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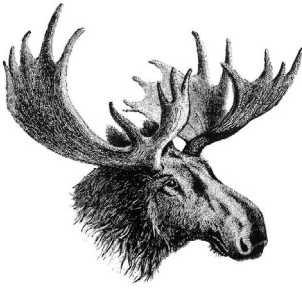


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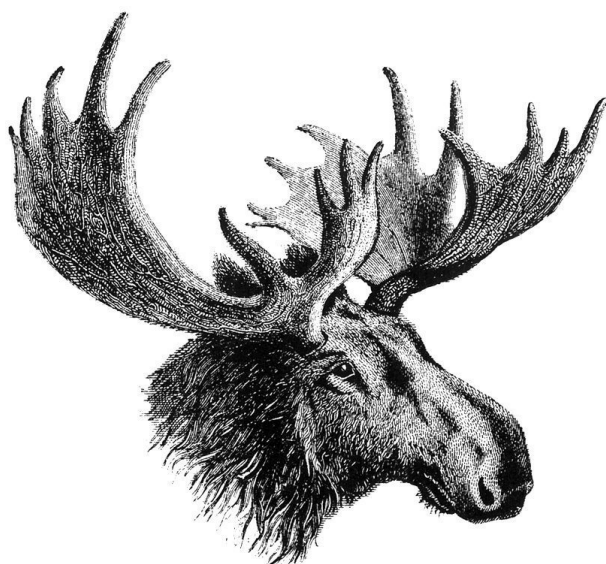
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Thursday April 10, 2025 – 9:00am to 12:00pm
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Saturday April 12, 2025 – 9:00am to 12:00pm

Auction Sessions

Session One – Wednesday April 9, 2025 – 1:30pm (Lot 1-281)
Session Two – Thursday April 10, 2025 – 1:30pm (Lot 282-565)
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Worldwide

Featuring an exceptional collection of classic postage stamps of Saudi Arabia, including many rarely seen overprints, varieties and errors. The early issues are often signed & authenticated by leading experts of the past and accompanied by recent certificates.

Specialized offerings of St. Pierre & Miquelon; collections related to the United Nations, the latter being the most extensive we recall offering; and a general Worldwide A-Z mint & used collection offered in 14 lots concludes this section.

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General Sale

Session One: Saudi Arabia, Worldwide, British North America
featuring Alberta & New Brunswick postal history (Lot 1-281)

Wednesday, April 9, 2025 Session One begins at 1:30pm Atlantic Time (12:30pm EST)

WORLDWIDE



- 1 ★ **AUSTRIA 380, 1936 10s Dollfuss** Select fresh, well centered mint single with full pristine original gum, VF NH; 2021 Ceremuga cert. **1,100.00**



- 2 ★ **AUSTRIA B110, B110a, 193 50g Stagecoach** Choice mint singles on both ordinary and granite paper, perf 12½, VF NH **860.00**



- 3 ◎ **CAPE OF GOOD HOPE Old-Time Collection** On quadrilled pages with a few hundred, predominantly used 1864-1898 period plus a few earlier "Triangles" (mixed condition) and later KEVII issues. Duplicated but noted cancels, shades, a few multiples, surcharges, etc. Useful lot to get acquainted with these issues; unchecked for watermark varieties. Mixed to fine or better **Est. 500.00+**
- 4 ★ **FRENCH COLONIES 1930s-1940s Omnibus Series** On stockpages, various including better 1938 Currie, 1939 New York World's Fair (in blocks), 1939 French Revolution, etc. Some appear complete. Also odds & ends including France Libre overprints, non-omnibus series trial colours, etc. Mainly F-VF with much NH. **Not Illustrated Est. 500.00+**

GREAT BRITAIN



- 5 **Last Royal Mail Packet to New York During the Retaliatory Rate Period 1848** (December 16) Bluish envelope in clean condition from Liverpool on the last outbound Royal Mail ship during the Retaliatory rate period (July 9, 1848 to January 1, 1849), neat octagonal Paid at Liverpool DEC 16 1848 handstamp and prepaid "1/" handstamp both in red for outbound packet rate to New York, New York Ship JA 1 34 Cts CDS (24c packet postage plus 10c inland postage) to collect. A neat cover carried on the last sea voyage of this short-lived rate period, VF **Est. 500.00+**



- 6 **Beautiful Three-Colour Franking to the United States 1849** (January 27) Folded cover from Liverpool to Baltimore, bearing 1p red brown, 2p blue, both in at one side, and a full margined pair of 1sh green embossed tied by oval '466' grids, the pair further tied by red Boston Ship FEB 11 transit CDS and "22" (cents) credit handstamp; on reverse Liverpool dispatch datestamp; light central file fold just touching right edge of pair. A marvelous franked cover, F-VF (Scott 3, 4, 5) **Est. 750.00+**



- 7 ★ ICELAND 152-166, C1, O53-O67, CO1, 1930 3a-10k Parliament Millenary Issue Complete mint sets of 15 of the regulars and officials, plus the respective 10a airmail. All bright and fresh, the key official set is LH, F-VF H **1,275.00**



- 8 ★✉ INDIA International Commission in Indo-China, United Nations Peacekeeping Collection UN Korea through Congo issues, ICC for Cambodia, Laos, Vietnam with mint NH sets, blocks, and range of cacheted FDCs, plus postally used FPO covers; souvenir booklets, etc. Hard to find with such comprehensive coverage. **Est. 500.00+**

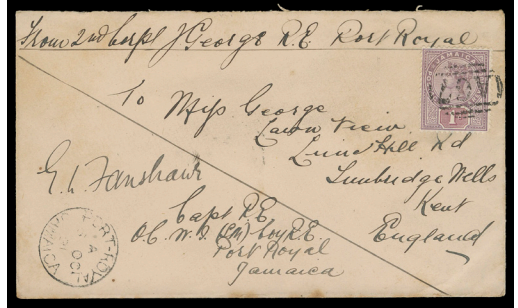


- 9 ★ ITALY 477, 1946 100 lira Carmine Lake, Perf 14 Post office fresh mint single with full white original gum, VF H **400.00**

JAMAICA



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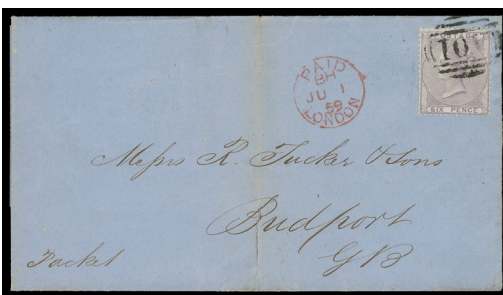


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- 10 **Three-Colour Franking to India** 1866 (February 24) Cover from Major Kent correspondence from Gordon Town to Bareilly, India, franked with 1p pale blue, 4p brown orange and 6p lilac pair with straight edge at right paying the 1/5p rate, superbly cancelled and tied by oval grid '42' cancels, bold London Paid 16 MR 66 transit in red; on reverse Kingston FE 24 transit and Bareilly receiver. Faulty backflap, some edge wear and soiling, Fine and scarce (Scott 1, 4, 5; SG 1, 4, 5) **Est. 300.00+**
- 11 **Elusive Soldier's One Penny Rate to England** 1891 (October 6) Cover endorsed "From 2nd Corpl. J George R.E. Port Royal" to Kent, England, countersigned by Commanding Officer of Royal Engineers, franked with 1p lilac and red violet tied by oval grid 'A67', dispatch CDS left, Kingston OC 6 transit and Turnbridge Wells OC 21 receiver backstamp, minor toning mainly on back, an elusive Military Concessionary cover from Jamaica, Fine (Scott 24; SG 27) **Est. 250.00+**



- 12 **112 variety, 1935 1sh Silver Jubilee Select** fresh used example showing the prominent "Extra Flagstaff" variety (Plate 1 R.9/1), partial Kingston circular datestamp, scarce, VF (SG 117a £325) **Est. 200.00+**



- 13 **Interesting Collection of Numeral Cancels on Stamps and Covers** Large assortment in order from A01 to A82 on two stockpages, plus nine covers plus other oddities. Also three stampless covers and a range of used with squared circles, double circles, CDS, etc. Condition from mixed to F-VF; a useful lot for study. **Est. 500.00+**



- 14 ★ **KOSOVO 2000-2008 Collection** Displayed in two albums and one stockbook, complete collection of mint NH issues by United Nations Interim Administration, plus sheetlets & panes, also excellent representation of same as FDCs, plus a few post-Independence issues. Seldom encountered this comprehensive. (Scott cat. US\$5,915) **Est. 1,250.00+**



- 15 ★ **LUXEMBOURG 151, 1923 10fr Birth of Princess Elizabeth** Mint souvenir sheet of one with customary control punch at lower right, hinged in the margin leaving the well centered stamp NH, VF; 2022 Ceremuga cert. **1,500.00**

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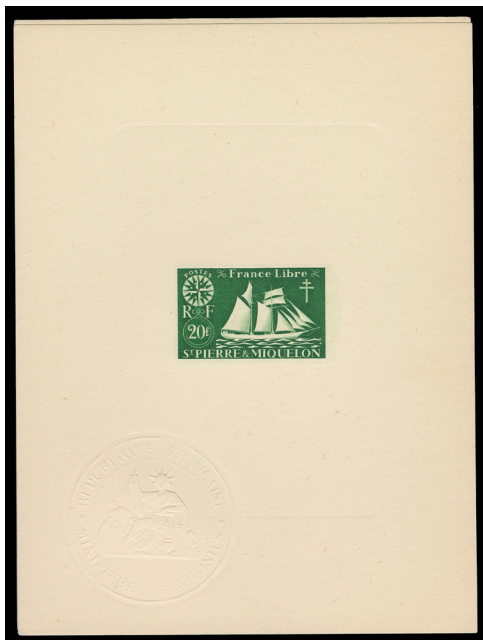


- 16 **1942 France Libre Overprints** 1942 (January 13) Large cover displaying twenty-one different France Libre overprints & surcharges, postmarked SPM 13 - 1 42 First Day cancels, addressed locally; pencil signed by expert H. Bloch, VF (Scott 227/255; Yvert 250/280) **Est. 300.00+**



- 17 **Noël 1941 France Libre Overprint in Red - First Day Cover** The original set of 18 mailed on Day of Issue, addressed locally postmarked at SPM 30 - 12 41; pencil signed by expert H. Bloch, VF (Scott 260-277; Yvert 212-229) **Est. 350.00+**

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- 18 P 300-313, 314-321, 1942 & 1945 5c-20fr & 50c-15fr Schooner Series & Surcharges, France Libre "Dulac" Superb complete sets of fourteen and of eight Large Die Proofs in issued colours - both the regular and surcharged series, all sunk on large cards approx 121 x 158mm, each with albino embossed seal of the Colonial Secretary, VF (Yvert 296-309 & 315-322 proofs; Maury 305-318, 324-331 proofs) Est. 500.00+



- 19 P 324-342, 1947 10c-25fr Pictorial Definitives A beautiful, complete set of 19 Large Die Proofs in issued colours, die sunk on cards approx. 125 x 162mm, each with albino embossed seal of Colonial Secretary, choice, VF (Yvert 325-343 proofs; Maury 334-352 proofs) Est. 500.00+



- 20 ★☒ **Assortment of 1910s-1940s Stamps and Covers** Includes 25 covers / cards with various issues mainly from 1930s-1940s; noted 1926 provisional handstamps (4), some over-franked covers, FDCs, stamps with odds & ends. Inspect. **Est. 500.00+**



- 21 ★☒ **In-Depth Collection of Airmails** Displayed on pages in two binders, from first issue of 1942 to 1973, replete with die proofs, trial colours, imperforates, first flight covers and FDC; noting 1942 Dulac 1946 Vichy die proof sets 1947 airmail set of three die proofs and imperf pairs, 1956 500fr DC-3 Aircraft with unfinished and finished die essays in black, 1957-1973 airmails with die proofs including several compound dies, etc. A great lot in clean condition throughout, ideal for further expansion. **Est. 1,500.00+**



- 22 **P Deluxe Die Proofs** A fabulous lot, about 200 die proofs, mainly 1940s to 1990s but also some earlier. Noted artist signed proofs, trial colours, etc. Mostly identified by Scott number on retail cards; light duplication. Clean condition throughout; a great lot for a specialist. **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 23 **★ Trial Colours & Imperforates** Assortment noting trial colour se-tenant strips of five for 1969 200fr L'Esperance airmail, 1970 Discoverers airmail set, 1971 Fishing Fleets, 1971 Free French Forces, imperforates with 1971 Fishing Fleets, etc. Mainly VF NH **Est. 500.00+**

- 24 **★ 1980s-2020s Mint NH Stock** Large accumulation in six mint sheet files, plus mostly identified by Scott number on retail cards, a high percentage in blocks of four, as well as se-tenant multiples, souvenir sheets and full panes. Light duplication, but substantial catalogue value, VF NH

Not Illustrated Est. 750.00+



- 25 **☒ Large Assortment of FDC, Maxicards, Commercial Mail** A few hundred, some displayed on stockpages, mainly 1950s to 2000s including FDCs, Maxicards with matching stamps on image side, special event covers, ship related, some commercial usages, airmails, postcards, etc. A not often seen assortment ideal for the collector and internet / show dealer alike. **Est. 350.00+**



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SAUDI ARABIA

We are pleased to present a remarkable collection from Kingdom of Hejaz postage stamps to contemporary issues of Kingdom of Saudi Arabia. The early issues are often signed by experts David Graham and / or John Wilson, along with recent 2024 expertizing certificates (many are plated with pertinent info on their rarity) issued by Ghassan Riachi (GDR), a leading authority and prolific writer on the subject, whose articles have been a regular feature in philatelic journals. Their allure not only rests on aesthetic appeal but the fact that many had print runs as low as a single sheet with few examples surviving..

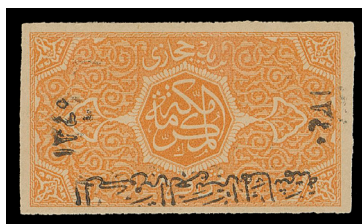
KINGDOM OF THE HEJAZ



- 26 ★ **L15b, L15f, 1921 1/8pi Orange, Serrate Rouletted** Well centered mint singles, one with DOUBLED unframed overprint in black, upright impressions; pencil signed by expert John Wilson; the other with DOUBLED unframed overprint, inverted impressions; with 2024 GDR certificate; typical overall disturbed gum from an interleave as do all known examples; only five examples of the latter stamp are reported, a very rare duo, VF OG (SG 22d, 22f £1,550) **1,165.00**



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- 27 ★ **L15c, 1921 1/8pi Orange, Rouletted** A well centered single with fresh colour, the rare Rouletted 20 (instead of serrated) with unframed overprint in black, minor stain; without gum as do all of the mere eight examples reported; pencil signed by Peter Holcombe, VF (SG 18 £1,200) **1,000.00**
- 28 ★ **L15d, 1921 1/8pi Orange, Rouletted** A well centered example of this great rarity, Rouletted 20 (instead of serrated) with INVERTED unframed overprint in black; without gum as do all known examples, only three have been reported, VF; 2024 GDR cert. (SG 18a £2,250) **1,825.00**



- 29 ★ **L15e, 1921 1/8pi Orange, Serrate Rouletted** A well centered mint single with unframed overprint in black DOUBLED, one of which is inverted, margin tear at right clear of the stamp; overall lightly disturbed gum from an interleave as do all of the mere four known examples. A very rare stamp, pencil signed by David Graham, VF OG; 2024 GDR cert. (SG 22e £1,100) **900.00**



- 30 ★ **L16a, L16f, 1921 ¼pi Green, Serrate Rouletted** Two mint singles with INVERTED unframed overprint in black - one is DOUBLED, both with typical disturbed gum from an interleave, pencil signed by expert John Wilson, latter further signed by Herbert Bloch, a scarce duo, VF OG (SG 23c, 23da £415) **335.00**



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- 31 ★ **L16c, 1921 ¼pi Green, Rouletted** A well centered example of this rarity, Rouletted 20 (instead of the distinctive serrated roulette), unframed overprint in black; without gum as do most known examples - less than a half-dozen reported (from 100 printed); pencil signed by expert David Graham, VF; 2024 GDR cert. (SG 19 £1,400) **1,100.00**
- 32 ★ **L16d, 1921 ¼pi Green, Rouletted** A very rare single Rouletted 20 (instead of the serrated rouletting) with INVERTED unframed overprint in black; without gum as do all of the three known examples; pencil signed by experts David Graham and John Wilson, VF; 2024 GDR cert. (SG 19a £2,500) **2,050.00**



- 33 ★ **L16i, 1921 ¼pi Green, Serrate Rouletted** A rare mint single with unframed overprint in GOLD, a few rough perfs and typically climatized paper with overall light gum disturbance from an interleave - as do all surviving examples from the sole sheet of 50 printed, F-VF OG; 2024 GDR cert. (Scott cat. \$2,500; SG 23 variety, mentioned in footnote) **Est. 750.00+**



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- 34 ★ **L17d, 1921 ½a Red, Serrate Rouletted** A well centered mint single with double overprint (Position 42), both inverted, light gum disturbance from an interleave as do all known examples - less than a dozen reported, VF OG; 2024 GDR cert. (SG 24d £750) **600.00**
- 35 ★ **L17f, 1921 ½pi Red, Serrate Rouletted** A rare mint stamp with unframed overprint in GOLD, a few short perfs, typically climatized paper and overall light gum disturbance from an interleave - as do all known examples that survive from the sole sheet of 50 printed, F-VF OG; 2024 GDR cert. (Scott cat. \$2,500; SG 24 variety, mentioned in footnote) **Est. 750.00+**



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- 36 ★ **L18f, 1921 1pi Blue, Serrate Rouletted** A well centered mint example of this rarity displaying the unframed overprint in **GOLD**, typically climatized paper and light gum disturbance from an interleave - as do all known examples still survive from the sole sheet of 50 printed, VF OG; 2024 GDR cert. (Scott cat. \$2,500; SG 25 variety, mentioned in footnote) **Est. 750.00+**
- 37 ★ **L19d, 1921 2pi Magenta, Serrate Rouletted** A nicely centered mint single showing the rare unframed overprint in **GOLD**, typically climatized paper and overall gum disturbed from tissue paper interleave - as do all known examples, only one sheet of 50 printed (nearly half of the examples have disappeared), VF; 2024 GDR cert. (Scott cat. \$2,500; SG 28 variety, mentioned in footnote) **Est. 750.00+**

THE JEDDA OVERPRINTS



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- 38 ★ **L51a, L51c, 1925 1/8pi Orange, Rouletted** Mint single with inverted two-line overprint in red; pencil signed by expert John Wilson; another with similar overprint in red on face and two clear overprints on back, minor spots on gum (as do all known examples) pencil signed by David Graham. The latter stamp is very rare with a mere three examples reported, F-VF; L51c with 2024 GDR cert. (SG 59a, 59c £560) **735.00**
- 39 ★ **L51d, 1925 1/8pi Orange, Rouletted** A very rare mint single, brilliant fresh colour with red overprint **inverted both on the face and on the back**; only four examples are reported, pencil signed by expert John Wilson, Fine NH; 2024 GDR cert. (Scott cat. as hinged; SG 59ba £650+) **350.00+**



- 40 ★ **L52a, L52b, L52c, 1925 1/4pi Green, Rouletted** Three mint NH singles with two-line overprint in red: first is inverted, second is doubled and third stamp doubled with one inverted. Second and third stamps with small gum tone spot. First two singles pencil signed by expert John Wilson, third stamp is very rare with only four reported examples, VF; L52c with 2024 GDR cert. (Scott as hinged; SG 60a, b, c £450+) **375.00+**



- 41 ★ L53, L53a, 1925 ½pi Red, Rouletted Mint singles with upright and inverted overprints, couple minute brown spots on gum, latter is NH; pencil signed by John Wilson & David Graham respectively, VF OG / NH (SG 63, 63a £355+) **285.00+**



- 42 ★ L54a, L54b, 1925 1pi Blue, Rouletted Well centered mint singles with red overprint - one inverted and the other doubled with one inverted. Latter with faint toning at right but NH, a very rare stamp with only three reported, VF; L54b with 2024 GDR cert. (SG 65a, 65b £450) **370.00+**



- 43 ★ L55a, b, c, d, 1925 1pa Lilac Brown, Serrate Rouletted Four different mint singles with the two-line overprint in red: inverted; doubled; single overprint on face and on back; single overprint on face and doubled on back, last three with faint toning spots as usual but all are NH; first stamp pencil signed by David Graham and others by expert John Wilson. Rarely seen, F-VF NH (Scott cat. as hinged; SG 66a, 66b, 66c, 66d £685+) **995.00**



- 44 ★ L56a/L60a, 1925 1/8pi/2pi Jeddah Issues, Serrate Rouletted Five fresh mint with inverted two-line overprint in red, small faint trace of toning on two; 1pi blue LH, otherwise NH; all pencil signed by experts John Wilson or David Graham. Very seldom seen, VF (SG 67a, 68a, 71a, 73a, 74a £860+) **720.00+**



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- 45 ★ **L61, 1925 ½pi Green, Roulette** The very rare GOLD on red overprint, bright fresh mint with full original gum, never hinged; pencil signed by expert John Wilson, VF NH; 2024 GDR cert. (Scott cat. as NH; SG 62 £3,500+) **4,000.00**

This two-line overprint was first applied in red ink; when still wet gold dust was shaken over the sheet so that the particles of gold would adhere.

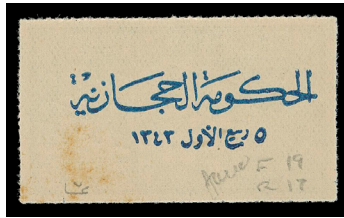


- 46 ★ **L61a, 1925 ½pi Green, Rouletted** The very rare mint single with GOLD on blue overprint, select fresh and sound example with full original gum, lightly hinged; pencil signed by expert John Wilson, VF LH; 2024 GDR cert. (SG 62 £3,500) **4,750.00**

This two-line overprint was first applied in blue ink; when the ink was still wet gold dust was shaken over the sheet so that the particles of gold would adhere to the ink.



- 47 ★ **L62a, 1925 ¼pi Green, Serrate Rouletted** A fresh, nicely centered mint single with inverted GOLD on red overprint; pencil signed by expert John Wilson, VF LH; 2024 GDR cert. (SG 70a £190) **300.00**



- 48 ★ **L63b, 1925 ¼pi Green, Rouletted** Mint single with blue overprint on both sides, faint trace of toning as do all known of the less than half-dozen known, full original gum; pencil signed by John Wilson, VF NH; 2024 GDR cert. (SG 61c £275+) **500.00**



- 49 ★ **L64, L64a, 1925 ½pi Red, Rouletted** Select fresh mint hinged singles with inverted and upright position of the blue overprint; both pencil signed by John Wilson, VF H (SG 64, 64a £435) **425.00**



- 50 ★ **L65a, L66a, 1925 ¼pi Green & ½p Red, Serrate Rouletted** Fresh mint singles with inverted blue overprint, ½p with faint gum toning; both pencil signed by expert John Wilson, F-VF NH (SG 69a, 72a £255+) **315.00**



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- 51 ★ **L66B, 1925 2pi Magenta, Serrate Rouletted** A mint single with inverted blue overprint (Position 22 in the setting of 25 subjects), full original gum; often missing from even advanced collections, VF NH; 2024 GDR cert. (Scott cat. for NH; SG 75 £2,750+) **4,000.00**



- 52 ★ **L67, 1925 ½pi Red, Serrate Rouletted** A rare mint example, well centered and showing both unframed overprint in black and two-line overprint in blue, in upright positions (from Position 24 in their respective setting) full original gum; one of the key stamps of Saudi Arabia, VF H; 2024 GDR cert. (SG 76 £5,000) **4,250.00**



- 53 ★ **L69, 1925 1/8pi Orange, Serrate Rouletted** A rarely encountered mint single showing both framed overprint in black and two-line overprint in blue, in upright positions (Position 21 in their respective setting). A great stamp, 80 printed with considerably fewer known; one of the rarest of this Jeddah overprinted series, VF LH; 2024 GDR cert. (SG 78 £4,750) **3,750.00**
- 54 ★ **L70, L71, 1925 ¼pi Green & ½pi Red, Serrate Rouletted** Mint positional pairs with both the framed overprint in black and two-line overprint in blue, in upright positions, full original gum, first pair pencil signed John Wilson has framed overprint noticeably shifted to the right, VF NH (SG 79, 80 £620+) **Illustrated on Website 750.00**



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- 55 ★ **L70a, 1925 ¼pi Green, Serrate Rouletted** A rare mint single showing both framed overprint in black and two-line overprint in blue, the latter INVERTED; pencil signed by John Wilson and guarantee "ela" on reverse, strong, complete reverse offset of an inverted two-line overprint in blue. It is believed only 30 stamps were issued, VF H; 2024 GDR cert. (SG 79a £1,900) **1,550.00**
- 56 ★ **L71a, 1925 ½p Red, Serrate Rouletted** A rare mint single with framed overprint in black and INVERTED two-line overprint in blue, one shorter perf at top; reverse shows a light, complete reverse offset of an inverted two-line overprint in blue. Only 25 stamps were issued, VF LH; 2024 GDR cert. (SG 80a £2,000) **1,675.00**



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- 57 ★ **L73a, 1925 2pi Magenta, Serrate Rouletted** A well centered unused single showing framed overprint in black and INVERTED two-line overprint in blue; reverse signed Willie King. All stamps known from the single sheet of 50 stamps receiving the blue overprint inverted in error are without gum, VF; 2024 GDR cert. (SG 83a £2,250) **1,825.00**
- 58 ★ **L75a, 1925 1pi on 1pa Lilac Brown, Serrate Rouletted** A rare surcharged stamp with additional two overprints - framed overprint in black and INVERTED two-line overprint in blue, full original gum; only 30 stamps with the overprint error were issued, Fine+ H; 2024 GDR cert. (SG 85b £2,500) **2,100.00**



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- 59 ★ **L77, 1925 ¼pi Green, Rouletted** A fresh, well centered mint single with sideways small three-line overprint in blue reading down (inverted); pencil signed by David Graham and guarantee "ela" backstamp, VF H, very scarce; 2024 GDR cert. (SG 89a £1,900) **1,550.00**
- 60 ★ **L77a, 1925 ¼pi Green, Rouletted** Nicely centered and fresh mint hinged single with sideways small three-line overprint in blue reading up; pencil signed by expert John Wilson. Very scarce with only 100 printed, VF H; 2024 GDR cert. (SG 89 £950) **775.00**
- 61 ★ **L78, 1925 ¼pi Green, Rouletted** A fresh mint single with sideways small three-line overprint in red reading up; shows a strong, complete reverse offset of the small three-line overprint in red on the gum side; pencil signed by expert John Wilson. Only 150 were printed, considerably less survive in mint condition, VF H; 2024 GDR cert. (SG 88 £900) **725.00**



- 62 ★ **L79, 1925 ½pi Green, Serrate Rouletted** A well centered, fresh mint single with sideways small three-line overprint in blue reading down (inverted); guarantee "ela" backstamp and signed "wak' (Willie A. King). Only 300 were issued, VF H; 2024 GDR cert. (SG 91b £900) **725.00**



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- 63 ★ **L79a, L80, 1925 ½pi Green, Serrate Rouletted** Fresh mint singles with sideways small three-line overprint in blue and in red reading up, former with couple shorter perfs at left, both in well-above average condition and very scarce; pencil signed by experts David Graham & John Wilson respectively, F-VF NH (Scott cat. as hinged; SG 90-91 £680+) **550.00+**
- 64 ★ **L80a, 1925 ½pi Green, Serrate Rouletted** A fresh, well centered mint single with sideways small three-line overprint in red reading down (inverted), pristine original gum; pencil signed by expert John Wilson, VF NH (Scott cat. as hinged; SG 90b £475+) **385.00+**
- 65 ★ **L80b, 1925 ½pi Green, Serrate Rouletted** A fresh, well centered mint example with sideways small three-line overprint in red reading down **DOUBLED**, couple shorter perfs at right; pencil signed by experts John Wilson and David Graham. A rare stamp - only 50 were issued, VF NH; 2024 GDR cert. (Scott cat. as hinged; SG 90a £900+) **725.00+**



- 66 ★ **L80c, 1925 ½pi Green, Serrate Rouletted** A nicely centered, fresh mint single with sideways small three-line overprint in red, **DOUBLED**, one reading up and one down (shifted); pencil signed by expert David Graham. Only 50 printed, rare, VF LH; 2024 GDR cert. (SG 90c £2,000) **1,625.00**



- 67 ★ **L80d, 1925 ½pi Green, Serrate Rouletted** A mint example of this rarity with sideways small three-line overprint in red reading up and **TRIPLED** in error, full original gum; only 50 printed, F-VF LH; 2024 GDR cert. (SG 90d unpriced) **3,000.00**



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- 68 ★ **LJ6b, 1921 1pi Blue, Postage Due** A very rare mint single with unframed overprint in **GOLD** at right reading up, serrated roulette perfs intact at right and at foot, typically climatized paper and overall light gum disturbance from tissue paper interleave as do all examples from the sole sheet of 50 printed, F-VF OG; 2024 GDR cert. (Scott Classic cat. US\$2,500; SG D32 variety) **Est. 750.00+**
- 69 ★ **LJ7d, 1921 2pi Magenta, Postage Due** Rare mint example with unframed overprint in **GOLD** reading up, typical climatized paper and overall light gum disturbance from tissue paper interleave as do all surviving examples from the sole sheet of 50 printed (about half survived), Fine OG; 2024 GDR cert. (Scott Classic cat. \$2,500; SG D34 variety) **Est. 750.00+**



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- 70 ★ **LJ17, 1925 20pa Red, Postage Due** A well centered, choice mint single with two-line overprint in red reading up, full original gum; a very scarce stamp as only two sheets (100 stamps) were issued, VF NH; 2024 GDR cert. (Scott as hinged; SG D88 £650+) **550.00+**
- 71 ★ **LJ22, 1925 20pa Red, Postage Due** A well centered mint single with small three-line overprint in blue in upright position, minor foxing visible from the back, complete reverse offset of the blue overprint on gum side; pencil signed by expert John Wilson. Very scarce as only two sheets (100 stamps) were issued, VF OG; 2024 GDR cert. (SG D93 £900) **725.00**
- 72 ★ **LJ22a, 1925 20pa Red, Postage Due** A bright mint single with inverted small three-line overprint in blue; pencil signed by expert John Wilson, F-VF LH (SG D93a £425) **350.00**



- 73 ★ **Collection Balance** Seven different mint singles, two of which are in pairs, includes Scott L57c, 58 NH, 60 NH, 62 pair, 66 NH, 75, LJ4a pair; several pencil signed by experts, F-VF (Scott cat. US\$1,270) **Est. 300.00+**



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- 74 ★ **Clean Mint Collection** A lovely collection on three stockpages, 84 different with excellent coverage of 1925-1926 issues except the expensive surcharged Railway Tax stamps, high degree of completion including postage dues with many better such as Scott 1-20, 22-29 (plus listed shades), 30-34, 35-38, 39-45, 39d, 49-54, 59-63, 64-68, J1-J3, etc. Carefully assembled with numerous stamps signed by experts Wilson, GDR, etc. The odd flaw but the majority sound and Fine or better; a challenging lot to assemble. (Scott cat. US\$5,360) **Est. 1,500.00+**



- 75 ★ **41, 45 variety, 1925 1½pi & 5pi Coat of Arms, Second Nejd Handstamp** Two unused singles on the rarely seen unsurfaced buff paper (as opposed to the standard white wove paper); 5pi pencil signed by expert John Wilson. Only a small number of each exists - perhaps as few as two sheets (of 36 stamps) were produced, F-VF; both with 2024 GDR certs. (SG 227a, 231a £1,900) **Est. 500.00+**

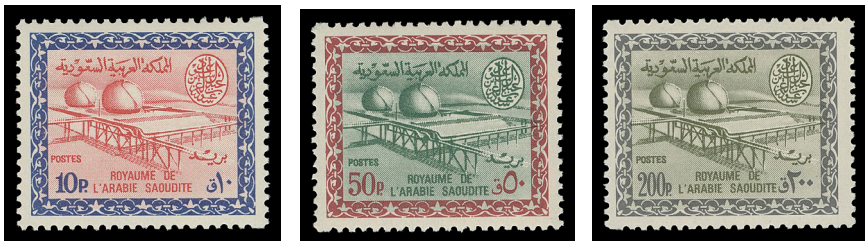
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- 76 ★ 211-226, 227-242, 258-273, 1960-1962 ½p-200p Dam & Gas-Oil Plant, Type I Cartouche Two mint sets of 16 stamps with bright fresh colours; 75p Dam with gum bend; also 1963-1965 ½p-9p redrawn issues from previous series, not often seen complete, F-VF NH **695.00**



- 77 ★ 286-313, 1965-1970 1p-200p Dam (Redrawn Series), Lithographed, Type I Cartouche The complete mint set of 28 stamps including the key high values; 24p with minor wrinkle; fresh colours and mainly well centered, F-VF NH **1,548.00**



- 78 ★ 314-341, 1964-1970 1p-200p Gas-Oil Plant (Redrawn Series), Lithographed, Type I Cartouche The complete mint set of 28 stamps including the key 10p and both high values, bright colours, seldom seen, F-VF NH **1,922.00**



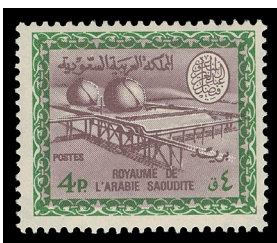
- 79 ★ 393-421, 1966-1976 1p-200p Dam (Redrawn Series), Lithographed, Type II Cartouche The complete set of 28 stamps, fresh and mostly well centered; the 27p VLH, all others NH with fresh colours including key 23p and the three high values; an elusive set, VF **2,204.00**



- 80 ★ 422-450, 1966-1978 1p-200p Gas-Oil Plant (Redrawn Series), Lithographed, Type II Cartouche
The complete mint set of 29 stamps with bright colours; the 24p LH, all others NH including key 26p and the three high values; a difficult set, F-VF **2,033.00**



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- 81 ◎ 461, 1968 1p Dam (Redrawn), Lithographed, Type II Cartouche, Watermarked A very scarce, well centered used example, the scarcest denomination of the series, VF **300.00**



- 82 ★ 462-473, 1968-1976 2p-13p Dam (Redrawn), Lithographed, Type II Cartouche, Watermarked Set of twelve on watermarked paper, bright, fresh and seldom seen, F-VF NH **1,755.00**

- 83 ★ 474-483, 1968-1976 1p-23p Gas-Oil Plant (Redrawn Series), Lithographed, Type II Cartouche, Watermarked The set of ten on watermarked paper, bright fresh colours, F-VF NH **339.00**

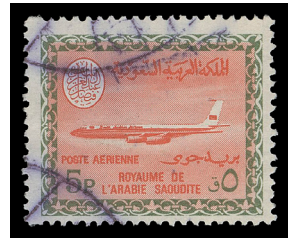
- 84 ★ C7-C21, C24-C29, C30-C32, 1960-1964 1p-200p Convair, Airmail, Type I Cartouche Complete mint sets of the 1960-1961 set of 15, 1963-1964 watermarked set of six and 1964 Redrawn wide margined lithographed mint set of 3, F-VF NH **328.00**



- 85 ★ C33/C58, 1965-1970 1p/33p Boeing Jet, Airmail, Type I Cartouche An attractive mint set of 24 stamps, lacks only the very high valued 2p & 5p as usual; bright fresh colours and mainly well centered; not often seen, F-VF NH **1,046.00**



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- 86 Ⓞ C34, C37, 1969-1970 2p & 5p Boeing Jet, Airmail, Type I Cartouche The two key values, well centered and lightly cancelled (these are major rarities mint); 2p with tiny wrinkle, VF 775.00



- 87 ★ C59/C87, C88-C95, 1966-1978 1p-100p Boeing Jet, Airmail, Type II Cartouche An impressive mint set of 25 stamps, lacks the 5p as usual (a major rarity mint) but includes the key 50p, 100p and 200p and the 1968-1971 1p-10p watermarked set of eight. All with fresh colours, seldom encountered in such a set, F-VF NH 4,675.00

- 88 Ⓞ C63, 1966 5p Boeing Jet, Airmail, Type II Cartouche The key value of the set used (a major rarity mint), F-VF 500.00



- 89 ★ O21-O47, 1965-1970 1p-100p Officials The complete mint set of 27 stamps, bright colours on white paper, characteristic rough perfs associated with this issue, seldom encountered as a set, F-VF NH 6,260.00



- 90 ★ O48-O62, 1970-1972 1p-100p Officials A post office fresh, complete mint set of 17 stamps, quite well centered with bright colours; a very scarce set, F-VF NH 5,060.00



- 91 ★ **SAUDI ARABIA Clean Mint NH 1934-1980 Collection** Organized in a stockbook with various mint NH sets including definitives, commemoratives, some airmails and other back-of-book. Noted better such as Scott 159-172, 173-176, 180-184, 187-191, 490b, 500-502, 645-647, 671-674, C1-C6, C96-C99, O1-O6, O7-O15, etc. A clean, carefully assembled lot, F-VF NH (Scott cat. US\$5,603)

Est. 1,500.00+



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- 92 ◎ **STRAITS SETTLEMENTS AND MALAYAN STATES Clean Used Collection** Mounted in a Scott album with good representation of mainly nice used examples from classics to KGVI, plus Malaya Federation and States from Johore to Trengganu; a few revenue cancelled stamps (not counted) but mainly with legible or light postmarks. Clean condition, mainly sound F-VF throughout. Est. 500.00+
- 93 ★ **SWEDEN 197-211, 213-227, 1924 5o-5k UPU Congress** Two mint unwater-marked sets of 15, all with bright fresh colours, F-VF H
1,310.00



- 94 ◎ **SWITZERLAND 3028** variety, 1924 1.20fr Shield Scarce used example overprinted for the International Labour Bureau, showing the "HFLVETIA" plate variety, corner postmark clear of the variety, VF; 1981 S. Wyler cert. (Zumstein 21.2.01 CHF1,500) **Est. 350.00+**



- 95 ★◎ **SWITZERLAND Overprinted Officials Collection** Issues from League of Nations to United Nations European Office (precursors to the U.N.), neatly displayed on Lindner hingeless pages, nearly all present in sets (used or mint NH) including both smooth and grilled gum varieties, note better sets with Scott 201-2030 & 2035, 2017a, 2023a, 2056, 301-3026 & 3031, 3021a, 3047, etc., also mint NH 506-5025, 701-7020, etc. Also a selection of 55 different 5c/70c "Nations Unies Office Européen" constant overprint varieties (not counted; unlisted in Scott) on five album pages. A nice, clean collection, F-VF (Scott 2024 US\$4,392) **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 96 ★◎ **SWITZERLAND Selection of Mint / Used Overprinted Officials and for Federal Administration Offices** In a stockbook and on stockpages, includes perforated "Cross" officials 1935-1937 issues (37 different used), large range of overprinted officials for various Federal Administrations noting Scott mint NH #207 (1998 APS cert.), used sets of 506-5025 and 701-7020, etc.; more recent issues as well as Netherlands used issues for International Court of Justice. Generally F-VF **Est. 400.00+**



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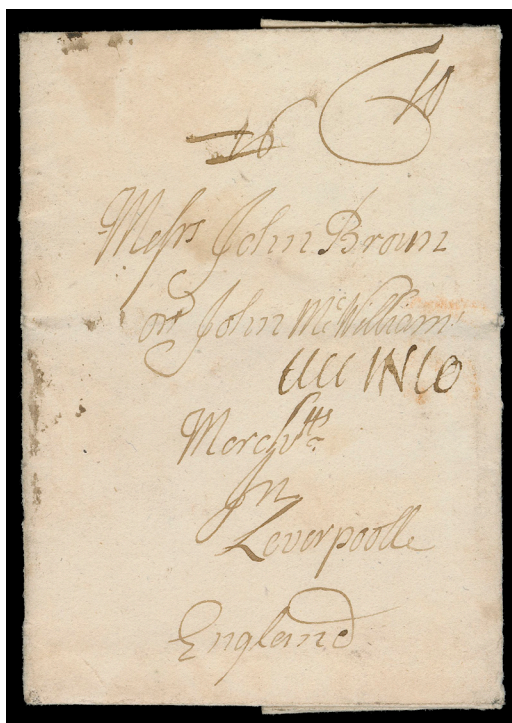
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- 97 **Very Rare Private Ship & Falmouth Packet Combination and Routing** 1712 Folded lettersheet datelined Philadelphia August 14th 1712 from the Brown correspondence, privately carried to New York and transferred to private ship to Lisbon, Portugal and then on board a Falmouth Packet to London, England where it was rated "1 6" (1sh 6d) Lisbon packet rate including carriage from Falmouth to London with circular "NO 21" transit in red, rerated for inland postage to Liverpool "In all 1N10" to collect. A rare and unusual routing via Lisbon - Falmouth packet, F-VF ex. *John Barwis Collection of Philadelphia Postal History* (October 2019; Lot 3004) **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 98 **Incoming Mail: Civil War Pre-Blockade to Confederate Georgia** 1861 (March) Folded lettersheet endorsed "Canada via Queenstown" from Liverpool, England to Confederate Augusta. Sent unpaid on Cunard Line March 9, 1861 with Boston "24" Br Pkt MAR 25 datestamp for 24 cents due and "19 Cents" handstamp for British Claim; stain at top left; would have travelled overland most likely by rail to Atlanta as there was not yet restrictions on mail in March 1861. Boston transit marking, a Fine pre-blockade trans-Atlantic cover into Confederate Georgia. **Est. 300.00+**



- 99 **Five Cent Cover to Upper Canada 1848 (July 8)** Folded cover mailed from Rochester, New York to Osgoode, Upper Canada, franked with a large margined 5c dark brown lightly cancelled, cover with overall wrinkles and stain top left, faint Rochester JUL 8 dispatch in red, Queenston, U.C. JUL 9 transit, manuscript rate "1/1½" denotes currency postage to collect for distance (301-400 miles) for half ounce letter from border exchange office to Osgoode; reverse backstamped Bytown JY 13, Kingston JY 14 and a rare Osgoode double arc receiver in red with filled-in 15 July 1848 date, Fine (Unitrade 1a)
Est. 300.00+



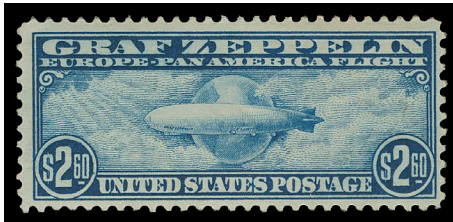
- 100 **Ten Cent Cover to Upper Canada 1848 (September 24)** Folded blue cover mailed from New York to Toronto, bearing a single 10c black with ample to large margins, faintly cancelled, tiny thins, lifted for inspection and placed back on cover, New York SEP 22 circular dispatch in red, Queenston, U.C. SEP 21 1848 transit, manuscript rate "4½" denoting currency postage to collect from recipient for distance covered from border exchange office to Toronto, F-VF; 2021 & 2022 PF certificates, the former for the stamp off cover. (Scott 2)
Est. 750.00+



- 101 **Boyd's City Express, New York, N.Y. Franking to Canada 1847 (August 31)** An attractive folded illustrated invoice of grate and fender manufacturers, mailed to Toronto bearing a large margined 2c black on green local stamp tied by New York circular dispatch in red and further by Toronto SP 4 1847 receiver, manuscript "Paid to Canada 10c" and rated "4½" currency to collect for distance from border to Toronto. A choice and very scarce local stamp usage to Canada, VF; 2001 PF certificate (Scott 20L4)
Est. 750.00+



- 102 ★ **Mint NH Collection of 1893-1969 Commemoratives** Housed in a Safe hingeless album starting with a few 1893 Columbians, then from 1901 Pan American set onward virtually complete to end of 1960s; 1913 Pan-Pacific set only perf 12 is present. Nearly all mint NH with fresh colours throughout, F-VF
Est. 1,000.00+
- 103 ★ **1970-2023 Mint NH Commemoratives** Collection carefully assembled and housed in 8 deluxe Safe hingeless albums, commemoratives including souvenir sheets, sheetlets, booklet panes, se-tenants, etc. Extensive coverage recent self-adhesives, imperforates, Forever stamps, etc., VF NH
Not Illustrated Est. 1,500.00+



- 104 ★ **1918-2012 Airmails** Clean collection housed in a Safe hingeless album, mint NH including 1918 & 1923 issues, the 1930 Zeppelin set of three, etc.
Est. 750.00+

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A very comprehensive collection with coverage to 2024, meticulously assembled over the years. Great care was taken, sparing no expense in the numerous deluxe Safe hingeless albums in which a large portion of the collection is kept. One of the better collections of its kind with in-depth coverage we have not seen in the past.



- 105 ★ **884b, 2005 80c (& 37c) Greetings from the United Nations** Mint sheet of ten stamps and ten printed "60th Anniversary" labels, lower left column shows the "37c" error of denomination, which was quickly noticed and withdrawn from sale; a key issue of the United Nations, VF NH **3,250.00**
- 106 ★ **1951-1999 Clean Mint NH Collection** Complete for the period, also complete UN European Office in Geneva 1969-1999 and in Vienna 1979-1999; all housed in 8 deluxe Safe hingeless albums; with stamps, souvenir sheets, long running series, se-tenant multiples, etc. Carefully assembled and VF NH throughout (Scott cat. US\$3,275) *Not Illustrated Est. 750.00+*



- 107 ★ **New York Office 2000-2023 Clean Mint NH Collection** Housed in 5 deluxe Safe hingeless albums, virtually complete (except prestige booklets) for the period including sheetlets, souvenir sheets, se-tenant multiples, long running series; not often seen. VF NH (Scott cat. US\$7,673) **Est. 1,500.00+**

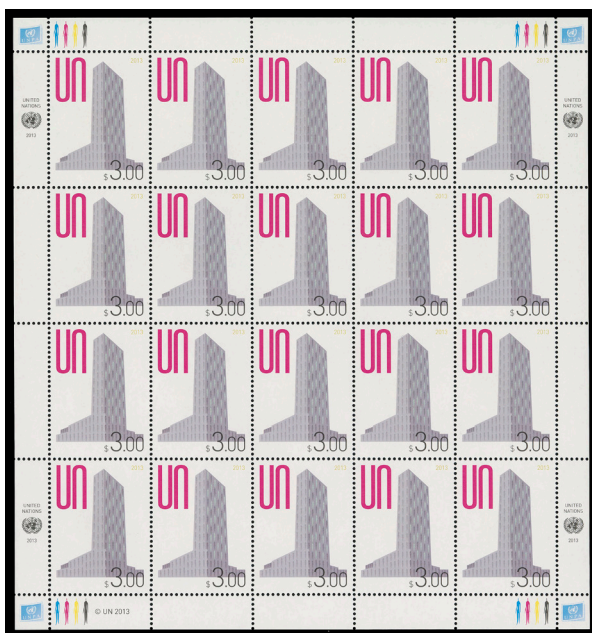


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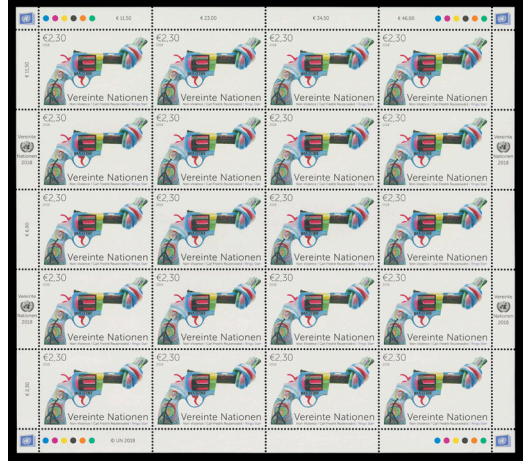
- 108 ★ Geneva Office 2000-2023 Clean Mint NH Collection** Housed in 3 deluxe Safe hingeless albums, virtually complete (except prestige booklets) for the period including sheetlets, souvenir sheets, set-tenant multiples, long running series; etc.. VF NH (Scott cat. US\$3,621) **Est. 750.00+**
- 109 ★ Vienna Office 2000-2023 Clean Mint NH Collection** Housed in 3 deluxe Safe hingeless albums, virtually complete (except prestige booklets) for the period including sheetlets, souvenir sheets, set-tenant multiples, long running series VF NH (Scott cat. US\$4,620) **Est. 1,000.00+**
- 110 ★ Prestige Booklets 1995-2023** Housed in 3 deluxe Safe hingeless albums, a total of about 75 different prestige booklets for New York, Geneva & Vienna offices with similar themes and commemorative series represented, VF NH (Scott cat. US\$1,395) *Not Illustrated* **Est. 300.00+**



- 111 ★ New York Office: An Extensive Collection of Mint NH Sheets & Panes** Housed in 8 deluxe sheet albums with slipcases and one glassine interleaved stockbook, a very high percentage of issued full sheets and panes 1951 to 2024 with definitives, commemoratives and airmails, wide range of topics ranging from endangered species, flags, UN symbols, indigenous art, human rights, sports, and much more. An impressive lot seldom offered this comprehensive, clean condition throughout, VF NH (Scott cat. US\$16,752) **Est. 2,500.00+**



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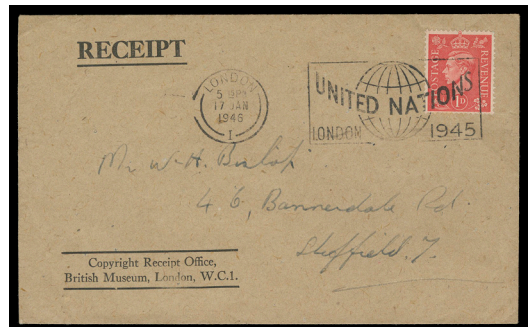


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- 112 ★ **Geneva Office: A Comprehensive Collection of Mint NH Sheets & Panes** Housed in 5 deluxe sheet albums with slipcases, very high representation of full sheets and panes from 1969 to 2024, large range of topics ranging from endangered species, flags, UN symbols, indigenous art, human rights, sports, and much more. Seldom seen this well represented, clean and VF NH (Scott cat. US\$18,923) **Est. 2,500.00+**
- 113 ★ **Vienna Office: Comprehensive Collection of Mint NH Sheets & Panes** Housed in 4 deluxe sheet albums with slipcases, very high representation of issued stamps in full sheets and panes from 1979 to 2024 with large range present. Wide range of topics and hard to find items, clean condition throughout, VF NH (Scott cat. US\$15,118) **Est. 2,000.00+**
- 114 ★☒ **UNITED NATIONS Flags of the World** An extensive mint collection 1980-2001 in two Safe hingeless albums - sheetlets, se-tenant pairs and, privately produced booklets; also nine UNICEF binders covering 1980-1988 issues and two large sheet file albums with UNICEF "Proof" edition pages with Flag issues. An appealing lot for the Flag topical collector, VF NH *Not Illustrated* **Est. 300.00+**

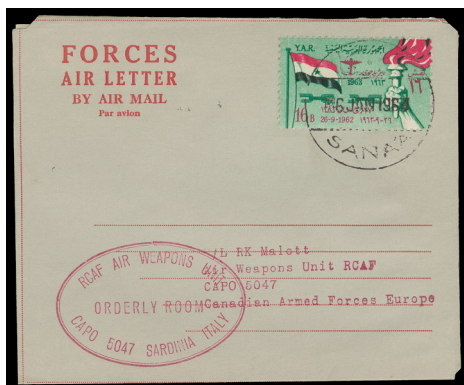


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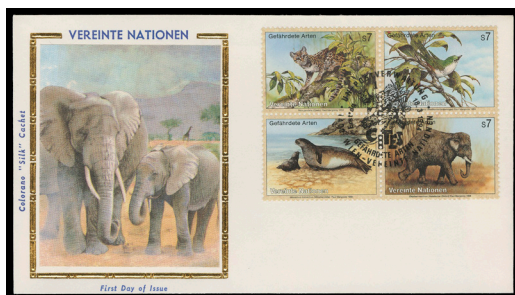


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- 115 ☒ **UNITED NATIONS Extensive Postal Stationery Collection** Housed in five deluxe binders with excellent coverage from early to most recently issued for New York, Geneva & Vienna, unused or with First Day Cancellations for postal envelopes, postal cards, aerograms, etc., displayed on stockpages. Noted scarce New York UC2 1954 10c with narrow white border surrounding indicia, first day cancelled, UXC2a & b with double and inverted surcharges (both listed and unpriced), etc. Clean condition throughout, VF (Scott cat. US\$1,950+) **Est. 400.00+**
- 116 ☒ **UNITED NATIONS The London 1945 United Nations Slogan Cancel Collection** Unusually comprehensive range of about 275 covers franked with British stamps and tied by London 1945 United Nations slogan, with daily cancellation dates starting from December 1, 1945 and each day being represented (no Dec. 25, 26 as post office was closed, nor a January 6 date) up to January 19, 1946. Also noted scarce diamond censor marking and a copy of booklet titled "The London 1945 United Nations Slogan Cancellation" by William J. Barnes. Overall condition generally Fine or better and no doubt a real challenging assembly. **Est. 500.00+**



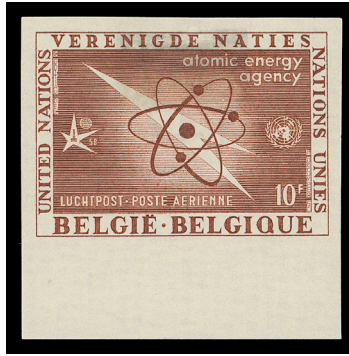
117 **UNITED NATIONS Diplomatic Mail - Peacekeeping - Emergency Forces' Mail** Carton filled with a few hundred covers related to Diplomatic Mail, Canadian CFPO, Peacekeeping, Emergency Forces, various agencies such as UNICEF, Agriculture, Relief departmental correspondence mailed from various regions in the world with myriad frankings or free of charge, noting a wide range of special handstamps, straightlines, etc. A great lot subject for specialization, Fine to Very Fine **Est. 500.00+**



118 **UNITED NATIONS Extensive First Day Cover Collection** Well over 14,000 cacheted FDC from New York, Geneva & Vienna offices, virtually all different and unaddressed starting with first issues to about 2000, organized in filing boxes. The strength of the collection is found in the 15+ different cachet makers, noting limited editions, handpainted / hand-drawn cachets, silk cachets, etc. An impressive and very comprehensive lot, which has certainly taken years of collecting and searching, VF **Est. 750.00+**



119 **UNITED NATIONS Special "Triple Cancels" Large Size First Day Covers** Four binders with 185 different large size cacheted unaddressed FDC, each showing a specific definitive series or commemorative series from all three offices on the same envelope and "triple" first day cancelled; unusual lot and not often seen, VF **Est. 250.00+**



- 120 ★✉ **UNITED NATIONS Related Areas Collections** France UNESCO 1961-2014 mint NH and FDC collection in two albums, Belgium 1958 United Nations Issue complete set of 16 in mint NH sheets of 30, plus imperforate set of 16 singles with sheet margin at foot, and many FDC related to the issue; Netherlands New Guinea - West Irian "UNTEA" display of the four sets / different types mint NH including varieties, four overprinted FDC and some postal stationery, mainly clean condition throughout; an appealing and not often seen lot, F-VF or better **Est. 350.00+**

- 121 ★◎P **UNITED NATIONS Collection Balance** Two stockbooks and several sheet files containing a clean mint NH duplicated range of Swiss precursors and United Nations recent mint NH new issues, souvenir sheets & panes (up to 2024). Noted 1960 Forestry & 1973 Disarmament plate proof pairs; UN thematic packs & annual collections, odds & ends, literature & reference books including Catalogue of United Nations Postal Administration & Events Sheets, the United Nations Archives, Greg Manning, November 2003 auction catalogue, United Nations Philately edited by Arleigh Gaines in three thick binders, plus UN Scott Specialized 2023 catalogue. *Not Illustrated Est. 350.00+*

- 122 ★◎ **WORLDWIDE Miscellaneous Assortment** Hundreds of stamps on stockpages, retail & auction cards, leaves and album pages many from old-time collections, etc. Noted Australian States, notably Tasmania numeral cancels, Indian States, Jamaica, Japan including modern issues, various pre-1940 British Colonials in small stockbooks, worldwide range on retired circuit books, etc. Inspect. *Not Illustrated Est. 750.00+*



- 123 ✉ **WORLDWIDE Miscellaneous Covers** An interesting lot of a few hundred covers and cards from classics to 1930s, noting large group of France Ceres & Napoleon frankings, British Empire with Australian States including interest in numeral cancels, excellent showing of Tasmania among other states, various other colonies, Japan, large group of USA "Banknote" issues on cover. Many are in plastic sleeves ready for resale; a great lot for a dealer with potential for better findings, F-VF; worth a close look. **Est. 1,000.00+**

- 124 ★◎ **WORLDWIDE Balance of Consignment** Great Britain collection in two binders, from 1840 1p & 2p used to recent issues; emphasis on 1990s to 2010s mint NH; plus two binders of mint NH Commonwealth collections of 2011 Prince William & Kate Middleton Wedding and 2015 QEII Longest Reigning Monarch. Also Worldwide with assortment of unused / used postal cards from various countries / colonies, USA from an 1847 5c used, various early to recent mint / used in a stockbook and one binder; etc. Inspect. *Not Illustrated Est. 750.00+*



A LIFETIME WORLDWIDE STAMP COLLECTION

Presenting an extensive lifetime Worldwide collection, which started during World War II and blossomed over time from its many acquisitions at stamp bourses and regional stamp clubs in Ontario. The owner was particularly fond of stamps from the British Empire and French Colonies. Organized on two-sided stockpages in nearly 200 binders, we have divided the collection by area (14 lots). Majority of countries & colonies are represented including “dead countries” which at one time or another issued stamps. Understandably, condition tends to be variable, nevertheless there is excellent and useful coverage to most countries, mint or used, starting from first issues running up to the modern era. An excellent entry point for anyone wanting to branch out and to re-discover the pleasures of collecting “the World”!

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| 125 | ★◎ Africa 10 binders, notables are Egypt, Ethiopia, Liberia, Libya, Somalia, etc. | Est. 750.00+ |
| 126 | ★◎ Asia 13 binders, noting better China Empire (early issues, back-of-book, etc.) and P.R.C. noting Butterflies set, Japan, Korea, various South East Asia, etc. | Est. 3,000.00+ |
| 127 | ★◎ British Africa 8 binders, includes as well British Atlantic; noting better Mauritius, Sierra Leone, Seychelles, South Africa & Republics, and Zanzibar. | Est. 1,500.00+ |
| 128 | ★◎ British Asia 6 binders, notables areas & colonies are Hong Kong, India & States, Malaya & States and Straits Settlements. | Est. 1,000.00+ |
| 129 | ★◎ Great Britain & British Europe 15 binders includes Great Britain, Channel Islands, Ireland, Cyprus, Gibraltar and Malta; also Offices Abroad. | Est. 1,500.00+ |
| 130 | ★◎ British North America 16 binders, includes Canada, Newfoundland and some Maritime Provinces; noting Canada mint AND used collections as well as plate blocks, sheetlets, booklets, precancels, revenues, covers / cards and miscellaneous. | Est. 1,500.00+ |
| 131 | ★◎ British Oceania 10 binders, notable areas and colonies are Australian States, Cook Islands, Fiji, New Zealand, Tonga. | Est. 1,500.00+ |
| 132 | ★◎ British West Indies 15 binders from Antigua to Virgin Islands, and as well Bermuda, British Guiana, British Honduras and Falkland Islands. | Est. 1,500.00+ |
| 133 | ★◎ Western Europe 35 binders, notable countries and areas are Austria, Belgium (and Colonies) Denmark, Germany, Luxembourg, Netherlands (and Colonies) and Portugal (and Colonies). | Est. 3,500.00+ |
| 134 | ★◎ Eastern Europe 15 binders, notables are Hungary, Russia, Yugoslavia & areas. | Est. 1,000.00+ |
| 135 | ★◎ France & Colonies France in three binders and Colonies in ten binders; noted France souvenir sheets - 1925 Philatelic Exhibition, 1927 Strasbourg and 1937 PEXIP, nice range of semi-postals including Scott B10 among others; French Colonies with notables such as Algeria, Lebanon, Madagascar, Offices Abroad, Reunion, Senegal, Somali Coast, Syria, etc. | Est. 3,500.00+ |
| 136 | ★◎ Latin America 17 binders, notables are Cuba, Dominican Republic, Mexico, Venezuela. | Est. 1,500.00+ |
| 137 | ★◎ Middle East 6 binders, noting Iran (early period not counted), Kuwait, Qatar, Turkey, Yemen, etc. | Est. 600.00+ |
| 138 | ★◎ United States 13 binders, also noted revenues, duck stamps, Possessions, UN and miscellaneous. | Est. 500.00+ |



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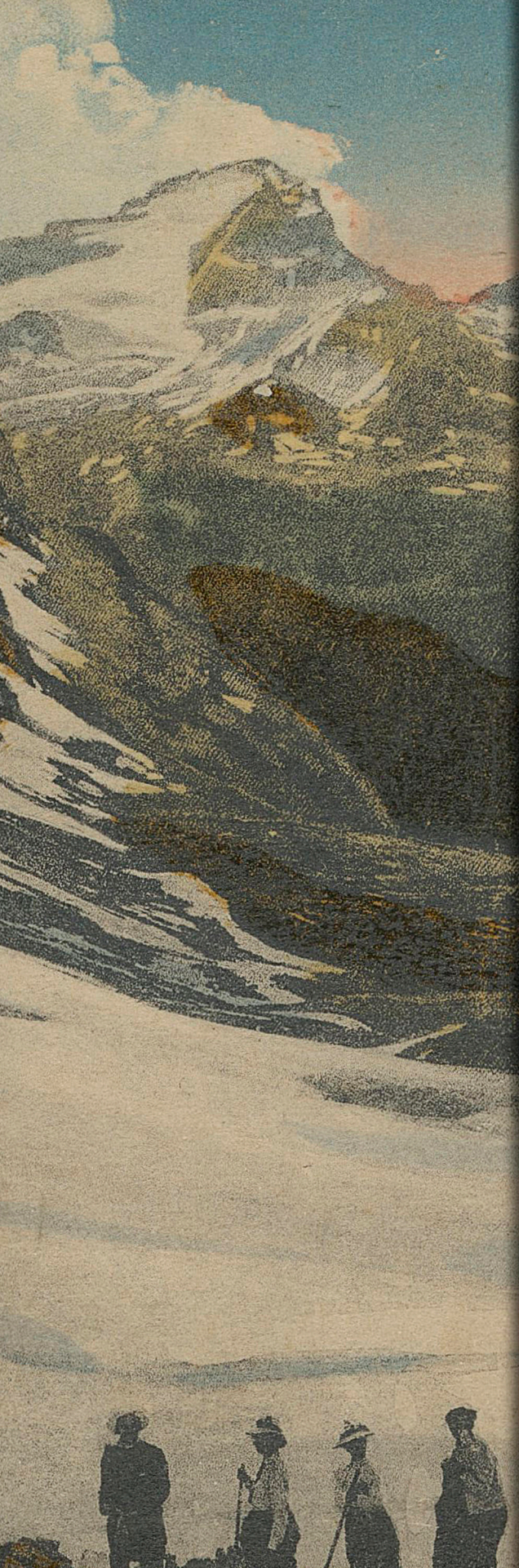


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Alberta



We are very pleased to present the late Rick Parama's very extensive and profusely researched collections of Alberta postal history, from the early Territorial period to modern era with major studies & displays on A to Z town postmarks with emphasis on ERD and LRD, registered, routes and railway post offices; depicting social history through covers and hundreds of illustrated postcards.

The offerings of this preeminent collection, we positively hope, will ignite the attention of any would-be specialist to pursue this rewarding and highly interesting facet of Canadian philately.

Lot 139 - 176



ALBERTA

The late Rick Parama preeminent Alberta postal history and related collections. See also Lot 830-833.



- 139 **Earliest Known Cover with Calgary Postmark 1883** (October 15) Cover from Calgary only two weeks after opening of the Post Office (on October 1st). Bearing pair of 3c orange red Montreal printing perf 12 tied by target cancels, quite clear Calgary split ring CDS, toning and faults to cover and franking. Pays 5c UPU letter rate (overpaid by 1c) to the U.K. Despite the faults, an historically important cover - the EARLIEST KNOWN COVER postmarked at Calgary, Fine (Unitrade 37) **Est. 250.00+**

The transcontinental route north of Lake Superior was not been completed until 1885. This cover was routed first to Winnipeg and then south through the USA via closed bag to Hamilton where it was backstamped OC 22 83 before being sent to England.



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- 140 **The Earliest Registered Handstamp Cover from Calgary 1884** (August 4) Cover franked with single 3c bright orange, 6c yellow brown with not readily apparent flaw at top and 2c orange RLS tied by target cancels; pays triple weight registered letter to Toronto; neat Calgary split ring dispatch. A very scarce and EARLIEST REPORTED USAGE of the straightline registration handstamp from Calgary; RPO transit and Registered Toronto CDS backstamps, VF (Unitrade 37, 39, F1) **Est. 300.00+**
- 141 **Unusual Three-Colour Franking for 10-Cent UPU Letter Rate to Austria 1887** (August 27) Cover to Austria bearing Montreal printing Small Queen 1c yellow (2), 2c green and 3c dull red (2) tied or cancelled by unusual segmented "intaglio star" cork cancels, Calgary AU 27 87 split ring dispatch, overall light ageing and some edge wear at right; a scarce early Territorial cover to Europe, pays double UPU letter rate to Austria, two different Austrian backstamps, Fine; *ex. Don Bowen "Ten Auction" (June 1995; Lot 2190)* (Unitrade 35i, 36i, 37) **Est. 300.00+**

**THE VERY SCARCE ANOMALOUS TWO CENT
REGISTRATION FEE TO THE UNITED STATES**



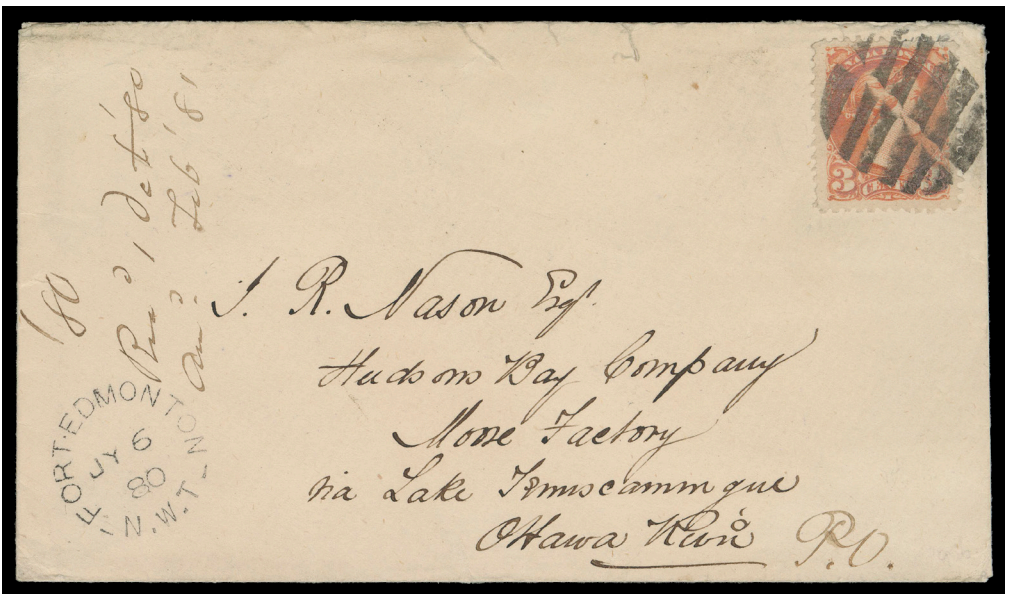
- 142 ☒ 1888 (March 7) Anomalous 2 cent registration fee mailed from Calgary to San Francisco, a beautiful and very striking cover bearing well centered 3c bright orange Montreal printing perf 12 and 2c orange RLS, small perf flaws, both superbly tied by segmented corks, equally well struck Calgary MR 7 88 split ring dispatch and oval "R" registry handstamp with additional strikes of both on reverse, RPO and Victoria, BC transit, small part of backflap missing, complete unframed four-line Registered MAR 21 88 San Francisco. This gorgeous cover is listed as Cover 3 (among 14 reported) in Harrison, Arfken & Lussey census Table 34 and is THE THIRD EARLIEST RECORDED DATE, and the earlier of two known from Alberta. A great cover ideal for a serious collection, VF (Unitrade 37, F1) **Est. 1,500.00+**

Provenance: S.J. Menich, Victorian Era Postal History, Firby, June 2000; Lot 263

The newly reduced, short-lived 2c registration fee to the US was valid March 1 to April 30, 1888. It was swiftly objected by the US as their registration fee was 10c. An Amendment to the Postal Convention on April 25 stated that the fee between the US and Canada could not be less than 5c or greater than 10c, effective May 1st.



- 143 **Attractive Three-Colour Franking to England 1890** (March 3) Small cover mailed registered from Calgary to England, bearing an unusual franking of 1c yellow pair, 3c vermilion Ottawa printings and a late Montreal printing 5c dark olive grey tied by mute grids and oval Registered London datestamp in red, five different backstamps. Pays 5c registration fee with regular stamps against postal regulations at the time (should have been a 5c RLS) and 5c UPU letter rate; 3c has dulled perfs from placement, otherwise in remarkable shape and with great appeal, VF (Unitrade 35, 38, 41) **Est. 250.00+**
- 144 **Earliest Known Cover from Didsbury 1895** (August 27) Registered cover to New York, franked with 3c vermilion and 5c grey neatly tied by clear Didsbury split rings, oval "R" registry handstamps at left; on reverse RPO, Winnipeg, St. Paul and New York receiver. The ERD Territorial cover from Didsbury, VF (Unitrade 41, 42) *Illustrated on Page 45 Est. 150.00+*



- 145 **Very Scarce Fort Edmonton, NWT Cover to Moose Factory, James Bay 1880** (July 6) Clean, attractive cover bearing a 3c vermilion Small Queen, Montreal printing perf 12, tied by well struck segmented grid cancel, complete and clear Fort Edmonton, NWT split ring CDS; from Hudson Bay Co. fort (now Edmonton). An early usage of this very scarce postmark, travelled via closed bag to Winnipeg with AU 2 transit backstamp, also Ottawa AU 6, Pembroke AU 7 and Mattawa AU 11 transits, received at James Bay October 1st with docketing at left, nearly 3 months in transit, couple small opening tears at top. A rare early Territorial cover, VF (Unitrade 37) **Est. 500.00+**

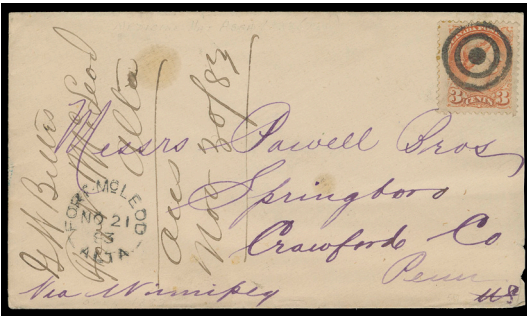


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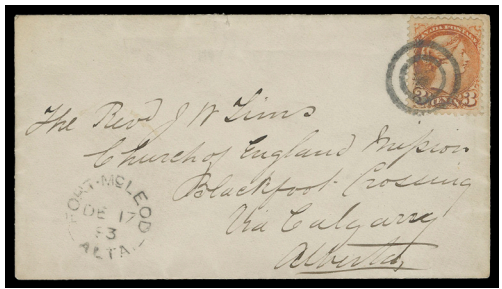


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- 146 **District / Territorial Egg Lake Split Ring 1899** (March 3) Clean cover mailed to William Rennie, Toronto bearing well centered pair of 1c Numeral neatly tied by clear Egg Lake split ring dispatch CDS, interestingly enough post office revenue for 1899 was a mere \$5.26; partial St. Albert and Toronto receiver backstamps; ex. *Vincent G. Greene* handstamp on back, VF (Unitrade 75) **Est. 150.00+**

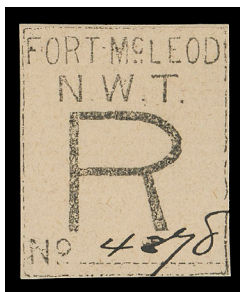


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- 147 **Earliest Known Fort McLeod Postmarked Cover 1883** (Nov. 21) Cover to Pennsylvania bearing a large margined 3c orange Montreal printing perf 12, socked-on-nose target cancel, clear Fort McLeod split ring dispatch, endorsed "Via Winnipeg", carried by North West Mounted Police to Medicine Hat with NO 24 transit backstamp; docketing at left, couple spots and slightly reduced at right, a very early Territorial cover - the earliest known from Fort McLeod, Fine (Unitrade 37) **Est. 200.00+**
- 148 **Very Early and Short-lived Mail Route 1883** (Dec. 17) Small cover from Fort McLeod to Blackfoot Crossing via Calgary, 3c orange neatly tied by target cancel, clear split ring dispatch. This mail route between Calgary and Fort McLeod was opened mid-November 1883 and administered by the NWMP for only about 6 weeks, on January 1st, 1884 the contract was awarded to Captain John Stewart's stage company; a very rare route cover carried under this NWMP contract, VF (Unitrade 37) **Est. 250.00+**



- 149 **Special Registration Box** The only known full strike of this particular style registration boxed handstamp "FORT McLEOD / N.W.T. / R / No. ___" with registry number entered in manuscript, short-lived and very rare as the handstamp was modified with Fort McLeod removed, VF **Est. 200.00+**

Only one other example is known on or off cover - struck on a 2c Registered Letter Stamp with only half of the strike visible; ex. *Dr. Thompson Collection* (Eastern Auctions, February 2016; Lot 621 - sold for \$1,150 hammer).



THE ONLY KNOWN LARGE QUEEN USAGE
FROM DISTRICT OF ALBERTA



- 150 1889 (March 20) Cover with intact red wax seal on reverse from Fort McLeod to Warwickshire, England, bearing a 15c blue grey tied by mostly legible Fort McLeod duplex, Leamington Spa receiver on back; backflap missing, peripheral flaws to cover. Pays a triple weight UPU letter rate to the U.K.. According to R. Parama - the only known District of Alberta large queen cover, Fine (Unitrade 30b)

Est. 500.00+



- 151 **Superb Mixed-Issue Franking with Special N.W.T. Registration Handstamp 1899** (April 6) Superb registered cover to William Rennie, Toronto, bearing 1c Small Queen and 1c & 3c Numerals tied by mute grids, neat MacLeod dispatch CDS (name change October 1st, 1892 from Fort McLeod), showing a striking special registration boxed handstamp "N.W.T. / R / No. ___", the second state of the handstamp with Fort McLeod name removed, RPO and Toronto AP 11 receiver backstamps. A striking and appealing registered cover ideal for exhibition, VF; ex. *Stewart Kenyon Western Canada Collection* (February 1989; Lot 513 - sold for \$900 hammer) (Unitrade 35, 75, 78) **Est. 750.00+**



- 152 **Special Registration Handstamped Cover 1900** (March 14) Clean registered cover mailed from MacLeod (name changed October 1, 1892 from Fort McLeod) bearing 2c carmine, Die I and 5c blue Numeral issues tied by clear duplex; at left boxed "N.W.T. / R / No. ___" inserted registry number, the second state of the handstamp with Fort McLeod name removed, Toronto MR 19 00 receiver backstamp, VF (Unitrade 77, 79) **Est. 350.00+**

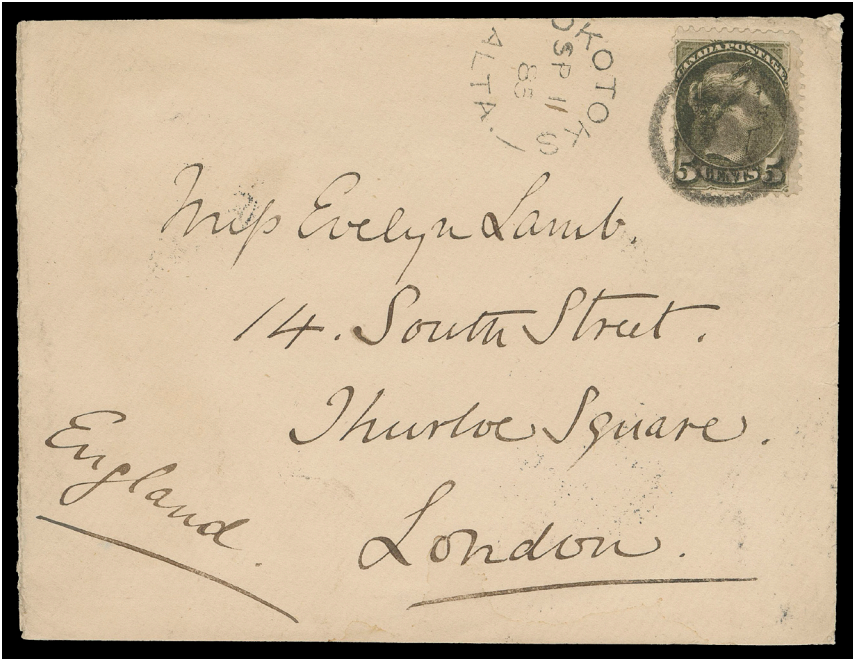


- 153 **Earliest Recorded Postmark From Lethbridge 1886** (May 1) 1c grey lilac postal card with pointed ornaments cancelled by target cancel, showing a well-struck Lethbridge Atla MY 1 86 split ring CDS - the Earliest Recorded Date on card or cover, slight ageing; on reverse message from Union Bank of Lower Canada handstamped "Lethbridge, N.W.T." and dated April 30 1886 on reverse, addressed to Saint John, N.B., VF (Webb P5c) **Est. 200.00+**



- 154 **Early 8-cent Small Queen Franking from Leithbridge to the U.S.** 1893 (October 4) Clean, fresh cover sent registered from Lethbridge to Lynn Massachusetts, bearing 8c blue grey tied by superb Lethbridge split ring CDS, second strike at foot, oval "R" registry handstamp, pays 3c letter rate + 5c registration to the U.S., with RPO, Winnipeg, St. Paul and Lynn backstamps, a beautiful early usage of the 8c Small Queen, especially desirable from Territorial Alberta, VF (Unitrade 44a) **Est. 150.00+**

Parma stated in his write-up in regard to the 8 cent Small Queen: **"the above example is the earliest recorded use in Alberta."**



- 155 **Earliest Reported Date Usage from Okotoks 1885** (September 11) Clean cover bearing 5c deep olive green tied by target cancel, neat Okotoks split ring CDS with second "1" of "SP 11" inserted by hand, pays a 5c UPU letter rate to England; Calgary and Hamilton transit and London SP 29 receiver backstamps. Another SP 11 85 cover exists (also in this collection), this one is by far the finer, VF (Unitrade 38i) Est. 200.00+



- 156 **Very Attractive Map & Numeral Mixed-Issue 1899** (March 17) Striking cover in immaculate condition bearing 2c Map stamp with deep blue oceans pair and single along with a 1c Numeral tied by Tofield Alta. split ring CDS and by bold mute grid cancel, oval "R" registry handstamp, following a scarcer route with Loggan, Alta. split ring struck in transit. A beautiful and unusual way to pay 2c domestic letter rate plus 5c registration, XF; ex. *Vincent G. Greene with his backstamp* Est. 150.00+

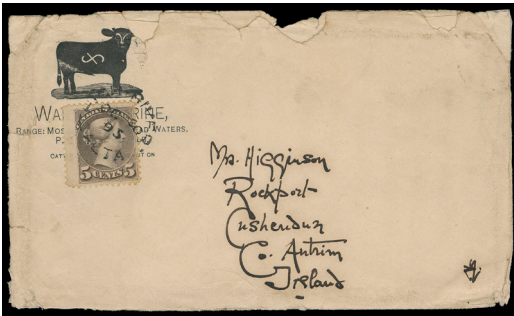


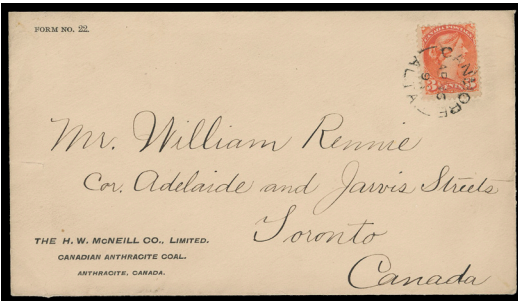
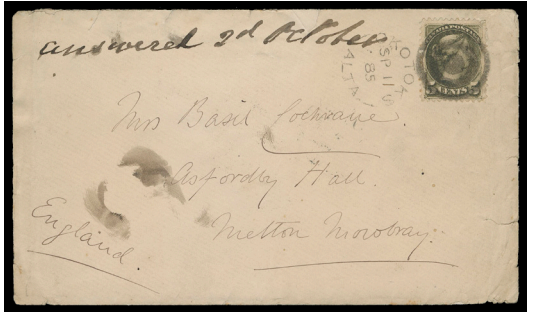
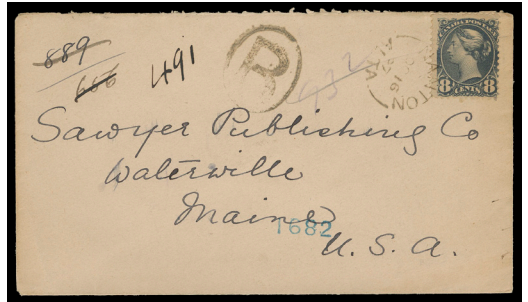
- 157 Canadian Pacific Railway, Banff - First Issue green view on 1c red Queen Victoria, the scarce "Hot Spring Hotel" imprint (22mm long), postmarked Penticton, BC AP 27 98 split ring datestamp, very scarce, VF (Webb CPR 1 cat. \$400) **Est. 250.00+**



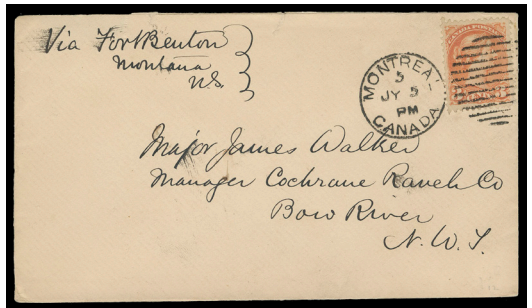
- 158 Canadian Pacific Railway, Chateau Lake Louise "ALTA" (corrected caption) 1c green Admiral with CPR statement for October 1922 on reverse, postmarked at Montreal to USA, rare, VF (Webb CPR68A cat. \$400) **Est. 250.00+**

RICK PARAMA'S ALBERTA POSTAL HISTORY COLLECTIONS





**TERRITORIAL ALBERTA 1880s-1905 POSTAL HISTORY
THE EXCEPTIONAL LIFETIME COLLECTION**



- 159 A fabulous lot comprising of well over 700 covers & cards from Small Queen to early King Edward VII including Jubilee, Leaf, Numeral and Map Stamps, also postal cards & envelopes with myriad usages from many Territorial post offices that were opened (and some closed) to end of August 1905, includes some towns that were once part of Assiniboia Territory (considered part of Alberta and thus an integral part of the collection). Please note: Banff, Calgary, Edmonton, Lethbridge and Medicine Hat are offered separately in this auction (see respective large lots). A great portion of the collection is profusely researched, other portions are displayed on pages from other Alberta collections of the past, such as Westhaver-Thompson, Greene, etc., more recent acquisitions in retail sleeves or auction cards. An outstanding lifetime collection where one will find very rare postmarks, ERD & LRD strikes, an impressive study of little known postal routes & companies carrying the mail, registered mail, incoming & outgoing mail to the U.K. Quality from mixed to VF which is understandable for early Western postal history, numerous covers are in the finest quality attainable. Without question one of the very best and most comprehensive lots of Territorial Alberta postal history ever assembled; a golden opportunity for the specialist and newcomer alike in acquiring a collection that has taken decades to assemble and countless hours to research. Viewing is a pleasure to behold.

Also Illustrated on Pages 51-52 Est. 7,500.00+



POSTAL DEVELOPMENT IN ALBERTA
POST OFFICES ORIGINATING IN THE DISTRICT OF ALBERTA
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First Steel Date Stamp (continued):

USAGES OF THE 1ST STEEL DATER ON POSTAL ISSUES
British American Bank Note Company
Small Queen Issue of 1870 - 1897



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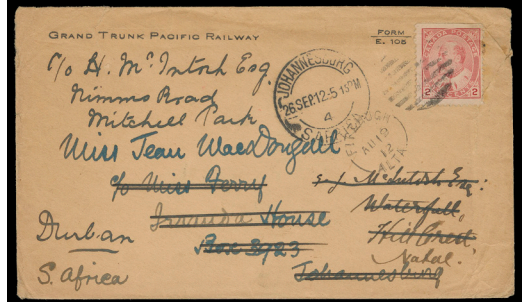
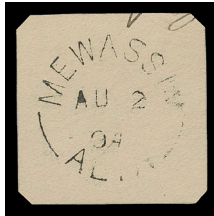
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- 160 © **Territorial Alberta Post Offices - The Extensive Postmark Collection** Several hundred from Small Queens to King Edward VII, including strikes on piece (these often due to their true rarity) with legible to superb strikes, A to W Territorial post offices with large portion on leaves with detailed write-up, often showing ERD / LRD of respective postmark type - split rings, CDS, etc. Some still on retail / auction cards for recent acquisitions as well as a superior holding housed in two stockbooks. Condition from mixed to VF; strikes are often very legible and well struck. Almost never seen this extensive and a "must-have" for the advanced postmark collector. **Est. 1,000.00+**



161 **Alberta Provincial Era Postal History - The Lifetime Collection** The Rick Paroma collection of Alberta Province town postmarked postal history, spanning over a hundred years from 1905 when Alberta became a province - housed in over 100 binders, plus supplementary material on hundreds of pages, more recent acquisitions and some shoeboxes of cancellations. Thousands of covers from King Edward VII era to modern period with strong showing of Admiral era plus numerous on or off piece, includes photos of post offices, vintage or new, and picture postcards to illustrate the collection throughout. The early postal history of Banff, Calgary, Edmonton, Lethbridge and Medicine Hat are offered separately in this auction (see respective large lots). A large part of the collection is written-up and researched, while other areas are still a work in progress. Replete with ERD & LRD postmarks from A to Z, noting many Rarity Factor "E" according to Robinson Post Offices of Alberta listing. An astonishing number of post offices represented some opened for a very short period, different types of cancels, routes, frankings, registered mail, instructional markings, incoming mail. The most comprehensive collection we have had the pleasure to offer, which Mr. Paroma spent countless hours researching, mounting and of course, acquiring items over at least four decades. The "Motherlode" and a once-in-a-generation opportunity to become the proud owner of this very impressive collection. Viewing in person is highly recommended to appreciate its true depth and content. **Est. 5,000.00+**

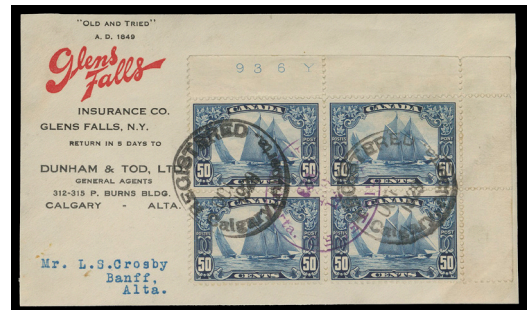
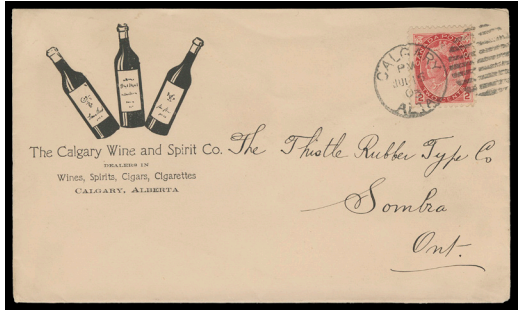
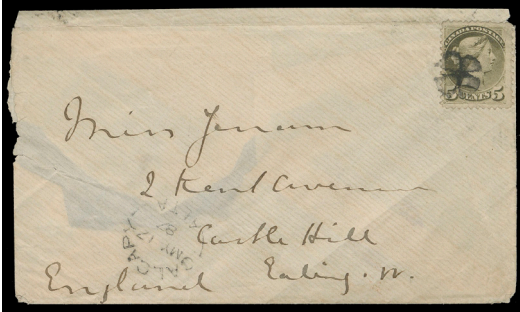


- 162 **Collection of Banff Postal History** Nice collection with over 150 covers & cards, for the most part displayed on pages, at least a third are from the Territorial period, includes one of two known Banff, Alta strikes allocated to first post office - on a 1c postal card, OC 16 86 with handwritten message: "This place must become a place of importance...". This is the Earliest Reported Date for Banff (re-assigned to National Park, Alta in 1887 and back to Banff in 1888); one of only two known National Park, Alta postmarked covers, dated FE 14 88 on a "Sanitarium, Banff N.W.T." illustrated envelope, the two known RLS franked covers from Banff, assortment of early CDS, grids and other cancelling device markings from Banff, various rates, non-letter mail, postcards (and a stack of illustrated postcards not in original count) with different views and scenes, etc. **Est. 500.00+**

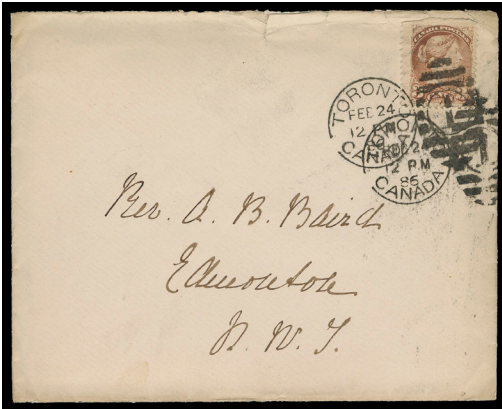
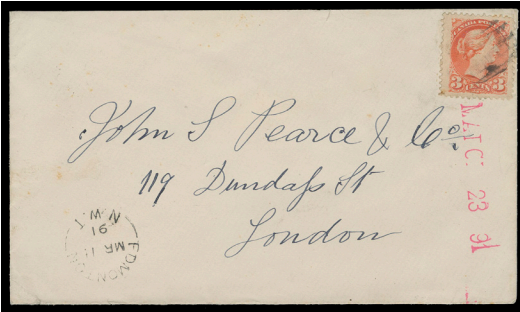


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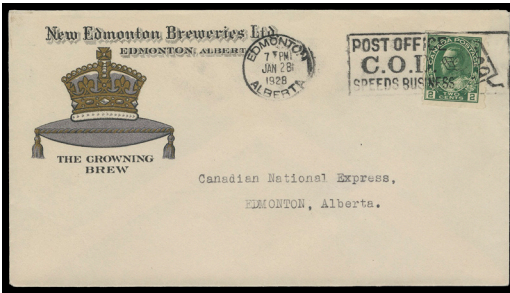
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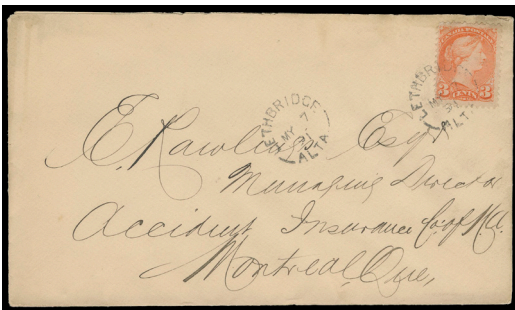
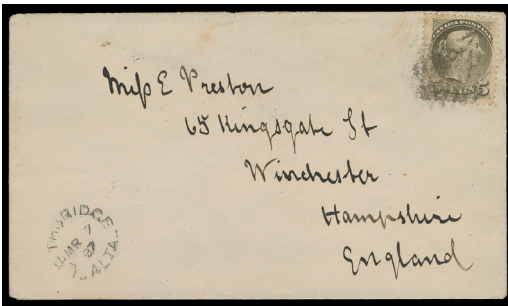
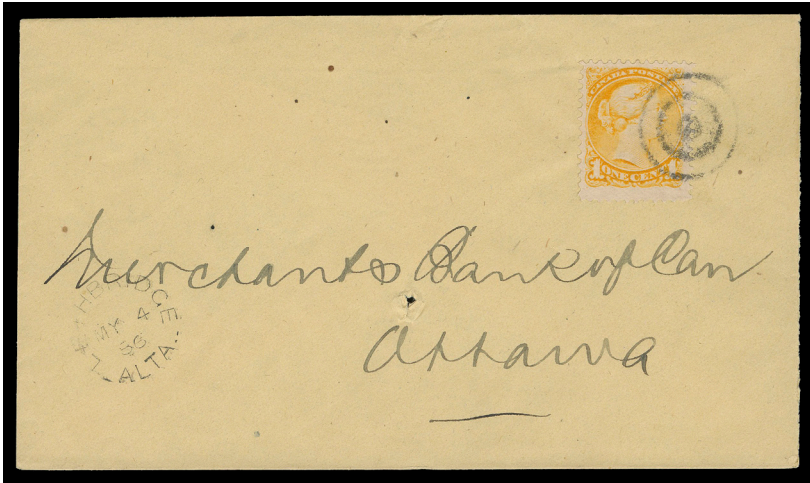
163 ☉✉ **Calgary** Several hundred covers & cards from early 1880s to modern housed in 14 binders, plus loose album pages and recent acquisitions. Detailed study of postmarks with strong showing of early corks (often short-lived and rarely seen), extensive range of cancellation devices including CDS, duplex and sub-types, instructional and registered markings, slogans, machine cancels, and sub post offices. One binder features the social and economic development of Calgary through its many businesses and advertising covers during Territorial and early Provincial periods; also Calgary Stampede collection in two binders. Profusely researched over many years, a remarkable lot devoted to anything related to the Calgary post office over more than a century. A fabulous lot for the postal historian. **Est. 3,000.00+**




A VERY IMPRESSIVE EDMONTON POSTAL HISTORY COLLECTION



- 164 **Edmonton** Several hundred covers & cards from early 1880s to modern, housed in 20 binders, plus many loose leaves and recent acquisitions. A remarkable study covering a broad spectrum of anything related to the Edmonton post office and its postmarks from Territorial corks (many short-lived and rarely seen) to extensive range of cancelling devices including CDS, duplex and sub-types, instructional and registered markings, slogans, machine cancels and sub post offices. Includes airmail, non-letter mail, meter, postage due, advertising, Exhibition covers, etc. Profusely researched over many years, often with detailed write-up. An outstanding collection where the enthusiast will truly have a "field day".
Also Illustrated on Page 58 Est. 3,000.00+



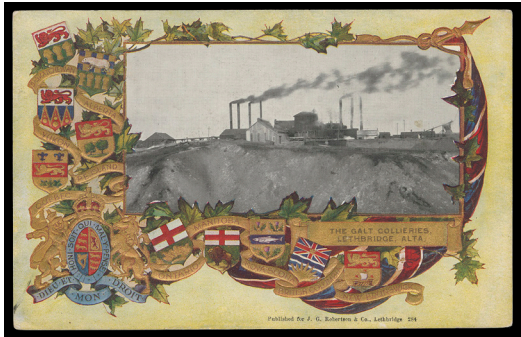
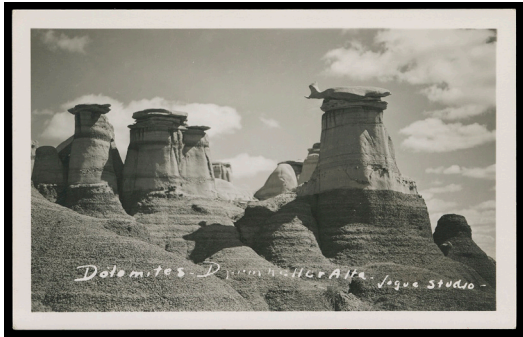
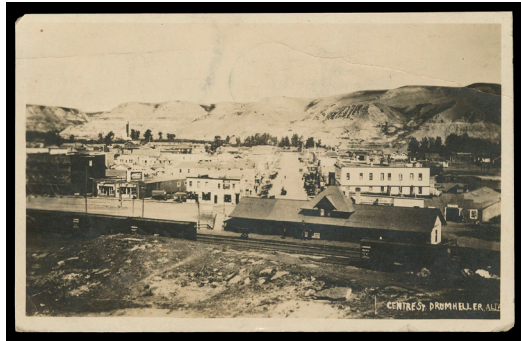
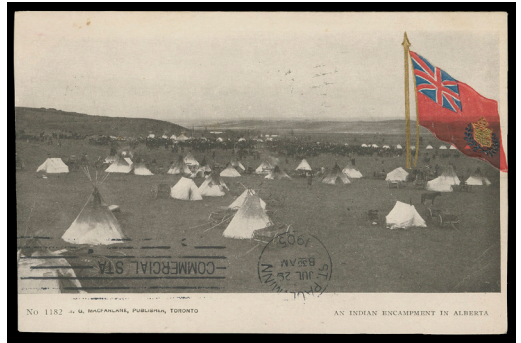
- 165  **Collection of Lethbridge Postal History and Postmarks** An extensive collection of well over 200 covers & cards, about 40 from the Territorial period, from the Second Earliest Recorded Date cover - a 1c Small Queen MY 4 86 circular rate cover to early QEII, includes in depth study of slogan cancels from Admiral era onward in plus various types of cancelling devices. Profusely researched including used stamps with early split rings, CDS, etc. Noted 5c Small Queen on "Blizzard of 1887" cover to England, postmarked March 7, rail line blocked for over a month and a half, the earliest RLS cover from Lethbridge dated AU 9 86 to Loon Creek, Assiniboia, a seldom seen Admiral Censored handstamp postcard, etc. **Est. 750.00+**



- 166 **Collection of Medicine Hat Postal History and Postmarks** Comprehensive lot of 73 covers & cards, more than half postmarked during the Assiniboia Territorial period. From the Earliest Known Cover from Medicine Hat August 2nd, 1883 (faulty and stained) to KGVI era (some more modern shown) with study of various cancelling devices. Many items are meticulously researched with copious notes, including, early split rings, CDS, squared circles, etc. Noted advertising, business imprint covers, squared circled stamps and covers, etc. **Est. 500.00+**



THE IMPRESSIVE COLLECTION OF ALBERTA PICTURE POSTCARDS



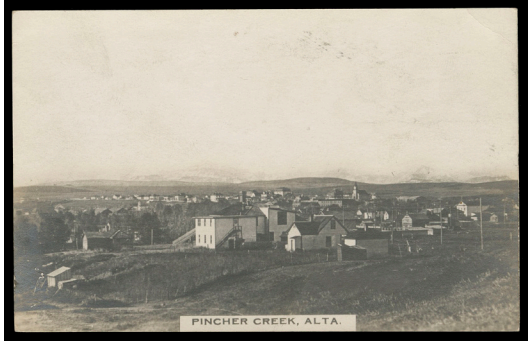
- 167 Fifteen binders with several hundred unused and used cards, most displayed on pages with detailed notes, organized by publisher / photographer - Alberta based, Canadian or non-Canadian. All illustrate a scene or theme related to Alberta including towns, wildlife, nature, architecture and much more, from turn of the century to 1950s plus a few more recent, includes real photos, artist signed postcard prints, patriotic, etc. From the common to the very rare to be found. A lifetime of searching and research - the most comprehensive collection of its kind we have seen, Fine to Very Fine; a wonderful lot ideal for further expansion and study.
- Est. 2,000.00+**



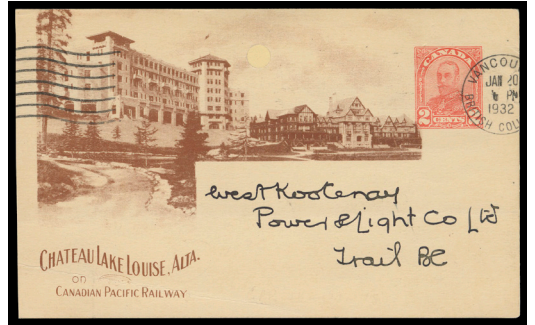
- 168 ☒ **Picture Postcards by Publisher H. Enida Olive Co'y Ltd. Calgary** Comprehensive collection in a very thick binder, over 200 different displayed on quadrilled pages by series number with wide range of topics and themes related to Alberta, unused or used during the 1910s. Black and white or coloured, at times a scene is present both in black & white and in colour. A comprehensive collection of this card publisher which produced many beautiful cards, F-VF **Est. 500.00+**



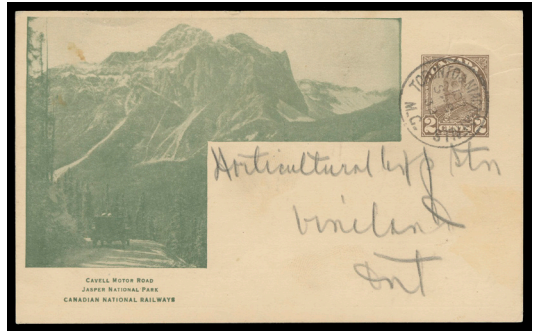
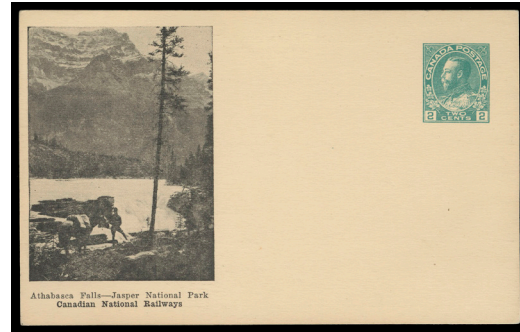
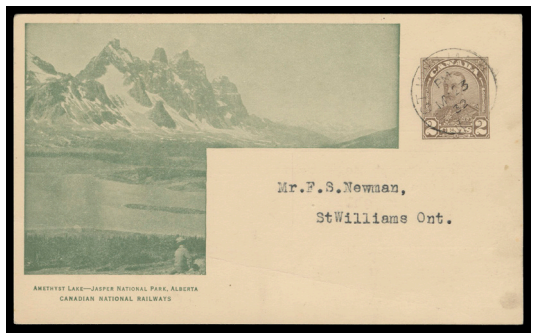
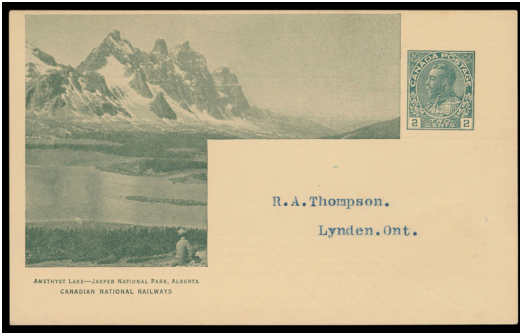
- 169 ☒ **Picture Postcards by Publisher Byron Harmon, Banff** Large collection in three thick binders, a few hundred mostly organized by series number with most themes related to Banff and surrounding area including tourist attractions. High percentage are real photos, black and white, sepia or later coloured; a few odds & ends. A comprehensive collection related to this publisher, F-VF **Est. 500.00+**
- 170 ☒ **Interesting Assortment of Picture Postcards** A few hundred, some on pages with write-up, loose, recent acquisitions on retail sleeves, auction cards, etc. A high percentage are older real photo cards, often with overview of a town, street scene, patriotic, building, mine, mountain, etc. Some "sleepers" likely to be found. Mainly F-VF *Illustrated on Page 64* **Est. 500.00+**



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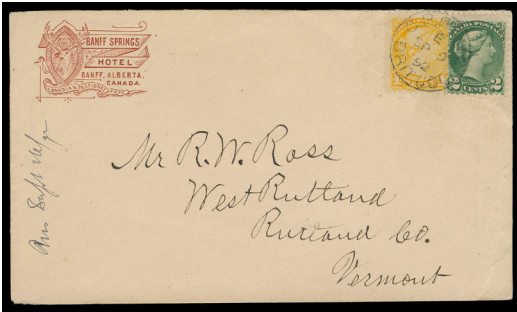
171 **In-Depth Collection of Canada Pacific Railway View Cards** Displayed on pages with over 140 cards, often with detailed write-up on views including Banff, Lake Louise, Giant's Steps, Lake in the Clouds, Mt. Assiniboine. Some light duplication but noted different printed messages, subtypes, usages, etc. Better Webb numbers abound noting unused CPR35G, 68J, used CPR35G (3), 35L, 35C, 36L, 36J, 66F, 66D, 67F, 68I, 68F (3), 72D, 74D, 76F (2), etc. Webb cat. is \$7,790+. **Also another 34 CPR cards** (Webb cat. \$1,435 as regular) with study on plate setting where several have part of adjoining card "captured" at one edge of the card. An interesting lot, quality is nice throughout; several are *ex*. **Horace Harrison.** **Est. 2,000.00+**



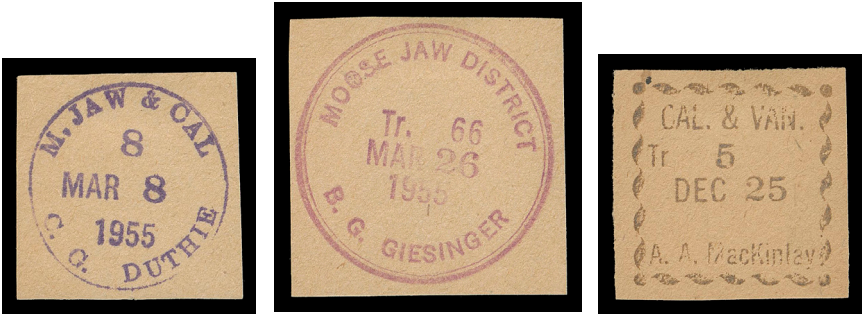
- 172 **Canadian National Railway Viewcards** Displayed on pages - 25 cards, mostly with detailed write-up on views with - Amethyst Lake, Athabasca Falls, Cavell Motor Road, Harvesting in Western Canada, Jasper, Mount Robson. Better Webb cat. numbers featured such as unused CNR2A, 2G, 42B, used CNR 2E, 2G, 4B, 4E, 4F, 4G, 7A, 10A (2), 11B, 11E, etc. Overall nice condition with 15 cards ex. *Horace Harrison*. A nice lot for the specialist. (Webb cat. \$2,705) **Est. 750.00+**



- 173 **Alberta Military Mail** Comprehensive collection on leaves with write-up, number of covers & cards in parentheses, includes Calgary Camp FPO CDS (9), Sarcee (5), Military Post Offices (about 50) MPO numbered between 1302 / 1317, US Army PO in Alberta (7), Prisoner of War Camps in Alberta (19) from Camp "K" / 135. Various frankings, noting registered mail, some are not listed in Bailey & Toop handbook. A great lot for the Military postal historian, F-VF **Est. 750.00+**



**ALBERTA RAILWAY POST OFFICES
A LIFETIME COLLECTION OFFERED INTACT**



174 An extraordinary lot of several hundred covers & cards with RPO strikes, plus hundreds of stamps, multiples or on piece with great emphasis on Western Railway Post Offices (to or from Alberta) housed in 15 binders and two stockbooks, also recent unprocessed material (including Ontario and Maritimes). The collection displayed in the binders has been painstakingly researched and identified by Mr. Parama over many years, including a wealth of ERD & LRD strikes, research on routes, construction of railways, many illustrated postcards of trains, terrain and stations sprinkled throughout. Dedicated binders for railway routes - Calgary & Edmonton (2), Winnipeg & Edmonton, Medicine Hat & Nelson, Calgary & Vancouver (2), Edmonton & Edson (& Prince George), Moose & Jaw & Calgary, plus other less frequently Western RPO routes, etc. Wide range of material including types of RPO postmarks, several dozen different Train Clerk Handstamps (notably Moose Jaw & Calgary and Calgary & Edmonton), high percentage are on piece, many very rare to unique. Ranging from Small Queens to modern era with railway stationery envelopes, picture postcards, frankings, registered mail, many originating from the William Robinson collection. One of the very best & most extensive Western RPO collections ever assembled; offered intact; a "gold-mine" for the RPO enthusiast.

Also Illustrated on Page 66 Est. 3,500.00+



POSTAL DEVELOPMENT IN ALBERTA
POST OFFICES ORIGINATING IN THE NORTH-WEST TERRITORIES
FORT EDMONTON – EDMONTON (2ND OFFICE)

Squared Circle Date Stamp (continued):

USAGES OF THE SQUARED CIRCLE STEEL DATE STAMP ON POSTAL ISSUES
BRITISH AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY ISSUES

Large Queen Issue of 1866



15c Gray Violet
MY17/98



15c Grey
Repatriated Pair
DE7/96
[One Ex-Cohen]

Small Queen Issue of 1870 – 1897



1c
JA27/96



2c
SP27/97



3c
OC28/97



5c
AU20/96



8c
FE7/95



10c
AU20/94

Widowed Queen Issue of 1893



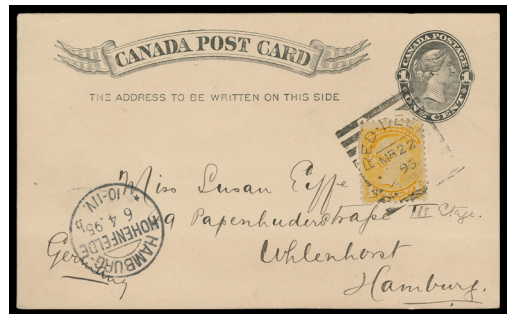
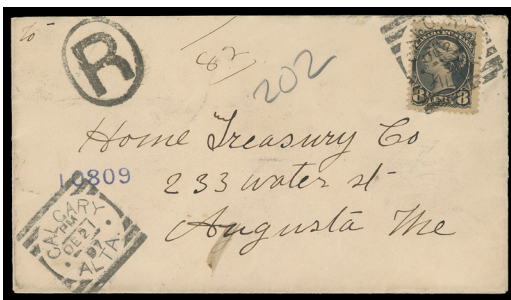
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- 175 © **Collection of Alberta Squared Circle Strikes on Stamps** Over 300 stamps with squared circles of Calgary, Edmonton, Innisfail, Lethbridge, MacLeod and Red Deer on leaves, stockpages or retail cards; range of singles plus some multiples noting a few 15c Large Queens, an impressive array of 1c to 10c Small Queens, a few Widow Weeds, Jubilees to 50c, Leaf & Numerals and 1898 Maps. A few indicia subtypes and varieties shown such as Lethbridge with reversed year "89" on 2c Numeral, two Calgary "89" reversed year dates on 3c Numeral, Calgary "7" time slot (rare) on three different Numerals (1c, 2c purple and 2c on 3c provisional), etc. Calgary very early date (JA 18 94) on 3c SQ, Edmonton very early date (AP 16 94) on 10c SQ, Innisfail ERD (DE 31 95) on 3c SQ pair, Red Deer ERD (NO 5 94) on 3c SQ. Condition from mixed to VF; strikes generally quite clear or better. A great collection.

Est. 750.00+



176  **Collection of Alberta Squared Circles on Covers / Cards** An impressive lot of over 150 covers / cards with squared circle postmarks, mostly as dispatch. This holding represents 30 to 40% or more of the reported strikes on cover for each town; noting Calgary (76) including 21 Small Queen frankings, five are registered noting a registered parcel post to Medicine Hat, ERD (JA 10 94) on 1c postal card, 2c Map (2); Edmonton (23) and Lethbridge (18) both towns with 5 Small Queen franked covers each, Lethbridge with 1/2c Numeral (10) on cover to Australia, redirected to London, England, a 2c Map (rare) dated MR 2 99; Innisfail (12) including 4 SQ frankings, one of which is registered with 1c (3) + 5c MR 2 96 to Toronto, stated as ERD of Innisfail squared circle strike on cover, a registered cover with 1c Numeral + 2c Map (3); MacLeod (14) including 8 SQ frankings, one is registered with 5c RLS, a 3c Jubilee on The Queen's Hotel advert cover, 1c short paid card to France; Red Deer (17) noting two 2c Map covers, four SQ registered covers, an uprated 1c card to Germany. A rarely seen comprehensive collection of Alberta squared circle postal history. Condition from mixed to VF with clarity of the strikes mainly clear to superb. **Est. 2,500.00+**

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THE POST OFFICE RECORD SHEET

Gilbert Griffin, P.O. Inspector, London, Ont.

British Columbia Postage Stamps in hand at the Colonial Secretary's Office on the 24th August 1871.

Denomination		Number of sheets	Number in each sheet	Value	
\$	1.00	490	240	\$	117.600.00
	50	2117	"		254.040.00
	25	1882	"		112.920.00
	10	500	"		12.000.00
	5	610	"		7320.00
			Total	\$	503.880.00

Certified that the above stamps were this day destroyed by fire in our presence, with the exception of 60 (sixty) of each denomination preserved as specimens.

Victoria
26th August 1871

Charles Good
Colonial Secretary

180 © 1871 Colonial Accounting Document Certificate - The Destruction of British Columbia Stamps
 Five different denominations of the 1869-1871 Coat of Arms perf 14 affixed at right and manuscript cancelled, with detailed summary of remaining sheets left and returned to Victoria from all existing post offices in British Columbia. Annotated: "Certified that the above stamps were this day destroyed by fire in our presence, with the exception of 60 (sixty) of each denomination preserved as specimens" signed Charles Good Colonial Secretary, Victoria 26th August, 1871 and penciled at top: "Gilbert Griffin, P.O. Inspector, London, Ont.". An outstanding document of historical significance - the end of the Colonial era postage stamps, signalling the beginning of the new era when Large Queens started to be circulated in British Columbia. Est. 15,000.00+

Provenance: Dale-Lichtenstein, H.R. Harmer Inc., May 2006; Lot 77



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- 181 ★ 9, 1869 5c on 3p Bright Red, Perf 14 A premium mint single, very well centered for the issue, brilliant colour and full dull streaky original gum, VF VLH **700.00**
- 182 ★ 11, 1869 (August) 25c Orange, Crown CC, Perf 14 A post office fresh mint block with intact perforations, above average centering for the issue and in an excellent state of preservation with full, dull streaky original gum, characteristic of the DLR printing, relatively lightly hinged; a great block in all respects, Fine+ (Unitrade cat. as singles) **2,400.00+**

Blocks are scarce and should command a considerable premium over the sum of its singles.



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- 183 ★ 15, 1869 10c on 3p Lilac Rose, Crown CC, Perf 12½ A well centered mint hinged pair, bright colour on fresh paper, light crease, but showing large part original gum. Multiples are rarely seen - in fact only one mint block of four (none larger) exists in private hands, Fine+ H **4,400.00+**
- Provenance: Dale-Lichtenstein, H.R. Harmer LLC, May 2004; Lot 116
- 184 ★ 15, 1869 10c on 3p Lilac Rose, Perf 12½ A lovely mint single with bright fresh colour, characteristic uncleared perf discs, better centering than normally seen and unusually full, dull streaky original gum, F-VF H; 2024 Greene Foundation cert. **2,700.00**



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- 185 ◎ 17, 1869 50c on 3p Violet, Perf 12½ A nice used example, a few irregular perfs at foot as often seen, unobtrusive oval grid cancel in blue, Fine+ **800.00+**
- 186 ★ 18, 1869 \$1 Green, Perf 12½ The key value mint with superior bright colour, quite well centered, characteristic irregular perfs, large portion dull streaky original gum; lightly signed in pencil by expert Sergio Sismondo on back, Fine+; 2007 Sismondo cert. **3,200.00**



- 187 **Attractive Prepaid Cover to France 1864 (December)** Clean white cover, albino Edgar & Aime, Victoria, V.I. embossed on flap, clearly struck large oval Post Office PAID Victoria, Vancouver Island (R. Lowe HS-5) provisional frank in blue denoting 5 cents Colonial postage was paid, additionally rated "15" prepaid to France for a half ounce letter, through U.S. and then by American packet via England. Neat San Francisco DEC 14 1864 double ring datestamp next to transit New York "6" JAN 14 CDS in red along with four different French transit and receivers (one on front and three on back), French boxed "PD" (paid) in red; sealed cover tear at right, a beautiful and rare early Vancouver Island Colony prepaid trans-Atlantic cover to France, a lovely cover, VF (Enclosed are details on allocation of rate; likely carried on the Inman Line packet 'Etna' from New York) **Est. 750.00+**

The Vancouver Island 5c & 10c postage stamps were issued months later, in September of 1865.



- 188 **Vancouver Island Colony: Very Scarce Incoming Mail 1866 (August 13)** Envelope mailed at Ardgay, Scotland, addressed to Hudson's Bay Company Store in Victoria, franked with two singles 6p lilac watermarked Emblems, cancelled by AU 13 1866 duplex "49", via London AU 14, with docketing "Recd 25 Sep 1866" at left; cover wrinkling along edges as expected for such a well-traveled cover to the Colony of Vancouver Island (merging with British Columbia in November 1866), Fine **Est. 500.00+**

The cover went via London to Liverpool, by Cunard packet to New York, by rail to St. Joseph, by stage coach along the "Central Overland Route" to Sacramento, by ferry to San Francisco and then to its final destination.



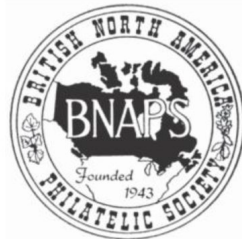
- 189 **Incoming Mail Redirected to N.W.T. via Fort Benton (Montana) 1879** (May 29) Cover from Mrs. Edgar Dewdney to Mrs. O'Reilly in Victoria, franked with 3c red pair Montreal printing perf 11½x12 cancelled by corks, Sherbrooke split ring dispatch at left, backflap missing, travelled overland via San Francisco to Victoria with JU 15 79 arrival backstamp next to endorsement "E. Dewdney Care of Baker & Co. Fort Benton Montana" (Baker & Company held a police mail contract between Fort MacLeod Territorial Alberta and Fort Benton, Montana). It seems this letter was directed to Edgar Dewdney via Fort MacLeod a few weeks after being appointed Canadian Indian Commissioner. It is presumed all mail at this time (during Dewdney travels through N.W.T.) was sent first to Fort MacLeod; then carried by despatch due to his high position. An historically important cover with a most unusual route, F-VF; with Mr. Parama's notes on historical context & police mail service. (Unitrade 37e) **Est. 350.00+**

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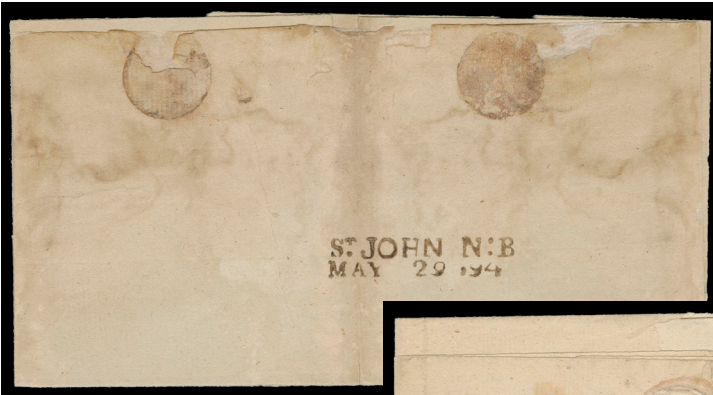


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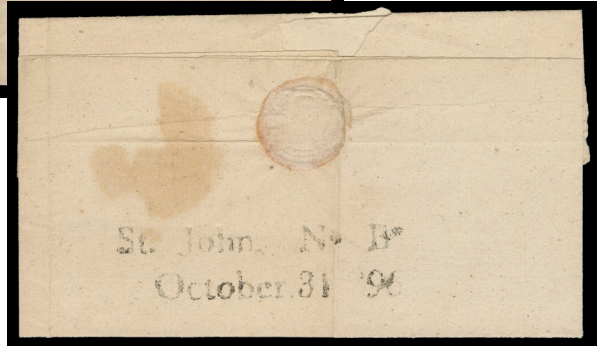


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- 190 **Very Rare Early St. John Double Circle Datestamp** 1788 Clean folded cover carried privately with "6 Ma 1788" docketing on reverse, addressed to New Brunswick, superbly struck double circle "St. JOHN N.B. MA. 21." datestamp on reverse (JGY Type 19 RF 9 - recorded use only in 1788); light central fold, flap flaws from wax seal removal well away from the early marking, VF **Est. 500.00+**
- 191 **Incoming Mail: St. James Coffee House, London to St. John with Neat Halifax Transit** Folded lettersheet datelined "London 1st March '90 St. James's Coffee House St. James's Street" to Rainsford River St. John, New Brunswick, "Pd 1/-" prepaying Falmouth packet postage and "9 + 2N11" in black for inland postage collect, minor age stain mainly at lower left, reverse struck in transit with superb split double circle HALIFAX / N: SCOTIA" with two-line date MAY 25 / 90. (Macdonald Type HAL-4b), a Fine early dated cover with VF strike. **Est. 500.00+**



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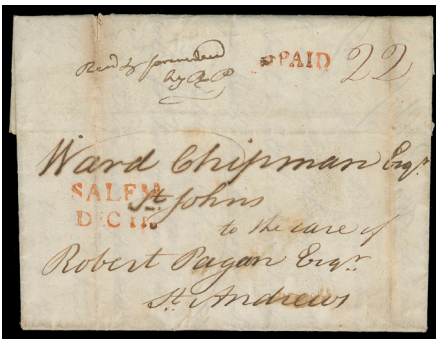


- 192 **Very Rare St. John NB Straightline Datestamp** 1794 Folded cover with lightened addressee, light overall staining; on reverse a remarkably well-struck two-line St. JOHN N:B / MAY 29 '94 handstamp (JGY Type 12), a VF strike of this early straightline. **Est. 350.00+**

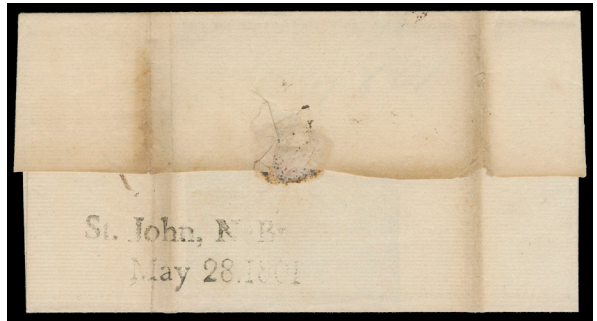
Provenance: Hugh Wood "November" Collection, Christie's Robson Lowe, February 1994; Lot 230

J. Ronald Saint New Brunswick Collection, Brigham Auctions, June 2000; Lot 181

- 193 **Very Scarce Two-Line St. John Straightline Datestamp** 1796 (October 31) Folded cover from St. John to Fredericton, rated "N7" with clear, complete two-line St. John, N*B* October 31 '96 straightline (JGY Type 13a), light stain away from the marking and overall in an excellent state of preservation, VF **Est. 350.00+**



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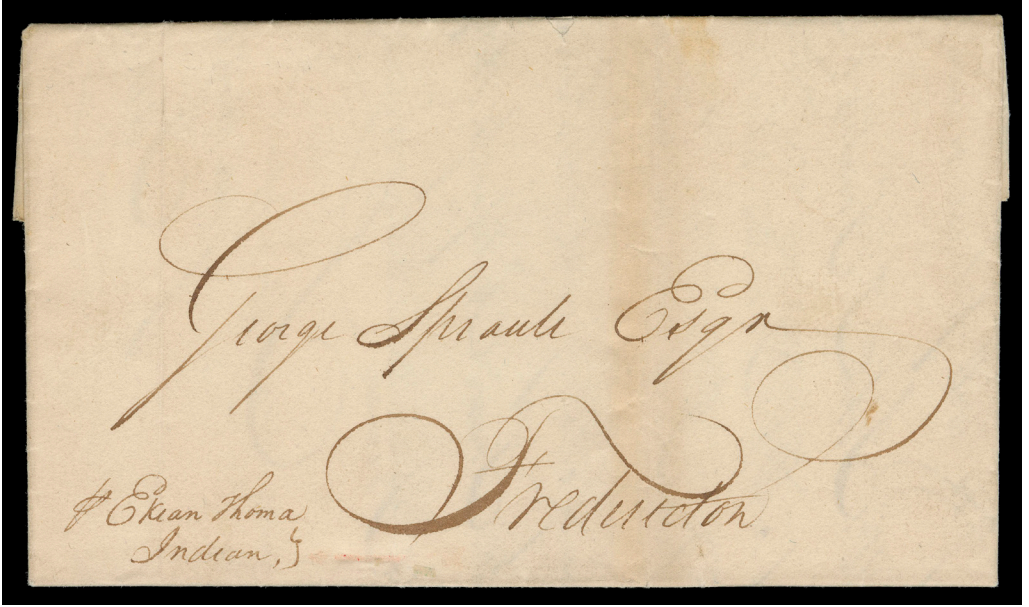


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- 194 **Incoming Mail: Early Prepaid Cover from Massachusetts** 1797 (December 11) Folded lettersheet from Salem to St. John, two-line SALEM / DEC 11. postmark in red, same-ink PAID handstamp and rated "22" (cents) for postage paid for a single sheet sent 350-400 miles, New Brunswick inland postage not collected perhaps due to distance covered, as from Salem to St. Andrews the exchange point was 342 miles and St. Andrews to St. John, an additional 64 miles; couple light file folds, VF **Est. 250.00+**

- 195 **Early Two-Line Straightline of Saint John** 1801 (May 28) Folded cover from St. John to Fredericton prepaid with very fine strike "Paid" (JGY Type 343) rated "N7", on reverse a nearly complete, very fine strike of two-line St. John, N*B* May 28, 1801 straightline with four-digit year date (JGY Type 13b), part of addressee erased and some ageing along folds, a Fine cover with a nice strike of this early straightline **Est. 200.00+**

A VERY RARE "INDIAN RUNNER" ENDORSED COVER

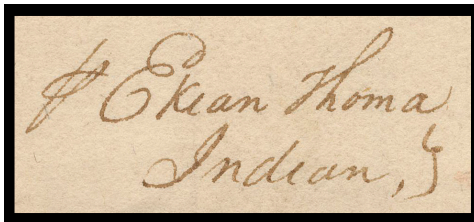


- 196 ☒ Folded lettersheet datelined "Miramichi 20 Sept 1801" to Fredericton, endorsed "P. Ekean Thoma Indian" - First Nation runners are known to have carried mail for traders and missionaries, this being one of the very few examples to have survived - in fact, believed to be the only reported Native endorsed New Brunswick cover. A highly interesting facet of Maritimes early postal history, VF

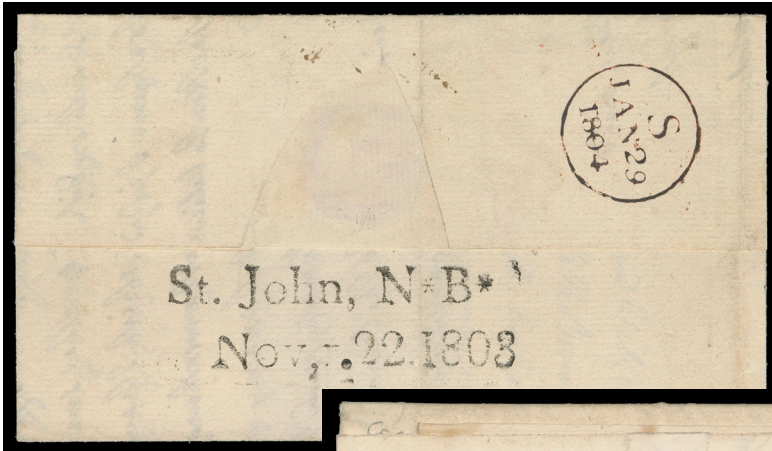
Est. 1,500.00+

Provenance: J. Ronald Saint Collection of New Brunswick, Brigham Auctions, June 2000; Lot 198

Literature: Illustrated in Jephcott, Greene & Young "The Postal History of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick" on page 61.



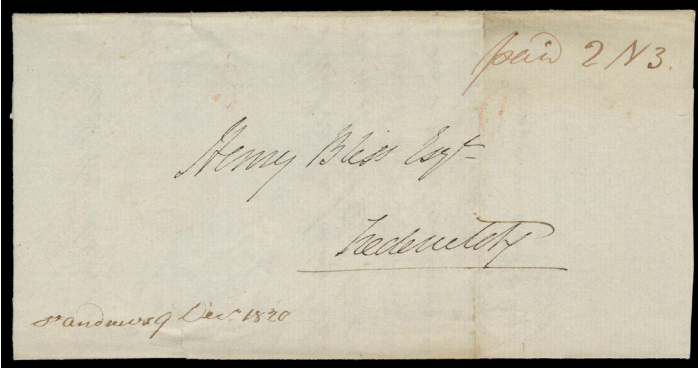
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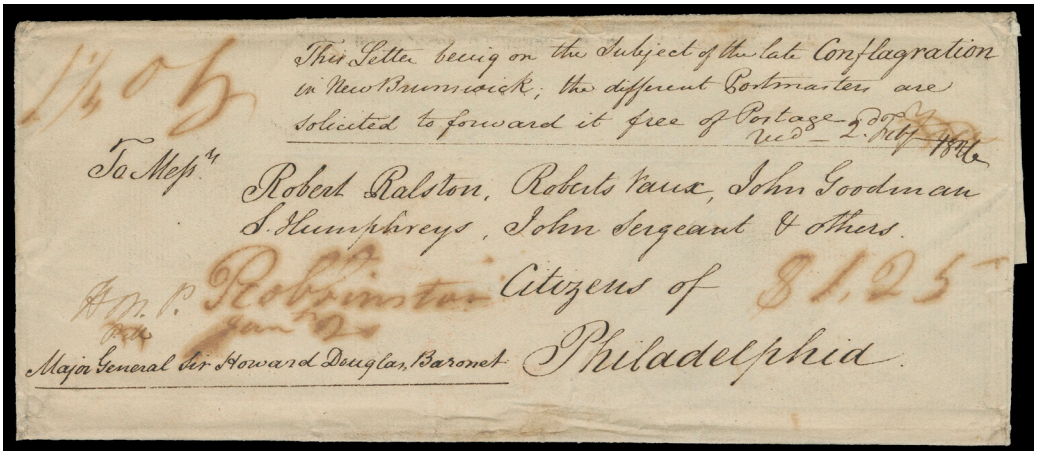


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- 197 **Remarkably Choice Early Straightline of St. John to England** 1803 (November 22) Folded cover from Saint John to London, rated "1N10"; reverse shows a superbly struck two-line St. John, N*B* / Nov., 22 1803 straightline (JGY 13b) with four-digit year date, clear British JAN 29 1804 receiver. A beautiful early Trans-Atlantic cover, VF **Est. 500.00+**
- 198 **The Rare Abbreviated Fredericton Straightline** 1810 (June 13) Folded prepaid entire Fredericton to England, red "PAID" handstamp and rated "2N1½" currency; on reverse quite clear two-line FRED, N:N:B / 13 JUNE 1810 handstamp in black (JGY Type 23, RF 9, predating by two years the previously recorded period of usage -1812 to 1816); British large circular PAID 13 JY 1810 datestamp receiver in red, a clean and attractive trans-Atlantic cover with a rare, early Fredericton straightline, VF **Est. 500.00+**
- 199 **St. Andrews Manuscript Straightline** 1820 (December 9) Folded cover mailed prepaid, triple weight letter rate to Fredericton with "paid 2N3" in red, manuscript straightline "St. Andrews 9 Dec 1820" (JGY Type 42a) at foot - handstamps were not provided until 1827; light file fold and small tear at foot; the earliest reported date of this very scarce manuscript, F-VF; *ex. J.R. Saint (June 2000; Lot 213)* **Est. 350.00+**

THE GREAT MIRAMICHI FIRE COVER

The Largest Forest Fire Ever Recorded in Eastern North America
An Official Plea for Assistance from the Governor of New Brunswick
to the Citizens of Philadelphia after the Great Miramichi Fire.



- 200 A legal size folded cover addressed to Messrs Robert Ralston, Roberts Vaux, John Goodman, S. Humphreys, John Sargeant & others. Citizens of Philadelphia with sender's endorsement at left "Major General Sir Howard Douglas, Baronet" along with a lengthy plea for assistance at top reads: "This Letter being on the subject of the late Conflagration in New Brunswick, the different Postmasters are solicited to forward it free of Postage." Manuscript postmark at origin "H.M.P. P.M." and "Free" at upper left. Upon arrival at the Robbinston, ME cross-border exchange office, the plea evidently fell on deaf ears as the letter was marked in red "Robbinston, Jan 20" and rated "1 1/4 oz" and "\$1.25" (postage due) with word "Free" crossed out for good measure, Docketing "Recd 2 Febr 1826"; a few edge wrinkles. A historically significant postal item from New Brunswick's colonial period that will certainly enhance any BNA pre-stamp postal history or New Brunswick collection, VF

Est. 2,500.00+

This letter was penned on behalf of Governor Douglas in desperation in the aftermath of the disastrous fire that swept through Fredericton and much of the Miramichi region in early October 1825. It has been documented that the fire consumed about one-fifth of New Brunswick's forests. Hundreds of homes & businesses were lost. In Newcastle and Douglastown over 90% of the buildings burned to the ground. Many of those affected moved to communities bordering the Bay of Chaleur and the southern Gaspé Peninsula. The event has become known as the Great Miramichi Fire of 1825.

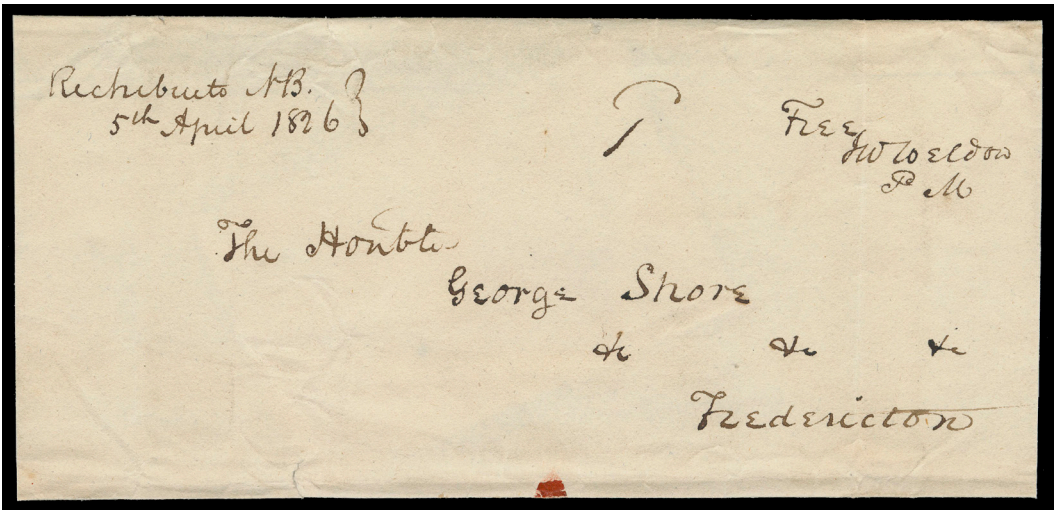
A photocopy of a document (around 300 pages) titled: "Proceedings of the Committee for affording relief to the sufferers by the fire on the 7th October 1825" and other notes and newspaper clippings are included with the lot.



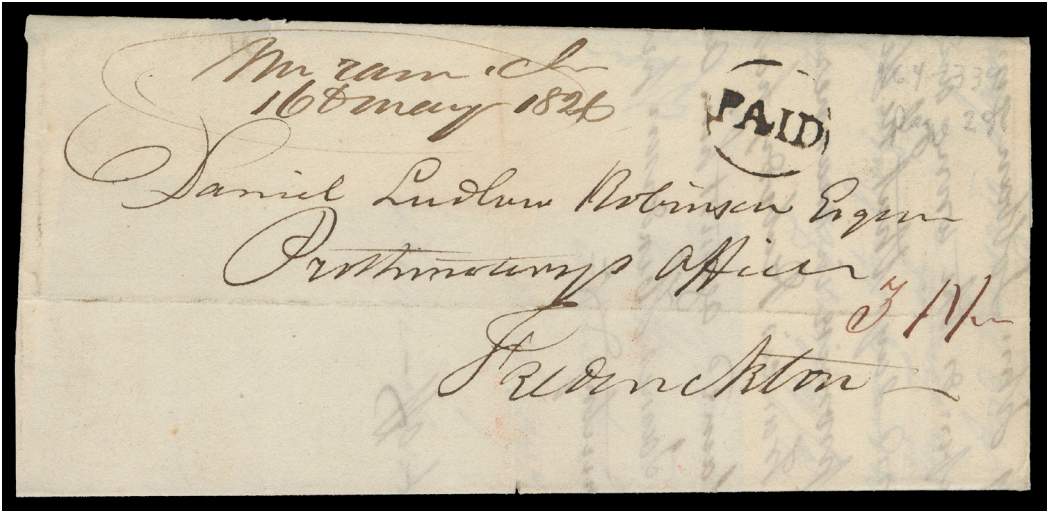
- 201 **Richibucto Early Straightline Handstamp Marking** 1826 Legal size folded cover with "Free" franking privilege to Fredericton, clear straightline RICHIBUCTO P.O. handstamp (JGY Type 38 variety, unrecorded subtype "P.O.") rated "1d" for local delivery; some creasing and ageing, otherwise Fine with a VF and very rare strike. **Est. 500.00+**

Provenance: J. Grant Glassco, Robson Lowe of London, November 1969; Lot 174

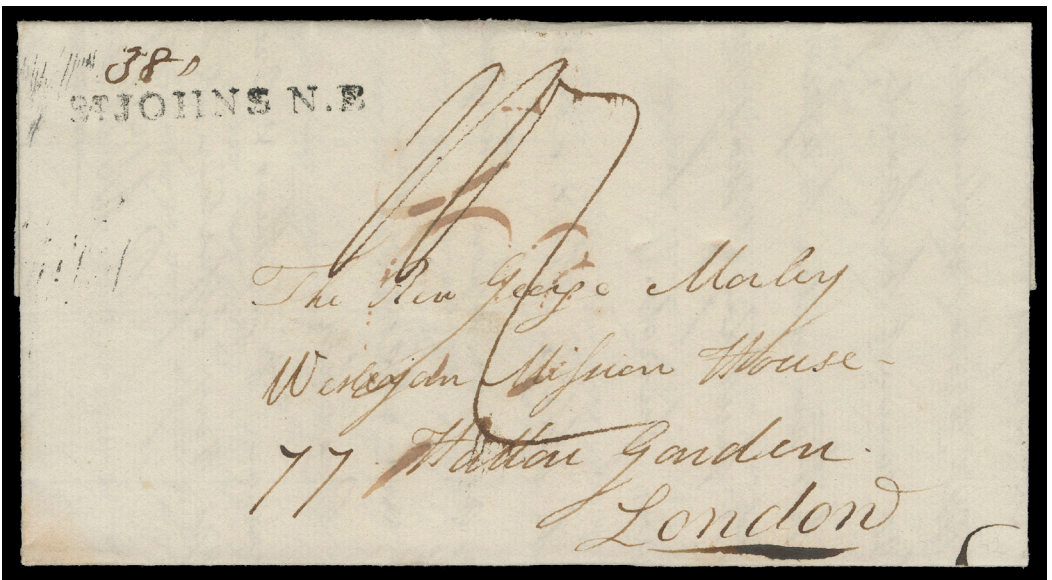
J. Ronald Saint, New Brunswick Collection, Brigham Auctions, June 2000; Lot 212



- 202 **Very Rare Richibucto Manuscript Straightline** 1826 (April 5) Legal size folded cover endorsed "Free" and initialed for franking privilege to Fredericton, showing a highly unusual two-line "Richibucto NB 5th April 1826", "1d" for local delivery. Minor creases, a Fine and fresh cover showing a rare cancellation, unlisted in Jephcott, Greene & Young. *ex. J.R. Saint (June 2000; Lot 209)* **Est. 350.00+**



- 203 **Rare Manuscript Straightline Postmark Cover 1826 (May 16)** Folded cover mailed to Fredericton with rare "Miramichi 16 May 1826" manuscript straightline, rated "3½" with superbly struck at Fredericton "PAID" circular handstamp (JGY Type 339 - recorded use up to 1822), perhaps the latest known usage of this, couple light file folds, otherwise fresh and clean, VF; ex. *J.R. Saint (June 2000; Lot 205)* **Est. 250.00+**



- 204 **The Rare "St. JOHNS N.B." Straightline 1827 (March)** Folded cover from St. John, NB to London, England, neatly struck, complete "St. JOHNS N.B" straightline handstamp (JGY Type 16 - with "S" at end of "St. John", RF 8), rated "2/2" with British 4 AP 1827 receiver backstamp, a rare marking, VF; ex. *"An Important New Brunswick Collection" (November 1980; Lot 6), John E. Young (December 1992; Lot 42)* **Est. 750.00+**
- 205 **Very Early Money Letter with Misspelled "St. Johns" Straightline 1827 (September)** Folded cover St. John to Fredericton, endorsed "Enclosing £1"3"4½ in Cash" and rated "1N2", on reverse "10th Sept 1827" docketing and fine strike of St. JOHNS N.B. (JGY Type 16 - "S" at the end of "St. John") without date, central file fold. Purportedly the earliest cash (money) letter recorded from New Brunswick, Fine; *Illustrated on Website* **Est. 200.00+**



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- 206 **Short-Lived St. John Straightline Handstamp** Folded lettersheet datelined "John 31 Dec 1827" to Newcastle (Miramichi), rated "1N6", bold strike of the rare, short-lived "St. JOHN N.B." (no month, day or year) straightline on reverse (JGY Type 17 - recorded usage in 1828 only), light file folds, VF **Est. 300.00+**
- 207 **St. Andrews, New Brunswick Straightline** 1828 (May 9) Clean folded cover with clear two-line St. Andrews New Brunswk handstamp (JGY Type 39), manuscript date "9 May 1828" within, prepaid to Fredericton and rated "paid 9", F-VF **Est. 300.00+**



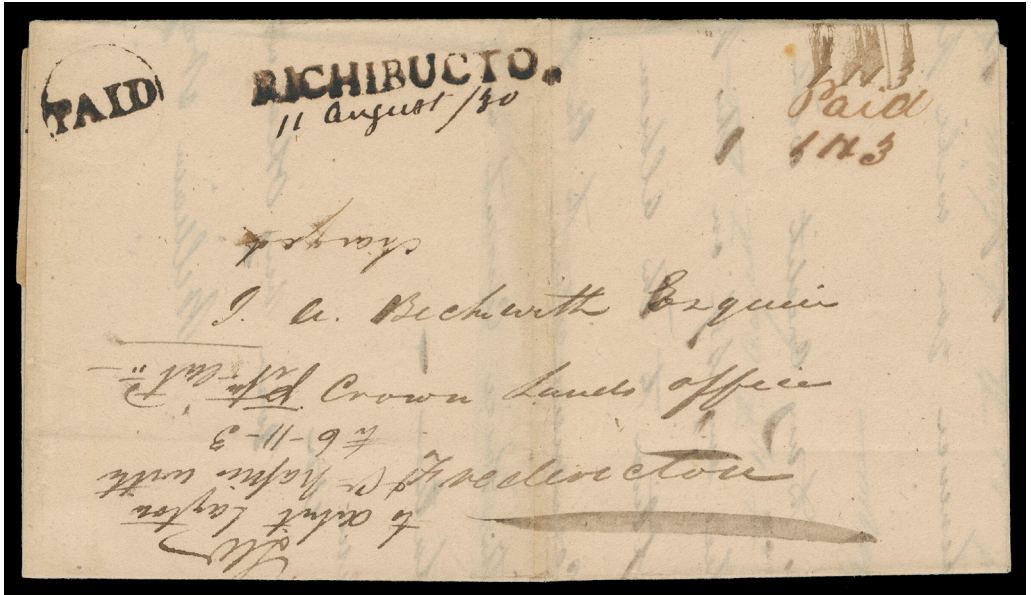
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- 208 **Well-Struck Miramichi Large "Star" Cancellation** 1829 (January 20) Folded entire datelined "New Castle 19th Jany 1829" to Lubec, Maine, displaying well-struck Miramichi Large "Star" cancel (JGY Type 58) with filled-in date "20 Jany 29", paid "2N1" and "Paid to St. Andrews", light undated St. John "Fleuron" transit on back. At border exchange office further marked in red "Robbinston, Me Jany 31st" and rated "6" (cents); minor wear and slight ageing along edges, a Fine cover with great character. **Est. 250.00+**
- 209 **Superb Miramichi Large "Star" Cancelled Cover** 1829 (April 14) Clean folded lettersheet rated "Paid 1/6" in red to Fredericton, remarkably struck Miramichi Large "Star" circular cancel (JGY Type 58) with filled-in date. A beautiful example of this "primitive" cancellation, VF **Est. 300.00+**

THE VERY RARE STRAIGHTLINE "RICHIBUCTO" TOWN MARKING



- 210 ☒ 1830 (August 11) Folded cover with a remarkably bold, complete RICHIBUCTO straightline handstamp (JGY Type 38, RF 10), same-ink circular "PAID", "11 August / 30" below, rated "Paid 1/3" to Fredericton with docketing notes upon receipt, central fold. A superb straightline handstamped cover, VF **Est. 750.00+**

Provenance: Vincent Graves Greene Collection, Sissons Sale 353, July 1975; Lot 407 (stated as *ex. Jephcott*)

J. Ronald Saint, New Brunswick Collection, Brigham Auctions, June 2000; Lot 211

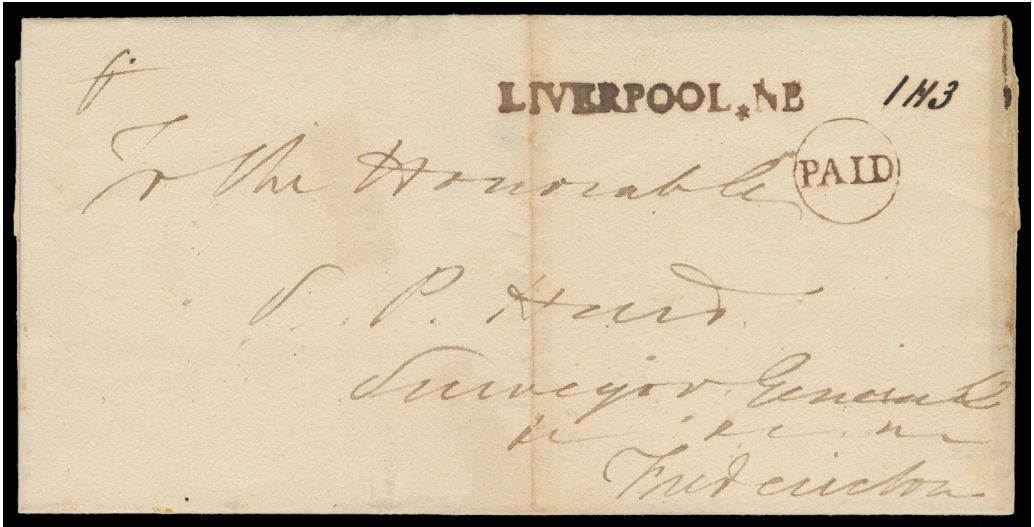
Literature: Illustrated in Jephcott, Greene & Young "The Postal History of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick" on page 62.



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**THE SHORT-LIVED LIVERPOOL NB STRAIGHTLINE
ONE OF ONLY TWO KNOWN**



- 211 Undated (circa. 1832-1833) folded cover struck with superb, bold LIVERPOOL*NB straightline, of the utmost rarity (**unlisted in Jephcott, Greene & Young**), rated "1/3" to Fredericton with neat circular "PAID" handstamp on arrival, central file fold, in an excellent state of preservation bearing an exceptional straightline marking; a great showpiece, VF **Est. 2,000.00+**

Provenance: J. Grant Glassco Collection, Robson Lowe of London, November 1969; Lot 173

Vincent Graves Greene Collection, Sissons Sale 353, July 1975; Lot 405

Literature: Illustrated Robson Lowe "Encyclopedia of British Empire Postage Stamps, Volume V British North America" handbook on page 333

Liverpool post office name was short-lived (circa. 1832-1833) as it changed back to its original name Richibucto sometime during 1833. Only one other Liverpool, NB straightline cover exists (*ex. Young, Greene, Saint*).



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- 212 **The Rare Bathurst Double-Circle "Post Office" Marking 1832** (February 27) Folded entire from Bathurst, endorsed "Free B Dawson PM" at left to Fredericton, bearing a superb Post Office Bathurst double circle marking in black (JGY Type 50) with filled-in date, additional faint marking with "28th Feb 1832" at centre. A great strike of this elusive marking, VF Est. 500.00+

Literature: Illustrated in Jephcott, Greene & Young "The Postal History of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick" handbook on page 152.

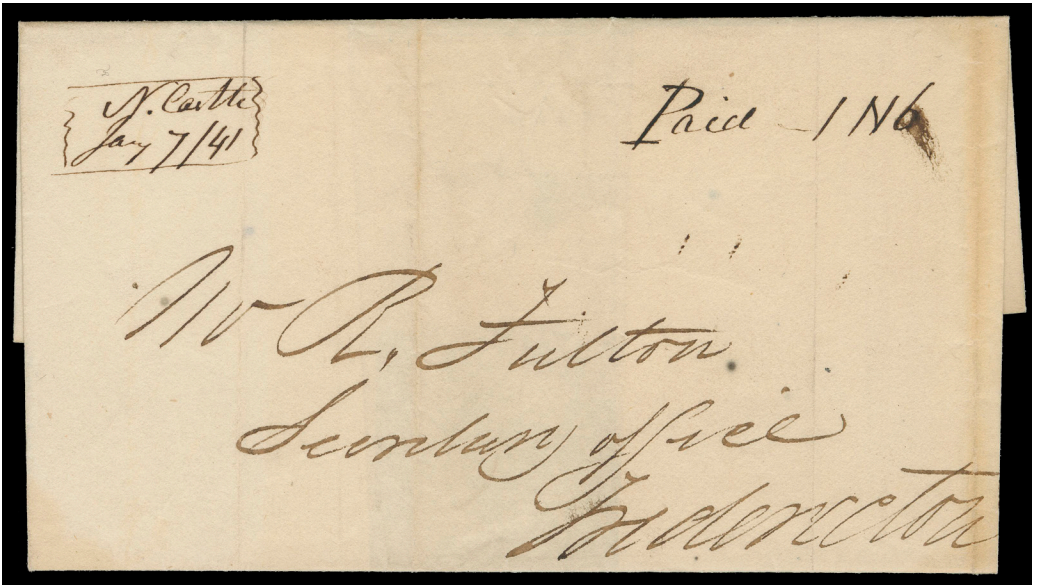
Interestingly enough, Robson Lowe "Encyclopedia of British Empire Postage Stamps, Volume V" and Jephcott, Greene & Young "The Postal History of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick" handbooks both illustrate this exact marking on page 333 and page 64 respectively.



- 213 **Incoming Mail: Superb Ship Letter Cover to N.B. via New York 1839** (April 1) Folded entire lettersheet written by John Turner to his brother, Thomas Turner, merchant at St. Andrews, New Brunswick, endorsed "per English Mail" with superb large Ship Letter "Crown" 1 AP 1839 Liverpool, red New York Ship May 5 circular transit, manuscript rate "P10" and "27" (cents), an unusual routing, F-VF Est. 500.00+



- 214 ☒ **The Very Elusive Ship Letter "Crown" St. John, NB Handstamp** Folded lettersheet datelined "Boston May 23, 1840", privately carried to St. John where it entered the mail, light St. John MY 29 40 CDS at top and very rare oval Ship Letter "Crown" St. John N.B. (JGY Type 147, RF 8) handstamp in black, rated "1/1½" to Minudie, Nova Scotia. Very few Ship Letter markings of St. John survive, F-VF (CS St. John Type III); ex. *Charles deVolpi* (April 1966; Lot 177) **Est. 500.00+**



- 215 ☒ **Provisional Town Manuscript Cancellation of Newcastle 1841 (January 7)** Folded cover with intact red wax seal on reverse, showing an unusual manuscript "N.Castle / Jan 7 41" cancel with "Paid 1/6" to Fredericton. A rare provisional cancellation **unlisted in Jephcott, Greene & Young** handbook, VF **Est. 350.00+**



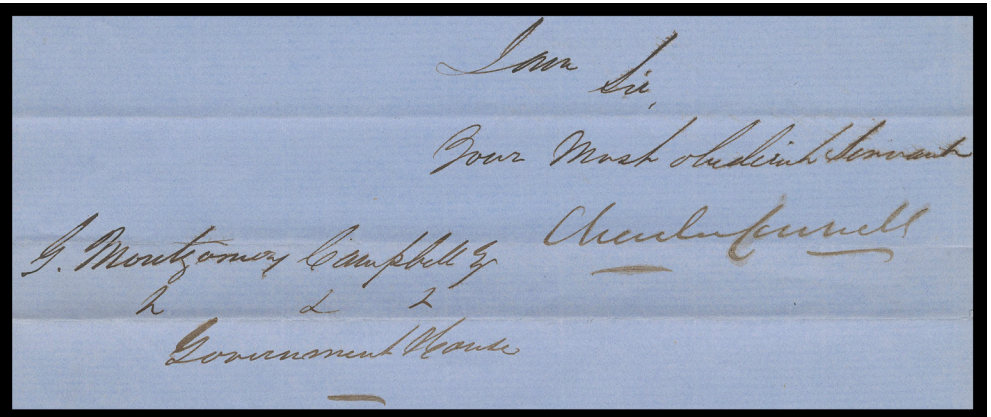
- 216 **Highly Unusual and Very Rare Paid Way Office Manuscript Cover 1845** (October 15) Folded letter in clean, fresh condition from Way Office Little Falls to Houlton, Maine via Woodstock, NB. Due to the lack of a cancelling device the postal clerk wrote and circled "Paid Way Office Little Falls 15 Oct. 1845" (unlisted in Jephcott, Greene and Young), neat large rimless Madawaska New Brunswick cancel in red (JGY Type 116) with filled-in "145 Oct 45" date, same-ink Madawaska Paid double arc (JGY Type 128) rated "9". A visually striking and very rare Way Office Paid manuscript cancellation - the only one we have seen, VF Est. 750.00+



- 217 **Favor's Express Handstamp St. John to Vermont Cover** Folded accounting sheets datelined "Saint John, NB 4th July 1851" to St. Johnsbury, Vermont via Favor's Express to Boston with quite clear three-ring Favor's Express handstamp in red (JGY Type 181) on reverse, Boston 7 JUL 5cts circular transit in black and same-ink straightline "STEAM" handstamp, couple file folds; a very scarce express handstamped cover, VF Est. 750.00+



- 218 **Incoming Mail: from Isle of Man to St. John, New Brunswick via Cunard Packet 1851** (November 8) Cover mailed from Douglas, Isle of Man to St. John, New Brunswick with clear double arc dispatch datestamp, rated 1s/3d Cy circular marking applied at St. John to collect for Cunard packet rate, "10d" British claim marking (2p British Inland and 8p transatlantic postage); on reverse Liverpool NO 9 1851 transit and partial St. John NO 28 1851 receiver, slight ageing along envelope edge, very scarce early British North America mail from the Isle of Man, F-VF **Est. 250.00+**



detail of letter

- 219 **Document Signed by Postmaster General Charles Connell** Letter datelined "General Post Office, Fredericton 7th Jan / 1859" to Lieutenant Governor (Hon. John Manners-Sutton at the time) with reference to Post Office Regulations for New Brunswick in 1858, signed by Charles Connell, Postmaster General shortly before the Connel stamp scandal, F-VF **Est. 350.00+**

PENCE

THREE PENCE LETTER RATE TO NEWFOUNDLAND
VIA PACKET FROM HALIFAX

- 220 1858 (May 12) Folded Boyd correspondence cover from Way Office Douglstown to St. John's, Newfoundland, bearing a 3p red with clear margins on three sides, in at left, tied by grid, prepaying the inland postage to Halifax as required, large cursive "4" handstamp in black indicating 4d sterling sea postage more-to-pay (or 5 pence currency) to be collected from the recipient, vertical file fold ending in tear; four different backstamps includes dispatch, transit and receiver. A very scarce cover to Newfoundland, F-VF (Unitrade 1) **Est. 500.00+**

Fourteen 3 pence covers to Newfoundland are known; most rated "4" sea postage collect as was customary.



**AN EXCEPTIONALLY CHOICE BIASECTED 7½ PENCE
PACKET LETTER RATE TO THE UNITED KINGDOM**



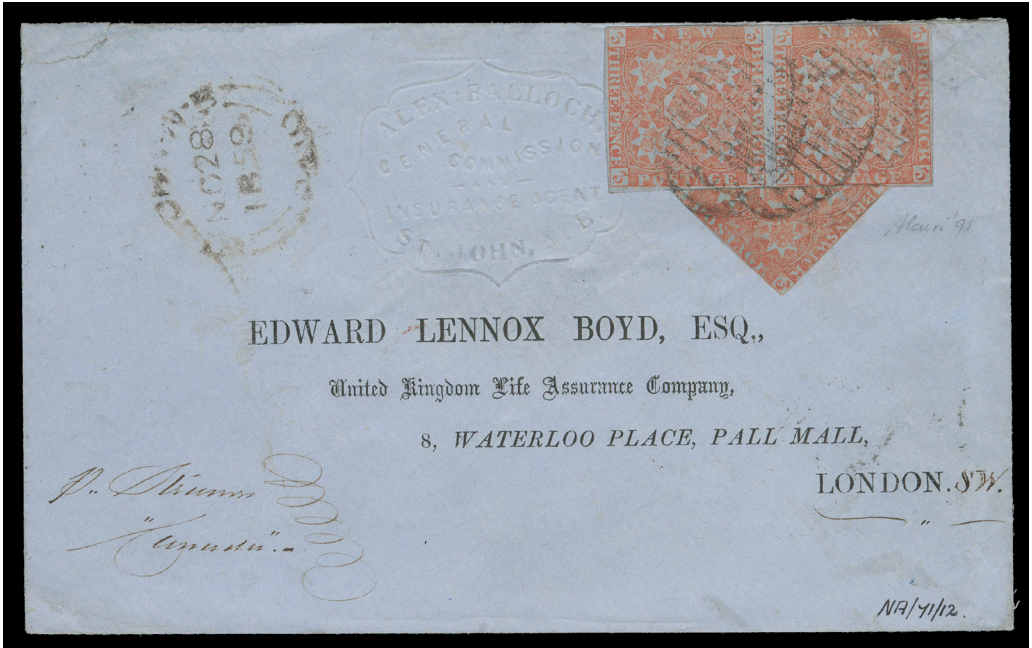
- 221 1857 (June 1) Folded cover in an immaculate state of preservation, paying the current letter rate of 7½ pence currency to London, England with a diagonally bisected 3p red, touching at left corner, alongside a nice example of 6p olive yellow, both attractively tied by two clearly struck oval grid '8' cancellations in blue, same-ink Chatham JU 1 1857 double arc dispatch on reverse, light circular "7½dCy" instructional marking in red and neat Paid 15 JU 1857 British receiver in red. A fabulous cover with great eye-appeal; without question one of the choicest New Brunswick 7½ pence rate covers to the United Kingdom, VF+ (Unitrade 1a, 2) **Est. 5,000.00+**

Expertization: 2005 Greene Foundation certificate

Provenance: Important New Brunswick Collection, SG Auctions New York, November 1980; Lot 52
– where it realized an impressive \$5,250 hammer.

A SUPERB NUMERAL GRID CANCELLED COVER - THE BLUE GRID "8" OF CHATHAM.
EXCEPTIONALLY FRESH AND RARELY ENCOUNTERED THIS NICE.

**A VERY RARE COMBINATION OF BISECT FRANKING
ON AN EMBOSSED ADVERTISING COVER**



- 222 1859 (November 28) Alex Balloch General Commission and Insurance Agent St. John, NB albino embossed advertising cover with pre-printed London, England addressee, franked with pair and diagonal bisect of the 3p dull red, just clear to small margins, tiny tear on left stamp in margin only; correctly paying the Seven and One Half penny packet letter rate to the United Kingdom, cancelled by oval grid '1' cancels, St. John NB Paid NO 28 1859 double arc dispatch at left and on reverse with London DE 14 59 CDS receiver. Quite likely the only advertising cover among the dozen reported covers bearing this franking to the U.K., ex. *Vincent Graves Greene* with his backstamp, F-VF (Unitrade 1, 1b) **Est. 2,500.00+**

Expertization: 1991 Alcuri and 1999 Greene Foundation certificates

Provenance: Warren Wilkinson, Feldman Auctions, March 2011; Lot 10095

"Nova Scotia" H.R. Harmer, November 1946, Lot 40



CENTS



- 223 P 5TC, 5c Charles Connell Trial colour plate proof pair printed in orange on india paper, hard to find and in choice condition, VF+ 1,000.00



- 224 P 6P-11P, 1860-1867 1c-17c Cents Issue A lovely set of six plate proof blocks on card mounted india paper, the 2c orange with ABNC plate imprint in left sheet margin, the other five with lower left corner margin, VF 1,740.00



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- 225 P 6P, 1c Locomotive Plate proof block in dark violet on card mounted india, full ABNC imprint in margin, VF 500.00+
- 226 ★ 7a, 1863 2c Orange An unused vertical pair imperforate horizontally, well centered, rich colour, selvedge at right shows part ABNC imprint, VF 1,000.00



- 227 P 8, 1860 5c Queen Victoria ABNC Original Die Proof, engraved, printed in black on india paper 45 x 57mm, showing die number "97" above and ABNC imprint below design; no intersecting guidelines as present on "Goodall" die proofs. A rare proof unlisted in Minuse & Pratt "Essays & Proofs of British North America", VF; 2023 Greene Foundation cert. Est. 1,000.00+



- 228 P 8Pi, ii, iv, 1860 5c Green Plate proof strip of twenty in green on card mounted india, shows three types of vertical SPECIMEN overprint in red - Type B in columns 1-4 & 6, the elusive Type D in column 5 and thick Type C in columns 7-10, VF (Unitrade cat. \$2,300) Est. 750.00+



- 229 P 8Pii, iii, iv, 5c Green Plate proof strip of four in issued colour on card mounted india showing three different vertical SPECIMEN overprints in red (Type D + B + C + C), VF **Est. 550.00**



- 230 P 11, 1860 17c Prince of Wales ABNC Original Die Proof, engraved, printed in black, issued colour, on card mounted india paper 39 x 46mm; a choice and very scarce original die proof in black, VF; 2023 Greene Foundation cert. (Minuse & Pratt 11P1a) **Est. 750.00+**



- 231 P 11, 1879 (circa.) 17c Prince of Wales "Goodall" die proof, engraved, printed in brownish red on india paper 25 x 30mm, die sunk on card 43 x 55mm, albino impression as usual of ABNC imprint and die number "78" at foot; a superb and rare proof, XF **Est. 1,000.00+**

Provenance: J.Ronald Saint, Brigham Auctions, June 2000; Lot 560

Highlands Part Two, Eastern Auctions, February 2019; Lot 49

**CENTS
POSTAL HISTORY**

*Organized by Areas - Domestic, US, Newfoundland, Overseas and for the most part by postal rates & dates.
The two largest known Decimal postal frankings concludes this exceptional offering.*

**A VERY RARE TWO CENT ORANGE SINGLE-FRANKING
FOR DROP LETTER RATE**



- 232 1866 (February 14) Small clean pink cover addressed locally and franked with a single 2c orange tied by superb oval mute grid cancel, small cover tear at right; on reverse a well-struck Carleton St. John FE 14 1866 double arc datestamp. Pays an exceedingly rare 2c drop letter rate - even Argenti was unable to find an example of this properly paid with a 2c orange, ideal for exhibition, VF (Unitrade 7)
Est. 2,000.00+

Expertization: Annotated in pencil "*May 1949 Examined and in my opinion genuine.*" signed Fred Jarrett and with 2019 Greene Foundation certificate

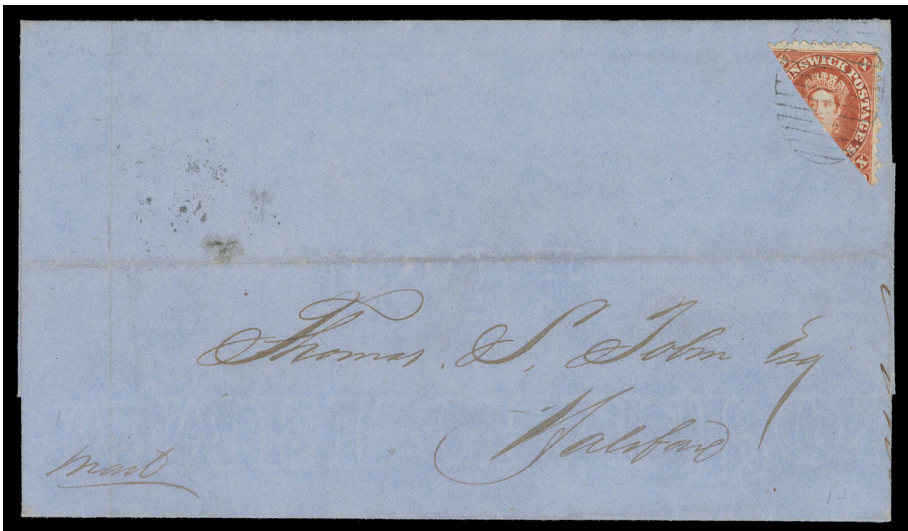
Provenance: Carnegie Institute, Siegel, May 1981; Lot 249

After extensive research, we were able to find only two other similar frankings for the 2c drop rate, both noticeably inferior to this example: 1) A faulty cover with stamp cancelled by crayon; and 2) A cover with 2c orange (may not originate) barely tied (if at all) by faint cancel. The cover offered here is by far the finest and most desirable 2 cent orange drop letter rate cover in existence.



- 233 **One of the Earliest Decimal Usages on Cover** 1860 (May 30) Folded blue cover from Buctouche to Richibucto franked with diagonal bisect of 10c vermilion affixed over dispatch datestamp and tied by oval mute grid, perfs clipped on one side as often seen on these provisional usages; on reverse clear Buctouche double arc dispatch and same-day Richibucto receiver; central file fold ending in a small tear at top. **One of the earliest known usages** of a New Brunswick Decimal issue on cover, Fine; 1983 Greene Foundation cert. (Unitrade 9a) ex. *Gerald Wellburn (August 1983; Lot 246)* **Est. 750.00+**

A very early, in-period, provisional use a 10c bisect to pay the 5c domestic letter rate (eff. May 1860). Most we have seen are in June or July. This was the temporary replacement for the controversial, never issued, 5c Connell stamp. The 5c Queen Victoria stamp is said to have been issued around July 18.



- 234 **A Very Early Usage of a Bisected Ten Cent for Interprovincial Letter Rate** 1860 (June 1) Blue folded cover from Chatham to Halifax, Nova Scotia, bearing an **unusually nice diagonal bisect** of the 10c vermilion, intact perforations on both sides and well centered, tied by light oval grid '8' cancel in black, central horizontal fold away from the bisect. Pays a rare provisional 5 cent Interprovincial letter rate - the 5c Queen Victoria stamp only came into circulation around July 18; part of backflap replaced, Chatham JU 1 dispatch on back with portion of JU 2 transit and small portion of "oval" cancellation of Halifax. **One of the earliest usages of a Decimal stamp on cover**, VF; 1967 RPSL cert. (Unitrade 9a) **Est. 1,000.00+**

Provenance: William Moody III, H.R. Harmer Inc., New York, May 1951; Lot 234

Warren Wilkinson, Bennett Auctions, February 2012; Lot 730



- 235 **Provisional Usage of a Bisected Ten Cent for Domestic Letter Rate 1860** (June 21) Small, clean cover mailed from Way Office Bathurst Village to Newcastle, franked with a diagonally bisected 10c vermilion, clipped perfs at one side as often seen, tied by oval mute grid; on reverse clear W.O. Bathurst Village double arc with filled-in "21 June 1860" date, Bathurst JU 22 1860 transit and Newcastle JU 22 receiver. A most attractive bisect cover, F-VF (Unitrade 9a) **Est. 750.00+**

Expertization: 1944 RPS of London certificate

Provenance: J. Ronald Saint New Brunswick, Brigham Auctions, June 2000; Lot 666

This beautifully franked cover represents an in-period provisional use of a 10c vermilion bisect to pay the 5c domestic letter rate (effective as of May 1860). This was the temporary replacement for the controversial (and never issued) 5c Charles Connell stamp. The 5c Queen Victoria stamp is said to have been issued on or around July 18, 1860.



- 236 **Beautiful Bisected Usage of the Ten Cent, Half Used for Domestic Letter Rate 1860** (July 13) Blue folded cover bearing a 10 cent diagonal bisect with intact perforations on both sides, neatly tied by mute grid; on reverse W.O. Douglstown and Chatham transits and Bend of Petitcodiac JY 14 double arc receiver backstamps, light file folds away from franking. An unusually choice example of this provisional use for the 5 cent domestic letter rate, VF; 2008 Greene Foundation cert. (Unitrade 9a) ex. *Dr. Lewis L. Reford (Part Five, October 1951; Lot 1134)* **Est. 750.00+**



- 237 **Attractive Bisect Usage of Ten Cent Decimal for Domestic Letter Rate 1860 (July 27)** Small blue cover mailed from Saint John to Dorchester, NB, bearing a diagonally bisected 10c vermilion at lower left, clipped at foot as often seen, attractively tied by oval grid '1' cancellation of Saint John with JY 26 dispatch and Dorchester JY 27 1860 receiver struck on both sides of the cover. Pays the provisional 5 cent domestic letter rate, F-VF (Unitrade 9a) **Est. 500.00+**

Provenance: Nicholas Argenti, Harmer, Rooke & Co., November 1963; Lot 297



- 238 **Bisected Ten Cent Half Used as Five Cent for Domestic Letter Rate 1860 (August 11)** Orange envelope bearing a diagonally bisected 10c vermilion superbly tied by Bend of Petticoe, NB double arc dispatch, addressed to Moncton, cover has light wrinkles away from franking. A lovely bisect usage for the 5c domestic letter rate, F-VF and scarce; 1966 BPA cert. (Unitrade 9a) **Est. 750.00+**



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- 239 **Superb Grid '23' Numeral Cover from Richibucto** 1861 (February 25) A lovely cover in pristine condition, bearing a 5c olive green tied by superb oval grid '23' numeral cancel of Richibucto (RF 9 - very rare) to Dorchester, mostly clear Richibucto FE 25 1861 dispatch and partial Dorchester FE 26 receiver backstamps. A beautiful cover, seldom seen this nice, XF (Unitrade 8b) **Est. 350.00+**
- 240 **Appealing Multiple Franking of One-Cent Locomotive for Domestic Letter Rate** 1866 (October 30) Small, attractive cover mailed to Moncton with a beautiful franking of single and two pairs of the 1c red lilac Locomotive, all tied by light oval mute grids, large portion of Bend of Petitcodiac, NB OC 30 1866 rimless receiver backstamp; a scarce multiple franking for the 5 cent domestic letter rate, VF (Unitrade 6) **Est. 600.00+**
- 241 **Clean & Early Dated Registered Cover with Numeral Grids** 1860 (October 15) Orange cover in clean condition from St. Stephen to St. George, NB with an early Decimal era registered franking of single 5c green & 10c vermilion tied by oval grid '30' cancels, mostly clear dispatch and Oct. 16 receiver backstamps, VF (Unitrade 8, 9) ex. *C.W. Mackie (April 1962; Lot 174)* **Est. 250.00+**



**AN EXTREMELY RARE USAGE
OF A BISECT ON A REGISTERED COVER**



- 242 1861 (February 14) Yellow cover mailed registered from Way Office Albert Mines to Hampton Ferry, bearing 10c vermilion single and diagonal bisect se-tenant, perfs trimmed at foot on the latter as often, neatly tied by W.O. Albert Mines double arc and Salisbury FE 16 double arc dispatch in transit, second strike of the former at left with filled-in date along with "Registered Letter No. 9"; on reverse four clear backstamps with Hillborough FE 15, Salisbury FE 16, Hampton Ferry FE 16 and W.O. Hampton with filled-in "Febr 18 / 61" date. A visually striking and rare franking for the 5 cent domestic letter rate plus 10 cents registration fee; Argenti handbook - on page 167 records only one other such cover (ex. *Wellburn*), VF (Unitrade 9, 9a) **Est. 1,500.00+**

Expertization: 2018 Greene Foundation certificate

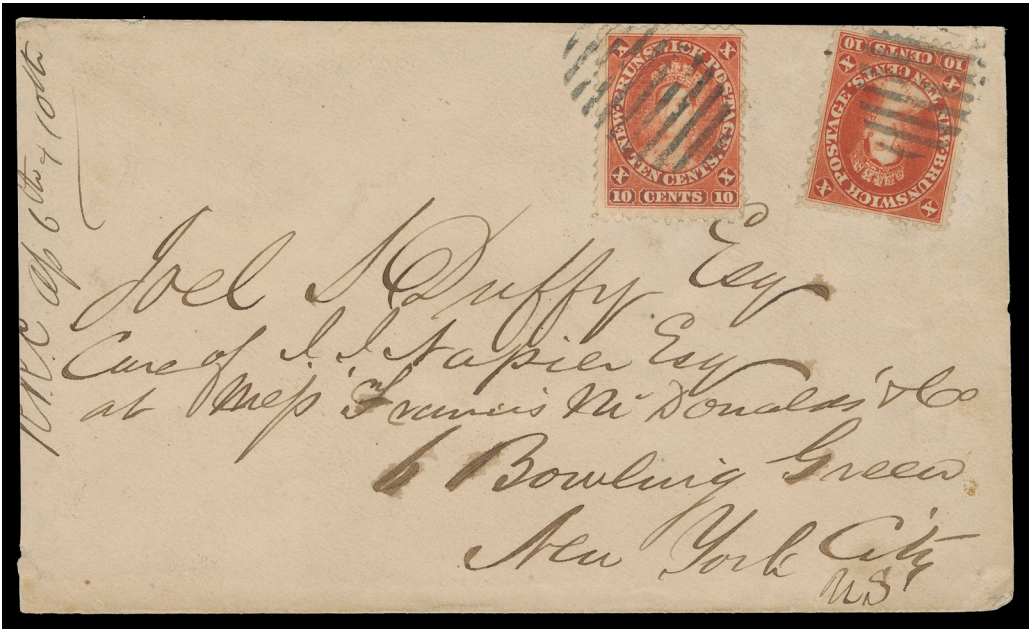
Provenance: Dale-Lichtenstein, Sale 5 – B.N.A. Part Two, H.R. Harmer, Inc., May 1969; Lot 901



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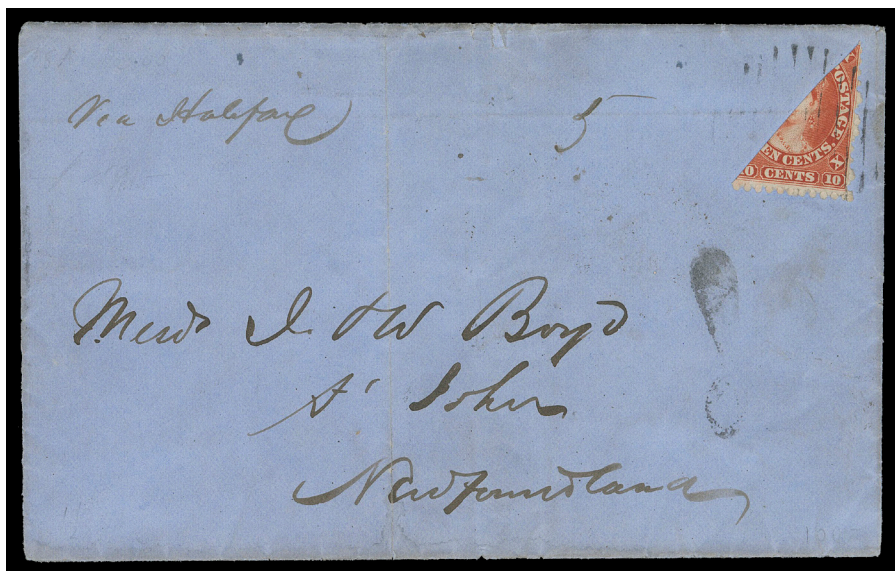
- 243 **Extremely Fine Grid '39' Numeral Cancellation of Indiantown 1866** (May 30) Yellow cover franked with a 10c vermilion tied by clear oval grid '39' cancel (the highest assigned number), pays a 10c letter rate to Maine, USA, minute cover tears; on reverse Indiantown and Saint John MY 30 transits. A desirable cover - one of only four reported with grid '39' during the Decimal era and the Earliest Recorded per the Brassler 1987 census (PHSC Journal No. 50), VF (Unitrade 9) **Est. 300.00+**



- 244 **An Elusive and Most Attractive Double Letter Rate to the United States 1866** (April 9) Cover from Newcastle to New York, bearing two 10c vermilion tied by mute oval grid cancels, reverse with two clear markings - Newcastle dispatch and Saint John AP 10 1866 transit. An unusually choice cover paying the double weight letter rate to the United States - a rare franking according to Nicholas Argenti's seminal work "The Postage Stamps of New Brunswick and Nova Scotia" (see page 167, identified as "R"), VF (Unitrade 9) ex. *J.R. Saint (June 2000; Lot 699)* **Est. 750.00+**



**AN EXTREMELY RARE 10-CENT BISECT USAGE
FOR PACKET LETTER TO NEWFOUNDLAND**



- 245 ☒ 1860 (June 26) Folded cover from the Boyd correspondence mailed from W. O. Douglastown to St. John's, bearing a 10c diagonal bisect for the 5c rate (the 5c green was issued around mid-July 1860), light file fold touches stamp, tied by light mute grid, prepays the inland rate to Halifax, large cursive "4" rate handstamp in black indicating 4d sterling sea postage (or 5p currency in manuscript) to be collected from the recipient; on reverse five datestamps including W.O. Douglastown JU 26 1860, Chatham and Sackville transit, oval "H" (Halifax) and St. John's JL 2 1860 backstamps. An extremely rare bisect cover to Newfoundland - the first we recall offering, VF (Unitrade 9a) **Est. 1,000.00+**

The 5c rate effective from early 1860 to late 1863 franked with a bisect 10 cent is much rarer than the few known single 5 cent frankings or 14c rate that was enforced from late 1863 onward. Argenti records only one such bisect cover to Newfoundland, dated January 14, 1861 from the same correspondence.

- 246 ☒ **Very Scarce Early 5-Cent Letter Rate to Newfoundland** 1860 (Nov 14) Folded entire from the Boyd correspondence, Way Office Douglastown to St. John's, bearing a 5c Queen Victoria in the distinctive early olive green shade tied by mute grid, customary packet rate "4" with large cursive handstamp in black indicating 4d sterling or 8c currency to be collected; reverse with dispatch, transit and receiver backstamps including W.O. Douglastown, Chatham, "H" (Halifax) and St. John's, New-foundland (DC 3). An elusive and very early 5c cover to Newfoundland, VF (Unitrade 8b) *ex. "An Important New Brunswick Collection" (November 1980; Lot 128)* **Illustrated on Page 105 Est. 600.00+**
- 247 ☒ **Superb Five Cent Inland Rate Plus Packet Due on Cover to Newfoundland** 1862 (November 5) Folded cover from Way Office Douglastown to St. John's Newfoundland, bearing a 5c olive green tied by oval mute grid, lacking the 'More to Pay' instructional marking but with the customary packet rate "4" blue crayon indicating 4 pence sterling (or 8 cents currency) to collect at destination from the recipient. Reverse shows partly legible W.O. Douglastown double arc dispatch, a choice strike of Chatham NO 5 transit along with Sackville and St. John, NB transits and a St. John's 18 NO 1862 receiver. A very elusive 5 cent Colonial cover to Newfoundland, VF; 1990 Greene Foundation cert. (Unitrade 8b) **Illustrated on Page 105 Est. 750.00+**

Provenance: John Siverts, Part One, Maresch Sale 224, May 1989; Lot 116

Earle Palmer, Sissons Sale 498, December 1989; Lot 120

In regard to lot 246 & 247, this rate (early 1860 to late 1863) is decisively scarcer than the 14c rate that was enforced from late 1863 onward.

TWO VERY SCARCE PRE-1863 FIVE CENT INLAND RATE
PLUS PACKET RATE DUE COVERS TO NEWFOUNDLAND



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- 248 **Superb 14-Cent Packet Rate to Newfoundland 1864** (April 21) Blue folded cover in an excellent state of preservation, mailed from Way Office Douglastown to St. John's, Newfoundland, displaying an impressive franking of two single 2c orange and a 10c vermilion, all tied by oval mute grids, prepaid the 14c letter rate, Halifax - St. John's Port-to-Port packet rate "4" in red crayon denoting 4d sterling (or 8c currency) credit for the sea voyage; on reverse W.O. Douglastown AP 21 1864, Chatham transit and St. John's Newfoundland MY 5 receiver. A beautiful example of the elusive 14c packet letter rate to Newfoundland and among the finest of only about a dozen known, VF+; 1962 RPS of London cert. (Unitrade 7, 9) **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 249 **Beautiful 14-Cent Packet Letter Rate to Newfoundland 1864** (June 20) Clean folded entire from the Boyd correspondence, mailed from Way Office Douglastown to St. John's, remarkably fresh, franked with 2c orange pair and a 10c vermilion, all nicely tied by oval mute grids, prepaid the 14c letter rate, packet rate "4" in red crayon denoting sea voyage rated 4d sterling (or 8c) credit for Port to Port Halifax to St. John's; on reverse four different well-struck backstamps with W.O. Douglastown JU 20 1864, Chatham JU 20, Saint John JU 21 and St. John's JU 27. An attractive, very scarce Decimal cover to Newfoundland, VF (Unitrade 7, 9) **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 250 **Very Scarce 14-Cent British Packet Letter Rate to Newfoundland 1866** (September 10) Blue folded cover from Way Office Douglastown to St. John's, bearing two single 2c orange and a 10c vermilion, both 2c with faults, all tied by oval mute grids, prepays the 14 cent packet letter rate via Halifax, red crayon "4" denoting packet rate (4 pence sterling or 8 cents currency) credit - Halifax to Newfoundland; on reverse two strikes of W.O. Douglastown SP 10 1866 double arc dispatch, Chatham SP 10 transit and St. John's SP 17 1866 receiver. A very scarce 14 cent rate to Newfoundland, Argenti states only about a dozen exist, Fine (Unitrade 7, 9) **Est. 500.00+**



- 251 **The 14-Cent Packet Letter Rate to Newfoundland 1867** (July 15) Blue folded cover from Way Office Douglastown to St. John's, paying the 14c letter rate with 2c orange pair and a 10c vermilion tied by oval mute grids, packet rate "4" in red crayon denoting 4d sterling (or 8c currency) credit for the Port-to-Port rate, vertical file fold touching lightly the 10c; reverse with Douglastown dispatch, P.O. Chatham and Saint John transits and St. John's JY 23 receiver, F-VF (Unitrade 7, 9) **Est. 600.00+**



**A FANTASTIC AND VERY RARE DOUBLE WEIGHT
PACKET RATE COVER TO NEWFOUNDLAND**



- 252 1863 (April 23) Blue folded cover in an excellent state of preservation from the well known Boyd correspondence, displaying an outstanding franking of 1c Locomotive strip of three and 12½c Steamship pair, light fold touches left 1c with small tear. Each stamp tied by light oval mute grid cancel, five backstamps - W.O. Douglastown AP 23, Chatham AP 23, Sackville AP 24, St. John, NB AP 27 and St. John's MY 3 receiver. Prepays a 28 cent double weight letter rate, red crayon "8" denoting packet rate (8p sterling or 16c currency) double credit accountancy mark for the Halifax to St. John's British Packet sea voyage. A fabulous cover and a perhaps unique 28 cent double weight franking to Newfoundland, VF (Unitrade 6, 10) **Est. 4,000.00+**

Argenti records only one 28 cent rate cover to Newfoundland, bearing a different franking than the one offered here, with 1c, 2c & two 12½c stamps.

Expertization: 2019 Greene Foundation certificate

Provenance: Warren Wilkinson, Matthew Bennett, February 2012; Lot 732

"Skywalk" Collection, Schuyler Rumsey Auctions, September 2016; Lot 224



**A VERY RARE 22-CENT RATE COVER
TO BRITISH WEST INDIES**



- 254 1865 (November 20) Blue cover endorsed "via Halifax" from Saint John to Barbados, franked with single 2c orange and 10c vermilion pair, left stamp with faults, tied by light oval grids, some cover flaws mostly at top right away from franking. Prepays a 22 cent letter rate to British West Indies, red crayon "4" denoting packet rate (8 pence sterling or 16 cents) credit for the sea voyage via St. Thomas with Saint John NO 20 dispatch and St. Thomas DE 17 1865 transit backstamps; Barbados DE 21 CDS receiver ideally struck on front of cover. Very few Decimal covers are known to the British West Indies, Fine (Unitrade 7, 9) Est. 2,000.00+

Provenance: Dale-Lichtenstein, Sale 5 – B.N.A. Part Two, H.R. Harmer, Inc., May 1969; Lot 895

Claude Cartier, Part II, SG Auctions, September 1977; Lot 40

Senator Henry D. Hicks, Maresch Sale 258, November 1991; Lot 66

**THE EXTRAORDINARY "BURRUS" COVER
27-CENT FRANKING TO FRANCE**



- 255 ☒ 1867 (September 24) A spectacular folded cover from Saint John to Chalons-sur-Saone, France, endorsed "via Halifax NS" and bearing an exceptional franking of a 10c vermilion alongside the key 17c black, both nicely centered and tied by light oval grid cancels, endorsed "more to pay" subsequently crossed out, clear London PAID 5 OC 67 circular transit datestamp and French oval "PD" handstamp both in red; on reverse St. John SP 24 67 dispatch and three French transit and arrival postmarks. A glorious cover of the utmost rarity and desirability paying an impressive and UNIQUE 27 cent rate to France; an essential cornerstone for an exhibit collection of this issue, VF (Unitrade 9, 11)

Est. 15,000.00+

Expertization: 1963 BPA certificate, signed by Robson Lowe et al.

Provenance: Maurice Burrus, Robson Lowe Ltd., November 1962; Lot 1128 - sold for a hefty £475 hammer against a pre-sale estimate of £100.

Specialized New Brunswick featured in Rarities at World Stamp Expo '89, Washington, SG Auctions, November 1989; Lot 162 - realized US\$4,800 hammer; the most expensive NB lot among this impressive holding (94 lots).

Hugh Wood "November" Collection, Christie's, New York, February 1994; Lot 247 - sold for US\$7,475 inclusive of buyer's premium.

Koh Seow Chuan, Spink, New York, April 1999; Lot 127 - sold for US\$14,375 versus a pre-sale estimate of \$7,000-9,000.

Highlands BNA Collection, Part One, Eastern Auctions, November 2018; Lot 32

A MAGNIFICENT AND CELEBRATED COVER TO FRANCE - WIDELY REGARDED AS THE MOST IMPORTANT AND VALUABLE COVER OF NEW BRUNSWICK'S DECIMAL PERIOD.

THE HIGHEST KNOWN POSTAL FRANKING
OF NEW BRUNSWICK DECIMAL ISSUES



- 257 1864 (May 27) Large part handmade cover bearing an impressive 95 cent franking of single 1c & 10c, 17c black pair (very rare on cover) and a block of four 12½c Steamship - believed to be the only known block on cover; reduced at right and with faults - quite understandable considering the heavy contents it carried. Stamps lightly cancelled by oval mute grids, two-line REGISTERED LETTER NO. handstamp in red, endorsed "Contains \$850", mailed from Saint John to Harvey with clear dispatch and receiver backstamps correctly paying an extraordinary 17-times domestic rate (85c) plus registration (10c). Despite the faults this is not only a UNIQUE FRANKING but also the highest recorded franking of the entire Decimal Issue Era (see Argenti), a great showpiece with Fine appearance (Unitrade 6, 9, 10, 11) **Est. 2,500.00+**

Expertization: 1970 BPA certificate

Provenance: John Seybold, J.C. Morgenthau & Co., March 1910; Lot 675

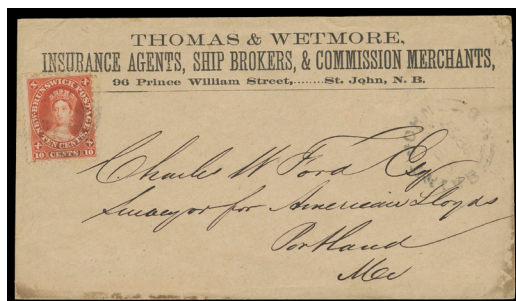
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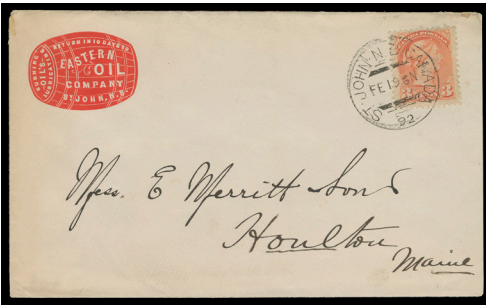
J.R. Saint New Brunswick Collection, Brigham Auctions, June 2000; Lot 721



- 258 **Decimal Era Postal History Exhibit Collection** A great lot of 46 Decimal era covers showing twenty different rates - domestic, registered, inter-Provincial, U.S. and U.K. Mostly on exhibit pages, with instructional markings, a couple advertising, early & late usages and non-letter mail; also three Large Queen covers - 12½c to Newfoundland and another to U.K. and 1883 triple domestic rate with single 15c stamp. Finally a fake N.B. 17c cover (Greene cert. states "No. 11 applied to a cover... on which it did not originate). Condition from Mixed to Very Fine, a wonderful collection. **Est. 3,500.00+**



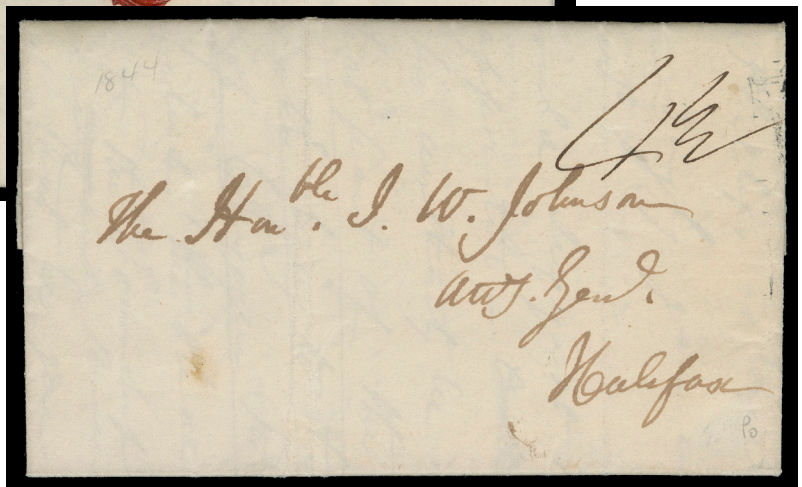
- 259 **Decimal Era Advertising Covers** Nice lot of 12 covers on exhibit pages, most bearing a 5c green (shades) or 10c vermilion, a 12½c to Scotland; all with advertising, some albino embossed. Also two post-Confederation 1c Large Queen printed circulars. Mixed to F-VF. **Est. 750.00+**



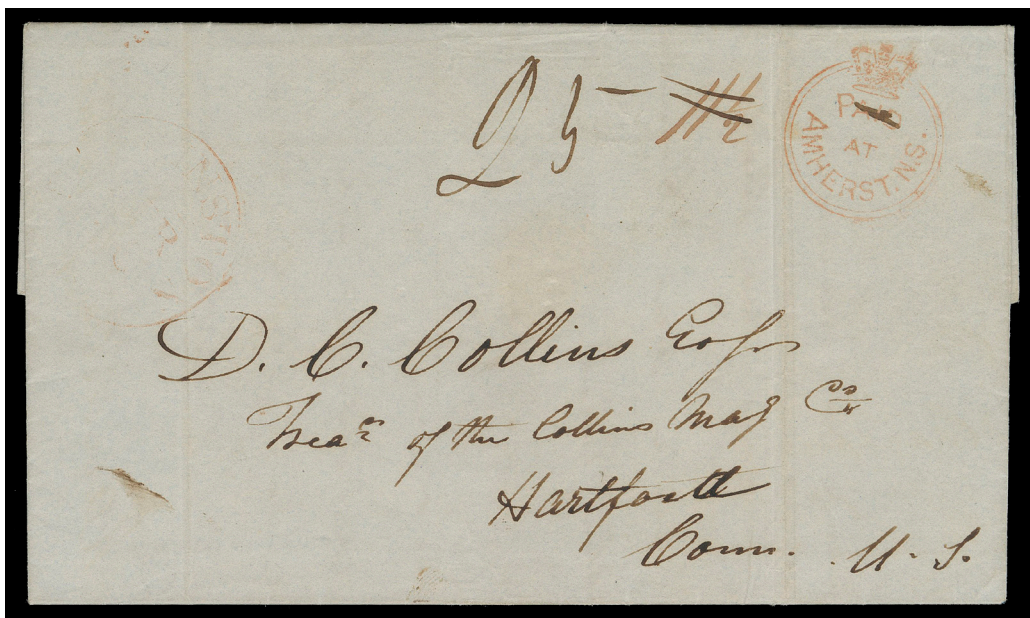
- 260 **Saint John Collection of Precursor Squared Circles** An extensive showing of Saint John, NB precursor squared circles organized in a stockbook by time mark, from 1890s; mostly struck as a dispatch. About 100 stamps and 65+ covers or cards, latter mainly 1c & 2c postal cards; majority with legible to very fine strikes. A great lot for the squared circle enthusiast. **Est. 350.00+**

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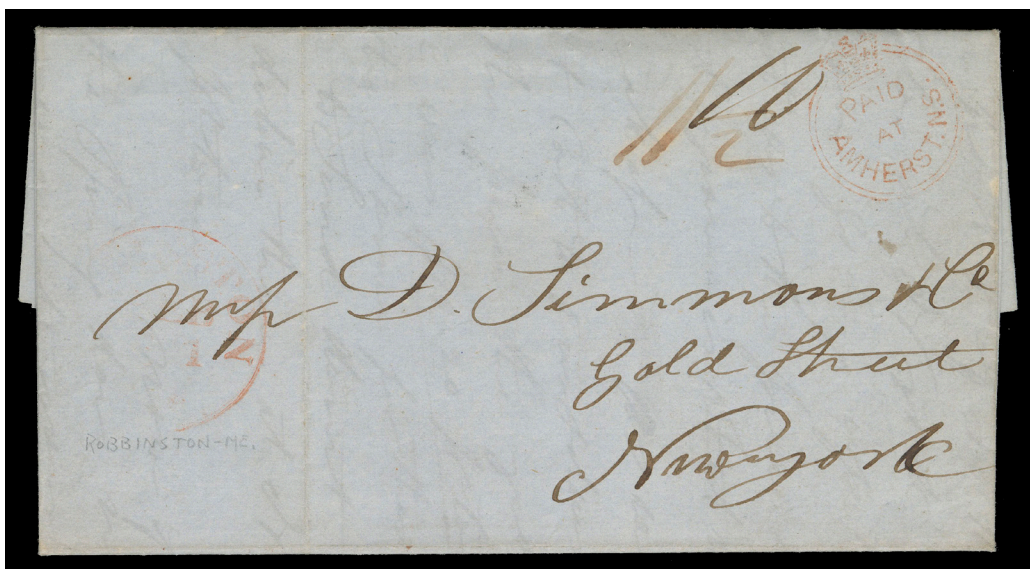


- 261 **Halifax Ship Letter** Folded entire datelined "Yarmouth 27 May 1844", rated "4½" to Halifax with well-struck boxed three-line "SHIP LETTER / HALIFAX N.S. / 31 MY 1844" (Macdonald Type 238; very early date - ERD is May 22) cancel on reverse as customary, VF **Est. 250.00+**



- 262 **Very Early Usage of Amherst Crowned Paid Circle Handstamp** 1845 (April 10) Envelope mailed from Amherst to Hartford, Connecticut via St. Andrews, NB, showing a neat strike of Amherst Crowned Circle handstamp in red, superb Amherst AP 10 1845 double arc dispatch on reverse, rated prepaid "11½" currency for postage paid to border. St. Andrews AP 15 1845 transit and partial Robbinston, ME border exchange office datestamp, initial rate crossed out and re-rated "25" cents to collect from the recipient, couple light file folds, in an excellent state of preservation. One of the earliest known covers bearing the Amherst British Crowned Circle handstamp, VF (SG CC1 £1,000)

Est. 600.00+



- 263 **Choice Strike of the British Crowned Paid Circle** Folded lettersheet datelined "14th Feby 1849" to New York, manuscript "1½" and rated "10" at the border; showing a very fine, complete strike of the Amherst, N.S. British Paid Crowned Circle in red, Amherst FE 18, Sackville, St. John FE 19, St. Andrews FE 20 transit backstamps; partial Robbinston, Maine trans-border CDS in red, attractive, VF (SG CC1 £1,000)

Est. 500.00+



- 264 **Superb British Crowned Paid Circle of Amherst, Nova Scotia** 1852 (February 13) Folded entire lettersheet datelined "Westbrook Febr 13th 1852" to Joseph Howe, Halifax, then member of the Legislative Assembly, unusually well struck British Crowned circle Paid at Amherst, N.S. handstamp in red rated "3" for domestic letter rate; Amherst FE 21 and oval "H" (Halifax) FE 25 receiver backstamps. Slight soiling, a neat small cover struck with superb strike of the Amherst Crowned Circle, F-VF (SG CC1 £1,000) **Est. 500.00+**

INCOMING MAIL

CRIMEAN WAR CONCESSIONARY RATE TO NOVA SCOTIA



- 265 1854 (December 15) Small mourning cover endorsed "from the Army in the Crimea" **mailed from the British Army in Turkey**, bearing a 1p red perf 16 grid '42' cancelled strip of three, carried via France to London, light Post Office British Army dispatch, British transit and oval "H" (Halifax) receiver backstamps, on obverse British Claim "5d" and charged "7½d" currency on arrival. A very rare Crimean War Three Pence Military Concessionary Rate - **believed to be the only known example of that rate to British North America** and ideal for exhibition, F-VF **Est. 750.00+**



NOVA SCOTIA

PENCE



- 266 ★ **1, 1853 1p Red Brown on Blue Wove Paper, Imperforate** A rare mint pair of this attractive classic, touching frame at right, clear to large margins on other sides, bright colour, large part original gum somewhat disturbed, F-VF, only a handful of multiples exist. (Unitrade cat. \$9,000) **Est. 2,500.00+**

Expertization: 1970 RPS of London certificate



- 267 ★ **2, 1851-1857 3p Blue on Bluish Wove Paper, Imperforate** An attractive mint block of four in a lovely rich shade of blue, ample to large margins all around with sheet margin to one side, large part original gum somewhat disturbed, hinge thin in the margin only, a beautiful block, VF OG (Unitrade cat. \$12,800) **Est. 4,000.00+**
- 268 ☉ **3, 1851-1857 3p Dark Blue on Blued Paper, Imperforate** A choice, large margined example with rich colour, shows part of adjoining stamp at left, light unobtrusive oval mute grid cancel, VF+
Illustrated on Page 119 **400.00**
- 269 ☒ **Six-Pence Letter Rate to the United States 1857 (August 15)** Folded lettersheet franked with pair of 3p dark blue on blue wove paper, well margined all around, faint horizontal bend, nicely tied by oval mute grid cancels, superb Maitland Co. Hant's, NS double arc dispatch, oval "H" (Halifax) AU 15 datestamp and St. John, NB transit backstamp; pays the 6 pence overland rate via New Brunswick to New York, F-VF (Unitrade 3)
Illustrated on Page 119 **Est. 350.00+**
- 270 P **4P, 1851 6p Heraldic Perkins Bacon original plate proof, engraved, a corner margin pair in black on thin card, VF**
Illustrated on Page 119 **800.00**



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- 271 **Late Usage of the Six Pence Yellow Green to the United States** 1860 (August 8) Amber envelope from Bridgetown to Boston bearing a superb large margined 6p yellow green on blued paper in choice condition, well tied by light oval mute grid cancel, border exchange "PAID 10" handstamp in red, Bridgetown dispatch postmark on reverse along with partly legible Annapolis same day transit; cover with opening tear at top and edge stain at left. **The second last recorded usage** (latest reported being September 5, 1860) of this stamp to the United States, a Fine cover with a VF+ stamp (Unitrade 4)
Est. 1,500.00+



- 272 ★ **5, 1857 6p Dark Green on Bluish Wove Paper, Imperforate** A beautiful used example of this difficult stamp, small shallow thin not readily visible but superb appearance with large margins, brilliant fresh colour and oval mute grid cancellation, VF (Unitrade cat. \$3,500) **Est. 750.00+**



- 273 ☒ **A Scarce Six Pence Dark Green Single-Franking to the United States 1859** (October 25) Small amber cover from Halifax to Wilbraham, Massachusetts, bearing a sound 6p dark green on blue wove paper with large margins, tied by light oval mute grid; on reverse Halifax OC 25 1859 and St. John OC 29 1859 double arc transit; pays the 6 pence overland rate to the U.S. via Saint John, NB; cover with slight traces of foxing and small tears at foot, still in nicer condition than most existing 6p dark green covers, F-VF (Unitrade 5) **Est. 2,000.00+**

Provenance: E. Carey Fox, First Portion, H.R. Harmer, Inc., May 1968; Lot 190 - described as "*extremely fine... a choice cover. B.P.A. cert.*" (latter certificate no longer present)



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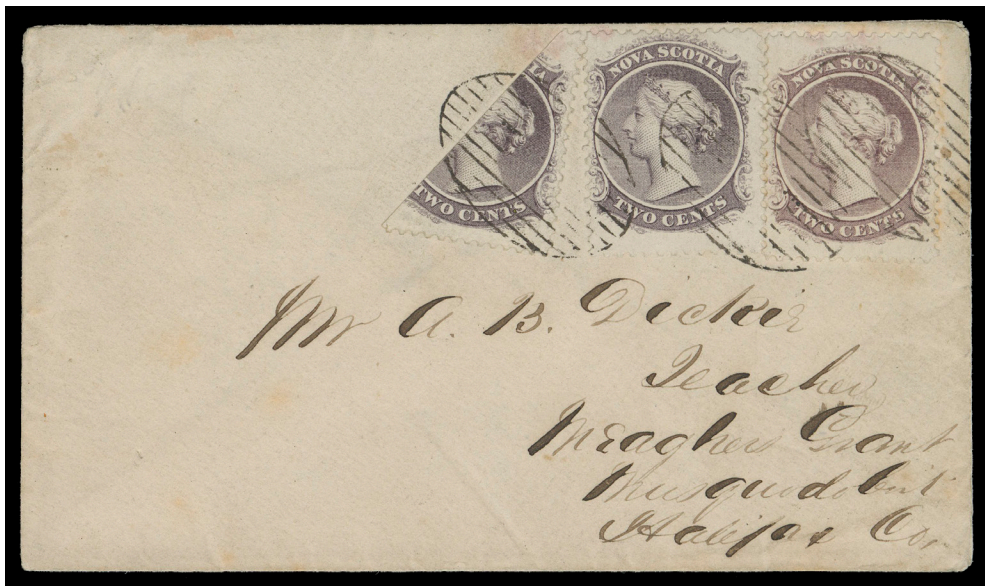
- 274 **Elusive Multiple Interprovincial Franking to Prince Edward Island 1864** (October 14) Cover to Charlottetown, PEI bearing two pairs and a single 1c black on yellowish paper tied by grid cancels IN RED, Halifax OC 14 transit and Prince Edward Island OC 15 large circular receiver backstamps; small cover fault and light vertical cover fold not affecting stamps. Pays a seldom seen 5c interprovincial letter rate, F-VF; clear 2023 Greene Foundation cert. (Unitrade 8) **Est. 350.00+**



- 275 **One Cent Circular Rate Cover in Pristine Condition 1867** (September 19) Blue envelope in pristine condition bearing a fresh 1c black on white paper tied by Halifax duplex, mailed to Annapolis. A beautiful unsealed one-cent domestic circular rate cover, XF (Unitrade 8) **Est. 150.00+**



**A BEAUTIFUL BIASECTED 2-CENT COVER
FOR DOMESTIC LETTER RATE**



- 276 1865 (August 4) Small envelope in excellent condition bearing two 2c singles in distinctively different shades and a diagonal bisect, all neatly tied to cover by clear oval mute grid cancels, mailed from West River Pictou to Musquodoboit with clear double arc dispatch on back alongside "H" (Halifax) AU 7 1865 and Shubenacadie AU 9 transits. A rare and very attractive provisional usage of a bisected 2c for the required 5c domestic letter rate; one of the very finest known, XF (Unitrade 9 + 9b)

Est. 3,500.00+

Expertization: 2006 Greene Foundation certificate

Provenance: J. Ronald Saint Nova Scotia Collection, Maresch Sale 277, June 1993; Lot 191

**THE VERY SCARCE INTERIOR
13½-CENT RATE TO NEWFOUNDLAND**



- 277 1865 (August 29) Clean cover from Pugwash to Harbor Grace, Newfoundland via Halifax and St. John's, bearing an unusual franking of 1c & 12½ black, both slightly overlapping envelope at top, otherwise sound and tied by oval mute grid, mostly clear double arc AU 29 1865 dispatch, oval "H" (Halifax) AU 30 and St. John's SP 4 transit backstamps; light partly legible Harbor Grace SP 5 receiver visible near centre of the cover. A seldom seen 13½ cent rate cover from the Interior of Nova Scotia, classified by Nicholas Argenti as "*exceedingly rare (VVR)*", F-VF (Unitrade 8, 13) **Est. 1,500.00+**
- Expertization: 2024 Greene Foundation certificate



- 280 ★ **11v, 1872 1c Brown Orange, Perf 11½-12** A superbly centered mint block with brilliant fresh colour, imperforate horizontally between lower row and sheet margin, full pristine original gum. Seldom encountered so nice - most existing examples are badly off centre, XF NH **1,600.00**

RED RIVER SETTLEMENT



- 281 ☒ **Early Mail From Red River Settlement to Canada** Folded lettersheet in an excellent state of preservation datelined "Red River Settlement 23 August 1853", addressed to Galt, Upper Canada; at the time a carrier charge of one penny (2 cents) payable in cash for conveyance to Pembina then to St. Paul, Minnesota Territory, receiving a clear, large circular Saint Paul Min. Ter. SEP 24 and rated "10" (cents to collect) at Detroit before entering Canada, oval Ud.States / 6d border exchange marking in blue, Galt OC 1 receiver backstamp. A very early example from the Red River Settlement with postal markings of the utmost rarity and exhibition quality, VF+ **Est. 2,500.00+**

Provenance: Stewart S. Kenyon Collection of Pioneer Mail in Western Canada, Hennok Auctions, February 1989; Lot 223 - realized \$1,900 hammer, the second highest realization among 300+ lots collection.

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SYMBOLS & MAJOR ABBREVIATIONS

★	Mint	⊙	Used	E	Essay
☒	Cover	(/)	Incomplete Set	F	Forgery
(-)	Complete Set	R	Reprint	P	Proof
◆	Graded Stamp	CDS	Circular Date Stamp	L	Literature

CONDITION

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GUM

NH	Never Hinged – with full original gum in Post Office state and unmounted.
LH	Lightly Hinged – with full original gum showing some evidence of a previous hinge.
OG	Original gum – showing some evidence of a previous hinge, a portion of which may still be present.
Part OG	Part original gum.
Unused	Unused without original gum, or regummed.
Ungummed	Without gum as issued.

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\$550 - \$1,000	\$50.00	\$80,000 - \$150,000	\$5,000.00
\$1,100 - \$2,000	\$100.00	\$160,000 - \$300,000	\$10,000.00
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