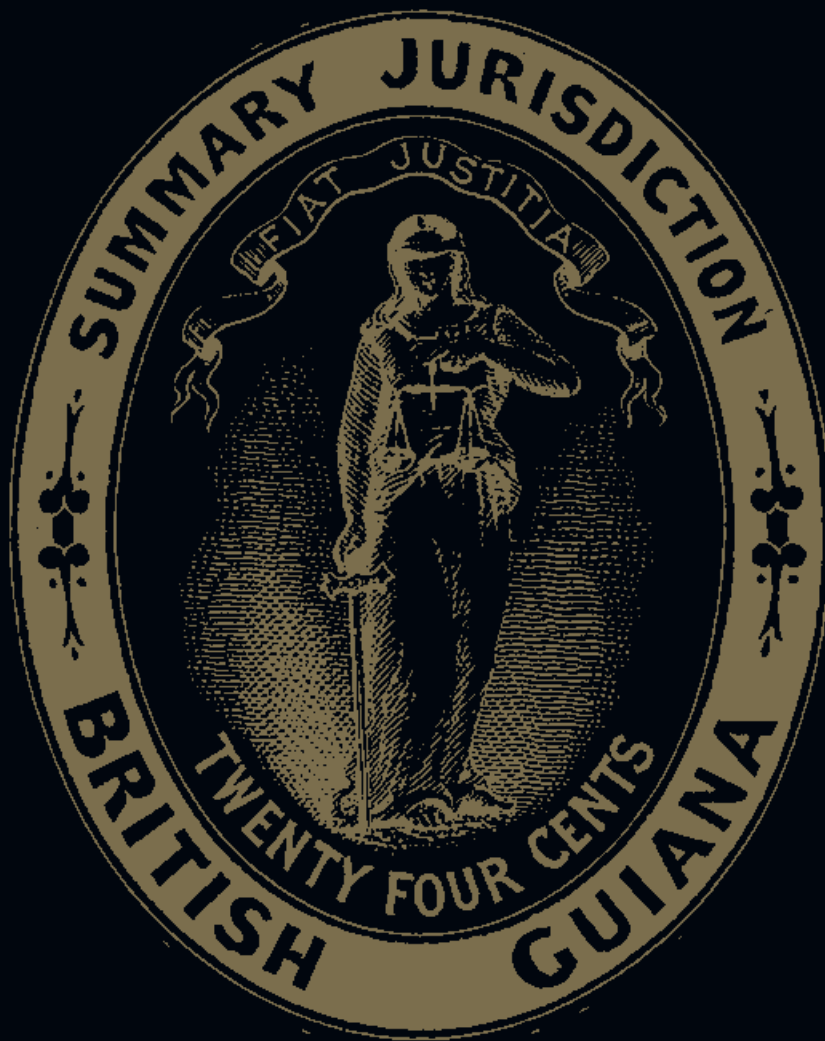




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Foreword

Stanley Gibbons are proud to offer the collection formed by Michael Medlicott, MA(Oxf), CRAeS, FRSA, FRPSL.

Michael began collecting stamps in the 1940's and has never managed to master his addiction. His Revenue collection began in the 1980's when such material, never plentiful, was not so widely collected and provided opportunities for the serious student drawn by the extraordinary beauty of both design and production.

His professional career took him all over the world and face to face with dealers from Sydney to Singapore and Bombay.

He has contributed research to a number of seminal handbooks and articles; and is pictured with the late Frank Walton FRPSL on the evening of his display at the Royal Philatelic Society London, which was rewarded with a Fellowship. In Frank's closing remarks as president, he described the collection as "certainly the finest collection of BWI Revenues ever formed".



Michael Medlicott and Frank Walton FRPSL

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ANTIGUA

1 (Env)

Embossed revenue: 1870 first issue 1d to £5 complete set of 13 proof impressions, cut to shape on white laid paper, offered with 1d, 2d and 3d used cut outs and 1890 bill of lading complete document bearing impression of 1d. A super lot, the proof set extremely rare.

£400-500

2 (Card)

Stamp Duty: 1876 2nd issue 1d and 3d Imperforate plate proofs in issued colours on gummed paper, Wmk Crown CA. As McClellan S21/22.

£100-120

3 (Env)

Stamp Duty: 1870 wmk CC 1d to 10s set of 11, part o.g., each opt 'SPECIMEN' type D9, with trimmed perfs at top and bottom, of trivial importance as this is a set unique in this form, possibly prepared for the 1872 Kensington exhibition, with five values showing the 'cracked cog' plate variety. A wonderful set, ex Marcus Samuel. McClellan S1/11

£400-500

4 (Env)

Stamp Duty: Extensive mint and used collection, beautifully written up including first issue mint set to 5s, 6d (3) and 3s (2) showing inverted watermarks, a used set to 10s, followed by an extensive study collection on 19 pages including plate blocks and multiples, showing positional varieties, plate and current numbers, a mint and used set of the CA 2nd issue, attempted usage on cover and much more not mentioned. A very interesting lot, an exhibit waiting to be built with this as the basis! McClellan S1/24

£500-600

5 (Env)

1870 wmk Crown CC 2d, 4d (2), 6d, 2s in fine mint complete panes of 40, with plate and current numbers in margins, and showing 'Cracked cog' flaw at pos 4/9, also 3s and 4s high values in half panes, (upper and lower respectively), the latter also showing 'cracked cog.' Some separation and creasing, still a highly attractive and scarce group of multiples.

£400-500

AUSTRALIA

6 (Env)

Australia & States, extensive and intact collection on pages with strength in Queensland, including 1871-72 Type F2 imperforate proof in lilac, fiscally used values (15) to 20s, and unused values (7) to 2s, 1886 chalon £1 green complete pane of 30 fiscally used. Western Australia DLR swans (14) to £1, and Waterlow Swans (49) sorted by issue with values to 10s including many varieties of perf and watermark, 1907 probate set of 14 to £50, and fees set of 16 to £100 both fine mint with many unmounted. A substantial lot which also includes Commonwealth issues and smatterings of other states, viewing and careful inspection sure to reward.

£500-600



BARBADOS

7 (Env)

1835 (28 Oct) Entire from J Bezant, Barbados, to Hatton Garden London, rated 2/2 on face, with 18 December London arrival mark on face, offered with the original contents of a £25 Bill of Exchange, written up beautifully by the vendor with a transcript of the letter. A lovely early item.

£100-120

8 (Env)

1916-23 KGV collection written up on pages, comprising type a (13mm) opt 1d to 3s, mint values (15) including 1d with blue overprint and 4d with opt in gold and silver (both apparently unissued), and type b (16mm) opt complete used set to 3s, with additional study page showing 'Penvy' and 'On e' amongst other varieties on 1d, Type c 'Revenue/ Only' opt 2d and 3s, plus 1916-23 1d mauve opt 'REVENUE', (28) and a few pages of cancellations and usage. A remarkably complete collection of the KGV issues. McClellan R1/26

£350-400

9 (Env)

1916-84 Collection on pages comprising ADHESIVE EMBOSSED McClellan type a) 3d to £100 set of 15 values used, the £10, £20, £50 and £100 noted by the vendor to have had just 60 of each issued, 1948 apparent use on complete cover, McClellan type b) 14 values to 5s, 1950-73 issues (7) to \$40, and 1977 large format revenues (9) including 2 complete documents. An interesting lot, the high values very rare. McClellan Y1/53, and R31/54

£300-350

BASUTOLAND

10 (Card)

1901-23 Mint & Used collection on card comprising 1933 'Crocodile' £1 black, fine used, 1901 overprints on Cape, 1d used, and 3d, and 6d (2) mint, and KEVII 1d (2), with different block overprint types used. A useful lot.

£80-100

12



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15



BECHUANALAND

11 (Card)

1887-1961 used collection (20) on stock cards, comprising 1887 1s to £5 keyplate issues used (the £5 damaged), 1903 Cape Standing £5 green overprinted 'BECHUANALAND/ PROECTORATE' in block font (a rarity), KEVII 5s lilac & black, pair fine used on piece, KGV 1914 opts on South Africa (6) including 10s block of four, 1922 1d red (creased) and 2s6d orange & green, and QEII 1955 £1 green & black and 1961 R10 on £5 orange & black. A good representative lot.

£200-250

12 (Card)

1897 'Tati Concessions' elephant set of 6 to £5, wmk rosette, unmounted o.g. Gum creasing (as often affects this issue,) still very fine appearance with wonderfully fresh colours, the £5 notably very over-inked at upper right. An iconic and desirable set.

£300-350

13 (Card)

1897 'Tati Concessions' 10s Green and £1 grey-blue, tied to small piece by complete 'THE TATI CONCESSIONS LTD/ MATEBELELAND' oval hs in Violet, offered with 1s red similarly cancelled. A rare trio, the high values of this set most elusive in used condition.

£250-300

BRITISH GUIANA

14 (Env)

Direct Embossed revenue: c.1850-65 Collection of 12 used cut outs, the first from an 1850 set denominated 10c and 20c, the remaining ten a range of large format values ranging from 10c to \$300. A very impressive group of the highest rarity which would be almost impossible to replicate, with none of these values seen by McClellan. Ex Derek Nathan

£400-500

15 (Card)

Entertainment Duty: c.1920? no wmk 4c black on green, perf 14, part o.g. this the discovery example, and previously only recorded in British Library as a proof (as part of a set of five), with no record of issue, and no requisitions for printing noted after 1921. Offered with roulette perf 12c green 'Sugar Industry Provident Society' Union dues stamp, fine used. [Very few stamps from this Colony have only one recorded example...]

£200-250

16



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**16 (Env)**

Inland Revenue: 1869-78 Group of 18 imperforate proofs from \$1 to \$40, some showing Waterlow or Saunders Watermark, with an additional \$1 black mounted on stout card Ex Waterlow Archives, all unused to large part o.g. Condition mixed in places reflective of archival source, a few with ink annotations on reverse showing through to face, still a tremendous group with impeccable provenance, their rarity emphasised by the fact that this set was put together by combining the holdings of both Foxley and De Magistris.

£700-900

17 (Env)

Inland Revenue: 1869-78 Group of 19 Specimen (16) or cancelled (3) examples comprising \$16 deep blue with part PERFIN 'SPECIMEN/ WATERLOW & SONS/ LIMITED', \$8 to \$20 perf 10 group of 5 overprinted 'SPECIMEN (30.5x2.75mm) in black (4) or red, in seriffed capitals not recorded by Samuel, \$1 to \$40 group of 10 Perf 15 or imperf (\$7 grey) with same specimen type, this set including the key \$30 blue-green, and \$12 orange \$30 blue-green and \$40 magenta each handstamped 'CANCELLED' in black, again in a type not recorded by Samuel. A few minor blemishes as would be expected, not detracting from this extraordinary group of the highest importance and rarity, almost certainly originating from Waterlow proof or archive material, with many values ex Foxley and De Magistris. Superb!

£1500-2000



18 (Env)

Inland Revenue: 1878 \$1 black, COMPLETE SHEET of 24, fresh and very fine large part o.g. with the vast majority of the sheet unmounted. An extraordinary survival, this perforation believed by Morley to have not been issued. A unique item, the only recorded complete sheet of ANY of the Inland Revenue Issues and by definition the largest multiple extant. Superb. McClellan R41

£500-600

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**19 (Env)**

Inland Revenue: 1869-78, Comprehensive and intact collection of UNUSED issues of all perf types, beautifully written up and presented on vendor's original pages. Comprising Perf 10 \$1 to \$10 group of 12, perf 15 \$1 to \$20 group of 7, Perf 12 \$1 to \$40 group of 11 to \$40 including \$5 corner pair, (both sets ex Dr Conrad Graham), Perf 12 \$1 to \$40 complete set and perf 10 \$12 to \$40 then a further group of 34 in value order from \$1 to \$40, including \$5 with misperf. This lot contains three examples of the \$30 blue-green, including the only recorded fine unused example (of the other two, one is defective the other has no gum.) A few blemishes here and there, although in practical terms this lot would be impossible to replicate; the fruits of 40 years of diligent collecting and comprising the entire holdings for this issue of the vendor, De Magistris, Conrad Graham and Cyril Bell combined! An opportunity not to be missed. McClellan R1/55

£2000-2500

20 (Env)

Inland Revenue: 1869-78 intact used collection, showing examples of each denomination in each perforation, the key rarity in the lot the 1869-75 \$30 blue-green the only such example known to us. The sets are presented in chronological order with dates of cancellation, the Perf 12½ issues proving the most elusive with the vendor still having some gaps after 40 years of study of the issue! A remarkable group, surely as complete as exists for this issue, with the \$30 ranking amongst the rarest revenue stamps of the British Commonwealth.

£800-1000

21 (Card)

Inland Revenue: 1869-78 \$20 red, perf 12x10, very fine used with neat ms initials and 3/8/74 cancellation. Some missing perfs at right but of minimal importance for this rarity, this the sole recorded example perforated thus. Superb! McClellan R40

£250-300

A green 128-cent postage stamp from British Guiana. The stamp features a central circular emblem with the text "BRITISH GUANA" at the top and "POSTAGE" at the bottom. Inside the circle, the number "128" is prominently displayed, with "CENTS" and "AND UNDER" written below it. The background of the stamp is a textured green with a repeating pattern of the word "POSTAGE" and the number "128". The stamp is mounted on a white background.

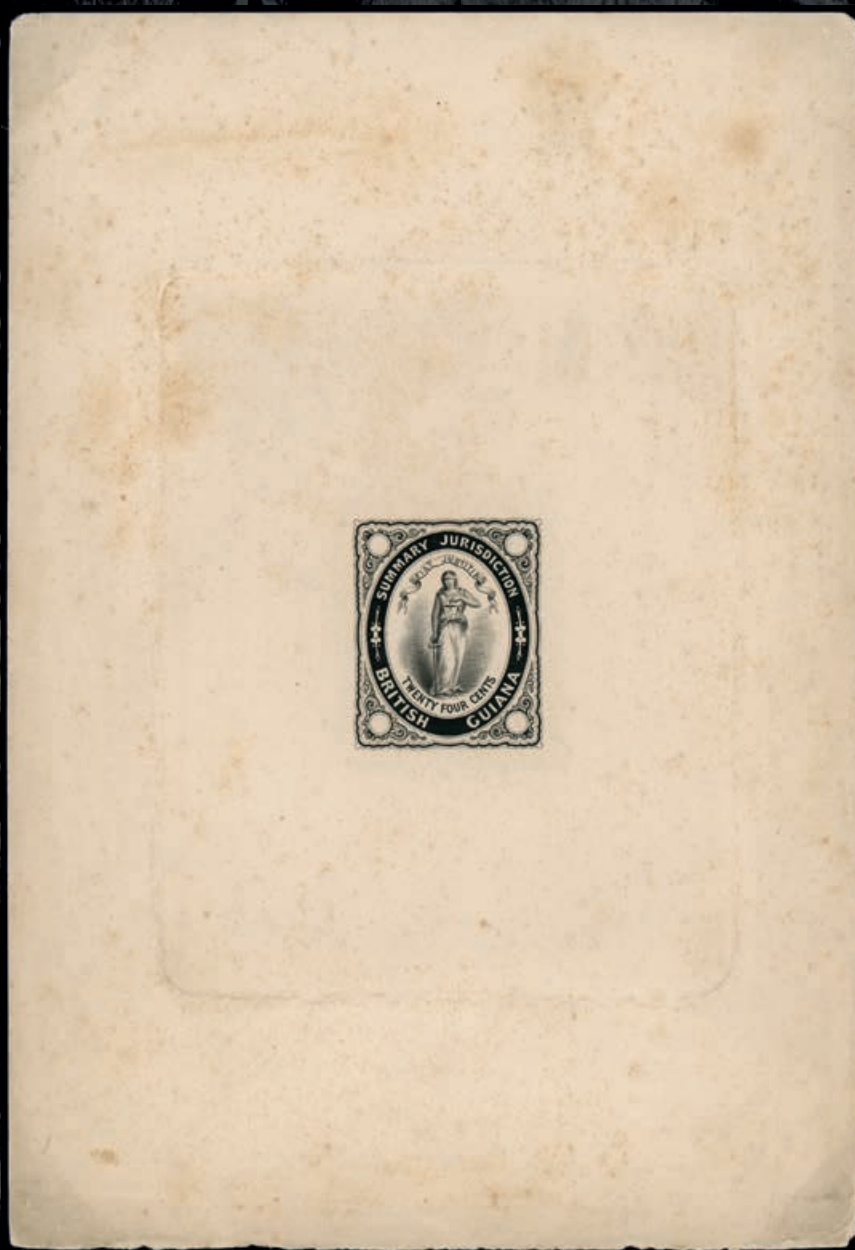
Inland Revenue: 1873 (13 Sept) Complete Gun Licence (195x155mm) bearing 1869-75 \$4 green perf 10, tied by ms signature of Commissary of taxation. A unique and spectacular document with no others recorded. A wonderful piece of social history.

Medicine Duty: c.1910 8c and 24c red and black, and 32c, 64c and 16c green and black, each fine unused. The last of which (for 'value 128 cents and under') is the discovery example and consequently not listed thus. McClellan M1/5

Medicine Duty 8c (value under 32c) red and black, and 8c (value under 64c) green and black, panes of 18 stamps, fresh unused. Usual brown gum and blemishes, still fine for these largest recorded multiples. McClellan M2/M3

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**25 (Card)**

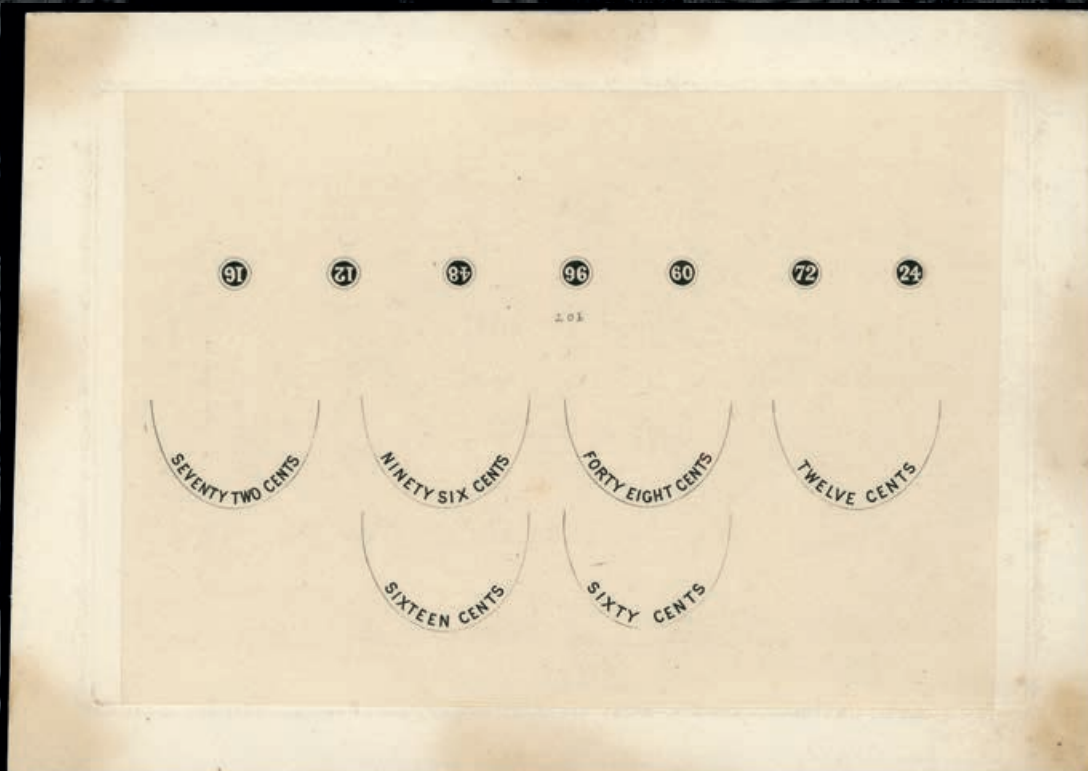
Summary Jurisdiction: c.1865 original Stamp-size ARTIST'S ESSAY for the adopted Summary Jurisdiction design, executed in black ink on thin card (61 x 75mm), with ornate printed frame containing the printed message 'SKETCH FOR APPROVAL, An early return will oblige'. An exquisite and unique essay of the highest importance, this the sole example of original Victorian Waterlow artwork we have ever seen or heard of, for any issue. Superb.

£3000-4000

26 (Env)

Summary Jurisdiction: c.1865 Die proof denominated TWENTY FOUR CENTS at centre but with blank corner tablets, in black on sunken card (150x220mm). Light toning, of little significance as only a handful of proofs of this issue are recorded, and most are cut down. A super item, showing some of Waterlow's finest work!

£400-500



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**27 (Card)**

Summary Jurisdiction: 1886-91 Waterlow Value tablet Proof comprising all 7 'roundels' for the lower corners at top, and wording proofs for all but the 24c values at foot, in black, on card with die sinking. A very rare proof, for McClellan J1/8. [N.B. One other state of this proof is illustrated, with the 24c wording added at lower right thus ruining the symmetry of the layout!]

£400-500

28 (Card)

Summary Jurisdiction: 1882 (21 Feb) De La Rue 24c plate proof in black on wove paper, with blank value tablets, from the upper left corner of the sheet, endorsed 'Spec' with date and initials at upper left in red ms. A most unusual proof, almost certainly taken in connection with De La Rue's preparation of the Waterlow plates after the transfer of the contract. A few tiny thins from previous mounting, still a unique and fascinating item, Ex De La Rue Archives and Illustrated in 'The De La Rue Collection' (Vol. II Page 2356)

£400-500

29 (Card)

Summary Jurisdiction: 1882 12c orange, 24c black, 60c blue and and 96c grey, De La Rue imperforate plate proofs in the issued colours on Wmk CC paper, without gum. Fine and most attractive.

£250-300

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**30 (Card)**

Summary Jurisdiction: 1866 group of five imperforate proofs in issued colours on thin wove card, comprising 24c black (2), 60c blue (2) and 72c red-orange. Fine and very rare, these the only recorded examples.

£500-600

31 (Card)

Summary Jurisdiction: 1866 24c black, 60c blue and 72c orange, group of three imperforate proofs, without watermark on gummed paper. The 72c with trivial gum wrinkles, still a very fine and remarkably fresh trio.

£200-250

32 (Card)

Summary Jurisdiction: 1866 group of proofs and trials comprising 48c and 96c COLOUR TRIALS in unissued milky blue, 12c orange bearing 'WATERLOW & SONS LIMITED' handstamp diagonally in black, in a type unlisted by Samuel, also 10c blue perf 10 and 12c blue perf 12 affixed to archival card, believed by the vendor to be ex Waterlow Archives. A super lot, the colour trials almost certainly unique.

£500-600

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**33 (Card)**

Summary Jurisdiction: 1866 group of three archival items of unknown status, the first 1871-75 24c perf 10 opt 'CANCELLED' in violet 25x5mm, (a type mentioned but not illustrated by Samuel), 48c perf 12½ cancelled by violet cross and 72c orange, no wmk imperf mint single. An unusual trio ripe for further research.

£150-200

34 (Card)

Summary Jurisdiction: 1891-92 24c black, 48c rose and 72c red-orange perf 15 each overprinted 'SPECIMEN' type D11. A unique group, ex De La Rue archives, and illustrated in 'The De La Rue Collection', (Vol. II, p.2356) with the caption 'found in an album of world stamps apparently started circa 1860, to watch the trend of designs and processes of the firm's competitors' perhaps confirming that De La Rue regarded this design as some of Waterlow's finest work! A most unusual incidence of Waterlow printed stamps bearing a DLR specimen overprint.

£400-500

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37A

35 (Card)

Summary Jurisdiction: 1882 12c orange and 24c black, each opt 'CANCELLED', Samuel type D4, and 16c green and 96c grey, opt 'SPECIMEN' type D11 each affixed to thin card, with '16c cents. Green' annotation beneath 12c, 'July 91' below the 16c and 'OCT' 92 below the 96c. A unique and desirable group of De La Rue File copies, illustrated in 'The De La Rue Collection', Vol. II, p.2356, the caption suggesting that the 16c was a direct replacement for the 12c.

£400-500

36 (Env)

Summary Jurisdiction: 1866-91 48c rose, perf 12 block of SIXTEEN, unused with traces of o.g. Upper left stamp defective and with creasing and blemishes, still a unique and important item showing the layout of the transfer types on the sheet, and the largest multiple of any denomination, ex Dr Conrad Graham. McClellan J5

£250-300

37 (Env)

Summary Jurisdiction: 1886-1919 Perf 14 unused COMPLETE SET with an extra 16c, 48c (3), 50c, and 72c. A few values with minor blemishes or without gum (as is normal for the issue) and \$1 with perf added at upper left, though the vast majority fresh and fine large part o.g. A set which would be impossible to replicate, the One Dollar Yellow a key stamp of extreme rarity with only a handful of examples known. McClellan J41/49

£600-700

37A (Card)

Summary Jurisdiction: 1886-1919 Wmk CC, perf 14 \$1 yellow, very fine and fresh large part o.g. Minor gum wrinkles and traces of adhesion from previous mounting, though still the finest of the handful of known examples by some distance. McClellan J49

£300-£400

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**38 (Env)**

Summary Jurisdiction: 1875 mint collection (19) comprising perf 15 24c horizontal pair, 48c (4) including horizontal pair, 72c orange (3), and perf 12½ 12c orange, 24c black (2), 48c rose (2), 60c blue (4) and 72c red-orange. A few unused, but the vast majority fresh and fine mint and rare thus, many of the key items ex Dr Conrad Graham. Selection from McClellan J1/8, J21/26
£800-1000

39 (Env)

Summary Jurisdiction: 1866-91 Perf 12½ unused COMPLETE SET with an additional 12c, 16c (6, including a pair), 48c, 72c pair, and 96c (4) including pair. A very rare set, and particularly elusive in multiples, the pairs present here ex Conrad Graham. McClellan J1/8

£500-600**40 (Env)**

Summary Jurisdiction: 1886-1919 Wmk CC study collection on pages including plate varieties, Re-entries, cancellation studies and a complete group of ALL of the known watermark varieties on this issue, many of which are not yet listed. Highlights include Perf 12 72 orange Wmk reversed (3) and inverted (3), both unlisted, perf 14 48c wmk reversed (2) and inverted (the former unlisted), 50c wmk reversed, 60c wmk inverted, 60c wmk reversed, (all discovery examples and unlisted), a really quite extraordinary lot showing an unparalleled depth of research. McClellan J34/49

£600-800**41 (Env)**

Summary Jurisdiction: 1866-1919 In depth study of the watermarks, the first a group of 21 all showing portions of the 'ORIGINAL/ TURKEY MILL/ KENT' wmk, a second trio showing portions of 'TH SAUNDERS' 1867 wmk (with large image of the Watermark), and a final trio which between them show a large part 'GREEN & SON/ 1877' wmk. A group which must have taken years to assemble, ideal for an exhibitor.

£250-300**42 (Env)**

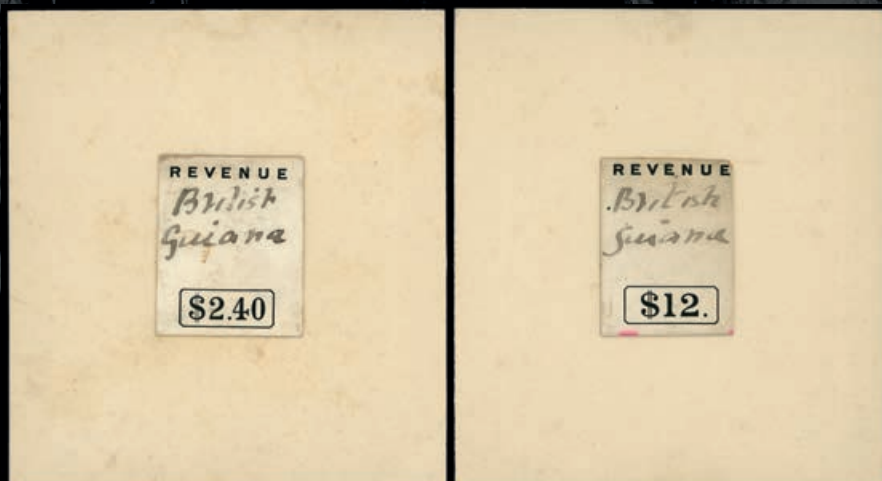
Summary Jurisdiction: 1866-1901, a comprehensive study of transfer types present on the plates of all values to 96c, Sorted by printing on 8 pages, with notes identifying flaws and positions underneath each stamp. A truly remarkable study which could only be put together with decades of research. An important lot for the specialist or exhibitor which has to be seen to be believed.

£500-600

43



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**43 (Env)**

Summary Jurisdiction: 1887 Provisional 12c on 24c black 25c on 72c orange and 50c on 60c blue (2), with one surcharge in red, and another in black. 12c and 25c unused with creasing, the 50c values large part o.g. The complete set of four values, all extremely rare and with no record of usage it is unknown if these were ever pressed into service. McClellan J51/54

£400-500

44 (Env)

Tobacco Duty: c.1880 Wmk Crown CA perf 14 x imperf, undenominated complete band in red (to be wrapped around boxes of cigars or loose tobacco), with serial number over central inscription in black. This the sole recorded example ex Derek Nathan, with no used example known. Unlisted by McClellan

£150-200

45 (Card)

c.1889 Stamp sized die proofs of value tablet for the \$2.40 and \$12 values, cut to stamp size, endorsed 'British Guiana' in ms and affixed to sunken cards (57x57mm). As McClellan R91, R94

£300-350

46 (Card)

1889 (July) \$2.40 to \$12 complete original set of four values, opt 'SPECIMEN' (type D12) each affixed to De La Rue Striking book pieces cut down to stamp size but for the \$2.40, on piece 30x60mm endorsed at top 'July 1889/ 120 Key, 60 ovps'. The original file copies ex De La Rue Archive and Unique thus. A super set. As McClellan R91/4

£500-600



47 (Card)

1889-1911 Wmk Crown CA \$2.40 to \$12 original set of four, \$12 value with intact upper margin showing plate number '2', offered with additional \$12 value and Multiple Crown CA \$3 purple and red on blue, all fresh large part o.g. and very rare thus. McClellan R91/94, R102

£300-350

48 (Env)

Inland Revenue: 1889-1911 complete De La Rue ship issue used collection on pages comprising Wmk Crown CA \$2.40-\$12 complete sets (2), with multiples of lower values and additional pair of \$12 top value, and Wmk Multiple Crown CA \$2.40 to \$50 complete set, very rare thus, the \$50 an underrated rarity. Offered with Revenue stamps used as postage including parcel fragment showing apparent acceptance of the 1905-11 \$20 revenue in a combination franking! A super lot. McClellan R91-107

£300-400

49 (Env)

Group of Revenue Documents (5), comprising Bills of Lading (3) for sugar, variously franked, the best a bill for 1174 bags of sugar and bearing 1876 postage 12c pale violet showing BROKEN FRAME variety (SG131a- the discovery example and the basis of the listing in 2021 Part 1), the last 2 documents Bills of Exchange, the first dated 1903 and bearing Postage & Revenue 96c (2) and 24c, the other a 1919 bill drawn in Georgetown and bearing 1913-21 2c carmine (2). A splendid group.

£200-250

BRITISH HONDURAS

50 (Card)

1899 5c ultramarine, opt 'REVENUE' (12mm long), block of 6 (3x2) position 1 showing variety Malformed 'S' at right (left pane, R7/3), brilliant large part o.g. (variety unmounted), offered with fiscally used single of the same variety. Scarce. Cat £700++ | SG 66b

£300-400

51 (Card)

1899 10c mauve and green, 12mm 'REVENUE' opt, lower marginal horizontal strip of three showing plate number '2', pos 3 showing error 'REVENU' (with the missing 'E' albino as always), brilliant o.g. Trivial gum wrinkles, still a rare and very fine item, this just the second we have seen in 25 years, and the first as a positional multiple. cat £700+. Ex Tompkins SG 67/b

£300-350

52 (Env)

1899 25c red-brown and green Postage stamp overprinted 'REVENUE' (12mm) Complete document bearing 11 examples, the lower right example showing 'BEVENUE' error. Two normals split vertically by filing folds, still a desirable and rare document, the only example we have seen of this issue used on a revenue document. McClellan R3/a | SG 68/a

£200-250

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**53 (Card)**

1899 25c red-brown and green, type 12 'REVENUE' (12mm long) opt, block of 9, the centre stamp error 'BEVENUE' (R6/4 of the setting) and the lower left stamp variety Repaired 'S' (R7/3, left pane), fresh unmounted o.g. Choice quality and very scarce in this desirable se-tenant form. SG 68/a/c

£400-500

54 (Card)

1899 'REVENUE' overprints 5c to 50c complete set of four, each showing minor variety 'Tall narrow U', from position 5 of the setting, large part o.g. 25c with yellowish gum, though the key 50c very fine. cat £300+ as normals. McClellan R1/4var | SG 66/9var

£150-180

55 (Card)

1899 5c ultramarine, 10c mauve and green and 25c red-brown and green, each showing variety 'BEVENUE' (R6/4 of the setting), fresh large part o.g., the 5c offered in a block of four (one 'normal' thinned), the 25c with diagonal gum bend, still a fine and scarce trio. (cat £775) SG 66a, 67a, 68a

£200-250

56 (Card)

1899 'REVENUE' overprints 5c to 50c complete set of four, each showing variety 'opt 11m long', large part o.g. the key 50c very fine. cat £480. McClellan R6/9 | SG 66d, 67c, 68d, 69c

£200-250

57



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**57 (Env)**

1899 Postage stamps overprinted 'REVENUE' (12mm) group of covers (5), comprising 25c red-brown and green 1902 solo franking to Switzerland with London transit mark, and 5c ultramarine covers (5) including vertical strip of 3 on cover to New York. Generally very fine condition. McClellan R1, R3 | SG 66,68

£200-250

58 (Env)

1899 'REVENUE' overprints, study collection on vendor's original pages, including detailed plating notes, 5c (12) including used 'BEVENUE' and mint 'Small U' and 'Tall Narrow U' varieties, 10c (12) including two positional 'REVENUE' varieties, one on a plate number single, a colour changeling to blue, and 'Tall narrow U' variety mint, 25c (27) including upper marginal plate block of 18 showing 'Tall Narrow U' variety, and 11mm opt in block of four, and 50c with 11 and 12mm opt mint, and fiscally used (3). A super collection for expansion, SG 66/69

£400-500

CANADA

59 (Card)

Small collection on stock cards comprising 1864 BILL STAMP first issue 7c and \$3 in mint blocks of four, 1868 3rd issue 3c Green IMPERFORATE BLOCK OF FOUR and \$1 imperf single, two Dead Letter Office seals (used) and KGV 2c War Tax Booklet pane. Van Dam FB7, FB17, FB40c, FB52b cat \$700+

£150-200

61



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CAPE OF GOOD HOPE

60 (Env)

1864-1903 Comprehensive and detailed collection comprising 1864 First embossed issue (31) with values to 20s including scarce multiple usages, 1864 ½d red, a near complete run of the 1865-1885 'STAMP ACT' series, beautifully written up on 14 pages with perforation varieties, wmk errors and high values to £50, 1898 Hope Standing used values to £5 (23) and mint (6) to 5s, 1903 used KEVII values (42) to £2, and a page of Cigarette Duty and Patent issues (15). A lovely collection.

£700-900

CAYMAN ISLANDS

61 (Env)

1907 handstamped surcharges, piece of customs document bearing '1D' on 5s salmon and green (3), tied by ms signature, and smaller piece bearing '½D' on 5s salmon and green, dated 2/12/07 in ms and tied by small part 'customs' cds, offered with additional fiscally used '1D' and two postage stamps fiscally used. A lovely lot offered with vendor's original research, both surcharges particularly elusive with revenue cancellations. McClellan R18/19 | SG 18,19

£200-250

CEYLON

62 (Card)

1912-25 500r dull green, very fine used, affixed to small document piece, neatly cancelled by closed punch at upper right, signed and dated '2/5/29' in black manuscript. Fine and attractive and showing rich original colour. (cat £400) SG 322

£180-200

63 (Env)

QV-KGV collection neatly written up on album pages comprising 1890 POSTAL COMMISSION complete set of 6 with additional 'Ceuts' for 'Cents' varieties (2), Foreign Bill values (33) including QV 40c with Inverted Watermark, KEVII Stamp Duty to 10r (16), KGV Small format 10r unmounted mint (SG F1) with used (5) and 20r (2), also keyplate values (4) to 100r. A fine lot, the 40c wmk Inverted previously unrecorded.

£100-120

CYPRUS

64 (Card)

Small collection on 5 album pages comprising 1883 'POSTAL SURCHARGE' handstamps (10), all used, with values to 10s, QV revenue issues (22) including two Specimens, and 1883 2pi, 4½pi green, and 1pi on complete foreign bill document, used KEVII and KGV issues (15) and fiscally used postage stamps (21) to £1. A good basis for expansion, the complete foreign bill most attractive.

£150-200

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DOMINICA

65 (Env)

Embossed Revenue c.1900 group of six colourless proof impressions on white paper, denominated 1d, 1s, 5s, 10s, £1 and £5, with all but one initialled and marked with a die number on the reverse. A unique and highly attractive set, Ex Stephen J. Sugarman and Peter Jaffé. Mentioned but unlisted by McClellan

£300-400

66 (Card)

Embossed Revenue: 1914 (Jan) hand painted essays executed in red and chinese white on laid tracing paper affixed to cards with embossed crown (68x68mm), denominated 'THREE/ PENCE' and 'SIX/ PENCE'. Attractive and unique, ex De La Rue Archives. [N.B. Only one value from this set is recorded used, the £1, so it is not known whether these low values were issued, or just that no documents have survived]

£500-600



67 (L.Env)

Postal Fiscal: 1879-88 6d green opt 'REVENUE' type R1, variety WATERMARK INVERTED Complete sheet of 60 showing both plate and current number 1 at top and bottom, with sheet number '136' in blue crayon at upper right, large part o.g with only a handful of stamps mounted. Slight toning not affecting fresh fine appearance, still a remarkable multiple, almost certainly unique as a sheet. cat £7,800+ | SG R2w

£2500-3000

68



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**68 (Env)**

Postal Fiscals: 1879-88 group of six covers or fronts, the first a front addressed to Trinidad bearing 1d rose x6 (SG R6) tied by A07 barred ovals with Trinidad arrival marking on face, two local covers bearing 1d lilac, a further registered cover addressed to England bearing six examples and a 1913 philatelic cover to New Jersey bearing 6d green. A good lot showing varied usage, these issues difficult to find on cover. SG R1/6

£200-300

69 (Env)

Postal Fiscals: 1879-88 Study collection on pages comprising Crown CC 1d lilac colour trial on wmk paper with value tablet in black, 6d green fiscally used with wmk varieties, reversed (unlisted thus), and inverted, 1s used on document in combination with Leewards 5s(2) and 6d, and 1s mint, and used postally and fiscally, Crown CA 1d upper two rows of sheet showing plate and current number 1, and duplicated cancellation and usage studies on pages, 1888 locally opt 'Revenue' 1d rose (SG R6) fresh and fine large part o.g. (ex W Frazer), and used (3). A super lot, the 1d rose in our opinion an underrated stamp. SG R1/6

£400-500

FIJI

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No Lot

71 (Card)

1911-12 Wmk Crown CA 6d dull purple, KEVII 5s green and black, with the two high values, £3 on £1 grey-black and ultramarine (surcharge in red), and £5 on £1 grey-black and ultramarine, all fine used. A remarkable lot, the 6d value not seen by McClelland and unlisted, the two high values major rarities with only a handful of recorded examples known of each. McClelland R61, R63/4.

£400-500

72



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**72 (Card)**

1911-12 Wmk Multiple Crown CA, complete KEVII set of 5 comprising 6d dull purple, 1s black on green, 5s green and red on yellow (horizontal pair tied to five colour mixed franking on document piece), £1 purple and black on red (2), and 'Three/Pounds' on £1 purple and black on red, tied to document piece with 2x KGV £1 purple and black. 1s with missing corner, otherwise fine used for these, cancelled as always with crayon lines, ms dates and part hs. McClellan R65/9

£200-250

73 (Card)

1912-27, 'R' and 'FIVE POUNDS' and 'TEN POUNDS' on £1 purple and black on red (Die I), each very fine used, cancelled with faint crayon line and part Customs oval in black, the £5 from the foot of the setting (denoted by break in line obscuring postage tablet at foot). A remarkable pair the £10 of the highest rarity. McClellan R75, R76

£350-400

74 (Card)

1871-1903 QV collection beautifully written up on album pages, comprising 1871 opt. Small seriffed 'D' in black 6d carmine-rose unused, and 1d blue (2), 3d pale yellow-green and 6d carmine rose used (2), opt. Sans Serif 'D' in black, unused 1d blue and 6d carmine rose, with used 6d carmine rose (2) and 3d pale yellow green with apparent postal cancellation, Large seriffed 'D' in black 1d pale blue (4) and 6d carmine-rose (6), Fournier forgeries (3), and Fiscal use of postage stamps, an extensive collection (72) written up by issue including receipt usage at 'FIJI TIMES' signed by proprietor, and 1883 brown and black issue (28) with values to £1, showing six different perforation varieties. A wonderful lot, the fruits of 40 years dedicated collecting.

£600-700

75 (Env)

Collection of KGV revenue issues (44) on pages, including spectacular 1914 KGV £1 purple and black/red, die I, VERTICAL STRIP OF 5 (with plate number '1' at top) and a vertical pair, used on document piece with a 1914 2s6d, tied by three fine strikes of circular 'REGISTRAR GENERAL/(Royal Arms)/FIJI' H/S, and separate 'FEB 15 1919' straight line datestamps, also Wmk MCA Die 1 6d purple, 1s (8), 2s6d, 5s (7) and £1 (3), with fiscally used postage stamps to £1 (9) and Fiji Government savings bank 6d, fine mint. A super lot, worthy of close inspection.

£250-300



81



GIBRALTAR

76 (Env)

Stamp Duty: 1884-98 Queen Victoria De La Rue Issues, Collection on pages comprising first issue (Spanish Currency) Complete set to 30P lilac & red, each on attractively cancelled document piece, with complete Summary Jurisdiction document bearing 2P50c, 2nd Issue (British Currency) with values to 4s including complete document bearing 3d (2) and 1s. A clean and attractive lot, beautifully written up.

£200-250

77 (Env)

1903-75, collection of Postage Stamps fiscally used, beautifully written up on 21 pages, the vast majority on original piece, and attractively cancelled including King Edward VII document pieces (10), bearing values to £1 (2, SG 55 and 64), King George V Document pieces (13) with values to £1 (2, SG 85 and 107), and £5 violet (SG 108) fiscally used, with slightly washed colour, King George VI values (33) to £1 (11 examples), and QEII attractive multiple frankings to £1, including SG 158 (6) and 173 (6). A very fine lot, clearly selected for condition and quality throughout.

£500-600

GOLD COAST

78 (Env)

Judicial: 1902-03 collection on two pages including QV values to 20s used (8), and KEVII 2nd issue 1d to 1s and 5s fine mint and 1s (2), 2s (2) 5s (2) and 10s used, offered with fiscally used postage stamps (11) including QV 10s block of four and 20s, and KEVII 20s used, all with court cancellations. Condition a little mixed in places, still very fine overall for this popular issue.

£120-150

GRENADA

79 (Env)

1932 Hand Drawn Artist's essay in Pencil on laid paper for two cheque stamps denominated 'ONE FARTHING' and HALF PENNY' with 3d and 6d value tablets alongside, endorsed 'Approved for position of wording' and initialled, offered with 1/4d to 6d complete set of 5 proof impressions of the finished dies in red on thin card, each dated 11.5.32 and initialled with 'OK' endorsement in ms. An attractive group ex De La Rue Archives, Bell, and Foxley. McClellan Z1/6 [N.B. only the penny is recorded as an issued stamp]

£250-300

80 (Env)

Embossed Revenue: c.1960 group of embossed proof impressions on thin card, the seven known values from 5c to \$5,000, with 'SPECIMEN' and pen strokes applied in red MS to prevent misuse. A unique item, only the 5c known as an issued stamp. Ex Foxley. McClellan Z11/17

£200-250

81 (Env)

1884 colour trials (3) on gummed wmk CA paper, PERF 12, denominated 'ONE PENNY', each in lilac with frames in red (as issued), brown and green, the last of which is imperf between stamp and margin and likely unique thus. A super trio and highly unusual, with almost all other surviving DLR proof material for this issue perf 14. Ex Foxley (red, brown) or Conrad Graham (green).

£400-500

82



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**82 (Card)**

1902 (Sep 3rd) Beautifully executed 'GRENADA/REVENUE' embossed cancellation essay in Red with highlights in grey and Chinese White, executed on laid tracing paper and affixed to card (57x89mm), and annotated 'DUPLICATE' at foot.

£200-250

83 (Env)

1904-27 Badge of Colony Issue collection on pages comprising £1 printer's samples in unissued colours of brown-orange and black single opt 'SPECIMEN DS3' and pair opt SPECIMEN DS2, plus used study collection of £1 vermilion and green, featuring all watermarks, and blocks of four (x2) with various cancellations, usage on pieces etc. A lovely group. McClellan R71/3

£200-300

84 (Env)

Group of 3 early revenue documents, the first a 1779 Bill of exchange for £200, 1833 2nd of exchange for £140, and 1841 receipt bearing embossed GB 6d for payment of an account by Charles Paterson of Union, Grenada. A lovely trio of early revenue items- a nice frontispiece for a collection.

£100-120

85 (Env)

1875-79 Perkins Bacon issues (100s), extensive study collection written up over many pages, featuring a complete Foreign Bills (2) cancellation studies, studies of plate varieties, particularly in the value tablets, Spelling variations both major and minor, the real strength in unused material which is tremendously difficult to find for this complex issue. An ideal lot for the specialist to continue 40 years of research! McClellan R1/42

£600-800

86 (Env)

1884 DLR keyplate issue, Intact collection written up on pages 1d. to £1 set of eleven unused, 3d. tête-bêche pair and £1 marginal pair; postally used values to 6d, 1d. and 4d. on local St. George's covers, document pieces showing multiple frankings and usage, watermark studies, and detailed research. A lovely lot, portions of which are ex Foxley. McClellan R51/61

£350-400



GRIQUALAND

87 (Card)

1879 Bradbury Wilkinson 'Bourne Head' issue 1d to £5 fine used set to £5, offered with 4d imperforate colour trials (2) in unissued grey-brown, both without gum ex Bradbury Wilkinson Archives. A most attractive group of these popular issues.

£300-400

HONG KONG

88 (Card)

1937 (18 May) document piece bearing 1921 \$100 purple on red Wmk MCA and \$5 mauve and brown-orange, each tied by neat embossed cancellation in red. Attractive and very fine.

£120-150

INDIA

89 (Album)

India & States: Substantial and intact revenue collection (100s) presented in album with original write up, predominantly archive material opt 'SPECIMEN' or 'CANCELLED' including Court fees (17) to 5r, India Customs DIE PROOF in black mounted in card, with 3 different specimen overprints, Foreign Bills (9) variously overprinted, High Court (14) to 5r, and 1a imperf plate proof, single, Share transfer (13), Small Cause court (15) again with imperf plate proof single, Special Adhesives (c.100) variously overprinted and including plate blocks, multiples with marginal inscriptions, current number blocks etc. and used vals to 30r, also Holkar revenue plate proofs (8), Nabha stamped paper engraved proof and lots more not mentioned. A super lot of these popular and highly attractive issues, seldom offered in this quantity.

£2500-3000

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91

**90 (Env)**

Postal Service: 1895-1904 Overprints on postage stamps Comprehensive and well researched mint and used collection presented on 11 album pages, including 1a on 9p pale mauve, upper right, and lower left marginal blocks of two rows of a pane, with full plate numbers and inscriptions, mint, complete mint sets of the QV issue with top values in marginal pairs, Complete used KEVII set to 2r, with duplicates of most values, all marked with vendor's plating notes with shifts, raised stops, and other minor vars. A super lot of these underrated Indian revenues.

£500-600

JAMAICA

91 (Env)

Judicial: 1898-1908 comprehensive collection on original pages, comprising mint 3d (7) 6d (8), 1s (4) 2s (2) and 5s, plus upper marginal vertical pair of 1s showing current number '172' lower stamp variety '\$' for 'S' in 'SHILLING' the variety unmounted mint. A rarity on the postage issues, surely unique as a Judicial revenue, with the vendor having assembled just 23 examples of all denominations in unused condition in 40 years! Offered with the used study collection selected from the Oswald Marsh stock including cancellations, multiples, 2s Venetian red with watermark inverted, documents (3) and minor frame plate flaws. An impressive and unrepeatable group of these popular issues. McClellan J1/16

£600-800

92 (Env)

1899-1959 comprehensive and well researched collection of well over 100 different embossed adhesive stamps, written up on pages with die letters and dates, with values to £50 and a number of rare die letters. An excellent lot of these difficult issues, well worth viewing. From McClellan Y1/Y122

£300-400

93 (Env)

Judicial: 1913-76 collection on pages comprising KGV used values (27) including a complete set and use on documents (3), with mint 6d (2) and 2s (2), KGV used values (13) to 8s6d plus 10s and £1 (2) used on 'Plaint and Minute book' document tied by punch and ms, QEII mint presented on six packed pages with blocks and multiples and values to £1, used values (27) to \$1. A very fine representative lot, the KGV document attractive and very rare. McClellan (from) J21/118

£400-500

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**94 (Card)**

Judicial: 1938-44 3d to £1 complete set of 10, fresh large part o.g. Wmk script CA to 10s, the £1 Mult. Crown CA. An important and highly attractive set, being the sole recorded in mint condition. Ex Sutcliffe. McClellan J41/50

£500-600

95 (Card)

Postal Fiscal. 1855-74 3d purple on lilac glazed, IMPERFORATE horizontal pair from right of the pane, part o.g. An attractive and very rare item, with only one other example seen by us in the past 30 years. SG F4a

£200-250

96 (Card)

Postal Fiscal. 1855-74 3d purple on blue and 1 1/2d blue on blue, each endorsed 'Specimen' in manuscript, each part o.g., with faults and described as 'variously defective' on white BPA certs (2007), offered with another 3d endorsed 'Specimen' in a different hand and initialled 'Wl' on which the BPA declined to express an opinion. An interesting group. SG F4, F5

£250-300

97 (Env)

1858 Postal Fiscal issues group of three covers and four pieces, the covers comprising 1s rose on registered local cover, 1s rose philatelic combination franking with 1855 3d purple horizontal pair with arrival mark on reverse, sent locally in Kingston, 5s lilac on large format Registered cover sent to a solicitors in Kingston, folded for display and and toned, the 5s tied to registered cover piece by Spanish Town cds, and 10s green on piece, tied by 1894 Halfway Tree cds. A super lot, which catalogues £2,000+ the 5s cover Ex Derek Nathan. SG F7, F8, F9

£600-800

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**98 (Env)**

Postal Fiscal. 1855-74 Detailed specialised collection beautifully written up on album pages including 1855 imperf 1½d and 3d including a used pair of each, 1½d blue on blue mint examples (7) showing both papers, and fiscally used examples (25) including 11 used on an affidavit, and a block of 8, 3d purple on blue (5) and lilac (6) mint, and used (29), five with apparent postal cancellations, and second issue on wmk CC paper, mint (6), and used (29) showing a wide range of postal cancellations. A comprehensive and interesting study of these fascinating issues with high catalogue value. SG F4/6

£450-500

99 (Card)

Postal Fiscal. 1855-74 issue, group of covers (4) demonstrating later postal use, comprising highly attractive registered cover to Wimbledon franked with 1883-97 ½d yellow-green, 1889 1d purple and mauve and postal fiscal 3d purple/lilac, an 1889 1½d postcard to France uprated with Postal Fiscal 3d purple/lilac (rubbed), and 1894 local envelope franked with 3d purple & lilac x3 tied by Kingston cds, and a registered local cover franked with 3d purple, and 1½d blue (2). An interesting and attractive usage group, well worth viewing. SG F4/6

£300-350

100 (Env)

1858 Postal Fiscal issue superb collection on 7 pages including Specimens Type GB6 singles (4) and 1s block of four, 5s lower left corner plate block of eight (4x2) and 10s right marginal block of 8 (4x2), 1s rose with manuscript 'specimen', (two types), revenue usage of 1s (12), 5s (2) and 10s, plus the discovery example of the 1s BISECT on document piece, and postal usage of the 1s (3). A wonderful lot, the large Specimen multiples spectacular.

£1800-2000

101



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**101 (Env)**

Postal Fiscal: 1865-73 Type F1 design, study collection including die proof in issued colour (stamp sized), first issue imperforate pair (SG F1a), mint examples in all wmks, including crown CC lower right marginal block of eight, covers (2), and a usage study including postal covers (2), documents (4), and various revenue and postal cancellations. A comprehensive collection of this charming design. SG F1/3

£500-600

KENYA**102 (Card)**

Kodi: KGV 1s vermilion and purple, large part o.g. with minor diagonal gum bend, and c.1950 KGV 1s vermilion and purple, line perf 13.25 x 13, fresh unmounted o.g. Both fine with remarkably fresh colours.

£180-200

103 (Card)

Kodi: c.1950 1s vermilion and purple, line perf 13.25 x 13, 2 examples, each unmounted o.g. and offered with vendor's plating notes identifying minor flaws, One example badly creased, the other very fine. An interesting lot for the specialist.

£200-250

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KENYA, UGANDA AND TANGANYIKA

104 (Card)

Inland Revenue: Small collection of 1890 sunburst types (13) handstamped 'INLAND/REVENUE' comprising 1a, 2a, 3a, 4r and 5r in violet, 1a (3), 2a, 4a, 2r and 4r in black, and 1896 'British/ East/ Africa' opt on India 1a plum similarly handstamped in violet. Used, with usual blemishes for these delicate stamps, still a fine and rare group. McClellan R1/25 (range), R71

£200-250

105 (Card)

Judicial Fee: 1897-1901 4a to 10r set of four, unused with traces of o.g., offered with 5r deep sepia and 10r yellow-bistre horizontal pair, both fine used with courts cancellations. A rare set, seldom offered in unused condition. McClellan J1/4

£200-250

106 (Card)

Judicial Fee: c.1900 50r mauve (as SG 99) handstamped 'JUDICIAL/FEE' in violet capitals, fine used with large part Court cancellation in violet. A rare and desirable high value. APS cert (1992, which rather amusingly fails to mention the overprint!) McClellan J17

£250-300

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**107 (Card)**

Judicial Fee: c.1905 1a to 50r group of 17 values, comprising 8a grey and pale blue with handstamped overprint, and 1a to 50r KEVII with additional 4a, 8a, 3r and 5r, with both watermarks for some low values. A remarkable lot and as complete a set of these as we have seen, the 20r and 50r values highly elusive. McClellan J11, and (from) J21/42

£500-600

108 (Card)

1912-21 500r green and red/green, neatly cancelled by two small part boxed '(REGISTRATION OF DOCUMENTS / (DEPARTMENT / NAIROBI E.)A.P.' ds in black, A very scarce high value in wonderful condition. Ex Arnhold. SG 63

£300-400

109 (Card)

1912-21 1c to 100r group of 59 postage values to 100r comprising 1c, 10c (3), 25c (4), 50c, 75c (2), 1r(8), 2r (8), 3r (4), 4r (6, including horizontal pair), 5r (5), 10r (7), 20r black and purple/red (2), and purple and blue on blue (2), 50r (2) and 100r (2), variously fiscally cancelled with many punched. A fine group showing a wide variety of revenue applications. SG 44/62

£300-400

110 (Card)

1901-80 balance collection on pages comprising 1897-1903 BEA issues to 20r, KEVII values (7) to 10r and 1922-27 KGV values (28) to £5 fiscally used, 1922-27 KGV set to £1 opt KENYA/JUDICIAL (10), QEII part set to £1 opt 'KENYA/REVENUE', Tanganyika incl KGV to 30s, Direct embossed stamp duty 1s and 2s, and document pieces (17) bearing Tanganyika 1927-31 keyplates to £1 (6). An interesting and varied lot.

£300-400

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LEEWARD ISLANDS

111 (Card)

Stamp Duty: 1881 hand painted stamp-sized artist's essay of the issued keyplate design in lilac, on tracing paper (76x89mm) with blank Duty plate, with five duty plate essays from 6d to £1 in left margin. A wonderful essay, and the genesis of Leeward Islands philately, this first revenue issue predating postal issues of the Leeward Islands by 8 years. Ex De La Rue Archives.

£700-900

112 (Env)

1882 QY first issue detailed study collection of cancellations and usage with all values to the rare £1, written up on 11 pages with all islands represented in terms of cancellations. A lot which would be almost impossible to replicate. McClellan F1/5

£300-400

113 (Env)

Direct Embossed Revenue: 1890 1d to £5 set of TWELVE hand painted artist's essays, beautifully executed on thin tracing paper, in red and black affixed to archival paper. A wonderful set which displays beautifully, unlisted by McClellan as it remains unknown whether the order progressed beyond the design stage.

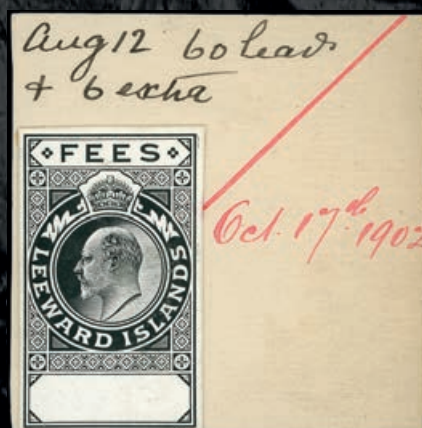
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**114 (Env)**

1902-50 collection neatly presented on almost 30 album pages, with 1902-18 issues with values to 5s selected for choice postmarks and cancellations, including government departments, offices of presidencies, Perfins, with most on small document pieces including many multiple frankings, KGV and KGVII keyplates fiscally used, some with plate varieties, a varied and high quality lot featuring stamps of far greater rarity than this collection would make them appear! McClellan. F11/43

£500-600

115 (Card)

Fees: 1902 photographic essays with simulated perforations (2) for K.E.VII head plate design, the first unadopted and based on previous issue, mounted in sunken frame (49x60mm), the second virtually as adopted, mounted on thin card (50x62mm). A fascinating pair showing the design process for the issue. Ex De La Rue Archives.

£400-500

116 (Card)

Fees: 1902 (Oct 17) Stamp sized die proof of headplate, in black on glazed card, affixed to piece from De La Rue striking book (55x55mm), and annotated at top in black 'aug 12 60 leads + 6 extra', with red date and diagonal line at right. A unique proof, Ex De La Rue archives.

£250-300

117 (Card)

Fees: 1902 Imperforate colour trials denominated 1s (4) on gummed, unwatermarked paper, one with green frame and red value tablet, the others with the issued lilac frame and value tablets in black, red and green respectively. Some rubbing, still a fine and attractive group, Ex De La Rue archives and JAC Farmer.

£300-500

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**118 (Card)**

Fees: 1882 6d to £1 set of five, fresh o.g. Characteristic slight fading of the lilac (as almost always occurs with these delicate stamps) still a very fine set. McClellan F1/5. Ex Schneiderman (Christies RL 15/12/92)

£400-500

119 (Card)

Fees: 1907-13 Wmk Mult Crown CA 6d, 1s and 5s, each fine large part o.g. Very scarce in mint condition. McClellan F21/22, F25

£100-120

120 (Card)

Fees: 1882 Stamp-size die proof of the headplate, in black on glazed card, with 6d. lilac imperf. colour trials (3) with value tablets in lilac, blue and red, with traces of o.g. A highly attractive group. Ex De La Rue archives and JAC Farmer. Illustrated in 'The Leeward Islands Adhesive Fees Stamps' by E.V. Toeg, FRPSL (1991), p. 5

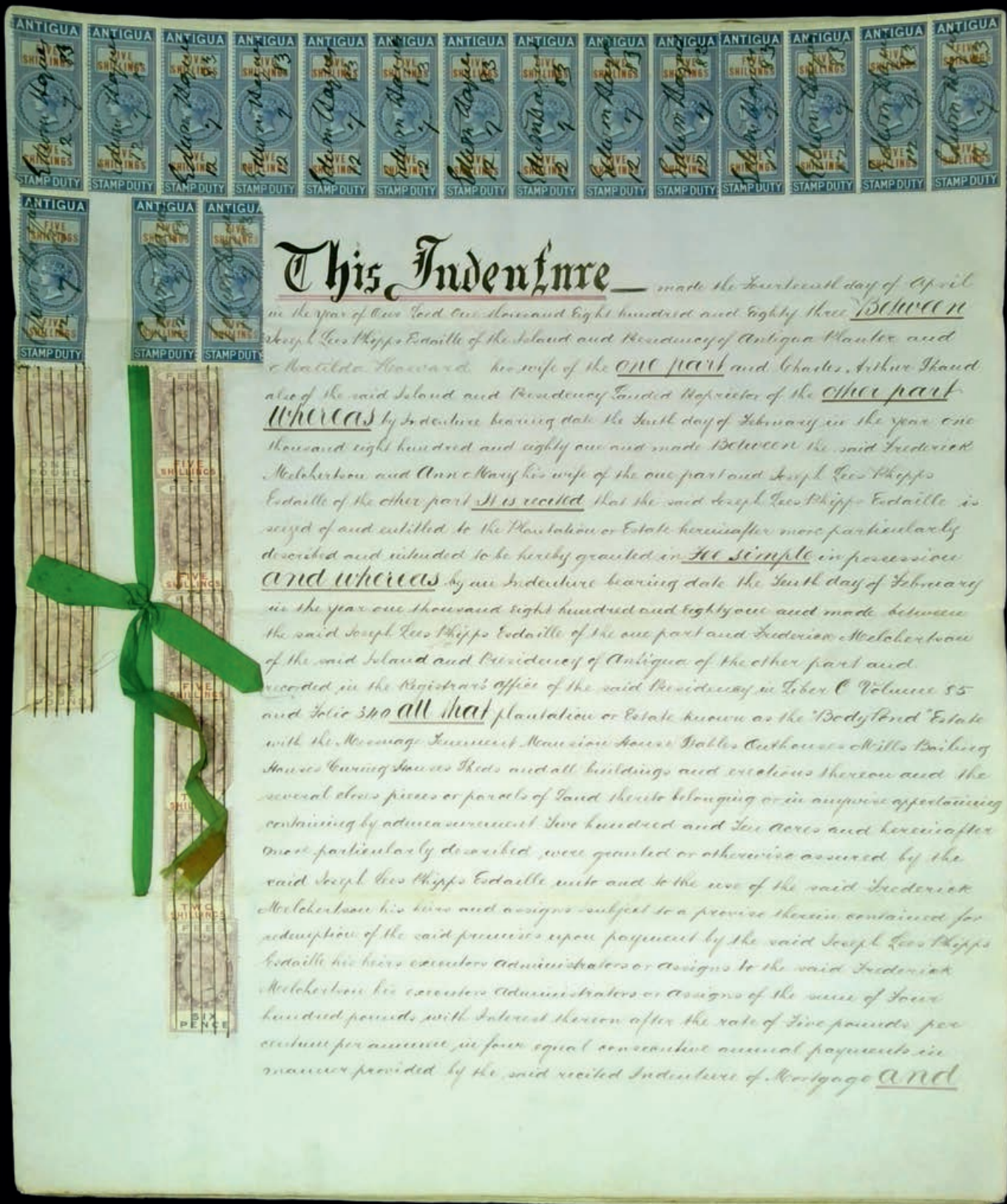
£400-500



121 (L.Env)

Revenue: 1909 Indentures (2) the first bearing on page 1, 1906 KEVII 2s(4) and 5s, and at top an impression of Antigua direct embossed 4s and on final page and reverse two separate combination frankings of 6d, 1s revenues and postage 2s6d green and black. The second Indenture fronted by a beautifully drawn watercolour diagram, the front page of the document franked by Antigua Direct embossed 2s, 6d (3) and 3d, and bearing Leeward Islands 6d, 1s, 2s and 5s, and bearing an identical franking on final page. A wonderful pair of documents in pristine condition, the combination of Antigua embossed with Leewards Adhesive revenues extremely rare. Superb!

£300-400



122 (L.Env)

Revenue: Spectacular trio of complete Victorian Indentures, the first bearing on front page at left Leeward Islands revenue £1 (3), 5s (3), 2s (2) and 6d, and at top Antigua Revenue 5s (17), the signature page bearing Antigua direct embossed 10s and Leewards 2s, 5s, the second document bearing on face Leeward Islands £1, 5s (2), 2s, 1s and 6d, Antigua Direct embossed £1 and 5s, GB direct embossed £1 and 5s red, and 'Justice Room' 1s black, the third document bearing on face Antigua revenue 5s, 1s (2) and 6d, and Leeward Islands 5s(5) 2s (2) and 6d. An extraordinary trio of truly spectacular survivors which were the centrepiece and some of the biggest talking points of the vendor's Revenue display to the RPSL in 2014. Viewing highly recommended!

[N.B. All documents have previously been folded for archival storage and could be refolded again without damage- as a result we advise bidders not to be put off by the scale of these items!]

£700-900

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MALAYA - STRAITS

123 (Env)

1902-12 KEVII collection of Small format issues fiscally used, (12) including \$5 dull green and brown-orange showing 'Damaged Frame and crown' (unlisted in used condition), 1902-03 \$100 purple and green on yellow, and 1904-10 \$25 grey-green and black. A very fine group. SG 138ab, 122, 139

£250-300

124 (Card)

1906-12 KEVII \$500 purple and orange, fine fiscally used, tied to piece by red embossed cancel showing year '11'. A very fine example of this spectacular and rare high value. SG 169

£400-500

125 (Card)

1921-33 Wmk Script CA \$25 purple and blue/blue (2), \$100 black and carmine/blue and \$500 purple and orange brown, each fine used with fresh colour and tied to piece by red embossed cancellation. cat £810+ SG 240b, 240c, 240d

£300-350

126 (Env)

Straits Settlements QV used Revenue collection on pages comprising 1869 Marine Policies used (9) values 8c to \$2 (12c defective), 1901 Supreme court documents (2) the first bearing 1890 Judicial 25c, 50c and \$1 red & green, the second bearing a \$3 from the same issue, and Revenue 1874 issues (13) to \$10, 1882 issues (13) to \$5, 1888 (16) to \$25. A fine representative lot from this popular colony.

£300-400

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MALAYA - B.M.A.

127 (Card)

Keyplate Group comprising 1945 \$25 red & brown and \$100 dull purple and ultramarine horizontal pair opt 'BMA/MALAYA' with red embossed cancellations, offered with Penang \$25 red & brown tied to piece by 'STAMP OFFICE' cds dated '4 MR 50'. A fine group.

£250-300

MALAYA - F.M.S.

128 (Env)

1900-28 collection on pages including 1900 wmk CC \$25 green and orange used BLOCK OF FOUR with Supreme court cds and 1926 wmk Script \$250 used, 1903 'leaping tiger' Judicals (6) used to \$10, Judicial overprints on postage (17) to \$2 and Postage/Revenue elephant high values (11) including \$25 (3). Condition a little mixed in places but a very fine lot overall, the key items attractive and scarce.

£300-400



MALAYA - PERAK

129 (Env)

c.1900 large document piece bearing 18 Perak 'JUDICIAL' overprints, comprising 10c (4) 25c (5), 50c (4), \$2 (4) and \$5, each cancelled with punch, ms and blue crayon. A spectacular franking.

£180-200

MALAYA - SELANGOR

130 (Env)

Collection (45) written up on pages comprising 1897 Judicial 'J' overprints to \$10 (3) with overprints in green, red and black, 1900 'Judicial' overprints to \$10 (2), with 50c showing 'No stop' variety, postage stamps used as revenues (9) to \$25, and 1950 Sultan Shah complete set to \$250, fine used. A good lot containing some very scarce material.

£300-400

MALAYA - STRAITS

131 (Env)

Malayan States collection written up on 6 pages, all overprints on Straits revenues, comprising Selangor (15) with numerous different fonts and values to \$1, Pahang mint (5), Sungei Ujong 5c block of four, and two singles with different surcharge types, Perak revenues (9) to \$1, and Judiciaals (7) to \$1. A good representative lot and a strong basis on which to build.

£150-200



MALTA

132 (Env)

1899-1955 collection on pages, covering most issues including 1899 local opts (19) to 1s, 1/2d and 1d with doubled opt, 1899 DLR issues (44) with values to 5s, KEVII (27) values to 2s6d, KGV mixed group (18) with values to £1, KGVI £1 (2), QEII £1 and postage stamps fiscally used including document pieces (9) etc. Condition mixed in places but a good basis to build on.

£250-300

MAURITIUS

133 (Env)

Bill of Exchange: 1869 Local Lithographed issue, 1d to 16s8d set of eleven in triplicate singles (First/Second/Third of exchange), each fine used, missing only 6s8d first, and 16s8d third, with additional 'thin paper' 4d trio and 2d 2nd. An exceptional assembly of these primitive local issues, this the closest to a complete set we have seen, with just two exchanges left to find for the 'holy grail' of Mauritius revenue philately! McClellan B1/B11 + vars

£800-1000

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136A



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**134 (Card)**

Bill of Exchange: 1869-80 collection of six intact triplicate strips (First/Second/Third of exchange se-tenant), comprising 1869 (1 Oct) 2d, 4d and 6d green and purple, 8s4d and 16s8d brown-orange and blue, with 1880 3r35c imperforate plate proof triplicate strip, each fresh large part o.g. and rare thus. The 16s8d particularly elusive in this form and condition

£400-500

MONTSERRAT

135 (Env)

1866 Harrison issue 1d carmine, study collection comprising complete sheet with slight toning, rose-carmine shade mint (14) and used (10), carmine lake shades mint (9), and used (22) and right marginal single on vertically laid paper- a rarity from the one sheet which existed. A comprehensive group, presented beautifully. McClellan R1/3

£120-150

136 (Env)

1880-1956 small but relatively comprehensive revenue collection comprising 1880 1d lilac tête-bêche pair 'used' with apparent part postal cancellation (not guaranteed), 3 used singles, a 1928 passport page bearing KGV postage 5s x4 (SG 83), 11 postage stamps fiscally used, and an imperf block of four of the French Red Cross charity label. A small but interesting lot from this tiny colonial outpost, the tête-bêche pairs desirable and rare.

£180-200

136A (Card)

1887 1d. lilac, left marginal TETE-BECHE vertical pair; large part o.g., single tone speck in margin only, still a major rarity in this form, ex M.N. Oliver, FRPSL (Grosvenor, 16/11/11) when it realised £1,100.

£400-£500

NATAL

137 (Env)

1859-1910 collection on album pages comprising fiscally used postage stamps (12) to 5s, 1885 keyplate issue (18) to £10 including 1s on 4s red & lilac, and 1d, 6d and 1s mint, 1902 POSTAGE/REVENUE issue complete set to £20 (2) fiscally used, with two additional £10 values (one cleaned and fraudulently postmarked), 1906 REVENUE/REVENUE issue complete to £10. A rare group which is very difficult to assemble in such fine condition.

£400-500

NEW GUINEA

138 (Card)

Group of Australia Roos opt 'N.W./PACIFIC ISLANDS' comprising 6d, 9d (3), 1s, 2s (2), and 5s (3), each with 'CANCELLED/NAURU' circular hs from the Island's radio station, but for one 5s with part Rabaul Telegraph oval ds in violet. An attractive lot.

£100-120

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NEW REPUBLIC

139 (Env)

Collection of Fiscally used postage stamps (10) written up on pages including 5s cancelled De Vletter's oval 'buckle' handstamp (one of two fiscally used examples recorded by the vendor), and 1887 without embossed arms 1s (3), 1s6d (2) 5s and 5s6d, (the only recorded fiscally used example of this stamp), and a fiscally used 5s without embossed arms or date and unlisted thus. A good lot ripe for further research. SG 16, 83/92

£200-250

NEW ZEALAND

140 (Card)

1935 (21 May) Large blue document piece bearing 1880 design £1000 red (2), £500 blue, £45 light blue, and Arms design 10s carmine-lake, each tied by 'PAID' perfin and 'STAMP DUTIES DEPT/AUCKLAND' cds. A very fine and remarkable four colour franking which totals £2,545/10/-

£200-250

140A (Env)

Used Collection neatly presented on pages comprising 1866 Imperf 4d and 3s4d, 1867 Perforated Die I 2d, 8d, £1.10 and £2, 1870 values (14) to £1, 1880 values (27) to £5, then a selection of frankings on document pieces (18) including 'ultra-high' value £1,850 gold affixed to document piece.

£200-£250

NIGERIA

141 (Env)

Group (19) of 1898 Niger Coast 'CONSULAR' overprints on album pages, comprising locally handstamped ½d green, 2½d slate-blue (2), 6d brown, 2s6d olive-bistre (3, including horiz. pair) and Waterlow overprints 6d (3), 2s6d (4), and 10s (5), offered on original page showing vendor's annotations on perfs and cancellations. Offered with 1895 certificate of registration at BONNY bearing GB 2s6d Consular Service, and fiscally used Nigeria postage stamps KGV 10s (SG 11c) block of ten on forestry document piece, and £1 purple/red (2, one of each die). A super lot, the early consular overprints extremely difficult to assemble.

£350-400

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**142 (Card)**

1916-20 DLR Keyplate 6d blue & black, 1s grey-green and black, and 2s6d green, each cancelled with 'POLICE' perfin cancel and green crayon lines. 6d with diagonal crease and 2s6d damaged by overzealous perfin cancellation, still a desirable and rare trio, which we have not handled in either auction or retail departments in over 20 years.

£400-500

143 (Card)

1916 DLR Keyplate wmk MCA 5s purple on red, tied to small document piece by green crayon strokes and 'CALABAR' punch cancellation. Very fine for this keyplate rarity, with fresh original colour.

£200-250

NORTHERN RHODESIA

144 (Card)

1925 £50 Grey, block of SIX (3x2) each cancelled with ms initials and 'REGISTRATION OF MINING TITLES' oval hs dated '18 APR 1928'. A spectacular multiple of this popular high value.

£500-600

**145 (Env)**

1925-55 collection on pages comprising complete INSPECTION CERTIFICATE, dated 22 January 1946 bearing KGV £30 red-brown and £50 grey, with horizontal pair of KGV Postage 10s (SG 44), paying £81/-/- fee for 162 prospecting locations in Luangwa district @10s each, and on album pages 1925 revenue £2 (2), £5 and £10, QEII opt 'R' (10) to 5s, and 1955 revenue issue (18) to 20s, also postage stamps fiscally used including KGV (8) to 20s. A lovely lot, the Inspection Certificate in wonderful condition.

£400-500

NYASALAND

146 (Card)

1891 2s6d to £10 set of five, fresh and very fine unused. An iconic large format set which ranks amongst the most beautiful revenue sets of the entire British Commonwealth. Ex Bradbury Wilkinson archive.

£500-600

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**147 (Env)**

Comprehensive collection on pages comprising CONSULAR overprints (16) to 10s including document piece showing 10s 'Large O' in 'Consular' variety, 1891 large format revenue 2s6d and 10s used, and 1955 revenue set 1d to £1 mint (without 2d, 3s6d). Fiscally used postage stamps including arms issues (10) to £1 with Hut Tax cancellations, KEVII 1903 issue (4) to £1, KGV keyplates (33) to £10 (6), all SG99 e, including one tied to document piece, and a £1 with broken scroll (SG 98c) A lovely lot, a few condition issues in places but overall very fine, revenues of Nyasaland seldom offered in this quantity.

£500-600

ORANGE FREE STATE

148 (Card)

Postal Fiscal. 1882-86 £5 green, showing the remarkable plate variety 'VRY-STAAAT' (with hyphen) which is believed to occur only once on the two-pane sheet of 120, at R1/5 on one pane, large part o.g. with fresh colour. One creased corner perf mentioned for accuracy, still very fine. A fascinating variety, excessively rare in unused condition, with no other example yet recorded. Ex Allison SG F15a

£1500-2000

149 (Env)

Postal Fiscal. 1882-86 £5 green, a spectacular irregular block of 14 (2x6, with a further vertical pair at upper left), the middle stamp in the top row showing the remarkable plate variety 'VRY-STAAAT' (with hyphen) which is believed to occur only once on the two-pane sheet of 120, at R1/5 on one pane, fiscally used with M/S cancels (initials + '649' on each stamp in the block of 12, with a fuller version on the additional pair). Some normals with unobtrusive faults, but fresh colour, with the variety fine. Almost certainly a unique se-tenant multiple. Ex Allison. SG F15a

£250-350

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**150 (Env)**

Comprehensive collection neatly written up on 15 album pages, comprising Bank Draft issues (10) to 9s, Legacy Duty (8) and hospital tax 3d on 1s brown, 1856 embossed issues (25) to £1 including 1s used on receipt form, 1878-82 Arms issues set to £5, with 14 values to £5 mint (some lower values toned), and VRI opts (17) to £5 used, and KEVII ORC issues (38) to £10, including multiple frankings on document pieces (5). A well researched and impressively complete collection.

£500-600

RHODESIA

151 (Env)

Collection on pages of Fiscally used Double Heads (22) and Admirals (52) the former including 5s (3), 7s6d (4), one of which is 'Bright Blue' (SG162), 10s and £1 (4, one of which is perf 15). Better Admirals include 5s (8), 7s6d (3, with a pair), 10s (4) and £1 (12), variously cancelled and neatly annotated with vendor's notes on dies and printings. Condition mixed in places as you would expect with usage of this type, still a very good lot worthy of careful viewing.

£400-500

152 (Env)

Rhodesia revenue collection written up on pages comprising 1890 postage stamps fiscally used including £2 (5), £5 (5) and £10(5), Southern Rhodesia Admirals to 2s6d, Mining Documents (2) Marshall hole currency card, Bradbury high values including defective £50 in MINT condition, later postage stamps fiscally used to £20 (5) and 1966 £100 unmounted mint. A solid basis on which to build.

£300-400

SARAWAK

153 (Card)

1900 Charles Brooke 3c to \$10 set of 10, with additional type 2 25c and 50c, fresh unmounted o.g., all but the 3c (unused) and \$10 exceptionally showing plate number '1' in margin. Very rare in this positional form.

£200-250

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**154 (Card)**

1918 Charles Vyner Brooke 3c to \$10 set of 11, fresh unmounted o.g., each with margin at left or right. Attractive and scarce.

£120-150

SEYCHELLES

155 (Folder)

1894-1902 QV collection on album pages comprising internal revenue 1893-1903 5c to 5r set of 8 used, with 5c, 12c and 25c mint, 1894 revenue stamps surcharged 'REVENUE/ 4 cents' (39), including 4c on 10c mint block of 6, an attempted (but failed!) 1908 postal usage of 4c on 6c on cover, the stamps uncanceled, 4c on 8c tête-bêche pair of both upwards and downwards reading overprint, 1902 2c brown (3), including 1 with postal cancel by favour. An attractive representative lot, worth viewing.

£250-350

156 (Card)

1904-12 collection on stock card (17) comprising 1906 4c (3), 50c (2), and 5r (2), 4c on 30c, mint (3), used (3), and one with postal 'ANSE ROYAL' cds applied by favour, and KGV 'Issued by/ the Stamp/ Office.' provisional 12c grey in both die I and II, fine used. A fine and scarce group, the 1906 5r and 1920 12c grey particularly elusive. McClellan R21/25, R41

£500-600

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**157 (Card)**

1906 KEVII and 1915 KGV 4c lilac and olive-green, large part o.g. The latter with pulled perfs at lower right, of little importance as it is a major and underrated rarity of revenue philately, the first we have ever seen in mint condition. McClellan R21, R31

£300-400

SIERRA LEONE

158 (Folder)

1884-1938 collection on album pages comprising 1884 first revenue issue complete mint set and 6d lilac complete panes (5) showing various marginal inscriptions, plate and current numbers, QV stamp duty issues (5) to 1s, QV- KGV document pieces (15) with fiscally used postage issues, including QV £1 (SG53), KEVII £1 (4), 5s (4), KGV colourful frankings to £1 (4), with loose Wilberforce 5s, £1 fiscally used, and £5 orange and green (SG148) fiscally used. A well presented basis for expansion.

£300-400

SOUTH WEST AFRICA

159 (Env)

1931-32 group of 3 bi-lingual sets Ex Bradbury Wilkinson Archive comprising 1932 ENTERTAINMENT TAX, 1d to 1s set of 6 in blocks of four, REVENUE/INKOMSTE 3d to 20s set of 6 in blocks of four, and 1931 TRIBAL TAX 5s brown complete set of 10 different tribes, in lower left marginal pairs, all unused without gum as always from this archival source. A fine group.

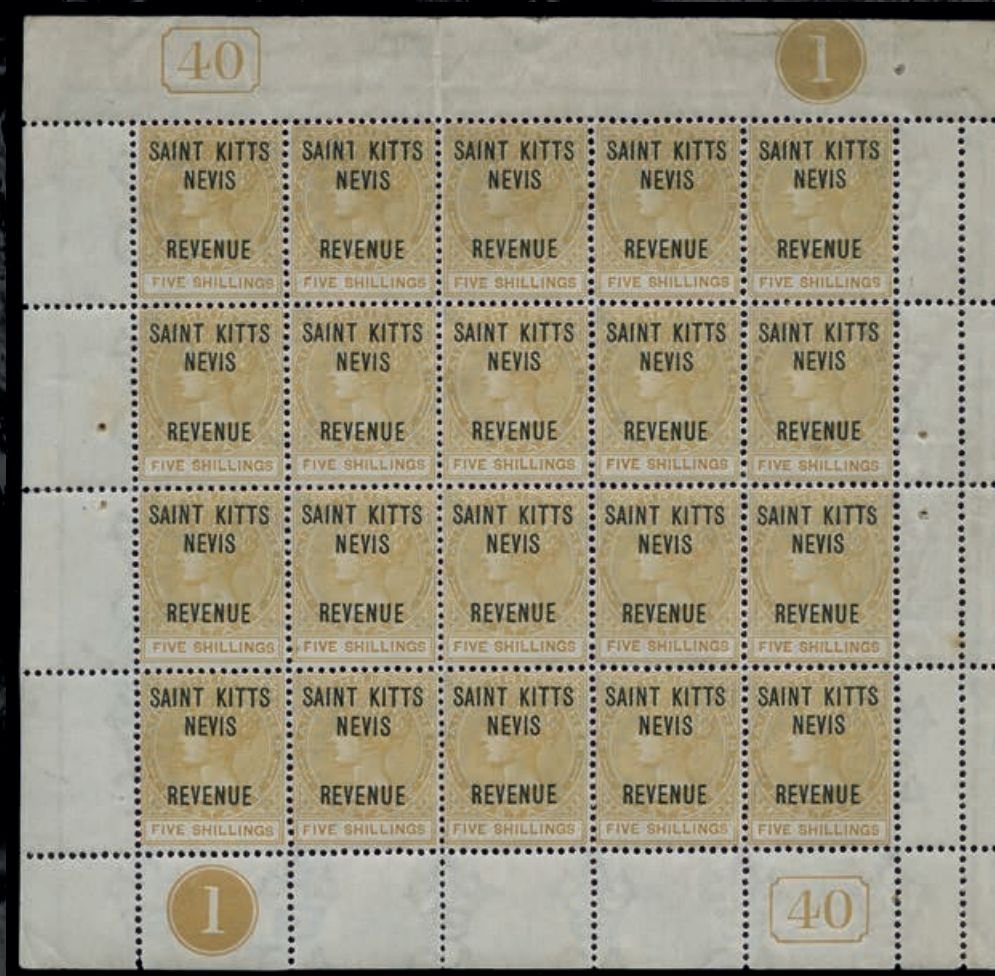
£450-550

ST KITTS-NEVIS

160 (Card)

Embossed Revenue: c.1931 pair of proof impressions in red, on vertically laid paper (63x63mm), denominated 'HALF PENNY' and 'ONE/ FARTHING'. Attractive and rare, these values not recorded as issued stamps and only known from archival records.

£150-200

**161 (Env)**

1884 Nevis 4d blue and 1s pale violet, each overprinted 'REVENUE' by De La Rue in London and locally 'Saint/Christopher', each in a COMPLETE PANE OF 60, large part (toned) o.g. with only a few on each pane showing traces of mounting. A highly attractive duo, and likely to be the only survivors in this form and condition. McClellan R94/5

£600-800

162 (Env)

1883-84 extensive and comprehensive mint & used collection, beautifully written up featuring 'Saint/ Christopher' handstamps on Nevis issues including 4d orange complete intact sheet of 12, a detailed study of the handstamps and their use including doubles, attempted postal use, plate blocks, positional varieties, cancellations, Nevis opt 'Revenue' including partial sheet reconstruction, and 1882 unused set to 6d (SG F1/4), and De La Rue 'REVENUE' overprints including mint blocks, usage, handstamps and an extensive study. An extraordinary and highly recommended lot, the fruits of 40 years of study of these complex issues. Viewing essential.

£1000-1200

163 (Env)

1884-86 Intact collection written up on pages comprising 1d rose to 5s bistre complete set in INTACT PANES showing plates and current numbers in each corner the 5s one of just two recorded, also an additional 1d, and 1s pane, 1885 Indenture bearing 1884 1/- (10, most affixed overlapping) in combination with Leeward Islands 1882 6d., 3/- and 5/-, and locally overprinted 6d green, fine fiscally used (3), bill of lading bearing 1d, and then a study group including plate singles of most values. A comprehensive and impressive lot of these attractive and popular issues, with portions ex Brian Brookes. McClellan R101/5, R111

£1000-1200

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**164 (Env)**

Collection on pages comprising 1946 Savings Stamps, set of four large format HAND PAINTED essays close to the issued design, the unique BW archive set perf 'SPECIMEN' B9, and postage stamps used fiscally (16) with values to £1. A super lot- with no issued examples of the savings stamps believed to have survived despite 25,000 of each being sent to the colony. McClellan S1/4

£300-350

ST LUCIA

165 (Card)

Postal Fiscal: 1881 1s orange wmk crown CC, overprinted in small capitals, showing error 'SHILEING', fine and fresh large part o.g. A rarity, particularly in such fine condition. cat £1,100 Ex Jaffé | SG F4a

£500-600

166 (Card)

Postal Fiscal: 1881 1s orange wmk crown CC, overprinted in small capitals, showing error 'SHILDING', very fine used with postal 'A11' cancellation. cat £650 | SG F4b

£300-350

167 (Card)

Postal Fiscal: 1881 'ONE PENNY/ STAMP' black, showing error surcharge DOUBLE, one in red and one in black, fine fiscally used. The discovery example and the basis of the catalogue listing, which entered part 1 for the first time in 1994. A remarkable and highly desirable variety RPS certificate (1993) SG F1b

£200-250

168 (Env)

Postal Fiscals: 1881-1885 Comprehensive and detailed specialised collection of mint, postally used, and fiscally used postage stamps, researched in detail and presented on 14 pages, featuring the vast majority of values mint and used, with plate flaws, cancellation studies, wording varieties, double and triple overprints. Some forgeries noted by vendor but an exceptional collection overall, showing the fruits of 40 years research into these fascinating and complex issues. McClellan R1/28 | SG F1/F28

£600-800



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**169 (Env)**

Postal Fiscals: Collection of stamps and postal history written up on pages, comprising De La Rue surcharges (17), the vast majority with postal cancellations, and Philatelic covers (5), (one ex Maxwell correspondence) with various frankings including cover to Manchester bearing SG F7 (2) and F15. Condition a little mixed but well worth inspecting, some lovely material in this lot.

£200-250

ST VINCENT

170 (Env)

1882-85 'REVENUE' overprint on badge of colony issue 5s rose-red, five examples, and 'REVENUE/ ONE POUND' on 5s rose red (5), offered on vendor's original pages with full provenance, five of the stamps ex Jaffé. McClellan R6/7 | SG 6

£300-400

171 (Card)

1883-93 'THREE PENCE' on 6d lilac, imperforate plate proof on watermarked paper, with traces of o.g. As McClellan R22. | SG 22

£150-200

172 (Card)

1883-93 5s Lilac, opt 'REVENUE', opt 'SPECIMEN' in GREEN, affixed to piece from De La Rue Striking book dated 'Sept 86' in black ms and endorsed '20 set' in red, tying this example to the order of 2,000 of the 5s value, placed 11th August 1886. The De La Rue File copy and unique in this form. Wonderful! McClellan R26 | SG 26

£300-350

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**173 (Card)**

1883-93 5s Lilac, opt 'REVENUE', three examples in fine mint condition, the shades of lilac, purple and greyish purple detailed by Pierce et al in Robson Lowe's 1971 publication 'St Vincent: The Revenue Stamps 1882-1897'. A fine trio, very scarce in mint condition, with one of these shades almost certainly coming from the order of 18th January 1892, where only 600 5s were printed with a low survival rate. A super lot for the specialist. McClellan R26 (& vars) | SG 26

£200-250

174 (Card)

1883-93 5s Lilac, opt 'REVENUE', used block of four, the upper right stamp with wrinkling, though still a fine and very rare multiple of this attractive high value. McClellan R26 | SG 26

£120-150

175 (Card)

1887-95 ONE POUND on 5s lilac (22mm surcharge), fine used, cancelled with two sets of initials and what appears to be a January 1893 date. Fine and rare. McClellan R41. | SG 41

£120-150

176 (Card)

1887-95 ONE POUND on 5s lilac (25mm surcharge), fine used, cancelled with ms signatures and pen stroke in black. Fine and rare. McClellan R42. | SG 42

£120-150

177 (Card)

1887-95 'TWENTY-FIVE/ POUNDS' on 5s lilac, fine used, cancelled with ms initials and dated '9/5/87'. Minuscule tear in upper margin of little importance for this great rarity of West Indies Philately, which was missing from the great Jaffé collection and is unlisted in Pierce et al. The stamp of record and the sole recorded example. McClellan R44 | SG 44

£1200-1500

178 (Card)

1893-95 'One Pound' on 5s lilac, very fine used, neatly cancelled with two sets of ms initials. Minor gum wrinkles of little consequence and not affecting superb appearance. A rarity of which it is believed just 545 were printed with a low survival rate. Ex Jaffé. McClellan R46 | SG 46

£500-600

179 (Card)

1893-95 'One Pound' on 5s greyish purple, fine used, cancelled with red pen stroke, slightly smudged initials and 13/2/96 date. A rarity of which it is believed just 545 were printed with a low survival rate, with this shade making up just 225 of that total according to Pierce et al. McClellan R46 | SG 46

£300-350

180 (Card)

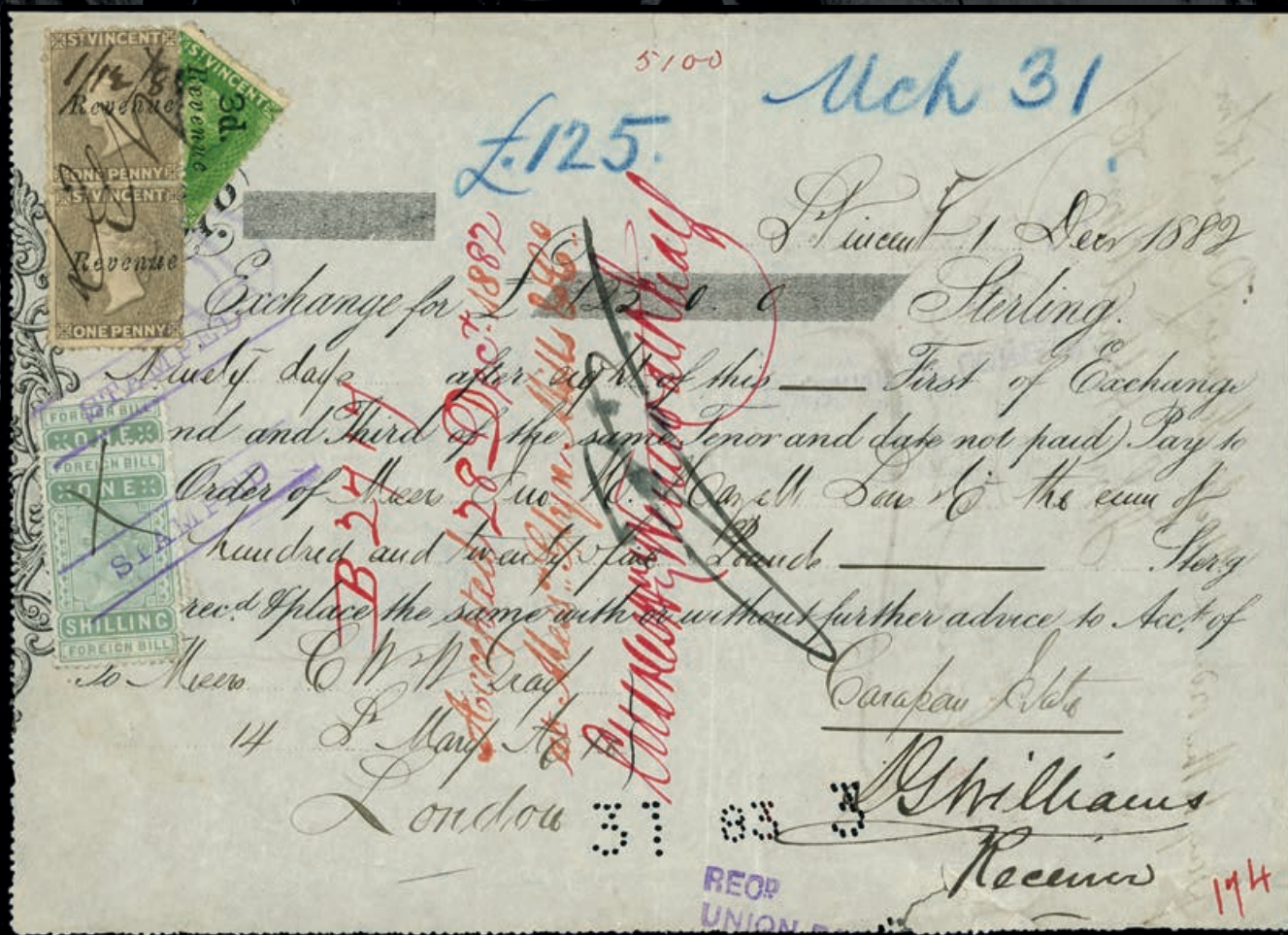
1893-95 'Twenty-five/ Pounds' on 5s lilac, fine used with light ms cancellation dated '6.10.93'. A great rarity of West Indies Revenue Philately, which was missing from the great Jaffé collection, is unlisted in Pierce et al, and is almost certainly the sole surviving example of the 15 which ever existed. The stamp of record, illustrated in McClellan and Barefoot. McClellan R49 | SG 49

£1200-1500

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**181 (Env)**

1882-93 Small format first issues collection on vendor's 23 full pages and presented with his original research. Highlights including 3d on half of 6d green, a unique intact diagonal strip of 3, mint unsevered pairs (3), a used unsevered pair, single used examples (11), 1d drab overprint INVERTED (R11a) very fine used and ex Jaffé, multiples (many of which are the largest recorded), mint examples of many values including a few blocks, numerous with inverted or reversed watermarks (almost all of which were discovered by the vendor and are currently unlisted), cancellation studies including apparent postal use. A lifetime's work and an essential lot for any exhibitor of this issue, with many key stamps ex Jaffé. McClellan R1/5, R11/17

£1000-1200

182 (Env)

Range of documents (6) bearing revenue stamps, the first an 1882 bill of exchange bearing 1d drab and 3d on bisected 6d green, the next a large fragment bearing 1s bright vermillion and 5s rose-red (damaged by filing creases), the other three with various frankings of small format 'Revenue' overprints. A rare group, these issues on document seldom seen.

£500-600

183 (Env)

Extensive and detailed balance collection, on album pages including 1895 5s (12) in both shades, all used, postage stamps fiscally used, a detailed study of the 1883-93 De La Rue overprints and surcharges featuring cancellations, a usage study, watermark varieties, mint examples of most values (very scarce), usage on document, multiples, plate varieties, etc. Viewing highly recommended, with many of the mint examples ex Jaffé. A super lot for the specialist or exhibitor. McClellan R21/34 | SG F1/3

£600-800

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STELLALAND

184 (Card)

1884-1886 small mint and used collection on stock cards, comprising first issue (without monogram 5s used (missing corner), and 2s6d (2), 10s and £5 claret, fine mint the two high values very fine and rare thus, 2nd issue mint 1s6d, 2s (mint and used), 2s6d, 5s, and £5(2), the 2nd issue in usual mixed condition though still a good lot and a fine basis for expansion.

£150-200

TANGANYIKA

185 (Card)

Kodi: 1934 (22 May) 'Bromide' (34 x 54mm) of the original composite artist's essay (based on the general colonial frame plate) for the frame of the 1s 'KODI' (poll tax) stamp. Distinguished from the subsequent die proof by the '1' numerals in the value tablets and the shorter letters of 'MANDATED TERRITORY OF TANGANYIKA'. Light horizontal bend at top but a unique and interesting item, being the forerunner of all the 'KODI' issues. Ex De La Rue archives.

£200-250

186 (Card)

Kodi: 1934 KGV 1s vermilion and purple, marginal, unmounted o.g. (adhesion in margin only), and KGVI 1s vermilion and dull purple, used, (2) cancelled with straight line cancel in violet the first with colour washed, the other very fine and dated '29/7' in manuscript.

£250-300

TOBAGO

187 (Env)

1880 (Nov), 1d on half of 6d orange, vertical strip of three tied to small document piece by ms cancellation. The largest recorded multiple of this provisional, ex Ramkissoon (HA Harmer, Zurich, 2006). McClellan R9 | SG 7

£400-500

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**188 (Env)**

1880 (Nov), 1d on half of 6d orange, wmk upright, horizontal pair, fine used with ms date, and single with short perfs and ms cancellation. The former with RPS certificate (1995). McClellan R9 | SG 7

£250-300

189 (Env)

1884 5s slate, wmk CA, left pane, lower right corner block of six showing current number '1' in margin, large part (yellowed) o.g. (three stamps unmounted), offered with unmounted block of four of 1d red from the same issue. A rare positional multiple. McClellan R15, R11

£300-400

190 (Env)

1890 4d dull purple and red imperforate plate proof, large part o.g. almost certainly the item listed by Morley as 6315a and priced at the same level as the £1 mauve! A rarity 'not seen' by McClellan. R23 var

£150-200

191 (Env)

1879-90 duplicated study collection on album pages comprising 1879 wmk CC set to 5s used, 1884 wmk CA 1d to £1 fine mint complete set, with duplicated studies for all values to 5s (6), including cancellations and minor varieties, 1890 bi-colour set mint and used including two mint and four used of the difficult 4d value. McClellan R1/5, R11/24

£300-350

TRANSVAAL

192 (Card)

1878-84 'Bourne Head' series engraved by Bradbury Wilkinson, 6d to £5 short set of ten used, with duplicates of all values to 2s6d, also £20 reddish violet top value, fresh large part o.g., with trimmed perfs at right, still an exceptionally rare and highly desirable revenue, this design widely regarded as one of the most elegant revenue series of the whole Commonwealth.

£600-800

193 (Card)

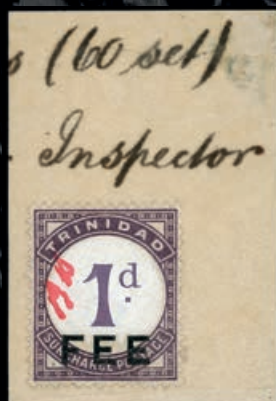
Revenue: 1902 2s6d grey-brown and orange, wmk CC, error INVERTED CENTRE, fresh large part o.g. Trivial offsetting on reverse, still a very fine and fresh example of this extraordinary De La Rue error, which is usually found creased and faded.

£200-250

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TRINIDAD

194 (Card)

Embossed Revenue c.1900 group of three revenue proofs with blank date plugs, struck in red on thin wove, comprising 6d with annotation 'specimen sent was from the 3d die' at foot, and 1s and 5s impressions overprinted 'CANCELLED', the former with red ms annotation 'also proof of 9d die sent to colony'. Offered with issued 1s, single impression dated 13.11.03, 2 years prior to the recorded earliest use.

£300-400

195 (Card)

Fee: c.1884 Hand Painted essay denominated 1d produced by overpainting an issued 3d dull purple (in the 'Surcharge postage design used for postage due stamps), in dull purple and Chinese white, initialled in red, and affixed to archival card (35x52mm) endorsed with '(60 set)' and 'Inspector' at top. A extraordinary and unique essay of this unissued stamp, and so perfectly executed that the '1d' was listed by Barefoot for a number of years!

£350-400

196 (Card)

Fee: 1889 3d dull purple opt 'SPECIMEN' type D12, affixed to archival card annotated 'May 9.89' at top. Perfs trimmed off at left and top, of minimal importance as this is the unique file copy ex De La Rue archives, illustrated in 'The De La Rue collection', (vol 6 p.6407). As McClellan F14

£200-250

197 (Card)

Fee: 1884-95 group of four trials for the issue, the pence trials (2) on wmk CA paper, without gum, both denominated 4d, with value tablets and overprint in blue and red rather than the issued black, offered with pair of Overprint trials for 'Fee' and 'FEE 10/-' in black, (both as issued) on 1869 5s rose-lake, (the design of which was used for the issue in different colours to the postage issue). A fascinating and unique set of early trials, ex De Vries

£300-400

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**198 (Card)**

Fee: 1884-95 1d to £1 set of eight, fresh and fine large part o.g., and including the 3d 'Surcharge Postage', (albeit with trimmed perfs at foot) of which only a handful of recorded examples are known. A desirable set in a wonderful state of preservation, by some distance the finer of the two unused sets recorded. McClellan F13/20

£600-800

199 (Card)

Fee: 1884-95 3d dull purple very fine used with part ms cancellation. A rarity, with just a handful of recorded examples. McClellan F14

£180-200

200 (Env)

Fee and Free fee: Extensive study collection (100s) beautifully written up on album pages including 1889 1d carmine opt 'FEE' (5) and 'FREE' (as always with R deleted to read 'FEE') used, 2½d ultramarine, two examples opt 'FEE' one with the 'HALFPENNY' in value tablet deleted, believed by the vendor to be unadopted essays, ½d dull green (3) and 1d carmine (10), with postal cancellations (likely used as postage dues), 1884-95 issue study including unused values (10) to £1, and used including 10s (10) and £1 (6), 5s with watermark inverted (sole recorded example), and cancellations, dates etc. and 'FREE FEE' in similar depth including the 1891 DLR overprint unused trio. A wonderful lot for the specialist.

£500-600

201 (Card)

Opium Duty: c.1880 Excise Strips to pay customs Duty for two ounces and four ounces of Opium in red and blue respectively, fine unused, without gum as issued and trimmed at left for display. A fascinating and extremely rare pair of revenues, this just the second such pair we have seen in a decade. McClellan O1/O2.

£300-400

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**202 (Card)**

Opium Duty: c.1880 USED Excise Strips (3) paying customs Duty for opium, 2oz red and 4oz blue (2), each cancelled with black pen stroke and trimmed to the crest only, the remainder of the bands having been affixed to seal a package of opium as a seal. A trio of the highest rarity- these the first used examples we have ever seen or heard of. McClellan O1/O2.

£250-300

203 (Card)

1935 \$4.80 rose-carmine, imperforate proof wmk Script CA, perforated 'SPECIMEN' type B9, fresh without gum. As McClellan R32

£300-400

204 (Card)

1935-36 Bradbury Wilkinson revenues small collection (14) comprising used \$1.20 blue-green (4), \$4.80 rose-carmine (3), including remarkable \$16.80 combination franking on piece, 4c brown mint (4) and used, plus two covers, one an uncanceled 'bought on first day' envelope, the other an attempted postal use, caught and taxed. An interesting lot, the \$4.80 a particularly difficult high value. McClellan R31/33

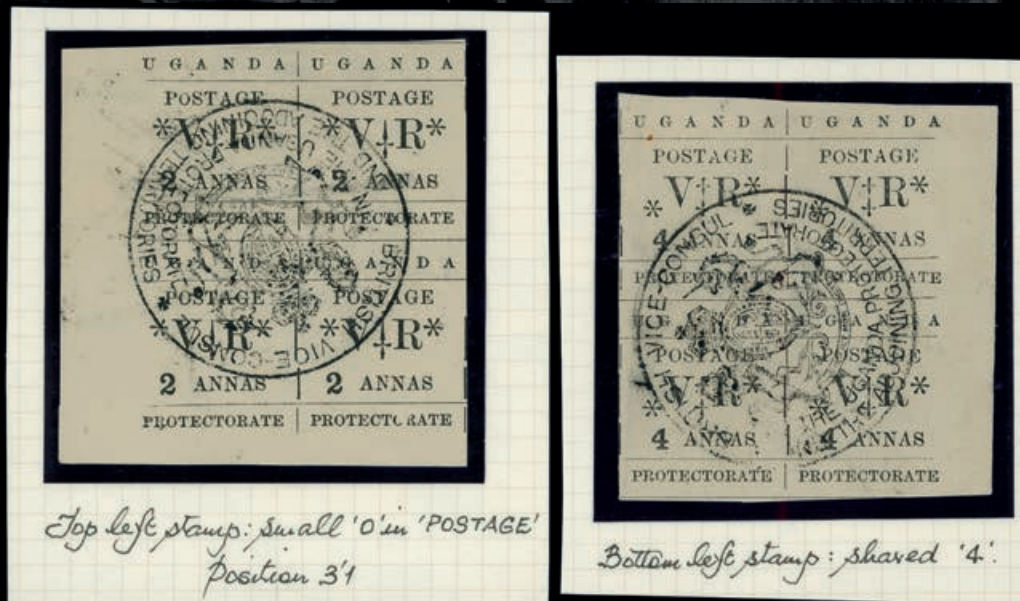
£400-500

205 (Card)

1935-36 \$1.20 blue-green, upper left marginal block of four, fresh and very fine unmounted o.g. rare thus. McClellan R32

£300-400

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TRINIDAD & TOBAGO

206 (Env)

1902-70 used balance collection comprising general duty embossed (30) to £1, plus complete GB foreign bill document franked with £1 (2) and 3s grey, direct embossed stamps including unused 1920 stamped paper, two cheques, 1902 6d used, and 1966 issues (7) to \$10, fiscally used postage stamps (c.60) to £1 (13), plus wide variety of national insurance issues in mint blocks, written up on 8 pages. An interesting and varied lot.

£200-250

UGANDA

207 (Card)

1896 Typeset 2a, 4a and 8a black, blocks of 4, the 2a showing variety 'Small o in POSTAGE' on upper left stamp (R3/1), each centrally cancelled by complete strike of circular 'BRITISH VICE-CONSUL' armorial H/S, the 2a and 4a very fine, the 8a indistinct. An attractive trio. Ex Dr Scott (Harmer SA 6/6/2008, lot 1099, part). SG 56/a, 58, 59

£100-120

208 (Card)

Consular: 1896 Typeset 8a and 1r horizontal pair, with manuscript 'Consular' overprints, tied together on piece by superb strike of circular 'BRITISH VICE-CONSUL' armorial H/S. A rare and highly attractive item. Ex Dr Scott (Harmer SA 6/6/2008, lot 1099, part). McClellan C1, C2 | SG 59, 60

£250-300

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**209 (Card)**

1898-1902 1r Ultramarine, with diagonal 'Consular' manuscript opt, block of 4 (some horizontal separation), used on piece with superb central 'BRITISH VICE-CONSUL' circular armorial cancel. A rare item of stunning appearance, offered with 1r dull blue single, similarly cancelled. McClellan C6, C6a | SG 90a

£400-500

210 (Card)

1901-60 substantial collection of revenue issues on album pages comprising 1901 first issue complete set to 5r (5) variously cancelled, KEVII values (33) to 5r including 1r block of 12 with vendor's plating notes, KGV values (34) to 10r, KGVI values to 10s (3) variously cancelled and annotated by opt type, and QEII values (16), to £1, including QEII 1s black and purple IMPRINT STRIP of McClellan R194a showing overprint double. A lovely range of these popular issues, an excellent lot for expansion.

£400-500

211 (Card)

1918-35 KGV collection of 'Uganda/Revenue' overprints on album pages comprising 1912-22 6c 25c and 1r, 1922-27 Postage set, 17 values incl. £5 top value in horizontal pair, and 1s green overprint INVERTED, also 1935-37 20c, 5s used. A lovely lot, offered on vendor's pages annotating constant varieties in the setting. McClellan R81/138 (range)

£500-600

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VIRGIN ISLANDS

212 (Card)

1988 \$25 magenta and \$100 blue, without imprint at foot, fresh unmounted lower marginal singles showing Walsall Imprint. A beautifully designed and scarce pair of modern revenues, desirable in this positional form. McClellan R1/2

£60-80

ZANZIBAR

213 (Card)

1908-09 200r brown and greenish black, block of 6 (3x2), fiscally used with two complete armorial court cancels and M/S '15-1-12' dates. Upper row with minor separation but a spectacular and rare multiple, in remarkably fine condition. SG 245

£250-300

214 (Env)

1892-1913 collection on album pages comprising 1892 opt on India Special Adhesive, 1a to 40r part set of 9 used, and 8a mint, provisional surcharges both printed (2), and manuscript (8), 1905-08 issues (10) to 4r, and fiscal use of postage Dhows (3) with values to 50r and Harbour view issues (3) to 100r. A well presented group of these popular issues.

£300-350

215 (Card)

1888-94 small collection on stock cards comprising postage £1 purple/red and £5 purple and black/red fiscally used, and Natal Revenues Overprinted Zululand 1d Specimen (SG F1s), Used, and left marginal mint block of 18 showing '(CR)OWN AGENTS' marginal watermark, 1s, 5s and £5 used, and 9s fine mint with Holcombe certificate.

£180-200

BRITISH COMMONWEALTH

216 (½ Box)

Substantial balance lot of the A-Z collection including Burma Japanese Occupation revenues, GB Consular 5s used in COOK ISLANDS, Bahrain Large format Waterlow 'Falconry' issue 1r Black Malaya including War Relief labels, Japanese Occupation issues, a few High value keyplates, Perak \$25, KGV \$25 x3 on document, a representative group of Sarawak including 'R' overprints mint, wide range of South Africa and states including many mint KGVI 'language transposed errors', Bermuda collection with fiscally used keyplates, British Guiana fiscally used postage stamps etc. etc. A treasure trove which needs to be viewed to be fully appreciated.

£2000-2500

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1 DEFINITIONS

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Auctioneers Margin Scheme: A VAT margin scheme as defined by HM Revenue & Customs;

Buyer: The person who makes the highest bid for a Lot which is acceptable by the auctioneer and if the person is acting as an agent, will be a reference to their principal;

Buyer's Premium: The additional amount payable by the Buyer on the purchase of the Lot, calculated as the relevant percentage (specified in the auction catalogue) of the hammer price;

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Forgery: A Lot constituting an imitation originally conceived and executed as a whole with a fraudulent intention to deceive as to authorship, origin, age, period, culture or source where the correct description as to such matters is not reflected by the description in the catalogue and which at the date of the auction had a value materially less than it would have had if it had been in accordance with the description in the catalogue. Accordingly, no Lot shall be capable of being a Forgery by reason of any damage and/or restoration work of any kind;

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Lot: Any item deposited with us for sale at auction and, in particular, the item or items described against any Lot number in any catalogue;

Reserve: The amount below which we agree with the Seller that the Lot cannot be sold;

Seller: The owner of the Lot being sold by us;

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2.1 All sales undertaken by us either at auction or privately are undertaken either as agent on behalf of the Seller or from time to time, as principal if we are the owner of Lot. Please note that even if we are acting as agent on behalf of the Seller rather than as principal, we may have a financial interest in the Lot.

2.2 The contract for the sale of the Lot will be between you and the Seller.

3.1 CATALOGUE DESCRIPTIONS

Catalogue descriptions

3.1.1 Statements by us in the catalogue or condition report, or made orally or in writing elsewhere, regarding the authorship, origin, date, age, size, medium, attribution, genuineness, provenance, condition or estimated selling price of any Lot are merely statements of opinion, and are not to be relied on as statements of definitive fact. Catalogue and web illustrations are for guidance only, and should not be relied on either to determine the tone or colour of any item. No lot shall be rejected on the grounds of inaccurate reproduction. No Lot illustrated in the catalogue and online shall be rejected on the grounds of cancellation, centring, margins, perforation or other characteristics apparent from the illustration. Estimates of the selling price should not be relied on as a statement that this price is either the price at which the Lot will sell or its value for any other purpose.

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3.1.3 Other than as set out in clause 5.10, and in the absence of fraud, neither the Seller nor we, nor any of our employees or agents, are responsible for the correctness of any statement as to the authorship, origin, date, age, attribution, genuineness or provenance of any Lot nor for any other errors of description or for any faults or defects in any Lot. Every person interested should exercise and rely on his own judgment as to such matters

3.1.4 You are responsible for satisfying yourself as to the condition of the goods and the matters referred to in the catalogue description.

3.2 Examination of goods
You are strongly advised to examine personally any goods in which you are interested, before the auction takes place. Condition reports are usually available on request. We provide no guarantee to you other than in relation to Forgeries, as set out in clause 5.10 of these Terms and Conditions.

4 BIDDING

4.1 Registration before bidding

You must complete and sign a bid registration form before making a bid at auction. Please be aware that we may require buyers who have not purchased before from SGA to submit references prior to bidding.

If you have not bid successfully with SGA in the past, or you are registering with us for the first time, we reserve the right to require a deposit of up to 50% of the amount you intend to spend. Such deposit will be deducted from your invoice should you be successful. If you are unsuccessful at auction, your deposit will be returned by the same means it was paid to SGA.

4.2 Bidding as Principal

When making a bid (whether such bids are made in person or by way of telephone bids, commission or online or email bids), you will be deemed to be acting as principal and will be accepting personal liability, unless it has been agreed in writing, at the time of registration, that you are acting as agent on behalf of a third party buyer acceptable to us.

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£300-£600:	£320, £350, £380, £400 etc
£600-£1,000:	£50
£1,000-£3,000:	£100
£3,000-£6,000:	£3,200, £3,500, £3,800, £4,000 etc
£6,000-£10,000:	£500
£10,000-£30,000:	£1,000
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If you make arrangements with us not less than 24 hours before the sale, we shall use reasonable endeavours to contact you to enable you to participate in bidding by telephone, but in no circumstances will we be liable to either the Seller or you as a result of failure to do so. This service is available only for lots with a lower estimate of £1000 or above.

4.6 Video images

At some auctions there will be a video screen. Mistakes may occur in its operation, and we cannot be liable to you regarding either the correspondence of the image to the Lot being sold or the quality of the image as a reproduction of the original.

4.7 Bidding by SGA

4.7.1 We reserve the right to bid on Lots on the Seller's behalf up to the amount of the Reserve (if any), which will never be above the low estimate printed in the auction catalogue.

4.7.2 Stanley Gibbons Limited reserves the right to bid on and purchase Lots as principal.

4.8 The Auctioneer's Discretion

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4.9 Successful Bid

Subject to the auctioneer's discretion, the striking of his hammer marks the acceptance of the highest bid, provided always that such bid is higher than the Reserve (where applicable), and the conclusion of a contract for sale between you and the Seller.

4.10

Private Sale Agreements

If you enter into any private sale agreements for any Lot with the Seller within 60 days of the auction, we, as exclusive agents of the Seller reserve the right to charge you the applicable Buyer's Premium in accordance with these Terms and Conditions, and the Seller a commission in accordance with the terms of the Seller's agreement.

4.11

4.11.1 Return of Lot

Once your bid has been accepted for a Lot then you are liable to pay for that Lot in accordance with these Terms and Conditions. If there are any problems with a Lot then you must notify us within 7 days of receipt of the Lot, specifying the nature of the problem. We may then request that the Lot is returned to us for inspection. Save as set out in clause 5.10, the cancellation of the sale of any Lot and the refund of the corresponding purchase price is entirely at our sole discretion. We will not normally exercise that discretion if the Lot is not received by us

4.11.2 in the same condition that it was in at the auction date.

No lot may be returned on account of condition if the condition was stated on a Certificate of Authenticity accompanying the Lot.

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AFTER THE AUCTION

5.1

Buyer's Premium and other charges

In addition to the Hammer Price, you must pay us the Buyer's Premium at a rate of 20% of the final Hammer price of each lot and any VAT applicable.

5.2 Value Added Tax

VAT is chargeable on the Buyer's Premium at the standard rate (currently 20%). Lots subject to 20% VAT on the Hammer Price are indicated by the Symbol Σ next to the Estimate in the auction catalogue. Lots subject to 5% Tax on the Hammer Price are indicated by the Ω symbol next to the Estimate in the auction catalogue.

5.3 VAT Refunds

5.3.1 As we remain liable to account for VAT on all Lots unless they have been exported outside the UK within 3 months of the date of sale, you will generally be asked to deposit all amounts of VAT invoiced. Credits will be made when proof of export is provided. If you export the Lot yourself you must obtain customs documents from the Administration Department for which a charge may be made.

If you export the Lot you must return the valid proof of export certificate to us within such period and you have not already accounted to us for the VAT, you will be liable to us for the full amount of the VAT due on such Lot and we shall be entitled to invoice you for this sum.

5.3.3 To apply for a refund of any VAT paid, the proof of export certificate must be sent to our Administration Department clearly marked 'VAT Refund' within 3 months of the date of sale. No payment will be made where the total amount of VAT refundable is less than £50.

5.4 Payment

5.4.1 You must provide us with your full name and permanent address and, if so requested, details of the bank from which any payments to us will be made. You must pay the full amount due (comprising the Hammer Price, the Buyer's Premium and any applicable VAT) within seven days after the date of the sale or such longer period as shall be agreed in writing between SG and the purchaser prior to the auction (the onus for arrangements lies with the prospective purchaser).

5.4.2 You will not acquire title to the Lot until all amounts due have been paid in full. This includes instances where special arrangements were made for release of Lot prior to full settlement.

5.4.3 Payment should be made in sterling by one of the following methods:

(i) Direct bank transfer to our account details of which are set out on the invoice. All bank charges shall be met by you. Please ensure that your client number is noted on the transfer.

(ii) By cheque or bank draft made payable to Stanley Gibbons Ltd and sent to SGA at 399 Strand, London WC2R 0LX. Please note that the processing charges for payments made by cheques or bank drafts drawn on a non-U.K. bank shall be met by you. Please ensure that the remittance slip is enclosed with your payment.

(iii) By Visa or Mastercard. For all card payments there are limits to the amounts we will accept depending on the type of card being used and whether or not the cardholder is present.

5.4.4

Payments should be made by the registered buyer and not by third parties, unless it has been agreed at the time of registration that you are acting as an agent on behalf of a third party.

5.5

5.5.1 Collection of Purchases

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5.5.2

Unless we notify you to the contrary, items retained by us will be covered in accordance with our insurance policy which is available for inspection at our offices from the date of sale for a period of seven days or until the time of collection, whichever is sooner. After seven days or from the time of collection, whichever is the earlier, the Lot will be entirely at your risk.

5.6

Notification

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invoices are sent out by email or mail after the auction we do not accept responsibility for notifying you of the result of your bid. You are requested to contact us by telephone or in person as soon as possible after the auction to obtain details of the outcome of your bids to avoid incurring charges for late payment.

5.7 Packing and handling

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Invoice Value	UK	EU	Non EU
Up to £1,000	£10	£15	£30
Up to £10,000	£15	£25	£40
Above £10,000	£20	£35	£60

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5.7.3 If the Buyer requires delivery of the Lot to an address other than the invoice address he must notify SGA in writing.

5.8 Remedies for non-payment or failure to collect purchases;

5.8.1 If you fail to make payment within seven days of your stipulated payment date set out in your invoice, we shall be entitled to exercise one or more of the following rights or remedies:

5.8.1.1 to charge interest at the rate of 2% per month compound interest, calculated on a daily basis, from the date the full amount is due;

5.8.1.2 to set off against any amounts which the Stanley Gibbons Group may owe you in any other transaction the outstanding amount remaining unpaid by you;

5.8.1.3 to reject at any future auction any bids made by you or on your behalf or obtain a deposit from you before accepting any bids.

5.8.2 If you fail to make payment within thirty-five days, we shall in addition be entitled:

5.8.2.1 to cancel the sale of the Lot or any other item sold to you at the same or any other auction;

5.8.2.2 to arrange a resale of the Lot, publicly or privately, and, if this results in a lower price being obtained, claim the balance from you together with all reasonable costs including a 20% seller's commission, expenses, damages, legal fees, commissions and premiums of whatever kind associated with both sales or otherwise, incurred in connection with your failure to make payment;

5.8.2.3 take any other appropriate action as we deem fit.

5.8.3 If you fail to collect within 35 days after the sale, whether or not payment has been made, you will be required

5.8.3.1 to pay a storage charge of £2 per item per day plus any additional handling cost that may apply.

5.9 Right to Reject Lots

5.9.1 If you wish to obtain an expert opinion or Certificate of Authenticity for any Lot (other than a Lot comprising three or more stamps or a Lot containing undescribed stamps) you must notify us in writing no less than forty-eight hours before the start of the first session of the sale. If accepted by us, such a request shall have the same effect as notice of an intention to question the genuineness or description of the Lot for the purposes of clause 5.10 (Refund in the case of Forgery) of these Terms and Conditions and the provisions of clause 5.10 (Refund in the case of Forgery) shall apply accordingly.

5.9.2 Notice of a request for an expert opinion or Certificate of Authenticity must give the reason why such opinion is required and specify the identify of your proposed expert which will be subject to agreement by us. We reserve the right, at our discretion, to refuse a request for an expert opinion or Certificate of Authenticity including (without limitation) where the proposed expert is not known to us.

5.9.3 If we accept a request for an expert opinion or Certificate of Authenticity we will submit the Lot to the Expert committee. You acknowledge and accept that the length of time taken by an Expert committee to reach an opinion will vary depending on the circumstances and in any event is beyond our control.

5.9.4 We will not accept a request for an extension on account of condition. Any Lot described in the catalogue as having faults or defects may not be returned even if an expert opinion or Certificate of Authenticity cites other faults or defects not included in the catalogue description, other than in the case of a Forgery.

5.9.5 Should SGA accept a request for an extension under the foregoing provisions of this paragraph, the fact may be stated by the Auctioneer from the rostrum prior to the sale of the Lot.

5.9.6 Where a lot has been submitted to expertisation the costs of such expertisation shall be paid by the person (which term shall include any company) who returns the certificate and item(s) to which such certificates relates. The onus and cost of proving a lot to be not genuine or incorrectly described is on the purchaser.

5.9.7 Where the purchaser of a lot discharges such onus of proof and complies with the provisions of this clause SGA shall set aside the sale and repay to the purchaser the Price paid by him in respect of the lot.

5.9.8 It should be noted that any stamp accompanied by a Certificate of Authenticity is sold on the basis of that Certificate only and not on the basis of any other description or warranty as to authenticity. No request for an extension will be accepted on such a stamp and the return of such a stamp will not be accepted.

5.9.9 If you receive any correspondence from the Expert Committee in relation to the Lot, including but not limited to a Certificate of Authenticity, you must provide us with copies of such correspondence no later than 7 days after you receive such correspondence.

5.9.10 No lot shall be rejected if subsequent to the sale, it has been damaged and/or marked or treated by any process whatsoever unless SGA's permission to subject the lot to such marking or treatment has first been obtained in writing.

5.9.11 No lot illustrated in the sale catalogue or on the SGA Web Site shall be rejected on the ground of characteristics apparent from its illustration. Whilst care has been taken to show colour illustrations as accurately as possible, reprographic and printing processes cannot always guarantee true.

5.10 Refund in the case of Forgery

5.10.1 A sale will be cancelled, and the amount paid refunded to you if a Lot (other than a miscellaneous item not described in the catalogue) sold by us proves to have been a Forgery. We shall not however be obliged to refund any amounts if either (a) the catalogue description or saleroom notice at the auction date corresponded to the generally accepted opinion of scholars or experts at that time, or fairly indicated that there was a conflict of opinions, or (b) it can be demonstrated that the Lot is a Forgery only by means of either a scientific process not generally accepted for use until after publication of the catalogue or a process which at the date of the auction was unreasonably expensive or impracticable or likely to have caused damage to the Lot. Furthermore, you should note that this refund can be obtained only if the following conditions are met:

5.10.1.1 you must notify us in writing, within seven days of the receipt of the Lot(s), that in your view the Lot concerned is a Forgery;

5.10.1.2 you must then return the item to us within fourteen days from receipt of the Lot(s), in the same condition as at the auction date; and;

5.10.1.3 as soon as possible following return of the Lot, you must produce evidence satisfactory to us that the Lot is a Forgery and that you are able to transfer good title to us, free from any third party claims.

5.10.1.4 you must provide to us all evidence obtained by you that a Lot is a Forgery no later than 7 days after you receive such evidence.

5.10.2 In no circumstances shall we be required to pay you any more than the amount paid by you for the Lot concerned and you shall have no claim for interest.

5.10.3 The benefit of this guarantee is not capable of being transferred, and is solely for the benefit of the person to whom the original invoice was made out by us in respect of the Lot when sold and who, since the sale, has remained the owner of the Lot without disposing of any interest in it to any third party.

5.10.4 We shall be entitled to reply on any scientific or other process to establish that the Lot is not a Forgery, whether or not such process was used or in use at the date of the auction.

6 LIABILITY

Nothing in these Terms and Conditions limits or excludes our liability for:

6.1 death or Personal injury resulting from negligence; or

6.2 any damage or liability incurred by you as a result of our fraud or fraudulent misrepresentation.

