

Auction of Great Britain Postage Stamps and Postal History



A specialised auction of around 1,850 lots featuring the exceptional Jane & Michael Moubray study of Overseas Mail 1840 to UPU, the handsome collection of Seahorse issues formed by the late Bryan Kearsley and unusual offerings including the Dr. Simon Kelly collection of the postal history of Westmorland and rarities from the remarkable collection formed by the late Brian Sole.

**To be held in the Grosvenor Auction Room
Third Floor, Romano House, 399–401 Strand, London WC2R 0LT**

**Monday 26th October 2026 at 12.00 pm
Tuesday 27th October 2026 at 10.30 am and 2.00 pm**

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Front Cover Background: Royal Mail Paddle Steam Ship *Europa*, detail from engraving by
Maclure & Macdonald of Glasgow from the *History of the Cunard Steamship Company* (1886)

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Live bids from the online system require the auctioneer's acceptance and judgement of the contract of the sale remains the responsibility of the auctioneer. The auctioneer may exercise the right to hold open any lot if he/she judges that a bid was received legitimately before its closure. However, the online bidding system is monitored closely and any incoming bids that are judged to have been received after the fall of the gavel will be disregarded. In the event of a disputed bid, the auctioneer is the sole arbiter and the auctioneer's decision is final.

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Bidding Increments

Bidding advances will normally proceed by the following steps:

Up to £100 by £5

£100 to £300 by £10

£300 to £1,000 by £20 or £30 (ie £520, £550, £580, etc.)

£1,000 to £2,000 by £50

£2,000 to £3,000 by £100

£3,000 to £10,000 by £200 or £300 (ie £3,200, £3,500, £3,800, etc.)

Over £10,000 at auctioneer's discretion

Bids of unusual amounts 'off step' will be rounded down to the bid step below and will not take precedence over a similar bid unless received first.

Scan Requests

Additional scans of auction lots may be found on the Grosvenor website.

We are generally prepared to supply by email on request a strictly limited number of computer scans of items not illustrated elsewhere. These will be sent in JPEG format unless otherwise specified. Requests should be sent to our email address: info@grosvenor-auctions.co.uk

Please note that we must reserve the right to refuse any requests that we do not consider practical to meet.

Conditions of Business

Conditions mostly concerning buyers

1 The buyer

The highest bidder shall be the buyer at the 'hammer price' and any dispute shall be settled at the auctioneer's absolute discretion. Every bidder shall be deemed to act as principal unless there is in force a written acknowledgement by Grosvenor that he acts as agent on behalf of a named principal.

2 Minimum increment

The bidding and advances shall be regulated by and at the absolute discretion of the auctioneer.

3 The premium

The buyer shall pay to Grosvenor a premium of 22% on the 'hammer price' plus Value Added Tax at the standard rate where applicable and agrees that Grosvenor, when acting as agent for the seller, may also receive commission from the seller in accordance with Condition 15.

4 Value Added Tax (VAT)

Lots on which Value Added Tax at 20% is payable by the buyer on the 'hammer price' are indicated in the catalogue with the sign '†'. Lots with an 'X' before the lot number have 5% Importation VAT charged on the hammer price because they have been imported into the UK. In such cases Grosvenor has used a temporary importation procedure which in effect means that the point of importation is deferred until the lot has been sold by Grosvenor. At that point the buyer is treated as the importer and is liable to pay the Import VAT due.

5 Payment

Immediately a lot is sold the buyer shall:

- (a) give to Grosvenor his name and address and, if so requested, proof of identity; and
- (b) pay to Grosvenor the 'total amount due' (unless credit terms have been agreed with Grosvenor before the auction).

6 Grosvenor may, at its absolute discretion, agree credit terms with the buyer before an auction under which the buyer will be entitled to take possession of lots purchased up to an agreed amount in value in advance of payment by a determined future date of the 'total amount due'.

7 Any payments by a buyer to Grosvenor may be applied by Grosvenor towards any sums owing from that buyer to Grosvenor on any account whatever without regard to any directions of the buyer or his agent, whether express or implied.

8 Collection of purchases

The ownership of the lot purchased shall not pass to the buyer until he has made payment in full to Grosvenor of the 'total amount due'.

9 (a) The buyer shall at his own expense take away the lot purchased not later than 5 working days after the day of the auction but (unless credit terms have been agreed in accordance with Condition 7) not before payment to Grosvenor of the 'total amount due'.

(b) The buyer shall be responsible for any removal, storage and insurance charges on any lot not taken away within 5 working days of the day of the auction.

(c) The packing and handling of purchased lots by Grosvenor staff is undertaken solely as a courtesy to clients and, in the case of

fragile articles, will be undertaken only at Grosvenor's discretion. In no event will Grosvenor be liable for damage to glass or frames, regardless of the cause.

10 Buyer's responsibility for Lots purchased

The buyer will be responsible for loss or damage to lots purchased from the time of collection or the expiry of 5 working days after the day of the auction, whichever is the sooner, and neither Grosvenor nor its servants or agents shall thereafter be responsible for any loss or damage of any kind, whether caused by negligence or otherwise, while any lot is in its custody or under its control.

11 Remedies for non-payment or failure to collect

If any lot is not paid for in full and taken away in accordance with Conditions 6 and 10, or if there is any other breach of either of those Conditions, Grosvenor as agent of the seller shall, at its absolute discretion and without prejudice to any other rights it may have, be entitled to exercise one or more of the following rights and remedies:

- (a) to proceed against the buyer for damages for breach of contract.
- (b) to rescind the sale of that or any other lots
- (c) to re-sell the lot or cause it to be re-sold by public auction or private sale and the defaulting buyer shall pay to Grosvenor any resulting deficiency in the 'total amount due' after deduction of any part payment and addition of re-sale costs and any surplus shall belong to the seller.
- (d) to remove, store and insure the lot at the expense of the defaulting buyer and, in the case of storage, either at Grosvenor premises or elsewhere.
- (e) to charge interest at a rate not exceeding 1.5% per month on the 'total amount due' to the extent it remains unpaid for more than 5 working days after the day of the auction.
- (f) to retain that or any other lot sold to the same buyer at the sale or any other auction and release it only after payment of the 'total amount due'.
- (g) to reject or ignore any bids made by or on behalf of the defaulting buyer at any future auctions or obtaining a deposit before accepting any bids in future.
- (h) to apply any proceeds of sale then due or at any time thereafter becoming due to the defaulting buyer towards settlement of the 'total amount due' and to exercise a lien on any property of the defaulting buyer which is in Grosvenor's possession for any purpose.

12 Liability of Grosvenor and sellers

- (a) Each lot is sold as:
 - (i) *Genuine* unless otherwise described in the sale catalogue.
 - (ii) *Correctly described* (see also clause 12 (f)). The date of any certificate forming part of the description of any lot will be included in the description.
- (b) A purchaser shall be at liberty to reject any lot if he:
 - (i) within 7 days gives the auctioneer written notice of intention to question the genuineness of or, as the case may be, the accuracy of the description of the lot and/or requests the submission of the lot to a recognised expert or expert committee in accordance with the Grosvenor expertising policy separately stated.
 - (ii) proves that the lot is not genuine or was incorrectly described; and
 - (iii) returns to the auctioneer within 30 days of the date of the sale,

the lot in the same condition as it was at the time of the sale; provided that the auctioneer may, at his absolute discretion, on receiving a request in writing from the purchaser, extend for a reasonable period of time the return of the lot, to enable it to be submitted to an agreed expert or expert committee.

nb: The onus of proving a lot not to be genuine, or incorrectly described, is on the purchaser. The inability of a recognised expert or expert committee to express a definite opinion shall serve to discharge the onus on the purchaser and shall be a ground for rejecting the lot concerned.

(c) Where a lot has been submitted for an expert opinion, all costs for such an option shall be paid for by the person who retains the item or items to which the opinion relates.

(d) Where the purchaser of a lot discharges the onus and acts in accordance with sub clause (b) of this clause, the auctioneer shall rescind the sale and repay to the purchaser the purchase money paid by him in respect of the lot.

(e) No lot shall be rejected if, subsequent to the sale, it has been immersed in water, marked by an expert or expert committee, or treated by any other process, unless the auctioneer's permission to subject the lot to such a process has first been obtained in writing.

(f) Any lots listed under 'Miscellaneous and Mixed Lots', or lots stated to comprise or contain a collection or selection of items, shall be put up for sale, not subject to rejection, and shall be taken by the purchaser with all (if any) faults, lack of genuineness, and errors of description, and numbers of stamps within the lot, and the purchaser shall have no right to reject the lot; except that, notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this sub clause, where before the sale a person intending to bid at the sale gives notice in writing to, and satisfies the auctioneer, that any such lot contains any item or items not described in the sale catalogue, and that person specifically describes such in that notice, then that item or items shall, as between the auctioneer and that person, be taken to form part of the description of the lot for purposes of sub clauses (a), (b) and (d) of this clause.

(g) No lot illustrated in the catalogue shall be rejected on the grounds of cancellation, centring, margins, perforation or other characteristics that are judged apparent from the illustration. Catalogue illustrations are not guaranteed for tone or colour and no lot shall be rejected on the ground of inaccurate reproduction. Imperfections on covers shall not constitute grounds for return unless of an exceptional nature.

13 Grosvenor sells as agent for the seller (except where it is stated wholly or partly to own any lot as principal) and as such is not responsible for any default by seller or buyer.

14 Any representation or statement by Grosvenor, in any catalogue as to authorship, attribution, genuineness, origin, date, age, provenance, condition or estimated selling price is a statement of opinion only. Every person interested should exercise and rely on his own judgment as to such matters and neither Grosvenor nor its servants or agents are responsible for the correctness of such opinions.

15 Whilst the interests of prospective buyers are best served by attendance at the auction, Grosvenor will, if so instructed, execute bids on their behalf, neither Grosvenor nor its servants or agents being responsible for any neglect or default in doing so or for failing to do so.

16 Grosvenor shall have the right, at its discretion, to refuse admission to its premises or attendance at its auctions by any person.

17 Grosvenor has absolute discretion without giving any reason to refuse any bid, to divide any lot, to combine any two or more lots, to withdraw any lot from the auction and in case of dispute to put up any lot for auction again.

18 (a) Any indemnity under these Conditions shall extend to all actions, proceedings costs, expenses, claims and demands whatever incurred or suffered by the person entitled to the benefit of the indemnity.

(b) Grosvenor declares itself to be a trustee for its relevant servants and agents of the benefit of every indemnity under these Conditions to the extent that such indemnity is expressed to be for the benefit of its servants and agents.

19 Any notice by Grosvenor to a seller, consignor, prospective bidder or buyer may be given by first class mail or airmail and if so given shall be deemed to have been duly received by the addressee 48 hours after posting.

20 These Conditions shall be governed by and construed in accordance with English law. All transactions to which these Conditions apply and all matters connected therewith shall also be governed by English law. Grosvenor hereby submits to the exclusive jurisdiction of the English courts and all other parties concerned hereby submit to the non-exclusive jurisdiction of the English courts.

General conditions and definitions

1 In these Conditions:

(a) 'catalogue' includes any advertisement, brochure, estimate, price list and other publication.

(b) 'hammer price' means the price at which a lot is knocked down by the auctioneer to the buyer.

(c) 'total amount due' means the 'hammer price' in respect of the lot sold together with any premium, Value Added Tax chargeable and additional charges and expenses due from a defaulting buyer in pounds sterling;

(d) 'deliberate forgery' means an imitation made with the intention of deceiving as to authorship, origin, date, age, period, culture or source which is not shown to be such in the description in the catalogue and which at the date of the sale had a value materially less than it would have had if it had been in accordance with that description.

(e) 'sale proceeds' means the net amount due to the seller being the 'hammer price' of the lot sold less commission at the 'stated rates' and 'expenses' and any other amounts due to Grosvenor by the seller in whatever capacity and howsoever arising.

(f) 'stated rate' means Grosvenor published rates of commission for the time being and a sum in lieu of Value Added Tax thereon.

(g) 'expenses' in relation to the sale of any lot means Grosvenor charges and expenses for insurance, illustrations, special advertising, packing and freight of that lot and any Value Added Tax thereon.

(h) 'bought-in price' means 5 per cent more than the highest bid received below the reserve.

2 Vendor's commission on sales

A commission of 18% is payable by the vendor on the hammer price on lots sold, unless otherwise agreed.

3 VAT

Commission, illustrations, insurance and advertising are subject to VAT at the standard rate where appropriate.

Important Information for Bidders

Absentee bids

If instructed we will execute bids and advise intending purchasers. No charge is made for this service. Lots will always be bought as cheaply as is allowed by such other bids and reserves as are on our books. In the event of identical bids, the earliest received will take precedence. Always indicate a 'top limit' – the amount to which you would bid if you were attending the auction yourself. 'Buy' or unlimited bids will not be accepted. **All bids must be confirmed in writing, by fax or email prior to the date of the sale.** Further advice to bidders and purchasers may be found on the bidding slip included with this catalogue. Please use this slip when sending bids to us. **It is vital that the slip should be signed.**

Buyer's premium

A buyer's premium of 26.4% on the hammer price, inclusive of an amount in lieu of VAT, is payable by the buyer on all lots.

Value Added Tax

Lots on which Value Added Tax at 20% is payable by the buyer on the 'hammer price' are indicated in the catalogue with the sign '†'.

Imported lots

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Pre-sale estimates

The pre-sale estimates are intended as a guide for prospective purchasers. Any bid between the listed figures would, in our opinion, offer a fair chance of success. However, all lots, depending on the degree of competition, can realise prices either above or below the listed estimates.

Methods of payment

Payment may be made by transfer direct to the Grosvenor Philatelic Auctions Ltd. account.

Bank of Scotland

P.O. Box 1000, BX2 1LB

Account number: 06741391

Sort Code: 12-24-81

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Swiftcode: BOFSGBS1BBL

Please include your name and invoice number with your instruction to the bank. If paying by this method from overseas an additional amount (minimum £6) should be added to cover the bank charges that will be incurred, otherwise your total balance due may not be cleared.

Alternative methods of payment which will enable immediate clearance of purchases include cash, bankers drafts, debit and credit cards (Mastercard or Visa). **Please note that Paypal is not accepted.** Although personal and company cheques are accepted, buyers are advised that lots will not be released until such cheques have cleared. Purchases will be despatched as soon as possible upon receipt of your written despatch instructions and full payment for the lots you have bought. Carriage will be at the buyer's expense. Estimates and advice on all methods of despatch can be provided upon request.

Payments for purchases made by cards issued outside the EU, or by any corporate card, are subject to a surcharge of 2.5% (+ VAT when applicable). Cards registered outside the UK will be charged in the currency of your account unless stipulated otherwise by you. UK credit cards and all EU cards will be accepted up to a current maximum amount of £1,000. **For your own security please do not supply your credit card information via email.**

Insurance cover will be arranged unless otherwise specified and will be included in the carriage charge.

Payments by Credit or Debit Card

Payments made by Visa or Mastercards issued outside the EU, or by any corporate card, are subject to a surcharge of 2.5% (+VAT when applicable). **UK credit cards and all EU cards will be accepted only up to a maximum amount of £1,000.**

Clearance of purchases

Buyers who have not established a credit arrangement with Grosvenor will be asked to pay for their purchases when they wish to take possession of them. It is regretted that Grosvenor cannot take Banker's references over the telephone at the time of clearance and that buyers cannot take possession of their purchases until cheques are cleared.

If buyers wish to pay for their purchases by cheque they are urged to arrange clearance of their cheques well in advance of the sale by supplying appropriate banker's references.

In the case of cheques drawn on foreign banks, £12 must be added to the invoice total, otherwise such cheques will be returned.

Buyers may be requested to supply a reasonable means of identification at the time of payment.

Lots will only be released to the purchaser or his authorised representative if full payment has been received by Grosvenor together with settlement of any charges due.

- Please note that invoices unpaid by the due date will incur interest charges unless an arrangement for extended credit has been arranged in writing with the auctioneer prior to the Sale.
- Failure to pay an invoice in full by the due date is likely to result in our refusal to accept any future bids.
- *Overseas buyers please note.* Lots sold subject to Temporary Importation Tax to non-EEC buyers will not be available for clearing on the day of the sale.

Extensions, Condition, Returns and References

- Requests for the possible sale of a lot 'on extension' must be made in writing not less than 48 hours before the commencement of the auction. The name of the proposed expert or expert committee must be provided to and approved by us before the sale. Some experts mark forged stamps and it is particularly important that permission for submission to these authorities be obtained from us beforehand.
- The reason for the extension request must be stated. Extension requests will not be granted for any lot already accompanied by a recent certificate of authenticity, except by special permission. Requests relating to condition only will not normally be approved. The sale of any lot identified in its description as having 'faults', 'defects' or 'imperfections' will not be cancelled in the event of these being specified individually on the issued certificate.
- Extension requests will not be granted for any lot already accompanied by a recent certificate of authenticity, except by special permission.
- Each auction will contain items that are unique or of exceptional rarity. It should be noted that all philatelic items are graded and described in relation to their condition as normally found. Covers in particular should be expected to have minor imperfections consistent with their age and passage through the postal system and only significant faults will be described. The condition of covers will not be considered as grounds for return
- The illustration of a lot in the catalogue or on the internet is deemed to form part of its description and lots may not be rejected on the grounds of imperfections that are visible clearly from the illustration.
- Lots listed under 'Miscellaneous and Mixed Lots', or stated to comprise a 'collection' or 'selection' of items, are put up for sale not subject to rejection.
- Quotations of catalogue numbers and values are taken from Stanley Gibbons catalogues, and other catalogues named in the text, current at the time of lotting.

Bidding Increments

Bidding advances will normally proceed by the following steps:

Up to £100 by £5

£100 to £300 by £10

£300 to £1,000 by £20 or £30 (ie £520, £550, £580, etc.)

£1,000 to £2,000 by £50

£2,000 to £3,000 by £100

£3,000 to £10,000 by £200 or £300 (ie £3,200, £3,500, £3,800, etc.)

Over £10,000 *at auctioneer's discretion*

Bids of unusual amounts 'off step' will be rounded down to the bid step below and will not take precedence over a similar bid unless received first.

Symbols

✱ Unmounted Mint	B Booklet
★ Mint	C Cancelled
☆ Unused	E Essay
○ Used	F Forgery
田 Block of Four	L Literature
田 Block of larger than Four	M Miniature Sheet
✉ Used on cover, entire, etc	P Proof
✈ Airmail	R Reprint
▲ Used on piece or front	S Specimen

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Monday 26th October at 12 pm

Great Britain

Collections and Mixed Lots

- 1 Collection in two binders incl. 1840 1d. (3) and 2d. (2) used, 1841 1d. red selection incl. covers and fronts, later used plate no. (to 222) selection, 1855 surface printed selection incl. 4d. on blued paper, 1867-80 used to 2s. blue, 1870 ½d. plate 14 mint and used plates 5, 6, 8, 10 (pair), 11, 13, 14, 1883-84 white paper used to 10s., 1883-84 'lilac and green' set used, 1887-1900 used set (£1 with neat central London registered datestamp) and mint to 1s., K.E.VII mint to 5s. (De La Rue) and 1902-10 and 1911-12 used sets, 1912-24 mint set incl. shades and a used set incl. inverted watermarks on the ½d., 1½d. and 2d., 1918-19 mint and used sets, 1924-26 mint and used sets, 1934 Seahorse 2s.6d. (2) and 5s. mint and a used set, 1939-48 mint and used set and 10s. dark blue marginal mint block of four with one position showing blot on scroll., 1951 mint and used sets, Q.E.II pre-decimal mint and used incl. phosphors, Machins, regionals, Channel Islands, Officials with Government Parcels on 1883-86 6d. faded and no gum, 1887-90 used to 1s. and 1891-1900 2d. mint, postage dues incl. 1914-22 set mint and ½d. overprinted "SPECIMEN", 1924-31, 1936-37, 1937-38, 1951-54, 1954-55 and 1968-69 (incl. 8d pair with heavy ink flaw) mint sets, etc. (few 1,000s) **£4,500-£5,000**
- 2 A mainly used surface printed collection on leaves, incl. 1855-57 4d. (5), 6d., 1s., 1862-64 3d. (2), 4d. (2), 6d., 9d., 1s., 1867-80 2s. brown, 1867-83 watermark Maltese Cross 10s., watermark anchor 5s. plate 4, 10s., £5 orange (small tear at top), 1884 watermark crowns £1 brown-lilac, 1888 watermark orbs £1 brown-lilac, 1887-92 £1 green, etc., very mixed condition. (approx. 100) **£3,000-£4,000**
- 3 1854 to 1879 perforated line engraved, a selection in an old approval book, mainly fine to very fine selected examples (the 1d. stars unplate), incl. 1854-55 SC16 1d. dies I & II (73, with a block and a strip of four, fine range of shades, K.G. with wmk. inverted), 2d., SC14 1d. die I (18), 1d. die II (18), 1855 LC16 1d. (10, one unused), 2d., 1856 LC14 1d. on blued (approx. 100) incl. a block and other multiples, excellent range of shades, 1855-57 LC14 2d. plates 5 (35 incl. multiples), 6 (12), 1857 LC16 1d. (18 with a strip of 4), 1858 LC16 2d. plate 6 (3), range of plate number issues incl. 1d. (79) mostly mint, 1870 ½d. (130 incl. plate 11 mint strip of four, many used pairs and strips), 1½d. (50 with 4 unused or mint). **£3,000-£3,500**
- 4 A mint Q.V. surface printed collection on leaves, incl. 1857 6d. (2), 1s. "SPECIMEN", 1865-67 4d. (4), 6d. and 1s., 1867-80 3d. (3), 6d. (3), 9d. (top marginal with inscription), 10d., 1s. (3) and 2d. blue, 1872-73 6d. grey, 1873-80 watermark anchor 2½d. (2), watermark orb 2½d. rosy mauve (7), 2½d. blue, watermark spray 3d. (2), 6d. (3), 1s. orange-brown, watermark large garter 4d. sage-green, 8d., 1880-83 2½d. (5), 3d. on 3d., 4d., 6d. on 6d., 1880-81 set to 1½d., 5d. "SPECIMEN", 1881 die I 1d. (2) and die II 1d. bluish lilac, 1d. watermark inverted, 1883-84 2s.6d. (2), 5s., 1883-84 'lilac and green' set, 1887-1900 'Jubilee' set to both 1s., Office of Works 1896-02 ½d., Army Official 1896-01 1d. "OFFICIAL", Government Parcels 1887-90 1s. with R.P.S. (1988) and Philatelic Expertising (1996) certificates etc., varied condition, many regummed. (94) **£1,200-£1,500**
- 5 A collection in album, 1840 to 1970, incl. 1840 1d. (3) and 2d. (4), 1854-58 2d. (10), 1864-79 1d. all plates to 225 (less 77), 1847-54 embossed 6d. (3), 10d. and 1s. (4) used, surface printed with most plates mainly used, 1865 cover to New York, 1867-83 5s. (3) and 10s. (2) used, 1873-80 4d. grey-brown "SPECIMEN", 1883-84 to 10s. (2), 1887-1900 'Jubilee' set to £1, K.E.VII to 10s. (2) and £1 used, also ½d. in pair with St. Andrew's Cross label mint, 1912 (Sept.-Oct.) 1d. imperf., 1913 ½d. and 1d. mint, Seahorses to 10s. (6) and 1929 P.U.C. £1 used, postage dues, Channel Is. etc., varied condition. (many 100s) **£1,000-£1,200**
- 6 A mint Q.V. line engraved collection on leaves, incl. 1840 1d. (toned), 1841 1d. (6) and 2d., 1854-57 SC15 1d. and LC14 2d., 1861 1d., 1864-79 1d. most plates to 225 (only about five missing), 1858-76 2d. all plates, 1870 ½d. all plates (less 9), 1870 1½d. (2) etc., varied condition. (approx. 200) **£900-£1,000**
- 7 A K.E.VIII to Q.E.II collection in eleven albums and loose with main value in mint decimal issues with commemorative sets and miniature sheets to 2018, booklet panes, selection of booklets with self adhesive and prestige issues, some definitive and regional issues, etc. (many 100s) **£800-£1,000**

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- 8 A mainly used K.E.VII to K.G.V on leaves, incl. 1902-13 to £1, Seahorses with 1913 Waterlow 10s. and £1 green, etc., mixed condition. (128) **£800-£1,000**
- 9 A used Q.V. collection on leaves, incl. 1840 1d. (5) and 2d. (5), 1840 Mulready 1d. envelope unused, 1841 1d. "1" to "12" numbers in Maltese Cross set, also 2d. with "6", several 1d. with blue cancellations, 1854-58 various 2d. (9), 1864-79 1d. all plates to 225 (less 77), 1870 ½d. all plates, 1847-54 embossed 6d. (2), 10d. (3) and 1s. cut square, comprehensive surface printed with shades and plates, 1867-83 5s. (5, three plates 2 and one plate 4) and watermark large anchor 10s. (repaired), 1883-84 to 10s. (3), 1887-1900 'Jubilee' to £1 etc., varied condition. (100s) **£800-£900**
- 10 A mint Q.V. line engraved collection on leaves, 1841 to 1856, comprising 1841 1d. (5, incl. orange-brown) and 2d., 1854-57 SC16 1d. (3) and 2d., SC14 1d. (3), LC14 1d. (4), 1856-58 LC16 1d. and LC14 1d. (5), varied condition, some regummed, all imperf. with four margins. (23) **£800-£900**
- 11 Line engraved 2d. blues, a specialised used collection with covers, varieties, shades, plate flaws and cancellations written up in two boxed albums, 1840 to 1858, incl. 1840 2d. (8, one on cover), 1841 2d. pairs, strips of three (20, seven on covers with two registered) and four (3, on covers), blocks of four (2, one on registered cover), with numbers "1" (3, with pair), "4" (2), "6" and "12" (3) in MC, 2d. with marginal inscription, various 1854-58 2d. stars, 1858-76 2d. plates with plate 7 block of six, plate 9 on cover from Gibraltar to Lisbon etc., varied condition. (many 100s + 81 covers) **£600-£700**
- 12 A mainly used line engraved collection on leaves, incl. 1840 1d. black (2), 2d. (2), 1864-79 1d. plates to 225, 1870 ½d. plate 9, etc., mixed condition. (216) **£600-£700**
- 13 A mint Q.V. collection on stock leaves, incl. 1841 1d. (2), 1854-57 2d., 1870-79 ½d. plate 12 strip of three and 1½d., 1862-64 3d., 6d. and 9d., 1867-80 3d., 6d. and 1s., 1872-73 6d. chestnut and 6. grey, 1867-83 4d. sage-green, 6d., 8d. and 1s. green, 1880-83 values to 3d. on 3d., 4d. and 6d. on 6d., 1880-81 set, 1883-84 2s.6d., 1883-84 set to 9d., 1887-1900 'Jubilee' set to both 1s., some blocks of four etc., varied condition, some without gum. (124) **£600-£700**
- 14 An unmounted mint collection on stock leaves, 1887 to 1970, incl. 1887-1900 'Jubilee' set to both 1s., 1902-1913 basic set to 1s. and perf. 15 x 14 set, 1912-24 set, 1913 ½d. and 1d. (toned gum), 1924-26 and 1934-36 sets, 1934 re-engraved set, 1939-48 and 1951 sets, 1952-54, 1955-58, 1958-61 and 1959 (with 2d. error) Wildings sets etc., mainly good to fine. (100s) **£500-£600**
- 15 A collection in three albums and a stockbook, 1840 to 1990, incl. 1840 1d. (4) and 2d. pair used, 1856-58 1d. complete sheet reconstruction of 240 used, 1858-76 2d. plate 15 block of six mint, 1864-79 1d. plates to 225 used and plate 138 irregular block of twelve mint, 1883-84 to 10s. used, 1887-1900 'Jubilee' set to both 1s. mint, K.E.VII to 10s. used, 1912-24 1½d. "PENCF" within block of six unmounted mint, 1915 Seahorses 2s.5d., 5s. and 1918-19 2s.6d. (2) mint, 1924-26 set and 1½d. tête-bêche strip of six mint (tête-bêche pair unmounted), 1934 re-engraved 2s.6d and 1934-36 set unmounted mint, 1939-48 Arms sets mint (2, one unmounted), 1958-65 3d. phantom 'R' (cyl. 41 no dot) within block and Q.E.II commemoratives with phosphors, blocks, decimal with gutter blocks of six unmounted mint with useful face value, also Falkland Is. 1948 Silver Wedding £1 unmounted mint etc., varied condition. (few 1,000s) **£500-£600**
- 16 A collection in album, 1841 to 1963, incl. 1858-76 2d. block of six used, 1864-79 1d. with "O.U.S." overprint and underprint used, 1870 1½d. (4) mint or unused, 1847-54 embossed 6d., 10d. and 1s. cut square used, surface printed with plates and shades with 1865-67 4d. strip of three, 1867-80 to 2s. blue pair, 1872-73 6d. block of four, 1867-83 5s. (3, plates 1, 2 and 4) used, 1873-80 6d. grey mint and 4d. sage-green unused, 1880-81 set mint, 1883-84 high values set with c.d.s's, 1884 £1 used, 1887-1900 'Jubilee' set to both 1s. mint, 2d. green and scarlet mint with B.P.A. certificate (1953). K.E.VII to £1 used, 1912-24 set mint, 1913 Seahorses Waterlow 10s. used, 1918 Bradbury set mint, 1934 re-engraved 2s.6d. (2), 5s. (2) and 10s. mint, officials etc., varied condition. (100s) **£500-£600**
- 17 A Q.V. used collection on leaves, incl. 1841 1d. with numbers in Maltese Crosses (7 with one on cover), 2d. pairs (2) and strip of three, 1854-58 to 2d. (11 with block of four), 1864-79 1d. all plates to 224 (less 77), 1870 ½d. plates with pairs and plate 9, 1847-54 embossed 6d. (2), 10d. and 1s. cut square, surface printed with shades and plates, 1867-83 5s. and 10s. (2, faults), 1883-84 to 10s. (3), officials etc., varied condition. (100s) **£500-£600**
- 18 A Q.V. accumulation in three stockbooks and on stockleaves, majority are 1864-79 1d. plates, very much duplicated with plates to 220, some inverted watermarks, cancellations, etc. (many 1,000s) **£500-£600**

- 19 A mainly used Q.V. collection in an album, incl. 1840 1d. (4) and 2d. (2), 1841 1. with Leeds and Leamington Maltese Crosses, 1d. (15, incl. all "1" to "12") and 2d. ("3" and "12" with numbers in Maltese Crosses, 1d. cancellations in blue (2), 1847-54 embossed 6d. cut square, 1864-79 1d. all plates 1 to 225 (less 77), 1870 ½d. all plates 1 to 20, surface printed with most plates and a few mint stamps, 1867-83 5s. (2), 1883-84 to 10s. with c.d.s., 1887-1900 'Jubilee' set to £1 used and to both 1s. mint, officials, revenues etc., varied condition. (100s)
£500-£600
- 20 An old used stock of K.G.V and K.E.VII on large pages, with 1902-13 King Edward VII ½d. yellow-green (133), ½d. blue-green (227), 3d. (141), 4d. green and brown (89), 4d. orange (76), 5d. (19), 6d. (47), 7d. (76), 9d. (72), 10d. (47), and 1s. (85) K.G.V Downey Heads, 1912-24 values to 7d. (18), 8d. (40), 9d. agate (144), 1924-26 to 2d. (149), 2½d. (239), 4d. (239), 5d. (236), 6d. (238), 9d. (239), 10d. (59) and 1s. (239). Mixed condition, many sound with average cancellations. (many 100s). S.G. stated £28,000 (approx.).
£500-£800
- 21 A Q.V. to K.G.VI collection on leaves, incl. 1840 1d. used, 1841 1d. with numbers in Maltese Crosses (8), strips of four and six, blocks of four (2), 2d. pairs (6) and strips of three (3) used, 1847-54 embossed 1s. pair used, 1854-57 SC perf. 16 1d. blocks of four unused and used, 2d. LC perf. 14 strip of three used, surface printed mainly used with 1867-83 5s. plate 2, 1883-84 to 10s. and 1884 £1, 1873-80 1s. green mint, 1887-1900 'Jubilee' set to both 1s mint and to £1 used, K.E.VII to 10s. used, Seahorses to £1 (faults) used, 2s.6d. (3) mint and re-engraved to 10s. pair and block of four used, 1929 U.P.U. watermark sideways set mint, underprints etc., varied condition. (100s)
£400-£500
- 22 Line engraved 2d. blues, a specialised used collection with covers, varieties, shades, plate flaws, repairs, re-entries and cancellations in two stockbooks, 1841 to 1858, incl. 1841 2d. pairs, strips of three (3) and five (2), blocks of four (2), 2d. with number "12" in MC, four examples on 1850 registered cover, 1854-58 2d. stars with strip of three, 1858-76 2d. plates with identified states and repairs, Copestake (2) and Boyd (2) underprints (2) etc., varied condition. (many 100s)
£400-£500
- 23 A collection in two albums, 1840 to 1970, incl. 1840 1d. (2) and 2d. (3), 1870 ½d. plate 9, 1847-54 embossed 6d., 10d. and 1s. cut square, surface printed with plates and shades, 1867-83 5s. plate 1, 1883-84 high values set, 1887-1900 'Jubilee' set to £1, K.E.VII to £1 used, 1912-24 set mint, Seahorses to 10s. (2) used, K.G.VI 1939-48 Arms and 1951 sets unmounted mint, watermark varieties, essays, Q.E.II commemoratives with phosphors and 1963 Red Cross 3d. red colour shift block of four unmounted mint, 1955-58 Castles set mint, officials etc., varied condition. (many 100s)
£400-£500
- 24 A mint Q.V. selection on leaves, 1864 to 1883, incl. 1864-79 1d. plates (28), 1862-64 3d., 1867-80 1s. plate 5, 1872-73 6d. chestnut plate 11, 1873-80 4d. imperf. colour trial in orange-brown, 6d. plate 15 "SPECIMEN", 1880-83 set (less 6d.) with 2½d. (3, incl. a pair), 4d. (2) and 6d. on 6d. (2, one "SPECIMEN"), 1880-81 ½d. block of four, 2d. "SPECIMEN" and 5d. (2, one "SPECIMEN"), 1883-84 2s.6d., 1883-84 ½d. block of four and 5d. "SPECIMEN", Official Inland Revenue 1882 6d. "SPECIMEN" etc., mainly good to fine. (60)
£400-£500
- 25 A Q.V. to Q.E.II accumulation in mixed condition in two stock books and an album from 1840 1d. and 2d. used up to 1970 mint and used incl. embossed set used, 1870 ½d. plate 9 used, surface printed 1867 5s. plate 1 and 2 used, 10s. (Anchor) used, 1891 £1 green used, Edward VII ½d. to 2s.6d. mint, 2s.6d. to £1 used, Seahorses used, 1939-48 high values mint, mint and used commemoratives, watermark varieties, etc. (100s)
£400-£500
- 26 A mint and used collection on leaves, 1902 to 1960, incl. Downey Heads with 1d. no cross on crown (2), 1912-24 sets (2) with shades, 1d. scarlet-vermilion pair, 6d. perf. 14 and blocks of six most values to 10d., 1913 ½d. strip of three and 1d., 1913 Seahorses Waterlow 2s.6d. and 5s., 1915 De La Rue 2s.6d. (3) and 5s., 1918-19 Bradbury set, 1924-26 set, 1934 re-engraved 2s.6d. and 10s. mint, also set used, 1951 pairs set, 1955-58 blocks of four set (less 2d. red-brown), 1955-58 Castles pairs or blocks of four set all mint etc., varied condition. (100s)
£400-£500
- 27 A used Q.V. line engraved collection on leaves, incl. 1840 1d. (3) and 2d. (3), 1841-51 2d. (4, one with number "12" in Maltese Cross), 1854-58 2d. (2) with all plates, watermark and perf. types, 1858-76 2d. all plates, 1864-79 all plates to 225 (less 77), 1870 ½d. all plates etc., varied condition. (approx. 230)
£400-£500
- 28 A comprehensive used Q.V. surface printed collection with most shades and plates on leaves, incl. 1867-83 5s. (5 incl. two plates 2 and one plate 4), 1883-84 blued paper 2s.6d. and white paper set, 1887-1900 'Jubilee' set to £1 etc., varied condition. (approx. 210)
£400-£500

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- 29** A comprehensive used collection in an album, 1911 to 1970 almost complete, incl. Downey Heads with no cross varieties (5 incl. S.G. 328a, 330a), 1912-24 set with shades, 1½d. "PENCF" (2), 1½d no watermark, 1913 ½d. and 1d., 1913 Seahorses Waterlow set to £1, 1915 De La Rue set to 10s. (3), 1918-19 Bradbury set, 1924-26 1½d. tête-bêche pair, various watermark varieties, 1934 re-engraved set, K.G.VI complete, Q.E.II virtually complete with Wildings, 1959 2d. watermark error, Castles, phosphors, regionals, postage dues etc., varied condition. (100s)
£400-£500
- 30** A fine used Q.V. surface printed collection in album with shades, plates, used abroad, stamps on pieces, many with c.d.s's, 1867-83 5s. plate 2 with c.d.s, 1867-80 9d. pair, 1s. pair and block and 1872-73 6d. chestnut pairs (3) and strip of three with c.d.s's, 1883-94 to 10s. etc., mainly fine. (approx. 200)
£350-£400
- 31** A Q.V. to Q.E.II selection in a stockbook and on stockleaves, incl. 1858-76 2d. plate 9 inverted watermark used, plate 14 mint pair, 1873-80 1s. orange-brown plate 13 used, etc., mixed condition. (100s)
£350-£400
- 32** A used Q.V. selection on a stock page, incl. 1840 1d. plate 2 DD and KL (large margins), 2d. plate 2 TA marginal with re-entry (large margins), 1854-57 SC perf. 16 2d. plate 5 with green "PAID/20 AU/55" cancellation (third day of issue), surface printed with c.d.s's with 1880-83 3d. on 3d. and 6d. on 6d., 1883-84 to 1s. (4), 1887-92 'Jubilee' to 1s. pair etc., mainly fine. (38)
£350-£400
- 33** A Q.V. to K.G.VI collection in mixed condition in a Simplex album incl. 1840 Mulready 1d. letter sheet used from Salisbury, 1840 1d. (3, one on cover, another with close to good margins) and 2d. (with London District "71" numeral cancellation) used, range of surface printed, 1939-48 10s. dark blue mint, also another stockbook with 1864-79 1d. plates to 224, etc. (few 100s)
£350-£400
- 34** A collection in a Stanley Gibbons Davo album, 1840 to 1970, incl. 1840 1d., 1847-54 embossed 10d. (four margins), surface printed with 1867-83 watermark Maltese Cross 5s. and 10s., watermark Anchor 5s., 1883-84 set to 10s. and 1887-1900 'Jubilee' set to £1 all used, K.E.VII basic set to £1 used and to 1s. mint, Seahorses to 10s. (3) used, comprehensive Q.E.II issues mainly unmounted mint, regionals, officials, postage dues 1936-37, 1954-55 and 1955-57 (1½d. used) mint etc., varied condition. (many 100s)
£350-£400
- 35** A used line engraved accumulation in stockbook, incl. 1840 2d., 1841 1d. red-browns, 1841-51 2d. with number "6" in MC, 2d. strips of three (6) and four, 1854-58 2d. stars (approx. 155), 1858-76 2d. plates, 1864-79 1d. blocks of four (2) etc., varied condition but mainly good to fine. (100s)
£300-£350
- 36** A specialised collection with covers written up in three albums, 1935 to 1951, incl. 1936 3s. booklet, 1938 cover with "GRI/VI" cypher handstamp, 1939-48 Arms set unmounted mint, 2s.6d. brown, 5s. and 10s. deep blue overprinted "SPECIMEN" with gum, and various airmail, registered and censored covers, 1940 Centenary set overprinted "SPECIMEN" with gum, 1948 Silver Wedding £1 corner block of four unmounted mint and £1 on card signed by the designer Joan Hassall, 1948 Olympics and 1951 Festival Harrison and Sons presentation cards, 1949 U.P.U. 2½d. bromide proof, 1951 Festival high values blocks of four set unmounted mint, booklet panes, postal stationery, 1944 handpainted envelope to U.S.A., cylinder blocks, commercial covers, f.d.c's, censored mail, paquebot etc., fine. (many 100s)
£300-£350
- 37** A Q.V. to K.G.VI mint and used collection in mixed condition in an album and folder incl. 1883-84 10s. mint and used, Officials, Postal Fiscals, Telegraphs with 1877 10s. grey green (2) used, £5 orange used (perfs. trimmed), Army Telegraphs, Bonellis Telegraphs, etc.
£300-£350
- 38** A comprehensive used K.E.VII to K.G.VI collection in an album, incl. K.E.VII set to £1 with printings and shades, Seahorses Waterlow to 10s. and Bradbury to 10s., 1929 P.U.C. £1, 1934 re-engraved set, watermark varieties, postage dues, covers etc., varied condition. (100s)
£300-£350
- 39** An accumulation in three cartons, incl. 1840 1d. (3) and 2d. (2) used, 1840 Mulready 1d. envelope used on May 18 (faults and toned), 1864-79 1d. all plates to 225 used, presentation packs with 1964 Geographical, Botanical and Forth Road Bridge, pre-decimals with varieties, cylinder blocks, 1963 Lifeboat and Red Cross phosphor blocks of four sets unmounted mint, covers, cancellations, official and House of Commons mail, f.d.c's, revenues, perfin etc., varied condition. (1,000s)
£300-£350
- 40** A mint and used K.E.VII to K.E.VIII collection with shades, watermark varieties and blocks in an album, incl. K.E.VII all values to 2s.6d. (2) mint and to 10s. (2) and £1 used with shades and printings, K.G.V with shades and watermark varieties, 1912-24 set mint, Seahorses 2s.6d. and 5s. mint and to 10s. (2) used, 1924-26 set mint, 1924-26 and 1929 P.U.C. watermark sideways sets mint, 1934 re-engraved to 10s. (3, one mint), postage dues 1936-37 set mint etc., varied condition. (100s)
£300-£350

- 41 An accumulation in two cartons, incl. 1840 1d. (2, one on cover) used, Mulready 1d. and 2d. envelopes unused, 1883-84 2s.6d. and 10s. (repaired) mint, 1955-58 Castles De La Rue and Waterlow and 1959-68 De La Rue sets mint, unmounted mint decimal issues with good face value, booklets, covers etc., varied condition. (1,000s)
£250-£300
- 42 A collection in an album, 1887 to 1970, incl. 1887-92 'Jubilee' to 1s. mint, K.E.VII values to 10s. (2) and £1 mainly used with printings and shades, K.G.V with many shades, 1913 ½d. and 1d. used, 1913 Seahorses Waterlow to 5s., 1915 De La Rue to 5s. (2) and 10s. (2), 1918-19 Bradbury to 10s. and 1934 re-engraved set used etc., varied condition. (100s)
£250-£300
- 43 A used Q.V. and K.E.VII selection in a stockbook, incl. 1840 1d. (2) and 2d. (3, with a pair), 1864-79 1d. all plates 71 to 225 (less 77), 1873-80 1s. green (12) with plates, K.E.VII basic set to £1 etc., varied condition. (approx. 210)
£250-£300
- 44 Accumulation in carton incl. Lighthouse album with 1840 1d. black used (4) and 2d. blue (3), 1864-79 plate nos. used except 77 and 225, 1870 ½d. plate nos. except 9, 1883-84 white paper 2s.6d, 5s. and 10s. used, 1887-92 mint to 1s., 1913, 1915 and 1918-19 each to 10s. used Westminster editions of 1870 ½d. set used (plate 9 faded), etc. (many 100s)
£220-£250
- 45 A mint mainly unmounted collection in album, 1887 to 1970, incl. 1887-1900 'Jubilee' most values to both 2s., K.E.VII set to 1s., then main unmounted with 1924-26 set, 1929. P.U.C. watermark sideways set, 1934-36 and 1937-47 sets, also watermark sideways sets, 1939-48 Arms set (mounted), 1951 set, Wildings sets with watermark varieties, 1955-58 Castles Waterlow and 1959-62 De La Rue sets, commemoratives with phosphors, Channel Is. etc., mainly fine. (100s)
£200-£250
- 46 A Q.V. to Q.E.II collection in varied condition in eleven albums and stockbooks and loose contained in two cartons with unmounted mint decimal commemorative sets, definitive issues to £5 (15), booklets, a run of P.O. Bureau illustrated f.d.c's to 2015, also *The Plating of the Penny 1840-64* by Roland Brown, volumes I to III, etc. (100s)
£200-£250
- 47 A collection in four albums, 1841 to 2006, incl. 1887-1900 'Jubilee' set to both 1s. mint, K.E.VII set to 1s. mint with shades, 1924-26 set mint, comprehensive commemorative decimal issues mainly both mint (mainly unmounted) and used with, greetings and prestige booklets.
£200-£250
- 48 A used collection of 2d. blues written up on leaves, 1840 to 1858, comprising 1840 2d. (4) with a pair, 1841-51 2d. (18) with a pair and strips of three (2), 1854-58 2. (11) with all plates, watermark and perf. types, 1858-76 2d. (12) with all plates, mainly good to fine. (45)
£200-£250
- 49 Used Q.V. ranges on stock cards, incl. 1840 1d., surface printed with plates, 1867-80 3d. strip of four and 1s. block of six with c.d.s's, 1867-83 5s. with c.d.s's, 1883-84 2s.6d. (2) and 10s. with c.d.s's etc., varied condition. (approx. 160)
£200-£250
- 50 An accumulation in three cartons, incl. mainly used collection in six hingeless Lindner and Royal Mail albums with K.E.VII to 10s., gutter pairs with Castles to £5 (2) and 2010 Dogs sheet of 60 1st class stamps unmounted mint, ranges in stockbooks, £5 coin covers (3), also some Commonwealth and foreign stamps with Hong Kong 1946 Victory extra stroke used, 1981 Royal Wedding in six albums etc., varied condition. (1,000s) **£150-£200**
- 51 A K.G.V to Q.E.II accumulation in four cartons, incl. 1939-48 Arms set mint, unmounted mint issues with good decimal face value with year books, presentation packs, prestige and definitive booklets, f.d.c's, British Armed Forces banknotes to £5, Channel Is. etc., varied condition. (1,000s)
£150-£200
- 52 A used collection in three albums, 1840 to 1989, incl. 1840 1d. (2) and 2d., various surface printed, 1883-84 to 10s., K.E.VII to 10s., Seahorses to 10s., 1934 re-engraved set, almost complete K.G.VI and Q.E.II issues, postage dues, officials, regionals, Machins, Channel Is. German occupation with 2d. bisect on card etc., varied condition. (100s)
£150-£200
- 53 A used line engraved collection on leaves, 1840 to 1870, incl. 1840 1d. (2) and 2d. used, 1841 1d. with numbers 6, 7 and 11 in Maltese Cross, 1d. pair cancelled by single Maltese Cross, 1d. unused (3), 1841-51 2d. (4) used, 1854-58 2d. (11) used and 2d. watermark LC perf. 14 unused, 1864-79 1d. plate 159 block of six mint, 1858-76 2d. plate 13 pair unused, 1870 1½d. (2) mint etc., varied condition. (62)
£150-£200

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- 54 A Q.V. to Q.E.II accumulation in a carton, incl. 1840 1d. and 2d. (3) used (faults), 1841 1d. with numbers in Maltese Crosses, 1d. reds stars and plates used, 1847-54 embossed 6d. (2) cut square used-one on registered postal stationery envelope, early Q.V. covers with Irish interest, 1911 First U.K. Aerial postcard used, 1915 Seahorses De La Rue 2s.6d. mint, Q.E.II unmounted mint sets and booklets with useful face value etc., varied condition. (many 100s) **£150-£200**
- 55 A Q.V. to Q.E.II accumulation in a carton, incl. 1d. plates (28) mint or unused, 1918-19 Seahorses 2s.6d., 5s. and 1934 re-engraved set mint, 1937 2½d. marginal pair twice signed Edmund Dulac, 1939-48 Arms set mint (10s. dark blue unmounted), Q.E.II decimal unmounted mint to £10 (2), booklets, stamps on pieces with cancellation interest, a few covers, officials, postage dues, revenues, Bechuanaland 1888 "Protectorate" 2s. mint etc., varied condition. (few 1,000s) **£150-£200**
- 56 A small Q.V. selection, comprising 1883 or 84 set used, 1887-92 'Jubilee' set to 1s. (both) mint, £1 green HA used, varied condition. (25) **£150-£200**
- 57 An accumulation in a carton, incl. 1840 1d. (2) and 2d. used, K.E.VII basic set to 1s. mint, 1939-48 Arms 10s. dark blue (4) mint, 1970-72 £1 sheet of 100 and 1983 Machin 16p. imperf. pair unmounted mint, school bar overprints K.G.VI to £1 with 4d. imperf. pair, postage dues 1937-38 sets (2) mint etc., varied condition. (many 100s) **£150-£200**
- 58 A Q.V. to Q.E.II accumulation in nine albums and stockbooks, incl. 1840 1d. (5) and surface printed to 10s. used, K.E.VII to 10s. mint, 1934 re-engraved set used, 1951 set unmounted mint, revenues etc., varied condition. (1,000s) **£120-£150**
- 59 Line engraved, a used collection of mainly plated 1d. reds with covers, varieties, shades, plate flaws and cancellations written up in two albums, 1841 to 1864, incl. 1841 1d. printed from black plates, 1841 1d. strips of four, five and six, cover with Stirling MC, 1854-58 1d. stars with block of six, 1864-79 1d. plates with underprints etc., varied condition. (100s) **£120-£150**
- 60 A selection, incl. 1840 Mulready 2d. letter sheet unused, 1840 1d. on cover, 1872-73 2d. chestnut block of four with c.d.s's, 1883-84 3d. block of four overprinted "SPECIMEN", Guernsey 1940-41 bisects on covers etc. (15, 12 covers) **£120-£150**
- 61 Used accumulation incl. line-engraved, plate numbers, Q.V. Jubilee issues used incl. "IONA" Packet and Queenstown Telephone Office datestamps, St. Johns' College Oxford stamp on a piece, K.E.VII used selection to 1s., 1905 parcel post label franked 3d. and 4d., 1946 Victory issue mint blocks with controls, a few foreign covers incl. 1857 cover sent within London (Canada) and "½" mark, etc. (few 100s) **£120-£150**
- 62 Used Q.V. selection selection incl. 1847-54 6d. and 1s. embossed, cut square, 1867-80 2s. brown, oxidised and with blunt corner perf. and 1883-84 2s.6d, 5s. and 10s., latter defective. (6) Photo. **£120-£150**
- 63 Mint Q.V. to K.G.V ranges on stock cards, incl. line engraved ½d. (26), 1d. (14), 1½d. (2) and 2d. (2) plates, a few surface printed, 1887-1900 'Jubilee' set to both 1s., K.E.VII basic set to 1s. with shades, 1912-24 set with shades etc., varied condition, some without gum. (approx. 190) **£120-£150**
- 64 An accumulation in four albums and stockbooks, incl. 1840 1d. (3) and 2d. (2), 1841 1d. (4) and 2d. with numbers in Maltese Crosses, Q.V. to 10s. used, K.E.VII all mint values to 2s.6d. (2) and used to 5s. with shades etc., varied condition. (few 1,000s) **£120-£150**
- 65 A collection in two albums, 1841 to 2000s, incl. some earlier issues used, 1960s to 2003 comprehensive commemoratives mainly both mint and used, 2000s unmounted mint issues on stock cards and in packets with good face value etc., mainly good to fine. (many 100s) **£100-£120**
- 66 A Q.V. to Q.E.II accumulation in three cartons, incl. 1840 1d. used on cover front, surface printed to 5s., K.E.VII to 10s. and re-engraved set used, 1911 first U.K. aerial post card with ½d., f.d.c's, booklet panes, Channel Is. etc., varied condition. (1,000s) **£100-£120**
- 67 A collection of booklets in six albums, 1935 to 2000s, incl. 1935 photogravure 3s., 1936 2s. (2) and 3s., 1938 2s., 1943 2s.6d. (3) and 5s., extensive Q.E.II issues with folded, prestige, 1st and 2nd class stamps booklets etc., fine. **£100-£120**

- 68 A Q.V. to Q.E.II accumulation in two cartons, incl. Wildings with watermark varieties, 1958-65 3d. unmounted block with "T" watermark unmounted mint, 1960s phosphor sets unmounted mint and used, postal stationery, f.d.c's, several signed, special covers, postcards, post office stickers and leaflets, Castles with training school bar overprints, dummy booklets etc., mainly fine. (1,000s) **£100-£120**
- 69 A Q.V. to Q.E.II accumulation in four cartons, incl. used collection in Davo album with 1840 1d. and 2d. (faults) and 1934 re-engraved set used, 2002 1st class business sheet of 100 c.t.o., 2012 Olympic and Paralympic Gold Medal Winners sets unmounted mint, telegrams, f.d.c's, Alderney, Guernsey, Isle of Man, Jersey etc., varied condition. (many 1,000s) **£100-£120**
- 70 Selection in two cartons with Royal Mail framed presentation sheets, sets or artwork, Royal Mail Millennium Collection, Star Wars presentation metal tin and an accumulation of stamps in binders and loose incl. mint K.E.VII mint and used to 1s., pre-decimal Q.E.II, some accessories, etc. **£100-£120**
- 71 A mint and used collection in six Safe albums with hingeless pages from 1840 to 2004, incl. some Q.V. to K.G.V issues, comprehensive K.G.VI and Q.E.II issues to 1980 (empty thereafter) with 1952-54, 1955-58, 1958-61 and 1959 (2) Wildings and 1955-58 Castles sets unmounted mint etc., varied condition. (100s) **£100-£120**
- 72 A K.E.VII to Q.E.II accumulation in thirteen stockbooks, incl. K.E.VII shades, K.G.V booklet stamps with advert labels, 1924-26 1½d. coil leader, K.G.VI watermark varieties, booklet panes, 1939-48 Arms 2s.6d. gashed crown mint and overprinted issues with Kuwait 5r. on 5s. "T" mark mint etc., varied condition. (1,000s) **£100-£120**
- 73 A mainly used collection in album, 1847 to 1951, incl. surface printed issues with plates, 1857 cover to U.S.A. with 1s., 1881 1d. lilac control mint, K.E.VII some mint, Seahorses to 10s. (4), varieties and plate flaws, postage dues, officials etc., varied condition. (100s) **£100-£120**
- 74 Line engraved issues, a used collection of 1d. reds with varieties, re-entries and plates in stockbook, 1841 to 1864, incl. 1841 1d. strip of four on cover and strip of five, 1864-79 1d. with "VICKERS" underprint, 1d. plate 80 reconstruction of 240, several covers etc., varied condition. (100s) **£100-£120**
- 75 A collection in three albums, 1840 to 1979, incl. 1840 1d. and 2d. used, surface printed to 10s. used, from 1924 onwards mostly both mint and used examples, regionals, Channel Is. etc., varied condition. (many 100s) **£100-£120**
- 76 An accumulation in two cartons, incl. Government Parcels Q.V. 1d. block of nine and 2d. block of six used, covers and cards, postal stationery with 1964 aerogramme Shakespeare "CANCELLED", exhibitions, railway poster stamps, reply coupons, airgraphs, National Savings 1949 2s.6d. imperf. proof, progressive colour trials (6) and "SPECIMEN", 1820s Whiting & Branston engine turned card, Bish and Carroll lottery advertising cards etc. (1,000s) **£100-£120**
- 77 An accumulation in album and ten stockbooks, incl. K.E.VII and K.G.V duplicated used with shades and 1934 re-engraved 10s., K.G.V and K.G.VI mint, 1924 to 2009 commemoratives used stock, Machins duplicated unmounted mint with 1993 Britannia £10, regionals, postage dues etc., mainly good to fine. (1,000s) **£100-£120**
- 78 An accumulation in two albums, folder, leaves and loose, incl. thematics with Royalty, Shakespeare, range of covers and cancellations, etc. (100s) **£100-£120**
- 79 A Q.V. to Q.E.II in six binders and a stockbook with range of Q.V. used, 1902-15 to 5s. mint, later issues duplicated mint, etc. (many 100s) **£100-£150**
- 80 A K.E.VII to K.E.VIII collection on stock leaves, incl. K.E.VII set to 10s. used, 1912-24 and 1924-26 sets mint mainly unmounted, 1918-19 Seahorses 10s. mint and set used, 1934-36 set unmounted mint, 1934 re-engraved set used etc., mainly fine. (97) **£100-£120**
- 81 Used mainly Q.V. ranges on stockcards, incl. 1847-54 embossed 6d. pair cut square on piece, surface printed with c.d.s's, 1867-83 5s. plate 2 with "B02" of Suez, 1867-80 1s. block of four with c.d.s's, Seahorses, underprints, officials, Customs revenues etc., varied condition. (110) **£100-£120**
- 82 A mint and used Q.V. to K.G.VI accumulation of controls and cylinder numbers on stock cards, incl. singles, pairs, strips and blocks, varieties etc., varied condition. (few 100s) **£100-£120**

Collections and Mixed Lots continued

- 83 A comprehensive mint and used collection with controls, watermark varieties, blocks in three albums, 1937 to 1970, incl. 1939-48 Arms set mint, Wildings, 1955-58 Castles set mint, phosphors, postage dues 1937-38 and 1954-55 sets mint, regionals, Channel Is. German occupation, etc. **£100-£120**
- 84 A collection of mainly covers in two albums, incl. airgraphs, envelopes and unused forms, aerogrammes, People's League Delivery and Freedom Group strike post locals, First U.K. Aerial Post anniversary covers, maritime mail, old maps and engravings, W.W.I postcards and censored mail, W.W.II hand illustrated censored covers (3) from India to U.S.A., etc. (few 100s) **£80-£100**
- 85 A mainly used line engraved collection on leaves, incl. 1841 1d. pair mint, 1d. watermark inverted, 1d. corner example with inscription and number "73", 1d. watermark inverted (3), 1854-57 SC14 1d. watermark inverted and 1856-58 1d. watermark inverted block of four used, cancellation interest etc., varied condition. (61) **£80-£100**
- 86 A used collection on stock leaves, 1840 to 1934, incl. 1840 1d. (2), 1841 2d. strip of four, 1847-54 embossed 6d. cut square, K.E.VII 1s. block of six, Seahorses to 10s., 1934 re-engraved sets (2) etc., varied condition. (approx. 130) **£70-£80**
- 87 An accumulation in a carton, incl. 1951 Festival and 1959 phosphor-graphite sets unmounted mint, various covers, etc. (many 100s) **£50-£70**

Miscellaneous

- 88 **Accessories:** An accumulation in three cartons, incl. Hagner stock leaves, stock cards, Hawid mounts, album leaves incl. Leuchtturm, packs, cover albums, etc. **£50-£60**
- 89 **Banking:** Selection of mainly bank cheques (and some receipts, lottery tickets, insurance and share certificates) from 1842 to 1953 incl. Barclays, Westminster, London and County Banking Company, Yorkshire Banking Company, Lloyd's etc. a few with embossed 1d. or 2d. fee stamps etc. also a few foreign examples. (approx. 100) **£100-£120**
- 90 **Cheques:** Quantity of London City & Midland Bank or Imperial Bank Limited cheques in a binder, issued between 1903 and 1945 for London stamp dealer Oswald Marsh, many payable to other London dealers, each with embossed 1d. or 2d. revenue stamps, a few with added 1d. postage stamps for additional fee. (approx. 140) **£100-£120**
- 91 **Cycling:** A collection of covers, cards and stamps on leaves, incl. advertising covers, postcards with comic, receipts, cancellations, etc. (100s) **£250-£300**
- 92 - A large accumulation in five stockbooks, folder, leaves and loose, incl. postcards, labels, cancellations, ephemera, literature, also some foreign, etc. (1,000s) **£200-£300**
- 93 **Emigration:** 1887 double sided printed handbill recruiting farm labourers and domestic servants from Lincolnshire for emigration to Queensland, Australia under the Assisted Immigration Scheme offering free passage on the *Orianna* departing June 25. **£50-£60**
- 94 ▲ **Greetings Cards:** 1880 (ca.) De La Rue chromo-litho Valentine card *May St Val spede thee* depicting a medieval damsel waving farewell to her beau from the top of a castle tower. **£70-£80**
- 95 **Insurance:** A collection of stamps and covers incl. Life Policy revenues, several with "SPECIMEN" overprints (3), various documents, covers and letters, printed envelopes, stamps, cancellations, some foreign items, etc. **£100-£150**
- 96 L **Journals:** *The Illustrated London News* 1855 (July-Dec.) bound (a few small faults and repairs) with references to and illustrations of the Commissariat Camp, Fall of Sebastopol, Battle of Tchernaya, Mr Penton's Crimean War photography also themes of champagne bottling, Q.V. visit to France, visit of an English ship to Japan, excavations in the Middle East, Paris Universal Exhibition, cocoa plantations in Grenada and rare coloured Christmas issue and 1868 (Jan. 4-June 27), separate bound volume with cover and some pages loose and a few pages with light toning, postal history interest incl. Abyssinian Expedition, Mount Ceniz railway, construction of the Midland Railway etc., mainly fine and an important contemporary source. **£200-£220**



- 97 L **Maritime:** *Ship Letters of the British Isles* by Robertson (1950) in three volumes with slipcases, fine. £70-£80
- 98 **Propaganda Forgeries:** A collection written up on leaves, incl. 1944 1/2d. Silver Jubilee "JEWISH WAR", 1 1/2d. Coronation "TEHERAN" (2, one used), K.G.VI (6), 1 1/2d. "LIQUIDATION/OF EMPIRE" Bahamas, Barbados, Bermuda, Hong Kong, Jamaica, Singapore, St. Lucia and Trinidad used, also genuine stamps for comparison. (17 forgeries + 8 stamps) Photo. £150-£200
- 99 **Royal Mail:** A collection of stamp poster leaflets in three albums, 1974 to 1993, all different, a few national savings etc., fine. (218) £200-£250
- 100 **Royal Mail Steam Packet Company:** Elkington silver plate circular tray showing Royal Mail Steam Packet Company insignia, hallmarked on reverse. Photo. £80-£100
- 101 ✉ **Royalty:** Q.V. to Q.E.II selection incl. 1901 mourning envelope to New York with Privy Purse Office Buckingham Palace insignia, 1914 mourning envelope to Belfast with Queen Mary Crown insignia on rear flap and letter on Buckingham Palace notepaper, 1936 mourning envelope to Letchworth franked 1 1/2d. with embossed insignia of Prince George of Kent on rear flap, 1946 mourning envelope to London franked 2 1/2d. with oval cachet of the Office of St. James Palace H.R.H. the Duke of Gloucester, etc. (46) £150-£200
- 102 - 1911 (June 23) Card of admission to the South Porch of St. Paul's Cathedral to view the procession of H.M. King George V and Queen Mary at their Coronation. £60-£80
- 103 **Scrapbook:** 1910 (ca.) Defective linen-lined scrapbook containing juvenile themed postcards, adhesives motifs, printed cut outs, etc. Sold on behalf of Alzheimer's Research UK. £70-£80

Coin Covers

- 104 A collection of coin covers in six albums, 1990s to 2000s, mainly Royal Family and W.W.II anniversary, incl. about 25 with £5 coins, two also with £5 notes, four with silver coins, some Commonwealth issues, etc. (100) £150-£200
- 105 A collection of mainly Royal Mail Royal Mint commemorative covers (127) in two albums and loose incl. 2002 Commonwealth Games, 2009 Kew Gardens, also a selection of other covers some with silver coins, 2001 gold proof half Gram Laurel coin cover, etc. £300-£400
- 106 2009 quarter sovereign 22ct gold coin, weight 1.99g, in St. George presentation cover, ine. Photo. £150-£200
- 107 2012 Diamond Jubilee half sovereign 22ct gold coin, weight 3.99g, in Benham cover in folder, fine. Photo on page 18. £300-£350



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Coin Covers continued



- 108 ☒ 2020 180th Anniversary of the Penny Black and Twopenny Blue Benham commemorative cover with 1880 and 2020 gold sovereigns and used copies of 1840 1d. and 2d. both with four margins, 2d. is rather close at right. Photo. £1,000-£1,200
- 109 ☒ 2021 Prince Philip Memorial Benham cover with commemorative 22 carat gold coin (8.00g). Photo. £550-£600
- 110 ☒ 2021 Prince Philip Memorial sterling silver proof coin (5 oz) in Benham Commemorative cover. £100-£150
- 111 ☒ 2021 85th Anniversary of the Year of Three Kings Benham commemorative cover 2021 gold proof sovereign (8g). Photo. £550-£600
- 112 ☒ 2022 Queen Elizabeth II Platinum Jubilee Benham commemorative cover with UK gold proof coin (7.8g). Photo. £550-£600
- 113 ☒ 2022 Queen Elizabeth II memorial hand painted cover (No. 2 of 15 produced) with Tristan da Cunha gold proof coin, (8g). Photo. £550-£600



- 114 ☒ 2023 St George and the Dragon Benham commemorative cover with Tristan da Cunha 2023 gold proof double Sovereign (16g.) Photo. £1,000-£1,200

Coins and Coin Covers continued



- 115 ☒ 2023 King Charles II hand painted cover (No. 1 of 15 produced) with Tristan da Cunha Double Laurel gold proof coin. (16g). Photo. £1,000-£1,200

- 116 ☒ 2023 King Charles II Benham commemorative cover with Tristan da Cunha 8g. platinum coin. Photo. £250-£300

Exhibitions

- 117 1862 to 2010 a comprehensive collection in a stockbook and on display leaves, incl. 1862 piece franked by 1d. star, tied by "INTERNATIONAL/EXHIBITION/SP 19 /62/IE/W" duplex, a good range of Exhibition and Congress labels, souvenir sheets, covers and cancellations, ephemera, etc. (many 100s) £300-£400
- 118 ☒ 1862 (Jan. 31) defective mourning envelope with "International Exhibition, 1862" imprint used within London with "OFFICIAL PAID/LONDON" c.d.s. in red and with hand struck signature "F.R. Sandford" at lower left, apparently addressed to renowned archaeologist Henry Christy. Photo. £100-£120
- 119 ☒ 1862 (Nov. 17) cover sent to Germany franked by 1855-57 6d. tied by cancelled "INTERNATIONAL/EXHIBITION/NO 17 /62/IE/W" duplex, scarce. Photo. £100-£120
- 120 ☒ 3d. postcard to Dusseldorf and 2d. embossed envelope to Alfreton both with 1890 Penny Postage Jubilee (July 2 1890) cachets, fine. £100-£120

Postcards

- 121 ☒ A collection of handcoloured, handpainted or handdrawn picture postcards on stock leaves, large part Great Britain. (132) £400-£500
- 122 ☒ **Aviation:** A collection of mainly 1910s picture postcards in album, incl. various early aerial pioneers, aircraft and aviation meetings, 1911 First Aerial Post, B.C. Hucks with three signed, H. Salmat with two signed, L. Bleriot, real photos, 1918 Ruston's Aerial Post Buy War Bonds leaflet, W.W.I zeppelins, etc. (approx. 100) £200-£250
- 123 ☒ **Bristol:** A collection of picture postcards of Bristol, incl. Royal visits, exhibitions, real photos, shop fronts, military, disaster (fire), Avonmouth, Clifton, etc. (approx. 400) £500-£600
- 124 ☒ **Humour:** A selection of Comic postcards in a file box, incl. *The Collectors News*, Shakespeare up to date, London Opinion, Types we see in London, Added Ads, etc. (145 items) £200-£300
- 125 ☒ **London:** A collection of selected London picture postcards, incl. suburbs, many real photos etc., exceptional assembly. (approx. 230) £800-£900
- 126 ☒ **Newhaven, Sussex:** A collection in four albums, incl. real photos, street scenes, maritime, social history, etc. (100s) £400-£500

Postal Fiscals

- 127 1855–81, an important collection of Surface Printed issues incl. 1853 head die proofs (2) ex Sydney Cowper archive, an exceptional virtually complete range of imprimaturs with Receipt 1d. dies 1 (5) and 3 (3), Draft 1d. (4), Draft and Receipt 1d. (8), 1860 1d. plates 1 to 22 (all marginal with current numbers), 1864 1d. plates 23 to 44 (all marginal with current numbers), Samuel Allsop corner marginal se-tenant strip of four with current number (unoverprinted), 1867 1d. plates 1 to 12 (all marginal with current numbers), 1868 die 1 1d. plates 12 to 47, 50 to 54, 57 to 60, 62 to 71 and 73 to 100 (all marginal with current numbers), 1876 die 2 1d. plates 101 to 105 (all marginal with current numbers), 1877 die 3 1d. plates 106 to 116 (all marginal with current numbers), 1877 die 4 1d. plates 11 to 135 and 137 to 140 (all marginal with current numbers), 1881 die 4 1d. plates 141 to 144. A fine range of mainly mint issued stamps incl. shades, blocks, etc. with 1853 Receipt 1d. light blue on blue glazed paper block of fifteen (3 x 5), 1860 Provisional overprint "INLAND/REVENUE" 1d. (2), 1863 Samuel Allsop 1d. pane of eight, 1864 6d. block of eight (2 x 4), 1867 3d. marginal block of nine (3 x 3), 1881 6d. strip of three. There is also a range of further proofs and colour trials incl. 1878 1d. plate 127 imperforate colour trials (11, with vertical marginal pairs of 1d. light brown and 1d. pale blue showing complete marginal ornament), 1881 1d. set of four colour trials etc. The imprimaturs with current numbers are unique. £50,000–£60,000

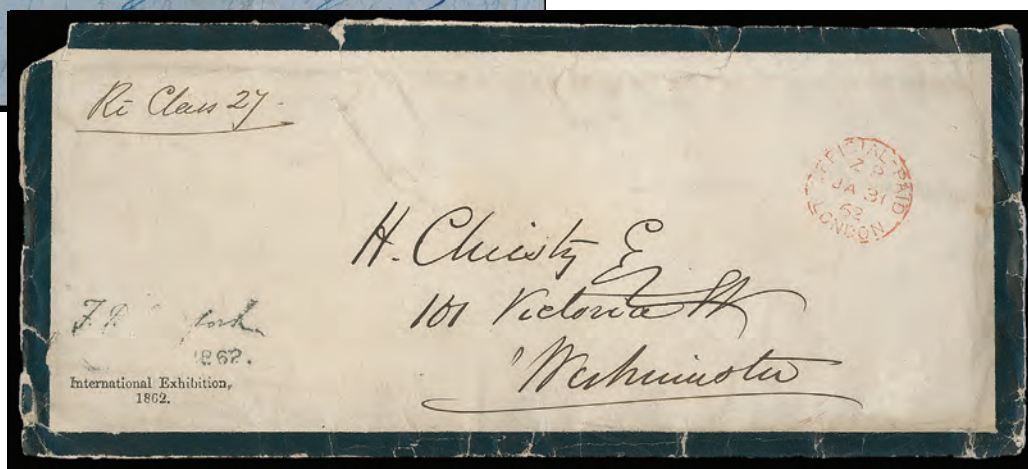
See photos on following four pages. A pdf of the entire collection is available on request from the Grosvenor office.



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Postal Fiscals continued

- 128 1860-82, the accompanying collection of embossed issues, mainly mint or unused, comprising 1860-71 imperf. 2d. die A overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, 3d. die 3 pair, 3d. die D (paper on reverse), 6d. die U, 1s. die E tête-bêche vertical pair (unpriced by S.G.), 1s. die F block of four comprising two tête-bêche vertical pairs (some creasing), 2s.6d. die O (2), 1861-71 perf.12½ 2d. die A, 1s. die F, 2s.6d. die O, 1875-80 2d. (2, both dated 14.6.81), 9d. die C, 1s. dies E & F, 2s.6d. die O marginal pair and single (also a pair overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, 1882 values overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9 with 2d. die A pair, 9d. die C and 1s. die E, condition a little varied in places but a very scarce group of mainly fine appearance. (30) Photos opposite. £4,000-£5,000
- 129 P 1878 Die 4 1d. imperforate colour trials (2) in light brown, brown, 1881 watermark Orb perforated colour trials in grey-blue, claret, dull purple and brown purple, fair to fine. Photo on page 28. £250-£300
- 130 - Watermark anchor 1d. light brown Die 4 imperf. colour trial, good margins, fine mint, and watermark orb 1881 1d. brown-purple perf. colour trial, fine with full gum. S.G. F22, F23, S.G. Spec. L122, L123. £60-£80
- 131 O 1881 1d. purple Die 4 used block of four, a few blunt perforations with "447" (Leeds) numerals in blue and a single tied by Weston-super-Mare squared circle to 1881 (July 25) envelope (slight faults) to Bristol. Photo on page 28. £100-£120

Revenue Stamps



- 132 S 1938 Inland Revenue archive sheet with Health and Pensions 4d. to 1s.8d. set of thirteen, Unemployment Insurance 2d. to 1s.6d. set of eleven and Agricultural Unemployment 1d. to 8d. set of nine, all overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 23, central filing crease affecting three stamps. A unique archival record. Photo. £500-£600
- 133 O Mainly used collection in binder incl. embossed incl. bill or note types to £2.10s., Chancery Fee Fund 2s.8d., Q.V. Admiralty Court to £1, Q.V. Chancery Court, Judicature Fees, Customs, Civil Service and Common Law Court each to £1, Q.V. Consular Service surcharges to \$5 on £1, K.G.V Consular Service to £2, Q.V. Estate Duty to £2.10s., Q.V. Foreign Bill (large format) to £2 and to £2.10s. (small format), K.E.VII to £2.10s., Q.V. Judicature Ireland to 10s. and K.E.VII to £5, Q.V. Ireland Petty Sessions 6d. used (2) and overprinted "SPECIMEN", Medicine Stamp Duty to 1s., Q.V. Probate Court to 5s., etc. (936) £900-£1,000
- 134 **Foreign Bill:** 1881 selection comprising 3d. block of twenty (5 x 4) with fiscal cancellations, 1d. tied to 1881 local cover by Alderley Edge duplex and 2d. tied to 1884 piece by Maidstone duplex. (22) £140-£160
- 135 **Horse Duty:** Mileage Tickets, 1827 black on greyish paper 2 Horses, unused pair, slight faults (Barefoot 14), also 1851 Excise Office receipt for duty on post horse. Photo on page 28. £100-£150
- 136 ▲ P **Inland Revenue:** 1867 1d. pale reddish lilac imperf. imprimatur, cut into at foot, tied to piece by 1881 (July 21) part London duplex, unusual, also 1898 (Mar. 7) local envelope franked 1d. receipt (torn) stamp fiscally used in 1855 yet tied by Stafford duplex and without any tax raised. Photo on page 28. £200-£220



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Revenue Stamps continued

- 137 **Medicine Duty:** 1872 to 1913 detailed collection of Congreve label proofs (46) incl. proofs of frames for different values (26), plate C 1½d. overprinted "SPECIMEN", etc., some with manuscript notation in margins, an interesting lot, mainly very fine and most unusual. Photo. **£800-£1,000**
- 138 - Medicine Duty Stamp Office, selection of unused strips of three, four and one complete strip of six, some se-tenant values, all on very thin and fragile India paper, various faults. (32) **£120-£150**

Military Telegraph Stamps

- 139 A mint selection on stock cards, comprising 1884-85 1s., 2s. and 5s. overprinted "SPECIMEN" with gum, 1886 surcharged set to 50p. on £1, Army Telegraphs 1895-1900 1d. to £1 (pulled perf.) set overprinted "SPECIMEN" with gum, mainly good to fine. (20) **£150-£200**
- 140 S 1887 surcharged 1d. on 1d. to 100p. on £1 set overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, with gum, some minor imperfections, 100p. on £1 creased. (10) Hiscocks 23-32. Photo. **£120-£150**

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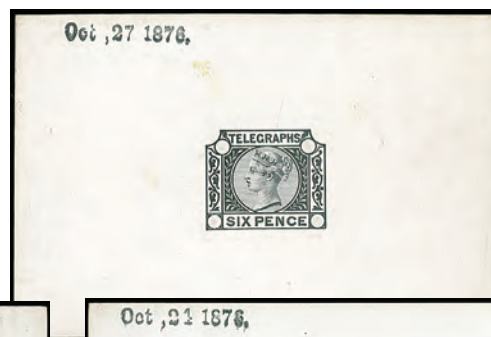
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- 141 P Selection of imperforate colour trials overprinted "SPECIMEN" with 4d. in sage-green corner marginal plate no. block of four and 3s. (8 incl. a marginal block of four in ultramarine), very fine. (12) Photo. £200-£220
- 142 P S Selection of imperforate colour trials overprinted "SPECIMEN" comprising 3s. in grey-green, brown-lilac and ultramarine, 10s. grey-green (2) and brown-lilac, fine. Photo. £250-£300
- 143 S Selection imperforate and overprinted "SPECIMEN" 3d., 4d., 6d. and 1s. plate 4 pair, fair to fine. Photo. £120-£150
- 144 A selection on leaves, incl. 5s. plate 1 overprinted "SPECIMEN", used to 5s. plate 1 (4), £1 brown-lilac used, also a range of Private issues, etc. (110) £400-£500
- 145 P 4d. die proof with void corner squares and without plate numbers, on glazed card (92 x 60mm), dated "Nov 3, 1876", very fine. Photo. £120-£150
- 146 P 6d. die proof with void corners and blank plate numbers, on glazed card (92 x 60mm), dated "Oct 27, 1876", fine. Photo. £120-£150
- 147 P 1s. die proof on glazed card (92 x 60mm), dated "July. 25. 1876" and stamped "BEFORE STRIKING", very fine. Photo. £200-£250
- 148 P 3s. die proof in black on glazed white card (91 x 60mm), without plate number or check letters, dated "Oct 21 1876" and without endorsement. Photo. £120-£150

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- 149 S 10s. grey-green, plate 1 FE overprinted "SPECIMEN", type 8 with gum, fine. S.G. T16s, cat. £400. £100-£120
- 150 S £1 brown-lilac, plate 1 AA overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, fine with gum. S.G. T17s, cat. £900. Photo. £180-£200
- 151 O £1 brown-lilac, plate 1 CR, used, small imperfections. S.G. T17, cat. £750. Photo. £100-£120



- 152 S £5 orange, plate 1 AB overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 8, with gum, light bend, otherwise fine and fresh. S.G. T18s, cat. £2,800. Photo. £450-£500



- 153 ★ £5 orange, plate 1 AE, a quite superb mint example of this rare stamp, well centred and with excellent colour and perforations, full original gum (unmounted except for minute blemish at one corner). *Of far greater rarity than the "POSTAGE" £5 and the finest we have seen.* B.P.A. (2011) and Alberto Diena (1975), certificates. S.G. T18, Spec. L237, cat. £45,000+. Photo also on back cover. £20,000-£25,000



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- 154 S £5 orange, plate 1 AF overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, no gum, fine. S.G. T18s, cat. £2,800. Photo. £300-£400
- 155 O £5 orange, plate 1 BA, used with Birmingham c.d.s. and boxed cancellation, some cancellation intrusion, otherwise fine. S.G. T18, cat. £3,000. Photo. £450-£500

Post Office Telegraph Forms

- 156 ☒ A selection of unused forms with printed embossed stamps, comprising inland 1876 1s. green and 1887 6d. mauve, foreign and colonial 1889-92 10d. blue, 10d. brown and 1895 10d. brown, mainly unfolded. (5) **£100-£120**
- 157 **Inland forms:** A selection of Kings' issues in mixed but generally good to fine condition consisting of inland public forms: K.E.VII Huggins TP17a, TP17a handstamped Specimen type 26, TP17d; K.G.V TP19 (2), TP21a (2), TP21ca (2), TP22b, TP23b (2), TP24ab, TP24c, TP25a, TP25c (2); K.G.VI TP26, TP26 with 3d adhesive added (2), TP27, TP28a (3), TP28b, TP28c, TP31a (2). Inland telegrams forwarded from Stock Exchange Offices, K.G.V TP49ba. Huggins & Baker cat. approx. £2,000. (28) **£100-£200**
- 158 **Inland forms for public use:** K.E.VII 10s. 2d. booklet complete and containing all twenty 6d. message forms in very fine unused condition, type Huggins TP18c, printed by McCorquodale & Co., complete with interleaving, typical rust to staples but otherwise fine and rare. Huggins & Baker cat. £500 (as single forms). **£100-£200**
- 159 - K.G.V 15s. 2d. booklet originally containing twenty 9d. message forms but with five remaining in very fine unused condition, type Huggins TP20ba, printed by Jas Truscott and Son., complete interleaving and original carbon paper, typical rust to staples but otherwise fine and rare. Originally a press book as all are pre-addressed to the Irish Newspaper offices of the *Northern Whig* at 92 Fleet Street. Huggins & Baker cat. £500 (as single forms). **£100-£200**
- 160 **Inland forms for use at Stock Exchange offices:** K.E.VII 10s.2d. booklet complete and containing all twenty 6d. message forms in very fine unused condition, type Huggins TP44bb, printed by Wyman and Sons, complete with interleaving, typical rust to staples and spots on cover but otherwise fine and very rare. Huggins & Baker cat. £1,500 (as single forms). **£300-£400**
- 161 **Forms for transmission to foreign or colonial destinations:** K.E.VII £1 1s. booklet complete and containing all 25 10d. message forms in very fine unused condition, type Huggins TP59c, printed by Wyman and Sons, complete with interleaving, typical rust to staples otherwise fine and very rare. Huggins & Baker cat. £1,250 (as single forms). **£300-£400**

Telegrams



- 162 ☒ **Submarine Telegraph:** 1852 (Feb. 23) "TELEGRAPHIC DESPATCH/BY SUBMARINE TELEGRAPH" envelope printed in red, addressed to Bath and bearing 1841 1d. red-brown plate 129 FL with good to large margins all round, tied by light numeral cancellation, complete with the telegraphic Cross-Channel message "FROM-CAPTAIN-BALDOCK-TO-MRS-TAYLOR-WITH-AFFECTIONATE-&VERY-BEST-WISHES-FOR-THE-PLEASANT-JOURNEY-OF-HERSELF-&MR-TAYLOR-TO-INDIA-&SINCERE-HOPES-FOR-HER-HAPPY-RE-UNION-WITH-THE-DEAR-FRIENDS-SHE-LEAVES-IN-ENGLAND-PRINTED-BY-SUBMARINE-TELEGRAPH-BETWEEN-ENGLAND-&FRANCE-FEBRUARY-23-1852-9-10-AM-WEATHER-COLD-BUT-FINE.".

The Submarine Telegraph Company was established in 1850 by John Walker Brett (1805-1863) and his younger brother, Jacob, to operate submarine telegraphic cables between Britain and the Continent, under commissions from the French and Belgian Governments. The line was completed on 17th October 1851, and opened to the public for the transmission of messages on 13th November. A cover of major importance in the field of transport and communication, the only recorded example of an imperforate stamp on this envelope and complete with message. Photo also on inside front cover. **£5,000-£6,000**

Telegrams continued

- 163 A comprehensive collection on leaves and loose, incl. 1924 Wembley unused (3), 1925 Wembley used (2), British Wireless Marine Service, Marconi International Marine Communication, Ship Letter Telegrams, booklets, ephemera, also a few foreign, etc. (100s) **£500-£600**
- 164 A comprehensive well written up collection of Post Office Greetings telegrams from 1935 to 1982 in an album, folders and on leaves, many with envelopes, wide range of types, anniversary, baby, birthday, valentines and weddings, also some ephemera and 1925 Wembley telegram unused, etc. (100s) **£300-£400**

College Stamps

- 165 ☒ **Oxford Union Society:** 1868 (Feb. 16, 26) envelopes (embossed arms on reverse, one a mourning envelope) from Anthony Surtees to his mother in Wales, both franked O.U.S. overprint 1d. tied by Oxford duplex, one with letter. (2) **£70-£80**

Railway Letter Stamps

- 166 ▲ **Ireland:** 1891 (Feb. 3) piece franked 1d. lilac and Belfast and Northern Counties Railway 2d. (defects) both manuscripts cancelled and tied by Belfast duplexes. *The earliest use of any railway stamp recorded by Jackson.* Photo. **£100-£120**



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Postal History and Covers

- 167 ▲** Collection in three albums detailing the *History of the Post Office 1533-1834*, illustrated with contemporary prints of Masters of the Posts and others involved in postal Acts of Parliaments etc. and an 1817-37 selection of fronts with free markings endorsed at lower left by senders incl. Baron Foley, Earl of Westmoreland, Lord Spencer, Duke of Richmond, Viscount Lowther, one with a mileage mark also a 1791 entire to Sir Francis Freeling. Photo.
£200-£220
- 168 ☒** A selection of covers, 1760 to 1941, incl. 1760 entire letter from Nantes to Guernsey, 1854 entire letter to H.M.S. *Derwent* at West Indies with Barbados c.d.s., 1876 cover H.M.S. *Peterel* at Panama with 6d. strip of four, 1891 cover with "PARCEL POST/LOTHBURY EC" datestamp, 1892 ½d. advertising wrapper to Sofia, parcel post labels (7) with Q.V. 'Jubilee' and K.E.VII frankings, Q.V. and K.E.VII uprated registered letters to foreign destinations, 1903 multi-redirected cover to Ceylon with at least 22 transit marks, 1917 card to Switzerland with framed "Picture Post-cards/are returned/by the Censor" handstamp, 1919 "On Active Service" cover with 1d. pair and 1d. bisected, 1940 and 1941 censored telegram forms from Shanghai, 1941 cover with Guernsey bisect, some leaflets and prints, etc. (51)
£350-£400
- 169 ☒** A selection of entire letters, most showing Dockwra type triangular marks, written up on leaves, with 1688 Bishopsgate office and time mark, 1703 and 1706 St. Paul's, 1709 (2) and 1713 Bishopsgate, 1786 Westminster with time mark and 1789 Chief Office with time mark, also 1824 entire to Bruton, bearing boxed "Shepton Mallet/5th Clause Post", with Newbury mileage mark on reverse. (9) Photo.
£350-£400
- 170 ☒** Pre-stamp Penny Posts collection in small carton incl. 1827 entire to Dublin with framed "Warwick/Py Post" in blue, 1828 printed entire to London with framed "Shiffnal/Penny Post" framed "No. 7" receiving house and Inspectors star marks, 1828 entire to Edinburgh with "EASDALE/PENNY POST", 1839 entire to Exeter with "Copplestone/Penny Post", 1832 entire to Barnstaple with "Cullompton/Penny Post", 1839 wrapper to Edinburgh with "MARKINCH/PENNY POST", 1832 wrapper to Ripon with framed "Gomersal/Penny Post" etc. also a group of Scottish postcards mainly with K.E.VII frankings one with Edinburgh 1908 Exhibition B.O. datestamp. (approx. 115) Photo.
£350-£400
- 171 ☒** Mainly town and city marks collection incl. 1769 entire to Chester with "KNUTSFORD", 1781 wrapper to London with "TAUNTON" and circular "POST/PAID" marks, 1782 entire to Stone with "MIDDLE/WICH", 1790 entire to London with "BRIDGE/WATER" and rated '1/3(d)', 1794 entire to Marlborough with "PLYMOUTH/DOCK", 1799 entire to Taunton with "SHER/BORNE", 1799 entire to Lichfield with "WIRKSWORTH", etc. (42) Photo.
£350-£400
- 172 ☒** A selection of covers and entire letters, comprising eleven sent in the Midlands between 1791 and 1798, seventeen from Manchester sent between 1814 and 1849, items related to the building of the new post office in Liverpool, 1852 cover with 1d. watermark inverted and 1843 large piece with 2d. plate 3 (2) cancelled by Maltese Crosses of Leeds. (39)
£250-£300
- 173 ☒** An interesting collection of World War I covers and cards incl. 'dumb' or 'blind' cancellations, Army and Field Post Offices, a variety of censor markings, "Undeliverable" "Not Known" and other instructional markings, etc. (36)
£250-£300
- 174 ☒** Selection of covers from 1855 to 1874 with line engraved frankings, incl. 1854 (Apr. 18) entire franked by 1854-57 perf. 16 1d. DE-DI strip, 1859 (June 7) entire franked by 1854-57 1d. tied by Rideout "2" cancellation, 1874 "The Wigan Observer" postally used, franked by 1864-79 1d. plate 175 PG, etc., good to fine. (13 items) **£250-£300**
- 175 ☒** Selection with 1d. imperforate 'stars' or plate no. frankings (some on mourning covers) incl. 1851 envelope to Brixton franked pair tied by circular "74" (London) bar cancellations and from the Prussian Ambassador, 1859 envelope to Chichester from Liverpool, redirected to Liverpool and franked with second 1d., 1861 envelope to Dorking with "MORE TO/SW/PAY" and "2" marks also a few pre-stamp covers with charge and mileage marks, etc. (117) Photo.
£220-£250
- 176 ☒** A collection of inland covers and entire letters bearing various 2d. blues frankings mainly written up in boxed album, 1843 to 1880, incl. 1841 2d. imperf. registered covers with pairs and strips of three, 1854-58 2d. stars with 1854 cover with strip of three, 1856 cover with strip of six, 1858 registered cover with pair and strip of three, 1858-76 2d. plates with 1865 cover with block of four, etc. (43)
£200-£250



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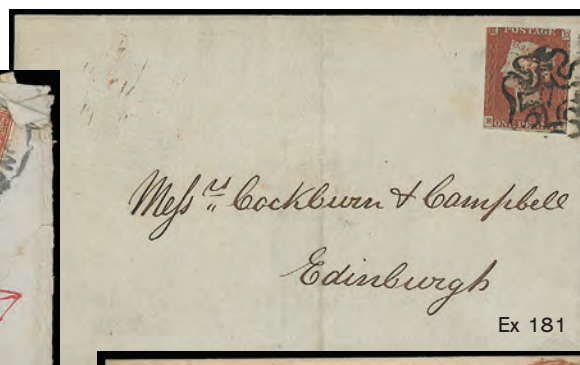
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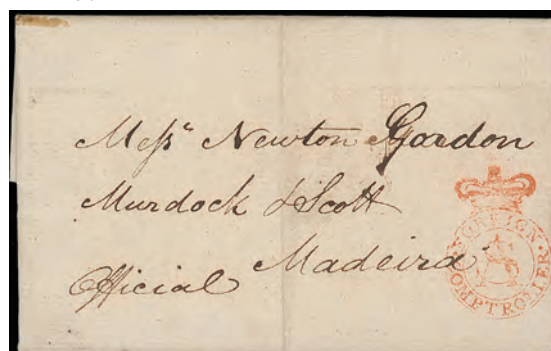
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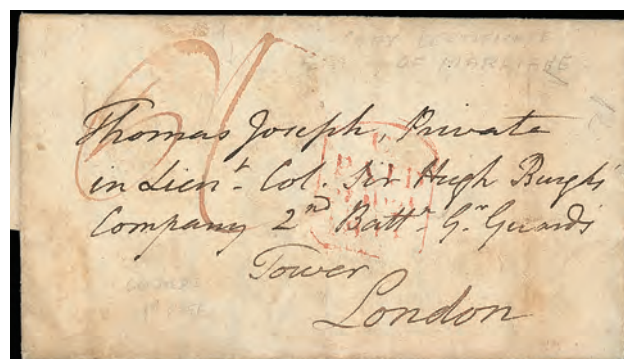
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- 177 ☒ Collection of picture postcards mostly franked K.G.V ½d. or 1d. and all tied by rubber village datestamps incl. South Muskham/Newark, Reymerton/Attleborough, South Duffield/Selby, Stonham Aspell, Stowmarket, etc. also a few earlier skeleton types. (99) Photo. **£200-£220**
- 178 ☒ Collection of picture postcards mostly franked K.E.VII ½d., K.G.V ½d. or 1d. and tied by village datestamps matched with the image depicted on the picture side incl. Senghenydd, Loch Maree, Llantwit Major, Straghur, Withernsea, etc. (175) **£200-£220**
- 179 ☒ Pre-stamp and stampless selection incl. 1790 entire to Bradford with "WARRINGTON" mark, 1797 wrapper to Wales of unknown origin with "LONDON/SHIP-LRE" mark (Robertson S6, in use 1783-97, Tabcart rated "D", scarce), 1798 entire to London to "BRISTOL" code letter mark on reverse, 1846 envelope to England with oval "INDIA" mark and Umbalah and London datestamps on reverse, 1846 entire with circular "YORK/1D/PAID" mark, etc. (9) Photo. **£180-£200**
- 180 ☒ Pre-stamp East of England selection incl. 1802 entire to Norwich with "THETFORD/81" mileage mark, 1826 entire to London with "ATTLEBORO/102" mileage mark, 1829 entire to London with "STOKEFERRY" double arc undated mark, 1833 entire Bury St. Edmunds with "SCOLE/98" mileage mark, 1836 entire to Wymondham with undated circular North Walsham mileage mark, 1838 wrapper to London with "KIMBOLTON" double arc undated mark, etc. (39) Photo. **£180-£200**
- 181 ☒ Selection incl. 1839 wrapper from Taunton with "TOO LATE" mark, 1844 wrapper to Edinburgh franked 1d. tied by London numbered "7" Maltese Cross, 1890(ca.) ½d. newspaper wrapper to China, 1888 2d. registration envelope to Stockport franked 1d. and 1½d. 1899 advertising envelope to New York franked 2½d., 1902 envelope to the Field Force in South Africa, multi-redirected, 1906 envelope to London franked 1d., redirected to Brussels and franked 2½d., four fronts from soldiers serving abroad in W.W.I, etc. (58) Photo. **£160-£180**
- 182 ☒ Selection incl. 1832 entire to Naples from Tring sent via London and France with disinfection slits, 1839 wrapper to Arran with Saltcoats datestamp and endorsed "*pd 8*" at top, 1856 mourning cover within London franked 1d. with "B.W." (Bayswater) and "KSN." (Kensington) marks, 1857 (Nov. 20) registered entire to Norway from London franked 1d. (4) and further stamp missing, 1931 cover to England "*via Siberia*" posted on a ship in China franked G.B. 1½d. with postage due 2d. (2, incoming and redirection charges) endorsed "*Received burnt*" with reseal tape and "*The Postmaster apologies for the damage....*", 1935 registered airmail cover to Dominican Republic with ½d. and 2½d. (7) meter franking, etc. (approx. 50) Photo. **£150-£200**
- 183 ☒ Selection franked by 1d. red imperf. incl. 1845 entire to Dublin from Tuam, 1845 entires from Edinburgh with framed "PAID/1d EXTRA" marks, 1848 entire from Paris to London, redirected and franked 1d. (5) Photo. **£150-£200**
- 184 ☒ Selection of covers (17) and a front from 1853 to 1895, incl. 1855-57 1s. very fine used with neat "BRADFORD-YKS" sideways duplex on 1858 (July 30) envelope to New York, 1862-64 4d. plates 3 OJ, 4 CG, HH, on separate covers to France, 1883-84 5d. BL on printed 1886 (Aug.) envelope from London to New York, 1883 (June) envelope from Holsworthy to Launceston bearing Postal Fiscal 1881 1d. wmk. orb, etc. **£150-£200**
- 185 ☒ A collection of K.G.VI covers written up in two boxed albums, incl. mainly commercial mail showing various rates, postal usage of high values, censored mail, parcel tags, Arms £1 on hand illustrated f.d.c., registered mail, official mail, airmail, advertising covers, 1938 cover with 1d. bisected, Guernsey bisects, covers with propaganda labels, special cancellations, etc. (approx. 185) **£120-£150**
- 186 ☒ Stampless selection of cash paid 1d. rates on internal mail from 1840 to 1848 incl. oval "PAID/AT/LEEDS" and from Birmingham Liverpool, Manchester, Bradford, Basingstoke and Shaftesbury, one endorsed "Not Found" and another from Edinburgh with "RATHO/PENNY POST" mark. (27) Photo. **£120-£150**
- 187 ☒ A collection of mainly pre-stamp and early Q.V. entire letters and covers in two albums, 1760 to 1870s, incl. three with Bishop marks, 1826 entire letter from Demerara with "FALMOUTH/SHIP LETTER" mark, three entire letters with "FREE" marks, Scottish and Irish interest, official mail, etc. (approx. 135) **£100-£120**
- 188 ☒ Accumulation incl. 1815-31 Copleston correspondence mainly from Oxford, 1857 (ca.) envelope to Copenhagen franked 1d. (2), 2d. and 6d. embossed, 1861 cover to New York franked 1d. and 1s. 1898 taxed and multi redirected cover to France, 1937 (Nov. 23) 1st official Aberdeen-Shetland flight cover signed by the Chief Pilot of Allied Airways, 1939 (Sept. 1) envelope to Berlin franked 2½d. with framed "NO SERVICE/RETURN TO SENDER" mark, etc. (approx. 50) Photo. **£100-£120**

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- 189 ☒ Collection in a carton incl. 1924 local postcards with "LONDON EC" British Empire Exhibition 1924 slogan machine cancellations, 1935 taxed airmail front to Kenya franked 1½d. pair (2) with 1s. Kenya postage, 1962 Forces airmail covers to England from F.P.O. "67", mint and used postal stationery collection, etc. (few 100s) Photo.
£100-£120
- 190 ☒ Selection incl. 1893 ½d. unsealed envelope used within London, 1909 ½d. embossed envelope to Berne, 1949 6d. aerogramme to Azores, etc. (83)
£100-£120
- 191 ☒ A collection of covers to various European destinations and one to U.S.A. written up on leaves, 1867 to 1884, incl. 1875 cover to Berlin with 2½d. rosy mauve on blued paper, etc. Ex Klempka. (19)
£100-£120
- 192 ☒ 1809 (June 1) entire letter from Foreign Newspaper Office, London to Madeira, with "FOREIGN/COMPTROLLER" official handstamp in red, rare. Photo on page 34.
£150-£200
- 193 ☒ 1818 (Aug. 12) entire to a private in the 2nd Battalion of the Grenadier Guards in London, the contents a declaration from a clergyman confirming the soldier's marriage in 1807, rated '1'(d) as a concession to a soldier, with Bristol mileage c.d.s. and framed London Paid datestamp. Photo on page 34.
£100-£120
- 194 ☒ 1854 (Aug. 4) complete printed auction catalogue from Rushworth and Jarvis, Cheltenham, comprising 12 lots of properties and land, and enclosing a map showing the first three lots, sent from Cheltenham to Cirencester with very fine used block of six 1854 SC16 1d. plate 162 GA-HC with neat "177" numerals of Cheltenham, an unusual survivor in fine condition. Photo.
£250-£300
- 195 ☒ 1855 (June 11) entire letter from West Bromwich to London, franked by 1855 die II, alphabet II LC14 1d. plate 10 CB (trimmed at top) tied by "898" numeral, inside has "London/London and North Western Railway/UP/ Birmingham to London" printed yellow label, letter begins "I have by this evening mail (London & North Western) forwarded you these papers", a rare and interesting item. Photo.
£250-£300
- 196 ☒ 1858 (Sept. 9) envelope from Fence-Houses, Chester le Street to Lord Dunsay at Hayling Island, franked by 1857-64 LC14 1d. plate 27 NG-NJ strip of four tied by "188" numeral. Fascinating enclosed letter from Pelton Colliery with many coal related statistics, also enclosed map titled "Goaf" (means that part of the mine from which the mineral has been partially or wholly removed) and a paper model of a pyramid to illustrate a point made in the letter.
£80-£100
- 197 ☒ A collection of K.E.VII covers and cards on leaves, incl. 1903 illustrated postcard depicting Shakespeare with 1s. label used with ½d. (2) from Stratford upon Avon to U.S.A., 1903 long Q.V. 3d. envelope to U.S.A., franked by 3d. and 1s. (2), 1905 cover registered to Berlin, bearing ½d. to 1s. set of twelve, 1913 cover, registered to Austria bearing 9d., parcel post labels, postal stationery, also *The Postage Stamps of Great Britain* part 3, 1954 and 1964 editions, etc. (53 items)
£300-£400



Postal History and Covers – Cornwall

- 198 ☒ Selection in binder incl. 1864 official wrapper to London with Devoran (Code "B") c.d.s., 1854 envelope to London with "FEOCK" undated double arc mark on reverse, 1793 entire to St. Austell with "MAVAGISSEY" (52 x 5mm) mark, 1846 entire to Perran with Rome, Calais, London and Truro datestamps and redirected to Wigan, 1854 to Narbeth with "PERRAN-AR-WORTHAL" double arc, etc. (27 and a few pieces etc.) Photo. **£150-£200**
- 199 ☒ **Falmouth:** Collection in binder incl. 1801 entire to Redruth with circular "FALMOUTH" mark, 1838 wrapper to Redruth with Falmouth and "TOO LATE" marks on reverse, 1844 1d. envelope with Falmouth skeleton datestamp, 1900 envelope to sent locally franked 1d. (3, all with perfin) tied by oval "REGISTERED/FALMOUTH" datestamps, redirected to St. Austell's and endorsed "Refused", 1904, 1905 postcards ranked ½d. tied by 23mm or 31mm "FALMOUTH" skeleton c.d.s., etc. (54 and a few pieces) Photo. **£150-£200**
- 200 ☒ **Truro:** Collection in binder incl. 1856 cover to Plymouth franked 1d. tied by "814" Truro duplex, 1877 envelope to Helston franked 2½d. for a registered printed matter rate and tied by Truro (code "I" duplex), 1885 large envelope to Malmesbury franked ½d. and 4d. tied by Truro squared circles, 1889 1d. envelope to Calcutta uprated 4d. and tied by Truro (code "H") duplexes, etc. (approx. 100 items) Photo. **£120-£140**

Postal History and Covers – Dorset

- 201 ☒ Collection alphabetically arranged in three volumes in a carton incl. 1796 wrapper to Bridgwater rated "11/4 oz." and "1/8"(d) with "SHERBORNE" mark, 1797 wrapper to Bridgwater with "DORCHESTER" mark, 1829 wrapper to London with "SHERBORNE" mileage removed mark, 1830 entire with "BRIDPORT" mileage removed mark on reverse, 1834 wrapper to London with Shaftesbury milaege erased and no arc undated cancellation, 1835 free entire to London with "CORFE CASTLE" mark on reverse, 1836 entire to Chard with "LYME" undated cancellation on reverse, 1847 entire to Dorchester with "CERNE" and "UPWEY" undated cancellations and endorsed "Missent to Upwey" at top, 1853 envelope to Wellington with "BIRDSMOOR-GATE" undated cancellation, 1901 cover with "SWANAGE/DORSET" skeleton c.d.s., 1907 cover with "POOLE" skeleton c.d.s., 1909 postcard with "WAREHAM" skeleton c.d.s., village rubber cancellations incl. "ALWESTON/SHERBORNE", "CLAPGATE/WIMBORNE", "GAUNTS COMMON/WIMBORNE", "HILTON/BLANDFORD", "PIMPERNE/BLANDFORD", "STOWER ROW/SHAFTESBURY", "TOLLER PORCORM/DORCHESTER", "HOLT/WIMBORNE", "THREE LEGGED CROSS/WIMBORNE", etc. (few 100s) **£500-£600**



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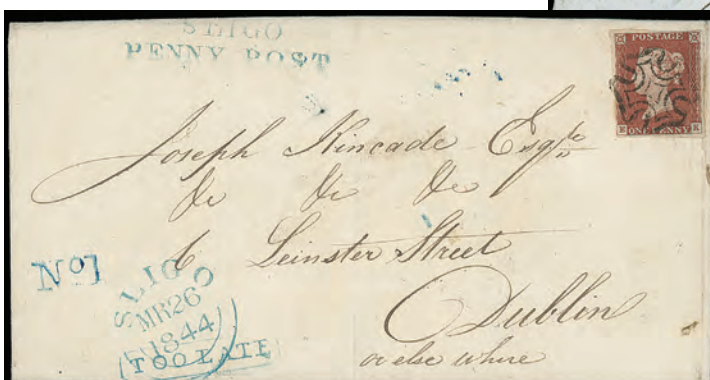
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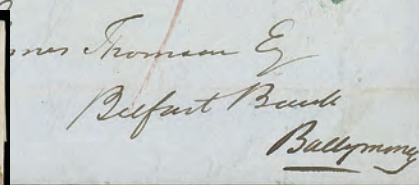
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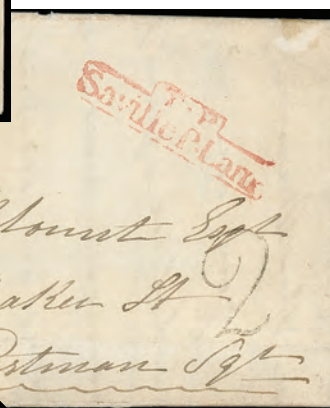
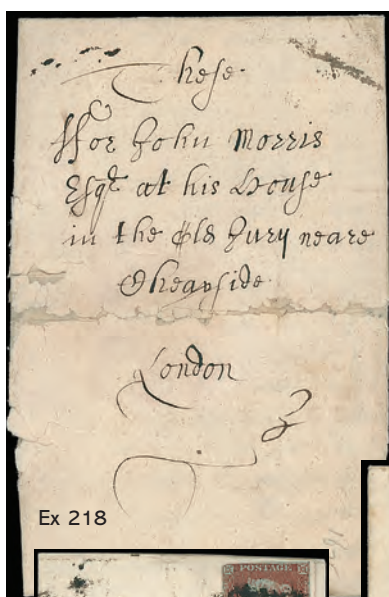
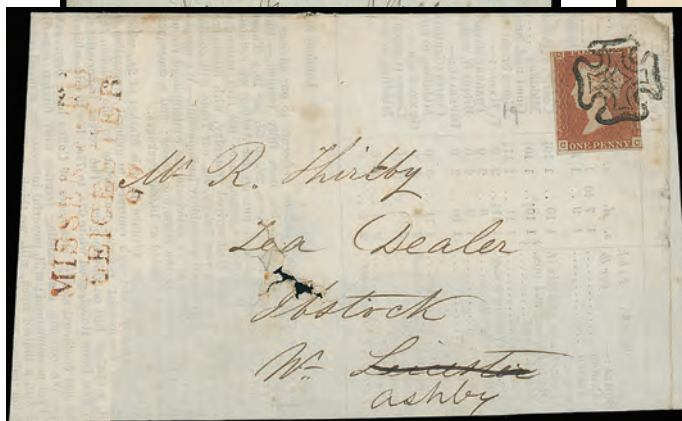
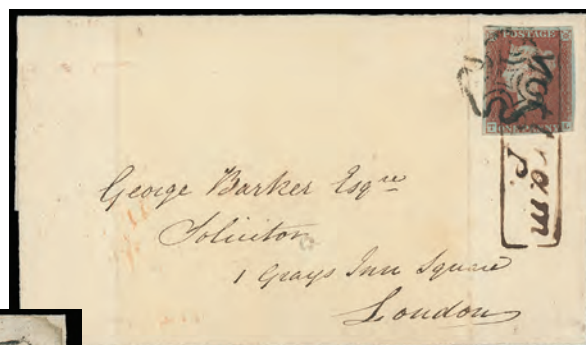
- 202** **Portsmouth:** A collection of covers and cards in two albums, 1742 to 1970s, incl. pre-stamp mail with various Portsmouth handstamps, 1795 entire letter with “FREE” datestamp, “PORTSMOUTH/SHIP LETTER” (5), “INDIA LETTER/PORTSMOUTH” (2), “Portsmouth/P.y Post” (2), 1840 1d. on entire letter, picture postcards, “PAID” marks, postal stationery, postage due and official mail, various instruction marks, special covers, Cosham, etc. (approx. 175) **£80-£100**
- 203** ☒ - 1844 (May 7) entire to the Earl of Haddington in London franked defective 1d. tied by “625” (Portsmouth), the earliest use of this numeral believed to exist, with Portsmouth and London backstamps. Photo. **£120-£150**

Postal History and Covers – Ireland

- 204** ☒ 1834 entire to Edinburgh with Dublin applied “Addl/½” Scottish turnpike charge mark and with Dublin and Edinburgh datestamps on reverse also an 1831 free front to London with Dublin “TOO LATE” in scroll mark. (2) Photo. **£100-£120**
- 205** A collection of covers bearing mainly imperf. 1d. reds in thirteen albums, 1841 to 1864, many addressed to Ballina, county Mayo, incl. 1850 cover bearing 1d. block of twelve, several with blocks of four etc., varied condition. (approx. 950) **£250-£300**
- 206** ☒ 1841 (Jan.) wrapper to Hastings franked 1d. black IJ, cut into at left and tied by red Maltese Cross with “PAID AT/CAVAN” and Dublin Paid and London Paid datestamps, rated “1”(d), the franking representing redirection to London. Photo. **£220-£250**
- 207** ☒ 1843-48 entires to Ballymoney franked 1d. red tied by Maltese Cross, with “P.D/C.RAINE” marks in blue or green or with framed “PAID/AT/COLERAINE” mark in green. (4) Photo. **£150-£170**
- 208** ▲ 1844 (Feb. 19) much reduced mourning envelope to England franked 1d. red. plate 36, NG, good to large margins, slightly ragged at right and tied by blue Athboy Maltese Cross with “Athboy/Penny Post” mark alongside and with Athboy (matching ink), Dublin and London datestamps on reverse. *Unrecorded by Danzig, an important Irish exhibition item.* S.G. Spec. B1sc, cat. £1,700 on cover. Photo. **£280-£300**
- 209** ☒ 1844 (Mar. 26) wrapper to Dublin franked 1d. possibly pl. 45, four margins tied at left by black Maltese Cross with “SLIGO/PENNY POST”, “No.1” receiving house, framed “TOO LATE” and Sligo c.d.s. all in matching blue ink. The reverse with Sligo and Dublin datestamps, unusual. Photo. **£200-£220**
- 210** ☒ 1846 (Feb. 27) wrapper to Dublin franked 1d. plate 60, OH, slightly cut into at left and with light filing creases, one through the stamp though barely visible, clearly tied by two impression of “438” diamond in green with Tullamore datestamp alongside in matching ink, very rare. *Recorded by Danzig but only for the years 1845 or 1848.* S.G. Spec. B1xc., cat. £7,000. Photo. **£500-£550**
- 211** ☒ 1852 (Feb., June) entires franked 2d. imperf. pair or single and 1854 (Sept.) entire franked 2d. plate 4 perf. 16, to Ballymoney each tied by “149” diamond cancellations, the pair centrally struck, contrary to regulations, rare and with Coleraine and Ballymoney datestamps on reverse of each. (3) Photo. **£500-£550**

Postal History and Covers – Isle of Wight

- 212** ☒ A selection of covers, comprising 1817 entire letter to Salisbury with “NEWPORT.I.W/100” mileage mark, 1837 entire letter from India with framed “INDIA LETTER/COWES”, 1840 wrapper from Cuba with forwarding cachet of Robert Hunter at Cowes with step framed “SHIP LETTER/COWES” and 1846 wrapper from Brazil with forwarding cachet of Day, Croskey and Rose and step framed “SHIP LETTER/COWES”. (4) **£100-£120**
- 213** ☒ Selection incl. 1841 (June 1) entire to Newbury franked 1d. red tied by black Maltese Cross with “No.1” (Ventnor) receiving house mark and Newport and London datestamps on reverse, 1846 entire to Newport franked 1d. tied by “666” numeral with Ryde and Newport datestamps on reverse, 1867 registered cover to London franked 1d. and 4d. with “666” numeral cancellations, etc. (13) Photo. **£120-£140**



Postal History and Covers – Kent

- 214 ☒ **Dover:** Collection in a small carton incl. 1640 (Jan.) entire to Antwerp from traders Van Tiernan and Peters in Dover, 1770, 1773 entires to London from Jamaica or Lisbon with “DOVER/SHIP LRE” (Robertson S1a) mark and 1773 entire to Madeira with the same mark, 1797 entire to Edinburgh from New York with curved “DOVER” mark and London and Edinburgh Bishop marks, 1798 entire to London from South Carolina with curved “DOVER/SHIP LETTER” (Robertson S5), 1803 entire to London from Barbados with double lined oval “Ship Letter/ (crown)/DOVER” (Robertson S6) mark, 1817 entire to London with double ring “CALCUTTA POST NOT PAID” and step framed “SHIP LETTER/DOVER” (Robertson S10) mark, 1811 entire datelined at Valparaiso to Netherlands sent via an agent in London with step framed “SHIP LETTER/DOVER” (Robertson S11) mark, 1830 entire to London from Calcutta with framed “INDIA LETTER/DOVER” mark, 1840 wrapper to London (unknown origin) with unframed “SHIP LETTER/DOVER” in red (Robertson S12b, only in use 1839-40), 1902-03 Ostend-Dover Packet datestamps on postcards depicting the steamers used and later examples with slogan cancellations advertising the service etc., many are ex Hasenson. (61 items incl. 24 with stamps) **£1,000-£1,200**
- 215 ☒ **Edenbridge:** 1891-93 envelopes franked 1d. lilac each tied by Eden Bridge “697” number error (for “967”) duplex, uncommon. (3) Photo. **£100-£120**

Postal History and Covers – Lancashire

- 216 ☒ 1841 (July 13) wrapper to London franked 1d. plate 9, just touching at lower right and tied by Maltese Cross and framed “Mottram/P.P.” mark both in black, very unusual this. Reverse with Manchester and London datestamps. Photo. **£300-£320**

Postal History and Covers – Leicestershire

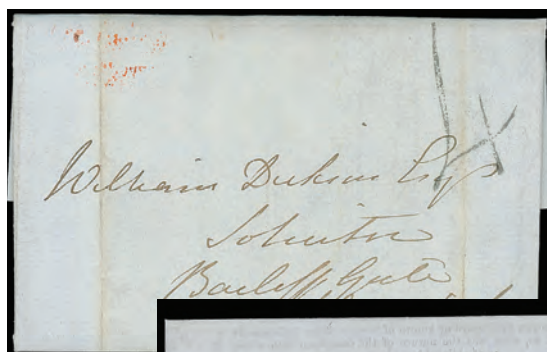
- 217 ☒ 1842 (Apr. 6) reduced printed entire from London to Ibstock franked 1841 1d. CC and first type (1816-57) “MISSENT-TO/LEICESTER/97” mark in green showing worn letters, at left. Reverse with Lombard Street and Leicester datestamps. Photo. **£100-£120**

Postal History and Covers – London

- 218 ☒ Selection incl. 1675 (Aug.) defective entire, without markings to “*John Morris Esq at his house on the Old Jury near Cheapfide*”, 1745 wrapper to Edinburgh with London Bishop mark on reverse, 1793 entire with Dockwra type Post paid datestamp. (11) Photo. **£100-£120**
- 219 ☒ 1700 (ca.) undated wrapper to Bristol with London Bishop mark in yellow on reverse, 1770 entire to Glasgow from London with London and Edinburgh Bishop marks on reverse and 1780 entire to London rated ‘4(d) with “HUDDERS/FIELD”, London Bishop mark and double ring “O’CLOCK/J/W” marks on reverse. (3) Photo. **£100-£120**
- 220 ☒ Selection of Two Penny Post mail incl. 1801 wrapper to Chelsea with “Richmond/Unpaid/Penny Post” and “2” marks, 1838 entire to Lombard Street with “T.P./Chancery Lane” and “2” marks, 1839 entire to Portman Square with framed “T.P./Saville Lane” and “2” marks, etc. (36) Photo. **£150-£200**
- 221 ☒ Local Post, a collection of entire letters and covers written up in album, 1804 to 1846, showing various 1d., 2d. and 3d. local posts marks, incl. 1838 reply wrapper with “POST PAID/METROPOLITAN/LIFE/ASSURANCE/SOCIETY” mark, 1839 cover with “FREE” crown mark, 1840 cover with 1d. plate 6, etc. (26) **£120-£150**
- 222 1848 (Mar. 9) two pages of a reduced letter (no cover) apparently by a H. Bliss (to his uncle in Chipping Norton) describing the riots in London in response to the proposal of income tax “*They are also commencing to follow our example in Glasgow and Germany*” with other contemporary comment “*What do you think of the French Republic?*” (Paris riots also occurring at the same time) unusual insight into these contemporary events. **£160-£180**
- 223 ☒ 1863 (Apr. 20) mourning triangular envelope, unusual, slight horizontal crease and sent within in London franked 1d. red. (blunt corner) and tied by London W duplex. Photo. **£100-£120**

Postal History and Covers – Northumberland

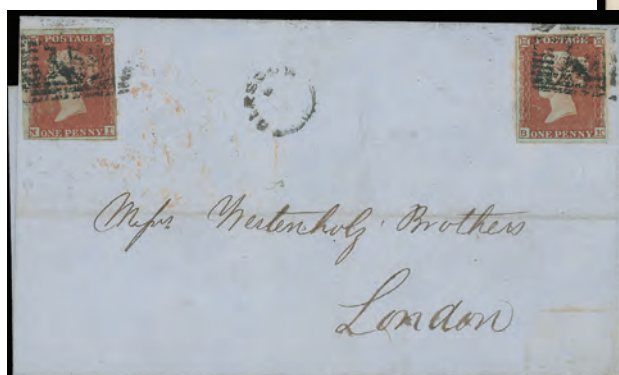
- 224 ☒ 1852 (Apr. 7) wrapper to Leeds franked 1d. red tied by very late use of South Shields Maltese Cross in black, dispatch and arrival datestamps on reverse. *A similar example four days earlier is recorded in “Cancellations of the 1841 Penny Red” by Robert Danzig, page 91.* Photo. **£280-£300**



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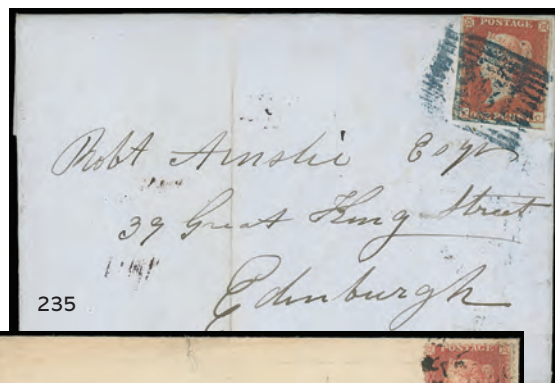
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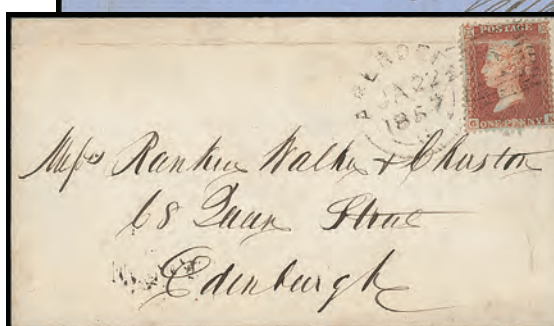
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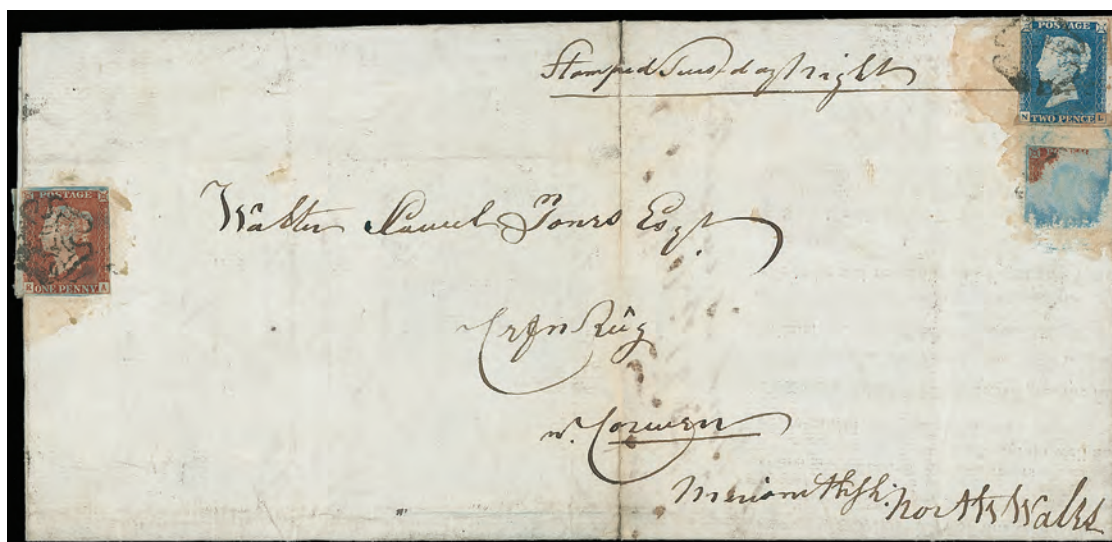
- 225** ☒ Selection in small carton incl. 1750 entire to Edinburgh with concave “PERTH” mark, 1791 entire to Berwick with “DUNKELD” mark on reverse, 1816, entires with circular or unframed Perth mileage datestamps, 1828 entire to Culfargie from Kinross with “MISSENT/TO PERTH” mark, 1843 entire to Edinburgh with “KENMORE/S.O.” mark on reverse, 1844 envelope franked 1d. from Dumfries multi-redirected and with marks or datestamps for Killin, Tyndrum, Callander, Aberfeldy, Glasgow, Edinburgh and Oban on reverse etc. also some other G.B. covers. (approx. 50) Photo on page 40. **£160-£180**
- 226** ☒ A selection of entire letters and wrappers, 1756 to 1840s, incl. with Bishop marks, 1798 with two line “HAD/DINGTON”, 1799 with “DUN/FERM/LIN” in circle, 1820s to 1840s with various framed or unframed “½”, “Addnl ½”, “1” and “2” handstamps, etc. (67) **£220-£250**
- 227** ☒ Selection incl. 1792 (July 29) entire to Edinburgh with “TAIN” (R238; 22 x 4mm; reversed “N”) mark on reverse and 1800 (Mar. 26) entire to Dusart endorsed “*Missent*” at top with “TAIN” (R240a; 26 x 8mm; reversed “N”) mark directly below, 1d. plate no. frankings with numeral and duplex cancellations, one a Glasgow Madeline Smith datestamp, 1813 large wrapper to Forres rated ‘5/½’(d) with straight line “PARKHILL” mark, 1831 inwards entire from Geneva with framed “½” charge mark, 1889 large envelope to Edinburgh franked ½d. and 3d. tied by Portree duplex, etc. (34) Photo on page 40. **£160-£180**
- 228** ☒ Selection incl. 1813-37 entires with manuscript or framed “½” charge marks, 1842 wrapper to Ayr with Paid at Edinburgh c.d.s. and framed “PAID/1d EXTRA” mark, 1860 entire to Edinburgh franked 1d. plate 44 tied by Greenock dotted duplex, 1874 entire to Edinburgh franked ½d. plate 4 tied by Glasgow duplex, the letter from Edward Gordon M.P. thanking his constituents after re-election and 1883 3d. on 3d. tied to a piece by Dumbarton duplex. **£160-£180**
- 229** ☒ Selection incl. 1817-38 entires with manuscript or framed “½” or “Addl/½” framed and unframed types from Greenock, Edinburgh, Paisley, Perth, London, etc. (17) **£100-£120**
- 230** ☒ 1839 (Dec. 6 and 7) entires, a few faults, to Alnwick or Melrose from Edinburgh with distinctive “4”(d) Uniform Post period paid marks in black. (2) Photo. **£200-£220**
- 231** ☒ Selection incl. 1841 entires from Greenock or Edinburgh franked 1d., 1846 small envelope to Govan from Glasgow franked 1d. tied by manuscript cancellation, 1849 large entire to Dundee from Stirling franked 1d. block of four and pair, 1849 piece with framed “MISSENT/TO GLASGOW”, 1858 envelope with Edinburgh Posted Since 7 Last night c.d.s., 1869 entire to Oporto franked 6d. (showing broken perf. pin) tied by Greenock dotted duplex and 1870 entire to Bordeaux franked 1d. pair and 2d. tied by Glasgow duplexes. (8) Photo. **£350-£400**
- 232** ☒ 1842-55 cover selection franking 1d. red. imperf. (one with horizontal guideline, another plate 55 with major re-entry) or perforated and tied by black Maltese Cross (Leith) or barred numeral cancellations of Edinburgh, Glasgow, Dundee, Bowmore, Irvine, Greenock, Airdrie, Fyvie and Moffat and two with Duke Street or Cannongate Scots local town marks on reverse. (31) Photo. **£180-£200**
- 233** ☒ 1844 (Feb. 12) entire to Edinburgh franked 1841 2d., variable margins and tied by mostly complete Greenock distinctive Maltese Cross. Reverse with Greenock and Edinburgh datestamps, attractive. S.G. Spec. E1ug, cat. £2,000. Photo. **£300-£350**
- 234** ☒ 1847 (Dec. 16) and 1853 (Oct. 6) entires to London or Liverpool franked 2d. or 1d. (2, probably a late fee) and tied by “159” barred numerals with small single arc “GLASGOW” datestamps, the latter unusually late use. (2) Photo. **£120-£140**
- 235** ☒ 1850 (May 15) wrapper (file fold) to Edinburgh franked 1d. tied by blue “188” numeral with Johnstone (in matching colour), Paisley and Edinburgh datestamps on reverse. S.G. Spec. B1 (4)xb., cat. £650. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 236** ☒ 1856 (Dec. 2) envelope to Burntisland franked 1d. tied by experimental Greenock (type I, code D) duplex with Gourock and Burntisland datestamps on reverse. Photo. **£120-£140**
- 237** ☒ 1857-60 selection of covers franked 1d. tied by experimental duplexes for Aberdeen, Dundee Perth, Paisley also a few pieces with K.G.V frankings with Scottish village datestamps incl. rubber “CILLOCK/CAITHNESS”. (15) Photo. **£100-£120**
- 238** ☒ 1857 (May 2) reduced wrapper to Leith franked 1d. tied by dotted circle Edinburgh duplex in blue, uncommon. Photo. **£140-£160**



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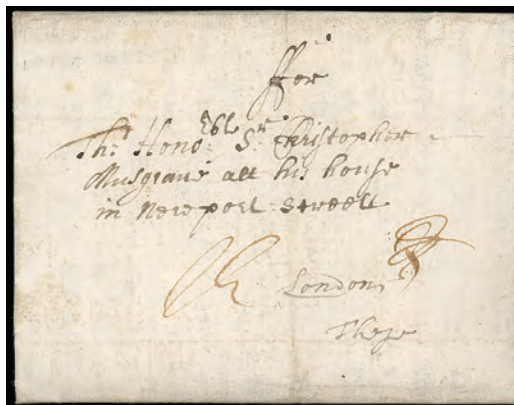
- 239 ☒ 1858 (Feb. 6) envelope to Glasgow franked 1d. tied by “DUROR DUROR” Scots local, 1859 (Sept. 15) cover to Paris (redirected) franked 2d. pair with “CLOSEBURN” Scots local, Thornhill datestamps etc. (2) Photo. **£100-£120**
- 240 ☒ Edinburgh dotted duplex selection incl. 1861 local wrapper franked 1d. tied by rare type A4, 1865 envelope to London franked 1d. tied by type B1, 1866 (June 9) local wrapper tied by scarce type A6, 1880 envelope to Glasgow franked 1d. Venetian red tied by Edinburgh type 4 (26 dots) duplex, 1881 envelope to Trinity franked 1d. Venetian red tied by Edinburgh type 3 (31 dots) duplex, etc. (27 covers and two pieces) Photo. **£220-£250**
- 241 ☒ 1890-93 ½d. postcards (one franked ½d.) mainly to a bank in Peebles and with various, mainly double ring datestamps. (15) **£100-£120**
- 242 ☒ 1904, 1906 postcards franked K.E.VII ½d. or 1d. tied by double ring “GK & ARDRISHAIG PACKET” datestamps and a 1938 taxed cover to U.S.A. franked Q.V. Jubilee 1½d. with oval Caledonian Steam Packet Co “CALEDONIA” datestamps. (3) Photo. **£100-£120**
- 243 No lot

Postal History and Covers – Wales

- 244 ☒ 1842 (May 1) printed document (file fold and with some internal annotations) “Stamped Sunday night” sent within Wales and franked 1840 2d. plate 2 NL, marginal and 1d. red. (2, one defective, possibly by opening other marginal and partially folded over edge) each with black Maltese Cross and stained, on the reverse with two Corwen datestamps. Rare Welsh usage, particularly in this combination. Photo. **£280-£300**
- 245 ☒ 1854 (Feb. 8 and 9) entires to Paris franked 1d. each slightly cut into tied by barred numerals and with Cardiff, London, Calais and Paris datestamps and “8” decimes charge marks. (2) Photo. **£300-£320**

Postal History and Covers – Warwickshire

- 246 ☒ 1842 (Jan. 1) entire to Daventry franked 1d. just touching at left and tied by black Maltese Cross with “LEAMINGTON” double arc c.d.s. alongside. S.G. Spec.B1(2) tq, cat. £600. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 247 ☒ 1844 (Feb. 16) mourning envelope to Hatfield franked 1d. plate 34, SE worn impression and with watermark inverted, good to large margins, tied by Leamington distinctive Maltese Cross in black with datestamp alongside, arrival datestamp at lower left. S.G. Spec. B1 tq, cat. £600. Photo. **£250-£280**
- 248 ☒ 1854 (Dec. 27) envelope to Coventry franked 1d. tied London numeral cancellation applied at the lower right corner and upon arrival centrally struck by a Coventry “229” barred numeral, reverse with London and Coventry datestamps, unusual. Photo. **£100-£120**

The Dr Simon Kelly Collection of Westmorland Postal History

- 249 ☒ Early Letters, 1677 entire to the writer’s cousin (at Ravenstonedale) datelined at “Little Musgrave” with letter from Sir Phillip Musgrave (1607-78), MP for Westmorland and Governor of Carlisle etc., 1685 entire to London dated at Musgrave with 14mm London Bishop mark on reverse initially rated ‘3’(d), deleted and initialled as a probable privilege letter and 1691 entire to Dallam Tower datelined at Casterton with contents by his “Dutyfull Daughter” Jan Wilson. (3) Photo. **£200-£250**

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- 250 ☒ **Ambleside:** Selection incl. 1839 entire from Edinburgh (and redirected there) with “Ambleside/Penny Post” mark in blue, the latest recorded use, 1842 1d. envelope from London endorsed “*Not Called for*” and with Ambleside c.d.s. applied alongside, 1852 redirected cover from London with Ambleside c.d.s. in blue on reverse, 1845 printed entire advertising a cattle auction to Hawshead franked 1d. tied by barred numeral “13” with Ambleside double arc c.d.s. in blue on reverse, etc. (28) Photo. **£200-£220**
- 251 ☒ **Appleby:** Selection incl. 1765 entire to Henley-in-Arden and 1782 entire to Cockermouth both with “APPLEBY” (36 x 6mm), 1790 entire to London with “APPLEBY/268” mileage mark, 1793 wrapper to London with “APPLEBY” (41 x 5mm), 1821 wrapper to London with “APPLEBY/266” mileage mark, etc. (23) Photo. **£220-£250**
- 252 ☒ **Barrow-in-Furness:** Selection incl. 1880 wrapper to Barrow franked ½d. tied by Barrow in Furness duplex and with “CRELLIN ST/BARROW-IN-FURNESS” c.d.s. on reverse, 1881 ½d. wrapper to Kirby Lonsdale with upright two bar “B71” cancellation (believed the only known example), etc. (13) **£140-£140**
- 253 ☒ **Bowness:** Selection incl. 1820 entire from Liverpool to Bowness with “NO. 1” framed receiving mark on reverse, 1838 entire to Kirkby Lonsdale with fine “Bowness/Penny Post” mark at top, endorsed “*Free*” and “P6”, 1848 1d. envelope to Atherstone with “BOWNESS-WESTMORELAND” double arc undated cancellation on reverse, 1859 (Sept. 1) 1d. envelope to Utrecht uprated 1d. and 6d. with thimble “BOWNESS/WESTMORLAND” undated cancellation, etc. (21) **£160-£180**
- 254 ☒ **Brough:** 1728 entire to Penrith from Brough rated ‘3’(d), 1764 wrapper to London with “BROUGH” (35 x 7mm) and London Bishop mark on reverse, 1786 entire to London rated ‘6’(d) with “BROUGH” (40 x 7.5mm) mark (Ex Willcocks), 1796 wrapper to London with “BROUGH” (37 x 4.5mm) mark (Ex Willcocks), 1837 (Oct. 8) entire to London with double arc undated “BROUGH” on reverse, only in use that month, etc. (14) Photo. **£180-£200**
- 255 ☒ **Burton:** Selection incl. 1814, 1825 entires to Kirkby Lonsdale with horseshoe “BURTON K” mark, 1838 wrapper to Appleby with “BURTON W” double arc undated mark and framed “No. 2” (Betham) receiving house mark on reverse, 1846 free official entire from London with “BURTON W/4” skeleton datestamp on reverse, etc. (11) **£100-£120**
- 256 ☒ **Cartmel/Newton in Cartmel:** Selection incl. 1840 (Mar.) wrapper to Settle with “Newton/Penny Post” with framed “No. 1” receiving house mark, 1851 envelope to Settle with “NEWTON-IN-CARTMEL” double arc undated mark on reverse 1852 entire to Hawkshead franked 1d. with Cartmel double arc datestamp, code “A” below date, on reverse, etc. (22) Photo. **£180-£200**
- 257 ☒ **Grasmere:** Selection incl. 1859 envelope to Southport from Windermere with a Grasmere c.d.s. in green on reverse, the only example in this colour, 1860 envelope to London franked 1d. tied by Windermere duplex and with Grasmere c.d.s. (code “A”) the earliest known use, 1920 extensively redirected envelope to a soldier in Palestine from Grasmere and sent to various Field Post Offices in Haifa, Cairo, Beirut and to London, Manchester, etc. (45) Photo. **£150-£170**
- 258 ☒ **Hawkshead:** Selection incl. 1798 entire from Liverpool endorsed on reverse “pd 7d P.W. Towers” to include a local 1d. privately charged rate from Kendal to Hawkshead, 1834 wrapper to London with framed “HAWKSHEAD” (41 x 10mm) and framed “Kendal/Py Post” marks, the former only known used in 1833-34, 1842 (Sept. 25) wrapper to Kendal franked 1d. black plate 8, AD, tied by Maltese Cross with “Hawkshead/Penny Post” in blue at left, 1850 wrapper to Hawkshead from London endorsed “*Missent to Hawkhurst*”, 1854 entire to Ulverstone with “HAWKSHEAD” double arc undated mark on reverse, etc. (25) Photo. **£280-£300**
- 259 ☒ **Kendal:** Collection in binder incl. 1734 entire to London with faint “KENDALL” (double “L”) and London Bishop marks on reverse, 1774 entire to Appleby with “KENDAL” (36 x 6mm) mark, 1800 entire to Usk with “KENDAL” (31 x 4mm) mark, 1840 (Dec. 17) entire to Bradford franked 1d. black tied by red Maltese Cross with fine double arc datestamp on reverse, 1846 entire to Kendal from Manchester with “KENDAL/2” skeleton datestamp on reverse in blue, 1851 official entire to Witherslack from London endorsed “*Misdirected*” at left and with Kendal c.d.s. alongside, 1852 envelope to Burton from Liverpool endorsed “*Missent to*” with Kendal c.d.s. in blue alongside, etc. (44) **£250-£280**
- 260 ☒ - Penny Posts and Receiving Houses: Selection incl. 1815 entire to Cranbrook with framed “No. 2” receiving house and “KENDAL/Penny Post” marks, 1827 entire to Wrexham with framed “No. 3” (Hawkshead) mark, 1833, 1835 wrappers to Usk or London with framed “No. 4” (Sedbergh) marks on reverse, etc. (16) Photo. **£100-£120**

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- 261** ☒ **Keswick:** Selection incl. 1800 entire to Cartmel with horseshoe type “KESWICK” mark, 1833 wrapper to London with “KESWICK” (mileage removed) mark on reverse showing traces of the mileage frame below, 1852 (Oct. 13) envelope to U.S.A. franked 2d. strip of six tied by “413” barred numerals, 1860 entires to Workington franked 4d. or 6d. tied Windermere duplexes and with Keswick datestamps on reverse, etc. (14) **£200-£220**
- 262** ☒ **Kirkby Lonsdale:** Selection with 1763 entire to Kirkby Lonsdale endorsed “Free” at lower left thought rated ‘1’(d) on reverse, 1781, 1789 entires to Cumberland or London with “KIRKBY/LONSDALE” (34 x 11mm) mark, 1833 entire to Kirkby Lonsdale with double arc “KIRKBY LONSDALE” undated cancellation and framed “Kirkby Lonsdale/Penny Post”, 1857 wrapper from Penrith franked 1d., with arrival c.d.s. (code “A”) in green, etc. (9) Photo on page 46. **£100-£120**
- 263** ☒ - Selection incl. 1793 wrapper to London with “KIRKBY/LONSDALE” (34 x 11mm) mark, 1814 entire to Exeter with “KIRKBY LONSDALE/257” mileage mark, 1935 free front to Bristol with framed “Kirkby Lonsdale/Penny Post” mark, etc. (13) Photo on page 46. **£100-£120**
- 264** ☒ **Milnthorpe:** Selection incl. 1673 entire to Dallam Tower, near Kendall with London Bishop mark on reverse, 1818 wrapper to London with “MILNTHORPE/254” mileage mark, showing number in complete frame (Ex Willcocks), 1826 entire to London with “MILNTHORPE/254” mileage mark, 1830 wrapper to London with horse shoe (mileage removed) “MILNTHORP” mark (missing “E”), 1832 entire to Settle with framed “Milnthorpe/Penny Post” and “No. 1” (Cartmel) receiving house marks, 1850 1d. envelope to Appleby with “MILNTHORPE/2” skeleton datestamp on reverse, 1851 envelope to Kendal franked 1d. tied by blue “530” barred numeral of Milnthorpe, etc. (28) Photo on page 46. **£200-£250**
- 265** ☒ **Shap:** Selection incl. 1851 entire to Orton from Leeds franked 1d. pair with Shap double arc undated cancellation in blue on reverse, 1864 envelope to Orton from Penrith with “SHAP” (in a straight line) c.d.s. (code “B”) on reverse, etc. (12) Photo on page 46. **£100-£120**
- 266** ☒ **Windermere:** Selection incl. 1856 envelope to Boston with Windermere c.d.s. in green on reverse, 1865 envelope to London franked 1d. tied by Windermere duplex and redirected within London with framed “REDIRECTED/POSTAGE-UNPAID”, 1881 underpaid envelope to Belford with framed “More to Pay/above ‘1’ oz/976” mark, etc. (20) Photo on page 46. **£120-£140**
- 267** ☒ Village collection in four binders in a carton incl. 1853 entire to Liverpool with “CARK-IN-CARTMEL” double arc undated mark, 1909 envelope to Silecroft with official printed explanatory label (damage by apparatus) affixed and with Carnforth c.d.s., 1850 envelope with Grange undated double arc mark and Milnthorpe skeleton datestamp, 1877 (Oct. 24) envelope to Melbourne franked 8d. tied by barred oval “F09” (Holmbrook), 1847 wrapper to Kirkby Lonsdale with Kirkby Stephen undated double arc mark, 1843 entire franked 1d. with “Lindal/Penny Post” mark, 1856 envelope to Chertsey with “LEVENS” double arc undated mark, 1836 wrapper to Ulverston with unframed “No. 5” (Newby Bridge) receiving house mark, 1860 envelope to Kirkby Lonsdale with undated thimble “ORTON” and “SHAP” marks on reverse, 1845 1d. envelope to Isle of Man with “PennyBridge/Penny Post” mark in blue, 1843 entire to Kirkby Lonsdale with “STEVELY” double arc undated mark, 1912 1d. lettercard to Workington with rubber Ulpha/Broughton-in-Furness S.O/Lancashire c.d.s., 1855 envelope to Hawkshead with “WINSTER” double arc undated mark, 1857 envelope to Kirkby Lonsdale with “WITHSLACK” double arc undated mark, etc. (few 100s) **£400-£500**

Postal History and Covers – Wiltshire

- 268** ☒ Collection in three binders and loose in a carton incl. 1914 postcards with Calne skeleton datestamps, 1840 entire to Stockbridge with Pewsey c.d.s. and “No. 2” (Collingbourne) receiving house mark, 1825 entire to London with “HIGHWORTH/96” mileage mark and London crown inspector’s mark, 1911-18 postcard selection with Leigh Hill/Marlborough rubber c.d.s. 1857 envelope to Wellington with “KNOYLE” undated cancellation, 1871, 1825 entire to Sherborne with “MERE/111” mileage marks, 1912, 1913 postcards with rubber “POULSHOT/DEVIZES” datestamps in violet or black, 1831 entire to Andover with “RAMSBURY” mark and London inspector’s star, 1799 entire to Plymouth with “TROWBRIDGE” mark, 1801 entires to Tiverton or London with “TROWBRIDGE/104” mileage marks on reverse, 1829, 1830 wrappers to Guernsey or London with same mark with mileage segment erased, 1908 postcard with Trowbridge skeleton c.d.s. 1795 (ca.) wrapper “By London/to be Delivered/Immediately” to Salisbury with “WARMIN/STER” mark, 1833 entire to Croydon with “WARMINSTER” horseshoe mark, 1915-16 postcards with Warminster skeleton datestamps, 1825 (ca.) wrappers to Highworth with double arc “WROUGHTON” marks, (approx. 350 covers and 600 pieces) **£1,200-£1,400**



Postal History and Covers – Worcestershire

- 269 ☒ 1847-52 envelopes franked 1d. from London or Bristol to “Middle Hall” deleted and readdressed “Broadway” or to Launceston and each with framed “MISSSENT/TO/WORCESTER” in black, blue, red or green. (4) Photo. £380-£420

Postal History and Covers - Yorkshire

- 270 ☒ 1841 (June 17) front and part reverse to Bradford franked 1d. plate 8 red tied by Leeds distinctive Maltese Cross with Bradford c.d.s. alongside, framed “Pudsey/Penny Post” at lower left and Leeds c.d.s. on reverse, unusual. S.G. Spec. A2ud, cat. £3,000 (for a full cover). Photo. £250-£280
- 271 ☒ 1841 (Nov. 2) wrapper to London franked 1d. plate 2, NL, four margins and with Leeds distinctive Maltese Cross cancellation, reverse with Leeds and London datestamps S.G. Spec. A2ud, cat. £3,000 also 1841 (Sept. 16) Mulready front to Leeds with Maltese Cross, “Hollingsgreen/Penny Post” and Leeds c.d.s. (2) Photo. £550-£600
- 272 ☒ 1863 (Sept. 2) envelope to Knaresborough sent unpaid with Doncaster c.d.s. and large bold “2” charge mark, scarce late use. Photo. £100-£120

Postal History and Covers by Subject

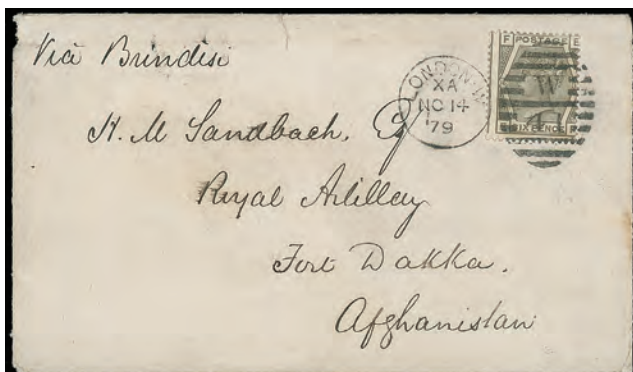
- 273 ☒ **Crimean War:** 1855 and 1856 covers from England to Crimea endorsed “Via Marseilles”, bearing 1d. and 2d. stamps paying the special rate of 3d. on mail to the Crimea carried by French Mediterranean packets. (2 items) £100-£120
- 274 ☒ - 1856 (Apr. 26) envelope “From the Army in the Crimea/Via Marseilles” to England franked strip of three 1d. (one with defects) cancelled and tied in transit by London “16” barred numerals and reverse with “POST OFFICE/BRITISH ARMY” in greenish blue, London and Brigg datestamps. Message on reverse of rear flap “Some of the Army will immediately embark. I go on leave of absence without loss of time say in 7 days from first date 26th”. Photo. £100-£120
- 275 ☒ **Official Mail:** 1829-34 wrappers or fronts to London, Glasgow or Edinburgh with Crown Free datestamp, one with a Sunday datestamp also 1840 (May 25) refolded printed matter to Wymondham headed “TITHE COMMISSIONERS FOR ENGLAND AND WALES”. (5 items) £100-£120
- 276 ☒ - 1852 stampless envelope to his wife, Lady Napier in London endorsed (Francis) “Napier” (1819-98) with receiving note as sent from Saint Petersburg on Aug. 13 where Napier was serving as the Secretary of Legation and presumably entering England in diplomatic bag, with “2” (d) unpaid rate to pay marks. Also undated front to Francis Baring at the Treasury endorsed by (Lord) Palmerston (1784-1865). (2 items) £80-£100



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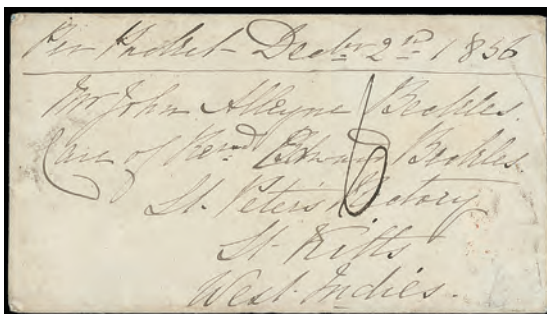
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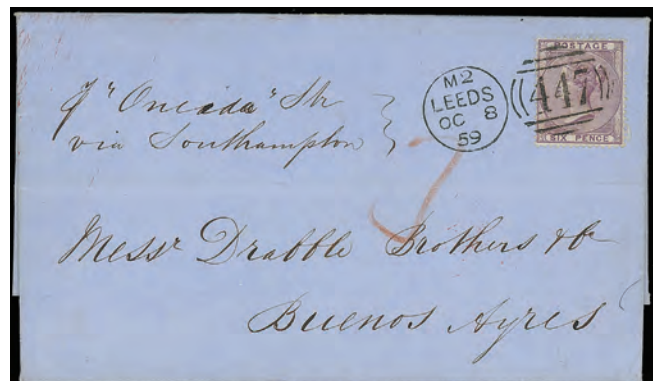
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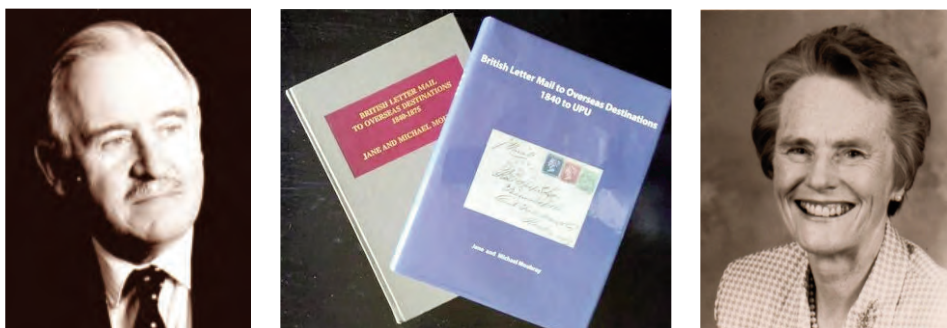


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The Jane & Michael Moubray Collection of Overseas Mail 1840 to UPU



The seminal work *British Letter Mail to Overseas Destinations 1840 to UPU* by Jane Moubray RDP Hon FRPSL FRPSC & Michael Moubray DL Hon FRPSL was first published in 1992 and was a winner of the prestigious Crawford Medal.

The idea for the study was first suggested by the late F.M. Johnson in 1974 and the resulting collection covers mails going from Great Britain to India, Australia, the Far East and Africa as well as Transatlantic Mail, reflecting the development of mail routes and rates during years of unprecedented expansion by land and sea.

The covers here presented demonstrate rates, routes and regulations concerned with the dispatch of British letters to overseas destinations from 1840 when Rowland Hill's new scheme for cheap postage became a reality until after the adoption of the Universal Postal Union Treaty. They provide insight into the conventions, shipping contracts and arrangements negotiated between the many different administrations and illustrate some of the complications and difficulties with which the postal staff and shipping companies had to contend before simplification took place.

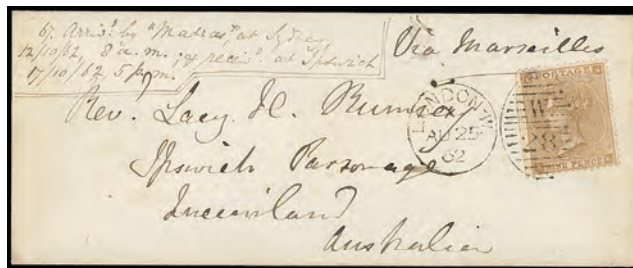
- 277 ☒ **Aden:** 1876 (Apr. 6) envelope "*via Brindisi*" to "*H.M.S Flying Fish*" franked 1s. plate 12 pair tied by Weston-super-Mare duplexes also 1871 (May 16) envelope to Suez franked 6d. and tied by London duplex and an 1885 1d. pink envelope to Suakin uprated 1½d. lilac tied by London W duplexes. (3) Photo. **£150-£170**
- 278 ☒ **Afghanistan:** 1879 (Sept. 23) envelope "*Via Southampton*" to the Hazara Mountain Battery at the Khyber Pass franked 4d. plate 16 tied by Malvern duplex and 1879 (Nov. 14) envelope "*Via Brindisi*" to the Royal Artillery at Fort Dakka franked 6d. plate 16 tied by London W duplex, mainly fine pair sent during the second Afghan War. Photo. **£180-£200**
- 279 ☒ **Antigua:** 1879 (May 1) envelope to Antigua franked 1s. tied by Oxford duplex with Antigua arrival c.d.s. on reverse also an 1856 (Dec. 2) envelope to St. Kitts rated '6'(d) with Cullompton and London datestamps on reverse. Photo. **£140-£160**
- 280 ☒ **Argentina:** Selection incl. 1859 (Oct. 8) entire "*per Oneida/via Southampton*" to Buenos Aires franked 6d. tied by Leeds duplex, 1862 (May 8) entire to Rosario franked 1s. tied by Liverpool duplex, 1866 (Mar. 23) and 1867 (Mar. 8) cash paid rated '8'(d) or '1/-' entires to Buenos Aires sent via Calais or Southampton from Lombard Street and an 1881 wrapper to Buenos Aires franked 4d. plate 17 tied by London EC duplex. (5) Photo. **£220-£250**
- 281 ☒ - 1865 (Dec. 23) entire "*per French Packet*" to Buenos Aires franked 4d. pair tied by London EC duplexes with Calais transit and oval "PP" mark in red and 1871 (Aug. 22) wrapper to Buenos Aires franked 1s. also tied by a London EC duplex and with Calais transit c.d.s. below. (2) Photo. **£120-£150**
- 282 ☒ **Ascension:** 1869 (Nov. 22) envelope (a few defects) franked 6d. plate 6 tied by Dublin duplex, reverse with London segmented and part Cape Packet Devonport datestamps and 1874 (Sept. 14) to H.M.S. *Basilisk* franked 1s. plate 9, top marginal with imprint and tied by Devonport duplex, mainly fine. (2) Photo. **£200-£220**



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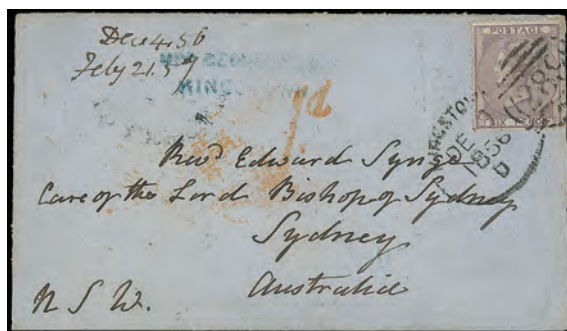
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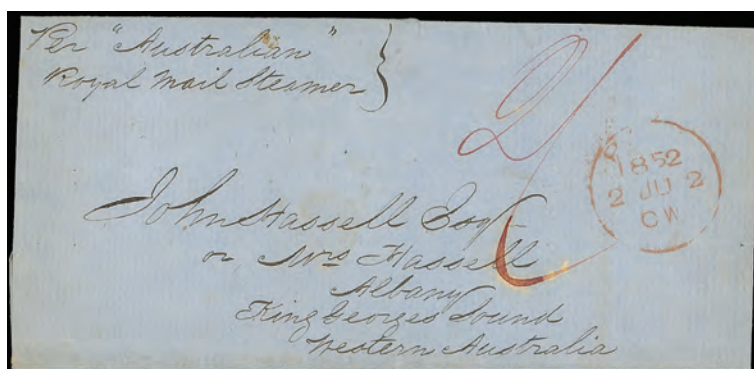
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Australian States – New South Wales

- 283 ☒ Selection with 1843 (Sept. 25) entire “*via Sydney*” to East Maitland rated ‘8’(d) and with London and Sydney datestamps and charged a further ‘7’(d) on arrival, 1854 entire “*pr Mail Steamer Bosphorus*” to Sydney prepaid ‘1/-’ and ‘3’(d) inwards charge mark and an 1855 (Jan. 3) entire “*per Lightning*” to Sydney prepaid ‘6’(d) with “*1d*” credit mark. (3) **£100-£120**
- 284 ☒ 1844 (June 25) entire to Bathurst with Brechin, Edinburgh and London datestamps endorsed “*Packet*” and rated ‘1/-’ (twice, the second as inwards charged incl. a 9d. inland rate from Sydney). Carried on the *Dublin* via the short-lived Toulmin Bros. packet service, scarce. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 285 ☒ 1856 (Sept. 29) envelope to Sydney franked 6d. embossed with Irish numeral cancellation, “*1d*” credit mark alongside and carried on the *Donald McKay*. Reverse with Lurgan, Dublin, London and Sydney datestamps, mainly fine. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 286 ☒ 1856 (Dec. 9) envelope to Sydney franked 6d. tied by Kingstown spoon duplex with “*1d*” credit mark and London and Sydney datestamps on reverse and 1872 (July 31) envelope “*via Southampton*” to Sydney franked 6d. tied by London SW duplex also 1857 receipt for a registered article to Port Jackson with Birmingham c.d.s. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 287 ☒ 1869 (Jan. 27) envelope “*via Marseilles*” to Sydney franked 1d. and 9d. tied by Coleraine duplexes and redirected to Melbourne then Colac (Victoria) and two oval “6D/MORE TO PAY” marks applied, the latter with amount in manuscript. Reverse with Bushmills, London, Sydney and Melbourne datestamps, uncommon multi-redirected mail. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 288 ☒ **Queensland:** 1863 (Aug. 25) envelope “*via Marseilles*” to Ipswich franked 9d. tied by London W duplex and with Brisbane and Ipswich c.d.s.’s on reverse, also 1857 (May 14) envelope to Port Adelaide franked 6d. tied by Plymouth duplex carried on the *Emeu* (from Liverpool) and with “*1*”(d) credit mark and London, Adelaide and Port Adelaide datestamps. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 289 ☒ **Tasmania:** 1867 (Sept. 25) mourning envelope (rear flap defective) “*By Marseilles*” to Hobart with scarce 10d. pair franking tied by a Dorchester duplex with Hobart framed Ship Letter Free datestamp. Reverse with Upway and London c.d.s. also 1874 (Aug. 23) 1d. pink envelope to Launceston uprated 1d. pair and 6d. tied by Abergele duplexes. Photo. **£180-£200**

Australian States – Victoria

- 290 ☒ 1854 (Jan. 6) entire “*p Overland Mail*” and “*via Southampton*” to Melbourne, sent unpaid and with “RETURNED /FOR ‘1/-’/POSTAGE” mark applied and resent with ‘2/3’(d) prepaid and “*Southampton*” deleted and endorsed “*via Marseilles*” below for the double rate and with two Birkenhead and Ship Letter London datestamps. Reverse with two London and Ship Letter Victoria datestamps, very unusual. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 291 ☒ 1855 (Aug. 4) entire (light file folds) “*p James Baines via Liverpool*” to Melbourne franked 1s. embossed, four margins, scarce and tied by Liverpool spoon duplex. Reverse with a Liverpool and Ship Letter/Free/Victoria datestamps. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 292 ☒ 1856 (Sept. 4) envelope to Melbourne franked 6d. embossed (margins vary) with London numeral cancellation and “*1d*” credit mark, reverse with Enfield receiving office and London and Ship Letter Victoria datestamps. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 293 ☒ Selection with 1859 (Aug. 17) envelope “*via Marseilles*” to Melbourne franked 1d. strip of three and 6d. tied by London N duplexes, 1866 (Oct. 30) envelope “*via Panama*” to Melbourne franked 6d. tied by “732” barred numeral and “5” accountancy mark and Teignmouth, London and Melbourne datestamps and 1878 (Dec. 4) envelope “*Via San Francisco*” franked 1d. (6 incl. a strip of three and pair) tied by Brixton SW duplexes and redirected to Geelong. (3) **£120-£150**
- 294 ☒ 1873 (Nov. 11) envelope (flap defective) to Melbourne franked 9d. (2, one wing margin) tied by Queenstown duplex and London and Melbourne datestamps on reverse and 1874 (Mar. 19) envelope (tears at top) “*via Brindisi*” to Warnambool franked 9d. tied by London SW duplex. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 295 ☒ 1879 (Apr. 12) envelope “*via Brindisi*” to East Melbourne franked 8d. tied by London NW duplex and redirected to Bacchus Marsh and reverse with Melbourne and Bacchus Marsh datestamps. Photo on page 54. **£80-£100**



- 296 ☒ **Australian States: Western Australia:** 1852 (June 2) wrapper "*per Australian/Royal Mail Steamer*" to Albany rated '2/-' for the double rate and with a London Paid c.d.s. alongside, very scarce destination also 1852 share certificate from the Australian Royal Mail Steam Navigation Company. Photo. **£180-£200**
- 297 ☒ - 1881 (May 6) envelope to Perth franked 1d. Venetian and 5d. indigo, scarce and tied by London W duplex and reverse with a Perth G.P.O duplex, very scarce destination. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 298 ☒ **Austria:** Selection with 1866 (Aug. 14) envelope to Vienna franked 6d. tied by indistinct London numeral, overweight for the default French route but unable to be diverted via Ostend due to the Seven Weeks War and so marked "INSUFFICIENTLY/PREPAID" and rated '8'(d) due i.e. deficiency and a 2d. fine, also 1844 (Oct. 4) wrapper to Trento rated '1/5'(d), 1857 (Dec. 22) wrapper to Vienna sent unpaid and charged '2'1' kreuzer and an 1871 wrapper to Vienna franked 3d. tied by a Glasgow duplex. (4) Photo. **£140-£160**
- 299 ☒ **Azores:** 1869 (Aug. 6) and 1870 (Aug. 19) envelopes to Saint Michaels franked 6d. pair or singles and tied by Barnard Castle or London SE duplexes and with circular or oval "PD" marks and oval "FRANCA" marks, fine. Photo. **£220-£250**
- 300 ☒ **Belgium:** Selection incl. 1841 (Oct. 26) entire to Brussels rated '1/4'(d) with Guernsey, "SOUTHAMPTON/SHIP LETTER", London, Calais, Dunkirk and Brussels marks and rated '13' decimes, 1858 (Dec. 13) entire "*via Ostend*" to Antwerp franked 4d. tied by Liverpool duplex, 1866 (No. 9) entire to Brussels franked 3d. tied by London W duplex, etc. (6) Photo. **£100-£120**
- 301 ☒ **Bermuda:** 1845 (July 16) envelope (with enclosure) "*By Halifax Mail*" to Bermuda rated '1/-' and with "St James St" and London and Liverpool datestamps and 1857 (Apr. 24) envelope "*per Steamer via Halifax*" to Hamilton rated '6'(d) with Lombard Street and Liverpool datestamps and "1d" credit mark in red. (2) Photo. **£120-£150**
- 302 ☒ **Bolivia:** 1861 (Apr. 1) entire to Cobija franked 1s. wing margin pair tied by London numerals with Panama transit c.d.s. and a London datestamp on reverse, scarce destination. Photo. **£150-£170**
- 303 ☒ **Brazil:** 1865 (Mar. 23) wrapper "*via Bordeaux*" to Rio Grande do Sul franked 9d. tied by Glasgow duplex with oval "PD" mark and Calais transit mark. Reverse with a London and arrival c.d.s. and 1871 (June 8) wrapper "*p La Plata Str/Via Southampton*" to Rio de Janeiro franked 1s. tied by Leeds duplex with London and Rio c.d.s. on reverse. (2) Photo. **£150-£200**
- 304 ☒ **British Guiana:** 1860 (May 15) and (Nov. 29) envelopes to Georgetown franked 6d. (both wing margins) and tied by Newbury or Glasgow duplexes and with London and Demerara datestamps on reverse, the former with "1d" credit mark to British Guiana. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 305 ☒ **British Honduras:** 1866 (Jan. 27) reduced wrapper "*pr Darien via Liverpool*" to Belize franked 1s. plate 4 tied by "498" oval numeral with double ring Manchester Paid c.d.s. and "1d" credit mark in red. Reverse with London, Liverpool and Belize datestamp, scarce destination. Photo. **£120-£150**



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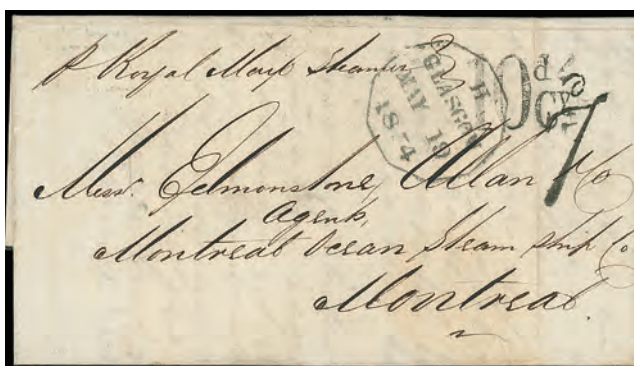
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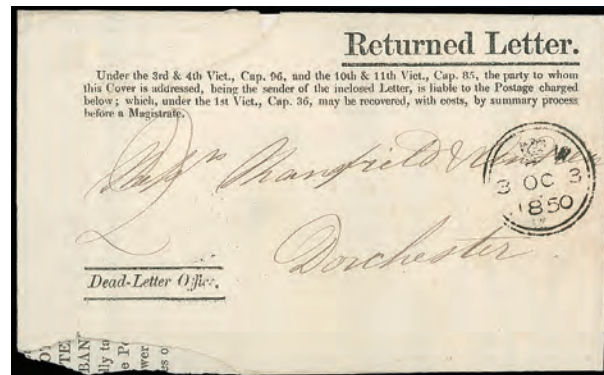
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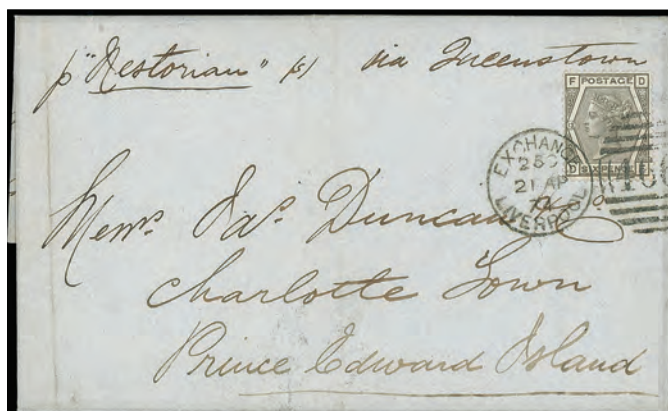
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- 307 ☒ - 1863 (Sept. 16) envelope to New Westminster franked 1862 6d. and 9d. (a few imperfections) tied by "621" numeral cancellations and with Plympton and London c.d.s. on reverse, scarce franking necessarily overpaying the 1s.2½d. rate. Ex Wheat. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 308 ☒ **Newfoundland:** 1861 (Apr. 9) envelope "*via Galway*" to St. John's franked 6d. wing margin and tied by fine London SE duplex with "TOO-LATE/G.P.O." and arrival c.d.s. on reverse, also 1863 (Sept. 23) envelope "*p Columbia via Galway*" to St. John's franked 1862 1s. tied by a London numeral and with Lombard Street Registered letter, crown registered and London oval registered datestamp, all in red, the latter very rare with only one other example of registered mail to Newfoundland in the pre-G.P.U. period recorded by us. (2) Photo. **£300-£350**
- 309 ☒ Pre-1848 G.B.-U.S. Convention selection incl. 1840 (Sept. 17), 1842 (Nov. 19) and 1844 (May 19) entires to Montreal rated '1/-' and with Aberdeen or Liverpool datestamps and charged '2½'(d), '3½'(d) or '1/6'(d) (during the currency surcharge period 17.5.1842 - 27.12.1843) also 1845 (Dec. 20) printed letter to Coldwater sent free from London and with Liverpool and Coldwater datestamps, fine. (4) **£100-£120**
- 310 ☒ Stampless selection incl. 1842 (May 27) entire to Pakenham with Kirkcaldy and Edinburgh datestamps and rated '½'(d), 1855 (June 1) entire "*p Str Atlantic*" to Montreal sent unpaid and rated '2/8'(d) for the double unpaid rate via U.S. and 1854-57 entires to Montreal or Toronto from Glasgow or Birmingham with three different types of Canadian 10d. due marks and two with "7d" credit to G.B. marks applied at Liverpool, mainly fine. (5) Photo. **£150-£200**



- 311 ☒ 1850 (Apr. 4) entire to Simcoe with Dorchester, London, Liverpool and Simcoe datestamps, rated '1/-' and with "2½d. Currency" charge to collect, endorsed "Not Called for" and with crown framed "The Party to whom this Letter/is Addressed has not called for it/LONDON" instructional mark and with matched 1850 (Oct. 3) printed "Returned Letter." from the Dead Letter Office (defects) used as a cover to return the entire and very scarce with matched covers seldom seen, particularly on mail addressed abroad. Photo. **£300-£350**
- 312 ☒ 1852 (Mar. 31) Valentine Ocean Penny Post (State 3) envelope (rear flap faults) to Peterborough, rated '2/4'(d) for the double rated '4'(d) credit to G.B. with framed Aberdeen Paid datestamp and two Liverpool datestamps on reverse. Carried on the *America* from Liverpool to Boston, very rare use of a Ocean Postage envelope abroad, very fine. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 313 ☒ 1852 (Aug. 13) and (Sept. 13) single and double weight entires to Kingston franked 2d. pair, slightly cut into at right and 10d. embossed or 2d. (2, one with margins just touched at upper right) and 1s. embossed (2, cut square, margins vary) and all tied by "131" numeral cancellations and with "2" or manuscript '4' credit marks to Canada. Edinburgh and Liverpool datestamps on reverse. (2) Photo. **£300-£350**
- 314 ☒ 1858 (May 26) large envelope (refolded) to Montreal franked 4d. pairs (2, vertical and horizontal, unusual) tied by Leamington sideways duplexes for the double 8d. rate. Reverse with Liverpool and Montreal datestamps, attractive. Photo. **£140-£160**



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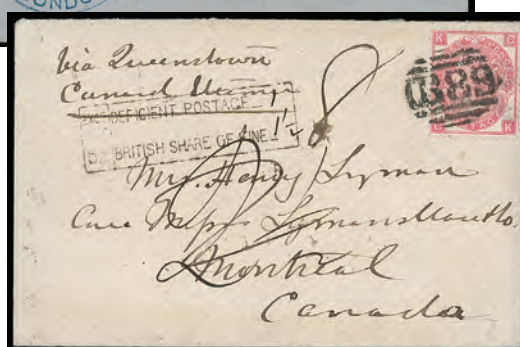
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- 315 ☒ Allan Line sailings with 1858 (June 15) envelope to Thorold franked 4d. pair tied by Dublin duplexes and carried on the *Anglo Saxon* and 1863 (Apr. 17) entire “*p Canadian Packet*” to Kingston franked 1862 6d. wing margin tied by Edinburgh duplex and carried on the *Norwegian*, very fine. (2) Photo. **£160-£180**
- 316 ☒ Selection with 1862 (June 12) entire to Kingston franked 6d. and 1864 (Nov. 5) entire to Montreal franked 2d. and 6d. both tied by Liverpool duplexes, 1871 (Apr. 24) envelope to Petrolea franked 3d. tied by Newcastle-on-Tyne duplex, 1873 (Oct. 13) envelope to Ottawa franked 1d. strip of three tied by Edinburgh duplexes and 1874 (Apr. 21) entire to Prince Edward Island franked 6d. plate 13 tied by Exchange Liverpool duplex, fine. (5) Photo. **£140-£160**



- 317 ☒ 1862 (Dec. 12) wrapper to St. Catherine's franked 6d. (2) tied by London numerals and with framed “LOMBARD STREET/REGISTERED LETTER”, Crown registered mark and oval registered London datestamp. Three Canadian datestamps on reverse, scarce. Photo. **£150-£170**
- 318 ☒ 1863 (May 22) 1d. pink envelope to Quebec with Irish “463” numeral, significantly underpaid and rated 29½ cents payable, rounded up to 30c. with “30” mark in black and manuscript ‘10’(d) credit to G.B. Reverse with Tuam and Quebec datestamps and 1864 (June 22) envelope to London franked 6d. with “845” numeral and “UNPAID 5” and “2d” marks, sent at the via U.S. rate as the first vessel available and only charged the deficiency. Photo. **£130-£150**
- 319 ☒ 1868 (Oct. 17) wrapper to St. Catherine's and 1868 (Oct. 3) reduced wrapper “*Per Scotia via New York*” to St. John's franked 1d. and 2d. (3) or 2d. or 1s. and tied by Liverpool or London duplexes for the single and double 7d. rate via U.S., fine. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 320 ☒ 1868 (Dec. 18) 1d. embossed envelope (with letter) to Toronto uprated 2d. and 9d. tied by London SW with “INSUFFICIENTLY/PAID” mark below in black, correctly paid but transmitted via the faster route and therefore 2d. underpaid and charged a total of ‘5’(c), unusual use of the 1d. envelope, attractive. Ex Wellburn. Photo. **£140-£160**
- 321 ☒ 1869 (Jan. 30) entire to St. Catherine's franked 1d. tied by London duplex with framed “EXCS/DEFICIENT POSTAGE ‘6/OZ./BRITISH SHARE OF FINE ‘3” and charged a total of “25” (cents) and 1869 (Dec. 3) envelope to Ottawa franked 6d. tied by London WC duplex with “INSUFFICIENTLY/PREPAID”, “1d” credit mark and “3”(c) charge mark and an Ottawa c.d.s. on reverse, fine pair. (2) Photo. **£140-£160**
- 322 ☒ 1870 (May 21) envelope “*via Queenstown*” to Montreal franked 3d. with framed “EXCS/DEFICIENT POSTAGE ‘1/OZS/BRITISH SHARE OF FINE ‘1½” and charged a total of ‘8’ cents, reverse with Shanklin (I.O.W.) c.d.s. and 1872 (Nov. 22) envelope to London (Ontario) franked 1d. and 3d. tied by Staines duplexes with “DEFICIENT POSTAGE/HALF-FINE)” mark and charged ‘14’ cents, very fine pair. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 323 ☒ 1872 (Sept. 4) and 1874 (Mar. 29) envelopes to London (Ontario) franked 1d. (3 or 4 each) and tied by Taunton or Torquay duplexes and both with “INSUFFICIENTLY/STAMPED” marks in red and ‘4½’(d) or ‘3½’(d) credits to G.B. or “10” charge rates or marks also an 1877 cover to the same addressee franked ½d. and 1d. pair with framed “INSUFFICIENTLY/PREPAID” mark and charged ‘15’(c). (3) Photo. **£100-£120**
- 324 ☒ **Ceylon:** Stampless group with 1841 (Feb. 16) and 1850 (Mar. 16) entires to Colombo from London or Guernsey rated ‘1/-’ and endorsed “*Via Falmouth*” or “*Via Southampton*” and 1840 (Dec. 3) and 1849 (Dec. 21) entires “*via Marseilles*” to Colombo from London or Guernsey rated ‘2/8’(d) or ‘2/3’(d), fine. (4) Photo. **£200-£220**



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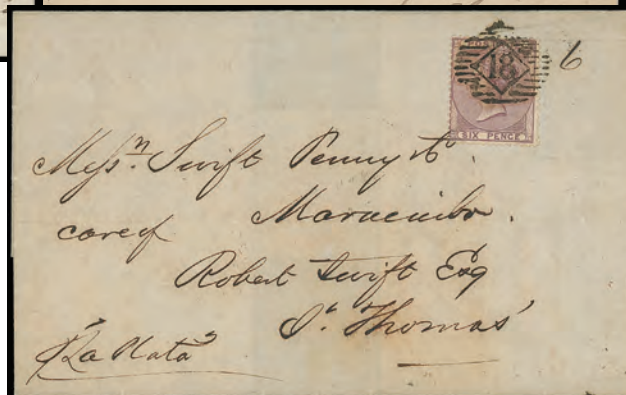
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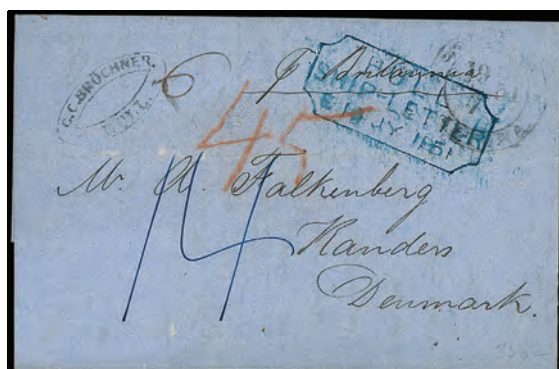
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- 325 ☒ **Chile:** 1866 (May 1) entire "*via Southampton*" to Valparaiso franked 6d. pair plate 5 and 1s. plate 4 tied by Liverpool duplexes with Panama transit c.d.s.'s at lower left, London c.d.s. on reverse, unusual franking. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 326 ☒ **China:** 1858 (July 24) wrapper "*via Marseilles*" to Shanghai franked 1d. and 4d. (2) tied by London EC duplexes and 1860 (Sept. 3) entire (small hole in address panel) to Shanghai franked 6d. tied by London EC duplex and with "*1d*" credit mark and both with Hong Kong transit c.d.s. on reverse. (2) Photo. **£200-£250**
- 327 ☒ - 1873 (Aug. 8) and (Oct. 24) envelopes to the same addressee in Shanghai and each franked 3d. and 1s. and tied by London WC or EC duplexes and headed "*via Brindisi*" or "*Per French Mail*", mostly fine and unusually showing two routes at the same rate. (2) Photo. **£220-£250**
- 328 ☒ - 1879 (Dec. 5) envelope "*via Brindisi*" to Shanghai franked 2d. and 4d. plate 16 tied by London WC duplexes with Hong Kong transit c.d.s. on reverse, scarce rate in place for nine months and 1880 (Apr. 2) envelope to Shanghai franked 2½d. ultramarine pair tied by London EC duplexes. (2) Photo. **£120-£140**
- 329 ☒ **Colombia:** Selection with 1842 (July 1) wrapper to Catagena rated '2/3'(d) and with London Foreign Branch and paid datestamp, 1870 (Dec. 31) wrapper "*via Southampton/per Elbe*" to Bogota franked 1s. pair plate 4 tied by Manchester numerals with Manchester c.d.s. and oval "SANTA MARTA./DEBE." and "20" centavos incoming charge and 1878 (Oct. 5) entire "*per French Packet/Via St Nazaire*" to Bogota franked 6d. plate 16 pair tied by Manchester duplexes and with '10' centavos incoming charge, fine. (3) Photo. **£250-£280**
- 330 ☒ **Crimean War:** 1855 (July 15) envelope to the 4th Light Dragoons franked 1d. strip of three tied by "567" numerals with Newton Abbott and London datestamps on reverse and representing the French portion of the *via Marseilles* rate as applied to mail to the British Army in this conflict, mainly fine. Addressed to Captain Portal, a survivor of the charge of the Light Brigade. Photo. **£100-£120**



- 331 ☒ **Curaçao:** 1875 (Nov. 20) wrapper "*per Chilina*" to Curaçao franked 2s. blue (wing margin) tied by Liverpool duplex and with arrival c.d.s. at left, mainly fine. R.P.S. certificate (1989). Photo. **£150-£180**
- 332 ☒ **Danish West Indies:** 1860 (May 16) wrapper endorsed to St. Thomas franked 6d. tied by London numeral and with London and St. Thomas datestamps on reverse and 1868 (Feb. 20) envelope (with enclosure) franked 1s. plate 4 (wing margin) tied by Hereford duplex and endorsed "*Unclaimed*" at top and London and St. Thomas datestamps on reverse, mainly fine. (2) Photo. **£150-£180**

Denmark

- 333 ☒ Stampless selection incl. 1851 (July 16) unpaid wrapper to Randers from Hull sent via Altona and charged a total of '45' skillings, 1852 (Mar. 8) printed matter prepaid 1d. and charged a further '4' skillings with Newcastle-on-Tyne and Danish P.O. in Hamburg datestamps on reverse, 1854 (Aug. 17) and 1855 (Mar. 2) unpaid wrappers to Elsinore or Randers with "3½/GROSCHEN" credit marks to G.B. applied in Aachen and charged '39' or '40' skillings, etc. (6) Photo. **£180-£200**
- 334 ☒ 1853 (Oct. 3) mourning envelope "*via Hamburg*" to Nakskov franked 10d. Embossed with Scottish numeral cancellation and Altona transit c.d.s. alongside. Reverse with Dalry and Paisley datestamps, both yellow-orange, and London transit c.d.s., very scarce. Photo. **£150-£200**



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- 335** ☒ 1856 (Oct. 20) entire to Elsinore rated '1/7½'(d) (10½d. plus 9d. registration) with Hull c.d.s. oval London applied registration datestamps and Crown Registered marks, reverse with Hamburg and Danish P.O. in Hamburg datestamps and 1863 (Aug. 30) wrapper to Helsingør franked 3d. and 1s. tied by "409" numerals with Jersey c.d.s., unusual, and London registered datestamps and crown registered marks. Reverse with Danish P.O. in Hamburg and Helsingør datestamps. (2) Photo. **£180-£200**
- 336** ☒ 1871 (Aug. 4) entire to Copenhagen franked 4d. tied by Manchester duplex with circular "PD" mark with London and Copenhagen datestamps on reverse and 1872 (July 29) envelope to Odense franked ½d. pair tied by North Shields duplex and with "INSUFFICIENTLY/PREPAID" mark and charged a total of '18' skillings. (2) Photo. **£80-£100**
- 337** ☒ G.P.U. rates with 1876 wrapper to Copenhagen franked ½d., 1d. and 2½d. pair with Newcastle and London registration datestamps, 1880 entire to Copenhagen franked 2½d. tied by Glasgow duplex and 1881 1d. envelope to Odense uprated 1d. and 2½d. with Hull and London registration datestamps. (3) Photo. **£100-£120**
- 338** ☒ **El Salvador:** 1870 (July 16) entire "via Panama" to Santa Ana franked 6d. and 1s. tied by London EC duplexes and 1880 (Dec. 16) entire "per Don S from Southampton" to Santa Ana franked 4d. plate 15 tied by Dundee duplex, uncommon pair. Photo. **£150-£170**
- 339** ☒ **Fernando Po:** 1844 (May 30) entire (Clarke correspondence, typed transcript included) with Berwick, London Paid and London Ship letter datestamps, rated '8'(d) and written by the addressee's father-in-law. Carried on the *Dove* which arrived the following March, scarce. Referenced by Sacher and Ince in "Postal Services of British Nigeria" (1992), page 15. Photo. **£150-£200**



- 340** ☒ **Fiji:** 1873 (Feb. 4) envelope (reverse and top torn and lightly toned) "via San Francisco & Auckland" to Levuka franked 6d. pale buff plate 11 tied by Cork duplex with San Francisco and Levuka arrival c.d.s., rare destination with Irish use. Photo. **£200-£220**
- 341** ☒ **Finland:** Selection with 1860 (Aug. 4) entire to Jacobstad with Hull, London and Aachen datestamps, and with oval "P" and "7½d" accountancy mark, 1864 (Apr. 14) wrapper to Karis Svarta franked 1862 4d. ad 6d. tied by Hull duplexes with red "PD" mark Aachen transit and framed Finnish arrival datestamp below and a St. Petersburg transit c.d.s. on reverse, and 1872 (June 4) entire to Bjorneborg franked 3d. pair tied by Bradford, Yorks duplexes with "PD" and "FRANCO" marks in red, fine. (3) Photo. **£200-£220**

France

- 342** ☒ Stampless selection with 1838 entire to Bordeaux rated "1/6"(d) with Paid at Bristol and London datestamp, 1839 entire to Boulogne rated '1/8'(d) and with circular "G.P/PAID" and oval "P-D" marks and 1851 (June 28) entire to Paris rated '2/1'(d) for the scarce treble rate. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 343** ☒ 1841 (May 20) and 1850 (Jan. 12) entires to Paris with Waterford "E" double arc datestamps with Dublin, London and Calais datestamps and rated '2/6'(d) or '10'(d) and with oval "P-D" marks. Photo. **£80-£100**
- 344** ☒ Channels Islands selection with 1845 (Oct. 7) wrapper to Rhénée rated '1/1'(d) and with Jersey double arc datestamp and oval "P-D" mark, 1848 (Oct. 2) entire "par Granville" to Valognes (redirected) with Guernsey and Granville c.d.s. and 1858 (Feb. 1) wrapper to St. Malo franked 4d. tied by "324" numeral with circular "PD" mark. (3) Photo. **£100-£120**



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- 345 ☒ 1848 (Oct. 12) wrapper (refolded, wax seal remnants) to Paris rated '3/10'(d) with London Paid, crown registered, Boulogne transit and oval "PD" marks, scarce. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 346 ☒ 1855 (Dec. 24) entire to Paris franked 4d. carmine on blue tied by London numeral, 1856 (May 5) and 1869 (May 14) entire or envelope to Le Havre or Millau franked 1d. strips of four tied by London or Manchester duplexes and both with "INSUFFICIENTLY/STAMPED" marks, 1862 (Mar. 25) and 1869 (Aug. 2) envelope or entire to Paris franked 4d. single or pair tied by London duplexes, mostly fine. (5) Photo. **£200-£220**
- 347 ☒ Boîte Mobile Cancellations, selection with 1860 (June 24) entire from Jersey to St. Brieuc franked 4d. tied by "3176" rhomboid numeral, 1867 (Oct. 22) entire from Jersey to St. Malo franked 4d. tied by "3734" rhomboid numeral, 1864 (Aug. 14) wrapper to Le Havre from Southampton franked 1d. strip of four tied by "1769" rhomboid numeral and 1872 (Jan. 8) reduced entire to Boulogne franked 3d. tied by "549" rhomboid numeral, mainly fine. (4) Photo. **£250-£300**
- 348 ☒ 1863 (Aug. 8) wrapper to Lille franked 1d. pair and 4d. tied by Leeds duplex for the ¼oz. rate and 2d. express train service (to London) fee, Calais c.d.s. and oval "PD" mark, uncommon, fine. Photo. **£80-£100**
- 349 ☒ Registered Mail, 1865 (Oct. 2) envelope to Paris franked 4d. pair (2, slightly overlapped) tied by "466" numerals and with Castle Street Liverpool c.d.s., oval Liverpool registered, London superimposed registration duplex, "CHARGE" and Calais c.d.s. also 1859 (May 31) entire to Marseilles prepaid '2/-' with Lombard Street, crown registered, "CHARGE" and "PD" marks. (2) Photo. **£160-£180**
- 350 ☒ 1867 (Sept. 17) entire to Bordeaux franked 1d. pair, 4d. (2) and 6d. tied by "107" numerals with oval "REGISTERED/BRADFORD.YORKS" and oval "REGISTERED/LONDON" datestamps with Calais transit c.d.s. circular "PD" and "CHARGE" marks, the reverse with Paris-Bordeaux T.P.O. and framed registered article segmented mark and ribbon affixed by two red wax seals also an official 1858 circular from Edinburgh G.P.O. concerning green tape on registered articles. Photo. **£250-£280**
- 351 ☒ Selection with 1870 (Nov. 18) entire London to Le Havre franked 2d., 3d., 1870 (Dec. 27) wrapper "via Southampton" to Le Havre franked 3d. with small "P-D", 1871 (Feb. 27) wrapper "via Newhaven" to Rouen franked 3d. intended for service to Dieppe which had finished a week prior, 1873 (Apr. 24) wrapper to Bordeaux franked 3d. and 1881 entire to Marseilles franked 2½d. with London geometric datestamp. (5) Photo. **£120-£140**

German States

- 352 ☒ **Bavaria:** Selection with 1848 (Aug. 17) wrapper "via Ostend" to Erlangen rated '1/10'(d), 1863 (Mar. 7) wrapper to Munich franked 1d. pair and 4d. tied by Dublin duplexes with London and Aachen transit marks and 1864 (July 4) envelope to Bad Kissengen franked 6d. tied by Farnborough duplex and with Calais transit also an 1848 (Nov. 10) entire to Saxony also rated '1/10'(d) under the G.B./Prussia 1846 Convention. (4) Photo. **£100-£120**
- 353 ☒ **Bremen and Oldenburg:** 1864 (June 22) Liverpool to Oldenburg, 1866 (Sept. 4) Hull to Bremen, each franked 6d., latter with "3d" accountancy marks, also 1870-71 covers to Germany franked 3d. with Aachen transits and 1874 and 1880 1d. or 2d. embossed envelopes to Germany uprated 1d. pair or ½d. (6) Photo. **£140-£160**



- 354 ☒ **Hanover:** 1849 (Feb. 27) printed "O.H.M.S." wrapper to Hanover with London Crown Paid c.d.s. and "ENGLAND/UBER BREMEN" transit mark and 1863 (Dec. 5) envelope to Hanover franked 1d. (4 incl. a strip of three) tied by York duplexes and with "INSUFFICIENTLY/STAMPED" mark in black and '3½' groschen accountancy mark in blue crayon, fine. Photo. **£200-£220**



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- 355 ☒ **Heligoland:** 1874 (May 11) entire (refolded and small faults) to Heligoland franked 3d. tied by Birmingham duplex with Cuxhaven c.d.s. on reverse, rare destination. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 356 ☒ **Prussia:** Selection with 1840 (Oct. 31) entire to Neuweid rated '1/8'(d) with "Engeland/over Rotterdam" transit mark on reverse, 1843 (May 17) entire "*pr Wilberforce via Antwerp*" to Cologne (Farina Correspondence) rated '8'(d) with '20' (Belgian centimes) and '7' sgr charge marks and 1851 (June 4) unpaid envelope to Berlin with London and Aachen datestamps and charged '10' sgr. (3) Photo. **£100-£120**
- 357 ☒ - 1857 (Nov. 4) wrapper "*via France*" to Rhenish Prussia franked 1s. tied by "545" cancellation and Aachen transit mark with London Paid and London Registered datestamps, (crown)/Registered, framed "Recommandirt", Calais and "CHARGE" marks (2), in black and red and unusual, the reverse with Newcastle-on-Tyne, French transit and German arrival datestamps, scarce and attractive. *Three examples of registered mail sent via France recorded by us.* Photo. **£200-£220**
- 358 ☒ - 1858 (Aug. 5) small mourning envelope to Aix-la-Chapelle (Aachen) franked 4d. pair tied by "232" numerals and an Aachen transit datestamp with oval "P." in red alongside. Reverse with Cuckfield, Lindfield and London datestamps, fine and attractive. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 359 ☒ - Selection with 1862 (Aug. 4) wrapper to Konigsburg franked 6d. tied by Hull c.d.s., 1863 (May 23) wrapper to Dusseldorf franked 1d. (6 incl. a strip of five) tied by Sheffield duplexes, 1865 (May 18) wrapper to Coblenz franked 6d. tied by Preston Brook duplex and with Calais transit c.d.s. and 1869 (Jan. 29) sent unpaid with Charing Cross WC c.d.s. and uncommon "7" (sgr) charge mark. (4) Photo. **£140-£160**
- 360 ☒ **Thurn and Taxis:** 1842 entire to Hamburg prepaid '6'(d) with London Paid and Ship Letter datestamps and a "MISSENT TO" mark applied alongside a Birmingham datestamp, 1845 (July 7) entire to Hamburg with "Exmouth St/1D PAID" mark applied in error and deleted and sent unpaid via Calais with London Paid datestamps similarly deleted and charged '15' Hamburg schillings and 1863, 1864 envelopes to Bad Schwalbach or Wiesbaden franked 6d. with Aachen transit marks in magenta or red, one with a local delivery charge mark. (4) Photo. **£150-£200**
- 361 ☒ **Gibraltar:** Selection with 1844 (Mar. 25) envelope "*by Southampton*" with Dublin and London Paid datestamps and rated '1/-', 1870 envelope "*per R.M.S/Via Southampton*" franked 6d. tied by Liverpool duplex with London c.d.s. and reverse and 1871 envelope "*via France & Spain*" franked 1d. pair and 6d. tied by Cheltenham duplexes with circular "S" (Spain), "PD" mark in red and Gibraltar arrival c.d.s. (3) Photo. **£130-£150**

Greece

- 362 ☒ 1848 (July 24) entire "*via Marseilles*" to Patras rated '1/8'(d) with London Paid datestamp and a further '10'(l) charge mark apparently an internal charge (with correspondence concerning the origin and purpose of this charge) also an 1867 (Mar. 20) entire "*via France & Trieste*" to Athens franked 4d. and 6d. tied by Liverpool duplexes. (2) Photo. **£100-£120**
- 363 ☒ Via Aachen selection with 1854 (June 10) unpaid entire to Athens from London with "3½/GROSCHEN" mark, rated '2l'kr by Austria and charged '160'(l), 1860 (May 3) entire to Athens pre-paid '½'(d) and franked 1d. for a late fee tied by a London numeral and with Lombard Street paid c.d.s. and 1869 (Apr. 24) entire to Patras franked 10d. tied by Liverpool duplex and sent via Aachen with the manuscript accountancy marks removed. (3) Photo. **£140-£160**



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- 364 ☒ 1867 (May 7) entire to Corfu franked 6d. plate 5 wing margin tied by Liverpool duplex with "INSUFFICIENTLY/ STAMPED" mark and barred "50" numeral struck over "PD" mark in red, part-payment not recognised and rated '90'(l) due with 10l. and 80l. Greek stamps affixed and tied by Corfu c.d.s., framed "PIROSCAFI/ POSTALI/ ITALIAIAMNI" maritime cancellation below. London and Corfu c.d.s. on reverse, uncommon. Photo.
£200-£220
- 365 ☒ 1869 (Jan. 19) wrapper "*Voie Italie*" to Athens franked 10d. tied by London duplex and with framed "L2" and oval "PD" marks in red. Reverse with Brindisi and Athens c.d.s., scarce solo franking. Photo.
£100-£120
- 366 ☒ 1872 (June 24) entire "*via Trieste*" to Syra sent unpaid from Manchester and taxed '115' lepta with 5l., 10l., 20l. and 80l. Greek stamps (overlapped) tied by Syra c.d.s. Reverse with Trieste and Syra datestamp, uncommon four colour franking representing postage due. Photo.
£200-£220
- 367 ☒ 1873 (Dec. 30) and 1874 (Sept. 28) entires from London to Athens or Syra each franked 4d. (2 each), the former also franked 1d. (2) and with framed "L2" mark in red and scarce double weight 1869 (Apr. 13) entire to Patras franked 4d. and 1s. tied by London duplexes. (2) Photo.
£180-£200
- 368 ☒ **Guatemala:** 1863 (June 15) envelope franked 6d. pair tied by London numeral cancellations with London and Belize datestamps on reverse and charged "4" reales, 1864 (Mar. 2) reduced entire "*via Panama*" franked 1s. pair plate 1, one with surface abrasion and tied by London EC duplexes with Panama transit c.d.s. and charged "4" reales. (2) Photo.
£200-£220
- 369 ☒ - 1875 (Nov. 20) envelope "*Per R.M.S. Algeria/via Queenstown/and United States*" to Guatemala franked 1½d. and 6d. plate 14 tied by Manchester duplexes and a New York transit c.d.s. in red with a "2" reales charge mark below. Photo.
£100-£120

Hong Kong

- 370 ☒ 1848 (Sept. 17) reduced entire "*via Southampton*" to Hong Kong rated '1/-' with Upper Clifton undated cancellation, Bristol Penny Post datestamp, London c.d.s. and Hong Kong arrival c.d.s. on reverse and 1860 (Feb. 26) envelope (flap missing, with enclosure) to East Point franked 1s. tied by Edinburgh duplex. (2) Photo.
£180-£220
- 371 ☒ 1861 (Jan. 19) entire "*via Southampton*" (deleted and endorsed Marseilles below) to Hong Kong rated '1/-' prepaid and franked 1d. tied by Too Late London duplex and with scarce "RETURNED-FOR-POSTAGE'3'/THE-AMOUNT/ DEFICIENT" mark following the change of route, unusual, also a "1d" credit mark in red. London and Hong Kong c.d.s.'s. on reverse. Photo.
£200-£220
- 372 ☒ 1863 (May 8) entire to Hong Kong franked 1862 3d. and 1s. tied by Liverpool duplexes with manuscript '1'(d) credit mark applied with London and Hong Kong c.d.s. on reverse, uncommon rate in place for under two years. Photo.
£140-£160
- 373 ☒ 1864 (May 9) wrapper "*via Marseilles*" to Hong Kong franked 1d. (2), 4d. (2) and 6d. tied by Scottish "11" numerals and with "1d" credit mark in red below. Reverse with Annan, London and Hong Kong datestamps, unusual three colour franking. Photo.
£180-£200



- 374 ☒ 1865 (June 9) wrapper "*via Marseilles*" to Hong Kong franked 4d. and 1s. horizontal pairs tied by Hull duplexes and with "2d" credit mark in red below. Reverse with London and Hong Kong datestamps, scarce double rate, mostly fine. Ex Wellburn. Photo.
£250-£300



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- 375 ☒ 1870 (Oct. 21) envelope "via Brindisi" to Hong Kong franked 3d., 4d. and 1s. tied by heavy London W duplexes, with Hong Kong Marine Sorter (Singapore to Hong Kong) c.d.s. on reverse, scarce early use of the Brindisi route, probably as a result of the Franco-Prussian War and the closure of the Marseilles route. Photo. £250-£300
- 376 ☒ 1875 (June 9) wrapper (few faults) "via Marseilles" to Hong Kong franked 6d. and 2s. tied by Charing Cross WC duplexes and with Hong Kong c.d.s. on reverse. Very scarce double rate of which we record just five examples. Photo. £120-£150
- 377 ☒ 1878 (Mar. 8) envelope "By French Packet" to Hong Kong franked 6d tied by London duplex with Hong Kong c.d.s. on reverse. and 1883 (July 12) envelope to Hong Kong franked 5d. indigo tied by Beeston squared circle with Singapore Hong Kong marine sorter c.d.s. (type B) on reverse. (2) Photo. £100-£120
- 378 ☒ 1878 (July 5) envelope "p French Mail" deleted and endorsed "Brindisi Mail" to Hong Kong tied by London EC duplex. Reverse with Hong Kong Marine Sorter (Singapore to Hong Kong) c.d.s. Photo. £120-£150

India



- 379 ☒ 1837 (Nov. 2) entire with typed transcript "via Marseilles" to Calcutta and endorsed "44/G.W.W." at top right being the 44th letter processed by Geoffrey W. Wheatley to Calcutta and rated a total of '4/7'(d) (10d. to Calais and double 1s.½d. to Alexandria) with oval "P-D", circular "ANGLETERRE/PAR/CALAIS" marks in red and very fine "CARE OF MR WAGHORN/ALEXANDRIA" mark in black. Reverse with London c.d.s. and framed Bombay and Calcutta Steamer Letter datestamps, the letter from C.M. Simpson concerning sale and import of animal hides and "shellac, salamoniac and lac dye", minor stains on reverse otherwise very fine and an important exhibition item. Photo on inside back cover. £2,000-£2,500



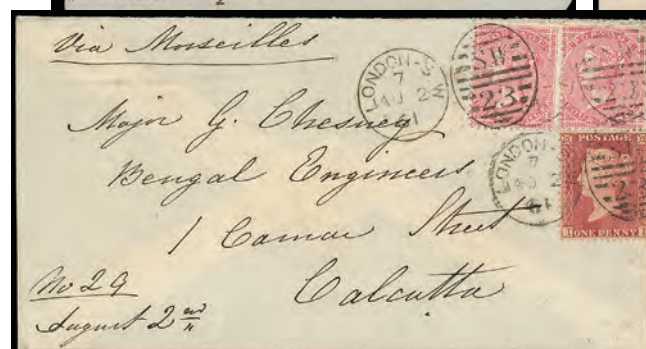
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- 380 ☒ 1843 (Aug. 29) entire (a few imperfections) "per private steamer/via Southampton", "Via Falmouth" and "P.Paid" to Madras rated '1/-' and '6s' on arrival and carried on the *Oriental*. Reverse with Guernsey (recut type GC 30 and dispatched only the month prior), "SOUTHAMPTON/SHIP-LETTER" and framed Bombay "bearing" datestamp, unusual. Photo. **£350-£400**
- 381 ☒ Via Southampton selection with 1844 (Feb. 27) entire to Bombay rated '1/0' and with London Paid datestamp, 1861 (Jan. 18) envelope to Madras franked 6d. tied by Plymouth duplex and 1868 (Oct. 15) envelope to Coonor franked 1d. irregular strip of three and 6d tied by London E duplexes and with a Sea Post Office datestamp on reverse. (3) Photo. **£100-£120**
- 382 ☒ 1851 (May 18) envelope "via Marseilles" to Calcutta franked 10d. three margins and 1s. embossed four margins, scarce, and tied by a barred numeral, endorsed "by Express from Bombay" however the cover coincided with a direct sailing via Galle and the service was not used. Reverse with London and framed "G.P.O." (Calcutta) datestamp. Photo. **£180-£200**
- 383 ☒ 1852 (May 18) envelope "via Southampton" to Mangalore franked 1s. embossed, four margins, scarce, small stain at left and tied by a barred numeral and endorsed "stamped" with framed Bombay arrival datestamp in black at lower left. Reverse with Bath, London and Mangalore datestamps. Photo. **£140-£160**
- 384 ☒ 1857 (Nov. 9) envelope to Bombay franked 1s. and tied by Leeds duplex and 1861 (Aug. 2) envelope to Calcutta franked 1d. and 4d. pair tied by London SW duplexes, both endorsed "via Marseilles" and representing the $\frac{1}{4}$ and $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. rates. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 385 ☒ Irish selection with 1866 (Mar. 10) envelope "via Southampton" to Bengal franked 6d. tied by Newry duplex, 1869 (Aug. 26) envelope "via Marseilles" to Poona franked 1d., 3d. and 6d. tied by Wicklow duplexes and 1871 (Apr. 27) mourning envelope "via Brindisi" to Simla franked 6d. pair tied by Dublin duplex. (3) Photo. **£160-£180**



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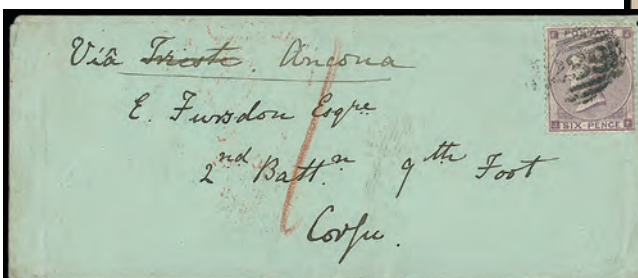
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- 386** ☒ Via Marseilles Mail with 1867 (Aug. 9) mourning envelope to Dum Dum franked 10d. tied by Huntingdon duplex and 1870 (Aug. 12) envelope to Salem franked 3d. and 10d., unusual, tied by Bath duplexes with a framed "UNCLAIMED" mark and reverse with London, Sea Post Office, Salem and Madras diamond shaped Dead Letter Office datestamps, fine. (2) Photo. **£160-£180**
- 387** ☒ Via Marseilles underpaid mail for the 1s.1d. rate with 1868 (July 31) and 1870 (Jan. 20) entire or envelope to Karachi or Calcutta franked 1s. or 4d. and from London or Oxford each with the framed "EXCS/DEFICIENT POSTAGE/OZ/BRITISH SHARE of FINE" marks and circular charge marks for 6a and 8 pies or 12a. also 1869 (Feb. 12) envelope to Salem franked 1d., 3d. and 6d. with "B52" numerals and "DEFICIENT POSTAGE 3/BRITISH SHARE OF FINE 4½}7" mark and circular charge marks for 8a. (3) Photo. **£200-£220**
- 388** ☒ Via Marseilles Mail with 1868 (Nov. 18) envelope to Bombay franked 1d. and 9d. (wing margin) tied by London S duplexes and with Croydon c.d.s. on reverse and 1870 (Sept. 1) envelope to Nyneetall franked 1d. and 1s. tied to each other by upright numeral cancellation and with Exmouth, London, Sea P.O. and Nyneetall datestamps on reverse. Photo. **£140-£160**
- 389** ☒ 1870 (Apr. 23) envelope to Madras franked 1d. pair (2) and 1s. tied by "53" barred numerals with part Bath duplex at lower right. Reverse with Sea Post Office and Salem datestamps, rare. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 390** ☒ Via Brindisi selection with 1871 (June 16) and 1873 (Nov. 20) envelopes to Rangoon or Calcutta franked 1s. and tied by Spring St. Paddington or Aberystwith duplexes, 1877 (Apr. 5) printed envelope to Rangoon franked 1d. pair and 6d. tied by Edinburgh duplexes, 1880 envelope to Punjab franked 6d. tied by Tunbridge Wells duplex and 1882 envelope to Madras franked 1d. and 4d. plate 17 tied by Guildford duplexes. (5) **£160-£180**
- 391** ☒ 1877 (July 13) envelope to Poona franked 8d. tied by London SE duplex and 1878 (June 21) "VIA BRINDISI" embossed envelope to Poona franked 8d. pair tied by Notting Hill W duplex, fine pair showing the single and double rates. (2) Photo. **£140-£160**

Ionian Islands

- 392** ☒ 1857 (Oct. 1) printed matter (market report) "*via Ostend & Trieste*" to Corfu rated '1/8'(d) with Liverpool, London and Aachen datestamps and 1860 (Oct. 7) envelope "*Via Trieste*" to Corfu franked 1s. tied by Plymouth duplex and a crayon mark, possibly '1'(d) credit to Ionian Islands with London, Aachen, Trieste and Corfu datestamps. (2) Photo. **£180-£200**
- 393** ☒ 1860 (Apr. 9) envelope "*via Marseilles & Malta*" and "*under ½ oz.*" to Corfu franked 1s. tied by neat Plymouth duplex with circular "PD" and 'dl' credit mark, apparently overpaid by 3d. Corfu c.d.s. on reverse, very fine. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 394** ☒ 1863 (Jan. 6) envelope to Corfu franked 2d. plate 9 (4) and 1s. tied by Shrewsbury duplexes with Wem, London, Vienna, Trieste and Corfu datestamps and a "15" charge mark applied to reverse, possibly for a Lloyd Packet service from Trieste, very rare double weight franking. Photo. **£220-£250**
- 395** ☒ 1863 (Aug. 13) small envelope "*Via Trieste*" deleted and with "*Ancona*" alongside to Corfu franked 6d. with "289" numeral cancellation with '1'(d). Reverse with Dawlish, London and Corfu c.d.s., very scarce example of closed mail via France. Photo. **£150-£170**

Italy & States

- 396** ☒ Selection of mail to Sicily with 1861 (Nov. 8) envelope to Palermo franked 6d. tied by London duplex sent via Genoa, 1864 envelope to Gragano franked 6d. wing margin vertical pair tied by Edinburgh duplexes and sent via the Susa-Turin T.P.O., 1866 (Jan. 4) entire to Messina franked 1s. tied by a London numeral and framed "PIROSCAFI/POSTALI/FRANCESI" mark, 1872 (Oct. 15) envelope to Palermo franked 6d. tied by Exchange Liverpool duplex sent via French Steamer *Junon* from Marseilles and with "coi postali Francesi" mark. (4) Photo. **£150-£170**



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- 397 ☒ 1862 (Oct. 24) wrapper (a few small stains) "*per Ostend*" to Palermo franked 2d. plate 9 and block of four 3d. tied by London EC duplexes with Aachen (train no. 3 and early use) and unusually oval "P" and "P.D." marks. '10'(d) credited to Prussia and a charge of '3¼' sgr. made by Prussia to Italy. Basel, Luzern, Verona, Genoa and Palermo datestamps on reverse, very scarce and unusual routing. Photo. **£300-£350**
- 398 ☒ Selection of Mail sent via France incl. 1867 (Nov. 11) wrapper to Florence franked 2d., 4d. and 6d. tied by London EC duplexes, 1869 (June 11) entire to Florence franked 1d. and 1s. tied by London duplexes with framed "L1" mark in red, 1870 (May 17) treble weight entire to Florence franked 6d. strip of three tied by London duplexes, 1875 (July 21) entire to Genoa franked 4d. tied by London duplex, etc. (8) Photo. **£200-£220**
- 399 ☒ Via Ostend selection with 1870 (Oct. 8) envelope "*via Ostend and Germany*" to Rome franked 6d. plate 11 tied by Birmingham duplex, 1871 (Apr. 20) envelope to Rome and 1871 (June 30) entire to Florence at the reduced rate and franked 2d. and 3d. or 1d. and 4d. and tied by London W or EC duplexes and 1873 (Apr. 1) cover to Brindisi franked 6d. tied by London EC duplex for the increased rate from 1.1.1872, fine. (4) Photo. **£120-£140**
- 400 ☒ **Lombardy-Venetia:** 1844 (Nov. 18) entire to Milan rated '1/5'(d) with Manchester, London and Boulogne datestamps and incorrectly applied oval "P-F" mark deleted and 1858 (July 10) double weight wrapper to Milan franked 4d. and 6d. pair and rated '40' centesimi with London and Milan datestamps on reverse, fine. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 401 ☒ **Papal States:** Stampless selection with 1846 (Mar. 22) and 1847 (Mar. 24) entires to Rome from Ryde or Tadcaster prepaid '1/3'(d) or '2/1'(d) for the single or double frontier rates and with Boulogne and London transit datestamps and 1852 (Dec. 31) and 1855 (Mar. 26) unpaid entires from Basingstoke or Edinburgh charged '33' or '26' baj. (4) Photo. **£100-£120**
- 402 ☒ - 1856 (Nov. 13) wrapper to Vatican franked 1d. and 1s. embossed, margins touching on all sides and tied by Darlington duplexes with Clais circular "PD" and "VIA DI MARE" marks. Reverse with London and Rome datestamps, mainly fine. Photo. **£160-£200**
- 403 ☒ - 1859 (Jan. 14) entire to Rome franked 1d. (2) and 2d. (10, all plate 7 incl. two strips of three and two pairs) tied by London numerals for the double 11d. rate with Calais and oval "PD" marks and London and Rome datestamps on reverse, unusual franking. Photo. **£220-£250**
- 404 ☒ - 1859 (Apr. 17) envelope "*via France*" to Rome franked 1d., 4d. and 6d. tied by Oxford duplexes with Calais transit c.d.s. and circular "PD" mark. Reverse with London, Paris and Rome datestamps, mainly fine. Photo. **£140-£160**
- 405 ☒ - 1864 (Jan. 6) small envelope to Rome franked 1d., 4d. and 6d. tied by London W duplexes, the latter also tied by an oval "PD" cancellation with Calais transit c.d.s. at left, unusual. Reverse with Paris and Rome datestamps, fine Photo. **£100-£120**
- 406 ☒ **Sardinia:** 1849 (Aug. 22) entire to Genoa with framed "Returned for/'1/3' Postage" and "No '25240'/Detained for Postage" marks, London and Boulogne datestamps, rated '1/3'(d) when paid (as far as French frontier) and further '24' centesimi charge also 1845 (Feb. 6) entire to Nice and 1849 (Aug. 24) entire to Genoa with both "PF" and "PD" marks applied to each cover in error, corrected on one by overscore. (3) Photo. **£100-£120**

- 398** ☒ Selection of Mail sent via France incl. 1867 (Nov. 11) wrapper to Florence franked 2d., 4d. and 6d. tied by London EC duplexes, 1869 (June 11) entire to Florence franked 1d. and 1s. tied by London duplexes with framed "L1" mark in red, 1870 (May 17) treble weight entire to Florence franked 6d. strip of three tied by London duplexes, 1875 (July 21) entire to Genoa franked 4d. tied by London duplex, etc. (8) Photo. **£200-£220**

- 399** ☒ Via Ostend selection with 1870 (Oct. 8) envelope “*via Ostend and Germany*” to Rome franked 6d. plate 11 tied by Birmingham duplex, 1871 (Apr. 20) envelope to Rome and 1871 (June 30) entire to Florence at the reduced rate and franked 2d. and 3d. or 1d. and 4d. and tied by London W or EC duplexes and 1873 (Apr. 1) cover to Brindisi franked 6d. tied by London EC duplex for the increased rate from 1.1.1872, fine. (4) Photo. **£120-£140**

- 400** ☒ **Lombardy-Venetia:** 1844 (Nov. 18) entire to Milan rated '1/5'(d) with Manchester, London and Boulogne datestamps and incorrectly applied oval "P-F" mark deleted and 1858 (July 10) double weight wrapper to Milan franked 4d. and 6d. pair and rated '40' centesimi with London and Milan datestamps on reverse, fine. Photo.
- £100-£120**

- 401**  **Papal States:** Stampless selection with 1846 (Mar. 22) and 1847 (Mar. 24) entires to Rome from Ryde or Tadcaster prepaid '1/3'(d) or '2/1'(d) for the single or double frontier rates and with Boulogne and London transit datestamps and 1852 (Dec. 31) and 1855 (Mar. 26) unpaid entires from Basingstoke or Edinburgh charged '33' or '26' baj. (4) Photo. **£100-£120**

- 402** - 1856 (Nov. 13) wrapper to Vatican franked 1d. and 1s. embossed, margins touching on all sides and tied by Darlington duplexes with Clais circular "PD" and "VIA DI MARE" marks. Reverse with London and Rome datestamps, mainly fine. Photo. **£160-£200**

- 403** ☒ - 1859 (Jan. 14) entire to Rome franked 1d. (2) and 2d. (10, all plate 7 incl. two strips of three and two pairs) tied by London numerals for the double 11d. rate with Calais and oval "PD" marks and London and Rome datestamps on reverse, unusual franking. Photo. **£220-£250**

- 404** ☒ - 1859 (Apr. 17) envelope “*via France*” to Rome franked 1d., 4d. and 6d. tied by Oxford duplexes with Calais transit c.d.s. and circular “PD” mark. Reverse with London, Paris and Rome datestamps, mainly fine. Photo.
- £140-£160**

- 405**  - 1864 (Jan. 6) small envelope to Rome franked 1d., 4d. and 6d. tied by London W duplexes, the latter also tied by an oval "PD" cancellation with Calais transit c.d.s. at left, unusual. Reverse with Paris and Rome datestamps, fine Photo. **£100-£120**

- 406** ☒ **Sardinia:** 1849 (Aug. 22) entire to Genoa with framed "Returned for/1/3' Postage" and "No '25240'/Detained for Postage" marks, London and Boulogne datestamps, rated '1/3'(d) when paid (as far as French frontier) and further '24' centisimi charge also 1845 (Feb. 6) entire to Nice and 1849 (Aug. 24) entire to Genoa with both "PF" and "PD" marks applied to each cover in error, corrected on one by overscore. (3) Photo. **£100-£120**

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- 407 ☒ **Sardinia:** 1857 (Nov. 25) entire "via France" to Genoa franked 1s. (3) tied by London numerals with Calais c.d.s., crown Registration and oval "PD" marks, with Lombard Street and Genoa datestamps on reverse and with string affixed by red wax seals applied to the reverse, an unusual and uncommon treble weight registered article. Photo. **£280-£320**
- 408 ☒ - 1858 (Nov. 16) entire (opening faults) "Registered" to Genoa franked 1s. tied by Cardiff duplex with crown registered mark, circular "PD" and oval London registration datestamps. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 409 ☒ **Tuscany:** 1840 (Nov. 24) and 1847 (Jan. 15) entires to Livorno from London the first rated '1/7'(d) and charged '12' crazie and other unpaid and charged '16' crazie. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 410 ☒ - 1847 (Sept. 27) official wrapper from London G.P.O. Secretary William Maberly to Livorno rated '10'(d) with London Crown Paid and Boulogne datestamps and oval "P-F" mark, the letter requesting payment of postage on a ship letter before it can be forwarded. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 411 ☒ - 1850 (Sept. 23) wrapper (addressee name overscored) to Florence franked 10d. embossed, cut square, two margins with London numeral and tied by oval "P-F" mark with Calais c.d.s., "VIA DI/BEAUVOISIN" and Genoa transit mark applied in Florence. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 412 ☒ - 1856 (July 27) mourning envelope to Florence franked 1d., 2d. pair and 4d. (2) tied by Portsmouth sideways duplexes with Calais c.d.s. and circular "PD" mark in red and redirected locally. Reverse with London and Florence datestamps, very unusual three colour franking. Photo. **£150-£170**
- 413 ☒ - 1857 (Dec. 18) entire to Florence franked 1d., 2d. and 6d. tied by London numerals, Calais transit c.d.s. and oval "PD" mark in red and 1858 (Sept. 30) wrapper franked 1d. and 6d. tied by London SW with oval "P-D" mark and apparently private framed "Prepaid" mark at top left. (2) Photo. **£140-£160**
- 414 ☒ **Two Sicilies:** Selection with 1843 (Aug. 25) wrapper to Palermo from Liverpool rated '1/3'(d), 1851 (Sept. 9) entire to Naples from Manchester sent unpaid, 1859 (Aug. 31) and 1860 (Jan. 21) wrappers to Messina or Naples each franked 1d., 4d. and 6d. and tied by Glasgow duplexes or London numerals, 1860 (Oct. 16) scarce double rate cover to Messina franked 4d. and 1s. tied by London duplexes and with Calais transit c.d.s., fine. (5) Photo. **£250-£280**
- 415 ☒ **Jamaica:** Selection with 1849 (Feb. 17) entire to Mandeville rated '1/2'(d) with London, Kingston and Mandeville c.d.s. on reverse, 1860 (Mar. 31) entire to Mandeville franked 6d. tied by London numeral and with London, Kingston and Mandeville c.d.s. on reverse and 1870 (Aug. 1) entire to Newport franked 1s. plate 4 tied by Lombard Street duplex and with Kingston and Newport c.d.s. on reverse. (3) Photo. **£180-£200**
- 416 ☒ - 1870 (ca.) printed wrapper (rear tears) to Kingston franked 1d. red-brown (H.S. King & Co perfin) tied by user pre-cancel segmented double ring "K" obliterator, uncommon printed matter mail. Photo. **£100-£120**



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Japan

- 417 ☒ 1869 (Oct. 8) and 1873 (Apr. 10) entires to Yokohama, the first “*via Marseilles*” and franked 4d. and 6d. (2), the other franked 3d. and 1s. for the Brindisi rate and all tied by London duplexes and each with Hong Kong transit and British P.O. in Yokohama arrival c.d.s., fine. (2) Photo. **£150-£200**
- 418 ☒ 1869 (Oct. 27) mourning envelope to Yokohama franked 1s. plate 4 tied by Oban duplex and sent via Greenock and London transit datestamps, uncommon Southampton route, fine. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 419 ☒ 1871 (Nov. 3) reduced wrapper “*Via Brindisi*” to Yokohama franked 1d., 6d. and 1s. (2) tied by London duplexes and with framed “L1” in red at left. Reverse with Hong Kong and (British P.O. in) Yokohama datestamps also 1870 (May 7) entire “*via San Francisco*” to Yokohama franked 1s. tied by London duplex with New York transit datestamp. (2) Photo. **£200-£220**
- 420 ☒ 1874 (Jan. 23) entire to Nagasaki franked 3d. and strip of three 4d. plate 13 tied by London duplexes and with scarce “2d” charge mark apparently applied for the use of a private ship from Hong Kong to Nagasaki, scarce. Reverse with Hong Kong c.d.s. and a commercial printed wafer seal. Photo. **£150-£180**

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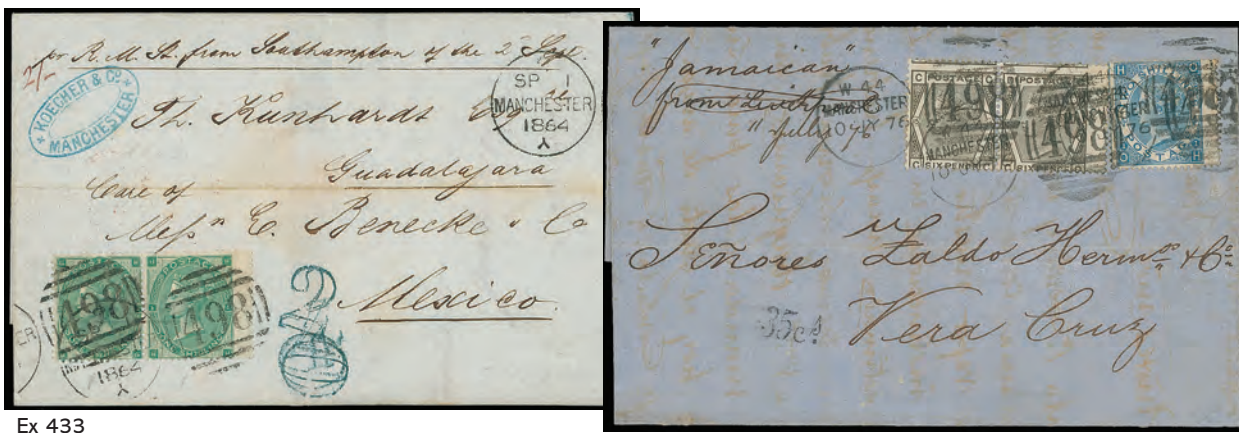
- 421 ☒ 1861 (Sept.) mourning envelope “*via Marseilles*” to Singapore with unusual franking of 1d. block of four (folded over edge) and 2d. pair defects at foot and cancelled by Dublin numerals and with framed “EXCS/DEFICIENT POSTAGE ‘7’/OZ./BRITISH SHARE OF FINE ‘6’” in red and also unusual and rated a total of ‘1/1’(d), London c.d.s. on reverse, uncommon Irish taxed mail. Photo. **£160-£180**
- 422 ☒ 1868 (Mar. 6) envelope “*via Southampton*” to Singapore (Curtis correspondence) franked 1s. plate 4 tied by Banbury duplex and 1877 (Mar. 16) envelope to Singapore franked 2d. plate 15 and 1s. tied by Paddington W duplexes with Singapore Paid c.d.s. on reverse, scarce rate only in place nine months, fine. (2) Photo. **£200-£220**
- 423 ☒ 1869 (Jan. 14) mourning envelope to Singapore franked 3d. (wing margin) and 6d. tied by Dunfermline duplexes with framed “EXCS/DEFICIENT POSTAGE ‘3’/OZ..BRITISH SHARE OF FINE ‘6’” mark and rated a total of ‘9’(d) with Singapore c.d.s. at left, mainly fine. Photo. **£160-£180**

Malta

- 424 ☒ Stampless selection with 1840 (Sept. 25) wrapper “*Via Marseilles*” by the French Steamer” rated ‘2/8½’(d) with oval “P-D” mark, Calais c.d.s and “7 Oct Free” arrival mark, unusually on front, reverse with London and Marseilles c.d.s., 1852 (Aug. 19) wrapper “*via Southampton*” rated ‘1/-’ and with Manchester c.d.s. and 1858 entire “*via Marseilles*” to Valetta with Newcastle on Tyne c.d.s. and barred numeral overstruck on a “2” charge mark, London Paid c.d.s. and two framed “Returned for/Postage” marks, one with ‘9’(d) inserted. (3) Photo. **£150-£170**



- 425 ☒ 1853 (Dec. 17) entire “*By French Packet*” to H.M.S *Bellerophon* franked 1d. and 1s. embossed tied by London numerals and with London c.d.s. on reverse, mainly fine. Photo. **£150-£170**
- 426 ☒ 1858 (Dec. 17) envelope “*Via Marseilles* by/French Packet” to H.M.S *Centurion* franked 1d. and 4d. pair tied by London SW duplexes with Surbiton, Kingston and Malta c.d.s and 1860 (Sept. 13) entire “*By French Packet/Via Marseilles*” to H.M.S *Orion* franked 6d. tied by Bristol duplex with London and Malta c.d.s. and a coloured wafer seal on reverse. (2) Photo. **£100-£120**



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- 427 ☒ Selection incl. 1863 printed prices current franked 1d. tied by Cardiff duplex, 1868 (Dec. 4) entire franked 1d. and 6d. tied by London duplex and with framed "L1" mark, 1869 (May 28 and 31) entires "*via Marseilles*" franked 1s., 1871 (May 18) envelope to Valetta franked 6d. tied by Stroud duplex, 1872 (Aug. 18) envelope to Valetta franked 4d. pair tied by Clevedon duplex, very fine. (6) Photo on page 78. **£180-£200**

Mauritius

- 428 ☒ Stampless selection incl. 1849 (Jan. 24) entire "*p Overland via Marseilles*" rated '2/7'(d), 1849 (Sept. 24) entire to Port Louis rated '2/3(d), 1857 (Feb. 25) entire "*via Marseilles*" rated '9'(d) prepaid and '7'(d) credit. 1860 wrapper rated '6'(d) with Paid at Bristol and "4½" accountancy marks etc. (6) Photo. **£150-£200**
- 429 ☒ 1862 (Nov. 18) small envelope to Mauritius franked 6d. tied by Hastings duplex and unusually with "1½d" and "4½d" accountancy marks and redirected back to Hastings, reverse with London and Mauritius c.d.s's (two each), mainly fine. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 430 ☒ 1863 (Apr. 25) mourning envelope to Llewellyn franked 1862 9d. tied by London W duplex and 1861 entire to Mauritius franked 6d. pair tied by Dundee duplexes, both endorsed "*Via Marseilles*" and with "4½d" accountancy marks, very fine. Photo. **£200-£220**
- 431 ☒ 1867 (Jan. 24) envelope "*via Marseilles*" to Port Louis franked 4d. and 6d. tied by Bath duplex and with "4½d" accountancy marks and 1869 (June 9) envelope, a few tone spots, "*By French Mail Packet*" to the Governor, Sir Henry Barkly franked 10d. wing margin tied by Bath duplex and with "1d" credit mark, reverse with London and Mauritius c.d.s. (2) **£100-£120**

Mexico

- 432 ☒ 1857 (Feb. 20) entire "*via United States*" franked 1d., 4d. and 1s. tied by two Glasgow 'Madeleine Smith' datestamps and with "4" reales charge mark and oval Vera Cruz transit datestamp, very fine Photo. **£250-£300**
- 433 ☒ 1864 (Sept. 1) wrapper "*R.M.S from Southampton*" to Mexico franked 1862 1s. pair (wing margin) and tied by Manchester duplexes with "4" reales charge mark corrected and deleted by an oval cancellation and "2" reales charge mark applied above, 1873 (Nov. 18) wrapper "BY FRENCH MAIL" to Vera Cruz franked 1s. tied by London duplex with a Calais c.d.s. and red circular "PP" mark below also an 1865 official Return Letter Branch entire from London to Puebla with "½" reale charge mark, the letter requesting payment of postage. (3) Photo. **£180-£200**
- 434 ☒ 1876 (July 10) entire endorsed "*Jamaican*" to Vera Cruz franked 6d. plate 15 pair and 2s. unusual, tied by Manchester duplexes and with a "-35cs" charge mark and Liverpool c.d.s. on reverse and 1877 (Apr. 90) entire "VIA LIVERL P Str" to Mexico franked 1s. tied by London duplex and with "-25cs." charge mark below, fine. (2) Photo. **£200-£220**
- 435 ☒ G.P.U. rates selection with 1878 (Dec. 18) entire "*via New York*" to Mexico franked 6d. tied by London EC duplex and with "-25ct" charge mark and New York transit c.d.s., 1882 (June 10) wrapper to Guadalajara franked 4d. plate 17 tied by London EC duplex with New York transit c.d.s. alongside and 1884 (Mar. 14) entire (oxidised) to Vera Cruz franked 4d. plate 18 pair tied by Manchester duplexes. (3) Photo. **£180-£200**
- 436 ☒ **Moldavia & Wallachia (Romania):** 1862 (May 8) toned envelope to Galatz franked tied by London SW duplex with Calais c.d.s. and oval "PD" mark in red, reverse with Paris, Constantinople and Galatz datestamps and 1867 (Apr. 16) unpaid envelope to Ibraila with "35" kreuzer mark and London, Aachen, Vienna and Ibraila datestamps on reverse. (2) Photo. **£200-£220**
- 437 ☒ **Morocco:** 1867 (Apr. 9) envelope to Rabat, scarce, franked 6d. tied by "756" barred numeral with Budleigh Station, Exeter and London c.d.s. on reverse also 1861 (Feb. 13) envelope to Algiers franked 4d. tied by Bolton duplex and 1869 (Sept. 8) envelope "*via Marseilles/pr French Packet*" to Tunis franked 6d. tied by London duplex with Calais c.d.s. and red oval "PD" mark, fine. (3) Photo. **£180-£200**
- 438 ☒ **Mozambique:** 1877 (June 6) envelope (rear flap missing, a few blemishes) "*per Cape Mail*" to Lake Nysasa care of an agent at Quilimane franked 6d. and tied by Edinburgh duplex, rare destination. Photo. **£200-£220**



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Netherlands

- 439 ☒ Stampless selection incl. 1840 (Aug. 29) wrapper "*p Batavier*" to Scheidam with London Paid and Ship letter datestamps rated '8'(d) and charged '50' cents, 1845 (Nov. 27) entire to the Hague prepaid '1/-', 1846 (Dec. 4) unpaid entire Liverpool to Schiedam rated '60' cents, 1850 (Jan. 10) mourning envelope to The Hague prepaid "1/2"(d) with oval "ENGELAND/over OSTENDE" mark on reverse and 1862 (May 22) unpaid entire from London to Arnheim rated '40' cents, fine. Photo. **£160-£180**
- 440 ☒ 1846 (Oct. 22) wrapper "*through France*" to Leyden prepaid '10'(d) and charged '30' cents with London Paid c.d.s. and oval "P-F" mark. Reverse with Lille and Leyden c.d.s., scarce routing. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 441 ☒ 1863 (Jan. 19) wrapper to Amsterdam rated '8'(d) and with 1d. tied by London numeral for a late fee, 1869 (May 25 and June 3) wrappers to Amsterdam franked 3d. or 1d. and 3d. with framed "L1" mark 1875 (July 31) wrapper to Amsterdam cash paid and with "2½d" mark applied, 1876 1¼d. postcard to Rotterdam, 1879 envelope to Amsterdam franked ½d. and 1d. pair, 1879 wrapper "*via Flushing*" to Rotterdam franked 2½d. carried by the Zeeland Steamship Company. (7) Photo. **£140-£160**
- 442 ☒ 1869 (Mar. 29) wrapper to Amsterdam franked 3d. and 4d. placed in opposite corners and tied by London numerals with very scarce framed "L4" mark in red and reverse with London and Amsterdam datestamps, very fine and with less than twenty examples recorded by us. Photo. **£700-£800**
- 443 ☒ **Netherlands Indies:** 1849 (Dec. 19) wrapper "*per Overland Mail*" to Batavia rated '2/8'(d) with a private "VIA SOUTHAMPTON" mark and London c.d.s. and 1850 (July 16) wrapper "*via Marseilles*" to Batavia rated '2/2'(d) with Liverpool and London datestamps and both paid as far as Alexandria and charged an additional '160' cents each, fine. Photo. **£120-£140**
- 444 ☒ - 1885 (June 15) envelope (faults) to Batavia (redirected to Semarang) franked 1884 2½d. lilac (4) tied by three Birmingham duplexes, reverse with Weltevreden, Batavia and Semarang datestamps, uncommon double rate. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 445 ☒ **New Zealand:** Selection comprising 1863 (May 25) entire to Otago franked 1d. (3) and 6d. tied by London S duplexes, 1866 (Nov. 29) envelope "*via Panama*" to Dunedin franked 6d. just tied by barred numeral and with "5" credit mark, reverse with Exmouth, Exeter, London and Dunedin datestamps and 1869 (Oct. 8) envelope to Riverton franked 4d. and 6d. slightly overlapped tied by Burton on Trent duplex and with Invercargill and Riverton datestamps on reverse. (3) Photo. **£220-£250**

Norway

- 446 ☒ Selection with 1845 (Apr. 18) entire to Dram rated '1/10'(d) with Hellstone and London datestamps and rated a further '4' schillings from Hamburg, 1853 (June 17) entire to Dram rated '1/4'(d) with Waterford, London and Sandsosund datestamps and 1858 (Mar. 16) entire to Mandal rated '1/5'(d) and '1/1'(d) credit to Hamburg with Hull, London, Hamburg and Danish P.O. in Hamburg datestamp. (3) **£150-£170**
- 447 ☒ Selection with 1846 (Jan. 3) entire "*via Holland*" rated '8'(d) and with Hague and Hamburg transit datestamps on reverse, 1847 (June 11) and 1848 (Aug. 18) unpaid entires to Dram sent via a Thames Packet to Hamburg and rated '62' skillings or with London, Aachen and Stralsund datestamps on reverse and rated a total of '82' skillings and 1850 entire to Laurvig rated '8'(d) with Grangemouth, Falkirk, Edinburgh, Hull Ship Letter, Hamburg and Danish P.O. in Hamburg datestamps. (4) **£150-£200**
- 448 ☒ 1861 (Aug. 5) wrapper (light file folds) to Frederickstad franked 1d. (4) and 1s. tied by Dundee duplexes and one 1d. also tied by an oval "P" marks, "Franco" mark at lower left. Rates '1/-' credit to Hamburg. Reverse with London EC, Hamburg and Danish P.O. in Hamburg datestamps, mainly fine. Photo. **£220-£250**
- 449 ☒ 1863 (June 1) entire "*via Ostend*" to Kragero franked 1d., 2d. (2) and 9d. (small surface rub) tied by light Middlesborough duplexes with circular "PD" mark below rated '6' sgr and '8½' sgr credit to Hamburg. Reverse with London, Hamburg, Danish P.O. in Hamburg and Kragero datestamps, very scare franking. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 450 ☒ 1864 (Aug. 11) wrapper to Skien franked 4d. (2, both wing margins) and 1s. plate 1 wing margin tied by Newcastle-on-Tyne duplexes with circular "PD", Crown Registered and oval London Registered datestamp. Reverse with Hamburg, Danish P.O. in Hamburg and Sandosund datestamps. Photo. **£150-£200**



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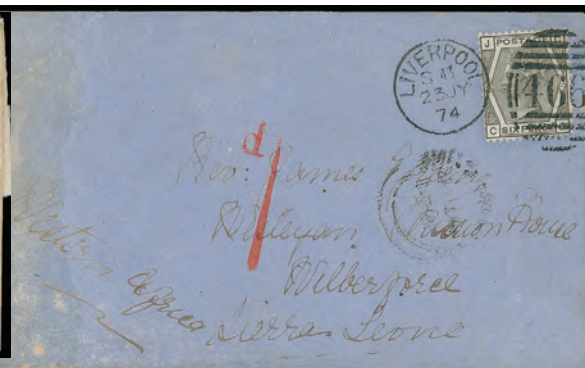
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- 451** ☒ 1866 (Aug. 4) entire "*via Ostend*" to Arendal franked 2d. and 6d. overlapped and tied by Newcastle-on-Tyne duplex with circular "PD" in red below. Reverse with London, Danish P.O. in Hamburg and Sandosund datestamps and 1869 (July 27) wrapper to Christiania franked 1d. strips of three and four tied by Cambridge duplexes with circular "PD" marks in red and "4d" credit mark to Denmark. Reverse with London and Sandosund datestamps. (2) Photo. **£150-£170**
- 452** ☒ Selection with 1866 (Nov. 24) entire "*per Steamer North Star from London/via Christiansand*" franked 4d. for the private ship letter rate and tied by a London numeral duplex and rated '9' skillings due, 1871 (June 29) and 1875 (Apr. 12) entires to Grimstad franked 6d. or 3d. tied by London or Hull duplexes and carried on the *Rollo* or *Albion*, 1872 (July 30) wrapper to Christioania franked 3d. pair tied by Leith duplexes with "3d" credit mark in red and 1876, 1879 franked 2½d. rosy mauve. (6) **£160-£180**
- 453** ☒ 1869 (Aug. 20 and Sept. 10) entires "*per Huill Steamer*" to Laurvig franked 4d. pair or 4d. and 1s. tied by Hull duplexes and with distinctive octagonal "PD" marks in red and representing the single and double rates, fine pair. Photo. **£160-£180**
- 454** ☒ 1871 (Aug. 4) entire "*via Steamer/Norway*" to Trondheim franked 3d. pair tied by Newcastle-on-Tyne duplex with distinctive double ring "PD" mark in red and very fine framed "NEWCASTLE ON TYNE/SHIP LETTER" mark at left. *The earliest example believed to exist.* Photo. **£140-£160**
- 455** ☒ 1872 (Jan. 30) envelope to Christinaia franked 1d. block of four tied by London duplexes with "INSUFFICIENTLY/PREPAID" marks and two oval "PD" marks overstruck by barred oval "P" marks and charged a total of '12' skillings and 1872 (Mar. 11) wrapper to Grimstad franked 6d. tied by London duplex endorsed '2' at upper left to indicate a double weight article with "INSUFFICIENTLY/STAMPED" mark, and charged a total '27' skillings equal to the deficiency and double 3d., fine. (2) Photo. **£180-£200**
- 456** ☒ **Peru:** 1867 (June 15) entire (in Spanish) "*p West India Mail/via Southampton*" to Piura franked 1s. plate 4 pairs (2, both wing margins) tied by Liverpool duplexes with Paid Liverpool (in red) and Panama c.d.s. Reverse with London c.d.s. and "PAITA" handstamp and an 1872 (July 16) envelope (defects) to Lima franked 6d. and 1s. tied by Lowestoft duplexes and with a Lima c.d.s. on reverse. (2) Photo. **£120-£140**
- 457** ☒ - 1868 (Feb. 1) entire "*p West India Mail/Via Southampton*" to Lima franked 2s. blue tied by Liverpool duplex and with Liverpool Paid c.d.s. in red below, '10 cts' charge mark endorsed centrally and with a London c.d.s. on reverse, fine. Photo. **£100-£150**
- 458** ☒ - 1877 (Nov. 1) entire "*per Aconcagua/Via Bordeaux*" to Lima franked 1d. and 1s., slightly toned, tied by Liverpool duplexes and paying the single rate and a 1d. late fee. Redirected to Callao with Peru 10c. on reverse and tied by a Lima double ring c.d.s., unusual. **£120-£150**
- 459** ☒ **Philippines:** 1860 (Jan. 7) entire "*via Marseilles*" to Manila franked 1d., 2d. plate 7 and 6d. tied by Reading duplexes and with "2" reales charge mark. Reverse with London, Hong Kong and Manila datestamps, fine. Photo. **£140-£160**
- 460** ☒ **Porto Rico:** 1876 (Nov. 1) entire (file folds) franked 1s. plate 12 ("HUTH" perfin) tied by London duplex and with "2" reales charge mark in black and with arrival c.d.s. on reverse, scarce. Photo. **£150-£180**

Portugal

- 461** ☒ 1834-37 selection of entires to Porto with London Ship Letter datestamps each rated '1/-' or '1/3'(d) and with charges of '280' or '160' (reis) marks and endorsed with named ships incl. *Manchester*, *Liverpool*, *Braganza*, *Don Juan*, *Iberia* and *Menai* (believed the only example from the first private ship service to the Peninsular). (7) Photo. **£220-£250**
- 462** ☒ Selection to Madeira with 1840 (May 16) entire (datelined at Colombo) to Funchal rated '1/10'(d) with framed "RETURNED for/'1/10' Postage" mark, 1845 (Aug. 22) entire rated '1/9'(d) with Liverpool, London and Lisbon datestamps, 1849 (Aug. 9) entire (datelined at Vere, Jamaica) rated '3/8'(d) with Lombard Street datestamp, 1856 (Nov. 29) entire rated '8'(d) with Liverpool paid c.d.s. and 1870 (Feb. 2) envelope to "*H.M.Ship Peterel*" franked 6d. tied by Derry duplex with oval "PD" mark. (6) Photo. **£160-£200**

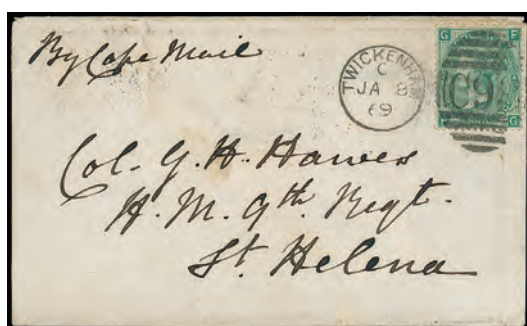


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- 463 ☒ 1849 (Mar. 27) and (Dec. 27) registered entires to Porto rated '7/6'(d) or '4/-' with Fenchurch St sub-office and London Paid c.d.s. and 1850 (Aug. 26) entire to Porto rated '1/9'(d) with oval "10RS" mark and "210" reis due mark, fine. (3) Photo. **£130-£150**
- 464 ☒ Selection of entires to Oporto with 1859 (Dec. 7) and 1861 (May 6) franked 4d. pair or two singles tied by London EC or Torquay duplexes and with "160" reales charge mark 1861 (July 26) franked 4d. with "80" reales charge mark and 1861 (Nov. 6) franked 4d. with framed "EXCS/DEFICIENT POSTAGE '4/OZ/BRITISH SHARE OF FINE '4'" mark, rated '8'(d) and charged a total of '320' reis. (4) Photo. **£160-£200**
- 465 ☒ 1871 (Feb. 1) entire to Lisbon franked 6d. tied by London W duplex with segmented Liverpool datestamp (where mail diverted for three months for a direct service), oval "PD", "FRANCA" and framed "VIA MAR" marks. Reverse with Liverpool P.L.O and Lisbon datestamps, also 1871 (Sept. 30) entire to Porto franked 6d. tied by London EC sent normally the usual France and Spain route. (2) Photo. **£100-£120**
- 466 ☒ Mail via France and Spain: 1873 (July 15 and 19) entires to Lisbon franked 6d. plate 12 single or pair tied by Newcastle-on-Tyne duplexes and an 1872 (July 20) similar cover franked 3d. pair and 1s., very fine and showing single, double and treble rates. (3) Photo. **£160-£180**

Russia

- 467 ☒ 1840 (June 6) entire to Reval rated '1/10'd with Kircady, Edinburgh, London, Hamburg and Riga datestamps and a selection to Odessa incl. 1849 (Aug. 21) entire rated '1/7'(d) with framed "Aus England/per Aachen franco." mark, 1851 (May 12) entire apparently sent unpaid with Lombard Street and Aachen datestamps but no charge marks and 1853 (Jan. 26) entire sent unpaid with Lombard Street and "3½/GROSCHEN" accountancy mark. (4) Photo. **£200-£220**
- 468 ☒ 1862 (July 11) entire to St. Petersburg franked 6d. wing margin pair (corner fault) tied by Sheffield duplex and oval "P" mark in red, necessarily overpaid ½d. for the 11½d. rate and with Aachen and London transit datestamp, very fine appearance. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 469 ☒ 1866 (June 29) envelope to Karkoff franked 3d. plate 4 wing margin and 6d. tied by London EC duplexes with Aachen transit alongside, framed "Franco." mark and oval "PD" and arrival c.d.s. at right. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 470 ☒ 1867 (June 3) envelope (rear flap defective) to St. Petersburg franked 9d. wing margin just tied by Brighton duplex with Aachen transit mark, circular "PD" in red and London c.d.s. on reverse. Photo. **£120-£140**



- 471 ☒ **Saint Helena:** 1869 (Jan. 8) envelope "By Cape Mail" to St. Helena franked 1s. plate 4 tied by Twickenham duplex with London and Cape Packet Devonport and 1869 (Feb. 9) envelope "By Plymouth/Officers Letter" to the same addressee in St. Helena franked 6d. tied by Dublin duplex, mainly fine. (2) Photo. **£250-£280**
- 472 ☒ **Sierra Leone:** 1844 (Dec. 3) entire to "H.M.S. Ringdove, Coast Of Africa" (under the Sierra Leone station since 1842, datelined at Montreal five weeks prior) with Hambleton undated cancellation, Horndean c.d.s. on reverse, London Paid and London ship letter marks and 1874 (July 23) stained envelope to Wilberforce franked 6d. plate 18 tied by Liverpool duplex with "d1" credit mark and Sierra Leone c.d.s. on reverse. (2) Photo. **£150-£200**



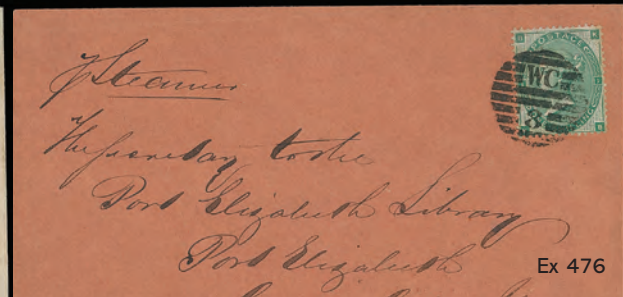
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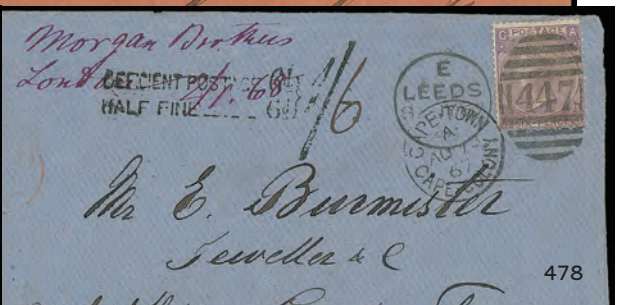
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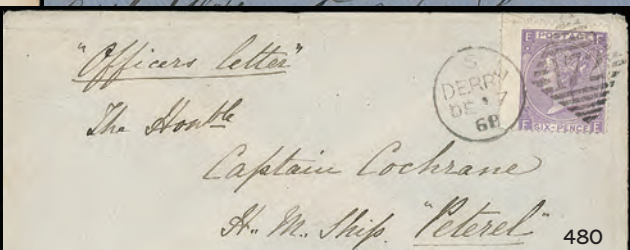
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South Africa: Cape of Good Hope

- 473 ☒ 1845 (Nov. 24) entire "*p Greenlaw*" (in Dutch and datelined at Amsterdam) with Lombard Street and London Ship letter (Robertson S51) datestamps, rated '2/8'(d) for the treble rate, scarce, charged '4'(d) on arrival. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 474 ☒ 1851 (Sept. 12) entire (in Dutch and datelined at Amsterdam) "*p Propontis*" to Cape of Good Hope franked 1s. embossed, cut square but into on all sides, tied by London numeral with two (Van Heekeren and Van Notten) forwarding agents cachets on reverse applied in Amsterdam and London and unusual. Photo. **£150-£170**
- 475 ☒ 1856 (Feb. 19) envelope (a few faults) to Cape Town franked 4d. (2) tied by faint numerals with Ryde, London and Cape Town datestamps on reverse, scarce private ship letter rate from the April 1854-August 1856 period when no contracts existed. Photo. **£140-£160**
- 476 ☒ 1858 (Dec. 4) envelope "*per Mail Steamer*" franked 6d. and tied by London SE duplex manuscript "1" credit to the Cape and 1864 (Sept. 5) envelope to Port Elizabeth franked 1862 1s. tied by "WC/8" bar cancellations with Charing Cross WC and Port Elizabeth datestamps on reverse, mainly fine. (2) Photo. **£150-£200**
- 477 ☒ 1865 (Apr. 26) envelope (some toning) "*p Overland via Marseilles & Mauritius*" to Port Elizabeth franked 4d. and 1s. tied by WC bar cancellations with London and Port Elizabeth datestamps on reverse. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 478 ☒ 1867 (July 8) envelope (opened out and with letter) to Cape Town franked 6d. plate 6 tied by Leeds duplex with Cape Town arrival c.d.s. and "DEFICIENT POSTAGE 6d/HALF-FINE.....6d} 1/-" mark, the latter manuscript altered to a total of "1/6" incl. local fine of 6d. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 479 ☒ 1868 (July 14) envelope (rear flap faults) "*by private steamer Asia/via Falmouth*" to H.M.S. *Peterel* franked 1d. strip of four, partly severed in places and tied by Derry duplexes and a London Paid transit mark, "2"(d) incoming charge mark and Cape town arrival datestamp also a "MISSENT TO/CHICAGO DIS. N" mark at left, initially missorted and reverse with Chicago and Grahams Town datestamps, unusual. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 480 ☒ 1868 (Dec. 12) envelope (torn reverse) "*Officers Letter*" to H.M.S. *Peterel* franked 6d. plate 6 tied by Derry duplex and 1869 (Oct. 4) envelope "*per Private Steamer....*" to Uitenhage franked 4d. plate 11 (perf. fault) tied by London WC duplex and with Cape Town transit c.d.s. and "2" (d) charge mark at left. (2) Photo. **£100-£120**
- 481 ☒ 1869 (Nov. 8) small envelope (refolded and rear flap faults) to Caffraria franked 1s. plate 4 tied by Oxford duplex with Cape Town transit and Alice arrival datestamps, uncommon inland destination. Reverse with a London transit c.d.s. Photo. **£120-£140**
- 482 ☒ 1875 (Feb. 19) mourning cover "*Donald Currie Steamer*" to Burnshill franked 4d. tied by Helensburgh duplex with Cape Town and King Williams Town transit datestamps and "2"(d) charge mark and 1879 (Feb. 25) mourning envelope to Grahams Town franked 6d. plate 15 tied by Teddington duplex and with a Cape Town transit c.d.s. alongside. (2) Photo. **£100-£120**
- 483 ☒ **South Africa: Natal:** 1873 (Sept. 3) mourning envelope to Umzinto franked 6d. plate 12 vertical wing margin pair tied by Aberdeen duplex and 1883 (June 28) envelope "*via Plymouth*" to Newcastle franked 6d. on 6d. tied by Sidmouth squared circle with Plymouth, Natal G.P.O. and Newcastle datestamps on reverse. (2) Photo. **£150-£200**
- 484 ☒ **Spain:** Pre-Stamp selection inc. 1822 (July 8) entire to Barcelona with scarce dotted "BRISTOL" c.d.s. (only in use that year), London transit and "ANGLETERRE" marks, 1834 (Aug. 8) entire "*via Paris and Madrid*" to Jerez de la Frontera rated '4/4'(d) and charged '28½' reales, 1835 (Sept. 23) entire by private ship and endorsed "*p William Fawcett*" to Jerez de la Frontera rated '3/-' and charged '26 R', 1842 (Jan. 4) entire to Seville rated '2/2'(d) with "11R" charge mark and very fine "MISSENT/TO/TRURO", 1850 (Mar. 17) quadruple weight entire to Cadiz rated '8/8'(d) with a "36 R" charge mark, etc. (20) **£250-£300**
- 485 ☒ - Selection with 1857 (Aug. 11) wrapper to Madrid franked 1d., 2d. and 6d tied by London numerals with Calais transit circular "PP" and "4R" charge marks, 1866 (Apr. 16) envelope to Bilbao franked 1d. and 3d. pairs tied by Liverpool duplexes with "PD" mark overscored by a "50" numeral cancellations and with "INSUFFICIENTLY/PREPAID" and "4R" charge marks, 1872 (May 1) entire to Villagarcia franked 6d., 1881 (Apr. 19) entire to the Balearic Islands franked 2½d., etc. (7) Photo. **£180-£200**



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Sweden

- 486** ☒ Stampless selection 1857 (Sept. 18) wrapper to Stockholm prepaid '½'(d) with London and Aachen datestamp, 1859 (Sept. 30) wrapper "*via Gothenburg*" to Stockholm also rated '½'(d) with Hull and Gothenburg datestamps, 1860 (Sept. 4) unpaid entire to Stockholm with Hull and Ystad datestamps and with "108" charge mark, 1871 (Feb. 24) and (Apr. 17) wrappers to Stockholm with "3d" and "4d" and an 1874 (June 25) wrapper to Stockholm repaid '5'(d) and with "2½" accountancy mark. (6) Photo. **£220-£240**
- 487** ☒ 1861 (Jan. 30) wrapper to Norrköping franked 1d. pair and 1s. tied by Liverpool duplexes with oval "P" mark in red and Helsingborg transit c.d.s. Reverse with London, Hamburg and Swedish P.O. in Hamburg datestamps, fine. Photo. **£140-£160**
- 488** ☒ 1862 (Jan. 30) wrapper "*via Ostend and Hamburg*" to Norrköping franked 4d. and 1s. pair tied by Liverpool duplexes with oval "P" mark in red and Helsingborg transit c.d.s. Reverse with London, Hamburg and Swedish P.O. in Hamburg datestamps, very scarce double rate, mainly fine. Photo. **£200-£220**
- 489** ☒ 1863 (June 26) very small mourning envelope "*via Belgium*" to Stockholm franked 1862 1s. wing margin with double perf. at right tied by Watford duplex with oval "PD" mark in red. Reverse with London W, Hamburg and Swedish P.O. in Hamburg datestamps, very fine. Photo. **£150-£170**
- 490** ☒ 1865 (Aug. 9) wrapper to Stockholm franked 1d., 4d. and 6d. tied by Falkirk duplexes with Aachen transit, circular "PD" and "FRANCO" marks. Reverse with Grangemouth and London datestamps. *Very Scarce 11d. rate only in place for less than five months as a consequence of the 2nd Schleswig War.* Photo. **£150-£200**
- 491** ☒ Selection with 1870 (July 20) and 1871 (July 5) wrappers to Stockholm franked 6d. tied by London or Glasgow duplexes with "3d" accountancy and oval "PD" marks, 1872 wrapper to Uddewalla franked 6d. tied by Liverpool duplex, 1872 (Nov. 21) wrapper to Landskrona franked 4d. tied by Leith duplex and with "INSUFFICIENTLY/STAMPED" mark, 1873 (Jan. 24) and (Aug. 22) wrapper to Gothenburg franked 1d. and 4d. or 1d. pair and 3d. tied by Liverpool or London duplexes with "2½d" or "3½d" accountancy marks and an 1880 wrapper franked 2½d. (7) Photo. **£200-£220**
- 492** ☒ 1873 (Jan. 7) wrapper to Stockholm franked 3d. (3 incl. a wing margin pair) tied by Swansea duplexes with oval red registered London datestamp, The Docks/Swansea c.d.s., circular "PD" mark and Copenhagen transit c.d.s on reverse, very scarce registered item. Photo. **£160-£180**
- 493** No lot

Switzerland

- 494** ☒ Stampless selection incl. 1842 (Jan. 26), 1844 (July 16) entires to Wohlen each rated '1/2(d) 1843 (Aug. 28), 1845 (Mar. 12) wrappers to Wohlen rated '5'(d), 'or '1/3'(d), 1846 (Mar. 27) entire to Burgdorf with Bilston, London and Calais datestamps and rated '1/11'(d), 1850 (Aug. 7) wrapper to Basel sent unpaid and 1855 (Apr. 16) entire to Zurich from Manchester prepaid '8'(d), fine. (7) Photo. **£160-£180**
- 495** ☒ Via Calais selection with 1858 (May 25) envelope to Ticino from London sent via Calais rated '1/-' and with Crown Registered and "CHARGE" marks, 1866 (Dec. 17) and 1870 (Aug. 18) (during two week closure of the Ostend route) to Basel or Zurich each franked 2d. and 3d. and tied by London duplexes also 1865 (Feb.) prices current wrapper to Basel franked 1d. tied by a London numeral and charged '5' centimes. (4) **£100-£120**
- 496** ☒ 1859 (Sept. 1) 1d. pink envelope to Vevey uprated 1d. and 4d and tied or cancelled by London numerals with Calais c.d.s alongside and oval red "PD" mark. Reverse with London, Paris Lausanne and Vevey c.d.s., mainly fine. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 497** ☒ Via Ostend mail with 1871 (Sept. 23) entire "*via Belgium*" to Berne franked 3d. (wing margin) tied by Newcastle on Tyne duplex and 1874 (Mar. 30) wrapper to Brugg franked 1d. and 3d. (2, one wing margin) tied by Liverpool numerals and with oval Exchange Liverpool registered datestamp and London superimposed registration duplex. (2) Photo. **£100-£120**



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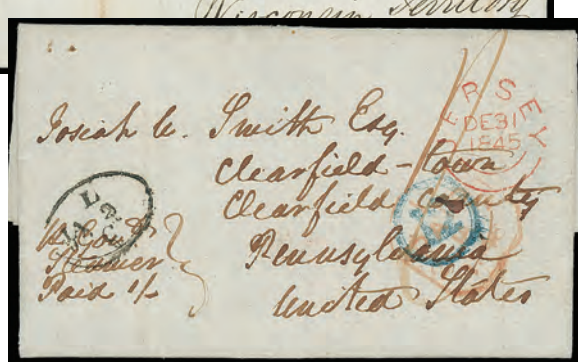
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Turkish Empire

- 498 ☒ Constantinople, selection with 1848 (July 19) entire "*via Marseilles*" rated '2/1'(d) with London Paid, Calais transit and (French P.O. in) Constantinople datestamps and an oval "PD" mark in red and 1871 (Mar. 20 and July 31) entires from London franked 6d. or 3d. and 4d., the latter with framed red "L1" mark and endorsed "*via Belgium*", both with (British P.O. in) Constantinople c.d.s. on reverse, mainly fine. (3) Photo. **£200-£220**
- 499 ☒ Stampless selection to Aleppo with 1849 (Sept. 13) entire "*via Southampton*" rated '1/6'(d) with London and Glasgow datestamps, 1859 (Mar. 3) entire "*via Marseilles*" with Liverpool, London and Calais datestamps rated '6'(d) and 1849 (Sept. 18) and 1850 (Oct. 29) entires "*via Marseilles*" rated '1/3'(d) and '3/4'(d) each with Glasgow, London and Calais datestamps, mainly fine. (4) Photo. **£200-£220**
- 500 ☒ 1858 (Oct. 14) entire "*via Marseilles/p French Packet/via Alexandria*" to Beirut franked 6d. and 1s. pair (wing margin) tied by Glasgow duplexes with Calais transit c.d.s. and circular "PD" mark. Reverse with London and Paris transit c.d.s., mainly fine, scarce quintuple weight letter. Photo. **£180-£200**
- 501 ☒ 1859 (Dec. 16) small "Marseilles" coloured 'ribbon' envelope to Alexandretta franked 6d. pair tied by Portsmouth duplex with Calais c.d.s. and oval "PD" mark in red. Reverse with London, Paris and (French P.O. in) Beirut datestamps, scarce destination. Photo. **£200-£220**
- 502 ☒ 1862 (Mar. 6) entire to Smyrna franked 1d. plate 39 and wing margin 6d. strip of three tied by London numerals with Calais c.d.s. and oval "PD" mark in red. Reverse with London and (French P.O. in) Smyrna datestamps, mainly fine. R.P.S. certificate (1996). Photo. **£220-£250**
- 503 ☒ 1871 (Apr. 5) envelope to Beirut franked 3d. pair tied by Cheltenham duplexes with London, Trieste and (Austrian P.O. in) Beirut datestamps and with "2" credit mark in crayon, uncommon. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 504 ☒ **Turks Islands:** 1868 (Dec. 17) wrapper "*via St. Thomas*" to Turks Islands franked 1s. plate 4 (wing margin) tied by London duplex with "1d" credit mark and Turks Islands arrival c.d.s. on reverse, scarce. Photo. **£150-£180**

United States of America



- 505 ☒ 1840 (July 31) 1d. Mulready lettersheet (forme 1A 11, minor faults) to Lititz, Pennsylvania endorsed 'P 1/-' with Manchester and Boston transit datestamps and "SHIP" marks and rated '39½' cents on arrival (37½c. for two sheets over 150 but under 400 miles plus 2c. landing charge), very rare. B.P.A. certificate (1998) (photocopy) Photo also on inside front cover. **£2,000-£2,500**
- 506 ☒ Pre-Retaliatory rates group incl. 1841 (Aug. 16) entire to Boston from Manchester rated '2/-' with concave "SHIP/6" mark, 1843 (Aug. 17) entire to New York rated '1/-' with Cork, Dublin and Boston datestamps and circular "20¼" (cents) charge mark, 1845 (Dec. 31) entire to Pennsylvania rated '1/-' with Jersey, London, Liverpool and Philadelphia circular "12" (cents) charge mark in blue, etc. (7) Photo. **£200-£220**
- 507 ☒ 1842 (May 31) unusual O.H.M.S. entire to Salem from William Maberly, G.P.O. Secretary, concerning a letter requiring pre-payment of '3/6'(d) before a letter could be forwarded, with oval "MISSENT/TO/CARDIFF" mark and Boston transit c.d.s., sent free but charged '8'(cents) 2c. landing fee and 6c. for a distance below 30 miles, also 1846 (Nov. 3) wrapper to Vermont sent unpaid with framed "Returned for '1/-' Postage" mark. Photo. **£120-£150**



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- 508 ☒ Private ship letter selection incl. 1843 (Feb. 10 and June 17) single and double rates to New York from Liverpool and rated '8'(d) and '1/4' for the single and double rates, 1843 (May 9) entire to Milwaukee rated '8'(d) and "12" cents mark applied for a letter under ½ oz. over 300 miles and incl. a 2c. landing fee, etc. (6) Photo. **£120-£140**
- 509 ☒ Discriminatory charge mail with 1847 (Oct. 23) entire "*p Washington*" (from Bremen) to Boston rated '1/-' with Lombard St. datestamp, rated '29' cents as an unpaid letter with a further 5c. internal charge also 1847 (June 1) entire to Glasgow from New York rated '24' Cents prepaid and charged '1/-' on arrival, fine. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 510 ☒ 1848 (May 27) entire (light file fold) "*p Arcadia Str*" (Cunard line) to New York franked partially severed 1s. embossed pair tied by "466" numerals and circular "6" landing charge mark and Liverpool datestamps on reverse, mainly fine. Photo. **£220-£280**
- 511 ☒ 1848 (June 3) entire "*pr Steamer/3 June*" to New York addressee name overscored franked 1d., 2d. and 1s. embossed, cut square with two margins tied by "466" numerals and with "7" charge mark for landing charge and destination beyond the point of arrival, attractive three colour franking and uncommon Liverpool 3d. late fee. Liverpool datestamps on reverse. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 512 ☒ Retaliatory rates selection with 1848 (June 24) entire to New York from Liverpool with "1/-" and "24" marks, carried on the *Caledonia* first sailing 1848 (July 29) entire to Andover with Boston entry mark franked 1s. tied by Liverpool numeral and "29" (cents) charge mark and 1848 (Nov. and Dec.) entires to New York or Boston with Liverpool datestamps and "1/" mark or rated '1/-' and "24" (cents) charge marks, the letter datelined at Genoa and with a forwarding agents cachet. (4) Photo. **£250-£280**
- 513 ☒ Retaliatory Rates selection of semi official mail incl. 1848 (July and Sept.) entires to Washington rated '1/-' or '8'(d) with "29" cents charge deleted or with octagonal "6" cents charged overstruck by framed "FREE" mark, apparently treated without inwards charges on army matters also an 1848 (Aug. 24) entire from Edinburgh sent via Boston with no further charges and concerning the status and whereabouts of a soldier, fine. (3) Photo. **£300-£350**
- 514 ☒ Double and treble retaliatory rates with 1848 (Sept. 8 and 15) entires to the same firm in New York rated '2/-' and '3/-' with London datestamps and with "58" (cents) charge mark and rated '72' (cents) due, the former with a Boston entry c.d.s. and carried on the *Acadia* or *America*, fine. (2) Photo. **£200-£220**
- 515 ☒ 1d. pink envelopes used in 1848 (Nov. 14) to Detroit rated '1/-' sent during the retaliatory period with payment ignored and charged '34' (cents) incl. a 10c. fee for destinations over 300 miles from port of origin and with York and Boston datestamps and carried on the *Britannia* and 1864 (Aug. 19) to Illinois, the embossing overfranked with 1s. tied by London SW duplex with Boston Packet and "5/CENTS" marks. (2) Photo. **£200-£250**



- 516 ☒ 1848 (Dec. 15) mourning envelope to Boston franked 2d. strip of four tied by Bangor sideways duplexes, with "19/CENTS" credit mark to G.B. and part payment not recognised and treated as unpaid with Boston "24" Packet datestamp, fine. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 517 ☒ 1848 (Dec. 29) wrapper "*pr America*" to Philadelphia franked 1s. embossed, cut square, touching on two sides tied by London numeral and "12" charge mark under the 1845 Act consisting of 10c. inland and 2c. landing charge with Boston arrival c.d.s. at top. Reverse with Lombard Street datestamp. *Sent during the retaliatory period but arrived after the restored rate period.* Photo. **£150-£170**
- 518 ☒ Early restored rates with 1849 (Feb. 23) entire to New York rated '1/-' with '5' cents accountancy in manuscript pending issue of a handstamp for this purpose and carried on the *America*, the first sailing under 1849 (Dec. 15) convention also 1849 (Feb. 9) entire to Philadelphia prepaid '1/-' and charged "7" cents being an internal rate from New York Port and 2c. landing charge. (2) Photo. **£150-£200**



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- 519 ☒ 1849 (July 10) wrapper to Philadelphia franked 1d. tied by "952" barred numeral and further rated '11'(d) with "PAID/SHIP" and "24" marks in red with Hollytroys undated cancellation and Blackburn c.d.s., very unusual split payment cover. Photo. **£150-£180**
- 520 ☒ 1850 (June 8) entire "*p Cumbria*" to New York franked 1d. strip of three just touching at bottom left and 1s. embossed (cut square, slightly into at right) with "466" numerals and "PAID" and "5/CENTS" marks in red and Liverpool c.d.s on reverse. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 521 ☒ 1850 (June 28) entire "*p Str Hibernia /Liverpool*" to San Francisco with Glasgow framed Paid datestamp and rated '4/11'(d) double 2s.5½d. rate and scarce, "PAID" mark applied in red on arrival, early West Coast mail. Photo. **£130-£150**



- 522 ☒ 1850 (Aug. 10) entire endorsed "*Europa*" (Cunard line) and "*Paid Late*" to New York franked 1s. embossed strips of four and three, cut square, variable margins with Liverpool numerals for the sextuple rate plus 1s. late fee. "PAID" mark in red and rated '30' cents credit to U.S. Liverpool "F.R.H." c.d.s. on reverse, mainly fine and very rare. Important exhibition item with only six examples of a sextuple rate recorded by us. Holcombe expertising signature in pencil. Ex Atkinson. Photo also on front cover. **£2,500-£3,000**
- 523 ☒ 1850 (Oct. 17) J. Valentine (Dundee) Peace envelope (state 2) to New Britain, Connecticut endorsed "*Paid*" rated '1/-' with "5/CENTS" credit mark to G.B. and London, Liverpool and Boston datestamps, carried on the *Canada* (Cunard) and with a Greenwich receiving office mark on reverse. Rare use abroad. Photo. **£300-£350**
- 524 ☒ 1850 (Oct. 26) entire "*Africa*" to New York franked 1s. embossed (3, cut square, variable margins) with smudged "466" numeral cancellations with "PAID" and "10/CENTS" charge mark, the reverse with "LIVERPOOL/F.R.H." c.d.s. representing the 1s. late fee for use of this service, scarce franking. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 525 ☒ 1851 (July 7) envelope (with contents, typed transcript included) "*per First Mail Steamer/from Liverpool*" to Baltimore franked 1d. pair and tied by "444" numerals. Part-payment (or late fee) not recognised and charged and marked and with New York "24" (cents) c.d.s. also "3/CENTS" credit mark to G.B., reverse with Leamington, and Liverpool datestamps, unusual. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 526 ☒ 1851 (Nov. 14) Myers & Company "OCEAN PENNY POST" envelope to Windsor, Vermont sent unpaid with London and Boston datestamps, "18/CENTS" credit to G.B. mark and "24" (cents) charge mark, rare use sent abroad. Photo. **£300-£350**
- 527 ☒ 1852 (June 4, Nov. 1) two entires to the same firm in San Francisco with Glasgow and London or Liverpool and London datestamps and rated '2/4' or '4/8'(d) and both with "PAID" marks in black on arrival, single and double via St. Thomas (Danish West Indies) rates and both carried on the *Orinoco*, mainly fine. Photo. **£180-£200**



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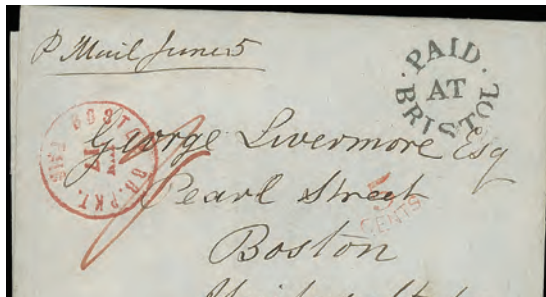
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- 528 ☒ 1852 (Aug. 21) entire "*p America*" to New York franked 1s. embossed pair, cut square, margins touching or slightly cut into just tied by "466" numerals with "PAID" and "5/CENTS" charge mark, the reverse with "LIVERPOOL/F.R.H." c.d.s. representing the 1s. late fee for use of this service. Photo. **£180-£200**
- 529 ☒ 1854 (June 9) double weight entire "*p Canada/Via Liverpool*" to New York franked 6d. (defects) and 1s. (2, cut square, varied margins) embossed with smudged numeral cancellations with Euston Square Station and Liverpool c.d.s. on reverse and with "PAID" mark below, very scarce example of this T.P.O. service. Holcombe certificate (1992). Photo. **£350-£400**
- 530 ☒ 1854 (Sept. 8) to Alabama franked 1s. embossed (cut square) tied by Liverpool spoon with New York entry c.d.s. and 1863 (June 6) entire to Boston rated '1/-' with Paid at Bristol mark Boston entry c.d.s. and both with "5/CENTS" accountancy marks for use of British packets *Arabia* and *Scotia*. (2) Photo. **£120-£140**
- 531 ☒ Contract Carriers selection incl. 1855, 1861 entires to New York from London endorsed "*Hermann*" or "*Arago*" with "3/CENTS" and "24" marks, 1856 (June 6) unpaid entire to Boston from Manchester with "38/CENTS" and "48" marks, 1854 entire to New York from Liverpool and "76/CENTS" and "96" marks in black for the quadruple rate, etc. (8) Photo. **£200-£250**
- 532 ☒ Rates selection incl. 1856, 1858 printed matter articles franked 1d., 1862 (Dec. 10) mourning envelope to New York franked 6d. pair tied by Edinburgh duplexes with "21/CENTS" credit to U.S., 1868 (Apr. 16) envelope to Cambridge (MA) franked marginal imprint 6d. tied by Edinburgh duplex, 1869 (Oct. 23) cover to San Francisco franked 6d., 1872, 1874 wrappers to New York or San Francisco franked 3d., etc. (9) Photo. **£220-£250**
- 533 ☒ 1856 to 1860, selection of printed matter articles franked 1d. all tied by Liverpool numerals and each endorsed (or printed) with a named vessel *Niagara*, *Canada*, *Europa* and *Africa* also an example rated '1'(d) with Liverpool Paid mark. (5) Photo. **£100-£120**
- 534 ☒ 1856 (Mar. 24) envelope to New York franked 6d. embossed (2, both cut square, variable margins) with "760" numerals, "21/CENTS" credit and "PAID" marks and New York American Packet arrival c.d.s., reverse with Glemsford sub-office, Sudbury and London datestamps, scarce franking. R.P.S. certificate (1994). Photo. **£200-£220**
- 535 ☒ 1856 (Dec. 18) J. Valentine (Dundee) "INTEMPERANCE IS THE BANE OF SOCIETY" envelope (State 1) to New York, sent unpaid with Glasgow and New York datestamps, and "19/CENTS" credit mark to G.B., rare use sent abroad, mainly fine. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 536 ☒ 1857 (Feb. 3) 'Shakespeare' printed illustrated envelope to Philadelphia franked 1855 1s. tied by London numeral and with "21/CENTS" credit mark to U.S.A. for use of an American packet *Ericson* (Collins Line) and with London c.d.s. on reverse, very fine and rare use of a printed envelope sent abroad. Photo. **£300-£350**
- 537 ☒ 1857 (Apr. 3) wrapper (file fold) to New York franked 1s. with London numeral, "5/CENTS" and "PAID" marks in red, with "Walworth St" and London c.d.s. on reverse, side fold opened out to show "I Certify that this invoice was present/on entry"/CUSTOM HOUSE NEW YORK/(date)" mark and unusual. Photo. **£100-£120**



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- 538 ☒ Private Ship Letter Rates, 1857 (May 13) wrapper *"Indiana from Southampton"* to New York franked 1d. and 4d. pair tied by London numerals with circular "6" charge mark, 1860 (Sept. 11) envelope *"pr str Edinburgh"* to New York franked 1s. tied by Sheffield duplex and "6" cents charge mark also an 1855 (Mar. 9) consignment entire *"p Daniel Webster"* sent free and with "SHIP/6" charge mark. (3) Photo. **£300-£350**
- 539 ☒ 1857 (Nov. 11) entire *"paid per Steamer Atlantic"* to New York franked 1d. (3 incl. a pair) and 1s. (2) tied by "466" barred numerals with "PAID" and "42" cents marks in red, reverse with Liverpool datestamps, scarce double rate and 3d. late fee franking. Photo. **£200-£220**
- 540 ☒ 1858 (Jan. 29) wrapper (file folds) *"pr Niagara"* to New York franked 6d. (creased) and 1s. pair tied by London numerals with crown registered mark, Boston entry c.d.s. and "48" (cents) charge mark and manuscript '10' cents credit to G.B. Photo. **£160-£200**
- 541 ☒ Mail to California with 1858 (June 1) and 1854 (July 4) entires to the same firm in San Francisco with Glasgow and London datestamp and "PAID" marks and rated '1/2½'(d) or '2/5'(d) single or double rates carried on the *Arago* or *Franklin* also an 1864 (Apr. 29) wrapper to San Francisco from London sent unpaid with "19/CENTS" and "24" marks in black. (3) Photo. **£150-£200**
- 542 ☒ 1858 (Aug. 4) and 1859 (Jan. 25) entires (light file folds) to Philadelphia franked 1s. solo or two singles and tied by Jersey duplexes with Liverpool and Philadelphia Paid datestamps and with red "5/CENTS" and "10/CENTS" credit marks due to the U.S., mainly fine. (2) Photo. **£180-£200**
- 543 ☒ 1858 (Dec. 17) entire to New York franked 4d. pair with London numerals and one with "19/CENTS" credit mark to G.B., marked "INSUFFICIENTLY/PREPAID" with Liverpool transit and "24" cents charge mark, part payment not recognised. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 544 ☒ 1859 (Aug. 19) and 1866 (July 7) entires to Boston or New York rated '1/-' each with London Paid datestamps, "PAID" and "5/CENTS" marks and franked 1d. or 2d. and tied by London numerals for payments of late fees which were required to be franked from November 19 1858, the latter with an inspector's mark, attractive pair. Photo. **£120-£150**



- 545 ☒ 1859 (Dec. 24) entire (central file fold) *"per Arabia pd"* to New York franked 6d. (wing margin) and 1s. tied by "466" numerals with "PAID" and "5/CENTS" marks, reverse with Liverpool "F.R.H" c.d.s. *Very rare example of the seldom used reduced Floating Receiving House fee.* Photo. **£300-£350**
- 546 ☒ 1860 (Aug. 16) envelope to New York franked 6d. and 1s. (wing margin) with London numerals Lombard Street c.d.s., oval registered datestamps and crown registered mark and New York arrival mark. Carried on the *Nova Scotian* (Allan Line) via Queenstown and rated '21' and '6' (half the registration fee) cents credit to U.S., fine. Photo. **£140-£160**



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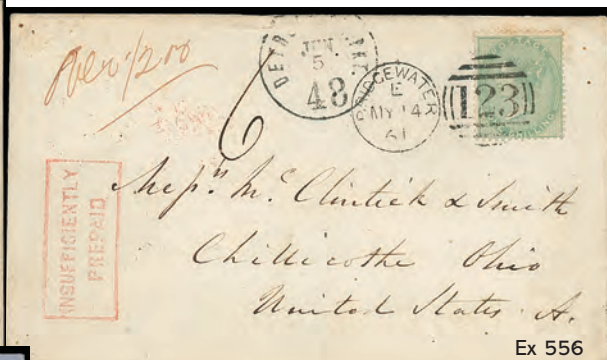
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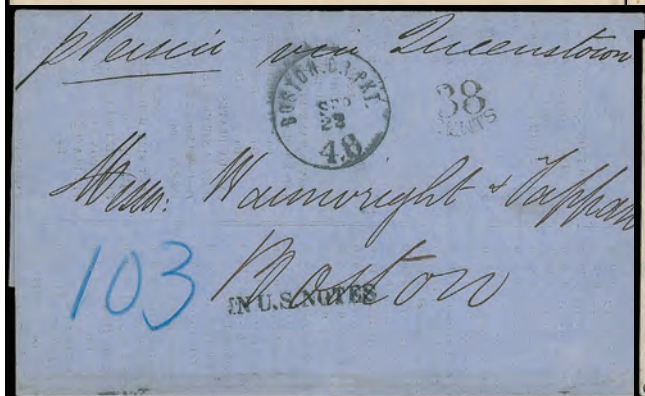
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- 547 ☒ 1860 (Aug. 20) envelope to Richmond (VA) franked 6d. pair tied by "560" numerals with "21/CENTS" credit mark, framed "ADVERTISED" New York American Packet and Richmond datestamps and unframed "SENT BACK TO ENGLAND/WITHOUT A REASON/FOR NON-DELIVERY". Reverse with Newport, London and Richmond datestamps, fine. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 548 ☒ 1861 (Feb. 14) unpaid entire to Portland, Maine with "3/CENTS" credit mark with Liverpool c.d.s. and Portland American Packet arrival datestamp and 1865 (Mar. 16) envelope to Maine franked 1s. tied by Bilston duplex with Portland Paid c.d.s., framed "ADVERTISED" and "Not called for" marks. (2) Photo. **£200-£220**
- 549 ☒ 1861 (July 12) envelope (torn reverse) to San Francisco franked 1d., 2d. and 1s. tied by Dublin duplexes and with San Francisco Paid c.d.s., necessarily over ½d. for the 1s.2½d. rate. Photo. **£160-£200**



- 550 ☒ 1861 (Aug. 26) envelope to San Francisco franked 1d. strip of three and 6d. pair tied by "H & K.PACT" duplexes (early use) and red San Francisco Paid c.d.s., necessarily over ½d. for the 1½d. rate. London transit c.d.s. of the following day on reverse. Photo. **£180-£200**
- 551 ☒ Via Ireland selection with 1861 (Dec. 18) and 1864 (Mar. 17) entires to Boston franked 6d. pair or sent unpaid from Liverpool with "21/CENTS" or "3/CENTS" accountancy marks and endorsed "Via Queenstown" or "Londonderry" also 1861, 1871 printed matter articles franked 1d. tied by London numerals both endorsed "via Queenstown", one with '2' cents charge. (4) Photo. **£200-£220**
- 552 ☒ Civil War returned mail, 1861 (Dec. 24) and 1862 (Dec. 2) envelopes (one with repair) to Virginia franked 4d. strip of three or 1d. tied by Edinburgh or Castle Douglas duplexes with "21/CENTS" or "3/CENTS" accountancy marks and framed "SENT-BACK-TO-ENGLAND/WITHOUT-A-REASON/FOR NON-DELIVERY" on front or rear flap, the former also with a double oval "DEAD LETTER OFFICE/P.O DEPT" mark on reverse, mainly very fine. Photo. **£300-£350**
- 553 ☒ Depreciated Currency Rates, 1863 (Apr. 18) unpaid entire to New York with "19/CENTS" credit mark with "35" cents charge mark, the earliest possible date (carried on the *Europa* arriving May 2) for such a charge and 1864 (Oct. 29) envelope to New York franked 6d. pair tied by "466" numerals with "INSUFFICIENTLY/PREPAID", "5/CENTS" (overscored), "38/CENTS", "48" and "U.S.NOTES/113" marks, fine. (2) Photo. **£300-£350**
- 554 ☒ 1864 (Aug. 10) advertising envelope (Alexander McDougall "Perfect Safety in Sheep Dipping") to Washington rated '1/-' with Manchester and New York datestamps and "21/CENTS" accountancy mark and 1866 (Aug. 12) advertising envelope (Taylor's Veterinary Condition Balls) to St. Louis sent unpaid with part Dumfries duplex, Chicago transit c.d.s., "3/CENTS" accountancy marks and "33/US NOTES" charge mark, attractive pair. (2) Photo. **£220-£250**
- 555 ☒ 1864 (Sept. 10) and 1869 (May 8) entires to Boston from Liverpool both sent unpaid, the first with "38/CENTS" double credit rate and '103' (\$1.03) alongside a "IN U.S. NOTES" mark with "BOSTON BR.PKT/46" c.d.s. or with circular "IN U.S. NOTES/38" mark, good pair showing depreciated currency rates. (2) Photo. **£120-£150**
- 556 ☒ 1864 (Nov. 1) envelope to Wisconsin franked 1s. tied by Torquay duplex with Chicago Packet datestamp and "21/CENTS" credit mark to G.B. carried on the *Nova Scotian* via Queenstown to Portland and 1861 (May 14) envelope to Ohio franked 1s. tied by Bridgwater duplex with framed "INSUFFICIENTLY/PREPAID" mark at left and part Detroit Packet datestamp, carried on the *North Britain* to Quebec, very scarce, particularly the latter also 1860 (July 3) unpaid entire to Philadelphia showing Philadelphia Packet Office of Exchange "24" (cents) charge datestamp. Photo. **£300-£320**



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- 557 ☒ 1867 (Apr. 30) envelope (a few defects) to Wicksville, Ohio franked 1s. tied by Glasgow duplex with "21/CENTS" credit mark with rare Baltimore American Packet c.d.s. below and carried on the *Somerset*. Photo. £220-£250
- 558 ☒ 1870 3d. rates selection incl. 1870 (Apr. 9) reduced entire franked 9d. 1872 (July 6 and 27) entire or envelope franked 1½d. (2) or 6d. tied by London EC or Liverpool duplexes and 1874 (July 14) envelope to Jersey City (redirected to Trenton) franked 3d. tied by Queenstown duplex with framed "INSUFFICIENTLY/PREPAID" and 13c. due New York U.S. Currency datestamp. (4) £100-£120
- 559 ☒ U.P.U. selection incl. 1875, 1876 covers to New York franked 2½d. (one on blued paper), 1875 ½d. (uprated 1d. pair) and 1¼d. postcards, 1879 cover to New York franked 1d. with tax and charge marks and 1c. and 5c. postage dues. R.P.S. certificate (1989). (5) Photo. £120-£140
- 560 ☒ **Uruguay:** 1864 (Dec. 21) entire "p French Steamer" to Montevideo franked 1862 6d. pair tied by indistinct London numerals and with "INSUFFICIENTLY/PREPAID" mark applied and barred numeral "50" struck over a red oval "PD" mark, sent via Southampton and with London datestamp on reverse. Photo. £100-£120
- 561 ☒ - 1872 (May 8) wrapper "per R.M.Str Neva/from Southampton" to Montevideo franked 1d., 3d. plate 7 and 1s. plate 5 (2) tied by "498" numerals, the 1d. also tied by an oval Registered Manchester datestamp and 1877 (May 17) entire "Via Bordeaux" to Montevideo franked 1s. pair tied by Manchester duplexes with circular bold "20" charge mark below. (2) Photo. £250-£300
- 562 ☒ **Venezuela:** Selection with 1871 (Nov. 9) entire "per st Koenig Wilhelm" (North German Lloyd) to Caracas franked 1s. (straight edge at left) tied by "498" oval bar cancellation and with Manchester paid c.d.s. in red, 1876 (June 1) entire "per R.M.S. Nile" to Caracas franked 2s. blue tied by Manchester duplex, 1880 (Mar. 16) entire "per R.M.Str Medway" to Caracas franked 8d. tied by Manchester duplex, mainly fine. (3) Photo. £300-£320

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- 563** ☒ Transatlantic selection incl. 1836 wrapper to London from Havana rated '9/-', 1851 (Nov. 14) entire to San Francisco from Glasgow rated '2/4'(d), 1852 (June 18) entire to Montreal from Glasgow rated '4/-' deleted and re-rated '5/2(d), 1855 envelope to Liverpool from Havana sent via New York with circular "10" marks and rated '½½'(d), etc. (14) **£180-£200**
- 564** ☒ Small selection comprising 1851 (Dec. 25) registered cover to U.S.A. bearing 1841 2d. strip of three and embossed 1s., attractive Christmas day usage, also 1853 cover to Prussia bearing 1841 2d. single and strip of three and to Antwerp bearing 1841 2d. strip of three. (3) **£100-£120**
- 565** ☒ A selection of covers to overseas destinations bearing various 2d. stars frankings written up on leaves, comprising to Belgium 1857 with 2d. (3), Mexico with 1d., 2d. and 1s. pair, Canada 1857 with 1d. and 2d. pairs (2), Netherlands 1857 with 2d. strip of four, France 1855 with 2d. (4), 1855 to 1859 seven covers with 2d. pairs (one with two singles). (12) **£200-£250**
- 566** ☒ A collection of covers and entire letters from 1859 to 1880 with 1858-76 2d. frankings, written up in boxed album, incl. combination frankings with other issues or 2d. strips of three, covers to Canada, Egypt, France, Italy (one registered), Madeira, Mauritius, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Portugal, Russia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Trieste, U.S.A., etc. (30) **£500-£600**
- 567** ☒ Selection with 1862, 1868 covers to France franked 4d. tied by Glasgow or London duplexes, 1864, 1866 covers to Austria franked 6d. from London or Manchester, 1865, 1866 covers to Quebec or Nova Scotia franked 6d. tied by Dudley or London WC duplexes, 1868 envelope "via Marseilles" to Bombay franked 1d. and wing margin 6d. vertical pair tied by London SW duplexes and 1873 envelope to Alexandria franked 4d. pair tied by Hampstead NW duplexes also an 1876 envelope "via Italy" to London franked 4d. tied by Malta duplex. (9) **£250-£280**
- 568** ☒ Selection incl. 1865 entire to France franked 4d. (3), 1869 front to St. Petersburg franked 1d. and 9d., 1869 wrapper to Norway franked 4d. pair, 1871 entire to Buenos Aires franked 1s., 1871 book post wrapper to the Hague franked 1d., 1871 entire to Stockholm franked 3d. pair with "3d" credit mark, 1872 envelope to Alexandria franked 4d. pair, 1877 envelope to Cape Coast Castle franked 6d. redirected twice to Jamaica then Barbados, 1877 printed address panel "Photographs only" to Amsterdam franked 2d., etc. (88) **£300-£350**
- 569** ☒ **Australian States: Victoria:** Two covers from London to Melbourne written up on leaves, comprising 1860 with 1d. stars, 2d. plate 8, 6d. and 1s. and 1866 with 2d. plate 9 strip of three. **£100-£120**
- 570** ☒ **France:** 1843 (June 26) entire to Lyon franked 1d. red, four margins and tied by black Maltese Cross with Boulogne transit c.d.s. below and rated '15' decimes. Reverse with London, Paris and Lyon datestamps, very fine. Brandon certificate (2005). Photo. **£350-£400**
- 571** ☒ - 1851 (Feb. 13) cover from London to Tours via Calais bearing 1841 1d. AB and 2d. plate 4 GA-GG strip of seven overlapping the sides of the envelope, graphically illustrates the need for higher values. Photo on page 106. **£150-£200**
- 572** ☒ - 1857-78 selection of envelopes, wrapper or entires to France franked 4d., 3d or one with 2½d. from Cardiff, London, Leeds and Oxford and each with Calais entry marks and all but one with oval or circular (one the scarce underlined type) "PD" mark, the last with a perfin. (17) **£250-£300**



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- 573 ☒ **German States:** 1860, 1866 envelopes to Hamburg or Hanover franked 6d. tied by Glasgow or Charing Cross WC duplexes and 1869 envelope to Berlin franked 6d. tied by Hull duplex endorsed ‘*Contains Writing*’ and with “INSUFFICIENTLY/PREPAID” mark. (3) **£100-£120**
- 574 ☒ **India:** 1857 (Oct. 9) cover from Edinburgh to Lahore, India endorsed “*Via Marseilles and Bombay*”, bearing 1857 LC14 2d. plate 6, 1856-58 1d. and 1855-57 6d. tied by Edinburgh “131” duplexes, four transit marks on reverse, with original letter enclosed. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 575 ☒ - Three covers from England to India written up on leaves, comprising 1859 registered to Bombay with 1d. stars, 2d. plate 7 and 1s. and various registration marks, 1861 to Calcutta with 1d. stars, 2d. plate 9 and 6d. and 1862 to Bombay with 1d. stars (6) and 2d. plate 9 (2). **£150-£200**
- 576 ▲ **Italy:** 1857 (Feb. 21) reduced front to Florence franked 1d., 2d., 6d. and 1s. (3) tied by Dublin duplexes, 1857 (Apr.) front to Florence from London franked 1d., 2d. and 6d. and 1859 piece with the same franking. (3) Photo. **£100-£120**
- 577 ☒ - Selection incl. 1865 wrapper to Naples with scarce combination cash paid ‘1/-’ and franked 1s., 1867 wrapper to Naples franked 6d. and 1s., 1870 (Aug. 18) entire “*via Ostend*” to Palermo franked 2d. and 3d. apparently redirected during the three-week closure of the route due to the Franco-Prussian War with ‘1½’ sgr credit to North German Confederation, etc. (20) **£120-£140**
- 578 ☒ - Selection with 1870 (Aug. 23) wrapper to Genoa franked 2d. and 3d. with “INSUFFICIENTLY/STAMPED” and pair 60c. postage dues and 1872 (Oct./Nov.) wrapper or entire to Genoa or Messina both franked 6d. pale buff plate 11 tied by Bute Docks or London duplexes. (3) Photo. **£180-£200**
- 579 - 1876 (Apr. 1) cover to Naples “*via France*” with early use of 1873-80 4d. vermilion plate 15 ML, tied by Leeds 447 duplex. **£60-£80**
- 580 ☒ **Mauritius:** 1864 (Dec. 25) mourning envelope “*via Marseilles*” to Port Louis franked 1862-64 4d. and 6d. tied by Brighton “B2” duplexes and with “4½d” credit mark in red at lower right, reverse with London and Mauritius datestamps, mainly fine. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 581 ☒ **North America:** Selection written up on stockcards, 1863 to 1886 with surface printed frankings, incl. to Canada (8) 1863 (2) and 1868 with 6d., 1866 with 4d. and 2d., 1870 with 3d., 1878 and 1882 (2) with 2½d., to U.S.A. 1870 (2) and 1880 with 3d., 1882 and 1886 with 2½d., also all World selection mainly 1860s to 1910s, incl. French Guinea, Somali Coast, Indo-China, Gabon, Port Said (2), German P.O’s in China and Levant, Kiaochow, Curaçao, Sardinia, France, Italy, etc. (46) **£150-£200**
- 582 ○ **Singapore:** 1879 (Sept. 16) cover from London to Singapore endorsed “*Via Southampton/Per s.s. Verona*” bearing 1858-76 2d. plate 15 (2), with “PENANG AND SINGAPORE PAID” c.d.s. alongside, scarce. *This 4d. rate ran for only nine months, the Southampton route very little used before its discontinuance.* Photo. **£100-£120**
- 583 ☒ **Switzerland:** 1856 (Mar. 26) wrapper to Basel franked 4d. pair (glazed paper, defective perforations at top) tied by London numeral and redirected to Strasbourg and rated ‘4’ decimes, unusual. London, Calais, Paris, Basel and Strasbourg datestamps. S.G. 63, cat. £1,800+. Photo. **£120-£140**

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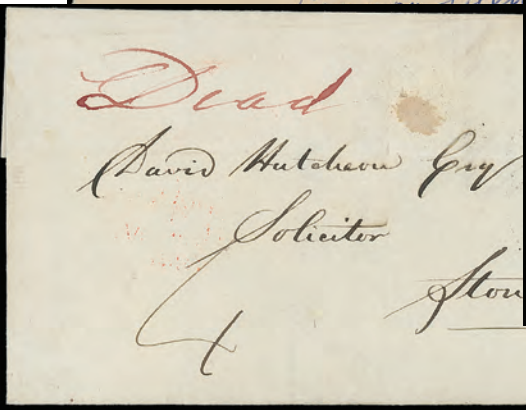
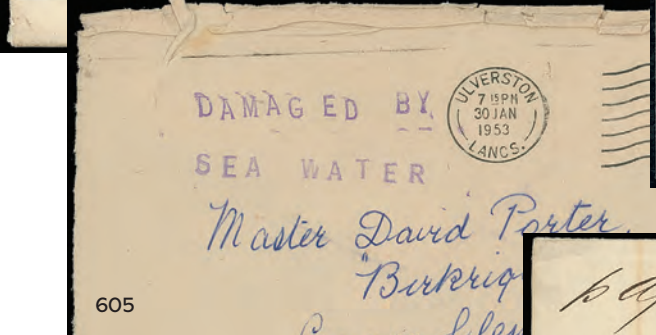
- 584 ☒ **Postage Due:** Selection of incoming mail incl. 1925 envelope to Marseilles franked Morocco 25c. redirected to London with “1½/F.B.” mark with 1½d. dues (2) and returned with framed “Insufficiently addressed/E.C.5” mark, 1927 envelope to Dundee franked ½d. with framed “LIABLE TO LETTER RATE/DE” and 1d. due tied at lower left, 1956 airmail cover from Angola franked \$1 (5) with “11D/I.S/T” mark and 1d. and 5d. dues applied, etc. (10) Photo. **£100-£120**
- 585 ☒ **Railways:** Selection with 1860 envelope to Scotland from London franked 1d. with circular “L.C/R.” mark, 1872 entire to London franked 1d. tied by Glasgow-Carlisle Sorting Tender duplex, 1896 envelope to Beith with Carlisle and Ayre Sorting Tender c.d.s. on reverse and others sent by rail. (10) Photo. **£100-£120**

**Night Mail.
Bletchley and Cambridge Railway Time Bill.**

Guard's Remarks as to Delays, &c.	Date	Proper Times	Actual Times	This Column to be left blank
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London and North Western Railway.	189	A.M.		
	Up Special Mail arr.	3 15		
	Bletchley Railway Stn. dep.	3 25		
	Bedford arr.	4 5		
	dep.	4 20		
	Sandy arr.	4 40		
	Cambridge Ry. Stn. arr.	5 30		
	Post-Office arr.	5 50		

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- 586** ☒ **Railways:** London and North West Railway 1897(ca.) printed O.H.M.S. “Bletchley and Cambridge Railway Time Bill” for “Night Mail”, printed both sides with details of scheduled services and with spaces for “Guard’s Remarks as to Delays, &c.”, etc., fine and most unusual. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 587** ☒ - Collection incl. 1902 postcard with Great Western T.P.O. Down night c.d.s., 1903 postcard with “ROSTREVOR S.C/Co. DOWN” c.d.s., 1903 envelope to Launceston with Linkinhorne-Callington R.S.O c.d.s. on reverse, 1905 postcard to Croydon with Broadstairs Station c.d.s., 1915 postcard with thimble “NORTH WEST T.P.O./NIGHT DOWN” c.d.s., 1929 postcard to Manchester with “GREAT WESTERN T.P.O./GOING EAST” c.d.s., etc. (approx. 50) **£80-£100**
- 588** ☒ **Registered Mail:** Two registered covers, comprising 1854 Bishop’s Stortford to London with 1d. and 6d. embossed (cut square) and 1874 Manchester to Edinburgh with 1d. and 2d. (2). **£100-£120**
- 589** ☒ - 1892 registered cover franked 1887-92 ½d. vermilion and 1½d. (2), 1899 registered long cover franked by 1887-92 1½d. (2), 1905 registered cover bearing 1902-10 3d., good to fine. **£50-£60**
- 590** ☒ - Selection with 1901 2d. registration envelope to Deddington franked ½d. (2) tied by St Enoch Square/Glasgow datestamps, 1912 2d. and 1d. registration envelope to Paris franked K.E.VII 1½d. (perfin) tied by Regent Street B.O. c.d.s., 1919 2d. and 1½d. registration envelope to London with Coltman Street c.d.s. and Hull registration label, etc. (71) **£150-£200**

Postal History and Covers - Ship Letters

- 591** ☒ 1795 (Feb. 20) entire letter from Boulogne to Hawick, endorsed “*via Carlisle*”, bearing straight line “SHIP LRE” in red and London double ring marks, the sender writes “*I have not had an opportunity of writing for this long while past owing to the communication between the two countries being shut*”. **£70-£80**
- 592** ☒ Selection incl. 1803 entire to England from New York with “Ship Letter/Liverpool” double oval mark, 1837 entire to Oporto rated ‘2/-’ and ‘560’ reis due, 1857 envelope from Canada to Exeter rated ‘10’(d) with Liverpool ship letter datestamp, etc. (14) **£140-£160**
- 593** ○ 1805 (Oct. 20) entire letter from Charleston, U.S.A., to Clifton, Bristol, bearing scarce oval crown “Ship Lre/ISLE OF WIGHT” handstamp, rated “1/-” in manuscript, rarely seen so fine. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 594** ☒ A collection of ship letters from Madeira to the United Kingdom written up in album, 1808 to 1852, showing various ship letter marks with Brixham, Dartmouth, Deal, Dover, Gravesend, London, Penzance, Plymouth, Portsmouth, Southampton, Weymouth, also 1848 letter to U.S.A. (27) Photo. **£300-£350**
- 595** ☒ A selection of ship entire letters to England, comprising 1825 “*pr Sphinx Pkt*” from Rio de Janeiro with “BRAZIL/F” skeleton datestamp applied at Falmouth, 1832 from Panama with “LIVERPOOL/SHIP LRE” (Robertson S3 in use 1799-1805 and briefly in 1832), 1837 from Caracas with framed “PACKET LETTER” in red, 1839 from Canton with scarce framed “SWANAGE/SHIP LETTER” in red and 1843 from Buenos Aires with step framed “FALMOUTH/SHIP LETTER” in black, only in use in this colour in this year. (5) **£300-£350**
- 596** ☒ Three entire letters bearing boxed “SHIP LETTER/SOUTHAMPTON” handstamps, 1827 in blue (only year of use) and 1828 in black from Le Havre, 1839 in red from New York (ex Robertson), fine. (3) **£100-£120**
- 597** ☒ 1827 (Jan. 4) entire (small faults) to London datelined “*Cape Castle, Cape Town*” the month prior with framed “INDIA LETTER/WEYMOUTH” (Robertson In2) on reverse in black and rated ‘4’(d) and ‘½’(d) on arrival and with Cape of Good Hope and London datestamps. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 598** ☒ 1841 (July 31) envelope to Charlton, Somerset, franked by 1840 1d. black RG with full margins, tied by black Maltese Cross, has Charlton datestamp at left and two line “SOUTHAMPTON/SHIP-LETTER” on the reverse. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 599** ☒ 1850 (Oct. 25) wrapper “*p Africa*” (first voyage to United States) to New York, sent unpaid with “19/CENTS” credit mark and “24” cents charge mark and a Lombard Street datestamp at lower left. Photo. **£180-£200**

Postal History and Covers by Subject continued



- 600 ☒ **Uniform Fourpenny Post:** Dec. 1839/Jan. 1840 entires or wrappers from England or Scotland rated '4'(d) or one with "4" mark in black and another endorsed "Dead" on front and reverse also an 1840 (Jan. 11) entire to Ludlow rated '1'(d), the 2nd day of the 1d. reduced rate. (6) Photo on page 108. **£200-£220**
- 601 ☒ **Valentines:** 1847 (Feb. 18) small envelope (top flap missing) sent to a 'Miss Mackie, Stranraer', franked by 1841 1d. red-brown GD tied by Scottish numeral, with original enclosure of a "Bank Note" to the addressee, headed "Bank of True Love", serial no. "16346", dated "1847, Feby 14th Hymen's Temple", and signed by "Cupid", some tone spots but a rare and interesting item. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 602 ☒ - 1900 (ca.) small box to West Ashton (Wilts.) containing a lace paper Valentine's card with a separate matching lid franked 1d. lilac vertical pair tied by indistinct bar cancellations, unusual survivor. **£100-£120**
- 603 ☒ **World War II:** Selection incl. 1940 (June 13, 14) censored covers from London to France with "NO SERVICE" marks, 1946 to a British P.O.W. in Austria and also with framed "UNKNOWN/ALAMEIN", "NOT AT ADDRESS STATED...." and "PTO" marks, 1942, 1943 airgraphs and envelopes also some W.W.I mail, etc. **£60-£70**
- 604 ☒ - A group to or from the same British Gunner incl. Japanese P.O.W. censored postcards to England, 1941, 1942 envelopes to him in the Royal Artillery franked K.G.VI 2½d. with undeliverable cachets on each and 1943-45 to him at Fukuoka Camp (Japan), censored and sent free, a number care of the Japanese Red Cross in Tokyo incl. a 1945 P.O.W. K.G.VI 1½d. postcard with censor and "RETURNED FROM ABROAD/SERVICE SUSPENDED" mark, scarce correspondence. (27) **£350-£400**
- 605 ☒ **Wreck Mail:** 1953 (Jan. 30) cover with enclosed Birthday card sent from London to Belfast, bearing two line "DAMAGED BY/SEA WATER" in violet, also with Post Office Returned Posted Packet envelope. Photo on page 108. **£150-£200**

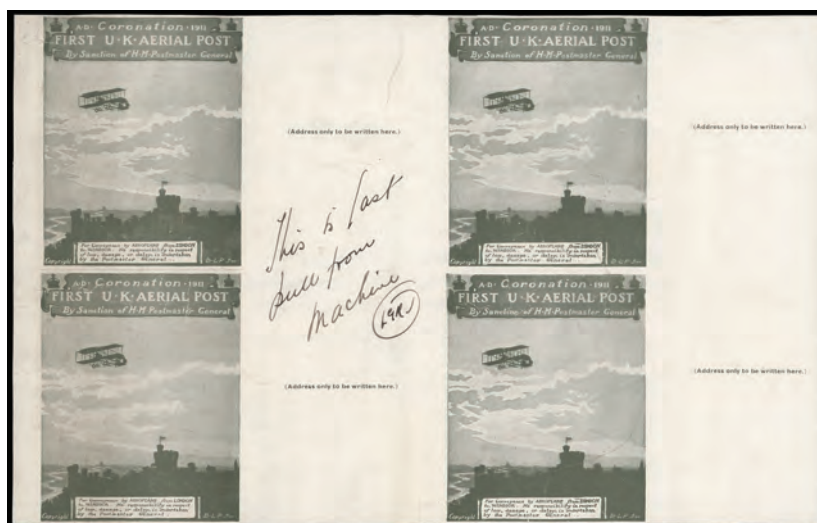
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- 606 ☒ **Egypt:** 1878 (Jan. 29) postal stationery ¼d. card to London, endorsed "Via Naples", cancelled by "B01" numeral, Alexandria and London c.d.s's, small repair. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 607 ☒ **Gibraltar:** Three covers written up on leaves, comprising 1859 and 1860 to Lisbon with 2d. plate 7 and 8, charged "80", and 1874 cover to Genoa with 2d. plate 14 and Italy postage due 40c. applied alongside. **£100-£120**



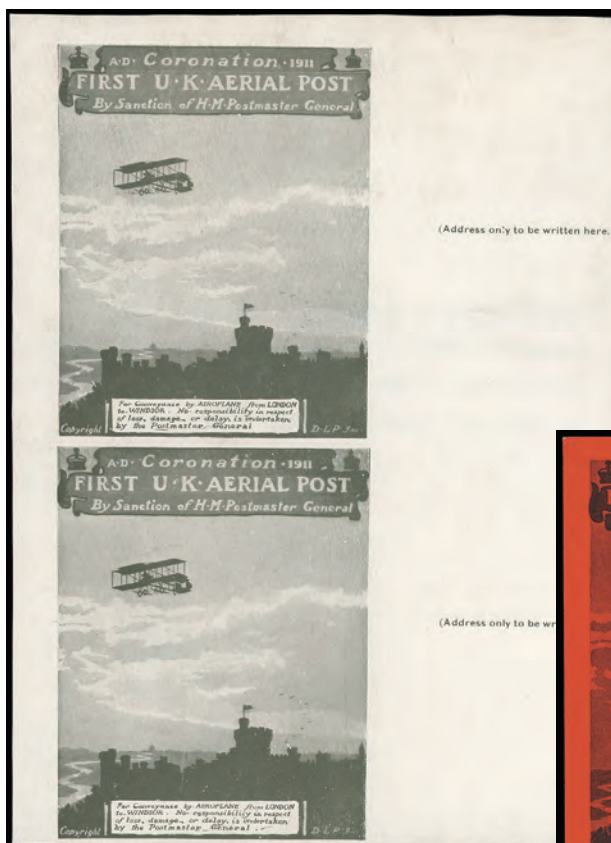
- 608 ☒ **Madeira:** 1850 (Feb. 16) entire letter to Tenerife, showing lightly struck but extremely rare crowned circle "PAID/AT/ MADEIRA" handstamp in red, with Madeira and Canaries c.d.s's on reverse. S.G. CC1, cat. £15,500. Photo. **£1,000-£1,200**
- 609 ○ **Malta:** Collection of mainly A25 duplexes on 1856 6d. (6, one on piece) and on thick paper (2, one on piece), 1862-64 6d. (8 incl. pair and single on same dated piece and single on 1864 entire to London) and 1s., 1864 6d. plate 4 (2), 1865-67 6d. (8, one tied to piece) and 1s. (4, one tied to piece with 2d. pair), 1867-80 6d. (21, plates 6-9 incl. one tied to 1870 slightly reduced envelope to England) and 10d. (4), 1s. (4) and 2s., 1872-73 6d. buff (2), chestnut (3) and grey (7, one tied to dated piece with 2d.), 1873-80 8d. (wing margin) and 1s. (2), 1880-83 6d. on 6d. (2) and 1s. orange-brown (2, plates 13 and 14), 1880-81 ½d. (16 incl. block of four, strip of three and pair), 1d. (4), 2d. (7 incl. a pair), 5d. (2), 1881 1d. lilac (6 incl. one tied to piece with 4d.), 1883-84 ½d. (3), 2d., 2½d. (9 incl. one tied to piece), 4d. 5d. and 6d. also A25 barred cancellation selection (first three types) on 1867-80 6d. (2), 10d., 1s. (3), 2s. and 5s. (2, plates 1 and 2, both with perf. faults), 1873-80 2½d. (6), 3d., 4d. (6) 1s. and 1880-81 ½d. and 1d., fourth type (19.5 x 17mm) on 1867-80 1s. and 1873-80 2½d. (2), 4d. (3), mainly fine. **£1,000-£1,200**
- 610 ☒ - 1858 (May 1) entire letter to Naples bearing LC14 1d. EA and 2d. QK tied by "M" cancellations, paying single letter rate, two datestamps on reverse. S.G. Z3a, Z4. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 611 ☒ - Four covers written up on leaves, comprising 1859 to Catania, Sicily, with 1d. stars and 2d. plate 7, 1869 to Genoa with 2d. plate 9 pair, 1870 to Marseilles with 2d. plate 13 pair and 1871 to London with 2d. plate 14. (4, singles and pair) **£100-£120**

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- 612 ➤ Invitation card printed on scarlet, numbered "372", unused, very fine and scarce. Photo on page 112. **£100-£150**
- 613 ➤P London to Windsor card in olive-green uncut proof pair (plates 3 and 8) from the original proof sheet of 30, guarantee note on reverse, very rare. Photo on page 112 **£200-£250**
- 614 ➤P London to Windsor card in olive-green uncut proof block of four (plates 12, 13, 17 and 18) from the original proof sheet of 30, printer's manuscript note, guarantee note on reverse, minor wrinkles, very rare. **£400-£500**



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- 615✈✉ London to Windsor card in red-brown, unused, signed by the designer Warwick W. Lendon. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 616✈✉ London to Windsor envelope in red-brown, used to South Africa, with ½d. pair tied by London Sept. 9 die 1 c.d.s., arrival c.d.s.'s alongside, minor corner creasing. **£80-£100**
- 617✈✉ London to Windsor card (small corner faults) in red-brown, used to Germany with ½d. (2) tied by London Sept. 9 die 4 c.d.s., signed by the pilot C.H. Greswell, also card in olive-green, used with ½d. tied by London Sept. 12 die 6 c.d.s., signed by Percy C. Burton, the publicity agent for the event. (2) **£100-£120**
- 618✈✉ London to Windsor envelope in purple-brown, used to the Isle of Arran, with 1902-10 De La Rue 10d. tied by Sept. 9 die 4 c.d.s., unusual rate. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 619✈✉ London to Windsor envelope in purple-brown, used, with 1s. stamp affixed over the 1d. already in situ and tied by London Sept. 9 die 4 c.d.s., with the original letter where the sender explains use of excessive postage, unusual. **£80-£100**
- 620✈✉ London to Windsor envelope in scarlet, used with 1d. tied by London Sept. 9 die 5 c.d.s., signed by the pilot E.F. Driver, also insert note paper. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 621✈✉ London to Windsor envelope colour proof in light brown, used with 1d. tied by London Sept. 9 die 2 c.d.s., small peripheral faults, put in circulation when stocks ran out, rare. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 622✈✉ London to Windsor envelope in dark brown, used to Canada, with ½d. pair tied by London Sept. 14 die 1 c.d.s., two transit and arrival c.d.s.'s on reverse. **£80-£100**
- 623✈✉ London to Windsor envelope colour proof in dull green, used with 1d. tied by Windsor Sept. 16 die 2 c.d.s., damaged back flap, put in circulation when stocks ran out, rare. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 624✈✉ Four London to Windsor envelopes from emergency printing in dark brown, red-brown, deep brown and dark green, used with 1d. tied by London die 1, 3 (2) and Windsor die 2 c.d.s.'s, three with insert notepapers. (7) **£120-£150**



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- 625✈✉ **Privileged Mail**, Windsor to London envelope in violet, unused, scarce. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 626✈✉ - London to Windsor envelope in violet addressed to Abersychan, bearing 1d. tied by London Sept. 9 die 4 c.d.s., Pontypool c.d.s. on reverse, small peripheral faults, also original message on violet notepaper, scarce. (2) Photo. **£250-£300**

INSTRUCTIONS.
Cost of Postage, Stamped:
Inland, 6d.
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Inland, 1d.
Abroad, 1s.
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Where to Purchase and Where to Post:
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For Date of Termination of Aerial Post and further information see general notice on the Special Post Boxes at the above establishments, also Daily Press.

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(This space for written or printed matter.)
Sept. 9th, 1911

Circulation figures for the Daily Mail Evening News Weekly Dispatch are being audited by a firm of chartered accountants, and will reach you in the course of a few days.

Warcum Smith
Associated Newspapers Limited

Ex 633

BUCHANAN'S "BLACK & WHITE" SCOTCH WHISKY.



Distillers by Appointment to Her Majesty King George V.

With James Buchanan & Co. Compliments.

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J. & J. COLMAN, LIMITED
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Manufacturers of Mustard, Starch, Corn-Flour, Blue, & Self-Rising Flour, LONDON and NORWICH.

September 9th, 1911.

The Directors of J. & J. COLMAN, Limited, present their Compliments to you by the first AERIAL POST, feeling assured that you will like to have a Souvenir of the first effort ever made to inaugurate this new mode of transmitting His Majesty's mails.

Ex 638

NOBEL'S EXPLOSIVES CO., LTD.
195, WEST GEORGE ST., GLASGOW

AND
KINGSWAY HOUSE,
KINGSWAY, LONDON, W.C.

BY AERIAL POST,
SEPTEMBER 1911.

NOBEL'S EXPLOSIVES Co., LTD., present their Compliments by the First United Kingdom Aerial Post, and beg to say that they have so far perfected their well-known Sporting Powder "Improved Empire," that to-day it is acknowledged by the leading game shots of the country to be supreme amongst Sporting Powders. An interesting feature about "Improved Empire" is that although it is one of the hardest hitting powders known, the recoil is so slight from a full 33-grain load that shooting-men who suffer from gun headache do not require specially loaded cartridges.

Ex 647

210, Temple Chambers, London, E.C.
Sept. 9th, 1911.

Dear Sir,

You should find this card of historic interest and value as it is being sent you by the Aeroplane making the first journey in this country with His Majesty's mails.

It is addressed to you because the final edition of the 'Punch Library of Humour' has just been produced, containing the cream of all the brilliant things that have appeared in 'Punch' over a period of 60 years.

Half the edition is reserved for the Colonies and I have now only 1,200 sets to offer to those who have thought of purchasing but have not yet done so.

I cannot send you the charming library itself (25 handsome volumes) for your inspection per aeroplane, but I can forward it per rail and will pay carriage both ways if you will see it. You may retain it for a week free of charge and without any obligation to buy and dip leisurely into the 6,000 jokes by famous wits and 4,000 drawings by the most humorous artists of the age.

The Library can be retained on payment of so small a sum as 2/6 with monthly subscriptions of 8/- or 4/3, 14/- 0 cash.

As conveying His Majesty's mails by aeroplane is novel and experimental, may I hope for an acknowledgment of this aerial-card, so that I may know it has reached its destination?

Your acknowledgment will be all the more appreciated if you say you will examine the 'Punch Library' on these non-committal terms.

Yours faithfully,
THE MANAGER.

Kindly address: Educational Book Co. Ltd.,
Temple Chambers, London, E.C.
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The Latest Popular
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Sold at 6d. per 10. 5/- per 100.

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AL POST
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(Address only to be written here.)
*Messrs. Belkington & Co.,
22, Regent St.,
W.*

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By Sanction of H.M. Postmaster General




(Address only to be written here.)
*S. A. Bird Esq
Longfield
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For Conveyance by AIRCRAFT, from LONDON to WIMBORNE, No responsibility is accepted of late, damage, or delay, in transmission by the Postmaster General.

Stromness Distillery,
Orkney, Scotland.

We are taking advantage of the novel and historic occasion of the first Aerial Post, to send greetings and best wishes.

McConnell's Distillery Limited,
Proprietors,
O.O. (Old Orkney) Whisky.

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- 627✈️✉️ **Privileged Mail**, London to Windsor card in violet, bearing ½d. tied by London Sept. 9 die 1 c.d.s., scarce. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 628✈️✉️ A collection of London to Windsor and Windsor to London cards in various colours written up in album, all with identified plates, used with London or Windsor c.d.s's with various dies and dates, one unused, also Pathe News 8mm film of the first flight from Hendon. (32) **£500-£600**
- 629✈️✉️ A used selection of London to Windsor cards in various colours, incl. one addressed to France, also envelope in bright green. (31) **£300-£400**
- 630✈️✉️ A used selection of stationery in various colours written up on leaves, comprising envelopes London to Windsor (6), Windsor to London (3, one unused) and cards London to Windsor (3), also three insert paper notes. (15) **£150-£200**
- 631✈️✉️ An unused selection of London to Windsor stationery mainly written up on leaves, comprising envelopes in bright green, purple-brown and scarlet, emergency printing in deep green, deep brown and red-brown, cards in olive-green (4), red-brown and dark brown (2), also insert paper notes (5) and instruction card. (19) **£100-£120**

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- 632✈️✉️ A selection of London to Windsor mainly used cards with various advertisements written up on leaves, comprising Wright's Coal Tar Soap (2), Zog, The Financial News, Caxton Publishing, The Bovine Company, Teofani Cigarette, Francis Weintraud, Entertainment Supply Bureau, Roper's (2, one unused), Benetfink (unused) and D.H. Evans (unused), also insert note paper with The Armorduct Manufacturing. (14) **£350-£400**
- 633✈️✉️ **Associated Newspapers Ltd.**, two London to Windsor cards (plates 7 and 21) in red-brown and olive-green, used with London Sept. 9 die 1 and 4 c.d.s's. (2) Photo. **£100-£120**
- 634✈️ **Brown Brothers Ltd.**, two London to Windsor cards (plates 24 and 26) in dark brown, used with London Sept. 9 die 1 c.d.s's. (2) **£100-£120**
- 635✈️✉️ **James Buchanan & Co.** (Black & White Scotch Whisky), London to Windsor card (plate 18) in dark brown addressed to Geneva, used with London Sept. 9 die 2 c.d.s, arrival c.d.s. alongside, small corner crease. Photo. **£80-£100**
- 636✈️✉️ **P.C. Burton & Co. Ltd.**, two London to Windsor cards (plates 20) in olive-green, used with London Sept. 9 die 2 and 4 c.d.s's, one with small faults. (2) **£80-£100**
- 637✈️✉️ **Car & General Insurance Corporation Ltd.**, two London to Windsor cards (plates 13) in olive-green, used with London Sept. 9 die 4 c.d.s's. (2) **£100-£120**
- 638✈️✉️ **J. & J. Colman Ltd.**, two London to Windsor cards (plates 7 and 27) in dark brown, used with London Sept. 9 die 5 and 6 c.d.s's. (2) Photo. **£100-£120**

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- 639✈️📧 **Educational Book Co. Ltd.** (Punch Library of Humour), two London to Windsor cards (plates 2 and 8) in dark brown, used with London Sept. 9 die 1 and 4 c.d.s's. (2) Photo on page 114. **£100-£120**
- 640✈️📧 **The Financial Times**, two London to Windsor cards (plates 1 and 15) in olive green, used with London Sept. 9 die 1 and 3 c.d.s's. (2) **£100-£120**
- 641✈️📧 **General Accident, Fire & Life Assurance Corporation Ltd.**, two London to Windsor cards (plates 17) in red-brown, used with London Sept. 9 die 2 c.d.s's, one with faults. (2) **£70-£80**
- 642✈️📧 **The Gramophone Co. Ltd.**, two London to Windsor cards (plates 4 and 14) in olive-green, used with London Sept. 9 die 2 and 3 c.d.s's, one creased. (2) **£100-£120**
- 643✈️📧 **Hardware Trade Journal**, two London to Windsor cards (plates 16) in olive-green, used with London Sept. 9 die 2 c.d.s's. (2) **£100-£120**
- 644✈️📧 **Hedges Butler Royal Aero Club**, two London to Windsor cards (plates 12) in dark brown, used with London Sept. 9 die 1 and 2 c.d.s's, one creased. (2) **£80-£100**
- 645✈️📧 **W.S. Lincoln** (Stamp Dealer), two London to Windsor cards (plates 7 and 12) in olive-green, used with London September 9 die 4 c.d.s's, one with D.H. EVANS & Co. violet handstamp, and London to Windsor envelope with insert notepaper, used with London Sept. 9 die 3 c.d.s, all with Lincoln labels. Lincoln sent out cards and envelopes addressed to himself for sale later to collectors. (4) **£100-£120**
- 646✈️📧 **The Molassine Company Ltd.**, three London to Windsor cards, two in olive-green (plates 30) with type 1 advert with overprint on the front, used with London Sept. 9 die 3 and 4 c.d.s's, and one in red-brown (plate 8) with type 2 advert without overprint, used with London Sept. 15 die 3 c.d.s., small corner faults. (3) **£100-£120**
- 647✈️📧 **Nobel's Explosives Co. Ltd.**, two London to Windsor cards (plates 9) in dark brown, used with London Sept. 9 die 1 and 2 c.d.s's. (2) Photo on page 114. **£120-£150**
- 648✈️📧 **OXO Thames House**, London, E.C., two London to Windsor cards (plates 8 and 20a, creased) in dark brown, used with London Sept. 15 die 3 c.d.s's. (2) **£80-£100**
- 649✈️📧 **Remington Typewriter Company**, London to Windsor cards, three London office (plates 4, 13, and 18) in dark brown, used with London September 9 die 1, one signed by Sir Walter G. Windham who inaugurated the world's first official airmail flight in India and the Coronation Aerial Post, one Newcastle office (plate 16) in red-brown and Liverpool office (plate 28) in olive-green, used with London Sept. 9 die 3 and 2 c.d.s's. (5) **£250-£300**
- 650✈️📧 **Schweppes Ltd.**, two London to Windsor cards (plates 17 and 26) in dark brown, used with London Sept. 9 die 3 c.d.s's. (2) **£100-£120**
- 651✈️📧 **Stromness Distillery** (Old Orkney Whisky), London to Windsor card (plate 16) in dark brown, bearing unnecessary additional ½d., used with London Sept. 9 die 4 c.d.s's. Photo on page 114. **£80-£100**
- 652✈️📧 **Teofani Cigarette**, London to Windsor card in red-brown, used with London Sept. 9 die 3 c.d.s, small imperfections. Photo on page 114. **£100-£120**

Airmails

- 653✈️ A collection of semi-official airmail stamps on leaves, incl. Provincial Airways 1933 3d. sheetlet of four, varieties, imperf. proofs and colour trials (21) with various colour combinations, 1913 First Aerial Delivery, 1923 Mercury, 1934 APEX and 1938 North Eastern Airways labels, etc. (66) **£80-£100**
- 654✈️📧 A collection of internal first and special flights covers written up in album, incl. 1933 Great Western Railway Air Service covers (5) with 3d. newspaper or 3d. G.W.R. Air Mail stamps, 1933 Provincial Airways covers (8) with 3d. Westcountry Air Service stamps, 1934 Inverness-Wick cover with label, various 1934 to 1935 Railway Air Service, 1934 APEX exhibition and autogiro, 1934 Hillman's Airways, 1936 British Airways I.O.M. and 1936 Jersey, 1936 West Coast Air Service and 1937 Shetland flights, 1938 North Eastern Airways various flights with labels, some signed, etc. (62) **£120-£150**

Postal Stationery



- 655** Collection in binder of cut square indicia incl. embossings ½d. to 1s., several double compounds to 6d. + 4d., a few with W.H. Smith and Smith and Elder advertising rings, also from postcards, newspapers wrappers incl. ½d. and 1d. compound, registration envelopes and K.G.VI and Q.E.II aerogrammes, fine. (132 used and 220 used) **£300-£350**
- 656** ☒ An unused and used Q.V. collection of envelopes written up in album, incl. 1840 Mulready 1d. unused, various embossed issues with some used to foreign destinations, etc. (97) **£120-£150**
- 657** S 1841 1d. pink and 2d. blue embossed wrapper or envelope (light creases) overprinted "SPECIMEN." (2) Photo. **£100-£120**
- 658** ☒ 1847 (ca.) sheet of silk thread paper (225 x 185) with 1d. pink impressed stamp at centre, folded into the shape of a letter sheet and unaddressed, cancelled by very fine "658" barred oval of Royston and large "SPECIMEN" handstamp in red below, also shows faint impressions (offsets) of the 1847-54 embossed 1s. or 10d., a few faults, otherwise fine and a most interesting item, possibly some type of trial?. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 659** S 1855 (Nov. 26) embossed 4d., 6d. and 1s. overprinted "SPECIMEN" on dated postal notice (135 x 95mm) inscribed "EMBOSSSED POSTAGE STAMP to be struck upon/Paper and Envelopes", minor foxing and bends. **£80-£100**
- 660** ☒ An unused and used Q.V. selection, incl. 1863 4d. wrapper with W.H. Smith & Son advertising ring unused, 1d. postcards (3) overprinted "SPECIMEN", 1870 ½d. postcard used on first day of issue, 1902 ½d. wrapper with Price's Palmitine Candles advertising used, ½d. wrapper with Flageollet & Co. advertising, ½d. postcard bundle of twelve, W.H. Smith and Son wrappers, uprated registered items with 1904 insured letter to Germany, Electric Telegraph Company 1850s dispatch envelope used, etc. (98) **£150-£200**
- 661** ☒ Mainly postcards used selection also 1878 ½d. postcard to Edinburgh with Lockerbie sideways duplex, 1892 1d. lettercard to Winnipeg uprated ½d. and 1d. tied by Bethnal Green S.O./E duplexes, 1902 ½d. to Worcester with Kinver thimble type and Stourbridge double ring datestamps. (117) **£100-£120**
- 662** ☒ A mint and used Q.V. collection written up in album, incl. various postcards, reply cards, letter cards, telegraph cards, registered letters some uprated to foreign destinations, O.H.M.S., 1892 Patents ½d. card with embossed Patents 7½d. stamp on reverse handstamped "SPECIMEN", etc. (101) **£150-£200**
- 663** P 1893 two proof sheets, each bearing ten different embossed stamps of values current in 1893, one with all values overprinted "SPECIMEN". (2) Photo. **£100-£150**

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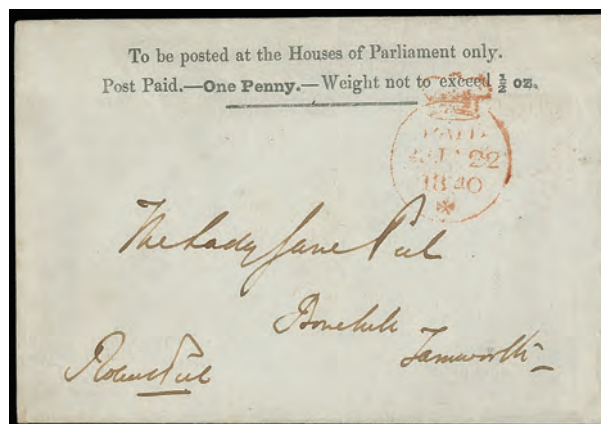
- 664 ☒ A mainly K.G.VI unused collection in binder incl. W.W.I and W.W.II "ACTIVE SERVICE" or Royal Navy privilege envelopes, Field Post postcards, war economy envelopes, Army Parcel labels, 6d. (2) and 1s. inland Telegram forms, 6d., 6d. with 3d. adhesive, 1s.6d. (4) lettercards, 4d., 6d. and 1s. embossing on printed to private orders wrappers, 1d. and 1d. postcards, ½d. tête-bêche pairs (2) indicia on a wrapper, 2d. and 2d. reply cards, ½d., 1d., 1½d., 2d., 2½d., 3d., 4d. and 6d. embossed envelopes, a few printed to private order and a few compounds incl. Q.E.II combinations and a range of Q.E.II embossed compound envelopes, etc. (few 100s) **£250-£300**
- 665 ✉ Aerogrammes: A collection from 1953 to 1996 mainly mint with some T.P.O. datestamp, c.t.o. first day or other commemorative cancellations. (approx. 100) **£50-£60**
- 666 ☒ Envelopes: 1d. pink embossed envelopes selection incl. unused, overprinted "SPECIMEN", a few with advertisements, printed to private order, one used as a cut out on a plain envelope, a few identified with Huggins and Baker types. (37) Photo. **£200-£250**
- 667 ☒ Newspaper Wrappers: 1874 ½d. wrapper with printed child smallpox vaccination certificate, 1900 (ca.) ½d. wrapper to Paris from London with printed advertisement (gas engine tube) and 1905 (Jan. 22) 2½d. envelope used to Plymouth, late use. **£120-£140**
- 668 P - 1882 ½d. wrapper (LW4 with horizontal shading to ribbons) De La Rue die proofs in black on glazed card (92 x 60mm), one dated "14 MAY 82" in blue and stamped "BEFORE HARDENING", the other four numbered 2 to 5 in pencil, fine. (5) Photo. **£300-£350**
- 669 ☒ Official Paid Lettersheets: 1950 (ca.) unused O.H.M.S. sheets being applications for the Auxiliary Fire Service (in different colours) or National Service. (5) **£100-£120**
- 670 ☒ Postcards: 1921 ½d. postcard with receiving authority "SPECIMEN" (Samuel type BE2) overprint as applied by Bechuanaland and likely unique. **£50-£60**
- 671 ☒ Registration Envelopes: 2d. "23-11-77" first printing used 1878 (Feb. 6) to Germany and uprated ½d. and 1d. pair tied by dumb bars with W.C.D.O. registration c.d.s. and German registration label affixed. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 672 - 1878 2d. registration envelope (size K) a batch of five unused with original printed wrapper band "12 2/10 REGISTERED LETTER ENVELOPES SIZE K" also 1910 (Mar. 23) large format (size K) K.E.VII 1d. + 2d. registration envelope used to London with Manchester registration label affixed and oval "REGISTERED/MANCHESTER" datestamp, uncommon use. **£120-£140**
- 673 ☒ Registration Envelopes: Collection of Q.V. 2d. registration envelopes with size I unused (10, one franked 1d. lilac block of four) and used (10) and size K unused (9) and used (7, one to Germany franked 5d. (36) **£180-£200**

- 674 ☒ **Advertising Rings:** A collection of unused and used Q.V. envelopes with embossed stamps with advertising rings written up on leaves, incl. Young & Stockwell, Parkins & Gotto., Publishers of the permanent stamp album Brighton, W.B. Fordham & Sons, W.H. Smith & Son, The Home News, Samuel Allsopp & Sons, W. & T. Avery, D. Pollex & Co, Savory and Moore, William Lincoln, Alldays & Onions Ltd., etc. (21) **£300-£350**
- 675 ☒ - Alldays & Onions envelope used 1887 (July 14) from Birmingham to London. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 676 ☒ **Stamped to Order:** A collection unused and used with different embossed stamps written up in album, incl. 1892 2½d. crimson-lake proof with day and year plugs blanked, 1883 1d. double print, 1889 used to Canada with six embossed stamps, various compound stamping, registered, uprated, some cards, etc. (82) **£250-£300**
- 677 ☒ - Embossed envelopes selection incl. 1896 envelope to Leipzig with 1s. embossing, 1898 envelope to Paris with ½d. and 6d. embossings uprated ½d. with Watford registration datestamp, 1898 envelope to Montreal with 1½d. and 10d. embossing uprated ½d. and 3d., etc. (10) Photo. **£200-£250**

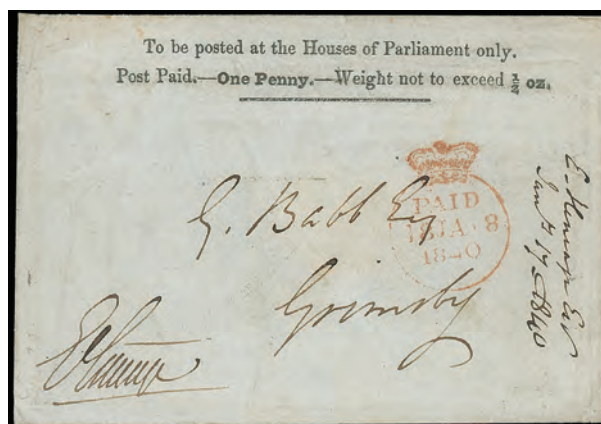
Postal Notices

- 678 1854 (June) and 1856 (Jan. 1) London G.P.O. notices re transmissions of coins and banknotes, 1888 (Aug. 7) printed "POST OFFICE CIRCULAR" (No. 687) giving arrangements for named ships from British ports, also 1833 Monthly Supplement of "THE PENNY MAGAZINE" giving a history of the P.O. and a printed page from *Cassell's Illustrated History of England* depicting London G.P.O. at 6pm also 1800 and 1813 printed Acts of Parliament exporting British spirits and another to prevent illicit distilling in Ireland and an 1867 Lloyds list. (8) **£120-£140**

Parliamentary Envelopes



- 679 ☒ **Houses of Parliament:** "One Penny" envelope printed in black on wove paper, used 1840 (Jan. 22) from London to Lady Peel and signed by Robert Peel to Tamworth with red crowned "PAID/22 JA 27/1840" c.d.s., a fine example of this rare envelope. S.G. Spec. PE1. Photo. **£2,000-£2,500**



- 680 ☒ - "One Penny" envelope printed in black on wove paper, used 1840 (Jan. 18) from London to Grimsby with red Crowned "PAID/18 JA 27/1840" c.d.s., a fine example. S.G. Spec. PE2. Photo. **£1,500-£2,000**

1840 Mulready Envelopes and Letter Sheets

- 681 ☒ Selection with 1841 (Aug. 18) 1d. lettersheet (faults, no visible stereo) to Foulsham with Lynn and Dereham datestamps, 1841 (Sept. 9) 1d. envelope (stereo A160) to Essex from London with black Maltese Cross and two datestamps on reverse and an 1869 2d. envelope front to Brighton with addressee name erased and a Teddington duplex at right. (3) **£120-£150**
- 682 ☒ A used selection of Mulready letter sheets, comprising used in 1840 1d. with red Maltese Cross, the others with black Maltese Crosses 1841 1d. stereo A23 with Envelope Office advertisement in blue (S.G. Spec MA9d) to Ireland, 1842 1d. stereo A226 with English and Scottish Law Fire and Life Assurance advertisement in blue (S.G. Spec. MA 123a) and 1842 2d. stereo a91, varied condition. (4) **£120-£150**



- 683 ☒ 1d. letter sheet (stereo obscured), sent on May 6 1840, the first official day of use, from London to Birmingham cancelled with red Maltese Cross, with London "E/MY 6/1840" cancellation on reverse, slightly soiled, otherwise fine, rare, S.G. Spec. ME1. Photo. **£1,500-£2,000**



- 684 ☒ 1d. letter sheet A7 used May 7 1840, the second day of official use, with red Maltese Cross struck to right of Britannia, red ink "P 1", from London to Bath, circular "D/MY-7/1840" datestamp and Dursley c.d.s on reverse, some faults. Cat. £2,600. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 685 ☒ 1d. letter sheet, stereo A25 (very faint creases, side flaps removed) used 1840 (Oct. 14) to London with red Maltese Cross (Oxford) cancellation struck below and to the left of Britannia and reverse with Oxford and London datestamps, scarce. Rockoff & Jackson record only two further examples of Mulready stationery with Oxford Maltese Cross. Photo on page 122. **£160-£180**



- 686 ☒ 1d. envelope A160 used May 6 1840 (first day) to Bloomsbury, London with fine red Maltese Cross, showing “T.P./Twickenham” (2d. post) mark with “ONE PENNY” inscription crossed through at foot, clear May 6 1840 octagonal datestamp in red on reverse. The letter begins “*I have no other purpose in troubling you dear Diane than the hope of being the first to astonish you with the new cover*”. A new discovery, unrecorded in “*A Survey of Penny Blacks, Twopenny Blues, Mulreadys and Caricatures Used During May 1840*” by Mike Jackson (1999) Photo also on inside back cover. £1,800-£2,000
- 687 ☆ 1d. black, stereo A180 and 2d. blue, stereo a210 envelopes, unused. S.G. ME2, ME4, cat. £700. £80-£100

1840 Mulready Caricatures and Later Printed Envelopes

- 688 A selection of pages (11) from *Punch* magazine 1844 (July 13) incl. front page with others referring to Home Secretary Sir James Graham incl. a “Dedication to Sir James Graham”, “The Graham Letters” “PUNCH’S ANTI-GRAHAM WAFERS” and caricature “PAUL PRY AT THE POST OFFICE”. Ex Richard Hobbs. £50-£60
- 689 ☒ A letter sheet designed for “Robertson’s Night” and signed by him, one side with an illustration in colour caricature depicting a Paul Pry character holding an advertisement broadsheet, the other side addressed “*Mr Fellows, High Pavement*”, minor peripheral faults, rare. Ex Grunin and Richard Hobbs. £100-£120
- 690 A selection of unused mainly Deraedemaeker reproductions, comprising Fores’s no. 8, Southgate no. 2 and 6, Dundee “INTOXICATING DRINKS” and Spooner “For we’re all writing”, varied condition. (5) £120-£150
- 691 ☒ 1851 printed four page “AN OCEAN POSTAGE/WILL IT PAY?”/BY ELIHU BURRITT” with “London, 1851, 35 Broad Street Buildings.” imprint on reverse of last page, light file folds below ½ oz. Important exhibition item and the only example believed to exist, also a photocopy of a similar pamphlet published by C. Gilpin dated “Christmas 1848” of which only one original is believed to exist. (2 items) Ex Richard Hobbs. Photo on page 122. £300-£350
- 692 ☒ Ocean Penny Postage: Valentine First Design: State 3, grey paper, plain flap, an unused example, small faults, opened out to show major off-centre printing error and indicating that the envelopes were folded prior to printing. *The only example of this error*. Ex Richard Hobbs. Photo on page 122. £120-£150

Hand Illustrated and Later Printed Envelopes

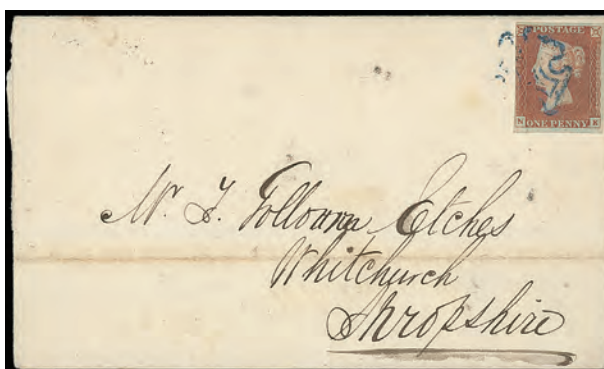
- 693 ☒ 1897 (Sept. 10) ‘King-Harman’ pen and ink drawing of a deer addressed to Banstead (Ex Giamporcaro and Ramsay), 1908 (Jan. 30) ‘Owen Saunders’ envelope to London depicting man and woman in evening dress on a sofa with various captions incl. “*The blushes mantle on her blooming cheek*”, signed on reverse, 1902 and 1905 envelopes from the Russell correspondence to Penarth featuring drunkard with glass and bottle of whisky and union flag with ribbon bands at top and bottom respectively. (4 items) Photo on page 122. £400-£500
- 694 ☒ Selection incl. 1884 pen and ink envelope sent within Ireland depicting man holding a gun, billboard and bottle, 1900 (ca.) envelope with coloured leaping frogs in pond scene, 1907 country scene with street sign, 1902 envelopes with running dog carrying newspaper and children in country scene respectively, 1933, 1934 envelopes with illustrations of Christmas tree, family, boy being chased by dog etc., also U.S.A. 1927 decorative envelope to England from Grand Haven, Michigan depicting a crescent moon, witch on broomstick and owl. (10) Photo on page 122. £400-£500

Hand Illustrated and Later Printed Envelopes continued

- 695 ▲** 1875 (Jan.) front to Le Havre depicting pen and ink woman and dog gazing at the moon, franked 3d. and tied by Brighton duplex and an 1854 (Feb.) front to West Meath with pen and ink drummer, man carrying billboard and two children watching. (2) **£100-£120**
- 696** 1890 caricatures of the Jubilee envelope produced by Harry Furniss, comprising proofs of envelope and insert card in black both signed by Furniss, envelopes with inserts unused and used from London to Ramsgate. (6). **£150-£200**
- 697 ☒** 1898 (Apr. 17) handpainted envelope by Hugh Rose, depicting a tramp flying on a bicycle, sent from Perth to Mrs. King-Harman in St. Lucia with 1887-92 2½d., "ST LUCIA/May 3/98" arrival c.d.s. on reverse, a fine envelope from this famous correspondence. Photo. **£500-£600**
- 698 ☒** 1908 (Oct. 1) Junior Philatelic Society Commemorative Envelope, slightly reduced, to Chicago franked 1d. and used on the first day also an 1852 Valentine envelope front used to Brighton with stamp removed. **£80-£100**

Cancellations

- 699 ○** 1840 2d. blue plate 2, KL, tied to piece but with faults, and 1841 2d. blue plate 4, DH, both with scarce barred oval "74" (London) cancellations also an 1855 (Mar. 17) wrapper sent within London franked 1d. (2) with same numeral cancellations. Photo. **£300-£330**
- 700 ○** 1841 2d. plate 3, strip of three, HJ-HL, margins vary, with scarce Norwich distinctive Maltese Cross cancellations in black. S.G. Spec. E1(2)ul, cat. £3,900+. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 701 ☒** Maltese Cross in black, a small selection on 1841 or 1842 covers with 1d. frankings from London, Liverpool or Greenock (distinctive). (4) **£120-£150**

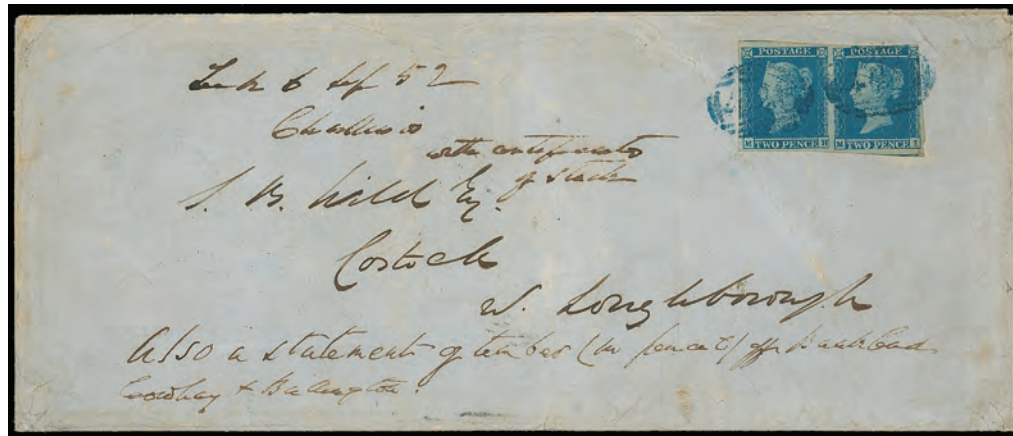


- 702 ☒** Coloured Maltese Crosses, 1842 (May 10) wrapper (slightly reduced) to Whitchurch franked 1d. red plate 20, NE, very slightly cut into at left, tied by scarce and lightly struck blue Maltese Cross, reverse with Preston and Whitchurch datestamps. S.G. Spec. B1sc, cat. £1,700. Photo. **£250-£280**
- 703 ☒** 1842 (Dec. 28) 1d. pink stationery envelope to Wolverhampton, cancelled by a very fine distinctive Leamington Cross with Leamington datestamp alongside, a fine impression of this cancellation that is usually incomplete and underinked, uncommon use on 1d. pink envelope. Photo. **£140-£160**
- 704 ▲** **Numbers in Maltese Cross**, 1843 (Mar. 23) much reduced envelope franked 1d. OB tied by number "4" in Maltese Cross, "T.P./Queen St CS" alongside, reverse with London and Winchester datestamps. *Very early use, two days after the earliest recorded.* Photo. **£140-£160**

Cancellations continued



- 705 ☒ **Numbers in Maltese Cross**, 1843 (May 6) entire (refolded) to Appleby franked 1841 1d. red. (2, plates 27 and 31, both four margins) tied to each other and cover by very fine London “12” number in Maltese Cross cancellations. London and Appleby datestamps on reverse, attractive. Photo. **£500-£600**
- 706 ☒ - 1843 (Sept. 6) entire to Pontefract franked 1d. plate 32 GJ, good to large margins, tied by number “10” in Maltese Cross. Photo. **£180-£200**
- 707 ☒ - 1844 (Feb. 21) entire within London franked 1d. plate 43, FL, four close to clear margins, tied to an entire by a fine number “12” in Maltese Cross, usually found on multi-weight articles, for which Danzig adds a 50% premium for solo use. Reverse with London datestamp and wafer seal. S.G. cat. £1,400. Photo. **£220-£250**
- 708 ☒ 1846 (Jan. 10) wrapper to Dumbarton franked 1841 1d. red-brown plate 58 DK-DL pair, variable margins tied by two barred “307” numeral cancellations (unusually in different blue-green colours), reverse with Kilmarnock, Stewarton and Dumbarton framed datestamps. R.P.S. certificate (2009). S.G. BS 27/B1 xb (blue cancellation), cat. £1,300. Photo. **£280-£300**
- 709 ☒ Money Order Office selection incl. 1847 official printed entire “Received your remittance on Money Order Account”, 1880 and 1883 Amendments to the Money Order Act, 1901 envelope to Fiji with framed “LONDON/M.O.O.” datestamp. (10) Photo. **£100-£120**
- 710 ▲ 1850, 1852 envelopes to Ashbourne or Congleton franked 1d. read and each tied by blue “906” (Woburn) or “448” (Leek) barred numerals. (3) Photo. **£100-£120**



- 711 ☒ 1852 (Sept. 6) long envelope to Loughborough franked 2d. pair plate 4, MH-MI, four margins except at top right and tied by very scarce blue “448” barred numerals. Reverse with Leek and Loughborough datestamps. Photo. £800-£850

- 712 ▲ Barred Numerals, 1852 (Nov. 30) registered dated piece franked 1d. pair EG-EH four margins and 2d. strip of three plate 4, AE-AG, one with surface rub and variable margins, tied by individual impressions of the oval “51” (London District Post Registration Clerk’s Office) barred numeral (Parmenter ‘rare’). Photo. £140-£160



- 713 ▲ 1852-53 1d. Die I Alphabet II, plate 158, TA and TB, variable margins and tied to a piece by faint red numerals and with Pickering datestamp “1854/OC 27” above in the same ink, rare. B.P.A. certificate (1987) S.G. Spec. B1(1)xd, cat. £12,000 (for two singles) Photo. £1,200-£1,400
- 714 ▲ 1855 4d. carmine wmk small garter pair on a small piece with framed “QUEEN/STREET” cancellations and 1857 much reduced wrapper to Dunoon franked 2d. and 4d. pair tied by framed “PITT STREET” (type X) cancellations. Photo on page 126. £250-£280



- 715 ☒ 1856 (Jan. 1) reduced entire, minor faults, to Cradley franked 1d., a few faults, tied by “263” barred numeral in green and with Dudley and Stourbridge datestamps on reverse, rare. S.G. Spec. BS28xc, cat. £7,000. Photo also on inside back cover. £1,200-£1400

Cancellations continued



Ex 714



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Ex 719

- 716 ○ 1864-79 1d. rose-red plate 119, FB, very fine used, a slightly blunt perf. SW corner, cancelled only by three strikes of oval "PD" in red used on mail to overseas destinations. *A rare cancellation, especially on a line engraved stamp in red.* Photo. **£180-£200**
- 717 ○ Numerals, 1864-79 1d. rose-red, three examples (plates 155, 168, 172) used with Accrington "5" numeral 4VOD cancellations. *This cancellation is recorded only in proof book by Parmenter.* **£50-£60**
- 718 ☒ 1869 (June 11) entire (file fold) to Edinburgh franked 1d. tied by fine first trial Azemar machine cancellation with London c.d.s. alongside and Edinburgh arrival c.d.s. on reverse, uncommon. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 719 ○ 1872-73 6d. chestnut pl. 11 pair, GA-GB and single, CH, with barred "T.0.2" inspectors marks, uncommon mark, particularly used as an obliterator. (3) Photo. **£120-£140**
- 720 ☒ Skeleton Cancellations, a collection of K.E.VII and K.G.V postcards used with various skeleton cancellations. (144) **£120-£150**



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Essays, Proofs and Trials



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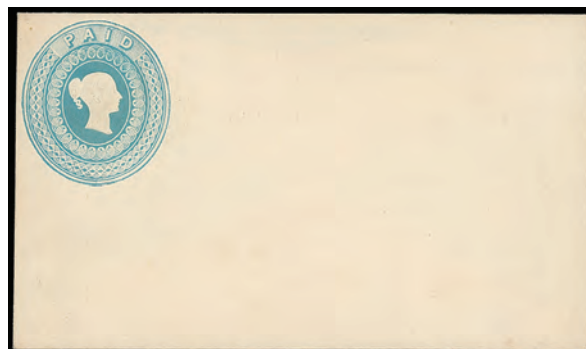


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- 721 P Essay of unknown origin, imperf. in red-brown on gummed paper, similar in idea to 1d. black, with ink notations in selvage at left. A block of four and strip of three are also known, the latter last offered from the 'Chartwell' collection (Spink, Feb. 16 2012, lot 3, realised £2,100). Photo. **£300-£350**
- 722 E An essay/proof of embossed Q.V. head (used for 1847 embossed issues and postal stationery) without pendant curl on small piece of ungummed wove paper, peripheral crease and stain. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 723 E **Dickinson:** 1837 London District Post 2d. letter sheet essay in green on Dickinson's special silk thread paper, faults. Huggins E1b, cat. £1,000. **£80-£100**
- 724 E **Perkins Fairman and Heath:** 1822 (ca.) specimen banknote (220 x 145mm) inscribed "A Specimen of the siderographic plan for preventing the forgery of banknotes submitted to the bankers of the United Kingdom by Perkins, Fairman, & Heath". Photo. **£100-£120**



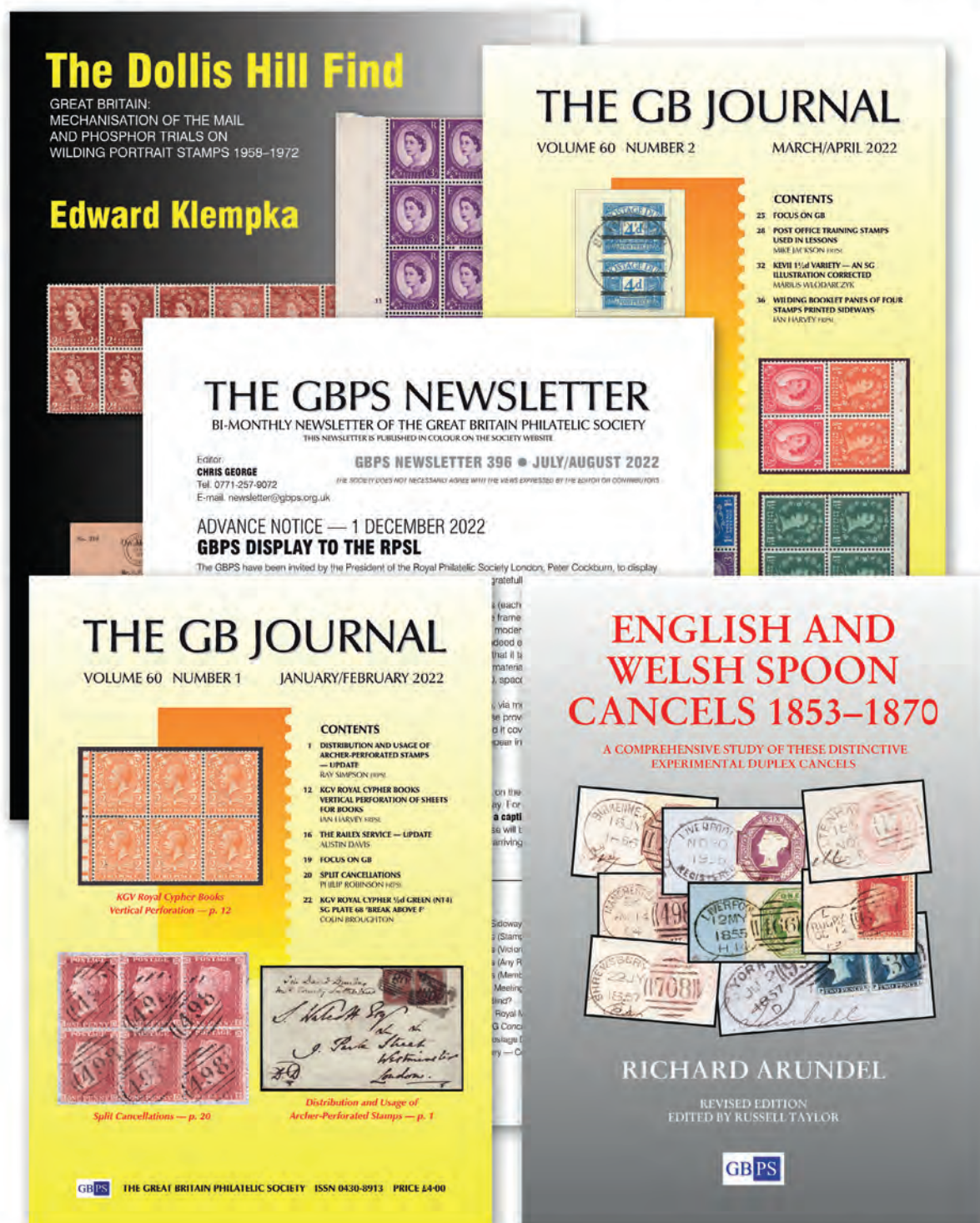
- 725 E **Charles Whiting:** Essay for a Prepaid Uniform Penny Letter Sheet, inscribed "POST OFFICE PERMIT/VR/PRICE 1D. MATTER NOT TO EXCEED IN WEIGHT 1/2 OUNCE.", front only printed in black. S.G. Spec. vol. 1, page 6. Photo. **£500-£600**



- 726  E - 1840 embossed oval "PAID" essay in blue (Huggins E8) at upper left corner of envelope, overprinted on flap "THE IMPROVED SAFETY ENVELOPE/No.483 Registered No. 18 by/MITCHELL AND SONS,39 CHARING CROSS", fine and rare. B.P.A. certificate (2010). Photo. **£1,000-£1,200**

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Second Session, Lots 727 – 1188

Tuesday 27th October at 10.30 am

1840 One Penny Black

- 727 ○ 1d. black, a used collection on leaves, all plated, comprising plates 1a (2), 1b (8), 2 (6), 3 (3), 4 (7), 5 (12), 6 (10), 7 (9), 8 (4), 9 (5) and 10 (2), varied condition. (68) **£1,000-£1,200**
- 728 ○ 1d. black plates 1a to 11, used, with four margins, 1a., 2,3, 4, 6, 7, 8, cancelled with red Maltese Crosses, fair to fine. **£800-£1,000**
- 729 ○ 1d. black, an old used collection on leaves, comprising plates 1a (2), 1b (4), 2 (2), 3 (on large piece), 4 (2), 5 (2, one on piece together with 1d. red plate 8, 6 (8), 7, 8 (2), 9 and 10 (3), some with four margins, varied condition. (29) **£600-£700**
- 730 ○ 1d. black, a selection of four margined examples on covers to or from Ireland, comprising 1840 plate 4 on cover from Ballina to Sligo, plate 6 Cheam to Ballina redirected to Dublin, plate 1b to Hollymount, plate 2 Cheam to Ballina, plate 7 Ballina to Dublin, plate 6 Hollymount to Ballina, 1841 plate 5 Bristol to Ballina, plate 10 Ballina to Turnford, plate 8 to Ballina and plate 10 Ballina to Swinford twice redirected to Dublin and to Battle. (10) **£500-£600**
- 731 ○ 1d. black, a used selection of 40 unplated examples on stock leaves, incl. a pair, various faults. **£400-£500**
- 732 ○ 1d. black, a used collection on leaves, incl. plates 1a, 1b, 2, 4 and 7 on covers and plates 5, 6 (4), 8, 9 and 10, varied condition but mainly with four margins. (8 + 5 covers) **£350-£400**
- 733 ○ 1d. black, a used selection on a page, comprising thirteen unplated examples and plate 3 on cover, varied condition. (13, 1 cover) **£300-£350**
- 734 ☒ 1d. black, selection of fronts, entires or wrappers with 1d. black frankings comprising plate 1A (PJ), 4 (TA), 5 (OL), 6 (DL) and (OC), 8 (QI), all but one with red Maltese Cross cancellations, mixed condition. (6) **£200-£250**

1840 One Penny Black, Plate 1a

- 735 ☆ 1d. grey-black (moderate plate wear) KE, good margins, unused, thin. S.G. Spec. AS2. Photo on page 130. **£300-£350**



- 736 ☒ 1d. black MH very worn state on 1841 (Sept. 6) entire (horizontal file fold well clear of stamp) to Carlisle, tied by light black Maltese Cross with Carlisle c.d.s. alongside. Reverse with part Maryport datestamp, very late use of this plate. Photo. **£800-£1,000**

1840 One Penny Black Plate 1a continued



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- 737 ○ 1d. grey-black LC, large margins, very fine used with neat red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS2. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 738 ○ 1d. grey-black (moderate plate wear) NL, small to very large margins, fine used with black Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS2f. Photo. **£100-£120**



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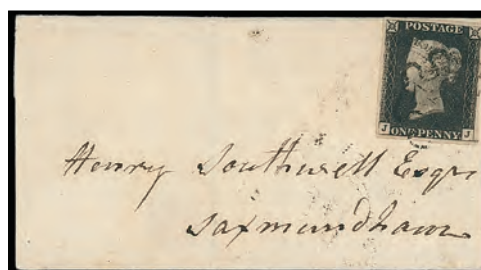
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- 739 ○ 1d. grey-black (moderate plate wear) OA showing re-entry, good to large margins, fine used with neat red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS2b. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 740 ○ 1d. grey-black OH, small to large margins, used with red MC. S.G. Spec. AS2. Photo. **£70-£90**
- 741 ○ 1d. grey-black (moderate plate wear) PH, small to good margins, fine used with neat red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS2. Photo. **£80-£100**

1840 One Penny Black, Plate 1b



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- 742 ☒ 1d. black JJ on 1841 (May 3) very small wrapper to Saxmundham, tied by light black Maltese Cross, reverse with Woodbridge and Saxmundham datestamps and part red wax seal, superb. Photo. **£250-£300**



- 743 ☒ 1d. black LK, four margins tied by red Maltese Cross to 1840 (Nov. 27) wrapper (light file folds) to London, reverse with Gosport and arrival datestamps, mainly fine. Photo. **£180-£200**
- 744 ○ 1d. black CB, good margins, fine used with red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS5. Photo. **£100-£120**



- 745 ☒ 1d. black FI State 2 (double letter F), two four margined examples each with a vertical guide line in the NE corner square, the first with rare inverted watermark and small part of stamp below, tied by Maltese Cross in red to 1840 (Sept. 7) wrapper from Paisley to Edinburgh, vertical filing creases, both clear of the stamp and has been affixed over a pre-existing light horizontal crease in the wrapper near the top and the other, watermark upright, tied by light red Maltese Cross to 1840 (Dec. 18) front and part back from Edinburgh to Prestonpans endorsed "Ed & Glas. Railway" on reverse, a scarce and unusual pair used in Scotland. S.G. Spec AS55f/l, cat. £2,975 (off cover). Photo. £1,000-£1,200



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- 746 ○ 1d. black HF, good to large margins, used with neat red Maltese Cross, small spot on reverse otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. AS5. Photo. £100-£120
- 747 ○ 1d. black JE, large margins, fine used with black MC. S.G. Spec. AS5. Photo. £120-£150
- 748 ○ 1d. black TG, large margins, used with smudged Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. AS5. Photo. £80-£100
- 749 ○ 1d. black TL, good to large margins, fine use with red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS5. Photo. £100-£120

1840 One Penny Black, Plate 2



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- 750 ☆ 1d. black FJ, small to good margins, unused, ironed out crease otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. AS15. Photo. £300-£350
- 751 ○ 1d. black GL without ray flaws, small to large margins, fine used with neat Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS15f. Photo. £80-£100
- 752 ☒ 1d. black LD, four margins, tied by light red-brown Maltese Cross to 1840 (Aug. 29) wrapper (piece of reverse removed, probably wax seal) to Devonport. Reverse with London datestamp, mainly fine. Photo on page 132. £200-£220
- 753 ○ 1d. black LH, good margins, used with red MC, fine. S.G. Spec. AS14. Photo. £100-£120
- 754 ○ 1d. black MB, good to large margins, used with black Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS15m. Photo. £80-£100

1840 One Penny Black Plate 1a continued



- 755 ☒ 1d. black PB, just tied at left by red Maltese Cross 1840 (July 14) entire to Blackburn with mostly fine Ambleside double arc c.d.s. on reverse, fine. Photo. £120-£140
- 756 ○ 1d. black TE, good margins, fine used with crisp Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS15. Photo on. £120-£150

1840 One Penny Black, Plate 3



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- 757 ○ 1d. black GB, small to good margins, fine used with neat red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS20. Photo. £80-£100
- 758 ○ 1d. black HE, small to good margins, fine used with red MC. S.G. Spec. AS20. Photo. £80-£100
- 759 ○ 1d. black JF, good to large margins, fine used with neat red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS20. Photo. £120-£150



- 760 ○ 1d. black TE-TK strip of seven, very close to large margins, TK cut into at base, some creasing, otherwise fine and rare multiple. S.G. Spec. AS20. Photo. £2,000-£2,500

1840 One Penny Black, Plate 4



- 761 ★ 1d. black BE-CE vertical pair, mainly small to large margins, CE shaved on left, mint part gum, slightly soiled and some toning alongside edges on reverse, light bends, CE with small rust mark in lower left corner, rare. S.G. Spec. AS23. Photo. £600-£700



- 762 ☒ 1d. black PG, used on 1841 (Jan. 9) cover to Aberdeen, tied by ruby Maltese Cross, with Aberdeen datestamp on reverse, some cover faults and soiled, rare. S.G. Spec. AS23ve. Photo. £400-£500
- 763 ○ 1d. black TD, small to large margins, used with neat Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. AS23. Photo. £100-£120

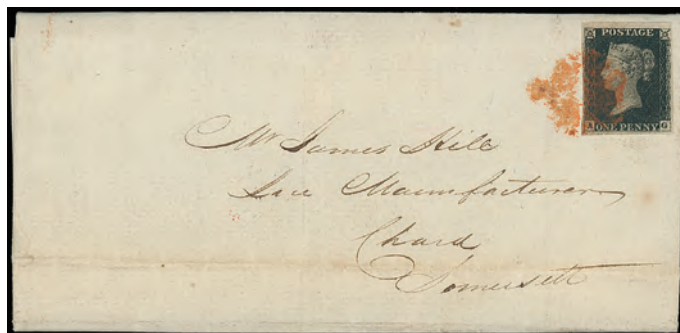
1840 One Penny Black, Plate 5

- 764 ☆ 1d. black AG, small to large margins, unused, regummed, creases. S.G. Spec. AS25. Photo. £250-£300



- 765 ☒ 1d. black CL, fine used with small to large margins, on 1841 (Feb. 23) entire from Plymouth to Truro, tied by distinctive Plymouth Maltese Cross, with blue Truro c.d.s. alongside. R.P.S. certificate (1983). S.G. Spec. AS25ui. Photo also on inside front cover. £2,000-£2,500
- 766 ○ 1d. black KE with double letter and plate 7 OL, used with black Maltese Crosses, good to large margins, small imperfections. (2) S.G. Spec. AS25b, AS44. £100-£120
- 767 ☆ 1d. black NI, very close to large margins, unused, horizontal crease otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. AS25. Photo. £250-£300

1840 One Penny Black, Plate 6



- 768 ☒ 1d. black AG, close to very large margins margins, tied by vermilion Maltese Cross to 1840 (Oct. 14) entire to Chard, the letter referring to a train accident, with Bristol datestamp on reverse, scarce. S.G. Spec. A1vh, cat. £2,250. Photo. £350-£400

1840 One Penny Black Plate 6 continued



- 769 ☒ 1d. black AK and plate 8 TD, both with four margins, the latter intense black and an early use of this plate, tied by red Maltese Crosses to 1841 (Sept. 29) wrapper to Armagh, reverse with Belfast and Armagh datestamps. Scarce Irish use of mixed plates. Photo. **£700-£750**
- 770 ☒ 1d. black CL, slightly cut into at top right with ruby Aberdeen Maltese Cross, typically lightly struck and tied by additional manuscript notations to 1840 (Dec. 4) folded receipt (file folds and ink stain) to Rhynie with framed Aberdeen datestamp on reverse. S.G. Spec. A1ve, cat. £2,500. Photo. **£180-£200**



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- 771 ○ 1d. black DG, small to large margins, used with smudged red Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. AS41. Photo. **£80-£100**
- 772 ☒ 1d. black DL, just touched at left tied by red Maltese Cross to 1841 (Jan. 31) entire to Wellingborough and with Cambridge c.d.s. on reverse, uncommon Sunday use. Photo. **£180-£200**
- 773 ○ 1d. black EG, small to large margins, fine used with smudged light red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS41. Photo. **£80-£100**
- 774 ★ 1d. intense black GF, small to good margins, fine mint with part original gum, fresh, B.P.A. certificate (2016). S.G. Spec. AS40. Photo also on back cover. **£700-£800**
- 775 ○ 1d. black KJ, good to large margins, fine used with smudged black Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS41. Photo. **£80-£100**
- 776 ☒ 1d. black LA, slightly cut into at upper left, used on 1841 (Jan. 20) entire from Sunderland to Durham with red Maltese Cross and plate 4, FC, touching at lower left tied to a piece by black Maltese Cross. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 777 ★ 1d. black SD, margins just shaved on left, mint part lightly toned gum. S.G. Spec. AS41. Photo. **£300-£350**

1840 One Penny Black, Plate 7



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- 778 ○ 1d. black PE with double letter E, good margins, fine used with neat red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS45b. Photo. £100-£120

- 779 ○ 1d. black QE, small to large margins, used with red Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. AS44. Photo. £80-£100

1840 One Penny Black, Plate 8



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- 780 ○ 1d. black EI, good to large margins, fine used with red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS46. Photo. £100-£120



- 781 ▲ 1d. black ND, slightly cut into at at lower left, just tied to piece with brown Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. A1(2)vi, cat. £3,000 (as a loose stamp). R.P.S. certificate (1998). Photo. £500-£550

- 782 ☒ 1d. black NI, four margins, black Maltese Cross on 1841 (Feb. 28) wrapper (light file fold) to Saxmundham, reverse with Ware and London datestamps and rare "Puckeridge/Penny Post" mark (HE342). Photo. £250-£300

1840 One Penny Black, Plate 9



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- 783 ○ 1d. black BB, (2, States 1 and 2, the latter a scarce provisional print with central thin) and in red State 2, used four margined examples, fine. S.G. Spec. AS 57, 61, 52, cat. £2,325. Photo. £200-£220

- 784 ○ 1d. black RK, small to large margins showing parts of two adjoining stamps, used with black Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. AS56. Photo. £80-£100

1840 One Penny Black, Plate 10



- 785 ☒ 1d. black FE, slightly cut into at lower right tied by red Maltese Cross to 1841 (Mar. 7) wrapper (two file folds well clear of stamp) to London, reverse with Brighton and London date stamps, rare Sunday use. S.G. AS67, cat. £3,500. Photo. **£500-£550**
- 786 ○ 1d. black KI, small to large margins, used with black Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. AS66. Photo. **£100-£120**

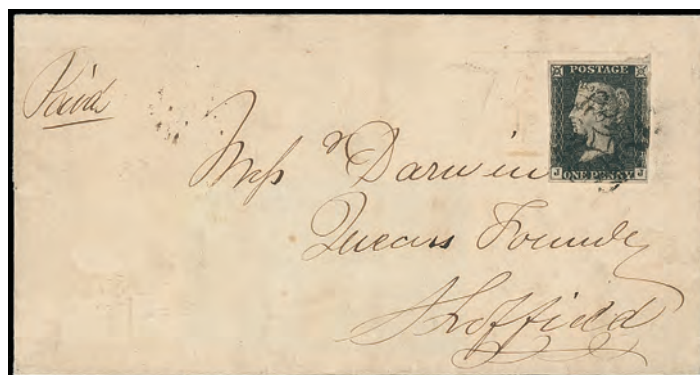
1840 One Penny Black, Plate 11



- 787 ○ 1d. black AB, three good to large margins, just touched otherwise fine used. S.G. Spec. AS73. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 788 ○ 1d. black GF, good to large margins, black Maltese Cross, small faults. S.G. Spec. AS73. Photo. **£300-£350**



- 789 ★ 1d. black HJ, part original gum, close to large margins, fine. B.P.A. certificate (2009). S.G. Spec. AS72. Photo. **£2,000-£2,500**



- 790 ☒ 1d. black JJ, small to large margins, used on part 1841 (May 19) large part wrapper to Sheffield, tied by black Maltese Cross. R.P.S. certificate (1959). S.G. Spec. AS 73. Photo. **£1,200-£1,500**

- 791 ○ 1d. greyish black MB, cut into, used with black Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS72. **£100-£120**
- 792 ○ 1d. black QJ, small to large margins, used with black Maltese Cross, small scissor cut otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. AS73. Photo. **£300-£350**
- 793 ○ 1d. black RF, small to good margins just touching at lower right, used with black Maltese Cross, small faults, soiled. S.G. Spec. AS73. Photo. **£150-£200**

1840 V.R. One Penny Black



- 794 ☆ 1d. black BH, unused, good to large margins, minor imperfections, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. VR1, cat. £25,000. Photo. **£3,000-£4,000**



- 795 1d. black PE, unused but traces of trial cancellation removed, fine with good to large margins. S.G. Spec. VR1. Photo. **£5,000-£6,000**

1840 Two Pence Blue

- 796 ○ 2d. blue, a used collection on leaves, comprising singles (8), pairs (5 with one on cover) and strip of three, varied condition. (19, 1 cover) **£450-£500**
- 797 ○ 2d. blue, a used selection on a page, comprising plates 1 (5) with a pair and plate 2 (4), varied condition. (9) **£200-£250**
- 798 ○ 2d. blue, a used selection on a page, comprising six plated examples and plate 2 pair on cover, varied condition. (6, one cover) **£200-£250**

1840 Two Pence Blue, Plate 1



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- 799 ○ 2d. blue CF with shifted transfer (basal), small to good margins, fine used with neat red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. DS5c. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 800 ○ 2d. blue CI, small to good margins, fine used with red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. DS5. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 801 ○ 2d. blue DE-DF horizontal pair, good to large margins, fine used with black Maltese Crosses. S.G. Spec. DS5. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 802 ○ 2d. blue plate 1 ED-EE pair, small to good margins, used with black Maltese Crosses, fine. S.G. Spec. DS5. Photo. **£200-£250**

1840 Two Pence Blue Plate 1 continued



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- 803 ○ 2d. deep full blue EK showing double “K” variety, good to large margins, with scarce “918” (Worcester) barred cancellation, some light bluish marks on reverse. S.G. Spec. D1(1)xc, cat. £2,000+. Photo. **£420-£480**
- 804 ○ 2d. blue HD-HE horizontal pair, small to large margins, used with black Maltese Crosses, light creases. S.G. Spec. DS5. Photo. **£120-£150**



- 805 ☒ 2d. blue HJ, good margins, tied by black Maltese Cross on 1841 (Aug. 6) wrapper (reverse torn, with separate enclosed letter) to Basingstoke with arrival c.d.s. at lower left and the reverse with Gainsborough and London transit datestamps and intact red wax seal, very attractive. Photo. **£300-£350**



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- 806 ○ 2d. blue HL, good margins, fine used with red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. DS5. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 807 ○ 2d. blue IK, cut into at right with distinctive Manchester ‘fishtail’ Maltese Cross in black. S.G. Spec. D1(2)vi, cat. £1,750. Photo. **£180-£200**
- 808 ○ 2d. blue LI, good margins, used with black MC, fine. S.G. Spec. DS5. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 809 ○ 2d. blue MC, small to large margins, fine used with neat black Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. DS5. **£80-£100**



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- 810 ○ 2d. blue MF-MG horizontal pair, small to large margins just touching MG at upper right, fine used with black Maltese Crosses. S.G. Spec. DS5. Photo. **£150-£200**



- 811 ★ 2d. blue NC re-entry, close to good margins, unused with part gum (possibly regummed), fresh and rare. S.G. Spec. DS5b, S.G. 5aa, cat. £30,000+. Photo. £1,000-£1,200
- 812 ○ 2d. blue NJ, small to good, used with red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. DS5. Photo. £80-£100

1840 Two Pence Blue, Plate 2



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- 813 ○ 2d. blue CJ, small to large margins, fine used with black Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. DS8. Photo. £100-£120



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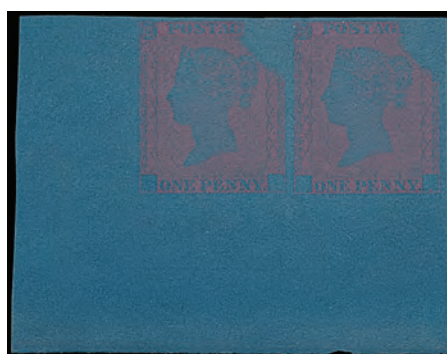
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- 814 ▲ 2d. blue FA with double letter, small to large margins, used on part cover tied by Irish diamond 1844-type "107" numeral cancellation of Castlebar in blue and small black ink spots, with "CASTLEBAR/JY 8/1846" double arc c.d.s. on reverse, very rare. S.G. 5i, S.G. Spec. DS8xd, cat. £14,000+. Photo. £600-£700
- 815 ☒ 2d. deep full blue FL, roughly separated and defects at top left, tied by black Maltese Cross to 1841 (Mar. 13) entire to London with Inverness, Edinburgh and London datestamps on reverse. Photo. £100-£120
- 816 ☒ 2d. blue JD and RL, margins vary, the latter with large part adjoining stamp at foot, tied by red Maltese Cross to undated wrapper to Kendal, small part Lombard Street datestamp on reverse. Photo. £400-£500
- 817 ○ 2d. blue JF, good to large margins, fine used with black Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec DS8. Photo. £120-£150

1840 Two Pence Blue Plate 2 continued

- 818 ☆ 2d. blue LC-LD unused pair, small to large margins nearly all round, LD touched at base, horizontal crease otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. DS8. Photo. £3,000-£4,000
- 819 ○ 2d. blue RE, good to large margins, small corner crease only visible from reverse, used with red Maltese Cross. S.G. 4. cat. £975. Photo. £120-£140

1840 Rainbow Colour Trials

- 820 P Second trial plate, state 3 corner pair in lilac-rose on deeply blued wove paper. S.G. Spec. DP20b cat. £4,500. Photo. £1,000-£1,500



- 821 P Second trial plate, state 2 top marginal single in black on unwatermarked, ungummed, wove paper, has punch hole and abrasions across the Queen's face, possible for experiment regarding alternative to cancellations, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. DP20(2)c, cat. from £7,500. Photo. £1,200-£1,500

1841 One Penny Red-Brown

- 822 ○ 1d. red-brown, a used selection of stamps cancelled with numbers in Maltese Cross cancellations on leaves, comprising numbers "1" (6 with a pair on piece), "2" (8), "3", "4", "5" (2), "6" (3), "7" (3), "8" (4), "9" (3), "10" (2) and "11" (5), varied condition. (38) S.G. 8m. £200-£250
- 823 ○ 1d. red-brown, a used accumulation on stock leaves, incl. many with four margins, used with Maltese Crosses, numeral cancellations incl. in blue, pairs, strips of four (6), five (2) and six, blocks of four (4) and six etc., varied condition. (approx. 1,200) £150-£200
- 824 ○ 1d. red-brown (12) cancelled set of numbers "1" to "12" in Maltese Crosses, good to fine part or large part strikes on three to four margined adhesives in varied condition. S.G. 8m, cat. £3,045. £120-£150
- 825 ○ 1d. red-brown, a complete sheet reconstruction AA to TL, used, varied condition. (240) S.G. 8. £120-£150



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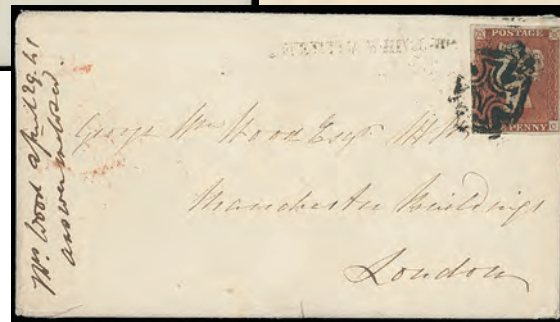
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- 826** ○ 1d. red-brown AK, fine with three very large even margins and an enormous top margin with part inscription “remove the cement” with position AJ and AL having been removed, indistinct Scottish numeral cancellation indicating use after June 1844, highly unusual positional piece. Photo. **£130-£150**
- 827** ○ 田 1d. red-brown CA-DE used block of four, margins nearly all round, touched at base, otherwise fine. S.G. 8. Photo. **£80-£100**
- 828** ○ 田 1d. red-brown EA-FC used block of six, small to large margins all round, Irish numeral cancellations, a few creases, otherwise fine. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 829** ☒ 1d. red-brown KH, faults, tied by “717” barred numeral to 1848 (Feb. 18) small envelope to Toronto rated ‘1/2’(d) with Liverpool transit and circular “1s4dCy” charge mark also an 1849 (Nov. 16) similar stampless example to Quebec. (2) Photo. **£300-£350**
- 830** ○ 田 1d. red-brown ND-OE block of four, showing adjoining stamps at left and right, four large margins. Photo. **£200-£220**
- 831** ☒ 1d. red-brown, ‘black’ plate 1b AC good to large margins, just affected by filing crease at top, used on (Apr. 29) entire from Lesmahago to Hamilton, tied by black Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS6. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 832** ○ 1d. red-brown set of ‘black’ plates, comprising plate 1b DJ, 2 AA, 5 DK, 8 KJ, 9 DE, 10 JF and 11 HH, used with black Maltese Crosses, all with four margins, good to fine. (7) S.G. 7, cat. £1,480. **£100-£120**
- 833** ☒ 1d. red-brown plate 5 CF, just touched at top left, used on 1841 (May 10) entire to Doctors Commons, tied by neat London Maltese Cross with broken points, S.G. Spec. AS26. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 834** ☆ 1d. red-brown plate 9 MI, unused, close margins three sides, cut into at base, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. AS59. Photo. **£100-£120**

1841 One Penny Red-Brown continued



- 835 ★ 1d. black FI-FJ pair close to good margins, frame line just shaved at “J” square, otherwise fine with gum. S.G. Spec. AS68. Photo. £800-£1,000
- 836 ☒ 1d. red-brown plate 10 GC touched at lower left, used on 1841 (Apr. 29) cover from Manchester to London, tied by Manchester “Fishtail” Maltese Cross and Manchester datestamp in red on the reverse. S.G. Spec. AS69 ub. Photo. £150-£200



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- 837 ☒ 1d. red-brown plate 10 KI-KJ pair, former with crease at foot, tied by Maltese Cross cancellations to 1841 (Mar. 3) printed fire insurance certificate (a few faults) to Beith, reverse with Edinburgh c.d.s. Photo. £120-£140
- 838 ☒ 1d. red-brown plate 11 ME, small to large margins, fine used on 1841 (Oct. 14) cover to Exeter, tied by blue Maltese Cross with matching Truro c.d.s. alongside. S.G. Spec. AS74 vc. Photo. £500-£600



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- 839 ☒ 1d. red-brown plate 19 GG-GL strip of six rare used to fully prepay the 6d. rate up to half an ounce on 1842 (Mar. 9) cover from Dublin to Lübeck (‘Heine Brothers’ correspondence), good to large margins except GG and GH clipped at top and GH and GL crossed by barely noticeable filing folds, otherwise fine and rare. S.G. Spec. BS8. Photo. £700-£800
- 840 ○ 1d. red-brown plate 22 LF-MF vertical pair, good to large margins, with Coventry distinctive Maltese Cross cancellations, fine. S.G. Spec. B1(1)tg, cat. £1,500+. Photo. £300-£350



- 841 ▲ 1d. red-brown plate 24, BA and NF with 1841 2d., plate 3 AA tied by black Maltese Cross cancellations to a reduced undated wrapper to Congleton and 1842 (Apr. 21) piece franked 1d. (4, all plate 18) and also tied by black Maltese Cross cancellations with a Clitheroe c.d.s. above. (2) Photo. £200-£220
- 842 ☒ 1d. red-brown plate 34 LF, four margins tied by number "10" in Maltese Cross to 1844 (Jan. 24) entire to Hathersage with small part London c.d.s. on reverse. Photo. £280-£300



- 843 ○ 1d. red-brown plate 36 IK-JL block of four, just cut into in places and with London "8" number in Maltese Cross cancellations. Photo. £200-£220
- 844 ☒ 1d. red-brown plate 43 JD, touched at right, cut into at top and tied by a rare late use in Ireland of the Maltese Cross on an 1845 (July 1) entire to Dublin from Multyfarnham with a blue green Mullingar datestamp in addition. Photo. £500-£600
- 845 ☒ - JI, tied by Maltese Cross leaving Queen's profile entirely clear to 1844 (May) entire within London, also 1844 entire to Southampton with roughly cut 1d. pair cancelled number 2 in Maltese Crosses. Photo. £100-£120
- 846 ○ 1d. red-brown plate 84 GA-HB block of four, slightly cut into at top with each horizontal pair centrally struck with "545" barred numeral. Photo. £120-£150
- 847 ★ 1d. red-brown, three imperforate marginal strips with imprint on blued papers, plates 88, 93 and another unidentified, each showing "PRICE 1d Per Label...." or "Per Sheet....", large part original gum. £100-£120

1841 One Penny Red-Brown continued



- 848 ★ 1d. red-brown plate 131 JL-KL vertical marginal pair showing complete marginal ornament with circular frame, type A, a very rare item as virtually all sheets were separated at the Post Office between the J and K rows, this is the rarest of all the marginal settings. Very fine mint with ample to large margins and part to almost full original gum. *This is the only mint example and the only complete example we have seen.* S.G. Spec. BS91. Photo also on back cover. £2,500-£3,000
- 849 ☒ 1d. red-brown plate 166 AL, close to very large margins tied by Leeds duplex to 1860 (Mar. 26) mourning envelope to Gainsborough, very unusual late use. Photo. £280-£300

1841 Two Pence Blue



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- 850 ○ 2d. blue, a used collection on leaves, incl. plate 3 2d. singles (2) and pairs (3, two on cover) with Irish diamond cancellations in blue, 2d. with complete boxed "MORE/TO/PAY" cancellation, 2d. with number "1" in Maltese Cross, 2d. pair with "Per Row of 12. £2..." marginal inscription, 2d. strips of three (5, one on cover) and four, plate 4 2d. pairs (3) etc., varied condition. (42, 8 covers) £200-£250
- 851 ○ 2d. blue, selection used with numbers "2" to "12" in Maltese Crosses, varied condition. (11) S.G. 14f, cat. £7,950. £150-£200
- 852 ○ 2d. blue, used accumulation in a stockbook, incl. pairs (38), strips of three (5), strip of four, two plate 4 with 'spectacle' flaw etc., mixed condition. (few 100s) £800-£1,000

1841 Two Pence Blue, Plate 3

- 853 ○ 2d. blue selection with AA, CJ, GF (thin paper), GH (tied to an 1844 wrapper from Edinburgh to Inverness) and SG (thin paper, small thin), all with Maltese Cross cancellations and all but one with four margins. (5) £180-£200
- 854 ☒ 2d. blue AB, just touching at upper left and tied by numbered "8" Maltese Cross in black to 1843 (Sept. 23) entire to Cheltenham and with London and Cheltenham datestamps on reverse. Photo. £280-£300
- 855 ★ 2d. blue AI, small to large margins, mint, light vertical bend, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. ES11, cat. £3,000. Photo. £250-£300



- 856** ☒ 2d. blue BE, good to large margins, small central surface rub and light wrinkling, showing some corrosion as often found with plate 3 and tied by indistinct black Maltese Cross 1841 (Sept. 17) "OHMS" (tax returns) entire to Penzance, Truro datestamp at top left and Penzance datestamp on reverse. *Very scarce franking with the initial supply of a Plate 3 printing less than 5,000 sheets. Photo.* **£280-£300**
- 857** ☒ 2d. blue BL and 1d. plate 63 MB, both four margins and tied by London numerals to entire to Warminster and with London and Warminster datestamps on reverse, uncommon franking. *Photo.* **£220-£250**
- 858** ○ 2d. blue DK-DL pair, partially severed, slightly cut into at right and each with oval "L" (Liverpool) datestamps used on transatlantic mail. *Very scarce, particularly so as an obliterator. S.G. unlisted. Photo.* **£450-£500**
- 859** ★ 2d. blue FB, mainly good to very large margins just touching at bottom right, mint with cracked gum. S.G. Spec. ES11. *Photo.* **£200-£250**
- 860** ★ 2d. blue GE, three margins, mint with traces of gum, small corner crease otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. ES11. **£150-£200**
- 861** ○ ▢ 2d. blue IF-JG block of four, cut into at base, other sides very close to good margins, used with black Maltese Crosses. S.G. Spec. Ei. *Photo.* **£80-£100**
- 862** ☒ 2d. blue JE, touching at upper left and lightly cancelled by Maltese Cross on 1842 (Oct. 7) entire (addressed to an Engineer of the Glasgow and Ayr Railway) to Irvine with framed "PAID/1d EXTRA" in red and reverse with Edinburgh and Irvine datestamps, attractive. *Photo.* **£180-£200**
- 863** ○ 2d. blue KK, and pair CH-CI, four margins on thin paper (S.G. unlisted on this plate) and with numeral cancellations. (3) **£100-£120**
- 864** ○ 2d. blue KB-KD strip of three, large margins and with "454" (Leominster) barred numerals and a plate 3 single, TA, with portion of adjoining stamp at top with "875" (Whitby) barred numeral, fine. *Photo.* **£200-£220**

1841 Two Pence Blue Plate 3 continued



- 865 ☒ 2d. blue KD-KF strip of three with small to large margins (all showing basal horizontal guide lines), used on 1841 (Oct. 9) cover (light creases) from Darlington to Hamburg, tied by black Maltese Crosses, with two line "HULL/SHIP LETTER" (Robertson S9) and Hamburg Ship datestamp on the reverse, very fine quality and a very rare use of the 1841 2d. in 1841. Ex Moubray. Photo. £1,800-£2,000



- 866 ○ 2d. deep blue MG-MH pair, slightly cut into at right, on thin paper and with thick outer lines and black Maltese Cross cancellations, possibly of Killarney. Photo. £280-£300
- 867 ☒ 2d. blue NB, PD, used on 1843 (Apr. 20) entire letter from London to Huntly, tied by number "12" in Maltese Cross, boxed Huntly alongside and two transit marks on reverse, folds. S.G. Spec. ES11vl. Photo. £80-£100
- 868 ○ ☐ 2d. blue RA-TB block of six, slightly cut into in places and with black Maltese Cross cancellations. S.G. Spec. E1(2)tb, cat. £3,900+. Photo. £400-£450

1841 Two Pence Blue, Plate 4

- 869 2d. blue selection on leaves incl. AA-BA pair from the corner of the sheet showing plate no. (damaged), AA-AE strip of five, AA-AC strip of three, AC-AF strip of four, AB-CC block of six, plate flaws, etc., mixed condition. (60) £250-£300
- 870 ☆ 2d. blue AK, very close to good margins, unused. S.G. Spec. ES14, cat. £3,000. £100-£120
- 871 ★ 2d. blue BJ, good to large margins, mint small part gum. S.G. Spec. ES14, cat. £3,000. Photo. £450-£500
- 872 ☒ 2d. blue CA-CF strip of six (CA with upper transfer shift, CE re-entry) with good to very large margins except CA just clipped at top left, used on 1852 (Apr. 28) envelope from Lincoln to Philadelphia, red "PAID", "5/CENTS" handstamps and "BR. PACKET/BOSTON" c.d.s. on front, a few small cover imperfections. S.G. Spec ES14/b/e. Photo. £300-£400



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- 873 ☒ 2d. deep full blue CI-CL strip of four with good margins except CL just cut into at right, used to pay 8d. rate to Germany on 1853 (Aug.) clean neat envelope from London to Prussia, endorsed 'Via Ostend' with red circular "ENGLAND PER AACHEN", "P" in oval and manuscript '4' for ½ share for Prussia, most attractive. Photo.

£250-£300



- 874 ★ ▣ 2d. blue plate 4 DA-EB block of four, DB just touched and with small surface rub to "POSTAGE", part original gum with slight wrinkles a rare mint multiple. S.G. Spec. ES14, cat. £38,000. Photo also on back cover.

£3,000-£4,000

- 875 ○ 2d. blue FJ-FL with "92" (Bolton) numerals cancellation and large margins, very fine. Photo. £180-£200

- 876 ○ 2d. blue FK-FL pair, slightly cut into and 1d. red tied to a printed House of Commons fragment by London numeral cancellations. Photo. £140-£160

- 877 ○ 2d. blue HI-HL used strip of three with inverted watermark, close to very large margins nearly all round, HL touched, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. ES14a. Photo. £250-£300



- 878 ☒ 2d. violet-blue on thicker lavender tinted paper HI-HL horizontal strip of four together with 1d. red-brown plate 123 used on 1852 cover to Kendal tied by numeral cancellations, small to large margins touching HI at top right and shaving HL at bottom, Liverpool and Kendal datestamps on reverse, very rare, R.P.S. certificate (1996). S.G. Spec. ES16, S.G. 15aa. Photo. £800-£1,000

1841 Two Pence Blue Plate 4 continued



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- 879 ○ 2d. blue LA-LC marginal strip of three from the left of the sheet with inscription "...ace the Labels ABOVE" inscription, margins cutting into adjoining stamps at foot, with Irish diamond "186" cancellations of Dublin. S.G. Spec. ES14. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 880 ☆ 2d. blue ND, unused, touched at right and cut into at top. S.G. 14. Photo. **£80-£100**
- 881 ★ 2d. blue OD, good to large margins, mint small part gum. S.G. Spec. ES14, cat. £3,000. Photo. **£300-£350**
- 882 ☒ 2d. blue OF-OI strip of four with good to large margins almost all around (OI just touched at top right) used on 1852 (Sept. 7) flimsy wrapper from Sheffield to 'The Lord Bishop of Melbourne, Melbourne, Port Phillip'; endorsed 'By first Ship' and with very fine "SHIP-LETTER/(crown)/8SP/1852/LONDON" c.d.s. in red with manuscript '3' below, attractive and a very scarce destination. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 883 ☒ 2d. blue PA-PG strip of seven used with 1d. CI on 1853 (July 14) entire letter from London to Stockholm, also endorsed '4' in red and with "HELSINGBORG/21/7/1852" c.d.s. on front, the 2d. strip cut into at top and left but very scarce. Photo. **£500-£600**
- 884 ○ 2d. violet-blue with ivory head with slight sign of lavender tint NF-NI horizontal strip of four, small to large margins, fine used, rare multiple, R.P.S. certificate (1991). S.G. Spec. ES17. Photo. **£150-£200**

Later Line Engraved



- 885 ☒ 1852-53 alphabet II 1d. red-brown plate 135 JD on lavender tinted paper, fine with ample to good margins on 1852 (July 21) entire letter from Chester-le-Street to Germany, most attractive and rare. *The stamp JD on this cover adjoins JE on a twin cover, also to Germany, in the Lord Dunsany original correspondence.* Photo. £300-£350
- 886 ☒ - JE on lavender tinted paper, very fine with large even margins on the matching 1852 (July 20) entire letter from Chester-le-Street to Germany. Full of character, most attractive and rare. Photo. £350-£400
- 887 ☒ 1854 die 1 alphabet II SC16 1d. red-brown used on 1854 (Mar. 30) cover from London to Leith, tied by Inland Branch "13" in blue, stamp off-centre, otherwise fine. £70-£80



- 888 ★ - 1d. plate 176, part original gum, centred upper right, with inverted wmk, fine. S.G. 17wi, unpriced mint, very rare. R.P.S. certificate (2021). Photo. £400-£500
- 889 ☒ - 1d. selection with 1854 wrapper from Blackburn to Lancaster franked 1d. with dumb bar cancellation, 1854 envelope to Hereford with 1d. (2) tied by London numerals, 1856 envelope with 1d. tied by Exeter sideways duplex and "Bramford/Penny Post" mark on reverse also five later 1d. line engraved frankings incl. one used in 1909. (7) £180-£200
- 890 ☒ 1854-57 SC16 2d. blue plate 4 BF-BI horizontal strip of four together with 1d. tied by "17" diamond barred ovals to 1855 entire letter to Amsterdam via Ostend, arrival on reverse. S.G. Spec. F1, F1q. £100-£120
- 891 1854-57 SC14 2d., two used examples with London or Edinburgh numerals S.G. 23, cat. £360 also LC14 2d. on 1858 entire tied by Glasgow duplex, 1858-76 plate 7 on 1859 entire to Manchester and plate 8 on 1860 wrappers tied by twin barred numeral "43" duplex or London EC duplex. (2 + four covers) £120-£150



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- 892 S - 2d. blue plate 4 SI overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 2 vertically, with traces of gum. S.G. Spec. F2s., cat. £1,700. Photo. £120-£150
- 893 ☆ - 2d. blue plate 5 BB, unused, centred to lower left, a few shortish perfs. at the bottom, otherwise fine, fresh colour. S.G. 23a, Spec. F3, cat. £12,000. Photo. £500-£600

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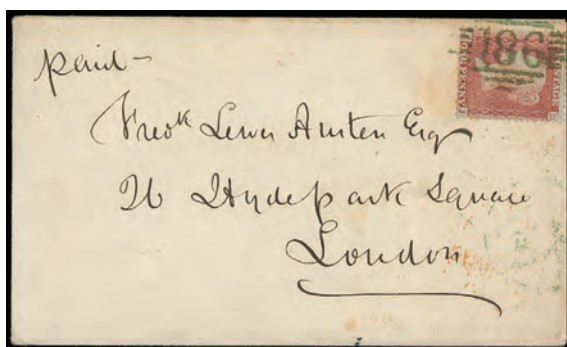


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- 894 ☆ 1854-57 SC14 2d. blue plate 5 KH, unused, regummed, centred to lower left, a few slightly shortish perms., otherwise fine and fresh. S.G. 23a, Spec. F3, cat. £12,000. Photo. **£500-£600**
- 895 ☒ 1855 die I, Alphabet II SC14 1d. JJ, used on 1855 (July 19) cover from Dublin to London, tied by "186" Dublin cancellation in green, slight traces of staining, otherwise fine. Photo. **£80-£100**
- 896 ★ 1855 LC16 2d. blue plate 5 FD, mint part gum, centred upper left, otherwise fine and fresh. S.G. 27, Spec. F5, cat. £18,500. Photo. **£1,500-£1700**
- 897 ★ 1855 LC14 2d. blue plate 5 OJ, mint small part gum, fresh, R.P.S. certificate (2004). S.G. 34, Spec. F6(1), cat. £2,250. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 898 ★ - 2d. blue plate 6 PK, mint part gum, fresh. S.G. 35, Spec. F7, cat. £2,500. Photo. **£250-£300**



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- 899 ★ ☒ 1856 die II, alphabet III, LC14 white paper 1d. rose-red plate 44 HH-JL mint block of fifteen unmounted except one, two with tiny inclusions on reverse, very scarce. Photo. **£400-£450**



- 900 ○ ☒ - 1d. deep rose-red HA-IJ used block of twenty (one defective) with "76" (Blackheath) oval three bar horizontal cancellation, no examples recorded by Parmenter, rare. Photo. **£380-£400**
- 901 ○ ☒ 1856 die II, alphabet III, LC14 Transitional issues on yellow to cream toned paper 1d. pale rose MG-NK block of ten with "864" barred numerals, three pairs showing cancellations centrally struck also two misperforated pairs with centrally struck Irish "345" (Mulligan) numerals, contrary to regulations. (14) **£280-£300**
- 902 1857-63 die II, alphabet III, LC14 on white paper 1d. pale rose-red plate 62 mint, two used pairs in deep rose-red both with basal varieties, and a used block of twelve (3 x 4) with "760" barred numerals also 1864-79 1d. plates 79, 165 and 216 mint, large part original gum. (20) **£220-£250**
- 903 ○ 1854-58 2d. used selection with plate 4 horizontal pair severely misperforated, plate 9 block of four, NC/OD and plate 12 QB. (7) **£200-£220**

1864 – 79 One Penny Plate Number Issues



- 904 ★ 1d., a complete set of plates 71 to 225 (less 77), mint, mainly good to fine. (151) S.G. 43, 44. Photo. £1,200-£1400
- 905 ★ 1d., a complete set of plates 71 to 225 (less 77), mint, mainly good to fine and fresh. (151) S.G. 43, 44. Photo. £1,200-£1,400
- 906 ☆ 1d. plates 71 to 224 (less 77), mainly good to fine mint or unused. (150) £200-£250
- 907 ○ 1d. red plates 71 to 225 (less 77), used, good to fine. (151) S.G. 43-44. £150-£200
- 908 ★ 1d., a mint selection of multiples, comprising plates 83, 193 and 208 pairs, plate 221 block of three, plates 216 and 220 blocks of four, plates 181 and 184 blocks of six, plate 192 marginal block of 10 with current number "229", plates 82, 190 and 195 blocks of twelve, good to fine, fresh colours. (75) S.G. 43, 44. £150-£200
- 909 ○ 1d. plate 109 FA imperf. variety, mainly small to large margins with part of adjoining stamp at top, just slightly shaved at left, used with Irish "303" numeral cancellation of Limerick. S.G. 44a, Spec. G1h, cat. £2,500. Photo. £200-£250
- 910 P 1d. rose-red plate 112 AB, AC adjoining top marginal imprimaturs with inscriptions, small to large margins, fine. S.G. Spec. G1. Photo. £150-£200
- 911 ★ 1d. rose-red plate 180 SA-TB lower left corner marginal block of four with sheet margins showing marginal plate number and inscription, fine mint (three stamps unmounted). Photo. £150-£200
- 912 ☆ 1d. rose-red plate 206 AA-CF upper left corner block of eighteen with deckle edge selvedge, plate number 206 and warrant number 245, mint, all stamps unmounted, a few gum wrinkles and minor tone spotting as usual, scarce. S.G. 43. £150-£200
- 913 ★ 1d. plate 215 BK-FL vertical strip of five showing downwards shift of the watermark, large part original gum, a few tone spots otherwise fine. £100-£120
- 914 ☆ 1d. plate 217 MC-ND and NA-OB unmounted mint blocks of four, usual gum wrinkles, otherwise fine. S.G. 43, cat. £480+. £120-£150
- 915 ○ 1d. lake-red plate 225 OG, fine used with neat "545" numeral cancellation of Newcastle-upon-Tyne. S.G. 44, cat. £700. Photo. £80-£100
- 916 ○ 1d. lake-red plate 225 OG, good used with neat "565" numeral cancellation. S.G. 43, cat. £700. Photo. £80-£100
- 917 ★ 1858-76 2d. blue, a mint selection, comprising plates 7, 8, 13, 14 and 15 (2), some regummed. (6) S.G. 45-47. £200-£250

1870 Halfpenny



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- 918 ★ ½d., set of plates 1 to 20, mint, usual cracked gum, also two additional plates 15, varied condition. (17) S.G. 43-44. Photo. £500-£600
- 919 ○ ½d. rose-red plate 9 DT, good used. S.G. 48, cat. £500. £80-£100
- 920 ○ ½d. rose-red plate 9 KV, fine used with c.d.s. S.G. 48. Photo. £100-£120
- 921 ○ ½d. rose-red plate 9 OX, used with Liverpool barred numeral and imperf. at right. S.G. 48, cat. £500. Photo. £120-£140
- 922 ○ ½d. rose-red plate 9 QO, good used. S.G. 48, cat. £500. £80-£100
- 923 ☼ ½d. rose-red plate 19 BV-DW block of six, unmounted mint, usual cracked and toned gum. Photo. £100-£120

1870 Three Halfpence



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- 924 ★ 1½d. plate 1 NG and plate 3 RD-RE pair, mint, usual cracked gum. (3) S.G. 51, cat. £1,400+. Photo. £150-£200
- 925 ○ 1½d. rose-red plate 1 OP-PC error of lettering, used with heavy corner cancellation. S.G. 53, cat. £1,500. Photo. £150-£200

1860 Unissued Three Halfpence



- 926 ☆ 1½d. rosy mauve plate 1 BL, unused, regummed, slightly trimmed perfs., fresh and scarce. S.G. 53a, Spec. G5, cat. £4,500. Photo. £600-£700

1847 – 54 Embossed



- 927 ○ A used collection with shades on leaves, comprising 6d. (4) one on piece with 1d., 10d. (3) and 1s. (3), some with small faults but all with three or four margins. S.G. 54-60. (11) **£250-£300**
- 928 ○ Used selection with shades, comprising 6d. (4) incl. violet, 10d. and 1s. (3), all cut square, varied condition, S.G. 54-61. (8) **£250-£300**
- 929 ☆ 1s., 10d. and 6d., three unused or mint cut square examples of each, mixed condition, mainly fair to good appearance. S.G. 54, 60. Photo. **£1,000-£1,200**
- 930 ○ 1s. green, block of four, mixed margins, used with "466" barred numeral cancellations, top pair creased, some other imperfections. S.G. 54. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 931 ○ 1s. deep green vertical used pair, cut into and with London numeral cancellations, with only one silk thread. Photo. S.G. H1ca, cat. £2,000+. Photo. **£180-£200**
- 932 ☆ 10d. brown, three small margins, shaved at bottom, unused, fine and fresh. S.G. 57, cat. £7,500. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 933 ☆ 10d. brown, small margins, unused, slightly soiled and repaired splitting alongside threads. S.G. 57, cat. £7,500. Photo. **£100-£150**
- 934 s 6d. dull lilac and 10d. brown both overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 1, cut square with three margins, with gum, 6d. with light overall toning. (2) S.G. 57s, 59s., cat. £6,800. **£150-£200**
- 935 ○ 6d. purple, 10d. brown and 1s. pale green (crease), small to good margins, used. (3) S.G. 54, 57, 60, cat. £2,700. **£120-£150**
- 936 ☒ 1854 (Mar. 10) entire to Huddersfield and 1856 (June 15) long envelope to Daventry each franked 6d. and tied by London numerals, the first very early use and slightly cut into at foot and other cut into on two sides. S.G. 58, cat. £3,800. Photo. **£380-£400**

Surface Printed

1855 – 57



- 937 Watermark Large Garter, horizontal piece of ungummed paper showing five impressions of the watermark, also 1883-84 top corner portion showing four impressions of the large anchor watermark. **£80-£100**
- 938 ○ 4d. used selection incl. Small garter on glazed paper, small garter on thin white paper and large garter (3 incl. a pair centrally cancelled) S.G. 62, 64 and 66, cat. £925. (5) **£120-£140**
- 939 ✉ 4d. tied to undated much reduced entire to Granville (France) by a French lozenge dotted numeral and charged '12' decimes', indistinct French datestamp at top left, possibly originating in the Channel Islands, unusual. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 940 ★ Watermark large garter 4d. rose-carmine, two examples mint (regummed), one stamp imperf., small faults. (2) S.G. 66, cat. £2,400. **£100-£120**
- 941 ☆ - 4d. rose-carmine, unused (regummed), fine. S.G. 66, Spec. J51(1), cat. £2,000. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 942 ✉ 4d., a selection of covers to France written up on leaves, incl. three with double frankings, etc. Ex Klempka. (7) **£100-£120**
- 943 ★ 4d. rose (2), 6d. lilac and 6d. lilac thick paper, mint part gum or regummed, fresh colours. (4) S.G. 66a, 68, 70b, cat. £5,900. **£350-£400**
- 944 ☆ 4d. rose on white paper, watermark large garter inverted, unused, part original gum, minute stain at left, otherwise fine. Brandon certificate (2005). S.G. 66 aWi. Photo. **£200-£250**



- 945 P 6d. imperf. colour trial in green on thin white card with trial "AM/AP-?/1856" circular cancellation, lower marginal with inscription, large to very large margins, fine. See S.G. Spec J70, cat. £7,500. Photo. **£700-£800**
- 946 ○ B 6d. lilac, watermark emblems, used wing margins block of eight, small faults, scarce. S.G. 68. **£100-£120**
- 947 ○ 6d. lilac, wing margin, on thick white paper and with Liverpool numeral. S.G. Spec. J70(1)d, cat. £400. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 948 ✉ 6d. single frankings on 1858-61 entires or envelopes to Melbourne, Interlaken or India, tied by London or Brighton sideways duplexes. (4 items) **£120-£140**
- 949 ○ 6d. lilac used (2, one with wing margin) showing inverted or reversed watermarks, fine. S.G. 70wi, wj, cat. £625. **£130-£150**

- 950 ○ 田 6d wing margin block of four, a few blunt perforations, used with slightly oily London WC duplexes. S.G. 70, cat. £360+. **£100-£120**
- 951 ○ 6d. lilac and deep lilac used both with inverted watermark, also 1855-57 4d. used with wing margin showing misplaced watermark. (3) S.G. 66, 70, cat. £625. **£100-£120**

1862 – 64

- 952 S 1861 Watermark emblems unissued 3d. rose plate 2, state 1 with shaded spandrels, BH with wing margin, vertically overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 6, small part gum, some toning. S.G. Spec. J25As, cat. £800. Photo. **£80-£100**
- 953 ★ 3d. (2) PJ, OB, 4d. (2) plate 3 LC and plate 4 LE, 9d. BK and 1s. SA, mint (mainly regummed), varied condition. (6) Cat. £10,200. **£300-£400**
- 954 ★ 3d. pale carmine-rose plate 2, state 2 without dots EH, exceptionally fine and fresh mint with the faintest trace of a hinge. R.P.S. certificate (2014). S.G. 77, Spec. J26(3). Photo. **£600-£800**
- 955 P 4d. bright red, plate 3 TC imperf. imprimatur, very slightly cut into at top left, part original gum, rare. 25 stamps were removed from the imprimatur sheet (from which a pair is now in the Royal Collection). TB (Latto and Chartwell collections) was miscut resulting in the left margin of TC being slightly reduced. S.G. J52, cat. £4,000. Photo. **£500-£550**
- 956 ★ 4d. plate 3 (2), plate 4 (2), 6d. plate 3 and 1s. plate 2 (2), unused or mint, some regummed, poor to fine. (7) **£500-£600**
- 957 P 4d. bright red plate 3 TE imperf. imprimatur, with traces of gum, mainly good margins just touched at upper right, otherwise fine and fresh. S.G. 79, cat £4,000. Photo. **£200-£250**



- 958 ☉ 6d. lilac plate 3 KB with watermark inverted and reversed, unmounted mint wing margined example, minor gum wrinkles, otherwise fine and very rare. S.G. 84Wk, cat. £5,000+. Photo. **£800-£1,000**
- 959 ○ 6d. lilac plate 3 OK-OL horizontal pair, one with small surface abrasion and on thick highly glazed paper with Leeds numeral cancellations. S.G. Spec. J71(2)c, cat. £700+. Photo. **£140-£160**
- 960 ○ 6d. plate 3 RB with circular red "PD" mark and part Calais (or otherwise French) c.d.s., unusual. Photo. **£100-£120**



- 961 ▲ 6d. plate 3 TF-TH horizontal strip of three, TF with watermark error three roses and a thistle, tied to piece by Malta duplexes, fine and rare. The only example of this error within a multiple and the only example used in Malta believed to exist. S.G. 84d, cat. £3,500. Photo. **£1,400-£1,600**

1862 – 64 continued



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- 962 ★ 9d. bistre plate 2 KK, mint small part gum, fresh. S.G. 86, cat. £3,500. Photo. £400-£450
- 963 ☆ 9d. bistre plate 2 PL, unused, a few short perfs. S.G. 86, cat. £3,500. Photo. £180-£200
- 964 ★ 9d. straw plate 2 LK, part original gum, fresh. S.G. 87, cat. £2,000. Photo. £250-£300
- 965 ☆ 1s. green plate 2 LF, unused (regummed), small faults, good appearance. S.G. 90, cat. £3,500. £150-£200

1865 – 67

- 966 ★ 3d. plate 4, 4d. (8) all plates 7 to 14, 6d. plate 5 and 9d. plate 4, mint, some regummed, mainly good to fine, fresh. (11) £500-£600



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- 967 P 4d. vermilion plate 8 AK imprimatur, fine from the top of the sheet showing plate number, fine and fresh. *Unique in private hands.* Photo. £800-£1,000
- 968 P 4d. vermilion plate 10 AK imprimatur from the top of the sheet with plate number, fine and fresh. *Unique in private hands.* Photo. £800-£1,000



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- 969 P 6d. lilac plate 5 BL marginal imprimatur, with gum, good to very large margins, with manuscript "5/30. XII. 64" in margin and large "15" on reverse slightly showing through, fine. S.G. 97, cat. £3,800. Photo. £400-£450
- 970 P 6d. lilac plate 6 SL marginal imprimatur, with gum, good to very large margins, with manuscript "6/5. XII. 64" in margin, fine. S.G. 97, cat. £4,800. Photo. £500-£600
- 971 ☒ 1s. green plate 4 pair BK-BL, used on 1865 (Apr. 17) entire letter to Cobija, Bolivia, tied by "19" numeral cancellations, with Lombard Street, Panama and Cobija datestamps, filing fold. S.G. 101. Photo. £80-£100



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1867 – 80 Watermark Spray

- 972 ☆ 3d. (6) all plates 5 to 10, 6d. plates 6, 8 (2) and 9, 9d. plate 4 (2), 10d. plate 1 and 1s. (4) all plates 4 to 7, unused or mint, some regummed, varied condition, fresh. (17) Photo on page 158. **£1,000-£1,200**
- 973 ○ 3d. plate 6 block of six and plate 7 block of four used, the latter with Tralee datestamps, S.G. 103, cat. £400+. **£100-£120**
- 974 ○ 3d. rose plate 7 QA-RB used block of four with Fenchurch St. c.d.s.'s. S.G. 103. **£80-£100**
- 975 ○ 3d. rose plate 8 IB-JD wing margin block of six, fine used with Hereford c.d.s.'s. S.G. 103. **£100-£120**
- 976 ○ 3d. rose plate 9 RG-SH wing marginal block of four, fine used with Manchester York St. c.d.s.'s. S.G. 103. **£80-£100**
- 977 ✉ 6d. plate 6 BD, wing margin, tied by London W duplex to a 1868 (June 15) printed hotel advertising (Waverley Temperance Hotels) envelope, early use to U.S.A, New York transit c.d.s. in red, mainly fine. Photo. **£100-£120**



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- 978 田 S 6d. mauve plate 9 PI-QJ upper left corner imperf. block of four overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 6, with "PRICE. 6 Pence/per Label." in the margin, large to very large margins, fine. S.G. Spec. J77s, cat. £2,200+. Photo. **£600-£700**
- 979 ○ 6d. mauve plate 9 ME-OH wing marginal block of twelve, fine used with Hope St. Glasgow c.d.s.'s, left wing margin with trimmed perfs., rare multiple. S.G. 109. Photo. **£300-£350**
- 980 ★ 9d. straw plate 4 RG, unused, traces of gum, small perforation faults, fresh. S.G. 110, cat. £1,500. Photo on page 158. **£100-£120**

1867 – 80 Watermark Spray continued



- 981 S 10d. red-brown plate 1 CK overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, fine with gum. S.G. Spec. J97s, cat. £500. Photo. £80-£100
- 982 O 田 10d. red-brown plate 1 PE-QF wing margin block of four, used with Seething Lane c.d.s's, PE with small corner crease otherwise fine and rare. S.G. 112. Photo. £150-£200



- 983 ★ 10d. red-brown plate 1 QK, mint small part gum, fine and fresh. S.G. 112, cat. £2,250. Photo. £250-£300
- 984 O F 1s. green plate 5 KL Stock Exchange forgery, used with "JY 23" c.d.s., tiny thin otherwise fine. Cat. £850. Photo. £100-£150
- 985 O F 1s. green plate 5 KS (impossible lettering) Stock Exchange forgery, fine used with "JY 23 1972" c.d.s. Cat. £1,500. Photo. £300-£350
- 986 ★ 2s. dull blue plate 1 RA, mint (regummed), centred to top, otherwise fine. S.G. 118, cat. £2,500. Photo. £100-£120



- 987 ★ 2s. milky blue CC, a very fine and fresh mint example of this rare shade with part original gum, typical slightly irregular perfs. at top. S.G. 120b, cat. £28,000. B.P.A. Certificate (2018). Photo also on back cover. £4,000-£5,000
- 988 O 2s. cobalt IC, used, a few creased perfs., R.P.S. certificate (1991). S.G. 120a, cat. £3,000. Photo. £250-£300



- 989 2s. brown plate 1 BD, wing margin, slightly toned and with part Ardrossan (Scotland) duplex S.G. 121, cat. £3,000. Photo. £150-£200

990 ○ 2s. brown plate 1 BH, used, reperf. wing margin, pale colour, slightly toned. S.G. 121, cat. £3,000. Photo. **£150-£200**

991 ○ 2s. brown plate 1 BH, used with neat numeral cancellation, reperforated wing margin, small thin and a few shortish perfs., good colour. S.G. 121, cat. £3,000. Photo. **£150-£200**

992 ○ 2s. brown plate 1 DA, good used. S.G. 121, cat. £3,000. Photo. **£300-£400**



993 ☆ 2s. brown plate 1 EK, a fresh unused (regummed) example. S.G. 121, cat. £26,000. Photo. **£2,000-£3,000**



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994 ○ 2s. brown plate 1 EK, used, small faults. S.G. 121, cat. £3,000. Photo. **£200-£250**

995 ○ 2s. brown plate 1 KG, good used. S.G. 121, cat. £3,000. Photo. **£300-£350**

996 ○ 2s. brown plate 1 KJ, used with light cancellation, light bend otherwise fine. S.G. 121, cat. £3,000. Photo. **£250-£300**

997 ○ 2s. brown plate 1 TG, used with heavy cancellation, small imperfections. S.G. 121, cat. £3,000. Photo. **£150-£200**

1872 – 73 Watermark Spray



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998 ☆ 6d. chestnut plate 11, 6d. pale buff (2) plates 11 and 12 and 6d. grey plate 12, mint or unused, fresh. (4) **£300-£350**

999 P S 6d. chestnut plate 11 AI-AJ upper left corner imperf. pair overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 6, with full gum (stamps unmounted), fine. S.G. Spec. J79s, cat. £1,000+. Photo. **£250-£300**

1000 ★ 6d. chestnut plate 11 JJ, mint, small hinge stain, otherwise fine and fresh. S.G. 122a, cat. £600. Photo. **£80-£100**

1001 ○ 6d. deep chestnut, plate 11 NF, used with Surbiton c.d.s. and showing plate no. deformed, unusual. S.G. Spec. 122d, cat. £400. Photo. **£120-£140**

1867 – 78 Watermark Maltese Cross



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- 1002 S 5s. rose plate 1 BH and DI, both overprinted “SPECIMEN” type 6, DI with toned gum, BH with traces of gum, small faults. (2) S.G. 126s, S.G. Spec. J121(1)t, cat. £2,500. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1003 O 5s. pale rose plate 1 EA and plate 2 BA, fine used with neat c.d.s.’s, centred to upper left. (2) S.G. 127, cat. £1,250. **£100-£120**
- 1004 S 5s. rose plate 1 FH overprinted “SPECIMEN” type 6, regummed, tiny blue in spot, otherwise fine and fresh. S.G. 126s, S.G. Spec. J121(1)t, cat. £1,250. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 1005 O 5s. plate 1 HF used with three “466” (Liverpool) roller cancellations. S.G. 126, cat. £500. Photo. **£120-£140**
- 1006 O 5s. pale rose plate 2 CB and GD, used with fine Stirling and Ayr c.d.s.’s, GD with light crease. (2) S.G. 127, cat. £1,500. **£100-£120**



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- 1007 O 10s. greenish grey BA, used with oval registered cancellations, tiny thin otherwise fine. S.G. 128, cat. £2,250. Photo. **£200-£250**



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- 1008 P S 10s. BC imperforate colour trial in bistre overprinted “SPECIMEN” type 9, fine. S.G. Spec. J124. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 1009 P S 10s. BE imperforate colour trial in ultramarine overprinted “SPECIMEN” type 9, a marginal example with wide sheet margin at right, fine. S.G. Spec. J124. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 1010 P S 10s. BF imperforate colour trial in bistre overprinted “SPECIMEN” type 9, a marginal example with wide sheet margin at left, minor split in margin, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. J124. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 1011 P S 10s. BH imperforate colour trial in orange overprinted “SPECIMEN” type 9, fine. S.G. Spec. J124. Photo. **£300-£400**



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- 1012 P S 10s. CG imperforate colour trial in purple overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, close at base, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. J124, cat. from £1,500. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 1013 O 10s. greenish grey DD, used with Liverpool Exchange c.d.s.'s, light horizontal crease otherwise fine S.G. 128, cat. £2,250. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 1014 P S 10s. DH imperforate colour trial in issued colour of greenish grey overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, a marginal example from the foot of the sheet fine. S.G. Spec. J124. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 1015 O 10s. greenish grey EE, used, small faults. S.G. 128, cat. £2,250. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1016 P S 10s. FE imperforate colour trial in mauve overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, a marginal example two thins, crease, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. J124, cat. from £1,500. Photo. **£200-£250**



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- 1017 O 10s. greenish grey GF, fine used with Royal Exchange Glasgow c.d.s. S.G. 128, cat. £2,250. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 1018 S 10s. greenish grey GH, overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, very off-centre and without gum (regummed). S.G. 128s. **£150-£200**
- 1019 O 10s. greenish grey HB, used with c.d.s.'s, small faults, good appearance. S.G. 128, cat. £2,250. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1020 O 10s. greenish grey HH, used with Glasgow c.d.s., small imperfections. S.G. 128, cat. £2,250. Photo. **£250-£300**



- 1021 ★ 10s. greenish grey HI, a good unused example, small part original gum, otherwise fine. R.P.S. certificate (1982). S.G. 128, cat. £40,000. Photo also on back cover. **£3,000-£4,000**

1867 – 78 Watermark Maltese Cross continued



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- 1022 ○ £1 brown-lilac BE, used with oily cancellations. S.G. 129, cat. £3,500. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 1023 ○ £1 brown-lilac FB, used, slightly soiled. S.G. 129, cat. £3,500. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 1024 ○ £1 brown-lilac FC, used with heavy cancellation, small imperfections. S.G. 129, cat. £3,500. Photo. **£200-£250**



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- 1025 ○ £1 brown-lilac FJ, used with Hitchin c.d.s. and boxed cancellations, two red crayon lines, rounded corner. S.G. 129, cat. £3,500. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 1026 ○ £1 brown-lilac GB, used with heavy cancellation, thin and crease. S.G. 129, cat. £3,500. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1027 ○ £1 brown-lilac HG, used boxed cancellation and Red Lion St. c.d.s., two red crayon lines, tiny thin at top. S.G. 129, cat. £3,500. Photo. **£250-£300**

1882 – 83 Watermark Large Anchor, Blued Paper



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- 1028 ○ 5s. rose plate 4 BE, fine used with St. Peters Manchester c.d.s. S.G. 130, cat. £2,500. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 1029 ○ 5s. rose plate 4 BF, used with Cheltenham c.d.s., light crease, good appearance. S.G. 130, cat. £2,500. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1030 ○ 10s. grey-green BF, good used with smudged oval registered cancellation, signed Richter. S.G. 131, cat. £4,000. Photo. **£300-£350**
- 1031 ○ 10s. grey-green FC, used with smudged London hooded c.d.s.'s, small repair on right. S.G. 131, cat. £4,000. Photo. **£200-£250**



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- 1032 S £5 orange AE overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, with large part gum, minor gum wrinkles and a few soiled perfs., otherwise fine and fresh. S.G. 133s, S.G. Spec. J128s. Photo. £700-£800
- 1033 O £5 orange DM, used with Birmingham c.d.s. and boxed cancellation, small imperfections and minor soiling. S.G. 133, cat. £9,000. Photo. £600-£700

1882 – 83 Watermark Large Anchor, White Paper



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- 1034 O 5s. rose plate 4 AH, used with oval registered cancellation, small imperfections and slightly soiled. S.G. 134, cat. £2,000. Photo. £100-£120
- 1035 O 5s. rose plate 4 CF, fine used with London hooded c.d.s's. S.G. 134, cat. £2,000. Photo. £100-£120
- 1036 O 5s. rose plate 4 EG, fine used with part London hooded c.d.s. S.G. 134, cat. £2,000. Photo. £200-£250



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- 1037 O 10s. greenish grey BA, used, thins and small repairs. S.G. 135, cat. £3,500. Photo. £120-£150
- 1038 O 10s. greenish grey EA, fine used with York St. Manchester c.d.s's, fine centring. S.G. 135, cat. £3,500. Photo. £500-£600
- 1039 10s. greenish grey FH 'official' reproduction on watermarked paper, perforated 14, fine with gum and seldom offered. *The result of a commission by the Post Office of a skilled engraver to produce an official imitation of the 10s. to determine its vulnerability to potential forgery. See footnote under SG. Spec. J124.* Photo. £200-£250
- 1040 O £1 brown-lilac BF, good used with Manchester c.d.s's and boxed cancellation. S.G. 136, cat. £6,500. Photo. £500-£600

1867 – 78 Watermark Large Anchor, White Paper continued



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- 1041 ○ £1 brown-lilac CE, used with York St. Manchester c.d.s., almost imperceptible ironed out vertical crease, otherwise fine, superb centring, excellent appearance. S.G. 136, cat. £6,500. Photo. £800-£900
- 1042 ○ £1 brown-lilac DC, used with neat upright West Strand c.d.s., partly reduced blue crayon marks and small corner repair, good appearance. S.G. 136, cat. £6,500. Photo. £400-£500



- 1043 ★ £5 orange AE, mint marginal example, minor gum wrinkles otherwise fine with excellent colour, fresh. S.G. 137, cat. £10,000. Photo. £2,000-£2,500



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- 1044 ○ £5 orange AF, used with Lombard Street c.d.s's, slightly soiled otherwise fine, superb appearance. S.G. 137, cat. £3,750. Photo. £700-£900
- 1045 ○ £5 orange AH, fine used with Glasgow c.d.s., light corner crayon mark. S.G. 137, cat. £3,750. Photo. £600-£700



- 1046 S £5 orange CA overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 11, full gum, corner crease, otherwise fine and fresh. S.G. Spec. J128t, cat. £3,250. Photo. £600-£800



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- 1047 ○ £5 orange CI, used with neat Belfast c.d.s., small blue crayon mark and one pulled perf., otherwise fine. S.G. 137, cat. £3,750. Photo. **£400-£500**

- 1048 ○ £5 orange CM, used with Glasgow c.d.s., light vertical crease on right otherwise fine, lovely appearance. S.G. 137, cat. £3,750. Photo. **£600-£700**



- 1049 ○ £5 orange DC, used with Belfast c.d.s., small imperfections. S.G. 137, cat. £3,750. Photo. **£600-£700**



- 1050 ★ £5 orange DD, a mint example of excellent colour, slightly toned otherwise fine. S.G. 137, cat. £10,000. Photo. **£1,500-£2,000**



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- 1051 ○ £5 orange DG, fine used with Belfast c.d.s.'s, partly reduced red crayon line, otherwise fine. S.G. 137, cat. £3,750. Photo. **£600-£700**

- 1052 ○ £5 orange DH, used with fine Glasgow c.d.s., blue crayon line, minor stains and marks, good appearance. S.G. 137, cat. £3,750. Photo. **£500-£600**

1867 – 78 Watermark Large Anchor, White Paper continued



- 1053 ★ £5 orange DK, mint, light gum crease, otherwise fine with excellent colour, fresh. S.G. 137, cat. £10,000. Photo also on back cover. £2,000-£2,500



- 1054 ○ £5 orange DL, used with neat Lombard St. c.d.s., small faults, soiled. S.G. 137, cat. £3,750. Photo. £300-£350

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- 1055 ☆ **Watermark small anchor on blue paper** 2½d. rosy mauve, on white paper 2½d. rosy mauve plates 1 to 3 and watermark orb 2½d. rosy mauve all plates 3 to 17, mint, some regummed, varied condition. (19) S.G. 138, 139, 141. £700-£800
- 1056 ✉ **Watermark small anchor on white paper** 2½d. rosy mauve plates 1 and 11 on 1876 envelope to France or 1878 2d. registration envelope to Venice also 1880 2½d. blue plate 17 with flaw causing white patch, probably due to an inclusion. £100-£120
- 1057 ○ - 2½d. rosy mauve plate 2 LH-FL error of lettering, good used, small imperfections and slightly soiled. S.G. 140, cat. £2,500. Photo. £250-£300
- 1058 P - 2½d. rosy mauve plate 5 PF imprimatur, good to large margins, with large part original gum, fine. *This plate was only issued on watermark orb paper and no perforated examples watermarked anchor are known.* S.G. 141 var. Photo. £180-£200
- 1059 ★ **Watermark orb** 2½d. blue all plates 17 to 20, mint, varied condition. (4) S.G. 142. £120-£150
- 1060 S - 2½d. blue plate 17 BG, watermark large garter 4d. grey-brown plate 17 PL and 8d. orange PH, all overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, with gum, fine. (3) S.G. 142s, 154s, 156s, cat. £860. £100-£120
- 1061 ☆ **Watermark spray** 3d. rose or pale rose, all plates 11 to 20, unused or mint, some regummed, mainly good to fine. (9) S.G. 143, 144. £250-£300
- 1062 ★ - 6d. grey all plates 13 to 17, mint, some regummed, otherwise mainly good to fine. (5) S.G. 147. £180-£200



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- 1063 P **Watermark spray** 6d. grey plate 14 BI imprimatur, with gum, good to large margins, fine. S.G. 147, cat. £2,750. Photo. **£300-£350**
- 1064 ★ 田 - 6d. grey plate 14 FI-GJ wing marginal block of four, fine mint, fresh and rare. S.G. 147, cat. £3,000. Photo. **£450-£500**
- 1065 P - 6d. plate 15 BA imperf. plate proof in black, good margins, paper adhesion on back, fine. S.G. 147, cat. £2,250. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1066 田 S - 6d. grey plate 16 AE-BF upper left corner imperf. block of four overprinted diagonally "SPECIMEN" type 9, fine with gum (three stamps unmounted), good to very large margins. S.G. 147, cat. £1,800+. Photo. **£450-£500**
- 1067 匣 - 1s. green used on four covers to overseas destinations, comprising plate 8 RA on 1874 (Dec. 17) entire letter from Newcastle to Lisbon with "VIA DE MAR" and "FRANCA" handstamps, plate 9 SH on 1874 (July 24) cover from London to Bombay with "SEA POST OFFICE" c.d.s., plate 10 QK on 1875 (Jan. 21) entire letter from Manchester to Lisbon with "FRANCA" handstamp and plate 11 NJ on 1876 (Sept. 1) entire from London to Oaxaca (Mexico) with "-25cs." postage due handstamp. **£100-£150**
- 1068 ☆ - 1s. green all plates 8 to 13, unused or mint, some regummed, mainly good to fine. (6) S.G. 150. **£250-£300**



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- 1069 ★ - 1s. orange-brown plate 13 KF watermark inverted variety, mint part gum, a few slightly trimmed and stained perfs., otherwise fine, rare. S.G. 151Wi, cat. £7,500. Photo. **£500-£600**
- 1070 ★ - 1s. orange-brown plate 13 NK, mint, light bends, otherwise fine and fresh. S.G. 151, cat. £3,000. Photo. **£400-£450**
- 1071 ☆ **Watermark large garter** 4d. vermilion plate 15 AL, 4d. sage-green plate 15 EJ and plate 16 FJ and 4d. grey-brown plate 17 OE, unused, some regummed, mainly good to fine. (4) S.G. 152, 153, 154. **£350-£400**
- 1072 ★ - 4d. vermilion plate 15 BI, mint traces of gum, fine. S.G. 152, cat. £2,000. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1073 ○ - 4d. sage-green, plate 15 AA, showing large "5" in "15", cancelled by newspaper branch c.d.s., S.G. Spec. J64d, cat. £800. Photo. **£160-£180**

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- 1074 ★ **Watermark large garter** 4d. sage-green plate 15 LA, mint part gum, R.P.S. certificate (1986). S.G. 153, cat. £950. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1075 ✉ - 4d. grey-brown plate 17 AE, stained, tied by London EC squared circle to 1880 (Nov. 9) envelope (rear flap missing) to Buenos Aires, very scarce franking. S.G. 154, cat. £1,700. Photo. **£220-£250**
- 1076 ★ - 8d. orange JK, mint part gum, small greasy spot at upper left, fresh. S.G. 156, cat. £1,100. Photo. **£80-£100**

1880 – 83 Watermark Crown



- 1077 ☆ 2½d. to 1s. set with all plates, unused or mint, some regummed, varied condition. (13) S.G. 157-163. **£400-£500**
- 1078 ★ 3d. on 3d. lilac TH and 6d. on 6d. lilac PJ, mint, good to fine. (2) S.G. 159, 162, cat. £800. **£100-£120**
- 1079 6d. plate 17 cut down imperf. die proof in black on white glazed card with corner squares void mounted on small piece from the De La Rue striking books, with manuscript "Nov 13 '77/240 leads". S.G. 161, cat. £2,000. Photo. **£300-£350**
- 1080 P 6d. grey plate 17 TA lower left corner imprimatur, with gum, large to very large margins, fine. S.G. 161, cat. £2,750. Photo. **£300-£350**
- 1081 ○ 1s. orange-brown plate 13 MI-OL block of twelve, fine used with Foreign Office c.d.s's, rare multiple. S.G. 163. Photo. **£500-£600**
- 1082 ○ 1s. orange-brown plate 14 BJ-CK block of four, good used. S.G. 163. **£70-£90**
- 1083 ○ 1s. orange-brown plate 14 KG-MH block of six, fine used with Cathgart Street, Greenock c.d.s's. S.G. 163. Photo. **£150-£200**

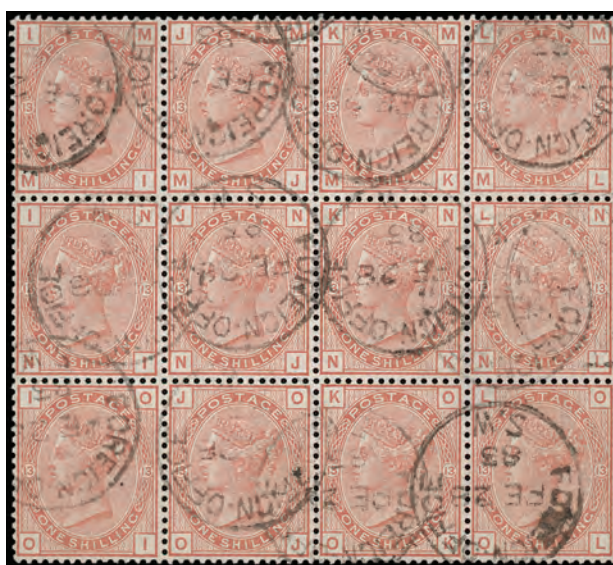
1880 – 81 'Provisional' Issue

- 1084 ★ ½d. to 5d. set with ½d. (2) and 2d. (2) shades, also 1881 1d. lilac (6) incl. two with 14 dots, mint, varied condition. (13) S.G. 164-174, cat. £1,600+. **£120-£150**
- 1085 ★ ½d. to 5d. set, part original gum, slightly varied condition. **£80-£100**

- 1086 ○ 1d. Venetian red used block of four with Edinburgh Parcel Branch datestamp and a used single, inverted watermark, with London duplex. S.G. 166/wi, cat. £370+. **£100-£120**
- 1087 ☒ 1881 (Oct. 26) envelope, peripheral faults at top, to Collumpton and franked 2d. pale rose tied by London SW duplex. **£70-£80**
- 1088 ☒ 1882 (Oct. 18) wrapper to Paris franked 2d. deep rose and 3d. plate 21 tied by Liverpool squared circles with Calais-Paris T.P.O. and Paris datestamps, uncommon franking. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1089 ○ 2d. pale rose with watermark inverted, used with part barred cancellation in blue, pressed crease, otherwise fine and scarce. S.G. 168Wi, cat. £850. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 1090 S 5d. indigo block of four overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, fine with gum, two stamps unmounted. S.G. 169s, cat. £640+. **£100-£120**



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1881 One Penny Lilac

- 1091 ★ A mint collection on leaves, incl. shades, 1d. Die I (2), controls without marginal rules A to J, with marginal I to X (less O over N) and X inverted, block of 24 etc., mainly fine. (83) **£150-£200**
- 1092 ★ Die I 14 dots 1d. bluish lilac, unmounted mint, slightly toned gum, otherwise fine, Brandon certificate (2009). S.G. Spec. K7(2), cat. £550+. **£100-£120**
- 1093 ★ Die II 16 dots 1d. unmounted mint top marginal strip of three with inverted watermark also a used single showing broken bottom frame variety. (4) Photo. **£200-£220**

1881 One Penny Lilac continued



- 1094 ★ Die II 16 dots 1d bluish lilac on blue paper, a very fine and fresh mint example, rare. SG 172a,g. unpriced. B.P.A. certificate (2017). Photo. £2,500-£3,000



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- 1095 ★ - 1d lilac variety no watermark, fresh mint with large part original gum, small thin at top, otherwise fine and rare. SG 172f, cat. £6,500. B.P.A. certificate (2006). Photo. £600-£700
- 1096 ★ - 1d. lilac on blue paper, large part original gum, very rare. S.G. 173g, unpriced. Photo. £700-£750

1883 – 84 Watermark Anchor on Blue Paper



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- 1097 ★ 2s.6d. lilac AG, mint, wrinkles otherwise fine. S.G. 175, cat. £3,500. Photo. £200-£250
- 1098 ★ 2s.6d. lilac BA, mint part gum, minor wrinkles and somewhat faded, R.P.S. certificate (1990). S.G. 175, cat. £3,500. Photo. £200-£250
- 1099 ▲ 2s.6d. lilac MC and 1d. lilac pair tied to a piece (very small stains) by oval Gracechurch Street registration datestamps of "2 AU 89" and late use of this scarce coloured paper. S.G. 175, cat. £1,200. Photo. £320-£350
- 1100 ○ 5s. rose CA, good used, owner's marks slightly shows through, Brandon certificate (2006). S.G. 176, cat. £2,500. Photo. £200-£250
- 1101 ○ 5s. rose ED, used with smudge London hooded cancellation. S.G. 176, cat. £2,500. Photo. £120-£150



- 1102 ★ 5s. rose KG on distinctly blued paper, part original disturbed gum, excellent appearance. Ex Astley. S.G. 176, cat. £6,000. B.P.A. certificate (2021). Photo. £800-£1,000
- 1103 ○ 5s. rose MC used with London EC squared circle datestamp, blueing affected by washing, a few blunt perfs. and corner crease, nonetheless very presentable. S.G. 176, cat. £2,500. B.P.A. certificate (2026). Photo. £300-£350
- 1104 ○ 10s. ultramarine GG, used with London hooded cancellation, slightly soiled. S.G. 177, cat. £7,000. Photo. £350-£400



- 1105 ★ 10s. ultramarine IA, mint, fine appearance. Brandon certificate (2006). S.G. 177, cat. £25,000. Photo also on back cover. £2,000-£2,500

1883 – 84 Watermark Anchor on White Paper



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- 1106 ★ 2s.6d. lilac CE and 5s. rose EH, mint, well-centred, large part original gum, 5s. with small adherence on reverse otherwise very fine. S.G. 178, 180, cat. £1,700. Photo. £300-£350
- 1107 ★ 2s.6d. lilac GF and 5s. rose BD, fine mint, fresh. (2) S.G. 178, 180, cat. £1,700. Photo. £180-£200



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Ex 1109

- 1108 ★ 2s.6d. HG, JE, 5s. DG, GF, 10s. GC, JC shades, mint, fresh. (6) S.G. 178, 181, 183a., cat. £6,350. Photo. £500-£600
- 1109 ★ 2s.6d. lilac NC, 5s. crimson ND and 10s. pale ultramarine KE, mint, light creases or wrinkles, good appearance. (3) S.G. 178, 181, 183a, cat. £3,175. £200-£250

1883 – 84 Watermark Anchor on White Paper continued



- 1110 ★ 2s.6d. deep lilac on blued paper (white paper period) AA upper marginal, superb mint (stamp unmounted with a tiny gum disturbance), R.P.S. certificates (1913 and 1986), very rare. S.G. 179a, cat. £6,500. Photo.
£1,200-£1,400
- 1111 ○ 2s.6d. deep lilac CC, 5s. rose MF and 10s. pale ultramarine JH, fine used with c.d.s's, fresh. (3) S.G. 179, 180, 183a, cat. £900. Photo.
£100-£120
- 1112 ★ 5s. crimson FG, HG, fine mint, fresh. (2) S.G. 181, cat. £1,950. Photo.
£200-£250
- 1113 ★ 5s. crimson GD lower marginal, fine mint. S.G. 181, cat. £975. Photo.
£100-£120
- 1114 ★ 5s. crimson ME and 10s. pale ultramarine KB, mint, mainly fine and fresh. (2) S.G. 181, 183a, cat. £2,575. Photo.
£200-£250
- 1115 ★ 5s. crimson MG-NH superb mint block of four, NG with small corner wrinkle otherwise fine and fresh. S.G. 181, cat. £5,500. Photo.
£600-£700



Ex 1111



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Ex 1117



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- 1116 P** 10s. die proof in black on glazed card (93 x 61mm), dated "19 JUN. 83" and stamped "BEFORE HARDENING", very fine. S.G. Spec. K11/12, cat. £3,250. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 1117** 10s. selection, comprising 10s. ultramarine CD overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 11, mint DA and used KA examples, also I.R. Official 10s. ultramarine CH overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 11, GG unused with faults, B.P.A. certificate (2019), used NA, mixed condition. Photo. **£1,000-£1,500**



- 1118 ★** 10s. cobalt BC very fresh mint with large part original gum, a trifle soiled and with tiny corner perf. imperfection, otherwise fine and of excellent colour. A rare stamp. S.G. 182, cat. £30,000. Photo. **£4,000-£5,000**



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- 1119 O** 10s. cobalt EE, used, a few slightly shortish perfs. and slightly soiled, good appearance. S.G. 182, cat. £5,000. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 1120 O** 10s. cobalt GH, used with York St. Manchester c.d.s's, small corner creases and pin holes, great appearance, Brandon certificate (1992). S.G. 182, cat. £5,000. Photo. **£350-£400**
- 1121 ☆** 10s. cobalt LC overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, regummed and slightly toned, otherwise fine. S.G. 182s, S.G. Spec. K14(1)u, cat. £3,200. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 1122 O** 10s. cobalt NA, used, small tear and corner fault, B.P.A. certificate (1949). S.G. 182, cat. £5,000. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1123 O** 10s. cobalt NE, used, with oval registered datestamp, slightly soiled, otherwise fine. B.P.A. certificate (1969) S.G. 182, cat. £5,000. Photo. **£500-£600**
- 1124 ★** 10s. pale ultramarine HH, fine mint, fresh. S.G. 183a, cat. £1,600. Photo. **£200-£250**

1883 – 84 Watermark Anchor on White Paper continued



Ex 1125

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- 1125 ○ 10s. ultramarine KB with c.d.s. mainly without town or date and leaving the profile largely clear also 2s.6d. EC and 5s. BC tied to the same piece by "S.W." parcel cancellations and additional 2s.6d. and 5s. used singles with defects S.G. 178, 179, 181 and 183, cat. £1,085. Photo. **£180-£200**
- 1126 ★ 10s. pale ultramarine MA, fine mint, fresh. S.G. 183a, cat. £1,600. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1127 ★ 11 10s. pale ultramarine MG-NH block of four, mint (three stamps unmounted), some creasing and wrinkles otherwise fine and fresh, very rare. S.G. 183a, cat. £12,750. Photo. **£800-£1,000**

1884 Watermark Crowns



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- 1128 ○ £1 brown-lilac CA, fine used with c.d.s. and boxed cancellation. S.G. 185, cat. £2,750. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1129 ○ £1 brown-lilac CA, fine used with St. James St. c.d.s. with date corrected in manuscript and boxed cancellation. S.G. 185, cat. £2,750. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1130 ○ £1 brown-lilac LB, fine used with York c.d.s. and boxed cancellation. S.G. 185, cat. £2,750. Photo. **£150-£200**



- 1131 ○ £1 brown-lilac NB, used with c.d.s's, minor soiling and tiny red marks. S.G. 185, cat. £2,750. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1132 ○ £1 brown-lilac OA, good used with Dundee c.d.s's and boxed cancellation. S.G. 185, cat. £2,750. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1133 ○ £1 brown-lilac PD, used, small imperfections and light red marks. S.G. 185, cat. £2,750. Photo. **£100-£150**
- 1134 ○ £1 brown-lilac TB, used, small imperfections. S.G. 185, cat. £2,750. Photo. **£150-£200**

1888 Watermark Orbs Error

- 1135 ○ £1 brown-lilac GB, used with numeral cancellations, small faults, good appearance. S.G. 186, cat. £3,500. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1136 ○ £1 brown-lilac KC, used with oval registered cancellations, various small faults, good appearance. S.G. 186, cat. £3,500. Photo. **£100-£150**
- 1137 ○ £1 brown-lilac MA, good used with c.d.s. and boxed cancellation. S.G. 186, cat. £3,500. Photo. **£300-£350**



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1883 – 84 'Lilac and Green' Issue

- 1138 S ½d. to 1s. set overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, with toned gum, fresh colours. (10) S.G. 187s-196s, cat. £1,790. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1139 ★ ½d. to 1s. set, mint, mainly fine. (10) S.G. 187-196, cat. £3,405. Photo. **£350-£400**
- 1140 ★ ½d. to 1s. set, mint, some with light gum toning otherwise mainly fine. (10) S.G. 187-96, cat. £3,405. Photo. **£300-£350**
- 1141 ★ ½d. to 1s. set, 9d. watermark sideways inverted variety, mint, some with toned gum. (10) S.G. 187-196, cat. £4,655. Photo. **£300-£350**
- 1142 ★ ½d. to 1s. set, mint, some unused, varied condition. (10) S.G. 187-96, cat. £3,405. **£150-£200**
- 1143 ★ ½d. to 1s. set, mint, some unused, varied condition, fresh colours. (10) S.G. 187-96, cat. £3,405. **£120-£150**
- 1144 ○ Used selection with 3d. (6 incl. four used on the same piece with 1½d.) and 1s. (3 incl. two used on the same with 1d. lilac and a single used on piece with ½d., 1½d. and 3d. tied by Manchester datestamps). **£120-£150**

1883 – 84 'Lilac and Green' Issue continued

- 1145 ▲ 1885 (Feb.) fragment franked ½d., 1½d. and 3d. (14 comprising strips of three (2) and four (2), one stamp defective) and tied by Manchester duplexes, unusual franking. **£100-£120**
- 1146 ★ B 1½d. lilac RG-TH block of six, mint, TH with one short perf. otherwise fine. S.G. 188. **£100-£120**



- 1147 P 9d. pale green plate 4 IR imprimatur with watermark sideways inverted, good to large margins, fine with gum, pencil '2' on reverse, scarce. *Only 27 possible examples from this plate, many of which are in institutional collections.* S.G. 195, cat. £2,300. Photo. **£400-£500**

1887 – 92 'Jubilee' Issue



Ex 1148



Ex 1153



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- 1148 ★ ½d. to £1 set, mint, incl. shades, die I 5d. (unused), £1 with minor imperfections, otherwise mainly good to fine, fresh colours. (24) S.G. 197-214. Photo. **£300-£350**
- 1149 ★ Mint collection on leaves, incl. values to 1s. dull green (2), ½d. vermilion controls, blocks of four set to both 1s. (less 2d.) etc., fine. (92) Photo. **£250-£300**
- 1150 ☒ Selection of covers mainly to foreign destination written up on leaves, incl. redirected, uprated postal stationery, etc. (14) Ex Klempka. **£100-£120**
- 1151 ○ ½d. vermilion selection incl. used with inverted watermark, single on a printed advertising (Schultze gunpowder) envelope from London to Stirling and a used selection on pieces with mainly squared circles also a similar smaller selection for 1900 ½d. blue green. (approx. 125) **£100-£120**
- 1152 ☒ ½d. franking selection incl. 1892 mourning envelope to London with two singles tied by a squared circle, one stamp previously lightly used yet apparently accepted, 1897 printed advertising (Malloch's Fishing Tackle) envelope to Stirling with solo franking tied by Perth c.d.s. and 1898 envelope to Melbourne with 1d. pair multi-redirected with there not known instructional marks. (3) **£120-£140**
- 1153 ★ 1½d., 2d., 2½d. (2), 3d., 5d. die 2, 6d., 1s. and 1900 ½d., in mainly fine unmounted mint horizontal strips of three, each stamp with "W M" perfin, a few small imperfections, unusual. (24) Photo. **£150-£200**

- 1154 ○ 1½d. two used examples, one with retouch left of tablet and around large figure “1”, other showing a damaged value tablet. S.G. Spec. K29f, cat. £450. **£100-£120**
- 1155 ★ 2d. green and scarlet, very fine and fresh unmounted mint. S.G. 199, cat. £550. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1156 ★ 4½d. green and deep carmine, four mint examples, slight shade variations, one showing dot between “4” and “½” and the other stamps, incl. 4d. green and purple-brown, all exhibiting small frame and design breaks. Good mint. **£70-£90**
- 1157 ★ 4½d. green and deep bright carmine, fine unmounted mint, R.P.S. certificate (1991) for a pair. S.G. 206a, cat. £1,500. Photo. **£220-£250**
- 1158 ▲ 4½d. green and deep bright carmine tied to a small piece by indistinct c.d.s. Philatelic Expertising certificate (2001). S.G. 206a, cat. £750. Photo. **£180-£200**
- 1159 P 1s. colour trial in mauve, perf. 14 on gummed crown watermarked paper, fine and fresh. S.G. Spec. K40. Photo. **£600-£800**
- 1160 P 1s. colour trial in ultramarine, perf. 14 on gummed crown watermarked paper, fine and fresh. S.G. Spec. K40. Photo. **£600-£800**



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- 1161 ★ £1 green HC, fine mint, fresh. S.G. 212, cat. £2,500. Photo. **£500-£600**
- 1162 S £1 green AB from the top of the sheet imperforate and overprinted “SPECIMEN” type 9, light horizontal crease at top otherwise fine and fresh with original gum. S.G. Spec. K17s, cat. £6,500. Photo. **£600-£800**



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- 1163 ○ £1 green BC, used with registered cancellations. S.G. 212, cat. £675. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1164 ★ £1 green GB, mint, two vertical creases, good appearance. S.G. 212, cat. £2,500. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1165 ★ £1 green EA, mint, creases, good appearance. S.G. 212. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1166 ★ £1 green HA, mint, creases, good appearance. S.G. 212. Photo. **£200-£250**

1887 – 92 ‘Jubilee’ Issue continued



- 1167 ★ £1 green JC plate 2 variety broken frame, mint with slight vertical crease, slightly toned, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. 212a, cat. £10,000. Photo. £1,000-£1,200



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- 1168 ○ £1 green JC without frame break, used with oily c.d.s. and boxed cancellations, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. K17aa. Photo. £120-£150
- 1169 S £1 green ND overprinted “SPECIMEN” type 11, with gum, diagonal crease, hinge remainders, otherwise fine. S.G. 212s, cat. £1,100. Photo. £150-£200
- 1170 ★ £1 green ND, mint, a few blunted perfs., otherwise fine, good appearance. S.G. 212, cat. £2,500. Photo. £250-£300
- 1171 ★ £1 green PB, mint, small corner wrinkles and some light gum toning, fresh colour. S.G. 212. Photo. £200-£250
- 1172 ○ £1 green QB, used with registered cancellations, tiny imperfections, fine appearance. S.G. 212, cat. £675. £80-£100
- 1173 ★ 1900 1s. green and carmine in an unmounted mint block of ten from the lower right corner of the sheet, a few minor gum wrinkles, otherwise fine. S.G. 214, cat. £1,400+. Photo. £400-£500

Officials



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- 1174** A used collection on leaves, incl. Inland Revenue 1882-1901 overprints on 1884-88 values to 1s., 5s. and 10s., on 1887-1902 set to £1 and on 1887-1900 set to 1s., 1902-04 values to 1s., Office of Works 1896-02 set to 10d. on piece, 1902-03 set to 2½d., Army 1896-01 1d. "OFFICIAL", Government Parcels 1883 to 1902 complete, Board of Education 1902 5d. (2), 1902-04 set to 2½d., Royal Household 1902 set, Admiralty 1903 set, 1903-04 values to 1½d. and 2d. etc., varied condition, not all stamps guaranteed. (77) **£1,000-£1,200**
- 1175** A mint collection on leaves, incl. Inland Revenue 1882-1901 overprints on 1880-81 to 6d., on 1884-88 ½d. and 2½d., on 1887-92 set to 1s., on 1887-00 to 6d., 1902-04 set to 2½d., Office of Works 1896-02 set to 1d., 1902-03 1d., Army 1896-01 to 6d., Government Parcels 1883-86 6d. and 9d., 1887-90 set, 1891-1900 set to 2d. and 1s., 1902 set, Board of Education 1902-04 ½d. and 1d., Royal Household 1902 ½d. and 1d. (B.P.A. certificate 2006), Admiralty 1903 set, 1903-04 set to 1½d. and 3d. (signed E. Diena) etc., poor to fine, not all guaranteed. (54) **£800-£900**
- 1176** A mainly used collection on leaves, incl. I.R. Official, Office of Works, Government Parcels, etc., mixed condition, not all stamps guaranteed. (60) **£400-£500**
- 1177** A mainly used collection on leaves, incl. Inland Revenue 1902-04 values to 1s., Office of Works 1902-03 set to 2½d., Army, Government Parcels 1883-86 values to 9d. and both 1s., 1887-90 1s. overprinted "SPECIMEN" with gum, 1891-1900 and 1902 sets, Board of Education 1902-04 set to 2½d., Royal Household 1902 ½d. and 1d. mint, Admiralty 1903 set etc., varied condition, not all stamps guaranteed. (61) **£200-£250**
- 1178** A mint collection on stock leaves, incl. Inland Revenue, Office of Works 1896-02 ½d. with B.P.A. certificate (1980), Army 1896-01 1d. "OFFICIAL", Government Parcels, Royal Household, Admiralty, varied condition, not all stamps guaranteed.. (49) **£150-£200**
- 1179 S** **Inland Revenue** 1882-1901 £1 green SC overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, fine with gum, R.P.S. certificate (2019). S.G. O16s, cat. £2,250. Photo. **£450-£500**
- 1180 ★** - 1902-04 2½d. ultramarine, mint, hardly noticeable corner crease, otherwise fine. R.P.S. certificate (2018). S.G. O22, cat. £1,200. Photo. **£100-£120**



- 1181 ○** - 1902-04 5s. carmine, a used example of this scarce stamp, [R. 7/7], some imperfections but of fine appearance. Brandon Certificate (1979). S.G. O25, cat. £10,000. Photo. **£800-£1,000**



- 1182 ★** **Office of Works:** 1896-02 5d. dull purple and blue, fine mint, Philatelic Expertising certificate (2003). S.G. O34, cat. £4,000. Photo also on back cover. **£800-£900**

Officials continued



- 1183 🍀 **Office of Works:** 1902-03 2d. yellowish green and carmine-red, unmounted mint, two expert marks on gum, fine. S.G. O38, cat. £2,000. Photo. £400-£500



- 1184 ○ - 1902-03 10d. dull purple and carmine, fine used with light registered cancellations, B.P.A. certificate (1991). S.G. O40, cat. £7,000. Photo. £1,200-£1,400

- 1185 ★ **Army:** 1896-1901 ½d. vermillion, a selection of control items comprising control "O" (2) and "P" singles, controls "O", "P" (2) pairs, controls "P" (2), "Q" (2) strips and control "P" block of four, all plated, mainly good to fine mint, a few imperfections, a scarce group. (12 items, 27 stamps) £300-£400



- 1186 ★ - 1902-03 overprinted type O6 6d. pale dull purple, fine mint, R.P.S. certificate (1978). S.G. O52, cat. £1,800. Photo. £350-£400



- 1187 ★ **Government Parcels:** 1883-86 1s. orange-brown plate 13 NC, mint part gum, tiny ink spot otherwise fine, R.P.S. certificate (1984). S.G. O64, cat. £1,750. Photo. £350-£400



- 1188 ○ **Admiralty:** 1903-04 2½d. ultramarine, fine used on piece tied by squared circle cancellation. R.P.S. certificate (1977). S.G. O111, cat. £950. Photo. £200-£250

*Third Session, Lots 1189 – 1846**Tuesday 27th October at 2 pm***King Edward VII**

Ex 1190

- 1189** A mint collection on leaves, incl. all values to 2s.6d. (4, incl. a corner pair), 5s. (2) and 10s. (2) with shades, printings, blocks, ½d. and 1d. controls mainly strips of three, 4d., 6d. (2) and 7d. blocks of twelve, 9d. pane of twenty etc., mainly fine. (approx. 300) **£500-£600**
- 1190** A mint collection on leaves, incl. 1902-10 De La Rue set to £1 with shades, 1911 Harrison perf. 14 and perf. 14 x 15 (2) sets, 1911-13 Somerset set to 1s. with shades etc., mainly fine. (approx. 130) **£500-£600**



Ex 1191

- 1191** A mint collection on leaves, incl. 1902-10 De La Rue set to 2s.6d. (2), 5s. (2), 10s. and £1 with shades, ½d. block of four with St. Andrew's Cross label, 1d. grossly misperforated, 1911 Harrison perf. 14 set, 1911-13 Somerset values to 10s. etc., varied condition. (65) Photo. **£400-£500**
- 1192** A mint collection with many shades on leaves, incl. 1902-10 De La Rue set to 2s.6d. (3), 5s. (2) and 10s., ½d. pairs (2) with St. Andrew's Cross labels, 1911 Harrison perf. 14 and perf. 15 x 14 sets, 1911-13 Somerset set to 2s.6d. (2) and 5s. etc., mainly good to fine, fresh. (111) **£400-£500**
- 1193** A mint selection on stock leaves, incl. basic set to 1s., 1902-10 De La Rue 10d. no cross on crown variety, 5s. (2) and 10s., 1911-13 Somerset 2s.6d. (2) and 5s., Bradbury Wilkinson 2d. essay etc., mainly fine. (22) **£350-£400**
- 1194** A used collection with printings and shades on leaves, incl. 1902-10 De La Rue set to £1, ½d. pair with St. Andrew's Cross label, 1911 Harrison both sets, 1911-13 Somerset set to £1 etc., varied condition. (115) **£200-£250**
- 1195** A mint collection on leaves, incl. basic set to 1s., 5s. and 10s., various marginal examples and controls, 2d. gutter block of four etc., varied condition. (54) **£150-£200**
- 1196** A collection on leaves, incl. 1902-10 De La Rue 1d. booklet pane of six mint, range of shades, officials, overprinted for Levant, etc. (153) **£150-£200**
- 1197** A mint selection with shades with all values to 1s., incl. ½d. block with St. Andrew's Cross label etc., mainly fine. (43) **£100-£120**



Ex 1198

- 1198 ★** A basic set to £1, fine mint, £1 with small light ink mark on front, fresh. (19) Photo. **£400-£500**

King Edward VII Essays and Colour Trials



- 1199 E 1901 De La Rue 4d. green and purple-brown 'paste-up' series A composite essay made from Q.V. Jubilee issue with head of K.E.VII pasted in, mounted on card (30 x 35mm), fine and very rare. Ex Minion. R.P.S. certificate (1980). Photo. £1,500-£2,000



- 1200 P 1902-05 colour trials on selvedge of British Colonial stamps, 6d. deep purple strip of three on chalk-surfaced, gummed unwatermarked paper with green rule, rare. Cat. £17,400. Photo. £1,500-£1,800



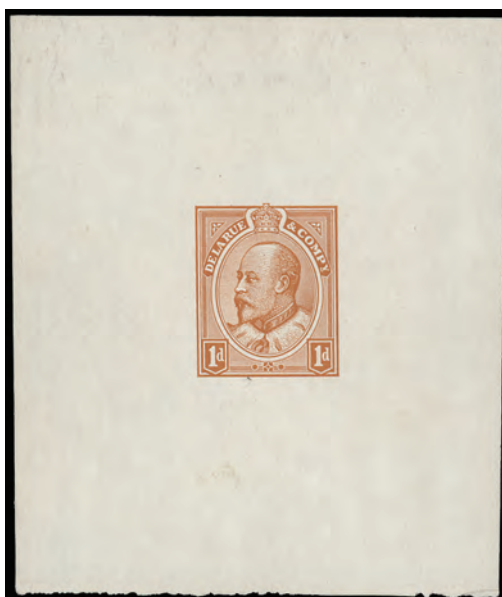
- 1201 P - 6d. pale grey strip of three on chalk-surfaced, gummed unwatermarked paper with green rule, rare. Cat. £17,400. Photo. £1,500-£1,800



- 1202 P - 6d. red pair on chalk-surfaced, gummed unwatermarked paper with green rule, rare. Cat. £11,600. Photo. £900-£1,000



- 1203 P - 6d. deep grey pair on chalk-surfaced, gummed unwatermarked paper with green rule, rare. Cat. £11,600. Photo. £800-£900



- 1204 P 1903 'Canada Head' essay colour trial (Die 2, large head) printed in pale orange on thin wove unwatermarked paper with gum (65 x 76mm), hinged only on margin, fine and scarce. Ex 'Minoru' Collection. Cat. £3,250. Photo. £400-£500

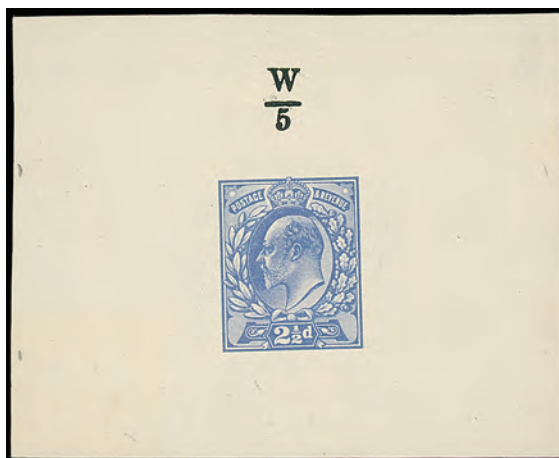


- 1205 P 1911 ½d. colour trial in green using die proof in correct colour on ungummed unwatermarked paper (64 x 61mm), stamped "MB/38" (Manders Bros. ink 38) above. Produced at Somerset House for comparative purposes with the new Georgian colours. Photo also on page 1. £1,200-£1,500



- 1206 P - 1d. colour trial in scarlet using die proof in correct colour on ungummed unwatermarked paper (73 x 58mm), stamped "SD/1" (Stamping Dept. ink 1) above. Photo. £1,200-£1,500

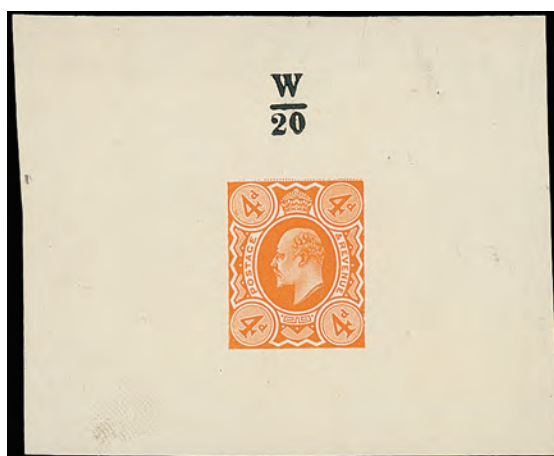
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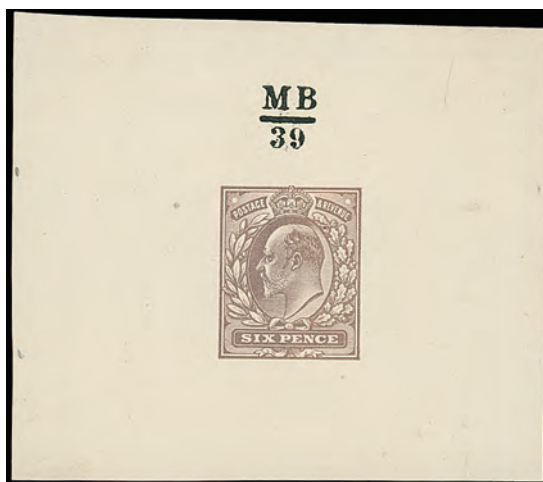
- 1207 P 1911 2½d. colour trial in blue using die proof in correct colour on ungummed unwatermarked paper (73 x 59mm), stamped "W/5" (Winstone ink 5) above. Photo. £1,200-£1,500



- 1208 P - 3d. colour trial in purple using die proof in correct colour on yellow-orange ungummed unwatermarked paper (70 x 60mm), stamped "SP/4" (Slater Palmer ink 4) above. Photo. £1,200-£1,500



- 1209 P - 4d. colour trial in orange-red using die proof in correct colour on ungummed unwatermarked paper (79 x 58mm), stamped "W/20" (Winstone ink 20) above. Photo. £1,200-£1,500



- 1210 P 1911 6d. colour trial in dull purple using die proof in correct colour on ungummed unwatermarked paper (70 x 60mm), stamped "MB/39" (Manders Bros. ink 39) above. Photo. £1,200-£1,500



- 1211 P - 7d. colour trial in grey-black using die proof in correct colour on ungummed unwatermarked paper (72 x 60mm), stamped "SP/6" (Slater Palmer ink 6) above. Photo. £1,200-£1,500

1902 – 10 De La Rue

- 1212 ★ Collection of mint shades incl. 1½d. (4), 2d. (4), 3d. (7), 4d. (6), mainly fine with several unmounted. £350-£400
- 1213 ★ Shade selection to 1s., mint with some unmounted, incl. ½d. in a part booklet pane with St. Andrew's Cross also 1911 perf. 15 x 14 2½d. (2) and 3d. mint. (42) £250-£280



- 1214 1902 (ca.) piece from ledger sheet (226 x 68mm) with K.E.VII ½d., 1d., 1½d., 2d., 2½d., 3d., 4d., 5d., 6d., 9d. and 1s. affixed, also two further pieces (with Q.V. ½d. and 4½d. affixed) attached to the same ledger and all with a bold sans-serif "CANCELLED" mark, some strikes over two stamps. *From the London G.P.O. Reference Collection, believed unique.* Photo. £700-£800



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- 1215 ★ ½d. blue-green nine corner pairs with control letters, also two corner singles, ½d. yellow-green 14 pairs with control letters, mint, mainly fine. **£120-£150**
- 1216 ★ 1d. mint corner control pairs from “A” to “J 10”, mint, mainly fine. (21 pairs) **£120-£150**
- 1217 ☆ 1d. deep bright scarlet in an unmounted mint half sheet of 120, some gum creasing, otherwise fine. S.G. M5(3), cat. £960 as singles. **£180-£200**
- 1218 ★ 1½d. ordinary paper dull purple and green, slate-purple and green chalk surfaced paper deep slate-purple and green block of four, pale dull purple and green, slate purple and bluish green, mint, fine. **£80-£100**
- 1219 ☆ 2d. grey-green and deep carmine-red, a fine unmounted mint horizontal pair. **£80-£100**
- 1220 ★ 2d. yellowish green and carmine red (2) and pale greyish green and carmine-red on ordinary paper, pale grey-green and carmine-red, pale grey-green and scarlet (2), grey-green and scarlet, dull blue-green and carmine on chalk surfaced paper, mint, mainly fine. **£100-£120**
- 1221 ☆ 2d. blue-green and bright carmine (C), fine unmounted mint. **£50-£70**
- 1222 ★ 3d. ordinary paper dull purple, deep purple, chalk surfaced paper pale reddish purple on orange-yellow, dull purple on orange-yellow, dull reddish purple on lemon back, pale purple on lemon (3), purple on lemon (2), all mint, mainly fine. **£250-£300**
- 1223 ★ 3d. dull purple on orange-yellow (OCP), mint, also 9d. dull purple and deep ultramarine unmounted mint, fine. **£60-£80**
- 1224 ☆ 3d. pale reddish purple, lemon back, in an unmounted mint block (3 x 4), one is damaged, minor gum creases, otherwise fine. S.G. 233b, cat. £1,020 as singles. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1225 ★ 4d. ordinary paper green and grey-brown, green and chocolate-brown, chalk surface paper green and chocolate-brown block of four and single, deep green and chocolate-brown, mint fine. **£100-£120**
- 1226 ★ 4d. brown-orange unmounted (R.P.S. certificate, 1986), pale orange and orange-red (2 shades), fine mint. **£100-£120**
- 1227 P 4d. orange (double printed) and 10d. (lower left corner with small corner crease) imperf. plate proofs pairs printed in the issued colours on ungummed poor quality buff paper and 1d. blue imperf. Bruckmann sample, mainly fine. (5) **£100-£120**
- 1228 ☆ 4d. pale orange in a fine unmounted mint block (3 x 10) from the left of the pane, a few minor gum creases otherwise fine. S.G. 240, cat. £1,050 as singles. **£150-£200**
- 1229 ☆ 5d. slate-purple and ultramarine, fine unmounted mint block of eight from the left of the sheet. S.G. 243, cat. £1040 as blocks. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1230 ☆ 5d. pale dull purple and bright ultramarine on original coated paper fine unmounted mainly, scarce paper trial from 1906. Photo. **£80-£100**
- 1231 ☆ 7d. grey-black, block of twelve (4 x 3) from the right of the sheet, 6d. slate-purple corner marginal block of nine and two blocks of four, mainly fine unmounted mint, fresh. S.G. 249, 246, cat. £1,625 as singles. **£250-£300**
- 1232 ☆ 9d. dull purple and ultramarine, unmounted mint block of eight from the top right corner of the pane, two with slight crease, otherwise fine and fresh. S.G. 250, cat. £2,500 as blocks. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 1233 ★ 9d. ordinary paper dull purple and ultramarine, slate purple and ultramarine, 9d. chalk surfaced paper, dull purple and ultramarine, slate purple and ultramarine (2), fine mint. **£180-£200**
- 1234 10d. ordinary paper dull purple and carmine, slate purple and carmine, 10d. chalk surfaced paper dull purple and scarlet (2), dull purple and scarlet, dull purple and scarlet, also 10d. with no cross on Crown mint and used, fine. **£400-£500**
- 1235 ★ 10d. slate-purple and deep carmine (C) fine mint. S.G. Spec. M43(3). Photo. **£100-£120**

1902 – 10 De La Rue continued

- 1236 ★ 10d. slate-purple and deep carmine (C) fine mint. R.P.S. certificate (1983). S.G. Spec. M43(3). Photo on page 186. **£100-£120**
- 1237 ★ 10d. slate-purple and deep carmine (C) fine mint. R.P.S. certificate (1979). S.G. Spec. M43(3). Photo on page 186. **£100-£120**
- 1238 ★ 1s. ordinary paper dull green and carmine, 1s. chalk surfaced paper dull green and carmine, (2) and 1s. deep dull green and scarlet, fine mint. (4) **£120-£150**
- 1239 S 2s.6d. lilac, 5s. bright carmine, 10s. ultramarine and £1 dull blue green overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 16, with part original gum (£1 regummed), good to fine. S.G. 260s, 263s, 265s, 266s, cat. £2,700. Photo on page 186. **£400-£500**
- 1240 ★ 2s.6d. lilac (light gum toning), 5s. bright carmine, 10s. ultramarine (small imperfections) and £1 dull blue-green (light gum toning and wrinkles), mint, fresh colours. (4) S.G. 260, 263, 265, 266, cat. £3,225. Photo on page 186. **£300-£350**



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- 1241 ★ 2s.6d. dull purple in an unmounted mint block of four from the top of the sheet, a few split perfs. in top margin, minor tone spots, otherwise fine. S.G. 252, cat. £3000 as a block. Photo. **£700-£800**
- 1242 ★ 5s. bright carmine, unmounted mint block of four from the lower right corner of the sheet, minor marginal defects well clear of stamp, very fine and fresh strong colour. S.G. 263, cat. £4,250 as a block. Photo. **£800-£1,000**



- 1243 ★ 10s. ultramarine, unmounted mint horizontal strip of four from the top left corner of the sheet, first stamp has vertical crease, minor gum wrinkles, otherwise fine and very fresh appearance. S.G. 265, cat. £7,200 as singles. Photo. **£1,800-£2,000**

- 1244 ★ 10s. ultramarine, fine mint, fresh. S.G. 265, cat. £1,000. Photo on page 186. **£150-£200**
- 1245 ★ £1 dull blue-green, mint, minor perf. toning on reverse and one short perf., otherwise fine, fresh colour. S.G. 266, cat. £1,500. Photo on page 186. **£200-£250**
- 1246 ★ £1 dull blue-green, mint, light bends, fresh colour. S.G. 266, cat. £1,500. Photo on page 186. **£200-£250**
- 1247 ○ £1 dull blue-green, fine used with London hooded c.d.s's. S.G. 266, cat. £700. Photo on page 186. **£100-£120**
- 1248 ○ £1 dull blue-green, used with neat registered cancellations, light crease, otherwise fine. S.G. 266, cat. £700. Photo on page 186. **£80-£100**

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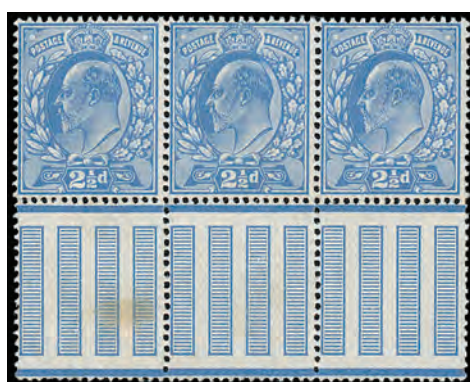


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- 1249 ★ Mint selection on leaves, incl. perf. 14 1d. block of four without watermark, 2½d. (12), 3d. purple on lemon (2), 4d. bright orange, 4d. deep bright orange block of four and single, perf. 15 x 14 3d. (2), 4d. (2), etc. (48) **£500-£600**
- 1250 ☆ Perf. 14 ½d. very deep dull yellow-green (very blotchy print), fine unmounted mint. **£50-£70**
- 1251 ☆ - ½d. bright green, unmounted mint, fine. S.G. 271, cat. £450. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1252 ☆ - 1d. deep carmine-red, fine unmounted mint horizontal pair. Photo. **£100-£150**
- 1253 ☆ - 1d. pale rose-red, a fine unmounted mint example from the right of the sheet, with a wonderful 'salmon' colour. **£50-£70**
- 1254 ★ - 1d. aniline pink, fine mint, fresh. S.G. 275, cat. £950. Photo. **£180-£200**
- 1255 ★ Perf. 15 x 14 ½d. dull green "A 11" control block of six perf. type V3, ½d. dull green six singles (two with "A 11" controls), perf. 14 ½d. dull yellow-green mint corner block of eight, pair from the lower left corner of the sheet with "A 11" control, six singles one with "A 11" control, mint mainly fine. **£100-£120**
- 1256 ☆ - 2½d. 'true blue' in an unmounted mint strip of three with interpanneau margin at base, rare shade. Photo on page 190. **£200-£250**
- 1257 ★ - 2½d. 'pale true blue', fine mint horizontal pair. Photo on page 190. **£100-£150**
- 1258 ☆ □ - 3d. purple on lemon in an unmounted mint irregular block of 38 with large part selvage, some creasing otherwise fine. S.G. 285, cat. £3,040 as singles. Photo on page 190. **£500-£600**
- 1259 ★ - 3d. grey on lemon, mint, small faults, fresh and rare, Philatelic Expertising certificate (2001) for a pair. S.G. 285a, cat. £3,250. Photo. **£300-£350**

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- 1260 ☆ 1½d. dull reddish purple and green (F), fine unmounted mint, rare shade. Photo on page 190. **£100-£120**
- 1261 ★ 1½d. reddish purple and bright green block of four from the lower right corner of the sheet with 1911 date cuts, reddish purple and yellow green (2), dull reddish purple and green block of four from the lower right corner with 1912 date cuts, also single, dull purple and green block of four from the lower right corner of the sheet with 1912 date cuts, also single, slate purple and green, mint, mainly fine. **£200-£250**



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- 1262 ★** 2d. deep dull green and bright carmine block of six from the lower right corner from the upper pane, plate 4c. with 1911 date cut and plate dot, block of four from the lower right corner of the lower pane plate 5 with 1912 date dots, 2d. deep dull green and carmine block of four, deep dull green and red, deep dull green and bright carmine (2), grey-green and bright carmine block of four from the lower right corner with 1912 date dots, mint, mainly fine. **£150-£200**
- 1263 ★** 5d. deep plum and cobalt blue (3), dull reddish purple and cobalt-blue (2, one with damaged right value tablet), deep dull reddish purple and cobalt-blue (2), dull reddish purple and bright blue, also four others, all mint, mainly fine. **£150-£200**
- 1264 ★ 田** 6d. dull lilac block of four from the lower right corner of the sheet from plate 13B, date cuts under “N”, two are unmounted, one with minor surface blemish, otherwise fine and unpriced. R.P.S. certificate (1986). Ex Trevor Clarke. S.G. SG spec. M33(8). Photo. **£300-£350**
- 1265 ★** 6d. dull purple, six lower right corner blocks of four and one of six, comprising 6d. plate 2A with date cuts and white dot denoting ink MB 103940, 6d. plate 9C with date cuts, 6d. plate 9D with date cuts and white dot moved to row 18, denoting ink MB25598, 6d. plate 11 with date cuts, 6d. plate 13 with date cuts, 6d. dark purple plate 13D with date cuts, white dot moved from 20th to 19th, indicating ink MB 10394D/24816, and 6d. deep plum plate 9E with date cut filled in, mainly fine. Ex Trevor Clarke. **£300-£400**
- 1266 ★** 6d. very deep reddish purple unglazed paper, 6d. pale dull purple on thin plate glazed paper from the lower right corner of plate 10 date cuts, 6d. deep plum on chalk surfaced paper, 6d. dull reddish purple on Dickinson coated paper unmounted mint, also nine mint singles, mainly fine. **£250-£300**
- 1267 ★** 6d. dull purple, lower strip of twelve from plate 9b with date cuts under “(P)E”, [R2-/12 and margin dots. Strip also shows the white rule dot to right of [R20] denoting ink MB 24655, some slight creasing, six are unmounted. Ex Trevor Clarke. **£120-£150**
- 1268 ★** 6d. dull purple, eight examples all from the lower right corner of the pane from plates 2 (2), 9 (2), 10, 11, 13 and 14, fine mint. Ex Trevor Clarke. **£100-£120**
- 1269 田** 6d. Royal purple in a mint block of four from the lower right corner of the sheet from plate 14 date cuts under stamp 11, two are unmounted, fine. S.G. Spec. M33(1) **£120-£150**
- 1270 ★** 6d. dull purple, pair from the lower right corner of the sheet from plate 13C, showing rare variety date cuts under both “CE” and “P”, also with white rule dot to the right of [R2-/12] denoting ink MB 24655, unpriced. S.G. Spec. M33(4). Ex Trevor Clarke. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 1271 ★** 6d. dark purple block of ten from the lower right corner of the sheet plate ten with date cuts and white dot, 6d. reddish purple two horizontal pairs from the lower left and right corners of plate 14 with date cuts, 6d. pale dull purple vertical strip of four plate 10, from the lower right corner of the sheet with date cuts, 6d. pale reddish purple single, mint, mainly fine. **£200-£250**
- 1272 田** 6d. deep plum, unmounted mint strip of six from the top right corner of the pane from plate 9, one showing “no cross on Crown”, some minor toning, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. M36(2), d. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 1273** 7d. slate-grey in a mint reconstructed block of sixteen all marginal, nine singles, also used block of fifteen, mainly fine. **£150-£200**
- 1274 ★** 9d. reddish purple and light blue (2), 9d. deep dull reddish purple and deep bright blue (2), dull reddish purple and blue (2, one corner example with date cuts), 9d. deep plum and blue (5), 9d. slate purple and cobalt blue corner example with date cuts, most are unmounted mint, fine. **£400-£500**
- 1275 ★** 10d. dull reddish purple and scarlet, deep dull purple and scarlet, dark plum and carmine pair from the lower right corner of the sheet with date cuts, four singles, dull reddish purple and carmine (2), mint, some unmounted, fine. **£300-£350**
- 1276 ★** 10d. dull reddish purple and aniline pink (F), fine mint. S.G. Spec. M44(5). Photo. **£80-£100**
- 1277 ★** 10d. dull purple and deep scarlet, fine mint. R.P.S. certificate (1979). S.G. Spec. M44(4). Photo. **£80-£100**

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- 1278 ★ 1s. green and bright scarlet variety Imperial Crown watermark omitted in a very fine fresh mint upper right corner pair showing only marginal watermark line owing to the misplacement which caused the error, minor gum bends or wrinkles, the left stamp unmounted. Rare. R.P.S. Certificate (2000). S.G. M47(3) var. Photo. £4,000-£5,000
- 1279 ★ 1s. dark green and scarlet, deep green and scarlet, green and carmine (2) also two with inverted watermarks, mint, fine. £150-£200
- 1280 ○ B 1s. green and carmine, in a fine used block of nine. S.G. Spec. M47(5). £150-£200
- 1281 ♂ 2s.6d. dull greyish purple lower right corner example, unmounted mint, light creases, fresh and scarce, R.P.S. certificate (1987). S.G. 315, cat. £1,750. Photo on page 190. £250-£300



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- 1282 ★ 5s. carmine plate 1b lower right corner pair from the bottom pane with 1912 date cuts, mint, minor wrinkles otherwise fine and fresh, rare. S.G. 318, cat. £1,100. Photo. £150-£200
- 1283 ★ 10s. blue plate 1b lower right corner pair from the bottom pane with 1912 date cuts, mint (stamps unmounted), minor wrinkles otherwise fine and fresh, rare. S.G. 319, cat. £2,250. Photo. £350-£400



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- 1284 ♂ £1 deep green, fine unmounted mint, fresh and scarce. S.G. 320, cat. £3,000. Photo. £600-£700
- 1285 ★ £1 deep green, fine mint, fresh. S.G. 320, cat. £1,600. Photo. £350-£400
- 1286 ★ £1 deep green right marginal, mint, minor perf. toning on reverse, otherwise fine, fresh colour. S.G. 320, cat. £1,600. Photo. £250-£300



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- 1287 ○ £1 deep green, fine used with neat Blyth c.d.s., fresh. S.G. 320, cat. £650. Photo. £150-£200
- 1288 ○ £1 deep green, fine used with Guernsey c.d.s., very pale ink line. S.G. 320. Photo. £120-£150
- 1289 ○ £1 deep green, used with Guernsey c.d.s., minor imperfections. S.G. 320. Photo. £100-£120
- 1290 ○ £1 deep green, used with registered cancellations. S.G. 320. Photo. £100-£120
- 1291 ○ £1 deep green, used with blue oval Jersey cancel, small imperfections. S.G. 320. Photo. £80-£100

King Edward VII Booklets and Booklet Panes



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- 1292 ★ 1906 ½d. yellowish green booklet pane of five plus St. Andrew's Cross, two examples with watermarks upright and inverted, mint, good perfs. but no selvage at left. S.G. Spec. MB2, a. £120-£150
- 1293 B 1909 2s. booklet edition 4, with adverts printed in green, four stamps missing, comprising two panes of six 1d. (2), complete pane of six ½d., pane of five with St. Andrew's Cross, 1d. (2), all panes with watermark inverted, good to fine perfs., very fresh appearance, rare. S.G. BA5, cat. £2,000 as panes. Photo. £200-£250
- 1294 B - 2s. booklet edition 5 with adverts printed in green, all panes with watermark inverted, fair to good perfs., very fresh appearance, rare. S.G. BA5, cat. £1,750. Photo. £250-£300
- 1295 B - 2s. booklet edition 5 with adverts printed in green, all panes with watermark inverted, good to fine perfs., very fresh appearance, rare. S.G. BA5, cat. £1,750. Photo. £250-£300

King George V

- 1296** A mainly unmounted mint selection, incl. 1912-14 watermark Royal Cypher set, 1913 Waterlow £1 green, watermark Mult. Royal Cypher ½d. and 1d., 1929 P.U.C. £1, 1934 re-engraved set, etc., varied condition. (87)
£1,500-£1,800
- 1297** A comprehensive mint collection with shades on leaves, incl. Downey Heads with 1911-12 die A ½d. bluish green, Die B 1d. rose-pink and 1d. aniline scarlet, 1912 (Jan.) 1d. aniline scarlet, 1912-24 sets (2) with 1d. scarlet-vermilion, 6d. perf. 14, 1913 ½d. and 1d., 1913 Seahorses Waterlow 2s.6d. (2) and 5s., 1915 De La Rue 2s.6d. (4) and 5s., 1918-19 Bradbury 2s.6d. (4), 5s. and 10s., 1924-26 set with watermark sideways to 2d., 1929 P.U.C. watermark sideways set, 1934 re-engraved set etc., mainly good to fine. (150)
£800-£900
- 1298** A mint mainly unmounted selection on stock leaves, incl. 1912 1d. no cross on crown in block of six, 1912-24 1½d. "PENCF" in pair, 1912-24 set with shades, 1913 Seahorses Waterlow 2s.6d. (3), 1918-19 Bradbury 5s., 1924-26 set with 3d. watermark inverted, 1934-36 sets (2), 1934 re-engraved sets (2) etc., Seahorses mainly with gum toning, otherwise fine and fresh. (approx. 175)
£500-£700
- 1299** A mint collection in an album, incl. Downey Heads with shades, controls and blocks, 1912-24 set with shades, controls, blocks, 1d. "Q" for "O" [R. 1/4] in block of four and 1½d. "PENCF" [R. 15/12] in block of six (varieties unmounted), 1913 ½d. coil join and 1d., 1913 Seahorses Waterlow 10s., 1915 De La Rue 2s.6d. and 5s., 1918-19 Bradbury 2s.6d. (6), 1924-26 set with shades and controls, 1934 re-engraved etc., mainly fine. (100s) **£400-£500**
- 1300** A mint K.G.V collection on leaves, incl. 1912-24 set with both 9d. olive-green shades and 1½d. "SPECIMEN", 1913 Waterlow 2s.6d. (2) and 5s., 1918-19 Bradbury 2s.6d. (4), 5s. (2) and 10s., 1924-26 set, 1934 re-engraved 5s. etc., mainly good to fine. (53)
£300-£350
- 1301** A mint collection of definitives written up in four albums, 1911 to 1936, incl. mainly controls with identified plates or cylinders with singles, pairs and blocks, also plate flaws, shades, watermark varieties, booklet stamps with labels, K.E.VIII issues etc., mainly good to fine. (many 100s)
£250-£300
- 1302** An accumulation of controls on stock leaves, 1911 to 1935, mint some unmounted singles, pairs and blocks, incl. Downey heads, 1912-24 values to 1s. with 9d. olive-green "V23" pair, 1924-26 values to 1s., 1934-36 photogravure etc., mainly good to fine. (many 100s)
£200-£250
- 1303** A mint collection on leaves, incl. Downey Heads, 1912-24 sets (2) with shades, 1918-19 Seahorse 5s., 1924-26 and 1934-36 sets with watermarks sideways, 1934 re-engraved set, controls etc., mainly fine. (100s) **£200-£250**
- 1304** A mainly mint collection in boxed album, incl. 1912-24, 1924-26 and 1934-36 sets with many control pairs, strips and blocks, various plate flaws, 1924-25 Exhibition with cards, 1929 U.P.U. 1d. broken wreath within control block, 1935 Silver Jubilee with controls, K.E.VIII issues with covers etc., mainly good to fine. (100s) **£120-£150**

1911 – 12 Downey Heads



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- 1305 ★** Watermark crown, die A ½d. bluish green mint and two other shades mint for comparison. S.G. 323, cat. £300.
£60-£70
- 1306 ☼** - 1d. pale carmine no cross on crown variety, fine unmounted mint, scarce. S.G. 328a, cat. £1,250. Photo.
£250-£300
- 1307 ★ ☐** Watermark crown, die A 1d. pale carmine no cross on crown variety in fine mint block of four, variety unmounted, fresh and scarce. S.G. 328a, cat. £1,250+. Photo.
£200-£250

- 1308 ★ **Watermark crown, die B** 1d. pale carmine variety no cross on crown, fine mint, scarce. S.G. 330a., cat. £800. Photo. **£160-£180**
- 1309 ☆ **Watermark Royal Cypher (multiple)** 1d. scarlet watermark sideways variety, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 350c, cat. £350. **£80-£100**
- 1310 ★ Mint selection of no cross on crown varieties, comprising 1912 (Jan.) ½d. and 1d., 1912 (Aug.) ½d. and 1d. in pair with normal and 1912 (Sept.-Oct.) 1d., fine. (6) S.G. 340a, 341a, 344a, 345a, 350a, cat. £685+. **£120-£150**

1912 – 24 Watermark Royal Cypher



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- 1311 ☆ Unmounted mint selection of varieties, comprising watermark inverted 2d., 2½d., 4d., watermark inverted and reversed 2d., 2½d. (2), 3d., watermark reversed 2½d. (2) and no watermark 1d. and 1½d., fine. (11) **£200-£250**
- 1312 ★ A selection of mint (some unmounted) controls on stock leaves, mainly pairs, also some singles, strips of three and blocks of six, incl. values to 1s. (3), 1½d. bright chestnut U23 pair and T22 single with R.P.S. certificate (1976), 2½d. watermark reversed G15 strip of three unmounted mint etc., fine. (130) **£200-£250**
- 1313 ★ A selection of mint control singles and blocks with values to 1s. in two early 'J.E. Lea' stockbooks incl. 10d. C.13 block of four, 1s. J17 block of six also 1913 Waterlow 2s.6d. mint. **£80-£120**
- 1314 ☆ ½d. dull green in an unmounted mint "H 16" (perf.) control strip of three. Photo on page 197. **£80-£100**
- 1315 ☆ ½d. very deep yellow-green, intense shade, fine unmounted mint corner example. Photo on page 197. **£60-£80**
- 1316 ★ ½d. deep yellow-green in a fine mint "M 19" (perf.) control block of six, five unmounted. **£100-£150**
- 1317 ★ ½d. pale cobalt-green, in a fine mint "U 23" (imperf.) corner strip of three, centre stamp unmounted. **£60-£80**
- 1318 ★ ½d. blue-green in a fine mint "F 15" (imperf.) control strip of three. **£60-£80**
- 1319 ☆ 1d. bright scarlet overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 23 and with "ROUTE/CABLEGRAMS/via/IMPERIAL." advertisement trial on the back, fine unmounted marginal. S.G. Spec. N16s(a), cat. £400+. Photo. **£100-£120**

1912 – 24 Watermark Royal Cypher continued

- 1320 ★ 1d. bright scarlet “Q” for “O” [R. 1/4] variety marginal example, stamp unmounted mint, also 1½d. red-brown (perf. fault) and 1½d. chestnut “PENC F” varieties, mint. (3) S.G. 357a, 362a, 364a, cat. £675. **£100-£120**
- 1321 ★ 1d. vermilion block of six (3 x 2) with interpane margin at top. Brandon certificate (1981) also a mint selection to 10d., a few with marginal controls. (29) **£100-£120**
- 1322 ☆ 1d. bright scarlet-vermilion in an unmounted mint corner block of twelve, fine and fresh. S.G. Spec. N16(14 var). Photo on page 195. **£300-£400**
- 1323 ☆ 1d. deep bright-carmine, in an unmounted mint “Q 20” (imperf.) control block of six, fine. Photo on page 195. **£200-£250**
- 1324 ☆ 1d. carmine in an unmounted mint “S 22” (imperf.) control block of six, scarce. Photo on page 195. **£200-£250**
- 1325 ☆ 1d. bright rose-carmine, in an unmounted mint corner interpanneau strip of five, one with minor corner crease, otherwise fine unmounted mint. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1326 ☆ 1d. deep carmine-red, fine unmounted mint. S.G. Spec. N16(13), cat. £550. Photo on page 195. **£100-£120**
- 1327 ☆ 1½d. deep chocolate-brown fine mint “M 19” (perf.) control strip of three. S.G. Spec. N18(6). Photo. **£80-£100**
- 1328 ★ 1½d. deep bright yellow-brown, fine mint “N 19” (perf.) control strip of three, centre stamp is unmounted. (2025). **£60-£80**
- 1329 ★ 1½d. red-brown and 1½d. chestnut “PENC F” varieties in fine mint blocks of four. (8) S.G. 362a, 364a. **£100-£120**
- 1330 ☆ 1½d. chocolate-brown no watermark variety marginal example, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 363a, cat. £375. Photo. **£80-£100**



- 1331 ★ 2½d. indigo-blue, fine mint, scarce, R.P.S. certificate (1989). S.G. 373, Spec. N21(14), cat. £2,000. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 1332 ☆ 4d. grey-green watermark reversed variety, fine unmounted mint right marginal. S.G. 379Wj, cat. £550. Photo. **£150-£200**



- 1333 E 5d. imperforate plate proof block of four from the foot of sheet, mounted on card (89 x 114mm) headed “CONFIDENTIAL/Essay for Colour only”, manuscript “Green/E206” with boxed violet handstamped “STAMPING/DEPARTMENT/6 JUN 1913”, fine and very rare. Photo. **£2,000-£3,000**



- 1334 ★ 5d. brown variety simple cypher type I watermark inverted, fine mint, very rare, not recorded by Gibbons. Ex Aurelius. B.P.A. certificate (2009). S.G. 381Wi, cat. £950 (for types II and III). Photo. £600-£800



- 1335 ⬤ 5d. yellow-brown no watermark variety, unmounted mint, one stained perf. otherwise fine and fresh. S.G. 382a, cat. £1,500. Photo. £200-£250

- 1336 ★ 1913 Watermark multiple cypher ½d. bright green and 1d. dull scarlet, fine mint, 1d. unmounted. (2) S.G. 397, 398, cat. £445. Photo. £80-£100



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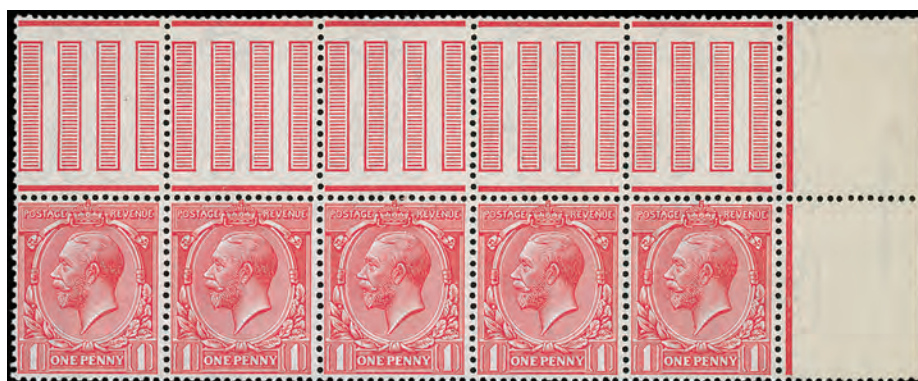
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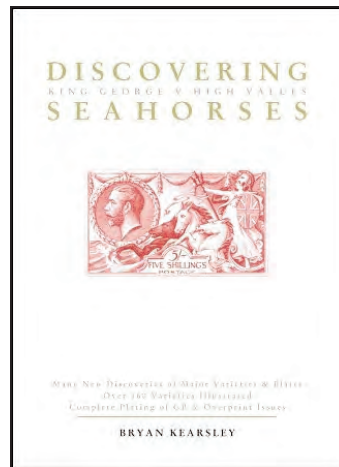


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1913 Waterlow



- 1337 ○ 2s.6d. very deep sepia-brown (Vandyke brown), a superb used on the first day of issue with neat centrally struck "ANERLEY STATION/JU 30/13" circular datestamp, very rare. B.P.A. certificate (2015). S.G. Spec. N63(1). Photo also on back cover. £2,000-£2,500



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- 1338 ★ 2s.6d. deep sepia-brown and sepia-brown, fine used both with neat Guernsey c.d.s's. S.G. 399, 400. Photo. £120-£150
- 1339 ○ 2s.6d. deep sepia-brown and 2s.6d. sepia-brown, 5s. carmine-red with Parcel cancellation, also 1934 10s. indigo, all with extending frame lines. Photo. £200-£250
- 1340 ○ 2s.6d. deep sepia brown, used vertical pair with neat Guernsey c.d.s's. S.G. Spec. N63(2). Photo. £120-£150
- 1341 ○ 2s.6d. deep sepia-brown, three fine used examples, one marginal, all with neat c.d.s's. S.G. Spec. N63(2) £120-£150
- 1342 ○ 2s.6d. deep sepia-brown [R. 6/2] minor re-entry, fine used. S.G. N63(2), cat. £200+. Photo. £120-£150



- 1343 ★ 2s.6d. grey-sepia, fine mint example. B.P.A. certificate (2011). S.G. Spec. N63 var. Photo. £1,200-£1,500



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1913 Waterlow continued



- 1344 ○ 2s.6d. sepia-brown, in a used block (2 x 5) from the foot of the sheet, (plate HVI), with neat Guernsey c.d.s's. S.G. Spec. N63(3). Photo. £400-£500
- 1345 ○ 2s.6d. sepia-brown, in a fine used block of four, with neat c.d.s's. S.G. Spec. N63(3). Photo. £150-£200
- 1346 ○ 2s.6d. sepia-brown [R. 6/1] minor re-entry, fine used. S.G. N63(3), cat. £150+. Photo. £100-£120
- 1347 ○ 2s.6d. sepia-brown [R. 2/1] major re-entry, fine used. S.G. N63(3a), cat. £800. Photo. £200-£250
- 1348 ○ 5s. pale rose-carmine, fine used block of four from the foot of the sheet, plate HV2 [R. 9/3-10/4]. with neat centrally struck Guernsey c.d.s's. S.G. Spec. N66(2). Photo. £300-£350
- 1349 ○ 5s. pale rose-carmine, fine used with neat Guernsey c.d.s. S.G. Spec. N66(32), cat. £375. Photo. £140-£160
- 1350 ○ 5s. pale rose-carmine, fine used with neat registered datestamp. S.G. Spec. N66(32). Photo. £140-£160



- 1351 ○ 5s. carmine-red, fine used block of four with neat lightly struck Guernsey c.d.s's. S.G. Spec. N66(3), cat. £1,800+. Photo. £600-£700
- 1352 ○ 5s. carmine-red, fine used vertical strip of three with neat c.d.s's. Plate HV2. R.P.S. certificate (1980). S.G. Spec. N66(3), cat. £750. Photo. £300-£350
- 1353 ○ 5s. carmine-red, fine used horizontal pair with neat lightly struck London c.d.s's. S.G. Spec. N66(3), cat. £900. Photo. £250-£300
- 1354 ○ 5s. carmine-red, fine used horizontal pair with neat lightly struck Shaftesbury c.d.s's. S.G. Spec. N66(3), cat. £900. Photo. £250-£300
- 1355 ○ 5s. carmine-red, fine used with neat lightly struck Guernsey c.d.s. S.G. Spec. N66(3). Photo. £120-£150
- 1356 ○ 5s. carmine-red, neat lightly struck Glasgow c.d.s., fine. S.G. Spec. N66(3). Photo. £120-£150
- 1357 ○ 5s. carmine-red, fine used with neat Guernsey c.d.s. S.G. Spec. N66(3). Photo. £100-£120

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- 1358 ○ 5s. carmine-red, fine used with neat oval registered datestamp. S.G. Spec. N66(3) Photo. £100-£120
- 1359 ○ 5s. carmine-red, neat Guernsey c.d.s., fine. Plate HV2 [R1/4]. S.G. Spec. N66(3) Photo. £100-£120
- 1360 ○ 5s. carmine-red, fine used with neat lightly struck c.d.s. S.G. Spec. N66(3) Photo. £100-£120
- 1361 ○ 10s. indigo-blue, a fine used block of four from the right of the sheet with light neat Guernsey c.d.s.'s. fine. S.G. Spec. N69(1). Photo. £600-£700
- 1362 ○ 10s. indigo-blue, a fine used block of four from the lower left corner of the sheet with light neat Guernsey c.d.s.'s. fine. S.G. Spec. N69(1). Photo. £600-£700
- 1363 ○ 10s. indigo-blue used with Guernsey c.d.s., fine S.G. 402, Spec. N69(1) Photo. £150-£180



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- 1364 ○ 10s. indigo-blue used with neat Jersey c.d.s., fine S.G. 402, Spec. N69(1) Photo. £150-£180
- 1365 ○ 10s. indigo-blue used with neat c.d.s., fine S.G. 402, Spec. N69(1) Photo. £150-£180



- 1366 ○ 田 10s. indigo, fine used block of four from the right of the sheet, neat Guernsey c.d.s's, excellent deep colour. S.G. Spec. N69(2), cat. £2,300. Photo. £800-£1,000
- 1367 ○ 10s. indigo, fine used with light Jersey c.d.s. cancellation, excellent deep colour. S.G. Spec. N69(2) Photo. £180-£200
- 1368 ○ 10s. indigo, fine used, excellent deep colour. S.G. Spec. N69(2) Photo. £180-£200
- 1369 ○ £1 green, fine used. with neat c.d.s., fresh. S.G. Spec. N72(1), S.G. 403, cat. £1,400. Photo. £300-£400



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- 1370 ▲ £1 green a used vertical pair from the lower left corner of the sheet, used on Parcel Post/Guernsey card with 6d. R.P.S. certificate (1977). S.G. Spec. N72(1). Photo. £800-£1,000
- 1371 ○ £1 deep green very fine used with neat Jersey c.d.s., with good strong colour. R.P.S. certificate (1995). S.G. Spec. N72(2), cat. £2,000. Photo. £500-£600

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- 1372 ○ £1 deep green very fine used with neat Guernsey c.d.s., with good strong colour. S.G. Spec. N72(2), cat. £2,000. Photo. **£500-£600**

- 1373 ○ £1 deep green (deep shade) very fine used with neat Guernsey c.d.s., with good strong colour. S.G. Spec. N72 var. Photo. **£500-£600**



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- 1374 ○ £1 dull blue-green, fine used with neat Jersey c.d.s., S.G. 404, cat. £1,600. Photo. **£500-£600**

- 1375 ○ £1 dull blue-green, fine used with neat Jersey c.d.s., S.G. 404. Photo. **£500-£600**

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- 1376 ○ 2s.6d. pale sepia-brown (from unworn plate), fine used with neat c.d.s. B.P.A. certificate (2026). S.G. Spec. N64(1), cat. £1,200. Photo. **£300-£400**



- 1377 ○ 2s.6d. very pale sepia-brown ('chrome'), fine used, rare shade. B.P.A. certificate (2007). S.G. Spec. N64(2), cat. £3,500. Photo. **£1,500-£2,000**

- 1378 ○ 2s.6d. grey-brown, fine used with re-entry, R.P.S. certificate (1990). S.G. Spec. N64(3) var. Photo. **£120-£140**

- 1379 ○ 2s.6d. grey-brown (worn plate), fine used. R.P.S. certificate (1996). S.G. Spec. N64(3). Photo. **£100-£120**

- 1380 ○ 2s.6d. grey-brown, fine used. S.G. Spec. N64(3). Photo. **£100-£120**



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- 1381 ○ 2s.6d. dark brown, fine used. S.G. Spec. N64(4). Photo. £100-£120
- 1382 ○ 2s.6d. dark brown, fine used with neat c.d.s. S.G. Spec. N64(4). Photo. £100-£120
- 1383 ○ 2s.6d. dark brown (worn plate), fine used with neat c.d.s. S.G. Spec. N64(4). Photo. £100-£120
- 1384 ○ 田 2s.6d. deep yellow-brown, fine used block of four with A.P.O. 3 c.d.s. S.G. Spec. N64(5). Photo. £1,500-£2,000
- 1385 ○ 2s.6d. deep yellow-brown, fine used vertical strip of four with Guernsey c.d.s.'s. Brandon certificate (2010), S.G. Spec. N64(5), cat. £1,000. Photo. £400-£450
- 1386 ○ 2s.6d. deep yellow-brown, showing small paper crease, fine used, with A.P.O. c.d.s. S.G. Spec. N64(5) var., cat. £250+. Photo. £120-£140
- 1387 ○ 2s.6d. deep yellow-brown, fine used with F.P.O./N.Z. c.d.s. S.G. Spec. N64(5), cat. £250. Photo. £100-£120
- 1388 ○ 2s.6d. deep yellow-brown, fine used with neat c.d.s. S.G. Spec. N64(5) Photo. £90-£100



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- 1389 ○ 2s.6d. deep yellow-brown, fine used. S.G. Spec. N64(5), cat. £250. Photo. **£90-£100**
- 1390 ○ 2s.6d. yellow-brown, fine used, from the left of the sheet with A.P.O./S.117, c.d.s. S.G. Spec. N64(6,) cat. £225. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1391 ○ 2s.6d. yellow-brown, fine used. S.G. Spec. N64(6) Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1392 ○ 2s.6d. yellow-brown fine used and well centred. S.G. Spec. N64(6) Photo. **£90-£100**
- 1393 ○ 2s.6d. yellow-brown fine used with neat Guernsey c.d.s. S.G. Spec. N64(6) Photo. **£90-£100**
- 1394 ○ 2s.6d. pale yellow-brown, fine used with neat c.d.s. S.G. Spec. N64(7), cat. £275. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 1395 ○ 2s.6d. pale yellow-brown with variety watermark inverted, fine used with neat c.d.s. S.G. Spec. N64(7f) unpriced. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 1396 ○ 2s.6d. pale yellow-brown, fine used with neat c.d.s. S.G. Spec. N64(7) Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1397 ○ 2s.6d. pale yellow-brown, fine used with neat c.d.s. S.G. Spec. N64(7) Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1398 ○ 2s.6d. pale yellow-brown, fine used with neat c.d.s. S.G. Spec. N64(7) Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1399 ○ 2s.6d. pale yellow-brown, fine used. B.P.A. certificate (2015) S.G. Spec. N64(7) Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1400 ○ 2s.6d. pale yellow-brown, fine used with neat c.d.s. S.G. Spec. N64(7) Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1401 ○ 2s.6d. cinnamon-brown, fine used. B.P.A. certificate (2008). S.G. Spec. N64(9), cat. £2,000. Photo. **£700-£800**
- 1402 ○ 2s.6d. cinnamon-brown, fine used. B.P.A. certificate (2007). S.G. Spec. N64(9) Photo. **£700-£800**



- 1403 ○ 田 2s.6d. brown, fine used block of four with neat c.d.s's. S.G. Spec. N64(10), cat. £4,800. Photo. **£1,200-£1,500**
- 1404 ○ 2s.6d. brown, fine used. S.G. Spec. N64(10), cat. £1,200. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 1405 ○ 2s.6d. brown, fine used with oval registered datestamp. S.G. Spec. N64(10) Photo. **£300-£400**
- 1406 ○ 2s.6d. very deep brown, fine used. B.P.A. certificate (2017). S.G. Spec. N64(11), cat. £1,800. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 1407 ○ 2s.6d. very deep brown, variety watermark inverted, fine used. B.P.A. certificate (2010). S.G. Spec. N64(11f), cat. £1,800 as normal, unpriced used. Photo. **£600-£800**
- 1408 ○ 2s.6d. reddish brown, fine used. B.P.A. certificate (2015) S.G. Spec. N64(12) Photo. **£500-£600**
- 1409 ○ 2s.6d. sepia (seal-brown), fine used showing kiss-print at base. S.G. Spec. N64(13), cat. £250+. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 1410 ○ 2s.6d. sepia (seal-brown), fine used. S.G. Spec. N64(13), cat. £250. Photo. **£100-£120**



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- 1411 ○ 2s.6d. sepia (seal-brown), fine used. R.P.S. certificate (1993), observation “cleaned”. S.G. Spec. N64(13), cat. £250. Photo. **£90-£100**
- 1412 ○ 2s.6d. blackish brown, fine used. B.P.A. certificate (1985) S.G. Spec. N64(14), cat. £1,200 Photo. **£300-£400**
- 1413 ○ 5s. bright carmine, fine used block of four. S.G. Spec. N67(1), cat. £1,400. Photo. **£450-£500**
- 1414 ○ 5s. bright carmine, fine used vertical pair. S.G. Spec. N67(1), cat. £700. Photo. **£240-£260**
- 1415 ○ 5s. bright carmine, fine used with Jersey c.d.s. S.G. Spec. N67(1) Photo. **£120-£150**
- 1416 ○ 5s. bright carmine, fine used, part margin at right with Jersey c.d.s. S.G. Spec. N67(1) Photo **£120-£150**
- 1417 ○ 5s. carmine, fine used block of four with c.d.s.’s. S.G. Spec. N67(2), cat. £1,900. Photo. **£500-£600**
- 1418 ○ 5s. carmine, fine used vertical strip of three with Guernsey c.d.s.’s. S.G. Spec. N67(2), cat. £1,425. Photo. **£400-£450**
- 1419 ○ 5s. carmine, fine used with Guernsey c.d.s. S.G. Spec. N67(2), cat. £475. Photo. **£140-£160**
- 1420 ○ 5s. carmine, fine used with lightly struck c.d.s. S.G. Spec. N67(2) Photo. **£140-£160**
- 1421 ○ 5s. pale carmine, fine used block of four with Guernsey c.d.s.’s. S.G. Spec. N67(3), cat. £1,900. Photo. **£550-£600**
- 1422 ○ 5s. pale carmine, fine used with Guernsey c.d.s.’s. S.G. Spec. N67(3), cat. £950. Photo. **£280-£300**
- 1423 ○ 5s. pale carmine, fine used with Jersey c.d.s. S.G. Spec. N67(3), cat. £475. Photo. **£140-£160**
- 1424 ○ 5s. pale carmine, fine used with c.d.s. S.G. Spec. N67(3) Photo. **£140-£160**



- 1425 ○ 10s. blue, fine used block of four with neat Guernsey c.d.s.’s. R.P.S. certificate (1989). S.G. 412, S.G. Spec. N70(1), cat. £3,600+. Photo. **£1,000-£1,200**

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- 1426 ○ 10s. blue, fine used with c.d.s. S.G. 412, S.G. Spec. N70(1), cat. £900. Photo. £200-£250
- 1427 ○ 10s. blue, fine used with c.d.s., R.P.S. certificate (1987). S.G. Spec. N70(1) Photo. £200-£250
- 1428 ○ 10s. blue, fine used with c.d.s. S.G. 412, S.G. Spec. N70(1) Photo. £200-£250



- 1429 ○ 田 10s. deep blue, fine used block of four with neat c.d.s's. R.P.S. certificate (1990). S.G. 411. S.G. Spec. N70(1), cat. £4,000. Photo. £1,000-£1,200



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- 1430 ○ 10s. deep blue, fine c.d.s. used. R.P.S. certificate (1987). S.G. Spec. N70(1), cat. £1,000. Photo. £250-£300
- 1431 ○ 10s. deep blue, fine used with c.d.s. S.G. 411. S.G. Spec. N70(1) Photo. £250-£300



- 1432 ○ 田 10s. bright ('Cambridge') blue, fine used block of four with Jersey c.d.s's. An extremely rare multiple. R.P.S. certificate (1972). S.G. Spec. N70(3), cat. £17,000+. Photo. £6,000-£7,000



- 1433 ○ 10s. bright ('Cambridge') blue, fine used with c.d.s. S.G. Spec. N70(3), cat. £4,250. Photo. £1,000-£1,200



- 1434 ○ 10s. bright ('Cambridge') blue, fine used with small oval datestamp. R.P.S. certificate (1978). S.G. Spec. N70(3) Photo. £1,000-£1,200



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- 1435 ○ 10s. pale blue, fine used with c.d.s. S.G. 413. S.G. Spec. N70(4), cat. £900. Photo. £200-£250
- 1436 ○ 10s. pale blue, fine c.d.s. used, upper marginal. S.G. 413. S.G. Spec. N70(4) Photo. £200-£250
- 1437 ○ 10s. pale blue, fine used with c.d.s. S.G. 413. S.G. Spec. N70(4) Photo. £200-£250



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- 1438 ○ 10s. deep (intense) bright blue, a fine used example, rare. R.P.S. certificate (1988). S.G. Spec. N70 (5), cat. £4,000. Photo. £1,000-£1,200
- 1439 ▲ 10s. deep (intense) bright blue, a fine example used on piece with 5s. bright carmine, rare. R.P.S. certificate (1979). S.G. Spec. N70 (5) Photo. £1,200-£1,500

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1440 ○ 10s. deep bright blue, a fine used example, scarce. S.G. Spec. N70 (6), cat. £1,200. Photo.

£300-£350

1441 ○ 10s. deep bright blue, a fine used example, scarce. S.G. Spec. N70 (6) Photo.

£300-£350



1442 ○田 10s. bright blue, a fine used block of four, scarce. S.G. Spec. N70 (7), cat. £4,400+. Photo. £1,200-£1,500



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1443 ○ 10s. bright blue, a fine used example, scarce. S.G. Spec. N70 (7), cat. £1,100. Photo.

£300-£350

1444 ○ 10s. bright blue, a fine used example, scarce. S.G. Spec. N70 (7) Photo.

£300-£350

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1445 ○ 2s.6d. a used selection of listed and unlisted shades, mostly fine. (18) S.G. Spec. N65.

£350-£400

1446 ○ 2s.6d. pale brown with minor re-entry [R. 3/5] and pale chocolate-brown with minor re-entry [R. 8/4], fine used.
£80-£100

1447 ○田 2s.6d. pale brown in a used block of six, [R. 1/1-2/3], one [R. 1/2] major re-entry, fine used with A.P.O. S40 c.d.s's.
S.G. Spec. N65(5r). Photo. £200-£250

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- 1448 ○ 2s.6d. pale brown with re-entry [-/1 state 3], fine used. S.G. Spec. N65(5d). Photo. £100-£120
- 1449 ○ 2s.6d. pale brown with re-entry [-/1 state 3], fine used. S.G. Spec. N65(5d). Photo. £100-£120
- 1450 ○ 2s.6d. series III with and without dot after "CROWN", chocolate-brown pair and two singles, reddish chocolate-brown block of four and single, dark chocolate-brown vertical pair, used, fine. S.G. Spec. N65. £250-£300
- 1451 ○ 2s.6d. dull sepia-brown pair, chocolate-brown three examples [R. 5/7, R. 6/8, R. 7/9], dull chocolate-brown two examples [R. 6/8, R. 7/9], all with broken letters, fine used. £150-£200
- 1452 ○ 田 2s.6d. chocolate-brown block of four [Plate 8/10] and deep chocolate-brown [Plate 6/8], showing broken letters, fine used. £180-£200
- 1453 ○ 田 2s.6d. chocolate-brown, a fine used block of four [Left R. 1/2-2/3] one showing minor re-entry. S.G. Spec. N65(3) Photo. £150-£200
- 1454 ○ 田 2s.6d. chocolate-brown, a fine used block of four [Right R. 1/3-2/34] one showing minor re-entry. S.G. Spec. N65(3) Photo. £150-£200
- 1455 ○ 田 2s.6d. chocolate-brown, a fine used block of four, showing non-coincidental perf. at centre. S.G. Spec. N65(3) Photo. £150-£200
- 1456 ○ 2s.6d. chocolate-brown, a fine used vertical strip of five from the left of the sheet, [Right R. 5/1-9/1]. S.G. Spec. N65(3), cat. £325+. £150-£180



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- 1457 ○ 2s.6d. chocolate-brown with re-entry [R. 8/3 state 2], another with re-entry [R. 5/2], also pale reddish brown corner example with re-entry [R. 1/1], used, fine. S.G. Spec. N65(3, 4). Photo on page 213. **£150-£200**
- 1458 ○ 2s.6d. chocolate-brown two examples with frame line varieties [R. 1/4] a,d [R. 3/2], fine used. S.G. Spec. N65(3). Photo. **£80-£100**
- 1459 ○ 2s.6d. chocolate-brown with re-entry [Left R. 2/4 state 2], used, fine, scarce. S.G. Spec. N65(3b). Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1460 ○ 2s.6d. chocolate-brown and reddish brown, both, with re-entry [R. 10/2], used, fine. S.G. Spec. N65(3, 4). Photo. **£150-£180**
- 1461 ○ 2s.6d. chocolate-brown, with major re-entry [R. 1/4], used, violet marks on reverse, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. N65(3c). Photo. **£100-£120**



- 1462 ○  2s.6d. chocolate-brown, a used block of eight from the top of the sheet, [Left R. 1/1-2/4] one showing major re-entry, one with minor re-entry. S.G. Spec. N65(3g), cat. £925+. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 1463 ○ 2s.6d. chocolate-brown, with re-entry [R. 2/2], used, fine. S.G. Spec. N65(3h). Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1464 ○ 2s.6d. chocolate-brown, with re-entry [R. 5/2], used, fine. S.G. Spec. N65(3j). Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1465 ○ 2s.6d. chocolate-brown, with re-entry [R. 7/1], used, fine. S.G. Spec. N65(3l). Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1466 ○ 2s.6d. chocolate-brown, with re-entry [R. ½], used, fine. S.G. Spec. N65(3n). Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1467 ○ 2s.6d. chocolate-brown with re-entry [Left R. 8/1 state 2], used, fine, scarce. S.G. Spec. N65(3s). Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1468 ○ 2s.6d. chocolate-brown with re-entry [Left R. 8/1 state 2], used, fine, scarce. S.G. Spec. N65(3s). Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1469 ○ 2s.6d. reddish brown on ribbed paper, from the top left corner of the sheet, with re-entry [R. 1/1], fine used. S.G. Spec. M65(4), v. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1470 ○ 2s.6d. reddish chocolate-brown, with re-entry [R. 1/2], and minor re-entry [R. 1/3] used, fine. S.G. Spec. N65o. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 1471 ○ 2s.6d. chocolate-brown strip of three, one with re-entry [R. 7/1], used, fine. S.G. Spec. N65(4p). Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1472 ○ 2s.6d. chocolate-brown with re-entry [R. 7/1], used, fine. S.G. Spec. N65(4p). Photo. **£120-£150**
- 1473 ○ 2s.6d. reddish brown with re-entry [R. 8/1], fine used. S.G. Spec. N65(4s). Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1474 ○ 2s.6d. reddish chocolate-brown on ribbed paper with minor re-entry [R. 7/2], fine used. S.G. Spec. N65v. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1475 ○ 2s.6d. reddish chocolate-brown, strip of three from the top of the sheet with re-entry [R. 1/2], and minor re-entry [R. 1/4] used, fine. S.G. Spec. N65(q). Photo. **£150-£200**



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- 1476 ○ 5s. rose-carmine, pale rose-carmine and rose-red, fine used. S.G. N68(1-3). **£120-£150**
- 1477 ○ 5s. rose-carmine, a block of ten from the right of the sheet [R. 1/3-5/4]. S.G. Spec. N68(1). Photo. **£300-£350**
- 1478 ○ 5s. rose-carmine, in a used block of twelve from the lower left corner of the sheet, [R. 5/1-10/2] with British P.O. in Constantinople c.d.s's, fine scarce multiple. S.G. Spec. N68(1). Photo. **£300-£400**
- 1479 ○ 5s. rose-carmine, pale rose-carmine, rose-red (3), fine used with c.d.s's. S.G. Spec. N68(1, 2, 3). **£180-£200**
- 1480 ○ 5s. rose-carmine, a block of six [R. 5/2-7/3], [R.6/3] with minor re-entry, fine used on piece. S.G. Spec. N68(1). Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1481 ○ 5s. rose-carmine, a block of six [R. 9/1-10/3], [R. 10/1] with minor re-entry, fine used. S.G. Spec. N68(1). Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1482 ○ 5s. rose-carmine, a used pair from the top left corner of the sheet, fine S.G. Spec. N68(1). **£80-£100**
- 1483 ○ 5s. rose-carmine, from plate ½ with complete visor also one in pale rose-carmine shade and another with broken visor from plate 3/4, fine used. S.G. Spec. N68(1). **£80-£100**
- 1484 ○ 5s. rose-carmine, on ribbed paper, fine used. S.G. Spec. N68(1) a, unpriced used. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1485 ○ 5s. rose-carmine, [R. 6/3] minor re-entry and another with dot in top right corner fine used. S.G. Spec. N68(1). **£80-£100**
- 1486 ○ 5s. rose-red, in a fine used block of four, neat c.d.s's. S.G. Spec. N68(3). Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1487 ○ 10s. in a pale dull blue in a used block of four [R. 2/3-3/4], [R. 2/3] with minor re-entry, fine. S.G. Spec. N71. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1488 ○ 10s. four shades with deep dull blue, pale dull blue, deep dull grey-blue and pale dull grey-blue, fine used. S.G. Spec. N71. **£140-£160**
- 1489 ○ 10s. in a grey-blue shade [R. 2/4] with flaw above "E" of "TEN", fine used. S.G. Spec. N71. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1490 ○ 10s. dull grey-blue in a used vertical strip of nine from the left of the sheet [R. 1/1-9/1], [R. 1/1] with major re-entry, [R. ½] minor re-entry, fine and scarce multiple. S.G. Spec. N71(2)a. Photo. **£500-£60**
- 1491 ○ 10s. dull grey-blue, [R. 1/1] major re-entry, fine used. S.G. Spec. N71(2)a. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1492 ○ 10s. dull grey-blue in a used block of four, fine. S.G. Spec. N71(2). Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1493 ○ 10s. dull grey-blue, [R. 1/2] minor re-entry, fine used, from the corner of the sheet S.G. Spec. N71(2). Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1494 ○ 10s. dull grey-blue, [R. 2/3] minor re-entry, fine used S.G. Spec. N71(2). Photo on page 218. **£80-£100**
- 1495 ○ 10s. dull grey-blue, two examples from plate 3/8 with broken "S", fine. S.G. Spec. N71(2). **£80-£100**
- 1496 ▲ 10s. dull grey-blue in a used block of four on piece with 3d. and 1s. (3), fine. S.G. Spec. N71(2). Photo on page 218. **£150-£200**



1494



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Ex 1501



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Ex 1503



Ex 1508

1918 Bradbury Wilkinson continued

- 1497 ○ 10s. dull grey-blue, [R. 6/1] major re-entry, fine used, from the corner of the sheet S.G. Spec. N71(2)b. Photo. **£350-£300**
- 1498 ○ 田 10s. blackish blue in a used block of four, fine. S.G. Spec. N71(3). Photo. **£400-£500**
- 1499 ○ 10s. steel-blue (blackish blue), fine used. B.P.A. certificate (2026). S.G. Spec. N71(3). Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1500 ○ 10s. blackish blue, fine used. R.P.S. certificate (1994). S.G. Spec. N71(3). Photo. **£100-£120**

1934 Re-engraved

- 1501 ○ 2s.6d. reddish brown corner block of eight, two singles, chocolate-brown two singles, 5s. two singles and 10s. block of eight and two singles, mainly fine used. (24) S.G. 450-452. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 1502 ○ 田 2s.6d. chocolate-brown, 2s.6d. reddish brown, 5s. bright rose-red and 10s. indigo each in a fine used block of four and cancelled by light Hebburn Co., Durham 1937 or 1938 telegraphic c.d.s's, fine. (16) **£150-£200**

Covers and Cancellations

- 1503 ○ A selection incl. British P.O's in Turkey and Smyrna, Sark, House of Commons and Royal Courts of Justice, etc. (13) Photo. **£300-£400**
- 1504 ○ A selection incl. Post Office payments, Educational receipts, fiscal used, etc. (19 items) **£250-£300**



- 1505 ○ **Antarctic Expeditions: 1918-19 10s. vertical pair both handstamped framed "TRISTAN/DA CUNHA" expedition cachet and with central undated S.R. Antarctic Expedition c.d.s., slight perf. imperfections otherwise fine. Only one sheet of 40 of each Seahorse high value was carried by the Shackleton-Rowett Expedition. Photo also on back cover.** **£1,000-£1,200**



- 1506 ▲ **Bag Labels: 1916 registered bag label addressed to the Embassy in Rome, franked by 1913 Waterlow £1 green pair, 1915 De La Rue 5s. and 10s. blue with 3d. and 1s., uncanceled but rare. Photo.** **£700-£900**



1509



Ex 1510



1512



Ex 1514



1515



1517



Ex 1516



1513



Ex 1511

Covers and Cancellations continued



- 1507 **Bag Labels:** 1917 registered bag label addressed to the Legation in Stockholm, bearing 1915 De La Rue 10s. blue (3) with 6d. pair. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 1508 ▲ - 1926 two part Foreign Office O.H.M.S. parcel labels, one franked by 1918-19 Bradbury 10s. dull grey-blue (4), other with 5s., 10s. dull grey-blue with 4d. and 1s., sent to Guatemala Legation. Photo on page 218. **£150-£200**
- 1509 ▲ - 1938 letter bag label from London to France, bearing 1934 re-engraved 5s. and 10s. with 4d., 1s. (2). Photo. **£80-£100**
- 1510 ☒ **Insured Mail to Europe:** 1918 to 1925 three registered covers, one to Switzerland, franked by 1915 De La Rue 5s. with 9d., 1924 4½d. registered envelope to Germany bearing 1918-19 2s.6d. pale-brown with 2½d. (2), 6d. and 1s., 1925 4½d. registered envelope to Sweden, bearing 1918-19 Bradbury 2s.6d., all with red Insured labels. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1511 ○ **Military Mail:** A selection comprising 1913 Waterlow 2s.6d. vertical strip of four used F.P.O. D14, two singles used A.I.F. Base P.O. in Cairo, other in Salonica, also another with Fleet Post Office, 1915 De La Rue 2s.6d. yellow-brown used B.P.O. in Salonica, other used A.P.O. SZ8 at Beirut, 1918-19 Bradbury 2s.6d. chocolate-brown used A.P.O. S40 at Wiesbaden, 2s.6d. olive-brown block of four used A.P.O. at Constantinople, mostly fine. Photo. **£600-£700**
- 1512 ▲ - 1917 piece bearing 1915 De La Rue 2s.6d. yellow-brown, vertical pair from the lower right corner of the sheet, tied to piece by Army Post Office S.17 c.d.s's with red boxed censor mark. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 1513 ▲ **Parcel Post:** 1914 overseas registered parcel piece, franked by 1913 Waterlow 5s. rose-carmine and £1 green. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 1514 - 1922 parcel post label on piece, franked by 1918-19 Bradbury 2s.6d. reddish chocolate-brown, tied by Army Post 1934 Office S.40, 1923 parcel post label on piece, franked by 1918-19 2s.6d. chocolate-brown and 6d., 1934 parcel wrapper to Australia, bearing 1918-19 Bradbury 2s.6d. chocolate-brown two blocks of four, 2d., 3d. and 1s. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1515 - 1932 an unusual pierced card parcel label, sent from Leeds to Germany, franked by 1918-19 Bradbury 5s. rose-red, tied by boxed Leeds parcel cancellation, also "Imperial & Foreign Parcel Post/LEEDS" label. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1516 **Postage Refunded:** 1927 bag label to Tripoli, bearing 1918-19 Bradbury 2s.6d. chocolate-brown, 5s. rose-carmine and 6d. with violet boxed "POSTAGE/REFUNDED", also same strike on single 5s. rose-red. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1517 ☒ **Railways:** 1924 large envelope from Henley-on-Thames to London, franked by 1918-19 Bradbury 2s.6d. reddish brown and 1½d., with two Express labels and Great Western Railway 4d. stamp, fine. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1518 **Registration of Business Names:** 1913 to 1932 selection comprising 1915 De La Rue 2s.6d. yellow-brown, 2s.6d. very deep brown pair, 2s.6d. reddish brown pair, 5s. (2), 1918-19 Bradbury 2s.6d. deep chocolate-brown pair, 5s. (3), used in London, Northern Ireland and Ireland, most on pieces. **£250-£300**



A 5/- adhesive stamp must be affixed in the space provided.
The Statement must be sent or delivered in
England and Wales to The Registrar of Business Names, 39, Russell Square, London, W.C.1;
Scotland to the Registrar of Business Names, 39, Exchange Chambers, Parliament
Square, Edinburgh;
Ireland to the Registrar of Business Names, 39, Coleraine House, Dublin.

Form R.B.N. 1.
No. of Certificate.
24779

REGISTRATION OF BUSINESS NAMES ACT, 1916.
Application for Registration by an individual. See Sec. 1 (b) and (c)

I, the undersigned, hereby apply for registration pursuant to the provisions of the Registration of Business Names Act, 1916, and for that purpose furnish the following statement of particulars:—

(1) The business name	John Webb.
(2) The general nature of the business	Grocer & Grain Merchant.
(3) The principal place of the business	East Green, Strathaven, Co. Limerick.
(4) The present Christian name (or names) and surname of the individual	Mrs Katherine Jane Webb (widow).
(5) Any former Christian name (or names) or surname of the individual	None.
(6) The nationality of the individual	British.
(7) The nationality of origin of the individual, if not the same as the present nationality	British.
(8) The usual residence of the individual	15, Thomson Road, Strathaven, Co. Limerick.
(9) The other business occupations (if any) of the individual	None.
(10) The date of the commencement of the business if the business was commenced after 22nd Dec., 1914	19 January 1922
(11) Any other business name or names under which the business is carried on	None.

Dated this fourth day of February 1928.

(Signature) R. Webb
See Note "A" on Back.

W. 48750-81A. 300s. 2/17. J. G. & S., Ltd.



Covers and Cancellations continued

- 1519 **Registration of Business Names:** 1928 complete form bearing 1918-19 5s. rose-carmine, cancelled by Crowned boxed "EXCHEQUER/SCOTLAND", fine. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1520 ○田 **Sending and Return of Bulk Mail:** 1918-19 Bradbury 2s.6d. reddish brown block of four with Returned Letter Branch c.d.s's and 5s. rose-carmine block of four with Manchester Parcel Post c.d.s's. **£150-£200**
- 1521 ☒ **World War I Express Censorship Fee:** Four covers, each bearing 1915 De La Rue 2s.6d., one to New York with additional ½d., 1d. (4) and 2½d. endorsed "Late fee", one to Denmark additionally franked ½d., 4d. (2) marked "Urgent" with censor label, one to Switzerland with extra 2½d. endorsed "Posted with Special Fee" with censor label, last to New York additionally franked ½d. (4) endorsed "Shipping Documents", and handstamped "LATE/FEE". **£250-£300**
- 1522 No lot



1524

Airmails

- 1523 ☒✈ 1920, two covers to France, one franked 1918-19 Bradbury 5s. rose-carmine and 4d., other franked by 1918-19 2s.6d. chocolate-brown and 1d., 1½d., both with "AIR MAIL/EXPRESS" cachets, one in red. **£100-£120**
- 1524 ▲✈ 1934 (July 12) large cover front (slightly reduced) to South Africa, bearing 1918-19 Bradbury 10s. dull grey-blue (9), 4d. and 1s. (3), slightly soiled, otherwise fine. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1525 ☒✈ 1928 to 1937, ten covers all flown to South America, incl. five registered, range of Seahorse 2s.6d. with block of four, etc. **£200-£250**
- 1526 ☒✈ 1928 (Aug. 29) cover registered from London to U.S.A., franked by 1918-19 Bradbury 2s.6d. chocolate-brown, 1½d. and 3d., types "CATAPULT AIR MAIL/per Ile de France/via Plymouth". Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1527 ☒✈ 1929 to 1936, four covers comprising 1929 (June) cover to India, franked by 1918-19 Bradbury 2s.6d. ½d. and 3d., 1931 (Aug.) long cover to Thailand, franked by 1918-19 Bradbury 5s. (3) and 1s., 1932 (Feb.) long envelope to Penang, bearing 1918-19 Bradbury 2s.6d., 5s., 9d. (2), 1936 (May) cover to China bearing 1934 re-engraved 2s.6d. and 2d. **£150-£200**
- 1528 ☒✈ 1932 (Mar.) 1st South American flight cover, registered to Brazil, franked by 1918-19 Bradbury 2s.6d. chocolate-brown, 3d. and 1s., with red and violet Zeppelin cachets and violet "Retour a l'envoyeur". Photo. **£120-£150**
- 1529 ☒✈ 1932 (Apr.) cover flown on the third flight to Brazil, franked by 1918-19 Bradbury 2s.6d. chocolate-brown and 1s., with red and brown Zeppelin cachets. Photo. **£140-£160**
- 1530 ☒✈ 1933 (June 30) cover from London to Italy via Zurich, franked by 1918-19 Bradbury 2s.6d. chocolate-brown, with Airmail and Express labels and "MONETARY & ECONOMIC/CONFERENCE,LONDON.S.W.&" registration label. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1531 ☒✈ 1933 (Aug.) large envelope to Brazil, flown on the thirteenth flight, franked by 1918-19 Bradbury 10s. dull grey-blue (3) with 2½d., 1s. with two red Zeppelin cachets. Photo. **£150-£200**

Airmails continued



1532



1533

- 1532 ✉ 1934 (Nov. 30) cover from London to Glasgow on the last flight of the Railway Air Services, franked by 1934 re-engraved 2s.6d., with boxed "RAS/3D PAID" cachet. Photo. £80-£100
- 1533 ✉ 1935 (Mar.) cover, registered to Brazil, addressed to the Chief Officer of R.M.M.V. *Highland Monarch*, franked by 1934 re-engraved 2s.6d., 2d., 3d. and 10d. endorsed "To be delivered on Board/By German Airmail". Photo. £80-£100
- 1534 ✉ 1936 to 1938, five covers, incl. 1937 (Mar.) cover to Australia, bearing 1934 re-engraved 5s. with 3d., 1s., 1938 (Feb.) long cover, registered to Australia, bearing 1915 De La Rue 2s.6d. grey-brown (worn) 1918-19 Bradbury 2s.6d., 1d. (3), etc. £150-£200

1913 – 34 Seahorses

The properties of other vendors

1913 Waterlow



– Ex 1535 –

- 1535 ★ 2s.6d., 5s., 10s. and £1 green, good to fine mint the £1 slightly toned. S.G. 400-403. Photo. £1,000-£1,200



- 1536 ★ 2s.6d. sepia-brown lower right corner example and 5s. rose-carmine, unmounted mint, minor gum disturbances and yellowish gum, fresh colours. (2) S.G. 400, 401, cat. £1,700. Photo. £200-£250



Ex 1537



Ex 1538



Ex 1539

- 1537 ★ 2s.6d., 5s. and 10s., 1918-19 Bradbury 2s.6d., 5s. and 10s., mint, mainly with toned gum, fresh colours. (6) S.G. 400, 401, 402, 415a, 416, 417, cat. £2,485. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1538 ★ 2s.6d. sepia-brown, 5s. rose-carmine and 10s. indigo, mint, mainly fine, fresh. S.G. 400-402, cat. £1,650. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1539 ○ 2s.6d. sepia-brown, two used examples with neat c.d.s.'s. S.G. Spec. N63(3) Photo. **£120-£150**



1540



1541

- 1540 ⬤ 10s. indigo-blue upper right corner example, unmounted mint (mounted in margin), light bend otherwise fine, excellent centring, fresh. S.G. 402, cat. £1,500. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1541 ★ 10s. indigo, fine mint, fine centring, fresh. S.G. 402, cat. £850. Photo. **£150-£200**



1542



1543

- 1542 ★ 10s. indigo, fine mint, fresh. S.G. 402, cat. £850. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1543 ○ 10s. indigo-blue, fine used with c.d.s. S.G. 402, cat. £475. Photo. **£100-£120**

Bidding Increments

Bidding advances will normally proceed by the following steps:

Up to £100 by £5

£100 to £300 by £10

£300 to £1,000 by £20 or £30 (ie £520, £550, £580, etc.)

£1,000 to £2,000 by £50

£2,000 to £3,000 by £100

£3,000 to £10,000 by £200 or £300 (ie £3,200, £3,500, £3,800, etc.)

Over £10,000 at auctioneer's discretion

Bids of unusual amounts 'off step' will be rounded down to the bid step below and will not take precedence over a similar bid unless received first.

1913 – 34 Seahorses – 1913 Waterlow continued



- 1544  C £1 Paper Trial or Colour Trial in an intense bright yellowish-green shade, on gummed 'Joynson Paper' watermarked single cypher, the paper originally intended for this issue but rejected on account of a tendency for the ink to spread along the paper fibres, overprinted "CANCELLED" type 24. A superb unmounted upper half sheet of twenty [R. 1/1–5/4] showing complete marginal guide cross at top and part at sides. B.P.A Certificate (2025). See footnote after S.G. Spec. N72, cat. £65,000+. Photo. £20,000-£25,000



1545



1546

- 1545 ⬤ £1 green upper right corner example, fine unmounted mint (mounted in the margin), centred to left. S.G. 403, cat. £3,750. Photo. **£600-£700**

- 1546 ★ £1 green, fine mint, very lightly mounted, superb centring, fresh. S.G. 403, cat. £2,800. Photo. **£600-£700**



1547



1548



1549

- 1547 ★ £1 green, mint large part gum, fine centring, fresh colour. S.G. 403, cat. £2,800. Photo. **£500-£600**

- 1548 ★ £1 green, mint, a few slightly shortish perfs. otherwise fine and fresh. S.G. 403, cat. £2,800. Photo. **£400-£450**

- 1549 ★ £1 green, mint, light gum toning and a few slightly shortish perfs. otherwise fine, fresh colour. S.G. 403, cat. £2,800. Photo. **£300-£350**



1550



1551



1552

- 1550 ☆ £1 green, unused, a few short perfs. at left, fresh. S.G. 403, cat. £2,800. Photo. **£200-£250**

- 1551 ○ £1 green, fine used with c.d.s., fine centring, fresh. S.G. 403, cat. £1,400. Photo. **£300-£350**

- 1552 ○ £1 green, fine used with c.d.s., fresh. S.G. 403, cat. £1,400. Photo. **£300-£350**



1553



1554



1555

- 1553 ○ £1 green, fine used with neat registered cancellations, fine centring, fresh. S.G. 403, cat. £1,400. Photo. **£300-£350**

- 1554 ○ £1 green, good used, a few slightly shortish perfs., fine centring. S.G. 403, cat. £1,400. Photo. **£200-£250**

- 1555 ○ £1 green, used with smudged c.d.s.'s, some shortish perfs. otherwise fine and fresh. S.G. 403, cat. £1,400. Photo. **£150-£200**

1913 – 34 Seahorses – 1913 Waterlow continued



1556



1557



1558

- 1556 ○ £1 green, used with boxed cancellation, a few shortish and lightly toned perfs. S.G. 403, cat. £1,400. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1557 ○ £1 green, good used, a few shortish perfs. S.G. 403, cat. £1,400. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1558 ○ £1 green, used with Jersey c.d.s., small faults, good appearance. S.G. 403, cat. £1,400. Photo. **£120-£150**



1559



1560



1561

- 1559 ★ £1 dull blue-green, fine mint, fine centring, fresh. S.G. 404, cat. £2,800. Photo. **£500-£600**
- 1560 ★ £1 dull blue-green, fine mint, fresh. S.G. 404, cat. £2,800. Photo. **£500-£600**
- 1561 ○ £1 dull blue-green, used with slightly smudged London c.d.s's, small repairs, fine centring, good appearance. S.G. 404, cat. £1,600. Photo. **£200-£250**

1915 – 18 De La Rue



1563



1564

- 1562 ○ 2s.6d. yellow-brown, 5s. bright carmine and 10s. blue, used, a few shortish perfs., otherwise mainly fine. (3) S.G. 406, 409, 412, S.G. £1,475. **£100-£120**
- 1563 ★ 5s. bright carmine, fine mint, fine centring, fresh. S.G. 409, cat. £650. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 1564 ★ 10s. deep blue, mint, a few shortish perfs., otherwise fine and fresh. S.G. 411, cat. £3,250. Photo. **£350-£400**



1565



1566

- 1565 ★ 10s. blue, fine mint with usual yellowish gum. S.G. 412, cat. £2,500. Photo. **£350-£400**
- 1566 ★ 10s. blue, mint, a few shortish perfs., otherwise fine and fresh. S.G. 412, cat. £2,500. Photo. **£250-£300**



1567



1568

- 1567 ★ 10s. blue, mint with usual yellowish gum, a few short perfs. at top left, otherwise fine, fresh colour. S.G. 412, cat. £2,500. Photo. **£200-£250**

- 1568 ★ 10s. pale blue right marginal, fine mint, R.P.S. certificate (1986). S.G. 413, cat. £2,750. Photo. **£400-£500**

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Ex 1569



Ex 1570

- 1569 ☆ An unmounted mint selection with shades on a stockpage, comprising 2s.6d. (11) and 5s. (3), some with toned gum otherwise mainly fine and fresh colours. (14) S.G. 413a-416. **£600-£800**
- 1570 ★ 2s.6d., 5s. and 10s., mint, 2s.6d. unmounted, 5s. slightly yellowish gum, otherwise fine and fresh colours. (3) S.G. 415a, 416, 417, cat. £1,075. Photo. **£150-£200**



- 1571 P 10s., 1929 experimental Royal Mint plate proof, vertical strip of three and part impression without frame lines, printed in black on thick paper (115 x 115mm), endorsed in pencil "Copper /after polishing and burnishing 18/12/29", extremely rare. Only three are known. Photo. **£3,000-£4,000**
- 1572 ☆ 10s. dull grey-blue lower right corner example, unmounted mint, overall gum toning, some gum wrinkles otherwise fine, fresh colour. S.G. 417, cat. £850. Photo on page 230. **£100-£120**



Ex 1573



1572

1934 Re-engraved

- 1573 ♂ 2s.6d., 5s. and 10s., fine unmounted mint, fresh. (3) S.G. 450-452, cat. £1,200. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1574 ★ 2s.6d. chocolate-brown upper right corner block of eight, mint (seven stamps unmounted), light overall gum toning, otherwise fine and fresh colour. S.G. 450. **£150-£200**
- 1575 ♂ 5s. bright rose-red upper left corner pair, unmounted mint, light overall gum toning, otherwise fine and fresh colour. S.G. 451, cat £900+. **£80-£100**

1924 – 26 Watermark Block Cypher Issue



- 1576 P ½d. to 1s. set of single imperforate imprimaturs, all handstamped "BPMA" on reverse, fine and rare Photo. **£3,500-£4,000**



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1579

- 1577 ★ 1½d. red-brown tête-bêche strip of four, fine mint. S.G. 420a, cat. £300+. Photo. **£80-£100**
- 1578 ★ 2d. orange no watermark variety, fine mint large part gum, fresh, Brandon certificate (2007). S.G. 421a, cat. £1,200. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 1579 ★ 2½d. blue no watermark variety, fine mint, very lightly mounted, fresh and scarce. S.G. 422a, cat. £2,000. Photo. **£400-£500**

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1581

1582

- 1580 ★ 田 1½d. purple-brown 1829 for 1929 [R. 2/5] variety, unmounted mint in upper marginal blocks of four with normals (mounted in margin), fine. S.G. Spec. NCom7c, cat. £450+. **£100-£120**
- 1581 ★ 田 1£ black lower left corner block of four, unmounted mint, light gum toning otherwise fine and rare. S.G. 438, cat. £4,400+. Photo. **£900-£1,000**
- 1582 ★ 1£ black left marginal pair, unmounted mint, fine. S.G. 438, cat. £2,200+. Photo. **£450-£500**



1583



1584

- 1583 ★ 1£ black upper marginal example, unmounted mint, lightly toned gum, otherwise fine and fresh colour. S.G. 438, cat. £1,100. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1584 ★ 1£ black, unmounted mint, lightly toned gum, otherwise fine and fresh colour. S.G. 438. Photo. **£150-£200**



1585



1586

- 1585 ★ 1£ black, fine mint. S.G. 438, cat. £750. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1586 ★ 1£ black, fine mint, small owner's mark on gum. S.G. 438, cat. £750. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1587 ★ 1£ black, fine mint. S.G. 438, cat. £750. Photo on page 232. **£150-£200**
- 1588 ★ 1£ black, fine mint. S.G. 438, cat. £750. Photo on page 232. **£150-£200**



1587



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Ex 1611

1929 Postal Union Congress continued

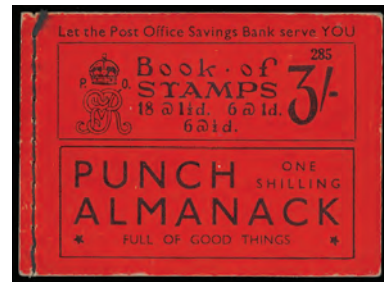
- 1589 ★ £1 black, mint, minor creasing otherwise fine. S.G. 438, cat. £750. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 1590 ★ £1 black, mint, lightly toned gum, otherwise fine. S.G. 438 Photo. **£120-£150**
- 1591 ★ £1 black, mint, light gum toning, otherwise fine. S.G. 438 Photo. **£120-£150**
- 1592 ★ £1 black, mint, lightly toned gum, otherwise fine. S.G. 438 Photo. **£120-£150**
- 1593 ★ £1 black, mint, some gum toning otherwise fine. S.G. 438 Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1594 ★ £1 black, mint, tiny thins and usual light gum toning, otherwise fine. S.G. 438 Photo. **£100-£150**
- 1595 ★ £1 black, mint, light overall gum toning and light crease, fresh colour. S.G. 438 Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1596 ○ £1 black, used with Guernsey registered cancellation, fine. S.G. 438, cat. £600. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1597 ○ £1 black, fine used with c.d.s. S.G. 43. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1598 ○ £1 black, fine used with oval registered cancellation. S.G. 438 Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1599 ○ £1 black, fine used with c.d.s., small ink spot at upper left. S.G. 438 Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1600 ○ £1 black, fine used with corner c.d.s. S.G. 438 Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1601 ○ £1 black, fine used with c.d.s. S.G. 438 Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1602 ○ £1 black, used with c.d.s., fine. S.G. 438 Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1603 ○ £1 black, used with c.d.s., fine. S.G. 438 Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1604 ○ £1 black, fine used with c.d.s. S.G. 438 Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1605 ○ £1 black, used with c.d.s., fine. S.G. 438 Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1606 ○ £1 black, used with light indistinct cancellations, fine. S.G. 438 Photo. **£120-£150**
- 1607 ○ £1 black, used with parcel cancellation, minor soiling, a few slightly shortish perfs. S.G. 438 Photo. **£80-£100**
- 1608 ○ £1 black, used, small faults and slightly soiled. S.G. 438 Photo. **£80-£100**
- 1609 ★ ㊞ Part unmounted mint sheets of registration labels inscribed "London/Postal Union Congress" from plates "A" (of 43) and "F" (of 46) with several of the peripheral labels torn and defective, very scarce nonetheless. **£200-£220**



- 1610 ▲ ✈ £1 used alongside ½d. and K.G.V 1s. block on 1929 large airmail piece addressed to Marine Air Post, Rasel-el-Tin, P.O.B. 1705 Alexandria Egypt, stamps are rather heavily cancelled and £1 with very minor toning on a few perfs. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 1611 1934 U.P.U. Congress Cairo presentation booklet containing ½d. to 1s., 1918-19 Bradbury Seahorse 2s.6d., 5s. and 10s., and 1929 P.U.C. £1 unmounted mint, some gum discolouration and other faults. Photo. **£350-£400**

1934 – 36 Photogravure

- 1612 ★ A mint accumulation of control blocks of four and six in a stockbook, comprising ½d. (44), 1d. (59), 1½d. (122), 2d. (34), 2½d. (2), 3d. (23), 4d. (12), 5d. (11) and 1s. (5), some better cylinder numbers. Stated to cat. approx. £9,000.
£400-£500
- 1613 ☒ 1936 (Feb. 24) 10d. used first day of issue on typed addressed envelope. Photo. £300-£350



1618

1613

1935 Silver Jubilee



- 1614 ▲ ☒ 2½d. blue marginal control "W/35" block of 24 (rows 17-20 incl. the only variety on this value 'retouch to left panel and top of 2½d.') on large airmail fragment and tied by first day cancellations of Dartmouth. *Believed to be the largest used multiple and an important exhibition item.* S.G. Spec. NCom13, unpriced used. Photo. £700-£750



- 1615 ★ 2½d. Prussian blue, fine mint, P.T.S. Expertising certificate (2013) states "gum has been sweated to remove hinge remainders". S.G. 456a, cat. £10,000. Photo also on back cover. £4,000-£5,000



- 1616 ★ 2½d. Prussian blue, very light gum toning, otherwise fine. Brandon certificate (2024). S.G. 456a, cat. £10,000. Photo. £3,000-£3,500

King George V Booklets

- 1617 Selection with 1929 3s. ed. 171, 1935 2s. (3, ed. 300, 303 and 304) and 3s. (2, ed. 294 and 297) also 1938 (Jan.) 6d. (2) and (Feb.) (pink covers) 6d. (2) and a Q.E.II pre-decimal selection, mainly fine. (approx. 100) **£100-£120**
- 1618 B 1934 3s. booklet edition 285, mixed perfs., minor faults to back cover, otherwise fine. S.G. BB26, cat. £650. **£80-£100**

King Edward VIII



- 1619 E 1936 (Sept.) Coronation 1½d. imperforate essays in green, red, brown and blue, mounted on card, design type H, fine. Photo. **£1,000-£1,500**



- 1620 E - 1½d. imperforate essays in green, red, brown and blue, mounted on card, design type L, fine. Photo. **£1,000-£1,500**



- 1621 P ½d. green, 1d. scarlet and 1½d. red-brown imprimatur pairs watermark inverted, "BPMA" handstamp on gum, fine with full gum. S.G. Spec. P1, cat. £15,500. Photo. **£1,200-£1,500**

King George VI



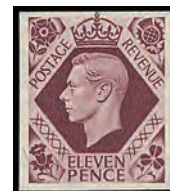
Ex 1624



Ex 1634



Ex 1635



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- 1622** A specialised mainly mint many unmounted collection written up in four boxed albums, 1937 to 1951, incl. cylinder blocks of six, plate flaws and varieties, coil leaders, coil joins, watermark varieties, booklet panes, offsets, perforation errors, 1939-48 Arms sets (2) mint, varieties and blocks (some used) and 10s. dark blue broken stem unmounted mint, 1937 Waterlow essays (7), 1946 Victory 2½d. essay inscribed "BRITISH COMMONWEALTH/OF FREE NATIONS", several covers etc., fine. (many 100s) **£300-£400**
- 1623** An unmounted mint selection on stock leaves, incl. 1939-47 Arms sets (5) with additional 10s. dark blue (2), 10s. ultramarine (14) and £1 (10), 1948 Silver Wedding sets (7) with blocks of four, 1951 Festival pairs set etc., some with toned gum, otherwise fine and fresh colours. (113) **£300-£400**
- 1624** A selection of Harrison and Sons, Ltd. presentation cards, comprising 1946 Victory pairs set, 1948 Silver Wedding 2½d. pair and 2½d. pair with £1, 1948 Olympics set, 1951 Festival low values pairs set and high values set. (6) Photo. **£250-£300**
- 1625** A mint and used accumulation in a stockbook, incl. various plate flaws, 1939-48 Arms set mint, control singles and strips, booklet panes etc., varied condition. (100s) **£200-£250**
- 1626** A mint many unmounted selection on stock cards, incl. plate flaws within blocks, coil leaders, coil joins, booklet panes, 1937-47 6d. strip of four with partial omission of printed image at top probably due to paper join and 8d. block of six with paper join, 1939-48 10s. dark blue with retouched medallion, 1951 £1 with re-entry in "DIEU" etc., mainly fine. (68 items) **£200-£250**
- 1627** A mint many unmounted collection of definitives written up in four albums, incl. mainly controls with identified cylinders with singles, pairs and blocks, also some watermark varieties, booklet panes, plate flaws etc., mainly good to fine. (many 100s) **£150-£200**
- 1628** An accumulation of definitive controls and cylinder numbers in three stockbooks, mint many unmounted, incl. some singles and pairs but mainly blocks of six, mainly good to fine. (many 100s) **£120-£150**
- 1629** A mainly mint collection on leaves, incl. blocks, controls, watermark varieties, 1929-48 Arms set mint, 10s. dark blue corner pair with retouched medallion [R. 4/1] mint and £1 block of four used, 1948 Silver Wedding £1 block of four used etc., mainly good to fine. (100s) **£100-£150**
- 1630** A mint (many unmounted) collection on leaves, incl. 1939-48 Arms and 1951 Festival sets, watermark varieties, cylinder numbers, plate flaws, Channel Is. etc., fine. (approx. 265) **£100-£120**
- 1631** A complete mint (some unmounted) collection on leaves, incl. 1939-48 Arms set, 1951 set unmounted, watermark sideways varieties etc., mainly fine. (70) **£80-£100**



- 1632 P **Proofs. 1937 Coronation** 1½d. imperforate left marginal from the single sheet (no. 251606) produced on gummed, wmk upright paper and with National Postal Museum "IMPRIMATUR" underprint, very scarce and fine with issued stamp. S.G. Spec., cat. £4,000. (2) Photo. **£600-£700**
- 1633 B Unmounted sheet (folded) collection incl. 1937 Coronation (3), 1942 2s.6d. yellow-green, 1946 Peace set, 1948 Olympic Games set, 1948 Silver Wedding 2½d., 1949 U.P.U. set, 1951 Festival of Britain set, mainly fine. **£100-£120**
- 1634 ★ E **1937-47** a selection of unofficial "WAR-TAX" surcharge essays in red or in black prepared in 1940 by Tom Todd and Hugh Valancy, fine mint. (9) Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1635 E - A selection of unofficial "WAR-TAX" surcharge imperf. proofs in red and in black on ungummed laid papers prepared in 1940 by Tom Todd and Hugh Valancy, fine and scarce. (10) Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1636 P - 11d. plum imperforate imprimatur, unmounted mint with "NPM/IMPRIMATUR" handstamp on gum, very fine and rare. S.G. 474a, cat. £6,500 for pair. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1637 S **1939-48** 2s.6d. brown, 2s.6d. yellow-green, 5s. red and 10s. dark blue all in horizontal strips of three overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 23 affixed to two ledger pieces and 1941-42 lighter colours ½d., 1d., 2d., 2½d. and 3d. in horizontal (2d. vertical) strips of three, affixed to two ledgers from the U.P.U. Specimen Archives of the Mauritania Post Office, all cancelled by three line "SPECIMEN/COLLECTION/MAURITANIE" in red, unique. The lower denominations with R.P.S. certificate (2025). Photo on page 238. **£300-£350**
- 1638 ☆ - 2s.6d. to £1 set, unmounted mint, £1 yellowish gum otherwise fine and fresh. (6) S.G. 476-478c, S.G. £425. **£80-£100**



- 1639 ✉ - 1939 (Sept.) 2s.6d. brown used on large registered first day cover. Photo. **£100-£150**
- 1640 ☆ B - 2s.6d. brown complete unmounted mint sheet of 40, folded through central vertical perfs., showing mark in shield [R. 1/7] variety, scarce. S.G. 476, 476a, cat. £4,090+. Photo. **£900-£1,000**

King George VI continued



– Ex 1641 –



Ex 1637

- 1641 S 1942 (ca.) ½d., 2d., 1½d. and 2d. diagonally overprinted in green “AMOSTRA” with gum and prepared for supply to Portuguese Colonial Postal Administrations, believed to be Angola in this instance, fine, very rare. R.P.S. certificate (2025). (4) Photo. **£100-£120**



- 1642 P 1946 Victory 2½d. and 3d. imperforate imprimaturs, marginal examples with full gum and “BPMA” handstamps on reverse, very fine and rare. Cat. £7,500. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 1643 - Collection in very large carton incl. Harrison and Sons Official Presentation Card with vertical pairs affixed, in mint sheets with 2½d. cylinder 4, 7 (2), 9, 10 (overprinted “TANGIER”), 15 and 17 and 3d. cylinders 2 (5, one overprinted “TANGIER”), 4 (5), 5 (3), duplicated mint cylinder blocks, strips, pairs and singles for 2½d. incl. ‘3’ (incl. a marginal block of eighteen with double perforations). ‘4’, ‘7’, ‘8’, ‘9’, ‘10’, ‘11’, ‘12’, ‘13’ (two blocks of six, dot and no dot) ‘15’ and ‘17’ and 3d. ‘2’, ‘4’ (one showing cracked plate) and ‘5’ (shiny ink), 3d. mint blocks showing various listed and unlisted flaws and their positions incl. broken branch, dotted semi circle, seven berries also a set overprinted “SPECIMEN”, 3d. corner block of four overprinted “CANCELLED”, first days covers as sets and individual solo and block of four frankings, on 1946 Henley-on-Thames Regatta Mobile P.O. and 1952 Chelsea Flower Show, overprinted “TANGIER” incl. first day covers also June 8 official Programme of Victory Celebration Programme, official printed card from the King to schoolchildren etc. also some earlier and later G.B. covers. (many 100s) **£250-£300**
- 1644 ☼ 1948 Silver Wedding £1 sheet of twenty with cylinder “1” no dot, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 494. cat. £800+. **£150-£200**
- 1645 ☼ 1948 - £1 sheet of twenty with cylinder “1” dot, unmounted mint, a few light bends, otherwise fine. S.G. 494, cat. £800+. **£120-£150**



- 1646 E 1949 U.P.U. photographic proof of the accepted 2½d. design but with 6d. values in the corners, mounted on card (112 x 92mm) with manuscript notes “Bromide of trial with different corner devices” on reverse, also hand painted essay (55 x 35 mm) of unadopted 6d. design by Enid Marx. (2) Photo. **£150-£200**



- 1647 P 1949 U.P.U. 2½d. to 1s. set of imperforate imprimaturs, with full gum and “NPM/IMPRIMATUR” handstamps on reverse, very fine and rare. (4) Cat. £15,000. Photo. £800-£1,000

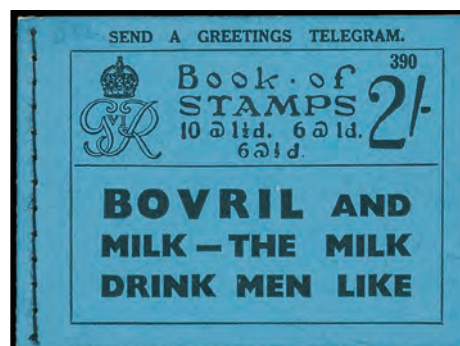
- 1648 1951 Festival, a letter from the designer Edmund Dulac regarding the colour of the issue, to Mr. Rhodes, manager of Harrisons and Sons, with colour samples for both stamps, also the issued mint stamps. £100-£150



- 1649 S - 2s.6d. to £1 set overprinted “SPECIMEN” type 30, with gum, 2s.6d., 5s. and 10s. with slight thins otherwise fine and very rare. Philatelic Expertising certificate (1994). (4) S.G. 509s-512s, S.G. Spec. Q35s-Q38s, cat. £4,000. Photo. £300-£400



1650



1651

- 1650 ★ - 2½d. marginal signed by the designer, Edmund Dulac, unmounted mint, fine. S.G. 513. Photo. £80-£100
- 1651 B **Booklets and Booklet Panes:** 1937 2s. booklet edition 390 with advert labels number 8, mixed perfs., otherwise fine and rare. S.G. BD11, cat. £1,100. Photo. £150-£200
- 1652 B Collection incl. 1938 (Feb.) 6d. (rear cover detached), 1943 (Sept.) 5s. (interleaved), 1947 and 1951 1s. booklets, 1950 (July) 2s.6d. and 1953 (Jan.) 5s. also a selection of 1950 (June-Nov.) coil strips and leaders for 1½d. and 4d. and early Q.E.II issues and 1937-47 1d. study incl. cylinder blocks, coil leaders, 1938 (Nov.) booklet pane of six, 1940 (June) booklet pane of four also some later booklets and aerogrammes. (few 100s) £150-£200

Queen Elizabeth II

Collections and Mixed Lots

1653	A collection of commemorative presentation packs and mini sheets from 2005 to 2022. Face Value £5,000+. (100s)	£1,500-£2,000
1654	A collection of commemorative presentation packs from 2003 to 2024. Face Value £3,500+. (100s)	£1,000-£1,200
1655	A comprehensive collection of presentation packs in nine albums, 2002 to 2025 almost complete for commemorative issues, also some post and go etc., very fine. Face value £4,500+. (100s packs)	£900-£1,100
1656	A comprehensive collection in seven Lindner albums, 1971 to 2019 almost complete, incl. commemoratives, miniature sheets, definitives to £10, regionals, greetings etc., very fine. Face value £4,500+. (1,000s)	£900-£1,100
1657	A mint collection in six Windsor albums, 1970 to 2020 virtually complete, incl. miniature sheets, self-adhesives, Olympic and Paralympic Gold Medal Winners, also some definitives, Christmas booklets, post & go, greetings, 2010 Accession miniature sheets uncut sheets unmounted etc. Face value £5,000+. (few 1,000s)	£800-£900
1658	A complete run of year books from 1984 to 2025, very fine. Face value £4,000+. (42)	£800-£1,000
1659	A comprehensive collection of presentation packs in fourteen albums, 1980 to 2024 almost complete incl. commemoratives, definitives, regionals, greetings etc., fine. Face value £4,500+. (many 100s)	£800-£1,000
1660	An unmounted mint accumulation of mainly modern decimal commemoratives with issues to 2025 with many in large blocks (many 100s)	£800-£1,000
1661	A collection of commemorative presentation packs from 2005 to 2026. Face Value £3,250+. (100s)	£800-£900
1662	A collection of commemorative presentation packs from 2008 to 2022. Face Value £3,000+. (100s)	£800-£900
1663	A collection of commemorative presentation packs, mini sheets, and smiler sheets from 2000 to 2026. Face Value £2,700+. (100s)	£800-£900
1664	A collection of commemorative presentation packs from 2003 to 2021. Face Value £2,500+. (100s)	£700-£800
1665	A collection of Smiler sheets in two albums. (104 sheets)	£600-£700
1666	A collection of mainly 1st class Post and Go Labels. Face Value £2,000+. (100s)	£600-£700
1667	An accumulation of presentation packs and sheets from 1971 to 2024. Face Value £2,400+. (100s)	£600-£700
1668	An unmounted mint accumulation of high values (£1 and higher) definitives mainly in plate, cylinder and imprint corner blocks of four and six, incl. Machins, Castles and £10 Britannia, very fine. Face value £2,200+. (100s)	£600-£700
1669	A comprehensive unmounted mint collection in four stockbooks, 1971 to 2003 almost complete with additional cylinder and traffic lights blocks of six etc., very fine. Huge face value. (1,000s)	£600-£700
1670	A collection of commemorative presentation packs and mini sheets from 1983 to 2020. Face Value £2,500+. (100s)	£500-£600
1671	A large selection of commemorative presentation packs from 1960s to 2020s. Face Value £2,500+. (100s)	£500-£600
1672	A comprehensive unmounted mint collection in seven Stanley Gibbons Davo albums, 1971 to 2020 almost complete, incl. commemoratives, Machins, Castles, Greetings, £10 Britannia, regionals, miniature sheets, self-adhesives, Post & Go, 2012 Olympic and Paralympic Gold Medal Winners sheetlets sets etc., fine. (1,000s)	£500-£600
1673	A collection of definitive presentation packs and issues from 2002 to 2020. Face Value £1,800+. (100s)	£450-£500
1674	A comprehensive collection in Lindner album and stockbook, 2020 to 2025 almost complete, incl. commemoratives, miniature sheets, definitives, regionals etc., very fine. Face value £1,750+. (100s)	£400-£450

1675	1984 to 2023 Year books complete. (40)	£400-£500
1676	A collection of prestige packs from 1980s to 2020s. (approx. 200 packs)	£400-£500
1677	Approximately 1,000 unmounted mint 1st class modern commemorative issues with many in blocks.	£400-£450
1678	Approximately 1,000 unmounted mint 1st class modern commemorative issues with many in blocks.	£400-£450
1679	Approximately 1,000 unmounted mint 1st class modern commemorative issues with many in blocks.	£400-£450
1680	A duplicated accumulation of mainly modern commemorative presentation packs to 2025, some with additional items enclosed. (100s)	£400-£500
1681	An unmounted mint accumulation of decimal issues in a stockbook and loose on stockcards with both definitive and commemorative issues to 2025 with later commemoratives duplicated, also some greetings booklets, etc. (100s)	£400-£500
1682	A collection of 31 year books from 1985 to 2025 (2020 and 2023 books without stamps).	£350-£400
1683	An accumulation of barcode definitive and commemorative issues. Face Value £1,000+. (100s)	£350-£400
1684	A slightly duplicated collection of year packs from 1980s to 2024. Face Value £1,500+.	£350-£400
1685	A collection of mostly 1st class Machin booklets. (179 booklets)	£300-£350
1686	A collection of self-adhesive Machins in blocks and complete sheets with the majority being of first class value and above. (100s)	£300-£400
1687	1970 to 2024 mint decimal issues accumulation in two cartons incl. binders, stockbooks, albums and loose in a range of formats incl. booklet panes, booklets, blocks, sets, sheets, presentation packs, miniature sheets, bar-coded issues etc. with considerable 1st and 2nd class issues. (few 1,000s)	£300-£350
1688	A comprehensive unmounted mint collection in two albums, 2016 to 2023, incl. commemoratives, miniature sheets, definitives, regionals etc., fine. (100s)	£300-£350
1689	A comprehensive unmounted mint collection of commemorative issues in four albums, 1971 to 2013, incl. miniature sheets, 1970-72 £1 imperf. pair, 2012 Olympic Gold Medals sheets of six set, Castles, £10 Britannia etc., fine. (many 100s)	£300-£350
1690	An unmounted mint accumulation in a carton, 1970s to 2000s, incl. definitive booklets with many 1st and 2nd class, Greetings booklets, presentation packs, 1st and 2nd class stamps in blocks etc., fine. Face value £2,000+. (100s)	£300-£350
1691	An unmounted mint collection on stock cards, 2021 to 2022, incl. complete commemoratives with miniature sheets, prestige booklets, barcoded definitives to £5, Christmas booklets, 1st class stamps booklets of six with commemoratives etc., very fine. Face value £1,000. (few 100s)	£250-£300
1692	An unmounted mint accumulation in a carton, 1980s to 2010s, incl. definitive, Greetings, Post and Go and regionals presentation packs, miniature sheets, Castles gutter pairs, Christmas stamps sheets, year books, 2012 Paralympic Gold Medals Winners sheets set etc., fine. Huge face value. (100s)	£250-£300
1693	Mint, mainly unmounted, extensive collection in two cartons in binders, albums and loose incl. N.V.I, booklets, Machins, Commemoratives, miniature sheets, blocks, gutter pairs, etc. (few 1,000s)	£250-£300
1694	Mainly unmounted mint collections with some specialisation and covers in nine albums, incl. Wildings with cylinder blocks, booklet panes, Harrison and Sons presentation card with 1½d. and 2½d., 1959 phosphor-graphite blocks of six set, f.d.c's, 1967-70 Machins with 4d. corner block of six with perf. error due to paper fold, 10d. uncoated paper, 1969 to 1987 high values Machins with 1970-72 imperf. pair, 1977 £2 imperf. plate proof, covers and parcel tags, 1993 Britannia £10 block of four, 2002 to 2012 Machins with cylinder blocks, business sheet headers and booklets, Postage Dues 1980s covers, booklets in two albums etc., fine. (many 100s)	£250-£300

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- 1695** A comprehensive used collection in ten albums, 1952 to 2023 virtually complete, incl. Wildings with watermark varieties, Castles with all printings, phosphors, decimal issues with miniature sheets, prestige booklet panes, self-adhesives, se-tenants, Machins, regionals etc., fine. (many 1,000s) **£250-£300**
- 1696** An unmounted mint accumulation of decimal issues with commemorative sets in blocks, Smiler sheets, booklets, presentation and souvenir packs, Post and Go printing errors, 2012 Olympic God Medal Winners two collections with errors, etc. (100s) **£250-£300**
- 1697** A large collection of definitive presentation packs in four boxes from 1970s to 2000s. Face Value £1,100+. (100s) **£250-£300**
- 1698** A comprehensive mainly mint collection of definitives in four Windsor albums, 1970 to 2020, incl. Machins, regionals, Castles, £10 Britannia (3), some used, also mainly 2010s unmounted mint issues on stock cards with many booklets, 2012 set of covers with Olympic 50p. coins, stockbook with various issues, world collection in album, etc. (1,000s) **£200-£250**
- 1699** An accumulation of prestige booklets, some incomplete and panes (100 booklets) **£200-£250**
- 1700** A collection of mainly 1st class Machin books of six booklets in an album (approx. 150 booklets) **£200-£250**
- 1701** A Q.E.II decimal collection in eleven albums with mainly both unmounted mint and used examples, incl. highly complete commemoratives and definitives from 1971 to about 2007, then mainly definitives to 2024, regionals, post and go labels etc., fine. (1,000s) **£200-£250**
- 1702** A mint (many unmounted) Q.E.II collection written up in two albums, 1952 to 1970, incl. Wildings with watermark and phosphor types, blocks, watermark varieties, booklet panes, 1955-58 Castles both sets unmounted, 1958-65 3d. tête-bêche pair, 1958-61 3d. with three graphite lines and 1959 2d. watermark error unmounted, 1959-68 De La Rue set and later printings with blocks, commemoratives with blocks, phosphors, varieties and some used issues etc., mainly fine. (many 100s) **£180-£200**
- 1703** An unmounted mint collection from 1984 to 1998 of commemorative issues in control blocks of six in five stockbooks. (100s) **£150-£200**
- 1704** A collection of self-adhesive barcoded definitives in an album with values up to £4.20. (few 100s) **£150-£200**
- 1705** Unmounted mint ranges on stock leaves, 1970s to 2010s, incl. commemorative sets, miniature sheets, booklets with Greetings, Machins to £5, Castles etc., fine. High face value. (100s) **£150-£200**
- 1706** An unmounted mint selection on stock cards, incl. Machins 1971-96 3p. pair imperf. between, 5½p. block of four imperf. at top, 20p. misperf. pair, 2nd class imperf. pair, Regionals Scotland 1999-2002 2nd class and E colour trials, Wales 1958-67 9d. phosphor omitted, 1967-69 1s.6d. corner block of four with perf. error due to fold, 1971-93 2½p. imperf. pair, 17p. type II block of four, various cylinder blocks, also a few earlier items with 1903 3d. stationery piece with K.E.VII 5d. and 1s. and U.S.A. special delivery 10c. tied by Dumfermline c.d.s's, 1938 2s. booklet (faults), 1945 "Comite Consultatif International Telephonique" presentation folder with current G.B. stamps etc., fine. **£150-£200**
- 1707** A mint mainly unmounted pre-decimal collection written up in an album, 1952 to 1970 virtually complete, incl. Wildings all sets and watermark varieties, Castles all printings, commemoratives with phosphors, varieties and printing flaws, postage dues, regionals etc., fine. (100s) **£150-£200**
- 1708** An unmounted mint selection, incl. 1966 Birds 4d. se-tenant block of four with bistre omitted, 1967-70 Machins to 1s.6d. with phosphor omitted, 1971-96 Machins 1½p. and 6p. with phosphor omitted, 2003 £2 horizontal pair one with "E" omitted, etc. (34) **£150-£200**
- 1709** A mainly fine unmounted mint selection of varieties incl. 1952-54 1½d. upper left corner block of 8 (2 x 4) with paper join affecting the upper 4 stamps with two being on completely double thickness paper, 1965 Churchill ordinary 4d. and 1s.3d. with watermarks inverted, 1971-96 Machin 7p. and 12½p. imperf. pairs (S.G. X875a & X898a), 9p. (S.G. X883) upper right corner block of six with the upper right stamp partially imperforate due to paper fold. (13 items) **£150-£200**

- 1710** Pre-decimal collection in two cartons in binders, albums and loose incl. mint in marginal blocks and identified varieties of gum, phosphor, paper, traffic lights, dot controls, a few Wilding Castles in plate blocks and position. P.O. training School stamps also used loose sorted by issue in envelopes, etc. (few 1,000s) Photo. **£120-£140**
- 1711** A complete fine mint (some unmounted) collection on leaves, 1952 to 1970, incl. Wildings with watermark sideways varieties, 1959 2½d. watermark error unmounted, Castles all printings sets, commemoratives with phosphors, regionals etc. (100s) **£120-£150**
- 1712** An unmounted mint collection of commemorative sets in corner cylinder blocks of six in two stockbooks, fine. Face value £1,052. (1,000s) **£120-£150**
- 1713** A mint mainly unmounted and used collection in album, 1952 to 1970, incl. Wildings with watermark varieties and phosphor types, Castles 1955-58 Waterlow and De La Rue and 1959-68 De La Rue sets unmounted mint etc., fine. (many 100s) **£100-£120**
- 1714** An unmounted mint collection in three albums, incl. 1971 to 1990 and 2000 to 2012 commemorative issues, Castles, extensive Machins etc., fine. (many 100s) **£100-£150**
- 1715** A large collection written up in 23 albums, 1952 to 2000, mint later unmounted and used, incl. Wildings with types, watermark varieties, coil joins and leaders, booklet panes, plate flaws, 1½d. corner block of eight and 2½d. corner block of four with perf. errors due to paper folds, Castles 1955-58 Waterlow mint and 1959-68 De La Rue unmounted mint sets, commemoratives with varieties, cylinder blocks, definitives, f.d.c's with several "SPECIMEN" envelopes and with prestige booklet panes issues to 2014, booklets incl. samples, postage labels, regionals etc. (1,000s) **£100-£150**
- 1716** A mainly Q.E.II accumulation in six stockbooks, album and loose, incl. 1996 Birds 4d. used on cover with machine cancellation of Derby dated 23 July which is sixteen days before official issue, booklets with Machins, Prestige, Cylinder blocks, etc. (1,000s) **£100-£150**
- 1717** A mint and used collection in two albums, incl. commemoratives with better phosphors mint, postage dues with 1954-55 set mint, etc. (100s) **£100-£150**
- 1718** A mint accumulation from 1971 to 2022 in small carton with values to £5 incl. machins, commemoratives, booklets, prestige booklets, presentation packs, a few limited edition coin covers, etc. (few 100s) **£100-£120**
- 1719** Approximately 535 unmounted mint 2nd class modern commemorative issues with many in blocks. **£100-£120**
- 1720** Selection in small carton with 1963 Red Cross phosphor set mint, 1972-77 10p. booklets (10), 1971-74 Presentation packs, 1978 Coronation, Buildings, Cycling and Horses PHQ card sets also 1974 Knights and 1975 Trains with each card affixed with corresponding stamp stockbook with Q.V. to Q.E.II mint and used and a f.d.c. selection incl. 1967 (June 5) and 1968 (July 1) Machin issues on illustrated covers with Windsor datestamps, unlisted by Booth, etc. (few 100s) **£100-£120**
- 1721** Collection in four binders in carton incl. 1953-88 mint incl. with many in blocks of six with 1960 3d. G.P.O. with broken mane variety, 1963 Red Cross phosphor set, 1966 5d. ship grey omitted mint, 1969 5d. St. Giles Cathedral missing green, also Jersey, Guernsey and I.O.M. mint collections. (many 100s) **£100-£120**
- 1722** A mainly Q.E.II accumulation in four cartons, incl. Machins, Wildings blocks unmounted mint, presentation packs with 1964 Geographical (3), Botanical (3) and Forth Road Bridge (3), 1960 phosphor-graphite issues pack inscribed 3s.8d. (unopened), German packs, private issues, special packs, modern f.d.c's, post office school bars overprints etc., mainly fine. (1,000s) **£100-£120**
- 1723** An unmounted mint accumulation in a small carton, 1990s to 2010s, fine. (100s) **£100-£120**
- 1724** A complete run of year books from 1984 to 2002, fine. Face value £380+. (19) **£80-£100**
- 1725** An accumulation in two albums, incl. 1952-54 set and later issues unmounted mint with Post & Go presentation packs, coin covers with 2015 £20 silver coin, f.d.c's, railway and R.A.F. covers, also 1937 Coronation (mounted), 1946 Victory and 1953 Coronation omnibus collections unmounted mint etc., fine. (100s) **£60-£80**

Later First Day and Signed Covers

- 1726 ☒ R.A.F. Museum 1971 NATO Air Show cover signed Barnes Wallis also 2003 Extreme Endeavours f.d.c. signed Edmund Hilary and seven other commemorative covers all with sterling silver coins. **£120-£150**
- 1727 ☒ A duplicated accumulation of mainly illustrated first day covers with commemorative and definitive issues to 2025 in eight albums and loose contained in four cartons with special handstamps, booklet panes, also some special event covers with some signed, etc. (many 100s) **£200-£300**
- 1728 ☒ A comprehensive collection in 47 albums, 1967 to 2025 almost complete, incl. commemoratives, definitives, miniature sheet, prestige booklet panes, regionals, booklet panes, self-adhesives, 2012 Olympic and Paralympic Gold Medal Winners sheets sets etc., fine. (few 1,000s) **£150-£200**
- 1729 ☒ A collection of mainly illustrated first day covers in thirteen albums and loose with Post Office Bureau issues to 2026, some Australian f.d.c's, etc. (many 100s) **£150-£200**
- 1730 ☒ Selection in small carton incl. 1937 (May 10) K.G.VI ½d., 1d. and 2½d., 1940 Stamp Centenary, 1946 Peace, 1948 (Apr. 26) Royal Silver Wedding (2, one with £1 marginal), 1948 Olympic Games, 1952 (Dec. 5) 1½d. and 2½d. Wilding (separate covers), etc. (approx. 100) **£100-£120**



1732



1735

Wildings

- 1731 ☛ A specialised unmounted mint collection written up in two albums, 1952 to 1960, incl. all sets with watermark varieties, phosphor and graphite lines types, coil strips, joins and leaders, booklet stamps and panes, cylinder blocks, 1958-61 3d. misplaced graphite lines (two lines at left clear of perfs.) and 3d. three graphite lines, 1959 presentation pack and 2d. watermark error, regionals etc., fine. (100s) **£250-£300**
- 1732 ☛ 1958-65 **Watermark multiple crowns** 4d. deep ultramarine on white paper, upper marginal block of four with the top pair imperf. between stamp and top margin variety, fine unmounted mint. S.G. Spec. S85c, cat. £700+. Photo. **£150-£200**



- 1733 ☛ 1959 **phosphor-graphite** ½d., 1d., 1½d., 2d., 3d. and 4½d. perf. 15 x 14 imprimaturs, fine unmounted mint with "NPM/IMPRIMATUR" handstamps on back, rare. (6) S.G. 599-605, 607, 609. Photo. **£300-£350**
- 1734 1960 presentation packs with eighteen values inscribed 10s.6d. for sale in the U.K. and \$1.80 for sale in the U.S.A. and 1960 presentation packs with sixteen values inscribed 3s.8d. for the sale in the U.K. and 50c. for the sale in the U.S.A. (4), all opened. S.G. Spec. SPP1(a), (b), SPP2(a), (b), cat. £1,150. **£100-£120**
- 1735 ☛ 1960-67 6d. deep claret on whiter paper, marginal block of four, unmounted mint, the two blue phosphor bands applied typographically, scarce. S.G. S111a, cat. £1,600. Copy of R.P.S. certificate (2023) when in block of six. Photo. **£400-£500**

- 1736 ★ ㊞ **Booklet Panes:** 1958-65 watermark multiple crowns 2d. light red-brown pane of six watermark inverted, perf. type I, unmounted mint, some soiling in selvage and trimmed perfs. at the bottom, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. SB79a, cat. £900. **£100-£120**

- 1737 B **Booklets:** 1959 (Sept.) 3s. graphite lined booklet (2) one with inverted watermarks, others all upright, contains S.G. 589l and 589 Wi, also 1961 (Mar.) 5s. booklet, mixed perfs., fine. S.G. M14g, H49. **£200-£250**

1955 – 68 Castles

- 1738 A specialised mainly unmounted mint collection with commercial covers written up in album, incl. 1955 bromide of unadopted design ex Farrer-Bell archive, 1955-58 Waterlow singles and blocks of four (2) sets, De La Rue blocks of four set, 1959-68 De La Rue blocks of four sets (2), 5s. with pre-print paper fold, Bradbury 2s.6d. block of four with confetti flaw, £1 with pre-print paper fold, 1960 presentation pack, various plate numbers blocks etc., fine. **£600-£800**



- 1739 P 1955 Waterlow 2s.6d. to £1 set of imperf. imprimaturs, fine with gum, mainly unmounted (£1 mounted), with "BPMA" handstamps on reverse, R.P.S. certificates (2018), very rare. (4) S.G. 536-539, cat. £8,800. Photo. **£1,000-£1,200**



- 1740 - 2s.6d. to £1 set affixed to Waterlow & Sons Ltd. presentation card. S.G. 536-539. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1741 P **1958 De La Rue** 2s.6d. to £1 set of colour matching proofs from registration sheets handstamped "CANCELLED" (24 x 3mm) in violet, from the De La Rue archives, fine with full gum (unmounted) left marginal examples, placed on the market in 1990. (4) S.G. Spec footnote, cat. £950. Photo on page 246. **£250-£300**
- 1742 ★ - 2s.6d. to £1 set, fine unmounted mint, R.P.S. certificate (1989) for each. (4) S.G. 536a-539a, cat. £600. **£120-£150**
- 1743 ★ - 2s.6d. to £1 set, fine unmounted mint. (4) S.G. 536a-539a, cat. £600. **£100-£120**
- 1744 ★ **1959 De La Rue** 2s.6d. to £1 set in 1960 presentation pack, priced at £1.18s. for sale at the 1960 Stamp Exhibition in Festival Hall, opened but very rare. S.G. Spec. TPP1(c), cat. S.G. £1,400. Photo. **£200-£250**

1955 – 68 Castles continued



Ex 1741



1745

- 1745 ★ 1959 De La Rue 2s.6d. black-brown showing complete offset on reverse, fine unmounted mint. *Approx. 90 known.* S.G. 595 var., EC F88OFa. Photo. **£100-£120**

- 1746 ★ 1963 Bradbury Wilkinson 2s.6d. to £1 set in complete unmounted mint sheets of 40, fine. S.G. 595a-598a, cat. £600+. **£120-£150**



- 1747 ★ - 2s.6d. black-brown watermark inverted variety, fine mint (stamp unmounted) upper left corner example, very rare. *Around five mint examples known.* S.G. 595aWi, cat. £3,000. Photo. **£800-£900**

- 1748 ★ 1963 Bradbury Wilkinson £1 black plate 1A complete unmounted mint sheet of 40, fine. S.G. 598a, cat. £520+. **£100-£120**

Queen Elizabeth II Commemoratives



1750



1749



1751

- 1749 ★ 1961 Post Office Saving Bank (Timson) 3d. variety orange-brown omitted (minor traces still visible) in pair with normal, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 624Aa, cat. £400+. Photo. **£120-£150**

- 1750 P 1963 Paris Postal Conference (ordinary) 6d. imperforate imprimatur single, with "N/P/IMPRIMATUR" handstamp on gum, fine with full gum. Ex NPM archive sale. S.G. Spec. W31, cat. £1,000. Photo. **£120-£150**

- 1751 ★ 1964 Forth Road Bridge (ordinary) 6d. variety black printed double, fine unmounted mint, very rare with normal stamp for comparison. Ex Chartwell collection. *Around twelve known examples.* S.G. 660 var. Photo. **£100-£120**



- 1752 田 P 1965 Salvation Army (ordinary) 3d. and 1s.6d. in imperforate imprimatur blocks of four with “N/P/IMPRIMATUR” handstamps on gum from the first series of sales, very fine with full gum. Photo.

£800-£1,000



- 1753 P 1966 Burns 4d. and 1s.3d. (ordinary) marginal imperf. imprimaturs, fine with full gum and “N/P/IMPRIMATUR” handstamps on reverse, scarce. Cat. £2,000. Photo.

£250-£300



- 1754 P 1966 Westminster Abbey 3d. and 2s.6d. (ordinary) marginal imperf. imprimaturs, fine with gum, unmounted, with “BPMA” handstamps on reverse, scarce. Cat. £2,500. Photo.

£300-£350



- 1759 ★ 1969 Cathedrals 1s.6d. variety black (value) omitted, in an unmounted mint upper right corner traffic light block of six with the black dot missing, fine unmounted mint, some toning on gum, a very rare positional multiple. S.G. 801a, cat. £9,000+, EC GBR1602MCa. Around 42 known (although many are damaged). Photo. £3,000-£4,000
- 1760 ★ 1971 Christmas 7½p. variety lilac omitted, fine unmounted mint, with normal for comparison, very scarce. 24 known. S.G. 896b, cat. £900. Photo. £250-£300
- 1761 ★ 1973 Explorers 9p. variety brown-grey printing double, fine unmounted mint, with normal for comparison. S.G. 927b, cat. from £300. £80-£100
- 1762 ★ 1973 Christmas 3½p. grey-black almost completely omitted (only king's hair visible) in pair with normal, 3½p. salmon-pink omitted, 3½p. blue omitted, 3½p. rosy mauve omitted and 3½p. bright rose-red omitted, fine unmounted mint. (6) S.G. 948b, 948c, 948d, 948e, 948g, cat. £775+. £150-£200
- 1763 1984 Christmas, a collection of artist's drawings, f.d.c.'s, PHQ cards, photos, negatives, set in corner blocks of nine, booklets etc., mainly signed by the designer A.Y. Gilbert, fine. (approx. 100 items) S.G. 1267-1271. £80-£100



Ex 1757



1758



1760



1764

- 1764 ★ 1998 Comedians 26p. variety black printed double and vermillion printed triple, fine unmounted mint right marginal example, very rare. Ten examples known. S.G. 2042c, cat. £1,000. Photo. £250-£300

Queen Elizabeth II Commemoratives continued



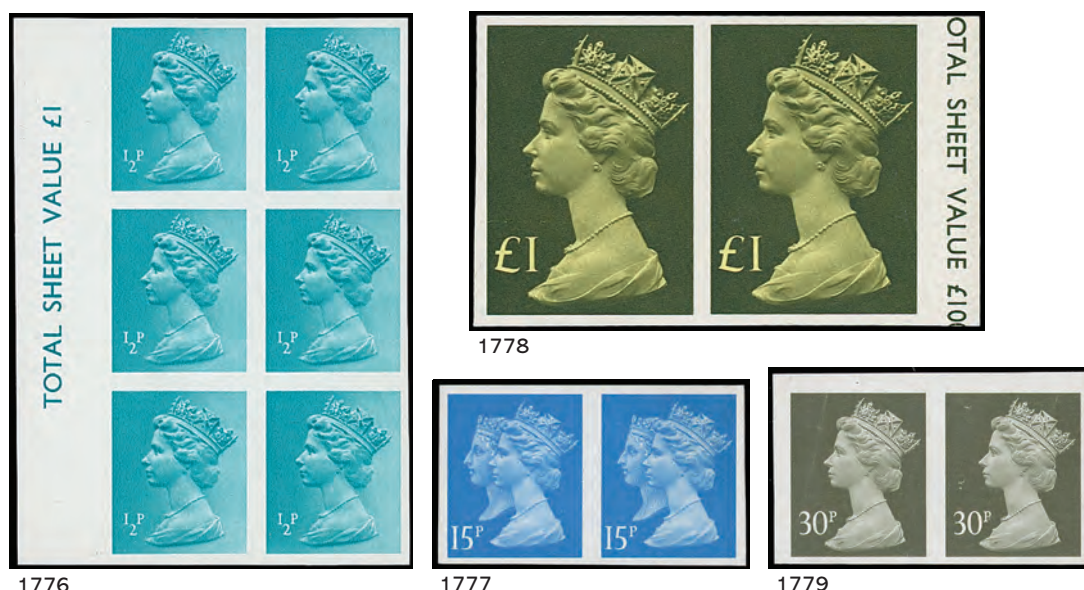
- 1765 ☆ 2003 **Birds of Prey** se-tenant block of ten with margins on both sides, variety brownish grey and phosphor omitted, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 2327ab, cat. £1,600. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 1766 ☆ 2012 **Olympic and Paralympic Gold Medals Winners** sheetlets of six and two sets, unmounted mint, fine. (63) S.G. 3342a-3370a, 3372a-3405a, face value £435+. **£100-£120**
- 1767 ☆ 2012 **Olympic Gold Medal Winners** sheetlets of six and **Paralympic Gold Medals Winners** sheetlets of two sets, unmounted mint, fine. (63) S.G. 3342a-3370a, 3372a-3405a, face value £435+. **£100-£120**

Machins

- 1768 A collection of high value and largely self-adhesive Machins in an album. (100s) **£400-£500**
- 1769 A specialised unmounted mint collection in fifteen albums and stockbooks, 1967 to 2022, mainly identified, incl. various printings, types, perf., gum and phosphor types, varieties, shades, pairs, strips and blocks, booklet stamps and panes, marginal with imprints and cylinder numbers, regionals, coil leaders, 35p. imperf. pair, self-adhesives, training school bar overprints etc., fine. (1,000s) **£400-£500**
- 1770 ☆ An unmounted mint collection of cylinder blocks in four volumes, 1967 to 2000s, mainly identified, fine. (100s) **£100-£120**
- 1771 ★ B 1967-70 **Machin Booklets**: Duplicated accumulation of Machin booklets in very small carton incl. 2s. (3 x ½d. and 9 x 2½d. or 6 x 4d.), 4s.6d. (6 x 1d. and 12 x 4d.), 5s. (12 x 5d.), 6s. (18 x 4d.) and 10s. (14 x 1d. and 12 x 5d.), etc. (approx. 100) **£100-£120**

Decimal Machins

- 1772 ☆ An unmounted mint collection/accumulation in nine stockbooks, 1971 to early 2000s, incl. mainly cylinder blocks of four with various printings, varieties, coil strips, also some definitive, prestige and Greetings booklets etc., very fine. Face value £2,000+. (1,000s) **£350-£400**
- 1773 ☆ An unmounted mint accumulation of mainly Machin issues with values to £10 (3) incl. plate blocks, 1st and 2nd Class self-adhesive booklets, presentation packs, etc. (100s) **£300-£400**
- 1774 ○ Used or c.t.o. collection in 25 albums or stockbooks in three cartons incl. booklet panes, business sheets, regional issues, coils, se-tenant pairs, 1st and 2nd class and Special delivery self-adhesive types etc, the majority identified by Deegam cat. numbers. **£100-£120**
- 1775 ☆ An unmounted mint specialist's accumulation in a carton, incl. identified ranges in packets, booklet panes, coil strips, 1st class large blocks, some pre-decimal 4d. double perf. block of four, ephemera, cards with 1st class stamp etc., fine. (many 100s) **£100-£150**
- 1776 ☆ B 1971 ½p. left marginal block of six (2 x 3) imperforate, unmounted mint, very fine. S.G. X924a, cat. £360+. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1777 ☆ 1990 **150th Anniversary of Penny Black** photo Harrison 15p. imperf. pair, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 1467a, cat. £950. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1778 ☆ **High Values**: 1977-87 £1 bright yellow-green and blackish olive right marginal imperf. pair, unmounted mint, the left stamp with light crease otherwise fine and scarce. S.G. 1026a, cat. £1,700. Photo. **£200-£250**



- 1779 ☆ **1993-2017 Elliptical Perforation:** 30p. deep olive-grey two phosphor bands, variety imperf. pair, unmounted mint, light bends and minor surface rubbing, scarce. S.G. Y1694a, cat. £900. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1780 ☆ **1998-2001 Self-Adhesive NVI:** 2nd bright blue and 1st orange-red and self-adhesive perf. 14½ x 14 die-cut 'dagger' perfs., fine unmounted mint. S.G. 2039b, 2040b, cat. £450. **£100-£120**
- 1781 P **Special Delivery:** 2010 lower right corner imperf. proof pairs for up to 100g. and up to 500g. values, very fine. (4) S.G. U3051, U3052. **£100-£120**

Decimal Machins – Booklets

- 1782 B A specialised collection of folded booklets in eight albums, 1976 to 1989, all identified, incl. various types, printings, perfs., cylinders, rare types with 1978 Thatching 70p. selvedge at left (4) and Dry Stone Walling 70p. selvedge at left (9) some with cylinder numbers, 1978 Llangollen Canal 90p. selvedge at right (2), 1980 Bottle Kilns £1.20 missing pin variety, 1982 Castle Museum £1.25 cylinder B8, 1982 Edmund Dulac £1.43 reverse phosphor bands, 1983 LNER Mallard £1.25 cylinder B36, 1985 Blackpool £1.30 cylinder B7 etc., fine. (many 100s) **£500-£600**
- 1783 B **1978 Thatching** 70p. folded booklet with selvedge at left cylinder 11 no dot perf. type E2b, fine, rare. *Only two known.* MCC DB7(4) E2b cylinder 11. **£100-£150**
- 1784 B **1978-79 Farm Buildings in Scotland** 10p. folded booklet with printers paper join affecting three stamps and margin, fine. S.G. FA8 var. **£80-£100**
- 1785 B **Window Booklets:** A specialised collection written up in five albums, 1987 to 2000, incl. various printings, types, cylinders, columns, retail, worldwide and Europe booklets etc., fine. (100s) **£100-£150**
- 1786 B **Self-adhesive Booklets:** A specialised collection of self-adhesive booklets in four albums, 1993 to 2020, all identified with various types and printings, incl. Machin 1st and 2nd class, Large Letters, Worldwide, booklets of six with commemoratives, Christmas etc., fine. Face value £6,850+. (many 100s) **£1,000-£1,200**
- 1787 B **Prestige Booklets:** 1980 Wedgwood £3 booklet with 12p. pane DP40 with phosphor printed on both sides variety, fine and scarce. S.G. Spec. UEP5b, cat. £800. **£100-£120**
- 1788 B - 1980 Wedgwood £3 booklet with 12p. pane DP40 with phosphor printed on both sides variety, fine and scarce. S.G. Spec. UEP5b. **£100-£120**
- 1789 ☆ **Prestige Booklet Panes:** 1980 Wedgwood 2p. pane DP42 double perforated at top variety, unmounted mint, fine and scarce. **£100-£120**
- 1790 **Business Sheets:** An unmounted mint specialised collection of self-adhesive Machins business sheets headers on stock cards, 1998 to 2020, all identified, incl. 1st, 2nd and large letters stamps, also 1st (5) and 2nd (5) class stamps bottom panels of 24 with imprints or dates, fine. Face value £1,280+. (130 items) **£200-£250**

Decimal Machins – Business Sheets continued

- 1791 A selection of Business sheets fronts with four 1st or 2nd class stamps, unmounted mint, very fine. Face value £415+. (75 items) **£100-£120**
- 1792 A selection of self-adhesive Machin business sheets of 100, comprising 1st class 2002 and 2006 sheets and 2nd class 2002 and 2004 sheets, fine unmounted mint. Face value £542. (4) **£80-£100**

1988 – 97 High Values

- 1793 An unmounted mint collection with covers written up in album, incl. gutter cross and plate blocks of four, £1 (2), £1.50 (4), £2 (2), £3 (3) and £5 perforation errors, £5 complete offset, f.d.c's, etc., fine. (100s) **£200-£250**
- 1794 ♂ 1992-95 Harrison £5 horizontal gutter pair, both stamps showing gold (Queen's head) omitted variety, fine unmounted mint, 100 known. S.G. 1614a, cat. £1,150+. Photo. **£300-£350**
- 1795 ♂ - Harrison re-etched cylinder £5 deep brown and gold upper marginal showing complete offset on reverse, fine unmounted mint, 100 known. S.G. 1614a var., EC F1821OFa. Photo. **£80-£100**
- 1796 ♂ 1997 Enschede £2 with gold (Queen's head) omitted variety, fine unmounted mint, 100 known. S.G. 1994a, cat. £550. Photo. **£150-£200**

Queen Elizabeth II Booklets

- 1797 B A complete collection of prestige booklets in three Lindner albums, 1969 to 2025, very fine. Face value £2,400+. (112) **£500-£600**
- 1798 B A complete collection of prestige booklets in a shoe box, 1969 to 2020, fine. (89) **£300-£350**
- 1799 B A specialised accumulation in two filing boxes, mainly 1970s to 2000s, all identified, incl. various printings, types, varieties, folded, 1st class, window and Christmas booklets, samples and dummy booklets, labels, prestige booklets with varieties 1969 Stamps for Cooks stapled, 1980 Wedgwood pane DP41 duplicated, 1982 Stanley Gibbons missing phosphors, 1996 Football transposed panes, some pre-decimal issues etc., fine. (few 1,000s) **£400-£500**
- 1800 B A collection of booklets in seven albums, mainly 1970s to 1990s, incl. definitive, prestige, Christmas, also stamps in four albums incl. phosphors, decimal commemoratives and Machins with blocks unmounted mint, etc. (many 100s) **£120-£150**
- 1801 B A collection of booklets, comprising 1972 to 2004 prestige booklets (60, face value £338) incl. 1972 £1 Wedgwood, 1977 to 1999 folded and stitched booklets (170, face value £195), fine. Face value £533. (230) **£100-£120**
- 1802 B A collection in six Lindner albums, 1980s to 2025, incl. definitive booklets, greetings, Christmas, definitive booklets of six with self-adhesive commemoratives etc., fine. Face value £6,100+. (100s) **£1,200-£1400**
- 1803 B Carton containing prestige booklets apparently complete from 1985 to 2024 incl. some K.C.III, fine. S.G. DX6-52, DY1-47 and CY1-7, also a selection of Royal Mail year books 1984-92, 1993 (3) and 2005 (2). **£100-£120**
- 1804 B A specialised collection of Greetings booklets in packets with identified cylinder numbers, 1989 to 1998, incl. some varieties etc., fine. Face value £2,500+. (approx. 150) **£500-£600**
- 1805 B A collection of booklets, late 1980s to 1990s, incl. Greetings, definitive, prestige etc., fine. Face value £940+. (83) **£200-£250**
- 1806 B A mint collection of 1st class Machin booklets with commemorative stamps in Windsor album, 2000 to 2020, also some 2012 Olympic and Paralympic Gold Medal Winners sheetlets, 1990s Greetings panes, etc. Face value £1,500+. (approx. 150 items) **£400-£450**
- 1807 B A duplicated accumulation of mainly modern Prestige booklets with issues to 2025 incl. some limited editions. **£450-£500**
- 1808 B A selection of prestige booklets all from the 2020s. (38 complete booklets) **£150-£200**
- 1809 B A selection of mainly Prestige booklets (50) with issues to 2025. **£120-£150**

- 1810 ★ **Prestige Booklet Panes:** A mint collection in two Windsor albums, 1991 to 2020 apparently complete, face value £1,800+. (approx. 330) **£300-£350**
- 1811 ★ - A comprehensive unmounted mint collection, 1969 to 2019 almost complete, fine. (few 100s) **£250-£300**

Post Office Label Sheets

- 1812 ★ An unmounted mint collection of Smilers sheets and Royal Mail commemorative sheets, 2004 to 2025 almost complete, containing mainly 1st class stamps, very fine. Face value £4,650+. (186) **£900-£1,100**
- 1813 ★ An unmounted mint collection of Smilers sheets, 2000 to 2010, fine. Face value £2,400+. (78) **£450-£500**

Post and Go Issues

- 1814 A specialised collection mainly as self-adhesive strips containing one 1st class, one 1st class large, two Europe and two Worldwide stamps, with identified types, varieties, blank strips etc., fine. Face value £3,500+. (approx. 250 strips) **£500-£600**
- 1815 An accumulation of Post and Go presentation packs with mainly 1st class labels, fine. Face value £1,900+. (approx. 200) **£500-£600**



King Charles III Collections and Mixed Lots

- 1816 ★ An unmounted mint collection of definitive and commemorative issues from 2023 to 2025 with values up to £5 with prestige booklets and panes. (100s) **£120-£150**
- 1817 ★ An unmounted mint selection of mainly high value self adhesive definitive issues. **£80-£100**

Regionals

- 1818 ★ A specialised unmounted mint collection with covers written up in eight albums, 1958 to 2025, incl. various types and varieties, phosphor omitted, cylinder blocks, sheetlets, booklet panes, miniature sheets, commercial mail, f.d.c's, Northern Ireland 2003 1st class colour trial, "ULSTER/SAYS/NO" overprints, England 2001 1st class and 2003 68p. colour trials, Scotland 1981 11½p. pair imperf. between stamp and right margin, 1996 20p. misperf., Wales etc., fine. Huge decimal face value. (1,000s) **£200-£250**
- 1819 P A selection of imperf. progressive colour trials and issued stamps, comprising Wales 1999 2nd class (4), E (4) and 65p. (5), also 1st class perf. colour trial, Scotland 1999 E (4) and 2001 1st class (5) and Wales 1999 1st class (4), fine. (28) **£150-£200**
- 1820 ★ **England:** 2001 2nd class slate-green and silver ex cylinder 1 2 and scarce 2003 2nd class ATN Byfleet printing ex cylinder D1 D1, unmounted mint marginal imperf. pairs, fine. (4) S.G. Spec. EN1, EN6 var. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1821 E **Scotland:** 1968 four unadopted handpainted stamp size essays for 5d. value in blue, incl. composite pair signed by the designer Andrew Restall. Photo. **£100-£150**

Postage Dues



- Ex 1825**
- 1822** A collection in a stockbook, incl. 1914-22 sets mint and used, 1924-36 set mint, 1936-37 sets mint and used, 1955-58 sets mint and used, about thirty covers and cards, etc. (100s) **£350-£400**
- 1823 ★** Mint collection of postage due sets from 1914 to 1994 incl. 1914 ½d. to 1s. (S.21 control), 1924-33 ½d. to 2s.6d., 1936-37 ½d. to 2s.6d., 1937-38 ½d. to 2s.6d.), 1954-55 to 2s.6d., 1955-57 ½d. to 5s. set (unmounted), etc. Condition is a little varied. (111) **£150-£200**
- 1824 ★** A complete mint collection on leaves, 1914 to 1982, fine. (105) **£100-£120**
- 1825 ☒** 1914 (Apr. 20) postcard locally addressed franked ½d. with return address provided, added ½d. emerald postage due tied by clear first day "EVESHAM/20 AP/14" c.d.s. over boxed "½/POSTAGE DUE/FOR/RETURN/TO/SENDER" and with three line framed "Undelivered for reason stated" handstamp alongside, both in violet, 1d. carmine used on local postcard (corner fault), tied by "BRIGHTON/20 AP/16", 2d. agate locally used on unstamped cover in Lewisham, tied by "LEWISHAM/20 AP/14". Photo. **£300-£350**
- 1826 ☐** 1968-69 3d. violet, imperforate imprimatur block of four with "NP/IMPRIMATUR" stamped on gum, very fine. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 1827 ☐** - 8d. red, imperforate imprimatur block of four with "NP/IMPRIMATUR" stamped on gum, very fine. Photo. **£250-£300**

Channel Islands

- 1828** A comprehensive collection of presentation packs in 55 albums, incl. Alderney 1983 to 2024, Guernsey 1969 to 2025 and Jersey 1974 to 2022, fine. (many 100s) **£100-£150**
- 1829** An accumulation in five cartons with much unmounted mint, mainly 1969 to 2010s, incl. Guernsey varieties and plate flaws, covers, booklets, 1843 cover with 1d. to Devonport, 1958-67 2½d. block of six with perf. error, 1968-69 both 4d. with phosphor omitted, 1969 pre-release publicity labels, 2006 Birthday £10 "Bailwick of Guernsey" inscription shifted to right, 2012 £20 banknote, 2017 Endangered Species signed imperf. sheetlet, Alderney 2015 Q.E.II £10 imperf. sheetlet of five, signed uncut miniature sheets etc., mainly fine. (1,000s) **£100-£150**
- 1830** A mint mainly unmounted and used stock in ten stockbooks and on stock cards, 1941 to 2010, incl. W.W.II occupation, Alderney, Guernsey, Jersey, Isle of Man (to 2015), definitive and prestige booklets, plate flaws and varieties with offsets, double printed colours, Jersey 1979 25p. Cattle block of four with gold printing clearly double and 1983 £1.32 booklet with one pane miscut etc., mainly fine. (1,000s) **£100-£150**
- 1831** An accumulation in twenty albums and stockbooks, incl. Guernsey 1993 to 2012 and Alderney 1994 to 2012 complete unmounted mint in two Davo albums, Jersey 1973 to 1996 highly complete unmounted mint in two albums, W.W.II occupation, sheetlets, f.d.c.'s, booklets, Isle of Man etc., mainly fine. (1,000s) **£80-£100**
- 1832** Collection incl. Jethou 1960 Scenes set in imperf colour trials and an issued set on the reverse of a 1960 cover, 1966 marginal imperf. colour trials set (2) and 6d. mint single imperf at base and 6d. mint vertical pair imperf. between, etc., also some Guernsey incl. mint issues with sheets, f.d.c.'s booklets covers incl. 1968 express registered airmail franked 4d. and 5s.), f.d.c.'s, etc., Jersey etc. (many 100s) **£60-£70**



1834

- 1833 Collection in binders in a carton incl. 1948 set in mint sheets also Alderney and Isle of Man. (many 100s)
£50-£60
- 1834 ★ **Alderney:** 2002 Golden Jubilee miniature sheet black variety black omitted, fine unmounted mint with normal for comparison. S.G. MSA184a, cat. £700. Photo.
£150-£200

Guernsey

- 1835 **German Occupation:** A specialised collection written up on leaves, incl. 1941-44 Arms with shades, imprint blocks, 1d. imperf. pairs (2) mainly unmounted mint, 1941 cover to Berlin with ½d. and 1d. tied by rare oval "JERSEY - GUERNSEY/MAIL BOAT/CHANNEL ISLANDS" handstamps and Germany 5pf. tied by Feldpost c.d.s. (sold for £875 by S.G.), Red Cross envelopes, cards and civilian message service letters, Internee mail, various printed official forms, warnings, permits and notices, Feldpost covers, commercial mail, 1940-41 bisects on covers etc., mainly fine. (approx. 200 stamps, 102 covers/cards etc.)
£400-£500
- 1836 A collection of imperf. proofs, artists sketches and drawings, preliminary artworks on tracing paper, 1969 Brock 4d. photograph with colour instructions added, 1973 61/5p. artwork with overlay, 1973 overlay for B.E.A. first flight cover, 1978 Old Prints 7p. and 13p. die proofs and hand painted essays in De La Rue folder, 1982 Old Prints proofs multiples, etc.
£250-£300



1837



1839



1840

- 1837 ★ **1969-70 3d. error watermark Block CA inverted variety**, unmounted mint, fine, R.P.S. certificate (2009). S.G. 17ai, cat. £750. Photo.
£150-£200
- 1838 ★ - Booklet stamps with margins 4d. with emerald (stem) shift to right and 5d. vermilion shift left, 1971-73 2½p. blocks of four with gold shift up and vermilion shift right, unmounted mint, fine. (10) S.G. 18a, 19a, 48 var.
£100-£120
- 1839 ★ - 4d. booklet stamp with margins yellow omitted variety, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 18ab, cat. £500. Photo.
£100-£150
- 1840 ★ **1971-73 2½p. bright vermilion omitted variety**, fine unmounted mint, Brandon certificate (2005). S.G. 48a, cat. £1,100. Photo.
£220-£250

Guernsey continued



- 1841 B 1971-73 20p. booklet (chalk surfaced) with a spectacular perforation error, a miscut 2p. pane, unique. S.G. SB11 var. Photo. **£100-£150**
- 1842 P 2003 Letters on a Stamp on a Letter £5, trial single and sheetlet of four, with silver ("GUERNSEY", Queen's head and value) omitted, with "Letters of all shapes and sizes" inscription, absent from the issued stamp, and royal blue background and pale orange frame instead of deep blue background and white frame of the issued stamp, unmounted mint, also normal for comparison. (3) S.G. 1008 var. **£100-£150**
- 1843 P A collection of imperf. proofs in the issued colours on gummed paper, also 2005 Liberation £1 imperf. pair with gold omitted, very fine and scarce, from the B.D.T. International archives. (109) **£150-£200**
- 1844 P A collection of progressive colour imperf. proofs on 74 pages from the Courvoisier archives, fine and unique. (100s) Photo. **£800-£1,000**

Jersey



- 1845 ▲ 1857 (May 21) large fragment franked 1d., 4d. pair and 1s. tied by "409" barred numerals and with Jersey and London datestamps and a "350" Portuguese reis charge mark below. Photo. **£120-£140**
- 1846 ☼ An unmounted mint collection of sheetlets in four albums, 1986 to 2024, fine. (approx. 215) **£80-£100**

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