

AUCTION SALE

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 2014

AT 10:00 A.M.

UNITED STATES

- 1 ✉ **Stampless Covers.** 1846-1854 three items including FL (Apr 10) Chardon, O. in red, also "Paid X", to Hartford; cover (22 Nov) Yellow Springs O., red "Paid 3"; plus 1852 (ca) buff envelope with "Florida O" July 22 and "Paid 3" handstamps, addressed to Springfield, Mass., some cover wear 150.00

Postmaster's Provisionals - New York, NY

- 2 (★) 1845 5c black on bluish, Without Signature, unused without gum, margins all around, top right corner added and light manuscript ink on reverse showing through, fine appearance, with 2014 PFC, cat. \$3,750(9X1e) 300.00

1847 Issue



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- 3 ★ 1847 5c red brown, unused with full original gum which is only lightly hinged, full margins all around, fresh, vivid color, tiny corner margin crease at top right, still a completely sound and v.f. stamp, with 2004 PFC, cat. \$6,750(1) 3,000.00
- 4 ○ 1847 5c orange brown, red grid cancel, full to large margins all around, fresh and v.f. example of this better shade, with 2012 PFC, cat. \$900(1b) 500.00
- 5 (★) 1847 10c black, unused without gum, full margins all around, fresh color and sharp impression. A very fine and exceptionally rare unused stamp, especially in sound condition, with a photocopy of a 1992 PFC (this stamp was last sold for \$19,000 plus 15% commission in a 2005 Siegel auction) cat. \$15,000(2) 7,500.00



- 6 ✉ 1847 10c black, full to clear margins all around, with red grid cancel, used in 1850 on outer FL from Mobile, AL to Philadelphia, with neat Mobile cds, filing fold away from the stamp, v.f., with 1981 PFC, cat. \$1,350(2) 1,000.00



- 7 1847 10c black, Sperati Forgery, unused and gummed, large margins, v.f. and rare "unused", with 1978 PFC(2F) 500.00

1851-57 Issue

- 8 ○ 1851 5c red brown, nearly face free red cancel, nice margins all around, minute marginal wrinkle, still v.f., cat. \$700(12) 250.00
- 9 ★ 1851 1c blue, type IV, unused with full original gm, small h.r., margins all around, fine and attractive stamp, with 2014 PFC, cat. \$750(9) 250.00

1857-61 Issue

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- 10 ○ 1857 1c blue, type 1a, horizontal pair, pos.95-96L4, used, usual centering, deep color, few irregular, unpunched perforations at left, fine example of this elusive multiple, with 1967 PFC, cat. \$20,000(19) 6,000.00
- 11 ★/★★田 1857 1c blue, type V, block of four, top right stamp n.h., others l.h., perf. separations, fine (catalogue value for hinged), cat. \$800(24) 200.00
- 12 (★) 1857 5c orange brown, type II, unused without gum, beautiful fresh color, tiny perf. tear at upper right, fine appearance, with 2014 PFC, cat. \$500(30) 100.00
- 13 (★) 1857 24c gray, unused (regummed), reperf. at left, fine color and appearance, with 2014 PFC, cat. \$525(37a) 100.00

1861-66 Issue

- 14 ★ 1861 24c gray, unused with full original gum, l.h., well centered for this difficult issue, fresh and fine, with 2014 PFC, cat. \$2,900(78b) 1,200.00
- 15 ★田 1861 24c gray, rejoined block of six, original gum, heavy creasing, foxing and other faults, rare multiple, with 2001 PSAG cert. (catalogue value for singles), cat. \$17,400(78b) 2,500.00
- 16 田 1863 (24 Dec) buff cover paying 44c with 2c black, 12c black and 30c orange, used from La Crosse, Wisconsin to Norway, departure pmk alongside, red "Aachen Franco" on front, with red Philadelphia transit, Hamburg (16 Jan 64) in oval, Christiania and Hedemarken, Norway arrival markings, some cover wear, uncommon destination(69,71,73) 250.00
- 17 田 1864 (ca) Patriotic illustrated cover addressed to Madison, Ind., endorsed "soldier's letter, Ind. Volunteers", partial "Due 3" charged, minor cover faults; also another cover "Jeff Davis his Marque" corner cachet, with 3c franking, addressed to Mount Vernon, Maine 150.00
- 18 田 1867 (22 Jan) cover from Weaverville, California to Newcastle, New South Wales, paying 33c with 3c and 30c, endorsed "British Mail via Southampton", red New York and London transits, Sydney and Newcastle arrival postmarks, cover defects, especially on back, uncommon destination(65,71) 150.00

- 19 1868 Ticket to the Impeachment of President Andrew Johnson, 5.0" x 3.0", Washington, D.C., May 18, 1868, signed in print by George T. Brown, Sergeant-at-Arms, and printed on heavy pink stock, "this ticket is for admission to the Senate Gallery during the Impeachment proceedings against President Andrew Johnson." The Southern-born Johnson was brought to trial by a Congress dominated by the "radical" elements of the Republican Party under the leadership of former abolitionist Senators such as Thaddeus Stevens and Charles Sumner. Johnson's policies of returning self-rule to the defeated South were rightly seen as a threat to the emerging civil rights of the former slave population. A series of political maneuvers over a three-year period led to the famous trial in which the President was surprisingly acquitted. This ticket is tape reinforced, with some fading, rare 250.00

1867 Grill Issue



- 20 ★ 1867 3c red, F.Grill, imperf. horizontal pair, margins all around, l.h., v.f., with 1971 and 2004 PFCs, cat. \$1,500(94b) 1,000.00

1875 Re-Issue of the 1861-66 Issue



- 21 ★ 1875 24c deep violet, well centered with wide margins, small h.r., beautiful color, fresh and v.f., only 346 printed, with 1992 and 2005 PFCs, cat. \$6,000(109) 3,500.00

1869 Pictorials



- 22 ○ 1869 15c brown and blue, center inverted, black cancel, fairly well centered, reperforated at bottom, otherwise fine example of this popular invert, with 2014 PFC. Of the 100 issued inverts, three are recorded unused and 96 used (one in the British Library's Tapling collection and one in the New York Public Library's Miller Collection). Only nine are confirmed as sound, this example being much better than most (usually with tears and perms touching), cat. \$22,500(119b) 5,000.00



- 23 P 1869 15c, 24c, 30c and 90c, centers inverted, set of four plate proofs on card, large margins all around (30c with sheet margin), beautiful colors, fresh and v.f., only 100 of each printed, cat. \$16,250(120P4a-129P4a) 10,000.00

1870-73 Banknote Issues

- 24 ★ 1873 90c rose carmine, large part original gum, bright color, fine, with 1989 PFC stating "previously hinged", cat. \$2,250(166) 800.00

1875 Special Printing



- 25 (★) 1875 2c dark brown, unused without gum as issued, usual scissors separated perforations which are still intact on all four sides, fresh color, v.f. for this difficult issue, of which fewer than 75 are believed to exist, with 1980 and 2006 PFCs, cat. \$7,750.....(168) 3,000.00



- 26 (★) 1875 3c blue green, unused without gum as issued, usual scissors separated perforations, beautiful color, v.f. for this, only 40 examples are believed to exist, with 1949, 1969, 1989 and 2008 PFCS, cat. \$26,000(169) 12,000.00



- 27 (★) 1875 30c greenish black, unused without gum as issued, fully intact perforations on three sides (scissors separated as always), nicely centered, fresh color, v.f., with 1990 PFC, cat. \$15,000.(176) 6,500.00



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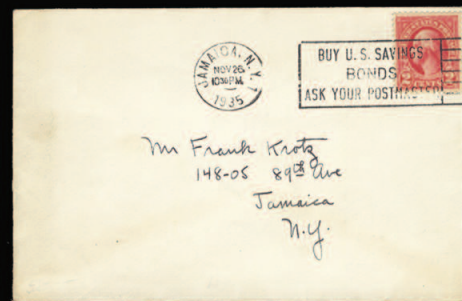
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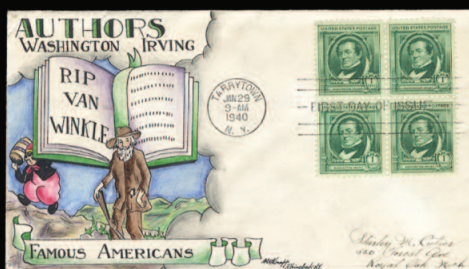
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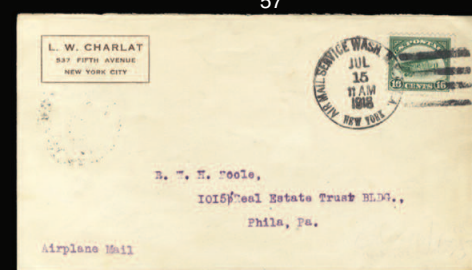
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1875-79 Banknote Issues

- 28 ★ 1879 10c brown, without secret mark, l.h., tiny corner margin crease, otherwise fine, with 1987 PFC, cat. \$3,250(187) 650.00
- 29 ★ 1879 15c red orange, lightly hinged (if at all), well centered with wide margins, beautiful color, fresh and v.f., with photocopy of a 1990 PFC for a block of four from which this copy originated, cat. \$200(189) 150.00

1890-93 Issue

- 30 ★ 1893 2c rose, postal forgery (Chicago), centered to bottom, rare 250.00

1893 Columbian Exposition Issue

- 31 ★★田 1893 1c deep blue, bottom margin plate number and imprint block of eight, n.h., nicely centered, fresh and v.f., with 1992 PFC, cat. \$1,050(230) 400.00
- 32 ★★田 1893 2c brown violet, upper right corner margin plate number block of ten, n.h., wide margins, fine-v.f., cat. \$1,275(231) 500.00



- 33 ★★田 1893 3c green, bottom margin plate number and imprint block of eight, n.h., well centered, nice color, fresh and v.f., with 1992 PFC, cat. \$2,100(232) 1,000.00
- 34 ★田 1893 4c ultramarine, top margin plate number and imprint block of eight, l.h. (three stamps n.h.), few creases and slight marginal perf. separations, fine-v.f., cat. \$1,800(233) 500.00



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- 35 ★★田 1893 5c chocolate, bottom sheet margin plate number block of eight, n.h., well centered, nice color. A fresh and v.f. plate block, with 2002 PSE cert., cat. \$4,500(234) 2,500.00
- 36 ★★田 1893 6c purple, bottom margin plate number and imprint block of eight, n.h., well centered, beautiful color, faint gum bend, still fresh and v.f., cat. \$3,250(235) 1,500.00
- 37 ★★ 1893 8c magenta, top margin plate number horizontal strip of three, n.h., fresh color, small thin in selvage at left, stamps v.f. (catalogue value for singles), cat. \$495(236) 250.00
- 38 ★/★★ 1893 10c black brown, bottom margin plate number and imprint horizontal strip of three, middle stamp l.h., others n.h., nicely centered, left stamp with light diagonal crease, otherwise v.f., with 2003 PFC (catalogue value for singles), cat. \$700(237) 250.00
- 39 ★★田 1893 15c dark green, right margin imprint block of four, plate crack in margin, n.h., fresh color, right stamps with natural gum crease, still v.f. (catalogue value for singles), cat. \$2,800(238) 900.00



- 40 ★ 1893 50c slate blue, bottom margin plate number and imprint horizontal strip of four, h.r., some hinge reinforcement in selvage, light marginal crease at right, with owner's handstamp, fine and rare positional piece, cat. \$3,500(240) 1,000.00
- 41 ★ 1893 \$2 brown red, \$3 yellow green, \$4 crimson lake and \$5 black, heavy h.r., \$2 creased, \$5 reperforated, otherwise fresh and fine group, cat. \$7,350.....(242-245) 1,500.00

1894-95 Bureau Issues

- 42 ★ 1894 50c orange and \$1 black, type I, h.r., faults, fine appearance, cat. \$1,500(260-261) 150.00
- 43 (★) 1894 \$1 black, unused (regummed), nicely centered, vertical crease, fine appearance, with 2014 PFC, cat. \$675.....(261A) 100.00

1898 Trans-Mississippi Issue

- 44 ★★田 1898 1c dark yellow green, top sheet margin plate number block of six, n.h., well centered, rich color, fresh and v.f., ex-Silver Lake, cat. \$450(285) 300.00
- 45 ★★ 1898 2c copper red, top sheet margin plate number horizontal pair, n.h., well centered, fresh and v.f., cat. \$135(286) 100.00

1901 Pan-American Issue

- 46 ★★田 1901 1c green and black, bottom sheet margin plate number block of six, n.h., well centered, beautiful color, fresh and v.f., ex-Silver Lake, cat. \$475(294) 300.00



- 47 ★ 1901 1c green and black, center inverted, l.h., well centered, fresh color, v.f. example of this popular rarity, with 1995 PFC, cat. \$12,500(294a) 5,000.00



- 48 ○ 1901 1c green and black, center inverted, used, reperforated on three sides, thin and creased, still a presentable copy of this popular rarity, with 2014 PFC. The 1c Pan-American Invert in used condition is considerably scarcer than unused. Siegel census records 48 used examples, plus three on cover, for a total of 51 copies, cat. \$20,000(294a) 1,500.00

1902-3 Issue

- 49 ★★田 1902-3 2c carmine, bottom margin plate number block of six, n.h., beautiful color, nicely centered, v.f., cat. \$425(301) 300.00

1904-10 Issues

- 50 ★★ 1908 Coils, 1c green, vertical guide line pair, well centered, rich color, n.h., v.f., with 1985 and 1995 Philatelic Foundation certificates, cat. \$600(348) 300.00
- 51 ★/★★ 1908-9 1c-5c, set of five imperf. horizontal pairs, n.h., margins all around, also 2c Pan American, nicely centered but with slightly disturbed gum, v.f., cat. \$272(343-347) 100.00

1910-30 Issues

- 52 ★田 1917-19 5c rose, double error in 2c block of 12, natural straight edge at bottom, barely hinged, nicely centered, fresh and v.f., cat. \$1,300(505) 700.00
- 53 ★★田 1924 5c Huguenot-Walloon Tercentenary, bottom sheet margin plate number block of six, n.h., well centered, some marginal gum loss, still fresh and v.f., cat. \$375(616) 150.00

1930-80 Issues

- 54 ㊟ 1935 (26 Nov) cover franked with 2c carmine, postal forgery, tied by slogan cancel, v.f., scarce on cover 100.00
- 55 ㊟ 1940 3c Washington Irving, Dorothy Knapp hand painted cacheted and addressed FDC, v.f.(859) 200.00
- 56 ㊟ 1952 3c Railroad, Dorothy Knapp hand painted cacheted FDC, pencil addressed to Knapp, v.f.(1006) 200.00
- 57 ㊟ 1952 3c Red Cross, Dorothy Knapp hand painted cacheted and unaddressed FDC, v.f.(1016) 200.00



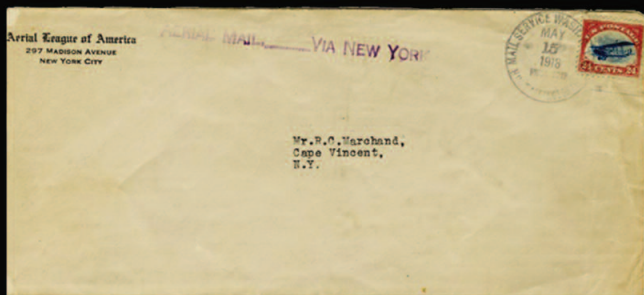
- 58 ★★ 1969 6c Baseball, black omitted, n.h., v.f., approximately 300 printed, cat. \$700(1381a) 250.00
- 59 ㊟ 1985 3c Brooklyn Bridge, Dorothy Knapp hand painted cacheted FDC, pencil addressed to Knapp, v.f.(2041) 200.00

United States Air Post

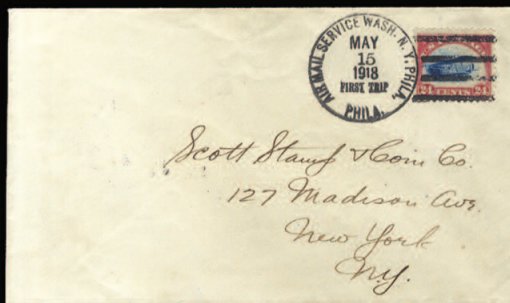
- 60 ★★田 1918 6c orange, top margin plate number block of six, n.h., well centered, some oxidization and few natural wrinkles, otherwise v.f., cat. \$1,000(C1) 200.00



- 61 ★★田 1918 16c green, top margin plate number block of six, n.h., beautiful color, one stamp with light gum skip, fine-v.f., cat. \$1,350(C2) 500.00
- 62 ㊟ 1918 16c green, used on July 15, 1918 First Flight cover from Washington to Philadelphia, v.f., cat. \$800(C2) 250.00
- 63 ★★田 1918 24c carmine rose and blue, top margin double plate number and "Top" block of twelve, n.h., well centered, lower right stamp with corner perf. crease, otherwise v.f., cat. \$1,850(C3) 500.00
- 64 ㊟ 1918 24c carmine rose and blue, used on May 15, 1918 First Flight cover from Washington to Cape Vincent, NY, some wrinkles, fine, cat. \$750(C3) 250.00
- 65 ㊟ 1918 24c carmine rose and blue, used on May 15, 1918 First Flight addressed to the Scott Stamp & Coin Co., v.f., cat. \$750(C3) 250.00



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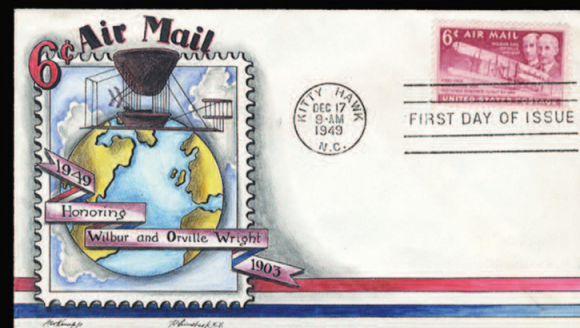
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Inverted Jenny Position 10



- 66 (★) 1918 24c carmine rose and blue, center inverted, position 10, natural straight edges at top and right, unused without gum, deep rich colors, just about fine, with 2002 Philatelic Foundation certificate, cat. \$400,000.....(C3a) 75,000.00

The Inverted Jenny is one of the most recognized and desired rarities in all of philately. Its legendary status began the moment the stamp was issued in May, 1918, when William T. Robey purchased an entire error sheet of 100 at the New York Avenue Post Office window in Washington D.C., one day after the stamp was issued on May 14th. Within one week Robey sold the sheet for \$15,000.00 to the well-known Philadelphia stamp dealer Eugene Klein (an impressive return on his initial \$24.00 investment). Shortly thereafter Mr. Klein sold the sheet to the renowned, yet eccentric collector, Col. Edward H.R. Green for \$20,000.00. Col. Green asked Klein to break up the sheet for him into singles and blocks, then instructed him to sell all but the few key position blocks. What is puzzling is how, given the immediate attention created by a spectacular new error, so many of the stamps from the sheet have been poorly handled and stored over the years. In fact, there are at least six examples whose whereabouts are unknown and presumably lost to philately. A great many of the known copies have varying degrees of faults, some are without gum, or have been repaired. In addition, improper hinging has caused a significant number of additional faults, such as thins and creases. The example offered here, while without gum and with the natural straight edges, is still completely sound, an affordable example of this premier United States Rarity (last offered in a 2002 Sotheby's sale)

- 67 ★/★★ 1918 24c carmine rose and blue, "fast plane" variety, top margin single, l.h., fine, with 2002 PSE cert.....(C3var) 150.00
- 68 ★/★★田 1918 24c carmine rose and blue, block of four, with vignette shifted to the right ("slow plane") variety, top stamps hinged, bottom n.h., fine-v.f. (catalogue value for ordinary singles), cat. \$420(C3var) 250.00
- 69 ★ 1918 24 carmine rose and blue, "Grounded Plane" variety, with the wheels of the plane well into the "Cents", h.r., small thin, otherwise, a fine example of this spectacular variety(C3var) 500.00



- 70 ★ 1918 24 carmine rose and blue, "Grounded Plane" variety, with the wheels of the plane touching the "Cents", l.h., well centered, a fresh and v.f. example of this rare variety, which is known to originate from only three sheets, with 2004 PFC (this copy was last sold in 2004 where it realized \$3,250 plus buyer's premium)(C3var) 2,000.00
- 71 ★★田 1918 24c carmine rose and blue, "high plane" variety, top margin block of four, n.h. (l.h. in selvage), well centered, v.f.(C3var) 500.00
- 72 (★) 1918 24c carmine rose and blue, with dramatic "fast plane" variety showing the plane well into the left margin, natural straight edge at right, unused without gum, tiny violet ink mark in right margin, otherwise fine and striking example of this popular variety, with 2002 PFC(C3var) 150.00
- 73 田 1918 24c carmine rose and blue, top margin plate block of four, with vignette slightly shifted to the right ("slow plane"), used, fine-v.f. A nice item for a specialist(C3var) 100.00
- 74 ★★田 1923 8c dark green, top sheet margin plate block of six, n.h. (one stamp with light gum skip), fresh color, fine-v.f. (web photo) cat. \$330(C4) 150.00
- 75 匣 1923 8c dark green, Washington D.C. FDC ("The Shoreham" stationery) addressed to Detroit, v.f., cat. \$400(C4) 150.00
- 76 ★/★★田 1923 24c carmine, left margin block of eight, five stamps n.h., balance hinged, nice color, fine-v.f. (catalogue value for singles), cat. \$910.....(C6) 300.00
- 77 匣 1926-27 10c-20c Maps, set of three Washington D.C. FDCs, fine-v.f., cat. \$255 (web photo) ..(C7-9) 100.00
- 78 匣 1930 Zeppelin, 65c-\$2.60, set of three on separate Washington D.C. (Apr.19) FDCs, one addressed to E.C.Worden, each with "San Diego 1915" and "International Philatelic Exhibition 1926" labels, fine-v.f., cat. \$3,500(C13-15) 1,500.00



- 79 匣 1930 Zeppelin, set of three, each well centered and used in combination with Century of Progress 50c block of four, on 1933 Zeppelin flight cover (Century of Progress cachet on back) from Akron (28 Oct) to Paris, v.f., with Friedrichshafen transit and Paris arrival postmarks(C13-15,18) 1,500.00
- 80 匣 1930 65c green on postcard, with Washington D.C. (April 19) First Day cancel, addressed to Toledo, fine, cat. \$1,200(C13) 500.00
- 81 ★★ 1930 \$1.30 brown, n.h., well centered, v.f., with 2002 PFC, cat. \$650(C14) 300.00
- 82 ★★ 1930 \$2.60 blue, n.h., well centered, fresh and v.f., cat. \$975.....(C15) 400.00
- 83 匣 1930 \$2.60 blue, well centered and v.f., cancelled (not tied) on Washington D.C. (April 19) FDC addressed to Colorado, with usual cachets, with 1999 AFDCS certificate, cat. \$1,200(C15) 500.00

- 84 ★ 1938 6c dark blue and carmine, vertical guide line pair imperf. horizontally, barest trace of a hinge, light vertical crease, otherwise v.f., signed Kessler, etc., cat. \$300(C23a) 150.00
- 85 ✉ 1949 6c Wright Brothers, Dorothy Knapp hand painted cacheted and unaddressed FDC, v.f.(C41) 200.00



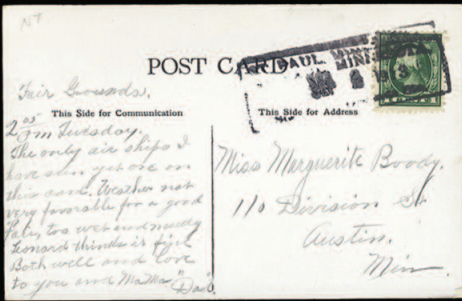
- 86 ★★田 1978 31c Wright Brothers, transitional block of six, left vertical pair with black, yellow, magenta, blue and brown omitted, n.h., v.f. and rare, with 2014 PFC, cat. \$2,250(C92d) 700.00
- 87 ✉ Flight Covers. 1913 (Sep 3) picture postcard (Aeroplane Flying Over Fair Grounds), boxed St. Paul Minnesota datestamp, addressed to Austin, with Fair Grounds departure message "the only air ships I have seen yet are on this card" 150.00



- 88 ✉ 1933 (15 July), around the world solo flight by Wiley Post, small cacheted cover franked with 8c air mail stamp, addressed to A. Wittnauer Co. of New York, with an additional 8c added on arrival (Aug. 3), signed by Wiley Post, v.f. This American pilot in his plane "Winnie Mae", flew solo around the world, a distance of 15,596 miles in seven days, breaking all records. After the record-setting flight, Post wanted to open his own aeronautical school, but could not raise enough financial support because of doubts many had about his rural background and limited formal education. Motivated by his detractors, Post decided to attempt a solo flight around the world and to break his previous speed record. He improved his aircraft by installing an autopilot device and a radio direction finder that were in their final stages of development by the Sperry Gyroscope Company and the United States Army. A rarity, only five covers were carried on this flight, which was the first solo flight around the world 5,000.00



- 89 ✉ 1938 (July 10) Howard Hughes Record Around the World Flight, specially prepared legal sized cover. This flight was the aviation epic of the year. Howard Hughes and a crew flew a Lockheed 14 and the flight took 91 hours, with stops in Paris, Moscow, Omsk, Yakutsk, Fairbanks, (Minn.) and back to New York. A specially prepared legal sized airmail cover, franked with U.S., French and Russian adhesives and signed by the entire crew and Hughes, v.f. and exceedingly rare as only a handful are known to be signed by Howard Hughes(AAMC TO1307) 2,500.00



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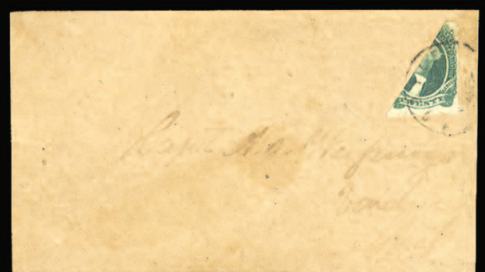
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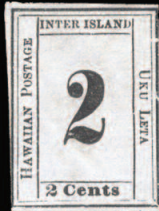
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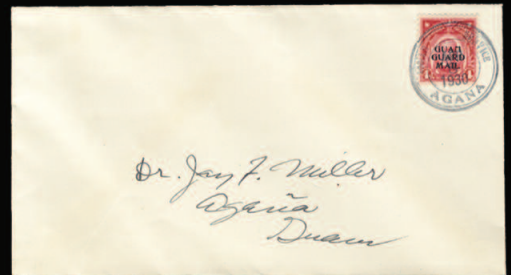
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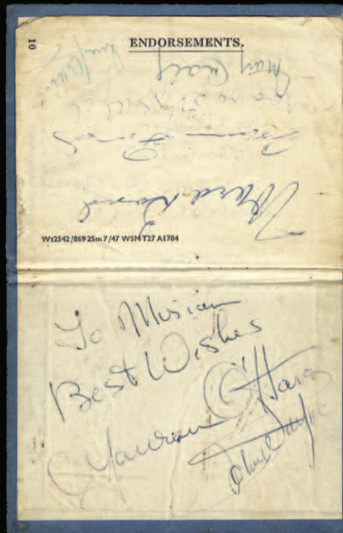
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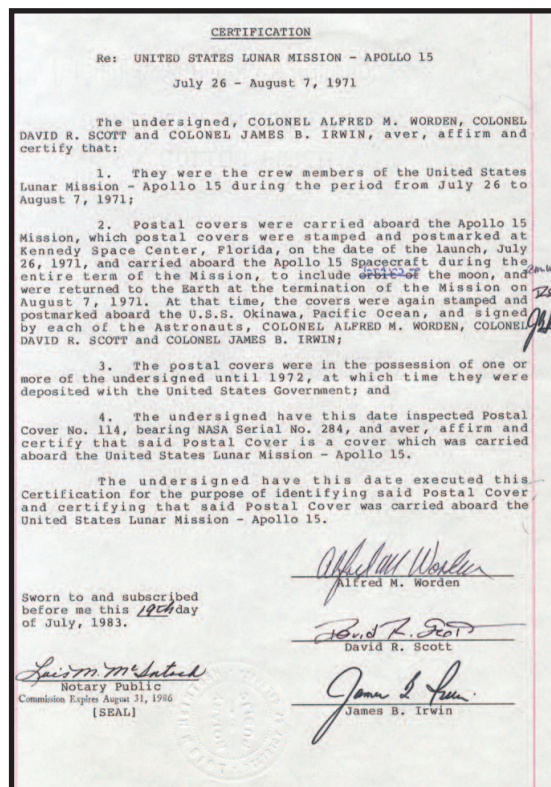
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- 90 ☒ **Rocket Mail.** 1936 specially prepared booklet ("First International Rocket Air Mail") with two sheetlets of four, two singles and two covers (USA to Mexico and Mexico to USA), v.f. (web photo) 250.00

Apollo 15 - Moon Cover



- 91 ☒ 1971 cacheted cover cancelled Kennedy Space Center July 26, signed by David Scott, Alfred M. Worden and John Irwin at bottom left, with USS Okinawa Aug.7 return pmk. Also "This envelope was carried to the Moon Aboard the Apollo 15, No.114 of 300 to the Lunar Surface in L.M. "Falcon" (Apollo 15 was the ninth manned mission in the Apollo program, the fourth to land on the Moon, and the eighth successful manned mission. It was the first of what were termed "J missions," long stays on the Moon, with a greater focus on science than had been possible on previous missions. It was also the first mission on which the Lunar Roving Vehicle was used. The mission began on July 26, 1971, and ended on August 7. At the time, NASA called it the most successful manned flight ever achieved). Also accompanied by "Certification", signed by the three astronauts and notarized (also included is a card which reads: This cover is #114 of 300 postmarked just prior to the launch of Apollo 15 on July 26, 1971 at Kennedy Space Center; stowed aboard the spacecraft in a sealed fireproof packet; carried to the lunar surface in LM "FALCON"; returned to earth in CM "ENDEAVOUR"; and postmarked immediately after splashdown on August 7, 1971 by the U. S. Navy Postal Station aboard the recovery ship USS OKINAWA)". Additionally, on the reverse, a small handwritten serial number is found. These were assigned by NASA. 5,000.00

United States Used in Japan

- 92 ☒ 1870 (8 Dec) cover from Yokohama, Japan to Cadiz, Ohio, franked with single 10c brown, cancelled by segmented cork, with corresponding Yokohama Japan cds alongside, San Francisco Jan 16 transit, minor backflap faults, otherwise fine 150.00

Parcel Post

- 93 ★★ 1913 3c carmine and 10c carmine rose, both well centered, n.h., with graded "VF-XF 85" and "XF 90" 2014 PFCs(SMQ \$265)(Q3,Q6) 100.00
- 94 ☒ 1913 20c carmine rose, used with additional 4c franking on 1915 registered cover from East Orange to Berne, Switzerland, two Roessler labels on back, with transit and arrival (14 July) postmarks, fine, cat. \$850(Q8) 150.00

Locals

- 95 ☒ 1844 (4 Sep) FL franked with 3c black on blue, margins all around, red City Despatch Post cds, fine(6LB5) 150.00

Postal Stationery



- 96 1920 1c on 2c red on cream, unused postal card, v.f., with 2014 Philatelic Foundation certificate ("with a light pencil erasure across approximately $\frac{3}{4}$ the length of the card, just below the instructions bar and indicia"). A very rare surcharge, which was applied after the repeal of the 1c War Tax on first class mail and left a surplus of 2c cards, cat. \$4,250(UX31) 1,500.00

CONFEDERATE STATES OF AMERICA

- 97 1861 10c dark blue, bottom sheet margin single, tied by Tudor Hall, Va postmark on cover addressed to Edgefield C.H., S.C., penciled "plate position 43 - Hoyer" on back, minor cover wear, stamp v.f. 150.00
- 98 1863 20c green, diagonal bisect used as 10c on cover (slightly reduced at right), top portion of the bisect torn and re-affixed, otherwise fine and scarce usage, with 2014 PFC, cat. \$2,000.....(13d) 200.00
- 99 1865 (9 Jan) Adams Express Company Western Division Soldier's Package envelope, with "Forwarded by the Adams Express Co. from Stevenson, Ala." black on yellow label, partial wax seals on back, some faults and wear, scarce 150.00

UNITED STATES POSSESSIONS

CANAL ZONE

- 100 1912 2c vermilion and black, overprint reading down, center inverted, h.r., some usual toning, fine, cat. \$650(39e) 200.00
- 101 1920s-30s booklet covers (front and back) four different, also front only (25c), fine-v.f. 200.00
- 102 1939 25th Anniversary of the Panama Canal, complete set in blocks of four, top stamps hinged, bottom n.h., few thins from hinge removal affecting low values, minor perf. separations, fine-v.f., cat. \$648 (web photo).....(120-135) 150.00
- 103 **Flight Covers.** 1925 (29 Dec) registered and flown cover from Cristobal to San Jose, Costa Rica, paying 17c with a combination of 1c, 2c and 5c overprints, fine cover, with arrival postmarks 150.00



- 104 **Zeppelin Flights.** 1930 (Havana 16 May) card sent via Cristobal to New York, where 65c green Graf Zeppelin adhesive was added for further transmission on the Pan-America flight to Friedrichshafen, v.f. and scarce Canal Zone Zeppelin flight, with appropriate markings (only 11 cards were serviced through Cuba) 1,500.00

GUAM

- 105 1930 Guard Mail, 2c pair and 4c single, used on separate covers, the former from Piti to Agana, the latter in Agana, fine-v.f., cat. \$1,000(M1,2) 250.00

HAWAII

- 106 (★) 1859-65 Numerals, 1c black, 2c black, grayish, unused without gum, margins all around, signed Calves, cat. \$1,550(16,19) 750.00
- 107 (★) 1864-65 Numerals, 1c, 2c blue, also 5c dark blue (laid paper), unused without gum, small thins, last one signed Calves, cat. \$1,275.....(22,25,26) 500.00
- 108 ○ 1893 Provisional Govt. overprinted in red, 6c green, used, large, balanced margins on all four sides, v.f. and unusual stamp(60) 100.00

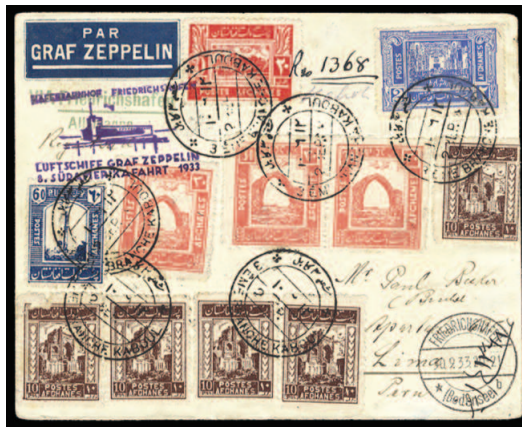
AUTOGRAPHS OF FAMOUS PEOPLE

- 109 **Astaire, Fred** (1899-1987), American Film and Broadway star, signed black and white photo "To Alexa, Sincerely Fred Astaire", v.f. 100.00
- 110 **"The Quiet Man"** (a 1952 American romantic comedy-drama film directed by John Ford. It starred John Wayne, Maureen O'Hara, Barry Fitzgerald, Ward Bond and Victor McLaglen). A small Irish driving license from 1949-50, signed on the final page by several members of the cast of the film, including **John Wayne**, **Maureen O'Hara**, **Ward Bond**, **Barry Fitzgerald** and three others, inscribed by O'Hara, some creasing and minor stains, still fine and appealing group of autographs (the film employed many actors from the Irish theatre, including Barry Fitzgerald's brother, Arthur Shields, as well as extras from the Irish countryside, and it is one of the few Hollywood movies in which the Irish language can be heard. All of the outdoor scenes were shot on location in Ireland in County Mayo and County Galway) 1,000.00
- 111 ✉ **Ferdinand I**, Emperor of Austria (1835-1848), 1842 letter addressed to Ferdinand II, King of Sicily, dated 16 May, Vienna, with outer folded letter bearing wax seal on back, fine (web photo)..... 150.00
- 112 ✉ **Mussolini, Benito Amilcare Andrea** (1883-1945, Italian politician, journalist, and leader of the National Fascist Party, ruling the country as Prime Minister from 1922 until his ousting in 1943. He ruled constitutionally until 1925, when he dropped all pretense of democracy and set up a legal dictatorship. Known as Il Duce, Mussolini was one of the key figures in the creation of fascism). A partly printed document (immigration matters), headed "Vittorio Emanuele III Re d'Italia", boldly signed and dated by the king (Victor Emmanuel III (1869-1947, King of Italy from 1900 to 1946)) and countersigned at bottom "Mussolini" (web photo) 250.00
- 113 **Hitler, Adolf**. Original black and white photograph (125:180mm), with embossed Nazi Party emblem at bottom, signed by Hitler, with "Heinrich Hoffman Photoberichterstatter der Reichsleitung der NSDAP" (Hoffman was the official photographer of NSDAP), hs on back, some peripheral toning, otherwise fine and rare signed photo (web photo) 1,000.00

WORLDWIDE STAMPS AND COVERS

AFGHANISTAN

- 114 ✉ 1880 (15 Apr) cover franked with India 9x½a blue, cancelled by grids and pen, addressed to England, with Kabul departure, Bombay transit and arrival postmarks, fine usage at time of the Second Anglo-Afghan War (fought between England and the Emirate of Afghanistan from 1878 to 1880, when the latter was ruled by Sher Ali Khan of the Barakzai dynasty, the son of former Emir Dost Mohammad Khan. This was the second time British India invaded Afghanistan) 250.00



- 115 ✉ **Zeppelin Flights**. 1933 8th SAF, sent registered from Kabul via Peshawar and Friedrichshafen to Lima, Peru, attractive franking, with the appropriate cachet, transit and arrival postmarks, v.f. and rare Zeppelin dispatch from Afghanistan 2,000.00



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Reprints of the Buenos Aires Provincial issues of the 1859 Head of Liberty design, in black, printed from original plates by E. Latour in 1912, in three blocks of ten to make up a sheet of thirty. 4 Reales, 1 and 2 Pesos values. Latour also printed a considerable number of the Provincial Ship design, of 1858.



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ALBANIA

- 116 ☒ **Postage Dues.** 1914 two covers to Vlone, one from Fier, franked with pair of 20pa on 10q handstamped "Takse"; the other with 5q on front, handstamped "T" and on back with 5q,10q and 25q, each handstamped in red or blue "T" and "Takse" 250.00
- 117 ☒ **Postal Stationery.** 1913 20pa rose, unused postal card, v.f., scarce, cat. €1,000(Mi.P1) 150.00

ANDORRA (SPANISH)



- 118 ☒ **Zeppelin Flights.** 1933 4th SAF to Brazil, attractive franking, with appropriate cachet and arrival postmarks, v.f. 1,500.00

ARGENTINA

- 119 ☒ 1858 10c green, ample margins to just in at right, placed upside down on FL, tied by "Franca" and used May 12, 1859 to Rosario, fine(2) 250.00
- 120 ☒ 1858 10c green, diagonal half, used as 5c on outer FL addressed to Salta, stamp barely tied by pen cancel, also two additional bisects, cancelled on pieces by Salta and Cordoba postmarks, fine ..(2f) 250.00
- 121 ☒ 1862 5c rose lilac, margins all around, just tied by ornamental "Salta Franca" postmark on FL used Aug. 13 to Atacama, Calama, filing fold away from the stamp, fresh and v.f., early usage(5a) 250.00
- 122 1862 10c yellow green, margins all around, tied by oval Correo del Rosario postmark on coverfront addressed to San Luis, with 13 Aug 1863 departure cds alongside. Also included is a faulty folded letter franked with two examples of Rivadavia 5c brown rose, tied by oval postmark and addressed to Mendoza(6,11) 150.00
- 123 ☒ 1863 5c rose, worn plate, slightly in at left and top, tied by blue "O M" (Oficina Maritima) postmark on outer FL to Goya, filing fold away from the stamp, scarce usage (Feb-Nov 1864)(7Cm) 150.00



- 124 ★/★★田 1864 5c rose red, left sheet margin block of nine, h.r. at top, others n.h., small tear at top of the middle stamp, others v.f. An impressive multiple, cat. \$2,025(7H) 500.00
- 125 ☒ 1878 (19 June) FL to Cordoba, franked with two imperforate 5c carmine, used in combination with three 5c vermillion, perf. 12, all cancelled by oval Rosario postmarks, filing fold through the upper right stamp at bottom, otherwise a fine cover, with 1985 Philatelic Foundation Certificate(14,18) 500.00
- 126 ☒ 1905 naval vessel picture postcard with 14 country franking, all tied by local cds, showing each of the ports visited by the ship and eventually mailed back to Argentina. Several better ports and cds including Madagascar tied by Helville, Nossi Be, Cal Habiz tying Portugal, etc., some toning and wear, remarkable round-the-world card 250.00



- 127 ★ 1910 Centenary of the Republic, ½c black & gray, 1c blue green & black, 2c olive & gray, 4c dark blue & green, 12c bright blue, 50c carmine & black, also 5p orange & violet, seven different, each with center inverted, well centered, lightly hinged and incredibly fresh, pencil signed Kneitschel and Diena, with 1988 Dr.Enzo Diena certificate. This is the complete set of inverted centers from this issue, each in unusually nice condition (in fact Diena mentions that most of these errors were recovered from printer's waste and are usually "crumpled") (YT 148/61var) cat. €6,300..(160a/173a) 5,000.00
- 128 ★ **Air Post.** 1930 Zeppelin overprints (blue), complete set, l.h., fine-v.f., cat. \$325(C20-24) 100.00

Buenos Aires

- 129 (★) 1858 unissued "Gauchitos" design, four different denominations and colors, unused, with small faults, also selection of 11 forgeries, plus 1912 Latour reprint sheet of 30 in black, plus Corrientes, 1878 3c lilac rose pane of 8 (unused), plus 3c black on blue, group of 11 singles, used and unused, various types, mixed condition 250.00
- 130 ○ 1858 4r green, margins all around, v.f., cat. \$275(9) 150.00

ARMENIA

- 131 ★★田 1919 60k on 1k imperf. cross gutter pane of 100, two stamps without handstamp, marginal wrinkles, stamps n.h., v.f. A rare sheet(1b,var) 500.00



- 132 ★/★★ **Semi-Postals.** 1929 Philately for Children, handstamped in violet or red on Soviet Definitives, 1k, 2k, 3k (watermarked), 4k, 5k, 7k, 10k, 18k, 20k and 70k, group of 10 different, n.h. or h.r., 18k with tiny gum soak, otherwise fine-v.f. The proceeds of sale of these overprinted stamps was intended to benefit homeless children. The stamps were on sale for only one day (April 25, 1929) and few exist. A rare group of gems of Armenian philately, ex-Stefan Karadian collection (Artar Catalogue P1-9,11) 25,000.00

AUSTRIA

- 133 ○ 1850 9kr blue, machine paper type IIIb, margins all around, creased at top, tied on piece by mute cancel (Pressburg), rare piece (Muller Nr.2250d/3.000p, Ryan Nr.1284/RR), with Dr. Ferchenbauer certificate ("sehr Schones Stuck") 150.00
- 134 ○ 1850 3kr, 6kr and 9kr, cancelled "Feldpost Nr.2", "K.K.Feldpostamt I" and "EP.Ploesch", fine-v.f. . 250.00
- 135 ☒ 1910 (25 Sep) picture postcard ("The Great Pyramid") franked with Egypt 2x1m brown, used in combination with Austrian 10h carmine, tied by "Seramis de Lloyd" Ship cancellation, sent to Germany, fine and scarce combination 200.00
- 136 E **Semi-Postals.** 1924 500kr-2000kr imperforate die proofs, set of six, mounted in specially prepared, numbered (413) booklet titled "Domweih Festmarken", v.f., only 500 printed (web photo)..... 250.00



- 137 ★★ 1946 "Never Forget" set of two, well centered, n.h., one stamp with gum skip, v.f., cat. €2,600(Mi.VI,VII) 750.00
- 138 ★★田 1946 Renner, imperforate sheetlets of eight, n.h., post office fresh, v.f. (Mi.772-75Klb) cat. €2,300(B185-188) 750.00
- 139 ☒★ **Rocket Mail.** 1928 F.S.1, 3gr label (small stain, h.r.) also same on flimsy envelope, with 15gr franking, cancelled Graz (10 June 1928), two-line "Geflogen mit Hohenballon F.S.1" handstamp, fine and rare 500.00
- 140 ☒ 1932 V10, registered card from Radegund, with special cachet and "registration" label, special note and signed by Schmiedl on back, Radegund and Vienna (28 May 1932) postmarks, corner card creases, otherwise v.f. 400.00
- 141 ★○☒ 1932-33 V12-17 collection on pages, with seven covers or cards, franked with Rocket adhesives and used in combination with regular postage, also three unused vignettes and 3 "sheetlets" of four, fine-v.f. 1,500.00
- 142 ☒★ 1933 K2, flown cover with triangular 30gr label (overprinted Katapultflug), with 29 Dec. 1933 datestamp in red, also three unused Rocket labels, one with inverted "Katapultflug" overprint, fine-v.f. 200.00
- 143 ☒ 1933 S1, two specially prepared covers to Liebenau, green and violet cachets, each cancelled Graz 27 December 1933, signed by Schmiedl, v.f., with arrival and other markings on back 500.00
- 144 ☒ 1935 (10 Apr) stationery card with red "Geflogen Mit Rakete N4" and dark green cachets, v.f. 200.00

BELGIAN CONGO

- 145 ☒ 1895 10c black & greenish blue, center inverted, small faults, tied on picture postcard by faint blue Bomba departure cds, with Leopoldville (18 March) transit cds alongside, addressed to Namur, with arrival (10 April) pmk at left, some erasure marks, with clear 1981 Holcombe certificate, but also with 1994 Jean Baete certificate stating the stamp is genuine, but did not originate on this card ("Bomba cancel is fake"), sold as is(YT 18a) 500.00

BELGIUM

- 146 ★ 1861 40c vermilion, unused with original gum, good color with margins on three sides, some faint markings on face, fine appearance, sold as is, cat. \$3,750(12) 250.00
- 147 P 1915 10fr trial color plate proof, mounted on card, overprinted "Waterlow & Sons, Ltd., Specimen", v.f.(122P) 150.00
- 148 ★ **Semi-Postals.** 1918 Red Cross, complete set, h.r. or l.h., fine-v.f., cat. \$990 (web photo)(B34-47) 250.00

German Occupation

- 149 ☒ 1916 (25 Jan) 10pf stationery card with added 20c blue, registered from Brussels to Holland, censored, with registration label crossed out and re franked with Netherlands 5c adhesive for charges to Neuilly Seine, France, with arrival pmk, scarce usage 150.00



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BOLIVIA

- 150 (★) 1868 500c black (nine stars), unused without gum, good color, usual centering, with 2009 Brian Moorhouse certificate, cat. \$1,000(14) 200.00
- 151 (★) 1868 500c black (nine stars), unused (regummed), signed Stolorow etc., cat. \$1,000(14) 150.00
- 152 ★ **Air Post.** 1930 five varieties, including 10c with double overprint, one inverted, 15c horizontal pair, right stamp with overprint inverted, single 15c with overprint inverted, 50c bronze overprint inverted and 50c double bronze overprint, one inverted, h.r., few handstamp guarantees, fine-v.f., cat. \$875.(C12/16var) 300.00
- 153 ★ 1930 50c orange and black, red overprint, barest trace of a hinge, v.f., signed Diena, etc., with 1973 APS certificate, rare stamp, cat. \$1,000(C17) 350.00

BRAZIL

- 154 P田 1878 Dom Pedro 10r-1000r green, composite American Bank Note Company proof sheetlet (on thin india paper) folded through the vignettes horizontally and vertically, some thinning (probably removed from card backing), otherwise fine, very rare 750.00
- 155 匣 1898 300 Reis tied by Rio 17 Aug 1898 cds on proper commercial rate cover to Hamilton, Bermuda, with arrival backstamp, over a month later (Sep 26), some toning and cover wear, unusual destination 250.00
- 156 匣 **Zeppelin Flights.** 1930 Pan-America flight from Rio de Janeiro to Friedrichshafen, franked with the set of three Zeppelin adhesives (scarce on one cover), plus additional stamps, filing folds and minor cover wear away from the stamps, with appropriate cachet and arrival pmk 150.00
- 157 P田 **Revenue Stamps.** 1878 Dom Pedro Imperio do Brazil 200r, 400r and 600r, also two non-denominated values, composite American Bank Note Company proof sheetlet (on thin india paper), printed in combination with two United States Liberty 5c designs, folded through the vignettes horizontally and vertically, otherwise fine, very rare 1,000.00

CHILE

- 158 匣 1899 (18 Oct) registered AR commercial cover franked with 5c and 10c (2), sent to St Georges, Bermuda, with Santiago, Valparaiso and New York Registered labels on the front, numerous transit cds on both sides, including arrival in Bermuda on De 18, 1899, some cover toning and wear, uncommon destination 250.00

CHINA

- 159 匣 1873 (30 Aug) outer FL paying 1fr with French 80c and pair of 10c, tied by large numerals "5104" and Shanghai departure cds, sent via Marseille to Lyon, with transit and arrival postmarks, usual filing fold and little toning away from the stamps, fine 250.00



- 160 匣 1887 (16 Mar) cover with blue "Shanghai Local Post" departure postmark on back, franked on front with 3 Can red, cancelled (not tied) by oval chop, perf. faults, sent via the French Post Office in Shanghai, with 25c Type Sage added for further transmission to Gross Salze, with arrival postmark (24 Apr), wax seal removed from back, filing folds away from the stamps, some overall wear and toning, otherwise a fine and rare item, signed Roger Calves, but since the Large Dragon is not tied, the cover is offered AS IS 5,000.00



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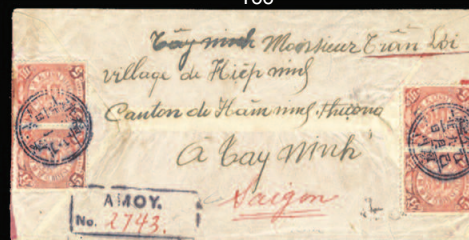
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- 161 1894 (30 July) small registered cover franked on back with 3c and 5c Large Dragons, used in combination with 1c Small Dragon, tied by oval chops, with "I.G. of Customs Peking" postmark alongside, addressed to Le Baron Gabriel de Gunzburg in Shanghai, with registry number entered in manuscript, fine and attractive cover, sold AS IS 5,000.00



- 162 ★ 1888-98 Small Dragon, 3c lilac, also CIP 5c and 50c, plus 20c and 100c Revenues, each with green or red surcharge, fine and scarce(14,102,106) 500.00
- 163 ○ 1897 4c surcharge, neat "Customs" pmk, fine, cat. \$600(82) 300.00
- 164 190 (Apr) registered picture postcard from Shanghai, franked with two each ½c and 2c, also single 10c C.I.P. Coiling Dragon, sent via the French Post Office where 10c and 25c Chine overprints were added for further transmission via "Ligne N Paq Fr. No.1" to Germany, with Stuttgart arrival cds, card creases, otherwise fine 250.00
- 165 1901 (16 July) German Feld-Postkarte with 20pf and 10pf overprints, tied by Peking Deutsche Post cds, registered to Tientsin, with additional stamps of Japanese, French, India C.E.F., United States and Imperial China added alongside and cancelled at their prospective post offices, boxed "S.N. Armee-Oberkommando in Ostasien Armee-Intendt" and arrival pmk, v.f. 150.00
- 166 1901 (Apr) German Feld-Postkarte with 5pf and 25pf overprints, tied by Tientsin Deutsche Post cds, registered to Potsdam, with additional stamps of Japanese, French, Russian, India C.E.F., United States and Imperial China added alongside and cancelled at their prospective post offices, fine card, with arrival postmark 250.00
- 167 1904 picture postcard franked with ½c C.I.P. Coiling Dragon, tied by framed chop, with Germany Offices in China 5pf alongside, cancelled by Tschinwangtau Deutsche Post (24 Dec) cds, sent to Germany, with Eichstadt arrival pmk alongside, fine 500.00
- 168 1905 native cover, registered from Amoy to Saigon, franked on back with two pairs of 5c C.I.P., Tay Ninh and Saigon Cochinchine postmarks on front, little toning, scarce usage 150.00
- 169 1911 (4 Dec) picture postcard (German Post Office in Chefoo) franked with 1c, 2c and 4c Coiling Dragons, sent via the German and Russian Post Offices, where additional stamps were added for further transmission to Germany, fine 150.00
- 170 ★★田 1986 \$2 Macaw, 300 copies (three sheets of 100), n.h., folded between the stamps, v.f., cat. \$420 (web photo).....(2539) 100.00



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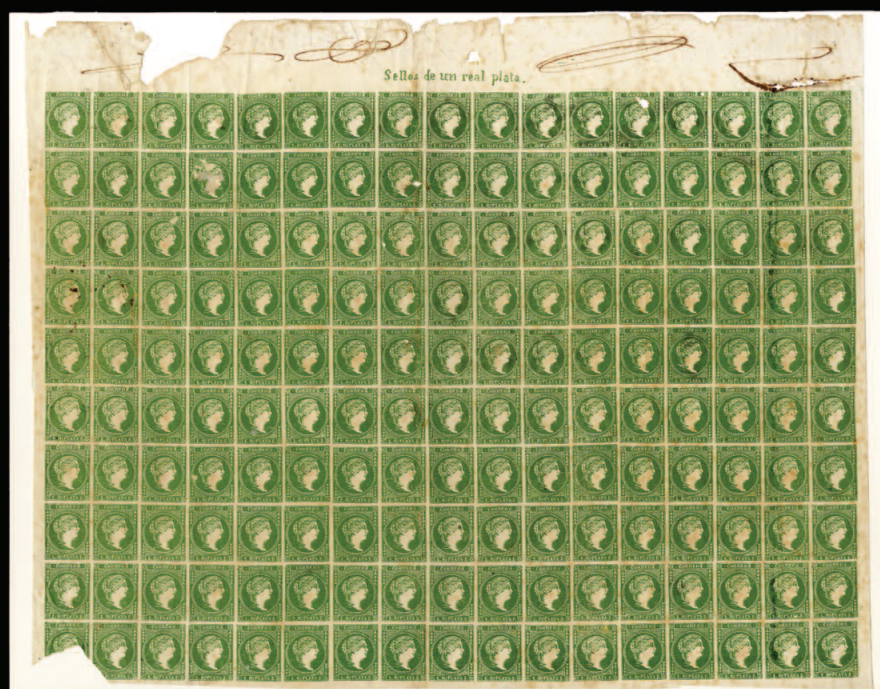
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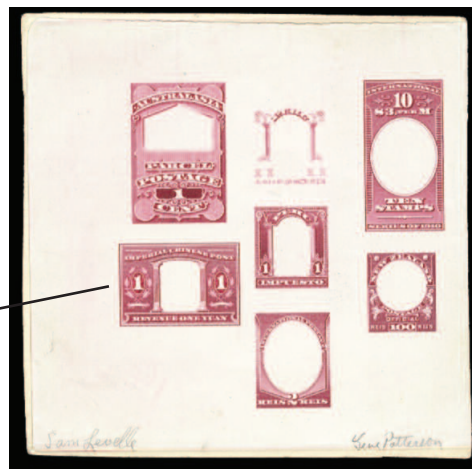
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- 171 P田 **Revenue Stamps.** 1910 "Imperial Chinese Post" (design similar to U.S. 1c Louisiana Purchase), American Bank Note Company India proof die sunk on card (120x120mm), total of seven designs in lake color, all are foreign countries or "International Postage", several designs are recognizable such as U.S. 1883 2c labeled "International Postage" with value expressed in Brazilian "Reis", and a frame with "PERU" label of an 1899 Cuban stamp and frame of a 100r Brazilian Official, but labeled "New Zealand" etc. (it has been suggested that this is the work of an apprentice engraver to show (and improve) his hand lettering work, with photocopies of a George W. Brett article from the Fall 1979 Essay Proof Journal, discussing this piece in great detail). A fascinating and rare item, of great interest to collectors of China and several other countries 2,500.00

COLOMBIA

- 172 ㊟ 1854-1856 two letters to New York, first outer FL from Bogota, with "Encaminada por Pedro Macia Cartagena" in black, also red "T. R. Cowan, Navy Bay Chagres" (rare); second complete FL with contents from Barranquilla to New York, with red "Forwarded Ramon Leon Sanchez Cartagena" in oval, also "Received and Forwarded Druce, Eckhart Cartagena" in black on reverse, Steamship 20 on arrival, fine pair of double forwarded letters 250.00
- 173 ★ 1861 5c yellow, horizontal pair, margins all around, h.r., v.f., with 2012 Moorhouse cert., cat. \$700..(14) 250.00



- 174 ★ **Air Post.** 1919 First Experimental Air Mail Flight, Barranquilla to Puerto Colombia to Barranquilla by American aviator William Knox Martin, June 18, 1919. On this occasion, 200 copies of 2centavo stamps were overprinted at Barranquilla Printing Office. This was executed in horizontal strips of ten, which were severed with a guillotine knife, causing horizontal perforations to have a "cut" appearance. Of the total stamps issued, 160 were used on covers on the special flight. An unused single, perfectly centered with intact perforations, l.h., v.f., with 2014 Sismondo certificate (which identifies this as type IV in the setting of ten) (YT PA1) cat. €5,000(C1) 1,500.00
- 175 ★ **Consular Air Post - C (Cuba).** 1923 5c-5p, complete set of twelve, including Registration stamp, hr., 1p and 3p with tiny thins, few minor toned spots, otherwise fine-v.f., signed Rendon cat. \$535(CLC1-CFLC1) 350.00
- 176 ㊟ **Consular Air Post - I (Italy).** 1929 (3 June) cover (slightly reduced at left) franked with 20c (3), 30c overprinted "I", used in combination with 4x2c carmine, flown from Barranquilla to Bogota, arriving on 5th June, minor cover wear, fine 500.00
- 177 ㊟ 1933 (26 Oct) cover franked with three 20c gray, each overprinted "I", corner cachet "Ch. Pacini, Lucca, Italy", sent from Barranquilla to Bogota, with arrival backstamp (27 Oct), cover wear and minor flaws away from the stamps, fine 250.00

- 178 ☒ 1933 (5 Oct) cover franked with four 15c carmine, each overprinted "I", used in combination with 2x5c government franking, corner cachet "Ch.Pacini, Lucca, Italy", sent from Barranquilla to Bogota, with arrival backstamp (6 Oct), minor cover wear and filing folds away from the stamps 250.00

CROATIA

- 179 ○ **Postage Dues.** 1941 50p violet, overprint inverted, horizontal strip of four, tied by Zagreb postmarks on piece, v.f. and rare, only 100 printed, with 2001 Wieneke cert.(J1var) 250.00
- 180 ★★ 1941 1d deep magenta, overprint inverted, horizontal pair, n.h., v.f., cat. \$400.....(J2a) 150.00
- 181 ★★ 1941 50b-10k, set of five imperf. horizontal pairs, n.h., v.f.(J6-10var) 250.00
- 182 P★☒ 1941-43 specialized collection on pages, with varieties including overprint double and inverted, Second Issue with five imperf. between varieties (including blocks of four and six), plus over 250 proofs including trial colors, vignette double, missing designs, mostly in pairs or blocks of four, also seven covers, fine-v.f. and interesting lot (web photo)(J1/25P) 2,000.00

CUBA

- 183 ☒ 1832-1849 three stampless letters, first with oval "Habana Franco" to Tenerife (Canary Islands), second with red "Esperanza" to Havana, last with oval "Correo Maritimo No.2" from Havana to Logrono, with "Franco" alongside, both in blue 250.00
- 184 ☒ 1855 (28 Mar) FL with contents, from Havana to Boston, with scarce "Charleston S.C. Havana" datestamp in blue, fine 150.00
- 185 ★★田 1857 ½r blue (Postal Forgery), unfolded sheet of 170, with full margins and gum, some insignificant toning, fine and scarce sheet(12) 1,500.00
- 186 ★★田 1857 ½r gray blue (Postal Forgery type VI), imperf. pane of 45, with full margins and gum, some peripheral toning, fine and scarce multiple(12) 500.00
- 187 (★)田 1857 1r green (Postal Forgery Type II, Guerra Type V), part sheet of 139 (stamp missing at upper right), thin paper, unused without gum, "Sellos de un real plata" marginal inscriptions (small letters) at top, some toning, multiple creases and other faults, fine appearance, rare (web photo)(13) 750.00
- 188 (★)田 1857 1r green (Postal Forgery Type II, Guerra type V), large part of sheet of 166 (four stamps missing at bottom), unused without gum, "Sellos de Un Real Plata" in capital letters at top, some toning, various creases and other faults, very rare multiple (web photo)(13) 1,500.00
- 189 (★)田 1857 1r green (Postal Forgery Type A), sheet of 170 (two stamps defective at bottom), "Sellos de un real plata." small letters inscriptions at top, unused without gum, some toning and various creases and faults, rare multiple(13) 1,500.00
- 190 ☒ 1861-1881 five FLs, four franked with ½r each, addressed to New York, departure postmarks include Cienfuegos, Holguin, others from Manzanillo; last one from Havana, franked with 10c brown and addressed to Vera Cruz, some filing creases, otherwise fine 150.00



- 191 ☒ 1889-90 two covers addressed to St. Pierre, Reunion, one registered, franked with 5c and 10c (the former discolored), tied by blue Havana Isla de Cuba cds, also corresponding "R" handstamp, sent via New York and Calais, arriving Reunion (12 Sep), with additional transit markings on back; other franked with single 10c, tied by Correos de Cuba pmk, sent via New York and Paris, some unimportant toning, fine pair of covers to rare destination 2,000.00

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- 192 ★P **Air Post.** 1920 Surcharges inverted, imperf. set of three, also three proofs of the surcharge on different paper, h.r., fine-v.f., signed D.Tzirac(C1-3a) 300.00

- 193 ★/★★ 1922 50h on 100h dull green, surcharge double, hr., also horizontal pair with surcharge inverted, one n.h., the other hr., fine-v.f., signed Gilbert(C7a-b) 400.00

DANZIG

- 194 ☒ 1910 small cover franked with two 5pf green, addressed to St.Moritz, with Swiss Postage Dues affixed on arrival, redirected to Monte Carlo, Nice and Genova, with additional postage dues of Monaco, France and Italy added along the way, interesting and scarce cover 250.00

EASTERN RUMELIA

- 195 ★ 1881 10pa, 1pi and 5pi, imperf. vertical tete-beche pairs, l.h., fine-v.f. and rare(11,13,14var) 200.00

EGYPT

- 196 ☒ 1841 two FLs from Alexandria to Malta, each with red departure pmk, disinfection slits, black "Purifie au Lazaret" handstamps, fine-v.f. 1,000.00
- 197 1886 (22 Jan) letter written by Sir W. Thompson of the War Office to Col. T. Fraser (later Major-General), accompanying the Royal Warrant, signed by [Queen Victoria](#), giving license to accept and wear the Order of the Medjidieh of the third class (this, in recognition of Col. Fraser's services with the Egyptian Army during 1884-85 Nile Expedition), v.f. group, mounted on three album pages 750.00
- 198 ☒ [Zeppelin Flights](#). 1931 card franked with 50m regular issue (instead of the Zeppelin surcharge), flown from Cairo (11 April) to Friedrichshafen, v.f., with arrival pmk 200.00
- 199 ☒ 1931 selection of six covers and cards, including one with regular, unoverprinted stamps, variety showing single bar at bottom left (100m on 27m), card addressed to Greece, "1951" error on card to Germany etc., fine lot..... 1,200.00
- 200 ☒ 1931 (April) German stationery card with additional franking, posted on board, addressed to Bern, Switzerland, with Cairo arrival (11 Apr), v.f. (Si.104b) 200.00
- 201 ☒ 1931 (April) German picture postcard franked with 1m, posted on board, addressed to Port Said, with Cairo arrival (11 Apr), little toning, otherwise fine (Si.104b) 200.00
- 202 ☒ 1931 (April) cover franked with 2m Zeppelin, posted on board, addressed to Cairo, with arrival (11 Apr), v.f. (Si.104b) 300.00



- 203 ☒ 1931 Palestine Round trip, Suez acceptance, picture postcard franked with 50M, addressed to Haifa, with Pyramid cachet, v.f., signed Gappe, also Trachtenberg, with his 1975 certificate, also 2002 Eichele certificate. A rare Zeppelin dispatch from Egypt, one of only four flown (Si.105Ed, €12,500)(C3) 9,000.00
- 204 ☒ 1931 (April) picture postcard Friedrichshafen-Cairo, posted on board, addressed to Friedrichshafen, endorsed "Affranchissement Percu 1 RM" (post office out of stamps) by a crew-member A.Wittemann, addressed to himself, v.f. with arrival (11 Apr)(Si.104i) 900.00
- 205 ☒ 1931 (April) picture postcard, franked with 1m Eagle, posted on board (12.4.1931), addressed to a crew-member A.Wittemann in Friedrichshafen, with arrival (13.IV), v.f., rare return flight (Si.104d) .. 800.00



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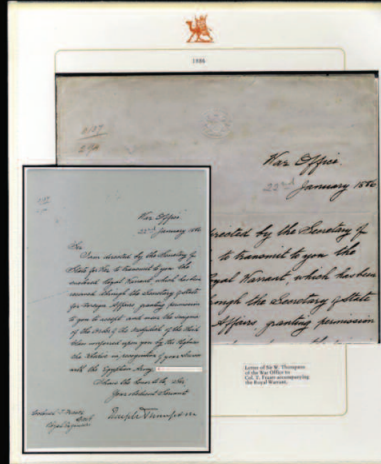
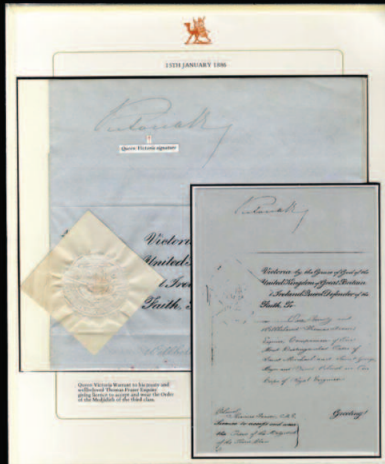
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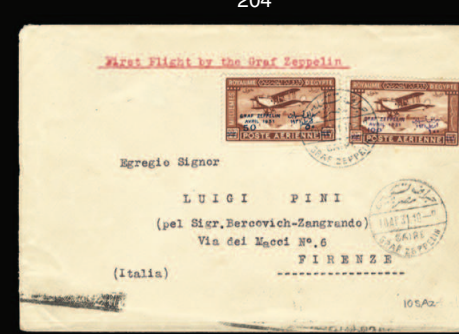
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- 206 ☒ 1931 (April) picture postcard, franked with 100pf Numerals, posted on board (13.4.1931), last day of the flight, arrival in Friedrichshafen the same day, v.f., signed Sieger (stated to be one of only four pieces mailed on 13th April) (Si.104d) 1,500.00
- 207 ☒ 1931 (April) Friedrichshafen to Cairo, Germany stationery card with additional 1m franking addressed to Offenbach, Cairo arrival (11 Apr), v.f. (Si.104a) 150.00



- 208 ☒ 1931 (April) Menu (Lunch and Dinner) from board, during the Egypt flight (April 12), franked with 2M South America Flight adhesive (Mi.438), cancelled on board (13.4.1931), with appropriate cachet, signed by crew-member K.Schoenherr and addressed to Switzerland, Friedrichshafen (13.IV) and Muri (14.IV), menu folded for mailing purposes, fine and appealing item (Si.104d) 2,000.00
- 209 ☒ 1931 Zeppelin surcharges, set of two, used on cover from Cairo (10 April 1931) addressed to Italy, with Friedrichshafen and Firenze arrival postmarks, fine, uncommon destination(C3-4) 450.00
- 210 ☒ 1931 three cards, each franked with 50m Zeppelin surcharge, flown from Cairo (Apr 10 or 11) to Switzerland (2) and to Czechoslovakia, Friedrichshafen arrival markings, fine(C3) 500.00
- 211 ☒ 1931 50m "1951" error, flown from Cairo (Apr 11) on Zeppelin picture postcard to Germany, signed by crew-member (Schoenherr), with Friedrichshafen arrival, fine(C3a) 250.00
- 212 ☒ 1931 50m "1951" error, flown from Cairo (Apr 10) on colorful picture postcard to Germany, with Friedrichshafen arrival, fine(C3a) 200.00
- 213 ☒ 1931 100m, used on flown cover from Cairo (Apr 9) to Paris, filing crease away from the stamp, fine commercially flown item, with Friedrichshafen arrival(C4) 200.00



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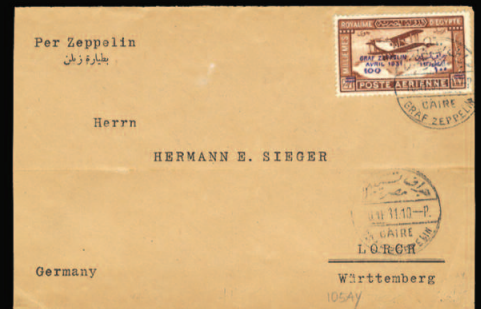
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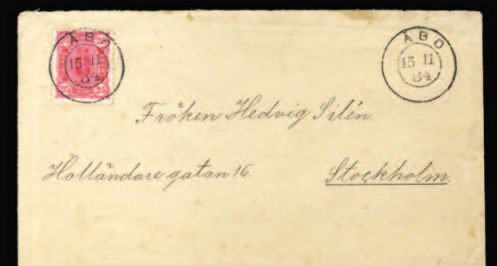
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- 214 ☒ 1931 100m, used on pre-printed "By Graf Zeppelin" cover from Cairo (Apr 10) to Germany, fine, with Friedrichshafen arrival (web photo)(C4) 200.00
- 215 ☒ 1931 100m, used on flown cover from Cairo (Apr 10) to Czechoslovakia, fine, with red "Flugpost Mit Luftschiff Graf Zeppelin" handstamp and Friedrichshafen arrival(C4) 200.00
- 216 ☒ 1931 100m, used on flown cover from Cairo (Apr 10) to Hermann Sieger in Germany, filing fold away from the stamp, Friedrichshafen arrival(C4) 150.00



- 217 ☒ 1931 100m on 27m double overprint, used 10 April 1931 on pre-printed "Per Zeppelin" cover to Germany, Friedrichshafen arrival pmk on back, v.f., signed Gappe and Hermann Sieger, with his letter written in 1965, confirming the cover's authenticity (Si.107Aya "doppeldruck des Aufdruckes"). A rarity(C4var) 5,000.00



- 218 ☒ 1936 Hindenburg, 8th North America Flight from Cairo to USA, attractively franked including Germany set of four, plus 5pf Air Post, appropriate cachet and New York arrival postmarks on back. A fine and rare cover (Si.437) 1,800.00
- 219 ★★田 **Military Mail.** 1932 Postal Seal, 1pi red and deep blue, imperf. right margin block of six, n.h., v.f.(M1P) 150.00
- 220 ★ 1935 Silver Jubilee, l.h., v.f., signed Sieger (SG A10) cat. £275(M9) 200.00

SUEZ CANAL COMPANY

- 221 ★田 1868 four values, reprints in original colors, printed on thin, brittle paper, with smooth, shiny gum, mint sheets of 120, original gum, n.h., each folded in center, with some additional faults noted, fine-v.f., scarce lot (these were printed from the original plate of the 40c value, which is missing from the company's archives) 1,500.00

ESTONIA

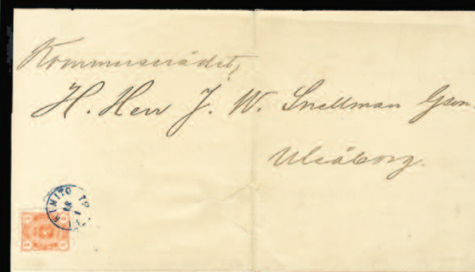
- 222 ★★田 1938 Tallinn Harbor, 2k blue (50), also Semi-Postals 1921 Red Cross 5 (7m) imperf. (120), plus perforated, set of two sheets of 120, each with a vertical row of 10 imperf. horizontally, n.h., fine-v.f., cat. \$987 (web photo).....(138, B6,7-8,7a,8a) 250.00
- 223 ★★田 1940 Carrier Pigeon and Plane, 100 sets, also 1925 Air Post, 50 sets, all in sheets, folded between stamps, some perf. separations, fine-v.f., cat. \$1,050 (web photo)(150-153,C14-18) 250.00



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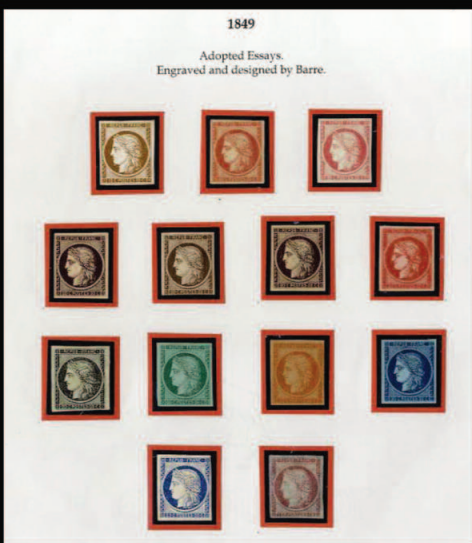
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ETHIOPIA

- 224 ☒ 1943 (22 Feb) registered cover from Addis Ababa to New York, franked on both sides with 20c (24) and 4c, sent via Khartoum, opened by censor, with "Passed Censor Sudan" hs and tape, with additional transit Lagos (20 Mar) arriving Miami (5 April) and New York, some minor faults, impressive and well traveled cover 200.00

FINLAND

- 225 ○ 1856 10k rose, town cancel, margins all around, good color, fine, cat. \$925.....(2) 250.00
- 226 ○ 1856 10k rose, pen cancel, large margins all around, plate flaw showing broken oval at left, small abrasion in margin, fine stamp, with Herbert Osch and Hans Witschi certificates(2) 150.00
- 227 ☒ 1875 20p green blue, two copies tied by Helsingfors 9 Sep 1875 postmark on outer FL to Kars, with arrival docketing (12 Sep), filing fold away from the stamps, fine and scarce, early usage (earliest known 7 Sep), with 2009 Jussi Tuori AIEP certificate (Spec. Cat. No 17S Aaz) 250.00
- 228 ☒ 1875 25p red, used in 1884 on cover from Helsingfors to Stockholm, fine and correct foreign rate to Sweden, with arrival pmk, 2009 Jussi Tuori certificate (Specialized Cat. No 26L Bdz) 250.00
- 229 ☒ 1875 5p reddish orange, used in 1882 on folded Preis-Kurant from Nikolaistad to Uleaborg, with framed "ANK 9.1" alongside, filing fold away from the stamp, fine printed matter item, with 2008 Jussi Tuori certificate 250.00
- 230 ☒ 1875 25p deep red, used in 1884 on cover from Abo to Stockholm, with departure postmark alongside, backstamped on arrival, insignificant peripheral cover toning, still v.f., with 2009 Jussi Tuori certificate (Specialized Catalogue No 26L Bgz) 250.00
- 231 ☒ 1875 5p orange, used in 1882 on small cover (with carte de visit) from Helsingfors to Wiborg, with faint ANK 10.10 arrival handstamp, v.f. example of the printed matter rate, with 2009 Jussi Tuori certificate (Specialized Catalogue No 23L Bbz) 150.00
- 232 ☒ 1875 25p carmine, used in 1879 on cover from Fredrikshamn, sent via St. Petersburg (3 Dec) to Switzerland, with Lichtensteig (18 Dec) arrival postmark, fine cover, with 2009 Jussi Tuori certificate (Specialized Catalogue No 21S Aaz) 150.00
- 233 ☒ 1875 5p red orange, used in 1881 on folded telegram from Kimito to Uleaborg, stamp with irregular perforations, paper folds and tears, otherwise fine domestic printed matter item, with 2009 Jussi Tuori certificate (Specialized Catalogue No 15S Aiz) 150.00
- 234 ○ 1875 32p carmine, Copenhagen printing, cancelled Abo 6.7. 1875 in blue, perfectly fresh and v.f., with 2009 Jussi Tuori certificate ("a beautiful stamp") cat. \$450.....(16) 250.00
- 235 ○ 1875 32p carmine, Copenhagen printing, light postmark, well centered, v.f., with 2009 Jussi Tuori certificate ("a very nice stamp") cat. \$450(16) 250.00
- 236 ○ 1875 32p carmine, Copenhagen printing, part of framed "Nystad ?9.8.1875" postmark, fine, with 2009 Jussi Tuori certificate ("a very nice stamp") cat. \$450(16) 250.00
- 237 ○ 1875 32p carmine, Copenhagen printing, light postmark, well centered, also 20p Prussian blue, cancelled "Abo 24.9. 1875", each with a minor flaw, otherwise fine-v.f., with 2009 Jussi Tuori certificates, cat. \$490(16,21b) 150.00
- 238 ★ 1875 20p Prussian blue, h.r., post office fresh, fine, cat. \$350(21b) 150.00
- 239 ☒ 1882 5p reddish orange, two copies, used with 20p ultramarine on 1884 cover to Stockholm, "fran Finland" ship marking, stamps cancelled by Stockholm 12 10 1884 postmarks, fine cover, with Jussi Tuori certificate (genuine, the correct rate abroad was 25p, so the cover is overpaid by 5p) (Specialized Catalogue No 23L Bdz, 25L Bfz) 250.00
- 240 ☒ 1882 10p yellow brown, used on outer FL from Ruovesi to Tampere, stamp tied by dated (5.10) Ruovesi in manuscript, with additional departure and arrival docketing, minor toning at bottom left, fine and rare cover, with 2009 Jussi Tuori AIEP certificate (Specialized Catalogue No 23 L Bbz) 250.00
- 241 ☒ 1885 25p greenish blue, used with 20p dull brown orange on registered cover from "Tavastehus 3.10. 1888" to Wiborg, small piece of backflap missing, otherwise v.f. and attractive cover, with 2009 Jussi Tuori certificate (Specialized Catalogue No 30hy, 31hy) 250.00

Aunus (Olonets)

- 242 ★○ 1919 5p-10m overprints, complete set, 10p, 20p and 40p used, others unused, h.r., fine-v.f., with handstamped guarantee marks, cat. \$1,490(N1-8) 750.00



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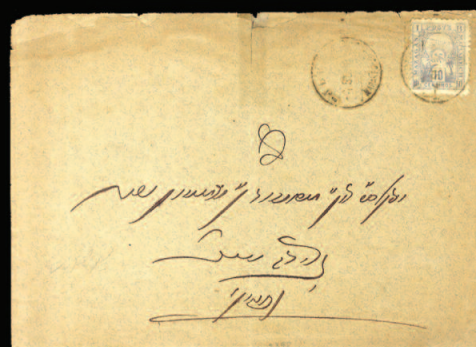
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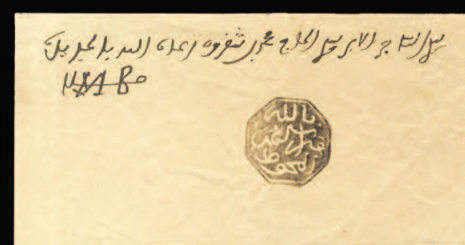
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FIUME

- 243 ★○✉ **Postage Dues.** 1918 Issues complete, both unused and used on piece, plus two covers (one with Diena cert.) also "Franco Fiume 45" surcharges set of two and plus 45f on 6f on cover, fine-v.f. (Sass.1-12; catalogue value does not include covers), cat. €8,750(J1-12) 1,500.00

FRANCE

- 244 E 1849-70 Ceres and Napoleon (Empire) imperforate essays, mostly designed and engraved by Barre, selection of 124, various colors and types, occasional pairs and blocks, also included nine perforated Hulot-designed essays on goldbeaters skin and others, occasional flaws, mostly fine or better 2,500.00
- 245 ○ 1853 1fr lake, used, margins all around, beautiful color, v.f., with handstamped guarantee, cat. \$3,250(21) 750.00
- 246 ★/★★田 1862 25c blue, Re-Issue, bottom sheet margin block of four, h.r. at top, bottom stamps n.h., v.f., cat. \$2,900(6d) 500.00
- 247 ✉ 1862 Re-Issue, 25c blue, three singles paying 75c rate on registered cover used in 1889 from Paris to Switzerland, Zurich transit and Uznach arrival pmk, cover faults, interesting usage 250.00
- 248 ★ 1863-70 Rothschild reprints, 1c, 2c, 4c, 10c, 30c and 80c, fine-v.f. (YT 25c/32b) 500.00



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- 249 ★ 1869 5fr gray lilac, unused with full original gum, never hinged, but with minor finger print and gum disturbance, really of no consequence, considering the stamp is well centered and fresh, v.f., signed Calves (YT 33, catalogue value for hinged), cat. €8,250(37) 3,000.00
- 250 ★ 1870 10c bistre, yellowish, horizontal tete-beche pair, heavy hinge remnant, very fresh and fine (YT 58c), cat. €7,000(54a) 1,500.00
- 251 ✉ 1871 10c on 10c brown, vertical pair, well centered, rounded upper left corner, used together with 5c Type Sage on 1893 (11 Aug) cover from Paris to Frauenfeld, Switzerland, fine, with arrival postmark(49) 1,000.00
- 252 ★田 1887 Type Sage imperforate, Granet Reprints, selection including 5c dark green, 5c green (blocks of four and six), 10c green, 25c ultramarine, 15c blue (block of four), also imperf. pairs of 20c blue, 20c brown, 25c black on red brown and 1fr bronze green, fine-v.f. (Maury Euro 4,690)(78/84var) 1,000.00
- 253 ★★ 1977-78 Sabine, imperforate, complete set of 18 horizontal pairs, n.h., v.f. (YT 1962-1979), cat. €610 (web photo)(1560-1577var) 150.00
- 254 P★★ 1979 selection of 26 different imperf. pairs, including Sabine (set of six), Election to the European Community Assembly, Van Gogh, Telecom 79, Famous Men (three different), Tourism (three different), Airpost, etc., also ten epreuves deluxe including Sabine set of six, n.h., v.f., YT cat. €1,716 (does not include incomplete sets) (web photo) 150.00
- 255 ★★田 1994 Opening of the Channel Tunnel, two imperforate se-tenant sheets of 36 (18 sets), n.h., v.f. (Maury 2864-77), cat. €3,330(2421-24var) 500.00
- 256 ★★田 2008 Beijing Olympics, souvenir sheet of ten, black color partly omitted, especially on top ("Beijing" missing), six stamps without face value (€0,55), n.h., v.f., with 2013 Calves et Jacquart certificate ("Piece exceptionnelle et tres rare, authentique et signe"). A beautiful modern rarity, with regular sheet enclosed for comparison (YT Bloc 122var; Maury 4212Aa), cat. €16,000(3495-98var) 7,500.00
- 257 ★ **Air Post.** 1936 Plane over Pairs complete, also 50fr Burelage, h.r., the latter with faint gum ageing at bottom, nevertheless fresh and v.f., cat. \$1,601(C8-14,15) 300.00
- 258 ★★ 1947 500fr UPU, imperf. and gummed sheetlet, n.h., v.f. (YT PA20) ,cat. €1,100(C22P) 400.00
- 259 ✉ 1870-71 Siege of Paris - Par Ballon Monte. 1870 (9 Dec) "Le General Renault", FL to Dieppe, franked with 20c Ceres, "11" Star cancel and Paris St. Honore cds, endorsed "Par ballon Monte", v.f. 200.00



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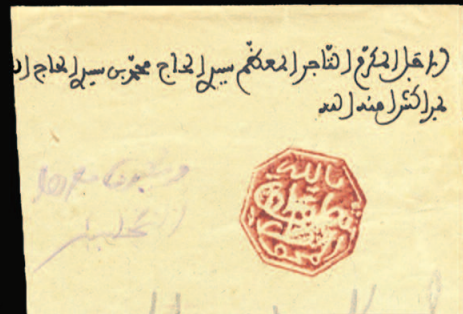
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French Post Offices in Japan

- 260 ☒ 1866 (11 May) flimsy cover to the United States, paying 1.60fr with pair of 80c Empire, tied by "5118" large numerals, with Yokohama Bau Francaise cds alongside, Marseille a Lyon transit pmk, red U.S. entry, fine, with 1977 BPA certificate 250.00
- 261 ☒ 1877 (26 Mar) outer FL to Lyon, paying 1fr with pairs of 10c and 40c Ceres, tied by Yokohama Bau Francaise cds, with Marseille transit and Lyon arrival postmarks, filing fold away from the stamps, fine cover, signed Calves 250.00

FRENCH COLONIES

- 262 ★田 1859-65 10c bister, block of nine, middle stamp printed sideways, heavy h.r., faint hinged stain away from the variety, v.f., with 1972 Roumet cert., cat. \$1,260(3,3a) 600.00



- 263 ★ 1877 1fr bronze green, Type II, corner margin single, h.r., v.f. and rare, unlisted in Scotts, with 1981 Fourcaut cert. (YT 36B) cat. €2,200(29var) 750.00

Omnibus Series

- 264 ★ 1906-08 Palmiers, Faidherbe-Ballay, issues complete (Ivory Coast, Dahomey, Guinea, Upper Senegal, Mauritania and Senegal), 96 stamps, l.h. or h.r., fine-v.f., YT cat. €2,155 750.00

French Morocco

- 265 ☒ 1889 (6 Sep) local 10c issue, used on cover (somewhat defective), stamp tied Brudo departure cds, repeated alongside, also on back 200.00
- 266 ☒ 1890 Cherifien Post, cover used locally in Marrakesh, with large black all-Arabic negative postmark, fine, cat. €750 200.00
- 267 ☒ 1890 Cherifien Post, cover from Fez to Casablanca, with black octagonal all-Arabic negative postmark, cover faults, pre-printed address, cat. €600..... 200.00
- 268 ☒ 1890 Cherifien Post, coverfront (somewhat defective) from Saffi to Marrakech, with violet octagonal all-Arabic negative postmark, cat. €750 200.00
- 269 ☒ 1890 Cherifien Post, cover (backflap missing) from Mekenès, with violet all-Arabic negative postmark, minor toning, manuscript address at top obliterated by pen, fine, cat. €1,400 300.00
- 270 ☒ 1890 Cherifien Post, cover from Casablanca to Marrakesh, with dull blue octagonal all-Arabic negative postmark, minor cover flaws, otherwise fine, cat. €1,200..... 300.00
- 271 ☒ 1890 Cherifien Post, cover (slightly reduced at right) from Larasche, with brown octagonal all-Arabic negative postmark, fine, cat. €900 200.00
- 272 ☒ 1890 Cherifien Post, cover (somewhat defective) from Larasche, with black octagonal all-Arabic negative postmark, cat. €1,000 200.00
- 273 ☒ 1890 Cherifien Post, cover (slightly reduced at left) from Larasche, with violet octagonal all-Arabic negative postmark, cat. €900..... 200.00
- 274 1890 Cherifien Post, large piece of cover from Tetouan to Marrakesh, with large red-brown octagonal all-Arabic negative postmark, fine, cat. €1,400..... 250.00
- 275 ☒ 1896 (17 Mar) Mazagan Marrakech local issue, 5c green, 10c blue, 20c brown and 25c rose, used on "Duke of Edinburgh" corner cachet (Continental Hotel) cover from Tanger to Algiers, filing fold away from the stamps, fine 250.00
- 276 ☒ 1899 (19 June) local 10c issue, used on cover (defective at upper left, part of back missing) to Mazagan, stamp tied Brudo departure cds, repeated alongside, date also in red crayon 200.00



- 277 ☒ 1901 (13 Mar) Mazagan Marrakech local issue, 25c rose, uncanceled single used on registered cover from Mazagan (the adhesive pays the 10c local rate plus 15c registration), via the British Post Office, where 5c, 10c and 50c were added, tied by barred oval cancellation, conveyed via Casablanca and London to New York and Springfield, Mass., light vertical fold away from the stamps, fine and scarce French Local, British Agency and Gibraltar combination 250.00
- 278 ☒ 1913 Cherifien Issue, 5c green, tied by Casablanca cds on (Grand Hotel) cover sent via the International area of Tangier, where French and German Offices in Morocco adhesives were added to pay for further transmission to France, German 5c on 5pf uncanceled, French tied by 30 June cds, with violet "Taxe" handstamp alongside, minor cover faults, otherwise fine, with additional markings including Fes transit and Rouen arrival postmarks 250.00
- 279 ☒ 1913 Cherifien Issue, 10c orange brown, tied on cover by Fes 20 Jan 13 pmk, with "Region de Fez General Commandant" military (French Legion) handstamp below, sent via Tanger to Blois, additional markings on back include "Postes Cheriffiennes", as well as transit and arrival postmarks, cover stains and part of back missing 150.00
- 280 P **Air Post.** 1948 Solidarity and Exposition, selection of 13 artist die proofs, mostly signed, various colors, fine-v.f. (web photo) 250.00

Algeria

- 281 ☒ 1835 FL from Algeria to France, with straight line "Pays D'Outremer" and "Nizza di Mare", red "Purifée a Toulon", also arrival Toulon sur Mer (1 Apr 1835), corresponding disinfection slits and charge markings, fine disinfected cover from Algeria 200.00
- 282 ★ **Semi-Postals.** 1945 1.50fr+3.50fr gray blue, "R.F." omitted, l.h., v.f., with 1998 Behr cert. (YT 245b) cat. €650(B43var) 250.00

French Congo

- 283 P田 1900 Native Woman, nine different imperf. sheetlets of 12, various colors, each with value tablet blank, fine-v.f., rare 500.00

French Guiana



- 284 ☒ **Air Post.** 1921 St. Laurent du Maroni to Cayenne (Aug.21), flown cover franked with 75c red violet on bluish, with additional 25c regular franking, with arrival on reverse, fine and rare, with 1993 Calves cert., cat. \$3,750(CL1) 1,200.00

French Indochina

- 285 ☒ 1866 (Feb) small cover to France, franked with 10c and 40c Eagle, each with three margins, tied by "C H" in dots, with Cochinchine departure cds alongside, red "Col. F.V.Suez Paq" maritime and arrival postmarks, fine cover, with 1980 Philatelic Foundation certificate(3,5) 150.00



- 286 ★ 1892 75c deep violet on orange, horizontal pair, right stamp "Indo-Chine" (19a; Yvert 14a), h.r., fine, signed Calves etc., with 2006 Francois Feldman certificate. A rare and desirable error, only a few exist (YT 14a) cat. €9,500(19a) 6,000.00

Ile Rouad

- 287 ○ 1916 set of three used on part of a cover addressed to Port Said, 1pi on 25c rounded upper right corner, some peripheral toning, fine, cat. \$780(1-3) 150.00

St.Pierre & Miquelon

- 288 ☒ 1893 (19 Feb) cover to New York, franked with 2c on 25c and 40c overprinted "T P" in red, tied by cds, repeated alongside, fine cover, with arrival pmk(41,55) 250.00

Somali Coast

- 289 ☒ 1902 (18 July) large registered cover from Djibouti to Cairo, franked with six different surcharges and right half of 25c, tied by blue cds, with "Yokohama a Marseille L.N. No.1" maritime, Suez transit and Cairo arrival postmarks 250.00
- 290 ☒ 1902 three registered covers (opened for display), franked with total of 21 stamps, some duplication, used from Djibouti to Cairo, with Suez transit and Cairo arrival postmarks 1,000.00
- 291 P 1943-45 France Libre (London Issue), Train, set of 22 imperf. deluxe sheets, including eight surcharged values, each with impressed seal, v.f. (web photo)(224-237, 240-47P) 300.00

Zanzibar

- 292 ☒ **Postal Stationery.** 1900 2½a on 25c letter card, surcharge double, unused, fine 150.00

GEORGIA

- 293 ☒ 1922 (22 Sep) registered cover from Tiflis, via Moscow to Germany, franked on back with 4x5,000r green, used in combination with 3,000r on 100r red, fine-v.f., with Rothenow arrival pmk (web photo) 200.00
- 294 ☒ 1923 (23 Dec) cover from Tiflis, via Moscow to Berlin, franked on back with 5x5,000r green, unused in combination with 1,000r on 50r violet, appropriate transit and arrival postmarks, fine (web photo) 150.00

Georgian Offices in the Turkish Empire

- 295 ★ 1921 Constantinople surcharges in various colors, complete set of 14 different perforated values, l.h. or h.r., fine-v.f. 350.00

Berg Republic

- 296 ★ 1922 handstamps, 2k, 5k and 10k, l.h., fine-v.f., signed Dr. Ceresa, with his 2008 cert. (2k and 10k in horizontal pairs from which this came) 250.00

GERMAN STATES**Bavaria**

- 297 ○ **Air Post Semi-Officials.** 1912 25pf deep Prussian blue, used, v.f. (Mi. F1) cat. €400.....(CL1) 150.00

Thurn & Taxis

- 298 ☒ 1859 (9 Mar) outer FL to USA (addressed to Jacques Ebenezer in Ebenezer, near Buffalo), franked with 2x1kr and 5x9kr, usual margins to slightly cut in, with red London transit and New York arrival postmarks, refolded, with some front-panel defects, still fine 250.00

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- 299 ★○ 1880-83 Pfennig, 3pf, 5pf, 20pf, 25pf and 50pf vertical gutter pairs, h.r., also additional used 20pf, fine(37/42) 250.00
- 300 S 1900 Reichspost, 1m-5m (type I retouched), overprinted Specimen, h.r., fine-v.f., signed Ludin (Mi.63-66SP) cat. €2,400.....(62-65dS) 750.00
- 301 ★ 1902 Deutsches Reich, 2pf-5m, set of fourteen, h.r., fine-v.f. (Mi.68-81Aa) cat. €1,400(65C-78) 350.00
- 302 S 1902 1m-5m, set of four, overprinted Specimen in black, l.h., few minor faults, otherwise fine-v.f., with 2000 Jaschke-Lantelme cert. (Mi.78Ab-81SP) cat. €2,850(75-78S) 500.00
- 303 ★★ 1991 Otto Dix, missing colors variety, corner margin single, n.h., with 2002 Schlegel certificate, cat. €400(Mi.1572F) 200.00
- 304 ★★田 **Semi-Postals.** 1930 lposta souvenir sheet of four, n.h., v.f., cat. \$1,200(B33) 500.00
- 305 ○ 1930 15pf+5pf carmine, vertical gutter pair with advertising label, used, v.f., with 2003 Dr. Oechsner opinion (Mi.S87) cat. €600(B33b) 150.00



- 306 ★★田 1933 Ten Year souvenir sheet, n.h., tiny spot on lower margin of the sheet, otherwise v.f., with large 2014 Schlegel certificate in English (Mi. Block 2, €7,000) cat. \$5,250(B58) 1,500.00
- 307 ☒ 1935 Ostropa souvenir sheet, cancelled by Königsberg 25.6.35 Exhibition postmarks on registered cover to Berlin, unusually fresh and v.f. condition, with arrival pmk on back (Mi. Block 3. Euro 1,100) cat. \$825(B68) 300.00
- 308 ★★田 1943 Wehrmacht, complete set in sheets of 50, n.h., fine-v.f. (Mi.831-42) cat. €1,000 (web photo)(B218-229) 250.00
- 309 ★ 1943 Wehrmacht, 5+4pf green, imperforate pair, h.r., v.f. (Mi.833U) cat. €200.....(B220var) 150.00
- 310 ★ Air Post. 1912 Gotha-Erfurt, h.r., fine, cat. €500(Mi.5) 150.00
- 311 ★ 1912 Regensburger Fliegeertage, 10pf black, h.r., v.f., with 1978 Buhler cert., cat. €1,200(Mi.7) 500.00
- 312 ★★田 1919 40pf blue green, right margin block of four, n.h., v.f. example of this rare shade, signed Bechtold, BPP (Mi.112b) cat. €1,040.....(C2var) 300.00
- 313 ☒ 1924 Berlin-Angora, red cover with "Junkers-Luftverkehr A.G. Berlin" imprint on backflap, franked with special 2GM adhesive, with additional 10pf and 50pf airpost franking, with all special cachets and markings, fine-v.f., ex-Robertson, cat. €1,200.....(Mi.12) 500.00
- 314 ★ 1931 Polar Flight, 1m and 2m, each hyphen omitted variety, l.h., fine-v.f., signed Schlegel etc., cat. \$975.....(C40a,41a) 400.00
- 315 ★ 1931 Polar Flight, 1m vertical pair, lower left sheet margin, top stamp hyphen omitted variety, dried gum, otherwise fine, signed Schlegel, cat. \$560(C40,40a) 150.00



- 316 ☒ Zeppelin Flights. 1930 South America Flight, large cover from New York, franked with 5c blue, to Friedrichshafen, where 2m and 4m South America Flight (C38-39) were added, cancelled on board (two different dates) and flown to Recife, with two Brazilian adhesives added (28 May), cover faults away from the stamps, fine three country-combination (Si.4Raa, €4,250) 1,800.00



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- 317 ✉ 1933 Chicago Flight, 1m red (pair) and 2m blue, used on round trip flight cover addressed to France, with Barr arrival postmark, v.f.(C43,44) 250.00



- 318 ✉ 1937 (5 May) Hindenburg Disaster Flight, German dispatch legal size envelope with commemorative stamps and Hitler souvenir sheet, tied by "Deutsche Luftpost Europa-Nordamerika, Luftschiff Hindenburg 4.5.37" cancels, typewritten endorsement at top left, addressed to Frau Grete Kremer in Chicago, considerable charring but with address and most of stamps intact, in original cellophane wrapper with United States Post Office Department seal on back, remarkable state of preservation for this item (last offered in 2007 Siegel Rarity sale where it realized \$16,000 plus commission). A fine example of mail salvaged from the wreckage. The U.S. Post Office Department enclosed the fragile, charred remains in a glassine envelope and officially sealed it before delivery to the addressee. Postal officials salvaged less than two hundred burned pieces of mail out of more than 17,000 pieces that had been on board 10,000.00

Berlin

- 319 ★★田 1949 set of six panes of five plus advertising labels (from the 1952 booklet, Mi. number 2), two with gutters, n.h., fine-v.f., cat. €860 (web photo)(Mi.H5-9) 150.00
- 320 ★★ Semi-Postals. 1949 Currency Reform souvenir sheet of three, n.h., v.f.(9NB3a) 150.00

Soviet Zone - Thuringen

- 321 ○ 1945 3pf-30pf, 95 complete sets of 10 (incl. imperf.), used on large pieces, Erfurt 27.12.45 cds, handful with minor toned spots away from the stamps, with note from B.Stroh stating that 3pf and 4pf were issued on 4th January 1946, hence this cancel is backdated, cat. €6,175 (web photo)(Mi.92-99) 500.00

East Germany (D.D.R)

- 322 ★★田 1951 China Friendship Issue, set of three in blocks of four, n.h., 50pf with natural offsets on reverse, fine-v.f (Mi.286-288) cat. €1,200(82-84) 250.00

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- 323 ✉ 1917 Submarine Mail, cover from Berlin, franked with 20pf, addressed to USA, with "Bremen T.B. D.O.R." datestamp and three-line "Zuruck - Wegen Einstellung des Tauchboot briefverkehrs zuruck an Absender" handstamp (return to sender, submarine service suspended), also unused picture postcard (members and the crew of the "Deutschland") 150.00



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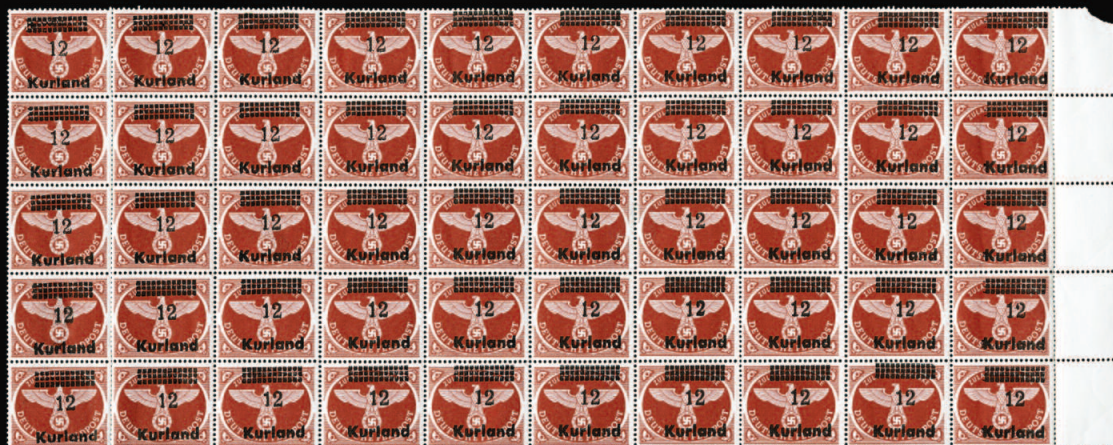
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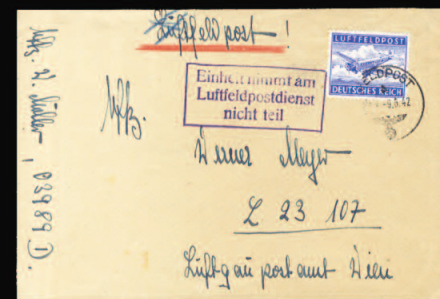
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- 324 ★ 1900 50pf lake & black, unused with original gum, well centered, previously hinged, signed Kohler, Grobe, Richter, plus others, tiny translucent spot in top margin ("eine punkthelle stelle") with 2005 Jaschke-Lantelme certificate ("es handelt sich trotz der minimalen einschränkung insgesamt um ein gut erhaltenes belegstück dieser ungebraucht sehr seltenen marke"). A great German Colonial rarity (Mi.13, €20,000) cat. \$29,000.....(20) 10,000.00
- 325 ○ 1900 80pf lake & black, rose, used (Feb 1901) well centered and fresh, pressed-out perf. crease at upper left, signed Kohler, Herbert Bloch, with clear 1975 Friedl and 1993 Jakubek certificates (Mi.14, €6,000) cat. \$4,500(23) 1,500.00

German Offices in China

- 326 ★★ 1901 3pf light red brown, n.h., v.f. example of this rare shade, signed Pauligk (Mi.15b) cat. €480(24a) 150.00
- 327 ★/★★ 1905-19 \$½ on 1m, two bottom sheet corner margin pairs, with "H 2318.19" and "H 5484.18" plate numbers, the former n.h., the latter l.h., fine-v.f., cat. €530.....(Mi.44BIa,lIaa) 150.00

German Offices in Morocco

- 328 ☒ 1900 (20 Feb) registered cover from Saffi to Hamburg, franked with horizontal strips of 3x3c and 5c surcharges, also block of 4x10c on 10pf, all tied by overlapping cds, with arrival pmk on back, also a single 10c on 10pf carmine, tied on piece by Casablanca cds, fine-v.f. 250.00
- 329 ★ 1911 6p25c on 5m slate and carmine, the so-called "Ministerdruck" (Minister Print) variety, l.h., v.f. and rare, cat. €250(Mi.58IAM) 150.00

German Offices in Turkish Empire

- 330 ☒ 1899 German 5pf green, postal reply card, additionally franked with 10pa and 1pi surcharges, registered from Jaffa to Dortmund, v.f., with arrival cds 150.00

German East Africa

- 331 ☒★ 1914 seven propaganda labels (two unused), same design as the German East Africa Yacht (but much larger), five overprinted and surcharged "G.E.A. British Occupation", apparently printed early to celebrate the anticipated British victory, cancelled on cover addressed to Mogadiscio, Italian Somalia, with arrival pmk, all markings probably bogus, interesting item 500.00

Witu Protectorate

- 332 ○ 1896 Malakote issue (private), set of four cancelled on piece by framed "Massa 15.II.1896" datestamps, v.f. 250.00

Caroline Islands

- 333 ☒ 1902 cover with two each 1m and 2m, tied by Ponape 28 Aug 02 cds, fine-v.f. 150.00

Kiauchau

- 334 ★ 1901 3pf-5m (unwatermarked), complete set, fine-v.f., cat. \$513.....(10-22) 150.00
- 335 ★ 1905 1c-\$1½ (unwatermarked), nine different, some low values n.h., others l.h., fresh, v.f., cat. \$1,612(23-31) 500.00

German Ship Mail

- 336 ★田 1875 Hapag Issue, 10c block of four, disturbed gum, fine-v.f., scarce, cat. €420.....(Mi.1) 250.00

- 337 ☒ 1899 (14 May) picture postcard ("Souvenir de Gethsemane") franked with Egypt 2m and 3m, used in combination with German Office in China 10pf (diagonal overprint), tied by "Marine Schiffspost No.24" cds, repeated alongside, sent to Germany, with Trechttingshausen arrival pmk 250.00
- 338 ☒ 1913 (14 Dec) picture postcard ("La famille du Fellah") franked with Egypt 2m green, used in combination with Germany 5pf Deutsches Reich, tied by "Marine Schiffspost No.29" cds, repeated alongside, sent to Wilhelmshaven, fine 150.00
- 339 ☒ 1916 stampless POW cover from German Naval serviceman held in Philadelphia, USA with a fine strike of K.D. Marine-Schiffspost-Stempel Nr. 3 dated 12.9.16, OBC P.W. 47 censor label applied in transit in UK and German censor handstamp on arrival, fine and seldom offered German POW mail from the USA during this time period, ex-K.K. Wolter collection 250.00

GERMAN WORLD WAR II OCCUPATION ISSUES

France - Legion Post



- 340 (★)田 **Air Post.** 1941 F+10fr "Front de L'Est Ostfront" overprint inverted, top sheet margin block of ten, unused without gum, folded between stamps, fine-v.f. (catalogue value for never hinged) cat. €2,000(Mi.VK) 500.00
- 341 (★)田 1941 F+10fr "Front de L'Est Ostfront" overprint inverted, bottom sheet margin block of six, unused without gum, folded between stamps, fine-v.f. (catalogue value for never hinged) cat. €1,200(Mi.VK) 250.00

Kurland

- 342 ★★田 1945 surcharges, panes of 50, n.h., showing all different types, n.h., fine-v.f., scarce, cat. €13,500(Mi.1-4A,B) 5,000.00

Laibach

- 343 ★ **Postage Dues.** 1944 5c brown, trial overprint in dark orange (instead of black brown), n.h., v.f., signed Ercegovic, cat. €400(Mi.1P) 150.00

Lithuania



- 344 ★★ 1941 1r red & black, n.h., fine, with 2008 Bender certificate, cat. €1,600(Mi.18) 750.00

Russia - Pleskau

- 345 ★ 1941 20k on 1pf, overprinted in black, vertical pair, l.h., v.f., signed Romerskirchen, with 1981 Dr.Bohne certificate, cat. €1,300(Mi.1a) 300.00

Serbia

- 346 ★ **Postage Dues.** 1941 1d carmine lilac, horizontal pair, right stamp without overprint, l.h., v.f., cat. €600(Mi.21) 250.00
- 347 ★ 1941 4d light blue, overprint double, l.h., v.f., cat. €600(Mi.5DD) 250.00

- 348 ★★ 1943 6d red orange, upper left corner margin sheet margin horizontal pair with blank label, n.h., v.f., only 10 copies exist with the sheet margin at left, with 2000 Krischke cert., cat. €300 ..(Mi.20LI) 200.00

German WWII Fieldpost Issues

- 349 ☒ 1941 (8 Dec) Norwegian "V" (Victoria) label, tied by Fieldpost pmk on cover to Koln, appropriate markings, fine 200.00
- 350 ☒ 1941 (October) Norwegian "V" (Victoria) label, tied by Fieldpost pmk on cover to Bochum, appropriate markings, fine 200.00
- 351 ★☒ 1942 two flown covers to Vienna, one with boxed "am luftfeldpostdienst nicht teil", also "Inselpost" rouletted, unused, with handstamped guarantee mark, fine-v.f.(Mi.1) 200.00
- 352 ☒ 1943 three free-frank covers (Prisoner of War mail) to Canada, each opened by censor, with "Camp Maxey Texas" directional handstamps, fine usage to camps holding Africa Corps POWs 250.00
- 353 ☒ 1947-45 collection of 500+ covers and cards, starting with "Manoverpostkarte", Austria Plebiscite, notifications of Military address assignments, various "Feldpost" cancellations, destinations, private cards, Kurland stationery (Mi.P1,Euro 300), "Durch Kurier", few items used after the war (D.A.Z. Air 25A Uetersen Air Base), Military Camp cancellations (Juterbog Adolf Hitler Lager), Festung Lorient maritime cancel, plus others, such as Winston Churchill (2) and Chamberlain propaganda cards, newspaper wrappers, "Rommel Gedenkblatt" and many others (web photo) 1,000.00

German WWII Fieldpost - Tunis

- 354 ★★ 1943 Palm Tree, n.h., usual perforations and slight natural gum bend, otherwise v.f., cat. €700.....(Mi. 5a) 250.00

German WWII Fieldpost - Rhodes (Nov.1944)

- 355 ○☒ 1944 Inselpost overprint on brown red, used on Feldpost cover, small faults, also Inselpost overprint on ultramarine, rouletted, used on piece, fine-v.f., cat. €1,300.....(Mi.8B,9) 250.00

German Propaganda Issues for Great Britain

- 356 (★) 1943 George V with Star of David at top of the Crown, sheet margin set of six, unused without gum as issued, fine-v.f., cat. €400(Mi.3-8) 200.00

British Propaganda Issues for Germany

- 357 ★ 1944 General Witzleben, l.h., v.f., signed Hosang, cat. €650.....(Mi.29) 200.00

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