

**SESSION THREE**

**WORLDWIDE  
WEDNESDAY MAY 25th, 2016  
approx. 2:45p.m.\***

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Session Two at approximately 2:45p.m.**

**SPARKS**  
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**United States**



501



502

- 501    Ⓞ **#70 1862 24c grey George Washington, Perforated 12**, used with target cancels, fine. Accompanied by a 2014 Sergio Sismondo certificate stating (a tad harshly in our opinion) "colour changeling caused by chemical exposure".  
 ..... **Scott US\$300**
- 502    \*\* **#715 1932 10c orange yellow Washington Bicentennial**, mint never hinged, extremely fine. Accompanied by a 2008 PS certificate grading it as "XF90J".  
 ..... **Est. \$50**



- 503    \*\* **#1699 1976 13c Clara Maass**, mint never hinged horizontal strip, with dramatic vertical perforation shifts, very fine and scarce.  
 ..... **Est. \$100**



- 504    (\*) **#02 1873 2c yellow Agriculture Official**, mint hinged, couple feathered perfs, fine.  
 ..... **Scott US\$240**

**Note:**

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**France and French Colonies**



505



x506

- 505    \* **#75 1876 75c carmine Peace and Commerce, Type I**, mint with full original gum, hinged. Fresh, very well centered and very fine. Signed by Roger Calves on back.  
 ..... **Scott US\$950**
- 506    \*/\*\* **#116-120, 133-137 1900-02 10c to 30c Rights of Man, Two Different Sets**, mint, with a few never hinged values, the #137 has lightly soiled perfs at top, else overall fine.  
 ..... **Scott US\$898**



x507

- 507    \*/\*\* **#121-132 1906-27 40c to 20f Liberty and Peace Set**, mint, mostly lightly hinged and overall fine or better.  
 ..... **Scott US\$1,479**



x508

- 508    \*/\*\* **#138-184 1903-38 1c to 2f Sower Sets**, mint, with about half being never hinged. This lot has the complete "Lined Sowers" and "Plain Sowers" (58 different stamps), including both Types of the 10c red, 10c green and the valuable 35c violet. The 1f10 pink has a small stain on front, else overall fine or better.  
 ..... **Scott US\$848**



509 \*/\*\* #163b, 163c 1924-26 10c green Sower with Advertising Tab, Type III, two mint stamps, one with "Ovules Phena" (never hinged, fine) and one with "Minéraline" (lightly hinged and very fine centered). The Yvert catalogue value takes into account an extra 40% for VF centering. Yvert 188, 188A.  
..... Yvert €765



510 \* #241 1927 Strasbourg Philatelic Exhibition Souvenir Sheet, of two, with a 5f and a 10f Sower issues, fresh, with security punch at bottom. Mint, hinged in margin only and very fine.  
..... Scott US\$1,000



511 \*\* #624a 1949 10fr brown orange Issue of 1849, mint never hinged sheet of 10, with sheet number at top, lathework at sides, with very light bends (in margins only), still very fine and scarce.  
..... Scott US\$700



x512

512 \*/\*\* #B6/B34 1917-30 Group of Early Semi-Postals, with B7-B9, B11 and B34, all lightly hinged except for #B34 which is NH. Overall fine or better.  
..... Scott US\$1,030



x513



514

513 \*/\*\* #B24/B41 1927-21 "Caisse d'Amortissement" Overprinted Semi-Postals Sets, with five mint sets of three, from 1927 to 1931. Out of the 15 stamps, 9 are never hinged. A fresh group, and mostly fine or better.  
..... Scott US\$941

514 \* 1943 Military Air Mail Issue, being a 1fr50 Pétain definitive overprinted with Par Avion / Batiment de Ligne / Richelieu. Mint hinged, with a surface scuff at top right, still scarce and fine. Yvert & Tellier #1.  
..... Yvert €1,100



515 Ⓞ #C6b 1930 1f50 ultramarine Air Mail Perforated "E.I.P.A.30", used with slogan machine cancel, very fine.  
..... Scott US\$350



516 \* #C14 50fr emerald Air Mail High Value, mint lightly hinged, very fine.  
..... Scott US\$825



517 \* #C15 1936 50fr ultra Air Mail, mint hinged, very fine.  
 ..... Scott US\$625



x518

518 \*/\*\* #C16-C17 1936 1f50 and 10f Air Mail Set of Two, mint, C16 is never hinged, C17 is hinged, both are very fine.  
 ..... Scott US\$325

**Germany and German Colonies**

**German East Africa**



519 © #12 1900 3p green Ship, a lovely used block of 8, with each stamp cancelled by an ideal Kilwa FEB.29.1905 c.d.s. cancel. Very fine and attractive.  
 ..... Est. \$50

**Germany**



x520

520 \*/\*\* #670-685 1951-52 2pf to 90pf Numeral and Post Horn Set, mint, with a mix of hinged and never hinged, fresh colours and overall very fine.  
 ..... Scott US\$591

**German States -- Mecklenburg-Strelitz**



521 © #6 1864 3s bistro Arms, Rouletted 11½, used with "...STRELITZ..." postmark, very fine. Accompanied by a 2014 Sergio Sismondo certificate stating "there is a crease at upper left which leads to a feather tear".  
 ..... Scott US\$1,600

**German States -- Thurn and Taxis**



522 © #14 1859 10s orange Numeral, Imperforate, used with 4-ring numeral 300 (Hamburg), two margins are clear and two are touching or slightly into, fine. Accompanied by a 2011 Sergio Sismondo certificate.  
 ..... Scott US\$875

**German States -- Wurttemberg**



x523

523 © #23a, 27, 33 1861-62 1k and 3k Coat of Arms, three used stamps, with #23a, 27 and 33. The latter is accompanied by a 2004 Sergio Sismondo certificate stating that there are short perfs. A fine trio.  
 ..... Scott US\$1,325

**German States – North German Confederation**



524



525

- 524    ◉ **#25 1869 10gr gray Numeral**, used with manuscript cancellation. A few short perfs, still fine and scarce. Accompanied by a 2014 Sergio Sismondo certificate. Catalogue value is as suggested by Scott for “pen cancellation”.  
 ..... **Scott US\$65**
- 525    ◉ **#26 1869 30gr blue Numeral**, used with manuscript postmark, a few short perfs and fine. Accompanied by a 2014 Sergio Sismondo certificate. Catalogue value is as suggested by Scott for “pen cancellation”.  
 ..... **Scott US\$140**

**Italy, Italian States and Colonies**

**Italy**



x526

- 526    (\*) **#36, 54 1877 and 1889 Two Unused Stamps**, both regummed, first is #36 (20c orange-buff King Victor Emanuel II) and second is #54 (45c grey-green King Umberto I, with two shorter perfs). Both are fine, and each is accompanied by a 2014 Sergio Sismondo certificate.  
 ..... **Scott US\$1,175**

**Worldwide**

**Austria**



x527

- 527    \*\* **#340-353 1932 10g-64g Views Set**, mint never hinged, 30g is unused no gum, 64g has a crease, balance is fresh and very fine. This set catalogues \$750 but we did not count the 30g and 64g stamps in our catalogue value.  
 ..... **Scott US\$626**



x528



x531

- 528    \*\* **#B100-B105 1932 12g to 1sh Famous Artists Set**, mint never hinged, fresh and very fine.  
 ..... **Scott US\$260**



- 529    \*\* **#B110 1933 50g deep ultra Stagecoach on Ordinary Paper**, mint never hinged, fresh with a small corner crease at upper left, still very fine.  
 ..... **Scott US\$260**



- 530    (\*) **#B110a 1933 50g deep ultra Stagecoach on Granite Paper**, unused (no gum), fresh example of this difficult and fragile paper, with a short perf at top, very fine.  
 ..... **Scott US\$325**

- 531    \*\* **#B112-B117 1933 12g to 64g 250th Anniversary of Defeat of the Turks Set**, mint never hinged, fresh and very fine.  
 ..... **Scott US\$350**



x532

- 532    \*\* **#C32-C46 1935 5g to 10sh Airmail Set**, mint never hinged. The 5sh has blunt perfs, else a very fine set.  
 ..... **Scott US\$150**

**Belgium**



533



534

533 \* #16b 1865 40c pomegranate red King Leopold I, Unwatermarked, Perforated 14 x 14¼, mint with part original gum. A few short perfs, fine. Accompanied by a 2014 Sergio Sismondo certificate stating "some gum added".

..... Scott US\$1,100

534 (\*) #22 1867 1f violet King Leopold I, Perforated 15, Unused (regummed), fresh and fine. Accompanied by a 2014 Sergio Sismondo certificate.

..... Scott US\$850



x535

535 ⊙/\* #37-39 1875-78 25c to 1f King Leopold II, with #37 (used with c.d.s.), 38 (mint hinged with gum crease) and 39 (used with c.d.s.), a fine group.

..... Scott US\$1,726

**Central African Republic**



x536

536 \*/\* #65-88, J23-J33 1933 1c to 2fr Middle Congo Regular Set, plus Postage Dues, mint, mostly never hinged but catalogued as hinged. The 10fr is torn in two and looks repaired, similar to a "printer's repair". The catalogue value for the 10fr is equal to the N.H. premium for the 5fr and 20fr, so c.v. for hinged is fair. Generally very fine, with fresh colours.

..... Scott US\$257

**People's Republic of China**



x537

537 \*\* #144/149 1952 Physical Exercise Reprints, includes #144, 145, 147, 148 and 149 in blocks of four and with four blocks of each. Also 26 assorted reprint singles. All with no gum as issued.

..... Scott US\$105

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..... Scott US\$105

539 ⊙ #730/980 1963-1968 Group of Commemoratives on Piece, all on piece, with contemporary postmarks, mostly very fine group. ♪

..... Scott US\$246



x540

540 \*\* #1557-1572 1980 4f to 70f Long Pictorials set. Mint never hinged, fresh and very fine.

..... Scott US\$144



**Estonia**

541 (\*) #NB1-NB2 1941 Occupation Semi-Postal Imperforate Panes of 100. Unused no gum 15k +15k dark brown and 20k + 20k red lilac, see footnote in Scott where they are priced at 14 times normal for unused. A few folds mostly between stamps. Unusual item. Fine to very fine.  
 ..... Scott US\$1,680

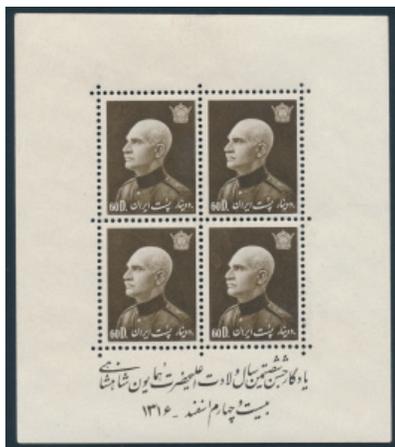
**Greece**



x542

542 ☉ #19d, 46c 1864-75 10l orange Hermes Heads, Imperforate, two copies, each used with light c.d.s. cancels and numeral errors on back. First shows "01" and second shows "00". Small faults.  
 ..... Scott US\$375

**Iran**



x543

543 \*\* #870A-870H 1939 5d to 60d Reza Shah Pahlavi Set in Sheetlets of Four, each with inscriptions in bottom margin of sheetlet. Mint never hinged, this is the set of 8 which was issued to the public. Catalogue value (see Scott footnote) is for a set of 10, which would also include two values (1r and 2r) which were not issued to the public. Rare in this format.  
 ..... Scott US\$1,100

**Japan**

544 ☉/\* #1/50 Interesting Collection of Mint and Used on Three Pages, 1871-1874, includes 1871 with only the 500 mon on native laid paper which is plate II (Scott 4f), 1872 (5), 1872-73 (6), 1874-75 (46) with many further identified by syllabic number. Some with the typical short or irregular perforations but otherwise fine-very fine. This lot is sold as is but should be worthwhile at our estimate. Three pages showing all the stamps are carefully scanned on our website. ☺  
 ..... Est \$500



x545

545 ☉/\* #C3/C43 1929-1961 Mint and Used, complete except for #C8 and C14. Includes #C3-C7 unused (no gum), C9/C42 used (except #C25 \*) and C43 hinged, fine-very fine.  
 ..... Scott US\$366



x546

546 ☉/\* Japanese Offices in Korea #1/47 900-1 5rn to 1yen Mint and Used Group, includes Offices in Korea, 8 different with 7 used CV \$234 and Offices in China, 28 different with 22 used CV \$81, some postmark potential, overall fine-very fine.  
 ..... Scott US\$234

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**Luxembourg**



547 (\*) **#151F 1923 10fr deep green View of Luxembourg Souvenir Sheet Engraved Forgery.** Mint no gum, imperforate example of the scarce hand engraved forgery attributed by some to Panelli but likely the work of Cividini. Lot also includes a genuine fine used copy of #152 the 10fr black stamp of the identical design for comparison. Note how the genuine has a closed "C" in "DUCHE" while in the forgery it is open. Very few forgers had the skill to hand engrave forgeries; see also the Papua New Guinea stamps he did. A nice item for the specialist, very fine.

..... Est. \$150



x548

548 \*\* **#B65A-B65Q 1935 5c to 20fr Professionals Set,** mint never hinged, fresh and overall very fine.

..... Scott US\$1,250

**Portugal**

549 \* **#761/827 1953-1957 Post Office Presentation Book,** with #761-775 and 816-827, all hinged into place. CV is for NH.

..... Scott US\$313

**Saar**



550 \*\* **#176var 1947 60c on 3pf Surcharge Variety,** on a mint never hinged horizontal marginal pair, with shifted and inverted surcharges, resulting in left stamp having no new value and right stamp's old value not being negated. Very fine and scarce.

..... Est. \$100

**St. Pierre & Miquelon**



x551

551 \*\* **#408-411 1971 30fr to 80fr Ships Set,** mint never hinged blocks of four, fresh and very fine.

..... Scott US\$790

**Saudi Arabia**



x552

552 \* **#264-273 1963-65 ½p to 9p Gas Oil Plant with Redrawn Saud Cartouche Set,** mint hinged, fine or better.

..... Scott US\$200

**Spanish Colonies - Spanish Morocco**



x553

553 \* **#144-157, E5 1933-35 1c to 5p Set,** mint hinged, overall fine-very fine.

..... Scott US\$234



**Sweden**



554 \*\* #229 1931 5k Royal Palace, mint never hinged, fresh and very fine.  
 ..... Scott US\$300

**Switzerland**



555 ○ #B80 1936 10c-30c Pro Patria Souvenir Sheet of Three, used block of four souvenir sheets of three, each with two clean Bern c.d.s. cancel, very fine.  
 ..... Scott US\$875

**Cinderellas and Forgeries**

556 ○/\* **British Columbia Forgeries Collection of 21 Forgeries**, all different and made by a range of forgers including Spiro, Frodel, Taylor and a scarce engraved forgery of the 3d blue by Oneglia. Sperati photo reproduction with the British Philatelic Association back stamp. Condition very mixed as normal for "Album Weeds", mainly very good to fine.  
 ..... Est. \$250

557 ○/\* **Canada Forgeries Collection of 21 Forgeries**, all different and made by a range of forgers including recent Lighthouse postal forgeries and a scarce engraved forgery by Oneglia, perforations trimmed off. Also a faked double printed 6 cent black Centennial and 4 faked official stamps. Lot also includes two souvenir sheets, one with a nice 12d black reproduction and one with a reproduction of the London to London airmail. Condition mixed as normal for forgeries, mainly very good to fine.  
 ..... Est. \$200

558 \*\* **Germany Group of Post WWII Overprint Forgeries**, all mint (hinged and never hinged) with Scott #s 585A-593, 593A-599 plus a set from Lobau, Westerede and Wurtemberg.  
 ..... Est. \$75

559 ○/\* **New Brunswick Forgeries Collection of 13 Forgeries**, mostly all different and made by a range of forgers including Spiro and Fournier. Includes a scarce engraved forgery, Argenti Type A and a forged Connell proof. Condition mixed as normal for forgeries, mainly very good to fine.  
 ..... Est. \$150

560 ○/\* **Newfoundland Forgeries Collection of 37 Forgeries**, all different and made by a range of forgers including Spiro, Fournier and engraved forgeries by Oneglia. Condition very mixed as normal for "Album Weeds", mainly very good to fine.  
 ..... Est. \$250

561 ○/\* **Nova Scotia Forgeries Collection of 19 Forgeries**, all different and made by a range of forgers including Spiro and Fournier. Also includes the London 1940 Souvenir Sheet that is often cut up to make forgeries and a Bartlett dealers letterhead with full colour lifelike reproductions of 5 x Nova Scotia and a PEI and BC stamp. Sheet has a watermark and a small piece is missing on the right side, well away from the stamp reproductions. Condition mixed as normal for forgeries, mainly very good to fine.  
 ..... Est. \$200

562 ○/\* **Prince Edward Island Forgeries & Bogus Collection of 8 Forgeries and 2 Bogus**. The 10 cent and 15 cent Bogus issues attributed to S A Taylor a scarce early bogus issue meant to deceive collectors, they look very similar to the actual issue. Also includes the reprinted die proofs of the 1862 Queen Victoria 6d in the set of 10 different colours on small cards as listed in Unitrade at \$200. Condition mixed but mainly fine.  
 ..... Est. \$200

563 ○/\*\*\* **Worldwide Over 2,500 Fakes, Forgeries, Bogus, Reprints, Locals & Revenues** in six stockbooks. Even some genuine! A nice specialized collection sorted alphabetically by country or region. Modest duplication. We noted Argentina forgeries with detailed notes, nice Canadian forgeries including 3 faked Port Hood Provisional covers and bogus Taylor locals, nice selection of forged provinces (BC x 25, NB x 20, NL x 23, NS x 20), BC Police revenue stamp BCP1 cataloging \$125, very nice selection of Japanese forgeries with detailed notes, Danish Locals (40), Egypt forgeries including Suez Canal and a nice selection of Cape of Good Hope forgeries (40), page crammed full of Samoa reprints/forgeries, nice Venezuela with forged ship locals. Many of the forgeries are Spiro creations. Revenues and other cinderella material are sprinkled throughout the collection. Many years were spent putting this together. Condition mainly fine or better.  
 ..... Est. \$1,500

More scans of these  
lots and others  
can be found online.

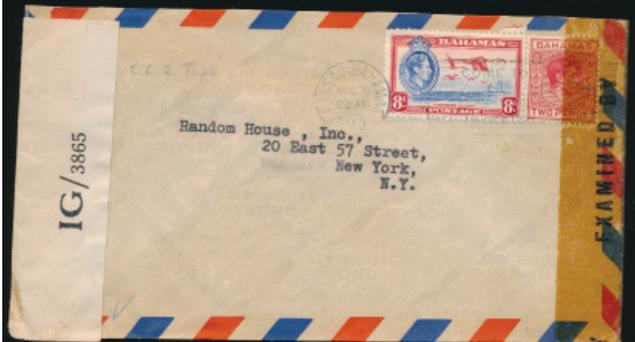




A Trinidad 17 APR 41 Registered Airmail Cover to Bahamas w/ an unlisted Miller TR CP2 'POSTAL PERMIT NO. 75' label as used by Louis Tucker. Presumably the discoverer of this rare censorship h/s from Tucker who could self censor his mail. \$30.00



Little's Kenyan HA Censor Tape used at the small Censor Station in Kisumu (1 PT Depot Censor and 1 PT-1 FT examiner) on airmail cover to South Africa whence #76a per 14 30c stamp (CV \$12.50 US) + #80 10c stamp tied by KISUMU 1 ND41 CDS cancels. Cover cancelled almost 2 months after Little's 27 JY 41 - 06 SP 41 period of use for this censor # on a HA tape. A scarce censored cover from the small censor station at Kisumu on a presumably uncommon airmail cover with the better per 14 30c stamp. \$30.00



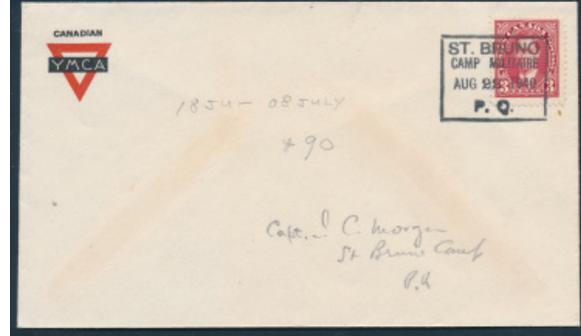
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Lot 804

Worldwide Collection of WWII Civil Censor Cards and Covers



Lot 735

Canada Military Cover Lot



Lot 729

World War I Group of 30+ Covers, Postcards