Calves and with 1994 A.P.S. certificate, Scott \$1,000.00 E. 300-400
- 3396 ★ **1910, ½c Blue & Gray Blue, Center Inverted (160a).** Original gum, small h.r., well-centered, Very Fine, Scott \$1,000.00..... E. 300-400
- 3397 ★ **1910, 1c Blue Green & Black, Center Inverted (161a).** Original gum, fresh colors, Very Fine and quite scarce, Scott \$1,000.00..... E. 300-400



- 3398 ★ **1910, 2c Olive & Gray, Center Inverted (162a).** Original gum, lightly hinged, excellent centering, fresh colors, Very Fine, ex Balner, Scott \$800.00 E. 300-400
- 3399 ★ **1910, 2c Olive & Gray, Center Inverted (162a).** Original gum, lightly hinged, small perf thin at top, Very Fine appearance, Scott \$800.00 E. 200-300
- 3400 ★ **1910, 4c Dark Blue and Green, Center Inverted (164a).** Original gum, lightly hinged, rich colors, Very Fine, ex Balner, Scott \$650.00 E. 200-300
- 3401 ★ **1910, 4c Dark Blue and Green, Center Inverted (164a).** Original gum with the faintest trace of toning, excellent centering, Very Fine, signed Kneitchel, Scott \$650.00 E. 200-300
- 3402 ★ **1910, 5p Orange & Violet, Center Inverted (173a).** With selvage at bottom, original gum with faint trace of toning, bold colors, Fine and scarce, Scott \$750.00 E. 200-300
- 3403 ☐ **1930-31 Revolution, with “Muestra” Overprints (374S-398S).** Complete set of 25 values in blocks of four, peso values with selvage at bottom, original gum, most are lightly hinged on the top pair and Mint Never-Hinged on the bottom pair, a few light light offset on gum, Very Fine and not often seen in blocks.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 400-500
- 3404 ★ **1930, ½c-50p Revolution (374-375, 377-392).** Complete set less the 2c value, original gum, most with mild h.r., some lightly hinged, a few low values with light toned band on gum, the key Peso values are all fresh and Very Fine, Scott \$1,508.00(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 300-400

CHINA



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- 3405 ★ 1897, ½c-\$5.00 Imperial Post (86-97; Chan 92-103). \$5.00 in the Deep Green shade, original gum, h.r., a few shortish perfs typical of this issue, Fine, Scott \$5,534.00
(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 1,500-2,000



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- 3406 ★★田 1897, 50c Black Green Imperial Chinese Post, Error of Color (94a; Chan 100a). Mint N.H., block of four with interpanneau gutter at right, with deep color in the unmistakable Black Green shade

VERY FINE. A HANDSOME AND VERY RARE MINT NEVER-HINGED BLOCK OF FOUR OF THE 1897 50-CENTS BLACK GREEN.

Dr. Ma believes this is a color error using ink that was intended for the 10c value. According to M.D. Chow, there were only three sheets (240 stamps) of the Black Green stamp sold. Just a handful of blocks exist today.

Scott value of \$7,000.00 is simply as four hinged singles. E. 3,000-4,000



3407
front and back

- 3407 ✉ **1898 Registered Cover to Kiauchau.** 1c and 2c (single and strip of three) Waterlow (No. 99, 100) tied by Peking Dec. 16, 1898 large-dollar chops on cover sent to **the Kaiserliche III Seebataillon (German Marines) at Tsingtau, German Kiauchau**, "R" registration handstamp, large-dollar transit backstamps of Chefoo (Dec. 19) and Shanghai (Dec. 22), two strikes of German "Tsintau China" arrival backstamp (Dec. 28), vertical filed fold through the "R" handstamp and some insignificant edge wear

FINE. AN EXTREMELY RARE EARLY EXAMPLE OF INBOUND MAIL TO GERMANY'S KIAUCHAU LEASEHOLD DURING THIS FORERUNNER PERIOD. VERY LIKELY A UNIQUE ROUTING.

The routing of this cover is quite remarkable. Although Peking and Tsingtau are only 400 miles apart, this cover traveled 1,200 miles, but in only 12 days. It went from Peking through the Chinese transit system to Shanghai. From there it was carried to Tsingtau on the German-owned Jebsen Shipping Line's little known postal service that ran between Shanghai, Tsingtau, and Tientsin (see Friedemann, p. 5). This unusual route was due to the fact that Germany's Tsingtau post office was supposed to handle only foreign mail mainly to and from Germany, with no "postal" stops along the way. So despite the fact the Chefoo and Tsingtau are only 150 miles apart, there was no Chinese post mail service between the two.

The 9c franking includes 2c ordinary postage, plus 5c registration fee. The additional 2c may have been for a double-weight charge, but more likely a discreet form of charge for Jebsen's service from Shanghai to Tsingtau, which had been established in early 1898. The German marines arrived on Tsingtau on January 26, 1898 and on March 6, and the Kiauchau Leasehold Treaty was established on March 6. There was no postal arrangement between the Chinese postal service and German Kiauchau until the summer of 1899.

Any inward mail, especially registered, to Germany's Kiauchau Leasehold during this period is very rare, and this cover - from Peking via Chefoo to Shanghai, then privately carried to Tsingtau - is probably unique..... E. 4,000-5,000



- 3408 ★ 1898-1923, Dollar Values (108, 158, 159, 268; Chan 114, 164, 165, 271). No. 159 with original gum and minor h.r., other three with disturbed or tropicalized original gum, strong colors, \$1.00 with a few faintly toned perf tips at top, otherwise Fine-Very Fine, Scott \$2,050.00 (Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 400-500
- 3409 S 1898, \$1.00-\$5.00 Chinese Imperial Post, "Specimen" Overprint (120S-122S; Chan 113S-115S). Disturbed original gum, bright color, Fine-Very Fine (Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 300-400
- 3410 ★ 1900-06, \$5.00 Deep Green & Salmon, Unwatermarked (122; Chan 128). Original gum, lightly hinged, fresh colors, Fine, Scott \$875.00 E. 300-400
- 3411 ☒ 1911 Registered Cover from Kweisui Province to Kalgan. Franked on reverse with pair of 4c Red Waterlow (126) tied by Kweiwating postmark (Intercalary month, Day 12) on cover to Kalgan, boxed registration handstamp on front, Tatungfu transit backstamp (Day 16), Very Fine (Photo/Website PDF) E. 300-400
- 3412 ★ 1912, ½c-\$5.00 Statistical Department Overprints (146-160; Chan 152-166). Original gum except 50c no gum, low values lightly hinged, high values with h.r., bright colors, 2c with small thin, \$1.00 with short perfs at top, otherwise Fine-Very Fine, Scott \$1,828.00 (Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 500-750
- 3413 ★ 1912, \$5.00 Statistical Department (160; Chan 166). Original gum, lightly hinged, fresh and Very Fine, Scott \$825.00 E. 300-400
- 3414 ★ 1912, 1c-\$5.00 Sun Yat-sen (178-189; Chan 184-195). Original gum, lightly hinged, exceptionally fresh throughout, Very Fine, a select quality set, Scott \$1,984.00 (Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 750-1,000
- 3415 ★ 1912, 1c-\$5.00 Yuan Shih-kai (190-201; Chan 196-207). Original gum, most (including the \$5.00) lightly hinged, a few low values with h.r., strong colors, Very Fine set, Scott \$1,183.00 (Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 500-750



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- 3416 ★ **1912, 1c-\$5.00 Yuan Shih-kai (190-201; Chan 196-207).** Original gum, lightly hinged or with h.r., fresh colors, a few with trivial faint toned spots on gum, otherwise Fine-Very Fine, Scott \$1,183.00(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 400-500
- 3417 ★ **1913, 1/2c-\$10.00 Hall of Classics, London Printing (202-220; Chan 206-226).** Original gum, h.r.'s causing gum disturbance on some values, attractive colors, a few low values with small faults, Fine-Very Fine appearance, Scott \$4,283.00(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 750-1,000



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- 3418 ★ **1913, \$10.00 Yellow Green & Black, London Printing (220; Chan 226).** Original gum, h.r., well-centered with wide margins, bright color, a Very Fine example of this key high value, Scott \$2,350.00 E. 750-1,000
- 3419 ★ **1913, \$10.00 Yellow Green & Black, London Printing (220; Chan 226).** Original gum, lightly hinged, well-centered, strong colors, Very Fine, Scott \$2,350.00 E. 750-1,000



3420EX



- 3420 ★ **1915-19, 1/2c-\$20.00, First Peking Printing (221-242; Chan 227-248).** Tropicalized original gum, attractive colors
FINE-VERY FINE SET OF THE 1915-1919 FIRST PEKING PRINTING.
Scott \$9,145.00(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 2,000-3,000



- 3421 ★ 1923, ½c-\$20.00 Second Peking Printing (248-258, 260-269, 275-324; Chan 249/272). Complete less the 13c value, but includes both colors of the 4c and 6c, original gum, h.r. or disturbed gum, 6c brown with toned spots on gum, 50c with light crease, otherwise Fine-Very Fine, Scott \$2,216.00 E. 500-750
- 3422 ★★ 1923, \$20.00 Plum & Blue, Second Peking Printing (269; Chan 272). Mint N.H., vibrant colors, Fine, Scott as hinged \$1,200.00..... E. 500-750
- 3423 ★ 1923, \$20.00 Plum & Blue, Second Peking Printing (269; Chan 272). Original gum, faint trace of hinging, well-centered, Very Fine, Scott \$1,200.00..... E. 400-500
- 3424 ☒ 1935, 1c on 2c Junk (330). Vertical pair tied by Nanking Boy Scout Jamboree commemorative circular datestamps of Oct. 10, 1936 on local cover, Nanking postmark alongside and back-stamped, multicolored Scouting label affixed at left, Very Fine, an excellent piece of postal history for the Boy Scout topical collector..... E. 300-400
- 3425 ★★田 1940, 4c on 5c Green (440; Chan 480). Mint N.H. block of fifty, comprising the lower half of the sheet, with selvage at bottom and left, with "BYDAH" instead of "BY DAH" imprint, also printer's code 417, in addition there is the Double Tso error (No. 440r; Chan 480a) in position 28, Very Fine, while the "BYDAH" imprint variety is known on the unsurcharged stamp (and listed in the CSS catalogue as No. 468c), it is almost never found on the 4c Surcharge stamp, this may be one of only two known in a large multiple E. 300-400
- 3426 田 1943, \$1.00 Rose Red, Central Trust Printing, Perf 13 x 13½ (499 var; Chan 555 var.). Block of four with Chikhom Mar. 23, 1944 circular datestamp, originally part of a franking on a registered airmail cover sent from Kwangtung Province to Ventura, California, well-centered, Very Fine, an important recent discovery of a previously unknown perforation variety - previously the Perf 13½ variety was found only on the 50c value (Chan 558), a 1943 50c on 16c Perf 13 block of four (Scott No. 530) included for comparison..... E. 500-750



- 3427 ★田 1943, \$5.00 Lilac Gray Sun Yat-sen, Imperforate Horizontally (517 var; Chan 620j). Top right corner block of eight with accounting number, imperforate horizontally between stamps on in top margin, without gum as issued, faint natural paper wrinkle, Very Fine, one of the rarest part-perf varieties of the wartime period, only ten vertical strips believed produced, and this may be the only surviving block, certainly unique with the accounting number, Chan (2010) \$1,800.00 as two strips of four..... E. 750-1,000
- 3428 ★ 1943 50c on 16c Provincial Surcharges (527-530; Chan 628/641). Collection of 34 different stamps, all carefully examined and correctly identified, includes the key Anhwei "bars" and Chekiang "Arabic Numerals" (Scott Nos. 528b, 530g), seven Perf. 10½-11 varieties, and the rare General Post Office Perf 12, a perf variety found only with this surcharge but unlisted in Chan and not known on the unsurcharged 16c stamp, without gum as issued, Fine-Very Fine.....(Website PDF) E. 500-750
- 3429 ★ 1943, 50c on 16c, Hunan Surcharge, Perf 11 x 13 (530c var; Chan 647f var). Horizontal pair, without gum as issued, Very Fine, this compound perf variety is not listed in any catalogue, though it is found on other surcharged stamps, desirable in a pair where the contrast in perforations sizes is so evident E. 400-500
- 3430 ★田 1943, 50c on 16c East Szechwan Surcharge, Perf 11 x 13 (530f var; Chan 643c). Block of four, without gum as issued, fresh, Very Fine, while the Perf 11 x 13 is found on six of the 50c on 16c Surcharges, the East Szechwan's is rare, Chan is the only catalogue that lists it, they assign all compound perfs under one number (643c) and give them a generic price of \$350.00 each (\$1,400.00 for the block) E. 400-500
- 3431 1946, \$70.00 Rose Violet, Pin Perf (573 var; Chan 804a). Light face-free cancel, fresh and Fine, a scarce variety (noted as "Perf 16" in Chan) that is only priced (at \$900.00) unused E. 200-300



3432

3432 ★★田 1946, \$1.00 Dark Violet, \$2.00 Olive Green, Sun Yat-sen, Imperforate (631 var, 632 var; CSS 1002a, 1003d). Mint N.H. blocks of fifty comprising the bottom half of the sheet, with full selvage and "IB" imprint in bottom margin, some minor creasing and \$1.00 with a few toned spots on gum

VERY FINE. A REMARKABLE MATCHED SET OF MARGIN BLOCKS OF FIFTY OF THE ONLY TWO VALUES THAT COME IMPERFORATE.

This issue was printed at De La Rue in London, where quality control was very high. No other values from the series are known imperforate or part-perforate. The \$1.00 and \$2.00 Imperforate are the only known perforation errors. Listed in the recently published China Stamp Society Catalogue, they are modestly priced at \$150.00 per pair, or \$7,500.00 for the fifty pairs contained in these two blocks..... E. 3,000-4,000



3433 front and back

3433 ☒ 1948-49, \$100,00.00 on \$30,000.00 Chocolate (800B; Chan G35). Block of ten and pair tied on reverse by Ningpo May 14, 1949 circular datestamps on Airmail cover to **Hassan, India**, partial Hassan arrival backstamp, Fine, a very scarce multiple-franking of the \$100,000.00 Surcharge stamp, which was issued a few days before Silver Yuan currency was introduced, replacing the Gold Yuan, the GY\$1,200,000.00 total franking equates to 30c Silver Yuan currency, an underpayment of the 34c rate, but there was no postage due charged in China or India..... E. 200-300



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- 3434 ★ **1948, \$10,000.00 on \$20.00 Long Box Surcharge, Basic Stamp Printed on Both Sides (810 var; Chan 1066 var).** Without gum as issued, strong and slightly misaligned impression on reverse, fresh, Very Fine, a rare error that is not listed in Chan or Ma, only a handful are known, ex Lee Hill, although printed on both sides varieties are found with regularity on the 1945-46 Dah Tung Typographed set (Scott 589-592), no such varieties are recorded on the underlying 1946 Central Trust set (Scott 625-630)..... E. 300-400
- 3435 ★ **1948, \$50.00 on 30c Dull Vermilion, Perf 10 x 11 (876 var; Chan G62 var.).** Without gum as issued, well-centered, fresh color, Very Fine, a rare (and likely unique) unrecorded variety, Chan lists this stamps with perf, 13, 11, 10½ and 10 x 11, but this 10 x 11 is not listed in any catalogue..... E. 500-750
- 3436 ★田 **1949, \$50.00 on \$300.00 Green, Dah Yeh Surcharge, Double Surcharge (923a var; Chan G107A var).** Half-pane of 50 with selvage at top, bottom, and right, and printer' code in bottom selvage, **ten stamps (horizontal rows 5 and 6) with double surcharge,,** the two surcharges are nearly coincidental, position 4 (non-error) with minor crease, Very Fine, Chan erroneously lists the double surcharge on the typographed surcharge stamp (No. G107), but this is clearly the lithographed surcharge, and it is likely the double surcharge only comes on the lithographed surcharge, a rare error even as a single, these ten stamps may account for half of all extant copies..... E. 750-1,000
- 3437 ★ **1941, (\$2.00) Carmine & Yellow, Express Mail Stamp, Yellow Design Printed on Both Sides (E11 var; Ma E10a).** Selvage at right, without gum as issued, Very Fine, it is believed only one sheet of 85 was printed with the Yellow on the back E. 300-400
- 3438 (★) **1912, 2c Brown, Postage Due, Red Provisional Neutrality Overprint (J24 footnote; Chan DU5).** Prepared for use but not issued, unused (no gum), well-centered
 VERY FINE. AN IMPORTANT RARITY OF THE REPUBLIC PERIOD.
 LESS THAN 25 ARE BELEIVED TO EXIST.
 With 2007 Experts & Consultants certificate. Scott \$9,500.00
 E. 3,000-4,000
- 3439 **1919, 5c Postal Savings Stamp (CSS PS1).** Cancelled by fairly complete Peitung **July 5, 1919** circular datestamp, Very Fine, a recent discovery that is **the earliest known usage of any Chinese postal savings stamp**, all China catalogues state that postal savings stamps were first used in August 1919..... E. 400-500
- 3440 **Sinkiang, 1916-19, \$20.00 Yellow & Black (38; Chan PS38).** Portion of Tihwa circular datestamp, Very Fine, Scott \$875.00..... E. 300-400
- 3441 田 **Sinkiang, 1932, \$1.00-\$5.00 Sun Yat-sen, First Printing with London Overprint (95-97; Chan PS87-PS89).** Selvage blocks of four with Shufu/Kashgar c.t.o., still with original gum, Very Fine, Scott as used singles \$434.00(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 150-200
- 3442 ★ **Szechwan, 1949, On \$100.00 to On \$5,000.00, Registration (F1-F8; Chan SR1-SR8).** Without gum as issued, bright and fresh, Fine-Very Fine, a scarce set, Scott \$1,010.00
(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 300-400
- 3443 ★★田 **Japanese Occupation, Meng Chiang, 1942, 1c on 2c Olive Green (2N57; Ma NC746; CSS MK125).** Wide Type C overprint, Mint N.H. complete sheet of 50 with printer's code "1 62" in left margin, light natural gum bend affects five stamps, Very Fine, quite possibly the only surviving printer's code sheet that has survived, Scott \$2,750.00 as singles E. 400-500
- 3444 ★★田 **Japanese Occupation, Meng Chiang, 1942, 10c on 20c Ultramarine (2N59).** Mint N.H. block of 40 with printer's code "8 138 in right selvage, well-centered and exceptionally fresh, Very Fine, probably the largest known multiple, Scott \$3,400.00 as singles..... E. 400-500
- 3445 ★★田 **Japanese Occupation, Shantung, 1941, 20c Light Blue, Large Type II Overprint, Albino Overprint (6N56 var; Chan JN343 var.).** Sheet of 50 with printer's code in top margin and imprint in right margin, positions 42-44 with full or partial albino overprints, giving the appearance of "Shan" character omitted, complete overprint omitted (position 43), and "Tung" character partially omitted, most stamps Mint N.H. including the errors, Very Fine, not listed in any catalogue, this was most likely due to a foreign object on the sheet during the overprint process, in fact no overprint errors are listed for any value of this series, as quality control during printing was excellent, almost certainly unique and an important error for the specialist E. 500-750



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- 3446 ★ 1942, Japanese Occupation, North China, \$1.00 on \$2.00 Blue & Brown Red, Die III, Comb Perf (8N14 var; CSS NC28). Lightly hinged, choice centering, deep colors, Very Fine, a rare variety, probably only one sheet of 50 of the comb perforated stamp was printed E. 200-300
- 3447 1943, Japanese Occupation, North China, 4c on 8c Foreign Concessions, Perf 13½ (8N55 var; CSS NC76b). Top right corner selva block of nine with printer's code, **middle stamp with wide-spaced bottom characters** (which occurs only on position 19 in the sheet), stamps Mint N.H. (hinged in selva), well-centered, gum just slightly toned, Very Fine, probably only two sheets (100 stamps) that were perf 13½ instead of the usual perf 14 and this block is probably unique with the variety, listed but not priced in the China Stamp Society Catalogue..... E. 400-500
- 3448 ★田 Japanese Occupation, North China, 1945, \$10.00 Sage Green, Unoverprinted (8N116 var; Chan JNU54). Pane of 50 with selva at top and right, without gum as issued, position 3 with tiny fault, otherwise Fine-Very Fine, these were intended to receive the North China overprint (and after Japan's surrender overprints of the Northeastern Provinces), but a small number of sheets did not receive the overprint, these were printed in sheets of 200, but immediately separated into panes of 50, therefore this is the largest multiple possible and may be the only surviving pane, Chan \$2,500.00 (as fifty singles) E. 1,000-1,500
- 3449 ☒ 1946 Eastern Mongolia Autonomous Government Stampless Cover. Wang Ye Miao violet May 29 circular datestamp, sent to North Yantai Station in Liaoyang, Manchuria, slightly reduced at bottom affecting the handwritten address, otherwise Very Fine and rare, the Eastern Mongolia Autonomous Government in Hsingan Province lasted from January 1946 to May 1947 E. 400-500
- 3450 ★ SHANGHAI, 1893 ½c, 1c, and 2c Coat of Arms Wrappers (Livingston NW2-NW4). 20 complete sets of three (60 total) in original unfolded state, uniformly sound, fresh and Very Fine (Website Highlights PDF) E. 300-400

PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA

- 3451 ★田 1952, \$400.00 Gymnastics (141-150; Yang S14-S53). Blocks of four, without gum as issued, bright colors, Very Fine and exceptionally fresh overall, Scott \$1,400.00 (Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 750-1,000
- 3452 ★ 1963, 4f-50f Butterflies (661-680; Yang S285-S304). Complete set of 20, without gum as issued, wonderfully fresh overall, Very Fine, Scott \$500.00 (Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 300-400



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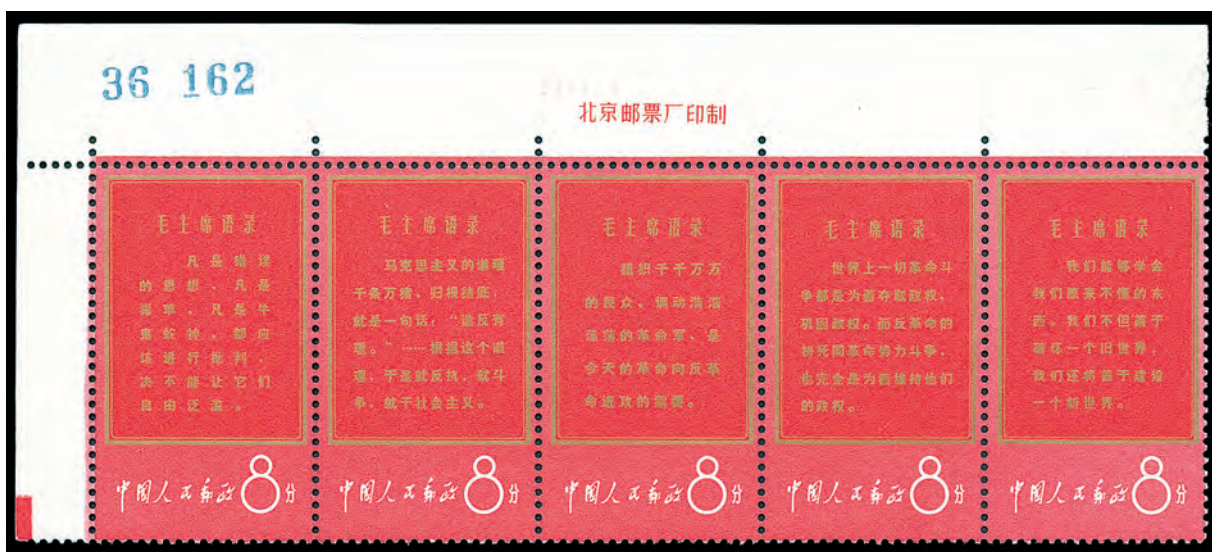


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- 3453 ★★ 1960, 4f-8f Goldfish (506-517; Yang S182-S193). Mint N.H., excellent colors, bright and fresh, Very Fine and surprisingly scarce this pristine, Scott \$1,070.00(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 750-1,000
- 3454 ★★ 1964, 4f-52f Chinese Peonies (767-781; Yang S336-S350). Mint N.H., bold colors on bright paper, Very Fine and choice set, Scott \$584.50(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 300-400



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- 3455 ★★ 1967, 8f Thoughts of Mao (938, 943a, 948a; Yang W1). Mint N.H. single and two strips of five, both strips are **unfolded**, No. 943a with **top left corner imprint selvage**, Very Fine and in unusually fresh condition without the tarnishing typically encountered, Scott \$4,825.00.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 1,500-2,000
- 3456 ★★ 1968, 8f Literature & Art (982-990; Yang W28-W36). Mint N.H., bright and fresh overall, Very Fine, Scott \$1,440.00(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 750-1,000



3457

- 3457 ★★ 1980, 8f Monkey (1586; Yang T234). Mint N.H. horizontal pair with selvage at right showing colored circles, faint black offset (very faint on right stamp) on reverse as usual, Very Fine, Scott \$3,800.00 as two singles E. 1,500-2,000



3458



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- 3458 ☒ DENMARK, 1926-29, 150, 500, 1kr Air Post (C2, C4, C5; Facit 214, 216, 217). Tied by Copenhagen 14.4.32 Air Post circular datestamps on Zeppelin flown cover to Buenos Aires, Argentina, on the 1932 South America flight (Sieger 150), Berlin connecting flight cachet tied two stamps, gold flight cachet, Buenos Aires backstamp, Very Fine and particularly desirable with both of the high values on one cover..... E. 300-400
- 3459 ★ FINLAND, 1930, 10m Gray Lilac, Zeppelin Air Post, "1830" for "1930" Error (C1a; Facit 165v). Vertical se-tenant pair with selvage at bottom, top stamp the error from position 86, original gum, barely hinged at top, wonderfully fresh colors on bright paper, Very Fine, the error was discovered only after about 300 sheets had been distributed, with 2009 Sismondo certificate as Mint N.H., Scott \$3,250.00, Facit SK 25,000 E. 1,000-1,500

FRANCE AND COLONIES



3460EX

- 3460 ★ **1870-71, 1c-80c Bordeaux, Rouletted (38 var-48 var; Yvert 39 var-49 var; Maury 39P1-49P1).** Complete set of nine values (20c Type II) with “perces en ligne” all around, original gum, lightly hinged, bright colors

VERY FINE AND RARE SET OF THE 1870-71 BORDEAUX ISSUE WITH ROULETTED PERFORATIONS.

With 2006 von der Weid set certificate. Unlisted in Scott. Listed but priced only on cover in Yvert. Maury €4,685.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 1,500-2,000



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- 3461 ★★ **1872, 80c Rose on Pinkish Paper (63; Yvert 57).** Mint N.H., intense proof-like color and impression, Fine, seldom encountered in this pristine never-hinged condition, signed Roumet and others, catalogue values are as hinged, Scott \$640.00, Yvert €1,200..... E. 200-300
- 3462 田 **1900, 5fr Dark Blue & Buff, “Specimen” Overprint (130S; Yvert 123-CI 3; Maury 68).** Mint N.H. bottom left corner selva block of four, deep rich colors, fresh and Fine, a handsome block, signed Roumet and with his 2021 certificate, Yvert €1,800 as singles..... E. 500-750
- 3463 **Offices in Zanzibar, 1904, 25c & 2½a on 1a on 10c Rose Red, Inverted Surcharge (56a; Yvert 64a).** Tied on small piece by well-struck Zanzibar Jul. 22, 1904 double-circle date stamp, bold color, Very Fine, a rare and visual surcharge error, signed A. Brun and Miro, Scott \$1,500.00, Yvert €1,600 E. 500-750



- 3464 **Offices in Zanzibar, 1904, 25c & 2½ on 3a on 30c Lilac (57; Yvert 65).** Tied on small piece by July 1904 double-circle datestamp, deep rich color, Very Fine, one of the key rarities of Offices in Zanzibar with **only 50 printed**, all known examples are used, signed A. Brun and Scheller, Scott \$2,400.00, Yvert €2,600 E. 750-1,000
- 3465 **Offices in Zanzibar, 1904, 1½ on 15c Green, Red Bars Across “Chiffre” and “Taxe” (62; Yvert 70).** Tied on small piece by Zanzibar Jul. 22, 1904 double-circle datestamp, well-centered, bright color, Very Fine, only 150 printed (all known used), signed A. Brun, Scheller and others, Scott \$1,000.00, Yvert €1,100 E. 300-400
- 3466 ★ **Offices in Zanzibar, 1897, 2½ on 50c Lilac, Postage Due, Error of Value (J5a; Yvert TT5a).** Original gum, small h.r., bright color, Fine and scarce, signed A. Brun, Scott \$1,400.00, Yvert €1,500 E. 400-500
- 3467 ★★田 **FRENCH SOUTHERN & ANTARTIC TERRITORIES, 1968, 20fr Albatross (28; Yvert 24).** Mint N.H. left selvage block of four, fresh and Very Fine, the key stamp of the territory, Scott \$1,120.00, Yvert €2,220 E. 300-400
- 3468 ★★ **GERMANY, 1933, Nothilfe Souvenir Sheet (B58; Michel Block 2).** Mint N.H., exceedingly fresh, stamps well-centered, for strict accuracy we note a couple very minor paper bends (the position of Schlegel's handstamp suggests he thought the sheet was sound), Very Fine and in far better condition than the vast majority, which usually have mounting bends, creases or other faults, signed Schlegel BPP, Scott \$4,500.00, Michel €6,000 E. 1,000-1,500

ICELAND

- 3469 ★ **1873, 2s-16s, Imperforate (1a-4a; Facit 1v2-4v2).** Without gum as issued, large margins, bright colors, Very Fine, with 2021 Moller certificate (befund), Scott \$2,000.00, Facit SK 17,500 (Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 400-500
- 3470 ★ **1902-03, 6a Gray, Inverted Black “I Gildi” Overprint, Perf 13 (53a; Facit 52v1).** Original gum, attractive color, Fine, a scarce error, with 2021 Moller certificate, Scott \$800.00, Facit SK 7,000 ... E. 200-300
- 3471 **1873, 4s Green, Official (O1; Facit Tj1).** Light Reykjavik cancelled-to-order circular datestamp, small repair at bottom (improved perforation), Fine appearance, with 2021 Moller certificate, Scott \$2,250.00, Facit SK 20,000 E. 200-300



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- 3472 **1902-03, 3a Yellow, Black “I Gildi” Overprint, Perf 14 x 13½, Official, Thick Paper (O25; Facti Tj15b).** Reykjavik 1902 postmark, Very Fine, seldom encountered postally used, with 2021 Moller certificate in which he notes “this stamp is rarely seen with a dated postmark with year”, Scott \$1,400.00, Facit SK 12,000 E. 400-500
- 3473 **1902-03, 10a Blue, Black “I Gildi” Overprint, Perf 14 x 13½, Official (O27; Facit Tj17).** Excellent centering, partial Saudarkrokur circular datestamp, Very Fine and choice, with 2021 Moller certificate, Scott \$750.00, Facit SK 6,500 E. 200-300

ITALIAN STATES



3474

- 3474 ☒ **Naples, 1858, 1g Carmine Lake (2c; Sassone 4c).** Block of four and strip of three, mostly huge margins all around, ample at bottom right of strip, all cancelled and tied by five strikes of “Annullato” boxed handstamp with red Naples Jan. 5, 1861 despatch circular datestamp at right on folded cover to Messina, clearly struck red “Tassa per affrancatura insufficiente” handstamp at bottom with manuscript “3” for postage due as rate was 10g, cover missing side flap and some sensible reinforcement along folds

EXTREMELY FINE. A REMARKABLE USE OF A BLOCK AND STRIP OF THREE OF THE 1858 ONE-GRANA ON UNDERPAID COVER TO MESSINA.

Ex Provera and from the collection of Arthur S. Przybyl. With 1984 E. Diena certificate E. 1,500-2,000



3476

- 3476 ★★田 **Parma, 1857, 9c Black on Thin Blue, Unissued, Newspaper Tax (PR2a; Sassone 2A).** Mint N.H. bottom right sheet margin block of sixteen, other margins large to just barely touching at top left, position 1 showing broken "M" in "Centesimi" and position 4 showing short "A" in "Stati" (positions 39 and 42 of pane), strong impressions on fresh paper, two small toned spots on gum and few natural paper translucencies, still Very Fine, *from the collection of Arthur S. Przybyl*, with 2012 J.F. Brun certificate (as Sassone 2), catalogued as hinged singles, Scott \$1,440.00, Sassone €4,100 E. 500-750



3475

- 3475 ★ **Parma, 1859, 80c Bister (16b; Sassone 18a).** Position 34, original gum, h.r., large to ample margins all around, strong color, Very Fine, a rare original gum stamp, especially in sound condition with full margins, *from the collection of Arthur S. Przybyl*, with 1997 Sorani certificate, Scott \$9,100.00, Sassone €20,000 E. 750-1,000



3477

- 3477 ☒ **Romagna, 1859, 1/2b Black on Straw, Half Used as 1/2b (1a; Sassone 1).** Horizontal strip of three with right stamp bisected diagonally leaving the top left half, other margins mostly large to ample all around, tied across the cut by two strikes of "Argenta" straightline cancel on reverse of 1859 folded letter to Ferrara, Ferrara Nov. 15, 1859 arrival datestamp

EXTREMELY FINE. A REMARKABLE AND EXCEPTIONALLY RARE BISECT OF THE 1/2-BAJOCCHI USED WITH TWO NORMAL STAMPS TO MAKE UP THE 5-CENTS RATE. ONLY A FEW ARE THOUGHT TO EXIST.

Beginning in 1859, the calculation of bajocchi to centesimi was 1/2b to 2c. To make up the 5c rate, this cover used two 1/2b (4c) plus the bisect (as 1/2b or 1c). A major Italian States bisect rarity which is missing from even the most advanced collections.

Ex Provera and *from the collection of Arthur S. Przybyl*. Signed E. Diena. With 1996 Raybaudi and 1997 Sorani certificates. Sassone €110,000 E. 7,500-10,000



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- 3478 **Roman States, 1852, ½b Black on Blue Gray, Vertical Tête-Bêche Pair (1f; Sassone 1f).** Large margins to just touching outer frameline on two sides, cancelled by **grid cancels** and pen stroke

VERY FINE. AN EXCEPTIONALLY RARE VERTICAL TÊTE-BÊCHE PAIR OF THE 1852 ½-BAJOCCHI FIRST ISSUE. ONLY A SMALL HANDFUL ARE THOUGHT TO EXIST FROM THE EARLY PRINTINGS.

Ex King Carol of Romania and from the collection of Arthur S. Przybyl. With 1977 E. Diena certificate, stating this is the only example he is aware of with the grid cancel. Scott \$30,000.00. Sassone €60,000 E. 4,000-5,000



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- 3479 ★ **Roman States, 1852, 4b Black on Gray Brown (5c; Sassone 5).** Original gum, mild h.r., large to ample margins on three sides, just touching outer frameline at left, strong impression, Very Fine and scarce original gum example, from the collection of Arthur S. Przybyl, signed Champion and with 1978 E. Diena certificate, Scott \$11,500.00, Sassone €35,000..... E. 1,500-2,000
- 3480 ☒ **Roman States, 1852, 6b Black on Grayish Green, Half Used at 3b (7e; Sassone 7).** Right half tied across cut by grid cancel with "Ferentino" straightline cancel at right on petite 1860 folded cover to Rome, Rome arrival backstamp, Very Fine and choice example of this scarce bisect, ex Provera and from the collection of Arthur S. Przybyl, signed E. Diena, Scott \$4,250.00, Sassone €8,000 E. 400-500



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- 3481 ★ **Roman States, 1864, 50b Deep Blue (Worn Impression) (10a; Sassone 12).** Original gum, lightly hinged, three full margins, clear at left, exceptionally bold color on fresh paper
VERY FINE. A RARE ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE 1864 50-BAJOCCHI DEEP BLUE, SCOTT NO. 10A.

From the collection of Arthur S. Przybyl. With 2012 Bolaffi and 2018 Caffaz certificates. Scott \$21,500.00. Sassone €65,000 E. 3,000-4,000



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- 3482 ★ **Roman States, 1867, 3c Black on Lilac Gray (13a; Sassone 14).** Original gum, lightly hinged, large margins showing framelines on each side, strong impression on fresh paper, small natural oil spot in far left margin (not mentioned on certificate), Very Fine, *from the collection of Arthur S. Przybyl, with 1972 A. Diena certificate, Scott \$3,250.00, Sassone €7,000..... E. 400-500*

- 3483 ☒ **Roman States, 1867, 40c Black on Yellow (17; Sassone 19).** Huge margins all around showing all eight framelines, tied by grid cancel with corresponding "Roma 24 Gen. 68" double-circle datestamp at center of folded cover to Riva, Verona and Roveredo transit and Riva arrival backstamps, Extremely Fine, a spectacular single franking use, surprisingly rare with all eight framelines, ex Provera and *from the collection of Arthur S. Przybyl, signed A. Diena and Raybaudi, with 1983 E. Diena certificate, Sassone €9,750 E. 500-750*



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- 3484 ☒ **Sardinia, 1853, 40c Pale Rose (6; Sassone 6).** With sheet margin at left, other sides large, used with 1855-57, 5c Emerald (10c; Sassone 13d), two slightly overlapping singles, large to ample margins, all tied by clear strikes of "Graglia 18 Mar 57" double-circle datestamps on large part of folded cover to **Grenoble, France**, red "P.D." handstamp, Turin and Biella transit backstamps, cover missing parts of flaps and sensibly reinforced along folds
VERY FINE AND CHOICE. AN EXTRAORDINARILY SCARCE USE OF BOTH ISSUES PAYING THE PREPAID POSTAGE RATE TO FRANCE.
Ex Provera and from the collection of Arthur S. Przybyl. Signed Calves. With 1988 E. Diena certificate. Sassone €37,500..... E. 3,000-4,000
- 3485 ☒ **Sicily, 1859, 1/2g Orange (10; Sassone 1a).** Four singles, each with large balanced margins, each tied by fancy frame cancel with "Messina 1859, 30 Apre" two-line datestamp at right on folded cover to **Riposto**
EXTREMELY FINE. A HANDSOME USE OF FOUR EXAMPLES OF THE 1/2-GRANNA PAYING THE 2-GRANNA DOMESTIC RATE.
Ex Rothschild, Provera, and from the collection of Arthur S. Przybyl. With 1988 E. Diena certificate E. 2,000-3,000
- 3486 ☒ **Sicily, 1859, 1g Olive Green, Plate 3, 5g Brownish Red, Plate 1 (12, 14; Sassone 5a, 9d).** Each example with large to ample margins, tied by fancy frame cancel with corresponding Palermo Apr. 1859 circular datestamp at center of registered folded cover to **Girgenti**, oval "Assicurata" handstamp
VERY FINE AND CHOICE. A RARE AND PRISTINE REGISTERED COVER WITH THE 1859 ONE-GRANNA AND 5-GRANNA EXAMPLES.
Ex Provera and from the collection of Arthur S. Przybyl. With 1986 E. Diena certificate..... E. 1,500-2,000

AN ABSOLUTELY STUNNING FOUR-COLOR FRANKING
INCLUDING THE KEY 50-GRANA VALUE



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- 3487 ☒ Sicily, 2g Blue (Plate 1), 5g Deep Rose, 20g Slate Black, 50g Dark Brown Red (13, 14, 17a, 18; Sassone 6a, 9, 13c, 14). Slightly overlapping singles of each, large to full margins all around, tied by fancy frame cancels with corresponding Messina Feb. 21, 1859 two-line datestamp at right of folded cover to Genoa, red "Piroscafi Postali Francesi" three-line handstamp, Genoa arrival backstamp

EXTREMELY FINE. A TRULY REMARKABLE, AND STUNNINGLY BEAUTIFUL, FOUR-COLOR FRANKING WITH THE KEY 50-GRANA IN SUPERB CONDITION FROM MESSINA TO GENOA. A HIGHLIGHT FOR ANY ITALIAN STATES COLLECTION OR AWARD-WINNING EXHIBIT.

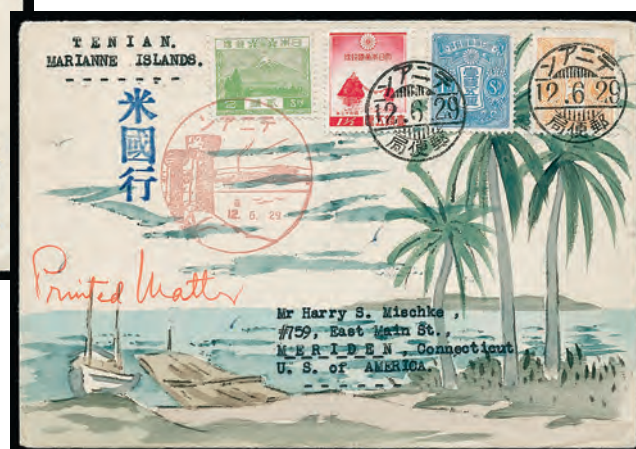
Ex Provera and from the collection of Arthur S. Przybyl. With 1973 A. Diena and 1984 E. Diena certificate E. 15,000-20,000



- 3488 **Tuscany, 1857, 1s Yellow (11; Sassone 11).** Ample to clear margins on all four sides, excellent color, diamond grid cancel, fresh and Very Fine, *from the collection of Arthur S. Przybyl*, with 2008 Sorani certificate, Scott \$6,250.00, Sassone €11,000..... E. 500-750
- 3489 ★ **ITALIAN EAST AFRICA, 1941 10c on 5c - 10l on 5l “British Occupation” Unissued Set (Sassone 1-9).** Original gum, lightly hinged, few Mint N.H. including key 10l on 5l, bright colors, Very Fine, these were printed in Mogadishu but never issued by the British authorities, most were destroyed, each signed A. Diena, 10l on 5l with 1978 Bolaffi certificate, Sassone €5,000(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 500-750
- 3490 田 **ITALY, 1922, 10c-40c Philatelic Congress (142A-142D; Sassone 123-126).** Block of four of each, along with pair of 1921 15c Victory, tied by 8.6.22 Philatelic Congress cancels on letterhead of the Philatelic Congress, label also tied, a few stamps with faint toned spots on perf tips
FINE-VERY FINE. A RARE SET OF USED BLOCKS OF FOUR OF THE 1922 PHILATELIC CONGRESS SET.
With clear 2007 Caffaz certificate. Catalogue values are simply as used blocks of four. Scott \$8,000.00. Sassone €11,000 E. 1,500-2,000
- 3491 ㊟ **ITALY, 1934, 2l-10l, Rome-Buenos Aires Air Post (C52-C55; Sassone A56-A59).** Set used on three flown covers, all tied by Rome 26.1.34 circular datestamps, proper flight cachets and Buenos Aires flight backstamps, 10l stamp with just a tiny bit on perf tip toning, otherwise Fine-Very Fine, just as used stamps they catalogue \$910.00 in Scott and €1,250 in Sassone(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 300-400
- 3492 **JAPAN, 1874, 1s Blue, Syllabic 9 “ri” (33).** Plate 2, position 1 (showing usual pinhole at top left of design), cancelled by clear **Yokohama foreign-mail circular datestamp** of June 24, showing serif month and 10 AM time indicia, fresh color, Fine, no year date is found on this cancel, but covers with it are recorded from Jan. 8 to Oct. 11, 1875, the foreign mail postmark is very rare on the 1-sen value E. 200-300



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- 3493 ☒ **JAPAN, 1934 Karl Lewis Hand-painted Cover.** Two 3s and one 4s stamp tied by commemorative cancels on cover **from Toei, Korea** to the U.S., scene depicts trees and mountains, Very Fine..... E. 200-300
- 3494 ☒ **JAPAN, 1937 Karl Lewis Cover.** 1s, two 1½s, 2s stamps tied by commemorative cancel or June 29 circular datestamp on cover **from Tinian, Marianas** to U.S.A, colorful scene depicts a Marianas beach, Very Fine E. 200-300



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- 3495 **KIAUCHAU, 1905, \$2½ Slate & Carmine, 26 x 17 Holes (32; Michel 27A).** Perfect centering, fresh colors, two strikes of Tsingtau 21.3.10 circular datestamp
EXTREMELY FINE. A SUPERB AND RARE USED EXAMPLE OF THE 1905 2½-DOLLAR KAISER YACHT UNWATERMARKED.
With 2021 Jaschke-Lantelme certificate. Scott \$5,000.00. Michel €6,000 .. E. 2,000-3,000



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front and back

- 3496 ☒ **KOREA, 1895, 5p Yellow Green, First Printing (6a).** Seven, along with 1900 3ch Orange Red, Perf 10 (21e), all tied by Taegu May 7, 1901 postmarks on **illustrated cover** to Santa Ana, California, Korean "Fusan Coree" foreign-mail postmark (May 9) and Japanese Post Office "Fusan" bisected-circle in red and partial Yokohama transits, Santa Ana arrival postmark of June 6, a few of the 5p stamps with minor pre-affixing wrinkles

FINE. AN EXTRAORDINARILY RARE COVER WITH THE 1895 5-POON FIRST PRINTING. PROBABLY THE ONLY FOREIGN-MAIL COVER, AND LIKELY THE LARGEST MULTIPLE-FRANKING.

Korea joined the U.P.U. on January 1, 1900. From that point on, Korean stamps were valid on foreign mail. On the same date, the currency changed from Poon to Chon and Won, and earlier stamps denominated in Poon were accepted at the rate of 5 poon = 1 chon. The remaining supply were surcharged 1 chon (Scott 15B). The unsurcharged Poon stamps continued to be accepted at the converted rate. The seven 5 poon stamps were treated as 7 chon, plus the 3 chon stamp, correctly paid the 10-chon foreign mail rate.

Only a tiny number of covers with the 5-poon First Printing have survived. E. 2,000-3,000



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- 3497 ☒ **KOREA, 1900, 2c Blue, 3ch Orange Red, Perf 10 (20, 21e).** Pair of each tied on reverse by Chemulpo Coree Jan. 27, 1900 foreign-mail circular datestamps on cover **to Annaberg, Germany**, sent via Shanghai with French Post Office "Shang-Hai" transit (Feb. 3), Annaberg arrival back-stamp (Mar. 10) also ties the 3ch stamp, the stamps were damaged upon opening, but have been nearly restored, cover with a few minor pinholes not affecting stamps or markings, Fine appearance, despite its faults, this is a highly important and rare cover for several reasons: it is believed to be the earliest known U.P.U.-period foreign mail cover from Korea and thereby the earliest known foreign mail cover franked solely with Korean stamps; the earliest known cover franked at a postage rate of the newly introduced currency (on Jan. 1, 1900 Korea changed from Poon to Chons & Wons); the earliest known example of the new foreign mail postmark type; the earliest known cover from Korea routed through the French post office in Shanghai; and possibly the only extant first-month example of any Plum Blossom stamps.....(Photo/Website PDF) E. 750-1,000



- 3498 ✉ **LUXEMBOURG, 1931 Polar Flight (Sieger 129).** 75c, 1fr, 1¼fr and 1½fr Air Post tied by Luxembourg 14 Sep 31 circular datestamps, mixed franking with **Germany 4m Polar-Fahrt Zeppelin stamp** tied by Friedrichshafen 18 Sep 31 circular datestamp, flight cachet and Recife backstamp, Very Fine, an unusual combination posting not listed in Sieger, ex Panamarenko..... E. 150-200

MEXICO

- 3499 **1866, 25c Orange (29).** Toluca 9. 1866 and 13. 1866 overprints, horizontal pair, large margins to in at bottom left, cancelled by ornate oval "FRANCO SULTEPEC", Fine-Very Fine, a striking pair, ex Garcia Larranaga..... E. 300-400
- 3500 ★田 **1872, 12c Black on Green, "Anotado" Overprint (72).** Veracruz 2-71 overprint, block of eight, original gum, top stamps h.r., three stamps in the bottom row Mint N.H., mostly large margins, fresh color, horizontal crease between stamps, light vertical crease in left pair, bottom left stamp with small trivial stain, Very Fine appearance, with clear 1975 Mepsi certificate, Scott \$680.00 as eight hinged singles..... E. 200-300
- 3501 **1875-77, 100c Carmine, Papel Sellado Wmk. (116).** Horizontal strip of seven, two stamps (positions 5 and 6) show the watermark, while the other five stamps are unwatermarked (No. 111), Tlaxcala 1381 overprints, blue grid cancels, Fine, a showpiece "se-tenant" multiple, with two stamps having the scarce watermark..... E. 300-400
- 3502 TC **1895, 1c-1p "Black Mulitas" Trial Colors (242 var-256 var).** Mint N.H., unusually fresh, Very Fine, not easy to find in this choice Mint Never-Hinged condition..... (Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 200-300



- 3503 ★ **1914, 1c-10c Torreon Issue (362-366).** 1c tied on piece, 2c, 5c and 10c Mint N.H., 4c lightly hinged, 2c position 50, 10c position 49, typical centering, bright colors, Fine-Very Fine, only 300 of the 2c, 4c and 10c were printed, 1c, 2c, 5c and 10c signed on the back, 4c with 1978 Mepsi certificate, all were purchased at a Follansbee auction, Scott \$1,925.00(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 500-750
- 3504 ★ **1915, 20c Rose & Blue, Villa Monogram (445).** Part original gum, attractive colors, small toned spots in the left margin, otherwise Fine, a very rare stamp and the key value of the Villa Monogram series, with 1995 Mepsi certificate, Scott \$1,000.00 E. 200-300
- 3505 ★ **1916, 15c Lavender and Claret (516).** Original gum, lightly hinged, well-centered, Extremely Fine, a most elusive stamp, signed Aguirre and with 1980 Mepsi certificate, Scott \$775.00 E. 200-300
- 3506 ★★田 **Sinaloa, 1929, 20c Black, Red & Gray, Inverted Center (2a).** Mint N.H. bottom right corner selvage block of four, remarkably fresh, Fine-Very Fine, a showpiece error block, Scott as four hinged singles \$2,400.00 E. 750-1,000
- 3507 田 **Yucatan, 1924, 10c Carmine (2).** Block of six with sheet margin at bottom, Merida circular datestamp cancels, large margins, bright color, vertical crease between first two columns, otherwise Very Fine, **the largest recorded used block of this stamp**, the only other recorded block is of four, with clear 1996 Mepsi certificate E. 400-500

END OF SESSION THREE

The Richard Clever Gold-Medal Exhibit Collection of Mongolia

A Brief Introduction to Mongolian Postal History

Mongolia has often been regarded as an isolated place, but overland trade routes have linked Mongolia to China and Europe for 2,000 years. Confusion has been compounded by the names Outer Mongolia and Inner Mongolia. The latter actually refers to a region comprised of several provinces of China. One of its principal cities, traditionally known as Kalgan, is 300 miles to the Mongolian border.

Initially, postal service in Mongolia was limited to private or government courier services. Around 1875, Imperial Russia established its first postal agency in Mongolia, and eventually at least six more. They closed in 1920. When the Trans-Siberian Railway opened in 1903, it ushered in a new era of Mongolia's relations with the rest of the world. Kalgan became a major Chinese transit and destination point for mail from Mongolia to China.

Imperial China opened its first post office in Mongolia in 1910, soon establishing special postal rates for Mongolia. These offices closed in 1920, so the Russian and Chinese postal agencies operated concurrently for ten years. During that time, China's 1911 revolution overthrew the Ching Dynasty, establishing the Chinese Republic. Four years later, Yuan Shih-kai set himself up as emperor. These changes are reflected in Mongolia covers of the period.

In 1921, Mongolia declared itself an independent nation with its own postal system but did not issue stamps until the summer of 1924. Although Mongolia was not a member of the Universal Postal Union, foreign-mail franked with its stamps was accepted without further postage charged by all nations, with one major exception – China. For nearly all covers sent to China from Mongolia, additional Chinese stamps were applied and canceled in transit. This created a vast array of attractive combination frankings, none of which were philatelically inspired. Such covers have always appealed to China collectors, especially if they include Postage Due stamps.

Our descriptions have drawn heavily on two important books, *Stamps and Postal History of Mongolia* by Meiso Mizuhara (1983) and *The Postal History of Mongolia 1841-1941* by Wolfgang Hellrigl (2011). Hellrigl's book is currently the standard reference work for Mongolia.

We have arranged the sale chronologically as follows:

- Russian Post Offices in Mongolia
- Chinese Influence in Mongolia
- Chinese Post Offices in Mongolia
- Independent Mongolia Postal History
- Mongolian Stamps

Balance lots can be found in our Collections and Accumulations section (lots 3786-3795).

Many of the covers are illustrated on both sides in this catalogue. When only the one side is illustrated, an image of the other side can be found on our website.

SESSION FOUR (LOTS 3508-3704)
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 2, 2021, AT 1:30 P.M.

RUSSIAN POST OFFICES IN MONGOLIA



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- 3508 ☒ **1887(ca.) Cover to Peking.** Russia 7k Blue (25) tied on reverse by Urga July 10 double-oval datestamp (year omitted) on cover to Peking, "Dunfuyu Trading Co. Peking" oval handstamp, Fine.....(Photo/Website PDF) E. 400-500
- 3509 ☒ **1887(ca) Cover to Kalgan.** Russia 7k Blue (25) tied on reverse by Urga Nov. 30 double-oval datestamp (year omitted) on cover to Kalgan, red "Dunfuyu Trading Col. Peking" boxed handstamp, minor edge wear, Fine(Photo/Website PDF) E. 400-500
- 3510 ☒ **1897 Double-Weight Cover to Peking.** Pair of Russia 25k Blue (50) tied on reverse by April 25 Urga circular datestamps on cover to Peking, red "Dunfuyu Trading Co. Peking" boxed handstamp, envelope with some minor wrinkling, otherwise Very Fine....
.....(Photo/Website PDF) E. 300-400



- 3511 ☒ **1897(ca.) Multi-Weight Cover to Peking.** Three Russia 7k Blue (50) tied on reverse by Urga circular datestamp (indistinct dates) on cover to Peking, Very Fine, this was either a double-weight registered cover or triple-weight cover ...**(Photo/Website PDF)** E. 300-400
- 3512 ☒ **1901 Cover to Peking.** Russia 3k Red, 4k Red (41, 48) tied by Urga Sept. 7 circular datestamp on cover to Peking, Very Fine and attractive use.**(Photo/Website PDF)** E. 200-300
- 3513 ☒ **1901 Picture Postcard to Sweden.** Russia 5k Violet (49) tied by Urga Nov. 29 circular datestamp on picture postcard with town of Irkutsk to Sweden, indistinct Russian transit postmark on picture side, Stockholm arrival datestamp of Dec. 23, Fine and scarce usage of the 5k stamp as overpayment of the 4k postcard rate **(Photo/Website PDF)** E. 300-400
- 3514 ☒ **1905 Quadruple-Weight Cover.** Four Russia 7k Blue (59) tied on reverse by Urga Oct. 9 circular datestamps on cover to Kalgan, China, some light wear on the front, otherwise Fine, a very scarce quadruple-weight usage.....**(Photo/Website PDF)** E. 200-300
- 3515 ☒ **1905 Cover to Kalgan.** Russia 1k Orange (pair), 7k Blue (46, 59) tied on reverse by Urga Oct. 16 circular datestamps on cover to Kalgan, China, red "Dunfuyu Trading Co. Peking" handstamp, Very Fine, there seems to be no obvious explanation for this cover's 9-kopec total franking, but the Mizuhara collection contained an identically franked 1903 cover, signed Dr. Orth BPP**(Photo/Website PDF)** E. 300-400
- 3516 ☒ **1905 Cover To Kalgan.** Russia 1k Orange (55) strip of three, 2k Green (56) pair, tied on reverse by Urga Dec. 20 circular datestamp on cover to Kalgan, China, opened for display, Fine E. 400-500



- 3517 ☒ **1906 Cover to Kalgan.** Russia 7k pair tied on reverse by Jan. 6 Urga circular datestamp, Very Fine, signed Holcombe(Photo/Website PDF) E. 200-300
- 3518 ☒ **1906 Double-Weight Cover.** Russia 10k Blue & Rose (61) tied on reverse by Urga May 17 circular datestamp on cover to Kalgan, China, opened for display, Fine, a scarce single franking, as most double-weight covers used two 7k stamps..... E. 300-400
- 3519 ☒ **1906 Double-Weight Cover.** Russia 7k Blue (59) tied to reverse by Urga Oct. 9 circular datestamps, red directional handstamp, recipient's docketing also ties the stamps, Very Fine, probably a double-weight cover, but could have been a registered cover(Photo/Website PDF) E. 200-300
- 3520 ☒ **1908 Double-Weight Cover.** Russian Offices in China 7k (6) pair tied on reverse by Urga Apr. 6 circular datestamps on cover to Kalgan, China, mining company's red handstamp, Very Fine and attractive use of the Kitai overprint, which was never on sale at Russian post offices in Mongolia, but allowed as postage when applied by the sender.....(Photo/Website PDF) E. 300-400
- 3521 ☒ **1908 Double-Weight Cover.** Russia 2k Green, 5k Violet, 7k Blue (47, 49, 50) tied on reverse by Urga June 29 circular datestamps in a distinct **blue gray** color on cover to Kalgan, China, a little insect damage well away from stamps and markings, opened for display, Fine, Hellrigl recorded only one example of the Urga postmark in blue-gray (from Feb. 5, 1906) E. 500-750



- 3522 ☒ **1908 Cover to Kalgan.** Russian Offices in China 7k (6) tied on reverse by Urga Oct. 12 circular datestamps on cover to Kalgan, China, scarce use of the Kitai overprint, which was never on sale at Russian post offices in Mongolia, but allowed as postage when applied by the sender(Photo/Website PDF) E. 400-500
- 3523 ☒ **1908 Multiple-Weight Registered Cover.** Russia 5k Violet, 14k Blue & Red, pair 50k Violet & Green (58, 61, 66) tied by Troitskosavsk Dec. 4 circular datestamps with index letter "2" on large (234 x 198mm) registered cover to St. Petersburg, Russia, Troitskosavsk registry label No. 623, violet St. Petersburg arrival backstamp, minor edge wear as expected on such a large envelope, just slightly reduced at right where it was opened
FINE AND RARE HIGH VALUE REGISTERED COVER FROM KYACHTA TO ST. PETERSBURG.
The total franking of 1-ruble 16-kopecks equals 16-times the single-weight letter. It's also possible this was a remittance letter.
Hellrigl recorded only one example of this registration label, on an April 5, 1909 cover.(Photo/Website PDF) E. 1,000-1,500
- 3524 ☒ **1914 Cover to Peking.** Russia 7k Light Blue (78a) tied on reverse by "Urga V Mongolii" May 8 circular datestamp on cover to Peking, China, Russian Post Office "Peking" transit on front (showing old Gregorian date May 7), two Chinese Peking backstamps (May 20), some small insect holes affecting and additional Russian "Urga" postmark on front, still a Fine and scarce example of the 7k Light Blue used from Mongolia.....(Photo/Website PDF) E. 200-300
- 3525 ☒ **1916 Cover to Peking.** Russia 10k Dark Blue (79) tied on reverse by "Urga V Mongolii" Feb 3 circular datestamp on cover to Peking, China, Russian "Peking" transit (Feb. 18) on front, two different "Peking" sub-office backstamps (Feb. 19), one with year indicia blotted out, the other with Hung Hsien "year one", Very Fine.....(Photo/Website PDF) E. 500-750

CHINESE INFLUENCE IN MONGOLIA



3526 front and back

- 3526 ☒ **1895 “Fire Letter” Stampless Mail.** Four-page official stampless folded letter from the Imperial Chinese Foreign Ministry Dept., sent to the Mongolian commander in charge of Jehol Province, with large red official seal on both sides

VERY FINE AND RARE “FIRE LETTER” OFFICIAL MAIL.

“Fire letters” were essentially express mail carried on horseback by special fast couriers and used only for official mail..... E. 1,500-2,000

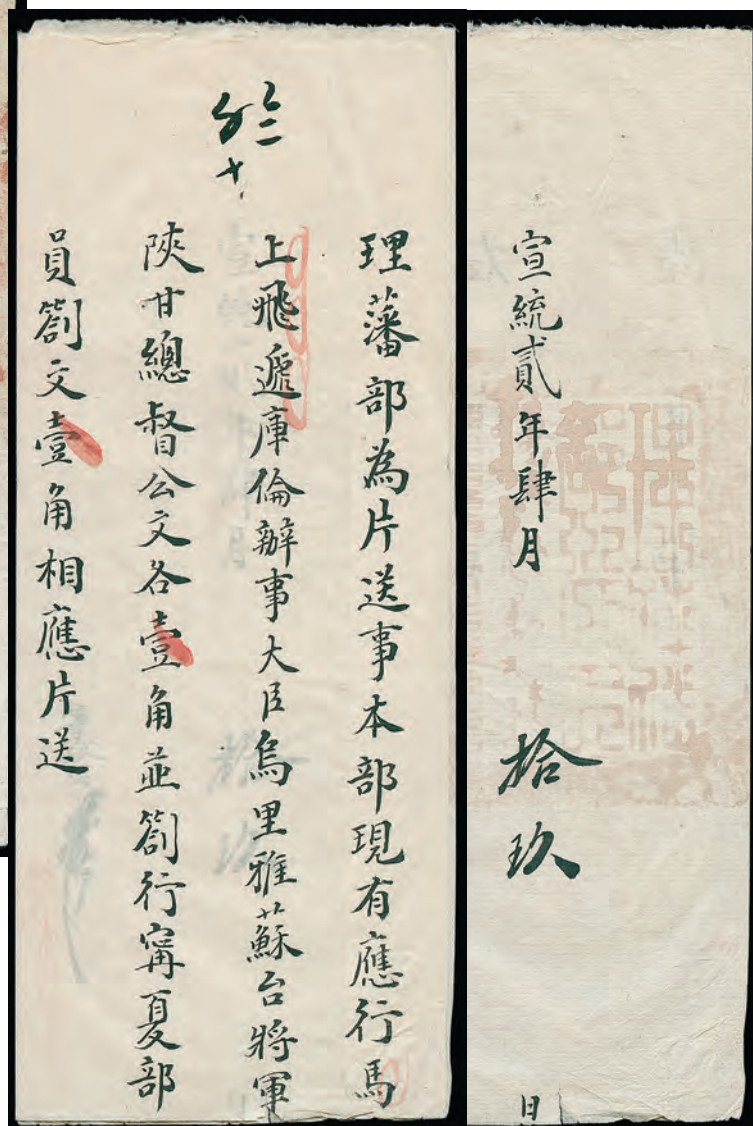


3527 front and back

- 3527 ☒ **1903 “Fire Letter” Stampless Mail.** Six page official stampless folded letter from the Chinese Imperial Army to the Mongol Manchu Military Commander at Lanchow, Kansu Province, with large red official seal on both sides, some damage at top left just barely affecting handwritten contents, otherwise Fine and rare..... E. 1,000-1,500



3528



3529 front and back

- 3528 ☒ **1903 Official Courier Mail.** Three page stampless folded letter sent from the Chinese Minister of Kulun (Urga) by courier via Kalgan and to the Imperial Chinese Government in Peking, large bold red minister's bilingual seal, with a partial second strike on the last page, Fine and very rare E. 1,000-1,500
- 3529 ☒ **1910 Official Courier Mail.** Three page stampless folded letter sent from the Imperial China Foreign Affairs Office (April 19) with instructions that this is one of four copies sent by horse express courier, three of which are to be delivered to the Chinese Minister at Kulun (Urga), commanding General at Ulisutai (Jabholanto), and the Governor of Shansi & Kansu, large red official seal inside, a couple trivial holes in the pelure paper, Fine a rare and interesting piece of official mail..... E. 1,000-1,500

CHINESE POST OFFICES IN MONGOLIA



- 3530 ☒ **1901 Double-Weight Cover.** China pair of 4c Vermilion (126) tied on reverse by Kulun (Urga) Type I Mar. 18 double-ring datestamps on cover to Kalgan, China, additional Kulun postmarks on front, Kalgan arrival backstamp (April 24), cover with slight insect damage far away from stamps and markings, Fine, the Kulun postmarks show unusually large portions of the outer ring(Photo/Website PDF) E. 200-300
- 3531 ☒ **1910 Registered Cover.** China 2c Green, 4c Vermilion, 10c Ultramarine (124, 126, 129) tied on reverse by Kulun (Urga) Type I Oct. 21 circular datestamps on registered cover to Kalgan, China, additional Kulun postmark on front with registry handstamp alongside, Kalgan arrival backstamp (Oct. 29), opened for display, Very Fine and attractive use of all three of the U.P.U.'s principal colors E. 750-1,000
- 3532 ☒ **1911 (ca.) Cover to Kalgan.** China two 1c Ocher and 4c Vermilion (111, 126) tied on reverse by Kulun (Urga) Type II circular postmarks on cover to Kalgan, China, with additional strike on the front, Kalgan arrival backstamp, Fine(Photo/Website PDF) E. 200-300
- 3533 ☒ **1911 Cover to Kalgan.** China 1c Ocher, 5c Violet (99, 127) tied on reverse by Kulun (Urga) Type II Jan. 28 circular datestamps on cover to Kalgan, China, additional postmarks on front, Kalgan arrival backstamp (Mar. 3), Very Fine.....(Photo/Website PDF) E. 200-300
- 3534 ☒ **1911 Cover to Kalgan.** China 2c Green, 4c Vermilion (124, 126) tied on reverse by Kulun (Urga) Type II Apr. 20 circular datestamps on cover to Kalgan, China, additional postmark on front, Kalgan arrival postmark, Very Fine(Photo/Website PDF) E. 200-300



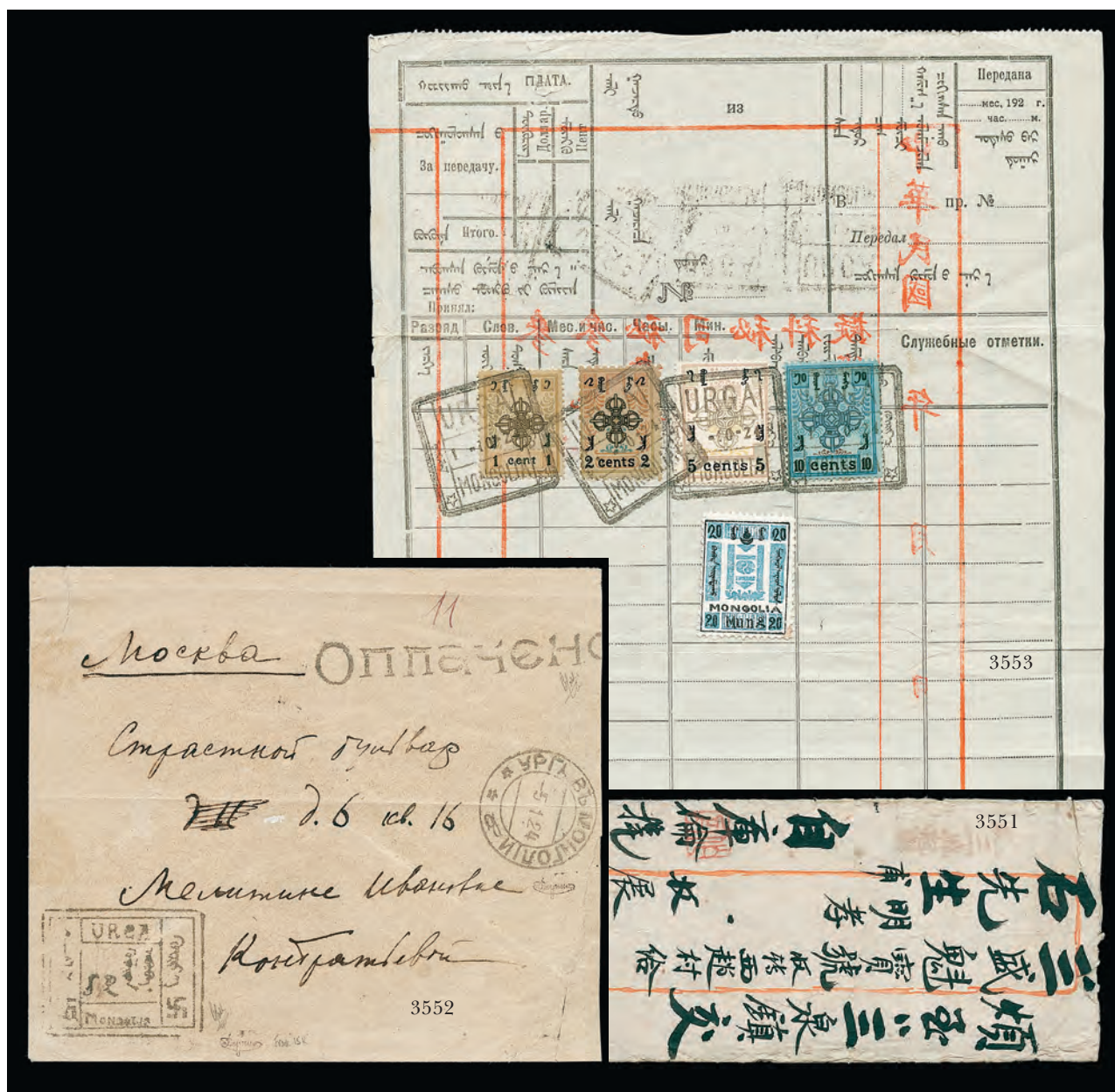
- 3535 ☒ **1911 Cover to Peking.** China pair of 3c Blue Green (125) tied on reverse by Kulun (Urga) Type I Oct 12 circular datestamps on cover to Peking, China, additional strike of postmark on front, Peking arrival backstamp (indistinct date), Fine.....
(Photo/Website PDF) E. 200-300
- 3536 ☒ **1911 Cover to Kalgan.** Three pairs of China 1c Ocher (111) tied on reverse by Kulun (Urga) Type I Dec 8 double-ring datestamps on cover to Kalgan, China, additional strike on front, Kalgan arrival backstamp (Dec. 17), Fine, some of the Kulun postmarks show unusually large portions of the outer ring, which is especially scarce on this late date.....
(Photo/Website PDF) E. 400-500
- 3537 ☒ **1912 Cover to Kalgan.** Pair of China Statistical Dept. 3c Slate Green (149) tied on reverse by Urga Sept. 26 circular datestamps with year date omitted on cover to Kalgan, additional Urga postmark on front, Kalgan arrival backstamp (Sept. 30) also ties one stamp, Very Fine, an important cover for the specialist, as it is **believed to be the earliest known Mongolia usage of Chinese Republic overprints**.....(Photo/Website PDF) E. 1,000-1,500
- 3538 ☒ **1912 Cover to Kalgan.** Two China 3c Statistical Dept. (149) tied on reverse by Urga Oct. 24 circular datestamps with Lunar Year "Jen Tzu" crossed out and "Yi" inserted to represent Republic Year "One", on cover to Kalgan, China, additional postmark on front, Kalgan arrival backstamp (Nov. 6) without year designation as usual, the Urga postmark with Year One is unrecorded, and it has always been assumed that throughout 1912, all Chinese post offices in Mongolia had the year omitted, and didn't begin to include any Republic Year designation until Year Two in 1913(Photo/Website PDF) E. 300-400



- 3539 ☒ **1912 Cover to Kalgan.** Strip of three of China 2c Green (124) tied on reverse by Uрга Dec. 31 circular datestamps showing 'Jen Tzu' Lunar Year at right, on cover to Kalgan, China, additional Uрга postmark on front clearly showing the year error, faint "East Uрга Letter Box #2" handstamp, indistinct Kalgan backstamp, Very Fine, throughout 1912, Chinese post offices in Mongolia never used the Republic "Year One" designation, instead not indicating any year, this cover technically represents a date error and is previously unrecorded(Photo/Website PDF) E. 300-400
- 3540 ☒ **1913 Cover to Kalgan.** Two China 3c Green Waterlow (166) tied on reverse by Uрга Jan. 30 circular datestamps on cover to Kalgan, China, additional postmark on front, sender's company red chop, Kalgan arrival backstamp (Feb. 10), Very Fine.....(Photo/Website PDF) E. 200-300
- 3541 **1914 Chinese Military Mail.** Front only with "Military Forwarding Post Office #1" Jan. 31 circular datestamp of Dorbod, which was used during the Chinese government's suppression of the short-lived rebellion led by the Kutuku Lama of Uрга, very rare E. 400-500
- 3542 ☒ **1914 (ca.) Inbound Cover From Kalgan.** China ½c Brown Waterlow (163) single, pair, and strip of three, along with 3c Junk London Print (205) all tied on reverse by Kalgan circular postmarks (dates indistinct) on double-weight cover to Mongolia, additional postmark on front, Uрга arrival backstamp ties one of the ½c stamps, Fine and scarce mixed issue usage, multiples of the ½c are rare on cover, and this may be unique on an inward cover to Mongolia....(Photo/Website PDF) E. 400-500
- 3543 ☒ **1915, Cover to Shansi Province.** Two China 3c Junk (224) tied on reverse by Uрга Mar. 12 circular datestamps on cover to Fenchow, China, additional postmark on front, transit backstamps of Taiyuanfu (Mar. 26) and Sankwanchen (Mar. 28) and red Sankwanchen letterbox straightline handstamp, Fenchow arrival backstamp (Mar. 29), reverse with a little wear, still Fine with an unusually large array of backstamps(Photo/Website PDF) E. 300-400
- 3544 ☒ **1916 Double-Weight Cover.** Two China 6c Junks (227) tied on reverse by serified Uрга Dec. 22 circular datestamps on cover to Kalgan, China, additional strike on front, Kalgan arrival backstamp (Jan. 3, 1917), Fine(Photo/Website PDF) E. 200-300



- 3545 ☒ **1917 Cover to Shansi Province.** China 3c and 6c Junk (224, 227) tied on reverse by serified Urga July 13 circular datestamp on cover to Sankwanchen, additional strike on front, transit backstamps of Kalgan (July 20, Taiyuanfu (indistinct date) and Fenchow (July 27), Sankwanchen arrival backstamp (July 27), Very Fine.....(Photo/Website PDF) E. 300-400
- 3546 ☒ **1917 Cover to Kalgan.** China 3c and 6c Junk (224, 227) tied on reverse by serified Urga Oct. 19 circular datestamps on cover to Kalgan, China, additional strike on front, Kalgan arrival backstamp (Oct. 29).....(Photo/Website PDF) E. 200-300
- 3547 ☒ **1918 Three-Color Franking to Kalgan.** China 1c, 3c, 5c Junk (222, 224, 226) tied on reverse by serified Urga June 7 circular datestamp on cover to Kalgan, two additional strikes on front, Kalgan arrival backstamp, Fine and attractive three-color franking.....(Photo/Website PDF) E. 200-300
- 3548 ☒ **1919 Commercial Cover to Kalgan.** China 3c and 6c Junk (224, 227) tied on reverse by serified Urga May 12 circular datestamps, with “Urga Letter Box #1” datestamp alongside, on cover to Kalgan, China, additional Urga postmark on front, Kalgan arrival backstamp (May 22) also ties the 6c stamp, cover with minor wrinkling, otherwise Very Fine.....(Photo/Website PDF) E. 400-500
- 3549 ☒ **1919 Cover to Kalgan.** China 3c, 6c Junk (224, 227) tied by serified Urga Dec. 16 circular datestamps on cover to Kalgan, China, additional strike in front, Kalgan arrival backstamp (Dec. 28) also ties the 6c stamp, Fine.....(Photo/Website PDF) E. 200-300
- 3550 ☒ **1922 (ca.) Min Chu Stampless Cover.** Sent from Urga to Shansi Province, China, by the private mail-carrying company Sanshekui (with their red handstamp on reverse), Very Fine, although the role of privately operated mail carriers (“Min Chu”) was greatly reduced throughout most of China during the early part of the century, they continued to operate to and from Mongolia following the closure of the Chinese post office at the end of 1920.....(Photo/Website PDF) E. 200-300



- 3551 ☒ **1922 (ca.) Min Chu Stampless Cover.** Similar to the previous lot, sent by the Sanshenkui company (with their red handstamp) from Urga to Shansi Province, China, cover with some wrinkling and minor wear, Fine.....(Photo/Website PDF) E. 200-300

INDEPENDENT MONGOLIA POSTAL HISTORY

- 3552 ☒ **1924, Interim Period Stampless Cover.** From Urga to Moscow, with Urga boxed datestamp showing "15" inserted by hand, Urga Jan. 5 circular datestamp, and Russian "Oplachen" Postage Paid straightline at top, two different Moscow arrival backstamps (Jan. 29), cover repaired at bottom right (affecting only one backstamp), somewhat reduced at right affecting the Oplachen marking, Fine appearance, one of only 22 Interim Period covers recorded by Hellrigl, with 1992 Holcombe certificate..... E. 1,000-1,500
- 3553 ☒ **1924, 1c-10 First Issue (1-4).** 2c Perf 10, others Perf 13½, tied by Urga Cot. 1, 1924 boxed datestamps on **bilingual Mongolian/Russian Postal Form**, 20m Third Issue stamp added posthumously, receipt printed on the back of a Chinese Republic post office form (180 x 230mm), with Chinese inscriptions and frame printed in red, receipt with a few edge flaws and folds not affecting stamps

VERY FINE. AN EXTREMELY RARE USE OF THE FIRST ISSUE STAMPS ON A PARCEL RECEIPT.

Any 1924 use of the first issue is rare. Hellrigl recorded only five covers..... E. 2,000-3,000



- 3554 ☒ **1924, 5c-20c First Issue (3-5).** 5c and 10c Perf 13½, 20c Perf 10, tied by Urga January boxed datestamps on cover to Kalgan, China, **China 1c, 2c, 5c, 10c Postage Dues (J47, J52, J53, J56)** tied by Feb. 11 Kalgan circular datestamps, "T" in circle handstamp on front, 20c stamp with minor pre-used crease, cover with some light wear, Fine.....
.....(Photo/Website PDF) E. 400-500
- 3555 ☒ **1924, 5c, 20c First Issue (3, 5).** Both Perf 10, tied by ca. 1925 Urga boxed datestamps (dates indistinct), with **additional 5c Perf 13½ (3a)** tied on reverse by same postmark, on cover with corner card to **London**, cover roughly opened at left, otherwise Fine, a interesting combination of stamps overpaying the 25c rate..... E. 400-500
- 3556 ☒ **1924, 5c, 10c First Issue, Perf 10 (3a, 5).** Tied by Urga Aug. 26, 1925 boxed datestamps on cover to Waikwan, China, **China 10c Postage Due (J56) gutter pair** tied on front by Waikwan circular datestamp (Sept. 11), Waikwan backstamp (Sept. 10), cover reduced at top not affecting stamps or markings, Fine E. 200-300



- 3557 ☒ **1924, 5c, 10c First Issue (3-4).** One 5c, two 10c, all Perf 13½, tied on reverse by Urga Oct 3, 1925 boxed datestamps on cover to Peking China, **China 3c Junk (224)** tied on front by indistinct cancels, Peking arrival backstamp and additional Peking roller arrival on front (both Oct. 18), Fine E. 300-400
- 3558 ☒ **1924, 5c, 20c First Issue (3, 5).** 5c Perf 13½, 20c Perf 10, tied by Urga Oct. 19, 1925 boxed datestamps on cover to Peking, Chinese Manchouli transit backstamp (Oct. 22), **China 3c Junk (224)** tied on arrival by Peking circular datestamp (Nov. 25), Very Fine, an especially attractive cover with all the stamps and markings on one side.....(Photo/Website PDF) E. 500-750
- 3559 ☒ **1924, 5c, 10c First Issue (3, 5).** Both Perf 13½, single 5c and pair 10c, tied on reverse by red Tsetserlig-Mandal Oct 29, 1925 boxed datestamps on cover via the Russian Post Office in Urga to Peking, China, Russian "Urga by Mongolia transit backstamp (date indistinct), **China eight 1c and five 2c Postage Dues (J52-J53)** tied by Kalgan circular postmarks (dates indistinct), which represent a double-charge of 18-cents, one 1c postage due stamp damaged from opening, opened for display, Fine appearance..... E. 400-500
- 3560 ☒ **1924, 5c Perf 13-12, 5c Perf 10 First Issue (3, 3a).** Five, Perf 13½ single, Perf 10 strip of three and single, tied on reverse by Nov. 4, 1925 boxed datestamps on cover to Kalgan, China, with pair **China 3c Junk** tied on front by brush strokes, Kalgan receiving backstamp, Fine, rare example of two different 5c Scepter perf varieties on the same cover... E. 500-750



- 3561 ☒ **1924, 5c, 20c First Issue (3, 5).** Both Perf 13½, single 5c, pair 2-c, tied on reverse by Ulanbator Jan 9, 1926 circular datestamp on cover to Harbin, China, Kalgan arrival postmark (Feb. 3), accepted without additional Chinese stamps, Fine, **one of the very earliest known examples of the Ulanbator circular postmark**...(Photo/Website PDF) E. 500-750
- 3562 ☒ **1924, 1c, 2c, 10c First Issue (1, 2, 4).** 1c Perf 13½, 2c Perf 10 (pair), 10c Perf 13½ (pair) all tied on reverse by Ulan Bator Mar. 17, 1926 circular datestamps on cover to Waikwan, China, Peking transit backstamp (Apr. 4), red "T" handwritten on front, with **China 20c Reaper (262)** tied by Waikwan circular datestamp (Apr. 5) and additional strike on reverse, opened for display, Fine..... E. 500-750
- 3563 ☒ **1926, 10c Green, 20c Yellow Brown, with Violet "Postage" Overprint (19-20).** 10c strip of three, 20c single, tied by Ulanbator June 22, 1926 circular datestamps on cover to **Paris, France**, Very Fine and attractive early use two months after the Violet overprints were issued E. 300-400
- 3564 ☒ **1926, 10c Green, Violet "Postage" Overprint (19).** Horizontal pair, used along with **Unoverprinted 5c Plum Revenue stamp**, all tied on reverse by Altanbulak Oct. 3, 1926 boxed datestamps on cover to Kalgan, China, Manchouli and Kalgan postmarks on front (dates indistinct), 10c stamps with perf damage from being close to the edge of cover, Fine, very scarce with the unoverprinted revenue stamp accepted for postage.....(Photo/Website PDF) E. 400-500



3565 front and back



3566 front and back



3567 front and back

- 3565 ☒ **1926, 5c Plum, 20c Yellow Brown, Black “Postage” Overprint (18a, 20a).** Tied by Ulanbator ca. 1926 circular datestamp on cover to Kalgan via Manchouli, **China 1c, three 3c Junks (249, 252)** tied on front by Kalgan postmarks, Manchouli transit postmark on front, Fine, postmark dates are indistinct, but this cover was probably posted October 1926..... E. 300-400
- 3566 ☒ **1926-29, 5m Lilac, Type II (36).** Five, tied on reverse by Ulanbator Jan. 8, 1927 circular datestamps on **Japanese multicolored illustrated cover** to Leningrad, Russia, Leningrad arrival backstamp (Jan. 27) also tied one stamp, pre-use tear on one stamp and some minor gum staining, Fine appearance, a very rare multiple franking, believed to be a First Month usage..... E. 200-300
- 3567 ☒ **1926, 5c Plum, Black “Postage” Overprint, 10c Green, Violet “Postage” Overprint, 10c Green, Inverted Black “Postage” Overprint (18a, 19, 19a var).** All tied on reverse by Ulanbator Jan. 10, 1927 circular datestamps on cover to Kalgan, China, three **China 3c Junks (252)** tied on front by Kalgan postmark (date indistinct), Mahchouli transit postmark, Fine and rare, **this is the latest cover recorded by Hellrigl** franked with both Violet and Black “Postage” overprints..... E. 750-1,000



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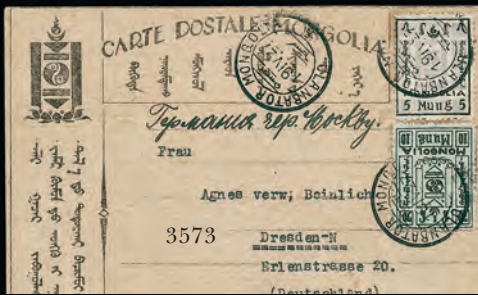
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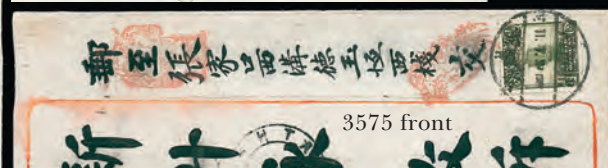
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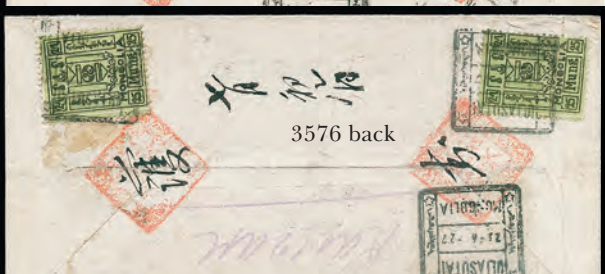
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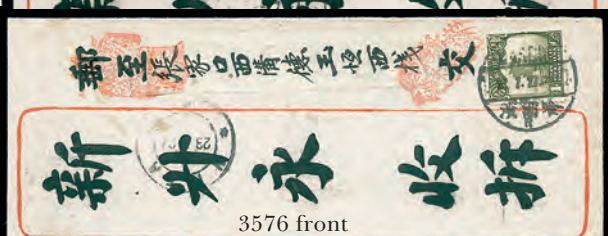
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- 3568 ☒ **1926-29, 20m Blue & Black, 50m Buff & Black (33, 41).** Pair of 20m, single 50m, tied by Ulanbator Jan. 27, 1927 circular datestamps on registered cover **to Paris, France**, boxed registration handstamp, additional Ulanbator (Feb. 7) postmark, Paris arrival backstamp (Mar. 2), light vertical file fold not affecting stamps or postmarks, Fine, the 20m stamp (Scott 33) is particularly scarce on cover(Photo/Website PDF) E. 400-500



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- 3569 ☒ **1926-29, 40m Lemon & Black (40).** Tied on reverse by red boxed handstamp (likely the sender's company chop) on cover to Kalgan, China, Ulanbator Feb. 19, 1927 circular datestamp, **China 3c Junk "L"-shaped strip of three** tied by Harbin circular datestamp, Kalgan arrival backstamp (Apr. 4) also ties one China stamp, stamp with bright color, Very Fine ..(Photo/Website PDF) E. 400-500
- 3570 ☒ **1926-29, 25m Yellow Green & Black (39).** Tied on reverse by Ulanbator Mar. 19, 1927 circular datestamp on cover to Moscow, Russia, second strike on front, Moscow arrival and slogan roller (Apr. 4), two horizontal file folds well away from stamp and markings, Fine(Photo/Website PDF) E. 200-300
- 3571 ☒ **1926-29, 5m Yellow Green & Black, 50m Buff & Black (39, 41).** Tied on reverse by Ulanbator Mar. 19, 1927 circular datestamp with date error "19... 7" for "19 III 27" on cover with bilingual corner card to Moscow, Russia, second strike on front shows date error very clear, Moscow slogan arrival backstamp (Apr. 4), a little roughly opened at left not affecting stamps or markings, Fine, scarce triple-weight cover(Photo/Website PDF) E. 400-500
- 3572 ☒ **1926-29, 40m Lemon & Black, 50m Buff & Black (40-41).** Tied by Ulanbator Apr. 1, 1927 circular datestamps on registered cover **to Paris, France**, boxed registration handstamp, Paris arrival backstamps, stamps quite fresh, Very Fine and scarce 90m franking(Photo/Website PDF) E. 300-400
- 3573 ☒ **1926-29, 5m Lilac & Black Type I, 10m Light Blue & Black (32, 37).** Tied by Ulanbator Arp. 19, 1927 circular datestamp on Type I Formular Postal Card **to Dresden, Germany**, typewritten message in German on reverse, Fine and unusual usage, Hellrigl recorded 26 used examples of this card E. 400-500
- 3574 ☒ **1926-29, 25m Yellow Green & Black (39).** Vertical pair and two singles tied on reverse by Ulanbator May 18, 1927 circular datestamps on registered cover **to London**, boxed registration handstamp on front, red London registry receiver (June 3), minor paperclip rust stain at top, otherwise fresh and Very Fine, a scarce triple-weight registered cover(Photo/Website PDF) E. 400-500
- 3575 ☒ **1926-29, 25m Yellow Green & Black (39).** Top selvage single tied on reverse by Uliasutai June 11, 1927 boxed datestamp on cover to Kalgan China via Chita and Harbin, **China 4c Junk (275)** tied on front by Harbin circular datestamp (July 11), Russian Chita transit (July 5), Fine .. E. 400-500
- 3576 ☒ **1926-29, 25m Yellow Green & Black (39).** Two singles tied on reverse by Uliasutai June 25, 1927 boxed datestamps on cover to Kalgan, China via Chita and Harbin, **China 4c Junk (275)** tied on front by Harbin datestamp (July 31), Russian Chita transit (July 23), one stamp causes minor gum staining, otherwise a Fine double-weight cover(Photo/Website PDF) E. 300-400
- 3577 ☒ **1926-29, 10m Light Blue & Black (37).** Tied by Ulanbator July 27, 1927 circular datestamp on Type I formular postal card **to Schaffhausen, Switzerland**, handwritten message in German on reverse, Very Fine, Hellrigl recorded 26 used examples of this card, but none to Switzerland, signed Mikulski, with 1979 Mikulski certificate E. 400-500
- 3578 ☒ **1926-29, 25m Yellow Green & Black (39).** Tied on reverse by Ulanbator Aug. 19, 1927 circular datestamp on cover to Kalgan, China via Chita, Manchouli, and Peking, **China 4c Junk (275)** tied by Kalgan arrival postmark (Sep. 11), Russian Chita duplex transit on front, Manchouli (Sept 5) and Peking (Sept. 8) transit postmarks, Very Fine E. 300-400



- 3579 ☒ **1924, 5c First Issue (3).** Perf 13½ Block of four, along with singles of Perf 10 2c and 20c (3, 5), all tied by Ulatnbator Aug. 26, 1927 circular datestamp on registered cover to Leningrad, Russia, boxed registration handstamp, Leningrad arrival backstamps (Sep. 12, 13), reduced 17mm at left far from stamps or markings, opened for display, Fine, a very rare block of the 5c Perf 13½ Scepter, ex Mizuhara and illustrated in his book (pg. 77)...
.....(Photo/Website PDF) E. 300-400
- 3580 ☒ **1926-29, 10m Light Blue & Black (37).** Pair and single tied by brown red Tsetserlig-Mandal Aug. 28, 1927 boxed datestamps on local cover, arrival backstamp of Aug. 30, one additional stamp (probably another 10m value) removed, roughly opened at top, Fine, locally used covers are very scarce(Photo/Website PDF) E. 200-300
- 3581 ☒ **1926-29, 25m Yellow Green & Black (39).** Tied on reverse by Ulanbator Sep. 30, 1927 circular datestamp on cover Peking, China, **China 4c Junk (275)** tied on front by Russian Chita transit (Oct. 15), **China 2c and 5c pair Postage Dues** tied by Peking Oct. 21 arrival postmarks (which additionally tie the Mongolia stamp), Very Fine, the 4c Junk stamp was apparently applied by the sender, but de facto invalidated when tied by the Chita postmark E. 300-400
- 3582 ☒ **1926-29, 25m Yellow Green & Black (39).** Tied on reverse by Uliasutai Nov. 5, 1927 boxed datestamp on cover to Peking, China, **China 4c Junk (275)** tied on front by Manchouli circular datestamp (Dec. 3), handwritten "T", with **China 1c pair Peking Print (J52) and 10c London Print (J48) Postage Dues** tied by Peking Dec. 8 circular datestamps, Chita transit on front (Dec. 1), opened for display, Fine the Uliasutai postmark incorrectly shows the day as "05" rather than "5" - a rare occurrence in any Mongolia postmark E. 500-750



- 3583 ☒ **1926-29, 5m Lilac & Black, 20m Blue & Black (33, 36).** Tied on reverse by Ulanbator Dec. 3, 1927 circular datestamps on cover to Harbin, Manchuria, **China 1c and 4c pair Junks** tied by Harbin Dec. 21 circular datestamps, Russian Chita transit postmark on front (Dec. 19), cover with small faults, opened for display, the front and back nearly separated and reinforced with hinges, Fine appearance, signed Holcombe E. 200-300
- 3584 ☒ **1926-29, 5m Lilac & Black, 10m Light Blue & Black (36, 37).** Single 5c, pair 10c, tied on reverse by light brown red Tsetserlig-Mandal Dec. 6, 1927 boxed datestamps on cover to Kalgan, China, another datestamp on front, **China 4c Junk** tied by Harbin postmark, Russian Chita transit (Dec. 22), Tientsin transit backstamp, one 10m stamp with pre-use crease, Very Fine(Photo/Website PDF) E. 300-400
- 3585 ☒ **1926-29, 25m Yellow Green & Black (39).** Tied on reverse by Uliasutai Dec. 17, 1927 datestamp on cover to Kalgan, China, Russian Chita transit (Jan. 9, 1928), **China 5c Junk** tied on front by Harbin transit (Jan. 12), stamp with one rounded corner, otherwise fresh and Very Fine, signed Holcombe.....(Photo/Website PDF) E. 300-400
- 3586 ☒ **1926-29, 50m Buff & Black (41).** Tied on reverse by Ulanbator Feb. 4, 1928 circular datestamp on registered cover to Harbin, China, boxed registration handstamp on front, Russian P.O. in Harbin's postage due double-oval handstamp with red ms. "40", **China 20c Postage Due pair (J57)** tied on reverse by Harbin circular datestamp (Feb. 23), slightly reduced at top, otherwise Very Fine and scarce high-value franking.....(Photo/Website PDF) E. 400-500
- 3587 ☒ **1926-29, 5m Lilac & Black, 20m Blue & Black (33, 36).** Tied on reverse by brown red Tsetserlig-Mandal March ? boxed datestamp, Ulanbator Mar. 12 transit on front, Russian Chita transit (Mar. 22), **China 4c Junk (275)** tied by Harbin postmark (indistinct date, probably Apr. 2), cover originated at the small nearby town of Yinsai, address side of cover with a few minor scuffs, otherwise Fine.....(Photo/Website PDF) E. 300-400



- 3588 ☒ **1926-29, 5m Lilac & Black Type I, 10m Light Blue & Black (32, 37).** Tied by Ulanbator Mar. 31, 1928 Type I formular postal card to **Prague, Czechoslovakia**, handwritten message in Russian on reverse, Fine, Hellrigl recorded 26 used examples of this card, but none to Czechoslovakia E. 400-500
- 3589 ☒ **1926-29, 1m Yellow & Black, 2m Brown Orange & Black, 10m Light Blue & Black (34, 35, 37).** Single 1m, pair of 2m and 10m, all on reverse, pairs tied by Tsetselig-Mandal May 31, 1928 boxed datestamps on cover to Kalgan, China, 1m tied by receiving postmark, **China 4c pair and 10c Postage Dues (J54, J56)** tied by Kalgan June 15 circular datestamps, cover with a few trivial bends not affecting stamps, but overall bright and fresh, Very Fine(Photo/Website PDF) E. 300-400
- 3590 ☒ **1926-29, 1m Yellow & Black, 2m Brown Orange & Black, 10m Light Blue & Black (34, 35, 37).** One 1c, two each 2c and 10c, tied on reverse by Ulanbator June 1, 1928 circular datestamps on cover to Kalgan, China, Manchouli (June 13) and Peking (June 18) transits on front, Kalgan arrival backstamp (June 21), 1m stamp with faults, some minor cover edge wear, otherwise Fine.....(Photo/Website PDF) E. 300-400
- 3591 ☒ **1926-29, 25m Yellow Green & Black (39).** Tied on reverse by Uliasutai June 10, 1928 boxed datestamp on cover to Kalgan, China, **China 4c Junk (275)** tied on front by Peking circular datestamp (July 10), Kalgan receiver, very slightly reduced at top, Fine..... E. 200-300
- 3592 ☒ **1926-29, 50m Buff & Black (41).** Tied on reverse by Ulanbator July 23, 1928 circular datestamp on registered cover to **Germany**, addressed to Berlin and forwarded to Potsdam, violet registration handstamp on front, Berlin (Aug. 15) and Potsdam (Aug 16) backstamps, Very Fine.....(Photo/Website PDF) E. 300-400



- 3593 1926-29, 20m Blue & Black, 40m Lemon & Black, 1t Brown, Green & Black (33, 40, 42). Tied by Ulanbator Aug. 11, 1928 on registered front only to Harbin, China, violet registration handstamp, framed "T" with "88" inserted by hand and "110" alongside (latter probably referring to weight), Fine, a rare 2-tugrik franking..... E. 200-300
- 3594 ☒ 1926-29, 1m-25m Soyombo Issue (34-39). Two 2c and 5c, singles of others, all tied by Ulanbator Aug. 29, 1928 circular datestamps on registered cover to Moscow, Russia, boxed registrations handstamp in a distinct blue-violet color also ties a 5c stamp, sender's type-written "par avion" crossed out and the cover sent by surface mail, two different Moscow backstamps (Sept. 17), cover with very faint vertical file fold, stamps all with fresh colors, Fine(Photo/Website PDF) E. 500-750
- 3595 ☒ 1926-29, 1m-20m Soyombo Issue (34-37). Two 1c, four 2c, one 5c, two 10c, and two 20c, all tied by Ulanbator Oct. 6, 1928 circular datestamps on registered cover to Hungary, violet registration handstamp, Hungarian Dejtár and Patak backstamps (Oct. 22), roughly opened at right not affecting stamps or markings, Fine, a colorful and striking franking(Photo/Website PDF) E. 300-400
- 3596 ☒ 1926-29, 5m Lilac & Black (36). Horizontal strip of five tied on reverse by Ulanbator Oct. 27, 1928 circular datestamps on cover to Kalgan, China, China 4c Junk tied on front by Harbin transit (Nov. 12), red boxed "Kalgan" directional marking, Fine(Photo/Website PDF) E. 300-400
- 3597 ☒ 1926-29, 5m Type II, 20m (32, 36). Tied on reverse by Tsetserlig-Mandal Oct. 29, 1928 boxed datestamps on cover to Kalgan, China, China 4c Junk (275) tied on front by Harbin transit (Nov. 13), stamps with minor gum staining, otherwise Fine.....(Photo/Website PDF) E. 200-300



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- 3598 ☒ **1926-29, 1f Brown, Green & Black (42).** Tied by Ulanbator Oct. 31, 1928 circular datestamp on registered cover to Tientsin, China, violet registration handstamp, red handwritten "T" in circle, **China 4c Postage Due (J54) pair and strip of three** tied on reverse by Tientsin arrival backstamps (Nov 23, cover with a few minor corner bends)

VERY FINE AND RARE COMMERCIAL SINGLE FRANKING OF THE 1-TUGRIK STAMP.

This registration handstamp, unrecorded by Hellrigl, has a normal "R" as the type typically seen during this period, but with large space between "Mongolia" and bottom frameline, identical to the later type listed by Hellrigl from 1931 onward. Coincidentally, the Mizuhara collection included an example on a September 1928 cover to Norway. E. 1,500-2,000

- 3599 ☒ **1926-29, 25m Yellow Green & Black (39).** Tied on reverse by Altanbulak Dec. 14, 1928 circular datestamp on cover to Harbin, Manchuria, with Mongolian State Bank, Altanbulak Branch handstamp on front, large red boxed cachet on reverse, Harbin backstamp of Dec. 24, **pair China 10c Postage Due (J56)** tied on reverse by Harbin Dec. 26 postmark, cover opened at right, Fine, Hellrigl illustrated a partial drawing of this cachet and rated it "RRR" (only one or two covers known, or unknown on cover), but mistakenly classifies it as a censor's marking, its Mongolia inscriptions confirm that it is actually what Hellrigl called an "Official or Privileged" marking ... (Photo/Website PDF) E. 750-1,000



- 3600 ☒ **1926-29, 1m Yellow & Black, 2m Brown Orange & Black, 20m Blue & Black (33-35).** Ten 1c on reverse, ten 2c (five each front and reverse) and one 20c, tied by Ulanbator Feb. 1, 1929 circular datestamps on registered cover **to Hungary**, violet registration handstamp, Dejtar backstamp (Feb. 19), a few stamps with minor perf faults, opened for display, Fine E. 300-400
- 3601 ☒ **1926-29, 25m Yellow Green & Black (39).** Tied on reverse by Ulanbator Mar. 5, 1929 circular datestamps on cover to Kalgan, China, Tsetserlig-Mandal boxed transit (Mar. 10 but date error reading March 1), **China 4c Junk** tied on front by Harbin transit, Very "Fine"..... E. 300-400
- 3602 ☒ **1926-29, 25m Yellow Green & Black (39).** Two, tied by Jabholanto Apr. 6, 1929 circular datestamps on cover to Kalgan, China, **China 4c Junk (275)** tied by indistinct postmark, **1c Junk block of four** tied by Manchouli postmarks (dates indistinct), Fine (Photo/Website PDF) E. 200-300
- 3603 ☒ **1926-29, 5m Lilac & Black, 25m Yellow Green & Black, 40m Lemon & Black (36, 39, 40).** To each 5m and 25m, single 40m, tied by Ulanbator May 13, 1929 circular datestamps on registered airmail/surface cover to Harbin, Manchuria, violet registration handstamp, and three airmail "Vozdushnaya/Pochta" straightline handstamps (one ties the 40m stamp, one on reverse), opened at top, right, and bottom, part of backflap missing, vertical file fold affects one Ulanbator postmark, Fine appearance, a scarce usage that was flown from Ulan Bator to Verkhne Udinsk, 100 miles north of the Mongolian border, and from there by surface to Harbin, Hellrigl recorded this airmail straightline in violet only from April 1 to May 28, 1929 (Photo/Website PDF) E. 400-500



- 3604 ☒ **1926-29, 25m Yellow Green & Black (39).** Twp. tied on reverse by Jabholanto May 18, 1929 circular datestamps on cover to Peking, China, **two China 4c Junks (275)** tied by Manchouli May 28 datestamps, "Peping" June 12 roller arrival backstamp, just slightly reduced at top not affecting stamps or markings, Very Fine and attractive, a very early example of China's Peping marking, shortly after the city's renaming from Peking following its 1928 capture by Kuomintang forces in the Northern Expedition..... (Photo/Website PDF) E. 300-400
- 3605 ☒ **1926-29, 25m Yellow Green & Black (39).** Two, tied on reverse by Jabholanto June 29, 1929 circular datestamps on cover to Kalgan, China, cover with minor wear, otherwise Fine (Photo/Website PDF) E. 200-300
- 3606 ☒ **1929, 20c Blue & Black, Interrupted Perfs (44C).** Horizontal pair, used with 1926-29 40m Lemon & Black (40), tied by Ulanbator Jan. 11, 1930 circular datestamps on registered airmail/surface cover to Harbin, Manchuria, blue-black registration handstamp and airmail "Vozdushnaya/Pochta" straightline, **China 10c Postage Due (J56) strip of five** tied on reverse by Harbin postmarks (Feb. 4), a scarce use of the Interrupted Perf stamp, this cover was flown from Ulan Bator to Verkhne Udinsk, 100 miles north of the Mongolian border, and from there by surface to Harbin, Hellrigl recorded this airmail straightline in black only from June 22, 1929 to Jan. 15, 1930..... E. 500-750
- 3607 ☒ **1929, 5m Lilac & Black, 10m Light Greenish Blue, Interrupted Perfs (44A, 44B).** Single 5m and two 10m tied on reverse by Ulanbator Mongolia Oct. 23, 1930 circular datestamps on cover to Peking, China, **China 1c, 4c Junks (249, 275)** tied on front by Harbin transits, 4c originally a pair but one stamp removed, another 1c Junk tied by Peping postmark, opened for display, a rare multiple-franking of the 10m Interrupted Perf stamp E. 400-500



- 3608 ☒ **1926-29. 1m Yellow & Black, 2m Brown Orange & Black, 10m Light Blue (34, 35, 37).** Two 1c, one 2c, two 10c, tied on reverse by Ulanbator Nov. 28, 1930 circular datestamp on cover to Kalgan, China, **five China 3c Junks (252)** tied by Kalgan circular datestamps, one of which also ties a 1m stamp with perforations trimmed before use, minor cover faults, still Fine appearing an desirable to have all the stamps and markings on one side(Photo/Website PDF) E. 200-300
- 3609 ☒ **1929, 25m Yellow Green & Black, Interrupted Perfs (44D).** Tied on reverse by Tsetserlig-Mandal Dec. 17, 1929 boxed datestamp on cover to Kalgan, China, **China 4c Junk** tied on front by Harbin transit (Jan. 16, 1930), Very Fine, scarce usage of this stamp from Tsetserlig-Mandal, and nearly five months later than the latest Tsetserlig-Mandal cover recorded by Mizuhara..... E. 400-500
- 3610 ☒ **1931, 10c Green "Postag" Overprint, 10m on 10c Green (51, 60).** Tied by Ulanbator July 24, 1931 circular datestamp on Type II formular postal card to Russia, handwritten message in Russian on reverse, Fine, Hellgrigl recorded on ly 12 used examples of this postal card, and this is quite possibly a unique mixed-issue franking on any Mongolian postal card..... E. 400-500
- 3611 ☒ **1931, 5c Brown Violet, 20c Bister Brown, "Postag" Overprint (50, 52).** Each tied to reverse by Ulanbator Aug. 12, 1931 circular datestamps on cover to Harbin, China, **China 5c, 10c Junks (254, 258)** tied on front by Harbin postmark (date indistinct), Chinese postage due boxed handstamp on front, **pair of China 10c Postage Due (J48)** tied by "Peiping (25)" postmark (Aug. 28) and roller alongside, Mongolia stamps with minor perf faults, otherwise Fine and scarce E. 400-500



- 3612 ☒ **1931, 5c Brown Violet & Black, "Postag" Overprint, Interrupted Perfs (50 var).** Used with 20c Yellow Brown "Postag" (52), tied on reverse by Ulanbator Aug. 13, 1931 circular datestamps on cover to Kalgan, China, Chinese "T" handstamp on front, **two China 4c Junks (275)** tied by Manchouli circular datestamps (Aug. 20), Manchouli Frontier Police censor's violet circular cachet, commemorative postmark of Sept. 4 (post office name indistinct), Fine, the overprinted issue with interrupted perfs is not listed in Scott (but mentioned by Hellrigl) and is rare on cover.....
.....(Photo/Website PDF) E. 400-500
- 3613 ☒ **1931, 5c Brown Violet & Black, "Postag" Overprint, Interrupted Perfs (50 var).** Used with 20c Yellow Brown "Postag" (52), tied on reverse by Ulanbator Aug. 13, 1931 circular datestamps on cover to Peking, China, **two China 4c Junks (275)** tied on front by Harbin transit (Oct. 28), partial Peking arrival backstamp also tied the 5c stamp, Peking oval carrier's chop also ties the 20c stamp, some gum staining, opened for display, Fine appearance, another rare use of the unlisted 5c "Postag" with interrupted perfs..... E. 300-400
- 3614 ☒ **1931, 1c Blue, 2c Orange, 20c Bister Brown, "Postag" Overprints (48, 49, 52).** Pair of 2c, singles of others, tied on reverse by Aultanbulak October 1931 circular datestamp (date indistinct) on cover to Kalgan, China, **two China 4c Junks (275)** tied by Manchouli datestamps (Oct. 29), Chinese "T" in circle on front, partial "Peiping" transit on one of the 2c stamps, **China 4c, 30c Postage Dues (J50, J54)** tied by Kalgan postmarks, minor cover wrinkling affects the 2c stamps, Fine, rare usage of the bilingual "Postag" overprints from Altanbulak
.....(Photo/Website PDF) E. 750-1,000
- 3615 ☒ **1931, 5m on 5c Brown Violet, 20m on 20c Bister Brown Surcharges (59, 61).** Tied on reverse by Ulanbator Dec. 31, 1931 circular datestamp on cover to Kalgan, China, boxed "T" postage due handstamp with "50" inserted by hand, **China 20c and 30c Postage Dues (J50, J57)** overlap the 20m stamp and tied by Kalgan postmarks (Jan. 16, 1932), the 30c Postage Due is the 1913 London printing - a rare stamp on any cover(Photo/Website PDF) E. 400-500
- 3616 ☒ **1931, 5m on 5c Brown Violet (59).** Two pairs tied on reverse by Ulanbator May 14, 1932 circular datestamps on cover to Kalgan, China, "Peiping (9)" arrival datestamp of June 2, Very Fine, highly desirable and scarce multiple franking of the 5m Menge Provisional
.....(Photo/Website PDF) E. 500-750



- 3617 ☒ **1932, 25m Dull Violet (68).** Tied on reverse by Ulanbator Sep. 6, 1932 circular datestamp on cover to Kalgan, China, Soviet Border Police Bureau circular cachet and Chinese Military censor's oval cachet (both in violet), Kalgan arrival backstamp (Sep. 23), Very Fine, rare with the two different nations' censor markings.....(Photo/Website PDF) E. 500-750
- 3618 ☒ **1932, 10m Dull Green, 20m Rose Red (65, 67).** Tied on reverse by violet Ulanbator Aug. 1934 circular postmark (date indistinct) on cover to Kalgan, China, via Shankaikwan, Hopei Province, with Chinese "Shankaikwan" transit (Aug. 22) on front, **Five China 10c Postage Dues (J64)** tied by Kalgan postmarks (Aug. 25), opened for display, Fine, highly unusual routing, possibly via Manchuria..... E. 500-750
- 3619 ☒ **1932, 5m Indigo (64).** Three pairs tied on reverse by violet Ulaan Baator (Ucor) circular datestamps on cover to Shanghai via Kalgan, **five China 10c Postage Dues (J64)** tied by Kalgan circular datestamps (Nov. 1), Very Fine, an unusually long travel time of more than six weeks and an interesting "mate" to the cover in the next lot, whose postmarks are different varieties.....(Photo/Website PDF) E. 400-500
- 3620 ☒ **1932, 10m Dull Green, 20m Dull Rose (65, 67).** Tied on reverse by violet Ulaan Baator (Ucor) circular datestamps on cover to Shanghai via Kalgan, **five China 10c Postage Dues (J64)** tied by Kalgan circular datestamps (Nov. 1), Very Fine, mailed on the same day as the cover in the previous lot, the Ulan Bator postmark is in a slightly different shade of violet, and portions appear to have been inserted by hand, suggesting two postal clerks using different datestamps for each of the covers.....(Photo/Website PDF) E. 400-500



- 3621 ☒ **1932, 15m Deep Brown (66).** Tied on reverse by light Ulaan Baator (Ucor) Jan. 10, 1936 circular datestamps on cover to Kalgan, China, Kalgan backstamp of Feb. 29, **China 30c Peking Print and 20c Second Peking Print Postage Dues (J58, J65)** tied by Kalgan Mar. 3 postmarks, opened for display, Fine, ex Mizuhara, who stated that the Mongolian postmark included a "26" year designation E. 300-400
- 3622 ☒ **1932, 15m Deep Brown (66).** Horizontal pair tied on reverse by purple Ulaan-Bator (U.Cor) Jan. 22, 1936 (reading "22.1.26") circular datestamp on cover to Shanghai, handwritten instructions for routing via Vladivostok and Shanghai, Kalgan backstamp (Feb. 29) also ties one stamp, **China 30c Blue Peking Print and 20c Orange Postage Dues (J58, J65)** tied by Kalgan Mar. 2 postmarks, Very Fine example of a "26" year designation(Photo/Website PDF) E. 300-400
- 3623 ☒ **1932 Pictorial Issue Covers.** Seven covers and two postcards, most are contemporaneous overseas uses, mostly to U.S., but one to Switzerland, one 1956 to New Zealand, most with "Ulaan-Baator" circular datestamps, two with registration labels, one mailed aboard the *Empress of Canada*, Fine-Very Fine group.....(Website PDF) E. 300-400

MONGOLIA STAMPS

- 3624 ★ **1929, 20m Blue & Black, Imperforate (44Ca).** Horizontal pair, without gum as always, full margins, bright color, Very Fine and scarce, listed but unpriced in Scott, this example illustrated in Hellrigl E. 400-500
- 3625 **1929, 20m Blue & Black, Interrupted Perfs, Horizontal Pair, Imperforate Between (44Cb).** Nearly complete Altanbulak circular datestamp (Dec. 15, 1930), rich color, light horizontal bend, Fine, a rare error, especially in used condition, listed but unpriced in Scott..... E. 300-400
- 3626 ★ **1929, 25m Yellow Green & Black, Imperforate (44Da).** Horizontal pair, without gum as always, full to ample margins, Very Fine and scarce, listed but unpriced in Scott, this example illustrated in Hellrigl E. 400-500
- 3627 TC **1932, 1t Lake & Mountain, Trial Color Proofs (71TC).** Four perforated proofs, in red, brown, gray, and the issued dull green colors, plus a 10m proof in red violet, all are tied by a red overprint on brown or gray card, Very Fine and rare group.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 750-1,000



- 3628 (★) **1932 Unissued 1t Rose, Perf 10½.** Unused, without gum as always, Fine, a rare and mysterious stamp, whose exact status has never been explained, first reported in 1959 and described as a newspaper stamp, Hellgril was unable to locate an example to illustrate, and had to settle for an artist's simulation, the Mizuhara collection contained one, but it did not appear in the main collection sold in 2010, and its current whereabouts is unknown E. 300-400
- 3629 ★ **1943, 5m-60m Pictorials (75-82).** Original gum except 15m and 20m no gum, 30m disturbed gum, 5m and 10m Mint N.H., the key 60m is lightly hinged with a couple light fingerprints, 20m with small faults, otherwise Fine-Very Fine, the key set of Mongolia, Scott \$3,595.00 (Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 750-1,000
- 3630 **1943, 5m-60m Pictorials (75-82).** Used set, with a variety of cancels, including violet cancel of the 60m, fresh colors, some small faults, the key 60m is well-centered with only a couple small creases, Fine-Very Fine appearance, Scott \$3,528.00 (Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 500-750

- 3631 **1926, \$25.00 Gray and Pink, Revenue Stamp.** Faint trace of a pen-stroke cancel, shallow thin spots

FINE APPEARANCE. AN EXTREMELY RARE 1926 25-DOLLAR REVENUE STAMP. AN IMPORTANT RARITY FOR THE MONGOLIA SPECIALIST OR WORLDWIDE REVENUE COLLECTOR.

The \$25.00 Revenue stamp was first reported in 1959. It is also mentioned in the Hellgril book, but not illustrated, as he never saw an actual example. It is believed only 300 were produced and quickly withdrawn, possibly due to the horizontal displacement of the pink printing. Only a tiny fraction have survived. We were able to locate only two others. One source states "less than ten known", while another records just seven copies. E. 4,000-5,000



- 3632 田 **PERU, 1899, 5s Orange Red and 10s Blue Green, "Specimen" Overprint (158S-159S).** Mint N.H. top left corner selva blocks of six, with "Dec 1898" handstamp in selva, **without the usual security punch hole**, exceedingly fresh, Very Fine and rare set of specimen blocks (Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 400-500
- 3633 ★ **PERU, 1899, 10s Blue Green (159).** Original gum (slightly disturbed from hinge removal), fresh color, a Fine example of this key stamp, Scott \$850.00 E. 200-300
- 3634 田 **SPAIN, 1926 (April 4-5) Madrid-Manila Flight Cover (AAMC 1038).** 1926 Air Post set (C1-C5) and 20c Special Delivery (E1) tied by Madrid April 4, 1926 circular datestamp (first day for the Air Post set) on flown cover to Manila, both flight cachets on reverse, signed by the pilot Gallarza, fresh and Very Fine, only sixteen covers were carried on this flight (Photo/Website PDF) E. 500-750

SWITZERLAND



3635

- 3635 ✉ **Zurich, 1843, 6r Black, Vertical Red Lines (1L2; Zumstein 2S).** Type IV, position 79, mostly large margins showing frameline on three sides, clear at top, tied by red rosette cancel and corresponding "Zurich 29/12" double-circle datestamp above on 1845 partially printed folded church letter to Embrach

VERY FINE. A RARE AND CHOICE SINGLE FRANKING COVER OF THE 1843 6-RAPPEN WITH RED VERTICAL LINES.

From the collection of Arthur S. Przybyl. Signed Pfenninger and Moser. With 2020 Marchand certificate. Scott \$4,750.00. Zumstein SF 5,000..... E. 1,500-2,000



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- 3636 **Zurich, 1846, 4r Black, Horizontal Lines (1L3; Zumstein 1W).** Type III, mostly large to ample margins all around, attractively struck red rosette cancel of Zurich, bold impression and clear horizontal lines

EXTREMELY FINE. A CHOICE EXAMPLE OF THE RARE 4-RAPPEN ZURICH CANTONAL WITH HORIZONTAL LINES. A GREAT RARITY, ESPECIALLY WITH FULL MARGINS AND COMPLETELY SOUND CONDITION.

In 1843 the Canton of Zurich decided to issue stamps to prepay postage. These were issued in two denominations: the 4-rappen for local letters, and a 6-rappen stamp for use on letters to other cantonal districts. The local printing firm of Orell, Fussli & Co. were contracted to print the stamps, which were issued on March 2, 1843. The vast majority of examples found have tight to touching margins and/or a varying degree of faults. The example offered here is a rare exception to what is normally found.

From the collection of Arthur S. Przybyl. With 1969 Nussbaum and 2009 Eichele certificates. Scott \$25,000.00. Zumstein SF 27,500 E. 7,500-10,000

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Zurich, 1846, 6r Black, Horizontal Lines (1L4; Zumstein 2W). Type IV, position 29, full margins all around, bold color and strong impression, lightly struck black rosette cancel, Very Fine and scarce in completely sound condition, *from the collection of Arthur S. Przybyl*, signed Berra, with 2020 Marchand certificate, Scott \$1,775.00, Zumstein SF 2,150..... E. 300-400



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1850 2 ½-RAPPEN “WINTERTHUR” ON COVER
A LOVELY EXAMPLE OF A RARE SINGLE-FRANKING USE



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3638 ☒

Zurich, 1850, 2½r Black and Red, Winterthur (1L5; Zumstein 12). Large to full margins showing the ornamental dividing lines on all four sides, bright colors, tied by rosette cancel with clear strike of corresponding red “Zurich, Nachmittag, 12 Sept. 1850” double-circle datestamp at right of folded letter addressed locally

VERY FINE. A RARE AND HANDSOME SINGLE-FRANKING OF THE 1850 2½-RAPPEN “WINTERTHUR” ON COVER. A COVER MISSING FROM EVEN THE MOST ADVANCED COLLECTIONS.

Single franking covers are seldom encountered. This is highlighted by the large difference in catalogue values between single frankings (\$55,000.00, Zumstein SF 50,000) and pairs (\$27,500.00, Zumstein SF 30,000) on cover.

From the collection of Arthur S. Przybyl. With 1970 Moser and 1993 Rellstab certificates. Scott \$55,000.00. Zumstein SF 50,000..... E. 10,000-15,000



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Detail

1850 5c+5c BLACK ON GREEN “DOUBLE GENEVA”
A GEM EXAMPLE USED ON AN ABSOLUTELY IMMACULATE COVER

ONE OF THE FINEST COVERS KNOWN BEARING
THE ICONIC “DOUBLE GENEVA”

3639°✉ **Geneva, 1843, 5c + 5c Black on Yellow Green, “Double Geneva” (2L1; Zumstein 3).** Mostly large to huge margins, ample at top, showing complete dividing lines at right and bottom, partly at left, exceptionally detailed impression on fresh paper, tied by neat strike of red rosette with corresponding crisp strike of “Geneve 13 Mars 44” double-circle datestamp at right on petite folded letter to Coligny

VERY FINE AND CHOICE. A PRISTINE 1843 “DOUBLE GENEVA” ON AN ABSOLUTELY IMMACULATE COVER TO COLOGNY. ONE OF THE MOST ICONIC WORLDWIDE RARITIES, ESPECIALLY SO ON COVER. IT IS BELIEVED LESS THAN TWO DOZEN EXAMPLES EXIST, FAR FEWER IN COMPLETELY SOUND CONDITION.

The Double Geneva was the first stamp issued by the Canton of Geneva, on October 1, 1843. The stamps were lithographed on green paper by M. Schmidt, a local printer, in sheets consisting of fifty double-stamps to a sheet. The total printing was 600 sheets. As quoted in *Stamps of Fame* by L.N. & M. Williams, a contemporary observation before the issue of the Double Geneva reads “*Such labels are sold at post offices at 10 centimes each; and when required to do so stationers fasten them beforehand on envelopes, which they sell plus the cost of the ticket. People keep them ready to hand, just as they do their pens and wafers. Many are lost, but this is so much profit to the Post Office. Moreover one uses them more readily than money...it would be a savings to allow two labels to serve for a double letter, or one for every ounce.*”

The vast majority of Double Geneva stamps are cut in on at least one side and/or have faults. This example is one of the rare exceptions. Its large margins, beautiful color, proof-like impression and great cancel all combine to make this one of the most eye appealing covers in existence.

From the collection of Arthur S. Przybyl. Signed Fulpius. With 1992 Rellstab certificate. Scott \$77,500.00. Zumstein SF 80,000 E. 40,000-50,000



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- 3640 ☒ **Geneva, 1845, 5c Black on Yellow Green, Small Eagle (2L2; Zumstein 5).** Mostly tight but clear margins, just touched at left with slight rubbing, tied by red rosette cancel with corresponding crisp strike of "Geneve 19 Avril 46" double-circle datestamp on petite folded letter to Contamines, Very Fine, from the collection of Arthur S. Przybyl, with 2020 Marchand certificate, Scott \$3,750.00, Zumstein SF 4,500..... E. 500-750
- 3641 ☒ **Geneva, 1847, 5c Black on Yellow Green, Large Eagle (2L3; Zumstein 6).** Mostly large margins, clear at bottom right, strong color and bold impression, tied by well-struck red rosette cancel with corresponding "Geneve 1 Juil 48" double-circle datestamp at right on petite folded invoice to Cologny, Very Fine, a pretty cover and particularly scarce, from the collection of Arthur S. Przybyl, signed Moser, with 2020 Marchand certificate, Scott \$3,750.00, Zumstein SF 4,750 E. 1,000-1,500
- 3642 ☒ **Geneva, 1850, 5c Black & Red (2L6; Zumstein 10).** Impressively large and balanced margins, tied by grid cancel with corresponding partial strike of Geneva May 1851 circular datestamp at top of folded cover addressed locally, cover partially missing backflaps, still Very Fine, a Gem example of this scarce stamp, from the collection of Arthur S. Przybyl, with 2020 Marchand certificate, Scott \$3,750.00, Zumstein SF 4,000 E. 750-1,000



3643

- 3643 ☒ **Geneva, 1851, 5c Black on Red (2L7; Zumstein 11).** Huge to large margins all around, strong impression, tied by blue grid cancel with corresponding "Geneve 8 Janv 53" circular datestamp on folded letter to Coligny, stamp lifted for inspection and reaffixed to same position

EXTREMELY FINE. A GEM QUALITY EXAMPLE OF THE 1851 5-CENTIMES GENEVA CANTONAL ON COVER.

From the collection of Arthur S. Przybyl. Signed Moser and Zumstein. With 2020 Marchand certificate. Scott \$7,750.00. Zumstein SF 9,500..... E. 3,000-4,000



3644

- 3644 ☒ **Geneva, 1847, 5c Yellow Green, Cut Square (2LU1; Zumstein O7).** Large to full margins, excellent color, tied by red rosette cancel with corresponding "Geneve 2 Octo 50" circular datestamp on petite cover addressed locally, accompanying certificate notes slight bend at bottom right which is barely detectable

STILL VERY FINE AND RARE USE OF THE 1849 5-CENTIMES STATIONERY CUT SQUARE USED ON A LOCAL COVER.

From the collection of Arthur S. Przybyl. With 2020 Marchand certificate. Scott \$22,500.00. Zumstein SF 6,000..... E. 2,000-3,000



3645

- 3645 P **Basel, 1845, 2½r Black, Vermilion & Green, Dove of Basel, Proof (3L1P; Zumstein 8I).** Without gum, full to ample margins on each side, exceptionally fresh color, strong embossing, shallow thin spot which is typically seen

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A RARE AND HANDSOME EXAMPLE OF THE 1845 DOVE OF BASEL PROOF.

From the collection of Arthur S. Przybyl. With 1948 Fulpius and 2020 Marchand certificates. Scott \$6,000.00. Zumstein SF 8,500 E. 2,000-3,000



3646

- 3646 **Basel, 1845, 2½r Dove of Basel (3L1; Zumstein 8).** Second printing, large to ample margins all around, uncommonly fresh color and strong embossing, tied on small piece by rare “**Franco**” in oval cancel of Basel, small scissor cut in bottom right margin (not touching design)

VERY FINE AND CHOICE. A PRISTINE EXAMPLE OF THE FAMOUS “DOVE OF BASEL” CANTONAL ON PIECE WITH THE RARE “FRANCO” CANCEL.

It is interesting to note that the Dove of Basel is the world’s first bicolored stamp. *From the collection of Arthur S. Przybyl. With 2020 Marchand certificate. Scott \$15,500.00. Zumstein SF 18,000 E. 4,000-5,000*

1846 2 ½-RAPPEN “BASEL DOVE”
A MAGNIFICENT USE ON A COVER ORIGINATING IN FRANKFURT



3647

3647 ✉ **Basel, 1845, 2½r Dove of Basel (3L1a; Zumstein 8a).** First printing, mostly large margins to barely touching outer frameline at top left, bright colors and strong embossing, tied by clear strike of “Basel 30 Juil 1846” double-circle datestamp on printed folded letter **originating in Frankfurt** and addressed locally, additional Basel double-circle datestamp on reverse, barest trace of staining at bottom left

VERY FINE. A TRULY RARE COVER ORIGINATING IN FRANKFURT WITH THE 1845 DOVE OF BASEL FROM THE FIRST PRINTING AND ADDRESSED LOCALLY. AN ICONIC SWISS CANTONAL RARITY OF THE WORLD'S FIRST BICOLORED STAMP.

From the collection of Arthur S. Przybyl. Signed Fulpius. With 2020 Marchand certificate. Scott \$38,500.00. Zumstein SF 40,000..... E. 10,000-15,000



Detail



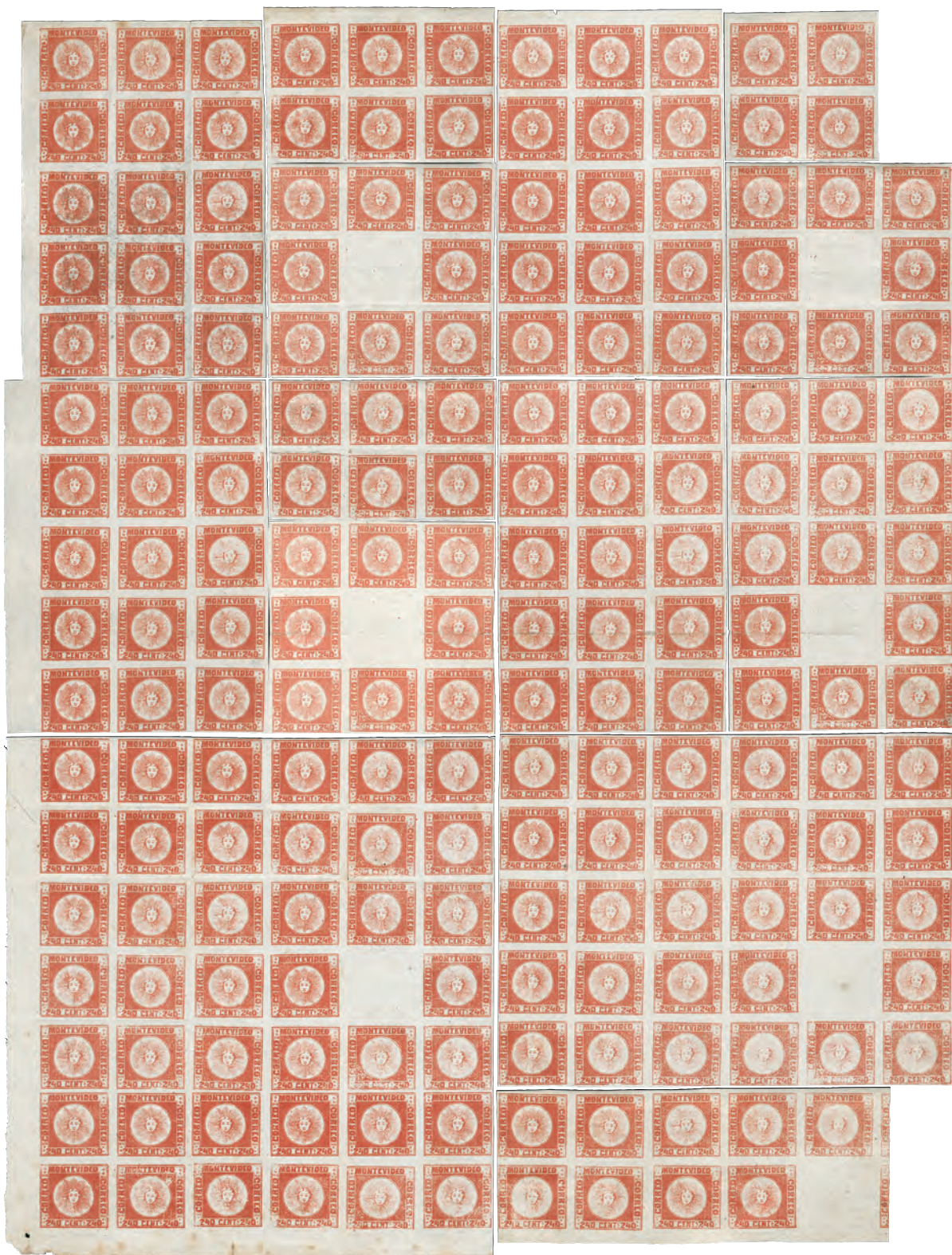
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- 3651 ☒ **1850, 10r Black & Red on Yellow, Rayon II, Without Frame Around Cross (8; Zumstein 16II).** Used with 5r Light Blue & Red, Rayon I (10; Zumstein 17II), each with mostly large margins all around, tied by two strikes of blue grid cancel and corresponding blue “Chur n.M. 16 Mars 54” boxed datestamp on folded cover to Hinterrhein, Splügen transit backstamp, Very Fine and choice, *from the collection of Arthur S. Przybyl*, with 1994 Rellstab certificate and 2020 Marchand befund certificate..... E. 200-300
- 3652 ☒ **1852, 15r Vermilion, Type I, Vermilion Frame Around Cross (11; Zumstein 18).** Large to ample margins all around, strong color and sharp impression, tied by grid cancel with corresponding red “St. Gallen, Nachmittag, 6 Feb. 1852” double-circle datestamp on folded printed obituary notice to Mels, Sargans transit backstamp, Very Fine and choice, the obituary notice is for Maria Monika Gmur whose husband was well known for his work in the Catholic church in Switzerland, *from the collection of Arthur S. Przybyl*, signed Moser, with 2000 Marchand certificate, Scott \$1,850.00, Zumstein SF 2,000 .. E. 400-500
- 3653 **THAILAND, 1899, 1a-10a Definitives (70-74).** Each with usual Korat circular datestamp, 2a with repaired tear, 10a with light toning, Fine-Very Fine appearance, Scott \$1,635.00(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 300-400
- 3654 ☒ **THAILAND, 1899, 64a Brown Violet & Orange Brown (89).** Tied along with 1905 8a and 24a Definitives (100, 104) by Bangkok postmarks on July 1906 registered cover to **Hamburg, Germany**, “The Siam Canals Land & Irrigation Comp. Ltd Bangkok” imprint, blue Bangkok registration handstamp, Bangkok and Hamburg backstamps, two file folds not affecting stamps, some edge wear and small part of backflap missing, Fine, not only is the 64a stamp rare on any cover (the 96a franking paid the septuple-weight registered rate), but it is even more elusive with the company imprint, whose early attempts at flood control in the Chao Phrya River delta proved unsuccessful..... E. 300-400
- 3655 ★ **THAILAND, 1912, 2s-20b Definitives (145-156).** Lightly hinged (high values just barely hinged), brilliantly fresh throughout, Very Fine and choice set, Scott \$1,033.00(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 300-400
- 3656 ★ **THAILAND, 1939 U.P.U. Presentation Booklet.** Red booklet containing 39 stamps lightly stuck at top, including Scott 199-202, 204, 225-232, and C1-C8, a few blocks, Fine-Very Fine.....(Website PDF) E. 400-500



Lot 3657 with 14 blocks in their original positions in sheet

RECONSTRUCTION OF THE 1858 240-CENTÉSIMOS DISCOVERY SHEET

THE LARGEST MULTIPLE OF THE 1858 ISSUE

LOT 3657° ★田

1858, 240c Dull Vermilion (6). The unused multiple that was discovered as a complete sheet of 204 stamps sometime before 1887 and divided into smaller blocks in 1912 (four defective stamps were removed, leaving 200 stamps); the 14 individual blocks have been reunited in the Gordon N. John collection and are offered as a group

THIS ICON OF CLASSIC WORLDWIDE PHILATELY WAS THE KEY TO UNLOCKING THE MYSTERY OF THE “BLANK SPACE” ON THE URUGUAY 240-CENTÉSIMOS LITHOGRAPHIC STONE AND WAS INSTRUMENTAL IN PROVING THE ORIGIN OF THE 180-CENTÉSIMOS VERMILION COLOR ERROR. THE SURVIVAL OF THIS ITEM IN ITS ORIGINAL FORM WAS NOTHING LESS THAN A MIRACLE, AND THE RECONSTRUCTION IN ITS PRESENT FORM WAS ONLY ACHIEVED AFTER DECADES OF DETERMINED EFFORT.

Since its discovery more than 134 years ago, the 240-centésimos sheet has been regarded as one of the most outstanding items in classic philately. Without it, philatelists might never have deduced the configuration of the printing stone, the reason for the remarkable “blank space” multiples, or the cause and sheet position of the 180-centésimos Vermilion color error.

The existence of the intact sheet was noted by its owner, Dr. Esteban Wonner, in his 1887 book on Uruguayan stamps. It crossed the Atlantic sometime around the turn of the century and became the crowning piece in the Uruguay collection formed by Dr. Achillito Chiesa of Milan, Italy, a prominent collector and exhibitor before World War I. In 1912 the London stamp dealers Bridger & Kay bought the sheet and offered it for sale with an asking price of £1,650. Unwilling to wait for one buyer, they divided the sheet into blocks.

The 240-centésimos printing stone of 204 subjects, arranged in 17 rows of 12, was created by making six separate transfers from the intermediate transfer block of 30 for the first 15 rows (180 subjects). To make the two bottom rows (24 subjects), the printer divided the transfer block into two blocks of 12. The photo of the entire sheet (opposite) will aid in visualizing this configuration. The transfer block of 30 included one 180-centésimos design in error, which in turn was transferred to seven positions on the printing stone. After a short print run, the printer erased the 180-centésimos transfers and left seven blank spaces, rather than entering the correct 240-centésimos transfers. The reconstructed sheet printed from the modified stone shows all of these seven blank spaces.

CONDITION

Nine blocks have original gum and five have no gum; all of the blocks are affected by creases; some have small thin spots or short tears; most blocks are signed in pencil by Diaz

PROVENANCE OF THE INTACT SHEET OF 204

Before 1887—Discovered and acquired by Dr. Esteban Wonner; noted in his book (page 23)

Before 1910—Sold by Enrique Rissi and acquired by Dr. Achillito Chiesa (Milan); exhibited by Dr. Chiesa in the 1910 Berne Philatelic Exhibition

1912—divided into smaller blocks by Bridger & Kay, London dealers

PROVENANCE OF RECONSTRUCTED SHEET

Before 1956—Partly reconstructed by Robert Hoffmann and displayed at FIPEX in 1956

1958-64—Hoffmann added top left block from the Alfred H. Caspary sale and bottom left block from the Maurice Burrus collection

1982—Corinphila sale of Hoffmann collection and distributed among collectors

1993—Feldman sale of the de Bustamante collection; reassembled by Gordon N. John over 20 years

Estimate \$400,000-500,000

Each of the 14 blocks in this lot are presented on the following pages

LOT 3657 CONTINUED

Reconstruction of the top left of the 240-centésimos sheet



BLANK SPACE 1 is in the top left transfer group of 30—the block of 15 is ex Caspary

LOT 3657 CONTINUED

Reconstruction of the top right of the 240-centésimos sheet



BLANK SPACE 2 is in the top right transfer group of 30 (two stamps removed)

LOT 3657 CONTINUED

Reconstruction of the middle left of the 240-centésimos sheet



BLANK SPACE 3 is in the middle left transfer group of 30—
the block of 15 is ex Lee; the whole group is ex de Bustamante

LOT 3657 CONTINUED

Reconstruction of the middle right of the 240-centésimos sheet



BLANK SPACE 4 is in the middle right transfer group of 30—
the blank space block is ex Lee; the whole group is ex de Bustamante

LOT 3657 CONTINUED

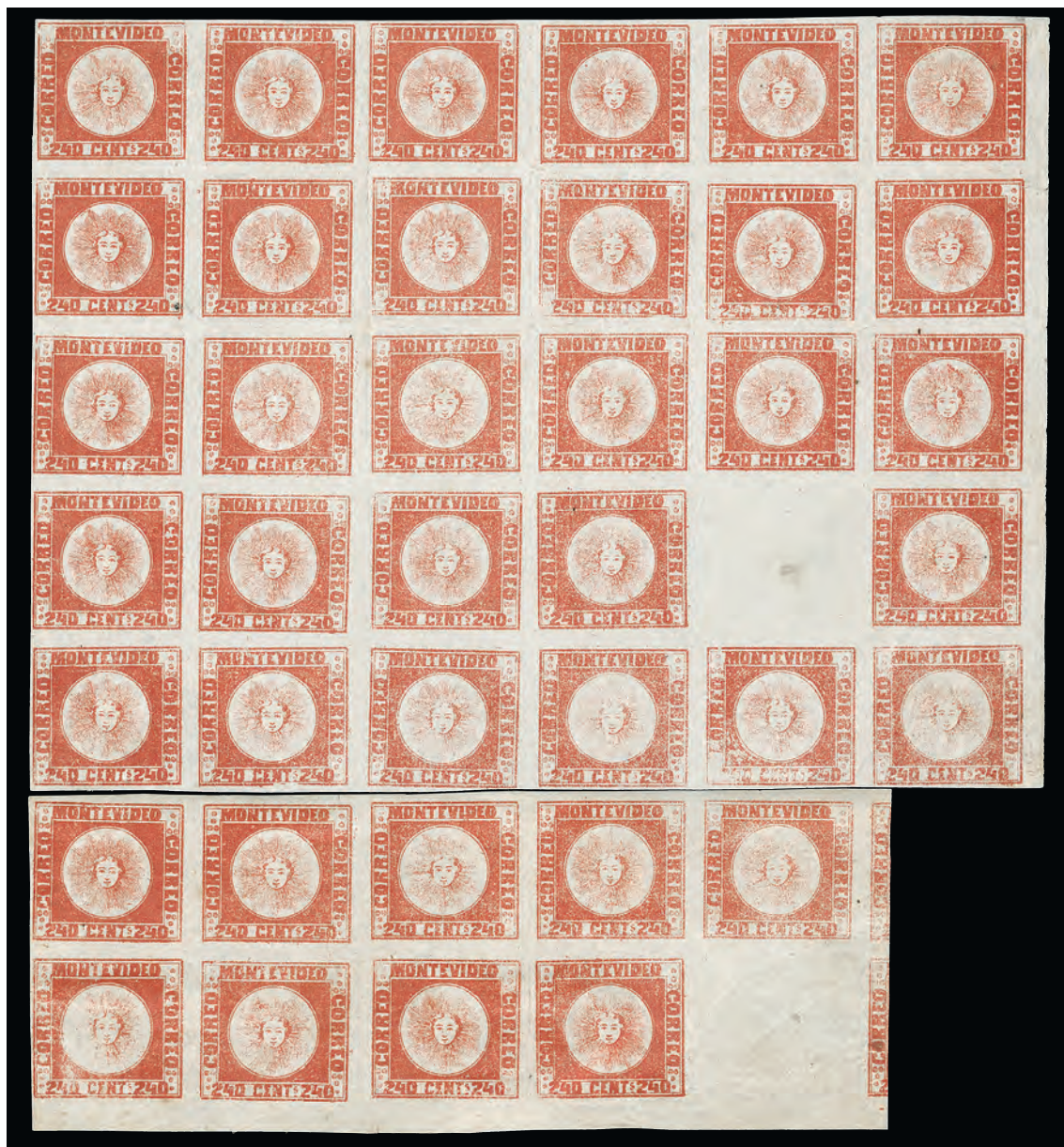
Bottom left block of 42 from the 240-centésimos sheet



BLANK SPACE 5 is in the bottom left corner block of 42 of the reconstructed sheet;
the bottom two rows are the top two rows of the transfer block of 30 squeezed in
at the bottom left of the sheet of 204—the block is ex Burrus

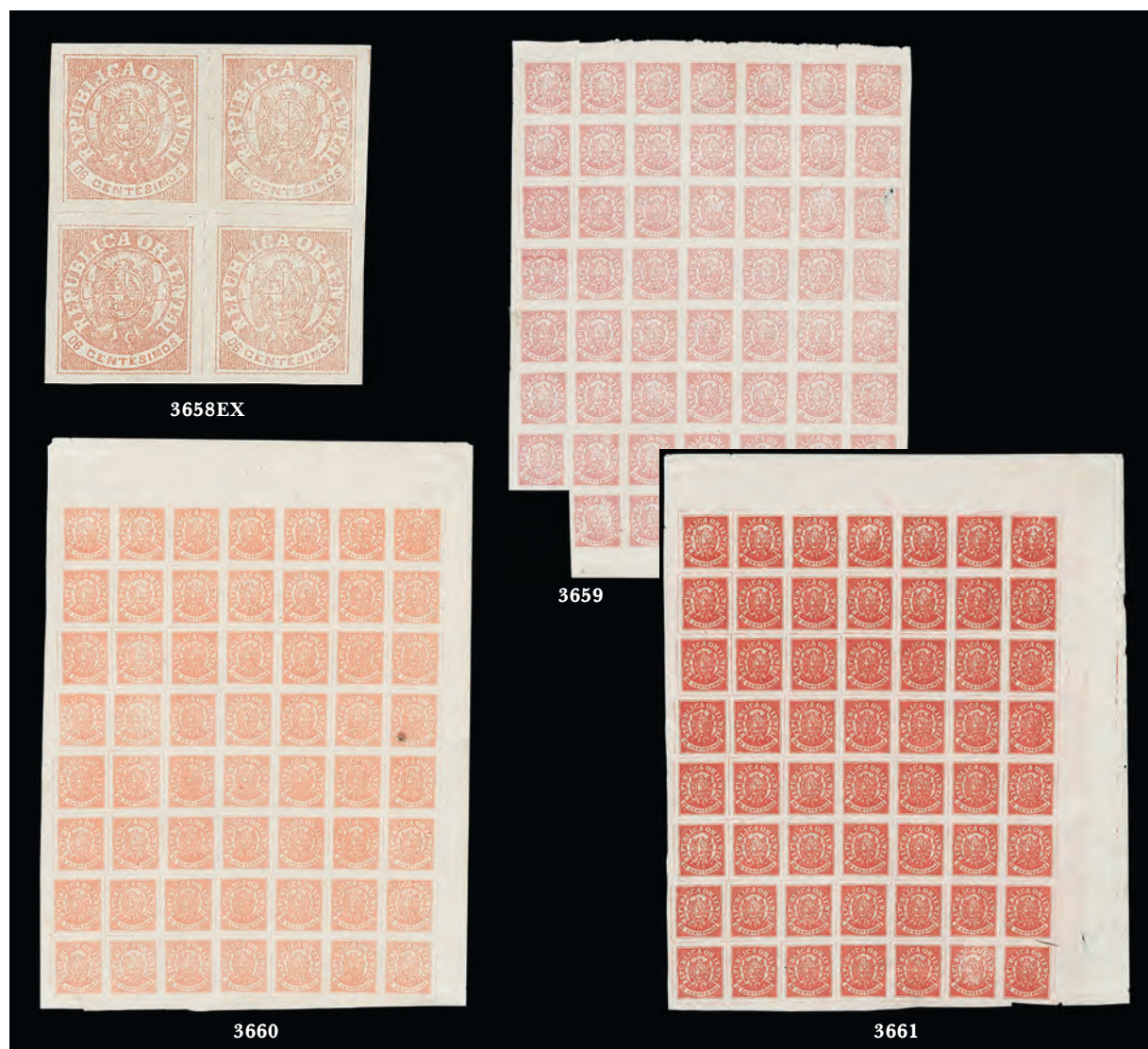
LOT 3657 CONTINUED

Reconstruction of the bottom right of the 240-centésimos sheet



The block of 30 contains BLANK SPACE 6; the bottom block of 10, including BLANK SPACE 7, is the third and fourth rows of the transfer block of 30 squeezed in at the bottom right of the sheet—the block of 10 is ex de Bustamante

SPECIALIZED OFFERING OF THE 1864 AND 1866 ESCUDITOS ISSUES



- 3658 (★) 田 **1864, 6c Shade Group (18-18c, 20)**. Six blocks of four neatly mounted on exhibit page, each block in a distinctive shade ranging from Red, Rose, Blood Red, Brick Red, Vermilion, and the unissued **Salmon** shade, Red and Salmon with **original gum**, others unused (no gum), fresh colors and strong impressions, few minor flaws, otherwise Very Fine group, catalogued as singles, those unlisted in Scott counted as normal Rose shade, Scott \$3,076.00 (Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 400-500
- 3659 (★) 田 **1864, 6c Rose (18)**. Bottom right corner margin **block of 55**, missing position 50 for a complete pane, unused (no gum), rich color and strong impression, few facial scrapes at right (positions 14, 18, 20-21) causing thins (and small hole), couple minor bends, Very Fine appearance and rare, this is the **largest recorded multiple** of this shade, catalogued simply as singles, Scott \$990.00 E. 150-200
- 3660 (★) 田 **1864, 6c Brick Red (18c)**. Top right corner margin **complete pane of 56**, unused (no gum), lovely fresh color and strong impression, position 28 with stain spot and small pinhole, couple minor creases of little consequence, still Very Fine and rare, this is the **only recorded complete pane** of this shade, catalogued as singles, Scott \$6,720.00 E. 750-1,000
- 3661 (★) 田 **1864, 6c Blood Red (18 var)**. Top right corner sheet margin **complete pane of 56**, unused (no gum), exceptionally rich color with an intense impression, small pinhole on position 52 and couple minor creases of little consequence, still Very Fine, an impressive and rare multiple, especially in this vivid shade, this is the **only recorded complete pane** in this shade, catalogued as singles in the Carmine shade which most closely resembles this Blood Red shade, Scott \$2,520.00 E. 400-500



3662

- 3662 ☒ **1864, 6c Rose, 12c Blue (18, 23).** 12c with sheet margins at bottom, tied by two clear strikes of **blue negative "SSS"** cancels of the General Office in Montevideo on folded letter datelined "*Montevideo Marzo 26 de 1864*" and addressed to **Buenos Aires, Argentina**, cover with light overall soiling, otherwise Fine, this is the **only recorded** example of this cancellation on cover, not to mention an exceptionally **early** use prior to the official release of this issue on April 13, ex Lee, with 1989 Holcombe certificate..... E. 500-750



3663

- 3663 ☒ **1864, 8c Rose (18).** Two singles, mostly large margins, just touching outer frameline at top of left stamp, tied by oval grid cancels on folded letter detailed Montevideo Sept. 15, 1864 and addressed to **Buenos Aires, Argentina**, horizontal file fold thru bottom of both stamps, Very Fine appearance, this is the **only recorded** example of this cancel, presumably from Montevideo though without the normal letter or number indicating city of origin, for many years, this cancel has stumped Uruguayan experts as no example is even in the postal archives, with 2004 Rocha certificate E. 300-400



3664

- 3664 ✉ **1864, 6c Brick Red (18c).** Used with **6c Rose** and **12c Blue (18, 23)**, each example with mostly large margins, cancelled by diamond grid cancel on 1865 folded cover to **Buenos Aires**, blue Benito Marini forwarding handstamp at bottom left with Jun. 2, 1865 docketing on flap, Buenos Aires arrival circular datestamp, address partially removed

VERY FINE. A REMARKABLE THREE-COLOR FRANKING OF THE 1864 COAT OF ARMS ESCUDITOS ISSUE TO BUENOS AIRES, ESPECIALLY RARE WITH THE 6-CENTÉSIMOS IN THE BRICK RED SHADE WITH ONLY THREE COVERS RECORDED USED ABROAD.

This cover correctly pays the triple letter rate for international postage. All three of the recorded covers with the 6c Brick Red used abroad are known to Buenos Aires. Signed Fulpus and Calves..... E. 1,500-2,000



3665

- 3665 ✉ **1864, 6c Brick Red (18c).** Huge margins, fresh color, tied by **"Buenos Aires 25 MAR 64"** circular datestamp on folded cover to San Carlos, Montevideo Mar. 26 oval transit datestamp

EXTREMELY FINE AND PHENOMENAL USE. THIS IS THE UNIQUE USE OF THE ESCUDITO ISSUE IN ARGENTINA, USING THE RARE 6-CENTÉSIMOS BRICK RED OVER TWO WEEKS PRIOR TO OFFICIAL RELEASE ON APRIL 13, 1864. ONE OF THE MOST IMPORTANT COVERS OF THE 1864 COAT OF ARMS ESCUDITO ISSUE FOR SEVERAL REASONS.

There are three key factors which make this cover truly remarkable. First, this cover was used from **Buenos Aires, Argentina**. Only assumptions can be made as to why a Uruguay stamp was used in Argentina and why this was accepted for postal use. Secondly, the official release date of this issue was April 13, 1864. While uses as early as March 7 are known, very few examples exist used prior to the release date. Lastly, the 6c Brick Red shade is exceptionally rare on cover with only a small handful of covers known, especially with an example in this premium condition.

Ex Hoffmann. With 2004 Rocha certificate..... E. 1,000-1,500



- 3666 ☒ **1864, 6c Brick Red (18c).** Huge margins, excellent color, tied by boxed "Franca" handstamp with additional strike at left on folded cover datelined "*Colonía, Noviembre 4, 1865*" and addressed to Montevideo, couple mounting marks at sides, Extremely Fine, the 6c Brick Red is the rarest shade of the Escudito issue to find on cover, the example offered here in especially Gem quality, with 1981 Diaz certificate, Scott \$1,400.00..... E. 400-500
- 3667 ☒ **1864, 6c Brick Red (18c).** Large margins, tied by Montevideo Apr. 27, 1865 oval datestamp upon arrival on folded letter datelined "*Durazno, Abril 22 de 1865*", stamp with minor flaw in top right corner, otherwise Very Fine and rare, the 6c Brick Red is the rarest shade of the Escudito issue to find on cover, this cover was accepted but underpaid the 8c rate for two sheets sent domestically, ex Bustamante, Scott \$1,400.00... E. 300-400
- 3668 ☒ **1864, 6c Brick Red (18c).** Horizontal pair, large margins, tied by Montevideo Jul. 27, 1864 oval datestamp on folded letter to **Buenos Aires**, right stamp with slight gum soak, still Very Fine, the 6c Brick Red is the rarest shade of the Escudito issue to find on cover, especially to a foreign destination of which few are known, signed Diaz E. 400-500
- 3669 ☒ **1864, 6c Blood Red, Bisect Used as 3c (18 var).** Bottom left diagonal bisect, tied across the cut by intricate Montevideo postmaster seal on 1876 orange cover to Salto, clear strike of "Detenida por Falta de Franqueo" two-line handstamp for insufficient postage, additionally struck boxed "Archivo" and "Listas 30 Dec. 76" double-circle datestamp as the addressee could not be found, Very Fine and intriguing cover for several reasons, the Escudito issue was discontinued in 1866 making this an exceptionally late use, also the bisect presumably pays a 3c rate which did not exist as the normal rate was 6c, ex Hoffmann E. 400-500

1864 6-CENTÉSIMOS SALMON COAT OF ARMS ESCUDITOS
 THE UNIQUE COMPLETE PANE OF 56
 AN IMPORTANT RARITY OF THIS CLASSIC ISSUE



3670

3670 ★田 **1864, 6c Salmon (20).** Top left corner margin **complete pane** of 56, original gum, few h.r. mostly in margin at top and bottom row, wonderfully fresh color, strong impression, showing various constant plate flaws, pos. 5 with pinpoint thin and a few creases of no consequence

EXTREMELY FINE AND UNIQUE COMPLETE PANE OF 56 OF THE 1864 6-CENTÉSIMOS IN THE UNISSUED SALMON SHADE, SCOTT NO. 20. THIS SHADE WAS PRINTED BUT NEVER ISSUED FOR USE. SINCE ITS DISCOVERY IN 2009, THIS IS ARGUABLY THE MOST IMPORTANT ITEM OF THE 1864 COAT OF ARMS ESCUDITOS ISSUE IN EXISTENCE.

Ex Sciarra. Signed Bolaffi. With 2008 Rocha certificate. Catalogued simply as singles with no premium as unique pane. Scott \$30,800.00 E. 3,000-4,000



3671

- 3671 ★田 1864, 6c Salmon (20). Bottom right corner margin block of 35, positions 22-56, original gum, few h.r. mostly in top and bottom rows, rich color and sharp impression, couple minor facial scuffs affecting a few stamps and couple of creases of little consequence

VERY FINE AND IMPRESSIVE MULTIPLE OF THE UNISSUED 6-CENTÉSIMOS IN THE SALMON SHADE. PRIOR TO THE DISCOVERY OF THE COMPLETE PANE, THIS WAS THE LARGEST RECORDED MULTIPLE OF THIS STAMP IN EXISTENCE. A MAJOR ESCUDITOS RARITY.

Ex Lee and Hoffmann. Catalogued simply as singles. Scott \$19,250.00 E. 2,000-3,000



3672

- 3672 ★田 1864, 6c Salmon (20). Top right corner margin block of nine, large part original gum, positions 5-7/12-14/19-21, pretty and fresh color, clear impression, couple faint toned spots of little consequence, still Very Fine and impressive multiple, this shade was printed but was unissued, catalogued as singles, Scott \$4,950.00
..... E. 500-750



- 3673 (★) **8c Yellow Green, 8c Dark Green, Tête-Bêche Pair (21a).** Two horizontal pairs in distinctive shades, unused (no gum), Yellow Green with vertical crease between stamps, each with shallow thin spots, Very Fine appearance, Scott \$1,700.00 which doesn't distinguish between shades.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 300-400
- 3674 (★)田 **1864, 8c Light Green, 8c Dark Green (21b-21c).** Two multiples on exhibit pages, 8c Light Green top left corner sheet margin block of 36 (6x6), unused (no gum), couple small flaws incl. pinhole and couple toned spots, 8c Dark Green block of 34 with sheet margin at right, unused (no gum), small pinhole, couple minor toned spots and small edge tears, Very Fine appearance, these are the **largest recorded multiples** of each shade, catalogued as singles, Light Green shade catalogued as No. 21b for which it most closely resembles, Scott \$1,540.00.....(Photo Ex) E. 150-200
- 3675 ☒ **1864, 8c Yellow Green (21b).** Huge to large margins, tied by clear strike of Paysandu Nov. 14, 1865 oval datestamp on folded blue cover to Montevideo, Montevideo Nov. 16 oval arrival datestamp, Very Fine and choice, especially scarce in this choice condition, with 1988 B.P.A. certificate, Scott \$1,000.00..... E. 300-400
- 3676 ☒ **1864, 8c Yellow Green (21b).** Huge margins, preprinting crease at left, tied by indistinct Montevideo oval datestamp on 1865 folded letter to Rosario, cover with trivial edge toning, Very Fine, ex Bustamante, Scott \$1,000.00 E. 200-300
- 3677 ☒ **1864, 8c Yellow Green (21b).** Huge to large margins all around, tied by indistinct Montevideo oval datestamp on 1865 cover to Durazno, accompanied by the original enclosure dated Mar. 11, 1865, cover with minor soiling, still Very Fine and scarce, Scott \$1,000.00..... E. 200-300



- 3678 ★田 **1864, 10c Ocher (22a).** Bottom left corner sheet margin **complete pane of 56**, original gum, h.r.'s mostly confined to top and bottom horizontal rows, fresh color, strong impression, manuscript numbers on reverse, some of which has eroded thru to front and marks at top left, few minor creases toned spots, Fine appearance, a rare multiple and the **largest recorded** multiple of this shade, catalogued simply as singles, Scott \$2,240.00 E. 200-300
- 3679 ☒ **1864, 10c Yellow (22).** Horizontal pair and single, large to ample margins, tied and cancelled by Montevideo Nov. 8, 1864 oval datestamps on blue folded cover **to Buenos Aires, Argentina**, fault to top flap, still Very Fine, a rare use with **less than five covers** known with this franking, with 2008 Rocha certificate E. 300-400
- 3680 ☒ **1864, 10c Yellow (22).** Three singles, mostly large margins, cancelled by dotted grids on folded letter datelined in Pelotas on May 25, 1865 and addressed **to Buenos Aires, Argentina**, some splitting along internal folds, still Very Fine, a rare use with **less than five covers** known with this franking E. 300-400
- 3681 ☒ **1864, 10c Ocher (22a).** Used **with 8c Green (21)**, each with large to full margins, tied by Montevideo Oct. 2, 1865 oval datestamp on folded cover **to Buenos Aires, Argentina**, small cover repair at top not affecting stamps, Extremely Fine, paying the 18c double rate to Argentina, both the 8c and 10c are quite scarce on cover in their own right, the combination of both is very rare, signed Calves and with 1991 Behr certificate E. 400-500



- 3682 ☒ **1864, 10c Ocher (22a).** Huge margins all around, tied by indistinct Montevideo oval datestamp on folded letter datelined in Montevideo on Dec. 16, 1864 and addressed to Durazno, Very Fine, a choice single franking use, ex Diaz, Scott \$1,300.00 as Yellow shade E. 300-400
- 3683 **1864, 12c Blue (23).** Horizontal **interpanneau gutter pair**, bold color, shallow thin and couple minute toned spots, Very Fine, this is the **only recorded interpanneau gutter pair**, while it was always assumed the 12c Escudito was printed in sheets of 224 comprising four panes of 56, before this discovery pair in 2008, there was a lack of physical proof, a key item for the specialist of this interesting issue E. 400-500
- 3684 ★田 **1864, 12c Blue (23).** Bottom left corner margin **complete pane of 56**, h.r.'s mostly confined to top row and bottom margin, lovely fresh color and sharp impression, control handstamp at bottom left, marginal tear in bottom margin, few creases, couple light thins and toned spots mostly at top right, Very Fine appearance, the **largest recorded multiple** of this shade, catalogued as singles, Scott \$924.00 E. 150-200
- 3685 (★)田 **1864, 12c Dark Blue (23a).** Bottom right corner **block of 54**, missing two stamps from the bottom left for a complete pane, unused (no gum), intense shade and strong impression on bright paper, few facial scuffs causing thins and mild horizontal bend, Very Fine appearance, this is the **largest recorded multiple** of this shade, catalogued as singles, Scott \$1,485.00 E. 200-300



- 3686 ☒ **1864, 12c Slate Blue (23b).** Huge margins all around, tied by Montevideo Nov. 23, 1865 oval datestamp on folded cover **to Rosario, Argentina**, blue Marini Garcia oval forwarding handstamp at bottom left, Buenos Aires transit datestamp, Extremely Fine, a handsome cover with a Gem example of the 12c Slate Blue, Scott \$650.00 E. 150-200
- 3687 ☒ **1864, 12c Blue, Bisect Used as 6c (23 var).** Top half of horizontal bisect, tied across the cut by blue Porongos oval cancel on ca. 1864-65 folded cover to Montevideo, missing small piece of top flap, Very Fine and rare, **less than five bisected covers** are thought to exist paying the 6c domestic rate, with 1991 Holcombe certificate E. 400-500
- 3688 ☒ **1864, 12c Blue, Bisect Used as 6c (23 var).** Right half of vertical bisect, tied by Montevideo oval cancel on folded letter datelined Jan. 19, 1865 and addressed to Durazno, some slight usage soiling, Very Fine and rare, **less than five bisected covers** are thought to exist paying the 6c domestic rate, with 2000 Rocha certificate E. 400-500
- 3689 (★)田 **1866, 5c on 12c Blue (24).** Top right corner margin **complete pane** of 56, unused (no gum), showing the substituted cliché in position 30, with a few other prominent subtypes and vertical hairline fracture of plate extending from position 28 to 42, bold color, strengthened along edges which also mend some marginal tears, few trivial toned spots and mild creasing, still Very Fine, an exceptional rarity of the Escuditos Surcharged issue and one of the most important items to acquire, this complete pane was unknown to collectors prior to its first offering in 2009, ex Sciarra, signed Bolaffi, with 2008 Rocha certificate, catalogued simply as singles, Scott \$2,128.00 E. 300-400



- 3690 (★) 1866, 5c on 12c Blue (24). Irregular block of eighteen, unused (no gum), positions 6-7/11-14/18-21/25-28/32-35 from the top right pane, bold color with particularly strong impression, position 6 with facial scuff causing thin and position 21 with toned spot, couple minor creases, otherwise Very Fine and rare multiple, prior to the discovery of the complete pane in 2009 (see Lot 3689), this was the largest known multiple, ex Lee, Hubbard, and "Victoria", catalogued simply as singles, Scott \$684.00..... E. 150-200
- 3691 ☒ 1866, 5c on 12c Blue (24). Large margins all around, tied by "Sunburst" cancel with corresponding Montevideo Jan. 8, 1866 oval datestamp at left on folded cover to **Buenos Aires, Argentina**, Very Fine and rare, **less than ten covers** are recorded used during the provisional period of use for this surcharged issue which lasted only ten days from Jan. 1-10, 1866, there are a handful of covers known after this provisional period, with 2009 Rocha certificate E. 400-500
- 3692 ☒ 1866, 5c on 12c Blue (24). Huge balanced margins, tied by Mercedes oval cancel on 1866 cover to **Buenos Aires, Argentina**, Extremely Fine and pristine use, the only example recorded from Mercedes, **less than ten covers** are recorded used during the provisional period of use for this surcharged issue which lasted only ten days from Jan. 1-10, 1866, there are a handful of covers known after this provisional period, ex Kneitschel E. 400-500
- 3693 (★) 1866, 10c on 8c Bright Green, Tête-Bêche Pair (25b). Block of four from the center position of the sheet, unused (no gum), bright shade, horizontal and vertical crease mostly in margin, small thin spot in center margin, Very Fine appearance, a remarkable position piece containing positions 56 (top left pane), 50 (top right pane), 7 (bottom left pane) and 1 (bottom right pane), **only three** center tête-bêche blocks are recorded, with 1981 Diaz and 2008 Rocha certificates (neither mentioning any faults) E. 400-500
- 3694 ★ 1866, 10c on 8c Bright Green, Tête-Bêche Pair (25b). Vertical block of eight (2x4) from the right part of the sheet, unused (no gum), top horizontal pair tête-bêche in orientation to the bottom block of six containing positions 1-2 of the top right pane and 6-7/13-14/20-21 from bottom right pane, bold color and strong impression, mild horizontal crease mostly in margin between stamps not mentioned on accompanying certificate, still Very Fine and handsome multiple, with 2008 Scheller certificate, catalogued as two pairs, Scott \$650.00 E. 150-200



- 3695 ✉ **1866, 10c on 8c Bright Green (25).** Large balanced margins, tied by boxed “Franca” handstamp with corresponding Carmelo oval handstamp at right on ca. 1866 blue folded cover to Montevideo, cover with slight reinforcement along folds, Very Fine, a handsome and rare use, the provisional period was only on sale from Jan. 1-10, 1866..... E. 300-400
- 3696 **1866, 10c on 8c Bright Green, 20c on 6c Rose (25, 27).** Two singles of 20c, each stamp with large to full margins, 10c tied by blue Salto double-circle datestamp on 1866 registered cover front only to Montevideo, blue “Certificado” in oval at each corner also cancelling 20c stamps, arrival notation on reverse dated Jan. 11, 1866 by recipient, stamps with minor soiling, otherwise Fine, this is the **only recorded** registered use during the provisional surcharge period lasting Jan. 1-10, 1866, as was required, cover fronts were returned to the post office as proof of receipt, with 2004 Rocha certificate E. 400-500
- 3697 (★) 田 **1866, 20c on 6c Shade Group (27-28).** Nine blocks of four mounted on exhibit page, shades ranging from Rose (Pale to Dark), Red (Light to Blood Red) and even three unissued **Brick Red** examples in slightly varying shades, unused (no gum) or original gum (including one of the Brick Red blocks), few small flaws but mostly Fine-Very Fine, catalogued as singles, Scott \$6,360.00 (Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 500-750
- 3698 (★) 田 **1866, 20c on 6c Rose Red (27a).** Bottom left corner margin **complete pane** of 56, unused (no gum), excellent color with uncommonly sharp impression, barest trace of wrinkling and horizontal creases mostly confined to top margin, few stray light toned spots, still Very Fine and impressively rare multiple, **one of only two complete panes** of this shade recorded, catalogued simply as singles, Scott \$2,380.00 E. 300-400

1866 20-CENT SURCHARGE
ON 6-CENTÉSIMOS BRICK RED ESCUDITOS COAT OF ARMS
THE UNIQUE DISCOVERY COMPLETE PANE OF 56
AN INDESPENSIBLE RARITY FOR AN AWARD-WINNING EXHIBIT



3699

3699 ★田 1866, 20c on 6c Brick Red (28). Bottom left corner margin **complete pane** of 56, original gum, h.r.'s mostly confined to margins and top row, showing **double surcharge** on position 53 (28a) and position 56 **with surcharge omitted**, lovely fresh color with clear impression, manuscript control mark at top left, few creases and the occasional light toned spot

VERY FINE. A TRULY REMARKABLE ORIGINAL GUM COMPLETE PANE OF 56 OF THE 20-CENTESIMOS SURCHARGE IN THE UNISSUED BRICK RED SHADE SHOWING THE DOUBLE SURCHARGE AND MISSING SURCHARGE ERRORS. THIS IS THE ONLY KNOWN COMPLETE PANE AND ONE OF THE MOST IMPORTANT ITEMS OF THE SURCHARGED ESCUDITOS ISSUE IN EXISTENCE.

Prior to it's discovery and sale in 2009, this item was completely unknown to Uruguayan experts and collectors of the past such as Hoffmann & Lee. Ex Sciarra. Signed Bolaffi. With 2008 Rocha certificate. Catalogued simply as singles with no premium as a pane or the missing surcharge (unlisted). Scott \$25,300.00 E. 3,000-4,000

3700 (★)田 1866, 20c on 6c Brick Red (28). Bottom margin **block of four**, unused (no gum), particularly rich shade and strong impression, couple filled thins, Extremely Fine appearance, prior to the discovery of the complete pane (see Lot 3699), a block of four was the largest multiple recorded, less than five are thought to exist, catalogued as singles, Scott \$1,800.00 E. 200-300



3700

1866 SURCHARGED AND NUMERAL ISSUE
 POSTAL DOCUMENT ANNOUNCEMENT
 A UNIQUE AND HISTORICAL DOCUMENT



3701

3701

1866 Surcharged and Numeral Issue Postal Document Announcement. Two page handwritten letter dated June 13, 1866 and sent from the Director of Posts for Uruguay, Alejandro Gutierrez, to the Belgian Consulate in Montevideo, letter announcing the 1866 Large Numeral issue which was due to replace the 1866 Provisional surcharge issue, set of each of the issued stamps, the surcharged issue tied by Montevideo Jun. 13, 1866 oval datestamps and the Numeral issue tied by the barred "A" cancel which was introduced at the same time, stamps with minor toning

VERY FINE. A REMARKABLE OFFICIAL POSTAL ANNOUNCEMENT BETWEEN URUGUAY AND BELGIUM FOR THE CHANGE OF ISSUED STAMPS. THIS DOCUMENT WAS ONLY SENT TO COUNTRIES WITH WHICH URUGUAY HAD POSTAL RELATIONS AND THE ONLY KNOWN SURVIVING DOCUMENT FOR THESE ISSUES.

A key item for any collection of either the Surcharged issue or the Large Numeral issue. Ex Dale-Lichtenstein. With 2008 Rocha certificate. E. 1,000-1,500



3702EX

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1864-66 Jean de Sperati Reproductions.

Exceptional group of 53 items neatly mounted on four exhibit pages (two double pages), both unused and "used", with examples of the 1864 6c, 8c, and 12c, plus each value of the 1866 Surcharged Issue (5c on 12c thru 20c on 6c), clearly identifying the different Hoffmann types, with singles, pairs, blocks and even a complete **tête-bêche pane of 64 of the 8c Green**, the 1866 Surcharged issue originate from the Ciardi archives are some of the hardest to identify as Sperati often used genuine underlying stamps with forged overprints, often errors, to enhance value of the stamps

VERY FINE. A REMARKABLE ASSEMBLEGE OF JEAN DE SPERATI FORGERIES OF THE 1864 AND 1866 SURCHARGED ISSUE OF URUGUAY. A USEFUL GROUP FOR ANY SPECIALIST IN THESE ISSUES.

This is the largest single offering of Jean de Sperati reproductions of these issues that we are aware of.

..(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 1,000-1,500

3703

The Exceptional Collection Balance of the 1864 Escuditos and 1866 Surcharged Issues. Neatly mounted on exhibit pages, in-depth coverage of both issues covering all aspects relating to the issued stamps from color shades for each value, many of which are in multiples ranging from blocks of four to partial panes, plate flaws identifying the various positions on the pane, various cancellation devices used from different towns, and postal history including **over 65 covers** (or fronts) with both domestic and uses to Argentina, highlights of the 1864 issue include 6c Brick Red covers (2), unissued 6c Salmon with seven unused singles, pair and block of four (Scott 20), 8c tête-bêche pair (2) and block, 10c cover, 12c bisect used on pieces (4), the 1866 Surcharge issue including 5c on 12c covers (5), 10c on 8c various tête-bêche pairs and blocks, plus various overprint errors such as inverted, double and pair with one missing, we notice over fifteen certificates (mostly Diaz or Rocha) with other material signed as well, some mixed condition but mostly Fine or better overall, a wonderful balance collection which should be carefully viewed for full appreciation.....(Website PDF) E. 2,000-3,000

3704 ★★ **VATICAN CITY, 1934, 2.051 on 21, 2.551 on 2.501 Provisional Surcharges, Without Comma (37a, 38a; Sassone A37g, A38i).** Mint N.H., 2.551 shows tiny dot in place of comma (making it Sassone A38i), 2.051 is particularly well-centered, bright colors, Very Fine, these are the only two values from the set that come with this variety, each signed Avi, and with his 2019 certificates, Scott \$3,600.00, Sassone €2,000(Photo Ex) E. 500-750



3704EX

END OF SESSION FOUR

SESSION FIVE (LOTS 3705-3823)

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 2, 2021, AT 4:00 P.M.

COLLECTION LOTS BY COUNTRY OR AREA

- 3705 ☒ **Argentina Exceptional Collection of Stampless Covers.** Over 140 stampless covers ranging from 1770s-1870s, many neatly mounted on exhibit pages but also loose and on dealer or auction lot cards, with obvious heavy focus on the various markings of Buenos Aires but we also notice strikes from Cordoba, Jujuy, Mendoza, Mercedes, Rosario, St. Nicholas, Salta, San Juan, Santiago de Estero, and Tucuman, wide range of uses including Official correspondence and destinations around South America, plus others to Europe and the U.S. towards the later period, some rare strikes noticed, some only used for a period of less than a year, even two examples with the blue Mensagerias pictorial stage coach handstamp, some mixed condition and a few fronts but much is Fine-Very Fine, a fantastic basis from which to build an important collection
.....(Website PDF) E. 2,000-3,000
- 3706 **Argentina Collection Accumulation.** Main base of the collection housed on stockpages in seven albums spanning the period of the 1860s Rivadavia Issue thru 1990s, we notice numerous medium priced items with values to several hundred each, some duplication present, even the occasional proof item, rest of the collection mostly loose and on stock cards with better items scattered with singles and better souvenir sheets, though we do notice a specialized collection of the 1877 and 1882 Rivadavia Overprints on pages, plus a large group of covers and stationery with some interesting early frankings, some slightly mixed condition but much is Fine or better E. 3,000-4,000
- 3707 **Argentina 1910 Centenary of the Republic, the Definitive Specialized Offering.** Exceptional collection amassed over the course of many years through auctions, mail sales and private acquisitions through dealers such as Brian Moorhouse, with just **over 2,800 items** as singles or contained in pairs, blocks, imprint blocks, part and complete panes, the main focus on the pre-production material of **proofs and essays** of this colorful issue, begins with the various unadopted designs proposed by the South American Bank Note Company in Buenos Aires including perforated examples with varieties, issued stamps organized by denomination with strong coverage from the ½c-20p including die proofs on issued paper and cards, color trials in a myriad of orientations, photographic models from which the stamp was inspired, among much more, even includes four examples of the 12c imperforate with inverted center, some issued stamps including scarce inverted and reversed watermarks, imprint blocks, etc. and over 30 covers

VERY FINE. AN IMPRESSIVE OFFERING OF THE 1910 CENTENARY OF THE REPUBLIC ISSUE CONTAINING NUMEROUS PROOFS AND ESSAYS, AS WELL AS UNADOPTED DESIGNS AND ISSUED STAMPS AND COVERS. THE PERFECT FOUNDATION FROM WHICH TO ORGANIZE AND BUILD AN AWARD WINNING EXHIBIT.

Careful viewing is highly encouraged to appreciate the full depth of material this collection contains which could easily spark an interest in building an impressive exhibit
.....(Website PDF) E. 10,000-15,000
- 3708 P **Argentina Impressive Offering of Proofs & Essays.** Over **1,900 items** as singles or contained in pairs, blocks and even panes covering the period from 1890s-1920s, we even notice some rejected/unadopted designs, wide variety of material from various die proofs, large die, compound die, model proofs, plate proofs on paper or card, and color trials of numerous issues from the period mentioned, quite a bit of Rivadavia designs incl. panes of 100 of the 1860s 5c, 10c and 15c designs in Black, most of the material bought individually from mail sales with original descriptions accompanying, mostly Fine-Very Fine, careful viewing is encouraged as offerings of this size are rarely encountered.....
.....(Website PDF) E. 2,000-3,000
- 3709 **Argentina Revenue Accumulation.** Many thousands mostly on album pages, wide range of 19th Century and early 20th Century, with duplication including some Corboda in large multiples, includes some of the 1913 Rosario Prostitution stamps, a few documents, proofs and other interesting items, mixed condition E. 500-750
- 3710 ★ **Armenia Collection.** 1919-1922, on homemade album pages, and some on stockpages and loose, nearly complete for all of the major Scott numbers, plus numerous varieties throughout, both listed and unlisted, also some covers (mostly post-independence when part of the U.S.S.R.), labels, and a few revenues, Fine-Very Fine, this appears to be a genuine effort to collect this difficult country, but since the overprints have not been expertized they must be offered on their merits (if all were certified, we would increase our estimate by many multiples), see the PDF scan on our website
.....(Website PDF) E. 1,000-1,500

- 3711 **Bahamas Collection Balance.** Neatly mounted on Palo album pages to about 1970, both unused and used, better early Victoria incl. 1861 1p-6p with Rough Perf 14-16, Nos. 6-7, 8-10, plus unused and used 1883 "Four Pence" overprint, high degree of completion from King Edward VII onwards incl. additional shades of King George VI definitives, few specialized items such as two 1859 1p with pen stroke (Specimen), two 4p Black Plate Proofs on card, few "Specimen" sets and even an Edward VII £1 Sperati photographic proof, six certificates accompany, mostly Fine-Very Fine ...**(Website PDF)** E. 2,000-3,000
- 3712 ★ **Bahamas Collection.** Mounted on stock pages, most of the value focused around "Specimen" Overprints which appears virtually complete from Queen Victoria thru King George VI incl. the 1938 Definitive and 1942 Overprint sets, incl. some extra incomplete sets with the total SG value exceeding £4,500, also with issued stamps in complete sets from 1948 to 1960s, plus some duplicates, mostly Fine-Very Fine**(Website PDF)** E. 1,000-1,500
- 3713 **Bahamas Varieties Collection Balance.** 32 items, each identified on Palo album pages, includes SG-listed plate varieties, watermark errors and a few unlisted items such as "Extra Tree Trunk" and No. B1 (SG 90) with clear doubling of bottom value tablet (with B.P.A. certificate as "fortuitous variant"), most with values ranging from £40-£800 and includes 1884 2½p Sloping "2", various King George VI varieties such as SG No. 162c, No. E1a (SG S1a, traces of original gum), and much more, few small flaws but mostly Fine-Very Fine, SG value around £4,500**(Website PDF)** E. 1,000-1,500
- 3714 ☒ **Bahamas Specialized Postal History Balance.** 52 covers, interesting and eclectic range of stampless 19th century incl. 1802 and 1854 covers and "Bahamas" straightline, five Queen Victoria covers incl. four 4p (SG 26-27) and one 6p (SG 32) with better markings such as two "Unclaimed" (one to Jamaica) and "Cannot be Found", few Special Delivery incl. one mixed-franking with Canada War Tax, plus a group of cancels on cover incl. Cat Cay, Cu-toa-House, Gray's, Green Turtle Bay, Marsh Harbour, Pirate Well, and Rock Sound, and a few ship cancels, mostly Fine-Very Fine, worth close inspection**(Website PDF)** E. 1,000-1,500
- 3715 **British Commonwealth Dealer's Stock.** The Excelsior Collection stock neatly laid out on sales cards and stockcards, early to modern, with a good portion 20th Century, useful sets and singles throughout, with unused (including many Mint N.H.) and used, catalogue value from a few dollars to several hundred (\$847.00 was the highest we saw), popular areas such as Falkland Islands, India, and Malaya are represented, overall a very clean stock with hardly any faults, Fine-Very Fine, Scott value is about \$130,000.00..... E. 15,000-20,000
- 3716 ★ **British Commonwealth Unused Collection.** Housed in 20 Scott Specialty albums, from a large number of colonies, a small portion is 19th Century, which is mainly definitives from the later part of the century, vast majority is 20th Century, from 1900-1936, no King George VI, but includes substantial QEII, which is complete or nearly so for many colonies, many going to the early 1980s, the early period includes complete sets, short or broken sets, and high values, the overall quality is much nicer than usually found, the early issues are mostly fresh and lightly hinged, though we spot-checked the better values and noticed several Mint Never-Hinged from this period, nearly all of the QEII is Mint Never-Hinged, Fine-Very Fine throughout, a clean and highly saleable collection, the PDF scans on our website represent just a tiny fraction of pages in the earlier period**(Website Highlights PDF)** E. 10,000-15,000
- 3717 **British Commonwealth Highly Desirable Holding.** Many dozens of items, most of which were purchased at auction as singles, sets, or collection lots, a large percentage is unused from the late 19th to mid-20th Century, some used and Specimen sets, loaded with very saleable sets and high values, some specialized material and varieties, such as Selangor 1895 50c Dull Purple & Greenish Black with dented frame (SG 59a), majority Fine-Very Fine, the PDF on our website will show just how impressive this lot is**(Website PDF)** E. 7,500-10,000
- 3718 **British Commonwealth Assortment.** In a couple stockbooks, used classics to modern Mint N.H. sets, a good portion of the value is in pre-1950 unused sets, better areas include classic Ceylon, Australian States, solid run of Leeward Islands, various British Africa, and more, early stamps in mixed quality, more modern issues are Fine-Very Fine E. 1,000-1,500
- 3719 **British Commonwealth Balance.** Eleven stamps, six with certificates (good, bad, and in between), Canada used No. 1 and \$1.00 Jubilee, couple varieties such as Bermuda SG 197w (£1,400, tiny tear), mixed condition.....**(Website PDF)** E. 750-1,000
- 3720 **British Commonwealth Accumulation.** Hundreds and hundreds of items in stockbooks, album pages, glassines, sales cards, etc., early to modern, with a large percentage from the 20th Century, somewhat disorganized, we noticed better items mixed in more mundane, so viewing is essential..... E. 500-750

- 3721 ☒ **British Commonwealth Covers.** About 800, each in individual sleeve with price, wide range of colonies, stampless to 1970s, through most are WWII or earlier, most in the \$20.00-\$50.00 range, some higher (up to \$250.00), large percentage Fine-Very Fine E. 2,000-3,000
- 3722 **British America Collection.** In two Scott albums, one album is Canada that goes to 1990, the other is the rest of the colonies that goes to the early 1960s, various unused and used stamps, complete sets, short sets and single values, Canada includes a complete set of the 1897 Jubilees (mixed unused and used), useful medium priced items from other colonies, mixed condition, much is Fine-Very Fine E. 1,500-2,000
- 3723 **Canadian Provinces Collection.** On Lighthouse hingeless pages, value in Newfoundland, early issues include unused (regummed) No. 3 with Green Foundation certificate, 20th Century unused sets, Air Post including DO-X and Balbo, and numerous varieties (listed and unlisted), such as a fresh lightly hinged copy of No. 88c (Green Foundation certificate), plus forgeries, revenues, and a useful representation of other provinces, mixed condition(Website Highlights PDF) E. 1,500-2,000
- 3724 ★ **Canadian Provinces - Newfoundland Unused Collection.** Hinged on album pages, with 1861 Pence issue values to 1sh, picks up with 1897 Issue and large degree of completion onwards, missing a few of the Surcharged issues, Back-of-Book with Air Post incl. Nos. C2-C3, 1932 DO-X and 1933 Balbo, mostly Fine-Very Fine..(Website PDF) E. 750-1,000
- 3725 **Canada Collection.** In an album and stockbook, the album is a Schaubek hingeless that goes to 1979 and contains straightforward stamps including a complete set of the Jubilees, the stockbook is more valuable and interesting, as it contains proofs (including Provinces), multiples, varieties, a nice group of Air Post Semi-Officials, including No. CLP2 single and tête-bêche pair, and more, mixed condition, the better 20th Century items are generally Fine-Very Fine E. 3,000-4,000
- 3726 **Canada and Provinces Collection.** To 1962 in a Scott album, some early used, Jubilees to \$2.00, 20th Century unused and used, Back-of-Book, Provinces contain early used stamps and a nice run of unused 20th Century Newfoundland, mixed condition. E. 1,000-1,500
- 3727 ★ **Canada Unused Group.** Over 100 stamps on stockpages, from the 1898 Jubilee issue to the 1930s, many middle values and a few high values, slight duplication (no more than four of one stamp), all with original gum except the 10c King Edward VII is regummed, large percentage Mint N.H., fresh and Fine-Very Fine lot, Scott value a little over \$5,600.00(Website PDF) E. 750-1,000
- 3728 **Canada Collection.** To 1992 in a Darnell hingeless album, a few used 19th Century including one cover, value in unused 20th Century, which is complete from the 1940s onward, also a run of early Wildlife Conservation stamps, including Quebec 1988-92 in both booklet and sheet of four forms, and four from Alberta, much is Mint N.H., most Fine-Very Fine E. 500-750
- 3729 **Canada Collection.** To 1958 in a Scott album, some early used, Jubilees to \$2.00, 20th Century unused and used, Back-of-Book, slight duplication including three unused 50c Bluenose, mixed condition..... E. 500-750
- 3730 **Canada 1868-76 15c Large Queen Shade and Cancel Study.** 82 examples, with wide ranging and distinctive shades of the various printings, we notice a few varieties such as re-entries, plate scratches and thicker paper, some interesting cancels, slightly mixed condition though much is Fine or better, an interesting group for the specialist(Website PDF) E. 750-1,000
- 3731 **Cape of Good Hope, 1855 4p Blue Small Group (4-4b; SG 6-6a).** Includes six singles, four square pairs, block of three and four, and four covers, nice range of shades, we notice a few Gem quality examples, few small flaws but mostly Very Fine(Website PDF) E. 500-750
- 3732 **China Accumulation.** Mostly in stockbooks, early 1900s to modern P.R.C., much is lower-end material, but there are some better items sprinkled throughout, includes a bit of Hong Kong and Japan, mixed condition E. 400-500
- 3733 ★ **China 1943 50c on 16c Provincial Surcharges Large Accumulation (527-530; Chan 628/641).** More than 2,000 mostly unused stamps on stockpages, sorted out by province, many multiples including part sheets, useful quantities of better including Anhwei Bars (20), Hupeh on East Szechwan Bars (60), Chekiang Numerals (41), etc., these elusive stamps are almost never found in such quantity, also over 75 of the Perf 10½-11½ varieties, without gum as issued, most Fine-Very Fine, and unusually large and old-time accumulation of these provincial surcharges.....(Website PDF) E. 4,000-5,000

- 3734 ★★田 **1942-45 Japanese Occupation of Meng Chiang and North China Multiples Collection.** Sun Yat-sen and Martyrs with Japanese Occupation overprints, over 250 large blocks (more than 11,000 stamps total) with **printer's code** in the selvage, most are complete panes of 50, a large number with **imprints and plate numbers** in the top or bottom selvage, excellent range of New Peking shades, die, and paper varieties, with some duplication, several of the better are individually described with typewritten notes, overwhelming majority Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine, basic Scott value over \$22,000.00, but that does not take into account premiums for salvage markings or Ma-listed die and paper varieties, assembled over more than three decades from a wide variety of sources around the globe, it is quite likely the largest group of these ever offered at one time
.....(Website PDF) E. 4,000-5,000
- 3735 ☒ **China Covers.** Eight domestic covers, seven franked with various overprinted and unoverprinted Waterlow Dragons, one with 3c Junk, variety of cancels and markings, including registration and two red "tombstone", mixed condition
.....(Website PDF) E. 400-500
- 3736 ☒ **China Covers.** Over 70, 1890s-1960s, mostly commercial mail with a wide variety of franking and uses, Fine-Very Fine, see the PDF on our website for the range of items
.....(Website PDF) E. 400-500
- 3737 ★★ **China, People's Republic Collection.** 1970-2000, housed in three stockbooks and **complete for the 30 year period**, completely Mint N.H. throughout and surprisingly fresh overall, includes all sets and generally se-tenant strips and blocks where issued, even with 1980 Monkey stamp with minimal black offset, all souvenir sheets including the 1978 Science Conference, 1979 Science, 1980 Science Exhibition sheets, and others, numerous unexploded booklets for each issue, Very Fine, a scarce opportunity to acquire the entire 30 year period in pristine condition E. 10,000-15,000
- 3738 ★★ **China, People's Republic Collection.** 1949-2011, in thirteen Lindner albums, a few better early issues such as 1950 Surcharges (Nos. 35-48), better sets from the early 1960s such as 1960 Goldfish, 1960-61 Chrysanthemums, 1963 Monkeys both perf and imperf, a few better Cultural Revolution, including 1967 Thoughts of Mao, with both se-tenant strips of five (light fold between second and third stamps as usual), many souvenir sheets, including all of the better from the 1970s, such as 1979 Science, also 1980 Gu Dong booklet, substantially complete from the mid-1980s onward, a few scattered used, appears to be all Mint N.H. or no gum as issued, Fine-Very Fine E. 4,000-5,000
- 3739 ★★ **China, People's Republic Accumulation.** On a few hundred sales pages, sets and singles, some early stamps including reprints, a fair amount is from 1977 to the 1990s, looks like mostly lower-end sets in varying quantities, with some medium priced items sprinkled in, Mint N.H. or without gum as issued, Fine-Very Fine E. 300-400
- 3740 ☒ **China, People's Republic First Day Cover Accumulation.** Several hundred from 1952 Liberation of Tibet Issue thru 1990s, predominately unaddressed, some with cachets, we notice some but not excessive duplication, good range of material from the 1950s-70s including a few scarce sets, mostly Very Fine E. 2,000-3,000
- 3741 ☒ **Cuba Stampless Covers.** Over 110, each in individual sleeve, 1830s-1860s, domestic and overseas uses, including a few inbound, wide range of postmarks including various international transits and forwarding agents, includes a correspondence to New York, slightly mixed condition, mostly Fine-Very Fine(Website PDF) E. 750-1,000
- 3742 ★ **Cuba Postal Stationery Mint Collection.** 1878-1910, covering the Spanish, United States, and Independent eras, over 170 items, with postal cards, intact reply cards, envelopes (various sizes) and wrappers, mostly different including several varieties, the U.S. includes twelve with "Specimen" overprints, a few with minor toning, otherwise quite fresh and Fine-Very Fine E. 750-1,000
- 3743 ★ **Cyprus Unused Collection.** To 1963 neatly arranged on stockpages, 1880 Surcharges and Overprints to 1sh, including 1p plate 174, 1881 set of five stamps, 1882 ½pi Surchage watermark CC, both King Edward VII definitive sets, King George V to 90pi, the 1928 and 1934 Pictorial sets, various King George VI and QEII sets, the early issues in mixed quality including a few no gum, otherwise Fine-Very Fine
.....(Website PDF) E. 1,500-2,000
- 3744 ★★ **Czechoslovakia Collection.** 1945-1964, in a stockbook, appears to be complete for the period, including Air Post, other Back-of-Book, and souvenir sheets, also some new issues from the later 1960s, contains the key items such as 1952 Bratislava souvenir sheet, Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine, Scott value about \$1,100.00 E. 150-200
- 3745 ☒ **Estonia Covers.** 22, five stampless, others franked with various Estonia stamps, most to Germany, Austria, or Switzerland, many registered, Fine-Very Fine
.....(Website PDF) E. 300-400

- 3746 ★ **Europe Group of Better 20th Century.** Germany Nothilfe souvenir sheet (Mint N.H., light margin crease), three Berlin Bear souvenir sheets (Mint N.H.), two Luxembourg Intellectual sets (one lightly hinged, the other has several Mint N.H. including the top values), and Luxembourg 1923 10fr Souvenir Sheet (gum crease), Fine-Very Fine (Website PDF) E. 1,000-1,500
- 3747 **Europe Accumulation.** Filling two boxes, stamps and covers in several albums, some album pages, and loose, heaviest in Switzerland, Germany, Netherlands, and Scandinavia, other countries includes some non-European, mixed condition E. 1,000-1,500
- 3748 ★ **Falkland Islands Queen Victoria Specialized Group.** Neatly mounted on homemade pages and organized by Stanley Gibbons Nos., mostly unused with a few used examples, includes both cut-down franks (SG FR1-FR2), 1878-79 First Issue with 1p and 4p (latter with thin and clear R.P.S. certificate), strong representation of 1891 Issue with various shades noted, 1898 2sh6p and 5sh with "Specimen" overprint, two unused sets, used set and 5sh block of four, few small flaws but mostly Fine-Very Fine (Website PDF) E. 1,000-1,500
- 3749 **Falkland Islands - The History of the Falkland Islands Exhibit.** Mostly stamps and a few covers mounted on exhibit pages, mostly modern stamps though with some Falkland Islands (Nos. 69 and 96) and Argentina stamps, plus other countries which assist in showing the history through stamps including explorers, maps, wildlife, etc., such as U.S. 3c Columbian plate and imprint strip of three, ends with Falklands War covers incl. "Correspondencia del Solado sin Cargo" handstamp and a few others, mostly Very Fine (Website Highlights PDF) E. 200-300
- 3750 **Finland Collection.** To 1970s in a Schaubek album, early issues mostly used including a four-margin No. 2 signed Senf, various roulettes and other 19th Century, the 20th Century is filled with unused or used sets, typical mixed quality on the early stamps, later mainly Fine-Very Fine E. 500-750
- 3751 **France and Area Dealer's stock.** The Excelsior Collection stock on sales cards and stock-cards, some France proper, but most of the value is in Colonies, Offices Abroad, and Territories, also some Monaco, much is unused, including many Mint N.H., sets, singles and some varieties, from a few dollars to a few hundred dollars (\$525.00 is the highest we saw), overall quite clean with very few faults, Fine-Very Fine, Scott value about \$75,000.00 E. 7,500-10,000
- 3752 ☒ **France Balance.** On album pages and three auction lot cards, early used, with 1849 Issue to 1Fr (two), unused Sage issues and early 20th Century, auction lot cards contain unused 1849 25c (Calves certificate), 1853 80c, and seven used 1853 with rouletted perforations, mixed condition (Website PDF) E. 1,500-2,000
- 3753 **France Collection.** To 1980 in two Lighthouse albums, 19th Century mostly used, includes 5c and 1fr First Issue, and the 5fr Napoleon, 20th Century mainly unused, and a large proportion Mint N.H., generally lacking the high values, but does include souvenir sheets, the post-war issue appear to be complete, early issues in typical mixed quality, later overwhelmingly Fine-Very Fine E. 1,500-2,000
- 3754 **French Colonies Accumulation.** Hundreds of items on album pages, stockpages, glassines, stockcards, etc., mostly unused 20th Century, majority is colonial period, but some post-colonial present, sets and singles, a few varieties, we noticed some better items mixed in with lower value material, so inspection is essential E. 500-750
- 3755 **Germany Collection.** To 2004 in four Scott albums, with States (high cataloguing but mixed condition), Germany proper (including the Nothilfe sheet and the Zeppelin stamps, nearly complete Berlin and D.D.R., but much of the value is in Colonies, Plebiscites, and Occupation issues, with many complete sets and better values, a few certificates, much of the 20th Century is Fine-Very Fine E. 2,000-3,000
- 3756 ★★ **Germany Clean Mint Collection.** 1923-1949, in mounts on Scott pages, with Postage issues, Semi-Postals, Air Post (including the 1934 set with the top values signed Schlegel BPP) and other Back-of-Book, also 1947-49 French Occupation, includes souvenir sheets, there is one early booklet pane that is lightly hinged (Scott \$82.50), a check of the better items shows all Mint Never-Hinged, exceedingly fresh throughout, Fine-Very Fine, previous owner catalogued by 2019 Scott at over \$10,000.00 (it appears to us to be accurate) E. 1,500-2,000
- 3757 ★★ **Germany Booklets.** 25, earliest is Michel No. 11, also Nos. 13, 14, 24, 33, and other early, some post-war, with several Huess and the first two from Berlin, light duplication, a few minor imperfections, but overall quite fresh and Fine-Very Fine, Michel at least €6,700 (Website PDF) E. 1,000-1,500

- 3758 ★ **Germany, Booklet Pane and Related (Zusammendrucke) Collection.** 1913-1956, most unused, with booklet panes, and the various associated se-tenant pairs and strips, a few complete booklets (including Michel No. 12) and a small number of used, many include the booklet covers, excellent range with hardly any duplication, many key items present such as KZ11 and KZ12 (latter Mint N.H.), a large percentage is Mint N.H., overwhelmingly Fine-Very Fine, the total Michel value is easily over €35,000, and likely approaches €40,000(Website Highlights PDF) E. 5,000-7,500
- 3759 **Germany, Zusammendrucke Mostly Used Collection.** 1913-1940, in a Lighthouse hingeless album, contains the various se-tenant and tête-bêche pairs and strips, in both vertical and horizontal formats as listed in the Michel catalogue, well-filled with mostly used, does contain a small amount of unused, very slight duplication, catalogue values to €500 (WZ8 and S97), several others over €100, slightly mixed quality, majority Fine-Very Fine, these se-tenant pairs and strips are far more difficult to find used than unused, the Michel Catalogue value is over €10,000(Website PDF) E. 1,500-2,000
- 3760 ★ **Germany Zusammendrucke Balance.** A few hundred, some early, much is 1930s and 1940s, with booklet panes, se-tenant pairs, strips and blocks, and even some complete sheet of booklet panes, better post-war strips (Posthorn series and Berlin Buildings), much Mint N.H., mostly Fine-Very Fine E. 750-1,000
- 3761 ☒ **Germany and Area Covers.** Over 1,200 in individual sleeves with price, plus another several hundred items (including unused postal stationery and postcards) in sleeves but without price, stampless to early post-war, with a large concentration of Third Reich, includes Offices and Colonies, plebiscites, occupation issues, and other related material, prices up to \$300.00, but most are under \$50.00, majority Fine-Very Fine, a useful group for resale E. 3,000-4,000
- 3762 **Gibraltar Accumulation on Stock Cards.** Both unused and used, each single, partial set or set on labeled stock card in glassines, most range from early Queen Victoria issues thru King George VI period, few QEII sets, lots of solid medium cataloguing items up to a few hundred dollars each, mostly Fine-Very Fine.....(Website PDF) E. 1,500-2,000
- 3763 **Great Britain Used Collection.** In a Schaubek hingeless album and a stockbook, the album contains £5 Orange and other high-cataloguing stamps including Officials, stockbook contains miscellaneous items, with much of the value in Line Engraved, including fifteen Penny Blacks, mixed condition..... E. 2,000-3,000
- 3764 **Great Britain Line Engraved Balance.** Four Penny Blacks (two used, two on cover), three unused One Penny Red (two original gum, one affixed to envelope), 1p Red used with imprint in top margin, 1841 2p pair and 2p Perforated strip of four, also three Commonwealth stamps including Mauritius SG 27 with B.P.A. certificate, imperforate stamps mostly with large to full margins, majority Very Fine and attractive.....(Website PDF) E. 750-1,000
- 3765 **Great Britain 1841 1p Red Brown Accumulation (3; SG 8).** Over 500 stamps including three pairs, one group sorted by check-letter, and another sorted by numeral cancel, typical mixed quality, most with Fine-Very Fine appearance, Scott value is at least \$16,000.00 E. 750-1,000
- 3766 ★ **Great Britain Unused Official Group.** 43 examples on stock page, comprising a select range of Officials including Inland Revenue, Government Parcels, Office of Works, Army, Board of Education, and Admiralty, with individual values to around \$400.00 each, little duplication, spot check shows virtually all with original gum and condition mostly Fine-Very Fine, a useful group of scarce but modestly priced stamps.....(Website PDF) E. 1,000-1,500
- 3767 ☒ **Great Britain Covers.** About 375, each in a sleeve with price, stampless to 1960s, wide range of uses, including registered, overseas, many military including censored and F.P.O.s, a few philatelic, mixed condition E. 1,000-1,500
- 3768 ☒ **Great Britain Covers.** 1844-1887 transatlantic correspondence of over 75 covers from Weedon, Scotland and Northampton, England to a family member in Prairieville/Waukesha, Wisconsin Territory and State, 25 stampless and about 50 with a wide variety of Queen Victoria stamps, including several with 1-shilling values, mixed condition, offered to the market for the first time.....(Website PDF) E. 400-500
- 3769 ☒ **Great Britain Classic Covers.** Four, two Penny Blacks (one from Devizes), 1p Mulready envelope used in 1848, and a 1sh Embossed cut-to-shape used to India, mixed condition, Fine appearance(Website PDF) E. 400-500
- 3770 **Great Britain Offices in China Used Collection.** Over 200 stamps including the First Issue complete, wide range of postmarks, twelve perfins, also two picture postcards from Canton and Shanghai franked with Hong Kong 4c King Edward stamps, and four Weihaiwei revenue stamps, somewhat mixed condition, Fine-Very Fine appearance(Website PDF) E. 400-500

- 3771 **Hong Kong Collection.** Neatly hinged on hand drawn album pages to King George V period, Queen Victoria period with complete 1862 Unwatermarked and 1863-80 Crown CC Issues, useful Surcharge Issues incl. key stamps such as the 1891 Jubilee and high denomination Postal-Fiscals, modest group of King Edward VII and George V Definitives with some Dollar values, Back-of-Book with few Postage Dues and Offices in China, predominately used but some better unused scattered within, earlier issues with some slightly mixed condition but mostly Fine or better(Website PDF) E. 1,500-2,000
- 3772 **Italian States Small Balance of Items.** Includes Roman States Nos. 11 used (with E. Diena certificate) and unused 12-18, Tuscany Nos. 17-22 used, plus three covers incl. Modena with Nos. 3-4 and No. 6 strip of three plus Parma Nos. 1 and 4, few small faults but mostly Fine or better, *from the collection of Arthur S. Przybyl*(Website PDF) E. 1,000-1,500
- 3773 **Italy and Area Group.** On sales sheets and album pages, includes States, Italy proper, and a little A.M.G., States with high catalogue value but in typical mixed condition, 20th Century contains useful unused and used sets and singles, many of which are Fine-Very Fine, needs to be inspected to be properly evaluated(Website PDF) E. 400-500
- 3774 ★ **Italian Colonies Unused Collection.** In a stockbook, with representation from all the major colonies, sets cataloguing up to a few hundred dollars each, some Mint N.H., also a few non-Italian items including a Penny Black, mainly Fine-Very Fine E. 500-750
- 3775 ★ **Italy - Trieste (Zone A) Collection.** In mount on Bush pages, nice run of the basic stamps, with Back-of-Book, such as Postage Dues (including J7-J15) and Parcel Post (including Q1-Q12, vast majority Mint N.H. (including all of the better stamps we spot checked), Fine-Very Fine, Scott over \$5,000.00..... E. 750-1,000
- 3776 **Japan Accumulation.** Basically four collections, two Scott Specialty albums, a four-volume White Ace collection, and a Lighthouse album of Ryukyu Islands, some early used, but most of the value in 20th Century unused, with better sets, singles and souvenir sheets throughout, much is Mint N.H. and a large percentage Fine-Very Fine... E. 2,000-3,000
- 3777 **Latin America Balance.** Mostly 20th Century unused, on album pages and auction lot cards, better items include four sets of Argentina 1910 Centenary, Peru 1899 10sh Blue Green, Bolivia Air Post, some Specimen sets, largely Fine-Very Fine(Website PDF) E. 500-750
- 3778 **Liberia Collection.** On album pages, early issues to the 1970s, various unused and used that someone catalogued in 2013 at \$1,500.00, but in addition there is a group of **errors and varieties** that was not catalogued (see our website for a PDF of these), largely Fine-Very Fine(Website Highlights PDF) E. 300-400
- 3779 **Mauritius Collection.** Neatly mounted on album pages, begins with Seated Britannia issues with well-margined singles incl. the “Four Pence” surcharge (with Brandon certificate), strong Queen Victoria issues, many with choice “B53” cancels, with some varieties, few errors such as inverted watermarks, runs thru early QEII, we notice some better high denomination Definitives, predominately used with a few later unused, mostly Fine-Very Fine(Website PDF) E. 1,000-1,500
- 3780 ☒ **Mexico Stampless Covers.** 59, 1830s-1860, wide range of origins including some smaller towns, various postmarks including some fancy, largely Fine-Very Fine, see our website for complete scans.....(Website PDF) E. 400-500
- 3781 **Mexico 1861, ½r-4r (6-9), Specialized Group.** Mostly used, ½r twenty singles and a pair, eight 1r including a cover, four 2r, and three 4r bisected on piece (each with Mepsi certificate), with a good variety of district overprints and cancels, slightly mixed condition, Fine-Very Fine appearance(Website PDF) E. 300-400
- 3782 **Mexico 1868-81 Hidalgo Issues.** Many dozens of unused or used stamps and five covers on stockpages, with a range of district and consignment overprints, including groups of Guanajuato and Veracruz, mixed condition but a useful lot for the specialist.....(Website PDF) E. 750-1,000
- 3783 **Mexico 1884-94 Hidalgo and Numeral Issues.** Over 400 unused or used stamps on album pages, with a wide variety of shades, cancellations, perforations, papers, watermarks, and other varieties, mixed condition, the specialist should closely examine the PDF scans on our website.....(Website PDF) E. 500-750
- 3784 **Mexico - Yucatan Balance.** 1924 5c and 10c stamps (Nos. 1 and 2), 25 mostly used items including multiples, some better cancels such as “Espita” on pair of 5c tied on piece, two “imperforate vertically” pairs which are of questionable origin, largely Fine-Very Fine(Website PDF) E. 300-400
- 3785 ★ **Mexico Group of Better Items.** About 20 items (singles, sets, small groups, or block), includes **thirteen singles with Mepsi certificates**, elusive stamps such as Nos. 12b, 42, 89a, 421, 483, 449, and a few unlisted items, sets include No. 294-303 (5p Mint N.H.) and 559-565, the items without Mepsi certificates were all purchased at Follansbee auctions, most Fine-Very Fine, Scott value (for the items they list) is over \$4,000.00(Website PDF) E. 750-1,000

- 3786 **Mongolia Stamp Balance, 1924-1932.** On exhibition pages, contains all issues from the period except the 1926 "Postage" Overprints, most issues complete unused and used, plus blocks (including a block of 30 of No. 2 - one of the largest known multiples, and two scarce blocks of the 1929 Interrupted Perfs) and varieties (listed and unlisted), condition is slightly mixed, majority Fine-Very Fine, an excellent basis on which to expand, see our website for a complete PDF scan.....(**Website PDF**) E. 2,000-3,000
- 3787 **Mongolia Collection, 1945-1959.** On exhibition pages, contains better sets and values from the period, many present both unused and used, for example the key 1953 Chobalsan set is lacking only one stamp unused and two stamps used for completion, plus there are errors, varieties, 1956 30m Hunter & Eagle pre-production photographic composite essays and three tête-bêche varieties including and imperforate block, a few pieces of used postal stationery, some small faults, majority Fine-Very Fine, overall a useful representation of this underrated period.....(**Website PDF**) E. 2,000-3,000
- 3788 ☒ **Mongolia Covers.** Eighteen, three from Russian Post Offices, four from Chinese Post Offices, and eleven with Mongolian and Chinese stamps, mixed condition, see our website PDF for front and back of all covers(**Website PDF**) E. 750-1,000
- 3789 **Mongolia Cancel Study.** Over 80 items, various Mongolian 1924-29 stamps with a variety of cancels, includes some unoverprinted revenue stamps, some small towns, larger towns with a range of colors and styles, a few highlights includes 50c Revenue stamp with virtually complete Altanbulak boxed datestamp, 1926 1c Blue with Black Overprint (16a) block of four with Kobdo datestamp, and 1926 50c with Black Overprint (21a, Scott \$325.00) with scarce Kobdo datestamp, stamps in mixed condition, but the cancellations are generally clear and readable(**Website PDF**) E. 1,000-1,500
- 3790 **Mongolia Revenues.** Over 30 items, including a range of postal and revenue stamp with fiscal cancels, 1926 set of seven with perforated initials, and four (including a block) with "Ulsin Temdeg" chops, this latter group is very scarce, mixed condition(**Website PDF**) E. 500-750
- 3791 **Mongolia Accumulation.** 1924-1959, old-time stockbook crammed with hundreds of unused and used stamps, useful quantities of the First Issue and the 1926-29 Definitive set, with high values and higher cataloguing stamps such as over 20 of Scott No. 33, some overprinted and surcharged stamps, later period includes over 25 of the 1945 Choibalsan (No. 83) and other sets and high values, could be varieties or cancel interest lurking within, mixed condition on the early issues, the total catalogue value should be quite high(**Website PDF**) E. 1,000-1,500
- 3792 ★★ **Mongolia Accumulation.** Mostly modern, hundreds of sets in glassines, contains some from the 1932 Pictorial issue, over 60 copies of 1945 Choibalsan (Scott 83, catalogue \$60.00 each), some sets from the late 1950s, starting in the 1960 it is more comprehensive, with sets in varying quantities, some souvenir sheets, goes to 2013, many were purchased as new issues, overwhelmingly Mint N.H. and Fine-Very Fine. E. 1,000-1,500
- 3793 **Mongolia Group.** Several dozen items on sales sheets, First Issue to modern, better values and sets throughout, some varieties, slightly mixed quality, much is Fine-Very Fine.....(**Website PDF**) E. 500-750
- 3794 ★★ **Mongolia Modern Collection.** 1958-2017, in five Minkus albums, high degree of completion, with most years complete, includes souvenir sheets, with all of the 1961 sheets Scott lists but does not price, some extra imperforate sets, appears to be all Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine E. 500-750
- 3795 ☒ **Mongolia Modern Covers.** 1950s-1990, over 100 items, several better frankings from the 1950s, a couple inbound, postal stationery (including mint), Mongolian QSL cards, etc., in addition, there is a collection of 52 internal covers mostly from the 1990s from every province in Mongolia, mostly Fine-Very Fine.....(**Website Highlights PDF**) E. 500-750
- 3796 **Nigeria, 1914-33 King George V Definitives (1-32; SG 1-29).** Neatly mounted on pages, Crown CA with "Specimen" overprinted pairs (couple values with minor toned spots), issued stamps with both watermark types, incl. additional examples for listed shades, paper types and Die types with values to the Shilling and £1, Script CA also with ½p and 1p interpanneau gutter pair with Die Ty. I-II and 1p watermark inverted, overall fresh and Fine-Very Fine(**Website PDF**) E. 500-750
- 3797 S **Northern Nigeria, 1900-1912 Collection.** Complete collection mounted on pages of both the issued stamps and the four "Specimen" overprinted sets, with the obvious exception of the 1904 £25 rarity, original gum, lightly hinged or h.r., wonderfully fresh overall, Fine-Very Fine(**Website PDF**) E. 500-750
- 3798 ☒ **Poland - City of Opole Postal History Collection.** About 140 covers or documents on exhibition pages (annotations in both Polish and German) showing the philatelic history of the town of Opole (Oppeln), 1713-1980s, covering all periods, including German Empire, Silesian Uprising, World War II, and independent Poland, see our website for complete scans.....(**Website PDF**) E. 400-500

- 3799 **Rhodesia 1910-13 “Double Head” Used Group.** Over 100 examples on album pages with values to £1, various different perf sizes, SG listed shades, with scarcer examples noted, cancels (some higher values cancelled to order as usual), and even a few varieties such as the ½p Double Dot (SG £375) and 1p “OD” Flaw (3), few small flaws but overall Fine-Very Fine, a worthwhile assemblage of this attractive and collectible series(Website PDF) E. 1,000-1,500
- 3800 ★ **Ryukyu Islands Accumulation.** In glassines, mostly unused, with stamps in varying quantities, better early stamps include 25 unused No. 15 (plus several used copies), other medium priced stamps in useful quantities, includes Air Post and at least twenty (twelve unused, eight used) of No. E1, some early stamps hinged, the later issues are nearly all Mint N.H., largely Fine-Very Fine, the Scott value should be at least \$5,000.00..... E. 750-1,000
- 3801 ★ **Sierra Leone Unused Accumulation.** Mounted on album pages and stock pages, begins with values of the 1883-93 Victoria Issue, useful group of Victoria and King Edward VII Definitives complete, with couple “Specimen” overprinted sets, 1912-24 and 1921-27 King George V sets with values to £1, also with 1932 King George V and 1938-44 King George VI sets, overall quite fresh and mostly Fine-Very Fine.....(Website PDF) E. 1,000-1,500
- 3802 ★ **South Africa Unused Collection.** Neatly mounted on hingeless pages to 1970s, high degree of completion overall including a few extra SG-listed shades, some Back-of-Book with Air Posts and later Postage Dues, we even notice the 1937 6p with Molehill Flaw (SG 61b), overall wonderfully fresh, mostly Fine-Very Fine.....(Website PDF) E. 500-750
- 3803 ★ **Thailand Group.** Three sets, Nos. 11-18, B12-B17, and B18-B23, latter with Ceremuga certificate, original gum, some with gum toning, small faults on No. B12-B17, Fine-Very Fine appearance, Scott \$1,363.00.....(Website PDF) E. 300-400
- 3804 **Turkey in Asia (Anatolia) Collection.** Over 70 stamps arranged on stockpages, various unused and used stamps with some duplication, values to 500pi (Scott No. 23), a few errors, slightly mixed condition, many Fine-Very Fine, overall a useful representation of this challenging area(Website PDF) E. 500-750
- 3805 **Uruguay, 1859 60c-240c Thin Numeral Collection.** Over 170 stamps mounted on pages and mostly identified by types, includes 60c (46 examples), few unused and some tied on small pieces, 80c (nine examples) with three unused (one with original gum), 100c (23 examples) and 120c (29 examples) few unused but mostly used, 180c (42 examples) mostly unused with a few used, and 240c (22 examples) mix of used and unused, margins vary but most with four margins, wide array of cancels, small flaws to be expected but much is Fine-Very Fine, Scott value should exceed \$9,600.00(Website PDF) E. 1,500-2,000

WORLDWIDE BALANCES AND ACCUMULATIONS

- 3806 **Worldwide Dealer’s Stock.** The Excelsior Collection stock, this portion is everything except British Commonwealth, French Area, and United States, wide range of sets and singles, most unused, early to modern, from a few dollars to a few hundred dollars (\$525.00 was the highest we saw), overall quite clean, with the vast majority Fine-Very Fine, Scott value about \$120,000.00 E. 10,000-15,000
- 3807 **Worldwide Portion of an Estate.** Four Scott Specialty albums through the 1930s, three are Europe & Colonies, other is Great Britain and various Commonwealth, value in 20th Century unused sets and souvenir sheets, with useful value throughout, also a sparsely filled Brown International album, condition just slightly mixed, much is Fine-Very Fine E. 4,000-5,000
- 3808 **Worldwide Assortment.** Dozens of mostly better items, much is unused 20th Century, with sets, singles, and souvenir sheets, with popular and highly saleable items, such as Australia 5sh Sydney Harbor Bridge and India Gandhi set, a little duplication (mainly Switzerland souvenir sheets), a few early items such as a Penny Black and unused Barbados, a large portion is Fine-Very Fine.....(Website PDF) E. 1,500-2,000
- 3809 **Worldwide Accumulation.** In albums, stockbooks, glassines and loose, heaviest in Germany, with a useful Zusammendrucke collection, also D.D.R., a worldwide stockbook with various British Commonwealth and P.R.C. from the 1970s, some United States, includes covers, mixed condition E. 1,500-2,000
- 3810 **Worldwide Accumulation.** Many hundreds in seven albums, four are Scott International, one an old Brown, two with stamps from the 1930s (including better such as Austria 10s Dollfuss and France two 1936 50fr Air Post), and one with later issues, plus Scott Specialty albums of Balkans, Greece, and India, mixed condition..... E. 1,000-1,500

- 3811 **Worldwide Miscellaneous Balance.** Much is Germany, including some overprinted issues that have not been expertized, Austria locals, a few high cataloguing classics, a little United States, Togo imperforate sheets, and more, mixed condition..... E. 1,000-1,500
- 3812 **Worldwide Accumulation.** Eight stockbooks and one album, most of the value in Europe, with classics in mixed quality and unused and used 20th Century that is generally Fine-Very Fine, also an interesting stockbook of Mexico, overall a worthwhile lot E. 1,000-1,500
- 3813 ★ **Worldwide Souvenir Sheets.** Several hundred which were the oversized portion of a dealer's stock, with souvenir sheets, miniature sheets and other blocks, most with catalogue number, catalogue value, and price, from a few dollars to a few hundred dollars, includes several Korea souvenir sheets, most unused and Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine, the catalogue value should be well in excess of \$10,000.00..... E. 1,000-1,500
- 3814 **Worldwide Accumulation.** Two boxes, one has mostly lower-end stamps from various countries on album pages, the other box is more interesting, and includes a Central America collection, early used Belgium in quantity, Laos collection (better items but some stuck down or toned), modern Cuba, Russia souvenir sheets, and more, mixed condition E. 750-1,000
- 3815 **Worldwide Balance.** Various in albums and stockbooks, best are French Antarctica, Reunion, and Tristan da Cunha, some United States, much is Fine-Very Fine..... E. 300-400
- 3816 **Worldwide Collection.** On album pages and loose, range of areas including United States, a few interesting such as Great Britain cancellations, much is lower-end material, mixed condition E. 200-300

WORLDWIDE COVER BALANCES

- 3817 ☒ **Worldwide Covers.** About 3,000, each in individual sleeve with price, contains the world excluding British Commonwealth and German Area (which are offered separately), wide range, from stampless to 1970s, much is commercial mail, including airmail uses to overseas destinations, most are priced under \$100.00, with many in the \$20.00-\$50.00 range, through there are higher priced items from more esoteric areas, such as Italians Offices Abroad and Lithuania, slightly mixed condition, nice group for a show or internet dealer E. 7,500-10,000
- 3818 ☒ **Worldwide Covers.** Eclectic group of about 70, 19th Century and the first half of the 20th Century, some classic Europe, group of Indian Feudatory States, Zeppelins and other flight covers, various other commercial and philatelic, slightly mixed condition.....(Website PDF) E. 750-1,000
- 3819 ☒ **Worldwide Covers.** Over 2,000 from a wide range of countries, early to modern, commercial and philatelic, some interesting usages noticed, mainly Fine-Very Fine..... E. 750-1,000
- 3820 ☒ **Worldwide Covers.** A few hundred, pre-stamp to 1950s, heavy in Europe, particularly Germany and Switzerland, much is commercial mail to the U.S., some military mail noticed, other better uses, some postal stationery (including mint), we note better items mixed in with the more mundane, so careful viewing is suggested..... E. 500-750
- 3821 ☒ **Flight Cover Accumulation.** Over 400, each in individual sleeve with price, 1920s-1970s, most priced in the \$20.00-\$50.00 range, some higher (up to \$150.00), good variety with minor duplication, largely Fine-Very Fine E. 1,500-2,000
- 3822 ☒ **Flight Cover Group.** About 25 items, with various Zeppelin and first flights, also some polar expeditions and a few Tonga tin can mail, and more, mainly Fine-Very Fine.....(Website PDF) E. 300-400
- 3823 ☒ **Flight Cover Group.** Six covers from 1926-32, four are Philippines related with two 1928 London-Orient Flights (Manila-Salomague and Pto. Princesa-Manila), 1928 Manila-Zamboanga, and 1932 Manila-Baguio First Flight, plus two 1926 "Raid, Madrid-Manila" covers, one with Macau and other with Thailand and **pilot signed** (some toning), mostly Fine or better(Website PDF) E. 200-300

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We will be pleased to arrange for shipping and transit insurance for purchases in this sale, except for lots marked or announced as "floor sale only." To expedite billing and delivery to hundreds of buyers in each sale, we use standard charges for postage and insurance under our policy. These charges are based on the package weight and mailing requirements, according to the schedule shown here. Our standard charges do not include a fee for our services, and they may be slightly more or less than the actual postage or Fedex fee. We ask all buyers to remit the invoiced amount for shipping and insurance.

Transit insurance is provided in all cases, except when the buyer has furnished us with documentation that insurance is effective under the buyer's own policy.

There will be no added insurance charge for shipments of less than \$75,000 value. Shipments valued in excess of \$75,000 may require supplemental insurance and/or special courier service, the estimated cost of which will be furnished to the buyer prior to shipment. If the buyer refuses to pay the estimated charges or furnish proof of self-insured coverage, the buyer will be responsible for picking up the lots at our office and any resulting sales tax.

Bidding Increments

The auctioneer may regulate the bidding at his discretion. However, to assist absentee bidders in establishing their maximum bids, the increments shown here will be used in most cases. We recommend that written bids conform to these increments—bids that do not will be reduced accordingly.

Standard Shipping Charges

Weight Class	Shipping Method	Charge
Up to 2 lbs.	Fedex Envelope	\$25
Over 2 lbs.	Fedex Box	\$35 - \$50*
Outside US	Fedex	\$50 - \$100**
Bulky Lots	Fedex Ground or Express	By weight
Value under \$500	Priority Mail Env	\$10.00
hammer	Priority Mail Box	\$25 - \$35

* Up to \$75,000 value and up to 5 lbs; additional charge may apply to packages exceeding limits

** Buyers outside United States are liable for any applicable customs duty and clearance charges. An accurate declaration of contents and value will be made on all packages and import/export documents. **Siegel may refuse to ship lots to certain countries with a high risk factor.**

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Bid	Increment	Bid	Increment
Up to \$200	\$10	\$20,000-30,000	\$1,000
\$200-500	\$25	\$30,000-70,000	\$2,500
\$500-1,000	\$50	\$70,000-140,000	\$5,000
\$1,000-3,000	\$100	\$140,000-500,000	\$10,000
\$3,000-7,000	\$250	\$500,000-\$1m	\$25,000
\$7,000-20,000	\$500	Above \$1m	Discretionary