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## **British and Overseas**

- ♦ **Australian States** (Trevor Davis Grand Prix Collection), New South Wales (Dale Forster Postal History Collection), extensive G.B., Cyprus, Ireland, Mauritius and Collections etc.
- ♦ **Americas** with USA
- ♦ **Asia:** Cambodia & Laos (Wallberg Large Gold Medal Collection), China, Japan, Korea etc.
- ♦ **Airmails:** with Zeppelins, Rocket Mail etc.
- ♦ **Thematics:** with Football, Polar Mail etc.



**Nauru**

**10509** \*\* \* 68 1916-23 1/2d to 10s, mint duplicated sel'n on stockcards, generally fine to v.fine (54)(SG £1825) **600**

**Newfoundland**

**10510** ☉ 68 1857 2d Scarlet-vermilion, bright & fresh colour, clear to large margins, neatly cancelled black grid, very fine, scarce, Dena certificate (SG £4'500) 2 **1'600**

**10511** ☉ 1857 1s Scarlet-vermilion, clear to large margins, neatly cancelled black grid, fresh &, scarce (SG £4'750) 9 **1'600**

**10512** (\*) 1911 View of Mosquito 8c yellow-brown, marginal imperf. pair, unused, fine 112b **120**

**10513** \*\* \* 1928 Publicity issue, 2c red, block of four with dramatic misperforation, lh at top only, v.fine 165 **150**

**10514** \* (\*) ☉ 1857-64 Selection of 35 mint & used from the 1857, 1860 & 1862/64 issues including highly catalogued items especially from the 1st issue, unused include a few reprints, mixed condition, all on three stockcards (Est.SFr. 3'000/4'000) **Offer**

**New Guinea****N.W. PACIFIC ISLANDS OPTS (SG 65-124A)**

**10515** ✉ 1/2d Bright green (2) + 1d dull red (2) + 2d grey (2) tied on cover to Australia by viol. oval 'RABAUL NEW BRITAIN JUN 10 1915' cds, v.fine 65,67,73 **280**

**New Hebrides****FRENCH INSCRIPTION ISSUES**

**10516** E 1908 New Caledonia 5c, 10c, 25c, 50c & 1F with trial overprint NELLES HEBRIDES, mint, fine F1/F5 **200**

## New South Wales and Australian States

**Within the following section of the auction we are  
pleased to include:**

### Trevor Davis Grand Prix Collection of Australian States

### The Dale Forster Postal History of New South Wales

**New South Wales Postal History**

**THE PRE-POSTAL PERIOD**

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1810 Folded letter to Sterling, signed and dated 7th May 1810 by Lachlan Macquarie, Lt. Colonel of the 73rd Regiment at Sydney (he was appointed Governor of NSW in 1810), probably carried by HMS "Porpoise", rated 1s1d inland with London and Edinburgh datestamps.  
Fine and a rare early letter prior to the establishment of the Post Office in Sydney, particularly desirable being written by Macquarie. Ex. Druce

4'000

**THE FIRST SYDNEY HANDSTAMP**



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1816 Letter from Richard Wise, clerk at the Sydney Post Office to Kent, with two marvellous strikes of the undated circular SYDNEY/NEW SOUTH WALES in black, sent by private ship "Alexander", and with framed SHIP LETTER of London, rated 1s7d.  
Wise notes in this letter "We shall put the Post Office Stamp on the outside of the letter for we stamp them all".  
A spectacular and famous piece, illustrated in the "Postal History of New South Wales" at page 40. Only five covers are known outside institutional archives. Ex. Druce

25'000



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1819 Letter to London with a very clear strike of the undated circular SYDNEY/NEW SOUTH WALES in black, sent by private ship "Shipleigh", rated 1s4d with PORTSMOUTH/SHIP LETTER in red, written March 17th and received in London December 9th.

12'000

An unusually nice example of this first Sydney Postal marking, with only five noted in private hands. Ex. Druce





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COUNTRY POST OFFICES



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| <b>10534</b> | ☒   | 1835 Letter from Port Stephens to London showing one of the two known double circle CARRINGTON/POST OFFICE/NSW/PORT-STEPHENS in brownish, matching framed CARRINGTON/POST PAID at right, "coiled rope" GPO SYDNEY oval in black, backstamped INDIA LETTER/PLYMOUTH.  | <b>8'000</b> |
|              |     | Paid 1s in NSW (5d to Newcastle, 4d local ship + 3d sea rate) and charged 1s3d in the UK.<br>A spectacular rarity. Ex. Druce   |              |
| <b>10535</b> | ☒   | 77 1836 Letter from Bong Bong to Falkirk with framed BONG BONG/POST PAID in black, partial BONG BONG/N.S.W. cds at right, two strikes of GPO SYDNEY oval, Scots Additional Halfpenny marking and FALKIRK/PENNY POST, backstamped red INDIA LETTER/PENZANCE. Sent by private ship "Vestal", paid 11d colonial, with 1s 8 1/2d UK due.<br>Rare. Ex. Druce  | <b>2'500</b> |
| <b>10536</b> | ☒   | 1836 Cover (no side flaps) to London endorsed "double letter 1/10" with framed BATHURST/POST PAID in red, INDIA LETTER/PORTSMOUTH in black, paid 1s10d colonial, 1s8d UK due, scarce, ex. Druce  | <b>600</b>   |
| <b>10537</b> | ☒   | 77 1837 Letter to Edinburgh with clear framed PORT/MACQUARIE/PAID in red, backstamped black circular PORT MACQUARIE/NSW, GPO SYDNEY oval and red INDIA LETTER/DOVER, paid 7d (4d coastal ship + 3d sea) and sent by private ship "Louisa", charged 1s6d UK.<br>Slight faults on reverse. Rare. Ex. Druce   | <b>2'000</b> |
| <b>10538</b> | ☒   | 77 1838 Cover (part top flap missing) to Leicester with framed MUSCLEBROOK/PAID (the only recorded example in black), paid 1s3d incl. coastal ship 4d, sent by private ship "Cecilia" and charged 2s2d UK. Ex. Druce   | <b>800</b>   |
| <b>10539</b> | ☒   | 1839 Letter from Darlington to Sydney with framed DARLINGTON/POST PAID in red, faint DARLINGTON/NSW cds in black, backstamped GPO/SYDNEY oval, rated 10d (6d to Newcastle + 4d coastal ship). Ex. Druce  | <b>600</b>   |
| <b>10540</b> | (☒) | 77 1839 Front and part back to Cambridge showing the distinctive framed POST PAID of Queyanbeyan in red (only known for this office), with black QUEANBEYAN/N.S.W./ POST OFFICE at left, red PAID SHIP LETTER of Sydney, backstamped INDIA LETTER/PENZANCE.<br>Paid 1s2d colonial, 8d UK due (Uniform Ship Rate, being delivered in May 1840). Ex. Druce | <b>800</b>   |
| <b>10541</b> | ☒   | 77 1842 Cover to Middlesex with framed PAID AT/EAST MAITLAND in red, PAID SHIP LETTER of Sydney in red, backstamped oval EAST MAITLAND/NEW S. WALES and framed LIVERPOOL SHIP in black.<br>Paid 1s2d colonial (incl. 4d coastal ship), due 1s4d in UK. Slight edge wear  | <b>900</b>   |



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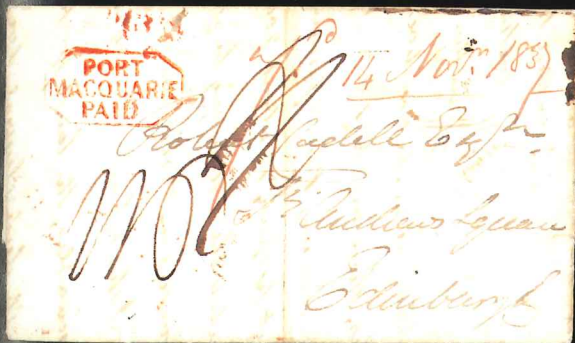
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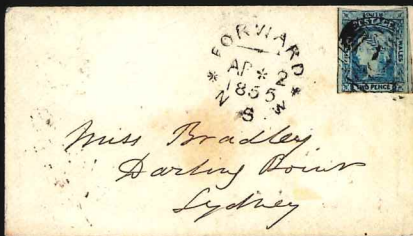
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**10558** ☒ 81 VIA BATHURST: 1837 Cover to the Superintendent of Police at Goulburn rated 10d with circular PARRAMATTA/NSW and framed VIA/BATHURST in black used as a missent marking, rare, ex. Druce **900**

**10559** ☒ 81 VIA MAITLAND: 1840 Cover to Morpeth rated 10d with framed VIA MAITLAND missent marking in black on face, backstamped MAITLAND/POST OFFICE for FE.17 and FE.18. Rare, ex. Druce **700**

**10560** ☒ 81 VIA WINDSOR: 1850 Cover from Richmond to Liverpool, turned at Windsor with framed VIA/WINDSOR in black on face, rare, ex. Druce **700**

**NEW ZEALAND UNDER NSW ADMINISTRATION**

**10561** ☒ 81 1839 Folded letter from Hikianga River to Sydney, sent by private ship "Francis Spaight" (so endorsed on face), charged 3d incoming ship only, with fine GPO SYDNEY oval type 57. A scarce pre-1840 letter **600**

**10562** ☒ 18 1840 Official cover from Kororareka to the colonial Secretary at Sydney, with framed FREE/KORORARIKA/N.Z. in red, backstamped oval KORORARIKA/NEW ZEALAND and GPO SYDNEY oval in black, sent by private ship "Platina". A charge of 8d has been mistakenly applied and cancelled, as the letter passed free. A rare item from the first Post Office in New Zealand. Ex. Druce **1'800**

**QUEENSLAND (MORETON BAY DISTRICT) UNDER NSW ADMINISTRATION**



**10563** ☒ 1843 Folded cover from Edinburgh to Sydney, redirected to Moreton Bay, paid 8d ship rate with a strip of four pair and two single 1841 1d red, black Maltese Crosses, red oval PAID SHIP LETTER of London on face for 15.FE, backstamped SHIP LETTER/SYDNEY cds for JU.30 charged 7d incl. 4d coastal ship. **3'000**

Two stamps affected by file folds. A rare early stamped letter to Moreton Bay (one other similar franking is known)

**10564** ☒ 81 1844 Letter from Warhill, Scotland to Brisbane prepaid 1s Packet with blue OLD RAIN/OC 26/1844, sent by Toulmin Contract Packet "Ann Grant" and charged 7d incl. coastal ship. Backstamped Ship Letter Sydney for MA.12.1845, colourful **800**

**10565** ☒ 81 1848 Letter from Kangaroo Point, Moreton Bay, to Scotland prepaid 7d (4d coastal ship + 3d to Packet) with framed PAID AT/BRISBANE in red, Sydney Paid Ship letter for AP.1, backstamped oval BRISBANE/NEW S. WALES for MA.28, London transit of 6.AU. Sent by Toulmin Packet "Alert". Rare, ex. Druce **1'800**

**10566** ☒ 83 1851 Letter from Brisbane Town to Wiltshire prepaid 5d (2d inland + 3d to ship) with framed PAID AT/BRISBANE in black, Sydney Paid Ship Letter in red for MY.5, backstamped BRISBANE/NEW S. WALES for AP.29 and London transit for 25.SP., charged 8d UK ship. This is the only known example of the Paid at Brisbane in black. Rare **2'500**



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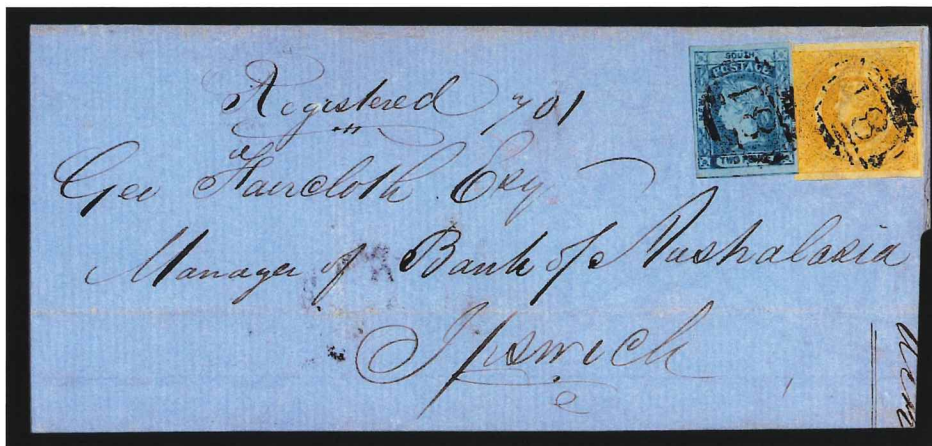


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| <b>10567</b> | ✉ | 83 | 1851 Folded letter from Canning Creek, near Drayton, to Carcoar prepaid 2d single inland, with Sydney View 2d Pl. IV tied by "85" numeral of Drayton, matching cds for JU.21 at left, backstamped Sydney and Carcoar  | <b>1'800</b> |
| <b>10568</b> | ✉ | 83 | 1851 Front and part back from Warwick to Sydney paid 4d double inland with a pair of Sydney View 2d Pl. IV sharing a single "81" numeral of Warwick, cut into but rare  | <b>800</b>   |
| <b>10569</b> | ✉ | 83 | 1853 Letter from Gayndah to Wales, redirected to Hampshire, paid 5d (2d inland + 3d to ship) with Laureated 1d + 2d pair tied by "86" numeral of Gayndah, backstamped GAYNDAH/N.S.W. for JA.16, sent by private ship and charged 8d UK + 1d redirection. Rare       | <b>900</b>   |
| <b>10570</b> | ✉ | 83 | 1854 Cover from Drayton to Scotland, prepaid 1s5d (5d + 1s optional prepayment of Packet rate) with Laureated 2d + 3d and pair of Diadem 6d tied "85" numerals of Drayton treated as a Ship Letter (though paid for Packet) with red manus. "8". Colourful and rare | <b>1'800</b> |
| <b>10571</b> | ✉ | 83 | 1855 Cover "per Boomerang" Brisbane to Sydney paid 4d double inland with a pair of Laureated 2d cancelled "95" numeral of Brisbane, backstamped BRISBANE/N.S.W. of OC.10, Sydney arrival of OC.13, sent by coastal ship. Fresh and attractive                       | <b>700</b>   |
| <b>10572</b> | ✉ | 81 | 1855 (circa) Cover to Ipswich paid 2d inland with a pair of Laureated 1d cancelled manuscript "Goomburra" in black. Goomburra (near Surat) did not have a Post Office, very unusual   | <b>500</b>   |



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| <b>10573</b> | ✉   |    | 1856 Folded cover to Ipswich prepaid 4d double inland + 6d registration fee, with Laureated 2d and Diadem 8d yellow cancelled "81" numeral of Warwick, backstamped Warwick MY.17, Drayton and Ipswich.<br><br>A most unusual use of the rare 8d to pay a registered letter (instead of the usual 6d registered stamp). 8d with faint crease. Very rare   | <b>7'000</b> |
| <b>10574</b> | ✉   | 83 | 1856 Cover Warwick to Mainz, Germany prepaid 1s2d Packet rate via Southampton with pair of Diadem 1d and single 1s cancelled light "81" numeral of Warwick, sent by E+ARM Packet "Oneida" which broke down in the Indian Ocean (mails transferred to the "European"), Warwick despatch DE.27, Sydney transit JA.10, Marseille entry 3.MAI and Mainz arrival 4.MAI, over 4 months in transit. Slight edge faults, rare, cert. RPS | <b>1'800</b> |
| <b>10575</b> | ✉   | 83 | 1856 Front and part back to Ipswich prepaid 8d quadruple inland + 6d registration fee, with a block of four Diadem 2d and a single Registered 6d tied "85" numerals of Drayton, slight faults, a rare franking. Cert. APS  | <b>1'200</b> |
| <b>10576</b> | (✉) | 85 | 1859 Front to Canada prepaid 1s2d Packet + 6d Registration, with Diadem 2d + two 6d and Registered 6d cancelled rayed "95" numeral of Brisbane, black REGISTERED/BRISBANE, red British and Canadian Crown/REGISTERED, and PAID LONDON on face. Slight soiling, a rare franking   | <b>1'800</b> |



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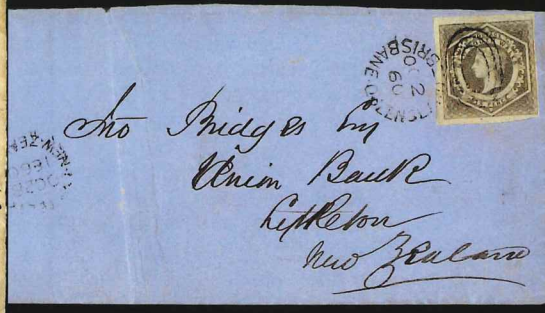


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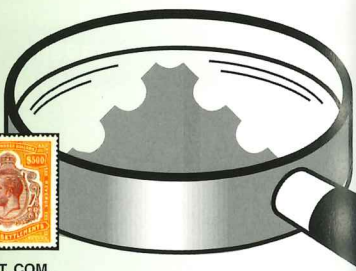
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| <b>10585</b>   | ✉ | 85 | 1842 Folded entire Melbourne 1.FEB to Suffolk, marked "Ship Letter per Enmore", boxed PAID AT MELBOURNE in red alongside, the undated MELBOURNE/NSW, RL type 4, handstamp on reverse is believed to have acted as a ship letter hs at this time, transported via Cape Horn, v.fine & very rare<br>Rate: 3d Victoria outgoing, 8d UK incoming | <b>2'000</b> |
| <b>10586</b>   | ✉ | 85 | 1846 Cover to Scotland "p. Glenbervie" with framed PAID AT/PORTT FAIRY in red, oval Sydney Paid Ship Letter, backstamped oval Port Fairy (day omitted) and Melbourne AU.14, boxed Calcutta GPO transit. Prepaid 1s8d (incl. 1s5d inland) and charged 2s7d UK, ex. Druce  | <b>600</b>   |
| <b>10587</b>   | ✉ | 83 | 1847 Folded cover to Portland rated 8d mileage, with framed THE GRANGE/POST PAID in black, backstamped oval THE GRANGE/PORT PHILLIP for JY.27, scarce, ex. Druce   | <b>500</b>   |
| <b>10588</b>   | ✉ | 85 | 1849 Letter from Glasgow to the Crawford River, Grange, paid 1s via Toulmin Packet "Artemisia" to Sydney, charged 1s8d colonial, with framed MISSENT TO/THE GRANGE in black on face (rare), backstamped Sydney Ship Letter JY.11 and Melbourne ovals for JY.10, JY.25.<br>Endorsed on face "Deceased", ex. Druce                             | <b>1'200</b> |
| <b>VICTORIA FIRST ISSUE UNDER NSW ADMINISTRATION</b> |   |    |  |              |
| <b>10589</b>   | ✉ | 87 | 1850 Cover to Melbourne prepaid 2d inland with half length 2d grey lilac (contemporary ink blot) clearly cancelled "15/V" butterfly of Geelong in blue, oval GEELONG/PORT PHILLIP for AP.5 on reverse.<br>Very fresh, ex. Pack and Druce   | <b>1'000</b> |
| <b>10590</b>   | ✉ | 85 | 1850 Front and part back to London "by first ship" prepaid 5d inland + to ship, with half length 2d grey lilac, 3d blue ("bullet hole" var.) cancelled blue "3/V" butterfly of Seymour, backstamped blue oval SEYMOUR/PORT PHILLIP for AU.4, charged 8d UK ship  | <b>600</b>   |
| <b>10591</b>   | ✉ |    | 1851 Cover sent locally in Melbourne, prepaid for the penny town rate with half length 1d dull red brown clearly cancelled "1/V" butterfly of Melbourne, matching MELBOURNE/PORT PHILLIP oval for JA.28 on reverse. Scarce rate, ex. Pack and Druce  | <b>900</b>   |



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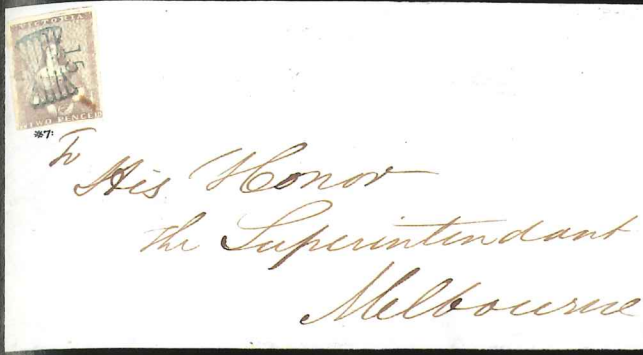
  
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THE  
**Shipping Gazette,**  
 AND  
**SYDNEY GENERAL TRADE LIST.**

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## NEW SOUTH WALES AND VICTORIA COMBINATIONS



10592 ☒

1850 Letter Melbourne to London, directed "via Sydney" and prepaid 2d inland + 3d to ship WITH COMBINATION FRANKING OF VICTORIA HALF LENGTH 2d AND NSW SYDNEY VIEW 3d cancelled "1/V" butterfly of Melbourne, red oval Sydney Paid Ship Letter for AU.10 at left, charged 8d UK ship.

80'000

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A legal combination, as Victoria did not separate from New South Wales until 1.7.1851 (the letter inside mentions "Port Phillip is to get separation from Sydney") and both stamps were postally valid.

A spectacular and unique combination franking from Victoria being the only known Sydney View and Half-Length franking recorded used from Victoria.

Illustrated in colour in the "Postal History of New South Wales". Ex. Wiggins, cert. RPS



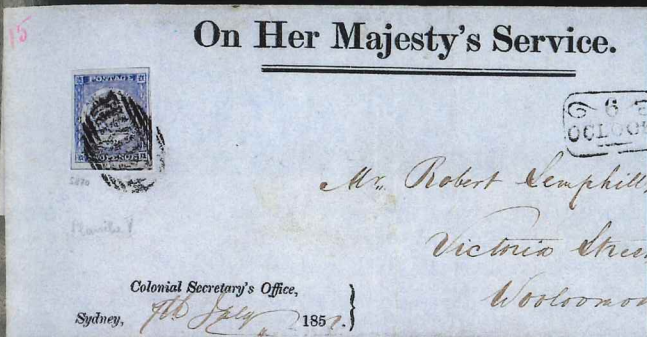




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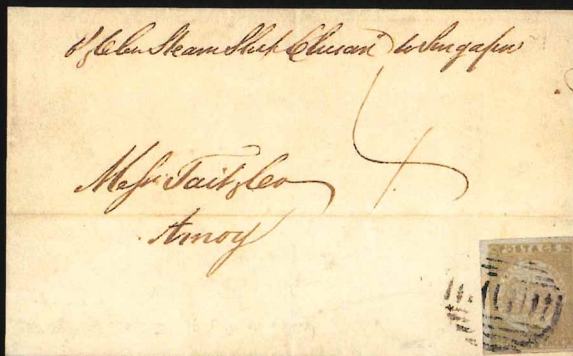
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**SYDNEY VIEWS: RATES**



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| <b>10605</b> | ✉ | 3d Single to ship: 1851 Cover (no side flaps) Sydney to Scotland with strip of 3 1d Pl. II on laid paper, large margins and fresh, tied barred ovals, red Sydney cds for MY.12.1851 at left, charged 8d UK ship. Fine and rare, signed A.D(iena)  | <b>8'000</b> |
| <b>10606</b> | ✉ | 91 3d Single to ship: 1850 Folded cover to London prepaid NSW with Sydney View 3d tied Sydney oval, framed QUEEN'S WHARF sub office in black, Sydney Paid Ship Letter for SE.10 in red. Sent by private ship "Diana" to Hong Kong to connect with P+O Packet service via Suez and Marseille, charged 2s3d China Packet in UK, very unusual.<br><br>A unique usage (via Hong Kong) and the Queen's Wharf is also rare. | <b>3'600</b> |
| <b>10607</b> | ✉ | 91 3d Single to ship: 1850 Cover to Edinburgh prepaid 3d NSW with a vert. strip of 3 Sydney View 1d Pl. I tied Sydney ovals, red Paid Ship Letter for SE.27, sent by private ship and charged UK 8d. File fold crosses top stamp, probably no more than 5 or 6 covers known with three 1d, ex. Druce, Wiggins   | <b>3'000</b> |
| <b>10608</b> | ✉ | 91 3d Single to ship: 1850 Front and part back to Yorkshire with 1d Pl. I + 2d Pl. II tied Sydney barred ovals, red oval Sydney PAID SHIP LETTER for JU.5 at right, charged 8d UK ship. Scarce  | <b>2'600</b> |
| <b>10609</b> | ✉ | 91 3d Single to ship: 1852 Folded cover Sydney AU.30 to Amoy, China with a very fine 3d tied barred oval, sent by P+O Packet "Chusan" via Singapore and Hong Kong, "4" due on arrival   | <b>2'000</b> |
| <b>10610</b> | ✉ | 91 3d to ship: 1850-51 3d Yellow-green on cover Sydney to London bearing on reverse SHIP LETTER/SYDNEY NO 10 1852 hs together with LIVERPOOL SHIP MR 1853 arrival in green, endorsed "pr Falcon, via Lpool", transported via Cape Horn, prepayment of NSW postage with adhesive stamps became compulsory on 1st May 1852, v.fine (SG 42)<br>Rate: 3d NSW outgoing, 8d UK incoming (manuscript)                        | <b>1'200</b> |
| <b>10611</b> | ✉ | 91 3d to ship: 2d Blue on cover Sydney to London, red PAID SHIP LETTER/SYDNEY MAR 15 1851 alongside, marked "Per Tamar", non-contract private mail, transported via Cape Horn, adhesive with small faults BR, fine (SG 32)<br>Rate: 3d NSW outgoing (1d in cash, 2d adhesive), 8d UK incoming   | <b>900</b>   |



**SYDNEY VIEWS: RATES**



**10614** ☒

5d Inland and to ship: 1850 Front and part back to Northumberland with a horizontal STRIP OF FIVE 1d lake Pl. I (the complete top row of the sheet), tied by "28" numerals of Ulladulla, red Sydney Paid Ship Letter for JY.25, charged 8d single UK ship.  
Trivial imperfections, a spectacular franking, the largest such of the 1d Sydney View. Ex. Boucher

**7'000**



**10615** ☒

5d Inland and to ship: 1851 Cover to Scotland with 1d rose Pl. I and a vertical pair of 2d pale blue Pl. III, cancelled "48" numerals of Tarcutta, red Sydney Paid Ship Letter for JY.18, charged 8d single UK ship.  
Rare and attractive

**6'000**

**10616** ☒

91 5d Inland and to ship: 1850 Folded cover to Edinburgh with 2d Pl. III + 3d yellow green (crossed by file fold), each with large markings, sharing "82" numeral of Armidale, red Sydney Paid Ship Letter for SE.18 at left, charged 8d single UK ship.  
Fresh and a rare franking. Ex. Burrus

**3'000**

**10617** ☒

97 6d Double to ship: 1851 Front and part back "by ship Duke of Wellington" to Birmingham with a large margined strip of 3 2d Prussian blue Pl. IV tied by Sydney ovals, red circular PAID for JY.12, charged 1s4d double UK ship. Rare

**3'000**

**10618** ☒

97 6d Double to ship: 1851 Folded cover to "p. Alert" to London with two 3d pale emerald on bluish (good to large margins) tied by Sydney ovals, backstamped Sydney Ship Letter for OC.16, charged 1s4d UK double ship. A rare double franking. Ex. Burrus

**3'000**

**SYDNEY VIEWS: RATES**

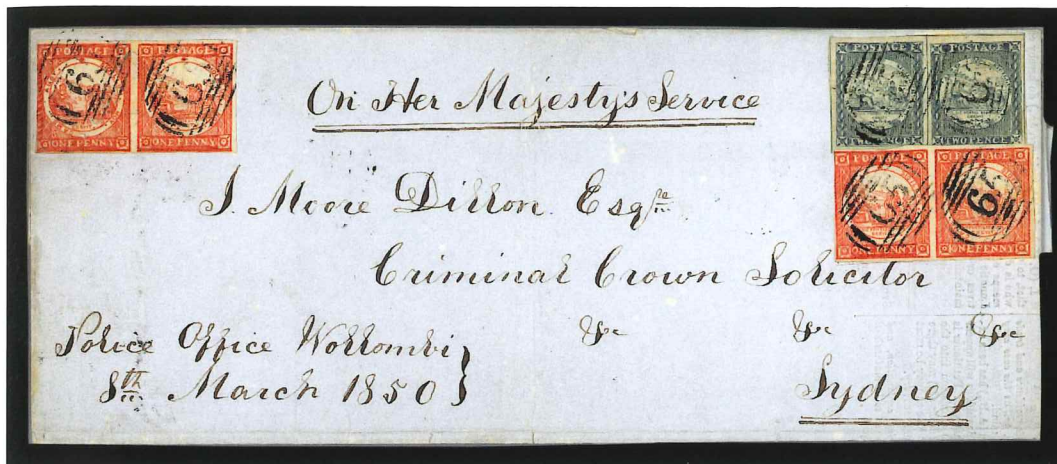
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6d Double to ship: 1851 Front "p. Stratheden" to London with single and pair 1d Gooseberry red Pl. II (originally a strip of 3) tied Sydney ovals, balance of rate paid in cash with red manus. "3", showing Sydney crowned PAID for DE.13 (type P5, used on cash letters) charged 1s4d UK double ship.  
A rare combination to make the double rate and a rare usage of the Gooseberry red. Ex. Hutson

2'500



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8d Quadruple inland: 1850 Printed petition (for commitment to Asylum) from the Police Office at Wollombi to Sydney, Bearing two pairs of 1d rose Pl. I and a pair of 2d greyish blue Pl. I early, black "65" numerals, matching Wollombi despatch for MR.12 on reverse.

25'000

One 1d with closed pin holes where filed. A stupendous and unique franking, especially from one of the rarer small offices.  
Ex. Amundsen and Wiggins, cert. RPS



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8d Quadruple inland: 1850 Wrapper to Port Macquarie rated for 2 ounces with four single 2d grey blue Pl. II (one from lower left corner of the sheet - pos. 13 with var. CREVIT omitted), black Sydney ovals, backstamped Sydney GPO for AP.15 (the earliest known usage of Pl. II).

20'000

Light file fold crosses the second 2d. This is the largest recorded franking of the 2d Sydney View.  
Unique and desirable exhibition piece. Cert. BPA, ex. Boucher

**SYDNEY VIEWS: RATES**

- 10622**    ☒    97    9d Single registered to ship: 1852 Cover to London with 3d yellow green (postage) + Laureated 6d brown (registration fee) stamps barely touched, cancelled Sydney ovals, Italic "Registered/Sydney" at left, sent by "Emperor" (Sydney despatch JY.29) and charged 1s6d UK (1s packet + 6d reg.).  
A rare rate and franking

**3'000**
- 10623**    ☒    97    9d Registered to UK: 1852 Folded cover to Sydney NO.27 to Scotland with 3d yellow green (paying rate to ship) in combination with Laureated 6d (paying the registration fee), showing italic "Registered/Sydney" at left, sent by private ship "Clifton", charged 1s2d (8d ship + 6d reg. fee) in UK.

**2'500**

Only three Sydney View covers with the registration fee paid by stamp noted



- 10624**    ☒    9d Registered to ship: 1850-51 3d Yellow-green together with 1853 Laureated issue 6d brown (both with defs.) on registered cover Sydney to Scotland, marked "Chusan" and showing SYDNEY/NEW SOUTH WALES AU 9 1852 ds on reverse, also arrival cds dated DEC 28, carried by 1st experimental Northbound voyage of the P&O company, from Sydney per ships "Chusan" to Singapore, "Malta" to Galle, "Hindustan" to Suez, "Haddington" to Southampton, one of THREE RECORDED "Sydney View" combination frankings paying registration fee, cert. Holcombe (SG 39+76)

39+76

**8'000**

Rate: 3d+6d registration NSW outgoing, 6d UK registration +1d for re-addressing

Important exhibition item.

- 10625**    ☒    97    10d Double inland and to ship: 1851 Folded cover to Sussex with 1d carmine Pl. II, 3d yellow green, plus two of the rare 3d myrtle green, tied by "46" numerals of Gundagai, red Sydney Paid Ship Letter for FE.7 at right, charged 1s4d double UK ship.

Stamps lifted and reattached over pressed crease. Only two other covers with the myrtle green are known, a rare franking, ex. Manwood (\$5500)

**4'000**
- 10626**    ☒    97    1s Quadruple to ship: 1851 Folded letter written on board the Barque "Warlock" in Sydney harbour, "pr. Phoenician" to Cumberland, with a single + vertical strip of three 3d yellow green, black Sydney ovals, red Sydney Paid Ship Letter for JA.6, but charged 1s4d double UK ship only.

Some faults, stated by Druce to be the only known Sydney View cover with this rate to the UK. Ex. Druce

**1'200**

Registered  
Sydney.  
W. W. T. Sadler  
Messrs Wright & Legg  
No. 97 Goolery St  
London

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W. W. T. Sadler  
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Birmingham  
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Thomas Smithwick  
28, North of Street  
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Alert  
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Meadow View  
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Cumberland  
England

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J. Russell Esq  
London

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Sydney Herald.  
Newspaper Only.  
The Reverend F. M. Moore  
Ravenstone, Antrim  
Co. L. Ireland

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**SYDNEY VIEWS: RATES**



**10627**    ☒    2s Octuple to ship: 1851 Folded cover to Edinburgh "pr. first Ship" with a vertical BLOCK OF EIGHT 3d yellow green on laid tied by Sydney ovals, red Sydney Paid Ship Letter for AV.8 at right, charged 5s8d octuple UK ship. **35'000**

Some faults but a spectacular franking, the highest rate recorded and the largest multiple of many Sydney View known, on or off cover.

A tremendous rarity. Ex. Hutson

**THE PENNY "DROP LETTER" RATE**

**10628**    ☒    97    1858 (circa) Neat embossed Valentine envelope posted for collection locally within Newcastle and thus paid the special penny rate, with 1d Diadem cancelled "55" numeral of Newcastle. Examples of this rate at smaller towns are rare **400**

**10629**    ☒    1861 Envelope posted for collection locally within West Maitland and thus paid the special penny rate with 1d Diadem perf. tied "64" of West Maitland, matching backstamp for JU.21. A scarce usage from a smaller town **200**

**NEWSPAPER RATES**

**10630**    ☒    97    1850 "Sydney Herald" printed newspaper wrapper to Goresbridge, Ireland, correctly paid the special newspaper 1d rate (manus. "1") to UK port (then charged a further 1d for internal postage) with red FALMOUTH/SHIP LETTER on reverse. A rare rate. Ex. Druce **1'000**

**MILITARY CONCESSION RATES**

**10631**    ☒    97    1838 Soldier's letter from a Corporal in the 51st Regt. (written at Sydney, en route to station at Launceston, Tasmania), to London, correctly countersigned by C.O. at left and prepaid the penny military concessionary rate with red manus. "1", oval Sydney Paid Ship Letter for MY.18, black circular INDIA SOLDIER &c/3/LONDON on face, backstamped DEAL/INDIA LETTER in red. Rare, ex. Druce **3'000**

**10632**    ☒    99    1841 Soldier's letter from a Private in the 80th Regt. at Rourang Stockade near Goulburn (bombardment of Chinese ports, etc.) to Lancashire, correctly countersigned by C.O. at left and prepaid the penny military concessionary rate with red manus. "1". Red framed PAID/AT/MARULAN (type unique to Marulan), oval Sydney Paid Ship Letter (SL2), circular SOLDIERS & SEAMENS LETTER/4/BY SHIP, backstamped oval Marulan for FE.14. **1'800**

Some reinforced splitting along folds. Rare, ex. Druce

From Wm Crook Troop 80<sup>th</sup> Regiment Number 1054  
 To Mrs Crook Wesley  
 Mills near Bolton  
 Lancashire  
 England

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From Henry Clark. Seaman  
 4. No. 1. Marine Sydney N.S.W.  
 Commanding Officer  
 To Mrs O. Clark.  
 No. 9 Pollards Court  
 Queens Street  
 Portsea Harb  
 England

10635

From J. E. Young. S. J. Hms Swinper  
 Australia  
 George Harris  
 Commanding  
 Officer  
 Miss E. Johnson  
 c/o Mr. Johnson  
 No. 95. Hydel St  
 Boston  
 England  
 Lincolnshire

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Ms. No. 21/99  
 M. Colenso Esq  
 St John's College  
 Waimati. New Zealand  
 Care of Messrs Campbell & Co  
 Campbell's Lane  
 Sydney

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INDIA LETTER  
 1859  
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FORWARDED  
 W. O. MITCHEL  
 NEWCASTLE  
 Wm Russell Esq  
 King St  
 Sydney

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To be forwarded with all possible dispatch to Sydney  
 John. B. Williams Esq  
 U. States Consul  
 Care of U. States Consul  
 Bay of Islands  
 New Zealand

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paid  
 GLASGOW  
 PAID 3s  
 SEP 29  
 1848  
 Rev. Henry Kistler  
 Upolu - Samoa  
 Care of Messrs Ross  
 Sydney

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London  
 Mr. W. H. Wilson  
 10. St. James's Place  
 London  
 Care of Messrs  
 Sydney

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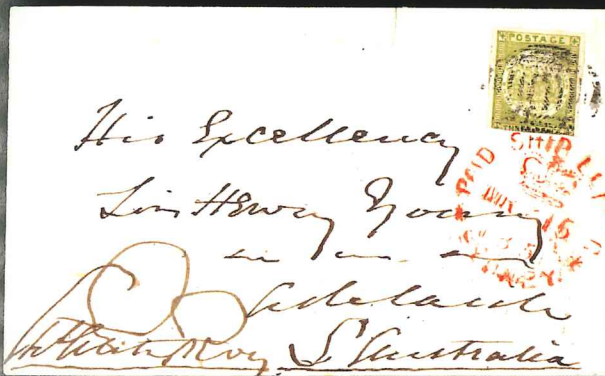
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**AUSTRALIAN COLONIES : VICTORIA**

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|--------------|---|-----|---|--------------|
| <b>10652</b> | ✉ | 103 | 2d Single: 1851 Folded cover to Melbourne with horizontal pair of Sydney View 1d dull carmine Pl. II tied by "50" numerals of Albury, backstamped Albury 1.NO. and Melbourne Port Phillip NO.3.<br>Uneven margins but fresh. Ex. Druce  | <b>1'500</b> |
| <b>10653</b> | ✉ | 103 | 1851 Cover (no side flaps) to Melbourne prepaid 2d internal (applied after separation of Victoria) with a very fine pair of Sydney View 1d Pl. II tied by "51" numeral of Delinquin, sent from Delinquin OC.16 across the Murray River to Maiden's Punt OC.16, arrived Melbourne OC.20, rare  | <b>1'200</b> |
| <b>10654</b> | ✉ |     | 1864 Cover to Melbourne paid 6d intercolonial with Diadem 6d perf. tied SP.20 Sydney duplex, redirected in Victoria to Hamilton and with Victoria 4d tied SE.23 Melbourne duplex, some short perfs., colourful and appealing  | <b>400</b>   |
| <b>10655</b> | ✉ | 105 | 1866 Cover addressed to the P+O "Madras" at Melbourne, prepaid 2d nsw inland + 2d Victoria inland (thus avoiding the 6d intercolonial rate) with combination of NSW 1d pair + Victoria 2d tied black numerals (probably "80" Swan Hill), sent across the Murray River, backstamped oval SWAN HILL for SE.18.<br>The only recorded Riverina combination cover to Melbourne | <b>1'200</b> |

**AUSTRALIAN COLONIES : WESTERN AUSTRALIA**

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| <b>10656</b>                | ✉ |     | 1851 Cover to Perth prepaid 3d coastal ship letter, with Sydney View 1d Pl. II strip of three tied by Sydney ovals, red Sydney Paid Ship Letter for OC.6 on face.<br><br>Extremely rare, the only recorded Sydney View cover to Western Australia, ex. Wiggins and "España"  | <b>12'000</b> |
| <b>UK : BY NAVAL VESSEL</b> |   |     |  |               |
| <b>10657</b>                | ✉ | 105 | 1850-51 3d Yellow-green on cover (flaps missing) Sydney to Yorkshire, marked "HMS Vulcan", SHIP LETTER/SYDNEY NO 19 1852 ds on reverse, naval packet mails, interim use of the Royal Navy between mail contracts, transported via Cape Horn, v.fine (SG 39)<br>Rate: 3d NSW outgoing, UK 1s overseas packet charge | <b>1'500</b>  |
| <b>10658</b>                | ✉ | 105 | 1851 Cover to Scotland "p. H.M.S. Hardwick" prepaid to ship with Sydney View 3d on laid cancelled Sydney oval, red Sydney Paid Ship Letter for AU.10, rated as a Packet letter in UK charged 1s and with framed PACKET LETTER in red   | <b>1'200</b>  |



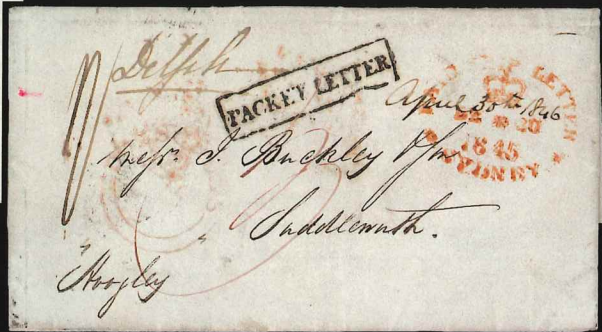
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**UK : TOULMIN PACKET**

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| <b>10659</b> | ✉ | 105 | 1845 Letter (written 10. Decr. "p. Leander" but held over for Packet) Sydney to Saddleworth paid 3d NSW to ship, red oval PAID SHIP LETTER/SYDNEY for DE.20, endorsed on face "Hoogley" (Toulmin Packet "Hooghly" which sailed 2. Jan. 1846, first westward bound Packet) with framed PACEKT LETTER in black, charged "1/-" Packet rate, London transit 27.AP | <b>800</b> |
| <b>10660</b> | ✉ | 105 | 1846 Cover London to Bathurst by Toulmin Packet "Abel Groves" 31.JAN. paid 1s Packet rate, undelivered with "Unclaimed/advertised" on face, charged 1s NSW. If returned to the UK, probably carried by "Emerald Isle" via Calcutta. Ex. Druce   | <b>600</b> |
| <b>10661</b> | ✉ | 105 | 1846 Folded letter from Auckland, New Zealand, via Sydney to London, with framed PAID AT/AUCKLAND in red (despatch cds OC.30 on reverse), prepaid 1s4d quadruple NZ Ship Letter, carried by Packet "Berkshire" (voyage interrupted at Cherbourg) and charged 1s quadruple UK Packet, Toulmin Packet via Sydney.   | <b>500</b> |
| <b>10662</b> | ✉ | 105 | 1847 Folded letter to Scotland "Registered at Yass" with framed YASS/POST PAID (backstamped Yass JU.9), paid 1s2d NSW, carried by Packet "Union", London transit 13.DE and charged 2s UK (1s Packet + 1s registration)  | <b>600</b> |
| <b>10663</b> | ✉ | 105 | 1847 Folded entire to Lancaster/England dated May 1st, endorsed "p.P. Offe. Packet" and bears oval PAID SHIP LETTER MY 1 1847 ds, RL type 21, arrival SEP 8 1847, carried by The Northbound Toulmin Packet (First Service) on the ANN MILN via Cape Horn & Plymouth, v.fine<br>Rate: 3d NSW outgoing, 1s UK incoming  | <b>600</b> |
| <b>10664</b> | ✉ | 105 | 1847 Folded cover Sydney to London sent by Packet "Caledonia" (sailed AP.5), prepaid 1s quadruple to ship, red Sydney Paid Ship Letter for AP.3, charged UK 4s quadruple Packet rate, London transit 28.AU  | <b>500</b> |
| <b>10665</b> | ✉ | 107 | 1848 Folded letter to Scotland with framed PAID AT/HARTLEY (Hartley d.s. MR.20 on flap) prepaid 11d NSW, red oval Sydney Paid Ship Letter MR.21, carried by Packet "Alert", London transit 6.AU, charged 1s UK single Packet rate. Ex. Druce  | <b>900</b> |

**UK : NON-CONTRACT MAIL VIA PACIFIC**

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| <b>10666</b> | ✉ | 107 | 1853 Folded cover Sydney to Cork, sent "p. Patrician to Callao" and then by West Indies Packet, paid to ship with Laureated 3d tied Sydney oval (despatch cds JY.16 on flap), charged 2s Panama Packet in UK  | <b>1'000</b> |
| <b>10667</b> | ✉ | 107 | 1854 Letter Sydney to London (duplicate, the original sent by P+O "Chusan" via Ceylon), endorsed "p. Anglesea via Panama" paid 6d double NSW to ship with Laureated 6d (cut into) tied Sydney ovals (despatch cds AP.11 on flap), charged 4s double Panama Packet in UK   | <b>800</b>   |
| <b>10668</b> | ✉ | 107 | 1854-60 3d Yellow-green (touched at top) tied dumb obliterator on folded entire Sydney to London, reverse bears SYDNEY/NEW S.WALES MY 10 1854 ds & London arrival, marked "pr Golden Age via Panama" & "2/-" accountancy ms on face, carried via Tahiti & Panama on trans-Pacific route, experimental voyage of "Golden Age" steamship, v.fine & rare, ex White collection (SG 87)<br>Rate: 3d NSW outgoing, 2s UK incoming charge due on arrival per Royal Mail S.S.Co | <b>1'500</b> |
| <b>10669</b> | ✉ | 107 | 1854-74 1s Carmine tied Sydney duplex on folded cover Sydney to Scotland, marked "per Rakaia VIA PANAMA", red LONDON/PAID on face & arrival bs, v.fine (SG 169)<br>Rate: 6d to 1/2oz  | <b>300</b>   |
| <b>10670</b> | ✉ | 107 | 1871-1902 1d +2d +3d +6d tied Sydney SP25 74 duplex on cover to England, marked "via San Francisco", carried on Australasian Co. ship "Cyphrenes" to San Francisco then US railway to New York before Inman Line "City of Brooklyn" to England, v.fine 4-colour franking (SG 207)<br>Rate: 6d to 1/2oz via San Francisco, double rate paid  | <b>500</b>   |
| <b>10671</b> | ✉ | 107 | 1871-1902 1d Dull red +3d green(3) tied bursting suns on registered cover Muswellbrook to England, carried on Australasian Co. ship "Cyphrenes" to San Francisco then US railway to New York before Inman Line "City of Brooklyn" to England, v.fine (SG 207)<br>Rate: 6d to 1/2oz via San Francisco plus 4d registration fee   | <b>500</b>   |



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**10672** ☒ 107 1871-1902 2d Prussian blue +6d Bright mauve(2) on registered cover to London, bears appropriate departure & registration marks, carried on Australasian Co. ship "City of Melbourne" to San Francisco then US railway to New York before Cunard Liner "Algeria" to England, fresh & v.fine (SG 209+216)  
Rate: 6d to 1/2oz, prepaid double rate plus 4d registration fee **400**

**10673** ☒ 107 1871-1902 6d Pale lilac tied Sydney JY18 78 duplex on cover to England, marked "City of Sydney", carried on ship of same name owned by Pacific Mail Steamship Co. of New York from Sydney to San Francisco via Auckland & Honolulu, Colchester SP2 78 arrival bs, v.fine (SG 217)  
Rate: 6d to 1/2oz **200**

**10674** ☒ 109 1871-1902 6d Pale lilac pair tied Albury duplex on cover to England, carried by Pacific Mail Steamship Co. "City of New York" from Sydney to San Francisco, then trans-US railway to New-York before ship to Liverpool, pair with defect, red PAID/LIVERPOOL US PACKET applied is unusual on Australian mail (SG 217)  
Rate: 6d to 1/2oz via San Francisco, double rate paid 217 **300**

**UK : ARMSN PACKET**

**10675** ☒ 109 1852 Cover Bathurst to Scotland prepaid 2d inland + 3d to ship, with Sydney View 3d plus Laureated 2d tied reversed "9" numeral of Bathurst, sent by Australian Royal Mail Packet "Australian" on her first contract voyage, Sydney despatch for SE.6 and London transit 12.JA.1853, charged 1s UK Packet.  
Rare, only three contract Packet voyages were made by this line **3'000**

**10676** ☒ 109 1852 Cover from Sydney to Scotland (duplicate letter, original having been sent per "Formosa" experimental P+O which left Nov.10) prepaid to ship with Sydney View 3d tied Sydney oval, endorsed by Australian Royal Mail Packet "Sydney" (second of only three contract voyages by this line), Sydney despatch of NO.30 and London transit 18.MR, charged 1s UK Packet **900**

**10677** ☒ 109 1853 Front and part back Sydney to Yorkshire "Postage pad thro'/pr. Melbourne" prepaid to destination (optional prepayment on the first Packet sailing possible) 1s3d single with Sydney View 3d in combination with pair of Laureated 6d, sent by Australian Royal Mail Packet "Melbourne", Sydney despatch for FE.25 (for Mar.6 sailing) and London transit 2.JY, red "1/-" credit UK share of postage. **6'000**

A rare and desirable franking. Ex. Dale Lichtenstein

**10678** ☒ 109 1854-60 6d Brown, horizontal pair together with 3d yellow-green (a few irregular margins), on folded entire Sydney to Leeds, marked "Per Melbourne" together with "8" ms & LEEDS arrival, reverse SYDNEY/SHIP LETTER MR 5 1853, transported via CGH by the Australian Royal Mail Steam Navigation Company (only three contract voyages), fine (SG 67+76)  
Attractive exhibition item.  
Rate: 3d NSW outgoing, 1s overseas Packet charge prepaid, 8d UK incoming **3'000**

**10679** ☒ 1854-60 2d Ultramarine +1d brick-red tied dumb obliterator on cover Sydney to London, reverse bears SHIP LETTER/SYDNEY MR 1 53 ds & London arrival, marked "Pr Steamer Melbourne" together with ms "8", carried via CGH by Australian Royal Mail Steam Navigation Company, rate changed from 1s to 8d during voyage, very fine (SG 48+52)  
Rate: 3d NSW outgoing, 8d UK incoming **100**

**UK : P & O EXPERIMENTAL VOYAGES**

**10680** ☒ 109 1850-51 3d Yellow-green on cover Sydney to Scotland, marked "Chusan" and showing SHIP LETTER/SYDNEY AU 27 1852 ds on reverse, also arrival cds in blue dated DEC 26, carried by 1st experimental Northbound voyage of the P&O company, from Sydney per ships "Chusan" to Singapore, "Malta" to Galle, "Hindostan" to Suez, "Haddington" to Southampton, v.fine (SG 42)  
Rate: 3d NSW outgoing, 1d UK Packet charge plus 4d India Letter charge **1'500**

**10681** ☒ 109 1852 Cover Newcastle to Glasgow, prepaid NSW 5d with Sydney View 3d and Laureated 2d tied "55" numeral of Newcastle, endorsed "per Steamer Chusan" and sent on the first of two P+O experimental voyages between Sydney and Singapore, to connect with the P+O China Packets.  
Sydney despatch for AU.28, London transit 25.DE, charged 1s4d UK **3'000**

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PACKET  
Mrs Martha Beardmore  
Dunbart  
no Newcastle  
Staffordshire  
England

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13th  
Jan 1853  
Dunbart  
Mrs H. Wilson Senior  
of Dundrum  
Ayr  
Scotland

10675

Per Sydney  
Rev Chas. J. Lyon  
St Andrews  
Fife  
Scotland

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Mr Mease  
Stokesley  
Melbourne, Yorkshire

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per ~~London~~ Melbourne  
John Arthur Kirk Esq  
Solr  
Leeds

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Chusan  
Mr. A. D. D. D.  
The Juniper  
by Arbroath  
Scotland

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Miss Mary  
at 5/1/53  
at 16/1/53  
The John Buckley & Sons  
Broadheat  
Lepph  
Ladlowth England

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Chusan  
South Scotland St  
Wes you  
Scotland

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Samuel W. Wain  
Mrs Wain  
No 10  
8/11/53  
Per

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per steamer "Shanghai"  
Via Southampton

M<sup>r</sup>. Charles Bourne  
Mess<sup>rs</sup>. Rickford & Co  
Carriers  
Wood St  
Chapside  
London.


28<sup>th</sup> May 1853



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per steamer "Singapore"  
via Singapore

W  
Mansfield Mason Esq  
Kings Arms Yard  
London



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per Madras & via Marseilles

W  
Mess<sup>rs</sup>. Callan & Co  
Edward Melward Esq  
East India Chambers  
Caldwell Street  
London



10686

per "The Norma"

Henry Kenborough Esq  
Mess<sup>rs</sup>. Marsh & Kenborough  
Wool Brokers  
London



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per "Woolloomooloo"

John Arthur Skin Esq  
Solicitor  
Leeds

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per "The Norma"

Mr. Joseph Lending  
Anton  
Christchurch  
Hampshire



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John Henderson Esq  
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Miss Moore  
Gardens  
Mount Merrion  
Dublin  
Ireland







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England

Mr. Kinstanley  
Braunston  
Leicester  
England


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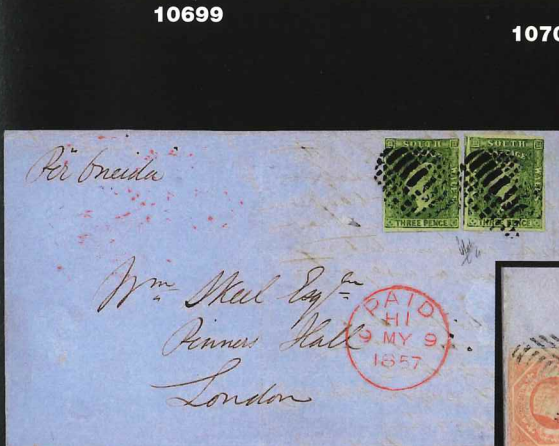
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**UK : CLIPPER MAIL BY BLACK BALL AND WHITE STAR LINE**

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1854-60 2d Blue, wmk, horizontal strip of three cancelled dumb obliterators & tied red "5" accountancy handstamp on cover Sydney to London, marked "Per Mermaid", also London arrival on face, reverse shows SYDNEY/NSW ds, RL type 9, transported via Cape Horn on the Liverpool Black Ball & White Star Lines, strip with clear to very large margins, v.fine (SG 107)  
Rate: 6d to 1/2oz uniform rate, "5" accountancy hs indicating share claimed by UK

**500**
- 10699**

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1855 Cover (no side flaps) Sydney to Manchester prepaid Diadem 2d block of 6, strips of 5 + 3, pair and two singles (quadruple 3d to Melbourne + quadruple 6d uniform British rate), sent by Clipper "Red Jacket", red PAID/LIVERPOOL/SHIP for JY.23, manus. "1/-" (credit UK) on face.  
An unusually high franking

**1'000**
- 10700**

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1856 Cover Sydney to Scotland prepaid Diadem 6d (3d to Melbourne x 2) plus 1s (6d uniform British x 2) sent by Clipper "Montmorency", red "6" (credit UK), PAID/LIVERPOOL/SHIP for JA.7.1857

**1'000**

**UK : CRIMEAN WAR MAIL BY STEAMSHIP "HELLESPONT"**

- 10701**

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1854-74 6d Greenish grey on cover Sydney to England, marked "Per Hellespont", accountancy marking "3" in red (private ship mail), "4" ms & MORE TO PAY hs, SYDNEY/N.S.W. FE 7 1856 bs, from Sydney via Melbourne to Singapore then P&O ships "Norna" to Galle, "Bombay" to Suez & "Pera" from Alexandria to Southampton, one of two recorded examples of "Hellespont" mail from NSW, very fine (SG 116)  
Rate: 6d to 1/2oz uniform rate plus 4d Far East rate due on arrival

116 **1'500**

**UK : E & ARM PACKET**

- 10702**

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1854-74 3d Dull green strip of three tied WILCANNIA SP 9 74 cds on cover to London, marked "via Brindisi", sent via Hay to Sydney then per Eastern & Australian ship "Tom Morton" to Singapore, P&O ships "Baroda" to Galle, "Australia" to Suez, "Malta" to Brindisi, London arrival 19DEC 74, watermark "6" error, very fine (SG 158a)  
Rate: 9d to 1/2oz via Torres Straits & Brindisi

**500**
- 10703**

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1857 Cover Sydney JY.17 to London, rated for 2 ounces and paid 4s with two pairs of Diadem 1s, sent by European and Australian Royal Mail Packet "Columbian", a rare franking

**2'600**
- 10704**

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1857 Folded cover from Sydney JA.20 to London, prepaid uniform British rate with two Diadem 3d, sent by first Contract sailing of European & Australian Royal Mail Packet "Oneida", which broke down in the Indian Ocean during this voyage (mails were transferred to "European"), fresh. Holcombe opinion

**900**
- 10705**

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1858 Cover (no side flaps) Sydney 10.FE to Leamington paid 3s3d (triple 6d uniform British, quintuple 3d French transit, 6d late fee) with Diadem 3d and three 1s, sent by European and Australian Royal Mail Packet "Simla", scarce, unique franking

**1'200**
- 10706**

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1858 Cover from Grafton JU.21 to London, endorsed via Marseilles and underpaid 3d for the 1s half ounce French route with Diadem 1d + 2d + 6d tied rayed "90", sent by European and Australian Royal Mail Packet "Emeu", framed INSUFFICIENTLY/STAMPED and thus sent via Southampton. Pin holes away from stamps

**1'000**

**UK : E & ARM PACKET, SUPPLEMENTARY MAIL**

- 10707**

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1858 Cover Sydney JU.12 to London "Supplementary Mail per Australasian via Marseille" paid 1s via France plus 6d supplementary mail fee (the Packet had left Sydney the previous day, and this was paid extra to connect at Melbourne) with diadem 6d and 1s tied oval "N.S.W.", sent by "City of Sydney" to Melbourne, then by European and Australian Packet "Australasian" via Suez, scarce

**1'200**
- 10708**

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1858 Cover (no side flaps) Sydney SP.11 to Liverpool "pr. European S. Supplementary" paid 6d uniform British rate via Southampton plus 6d supplementary mail fee (for letters posted after the Packet had left Sydney, to connect at Melbourne) with Diadem 1s cancelled oval "N.S.W.", sent by "Wonga Wonga" to Melbourne, then by European and Australian Packet "European" via Suez, scarce

**600**



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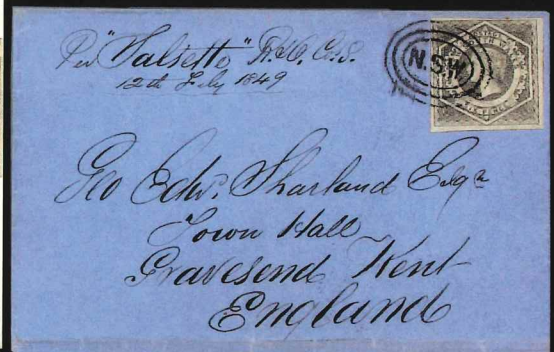
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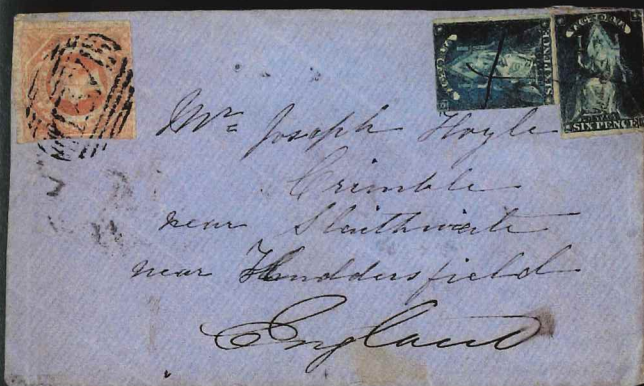




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- 10729** ☒ 119 1861 Cover Delinquin (Riverina area) to London, endorsed "via Melbourne", with Diadem 6d for NSW postage and pair of Victoria half length 3d paying uniform British rate, tied rayed "51" of Delinquin (unusually cancelling the Victorian stamps), sent by P+O Packet "Jeddo". Sl. staining, ex. Druce **900**
- 10730** ☒ 119 1861 Cover from Hay via Delinquin (Riverina) to Penzance, Diadem 6d paying NSW postage and Victoria 6d paying uniform British rate, both tied by rayed "220" of Hay, the Victoria 6d with additional pen cross, sent by P+O Packet "Northam", scarce, ex. Druce **700**
- 10731** ☒ 119 1865 Cover Delinquin (Riverina area) to London double rated with pair of Diadem 6d for NSW postage and two Victoria 6d for uniform British rate, the former cancelled "51" at Delinquin, latter blue "1" at Melbourne, sent by P+O Packet "Madras".  
A very fine example of a Riverina combination, ex. Druce **2'400**
- 10732** ☒ 119 1865 Cover from Delinquin (Riverina) to London, with Diadem 6d paying NSW postage tied "51" of Delinquin, in combination with Victoria 4d + 6d paying the 10d half ounce rate by Marseilles cancelled at Melbourne, sent by P+O Packet "Northam", stamps scissor separated, colourful and scarce, ex. Druce **1'000**
- 10733** ☒ 119 1869 Cover from Balranald (Riverina) to Glasgow with two Diadem 6d paying double NSW postage cancelled "53" of Balranald, in combination with three Victoria 2d (underpaying the double British rate by 6d) cancelled at Melbourne, showing handstruck "Deficient Postage 6D/Fine 6D/1s" on face, sent by P+O Packet "Geelong", 1s collected in UK.  
A very unusual short paid Riverina combination **1'000**
- 10734** ☒ 119 1870 Cover from Balranald (Riverina) to Glasgow with strip of three sideface 2d paying NSW postage cancelled "53" of Balranald, in combination with strip of three Victoria 2d paying 6d uniform British rate cancelled "80" of Swan Hill, sent by P+O Packet "Avoca", top flap missing, scarce, ex. Druce **900**
- UK : PENALTY RATES OF 1864 (JULY-NOVEMBER)**
- 10735** ☒ 121 1854-74 6d mauve plus two 8d yellow-orange all tied Sydney duplex on cover to London, carried by P&O ship during the NSW retaliatory rate period, from Sydney per ships "Bombay" to Galle, "Simla" to Suez, "Euxine" from Alexandria to Marseille, a few irregular perms., fresh colours (SG 164+167b)  
Rate: 1s4d to 1/2oz via Marseille plus 6d late fee **1'000**
- 10736** ☒ 1854-74 1s Carmine on cover Newcastle/NSW to Ireland, on reverse departure cds's & H&K PACT DE22 1864 cds, carried by P&O ship during the NSW retaliatory rate period, from Sydney per ships "Bombay" to Galle, "Simla" to Suez, "Dehli" to Southampton, adhesive with corner fault, fresh item (SG 169)  
Rate: 1s to 1/2oz via Southampton **500**
- 10737** ☒ 121 1864 Folded cover Sydney AU.22 to London with Diadem 8d + two 1s paying the one ounce double rate via Marseilles (20d + 12d "penalty" applied from July to November only), sent by P+O Packet "Madras", slight faults, rare **700**
- 10738** ☒ 121 1864 Cover Sydney SP.22 to Bristol with two sideface 2d and Diadem 1s paying the half ounce rate via Marseilles (10d + 6d "penalty" applied from July to November only), sent by P+O Packet "Northam", slight faults, rare, ex. Druce **600**
- UK : REDUCED PRIVATE SHIP RATES OF 1864 (JULY-NOVEMBER)**
- 10739** ☒ 121 1864 Letter from Mudgee 2.AU. to Scotland prepaid 6d at the old uniform British rate with strip of six 1d, but double rated 8d for private ship (reduced from 6d in July to discouragement mail by Contract Packet) and with DEFICIENT POSTAGE 2/FINE 4 (6d to collect in UK), backstamped SHIP LETTER/LONDON in red. Small tear on face.  
A rare usage, ex. Druce **700**
- 10740** ☒ 121 1865 Cover Newtown SP.23 to Scotland "p. Ship" paid 4d single by private ship (reduced from 6d in July 1864 to discouragement mail by Contract Packet) with pair of 2d tied Newtown oval, black TOO LATE being received at Sydney too late for the "Maid of Judah" and sent by the "Cova", red SHIP LETTER/LONDON on face.  
This rate only lasted until November 1864, very scarce **1'000**



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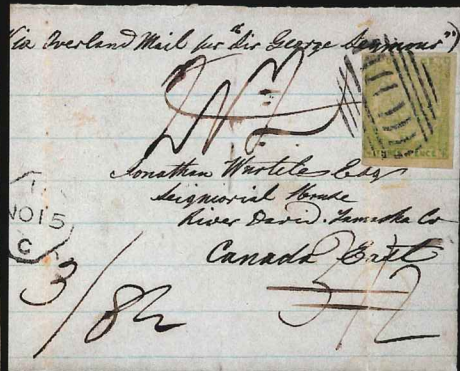
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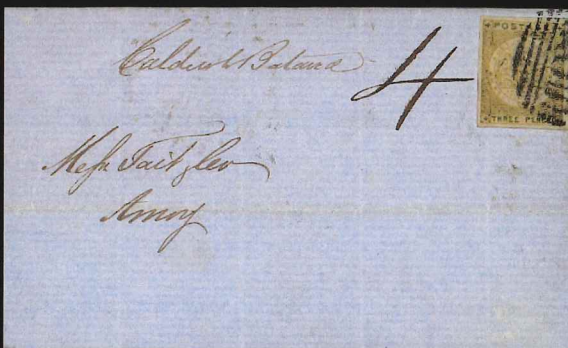
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- 10767** ☒ 127 FRANCE: 1848 Letter Sydney to Paris "per City of Poonah" with red Sydney Paid Ship Letter for JY.13, rated 3d NSW paid, 8d UK ship and 15d total French, framed COLONIES/& C. ART.13 Anglo - French accountancy marking in red on face, Boulogne entry cds **400**



- 10768** ☒ FRANCE: 1851 Cover (no side flaps) from Kempsey MY.6 to Paris, paid 5d to ship with Sydney View 2d Pl. III and 3d yellow green tied "68" of Kempsey (oval KEMPSEY/Crown/NEW S. WALES on reverse), Sydney Paid Ship Letter for MY.13, rated 8d in London and 30d in Paris. **10'000**

Fine and very rare, only three Sydney View covers known to France. Ex. Caspary, signed Diena and cert. RPS

- 10769** ☒ 125 FRANCE: 1852 Cover Sydney MY.31 to Moulins with Sydney View 3d (fault at top right), rated 8d UK ship and 15d total French, framed COLONIES/& C. ART.13 Anglo - French accountancy marking in red on face, overstruck by Calais entry cds. Only three Sydney View covers to France are recorded **900**

- 10770** ☒ 125 FRANCE: 1855 Folded letter Sydney JU.7 to Bordeaux underpaid with Laureated 3d, framed INSUFFICIENTLY/STAMPED and unframed "d6" in black, sent by Clipper "Boomerang" with AUSTRALIAN/PACKET/LIVERPOOL cds on reverse, Anglo French accountancy COLONIES/& C.ART.13 on face, 30d due in France **700**

- 10771** ☒ FRANCE: 1856 Cover Sydney SR.24 to Lyon, with REGISTERED 6d plus single and pair Diadem 1s oval Sydney registered ds, London crown REGISTERED and REGISTERED GPO, red credit "3/3, sl. faults, a rare franking to France **1'200**

- 10772** ☒ 127 FRANCE: 1856 Folded cover Sydney FE.2 to Bordeaux per "Wooloomooloo", pair of Laureated 3d short paid with framed INSUFFICIENTLY/STAMPED in red, rated 15d in France, boxed COLONIES/ART-18 Anglo - French accountancy marking in red on face, ex. Druce **600**

- 10773** ☒ 127 FRANCE: 1869 Cover Sydney DE.31 to Paris with 10d lilac, framed INSUFFICIENTLY/STAMPED in black, charged "20" in France and with lozenge GB/1F 66C Anglo - French accountancy marking in black **500**

- 10774** ☒ 127 GERMAN STATES Brunswick: 1864 Cover Sydney OC.13 to Oalber paid 1s8d with Diadem 1s and two pairs Sideface 2d, sent by P+O Packet "Bombay", red London and blue Aachen transits, some faults **600**



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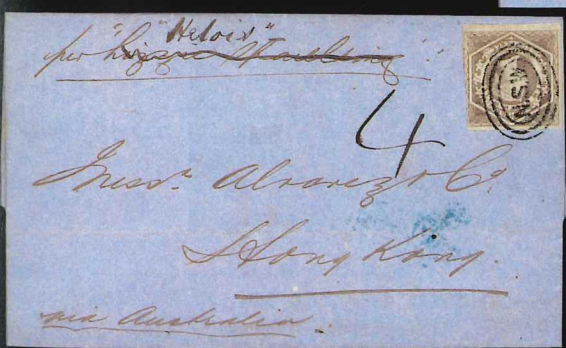
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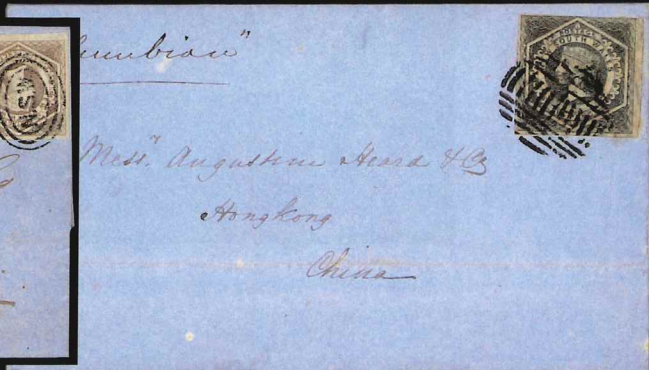
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**10775** ☒ GERMAN STATES Hanover: 1859 Cover West Maitland OC.26 to Lehrte paid 1s2d to destination and 1s registration fee beyond London, with Diadem 2d + 1s and pair of REGISTERED 6d cancelled "64", sent by P+O Packet "Benares", showing REGISTERED/MAITLAND, London. Crowned REGISTERED and framed "Recommandirt". **3'000**

Some faults, only three full covers with the 1s registration paid by two 6d known

**10776** ☒ 127 GERMAN STATES Prussia: 1857 Folded cover Sydney Nov. 10 to Neustadt prepaid 1s2d Packet + 6d registration fee with Diadem 2d + 1s and REGISTERED 6d, sent by E&ARM Packet "City of Sydney", registered markings of Sydney, London and Aachen, ex. Druce **1'500**

**10777** ☒ 127 GERMAN STATES Thurn + Taxis: 1850 Cover Sydney SE.18 to Frankfurt "p. the Ajax for London" with Sydney View 3d for ship, rated 1s6d in London, curiously backstamped framed AMERICA über ENGLAND in red, signed Holcombe **2'500**

**10778** ☒ 127 GERMANY STATES Wurttemberg: 1856 Cover (one flap missing) Maitland via Sydney MY.16 to Neckarsulm, paid quadruple Packet + 6d registration fee with Diadem 2d, 6d, 1s strip of three and single, plus REGISTERED 6d by Contract Sailing of the "Royal Charter", REGISTERED MAITLAND, London crowned REGISTERED and French CHARGE, backstamped AUSTRALIAN/ LIVERPOOL/ PACKET cds, some faults **1'200**



**10779** ☒ GERMAN STATES Wurttemberg: 1860 Cover Albury MR.2 to Erbach paid 1s5d to destination plus 1s registration fee beyond London, with Diadem 1d, 2d (2), 1s and two REGISTERED 6d cancelled "50", sent by P+O Packet "Northam", showing REGISTERED/ALBURY, London REGISTERED and framed "Recommandirt" **3'600**

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| 10780 | ☒ | 127 | HONG KONG: 1857 Folded cover Sydney JY.17 to Hong Kong paid Diadem 6d, sent by P+O Packet "Columbian", Hong Kong arrival 7.SE. on reverse   | 700   |
| 10781 | ☒ | 127 | HONG KONG: 1859 Duplicate Prices Current from Valparaiso (probably part of a bulk mailing made from Sydney) "pr Lizzie Spaulding" to Hong Kong with Diadem 6d tied NSW oval NO.4 and sent by "Helois", charged 4d on arrival, Hong Kong cds DE 18 | 900   |
| 10782 | ☒ | 131 | HUNGARY: 1866 Cover Sydney MR.21 to Pesth paid 2s4d via London plus 6d registration fee, with Diadem 3d, 6d (two pairs), Sideface 1d and REGISTERED 6d, sent by P+O Packet "Ellora", transits of London and Aachen, some faults                   | 1'200 |
| 10783 | ☒ | 131 | HUNGARY: 1868 Cover JA.18 to Pesth paid 1s single + 4d registration fee with four Sideface 4d cancelled "465", sent by P+O Packet "Avoca", Marseilles entry cds, backstamped transits of Paris and Vienna, cert. BPA                              | 1'200 |
| 10784 | ☒ | 131 | INDIA: 1850 Folded letter Sydney MY.13 to Calcutta "per Dudbrook" paid to ship with Sydney View 3d, landed at Madras with MADRAS/SHIP LETTER/Bearing 14A. Small part of address panel missing at foot, rare, ex. Druce                            | 2'000 |
| 10785 | ☒ | 127 | INDIA: 1865 Cover Newcastle NO.21 to Paulghaut paid uniform rate with Diadem 6d tied rayed "55", sent by P+O Packet "Bombay", ex. Druce   | 400   |



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| 10786 | ☒ |     | IONIAN ISLANDS: 1853 Letter Sydney 28.JY to Corfu, care of the US Commissariat in London "per overland Mail Postage Paid" with Laureated 1d + 6d + 8d (fully prepaid Packet rate 1853-54) sent by P+O Packet "Chusan" and then through Germany with Thurn + Taxis "3 1/2/GROSCHEN" accountancy, 2s payable in Corfu. Colourful and a great rarity!   | 15'000 |
| 10787 | ☒ | 131 | ITALY Papal States: 1860 Folded cover Araluen AP17 to Bologna paid 1s5d to destination + 6d late fee + 1s registration fee beyond London, with Diadem 1d + 2d (2) + 6d (3) and pair of REGISTERED 6d cancelled "225", sent by P+O Packet "Emeu" (last sailing via Mauritius), London Registered ds. One of only three covers with the through registration fee paid by two 6d. Opened for display, ex. Druce | 3'000  |
| 10788 | ☒ | 131 | ITALY Papal States: 1867 Cover Sydney AP22 to Rome paid through with Diadem 1s, sent by P+O Packet "Avoca", red Marseilles entry cds, backstamped Alexandria transit, ex. Druce  | 600    |

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- 10789**    ☒    ITALY Sardinia: 1857 Folded cover Sydney JU.18 to Genoa paid double with strip of three diadem 1s, sent by E&ARM Packet "European", red AUSTRALIE V. SUEZ cds on face, "30" to collect in Sardinia, rare, cert. BPA

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- 10790**    ☒    127    MALTA: 1845 Letter from Melbourne via Sydney DE.16 to London, readdressed to Malta, sent by Toulmin Packet "Hooghly", paid 1/6d with framed PACKET LETTER

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- 10791**    (☒)    127    MALTA: 1845 Front Sydney AU.21 to H.M.S. "Virago" at Malta, paid 3d ship, red Sydney Paid Ship Letter, sent via Calcutta with oval INDIA, charged 5d in Malta

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- 10792**    ☒    131    MAURITIUS: 1839 Folded cover Sydney JU.25 to Mauritius "via South Australia ... per Abercromby" paid 3d to ship, MAURITIUS/POST OFFICE receipt NO.09, charged 7d

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- 10793**    ☒    131    MAURITIUS: 1852 Folded cover Sydney JY.13 to Port Louis paid to ship with Sydney View 3d "per Fanny Fisher", Mauritius crowned GPO on face, very unusual, cert. BPA

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- 10794**    ☒    131    NETHERLANDS: 1826 Copy letter Sydney 18.DE Paid Ship Letter 8d to Schiedam, by the "Regalia" via Cape Horn, sent during the period of no NSW markings, London POST PAID SHIP for 12.JU.1827

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- 10795**    ☒    131    NETHERLANDS: 1856 Cover Sydney OC.20 to Amsterdam "per Portland" (British Naval Vessel on Peru Station) via Callao, with pair of Laureated 3d, framed INSUFFICIENTLY/STAMPED in black, rated 2s in UK and "190" Dutch

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- 10796**    ☒    NETHERLANDS INDIES: 1850 Cover Sydney JY.10 to Batavia by the "Enchantress" with Sydney View 3d for ship rate, oval Sydney Paid Ship Letter in red, ms "48" Dutch, very fine and fresh

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- 10797** ☒ 133 NETHERLANDS INDIES: 1859 Folded cover Sydney SP.14 to Batavia, Java, paid with Diadem 6d, sent by P+O Packet "Bombay", charged "30" on arrival **700**



- 10798** ☒ NEVIS: 1870 Folded cover Hunters Hill SE-7 to Nevis paid 1s5d via Southampton, with Diadem 1s and Sideface 1d, 4d, cancelled rayed "221", sent by P+O Packet "Avoca", "11" and "1d" credits on face, rare, ex. Druce **3'400**
- 10799** ☒ 133 NEW BRUNSWICK: 1857 Cover from Stoney Creek OC.21 to Fredericton underpaid with Diadem 2d + 6d cancelled "164", framed INSUFFICIENTLY/STAMPED and handstruck "3" (this cancelled in UK as the letter was treated as paid to UK), charged 1s transatlantic, endorsed on reverse "Recd open at Fred.n", Ex. Druce **1'000**
- 10800** ☒ 131 NEW CALEDONIA: 1870 Front Sydney AP.23 to Maré, Loyalty Islands "P. Paid by the Marceau" with Diadem 6d, unusual **500**



- 10801** ☒ NEW ZEALAND: 1850 Folded cover Sydney AP.19 to Wellington "p. Sheppardess" paid 3d ship with Sydney View 1d Pl. I + 2d Pl. I retouched, charged "4" in Wellington, fresh and very fine, cert. Brandon **4'000**
- 10802** ☒ 133 NEW ZEALAND: 1852 Folded cover Sydney JY.17 to Auckland "p. Daniel Webster" paid to ship with Laureated 1d + 2d, Auckland receipt cds for AU.16, and charged 2d **800**
- 10803** ☒ 133 NEW ZEALAND: 1852 Folded cover Sydney OC.11 to Nelson via Wellington paid to ship with Sydney View 3d, charged "2" from recipient, address crossed through **700**
- 10804** ☒ 133 NEW ZEALAND: 1854 Cover Yass 11.AP. to Dunedin paid 5d to ship with Laureated 2d + 3d tied "44" of Yass, landed at Port Victoria MY.13 and charged 2d **700**
- 10805** ☒ 131 NEW ZEALAND: 1867 Cover Sydney JU.1 to Nelson paid uniform rate with Diadem 6d, sent by PNZARM packet "Kaikoura" **400**



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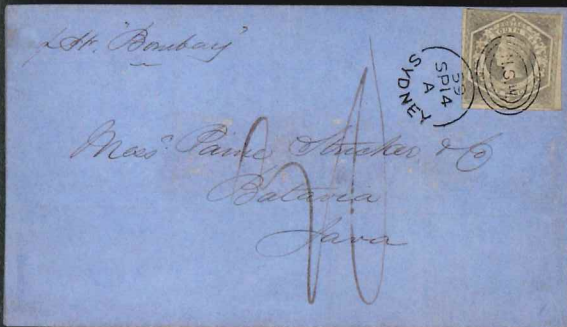
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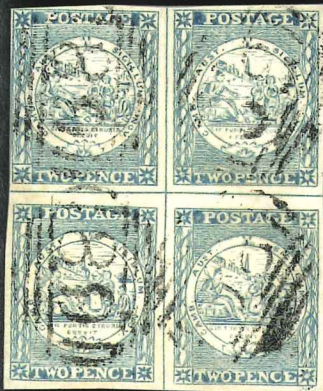
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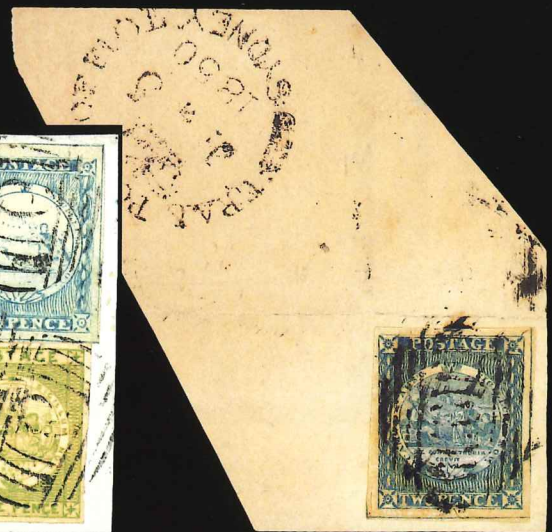
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1850 SYDNEY VIEWS - 1D PLATE II



- 10829   ✉       1d Crimson Lake on hard bluish wove, horiz. pair, pos. 6-7 (var. no trees on hill) 9       **1'900**  
on cover tied '2' of Parramatta 12.6.51 to Sydney, good to large margins, small  
scissor cut at right and sl. soiled, scarce
- 10830   \*       1d Dull carmine on hard greyish, mint pair, pos. 5-10 with large part original gum, 11       **5'000**  
good margins except at top right, extremely rare (largest known unused multiples  
in private hands are pairs), cert. RPSV (1978)
- 10831   (\*)   137   1d Dull carmine on hard greyish imperf unused, very fine cert RPS (£2250) 11       **1'500**
- 10832   ✉       135   1d Brownish red imperf used on cover with two 2d Greyish blue Laureated imperf 12, 55       **1'500**  
but cut into, Sept 1851 New South Wales & Bristol 1852 postmarks on back,  
scarce franking
- 10833   (\*)   137   1d Carmine on laid paper imperf unused part og, ex. Caspary, very fine cert RPSV 13       **3'000**  
(£4000)

1850 SYDNEY VIEWS - 2D PLATE I

- 10834   △       137   2d Deep grey blue, distinct earliest state of Plate (very clear impression), pos. 5, 15       **1'000**  
affixed by sealing wax to fgt with Sydney oval and GPO cds for JA.5.1850, fifth day of  
issue and a nice early example, rare thus
- 10835   (\*)   137   2d Deep blue imperf unused early impression, very fine cert Friedl 16       **2'400**



- 10836   ✉       2d Dull blue, later state, two singles (pos. 21 +22) in combination with 3d vertical 18       **7'500**  
pair on double rate ship letter from Warwick (Queensland) to Scotland, with Sydney  
and Falmouth ship letter markings, file fold through lower 3d, a very rare franking



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**10837** ☉ 137 2d Dull blue later impressions imperf used as an original corner marginal block of four with top right stamp missing & top left slightly damaged, otherwise fine 18 **500**



**10838** ☉ 2d Greyish blue, plate very worn (lower row retouched), **UNIQUE BLOCK OF FIVE**, pos. 8-9, 19-21, lightly cancelled '35' at Goulburn, sheet margins at top and at foot, sl. faults, a remarkable piece (illustrated in the R. Lowe Encyclopedia at p. 21) 18+20 **8'500**

**10839** △ ☉ 137 2d Dull blue later impressions pos. 20,21 imperf & two 3d yellow-green on soft yellowish pos. 18,21 imperf, all used on piece as a block of four, ex Caspary, very fine & rare 18,39 **2'500**

**10840** ☉ 139 2d Blue, reconstructed sheet of 24 (various states), fair to very fine, ten with provincial cancels **2'500**

**1850 SYDNEY VIEWS - 2D PLATE II**

**10841** ☉ 137 1d Dull carmine, very fine with neat barred oval 11 **300**

**10842** ☉ 田 137 2d Lilac-blue imperf block of four used with "68" cancellations, early impressions, top left stamp slightly touched, fine & scarce (£4000+) 22 **3'500**

**10843** \* 137 2d Bright blue imperf mint, good margins three sides, close but clear top right cert RPS (£3500) 24 **2'700**

**10844** ☉ 137 2d Bright blue imperf pair used, early impressions large margins on top, close but clear bottom right, fine cat (£450) 24 **300**

**10845** \* 137 2d Prussian blue imperf mint, worn impressions retouched in lower spandrels, fine (£2750) 27 **2'000**

**10846** ☉ 137 2d Prussian blue imperf used in a strip of four, pos.18-21, nicely cancelled with "58 Clarence Town" cancellations, worn impression & retouched, stamp no 20 showing the no whip variety, good margins three sides & close on left, very fine & a rare multiple ex: John White 27,27a **1'500**

**1850 SYDNEY VIEWS - 2D PLATE III**

**10847** (\*) 137 2d Ultramarine imperf unused, double lines on bale variety (£ 2250+) 29c **1'500**

**10848** ☉ 田 137 2d Deep blue used block of four, fine & scarce 30 **2'000**

**1850 SYDNEY VIEWS - 2D PLATE IV**

**10849** \* ☉ 田 137 2d Prussian blue on hard bluish grey wove imperf used in a block of four, good margins three sides but touched top right, scarce 32 **2'000**

**10850** (\*) 137 2d Bright blue imperf unused, no clouds variety, large margins top & bottom, fine cert RPS (£2500+) 33c **2'000**

1850 SYDNEY VIEWS - 2D PLATE IV



**10851** (\*) 2d Prussian blue on laid paper, position 12, HILL UNSHADED VARIETY, large even margins, brilliant colour and impression, possibly the finest plate IV unused, superb, ex. Caspary, RPS certificate (unpriced in SG in unused condition) 35a **8'000**

**10852** ☉ 2d Dull blue, hard greyish wove, very rare BLOCK OF FOUR, pos. 11-12, 23-24, small scissor cut in margin only, smudged ovals, clear to enormous margins all round 37 **6'000**

1850 SYDNEY VIEWS - 2D PLATE V

**10853** (\*) 139 2d Ultramarine on hard greyish wove imperf unused with some og, fine, cert BPA (£2500) 36 **2'000**

**10854** ☒ 139 2d Dull ultramarine, hard greyish wove, pos. 1 on OC.3.1851 env. from Parramatta to Raymond Terrace tied '2' oval, showing oval MID-DAY/MAIL in black, some staining, scarce 36 **380**

**10855** ☉ 139 2d Dull blue imperf used in a strip of five, pos. 20-24, with an indistinct "46" cancellation ex: Caspary & Burrus very fine & a rare multiple (£700+) 37 **1'500**

**10856** ☉ 139 2d Dull blue, hard greyish wove, a rare block of three, pos. 10-11, 22, good margins, slight soiling, ex. Burrus 37 **1'300**

1850 SYDNEY VIEWS - 3D GREEN

**10857** E 139 3d Deep green plate proof on carton, note on reverse 'from ... P.O. Secretary', sl. stain 39 **1'100**

**10858** (\*) 139 3d Yellow-green on soft yellowish wove imperf four margins unused, very fine (£3000) 39 **2'400**



**10859** (\*) 3d Myrtle green UNUSED, pos. 8, the distinctive colour of the rare first printing, fine with clear to good margins, a great rarity of Australian States, this being the only unused example known, ex. 'España', Frankenstein, cert. RPS (1959) 40 **15'000**

**10860** ☒ 143 3d Yellow green, thick greyish, pos. 1 and 2 together on 1851 entire letter from Sydney to Adelaide (contents refer to yesterday's mails to South Australia mistakenly put by P.O. on board ship to California), margins all round, sl. stains and one with small corner crease, scarce double rate cover 42 **1'900**





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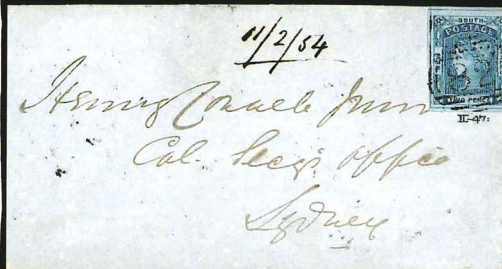
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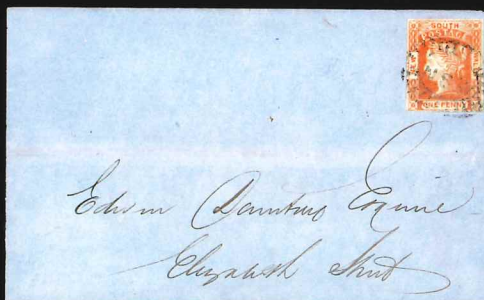
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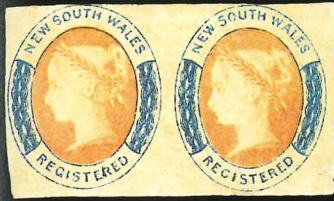


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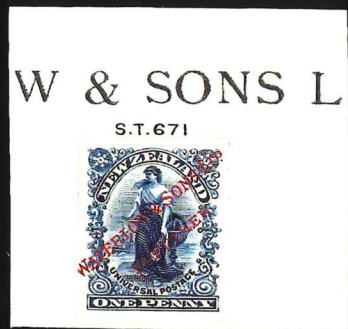
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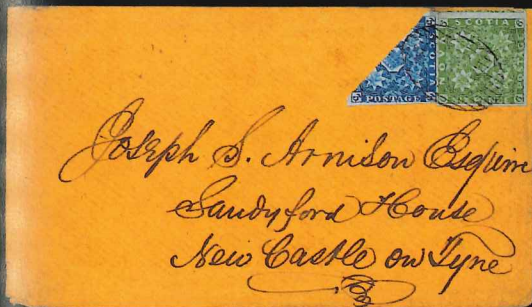
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# Conditions of Sale English

## DAVID FELDMAN S.A. CONDITIONS OF SALE

Participation in any David Feldman S.A. auction means acceptance in full of the following conditions as well as any rights and obligations arising therefrom. These same conditions also apply to all transactions in auction lots taking place outside the realm of the auctions. DAVID FELDMAN S.A., organiser of the auctions, acts as an agent only and is not liable in any way whatsoever for any default(s) of purchaser(s) and/or vendor(s).

### 1. THE AUCTION LOTS ARE OFFERED

**1.1 As presented in the relative auction catalogue and/or through the David Feldman S.A. website:** Lots are meticulously described and with the greatest care, however without responsibility. Photographs count as part of the description with regard to the margins, perforation, centering, postmarks and all other visible attributes. The description of the lots mentions if the items are signed by recognised experts and/or accompanied by expert certificates.

**1.2 As viewed in person:** Before and during auction sales, all lots may be examined at our offices or at the auction location as scheduled in the auction catalogue and on the website. Persons or their agents attending a Live Room auction and/or who have viewed lots before any auction are understood to have examined all lots which they purchase and accept them as they are at the moment of the knocking-down and not necessarily as described.

### 2. AUCTION BIDS

**2.1** The auction bidding steps for all auctions are as follows: (some auctions may be in other currencies than Swiss Francs)

Sfr. 50 - 100	Sfr. 5	Sfr. 2000 - 5000	Sfr. 200
Sfr. 100 - 200	Sfr. 10	Sfr. 5000 - 10000	Sfr. 500
Sfr. 200 - 500	Sfr. 20	Sfr. 10000 - 20000	Sfr. 1000
Sfr. 500 - 1000	Sfr. 50	Sfr. 20000 - 50000	Sfr. 2000
Sfr. 1000 - 2000	Sfr. 100	Sfr. 50000 - 100000	Sfr. 5000

Bids in between these steps will be adjusted accordingly to the next highest bid step. The bidder is bound by his offer until a higher bid has been validly accepted.

**2.2** The Huissier Judiciaire together with DAVID FELDMAN S.A. have full discretion to refuse any bidding, to divide any lot or lots, to combine any two or more lots and to withdraw any lot or lots from the sale without any case giving any reason. DAVID FELDMAN S.A. may also bid on behalf of vendors in cases where reserve prices have been fixed. In these cases, the vendor is treated as a buyer and the auctioneer shall bid on his behalf up to reserve prices. If the reserve price fixed by the vendor is not reached the auctioneer passes to the next lot by a simple knock of the hammer.

**2.3** Bid orders received by DAVID FELDMAN S.A. or on its website before the relative auctions have priority over room bids in the case of Live Room auctions. Clients giving bidding instructions to DAVID FELDMAN S.A. may make alternative offers and/or limit the total of their expenditure in advance. Bids marked "BUY" are considered as up to ten times the quoted estimate price where such exists. Bids made in other currencies than the advertised currency of the auction, will be converted into that currency at the market rate of the day of receipt by DAVID FELDMAN S.A. Bids are standing and hold good for at least 60 days from the auction period. DAVID FELDMAN S.A. reserves the right to invoice bidders up to the end of the 60 day period, payment being due immediately.

### 3. THE AUCTION

**3.1** Live Room auctions are held under the control of the relative supervising authority at its location. The relative supervising authority has no liability. The auction will be held under the ministry of a "huissier judiciaire" of the Canton and Republic of Geneva.

**3.2 Prerogatives of David Feldman S.A.:** DAVID FELDMAN S.A. may withdraw, group differently, divide or refuse to knock down any lot. DAVID FELDMAN S.A. reserves the right to refuse any bid orders and/or for Live Room auctions, refuse admittance to the auction room, at its discretion, to anybody whatsoever. DAVID FELDMAN S.A. cannot be held responsible for any physical accident that may occur on the premises where auctions take place.

**3.3 Bidders' representatives and auction agents:** Any person bidding for the account of a third party is fully liable for any obligation arising from such bidding. This responsibility is notably applicable for the verification of the condition and for the payment of bought lots.

**3.4 Adjudication:** Each lot is sold on behalf of the respective owner to the highest bidder at the next highest bid step. In addition to the sale price, the buyer pays a commission, of 17.5% postage (except for lots marked #), packing, export formalities and insurance inclusive. On the adjudication, liability for the lots passes to the bidder whose bids have been accepted. The lots are delivered to the buyer when the sale price and commission are paid in full.

#### TVA (Sales Tax) - Notes for guidance concerning auctions for which the lots are located in Switzerland:

Buyers domiciled abroad are not liable for this tax once the goods are duly exported from Switzerland. DAVID FELDMAN S.A. are pleased to arrange this export; alternatively, clients may make their own arrangements and furnish DAVID FELDMAN S.A. with proof of export, stamped by Swiss customs. Any purchases by buyers who wish to keep their purchases in Switzerland will be liable to TVA at 7.6% of the purchase price.

**3.5 Payment:** Sale price plus commission are due for immediate payment as invoiced against delivery of the lots. Payment in foreign currencies is accepted at the rates of exchange of the day as quoted by a major bank. The bidders who are successful with whom it has been expressly agreed that they pay after the sale under special conditions, are due to pay the sale price and the commission according to those terms. In these cases, DAVID FELDMAN S.A. keeps the adjudicated lots which are delivered to the buyers on full settlement of their account. Delivery of the purchased lots by post or any other means if instructed by the buyer including cost of normal transit insurance cover is at the expense of the buyer.

**3.6 Special extended payment facility:** DAVID FELDMAN S.A. may offer a special extended payment facility for buyers. In these cases, the buyer may choose to pay a minimum of 25% of the total invoice immediately, and the balance over a maximum period of 6 months, paying an equal instalment at the end of each month. Interest plus charges of 1% is debited to the buyer's account at the end of each month from the auction date. When the special extended payment facility has been granted, the buyer understands that any claims regarding his purchases must be made within 30 days of the auction sale date, even though the lots may be held by DAVID FELDMAN S.A. awaiting full settlement of the account. Until delivery, all lots may be examined by their respective buyers at the offices of DAVID FELDMAN S.A.

**3.7 Pledge:** Until full settlement of the account, the buyer grants to DAVID FELDMAN S.A. a pledge on any and all properties held by DAVID FELDMAN S.A., acquired prior to, during and/or after any auction. This pledge secures the repayment of any amount due in principals, interests, commissions, costs and other possible fees. DAVID FELDMAN S.A. is entitled, but not obliged, to realise freely the pledge assets without further formalities and without previous notice if the buyer is in default with the payment of his debts or with the fulfilment of any other obligation hereunder. For this purpose, DAVID FELDMAN S.A. is not bound to comply with the formalities of the Federal Law dealing with actions for debt and bankruptcy proceedings; in addition, DAVID FELDMAN S.A. may choose to institute or go on with the usual proceedings without having beforehand sold the pledged goods and without having moreover given them up.

### 4. GUARANTEE

**4.1 Extent of the guarantee:** Subject to paragraph 4.3 below, the authenticity of all philatelic items sold in the auction is guaranteed for a period of 30 days from the auction date, with the express exclusion of any other fault(s). Any reclamation regarding authenticity must come to the notice of DAVID FELDMAN S.A. on the delivery of the lots but at the latest within 30 days from that date. Before delivery, which may take place after the 30 days period, the lots purchased may be examined at the Geneva offices of DAVID FELDMAN S.A. The buyer whose reclamation is made after 30 days from the auction date loses all rights to the guarantee. Such reclamation will not be valid. If an extension of the period is required in order to substantiate the claim with an expertise, a request for such extension must be made to DAVID FELDMAN S.A. within 30 days of the auction date. No request for extension will be considered beyond this 30 days period. The results of the expertise for which an extension was agreed must come to the notice of DAVID FELDMAN S.A. within 3 months of the auction date. No further extension of the period will be considered without the express agreement in writing of DAVID FELDMAN S.A. Only claims, expertise results or other details which are made within the agreed periods will be valid.

**4.2 Expertise and counter-expertise:** Should the authenticity of a lot be questioned, the buyer is obliged to provide an expertise or counter-expertise from a prominent expert in the field, justifying the claim. If a stamp is found by a recognised expert taking financial responsibility for errors to have been forged, he may mark it accordingly. Consequently, the marking "FALSCH" (forged) is not considered an alteration. In the case of such reclamation, DAVID FELDMAN S.A. reserves the right to request, at its own discretion, one or more further expertises. All expertise and relative charges accrue to the vendor's account in the case of a justified claim, or to the buyer's account if the claim is not justified. In the case of a justified claim, the lot is taken back and the adjudication price plus the commission are refunded to the buyer. In the case of delayed payment due to expertise agreed by David Feldman S.A., interest is charged at 50% the standard rate for all cleared lots. If David Feldman S.A. has not agreed then full interest is due.

**4.3 Exclusions:** Lots described as collections, accumulations, selections, groups and those containing duplicates, cannot be the subject of any claim. Claims concerning lots described as a set or groups of sets containing more than one stamp, can only be considered under the terms of paragraph 4.1 above if they relate to more than one third of the total value of the lot.

**4.4 Late Payment:** If the payment of the adjudicated price plus commission due by the buyer is not made within 30 days of the date of the auction, DAVID FELDMAN S.A. reserves the right to cancel the sale and dispose of the lot(s) elsewhere and/or to make a recourse to any legal proceedings in order to obtain payment of the amounts due as well as for any incurred damages and losses and any legal expenses. A charge on overdue payment of at least 5% for the first month and 2% per month afterwards plus expenses incurred is chargeable on any outstanding amount after 30 days of the date of the auction. The buyer who is in default in any way whatsoever has no right of claim under any circumstances.

### 5. APPLICABLE LAW AND JURISDICTION

**Unless otherwise stated, all auctions as well as any rights and obligations arising from them shall be governed exclusively by Swiss law. Any legal action or proceeding with respect to the auctions shall be submitted to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of Geneva, subject to appeal to the Swiss Federal Court in Lausanne.**

In every case, DAVID FELDMAN S.A. shall also be entitled, at its discretion, to sue any buyer in default at his place of residence; in such case, Swiss law shall remain applicable.