



SOCIETY AUCTION

WEB/POSTAL SALE

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7. The estimates given in the appropriate column are meant as a guide to the current retail value of the lots. In many cases the vendor's figures have been checked and adjusted. It is anticipated that most lots will sell at, or a little above, the estimate given. Condition has been taken into account and every effort made to give a clear description for the benefit of bidders. Such descriptions have, of necessity, to be reasonably brief. The Auction Manager is prepared to attempt to give more detailed descriptions of larger lots. The numbers stated in general lots and accumulations have not all been checked and must be accepted as only approximate.
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INFORMATION FOR BIDDERS

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As this is a club auction, reserves have, in many cases, been set by individual sellers not by the auction manager. As a result reserve levels can vary a lot from as little as 50% to as much as 90% of estimate. In most cases, assume the reserve is around 60 - 70% of estimate and note that bids of less than 60% of estimate are highly unlikely to be successful.

This sale includes a few lots donated or sold for Society funds. Where this is the case the lot number is followed by a bold *. In many cases these will be being sold without reserve but please bid generously in such cases!

Our bidding increments are as follows:-

Up to £10	50p steps
£10 to £20	£1 steps
£20 to £50	£2 steps
£50 to £100	£5 steps
£100 to £200	£10 steps
£200 to £500	£25 steps
Over £500	at Auctioneers discretion.

Please note that these increments do not allow for bids such as £25 or £35 which always end up being rounded down. We do not accept 'Buy' bids. Bids received which are not in line with the above steps will be rounded down to the nearest bidding increment.

Lots will be sold to the highest bidder at one increment above the next highest bid. Your bid will not be used as a starting price. **In the event of tied bids, the bid received earliest will win the lot.**

The Auction Manager will treat your bids in confidence. Your limit bid will not be used as a starting bid.

For the majority of lot values we have referred to the following catalogues:-

SG - Stanley Gibbons Canada & Provinces 7th Edition 2020

CS - Unitrade Specialized Catalogue of Canadian Stamps 2018 Edition

Van Dam catalogue of Revenue Stamps - 1994 edition.

Unitrade Standard Canada Precancel Catalogue - 2000 Edition

Where the abbreviation STC is used, the catalogue value stated is that provided by the vendor and has not been checked by the Auction Manager.

The sale is listed as follows:-

1. Postal History - Mixed and Bulk Lots
2. Postal History - small lots
3. Postal Stationery
4. Cancellations
5. Stamps
6. Ephemera and all the stuff the auction manager missed the first time around

The Postal History sections of the sale contain many specialised items. Rather than split these into too many sub-listings we have attempted to highlight key words (**in red**) that may draw attention to items of special interest or unusual destinations. The system is, of course, not foolproof so if you do have specific interests we would advise close inspection of the lot listings to ensure you do not miss something important. Within each section, lots are listed broadly in chronological order.

Please note that although we have made efforts to illustrate the vast majority of lots, the scans are **not to scale** so relative sizes will not be correct. The scans are, however, of fairly high resolution so you will be able to blow them up in size online to get a close up view of the material.

Oh and remember..... if you see something you like, bid early, bid often and bid high!!

FOREWORD

This sale contains the usual eclectic mix of postal history and stamps from the BNA area.

As usual, all estimates and bidding are done in £ Sterling although successful overseas bidders will be able to pay invoices in their local currency using PAYPAL or pay via International bank transfer. Whilst the sale contains a wide variety of BNA material, the particular highlights include:-

1. A large offering of mail subject to Free postage - both bulk and single lots
2. Another large group of RPO postmarks on cover - both bulk lots and individual items
3. Some nice early pre-stamp covers with bishop marks, straight line and Ship Letters marks including the very scarce straight line STANSTEAD.
4. An early correspondence of three letters from Canada to India
5. Our best selection of covers and stamps from the Maritime Provinces in many years
6. A strong offering of Canadian stamps from the early Pence issue to modern with many varieties
7. A large group of mint Admiral stamps - many in mint blocks - and with scarce coil varieties and study lots
8. The first few lots from a large old-time collection of Fancy Cancels - more to follow in future sales
9. A large collection of CPR postcards
- 10 Another large offering of transatlantic covers, many with rate handstamps and
11. A nice selection of Special Delivery covers

Devotees of our bulk Admiral lots will find some more lots of 2 cent reds and 3 cent browns in this sale. The cupboard is nearly empty so if you like this stuff now is the time to bid!!

With lots estimated from as little as £2 up to £1000 (with a majority priced at less than £20) there should be something for all regardless of the state of the bank balance.

I hope you can find a few lots to enhance your collection.

Graham Searle

1 August 2021

11 August 2021.

LOT DESCRIPTION

ESTIMATE

POSTAL HISTORY - LARGE AND MIXED LOTS (see also lots 26 - 28, 127 - 132, 168, 192 and 212 - 218)

- 1 1844 - 1850 Cross Border Mail: group of four sfl's all from the Kennedy correspondence comprising: 1844 (13 August) letter from Toronto to New York, no Canadian rate markings suggesting it may have been carried to the border by favour but rated 25 (US cents) for onward transmission; 1845 (21 July) letter from Toronto to New York Paid to the Lines (Box 50) rated 9 (pence cy) and 10 (US cents) routed via Queenston and Lewiston; 1850 (14 Aug) letter from Cobourg to New York via Queenston and Lewiston with mss Paid Box 50. Rated 9 in mss in red and PAID 10 handstamp for US postage and 1850 (11 Jun) letter from Hamilton to New York paid through and rated 4½ (pence cy) and 10 handstamp in red for US postage. Again routed via Queenston and Lewiston. Nice group, usual light filing folds otherwise fine. **£30**
- 2 1912 - 1965 large accumulation of covers all featuring **slogan cancels** and apparently all different. G5 era (49), G6 era (40) and QE2 (7). Note some advertising covers here and includes over 30 towns. Condition varies but mostly fine or very fine. **£30**
- 3 1912 - 1913 group of nine postcards all mailed from Canada to **Sweden** and rated at 2 cents UPU rate. Franked with 2 cent red Admirals or pairs of 1 cent green Admirals. Very fine. **£6**
- 4 1926 - 28 three postcards to **Sweden and Denmark** all sent at 4 cent rate and franked with 4 cent Admiral stamp. All are tied by slogan cancels. Fine. **£5**
- 5 1928 - 1948 group of three cards and one cover all mailed from Canada and underpaid, comprising; 1928 letter from Windsor Ont to England franked with 5 cent Confederation stamp and assessed due 2d on arrival with UK 2d **postage due** stamp applied; 1937 2 cent brown postal stationery postcard mailed from Regina Beach to Finland and assessed due 4 cents or 10 centimes; 1938 postcard from Victoria to Norway franked with pair of 1 cent Muftis and assessed due 12 ore on arrival with Norwegian 12 ore postage due stamp applied and 1948 card from Chatham N.B. to Sweden franked with pair of 5 cent War Issue stamps but marked for airmail and assessed as underpaid with T30 centimes handstamp. Fine to very fine. **£15**
- 6 1929 - 1950 trio of covers all with dual Canadian /US frankings. Two are US postal stationery envelopes to which Canadian stamps have been added so probably legitimate use in Canada. The third is a letter from Saskatchewan to New York franked with 1 cent Canadian stamp and 2 cent US stamp both tied by Canadian machine cancel and appears to have gone through the mails without comment. Interesting trio. **£8**
- 7 1930 group of four **registered** letters comprising; 23 Sep letter from Montreal (Station N) to Calgary franked with 2 x 2 cent plus 8 cent Scroll issue stamps; 5 Nov letter from Montreal (Station B) to Germany franked with 8 cent Scroll and 7 cent red-brown Admiral; 6 Nov letter from Toronto to USA franked with 2 cent Confederation, 1 cent Scroll and 4 and 5 cent Arch issue stamps and 14 Nov letter from Donald Station B.C. to Sweden franked with 1 cent and 12 cents stamps from the Scroll issue plus 2 cent Arch issue stamp. Fine to very fine and nice lot showing the varied franking over three stamp issues in the same year. **£16**
- 8* 1930 - 1948 group of 9 **airmail** covers to England. Wide variety of rates from 6 cents to 25 cents and includes two **registered** covers. Condition varies and small faults on a couple but equally some nice ones as well. **DONATED FOR SOCIETY FUNDS**, no reserve **£9**
- 9 1931 - 1949 group of 9 postcards all mailed overseas at 3 cents UPU rate. Wide range of frankings from Arch issue to War issue and most appear to be sent to **Germany or Sweden**. Fine lot. **£5**

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10*	1938 - 1942 bumper lot of over 90 covers and cards all franked with Mufti stamps and all tied by slogan cancels . Nice mix of wartime types such as V for Victory and Save Metals, Rags and Waste Paper etc and regular slogans for fairs, using airmail to speed business etc. condition varies greatly but some nice covers here and must be worth..... DONATED FOR SOCIETY FUNDS , no reserve	£30
11*	1938 - 42 Bumper lot of over 130 covers and cards all franked with Mufti stamps to domestic destinations. Frankings range from 1 cent to 3 cents. Collected mainly for postmark interest and appears to have examples from all Provinces except NWT. Cancels include cds, duplex, machine etc . Condition varies greatly as you would expect with such a large lot but many very nice covers here. DONATED FOR SOCIETY FUNDS , no reserve and must be worth	£10
12	Group of 12 first day covers . Range from 1937 to 1953. Several with colourful cachets etc and some with blocks of stamps. Note airmail to Germany etc. Fine or better.	£10
13	1939 group of four covers and one postcard all franked with Royal Visit issue stamps. Note two different illustrated first day covers both sent to England and three commercial usages including registered letter from Toronto to Stamford Centre with 15 cents franking, letter to Germany with 5 cent franking and postcard to Sweden with 6 cent franking. Fine to very fine.	£12
14	1940/41 group of 3 covers and 2 cards all mailed from Nova Scotia to the USA. Note one from Debert M.P.O. and two others with 'V' for victory slogans. All are franked with mufti stamps and with various censor marks in red, violet or green. Includes an unsealed Dec 1941 cover franked with CS 231. Condition is fine to very fine.	£15
15	1940 - 1945 group of 8 covers to the UK (6) or USA (2) all with different commercial handstamps applied on behalf of the Foreign Exchange Control Board . Three covers have meter marks including one with nice 'Win the War/ Buy War Savings Stamps' slogan mark. one is also a postage Free letter from the FECB themselves. Condition generally fine or better and a super basis for a small display of these war time marks.	£15
16	1942 group of three covers from New Brunswick all with different 'PASSED FOR EXPORT' handstamps comprising; Dec 1942 cover from Port Elgin to the USA franked with 3 cent War Issue stamp with Passed for Export h/s signed by postmaster and with C322 censor label at left edge, Feb 1942 cover from St. Martins to the USA franked with 3 cent Mufti with Examined by C304 censor label at left and August 1942 airmail letter from St. Stephen to the UK franked with strip of three 10 cent stamps. Fine to very fine.	£6
17	1942 - 1945 group of 15 covers and cards all addressed to Canada. One is franked with 3d GB stamp, the rest are unfranked. All show a wide range of Canadian Military cancels and cachets. Condition varies but generally fine or better for period and some nice cancels and cachets here.	£40
18	1947 - 1950, group of five covers all franked with Peace issue stamps. Includes airmail covers to Sweden (including one underpaid and charged postage due), Switzerland and Austria (latter censored) and also registered letter to Jamaica . Nice group in fine to very fine condition.	£15
19	1950 - 1972 accumulation of some 11 modern airmail covers. Destinations include Finland, Sweden, Morocco, Czechoslovakia, Austria, Australia and Ceylon etc. Wide range of frankings from 15 cents to 35 cents including a couple with Newfoundland stamps on and three nice Centennial covers. Generally fine to very fine.	£12

LOT	DESCRIPTION	ESTIMATE
20	1951 - 1972 group of 16 airmail letters to overseas destinations. Note covers to Sweden (including one assessed for postage due), Spain, South Africa, Italy, Germany and Israel . Frankings range from 7 cents to 16 cents with great variety. Condition generally fine or better.	£12
21	Group of six covers and cards all franked with Wilding definitives from 1954 - 1963 period. Note two covers with complete booklet panes as franking (including one to Sir George Williamson an ex President of CPSGB) postcard to Sweden with nice Toronto AMS barrel cancel, military cover with mixed Canadian and USA franking and nice commercial usage of the 2 cent coil stamp on printed matter to Sweden . Some scarce items here and all are very fine.	£26
22	Large group of some 55 covers from the House of Commons (including two from the Senate which were post paid and one that was eligible for free postage). Bulk are franked with Centennial stamps and all seem to date from the early 1970's. Note the odd FDC and not checked for stamp types or varieties. Fine or better.	£15
23	1980's group of 19 oversized letters sent from or addressed to Members of Parliament, all with HoC cancels or meter marks and with signatures of the MP's. Nice basis of a display for those who know their Canadian politicians! Fine to very fine.	£20
24	Trio of incoming covers and cards to Canada all sent underpaid; two from the USA and one from Sweden. Two have postage due stamps added and nice variety of postage due hand-stamps. Very fine.	£5
25	Pot pourri of a dozen covers and cards covering the period 1917 to 1978. Bit of everything here, note advertising covers, censored mail, wartime blackout cancel, AR card etc etc. Several to foreign destinations including Sweden and Spain. Generally very fine.	£6
POSTAL HISTORY - FREE FRANKED MAIL - BULK LOTS		
26*	Small group of four stampless covers from 1870's to 1891 all showing various types of 'FREE' handstamp. One has 'Free' struck through and mss '5' applied. One cover has opening fault at top, otherwise fine or better. Nice group. DONATED LOT FOR SOCIETY FUNDS	£10
27	Group of some 25 Post Office official covers or documents all of which were eligible for free postage. Range from 1909 to modern and with a good range of cachets etc. Several are signed and includes a few registered items. Fine or better and a nice lot.	£20
28	Large group of some 33 Government Department covers mostly from the 1930 - 1950 period which were all eligible for Free postage. Some duplication but good range of Free marks and many signed. If nothing else this lot serves as a reminder of just how many branches of Government exist (and get free postage!!) condition varies but generally fine or better and several very fine.	£20
POSTAL HISTORY - FREE FRANKED MAIL - SMALL LOTS		
29	1859 (30 Aug) letter from Ottawa to Quebec sent to the Commissioner of Crown Lands and rated FREE. Fine strike of the large single ring City of Ottawa datestamp on front. Very fine.	£6
30	1860 (2 Nov) letter mailed from Toronto to Quebec initial rated UNPAID 7 but this erased and handstamp 'FREE' applied as letter was addressed to the Asst Comm of Lands. Small stain otherwise very fine.	£6

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31	NO LOT	
32	1862 (7 Feb) letter from Toronto to Quebec initially rated UNPAID 7 but this struck over with Toronto bars killer cancels and FREE handstamp applied. Letter was addressed to the Asst. Comm of Crown Lands. Reverse has Quebec arrival mark of 11 Feb. Fine	£6
33	1869 (29 July) mourning entire mailed from Quebec to Ottawa and addressed to Henry J. Morgan with signature of F. Turville at lower left. Rated free, Very fine.	£10
34	1874 (4 Sept) letter mailed from Ottawa to Wardsville with signature of W. Powell at top right, rated FREE. Very fine.	£8
35	1878 (10 Jan) letter from Ottawa to Kingston rated FREE with boxed handstamp of the Adjutant General's Office on front and signature at lower left. Edge faults at top from rough opening but otherwise fine.	£8
36	1878 (13 Dec) letter sent within Ottawa and handwritten 'Free' endorsement along with officials signature underneath. Very fine.	£8
37	1913 (17 Feb) large letter from the Bureau of Provincial Information in Victoria B.C. to an address in Eholt B.C. Handwritten endorsement suggests the letter contained a logging licence. Front has very fine Bureau of Provincial Information oval datestamp in red and a two line handstamp in black reading FREE/ Bureau of Provincial Information. Very fine.	£10
38	1913 (16 Oct) registered OHMS letter from Ottawa to USA mailed free and returned to writer as address apparently incorrect (no post office of that name in Maine). Free registered letters of this era are scarce. Very fine.	£20
39	1925 (15 Feb) registered letter from Ottawa to Sweden , mailed from the Minister of Posts and with appropriate signature and sent free of postage. The only example I have seen of free registered mail sent to a UPU country in this period. Some minor edge wear but overall very fine and scarce.	£30
40	1930 (5 Apr) unusual letter mailed from Vancouver to London, England and granted free postage. Carries handstamp of the Assistant Secretary to the Government and is signed James Crowe on front. Free franking privileges rarely extended beyond domestic mail. Very fine.	£5
41	1931 (22 Jun) official envelope of the House of Commons in Ottawa mailed to Lyleton, Man. With fine strike of the bi-lingual House of Commons Free Frank cancel. At Lower left cover shows initials of the MP sending the letter E.F.W. Very fine.	£8
42	1937 - 52 pair of covers from the Foreign Service of the USA in Ottawa both of which were eligible for Free Consular Mail. Both carry cachets of the Ambassador at the time. One has some mounting marks and both have minor edge wear and creases. However, unusual covers.	£8
43	1942 (14 Sept) OHMS letter from the Department of Munitions and Supply in Ottawa to Toronto. Large FREE handstamp in black over circular cachet of the Dept of Munitions in blue which incorporates approval signature. Very fine.	£8

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ESTIMATE

POSTAL HISTORY - SMALL LOTS - CANADA

- 44 1804 (30 Mar) letter from Berthier to Montreal with nice PAID h/s in black and initially rated 9 in red mss, this corrected to 4½ (pence Cy for rate up to 60 miles) Flap has fine strike of the two line straight line cancel of BERTHIER/30MAR180 (CS type IV) - a nice early domestic cover in very fine condition and this straight line mark is hard to find (one sold recently for \$500) **£150**
- 45 1806 (5 May) letter from Quebec to Montreal rated PAID (black h/s) 9 (red mss) front has very fine strike of the two line QUEBEC/ 5 MAY 1806 handstamp in black (CS type IV). Usual vertical filing folds do not detract - a fine early domestic cover. **£60**
- 46 1828 (2 Nov) cross border sfl from Chesterfield USA to Stukley L.C. via the Derby Line border crossing. Rated paid 18¾ (US cents in black mss) for postage to the border and 4½ (pence Cy) collect for postage from border to Stukley. Cover has a very fine strike of the straight line STANSTEAD mark (with day and month in mss below 12 Dec). This is one of the rarest of all the straight line Canadian marks with only 3 or 4 examples recorded. Very fine. **£500**
- 47 1842 (25 Nov) letter from Montreal to Cognac in **France**. Appears to have been carried by favour across the Atlantic as no rate markings correspond. Note UK transit mark of 31 Dec and Calais transit of 2 Jan 1843 and Cognac arrival datestamp of 4 Jan 1843. What rate markings there are appear to be collect rates from the UK to France. The text of the letter indicates an intention to send two copies of the letter one via Halifax and Liverpool and the other via New York. It is unclear which one this is. Very fine and nice early letter to France. **£28**
- 48 1848 (29 Dec) cross border cover from Montreal (tombstone paid datestamp in red) to New York, rated as double rate letter at 9 (pence cy) and 20 (US cents) with mss 'Paid to the Lines (Box 98) at top. Light filing folds but overall very fine. **£10**
- 49 1850 (26 Aug) letter from Montreal to Cognac in **France** routed via Royal Mail Steamer and UK. Front has stylised 17 decimes for due 17 decimes (equivalent to 1sh/5d sterling). Front has Calais transit of 11 Sept in red and fine boxed CANADA & ART 12 handstamp also in red. Reverse has London transit of 10 Sept and Cognac arrival datestamp of 13 Sept. Cover has two vertical filing creases which do not detract. Fine and attractive early letter to France. **£36**
- 50 1851 (26 Feb) cross border cover from Toronto to New York via Lewiston (28 Feb transit). Paid through with ratings of 4½ (pence cy) and 10 (red handstamp US cents) suggesting letter went across the Lake to the border crossing. Light filing folds but overall very fine. **£10**
- The following three lots comprise a correspondence from Montreal to India between 1849 and 1851. Letters from Canada to India in this period are rare and for this reason we have listed the covers as individual lots to allow members the maximum chance of acquiring one. You may however wish to bid on all three lots as one (lot 53A) and the covers will be sold as one lot if the bid exceeds the sum of the high bids for the individual covers. All three of these covers were sent by the slightly cheaper route via Southampton and Gibraltar, an all sea route from the UK to Egypt.
- 51 1849 (21 May) letter, with full enclosure, from Montreal to Madras in **India** addressed to a Cornet in the 1st Light Cavalry. Letter was prepaid to the UK at the Cunard rate of 1/2d stg/ 1/4d Cy. Thereafter sent via Southampton and Bombay for a further collect charge of 1sh sterling. Madras receiver on the back dated 2 August 1849. Fine. **£150**
- 52 1851 (25 Jan) letter, with full enclosure, sent from Montreal to same addressee now in Bellary, **India**. Once again prepaid to England and then charged a further 1sh collect for onward routing via Southampton and Bombay. Reverse has London paid mark of 20 Feb and Bombay transit and Bellary receiver both from late March. Very fine for age. **£150**

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53	1851 (22 Mar) letter with full enclosure, sent from Montreal to Bellary in India . Again prepaid to England at Cunard rate leaving a collect charge of 1sh sterling for onward routing via Southampton and Bombay. London transit mark of 9 April on front and reverse has Bombay transit of 25 May and Bellary receiver of 28 May. Some very minor edge faults but otherwise very fine.	£130
53A	The above three covers as one lot.	£425
54	circa 1855 (11 Apr) letter from Illinois to Jordan, Canada West prepaid 10 cents and showing fine strike of the oval UNITED STATES 6D handstamp in red believed to have been used from St Paul Minn (Sanderson & Montgomery record only three examples with only one in red) - type 3-US 37a. Backstamps of St Catherines transit on 17 April and Jordan receiver of 18 April. Fine and nice example of a scarce cross border handstamp.	£15
55	1856 (19 Aug) letter from St Catherines to Smithville Ont franked with 3d Beaver at top left, tied by 7 ring cancel. Smithville receiver of 20 Aug on reverse. Stamp is orange red shade with good margins apart from at top right where very tight. Cover is very fine.	£100
56	1857 (9 July) cross border letter from Toronto to New York initially rated PAID 6d (red circular handstamp but this obliterated when the letter was found to be overweight and replaced by handwritten 1/- (12 pence - now if only they had used a stamp!) Red Paid handstamp applied at Buffalo and mss endorsement indicating postage charged to Box 228 (People's Bank of Toronto). Filing fold at left but overall fine and nice example of a re-rated letter in the Pence era.	£10
57	1859 (3 Oct) letter from Hamilton Ont to Co. Wicklow in Ireland sent via the Cunard service and franked with 17 cent stamp (CS type 19) Owners notes indicate the stamp is from pp47 and is order 1 perf 11.75. Few minor rust spots on cover but generally fine.	£50
58	1860 (9 Apr) prepaid letter from Montreal to Cognac in France via England. Rated at 1/8d sterling, 2/1d Cy (42 cents) and sent 'per steamer of 11 April'. Front has UK circular Paid mark in red and Calais transit of 23 April. Reverse has Paris transit of 24 April and Cognac receiver of same date. Horizontal filing fold does not detract and fine example of a letter to France in the early Cents period.	£30
59	1862 (1 Aug) drop letter mailed within Guelph franked with 1 cent stamp (CS type 14). Stamp is perf 11.75 and noted as being from order 8. Very minor edge faults at top right but overall very fine.	£50
60	1863 (27 Nov) letter from Hamilton Ont to Manchester, England franked with 12½ cent stamp (CS type 18) in yellow myrtle green from order 9 perf 12 x 11.75. Manchester receiver on back dated 20 Dec. Some very minor edge faults at top from opening otherwise fine.	£50
61	1872 (24 Apr) letter from Ingersoll Ont to Dundee, Scotland franked with pair of 3 cent Small Queens (rose red shades) Front is endorsed 'per Canadian Steamer'. Very fine.	£12
62	1874 (3 Dec) letter from Oshawa Ont to Weston Super Mare in Somerset UK, sent via the Cunard/US route and franked with pair of 3 cent plus 2 cent Small Queens paying the 8 cents rate. The stamps are all perf 11½ x 12. Reverse has Montreal transit cancel of 4 Dec and Weston arrival cancel of 21 Dec. Very fine.	£20
63	1893 (2 Oct) letter mailed from Kingston Ont to Clinton franked with 2 cent Small Queen and thus underpaid by 1 cent. Front has large '2' handstamp for 2 cents postage due at double deficiency. Reverse has Clinton receiver dated 3 Oct. Very fine.	£6

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64	1901 (date unclear) special delivery letter mailed within Ottawa franked with 2 cent Map stamp and type E1 S.D. stamp. Nice early example of the Special Delivery service. Few minor rust spots but overall very fine.	£26
65	1903 (24 Feb) advertising cover for H.R. Ives of Montreal (water boilers) mailed from Montreal to London Ont. Franked with 2 cent red Numeral tied by machine cancel. Cover has crease at top left that does not detract otherwise fine.	£8
66	1913 (12 Oct) advertising cover for George Weston Biscuits mailed from Toronto to Paris, Ont. Franked with 1 cent green Admiral tied by machine cancel. Very fine and lot includes George Weston Special Price List for Xmas 1913 for their biscuits and cakes which had been the enclosure.	£10
67	1914 (30 Mar) advertising cover for Tavistock Milling Co (we sell the stuff that makes the dough!) mailed from there to Woodstock Ont and franked with 2 cent Admiral. Woodstock receiver of 31 March on reverse. Fine.	£6
68	1915 (9 Oct) registered letter from Montreal to Zurich in Switzerland . Franked with 2 x 5 cent blue Admirals plus 1 cent War Tax stamp all tied by large R in oval cancels. Reverse has Zurich receiver of 23 Oct. German or Swiss censor sealing label at left edge. Fine and nice example of the confusion caused by the introduction of War Tax which was not payable on mail to the UPU so the War Tax stamp here was not required.	£13
69	1924 (8 Aug) registered letter from Hydro, Ont to Sweden franked with pair of 10 cent blue Admirals paying the 20 cents rate. Backstamp transit cancel of Sudbury (10 Aug). Some rust stains and some minor creases but generally fine.	£12
70	1925 (29 Apr) postcard (in colour of Central Station, Ottawa) mailed from Toronto to Basle in Switzerland and franked with 2 cent green Admiral. Correct rate at the time was 6 cents so underpaid and assessed due 40 centimes, which converted on arrival to 25 cents paid by Swiss postage due stamp. Very fine.	£8
71	1925 (21 Sept) letter from Port Arthur Ont to Finland franked with 10 cent bistre Admiral tied by slogan cancel. Very fine.	£8
72	1926 (17 Feb) 2 cent green Admiral p.s. postcard (type UX34) uprated with 3 cent red Admiral and mailed from Edmonton to Tomsk in Siberia, Russia (arrival datestamp of 19 March) Correct UPU rate at the time was 4 cents so appears to be overpaid by 1 cent but very unusual destination. Very fine.	£10
73	1926 (28 Jun) special delivery letter from Vancouver to San Luis Obispo, California. Franked with 3 cent red Admiral (booklet single) and CS type E2a SD stamp. Receiver backstamp dated 1 July. Some age staining o/w fine.	£12
74	1927 (11 Dec) cover from Winnipeg to Pelee Island franked with pair of 1 cent Confederation stamps and carried on the first airmail service from Leamington Ont to Pelee Island. One of the scarcest early flight covers. A similar one is illustrated in the Airmails of Canada and Newfoundland. Very fine.	£120
75	1928 (26 Jul) AR card issued at Regina Sask, franked with pair of 5 cent Confederation stamps (CS type 144) paying the 10 cents rate. Very fine.	£3

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76	1928 (29 Aug) attractive airmail cover of the Chicago Aero Philatelic Society mailed from Toronto to Chicago with cachet 'Special Air Mail/ Toronto to Quebec/ Special Delivery ' and franked with CS 146 and type E2 special delivery stamp accompanied by a violet cachet of the Canadian National Exhibition Golden Jubilee Flight. Front has additional handstamps 'L5998' and 'REGISTERED' both of which are probably American. Assortment of Canadian and US backstamps including Chicago arrival stamp of 1 Sept. Very fine.	£15
77	1928 (21 Sept) airmail letter from Kitchener Ont to Dallas Texas, franked with 5 cent airmail stamp (SG type 274) on first day of issue . Reverse has Dallas receiver of 23 Sept. Scarce commercial FDC of the first airmail stamp. Very fine.	£26
78	1931 (26 May) unusual double size postcard (which folds up) in sepia showing panorama of paper mills mailed from Dolbeau Que to Sweden and franked with 3 cent red Admiral for correct 3 cents UPU rate which applied from July 1930. Unusual Admiral rate.	£6
79	1932 (20 Apr) registered letter from the Sherrif's Office in Digby N.S. sent locally. Franked with 1 cent and 12 cent stamps of the Arch issue. Letter was 'NOT CALLED FOR' and 'RETURNED TO' sender. Reverse has a wealth of transit marks including some nice strikes of the HX DIG & YAR RPO . Some staining shows through from the envelope seal but o/w fine.	£8
80	1932 (16 Aug) special delivery letter mailed from Halifax N.S. to New York and franked with CS types 192 and E4 accompanied by red-violet handstamp 'Fee Claimed by Office/ of First Address' inverted. Reverse has New York received dated 18 Aug. Very fine.	£30
81	1932 (22 Feb) airmail letter from Ottawa to New Jersey franked with 6 cent on 5 cent airmail stamp (SG type 313). Commercial first day cover and very fine.	£6
82	1932 (22 Feb) airmail letter from Ottawa to Norriston PA. franked with 6 cent on 5 cent airmail stamp (SG type 313) Commercial first day cover . Some minor staining at upper right.	£4
83	1932 (12 July) airmail letter from Ottawa to Kansas carried by air from Ottawa to Bradore Bay and franked with Ottawa Conference airmail stamp (SG type 318) on first day of issue . Very fine.	£8
84	1933 (18 Aug) Special delivery letter mailed within Saskatoon and franked with 5 cent Royal William stamp and 20 cent SD stamp (CS type E4). Very fine.	£30
85	1934 (20 Jun) special delivery letter mailed from Cambellford Ont to Chardon Ohio franked with CS types 197 and E2 (very late usage). Reverse has receipt datestamp of 22 June accompanied by N.Y. & Chicago RPO transit cancel of 21 June. Some minor creasing and a couple of small rust spots o/w fine.	£15
86	1934 (10 Jan) registered letter from Toronto to Bradley Beach, New Jersey forwarded on to Dial NJ. Franked with 13 cent stamp from the Medallion series. Violet boxed Registered mark of Toronto on front. Range of backstamps including Bradley Beach 11 Jan and Dial 12 Jan. Minor edge faults from opening o/w very fine.	£3
87	1935 (31 Dec) special delivery letter from Vancouver to New Westminster franked with CS types 197c and E5. Front has violet 'Special Delivery' handstamp and oval blue 'Letter Carriers Branch/ New Westminster B.C.' receipt cancel also dated 31 Dec. Very fine.	£30
88	1938 (15 Jun) local special delivery cover mailed with Calgary franked with 2 cent Mufti and 20 cent SD stamp type E8. Commercial FDC for the SD stamp and very fine.	£26

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89	1938 (11 July) special delivery letter from Toronto (Postal Terminal A) to Washington D.C. franked with 3 cent Mufti and CS type E6 SD stamp. Front has violet 'Special Delivery' handstamp. Reverse has receipt backstamp of 12 July. Accompanied by N.Y. & Wash Tr 169/Jul 12 1938/ K.N. Bridges clerk's handstamp. Some age staining but overall very fine.	£20
90	1939 (21 Dec) printed reply envelope of Mortimer Ltd, Ottawa (with light vertical crease) mailed airmail and special delivery from Vancouver and franked with CS types C6 and E7. Reverse has Ottawa receipt datestamp of 22 Dec. Minor edge faults but overall fine.	£10
91	1940 (15 Apr) long cover sent special delivery from Winnipeg to New York and franked with pair of 3 cent Mufti's and CS type E7 SD stamp. Front has large 'Special Delivery' handstamp in violet and additional handstamp 'Fee Claimed by Office/ of First Address', also Airmail sticker. Reverse has receipt marks of 16 April. Very fine.	£15
92	1940 (14 Nov) airmail letter (endorsed Per Clipper) mailed from Montreal Station B to Geneva, Switzerland and forwarded on. Franked with 10 cent and 20 cent stamps (CS types 241 and 243). Red 'Transmis par le/RECEPTION' handstamp on front. Examined by Censor C18 label at right edge. Very fine.	£6
93	1941/1943 pair of covers, one from Nelson B.C. to the UK franked with 3 cent Mufti and the other from Toronto to New York franked with 4 cent War Issue stamp both having violet handstamps 'Passed for Export'. Some very minor edge faults, otherwise fine.	£4
94	1942 - 43 pair of airmail covers from Canada to England both franked with 10 cent and 20 cents War Issue stamps, comprising; November 1942 letter from London Ont to Oxford, England and Sept 1943 letter from Galt to London, England. Both have different types of censor label at the left edge. Very fine.	£8
95	1942 (30 Apr) registered letter mailed from Montreal to New York and franked with 13 cent stamp (CS type 242). Front has attractive green boxed registration mark and matching two line bi-lingual 'Passed For Export' handstamp. Currency Control Board sealing label at right edge is tied by Montreal 315 datestamp of 29 Apr. Reverse has New York receivers of 1 May. Very fine.	£7
96	1942 (28 Jun) airmail letter from Halifax N.S. to New Jersey franked with CS type C6 airmail stamp tied by Enlist Now slogan cancel. Front has unusual two line handstamp in blue reading 'Transmission delayed/ for purposes of security' and cover has Examined by DB/C.103 censor label at left edge. Fine	£5
97	1942 (18 July) airmail special delivery letter from Ponoka, Man to Sherbrooke Que franked with CS type CE1. Reverse has receipt datestamp of 20 July along with Montreal transit mark. Very fine and nice commercial use of this stamp.	£7
98	1942 (17 Nov) airmail registered letter from Winnipeg to London UK franked with 10 cent, 13 cent and 50 cent stamps of the War Issue paying 73 cents rate. Currency control label at left edge tied by Montreal 313 cancel of 18 Nov and British censor sealing label at right edge. Very fine.	£12
99	1943 (6 Apr) registered letter from the Royal Bank of Canada in Quebec to their branch in New York. Red Quebec meter marks to value of 17 cents and dumb cancel. Front also has violet dumb boxed registration mark (all somewhat pointless as the meter marks clearly show the origin!) Front also has typed endorsement in red reading 'Authorised for Export by/ Foreign Exchange Control Board /..... Acct.' New York receipt datestamps of 7 and 8 April on reverse along with large RBC sealing label. Very fine.	£8

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100	1943 (31 Mar and 1 Apr) nice pair of covers comprising; letter from Medicine Hat to California dated 31 March the last day of the 3 cent postage rate and franked with 3 cent War Issue stamp, and window envelope from Toronto dated 1 April the first day of the 4 cent postage rate franked with pair of 2 cent Mufti's. Very fine.	£10
101	1944 (4 Feb) registered letter from Oshawa to Royal Oak Michigan USA. Franked with 14 cent War Issue stamp. Front has boxed registered mark and also PASSED FOR EXPORT handstamp of Toronto dated 5 Feb. Reverse has two strikes of 'Received at Detroit Mich not post marked' despite postmarks on front still being quite readable today! Detroit postmark of 6 Feb and Royal Oak receiver of 7 Feb. Also long handwritten note on back extolling the Customs and Exchange officials to not hold up to letter for an excessive period! Very fine.	£12
102	circa 1944 Royal Canadian Navy letter to Montreal franked with block of four of the 1 cent War issue stamp tied by bar cancels but with no dater. Front has red one line 'EXAMINED BY DB/N 10' handstamp. Very fine.	£4
103	1944 (21 Jun and 10 Oct) two airmail letters to Switzerland , comprising; letter from Toronto to St Gall dated 21 June franked with pair of the 5 cent and 20 cent War issue stamps tied by machine cancel. Opened by Censor DB/47 sealing label at left edge; also letter from Montreal (Station B) to Geneva, Switzerland, Franked with 10 cent and 20 cent values from the War Issue series. British style P.C. 90 Opened by Examiner DB/66 censor label on left edge. Very fine.	£8
104	1945 (16 Apr) airmail special delivery letter mailed to Montreal and franked with CS type CE2 with dumb cancel (for once origin is not clear). Addressed to Royal Navy captain at Mount Royal Hotel. Reverse has backstamp for the hotel dated 17 April. Nice commercial use of this stamp and very fine.	£8
105	1945 (15 May) registered airmail letter from Montreal to the Netherlands Red Cross offices in London, England. Franked with two copies of the 20 cents War Issue stamp (CS type 260). Censor label at left edge is British 'Crown' type 'Opened by Examiner 528'. Cover has some light creases but otherwise very fine.	£5
106	1945 (16 Jul) letter from Winchester Ont franked with 3 cent War Issue stamp mailed to Sgt serving in the Canadian Forces in the UK. Originally addressed to a PO Box in London but this has been covered by an OHMS label re-routing the letter to the Sgt Mess of the RAF in Harrogate Majestic Hotel! Reverse has London UK receiver of 27 July. Fine and nice example of the way mail found its way to combatants purely on the basis of their forces number.	£5
107	1945 - 1966 pair of registered parcel tags comprising; 1945 (5 Dec) tag sent in Toronto and franked with strip of three 20 cent Historical Issue stamp (CS type 148), 5 cent and 12 cent stamps from the Scroll issue and \$1 War Issue stamp. Total franking \$1.77, also 1966 (8 Nov) tag mailed from Toronto to Montreal with postage paid by meter at \$3.09. Few creases o/w fine.	£18
108	1945 (2 Aug) 4 cent red postal stationery envelope (type U65) uprated by addition of 1 cent, 10 cent and 20 cent stamps of the War Issue for 35 cents total postage as airmail letter sent from Trail B.C. to Brazil . Oddly return address is given as Oak Ridge, Tennessee. Censor label at right edge appears to be from Trinidad so presumably censored en route. Fine condition.	£7

LOT	DESCRIPTION	ESTIMATE
109	1946 (18 Feb) airmail letter from Longview, Alberta to the Hague, Netherlands franked with block of four of the 8 cent War Issue stamp (CS type 256). Very fine.	£8
110	1946 (16 Sep) plain special delivery FDC mailed from Vancouver to Victoria and franked with CS types C9 and E11 (First Day of issue for both). Receipt backstamp dated 17 Sept. Very fine.	£6
111	1946 (16 Sep) cover with printed endorsement 'Canada's Peace Stamps/ Day of Issue/ via Trans- Atlantic Flight' mailed from Stirling, Ont to England and franked with block of four of CS type CE3. Very fine.	£10
112	1946 (15 Oct) airmail special delivery cover mailed from Nova Scotia to Coopers Mills in Maine franked with CS type CE3 tied by duplex cancel. Front also has airmail sticker and red on yellow SD8 label. Very fine and nice commercial use of this stamp.	£8
113	1946 (11 Dec) airmail special delivery letter from London, Ont to New York franked with CS type CE2. Front also has airmail sticker and red on yellow SD-8 Special Delivery label. Reverse has receipt cancel of 11 Dec. Very fine.	£10
114	1949 (16 Sep) airmail letter from Toronto to Austria , redirected on arrival. Franked with 2 x 4 cent War Issue plus 7 cent Peace issue airmail stamp, all tied by machine cancel. Reverse has receiver of 20 Sept. Very fine.	£3
115*	1949 (15 Nov) pair of FDC's for the Postes-Postage issue of G6 definitives with set being used to pay the 15 cents airmail rate to the UK. One of the covers is a private FDC, the other an official one. Cat \$30. DONATED FOR SOCIETY FUNDS . No reserve.	£4
116	1950 (1 Mar) airmail letter from Nithi River B.C. to Sweden franked with 5 cent War Issue and 10 cent Peace stamps tied by barred cancel. Very fine.	£2
117	1951 (9 Jan) letter from Ottawa to London, England that was initially thought to be for free franking and has signature and handstamp of the Assistant Secretary to the Governor General but then franked with 4 cent Postes Postage stamp of 1949 with OHMS overprint (CS type O15) tied by machine cancel. Cover has edge faults at top from rough opening but otherwise fine.	£3
118	1951 (31 March) registered airmail letter from Montreal to Paris France franked with pair of 10 cent Forestry stamps plus 5 cents stamp of 1949 (CS type 288). Very fine.	£3
119	1955 - 1958 trio of letters from Toronto to England all franked with Wilding definitives and all showing examples of the large rectangular handstamps reading BRITISH MAIL OFFICE/ NIGHT STAFF/ TORONTO. Two handstamps are in red, the other in purple. Two of the covers have edge faults from opening but o/w fine to very fine.	£6
120	1957 (11 Dec) letter from the Weather Station 'Aklavik' N.W.T. to Sachs Harbour N.W.T. subsequently forwarded to Qualicum Beach B.C. Franked with 5 cent Mining stamp (CS type 373). Front carries cachets of Meteorological Office Aklavik and Meteorological Station Sachs Harbour (dated 11 Feb 1958). Nice piece of NWT mail. Very fine	£3
121	1957 (Dec) airmail letter from Edmonton to Kazanlik, Bulgaria franked with range of stamps to 15 cents value. Very fine and unusual destination.	£3
122	1957 - 1962 pair of airmail covers franked with 25 cent Industry stamp of 1956 (CS type 363) one mailed to Ceylon and the other to Iran . Very fine and nice destinations.	£12
123	1964 (15 July) airmail cover from Burnaby B.C. to New Zealand franked with strip of three of the 8 cent on 7 cent airmail overprint (first day of issue) plus a 1 cent Wilding to make up the 25 cents rate. Nice FDC to odd destination! Very fine.	£3

LOT	DESCRIPTION	ESTIMATE
124	1966 (10 May) registered letter from stamp dealers George Wegg & Co in Toronto to London, Ontario. Franked with lower right corner block of four of the 10 cent forestry stamp (CS type 301). Very fine.	£2
125	1973 (14 Apr) registered airmail letter from Vancouver (Sub 19) to Germany . Franked with \$1 Centennial stamp. Very fine and nice commercial single usage of the \$1 stamp.	£8
126	Uncertain date: letter from Scarborough to Toronto with violet handstamp on front reading 'Stamp fallen off/ at Toronto, Ont'. Fine and unusual.	£5
POSTAL HISTORY - FIRST FLIGHT COVERS (see also lot 74)		
The following six lots comprise bulk lots of First Flight Covers from the period 1928 to 1936. The vast majority have colourful cachets and condition throughout is very fine. They are lotted here in roughly one year chunks but the opportunity is there in lot 132A to bid on all six lots as one. Great opportunity for anyone seeking to start a collection of these covers or to add to existing holdings.		
127	FFC's from 1928 - 24 different . Note several related to the Canadian National Exhibition with different cachets. At least one is pilot signed.	£28
128	FFC's from 1929 - 23 different.	£28
129	FFC's from 1930 - 1931 - 25 different	£28
130	FFC's from 1932 - 1933 - 25 different	£28
131	FFC's from 1933 - 1934 - 26 different	£32
132	FFC's from 1935 - 1936 - 23 different	£28
132A	The above six lots as one bumper lot of approx 150 FFC's	£175
133	1926 (7 July) first flight cover from Sioux Lookout to Red Lake franked with 2 cent Map Stamp (late usage!). Cover carried by Patricia Airways and Exploration Co Ltd and carries their 25 cent label - type CL13 on the reverse nicely tied by Red Lake receiver and commemorative cachet. Reverse has some staining from the envelope gum o/w very fine.	£70
134	1929 (28 Jan) airmail letter sent from Halifax N.S. to St. John N.B. on first flight. The plane was forced to land and the mails delayed so the cover is backstamped on arrival at St John on 2 Feb. Franked with 5 cent airmail stamp (SG type 274). Addressee has been excised but o/w very fine.	£8
135	1929 (6 Jun) airmail letter from Toronto to Hamilton sent on the first flight between the cities on the opening of Hamilton airport. Franked with 5 cent airmail stamp (SG type 274). Very fine.	£8
136	1929 (9 Dec) letter from Quebec to USA carried on first flight between Quebec and St John N.B. Cachets on front (in English) and back (in French) Franked with 5 cent airmail stamp (SG type 274). Very fine.	£8
137	1933 (5 Dec) airmail letter from Camsell River to New York carried on first flight from Camsell River to Cameron Bay. Franked with 5 cent airmail stamp (SG type 310 issued the day before) and Arch provisional SG type 314. Very fine.	£8

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138	1934 (16 Jan) letter from Port Menier to Winnipeg carried on the first flight from Port Menier to Havre St. Pierre. Franked with pair of 1 cent orange Arch coils and 4 cent Medallion (SG types 304 and 322). Very fine.	£20
139	1934 (14 June) letter from Fond du Lac Sask to USA carried on first flight between Fond du Lac and Fort Chipevyan. Franked with Ottawa Conference airmail stamp and 2 cent Medallion coil (SG types 318 and 327) Very fine.	£12
140	1936 (19 May) first flight cover from Machin Ont to Kenora franked with 5 cent airmail stamp and 1 cent Scroll coil stamp (SG 274 and 286). Coil stamp is scarce on cover. Very fine.	£12
141	1939; pair of transatlantic first flight covers. 10 Aug 39 cover carried on first flight from Montreal to Southampton franked with 10 cent and 20 cent stamps from 1938 series, very fine. Also 24 June 39 cover carried on first official flight from Shediac to Foynes in Ireland with similar franking and also very fine apart from minor edge faults at top from rough opening.	£6
POSTAL HISTORY - MARITIME PROVINCES (see also Transatlantic Mail section)		
142	NOVA SCOTIA: 1802 incoming ship letter landed at Halifax and addressed to Windsor N.S. Heavy letter weighed at 1¼ oz (effectively 5 weights) Rated at 1sh/11½d cy collect being made up of 2½d incoming ship letter fee to the Master, 1d port charge and 1sh/8d letter rate to Windsor. Front carries fine strike of the double oval Halifax crown Ship letter mark in black and flap has nice two line Halifax datestamp (CS type IX) HALIFAX/ MAY 17 802. Few light creases but very fine for age. Written up on album page.	£40
143	NOVA SCOTIA: 1812 (15 Oct) letter from Halifax to Shelburn carried by private ship between the two ports. Total rating was 5½ pence Cy. Cover has fine strike of the two Line HALIFAX straight line datestamp (CS type XI). Fully written up on album page and fine.	£50
144	Pair of early PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND covers, comprising; 1832 (12 Nov) early folded letter from Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island to St John New Brunswick. Rated 8 pence currency plus further 9 pence for total of 1N5 collect. Some age stains but overall fine and nice early PEI postmarks and 1860 (3 Feb) letter from Prince Edward Island to Westmorland, New Brunswick. This latter shows a very fine strike of the scarce 3D C in circle handstamp unique to PEI . Some flap damage on reverse from rough opening but o/w very fine.	£22
145	1839 (dateline 14 Oct) letter from Paris, France (Bureau Central 15 Oct) to St. John New Brunswick, Carried via Le Havre (6 decimes postage paid) and then by private ship to New York. On arrival in New York charged 27 US cents being 2 cents for incoming ship letter plus 25 cents for postage to the border crossing at St Andrews. Arrival there noted by undated blue 'star' cancellation. US postage converted to 1sh/4½d at St Andrews to which added 9d for postage to St John and an additional 1d for local delivery charge giving a total due of 2sh/2½d. Usual light filing folds but overall very fine.	£26
146	NEW BRUNSWICK: 1842 (12 July) Money Letter mailed from Woodstock to Fredericton. Rated 1/4d in mss. Nice Woodstock Paid datestamp in red on front. Central filing fold o/w fine.	£12
147	NEW BRUNSWICK: trio of stampless folded letters comprising; 1845 letter from Shediac to Fredericton rated 9 (pence collect) in black; 1851 letter from Sussex Vale to Fredericton rated 1/2d (collect) in black and 1857 letter from Oromocto to Lincoln rated 3 (pence handstamp in black collect). Nice trio. Usual filing folds but overall fine.	£15

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148	NEW BRUNSWICK: 1849 (14 Dec) Money Letter mailed from St Andrews to Fredericton with O.H.M.S. in mss on front. Rated 1/2d. Cancels of St John (14 Dec) and Fredericton (15 Dec) on reverse. Fine.	£12
149	NEW BRUNSWICK: 1851 (5 Sept) letter from Boston USA to St John received as a Ship Letter and rated 3 (pence) for local delivery. Front has very fine strike of the two line 'ST JOHN N.B./ SHIP LETTER' mark in black. Light filing fold but overall fine.	£60
150	NEW BRUNSWICK: 1852 (23 Apr) Letter from Woodstock to Fredericton with fine strike of the fancy Woodstock N.B. Paid 3d in circle handstamp in red on front. Reverse has Fredericton receiver of 25 Feb. Fine.	£15
151	NOVA SCOTIA: 1860 (28 Apr) letter from Halifax to Charlottetown P.E.I. franked with 3d imperf (CS type 3) Stamp has three margins and is tied by grid cancel. Cover has been opened out for display purposes and all mounted and written up on album page, PEI receiver of 1 May 1860. Fine and scarce.	£60
152	1864 pair of the green Registered Letter wrappers/ receipts used in Nova Scotia prior to Confederation. These two were both addressed to the Postmaster at Shelbourne. Very scarce as few were ever retained (Harrison notes less than 6 known but as we have recently sold another two in addition to these that is probably an underestimate). Filing folds as one might expect (when opened the documents are some 13 in x 8 1/2 in.). Otherwise very fine and rarely offered.	£60
153	NEW BRUNSWICK : 1868 (May) Prices Current mailed from St John to Portland, Maine and franked with 1 cent brown violet (CS type 6a). Light filing folds but overall very fine.	£50
POSTAL HISTORY - MILITARY MAIL (see also lots 14, 17)		
154	1942 - 1977 small group of Military mail items, one postcard from WW2 era, the remainder are modern post WW2 Forces Air Letters etc. nice range of MPO marks including one from the Vietnam war. Very fine.	£20
155	1942 (16 Jun) Armed Forces Air Letter mailed from Montreal to Egypt franked with 10 cent stamp from 1938 issue. Was sent by Air Marshal W.A. Bishop V.C. and is signed by him on the back. Immaculate condition.	£10
156	1943/44 pair of covers with Canadian Military cancels both mailed in England to addressees in England. One has fine strikes of the FPO S.C. 4/2 datestamp, the other a nice strike of the Canadian Overseas/P.D. S.C. 2 machine cancel. Minor edge faults and creases but otherwise fine.	£5
POSTAL HISTORY - NEWFOUNDLAND		
157	1929 1½d GB Postal Union Congress stamp on a letter addressed to Norbury SW 16 in London. The letter was apparently posted in error to Newfoundland where a 4 cent Prince of Wales stamp was added and letter returned to London, England. Unusual two country franking. Fine	£13
158	NEWFOUNDLAND: 1934 (29 Nov) cover from St John's to Brazil sent airmail and franked with stamps from the 1932 series; 2 cent green x 2, 3 cent x 3, 4 cent, 10 cent and 30 cent values for total franking of 57 cents. Unchecked for design sizes etc. Stamps are on both front and back of the cover. Very fine.	£18
159	NEWFOUNDLAND - 1948 (24 Feb) cover from St John's to Finland with colourful five colour franking comprising 3 cent, 8 cent and 10 cent stamps from the 1941 Waterlow issue plus 4 cent Princess Elizabeth stamp and 5 cent Cabot issue both of 1947. Total franking 30 cents. Very fine and attractive.	£8

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160	1949 - 50 NEWFOUNDLAND: pair of post confederation covers comprising; 1949 (1 Apr) airmail letter from Carbonear to England with mixed franking of Newfie types CS 255, 256 and 270 plus Canada type CS 282. Note this is a first day cover for the Canadian stamp and sent on the very day Newfoundland became Canada's 10th province. Also 1952 (24 Nov) letter from Noranda, Quebec to Sweden franked with Newfoundland 5 cent stamp CS type 270. Nice example of the use of Newfie stamps within wider Canada after 1949. Very fine.	£5
POSTAL HISTORY - TRANSATLANTIC MAIL (see also lots 47, 49, 51 - 53, 57, 58, 60 - 62)		
161	1796 (23 Jan) transatlantic letter from Quebec to Andover in England. Rated 1 shilling to New York for connection with British Packet to Falmouth. The British have overwritten the 1/- packet rate marks with red crowns and charged at double packet rate of 2/- sterling plus 8 pence postage from Falmouth to Andover for collect rate of 2/8d. Cover has a very fine strike of the scarce Quebec bishop mark (second type in use between 1793 and 1798 only). Fine for age and complete with detailed set of notes explaining the rates etc.	£450
162	1811 (20 Oct) ship letter from Montreal to London UK via Quebec. Letter notifies shipment by the vessel Euserella of furs from 1 otter, 2 beaver, 82 marten, 6 fox and 3 weasel. Letter sent unpaid and as a ship letter via H.M. Frigate to Deal in Kent. Total collect charge of 2sh/8d sterling (8d Montreal to Quebec plus 1sh/1d packet rate plus 11d UK postage) London arrival marks of 16 Dec on reverse. Light central filing fold but generally fine and with fine strike of the Ship Letter Quebec crown oval on the front (CS type III) and also weaker strike of the similar Ship Letter Crown Deal mark. Nice early ship letter with two ship letter handstamps on front.	£40
163	1831 (18 July) transatlantic letter from Bristol UK to Quebec sent as a ship letter and endorsed 'per William'. Rated 2½ (pence cy) in mss on arrival being the incoming ship letter fee. Quebec arrival datestamp of 10 Sep and fine strike of the Ship Letter Quebec mark (CS type V) in red. The letter has been sensibly re-inforced internally and has light central filing fold but fine example of a scarce Ship Letter mark.	£250
164	NEW BRUNSWICK: 1836 transatlantic letter from London UK to St. John's N.B. Sent via Falmouth to Halifax packet service and rate 2/2 (sterling) in UK being 1sh postage London to Falmouth plus 1sh/2d packet rate. On arrival in Halifax this has been converted to 2sh/5d Cy and a further 9d Cy added for postage to St. John's making for a total collect charge of 3sh/2d. Very fine. Fully written up on album page.	£34
165	NEW BRUNSWICK: 1837 double rate transatlantic letter from London UK to Fredericton N.B. via Falmouth to Halifax packet. This is a nice example of just how mind numbingly expensive postage across the Atlantic was in the 1830's! Charged in the UK 4sh/4d sterling being 2 x 1sh postage London to Falmouth plus 2 x 1sh/2d packet fee. This converted on arrival in Halifax to 4sh/10d Cy to which added double postage rate to Fredericton of 1sh/8d stg = 1sh/10½d Cy for a total collect charge of 6sh/8½d. Very fine and fully written up on album page.	£40
166	NOVA SCOTIA: 1842 (23 Nov) transatlantic letter from Halifax to Edinburgh Scotland rated 1sh in mss in black (collect) UK arrival mark on the reverse of 17 Dec. Central filing fold but overall fine.	£12
167	1843 (19 Jun) letter from the UK (origin unclear) to Toronto via Quebec. Rated 1/2 (stg) in mss and with fine strike of the boxed 1/4d Cy handstamp in black (type A13) applied in Quebec. (Montgomery notes only 6 examples recorded). Central filing fold and rust stain at right but overall fine.	£24

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168	1843 - 1853 Group of nine transatlantic covers (one is a front only) all sent via Cunard and all rated 1/2d stg and/or 1/4d Cy. Condition varies as you might expect but note two or three very fine here and good historical interest.	£44
169	1844 (3 Jul) stampless entire from Wolverhampton to Montreal carried on the Cunard vessel Hibernia from Liverpool (4 Jul) bound for Boston. Mailed was dropped at Halifax NS on 15/16 Jul. Rated 1/2stg in mss and struck (probably in Quebec) with vf strike of the boxed 1/4Cy handstamp in black (type A13). Light filing fold away from all the marks.	£26
170	1846(18 Nov) transatlantic letter from London, England to Quebec, rated 1/2 (pence Stg) in mss and showing very fine strike of the 1s/4d Currency handstamp in black (type A04) applied on arrival in Quebec. Horizontal filing fold but o/w fine. Lot also includes 1850 (7 June) transatlantic letter from London, England to Quebec rated 1/2 (pence sterling) in mss and showing very fine strike of the 1s/4dCy in circle handstamp (type A05) in black applied at Quebec. Very fine and a scarce handstamp (Montgomery records only six examples from Quebec).	£28
171	1848 (14 Jan) stampless unpaid entire from London, England to Quebec. Carried on the Cunard vessel Arcadia departing Liverpool 15 Jan, arriving Boston 1 Feb. Rated 1/2 stg in mss in London and struck with fine strike of the straight line italic 1/4 Currency handstamp on arrival in Quebec (type A04). Very fine.	£24
172	NEW BRUNSWICK: 1849 (5 Feb) letter from Milltown N.B. to Cornwall, England. Rated 1/2d stg Reverse has St Andrews transit of 6 Feb and UK receiver of 20 Feb. Light filing folds but overall very fine. The Milltown datestamp on this cover is a very early usage as the cancel was only proofed on 4 Jan 1849.	£18
173	1850 - 1852 trio of transatlantic letters from the UK to Canada all showing use of the 1s/4d Cy in circle handstamp on arrival (type A05) Montgomery lists no less than 8 variants of this handstamp so plenty of scope for research with this lot! Lot comprises: 1850 (10 Jun) letter from Liverpool to Toronto, 1852 (1 Jan) letter from Glasgow to Toronto and 1852 (16 Dec) letter from Glasgow to Montreal. All sent unpaid. All covers have minor edge wear and one has heavy vertical filing crease.	£30
174	NEW BRUNSWICK: 1851 (16 Sept) transatlantic letter from unclear origin in the Province to Glasgow in Scotland, Rated 1sh in mss in red and prepaid. Reverse has Glasgow receiver of 29 Sept. Very fine.	£15
175	1852 (26 Mar) stampless unpaid cover from Glasgow to Toronto via the US. Carried on the Cunard vessel Africa departing Liverpool 27 Mar and arriving in New York on 7 April. Rated 1s/4d in circle handstamp (type A05) at Montreal. Front also shows GB claim of 1/- in mss. Very fine. Notes from Malcolm Montgomery accompany.	£26
176	1852 (25 Jun) stampless unpaid cover from Glasgow to Montreal via Liverpool and then by Cunard vessel 'Canada' to the USA. Circular 1s/4d Cy handstamp in black (type A05) applied on arrival in Montreal. Front also shows British claim of 1/- in mss and fine strike of the Glasgow heptagon postmark. Light filing fold goes through the rate handstamp o/w very fine.	£24
177	1852 (28 Nov) transatlantic letter from Montreal to London, UK endorsed 'p Royal Mail Steamer' and rated 2/4 (d stg) for double rate. Horizontal filing crease low down does not detract. Fine.	£12

LOT	DESCRIPTION	ESTIMATE
178	1852 (30 Aug and 10 Sept) pair of prepaid stampless entires from the same correspondence, mailed from Montreal to Northallerton, England. Both are rated 1/2 (stg) 1/4 (Cy) in mss in red. August letter has a Montreal cds, Liverpool pkt letter tombstone and PAID handstamp all in red. The Sept letter has a Montreal tombstone and Liverpool pkt letter tombstone both in red. Both have Northallerton backstamps in blue. Sept letter has central filing fold, the other is very fine. nice pair.	£26
179	1853 (14 Jan) stampless pre-paid entire from Glasgow to Halifax N.S. via Liverpool and Cunard vessel 'Africa'. Red m/s 1/- and large '2' handstamp (type F08, this pence credit to BNA). Front has nice Glasgow paid datestamp, reverse has Liverpool transit datestamps of 15 Jan and Halifax arrival mark of 4 Feb. Very fine.	£24
180	NOVA SCOTIA: 1853 /54 pair of transatlantic letters from the UK to Nova Scotia both sent unpaid and with bold 1/3 handstamp in black applied at Halifax N.S (type C10). Comprising: 1853 (22 Jan) letter from Liverpool to Barrington N.S. with mss 10 (British claim) on front and 4 Feb receipt on reverse, this cover having minor edge wear and stains but o/w very fine and 1854 (17 Feb) letter from Liverpool to Londonderry N.S. with 10d handstamp in black (type F02) being British claim and mss 'per Africa' Reverse has receiver of 13 March. This latter cover has heavy vertical filing fold .	£30
181	1853/54 pair of transatlantic letters both showing the large '2' handstamp claim or credit marking type F08 applied both in Liverpool and in Canada. The first cover is from London UK to Toronto dated 22 Feb 1853 and rated 1/2d in mss in red and prepaid. Rather amusingly addressed to the Gas Light Company of Toronto US - but got there anyway! This cover has heavy vertical filing fold. The second cover is from Auldbarn to the Village of Sharon in York County. Rated 1/2d collect and with bold '2' handstamp in black. Reverse has Liverpool transit of 10 Mar 1854 and Sharon receiver of 30 Mar 1854. Some minor edge wear but overall fine.	£30
182	NOVA SCOTIA: 1853 (10 Nov) transatlantic letter from Halifax to Aberdeen in Scotland, Rated 1/sh in mss in black and with large bold 2 handstamp in black probably applied in Liverpool (type F08). These marks were used as both a claim and a credit marking so exact purpose here is unclear to me. Reverse has Aberdeen receiver of 21 Nov in green. Fine.	£16
183	1854 (16 Nov) unpaid stampless mourning cover from Parsonstown, Ireland to London, Ontario. Carried by Cunard vessel and rated 10 (handstamp in black type D22). Front also carries 7d claim handstamp in black (type F03) being the British claim applied at Liverpool. Very fine.	£24
184	1855 (8 Feb) stampless unpaid cover from Canterbury, Kent to Dunnville C.W. Carried on Cunard vessel (probably the Canada which departed Liverpool on 17 Feb) and routed via the US. Rated 10d Cy with black handstamp similar to type D22 but thinner '1' - probably applied in Hamilton and also 7d claim handstamp (type F03 in black. Very fine.	£24
185	NEW BRUNSWICK: 1855 (1 Apr) letter from Lunenburg N.B. to London, England. Sent unpaid with no NB rate markings. Arrived Liverpool 22 April (green packet letter mark on reverse) and London receiver in red dated 23 April. Front has large 6d handstamp type F16 applied in Liverpool being sixpence charge to collect. First example of this mark I have seen, Montgomery records six examples and this is slightly earlier than his earliest. Cover has rust stain at left o/w fine.	£16

LOT	DESCRIPTION	ESTIMATE
186	1855 (6 Oct) stampless unpaid entire mailed from Liverpool to Montreal. Carried on the Collins Line vessel 'Atlantic' and rated 1s/4d Cy (circular handstamp in black type A05). Front also shows mss 1/- British claim. Light filing folds but nice example of the use of the US Lines during the Crimean War period.	£26
187	1856 pair of transatlantic covers from the UK to Canada, comprising; 6 Jun letter from Birmingham to Toronto sent unpaid and with '10' handstamp in black (type D22) applied in Toronto along with 7d British claim handstamp (type F03) applied in Liverpool. Cover has heavy filing folds. Also 10 July letter from Glasgow (unusual boxed datestamp) to Quebec sent prepaid and rated 8 (pence sterling) in red in mss. This latter very fine.	£24
188	NOVA SCOTIA: 1856 (8 Jun) transatlantic letter from Glasgow to Londonderry, N.S. endorsed 'per America' and sent via Liverpool and Halifax. 5d handstamp in black (type F04) applied in Liverpool being the British claim on letters carried by British Packets via Halifax and nice strike of the 7½d handstamp in black (type E21) applied in Halifax N.S. as collect rate. Fairly heavy central filing fold well away from rate marking. Overall fine.	£20
189	1857 (2 Mar) stampless unpaid cover from London England to London Canada. Conveyed via Liverpool on the Cunard vessel Africa (dep 7 Mar, arriving New York 24 Mar). Rated 10d Cy with black handstamp type D22. Accompanying note regarding the introduction of bulk accounting w.e.f. 1 Jan 1857. Very fine.	£24
190	1858 (19 Apr) stampless pre-paid cover from Kingston U.C. to London, England. Probably routed via Boston and Liverpool on the Cunard vessel America and then onward by train to London. Rated with PAID 8d Stg handstamp in red (type D01). Front also carried London PAID cds dated 4 May 1858. Fine.	£14
191	1858 (29 Jan) transatlantic letter from Glasgow to Montreal via Liverpool and Boston. Carried on the Cunard ship 'Niagara' which left Liverpool on the 30 Jan and arrived in Boston on 16 Feb then on to arrival in Montreal on 17 Feb (receiver on reverse). Rated 1/8 in mss which does not appear to make much sense - something for the buyer to research! Usual filing folds but overall fine.	£18
192	1858 - 59 group of four transatlantic covers all showing rate handstamps, comprising; 1858 (13 February) miniature transatlantic letter from Quebec to Ireland routed via Liverpool (28 Feb), Dublin (2 March) and arriving on 3 March. Front has fine strike of the italic 8d Stg handstamp in black applied at Quebec (Montgomery records less than 10 examples known). Cover has minor edge wear but o/w fine. Complete with letter enclosed. 1858 pair of transatlantic letters showing unpaid handstamps, comprising; 5 March letter from Liverpool to Montreal with very fine strike of the 10dCy unpaid handstamp (type D20) applied in Montreal and 16 September letter from Wokingham to London, Ontario with very fine strike of the plain '10' handstamp (type D22) probably applied in Hamilton (as unrecorded from London). Montgomery records only 10 or 12 examples of each of these marks and both covers are very fine. 1859 (22 March) transatlantic letter from Peterboro, Ontario to Liverpool sent by Cunard service. Circular Liverpool Col Packet datestamp of 7 April on front along with fine strike of the 6dStg handstamp in black for postage due (type E06). This latter probably applied in Toronto. Rather heavy central filing fold o/w fine.	£36
193	1862 (29 Aug) stampless pre-paid letter from Galt U.C. to London, England. Front carries light strike of the PAID 8d Stg handstamp in red (type D01). Routed via Cunard vessel Europa from Boston to Queenstown. Front carries London Paid receiver dated 15 Sept. Fine and nice example of the use of these pence denominated handstamps on mail to the UK many years after the change to decimal currency.	£13

LOT	DESCRIPTION	ESTIMATE
194	1875 (3 Nov) transatlantic letter from London UK to Guelph sent 'via Canadian Mail Packet' but sent unpaid. Rated 5 in mss in black and then 10cts in black mss on arrival for double deficiency. Reverse has Windsor Ont transit of 16 Nov and Guelph receiver of 17 Nov. Unusual to see unpaid transatlantic mail as late as this. Some very minor edge wear but overall very fine.	£15
POSTAL STATIONERY (see also lots 207 - 209 and 339)		
The following four lots comprise an old time collection of Railway Pictorial Post Cards. Catalogue descriptions and values come from the old 7th Edition of the Covert & Walton Catalogue so probably a few bargains here.....		
195	Small group of three Grand Trunk Railway pictorial cards, comprising types GTR24 (unused) GTR 32 and GTR 40A. The first two are QV 1 cent red cards, the last is a Edward 7 1 cent red card (unlisted in my catalogue). Very fine used.	£20
196	Group of CPR cards from the first issue (all on 1 cent red QV cards and used unless otherwise stated) Comprising CP3a (unused and used), CP4a, CP4b, CPR2 unused, CPR8, CPR9, CPR10 and CPR10a (2 copies). Ten cards in total. Very fine and cat value well over \$250	£60
197	Bumper lot of CPR cards from the second issue (Multicoloured views) - all used unless otherwise stated - comprising; CPR35 1 cent red Edward and CPR37 die 1 1 cent red QV, CPR38 die 2 1 cent red Edward x2, 1 cent red Admiral and 1 cent green; CPR35 Admiral 1 cent red Admiral x2, CPR36 1 cent red Edward and 1 cent red Admiral, CPR43 die 1 1 cent red QV and 1 cent red Edward, CPR44 die 2 1 cent red Edward, CPR42 die 2 1 cent red Edward x 2, CPR41 die 1 1 cent red QV and 1 cent red Edward, CPR40 1 cent red QV unused, CPR39 QV 1 cent red, CPR46 1 cent red Admiral and CPR47 1 cent red Admiral. Total of 21 cards. Couple with creases but vast majority are very fine and a few scarce ones in here. Admiral types not checked for dies. Lot includes envelope with full colour picture of Glacier House filling one side, this with some edge faults.	£170
198	Group of CPR cards from the third issue (Sepia Views) - all used unless otherwise stated - comprising; CPR66 2 cent green Admiral, CPR71 2 cent green Admiral, CPR72 1 cent green Admiral, CPR75 1 cent green Admiral, CPR78 2 cent green Admiral, CPR79 1 cent green Admiral and CPR 80 2 cent green Admiral. Total of seven cards. Admiral types not checked for dies. Very fine and cat value well over \$250.	£60
198A	The above three lots of CPR cards will be sold here as a single lot if the bid exceeds the sum of the high bids on the individual lots.	£290
199	1904 (3 Sep) Canadian Express Company Card type CEX11 (1 cent red Edward) used from Hamburg Ont to Woodstock. Front has RPO cancel but only part is readable. Some minor staining.	£7
200	circa 1917 date unclear, postal stationery envelope type U17 mailed from Birtle, Manitoba to Reval, Russia . Front has violet 'CENSORED' handstamp and also Russian censor marking. Very unusual destination and one assumes the 1 cent rate only applied as it was unsealed. Fine.	£6
201	circa 1925 1 cent yellow Admiral p.s. postcard (type UX29) used from Toronto to Oshawa, undated. Sent to a dentist and the reverse has amusing advert for false teeth! Very fine.	£5
202	1930 1 cent orange Arch issue Post Band used to England (CS type PB19). Very fine. Cat \$17	£5

LOT	DESCRIPTION	ESTIMATE
203	1938 style G6 postband type PB28 perforated OHMS. Mailed to Winnipeg. Very fine and unusual.	£3
204	Trio of postal stationery items, comprising; post band for the Barclay Wholesaler of Montreal sent to Sweden (type PB30); envelope type U9 used very late in 1927 and uprated with 1 cent Confederation stamp sent from St Louis de Courville to Saint Jean Port Joli and 1 cent orange G5 type U25 or similar used from Kaslo B.C. to Calgary. All very fine.	£2
CANCELLATIONS (please note that the items in this section have been primarily collected for their cancellations and it is possible that the covers and stamps may have small faults not noted in the descriptions).		
FLAG AND MACHINE CANCELS		
205	1897 pair of Montreal flag cancel covers with type 4 Jubilee flags comprising; 26 Jun cover to London Ont franked with 3 cent Small Queen tied by type 4 cancel with Hub Z and 6 strokes in furl; also favour cover dated 30 June and franked with pair of 1 cent Jubilee stamps tied by type 4 cancel with hub X and 7 strokes in furl. Very fine.	£16
206	1897 one cover and one front with Ottawa Jubilee flag cancels comprising; front dated 14 July to New York franked with 3 cent Jubilee stamp and favour cover of the Ottawa Gas Co dated 28 June also franked with 3 cent Jubilee. Very fine and excellent strikes.	£10
207	1899 (4 Nov) postcard of Fraser Canon House, North Bend B.C. franked with 1 cent green Numeral tied by Montreal type 8 flag cancel and mailed from there to Richmond in Surrey UK. Very fine.	£6
208	1900 (18 Dec) CPR postcard 1 cent QV in red of 'On the Magnetawan River' mailed from Montreal to Sherbrooke and tied with Montreal type 8 flag cancel. Very fine.	£6
209	1901 (8 - 12 July) pair of 1 cent Maple Leaf p.s. postcards with very fine strikes of Toronto Exhibition flag cancels type 11B and 12D respectively. Both are addressed to the USA. Very fine.	£12
210*	1938 - 42 group of 17 domestic covers all franked with Mufti stamps (most with single 3 cent red) and all tied by Enlist Now slogan cancels. Condition varies but some nice covers here. DONATED FOR SOCIETY FUNDS.	£7

RAILWAY POSTMARKS AND TPO'S (see also lots 79, 85)

211	Large stockbook containing massive accumulation of RPO cancels on stamp and piece. Vendor notes some 1366 items with 704 different Ludlow numbers. Fairly broad coverage with 154M, 266Q, 452O, 400W, 59R and 39D numbers. Stamps vary from Small Queens to modern and most appear to be fine or better with good clear strikes and a good sprinkling of the scarcer early types. Stockbook also contains a few maps of the Railway Systems of Canada as of 1909. Treasure trove for the RPO collector. Heavy lot (weighs approx 1700gms - can take stamps out of stockbook but then you have to ID them all!)	£160
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The following six lots all feature bulk groups of covers and cards with RPO cancels. They have been split by the vendor into Provincial or area groupings based on the Ludlow catalogue numbers. There are far too many to list individually and your auction manager is no expert in this area anyway so would probably get most of them wrong! However, they represent a wonderful opportunity to acquire a very large holding of these cancels on cover at a bargain price!

LOT	DESCRIPTION	ESTIMATE
212	RPO cancels on cover or card: bumper lot of 100 covers all featuring RPO cancels with Ludlow 'O' numbers . Ranges from Small Queen era to modern and most appear to be fine or better with nice clear strikes.	£100
213	RPO cancels on cover or card; nice group of 20 different all with Ludlow 'M' numbers. Majority in date range 1896 - 1954 but note one from 1874. Fine or better.	£20
214	RPO cancels on cover and card; large group of 48 mostly different all with Ludlow 'W' numbers. Range from 1897 to early QE2. Fine or better and note lot includes the odd postage due item and couple of aerogrammes.	£50
215	RPO cancels on cover and card; large group of some 31 all different with Ludlow 'Q' numbers. Range from 1897 to 1957. Condition is fine or better.	£30
216	RPO cancels on cover and card; small group of some 19 all different with Ludlow 'R' numbers. Majority are QV era from 1864 to 1900 with one modern era cover. Includes several registered covers. Cancels are generally fine although a couple of the very early ones are weak. Covers fine or better.	£20
217	RPO cancels on cover and card: small group of three all different with Ludlow 'D' numbers, includes D3, D15 and D18. ranges from 1892 to 1935. Two strikes very fine, the third is only partial. Covers generally fine.	£4
217A	You can bid on the above six lots as one lot by bidding here. The covers will be sold as one lot if the bid here exceeds the sum of the high bids on the individual lots	£225
218	Bumper lot of some 125 covers or cards plus couple of pieces all with Western RPO cancels. Range from Edward 7 to early QE2 period. Note the following cancel numbers represented W14, 62, 87, 88, 102, 102E, 102Y, 102Z, 106A, 111B, 111C, 113, 120, 120E, 120H, 120J, 124, 126, 127, 127I, 129, 132, 133C, 138, 138T, 139, 142, 144, 146, 149, 155, 156, 158, 161, 161B, 166B, 172, 174A, 175, 176, 178, 179, 181, 182A, 186, 187, 189, 190, 191, 193, 195A, 196, 197, 199, 201, 205A, 210, 214, 215, 216, 217. Condition varies but generally fine to very fine.	£130
219	1860 (29 May) stampless mourning cover rated PAID 5 in red. Mailed from London, Ontario to Toronto with a good strike of G.W.R./ EAST/ MY29 60 (RY 68) on opened out flap. Front shows some staining from seal and back is roughly opened but overall fine.	£7
220	1860 (5 June) stampless cover mailed from Sarnia to the Crown Lands office in Quebec. Rated FREE (handstamp in black). Reverse has very fine strike of the G.W.R. / SARNIA - BRANCH/ EAST/ JU 6 60 (RY- 81.01) cancel. Cover has been opened out for display and trimeed slightly. Some minor thinning. Scarce RPO cancel.	£22
221	1861 (May and June) two stampless folded letters from Coaticook to Montreal sent unpaid and rated 7 (cents due). Both have fair strikes of early RPO cancels on the reverse, one is Ludlow type Q83 and the other Ludlow type Q88. Minor age stains and light filing folds but generally fine.	£10
222	1879 (4 Aug) Noxon Brothers advertising cover from Unionville, Ontario to Armadale. Franked with 3 cent Small Queen tied by fancy multi-ray cork with free strike of the G.W.R./ EAST/ AU 4 79 split ring (RY 68) alongside. Vincent Greene handstamp on back. Very fine.	£7

LOT	DESCRIPTION	ESTIMATE
223	1881: light but fair strike of the W.G. & B. Ry/ No 4 SOUTH/ JU 15 81 cancel (RY 213) on a 1 cent post card mailed from Harriston to Hamilton. Fine.	£16
224	1888: fine strike of the K. & P. RWY/ NORTH DIV/ SOUTH MY 1 88 (RY 102) back stamp on registered cover from Clarendon Station to Toronto. Franked with pair of 3 cent Small Queens and 2 cent RLS all of which are pen cancelled. Other backstamps include Toronto cds and Clarendon Station split ring. Lot also includes a 3 cent Small Queen on piece with fine strike of the same RY 102 cancel with NORTH indicia. Nice pair of scarce RPO cancels.	£44
225	1888: 1 cent post card mailed from Hamilton to Belleville with fair strike of the 'GT WESTN RWY STATN/ HAMILTON, CAN (AM/MY 9/ 8) on the face. Cancel type SN-8. Very fine.	£6
226	1902 (30 July) registered letter from Moira, Ont to London Ont franked with 3 x 2 cent plus 1 cent Numerals. Wealth of backstamps including two strikes of the Belleville & Madoc Rwy M.C. (with different train numbers - type O14B) and one of the Mont & Tor G.T.R. no 5 RPO (type Q167B). Very fine.	£10
227	1938 fold over advertising postcard from the Erman Howell Car Wrecking Company mailed from Chicago to Hamilton, Ontario. Front shows very fine strike of the rounded corner box date stamp for the 'Toronto, Hamilton & Buffalo Ry. Co./ Master Mechanic, HAMILTON ONT/ Jul 4 1938. Very fine and unusual. The Company apparently had 5000 tons of high grade car parts!	£7
228	1939 (28 May) letter from Toronto to London, England. Sent via S.S. Normandie out of New York. Franked with 3 cent Royal Visit stamp tied by very fine strike of the 'THIS MAIL WAS CARRIED BY/ TRAVELLING LETTER BOX/ TO TORONTO' slogan cancel (RY 195). Lot also includes six stamps from the 1935 - 1948 period all showing partial strikes of this cancel. Cover has back flap missing otherwise very fine.	£4
229*	1941 (19 Sept) letter mailed to Tillsonburg, Ont franked with 3 cent Mufti stamp tied by strike of the Tor & Lon M.C./ No 3 (type O354). Fine. DONATED FOR SOCIETY FUNDS - no reserve.	£4
230	1950 (15 Apr) letter mail within Toronto franked with 4 cent stamp tied by 'THIS MAIL/WAS CARRIED BY/TRAVELLING LETTER/ BOX TO TORONTO' slogan cancel (RY 198). Lot also includes two other strikes of this cancel on piece. Very fine.	£4
231	1955 (17 Dec) letter from Halifax N.S. to St John N.B. franked with 2 cent Wilding tied by Halifax barrel cancel. Front carries very fine free strike of the 'THIS MAIL WAS CARRIED IN TRAVELLING/ LETTER BOX TO HALIFAX N.S.' (RY 194) at bottom. Very fine.	£6
232	NEWFOUNDLAND: Bonavista Railway/ CLAR & BON RPO: facing slip, 5 covers and 11 strikes on stamps showing a range of cancels, mostly fair or better. Types NL 5 to NL 10.	£13
233	NEWFOUNDLAND: pair of covers with RPO cancels, comprising; 1948 cover to UK franked with block of four of the Princes Elizabeth stamp tied by very fine strikes of the Port Aux Basques - North Sydney RPO cancel (type N74G) and 1956 cover to the UK franked with 5 cent Wilding tied by type N93 RPO. Very fine.	£6

LOT	DESCRIPTION	ESTIMATE
234	Railway ephemera, comprising; 1889 postcard from the Cumberland Railway and Coal Co mailed to Montreal listing number of cars of coal to be transported. Front has cachet of the G.T.R. Stores Department / Fuel/ Montreal. Lot also includes 1903 letter from the Cumberland Railway & Coal Company franked with 2 cent Numeral tied by RPO cancel. Unusual items and nice addition to a TPO collection.	£6
FANCY CANCELS		
235	FANCY CANCELS: 3 cent Large Queen with very fine strike of the Toronto fancy '2' cancel (Lacelle type 33). Very fine.	£50
236	FANCY CANCELS: 1 cent yellow Large Queen with very fine strike of the Toronto fancy '2' - Lacelle type 29. Stamp has a few blunt perfs at bottom but nice cancel.	£36
237	FANCY CANCELS: 1 cent orange Large Queen with very fine strike of the Toronto fancy '2' cancel - Lacelle type 31. Stamp itself has a small central thin but you would be buying this one for the cancel!	£36
238	FANCY CANCELS: 3 cent Large Queen with fine strike of the fancy '8' from Ottawa (Lacelle type 95 with VR at bottom). Stamp has small fault at top left but that is not really what you are buying here is it?	£36
239	FANCY CANCELS: 3 cent Large Queen with superb strike of the fancy '8' of Ottawa - Lacelle type 94 with crown at top. Stamp itself has a few blunt perfs but otherwise fine, you will not find a better copy of this cancel!	£50
240	FANCY CANCELS: 3 cent Large Queen with very fine strike of the fancy '9' cancel of Kingston (Lacelle type 106). Fine to very fine.	£40
241	FANCY CANCELS: 3 cent Small Queen with very fine strike of fancy '9' cancel of Kingston (Lacelle type 105). Fine.	£30
242	FANCY CANCELS: 3 cent Large Queen with very fine strike of fancy Roman style '9' cancel of Kingston (Lacelle type 107). Stamp has small fault at top.	£30
243	FANCY CANCELS: 3 cent Large Queen with very fine strike of fancy '9' of Kingston (Lacelle type 109). Stamp has odd blunt perf but otherwise fine to very fine.	£36
244	FANCY CANCELS: 3 cent Large Queen with very fine strike of fancy '9' of Kingston (Lacelle type 104). Very fine.	£40
245	FANCY CANCELS: album page with four examples of fancy '4' cancels from Pembroke, Ont, One is on cover, the other three on stamps; all 3 cent Small Queens. Fine and nice group.	£50
246	FANCY CANCELS: 1 cent Small Queen early printing with nice strike of the fancy '21' cancel from Walkerton (Lacelle type 148.) Fine	£26
247	3 RING CANCELS: interesting pair of stamps having what appear to be 3-ring numeral cancels. In days long past these were actually listed as such but they are in fact simply partially clogged up 4 ring Numerals. The lot includes no 15 (Guelph) on 2 cent Large Queen (straight edge at left and other faults) and no 23 (Niagara) on early printing of the 3 cent Small Queen on soft paper. Lacelle type D69.	£12

LOT	DESCRIPTION	ESTIMATE
248	FANCY CANCELS: intriguing cancel on 3 cent Small Queen tied to piece. The owner described it as three hearts and a number 4 but I suspect it is actually intended to represent a four leaf clover and is very similar to the famous cancel from Killarney Ont (Lacelle type 1226) of which only one example is recorded with a 'K' and three leaves. Beyond that this one is not listed in Lacelle and is sold 'as is' - could be a clever fake or could be a good 'un - you decide! Fine condition.	£30
249	FANCY CANCELS: album page of Small Queens all with fancy leaf cancels. 9 different types all written up with many identified as to location. Cancels are all very fine and stamps also appear fine. Super lot.	£100
250	FANCY CANCELS: album page of 3 cent Small Queens all with five point star cancels. 13 different types with majority of cancels being very fine and several located by post office of origin. Stamps are all fine to very fine.	£100
251	1938 (23 Feb) letter from Amesdale, Ontario to St Boniface Man franked with 3 cent Mufti tied by straight line fancy cancel 'FROM AMESDALE'. Very fine and an unusual modern 'fancy' cancel.	£4
STAMPS - CANADA - MIXED AND BULK LOTS		
252	Mixed group of stamp on stockcard comprising; 1859 issue 1 cent x 2, 5 cent x 2 and 12½ cent all used and sound apart from a few nibbled perfs; also 2 copies of the ½ cent Small Queen and a mounted mint copy of the 12 cent Confederation stamp of 1927 (SG type 270) with straight edge at top.	£7
<p>The following 10 lots all comprise packets of Admiral stamps - off paper and some in bundles - in bulk. There are far too many to count so I have given an indication for each lot of the weight in grams. For guidance 100 Admirals weigh approx. 4 gms, the lots all weigh between 100 and 150 gms so expect around 2500 - 3500 stamps per lot. For all these lots, the condition of the contents will vary but there are many very fine copies here as well as the odd faulty one. They all come from a huge old time hoard of Admirals which was variously put together by Sandy Mackie, John Hannah and George Marler and ended up in the estate of the late Peter Payne. They appear to have been collected and selected for a wide variety of reasons including; cancels, dated copies, retouches, plating studies etc etc. For those who like to get a lot of stamps for their money, these are for you. All are sold without reserve and are sold here for Society Funds. Estimates have been set on the basis of actual realisations for similar lots in our recent sales. The stock is dwindling fast much to the relief of my wife who is poised to get her spare wardrobe back so if you want some stamps to study over the winter now is the time to bid!!</p>		
253	Admiral 1 cent green (CS type 104) - weight 124gms	£16
254	Admiral 2 cent red (CS type 106) - weight 114gms	£15
255	Admiral 2 cent red (CS type 106) - weight 118gms	£15
256	Admiral 2 cent red (CS type 106) - weight 131gms	£16
257	Admiral 2 cent red (CS type 106) - weight 137gms	£16
257A	Keen Admiral students may wish to bid on all the above four lots as one lot. They will be sold as one lot here if the bid exceeds the sum of the high bids on the individual lots.	£60

LOT	DESCRIPTION	ESTIMATE
258	Admiral 3 cent brown (CS type 108) - weight 121gms	£16
259	Admiral 3 cent brown (CS type 108) - weight 104gms	£15
260	Admiral 3 cent brown (CS type 108) - weight 115gms	£15
261	Admiral 3 cent brown (CS type 108) - weight 153gms	£18
262	Admiral 3 cent brown (CS type 108) - weight 154gms	£18
262A	Keen Admiral students may wish to bid on all the above five lots as one lot. They will be sold as one lot here if the bid exceeds the sum of the high bids on the individual lots.	£80

STAMPS - CANADA - SMALL LOTS

263	1852 3 pence beaver imperforate red shade on machine made medium wove paper. Very fine used copy with four margins and four ring 21 cancel of Montreal. CS type 4	£70
264	1852 6 pence plate proof/ colour trial in grey with red SPECIMEN overprint vertically. (CS type 2TCvii) Very fine. Cat \$300	£50
265	1857 ½ pence plate proof in colour of issue overprinted SPECIMEN in green black (CS type 8Pi) vertical pair from right of sheet (positions 24 and 36) showing large part of the plate imprint. Very fine. Cat \$600	£100
266	1857 ½ pence plate proof in black with vertical SPECIMEN overprint in red (CS type 8TCii). Very fine. Cat \$300	£50
267	1857 7½ pence green imperf stamp (CS type 9, SG 12) used single with four good margins and nice four ring 21 cancel of Montreal. Stamp is sound with just the hint of a very small thin at lower right which would be entirely in the wide margin there. Very fine for this and a stamp that is missing from most collections. Cat \$5000 or £2500.	£1000
268	1859 17 cents value; album page with 10 copies being from the bottom row of the sheet and plated as from pp91 - 100. Fully written up from the work done on this value by Whitworth and Calder. The stamp from pp100 has the major re-entry and shows it perfectly albeit with a missing perf on the right hand side. The stamps from pp95 and 97 also show distinctive constant varieties. Copies are generally fine to very fine. It would be a major challenge to reproduce this study in the current day.	£250
269	1868 2 cent Large Queens - bumper lot of some 36 copies, mostly mounted on album pages from old time collection. Big variety of papers and shades (alas no laid papers; I did check!) and some minor varieties noted. The odd one or two have minor faults but majority are fine to very fine and rarely seen in this quantity. Ideal for the specialist in this issue. Note a couple of fancy cancels as well as several dated copies and three copies with Watermarks. Huge catalogue value.	£160
270	1868 2 cent Large Queen very fine used copy showing the major re-entry from pp7. Nice dated cancel as well (AUG 1868). Cat \$800 and rarely offered this nice.	£120
271	15 cent Large Queen clear deep violet shade on very thick carton paper (CS type 30c, SG type 67). Fine to very fine used copy of this distinctive shade with light cancellation. Majority of these seem to have small thins etc but this copy appears entirely sound. Cat £700/ \$1500	£180

LOT	DESCRIPTION	ESTIMATE
272	Small Queen 6 cent red brown (CS type 43) mounted mint marginal block of four with virtually complete imprint at left. Very fine.	£65
273	1897 Jubilee set 1 cent, 2 cent and 3 cent values plate proofs in blocks of four. All on india mounted on card with 2 cent block being marginal. Very fine and spectacular addition to display of this issue. Cat over \$700	£100
274	1897 Jubilee issue 8 cent value, top margin pair with partial plate no 20 imprint. Mint with very small mount on one stamp only - the stamp under the imprint is unmounted. Fine to very fine. Cat \$500+	£65
275	1897 Jubilee set 20 cent value with SPECIMEN overprint (CS type 59). Fine cat \$300	£50
276	1899 2 cent violet Numeral issue stamp on thick paper in marginal mint block of four. The stamps are unmounted but there is a small amount of gum disturbance so estimated on the basis of mounted. Fine and scarce. Cat \$400+	£60
277	1908 Quebec Tercentenary issue ½ cent value left hand pane of 100 with full sheet margins and partial plate imprint and showing the major re-entry at plate position 44 plus a number of other minor varieties. The stamps are unmounted mint but the pane has suffered some rust spots particularly in the margins and on the gum side between some of the perforations. Centring of all the stamps is high. That said when did you last see a block of 100 of these!	£40
278	1908 Quebec Tercentenary set mint. (SG types 188 - 195). Majority of values are very fine and lightly mounted but note ½ cent and 7 cent values only fine and 5 cent value has slightly heavier mount whilst 10 cent value is unmounted. Cat £550+	£100
279	1908 Quebec Tercentenary 15 cent value, imperforate pair without gum as issued (CS type 102i). Very fine centred vertical pair but top stamp has a thin. Cat \$1000 for vf.	£50
280	Admiral 1 cent green (CS type 104) lower margin strip of five with full plate imprint from plate 3. Mounted mint with some gum disturbance and few rust or damp spots showing through to front but a nice plate piece.	£12
281	Admiral 1 cent green (CS type 104) lower margin strip of five with full plate 9 imprint. Mounted mint but with some gum disturbance and some rust or damp spots. Nice plate piece.	£12
282	Admiral 1 cent green (CS type 104) mounted mint single with type B marginal lathework. Fine. Cat \$60	£12
283	Admiral 1 cent green (CS type 104) unused pair (no gum) with partial plate 83 imprint in lower margin. Fine.	£8
284	Admiral 1 cent green (CS type 104) group of five mint blocks of four in range of shades from deep blue green to yellow green. Note one block is unmounted, the remainder are mounted on upper stamps only. Fine to very fine.	£30
285	Admiral 1 cent green (CS type 104) study lot on four stockcards, comprising approx 180 used copies and approx 85 mint copies with many blocks and strips. Good range of shades and many varieties such as hairlines, retouches and re-entries are noted. Hours of fun here for the Admiral specialist. Condition varies but many very fine here. Lot also includes bonus small stockcard with many more used Admirals - mostly coil stamps.	£60

LOT	DESCRIPTION	ESTIMATE
286	Admiral 2 cent red (CS type 106) marginal block of four mint with hairlines. Mounted on upper stamps only leaving the lower two unmounted. Fine. Cat \$200	£20
287	Admiral 2 cent red (CS type 106) study lot on 4 stockcards comprising over 100 used copies and over 30 mint. Arranged by Marler or Reiche types with other varieties such as hairlines and retouches noted. Includes many blocks and strips. Mint are mostly lightly mounted though did note a few unmounted. Condition varies but many very fine here.	£36
288	Admiral 3 cents brown (CS type 108) study group on three stockcards, comprising around 90 used copies including blocks and strips and around 30 mounted mint copies including four blocks. Arranged by Marler type but several used copies also noted with retouches or re-entries or other plate varieties. Nice lot for the Admiral specialist. Condition varies but many very fine here.	£36
289	Admiral 3 cent brown (CS type 108) mint block of four with type 12 file marks in frame lines. Mounted on top two stamps only, lower two unmounted. Very fine and scarce.	£50
290	Admiral 5 cent blue (CS type 111) two mint blocks of four in different shades. One is vf, the other fine. Both are mounted on top stamps only leaving lower stamps unmounted. Rarely offered in blocks and huge (>\$3000) catalogue value.	£160
291	Admiral 5 cents blue (CS type 111) study group on four stockcards, comprising just under 200 used copies with several blocks and many with identified plate positions, retouches, varieties etc plus 16 mounted mint copies with Marler types identified and again several with plate positions or flaws identified. Condition varies but is generally fine or better and rarely offered in this quantity. Huge catalogue value.	£100
292	Admiral 7 cents yellow ochre (CS type 113) range of mint stamps in the various shades, comprising; mounted mint blocks of four in yellow ochre, olive bistre and greenish yellow (all are mounted on top stamps only leaving lower stamps unmounted) plus pair mounted mint in the straw shade and mounted mint single in deep sage green plus another in light sage green. Fine to very fine and outstanding opportunity to acquire all the shades of this difficult stamp in mint form. Enormous catalogue value (well over \$3000).	£160
293	Admiral 4 cent olive bistre (CS type 110) group of five mounted mint blocks of four in different shades and showing variously the wet and dry printings. In all cases blocks are mounted on the upper stamps only. Fine to very fine and hard to assemble.	£60
294	Admiral 5 cent violet (CS type 112) group of three mounted mint blocks of four showing different shades, one marginal block is the thin paper variety. All blocks are mounted on the upper stamps only. Fine to very fine.	£40
295	Admiral 7 cent red brown, 8 cent blue, 10 cent blue and 10 cent bistre (CS types 114, 115, 117, 118) all in mint blocks of four. The 10 cent blue block is unmounted, the others are mounted on the top stamps only. Very fine and hard to assemble. Huge catalogue value.	£80
296	Admirals 4 cent to \$1 Values (CS types 110, 112, 114, 115, 117, 118, 122), study lot on 10 stockcards comprising; 4 cent 5 mint and 16 used; 5 cent 14 mint and 100 used; 7 cent 7 mint and 10 used; 8 cent 4 mint and 8 used; 10 cent blue 7 mint and 23 used; 10 cent brown 8 mint and 22 used and \$1 4 mint and 12 used. Many blocks included. Good range of shades and printings and a few varieties noted. Condition is generally fine or better. Huge catalogue value.	£36

LOT	DESCRIPTION	ESTIMATE
297	Admiral \$1 value (CS type 122) used block of 20 - would make a nice display piece! Boxed letter carriers dept cancels and fine.	£8
298	Admiral 2 cent red coil perf 8 horiz (CS type 124) mounted mint strip of 3 fine to very fine.	£30
299	Admiral 1 cent green coil perf 8 vertically (CS type 125) paste up strip of four mounted mint. Very fine.	£28
300	Admiral 1 cent green coil CS type 131iv with experimental holes from Toronto. Vert pair lightly mounted mint and very fine.	£26
301	Admiral 1 cent yellow coil perf 8 vertically (CS type 126) coil end strip of one stamp and three blanks. Mounted mint and rarely seen.	£20
302	Admiral 1 cent yellow coil perf 8 vertically (CS type 126) die 1 wet printing paste up strip of four, mounted mint and very fine.	£12
303	Admiral 2 cent green coil perf 8 vertically (CS type 128) wet printing mint strip of six with paste up join. Half the strip is Marler type 1 and the other half Marler type 2. Very fine and mounted on two outer stamps only. Interesting item for the Admiral specialist.	£40
304	Admiral 3 cent brown coil (CS type 129) coil start and end strips mounted mint. The starter strip has the full starter blanks plus four stamps, the end strip has three stamps and three blanks. Very fine and rarely seen.	£150
305	Admiral 1 cent yellow part perf coil stamp die 2 (CS type 126a) mounted mint pair on unusually thick paper. Very fine.	£7
306	Admiral 2 cent green part perf coil stamp wet printing (CS type 128ai), mounted mint pair with natural straight edge at left. Very fine.	£60
307	Admiral 3 cent coil imperf between (CS type 130a) wet printing vertical pair from bottom margin lightly mounted mint and very fine. Cat \$500	£70
308	Admiral 3 cent coil imperf between (CS type 130a) marginal block of four lightly mounted mint with owners inscription on reverse in margin. Looks fantastic but is in fact a forgery as it is the dry printing - presumably created by perforating an imperf block. Nice reference item for the specialist and sold 'as-is'.	£28
309	Admiral provisionals (CS types 139 and 140) pair of mint blocks of four, the single line overprint is very fine and unmounted with a natural straight edge at bottom, the two line surcharge is fine and mounted on the top two stamps.	£80
310	Admiral 2 cent red stamp booklet (SG type SB3a) exploded for display on album page. Both panes are unmounted and very fine.	£15
311	1917 Confederation stamp (CS type 135) lower margin imprint strips of three from plates 5 and 12. Stamps are mint but lot of gum disturbance from storage and one stamp in the plate 12 strip has damage. Nevertheless, rarely seen.	£20
312	1932 3 cent Ottawa Conference stamp (CS type 192) in LR plate 2 imprint block of 8 showing the position of the broken 'E' variety at pp87. Stamps are unmounted but gum has picked up some black probably from long term storage in a glassine or Hawid mount. Very fine. Cat \$300	£50

LOT	DESCRIPTION	ESTIMATE
313	1933 Medallion issue coil stamps - set of three in line pairs. Lightly mounted mint and hard to find as a set. Cat \$170	£34
314	1935 3 cent stamp printed on the gum side, right margin single (CS type 219c). Very fine. Cat \$800	£100
315	1938 pair of 3 cent Mufti stamps (SG type 359), one shows the crease on collar variety (unused but no gum) and the other is an attempt at faking an imperforate single (one assumes by cutting off all the perfs but it has at least been rather well done). Nice pair.	£10
316	1938 top four values in the 1938 pictorial issue (SG types 364 - 367) all vfu. Cat £39.	£8
317	1942 - 146 War Issue set 4 cent grey, 8 cent and 50 cent values plus Peace issue 50 cent value, all very fine unmounted mint.	£20
318	1942 - 1949 small group of G6 plate blocks comprising; 1 cent War issue plate 31 UR block of 4, 1949 postes postage 1 cent plate 2 block of 6, 1950 postes-postage omitted set 2 cent plate 1, 3 cent plate 1 and 4 cent plate 2 UR blocks of six. All are vf and unmounted mint.	£15
319	1953 2 cent Polar Bear stamp (CS type 322, SG type 447) used block of four with spectacular pre-printing crease and block also wildly mis-perfed. Very unusual to see a variety of this type postally used. Very fine.	£20
320	1979 Canada Day set of 12 - all fine used. SG types 944 - 955	£3
321	1983 Canada Day Forts set of 10 fine used. SG types 1090 - 1099	£4
STAMPS - CANADA - BACK OF THE BOOK		
322	1942 - 1953: Three stamp booklets; CS types BK34B French, BK38B English and BK47 English. Little bit of rusting around the staples as usual but otherwise very fine with panes unmounted mint. Cat in excess of \$50	£6
323	1922 Special Delivery stamp (CS type E2) - examples of the wet and dry printings both mint and used (4 stamps in all). The mint are lightly mounted and fine to very fine. Cat well over \$500	£12
324	RLS 5 cent green type F2d - fine mounted mint copy. Centred to upper left but with much original gum. A rarely offered stamp. Cat \$1250, SG cat £1000.	£80
325	Admiral War Tax 2 cent + 1 cent brown die 1 imperforate pair without gum as issued. Very fine. CS type MR4b/ SG238 Cat £140/ \$275	£50
STAMPS - MARITIME PROVINCES		
326	NEW BRUNSWICK: Cents Issue of 1860, small group of plate proofs and colour trials comprising: 5 cent value in green, 5 cent value in orange, 12½ cent value in blue and 17 cent value in black with red specimen overprint. Fine to very fine.	£40
327	NEW BRUNSWICK: 1860 5 cent Connell stamp plate proof in issued colour. Very fine. Cat \$300	£50

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328	NEW BRUNSWICK: Cents issue of 1860, study lot on album leaves comprising; 1 cent x 12; 2 cent x 13; 5 cent x 16; 10 cent x 6; 12½ cent x 5 and 17 cent x 5. Good range of shades and papers and notes indicate a number of plate varieties. Condition varies but most are fine or better with several very fine and nice lot for the specialist. Huge catalogue value - well over \$2000	£200
329	NOVA SCOTIA: 1863 cents issue 10 cent value (CS type 12) in marginal mint block of four with full plate imprint. Lightly mounted and very fine.	£30
STAMPS - NEWFOUNDLAND		
330	NEWFOUNDLAND: 1894 Harp Seal 5 cent stamp in bright blue (CS type 55) in mint marginal block of four with part of plate imprint. Very fine and very lightly mounted on one stamp only (mounts are in the margin). Cat \$360	£50
331*	NEWFOUNDLAND - Long Coronation set of 1937. Complete to 48 cents. All vf mint nh and marginal. Not checked for perfs etc. Cat min of \$120 DONATED LOT FOR SOCIETY FUNDS	£10
STAMPS - REVENUE STAMPS		
332	Federal Postal Note stamps; small group of the 1932 - 1948 issue on album page, comprising mint copies of; 1 cent to 25 cent values (including shades) plus 50 cent and 75 cent values. Van Dam types FPS 1-14, 17, 20. Very fine. Cat \$58.	£4
333	Federal Wildlife Conservation stamps; small group all used on permits comprising 1986, 1987, 1988 and 1989 issues (Van Dam types FWH 2 - 5). Fine to very fine. Federal Wildlife Conservation stamps; small group of complete booklets in original folders, comprising; issues of 1985 - 87, 1989-90 and 1992 (Van Dam types FWH 1-3, 5-6 and 8). Very fine. Cat \$90	£16
334	Bumper lot of Federal Wildlife Habitat Conservation (Game Bird Hunting Licence) stamps - all on licence comprising: 1985 (partial licence), 1988 - 1991 (full licences), 1990 - 1996 (partial licences). Where licences are partial, the section containing the personal details and signature etc has been removed. Fine condition and nice display lot. Lot also includes two stockcards containing similar stamps (off licence) from the USA and Australia plus a North Dakota Residents Hunters Licence for 1946 complete with stamp etc. Cat value (Canadian items only) is around \$160	£20
EPHEMERA, ODDITIES AND ALL THE STUFF I MISSED THE FIRST TIME AROUND		
335	Admiral Dr Eckerlin reverse proof in green from lower left corner of sheet with large corner margins. Very fine.	£26
336	2019 - limited edition (no 13 or 196) souvenir post card commemorating the centenary of the Alcock & Brown flight with special cancel for St. John's NF and An Clochan. Nice collateral item for airmail display. Very fine.	£7
337	1937 (8 Nov) large envelope mailed from Transcona, Man to Tonga via Fiji. Franked with 2 cent brown 1935 coil stamp plus pair of 3 cent Mufti coils. Cover was carried by the famous Tin Can Mail service into Tonga and envelope is covered front and back with a huge range of cachets in multiple languages. Reverse has Tonga receiver dated 12 Jan 1938. Very fine and great piece of philatelic history.	£20

LOT	DESCRIPTION	ESTIMATE
338	Admiral 3 cent red (CS type 109) marginal mint unused (no gum) strip of five with lathework type D. Fine.	£10
339	1928 (4 July) 1 cent orange Admiral postal stationery wrapper uprated with 1 cent Confederation stamp mailed from Roethern, Sask to Germany. Very fine.	£4

END OF SALE

Our next auction will be in Quarter 1 2022, followed, hopefully by a room auction at our 75th Anniversary Convention in Dundee in September 2022

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