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Collections & Accumulations Worldwide

Europe: Collections and Accumulations

2328 1734/2004ca: Interesting Lot 300 stamps used/unused as well as essays and 40 covers in mixed condition, incl. France Armée de Reserve, 1744 Armée du Roi, and handwritten 1734 Armée d'Italie covers, 1840/50 Cérès 10 c. bistre on cover, 20 c. grey on cover and dispatched at the Assemblée Nationale, 1 fr. vermillon terne, a repaired copy, and 1 fr. vermillon rouge-brun on cover. Presidence 10 c. bistre on printed matter, 25 c. blue unused without gum, Empire non dentelle 1 c. olive in used block of four, 20 c. blue on lilac paper, a single and a strip of four on covers, 40 c. orange unused, Napoleon dentelé 1 c. olive in a strip of seven, 20 c. blue in unused block of four, two covers sent in franchise from the Palais de St. Cloud with the appropriate handstamps, 1871 Napoleon 5 c. green on blue in a strip of three with Cérès 25 c. on a 1872 second rate cover, Cérès 1871/72 2 c. brown with blue Dedeage numeral, Bordeaux 20 c. type I on cover and type III in a used block of four, 30 c. brown black on cover, 40 c. rouge sang on cover, and 40 c. with Sage 15 c. on 1886 registered cover, 1875 25 stamp vignettes Projet de Gailife, Sage 35 c. violettt grey on yellow with printed matter and Shanghai cancellations, postage due 1871 15 c. type II on cover (2), Colonies générales Cérès 4 c. grey unused, Germany Bavaria 1862 18 Kr. green used, Italy Papal States 50 baj. used and 1 scudo unused, 1867 3 c. used, Modena 1852 5 c. without point unused, Naples 1858 50 gr. used, Sardinia 1854 unissued set unused, Republic 2004 definitives without black imprint of the face value (10 blocks of four), Cyprus 1925 £5 black on yellow, Monaco 1885 1 fr. black on yellow unused, Russia 1858 10 kop. used (2), Sweden 1855 24 sk. light-red used, Switzerland Neuenburg used, Strubel 5 Rp., first Munich print on piece. A lot to be studied carefully. 29 certs, M. = €138'000+.

9'000 (€7'650)

2329 1850/65ca: Interesting Lot 87 used/unused stamps and 13 covers from Europe, in mixed condition, incl. Baden 1862 18 Kr. green used, Bavaria 1863 cover to France with 18 Kr. bright-red, 1870 12 Kr. purpur unused, Braunschweig 1852 3 Sgr. unused, Helgoland 1867 ½ s. in type II unused, Sachsen 1856 10 Ngr. used, Thurn & Taxis 1863 cover Nazza to Eisenach with mixed issue franking 1854 ¼ Sgr. & 1864 ¼ Sgr, tied by blue ‘313’ numeral, Württemberg 1855 cover Calw to Vincenza with two 6 Kr. green, 1868 cover to the USA with 1865 3 & 18 Kr. rouletted, Austria 1854 cover with 3 Kr. tied by RIVA VAPOR shipmail handstamp, Finland 1875 inland cover with 10 penni in vert. pair, Great Britain 1864 cover to California with interesting cancellations, Italy Papal States 50 baj. & 1 sc. carmine (2), Lombardo Veneto Journal Fiscal Stamp 1858 blue used, Modena 1852 1 l. used, Naples 1860 Cross of Savoy used, Parma 1852 40 c. unused, 1853 5 c. unused, 1859 5 c. blue green unused, Sardinia 1853 5 & 40 c. used, Sicily 1859 20 & 50 gr. unused, Toscana 1853 1 qu. on piece, 1 so. used, San Marino 1877 30 c. unused, 1892 1, 2 & 5 l. used, Spain 1853 2 r. brick-red, and Switzerland 1850 Poste Locale with framed cross unused. Two certs, M. = €6'010'000+.

5'500 (€4'675)

2330 1850/70ca: Lot twelve used stamps and two covers incl. Portugal five over average examples of Maria, Pedro and Luis definitives with crisp numerals, Spain 1850 6 c. black, tied by arana handstamp to entire from Valencia to Motril, 1853 12 c. lilac, and 1865 mixed franking 2 c. rose imperf. and 4 c. blue perf. on entire to Bayonne with ‘5 c.’ French taxation, and Greece five large Hermes Heads with neat numeral cancellations.

200 (€170)

2331 1850/1950: Lot several hundred stamps used/unused, mainly small values from Italy, Jugoslawia, Baltic States, Liechtenstein and others, good to mixed quality, housed in one album.

200 (€170)
2332 1872/1980: Lot several hundred stamps used/unused or in mint condition from Austria, German Reich and Greece, although mainly small values and comp./incomp. sets, some better items may be found by careful inspection, housed in two album, in a KOBRA Box and on a large number of stockcards of various sizes, the whole packed in a box.

2333 1849/1950: Lot few hundred stamps used/unused from various countries in Europe, housed in four very sparsely filled gold plated Schaubek albums in nearly new condition called 'Grosse Ausgabe 1943', inbetween a full set of the Belgian cardinal Mercier set as well as a lovely collection of Malta can be found, arranged in a box.

2334 1858/2010ca.: Lot thousands stamps used/unused incl. Russia from 1858 imperf, definitive's part sheets, revenues, telegraph stamps, stationery cutouts, postmark interest, Russian Levant with Bandorol stamp, civil war issues, Armenia, Aserbaidshian, Georgia, Estonia with Otepi, Latvia, Lietua, Russian, German & Polish WWI charity vignettes, German occupation Russia & Ukraine during WWII, RSFSR incl. 1923 Philately for the Workers, Doplatit, Soviet Union 1934 Zeppelin with photoessays, 1930s commemorative sets, 1947 October revolution miniature sheet, 1949 Stalin miniature sheet, Russian and Ukrainian diaspora vignettes, Finland from rouletted stamps, shipmail cancellations, post-1990 independent GUS country stamps from Aserbaishan, Usbekistan, the whole gamut of ovpts. on Soviet stamps, semi-official stamps from Chechenia, Abchasia, Tuva, Batum, Hungary 1956 partial Sopron set, Romania with Pokutia, Ukraine, Albania, Czechoslovakia, Croatia, Turkey, Bulgaria, Romania, Poland, German areas with post-1945 local issues, Italy, Austria 1945 ovpts., Israel with vignettes, in addition several covers and picture postcards, all albums include a lot of write up, photocopies, bogus and fakes marked as such. A very diverse and interesting lot in 24 albums, has to be studied carefully to be appreciated.

2335 1860/1980: Lot several thousand stamps used/unused, mainly small values from Italy, San Marino, Vatican, Monaco, Greece, Albania, Hungary etc., partly in blocks of four, in addition cards and covers coming from business or daily mail as well as some FDC's, good condition and housed in total 20 albums and stockbooks, the whole packed in a large removal box.

2336 1920/60: Lot several hundred stamps used/unused or in mint condition from Romania, incl. full sets and a few covers, in addition a bunch of cards that showing mixed frankings German Reich/Austria after union in March 1938, also few items from other countries incl. fieldpost WW II, on album pages and in a small box.

2337 1956/99: Important collection several thousand mint stamps covering Europa CEPT issues, incl. forerunners, related additional productions of various countries worldwide, souvenir sheets, miniature sheets and other products by the new issues department, housed in four LINDNER albums and an loose album pages, packed in a box.

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1500/1950c.: Huge stock of autographs and documents with decorative letterheads (vignettes), letters, postmarks, franchises and ephemera comprising more than 2500 items. The main focus is on the 18th and 19th centuries and the countries France and Germany, but also represented are Switzerland, Italy, Austria, Belgium, Great Britain etc. Thematically very diverse: nobility, military (especially the Napoleonic period [1789-1815]), politics, religion, French Revolution, art, science, literature. Among the huge number of autographs to be mentioned for example: Empress Maria Theresa of Austria and her husband Franz I. Stephan von Lothringen, General Lecourbe of Napoleon’s “Hundred Days” (defence of the Hundingue fortress in 1815), General Schauenburg as ‘General in Chief’ from Zurich (1798), Marshal Bernadotte as King of Sweden (with letter), several letters of Marshal Berthier, several decorative French congés from the period around 1800, a variety of signatures of Napoleonic generals (Baget, Barbazan, Belliard, Chateauneuf-Randon, Clarke, Cosson, Desnoyers, Dorsner, Dupont, Ernouf, Gueriot de Saint-Martin, Hary, Lamorliere, Liebert, Marion, Mengaud, Meynadier, Meynier, Moulin, Petit Guillaume, Rousseaux, Schreiber, Simon, Toulonseon, Valhubert, Vernier, Vietinghoff, Vignolle, Vonderweid etc.), French marshals of the ‘ancien regime’ some represented several times (Soubise (1753, 1770), Richelieu (1759), Castries (1766), du Bourg (1714), Contades (1788), Villars (1728), Biron (1740), Noailles (1756 ), Broglie (1773), Clermont-Tonnere (1778). Also documents relating to Swiss mercenaries in French service (for example the Diesbach Regiment), document concerning the blockade of Belfort (1814), the Imperial & Royal Leopold Medal, certificate from the Restoration Period (1814) for the Order of Lilies (Décoration du Lys), writings of many politicians (Fouché, Montalivet, Villele, Neufchatel, Voyer d'Argenson, Choiseul, Bonaparte etc.), Prussian generals, officials and politicians of the late 19th century. Also worth mentioning are many examples of fiscal stamps (e.g. Kingdom of Westphalia); different and decorative old parchments with large wax seals, some well-preserved; a large and beautiful stock of woodcuts (from the chronicle of J. Stumpf, 1500-1578, ‘Von den Zürichgau’, siege of Zurich and battle scenes, a small collection of lithographs and steel engravings of Napoleon's Marshal Ney (in passepartouts), portraits of French marshals, old posters of for example Karl Albrecht of Bavaria (1730) and of the Helvetian Republic. About 500 pieces have descriptions with a purchase price of over CHF 50,000 according to the seller. As a supplement there are more than 4,000 documents and letters (not calculated), as well as the genealogical collection of the Von Keler family from the period from 1840 to the late 1930s, with the geographical focus on Austria and Hungary (notably Vienna and Budapest), but also Germany, as well as Constantinople, Beyrout, Smyrna, Egypt. The family included scientists, officers, architects including (through family relationships) such as the Viennese City Architect and the architect Georg Demski (1844-1918), professors Harold (1875-1965, historian) and Roland Steinacker (1870-1962), politician, Zoltan Sztehlo, professor in Miskolcz, the Hungarian General Edmund von Keler, partly with autographs. **The entire stock is offered without reserve.**
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2339 1805/70: Album 38 interesting pre-stamp covers with fine strikes of diff. markings and cachets from Italy, France, Germany (only few) and Switzerland.


2341 1870/1950ca.: Lot 230 covers/cards and stationery items with many addressed to Switzerland, incl. interesting usages, censored items, Berlin Rohrpost envelopes/cards (4), Swiss stationery items as well as some parcel cards.

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2342 1843/1960: Collection several hundred stamps used/unused or in mint condition covering South America, Central and North America as well as Caribbean Islands, incl. some better values and full sets, noteworthy among others are Brazil, Chile, Costa Rica, Haiti, Canada, USA, Haiti and Honduras, good condition and housed in two KABA albums, in addition few hundred cards and covers coming from business or daily mail, the whole packed in a box.

2343 1850/1950: Lot several hundred stamps used/unused mainly from Argentina with small values, full sets, blocks of four and duplcatics, also a small selection with stamps from other countries located in South America, housed in one album and on album sheets.

2344 1850/1912c.: Collection on Schaubek leaves with Cuba from 1855 including 1857 2 r. rose in horizontal strips of four used with network obliterator on piece (2), scarce “Y¼” on 2 r. dull rose on cover front, later issues to 1910 quite filled with cancellation interest and bisects on piece etc., also El Salvador with fine early range with cancellation interest, postally used Seebeck issues, 1890 and 1892 covers to Germany at 11 c. rates, 1894 cover to Guatemala franked by 1 c. brown in strip of five, 1894 registered cover to Bremen at 30 c. rate, 1895 internal cover at 5 c. rate from Chalchuapa to Santa Ana; Ecuador and Honduras collections with fine cancellations, Belgium 1868 cover with 30 c. brown etc.

2345 1940/80: Lot several hundred stamps covering the regions Near and Middle East, mainly small values and mostly in heavy duplication, good to mixed quality, arranged in 21 stockbooks of various sizes, in addition a range of commercial mail, the whole packed in a box.

Overseas - Covers: Collections and Accumulations

2346 1934/90: Lot some hundred covers covering various countries in Latin- and South-America as Mexico and Chile, mainly coming from business or daily mail and being franked by small values, in two small boxes and packed in a removal box.

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2347 1840/1920: Collection several thousand stamps used/unsed covering a wide array of countries all around the world, noteworthy Austria, France, Germany incl. related aerea as Old German States, occupation issues, German colonies up to MK 5 yacht type, Netherlands, Iran, Japan (classic part with forgeries), Siam, former Colonies in Africa and Asia, South and Central American countries etc, mainly small values and sets, good to mixed quality and housed in a large Schaubek album and on album pages.

2348 1840/1970: Lot several thousand stamps used/unused or in mint condition, mainly small values and partly in quantities, also better items may be found by careful inspection, noteworthy among many others are Belgium, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Romania, Spain, Haiti, Indian States and Iran, average to good condition and housed in total 12 albums and stockbooks as well as in a small box, the whole packed in a Banana box.

2349 No lot

2350 1850/1950: Collection resp. lot several hundred stamps used/unused, mainly small values covering a wide array of countries all over the world incl. Germany and related aerea. GB, Italy, Switzerland, Brazil, Chile, USA and many more, partly in mixed quality and housed in five albums.

2351 1850/1950: Collection resp. lot several thousand stamps used/unused covering a wide array of countries all over the world, incl. single values and full sets, catalogued in the low and middle range, noteworthy among others Austria, GB and some Brit. Colonies, the Netherlands, Spain, Egypt, Canada, Caribbean Islands, Chile, USA and Australia, good to mixed condition and housed in two Schaubek albums (one of them sparsely filled).

2352 1850/1978: Small modern mint as well as used collection Vatican Pontifikat Johannes XXIII 1958-1963 in four volumes, in addition six stockcards showing classic stamps from Italy, Brit. Colonies and Poland, these in mixed condition, all arranged in a box.
2353 1850/1950 ca.: Lot with better values used/unused from all over the World, incl. antique Universal-album with good values from Old German States to Cape of Good Hope as well as two boxes filled with many hundred stamps, all carefully sorted in pochettes.

2354 1850/1980: Important lot several thousand stamps used/unused, mainly small values from a large number of countries worldwide, incl. Austria, Italy, some Brit. Colonies, USA and many more, in addition a bunch of mainly modern daily or business mail envelopes, housed in total ten albums and some folders, the whole arranged in a large removal box.

2355 1850/1980: Small dealer's stock several hundred stamps used/unused or in mint condition, incl. some better values from Austria, Belgium, GB, Turkey, Ceylon and other Brit. Colonies, the main part being modern mint material incl. souvenir and miniature sheets, full sets and a broad variety of various topics incl. birds, good to mixed quality and housed in two albums and on a large number of stockcards of various sizes.

2356 1855/1940: Lot 20 used/unused stamps in very mixed condition, four pieces and one cover, incl. piece with Polish cancellation on Russian Imperial stamps, Russian Levant 1866 2 pia with blue retta cancellation, 1877 8 on 10 kop. ovpt. on piece, Great Britain 1841 2 d. blue in a horiz. pair, New Zealand Chalon heads, Canada Beaver 3 c., Uruguay.

2357 1860/1980: Lot several thousand stamps used/unused from a collector's estate, notably Austria, Belgium, Germany and related areas, Greece, Poland, Portugal and Colonies, Russia, Spain, Switzerland, Turkey, Iran, Siam, US mint and many more, mainly small values and incoml. sets, partly in heavy duplication, nevertheless better items may be found inbetween by careful inspection (tracking guide available from Dr. Thomas Berger) housed in several albums, on album pages, in glassines and small boxes, the whole packed into two Banana boxes.

2358 1860/1960: Lot several thousand mainly used stamps from all over the world, mainly small values, kilo mixtures and duplcatcs, in addition a bunch of cards and covers, housed in several small boxes and the whole packed in a removal box.

2359 1869/1960c.: Collections on leaves, well written up, with Serbia from 1869 incl. King Milan issues unused and used to 1915, Montenegro largely complete basic collection, Yugoslavia with unused collection to 1943, Croatia from 1941 with Shield overprinted set unused, a good general collection of each country.

2360 1880/1980: Lot some hundred stamps used/unused from various countries all over the world incl. Switzerland, although mainly small values some better items may be found by careful inspection, housed in five albums and small stockbooks as well as in glassines and envelopes, in addition a large number of cards, covers, picture postcards and postal stationery items, in mixed condition, the whole packed in a Banana box.

2361 1880/1980: Lot some hundred stamps used/unused, mainly small values and duplcatcs from Germany and related areas, some valid postage of Switzerland, a thematic collection 'Der Weg zu den Sternen' and some documents regarding Haley's comet, good to mixed condition and housed in total eight albums and folders.

2362 1890/1980: Large lot with thousands of duplcatcs from various countries all over the world, housed in albums, glassines, small boxs and folders, in addition modern issues of Switzerland incl. FDC's and other products by the new issues department, in good condition and the whole packed in two Banana boxes.

2363 1900/80: Large lot Advertising Ephemera, several hundred labels for various products, special events and welfare institutions depicting a wealth of different topics as automobiles, bycycles, horses and horse shows, watches and watchmakers, political thematics and many more, in addition various matchbox labels, labels on cards and covers etc, the majority related to Swiss events, companies and touristic venues, housed in eight stockbooks, in a folder and in a small box.

2364 1900/2000: Lot with a few thousand stamps used/unused, mainly small values and duplcatcs from various countries all over the world, incl. some useful Austrian mint, Argentina, Arab countries etc., housed in total 15 albums and stockbooks as well as in one large envelope, the whole packed in a removal box.

2365 1900/60: Important lot 3000 used stamps from various countries and all showing Perfin , noteworthy are Germany, GB, Belgium, Italy, USA and others, nicely arranged on stockcards and housed in one album.

2366 1900/2000: Large topical collection 'Music, Musical instruments, Composers and Dancing', several hundred stamps used/unused covering various countries all over the world, incl. full sets, souvenir sheets, cards, picture postcards, covers and FDC's, in good condition and housed in total 13 albums and stockbooks, the whole arranged in a Banana box.

2367 1900/2000: Collection resp. lot with some hundred stamps used/unused or in mint condition from various countries as France, Great Britain, Sweden, Switzerland, USA and some others, mainly small values in good condition, arranged in total 14 albums and stockbooks and the whole packed in a removal box.
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2368 1900/2000: Lot several thousand stamps used/unused from various countries as Austria, Eastern Europe, France, Germany and related aereas, Canada, USA etc., mainly small values and partly in heavy duplication, mixed condition and housed in total 19 stockbooks, the whole packed in a Banana box.

Start price in CHF

2369 1920/70: Lot some hundred stamps used/unused incl. some better values and full sets, noteworthy Netherlands, Ionian Islands, Belgium with Orval and Mercier, South West Africa, small collection European CEPT issues etc. housed in three stockbooks, on album pages and in a small box.

Start price in CHF

2370 1920/94: Topical collection Olympic Games from Antwerp up to Lillehammer, incl. stamps used/unused, cards, covers, special cancellations, few stamps on piece, souvenier sheets, postal stationery items, few advertising labels etc., housed in nine new albums with cover, in addition seven items of related literature incl. three Reemtsma cigarette albums Los Angeles 1932 (1) and Berlin 1936 (2), the whole packed in a removal box.

Start price in CHF

2371 1941/45: Collection of Croatia in two books and a folder with large sheets, with 1941 Shield set complete (2 sets), multiples throughout with many of the Michel listed positional Plate Flawcs, Imperforate Proofs and imperforate Plate Proofs, again with multiples, overprint errors, miniature sheets etc. A fine lot in much above average quality.

Start price in CHF

2372 1950/80: Large lot several thousand stamps used/unused, mainly in full counter sheets, partly cancelled to order, noteworthy are Hungary, Romania UAR, Gulf States and many more, mostly in large quantities, housed in several mint sheet folders and packed in a box.

Start price in CHF

2373 1950/2000: Lot several hundred stamps used/unused or in mint condition from Austria and several French Colonies, incl. full sets, blocs of four, souvenir sheets, miniature sheets, airmails etc. in addition a collection of EUROPA Cept issues, good condition and nicely arranged in six stockbooks.

Start price in CHF

2374 Mixed collection from ancient to modern, with France 'Orphelins' 5 fr. + 1 fr. black & blue unused, Venezia Guilia opt. on Austria 10 k. violet unused, signed A. Diena; Bulgaria with 1881 10 st. black & green with background shift used, 1886 1 leva unused; large of mint Europa / CEPT issues, miniature sheets etc.

Start price in CHF

2375 Collection with Albania with 1913 Eagle 1 pi. blue on pieces (2) each cancelled 'Kavajë', Belgium 1852 marginal 20 c. used, 1861 imperf. 1 c. deep green marginal example fine used, 1905 Leopold 50 c. grey unused, 2 fr. mauve used; France 1867 5 fr. grey used, Orphelins 1 fr. + 25 c. used, Germany Zeppelin set of three unused, 1 m. and 4 m. un used pairs, 1935 Trains set unused (2), Greece with 1861 Paris print 2 l. and 40 l. used, Iraq with 1942 Official 12 f. pair with double overprint variety, Monaco with airmails, Netherlands 1852 10 c. used (2), 1864 15 c. used, Norway 1855 4 sk. used, Romania 1862 30 pa. blue used pair with one stamp sideways, 1872 New Stones 10 b. pair cancelled at Ploesti, Switzerland Airmail 50 c. unused, Vatican 1934 3.70 on 10 l. grey used, Western Australia 1859 6 d. grey-black used etc.

Start price in CHF

2376 Middle East Collection with Iraq including range of large Baghdad overprints (not guaranteed), Mosul issue unused with duplication, 1918/21 optd. on Turkey with large duplicated range of the issue, later issues incl. Officials, Palestine with largely Mandate issues unused and used, Saudi Arabia from 1916 with useful Hejaz and Nejd incl. 1924 4 pi. on 1/8 pi. yellow used, Proclamation ½ g. scarlet with large range of used examples, 1934 and 1936 Charity stamps in large and small format used in quality with postmark interest, Transjordan with rare complete sheet of 36 of the 1924 Official ½ pi. scarlet showing the '1242' errors (€ 0.17 - € 1’700+) and an irregular block of thirteen unused.

Start price in CHF

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2377 1880/1980: Large selection with several hundred cards, covers and postal stationery items covering a wide array of countries all over the world, mainly small items representing business or daily mail, good to mixed condition, housed in a large removal box as well as in a Banana box.

Start price in CHF

2378 1930/80: Semi-modern selection of business or daily mail incl. cards, covers and postal stationery items, mainly small frankings from Spain Switzerland, China, South- and Central America and others, good to mixed condition and housed in three albums.

Start price in CHF

2379 All World Cover collection, incl. Danish West Indies 1890 cover to Switzerland with bicoloured 1 c. pair (plate flaw on right had stamp) and 4 c. pair; volume of Vatican covers/cards, Egypt incl. British and United Nations Forces usages, volume of Occupation of Gaza issues, Jordan with postal stationery, 1898 Dominican Republic 2 c. blue card to Guatemala via St. Thomas, Rhodesia 1904 1 d. stationery card used at ‘Leafuli’, Turkey with 1917 German Military Mission cover, Middle East with some useful Gulf Postal History, Cyprus collection, Finland, Russia, volume with Antarctic usages from multitude of bases: Argentinian, Australian, Chilean, French, Japanese, NZ, South African etc. Generally fair to very fine with many hundreds of items.

Start price in CHF
1855/2003: Postal History collection with 1850 cover from Jamaica with superb MONTEAIGNE cds, 1854 cover carried on the Paquebot INDUS with datastamp, 1865 GB entire franked with 1 d. red used to Sweden endorsed “Open Circular via France”, letters (3) all written in the Crimea and an 1857 also only written in Zanzibar, 1908 Italian Parcel Cards (2) used, France covers, Pneumatic Post and franked Telegram, 1892 Shanghai Local Post card, Gibraltar covers/cards, 1894 cover from Hanoi with Military cachet in blue, 1917 cover from Gilbert & Ellice Island, a few Tonga covers etc. (46 items).

Start price in CHF Start price approx. €

400 (€ 340)

1840/1950: Lot 165 covers, cards, picture postcards and postal stationery items (partly uprated), incl. some better frankings, various usages, mostly addressed to Switzerland, noteworthy are Germany (mostly III. Reich), Saargebiet, GB incl. one cover with Penny Black, Brit. Colonies, Spain, few Switzerland etc., good to mixed condition and housed in a small box.

Start price in CHF Start price approx. €

400 (€ 340)

Levant 1890/1920: The collection of covers and primarily, postcards (63), with noted cancellations of Austrian Post Offices with usages from Constantinople, Jaffa, Metelino, Salonico, Smyrna; British P.O.’s with usages from Constantinople, French P.O.’s with usages from Constantinople, Jerusalem, Port Said, Smyrna; German Post Offices with usages from Beirut, Constantinople, Jaffa; Italian P.O.’s with usages from Constantinople and Smirne, Russian Post Offices in Constantinople, Jerusalem, Mersina and Samsoun; Turkey with usages from Baalbek, Damascus, Jerusalem etc.

Start price in CHF Start price approx. €

450 (€ 385)

1635/1834: Covers/entire letters (8), all with EXPRESS markings in manuscript or handstruck, incl. 1635 charming entire to Brussels with “Cito, Cito, Cito Double Port” in manuscript, 1674 prepaid entire to Nismes with “Cito / Cito” and manuscript “franco” alongside; 1775 entire from Gent to Brussels with manuscript ”Double Port” at top, 1791 entire with mss. “par Express”. 1832 entire with superb Le Havre / Estafette cds in black, 1831 cover with mss. ‘Estafette’ and ANGL. EST in red, 1834 cover with framed ‘PAR ESTAFETTE in red from Antwerp to Paris etc.

Start price in CHF Start price approx. €

500 (€ 425)

1850/1950: Lot several hundred covers, cards, picture postcards and postal stationery items covering a wide array of European countries as well as such from overseas, inbetween better frankings, various usages, censor mail, special cancellations etc., in addition a large number of stamps used/unused and souvenir sheets, good to mixed condition and housed in total six albums.

Start price in CHF Start price approx. €

800 (€ 680)

1858/1920: Small group of covers/cards (22), with 1858 cover from Brussels to Alexandria, Egypt with three line PIROSCAF / POSTALI / FRANCESI in red, mailed via Alessandia in Italy thence correctly to Egypt; 1862/71 covers (3) with French adhesives from Constantinople, 1889 Germany 10 pf. card used from Port Said, 1900 Greece 10 l. stationery card used to Beirut, 1904 card from Zanzibar franked at 1 a. used to Pretoria, Transvaal and readdressed with 1 d. adhesive to Montenegro; 1916 3 r. violet stationery card from Goa to Bushire both Censored and Taxed (Jan 20), scarce 1920 Kedah cover registered to USA at 2½ c. rate etc.

Start price in CHF Start price approx. €

1'000 (€ 850)

1931/90c.: Splendid range of 213 covers/cards all apparently different, with Argentina, British, French, NZ Ross Dependency, Polish, Russian, USA Antarctic Territorial and Exploration usages, generally in fresh and fine quality throughout with many different cancellations and Ship / Expedition cachets. A good lot.

Start price in CHF Start price approx. €

1'500 (€ 1275)

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1903/57: Collection of postcards and a few covers (60+ items), all featuring Balloons, mainly from Italy but with a few French and Austrian cards and one from China, including a ticket for ‘Balloon Ascent on ‘Le Geant’ from Cremorne Gardens, 1903 Balloon card used from Krakau etc. An interesting assembly.

Start price in CHF Start price approx. €

200 (€ 170)
**Thematic Collections**

2388A 1840/1940 ca: Stationery album 80 covers starting with used 1 d. Mulready envelope (1842), incoming mail from USA to Switzerland, rare postcard from Burma 1913 cancelled CHINA-STREET BHAMO together with original photocard of Chinese Quarter in Bhamo as well as commercial mail to Switzerland from Austria, Belgium and France.

Start price

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200 (€ 170)

2389> 1912/60: Lot 63 airmail covers from first and special flights (incl. Zeppelin mail) or flight events, incl. German Reich, Italy and Colonies (one Balbo item), Netherlands, Philippines, Siam, Timor, USA and some others, good to mixed condition and housed in a small box.

300 (€ 255)

2390> *Airmail* Selection with 1915 Przemysyl Siege flight cards (7), Austria 1918 'Flugpost' overprinted set on covers (4, one with cert. Puschmann), Italy 1917 'Turin-Rome' flight cover and card, German flights and a few postcards etc. with some scarce (27 covers/cards and a few stamps).

400 (€ 340)

**Literature**


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