

Primarily

COMBINATION MAILS

of the

BRITISH FOREIGN POST OFFICE

The

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SYMBOLS

△ On piece

□ On cover

⊗ Larger than four.

⊞ Block of four.

MAJOR ABBREVIATIONS

SE = Straight Edge; s.l. = Straight-line; c.d.s. = Circular Date Stamp.
c.t.o. = Cancelled to Order; F.D.C. = First Day Cover

CONDITION

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IN THE MAILING ENVELOPE

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Minor faults including, but not limited to, file folds not affecting stamps, small tears and some back flap damage have not been noted in the descriptions of this catalogue.

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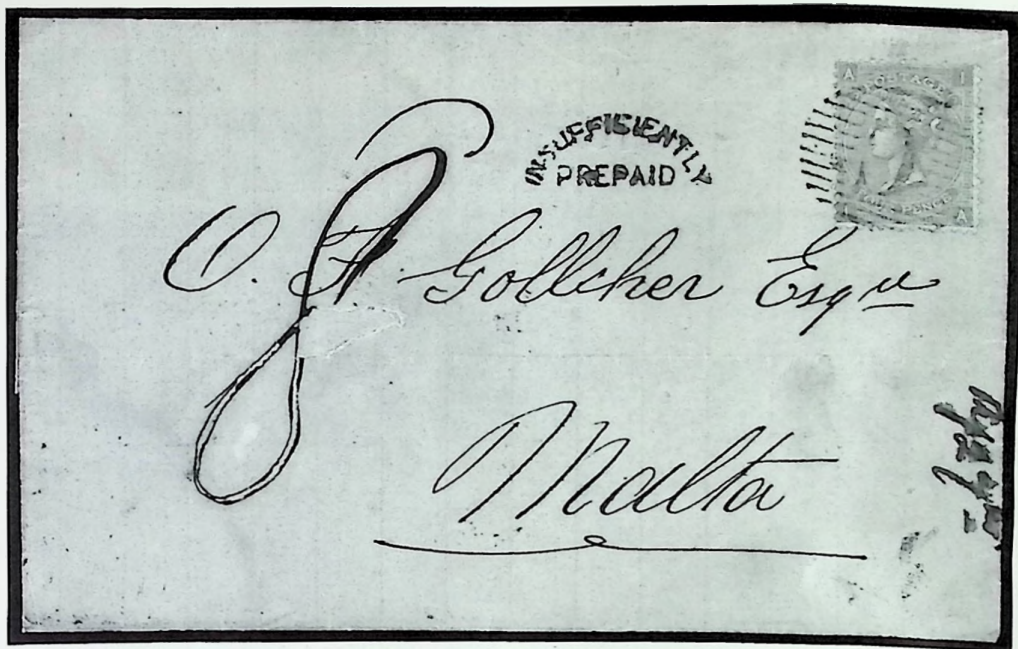
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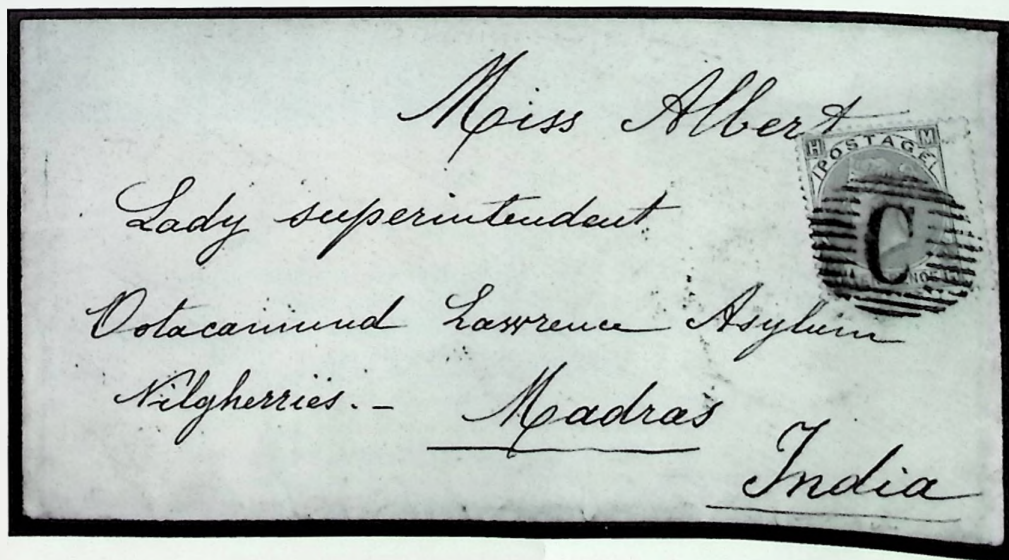
BRITISH POST OFFICES IN EUROPE

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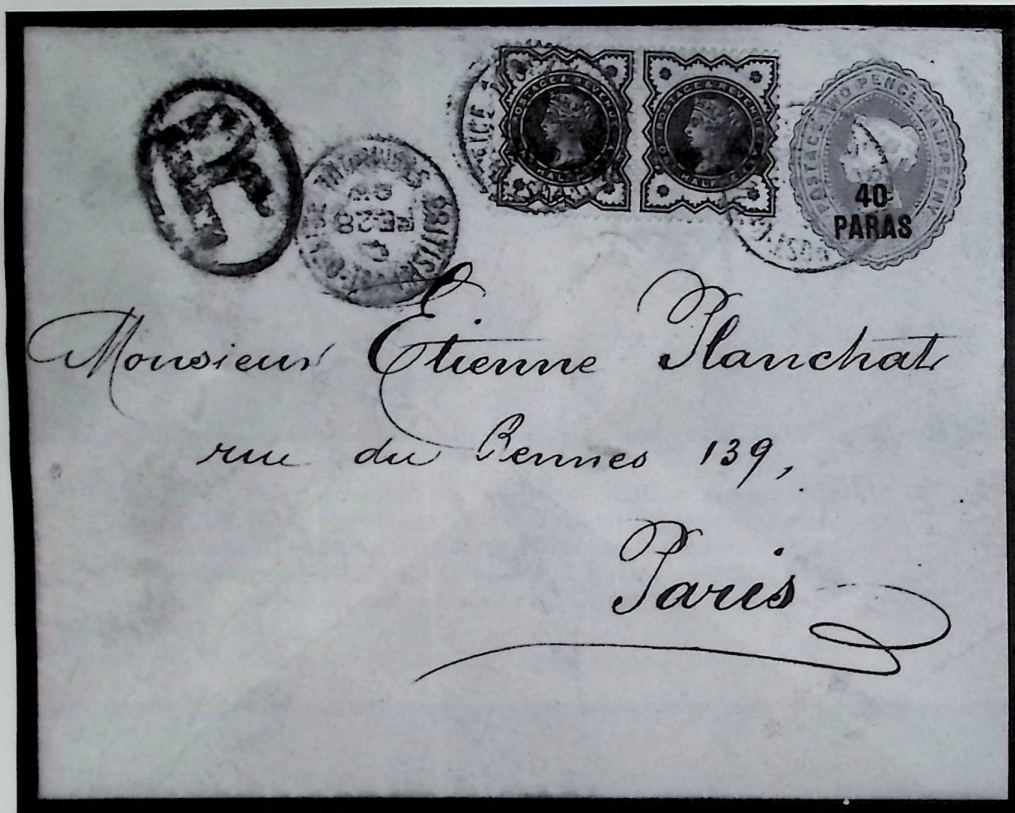
- 1 ☒ 1865 4p vermilion, Plate 7, tied by "C" obliterator on 1867 (20 March) overweight folded letter (damaged from acidic ink) to Malta with handstruck INSUFFICIENTLY PREPAID and ms. "8", Constantinople MR 20 67 and Malta MR27 67 backstamps. The latest recorded date for this scarce instructional marking.


Est. Cash Value \$400



- 2 ☒ 1867-80 10p chestnut, Plate 1, wing-margin, tied by "C" obliterator on 1874 (16 April) envelope to Madras, India, six backstamps, including Sea Post Office, 1 MAY. An unusual destination.

Est. Cash Value \$400



- 3  **BRITISH LEVANT: 1893 Provisional 40pa on 1/2p vermilion, pair, right stamp inverted surcharge, fine, on 40pa Registered entire, all tied by two strikes of BRITISH POST OFFICE STAMBOUL FE 28 93 c.d.s., Paris receiver on reverse. Royal Cert. (1972).**

Est. Cash Value \$500

The Express D'Orient Label



- 4 ☒ 1881 1p lilac, used in combination with scarlet EXPRESS D'ORIENT label, tied by BRITISH POST OFFICE CONSTANTINOPLE JU 2 88 c.d.s. on printed post card to Denmark with Copenhagen receiver.

Est. Cash Value \$5,000

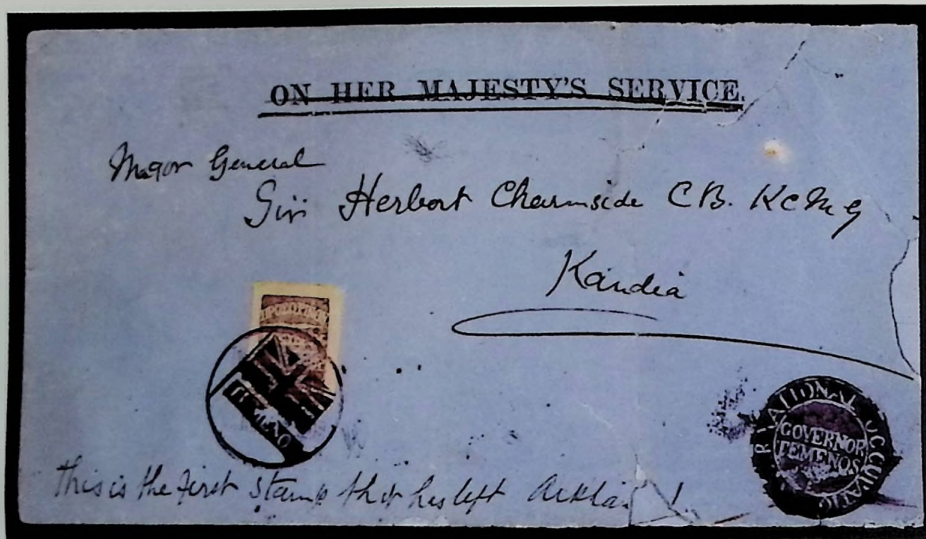
ONE OF ONLY TWO RECORDED ENTIRES BEARING THE EXPRESS D'ORIENT LABEL IN COMBINATION WITH UNSURCHARGED BRITISH STAMPS, THE OTHER BEING A COVER IN THE BOLLEN COLLECTION.



- 5 ☒ TURKEY: 1884-86 20pa carmine, imperforate sheet margin pair with EXPRESS D' ORIENT label, each tied by clear BRITISH POST OFFICE CONSTANTINOPLE DEC 22 88 c.d.s. on envelope (small corner repair) to Germany, Harburg receiver on reverse. Rare and attractive.

Est. Cash Value \$2,000

CRETE: BRITISH MILITARY OCCUPATION



- 6 ☑ 1898 20pa violet, appropriately perforated "28", large margins, tied by two strikes of purple Temenos "Union Jack" cancels on large blue official envelope (faults include fold through stamp) from the District Governor (seal at right) to "Major-General Sir Herbert Chernside" (the Occupation Governor) in Kandia. A most important endorsement : "This is the first stamp that has left Arkhars." Signed Holcombe.

Est. Cash Value \$6,000



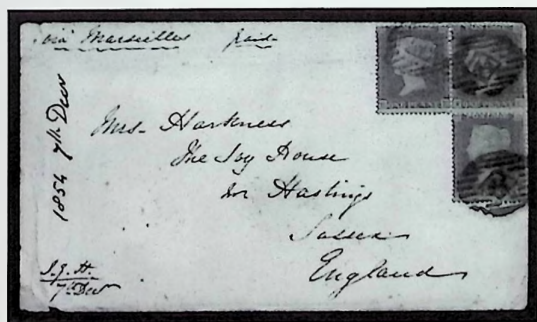
- 7 ☑ "Union Jack" handstamp of Monofatsi in violet, ms. inserted "20 Paras 9.12.98 J.A." plus matching Governors's Seal (also initialed) on neat envelope bearing CANDIA OESTERREICHISCHE POST 12 12 98 receiver on reverse. Signed Houtsamer.

Est. Cash Value \$1,250



- 8 ☒ Governor's Seal of Monofatsi in blue initialled "J.A." on neat officially wax sealed envelope to London, also bearing Austria Levant 1890-92 1pi on 10k ultramarine, very fine, tied by CANDIA OESTERREICHISCHE POST 20 1 99 c.d.s. Very rare used abroad.

Est. Cash Value \$2.500



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CRIMEAN WAR

- 9 ☒ 1854-55 Watermarked Small Crown bluish paper perf 16, 1p red brown, block of three, tied by "44" in diamond postmarks on envelope to England, green POST OFFICE BRITISH ARMY DE 8 1854 c.d.s., London transit and Hastings receiver on reverse. 3p rate for a 1/4oz letter.

Est. Cash Value \$150

- 10 ☒ 1p in combination with 1841 imperf 2p blue, tied by multiple strikes of "48" grid cancel on envelope (filing crease) to Scotland, backstamped POST-OFFICE-BRITISH-ARMY AP28 1855 c.d.s., also transit marking and Glasgow receiver.

Est. Cash Value \$250



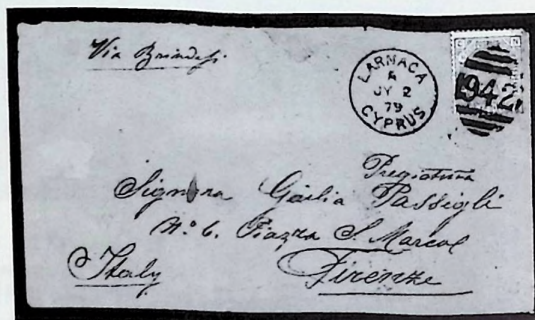
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- 11 1p, block of five and single, tied by strikes of "11" in diamond cancel on folded letter sheet to England, backstamped blue POST-OFFICE-BRITISH-ARMY SP 11 1855 c.d.s., red transit and green Colchester receiver. 6p rate for a 1/2oz. letter.

Est. Cash Value \$300

- 12 Perf 14 1p red brown, two pairs and two singles, tied by strikes of Star between Cyphers cancels and ms. "6" on envelope (backflap two sealed tears) to England, backstamped red POST-OFFICE-BRITISH ARMY NO. 1 (6) c.d.s. and transits.

Est. Cash Value \$200

- 13 1p, pair and single, tied by neat strikes of Star between Cyphers cancel on envelope (seal cut from backflaps) to England, backstamped red POST-OFFICE-BRITISH-ARMY MY 5 1856 c.d.s. and transits.

Est. Cash Value \$200

CYPRUS

- 14 Used to Italy; 1880 2 1/2p claret, Plate 14, tied by vertical "942" postmark on envelope (roughly opened) bearing LARNACA CYPRUS JY 2 79 c.d.s., Brindisi transit and Firenze receiver on reverse.

Est. Cash Value \$700

GIBRALTAR

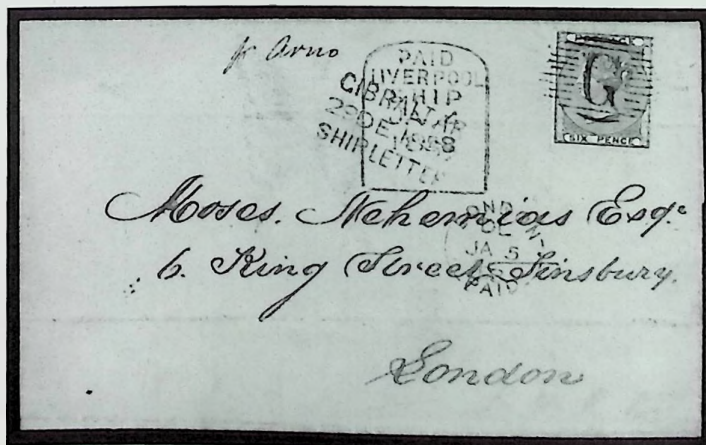
Compulsory Prepayment of Spanish Postage



- 15 ☒ Spain 1856 White Smooth Paper 4c rose, STRIP OF FOUR, PAIR AND TWO SINGLES, mostly full to large margins, tied by grid cancels and blue GIBRALTAR 16 NO 1857 double arc c.d.s. on neat blue folded letter sheet bearing ms. "1/4" Cadiz receiver on reverse. An eight-times weight cover (3 1/2-4oz.) with British postage of 1/4p (8x2) pre-paid in cash.

Est. Cash Value \$2,000

EXCESSIVELY RARE COMBINATION USAGE
IN WONDERFUL CONDITION. EX OSBORNE



- 16 ☒ 1856 Watermarked Heraldic Emblems 6p lilac, tied by neat "G" in grid cancel on folded letter sheet to England, bearing blue GIBRALTAR 29 DE 1857 SHIPLETTER and red PAID LIVERPOOL SHIP JA 4 1858 tombstone marking and London receiver. A colorful cover and the latest recorded date for the ship letter marking.

Est. Cash Value \$150

Great Britain-Spain Mixed Franking



- 17 Great Britain 1856-58 Watermarked Large Crown perf 14 2p blue (faulty), cancelled by clear "G" obliterator and used with Spain 1856 4c rose, both stamps overstruck at Cadiz and tied by neat double circle postmark on folded letter sheet bearing blue GIBRALTAR OC 27 58 c.d.s. and Cadiz backstamp.

Est. Cash Value \$5,000

APPROXIMATELY TWENTY GREAT BRITAIN-SPAIN
MIXED FRANKINGS ARE RECORDED. EX GLASSCO.

Compulsory Use of Spanish Stamps



- 18 Spain 1862 Tinted Paper 4c dark brown on reddish buff, six copies, margins to cut into, neatly tied on folded letter bearing GIBRALTAR FE 27 63 c.d.s. and handstamped "240" (reis) Lisbon delivery charge, SAN ROQUE CADIZ 27 FEB 63 and Lisbon receiver on reverse.

Est. Cash Value \$1,500

AN IMPRESSIVE COMBINATION USAGE. EX OSBORNE



- 19 ☒ 1860-61 12c carmine on buff, tied by centered "63" (Cadiz) postmark and GIBRALTAR JY 14 62 c.d.s. on folded letter with France 20c Die I, pair, tied by "5" handstamp and bearing double circle AMB. postmark and blue P.D., Bordeaux transit and Marseilles receiver on reverse. Signed Holcombe. A Frenchman writes of his safe arrival in Gibraltar. Mistakenly thinking his French stamps would pay postage, he was required to affix the compulsory Spain 12c adhesive.

Est. Cash Value \$2,500

A MOST UNUSUAL TRIPLE COMBINATION
MIXED FRANKING. EX OSBORNE



- 20 ☒ **British Stamp used for Postage Due on Incoming Mail**
Austria 1867-72 Coarse Print perf 9½ 15kr brown, two copies, tied by oval TRIESTE 12/10 postmarks on folded letter sheet bearing Great Britain 1864 1p, Plate 124, tied by GIBRALTAR OC 24 70 c.d.s. and red boxed P.D., to Gibraltar. Fine and very attractive. B.P.A. Cert. (1992).

Est. Cash Value \$5,000

AN UNUSUAL AND PREVIOUSLY
UNRECORDED MIXED USAGE

21 ☒ **PAID AT CORFU** Crowned Circle handstamp, fine strike on 1850 folded letter bearing neat 21 LUG double circle postmark, to Patras, Greece.

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From C. J. S. Lament. 10th Nov 6th 1862. No.
Lante

Wm. M. W. J. S. Lament
Commanding
Royal Artillery
Zante
Messrs. A. & S. Hemps-
hill Merchants
Bradford
Yorkshire
England

- Est. Cash Value \$30,000

*THE FAMOUS SOLDIER'S LETTER, BELIEVED TO BE THE ONLY
EXAMPLE OF A BRITISH STAMP ON COVER CANCELLED IN
THE IONIAN ISLANDS. A MAJOR IONIAN ISLANDS' RARITY.
EX E.E. YATES, HENRY HICKS*

MALTA

Great Britain-Greece Mixed Frankings



- 23 ☒ Great Britain 1856 6p lilac, tied by "A25" MALTA NO 16 61 duplex on folded letter sheet bearing Greece 1861 Paris Print 20L blue on bluish, margins except touched one point, tied by double strike of "67" in diamond of dots cancel and red "P" in oval, to Sira, receiver on reverse. Signed Holcombe. A fine example of Great Britain-Greece mixed usage.

Est. Cash Value \$2,000



- 24 ☒ Great Britain 1864 1p rose red, Plate 111, tied by "A25" MALTA JU 13 65 duplex, used with Greece 1862-67 10L orange on bluish, large margins, and 80L carmine on pale rose, two copies, margins except touched at bottom, tied by two strikes of "1" in diamond of dots cancel on neat blue folded letter sheet bearing GALLIPOLI (Italy) and KERKIRA (island of) transits and Athens receiver all on reverse.

Est. Cash Value \$2,500

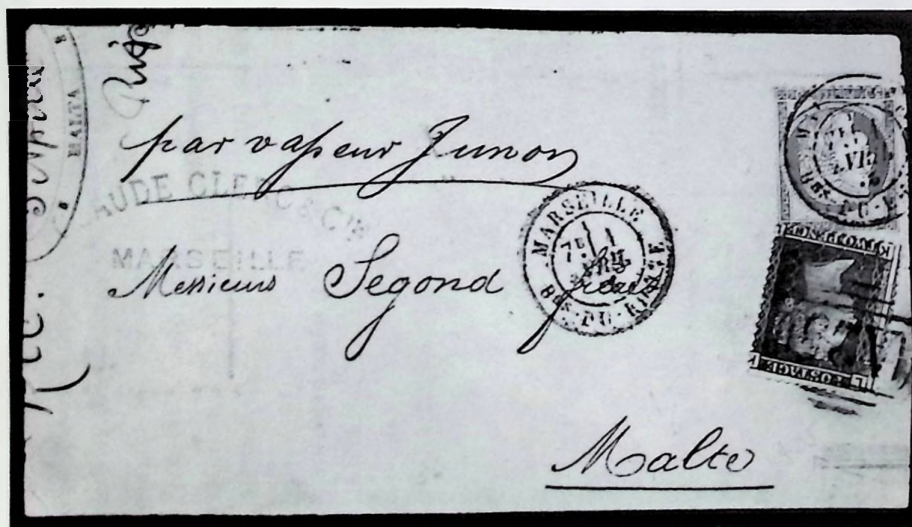
A MOST COLORFUL AND RARE COMBINATION FRANKING.



- 25 \approx Used to Corfu; Folded letter bearing MALTA JY 25 75 postmark and "12½" handstamp, franked by Greece 10L orange on greenish, 40L salmon on greenish, 80L carmine rose, mostly large margins all round, tied by KERKIRA c.d.s. cancels bearing CATANIA 26 July and other transits, Kerkira (Corfu) receiver on reverse.

Est. Cash Value \$1,000

ATTRACTIVE THREE-COLOR FRANKING.



- 26 Δ France 1872-75 Large Numerals 30c brown on yellowish, tied by double circle MARSEILLES 1AVRIL postmark used with Great Britain 2p blue, Plate 7, tied by "A25" arrival postmark on large part of printed notice (repaired and refolded), MALTA AP 5 76 backstamp. A very unusual mixed franking.

Est. Cash Value \$1,000

THE COMPANION TO THE 1p FRANKED COVER
IN THE BOLLEN COLLECTION.



- 27 ○ 1883 6p on 6p lilac, BLOCK OF TWELVE, remarkably light strikes of "A25" cancel, faults to very fine.

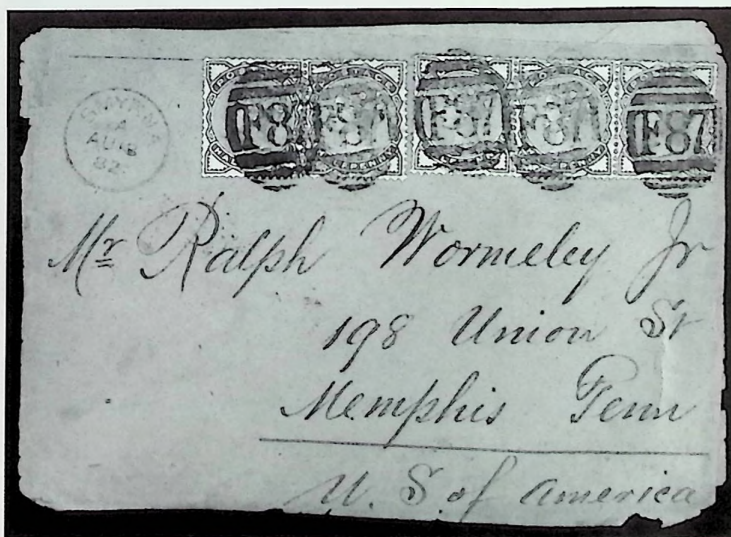
Est. Cash Value \$1,250

A RARE MULTIPLE. EX GLASSCO

- 28 ☒ The Malta group of fourteen covers including multiple rates and unusual destinations with 1858 to Naples (3p) cancelled "M", 1861 to Constantinople (1sh), 1863 and 1865 to Messina (4p, carried by French and Italian mailboats respectively), 1866 to Spain (10p), 1870 to Livorno (4p), 1864 to Naples (8p), 1876 to Cairo (5p), 1876 to Trieste (2½p) and an interesting 1877 unstamped cover to Livorno, taxed and with Italian 60c due added. Generally fine to very fine. *Not illustrated.*

Est. Cash Value \$1,500

SMYRNA



- 29 ☒ 1880-81 ½p green, strip of three and pair, all tied by multiple strikes of vertical "F87" grid on front (back re-attached) bearing SMYRNA AU 18 82 c.d.s., transits and Memphis, Tenn. receiver on reverse.

Est. Cash Value \$250

SPAIN

British Packet Agency at Corunna



- 30 ☒ Stampless folded letter sheet (two filing creases) bearing green FERROL GALICIA 31 AGO 1845 datestamp, vivid red CORUNNA SP 1 1845 double arc c.d.s. and ms. "2/2" rate, sent via P&O service to London.

Est. Cash Value \$400

EX GLASSCO AND BOLLEN

British Packet Agency at Teneriffe, Canary Islands



- 31 ☒ Spain 1855 Watermarked Loops Blue Paper 2r brown violet, two copies, full to large margins, very fine, tied by neat barred circle on folded letter bearing double circle CADIZ 5 NOV 57 postmark and beautiful strike of Crown Circle PAID AT TENERIFFE, plus TENERIFFE NO 17 57 backstamp, rated ms. "1/1", to Buenos Aires.

Est. Cash Value \$5,000

ONE OF THE FINEST EXAMPLES OF THIS RARE COMBINATION, OF WHICH THERE ARE APPROXIMATELY TWELVE RECORDED.

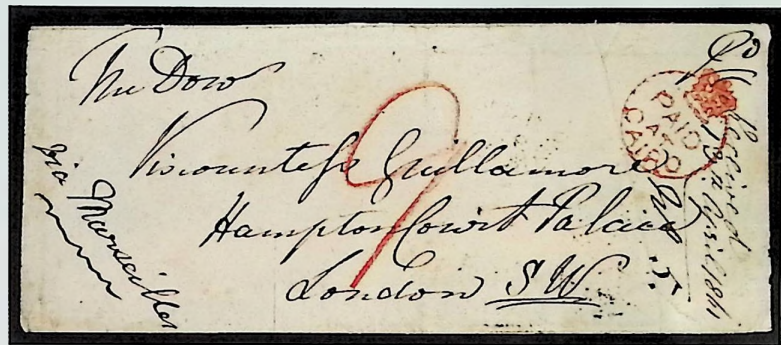
BRITISH POST OFFICES IN AFRICA

CAPE OF GOOD HOPE

- 32 ☒ British Occupation of Cape Town; 1813 Stampless, local folded letter and undated letter sheet, each bearing good strike of oval Cypher handstamp, fine. *Not illustrated.*

Est. Cash Value \$200

EGYPT



- 33 ☒ Crowned Circle PAID AT CAIRO, fine red handstamp on envelope (some backflap tears) bearing ms. "Via Marseilles" and rated "9" for ¼oz., LONDON AP 12 61 receiver on reverse.

Est. Cash Value \$2,000

Usage in ADEN



- 34 ☒ 1862 1sh green, centrally cancelled by "124" diamond obliterator at Aden on envelope (backflap tear) printed TELEGRAM-REUTER'S AGENCY, SUEZ and embossed with seal, ADEN ST(EAME)R POINT 5 DE 64 c.d.s. on back, to BOMBAY, with original enclosure. *Very rare.*

Est. Cash Value \$3,500

Great Britain-Egypt First Issue Mixed Frankings



- 35 ☒ Egypt 1866 10pa brown, fine, tied by ZIFTA 20 NOV. 68 c.d.s., plus Great Britain 6p violet, Plate 6, wing-margin, tied by "BO1" postmark on envelope (addressee's name excised, repair at top and portions of backflaps missing) bearing ALEXANDRIA NO21 68 c.d.s. and Leamington, England receiver on reverse. A new discovery.

Est. Cash Value \$4,000



- 36 △ 1866 1pi rose lilac, tied by ZIFTA 15 DEC. 66 c.d.s. in combination with Great Britain 3p rose, Plate 4, and 6p violet, Plate 5, wing-margin, each tied by "BO1" postmark on cover front bearing ALEXANDRIA DE 17 66 c.d.s. and INSUFFICIENTLY PREPAID handstamp, to England.

Est. Cash Value \$2,500

GREAT BRITAIN-EGYPT MIXED FRANKINGS ARE MUCH SCARCER THAN SIMILAR COMBINATIONS WITH FRENCH OR ITALIAN STAMPS. IT IS BELIEVED THAT ONLY FOUR SUCH MIXED FRANKINGS WITH EGYPT'S FIRST ISSUE ARE RECORDED. TWO OF WHICH ARE FRONTS. HEREWITH WE PRESENT ONE OF EACH, THE FORMER BEING A NEW DISCOVERY.

German Mail to the Far East Routed Via Alexandria



- 37 ☒ Used to China; North German Confederation 1868 Rouletted ½gr, 1gr, 2gr and 5gr, plus PRUSSIA 1866 10sg rose (creases), fine or fine appearance, tied by strikes of double circle SONDERBURG 3 4 68 postmark and overstamped by Great Britain 1sh, Plate 4, tied by "BO1" grid on folded letter bearing ALEXANDRIA AP17 68 c.d.s., Trieste and Hong Kong transits on reverse. Holcombe Cert. (1990) and cover signed by him.

Est. Cash Value \$30,000

EXCEEDINGLY RARE. FOUR SUCH MIXED FRANKINGS ARE RECORDED FROM THE NORTH GERMAN CONFEDERATION, OF WHICH ONLY ONE OTHER SHOWS THE COMBINATION USE WITH THE STAMPS OF PRUSSIA.



- 38 ☒ France 1862-71 20c blue, 40c orange, each tied by large "5080" diamond of dots cancel on folded letter bearing CAIRO AP 11 68 c.d.s., double circle ALEXANDRIE EGYPT 12 AVRIL 68 postmark and boxed PD, Lausanne, Switzerland receiver on reverse. Sorani Cert. (1991) and cover signed by him.

Est. Cash Value \$1,500

THE TRANSFER OF MAIL BETWEEN BRITISH AND
FRENCH POST OFFICES IN EGYPT IS UNUSUAL.
A RARE AND ATTRACTIVE COVER.

Great Britain-Egypt Mixed Franking



- 39 ☞ Egypt 1874-75 Rough perf 2pi yellow, tied by V.R. POSTE EGIZIANE POST SAID 20 MAG 1872 c.d.s., used with Great Britain 4p vermillion, Plate 12, two wing-margin pairs slightly overlapping, tied by strikes of "BO1" postmark on envelope bearing ALEXANDRIA MY 21 72 c.d.s., various backstamps including Wiveliscombe, England receiver. Signed Roumet and Sorani.

Est. Cash Value \$6,000

A VERY SCARCE MIXED FRANKING SHOWING
THE DOUBLE RATE FOR A ½-1oz. LETTER.
QUITE COLORFUL

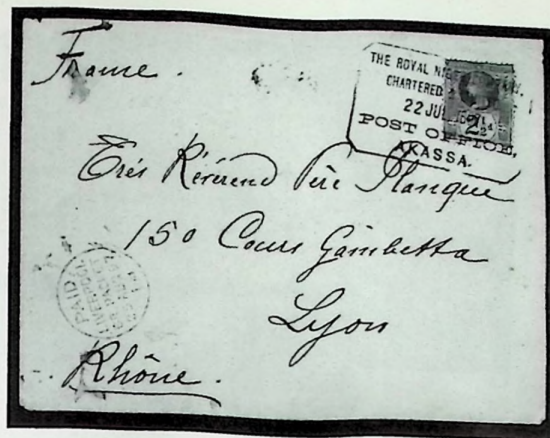


- 40 ☞ Used to United States; 4p vermillion, Plate 12, 6p chestnut, Plate 11, pair of each, cancelled by light strikes of "BO1" postmark on envelope (a bit ragged, open at sides) bearing CAIRO FE 25 73 and ms. "Via Brindisi by English Closed Mail", red London and New York markings. An attractive double-rate cover.

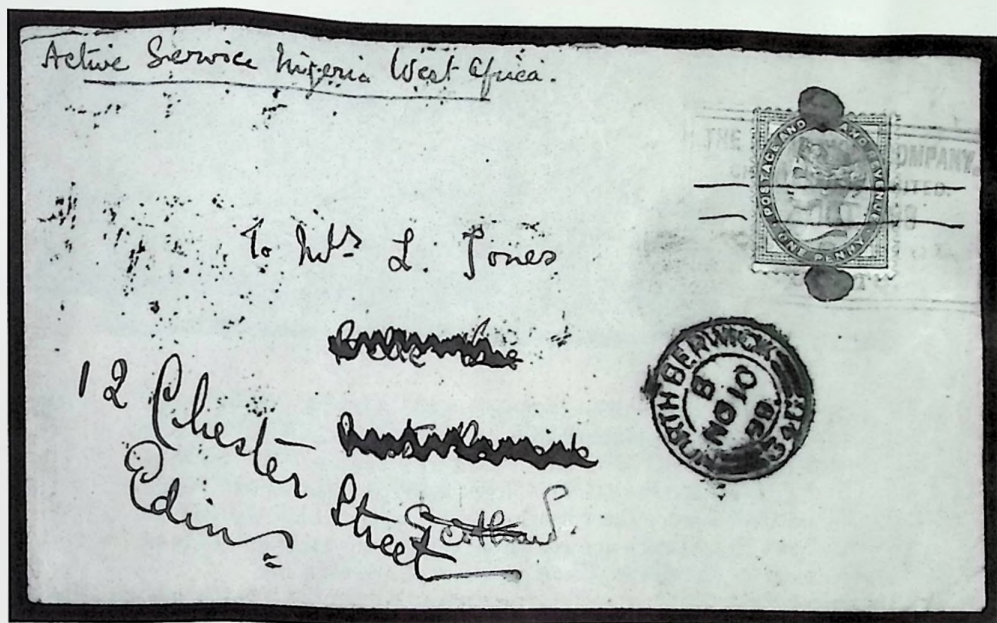
Est. Cash Value \$500



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NIGERIA

- 41 ☒ Stampless envelope bearing LAGOS FE 10 64 c.d.s., framed Great Britain 2F accountancy mark for British postage unpaid, transits include red London and Paris receiver on reverse.

Est. Cash Value \$500

- 42 ☒ 1887-92 2½p violet on bluish, tied by clear strike of violet boxed THE ROYAL NIGER COMPANY CHARTERED & LIMITED 22 JULY 1897 POST OFFICE AKASSA. postmark on envelope bearing red PAID LIVERPOOL BR. PACKET 25 AUG 97 handstamp, Lyon receiver on reverse.

Est. Cash Value \$500

- 43 ☒ 1887 1p lilac (16 dots), tied by two red seals, light pen strokes and violet boxed POST OFFICE BURUTU 2 OCT 1899 datestamp on re-addressed soldier's envelope bearing ms. "Active Service Nigeria West Africa.", transits and Edinburgh receiver on reverse.

Est. Cash Value \$600

BRITISH POST OFFICES IN ASIA

BEYROUT

Mail to France from the British Post Office at Beyrout was routed via the French Post Office at Alexandria and resulted in the use of mixed frankings of British and French stamps.



- 44 Σ **GREAT BRITAIN: 1858-69 2p deep blue, Plate 14, tied by neatly struck "GO6" postmark with adjacent BRITISH POST OFFICE BEYROUT MY 6 75 c.d.s., used with France 1872-75 Large Numerals 80c rose, tied by large "5080" diamond of dots cancel on folded letter sheet bearing double circle ALEXANDRIE 10 MAI 75 postmark and red boxed PD, transits and Lyon 18 MAI receiver on reverse. Colorful and very fine combination.**

Est. Cash Value \$3,000

- 45 Σ **Same correspondence; Great Britain 1875 Watermarked Anchor 2½p lilac on bluish paper, PLATE 3, fine, tied by lovely strike of "GO6" postmark with BRITISH POST OFFICE BEYROUT JU 15 76 c.d.s., used with France 30c brown and tied by double circle ALEXANDRIE EGYPT 19 Juin 76 marking, transits and Lyon receiver on reverse. Signed Calves. A lovely combination usage of a rare stamp.**

Est. Cash Value \$3,000

- 46 Δ **Great Britain 1875 Watermarked Anchor 2½p claret on bluish paper, Plate 1, pair, each tied by "GO6" postmark and single strike of BRITISH POST OFFICE BEYROUT JY15 75 c.d.s., used with France 40c orange, type I, Large Numerals 30c brown, two copies, and 80c rose, tied by strikes of large "5080" diamond of dots cancel on large piece of folded letter, numerous transits and Glarus, Switzerland receiver on reverse.**

Est. Cash Value \$1,000

ONLY THREE DOUBLE RATE MIXED FRANKINGS HAVE BEEN RECORDED. THIS PIECE IS UNUSUAL, OCCURING IN THE TRANSITIONAL PERIOD BETWEEN JULY 1, 1875 WHEN THE UNITED KINGDOM ADOPTED THE U.P.U. 2½d FOREIGN RATE AND JANUARY 1, 1876 WHEN FRANCE JOINED. PROBABLY UNIQUE.



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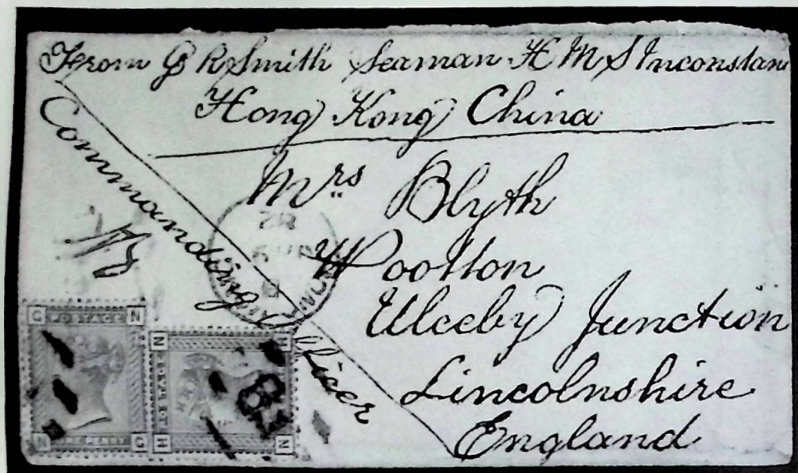


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HONG KONG

- 47 ☞ Crowned Circle Handstamps in Red; TWO folded letters (file folds), one to Cadiz bearing small single-circle and straight PAID, other to England bearing large double-circle and curved PAID, plus red LONDON PAID MY 21 59 c.d.s., Hong Kong transit on reverse. *Not illustrated.*

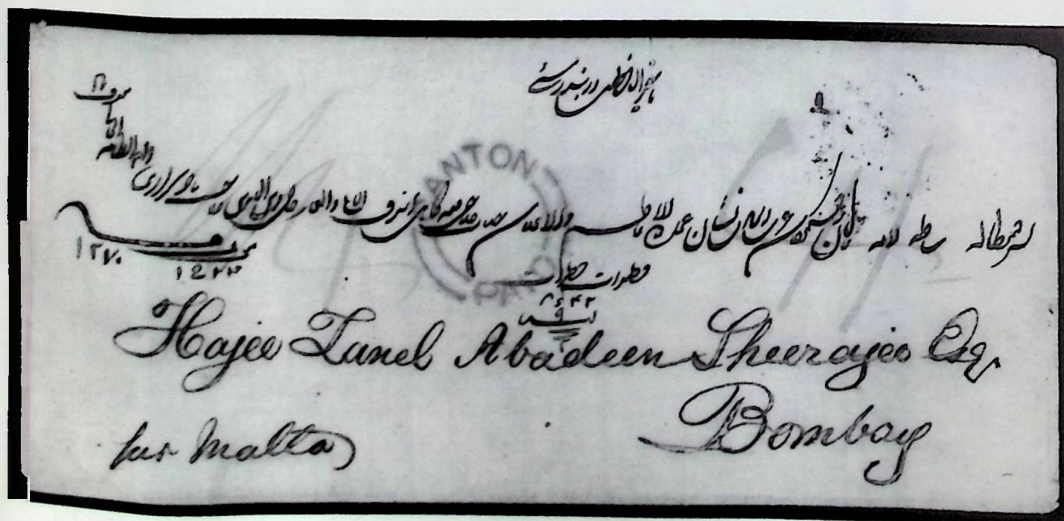
Est. Cash Value \$300



- 48 ☞ 1880-81 1p red brown, two copies, each tied by "FB" obliterator on small sailor's envelope (torn flaps) bearing HONG KONG JA 9 82 c.d.s. and ms. "From G.R. Smith Seaman HMS Inconstant Hong Kong China..." and initialed by commanding officer, Ulcesy, England receiver on reverse.

Est. Cash Value \$800

Treaty Port at Canton, China

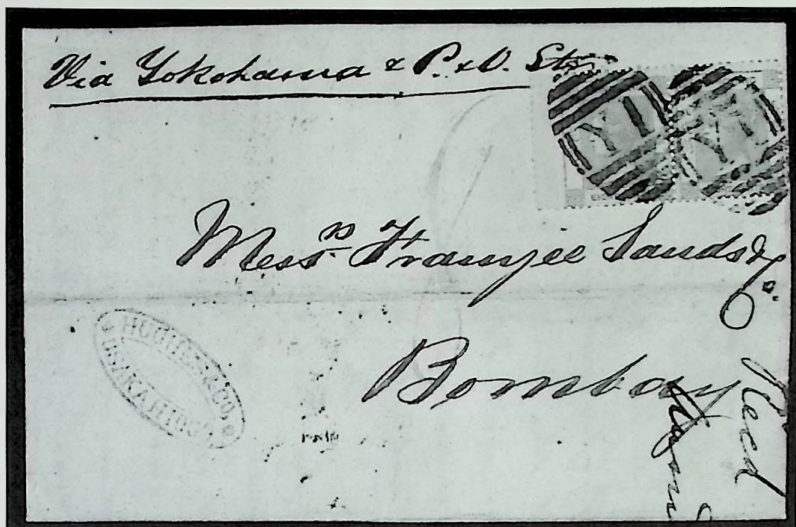


- 49 ☞ Native envelope (enclosures) bearing red circular double arc CANTON PAID handstamp, to Bombay, backstamped CANTON 23 FE 1854 and HONG KONG 24 FE 1854. *Very attractive and rare.*

Est. Cash Value \$1,000

APPROXIMATELY TWELVE EXAMPLES
OF THIS MARKING ARE BELIEVED KNOWN.

Treaty Port at Yokohama, Japan



- 50 ☒ Hong Kong 1863-80 Crown CC 8c bright orange, wing-margin pair, tied by clean strikes of blue "Y1" grid on 1871 folded letter originating in Hiogo, to Bombay, with double oval HUGHES & CO. OSAKA HIOGO" forwarding agents handstamp and ms. "8". Quite colorful and rare.

Est. Cash Value \$2,000

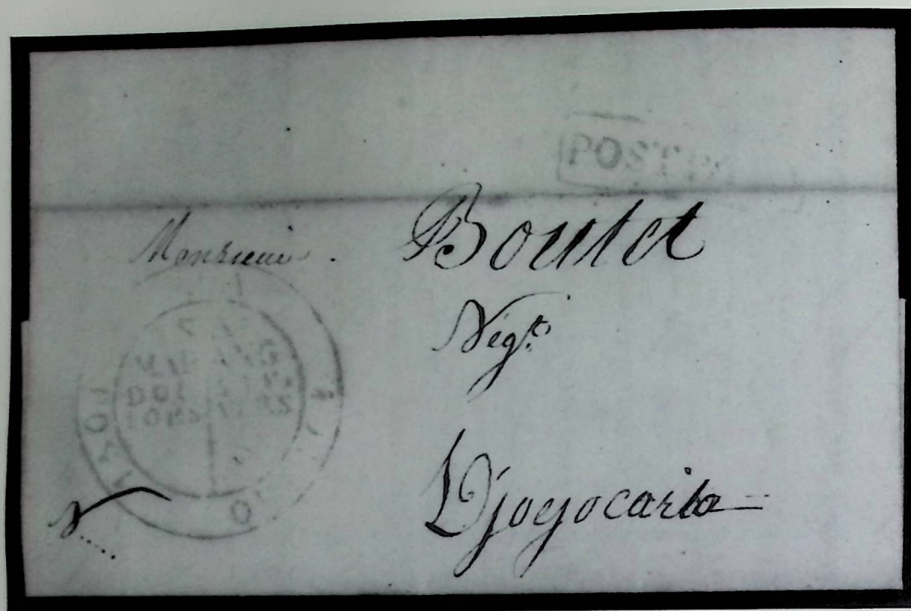
JAVA: BRITISH MILITARY OCCUPATION



- 51 ☒ 1813 Folded letter sheet bearing red strikes of double circle JAVA GENERAL POST OFFICE TAVIADOL and boxed POST (PAID), also London oval with Crown SHIP LETTER FALMOUTH receiver and rated ms. 1/4p backstamped by red oval 10 o'clock 1814 END MY 16 and similarly dated double circle, docketed from the "H.C. Sloop of War Malabar Batavia roads Oct 8, 1813". Quite historical.

Est. Cash Value \$500

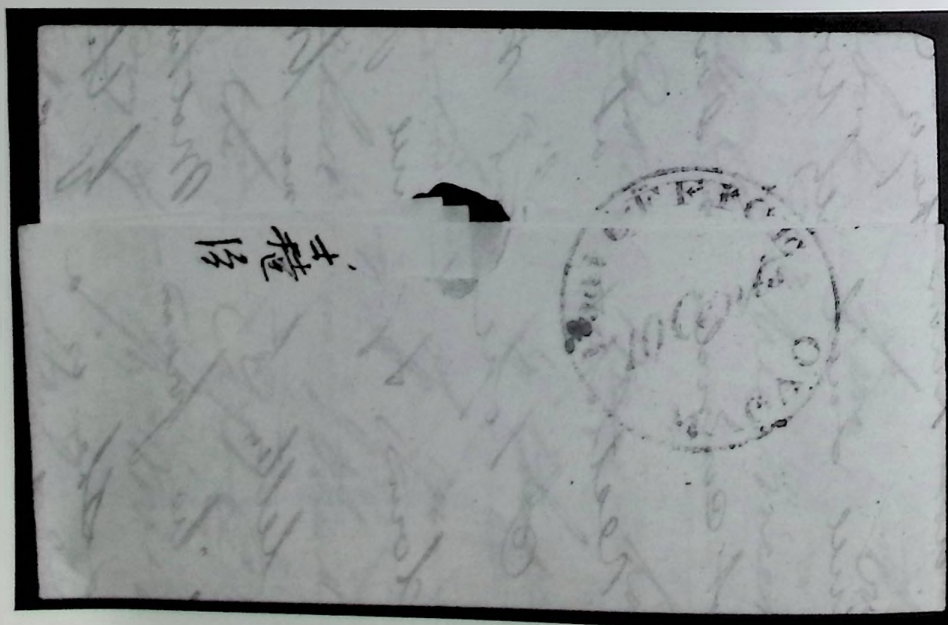
Local Cover



- 52 ☞ 1821 Folded letter bearing light red double circle JAVA POST OFFICE SAMARANG together with boxed POST PAID, to Djoejocarta, very fine.

Est. Cash Value \$300

MACAO



- 53 ☞ 1835 Native folded letter bearing on reverse neat red Boat OFFICE MACAO 10 Cents, very fine.

Est. Cash Value \$1,000

Lot 54

The Pago em Macao Crowned Circle

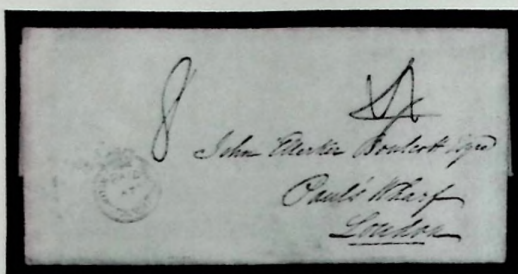


- ✉ Hong Kong 1863-80 96c gray, NINETEEN COPIES, including eight pairs (some wing-margins) and 24c green, PAIR, all cancelled or tied by strikes of "B62" cancel on a front of large printed envelope (a few small faults as would be expected) bearing superbly detailed strike of Crowned Circle PAGO EM MACAO handstamp, MACAO JA 23 71 and GIBRALTAR MR 5 71 datestamps, red ms. "£3:17:0.", to Lisbon.

Est. Cash Value \$60,000

WEBB RECORDS ONLY SEVEN EXAMPLES OF THE PAGO CROWNED CIRCLE. FOUR ARE ON LARGE FRONTS TO LISBON AND THIS IS THE UNIQUE EXAMPLE BEARING DIFFERENT VALUES. UNDOUBTEDLY ONE OF THE MOST FAMOUS AND IMPORTANT ITEMS OF HONG KONG PHILATELY.

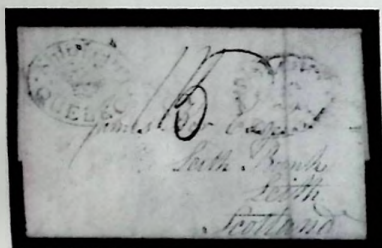
BRITISH POST OFFICES IN AUSTRALASIA



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NEW ZEALAND

- 55 ☞ Crowned Circle Handstamp in Red; Folded letter with clear strike of PAID AT WELLINGTON. NEW. ZEALAND., rated "4" and 8p due on delivery, Wellington MR 3 1848 c.d.s. and red London receiver on reverse, fine.

Est. Cash Value \$150

BRITISH POST OFFICES IN NORTH AMERICA

CANADA

- 56 ☞ QUEBEC 15 SE Bishop mark on reverse of large portion of 1788 folded letter to Montreal, rated ms. "9" on front, fine.

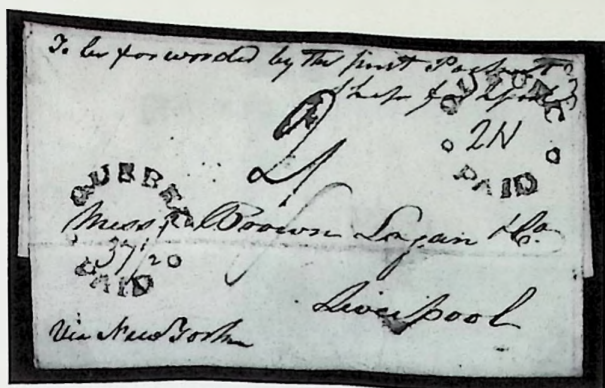
Est. Cash Value \$ 500

- 57 ☞ Folded letter bearing Double Oval Crown "Ship Letter QUEBEC" handstamp, plus indistinct marking, red DE 16 1811 transit and Leith, Scotland receiver on reverse. *An officer's letter regarding transfer to another regiment during the Napoleonic Wars.*

Est. Cash Value \$150

- 58 ☞ 1817 Folded letter sheet (portion of side flap missing) bearing fine strike of straight-line BERTHIER handstamp across backflap, rated ms. "18½" and handstamped "PAID", both scratched through, re-rated "12½" and ms. "Paid", and finally a red "9" to New York, fine and unusual.

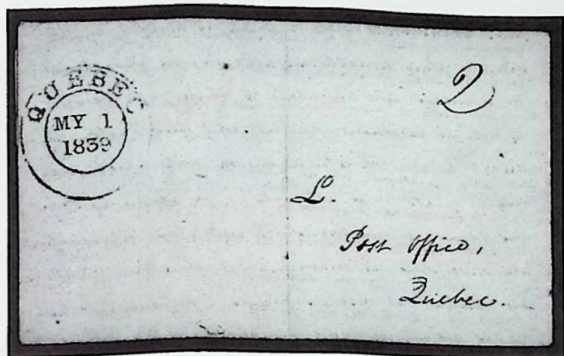
Est. Cash Value \$250



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- 59 ☒ Folded letter bearing two clear strikes of circular QUEBEC PAID prepaid rates, one ms. "2N" (sterling), other "37½" (currency), to Liverpool, QUEBEC SE 8 27 Fleuron and framed step-type LIVERPOOL SHIP LETTER backstamps, fine.

Est. Cash Value \$250

- 60 ☒ 1830 Folded letter (somewhat reinforced) bearing YORK UP-CAN NOV 13 c.d.s. and boxed PAID, rated ms. "4½", all in red, also black circular ANCASTER handstamp, ms. "16 Nov.—30" within, plus "Ford 2½p" to forward to Burford, very fine A scarce rating. Fascinating contents regarding the village of Branford being located on surrendered Indian land.

Est. Cash Value \$150

- 61 ☒ Local folded letter bearing clear strike of red double circle QUEBEC MY 1 1839 datestamp (which replaced the Bishop mark), rated "2", fine. Rare drop rate.

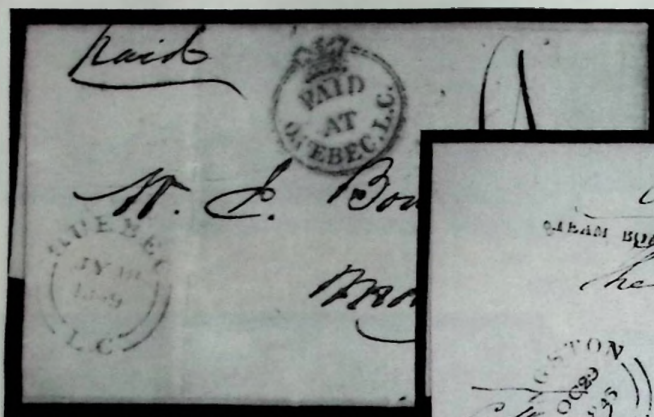
Est. Cash Value \$250

- 62 ☒ Folded letter bearing neat strikes of red double circle STANSTEAD L.C. JAN 30 1840 and MONTREAL L.C. FE 3 1840 datestamps, plus red and ms. PAID, rated "9d", to New York, fine.

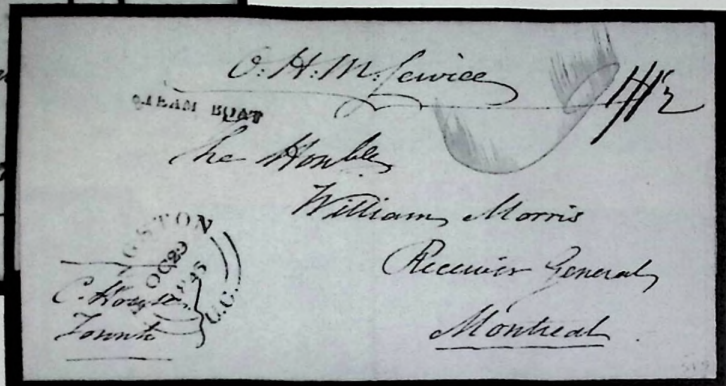
Est. Cash Value \$200

- 63 ☞ Official folded letter sheet bearing lovely strikes of red STEAM BOAT and double arc KINGSTON U.C. OC29 1845 datestamps, plus ms. "O.H.M. Service", rated "9", re-rated "1/1½p", matching Montreal receiver on reverse, very fine.

Est. Cash Value \$350



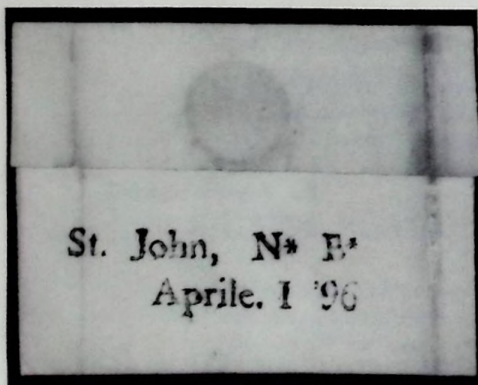
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- 64 ☞ Local folded letter bearing superb strike of red Crowned Circle PAID AT QUEBEC. L.C. (S.G. type CC1b) and double arc QUEBEC L.C. JY18 1849 datestamp, matching Montreal receiver on reverse, very fine.

Est. Cash Value \$100



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NEW BRUNSWICK

- 65 ☞ 1796 Folded letter sheet (filing creases) bearing on reverse a superb strike of straight-line "St. John, N*B* Aprile. I '96" handstamp, to Fredericton, rated ms. "/7" on front, very rare.

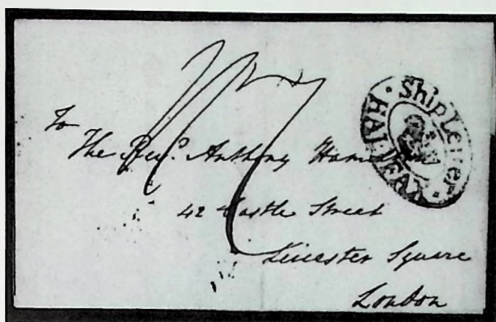
Est. Cash Value \$1,000

EX GLASSCO

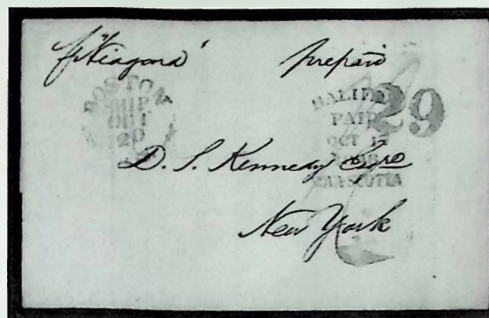
- 66 ☞ Folded letter sheet bearing lovely strike of ST ANDREWS NEW BRUNSWICK and ms. "31 May 1828", rated red ms. "Paid 9", to Fredericton, very fine.

Est. Cash Value \$300

NOVA SCOTIA



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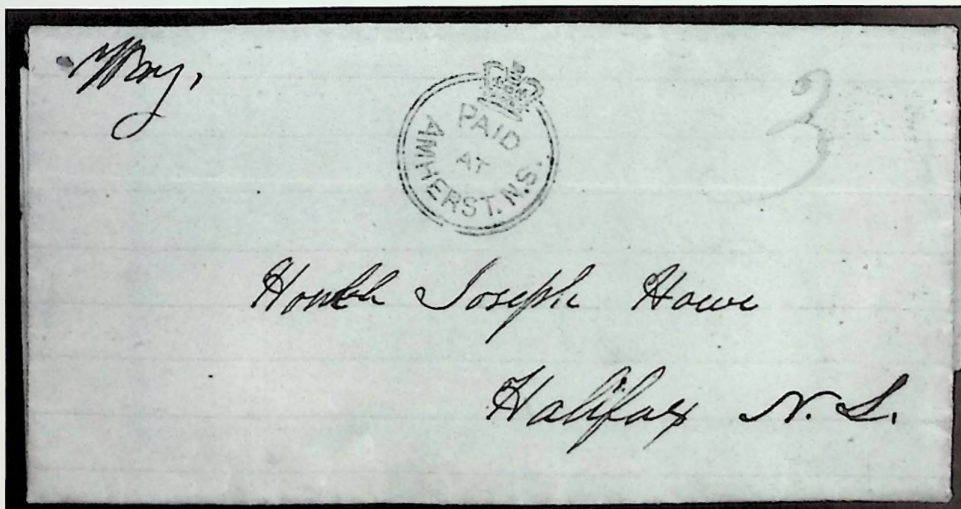
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- 67 ☒ Folded letter sheet bearing excellent strike of double oval Crown "Ship Letter HALIFAX" handstamp, to London, backstamped FE 9 1824 and step-type LIVERPOOL SHIP LETTER, very fine.

Est. Cash Value \$500

- 68 ☒ Folded letter (some outer side flaps missing) from the Kennedy correspondence bearing curved HALIFAX PAID OCT 17 1848 NOVA-SCOTIA, rated "1/—", rimless BOSTON MS. SHIP OCT 20 and large "29" handstamps all in red, also ms. "prepaid", to New York. A fine example of the scarce retaliatory rate.

Est. Cash Value \$250



- 69 ☒ Folded letter bearing superb strike of red Crowned Circle PAID at AMHERST. N.S. (S.G. type CC1a), rated ms. "3" for local letter, Amherst datestamp and AP 28 1853 (in oval) receiver on reverse.

Est. Cash Value \$600

CANADA-UNITED STATES CROSS-BORDER MAIL



- 70 1847 10c black, large margins and very fine, tied by pen strokes to neat folded letter from the Kennedy correspondence bearing TORONTO U.C. MR 20 1848, ms. "Paid to the Lines No. 20" and rated "4½", PAID handstamp crossed through by same pen as canceller, red LEWISTON N.Y. MAR 23 c.d.s.. Royal Cert. (1971).

Est. Cash Value \$10,000

AN EXCELLENT EXAMPLE OF THE CANADA-UNITED STATES CROSS-BORDER COMBINATION MAIL. THIS COVER IS BELIEVED TO BE THE EARLIEST KNOWN USE OF AN 1847 FRANKING FROM CANADA.
EX DALE/LICHTENSTEIN.



- 71 1847 5c red brown, two copies, left stamp dot in "S", margins to cut into, right stamp margins clear to very large, tied by red grids on folded letter sheet bearing rimless CHIPPAWA U.C. NO 28 1849 c.d.s., PAID handstamp crossed out, red LEWISTON N.Y. NOV 29 c.d.s. and "4½" Canadian rate, Queenston U.C. backstamp. A.P.E.S. and Foundation Certs. (1989 and 1992 respectively).

Est. Cash Value \$1,200

HANDSOME AND VERY RARE USAGE. EX KAPILOFF



- 72 ☒ 10c, two copies, margins to cut in, each cancelled by neat pen cross (left stamp tied by filing crease) on folded letter from the Kennedy correspondence bearing red KINGSTON U.C. MY 17 1851 postmark and matching framed arched CANADA and PAID handstamps, rated ms. "1/—" and "20". Foundation Cert. (1992).

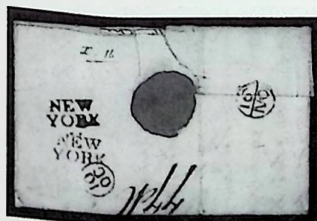
Est. Cash Value \$2,500

EXTREMELY RARE EXAMPLE OF THE DOUBLE RATE.
PERHAPS UNIQUE

UNITED STATES

- 73 ☒ 1767 Folded letter (some tears) bearing on reverse two fine strikes of NEW YORK handstamp and 10/OC Bishop mark, also London arrival Bishop mark 16/NO. Scarce.

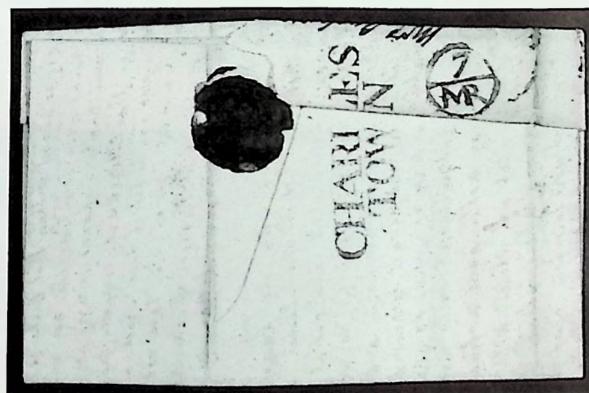
Est. Cash Value \$500



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- 74 ☒ 1770 Folded letter bearing on reverse clear two-line strike of CHARLES TOWN handstamp and 7 MR Bishop mark, addressed to "His Excellency James Grant Esq. Governor of East Florida" and rated "1N", very fine. Interesting political contents.

Est. Cash Value \$1,500

- 75 ☒ 1773 Folded letter bearing purplish-red straight-line BOSTON and 21 MR Bishop mark, rated "2Dwt", to Rhode Island, fine.

Est. Cash Value \$400

BRITISH POST OFFICES IN CENTRAL AMERICA AND THE WEST INDIES

ANTIGUA



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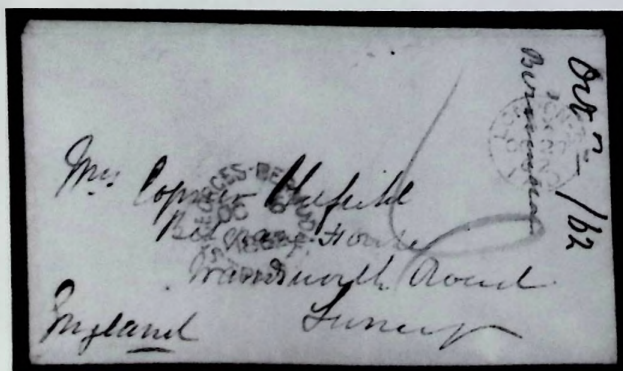
- 76 ☞ Folded letter (small edge faults) bearing superb strike of red Crowned Circle PAID AT ANTIGUA (S.G. type CC1), also red ANTIGUA DE 2 68 datestamp, to St. Lucia, Dec 5 backstamp, very fine.

Est. Cash Value \$500

BARBADOS

- 77 ☞ 1760 Folded letter (small tears) bearing neat strike of two-line BARBADOES and 20 FE Bishop mark, to London, fine. Actually three letters written Sept. 20th, Dec. 1st and 27th. George Walker touches on plantation crops, shipments and profits, the sale of Negroes, conquests in North America, the death of George II, the weather. Fascinating reading.

Est. Cash Value \$400



BERMUDA

- 78 ☞ Small pink envelope bearing rimless ST. GEORGES BERMUDA PAID OC 6 1862 c.d.s., rated "6" and LONDON PAID receivers, all in red, very fine.

Est. Cash Value \$800

BERMUDA

Ireland Isle Crowned Circle Handstamp



- 79 ☒ 1859 Crowned Circle handstamp in red, beautifully clear strike of PAID AT IRELAND ISLE BERMUDA on pretty pink envelope (small part of backflap end re-attached) with matching handstruck "6d" and ms. "Paid", backstamped IRELAND ISLE BERMUDA NO 3 1859 and red London receiver.

Est. Cash Value \$8,000

ONE OF THE FINEST, IF NOT THE FINEST, OF THE SIX KNOWN STRIKES OF THIS CROWNED CIRCLE. EX ULRICH.



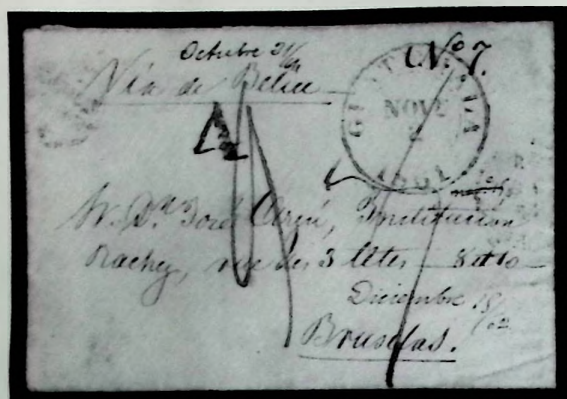
- 80 ☒ 1862 Incoming printed envelope (exploded) bearing good strike of red HAMILTON-BERMUDA SHIP LETTER handstamp, ms. "Mary Helen" and charged "4", red HAMILTON BERMUDA MY 6 1862 backstamp, fine and rare.

Est. Cash Value \$4,000

EARLIEST KNOWN DATE OF THIS SHIP LETTER HANDSTAMP.
EX GLASSCO, ULRICH

BRITISH HONDURAS

Guatemala Mail via Belize



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- 81 ☐ Used to Belgium; Two small envelopes from the same correspondence, each bearing double circle GUATEMALA postmark and "4" handstamp, one cover red NOVE 2 1861, other blue FEBU 3 1864, ms. rated and with a number of markings on reverse including red London transit and Brussels receiver, former double arc Belize datestamp, latter Belize c.d.s., fine and scarce matched pair.

Est. Cash Value \$600

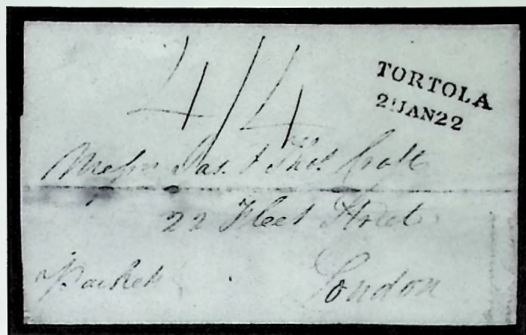


- 82 ☐ 1856 6p lilac, tied by clear "AO6" postmark on envelope bearing red double circle GUATEMALA 1860 OCTE 2 postmark and "4" handstamp, underpayment noted by fine strike of Anglo-French boxed "G B IF 60c" accountancy handstamp and French ms. "16" due marking, backstamped double arc BELIZE OC 12 1860, red London transit and Orleans receiver.

Est. Cash Value \$12,000

THIS IS THE FINEST EXAMPLE OF THE VERY FEW KNOWN
GUATEMALA COVERS BEARING BRITISH STAMPS CANCELLED AT
BELIZE. A SIGNIFICANT COMBINATION COVER. EX GLASSCO

BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS



- 83 ☒ 1822 Large portion of folded letter sheet bearing superb strike of straight-line TORTOLA 21 JAN 22 handstamp, double rate ms. "4/4", to London, indistinct backstamp and ms. "8/8".
Est. Cash Value \$200

CUBA

The United States and Brazil Steamship Co.


This company operated between St. Thomas and Rio de Janeiro and mail had to be prepaid with U.S. stamps at the rate of 10c per 1/2oz. Stamps were affixed by the St. Thomas mail agents, who, if carriage on the Royal Mail steamers was required, would also add British stamps.



- 84 ☒ 1872 Folded letter from Matanzas, Cuba to Buenos Aires, hand-carried to St. Thomas and bearing ST. THOMAS 31/12 (1872) c.d.s., franked by Great Britain 4p vermilion, Plate 12, slightly overlapping United States 1870-71 Without Grill 10c brown, tied by single blurred strike of vertical "C83" postmark.
Est. Cash Value \$4,000

A FINE AND ATTRACTIVE MIXED FRANKING.




- 85  Similarly franked folded letter from the same correspondence bearing ST. THOMAS 31/8 1873 c.d.s., Great Britain 4p, Plate 13, both stamps tied by clear "C83" postmark, 10c additionally tied by segmented cork cancel.

Est. Cash Value \$5,000

SUPERB STRIKE. EX BOLLEN



- 86  Identically franked folded letter (side flap tear) from the same correspondence bearing ST. THOMAS 31 9 1873 c.d.s., stamps tied by well defined single strike of Maltese Cross cork cancel, double circle RIO DE JANEIRO 19 OUT 73 receiver on reverse.

Est. Cash Value \$5,000

EX BOLLEN

Havana (C58)

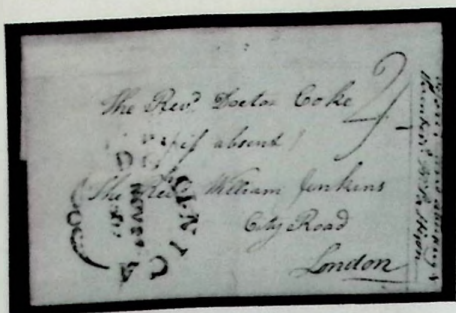
Great Britain-Peru Mixed Usage from Cuba



- 87 ☒ 1865 4p vermillion, Plate 14, wing-margin strip of three, tied by two strikes of "C58" HAVANA JU 5 76 duplex cancel on folded letter sheet with blue merchant's c.d.s., backstamped ST. THOMAS JU 12 77 c.d.s. and on reverse bearing Peru Postage Due 1874-86 10c orange, tied by double circle LIMA 2 JL 77 postmark. Holcombe Cert. (1989) and cover signed by him.

Est. Cash Value \$6,000

UP UNTIL PERU'S ADMISSION TO THE U.P.U. ON APRIL 1, 1879 ALL
MAIL ADDRESSED THERE WAS SUBJECT TO A DELIVERY
CHARGE. A RARE AND ATTRACTIVE MIXED USAGE OF
A BRITISH POST OFFICE ABROAD COVER.



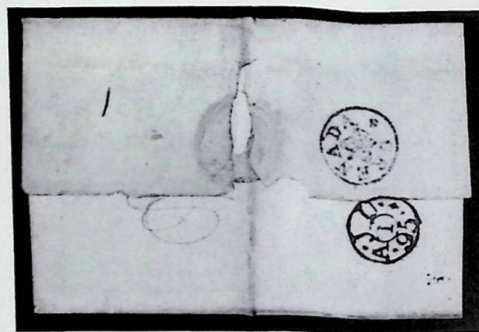
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DOMINICA

- 88 \approx Large portion of folded letter sheet (right flaps missing) bearing very fine strike of DOMINICA NOV 24 1807 large fleuron datestamp, rated "2/—, to London, backstamped red JAN 20 1808 receiver.
Est. Cash Value \$300

DOMINICAN REPUBLIC

- 89 Δ 1858-79 1p rose red, Plate 146, irregular block of six, overlapped to backflap, just tied by clear strikes of vertical "C86" obliterator on lower portion of envelope (tears) bearing red PORTO PLATA PAID (?) 76 c.d.s. and London 13 NO 76 receiver.
Est. Cash Value \$400

EX GLASSCO

- 90 Δ 1860-70 1½p dull rose, Plate 3, irregular block of nine partially separated and overlapped to backflap, tied by vertical "C87" obliterator and red LONDON PAID 28 SE (78) transit on large part of refolded envelope bearing ST. DOMINGO SP (?) 78, to Paris. Rare and spectacular franking. Holcombe Cert. (1989).
Est. Cash Value \$600

GRENADA

- 91 \approx 1795 Folded letter sheet (refolded, filing crease) bearing on reverse fine strike of GRENADA Crown handstamp and Bishop mark, rated "3/8", to Glasgow.
Est. Cash Value \$400

GUADELOUPE

Guadeloupe was a stop on the Royal Mail Steamship Packet Co. service and in conjunction with this a British Packet Agency was opened. Thus, full French foreign postage had to be prepaid as well as the British packet charge.

Guadeloupe Crowned Circle Handstamp



- 92 ☒ **FRENCH COLONIES:** General Issues, 1859-65 Imperf 5c yellow green on greenish, 40c orange on yellowish, strip of three, slightly oxidized, tied by strikes of diamond of dots cancel and red rate ms. "1/—" on neat blue folded letter sheet (filing crease ending in tiny tear) bearing POINTS-A-PITRE 10 JUIL 1863 c.d.s., red Crowned Circle PAID AT GUADELOUPE and STEAMSHIP 10 markings, backstamped double arc red Guadeloupe and black St. Thomas.

Est. Cash Value \$2,500



A HANDSOME AND RARE COVER

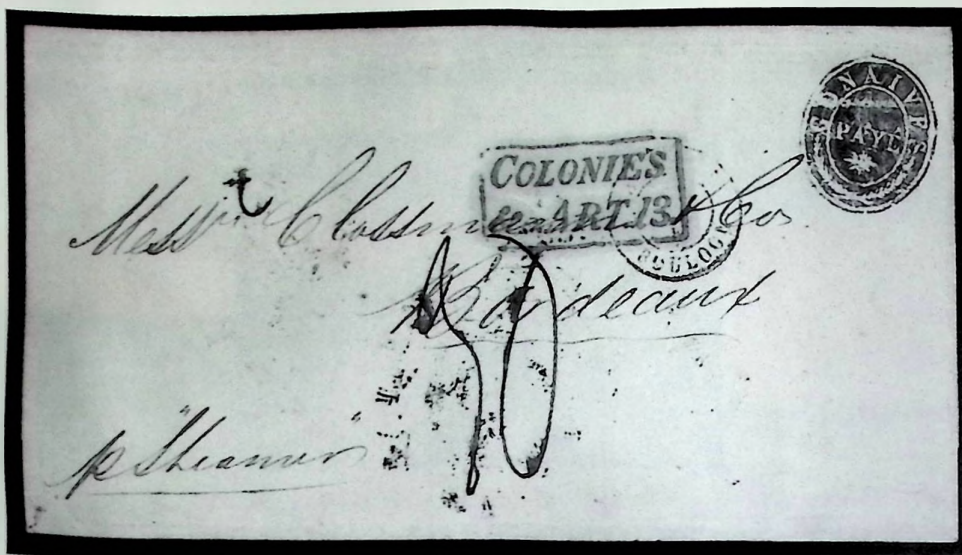
- 93 ☒ **French Colonies** 5c, 10c bistre on yellowish, strip of seven and three singles, 40c vertical pair, large margins to cut in, tied by generally clear strikes of diamond of dots cancel on folded letter sheet (filing crease affecting two singles) bearing POINTS-A-PITRE 10 MAI c.d.s. and black Crowned Circle PAID AT GUADELOUPE postmark, also boxed PD and PANAMA MY 23 68 datestamp, rated red "1/4", backstamps include St. Thomas and Lima receiver. Signed Calves.

Est. Cash Value \$3,500

A SPECTACULAR FRANKING

HAITI

Jacmel (C59)



- 94 ☞ 1847 Oval intaglio GONAIVES PAYE (prepayment of local postage) on neat folded letter sheet bearing red boxed COLONIES & ART. 13. London accountancy mark for unpaid British packet postage and overstruck red double circle BOULOGNE transit, backstamps include superb strike of double arc JACMEL AU 9 1847. Very attractive.

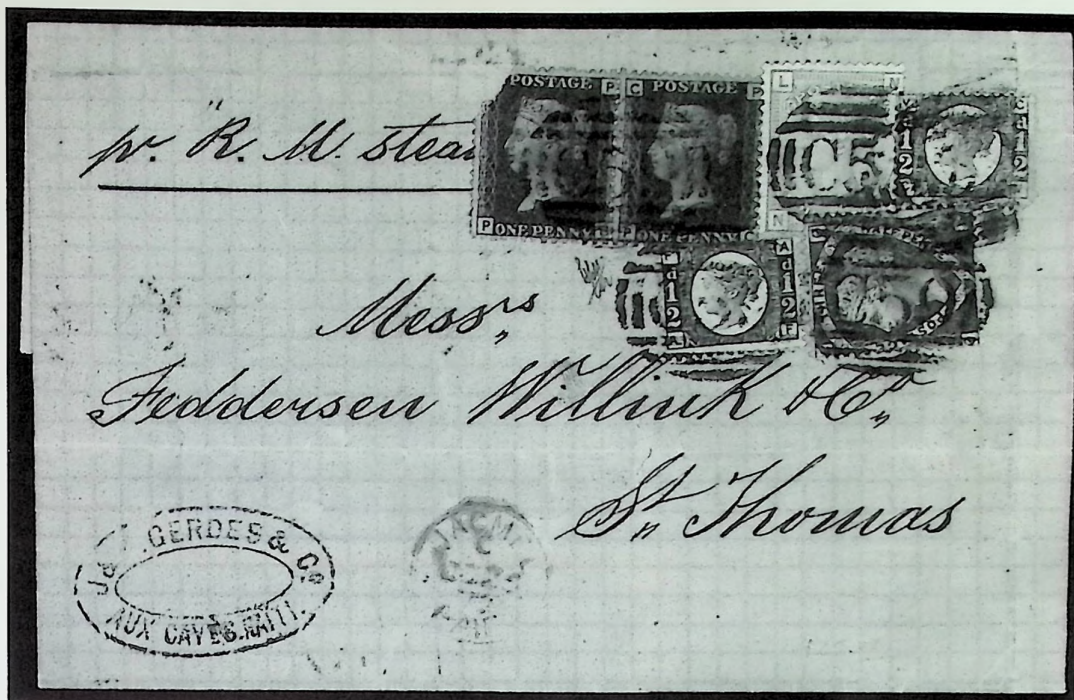
Est. Cash Value \$1,500



- 95 ☞ 1865 4p vermillion, Plate 9, tied by neat "C59" cancel on folded letter struck in red by Crowned Circle PAID AT JACMEL, Jacmel datestamp and ST. THOMAS JA 28 69 receiver on reverse. Holcombe Cert. (1989) and cover signed by him.

Est. Cash Value \$1,250

THE CROWNED CIRCLE HANDSTAMP WAS USED IN CONJUNCTION WITH ADHESIVES DURING 1868-69 AND IS VERY RARE.



- 96 ☒ ½p, Plates 5 and 10, 1p, Plate 174, pair (left stamp faulty), 1½p, Plate 3, 4p pale olive green, Plate 15, all tied by "C59" cancels on folded letter from Aux Cayes bearing faint red JACMEL PAID OC 25 77 c.d.s., backstamped by Danish P.O. ST. THOMAS 28/10 1877 receiver. Holcombe Cert. (1989) and cover signed by him.

Est. Cash Value \$1,000

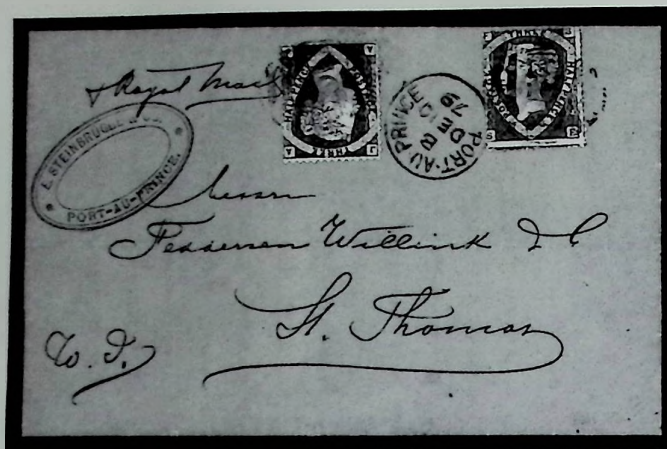
A SPECTACULAR DOUBLE RATE COVER




- 97 ☒ 1876-80 4p pale olive green, Plate 16, wing-margin strip of three, cancelled by two strikes of "C59" postmark on small envelope (exploded, small portion of backflap missing) bearing red JACMEL PAID DE 24 79 c.d.s., Nottingham receiver on reverse, fine and attractive.

Est. Cash Value \$1,000

Port-au-Prince (E53)




- 98  1860-70 1 1/2p, Plate 3, two copies, each tied by strike of vertical "E53" cancel on neat blue folded letter bearing PORT-AU-PRINCE DE10 79 c.d.s., ST. THOMAS 15 12 1879 receiver on reverse, very fine.

Est. Cash Value \$1,000

A 1/2d OVERPAYMENT OF THE 2 1/2d U.P.U. FOREIGN RATE.
EX GLASSCO.



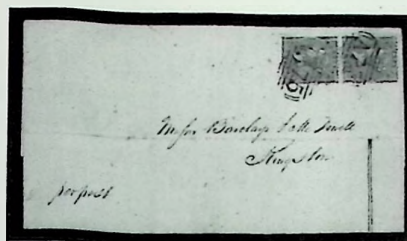
- 99  1864 1p, Plate 218, BLOCK OF TWELVE, tied by clear strikes of vertical "E53" and two strikes of PORT-AU-PRINCE DE 10 79 c.d.s. on reverse of envelope (exploded and tear) to Scotland, block also tied by Glasgow Dec. 29 receiver.

Est. Cash Value \$3,500

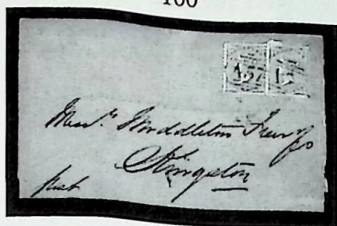
A SPECTACULAR FRANKING AND EQUALLY
SPECTACULAR NINETEEN-DAY DELIVERY. EX GLASSCO



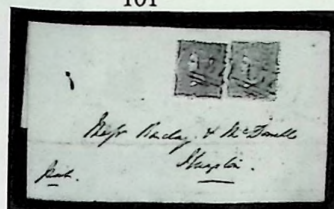
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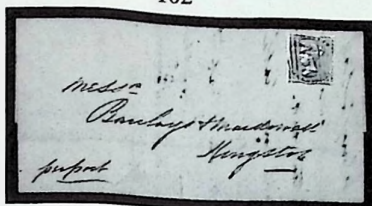
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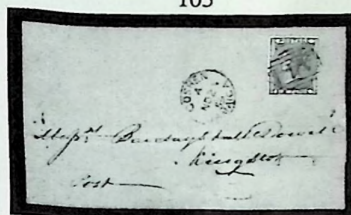
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JAMAICA

- 100 ☒ Printed Prices Current bearing superb strikes of JAMAICA SHIP LETTER and red KINGSTON-JAMAICA PAID OC 30 1850 c.d.s., to United States, rated red ms. "4" and stamped with 10c due marking, very fine.

Est. Cash Value \$750

Savannah-La-Mar

- 101 ☒ 1857 4p rose, vertical pair, tied by clear strikes of "A75" cancel on folded letter sheet postmarked on reverse SAVANNAH-LA-MAR JAMAICA MR 28 1859 and Kingston datestamps. Very fine strikes and scarce cover.

Est. Cash Value \$700

Montego Bay

- 102 ☒ 4p, pair, each stamp cancelled by "A57" postmark on folded letter (some tears) with partly legible backstamp of MONTEGO BAY MR 21 1859 and full Kingston receiver.

Est. Cash Value \$500

EX WINDSOR

- 103 ☒ 4p, two copies, each tied by strike of "A57" cancel on folded letter sheet, backstamped mostly legible MONTEGO BAY 1859 JU 30, to Kingston, fine.

Est. Cash Value \$500

Morant Bay

- 104 ☒ 4p, central vertical strike of "A59" cancel on folded letter backstamped MORANT BAY JAMAICA JU 10 1859, to Kingston, fine.

Est. Cash Value \$400

EX WINDSOR

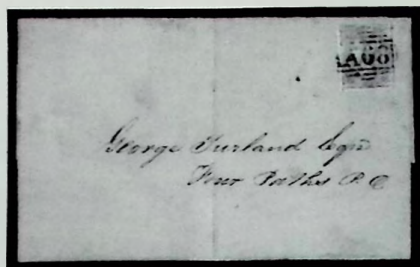
Goshen

- 105 ☒ 1856 6p lilac, tied by light strike of "A44" cancel on folded letter sheet bearing neat GOSHEN JAMAICA NO 29 59 c.d.s., Kingston receiver on reverse, fine.

Est. Cash Value \$300

EX WINDSOR

Porus



- 106 ☞ 4p, tied by central strike of "A68" cancel on folded letter sheet (filing crease) backstamped clear strikes of double arc PORUS JY 3 1860 and CLARENDON JAMAICA postmarks, to FOUR PATHS. *Very rare.*

Est. Cash Value \$400

EX WINDSOR

- 107 ☞ Stampless; group of six folded letters and one letter sheet comprising 1830 Jamaica fleuron, 1835 and 1837 Kingston c.d.s., 1841 red double arc Jamaica Paid, 3 bearing Commercial Rooms markings with 1829 and 1837 straight line types and 1840 c.d.s., nice variety, mixed condition. *Not illustrated.*

Est. Cash Value \$700

- 108 ☞ Group of seven franked items comprising three envelopes and four folded letter sheets of the following: 4p handstamped 1859 and postmarked "A01" Kingston to Moneague, another Kingston to Clarendon, "A57" wing-margin pair, Montego Bay to Spanish Town, "A59" Morant Bay to Kingston, 6p with one handstamp 1858, other 1859, one vertical wing-margin pair, all "A01" to England, most tied, mixed condition. *Four ex Windsor.*

Est. Cash Value \$600

MARTINIQUE



- 109 ☞ 1814 Folded letter (tears, portion of backflap missing) from St. Pierre bearing on reverse very clear strike of straight-line MARTINIQUE handstamp, to France. *Scarce marking from the period of British Occupation.*

Est. Cash Value \$400

MEXICO

Tampico (C63)

Tampico Crowned



- 110 ☒ Mexico Imperf 1856 2r yellow green, good margins and well tied on neat folded letter bearing red Crowned Circle PAID AT TAMPICO (S.G. type CC1b), to Vera Cruz, red ms. "2/—" for a double rate letter, backstamped across flap red double arc TAMPICO 1858 MR 4 cancel, very fine.

Est. Cash Value \$5,000

A RARE COMBINATION ILLUSTRATED IN THE ROBSON LOWE
ENCYCLOPAEDIA, VOLUME V, PAGE 719. EX GLASSCO

Great Britain-Mexico Mixed Frankings



- 111 ☒ Mexico 1868 12c black on green, four-margin copy, tied by double oval FRANCO EN TAMPICO cancel, used with Great Britain 4p, Plate 11, wing-margin, cancelled "C63" (tying both stamps) and additionally tied by double arc TAMPICO DE27 1870 datestamp on folded letter, to Havana, blue merchant's oval upper left, charged "3" in Cuba for local delivery, very fine. Signed Calves.

Est. Cash Value \$3,500

A RARE AND VERY COLORFUL COVER WITH SUPERB STRIKES.
EX GLASSCO



- 112 \approx Mexico 25c blue on pinkish, margins clear to large, tied by double oval FRANCO EN TAMPICO, used with Great Britain 4p, Plate 147, four copies, tied by central strikes of "C63" cancel on folded letter bearing double arc TAMPICO FE27 1872 datestamp, to Guanajuato, very fine.

Est. Cash Value \$5,000

THE USE OF ANY BRITISH ADHESIVES OTHER THAN THE 4d ON MEXICO-GREAT BRITAIN MIXED FRANKINGS IS EXCEPTIONALLY RARE. THE USE OF FOUR ONE PENNY STAMPS IS BELIEVED TO BE UNIQUE. EX KEMPSTER



- 113 \approx Mexico 25c, touched though large margins at sides, tied by double oval FRANCO EN TAMPICO, used with Great Britain 4p, Plate 13, tied by clear strike of "C63" cancel on folded letter sheet bearing double arc TAMPICO SP27 1873 datestamp, to Vera Cruz, very fine. B.P.A. Cert. (1966).

Est. Cash Value \$3,500

Vera Cruz



- 114 ☒ 1861 2r black on pinkish, margins to touched, tied by FRANCO MEXICO 27 NOV c.d.s. on envelope (exploded and slightly reduced, tear on reverse) backstamped by British Packet Agency's double arc VERA-CRUZ DE 2 1863 and red London transit, British postage unpaid and boxed GB1F60c accountancy mark applied, to Paris, Calais 1863 datestamp. Signed A. Diena. Scarce combination.

Est. Cash Value \$1,000



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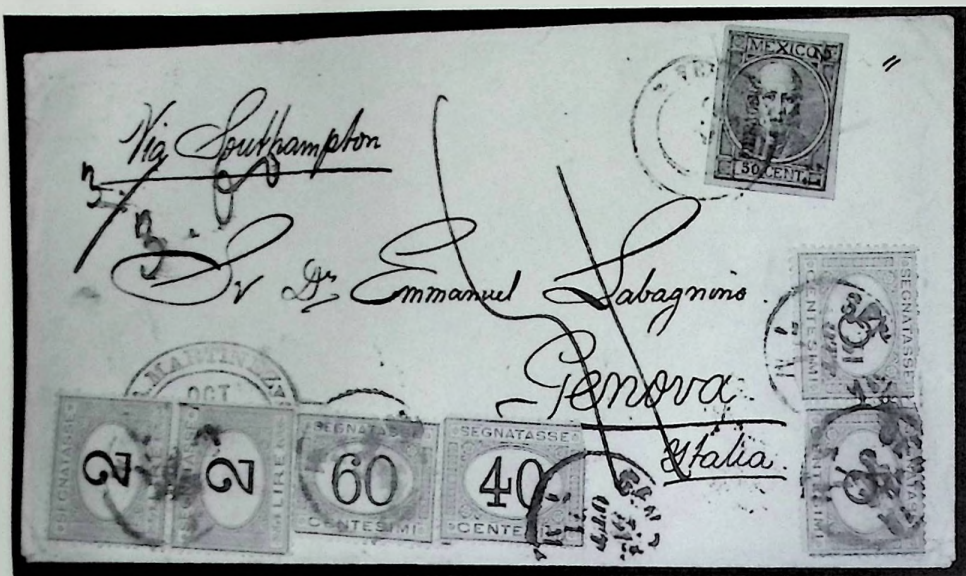
Vera Cruz Crowned Circle Handstamp

- 115 ☒ 1863 Folded letter from Orizaba bearing double oval CORREOS VERA CRUZ FRANCO, additional oval FRANCO and fine strike of Crowned Circle PAID AT VERA CRUZ (S.G. type CC1b), to New York, rated red "1/—" and marked STEAMSHIP 10 in circle, backstamped double arc VERA-CRUZ JA 1 1864, very fine.

Est. Cash Value \$1,000

- 116 ☒ 1866 Folded letter originating in Tlacotalpan, bearing local prepaid postage FRANQUEADO VERA CRUZ JUN 10 and bold Crown Circle PAID AT VERA CRUZ handstamps, to New York, rated red "1/—", datestamp overstruck by STEAMSHIP 10 JUN13 in circle, fine.

Est. Cash Value \$1,000

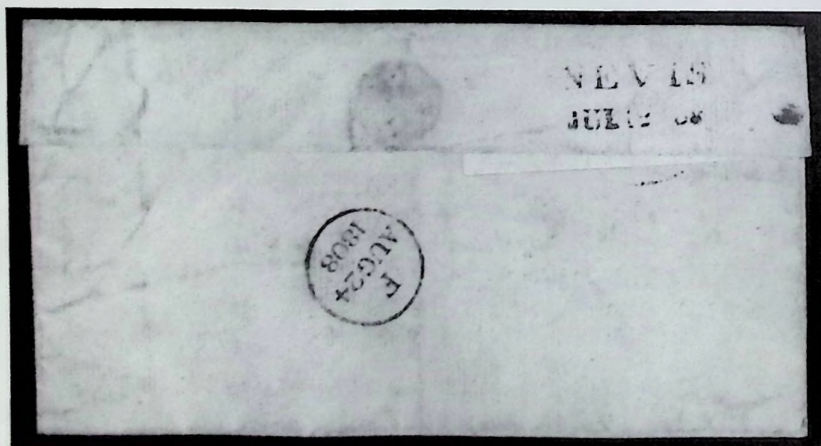


- 117 ☞ 1868 50c black on yellow, large margins, very fine, tied by double circle VERA CRUZ cancel on envelope (reduced at top), blue merchant's oval lower left, to Genoa, British postage unpaid, Italy Postage Due stamps affixed, 5c and 2L, pairs, 40c and 60c, tied by GENOA 31 OTT 71 c.d.s. cancels, backstamped double arc VERA CRUZ OC 2 1871 and red London transits, fine.

Est. Cash Value \$2,000

A SCARCE MIXED USAGE FROM MEXICO

NEVIS



- 118 ☞ 1808 Folded letter sheet bearing on reverse good strike of straight-line NEVIS JUL 12 08 and red London receiver, rates "2/—" on front, fine.

Est. Cash Value \$300

NICARAGUA

Foreign mail from Nicaragua routed through the British P.O. at Greytown had to have the full foreign rate prepaid in Nicaraguan stamps as well as British for the packet rate. It was usual for the British stamps to be affixed over the top of those of Nicaragua.

Great Britain-Nicaragua Mixed Franking



- 119 ☒ Nicaragua 5c black and 25c green, tied by vertical boxed "3/G" struck sideways, overlapping and re-affixed (hinged) by franking of Great Britain 1½p and 1sh orange brown, Plate 13, tied by single strike of GREY-TOWN AU 1(?) 81 c.d.s. on envelope bearing blue double circle CORREOS de NICARAGUA GRANADA AGO 7 1881 postmark and violet merchant's oval at lower left, red London transit and Paris receiver on reverse, very fine. A combination franking of tremendous rarity.

Est. Cash Value \$8,000

ABOUT FIFTEEN NICARAGUA-GREAT BRITAIN MIXED
FRANKINGS ARE KNOWN, NEARLY ALL COMPRISING
THE SAME CORRESPONDENCE TO PARIS.

Lot 120

THE "C57" SINGLE OBLITERATOR



- ☐ Nicaragua 1878-80 Rouletted 10c vermillion and 25c green, each tied by clear strikes of vertical boxed "3/G" postmark, used with Great Britain 4p, Plate 13, tied by superb strike of vertical "C57" obliterator of Greytown, paying postage only to Panama, on envelope from the Pector & Ducoat correspondence from Grenada, postmarked double arc PANAMA JA 5 1882, handstamped "T", ms. "32" and blue "220", Paris receiver on reverse. Holcombe Cert. (1987) and cover signed by him.

Est. Cash Value \$35,000

OF THE ONLY TWO KNOWN EXAMPLES OF THE SINGLE
'C57' OBLITERATOR ON COVER, THIS IS THE UNIQUE USAGE ON A
COMBINATION FRANKING AND THE LAST RECORDED GREYTOWN COVER. A
MOST SIGNIFICANT LATIN AMERICA/BRITISH POST OFFICE RARITY EX BURRUS

PUERTO RICO

San Juan (C61)

San Juan Crowned Circle Handstamp



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- 121 ☒ 1852 Folded letter with fine strike of black Crowned Circle PAID AT SAN JUAN PORTO RICO (S.G. type CC1a, also offset example on reverse), red strikes of London PAID, PP on oval and CALAIS 4 NOV 52 transit, with handstamped orange Madrid receiver and 10.R charge, appropriately backstamped including double arc SAN JUAN PORTO-RICO OC 14 1852, fine *Colorful and scarce cover.*

Est. Cash Value \$800

- 122 ☒ Cuba/Puerto Rico 1857 Imperf 1/2r p blue, margins all round, tied by oval mute cancel on folded letter bearing a fine strike of red Crowned Circle PAID AT SAN JUAN PORTO RICO and STEAMSHIP 10 in circle, blue merchant's oval lower left, to New York, backstamped partial double arc San Juan transit and KINGSTON JAMAICA MY 4 61 c.d.s., fine.

Est. Cash Value \$500

- 123 ☒ 1861 Folded letter bearing a fine strike of red Crowned Circle PAID AT SAN JUAN PORTO RICO, to New York, rated red "1/—", double circle BOSTON JUL 29 postmark and 5 due marking, backstamped double arcs of San Juan and St. Thomas. *Fine and attractive.*

Est. Cash Value \$400

- 124 ☒ Cuba/Puerto Rico 1862-64 1r green, sheet margin vertical pair, margins other sides, tied by mute oval cancel on envelope (portions of the two back flaps missing, not affecting postmarks) bearing framed FRANCO and pretty blue double circle PONCE PUERTO RICO 9 MAY 65 postmark, to Bordeaux via London, unpaid British postage indicated by clear strike of boxed GB 1F60c accountancy mark, also French transits and ms. "16" due, appropriate transits and receiver on reverse. Holcombe Cert. (1989) and cover signed by him. *Scarce and fine example of partial payment franked cover.*

Est. Cash Value \$1,500

Lot 125

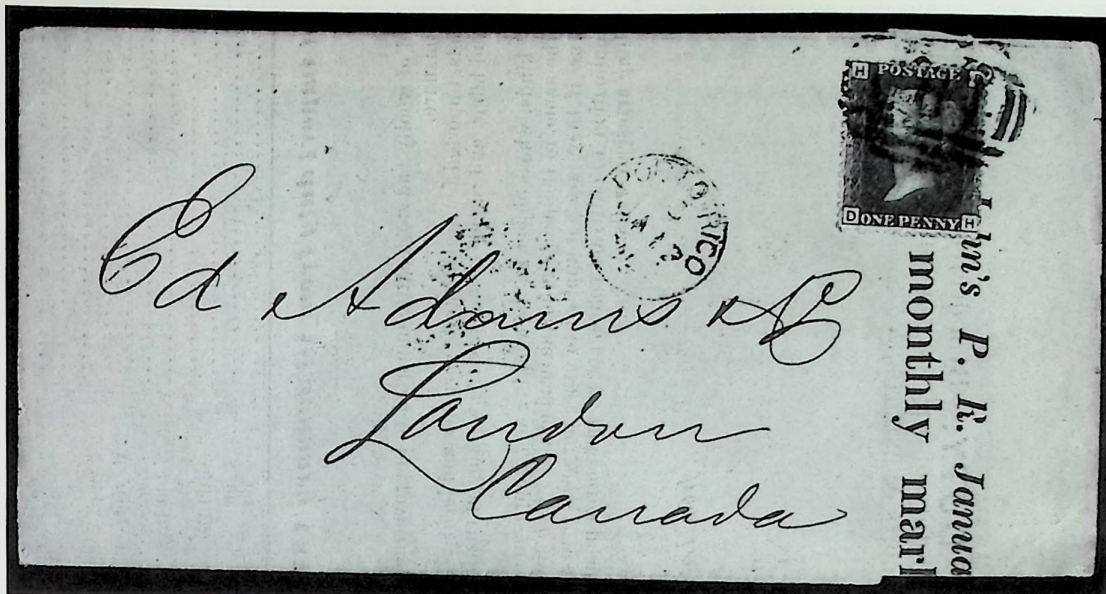
Great Britain-Puerto Rico Mixed Usage



- ☒ Great Britain 4p, Plate 13, tied by clear strike of "C51" ST. THOMAS PAID AU16 73 duplex cancel with Cuba/Puerto Rico 1873 25c gray, pair, tied by oval ADMN. GENL. DE CORREOS DE LA YSLA DE PTO. RICO fancy cancel on folded letter, to San Juan, handstamped "2" (reales) local delivery charge, backstamped double circle PORTO RICO. Graus Cert.

Est. Cash Value \$25,000

A MOST SIGNIFICANT AND RARE COVER AS ONLY FOUR COMBINATION
GREAT BRITAIN-PUERTO RICO FRANKED COVERS ARE
RECORDED. EX SUBASTOS CATALOGUE



126 ☒ 1p, Plate 175, creased, tied by "C61" cancel on printed Prices Current bearing PORTO-RICO JA 17 1875 c.d.s., Montreal transit and London, Ontario receiver on reverse.

Est. Cash Value \$600

THE VERY SCARCE 1d PRINTED MATTER RATE

Mayaguez (F85)




127 ☒ ½p, Plates 6, 11 and 15, 1sh, Plate 12, tied by strikes of vertical "F85" cancel on folded letter sheet bearing MAYAGUEZ PORTO-RICO PAID SP23 76 c.d.s. and red London PAID, blue merchant's handstamp lower left, partial Genoa receiver on reverse.

Est. Cash Value \$600

Double Usage of British Numeral Cancels

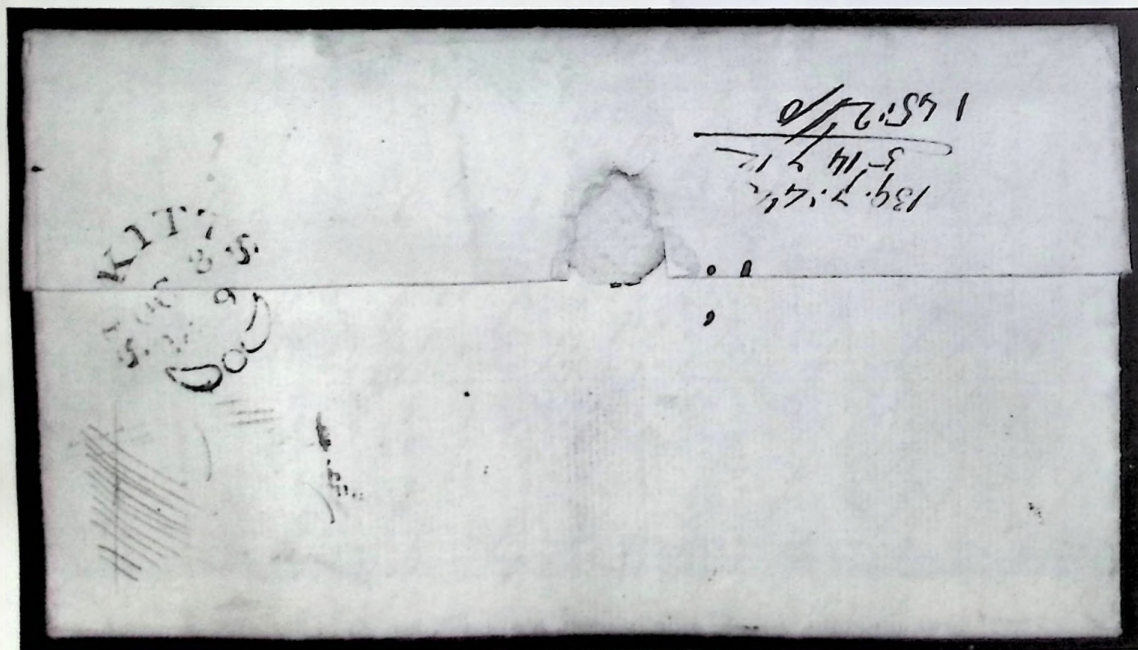



- 128  2p, Plate 14, two copies, 4p, Plate 14, 1sh, Plate 12, pair, 4p and 1sh stamps tied by light strikes of "F85" cancel and postmarked MAYAGUEZ PORTO-RICO NO25 75 c.d.s., 2p stamps tied by neat strike of "C51" of St. Thomas, prepaying the 2/8p double rate, on folded letter bearing red London PAID marking and blue merchant's c.d.s. of Mayaguez, Genoa receiver on reverse. Holcombe Cert. (1989) and cover signed by him and A. Diena.

Est. Cash Value \$8,000

*THE USE OF TWO DIFFERENT NUMERAL CANCELS
IS EXCEEDINGLY RARE.*

ST. CHRISTOPHER



- 129  1829 Folded letter bearing on reverse clear strike of ST. KITTS OC 8 18(2)9 fleuron datestamp, to England.

Est. Cash Value \$150

ST. THOMAS

St. Thomas Crowned Circle Handstamp



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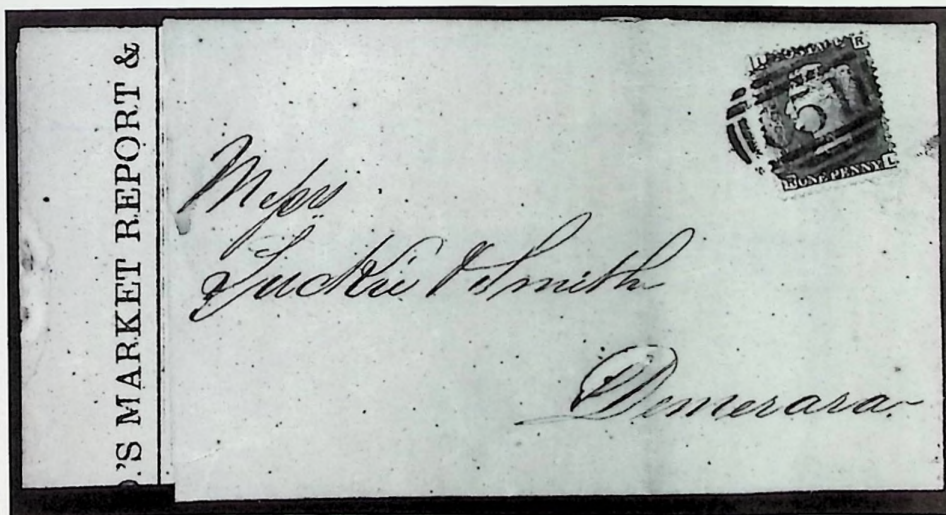
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- 130 ☒ 1862 Folded letter bearing fine strike of red Crowned Circle PAID AT ST. THOMAS, rated "4", backstamped double arc ST. THOMAS DE31 1862 transit and KINGSTON-JAMAICA JA 5 63 receiver.

Est. Cash Value \$300

- 131 ☒ 2p, Plate 9, pair, 1sh, Plate 4, tied by two strikes of "C51" cancel on envelope (portion of backflap missing) bearing red LONDON PAID 14 DE 65 transit and PD in oval, double circle Calais postmark, backstamped ST. THOMAS NO 28 65 c.d.s. and Dec 16 Bordeaux receiver.

Est. Cash Value \$1,000



- 132 ☒ 1p, Plate 81, tied by very fine strike of "C51" postmark on printed Prices Current (some damage from acid ink), to British Guiana, backstamped ST. THOMAS MY 15 68 c.d.s.

Est. Cash Value \$800

THE VERY SCARCE 1d PRINTED MATTER RATE.

Used to Vera Cruz, from Maracaibo via Curaçao and St. Thomas

- 133 ☞ 4p, Plate 13, tied by superb strike of "C51" ST. THOMAS PAID AU15 73 duplex cancel on folded letter sheet docketed Maracaibo July 25, 1873 which entered mails and was postmarked CURAÇAO 7/8 1873 c.d.s., also marked ms. "Care of his honorable J. Capp" (forwarding agent), transited St. Thomas, handstamped straight-line FRANCO on arrival in Vera Cruz. Holcombe Cert. (1990) and cover signed by him.

Est. Cash Value \$6,000

A MOST IMPRESSIVE AND UNUSUAL TRIPLE COUNTRY ROUTING.



- 134 ☞ Group of three items, comprising stampless envelope to Bordeaux handstamped framed GBIF60c accountancy mark, numerous backstamps including double arc ST. THOMAS MR2 1862 and Cuba forwarding agent's oval, 4p, Plate 15, tied by very fine strike of "C51" ST. THOMAS PAID SP16 76 on envelope, Tobago receiver on reverse, 4p, Plate 13, wing-margin strip of 3, tied by two strikes of "C51" ST. THOMAS PAID AU28 73 on front to LONDON, handstamped red PAID and blue St. Thomas merchant's oval, mixed condition. *Not illustrated.*

Est. Cash Value \$400

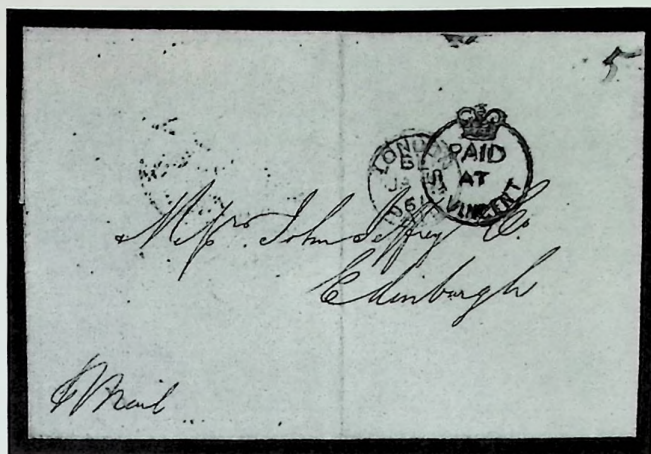
ST. VINCENT



- 135 ☞ 1828 Folded letter sheet bearing on reverse fine strike of large fleuron (second state, final "s" excised) ST. VINCENT JUL27 28, red London receiver, rated "2/2" on front.

Est. Cash Value \$200

St. Vincent Crowned Circle Handstamp



- 136 ☒ 1861 Folded letter bearing clear brilliant red strike of Crowned Circle PAID AT ST. VINCENT overstruck by red LONDON PAID JA (?) 61 c.d.s. and "5", backstamped ST. VINCENT JA 12 61 c.d.s. and blue Edinburgh receiver. Scarce late usage following local postal autonomy prior to receipt of postage stamps.
Est. Cash Value \$1,000

SALVADOR

Salvador Mail via Panama



- 137 ☒ 1862 Folded letter sheet bearing fine clear strike of blue ADMINISTRACION GENERAL DE CORREOS SALVADOR 11 ABRIL 1862 c.d.s. and red framed FRANCO, handstamped PANAMA 22 MY 1862 TRANSIT, framed London GB 2F87 5/10c accountancy mark and Calais transit, Le Havre receiver on reverse.
Est. Cash Value \$1,500

A FINE USAGE.

EX DE VOSS, BOLLEN AND KEMPSTER



- 138 Salvador 1867 1r red, pair, tied by two neat strikes of blue mute cancel and PANAMA 30AU 1867 TRANSIT handstamp on envelope (some staining cleaned around stamps), British postage unpaid, rated "2/—" for double rate letter, red London receiver on reverse. Holcombe Cert. (1989) and cover signed by him.

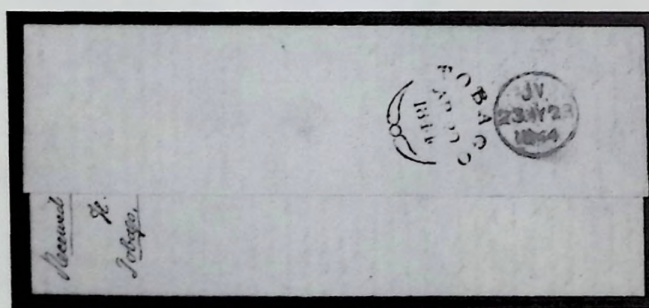
Est. Cash Value \$5,000

VERY FEW FIRST ISSUE COVERS ARE KNOWN
USED TO FOREIGN DESTINATIONS. VERY ATTRACTIVE

TOBAGO



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- 139 1805 Folded letter bearing neat strike of straight-line TOBAGO 16MAR 1805 handstamp, faint red Bishop mark, rated "2/4", red Edinburgh receiver on reverse, very fine.

Est. Cash Value \$250

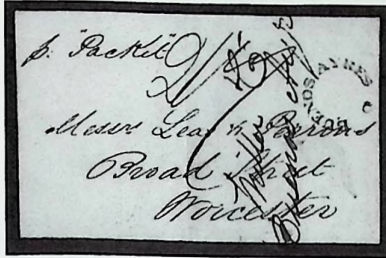
- 140 1844 Folded letter bearing on reverse superb strike of large fleuron TOBAGO AP 20 1844 and red London receiver, very fine.

Est. Cash Value \$250

BRITISH POST OFFICES IN SOUTH AMERICA

ARGENTINA

It was the common practice of the Argentine Post Office to bag foreign mail shipped through the British Post Office at Buenos Ayres. Consequently mixed frankings with Argentine stamps for local postage in combination with British stamps generally show the British stamps cancelled on arrival in the United Kingdom.



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- 141 ☒ 1849 Folded letter bearing fine strike of red circular BUENOS AYRES, rated "2/7", WORCESTER JA 14 1850 receiver on reverse. Scarce marking.

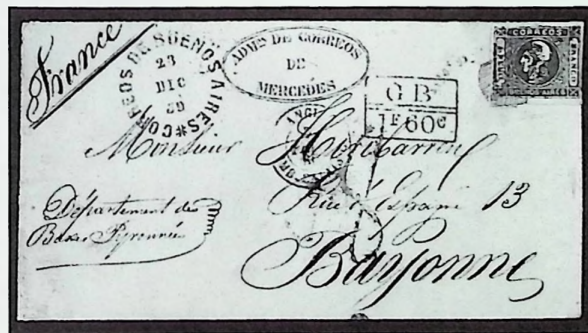
Est. Cash Value \$500

- 142 ☒ 1867 5sh rose, Plate 1, pair, each cancelled by neat strike of "B32" postmark, right stamp small tear, fine.

Est. Cash Value \$400

EX GLASSCO

Buenos Ayres External Cover Routed Via the British Packet Agency



- 143 ☒ Buenos Ayres 1859 1p blue, good to large margins, tied by faint black postmark and blue grid on envelope (minor repairs, small portion of back flap missing, not mentioned in certificate or affecting backstamps) bearing blue oval ADMON DE CORREOS DE MERCEDES marking, CORREOS DE BUENOS AIRES 28 DIC 59 c.d.s. and framed GBIF 60c accountancy mark for British unpaid postage applied in London, numerous backstamps including bluish double arc of Buenos Ayres and Bayonne, France receiver. Foundation Cert. (1980).

Est. Cash Value \$3,000

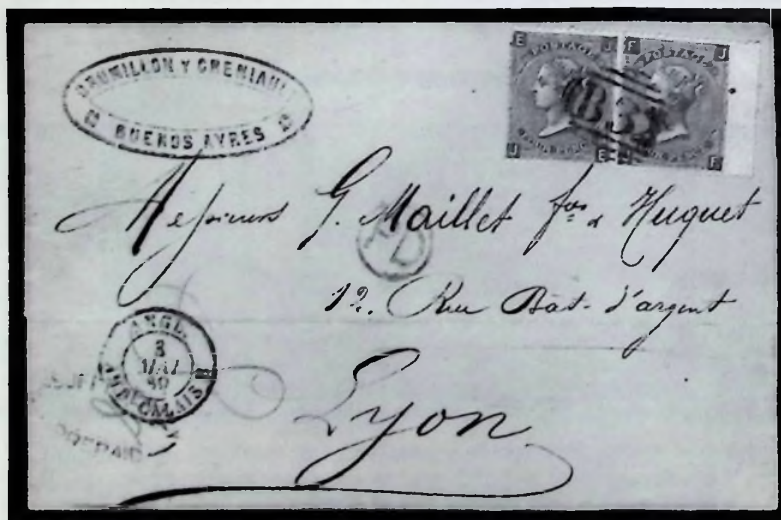
A VERY RARE BUENOS AYRES COVER
CANCELLED AT THE BRITISH PACKET AGENCY.

Great Britain-Argentina Mixed Franking



- 144 Δ Argentina 1867-68 5c vermillion, tied by double circle BUENOS AYRES 2(?) FEB 68 postmark red PAID LONDON-SHIP-LETTER AP 11 68 c.d.s., used with Great Britain 2p, Plate 9, 4p, Plate 4, pair, each stamp postmarked "50" in oval grid on front to Montauban, France, bearing red oval PD and Calais transit.

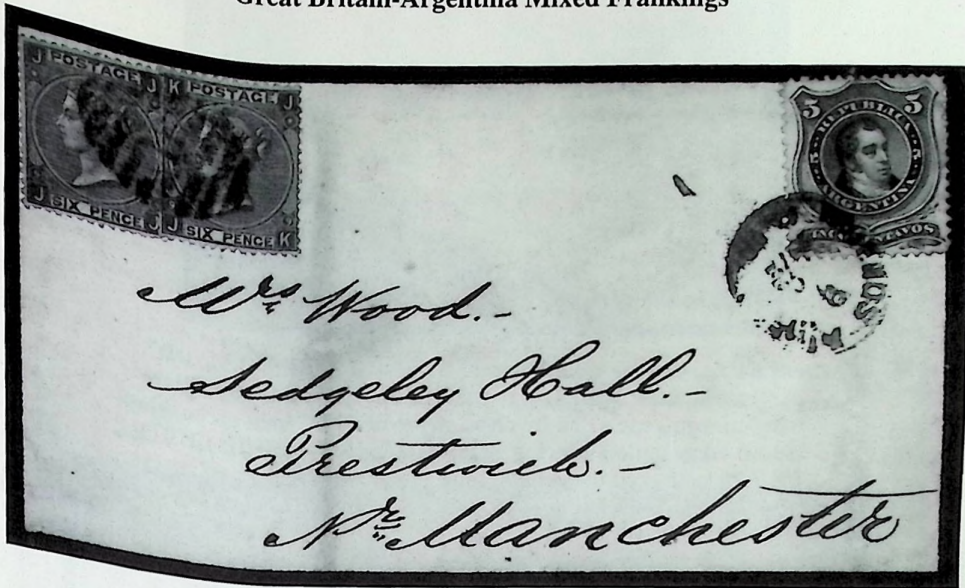
Est. Cash Value \$500



- 145 ☐ 1865 4p, Plate 10, wing-margin pair, cancelled by central strike of "B32" cancel on folded letter bearing oval INSUFFICIENTLY PREPAID handstamp framing ms. "8", red PD in circle and Calais transit, backstamped BUENOS-AYRES MR 27 69 c.d.s., appropriate transits and Lyon receiver. Fine and very attractive.

Est. Cash Value \$800

Great Britain-Argentina Mixed Frankings



146 ☒

Argentina 1867-68 5c, tied by BUENOS AIRES O.M. (Marine Office) (?) 1872 c.d.s., used with Great Britain 6p, Plate 9, two copies cancelled by central strike of "11" in oval grid on mourning envelope (light stain), Manchester 11 Feb. 1872 receiver on reverse.

Est. Cash Value \$1,000

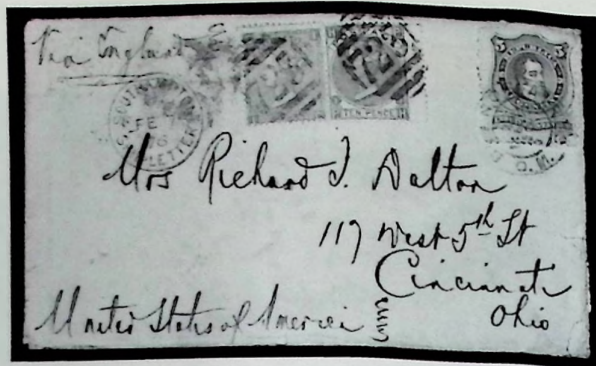


147 ☒

Argentina 1873 1c purple, 4c brown, tied by strikes of BUENOS AYRES 10 SET 1875 c.d.s., octagonal BUENOS AYRES PAQ. FR. J No. 1 datestamp and framed vertical FR 2F20c accountancy marks, used with Great Britain 1s, Plate 10, tied by light postmark and cancelled by single pen stroke on envelope (light staining), with enclosure, red London backstamps.

Est. Cash Value \$1,500

A SCARCE COVER CARRIED BY FRENCH MAILBOAT.



- 148 ☐ Argentina 5c, tied by double circle BUENOS AIRES O.M. DIC 23 postmark, used with Great Britain 4p, Plate 14, 10p, Plate 1, wing-margin, each tied by clear strike of "723" grid on envelope (small edge faults) bearing SOUTHAMPTON SHIP-LETTER FE 776 c.d.s., red transit and blue Cincinnati receiver on reverse. Although marked as a ship letter, the cover is rated as a packet letter.

Est. Cash Value \$ 1,500



- 149 ☐ Argentina 1876-77 Rouletted 8c lake (defective), tied by double circle BUENOS AIRES O.M. MAY 9 1877 postmark, used with Great Britain 6p, Plate 15, tied by clear "723" obliterator on envelope (small repairs and piece missing from side flap) bearing SOUTHAMPTON SHIP-LETTER JU6 77 c.d.s., Paisley, Scotland receiver on reverse.

Est. Cash Value \$1,250

FINE AND SCARCE COVER. EX KEMPSTER



- 150 ☐ Argentina 8c, tied by boxed BUENOS AIRES (O.M.) 18 DIC (1877) postmark, used with Great Britain 1p, Plate 167, 6p, Plate 15, indistinct cancels but tied by red double circle CALAIS 18 JAN 78 transit on envelope bearing T handstamp and ms. "6", red London transit and Grenoble receiver on reverse. Behr Cert. (1991).

Est. Cash Value \$1,500

BOLIVIA125

Unpaid Mail Routed via Peru



- 151 ☒ 1878 Stampless envelope from Antofagasta bearing fancy double-lined oval CANCELADO, framed FRANCA and boxed UNPAID, plus unusual 1s/5d handstamp all on front, British Agency CALLAO SP28 78 c.d.s. and native Callao handstamp, London and Cologne transits, Trier, Germany receiver all on reverse.

Est. Cash Value \$3,500

AN EXTREMELY RARE COMBINATION STAMPLESS USAGE.

Lot 152

Great Britain-Bolivia Mixed Franking



- ☞ Bolivia 1867-68 Condor 5c yellow-green, pair, good to large margins except touched at upper left, used with Great Britain 1sh, Plate 4, wing-margin, all tied by full clear strikes of "C39" obliterator on printed envelope bearing faint (COBIJA) JA (24) 68 and (PANAMA) JA 29 68 c.d.s. cancels, handstamped 10 and San Francisco arrival marking. Royal and Behr Certs. (1971 and 1991, respectively).

Est. Cash Value \$40,000

THE BETTER OF THE TWO RECORDED GREAT BRITAIN-BOLIVIA MIXED FRANKINGS, THIS COVER IS OF MUCH GREATER SIGNIFICANCE HAVING THE BOLIVIAN PAIR TIED AND CANCELLED AT THE BRITISH POST OFFICE. UNQUESTIONABLY ONE OF THE MOST IMPORTANT COVERS OF BRITISH USED ABROAD AND SOUTH AMERICAN PHILATELY. RATED BY MANY EXPERTS AS THE ONE OF THE FINEST, IF NOT THE FINEST, BRITISH POST OFFICE IMPERFORATE COMBINATION COVERS IN EXISTENCE.

BRAZIL

Bahia (C81)



- 153 ○ 1864 1p rose red, Plate 140, BLOCK OF TWELVE, vertical "C81" cancels, minor faults. *Fine and scarce multiple.*

Est. Cash Value \$1,000

Rio de Janeiro

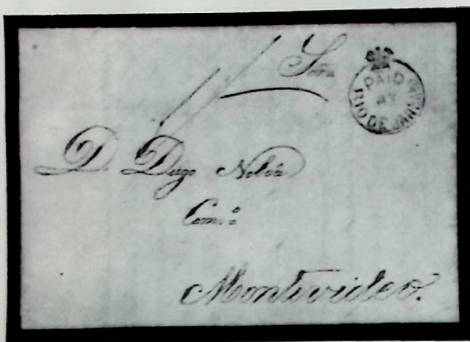


- 154 ☒ Brazil 1850 Imperf 180r black, large margins, very fine, tied by red oval INSUFICIENTE handstamp on reverse of small envelope bearing double arc RIO-JANEIRO FE1(?) 1854 British Agency postmark, red London transit and Avignon, France receiver, British postage unpaid and handstamped on front by red boxed COLONIES &c. ART. 13. accountancy mark and Calais transit.

Est. Cash Value \$1,500

COVERS BEARING THE FIRST ISSUES OF BRAZIL AND PASSING THROUGH THE BRITISH PACKET AGENCIES ARE VERY SCARCE.

Rio De Janeiro Crowned Circle Handstamp



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- 155 ≈ 1862 Folded letter bearing fine strike of Crowned Circle PAID AT RIO DE JANEIRO, rated red "1/—", to Montevideo, RIO-DE-JANEIRO NO 7 62 c.d.s. on reverse.

Est. Cash Value \$250

- 156 ≈ Brazil 1861 280r red, large margins, very fine, tied by neat dotted grid cancel on folded letter bearing RIO-DE-JANEIRO DE 67 14 (in error) c.d.s., red double circle BRÉSIL MARSEILLES French packet datestamp and ms. "16", Paris receiver on reverse. Signed Miro.

Est. Cash Value \$750

MAIL SENT THROUGH THE BRITISH PACKET AGENCY
BUT CARRIED BY FRENCH PACKETS IS UNUSUAL.

- 157 ≈ Group of nine stampless items, 4 folded letters, 5 letter sheets, showing British postage unpaid, comprising 1857 to France and Pernambuco double arc c.d.s., 1862 to France with Pernambuco c.d.s., 1841 and 1842 to London, 1866 to France and 1859 to Lisbon with Rio Janeiro double arc c.d.s., 1869 to France with Rio de Janeiro c.d.s., 1857 to London with Bahia double arc c.d.s. and 1873 to France with Bahia c.d.s., those to France bear the appropriate accountancy markings, generally fine. *Not Illustrated.*

Est. Cash Value \$1,000

- 158 ≈ Group of three franked items, comprising 4p, Plate 10, tied by superb strike of "C83" and postmarked red RIO-DE-JANEIRO PAID FE 4 69 c.d.s. on folded letter sheet to Buenos Aires, 4p, Plate 13, three copies (one wing-margin), tied by strikes of "C82" (Pernambuco) on envelope, transits and 1873 Stretford, England receiver, 1sh, Plate 8, tied by "C83" and postmarked red RIO-DE-JANEIRO PAID FE22 74 c.d.s., London receiver, mixed condition. *Not Illustrated.*

Est. Cash Value \$500

CHILE

Chilean stamps were used in combination with British adhesives for the prepayment of Chilean postage into the British Packet Agencies. These stamps were often cancelled in transit or upon arrival in England, suggesting the Chilean Post Office delivered closed bags directly to the mailboats. Of the twelve recorded Chile-Great Britain mixed frankings, six are in this sale.

GREAT BRITAIN-CHILE COMBINATION COVERS

Caldera (C37)



- 159 ☒ Chile 1867 10c blue, tied by CANCELLED barred oval postmark, used with Great Britain 1sh, Plate 10 (faulty wing-margin) overlapped by 6p, Plate 13, tied by strike of blue "C37" horizontal bar oval postmark and unclear "C38" (Callao, Peru) vertical bar cancel on small envelope bearing faint double circle COPIAPO datestamp and very fine strike of CALDERA MY4 75 c.d.s., both in blue, ms. "Via Panama", to Edinburgh, backstamped Callao transit and EDINR-CARLISLE SORTING TENDER receiver.

Est. Cash Value \$5,000

EX WINDSOR



Callao (C38)

- 160 ☒ Chile 1867 5c red, tied by cork cancel and filing crease, used with Great Britain 6p, Plate 14, strip of three, tied by strikes of vertical "C38" postmark on folded letter sheet (portions of addressee missing, not mentioned in certificate) bearing red double circle CARRIZAL-BAJO CHILE 3 MAYO (75) and London PAID datestamp, CALLAO MY12 75 transit on reverse. Photo-copy of B.P.A. Cert. (1992).

Est. Cash Value \$5,000

Peru Occupation Period

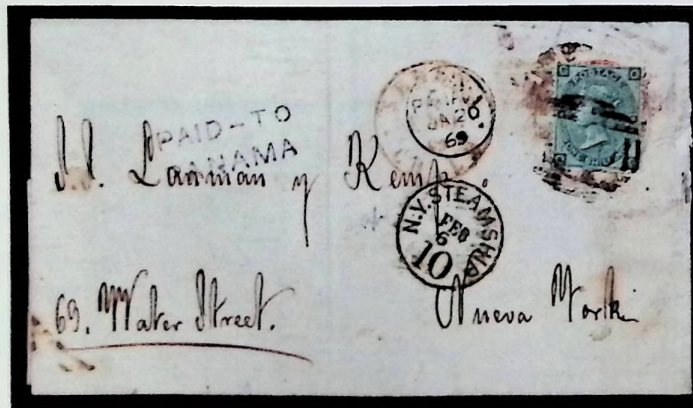
Pisagua and Panama (C35)



- 161 ☞ Chile 1877 2c orange, strip of five, used with Great Britain 1sh, Plate 13, tied by fine strike of "C35" PANAMA TRANSIT AU 30 80 duplex cancel on printed envelope (portion of address cut out, few tone spots) bearing on reverse red wax seal of Pisagua handstamped by Great Britain indistinct "C" numeral, clear Liverpool receiver on backflap.

Est. Cash Value \$10,000

AS PISAGUA WAS, AT THIS TIME, IN CHILE-OCCUPIED PERU, THIS COVER MAY BE OF UNIQUE USAGE AND THE ONLY COMBINATION OVER BEARING MULTIPLE STAMPS OF CHILE. EX GLASSCO



Valparaiso (C30)

- 162 ☞ Chile 1867 5c red, tied by cork cancel and surmounted by franking of Great Britain 1sh, Plate 4 (both stamps faulty), tied by light strike of "C30" postmark on folded letter (small tear) bearing red double circle SERENA CHILE (?) 69 datestamp, straight-line PAID-TO PANAMA and PANAMA JA20 69 c.d.s., to New York with N.Y. STEAMSHIP 10 FEB 6 in circle marking. B.P.A. Cert. (1981). Rare mixed franking.

Est. Cash Value \$4,000

Combination Usage Via Cape Horn

- 163 ☒ Chile 5c red, two copies, tied by unclear strikes of CANCELLED barred oval postmark, used with Great Britain 1sh, Plate 12, wing-margin, tied by very fine strike of "466" (Liverpool) arrival pmk on envelope (tear on reverse) bearing red double circle CONCEPCION CHILE (?) FEB 76 and PAID LIVERPOOL PS. PACKET 16 AP 76 in circle handstamps, backstamped red double circle VALPARAISO 21 FEB 76 transit and Irvine, Scotland receiver. *Colorful and rare cover.*

Est. Cash Value \$5,000

*THE PACIFIC STEAM NAVIGATION CO. PROVIDED A CHEAPER
(1/-PER OZ.) BUT SLOWER ALTERNATIVE SERVICE VIA CAPE HORN.*



- 164 ☒ Chile 1877 Rouletted 10c blue, tied by double circle LOTA CHILE 11 OCT 1878 postmark, used with Great Britain 6p, Plate 15, wing-margin pair, tied by "FB" (Foreign Branch) obliterator on arrival in London on envelope (backflap tear), with enclosure, Berkeley, England receiver on reverse. B.P.A. Cert. (1975).

Est. Cash Value \$5,000






- 166 ☹ 1p, Plate 72 (faulty), 1862 4p vermilion, 1sh, Plate 4, wing-margin pair, tied by two bold strikes of "C37" obliterator on envelope bearing CALDERA 6 handstamp, interlocking red markings of London PAID 18 MR 67, PD in circle and "3d", framed Bremen receiver on reverse.

EX GLASSCO

Est. Cash Value \$250

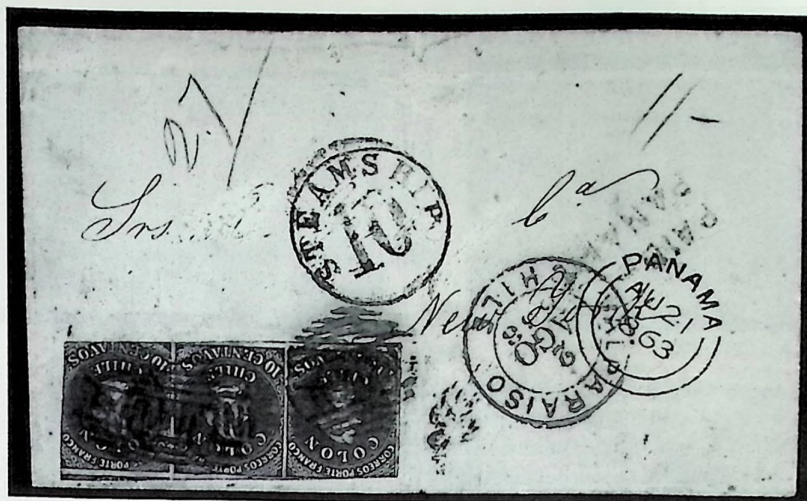


- 168  **Chile 1853 London Print** blue paper 5c brown red, good to large margins, barely tied by perfect strike of mute target cancel, plus clear strike of brilliant red double circle CALAIS 6 DEC 53 transit on folded letter (light toning around filing crease, not mentioned in certificate) bearing red SANTIAGO 14 OBRE 53 c.d.s., backstamped double arc VALPARAISO OC 15 1853, London and Paris transits, Bordeaux receiver. Holcombe Cert. (1983) and cover signed (partly creased) by him. *British postage apparently unpaid, but no accountancy marks were applied.*

Est. Cash Value \$4,000

*FIRST ISSUE CHILE COVERS USED WITH BRITISH PACKET AGENCY
MARKINGS ARE EXTREMELY SCARCE. A BEAUTIFUL COVER.*

EX BLANK



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- 169 ☒ Chile 1856-62 10c deep blue, strip of three affixed contrarily, large margins to cut in, tied by strikes of CANCELLED barred oval postmarks on folded letter sheet (some faults) bearing double circle VALPARAISO CHILE 2 AGO 1863, two-line PAID-TO PANAMA and rated ms. "1/-", all in red, also British Agency double arc PANAMA AU12 1863 and STEAMSHIP 10 in circle handstamps, to New York, unclear double arc Valparaíso transit on reverse. *Scarce combination.*

Est. Cash Value \$800

- 170 ☒ Chile 1856-62 5c carmine red, good margins to barely touched, tied by light strike of CANCELLED barred oval postmark on envelope (exploded, torn backflap) bearing red double circle SANTIAGO CHILE 22 NOV 1864 handstamp, very clear framed GB 2F 87 5/10c accountancy mark for unpaid British postage and Calais transit, numerous backstamps including double circle LIMA 28 NOV 64 and British Agency CALLAO FE 13 65 postmarks, Bordeaux 18 MAR 65 receiver. *Apparently a difficult four month crossing.*

Est. Cash Value \$600

- 171 ○田 1867 5sh rose, Plate 2, BLOCK OF FOUR, each stamp cancelled by fine strike of vertical "C30" postmark, separation at top and small faults, fine appearance.

Est. Cash Value \$500

PURPORTEDLY THE UNIQUE BLOCK.
EX GLASSCO, BOLLEN AND KEMPSTER



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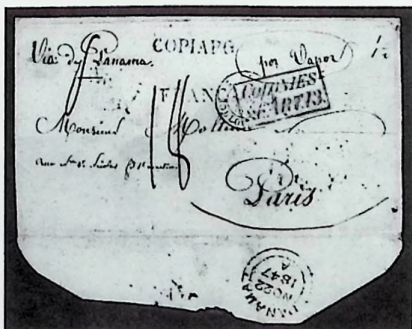
- 177 ☒ Chile 1867 5c red, 20c green, tied by strikes of CANCELLED barred oval postmarks (latter additionally tied by vertical cover crease) on neat folded letter bearing faint red double circle SAN FELIPE CHILE 13 OCT. 69 datestamp overstruck by PANAMA-TRANSIT NO 3 69 c.d.s., also handstamped large "24" (U.S. currency) and New York U.S. 42 NOTE, S NOV 24 in circle.

Est. Cash Value \$300

THE EARLIEST RECORDED DATE FOR THE "24" HANDSTAMP.

- 178 ☒ Chile 1867 5c red, pair, tied by two excellent strikes of CANCELLED in barred oval postmark on envelope (small tear, creasing) bearing fine strike of red double circle CHILLAN CHILE 17 AGTO. 73 handstamp, ms. rate "1/6", backstamped CALLAO SP 6 73 transit and London receiver. *Very attractive.*

Est. Cash Value \$400



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COLOMBIA

Panama (C35)

- 179 △ Fine strikes of straight-line COPIAPO and FRANCA on envelope front (with portions of backflaps) to Paris, also bearing French transit, plus framed COLONIES &c.ART. 13. handstamp, London JA 3 1848 and double arc PANAMA NO 22 1847 A transits on reverse. All markings in red.

Est. Cash Value \$1,000

THE EARLIEST KNOWN DATE OF THE PANAMA CODE "A"
DATESTAMP AND THE ONLY RECORDED USAGE IN RED.

Panama Crowned Circle Handstamp

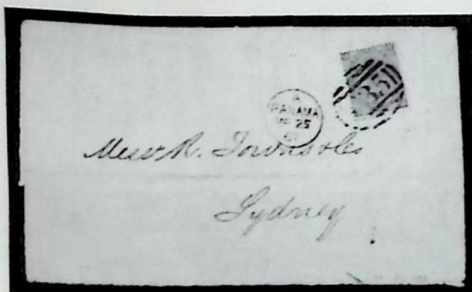
- 180 ☒ 1863 Folded letter bearing very fine strike of red Crowned Circle PAID AT PANAMA handstamp, LONDON PAID NO 30 63 and French transit markings, backstamped double arc PANAMA NO 7 1863 and Bordeaux receivers, fine.

Est. Cash Value \$1,000



- 181 1p, Plate 84, 4p, Plate 4, 1sh, Plate 4, wing-margin, each tied by clear strike of "C35" obliterator on envelope (small part of backflap missing, not mentioned in certificate) bearing PANAMA DE 6 66 c.d.s., red London PAID and PD in oval handstamps, also red ms. "4" (charged 4 reales on delivery), to San Sebastian, Spain. Holcombe Cert. (1989) and cover signed by him.

Est. Cash Value \$1,250



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Trans-Pacific Mail

- 182 1sh, Plate 4, tied by clear strike of "C35" cancel on front of part folded letter bearing PANAMA MR 25 67 c.d.s., Sydney receiver on lone backflap.

Est. Cash Value \$1,000

A RARE TRANS-PACIFIC ROUTING VIA THE PANAMA, NEW ZEALAND AND AUSTRALIA ROYAL MAIL CO., WHICH OPERATED FROM 1866 TO 1868.
EX VOSS.

- 183 1sh, Plate 4, tied by clear "C35" obliterator on buff envelope (very slightly reduced, not mentioned in certificate) bearing straight-line PANAMA 20 AU 1867 TRANSIT and "10" handstamps, plus double circle SAN FRANCISCO CAL SEP 14 postmark. Holcombe Cert. (1989) and cover signed by him. Very attractive cover with clear markings.

Est. Cash Value \$500

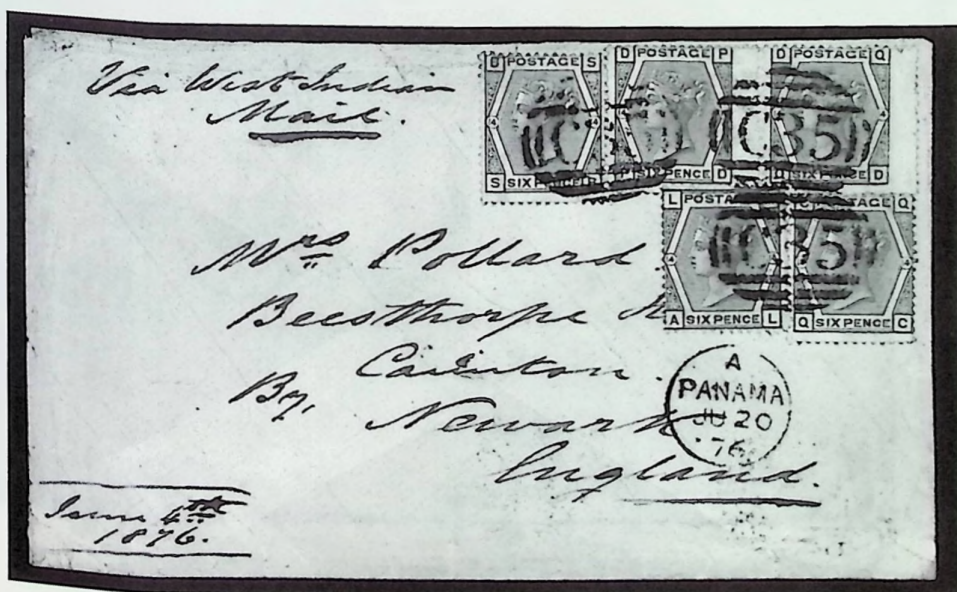
Trans-Pacific Mail



- 184 ☒ United States 10c green, With Grill 12c black, light staining, just tied by strikes of cork cancel on mourning envelope bearing PANAMA SP 17 69 c.d.s., red "12" (due) and 6D MORE TO PAY in oval handstamps, blue Melbourne receiver on reverse.

Est. Cash Value \$1,000

ANOTHER COVER CARRIED ON THE PANAMA, NEW ZEALAND AND AUSTRALIA ROYAL MAIL CO. SERVICE. THE SMALL "12" OF PANAMA IS NOT IN THE G.P.O. LONDON PROOF IMPRESSION BOOKS AND IS APPARENTLY UNRECORDED.



- 185 ☒ 6p, Plate 14, five copies (two wing-margin), tied by clear strikes of "C35" postmark on envelope (creases, back flap two sealed tears) bearing PANAMA JU 20 76 c.d.s., Newark, England receiver on reverse. This franking would seem to indicate a double rate of 2sh plus 6p late fee.

Est. Cash Value \$1,500

Registered Mail



- 186 2p, Plate 15, 1sh, Plate 13, wing-margin pair, tied by superb strike of PANAMA SP 20 80 "C35" duplex cancel on Registered envelope (roughly opened, small faults) bearing red straight-line REGISTERED and London Registered oval handstamps, also receiver on reverse. Holcombe Cert. (1989) and cover signed by him. Registered mail is very scarce.

Est. Cash Value \$1,250



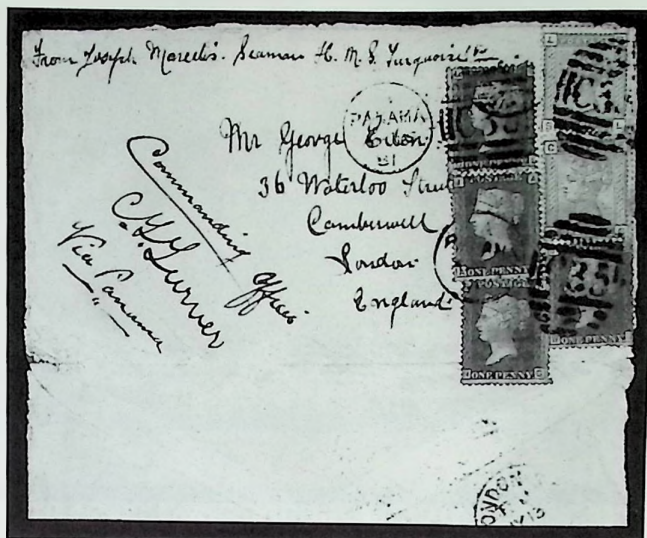
- 187 1p red brown, 2p, Plate 15, 1sh, Plate 13, two copies (one 1sh and 2p faulty), all tied by clear strikes of PANAMA MY 20 81 "C35" duplex cancel on envelope (tears and very slightly reduced at top), red London transit and Hamburg, Germany receiver on reverse. Holcombe Cert. (1989) and signed by him.

Est. Cash Value \$1,500

A VERY FINE POST-U.P.U. DOUBLE RATE (2x1/1½P) COVER.

EX BOLLEN.

Sailors' Concessionary Mail

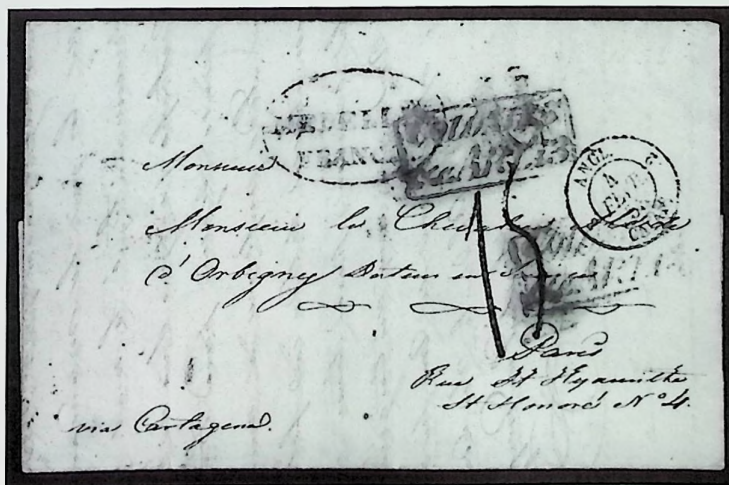


- 188 ☒ 1p, Plate 216, four copies, 1p red brown, two copies, all tied by bold strikes of PANAMA AP 16 81 "C35" duplex cancel on envelope (exploded) bearing ms. "From Joseph Marcelis. Seaman N.H.S. Turquoise" and signed "C.G. Gurver", Commanding Officer, red London receiver on reverse.

Est. Cash Value \$2,000

SAILORS' CONCESSIONARY MAIL ROUTED VIA PANAMA WAS SUBJECT TO A TRANSIT FEE OF 1d PER 1/20z. IN ADDITION TO THE 1p CONCESSIONARY RATE. THIS LETTER APPARENTLY WEIGHTED 1-1 1/20z; SUCH WEIGHT COVERS ARE RARE.

Carthagen (C56)



- 189 ☒ 1852 Folded letter bearing fine strike of red MEDELLIN FRANCA in oval over stamped by framed COLONIES &c. ART. 1.3. accountancy marking (British postage unpaid), plus Calais transit, all in red, backstamped double arc CARTHAGENA JA10 1853 and red London transits, Paris receiver, very fine.

Est. Cash Value \$150

Mixed Usage to United States

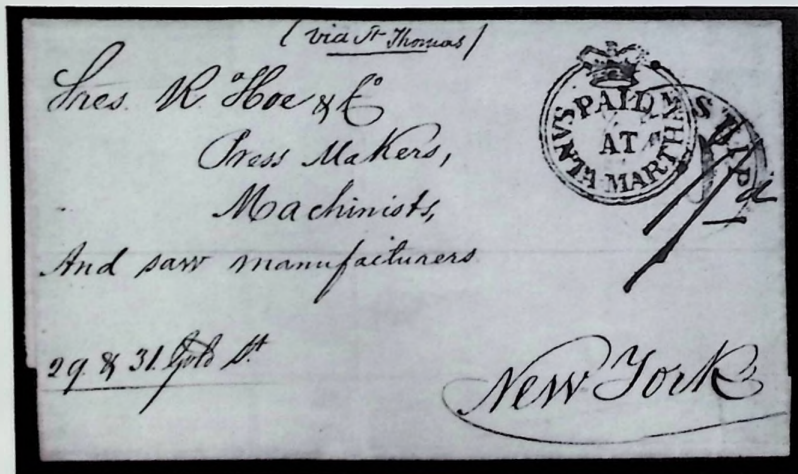


- 190 \approx 4p pale olive green, Plate 16, tied by very fine strikes of "C56" postmark and CARTHAGENA MY 2 (8)0 c.d.s. on envelope (very slightly reduced, not mentioned in certificate) bearing COLON TRANSIT MY 3 80 c.d.s. perfectly overstruck by New York 5c due marking, on reverse United States Postage Due 2c and 3c affixed (each precancelled by handstamp of oval of parallel dashes) and New Orleans receiver. Foundation Cert. (1992).

Est. Cash Value 2,500

A VERY ATTRACTIVE MIXED USAGE

Santa Martha (C62)



- 191 \approx 1851 Folded letter sheet bearing superb strike of red Crowned Circle PAID AT SANTA MARTHA overstruck by STEAMSHIP 10 in circle handstamp and rated ms. "1/d", to New York, backstamped double arc SANTA-MARIA SP 24 and ST. THOMAS OC 1 1851 transits, fine.

Est. Cash Value \$1,500

EX GLASSCO

Great Britain-Colombia Mixed Franking



- 192 ☒ Colombia 1863 Imperf 5c orange and 1865 10c violet, good margins to cut in, tied by clear strike of BOGOTA in oval, used with Great Britain 2p, Plate 9, 6p, Plate 5, each tied by "C62" postmark on large part of soiled cover front, handstamped "20" incoming charge at New York. Holcombe Cert. (1989).

Est. Cash Value \$5,000

COLOMBIA-GREAT BRITAIN MIXED FRANKINGS ARE EXCEEDINGLY RARE. POSSIBLY NO MORE THAN HALF A DOZEN ARE KNOWN, OF WHICH AT LEAST TWO ARE FRONTS.

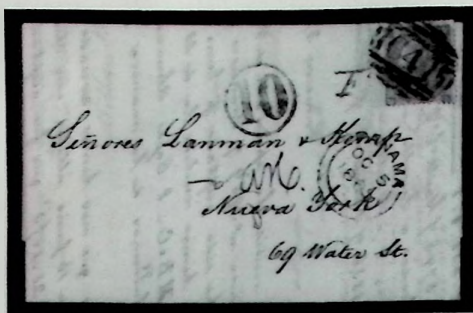
ECUADOR



- 193 ☒ Ecuador 1865-72 Imperf 1r green, pair and four singles, margins all round except one cut in at bottom left, tied by three clear strikes of double circle QUITO FRANCA 8 NOV. 65 cancel and neat blue crayon ms. "2" on folded letter, backstamped double arc GUAYAQUIL NO 29 1865 and LIMA 3(sic) NOV. 1865 receiver, very fine.

Est. Cash Value \$2,000

VERY FEW COVERS FROM THIS RECENTLY DISCOVERED CORRESPONDENCE WERE CANCELLED AT THE BRITISH PACKET AGENCY. A LOVELY COVER.



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- 194 ≈ 1sh, Plate 4, wing-margin, tied by very fine strike of "C41" postmark on neat folded letter bearing double arc PANAMA OC5 1865 datestamp and "10" in circle due marking (charged on arrival in New York), double arc GUAYAQUIL SP29 1865 transit on reverse, very fine.

Est. Cash Value \$400

A VERY EARLY COVER FROM THE FIRST YEAR OF USE OF BRITISH STAMPS.

- 195 ≈ 2p, tear, Plate 13, 9p and 1sh, both Plate 4 wing-margin copies, each tied by very fine strike of "C41" postmark and red PD in circle handstamp on folded letter sheet, also bearing PANAMA TRANSIT MR 20 71 c.d.s. via London with red PAID datestamp and ms. "2", backstamped double arc GUAYAQUIL MR 9 1871 transit and portion of Barcelona receiver. Holcombe Cert. (1989) and cover signed by him.

Est. Cash Value \$4,000

A RARE AND LOVELY THREE-COLOR FRANKING

Mail to United States with U.S. Currency Handstamp

- 196 ≈ Neat blue folded letter from Guayaquil bearing strikes of PANAMA-TRANSIT JU 29 73 and NEW YORK 24 JUL 17 arrival c.d.s., plus two strikes of large "12" due marking, very fine.

Est. Cash Value \$250

THE LATEST RECORDED DATE OF THE "12" HANDSTAMP

Mixed Usage to United States



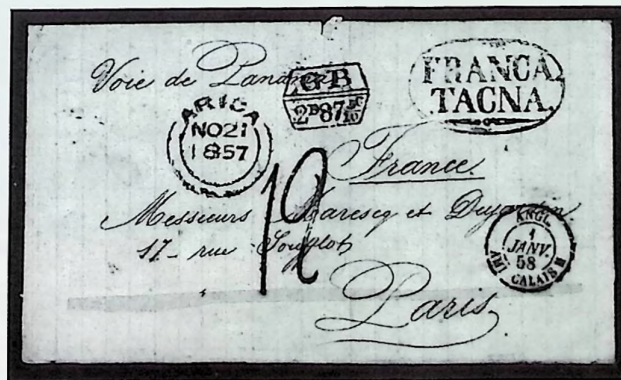
- 197 ☒ 1½p, Plate 3, strip of four, cancelled by unclear strikes of "C41" postmark on envelope bearing double arc PANAMA OC (?) 1880 datestamp, handstamped NEW YORK NOV 3 80 DUE 5 CENTS duplex and U.S. Postage Due 2c and 3c affixed, Guayaquil Oct. 13 transit on reverse.

Est. Cash Value \$3,000

A VERY RARE MIXED USAGE

PERU

The Peruvian Post Office imposed a tax on all outgoing mail handled by the British Packet Agencies. The rate was 1 dinero (10 centavos) per ½oz. In order to comply, the British Packet Agencies maintained a stock of Peru stamps, which are often cancelled by the British obliterations. Evasion of the postal tax occurred, but covers reflecting this are uncommon. Where local postage was required from a village into a Packet Agency, the postage rate levied was in lieu of the postal tax.



- 198 ☒ Flimsy folded letter sheet (small faults) bearing very fine strikes of bluish black FRANCA TACNA in oval postmark as well as double arc ARICA NO21 1857 and Calais 1858 transits, framed GB 2F87 5/10c accountancy mark for unpaid British postage, red London transit and Paris receiver on reverse, fine.

Est. Cash Value \$150

Arica Crowned Circle Handstamp



- 199 \approx Peru 1862-63 Embossed 1d red, good to large margins, well tied by double arc ARICA SP 7 1864 postmark on folded letter (minor tone spots) bearing very fine strike of Crowned Circle PAID AT ARICA overstruck by Calais transit, also red LONDON PAID c.d.s. and PD in circle, double circle transit and CASTILLON-DORDOGNE 16 OCT 64 receiver on reverse.

Est. Cash Value \$2,000

RARE AND ATTRACTIVE COMBINATION



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- 200 \approx 1d, margins all round, filing crease, bearing small double circle cancel, on folded letter sheet with double arc ARICA FE22 1865 postmark, doubly framed GB 2F87 5/10c accountancy mark, numerous transits including red London c.d.s. and Bordeaux receiver on reverse. *Rare cover.*

Est. Cash Value \$750

EX WINDSOR

- 201 \approx 1d, margins all round, bearing small bluish green double circle TACNA datestamp, on folded letter sheet (small tears) with double arc ARICA JA 16 1867 postmark, slightly smudged PANAMA TRANSIT handstamp, on reverse French Packet "No 3 1 FEVR. 67" marking and Bordeaux receiver on reverse.

Est. Cash Value \$500

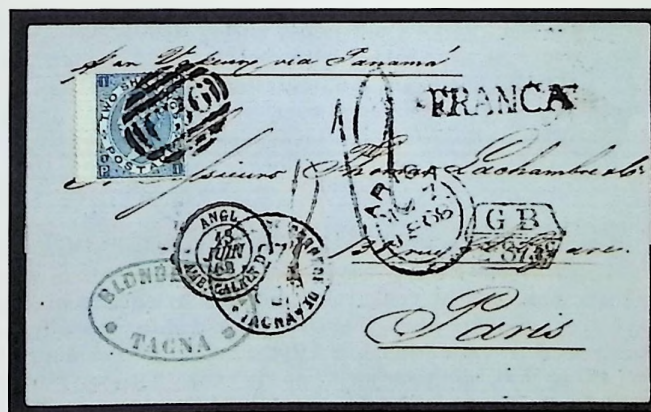
PERU MAIL CARRIED ON FRENCH PACKETS IS SCARCE.



- 202 ☒ Peru 1862-63 1d red, margins all round, overlapped by Great Britain franking of 1p, Plate 85, three vertical pairs (paying 6p packet rate to Panama only) all tied, including Peru stamp, by strikes of "C36" postmark, pair at lower left being weakly cancelled, overstruck and tied by "C35" (Panama) postmark, on folded letter sheet (filing crease) bearing PANAMA OC21 67 datestamp, plus N.Y. STEAMSHIP 10 OCT 31 handstamp on arrival in United States, merchant's oval at left. *Fine and rare.*

Est. Cash Value \$7,500

A MARVELOUS ARICA COVER SHOWING USE OF TWO DIFFERENT
BRITISH OBLITERATORS.



- 203 ☒ Folded letter sheet bearing ADMIN. GRAL. DE CORREOS DE TACNA c.d.s. plus straight-line FRANCA markings, paying local postage, franked by Great Britain 2sh blue, Plate 1, wing-margin, tied by bold "C36" postmark with double arc ARICA MY 7 1868, framed GB 2F87 5/10c accountancy mark, via Calais, red London transit and Paris receiver on reverse. *Very fine and attractive.*

Est. Cash Value \$3,000

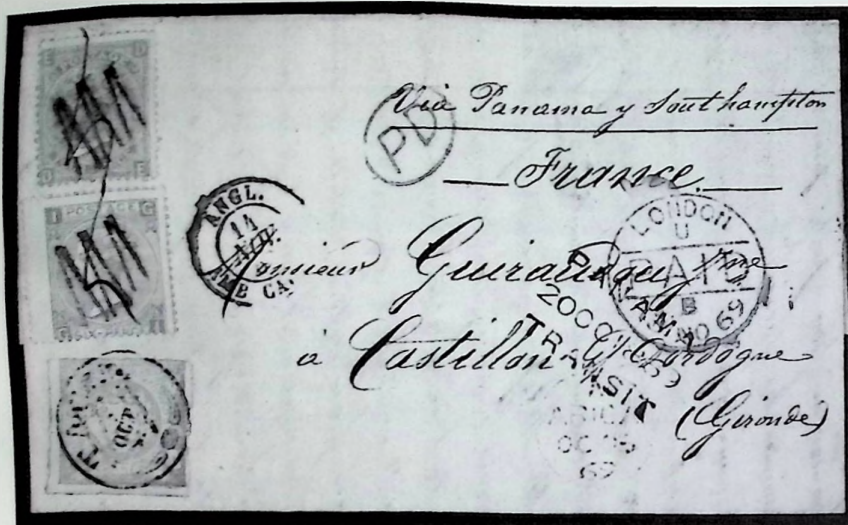
WHILE THE CORRECT RATE TO FRANCE WAS 2/8d AND THE
ACCOUNTANCY WAS APPLIED APPROPRIATELY, THE CORRECT
MARK AT THIS TIME SHOULD HAVE BEEN GB/F90c, NOT GB/2F87 5/10c.



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- 204 ☞ 1868-72 1d green, margins all round, barely tied by TACNA in dotted oval cancel on folded letter bearing faint double circle TACNA and ARICA DE 8 68 datestamps, both in red, also framed GB 1F90c accountancy mark for unpaid British postage, via Calais, transits include red London c.d.s. and CASTILLON-DORDOGNE receiver on reverse, fine.

Est. Cash Value \$500

- 205 ☞ Peru 1d green, margins to touched, tied by TACNA (?) OCT c.d.s. used with Great Britain 4p, Plate 10, and 6p, Plate 6, wing-margin, cancelled by pen strokes and tied by additional single pen stroke (apparently in London) on folded letter (light tone spots) bearing red markings of ARICA OC 08 69, London PAID and PD in oval, also clear strike of PANAMA TRANSIT 20 OC 1869 handstamp, via Calais, transit and Castillion-Dordogne receiver on reverse. Underpaid despite use of PD handstamp, the correct rate to France being 1/8d.

Est. Cash Value \$2,500

A COLORFUL AND NOTEWORTHY COVER

- 206 ☞ 1d green, large margins to barely touched one point, tied by very fine strike of blue black TACNA in dotted oval cancel and traces of red oval on folded letter (light stain spots barely affecting front) with very fine blue black TACNA FEB 21 (1)870 c.d.s., also ARICA FE21 70 datestamp and framed GB 1F90c accountancy mark for unpaid British postage, via Calais, backstamped red London c.d.s. and Castillon-Dordogne receiver. Fine and very attractive.

Est. Cash Value \$800

The C36 Duplex



- 207 ☒ Peru 1868-72 1d, margins all round, tied by clear strike of bluish double circle TACNA PERU 22 MAYO 70 postmark, used with Great Britain 2p, Plate 13, 3p, Plate 5, two wing-margin pairs, well tied by strikes of ARICA MY 22 70 "C36" duplex cancel on folded letter (small faults) bearing red London PAID and PD in oval handstamps, via Calais, numerous backstamps including Callao transit and Castillon-Dordogne receiver. Underpaid, but not taxed. The correct rate for ½oz. letter to France was 1/8d.

Est. Cash Value \$6,000

THIS COVER AND THE FOLLOWING ARE A NEW DISCOVERY AND ARE
THE ONLY RECORDED COVERS SHOWING USE OF THE C36 DUPLEX.



- 208 ☒ Similar folded letter (minor tone spots) from the same correspondence; Peru 1d, margins all round, tied by bluish double circle TACNA 7 JULIO 70 cancel, used with Great Britain 1p, Plate 113, 3p, Plate 5, wing-margin pair, tied by ARICA JY 07 70 "C36" duplex cancel, bearing red London PAID and PD in circle handstamps, via Calais and Callao, receiver on reverse. Underpaid despite use of the PD marking.

Est. Cash Value \$6,000

THE SECOND C36 DUPLEX COVER



- 209 \approx 1d green, margins except touched at corner, tied by double circle TACNA 6 OCTRE 72 postmark on folded letter sheet bearing ARICA OC 9 72 datestamp, framed GB 1F90c accountancy mark and blue merchant's oval upper right, via Calais, backstamped Callao and red London transits, Paris receiver. *Fine cover.*

Est. Cash Value \$500

EX WINDSOR



- 210 Peru 1d green, good to large margins, tied by two strikes of blue double circle TACNA PERU 9 NOVRE 70 cancel, used with Great Britain 1p, Plate 102, vertical strip of four and pair, plus single, all tied by strikes of vertical "C36" postmark, strip also tied by Calais transit, on folded letter bearing ARICA NO 9 70 datestamp, red INSUFFICIENTLY PREPAID and framed GB 1F90c accountancy mark handstamps, various transits including Callao and red London c.d.s., Castillon-Dordogne receiver on reverse.

Est. Cash Value \$5,000

A SUPERB MIXED FRANKING



- 211 ☒ Peru 1868-72 1d green and 1p orange (faulty), large margins to touched, tied by central strike of double circle TACNA 8 FEBRO 73 cancel, used with Great Britain 3p, Plate 9, two copies (one wing-margin), 4p, Plate 12, vertical pair and single, 6p, Plate 11, two copies, 1s, Plate 6, wing-margin, one stamp (a nominal 4p) missing, all tied by TACNA cancels and overstruck by clear strikes of vertical "C36" postmark on envelope (small faults) bearing AFRICA FEB 73 datestamp, red London PAID and PD in circle, Callao transit and Dorum, Germany receiver on reverse. Holcombe Cert. (1989).

Est. Cash Value \$7,500

*A SPECTACULAR SIX-COLOR FRANKING PREPAYING THE 3/10d
DOUBLE RATE TO GERMANY AND, DESPITE THE MISSING
STAMP. ONE OF THE FINEST ARICA COVERS EXTANT.*



- 212 ☒ 1d green, two copies, good to large margins, bearing light double circle TACNA PERU (2) 1 FEB 73 cancel on folded letter with clear strike of blue black ARICA FE 22 73 and LIVERPOOL 31 MR 73 date stamps, British postage unpaid, ms. "1/6" due marking, Callao transit on reverse.

Est. Cash Value \$1,000

EX BOLLEN, SAYLOR

Callao (C38)

Callao Crowned Circle Handstamp



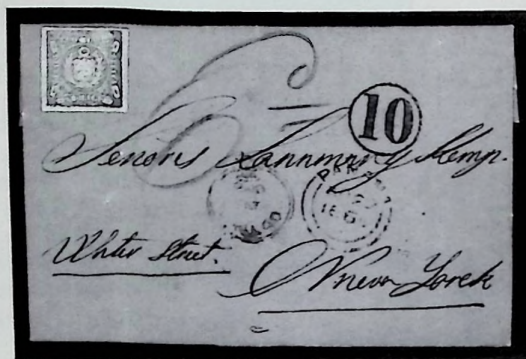
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- 213 ☞ Folded letter bearing over-inked strike of Crowned Circle PAID AT CALLAO, PAID 22 JU 1852 and PD in oval handstamps, all markings in red, via Calais, ms. "5/8", a very high rate, backstamped double arc Callao and Genoa receiver.

Est. Cash Value \$400

EX BEAVER CREEK

- 214 ☞ 1858 1p rose red, huge margins, tied by dotted oval LIMA cancel on neat folded letter bearing framed GB 2F87 5/10c accountancy mark and Calais transit, various backstamps including double arc CALLAO NO 12 1858 and red London transits, Bordeaux receiver. Signed Pfenninger. Very fine stamp and cover.

Est. Cash Value \$800

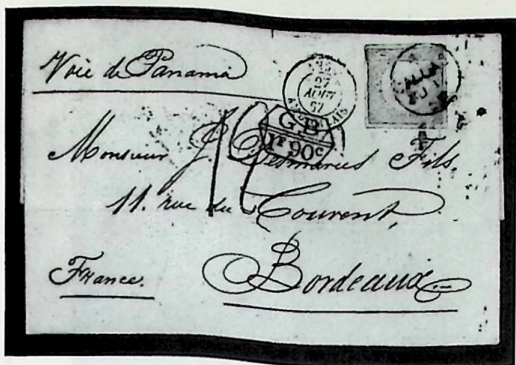
THE PERU 1 peseta IS A SCARCE STAMP ON CONSULAR MAIL.

- 215 △ 1862-63 1d red, margins to touched, bearing neat strike of double circle LIMA 28 OCT 65 cancel on front bearing framed FRANCA and red Crowned Circle PAID AT CALLAO handstamps, ms. "1/4", to Santa Marta, Colombia. Use of the Callao Crowned Circle handstamp with stamps of Peru is known only during 1865.

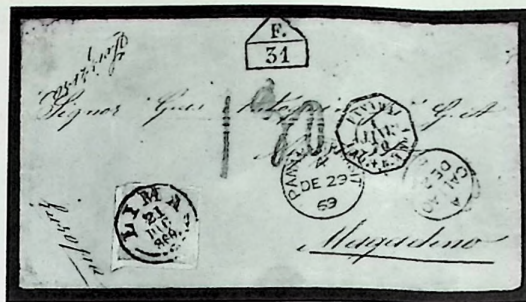
Est. Cash Value \$800

- 216 ☞ 1d green, large margins, uncanceled on folded letter bearing red Crowned Circle PAID AT CALLAO and double arc PANAMA AP 2(?) 1868 handstamps, rated ms. "6" in red, also "10" in circle, to New York, Callao transit on reverse, fine.

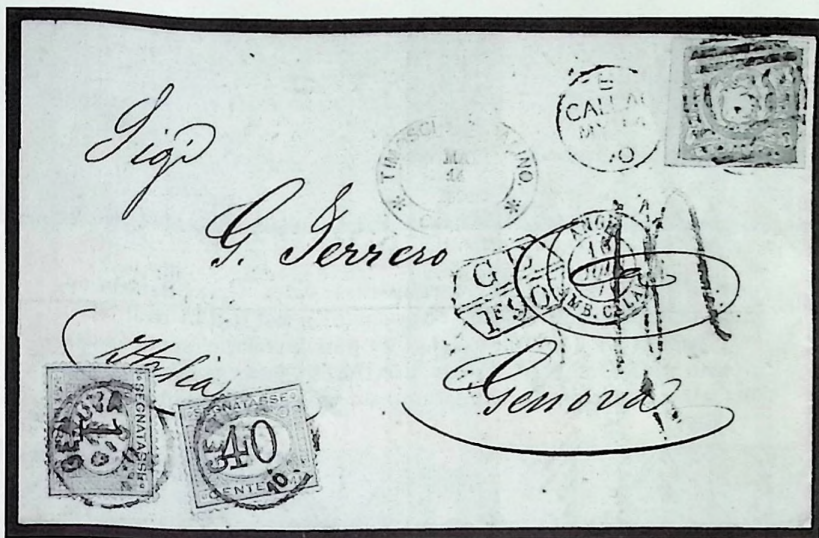
Est. Cash Value \$500



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- 217 ☒ 1d red, partial double paper, margins all round, tied by CALLAO c.d.s. on 1867 folded letter bearing excellent strike of framed GB 1F90c accountancy mark, via Calais, several backstamps including red London transit and Bordeaux receiver.

Est. Cash Value \$400

EX WINDSOR

- 218 ☒ 1d green, large margins except barely touched one point, bearing fine strike of LIMA 21 DIC (1)869 c.d.s. on envelope (small faults) with Callao c.d.s., PANAMA-TRANSIT DE 29 69 and PANAMA PAQ. NO. 1 1 JAN 70 datestamps, plus framed F.31 accountancy mark, Magadina, Switzerland receiver on reverse.

Est. Cash Value \$800

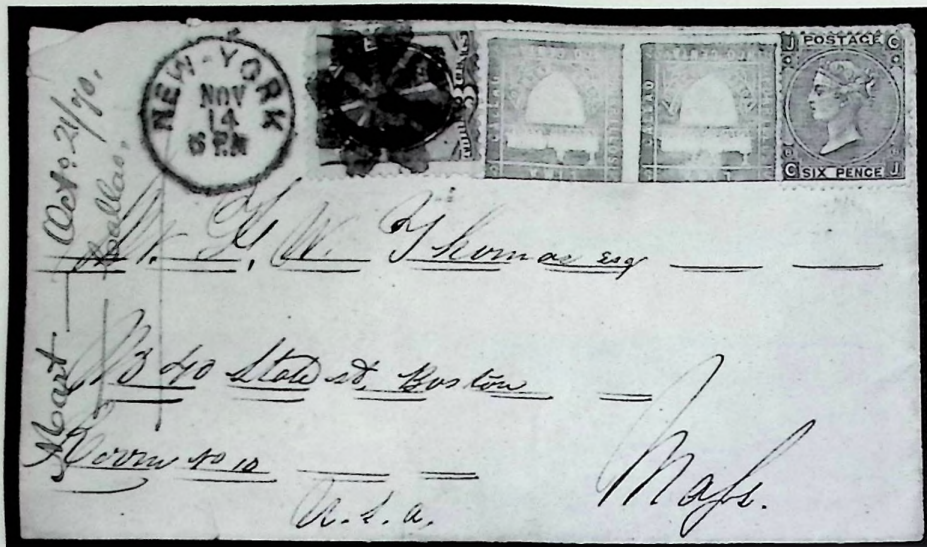
PERU MAIL CARRIED ON FRENCH PACKETS IS SCARCE.

- 219 ☒ 1d green, large margins, tied by fine strike of CALLAO MY 14 70 "C38" duplex cancel on folded letter sheet with framed GB 1F90c accountancy mark and blue merchant's oval, via Calais, Italy Postage Due 40c and 1L tied by Genoa c.d.s. cancels, also struck on reverse. Rare duplex cancel.

Est. Cash Value \$1,500

THIS IS THE EARLIEST OF THE THREE KNOWN COVERS WITH THE C38
DUPLUX CANCELLATION. EX BOLLEN, KEMPSTER

Three-Country Combination Franking



- 220 \approx Peru 1871 5c scarlet, pair, margins three sides, Great Britain 6p, Plate 8, plus United States 3c green (SE), last tied by neat NEW YORK NOV 14 duplex cancel on pink envelope (small faults) with ms. "Oct. 21/70 Callao", to Boston, large portion of blue Callao merchant's handstamp on reverse. Holcombe Cert. (1989).

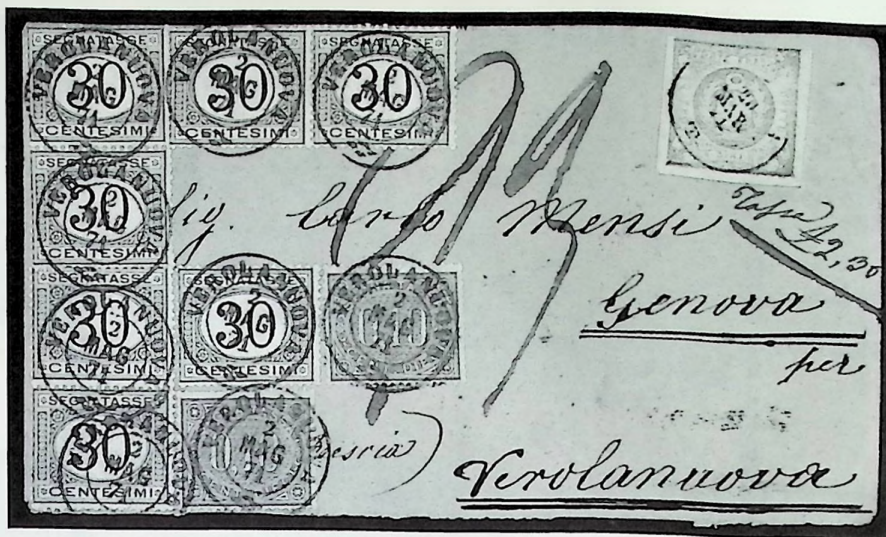
Est. Cash Value \$2,000

A SCARCE TRIPLE MIXED FRANKING. THIS COVER, ALTHOUGH CORRECTLY PREPAID TO PANAMA, WAS APPARENTLY CARRIED PRIVATELY TO NEW YORK, WHERE IT WAS PUT INTO THE POST. EX GLASSCO



- 221 \approx 1d green, margins three sides, tied by bold strike of vertical "C38" postmark on folded letter sheet (small repairs, right flaps missing) bearing Italy Postage Due 10c and 2L affixed on arrival and tied by neat Genoa c.d.s., backstamped CALLAO DE 28 70 and red London transits, Genoa receiver.

Est. Cash Value \$250



- 222 ☒ 1d green, margins three sides, bearing light (LIMA) 20 MAR 71 c.d.s. on envelope with Italy Postage Due 10c, two copies, 30c, seven copies, affixed on arrival and tied by double circle VEROLANUOVA 2 MAG 71 postmarks, numerous transits including CALLAO MR 27 71 c.d.s. and receiver on reverse.

Est. Cash Value \$1000

PERHAPS THE MOST SPECTACULAR OF ALL THE UNPAID
PERU COVERS TO ITALY. A LOVELY MIXED USAGE



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- 223 ☒ Peru 1d green (faulty), used with Great Britain 2p, Plate 13, 6p and 1sh (wing-margin), both Plate 5, all tied by strikes of vertical "C38" postmark on envelope (roughly opened, small portion of flap missing) bearing CALLAO NO 13 c.d.s., red London PAID and PD in oval, Granau, Germany receiver on reverse. Holcombe Cert. (1989) and cover signed by him.

Est. Cash Value \$1,000

A FINE FOUR-COLOR MIXED FRANKING TO GERMANY

- 224 ☒ Peru 1d green, large margins to cut in, used with Great Britain 6p, Plate 9, tied by strike of vertical "C38" postmark on envelope (slightly reduced), with enclosure, bearing PANAMA DE 31 71 c.d.s., N.Y. STEAMSHIP 10 JAN. 14 and Due markings with ms. "10", Callao backstamp.

Est. Cash Value \$600



- 225 ☞ 1d green, two overlapping copies, large margins, creased from file fold, tied by strike of vertical "C38" postmark on 1871 folded letter sheet (small faults) bearing blue merchant's oval at left, British postage unpaid, on reverse red London transit, Italy Postage Due 30c and 2L, two each (faulty), affixed and tied by GENOVA 14 GEN 72 receiver. Holcombe Cert. (1989) and cover signed by him.

Est. Cash Value \$2,500

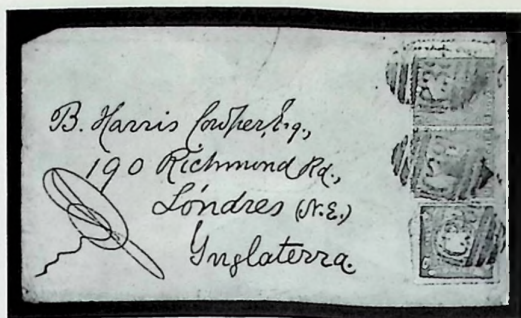
A RARE UNPAID DOUBLE RATE COVER



- 226 ☞ 1d green, partial double paper, margins to touched, bearing LIMA 21 (MAR) 1872 c.d.s. on small neat envelope with PANAMA-TRANSIT c.d.s., octagonal PANAMA PAQ. FR. A NO. 3 datestamp and bluish framed F.58 accountancy mark, Italy Postage Due 10c and 60c, two each, affixed and tied by double circle VEROLANUOVA 2 MAG 72 receiver, various transits and reverse including CALLAO MR 21 72 c.d.s.

Est. Cash Value \$500

A SCARCE COVER CARRIED BY FRENCH MAILBOAT



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- 227 ☒ Peru 1d green, large margins, used with Great Britain 9p, Plate 4, wing-margin pair, all tied by strikes of vertical "C38" postmark on envelope (small faults including sealed tears) bearing on reverse CALLAO AU 28 73 transit and red London receiver.

Est. Cash Value \$800

THE 9d VALUE IS SCARCE ON COVER FROM PERU.

- 228 ☒ Peru 186-67 10c vermilion, used with Great Britain 6p, Plate 13, tied by vertical "C38" postmark on folded letter sheet bearing PANAMA JA 20 75 and NEW YORK U.S. CURRENCY FEB 11 DUE 10 handstamps, Callao transit on reverse.

Est. Cash Value \$400

- 229 ☒ 10c, tied by fine strike of vertical "C38" postmark on envelope (very slightly reduced) bearing large "24" handstamp crossed through (double rate of 24c) and restamped "Due" with ms. "47" for total due including U.S. postage to Connecticut, backstamped CALLAO FE 28 75 and N. YORK STEAMSHIP c.d.s. transits.

Est. Cash Value \$800

SCARCE USE OF THE UNITED STATES
CURRENCY "24" HANDSTAMP AT PANAMA.

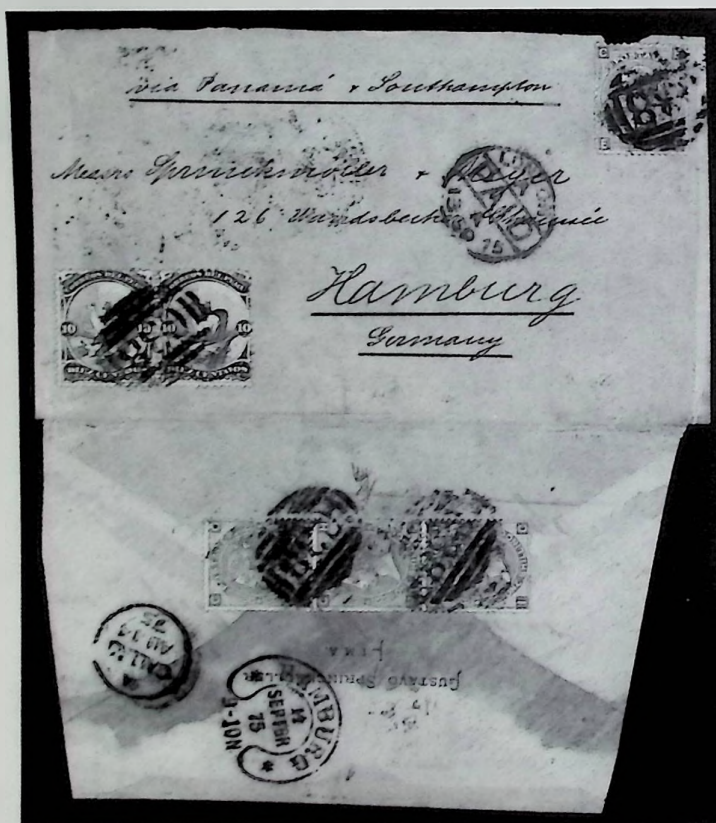
- 230 ☒ 10c, tied by fine strikes of large YQUIQUE PERU c.d.s. and vertical "C38" postmark on folded letter bearing framed GB 1F90c accountancy mark, via Calais, several backstamps including CALLAO MY 6 75 and red London transits, Nantes receiver. Fine and attractive.

Est. Cash Value \$800



- 231 ☐ Peru 10c, tied by double circle LIMA 13 MY 75 cancel, used with Great Britain 2p, Plate 14 (faulty), 4p, Plate 14, wing-margin strip of three (middle stamp faulty), all tied, including Peru stamp, by strikes of vertical "C38" postmark on buff envelope (portions of back flap missing) bearing red London PAID and PD in circle, via Calais, several backstamps including CALLAO MY 14 75 transit and Lyon receiver.

Est. Cash Value \$1,000



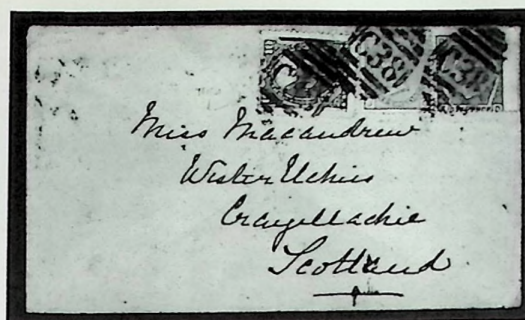
- 232 ☐ Peru 10c, pair, used with Great Britain 4p, Plate 13, and on reverse 1s, Plate 6, vertical strip of three, all tied by bold strikes of "C38" postmark on envelope (exploded, portion of back not quite complete) bearing red London PAID handstamp, on reverse CALLAO AU 14 75 transit and neat strike of Hamburg receiver. Holcombe Cert. (1989) and cover signed by him.

Est. Cash Value \$4,000

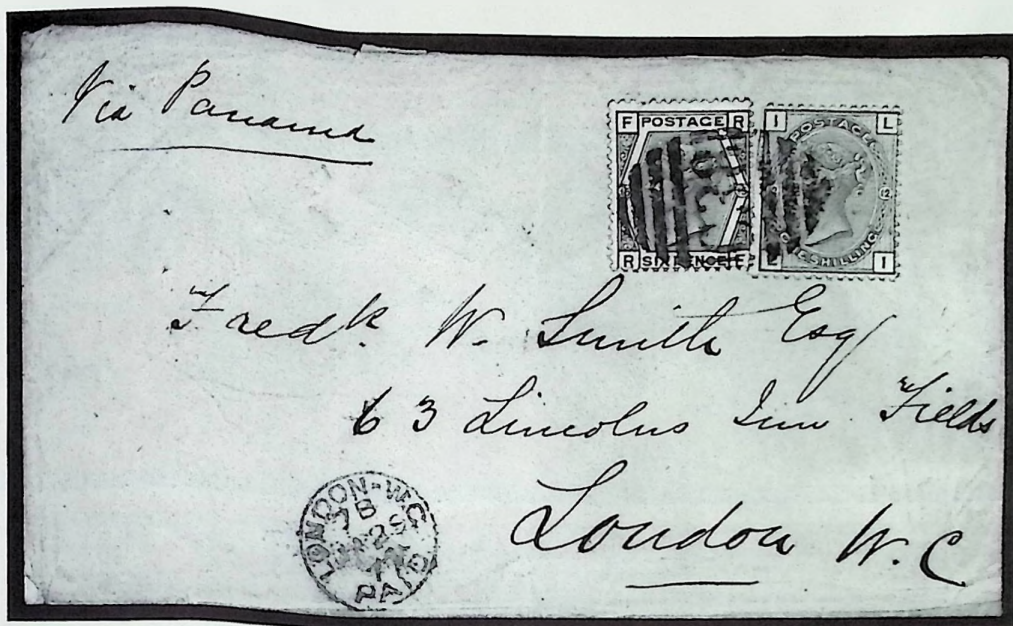
A SCARCE 3/3d DOUBLE RATE POST-U.P.U. COVER TO EUROPE.



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- 233 ☒ 6p, Plate 15, 1sh, Plate 12 (SE), tied by fine strike of vertical "C38" postmark on envelope "via Panama" bearing red LONDON PAID JA 29 76 c.d.s., backstamped CALLAO DE 27 75 c.d.s.
Est. Cash Value \$150

A SCARCE USAGE SHOWING EVASION OF THE PERU POSTAL TAX.
EX GLASSCO, WINDSOR

- 234 ☒ Peru 1866-67 5c green, vertical pair, tied by strikes of vertical "C38" postmark and blue T 1-70 tax marking on folded letter (filing crease) bearing double circle ANGL. AMB. CALAIS 13 SEPT. 76 transit, various backstamps including CALLAO AU 14 76 transit and Nantes receiver.
Est. Cash Value \$400

- 235 ☒ Peru 1874-84 10c green, Great Britain 6p, Plate 15, wing-margin, 1sh, Plate 12, tied by fine strikes of vertical "C38" postmark on envelope (back flap tears) to Scotland, CALLAO AP (?) 77 c.d.s. on reverse.
Est. Cash Value \$300



236 Z Peru 1874-84 10c green, pair, tied by cork cancels, used with Great Britain 3p, Plate 16, 6p, Plate 15, 10p, Plate 1, strip of three, tied by strikes of vertical "C38" postmark on envelope (small faults, top backflap missing) bearing double circle LIMA PRINCIPAL 13 AB 77, red London PAID handstamps, Callao and Paris transits, Chambéry, France receiver on reverse.

Est. Cash Value \$5,000

A LOVELY FOUR-COLOR COMBINATION SHOWING THE DOUBLE 3/3d POST-U.P.U. RATE TO EUROPE. SURELY ONE OF THE MOST ATTRACTIVE OF ALL PERU-GREAT BRITAIN MIXED FRANKINGS. EX GLASSCO

Registered Mail



- 237 ☒ Peru 10c green, two copies, Great Britain 4p, Plate 14 (defective), 1sh, Plate 12, 2sh blue, all tied by strikes of vertical "C38" postmark on Registered envelope (small faults) bearing CALLAO MY 12 77 c.d.s., red REGISTERED handstamps and London Registered oval, red Derby receiver on reverse. Holcombe Cert. (1989) and cover signed by him. A double rate registered cover comprising 2x1/6d packet rate plus 4d registry fee.

Est. Cash Value \$2,500

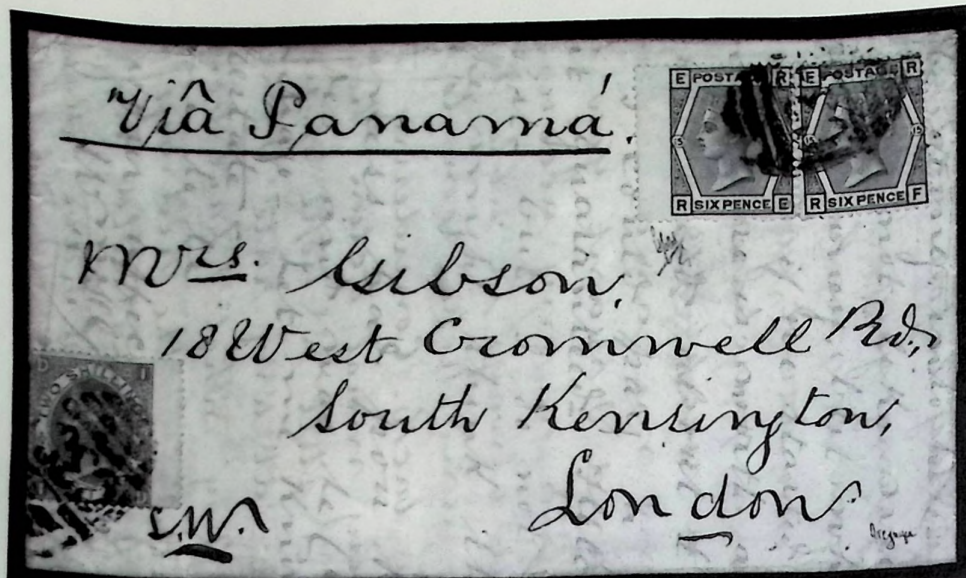
REGISTERED MAIL FROM PERU IS EXCEEDINGLY RARE,
ESPECIALLY WITH THE USE OF THE 2sh BLUE.



- 238 ☒ Peru 1d green, margins all round, Great Britain 1/2p, Plate 6, 3p, Plate 17, 4p, Plate 15 (wing-margin), 1sh, Plate 12, all tied by strikes of vertical "C38" postmark on folded letter (faults) bearing red LONDON PAID 29 AU 77 handstamp, Callao transit and Genoa receiver on reverse. Prepaid post-U.P.U. rate to Europe.

Est. Cash Value \$750

AN ATTRACTIVE FOUR-COLOR FRANKING



- 239 ☒ 6p, Plate 15, wing-margin pair, 1sh, Plate 1, wing-margin, tied by strikes of vertical "C38" postmark on folded letter bearing CALLAO SP 13 77 transit and London receiver on reverse. Holcombe Cert. (1989) and cover signed by him.

Est. Cash Value \$2,500

COVERS FROM CALLAO SHOWING EVASION OF THE PERU POSTAL TAX ARE UNUSUAL, ESPECIALLY THOSE WHICH ARE DOUBLE RATED.

- 240 △ Two small pieces, one with Peru 1874-84 10c green, Great Britain 1p, Plate 172, two copies, 3p, Plate 18, pair, all tied by strikes of vertical "C38" postmark bearing red INSUFFICIENTLY PREPAID handstamp with ms. "11d½" above, Callao NO 23 77 c.d.s. on reverse, other with Great Britain 3p, Plate 17, pair, 5sh, Plate 2, cancelled by vertical "C38" postmarks and tied by U.S. CHARGE TO COLLECT 55 Cents handstamp, also Callao DE 27 77 c.d.s. *Not illustrated.*

Est. Cash Value \$500

Ex GLASSCO, WINDSOR



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- 241 ☒ Peru 10c, tied by double circle LIMA PRINCIPAL 12 AB 78 cancel, used with Great Britain ½p, Plate 14, 4p, Plate 16 (both on reverse), 3p, Plate 19 (folded over cover edge, defective), 1sh, Plate 13, tied, including Peru stamp, by strikes of vertical "C38" postmark on mourning cover (exploded, re-inforced) bearing red LONDON PAID 14 MY 78 handstamp, via Calais, Callao transit and Paris receiver on reverse. *Fine example of prepaid 1/7½d post-U.P.U. rate to Europe.*

Est. Cash Value \$500



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- 242 ☒ Peru 10c, used with Great Britain 6p, Plate 15, strip of three, all tied by bold strikes of vertical "C38" postmark on envelope, backstamped CALLAO MY28 78 c.d.s. and Richmond, Surrey, England receiver.

Est. Cash Value \$600

- 243 ☒ Peru 10c, used with Great Britain 3p, Plate 19, 4p, Plate 15, wing-margin (faulty), 1sh, Plate 13, all tied by strikes of vertical "C38" postmark on folded letter bearing red INSUFFICIENTLY PREPAID overstruck by LONDON PAID 27 JU 18 postmark, handstamped "T" crossed-out by blue crayon, backstamped CALLAO MY 28 78, red London transit and Genoa receiver.

Est. Cash Value \$800

- 244 ☒ Peru 10c, used with Great Britain 1sh, Plate 13, both stamps tied by strikes of vertical "C38" postmark on envelope (edge faults) bearing CALLAO JU26 78 c.d.s., Panama transit and NEW YORK JUL 14 DUE 5 CENTS duplex on arrival in United States.

Est. Cash Value \$800

- 245 ☒ Peru 10c, tied by double circle LIMA PRINCIPAL 11 JL 78 cancel, used with Great Britain 1/2p, Plate 5, 1p, Plate 209, 1sh, Plate 13, tied by fine strikes of vertical "C38" postmark on folded letter bearing red LONDON PAID 12 AU 78 handstamp, portion of Callao transit and Santander, Spain receiver on reverse.

Est. Cash Value \$500

AN EXCELLENT FOUR-COLOR EXAMPLE OF THE 1/1½ POST-U.P.U.
RATE TO EUROPE VIA THE MAGELLAN ROUTE AND BY THE PACIFIC
STEAM NAVIGATION CO.

- 246 ☒ Peru 10c, used with Great Britain 6p, Plate 16, wing-margin, 1sh, Plate 13, each tied by separate bold strikes of vertical "C38" postmark on small envelope to Plumstead, England, backstamped CALLAO JU 28 78 and red London c.d.s. cancels.

Est. Cash Value \$500

Islay (C42)



- 252 ☐ Peru Imperf 1d green, good margins to barely touched, tied by unclear AREQUIPA c.d.s. cancel, used with Great Britain 2p, Plate 13, 4p, Plate 11 (crease from file fold), tied by very fine strikes of "C42" postmark on folded letter (plus printed enclosure) bearing PANAMA AU 30 71 and N.Y. STEAMSHIP 10 SEP 18 handstamps, to United States, double arc ISLAY AU 9 postmark on reverse.

Est. Cash Value \$5,000

A SUPERB COMBINATION COVER.
ABOUT TEN C42 COVERS ARE BELIEVED TO EXIST.

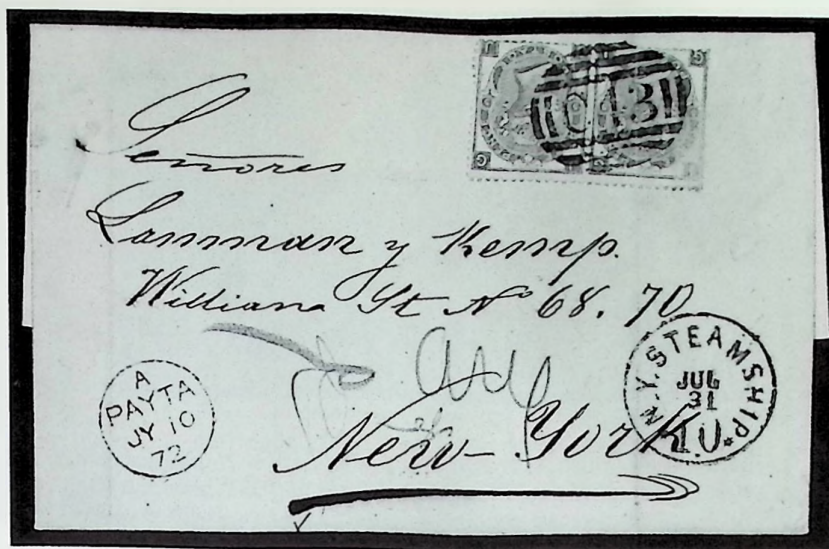
Paita (C43)



- 253 ☐ 6p, Plate 8 (tied by file fold), 2sh blue, Plate 1, wing-margin, cancelled by light strikes of "C43" postmark and tied by PANAMA NO 30 70 c.d.s. on neat folded letter with PAYTA NO 24 70 and NEW YORK DEC 11 handstamps, ms. "50" due marking.

Est. Cash Value \$3,000

AN EXCEPTIONAL QUINTUPLE RATE FRANKING PAID TO PANAMA ONLY. APPROXIMATELY FIFTEEN COVERS ARE RECORDED FROM PAITA. MOST OF WHICH SHOW EVASION OF THE PERU POSTAL TAX.



- 254 ☒ 3p, Plate 5, pair, right stamp faulty, tied by very fine strike of blue black "C43" postmark on folded letter sheet bearing matching PAYTA JY 10 72 c.d.s., plus N.Y. STEAMSHIP 10 JUL 31 handstamp. *Very attractive.*

Est. Cash Value \$800



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Iquique (D87)

- 255 ☒ Peru Imperf 1d green (faulty), used with Great Britain 2p, Plate 14, 4p, Plate 13 (wing-margin), 1sh, Plate 8, all tied by strikes of vertical "D87" on blue envelope (small faults not mentioned in certificate) bearing IQUIQUE FE 5 74 c.d.s., CALLAO transit overstruck by Liverpool receiver on reverse. Holcombe Cert. (1989) and cover signed by him. *Fine multi-colored combination and rare cover.*

Est. Cash Value \$750

APPROXIMATELY FIFTEEN MIXED FRANKING COVERS
ARERECORDED FROM IQUIQUE.

- 256 ☒ Peru Perf 12 10c, used with Great Britain 2p, Plate 15, 4p, Plate 16, tied by strikes of vertical "D87" postmark on neat envelope (opened at right) bearing (IQUI)QUE PERU MR21 79 c.d.s. overstruck by Panama AP 5 79 transit and NEW YORK APR 14 DUE 5 CENTS duplex, also blue black North Uxbridge, Mass. receiver. E. Diena Cert. (1979) and cover signed by him.

Est. Cash Value \$1,000



- 257 Peru 10c, used with Great Britain 6p, Plate 15, wing-margin, 1sh, Plate 13, tied by superb strikes of vertical "D87" postmark on blue envelope (small portion of backflap missing) with excellent strike of IQUIQUE PERU NO 6 77 c.d.s., Edinburgh transit and Inverkeithing, Scotland receiver on reverse.

Est. Cash Value \$1,250

*A FINE COMBINATION COVER
AND RARE WITH SUCH DISTINCT MARKINGS.*

Covers from Peru Cancelled in Transit at Panama (C35)

Great Britain-Peru-United States Triple Mixed Franking



- 258 Peru Imperf 1d green, margins to touched, used with Great Britain 6p, Plate 9 (SE), and United States portion of 3c green, British stamp tied by "C35" postmark on amber envelope (reduced at right, not mentioned in certificate) bearing PANAMA NO 30 71 transit, double circle SAN FRANCISCO CAL DEC 30 receiver, handstamped "10" with pencil ms. "Pd", blue Nov 14 1871 merchant's oval at upper right. Foundation Cert. (1979).

Est. Cash Value \$2,000

*AN INTERESTING TRIPLE COMBINATION FRANKING. THE U.S. STAMP
COVERED INLAND POSTAGE FROM NEW YORK, BUT NOT U.S. PACKET
POSTAGE FROM PANAMA, HENCE 10 CENTS DUE. EX GLASSCO*



Combination Franking - Mixed Usage to Italy

- 259 ☒ Peru Imperf 1d green, large margins to in slightly at corner, used with Great Britain 6p, Plate 11, both tied by fine strike of "C35" postmark on envelope (slightly reduced at right) bearing PANAMA-TRANSIT OC 1 72 c.d.s., via London, Italy Postage Due stamps totaling 4L60c affixed, 2L30c tied by Genoa cancels (also tying Peru stamp), other 2L30c tied by SPEZIA 3 NOV 72 receiving postmarks, similarly marked on reverse. E. Dena Cert. (1988) and cover signed by him.

Est. Cash Value \$6,000

AN EXCEPTIONAL COVER



- 260 ☒ Peru 1d, large margins except touched at bottom, used with Great Britain 6p, Plate 11, wing-margin pair, all tied by framed double grill postmark of Lima, pair additionally cancelled by "C35" obliterator on envelope bearing PANAMA-TRANSIT MY 5 74 c.d.s. and SPANISH-TOWN JAMAICA MY 11 74 receiver, also ms. "Paid". Holcombe Cert. (1989) and cover signed by him. Certificate states: "A further stamp appears to have been affixed to the left of the pair of 6d but the cds Panama is over the space. It is possible that it was over paid originally and taken off before sending".

Est. Cash Value \$1,400

AN UNUSUAL DESTINATION AND CIRCUMSTANCE



- 261 ☞ Peru 1866-67 10c vermilion (crease from file fold), used with Great Britain 6p, Plate 13, both tied by double circle Lima 1875 datestamp and overstruck by "C35" postmark on folded letter bearing PANAMA JU 20 75 c.d.s., plus NEW-YORK DUE 5 CENTS. JUL 10 marking on arrival.

Est. Cash Value \$800

AN INTERESTING COVER PREPAID TO PANAMA ONLY. BY THE TIME THE COVER REACHED NEW YORK, THE U.P.U. HAD BEEN ESTABLISHED AND THE U.P.U FOREIGN RATE OF 5c WAS CHARGED FOR THE U.S. PACKET, RATHER THAN THE 10c IN FORCE WHEN THE LETTER WAS POSTED



- 262 ☞ Peru 1d green, large margins, used with Great Britain 6p, Plate 9, and United States 12c Bank Note, tied by cork cancels and fine strike of "C35" postmark on envelope (slightly reduced at right, not mentioned in certificate) bearing ms. "Via Panama and New York", PANAMA OC 2 7(5) and San Francisco datestamps. Foundation Cert. (1970).

Est. Cash Value \$5,000

A VERY ATTRACTIVE EXAMPLE OF PERU - GREAT BRITAIN - UNITED STATES TRIPLE COMBINATION, OF WHICH ABOUT FIFTEEN OTHERS EXIST. THE 12c STAMP PREPAID U.S. POSTAGE FROM PANAMA TO DESTINATION. EX GLASSCO, WINDSOR PART II

Great Britain - United States - Mixed Franking



- 263 ☒ Great Britain 6p, Plate 15, wing-margin block of three, used with United States 5c Bank Notes, faulty to fine, tied by cork cancels, "C35" postmark and NEW YORK STEAMSHIP JAN 1 c.d.s. on reverse of United States Consulate trimmed cover (repaired tears) to Georgia, bearing on front ms. "Callao Dec. 5th 1876", also PANAMA DE 18 76 datestamp. Holcombe Cert. (1989) and signed by him.

Est. Cash Value \$4,000

PERU STAMPS ARE NOT FOUND ON U.S. CONSULAR COVERS. IT IS NOT CERTAIN WHETHER THIS WAS AN AGREEMENT WITH THE PERU POST OFFICE OR RATHER THAT THE MAIL WAS CONVEYED UNDER COVER TO PANAMA TO AVOID THE LEVY.
A RARE AND ATTRACTIVE MIXED FRANKING.



- 264 Δ Great Britain 6p, Plate 14, wing-margin, United States 5c Bank Notes, interlocking blocks of three, tied respectively by strikes of "C35" postmark and NEW YORK STEAMSHIP. Holcombe Cert. (1989) and signed by him. *Rare Combination.*

Est. Cash Value \$500

- 265 Σ Group of eight items; stampless comprising folded letter with double arc PAITA 1853 datestamp, PANAMA TRANSIT in red, letter sheet (side flaps missing) ISLAY 1860 and GB 2F87 5/10c accountancy mark, similar ARICA 1853 and blue oval FRANCA TACNA on printed card of ASSOCIATION FRANÇAISE POUR L'AVANCEMENT DES SCIENCES, folded letter from Iquique to San Francisco with PANAMA 1860 and MISSENT between bars handstamps, franked covers comprise 1862-63 1d red, cancelled by blue TACNA, 1868-72 1d green, tied by CALLAO 1869 c.d.s. and 1d, tied by LIMA 1871 c.d.s., all three bearing Anglo-French accountancy marks, lastly 3p, Plate 4, wing-margin pair, "C43" (Paita) postmark and tied by NEW YORK STEAMSHIP 10 c.d.s. (Holcombe Cert. [1989] and signed), mixed condition to fine. *Excellent variety with a multitude of markings.*

Est. Cash Value \$1,000

URUGUAY

Montevideo Crowned Circle Handstamp



- 266 Σ 1855 Folded letter sheet (faults, right flap missing) with fine strikes of Crowned Circle PAID AT MONTEVIDEO and CORREIO GEBALDACORTE 1855 11 14 handstamps, to Santos, rated "1/—" in red, double arc MONTEVIDEO NO 5 1855 on reverse. *Early usage and fine for this.*

Est. Cash Value \$1,000

Great Britain - Uruguay Mixed Franking



- 267 ☒ Uruguay 1866 Numeral 10c yellow green, tied by blue black double circle MONTEVIDEO 3 NOV 69 cancel, used with Great Britain 10p, Plate 1, 1sh, Plate 4, pair, tied by strikes of "C28" postmark on printed envelope (filing crease and slightly reduced at top, edge faults) of "Administration de la Compagnie Dramatique Italienne." with red PD in oval, via Calais, Paris receiver on reverse.

Est. Cash Value \$20,000

ONE OF THE THREE URUGUAY-GREAT BRITAIN MIXED FRANKINGS
RECORDED. A VERY IMPORTANT AND EXCEEDINGLY RARE BRITISH
USED ABROAD COMBINATION COVER.

Great Britain - Uruguay Mixed Franking Cancelled at Gibraltar



- 268 ☒ Uruguay 1865 Imperf 5c blue, large margins to cut in, tied by "30" (Rosario) in grid cancel, used with Great Britain 1sh, Plate 4, corner fault, tied by GIBRALTAR AU18 70 "A26" duplex on small envelope (disinfection slits) bearing double circle CORREO MONTEVIDEO 20 JUL postmark and merchant's oval lower left, Southport, England receiver on reverse. B.P.A. Cert. (1991).

Est. Cash Value \$15,000

A MARVELOUS MIXED FRANKING COVER, PROBABLY CARRIED BY PRIVATE SHIP TO GIBRALTAR AND THEN BY P&O STEAMER TO ENGLAND.
EX OSBORNE

VENEZUELA

Trinidad Used at Ciudad Bolivar

Ciudad Bolivar (D22)



- 269 ☒ Trinidad 1864-72 (1p) red, tied by unclear strike of vertical "D22" postmark on folded letter sheet bearing very fine strikes of red CIUDAD-BOLIVAR PAID FE 20 75 c.d.s. and double arc TRINIDAD FE 23 1875 postmark. Very fine and rare.

Est. Cash Value \$1,500

OF THE EIGHT RECORDED COVERS SHOWING USE OF TRINIDAD STAMPS AT CIUDAD BOLIVAR. THIS IS THE LATEST KNOWN DATE.

- 270 ☒ 1842 Two stampless folded letters to London, one bearing two fine strikes of two-line "Caracas Franca" divided by bar postmark, other bearing fine strike of Caracas. Debe. in oval and red "L" in circle handstamps, both rated ms. "2/3", on reverse red double arc LA-GUAYRA and receiving datestamps. *Attractive examples of local postage paid and unpaid. Not illustrated.*

Est. Cash Value \$500



- 271 ☒ 1846 Folded letter bearing fine strike of large double circle CORREO DE VENEZUELA GUAIRA FRANCA, framed COLONIES & C. ART.13. for unpaid British postage, via Boulogne, backstamped double arc LA-GUAYRA and London transits, all markings in red, also Bordeaux 13 Dec 1846 receiver, very fine. Holcombe Cert. (1990) and cover signed by him.

Est. Cash Value \$400



- 272 ☒ 6p, Plate 9, pair, tied by strikes of Crowned Circle PAID AT LA GUAYRA on envelope (enclosure, certificate stating "(as) cover and stamps were tropicalized and have been cleaned, this has somewhat affected the color of the stamps.") backstamped ST. THOMAS MY 12 71 c.d.s. and Lima, Peru receiver. Holcombe Cert. (1989) and cover signed by him.

Est. Cash Value \$11,000

ALTHOUGH ADHESIVES ARE STATED TO HAVE BEEN INTRODUCED AT LA GUAYRA IN 1865, NO STAMPED COVER IS RECORDED BEFORE 1871 AND THE C60 OBLITERATOR IS NOT RECORDED BEFORE 1873. DURING 1871-73 THE CROWNED CIRCLE HANDSTAMP WAS USED AS A CANCELLER. ONLY THREE COVERS AND THREE FRONTS FROM THIS PERIOD ARE RECORDED. RARE AND IMPORTANT



- 273 4p, Plate 13, tied by very fine strike of "C60" postmark on folded letter sheet (small faults not mentioned in certificate) bearing large blue CORREOS LA GUAYRA DIC 9 1874 c.d.s., denoting internal postage paid, LA-GUAYRA same-day transit and handstamped NEW YORK U.S. CURRENCY JAN 2 DUE 10 on arrival, blue merchant's oval lower left, ST. THOMAS DE21 14 transit on reverse. Holcombe Cert. (1989) and signed by him.

Est. Cash Value \$750



- 274 1879 Folded letter with fine strike of double circle CORREOS LA GUAYRA postmark, paying local postage, rated red ms. "1/1½" with matching LA-GUAYRA PAID FE 4 79 c.d.s. and SHIP-LETTER LONDON PAID, via Calais, Bordeaux receiver on reverse, fine. Holcombe Cert. (1990) and cover signed by him.

Est. Cash Value \$500

End of Sale

AUCTION DATES _____

\$ _____
(Minimum \$250)

I UNDERSTAND THAT A 15% COMMISSION WILL BE ADDED TO THE "HAMMER" PRICE.

MAILING ADDRESS _____
(IF DIFFERENT) _____

Signature _____ Daytime Telephone No. _____

☐ DEPOSIT \$ _____

☐ List of prices realized. \$1 enclosed

WRITE CLEARLY — MAIL EARLY — BY AIR FROM OVERSEAS
The amount of my bid does not include the 15% commission to be added to the "hammer" price.

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CONDITION OF SALE VIII Requests for time extension should be made on the special form which will accompany purchases.

☐ I WOULD LIKE TO RECEIVE ONE YEAR'S CATALOGUES INCLUDING PRICES REALIZED.
I ENCLOSE \$20.00 (BULK), \$30.00 (FIRST CLASS), \$60.00 (OVERSEAS).

☐ I AM ALSO INTERESTED IN SELLING. PLEASE SEND YOUR BROCHURE.

Fold

Fold

Cut Here

Facilities for the mail-bidder

1. Where you want one of several similar lots, bid on all such lots adding an "or" between.
2. If you want to limit your purchases, simply insert the amount on face of bid form. When limit is reached subsequent bids will be deleted.
3. Postal viewing. See Auction Catalogue.
4. Valuations of lots in which clients are interested will be supplied on receipt of a stamped, addressed envelope or card.

5. "Buy" bids are respectfully declined to prevent misunderstandings. Instead please give your maximum bid and we will, as always, endeavor to save you as much as competitive bidding will permit.

6. While every care and attention is taken in executing written bids the Auctioneer shall not be liable for errors and omissions, whether such errors or omissions be those of the bidder or those of the Auctioneer.

fold here and seal

NEW BIDDERS

If this is your first venture in a Harmer Auction, please include a deposit of 25% of your bids.

Credit references (the bank in which you carry a regular checking account and one or two stamp dealers or auctioneers who have extended you credit facilities) will enable us to handle your future bids without a deposit.

HAVE YOU CHECKED

YOUR BIDS,

ENTERED DATE

OF SALE, YOUR

NAME AND ADDRESS

AND SIGNED THIS

BID FORM?

H. R. HARMER INC.

3 EAST 28th STREET
NEW YORK, NY 10016 USA

**DATED BIDS
—IMPORTANT—**

NOVEMBER AUCTION

**HARMERS ANNUAL PRE A.S.D.A. AUCTION
WILL BE HELD VERY EARLY IN NOVEMBER**

This General Sale will include:

**United States
British Commonwealth
&
Foreign**

The exact date and time to be announced.

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CONDITIONS OF SALE

THE PLACING OF A BID SHALL CONSTITUTE ACCEPTANCE OF THE CONDITIONS OF SALE

BIDDING

1. Unless announced otherwise by the auctioneer, all bids are per lot, as numbered in the printed Catalogue. H.R. Harmer, Inc. (hereinafter "Harmers"), License #s 672829, 780870, as agent for the consignor or vendor, shall regulate the bidding and shall determine the manner in which the bidding shall be conducted. Harmers reserves the right to withdraw any lot prior to sale (without liability to any potential purchaser or agent), to re-offer any withdrawn lot, to divide a lot or to group two or more lots belonging to the same consignor or vendor, and to refuse any bid believed not made in good faith.
2. The highest bid acknowledged by the auctioneer shall prevail. Should a dispute arise between bidders (including a dispute between a floor bidder and the auctioneer acting on behalf of a mail bidder, consignor or vendor,) the auctioneer alone shall determine who is the successful bidder and whether to reoffer the lot in dispute. Should a dispute arise after the sale, the auctioneer's sale records shall be conclusive. On all lots sold, a commission of 15% on the hammer price is payable by the buyer.
3. (a). The auctioneer reserves the right to bid on behalf of clients (and consignors or vendors) but shall not be liable for errors and omissions in executing instructions to bid, however received, and whether such errors or omissions be those of the bidder or agent or those of the auctioneer.
 (b) All lots are offered subject to a reserve price. The auctioneer may implement such reserve price. The auctioneer may implement such reserve price by bidding on behalf of the consignor or vendor.
 (c) It may also be assumed that all consignors have been advanced monies against the sale of their stamps and Harmers therefore has a security interest over and above the normal auction commission.
 (d) Purchases made by a consignor or vendor or his agent on his own lots shall be considered as a sale subject to commissions and sales tax as applicable.
 (e) Agents are responsible for all purchases made on behalf of their clients, unless other arrangements have been confirmed in writing prior to the auction.

PAYMENT FOR PURCHASES

4. Payment for lots, including those on which opinions are desired (Condition of Sale 8), shall be as follows:
 - (a) **Floor Bidders.** Payment of the purchase price, or such part thereof as Harmers shall require, shall be made by the purchaser in such manner as Harmers may determine. The name and address of the purchaser of each lot shall be given to the auctioneer immediately following the sale of such lot.
 - (b) **Mail Bidders.** A successful mail bidder will be notified of lots purchased. Before Harmers will send such lots, payment in full must be received by Harmers within three (3) business days of receipt of the aforesaid notification by the mail bidder. However, a purchaser known to Harmers, or who furnishes satisfactory references, may at Harmers option, have purchases delivered or forwarded for immediate payment (by a dollar draft on a U.S. bank in the case of overseas purchasers). Mailed delivery will be to the address on the bid sheet and proof by Harmers of receipt of a sending at the advised address shall constitute delivery. All charges for handling, delivery and insurance (obtained by Harmers on behalf of the purchaser) shall be added to the purchase price; a minimum charge of \$1.00 will be made. Risk of loss in transit shall be on the purchaser.
 - (c) Where an opinion of a generally recognized authority is desired, the time for payment may be extended in accord with and subject to Condition of Sale 8.
5. Title shall not pass to the purchaser until full payment has been received by Harmers as agents for the consignor or vendor.
6. (a) Purchasers agree to pay for lots as specified in Condition of Sale 4 (or as the same may be modified by Condition of Sale 8), and no credit is extended; a late payment charge of 2% for the first month and 2 1/2% for each succeeding month compounded shall be added if payment is not made in accordance with the aforesaid conditions.
 (b) In the event that a bidder shall fail to comply with these Conditions of Sale ("Non-Complying Bidder"), then, as to any lot with respect to which such failure to comply occurs, Harmers may, in its sole discretion, re-offer such lot during the same auction or at an auction at a later time, or by private treaty at such time as Harmers, in its sole discretion, deems appropriate and the Non-Complying Bidder shall be liable for the deficiency, if any, between the hammer price and the net proceeds of a sale to a subsequent purchaser, whether at auction or by private treaty, as well as for all costs and expenses of both sales, all other charges due thereunder, including commissions with respect to both sales, whether payable to Harmers or to a third party and all incidental damages. It shall be in Harmers' sole discretion to determine whether to re-offer the lot theretofore hammered-down to a Non-Complying Bidder at the same auction, or by private treaty in due course, or at a subsequent auction conducted by Harmers. In no event shall any surplus arising from the sale of a re-offered lot be payable to a Non-Complying Bidder.
 (c) A defaulting purchaser shall be deemed to have granted Harmers a security interest in property in Harmers possession owned by such purchaser. Harmers shall have all of the rights afforded a secured party under the New York Uniform Commercial Code with respect to such property and may apply against such obligations all monies held or received by it for the account of, or due from Harmers to such purchaser.
 (d) If Harmers takes any legal steps to secure payment of a delinquent account, the defaulting purchaser shall be liable for all legal and other expenses incurred by Harmers to secure such payment, including but not limited to a reasonable allowance for attorneys' fees. For purposes of this paragraph, the term legal steps shall be deemed to include any and all consultation by Harmers with its attorneys with respect to all matters arising out of a delinquent account.

EXHIBITION AND INSPECTION OF LOTS; QUALITY AND AUTHENTICITY

7. (a) **On Premises Inspection and Postal Viewing.** Ample opportunity is given for on premises inspection prior to the auction date, and, upon written request and at Harmers discretion, for inspection by postal viewing (all as detailed elsewhere in this Catalogue).
 (b) Each lot is sold as genuine and correctly described, based on individual description as modified by any specific notations in this Catalogue, including but not restricted to the section entitled "Key to Cataloguing".
 (c) **Quality.** Any lot which a purchaser considers to be incorrectly described may be returned to Harmers within two weeks of its receipt by such purchaser ("Returning Purchaser"), provided, however, that the same is received by Harmers within four weeks of the date of the auction; however, Harmers may, in its discretion, refuse acceptance of such returned lot. If an opinion of a generally recognized authority is desired, the period of time within which a lot must be received by Harmers will be extended in accordance with Condition of Sale 8. In the event that a dispute cannot be resolved by reference to a generally recognized authority, and Harmers thereupon undertakes to re-offer the lot with a description identical to the description disputed, the Returning Purchaser shall be liable for the deficiency, if any, between the proceeds of the sale to the Returning Purchaser and the proceeds of a sale to a subsequent purchaser, as well as for all costs and expenses of the re-sale, including commission, and all incidental damages. Any lot, the description of which is disputed, must be returned intact in the condition received by the purchaser. The following lots are not returnable except at the discretion of Harmers: (i) lots from purchasers who attended the exhibition of the lots; (ii) lots examined by postal viewers; (iii) lots on account of their appearance, if they are illustrated in this Catalogue; (iv) lots described as having repairs, defects or faults—for any reason; (v) U.S. stamps (through 1918) for reasons of paper inclusions.
 (d) **Authenticity.** Any lot which is declared otherwise than genuine by a generally recognized authority is returnable, provided such lot is received by Harmers within four weeks of the date of the auction. Proof that a generally recognized authority declines to express an opinion is normally grounds for the return of a lot.
 (e) Expenses incurred in the submission and the return of a lot under Conditions of Sale 7-9 are not refunded.

EXTENSION OF TIME

8. (a) When an opinion from a generally recognized authority is not expected or available within four weeks from the date of the auction, the purchaser shall:
 - (i) within seven days of receipt thereof submit the lot to one of the generally recognized authorities.
 - (ii) notify Harmers, in writing (and preferably on the form supplied), of such submission no later than four weeks from the date of the auction. Such notification shall be deemed given when received by Harmers and shall include the name and address of the authority to whom the lot has been submitted.
- (b) A prospective purchaser wishing to submit a lot to an authority not accepted by Harmers shall, prior to the date of the auction, request in writing permission for such submission and obtain confirmation of such request from Harmers. The auctioneer reserves the right to refuse a bid where the authority requested is not acceptable on any grounds, which grounds need not be disclosed by Harmers.
- (c) Payment for lots upon which an extension of time is obtained pursuant to this Condition of Sale 8 may be made in accord with Condition of Sale 4, subject to the following (paragraph d) and herein.
- (d) If a lot is certified by a generally recognized authority to be other than as described:
 - (i) the sale (and the invoice with respect thereto, if outstanding) will be cancelled; and,
 - (ii) to the extent set forth in Condition of Sale 9, payment of the expense of certification will be made to the purchaser.

EXPENSES OF CERTIFICATION

9. Expenses of certification shall be borne by the purchaser except where a lot is certified other than as described and is returned to Harmers in accordance with Condition of Sale 8.

SALES TAX

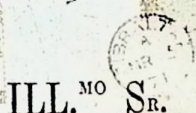
10. Unless exempted by law, a purchaser shall pay New York State and local sales taxes, or any compensating use taxes of any other State.

APPLICABLE LAW, JURISDICTION, ETC.

11. All matters arising out of this auction shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York without giving effect to the choice of law principles thereof.
12. Any controversy or claim arising out of or relating to this auction shall be settled by arbitration in the City of New York, State of New York in accordance with the Rules of the American Arbitration Association and judgment upon the award rendered by the Arbitrator or Arbitrators may be entered in any Court having jurisdiction.
13. The purchaser at this auction (a) consents and submits to the jurisdiction of the Courts of the State of New York and of the Courts of the United States for a judicial district within the territorial limits of the State of New York for all matters arising out of this auction sale, including, without limitation, any action or proceeding instituted for the enforcement of any right, remedy, obligation and liability arising under or by reason thereof; and (b) consents and submits to the venue of such action or proceeding in the City and County of New York (or such judicial district of a Court of the United States as shall include the same).

*For United States stamps, the generally recognized authority, unless otherwise agreed, shall be the Philatelic Foundation of New York.

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