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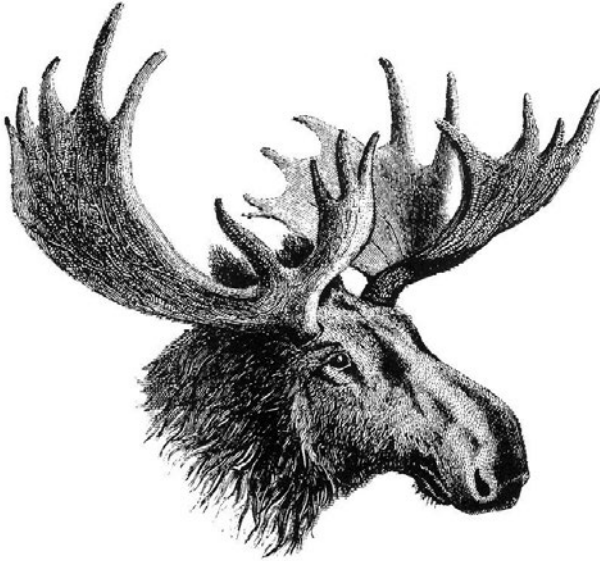
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Friday February 14th, 2014 – 1:30pm (Lot 1 – 690)

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Features British Commonwealth with a nice selection of constant plate varieties, notably Ascension, St. Helena and Seychelles. Germany and Area is strongly represented, including better Occupation issues and Colonies. Various noteworthy country collections compliment this section.

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Lot 1 – Lot 690
Auction begins at 1:30pm (AST)



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- 1 ★ **ADEN 1-12, 1937 ½a-10r Dhow Issue** Fresh mint set of twelve; single pulled perf on 1a, 8a hinged, otherwise a F-VF NH set. (Catalogue as hinged only; NH cat. \$1,098). (SG 1-12 £1,000) **700.00+**
- 2 ★ **ALLENSTEIN 14 Footnote, 1920 5pf-40pf Germania Overprinted Issue** Not regularly issued values - 5pf brown, 10pf orange, 20pf green, 30pf blue and 40pf carmine, latter centered to left, others well centered. Bright fresh colours and pristine original gum; each with Mikulski guarantee handstamp on reverse, VF NH; 1986 Mikulski cert. for the set. (Michel II-VI € 900) **725.00**



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- 3 ◎ **ASCENSION 4 var. 1922 2p Black and Grey, Multiple Script CA** Single with Line through "P" of "POSTAGE" variety, used with MR 23 23 CDS postmark, scarce, VF (SG 4a £500) **Est. 350.00+**
- 4 ◎ **ASCENSION 10 variety, 1922 ½p Black and Violet** Fresh used single with 'Broken Mainmast' variety well clear of circular dated 1932 postmark, F-VF (SG 10a £275) **Est. 200.00**
- 5 ★ **ASCENSION 10-21, 1922 ½p-3sh Badge of Colony** Complete mint set of twelve stamps each with SPECIMEN overprint in black or red; 4p has couple short perfs at foot otherwise set with fresh colours, F-VF OG (SG 10s-20s £1,000) **Est. 600.00+**



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- 6 ★ **ASCENSION 11a variety, 1933 1p Grey Black and Bright Blue Green** Upper left plate "1" mint block of four in distinctive scarcer shade and showing 'Broken Mainmast' plate variety on lower left stamp; pen "arrow" mark in selvedge. A fresh and elusive block, VF OG; also includes normal mint singles of both printings for comparison; common deep blue green and the later printing in bright blue green, as in the offered block . (SG 11d, 11da £1,180+) **Est. 600.00+**



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- 7 ★ **ASCENSION 15 variety, 1922 4p Grey Black and Black on Yellow** Brilliant fresh mint single with 'Broken Mainmast' variety, full original gum, F-VF LH (SG 15a £475) **Est. 300.00+**
- 8 ★ **ASCENSION 15 variety, 1922 4p Grey Black and Black on Yellow** Choice well centered and fresh mint example with 'Torn Flag' plate variety, full original gum, VF LH (SG 15b £475) **Est. 300.00+**
- 9 ★ **ASCENSION 15 variety, 1922 4p Grey Black and Black on Yellow** Choice mint single with 'Cleft Rock' variety and full original gum, VF NH (SG 15c for hinged £450+) **Est. 300.00+**
- 10 ★ **ASCENSION 16 variety, 1927 5p Purple and Olive Green** Well centered mint lower left plate "1" block showing 'Cleft Rock' variety on lower left stamp, very lightly hinged at top leaving lower pair with variety never hinged, VF (SG 15d, 15dc for hinged £355+) **Est. 250.00+**



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- 11 ★ **ASCENSION 17 variety, 1922 6p Grey Black and Bright Purple** Lovely fresh and well centered mint single, showing 'Torn Flag' plate variety, full original gum, VF LH (SG 16b £550) **Est. 350.00+**
- 12 ★ **ASCENSION 33-36, 1935 1½p-1sh Silver Jubilee** Lovely fresh and selected mint set of four with diagonal perforated SPECIMEN, full original gum, VF LH (SG 31s-34s £425) **Est. 250.00+**
- 13 ★ **ASCENSION 35 variety, 1935 5p Silver Jubilee** Fresh and well centered mint single showing 'Kite and Vertical Log' plate variety (Plate 2A; R. 10/6), with full original gum, VF NH (SG 33k for hinged £375+) **Est. 300.00+**



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- 14 ◎ **ASCENSION A18, Great Britain Used in Ascension 1887-1892 6p Violet on Rose** Block of four used with centrally struck small Ascension "A" CDS, small portion of additional strike shows at top; a very scarce and appealing used multiple, Fine+ (Scott Classic US\$325; SG Z16 £375 values for single stamp with legible strike) **Est. 500.00+**
- 15 ◎ **ASCENSION A31, Great Britain used in Ascension 1909 4p Orange KEVII** Choice used single tied to small piece by clear Ascension "A" JA 31 11 CDS postmark; a beautiful item, VF+ (SG Z28 £400) **325.00+**



- 16 ◎ **ASCENSION A47/A61, Great Britain Used in Ascension 1912-1922 ½p/1sh King George V** Seven different denominations - ½p, 1p, 1½p, 2½p, 3p, 4p and 1sh, each tied by clear and complete Ascension "B" OC 27 22 CDS postmark to small piece, very attractive and a scarce group, VF (SG Z39//Z51 £978) **835.00+**



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- 17 ★ **ASCENSION 1922-1963 Mint Selection** Various mint sets (a few are duplicated - two of same set), including Scott #1-9, 10-21 (two sets), 23-32 (two sets), 33-36 NH, 40-49 KGVI complete with all printings and perfs, 75-78 NH, 76b missing colour, etc. Overall nice condition, F-VF (Scott 2014 US\$2,432) **Est. 500.00+**
- 18 ☉ **ASCENSION 1924-1953 Used Selection** Includes Scott #21 nice CDS, #23-32 1934 KGV set, #33-36 1935 Silver Jubilee, #40-49 KGVI printings / perfs complete set, etc. Overall clean with mainly clear postmarks, F-VF (Scott 2014 US\$789) **Est. 200.00+**



- 19 ★ **ASCENSION 1922 Badge of Colony Plate Varieties** Nice mint group consisting of Broken Mainmast on ½p, 1½p, 2p, 3p; Torn Flag on ½p, 1p, 1½p, 2p, 3p; Cleft Rock on 1½p, 2p, 3p, 5p, 8p singles and ½p & 3p plate "1" pairs and 1p LL plate "1" block of four. Couple with minor perf toning or gum bend, F-VF OG / LH; and a useful lot for the specialist. (SG £3,130) **Est. 1,250.00+**
- 20 ★ **ASCENSION 1934-1944 Mint Issues** Small selection which includes 1934 ½p-5sh mint NH, plus ½p-8p set in NH blocks; 1938-1944 KGVI original set of 13 NH, F-VF (Scott 2013 US\$413 for hinged only) **(Not Illustrated) Est. 250.00+**



- 21 ★ **AUSTRIA B106-B109, 1933 12g-50g Ski Federation Issue** Pristine fresh mint set of four, VF NH **500.00**
- 22 ★ **BAHRAIN 1933-1954 Mint Collection** In clear mounts on quadrilled pages from first issue to early QEII era. Mostly with fresh colours and in selected quality throughout, note Scott #1-14, etc. F-VF (Scott 2014 US\$1,547) **(Not Illustrated) Est. 350.00+**



- 23 ★◎ **BASUTOLAND 1935-1961 Mint / Used Selection** Few sets mint AND used noting better surcharge 1961 2c on 2p inverted surcharge mint NH, 10c on 1sh Type II mint NH; also Lesotho 1966 1r mint NH pair right stamp overprinted "LESETHO" variety. A clean lot, F-VF (Scott 2014 \$731)

Est. 200.00+



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- 24 ★ **BASUTOLAND 1-10, 1933 ½p-10sh KGV & Crocodile** Fresh mint set of ten with diagonal perforated SPECIMEN, F-VF LH (SG 1s-10s £325) **Est. 200.00+**
- 25 ★◎ **1933-1954 Mint AND Used Collection** On large stockpages with mint Scott #1-10 NH (10sh small spot of adhesion), 18-28 NH, used #1-10, 18-28, etc. Also some multiples (not counted). Generally F-VF (Scott 2013 US\$1,812) *(Not Illustrated)* **Est. 400.00+**
- 26 ★ **BASUTOLAND 1933-1947 Perforated Specimen Sets** Five different sets, with 1933 KGV & Crocodile, 1935 Silver Jubilee, 1938 KGV, 1947 Royal Visit and 1933 Postage Due (2 sets). Mint OG hinged to lightly hinged, F-VF (SG £945) **Est. 500.00+**
- 27 ★ **BECHUANALAND 105-116, 1932 ½p-10sh King George V Pictorial Issue** Mint set of twelve stamps, reasonably centered, full original gum; some are lightly hinged, F-VF OG (SG 99-110 £425) **445.50**
- 28 ★ **BECHUANALAND 105-116, 1932 ½p-10sh King George V Pictorial Issue** Mint set of twelve stamps with diagonally perforated SPECIMEN, F-VF LH (SG 99-110 £400) **Est. 300.00+**



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- 29 ★ **BECHUANALAND 117-120 variety, 1935 1p-6p Silver Jubilee Issue** Desirable set of four lower left mint corner blocks of four, each showing 'Extra Flagstaff' (Plate "1" R. 9/1) variety on upper left stamp; 1p block is lightly hinged on top pair, other three values are NH, VF and seldom offered as a set. (SG 111a-114a for hinged £795) **Est. 500.00+**
- 30 ★ **BECHUANALAND 179b, 1961 1r on 10sh Black & Red Brown, Type I Surcharge** Fresh mint single with scarcer (smaller) surcharge type, printing guideline at top, F-VF NH (SG 167 £450) **425.00**



- 31 ★◎ **BECHUANALAND Well Rounded 1885-1961 Mint / Used Collection** In clear mounts and carefully identified on quadrilled pages with glassine interleaves in multi-ring Gibbons padded binder, from early overprinted / surcharged issues to early QEII era. Noted better stamps such as Scott mint #8, 20, 51, 54, 92-93 (plus extra 5sh), 92a, 94-95, used with #9, 20, 41 nice used CDS block of six, 53, 53a, etc. Several Specimen stamps such as Scott #21, 31-32 (two sets), 54, 68 pair, 124-126, J4-J6, etc. A few flaws to be expected, but overall nice and selected quality, Fine to Very Fine (Scott 2014 US\$8,346) **Est. 2,000.00+**



- 32 ★ **BELGIUM 322-353, 330 variety, 350 variety, 1944 5c-10fr Lion Rampant** Both mint sets of sixteen in imperforate blocks of four, the odd block with natural gum wrinkles; also includes imperforate block of 1.50fr (#330) with double impression error and imperforate block of 3fr (#350) error of colour, printed in bright ultramarine (colour of 1.75fr) instead of claret. A neat and unusual group, VF NH **Est. 500.00+**



- 33 ★ **BELGIUM B34-B47, 1918 1c+1c - 10fr+10fr Red Cross Surchage Issue** Complete set of fourteen, fresh and nicely centered, both key high values are LH, F-VF **990.00**



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- 34 ★ **BELGIUM B114-B122, 1932 Cardinal Mercier** Fresh mint set of nine stamps, mostly LH, F-VF **570.00**
- 35 ★ **BELGIUM B132-B143, 1933 Orval Abbey Issue** An attractive, reasonably centered set of twelve, mostly LH including the high value, F-VF **990.00**



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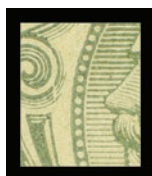
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- 36 ★ **BELGIUM Q291-Q296, 1945-1946 3fr-6fr Mercury Parcel Post** Both mint sets of three in imperforate blocks, scarce as such, choice VF NH **Est. 250.00+**
- 37 ★ **BERMUDA 40-54, 1910-1924 ¼p-£1 Caravel and KGV Issue, Multiple Crown CA** Complete mint set of fifteen with horizontal SPECIMEN overprint; light gum staining on 6p Caravel, others with fresh colours and full original gum, hinged to lightly hinged, F-VF (SG 44s-51s, 51bs-55s £1,300) The Four shilling stamp shows the "Nick in Top Right Scroll" plate variety. **Est. 750.00+**



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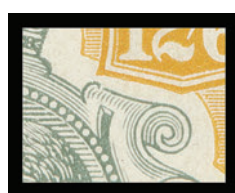
- 38 ★ **BERMUDA 52 varieties, 1920 5sh Green and Carmine Red on Pale Yellow Paper, Multiple Crown CA** Fresh mint hinged single with INVERTED WATERMARK additionally showing "Break in Lines Below Left Scroll" (R. 4/9). Only very few stamps combining plate and watermark variety can exist, VF OG (SG 53de £400 + 53dw £450) **Est. 500.00+**
- 39 ★ **BERMUDA 94-97, 1924-1932 2sh-12sh6p King George V, Multiple Script CA Watermark** Fresh mint set of four - first printings overprinted SPECIMEN (perforated on 12sh6p) each with full original gum, very lightly hinged. A nice set, VF LH (SG 88s/93s £550) **Est. 400.00+**



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- 40 ★ **BERMUDA 97 variety, 1932 12sh6p Grey and Orange, Multiple Script CA Watermark** Top sheet margin mint single, lovely fresh colours and nicely centered, showing the elusive and very distinct "Breaks in Scrolls at Right" (R. 1/3), one short perf at left mentioned for accuracy, otherwise full original gum, never hinged, VF and seldom seen. (SG 93h for hinged £900) **Est. 750.00+**



- 41 ★ **BERMUDA 97 variety, 1932 12sh6p Grey and Orange, Multiple Script CA Watermark** Well centered mint single clearly showing a more pronounced "Nick in Top Right Scroll" (R. 3/12), appealing and scarce, VF OG (SG 93c £800) *(Illustrated on Page 11)* **Est. 500.00+**



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- 42 ★ **BERMUDA 125 variety, 1942 5sh Dull Yellow "Bronze" Green and Carmine Red on Pale Yellow Ordinary Paper, Perf 14** Exceptionally fresh and well centered mint example of this elusive and key printing, full original gum, XF NH; 1998 RPSL cert. (SG 118c £1,400) **Est. 750.00+**

- 43 ★ **BERMUDA 127b, 1947 12sh6p Grey & Yellow** Mint single with bright colours and full original gum, very lightly hinged; shows HPF #32 diamond-shape flaw in King's cheekbone, F-VF VLH; 1985 BPA cert. (SG 120d £700) **725.00**



- 44 ★ **BERMUDA Queen Victoria to King George V Mint Selection** Better selection on cards including 1865 1p rose red mint OG block of eight, 1866 2p blue mint OG, Victoria Crown CA mint issues with shades / printings, KGV MCA issues 2sh to £1, a couple Head Plate Flaws, etc. Also includes nice single usage of 1880 4p orange on 1904 dated (late) cover to USA. Some duplicates and generally nice quality mint OG throughout, Fine to Very Fine (Scott 2014 US\$4,649) **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 45 ★◎ **BERMUDA King George VI Key Type Specialized Collection** Organized and identified by owner: arranged by printing / despatch, noting year and perforation type; with mostly mint examples, lightly hinged and also never hinged, plus a few used stamps sprinkled throughout. Includes 2sh (15), 2sh6p (12), 5sh (9), 10sh (9), 12sh6p (7) and £1 (10). Some duplicates of despatch noted but also includes a few Head Plate Flaws such as 12sh6p (12th printing) UR block of four, stamps NH with HPF #12b, 24c, 24d, etc. Selected quality throughout and ideal lot for further study of this complex field. F-VF or better **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 46 ★ **BRITISH CENTRAL AFRICA 15, 1891-1895 £2 Rose Red Coat of Arms "B.C.A." Overprint in Black** A well centered mint single with small part original gum; a few nibbed perfs at foot as often seen on these, F-VF; 2013 Sismondo cert. (SG 15 £1,200) **1,200.00**



- 47 ★ **CAMEROON 1897-1915 Mint / Used Selection** Issued under German Dominion complete either mint or used with better mint #19 and includes Issued under British Occupation 1915 ½p on 3pf to 1sh on 1m mint OG, plus mint 5sh on 5m, latter with one short perf at left. Fine to Very Fine (Scott 2014 US\$1,067) **Est. 250.00+**



- 48 ◎ **CAPE OF GOOD HOPE 3 variety, 1858 1p Deep Rose Red (Perkins Bacon) on Medium White Wove** Superb used single with full to very large margins and lovely rich colour, large portion of clear triangular "CGH" grid cancel; pencil signed Sismondo on reverse, XF; 2013 Sismondo cert. (SG 5b £350) **240.00+**



- 49 ★◎ **CAYMAN ISLANDS 1900-1936 Mint / Used Collection** Dozens of different in clear mounts carefully identified on quadrilled pages. Noted better valued items such as Scott mint #18, 19, #45-47 NH, 50-63, #85-96, 112-113 perforated SPECIMEN, MR1a in a block of four; used with Scott #16, #50-63, #28 and #30 latter two used on small pieces each tied by nice CDS. Also 1p surcharge on 4p KEVII (Scott 20 Footnote) mint single. Mostly sound mint or used throughout, Fine to Very Fine; a useful collection. (Scott 2012 \$4,064) **Est. 1,000.00+**



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- 50 ★ **CHINA 307-310, 1932 1c-10c Expedition Issue** Set of lower margin blocks with guide arrows, each stamp with "KB" (K. Bileski) handstamp on reverse; 10c with gum disturbance on right pair from an interleave, otherwise VF NH (Catalogue value is for hinged) **460.00+**
- 51 ★ **CHINA 307-310, 1932 1c-10c Expedition Issue** Matching set of top imprint blocks with plate number "1", each block signed by explorer Sven Hedin, scarce and attractive, VF NH **Est. 400.00+**



- 52 ☒ **CHINA 307-310, Registered cover** bearing 1932 Expedition issue, plus 30c brown violet (Scott #321) on reverse, tied by Peking circular datestamps and signed by Sven Hedin, addressed to his daughter in Stockholm. Some gum residue around stamps, an interesting cover, VF (Also includes two mint sets of this issue hinged on cards as prepared by K. Bileski) **Est. 300.00+**



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- 53 ◎ **DANZIG 27a, 1920 2m on 35pf Germania, Grey Burelage with Points Down Scarce** postally used example with large portion of boxed datestamp; Kniep BPP guarantee handstamp on reverse, VF; 1983 Karl Kniep cert. (Scott cat. \$325 for cancelled to order; Michel 28 II € 900) **Est. 400.00+**
- 54 ★◎ **DANZIG 1920-1939 Mint / Used Collection** Housed in a Lindner hingeless album from first issue to back-of-book with semi-postals, airmails, postage dues, and officials, mint or used. Noted Scott mint #31, used #32, mint #43 (catalogue value for 1920 issues alone \$1,100). Thereafter, nothing of great value, but noted several sets and stamps cataloguing \$40+ and basic stamps and souvenir sheets virtually all present mint or used. A few flaws to be expected, but generally Fine to Very Fine throughout. **Est. 400.00+**



- 55 ★◎ **ECUADOR Neat Predominantly Mint Collection** Many dozens in clear mounts carefully identified on quadrilled pages from early issues to around 1940s with some latter issues as well. Includes regular issues, surcharges / overprinted stamps, airmails, officials, etc. Noted 1929 Airpost and Airpost Official mint sets of eight stamps, several definitive and topical interest sets, etc. Nice condition throughout, many inexpensive yet elusive stamps, Fine to Very Fine **Est. 400.00+**

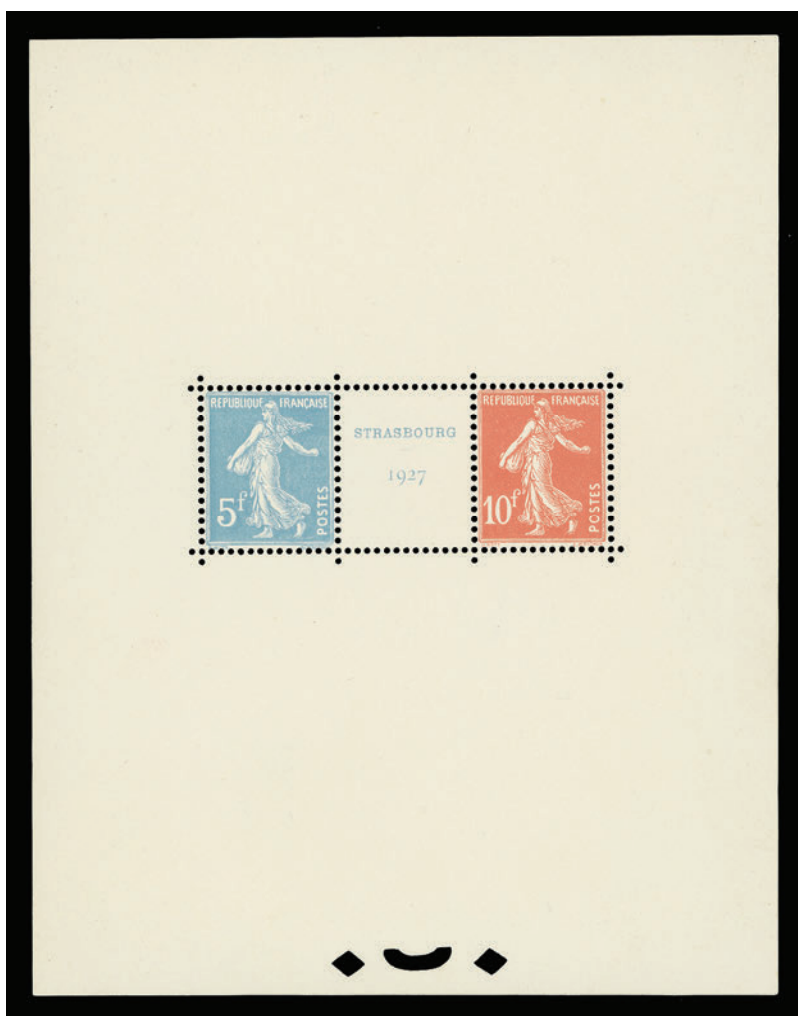


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- 56 ★ **FRANCE 197, 1923 1fr Claret & Olive Green Philatelic Congress Overprint** Well centered mint single, VF LH **440.00**
- 57 ★ **FRANCE 241, 1927 5fr, 10fr Strasbourg Exhibition** Full-size mint souvenir sheet of two with imprint label, fresh and with full original gum, choice, VF NH *(Illustrated on Page 16)* **2,300.00**
- 58 ★ **FRANCE 246, 1929 2fr Orange & Pale Blue Le Havre Exhibition Overprint in Blue** Mint single with bright colour on fresh paper, full original gum, F-VF LH; 2013 Sismondo cert. **600.00**



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- 59 ★ **FRANCE B10, 1917 5fr + 5fr Deep Blue & Black "La Marseillaise"** Key semi-postal mint stamp, quite well centered, fresh with large part OG, VF **1,600.00**



- 60 ★ **FRANCE C1-C2, 1927 2fr & 5fr International Aviation Exhibition** Attractive overprinted set of two, both with lovely fresh colours and pristine original gum. F-VF NH; 2013 Sismondo cert. **800.00**



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- 61 ★ **FRANCE C14, 1936 50fr Emerald A** lovely, fresh and reasonably well centered single; the key value, F-VF LH **825.00**



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- 62 ★ **FRANCE C15, 1936 50fr Monoplane over Paris** An attractive example of this sought-after airmail stamp, fresh VF LH **625.00**



- 63 ★◎ **GERMAN STATES Comprehensive Mint / Used Collection** From Baden to Württemberg excluding Bavaria (offered as a separate lot), each State is well represented from early to their last issued stamps. Excellent Bremen, Oldenburg and Württemberg, latter goes to 1920. Noted Bremen 1863 2gr orange on chalky paper mint OG; Dr. Fisher backstamp, Württemberg 1852 18kr black on dull violet, tiny thin, Cannstatt dark blue CDS, 1859 18kr dark blue, without silk thread, minor soiling, large part OG, Thoma BPP backstamp, etc. Questionable cancels, some forgeries / reprints noted throughout - includes Sachen #1 which appears clever forgery. Also quality as to be excepted on these is mixed (faulty) or skillfully repaired to Fine; still the collection has plenty of nice sound examples. Needs closer examination. **Est. 2,500.00+**



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- 64 ◎ **BAVARIA 1849 1kr Black (Plate 1)** Attractive used single with clear at left to large margins, showing dividing lines on two sides, bright fresh colour on pristine paper, ideally struck by double ring Augsburg 15 MAI postmark in black; Pfenninger guarantee handstamp on reverse, VF; 1976 Maria Brettl cert. (Michel 11a € 3,000) **2,000.00**



- 65 ★◎ **BAVARIA 1849-1920 Collection** Many dozen different displayed on Lindner hingeless album pages, begins with selection of 1849-1862 Numeral issues mainly, followed by nice representation of Coat of Arms, ranging from faulty to sound mint NH examples, noted better Scott 29a 1870 12kr lilac (Michel 26x) used with blue CDS; Kohler backstamp, 1911-1920 long definitives mint or used, questionable / favorable postmarks as typically seen on these; ends with semi-official airmail CL1 mint LH single and run of postage dues. Quality is mixed throughout but noted many sound examples. Good lot for further study on these complex stamps. **Est. 600.00+**

- 66 ◎ **BREMEN 3, 1860 7gr Black on Yellow** A beautiful and elusive used single, nearly large margins on all sides, fresh and with portion of boxed datestamp in black; Kohler, Pfenninger, Mohrmann backstamps, VF (Michel 3a € 900) **725.00**

- 67 ◎ **OLDENBURG 7, 1859 2g Black on Rose** Selected used example with large margins and fresh and large portion of boxed datestamp in blue; H. Krause guarantee backstamp, VF (Michel 7 € 750) **600.00**



- 68 ◎ **WURTEMBERG 53, 1873 70kr Brown Purple, Imperforate** Key used single with adequate margins all around, large portion of fan-like datestamp, minute shallow thin spot hardly detracts from this valuable stamp; Georg Buhler guarantee backstamp and pencil signed Dr. Ferdinand Wallner on reverse, VF; 1965 Dr. Ferdinand Wallner handwritten certificate (Michel 42a € 7,000) **4,000.00**



- 69 ★ GERMANY 401-414, 404b, 1933 3pf-100pf Hindenburg, Watermark Network Premium mint set of fourteen, also the 8pf with open "D" variety, each well centered, fresh and with full clean original gum; seldom seen as such, VF NH 935.00



- 70 ★ GERMANY B33, 1930 8pf+4pf - 50pf+40pf IPOSTA Pristine, fresh mint souvenir sheet of four with full original gum, never hinged; margins ungummed as issued and choice, VF NH (Michel Block 1 € 1,600) 1,200.00



- 71 ★ **GERMANY B58, 1933 5+15pf - 50pf+1.50m Nothilfe Anniversary Overprint** Post office fresh souvenir sheet of four, stamps are precisely centered, light paper wrinkle at upper right and couple traces of hinging in the ungummed portion of sheet margin, stamps have fresh full original gum, never hinged; Georg Buhler guarantee handstamps on reverse, VF (Michel Block 2 € 7,000) **5,250.00**



- 72 ★ **GERMANY B58, 1933 5+15pf - 50pf+1.50m Nothilfe "1923-1933" Overprint** Full-size souvenir sheet of four, stamps very well centered and fresh, hinged entirely in upper corners (ungummed portion of the sheet) leaving stamps with full pristine original gum, never hinged, VF **5,250.00**



- 73 ★ **GERMANY B68, 1935 3pf-25pf OSTROPA** Mint souvenir sheet of four in excellent state of preservation as it still retains its full original brown gum (from acidic content) when issued. Naturally, paper is mildly brown as a result and is without defects, VF; catalogue value reflects souvenir sheet without gum. (Michel Block 3 € 1,100) **Est. 825.00**



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- 74 ★ **GERMANY C46-C56, 1934 5pf-3m Eagle & Zeppelin Airmail Issue** Fresh, selected set of eleven, VF NH **Est. 535.00**
- 75 ★ **GERMANY CL1-CL4 + overprinted 10pf, 1912 10pf-30pf Air Post Semi-Official Stamps** Mint set of three plus 1m on 10pf surcharge used single with large portion of circular datestamp with couple clipped perfs at lower left; also Scott unlisted 10pf with E. E. L. P. overprint at foot, fresh and with full original gum, very lightly hinged, F-VF (Michel I-V € 1,170) **Est. 400.00+**
- 76 ★ **GERMANY Island Post (Agram), 1944 Red Brown, Perf 13½** Fresh and well centered mint single with elusive diagonal INSELPOST overprint in black blue, (38-40 degree angle, plate I/1), full original gum with Rungas BPP and Dr. Dub BPP guarantee backstamps, VF NH; 2002 Claus Petry cert. (Michel 10Ad € 2,200) **Est. 750.00+**



- 77 ★◎ **German Plebiscite Issues 1920-1922 Collection** Includes Allenstein (cat. \$283), Marienwerder (cat. \$822) and Schleswig (cat. \$2,849), mint / used stamps displayed on Lindner hingeless album pages. Noted better items such as Allenstein #28 footnote 40pf mint NH with Vossen cert., Marienwerder #28 mint, #31 used, Schleswig #10 mint, #O1-14 set, all mint OG, except for 1m and 10m are used, each value in the set has two different backstamps. Overall Fine to Very Fine throughout. (Scott 2013 US\$3,954) **Est. 750.00+**



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- 78 ★◎ **GERMANY 1872-1932 Mint / Used Collection** Many dozens in clear mounts on Davo album pages, starts with Eagle issues complete either mint / unused or used, mixed condition as expected on these, then most are represented and mainly used, except for 1920s Inflation era where most issues are mint. Includes semi-postals, airmails and officials. Nothing of great value but noted Scott mint #65d, C20-C26 expertly redistributed OG to appear NH, C35-C37, etc. Condition is mixed to Fine throughout; a good startup country collection. **Est. 500.00+**

- 79 ★◎ **GERMANY 1933-1945 Third Reich Mint / Used Collection** In clear mounts on Davo album pages, includes majority of issued stamps during era including regular issues, semi-postals, airmails, a few souvenir sheets. Noted better such as Scott mint #C38-C39, C40-C42 (included - issued prior to Third Reich); used B49-B57 set, C43 with nice CDS. Some flaws to be expected but generally Fine or better (Scott 2014 US\$3,408) **Est. 600.00+**

- 80 ★◎ **GERMANY 1946-1990 Mint / Used Collection** Well represented in Davo hingeless album starting with 1946-1949 Allied Occupation mint / used including semi-postals, noting better 1948 Numeral Issue with ribbon overprint mint set of nine; from 1949 Federal Republic to 1990 quite complete mint or used with semi-postals, souvenir sheets. Some flaws to be expected but generally Fine or better (Illustrated on Website) **Est. 400.00+**

- 81 ★ **GERMANY 1991-2010 Mint NH Collection** Housed in two Davo hingeless albums with the regular issues nearly complete mint never hinged - no booklet format stamps and only a few sets / stamps used in place (not catalogued). Includes semi-postals, souvenir sheets, definitives. Clean VF NH throughout. (Scott 2014 US\$2,365) (Not Illustrated) **Est. 600.00+**

- 82 **GERMANY Reference Material** Various issues from several challenging areas where authenticity is difficult to ascertain and where bogus, fake and forged items abound - therefore offered on that basis. Noted surcharges / overprints of Sudetenland, locals from Asch to Rumburg, Port Gdansk, Theresienstadt, Libau, Allied Occupation ribbon overprints, Field Post Stamps, and "Ghetto Post" (Litzmannstadt) issues. Excellent lot for the student. (Not Illustrated) **Est. 400.00+**

- 83 ★◎ **GERMANY Balance of Consignment** On album pages, cards, etc. and three stockbooks mostly related to Germany and area, noting Hamburg locals, Danzig, Wurttemberg, General Government, Field Post Offices, Bohemia & Moravia, Occupations issues, etc. Inspect. (Not Illustrated) **Est. 600.00+**



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- 84 ★ **OCCUPATIONS Bialystok, 1916 1m on 25pf Lilac Red Coat of Arms Surcharge** mint single without hand signature and with full original gum, VF LH (Michel 2 I € 400) **Est. 300.00**

- 85 ◎ **OCCUPATIONS Bialystok, 1916 25pf Lilac Red Coat of Arms** Lower left corner example with hand signature used with clear and nearly complete circular postmark, VF (Michel 1 II € 260) **Est. 200.00**



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- 86 ★ **OCCUPATIONS Pleskau Block 1x, 1941 60 + 40 K Help for City Kindergartens** Imperforate souvenir sheet in dark carmine brown on white paper with upright long rectangles watermark, ungummed as issued; Hanns Zierer guarantee backstamp and choice, VF (Michel Block 1 X € 1,700) **Est. 600.00+**

- 87 ★ **OCCUPATIONS Pleskau Block 2, 1942 60 + 40 K Help for City Kindergartens / German Red Cross** Imperforate souvenir sheet printed in dark carmine brown with similar coloured cross on woody yellowish paper, full original gum, very lightly hinged and showing almost complete LIGA(T) watermark, VF LH (Michel Block 2 for NH € 750) **Est. 250.00+**



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- 88 ★ **OCCUPATIONS Pleskau Block 3, 1942 60 + 40 K Help for City Kindergartens** Mint souvenir sheet printed in dark carmine brown with red cross on woody paper and full yellowish original gum, perf 11¼ showing full "LIGAT" watermark, VF NH (Michel Block 3 € 600) **Est. 250.00+**
- 89 ★ **OCCUPATIONS Private Issues - Legion des Volontaires Français, 1941 F+100fr Violet Ultramarine and Red** Mint souvenir sheet of one, fresh and with full original gum; Tust BPP guarantee backstamps, VF NH (Michel Block 1 € 700) **Est. 400.00**



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- 90 ★ **OCCUPATIONS Private Issues Belgium / Flemish Legion, 1943 +10fr - +100fr Airmail Issue** Prepared but not released, perforated mint set of five each with sheet margin at top, hinged in selvage only, stamps never hinged, F-VF (Michel XV-XIX € 600) **Est. 250.00+**
- 91 ★ **OCCUPATIONS Private Issues Denmark / Danish Legion, 1944 +25o, +50o & +1kr Views, Perf 11** Fresh mint set of three, light hinging VF OG (Michel I-III € 1,000 for NH set) **Est. 300.00+**
- 92 ★ **OCCUPATIONS Ukraine / Gorochow, 1944 12+28 (pf) Red and Black, Perf 11¼** Unused single with typical centering and perforations for the issue, sound, Fine and very scarce as only 192 were printed; 1993 Gerhard Krischke cert. (Michel 16A € 2,200) **Est. 750.00+**



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- 93 ★ **OCCUPATIONS Zante, 1943 10c-50c Italian Definitives Overprinted For State Postal Service**, set of four overprinted in black and in red (eight stamps); key stamps Michel 2 II and 3 II with red overprint have Ludin BPP guarantee backstamps, VF NH; scarce and complete. (Michel 1-3 I / II € 1,920) **Est. 600.00+**
- 94 ★ **OCCUPATIONS Zara, Selection of 41 different mint stamps overprinted in 1943 for State Postal Service**, several stamps are never hinged, rest are mint OG; a few used examples with questionable overprints not counted. A nice group, F-VF (Michel for NH € 3,432) **Est. 500.00+**



- 95 ★◎ **OCCUPATIONS Substantial Collection** Displayed on Lighthouse hingeless album pages and various other pages and cards, all World War II Occupation issues from 1939 to 1945 from Estonia to Ukraine, including local issued sets and stamps. Strength in Russian definitive issues overprinted for state post during occupation, notably for Estonia, Lithuania, with local overprinted issues from Alsledziai to Zarasai, France / St. Nazaire 50fr & 2fr overprinted LIBERATION tied to small pieces by CDS, good run of Serbia sets, Ukraine / Territory issue sets of four (4 different), various backstamps, etc. A remarkable range of issues - as usual on these, dangerous fakes, bogus overprints and favour cancellations are the norm but numerous stamps do have backstamps (dubious and legitimate). An excellent lot for the student and well worth inspection. **Est. 1,500.00+**



- 96 ★ **OCCUPATIONS Albania to Montenegro Overprinted / Surcharged Issues** Clean mint OG or NH selection on Lindner hingeless album pages, issued during German Occupation, mostly complete mint for Albania (cat. \$102.50), Ljubljana (cat. \$624), Montenegro (cat. \$446), also non-Scott listed areas with Kotor Michel 1-10 mint NH (cat. € 850), Ljubljana non-issued Michel IB-VIB printed in red imperf vertical NH strip of six (cat. € 400) and Macedonia Michel 1-8 mint NH set (cat. € 200). A nice lot, F-VF **Est. 600.00+**



- 97 ★◎ **OCCUPATIONS Private Issues 1939-1945 Collection on Album Pages** Belgium / Flemish Legion with 1941 NH set, 1943 cancelled to order set of four, +50fr LANGEMARK overprinted mint NH single, Walloon Legion 1942 mint NH set, French Legion issues, plus St. Nazaire Fee Label for registered letters used CDS on piece (Michel 3), Azad Hind (India) issues which includes better 1 R+2 R black and orange imperforate mint NH single (Michel VIIbB), etc. Fine to Very Fine **Est. 400.00+**

- 98 ★◎ **OCCUPATIONS Issued Under French Occupations 1945-1949** Complete from Scott 4N1 to 8NB11 on hingeless album pages including mint or ungummed as issued souvenir sheets. Early 1945-1948 definitive sets are used, from 1948-1949 without "PF" mint OG, noted many later commemorative sets as mint NH. Fine to Very Fine (Scott 2014 US\$1,243)

(Not Illustrated) **Est. 250.00+**



- 99 ★ **GERMAN LOCALS Comprehensive Mint / Used Collection** Displayed on Lighthouse hingeless album pages plus some on cards and other pages, all Local and Unofficial issues from 1945-1946, starting with Apolda and ending with Wittenberg-Lutherstadt. A myriad of issues from crude to well engraved. Includes "Saxon Blackouts" Obliteration overprints on Hitler issues, various sets / towns. Several souvenir sheets noted. As normally encountered on these issues, contemporary creations, bogus, fakes, etc. are to be found, nevertheless noted many stamps with expert backstamps. An interesting and complex field ripe for further study and specialization. Viewing is recommended to appreciate its depth. **Est. 750.00+**



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- 100 ★◎ **GERMAN OFFICES IN CHINA 1898-1919 Mint / Used Selection** Displayed in clear mounts with 26 mint and 16 used all different, noted mint Scott #1c (3pf 45 degree angle), used #46 with Kohler guarantee backstamp, etc. The odd flaw (a few noted counted), but overall Fine or better (Scott 2014 US\$974) **Est. 200.00+**

- 101 ★◎ **GERMAN OFFICES IN MOROCCO 1899-1911 Mint / Used Selection** Includes 44 mint and 15 used all different. Noted Scott mint #19b, 19D, 32, 44, used #16D, 17D, 18D Krause backstamp, etc. The odd flaw, mostly clean and fresh, Fine to Very Fine (Scott 2014 US\$2,044) **Est. 500.00+**



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- 102 ★◎ **GERMANY OFFICES IN TURKEY 1884-1908 Mint / Used Selection** Includes 20 mint and 34 used with better Scott mint #24d, 38-30, 42, etc. A few with minor flaws, but overall nice condition, Fine or better (Scott 2014 US\$2,024) **Est. 400.00+**
- 103 ★◎ **GERMANY-BERLIN 1948-1990 Mint / Used Collection** Housed in a Davo album and starting with first two Berlin overprinted sets including (9N17-9N20 mint with Schlegel BPP backstamps, 9N33-9N34 used (questionable), 1949 UPU Congress mint set, 1949 Goethe used set, 1949 30pf Offering Plate nice used CDS, then virtually all present either mint or used to 1990 including semi-postals. A few flaws to be expected, but overall Fine or better *(Not Illustrated)* **Est. 350.00+**
- 104 ★◎ **EAST GERMANY (DDR) Extensive Mint / Used Collection** Housed in three Davo hingeless albums including section issued under Russian Occupation with better items such as Scott 15N1 fresh mint LH single, Thuringen 16N3a, 16N7b souvenir sheet, mint OG, crease and tiny piece missing at UR, 16NB4a NH, 10NB11 NH, etc. East Germany mainly complete mint or used with souvenir sheets. Noted Scott #144a-146a perf and imperf sheets (#144 imperf sheet LH, others NH), B21a used CDS, etc. Well covered up to 1990, a few flaws to be expected, but mainly Fine to Very Fine throughout. **Est. 750.00+**



- 105 ★◎ **GERMAN COLONIES Mint / Used Balance of Collection** Late 1890s to Kaiser Yacht issues including a few British Occupation overprints on New Guinea (G.R.I.) and Togo issues. Mint or used with German New Guinea (cat. \$430), Mariana Islands (cat. \$692), Samoa (cat. \$369) and Togo (cat. \$834). Plus a few duplicates on stockpages not counted. A few flaws to be expected, generally Fine or better throughout **Est. 500.00+**



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- 106 ★ **CAROLINE ISLANDS 2a, 1899 5pf Green Diagonal "Karolinen" Overprint (48 Degree Angle)** Fresh mint single with the scarcer angle overprint with full original gum; J. Schl and Bothe BPP guarantee handstamps on reverse, F-VF NH; Dr. Horst Lantelme cert. (Michel 2 I € 2,000) **1,700.00**
- 107 ◎ **CAROLINE ISLANDS 5a, 1899 25pf Orange Diagonal "Karolinen" Overprint (48 Degree Angle)** Rare postally used single reasonably centered and showing portions of Ponape CDS postmarks; Georg Buhler guarantee handstamp on reverse. A key used stamp of the colony, F-VF (Michel 5 I € 3,400) **3,100.00**
- 108 ★ **CAROLINE ISLANDS 6a, 1899 50pf Red Brown Diagonal "Karolinen" Overprint (48 Degree Angle)** Nicely centered mint single with the better angle overprint, fresh colour and original gum with only trace of hinge mark, VF VLH (Michel 6 I € 800) **900.00**



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- 109 ★◎ **CAROLINE 1900-1919 Mint / Used Collection** Selection on page which includes 1900 3pf-50pf used, except 20pf mint, 1899 48 degree angle overprint 3pf mint, 10pf carmine and 20pf ultramarine, followed by 1901 and 1915-1919 Kaiser's Yacht mint sets and also 10pf provisional vertical bisect with intaglio PONAPE cancel on piece, Fine to Very Fine (Scott 2014 US\$1,254) **Est. 300.00+**



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- 110 ★ **KIAUCHAU 31, 1905 \$1½ Black Violet, Unwatermarked** Choice, well centered and fresh mint single, large part original gum, hinged; Georg Buhler guarantee handstamp on reverse, VF OG (Michel 26 A € 1,400) **1,200.00**
- 111 ★ **KIAUCHAU 32, 1905 \$2½ Slate & Carmine, 26x17 holes, Unwatermarked** An attractive mint example of this sought-after high value, reasonably centered, bright colour and large part original gum, hinged; shows Hoffmann-Giesecke guarantee handstamp on reverse, F-VF OG (Michel 27 A € 1,800) **1,500.00**
- 112 ★◎ **KIAUCHAU 1900-1919 Mint / Used Issues** Selection displayed in clear mounts on page including 22 mint singles with Scott #3, 19-22, 29, 42, etc. and eight different used singles noting #30; overall Fine to Very Fine (Scott 2014 US\$991) **Est. 200.00+**



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- 113 ◎ **MARIANA ISLANDS 11a, 1899 3pf Light Brown, Diagonal "Marianen" Overprint (48 degree angle)** Scarce example nicely tied to small piece by complete Saipan 1 / 1 00 CDS (Michel Type II) changed postmark but applied within correct time for validity; Drahn guarantee backstamp, VF (Scott cat. \$2,000 for Type I, unpriced as Type II; Michel 1 I € 1,000 for Type II cancel) **Est. 500.00+**
- 114 ◎ **MARIANA ISLANDS 12a, 1899 5pf Green, Diagonal "Marianen" Overprint (48 degree angle)** Lovely sheet margin example neatly struck by well clear Saipan 1 / 1 00 CDS (Michel Type II) changed postmark but applied within correct time for validity; Hoffmann-Giesecke guarantee backstamp and accompanying letter explaining his observations, VF (Scott cat. \$1,700 for Type I, unpriced as Type II; Michel 1 I € 850 for Type II cancel) **Est. 400.00+**



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- 115 ★ **MARIANA ISLANDS 15a, 1899 25pf Orange, Diagonal "Marianen" Overprint (48 degree angle)** Reasonably centered mint example of this challenging stamp, full original gum, relatively lightly hinged; pencil signed and also a handstamp on reverse, F-VF OG (Michel 5 I € 3,200) **2,750.00**
- 116 ★ **MARIANA ISLANDS 16a, 1899 50pf Red Brown, Diagonal "Marianen" Overprint (48 degree angle)** Quite well centered mint single with the elusive angle overprint, full original gum, lightly hinged; Carl Lange and Bothe BPP guarantee backstamps, VF LH; 1979 Hans Bothe cert. (Michel 6 I € 3,200) **2,750.00**



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- 117 ★◎ **MARSHALL ISLANDS 1897-1901 Mint / Used Selection** Displayed in clear mounts on page, with 25 mint singles, including Scott #1-4, 7-12, 13-27, and used #3-4 (also #5 with questionable cancel - not counted). The odd flaw, but mainly Fine to Very Fine (Scott 2014 US\$960) **Est. 200.00+**
- 118 ★ **GERMAN EAST AFRICA East African Sea Post, 1892 5c-\$1 Private Post Office Reprint** mint set of five without burelage, perf 10¼, fresh with full original gum, VF NH (Michel S Na a-S Na e € 300) **Est. 150.00**



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- 119 ★◎ **GERMAN EAST AFRICA 1893-1916 Mint / Used Selection** Mostly complete mint or used; only missing Scott #27 and 40 for completion of basic sets, plus includes 1916 "WUSA" Provisional set of three, ungummed as issued - 2½h, 7½h and 1r, first two values have both listed types and key 1r has small corner crease at lower left. Mainly Fine or better (Scott 2014 US\$2,465) **Est. 600.00+**
- 120 ★ **GERMAN SOUTH WEST AFRICA 5-6, 1897 25pf & 50pf Overprinted Issues** Prepared but not issued mint singles; 50pf with Bothe BPP backstamp, VF OG (Michel I-II € 560) **450.00**



- 121 ★◎ **GERMAN SOUTH WEST AFRICA 1897-1919 Mint / Used Selection** Complete run either mint or used, including better mint #5-6, 50pf has horizontal crease, choice #11, plus Kaiser's Yacht mint #18, 22, 25 and used with #31, 32, 34. The odd flaw, but overall Fine to Very Fine (Scott 2014 US\$1,898)
Est. 400.00+

GREAT BRITAIN



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- 122 ◎ **142, 1902 £1 Blue Green** Selected used example with intact perforations, fresh and with clear Threadneedle oval registered 2 MR 08 datestamps, VF (SG 266 £800) **825.00**
- 123 ★ **175, 1913 10sh Indigo Blue (Waterlow Bros. Printing)** A selected mint single with rich colour, very lightly hinged, VF (SG 402 £950) **1,000.00**



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- 124 ★ **177-178, 1913 1/2p & 1p King George V Coil Stamps, Watermark Royal Cypher Multiple Set** of two paste-up pairs, typical side perforations associated with these, 1/2p is NH, 1p is LH, F-VF (SG 397-398 for hinged £750) **1,020.00**
- 125 ★ **209, 1929 £1 Black** A nice mint single, lightly hinged, F-VF (SG 438 £750) **800.00**
- 126 P **King Edward VII Revenue** common design type die proof with blank tablet, in black on glazed surface white card, 92 x 60mm, handstamped "BEFORE HARDENING" and dated "8 NOV.01", VF
(Illustrated on Page 31) **Est. 250.00+**
- 127 ★ **1902-1911 King Edward VII Mint Selection** In clear mounts on four quadrilled pages including 1/2p to 5sh De La Rue printing mint set with fresh colours, most are lightly hinged; a few additional shades, printings, etc. F-VF (Scott 2014 US\$1,697)
(Illustrated on Page 31) **Est. 400.00+**

- 128 ★◎ 1911-1912 Downey Head Specialized Collection** Several dozens, singles mint and / or used, cylinder pairs or larger, blocks of four, etc. Virtually all basic Gibbons listed stamp from SG 321 to 350 are represented including better aniline scarlet shades SG 333 and 343 mint OG, both with RPSL certs. Also noted a few imperforate proofs, some "no cross on crown" mint / used stamps, and also scarcer sideways watermark SG 350c mint NH single. All in clear mounts and annotated on quadrilled pages. A clean and attractive lot on this issue, Fine or better *(Illustrated on Website)* **Est. 400.00+**



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- 129 ★◎ 1912-1936 Edward VIII and King George V Extensive Collection** Several hundreds, predominantly mint singles, as well as control number singles, or larger multiples, etc. Basic listed Gibbons shades for issued KGV stamps denominated ½p to 1sh are very well represented throughout, often including other shades and varieties. Better items noted are SG 357 "Q" for "O" (R.1/4) variety mint NH in top margin mint block, SG 362a and SG 364a "PENCF", SG 363a 1½p without watermark mint single; some Seahorse stamps noting 1913 10sh indigo blue Waterlow printing mint LH (SG 402), 1934 10sh re-engraved (SG 452) mint VLH; 1924 1½p tete beche mint pair (SG 420a), 1929 £1 PUC mint single with partially yellowed OG, but NH and used example with bold postmarks but stamp well centered and sound, 1929 1½p mint booklet pane + printed labels (SG 436b), etc. Displayed on quadrilled pages in clear mounts and annotated by previous owner. Routinely sound, fresh and selected quality throughout; an attractive collection from which to further specialize, Fine to Very Fine **Est. 1,500.00+**
- 130 ★◎ 1937-1952 King George VI Specialized Collection** Many dozens of singles, blocks and booklet panes in clear mounts on quadrilled pages; wealth of different cylinder number singles or larger multiples shown throughout. A clean lot, Fine to Very Fine *(Not Illustrated)* **Est. 300.00+**



- 131 ★◎ **QEII Specialized Collection** Focus on Wilding & Machin issues, several hundreds in clear mounts and carefully annotated by owner, including various cylinder blocks, coil strips, booklet panes (also used), phosphor (or omitted) issues, papers, gums, graphite, etc. Also includes commemorative issues mainly pre-decimals noting 1966 Birds se-tenant block and similar with phosphor, both with reddish brown colour omitted. An excellent collection ideal for continuation, F-VF; majority of mint issues are NH **Est. 600.00+**



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- 132 ★◎ **OFFICES ABROAD MOROCCO Extensive Mint / Used Selection** Few hundreds on cards and on quadrilled pages, mostly mint sets including British Offices in Africa, Turkish Empire (Levant) and Morocco, British, French and Spanish Currency issues. Noted many cat. over \$100 sets and stamps, some duplicates but includes shades & printings. Well represented from Queen Victoria to early QEII issues and generally nice condition throughout, Fine to Very Fine (Scott 2014 US\$5,016) **Est. 1,000.00+**

- 133 ★◎ **GUATEMALA Comprehensive 1871 to Late 1940s Mint / Used Collection** A few hundreds carefully identified in clear mounts on quadrilled pages in a Devon peg album. Starting with first issues and very well covered until late 1940s - some thereafter. Includes overprint / surcharge varieties, cancels, a few multiples, back-of-book, nothing of great value, but seldom seen. Noted 1871 1c printed on both sides imperf block of six, 20c imperf block of nine, 1873 4r & 1p used (with extra 4r), etc. Light duplication noted, but offers excellent spectrum of issues ideal for specialization, overall Fine to Very Fine. Worth a closer look to appreciate its depth. **Est. 500.00+**



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- 134 ★ **HELIGOLAND 1, 1867-1868 ½sch Blue Green and Rose (Design Type I), Rouletted Difficult** mint single; genuine issued stamp with part original gum, VF; 2002 Karl Heinz Schulz cert. (Michel 11 € 400) **325.00**



- 135 ◎ **HONG KONG 147-150 + variety, 1935 (December 3) Philatelic cover bearing Silver Jubilee set of four tied by central double ring Victoria, Hong Kong 3 DE 35 CDS; 20c stamp shows 'Short Extra Flagstaff' plate variety; scarce variety especially on cover, VF (SG 136b for used single £375+)** **Est. 300.00+**

- 136 ★ **ICELAND 17, 1882 20o Blue, Perf 14x13½** An attractive single, well centered for the issue, large part original gum, VF; 2013 Sismondo cert. **425.00**



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- 137 ◎ **ICELAND 31a, 1897 (November) "3" in red on 5a Green, Perf 14x13½** Very scarce used single with large "prir" overprint in black, Reykjavik CDS postmark; couple short perfs at top but otherwise sound, a remarkably difficult stamp to find, F-VF; 1994 Dr. Arno Debo cert. (Facit 33) **4,750.00**
- 138 ★ **ICELAND 32, 1897 (November) "3" in red on 5a Green, Perf 13** Mint single with small "prir" overprint, couple negligible shorter perfs at top, Fine OG; 2013 Sismondo cert. **900.00**
- 139 ◎ **ICELAND 33A, 1897 (November) Small "prir" on 5a Green, Perf 13** Reasonably centered used example with portion of Reykjavik CDS postmark, F-VF; 1970 Gronlund and 2004 Lasse Nielsen certs. **750.00**



- 140 ★ ICELAND 140-143, 149-150, 1924-1930 Surcharges Issues Six different mint singles, fresh colours, F-VF LH **1,955.00**



- 141 ★ ICELAND C12-C14, 1933 1k, 5k & 10k Balbo Flight Diagonal Overprint Premium mint set of three, each well centered with brilliant colours, intact perforations and full pristine original gum. A beautiful set, VF NH; 2012 Sismondo certificate for the set. **6,325.00**



- 142 ★ ICELAND C12-C14, 1933 1kr, 5kr & 10kr Balbo Flight Overprint in Red Selected fresh key mint set of three each with full original gum, lightly hinged and pencil signed Bianchi, F-VF LH **2,660.00**



- 143 ★⊙ ICELAND 1873-1984 Mint / Used Collection Comprehensive throughout starting from first issues to mid-1980s including airmails and officials either mint or used; predominantly mint from mid-1950s to end. Noted better items such as #1 mint OG, minor faults, #2 mint OG, #3 unused, #7 mint, #14 used, #32 & 33A used, latter tied to piece by CDS, #98 mint, O3 unused, C9-C11, O51 mint OG, key values of the set O63-O67 mint LH. Condition is typically mixed on the earlier issues and some questionable / favour cancels to be expected, still has plenty of useful material, Fine or better **Est. 1,250.00+**

- 144 ★ ICELAND 1985-2010 Mint NH Collection Clean and virtually complete mint NH collection displayed on Davo hingeless album pages including souvenir sheets, se-tenant multiples and some booklets, VF NH (Scott 2014 US\$1,709) *(Not Illustrated)* **Est. 400.00+**



- 145 ★ **INDIA 1882-1940 Clean Mint Collection** Mint in clear mounts on quadrilled pages and generally selected for their overall freshness; includes a few duplicates, but noted shades. Better sets shown such as Scott #80-98, 150-167 and strong section of Convention States - Gwalior to Patiala, including Nabha #69-86, Patiala #80-97, etc. A nice lot, Fine to Very Fine (Scott 2014 US\$4,732)
Est. 1,000.00+



- 146 ★ **ITALY 170, 1923 5 l Manzoni** Fresh and nicely centered mint example with intact perforations and large part original gum, VF **800.00**
- 147 ★ **ITALY 324-328, C62-C65, 1934 Soccer Championship** Complete set of nine; the airmail set of four is NH, VF LH **460.00**
- 148 ★ **ITALY C3-C9, 1926-1928 50c-5 l Air Post Issue** Lovely fresh mint set of seven with above average centering, with full original gum, F-VF NH **375.00**



- 149 ★ **ITALY C48-C49, 1933 Balbo Flight** Set of two triptychs, fresh, well centered, VF NH **575.00**



- 150 ★ **ITALY E8 footnote, 1922 1.20 l Blue and Red Special Delivery** Prepared but unissued stamp, fresh and F-VF NH **400.00**



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- 151 ★ **JORDAN 130-144, 1925 1m-20pi Palestine Type Design "East of Jordan" Overprint** Mint set of fifteen each with small horizontal SPECIMEN overprint in red (black on 4m stamp); 10pi with minor stain on top left perfs, otherwise Fine OG hinged set (SG 143-157 £350) **Est. 300.00**
- 152 ★ **JORDAN Mint Selection of 1927-1944 Issues** In clear mounts on five quadrilled pages including Scott #145-157, 175b, 177b, 178b, etc. Nice and fresh condition throughout, F-VF OG (Scott 2014 US\$737) *(Not Illustrated)* **Est. 200.00+**
- 153 ★ **KENYA, UGANDA, TANGANIKA 1922-1941 Mint Selection** Includes Scott mint #18-28 (plus shades), #46-59, 85a (couple short perfs at foot), plus used #8, etc. Also East Africa and Uganda mint issues with Scott mint #12, 13, 29A, 54. Fine to Very Fine (Scott 2014 US\$2,108) **Est. 500.00+**



- 154 ★ **LABUAN Better 1880-1903 Mint Selection** Includes Scott mint #5-10, 13, 16-24, plus #16 mint block of four, #26-27 and #99A-109. Most with part / large part original gum, including all the better valued items. Minor flaws or some gum toning to be expected on a few stamps, but overall Fine or better (Scott 2014 US\$2,755) **Est. 600.00+**
- 155 ★P **LIBERIA Selection of Proofs, Trials, Imperforates, Etc.** Nice group mainly 1940s and 1950s, many with original notes by K. Bileski, includes various proofs, specimen sets, souvenir sheets, imperforates, revenue proofs, etc. An interesting lot ideal for the specialist, VF *(Not Illustrated)* **Est. 300.00+**



- 156 ★ **LIECHTENSTEIN 1-3, 1912 5h, 10h & 25h Prince Johann II on Chalk Surfaced Paper** Mint set of three; 25h shows faint hinging, other two values NH, VF **660.00**



- 157 ★ **LIECHTENSTEIN 1a-3a, 1915 5h, 10h & 25h Prince Johann II on Thin Unsurfaced Paper**
Choice mint set of three, elusive in such superior condition, VF NH **2,500.00**



- 158 ★ **LIECHTENSTEIN 55a/61a, 1921 2½rp / 15rp Coat of Arms Selection of seven different, note better perforation varieties such as 3rp perf 9½ (LH), 5rp perf 9½ (NH), 7½rp perf 9½ (NH), 13rp perf 9½ (NH), etc. last two with Buhler guarantee, F-VF**
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- 159 ★ **LIECHTENSTEIN 114, 1933 3fr Violet Blue** Pristine fresh mint single, VF NH; 2007 Peter Marxer cert. **250.00**
- 160 ★ **LIECHTENSTEIN 131, 1935 5fr Dark Violet Coat of Arms** Post office fresh mint example reasonably centered and with pristine original gum, F-VF NH **700.00**
- 161 ★ **LUXEMBOURG 151, 1923 10fr Deep Green View of Luxembourg** Full-size souvenir sheet of one, fresh mint with characteristic crackly, uneven original gum, hinged in top margin only; a key item, VF OG **1,100.00**



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- 162 ★ MARIENWERDER 31 Footnote, 1920 1m Carmine Rose** Mint example with three-line essay overprint in red, lovely fresh colour and with full original gum; very scarce stamp with Carl Lange guarantee handstamp on reverse, F-VF LH; Dr. Udo Klein cert. (Michel 21 II b € 3,000)

Est. 1,250.00+

- 163 ★ MARIENWERDER 31 Footnote, 1920 1m Carmine Rose** Reasonably centered mint single showing the distinctive three-line overprint in black sans-serif capitals, fresh and with full original gum, lightly hinged; shows guarantee handstamps of Richter and Carl Lange on reverse. A rare essay overprint, F-VF LH (Michel 21 I € 5,000)

Est. 1,500.00+

- 164 ★ MARIENWERDER 31 Footnote, 1920 1m Carmine Rose** Choice well centered and fresh mint single with three-line essay overprint in black serif capitals, full original gum; shows four different guarantee backstamps, very scarce, VF LH (Michel 21 II a € 3,000)

Est. 1,000.00+

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- 165 ◎ MARTINIQUE Q1, 1903 5fr on 60c Brown on Buff Parcel Post Stamp, Imperforate** A large margined used example with CDS postmarks; pencil signed Sismondo. A scarce stamp, VF; 2013 Sergio Sismondo cert.

675.00

- 166 ★◎ MEMEL Comprehensive 1920-1923 Mint / Used Collection** Many dozens on Lindner hingeless album pages from first issue to occupation stamps; noted better valued stamps / sets, such as Scott mint #N66, N67, N83-N86 various backstamps, N91-N114, used N87-N90, etc. Also non-Scott listed 1939 Local Issues NH sets of four; all three types - 12 stamps (Michel I-IV I-III € 560). A few flaws to be expected but mainly clean throughout, Fine to Very Fine (Scott 2014 US\$3,662 + locals Michel € 560)

Est. 750.00+

- 167 ★ MESOPOTAMIA N1, 1917 ¼a on 2pa Red Lilac (Baghdad Issue)** Fresh mint single with full original gum; pencil signed Peter Holcombe on reverse, VF LH (SG 1 £325)

250.00+



- 168 ★ **MESOPOTAMIA 1917-1932 Selected Mint Collection** Many dozens carefully identified and displayed in clear mounts on quadrilled pages, mainly mint throughout, focus on issues for Iraq 1918-1932 includes officials, surcharges, note better Scott Mesopotamia #N21 mint, NO1-NO13 mint (less NO9), Iraq #29a mint, O39-O54 mint, etc. Nice quality throughout, Fine to Very Fine (Scott 2014 US\$2,396) **Est. 600.00+**



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- 169 ★ **NEW ZEALAND O40, 1908-1909 £1 Rose Postal Fiscal "OFFICIAL." Overprint on "Cowan" Paper, Watermark Single NZ Star** Lovely fresh and nicely centered mint example, characteristic perforations, full original gum, hinged; a key official stamp, VF OG; 2013 Sismondo cert. (SG O72a £600) **1,000.00**
- 170 ★ **NORTH BORNEO N16-N28, 1944 1c-\$1 Definitive Issue - Overprinted Japanese Occupation** Mint set of thirteen with fresh original gum and colours, F-VF LH (SG J20-J32 £300) **371.00**
- 171 ★ **PAPUA NEW GUINEA 1901-1916** Mint selection of 48 "Lakatoi" issues in clear mounts on quadrilled pages - includes better #8, 1901 2sh6p fresh VF LH, #30a 1907-1908 2½p perf 12½, mostly different with paper / watermark direction / perf / shade identified. The odd flaw but mainly sound and fresh, F-VF (Scott 2014 US\$1,808+) **Est. 500.00+**



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- 172 ★ **RUSSIA 9, 1858 20k Blue & Orange, Perf 12½** Mint with bright colours, redistributed OG, Fine+, 2008 Sergio Sismondo cert. **1,000.00**
- 173 ★ **RUSSIA 238a/241c, 1923 3r/20r Soldier - Worker - Peasant, Typographed, Imperforate** Mint singles including 3r, 5r, 10r and 20r, VF OG; key value 20r has 2013 Sismondo cert. **490.00**
- 174 ★ **RUSSIA 261-264, 1924 4r-40r Worker - Soldier - Peasant, Lithographed, Perf 14½x15** Fresh and nicely centered set of four, VF LH **250.00**



- 175 ★ RUSSIA 487-488, 1933 30k & 70k Leningrad Philatelic Exhibition Surcharge Choice mint set of two, VF LH 385.00



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- 176 ★ RUSSIA 536-539, 1934 5k-20k Mendeleev Issue Fresh set of four, VF LH 350.00
- 177 ★ RUSSIA 551-554, 1935 5k-20k Moscow Subway Hinged set of four, F-VF OG 460.00



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- 178 ★ RUSSIA C15-C19, 1931 10k-1r Airship, Imperforate Mint hinged set of five, VF OG 300.00
- 179 ★ RUSSIA C23a, 1931 50k Grey Blue Airship (Error of Colour), Perf 10½x12 A scarce mint single in a distinctive colour different than the issued stamp, fresh colour and with large part OG, Fine; 2008 Sismondo cert. 950.00



- 180 ★ RUSSIA C68, 1935 1r on 10k Dark Brown, Moscow - San Francisco Flight Surcharge in Red Well centered mint example of this sought-after airmail stamp, fresh and with full original gum, VF LH; 2013 Sismondo cert. 1,250.00



- 181 ★ RUSSIA CO1, CO3, 1922 12m & 120m Air Post Official Stamps Well centered singles, 120m has a light crease not mentioned in accompanying certificate, VF LH; both with 2013 Sismondo certs. (12m; identified as Type III, Position 15; and 120m as Type III, Position 20) **400.00**



- 182 ★◎ SAAR Comprehensive 1920-1959 Mint / Used Collection Housed in a Lindner hingeless album with virtually all basic listed items present. Either mint or used from the beginning to around mid-1940s and predominantly mint thereafter, many of which are NH. Noted better stamps / sets throughout, such as Scott mint #35-39, B9-B15, B23-B60, B64a + CB1a 1948 Flood Relief souvenir sheets mint LH, C12 used, etc. The odd flaw, but overall nice condition, Fine to Very Fine (Scott 2014 US\$5,356) **Est. 1,250.00+**

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- 183 ◎ 1, 1856 6p Blue, Large Star Watermark, Imperforate Used single with full to large margins and large portion of St. Helena oval packet letter postmark, VF (SG 1 £180) **225.00**
- 184 ★ 10, 1863 4p on 6p Carmine (16mm bar), Crown CC, Imperforate Four margined mint single with large part original gum, VF (SG 5 £500) **600.00**
- 185 ★ 26, 1876 2p on 6p Yellow (Short Bar - 14mm), Crown CC, Perf 14x12½ Gorgeous fresh mint block of four centered a bit to right with unusually full original gum, top pair is very lightly hinged, lower pair never hinged; Fine centering (Scott value for hinged singles; SG 22 for hinged singles £560) *(Illustrated on Page 42)* **560.00+**
- 186 ★ 28 variety, 1876 4p Carmine (Short Bar - 14mm; Words - 16½mm), Crown CC, Perf 14x12½ Attractive mint block of four with inverted and reversed watermark variety, centered a bit to the left, lovely fresh colour and with full original gum, very lightly hinged, Fine centering (Scott value for normal watermark mint singles; SG24y £680) *(Illustrated on Page 42)* **680.00+**



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- 187 ★ 56-60, 1908 2½p-10sh KEVII Issues Mint set of four with SPECIMEN overprint and deep rich colours, VF LH (SG 64s-70s £300) **Est. 200.00+**
- 188 ★ 74 variety, 1913 6p Dull and Deep Purple, Multiple Crown CA Mint single showing the elusive split "A" variety; negligible shorter perf at foot, lovely fresh colours and lightly hinged, F-VF (SG 86a £650) **Est. 400.00+**
- 189 ★ 79-99, 1922-1927 ½p-£1 Badge of Colony Complete mint set of 21 stamps, plus 1½p stamp in deep carmine red shade; fresh colours, most with full original gum, lightly hinged including on key values £1 and 15sh. A lovely set, VF OG / LH; Scott catalogue value does not include better 1½p stamp. (SG 92-113, 99e £1,960) **2,090.00+**



- 190 ★ 81 variety, 1937 1½p Deep Carmine Red Reasonably centered mint example of this scarcer printing showing the 'Broken Mainmast' plate variety - rarely seen; true colour and characteristic brown original gum, faint trace of hinging, F-VF VLH (SG 99ea £1,300) **Est. 750.00+**



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- 191 ★ 84 variety, 1927 5p Green & Deep Carmine on Green Paper Lower left mint plate "1" pair, never hinged and single from the 1936 printing in green & carmine-red on green mint lightly hinged single, both showing 'Cleft Rock' variety, VF (SG 103c, 103dc for hinged £550) **Est. 350.00+**
- 192 ★ 87 variety, 1922 1sh Grey & Brown Fresh mint single showing 'Torn Flag' plate variety, F-VF LH (SG 106b £475) **Est. 300.00+**



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- 193 ★ 87 variety, 1922 1sh Grey and Brown Lower left mint plate "1" pair, well centered and fresh, showing 'Cleft Rock' variety on left stamp, full original gum, VF NH (SG 106c for hinged £350) **Est. 250.00+**
- 194 ◎ 87 variety, 1922 1sh Grey & Brown Left sheet margin vertical pair, top stamp shows 'Broken Mainmast' variety, both stamps with clear St. Helena "A" AP 25 33 CDS postmarks, VF (SG 106a £475) **Est. 300.00+**



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- 195 ★ **88 variety, 1927 1sh6p Grey and Green on Green Paper** Lower right mint plate "1" pair, left-hand stamp shows 'Cleft Rock' variety, reasonably centered and with full original gum, F-VF NH (SG 107c for hinged £425) **Est. 300.00+**

- 196 ★ **88 variety, 1927 1sh6p Grey and Green on Green Paper** Lovely fresh mint single, shows 'Broken Mainmast' variety, with full original gum, VF NH (SG 107a for hinged £425) **Est. 300.00+**



- 197 ★ **89 variety, 1927 2sh Purple and Blue on Blue Paper** Lovely fresh and well centered lower left mint plate "1" pair, shows 'Cleft Rock' variety on left-hand stamp, full original gum, VF NH (SG 108c for hinged £425) **Est. 300.00+**



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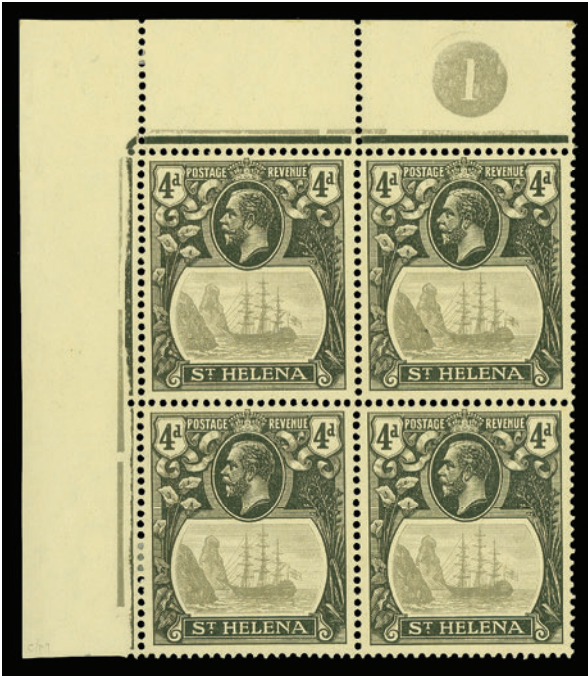
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- 198 ★ **90 variety, 1927 2sh6p Grey and Red on Yellow** Lower left plate "1" mint pair with rich colours, well centered, left-hand stamp shows 'Cleft Rock' variety, full original gum, VF NH (SG 109c for hinged £400) **Est. 250.00+**

- 199 ★ 90 variety, 1927 2sh6p Grey & Red on Yellow Paper Well centered mint single with rich colours showing 'Broken Mainmast' variety, VF LH (SG 109a £425) (Illustrated on Page 44) Est. 250.00+



- 200 ★ 91 variety, 1927 5sh Grey & Green on Yellow Attractive lower left positional plate "1" mint pair, bright colours, showing 'Cleft Rock' variety on left stamp, full original gum, VF NH (SG 110c for hinged £700) Est. 500.00+



- 201 ★ 95 var. 1923 4p Grey & Black on Yellow Paper Mint plate "1" block showing 'Broken Mainmast' variety on lower left stamp, top pair NH, lower pair hinged, VF (SG 92a £275+) Est. 200.00



- 202 ★ 101-110, 1934 ½p-10sh Centenary of Colony Post office fresh mint set of set of ten, F-VF NH (SG 114-123 for hinged £425+) 725.00



- 203 ★◎ Comprehensive 1863-1965 Mint / Used Collection** Many dozens in clear mounts on quadrilled pages and on two stockpages. Over 60 Perkins Bacon "Chalon" issues mint or used including a few SPECIMEN overprints, then well covered thereafter, except for 1922-1937 Badge of Colony (which is being offered separately). Condition is well above average; a few flaws to be expected on earlier issues, but quality is mainly selected throughout. A solid collection, ideal for further expansion, Fine to Very Fine (Scott 2014 US\$7,625) **Est. 1,500.00+**



- 204 ★◎ Badge of Colony - Selection Showing Broken Mainmast Variety** Includes mint single ½p, 1½p two rose-red shades, 2p, 3p, 5p, 6p, 1sh; also 1p in a plate "1" block and single 1p used CDS; attractive group, F-VF OG or better (SG £1,635) **Est. 600.00+**



- 205 ★◎ Badge of Colony - Selection Showing Cleft Rock Variety** Includes mint single ½p, 1p, 1½p, 3p, 8p; lower left plate "1" pair of 1p, 2p, 3p and 6p; plus used 2p and 3p singles with CDS postmark. A few mint examples are NH. A nice group, F-VF or better (SG £1,425) **Est. 600.00+**



- 206 ★ **Badge of Colony - Mint Selection of the 'Torn Flag' Variety** Includes ½p mint LH single and in a NH block of four, 1p, 1½p rose red, 3p in a pair, 8p and also Multiple Script CA 4p in a pair, F-VF OG or better (SG £1,455) **Est. 600.00+**



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- 207 ★ **SARAWAK 1, 1869 3c Brown on Yellow Wove Paper, Perf 11** Quite well centered mint example, lovely fresh colour and paper and remarkably retaining its full original gum, rarely seen thus - first one we recall seeing as such, F-VF OG VLH (SG 1) **Est. 150.00+**
- 208 ◎ **SARAWAK 1, 1869 3c Brown on Yellow Wove Paper, Perf 11** Very scarce postally used example with squared grid cancellation, typical centering and perforations, Fine (SG 1 £225) **275.00**
- 209 ★ **SARAWAK 33a, 1899 2c on 12c Red on Rose, Perf 12** Fresh example showing an inverted surcharge error, characteristic perforations and unused without gum as issued, F-VF; 2010 RPSL cert. (SG 33a £900) **975.00**
- 210 ★ **SARAWAK 77a, 1923 1c on 10c Ultramarine, First Printing Surcharge** Fresh mint positional plate block of six, well centered and showing "cnet" surcharge variety (R. 9/5) on left stamp from middle row, top pair lightly hinged, leaving others including variety and sheet margin with full original gum, NH. An appealing and elusive multiple, VF (SG 72a for hinged £425) **Est. 500.00+**
- 211 ★ **SARAWAK 231 variety, 1965 6c Orchids (State of Malaysia)** Mint single with black (country name and shield) omitted, striking and seldom seen, VF NH (SG 215a £400) **Est. 250.00**



- 212 ★◎ SARAWAK Comprehensive Mint / Used 1869-1957 Collection** Many dozens meticulously identified in clear mounts on quadrilled pages, very well represented throughout with a few duplicates - stamps and sets. Offers much on shades, printings, lithographic varieties, proofs & trial colours and better valued items such as 1888-1897 Issue as a nice mint set, also mint (unless noted) Scott #24, 24a, 24a (used), 26a, 79-93 NH, 109-134 VLH set, 109-134 (used), 135-154 NH set (50c is hinged). Very few flaws noted, overall nice quality often with fresh colours and OG, with many mint stamps NH and used stamps with nice postmarks. A solid collection, Fine to Very Fine (Scott 2014 US\$6,487)

Est. 1,500.00+

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- 213 ◎ 22a, 1893 3c on 4c Carmine & Green, Die II** Single with inverted surcharge used on piece along with normal 12c on 16c Die I, appealing, F-VF; 1937 BPA cert. identified as old SG number #22 (SG 15a + 16 £375) **450.00**
- 214 ★ 22b, 1893 3c on 4c Carmine and Green, Die II, Surcharged Locally** Well centered and fresh mint single with double surcharge error, VF LH; 1987 RPSL certificate for a pair, from which this single originates. (SG 15b £475) **600.00**
- 215 ★ 23b, 1893 12c on 16c Chestnut and Blue, Die I, Surcharged Locally** Mint single with inverted surcharge error, deep rich colour, well centered and full original gum; a nice stamp, VF LH; 1985 Brandon cert. (SG 16a £500) **575.00**
- 216 ◎ 24b, 1893 15c on 16c Chestnut and Blue, Die I, Surcharge Locally** Used single with grid "B64" and inverted surcharge error, F-VF; 1995 BPA cert. (SG 18a £300) **375.00**
- 217 ★ 24e, 1893 15c on 16c Chestnut and Ultramarine, Die II, Surcharge Locally** Very well centered mint single with double surcharge error and large part original gum; pencil signed on reverse, VF OG; 1990 BPA cert. (SG 19b £700) **825.00**



- 218 ★ 27a, 1896 18c on 45c Brown and Carmine, Die II, Surcharged Locally Quite well centered mint single with double surcharge error, second impression is shifted to the left, resulting in "8 CENTS" showing, appealing; part original gum, pencil signed PL Pemberton on reverse, F-VF OG; 1950 RPSL cert. identified as old SG number #29a (SG 26a £1,500) **1,850.00**



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- 219 ★ 30a, 1901 "3c" on 16c Chestnut and Ultramarine, Die I, Surcharged Locally Fresh and well centered mint single with "3 cents" omitted - traces of surcharge apparent as usual for this surcharge variety, full original gum, VF LH (SG 38c £550) **675.00**
- 220 ★ 30b, 1901 3c on 16c Chestnut and Ultramarine, Die II, Surcharge Locally Bright fresh mint single with inverted surcharge and with full original gum, barest trace of hinging; attractive and very scarce, F-VF; 1995 RPSL cert. (SG 38a £700) **800.00**
- 221 ★ 30c, 1901 3c on 16c Chestnut and Ultramarine, Die II, Surcharged Locally Nicely centered mint single, showing double surcharge error; minor gum soak on few perfs at foot, otherwise large part original gum, F-VF; clear 1964 RPSL cert. identified as old SG number #41a (SG 38b £500) **625.00**



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- 222 ★ 32a, 1901 6c on 8c Brown Violet & Ultramarine, Die II, Surcharged Locally Attractive mint single with inverted surcharge, bright colour and full original gum, lightly hinged and scarce, F-VF; 1997 BPA cert. (SG 40a £650) **800.00**
- 223 ☉ 32a, 1901 6c on 8c Brown Purple and Ultramarine, Die II, Surcharge Locally Used single with inverted surcharge tied to small piece by Seychelles "B" AP 28 03 CDS postmark, scarce thus, F-VF; 1987 RPSL cert. (SG 40a £750) **925.00**
- 224 ★ 37, 37a, 1902 45c on 2.25r Bright Mauve and Green, Die II, Surcharged Locally Mint horizontal pair, left-hand stamp shows narrow "5" in "45" (R. 4/1), fresh with large part original gum, F-VF (SG 45, 45a £250) **300.00**



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- 225 ★ 52, 53 variety, 1906 2c & 3c King Edward VII, Multiple Crown CA Mint singles, both show Dented Frame variety, F-VF OG / LH (SG 60a, 61a £280) **Est. 150.00+**
- 226 ◎ 53 variety, 1906 3c Green, Multiple Crown CA Nice used CDS single, showing Dented Frame variety, uncommon, Fine+ (SG 61a £170) **Est. 100.00**



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- 227 ★ 68 variety, 1912 18c Sage Green and Carmine, Multiple Crown CA Well centered and bright fresh mint single with Split "A" plate variety, scarce and choice, VF LH (SG 76a £225) **Est. 150.00+**
- 228 ◎ 68 variety, 1912 18c Sage Green and Carmine, Multiple Crown CA Used single showing elusive Split "A" variety; minor soiling at top, scarce, Fine (SG 76a £400) **Est. 200.00**



- 229 ★ 118 and 121 variety, 1935 6c & 1r Silver Jubilee Lower left corner mint blocks of four, both fresh, the top left stamp with 'Extra Flagstaff' plate variety, VF LH (SG 128a, 131a £475) **Est. 350.00+**

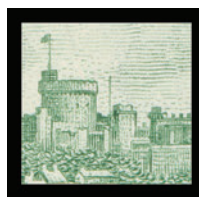


- 230 ★ 118 variety, 1935 6c Silver Jubilee Fresh and well centered mint block, lower left stamp shows 'Short Extra Flagstaff' plate variety, VF LH (SG 128b £275) **Est. 200.00**



- 231 ☒ **118-121 + variety**, 1936 (May 15) Registered cover to Johannesburg, South Africa, bearing Silver Jubilee set of four, tied by Victoria CDS postmarks, receiver backstamps - 12c stamp shows the very rare '**Lightning Conductor**' (Plate 3 R. 2/5) variety - certainly among the rarest Silver Jubilee varieties, and quite likely the only known on cover, VF (SG 129c unpriced used - for mint £2,500)

Est. 2,000.00+



- 232 ★ **119 variety**, 1935 12c Silver Jubilee Mint lower left corner pair, showing the very rare '**Extra Flagstaff**' plate variety on top stamp, original gum somewhat evenly yellowed, negligible for this elusive item - one of the rarest of all Silver Jubilee printings, VF LH (SG 129a £3,500) **Est. 2,000.00+**



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- 233 ★ **119 variety, 1935 12c Silver Jubilee** Fresh mint single with the elusive 'Flagstaff on right-hand turret' plate variety, full original gum, VF LH (SG 129d £700) **Est. 400.00+**
- 234 ★ **121 variety, 1935 1r Silver Jubilee** Lovely fresh and well centered mint single showing 'Lightning Conductor' plate variety, full original gum, VF NH (SG 131c for hinged £325) **Est. 250.00+**



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- 235 ★ **159a, 1952 9c Peacock Blue** Fresh mint block of four showing full St. Edward's Crown watermark error on lower left stamp, scarce and attractive, VF NH (SG 160b £350) **325.00**
- 236 ◎ **160a, 1952 15c Yellow Green KGVI** Used single, showing St. Edward's Crown watermark error and nice socked-on-nose Victoria CDS, scarce, VF (SG 161b £375) **325.00**



- 237 ★ **161a, 1952 18c Carmine Lake KGVI** Positional mint block of six, fresh with sheet margin at left and showing St. Edward's Crown watermark error on lower right stamp, scarce, VF NH (SG 162b £375) **375.00+**



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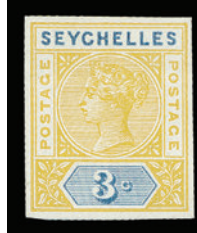
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- 238 ⦿ **A13, Mauritius Used in Seychelles 1962 6p Slate, Unwatermarked, Intermediate Perf 14 to 16** Used single, typical centering, with light but completely clear grid 'B64' cancellation in black, scarce, Fine; 2004 BPA cert. (SG Z13 £800) **925.00**
- 239 ⦿ **Mauritius Used in Seychelles** Nice group of 21 different stamps (24 in total) from Mauritius showing grid 'B64' cancellation used in Seychelles, strikes generally fine to superb; a few with minor flaws but mainly sound. Noted better items such as Scott A18, A26, A31, etc. Fine (Scott 2014 US\$2,937) **Est. 500.00+**



- 240 ★⦿ **1890-1969 Extensive Mint / Used Collection** Many dozens from Queen Victoria to QEII carefully identified on quadrilled pages with mint / used (or both) represented; includes duplicated stamps and a few sets but shows varieties, study of surcharge issues, some multiples, postmarks, shades / printings and a few SPECIMEN overprints throughout. Very few flaws noted, as overall condition is clean; an excellent collection ideal for continuation, Fine to Very Fine (Scott 2014 US\$5,106) **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 241 ★ **Clean Mint 1890-1952 Collection** Various sets displayed on stockpages, quite well represented from 1890 to end of period, noted #22a (minor toning), 3c Queen Victoria trial colour in blue and yellow, unwatermarked, also St. Edward's Crown watermark error on 1952 KGV; 2c and 3c mint NH and 15c mint OG single, etc. The odd flaw but overall selected fresh mint OG, Fine to Very Fine (Scott 2014 US\$3,450) **Est. 750.00+**



- 242 ⦿ **1890-1923 Used Selection** A few used sets from Queen Victoria to late KGV era. Noted 12c on 16c with dramatically shifted surcharge, 45c on 2.25r nice CDS, 1921-1932 KGV set of 24, plus 1r die I, etc. A few minor flaws, but overall Fine or better; many nice CDS noted. (SG £1,128) **Est. 250.00+**



- 243 ★ **1890-1946 SPECIMEN Overprinted (or Perforated) Sets** Selection of fifteen sets from Queen Victoria to 1946 Victory; all in complete sets (except for 1892 2c-13c Die II; no 16c) and also includes SG43a 30c on 1r with narrow "0" in "30". The odd flaw, but generally nice quality and with bright colours, F-VF OG / LH; 1912 KGV set is NH. (SG 1//151 £2,200) **Est. 750.00+**



- 244 ◎ **SOUTH-WEST AFRICA 12, 1923 £1** Bilingual se-tenant used pair, Setting I, with Windhoek (5.4.23) datestamp, rounded corner at upper right, well centered and scarce, VF **2,000.00**



- 245 ★◎ **STRAITS SETTLEMENTS Clean 1867-1945 Collection** Many dozens in clear mounts identified on quadrilled pages, mostly with fresh colours including range of shades, dies, printings and a few surcharges. Noted better catalogued items such as Scott mint #11, 38, 70, 125, 127, 128, 167, 167c, 171, 217-234, etc. Mainly mint throughout with a few used. Overall quality nicer than normally encountered - a lovely collection, Fine to Very Fine (Scott 2014 US\$3,428) **Est. 750.00+**



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- 246 ★ **SWEDEN 57a, 1903 8o Red Violet King Oscar II** Choice, large margined imperforate pair, VF VLH **500.00**
- 247 ★ **SWEDEN 229, 1931 5k Dark Green** Fresh mint single, VF NH **325.00**
- 248 ★ **SWITZERLAND 101-108, 1918 3c-30c Official For The War Board of Trade** Fresh mint set of eight with three-line thin serifed letter overprint, full original gum, F-VF hinged; key 7½c grey with 2013 Sismondo cert. **822.50**



- 249 ★◎ SWITZERLAND Mainly Used Stock** Housed in two stockbooks are many hundreds with duplication ranging from quite heavy in places to only a few. Starts with early Federal Administration Rayon issues (20), good section Helvetia 1850s to 1890s, noted sound examples, postmarks, etc. Mostly used throughout, later period is mint and used up to 1970s. Also includes semi-postals and other back-of-book. Condition ranges from mixed to Fine or better; a useful lot for further study.
Est. 600.00+



- 250 ★ TANGANYIKA 1921-1927 Mint Selection** Nice group with fresh colours and mostly full original gum, lightly hinged. Includes Scott #1-7 set (no #6 assigned), #10-28 set, plus sideways watermark #23a, 27a, 28a, extra #28 £1 Giraffe with upright watermark, #41, #42 and #44 £1 KGV. F-VF or better (Scott 2014 US\$1,985)
Est. 500.00+



- 251 ★ USA 1, 1847 5c Red Brown** An attractive unused example with full to large margins, bright shade on fresh bluish wove paper, VF; 1998 PSE cert.
2,400.00
- 252 ◎ USA 8A, 1851 1c Blue, Type IIIa** Selected example with square grid cancellation, nearly large margins all around, rich colour, tiny corner crease at lower left, VF; 2002 PSE cert.
900.00
- 253 ★ USA 13, 1855 10c Green, Type I** Mint single with full margins all around, sealed tear at foot, paper adhesion on back, large part original gum, a presentable example of this difficult mint stamp, VF appearance; 1987 PF cert. (Scott 2013 \$19,000)
Est. 2,500.00
- 254 ◎ USA 27, 1858 5c Brick Red, Type I** Fresh used single with CDS postmark and small portion of cancel in RED at top, Fine; 2009 APS cert.
1,650.00



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- 255 ★ **USA 30A, 1860 5c Brown, Type II** Mint single with lovely deep fresh colour, normal centering for the issue, large part original gum, hinged, Fine OG; 2013 PF cert. **2,200.00**
- 256 ★ **USA 40, 1875 1c Bright Blue, Re-Issue A** well centered single, ungummed as issued, a couple short perfs at lower right not mentioned in the accompanying certificate, still a nice stamp, VF; 1983 PF cert. **575.00**
- 257 ☉ **USA 62B, 1861 10c Dark Green** Used single with rich colour and light cancellation in RED, Fine; 1999 PF cert. **1,600.00**
- 258 ★ **USA 68, 1861 10c Yellow Green** Well centered and fresh mint single with large part original gum, VF OG; 1997 PF cert. **1,100.00**
- 259 ☉ **USA 85, 1867 3c Rose, D. Grill** Nicely centered and fresh example, used with large portion of segmented cork cancel and partial CDS postmark at top, attractive, F-VF; 2000 PSE cert. **1,100.00**



- 260 ★ **USA 85B, 1868 2c Black, Z. Grill** Elusive mint example, couple trifle shorter perfs at top not mentioned in the accompanying certificate, part original gum, a Fine example of a rare stamp; 1981 PF cert. **17,500.00**
- 261 ☉ **USA 85C, 1868 3c Rose, Z. Grill** Scarce used example centered left, single perf crease at foot, otherwise sound with light central segmented cork cancel, Fine; 1997 APS cert. **3,500.00**
- 262 ★ **USA 90, 1867 12c Black, E. Grill** A fresh unused example, Fine; 1989 PF cert. (Catalogue value as no gum) **1,900.00**
- 263 ☉ **USA 99, 1867 12c Grey Lilac, F. Grill** Used single with rich colour on fresh paper, segmented cork cancellation, Fine; 2006 PSE cert. **1,600.00**



- 264 ☒ **USA 571, 701, C7 pair**, 1933 (July 23) Balbo Flight New York - Shediac, New Brunswick; airmail envelope showing Italian Air Cruise New York - Roma Balbo cachet bearing \$1.70 postage, tied by New York duplex, with clear Shediac JUL 26 33 arrival backstamp, forwarded to Hatfield, Mass, with Halifax & St. John RPO transit and Hatfield receiver backstamp, attractive and scarce, VF
Est. 750.00+
- 265 ☒ **USA 1930s-1940s First Flight Cover Collection** Over 400 covers, most with flight cachet, housed in eight old-time small cover albums or mounted on quadricled pages with write-up. Nice variety with focus on late 1930s to early 1940s. F-VF or better
(Not Illustrated) **Est. 400.00+**
- 266 **BRITISH COMMONWEALTH "The Royal Philatelic Collection"**, by Sir John Wilson Bart, Dropmore Press, 1952, hardcover, approx 700 pages with excellent colour plates with their glassine interleaves. Certainly one of the most beautiful philatelic books ever produced.
(Not Illustrated) **Est. 300.00**
- 267 **BRITISH COMMONWEALTH Reference Books, Catalogues, Etc.** Over 20 titles, includes Ludington, "The Postal History and Stamps of Bermuda", 1978 reprint edition; A.H. Scott, "The Cancellations & Postal Markings of Basutoland / Lesotho Post Offices", 1980; Robson Lowe, "The Encyclopedia of British Empire Postage Stamps" Volume V North America; Hopkins, "A History of Wreck Covers"; American Air Mail Catalogue, fourth edition (Vol 1-4); a few catalogues related to Rocket Mail; Stanley Gibbons British Commonwealth 1999 catalogue (two volumes - includes modern post-1970 issues), etc. Heavy Lot.
(Not Illustrated) **Est. 250.00**
- 268 ★◎ **BRITISH COMMONWEALTH Predominantly Mint Selection** Many dozens displayed on large stockpages, includes notable sets and stamps with Australia #48b used scarce Die III (couple short perfs at top), #151 mint NH, Bahamas 1948 Definitive mint NH set in singles and in mint NH blocks of four, six values are corner plate imprints, Ceylon 1862 1sh4p Foreign Bill mint single, VF; Cayman Islands #85-96 NH set, Falkland Islands #84/96 part set mint NH (2sh6p to £1 are NH), Fiji mint NH KGVI issues including #123 & #125 strips of five, Hong Kong, Trinidad, etc. Also some Foreign issues, such as St. Pierre & Miquelon with 20 different France Libre mint NH singles (Cat. \$433 for hinged). Generally nice condition throughout, F-VF; worth a look.
(Illustrated on Website) **Est. 1,250.00+**
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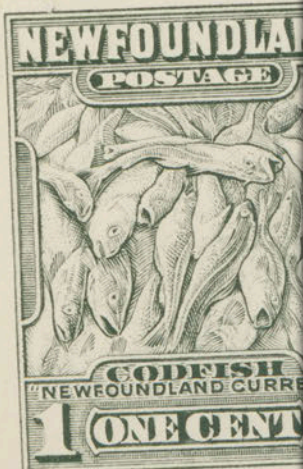
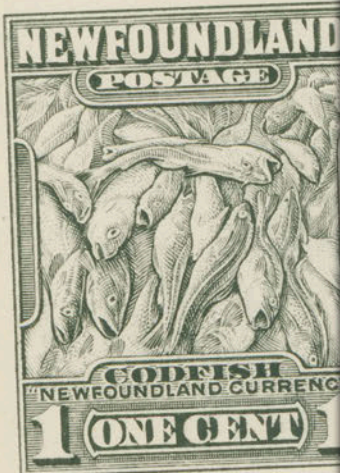
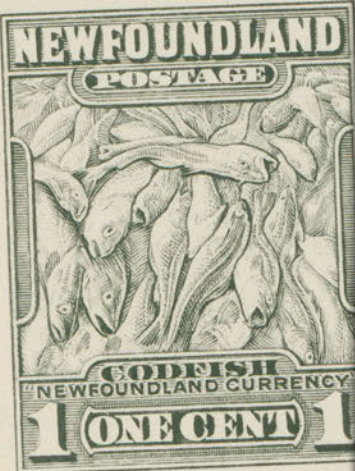


- 271 ☒ **WORLDWIDE Airmails and First Flight Covers** Nice selection of well over 300 First Flights, Foreign airline company cacheted covers, FAM, etc. from a range of different countries, noted better Australia, France, Hong Kong, Macao, a few from China and Rocket Mail label franked covers, etc. Mostly from 1930s and 1940s. Overall clean condition, F-VF and well worth a closer look. **Est. 1,000.00+**
- 272 ☒ **WORLDWIDE Worldwide Cover Assortment** Carton with many dozens including British Commonwealth with various colonies 1930s - 1940s with some nice frankings, worldwide first flights, USA commemorative cacheted covers in large shoebox, Germany 1930s and WWII era covers, censors, etc. Condition ranges from mixed to Fine or better *(Not Illustrated)* **Est. 200.00+**
- 273 ☒ **WORLDWIDE Large Assortment of Covers** As received; notably East Germany with 200 covers, mainly commercial mailing. Approx. 400 covers from early 1990s post-independence ex. Russian Republics such as Latvia, Estonia, Ukraine, etc. - an interesting group. Includes another 200 or so covers from various countries worldwide. Mixed to Fine or better throughout. Inspect. *(Not Illustrated)* **Est. 500.00+**
- 274 ☒ **WORLDWIDE Balance of Consignment** Housed in one album, one binder and on loose album pages and on cards, noting nice selection of British Commonwealth including Bahamas, Kuwait, KUT, Swaziland, Somaliland plus better mint sets of Iran (Scott C34-C50, C51-C67), Mexico notably airmails, including mint CO21 minor perf stain (MEPSI cert.), etc. Worth a closer look. *(Not Illustrated)* **Est. 1,000.00+**
- 275 ☒ **WORLDWIDE Balance of Consignment** Large carton containing a few old-time albums and stockbooks with sparsely displayed worldwide selection on pages (mixed condition), plus various loose covers and used stamps in envelopes, etc. Noted Canada semi-official CLP2 unused, 1951 Capex navy blue leather post office presentation booklet, odds and ends. Inspect. *(Not Illustrated)* **Est. 500.00+**
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BRITISH COLUMBIA



- 277 ★ **1, 1860 2½p Dull Orange Rose, Unwatermarked, Imperforate** An impressive mint example of this key classic stamp, well clear to ample margins, characteristic orange tinged colour associated with this first imperforate printing, fresh deep colour and large part original gum, seldom seen as most known examples are without gum. A highly sought-after stamp that is missing from even most advanced collections, nearly Very Fine; 1998 Green Foundation cert **46,875.00**



- 278 ★ **1, 1860 2½p Dull Orange Rose, Unwatermarked, Imperforate** A nice example of this rare and sought-after classic stamp, with adequate to large margins for the issue, distinctive and delicate colour associated with the 1860 imperforate issue, small soiling spot mentioned for the record, unused without gum. A key stamp of British North American philately, Very Fine; clear 2013 Greene Foundation cert. **25,000.00**



- 279 ★ **3, 1865 5c Rose, Watermark Crown CC, Imperforate** A rare mint single, just into frameline at foot, clear margin at left, large at top and portion of sheet margin at right, brilliant fresh colour and full, dull streaky original gum associated with the early De La Rue printings, barely perceptible hinge mark; "J.SCHL" (Julius Schlesinger) backstamp. A lovely mint example of this British North America rarity, Fine VLH; 1998 Greene Foundation cert. **50,000.00**



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- 280 ◎ **3, 1865 5c Rose, Watermark Crown CC, Imperforate** Single with clear margins on two sides and uncharacteristic large margins on other two, skillfully cleaned to removed cancel and has creases, nevertheless a collectable example of this hard to find classic stamp, Fine appearance; 2013 Greene Foundation cert. (Unitrade \$5,000) **Est. 1,000.00**

- 281 ★ **4, 1865 10c Blue, Watermark Crown CC, Imperforate** An attractive unused example with gorgeous fresh colour on pristine paper, full margins; pencil signed by expert Peter Holcombe and A. Brun handstamp on reverse, VF; 1996 Greene Foundation cert. **3,000.00**



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- 282 ★ **10, 1867-1871 10c on 3p Lilac Rose Coat of Arms, Watermark Crown CC, Perf 14** An amazingly fresh mint single, quite well centered for the issue, perforations well clear of design on three sides, with incredible colour and full original gum; a very nice stamp, F-VF VLH **3,600.00**
- 283 ★ **12, 1867-1871 50c on 3p Violet Coat of Arms, Watermark Crown CC, Perf 14** Bright mint single with normal centering for the issue and large part streaky original gum, Fine OG; 1997 Greene Foundation cert. **1,800.00**
- 284 ★ **13, 1867-1871 \$1 on 3p Green Coat of Arms, Watermark Crown CC, Perf 14** Lovely mint single with nice colour, quite well centered with perforations well clear of design on three sides, intact perforations and showing large part OG; a nice stamp in select quality, Fine+; 1997 Greene Foundation cert. **3,000.00**



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- 285 ★ 14, 1869 5c on 3p Bright Red Coat of Arms, Watermark Crown CC, Perf 12½ A bright unused single, characteristic rough perfs with uncleared perf discs, quite well centered, a key stamp, Fine
2,000.00
- 286 ★ 15, 1869 10c on 3p Lilac Rose Coat of Arms, Watermark Crown CC, Perf 12½ A remarkably well centered example, unused with redistributed gum to appear OG. A scarce stamp especially with such superior centering, VF, 1996 Greene Foundation cert.
1,200.00
- 287 ★ 16, 1869 25c on 3p Orange Coat of Arms, Watermark Crown CC, Perf 12½ Precisely centered mint single with unusually deep colour and large part original gum; nicer than normally encountered, VF OG; 1996 Greene Foundation cert.
1,500.00
- 288 ★ 18, 1869 \$1 on 3p Green Coat of Arms, Watermark Crown CC, Perf 12½ An attractive fresh unused example with intact perforations, quite well centered for the issue, Fine+; 1997 Greene Foundation cert.
1,800.00



- 289 ☒ Wells, Fargo & Co. Paid "Over Our California and Coast Routes. / Victoria, Vancouver Island." express company stationery envelope franked single 6c yellow brown Small Queen, First Ottawa printing, perf 11.85, tied by light oval Wells, Fargo / Victoria cancel in blue - undated and only found in 1873 per Robson Lowe (page 574). Addressed to Washington Territory, no backstamp as customary; hint of cover soiling and slightly reduced at left, condition is superior to most Wells Fargo covers we have seen, VF (Unitrade 39 unlisted printing)
Est. 750.00+



- 290 ★◎ **Attractive Selection** Twelve different mint / unused / used; includes #2 with portion of PA(ID) cancel, #5 mint OG, #11 mint OG, #12 mint OG, light horizontal crease, #15 portion of grid '35' cancel in blue, a few short perfs at top, #16 fresh unused with 1993 Greene Foundation cert., #17 used with grid '10' and #18 grid '35' cancel in blue; last two with minor perf tears which are hard to see, etc. Fine group **Est. 1,250.00+**



- 291 ★ **1860-1871 Mint / Unused Issues** Selection of nine different stamps, includes unused #2, 5-7, mint #7a, 8, 9, 11, 17 (1997 Greene cert.). Majority sound, VG-Fine centering (Unitrade \$5,440) **Est. 1,000.00+**

NEW BRUNSWICK



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- 292 ◎ **1, 1851 3p Red on Blue Wove Paper, Imperforate** Lovely four margined used example, gorgeous colour and sharp impression, with large portion and lightly struck mute oval grid cancel; a nice stamp, VF **700.00**
- 293 ◎ **1a, 1851 3p Dark Red on Blue Wove Paper, Imperforate** A beautiful used single with deep rich colour, full to enormous margins showing a portion of neighboring stamp at foot, light unobtrusive oval grid cancellation, XF **800.00+**



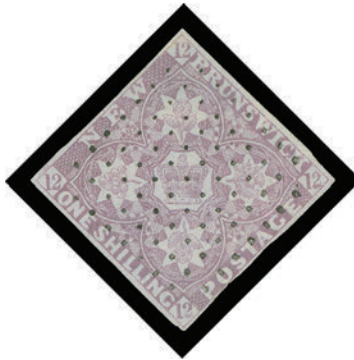
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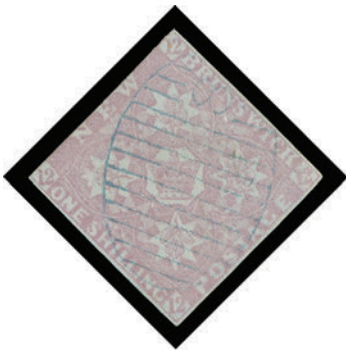
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- 294 ☉ **2, 1851 6p Olive Yellow on Blue Wove Paper, Imperforate** An appealing used single, minute hidden flaws not mentioned in certificate, full to large margins and showing large portion of circular Express St. John JUL 18 postmark in black, VF appearance and striking; clear 1997 Greene Foundation cert. **1,600.00**

- 295 ☉ **2a, 1851 6p Yellow on Blue Wove Paper, Imperforate** A superb used example surrounded by full to unusually large margins, radiant colour and clear impression on pristine paper, cancelled by nearly complete oval grid "8" (Chatham) cancellation in blue. A great stamp for the meticulous collector, XF **1,600.00+**



- 296 ☉ **3, 1851 1sh Bright Red Violet on Blue Wove Paper, Imperforate** An attractive used example of this sought-after classic stamp, just clear of design to full margins, lovely true colour and with centrally struck by squared dotted cancellation, F-VF **6,000.00**



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- 297 ☉ **3, 1851 1sh Bright Red Violet on Blue Wove Paper, Imperforate** Used single, touching at left to clear even margins on other sides, shallow thin, neat and centrally struck oval numeral grid "8" (Chatham) cancellation in BLUE, Fine appearance; 2013 Greene Foundation cert. **4,000.00**

- 298 ☉ **3, 1851 1sh Bright Red Violet on Blue Wove Paper, Imperforate** Used single with touching to full margins, tiny surface scrape at "E" of "NEW" and small faint corner crease, otherwise with lovely true colour and nice light oval grid cancellation in blue, Fine appearance; 1987 Greene Foundation cert. **4,000.00**



- 299 Ⓞ **4, 1851 1sh Dull Violet on Blue Wove Paper, Imperforate** An impressive used example of this challenging stamp surrounded by four full even margins, minute insignificant stain spot on reverse, very fresh and with lightly applied oval cancellation in black. A choice and elusive stamp, much nicer than normally seen and rare thus; pencil signed by Peter Holcombe on reverse, VF+; 1992 Peter Holcombe certificate, which states: "An exceptional looking copy of a rare stamp." *ex. Nicholas Argenti (November 1963; Lot 81)* **10,000.00**



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- 300 P **5P, 1860 5c Brown Connell Plate proof single in issued colour on india paper, VF** **300.00**
- 301 P **10, 1868 (circa.) 12½c Steamship** ABNC Trade Sample Proof engraved in greyish rose on white bond paper (0.003" thick), appealing and sound, VF **Est. 250.00+**

NOVA SCOTIA



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- 302 ★ **1, 1853 1p Red Brown on Blue Wove Paper, Imperforate** An unused example with clear to large margins, nice colour and sound, F-VF; 1996 Greene Foundation cert. **3,000.00**
- 303 Ⓞ **1, 1853 1p Red Brown on Blue Wove Paper, Imperforate** Nice used example, remarkably fresh with full to large margins and light unobtrusive grid cancellation, VF+ **800.00+**



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- 304 ☉ **2, 1851 3p Blue on Lightly Bluish Wove Paper, Imperforate** Appealing used single, well clear to enormous size margins, shows portion of adjacent stamp on one side, rich colour on fresh paper, neatly positioned mute oval grid leaving crown free from cancellation, VF+ **300.00+**
- 305 ★ **3, 1857 3p Deep Blue on Blue Wove Paper, Imperforate** A desirable mint single, gorgeous fresh colour and clear impression on deep evenly blued paper, clear to adequate margins and large part original gum; a tough stamp to find, VF OG; 1987 BPA cert. **4,400.00**
- 306 ☉ **3, 1857 3p Dark Blue on Blue Wove Paper, Imperforate** Choice used single with rich colour on fresh paper with centrally struck mute oval grid cancellation, VF **400.00**



- 307 ★ **4, 1851 6p Yellow Green on Blue Wove Paper, Imperforate** An attractive unused example with ample to large margins, brilliant colour and clear impression, slight rubbing on reverse resulting from erasure of pencil, negligible and mentioned for accuracy. A very scarce stamp in unused condition, VF; 1996 Greene Foundation cert. **6,500.00**



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- 308 Ⓢ **6, 1857 1sh Reddish Purple on White Wove Paper, Imperforate** Used single with large margins, lovely rich shade on fresh paper, neat manuscript cancellation, VF; 1997 Greene Foundation cert. **7,000.00**
- 309 Ⓢ **6, 1857 1sh Reddish Purple on Lightly Blue Wove Paper, Imperforate** Used example, margins evenly clear of design on one side with the other three sides showing fabulous and unusually large margins for this denomination, characteristic bright colour and impression on fresh and sound wove paper, light oval mute grid cancel; an eye-appealing key stamp, Fine+ **3,500.00**
- 310 Ⓢ **6, 1857 1sh Reddish Purple on Bluish Wove Paper** Used single with centrally struck grid cancellation, just clear of design in left corner to large margins, couple negligible pinholes and minute abrasion in lower "12" value tablet, Fine appearance; 2013 Greene Foundation cert. **3,500.00**
- 311 Ⓢ **6b, 1857 1sh Deep Purple on Bluish Wove Paper, Imperforate** Used example, just touching design in one corner to very large margins, distinctive deeper shade than normal, some staining removed from the reverse (probably ink from address), otherwise sound and Fine; signed by Peter Holcombe with his certificate (1995) **4,500.00**
- 312 Ⓢ **7, 1851 1sh Dull "Cold" Violet on Blue Wove Paper, Imperforate** Used single with margins clear of design all around, oval grid cancel, Fine and sound; 1996 Greene Foundation cert. **4,000.00**



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- 313 P 8TCii, iii, iv, 13TCvi, vii, viii, 1c Vermillion Trial colour plate proof se-tenant strip of three showing three different types of SPECIMEN overprint in green (B, C and scarce Type D); similar strip of 12½c in green with SPECIMEN overprint in red; both on card mounted india paper, VF and scarce **1,100.00**
- 314 ★◎ **Mint / Used Selection** Includes 3p Heraldic three shades unused (dark blue has 1996 Greene cert.); 6p dark green, four margins, pen cancelled cleverly removed to appear unused with 1996 Greene cert (stating "unused, genuine but with corner crease and repaired"), selection of Cents issues noting 5c blue, three examples unused. Also New Brunswick #1 used with red datestamp, 1860 Cents issues with shades, including mint OG 1c, 10c (NH), 12½ and 17c (NH), 5c Connell perforated proof on india. A useful lot worth inspection. **Est. 2,500.00+**

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PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND



- 315 ★ **1a, 1861 2p Deep Rose on Soft Wave Paper, Perf 9** A remarkably fresh mint single win the distinctive deeper shade, couple nibbed perfs at top as often seen on this stamp, large part original gum, F-VF; 1996 Greene Foundation cert. **Est. 1,600.00**



- 316 ★ **1861-1872 Mint / Unused Issues** Includes 35 stamps with shades and perforation varieties; a couple early issues possibly reperfed. Most with OG and a high percentage being sound; a useful lot, Fine or better **Est. 1,000.00**



- 317 ★◎ **PROVINCES Mint / Used Collection** Includes 38 different, mostly mint or unused; Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island represented with classic issues having faults (some are well concealed) such as New Brunswick #2, 3 with 1992 Greene Foundation cert., Nova Scotia #4 and #5 both with cancel cleaned giving them unused appearance, #6 1sh reddish violet, PEI with #1-3 1861 First issue, 3p and 6p with part OG. Later stamps - Cents era is generally Fine or better with several useful singles. Worth a closer look. **Est. 1,500.00+**



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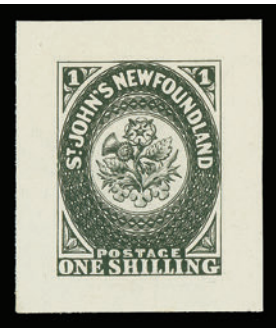


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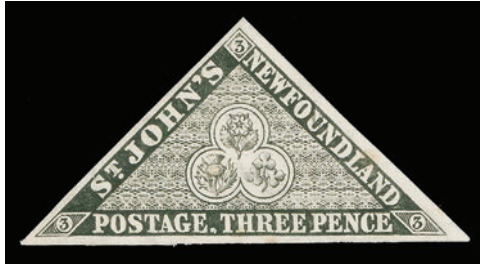
318 P 1, 1857 1p Heraldic Plate proof single in black on thick card, VF Est. 300.00



319 ◎ 2i, 1857 2p Scarlet Vermilion on Thick Porous White Wove Paper, Imperforate Used single showing line through bottom "2s" variety, clear to full margins, fabulous colour and strong impression, small trivial thin spot, a nice example of this sought-after classic stamp, Fine; ex. Dr. Chan Chin Cheung (September 1995; Lot 44) 6,000.00



320 P Pratt Plate 1 - Paper 9 Perkins Bacon Trade Sample Proofs (1929) 2p, 5p, 6½p, 8p and 1sh Heraldic issues in black on thin white diagonal mesh wove paper (0.004" to 0.0043" thick), a choice group and attractive, VF Est. 1,000.00



- 321 P 3, 1857 3p Heraldic** Plate proof single in black on thick card, fresh and scarce. Only one sheet was printed, VF **Est. 300.00**



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- 322 P Pratt Plate 6 Paper 13 Perkins Bacon Trade Sample Proof (1929) 4p Heraldic**, undefaced, in vermilion on thick stiff yellowish card (0.0095" thick), pretty, VF **Est. 250.00**
- 323 P Pratt Plate 6 Paper 13 Perkins Bacon Trade Sample Proof (1929) 4p Heraldic**, undefaced, in black on thick stiff yellowish card (0.0095" thick), VF **Est. 250.00**



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- 324 ☉ 4, 1857 4p Scarlet Vermilion on Thick Porous White Wove Paper, Imperforate** A remarkable used example of this challenging stamp, especially desirable with very light barred cancel and nearly complete well struck "5" rate handstamp in black, ample to very large margins and gorgeous colour on fresh paper; with Buhler guarantee handstamp on reverse, VF; 1980 Buhler cert. **5,000.00**
- 325 P 5, 1857 5p Heraldic** Plate proof single in black on thick card; minor soiling on reverse, only one sheet of 40 was printed, VF and scarce *(Illustrated on Page 70)* **Est. 300.00**
- 326 ☉ 6, 1857 6p Scarlet Vermilion on Thick Porous White Wove Paper, Imperforate** Scarce used single with four small even margins, small thin spot not mentioned in accompanying certificate, nice colour and barred cancellation, Fine; 1975 RPSL cert. **3,500.00**
- 327 ★ 7, 1857 6½p Scarlet Vermilion on Thick Porous White Wove Paper, Imperforate** A selected unused example with full even margins and nice colour, VF; 1996 Greene Foundation cert. **6,000.00**
- 328 ★ 7, 1857 6½p Scarlet Vermilion** Unused single with clear margins to large margins, bright colour with hint oxidation at top, Fine and scarce; 2006 Greene Foundation cert. **3,000.00**



- 329 ★ 9, 1857 1sh Scarlet Vermilion on Thick Porous White Wove Paper, Imperforate A beautiful unused example with remarkably fresh rich colour on bright paper, well clear to small margins all around as often seen on this stamp, couple minute thins. A nice example of this very rare stamp, F-VF; 1997 Greene Foundation cert. **21,000.00**



- 330 ★ 9, 1857 1sh Scarlet Vermilion on Thick Porous White Wove Paper, Imperforate An attractive unused example of this rare classic stamp, deep rich colour and strong impression, four small even margins as often seen on this denomination, barely perceptible tear in lower right corner, condition is superior to most examples we have handled, Fine; 1955 PF cert. **12,000.00**




- 331 ★ 11, 1860 2p Orange on Thin Hard Wove Paper, Imperforate Impressive mint single with well clear to oversized margins, superb colour on fresh paper and with large part original gum; owner's stamp on reverse, VF JUMBO **1,200.00**



- 332 ★ 12, 1860 4p Orange on Thin Hard Wove Paper, Imperforate A full margined example showing full original gum that is evenly toned. A scarce stamp in sound unused condition, VF; clear 1977 PF cert. (Catalogued as unused) **4,000.00**



- 333 ◎ 13, 1860 6p Orange on Thin Hard Wove Paper, Imperforate Choice used single with mostly large margins and nice colour, central barred cancel, VF; 1997 Greene Foundation cert. **1,400.00**



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- 334 ★ **16, 1861-1862 1p Reddish Brown on Thin Hard Wove Paper, Imperforate** A magnificent mint example of this rare classic stamp, large margins and true radiant colour, ideal clear impression on fresh paper and with large part original gum that is relatively lightly hinged. A rare stamp missing from numerous advanced collections; very few exist in such condition, VF OG; 1990 PF cert.

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Backstamped "W.H.C." of Warren Howard Colson, renowned American philatelist during the 19th and early 20th centuries.



- 335 ★ **16, 1861-1862 1p Red Brown on Thin Hard Wove Paper, Imperforate** A remarkable unused single of this sought-after stamp, fresh vivid colour and well clear to large margins all around; pencil signed Holcombe. A key Newfoundland Pence Issue stamp, Very Fine

16,000.00

Expertization: 1994 Peter Holcombe certificate

Provenance: Guilford Collection, September 1994, Lot 2386
Howard Gibraltar, February 1996, Lot 376

According to Robert H. Pratt only four sheets were originally printed (a total of 480 stamps). Only a small percentage survive today.



- 336 P 25, 27, 28, 1868 (circa.) 5c, 10c, 12c Cents Issue ABNC Trade Sample Proofs printed in olive green on white wove paper (0.003" thick), sound examples with similar appealing bright colour, VF
Est. 600.00+



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- 337 ★ 27, 1871 10c Black on Stout White Wove Paper, Perf 12 An attractive mint block of four, well centered for this notoriously difficult stamp, lovely fresh colour with full original gum, some natural gum wrinkles as often seen on this stamp, top pair hinged leaving lower pair NH, VF 3,600.00
- 338 ★ 36, 1894 6c Carmine Lake Remarkably fresh and well centered mint block of four with full pristine original gum; a superb block, VF+ NH 600.00+



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- 339 ★ 39, 1877 3c Blue, Rouletted An elusive mint example, especially so with intact rouletting on all sides, lovely fresh colour and full original gum, lightly hinged, VF 600.00+
- 340 ★ 40, 1876 5c Blue, Rouletted Post office fresh mint block of four, quite well centered with gorgeous colour and impression on pristine paper and full original gum that has never been hinged. A rare block in such condition, VF NH; 2011 Greene Foundation cert. 4,800.00



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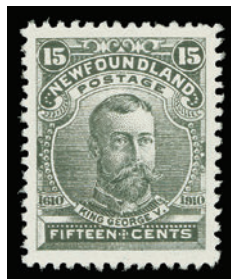
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- 341 ★ **43, 1896 1c Brown, Perf 12** Lower right corner mint block of six, true rich colour on fresh paper, a couple minor natural gum bends otherwise full original gum. A scarce multiple, Fine NH **900.00**
- 342 ★ **43, 1896 1c Brown** Nicely centered and fresh mint single with full original gum; a key stamp, VF NH **525.00**
- 343 ★ **45a, 1896 1c Yellow Green** An attractive and large margined mint single, well centered with distinctive pastel shade and full original gum; seldom encountered, VF+ NH **120.00+**



- 344 ★ **77, 1897 (October) 1c on 3c Grey Lilac Provisional Type C Surcharge** Unusually well centered mint single with large margins, small area of gum loss from hinge removal, still sound with large part original gum; a key stamp, VF OG **1,000.00**
- 345 ★ **88c, 1910 2c Carmine, Lithographed, Perf 11.8x11.4** Lovely fresh mint single with sheet margin at foot, normal centering for this scarce perforation variety, pristine original gum, F-VF NH **1,375.00**
- 346 ★ **93, 1910 8c Pale Brown, Lithographed** Post office fresh and very well centered mint single, most known examples are off centre, XF NH **250.00+**
- 347 ★ **94, 1910 9c Olive Green, Lithographed** Choice centered mint example with lovely fresh colour and pristine original gum, XF NH **250.00+**
- 348 ★ **95, 1910 10c Violet Black, Lithographed** Lovely fresh mint single, nicely centered, VF NH **250.00**
- 349 ★ **96, 1910 12c Lilac, Lithographed** Precisely centered mint single with exceptional colour, scarce this nice, XF NH **250.00+**
- 350 ★ **97, 1910 15c Grey Black, Lithographed** A remarkably well centered mint single of this notoriously difficult stamp, post office fresh and with unblemished original gum, XF NH **250.00+**
- 351 ★ **102a, 1911 12c Red Brown, Engraved** Superb imperforate pair with large margins, rich colour, without gum as issued, XF **400.00+**
- 352 ★ **103a, 1911 15c Slate Green, Engraved** Large margined imperforate pair, without gum as issued, VF **400.00+**

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- 353 ★ 131b, 1923-1924 1c Grey Green Fresh mint imperforate pair with full to large margins and full original gum, XF NH **375.00+**
- 354 ★ 134a, 1923-1924 4c Brown Violet Choice imperforate mint pair with large margins, fresh with full original gum, XF NH **450.00+**
- 355 ★ 135a, 1923-1924 5c Ultramarine Lovely fresh imperforate mint pair with full original gum, VF NH **450.00**
- 356 ★ 140a, 1923-1924 11c Olive Green Selected fresh and large margined imperforate mint pair with full original gum, VF NH **450.00**



- 357 ★ 163c, 1929-1931 1c Map of Newfoundland (Re-engraved), Unwatermarked Upper left corner imperforate block of four, showing plate dot in margin, unused without gum as issued, VF **300.00**



358 P 183-199, 1932 1c-48c Resources Issue (Perkins Bacon printing) Complete set of thirteen plate proof pairs engraved in black on unwatermarked bond paper (3c and 6c do not exist as such), die II of the 2c and 5c also included. A scarce set, VF Est. 1,250.00+



359 P 184, 1938-1939 1c Grey Black Codfish Three "final unit" of each of the three printing runs in proof blocks of eight or ten, two blocks show moiré lines ("bookend") in red and other block in blue on reverse. Each block with printer's ink notation in the margin regarding their specific printing run. A few tone spots and couple with light creasing, latter confined to sheet margin, still an appealing set ideal for exhibition, VF Est. 500.00+



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- 360 P 186, 1932 2c King George V, Die I (Perkins Bacon printing) Upper left plate "1" (reversed) trial colour plate proof block of four in black on bond paper showing papermaker's figurative "oak tree" and "PARCHMENT" watermark in sheet margin at top; a great item for a serious collection, VF

Est. 500.00+



- 361 P 186, 2c Green King George V, Die II (Perkins Bacon printing) Lower right plate proof block of eight, printed in colour on issue on bond paper showing blue "moiré" lines on reverse and printer's ink notation "Last Impression after 10,000 pulls. 25/1/38" in margin, VF

Est. 350.00+

- 362 P 189, 1932 4c Prince of Wales (Perkins Bacon printing) Upper left plate "2" (reversed) trial colour plate proof block of four printed black on bond paper showing papermaker's (B)RITISH OAK and figurative "oak tree" watermark in extended sheet margin at top; a very scarce plate numbered proof block ideal for exhibition, VF *(Illustrated on Page 80)* Est. 500.00+



- 363 ★ 189a, 1932-1938 4c Rose Lake (Perkins Bacon printing) Upper left imperforate blocks of four; first block with position dot and no plate number, second block with position dot and plate "2" (reversed) number; both with usual natural gum wrinkling mostly confined to sheet margins. A scarce duo, VF Est. 600.00+



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- 364 P 190, 1932 5c Caribou, Die I (Perkins Bacon printing) Upper left trial colour plate proof block of four (no plate number) in black on unwatermarked bond paper, scarce as only one sheet of 100 was printed, VF Est. 350.00+



- 365 P 191, 1932-1939 5c Caribou, Die II (Perkins Bacon printing) Selection of eight different plate proof pairs showing different plates / printings, all with sheet margin at left, three of which show lathework. Two pairs are on "bookend" paper and one pair with handstamp "MAR 1939" in margin is on an unusual thin paper; couple pairs with crease otherwise a neat and seldom seen group, VF **Est. 750.00+**



- 366 P 191, 1932 5c Deep Violet, Die II (Perkins Bacon printing) An appealing plate proof pair printed in the issued colour on unwatermarked bond paper and showing a fabulous and very strong wide lathework in left margin, XF **Est. 500.00+**
- 367 P 191, 1932 5c Caribou, Die II (Perkins Bacon printing) Upper left plate "2" (reversed) trial colour plate proof block of four in black on bond paper showing papermaker's (B)RITISH OAK and figurative "tree" watermark in sheet margin at top; an unusual and very appealing item, VF
(Illustrated on Page 81) **Est. 500.00+**



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- 368 ★** 1933iii, 1932-1938 10c Olive Black (Perkins Bacon printing) Vertical imperforate strip of four showing a dramatic and clearly visible double impression error. An attractive and desirable double print, VF NH **1,875.00**



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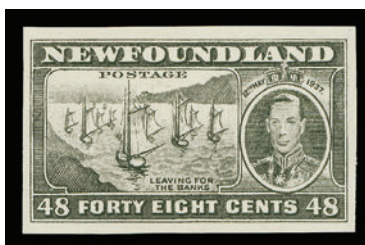


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- 369 P** 196, 1932 20c Cape Race Lot of three trial colour die proofs printed in black on unwatermarked wove paper, each showing the full die sinkage area without die number; one with minor tone spots. We suspect that each proof shows minute differences in the design, VF **Est. 750.00**
- 370 P** 196, 20c Cape Race Progressive die proof engraved in green on wove paper, 89 x 61mm, without word "POSTAGE" and shows outer bevel surrounding "CAPE RACE"; small pencil notation "Finished 5/6/31" at upper right. A scarce and desirable proof, VF **Est. 350.00+**
- 371 P** 208, 1932 7c Duchess of York (Perkins Bacon printing) Upper left trial colour plate proof block of four in black on unwatermarked bond paper, a scarce multiple as only one sheet was printed, VF **Est. 350.00+**



- 372 P 233, 1937 1c Grey Black Codfish Three different printings - all lower right corner plate proof blocks of four on "bookend" paper, and each with printer's penciled notation regarding their particular printing; one block has creasing in margin only, otherwise VF trio **Est. 400.00+**



- 373 P 233-243, 1937 1c-48c KGVI Long Coronation Trial colour plate proof set of eleven printed in black on unwatermarked bond paper (1c in grey black on "bookend" paper), also a similar proof set in colours of issue missing only the 3c orange to complete, attractive, VF **Est. 750.00**



- 374 P 245-248, 1938 2c-7c Royal Family (Perkins Bacon printing) Set of four plate proof pairs printed in issued colours on unwatermarked bond paper, first three shows "moiré" coloured lines (known as "bookend") on reverse, VF **Est. 350.00+**



- 375 P 247, 1938 (4c) Princess Elizabeth** Two different Progressive die proofs of the central vignette and surrounding frame only, printed in different shades of bluish green; first with incomplete Crown and dress on watermarked laid paper showing portion of an Eagle, measuring 76 x 112mm. Second proof with complete Crown and finished dress on laid paper, measuring 88 x 89mm. A remarkable and rare duo, VF **Est. 750.00+**



- 376 P 247, 1938 (4c) Princess Elizabeth** Progressive die proof of central vignette and surrounding frame only, measuring 80x88mm, engraved in dark magenta on laid paper with watermark showing large portion of an Eagle; appealing and rare, VF **Est. 500.00+**



- 377 ★ 253i-266ii, 269v, 270iii, 1941-1944 1c-48c Resources (Waterlow printing) Complete set of fourteen imperforate blocks of four on watermarked stamp paper, each with Waterlow security printing punch. Includes printing orders (in similar blocks) of the 1c grey black (2), 2c deep green (3), 3c rose carmine (3), 4c, 5c (5), 10c (2), for a total of 30 blocks. Also includes 1947 4c Princess Elizabeth and 5c Cabot security punch imperforate blocks. All with full original gum, typical gum folds and wrinkles associated to the Waterlow printing are limited to a minimum which is quite unusual - only shown on a few blocks and overall condition better than normally seen. A great lot and seldom seen so complete with the additional printing orders, VF NH (Unitrade \$14,850) **Est. 2,000.00+**



- 378 ★ 255iv, 1941-1944 3c Rose Carmine (Waterlow printing) A remarkable upper "left" Plate "43967" inscription block of four showing strong and complete reverse offset on gum side, fresh with full original gum; appealing and rare, VF NH **Est. 1,000.00+**



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- 379 ★ 256 variety, 1941-1944 4c Blue (Waterlow printing) Unusual top sheet margin mint block, top horizontal line of perforations dramatically shifted up (11mm); the first one we recall seeing, F-VF NH **Est. 200.00+**
- 380 ★ 257a, 1941-1944 5c Violet, Die I (Waterlow printing) Lower centre imperforate block, showing guidelines and dot; trivial natural gum wrinkles associated with Waterlow printing, VF NH **675.00**

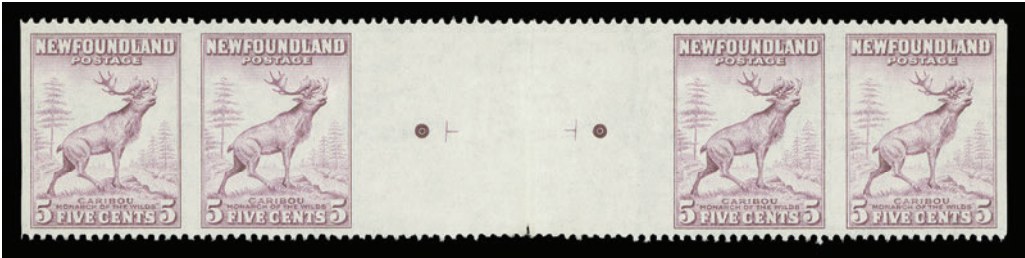


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- 381 ★ 257c, 1941-1944 5c Violet, Die I (Waterlow printing), Perf 12½ Striking mint single with double impression error, light gum bend; according to Walsh catalogue, only 36 examples are known, Fine NH **435.00**



- 382 ★ 257iv, 1941-1944 5c Violet, Die I (Waterlow printing) Mint gutter strip of four imperforate vertically, vertical fold in gutter as always, well centered, showing centre of sheet positional guidelines and dots. A scarce item, VF NH (Catalogue value as fine only - unpriced as VF) **1,500.00+**
- 383 ★ 257ix, 1941 5c Violet, Die I, Comb Perf 13½ Elusive single of this emergency printing - distinctive Perkins Bacon perforations on Waterlow printing paper, fresh and choice, VF NH **Est. 150.00+**



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- 384 ★ 261a, 1941-1944 14c Black (Waterlow printing) Choice imperforate mint pair with full original gum, VF NH **450.00**
- 385 ★ 261c, 1941-1944 14c Black (Waterlow printing), Perf 12 Fresh vertical mint pair, imperforate horizontally, well centered and difficult to find as such, VF NH **450.00**



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- 386 ★ 262i, 1941-1944 15c Pale Rose Violet (Waterlow printing) Well centered mint single showing a complete and prominent offset image on gum side, VF NH **450.00**
- 387 ★ 264ii, 1941-1944 24c Deep Blue (Waterlow printing) Sheet margin mint single with full reverse offset on gum side; noticeably scarcer than other known values with this variety, VF NH **375.00+**
- 388 ★ 269a, 1947 4c Light Blue Princess Elizabeth Fresh imperforate block of four, couple light gum bends as nearly always found on Waterlow printings; scarce as a block, VF NH **900.00**



- 389 ★ 269b, 1947 4c Light Blue Princess Elizabeth, Perf 12½ Right sheet mint horizontal pair, imperforate vertically, very well centered for this variety; trivial gum wrinkle completely natural for a Waterlow printing, VF NH **600.00**



- 390 ★ 269v variety, 1947 4c Princess Elizabeth (Waterlow printing) Imperforate gutter margin block of eight, vertical fold between as always, lower row creased and some adherence on gum side, top row with full original gum, never hinged; each stamp with printer's security punch and showing centre of sheet guidelines and positional dots in margin; a scarce interpanneau imperforate block in above average condition, F-VF **Est. 500.00+**

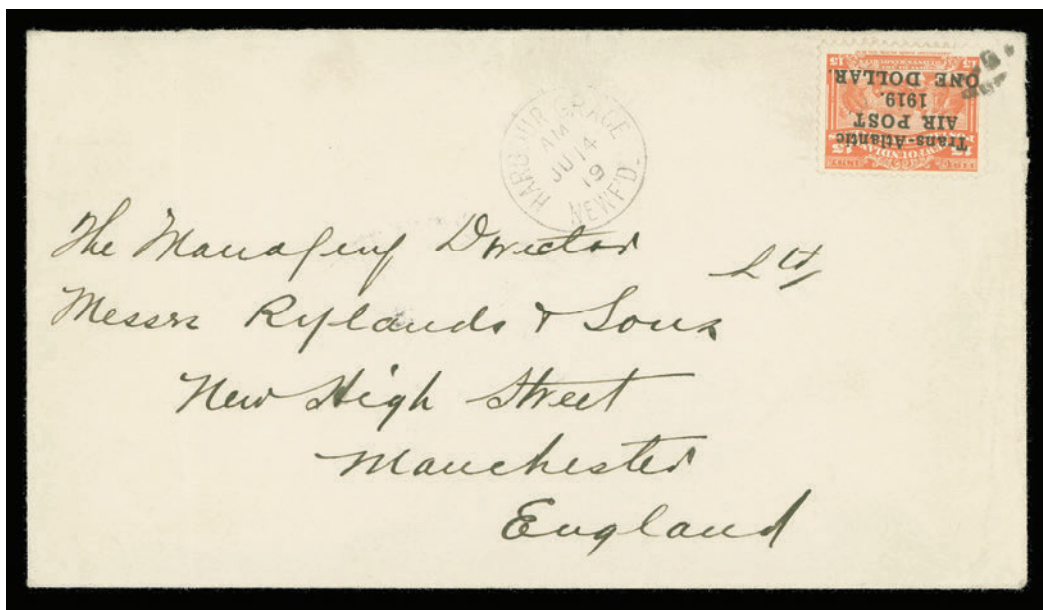


- 391 ★ 270ii, 1947 5c Rose Violet Cabot Fresh mint single with dramatic complete reverse offset on gum side, VF NH **560.00**

AIR POST



- 392 ★ C2, 1919 \$1 on 15c Scarlet Alcock and Brown Flight Precisely centered mint example showing comma after "POST", with lovely fresh colour and full original gum, choice, XF NH **600.00+**
- 393 ★ C2a, 1919 \$1 on 15c Scarlet Alcock and Brown Flight Selected fresh mint single without comma after "POST", well centered with full, pristine original gum, VF NH **660.00**
- 394 ★ C2ii, 1919 \$1 on 15c Scarlet Alcock and Brown Flight Fresh mint single showing the elusive small comma after "POST" (Position 20 in the setting of 25 stamps), large part original gum, VF **650.00**



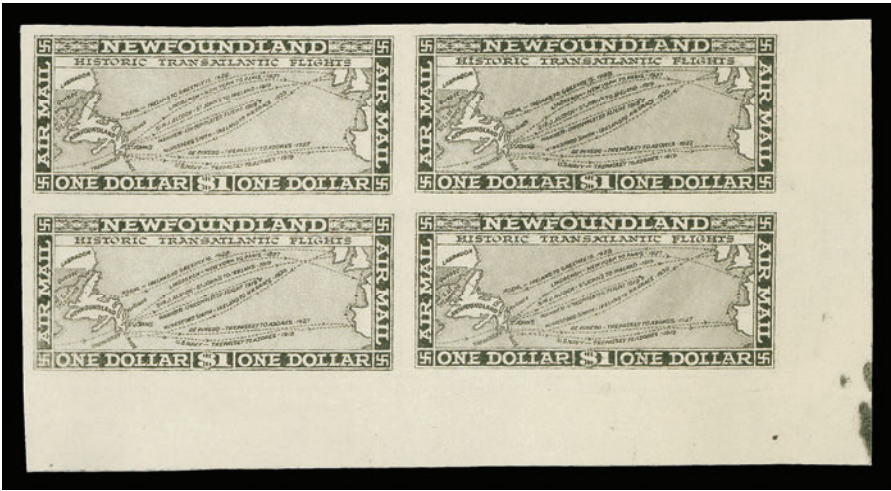
- 395 ☒ **C2ii**, 1919 (June 14) Handley Page Flight - Harbour Grace Mail cover bearing single \$1 on 15c scarlet with small comma after "POST" (Position 20 in setting of 25 stamps) and tied by small cork and showing Harbour Grace AM JU 14 19 CDS postmark on front and oval Atlantic Aerial Mail / JUN 14 1919 / Handley Page cachet in black on reverse, vertical cover crease at left, otherwise F-VF and rare usage of this positional small comma variety on cover. **1,750.00**



- 396 E **C4**, 1922 15c Vickers-Vimy Essays Prepared and engraved by Whitehead, Morris & Co., two different imperforate plate proof blocks of four, on in red brown and black, the other in brown and black, both on ungummed wove paper; each stamp with "F.J. Field" handstamp on reverse. A very scarce duo, VF (Walsh TE1, TE1a \$2,240) **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 397 ★ C5, 1930 (September 25) 50c on 36c Olive Green, "Columbia" Flight Surcharge, Perf 14 A remarkably fresh and quite well centered mint example of this difficult pioneer airmail (Position 3 in the setting of four), intact perforations, lovely bright colour on fresh paper and full original gum, NEVER HINGED. Rarely seen thus, a beautiful stamp ideal for the quality conscious collector, nearly VF centering; 2013 Greene Foundation cert. **16,000.00**



- 398 P C6-C8, 1931 15c, 50c & \$1 Pictorial Airmail Issue Set of three lower right corner plate proof blocks of four, printed in black on unwatermarked bond paper; couple (natural) printing creases on lower right \$1 proof. Very scarce in multiples as most of the 100 sets (one sheet of each value) were broken up into singles, VF **Est. 2,000.00**



- 399 P C6-C8, 1931 15c, 50c & \$1 Pictorial Airmail Trial colour plate proof set of three printed in black on unwatermarked wove paper. Only one sheet of each denomination was printed, VF **Est. 500.00+**



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- 400 ☒ C12, 1932 (May 20) "Holyrood" Supplementary Mail to DO-X flight; large envelope bearing single \$1.50 on \$1 blue, light perf toning and minor stain spot, just tied by clear Holyrood Newfoundland MY 20 32 split ring, endorsed "Via Do-X to Germany" and signed by postmaster of Holyrood at lower left; without backstamp. A very rare airmail cover, believed to be one of only five such covers to exist, Fine **Est. 1,500.00+**
- 401 ☒ C18, 1933 (July 26) Balbo Flight, clean cacheted envelope bearing well centered single \$4.50 on 75c bistre, perf 14.3 (Position 2 in the setting of four), tied by clear St. John's CDS, neat departure Shoal Harbour JUL 7 33 split ring and Rome arrival backstamps; small portion of top backflap is missing; a lovely and fresh cover, VF **Est. 750.00+**
- 402 ☒ 1933 Balbo Flight - New York to Shoal Harbour, Newfoundland, bearing \$1.71 US postage and tied by New York JUL 23 duplex, large New York - Roma Italian Air Cruise flight cachet and bearing clear Shoal Harbour JUL 26 33 arrival backstamp; forwarded to Howard Beach, USA with appropriate transit and receiver backstamps. A scarce Balbo cover, VF **Est. 750.00+**

LARGE LOTS AND COLLECTIONS



- 403 ★◎ 1857-1862 Pence Issues** Group of 21 stamps (16 mint / unused; 5 used), including singles with some degree of faults ranging from prominent to trivial - #4 two used examples, #7 unused, #9 used, #13 used, #15ii watermarked showing large portion of "W" letter of STACEY WISE. Also sound examples of #1 unused, #5 mint and unused examples, #11 unused, #15A unused, #17 unused, #21 mint NH, etc. A useful lot; a few forgeries (not counted) on card are included for reference.

Est. 3,000.00+



- 404 ★ Pence and Cents Comprehensive Mint / Unused Collection** Includes 22 Pence issues, with #3 unused, #5 OG (1996 Greene cert.), #8 OG (1996 Greene cert.), 1861-1862 issues, various shades and printings, followed by 50 "Cents" issues with shades, papers and printings represented, most with original gum. Overall nice condition as most examples have been individually selected by previous owner. An excellent lot for further specialization of these challenging issues. Fine to Very Fine

Est. 2,000.00+



- 405 ★◎ 1865-1947 Mint / Used Collection** In clear mounts on pages starting with 1865-1897 Cents issues - 37 different mint / unused / used in mixed (typical) condition. Then quality increases and is generally mint starting with 1897 Cabot issue and shows very well represented basic sets up to 1947. Noted better #77 Type C surcharge mint single (position 50), full original gum, hint of toning, 1910 John Guy set, 1c & 2c used, others mint OG, 1911 John Guy mint set and virtually complete mint thereafter. Airmails with mint C3, C3a, C6-C11, C12, C13-C17, C18, etc. A nice collection where quality starting from 1897 to 1947 is generally clean and sound, many stamps being NH. Worth a look.

Est. 1,250.00+



- 406 ★ 1860-1947 Mint Collection** Includes 1861-1862 Pence issues (12 examples, most are mint OG), 1865-1897 Cents (30 mint / used), then virtually complete mint regular issues thereafter starting with 1897 Cabot NH set, 1910 John Guy set of 11 (6c is Type II), 1911 John Guy engraved set. Some airmails shown with 1931 Pictorial issues, both sets and 1933 Labrador set. Also includes New Brunswick and Nova Scotia Cents issues and some PEI mint issues. A few flaws noted on earlier issues, but generally Fine or better with many stamps NH. **Est. 1,250.00+**



- 407 ★ 1897-1947 Clean Mint Collection** Virtually complete collection for period covered (less Scott #77 and the usual three airmails), plus some perf varieties, 1930 DO-X, 1933 Balbo, etc., all displayed on Lighthouse hingeless pages. Majority F-VF OG **Est. 1,250.00+**



- 408 ★P Resources Issues Plate Proofs and Imperforates** Includes 9 imperforate pairs on stamp paper, some with OG NH, also seven pairs on bond paper, a few on "bookend" paper. Also selection (28) of perforated and gummed trial colours of Waterlow printings, subtle to distinctive shade differences; plus 1910 John Guy lithographed proof set of ten on thick gummed paper and six different colour proofs of the 12c KEVII on gummed stamp paper, one perforated. **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 409 ☒ **1921-1933 First Flight Cover Lot** Starting with three different "Winter" flights - Feb 26, 1921 St. John's to St. Anthony's; March 10, 1921 St. John's to Fogo; and Feb 23, 1922 St. John's to Botwood, backstamped Feb 26. Followed by fourteen different 1930-1931 first flights, plus 1933 St. John's to Wabush - Katsao, Labrador with full set C13-C17, and a May 19, 1932 DO-X cover to England. A nice lot with cover housed in a old-time small glassine-page cover album, F-VF or better

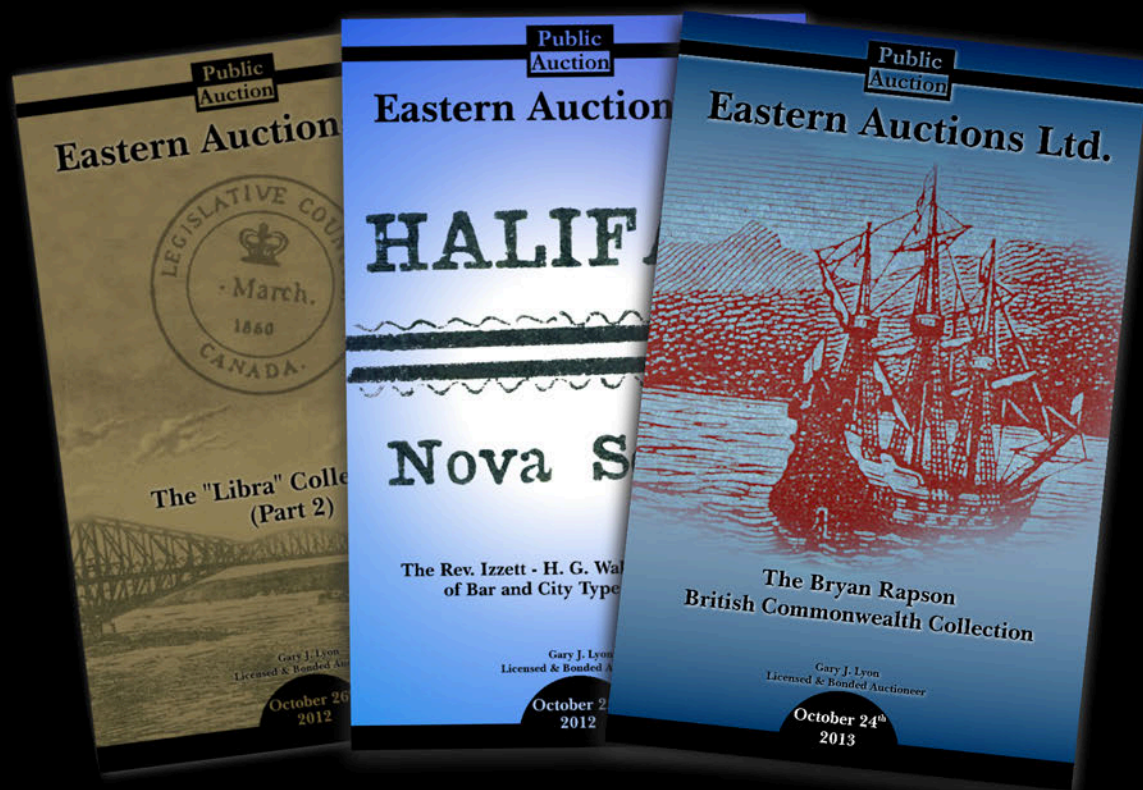
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- 410 ☒ **Collection Balance** Various issues, mint multiples, etc., displayed on large stockpages. Noted mint #257ix NH, 269b block of four imperforate vertically with tear at top, lower pair NH, C12, 1937 Long Coronation and Postage Due NH blocks; a few watermark & perf varieties, F-VF OG / NH. Inspect.

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This exceptional section comprises over 120 Small Queen covers, showing an outstanding compilation of rare frankings to over 60 different destinations. Many are being offered at auction for the first time, while others have graced famous Small Queen collections of the past.

Lot 411 - 537





POSTAL RATES TO FOREIGN DESTINATIONS




- 411 ☒ **Afghanistan** Second Afghan War 1878-1881 - On Active Service in Asia; 1879 (May 14) Envelope mailed from Conestogo, Ontario to G.W. Anderson, Army Signaller, 72nd Highlanders, serving with the 2nd Infantry Brigade Kurram Field Force, in Kurram Valley, Afghanistan, paying a soldier's 2c privilege rate paid with a single 2c green, Montreal printing perf 12, affixed sideways and tied by multiple ring mute cancels in black, Conestogo MY 14 79 dispatch split ring in blue at lower left, light London Paid 27 MY 79 transit further ties the stamp at upper left; Berlin, Ont MY 14, Sea Post Office 18 JUN, Kohat JUN 29 transits and Field Force P.O JUL 2 (at Ali Khel) receiver on back. Envelope has been roughly opened and portion of backflap is missing, stamp sound. An incredible cover, Fine (Unitrade 36i) ex. *Gerald Sattin (June 2008)* **Est. 7,500.00+**

AN EXCEPTIONALLY RARE SOLDIER'S LETTER, THE ONLY ONE KNOWN MAILED FROM CANADA DURING THE SECOND AFGHAN WAR AND DELIVERED TO A MILITARY CAMP.




- 412 ☒ **Algeria** 1879 (November 14) Envelope mailed from Montreal to Paris, redirected to Algeria, franked with 5c olive green, Montreal printing, perf 12 tied by split ring duplex grid cancel, via London NO 25, arriving in Paris the following day; then mailed to Alger, Algeria with partial 29 NOV arrival backstamp; light horizontal cover fold at foot and trivial edge wear, a Fine and very scarce early UPU cover to Africa. (Unitrade 38), ex. *Harry Lussey (October 1983, Lot 353)* **Est. 500.00+**



- 413**  **Argentina** 1873 (November 15) Envelope mailed from Prince Edward Island to Buenos Aires, Argentina; cover stained at upper left and portion of backflap missing, franked with horizontal strip of three and single 6c yellow brown, First Ottawa printing, perf 11.85, probably rated 28 cents for intended service via UK with another 4c postage at upper left, later removed at the post office before the letter was mailed and the Rollo Bay, PEI postmark was applied, the letter was still overpaid for the proper 21 cents rate via New York. Each stamp cancelled by circular mute cancels, light Charlottetown NO 15, St. John NO 17, clear circular New York NOV 24 transit. An exceptionally rare pre-UPU 21c rate (3c overpaid) to Argentina, via New York, Fine (Unitrade 39) *ex. Ted Nixon (2012)*
Est. 1,500.00

This cover is also an early usage from P.E.I., mailed a few months after joining Confederation on July 1, 1873. It is interesting to note that prior to this date the rate charged by the P.E.I. post office would have been 24c. An 1872 cover from the same correspondence is known franked with four 6c black.



- 414**  **Argentina** 1877 (April 9) Envelope mailed from Great Village, NS to Buenos Aires, South America, franked with a 3c orange red and pair and three singles of 5c deep olive shade, all Montreal printings perf 11½x12, flaws on three stamps, light grid cancels, clear Great Village split ring dispatch at left. Pays the 28c per half ounce pre-UPU letter rate via the United Kingdom (US packet line ceased operations to South America around October 1876). Shows light St. John NB transit and clear Buenos Aires MAY 30 arrival backstamps. Overall soiling to cover, a rare pre-UPU rate to Argentina, Fine (Unitrade 37iii, 38a) **Est. 1,500.00+**



- 415 ☒ **Australia - New South Wales** 1887 (November 25) Envelope mailed from Montreal to Sydney, NSW, franked with two pairs and a single 3c vermilion, Montreal printing perf 12, tied by Montreal duplex dispatch cancels, top pair with perfs flaws due to placement on cover, endorsed "via San Francisco", with Windsor NO 26, San Francisco DEC 4 & DEC 15 transit backstamps, arriving in Sydney JA 11 with CDS on back, then forwarded to Suez; small piece of backflap missing and minor soiling along edges, Fine, a very scarce correctly paid 15 cent non-UPU letter rate to New South Wales. (Unitrade 37) **Est. 1,500.00+**



- 416 ☒ **Australia - New South Wales** 1895 (August 12) 2c green postal envelope uprated with 5c grey and 8c bluish slate, Ottawa printings perf 12, cancelled by unusual grid cancels, oval R handstamp and Toronto split ring dispatch at left, mailed to Balmain, NSW, via San Francisco with registration label affixed over the stamps, San Francisco AU 19, Sydney SP 16 and Balmain SP 16 backstamps; vertical cover crease towards left edge of no importance for this beautiful and very rare franking, pays the double UPU letter rate + 5c registration to Australia, VF (Unitrade 42, 44b, U7), ex. Dr. Matthew carstairs (November 1985; Lot 271) **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 417 ✉ **Australia - Tasmania** 1887 (August 27) Exceptional registered cover mailed to Launceston, Tasmania - 3c red postal envelope uprated with 2c green and 5c olive grey pair, Montreal printings perf 12, neatly tied by grid cancellations. Then on reverse a pair and single 5c Registered Letter Stamp tied by neat pen cancels (top stamp has been replaced); endorsed "Via San Francisco", with clear Halifax dispatch CDS and oval R handstamp, St. John NB, Montreal and Windsor transit backstamps, boxed San Francisco registration handstamp in red. Paid the 15 cent non-UPU registration fee and 15 cent per half ounce letter rate to Tasmania. This is the only known registered Small Queen cover addressed to Australia (or New Zealand) prior to October 1, 1891 when the Australian colonies and New Zealand joined the UPU. An important cover destined for a serious collection, F-VF (Unitrade 36i, 38, F2) **Est. 2,500.00+**

Provenance: Horace Harrison, Robert Lee Auctions, October 2003, Lot 496

A UNIQUE REGISTERED NON-UPU LETTER RATE TO AUSTRALIA AND ALSO THE ONLY RECORDED FIVE CENT REGISTERED LETTER STAMP MULTIPLE USED TO A NON-MEMBER OF THE UPU.



- 418 ☒ **Australia - Victoria Colony** 1879 (December 24) Envelope mailed from Hamilton to Ballarat, Victoria (Australia) franked with 3c orange strip of three and two singles, Montreal printing perf 12, tear at top of right-hand stamp, tied by Hamilton split ring dispatch duplex grid cancels, Windsor DE 25, San Francisco DEC 31, Melbourne FE 18, Ballarat FE 18 backstamps, boxed UNCLAIMED AT BALLAARAT, then sent to Dead Letter Office, with US DLO OCT 29 80 and DLO Canada NO 23 80 on reverse; minor edge wrinkling, a very scarce and correctly paid 15 cent non-UPU letter rate, F-VF (Unitrade 37) ex. *Bill Simpson (Part II, May 1996, Lot 146)* **Est. 2,000.00+**



- 419 ☒ **Australia - Victoria** 1884 (January 4) Credit Valley Railway stationery envelope bearing 5c olive green and 10c rose lilac, Montreal printings perf 12, latter with trivial flaws due to placement near edge of envelope; tied by light Ingersoll duplex cancel, endorsed "via San Francisco", showing superb double ring Credit Valley Railway / Ingersoll / JAN 9 1884 RPO cancellation in blue (similar to Gray Type DC1R), plus two different San Francisco postmarks JAN 16 arrival & JAN 21 departure, clear Ballarat FE 16 84 arrival backstamps. Some overall light wear and couple light folds cover, a desirable and properly paid 15 cent non-UPU letter rate to the Colony of Victoria, Fine (Unitrade 38, 40) ex. *John Ayre (February 1982; Lot 859)* **Est. 2,000.00+**



- 420 ☒ **Austria** 1883 (November 17) All-over William Evans Seedman Montreal advertising envelope bearing a 10c deep magenta, Montreal printing perf 12 tied by Montreal NO 17 duplex cancel, sent to Vienna, Austria; couple small opening tears at left and light central vertical cover fold, clear Wien 2 / 12 83 receiver CDS, and an attractive Ten cent Small Queen single-usage paying a rare 10c double UPU letter rate to Austria, F-VF (Unitrade 40a) **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 421 ☒ **Austria** 1895 (June 17) Uprated 3c red postal envelope ½c pair plus 1c, 2c and 8c blue grey singles, all nicely tied by Quebec dispatch CDS postmarks, sent registered to Vienna via London 7 27 95, clear Wien 29.6.95 arrival backstamp. Stamps with perf staining. Pays the double UPU letter rate + 5c registration fee and a scarce usage of the Eight cent denomination to a foreign destination, Fine (Unitrade 34, 35, 36i, 44b, U6) **Est. 500.00+**



- 422 ☒ **Austrian Empire** 1886 (January 9) Halifax Rifles badge and crown embossed flap envelope mailed from Captain Hechler, Halifax to the Austrian Empire, bearing a sound and well centered 10c magenta, Montreal printing perf 12 together with a 5c green RLS (the 5c faulty at top from placement near edge of cover), tied by neat fancy cancels, Halifax JA 9 86 dispatch CDS below, via London 18 JA 86, with Breclava (20 / 1) and Nikolsburg (21 / 1) arrival backstamps (now **Czech Republic**). A wonderful and visually appealing double-weight UPU letter rate plus registration fee, F-VF (Unitrade 40a, F2) **Est. 3,000.00+**

Provenance: Charles deVolpi, Sissons, Sale 242, January 26, 1966, Lot 56
 Vincent Greene, Sissons, Sale 348, February 12, 1975, Lot 534
 John Ayre, February 1982, Lot 954

OF THE NINE COVERS REPORTED TO AUSTRIA BEARING THE 5 CENT REGISTERED LETTER STAMP, ONLY TWO OF WHICH BEAR A TEN CENT SMALL QUEEN FRANKING, THIS BEING THE EARLIER.



- 423 ☒ **Austrian Empire** 1888 (October 24) Hechler yellow envelope mailed registered to Nikolsburg, Austrian Empire (now **Czech Republic**), bearing a lovely and impressive four-colour franking consisting of Montreal printings perf 12 - 1c yellow, 3c vermillion, 6c yellow brown and 5c green RLS tied by oval R handstamps, Halifax dispatch CDS at right; light strike of London oval registered transit in red and Nikolsburg 7 / 11 88 arrival backstamp. A beautiful and colourful registered cover to Austria, very scarce and VF (Unitrade 35i, 37, 39, F2), ex. *Carnegie (1981; Lot 151)* **Est. 1,500.00+**




- 424 ☒ **Belgium** 1878 (October 22) 3c red postal envelope uprated with 1c dull yellow pair, Montreal printing perf 12, along with 5c green RLS, tied by two-ring "3", straightline REGISTERED handstamp in red additionally ties 5c RLS, split ring dispatch at left and red octagonal "NORDS" (the earliest usage of this UPU Registered Canada 26 OC 78 datestamp), sent via London with 5 NO 78 transit, Bruxelles 6 NOVE backstamp; a few small opening tears at top not affecting adhesives and minor cover ageing mostly at left, an important registered cover - THIS EARLIEST KNOWN USAGE OF THE FIVE CENT REGISTERED LETTER STAMP ON A UPU COVER MAILED ABROAD TO OTHER THAN THE U.K., F-VF (Unitrade 35i, F2, U4) **Est. 1,500.00+**

A total of 124 covers for the UPU period 1878-1893 bearing the 5c RLS stamp have been reported in the exhaustive Harrison, Arfken & Lussey "Canada's Registered Mail" book on pages 315-318 (Table 39) all addressed abroad (not counting the U.S. and U.K.). Of these this cover is the ONLY COVER DATED IN THE YEAR 1878; predating the previous ERD (February 17, 1879 to Germany) by well over 3 months! A significant cover destined for an important postal history exhibit.




- 425 ☒ **Belgium** 1895 (April 30) Larger envelope with two intact red wax seals on reverse, mailed from Montreal to Belgium via London, bearing an attractive four-colour franking - 1c yellow, 3c vermilion, 6c red brown strip of three and 8c blue grey, latter faulty top left corner, with large oval "R" cancels neatly tying stamps, Montreal precursor dispatch, London oval registered 9 MY 95 transit and Belgique registration label affixed at foot, Liege 9 MAI and Visé 10 MAI arrival backstamps. Minor foxing and edge wrinkles, an impressive and rarely seen quintuple UPU letter rate + 5 cent registration, F-VF (Unitrade 35, 41, 43, 44a) **Est. 1,250.00+**



- 426  **Bermuda** 1875 (May 11) Clean cover from Halifax to Bermuda franked with two pairs of 3c orange red, Montreal printing perf 11½, well centered and tied by Halifax duplex cancels, endorsed "Via New York" with clear New York MAY 20 circular postmark on front, puzzling as the rate via US was 10c per half ounce, overpaid by 2c presumably to cover a Cunard Line 2c surtax (which was not required on this sea route); red "7" denoting 7c US claim and blue "2" as 2p claim by Bermuda. Only two pre-UPU covers have been reported to Bermuda; this being the finer of the two, a great showpiece, VF (Unitrade 37iii) ex. *George Arfken (May 1997, Lot 1025)* **Est. 2,000.00+**



- 427  **Bermuda** 1893 (December 7) Cover mailed from North Sydney, NS to Somerset, Bermuda, franked with 3c vermilion and pair of 1c yellow, Ottawa printing, perf 12, tied by clear dispatch CDS postmarks, partial Hamilton (DE 21) receiver backstamp; scarce, VF (Unitrade 35, 41) **Est. 250.00+**



- 428 ☒ **Bosnia-Herzegovina** 1892 (April 29) Department of Attorney General / Ontario cover mailed from Toronto to Sarajevo, Bosnia-Herzegovina (then a province of the Ottoman Empire), minor wrinkles, franked with 1c yellow and 3c vermillion strip of three, Ottawa printings perf 12, tied by clear double circle Toronto dispatch CDS, Sarajevo 15 / 5 92 receiver, then forwarded to Budapest, Hungary with Hungarian instructional marking on front and backstamped, finally sent back to Canada entering the Dead Letter Office June 6 1892. A very rare 10 cent non-UPU cover ideal for an advanced exhibit, VF (Unitrade 35, 41) **Est. 1,000.00+**

Bosnia-Herzegovina joined the UPU on July 1, 1892.



- 429 ☒ **Brazil** 1877 (January 12) Envelope mailed from Halifax to the British Consul in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, franked with two strips of three of 3c dull orange red, Montreal printing perf 12, internal tear on third stamp and opening tear at top touching fourth stamp, otherwise sound and tied by Halifax JA 12 77 CDS postmarks, instructional marking "Returned For Postage", St. Thomas JA 31 77 CDS transit on back, and sent to Dead Letter Office Canada with Halifax FE 10 split ring and DLO FE 17 backstamps. A rare pre-UPU cover to Brazil, F-VF (Unitrade 37) **Est. 2,000.00+**

This cover is an oddity, dispatched January 12, 1877 just shortly after the US packet mail service ended in 1876. Letters to Brazil were previously rated 18c per half ounce but beginning in October 1876 mail for Brazil, Buenos Aires, Paraguay and Uruguay had to go travel the "circuitous" route via the United Kingdom, and at a higher rate, 24c in this case. This cover appears to have been sent on the monthly British Packet out of Halifax to St. Thomas in the Caribbean, in the futile hope of being forwarded to its final destination.



- 430 ☒ **Brazil 1886 (August 11) Henry Hechler 3c red postal stationery envelope**, slightly reduced at left and opened on three sides for better display of rates and markings, mailed registered from Halifax to Campinas, Brazil and uprated with 1c yellow and 3c orange red pair, Montreal printings perf 12, and 5c green RLS on reverse, cancelled or tied by circular mute cancels, Halifax dispatch at lower left, US registration label affixed at top left; Boston AUG 13, clear Rio de Janeiro 14 SET and Campinas 17 SET backstamps. Rare and appealing, in fact the only known Registered Letter Stamp cover to Brazil as stated in Harrison, Arfken and Lussey, a great showpiece, VF (Unitrade 35i, 37, F2, U4)
ex. Harry Lussey (May 1999, Lot 590) **Est. 1,500.00+**



- 431 ☒ **Brazil 3c Red postal envelope uprated with 2c green Ottawa printing**, mailed from Yarmouth, NS and tied by squared circle MY 2 96 to Liverpool, England, via St. John, NB (MY 14), forwarded to Cardiff, then to British Consul Bahia, Brazil with partial double ring Brazilian receiver, back to London on FE 18 98 and to Liverpool - three trans-Atlantic voyages over nearly two years; envelope opened on three sides for better display, a most attractive and well-travelled cover, VF (Unitrade 36i, U6) **Est. 750.00+**



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- 432 ☒ **British Guiana** 1897 (April 13) 2c green postal envelope uprated with 1c yellow and 2c green, Ottawa printings perf 12, tied by clear Vancouver CDS dispatch, to British Guiana with partial Georgetown receiver backstamp; top backflap missing and couple file cover folds; a very scarce UPU destination, Fine (Unitrade 35, 36i, U7) ex. *George Arfken (May 1997, Lot 1039)* **Est. 250.00+**
- 433 ☒ **British Honduras** 1895 (July 19) 3c Red postal envelope uprated 2c green, Ottawa printing perf 12, mailed from Winnipeg to Belize, tied by clear squared circle dispatch; Montreal, New York, New Orleans, and Belize backstamps, instructional marking UNCLAIMED and label "Parti. / Gone away" affixed on front, entering DLO Canada NO 4 95 with appropriate backstamp; envelope opened on three sides, desirable and a very elusive destination of which very few can exist, VF (Unitrade 36i, U6) ex. *George Arfken (May 1997, Lot 1040)* **Est. 500.00+**

Illustrated in Arfken "Canada's Small Queen Era" book on page 292 (Figure 16).

- 434 ☒ **Cambodia (Indo-China)** 1897 (June 11) One cent black postal card (with rosette under numerals) uprated 1c yellow Ottawa printing tied by Niagara Falls CDS dispatch, shows view of the falls on reverse, addressed to Phnom Penh; Hamilton JU 11 and small London JU 23 97 CDS in red on front, double ring Saigon Central Cochin Chine 23 JUIL 97 transits on back, couple card creases and faint ageing, a remarkable destination - the first one we have seen in the Small Queen era, F-VF (Unitrade 35, UX14) **Est. 500.00+**



- 435 ☒ **Cape of Good Hope** 1894 (June 14) Envelope mailed from Calgary to Cape Town bearing a 3c vermilion and two 1c yellow, Ottawa printings, short corner on right stamp, tied by Calgary, Alta squared circles; London JU 28 and Cape Town JY 20 receivers, redirected first to Buluwayo, Rhodesia with AU 4 arrival, and subsequently to Salisbury NO 10 backstamp, marked Unclaimed and "T2" due marking, sent back to Canada via Cape Town 29 JA, where it entered Dead Letter Office MR 14 95. Paid 5c non-UPU letter rate to the Cape Colony. A wonderful showpiece, F-VF (Unitrade 35, 41) ex. *George Arfken* (May 1997, Lot 1218) **Est. 1,000.00+**

Interestingly, this letter was sent to Cape of Good Hope a few months before it joined the UPU (January 1, 1895). However, after it had travelled to Rhodesia and been forwarded back to Cape Town in January 1895, the Cape of Good Hope had entered the UPU four weeks earlier.



- 436 ☒ **Cape of Good Hope** 1894 (July 13) Remington Typewriter illustrated cover franked with 1c yellow pair and 3c bright vermilion single tied by light Montreal duplex datestamp and addressed to Port Elizabeth, Cape of Good Hope; a rare destination, VF (Unitrade 35, 41) ex. *Ted Nixon* (2012) **Est. 500.00+**

A 5 cent rate was granted in January 1892 by Canada, although the Cape of Good Hope did not join the Universal Postal Union until January 1, 1895.



- 437 ☒ **Chile** 1896 (April 6) Clean envelope bearing 5c grey, Ottawa printing perf 12, well centered with large margins, tied by Ottawa Flag cancellation and addressed to Tocopilla, Chile, endorsed "Via Panama", light New York APR 8, Antofagasta 13 MAY and Tocopilla 16 MAY backstamps; a very scarce UPU letter rate to Chile, VF (Unitrade 42) **Est. 750.00+**



- 438 ☒ **China** 1877 (December 4) Small envelope from Hamilton to Shanghai, China, endorsed "via San Francisco" and bearing an exceptionally rare 8c franking consisting of Montreal printing 3c dull orange red perf 12 and 5c greenish olive perf 11½x12, both clearly tied by Hamilton split ring duplex cancels; Detroit / Paid All DEC 12 circular cancel in red at upper left, Shanghai Lost Post JA 16 78 CDS in blue, small Shanghai JA 17 CDS on back, boxed Advertised / Unclaimed handstamp in red on front, sent to Hong Kong with JA 10 78 and US DLO backstamp; red crayon "5" for 5c US credit claim. An extraordinary Eight cent pre-UPU letter rate to China via the United States that was in effect between October 1875 and September 30, 1878, Very Fine (Unitrade 37, 38a) **Est. 5,000.00+**

Provenance: John Siverts (May 1989; Lot 1081)

George Arfken, Firby Auctions, May 1997, Lot 1043

A WONDERFUL SHOWPIECE COVER MAILED TO CHINA - VERY RARE EIGHT CENT RATE OF WHICH ONLY A HANDFUL CAN EXIST.



- 439 ☒ **China** 1888 (April 10) Fabulous registered cover addressed to Nanking, Chinese Empire, franked with lightly cancelled 10c magenta, Montreal printing perf 12 and 5c green RLS, mailed from Niagara Falls South AP 10 with dispatch CDS along with eleven transit and arrival backstamps including San Francisco and double oval Consulate of United States Chinkiang / 21 MAY 88, sent back to Canada with boxed DLO that further ties the 10c stamp. Couple small cover tears, an impressive item that is regarded as THE ONLY REGISTERED TEN CENT COVER TO CHINA, VF (Unitrade 40a, F2)

Est. 5,000.00+

Literature: Illustrated in Capex '96 Gems of Canadian Philately book on page 65 and exhibited in the Court of Honour display.


Illustrated and discussed in Arfken "Canada's Small Queen Era" book on pages 385-386 (Figure 25)

Provenance: Jephcott (private sale)


Bill Simpson, Part I, March 1996, Lot 366

S. J. Menich Collection, Firby Auctions, June 2000, Lot 105



- 440**  **China** 1891 (March 22) One cent slate blue postal card (scroll work around numerals) to Shanghai, uprated with large margined and well centered ½ black vertical pair with intense colour, Ottawa printing, just tied at lower right by Bleeker St. / Toronto MR 22 circular Street datestamp and double oval cancel from Toronto, San Francisco MAR 28 1891 transit at left and bearing a superb double oval U.S. Postal Agency / Shanghai / 28 APR 91 datestamp in purple; minor foxing to card. An impressive Half cent Small Queen postal history item mailed to the Far East, ideal for an advanced exhibit, F-VF (Unitrade 34, UX7) **Est. 500.00+**



- 441**  **China** 1892 (November 1) Mourning cover mailed from Headingly, Manitoba to Shanghai bearing 5c brownish grey, Ottawa printing perf 12, tied by indistinct cancel, light split ring dispatch at left, Vancouver NO 5 CDS on back and choice Vancouver NO 13 92 CDS on front, arriving DE 2 with Shanghai CDS on back; top backflap missing and small edge fault at top, a scarce and desirable UPU destination cover. F-VF (Unitrade 42) **Est. 750.00+**



- 442 ☒ **Cook Islands** 1897 (January 20) 2c green postal envelope uprated with strip of six of 1/2c black Ottawa printing, tied by Montreal dispatch CDS postmarks, Vancouver JA 30, San Francisco FEB 2, Auckland NZ 26 FE transit backstamps, Raratonga, Cook Islands double ring 24 MR 97 arrival postmark on front. A desirable and very rare Small Queen destination cover, VF (Unitrade 34, U7)

Est. 1,000.00+



- 443 ☒ **Cuba** 1882 (December 26) Envelope endorsed "via New York" mailed from West Arichat, NS to Sagua La Grande, Cuba franked with Montreal printing perf 12, 1c yellow and two 2c green, right stamp with perf faults, cancelled by remarkably clear and scarce intaglio EM fancy cancels in black (Lacelle 399), Arichat DE 26, St. John DE 28 and double ring Sagua La Grande arrival backstamps; light even ageing to cover, a scarce and appealing fancy cancelled franking to an unusual destination, Fine (Unitrade 35i, 36), ex. Stanley Cohen (October 1986, Lot 484)

Est. 750.00+



- 444 ☒ **Danish West Indies** 1873 (August 9) Prices Current folded circular mailed from Halifax to St. Thomas, Danish West Indies, correctly franked with single 2c green, First Ottawa perf 12, faulty at foot, tied by small Halifax CDS duplex grid cancellation, clear St. Thomas AU 20 73 CDS receiver on reverse; some toning and horizontal file fold. An exceedingly rare 2c pre-UPU printed matter circular rate to the West Indies and likely UNIQUE as such, Fine (Unitrade 36 unlisted printing) **Est. 1,500.00+**

Quoting Arfken's comments: "Pre-UPU newspaper wrappers, circulars and other similar mail matter to these countries are almost unknown. One, possibly the only surviving circular... from Saint John NB in October 1876 to Habana (Havana, Cuba), this was an offer to sell Canadian lumber."



- 445 ☒ **Danish West Indies** 1877 (June 18) Envelope franked with strip of three and single 3c orange red, plus 1c orange yellow, all Montreal printings perf 11½ X 12 tied by mostly clear ringless Intercol R.R. Amherst & Halifax / East RPO postmarks, additional strike at right; cover with some skilful restoration, pays a 12 cent pre-UPU letter rate by British packet to St. Thomas, Danish West Indies (overpaid 1c, the sender possibly thinking of an earlier 13c rate via the U.S.), Halifax JU 18 transit and St. Thomas JY 17 77 arrival CDS on reverse. An impressive RPO cancelled cover of exhibition caliber mailed pre-UPU to the West Indies, VF (Unitrade 35i, 37iii) ex. *George Arfken (May 1997, Lot 1057), S.J. Menich (June 2000, Lot 108)* **Est. 3,000.00+**



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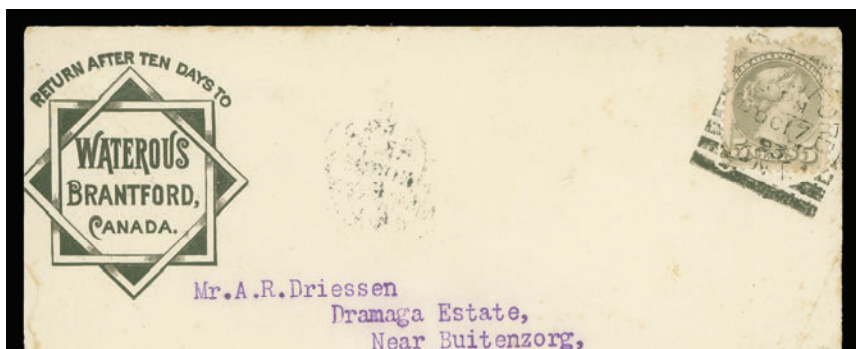
- 446 ☒ **Danish West Indies** 1895 (February 19) Sun Life Assurance cover front from Montreal to St. Croix, DWI, franked with 2c green and 3c vermilion tied by Montreal CDS postmarks; despite being a front this is an eye-appealing item to a scarce destination, VF (Unitrade 36i, 41) **Est. 250.00+**
- 447 ☒ **Denmark** 1893 (March 20) Registered cover from Toronto to Denmark, franked with 5c grey, Ottawa printing along with 5c green RLS, tied by cork cancels, Toronto split ring dispatch at lower left, London MR 29 93 transit in red and receiver backstamp; small portion of backflap missing and couple pressed creases to cover well away from stamps; a nice UPU registered cover to Denmark, VF (Unitrade 42, F2) ex. Harry Lussey (May 1999, Lot 584) **Est. 750.00+**
- 448 ☒ **Denmark** 1893 (December 4) Beautiful and clean envelope mailed registered from Toronto to Skive, Denmark, franked with single 10c in a lovely dark rich shade of rose carmine and clearly tied by York Street / Toronto Ont dispatch CDS postmark, Toronto split ring DE 4 on back, plus "R" registry handstamp at lower left, oval registered datestamps of Liverpool 13 DE and London 14 DE on front, Skive CDS receiver on reverse. A gorgeous single-franking UPU letter rate plus registration fee, very few to Denmark are known and this one is especially desirable bearing a Street cancel, VF (Unitrade 45a shade) **Est. 600.00+**



- 449 ☒ **Dutch Indies (Incoming from) 1882 (August 1)** A fabulous registered cover, opened on three sides and showing five red wax seals on reverse, mailed from Makassar, Dutch Indies bearing 5c blue, 30c green and 50c carmine (Scott 14, 15, 22) cancelled by dotted numeral, sent to Ottawa via Singapore 15 / 8 and London 12 SP 82; Ottawa SP 24 arrival backstamp; then reposted to Toronto with 3c vermilion strip of four and 2c green, Ottawa printings, tied by oval R handstamps and boxed Registered Ottawa SP 24 92, next-day receiver on back. An exceptional well-travelled cover with much eye-appeal, VF (Unitrade 36i, 41) **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 450 ☒ **Dutch Indies (Java) 1892 (January 1)** One cent + One cent slate green postal card with attached reply card, uprated with 1c yellow, Ottawa printing perf 12, tied by neat Kingston, Ontario dispatch duplex cancels, addressed to Batavia, Dutch East Indies with double ring 12 / 2 / 1892 receiver postmarks; on reply side card has Neth. Indies 2½c orange franking with Dutch 1 / 4 1892 postmarks and additionally tied by clear N.I. Agent Singapore 4 / 4 1892 CDS and boxed NED INDIE VIA BRINDISI handstamp. An attractive and seldom seen intact postal card with reply side postally used, VF (Unitrade 35, UY8) **Est. 350.00+**



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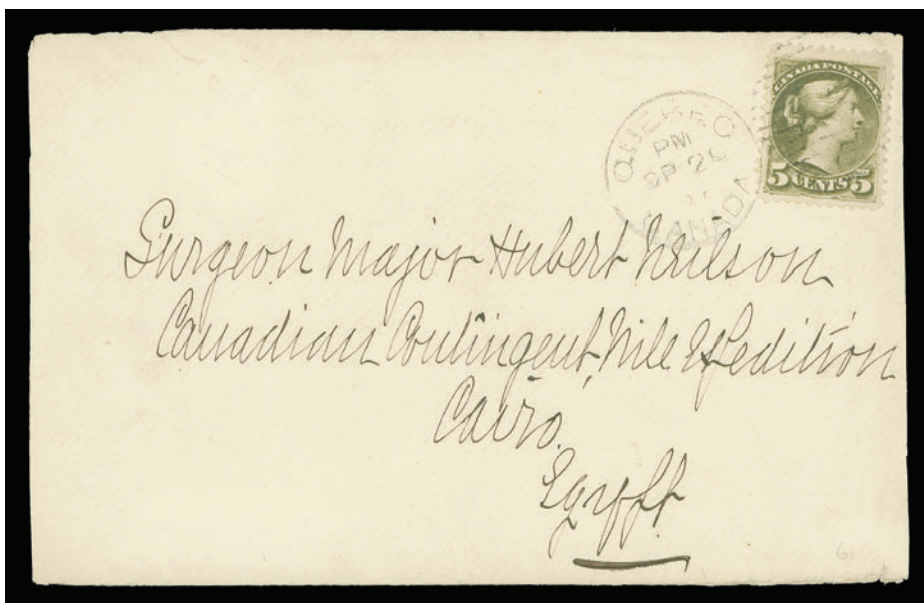


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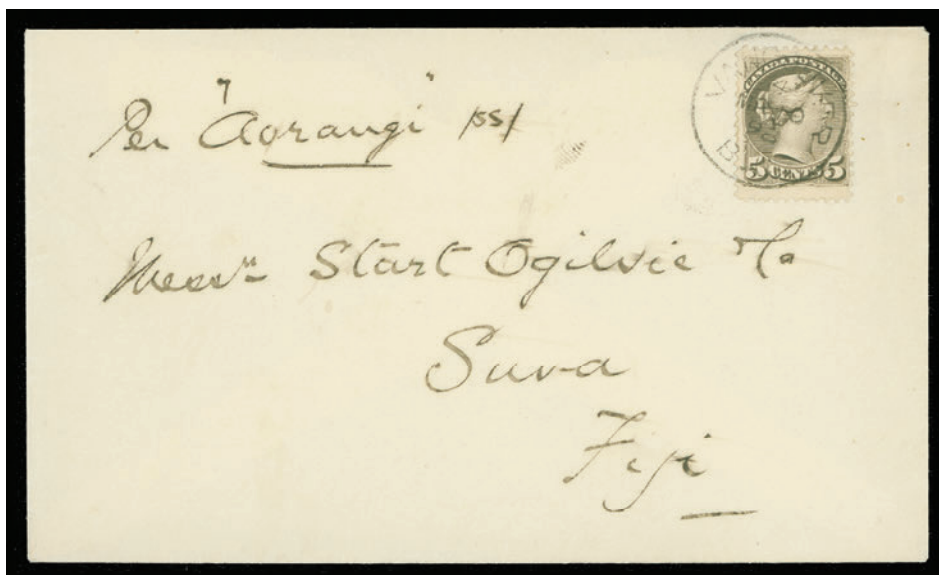
- 451 ☒ **Dutch Indies (Java)** 1893 (October 17) Waterous Brantford Star of David advertising cover, small faults in two places and light foxing, mailed to Buitenzorg, Island of Java, Dutch East Indies, franked with 5c grey, Ottawa printing perf 12, tied by Brantford squared circle, paying UPU letter rate, via Hamilton, London and Batavia with backstamps including partial receiver; an unusual destination, F-VF (Unitrade 42) ex. *George Arfken (May 1997, Lot 1059)* **Est. 400.00+**
- 452 ☒ **Dutch Indies (Java)** 1897 (July 5) 1c Jubilee postal card uprated with 1c yellow, Ottawa printing perf 12, tied by clear Owen Sound, Ont. CDS postmark, another strike below, addressed to Batavia (Jakarta), Java with clear 10 / 8 1897 double ring receiver on back. A very early usage of this particular card to a very scarce destination, VF (Unitrade 35, UX16) **Est. 250.00+**
- 453 ☒ **Dutch Indies (Sumatra)** 1895 (March 11) One cent black postal card, rosette under numerals, uprated 1c yellow, Ottawa printing, tied by Quebec CDS duplex dispatch and sent to Kota Radja (Banda Aceh), via Penang with 12 / 4 transit and Kota Radja 15 / 4 squared circle arrival on front; usual climate staining for this tropical destination, Fine and rare (Unitrade 35, UX14) **Est. 300.00+**



- 454 ☒ **Egypt** 1874 (October 7) Clean envelope mailed from Madoc, Ont. to Cairo, Egypt, slightly reduced at left, franked with a 2c deep green plus a pair and single 6c dark yellow brown, Montreal printings perf 11½x12, tied by segmented cork cancels, Madoc split ring dispatch at left, light Belleville OC 7 and Kingston OC 8 transit backstamps, London 20 OC 74 transit ties 6c stamps at right, Alexandria receiver backstamp. A remarkably rare and most appealing pre-UPU cover to Egypt, VF (Unitrade 36e, 39b) **Est. 3,500.00+**



- 455 ☒ **Egypt Nile Expeditionary Forces** 1884 (September 20) A remarkable cover mailed from Quebec, addressed to Surgeon Major Nielson of the Canadian Contingent of Voyageurs stationed in Cairo, franked with a well centered 5c dark olive green, Montreal printing perf 12 tied by light Quebec CDS duplex dispatch; cover opened on three sides and small tear at top left, light central fold mentioned for the record. Only about a dozen such covers exist, all being addressed to Neilson, the Canadian Contingent was attempting to deliver British troops into Khartoum, Sudan in time to raise the siege and rescue General "Chinese" Gordon; rare and desirable, Very Fine (Unitrade 38i) ex. Bill Simpson (Part II, May 1996, Lot 660) **Est. 2,500.00+**



- 456 ☒ **Fiji** 1898 (March 10) Envelope mailed from Vancouver, BC to Suva, Fiji, bearing a 5c grey, Ottawa printing, perf 12 nicely tied by dispatch CDS postmark, endorsed "Per Aorangi", two partial Suva receiver backstamps. A particularly rare destination cover, especially franked solely with Small Queen issue, VF (Unitrade 42) ex. *George Arfken (May 1997, Lot 1061)* **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 457 ☒ **Finland** 1899 (June 27) Flimsy envelope mailed from Hamilton to Finland, showing late usage of a 5c grey, Ottawa printing, perf 12, creased, tied by clear Hamilton Flag "B" cancellation, Oulu receiver backstamp; a very scarce destination, F-VF (Unitrade 42) **Est. 350.00+**



- 458** ☒ **France** 1874 (September 29) Small clean envelope bearing three colours of postmarks and franked with two 6 cent yellow brown in two distinctive shades, both Montreal printings perf 11½x12 neatly, nicely tied by a two-ring '10' cancellation in blue with same-ink Sydney, NS split ring at left, sent to France via New York; Halifax OC 1 backstamp, London circular Paid 17 OCT 74 in red and Calais 17 OCT on front, Brest arrival backstamp. Pays a very scarce 10c for the first quarter ounce pre-UPU letter rate, plus an additional 2c Cunard Line surtax. A very scarce cover to France in choice condition, VF; Illustrated and discussed in Arfken "Canada's Small Queen Era" book on pages 302-304, Figure 5; (Unitrade 39b + shade) ex. Bill Simpson (Part I, March 1996, Lot 252), S.J. Menich (June 2000, Lot 155) **Est. 2,500.00+**



- 459** ☒ **France** 1876 (March 31) A phenomenal cover to France bearing two single 10c of the dull rose lilac shade, Montreal printings perf 11½x12, placed side-by-side and completely sound, tied by Montreal split ring duplex grid datestamps, addressed to Paris with London Paid 12 AP 76 circular transit in red additionally tying the left-hand stamp, Calais 13 Avril 76 French postmark at left and Paris receiver on back; paying the correct double weight pre-UPU letter rate for the newly adopted 10 cent per half ounce, effective as of January 1876. A delightful cover and certainly one of the finest and most attractive Small Queen pre-UPU covers to France, Extremely Fine (Unitrade 40c) **Est. 7,500.00+**

Provenance: Charles deVolpi, Sissons, Sale 250, June 15, 1966, Lot 364
S.J. Menich, Firby Auctions, June 22, 2000, Lot 160

We are aware of only one other similarly franked cover to France (dated November 29, 1876 from Rimouski) mailed during the 10c per half ounce rate period (January 1876 to September 30, 1878). THE COVER OFFERED HERE IS BY FAR THE FINER.

A SUPERB PRE-UPU COVER IDEAL FOR AN ADVANCED SMALL QUEEN POSTAL HISTORY EXHIBIT COLLECTION.



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- 460 ☒ **France** 1877 (April 2) Envelope mailed from St. Jerome, Quebec to Gueret, France and redirected to Avignon, franked with two pairs of the 3c dull red, Montreal printing, perf 11½x12 and tied by light concentric rings, light split ring dispatch, bold "TOO-LATE" instructional marking at foot; portion of backflap missing and couple edge faults, vertical fold clear of stamps. Various transit backstamps and circular London Paid datestamp on front tying right pair. (Unitrade 37ii) ex. Ted Nixon (2012)

Est. 750.00

Paid a rare pre-UPU 10 cent rate per quarter ounce plus the Cunard 2c surtax for service via New York.

- 461 ☒ **France** 1886 Newspaper wrapper franked with pair of ½c black, Montreal printing, perf 12 tied by cork cancellations, mailed to France with clear Narbonne 1886 receiver; paying the UPU transient newspaper rate of 1c per two ounces, quite rare and nicer than most of the few that still exist, VF (Unitrade 34) ex. Ted Nixon (2012)

Est. 350.00+



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- 462 ☒ **France** 1889 (April 6) Clean envelope neatly postmarked Senate "Crown" Canada in magenta, same-ink REGISTERED straightline alongside and countersigned, Canadian post office bold oval R handstamp and boxed Registered Ottawa Free datestamp in black, addressed to France but as the free franking privilege did not extend to mail outside Canada necessary postage was affixed - 5c brownish grey, early Ottawa printing and 5c pale yellow green RLS cancelled by segmented grid cancels, sent via Liverpool 17 AP, London 18 AP and arriving in Paris 18 AVRIL postmarks on front. A superb cover and without question one of the most beautiful and choice Senate covers in existence bearing appropriate postage to mailing outside Canada, Extremely Fine (Unitrade 42, F2) *ex. Bill Simpson (Part II, May 1996, Lot 308)* **Est. 1,500.00+**
- 463 ☒ **France** 1890 (July 24) Registered cover mailed from Public Works with hexagonal handstamp in blue, boxed Registered Ottawa JY 24 90 datestamp and countersigned at lower left addressed to France, with postage as required for mailing outside Canada - a single 6c cold brown Ottawa printing and two single 2c RLS cancelled / tied by oval R handstamps, Dublin transit on back and Paris 5 AOUT 90 arrival; cover repaired at left and vertical fold touching RLS, a very scarce and most unusual franking, Fine (Unitrade 43i, F1) *(Illustrated on Page 122)* **Est. 600.00+**

On January 1890, the Official postal guide stated the 5c registration fee should be prepaid with a RLS, though ordinary postage stamps were sometimes being accepted as payment.

- 464 ☒ **France** 1891 (January 12) A beautiful registered, fancy cancelled cover mailed from Belleville to Paris, France, bearing two single 5c grey and a 10c dull rose, Ottawa printings perf 12, all tied by unusual "J" within circle cancels (Lacelle 512), oval "R" handstamp and Belleville dispatch CDS at left, sent via London 23 JA 91, Paris receiver backstamp. An attractive triple rate registered UPU letter to France, a great showpiece for an advanced fancy cancel collection, VF (Unitrade 42, 45a) *ex. Bill Simpson (Part III, October 1996, Lot 1627)* **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 465 ☒ **France** 1891 (September 1) Envelope mailed from the House of Commons, Ottawa to France, portion of back missing from removal of wax seal, which was then placed on front, sent by a member of Parliament and initially free-franked with a House of Commons datestamp, as the privilege did not extend to mail to France or other foreign countries a 10c rose carmine, Ottawa printing, perf 12 was affixed, tied by Ottawa duplex datestamp, Dieulefit, Drome 18 SEPT receiver backstamp, attractive, VF (Unitrade 45a) ex. *Don Bowen (November 1994, Lot 427), Ted Nixon (2012)* **Est. 500.00+**



- 466 ☒ **France** 1893 (May 13) Clean envelope mailed from Montreal to France bearing a single 5c grey Ottawa printing and a large margined 5c yellowish green RLS cancelled by light ovals, Montreal dispatch CDS at left, latter stamp tied by Registered London 23 MAY 93 transit in red, three different French backstamps, attractive, VF (Unitrade 42, F2) ex. *Bill Simpson (Part I, March 1996, Lot 367)* **Est. 500.00+**



- 467 **Germany** 1875 (November 15) A remarkable pre-UPU cover to the German Empire, correctly franked with strip of four and pair of 3c orange red and pair of 1c orange yellow, Montreal printings perf $11\frac{1}{2} \times 12$, tied by segmented cork cancels, small corner crease on left 3c stamp, otherwise stamps are sound and fresh, mailed from Ellershausen (now Ellershouse) NS with split ring dispatch on reverse, mailed to Baden Baden, Germany with clear London Paid 25 NO 75 transit on front and receiver on back. VF (Unitrade 35d, 37iii) **Est. 3,500.00+**

Provenance: Charles deVolpi, January 1966, Lot 51

George Arfken, May 1997, Lot 1104

S.J. Menich, June 2000, Lot 172

AN EXCEPTIONAL MULTIPLE BICOLOUR FRANKED COVER IN EXHIBITION QUALITY, PAYING A RARE AND DESIRABLE DOUBLE PRE-UPU LETTER RATE TO THE GERMAN EMPIRE.



- 468 **Germany** 1883 (May 11) Beautiful cover mailed from Eden, Ont. to Niesky, Prussia, franked with vertical pair of 5c bronze green, Montreal printing perf 12 along with a 5c green RLS cancelled by segmented corks, latter further tied by octagonal Registered / Canada 14 MY 83 datestamp, Hamilton oval MAY 14 on reverse, light Eden split ring dispatch at left with straightline REGISTERED and oval R handstamp (very early usage of this), red ship marking "Crown" REGISTERED and London oval 26 MY datestamp, neat Niesky 28 5 / 83 receiver on back. Pays a double UPU letter rate plus 5 cent registration to Germany, being the fourth earliest (among nearly 50) recorded 5 cent RLS covers to Germany. An impressive cover, VF (Unitrade 38, F2) ex. Harry Lussey (May 1999, Lot 569) **Est. 2,000.00+**



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- 469 ☒ **Germany** 1884 (June 24) A & S Nordheimer Music Warehouse / Pianos and Organs Toronto envelope franked with 5c olive green, Montreal printing perf 12 tied by Toronto duplex "1" dispatch, sent to Frankfurt with arrival backstamp, forwarded to Switzerland with Luzern, Ambulant transits and Engelberg 10 VII 84 receiver. A nice redirected cover, VF (Unitrade 38) ex. Bill Simpson (Part I, March 1996, Lot 211) **Est. 350.00+**
- 470 ☒ **Germany** 1888 (June 2) J. McLauchlan & Son Biscuit Manufacturers envelope from Owen Sound, Ontario to Hamburg, bearing a pair of 5c olive grey late Montreal printing perf 12 and a 5c bluish green RLS tied by oval R handstamps, Owen Sound CDS dispatch at left; London oval registered 14 JU 88 on front, Hamburg receiver on back; paying a double UPU letter rate plus 5c registration, VF (Unitrade 38, F2) **Est. 600.00+**
- 471 ☒ **Germany** 1892 (December 30) Pre-printed addressed blue envelope to Hamburg mailed registered from Kingston, bearing 2c green, 3c vermilion and 5c green RLS nicely tied by dispatch CDS postmarks, additional CDS at left and on reverse; London 13 JAN transit in red and Hamburg 14 / 1 93 receiver on back; central vertical fold away from stamps, an attractive registered franking, F-VF (Unitrade 36i, 41, F2) **Est. 300.00+**
- 472 ☒ **Germany** 1893 (November 17) 1c Blue envelope uprated with 1/2c strip of four, 2c green, 5c grey, Ottawa printings perf 12, plus 5c green RLS tied by rather smudgy oval R cancels, Montreal dispatch CDS at left, addressed to Solingen, Germany with clear 27.11.93 receiver on back, minor ageing and small sealed tear, an unusual franking paying double UPU letter rate plus 5 cent registration, Fine (Unitrade 34, 36i, 42, F2, U5) **Est. 400.00+**



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- 473 ☒ **Germany** 1893 (July 11) Clean envelope endorsed "via New York", mailed registered from Quebec to Munich franked with 5c grey, Ottawa printing perf 12 alongside 5c green RLS, tied by light blue Quebec JY 11 CDS postmarks, Liverpool oval registered 24 JY 93 on front and clear Muenchen 26 JUL receiver on back, attractive and choice, VF (Unitrade 42, F2) **Est. 400.00+**
- 474 ☒ **Germany** 1894 (January 23) Brown pre-addressed envelope from Chatham, NB to Hamburg, Germany, bearing two 2c green and a 6c red brown, tied by dispatch CDS postmarks, oval R handstamp and red London registered transit on front, clear Hamburg 6 / 2 94 receiver on back; minor opening tears at top and couple staple holes, an unusual UPU registered franking to Germany, Fine (Unitrade 36i, 43) **Est. 300.00+**
- 475 ☒ **Greece** 1895 (April 10) One cent blue (Montreal Plate) postal card uprated with pair of 1/2c black tied by Montreal dispatch CDS postmarks, addressed to Patras, Greece with receiver on back. Minor ageing and small corner card crease, Fine (Unitrade 34, UX2) **Est. 200.00+**



- 476 ☒ **Guatemala** 1892 (February 10) Envelope mailed registered from St. John, New Brunswick to Guatemala, Central America, bearing two 5c grey, Ottawa printing perf 12 along with 5c green RLS stamp, tied by light St. John dispatch CDS postmarks, US registration label affixed on front, New Orleans FEB 16 1892 transit and Guatemala 1892 1 MZO double ring receiver in blue on reverse; some degree of ageing, a very rare registered cover to Guatemala, Fine (Unitrade 42, F2) *ex. Harry Lussey (May 1999, Lot 591)* **Est. 1,500.00+**

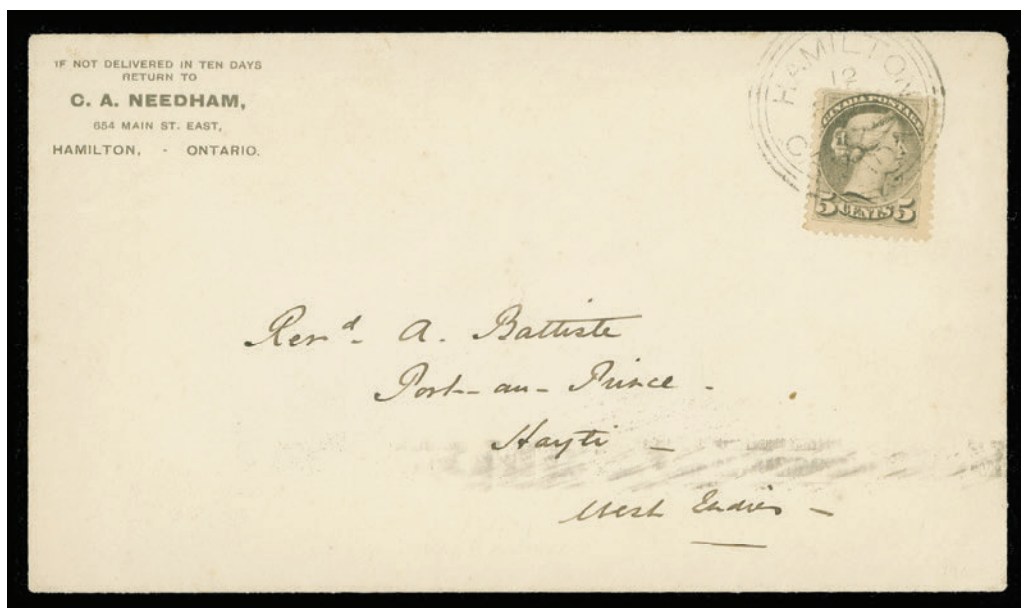
Harrison, Arfken and Lussey state in "Canada's Registered Mail" pages 315-318 (Table 39) that only two 5c RLS stamped covers are known, this being the earliest. The other cover is dated December 9, 1893.



- 477 ☒ **Guatemala** 1893 (November 27) London Guarantee and Accident Co. insurance embossed flap envelope mailed from Toronto to Guatemala, franked with a 5c pale soft grey shade, Ottawa printing, perf 12 tied by clear Toronto squared circle postmark, sent via New York and New Orleans, clear large circular Guatemala DIC 19 receiver in blue on reverse. A very scarce and desirable destination, F-VF (Unitrade 42) **Est. 750.00+**



- 478 ☒ **Guatemala** 1899 (January 5) 2c green envelope uprated with 8c violet black tied by oval R handstamps, St. Roch de Quebec dispatch alongside, addressed to Guatemala. New York and New Orleans registration labels affixed on 8c stamp and at lower left respectively; various backstamps (10 in all) including double oval Guatemala ENE 19 1899 receiver; light central vertical cover fold, a most unusual franking (especially with an 8c) to Central America, VF (Unitrade 44, U7) **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 479 ☒ **Haiti** 1897 (February 15) C.A. Needham business envelope mailed to Haiti, franked with 5c grey Ottawa printing tied by three-ring Hamilton dispatch datestamp, New York FEB 16 machine cancel and Port-au-Prince 27 FEVR 97 receiver backstamps; tear on reverse. A very scarce and exotic Small Queen destination cover, VF (Unitrade 42) **Est. 500.00+**



- 480 ☒ **Hawaii** 1894 (May 17) Cover franked with two strips of three, a pair and two single ½c black, Ottawa printing perf 12, one with perf fault, tied by Spadina Ave Toronto Street CDS postmarks, addressed to Honolulu, Sandwich Islands (Hawaii); Windsor MY 18, San Francisco MAY 23 and Honolulu JUN 5 arrival backstamps; paid 5c UPU letter rate; some tropical staining, a Fine and unusual Small Queen era destination. (Unitrade 34) **Est. 250.00+**

The Hawaiian Islands were annexed by the United States in August 1898, when the rate would be reduced to 3 cent.



- 481 ☒ **Hungary** 1893 (July 31) Pristine envelope bearing 2c green, 3c bright vermilion and 5c green RLS tied by light oval "R" cancel, light Montreal dispatch CDS on front and mailed to Budapest, Hungary, with London oval registered 9 AU 93 cancel in red and clear Budapest receiver backstamp. A choice and very rare registered franking to Hungary that is believed to be the only known, VF+ (Unitrade 36i, 41, F2) **Est. 1,500.00+**



- 482 ☒ **Iceland** 1896 (May 4) Envelope mailed from Winnipeg to Iceland franked with 5c brownish grey, Ottawa printing perf 12, placed at upper left and tied by clear Winnipeg squared circle dispatch; Leith (Scotland) MY 16 96, Reykjavik 5.6.96 and Seyðisfjörður 28 / 5 backstamps; envelope has light soiling and small tear at top right, a tremendously rare Small Queen destination, the only one we have seen, Fine (Unitrade 42) **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 483 ☒ **India** 1871 (November 13) An important pre-UPU cover to India mailed from Montreal to Bombay, franked with a remarkable display of the 3c dark rose with five singles and a pair, also a single 1c red orange, all First Ottawa printings perf 12, neatly affixed on three sides of the envelope and tied by Montreal split ring NO 13 71 dispatch duplex grid cancels, pays the exceedingly rare 22c rate via the U. K., London Paid 27 NO 71 circular transit at lower left, oval Sea Post Office 12 12 71 backstamp. A spectacular cover and without question one of the most impressive Small Queen covers to British India, Very Fine (Unitrade 35ii, 37a) **Est. 6,000.00+**

Provenance: George Arfken, Firby Auctions, May 1997, Lot 1128

Literature: Illustrated in Arfken "Canada's Small Queen Era" book on page 364 (Figure 6).

A major reduction in the sea postage for trans-Atlantic passage began as early as February 1870 according to Duckworth, leading to a significant drop in rates. The rate for letters to India via the U.K. was reduced from 30c to 22c effective February 1870 until October 1876. Only two such rated covers to India have been reported.



- 484 ☒ **Ireland** 1872 (December 14) Mourning cover mailed from Belleville to Dublin, bearing First Ottawa printing 2c green pair and 3c bright rose red strip of four (creased), tied by two-ring numeral cancels and additionally cancelled by corks, light Belleville dispatch at lower left; Kingston DE 16 and Dublin DE 30 arrival backstamps; portion of flap missing and minor stains on reverse; a scarce 16c double Cunard rate to Ireland, Fine (Unitrade 36 unlisted printing, 37a) **Est. 500.00+**



- 485 ☒ **Ireland** 1875 (February 25) Registered cover to Ireland, bearing 6c yellow brown strip of three (left stamp has the rarely seen "Neck Flaw" variety, Plate A; Position 41) and two 1c deep orange yellow, all Montreal printings perf 11½x12, tied by concentric rings, Woodbridge UC double arc dispatch at left, receiver backstamps; pays the double Allan Line rate (12c) plus 8c registration. Right 6c and left 1c faulty; cover with overall soiling, ageing and edge faults. Nevertheless a remarkable usage of this elusive and sought-after plate variety on cover, Fine (Unitrade 35d, 39b, 39iv) ex. "Jura" (June 2007, Lot 2334) **Est. 750.00+**



- 486 ☒ **Italy** 1875 (February 1) Mourning cover mailed to Paris, France, redirected to Nice and finally to Rome, Italy, bearing single 6c yellow brown and pair of 2c dark green, Montreal printings perf 11½x12, tied by clear two-ring '36' cancels of St. Johns C.E., split ring dispatch shown below, paying 10c pre-UPU rate to France, GB / 2F" Anglo-French accountancy marking struck in black and straightline INSUFFICIENTLY PAID, probably weighing over a quarter ounce (10c rate vs. 16c for a quarter to half ounce); London FE 18 transit in red on back, arriving in Paris 19 FEVR, forwarded to Nice 22 FEVR and finally arriving in Rome 24 FEB where postage dues were affixed and postmarked Roma 24 FEB 75. A spectacular pre-UPU shortpaid cover with much eye-appeal, F-VF (Unitrade 36e, 39b) **Est. 2,000.00+**

The 50 centesimi stamp has been lifted from its original location (over the right-hand 2c) and moved for presentation purposes.



- 487 ☒ **Italy** 1876 (December 11) Stunning four-colour 24c franking mailed from Quebec to Modena, Italy, bearing Montreal printings perf 11½x12 - 1c orange yellow (3), 2c deep green (two singles and a pair), 3c orange red and 5c olive green pair, all tied by Quebec split ring duplex grid cancels; left-hand 5c slightly folded over edge, London Paid 25 DE 76 on front and portion of Modena 27 DIC 76 backstamp. An exceptionally rare 24c to Italy paying double pre-UPU letter rate of 10c per half ounce plus the 2c Cunard Line via US surtax per half ounce. Believed to be the only known such cover to Italy, a great showpiece, F-VF (Unitrade 35d, 36e, 37iii, 38a) ex. George Arfken (May 1997, Lot 1141) **Est. 2,500.00+**



- 488 **Italy** 1891 (April 13) Attractive three-colour registered franking to Italy, with 5c brownish grey, Ottawa printing, 10c magenta, Montreal printing and 5c bluish green RLS cancelled by light target cancels, Halifax dispatch CDS below, oval registered London datestamp just ties the 5c stamps, Italian boxed registration handstamp on front and Torino transit and Modena arrival backstamps. An attractive triple weight UPU letter rate plus registration fee to Italy and a very rare franking, F-VF (Unitrade 42, 40a, F2) ex. S.J. Menich (June 2000; Lot 195) **Est. 1,500.00+**

According to Harrison, Arfken and Lussey "Canada's Registered Mail" Table 39 on pages 315-318, only four 5c RLS covers to Italy are reported of which only two are franked with a Ten cent Small Queen.



- 489 **Jamaica** 1875 (May 22) Small envelope endorsed "Via New York, thence Atlas Mail" sent from Norwich, Ont. to Kingston, Jamaica, portion of backflap missing, some overall light soiling and wrinkling; bearing a sound and nicely centered horizontal strip of four of the 3c orange red, Montreal printing, perf 11½x12 cancelled by Norwich split ring datestamps, via Woodstock, Hamilton and New York transit MY 29; Kingston JU 5 receiver backstamp, Fine and a very scarce pre-UPU destination cover. (Unitrade 37iii) ex. Ted Nixon (2012) **Est. 500.00+**

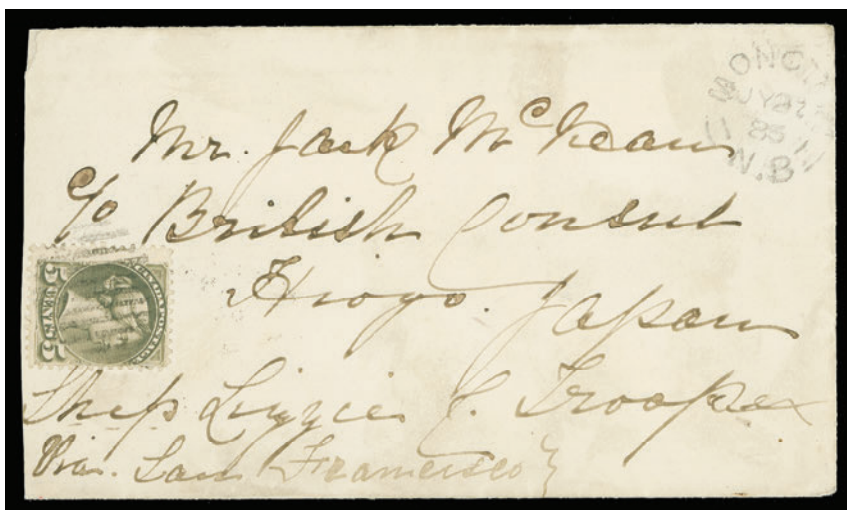
From October 1872 until October 1875 the rate via New York was 10c per ½ ounce, while the rate via Halifax was 12c. Letters from this correspondence consistently were paid at 12c but often were sent via New York.



- 490 ☒ **Jamaica** 1880 (February 13) Envelope endorsed "via New York" (no US markings) mailed from Halifax to Jamaica, bearing pair of 5c olive grey, Montreal printing perf 12, just tied by Halifax dispatch CDS postmarks; cover with small repair at upper left and missing backflap; Kingston Jamaica FE 23 receiver on back; paid a very scarce 10c UPU authorized surtax rate, Fine (Unitrade 38)
ex. *Harry Lussey* (October 1983; Lot 362) **Est. 500.00+**



- 491 ☒ **Jamaica** 1888 (June 5) Envelope mailed from Toronto to Jamaica via New York, franked with 2c green and 3c orange red (oxidized), late Montreal printings perf 12, tied by Toronto duplex "1" dispatch duplex, Kingston JU 13 arrival, then forwarded to Claremont, with St. Ann's Bay and light Claremont receiver on back; top backflap missing, F-VF (Unitrade 36, 37) **Est. 300.00+**



- 492 **Japan** 1885 (July 27) Envelope mailed from Moncton to British Consul at Hiogo, Japan, via San Francisco, bearing a single 5c dark olive grey, Montreal printing perf 12, tied by small oval grid cancel at lower left, double arc Moncton dispatch at upper right, light cover soiling; showing Windsor, New York AUG 13, San Francisco AU 5, carried by error to Hong Kong SP 30 and forwarded again to Japan with Kobe 7 OCT backstamps. A striking and very scarce cover to Japan which has graced several important collections of the past, F-VF (Unitrade 38) **Est. 750.00+**

Provenance: Fred Jarrett, Sissons, Sale 175, March 1960, Lot 233

Charles deVolpi, Sissons, Sale 247, April 13, 1966, Lot 31

Bill Simpson, Gibbons Auctions New York, November 1980, Lot 469

George Arfken, Firby Auctions, May 1997, Lot 1164



- 493 **Japan** 1887 (June 27) The Canadian Pacific Railway Company envelope mailed from Montreal to Japan franked with pair of 5c olive grey, Montreal printing perf 12, tied by bold Montreal dispatch duplex cancels, via Windsor JU 29, Oshkosh JUL 6, San Francisco JUL 12 transit backstamps, Japanese double ring receiver at left with translation of addressee; moderate tear and stain to backflap. A very appealing double rate UPU letter cover to Japan, F-VF (Unitrade 38) ex. John Ayre (February 1982, Lot 712) **Est. 600.00+**



- 494 ☒ **Japan** 1890 (December 13) Fawn coloured envelope mailed from Winnipeg to Tokyo franked with 3c vermilion and two 1c yellow, Ottawa printings perf 12, tied by dispatch duplex datestamps Vancouver DE 17, partial San Francisco transit backstamps, Yokohama / Japan 16 JAN 1891 circular backstamp, Japanese receiver on front, delivery of letter failed and was returned via Yokohama with appropriate datestamps on front; vertical cover fold at centre away from stamps. A scarce and appealing cover to Japan, which twice crossed the Pacific ocean, F-VF (Unitrade 35, 41) ex. *George Arfken* (May 1997, Lot 1166) **Est. 750.00+**



- 495 ☒ **Malta** 1893 (November 13) One cent black postal card, uprated with jumbo margined and well centered pair of 1/2c black Ottawa printing, lower stamp shows Re-entry (Position 2L41), tied by London Type I squared circle postmarks and addressed to Malta, with small NO 29 CDS receiver shown on front; faint toning, an unusual destination, F-VF (Unitrade 34, UX13) **Est. 250.00+**



- 496 ☒ **Monaco** 1894 (December 27) Governor General's Office cover mailed from Ottawa to Naples, Italy and forwarded to Monte Carlo, Monaco, bearing a single 5c grey, Ottawa printing perf 12, placed over handstamped signature and tied by Ottawa Type I squared circle postmark, superb double ring Monte Carlo 9 JANV 95 arrival postmark on front; couple minor stain to cover. An unusual and very scarce Small Queen destination cover, F-VF (Unitrade 42) **Est. 500.00+**



- 497 ☒ **Netherlands** 1891 (September 19) Choice cover initially handstamped with departmental Public Works hexagonal in blue, countersigned at lower left franked over handstamp with horizontal strip of three of 5c brownish grey Ottawa printing, tied by neat small Ottawa duplex "1" cancels; London SP 29 and Rotterdam 30 SEP backstamps. Paid triple 15c UPU letter rate; very scarce and most attractive, VF (Unitrade 42) **Est. 600.00+**



- 498 ☒ **Netherlands** 1892 (April 19) 1c Blue post band (rosette under numerals) uprated with 5c grey Ottawa printing and 5c bluish green RLS, tied by oval R handstamps, sent from Montreal to Rotterdam, dispatch CDS at left and light, legible London 29 AP 92 registered transit in red; some usual creasing mostly at top not affecting adhesives; very rare as this is the only 5c RLS usage known to The Netherlands, Fine (Unitrade 42, F2, PB4) **Est. 750.00+**



- 499 ☒ **New Zealand** 1889 (November 7) E.D. Clark envelope from Guelph, Ont. to Auckland, New Zealand franked with pair of the 6c cold dark brown, Montreal "Gazette" printing, perf 12, showing small portion of plate imprint at left, envelope roughly opened at right, stamps are sound and cancelled by corks, clear CDS dispatch at lower left, sent via San Francisco with NOV 12 and NOV 16 transits and Auckland 7 DE 89 arrival backstamp, scarce, F-VF (Unitrade 39 variety; unlisted printing) ex. Ted Nixon (2012) **Est. 500.00+**

Effective from January 1889 through end of September 1891, the non-UPU letter rate to New Zealand was 12¢ per half ounce.

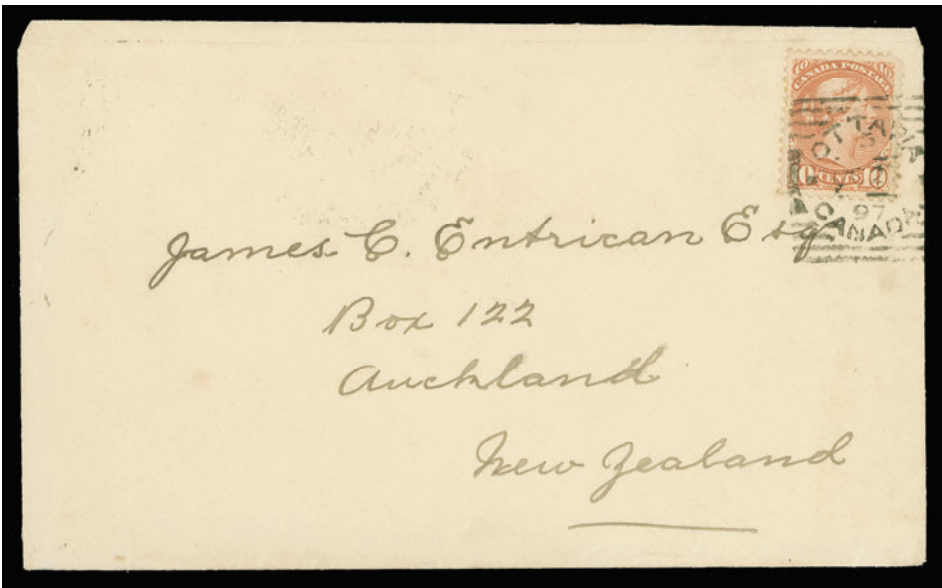


- 500** ☒ **New Zealand** 1892 (May 23) Envelope mailed registered to Dunedin bearing 5c grey, Ottawa printing perf 12 and a 5c green RLS, both cancelled by Little Forks split ring dispatch, another strike shown at right, US registration label affixed over 5c stamp; large repaired tear across front of cover, couple surface scuffs and small piece added at upper left, opened on three sides for displaying a myriad of backstamps (14 in all) including San Francisco JUN 5 transit and Dunedin JY 18 92 arrival postmarks. A very rare UPU registered cover to New Zealand; Fine appearance and the only recorded known Small Queen cover bearing the 5 cent RLS to New Zealand, per Harrison, Arfken and Lussey (see Table 39), (Unitrade 42, F2) ex. *Harry Lussey* (May 1999, Lot 592), *Horace Harrison* (October 2003, Lot 499) **Est. 1,500.00+**

New Zealand joined the UPU on October 1, 1891, at which time the registration fee was dropped from 15c to 5c cent; the letter rate was also reduced to the standard 5c.



- 501** ☒ **New Zealand** 1896 (November 5) Registered cover mailed from Montreal to Auckland, New Zealand via the United States (US registration label affixed on front), bearing a 5c grey and 10c salmon, Ottawa printings clearly tied by large cork "R" cancels, squared circle precursor Montreal dispatch at lower right and on reverse, Vancouver NO 11, Seattle NOV 12, San Francisco NOV 16 transit backstamps along with registered double ring Auckland 31 DE 96 arrival backstamp; pays 10c double UPU letter rate plus 5c registration fee. A very scarce rate, F-VF (Unitrade 42, 45b) ex. *Bill Simpson* (Part IV, March 1997, Lot 1302) **Est. 750.00+**



- 502 ☒ **New Zealand** 1897 (October 23) Envelope mailed from Ottawa to Auckland, New Zealand via the United States, bearing a well centered 10c brown red, true colour of this late Ottawa printing and nicely tied by clear Ottawa 5 / OC 23 / 97 squared circle; Vancouver NO 2 split ring, San Francisco NOV 7 CDS transit and Auckland multi-ring 1 DE 97 receiver backstamps; couple paper adhesions on back, an attractive double-weight UPU letter rate to New Zealand, VF (Unitrade 45) **Est. 600.00+**



- 503 ☒ **Newfoundland** 1892 (August 25) Registered cover mailed from Commanda, Ontario to Hearts Content bearing 2c green, 3c vermilion (oxidized) and 5c green RLS tied by segmented corks, light split ring dispatch; five different transit backstamps and Hearts Content SP 6 arrival on front; scissor cut at top plus some foxing, still a very rare registered cover to Newfoundland, Fine appearance (Unitrade 36i, 41, F2) ex. *Harry Lussey (May 1999, Lot 593)* **Est. 1,000.00+**

Illustrated and discussed in Arfken "Canada's Small Queen Era" book on pages 280-281 (Figure 6).

Harrison, Arfken and Lussey state in "Canada's Registered Mail 1802-1909" that only two covers registered at the five cent UPU rate have been recorded, this cover being the earliest. The other cover is dated November 8, 1892.



- 504** **Norway** 1875 (June 15) Blue envelope bearing an impressive three-colour pre-UPU franking to Norway consisting of 1c orange, 3c red and 6c yellow brown pair, all Montreal printings perf 11½x12, tied by grid cancels; Chatham, NB double arc dispatch and St. John NB JU 16 transit on reverse; London Paid circular datestamp at lower left, bold oval PD (Paid to Destination) and British accountancy mark "2½d" in red, used on mail to Scandinavian countries. Light crease towards right edge of cover and backflap tear from opening. A rare and appealing cover paying a 14c pre-UPU letter rate and the required Cunard 2c surtax for New York transit (the Allan Line rate had been reduced from 16c to 14c almost two years earlier); a great showpiece, F-VF. The half ounce letter rate to Norway from February 1870 to September 30, 1873 was 16c. From October 1873 to September 1875 the rate was lowered to 14c, before being further reduced to 10c in October 1875. (Unitrade 35a, 37e, 39b). **Est. 2,500.00+**

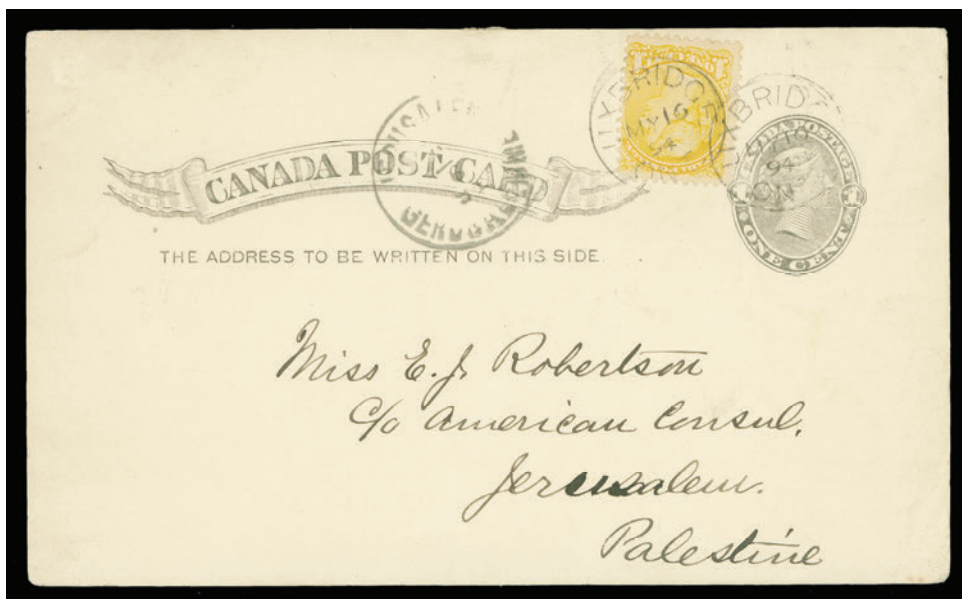


- 505** **Norway** 1876 (August 7) Pristine envelope mailed from Quebec to Norway, bearing a lovely 12c franking consisting of 5c olive green pair and 2c green, Montreal printings perf 11½x12, tied by Quebec AU 7 76 duplex dispatch cancels, London Paid 21 AU 76 transit and red crayon "2½" for 2½d British Claim. Paid 10c pre-UPU letter rate, plus the 2c Cunard surtax via United States; circular "de V" (deVolpi) owner's handstamp at upper left. A fabulous cover that has graced several important collections, VF; Illustrated and discussed in Arfken "Canada's Small Queen Era" book on pages 321-324, Figure 24. (Unitrade 36e, 38a) **Est. 2,500.00+**

Provenance: Charles de Volpi (January 1966, Lot 95)
 Vincent Greene (February 1975, ex. Lot 516)
 John Ayre (February 1982, Lot 706)
 George Arfken (May 1997, Lot 1201)
 S.J. Menich (June 2000, Lot 212)



- 506 ☒ **Norway** 1887 (February 8) Choice wrapper from Meteorological Office mailed from Toronto to Norway bearing a fresh 2c green, Montreal printing perf 12, nicely tied by large Toronto circular datestamp and grid "1" cancellation, red London FE 21 transit backstamp. In pristine condition; a particularly rare double UPU printed matter rate to Norway and certainly the finest, XF (Unitrade 36)
Est. 1,000.00+



- 507 ☒ **Palestine** 1894 (May 16) One cent black postal card (rosette under numerals) uprated with 1c yellow Ottawa printing, tied by clear Uxbridge, Ont dispatch CDS postmarks, addressed to Jerusalem with circular datestamp receiver on front; couple light card creases; a very scarce destination, F-VF (Unitrade 35, UX13)
Est. 200.00+



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- 508 ☒ **Panama** 1881 (May 11) Envelope mailed from Toronto to Panama, Colombian State, franked with pair of 5c olive green, Montreal printing perf 12, tied by Toronto duplex grid "1" datestamps, not backstamped; paying a very rare 10 cent non-UPU to Panama, F-VF (Unitrade 38) *ex. Harry Lussey (October 1983, Lot 377), George Arfken (May 1997, Lot 1206)* **Est. 1,000.00+**
- 509 ☒ **Panama** 1894 (September 17) Envelope mailed to Colon, Panama, Colombian State, franked with pair of 1c yellow with perf faults and 3c vermilion, Montreal printings perf 12, tied by Gaspé & Campbellton / Express / E SP 17 94 RPO circular datestamps, endorsed "Via New York", New York SEP 20 transit and clear Colon 27 SEP 1894 arrival CDS backstamps. A rare Central America Small Queen destination, F-VF (Unitrade 35, 41) **Est. 750.00+**
- 510 ☒ **Philippines** Mid 1890s (circa) 3c red postal envelope uprated with pairs of ½c black and 3c bright vermilion, Ottawa printings perf 12, tied by Montreal DE 31 duplex grid datestamp (type without year indicia) and sent to Iloilo, Philippines; some tropical stains and couple small tears at left, a rare cover to Philippines paying a double UPU letter weight, Fine (Unitrade 34, 41, U6) **Est. 400.00+**



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- 511 ☒ **Portugal** 1896 (September 10) 2c green postal envelope uprated with 5c grey and 8c dark grey, Ottawa printings, perf 12, addressed to Portalegre; stamps tied by Elm Street / Toronto SP 10 96 dispatch CDS postmarks, oval R handstamp at left, sent via London with 22 SEP 96 transit in black and backstamped Portalegre 26 SET on arrival. A beautiful cover to Portugal, paying a rare registered double UPU letter rate, VF (Unitrade 42, 44c, U7) **Est. 750.00+**
- 512 ☒ **Reunion Island** 1892 (May 6) One cent ultramarine postal card (rosette under numerals) uprated 1c yellow, Ottawa printing perf 12, well tied by London squared circle precursor, Hamilton MY 7, London MY 18, Paris 18 MAI transits on front and Marseilles 9 MAI 92 on reverse; light overall ageing, a very scarce and remote destination in the Indian Ocean, F-VF (Unitrade 35, UX9) ex. *Harry Lussey (October 1983; Lot 382); George Arfken (May 1997, Lot 1210)* **Est. 350.00+**
- 513 ☒ **Russia** 1893 (December 14) 3c red postal envelope uprated 2c pale green, Ottawa printing perf 12, nicely tied by three-ring Toronto dispatch datestamps, addressed to Moscow showing Russian receiver on reverse; minor surface thin, an unusual and scarce destination, VF (Unitrade 36i, U6) ex. *George Arfken (May 1997, Lot 1213), S.J. Menich (June 2000; Lot 217)* **Est. 500.00+**



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REDIRECTED TO MAURITIUS**



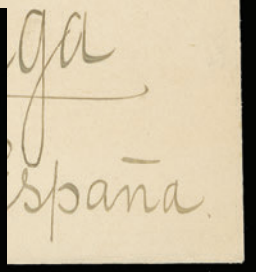
- 514 ☒ **Seychelles** 1895 (July 19) Fabulous cover to Seychelles, Indian Ocean - One cent blue postal envelope, additionally franked with single 3c bright vermilion and pair of 1/2c black, Ottawa printings perf 12, tied by Winnipeg squared circle postmarks, addressed to Mahe, Seychelles Islands; small London AU 1 CDS transit in red, arriving in Seychelles with AU 16 CDS on front and endorsed "not in Seychelles / try Mauritius", light but clear Mauritius OC 26 CDS receiver on back, ADVERTISED / UNCLAIMED marking ties stamps, sent back to DLO Canada entering on FE 11 1896 with appropriate backstamps; negligible stain on front, a remarkable exotic Small Queen destination cover, to the best of our knowledge only one other cover to Seychelles is known. An absolute showpiece, VF (Unitrade 34, 41, U5) **Est. 2,500.00+**



- 515 ☒ **Siam (Thailand)** 1895 (March 13) Clean envelope franked with 2c green and 8c bluish slate, Ottawa printings perf 12, tied by light Montreal duplex cancels; 2c with small corner crease, Marseille 26 MARS transit and partial Bangkok CDS on reverse. A rare and attractive double UPU letter rate to Thailand. Certainly among the most exotic destination covers you will find franked with an 8c denomination, VF (Unitrade 36i, 44b) **Est. 1,000.00+**

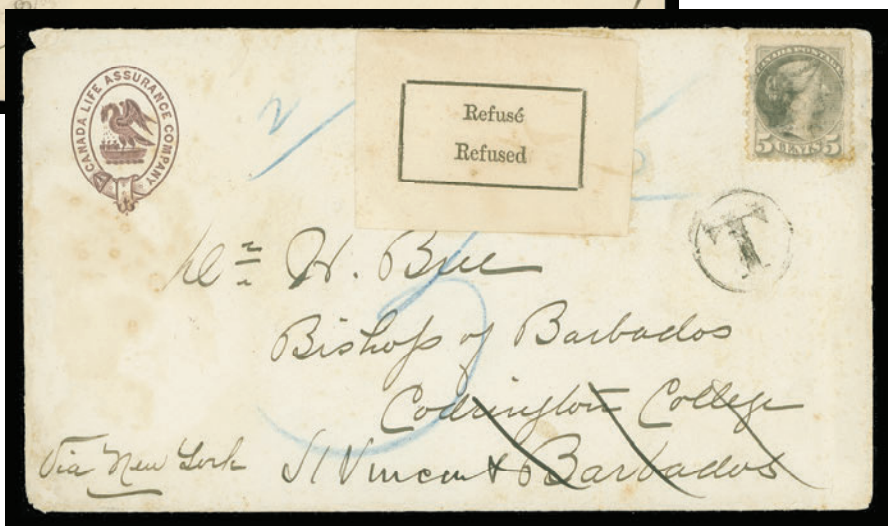


- 516 ☒ **Siam (Thailand)** 1895 (November 20) Cover mailed from Yarmouth, NS to Bangkok, Siam (Thailand), upper left corner flaw, franked with 2c green and 3c vermilion, Ottawa printings perf 12, tied by single squared circle dispatch, shortpaid as double weight and handstamped "T25" due for 5c short. Mailed via St. John NB NO 22, Marseilles 4 DEC 95 backstamps, with clear Bangkok 6 1 96 receiver on back; manuscript blue crayon "20 atts" (to collect). A most desirable and exotic UPU cover, F-VF (Unitrade 36i, 41) ex. *George Arfken (May 1997, Lot 1221)* **Est. 750.00+**



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- 517 ☒ **Spain** 1894 (January 22) Large clean envelope mailed from Spanish Consulate in Quebec to Malaga, Spain, clear Spanish Coat of Arms consulate handstamp, franked with single 5c grey, Ottawa printing and tied by Quebec dispatch duplex; Malaga 4 FEB arrival backstamp, an attractive UPU letter rate cover to Spain, VF (Unitrade 42) **Est. 350.00+**
- 518 ☒ **St. Helena** 1897 (January 27) 2c green postal envelope uprated with ½c pair and single (perf fault at left), 1c yellow and 2c green, Ottawa printings perf 12, smudge cancelled and Montreal Flag dispatch applied vertically at left; overpaying UPU letter rate to St. Helena Island, circular St. Helena MR 7 receiver; horizontal fold and some wrinkling to cover, still a very remote and rarely seen Small Queen era destination, Fine (Unitrade 34, 35, 36i, U7) **Est. 350.00+**
- 519 ☒ **St. Vincent** 1892 (March 5) Canada Life Assurance Company embossed envelope franked with 5c grey, Ottawa printing, tied by smudge cancel, addressed to Barbados via New York with MAR 6 transit, arriving in Barbados 2 AP 92 with circular and oval backstamps; underpaid and charged 5d (double the deficiency), then forwarded to Kingstown, St. Vincent with AP 4 arrival CDS on back; refused with label affixed and returned via the DLO to Canada; some ageing and toning, a very scarce Caribbean destination, Fine (Unitrade 42) **Est. 350.00+**



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- 520 ☒ **Sweden** 1894 (August 15) The International advert cover, somewhat reduced at left, minor wrinkling, mailed from Niagara Falls, Ont. with dispatch CDS and franked with a 5c grey, Ottawa printing, perf 12 and tied by couple segmented corks, addressed to Sweden, Hamilton AU 15 and Russian transit backstamps; shortpaid the double weight UPU letter rate (should have been 10c), due markings including British 5d F.B., Fine and an unusual combination of due markings / destination. (Unitrade 42) **Est. 350.00+**
- 521 ☒ **Sweden** 1897 (April 10) 3c red postal envelope uprated with pair of 1c yellow, Ottawa printing perf 12, from St. John, NB to Helsingborg, Sweden, tied by clear St. John NB PM / AP 10 / 97 squared circle postmarks, partial Swedish receiver on back, attractive, F-VF (Unitrade 35, U6) ex. John Ayre (February 1982; Lot 560) **Est. 200.00+**
- 522 ☒ **Syria** 1897 (November 29) Envelope mailed from Corunna, Ontario to the British Post Office in Beyrout, Syria, at the time part of the Turkish Empire (now Lebanon), bearing 2c green and 3c vermilion, Ottawa printings perf 12, both with minor perf flaws, tied by dispatch CDS postmark; Hamilton NO 30 97, London DE 9 97 cds in red and Beyrout, British Post Office DE 17 receiver postmark on reverse. Minor toning but a rare destination - the first Small Queen cover we have seen mailed to this emirate under Turkish rule, F-VF (Unitrade 361, 41) **Est. 600.00+**



- 523 ☒ **Turkey** 1896 (April 1) Envelope sent registered to Tarsus, Turkey in Asia, bearing a well centered 10c rose carmine Ottawa printing, minute tear at lower left, tied by cork cancel, oval R registry handstamp and Galt dispatch CDS at left, London 14 APR 96 registered datestamp in red on transit and clear Alexandrie 21 APR 96 transit backstamp; portion of backflap missing at lower left. A likely UNIQUE Ten cent franking to Turkey, an absolute showpiece, VF (Unitrade 45a) **Est. 2,000.00+**



- 524 ☒ **Turks Island** 1895 (December 28) Stunning cover mailed registered to Turks Island, British West Indies, bearing a pair and strip of three of the 2c green, Ottawa printing perf 12, all in sound condition and clearly tied by Bathurst St. / Toronto DE 28 95 duplex street cancels, oval R handstamp at right, oval New York 12 - 31 1895 transit backstamp; pays the 5c UPU letter rate plus 5c registration fee. A wonderful exhibit-worthy cover combining quality with a remote destination, VF (Unitrade 36i) ex. George Arfken (May 1997, Lot 1239) **Est. 750.00+**

Illustrated in Arfken "Canada's Small Queen Era" book on page 294 (Figure 19).



- 525 ☒ **United Kingdom - England** 1873 (May 23) An unusual short paid envelope mailed from Montreal to England; some ageing mostly at top, franked with a horizontal pair of 6c yellow brown, First Ottawa printing, perf 11.85 and tied by light Montreal duplex datestamps, two-line postage due handstamp with relevant manuscript due markings; Devonport JU 4 73 arrival CDS postmark on front. A rare deficiency rated cover to England, Fine (Unitrade 39 unlisted printing) *ex. Ted Nixon (2012)* **Est. 500.00+**

Prior to October 1, 1875 underpaid letters to the UK were assessed the deficiency plus a fine. In this case, the letter was over 1 ounce, therefore 18c was required, short 6c. Penalties are recorded in pence "Short Paid 3d", Half Fine 1½d" for Canada and an extra 1½d was also assessed for the British Post Office.



- 526 ☒ **United Kingdom - England** 1883 (July 24) Registered envelope from Longford Mills, Ont. to Leeds, Yorkshire bearing a very unusual franking with single 5c olive green, Montreal printing perf 12 and two 5c green RLS cancelled by straightline REGISTERED, split ring dispatch at left, Toronto transit and blue Leeds 6 AU 83 oval arrival backstamps; backflap with faults and cover with some foxing, a rare franking paying the double registered rate to England. This was against regulations at the time as Registered Stamps were not allowed to be used as regular postage, Fine (Unitrade 38, F2) *ex. Horace Harrison (October 2003; Lot 488)* **Est. 350.00+**



- 527 ☒ **United Kingdom - England** 1884 (April 30) Impressive registered cover, with provisional manuscript "Lorndale Ap 30 84" at upper right, due to absence of postmarking device (post office opened April 1, 1884), and was registered letter "No. 1", franked with 2c green and 3c bright orange overlapping a vertical strip of three of 2c orange RLS (overpaid by 1c as the required 5c RLS was not available); strip is creased at side from placement over edge of envelope; sent to London, England, Sussex Vale AP 30, Halifax MY 1 transit backstamps, London oval registered 13 MY receiver in red on front. An interesting item originating from a newly opened post office where no 5c RLS and no proper dispatch cancel device was yet available, F-VF (Unitrade 36, 37, F1) ex. *Harry Lussey* (May 1999, Lot 557)

Est. 750.00+



- 528 ☒ **United Kingdom - England** 1884 (July 11) Registered cover mailed from Montreal to Birmingham franked with strip of three of 5c olive green, Montreal printing perf 12 and 5c bluish green RLS, tied by target cancels, partial dispatch CDS and clear oval receiver on back; top backflap missing. Paid triple UPU letter rate plus 5 cent registration, scarce and attractive, VF (Unitrade 38, F2) ex. *Horace Harrison* (October 2003, Lot 491)

Est. 600.00+



529 ☒ **United Kingdom - England** 1885 (May 6) Envelope opened on three sides for display, franked with pair of 1c yellow and 3c orange red, Montreal printing perf 12, concentric rings cancels, mailed from Maxwell, Ontario to Hull, England with MY 22 arrival backstamp; while being forwarded to its new address the letter was found by postal clerk to contain valuable enclosures and postal regulations in England required it to be registered - manuscript "Contains coin" and unpaid 4d registration fee was rated "8d" handstamp (to collect - double deficiency) showing British Post Office "Caution" label affixed on back. Letter was refused and sent back to Canada where it entered DLO on June 19. Cover ageing and stains in places, a remarkable and well-travelled cover paying the compulsory registration fee in England - only a handful exist, Fine and a great showpiece. (Unitrade 35i, 37) *ex. Harry Lussey (May 1999, Lot 560)* **Est. 2,500.00+**



- 530 ☒ **United Kingdom - England** 1885 (October 7) Registered cover mailed from Lonsdale, NB to London, England, showing an impressive franking consisting of 1c yellow, 2c green (2) and three oddly placed examples of the 2c orange RLS, one example with faulty bottom right corner due to placement while the upper example is sound and shows the "burr" at upper right plate variety, sealed cover tear at lower right; stamps cancelled by circular corks, split ring Lonsdale dispatch at top centre, Sussex Vale OC 8 and St. John OC 8 transits on back, London oval registered 20 OC 85 receiver in red. An odd and extremely scarce multiple usage of the 2 cent RLS stamp to make up the 5 cent registration fee to England, F-VF and appealing. (Unitrade 35, 36, F1, F1iii) **Est. 750.00+**



- 531 ☒ **United Kingdom - England** 1888 (December 6) Envelope mailed from St. Stephen, NB to Birmingham, franked with nicely centered and large margined 10c rose lilac, Montreal printing perf 12, tied by dispatch CDS, additional strike at left, St. John transit backstamp, pays double UPU letter rate to England; arriving in Liverpool where letter was found by postal clerk to contain valuable enclosures (in this case coins) and required it to be registered, oval registered Liverpool 16 DE 88 and unpaid 4d registration fee was rated "8" (to collect - double deficiency), **British Post Office "Caution" label, manuscript "Coin" had been affixed on reverse** at Liverpool believed to be the only existing example of this design being different type than the one applied at London; explaining this regulation, with next-day arrival Birmingham registered backstamp. Letter has been opened three sides for display. A very rare compulsory registered cover, especially desirable with a Ten cent Small Queen franking, VF (Unitrade 40) ex. Stanley Cohen (October 1986; Lot 584) **Est. 3,000.00+**



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- 532 ☒ **United Kingdom - England** 1889 (January 4) Larger envelope franked with four-colour franking consisting of Montreal printings 2c bluish green, 3c vermilion, two 5c pale olive grey and a 5c green RLS, three stamps have perf faults at top due to placement at edge of cover which has minor aging, stamps tied by circular grid cancels, St. John NB dispatch below, two oval R handstamps and Colchester JA 15 backstamp, a Fine and appealing triple UPU letter rate + 5 cent registration to England. (Unitrade 36, 37, 38, F2) ex. *Harry Lussey (May 1989, Lot 565)* **Est. 750.00+**
- 533 ☒ **United Kingdom - England** 1891 (January 6) Cover mailed from Manitoba to Coventry, franked with 5c grey, Ottawa printing, perf 12, lightly cancelled, partial split ring dispatch at left, on arrival the envelope was found to contain a coin and went through compulsory registration, was then resealed and backstamped with boxed "Found open and resealed in I.B" and manuscript "contains coin / posted out of course / 8d" for the unpaid 4d British registration fee (double deficiency to collect). A rare cover showing this registration procedure, F-VF (Unitrade 42) ex. *George Arfken (May 1997, Lot 924)* **Est. 1,000.00+**
- 534 ☒ **United Kingdom - England** 1894 (December 21) Registered cover opened three sides and addressee crossed out, mailed from Charlottetown, PEI to Birmingham, England, franked with vertical pair of 10c rose lilac, Montreal printing perf 12, tied by Charlottetown squared circle postmark; St. John NB DE 21 and Liverpool 4 JA 95 transits, oval Birmingham 4 JA 95 arrival backstamp. A late usage of this particular Montreal printing paying the very scarce 15c triple UPU letter rate plus 5c registration, Fine (Unitrade 40) **Est. 1,000.00+**



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- 535 ☒ **United Kingdom - Scotland** 1875 (March 8) Envelope mailed from Halifax to Edinburgh, Scotland, slightly reduced at sides and portion of backflap missing but very nice appearance, franked with an impressive block of six of the 2c deep green, Montreal printing perf 11½x12, tied by Halifax duplex grid cancels, dispatch CDS and circular Paid Liverpool Br Packet 20 MR 75 transit in red at left; Edinburgh MR 21 75 arrival backstamp. Pays the double 6 cent Allan Line rate, which was effective until September 30, 1875. One of the most appealing usages of a Montreal printing perf 11½x12 multiple on cover, F-VF (Unitrade 36e) ex. *Charles deVolpi* (October 1965, Lot 261), *Bill Simpson* (November 1980, Lot 332), *George Arfken* (May 1997, Lot 974), *S.J. Menich* (June 2000, Lot 224)

Est. 1,250.00+

- 536 ☒ **United Kingdom - Scotland** 1894 (October 18) Nurse and Medicine hand drawn envelope mailed from Victoria, BC to Glasgow, Scotland, bearing a 5c grey, Ottawa printing perf 12 repaired top left corner, tied by Victoria, BC dispatch, second strike in opposite corner; couple small tears to cover but a beautiful and well preserved illustrated cover, F-VF (Unitrade 42)

Est. 350.00+

- 537 ☒ **United States** 1905 (March 20) 1c green postal envelope uprated with imperforate pair of ½c black and corner margin 5c green RLS, latter with tear entirely in margin, grid cancelled, Como split ring dispatch, to Newtonville, Mass. USA, via Montreal and Boston, with transit and arrival backstamps. A rare and remarkable usage of imperforate stamps on cover, F-VF (Unitrade 34a, F2c, U9) ex. *Horace Harrison* (October 2003, Lot 463)

Est. 1,000.00+

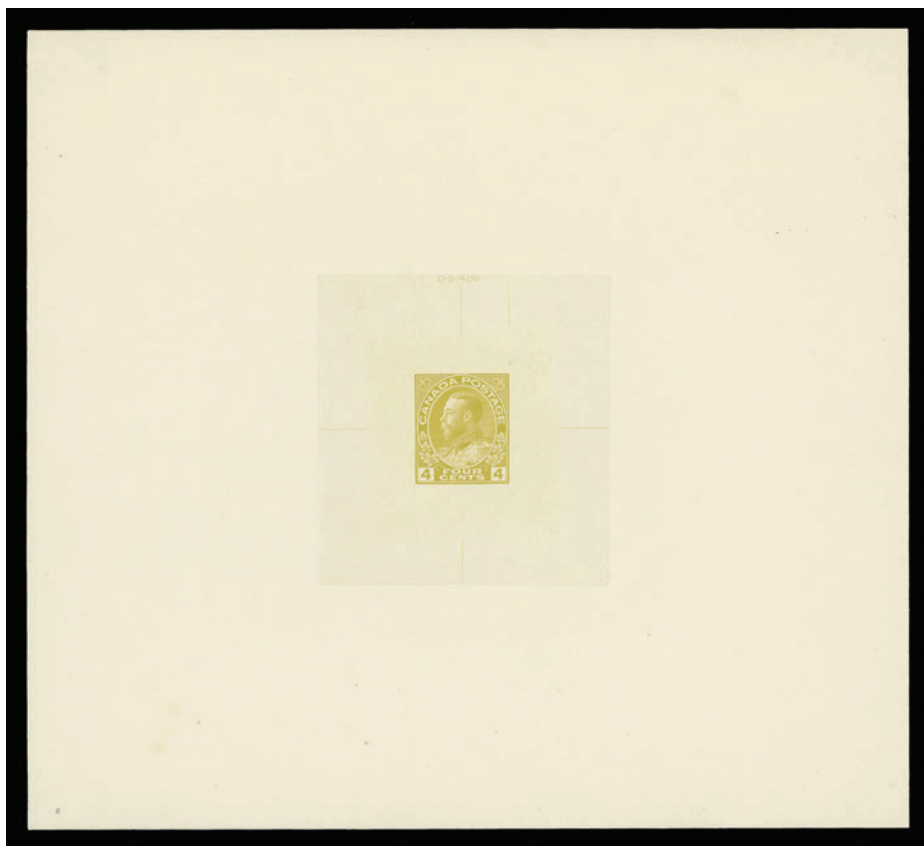


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PROOFS



- 538 P 110, 1925 4c Yellow Ochre** Large Die Proof in colour of issue on india paper 55x59mm, die sunk on large card measuring 167x152mm; hardened state with die "O-G-426" number above design; negligible stain on reverse partially shows from the front at lower left well away from die sinkage area, a very nice example of this scarce proof, VF **Est. 1,500.00**

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539 P 112c, 1925 5c Violet (Re-engraved Die) Large Die Proof in colour of issue showing redrawn framelines, on india paper 54x56mm, die sunk on large card measuring 120x147mm; the hardened state with die "F-213" number and American Bank Note Co. Ottawa imprint below stamp design. Exceptionally choice and a desirable proof ideal for exhibition, XF **Est. 2,000.00**



540 P 114, 1924 7c Red Brown Large Die Proof in colour of issue on india paper 54x57mm, die sunk on large card measuring 120x143mm; hardened state showing die "F-214" number and American Bank Note Co. Ottawa imprint below design; in pristine condition and attractive, XF **Est. 2,000.00**



PLATE MULTIPLES



- 541 ★ **104b, 1912 1c Blue Green (Wet printing)** Lower right Plate 27 strip of ten, position 99 shows an engraved (retouched) vertical line in upper left spandrel, eight stamps are NH; attractive and F-VF
Est. 250.00



- 542 ★ **104b, 1913 1c Blue Green (Wet printing)** Lower right Plate 56 strip of ten with printing order "148" number etched out and replaced by "157", shows clear "hairlines" between stamps and in lower margin, LH in ungummed portion of sheet margin, all stamps are F-VF NH
Est. 350.00



- 543 ★ **104b, 1913 1c Blue Green (Wet printing)** Upper left Plate 63 strip of ten, lovely rich colour and nicely centered, couple natural gum bends, otherwise VF NH
Est. 500.00



- 544 ★ **104, 1916 1c Green (Wet printing)** Lower right Plate A130 strip of ten, fresh and nicely centered, LH on straight edge stamp at left and in selvedge at right, otherwise VF NH
Est. 350.00

- 545 ★ **105, 1920 1c Orange Yellow, Die I (Wet printing)** Post office fresh and well centered Plate A170 block of eight with pristine original gum, VF+ NH
(Illustrated on Page 161) **Est. 300.00+**

- 546 ★ **105, 1920 1c Orange Yellow, Die I (Wet printing) and 1921 1c Yellow, Die I (Wet printing)** Plates A170 and A171 blocks of eight in distinct shades, F-VF NH
(Illustrated on Page 161) **Est. 400.00**

- 547 ★ **105, 1921 1c Orange Yellow, Die I (Wet printing)** Very well centered and fresh Plate A178 imprint block of eight, centre block and upper left stamp NH, VF LH
(Illustrated on Page 161) **Est. 250.00**



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- 548 ★ 105d, 1925 1c Yellow, Die II (Dry printing) Selected Plate A193 block of eight with etched "H" above "R.E.B." (from upper left pane), shows unusual "hairlines" between stamps (unlisted), LH in selvedge only, stamps NH, VF **Est. 300.00+**



- 549 ★ 106b, 1911 2c Pink (Wet printing) Lower margin block with large portion of Plate 2 imprint and printing order number, the elusive shade, top pair hinged, lower pair NH; a scarce and desirable plate multiple, VF **Est. 600.00+**



- 550 ★ 106c, 1912 2c Rose Carmine (Wet printing) Mint Plate 5 imprint strip of four with large portion of printing order "98", very attractive shade, hinged in margin only, stamps VF NH **Est. 150.00+**



- 551 ★ 106ii, 1913 2c Rose Red (Wet printing) Lower sheet Plate 35 strip of twenty in a lovely shade, sixteen stamps are NH. An attractive plate multiple, F-VF **Est. 400.00**



- 552 ★ 106ii, 1913 2c Rose Red (Wet printing) Lower right Plate 37 strip of ten, quite well centered, attractive bright shade, five stamps are NH, VF **Est. 250.00**



- 553 ★ 107e, 1927 2c Green (Dry printing) A very well centered Plate A221 block of ten, fresh and attractive, VF NH **Est. 300.00+**



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- 554 ★ 108, 108ii, 1921 3c Brown and Dark Brown (Wet printing) Two similar upper left Plate A105 blocks of ten in distinctive shades and reasonably well centered; brown shade shows a strongly etched crossed "I's" (in the form of a "T"), dark brown shade block without the plate marking, corner crease at upper left. Both F-VF NH, an interesting duo. Est. 400.00+



- 555 ★ 108c, 1923 3c Brown (Dry printing) Plates A118 and A120 blocks of eight, latter hinged in selvage only, otherwise F-VF NH Est. 350.00
- 556 ★ 108c, 1923 3c Brown (Dry printing) Very well centered Plate A119 block of eight, LH in selvage only, otherwise VF NH Est. 300.00



- 557 ★ 109, 1923 3c Carmine, Die I (Dry printing) A well centered Plate A121 block of ten, XF NH Est. 400.00+



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- 558 ★ 109, 1923 3c Carmine, Die I (Dry printing) Choice, fresh and well centered Plate A121 block of eight, VF NH **Est. 250.00**



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- 559 ★ 109d, 1923 3c Rose Carmine, Die I (Dry printing) Lovely fresh mint Plate A122 block of eight in an appealing pastel shade, VF NH **Est. 300.00**



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- 560 ★ 110, 1922 4c Deep Olive Bistre (Wet printing) Plate A1 block of eight, unusually deep shade, attractive, F-VF NH **Est. 400.00**



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- 561 ★ 110d, 1925 4c Yellow Ochre (Dry printing) Plate A5 block of ten, etched "P" preceding "L.B.C." (from upper right pane), reasonably centered, hinged in selvedge and top left pair, eight stamps NH, F-VF **Est. 350.00**



- 562 ★ 110d, 1925-1926 4c Yellow Ochre (Dry printing) Mint Plate 5 imprint strip of four, lovely fresh colour, nicely centered; hinged once in selvedge leaving stamps VF NH **Est. 300.00**

- 563 ★ 110d, 1925 4c Yellow Ochre (Dry printing) Attractive Plate A5 imprint block of ten; plate inscription unusually clear, Fine+ NH *(Illustrated on Website)* **Est. 200.00**



564 ★ 110d, 1925 4c Yellow Ochre (Dry printing) Fresh mint Plate A6 block of twelve, eight stamps are NH, F-VF Est. 400.00



565 ★ 111, 1914 5c Blue (Wet printing) Lower left Plate 7 strip of ten, lovely bright fresh colour, seven stamps are NH; very attractive, F-VF LH Est. 1,000.00



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566 ★ 111, 1917 5c Blue (Wet printing) Attractive mint pair with full Plate A13 imprint, reasonably centered, brilliant fresh, LH in selvage, stamps are NH, F-VF Est. 300.00

567 ★ 111, 1917 5c Blue (Wet printing) Beautiful and nicely centered mint pair showing full Plate A14 imprint in lower margin, fresh and VF NH Est. 600.00



568 ★ 112a, 1924 5c Violet on Thin Paper (Wet printing) An impressive mint Plate A22 imprint block of thirty-two stamps (8x4), gorgeous fresh colour, remarkably well centered for such a large multiple, an appealing plate multiple in top-quality, VF-XF NH
Est. 1,500.00



569 ★ 112, 1924 5c Violet on Medium Wove Paper (Wet printing) An attractive upper left Plate A22 strip of twenty, reasonably centered, lovely post office fresh colour, both straight edge stamps hinged, otherwise never hinged, F-VF
Est. 600.00+



570 ★ 112ii, 1924 Rose Violet (Wet printing) Plate A22 block of ten, remarkable shade, pristine fresh colour and original gum, NH with nearly VF centering
Est. 400.00



- 571 ★ 112c, 1925 5c Violet (Redrawn Framelines; Dry printing) Plates A23, A24 and A25 blocks of eight, or ten, all three reasonably centered and lightly hinged in selvedge only, all stamps are NH; an attractive trio, F-VF and scarce **Est. 750.00+**



- 572 ★ 112c, 1925 5c Violet (Redrawn Framelines; Dry printing) Post office fresh upper right Plate A24 strip of twenty, some perf separation between seventh and eighth columns, reasonably centered, F-VF NH **Est. 750.00+**



- 573 ★ 112c, 1925 5c Violet (Redrawn Framelines; Dry printing) Lovely fresh Plate A24 block of ten, shows etched "P" preceding "L.B.C.", full pristine original gum, F-VF NH **Est. 400.00**



- 574 ★ 112c, 1925 5c Rose Violet (Redrawn Framelines; Dry printing) Well centered mint Plate A25 imprint strip of four, deep rich colour, hinged once in margin, stamps VF NH **Est. 250.00**



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- 575 ★ 113a, 1918 7c Pale Olive Bistre (Wet printing) Beautiful mint Plate A5 full imprint block of four, fresh and extremely well centered, XF NH **Est. 350.00+**

- 576 ★ 113, 1918 7c Yellow Ochre (Wet printing) Upper right mint Plate A5 imprint block of eight, reasonably centered, lovely rich colour, five stamps NH, F-VF VLH **Est. 300.00**



- 577 ★ 114biv, 114bv, 1924 7c Red Brown (Wet printing) Plate A7 block of eight, two stamps shows diagonal line in "V" of "SEVEN" VF; and mint Plate A8 block of eight, reasonably centered, six stamps shows diagonal line in "N" of "CENTS", six NH in each block, F-VF **Est. 500.00**



- 578 ★ 114iv, 114v, 1925-1926 7c Red Brown (Dry printing) Plate A7 block of twelve, two stamps shows diagonal line in "V" of "SEVEN", five stamps from top row LH, seven are NH, F-VF; also Plate A8 block of eight, two stamps shows diagonal line in "N" of "CENTS", F-VF NH, a nice duo **Est. 500.00**



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- 579 ★ 115, 1925 8c Blue (Dry printing) Plate A3 block of eight with "H" above "L.B.C." (from upper left pane), top row with large margins, F-VF NH **Est. 300.00**
- 580 ★ 115, 1925 8c Blue (Dry printing) Plate A3 block of six, with "H" above "L.B.C." (from upper left pane), LH in selvage, stamps NH and nearly VF **Est. 200.00**



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- 581 ★ 117iii, 1924 10c Light Blue (Dry printing) Fresh and reasonably centered mint Plate A21 block of eight, lovely pastel colour, F-VF NH **Est. 400.00**
- 582 ★ 117a, 1924 10c Blue (Dry printing) Mint Plate A21 block of eight, decent centering and lovely fresh colour, with full original gum, F-VF NH **Est. 350.00**



- 583 ★ 117ii, 1924 10c Light Blue (Wet printing) UR Plate A22 block of twenty, lovely fresh colour, left and right pairs hinged, leaving sixteen stamps NH. A beautiful plate multiple, VF **Est. 1,250.00**



- 584 ★ 117a, 1924 10c Blue (Dry printing) Fresh and reasonably centered mint UL Plate A22 strip of ten, minor perf separation, straight edged stamp and fourth stamp hinged, others NH, F-VF **Est. 350.00**



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- 585 ★ 118 1925 10c Bistre Brown (Dry printing) Well centered Plate A23 block of eight, LH in selvedge only, stamps VF NH **Est. 500.00**

- 586 ★ 118b, 1925 10c Yellow Brown (Dry printing) Plate A24 block of eight, lightly etched reversed "L" above "L.B.C.", LH in selvedge, stamps NH, F-VF **Est. 350.00**



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- 587 ★ 118, 1925 10c Bistre Brown (Dry printing) Mint Plate A25 imprint strip of four, showing reversed "L" above "L.B.C." (from upper left pane), deep rich colour, well centered, hinged in margin only, stamps NH, VF **Est. 200.00**

- 588 ★ 119, 1924 20c Olive Green (Dry printing) Mint Plate A6 and A7 imprint strips of four, both hinged once in selvedge leaving all stamps NH, Fine and scarce **Est. 300.00**



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- 589 ★ 122, 1925 \$1 Orange (Dry printing) Selected fresh mint block with Plate A1 imprint, some separation in margin reinforced by hinge, stamps NH and VF **Est. 500.00**
- 590 ★ 136, 1926 1c Yellow, Die I (Wet printing), Imperforate Upper left plate A179 imprint block of twelve, fresh and VF NH **Est. 750.00+**



- 591 ★ 139i, 1926 2c on 3c Carmine, Die I (Dry printing) One-Line Provisional Surcharge Remarkable mint Plate 115 block of twelve showing a dramatic shift of the surcharge (7mm up), each stamp with "KB" (Bileski) guarantee handstamp, fresh with full original gum. A great exhibition item, Fine+ NH; ex. "Lindemann" **Est. 750.00+**



- 592 ★ 184, 1931 3c Carmine, Die II (Dry printing) Provisional, Perf 12x8 Plate 13, 14 and 15 full imprint mint blocks of eight, all well centered, fresh and VF NH **Est. 250.00**



- 593 ★ MR2, 1917 2c Carmine War Tax (Wet printing)** Upper right Plate A9 sheet of 100; piece of selvage missing at upper right, light crease on lower left vertical pair, otherwise Fine NH
(Illustrated on Website) **Est. 400.00**



- 594 ★ MR5, 1916 2c+1c Carmine, Die I (Wet printing), Perf 12x8** Upper left Plate A1 and A2 blocks of eight, deep colour; first LH in selvage only, otherwise NH; a scarce duo, F-VF **Est. 750.00+**

LATHEWORK



- 595 ★ 105, 1920 1c Orange Yellow, Die I (Wet printing)** Lower right mint block showing normal strength Type C lathework, deep rich colour, full pristine original gum, never hinged; lower pair is very well centered with impressive large margins, VF-XF NH **Est. 250.00+**
- 596 ★ 105, 1920 1c Orange Yellow, Die I (Wet printing)** Choice, fresh mint block showing usual strength Type C lathework, attractive, VF NH **Est. 200.00+**
- 597 ★ 105f, 1924 1c Yellow, Die I (Dry printing)** Mint block from lower left corner showing unusually full Type D lathework, large part of guide arrow at lower left, upper left stamp LH and small moisture spot in left selvage, otherwise NH, a scarce lathework block, VF **Est. 400.00+**
- 598 ★ 106, 1917-1920 2c Dark Carmine (Wet printing)** Remarkable lower left strip of twenty showing full Type B lathework, doubling visible below Position 92; Nineteen stamps are NH. A great piece, VF
(Illustrated on Page 173) **Est. 1,000.00**



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599 ★ 106, 106iii, 1917-1920 2c Carmine and Deep Carmine (Wet printing) Two mint blocks in distinctive shades, both with full Type B lathework, fresh and F-VF NH Est. 200.00+



600 ★ 107, 107ii, 1921-1924 2c Yellow Green (Wet printing) and 2c Green (Wet printing) Mint blocks, former with Type D inverted lathework, latter corner marginal and showing Type D lathework; both Fine NH Est. 300.00



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- 601 ★ 107a, 1924 2c Deep Green on Thin Paper (Wet printing) Lower left mint block in a distinctive shade, shows characteristic impression of Type D inverted lathework, Fine+ NH **Est. 500.00**



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- 602 ★ 107e, 1922-1924 2c Green (Dry printing) A remarkable mint example, quite well centered with brilliant fresh colour and showing strong, full Type D lathework on the rare dry printing - only a handful have been reported, full unblemished original gum, never hinged. A must-have to complete an Admiral lathework collection, F-VF NH **Est. 1,500.00+**



- 603 ★ 108, 1920-1921 3c Brown (Wet printing) Lower right mint strip of twenty with Type D inverted lathework, lesser strength than normally encountered, lower left pair hinged, all others are NH. A very scarce intact lathework strip, VF **Est. 1,500.00**
- 604 ★ 108, 1920-1922 3c Brown (Wet printing) Post office fresh mint block showing unusually bold and full Type D lathework; an appealing multiple, F-VF NH (Unitrade only lists 60% strength on the wet printing) **Est. 400.00+**
- 605 ★ 108, 1918-1920 3c Brown (Wet printing) An impressive mint single, well centered with unusually large margins and showing full Type B lathework, choice, VF+ NH JUMBO **225.00+**



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- 606 ★ 108, 108c, 1920-1923 3c Brown (Wet printing) and 1923 3c Brown (Dry printing) Mint blocks with full Type D lathework, former LH on upper left stamp only and latter with faint gum skip on left pair, otherwise never hinged. A nice duo, Fine **Est. 400.00**



- 607 ★ 108c, 1923 3c Brown (Dry printing) Lower right mint block of eight showing full Type D lathework, large hinge remnant almost entirely in lower selvage; a scarce lathework multiple of the dry printing, Fine+ OG / NH **Est. 500.00**

- 608 ★ 108c, 1923 3c Brown (Dry printing) A fresh mint block with full Type D lathework, Fine NH **Est. 400.00**



- 609 ★ 108ii, 1920-1921 3c Dark Brown (Wet printing) A remarkably well centered mint block of ten (2x5), lovely rich shade and showing nearly full Type D inverted lathework, VF NH **Est. 750.00+**



610 ★ 109, 1923 3c Carmine, Die I (Dry printing) Very well centered mint block of eight, deep colour, showing full Plate A128 imprint and Type D lathework, lower row and margin NH, VF Est. 250.00+



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- 611 ★ **110, 1922 4c Olive Bistre (Wet printing)** Mint block showing elusive full strength Type D lathework (Unitrade states only ten percent have full lathework), top left stamp LH, otherwise NH, F-VF
(Illustrated on Page 176) **Est. 500.00+**
- 612 ★ **112, 1921-1923 5c Dark Violet (Wet printing)** Mint block with exceptional colour and remarkably full Type D lathework - rarely seen as most examples known have noticeably weaker impression, light printing ink offset on reverse, a desirable block for the specialist, Fine NH
(Illustrated on Page 176) **Est. 500.00+**
- 613 ★ **112a, 1924 5c Violet on Thin Paper (Wet printing)** Two mint blocks of four, each in a distinctive shade and showing different strength Type D inverted lathework, top pairs hinged leaving lower pair and margin NH; an attractive duo, F-VF
(Illustrated on Page 176) **Est. 500.00**



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- 614 ★ **112a, 1924 5c Violet on Thin Paper (Wet printing)** Lower right mint block showing Type D inverted lathework, weaker strength than usually seen, showing large portion of guide arrow, well centered, VF NH **Est. 400.00**
- 615 ★ **112a, 1924 5c Violet on Thin Paper (Wet printing)** Fresh mint block of four showing Type D inverted lathework of lesser strength than normally encountered, fresh and Fine NH **Est. 300.00**



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- 616 ★ **114, 1926 7c Red Brown (Dry printing)** Selected fresh and nicely centered strip of three showing strong, full Type D lathework, very scarce thus, VF NH **Est. 400.00+**
- 617 ★ **116, 1920 10c Plum (Wet printing)** Post office fresh mint block of four, brilliant colour, normal strength Type C lathework, barely hinged on upper left stamp, otherwise NH, Fine+ **Est. 1,000.00+**



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- 618 ★ 117, 1922-1924 10c Dark Blue (Wet printing) Lower left mint block showing normal strength Type D lathework, unusually rich colour, LH on upper left stamp only, otherwise never hinged, F-VF
Est. 500.00
- 619 ★ 117, 1922-1924 10c Blue (Wet printing) Precisely centered mint block of four, fresh and showing normal strength Type D lathework, light natural gum skips, VF NH
Est. 500.00
- 620 ★ 117a, 1924 10c Blue (Dry printing) Choice fresh and well centered mint block of four with Type D lathework and pristine original gum, VF NH
Est. 500.00



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- 621 ★ 119, 1924 20c Olive Green (Dry printing) Beautiful mint block of four, reasonably well centered and showing Type D lathework (75% strength), full unblemished original gum, F-VF NH
Est. 750.00+
- 622 ★ 119, 1924 20c Olive Green (Dry printing) Gorgeous fresh mint block of four showing Type D lathework, Fine+ NH
Est. 750.00
- 623 ★ 122, 1925 \$1 Orange (Dry printing) Attractive mint block of four with lovely rich colour, showing strong, full Type D lathework, F-VF LH
Est. 400.00
- 624 ★ MR2, 1917 2c Carmine War Tax (Wet printing) Selected mint single showing full Type B lathework, VF NH
(Illustrated on Page 179) 240.00
- 625 ★ MR4, 1917 2c+1c Brown War Tax, Die II (Wet printing) Pristine fresh mint block, quite well centered and showing full strength Type A lathework, the lower right stamp VF, F-VF NH
(Illustrated on Page 179) Est. 300.00



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- 626 ★ **MR4 variety, 1917 2c+1c Brown War Tax, Die II (Wet printing)** Mint pair with full Type A lathework showing a most unusual printing ink blob resulting from over-inking of the plate, Fine OG; ex. "Lindemann" collection **Est. 200.00+**

STAMPS



- 627 ★ **3c Admiral** A rare group of four different plate essay blocks of six in orange red, slate blue, bluish green and black, all show matching lower right corner margins. The right vertical row of each block shows the distinctive short printing variety. These essays were prepared in Germany by Eckerlin as a production sample in an attempt to gain printing contracts for subsequent stamp issues, full detail copies of correspondence between the German engineer and American Bank Note accompany, VF showpiece and fascinating collateral items for Admiral issue collectors. **Est. 1,000.00+**



628 ★ 104-122, 1c-\$1 Admiral Issue Complete set of eighteen mint blocks, fresh colours and above average centering, each block with two or more NH; #116 is the 10c reddish purple - first printing. A nice set, F-VF OG / NH (Unitrade \$8,345) **Est. 2,000.00**



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629 ★ 104-122, 1C-\$1 Admiral Issue Selected fresh complete set of eighteen, plus the 2c green and 5c violet thin papers, some are well centered, F-VF NH **Est. 750.00+**



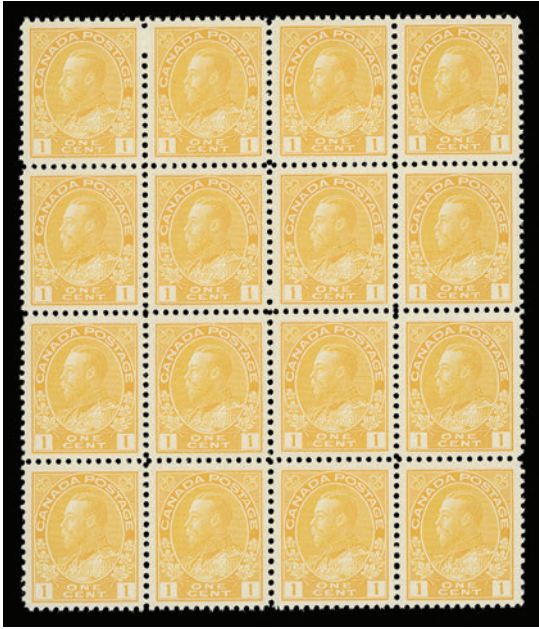
630 ★ 104, 1915-1920 1c Green, Shades (Wet printing) A selected group of ten mint blocks of four, shades range from bright green to light yellow green, most stamps are well centered. An appealing group. F-VF NH **Est. 750.00+**

631 ★ 104, 1915-1920 1c Dark Green (Wet printing) Selected mint single, well centered, with lovely fresh colour and pristine original gum, VF+ NH **120.00**

632 ★ 104b, 1911-1913 1c Blue Green (Wet printing) Well centered mint example of this distinctive early shade, fresh colour and clear impression, full unblemished original gum and attractive, VF NH; 2008 Greene Foundation cert. **180.00**



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- 633 ★ **104c + variety, 1912 1c Deep Blue Green** Upper right block with deep vibrant colour showing a light but distinctive offset double impression in the top margin, an unusual variety, Fine NH; 2013 Greene Foundation cert. **Est. 200.00+**
- 634 ★ **105, 1922 1c Orange Yellow, Die I (Wet printing)** Selected mint block of sixteen, very well centered for such a large multiple, gorgeous fresh colour, VF NH **1,920.00**



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- 635 ★ **105d, 1924-1925 1c Orange Yellow, Die II (Dry printing)** Appealing mint example with large margins, bright colour, XF NH **90.00+**
- 636 ★ **105d, 1924-1925 1c Orange Yellow, Die II (Dry printing)** Beautiful mint example with lovely shade, well centered with large margins, VF+ NH **90.00+**
- 637 ★ **106ix, 1912 2c Rose Carmine (Wet printing)** An impressive large margins mint single, showing clear "hairlines" at right, gorgeous colour and impression and with full unblemished original gum, VF NH JUMBO **300.00**
- 638 ★ **107e, 1924-1927 2c Green (Dry printing)** Lower left blank margin full sheet of 100, reasonably centered, some gum disturbance confined to two columns at right, perf separations in places, F-VF NH *(Illustrated on Page 182)* **Est. 750.00**
- 639 ★ **107i, 1922 2c Deep Green (Wet printing)** A jumbo margined mint example, well centered with blazing colour and full original gum; a great stamp for the discriminating collector, XF NH GEM **90.00+**





- 640 ★ 107 shade, 1923-1925 2c Grass Green (Dry printing) A remarkable upper left corner single, well centered and showing a most unusual dry print shade, beautiful pastel colour. A desirable stamp for the specialist, VF+ NH **Est. 150.00+**



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- 641 ★ 108, 1918-1922 3c Brown (Wet printing) Extremely well centered mint single, brilliant fresh colour, choice, VF+ NH **120.00+**
- 642 ★ 108c, 1923 3c Brown (Dry printing) Irregular mint block of 66 (17 stamps with straight edge), unusually well centered for such a large multiple, fresh VF NH (Catalogue value \$5,880 for non straight edge stamps) *(Illustrated on Website)* **Est. 1,500.00**
- 643 ★ 108c, 1923 3c Brown (Dry printing) Well centered mint example with large margins, deep colour, XF NH **120.00+**
- 644 ★ 108c, 1923 3c Brown (Dry printing) Premium mint single, remarkably well centered with well-balanced large margins, XF NH **120.00+**



- 645 ★ 109, 109d, 1923 3c Carmine and Rose Carmine shades, Die I (Dry printing) Choice mint blocks of four with distinctive shades, well centered, VF NH **840.00**



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- 646 ★ **110d, 1925-1926 4c Yellow Ochre (Dry printing)** Selected mint example, well centered within large margins, lovely rich colour, VF+ NH **210.00**
- 647 ★ **112, 1922-1925 5c Violet (Wet printing)** Precisely centered mint block, lovely rich colour and full pristine original gum; choice, XF NH **720.00+**
- 648 ★ **112a, 1924 5c Violet on Thin Paper (Wet printing)** Choice mint example, with precise centering and lovely rich colour, XF NH **135.00+**
- 649 ★ **112av, 1924 5c Violet on Thin Paper (Wet printing - Plate 21)** Fresh mint block showing pyramid guidelines in left margin, very scarce, F-VF NH **1,950.00**



- 650 ★ **112av, 1924 5c Violet on Thin Paper (Wet printing)** Two different right sheet margin mint blocks showing upper and lower halves of the pyramid guidelines (from Plate 22, where the lines show at right), one block with natural gum skip on left pair, otherwise fresh and F-VF NH **Est. 250.00**
- 651 ★ **112c, 1925 5c Violet (Redrawn Framelines; Dry printing)** Well centered and fresh mint single, with redrawn framelines in all four corners, VF NH **210.00**
- 652 ★ **112i, 1921-1923 5c Grey Violet (Wet printing)** A fabulous mint single in a lovely early shade, extremely well centered with impressive large margins seldom found on wet printings. A wonderful stamp for the perfectionist, XF NH GEM **180.00+**



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- 653 ★ **113, 1915-1918 7c Yellow Ochre (Wet printing)** Post office fresh mint block, well centered within unusually large margins, brilliant colour and pristine original gum, VF+ NH **960.00**
- 654 ★ **113, 1918 7c Yellow Ochre (Wet printing)** Pristine mint single in an unusual shade, radiant colour, well centered, XF NH **240.00+**
- 655 ★ **113b, 1913 7c Straw (First Wet printing)** Quite well centered mint example of this sought-after shade / printing, deep rich colour and with full original gum, scarce, VF NH **900.00**
- 656 ★ **113iii, 1918 7c Yellow Ochre (Wet printing)** A well centered mint single with strong colour, showing retouched vertical frameline in upper right spandrel, seldom seen this nice, VF+ NH **600.00**
- 657 ★ **116, 1912-1920 10c Plum (Wet printing)** Attractive mint single, lovely bright shade on fresh paper, VF NH **1,200.00**



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- 658 ★ **117 + variety, 1922-1924 10c Blue (Wet printing)** Left sheet margin block of four, well centered, upper right shows short entry plate variety at upper left spandrel, unusual, VF NH **960.00+**
- 659 ★ **117 variety, 1921-1924 10c Blue (Wet printing)** Upper right block of four showing an impressive heavy inking plate smear as well as "Ghost" pyramid lines in right margin, lower pair NH. A great item for the specialist, Fine **Est. 500.00**



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- 660 ★ 120, 1925 50c Black Brown (Dry printing) A very well centered mint block of four, pristine and fresh with full immaculate original gum; a superb block, XF NH **1,440.00**
- 661 ★ 122, 1925 \$1 Orange (Dry printing) Well centered mint block of nine, centre column with large margins, fresh and choice with full original gum, VF NH **4,050.00**



- 662 ★ 126d, 1923 1c Yellow, Die I (Wet printing), Perf 8 Vertically Superb mint coil strip of four with radiant colour, precise centering and immaculate original gum; as nice as they come, XF NH **160.00+**



- 663 ★ 126c-130a, 1924 1c, 2c & 3c Admiral (Wet printing), Perf 8 Vertically Part Perforate Coils (Sheet Format) A nice set of three in blocks, the 1c and 2c unusually well centered and VF, the 3c F-VF with light gum bend, overall a choice set in fresh mint NH condition **4,400.00**



- 664 ★ 127, 1912 2c Carmine (Wet printing), Perf 8 Vertically Nicely centered mint coil strip of four with fabulous colour and pristine original gum; VF NH **600.00**



- 665 ★ 128, 1922 2c Green (Wet printing), Perf 8 Vertically An impressive strip of four, unusually well centered for this particular printing. Tough to find in such select quality, VF+ NH **300.00+**



- 666 ★ 129, 1918 3c Brown (Wet printing), Perf 8 Vertically Exceptionally well centered coil mint pair, lovely rich colour, intact perforations and full pristine original gum; difficult to find in such superior quality, XF NH **250.00+**



- 667 ★ 130, 1924 3c Carmine, Die 1 (Wet printing), Perf 8 Vertically Quite well centered mint paste-up strip of four, rich colour and intact perforations, small owner's handstamp on reverse, VF NH **1,125.00**



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- 668 ★ 131, 131ii, 1914-1916 1c Dark Green & Blue Green (Wet printings), Perf 12 Horizontally Choice mint coil strips of four in two very distinct shades, fresh VF NH 375.00



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- 669 ★ 139i, 1926 2c on 3c Carmine, Die I (Dry printing) One-Line Provisional Surcharge Mint block of four showing dramatic shift and slanting of the surcharge, lower pair is NH, appealing and VF 825.00
- 670 ★ MR2Bi, 1915 5c Blue "INLAND REVENUE WAR TAX" Overprint in Black (Wet printing) Mint block of twelve (4x3), natural straight edge at foot, fresh with full original gum; a seldom seen large multiple, Fine NH (Unitrade \$3,000) Est. 500.00
- 671 ★ MR3, 1916 2c+1c Carmine, Die I (Wet printing), Perf 12 Premium mint example, extremely well centered and lovely rich colour, XF NH 180.00+
- 672 ★ MR3, 1916 2c+1c Carmine, Die I (Wet printing), Perf 12 Fresh and well centered mint example, pristine original gum, VF+ NH 180.00



- 673 ★ **MR4b, MR4ii, 1916 2c+1c Brown War Tax, Die I (Wet printing)** Large margined imperforate pair, also horizontal pair in yellow brown shade imperforate vertically with light crease on right stamp, un gummed as issued F-VF **Est. 835.00**

MISCELLANEOUS



- 674 ★ **One cent Green to Three cent Carmine Selection of Mint NH Singles** A very nice group selected for centering and showing a lovely variety of shades for each, includes #104 (18), #105 (11), #106 (9), #107 (24 + 11 on the thin paper), #108 (13) and #109 (18). All fresh mint NH with numerous VF examples **Est. 2,000.00+**
- 675 ★ **Balance Lot of One cent Green (Shades) Plate Multiples** Includes (mainly) strips of ten of Plate 3, 8, 10, 16, 17 (upper and lower), 20, 36, 45, 56, 57, 64, 76 (upper and lower), 78 (UL, LL and LR), 80, 91, 98, 109, 133, 149, 156; also blocks of six to ten of Plate 24 (upper and lower blocks of eight), 74, 85, 86, 132, 160, 168, and 169. Mixed condition on a few, some with separation or severed, generally F-VF; a very useful lot for the specialist. *(Not Illustrated)* **Est. 2,000.00+**
- 676 ★ **Balance Lot of One cent Yellow (Printings) Plate Multiples** Includes (mainly) strips and blocks of four, includes Plates 169, 170 (3), 175, 179, 180, 182 (2), 186 (2), 187 (3), 188, 190, 197. Mixed condition on some but generally Fine to Very Fine, many with stamps NH. *(Not Illustrated)* **Est. 600.00+**
- 677 ★ **Balance Lot of Two cent Carmine (Shades) Plate Multiples** With pairs, strips of three or longer, and blocks of four or larger: includes Plates 1, 4 (upper and lower), 6 (2), 11 (2), 17, 19 (upper and lower), 20, 22, 26, 28 (UL and UR), 29, 30, 34, 39, 40 (upper and lower), 43, 45, 46, 50, 55, 57, 59, 60 (2), 61-64, 65 (2), 66 (upper and lower), 67, 69, 70, 72, 73 (2), 74, 76, 121, 125, 127, 131, 133, 137, 140, 152, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160 (2). Condition varies from mixed to F-VF, some with separation (a few severed) to be expected, noted a broad range of shades and some nicely centered blocks, many stamps are NH. A wonderful opportunity for the Admiral issue specialist. *(Illustrated on Website)* **Est. 2,000.00+**



- 678 ★ Balance Lot of Two cent Carmine (Shades) Plate Multiples** Includes various plate strips mostly of ten stamps, showing wide range of shades - Plates 13, 18, 26, 28 (LL and LR), 38 (UL, UR and LL), 41 (UL and LR) 44, 45, 50, 59, 75 (UR and LR), 90, 103, 105, 125 and 137, Mixed condition and some with perf separation or severed, otherwise generally Fine to Very Fine. An excellent lot for the specialist; many stamps are NH. **Est. 1,250.00+**
- 679 ★ Balance Lot of Two cent Green (Printings) Plate Multiples** A nice selection of plate strips of (mostly) four, with Plates 162-167, 170, 172 (2), 178, 185, 186, 188-197, 199-203, 204 (2), 206-209, 210 (2), 211-218, 219 (2), 220, 224, 227-229, also blocks of eight or larger with Plates 159, 185, 203, 205, 213 (2), 214, 218 and 226. A few with flaws or perf separation, centering ranges from Fine to Very Fine and a high percentage of stamps are NH. A solid lot with many seldom seen plate numbers. *(Illustrated on Website)* **Est. 1,500.00+**
- 680 ★ Balance Lot of Three cent Brown and Carmine (Printings) Plate Multiples** Includes Three cent brown, strips of four to blocks of eight - Plate 72, 107, 109, 119, Three cent Carmine (mostly in blocks of eight) Plates 115, 121, 122, 123, 135 (3), 136 (2), 137 (2), 138 (2), 141, also strips of twenty of Plate 117 (UR) and 137 (UR). A few with minor flaws, some separation to be expected, generally Fine to Very Fine *(Illustrated on Website)* **Est. 1,000.00+**
- 681 ★ Balance Lot of Four cent (Printings) Plate Multiples** Includes Plate 1 pair, strips of four and ten, blocks of four and eight, Plate 2 two pairs, plus strip and block, Plate 3 & 4 strips of four, Plate 5 strip of three, Plate 6 strip of four. Three strips with pen notation in margin, a few with flaws or some minor separation, otherwise Fine to Very Fine *(Not Illustrated)* **Est. 500.00+**
- 682 ★ Balance Lot of Five cent Plate Multiples** Includes 5c blue Plate 12 and 13 blocks; 5c violet Plate 21 strip of four, Plates 22 and 24 blocks of eight, then 5c violet on thin paper Plate 21 strip of five, blocks of six and twelve (2), Plate 22 strip of four, blocks of ten and twelve (2). The odd flaw but mostly Fine or better, many stamps are NH. *(Illustrated on Website)* **Est. 750.00+**
- 683 ★ Balance Lot of Seven cent to Twenty cent (Printings) Plate Multiples** Includes 22 plate multiples: 7c yellow ochre Plate 5 UL block of eight; 7c red brown Plate 7 strip of three, block of six, Plate 8 block of six, block of eight; 8c Plate 3 strip of four (2), 10c blue Plate 14 strip of four, Plate 19 strip of four, Plate 21 strip of four, Plate 22 strips of four and five and a block of eight; 10c bistre brown Plate 23 strip of four, block and blocks of eight (2), Plate 24 strip of four, Plate 25 block; 20c olive green Plate 4 pair, Plate 9 strip of five. A couple with ink notation in margin and a few with minor flaws, otherwise F-VF with many stamps NH. *(Illustrated on Website)* **Est. 1,000.00+**
- 684 ★ Provisional Plate Multiple Assortment** Includes imperforate 1c yellow Plate 180 and 2c green Plate 189; 1926 2c on 3c One-Line Surcharge Plate 115 strip of five, Plate 116 strip of four, Plate 117 block of six; Two-Line Surcharge Plate 116 block of eight; also substantial group of 1931 3c perf 12x8 provisional printing with plate blocks of eight for Plate 13 (4), Plate 14 (3), Plate 15 (2), also strips of ten Plate 13 (UR), Plate 14 (UR), Plate 15 (UL) and plate strip of twenty of Plate 13 (UR). Some flaws and minor perf separation to be expected, F-VF, many stamps are NH. *(Illustrated on Website)* **Est. 1,250.00+**



- 685 ★ Balance Lot of Admiral War Tax Plate Multiples** Includes MR1 Plate 14 UL strips of ten and of eight, Plate 15 LL block of nine, Plate 17 block of twelve, nine and four; MR2 Plate 2 UL block of eight, Plate 3 lower block of eight, Plate 4 - rose carmine UL strip of ten, Plate 6 LR strip of twenty, Plate 8 UL block of eight; MR3 Plate 2 - rose red LR strip of ten (severed in two), Plate 4 LL strip of ten, Plate 11 UR strip of twenty (severed in two) and block, Plate 12 block; MR4 Plate 17 UL strip of ten, Plate 20 LL strip of ten, Plate 35 UL strip of ten, Plate 55 - yellow brown shade UR block of eighteen, upper block of six and strip of four; MR5 Plate 1 upper (x2) and Plate 2 upper strips of twenty. Some flaws to be expected, but generally sound, F-VF with a quite high percentage of stamps being NH. **Est. 1,500.00+**

- 686 ★ Assortment of Various Large Multiples and Part Sheets** Housed in a Lighthouse binder with 81 mint multiples from 1c green to \$1 orange, majority in blocks of eight or larger; some with plate inscriptions. Noted four large multiples of the 4c including a dry printing part sheet of 70, quite well centered and NH; 5c blue (two shades) NH blocks of 4 and of 12; 7c straw block of 16 NH; \$1 orange dry printing NH block of nine; #140 two-line surcharge lower pane of 50 stamps, showing part of pyramid guide at UR, etc. Noted many well centered stamps (and NH) in these multiples. A wonderful lot for the bourse or internet dealer. Generally Fine to Very Fine throughout.

(Illustrated on Website) **Est. 7,500.00+**



- 687 ★ Mint Issues Balance of Consignment** An extensive accumulation mainly organized by grade from One cent to One dollar. Very well represented, strong duplication is to be expected especially on the lower denominations but there is an excellent range of shades / printings / dies / types, etc. Better items noted such as the 5c blue (#111) with 162 singles from the dark deep indigo shade to the light blue of later printings, #113 with several straw shades (also some that appear to be the elusive "sage green"), 10c plum (#116) with 91 singles from first reddish purple printing to dark brown purple, 50c with 183 singles from jet black to silver black to the re-engraved dry printing. Also includes 1924 imperforate singles, 1926 provisional surcharges and 1931 perf 12x8 issues. A wonderful lot for studying this complex definitive issue, looking for potential re-entries, retouches, plate flaws, shades, design types, etc. Some mixed condition in places but also numerous stamps being well centered and/or never hinged. Enormous catalogue value. **Est. 7,500.00+**



- 688 ★ Substantial Balance Lot of Admiral Coil Issues** Several hundred mostly in singles and pairs, some additionally represented by paste-up pairs and / or strips of four, mainly sorted by grade. Also 1924 1c and 2c part perforates (sheet format) with selection of blocks of four and larger multiples; noted 1c and 2c pairs of the elusive wet printing. Strength of this duplicated accumulation is in the shades with potential for finding re-entries, retouches and other minor varieties. Some used but the vast majority is mint throughout. A high percentage being sound and Fine to Very Fine with numerous NH examples. Inspection is recommended; high catalogue value. **Est. 2,500.00+**



- 689 ★ Balance Lot of Lathework Multiples** A substantial lot consisting of 71 lathework items ranging from singles to a strip of ten. Some duplication but offers a variety of shades and different strength lathework, emphasis on 1c to 3c values, plus some War Tax. Noted #126c very well centered unused block of four with 100% strength lathework; 20c olive green, dry printing, Type D lathework block of four, \$1 orange, dry printing well centered mint hinged block of four, etc. Condition is mixed in places but the vast majority are Fine or better with many never hinged. Worth careful inspection. **Est. 3,500.00+**
- 690 ★ Private Initials, Etc.** Includes 1c green block of four (2) and single (2) with CPR perfin, all NH - most unusual. Also 1c yellow GTR perfin block of four and Type D inverted lathework block of four, both with some soiling on back and creased on two stamps. Also Admiral "blank" block of four and single, perforated and gummed NH, etc. **(Not Illustrated) Est. 250.00+**

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This remarkable section comprise several unusually strong areas; Pence 1851-1859 issues, rare and seldom offered plate multiples from 1897 Diamond Jubilee to 1942-1943 King George VI War definitives, superb late Victorian era to Admirals mint never hinged stamps, interesting airmails and revenues with key items. There are many valuable large lots and collections, comprehensive in their respective subjects.

Lot 691 - 1237

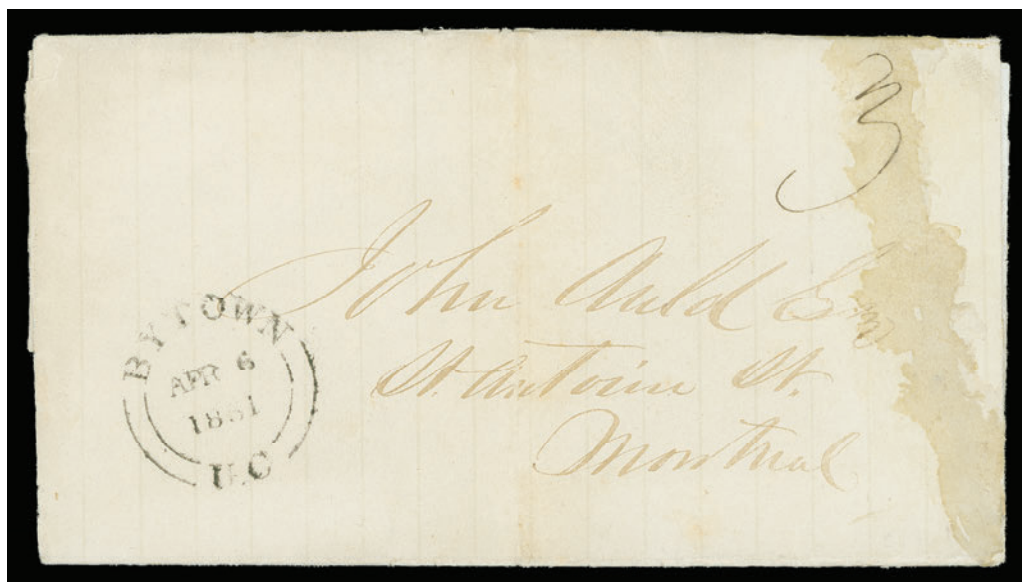


General Sale

Saturday February 15th, 2014
Canada, Admirals, Airmails, Revenues
Large Lots and Collections

Lot 691 – Lot 1237
Auction begins at 1:30pm (AST)

POSTMARKED ON FIRST DAY OF THE POST OFFICE TRANSFER TO THE CANADIAN GOVERNMENT



- 691** ☒ 1851 (April 6) Folded lettersheet mailed on Sunday April 6, 1851. On this day the transfer took place of the Post Office in Canada from the control of the Imperial authorities to the Provincial Government. Manuscript rate "3" (to collect) and clear Bytown double arc dispatch datestamp in black at lower left, Montreal AP 8 datestamp in red on reverse; cover with central file fold and repair and stain at right. This is the only recorded cover mailed on THE FIRST DAY OF POSTAL CONTROL FROM BRITISH TO CANADIAN AUTHORITIES. An important cover ideal for exhibition, Fine; 2013 Greene Foundation cert. **Est. 3,000.00+**

Literature: Canadian Postal Guide, published by Postmaster General, 1863 - reprinted in 1966 with note by Charles deVolpi
Canada Its Postage Stamps and Postal Stationery, by Clifton Howes, on pages 28-29.

Arfken, Leggett, et al. "Canada's Pence Era" book on page 3 reads: "On April 6, 1851, when the Post Office came under provincial control, the letter rate became 3d per ½ ounce, independent of distance. This 3d paid for a half ounce letter mailed to any place in Canada (modern Ontario and Quebec). The 3d Beaver stamp was issued on April 23, 1851 to pay this domestic letter rate."

CANADA
PENCE



- 692 P 1P, 3p Red Right-hand margin vertical plate proof pair (Position 50, 60), selected fresh, on card mounted india paper, VF 700.00



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- 693 P 1P, 3p Red Choice plate proof single on card mounted india paper, VF 350.00
- 694 P 1TCv, 3p Black Trial colour plate proof single with horizontal SPECIMEN overprint in orange, choice, VF 300.00
- 695 ◎ 1, 1851 3p Red on Handmade Laid Paper, Imperforate Used single with bright colour on fresh paper, clear margin at ample to oversized margins, central concentric rings cancel, F-VF; 1986 Greene Foundation cert. 1,200.00

- 696 P 2TC, 6p Red Lilac Plate proof single on india paper, VF (Illustrated on Page 196) 250.00



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- 697 P 2TCi, 1857 6p Red Purple Trial colour plate proof block of six showing full imprint in sheet margin at top, vibrant colour on card mounted india paper, VF 1,650.00+
- 698 P 2TCi, 1857 6p Red Purple Trial colour plate proof block of four on india paper, lower left plate position showing small portion of imprint at top left and bottom right, VF 1,100.00



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- 699 P 2TCi, 1857 6p Red Purple Trial colour plate proof strip of three on card mounted india paper showing full imprint in lower margin, choice and attractive, VF **825.00+**

- 700 P 2TCi, 6p Red Purple Large margined trial colour plate proof on india paper, VF **275.00**



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- 701 P 2TCii, 1864 6p Orange Yellow Trial colour plate proof pair on india paper, attractive and VF **800.00**

- 702 P 2TCix, 6p Black Trial colour plate proof pair with vertical SPECIMEN overprint in carmine on india paper; a nice item, VF **600.00**



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- 703 P 2TCv, 6p Grey Trial colour plate proof in block of four on india paper with vertical SPECIMEN overprint in orange, sheet margin at top, VF **1,000.00**

- 704 P 2TCvii, 6p Dark Grey Trial colour plate proof pair with vertical SPECIMEN overprint (shifted up) in carmine on india paper, VF **500.00**

- 705 P 2TCviii, 6p Greenish Grey Trial colour plate proof on india paper with vertical SPECIMEN overprint in carmine, VF **250.00**



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- 706 P 2TCx, 6p Black Trial colour plate proof on card mounted india paper, showing vertical SPECIMEN overprint in orange, VF **300.00**
- 707 P 2TCxi, 6p Grey Blue Trial colour plate proof on india paper with vertical SPECIMEN in carmine, choice, VF **325.00**
- 708 P 2TCxi variety, 6p Prince Albert Trial colour plate proof on card mounted india paper with an odd dark greyish blue shade, vertical SPECIMEN overprint in carmine and sheet margin at left, appealing and VF **325.00+**



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- 709 P 2TCxii, 6p Lilac Trial colour plate proof pair on india paper, showing vertical SPECIMEN overprint in carmine, VF **600.00**
- 710 P 2TCxiii, 6p Lilac Trial colour plate proof single with vertical SPECIMEN overprint in orange on card mounted india paper, VF **250.00**



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- 711 ☉ 2, 1851 6p Slate Violet on Handmade Laid Paper, Imperforate Used example with full to very large margins showing part of adjacent stamp at top, clear, sharp laid lines and concentric rings cancel, VF **2,500.00**
- 712 ☉ 2, 1851 6p Slate Violet on Handmade Laid Paper, Imperforate Used example with clear margin at foot to large margins on other sides, clearly visible laid lines, nice colour and ideal centrally struck concentric rings cancel, F-VF **1,875.00**
- 713 ☉ 2, 1851 6p Slate Violet on Handmade Laid Paper, Imperforate Used single, clear from frameline at top with full to large margins on other sides, nice colour and clear concentric rings cancellation, Fine+ **1,250.00**



- 714 ☒ 2, 1853 (October 24) Envelope franked with Canadian Postage Stamps **Used From the United States**, bearing a 6p slate violet on laid paper, touching design at foot to large margins on other sides, tied by pen cancels, Ledyard, Connecticut dispatch datestamp shown at left, not accepted by Postmaster and according to regulations was rated "6d" (due), U States cross border exchange marking in red, Brockville and Perth OC 28 receiver backstamps; cover with minor toning of no importance for this striking usage, one of only two recorded uses of the 1851 six pence from the United States, Fine; 2013 Greene Foundation cert. **Est. 4,000.00+**

Literature: Illustrated in Winthrop Boggs handbook on page 86 (Figure 49)

Provenance: Dale-Lichtenstein, H.R. Harmer, Inc., Sale 10, Lot 20
 Dr. John L. Robertson, Bennett Auctions, April 2004, Lot 206
 Warren Wilkinson, Firby Auctions, June 2007, Lot 180
 Joseph Hackmey, March 2011, Lot 10339



- 715 ☒ 2, 1852 (June 17) Blue folded cover from Montreal to New York bearing a large margined 6p slate violet on laid paper cancelled by concentric rings, Montreal double split ring dispatch and exchange office oval arc CANADA and straightline PAID handstamps in red at left; light file fold well away from stamp. A choice first issue cover, VF; 2010 Greene Foundation cert. **Est. 1,250.00+**



- 716 © **2b, 1851 6p Greyish Purple on Handmade Laid Paper, Imperforate** Selected used example, adequate to large margins all around, light concentric rings cancellation in BLUE; a nice stamp, VF; 1988 Brandon cert. **Est. 2,500.00**



- 717 P **3P, 12p Black** Plate proof single printed in issued colour on india paper, translucent mounting mark on reverse and light diagonal crease do not detract from its nice appearance; an elusive proof, VF (Unitrade \$5,000) **Est. 1,500.00**



- 718 P **3Pi, 12p Black** Choice margined plate proof pair printed in issued colour with vertical SPECIMEN overprint in carmine, on card mounted india paper; a very attractive and scarce proof multiple, VF **Est. 5,000.00**



- 719 F **3, 12p Black** A cleverly rebacked proof with forged target cancellation added, very convincing appearance and an ideal spacefiller for this world famous rarity, very well executed and an excellent reference example; 1994 Greene Foundation cert. **Est. 2,500.00+**



**CANADA PENCE ISSUE COVER
USED FROM RED RIVER SETTLEMENT**



- 720 ☒ 4, 1862 (April 27) Buff envelope from Red River Settlement via Pembina, United States, franked with two 3p red singles on medium wove paper, ample to large margins, tied by Pembina, Min. APR 27 (1862) datestamp, additional strike at right along with blue arc U. States / 10 exchange marking, addressed to Ottawa with Prescott MY 17 transit and City of Ottawa MY 19 arrival backstamps, then forwarded with Franktown MY 22 and Almonte receiver on reverse. Very rare and quite likely the most impressive franking of any cover originating from the Red River Settlement, a wonderful exhibition caliber cover, Very Fine **Est. 15,000.00+**

Expertization: 2013 Greene Foundation certificate

Provenance: Fred Jarrett, Sissons, Sale 166, October 1959, Lot 110

Sam Nickle, Christie's New York, March 1993, Lot 90 (Sold for US\$22,425 (includes buyer's premium)

K.L. Collection of Classic Rarities, April 1996, Lot 18

Floyd Risvold, January 2010, Lot 241 (Sold for US\$20,000 + 15% buyer's premium)

On July 9, 1858, the Post Office Department contracted a mail service to Fort William and onward to the Red River Settlement, which was owned by the Hudson's Bay Company. The contractor was supplied with pence issue stamps of the Province of Canada, to be distributed to the various Post Offices. James Ross was appointed Postmaster at Fort Garry and Pence stamps were sold in the Settlement. These were the only stamps used in Fort Garry until the acquisition of the Hudson's Bay Territories by Canada in 1869. The contracted mail service to the Settlement was ended during the winter of 1861, after which the Settlement became dependent on the U.S. Post Office at Pembina, Minnesota Territory for service.



- 721 ☒ 4, 1853 (September 17) Folded entire lettersheet from Quebec to London, England bearing two singles and strip of three 3p red on medium wove paper, left single cut in at right, the strip with scissor cut between left pair and light file fold affecting middle stamp, nice deep colour and nicely tied by concentric rings. Pays the rare One shilling and Four pence rate via the Cunard Packets from New York to Liverpool, bold Steam Boat Letter / Quebec SP 17 1853 datestamp struck on front, instructional marking "More-To-Pay" and handstamped large "1" (pence due) as exact prepayment (1sh4p). At the time it was impossible to correctly pay the rate with stamps only, prior to the issuing of the 10p stamp in 1855; backstamped OC 3 1853 in red. An impressive cover destined for a serious collection, F-VF; 2013 Greene Foundation cert. **Est. 5,000.00+**

Provenance: W.E. Lea Pence / Cents exhibit collection (private sale)
Warren Wilkinson, June 2007, Lot 258

Only four 16 pence Cunard rate prepaid covers to England have been recorded (the rate was reduced to Ten pence in March 1854). Two of these are franked with two 6p and one 3p, the other two (including the cover offered here) are franked with five 3p stamps. See Arfken, Leggett, et al. "Canada's Pence Era" book, pages 207-210 and illustration of this cover (Figure 188).



- 722 ☒ 4, 1856 (May 15) Small envelope shortpaid to New Brunswick, prepaid single weight franked with 3p red on medium wove with large margins, light grid cancel, Hamilton double arc dispatch at left, rated as due for an additional "6" in blue which ties stamp (10c US) as it was deemed a double weight letter (or other possibility is that it prepaid the three pence interprovincial rate, but for some unclear reason was uprated to the current six pence US rate); via Quebec MY 18, superb Mon & Isld. PD. Grand Tr'k R Way / No. 5 / A / DOWN / MAY 19 1856 (Gray QC-166.05), Island Pond, Vt MAY 20, St. Andrews, NB MY 23 and St. John MY 24 arrival backstamps. VF; 2013 Greene Foundation cert., ex. John Siverts (September 1989, Lot 41); Warren Wilkinson (2007; Lot 133) **Est. 2,000.00+**



- 723 ★ **4a, 1853 3p Brown Red on Medium Wove Paper, Imperforate** An impressive unused example with sheet margin at left and ample margins on other sides, scissor cut entirely in right margin at foot (not mentioned in accompanying certificate), deep colour and strong impression. A visually appealing unused example, VF; 1993 FQP cert. (identified as #4) **2,100.00**



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- 724 ◎ **4a, 1853 3p Brown Red on Medium White Wove Paper, Imperforate** Superb used with large margins, rich colour and clear impression, light concentric rings cancel, XF; 2005 Greene Foundation cert. **350.00+**
- 725 ◎ **4c, 1858 3p Red on Soft Horizontal Ribbed Paper, Imperforate** A selected example of this distinctive paper, large margins and lovely bright colour on fresh paper, completely sound, light central four-ring '21' cancel. VF and scarce **750.00**
- 726 ★ **4d, 1854 3p Orange Red on Thin Hard Wove Paper, Imperforate** Mint single with clear margin at left to large margins on other sides, slight colour oxidization mentioned for the record, with large part original gum and scarce thus, F-VF; clear 2007 Brandon and 2000 Greene Foundation certificates. **3,000.00**



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- 727 ◎ **4d, 1852 3p Orange Red on Thin Crisp Wove Paper, Imperforate** A choice large margined example with light cancel on fresh paper, VF+ **300.00**
- 728 ◎ **4i, 1856 3p Deep Red on Medium White Wove Paper, Imperforate** Superb used example with unusually large margins, lovely rich colour and sharp impression on fresh wove paper, neat concentric rings cancel, XF **350.00+**
- 729 ◎ **4xi, 1854 Scarlet Vermilion on Thin Wove Paper, Imperforate** Used single surrounded by very large margins, lovely shade, VF+ **350.00**



- 730 ★ **5, 1855 6p Slate Grey on Medium Wove Paper, Imperforate** A remarkably scarce unused example, just into outer frameline at left, otherwise clear to large margins, completely sound with brilliant colour, Fine; 2010 RPSL (identified as SG #10 1852-1857 6p greenish grey on handmade wove paper) **15,000.00**



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- 731 ☉ **5, 1855 6p Slate Grey on Medium Wove Paper, Imperforate** A lovely used example with well clear to large margins, gorgeous colour and bright impression on pristine fresh paper showing an appealing and large portion of four-ring '21' cancel in black; a beautifully postmarked stamp, VF **2,000.00**
- 732 ☉ **5, 1855 6p Slate Grey on Medium Wove Paper, Imperforate** A beautiful used example with great colour and bright impression on fresh white paper, faint minute corner crease at lower left, clear to large margins and neat concentric rings cancel; pencil signed by Herbert Bloch on reverse, VF; 1979 Friedl cert. **2,000.00**
- 733 ☉ **5b, 1856 6p Greenish Grey on Medium Wove Paper, Imperforate** An impressive, large margined example with lovely colour on fresh white wove paper, light face-free cancellation in BLUE. An attractive stamp in premium condition, XF; 2001 Brandon cert. **2,000.00+**



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- 734 ☉ **7, 1854 10p Blue on Thin Crisp Paper, Imperforate** Selected large margined used example with deep radiant colour, concentric rings cancel. A difficult stamp to find in sound condition, VF; 1963 BPA cert. **2,500.00**
- 735 ☉ **7a, 1858 10p Blue on Medium White Wove Paper, Imperforate** An appealing used single, clear to large margins, bright fresh colour on white wove paper showing centrally struck and clear four-ring '29' (Perth) cancellation in black, Fine **1,500.00**



- 736 ★ **7a + variety, 1858 10p Blue on Medium White Wove Paper, Imperforate** Unused single with lovely rich colour and clear impression, just into outer frameline at right, just clear to full margins on other sides, showing **strong Re-entry (Position 90)** noticeable doubling in upper left "8d stg" and framelines. A scarce sound unused stamp, especially desirable with the plate variety, Fine; 2013 Greene Foundation cert. Listed in Unitrade as #7v, but still unpriced in unused condition - both on thin and white wove paper; catalogue value as normal unused stamp without plate variety. **7,000.00**



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- 737 P **8TCii, ½p Black** Trial colour plate proof pair with vertical SPECIMEN overprint in carmine on india paper, F-VF **600.00**
- 738 P **8TCii, ½p Queen Victoria** Trial colour plate proof printed in black with vertical SPECIMEN overprint in carmine on india paper, choice, VF **300.00**
- 739 ◎ **8, 1857 ½p Rose on Medium Wove Paper, Imperforate** Appealing used example with full to very large margins all around, bright colour and unusually clear four-ring '27' (Ottawa) cancellation in black; a pretty stamp, VF **1,000.00**



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- 740 ◎ **9, 1857 7½p Green on Medium Wove Paper** Single with clear to full margins, pen cancel expertly removed to appear unused, still retaining its fresh colour, some gum has been added, F-VF **3,375.00**
- 741 ◎ **9 variety, 1857 7½p Green on Medium Wove Paper, Imperforate** An attractive used single with adequate to large margins showing **re-entry (Position 66)** noticeable inside ovals and frameline at top, bright colour and unusually clear impression for this stamp, light diamond grid cancellation in black; a nice example, VF (Unitrade catalogue value for normal stamp) 2002 Greene Foundation cert. **4,500.00**
- 742 ★ **10, 1857 6p Reddish Purple on Thick Soft Fibrous Paper, Imperforate** Unused example into design at top and along frameline at left, clear margins on other two sides, usual small thins, pinhole and soiling on front. Nevertheless a rare and collectable example of this key classic stamp in unused condition; 2013 Greene Foundation cert. **Est. 2,000.00**
- 743 ◎ **12, 1859 3p Red, Perf 11¼** Used single with deep rich colour, typical centering for the issue, superb strike of four-ring '19' (London, U.C.) cancel in black, Fine+ **600.00+**



- 744 ★ 12vii, 1859 3p Red, Perf 11¼ Remarkable mint example of this challenging stamp, clearly showing the elusive **Major Re-entry (Position 61, Pane B)**, reasonably centered for this first perforated issue, lovely bright colour, intact perforations and still retaining portion of its original gum, slightly disturbed from hinging. A rare mint stamp, especially with a prominent plate variety, Fine+ OG; 2013 Greene Foundation cert. (Unitrade valuation for basic mint stamp; plate variety is currently listed but is still unpriced in both mint and used condition) **24,000.00**



- 745 ★ 13, 1859 6p Brown Violet, Perf 11¼ An impressive mint example displaying incredible rich colour and strong clear impression, above average centering for this first perforated issue of Canada with perforations clear of design on three sides, minute perf stain at top left is hardly visible, still retaining a large portion of its original gum (rarely seen on this stamp), certainly one of the finest original gum examples extant. A great stamp for an advanced collection, F-VF OG; 2005 Greene Foundation cert. **40,000.00**



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- 746 ★ 13, 1859 6p Brown Violet, Perf 11¼ A remarkable unused example of this difficult stamp, well centered with intact perforations and unusually wide margins for the issue, lovely true colour and sharp impression on fresh paper. Without question one of the better unused examples that we have seen, Very Fine; 1963 BPA cert. (signed Robson Lowe) ex. *E. Carey Fox (October 1968; Lot 73)* **30,000.00**
- 747 ◎ 13, 1859 6p Brown Violet, Perf 11¼ An attractive used example of this challenging stamp, quite well centered for the issue, miniscule corner perf crease at lower right, full intact perforations, bright colour and impression on fresh white paper and showing a clear grid "16" (Hamilton) cancellation in black; a sought-after stamp, F-VF; 1976 PF cert. **7,500.00**



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- 748 ✉ **15c**, 1860 (February 2) Small envelope slightly reduced at left sent registered from Paris, U.C. to Michigan, attractively franked with a vertical strip of three of the 5c brownish orange red, perf 11¼ (very early printing), neatly tied by four-ring '28' numeral cancels, clear split ring dispatch and straightline REGISTERED at left; additional Paris, D.P.O. FE 2 split ring and Windsor FE 3 double arc transit on reverse. Very pretty and a desirable four ring numeral cancelled cover; according to Firby census this is one of only eight such frankings to the US, VF; 2013 Greene Foundation cert., ex. *Bertram (February 1959; Lot 443A); Horace Harrison (February 2003, Lot 91)* **Est. 1,000.00+**
- 749 ✉ **15ii, 18ii**, 1867 (July 29) Clean cover endorsed "per Cunard Steamer" mailed from Montreal to England, bearing a 5c orange red and 12½c green, both perf 12 and nicely tied by Montreal duplex datestamps; top backflap missing. Pays the 17c Cunard rate (overpaid ½c) effective from July 1, 1859 to January 15, 1868; Sheffield AU 10 67 receiver backstamp. An attractive cover, VF; 2013 Greene Foundation cert. ex. *Dr. John L. Robertson (2004; Lot 169)* **Est. 750.00+**
- 750 P **16Pi, 10c Black Brown** Plate proof pair with vertical SPECIMEN overprint in carmine on india paper, VF (Illustrated on Page 207) **900.00**



- 751 ◎ **16, 1859 10c Black Brown (First Printing; PO1A), Perf 11¼** A remarkable used example of this elusive key first printing, true dark rich colour on fresh white wove paper, quite well centered with socked-on-nose four ring "37" (Quebec) cancel. A very desirable example especially with such a selected numeral cancellation, nearly Very Fine centering; 1994 Greene Foundation cert. **6,000.00**



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752 P 18Pi, 12½c Yellow Green Plate proof pair in issued colour with vertical SPECIMEN overprint in carmine on india paper, choice, VF 600.00
- 753 ☉ 18, 1865-1867 12½c Green, Perf 12 An unusually well centered example clearly showing large portion of Too Lat(e) straightline in italic, VF and attractive Est. 250.00+

UNIQUE QUINTUPLE LETTER RATE TO UNITED KINGDOM



- 754 ☒ 18a, 1861 (November) Folded cover paying an exceedingly rare quintuple letter rate from Grafton, C.W. to London, England, franked with an impressive horizontal strip of five of the 12½c blue green, perf 11¾, nicely centered and clearly tied by concentric rings cancellations in black, light but mostly legible Grafton split ring dispatch in red, Montreal transit on back and London Paid NO 25 arrival circular datestamp in red additionally tying the strip, sealed cover tear at top left and file fold affecting second stamp. According to the Firby census this is a unique franking and the only such quintuple rate (62½c) reported, Fine; 2013 Greene Foundation cert. Est. 6,000.00+

Provenance: Sam Nickle, Christie's New York, March 1993, Lot 556

Literature: Discussed and illustrated in Arfken and Leggett "Canada's Decimal Era 1859-1868" book on pages 124-125 (Figure 3).

Until January 1, 1866, letters over one ounce were not permitted to the United Kingdom. Since there was no provision for triple weight (not over 1½ ounce), violations of the British rate scale were often made, as this cover offered here demonstrates.



- 755 ☒ **18ii**, 1862 (April 25) Blue envelope from Montreal to **Gibraltar**, from the well-known Codrington correspondence, franked with vertical pair of 12½c dark green perf 11¾, tied by Montreal duplex datestamps, sent via London with MY 8 transit in red, manuscript "More to pay 10" crossed out; minor edge wear mentioned for the record, a UNIQUE FRANKING to Gibraltar, Fine; 2013 Greene Foundation cert. **Est. 5,000.00+**

According to Arfken and Leggett census of covers to Gibraltar (23 cent rate), a total of ten covers are known, this being the only such franking (overpaid by 2 cents). The other covers are mostly franked with single 1c, 5c and 17c.



- 756 ☒ **19**, 1862 (August 16) Clean folded cover endorsed "P Cunard Mail Registered" from Toronto to Glasgow, Scotland bearing an attractive single 17c Cartier in the elusive dark prussian blue shade, perf 11¾ tied by diamond shape grid cancels, Toronto split ring dispatch at lower left, bold "Crown" REGISTERED handstamp in red below stamp, same ink REGISTERED and PAID 6dStg straightline markings denoting that the registration fee (12½c) was paid in cash; small cover tear at top. A remarkably rare and most appealing "Cartier" franking, Very Fine; 2013 Greene Foundation cert. **Est. 3,500.00+**

Provenance: John Siverts, May 1989, Lot 627

Horace Harrison, February 2003, Lot 71

Only seven Cunard Packet 17 cent rate covers, plus 12½c registration fee have been reported in Arfken & Leggett "Canada's Decimal Era" book. Of these only two covers show a properly paid registered single-letter rate, one with the registration fee (12½ cent) paid with a stamp and the other (offered here) paid in cash.

LARGE QUEEN / SMALL QUEEN



- 757 ☒ 22, 24, 1868 (September 5) Clean envelope showing all-over Napoleon prize-medal Trunk Manufacturer **advertising on reverse** of envelope, franked with 1c brown red and 2c green on medium wove paper, perf 12 tied by Montreal SP 5 68 duplex datestamps, addressed to Port Hope, Ont, with SP 7 receiver postmark on back, backflap tears, otherwise VF **Est. 200.00+**



- 758 ★ 24b, 1868 2c Deep Green on Thin Crisp Wove Paper, Perf 12** Well centered mint single in the characteristic deep shade associated with this early printing, large part original gum, a few sweated perforation tips (hardly visible), overall a premium example, VF OG; 2010 Greene Foundation cert.
- 2,800.00**



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| 759 | ★ | <p>29a, 1876 15c Dull Brownish Purple on Rougher Surfaced Vertical Wove Paper, Perf 11½x12 A quite well centered unused example of this elusive printing with nice colour; scarce and F-VF; 2001 Greene Foundation cert.</p> | 1,500.00 |
| 760 | ◎ | <p>29a, 1876 15c Dull Brownish Purple on Vertical Wove Paper, Perf 11½x12 Used single with Hamilton AP 14 79 split ring cancel; and 1876-1879 15c dull brownish grey on stout horizontal wove paper, perf 11½x12 with Hamilton JY 19 7? split ring; an elusive dated and Fine duo</p> | 400.00 |



- 761 P 35, 1870 1c Small Queen** A marvelous full die proof, engraved and printed in black on india paper 32 x 50mm, surrounded by printer's guidelines and showing detailed lathework at foot; sunk on card measuring 48 x 65mm. A superb Small Queen die proof of which only three or four exist; Very Fine (35TC1a) **Est. 15,000.00+**

Provenance: Fred Jarrett, Sissons, Sale 175, March 1960, Lot 33
 Dr. Matthew Carstairs (November 1985; Lot 196)
 Emily Lindsey (January 1988; Lot 4458)

THIS IS REPORTEDLY THE FIRST APPROVED DIE PROOF OF THE ENTIRE SMALL QUEEN ISSUE. VISUALLY STUNNING AND A MUST-HAVE FOR A HIGH CALIBER EXHIBIT COLLECTION.



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- 762 ★ 35, 1890s 1c Yellow (Ottawa printing), Perf 12** Choice mint single, brilliant colour, well centered with full original gum; a nice stamp, VF+ NH **180.00+**



- 763 ☒ 35, 1895 (March 5) A remarkable multi-coloured card mailed private postcard rate with well centered 1c yellow, Ottawa printing, perf 12 tied by light RPO CDS and additionally tied by Bowmanville arrival CDS; an exceptional card with tremendous eye-appeal, XF; ex. *Vincent Greene collection (with his backstamp)*, Bill Simpson (Part II, May 1996, Lot 60) **Est. 500.00+**



- 764 ☒ 36e, 37e, 1874 (April 25) A beautiful orange yellow cover franked with 2c deep green and 3c red, Montreal printings perf 11½x12, just tied by clear and centrally struck intaglio "VR" fancy cancellations (Lacelle 859) of Shelburne, Ontario, clear split ring dispatch at left, red straightline REGISTERED, sent to Crown Lands, Toronto; some faults to backflap, a very pretty fancy cancelled cover, VF; ex. *Stanley Cohen (October 1986; Lot 488)* **Est. 500.00+**
- 765 ★ 36i, 1890s 2c Green (Ottawa printing), Perf 12 Extremely well centered mint single surrounded by large even margins, intact perforations, lovely fresh colour and full original gum. A choice and attractive stamp, XF NH; 2013 Sismondo graded cert. (Graded XF-Superb 95 OGnh)
(Illustrated on page 210) **300.00+**



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- 766 ★ **37a, 1872 3c Rose (First Ottawa printing), Perf 12** An attractive mint block of four, right stamps well centered, lovely fresh colour, light horizontal crease on top pair with large portion of its white original gum, characteristic of this early printing. A scarce multiple, F-VF OG **Est. 2,100.00**
- 767 ☉ **38iv, 1888-1889 5c Olive Grey (Montreal "Gazette" printing), Perf 12** An appealing used example of the distinctive "Feather in Hair" plate variety, which briefly surfaced during the late stage of the Montreal printings. Centered a bit low, sound with light cancel, clear of the variety. Rarely encountered, a sought-after item still undervalued in Unitrade, Fine **Est. 750.00+**



- 768 ☉ **41a, 1888 3c Scarlet Carmine shade, Montreal "Gazette" printing, Perf 12** Used strip of three, pulled perf on right-hand stamp, with clear roller ESSAY cancellation, showing HULL / NO 88 / CANADA markings; rare multiple with full strike and most unusual, VF; 2013 Greene Foundation cert. **Est. 500.00+**

According to E.A. Smythies Roller Cancellations handbook (second edition, page 11) he has identified this rare "CANADA" roller essay - the one offered here is complete, on the 1888 3c rose carmine printing. Interestingly this roller was in use more than five years before rollers were starting to be used as a cancelling device.



- 769 ☉ **41a, 1888 3c Rose Carmine shade, Montreal "Gazette" printing, Perf 12** Horizontal used pair with superb ESSAY of roller cancellation showing HULL / 26 NO 88 / CANADA markings; rare item with this remarkable strike, VF; 2013 Greene Foundation cert. (See notes from Lot 768) **Est. 350.00+**



- 770 ★ 46, 1893 20c Vermilion Widow Weed Mint horizontal strip of five showing left-half portion of BABN imprint, pronounced perf separation in places (ideal candidate for breaking up into singles), light vertical fold affecting middle stamp, otherwise stamps with full original gum, NEVER HINGED. F-VF **8,060.00**

First, third and fourth stamps have F-VF centering, fifth stamp is fine and second stamp is an Extremely Fine GEM.



- 771 ☒ 47, 99, 1908 (August 31) Bank mailing tag originating from Whitehorse, Yukon to Vancouver, BC, franked with three single 50c blue Widow Weeds and single 5c blue tied by double oval registry datestamps in magenta, centre fold touching middle 50c stamp, an attractive and very scarce usage. F-VF **Est. 750.00+**

Also includes a small sample of placer gold dust from the Whitehorse gold mine.



1897 DIAMOND JUBILEE



- 772 P 50-65, 1897 ½c-\$5 Diamond Jubilee Complete set of sixteen vertical plate proof pairs printed in issued colours on card mounted india paper, most with close margin on one side but a few such as \$2 and \$4 with large margins all around. Noted 10c (Position 3) and \$5 (Position 8) Re-entries; a Fine set. (Unitrade \$7,220) **Est. 2,500.00+**



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- 773 ★ **53, 1897 3c Bright Rose** Intact Plate 12 block of eight with usual vertical fold between second and third columns, fresh and quite well centered; a very scarce full imprint block as most sheets were severed into two panes of fifty for better handling by postal clerks, F-VF NH
(Illustrated on Page 214) **Est. 600.00+**

- 774 ★ **54, 1897 5c Deep Blue** Intact Plate 10 block of ten, usual vertical fold between second and third columns, fresh, reasonably centered, light natural gum bends; a very scarce full imprint block as most sheets were severed into two panes of fifty due to its large plate size, F-VF NH
(Illustrated on Page 214) **1,800.00+**



- 775 ★ **57, 1897 10c Brown Violet** Pristine fresh mint single, very well centered with full sheet margin at left and full immaculate original gum; as fresh as the day it was printed, XF NH **600.00+**



- 776 ★ **57, 57i, 57iii, 1897 10c Brown Violet** Top Plate 19 strip of ten, quite well centered, showing **Major Re-entries** (Positions 3 and 5; former listed in Unitrade but unpriced), diagonal crease in left sheet margin, some gum residue showing on surface at top, minor perf separation, hinged in selvage and on lower right stamp, leaving all other stamps NH. A very scarce intact plate strip, F-VF (Unitrade \$4,095 for stamps alone) **Est. 1,000.00+**

The Major Re-entry (Position 5) is a choice large margined mint never hinged example.



- 777 ★ **58, 1897 15c Steel Blue** Attractive mint Plate 18 strip of three, very well centered and fresh, perfs sensibly supported by couple hinges, large part original gum, VF and scarce this nice. **1,200.00+**



- 778 ★ **58, 1897 15c Steel Blue** Complete top mint Plate 18 strip of ten, mild perf separation in places reinforced by hinges, overall disturbed original gum and crease in right-hand sheet margin, otherwise fresh and unusually well centered, a remarkable appearance, VF and rare. (Unitrade \$4,000 for stamps only) **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 779 ★ **59, 59iii, 59iv, 1897 20c Vermilion** Impressive mint Plate 21 strip of ten, lovely rich colour on fresh paper, top row is unusually well centered with large margins, shows **Re-entries** (Position 2 & 8; latter is listed in Unitrade, but unpriced), some minor perf separation strengthened by hinges, top left pair and lower row all NH. A beautiful and rarely seen plate strip, Fine to VF OG **6,150.00+**



- 780 ★ **59, 59iv, 1897 20c Vermilion** Bright fresh mint block of four with large portion of plate imprint "TAWA No 21" in sheet margin, and showing **Re-entry** (Position 8) in lower left stamp, noticeable doubling in "P" of "POSTAGE", light hinge mark in selvage, leaving stamps never hinged, nearly Very Fine centering; a nice plate multiple. (Re-entry is listed in Unitrade, but still unpriced) **3,000.00+**



- 781 ★ **59i, 59iii, 1897 20c Deep Vermilion** Impressive mint Plate 21 strip of three, lovely dark rich shade, nicely centered showing **Re-entry** (Position 2) on left-hand stamp, with distinctive mark in "P" of "POSTAGE" and extended lines in oval below, perfs sensibly supported by couple hinges, large part original gum, VF and most attractive. **1,650.00+**



- 782 ★ **60, 1897 50c Ultramarine** Selected mint Plate 23 strip of three, very well centered, a few minor perf separation sensibly supported by couple hinges, lovely pastel shade and with large part original gum. Very scarce plate multiple and especially desirable with superior centering, VF OG **1,500.00+**



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- 783 ◎ **62, 1897 \$2 Dark Purple** Well centered used single, true fresh colour, with selected central Toronto three-ring CDS postmark, very scarce thus, VF **1,200.00**



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- 784 ◎ **63, 1897 \$3 Yellow Bistre** Choice centered used example with sheet margin at right, superb post office fresh colour and cancelled by face-free magenta Winnipeg CDS postmarks, very pretty, VF **1,600.00**

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- 785 ★ **64, 1897 \$4 Purple** Mint example of this difficult stamp with true rich colour which is seldom encountered, reasonably centered and with full original gum that has never been hinged; a beautiful stamp, F-VF NH; 2013 Greene Foundation cert. **4,200.00**
- 786 ◎ **64, 1897 \$4 Purple** A phenomenal complete top margin Plate 22 strip of ten, fabulous true rich colour, well centered for such a large multiple, Winnipeg magenta CDS postmarks - employed for recording payment on bulk mailing of the Winnipeg Free Press newspaper; minor surface thin spot entirely in sheet margin above stamp position 1, a superb plate multiple. Exceedingly rare and certainly among the most desirable plate multiples of the entire Diamond Jubilee issue, Very Fine **Est. 10,000.00+**

Provenance: Fred Jarrett Collection, Sissons, May 1960, Lot 289

AN ABSOLUTE SHOWPIECE. ORIGINALLY BOUGHT AT THE FAMOUS JARRETT SALE, IT HAS RESIDED IN A MULTI-GENERATIONAL COLLECTION FOR WELL OVER 50 YEARS.

- 787 ◎ **64, 1897 \$4 Purple** Reasonably centered example showing an unusual and nearly complete TORONTO straightline cancel in black, striking and rarely seen, F-VF **1,200.00+**
- 788 ◎ **65, 1897 \$5 Olive Green** Used single with deep vivid colour on fresh paper, quite well centered with intact perforations and face-free magenta CDS postmarks of Winnipeg; a beautiful stamp, F-VF **1,200.00**

LEAF & NUMERAL



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- 789 ★ **66, 1897 1/2c Black** Precisely centered within unusually large margins, fresh and pristine, XF NH GEM **60.00+**
- 790 ★ **66i, 1897 1/2c Black** Post office fresh mint single showing **Major Re-entry** (Position 1R79), extremely well centered, radiant colour, XF NH; 2003 Greene Foundation and 2006 PF certificates, latter graded "XF-S 95J" **270.00+**



- 791 P **66-73, 1897-1898 1/2c-10c Queen Victoria Leaf Issue** Complete set of eight plate proof singles on card mounted india paper in the colours of issue, large margins, choice VF-XF **Est. 1,000.00+**



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- 792 ★ **67, 1897 1c Blue Green** A premium mint example, very well centered with large margins, lovely deep rich colour. A beautiful stamp in choice quality, XF NH **210.00+**



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- 793 ★ **67a, 1897 1c Blue Green** Superb imperforate mint pair with large margins and gorgeous, pristine original gum; difficult to find in such top-quality, XF NH **1,500.00+**
- 794 ★ **68, 1897 2c Purple** A remarkably fresh mint example with unusually deep colour, very well centered and full immaculate original gum, VF+ NH **240.00+**
- 795 ★ **68, 1897 2c Purple** Pristine fresh mint single, nicely centered with large margins and full original gum, VF NH **225.00**
- 796 ★ **68i, 1897 2c Purple** Imperforate pair with deep rich colour and full even margins, unused without gum as issued, VF+ **600.00**



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- 797 ★ **69, 1898 3c Carmine** A large margined mint single, deep colour, well centered and with full unblemished original gum, VF+ NH; 2006 PF certificate (Graded XF 90) **300.00+**
- 798 ★ **70a, 1897 5c Slate Blue on Bluish Horizontal Wove Paper** Post office fresh imperforate mint pair, full margins and with unblemished original gum; seldom offered as such, VF NH **1,875.00**
- 799 ★ **71, 1897 6c Brown** An impressive mint example, very well centered within uncharacteristically large margins for this denomination, lovely fresh colour and full pristine original gum, never hinged. A superb stamp in all respects - ideal for the meticulous collector, VF+ NH JUMBO; 2009 PF cert. **600.00+**



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- 800 ★ **72, 1897 8c Orange on Vertical Wove Paper** Selected mint single with deep rich colour, well centered and full original gum; a tough stamp to find, VF NH **1,200.00**
- 801 ★ **72, 1897 8c Orange on Vertical Wove Paper** A superb mint single with exceptional centering, large margins and full original gum, very lightly hinged, XF **400.00+**



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- 802 ★ **72a, 1897 8c Orange on Horizontal Wove Paper** Imperforate mint pair surrounded by large margins, with lovely rich colour, mild gum crease likely from natural cause, full original gum, never hinged, VF **2,250.00**
- 803 ★ **72a, 1897 8c Orange on Horizontal Wove Paper** Large margined imperforate mint pair, deep colour, full original gum, couple inclusion spots on gum side otherwise never hinged, VF **2,250.00**
- 804 ★ **72ii, 1897 8c Orange on Horizontal Wove Paper** A very well centered single on the distinctive mesh paper, rich colour, intact perforations and with full original gum. A beautiful stamp, seldom encountered in such nice condition, VF NH; 2004 PF cert. (identified as normal #72) **1,200.00+**



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- 805 ★ **73, 1897 10c Brown Violet on Vertical Wove Paper** A magnificent mint single, extremely well centered within uncommonly large margins, intact perforations, gorgeous bright colour and full pristine original gum. A challenging stamp to find with such lofty attributes, XF NH GEM; 2006 PF certificate (Graded XF 90) **2,400.00+**
- 806 ★ **73a, 1897 10c Reddish Brown Violet on Horizontal Wove Paper** Fresh imperforate pair with characteristic colour and full white original gum associated with the horizontal weave, seldom encountered, VF NH **2,250.00**



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- 807 ★ 74v, 1898 ½c Black on Vertical Wove Paper** Imperforate pair, unused without gum as issued, VF **500.00**



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- 808 ★ 75, 1898 1c Grey Green** Post office fresh mint single, well centered with large margins, lovely pastel colour; a very nice stamp, VF+ NH **225.00+**
- 809 ★ 75vi, 1898 1c Green on Vertical Wove Paper** Choice large margined imperforate pair with sheet margin at right, unused without gum as issued, XF **900.00**
- 810 ★ 76a, 1899 2c Purple on Yellowish Thick Paper** Selected fresh and well centered mint single on this distinctive paper, with full unblemished original gum, scarce this nice, VF NH; 2013 Greene Foundation cert. **750.00**
- 811 ★ 76a, 1898 2c Violet on Yellowish Thick Paper** Select mint single, well centered and fresh with full unblemished original gum. Hard to find in such nice quality, VF NH; photocopy of 1988 Greene Foundation certificate for a block from which this originates, being the upper right stamp. **750.00**



- 812 ★ 76a, 76iv, 1899 2c Violet on Yellowish Thick Wove Paper** A remarkable Plate 2 (Left pane) block of thirty, severed between fifth and sixth columns, sensibly rejoined by hinges and showing the elusive and distinctive "C-flaw" (Position 2L14), some perf separation in margin, strengthened by hinges in places, diagonal crease on fourth stamp from top row, full original gum, eleven stamps (including plate variety) NH. A great exhibition piece, F-VF **Est. 2,000.00+**



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- 813 ★ 77, 1899 2c Carmine, Die I on Vertical Wove Paper** Post office fresh mint single, precisely centered with exceptional colour and clear impression, a superb stamp, XF NH **240.00+**
- 814 ★ 77a, 1899 2c Carmine, Die II on Horizontal Wove Paper** A spectacular mint example, very well centered, bright fresh colour and with full pristine original gum. A great stamp for the perfectionist, XF NH JUMBO GEM; 2008 PF certificate (Graded XF 90 J) **300.00+**



- 815 ★ 77b, 1900 2c Carmine, Die II on Horizontal Wove Paper** An unusually well centered booklet pane of six with intact tab margin, original gum is partially disturbed mostly on lower left stamp from a glassine interleave as is commonly seen on Canada's first booklet pane, quality well above average for this key pane, VF OG **2,000.00**



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- 816 ★ 77c, 1899 2c Carmine on Vertical Wove Paper, Die I** Large margined imperforate mint pair with bright colour and large part original gum, relatively lightly hinged, VF+ **750.00**
- 817 ★ 77d, 1899 2c Carmine on Vertical Wove Paper, Die II** Choice imperforate pair showing the scarcer die, with full even margins and rich colour, unused without gum as issued, XF **1,500.00**
- 818 ★ 78, 1898 3c Carmine** Exceptionally well centered mint single of this challenging stamp, lovely bright fresh colour and with full original gum that has never been hinged; a beautiful example of this difficult stamp, XF NH; 2006 PF certificate (Graded XF-S 95) **360.00+**



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- 819 ★ 79, 1899 5c Blue on Bluish Wove Paper** A premium mint example, very well centered with unusually large margins, lovely fresh colour; a key stamp in superb condition, XF NH **900.00+**
- 820 ★ 79b, 1899 5c Blue on Whiter Wove Paper** A post office fresh mint example of this tough stamp, nicely centered with well balanced margins, brilliant fresh colour and sharp impression. A distinctive printing that is seldom encountered in superior quality, VF+ NH **1,050.00**
- 821 ★ 79 variety, 1899 5c Dark Blue on Lightly Blued Paper** Superbly centered mint single with amazing rich colour and strong impression. An exceptional stamp, XF NH **900.00+**



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- 822 ★ 80, 1898 6c Brown** A desirable mint single, well centered with large margins, brilliant colour and possessing full pristine original gum, an exceptional stamp, VF+ NH **900.00+**
- 823 ★ 80a, 1898 6c Brown on Vertical Wove Paper** Imperforate mint pair, fresh with large part original gum, hinged, VF **1,500.00**



- 824 ★ 81, 1902 7c Olive Yellow** Selected mint Plate 1 block of eight, quite well centered, tiny natural gum inclusion on lower left stamp and one short perf at lower right, scarce, VF OG / LH **2,000.00**
- 825 ★ 81, 1902 7c Olive Yellow** Superb centered mint example with four well-balanced large margins, lovely rich colour, intact perforations and full original gum, never hinged. Rarely seen in such superior quality, XF NH GEM **750.00+**



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- 826 ★ **82, 1898 8c Orange on Vertical Wove Paper** A nicely centered mint single with lovely bright fresh colour, VF NH **1,800.00**
- 827 ★ **82, 1898 8c Orange on Vertical Wove Paper** Mint block of six, showing "OTTAWA - No -" plate imprint, fresh, hinged on top row and gum inclusion on top centre stamp, bottom row with full original gum, never hinged; a Fine and scarce plate multiple. **1,800.00**
- 828 ★ **82a, 1898 8c Brown Orange on Vertical Wove Paper** Imperforate mint pair with characteristic shade, large part original gum, hinged, VF **1,500.00**
- 829 ★ **82ii, 1898 8c Orange on Vertical Wove Paper** Selected fresh imperforate pair unused without gum as issued, VF **900.00**
- 830 ★ **83a, 1898 10c Deep Brown Violet on Vertical Wove Paper** Mint imperforate pair with full even margins rich colour and full original gum, light natural gum bend, very lightly hinged, VF **1,500.00**
- 831 ★ **83ii, 1898 10c Brown Violet on Horizontal Wove Paper** Choice imperforate pair, characteristic shade with sheet margin at right, unused without gum as issued, VF **750.00**



- 832 ★ **84, 1900 20c Olive Green** Nicely centered mint example of this key stamp, lovely fresh colour, intact perforations and full original gum, VF NH; 2013 Greene Foundation cert. **3,000.00**



- 833 ☒ 85, 1898 (December 25) Grand Council Canadian Order illustrated envelope mailed unsealed on **Christmas Day** from Toronto to Vancouver, franked with 2c Map and tied by Toronto Flag Type D cancellation with an additional strike at foot; couple cover creases and tear not affecting stamp, a sought-after Christmas Day cover, Fine; ex. *Stewart Kenyon (1989)* **Est. 750.00+**

The franking paid an elusive double weight unsealed circular rate (third class mail - 1c per two ounce rate). Extremely rare rate, according to R.B. Winmill book and especially desirable, since it was mailed on Christmas Day!



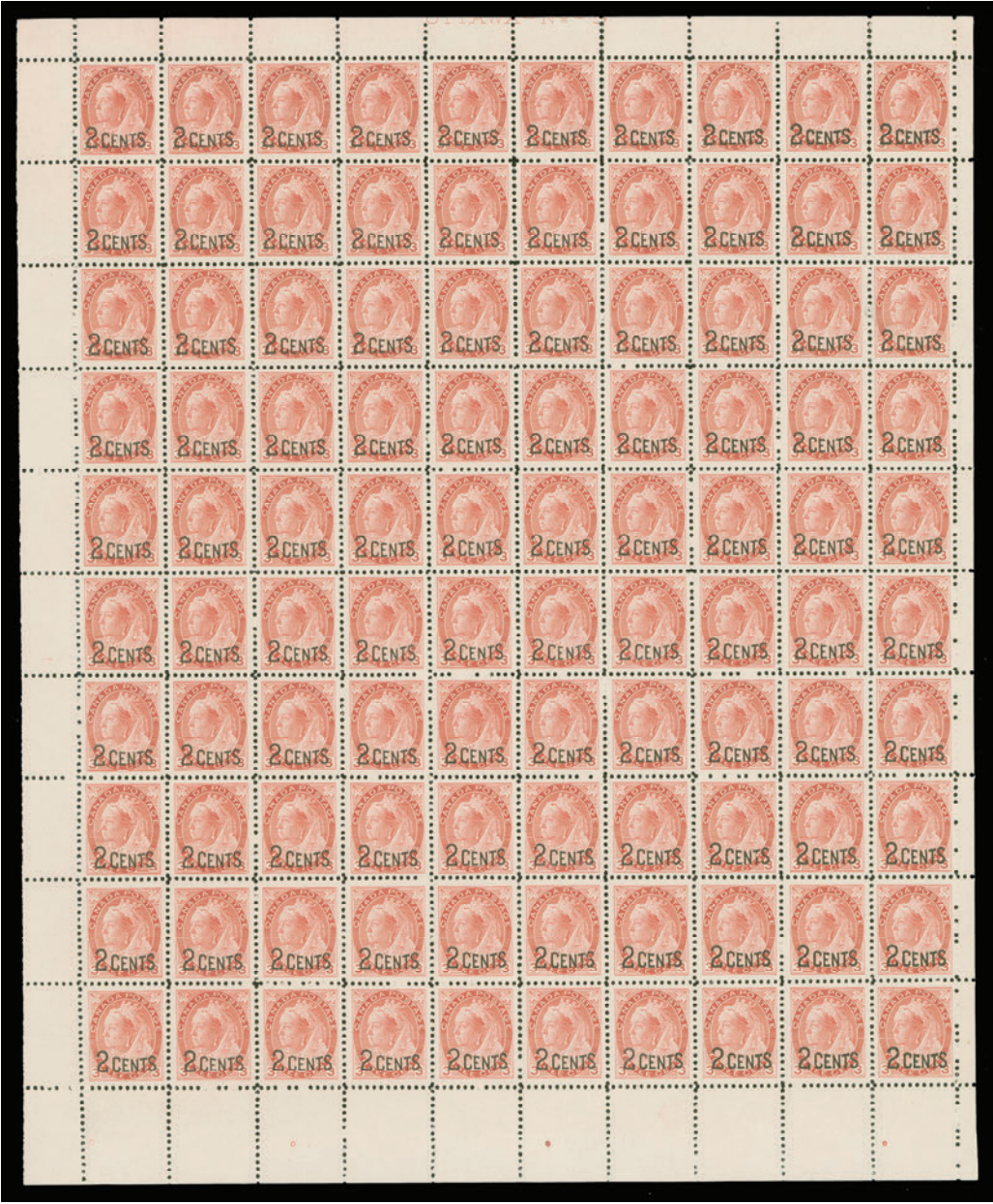
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- 834 ☒ 85, 1898 (December 25) **Christmas Day** cover mailed from Halifax to Renfrew, Scotland, franked with 2c Map tied by superb Halifax, NS DE 25 98 squared circle postmark; Renfrew JA 5 backstamp and on front JA 6, then redirected to Hertford via Glasgow JA 6 and arriving at its final destination JA 7. A desirable First Day cover of the new Two cent Empire rate to the United Kingdom, F-VF. ex. *Nels Pelletier (1982), Stewart Kenyon (1989), Beverlie Clark (1998)* **Est. 600.00+**



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- 835 ★ 86v, 1898 2c **Map Stamp** Vertical imperforate pair, black engraving only without red and blue colours and showing ABNC imprint and plate dot in lower sheet margin, faint bend; nicer than most pairs we have seen, VF **1,250.00**



- 836 ★ **88, 1899 2c on 3c Carmine Numeral Provisional Surcharge** An impressive Plate 5 sheet of 100, unusually well centered, some split perforations, natural short gumming along left-hand side of first column, nevertheless fresh with full original gum, NH. Certainly one of the best centered sheets left intact, VF NH (Unitrade catalogue \$15,000) **Est. 3,000.00+**



- 837 ★ **88, 1899 2c on 3c Carmine Numeral Provisional Surcharge** A superlative mint example, extremely well centered with uncommonly large margins for the issue, post office fresh with full immaculate original gum; XF NH GEM; 2006 PF certificate (Graded XF-S 95J) **150.00+**



KING EDWARD VII



- 838 ★ 89, 1903 1c Green Lovely fresh and selected mint Plate 72 "TOP" imprint strip of four, hinged in margin, stamps never hinged, attractive, VF 980.00



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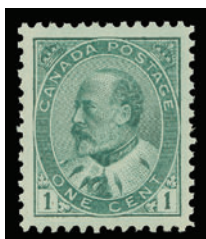
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- 839 ★ 89, 1903 1c Green Precisely centered mint single with lovely fresh colour, VF+ NH 245.00



- 840 ★ 89a, 1903 1c Green Pristine fresh and large margined imperforate pair, unused without gum as issued, XF 900.00

- 841 ★ 89ii, 1903 1c Grey Green Remarkably well centered with four very large margins, full unblemished original gum, never hinged. A superb stamp, XF NH 245.00+



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- 842 ★ 89i, 1903 1c Deep Green Superb colour and centering with large margins and full pristine original gum. A nice stamp, XF NH 245.00+

- 843 ★ 89iii, 1903 1c Blue Green A beautiful mint example of this distinctive shade, rich colour and well centered with full original gum, VF NH 245.00

**ABNC PLATE APPROVAL DATESTAMPED
ORIGINAL SET OF FIVE**



844 ★ 89a-93a, 1903 1c-7c King Edward VII Complete set of five matching upper right corner margin imperforate pairs, printed in issued colours (2c carmine is the better Type I of Plates 1 & 2), each pair shows nearly complete double ring American Bank Note Co / Ottawa / May 6 or June 1 1903 datestamp in blue, indicating plate approval for the soon to be issued new series of definitives on July 1, 1903. A UNIQUE and wonderful showpiece set, VF **Est. 7,500.00+**

The 20c and 50c denominations, which were issued later, do not exist as imperforate or as plate proofs.



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- 845 ★ **90, 1903 2c Carmine, Type II A** phenomenal mint example, remarkably well centered within four oversized margins, intact perforations and post office fresh colour. An absolute gem worthy of the finest collection, XF NH GEM; 2006 Greene Foundation cert. **300.00+**
- 846 ★ **90i, 1903 2c Rose Carmine, Type II** Post office fresh mint single, lovely bright impression, well centered; a nice stamp, VF NH **315.00**



- 847 ★ **90viii, 1903 2c Carmine** Mint vertical pair imperforate horizontally between stamps and at top, minor scuff on top stamp and light crease on bottom stamp otherwise never hinged and still very presentable examples of this rare perforation error, VF appearance. According to Unitrade catalogue only four pairs are known to exist, all faulty. 2012 Greene Foundation cert. **5,000.00**



- 848 ★ **91, 1903 5c Blue on Bluish Wove Paper** A superbly centered mint example surrounded by large size margins, unusually bright colour on fresh paper, intact perforations an full unblemished original gum. XF NH; 2009 Sismondo graded certificate (Graded Superb 98J OG NH) **1,400.00+**



- 849 ★ **91a, 1903 5c Blue on Bluish Horizontal Wove Paper** Superb margined and fresh imperforate pair, unused without gum as issued, XF **1,500.00+**



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- 850 ★ 92, 1903 7c Olive Bistre A desirable mint Plate No. 2 block of ten, with printing order "71" number, reasonably well centered with gorgeous colour on fresh paper and full original gum, very lightly hinged on lower right stamp leaving nine never hinged. A very scarce plate multiple in much nicer quality than normally encountered, F-VF (Unitrade cat. \$9,825) **Est. 2,500.00+**



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- 851 ★ 92, 1903 7c Olive Bistre Lovely mint block of four showing nearly complete Plate 2 imprint, gorgeous rich, scarcer than usual shade, quite well centered, hinged in selvage only, nearly VF centering NH. (Unitrade \$4,220 for stamps alone) **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 852 ★ 92a, 1903 7c Olive Bistre Pristine imperforate pair with full margins, lovely rich colour on fresh paper, XF **1,000.00+**



- 853 ★ 92iii, 1903 7c Straw Complete top mint Plate 2 strip of twenty with printing order numbers etched out and "93" added, selected and fresh with characteristic colour and impression associated with the straw shade, with full original gum, NH. A very scarce intact plate multiple, ideal for exhibition, Fine+ centering (Unitrade \$6,000 for stamps alone as Fine NH) **Est. 1,500.00+**



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- 854 ★ **92iii, 1903 7c Straw** Exceptionally well centered mint single with well-balanced margins, intact perforations and post office fresh colour and sharp impression of the late printing of the Seven cent. A superb stamp, XF NH **1,400.00+**
- 855 ★ **93, 1903 10c Brown Lilac** A marvelous mint example, exceptionally well centered and surrounded by uncommonly large margins for the issue, deep rich colour on fresh paper, full original gum, lightly hinged. A superb mint stamp, XF LH JUMBO **800.00+**
- 856 ★ **93a, 1903 10c Brown Lilac** Lovely fresh imperforate pair with rich colour and large margins, unused without gum as issued, VF+ **1,500.00**



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- 857 ★ **94, 1904 20c Olive Green** Attractive mint Plate 1 strip of three with full imprint, rich colour, reasonably centered, a few perf separated in margin and supported by hinges, leaving stamps with full original gum, never hinged. A scarce and desirable plate multiple, F-VF (Unitrade \$7,900 for stamps alone) **Est. 2,500.00+**
- 858 ★ **95, 1908 50c Purple** Fresh mint block of four with plate "1" number in sheet margin, pinhole on lower left stamp, hinged, a Fine and scarce positional block. **1,600.00+**



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- 859 ★ **96, 1908 1/2c Black Brown** Superb mint example, precise centering, fresh and with full pristine original gum, XF NH **45.00+**
- 860 ★ **96i, 1908 1/2c Black Brown** Very well centered mint single showing **Major Re-entry** (Position 44), fresh and with full original gum, VF+ NH **180.00**

QUÉBEC TERCENTENARY COMPLETE SET
OF IMPERFORATE PAIRS WITH FULL ORIGINAL GUM



861 ★ 96a-103a, 1908 1/2c-20c Québec Tercentenary Issue A fabulous positional mint set of eight imperforate mint pairs each with full sheet margin at foot, large margins on other sides and bright fresh colours with full original gum hinged in selvedge only (often ungummed portion of margin); 1/2c, 1c, 2c and 15c shows trace of to light gum disturbance from adhesion, small gum thin on 2c pair, otherwise remaining four pairs with full original gum, never hinged. A rare imperforate set, much nicer than normally encountered, VF-XF OG / NH **14,000.00**



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- 862 ★ 97, 1908 1c Green Precisely centered mint single with post office fresh colour and sharp impression on fresh paper with full original gum that has never been hinged. An absolute gem which has attained the highest grade possible, XF NH; 2009 Sismondo graded certificate. (Graded GEM 100 OG NH)

150.00+

- 863 ★ 97i, 1908 1c Green with "Hairlines" An outstanding mint example, mathematically centered within four well balanced jumbo margins, very fresh and possessing full immaculate original gum. A superb stamp in all respects, XF NH GEM

180.00+



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- 864 ★ 98, 1908 2c Carmine Post office fresh mint example, dark shade, extremely well centered and possessing full immaculate original gum. A superior quality stamp, XF NH

195.00+

- 865 ★ 98, 1908 2c Carmine Very well centered mint single showing light but visible "hairlines" mostly in top margin with gorgeous fresh colour and with full pristine original gum, VF+ NH

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- 866 ★ 99, 1908 5c Blue Exceptionally well centered mint single with lovely rich colour on fresh paper with full pristine original gum; a tough stamp to find, XF NH

450.00+

- 867 ★ 100, 1908 7c Olive Green Impressive mint single, very well centered within large margins, great colour on fresh paper with full original gum; a choice stamp, XF NH

750.00+



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- 868 ★ 101, 1908 10c Violet Well centered mint single with beautiful fresh colour, large margins and full original gum; a nice stamp, VF NH 900.00
- 869 ★ 103, 1908 20c Brown Selected mint single, nicely centered with deep colour, intact perforations and full original gum; a key stamp, VF NH; 2010 Greene Foundation cert. 1,200.00

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- 870 ★ 104a, 1913 1c Deep Blue Green (Squat printing) Unusually well centered mint booklet pane with distinctive shade on horizontal wove paper with full original gum; scarce this nice, VF NH 500.00



- 871 ★ 104b, 1911 1c Blue Green (Wet printing) Lovely fresh and well centered mint Plate 1 block of eight with printing order number "83", lightly hinged on three stamps, leaving other five NH. A choice and appealing plate number multiple, VF Est. 500.00+



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- 872 ★ **104b, 1912 1c Blue Green (Wet printing)** A beautiful sheet margin mint single, nicely centered within large margins and showing inverted plate "No - 3" imprint at bottom with full original gum, VF NH **180.00+**
- 873 ★ **104i, 1915-1919 1c Yellow Green (Wet printing)** A premium mint example, exceptionally well centered within four well-balanced large margins, lovely bright fresh colour and impression on pristine paper with full immaculate original gum. A superb stamp in all respects, XF NH GEM **120.00+**
- 874 ★ **104ii, 1920 1c Dark Yellow Green (Wet printing)** A beautiful and very well centered mint example with lovely rich colour, VF+ NH **120.00+**
- 875 ★ **104viii, 1913-1914 1c Deep Blue Green (Wet printing) with "Hairlines"** A nicely centered mint example with deep vivid colour and sharp impression, clearly showing horizontal "hairlines" plate variety in both side margins, VF NH **180.00**



- 876 P **105d, 1924-1925 1c Orange Yellow, Die II Large Die Proof** printed in issued colour on india paper 55 x 59mm, die sunk on card measuring 74 x 77mm, showing die "X-G-86" number and "DUPLICATE" imprint above stamp design, choice and very scarce, VF **Est. 1,500.00+**



- 877 ★ 105, 1921 1c Orange Yellow, Die I (Wet printing) Attractive upper left mint Plate 175 block of twelve, amazingly dark rich colour, nicely centered and with full pristine original gum, VF NH
Est. 500.00+



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- 878 ★ 105, 1922 1c Orange Yellow, Die I (Wet printing) A pristine stamp, extremely well centered with lovely pastel-shade. A choice stamp, XF NH
120.00+



- 879 ★ 105b, 1922 1c Yellow, Die I (Wet printing) Superb mint booklet pane of six, precise centering and fresh with full pristine original gum. As nice as they come and ideal for the perfectionist, XF NH
180.00+

- 880 ★ 105d, 1924-1925 1c Orange Yellow, Die II (Dry printing) A very well centered mint example with large margins and brilliant fresh colour, a beautiful stamp, VF+ NH
90.00+



- 881 ★ 106, 1919 2c Carmine (Wet printing) Selected fresh mint upper right Plate 136 strip of twenty stamps, reasonably centered, lovely bright shade on fresh paper, couple stamps with natural gum bend, otherwise full original gum, never hinged. A beautiful intact plate multiple, F-VF NH **Est. 500.00+**



- 882 ★ 106iii, 1920 2c Dark Carmine (Wet printing) Upper left mint Plate 157 strip of twenty, lovely rich shade, centering ranging from fine to well centered, minor perf separation and gum disturbance in margin, a few perfs soaked as a result, sixteen stamps NH. A scarce plate strip, F-VF **Est. 500.00+**



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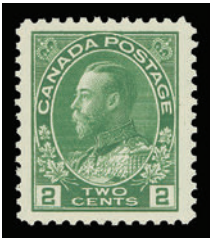
- 883 ★ 106iii, 1920 2c Dark Carmine (Wet printing) Outstanding mint example, extremely well centered within uncharacteristic large size margins all around, rich and vibrant colour on fresh paper and with full immaculate original gum. A record setting stamp, XF NH GEM **120.00+**
- 884 ★ 106ix, 1912 2c Rose Carmine (Wet printing) Remarkably well centered mint example showing numerous prominent "hairlines" visible in side margins, characteristic bright shade and with full original gum, choice, XF NH **300.00+**



- 885 ★ 106x, 1915 2c Deep Rose Red (Wet printing) Experimental coil strip of four with post office backstamp (Type A) over paste-up, fresh colour, lightly hinged on top stamp only and well centered for this, VF LH **500.00**



- 886 ★ **106x, 1915 2c Deep Rose Red (Wet printing)** Experimental coil mint strip of four, typical side perforations and centering for this, showing post office (Type A) backstamp over paste-up with full original gum, Fine NH **450.00**



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- 887 ★ **107, 1922 2c Yellow Green (Wet printing)** Remarkably well centered mint example within unusually large margins for a wet printing, deep rich colour and strong impression, possessing full unblemished original gum. A premium quality stamp, XF NH GEM **120.00+**
- 888 ★ **107a, 1924 2c Deep Green on Thin Paper (Wet printing)** Superb mint single, very well centered within unusually large margins and pristine original gum. A great stamp, XF NH GEM **90.00+**



- 889 ★ **107c, 1922 2c Yellow Green (Wet printing)** A remarkable mint booklet pane of six stamps, exceptionally well centered for this key booklet pane, seldom seen in such superior quality, XF NH **840.00+**
- 890 ★ **107e, 1923 2c Green (Dry printing)** Impressive mint example, precisely centered within oversized margins, VF NH JUMBO **90.00+**
- 891 ★ **107iv, 1926 2c Yellow Green (Dry printing)** Exceptional mint single with lovely bright fresh colour, superb centering and showing portion of Plate (2)10 number in top sheet margin, with full unblemished original gum, XF NH GEM **90.00+**



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- 892 ★ **108, 1918-1922 3c Brown (Wet printing)** A fabulous mint example with uncharacteristically large margins for a wet printing, gorgeous fresh colour and with full pristine original gum. An impressive stamp in top-quality, XF NH JUMBO **120.00+**

- 893 ★ **108c, 1923 3c Dark Brown (Dry printing)** Precisely centered mint single with deep rich colour and with full original gum, choice, XF NH **120.00+**



- 894 ★ **109, 1922-1923 3c Carmine, Die I (Dry printing)** Fresh mint strip of ten from lower left pane showing full Type D lathework, fresh, hinged on three stamps leaving seven stamps and sheet margins never hinged, Fine+ **850.00**



- 895 ★ **109, 1923 3c Carmine, Die I (Dry printing)** Mint Plate 117 (upper left pane) block of sixteen, reasonably centered, bright colour, hinged in selvedge and UL stamp is very lightly hinged, remaining fifteen stamps never hinged; an attractive and scarce early plate of the three cent carmine, F-VF (Catalogue value for stamps alone) **845.00**

- 896 ★ **109, 1923 3c Carmine, Die I (Dry printing)** Well centered mint example with vivid fresh colour, bright impression and full unblemished original gum. A beautiful stamp, VF+ NH **90.00+**

- 897 ★ **109c, 1924 3c Carmine, Die II (Dry printing)** Very well centered mint single of the scarcer die with lovely dark shade and full original gum, VF+ NH **180.00**



- 898 ★ **110, 1922 4c Deep Olive Bistre (Wet printing)** Top left Plate 1 strip of twenty with exceptional colour and very strong impression, straight edged pair hinged and natural gum skips on five stamps, otherwise full original gum, never hinged. A very appealing shade and F-VF; ex. "Lindemann" (private sale) **Est. 750.00+**



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- 899 ★ **110b, 1922 4c Olive Yellow (Wet printing)** Choice fresh and extremely well centered mint single with pristine original gum; a nice stamp, XF NH **240.00+**
- 900 ★ **110d, 1925-1926 4c Yellow Ochre (Dry printing)** Precisely centered mint example, lovely pastel colour and with full unblemished original gum, XF NH **210.00+**
- 901 ★ **111, 1912-1915 5c Dark Blue (Wet printing)** Extremely well centered mint single with balanced margins, lovely rich colour and full immaculate original gum, never hinged. A superb stamp, XF NH **900.00+**



- 902 ★ **111a, 1911-1912 5c Indigo (First Wet printing)** Spectacular mint upper right Plate 1 strip of twenty stamps with printing order number "84", characteristic dark rich colour and sharp impression associated with this elusive first printing, post office fresh, a few perfs separated at foot between fifth and sixth columns, LH in selvage, all stamps with full pristine original gum NH. A very rare intact and complete plate strip, Fine NH; ex. "Lindemann" (private sale) Unitrade \$7,000 for stamps alone. **Est. 3,000.00+**
- 903 ★ **111b, 1917 5c Grey Blue (Wet printing)** A fabulous mint example, well centered within uncharacteristically large margins, brilliant fresh colour and full original gum that has never been hinged. A remarkable example of this particular shade, VF+ NH JUMBO **1,050.00+**



- 904 ★ 112, 1924 5c Violet on Medium Wove Paper (Wet printing) Post office fresh mint upper right Plate 22 strip of twenty stamps nicely centered and with full pristine original gum; very scarce intact plate strip, especially in such select quality, VF NH **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 905 ★ 112, 1924 5c Violet on Medium Wove Paper (Wet printing) Very well centered mint Plate 21 block of eight, lovely "warm" shade, very lightly hinged in selvage, stamps never hinged, VF-XF **Est. 500.00+**



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- 906 ★ 112, 1922-1925 5c Violet (Wet printing) Very well centered mint example with gorgeous fresh and clear impression on pristine paper with full immaculate original gum. A choice stamp, XF NH **180.00+**
- 907 ★ 112a, 1924 5c Violet on Thin Paper (Wet printing) Superbly centered mint single with post office fresh colour and full unblemished original gum, never hinged; a great stamp, XF NH **150.00+**
- 908 ★ 113, 1915-1918 7c Yellow Ochre Superior mint single showing precise centering, post office fresh colour and pristine original gum; ideal stamp for the meticulous collector, XF NH GEM **240.00+**
- 909 ★ 113, 1915-1918 7c Deep Yellow Ochre (Wet printing) A fabulous mint example, deeper and more radiant shade than normally encountered, exceptional centering within large margins and with full and immaculate original gum. An impressive stamp in top-quality, XF NH **240.00+**



- 910 ★ 113a, 113iii, 1918 7c Olive Bistre (Wet printing) Lovely, fresh and reasonably centered mint upper left Plate 6 block of eight, rich colour and showing retouched vertical frameline in upper right spandrel on left pair (Position 1 and 11), lightly hinged in margin only, stamps never hinged, F-VF and a scarce plate multiple. **Est. 500.00+**



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- 911 ★ 114b, 1924-1925 7c Red Brown (Wet printing) Exceptionally well centered mint example within well balanced large margins, post office rich colour and with full pristine original gum. A choice stamp, XF NH **135.00+**
- 912 ★ 114b, 1924-1925 7c Red Brown (Wet printing) Extremely well centered mint example with amazing deep rich colour on fresh paper. A superb stamp, XF NH **135.00+**
- 913 ★ 114biv, 1924-1925 7c Red Brown (Wet printing - Plate 7) Pristine mint single, well centered with deep colour showing the diagonal line in "V" of "SEVEN" plate variety and full immaculate original gum; a nice stamp, VF+ NH **375.00+**



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- 914 ★ 115, 1925 8c Blue (Dry printing) Post office fresh mint example remarkably well centered with large, well balanced margins, deep rich colour on fresh paper with full original gum that has never been hinged. A nice stamp in premium quality, XF NH; 2009 Sismondo graded certificate (Graded XF-Superb 95 OG NH) **180.00+**
- 915 ★ 115i, 1925 8c Light Blue (Dry printing) Select mint example with precise centering, brilliant fresh colour and full immaculate original gum. A choice stamp in all respects, XF NH **210.00+**



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- 916 ★ **116, 1920 10c Plum (Wet printing)** Marvelous mint Plate 11 block of eight with full imprint, exceptional centering and overall freshness unlike any other plate multiples of this key value we have seen, gorgeous bright fresh colour on pristine paper, single hinge mark in selvage only, stamps with full unblemished original gum, never hinged. Without question this plate block ranks among the finest in existence and highly desirable thus, Extremely Fine GEM (Catalogue value for stamps alone)
ex. Goodhelpsen (Part 3; Lot 3466) **9,600.00+**

- 917 ★ **116, 1912-1920 10c Plum (Wet printing)** Spectacular mint example of this key Admiral stamp, exceptional centering within remarkably large margins, lovely bright shade on fresh paper, intact perforations and with full original gum that has never been hinged. A wonderful stamp in noticeably superior quality to most examples we have seen or handled, XF NH JUMBO; 2009 Greene Foundation cert. **1,200.00+**



- 918 ★ **117, 1921 10c Blue (Wet printing)** Precisely centered mint Plate 14 block of eight, lovely fresh colour, hinged on third stamp from left on top row and in margin, leaving other seven stamps never hinged, choice, VF and a scarcer plate number multiple. **Est. 600.00+**



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- 919 ★ 117a, 1924-1925 10c Blue (Dry printing) Very well centered mint single with gorgeous fresh colour and full original gum; a choice stamp, XF NH **210.00+**
- 920 ★ 117ii, 1922-1924 10c Light Blue (Wet printing) Superbly centered mint example within well balanced margins, lovely pastel shade and fresh colour and with full immaculate original gum; a great stamp for the perfectionist, XF NH; 2007 PF graded certificate (Graded XF-S 95) **240.00+**



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- 921 ★ 118b, 1924 10c Yellow Brown (Dry printing) Mint single showing full Type D lathework, horizontal crease in margin only, fresh with full original gum, a collectable example of this key item, Fine LH (Unitrade \$2,500) **Est. 750.00**



- 922 ★ 118, 1925 10c Bistre Brown (Dry printing) Well centered mint Plate 23 block of eight, with deep colour showing etched "H" above "L.B.C." imprint (from upper left pane), hinged in margin, stamps never hinged, VF **Est. 400.00+**
- 923 ★ 118, 1925-1928 10c Bistre Brown (Dry printing) Select mint single, superior centering within four well-balanced large margins, gorgeous fresh colour; XF NH; 2007 PF certificate for a block, from which it originates, this being the lower right stamp. **180.00+**
- 924 ★ 118b, 1925 10c Yellow Brown (Dry printing) Select mint example of this pastel-like shade, bright colour, well centered and with full original gum, VF+ NH **240.00+**



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- 925 ★ **119, 1924-1925 20c Olive Green (Dry printing)** Choice mint single, very well centered within wide margins, post office fresh colour and with full unblemished original gum, VF+ NH **450.00**
- 926 ★ **119c, 1912-1917 20c Dark Olive Green (Wet printing)** An attractive and large margined mint single, characteristic perforations of an early printing with deep rich colour, well centered and pristine original gum; scarce this nice, XF NH **600.00+**
- 927 ★ **119iv, 1925 20c Olive Green (Dry printing - Plate 9)** Post office fresh and well centered mint example showing the distinctive retouched vertical frameline in upper right spandrel, pristine original gum, VF NH **450.00**



- 928 ★ **120, 1925 50c Black Brown (Re-engraved; Dry printing)** Fresh Plate 4 block of twelve from upper right pane; a scarce plate block with full imprint, F-VF NH; ex. "*Lindemann*" (private sale) **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 929 ★ **120, 1925 50c Black Brown (Re-engraved; Dry printing - Plate 4)** Beautiful mint example, very well centered within large margins, lovely fresh colour and pristine original gum, XF NH; 2007 PF graded certificate (Graded XF-S 95) **360.00+**



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- 930 ★ 122, 1925 \$1 Orange (Dry printing) A gorgeous fresh mint block of four extremely well centered with large margins and with full pristine original gum. A premium quality mint multiple, VF+ NH
Est. 1,800.00



- 931 ★ 122, 1925 \$1 Orange (Dry printing) Choice centered mint Plate 1 block of eight, some split perfs in top margin, deep rich colour and with full original gum that has never been hinged. Scarce this nice, VF NH
Est. 1,250.00+



- 932 ★ 122, 1925 \$1 Orange (Dry printing) An exceptional mint example, very well centered within uncommonly large margins, post office fresh colour and sharp impression and full immaculate original gum, never hinged. Visually stunning and superior to most examples we have seen, XF NH GEM 450.00+
- 933 ★ 122, 1925 \$1 Orange (Dry printing) Mint Plate 1 block of four, deep rich colour and nicely centered, top pair with barest trace of hinging, leaving lower pair never hinged, VF
Est. 400.00



- 934 ☒ 122, 175, C2, 1933 (July 15) Balbo Flight Montreal to Chicago - small clean envelope bearing correct \$1.45 postage rate, consisting of single \$1 orange Admiral, 20c Arch pair and 1930 5c olive brown airmail stamp all tied by Montreal JUL 15 33 departure CDS postmarks, clear Chicago JUL 16 1933 arrival backstamp. A scarce and desirable flight cover, VF **Est. 600.00+**



- 935 ★ 124i, 1913 2c Rose Carmine (Wet printing), Perf 8 Horizontally Unusually well centered paste-up coil pair, fresh mint with lovely pastel shade and full original gum; difficult to find, VF+ NH; 2007 Greene Foundation cert. **1,200.00**



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- 936 ★ 129, 1918 3c Brown (Wet printing), Perf 8 Vertically Well centered mint coil pair with intact perforations, deep rich colour and full pristine original gum, XF NH **250.00+**
- 937 ★ 129, 1918 3c Brown (Wet printing), Perf 8 Vertically Superb mint coil single, very well centered within large margins, brilliant shade on fresh paper and pristine original gum, XF NH **125.00+**



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- 938 ★ **130, 1924 3c Carmine, Die I (Wet printing), Perf 8 Vertically** Exceptionally well centered coil mint pair, characteristic dark shade and impression associated with this printing, intact perforations and full original gum. It would be challenging to find a nicer example, XF NH **500.00+**
- 939 ★ **130b, 1925 3c Carmine, Die II (Dry printing), Perf 8 Vertically** Very well centered mint coil pair with bright fresh colour, intact perforations and full unblemished original gum, VF NH **625.00**



- 940 ★ **131, 1915-1924 1c Green (Wet printing), Perf 12 Horizontally** Precisely centered mint coil strip of four, lovely fresh colour and pristine original gum, choice, XF NH **100.00+**



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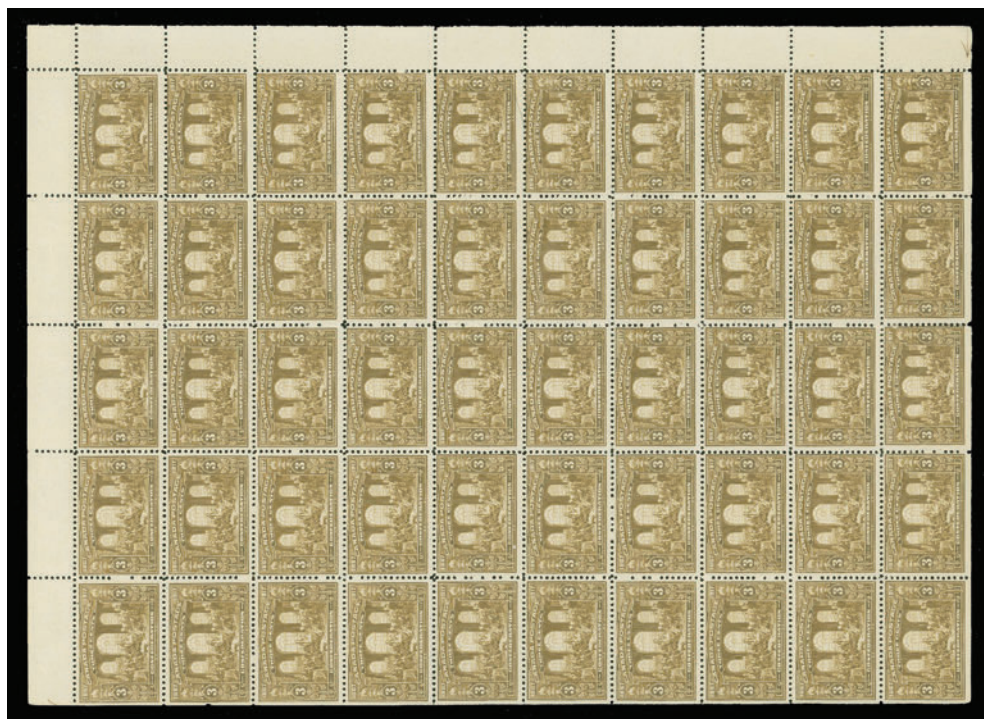


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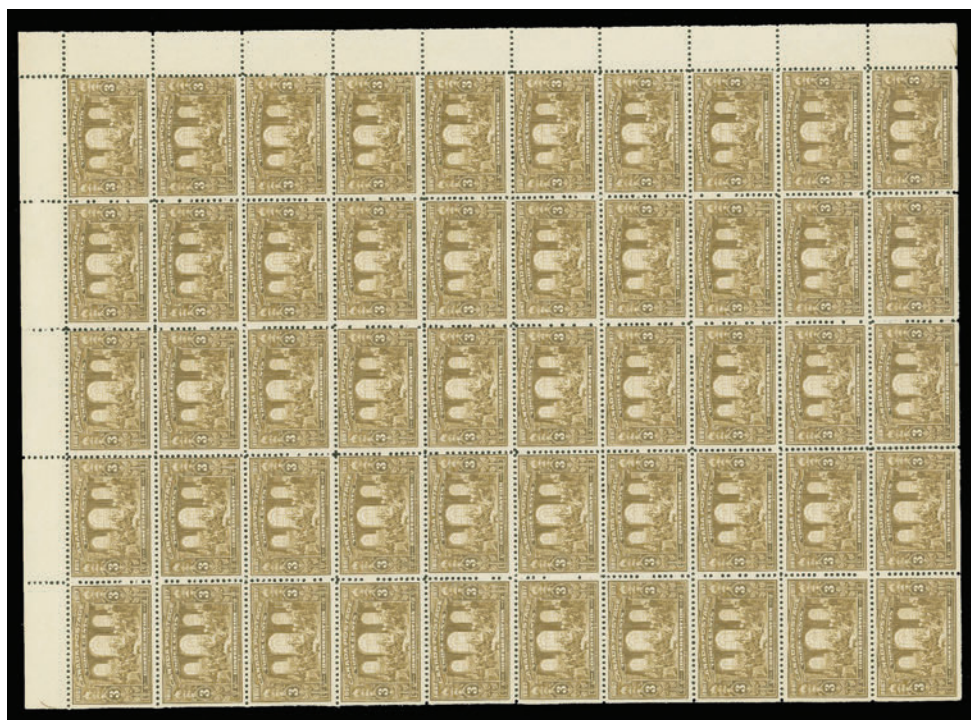


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- 941 ★ **131iv, 1918 (July) 1c Bluish Green (Wet printing), Perf 12** Experimental coil pair with two large holes in perfs, extremely well centered, fresh with full original gum; as nice as they come, XF NH **375.00+**
- 942 ★ **132, 1914 2c Carmine (Wet printing), Perf 12 Horizontally** Exceptional mint coil pair, precisely centered within large margins with rich colour and full original gum. Superb in all respects, XF NH GEM **300.00+**
- 943 ★ **133, 1924 2c Yellow Green (Wet printing), Perf 12 Horizontally** Precisely centered mint coil pair with desirable large margins, post office fresh bright colour with full unblemished original gum. Seldom seen so nice, XF NH **625.00+**



- 944 ★ **135, 1917 3c Brown Confederation** Upper right pane of 50 without plate inscriptions, typical centering for the issue, some perf separation in places mainly confined on lower row, otherwise with full original gum, NH; a scarce sheet, Fine (Unitrade \$2,000) **Est. 600.00+**



- 945 ★ **135, 1917 3c Fathers of Confederation** Upper right sheet of 50 without inscriptions (blank), brilliant fresh colour, perf separation at foot behind second and third columns, full original gum; a scarce sheet, Fine+ NH **Est. 600.00**



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- 946 ★ **135, 1917 3c Brown Fathers of Confederation** Premium mint example of this difficult stamp, very well centered within unusually large margins, lovely fresh colour and pristine original gum, XF NH
210.00+



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- 947 ★ **135a, 1917 3c Brown Fathers of Confederation** A choice imperforate pair, without gum as issued, VF
800.00
- 948 ★ **135a, 1917 3c Brown Fathers of Confederation** Fresh and choice imperforate pair, unused without gum as issued, VF
800.00
- 949 ★ **135i, 1917 3c Dark Brown Fathers of Confederation** A remarkable mint example, distinctive dark rich shade, superior centering which is particularly hard to find on this issue and with full unblemished original gum. A beautiful stamp in all respects, XF NH
240.00+



- 950 ★ **136, 1924 1c Yellow, Die II (Wet printing), Imperforate** Fresh mint Plate 180 block of ten with full imprint, lightly hinged in margin only, stamps never hinged, VF
1,000.00



- 951 ★ 137, 1924 2c Green (Wet printing), Imperforate Selected fresh mint Plate 188 block of eight with full imprint, fresh with full original gum, VF NH **1,000.00**



- 952 ★ 137, 1924 2c Green (Wet printing), Imperforate Mint Plate 188 block of ten, showing full plate inscriptions, large even margins on other sides, fresh, lightly hinged once in selvage only, leaving stamps never hinged, attractive and VF **1,000.00**
- 953 ★ 138, 1924 3c Carmine, Die I (Dry printing), Imperforate Lower left mint Plate 128 imprint full sheet of 100, additionally showing a strong and complete Type D lathework in lower sheet margin and pyramid guidelines at centre left; gum wrinkle on position 63 and 71, couple light natural gum bends and small stains on position 10, otherwise full original gum and a very scarce intact sheet, VF NH (Unitrade \$6,195) *(Illustrated on Page 253)* **Est. 2,500.00+**
- 954 ★ 138, 1924 3c Carmine, Die I (Dry printing), Imperforate Lower left mint Plate 126 imprint full sheet of 100, showing complete and full lathework - Type D in lower sheet margin and pyramid guidelines at centre left; small gum wrinkle in lower margin and gum crease on position 81, full original gum and a very scarce intact sheet, VF NH (Unitrade \$6,195) *(Illustrated on Page 253)* **Est. 2,500.00**



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- 955 ★ 138, 1924 3c Carmine, Die I (Dry printing), Imperforate Mint lower right Plate 126 strip of twenty showing full plate imprint and Type D lathework, trivial natural gum inclusion on one stamp (position 89), fresh and with full original gum, VF NH **1,795.00**



- 956 ★ 138, 1924 3c Carmine, Die I (Dry printing), Imperforate Lower left mint Plate 127 imprint strip of twenty showing full Type D lathework, minor gum wrinkle in third column, fresh and with full original gum, attractive, VF NH **1,795.00**



- 957 ★ 138, 1924 3c Carmine, Die I (Dry printing), Imperforate Mint Plate 128 block of twelve, with full imprint and Type D lathework, lightly hinged on four stamps from top row leaving lower row and sheet margin never hinged, VF **945.00**



- 958 ★ 138ii, 1924 3c Carmine, Die I (Dry printing), Imperforate Mint block of four showing "R-GAUGE" imprint and portion of guide arrow at top right, VF NH **600.00**



- 959 ★ 139, 1926 2c on 3c Carmine, Die I (Dry printing) One-Line Surcharge Lovely fresh mint Plate 116 block of eight, light hinge marks in selvedge only leaving stamps with full original gum, never hinged, nearly VF centering (Catalogue value for stamps) **1,080.00**



- 960 ★ 139, 1926 2c on 3c Carmine, Die I (Dry printing) One-Line Surcharge Brilliant fresh mint Plate 117 block of eight, hinged in margin only, stamps with full original gum, never hinged, F-VF (Catalogue value for stamps) **1,080.00**



- 961 ★ 139, 1926 2c on 3c Carmine, Die I (Dry printing) One-Line Surcharge Fresh mint Plate 117 block of eight, couple of light hinge marks in selvage, stamps NH, F-VF **Est. 350.00+**



- 962 ★ 139iii, 140ii, 1926 2c on 3c Carmine, Die I (Dry printing) One-Line and Two-Line Surcharges Matching pair of mint blocks of four, both showing pyramid guidelines in right-hand sheet margin, former with diagonal crease in lower left margin, otherwise centered block with full original gum, never hinged; latter block reasonably centered, sound and with full original gum; an elusive duo, F-VF **2,000.00**



- 963 ★ 139v, 1926 2c on 3c Carmine, Die II (Dry printing) One-Line Surcharge Provisional essay mint block of four, sheet margin at right, with the scarcer die and showing noticeably large overprint on top row, horizontal crease on top pair but fresh and with large part original gum, Fine and a very scarce essay block. **1,800.00**



964 ★ 140, 1926 2c on 3c Carmine, Die I (Dry printing) Two-Line Surcharge Exceptionally well centered and fresh mint Plate 115 block of eight with pristine original gum, choice, XF NH **800.00+**



965 ★ 140, 1926 2c on 3c Carmine, Die I (Dry printing) Two-Line Surcharge Mint Plates 115, 116 and 117 in blocks of eight; last two with some perf. separation strengthened by hinges; stamps from Plate 115 and 117 are never hinged and lower row from Plate 116 is never hinged, Fine+ trio **Est. 300.00+**



966 ★ 141a-145a, 1927 1c-12c 60th Anniversary of Confederation Mint set of five imperforate corner (various position) blocks of four; inclusion spot on 1c and 3c, small marginal thin on 12c block, among these blocks four pairs are never hinged, VF (Catalogue value as hinged) **1,600.00**



- 967 ★ 149c-153c, 1928 1c, 2c & 5c King George V Scroll Selected fresh set of three tete-beche imperforate panes, large margins with full tabs at sides, first two lightly hinged in margins only. A beautiful and desirable set, VF LH 4,050.00



968 ★ 149cii-153cii, 1928 1c, 2c & 5c King George V Scroll Set of three tete-beche blocks with narrow vertical gutter (4.5mm) and horizontal gutter (3mm) margins between, large margins and deep colour, VF LH 2,250.00



969 ★ 151, 1928 3c Carmine Remarkably fresh top right mint Plate 1 strip of twenty, extremely well centered for this, twelve stamps are NH including the plate block of six. A beautiful and choice plate strip, VF LH 1,500.00



970 ★ 152, 1929 4c Bistre Mint Plate No. 1 block of eight with radiant colour, unusually well centered, a few perfs separated in selvedge. A choice plate block, VF-XF NH 450.00+



- 971 ★ 155a, 1928 10c Green Mount Hurd Upper right Plate 2 imperforate block of eight, fresh, couple of small marginal creases quite insignificant for this rare block, VF NH 2,400.00



- 972 ★ 156, 1929 12c Grey Post office fresh mint Plate 2 block of six from upper left pane, extremely well centered and with full original gum. A gorgeous plate block, scarce this nice, XF NH 1,000.00+



- 973 ★ 157, 1929 20c Carmine Premium mint Plate 1 block of six from the upper right pane, precisely centered, fresh and with full immaculate original gum; difficult to find, XF NH 1,500.00+



974 ★ 158, 1929 50c **Blue nose** Lovely, fresh and nicely centered mint Plate 3 block of six from upper left pane, shows the full imprint. A desirable plate block in selected quality, VF NH 6,000.00



975 ★ 158, 1929 50c **Blue nose** Post office fresh upper left mint Plate 2 block of six, lower row is very well centered, light hinge in selvage only, stamps never hinged. An attractive plate block, F-VF 3,000.00



976 ★ 158, 1929 50c **Blue nose** A well centered Plate 3 block of four from upper right pane showing full imprint, LH on lower right stamp, others are NH, VF 2,400.00



- 977 ★ **158, 1929 50c Bluenose** Post office fresh and well centered mint example with full original gum; a nice stamp, VF NH **700.00**



- 978 ☒ **158, 155, 1930 (May 2) Colonial Airways** cacheted airmail envelope mailed from Montreal to Rosario, Argentina, pilot signed and bearing single 10c Mt. Hurd and 50c Bluenose cancelled by Montreal CDS and tied by bold transit Cristobal, Canal Zone machine wavy-line cancellation and bearing clear Buenos Aires May 12 arrival and Rosario May 13 receiver backstamps, attractive and scarce usage, VF **Est. 750.00+**



- 979 ★ **158c, 1929 50c Bluenose** Vertical mint pair, imperforate horizontally, well centered and with full original gum, never hinged; "HHH" (Dr. Harris H. Hopkins, 1973) owner's handstamp on reverse, VF NH **1,500.00**



- 980 ★ **159, 1929 \$1 Olive Green Parliament** An unusually well centered mint Plate 1 block of six showing full imprint from upper right pane, a notoriously difficult plate block, a few perf separations in selvage reinforced by hinges, stamps with full original gum, never hinged. A key and scarce plate block that is missing from many advanced collections, Very Fine **5,400.00+**



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- 981 ★ **159, 1929 \$1 Olive Green Parliament** Lovely fresh and nicely centered mint example of this challenging key stamp with bright fresh colour and full immaculate original gum, VF NH **900.00**
- 982 ★ **159iii, 1929 \$1 Bronze Green Shade Parliament** Exceptionally well centered mint example with well-balanced large margins, showing characteristic shiny ink, and full original gum that has never been hinged. A challenging stamp to find, especially in such premium condition, XF NH; 2013 Greene Foundation cert. **1,000.00+**



- 983 ★ **177, 1930 \$1 Dark Olive Green Mt. Edith Cavell** Superior mint example precisely centered within well-balanced margins with lovely rich colour on fresh paper and full pristine original gum, XF NH **600.00+**
- 984 ★ **190a, 1931 10c George Etienne Cartier** Imperforate mint block of four with sheet margin at foot and large margins on other sides, fresh with full original gum, never hinged. Only 150 pairs were printed, of which most are offered as mint hinged pairs. Rarely seen as such, VF NH **2,600.00**
(Illustrated on Page 264)



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- 985 ★ 195c-200a, 1932 1c-8c Medallion Issue A fresh, large margined set of six imperforate pairs, 4c and 8c with original gum cleverly redistributed to appear NH, others with pristine NH original gum, VF
3,500.00
- 986 ★ 198, 1932 4c Ochre Medallion Choice and unusually well centered upper left Plate No. 1 imprint block of four, VF NH
700.00
- 987 ★ 209a, 1934 10c Loyalists Selected fresh imperforate mint pair with full original gum; a key item as only one sheet was printed, VF LH
2,000.00



988 ★ 216i, 1935 13c Silver Jubilee Upper right Plate 1 right-hand pane of fifty showing the elusive Shilling Mark (Plate 1 UR, Position 78), gum bend on position 97, otherwise VF NH 2,280.00



989 ★ 225, 1935 20c Olive Green Niagara Falls Lovely matched set of Plate 1 strips of ten; all four are well centered, fresh and with full original gum, scarce as a set, VF NH 2,265.00



990 ★ 226, 1935 50c Dull Violet Victoria BC Parliament Matched set of Plate 1 strips of ten; UL strip is lightly hinged in top selvage leaving stamps and centre plate imprint block NH, other strips are VF NH 3,000.00



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- 991 ★ 227, 1935 \$1 Blue Champlain Statue Upper left Plate 1 strip of ten; fresh, well centered, VF NH
(Illustrated on Page 266) **1,500.00**
- 992 ★ 227, 1935 \$1 Blue Champlain Statue Upper right Plate 1 strip of ten, post office fresh, well centered, VF NH
(Illustrated on Page 266) **1,500.00**
- 993 ★ 227, 1935 \$1 Blue Champlain Statue Lower right Plate 1 strip of ten, well centered, bright colour, VF NH
(Illustrated on Page 266) **1,500.00**



- 994 ★ 227, 1935 \$1 Blue Champlain Statue Pristine fresh Plate 1 block of six from lower left pane, well centered and with full original gum, choice, VF NH **900.00**
- 995 ★ 227i, 1935 \$1 Pale Blue Champlain Statue Lower left Plate 1 strip of ten in the distinctive shade, well centered mint, VF NH
(Illustrated on Page 266) **1,650.00**



- 996 E 1936 Unissued King Edward VIII Proposed engravers Tin Plates showing the proposed design to be engraved, along issued 2c Silver Jubilee measuring 162 x 108mm and similar tin plate with reversed images of the latter 135 x 80mm, varnished on both sides. The original dies and proofs were destroyed and these tin plates were kept in the American Bank Note Company archives until they surfaced at auction in 1990. A remarkable duo of this short-lived reign - Canada never did issue stamps showing the portrait of King Edward VIII, Very Fine; Illustrated in Capex 96 Gems of Canadian Philately book on page 111 **Est. 2,000.00+**



- 997 E 1936 Unissued King Edward VIII Engravers Tin Plate showing the design to be engraved along issued 2c Silver Jubilee measuring 264 x 156mm, "approved" signed and dated "Sept 12 / 36" at lower right; plus crayon notation over varnish "size same as last issue / 1937 to be hidden". A great exhibition piece originating from the American Bank Note Company archives, Very Fine

Est. 1,500.00+

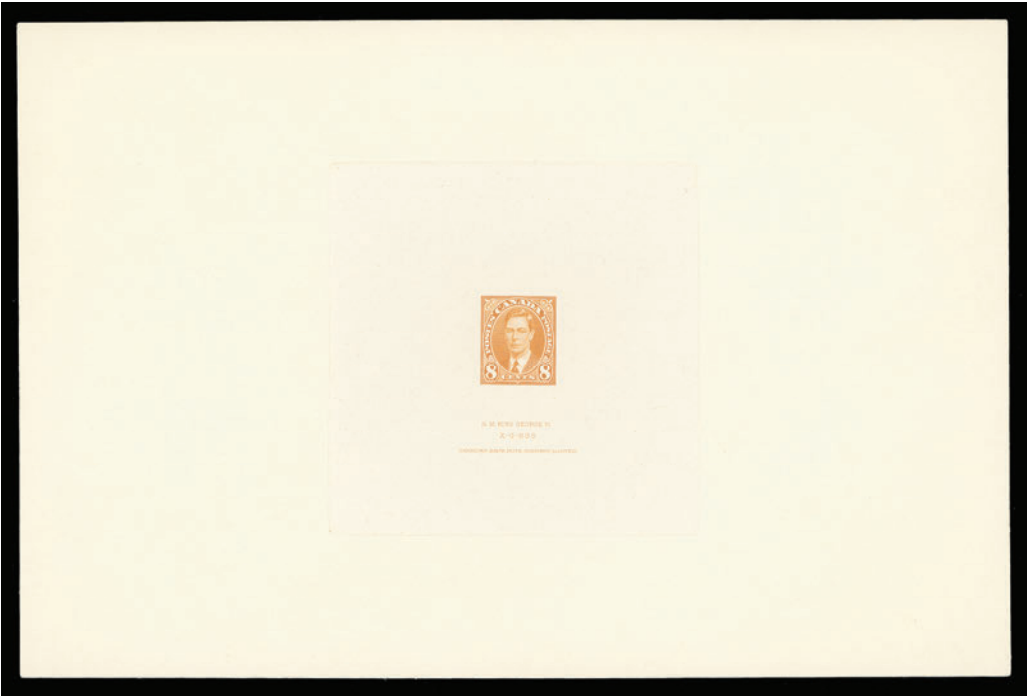
KING GEORGE VI

See also Lot 1039-1044, 1204-1206



- 998 E King George VI Photographic Essay Oval shape picture of King's portrait affixed at centre with additional oval picture placed over photographic essay of engraved stamp at right, plus second example of the latter placed at left, all affixed on very thick card measuring 172 x 96mm. Attractive and VF

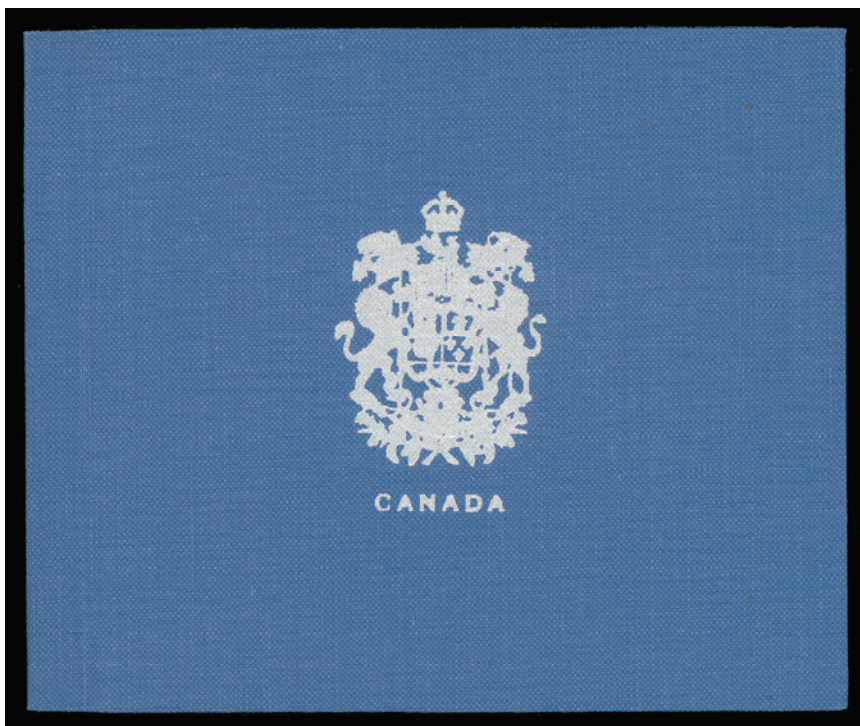
Est. 250.00



999 P 231-236, 1937 1c-8c King George VI Complete set of six Large Die Proofs in issued colours on india paper 85-87 x 86-89mm, die sunk on full size card measuring 229-230 x 152-154mm, each with imprint and different die number below stamp design. A choice and very scarce set, VF Est. 4,000.00+



- 1000 P** 231-236, 241-245, 241a, 1937-1938 1c-\$1 King George VI and Pictorial Issues Printer's Ledger Book Die Proof set of eleven values plus 10c carmine rose shade, all stamp size and printed in colours of issue on india paper, individually affixed on black card with recorded die number in ink at left (13c does not have ink notation). UNIQUE SET, originating from the American Bank Note Company archives, VF **Est. 3,000.00+**



- 1001 ★** 231-236, 241-245, C6, E7, J15/J20, Special presentation booklet, with blue cloth covers showing Canadian Coat of Arms / Canada below in silver. Presented by the Postmaster General of Canada, August 1940 and containing 1937-1938 KGVI Mufti and Pictorial set along with airmail, special delivery and postage dues issues all mint never hinged and fresh. Booklet is in excellent state of preservation and is elusive as only 400 were prepared - considerably fewer have survived, VF

Est. 500.00+



1002 ★ 231c-236a, 1937 1c-8c King George VI Mufti Lovely fresh set of six imperforate blocks of four, all sheet marginal (3c corner marginal), bright colours, faint hinge mark on top pair of the 4c block, otherwise pristine never hinged, VF **7,000.00**



1003 ★ 232 variety, 1937 2c King George VI Mufti Lower right Plate 5 mint block of forty, dramatically misperforated - design shifted upwards, nearly half of the stamps additionally show prominent reverse printing offset (quite striking especially in the sheet margin), likely resulting from a diagonal fold during the printing process; overall gum disturbance in no way detracts from this impressive multiple - the first such variety we have seen on this issue, Fine OG **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 1004 P** **233, 1937 3c King George VI Mufti Trial Colour Large Die Proof** engraved in carmine red on india paper 80 x 87mm, die sunk on full-size card measuring 152 x 227mm, showing imprint and die "X-G-649" below stamp design in pristine condition and desirable, VF **Est. 750.00+**

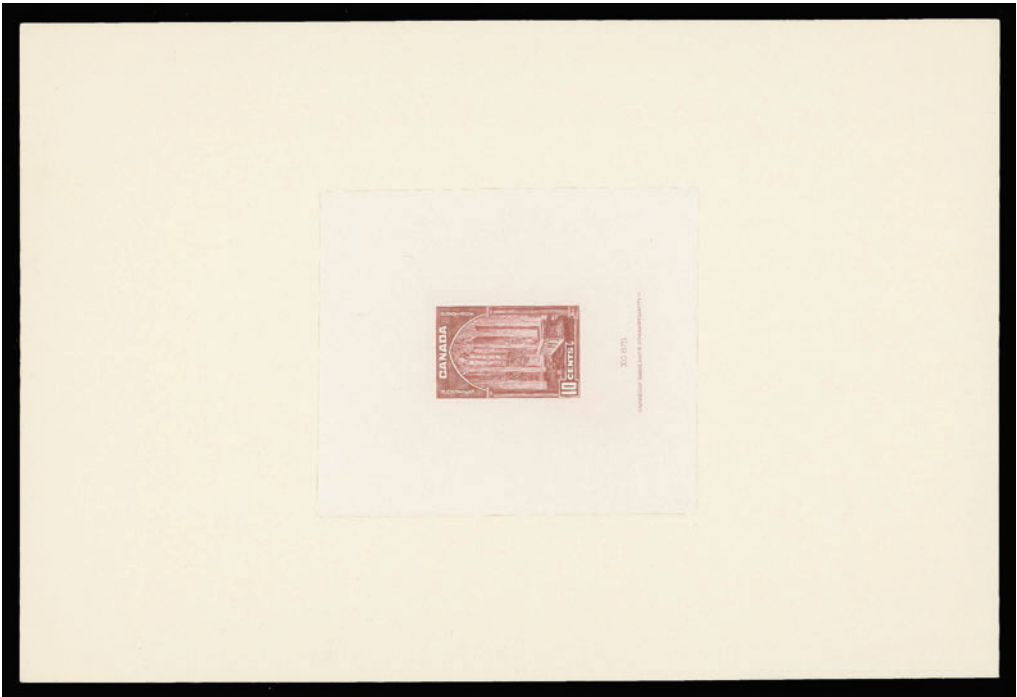


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- 1005 ★** **234 variety, 1937 4c Yellow** Right sheet margin mint block of twelve showing a partial albino impression printing on top right vertical pair likely caused from foreign matter on the plate during printing; upper and lower centre stamps LH, other stamps NH, F-VF **Est. 250.00**
- 1006 ★** **237a, 1937 3c King George VI Coronation** Vertical imperforate pair with sheet margin at right, owner's backstamps, VF LH **800.00**



1007 P 241, 1938 10c Dark Carmine Memorial Chamber Large Die Proof in colour of issue on india paper 75 x 83mm, die sunk on full-size card measuring 153 x 227mm, showing die "XG-675" number and Canadian Bank Note Company imprint below stamp design. In pristine condition and attractive, XF
Est. 750.00+



1008 P 241-245, 1938 10c-\$1 Pictorial Issue Complete set of four (13c does not exist) plate proofs in gutter margin blocks of eight on card mounted india paper; 10c with horizontal gutter margin folded at centre as do all known examples; 20c, 50c and \$1 with vertical gutter margin, in choice condition. A very scarce and desirable set - ideal for exhibition, VF (See also Lot 1039)
6,000.00



- 1009 P** 241-245, 1938 10c-\$1 Pictorial Issue Complete set of four (13c does not exist) Plate No. 1 inscription proof blocks of four, all from the upper right position, in issued colours on card mounted india paper; 20c with minor soiling in sheet margin at top mentioned for the record; a very rare set as only two plate blocks of each corner exist, VF **3,750.00**

Three values - the 10c, 50c and \$1 show penciled order number "O-890" by the ABNC on front of card at top right.



- 1010 ★** 241b-245b, 241c, 1938 10c-\$1 Pictorial Issue Post office fresh complete set of six imperforate pairs including both 10c shades, all sheet marginal with large margins on other sides; a beautiful set, VF VLH **4,750.00**



- 1011 P 243, 1938 20c Fort Garry** Trial Colour Large Die Proof in dark olive green on india paper 86 x 75mm, die sunk on full-size card measuring 152 x 227, showing die "XG-677" number and Canadian Bank Note Company imprint below; small corner card crease at top left; pencil notation "O-890 wrong color - issued in Brown" on reverse. Attractive and very scarce, VF **Est. 750.00+**



- 1012 P 244, 1938 50c Vancouver Harbour** Trial Colour Large Die Proof in slate violet on india paper 88 x 75mm, die sunk on full-size card measuring 227 x 152mm, showing die "XG-678" number and Canadian Bank Note Company imprint below stamp design; pencil notation "O-890 wrong color - issued in Green" on reverse. A superb and desirable proof, VF **Est. 1,000.00**



- 1013 P 244, 1938 50c Vancouver Harbour Trial Colour Die Proof** printed in purple instead of the issued green colour, on india paper 88 x 75mm, die sunk on card measuring 124 x 104mm, remarkably fresh, choice and striking, VF **Est. 750.00+**



- 1014 P 245, 1938 \$1 Chateau de Ramesay Trial Colour Large Die Proof** printed in dark blue, on india paper 90 x 75mm die sunk on card measuring 115 x 100mm; unhardened state without die number and imprint; signed by C.H. Dawson - engraver. A beautiful and very scarce proof, ideal for exhibition, VF **Est. 1,000.00+**



1015 P 245, 1938 \$1 Chateau de Ramezay Large Trial Colour Die Proof in dark blue on india paper 89 x 75mm, die sunk on full-size card 227 x 152mm; showing die "XG-679" number and CBN imprint below stamp design. In pristine condition; printer's pencil notation on back "O-890 wrong color - issued in Purple". A great item for exhibition, VF **Est. 1,000.00+**



1016 ★ 245, 1938 \$1 Dull Violet Chateau de Ramezay Matched and nicely centered set of Plate 1 blocks of four, fresh and with full original gum; seldom offered as a set, VF NH **3,600.00**



- 1017 ★ 248a, 1939 3c Royal Visit Large margined imperforate pair, VF NH

1,050.00

ELIZABETHAN MODERN ERRORS & VARIETIES



- 1018 ★ 339a, 1954 3c Wilding Fresh horizontal mint pair imperforate vertically, normal centering for this, originating from the unique sheet, tiny natural gum inclusion at right does not detract, F-VF NH

2,000.00



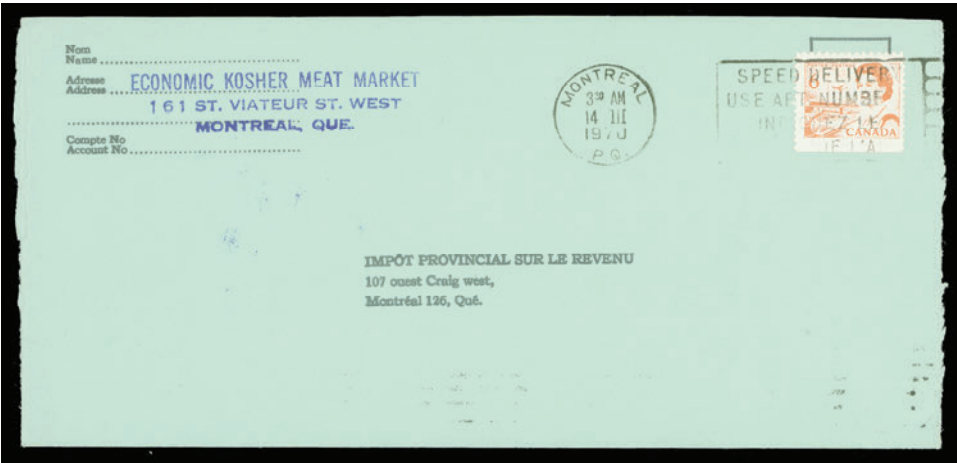
- 1019 ★ 387a, 1959 5c St. Lawrence Seaway Invert Pristine fresh and very well centered mint example of this famous and sought-after major error, rich colours and full clean original gum, never hinged, scarce thus and as nice as they come, VF NH

12,500.00



- 1020 ★ 387i, 1959 5c St. Lawrence Seaway Well centered mint single showing a prominent double print of the red colour; faint gum crease but seldom seen with such a strong second impression, VF NH

2,500.00



- 1021 F 459, **Postal Counterfeits** Lot of three covers bearing 6c orange lithographed forgery, perforated on three or four sides; includes single dated "14 III 1970", single along with 1c brown Centennial cancelled "2 IX 1971" and large envelope bearing two singles, one with faulty UL corner tied by slogan datestamp "30 IV 1970". All postmarked in Montreal and opened on three sides. Est. 200.00



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- 1022 ★ 535a, 1971 6c **Maple Leaf in Spring** Choice full margined imperforate mint pair, scarce, VF NH 1,200.00
- 1023 ★ 693d, 1976 8c **Royal Military College Centenary** Top sheet margin se-tenant mint pair showing the DOUBLE IMPRESSION error, very striking and one of the most recognizable of all Canadian modern errors, VF NH 5,000.00



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- 1024 ★ 716c, 1978 14c **"White Queen"** Mint single with red colour completely omitted and untagged, attractive and choice, VF NH 2,000.00
- 1025 ★ 716c, 1978 14c **"White Queen"** Mint single with sheet margin at foot, red colour completely omitted and untagged; a popular and striking modern error, VF NH 2,000.00



- 1026 ★ 723Ab, 1978 (50c) **Prairie Street Scene (CBN printing)** Mint "Ghost Town" single with brown (engraved) inscriptions omitted, sheet margin at foot, VF NH; 2007 AIEP cert. **3,000.00**



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- 1027 ★ 727a, 1979 (\$2) **Kluane National Park** Well centered mint single, missing the silver (engraving) inscriptions, VF NH **500.00**

- 1028 ★ 775i, 1978 30c **Christmas Painting** A large margined imperforate pair, couple faint wrinkles not mentioned in certificate; nicer than most known examples and scarce, VF NH; clear 2010 AIEP cert. **1,500.00**



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- 1029 ★ 841a, 1979 (35c) **Knitted Stuffed Doll** Mint single, missing gold inscriptions and untagged, scarce, VF NH **1,750.00**

- 1030 ★ 878i, 1981 (17c) **Antique Mandora** Mint single with sheet margin at left, tiny negligible thin, printed on the gum side, missing gold inscriptions and untagged; an attractive triple error, VF NH **2,000.00**



1031 ★ 888i, 1981 17c Canadian Painters Scarce imperforate mint pair, creased from mishandling as are most known examples, Fine appearance; Unitrade value reflects pairs in such condition. 900.00



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1032 ★ 924c, 1983 32c "Maple Leaf in Winter" Mint single with beige (background) colour completely omitted and untagged; a popular and striking error, VF NH 1,500.00

1033 ★ 936a, 1985 (\$2) Banff National Park Unusually well centered mint example with bluish green (engraving) inscriptions omitted, VF NH 1,500.00

1034 ★ 996ii, 1983 32c Nickel Top sheet margin mint single with silver colour dramatically shifted up, VF NH 500.00



1035 ★ 1442b, 1992 42c Canada in Space Se-tenant pair showing the missing hologram error, choice, VF NH; 1993 FQP cert. 2,500.00



1036 ★ 1683ii, 2000 47c Queen Elizabeth II Lower right plate inscription block of eight with bottom pair and half of next pair imperforate, striking and scarce, VF NH 1,500.00



1037 ★ 1693a, 2003 (\$5) "Missing" Moose A desirable example of this fabulous modern error completely missing the engraved colours (moose, grass and trees as a result); in mint pristine condition, one of the most sought-after of all modern Canadian errors, VF NH; 2007 AIEP cert. (identified as old number Scott #1701a) 7,500.00

AIRMAIL
See also Lot 1215-1221



1038 ★ C2, 1930 5c Olive Brown Selected and well centered mint block of four showing reversed plate "1" number in left sheet margin, scarce this nice, VF NH **1,000.00**



1039 P C6, 1938 6c Blue Monoplane Plate proof block of eight in issued colour on card mounted india paper, showing vertical gutter margin, choice fresh and VF **2,000.00**



1040 P C6, 1938 6c Blue Monoplane Upper right Plate No. 1 plate proof block of four, in the issued colour on card mounted india paper; one of only two known, VF **1,250.00**



- 1041 P** C6, 1938 6c Monoplane over Mackenzie River, NWT Large Die Proof in blue, colour of issue, on india paper 90 x 76mm, die sunk on large card measuring 140 x 153mm; with die "XG-674" number and CBN imprint below stamp design, in pristine condition, VF **Est. 750.00**



- 1042 P** C6, 1938 6c Monoplane over Mackenzie River, NWT Trial Colour Die Proof printed in red brown, on india paper 90 x 76mm die sunk on card measuring 100 x 87mm; with die "XG-674" number and CBN imprint below stamp design, attractive, VF **Est. 750.00**



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- 1043 P C6, 1938 6c Blue Monoplane Vertical plate proof strip of four with horizontal gutter margin between pairs, in the issued colour on card mounted india paper, VF and rare **Est. 500.00+**
- 1044 ★ C6, 1938 6c Blue Monoplane Imperforate pair, full margins, fresh and lightly hinged, VF **800.00**
- 1045 ★ C7, 1942-1943 6c Deep Blue Airmail Elusive matched set of Plate No. 2 blocks, nicely centered and fresh. A difficult set to assemble, VF VLH **1,950.00**



- 1046 ★ CLP2g, 1918 25c Red & Black on Rough Off-White Paper (With Numerals in Lower Corners) Aero Club of Canada tete-beche pane of two, distinctive paper and perforations associated with this scarcer printing, well centered and full original gum, VF LH **1,550.00**



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- 1047 ☒ **CLP5, CLP5i, Estevan - Winnipeg Flight 1924 (October 1)** Lot of six different combinations of stamp and airmail stamp frankings, all on the same promotional pre-printed envelope. Includes 1c & 2c Admiral + CLP5i wide spacing variety, light cover toning at top; 1c Admiral strip of three without airmail label, plus similar franked cover and pilot signed E.A. Alton, 3c carmine Admiral + normal CLP5; 1c Admiral strip of three + normal CLP5 and 1c Admiral strip of three + CLP5i wide spacing variety. F-VF or better **Est. 600.00+**



- 1048 ★ **CL4, 1924 (25c) Red Laurentide Air Service (Fifth Issue)** Fresh mint single, rouletted at top, VF NH **300.00**
- 1049 E **CL6, 1926 (March 6)** Jack V Elliot Air Service first flight cover bearing single CL6 with zig zag background tied by Kenora oval receiver, which have been subsequently removed and showing unofficial flight essay in blue underneath; most unusual and scarce, VF **500.00+**



1050 ★ CL7, CL7c, 1926 (25c) Jack V. Elliot Air Service Red on Yellow Background of Swastikas Intact tete-beche gutter margin sheet of sixteen, pristine and fresh with natural inclusion spot in gutter margin, still sheet is in excellent state of preservation and very rarely seen, full never hinged original gum. Only 125 sheets were printed (2,000 stamps) of which the majority were broken into singles and pairs, thus very few sheets are left intact, VF NH **7,000.00**

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- 1051 P** CL9, 1926 (25c) **Elliot-Fairchild Air Service** Remarkable intact tete-beche imperforate sheet of sixteen in black and yellow on white paper, shows filled-in wing (Position 1) variety, top and lower row stamps are very lightly hinged, leaving centre tete-beche pairs never hinged. Exceptionally rare: it is believed that only one or two intact panes still exist - a great showpiece, VF VLH / NH **7,300.00+**



- 1052 P** CL9, 1926 (25c) **Elliot-Fairchild Air Service** Impressive intact tete-beche imperforate sheet of sixteen in red and yellow on white paper, shows filled-in wing (Position 1) variety, top and lower row stamps are very lightly hinged, leaving centre tete-beche pairs never hinged; position 8 has minute gum thin spot. Exceptionally rare: it is believed that only one or two intact panes still exist - an absolute showpiece for a serious Semi-Official collection, VF VLH / NH **7,300.00**



- 1053** ☒ **CL18e**, 1926 (August 2) Woman Lake to Sioux Lookout flight; 2c green Admiral franked cover with Patricia Airways cachet on front and bearing the very scarce (50c) black and red on blue paper on the back, Style Two, single with cursive "FED" official overprint in green tied by additional flight cachet and Sioux Lookout same-day arrival CDS. A choice and desirable cover, VF **Est. 1,500.00+**



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- 1054** ☒ **CL25a, CL25c**, 1928 (March 9) 1c orange Confederation franked airmail cover, bearing on reverse a single CL25a tied by dispatch Red Lake and Sioux Lookout (MR 12) arrival split rings; also 2c Confederation cover dated June 28, franked with uncanceled example of CL25c, endorsed "First Day of Confederation Jubilee Issue" flown from Sioux Lookout June 30, 1927 to Red Lake July 1, VF duo **Est. 300.00**
- 1055** ☒ **CL27**, 1927 (September 13) 2c green Admiral franked cover, bearing single (50c) green and red on yellow, Style Three, with ascending 10c overprint Type A in red and descending 5c overprint Type B in black, from Red Lake to Sioux Lookout, scarce usage, VF **Est. 500.00**



1056 ☒ **CL40, Western Canada Airways Service** Substantial lot of 41 covers all bearing single (10c) Western Canada airmail stamp, various shades noted with mostly different first flights, dates, franking combinations, etc. Also includes CL14 on cover endorsed First Day of Confederation Jubilee Issue and a CL41 cover from Red Lake July 1 1927 to Rolling Portage July 8 1927 (80 carried). A useful lot, F-VF **Est. 1,000.00+**



1057 ★ **CL40, CL41, 1927 (10c) Black with Pink Background on Thick Paper and (10c) Black with Orange Background Western Canada Airways** Mint never hinged full sheets of 50 stamps, both with couple negligible fingerprints on gum side, an elusive duo, VF NH **1,650.00**



1058 ☒ **CL42, Yukon Airways and Explorations Co. Ltd** Neat lot of 16 covers all bearing singles of the 25c blue (shades) airmail stamp, appears to be all different first flights, pilot signed & franking combinations, etc. Noted better November 24, 1927 flights (AAMC 2703, a, b, c), plus two commercial usages; and also single 25c blue airmail usage on Whitehorse newspaper. F-VF
Est. 600.00+



1059 **P** **CL47, 1929 (10c) Commercial Airways "VIA AIR"** Die Proof hand drawn in black ink and Chinese White in black tablets, with similitude perforations penciled by designer, Jack Housez, on thick surfaced card measuring 62 x 53mm; McDermid Studios Limited / Edmonton, Alta. handstamp on reverse; Kessler and Matthews guarantee backstamps. A fabulous and likely UNIQUE showpiece, VF
Est. 2,500.00+



1060 ☒ **CL47-CL50, Commercial Airways Ltd.** Lot of 21 covers including CL47 (10c) "VIA AIR" airmail stamp on three sets of covers; Edmonton - Grande Prairie and return flights; twelve covers bearing CL48, mostly different first flights and one commercial flight. Scarcer CL49 on first flight from Edmonton to Fort McMurray and CL50 with two different first flights. Also two different pilot signed Commercial Airways covers without airmail stamp (AAMC 3031, 3031a). A nice lot for the specialist, F-VF
Est. 750.00+



- 1061 P** **CL48P, 1930 (10c) Commercial Airways "AIR FEE"** Complete set of six coloured imperforate proofs on thick glazed white card, all from the lower right corner (Position 7) - in black, orange, deep carmine, green, violet and lemon yellow; a scarce set, VF **2,000.00**

SCADTA CONSULAR OVERPRINTS

Canadian Dispatch for Expedited Airmail Service within Colombia



- 1062** **CLCA1, 1923 5c Orange Yellow, "CA." Overprint in Black** Fresh and well centered mint single; Kessler guarantee backstamp. Only 125 were printed, VF LH; 1956 PF cert. *ex. Thomas Matthews with his backstamp* **400.00**
- 1063** **CLCA3, 1923 15c Carmine, "CA." Overprint in Black** Lovely fresh and precisely centered mint single; Kessler guarantee backstamp. Only 200 were printed, VF LH; *ex. Thomas Matthews with his backstamp* **350.00**
- 1064** **CLCA4, 1923 20c Grey, "CA." Overprint in Black** Fresh and nicely centered mint single; Kessler guarantee backstamp. Only 225 were printed, VF LH; *ex. Thomas Matthews with his backstamp* **325.00**
- 1065** **CLCA5, 1923 30c Blue, "CA." Overprint in Black** A spectacular mint sheet of 25 stamps, well centered and fresh, folded horizontally between second and third columns and minor perf separation in bottom left selvage mentioned for accuracy, possessing full original gum, never hinged. An exceedingly rare SCADTA Consular overprinted "CA." sheet - only 1,100 stamps were printed (44 sheets) of the 30c denomination; this sheet is quite likely the only surviving sheet of any denomination "CA." A great showpiece for an advanced airmail collection, VF NH; 1976 PF cert. *(Illustrated on Page 293)* **Est. 3,000.00+**
- 1066** **CLCA6, 1923 50c Green, "CA." Overprint in Black** Well centered mint single with Kessler guarantee backstamp. Only 150 were printed, VF LH; *ex. Thomas Matthews with his backstamp* **400.00**



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- 1067 ★ CLCA7, 1923 60c Brown Nicely centered and fresh mint single with Kessler guarantee backstamp. Only 150 were printed, VF LH; ex. *Thomas Matthews with his backstamp* 400.00
- 1068 ★ CLCA8, 1923 1p Black, "CA." Overprint in Black Attractive mint single, minute tone spot at right; Kessler guarantee backstamp. Only 150 were printed, VF OG; ex. *Thomas Matthews with his backstamp* 400.00



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- 1069 ★ **CLCA9, 1923 2p Red Orange, "CA." Overprint in Black** Well centered mint single showing Kessler guarantee backstamp. Only 125 were printed, VF LH; *ex. Thomas Matthews with his backstamp* **400.00**

- 1070 ★ **CLCA10, 1923 3p Violet, "CA." Overprint in Black** Rarely seen or offered mint example of which only 50 stamps (two sheets) were printed; Kessler guarantee backstamp, VF OG; 1956 PF cert. *ex. Thomas Matthews with his backstamp* **1,000.00**



- 1071 ★ **CFLCA1, 1923 20c "R" Registration Overprint in Red & "CA." Overprint in Black** Single used on piece tied by Colombian CDS in addition to Toronto CDS and registration boxed handstamp. Rarely seen stamp, VF; 1976 PF cert. **1,000.00**



- 1072 ★ **CFLCA1, 1923 20c "R" Registration Overprint in Red and "CA." Overprint in Black** Very seldom seen mint example, nicely centered and fresh with Kessler guarantee backstamp. Only 100 were printed, VF OG; *ex. Thomas Matthews with his backstamp* **1,000.00**

SPECIAL DELIVERY, REGISTRATION
POSTAGE DUE, WAR TAX



- 1073 ★ E1a, 1920 10c Green Special Delivery Top right margin strip of ten showing "WA - No. 2 - 922F" imprint and portion of guide arrow at upper left from guillotined pane of 100, lovely fresh colour, LH on Position 1 leaving other nine NH. Scarce as only the right side pane showed the plate number, Fine+ 1,140.00+



- 1074 ★ E1a, 1920 10c Green A beautiful mint example very well centered with gorgeous bright colour on fresh paper with full pristine original gum. A difficult stamp to find in such nice quality, VF+ NH 450.00



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- 1075 ★ E3, 1927 20c Orange Premium mint block of four, exceptional centering, fresh and with full pristine original gum; seldom encountered in such top-quality, XF NH 600.00+
- 1076 ★ E4, 1930 20c Henna Brown Pristine fresh and well centered Centre Plate 1 block of four, with full unblemished original gum; superior to most we have seen, VF+ NH 800.00+



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- 1077 ★ **F1b, 1888 2c Rose Carmine Registered Letter Stamp, Perf 12** Attractive mint vertical pair showing full TWO CENTS counter in top margin, reasonably centered, characteristic shade of late Montreal printing, hinged in selvage only, stamps with full original gum, F-VF NH **2,000.00**



- 1078 ★ **F1b, 1888 2c Rose Carmine, Montreal "Gazette" printing, Perf 12** An impressive mint example of this distinctive short-lived printing with dark rich colour, unusually well centered with post office fresh colour on pristine paper, intact perforations and full original gum that has never been hinged. A great stamp which is seldom encountered in such choice quality, XF NH; 2013 Greene Foundation cert. **1,500.00+**
- 1079 ★ **F3, 1876 8c Dull Blue Registered Letter Stamp, Perf 12** Well centered mint example with nice colour and full dull streaky white original gum characteristic of this stamp, VF OG **900.00**
- 1080 ◎ **F3a, 1876 8c Bright Blue Registration Letter Stamp, Perf 12** A striking used single, nicely centered and showing trace of plate imprint in lower wing margin (Position 48), central segmented cork cancellation, attractive, VF **500.00**



- 1081 ★ **J1, 1906 1c Red Violet (Wet printing) Mint Plate No. 1** imprint strip of twenty stamps from lower pane with printing order numbers etched out and showing large "1" at right of Position 100, fabulous colour and impression on fresh medium wove paper, reasonably centered, couple light hinge marks in selvage only, leaving stamps never hinged. A rare and desirable plate multiple, F-VF (Unitrade \$1,900+) **Est. 750.00+**



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- 1082 ★ J11, 1933-1934 1c Dark Violet Postage Due Selected fresh matched set of Plate No. 1 blocks, UL block F-VF; otherwise VF NH **850.00**
- 1083 ★ MR2C, 1915 20c Olive Green (Wet printing) with "WAR TAX" Overprint in Black Post office fresh mint single, very well centered, radiant colour on bright paper with full unblemished original gum. An elusive stamp in such nice quality, VF+ NH; 2003 Greene Foundation cert. **720.00**



- 1084 ★ MR2D, 1915 50c Black "WAR TAX" Overprint in Red (Wet printing) An impressive top right mint Plate 1 imprint block of twelve stamps, printing order "88" etched out and renumbered "193", couple creases in right margin only, sensibly reinforced between right pair and margin and at top, nine stamps are NH. A very rare plate multiple of which very few have survived, ideal for exhibition, Fine (Catalogue value \$3,825 as stamps only) **Est. 1,250.00+**
- 1085 ★ MR4b, 1915 2c + 1c Dark Yellow Brown War Tax, Die I Imperforate pair with large margins, fresh, unused without gum as issued, VF+ **275.00**
- 1086 ★ MR4i, 1917 2c + 1c Yellow Brown War Tax, Die II (Wet printing), Perf 12 Choice large margined mint single showing Type A lathework, nicely centered with pristine original gum, VF NH JUMBO **240.00**



OFFICIAL



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- 1087 ★ O241-O245i, 1938 10c-\$1 Pictorial Issue, 4-Hole OHMS** Fresh set of five in blocks of four with sheet margin on one or two sides, well centered; \$1 is the aniline violet shade, VF NH **2,440.00**
- 1088 ★ O241/O273, 1938-1946 Selection of 4-Hole OHMS Plate Multiples** Clean lot which contains four different plate strips of ten and ten different plate blocks, from 1938 Pictorial, 1942-1943 KGVI War and 1946 Peace issue. All mint NH and mostly Very Fine throughout (Unitrade \$1,884; no premium added for plate block format) **Est. 750.00+**



- 1089 ★ O242-O245, OC6, 1938 13c-\$1, 6c Airmail 4-Hole OHMS (Position A)** Neat selection of five different plate positional blocks of four; 13c LL pl. 1 VF NH, 20c LL pl. 2 VF NH, 50c LL pl. 1 VF hinged on top pair, \$1 UL pl. 1 VF LH and 6c airmail UL pl. 1 F-VF NH; an elusive group. (Unitrade value for stamps only \$2,150+) **Est. 750.00+**



- 1090 ★ OC1, 1928 5c Brown Olive Airmail, 4-Hole OHMS (Position A)** Upper left Plate 1 block of ten, post office fresh, a few perf separations in selvage only, still in excellent state of preservation. A rarely seen intact four-hole OHMS plate block, VF NH **Est. 750.00+**



1091 ★ OC1, 1928 5c Brown Olive Airmail, 4-Hole OHMS Upper right Plate 1 block of ten, fresh, nine are NH; a rare intact perforated official plate block, F-VF LH Est. 600.00+



1092 ★ OC7/OE11, Airmail and Special Delivery 4-Hole OHMS Plate Multiples Clean lot which contains six different plate strips of ten and nine different plate blocks of 1942-1943 War Issue Airmails to 1946 Special Delivery. Noted OC8 UR Plate 5 (scarce plate) block of four, OCE1 LL Plate 1 strip of ten, OE7 UL Plate 1 strip of ten, OE10 LL Plate 1 strip of ten, etc. Selected mint NH and mostly Very Fine throughout; a challenging lot to assemble. (Unitrade \$2,442; no premium added for plate block format) Est. 750.00+



1093 ★ O1-O4, 1949-1950 1c-4c King George VI War Issue, "O.H.M.S." Official Overprint Virtually complete collection of plate number matched sets of plate blocks (less O4 UR plate 49), mainly well centered and mint never hinged. Noted (VF NH unless otherwise mentioned) O1 pl. 30 LL, LR, pl. 31 UL, UR, O2 pl. 4 UR is LH rest NH, O3 pl. 32 LR, pl. 34 VF LH, O4 pl. 49 LR LH, pl. 50 LL LH, etc. A clean lot; Unitrade \$4,245. Est. 1,000.00+



- 1094 ★** **O1-O4, O1i-O4i, 1949-1950 1c-4c King George VI War O.H.M.S. Official Overprint** Set of four in full mint sheets of 100 stamps; 1c LR Plate 31, 2c UR Plate 4, 3c UR Plate 34, 4c UR Plate 50 - each sheet folded at centre, and showing narrow spacing variety (strips of four) along first three columns, fresh, well centered and with full original gum, VF NH (Unitrade \$4,635)
(Illustrated on Website) **Est. 600.00**



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- 1095 ★** **O2a, 1949-1950 2c Brown King George VI War, "O.H.M.S." Official Overprint** Lower left Plate 4 block of ten without period after "S" variety (Position 52) on top left stamp, fresh VF NH **1,000.00**
- 1096 ☉** **O4, 1949-1950 4c Dark Carmine KGVII War, "O.H.M.S." Official Overprint** Key upper right Plate No. 49 block, used with Hamilton CDS postmarks, very rare in used condition - a great item for an advanced KGVII collection, Fine; 1956 PF cert. (Unitrade cat. \$1,500 for fine mint hinged)
Est. 1,000.00+



1097 ★ O6a, 1949-1950 10c Great Bear Lake, "O.H.M.S." Official Overprint Lower left Plate No. 1 and No. 2 blocks, both without period after "S" (Position 47), VF NH 800.00



1098 ☉ O6a-O8a, CO1a, 1949-1950 10c, 14c & 20c Peace Issue "O.H.M.S." Official Overprint Four lower left Plate No. 1 blocks, each without period after "S" variety (Position 47). All are well centered with Ottawa NO 11 50 CDS postmarks. An elusive group in used condition, VF (Catalogue value for variety only; no premium added for plate blocks) 430.00+



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- 1099 ★ **O9, 1949-1950 50c Lumbering, "O.H.M.S." Official Overprint** Extremely well centered and fresh upper left Plate No. 1 block, choice, VF+ NH **2,400.00**
- 1100 ★ **O9, 1949-1950 50c Lumbering, "O.H.M.S." Official Overprint** Post office fresh and precisely centered lower right Plate No. 1 block, VF+ NH **2,400.00**
- 1101 ★ **O9, 1949-1950 50c Lumbering, "O.H.M.S." Official Overprint** Upper right Plate No. 1 block, fresh and well centered, LH in selvage only, stamps NH and VF **1,800.00**
- 1102 ★ **O9a, 1949-1950 50c Lumbering, "O.H.M.S." Official Overprint** Selected fresh and well centered lower left Plate No. 1 block, without period after "S" (Position 47); a key plate block in nice quality, VF NH; 1993 Greene Foundation cert. **3,200.00**



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- 1103 ★ O15, 1950 4c Dark Carmine KGV1, "O.H.M.S." Official Overprint Lower left mint Plate No. 2 block of four - the key positional block, F-VF NH (Illustrated on Page 302) 1,350.00
- 1104 ★ O15, 1950 4c Dark Carmine KGV1, "O.H.M.S." Official Overprint Lower left mint Plate 3 block of four, a key position, VF LH (Illustrated on Page 302) 900.00
- 1105 ★ O15, 1950 4c Dark Carmine KGV1, "O.H.M.S." Official Overprint Lower right Plate No. 2 block of four, pristine fresh and seldom seen, VF NH (Illustrated on Page 302) 800.00
- 1106 ★ O15A, O15Ac, 1950 5c Deep Blue KGV1 "O.H.M.S." Official Overprint Upper left Plate 1 and Plate 2 full sheets of 100, both showing the missing period after "S" variety on Position 78, full original gum, scarce duo, VF NH (Illustrated on Website) 1,060.00



- 1107 ★ O25, 1950-1951 \$1 Train Ferry, "G" Official Overprint Mint post office fresh and well centered matched set of Plate No. 1 blocks, difficult to find this nice, VF NH 4,000.00



- 1108 ★ O26a, 1950-1951 10c Fur "G" Official Overprint Fresh, well centered mint block without "G" overprint on lower left stamp; a scarce and desirable error, VF NH 1,275.00



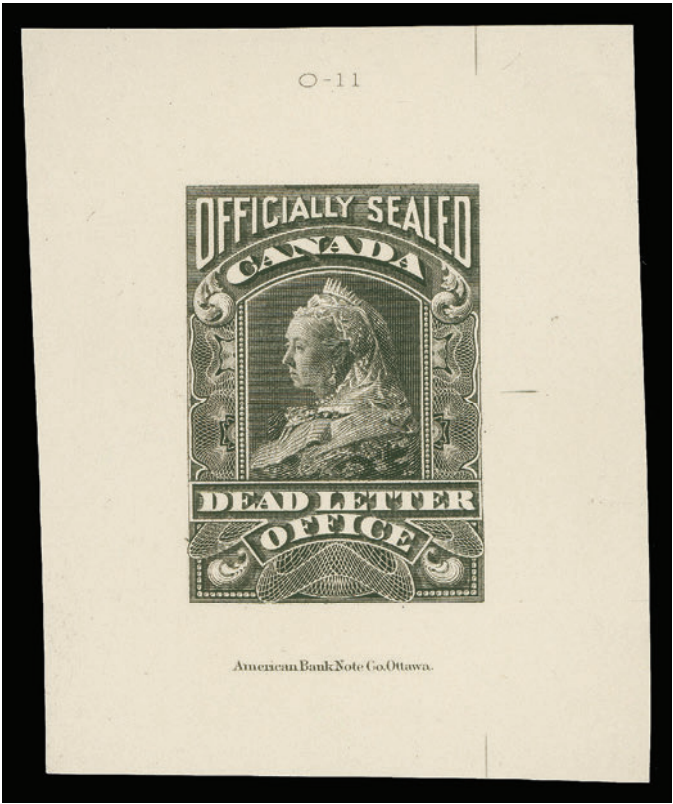
- 1109 ★ O27, 1951 \$1 Fishman, "G" Official Overprint Selected, fresh, well centered matched set of Plate No.1 blocks, VF NH 4,000.00



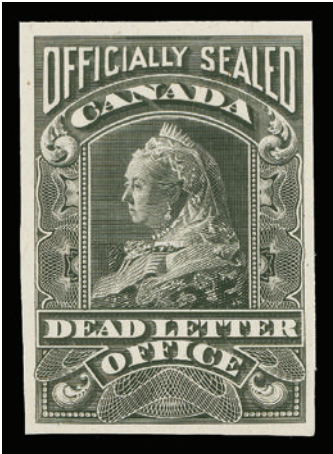
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- 1110 ★ O38ai, 1961-1962 50c Textile Industry, Flying "G" Official Overprint Selected fresh mint upper right Plate No. 1 block, showing the scarce fishhook "G" variety on upper right stamp, VF NH 1,000.00
- 1111 ★ O38ai, 1961-1962 50c Textile Industry, Flying "G" Official Overprint Pristine mint upper right Plate No. 2 block, showing the elusive fishhook "G" overprint variety (Position 5) on upper right stamp, choice, VF NH 1,000.00



1112 P **OX2, 1902 Queen Victoria Officially Sealed** Large die proof in black (colour of issue) directly on thick yellowish card (0.009" thick), showing printer's engraved guidelines, die "O-11" number above and American Bank Note Co. Ottawa. imprint below; a remarkable die proof - rarely seen, VF
Est. 3,000.00+



1113 P **OX2P, 1902 Queen Victoria Officially Sealed Stamp** Plate proof single printed in black colour of issue, on card mounted india paper, choice, VF
750.00



- 1114 ★ **PWF3, 1943 Prisoner of War Free Franks, Imprint "...5M-5-43 (2)"** at Upper Right Imperforate mint example with natural paper inclusion at centre, an elusive stamp, VF NH **1,000.00**



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- 1115 ☒ **PWF5, 1945 Prisoner of War Free Franks** Position 1 perforated at foot, on piece, uncanceled, scarce and VF; 2013 Greene Foundation cert. **900.00**

- 1116 ☉ **PWF6, 1946 Prisoner of War Free Franks** Choice single rouletted on two sides and tied by P.O.W. / 32 FE 28 47 CDS postmarks on small piece, scarce, VF **250.00+**



- 1117 ★ **PWF6a, 1946 Prisoner of War Free Franks** Vertical mint pane of five, rouletted, fresh and VF NH **412.50**

POSTAL STATIONERY



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- 1118 ☒ **UX4**, 1887 (October 1) 2c Green UPU card from Brockville to Guatemala, grid cancelled and Yorkville dispatch CDS; New Orleans OCT 7 87 CDS on back and large portion of double ring datestamp and five-point star at upper left; overall light ageing, an unusual destination, F-VF **Est. 250.00+**
- 1119 ☒ **UX4**, 1893 (October 16) 2c green UPU postal card mailed from Toronto to Port of Spain, Trinidad, postmarked two-ring dispatch, with Port of Spain CDS receiver on back; then forwarded to Caracas, Venezuela; attractive, VF **Est. 200.00+**
- 1120 ☒ **UX14**, 1895 (September 24) One cent black postal card (rosette under numerals) with clear Victoria, BC squared circle dispatch sent shortpaid 1 cent to Penang, Straits Settlements, marked T (due) and 5 in Canada, 1d FB in England and "2" at destination (double deficiency); some ageing and minor creases to card, but an exotic destination, F-VF **Est. 250.00+**



CANADA PRECANCELS



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- 1121** ☉ **U-54-VD, 5c Blue Jubilee Style U**, vertical, double - second impression lighter, but clearly shown; very rare and currently unlisted as a double in the Standard Precancel Catalogue, Fine **Est. 250.00+**
- 1122** ☉ **Karsh to Centennial Issue Bar Precancelled Plate Blocks** Nice collection of 81 plate (or blank) blocks of four with bar precancels, mostly in matched sets from Karsh to Centennial issues, also a few later issues, noted key 2c green Centennial matched set; also another ten different Warning strips of 20 stamps of the Karsh and Wilding series. Most with OG, NH, F-VF or better; a seldom seen group, ideal for the precancel specialist. **Est. 750.00+**
- 1123** ☉ **CANADA CITY PRECANCELS** Includes 26 different plate numbered blocks with various Money Order Office Number precancels from 1935 to early 1950s, mostly with full OG, NH, also noted 1c Mufti UR Plate 8 and 3c Mufti UL Plate 23, both Warning strips of 20 with Toronto Style 15. A neat and unusual lot, F-VF *(Not Illustrated)* **Est. 300.00+**

CANADA REVENUES (FEDERAL)



- 1124** P **FEG1-FG7, 1930 50c-\$10 Electricity & Gas Inspection KGV Issue** Complete set of Large Die Proofs printed in vermilion, also a 50c printed in blue (not issued as such, whereas the other values were), on india paper 74-76 x 97-100mm on full-size card measuring 229-230 x 152-153mm, each showing different die number above design, scarce, VF **Est. 1,250.00+**



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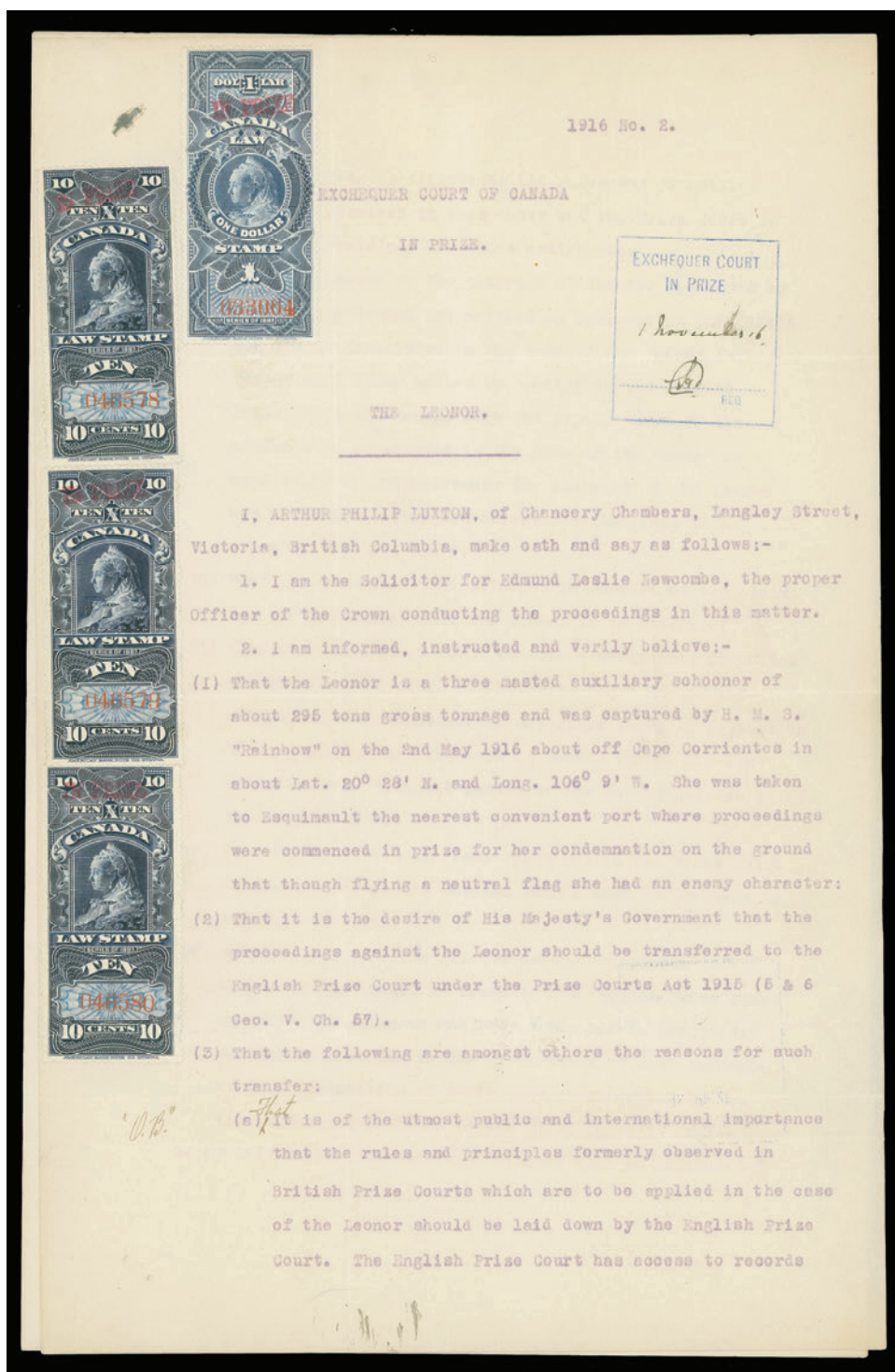


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- 1125 ◎ **FSC10, 1897 \$5 Black Widow Weed (Red Control Number)** Lovely, fresh and nicely centered single with customary punch cancel; an attractive stamp, VF **1,200.00**
- 1126 ◎ **FSC13, 1915 10c Blue KGV Supreme Court, Perf 12** Choice fresh example, blue control number, with single punch cancel, VF **1,000.00**

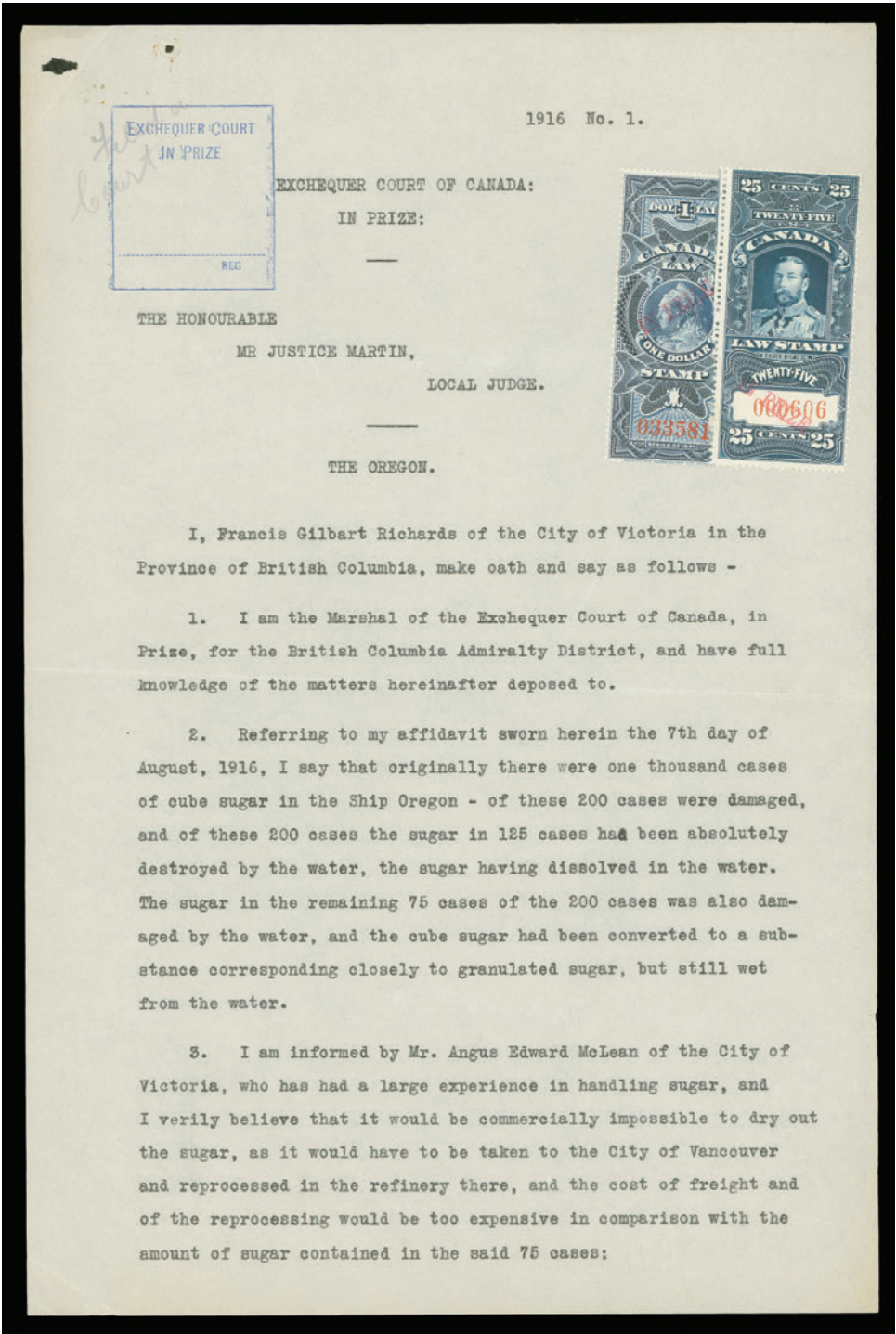


- 1127 ◎ **FSC27, 1916 25c Blue Young Queen Victoria "IN PRIZE" Overprint** Remarkably rare and sought-after used single with two different coloured (red + purple) overprints characteristic of this denomination, couple short perfs at upper right, still retaining portion of its original gum, manuscript "Oct 21 / 14" date cancel and initialed in black ink. Certainly among the rarest Federal revenue stamps of Canada - only a handful exist and destined for a serious collection, Fine **12,500.00**



1128 ☒ FSC29, FSC30, 1916 10c & \$1 Widow Weed In Prize "The Leonor" Document Three single 10c blue, serial numbers 046578, 046579, 046580 and \$1 blue serial 033064 with "IN PRIZE" handstamp overprints in red, uncanceled; each 10c with a single horizontal fold as usual, the \$1 stamp sound; an impressive franking of these seldom seen revenues on document, F-VF (Catalogue value for stamps alone)

3,800.00

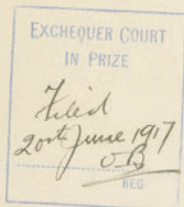


1129 ☒ FSC30, FSC31, 1916 \$1 Widow Weed, 25c KGV In Prize "The Oregon" Document Two singles serial number 033581 and 000606 respectively, with "IN PRIZE" handstamp in red, uncanceled and affixed to document after being folded, stamps remain sound on this rare document, F-VF (Catalogue value is for stamps only) 2,200.00+



1916 No. 1.

EXCHEQUER COURT OF CANADA.



IN PRIZE

THE OREGON.

I, FRANCIS GILBERT RICHARDS, of the City of Victoria, British Columbia, Marshal in Prize, make oath and say as follows:-

1. I employed and am responsible to my Solicitors Messrs. Bernard Robertson Heisterman & Tait of Victoria, B. C., in connection with the applications made by them on my behalf as Marshal to this Court in connection with the unlivery and the sale of the cargo of the Oregon in the sum of \$225.15:

2. The said applications were made by me as Marshal in Prize under the Prize Court Rules.

SWORN in duplicate by the said FRANCIS GILBERT RICHARDS, at the City of Victoria, British Columbia, this 20th day of June, 1917, BEFORE ME:

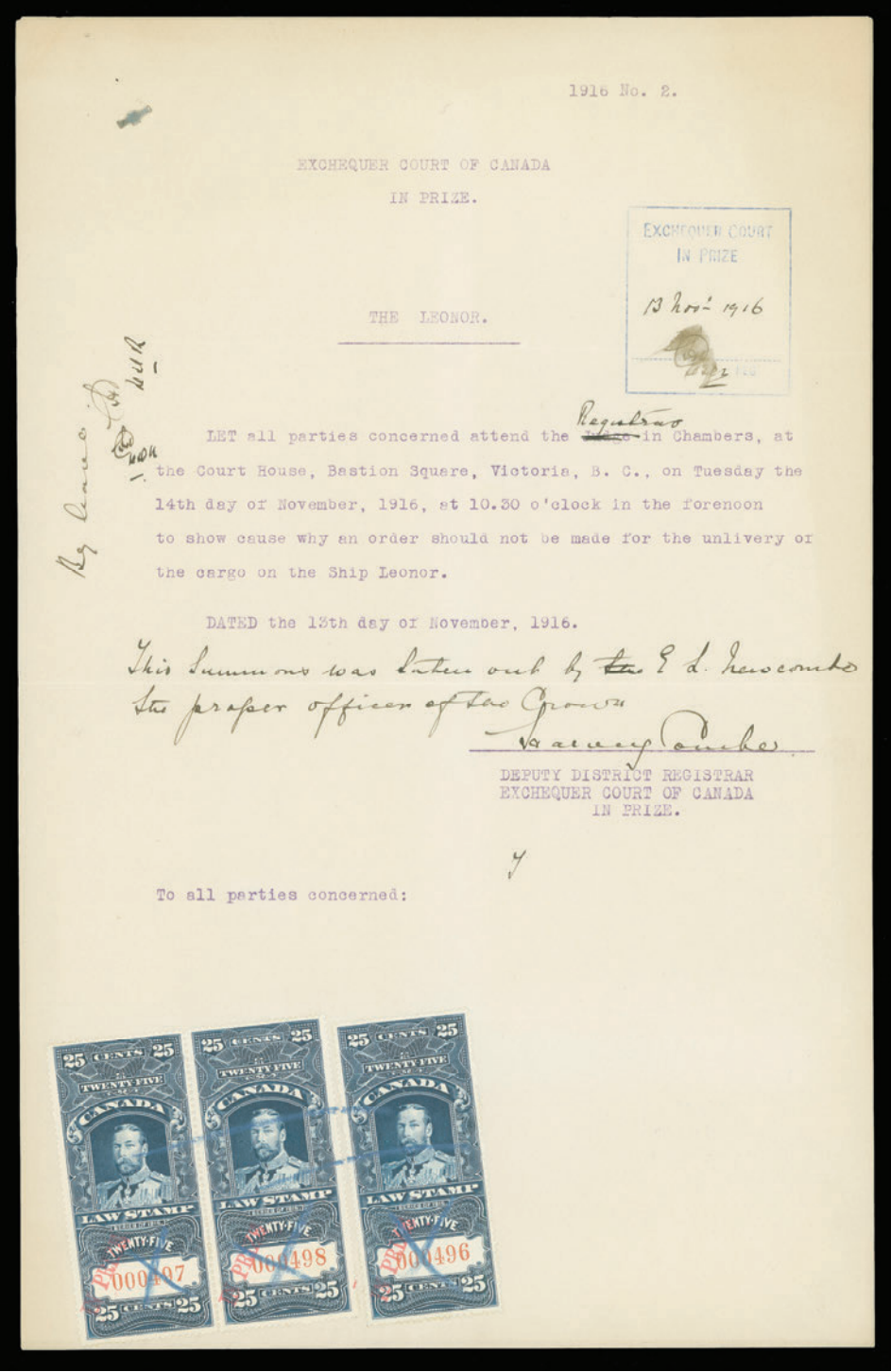
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A COMMISSIONER FOR TAKING OATHS IN PRIZE PROCEEDINGS GENERALLY.



1130 ☒ FSC30b, FSC31, 1916 \$1 Widow Weed & 25 KGV In Prize "The Oregon" Document Two singles, serial number 025784 and 000633 respectively, former with **DOUBLE OVERPRINT**, one in red and other in purple - very rare. Both are uncanceled and sound. An exceptional In Prize document, F-VF (Catalogue value is for stamps alone) **4,250.00+**



1131 ☒ FSC31, 1916 25c King George V In Prize " The Leonor" Document Horizontal pair and single - serial numbers 000496, 000497, 000498, with "IN PRIZE" handstamp overprint in red, cancelled by blue crayon markings. A rare multiple franking of this stamp on document, sound and VF (Catalogue value for stamps alone) 3,750.00+



- 1132 P FWM60-FWM71, 1930 5c-\$10 Black, KGV Weights & Measures** An impressive complete set of twelve full-size Die Proofs printed in colours of issue, with blank control tablet on india paper 74-76 x 98-100mm, die sunk on cards 229-230 x 152-153 (50c in vertical format), each with different die number above design; \$1.50 proof with upper left card corner clipped (negligible for this seldom seen proof), VF **Est. 2,500.00+**

LARGE LOTS



- 1133 ★◎ Federal Bill, Inspection, Post Script Stamps, Etc.** Substantial mint / used collection displayed on large stockpages, with many dozen items, complete First, Second and Third Bill Issues, also FB52a \$1 imperforate plate imprint block of 12 (sound and ungummed as issued), FB54 block of ten and strip of five mint OG, seven are NH, Weights & Measures complete from FWM1 to FWM71, FWS15 five NH booklet panes from exploded War Savings booklet, nice NH plate multiples such as FG19 & FG22 Plate 1 blocks of 12, FG27 Plate 1 strip of four, FG28 Plate 1 NH strip of four, also PWF6a 1946 POW NH pane of five, etc. Also includes various Tobacco Excise stamps (not counted). A few flaws to be expected on earlier issues, but generally condition varies from Fine to Very Fine throughout; a useful lot. (Van Dam cat. \$15,416) **Est. 3,000.00+**



1134 ★◎ Strong Collection of Federal Supreme Court Stamps Displayed on large stockpages, most issues represented from 1876 Young Queen to 1938-1967 KGV I Issues. Includes used FSC1-9, 9 block of six, 11-12, 14-17 (plus extra FSC15, 16 [2]), 14a, 19 light crease, 20 XF, 23a (2), also mint FSC26a NH, various mint NH and used multiples of KGV I with shades / printings, etc. Overall a clean lot, Fine to Very Fine (Van Dam cat. \$11,975) **Est. 2,000.00+**



1135 P FG1/FG22, Gas Inspection Proofs and Unfinished Stamps Includes seven different Crown Issue with 6½mm high red control numbers - unissued as such and likely a trial run, first ones we have seen. Also includes 29 mint examples of 1875 Crown from 5c to \$10 blue, without control numbers - "unfinished stamps", some duplicates, but mostly in pairs or strips of three, most with OG, some small flaws to be expected on these. Plus four different die proofs (stamp size) of FG1 in red, FG7 in dark blue and in red and FG22, all have some degree of thinning as often seen on these scarce items. An attractive lot. **Est. 1,500.00+**



- 1136 P FWM1/FWM54, Weights & Measures Proof Lot** On quadrilled pages, mounted or in black mounts, includes 1875-1885 Crown Issue proof set from 1c to \$2 black without control number (unfinished stamps) + single in red; also similar set but with CANCELLED handstamp; and another 47 examples ranging from the 1c to \$2, many of which are in horizontal pairs. Most have original gum, some minor flaws to be expected on these. Also 1897-1906 issues with 10 different mint singles, no control number, and handstamped CANCELLED in place, plus two die proofs (stamp size) of FWM38 and FWM53, both printed in light green with usual light thinning, still a rare duo. An interesting lot for the specialist. **Est. 1,500.00+**

REVENUES (PROVINCIAL)



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- 1137 P AL27/AL39, 1910-1930 5c-\$10 Justice Seated** Set of thirteen plate proof singles on card mounted india paper, missing \$3 brown but includes another 20c in orange vermillion. Each with ABNC security punch and horizontal SPECIMEN overprint in carmine. Only one sheet of 50 for each were printed, VF **Est. 500.00+**
- 1138 ★ BCL46-BCL49, 1958 10c-\$1 Law Stamps Centennial Issue** Well centered mint sheets of 25 stamps, fresh and with full davac gum; seldom offered, VF NH *(Illustrated on Page 317)* **3,590.00**
- 1139 P OL1/OL15, 1864 5c/\$5 Law Stamps "C.F." Overprint in Deep Blue** Plate proof set of fourteen (no 90c) in issued colours on card mounted india paper; \$2, \$4 and \$5 are on india paper. A nice and choice set, seldom seen, VF **Est. 750.00+**
- 1140 P OL3 variety, 1864 20c Green Law Stamp "C.F." Overprint in Deep Blue** Plate proof single on card mounted india paper, showing large portion of counter (TW)ENTY imprint at top and noticeably broken "F" variety - very pronounced and the first one we have seen, most unusual, VF **Est. 200.00+**



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1141 P **OL6, 1864 50c Law Stamp "C.F." Overprint** Trial colour plate imprint proof strip of four, printed in green with turquoise blue overprint (instead of issued deep blue), showing complete FIFTY CENTS counter at top, on india paper. Believed to be the only known such strip, VF **Est. 600.00+**



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- 1142 ★ OL8/OL42, 1864 Law Stamps “C.F.” and “L.S.” Overprints** Neat lot of nine different unlisted compound perforation varieties (perf x roulette; various combinations), mint with large part OG unless otherwise mentioned, on “C.F.” overprinted 70c, 80c, \$2, \$4 (corner crease at lower left), \$5; and “L.S.” overprinted 40c unused, 60c, 70c and \$2. A rarely seen group, Fine **Est. 500.00+**

- 1143 P OL16-OL30, 1864 5c-\$5 Law Stamps “F.F.” Overprint** Complete set of fifteen plate proof singles in issued colours; plus extra 5c with overprint in orange, choice and seldom seen, VF **Est. 750.00+**



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- 1144 P OL31-OL45, 1864 5c-\$5 Law Stamps “L.S.” Overprint** Trial colour plate proof set of fifteen, printed in green with reddish lilac overprint (instead of issued carmine) on card mounted india paper, except for the 40c and \$4 which are on india paper. A scarce and selected set, VF **Est. 750.00+**

- 1145 P “S” Overprinted Law Stamps** Partial set of six plate proof pairs – 5c, 20c, 30c, 40c, 60c & 80c in green on card mounted india paper (40c on india), overprinted “S” in carmine, prepared but never issued, intended for the Supreme Court of Lower and Upper Canada; 60c has light crease on right proof, otherwise a VF and seldom seen group. **Est. 500.00+**

- 1146 P 80c Green with “S” (Supreme Court) Overprint in Carmine** Prepared but not issued – plate proof printed in green on card mounted india paper, showing INVERTED “S” error (according to Bileski, came from either Position 27 or 43 in the plate of 50), rare as only a few can exist, F-VF
(Illustrated on Page 319) **Est. 500.00+**

- 1147 ★ QL1-QL14, 1864 10c-\$5 Law Stamps “L.C.” Overprint in Red** Selection of 39 stamps, complete from 10c to \$5 including several with constant Raised Period after “C” variety, most with original gum and high percentage being sound mint, Fine or better centering (Van Dam cat. \$1,960+; no premium added for overprint varieties)
(Illustrated on Page 319) **Est. 500.00+**



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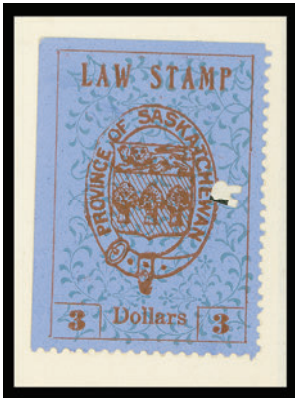
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1149 detail from document



1150 detail from document

- 1148 ★ **QR37, 1962 Value Omitted Coat of Arms** Scarce and choice mint single with full original gum, VF NH **2,250.00**
- 1149 ☒ **SL1a, 1907 5c Blue on White Law Stamp (First Printing)** A fresh, well centered vertical pair placed horizontally at upper left of document, shows the rare inverted centre error on top stamp (Position 19), lower stamp with staple mark but the variety is choice and sound. Very few examples of this stamp exist on document - a great showpiece, VF **Est. 1,000.00+**
- 1150 ☒ **SL9 variety, 1907 \$3 Brown on Blue (First Printing)** Choice single with INVERTED Scroll Background (Position 1 - at most only 12 can exist), single-punch "R" cancel of Regina, on two-page Supreme Court Judicial District document dated October 25, 1907. Very scarce single-usage on document, especially with background printing variety, VF (Van Dam cat. \$300 for normal single off document) **Est. 500.00+**



- 1151 ★ **SL21-SL32, 1907 5c-\$20 Type Set Law Stamps** Attractive mint set of twelve in pairs except for \$5 denomination; one stamp in pair is hinged the other NH; 5c to 75c show variety no period after "C" in pair with normal stamp. A rare set as only 100 stamps were printed of the \$5, \$10 and \$20 denominations, F-VF OG / NH **4,800.00+**



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- 1152 P **SL33-SL44, 1908 5c-\$20 Law Stamps** Complete set of twelve plate proof singles, printed in their issued colours on card mounted india paper. Only 50 sets printed, VF **Est. 500.00+**

Interestingly enough, the 50c and \$20 have their colours reversed.

- 1153 ★ **SL72a, \$1 Light Blue, Lithographed, Rouletted** Mint single showing clear double print error, couple negligible gum wrinkles from rouletting at left, mentioned for strict accuracy. A very rare item; according to Van Dam catalogue only eight examples have been reported, VF NH **1,250.00**





1154 P **YL5, 1902 \$2 Carmine Dawson Mining Court** Large Die Proof printed on india paper 75 x 75mm die sunk on card measuring 94 x 155mm, showing die "F-158" number below stamp design, rare and attractive, VF **Est. 750.00+**



1155 P **YL11, 1902 \$2 Blue Territorial Court** Large Die Proof in the issued colour on india paper 74 x 73mm die sunk on large card 96 x 154mm, American Bank Note "INDEX COPY" archival handstamp and typewritten "Canada / Law / \$2.00" at right; die "F-151" number below design. An appealing and UNIQUE proof, VF **Est. 750.00+**



1156 ⊙ YL13a, 25c on 10c Blue Territorial Court, Silver and Black Overprint Used pair punch cancelled "L" on document piece, showing double black overprint variety; also normal overprinted pair, similar cancelled and on piece for comparison, scarce variety as a pair, F-VF 1,200.00+



1157 ★ YL14, YL15, YL18, 1902 \$1, \$2, \$5 on 50c Blue Territorial Court Surcharges Fresh mint blocks of four with full original gum, never hinged; \$2 block F-VF centering, other two values are VF 2,490.00



1158 ★ YL19, \$20 on 50c Blue Territorial Court Surcharge Well centered and fresh mint single with full original gum, VF NH 900.00

LARGE LOTS



1159 ★◎ **Alberta, Law Stamps Collection** Mainly used throughout and well represented 1906-1930 issues, includes better AL36 used, AL38 mint. The odd flaw, but generally Fine to Very Fine (Van Dam cat. \$1,934) **Est. 400.00+**



1160 ★◎ **British Columbia, Law Stamps Collection** Mint or used throughout and well represented from 1879 First Series to 1981 Thirteenth Series, includes BCL40b NH, BCL61 NH, BCL63b NH (small wrinkle on one stamp), BCL65-67 NH, used BCL62, 66, 67, etc. Majority are sound, F-VF (Van Dam cat. \$3,574) **Est. 750.00+**



- 1161 P Lower Canada, 1864 Law Stamps Overprinted "L.C." Proof Lot** Includes trial colour plate proof single in blue with overprint in carmine - 5c (essay - not issued) two examples, one is on card, and single 30c. Also in red with indigo overprint 60c (3) and 80c sepia with deep blue overprint (stained at top, but rare); and in green (green and black on dollar denominations) colour of issue with 10c, 20c (2), 40c (2), 60c, 80c (2), \$1, \$2, \$5, also pair of 40c, 60c, 80c and \$5. A few items show constant Raised Period after "C". Couple with light thinning, but generally sound, F-VF or better; an unusual lot, ideal for the specialist. **Est. 1,000.00+**



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- 1162 ★◎ Manitoba, Predominantly Used Law Stamps Collection** Displayed on large stockpages, quite well represented (minus the imperforate 1881-1887 provisionals) from 1877 to 1901, noting better valued stamps, such as used ML48, 48a, 50, 57, 58, 60, also ML40 block of four on document, etc. A few with small flaws, but generally sound, Fine or better (Van Dam cat. \$3,396) **Est. 750.00+**
- 1163 ★◎ New Brunswick, Mint / Used Selection** Includes NBL1-NBL12 used, NBL13-NBL18 & NBL20 mint NH. F-VF or better (Van Dam cat. \$656) **Est. 200.00+**



- 1164 ★◎ Ontario, Mint / Used Collection** Displayed on large stockpages, noting OL61-OL65 mint NH, OL65 used strip of three, OL89 mint NH with blue "C" on black, OL90 used, OST36; two document fragments, one with OST36 block of 25 and single handstamped cancelled, other fragment with similar block of 25, pair and strip of three, also handstamped cancelled. Mixed condition to be found on earlier issues, but overall Fine or better (Van Dam cat. \$4,125) **Est. 750.00+**



- 1165 ★◎ Quebec, Mint / Used Collection** Displayed on large stockpages from 1864 Law Stamps to 1958 Vacation Pay Stamps. Noted some better items such as QL29-31 used, QL70 used, QL71 perf 11 mint NH, QL72 perf 12 mint NH, QL88 nice used, QL90-99 mint OG set (50c is used), QL100-QL108 used set, QR4 mint OG + used single, QV1-QV9 mint OG set with diagonal SPECIMEN handstamp, etc. Mixed condition on earlier issues as usually seen, but high percentage of stamps from 1890s are sound and selected, F-VF (Van Dam cat. \$6,829) **Est. 1,250.00+**



- 1166 ★◎ Saskatchewan, Comprehensive Mint / Used Collection** Displayed on large stockpages, includes SL1-SL12 first printing complete used set, \$10 with few short perfs, also extra \$20 used on piece, plus inverted background variety (Position 1) on 5c and \$5, SL68-78 four different specimen sets (total of 30 stamps), SL68-SL78 lower CBN imprint NH blocks of four, various cinderellas sets (not counted); and three documents noting SL23 along with other Law stamps, etc. Some faults to be expected, but overall Fine to Very Fine (Van Dam cat. \$9,143+) **Est. 2,000.00+**



- 1167 P Upper / Lower Canada, 1864 Law Stamp Common Design Type** Lovely collection of 54 proofs, in singles, pairs or strips of four. Includes 10c to \$4 set in green (green and black for dollar denominations), less 20c, 30c, 50c & \$5. Also includes 10c in dark blue, indigo, sepia, 20c orange, \$2 blackish purple, blackish purple and blue, green & orange, orange and black. Some duplicates in pairs, some both on india and on card, plus top sheet Counter imprint strip of four of 10c dark blue and 90c green, both vertically folded at centre - likely the only such strips in existence. A few with india paper flaws, but overall F-VF or better; rarely seen or offered group. **Est. 2,000.00+**



- 1168 P Upper / Lower Canada, "S" Overprinted Proofs** Prepared but never issued - intended for the Supreme Court of Lower and Upper Canada, printed in green on india or on card mounted india paper, includes 5c single and pair, 20c pair, single 30c & 40c, 60c two singles, 80c two singles and one pair and \$5 in green and black on india, also "S.C." overprint on \$2 Law stamps - orange with deep blue overprint and blackish purple with orange yellow overprint (2); couple with trivial india thin, but a nice and very scarce group, ideal for an advanced collection, VF **Est. 600.00+**



- 1169 P Upper Canada, 1864 Law Stamps "C.F." Overprint Proof Lot** Includes plate proofs in issued colours - 5c to \$1 (less 90c) and \$3; 40c in deep purple with orange yellow overprint (3), 50c & \$2 in green with turquoise blue overprint. Also selection of plate proof pairs in issued colours - 10c, 40c (two pairs), 50c and 80c (two pairs), each pair showing variety of overprint (Raised Period, etc.). The odd india paper flaw, but majority sound and VF; a neat lot. **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 1170 P Upper Canada, Law Stamps Overprinted "L.S." Overprint Proof Lot** Includes ten different (plus three duplicate) denominations from 20c to \$5 printed in green with reddish lilac overprint; also similar proofs in pairs - 70c, 80c, 90c, \$1 (two pairs), and \$3 (two pairs), each pair showing overprint variety (Raised, small or missing period), plus trial colour 20c in orange with carmine overprint (2). Nice condition throughout and an unusual grouping, F-VF or better **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 1171 P Upper Canada, Law Stamps Overprinted "F.F." Proof Lot Includes complete set of 15 plate proof singles in issued colours on india paper, couple with minor india paper flaws, also 5c with "F.F." overprint in orange, 80c pair on card left-hand stamp shows raised period after second "F" variety, 40c in deep purple single and top imprint pair with orange yellow "F.F." overprint, VF **Est. 750.00+**
- 1172 ★◎ Upper Canada, 1864 Law Stamps Mint / Used Collection Includes 71 mint / unused and 16 used examples, some in multiples; with excellent representation of "C.F." - "F.F." and "L.S." overprinted issues, including "percé en scie" perforations, some overprint varieties noted, etc. Some flaws to be expected on these fragile stamps but a high percentage of stamp are in sound mint OG condition, centering Fine or better (Van Dam cat. \$5,541 for basic listed stamps only)
(Illustrated on Website) **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 1173 ★◎ Yukon Territory, Excellent selection on large stockpage, includes YL1-YL6 two different used sets, plus two extra 10c (one with handstamp CANCELLED and other mint OG with diagonal SPECIMEN), various 1902 Territorial Court issues, with mint YL16 NH, YL17 NH, etc. Generally nice condition throughout, F-VF (Van Dam cat. \$5,715) **Est. 1,250.00+**



LARGE LOTS AND COLLECTIONS



- 1174 ★◎ 1852-1908 Predominantly Used Collection** Displayed on Lighthouse hingeless album pages, very well represented from 1859-1867 Cents to 1908 Quebec Tercentenary. Noted better items such as #10 used with light blue cancel, #11 four-ring numeral, #37d 3c perf 12½, also 1897 Jubilee used set from ½c to \$1, etc. Condition ranges from mixed in places to Fine or better; often with selected CDS postmarks. **Est. 2,500.00+**



- 1175 ★◎ 1851-1990 Mint / Used Collection** Well represented from Pence issue up to late 1980s in Davo hingeless albums including back-of-book, mainly used up to late 1960s, then primarily mint with high percentage being NH thereafter. Quality from early to end of Admiral period is quite mixed, but noted some better items such as used #2 and #7a cut into, but sound, 2TCv trial colour with vertical SPECIMEN in orange; 1897 Jubilee mint or used set, high value \$3 unused regummed, \$4 is mint with true rich colour, centered to top, full original gum, LH, \$5 used reasonably centered with oval R handstamp cancel, MR2D used CDS, OX1 mint LH; from 1927 condition noticeably improves, with some flaws to be expected but mainly Fine or better **Est. 1,500.00+**



- 1176 ★◎ 1857-1950s Mint / Used Collection** Housed in a White Ace album and very well represented, but no coil issues. Includes complete airmails, special delivery, postage dues up to mid-1930s and registered letter stamps F1-F3 mint OG set of three. Collection starts with used 1857 ½p rose, four-ring '23' cancel, then Cents to Small Queens basic sets shown, 1897 Jubilee set to \$1 (6c and \$1 used, others mint), then mostly complete and generally mint thereafter. Some small faults to be expected on earlier issues, but condition increases to Fine or better; high catalogue value. **Est. 1,500.00+**

- 1177 ★ Clean Mint NH 1890s-1952 Collection** Displayed in black mounts on Gibbons album pages, starting with a few Small Queen issues, Jubilee, Leaf & Numeral, KEVII and 1908 Quebec - a total of 37 different (majority NH) up to 1908; then mostly complete and virtually all NH from 1911-1927 Admiral issue to late KGV era. Coil issues also shown as pairs from Admirals to early 1950s KGV. Centering generally Fine or better up to late 1920s and Fine to Very Fine thereafter; nice condition throughout. *(Not Illustrated)* **Est. 1,500.00+**
- 1178 ★ Selection of Mint Full Sheets** Includes 44 sheets from 1897 to early 1950s, which includes #66 left pl. 1, no selvage at right, #87 UR pl. 5, quite well centered as a sheet - no selvage at left - both sheets with separations and gum disturbance, #87 UR pl. 6 no margin at left, faulty and severe separation along first two columns, otherwise fine NH; then condition improves to generally F-VF NH or better noting #194 UL pl. 2 pane of 50, #223 UR pl. 2, #224 LR pl. 2, #260 UR pl. 2, #306 scarce UL pl. 6, CE1 left & right pl. 1 (two of each - 4 sheets), CE3 left pl. 1, CE4 right pl. 1, E3 left pl. 1 sheet of 100, severed into two panes of 50, E8 UR pl. 1, etc. Also includes the odd mint multiple and a couple of 1940s Newfoundland sheets. Apart from the first three sheets mentioned, condition is quite nice throughout and a useful lot for the sheet collector. *(Not Illustrated)* **Est. 2,500.00+**



- 1179 ★ 1911-1952 KGV and KGVII Mint / Used Collection** On Lighthouse hingeless pages, starting with Admiral set, most are mint, Scroll and NH sets, also coils complete from Admiral to late KGVII shown as used singles, plus back-of-book with special delivery (E1 used, E2-E9 mint NH), OHMS overprint O1-O10 used, postage dues, etc. The odd flaw, but mainly Fine to Very Fine; used stamps often with nice CDS postmarks. **Est. 1,000.00+**
- 1180 ★ Admiral to Centennial Coil Issues** Large selection of several dozen in singles, pairs and / or strips, noting better items such as #123 nice used CDS pair, #124 mint pair (one stamp NH), #130 mint pair, #133 mint pair (one NH) from Scroll to end includes several choice VF NH pairs as well as VF used pairs / strips *(Not Illustrated)* **Est. 600.00+**



- 1181 ★ Extensive Admiral to early QEII Era Booklet Pane Collection** Displayed in Bileski album with over 150 mint panes (plus a few used). Noted better valued items such as NH 1c & 2c squat printings (104aai, 105aaii), shades of the 2c carmine, etc. Followed by a substantial Scroll to early QEII collection, noting Arch panes with imprints in tab - Unitrade 164aai, 164avi, 195bi, 196bi all NH. F-VF or better and mostly NH; a useful lot. **Est. 2,000.00+**



- 1182 ☉ Impressive Used Plate Multiple Collection** Displayed on large stockpages and in five Bileski plate block albums, from KGV Arch issue to early 1980s plus overprinted officials. Few hundred different plate blocks, plus many blocks of four and a few odds & ends, cancels from rollers to nice CDS postmarks, from low denominations to high values. As to be expected from usage, wrinkling, creases and other minor flaws are the norm, but noted many choice blocks throughout and without question a very challenging collection to assemble - the largest of its kind we recall seeing or offering. Viewing is recommended to appreciate. **Est. 1,500.00+**
- 1183 ★☉ King George VI, Airmails and Special Delivery Collection** Versatile hardcover binder with custom made quadrilled pages with write-up, displaying parallel collections of mint and used stamps including coils complete from 1937 Mufti to early 1950s, supplemented with plate blocks of each value to \$1 denominations, booklet panes, etc. Also 1928-1946 airmails and 1922-1946 special delivery shown in similar fashion as above, noting E1 mint Plate 1 block of four, E5 VF (stamps NH) UR plate 1 block, E6 VF NH UL pl. 1 block of six, E8 VF NH plate block of six, etc. Generally F-VF throughout *(Not Illustrated)* **Est. 750.00+**
- 1184 ★☉ 1972-1994 Extensive Mint / Used Collection** Housed in five versatile hardcover binders with custom made quadrilled pages and neat write-up, displaying a mint collection including miniature panes, booklet panes, plate blocks, souvenir sheets and several perforation / printing varieties. Also a somewhat parallel used collection. Mint issues in clear mounts; used stamps mounted. Excellent representation for the period noting mint NH blank corner block of #1172h, 1175a, 1178c, 1179b, also #1250ii LL plate imprint block, mint single #1171c, etc. Majority are NH, also noted many nicely postmarked panes, sets, etc. An attractive collection, F-VF or better (Face value for mint issues alone \$1,574) *(Not Illustrated)* **Est. 1,250.00+**
- 1185 ☉ 1953-1971 Selected Used CDS Collection** Displayed on Lighthouse hingeless pages, virtually complete for period covered with a high percentage of stamps being carefully selected for socked-on-nose CDS postmarks, also includes Winnipeg / General Tagging issues mint NH. Noted 1970 centre blocks untagged and tagged; also "G" officials. A difficult lot to assemble as such, Very Fine *(Illustrated on Website)* **Est. 200.00+**



- 1186 ☉ 1851-1859 Pence Issue Balance of Consignment** Includes 36 used examples, overall condition is mixed - more or less faulty, often hidden flaws but a few stamps are sound. Includes #1 fine sound used single, colour oxidized; #4 with twenty examples, range of papers and shades, noting #4c clear to large margins, sound, #4d used blue cancel, small cut at top with clear 1972 Dena cert., #5 three examples, #7 two examples on thin paper, one has small thins but VF appearance and #7a rebacked with margins added to appear VF, #8 three examples, #9 touching outer frameline to clear margins, sound used 4-ring '21', #10 used minor flaws and light staining, #11 two examples, one is reperf at foot otherwise sound, #12, #13 has tiny flaws, with 1977 Greene cert. **Est. 4,000.00+**



- 1187 ★ Diamond Jubilee Plate Multiple Selection** Includes 18 different plate number pairs with 1/2c pl. 9; 1c pl. 5, 6, 15, 16; 2c pl. 7, 8; 3c pl. 1, 2, 3, 4, 11, 12, 13, 14, 28, 29; 5c pl. 10. Also 1c pl. 5 block of ten, 2c pl. 8 block of four, 6c pl. 15 strip of three, 8c pl. 20 block of four and 10c pl. 19 strip of three. Some minor perf separation in places and light natural gum wrinkles or bends to be expected on these; a few 1c pairs with disturbed OG, otherwise centering ranges from Fine to Very Fine, large part original gum to NH. A solid representation of these elusive plate multiples. **Est. 1,500.00+**



- 1188 ★ 1897-1920s Leaf to Admiral Issue Mint Blocks** Selection of 35 mint multiples, noting 6c brown Leaf, lower left mint F-VF NH block of twenty (10x2), 8c orange Leaf, lower left mint Fine+ NH block of fifteen (3x5), KEVII 5c blue block of four, lower pair NH, 10c lilac block of four, LL stamp NH, 20c olive green block of four with disturbed OG, Admiral issue set of eighteen mint blocks of four, often with two or more stamps NH; 5c and 50c have better shades - indigo and silver black respectively, etc. A few flaws but generally sound, fresh and Fine to Very Fine; a useful lot.

Est. 2,500.00+



- 1189 ★ Queen Victoria Numeral Plate Multiple Collection** An appealing and substantial lot of 38 plate multiples from ½c to 20c, concentration on the plates of 1c, 2c and 3c in strips of three or four. Some large multiples and other better noted, including ½c UR pl. 1 strip of 20 showing Major Re-entry (Position 18), 1c pl. 10 block of ten, 2c purple pl. 2 (Right) block of eight, 2c carmine pl. 16 block of eight, 3c pl. 1 block of eight, 5c on whiter paper pl. 2 (reversed) block of four, stamps NH, 20c F-VF mint very lightly hinged block of four with large portion of imprint "OTTAWA - No -", etc. Some flaws and toning in places, overall Fine or better; many stamps are NH. A great lot ideal for continuation.

Est. 2,500.00+



- 1190 ★ Queen Victoria Leaf Collection of Plate Multiples** Excellent group consisting of 27 multiples from ½c to 6c denomination, concentration on the 1c, 2c and 3c in strips of three or four. Some larger multiples and other better items noted, includes 1c pl. 2 fine NH block of eight, 1c pl. 4 F-VF block of six, stamps NH, 2c pl. 3 (two different shades) blocks of eight, stamps NH, 2c scarce horizontal wove, pl. 2 NH strip of four, 3c pl. 6 Fine NH block of eight, 5c pl. 1 on horizontal wove paper, Fine strip of four, stamps NH, 6c pl. 1 Fine OG block of eight, 6c partial plate imprint block of twenty (12 NH). A few flaws or toning in places but overall Fine or better; a useful lot. **Est. 1,500.00+**



- 1191 ★ 1898-1908 Mint Plate Multiples Assortment** Includes 22 plate multiples, mostly different from 1898 Map Stamp to 1908 Quebec; noting better such as 1c blue green KEVII pl. 2 NH block of 12, 2c carmine pl. 6 F-VF block of eight (7NH), pl. 86 "TOP" Fine NH strip of five, 5c blue KEVII on the scarce horizontal wove, pl. 1 strip of four (3NH), 2c on 3c (#87) UL pl. 5 and UL pl. 6 Fine NH strips of 20. Also ½c to 20c plate number pairs with lightly disturbed OG, and a 1c plate 1 block of four, etc. A few flaws or gum problems, otherwise Fine or better **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 1192 ★ Admiral Issue Assortment of Plate Multiples** Includes 14 items from Two cent green to Twenty cent olive green noting 2c green (dry) pl. 217 block of 12 (stamps NH), 3c brown (dry) pl. 118 NH block of 12, 3c carmine, die I pl. 121 UL block of 14, 4c yellow ochre (dry) pl. 5 block of six (5 NH), 7c red brown (dry) pl. 7 block of eight (stamps NH), 8c light blue shade pl. 3 block of eight (4 NH), 10c yellow brown pl. 22 block of six (4 NH), 20c olive green (dry) pl. 7 block of eight, stamps NH but light toning on gum side, also lathework plate block with 3c carmine pl. 125 block of 12, hinged at centre, plus three plate strips - 5c violet pl. 24, 8c pl. 1 and 2, all three with ink dated notation in selvage. Overall Fine to Very Fine **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 1193 ★ 1927 Confederation & Historical Plate Block Collection** Substantial selection of 69 plate numbered multiples, includes 1c orange strips of 20 unless otherwise mentioned - pl. 1 UL, pl. 2 UR (2), pl. 3 UL, UR (strip of 12), pl. 5 (UL, UR), pl. 6 UL, UR (strip of 18); 2c green complete (ex pl. 9 UL) from plates 1 to 15 in UL and UR strips of ten, 3c carmine pl. 1 UL, UR blocks of eight, pl. 2 UL block of 8, UR block of 10, pl. 3 UL, UR blocks of 12, 5c violet plate strips of 20 with pl. 1 UL, UR, pl. 2 UL, UR, pl. 3 UR, 12c blue pl. 1 UR block of eight (2), pl. 2 UL block of six and of eight. Historical Issue with 5c pl. 1 & 2 blocks of eight, 12c pl. 1 & 2 blocks of six, pl. 1 UR strip of ten, 20c pl. 1 & 2 blocks of six, 20c pl. 2 UR strip of ten and block of twenty. Many are well centered and / or never hinged. Exceptional representation of these often elusive plate blocks. Fine to Very Fine (Unitrade \$5,235 as fine hinged only) **Est. 1,500.00+**



- 1194 ★◎ King George V Scroll Issue Collection Balance** Displayed on large stockpages starting with 34 plate number multiples, mostly different, ranging from strips of three to blocks of eight or larger from One cent to Twenty cent. Also mint set of eleven in NH blocks of four; 50c & \$1 are fine centered, other F-VF or better, plus used set of eleven in blocks of four, also noted 3c UL pl. 1 strip of twenty used, 50c UL pl. 2 block of four used, \$1 pl. 1 strip of three used CDS, mint 1928 5c Airmail issues, etc. Overall Fine to Very Fine **Est. 1,500.00+**



- 1195 ★ 1928-1929 One Cent to Eight Cent KGV Scroll Plate Blocks Collection** An impressive selection consisting of over 50 plate multiples, mostly different. Includes 1c orange plate strips of 20 pl. 1 UL, UR, pl. 2 UL, UR, pl. 3 UL, UR, scarcer plate blocks of eight with pl. 4 UR, pl. 5 UR, pl. 6 UL, UR; 2c green plate strips of 20 with pl. 1 UR, pl. 2 UR, pl. 3 UR, pl. 4 UL, pl. 5 UL, pl. 6 UR, pl. 7 UL, UR, pl. 8 UL, UR, pl. 9 UR, pl. 10 UR, also plate blocks of eight with pl. 1 to 11 (one of each, UL or UR), followed by the better 3c carmine with pl. 1 UL block of eight and of six, UR strip of eighteen, pl. 2 UL block of 14, pl. 3 UR strip of 20; 4c bistre with pl. 1 block of eight, pl. 1 UR very well centered strip of 20 and block of 40 (very unusual with such superior centering), 5c violet with pl. 1 UL strip of sixteen, pl. 2 UL block of eight and UR strip of sixteen, pl. 3 UL strip of sixteen and UR block of 36; and 8c blue with pl. 1 UL & UR strips of 20, pl. 2 UL & UR strips of 20, pl. 3 UL block of eight and UR strip of 20. Many plates are choice well centered and / or never hinged; and seldom seen or offered, especially in complete strips of twenty. An excellent opportunity to acquire an important Scroll issue plate block collection. Fine to Very Fine (Unitrade \$7,120 for hinged only; no premium added for larger strips) **Est. 2,500.00+**



- 1196 ★ Ten Cent to One Dollar Scroll Issue Plate Block Collection** Valuable selection of plate multiples, including 1917 3c Confederation and 1928 5c Airmail issues. Noted 10c pl. 1 UL and UR blocks of six, pl. 2 UL block of eight and UR block of ten, pl. 3 UL & UR blocks of eight, 12c pl. 1 UL block of eight, UR block of six, pl. 2 UL block of six and UR block of ten, 20c pl. 1 UL (two) and UR blocks of ten, pl. 2 UL block of ten, UR block of six, pl. 3 UL block of ten, 50c pl. 2 UL block of four, \$1 pl. 1 pair and a block of six, plus 3c Confederation LR pl. 6 block of eight, pl. 10 LR block of six, 1928 5c Airmail, pl. 1 UL & UR blocks of eight, UR block of ten (used), pl. 2 UL and UR blocks of six, latter shows "swollen breast" variety, etc. A solid group, many of which are seldom seen or offered in such large multiples. The odd flaw but mainly sound and Fine to Very Fine, several are NH. (Unitrade \$9,445+ as fine hinged only; no premium for being in corner margin plate strips) **Est. 2,500.00+**



- 1197 ★ **Extensive & Valuable Arch Issue Plate Block Collection** Many dozen different plus some duplicates, mostly in matched sets, very well covered from the 1c to the \$1, noticed seldom seen reversed plate numbers, centre blocks, a few plate strips of twenty, etc. Includes 50c Grand Pré matched set, plus three centre blocks, \$1 UL and UR pl. 1 blocks and a LL blank corner block of four. Some blocks with gum problems and / or flaws, otherwise condition generally varies from Fine to Very Fine mint OG; many NH. A substantial collection well onto its way to completion. (Unitrade \$20,724 as fine hinged only) **Est. 4,000.00+**



- 1198 ★ **1931-1934 Extensive Commemorative Issues Plate Blocks Selection** Includes 113 different plate blocks starting with 1931 3c provisional (#184), well represented up to 1934 2c New Brunswick. Noted a nice range of 1932 3c on 2c Surcharges, 1932 Imperial Economic Conference, 1933 20c Grain Exhibition (pl. 1 block of eight with broken "X" variety well centered), etc. A solid collection. Condition is virtually all sound and from Fine to Very Fine, hinged to never hinged. (Unitrade \$9,535) **Est. 1,500.00+**



- 1199 ★ **Choice Mint NH 1931-1934 Commemorative Issue Plate Blocks** Includes twelve different plate blocks with #184 Plate A13 block of eight, #190 pl. 1 LL, #194 pl. 2 UR, #202 pl. 2 UL & UR, #203 pl. 1 UL, #204 pl. 1 UL & UR, pl. 2 UR, #209 pl. 1 UR, etc. All fresh, VF NH Unitrade \$2,590. **Est. 500.00+**



- 1200 ★ **1931-1934 Selected Mint NH Commemorative Issue Blocks** Includes VF-XF NH blocks of four of Unitrade / Scott #184, 190, 194, 202, 203, 204, 209, also #203i in F-VF NH block and #208iv 3c Jacques Cartier in VF LH wide gutter block of eight. A choice lot. Unitrade \$2,776. **Est. 600.00+**



- 1201 ★ **1932 Medallion Issue Plate Block Collection** Includes 130 plate blocks, mostly different positional plates from 1c to 13c, noted different dies, flat / rotary printings and shades; better 3c Plate 7 & 8 matched sets are present, etc. Also noted UR blank block of 5c F-VF NH showing Major Re-entry. Many selected centering and / or never hinged plate blocks present. Overall Fine or better (Unitrade \$5,577 as fine hinged only) **Est. 1,250.00+**



- 1202 ★ 1935 Silver Jubilee Plate Block Collection** Includes 60 plate multiples, mainly different, with all positional plate numbers being represented from the 1c to 13c, ranging from blocks of six to strips of 20. Many items being well centered and / or mint never hinged. F-VF (Unitrade \$2,673 as fine hinged only; no premium added for larger plate blocks and strips) **Est. 750.00+**



- 1203 ★ 1935 King George V Pictorial Extensive Collection of Plate Multiples** Displayed on large stockpages with 95 plate blocks and strips, mainly different positions, noting 3c carmine with twelve different upper / lower Plate strips of 20, 10c RCMP matched sets of Plate 1 & 2 strips of ten, various plate blocks / strips of 13c, 20c & 50c; \$1 blue Champlain Statue UR (2) and LL strips of 10, plus pale blue shade LR strip of 10, etc. A high percentage are well centered and / or NH, a very challenging lot to assemble; F-VF or better (Catalogue value \$6,956 as fine hinged only) **Est. 2,000.00+**



- 1204 ★ 1937 King George VI Mufti Issue Plate Block Collection** Complete collection of plate numbers in matched sets, from One cent to Eight cent; only missing the odd cracked plate position and includes a few additional small format (margined) matched sets. Also showing eight different 2c and 3c upper / lower centre plate position blocks of eight, a #233i in VF OG block and 1937 3c Coronation pl. 1 to 4 blocks complete. Many plate blocks are well centered and / or never hinged throughout, Fine to Very Fine (Unitrade \$5,578 as fine hinged only) **Est. 1,250.00+**



- 1205 ★P King George VI Mufti Balance of Exhibit Collection** Interesting lot consisting of eight items: 1c block of six (2x3), right stamps showing albino printing line from pre-printing paper overlap, overall gum disturbance, couple stamps with light thinning, 1c misperf mint block of four, faint gum disturbance, 1c lower right mint NH block of eighteen, five stamps from lower row with ink smear on King's face, 2c LL Plate 4 mint OG / NH block of nine, large printing ink smudge on two stamps, 20c Fort Garry mint LH single with large "Apostrophe" under "E" of "CENTS"; 6c Monoplane, 4-hole OHMS mint LH single with major printing shift (5mm up); and two different large die proofs - 4c and 8c denomination, both with their colour oxidized. A useful lot for the KGV1 specialist. **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 1206 ★ 1938 Pictorial Issue Plate Block Selection** All plates & positions are represented from 10c to 50c, including 10c rose carmine shade and a \$1 aniline violet shade lower left block, plus extra matched sets of the 13c and 50c. Fine to Very Fine with many NH (Unitrade \$6,743) **Est. 1,250.00+**



- 1207 ★ 1939 Royal Family Plate Block Collection** Virtually complete from 1c plate 1-1 to 3c plate 5-4 in matched sets; missing only the "impossibles" (as expected) and 1c UL plate 5-1 block to complete. Numerous blocks are well centered and / or never hinged, including several of the better plate positional numbered blocks. Catalogue value \$2,629 as Fine hinged only. **Est. 750.00+**



- 1208 ★ King George VI War Issue Fabulous Plate Block Collection** Virtually complete collection from the 1c green to \$1 blue destroyer missing only the 4c carmine plate 27 LR block. Includes all the key plates plus some of the cracked LL position plates such as 1c pl. 20, 3c rose violet pl. 19, 20, 4c pl. 26, 28, 31, 32, 36. High percentage of the plate blocks are either well centered or never hinged or both. The odd flaw, but overall selected throughout and very challenging to assemble as such. F-VF or better. Catalogue value \$10,435 for fine hinged only. **Est. 3,000.00+**

- 1209 ★ 1946-1960 Extensive Plate Block Collection** Housed in nine Bileski albums, virtually complete from 1946 Peace issue to 1960 in matched sets of plate blocks, we note #273, 287 pl. 5 & pl. 11, 302 UL F-VF NH, others VF NH, #306 elusive plate 6 F-VF H or NH, also Karsh & Wilding Definitive issues, etc. Some earlier plate blocks LH and / or Fine but quality rapidly increases to mostly VF NH; a solid collection. *(Not Illustrated)* **Est. 1,000.00+**
- 1210 ★ 1953-1971 Mint / Used Collection** Two versatile hardcover binders with custom made quadrilled pages with write-up, showing parallel collections of mint and used stamps, plus additional booklet panes, plate blocks, coil issues, miniature panes, etc. Noted Definitive issues - Karsh, Wilding, Cameo, Centennials. Well represented, mint issues mainly NH, F-VF *(Not Illustrated)* **Est. 250.00+**
- 1211 ★ 1961 - Mid-1980s Mint NH Plate Block Collection** Mostly displayed on large stockpages in matched corner sets of plate blocks from early 1960s to early 1980s plus some later issues. Quite complete (less the Centennial issues, which are being offered separately) for the period covered. Also noted some booklet panes and a few full sheets. Routinely VF NH throughout. Face value \$3,253 *(Not Illustrated)* **Est. 1,500.00**
- 1212 ★ 1967-1973 Centennial Issue Plate Block Collection** Displayed on large stockpages, a majority of plates, papers and tagging are represented in matched sets, from the 1c to \$1 denominations; some larger strips and a few sheets noted. Noted better matched sets such as Unitrade #459ii, 459biv, 460fi, 461ii, 462iii, 463ii, 463iv, 463v, 464ii, 465ii, 465pi, 465Aii, 465Bi, 465Bii, also noted full sheets of #462iii, 463v, plus #544pviii scratch on forehead variety LL block with one-bar tagging variety. A clean lot and appears all VF NH throughout. Hard lot to assemble and with high catalogue value. *(Not Illustrated)* **Est. 2,000.00+**
- 1213 ★ 1990-2010 Mint NH Collection** Housed in two Davo hingeless albums; appears complete including self-adhesives, souvenir sheets, commemorative panes, definitive issues up to end of 2010. VF NH (Total face value \$971) *(Not Illustrated)* **Est. 500.00+**



- 1214 ★ 1990-2010 Comprehensive Booklet Panes / Booklet Collection** Displayed on large stockpages with 50 different mint booklet panes from Queen Victoria Numeral to late King George VI issues; then Elizabethan era represented with over 20 panes and 40 booklets, plus some used panes, etc. up to early 1980s. Noted better #77b 2c Numeral, Die II, mint LH pane on horizontal wove paper, 90b 2c Edward VII mint pane with overall gum disturbed from glassine interleave; nice selection of Admiral panes including key 2c green mint LH pane of six (wet printing), then fairly complete regular panes from Scroll to late KGVI are shown. Generally nice condition throughout, F-VF or better **Est. 1,250.00+**



- 1215 ★ 1930-1946 Airmail Blocks and Plate Block Collection** Housed in a Bileski album with nearly 100 plate blocks, many are in matched sets, plus various other multiples. Noted a few C2 VF NH blocks, C2 plate "1" block, C4 plate "1" blocks of six and of four, C5a imperforate block of four (lightly disturbed OG), C5i yellow brown shade NH block, C8 scarce Plate 5 matched set. Also includes Airmail Special Delivery matched sets. A useful and comprehensive lot on the subject. Overall nice quality throughout, F-VF or better **Est. 2,000.00+**
- 1216 ◎ Used Airmail Blocks and Plate Blocks** Unusual lot which includes 13 different USED plate blocks, noted C3ii + var. Plate 2 UR block of six with prominent surcharge shift and showing "swollen breast" variety, minor perf separation and tiny flaw, but quite rare also C1-C9 used blocks etc. The odd flaw, generally Fine or better *(Illustrated on Website)* **Est. 200.00+**
- 1217 ☒ Large First Flight Cover Selection** For the most part organized in two boxes and one metal container with first flights running from 1927 to 1940s with over 1,300 covers, some duplicates to be found, but noted sets of specific flights, unusual cacheted covers, pilot signed covers, postal frankings, markings, etc. Includes another 150+ covers incoming to Canada from various foreign countries. A great lot for further specialization, F-VF or better and worth a closer look. *(Not Illustrated)* **Est. 2,000.00+**



- 1218 ☒ Large and Attractive Group of Airmail Covers** Approx 600 covers, mostly first flights with some regular airmail covers, housed in eleven old-time small cover albums, on stockpages and mounted on quadrilled pages with write-up. Spans from 1928 to the 1950s, we note several better flights such as May 7, 1936 Hindenburg - four similar franked and dated covers; July 14, 1933 Balbo Flight cover from Shediak to Chicago with one stamp overlapping cover at left otherwise fine and scarce, neat frankings, pilot signed covers, a few Cherry Red Airlines semi-official airmail covers, etc. Excellent variety on the subject, condition ranges from Fine to Very Fine; worth careful inspection.

Est. 1,250.00+



- 1219 ★ **Semi-Official Airmail Assortment** Displayed on large stockpages, noting CLP2 tete-beche pane of two, unused (no gum), CLP3 mint NH and other example without gum, CLP5, CL6 NH, CL7 NH, CL9 mint LH pane of eight (two panes), CL10 NH, CL11a NH, CL13 NH, CL47 grey black shade mint LH, etc. Also a few cinderellas and bogus items (not counted). The odd flaw but overall clean mint LH / NH throughout. (Unitrade \$3,885) **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 1220 ☒ **Semi-Official Airmail Cover Lot** Includes 21 covers - CL5 with three pilot signed covers, CL10 Rouyn to Haileybury, CL11 two different, CL43 two different first flight and one commercial usage, CL46 Cherry Red Airlines, with nine covers, noting serif on crossbar variety and CL51 on three covers. Generally Fine to Very Fine **Est. 750.00+**



- 1221 ★◎ **Colombia SCADTA Consular Overprint Balance of Collection** On Bileski pages in black mounts with eight mint and another 19 used stamps, some duplicates, all overprinted "CA." (Scott / Unitrade CLCA1 / CFLCA1), several have Matthews, Kessler, or WHP (William H. Peters) backstamps and some bought by owner in the Jacob Glaser sale (March 1965). Noted better items such as 2p mint, 3p lower left mint block with light foxing on gum side, CFLCA1 mint and used singles, all without backstamp. Some faults and possible fake overprints to be found, and sold on this basis. Unitrade cat. \$11,900 if all genuine. Also another five used stamps with fake overprints, each with PF cert. described as such - not counted, not counted in catalogue value. **Est. 1,500.00**



- 1222 ★ Valuable Special Delivery Collection** Mostly consisting of plate multiples housed in a Bileski album, starts with E1 strong rich green shade Plate 1 strip of three with stamps NH, E2 fresh F-VF NH block, E3 UL and LL VF used CDS Plate 1 blocks of ten (very unusual especially with such superior centering) plus three NH blocks and LL imperforate block with lower pair NH, E4 centre Plate 1 LH, UL Plate 2, E5 UL (two NH blocks) and UR Plate 1, E6 UR Plate 1 strip of ten, E8 top Plate 1 VF NH block of six, LL No. 1 VF NH block, E9 UR & UL VF NH blocks of six, LL No. 1 block of four, also E7, E10, E11 in matched set of plate blocks, etc. Many selected items included, generally F-VF or better, a valuable lot. **Est. 2,000.00+**



- 1223 ★◎ Comprehensive 1906-1960s Postage Due Collection** Displayed on large black stockpages with numerous unusual and selected items, noted J1 and J4 Plate 1 mint blocks of six, J1 XF NH, J2 Plate 2 USED CDS strip of twenty, J6-J10 unusually well centered mint NH blocks of four, J11-J14 VF NH blocks of four, J11-J14 with 13 different plate blocks (most VF LH), J15-J20 (less 3c & 6c) set in USED full sheets of 100; J15-J20 set in matched sets of plate blocks of ten (4 sets for each denomination); except 2c with three sets of Plate 1 and three of Plate 2), all appear to be VF NH, also noted 2c UL and LR Plate 1 blocks of ten on hibrte paper, followed by extensive display of 1967-1978 "Red Dues" with key 5c (J32a) VF NH matched set of plate blocks, others on hibrte paper, noted J27 vertical mint NH strip of 20, with design shifted 5mm down, etc. A nice lot suitable for expansion, Fine to Very Fine **Est. 2,000.00+**



- 1224 ★ Assortment of 4-Hole OHMS** Mainly mint NH plus a few used stamps and includes a few 5-Hole OHMS used. From 1937-1938 KGVI Mufti & Pictorial issue to 1947 Special Delivery Airmail noted the following VF NH; O245, O245i, O262 block of four, OCE4 strip of ten (corrected die; scarce multiple) - alone these mentioned items cat. \$3,840 in Unitrade. A useful lot, F-VF or better

Est. 1,000.00+

- 1225 ★ Mint / NH Assortment of OHMS & G Official Overprints** Mostly multiples and plate blocks noting O7a pl. 1 LL VF NH & O8a pl. 1 LL VF OG, both blocks with missing period after "S", O1/O10 (less 2c) VF NH blocks of four, O10 pl. 1 UR VF blocks (stamps NH), O10 VF NH block of ten, O12 pl. 1 LR sheet of 100, O15A pl. 2 LR sheet of 100, O25 & O27 VF NH blocks, etc. Mainly clean, F-VF or better and mostly NH throughout. High catalogue value.

(Not Illustrated) **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 1226 ★ OHMS Official Overprint Plate Block Collection** From Peace issue (O6-O10) to late KGVI issues, including 1946 7c Airmail and 1950 10c Special Delivery, includes 21 different matched sets plus a few others, housed in a Bileski plate block album. Noted valuable O10 \$1 Train Ferry and O11 50¢ Oil Wells VF NH sets, O15 pl. 3 LL F-VF mint OG, LR F-VF mint OG, etc. Most selected VF NH; plus lower right plate blocks missing period after "S" variety on O7a, O8a pl. 1 and pl. 2 VF LH, CO1a pl. 1 VF NH and Fine NH pl.2 block. A solid collection. Unitrade \$13,182.

Est. 2,500.00+

- 1227 ★ Extensive "G" Official Overprint Plate Block Collection** Includes 79 different matched sets of plate blocks housed in two Bileski albums, from Scott #O16 to O44 (less O25 & O27), appears all VF NH. Unitrade cat. over \$8,000.

(Not Illustrated) **Est. 1,000.00**

- 1228 ★ Valuable Mint NH "G" Official Plate Block Collection** Includes 39 different matched sets of plate (or blank corner) blocks, mostly Elizabethan era, displayed in Bileski plate block album. Noted better sets such as O32 Plates 1 & 2, O45a blank, CO2 Plates 1 & 2, EO1 Plate 1, etc. Also includes couple Blunt "G" positional blocks. Unitrade cat. well over \$5,000. A clean lot and appears all VF NH

(Not Illustrated) **Est. 600.00+**



- 1229 ★◎ Eclectic Group of Perfins, Meters, Etc.** Old-time collection of perfins mounted on quadrilled pages, noted substantial "LA" Legislative Assembly, Bell Tel plus many more; also some postal stationery, unchecked precancels and numerous pages with meter covers / fronts & cut outs showing a beautiful assortment of coloured advertising. Neat material, a careful inspection will show pleasant surprises.
(Not Illustrated) **Est. 400.00+**
- 1230 ★ Balance of Consignment** Somewhat organized on cards and stockpages and mainly focused from Scroll to Centennial issues, predominantly mint plate blocks, mint NH multiples, etc. Also includes postage dues, airmails, miscellaneous revenues and noted early issues such as mint F-VF NH 1893 20c Widow Weed pair, 1897 6c and 15c to 50c Jubilee mint NH singles, etc. Duplication and minor flaws to be expected, but plenty of material ideal for the internet dealer and worth a closer look. High catalogue value.
(Not Illustrated) **Est. 3,000.00+**
- 1231 ★◎ Consignment Balance** Includes postal history with selection of OHMS, free franks, POW, censors, WWII related covers and armed forces letters and aerograms, also GB and foreign countries, a group of exhibition cacheted covers mostly from 1950s, a Bileski album with exploded booklets from Admiral issues to KGVI War era. Also various souvenir cards and local issues, a large duplicated assortment of unused / used postal cards and used stock from 1920s to 1970s. Mixed condition and needs inspection.
(Not Illustrated) **Est. 750.00+**
- 1232 ★◎ Balance of Consignment** Includes 16 part perforate pairs of 1927 Confederation and 1928-1929 Scroll issues, 10 have natural straight edges, also imperforate pairs of #143a, 154c and 157a. Mainly NH. Also stockpage with range of Newfoundland issues, some Provinces Cents issues mint or used, mainly Fine or better, etc. Inspect.
(Not Illustrated) **Est. 600.00+**

LITERATURE

- 1233 Canada & British North America Library** Excellent selection of 20 different titles - generally essential works on their respective subject. Noted Boggs original two volumes "Postage Stamps and Postal History of Canada"; Robson Lowe, "Encyclopedia of British Empire Postage Stamps" Volume V (Part I and II) in slipcase; Dalwick and Harmer, "Newfoundland Air Mails 1919-1939", revised 1984 edition; George Marler, "The Admiral Issue of Canada" as well as "The Edward VII Issue of Canada"; Minuse & Pratt, "The Essays and Proofs of British North America"; Frank Campbell, "Canada Post Offices 1755-1895"; Gerald Fifth, "Canada Fifteen Cents of 1868", etc. Heavy Lot.
(Not Illustrated) **Est. 400.00**
- 1234** Pratt, Robert H., "The Nineteenth Century Postal History of Newfoundland", 1985, published by Collector's Club, hardcover, 771 pages, as new. A scarce title and monumental work on the subject.
(Not Illustrated) **Est. 250.00**
- 1235** Argenti, Nicholas, "The Postage Stamps of New Brunswick & Nova Scotia", 1962, RPSL, hardcover and number 74 of the limited edition of 350; a classic and essential book of BNA philately.
(Not Illustrated) **Est. 200.00**
- 1236** H.R. Harmer, Inc., The Louise Boyd Dale and Alfred F. Lichtenstein Collections, British North America & Canada, four sales (1968-1970) house bound with red covers together with their prices realized. Also similar bound volume of their British Colonials, with excellent British Guiana, Ceylon, Mauritius, and South America sales, green covers and prices realized. An important "name-sale" and a must-have for a philatelic library.
(Not Illustrated) **Est. 200.00**
- 1237** Jephcott, Greene & Young, "The Postal History of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick 1754-1867", 1964, Sissons Publications, number 10 of the limited edition of 400, hardbound with dust jacket, minor flaws to latter, but book itself and content in excellent shape. A scarce and sought-after title.
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★	Mint	⊙	Used	E	Essay
☒	Cover	(/)	Incomplete Set	F	Forgery
(-)	Complete Set	R	Reprint	P	Proof
◆	Graded Stamp	CDS	Circular Date Stamp	L	Literature

CONDITION

The various grading of stamps are in order; **Extremely Fine; Very Fine; Fine and Very Good.** In the case of sets, large blocks, sheets, etc., the condition quoted represents the average and quality above and below this standard can be expected. Minor perf separation can be expected on larger multiples.

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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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CATALOGUES AND HANDBOOKS USED IN LISTING

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- Scott 2014 Catalogue Volume 1 – 6
- Scott 2014 Classic Specialized Catalogue of Stamps & Covers 1840-1940
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- Robson Lowe, The Encyclopaedia of British Empire Postage Stamps Vol. V North America, 1973
- Minuse and Pratt, The Essays and Proofs of British North America, 1970
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