

Second Session Lots 466–1142

Thursday November 17th not before 1.30pm

Great Britain

Collections and Mixed Lots

- 466** A Q.V. to Q.E.II accumulation in a carton, with a good range of postal history and later covers incl. mixed frankings, 1840 1d. (4, two on entire), 1847–54 1s., later with duplicated used ranges, 1883–84 10s. (2), Seahorses to 10s., some G.B. overprinted issues, etc., varied condition. **£2,200-£2,500**
- 467** A Q.V. to Q.E.II collection in nine albums or binders and loose contained in two cartons, with pre-stamp entires, Mulready 1d. envelope used Frome to Southsea, 1840 1d. on entire, 1841 double rate entire to Winchester with fine strike of Havant italic "Penny Paid", study of Hayling Island post offices on leaves, 1971 Strike Post, also an interesting selection of books on London etc., varied condition. **£2,000-£2,500**
- 468** A QV to QE II dealer's stock in two filing draws, with line engraved, surface printed, KE VII, KG V, KG VI, postage dues, officials, postal fiscals, etc., mostly individually priced some years ago. (Many 100's\$). **£1,500-£2,000**
- 469** A Q.V. to Q.E.II accumulation in seven stockbooks, a binder and loose with main strength in unmounted mint Q.E.II issues incl. 1955–58 Waterlow set, Wildings to 1s.6d. in part sheets, commemorative issues in blocks with gutter strips, presentation packs, booklets, a few f.d.c's, etc. (Many 100's\$) **£700-£800**
- 470** A Q.V. to Q.E.II mint and used accumulation in six albums and stockbooks, on leaves and loose contained in a carton with main strength in both sterling and decimal commemorative sets in unmounted mint blocks, many are corner marginal, also booklets, a range of both commemorative and definitive f.d.c's from 1940, etc. (1000's\$). **£600-£700**
- 471** A Q.V. selection in mixed condition on cards incl. 1841 1d. unprinted (125), 2d. violet-blue pair used, 1864-79 1d. plate 144 mint (18), 1847 embossed 10d. used pair (cut to shape), 1862-64 3d. plate 2 vertical pair used, 9d. bistre unused, 1883-84 4d. mint, values to 9d. used, etc. (160\$). **£580-£600**
- 472** A Q.V. to K.G.VI collection in mixed condition in a Lighthouse album incl. 1840 1d. (7, one on a dishevelled cover to Islay, four others with four margins) used, selection of surface printed used with values to 1867–80 2s. brown (faults), 1883–84 to 10s., 1891 £1 used (faults). 1902-13 £1 used, etc. (100's\$). **£500-£600**
- 473** A Q.V. to K.G.V duplicated used collection in rather mixed condition on leaves incl. 1840 1d. (8) and 2d., range of surface-printed with values to 1867–78 5s. (3), 1884 watermark Crowns £1 brown-lilac HD with clipped perfs. at top, 1883–84 Lilac and Green issue to 1s., selection of Officials, etc. (100's\$). **£500-£600**
- 474** Q.V. to Q.E.II separate mint and used collections each in two boxed DAVO albums incl. 1902–13 to 1s., 5s. mint, Q.E.II commemorative sets apparently complete with early phosphors both mint and used to 1997, Wildings, etc. (100's\$). **£500-£600**
- 475** A Q.V. to Q.E.II accumulation in varied condition in seven albums and stockbooks incl. 1840 1d. (4) used, selection of surface-printed used, 1902–13 to 1s. mint, 1939–49 2s.6d to £1 set of six mint, modern presentation packs and f.d.c's, etc. (100's\$). **£500-£600**
- 476** The balance of an old-time line engraved collection in mixed condition on stockcards, leaves and loose in tins and packets, mainly 1d. reds with imperf. issues incl. a selection of numbers in M.C.'s, 1d. stars with both small and large Crown watermarks with a wide range of papers, shades and perfs. incl. many fine used copies, 1864–79 1d. plates in quantity with the vast majority plated, also a few 2d.'s and 1870 1½d.'s, etc. (1,000's\$). **£400-£500**
- 477** A used collection in rather mixed condition on Ideal leaves incl. 1840 1d. (6), 1864-79 1d. plates to 224, 1929 P.U.C. £1 (a reasonable copy), etc. **£400-£500**
- 478** A Q.V. to Q.E.II accumulation in varied condition in ten albums, two presentation books and loose on leaves and stockpages contained in two cartons incl. 1840 1d. used, 1847–54 embossed 6d. used, strength in Q.E.II issues unmounted mint with 1962–65 phosphor commemorative sets, decimal sets to 2005 in presentation packs, range of illustrated f.d.c's, etc. (Many 100's\$). **£400-£500**

- 479** A Q.V. to Q.E.II accumulation in mixed condition on leaves and in a small notebook incl. 1840 1d. (3) used, 1864–79 1d. plates, selection of surface-printed used, 1924 and 1925 Wembley sets mint, range of duplex cancels, etc. (100's\$). **£400-£450**
- 480** An old time accumulation in old envelopes etc. in a carton, mostly QV with 1841 1ds. (inc two with distinctive Norwich M.C.'s on cover and piece), 1d. stars, plates and 1d. lilacs, on covers (many from a King's Lynn Solicitor's correspondence) and pieces, fiscals on pieces, etc., mixed condition. (1,000's\$). **£300-£400**
- 481** A Q.V. to Q.E.II accumulation in three binders and loose incl. a quantity of 1870 ½d. plates used, mint incl. 1934 re-engraved 2s.6d. to 10s., 1951 2s.6d. to £1 sets (2), 1955–58 Waterlow 2s.6d. to £1, 1959 phosphor graphite set unmounted, later commemoratives in blocks, also a selection of early covers, etc. (100's\$). **£300-£400**
- 482** A Q.V. to Q.E.II mint and used accumulation in rather mixed condition on leaves and stockpages incl. 1840 1d. (5, 2 apparently unused), 1841 1d's incl. numbers in crosses, black plates, selection of "SPECIMEN" opts. on Q.V. issues, etc. (100's\$). **£300-£400**
- 483** A mainly K.G.V selection incl. 1915 2s.6d. yellow-brown corner marginal, 1934–36 photogravure set (2) with 3d. strip of four and 4d. strip of three showing paper joins, 1935 Silver Jubilee 3s. booklet, a few control items, etc., mainly good to fine. **£250-£300**
- 484** A 'back of the book' collection in a binder incl. Circular Delivery stamps, Keble College Oxford 1871 (½d.) vermilion (discoloured), Railway Stamps, Fiscals/Revenues and Exhibition Labels. (100's\$). **£200-£220**
- 485** A Q.V. to Q.E.II duplicated accumulation in ten albums, stockbooks and loose with strength in commemorative issues both mint and used, illustrated f.d.c's with some coin covers, also presentation packs, etc. (Many 100's\$). **£200-£250**
- 486** Various Q.V. to Q.E.II in two cartons incl. a large quantity of fiscal 1d.'s, slogan cancellations on cover, etc., poor to fine. **£200-£250**
- 487** Various covers from pre-adhesive incl. correspondence from India, 1840 1d. and 2d. pairs, later postcards, etc., mixed condition. **£150-£200**
- 488** A mainly Q.E.II mint selection in a small stockbook with unmounted mint incl. 1959 phosphor graphite 4½d. (6), phosphor commemorative sets incl. 1963 Red Cross (3), wmk. varieties, etc. (100's\$) **£150-£200**
- x489** A Q.V. to Q.E.II duplicated used selection in mixed condition in two stockbooks and on stockcards incl. 1841 1d's, interest in cancels, etc. (100's\$). **£80-£100**
- 490** 1822–1968 collection in varied condition in an album with a range of line-engraved and surface-printed used, 1958 D.L.R. set mint, Wildings mint and used incl. graphites, 1962–64 phosphor commemorative sets unmounted mint, etc. (100's\$) **£300-£400**
- 491** 1840 1d. (8, 7 with full margins) used, 1841 1d. (2 on piece and cover cancelled. nos. in M.C.'s, faults) and a small range of mint KG V & KG VI controls. **£250-£300**
- 492 ☒** 1840–1936 collection in an F.G. album incl. 1840 1d. plate 1b LL unused with just clear to good margins, 1d. (13) incl. plate 11 PC with just clear to good margins almost all around, 2d. (15 incl. PJ-QJ vertical pair), used, 1841 1d. (9) fresh unused or mint, 1d. (230\$), 2d. (48) used, later line engraved incl. 1855 SC14 2d. plate 4 AK & BL on piece, 1858 LC162d. plate 6 CD-CE pair, used, 1864–79 1d. plates (40) unused or mint, and to 225 used, 1870 ½d. (13) unused or mint, 1847–54 embossed 10d. cut square but some imperfections used on 1853 (Nov.) registered letter from London to Lynn, surface printed with incl. 1867–78 5s. cancelled "C59" (Jacmel), 1883–84 2s.6d. (8, one mint), 5s. (5), 10s. (3), duplicated 'Jubilee' issues, KE VII to 5s. (4, one mint), £1, KG V with 1929 P.U.C. ½d. (12) to 2½d. (18) in mint control blocks, officials incl. Govt. Parcels 1883–86 9d. (5), 1s. plate 13 (6), etc., condition varies. (many 100's\$). **£2,500-£3,000**
- 493** 1840–1910 collection in mixed condition in an album, incl. 1840 1d. (2), 1841 1d.'s with QJ-QL block of 6, 1d. stars, with shades, varieties, cancellation interest, range of surface printed, KE VII with 1902–10 De La Rue 1s. fine used block of 4, £1, used, Officials incl. Army 1896–1901 6d. mint corner pair, etc. (100's\$). **£500-£700**
- 494** 1840–1913, an unusual accumulation in varied condition incl. 1840 1d. (6, on covers or pieces), 1841 1d. (55\$) inc. a mint marginal block of 4, used blocks of 6 and 5, strips of 8 (with M.C.'s) and 4 (4), 2d. (435\$) with multiples incl. blocks of 8 and 4 (3), strips of 6, 5 (3), 4 (2), 3 (23), used, 1858–76 2d. plates 8, 9, 13 & 14 unused or mint, 1864–79 1d. (275\$) mainly good to fine mint with blocks of 15, 12 (2), 9, 8, 6 (5) and 4 (23), plate 152 singles (67), used plates to 224 used incl. plate 154 block of 12, 1884 wmk. crowns £1 MB and OA of good to fine appearance, used, 1902–10 2s.6d., 5s. & 10s. mint. (100's\$). **£3,500-£4,000**

Collections and Mixed Lots continued

- 495** 1840–1918 collection in varied condition on Ideal leaves incl. 1840 1d. GH, NC, NE, 2d. GD, SB with full margins except 2d. GD, 1847–54 embossed 1s., 10d. 6d. (2) cut square used, good range of surface printed incl. 1867–80 2s. brown TH (reperforated wing margin), 1867–78 watermark Maltese Cross 5s. plate 2 HD, 10s. HD, £1 CE, 1882–83 wmk. anchor 5s. plate 4 AH, 10s. EE, £1 DD, presentable used examples, £5 orange CE overprinted “SPECIMEN” type 9, 1883–84 2s.6d., 5s. (2), 10s. (2), 1884 watermark crowns £1 EA (perfin), 1888 watermark orbs £1 FD, 1891 £1 QD used, 1902–13 KE VII to 10d. (2), 1s. (2), 10s., mint, KG V with 1913 Waterlow £1, 1918 Bradbury 2s.6d., 5s., 10s., mint, range of Officials (not all guaranteed) incl. R.H. 1902 ½d. and 1d. mint etc. (270S). **£4,000-£5,000**
- 496** 1840–1935 mint and used accumulation in varied condition in a stockbook incl. 1840 1d. (2) used, later line-engraved, surface printed used with values to 1s., selection of KE VII and KG V mint controls, 1924 and 1925 Wembley sets mint, 1934 photogravure to 1s. (5) mint, 1935 Jubilee to 2½d. (21) mint, etc. (100’sS). **£400-£500**
- 497** 1840–1970 collection in an album and on leaves, incl. 1840 Fores’s no. 6 (Coaching) & Southgate no. 4 envelopes unused, 1847–54 embossed 1s. (2), 10d., 6d. (2) cut square, 1867–78 5s. used, 1879 Tender essays (5), 1881 die 1 1d. (2) mint, 1883–84 2s.6d., 5s., 10s., 1891 £1 with c.d.s., 1883–84 1½d. to 1s. used, 1887–1900 ½d. (both) to 1s. (both) mint also 5d. die 1 optd. “SPECIMEN” type 12, KE VII to 9d. (3), 10d. (3), 1s. (3), mint, 2s.6d. (2), 5s. & £1 (perfin) used, KG V with Downey heads incl. 1912 die 2 wmk. crown 1d. unmounted mint block of 6 incl. one with no cross on crown & broken frame (also 2 used), 1912–24 wmk. Royal cypher ½d. (5) to 1s. (2) with 6d. perf. 14, 9d. olive-green (2), mint, KG VI with 1939–48 2s.6d. to £1 set of 6 mint & used, etc. with a range of Officials. (100’sS). **£1,000-£1,200**
- 498** 1840–1970 collection in varied condition in an Exeter album incl. 1840 1d. and 2d. used, selection of surface printed used, 1902–13 to 1s. mint, 1924 and 1925 Wembley sets mint, 1939–48 to 10s. (both mint), 1955–58 Waterlow 10s. and £1 in mint vertical pairs with the lower stamp in each unmounted, etc. (100’sS). **£200-£250**
- 499** 1840–2002 collection in varied condition on leaves and in three stockbooks with strength in decimal definitive and commemorative issues both mint and used with values to £10. (100’sS). **£250-£300**
- 500** 1840–2005 collection in very mixed condition in two albums incl. 1867–80 2s. brown TJ of good appearance, 1867–78 5s. CC, 10s. DE, £1 FF, 1882–83 £5 (possibly the worst we have seen!), 1884 wmk. crowns £1 QA, 1891 £1 RD, with faults, used, KE VII to 10s. and £1 used, KG V incl. 1913 Waterlow £1 used, 1929 P.U.C. £1 mint, later commemorative sets, etc. (Many 100’sS). **£1,500-£1,800**
- 501 ○** 1841–58 collection of line engraved 2d.’s with 1841 2d. plates 3 (16, 8 with M.C.’s) incl. NF with very large margins on 1842 (Sept.) entire to Norwich, 4 (13) incl. CE-CF strip (CE re-entry), GH with good margins on 1854 (Jan.) E.L. from London to Shefford, 1854–55 SC16 2d. plates 4 (4), 5 (4), 1855 SC14 2d. plates 4 (4), 5 (2), 1855 LC16 2d. plate 5, 1855–57 LC14 2d. plates 5 (8), 6 (6), 1858 LC16 2d. plate 6 (2), incl. matched letterings, etc., mainly fair to fine. **£500-£600**
- 502** 1841–1977 various in a stockbook incl. 1841 1d. PK fine unused, range of used line engraved and surface printed, 1887–92 to 9d. (3), 10d. (4), 1900 1s. (2), mint, KE VII to 9d. (12), 10d., 1s. (7) mostly with c.d.s., KG V incl. 1934 re-engraved 2s.6d. very fine mint corner pair (one unmounted), QE II incl. 1952–54 Tudor wmk. 7d. to 1s.6d. in fine unmounted mint cylinder blocks of four, etc. (100’sS). **£350-£400**
- 503** 1854–79 perforated line engraved, a selection in an old approval book, mainly fine to very fine selected examples incl. 1854–55 SC16 1d. die I (45), 1d. die II (38 with a block and a strip of 4, KG with wmk. inverted), 2d., SC14 1d. die I (18), 1d. die II (18), 1855 LC16 1d (10, one unused), 2d., 1856 LC14 on blued (100S) incl. a block and other multiples, 1855–57 LC14 2d. plates 5 (35), 6 (12), 1857 LC16 1d. (18), 1858 LC16 2d. plate 6 (3), range of plate number issues incl. 1d. (79) mostly mint, 1870 ½d. (130 incl. plate 11 mint strip of 4, many used pairs and strips), 1½d. (50, 4 unused or mint). **£2,000-£2,500**
- 504** 1862–91 selection comprising 1862–64 1s. green plate 2 PG used, 1870 1½d. plate 1 QF-QG unused pair with some original gum, 1879 Tender essays (3) and 1891 £1 MA used (good appearance but faults). (7). **£120-£150**
- 505 ★** 1864–79 1d. (12) incl. plates 83 TI, 114 GJ, 132 CA, 135 GJ, 136 SD, 200 SL & 222 SG, 1870 ½d. (14), unused or mint, mainly fair to good. (26) S.G. stated £3,125. **£180-£200**
- 506** 1873–80 4d plate 15 FI imperforate colour trial in turquoise-blue on gummed, watermarked paper, very fine, also 1881 die 2 16 dots 1d. lilac with watermark inverted in a very fine unmounted mint lower left corner marginal block of 6 (3 x 2, mounted in margin). **£100-£120**

- 507 1873–1948 selection incl. 1902–10 De La Rue 5s. fine used with neat “BRIGHTON” c.d.s., 1911–13 Somerset House 2s.6d. mint, Seahorses incl. 1913 Waterlow 5s., 1918 Bradbury 5s. (corner copy) mint, 1918 Bradbury 10s. (3), 1934 re-engraved 10s. (3) used; 1924–26 wmk. block cypher ½d. to 1s. (less 5d. & 10d.) in unmounted mint control blocks of 4, 5d. pair & 2 singles (stains on gum) & 10d. single, 1939–48 2s.6d. to £1 sets (3) mint or unmounted mint. (87). **£500-£600**
- 508 1880–83 unused/mint selection (5) in varied condition comprising 1880–83 4d. plate 17, 6d. plate 18, 1883–84 5s., 1883–84 9d. and 1s. **£150-£200**
- 509 ☉ 1937–58 mainly fine unmounted mint accumulation of blocks and part sheets etc. incl. 1937–47 7d. to 1s. (48 of each), 1957 Scouts (190 sets), 1958 Games (60 sets), etc. (1,000’s\$). **£600-£800**
- 510 1941–75 mainly fine unmounted mint selection of varieties incl. 1948 Liberation 2½d. blocks of 4 (3) containing crown, line and broken wheel flaws, 1967 EFTA 9d. (phos.) missing brown, 1967–70 Machin 1s.6d. (PVA) with greenish-blue omitted (2), 1975 Sailing 8p. with black omitted. (45). **£120-£150**
- 511 1948–66 mainly fine unmounted mint specialised collection of commemorative issues written up on leaves incl. 1948 Wedding £1 marginal pair, 1965 Shakespeare 2s.6d. in plate blocks, jet-black corner marginal single with Brandon Certificate (1986), marginal single with wmk. inverted, 1965 Parliament 2s.6d. two blocks with colour shifts, etc. (25 items). **£350-£400**
- 512 ○ 1951–63 duplicated used selection on stockcards incl. 1951 2s.6d. to £1 sets (25), 1953 Coronation 1s.3d. and 1s.6d. (25 of each), 1958 D.L.R. £1 (34), etc. **£150-£200**

Miscellaneous

- 513 1797 (July 20th) KG III *‘Act to enable the Deputy of the Clerk of the House of Commons, for the Time being, to send and receive Letters and Packets free from the Duty of Postage’*, four elaborate Valentine’s cards and two 1938 G.P.O. multicoloured placards nos. 190 & 214 relating to Air Mail. (7 items). **£150-£180**
- 514 **Albums:** Three boxed albums (all with some leaves), comprising F.G. De Luxe in maroon, blue and F.G. Popular in green, good condition. **£100-£120**
- 515 **Bus Parcel Labels:** An interesting neatly presented collection of approximately 525 items in two binders, arranged alphabetically by organisation/company with a range of issues from the 1920’s to 1990’s, also some postcards depicting the actual services. **£200-£250**
- 516 **Churchill:** Various Churchill related items (30\$) incl. 1965 set on Harrison & Sons folder signed by David Gentleman and Rosalind Dease, etc. **£200-£220**
- 517 ☆ ☒ **Cinderella Stamps:** 1937 (16th Oct.) Stamp Exhibition at Dorling Hall, the four issued colours each in complete sheets of twenty five, very fine and fresh. Ex Norman Williams. **£120-£150**
- 518 - A neatly written up and illustrated collection of Private Local issues in two volumes incl. Alderney, Herm, etc. **£100-£120**
- 519 - Rather grubby postally “used” label depicting Georgina Weldon and Lunacy Laws Musical Reform and another unused label depicting Robert Smillie, the candidate for the mid Lanark election of 1894 with 1d. value and Mid-Lanark Election Fund bordering his portrait. Both Ex. Norman Williams. **£80-£100**
- 520 **Medals:** 1902 “HERTS PHILATELIC EXHIBITION” white metal medal (38mm diameter) with a stag on one side and a reproduction of the KE VII 1d. on the other. **£50-£60**
- 521 **1890 Uniform Penny Postage Jubilee:** A collection of items with 1d. blue envelopes (4) used on first day of issue, two with all five South Kensington special handstamps (one of which has an additional impression of the smaller type 2) and with inserts also bearing the handstamps, the other two with Braintree and Wortley c.d.s.’s, 1d. red card with Guildhall 16th May handstamp, the Post Office Christmas card (crease at foot), seven other items (various frankings incl. 1d. star and 1d. postal fiscal) with the “PENNY POSTAGE JUBILEE/SOUTH KENSINGTON/2.JY.90” handstamp, 1857 Postal Fiscal 1d. with Guildhall 19th May handstamp on envelope to Brixton Road, also ½d. brown postcard with blue “ROYAL NAVAL EXHIBITION/EDDYSTONE LIGHTHOUSE/20 AUG/1891” handstamp. (15 items). **£200-£250**
- 522 **Perfins:** A predominantly QV and KE VII collection in two binders and on stock pages with better types and values, condition varies. (1,000’s\$). **£1,000-£1,200**
- 523 - Petroleum Board (“P B”), an accumulation on KG VI values to 1s. (9), scarce. (1,000+\$). **£300-£400**

Miscellaneous continued

- 524 **Post Bus Tickets:** 1974–76 collection of Post-Bus tickets and other ephemera in a binder. £100-£120
- 525 **Post Office Training Stamps:** A selection of eighty five different decimal issues in plate and cylinder blocks with Machins to 50p., Castle high values, Postage Dues, etc. Unusual in blocks. £250-£300
- 526 **Post Office Training Stamps:** A K.G.VI to Q.E.II collection with both Wilding and Machin issues, high values to £10 (3, different opts.), also some printed "SCHOOL SPECIMEN", T.V. and vehicle stamps, and the catalogue pages on the decimal Training stamps from the Machin Collectors club publication. (195\$ items). £100-£120
- 527 **Royalty:** 1909 (May 17th) letter written by King George V (when Prince of Wales) from Marlborough House, the letter referring to 'shooting partridges' with privately carried addressed envelope (initialled 'G'), both bearing the three ostrich feathers crest as heir apparent, also 1924 (July 1st) letter written by Queen Mary from Buckingham Palace on paper with embossed "MARY" crest. £120-£150
- 528 **Valentines:** The Valentine & Its Origins, by Frank Staff, softbound with dust jacket, scarce. £60-£70
- 529 ☒ - 1811 (Feb. 14th) hand painted 'love knot' Valentine with address leaf (soiled) showing "ROTHERHAM/169" mileage mark in red, folds reinforced and one side panel with part message missing but attractive and early. £80-£100
- 530 ☒ - 1845 (Feb 1st) most attractive concertina Valentine with multicoloured flowers and a butterfly, sent from London to Leeds with 1841 1d. DD (some faults) partly affixed with sealing wax, the concertina a little 'displaced' at left but intact. Photo on page 42. £300-£350
- 531 ☒ - 1853 (Feb. 14th) envelope embossed with an elaborate floral design, with enclosure, sent in Manchester with full margined 1841 1d. PG (crease at left), the embossing has split a little at top and a small portion of the design is missing at top centre, otherwise fine and very scarce, also a gold printed envelope (with enclosure) addressed to Henley on Thames and privately carried. Photo on page 42. £300-£350
- 532 ☒ - 1872 (Feb. 17th) and 1876 (Feb. 18th), two rather cruel satirical multicolored printed Valentines, both sent locally in Brough with 1864–79 1ds., the former with envelope somewhat soiled, unusual. £200-£250
- 533 - A selection of 19th and early 20th century Valentine's and Birthday cards, some very ornate. (48). £150-£200
- 534 - Six multicoloured printed satirical Valentine's, two published by Park of London. £60-£80

Literature

- 535 L *The Philatelist* volumes 18-47 1952–80 (complete less three items in volume 21), *Philatelic Journal of Great Britain* Volumes 80–90 1969–80 (complete less about four issues), *Great Britain Journal* 54 issues 1972–79, 1994–96, *The Philatelist and PJGB* volumes 1–8 1981–88. £180-£200
- 536 L *The Reform of the Post Office in the Victorian Era* Vols. I and II ed. Fryer & Ackermann, published by the Royal Philatelic Society, No 276 of 650, as new in original box. £120-£150
- 537 *The Postage Stamps of Great Britain* parts 1 (2nd edition) to 4, good condition. £80-£100
- 538 *Twopence Blue Studies of Plates 1 to 15* by H.Osborne, leather bound with gold tooling, also *Guide Lines to the Penny Black* by Litchfield and Willcocks *The Postal History of Great Britain and Ireland*. £80-£100
- 539 L *Postal History International* complete 1972–80 with index, bound in nine matching volumes, also a few *Postal History* bulletins in another binder. £80-£100
- 540 *The Maltese Cross Cancellations of the United Kingdom* (2nd edition) by Alcock & Holland, and *The Cancellations of the 1841 Penny Red* by Goldsmith & Danzig with d/j. £60-£80
- 541 **Plating:** A selection with *Guide Lines to the Penny Black* by Litchfield, *The Plating of the Penny* Vols. 1 (revised) to 5 by Fisher and Brown, *The Plating of Alphabet II* by Wiggins, and *The Plating of Alphabet III* by Wiggins and Tonna, *Penny Red Stars part I AA-JL* by Tonna, all well used. £100-£120
- 542 **Postal History:** A group with *The Postal History of Great Britain and Ireland* and *England's Postal History* by Willcocks, *British County Catalogue vol. 3, London* by Willcocks & Jay, *The Maritime Postal History of London, Post Roads, The Ship letter Ports of the Thames Estuary, The Ship letter Stamps of Liverpool and Post Towns and Postal Rates 1635–1839* by Robertson, *Carrying British Mails Overseas* by Robinson, some damage to dust jackets, otherwise good to fine. £80-£100

Postal History and Covers

- 543 ☒ A most interesting series of collections in four albums and display pages incl. specialised groups of Life Insurance with 1842 Scottish Widows advertising envelope used to Roslin, 1843 1d. Mulready Atlas Co. advertising letter sheet, 1870 Scottish Widows letter sheet used Birmingham to Bewdley, Stamped to Order items incl. 1903 Great Eastern Railway dividend statement from London to Leeds, 1912 Chas. & Thos. Harris & Co., bacon curers ½d. wrapper used Calne to Switzerland, an unusual 1938 “Try/Ty-phoo/TEA/for/Indigestion” 1½d. letter sheet unused, Post Office telegraph forms, and a varied range of other postal stationery, fair to fine. **£800-£1,000**
- 544 ☒ Various from pre-adhesive to KG VI, incl. 1840 Mulready 1d. letter sheet A6 used 1841 (Aug.) from Penrith to Carlisle, 2d envelope a199 defective used, Southgate caricature envelope no. 1 unused, line engraved, 1846–54 embossed 10d. cut square on 1854 (July) registered entire from Nottingham to Bakewell, 6d. cut square used with 1d. star on 1855 (Feb.) registered envelope from Chesterfield to Macclesfield, 1872 (Nov.) envelope from Valparaiso to South Wales with 1867–80 9d. (2), etc., mixed condition. (100\$ items). **£400-£500**
- 545 ☒ A selection of mainly early covers and cards in varied condition with seven pre-stamp incl. two Stratford marks, surface printed values to 1s. on covers with a range of destinations, postal stationery Specimens, Deraedemaeker “UNIVERSAL BROTHERHOOD” unused envelope, etc. (34 items) **£280-£300**
- 546 ☒ A mainly QE II collection of Official, Royal Household and Court related covers etc., good range. (110\$ items). **£200-£300**
- 547 ☒ An accumulation of covers with interest in 1970’s and 80’s Official and Military Mail, incl. printed House of Commons 1st class envelopes (20\$), various handstamps inc. “CHIEF OF DEFENCE STAFF”, “OFFICE OF THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF UNITED KINGDOM LAND FORCES”, “NATO RESTRICTED”, “COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF BRITISH ARMY OF THE RHINE”, M.O.D. “RESTRICTED” 1978 large O.H.M.S. envelope with M.O.D., “IMMEDIATE” and “CONFIDENTIAL” handstamps and red “FCCO/Forces/Courier Service/6150” red printed label and with black on red printed “IMMEDIATE” label stapled, two “SECRET” envelopes, etc. (200\$). **£150-£180**
- 548 ☒ An accumulation of covers and cards in mixed condition incl. a few pre-stamp entires, poor quality 1840 1d. plate 6 on E.L., range of imperf. and perf. 1d. red frankings, etc. (300\$). **£150-£200**
- 549 ☒ An accumulation of mainly QE II Official mail and envelopes, with House of Commons stationery, various Official Paid markings, departmental envelopes, cyphers etc. (100+\$). **£100-£150**
- 550 A selection of covers in rather mixed condition in a small binder incl. 1840 Mulready 1d. letter sheet used, three envelopes and a front bearing 1840 1d. blacks, selection of imperf. and perf. 1d’s, etc. (56 items) **£250-£300**
- 551 ☒ 1581 letter from Paris to Filippo Corsini in London showing Per Questa endorsement, fine. Photo on page 42. **£150-£180**
- 552 ☒ 1592 (April) entire letter from Niccolo Copponi in Pisa, to Bart. Corsini in London, showing Guild Mark, very fine. Photo on page 42. **£150-£180**
- 553 ☒ 1595 (Dec.) letter to Bartolomeo Corsini in London, very fine. Photo on page 42. **£150-£180**
- 554 ☒ 1599 (Dec.) entire letter to Bartolomeo Corsini in London. Photo on page 42. **£120-£150**
- 555 **1663 (August 10th) receipt from The Secretary of State, Sir William Morice (1602–76) for £462 10s. ‘of Daniell O’Neill Esq farmer of the post office in part of the rent thereof due to his Maty for one quarter of a year’; a fascinating postal history rarity in exceptional condition. Photo on page 42. **£600-£800****
- 556 ☒ **1681 (Aug. 13th) entire letter from Farnham to Billingsgate, London, bearing a fine strike of the “Hot Cross Bun” handstamp which was applied at a few towns on the Chichester Road managed by Robert Tayer, rated ‘2’ and with two strikes of “AV/15” Bishop Mark, very fine and rare, one of the clearest examples of the “Hot Cross Bun” and believed to be the only one known used at Farnham. Also a coach map for Hampshire showing the route the letter took. Photo on page 42. **£2,200-£2,500****
- 557 ☒ 1695 (March 11th) entire letter from Broome Hall, Norfolk, to Thomas Wood ‘at his house in Littleton...Middlesex’, bearing the very scarce ‘Solid’ heart (Willcocks L370) “F/AFT” to show that the letter had been transferred from the General Post to the London Penny Post, and with “MR/15” Bishop Mark. Photo on page 43. **£500-£600**

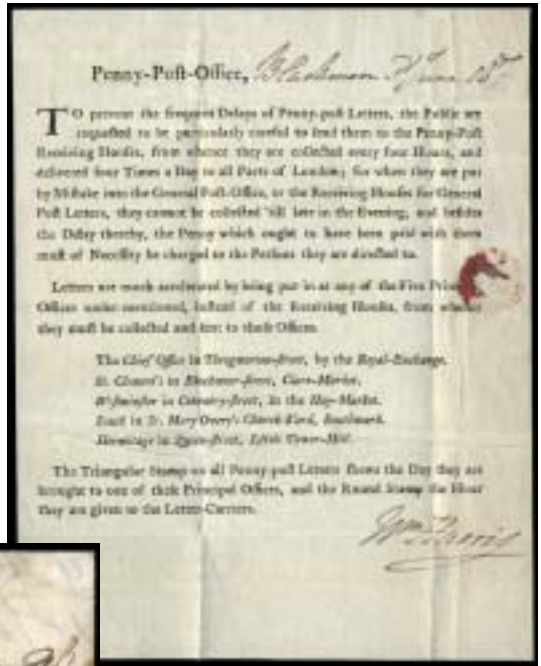
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- 558** ☒ 1697–1971 interesting and well written-up collection of covers (145\$) incl. 1697 (Jan.) rather soiled E.L. with Westminster Office Dockwra type ((Willcocks L361), good range of other pre-adhesive markings incl. 1747 “OXFORD”, 1772 “CHESTER/FIELD”, 1797 curved “RIPLEY”, 1804 E. to Guernsey with boxed “WAPPING/DOCK” Receiving House h.s., 1805 “BIRMINGHAM/120” (BM 107), Ship Letters, Uniform Penny Post markings, 1840 Mulready 1d. letter sheet A26 used 1840 (June) from London to Ashby, 2d letter sheet a103 unused, later items incl. 1911 1st U.K. Aerial post London-Windsor postcards (2) and envelope, etc. **£600-£800**
- 559** ☒ 1701–1853 pre-adhesive or unstamped covers (180\$) inc. 1750 (July 9th) Coffee House E.L., 1786 (May) E. with fair Government Dockwra type General Office stamp with Westminster time mark, 1803 and 1831 E.’s with unframed “G•P” in red, 1838 (May) E.’s with circular framed “G•P/PAID” in red, a good variety of London District Post Two Penny Post markings (61) and London Penny Post Paid markings (52) (many are ex A.E. Trout & Eric Buckley), provincial markings inc. 1789 straight line “SETTLE”, 1789 “32 HIGH/WICOMB” (BU 183, rare), 1799 serpentine “PEMBROKE”, 1838 boxed “PAID AT/OXFORD”, 1802 “CAMARTHEN/236”, Scottish markings (23) incl. 1759 curved “PERTH”, 1807 circular framed “6/EVENING”, etc. **£250-£300**
- 560** ☒ 1703 (Dec. 25th) Christmas Day entire letter from London to Dublin with a fine strike of “DE/25” Bishop Mark on reverse. Photo on page 43. **£250-£300**
- 561** ☒ **1772 (Dec. 17th) entire letter from Smethwick to London, rated ‘4’ and bearing a fine strike of the very rare “BIRMINGHAM” ‘Chandelier’, stain from wax seal not affecting the handstamp, otherwise fine. Photo on page 43.** **£700-£800**
- 562** ☒ 1777(c.) (April 7th) entire to London with a good to fine strike of “BOLTON” (W. LA138, rarity F), London “7/AP” Bishopmark alongside. **£50-£60**
- 563** ☒ 1777(c.) (Nov. 7th) entire to London with a good to fine strike of “BOLTON” (W. LA138, rarity F), fine London “7/NO” Bishopmark. **£50-£60**
- 564** ☒ 1780(c.) “Penny-Post-Office” printed notice of instructions to the public, sent from ‘*Blackmoor St.*’ to Temple and endorsed ‘*St. Clems Office*’ on front, very scarce. Photo on page 43. **£300-£350**
- 565** ☒ 1782 (Feb.) entire to London and 1789 (Aug.) entire letter to Middleton upon Tees, showing very fine strikes of two different types of “BOLTON/LE-MOORS”. **£50-£60**
- 566** ☒ 1785–1945 diverse collection of Droitwich in Worcestershire contained in two binders and a photograph album with emphasis not only on postal history but also on the Social, Industrial and political background of the region. The covers range from early mileage marks to *Clayand Newman*, and *Cobalt salt industry* envelopes, ending with WWII local *Wings for Victory* envelopes. **£300-£350**
- 567** E 1794 (Oct. 2nd) complete edition of The General Evening Post, detailing changes made to the “PENNY POST-OFFICE” on Sept. 8th 1794, listing details of Town and Country deliveries and a List of Places in the Delivery of the Penny-Post, some wear at edges but good condition and an interesting document. **£200-£250**
- 568** ☒ 1795 (Oct. 11) entire letter written by W. Kennedy on board H.M. Ship “*Marlborough*” in Quiberon Bay off the coast of France, addressed to Scotland, with faint unframed “PLYMOUTH” transit and Oct. 21 backstamp, a trifle soiled but most interesting contents ‘*We have a fleet here about 200 sail of ships lying within sight of the Republican army, we have landed the Troops we brought out with us along with the Count De Artois & have taken the Isle of Houat*’. Photo on page 43. **£150-£180**
- 569** ☒ 1815 (May 18) entire letter from London to Bordeaux with ms. ratings and handstruck red “ANGLETERRE/PAR CALAIS”, the reverse showing a fine strike of the very scarce double circle “POST PAID WITHDRAWN SHIP LETTER/LONDON/(crown)/18MY18/1815” struck as instructed across flap to prevent further enclosure, this mark employed for ten months only to prevent confiscation under a scheme permitting private carriage at a charge of one third of Packet rates. Photo on page 43. **£350-£400**
- 570** ☒ 1819–1969 interesting selection of Official covers etc. from ‘*The Taxman Cometh*’ exhibit incl. Excise, Board of Trade, Royal Yacht Squadron, Agriculture, General Register Office, Metropolitan Police, etc. (34 items). **£1,000-£1,200**
- 571** ☒ 1829 (April 29th) with printed “Two-penny Post-Office Regulations”, sent within London to Haymarket with large handstruck “3”, scarce. **£180-£200**

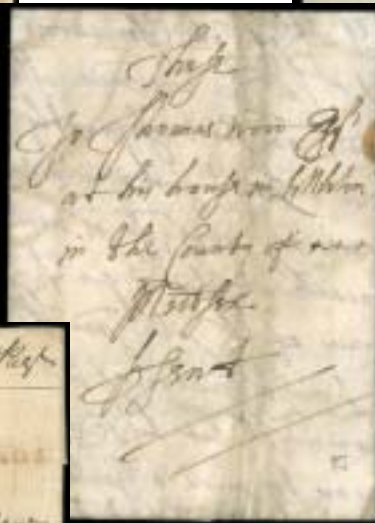
- 572 ☒ 1821–1940 various covers (40) incl. 1840 1d ED, MB and MI on separate covers (first with addressee's name cut away), 1841 1d. cancelled "5", "6" & "7" in M.C.'s, range of postal stationery (some unused) etc., also 1841 2d. plate 3 HA-HD strip of 4. **£300-£400**
- 573 ☒ 1824 (Jan. 29) Soldier's Letter from Lance Corporal William Higgins of the 46th Regiment at Camp Belgaum, endorsed and countersigned by commanding officer, and showing very good "INDIA SOLDIERS/PORTSMOUTH/3" handstamp at right with fine "MADRAS/SOLDIERS LETTER/FREE/9FE9/1824" in red on reverse, slight soiling. Fascinating contents, a tale of thwarted love '*all that I pray for now is to have the Honour of being slain in the act of defending the cause of my King and country*' (transcription included). Photo on page 43. **£280-£300**
- 574 ☒ 1825 (Sept. 14) entire from Quartermaster Isaac Pyke of the 13th Light Infantry to London, redirected to Manchester, endorsed and countersigned by commanding officer from 44th Regiment Detachment of Invalids, Pyke discharged on grounds of health and awaiting return to England, fair "INDIA SOLDIERS/LONDON/1", Calcutta G.P.O. despatch. Photo on page 43. **£200-£250**
- 575 ☒ 1829 (May 24) entire containing extract from regimental Register of Baptisms for a child born in Quebec, endorsed and countersigned from Clonmel to London with good strike of "To be/delivered/Free" crowned circle and tombstone arrival both in red. slight soiling. Photo on page 43. **£300-£350**
- 576 ☒ 1830 (June 21st) entire letter from Auburn to Newbury showing a superb strike of an unrecorded circular "AUBURN/72" mileage mark in black, also with straight line "ALDBOURN" on reverse, exceptional quality. Photo on page 44. **£300-£350**
- 577 ☒ 1831 (May 17) entire from Meerut to London, rated "1/8" and with framed "T.P/Rate 2", backstamped Merut despatch, Calcutta transit and framed "INDIA LETTER/DEAL" overstruck by red Dec. 9 double ring oval. Photo on page 44. **£80-£100**
- 578 1832(c.) "SPREAD EAGLE OFFICE" Coaching Notice published by Vizetelly of Fleet Street, mounted in glazed frame (318 x 478mm), providing departure details of Coaches and Steam Packets, printed in black with an engine turned border in green, exceptional and most attractive. Photo on inside front cover. **£350-£450**
- 579 ☒ 1832 (May 12) entire from Private Patrick O'Connor of the Bengal Artillery to Roscommon, Ireland, endorsed and countersigned by commanding officer, with good "INDIA SOLDIERS/LIVERPOOL/3" handstamp at left, backstamped Anapore, Calcutta and with fine framed "INDIA LETTER/LIVERPOOL", with faults and much repaired, the part letter only refers to imminent war between the Kings of Lahor '*I am in at present after 12 thousand robber that's annoying our territories*' and signs off '*yours untill Death*' (O'Connor recorded drowned in the river Chuner two months later). Photo on page 44. **£300-£400**
- 580 ☒ **1833 (Aug. 6) Soldier's Letter at 1d. rate, endorsed and countersigned, with London tombstone transit and backstamped red Chatham despatch and Glasgow arrival. The letter written by Gunner Thomas Russell from Bramonto Barracks, Chatham, to his parents in Scotland, advising that I ham gowing to morrow for Beangall in the east indes" and incorporating a charming large handpainted portrait of himself '*I sant my likness to you for to keep to the mamory of your son till I return again*', some soiling etc. but most charming. Photo on inside back cover.** **£3,000-£4,000**
- 581 ☒ 1834 (Aug. 24) Soldier's Letter from Private Thomas Caton of the Light Company, Bombay European Regiment at "Camp near Poona", endorsed and countersigned by commanding officer, and showing fine "INDIA SOLDIERS/LONDON/3" at left. The letter addressed to Lancashire advising the addressee of the death of his son from a '*diseased liver of a kind that is very fatal to Europeans in this country*', backstamped London Feb. 2 transit and faint Poona despatch, both in red, some damage, tape repairs and soiling but most interesting with transcription included. Photo on page 44. **£300-£350**
- 582 ☒ **1835 (June 22nd) 'Chelsea Hospital Application' letter from Draperstown to the Paymaster General in Whitehall, showing a superb strike of the very rare "DRAPERSTOWN/RECEIVING • HOUSE" in blue on reverse, "TUBBERMORE" u.d.c. in black on front with Dublin (June 26th) and London (29th) "FREE" d.s.'s, London Sunday "S/28JU28/1835" c.d.s. on reverse, an exhibition item. Photo on page 44.** **£700-£800**
- 583 ☒ 1835 (December 31st) entire to Great Marlborough Street with black handstruck "2" and framed "T•P/Portugal St" in front and a good impression of the oval framed "7*NIGHT*7/DE*31/1835" (Willcocks 458) in red on the last day of use of this mark, very scarce. **£100-£120**
- 584 ☒ 1836 (Sept. 30) entire letter from Paris to London showing fine framed curved arc "FOREIGN PAID" in red with "PD" and Paris despatch above, and double ring Oct. 3 arrival backstamp, light filing fold, attractive. Photo on page 44. **£100-£120**



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- 585 ☒ 1839 (Apr. 26) Soldier's Letter from Kurnaul to Ireland, endorsed and countersigned with unframed "INDIA SOLDIERS/LIVERPOOL/3" and framed "INDIA LETTER/LIVERPOOL", despatch and arrival backstamps, heavily soiled and repaired. Photo on page 44. £300-£400
- 586 ☒ 1841-44 covers (26), mainly line engraved with 1840 1d. (2), 2d., 1841 1d. plates 1b, 5, 8, 9 (2), 10 (2) & 11, 1841 1d.'s with nos. "2", "5", "6" & "9" in M.C.'s, bluish-black Preston M.C., distinctive Dublin M.C., etc., condition varies. £200-£250
- 587 ☒ 1841 (Apr. 11) Soldier's Letter from Gunner Charles Hewett at Dum Dum to London, endorsed and countersigned by commanding officer, with good circular "SOLDIERS & SEAMANS LETTER/BY SHIP" and framed "INDIA LETTER/PORTSMOUTH" alongside, despatch and arrival backstamps, some faults. Hewett appears disillusioned ' *I hate the country and the service .. You ask me for advice respecting your enlistment for a soldier, in this I shall be very brief, go rather and hire yourself as a potboy sooner than become a soldier*' (transcription included). Photo on page 44. £300-£400
- 588 ☒ 1841 (Feb 6th) entire letter with superb printed engraving of Plymouth harbour, sent from Dover to Chelmsford with 1841 1d. plate 14 QE most unusually used as a seal (bisected and damaged on opening) £120-£140
- 589 ☒ 1841 (Nov. 17th) entire from London to Cambridge bearing 1841 1d. plate 13 CI (crossed by filing crease) with mss. 'Missent to' alongside "CAMBRIDGE/NO 17/1841" on front and endorsed 'Try Cambridge Gloucestershire'; backstamped and London, Cambridge, Brighton and three times at Dursley (Nov. 18th, Dec. 1st & 8th), also 1843 (Jan.) E.L. with handstruck "Missent" alongside "BARNSELY" c.d.s. on reverse. £80-£90
- 590 ☒ E 1844 (Dec.) printed "GANEREW/TITHES" printed auction notice, sent from Hereford to Monmouth with 1841 1d. RI with black M.C. (not tied but appears to belong). £70-£80
- 591 ☒ **1844 (June 3rd) complete edition of *The Times*, sent from London to Rhode Island with full margined 1841 2d. blue plate 3 AK, endorsed 'p "Acadia"; exceptional condition for this. Photo on page 46.** £800-£1,000
- 592 1847(c.) undated "NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC" relating to Book Post, Limitation of Size and Weight, Registration, Money Orders, Stamps, etc. backed but quite good condition, also a similar proof (?) notice lacking the Coat of Arms at top. £150-£180
- 593 ☒ 1847 (Dec. 20) Consignee's Letter entire "pr "Eliza Belo" from Sierra Leone to London, rated "6d" and with very fine strike of scarce "(crown)/EXEMPT.SHIP.LR.", backstamped fine octagonal framed "14FE1848/LIVERPOOL/SHIP" and red Feb. 15 arrival. Photo on page 46. £250-£300
- 594 ☒ 1848 (April 21st) entire letter from Manchester to New York with very fine "UPPERMILL" u.d.c. in red (W. M685), endorsed 'P 1/-' in red and with large red "7" handstamp, most attractive. £40-£50
- 595 ☒ 1849-1959, a selection of items showing movable box marks, etc., incl. 1849 entire to London with framed "M.B." and fine red "SHIP-LETTER/LONDON/(crown)/SP 2/1849", 1862 from Le Havre to Newcastle franked Louis Napoléon 40c. and with fine octagonal framed "SOUTHAMPTON/France/MB/MY31/1862", later Mobile P.O. c.d.s.'s, etc. (9 items) £160-£180
- 596 ☒ **1849 (March 22nd) complete edition of *The Times*, sent from London to Rhode Island with two and a half 1841 1d.'s overlapping, most unusual. Photo on page 46.** £1,500-£2,000
- 597 ☒ **1849 (Sept. 7th) most unusual decorative envelope printed in green with a double lined green border on the outer side and an ornate floral border on the inner side, written by a nephew to his aunt and sent with full margined 1841 1d. from Lochgilphead to Tonbridge Wells. Photo on page 46.** £1,000-£120
- 598 ☒ 1852 (June 9th) envelope from Woodbridge to Chertsey bearing cut into 1841 1d. KA-KG strip of seven (folded around sides at left and right), presumably paying 1d. postage plus 6d. registration but not endorsed registered, unusual. Photo on page 47. £250-£300
- 599 1851 (Nov.) "Sub-Postmaster's or Messenger's Bill.", an inventory on which was to be detailed "Unpaid Letters sent out", "Paid Foreign or Colonial Letter sent in", "Registered Letters" in and out, "Total Letters" sent out and brought in, and "Amount of 1d. Labels in the hands of the Sub-Postmaster", faint impression of "FRODINGHAM" undated circle in yellow but no details completed, most unusual. Photo on page 47. £150-£200
- 600 ☒ 1860 (Nov. 10th) small neat envelope from London to Edinburgh bearing 1857 LC14 1d. CE in combination with and overlapping Postal Fiscal 1d., 20 years prior to authorisation of this issue for postal use, very fine and most unusual. Photo on page 47. £350-£400



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Amount of the Post Fees	Amount of the Subsidies
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Registered Letters	
Post sent	
Post received	
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Outwards	
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Received on	Received on

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