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April 22nd 1884.

St. Kitts - Nevis Revenue Stamps.
Scheme of Proposed Colours

1^d  Same colour as St. Kitts & Nevis 1^d Postage Stamps
P.S.

3^d  Proposed colour - There are no 3^d Postage Stamps
either in St. Kitts or Nevis.
P.S.

6^d  Same colour as settled upon for the 6^d Nevis Postage Stamps
- see scheme attached to Messrs Tho De La Rue & Co's
letter of August 1st 1883.
P.S.

11^d  Proposed colour - There are no 11^d Postage Stamps
either in St. Kitts or Nevis.
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unmounted mint	original gum as issued
unused	without gum

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entire letter	complete as sent with comments still attached to the outer address portion
entire	the outer portion of a folded letter but without contents
cover	an envelope

Symbols and Abbreviations

⊛	unmounted mint	d.s.	datestamp
★	unused	h.s.	handstamp
○	used	Ⓐ	air mail
⊞	block of four	Ⓢ	specimen
⊞	block larger than four	Ⓒ	cancelled
⊞	used on cover, entire letter, etc.	Ⓔ	essay
△	on piece	Ⓟ	proof
var.	variety, varieties	F	forgery
cat.	catalogue, catalogue value	R	reprint
c.d.s.	circular datestamp		

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TUESDAY 23 JANUARY 2018

Commencing at 10.00 a.m. (Lots 1-358)

ST. CHRISTOPHER

Maps

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| 1 | 1732 <i>"The Ifland of St Christophers alias St Kitts"</i> by Herman Moll, on paper (365x234mm.) with shoreline highlighted in red, fine | £60-80 |
| 2 | 1747 detailed coloured map of <i>"St. Christopher vulgarly called St Kitts"</i> by Eman. Bowen, on paper (255x407mm.); some affixative staining along left side, otherwise generally fine | £60-80 |
| 3 | 1780? coloured map of <i>"De L'Isle St Christophe"</i> by J.N. Bellin, on thin card (368x252mm.), numbered <i>"Tom XV. No. 11"</i> ; three vertical folds | £60-80 |
| 4 | 1782 (March) <i>"An Accurate Map of the Island of St. Christophers from an actual survey showing the Parishes, Churches and Rivers"</i> on paper (390x315mm.) by J. Bew; pressed folds and some peripheral tears | £60-80 |
| 5 | 1794 maps (2) of <i>"St Christopher's for the History of the West Indies"</i> by Bryan Edwards, published by J. Stochdale, Picadilly, both 254x197mm., one multi-coloured but creased and a little soiled, the other with shoreline highlighted in yellow and generally fine | £70-90 |
| 6 | 1814 "WEST INDIA ISLANDS" depicting the islands of St. Christophers, Nevis and St. Lucia with shorelines highlighted in colour, engraved by Kirkwood & Son, Edinburgh, on paper (54x73cm.); some folds and split at foot | £80-100 |

Early Letters

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| 7 ☒ | 1716 (15 Apr.) entire letter from John Mackuire concerning shipments of sugar, carried privately to John Brown, a merchant in Liverpool; some slight soiling. A very early letter. Photo | £500-600 |
| 8 ☒ | 1718 (5 Dec.) entire letter from John Mackuire addressed to John Brown, a merchant in Liverpool, charged "11" (deleted) and "1/2d."; some minor soiling and repaired tear through face panel. A very early letter. Photo | £400-500 |
| 9 ☒ | 1731 (20 Feb.) entire letter from Captain McDowall addressed to Glasgow sent <i>"To the care of Mr Thomas Truman in London"</i> , marked <i>"p Capt. Hayes"</i> and charged 3d. An early letter in fine condition. Photo | £200-250 |
| 10 | 1745 contemporary transcript of a case in the courts of St. Kitts about a lawful prize taken at sea. <i>"Israel Sommersal, Commander of the Private Sloop of War called the Brimstone Hill on the 19th November 1745 about 2 Leagues distant from the Island of St. Christopher in America took and seized as prize a Sloop the Catherine, Hermannus Mulder Commander, bound as pretended from the Island of St. Eustatia a Dutch settlement in America to Barbice"</i> . 2pp. folio, with covering sheet marked <i>"Case. For your opinion. Mr Attorney Genl. 3 Gs"</i> . Brittle, with old repairs and marginal tears with the loss of a few words only, not beyond conservation | £100-120 |

Note: France had declared war on Britain on 4 March 1744. St. Kitts Privateers began to harass French shipping to great local advantage. However, Dutch and Danish islands were used as bases from which food and other supplies could be smuggled into the French colonies. Warehouses on St. Eustatius were crammed with British goods for sale to the French. One of the questions raised in this detailed case (complicated by the obstinacy of the Dutch captain who threw his written orders overboard and refused to sign any affidavit) was whether the "Eatables" on board were lawful prize.

Mr
 John Brown Merchant
 in Liverpool
 Sheff

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Mr
 John Brown
 Merchant in
 Liverpool
 Lancashire
 Sheff

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Mr. Andrew Watt
 at the sign of the Lamb Street
 & the sign of the
 Lion in the
 Street
 Liverpool

Mr
 Wm McDowall Esq
 at Glasgow north Bithan
 Coy Cars of Mr Thomas
 Brunner in London
 Sheff

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Mr. Andrew Watt
 at the sign of the Lamb Street
 & the sign of the
 Lion in the
 Street
 Liverpool

POSTS NORTH

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Mr
 William McDowall of Castle
 Street Glasgow
 of Capt. Ferguson North Britain

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Mr. Thomas Watt
 Care of Clifton & Co
 Glasgow

ANTIGUA
 FEB 1807

Ex 28

Mr
 Charles C. Cox Esq
 at the sign of the
 Bull in the
 Street
 London

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St. Christopher, Early Letters - contd.

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| 11 ☒ | 1748 (17 Jan.) entire letter from John Niatt to his cousin in Liverpool, marked “ <i>P the Nancy Capn. Cowley</i> ”, charged 7d. and showing, on reverse, fine “PORTS/MOUTH” handstamp. Photo | £200-250 |
| 12 ☒ | 1753 (14 Sept.) entire letter from Harry Smith addressed to William Sharpe, one of the Clerks of His Majesty’s Council, Whitehall, charged 7d. and showing, on reverse, arrival Bishopmark “7/NO”; the letter a little stained and with peripheral wear. Interesting contents

PROVENANCE:
“Forsyth”, March 1978 | £100-120 |
| 13 ☒ | 1757 (4 June) entire letter from Daniel Cunyngham to William MacDowall in Glasgow, endorsed “ <i>P Capt. Ferguson</i> ”, charged “7” (deleted) and “1/7” and showing, on reverse, arrival Bishopmark “26/1Y”; fine. Photo | £150-180 |
| 14 | 1762 (27 Mar.) three page letter from James Campbell to John Campbell, 4th Earl of Loudoun, headed “ <i>Pensance at St. Kitts</i> ”. The interesting contents include “ <i>Our attentions here at present seem to be entirely engrossed by the motions of the Spaniards, we are told Jamaica is in danger and that Sir Geo. Pocock with a large fleet of Men of War and Transports, the Land Forces to be commanded by the Earl of Albermarle are daily expected in these seas and will doubtless give some quick and severe blow to the Spaniards; Admiral Rodney with his Fleet is moving towards Jamaica</i> ”. (with transcript)

<i>Note: Admiral Rodney’s fleet with 14,000 soldiers under General Monkton took Martinique on 14th February 1762, St. Lucia on 25th February and Grenada on 4th March. The troops under Lord Albermarle took Cuba on 14th August.</i> | £100-120 |
| 15 ☒ | 1762 (29 Aug.) entire letter ex the “ <i>Newton & Gordon</i> ” correspondence to Madeira, marked “ <i>P. Capt. Dorian via Lancaster to the care of Alex Johnston Esq., Co. Merchant in London</i> ”, showing “SHIP” handstamp with, Bishopmark on reverse; the letter was carried privately to Madeira where it arrived 20th February 1763. Some overall discolouration | £120-150 |
| 16 ☒ | 1762 (5 Nov.) and 1765 (2 Oct. and 17 Nov.) entire letters ex the “ <i>James Gordon</i> ” correspondence to Madeira, the first two sent via the Jamaica Coffee House in London, the former charged 5d. and the latter carried privately, the third letter sent to a forwarding agent in London, charged 7d. and showing Bishopmark on reverse. A fine trio of early covers | £300-400 |
| 17 ☒ | 1763 (14 June) entire letter from Kirkpatrick and Welch addressed to Thomas Newton, New York, carried privately, light overall discolouration; 1793 (13 July) entire letter to Newbury Port, USA, marked “ <i>Fd by Capt Gordon of the Brig of New York</i> ”, charged 24c. in red and showing “ <i>N. York Aug 2</i> ” datestamp; 1800 (17 May) entire letter carried privately to New York; and 1833 (10 Aug.) entire letter to Philadelphia, charged “20c”, showing unframed “SHIP” and “PORTSM ^o /N.H.” transit d.s., both in red | £200-250 |
| 18 ☒ | 1765-1786 entire letters (8) ex the “ <i>Newton & Gordon</i> ” correspondence to Madeira, comprising 1765 (4 Mar.) marked on reverse “ <i>Forwarded by John Nelson</i> ”, 1766 (24 Feb.) marked “ <i>p Capt. Alexander via Philadelphia</i> ” and forwarded by John Wilcocks, 1767 (1 Sept.) carried privately, 1773 (4 July) sent care of Udney and James, London and showing unframed “PLYMOUTH/SHIP LRE” and charged “5”, 1774 (25 July) sent via London, showing unframed “DOVER/SHIP LRE”, London Bishopmark (12.9) and charged 5d, 1783 (19 May) sent via London, showing unframed “DEAL/SHIP LRE”, London Bishopmark (18.7) and charged 4d., and 1785 (22 Aug.) and 1786 (4 Jan.) both carried privately. A fine lot | £500-600 |
| 19 ☒ | 1767 (18 May), (4 July) and 1768 (11 June) entire letters ex the “ <i>Truman, Neave and Willett</i> ” correspondence to London, showing unframed “DOVER/SHIP LRE” and charged 1/1d., unframed “DEAL/SHIP LRE” and charged 7d., and poor unframed “DEAL/SHIP LRE” and charged 7d. respectively, all with arrival Bishopmark on reverse. A clean lot | £250-300 |
| 20 ☒ | 1767 (30 Oct.) entire letter (faults) to Bristol, landed at Kinsale where “SHIP” handstamp applied and rated “5” (deleted), “11” (deleted) and “1N3”; and 1769 (23 Mar.) entire letter to London, showing unframed “PORTSMOUTH/SHIP LRE” and charged 10d. | £120-150 |

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- 21 ☒ 1768 (3 Apr.), (22 May) and (12 June) entire letters ex the "*Charles Selbrig*" correspondence to Glasgow, the first showing unframed "DEAL/SHIP LRE" and charged 10d, the second showing unframed "DOVER/SHIP LRE" and charged 2/4d., and the third showing "SHIP" handstamp of Greenock and charged 2d. A nice trio of letters £300-400
- 22 ☒ 1775 (22 Feb.) entire letter to London, rated "10" and showing unframed "DEAL/SHIP LRE"; 1775 (31 July) entire letter addressed to Jamaica Coffee House, London, rated "7", showing unframed "PORTSMOUTH/SHIP LRE" with arrival Bishopmark on reverse; and 1780 (29 July) entire letter (small faults), written on board H.M.S. Intrepid, to Scotland, rated "10" and showing unframed "PORTSMOUTH/SHIP LRE" (crossed by light filing crease) £400-500
- 23 ☒ 1777 (9 Apr.) entire letter to London, marked "*By the packet*" and rated "1N"; 1781 (3 June) entire letter (small faults) to London showing circular "PENNY POSTAGE NOT PAID/G"; 1793 (14 June) entire letter carried privately to London; and 1795 (13 July) entire letter to Twickenham rated "1/1" (deleted) and "2/5" £250-300
- 24 ☒ 1782 (1 Dec.) entire letter (small faults) to Inverness, rated "10", showing unframed "PORTSMOUTH/SHIP LRE" with Bishopmark on reverse; 1788 (6 Feb.) entire letter to London, rated "6" and showing unframed "COWES/SHIP LRE"; 1789 (5 July) entire letter to Inverness, rated "1/1", showing unframed "DEAL/SHIP LRE" with red Bishopmark on reverse; 1792 (27 Jan.) entire letter to Inverness, rated "10" and showing poor unframed "PT GLASGOW/SHIP LRE"; and 1792 (10 July) entire to London, rated "5" and showing unframed "PORTSMOUTH/SHIP LRE" £500-600
- 25 ☒ 1795 (18 May) entire letter to London, rated "11" and showing fine unframed "WEYMOUTH/SHIP LRE"; 1795 (30 July) entire letter to Twickenham, rated "11" and showing legible strike of curved "PORTSMOUTH/SHIP LRE"; and 1796 (28 July) entire letter to London, rated "1/1" and showing curved "DEAL/SHIP LRE". A fine group £300-400
- 26 ☒ 1798 (30 June) entire letter to Edinburgh, showing unframed "WEYMOUTH/SHIP LRE" and red arrival Bishopmark; 1801 (27 July) entire letter to Edinburgh, rated "1/8" (deleted) and "2/8", showing double-lined oval "*Ship Lre/Crown/PORTSMOUTH*" and red arrival Bishopmark; and 1805 (9 Jan.) entire letter (a little soiled) to Glasgow, rated "4" and showing unframed "PORT/GLASGOW" £250-300
- 27 ☒ 1800 (27 Apr.) entire letter to London, rated "2/6" and showing double-line oval "*Ship Letter/Crown/DOVER*"; 1802 (26 May) entire letter to Madeira via London showing poor double-lined oval "*Ship Letter/Crown/DEAL*"; 1805 (20 July) entire letter ex the "*Seaton*" correspondence to Twickenham, rated "1/7" and showing unframed "BRISTOL/SHIP LRE"; 1805 (16 Aug.) entire letter ex the "*Seaton*" correspondence to Twickenham, rated "1/6" and showing oval "SHIP/Crown/LETTER"; 1809 (14 Aug.) entire letter to Madeira via London, rated "2/4" and showing, on reverse, light double-lined oval "SHIP LETTER/Crown/LIVERPOOL"; 1828 (15 July) entire letter to London, rated "1/6" and showing fine step-type "WEYMOUTH/SHIP-LETTER"; 1826 (14 Feb.) entire to London, rated "4/4" (deleted) and "2/2" in red; 1832 (30 Mar.) entire letter to London, marked "1³/₄oz", rated "15/2" and showing, on reverse, framed "PACKET LETTER" and arrival c.d.s. (5.5) in red; 1828 (15 July) entire letter to London, rated "1/6" and showing fine step-type "WEYMOUTH/SHIP LETTER"; and 1839 (13 Jan.) entire letter to London, rated "2/2" and showing framed "PACKET LETTER" in red on reverse. An interesting lot £500-600
- 28 ☒ 1803 (25 Nov.), 1805 (27 Feb.) and 1811 (7 July) entire letters ex the "*Paul*" correspondence to Glasgow, variously rated, three show oval-framed "*Ship Lre/Crown/PORT GLASGOW*" and one shows "LEEWARD ISLAND/AU 21/1811/F" (day and month inverted) in green (very good colour); some faults. Photo for last £150-190
- 29 ☒ 1806 (1 Feb.) entire letter, headed "*On His Majesty's Service*" from Commander Nathaniel Cochrane on board the Sloop "*Kingfisher*" addressed to Sir John Thomas Duckworth, Vice-Admiral of the White; and 1813-14 entire letters (6) ex the "*John Strachan*" correspondence to Devon, one with four pointed red star used on mail posted out of course, the others all carried privately £180-220
- 30 ☒ 1807 (1 Feb.) entire letter from Lt. Harrison, a marine on board H.M.S. Ethalion, to London, rated "2/-" and showing "ANTIGUA/FEB 9 1807" datestamp applied in transit with red arrival c.d.s. (14.4) on reverse. Photo £200-250

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St. Christopher, Early Letters - contd.

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| 31 ☒ | 1813 (16 Oct.) entire letter to John James in Antigua, rated "4" and showing a fine strike of "ANTIGUA" large fleuron datestamp which was applied on arrival. Photo | £150-180 |
| 32 ☒ | 1815 entire letter to Ireland, showing Teignmouth mileage h.s. with red arrival d.s. on reverse; 1823 (5 May) entire letter to Surrey, rated "1/7" and showing step-type "SHIP-LETTER/PLYMOUTH" (crossed by filing crease); 1828 (30 Apr.) entire letter to London, rated "1/4" and showing step-type "BRIGHTON/SHIP LETTER"; and 1844 (27 July) entire letter to London, rated "1/-" and showing faint red arrival d.s. on reverse | £150-180 |
| 33 ☒ | 1820 (May) entire to England, headed "James Coltman Seaman H.M.S. Tribune, Off St Christopher May 26th 1820" and signed by Commanding Officer, rated "10", showing red Portsmouth arrival d.s. (6.7), red London Paid d.s. (7.7), "MORE/TO/PAY" in circle and, on reverse, framed "NOT ACCORDING/TO THE ACT" which was applied due to the fact that the seaman had not filled in the name of the ship himself; some slight soiling and peripheral wear. Most unusual. Photo | £150-180 |
| 34 ☒ | 1826 (26 Dec.) entire letter to Hackney, rated "2/2" and showing, on reverse, very fine "LEEWARD ISLAND/F" c.d.s. in green (29.1.27) and red London arrival c.d.s. (31.1). Photo | £150-180 |
| 35 ☒ | 1833 (29 Mar.) and 1839 (2 Sept.) entire letters from John Ulrich in Stockholm to his brother in St. Bartholomews, sent care of George Watley in St. Kitts via London, rated "4/4" and "2/2" respectively; also 1854 (1 Nov.) entire letter from London addressed to Carl Ulrich in St. Bartholomews, sent via St. Kitts, and rated "6", plus 1857 (15 Oct.) entire letter from London addressed to Sir James Haasum, Governor of St. Bartholomews, sent via St. Kitts and rated "6". A most interesting lot of transit mail | £250-300 |
| 36 ☒ | 1844 (3 May) entire to London, marked "Consignees Bill of Lading", rated "8" and showing, on reverse, unframed "SHIP LETTER/BRIGHTON" and red arrival c.d.s. (11.6). Stated by the owner to be the only 8d. cover from St. Kitts. Photo | £150-180 |
| 37 ☒ | 1850 (4 Sept.) entire letter from J. Duncan at Sandy Point and 1852 (30 June) entire letter from J.S. Marshall at Counstown Estate, two miles north of Sandy Point, both carried privately to Basseterre and both with some minor discolouration. Unusual | £120-150 |
| 38 ☒ | 1866 (15 Nov.) entire letter to New York showing "NEW YORK SHIP LETTER/4" c.d.s. (11.12; just crossed by filing crease); and 1862 (19 Dec.) letter to Philadelphia with "CONSULATE U.S.A./ST. CHRISTOPHER" red wafer seal (crossed by two folds) and showing "6" octagonal handstamp | £120-150 |

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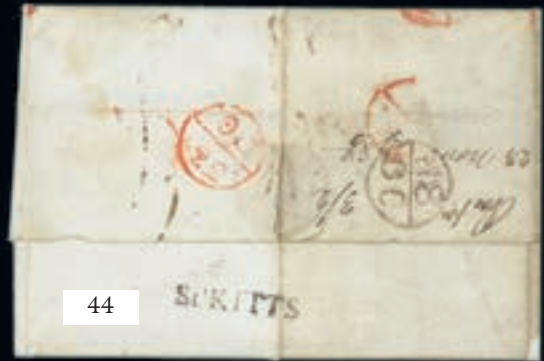
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Early Handstamps and Datestamps



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Two-line Handstamp

- 39 ☒ 1746 (30 Oct.) entire letter from the Customs House, London to the *“Collr. of his Majesties Customs at Sandy Point, St. Christophers”*, charged *“P IN6”* in red and showing two line *“ST CHRIS/TOPHERS”* handstamp (RL Type 1). The only example recorded. Photo £2,000-2,500
- PROVENANCE:
R.H. Urwick, October 1964
William Britton Stitt, May 1970

Straight-line Handstamps

- 40 ☒ 1779 (16 Nov.) entire letter from Richard Oliver on Antigua to William Codrington at Dodington, charged *“I/-”* (deleted) and *“In all IN4”* and showing, on reverse, superb *“ST*KITTS”* handstamp (RL Type 2; earliest known date) and London Bishopmark. Photo £2,000-2,500
- PROVENANCE:
R.H. Urwick, October 1964
- 41 ☒ 1779 (28 May) entire letter ex the *“Newton & Gordon”* correspondence from London to Madeira but sent to St. Kitts in error, charged *“In all IN5”* a showing very fine first type *“ST*KITTS”* handstamp (RL Type 2), the letter then returned to London via *“FALMOUTH/SHIP LRE”* and showing arrival Bishopmark *“24/NO”*; central vertical filing crease. Photo £1,500-1,800



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42 ☒

1780 (31 Mar.) entire letter from Tobago to Bristol, charged "7" (deleted) and "In all 8", showing unframed "DOVER/SHIP LRE" and, on reverse, fine first type "ST*KITTS" h.s. (RL Type 2) and London Bishopmark. Photo

£1,200-1,500



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43 ☒

1784 (12 Mar.) entire letter ex the "Tudway" correspondence from Antigua to Wells, charged "2N8" and showing, on reverse, superb "ST-*KITTS*" in red (RL Type 2var; Proud Type PSS State 2; earliest known date) with Bishopmark alongside. Very rare. Photo

£1,500-1,800

PROVENANCE:
R.H. Urwick, October 1964



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- 44 ☒ 1785 (7 Sept.) entire letter to Glasgow, rated “3/2” and showing, on reverse, fine “st ‘KITTS” handstamp (RL Type 4; crossed by filing crease) with London (18.10) and Edinburgh (22.10) Bishopmarks alongside. With transcript. Photo £500-600
- 45 ☒ 1786 (14 Oct.) entire letter from Nevis to Madeira, rated “1/-” and showing, on reverse, fine “st ‘KITTS” handstamp (RL Type 4) with London transit Bishopmark (23.11) alongside; the entire with heavy vertical filing crease which has split at top. Photo £500-600
- 46 ☒ 1789 (16 Jan.) entire letter from Grenada to London, rated “1/-” and showing, on reverse, fine “st ‘KITTS” handstamp (RL Type 4; crossed by recipient’s notation) and arrival datestamp (20.3); also 1787 (24 Aug.) entire letter from Antigua to Dunse, written on board H.M.S. Triton, charged “IN6” and showing, on reverse, small part of a straight-line handstamp, most of it having been torn away. Both letters with interesting contents. Photo £500-600
- PROVENANCE:
K.J.A.O. Manning, March 1994
- 47 ☒ 1789 (11 Aug.) entire letter ex the “*James Frazer*” correspondence to Inverness, rated “1/-” (deleted) and “1/7” and showing, on reverse, very fine “st ‘KITTS” handstamp (RL Type 4var; Proud Type PS6 State 1) with London (11.9) and Edinburgh (20.9) datestamps alongside. Photo £600-800
- 48 ☒ 1790 (30 Dec.) entire letter from Montserrat to London, rated “1/-” and showing, on reverse, fine “st KITTS” handstamp (RL Type 3; Proud Type PS7) with smudged arrival datestamp alongside. Very scarce. Photo £600-800
- 49 ☒ 1791 (18 Jan.) and (24 Feb.) entire letters ex the “*James Frazer*” correspondence to Inverness, both rated “1/6” (deleted) and “1/7” and showing, on reverse, a poor and fair strike of “st KITTS” handstamp (RL Type 3; Proud Type PS7) respectively with London (11.3) and Edinburgh (14.3) datestamps alongside £300-400
- 50 ☒ 1791 (20 Feb.) entire letter from Montserrat to London, rated “1/-” and showing, on reverse, a fine strike of “st KITTS” handstamp (RL Type 6) with arrival datestamp (25.4) alongside. Photo £500-600
- 51 ☒ 1789 (20 Oct.) entire letter from Nevis to Inverness, rated “1/-” and amended to “2/-” (deleted) and “3/2” and showing, on reverse, very fine “st KITTS” handstamp (RL Type 4) with London (21.12) and Edinburgh (24.12) datestamps alongside. Photo £700-900
- 52 ☒ 1789 (14 Nov.) entire letter ex the “*James Frazer*” correspondence to Inverness, rated “1/-” (deleted) and “1/7” and showing, on reverse, fair to fine “st KITTS” handstamp (RL Type 4) with London (21.12) and Edinburgh (24.12) datestamps alongside. Photo £500-600
- PROVENANCE:
R.H. Urwick, October 1964
- 53 ☒ 1792 (31 Oct.) entire letter to Inverness, rated “1/-” (deleted), “2/-” (deleted) and “3/2” and showing, on reverse, manuscript “*paid by H.C. 4/2*”, very fine “*St. Kitts*” handstamp (RL Type 9) and London transit datestamp. Rare. Photo £1,000-1,200
- 54 ☒ 1793 (11 Aug.) entire letter from William Codrington to London, rated “1/-” and showing, on reverse, poor to fine “st KITTS.” (Unlisted by RL; Proud Type 9, the earlier of the two examples known) with arrival datestamp alongside. Photo £1,200-1,500
- 55 ☒ 1794 (21 Sept.) entire letter from Antigua to London, rated “1/-” and showing superb “stKITTS” handstamp (Type PS10) with arrival datestamp (5.1) on reverse. The only example known. Photo £2,000-2,500

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- 56 ☒ 1794 (27 Oct.) entire from St. Eustatius to London and then forwarded privately to Amsterdam, rated "2/-" and showing superb "St. Kitts" handstamp (RL Type 8) with arrival datestamp (10.12) on reverse; some grime along filing folds and addressee's name re-instated. Photo £500-600
- 57 ☒ 1795 (17 May) entire letter ex the "Tudway" correspondence from Antigua to Wells, marked "By His Majesty's Ship" (deleted) and "p Packet", rated "1/-" (deleted) and "1/5" and showing fair to fine "St. Kitts" handstamp (RL Type 9) with London transit d.s. (1.7) on reverse. Photo £300-400
- 58 ☒ 1795 (18 May) entire ex the "Seaton" correspondence to London, rated "2/-", showing fine "St. Kitts" handstamp (RL Type 9) with arrival datestamp (1.7) on reverse; piece torn away from top right corner. Photo £300-400
- 59 ☒ 1795 entire letter ex the "Seaton" correspondence to Twickenham comprising two letters, one begun on 23 June and continued on 13 July, rated "3/-" (deleted) and "3/6", showing fair to fine "St. Kitts" handstamp (RL Type 9) with arrival datestamp on reverse; the contents include news of British Merchantmen captured and taken to Guadeloupe. Some peripheral faults due to bulky enclosure. Photo £400-500
- PROVENANCE:
K.J.A.O. Manning, March 1994
- 60 ☒ 1796 (25 Jan.) entire letter ex the "Seaton" correspondence to London, rated "1/-" and showing mainly fine strike of "STKITTS." handstamp (RL Type 8) with arrival datestamp (16.3) on reverse. Photo £600-800
- 61 ☒ 1796 entire addressed to the Aide de Camp to the Duke of York in London, marked "2oz", rated "8/-" and showing a good strike of "STKITTS." handstamp (RL Type 8) with arrival datestamp (10.4) on reverse. Photo £500-600
- Note: The Duke of York, son of George III, was Commander in Chief of the British Army from 1798 to 1809.*
- 62 ☒ 1796 (4 Apr.) entire letter ex the "Seaton" correspondence to London, rated "1/-", showing a good to fine strike of "STKITTS" handstamp (RL Type 9) with arrival datestamp (10.5) on reverse; tear at top of face panel, well clear of handstamp. Photo £500-600
- 63 ☒ 1796 (11 Apr.) entire letter from Capt. George Watkins ex the "Seaton" correspondence to London, rated "1/-", showing fine, almost complete, strike of "STKITTS" handstamp (RL Type 5) with arrival datestamp (18.5) on reverse. Interesting contents. Rare. Photo £800-1,000
- PROVENANCE:
K.J.A.O. Manning, March 1994

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- 64 ☒ 1796 (7 July) entire letter ex the "Seaton" correspondence to London and redirected to Cheltenham, rated "2/-", showing a fine strike of "ST KITTS." handstamp (Unlisted by RL; Proud Type PS12) and London arrival datestamp (13.8); the entire with some minor peripheral wear. Rare. Photo

£1,000-1,200
- 65 ☒ 1796 (15 Sept.) entire letter from Capt. George Watkins to London, rated "1/-" (deleted and overstruck by red Inspector's Crown) and "2/-", showing a very fine strike of "S:KITTS." handstamp (RL Type 11) and arrival datestamp (10.11) on reverse. Rare. Photo

PROVENANCE:
K.J.A.O. Manning, March 1994

£1,000-1,200
- 66 ☒ 1796 (28 Oct.) entire letter ex the "Seaton" correspondence to London, rated "1/-" (deleted) and "1/8", showing very fine strike of "S:KITTS." handstamp (RL Type 11) with arrival datestamp (16.1) on reverse. Rare. Photo

£1,000-1,200
- 67 ☒ 1796 (28 Oct.) entire letter ex the "Tudway" correspondence from Antigua to Wells, rated "2/-" (deleted) and "3/2", showing a good to fine strike of "S:KITTS." handstamp (RL Type 11) with London transit datestamp (14.1) on reverse. Rare. Photo

£800-1,000
- 68 ☒ 1796 (7 Dec.) entire letter to London, rated "1/-" (deleted) and "1/8", showing a fine strike of "ST KITTS" handstamp (RL Type 12) with arrival datestamp (16.1) on reverse; the centre part of face panel with light discolouration. The only recorded example. Photo

PROVENANCE:
R.H. Urwick, October 1964

£1,500-1,800

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| 69 ☒ | 1796 entire to London, rated "2/-" (deleted) and "3/2", showing superb "S:KITTS." handstamp (RL Type 11) with arrival datestamp (16.1) on reverse. Rare. Photo | £1,200-1,500 |
| | PROVENANCE:
R.H. Urwick, October 1964 | |
| 70 ☒ | 1797 (4 May) entire letter from St. Vincent to Ireland, rated "3/4" (deleted), "4/2" (deleted) and "5/-", showing good to fine strike of "S:KITTS." handstamp (RL Type 11) with London transit datestamp (13.8) on reverse; the entire soiled. Interesting contents Photo | £500-600 |
| 71 ☒ | 1797 (1 July) entire letter ex the "Brodie" correspondence to Edinburgh, rated "2/2", showing fine strike of "S:KITTS" handstamp (RL Type 11) with, on reverse, London (15.8) and arrival (18.8) datestamps. Photo | £600-800 |
| 72 ☒ | 1797 (19 July) entire letter to Edinburgh, rated "2/-" (deleted) and "2/2", showing fair to fine strike of "S:KITTS" handstamp (RL Type 11) with, on reverse, London (1.9) and arrival datestamps. With transcript. Photo | £400-500 |
| 73 ☒ | 1797 (16 Aug.) entire letters (2) from the same correspondence to London, both rated "3/4" and showing legible strikes of "S:KITTS." handstamp (RL Type 11) with arrival datestamp (22.9 or 25.9) on reverse, the former having been re-addressed to Ramsgate. Photo | £500-600 |
| 74 ☒ | 1798 (23 Feb.) entire letter from a soldier in the Buffs at Brimstone Hill to Ireland, rated "1/8" (deleted) and "2/1", showing fine "ST KITTS" handstamp (RL Type 10) with London transit datestamp (13.4) on reverse; the entire stained and partially repaired. Photo | £700-900 |
| | <i>Note: The contents give a graphic account of the taking of Brimstone Hill and other fighting in the West Indies.</i> | |
| | PROVENANCE:
R.H. Urwick, October 1964
K.J.A.O. Manning, March 1994 | |
| 75 ☒ | 1798 (10 Sept.) entire letter to Madeira via London, rated "3/4", showing fine "ST KITTS" handstamp (RL Type 10) with, on reverse, London transit datestamp (24.12). Photo | £700-900 |

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| 76 ☒ | 1798 (18 Dec.) entire letter from Martinique to Glasgow, rated “4/8” (deleted), “4/10” (deleted) and “7/3”, showing very fine “ST KITTS” handstamp (RL Type 10) with arrival datestamp (14.2) on reverse. Photo | £800-1,000 |
| 77 ☒ | 1799 (24 Jan.) entire letter ex the “Seaton” correspondence to London, rated “3/4”, showing fine “ST KITTS” handstamp (RL Type 10) with arrival datestamp (27.3) on reverse; small tear at top of face panel clear of markings. Photo | £600-800 |
| 78 ☒ | 1799 (13 Feb.) entire letter to Madeira via London, rated “1/8”, showing fine “ST KITTS” handstamp (RL Type 10; latest recorded date) and, on reverse, London transit datestamp (4.3). Photo | £700-900 |
| Two Line Datestamps | | |
| 79 ☒ | 1799 (22 May) entire letter ex the “Seaton” correspondence to London, rated “1/8”, showing very fine “ST KITTS/MAY 22 99” d.s. (Proud Type PS16; earliest recorded date) with red arrival datestamp (4.7) on reverse; tear at top of face panel, well clear of datestamp. Photo | £600-800 |
| 80 ☒ | 1800 (8 Aug.) entire letter ex the “Rolleston” correspondence to London, rated “1/8” and showing, on reverse, two light strikes of “ST KITTS/AUG 8 1800” d.s. (Proud Type PS16); part of top flap on reverse torn away through opening. An early date of use. Photo | £500-600 |
| 81 ☒ | 1800 (13 Dec.) entire letter ex the “Rolleston” correspondence to London, rated “1/8”, showing good to fine strike of “ST KITTS/DEC 13 1800” d.s. (Proud Type PS16) with red arrival c.d.s. (19.1) on reverse. Photo | £400-500 |
| 82 ☒ | 1801 (2 Mar.) entire letter from Nevis to London, rated “1/8”, showing very fine “ST KITTS/MAR 2” datestamp with missing year (Proud Type PS16) and, on reverse, red arrival c.d.s. (5.4). Photo | £500-600 |
| 83 ☒ | 1801 (2 Mar.) and (10 Nov.) entire letters ex the “Rolleston” correspondence to London, rated “1/8” and “3/8” respectively, both showing fair to fine strikes of St. Kitts two-line datestamp with year date missing (Proud Type PS16), and (20 May) entire letter to London, rated “1/8” (deleted) and “1/10”, and showing poor to fair strike of the datestamp with year missing. The last with interesting contents | £400-500 |

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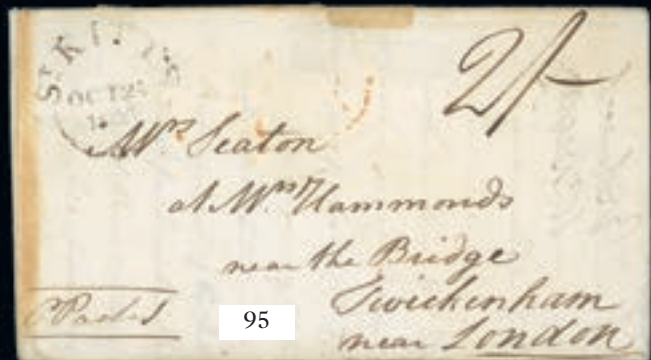
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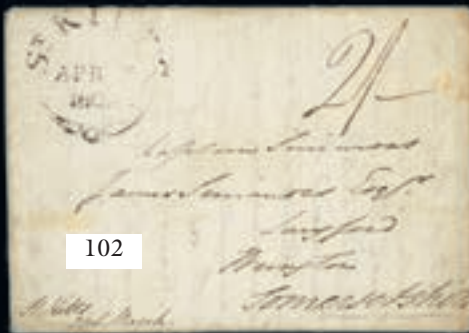
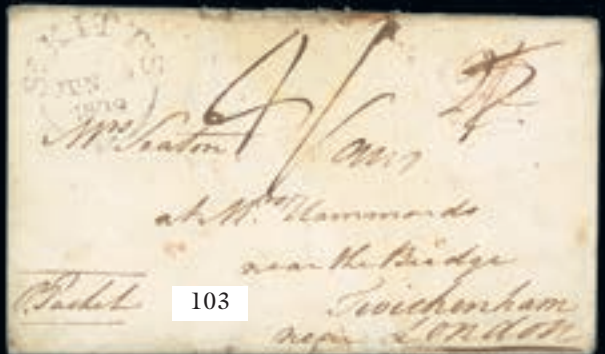
- 84 ☒ 1801 (1 May) entire to Lancashire, rated “2/-” (deleted), “2/8” (deleted) and “4/2”, showing very fine strike of “ST KITTS/MAY 1” datestamp with year date missing (Proud Type PS16). Photo £500-600
- 85 ☒ 1802 (31 Oct.) entire letter ex the “*Brodie*” correspondence to Edinburgh, rated “2/2”, showing very fine though slightly over-inked “ST KITTS/OCT 31 1802” datestamp (Proud Type PS17) with red arrival c.d.s. (12.12; crossed by filing crease) alongside. Photo £400-500
- 86 ☒ 1802 (31 Oct.) entire letter ex the “*Brodie*” correspondence to Edinburgh, rated “2/2”, showing very fine “ST KITTS/OCT 31 1802” datestamp (Proud Type PS17) with red arrival c.d.s. (12.12; crossed by filing crease) alongside. Photo £500-600
- PROVENANCE:
R.H. Urwick, October 1964
- 87 ☒ 1802-05 entire letters (4) to London (2) and Scotland (2), variously rated, each showing St. Kitts two-line datestamp (Proud Type PS17) of varying quality, one with vertical tear through face panel and with light staining £350-450
- 88 ☒ 1803 (6 Jan.) entire letter ex the “*Brodie*” correspondence to Edinburgh, rated “4/4”, showing good to fine “ST KITTS/JAN 6 1803” datestamp (Proud Type PS17) with red arrival c.d.s. (17.2) alongside and London transit d.s. on reverse; the entire with some discolouration (mainly on reverse) caused by disinfection? Photo £400-500
- PROVENANCE:
K.J.A.O. Manning, March 1994
- 89 ☒ 1803 (11 Mar.) entire letter ex the “*Brodie*” correspondence to Edinburgh, rated “2/2”, showing mainly fine “ST KITTS/MAR 11 1803” datestamp (Proud Type PS17) with red arrival c.d.s. alongside (crossed by heavy vertical filing crease) and London transit d.s. (22.4) on reverse; some light staining at lower right. Photo £300-400
- 90 ☒ 1803 (7 May) entire letter ex the “*Seaton*” correspondence to Twickenham, rated “1/10” (deleted and overstruck by red Inspector’s Crown) and “3/8”, showing generally fine “ST KITTS/MAY 7 1803” datestamp (Proud Type PS17) with red arrival d.s. (20.6) on reverse. Photo £350-450
- 91 ☒ 1803 (5 Aug.) entire letter to Edinburgh, rated “4/4”, showing fine “ST KITTS/AUG 5 1803” datestamp (Proud Type PS17) with red arrival c.d.s. (23.9) alongside and London transit d.s. on reverse. Photo £400-500
- PROVENANCE:
R.H. Urwick, October 1964
- 92 ☒ 1804 (14 July) entire to London, rated “3/8”, showing mainly fine “ST KITTS/JUL 14 180” datestamp with “4” of year missing (Proud Type PS17) with arrival c.d.s. (2.9) on reverse. Photo £400-500
- 93 ☒ 1804 (6 Oct.) entire letter ex the “*Seaton*” correspondence to Twickenham, rated “1/10” (deleted and overstruck by red Inspector’s Crown) and “3/8”, showing fine “ST KITTS/OCT 6 1804” datestamp (Proud Type PS17) with red arrival datestamp (17.11) on reverse; some peripheral wear. Photo £400-500
- Large Fleuron Datestamp**
- 94 ☒ 1805 (14 Sept.) entire letter ex the “*Seaton*” correspondence to Twickenham, rated “2/-” (deleted and overstruck by red Inspector’s Crown) showing light strike of the “ST KITT’S” large fleuron d.s. (earliest recorded date) with red arrival datestamp (8.11) on reverse. Photo £300-400
- 95 ☒ 1805 (24 Oct.) entire letter ex the “*Seaton*” correspondence to Twickenham, rated “2/-”, showing good to fine “ST KITT’S” large fleuron d.s. with red arrival datestamp (5.12) on reverse; some light staining at left edge. Photo £250-300

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96 ☒	1805-09 entire letters (4) to London, all rated "2/-" and showing "ST KITTS" large fleuron datestamp of variable quality, one also showing red Inspector's Crown; condition a little mixed	£350-450
97 ☒	1806-09 entire letters (4) to London (one re-addressed to Norwich) , all rated "2/-" and showing "ST KITTS" large fleuron datestamp of variable quality, one also showing red Inspector's Crown; condition a little mixed	£400-500
98 ☒	1807 (28 Jan.) entire letter ex the " <i>General Leigh</i> " correspondence to London, rated "2/-", showing fine "ST KITTS" large fleuron datestamp with red arrival c.d.s. (27.3) on reverse; heavy central vertical filing crease well clear of datestamp. Photo	£200-250
99 ☒	1807 (21 Mar.) entire letter ex the " <i>General Leigh</i> " correspondence to London, rated "2/-", showing a good to fine light strike of "ST KITTS" large fleuron datestamp with red arrival c.d.s. (30.4) on reverse. Photo	£150-180
100 ☒	1807 (13 Aug.) entire letter ex the " <i>General Leigh</i> " correspondence to London and re-addressed to Norwich, rated "2/-" (deleted) and "8", showing good to fine "ST KITTS" large fleuron datestamp with red arrival c.d.s. (24.12) on reverse; the entire a little soiled and with heavy central vertical filing crease well away from datestamp. Photo	£150-180
101 ☒	1808 (6 Apr.) entire letter from Captain Paterson of H.M.S. Nimrod addressed to " <i>Sir John Duckworth K.B., Warship St. George, Plymouth, Channel Fleet</i> " and re-addressed, rated "1/-", "3/4" (deleted) and "4/2", showing mainly fine "ST KITTS" large fleuron datestamp. Photo	£200-250
102 ☒	1809 (7 Apr.) entire letter to Somerset, rated "2/-", showing good to fine "ST KITTS" large fleuron datestamp; part of top flap on reverse torn away. Interesting contents include " <i>...the French Garrison of Fort D'Essaix (Fort Royale, Martinique) were to march out with the honours of war and lay down their arms and Eagles. Prisoners of War, they did so on the 7th March on the glacis of the Fort, from whence they were embarked but we do not for certain whether they are bound for England or France.</i> " Photo	£150-180
103 ☒	1809 (8 June) entire letter ex the " <i>Seaton</i> " correspondence to Twickenham, rated "2/-" (deleted and overstruck by light Inspector's Crown in red), showing fine "ST KITTS" large fleuron datestamp with red arrival c.d.s. (10.7) on reverse; some wear along top fold. Photo	£300-400
104 ☒	1809 (14 July) entire to London, rated "2/-", showing mainly fine "ST KITTS" large fleuron datestamp with red arrival c.d.s. on reverse. Photo	£250-300
105 ☒	1809 (21 Oct.) entire letter ex the " <i>Seaton</i> " correspondence to Twickenham, rated "2/-" (overstruck by red Inspector's Crown) and "4/-", showing fine slightly over-inked "ST. KITTS" large fleuron datestamp (latest known date) with red arrival c.d.s. (3.12) on reverse. Photo	£300-400
Medium Fleuron Datestamp		
106 ☒	1811 (15 May) entire letter from St. Vincent to London, rated "2/-" (deleted and overstruck by red Inspector's Crown) and "4/-", showing mainly fine strike of "ST KITTS" medium fleuron datestamp (crossed by light filing crease) with red arrival c.d.s. (6.7) on reverse. Photo	£100-120
107 ☒	1812-21 entire letters (6) to Cork or London (5), variously rated, all showing "ST KITTS" medium fleuron datestamp of varying quality, the 1812 letter showing "181" of year date inverted (crossed by heavy vertical filing crease), and one additionally showing red Inspector's Crown, mixed condition	£400-500



St. Christopher, Early Handstamps and Datestamps, Medium Fleuron Datestamp - contd.

- 108 ☒ 1812 (21 Apr.) entire letter ex the "*General Leigh*" correspondence to London, rated "2/-", showing fine "ST KITTS" medium fleuron datestamp with second "21" of date missing and "181" of the year inverted and, on reverse, red arrival c.d.s. (27.5). Photo £500-600
- 109 ☒ 1812 (12 Oct.) entire letter from Lt. Col. Farquharson at Guadeloupe (during the fourth British Occupation, 1810-14) to Aberdeen, rated "2/5", showing fine "ST KITTS" medium fleuron datestamp with red arrival datestamp (29.11). Photo £200-250
- 110 ☒ 1813-24 entire letters (6) and an entire to London (4) or Scotland (2), variously rated, each showing "ST KITTS" medium fleuron datestamp of varying quality, one with disinfection slits, condition a little mixed £400-500
- 111 ☒ 1813-19 entire letters (4) and an entire to London, variously rated, each showing "ST KITTS" medium fleuron datestamp of varying quality, condition a little mixed £300-400
- 112 ☒ 1813 (29 Jan.) entire letter ex the "*General Leigh*" correspondence to London, rated "2/2", showing fine "ST KITTS" medium fleuron datestamp with red arrival c.d.s. (3.3) on reverse. Photo £150-180
- 113 ☒ 1813-21 entire letters (4) and entire (2) to Glasgow (2), London (3) and Teignmouth, variously rated, each showing "ST KITTS" medium fleuron datestamp of varying quality, one 1816 letter with "181" of year date inverted, condition a little mixed £400-500
- 114 ☒ 1814 (22 Jan.) and 1815 (20 May) entire letters ex the "*General Leigh*" correspondence to London, rated "2/2" and "4/4" respectively, both showing mainly fine "ST KITTS" medium fleuron datestamp with red arrival c.d.s. (part only on the latter) on reverse; both with heavy central vertical filing crease £120-150
- 115 ☒ 1817 (29 Apr.) entire letter to London, rated "4/4", showing very fine "ST KITTS" medium fleuron datestamp with "181" of year inverted and red arrival c.d.s. (7.6) on reverse. Photo £500-600
- 116 ☒ 1817 (14 June) entire letter to London, rated "2/2", showing fine "ST KITTS" medium fleuron datestamp with red arrival c.d.s. (17.7) on reverse. Photo £150-180
- 117 ☒ 1817 (14 Aug.) entire letter to Cork and redirected to Cove, variously rated with a final rate of "3/8", showing mainly fine "ST KITTS" medium fleuron datestamp, red "CORK/124" handstamp with manuscript "*Redirect at*" in front and, on reverse, red London transit c.d.s. (28.9). Photo £150-180
- 118 ☒ 1822 (6 Aug.) entire to Antigua, rated "4" and showing, on reverse, fine "ST KITTS" medium fleuron datestamp partly overstruck by large "ANTIGUA" arrival fleuron datestamp without year. Photo £200-250
- 119 ☒ 1822 (6 Aug.) entire letter from St. Bartholomews to London, rated "2/2" and showing, on reverse across join, fine "ST KITTS" medium fleuron datestamp and red arrival c.d.s. (11.9). Photo £150-180

Small Fleuron Datestamp

- 120 ☒ 1824-32 entire letters (2, one from Antigua) and entires (4) to London, variously rated, each showing "ST KITTS" small fleuron datestamp on reverse across join of variable quality and red arrival c.d.s.; condition a little mixed £300-400
- 121 ☒ 1825-40 entire letter and entires (3, one from Dominica) to London, variously rated, each showing "ST KITTS" small fleuron datestamp on reverse across join of variable quality, one with year figures "4" and "2" spaced, and red arrival c.d.s.; condition a little mixed £200-250
- 122 ☒ 1826 (27 Jan.) entire from the Dutch island of St. Eustatius (recipient's red ink notation on reverse) to London, rated "2/2" and showing, on reverse across join, fair to good "ST KITTS" small fleuron datestamp for 12 February and red arrival c.d.s. (31.3). A rare cover from this small island. Photo £200-250

PROVENANCE:

K.J.A.O. Manning, March 1994



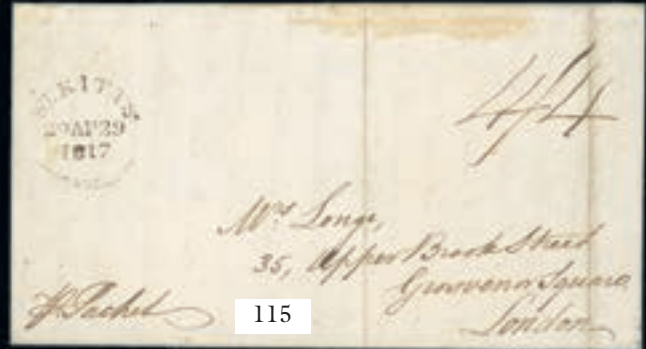
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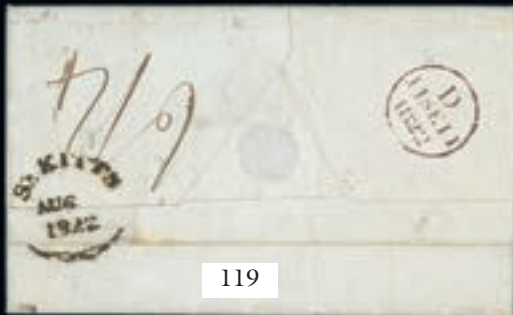
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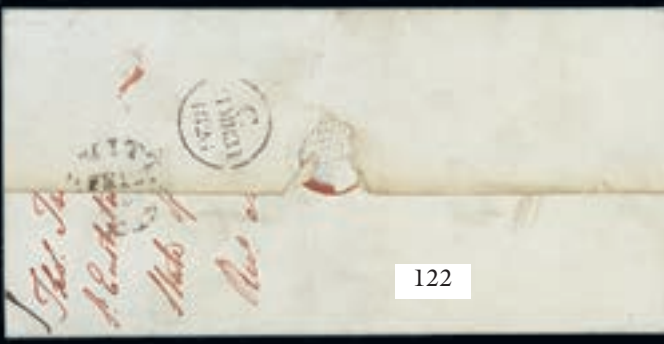
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| 123 ☒ | 1830-44 entire letter and entires (3) to London, variously rated, each showing "ST KITTS" small fleuron datestamp on reverse across join of variable quality and red arrival c.d.s.; condition a little mixed | £250-300 |
| 124 ☒ | 1831 (8 May) entire letter to London, rated "2/2" and showing, on reverse across join, fine "ST KITTS" small fleuron datestamp and red arrival c.d.s. (11.6) | £100-120 |
| 125 ☒ | 1834-43 entire letters (4, two from Antigua) to Glasgow and London (3), variously rated, each showing "ST KITTS" small fleuron datestamp on reverse across join of variable quality and red arrival c.d.s., the letter to Glasgow also showing boxed "½"; condition generally fine | £250-300 |
| 126 ☒ | 1837 (17 Apr.) entire letter, with disinfection slits, from J. Lisemoor at Brimstone Hill to Barbados, rated "4" and showing, on reverse across join, good to fine "ST KITTS" medium fleuron datestamp. Scarce inter-island mail. Also an 1812 print of Brimstone Hill from the sea (some discolouration) by Joyce Gold of the Naval Chronicle Office | £80-100 |
| 127 ☒ | 1841 (1 June) entire from St. Martin (recipient's red ink notation on reverse) to London, rated "1/-" and showing, on reverse across join, fine "ST KITTS" small fleuron datestamp partly overstruck by red arrival c.d.s. (24.7). Photo | £200-250 |
| 128 ☒ | 1843 (20 Jan.) entire letter to London, rated "1/-" and showing, on reverse across join, fine "ST KITTS" small fleuron datestamp with year figures "4" and "3" spaced, and red arrival c.d.s. (24.2). Photo | £120-150 |
| 129 ☒ | 1844 (10 Feb.) entire letter to London, rated "1/-" and showing, on reverse across join, fine "ST KITTS" small fleuron datestamp showing only the last "4" of the year, and red arrival c.d.s. (8.3). Photo | £120-150 |
| 130 ☒ | 1843 (9 Mar.) Wesleyan missionary reports (5) posted on the same day, each rated "1/-" and showing, on reverse across join, fine to very fine "ST KITTS" small fleuron datestamp and red arrival c.d.s. (3.4). Interesting comments with reference to Missions, especially in Antigua | £150-180 |
| Double-arc Datestamp | | |
| 131 ☒ | 1844-56 entire letters (2) and entires (5, two from Eustatius) to London, rated "1/-" or "2/-" (2) and showing, on reverse, "ST-KITTS" double-arc d.s. (four fine or very fine strikes); condition generally fine | £200-250 |
| 132 ☒ | 1844-53 entire letters (3) and an entire (Eustatius) to London (3) and Bahamas, rated "4" or "1/-" and showing, on reverse, "ST-KITTS" double-arc d.s. (four fine or very fine strikes); condition generally fine | £200-250 |
| 133 ☒ | 1852 (31 July) entire to Paramaribo, Surinam, headed " <i>per Steamer via Demerary</i> ", marked " <i>4 paid</i> " in red crayon, showing arrival c.d.s. (15.8; crossed by horizontal filing crease) with, on reverse, despatch and Demerara (9.8) double-arc datestamps. A most unusual destination | £60-80 |
| 134 ☒ | 1845-50 entire letters (4) and entires (2) to London (4) or Glasgow, all rated "1/-" and showing, on reverse, "ST-KITTS" double-arc d.s. (three fine or very fine strikes); condition generally fine | £120-150 |

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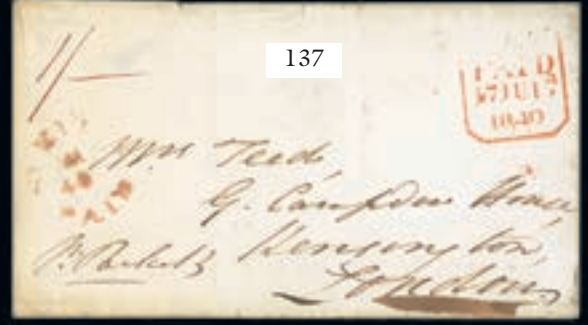
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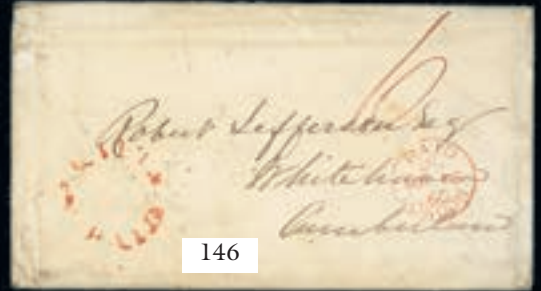
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Unframed "ST KITTS/PAID" c.d.s. in red

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| 135 ☒ | 1838 (12 Sept.) entire ex the "Teed" correspondence to Kensington, rated "2/2" in red, showing fine though slightly overinked "ST KITTS/PAID" c.d.s. in red, faint framed "Dunsley/Py Post" and, on reverse, superb circular undated "LEEWARD ISLAND/F". A rare combination of markings. Photo | £600-800 |
| 136 ☒ | 1840 (18 Jan.) entire ex the "Teed" correspondence to Kensington, rated "2/2" in red, showing fine though slightly over-inked "ST KITTS/PAID" c.d.s. in red and Paid arrival d.s. (22.3). Photo | £400-500 |
| 137 ☒ | 1840 (May) entire ex the "Teed" correspondence to Kensington, rated "1/-" in red, showing good to fine "ST KITTS/PAID" c.d.s. in red without day of month, and Paid arrival d.s. (17.7). Photo | £400-500 |
| | PROVENANCE:
William Britton Stitt, May 1970 | |
| 138 ☒ | 1842 (16 Feb.) entire to London, rated "1/-", showing mainly fine "ST KITTS/PAID" c.d.s. in red with "4" and "2" of year spaced, and arrival Paid d.s. (23.4) alongside. Photo | £400-500 |
| 139 ☒ | 1846 (2 Nov.) envelope (faults) to Antigua rated "4", 1848 (12 May) entire letter (filing creases) to London rated "1/-", and 1848 (29 Dec.) entire letter to New York rated "1/-", each showing "ST KITTS/PAID" c.d.s. in red with varying quality of strikes | £450-550 |
| 140 ☒ | 1847 (12 Apr.) and (13 July) entire letters from the same correspondence to Madeira, both rated "2/2" in red, showing a fair to good strike of "ST KITTS/PAID" c.d.s. in red, London Paid transit d.s. and blue "160" arrival charge mark. An interesting pair of covers | £400-500 |

Photos for lots 136, 137 and 138 appear on page 33

- 141 ☒ 1853 (11 Nov.) neat mourning envelope to Gloucester, rated "1/-" in red, showing fine "ST KITTS/PAID" c.d.s. in red and London Paid transit d.s. with arrival c.d.s. (5.12) on reverse. Photo £400-500
- 142 ☒ 1856 (29 Aug.) envelope to St. Thomas, rated "4" in red, showing mainly fine "ST KITTS/PAID" c.d.s. in red with arrival datestamp on reverse. Photo £400-500

PROVENANCE:
J. Grant Glassco, November 1969



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- 143 ☒ 1859 (24 May) "The St. Christopher Advertiser and Weekly Intelligencer" newspaper addressed to Reading, rated "1" in red and showing fine "ST KITTS/PAID" c.d.s. in red without year date; the newspaper a little soiled and stained, nevertheless still in a good state of preservation. Photo £400-500



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Circular Undated "ST KITTS/PAID" in red

- 144 ☒ 1859 (23 Mar.) entire letter to Cologne, marked "via Belgium", rated "1/2" in red, showing very fine circular undated "ST KITTS/PAID", oval-framed "P", London Paid transit c.d.s. (14.4) and "AUS ENGLAND PER AACHEN/FRANCO" double-ring d.s. (15.4), all struck in red, and despatch and arrival datestamps on reverse. Most attractive and a rare destination. Photo £600-800

Photos for lots 141 and 142 appear on page 31

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- 145 ☒ 1859 (29 July) complete "St. Croix Avis" newspaper dated 17 June 1859, addressed to Oxford, rated "1" in red and showing fine circular undated "ST KITTS/PAID" in red and St. Kitts double-arc d.s.; good condition. Photo

£500-600
- 146 ☒ 1860 (29 Feb.) envelope (with letter) to Whitehaven, rated "6", showing fair to good circular undated "ST KITTS/PAID" and London Paid transit c.d.s. (16.6) with despatch double-arc and arrival datestamps on reverse. Photo

£150-180



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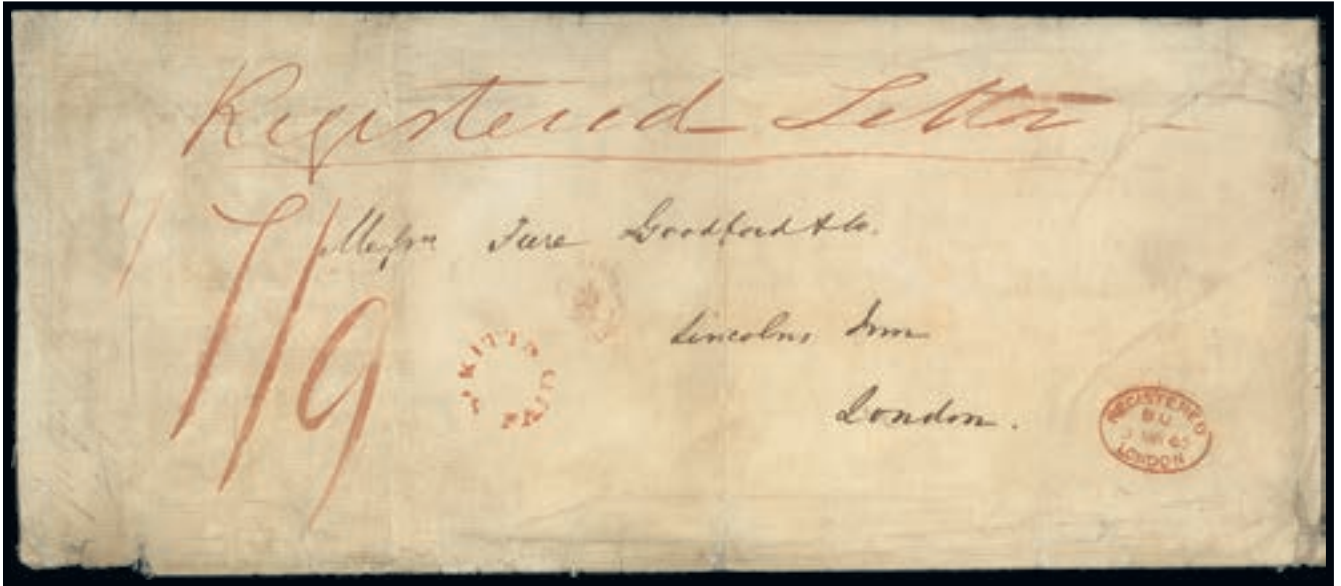
- 147 ☒ 1860 (28 Mar.) complete "The Antigua Weekly Register" newspaper dated May 24 1859, addressed to Oxford, rated "1" in red and showing good circular undated "ST KITTS/PAID" in red and St. Kitts double-arc d.s.; good condition. Photo

PROVENANCE:
"Foxley", April 2016

£500-600

Photo for lot 146 appears on page 33

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| 148 ☒ | 1860 (11 Apr.) envelope (with letter) to Oxford, rated "6" and showing generally fine circular undated "ST KITTTS/PAID" with despatch double-arc and arrival datestamps on reverse. Photo | £250-300 |
| 149 ☒ | 1860 (28 Dec.) envelope to London, rated "5", showing fine circular undated "ST KITTTS/PAID" with arrival Paid c.d.s. (18.1) alongside and despatch double-arc d.s. on reverse. Photo | £300-400 |
| 150 ☒ | 1861 (11 Aug.) entire letter to London, rated "5", showing fine circular undated "ST KITTTS/PAID" with arrival Paid c.d.s. (29.8) alongside and despatch double-arc d.s. on reverse; the face panel with heavy horizontal filing crease towards foot which has split in places. Photo | £180-220 |



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| 151 ☒ | 1862 (11 Feb.) envelope (334x141mm.; folded) from the Governor to London, marked "Registered Letter", rated "7/9", showing fine circular undated "ST KITTTS/PAID" and oval London Registered arrival d.s. with despatch double-arc d.s. on reverse; the envelope with some peripheral faults and a little soiled, nevertheless a fine example of this marking on registered mail. Photo

PROVENANCE:
"Foxley", April 2016 | £600-800 |
| 152 ☒ | 1862 (11 Feb.) envelope (with letter) to Bermuda, rated "4", showing good to fine circular undated "ST KITTTS/PAID" with, on reverse, despatch and St. Thomas (12.2) double-arc d.s.; the envelope with part flap missing. A most unusual destination. Photo | £250-300 |
| 153 ☒ | 1863 (27 June) entire to London, rated "d11", showing fine circular undated "ST KITTTS/PAID" and Paid arrival c.d.s. (15.7) with despatch double-arc d.s. on reverse. Photo | £250-300 |
| 154 ☒ | 1864 (Jan.) envelope to Paris, rated "7½", showing fine circular undated "ST KITTTS/PAID" partly overstruck by Calais entry d.s., circular-framed "PD", London Paid transit c.d.s. (13.2) with just legible despatch double-arc and arrival datestamps. Neat and attractive. Photo | £300-400 |

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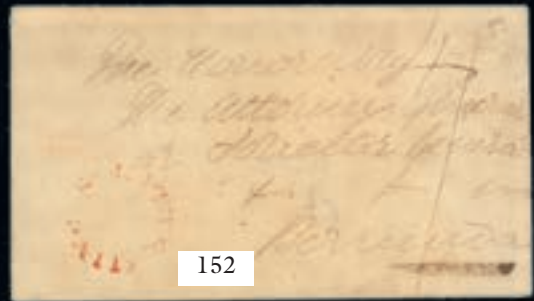
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| 155 ☒ | 1864 (10 Apr.) envelope to Dominica, rated “4”, showing mainly fine circular undated “ST KITTS/PAID” and, on reverse, despatch and arrival double-arc d.s. Photo | £300-400 |
| | PROVENANCE:
William Britton Stitt, May 1970 | |
| 156 ☒ | 1864 (13 May) entire to London, rated “11”, showing fine circular undated “ST KITTS/PAID” and arrival Paid c.d.s. (28.5) with despatch double-arc d.s. on reverse; the entire a little creased and soiled. Photo | £180-220 |
| 157 ☒ | 1864 (27 May) entire letter to London, rated “11”, showing fine circular undated “ST KITTS/PAID” (crossed by light filing crease) and arrival Paid c.d.s. (13.6) with despatch double-arc d.s. on reverse. Photo | £250-300 |
| 158 ☒ | 1865 (17 Nov.) entire letter to Barbados, rated “4”, showing fine circular undated “ST KITTS/PAID” and arrival c.d.s. (20.11) with despatch double-arc d.s. on reverse. Photo | £300-400 |
| 159 ☒ | 1866 (Feb.) envelope to Paris, rated “1/3”, showing good to fine circular undated “ST KITTS/PAID”, oval-framed “PD”, London Paid transit d.s. (2.3), Calais entry d.s. and, on reverse, poor despatch double-arc d.s.; the envelope with some small peripheral faults. Photo | £250-300 |
| | Small “ST KITTS/PAID” c.d.s. in red | |
| 160 ☒ | 1866 (11 Aug.) envelope to New York, marked “Via Havana”, rated “8”, showing good to fine “ST KITTS/PAID” c.d.s. and poor “NY STEAMSHIP/10” c.d.s. with St Thomas transit d.s. (13.8) on reverse; the envelope a fraction soiled and with repaired flap on reverse. Photo | £150-180 |
| 161 ☒ | 1866 (11 Sept.) envelope to New York, rated “4”, showing fine “ST KITTS/PAID” c.d.s. and “N.Y STEAMSHIP/10” d.s. (3.10) with St Thomas transit d.s. (12.9) on reverse; the envelope with tear at top which just touches the datestamp and repair to flap on reverse | £200-250 |
| 162 ☒ | 1866 (28 Dec.) registered letter receipt for item going to Paris showing fine “ST KITTS/PAID” c.d.s., and 1868 (27 Mar.) envelope to France, rated “7½”, showing fine “ST KITTS/PAID” c.d.s., oval-framed “PD”, London Paid transit d.s. (18.4), Calais entry d.s. and, on reverse, various French transit and arrival datestamps | £200-250 |
| 163 ☒ | 1866-69 envelopes (3) to London, each rated “11”, showing good to fine “ST KITTS/PAID” c.d.s. and arrival Paid datestamps; two with minor faults | £200-250 |
| 164 ☒ | 1867 (17 Feb.) and (11 Apr.) envelopes (the latter with small faults) to London, both rated “11”, showing fine “ST KITTS/PAID” c.d.s. and arrival Paid d.s. | £100-120 |

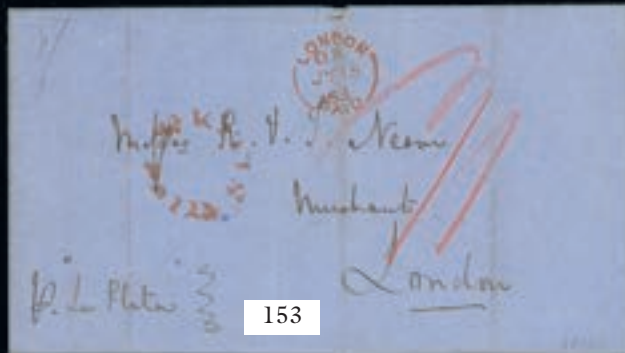




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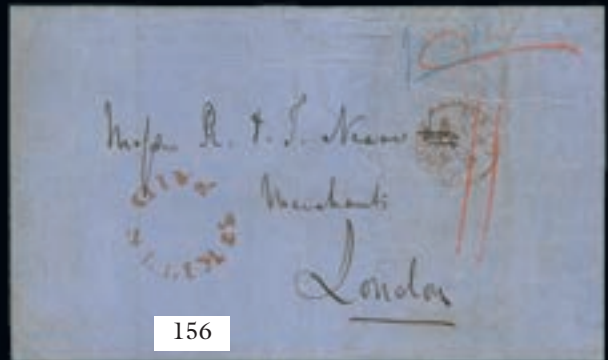
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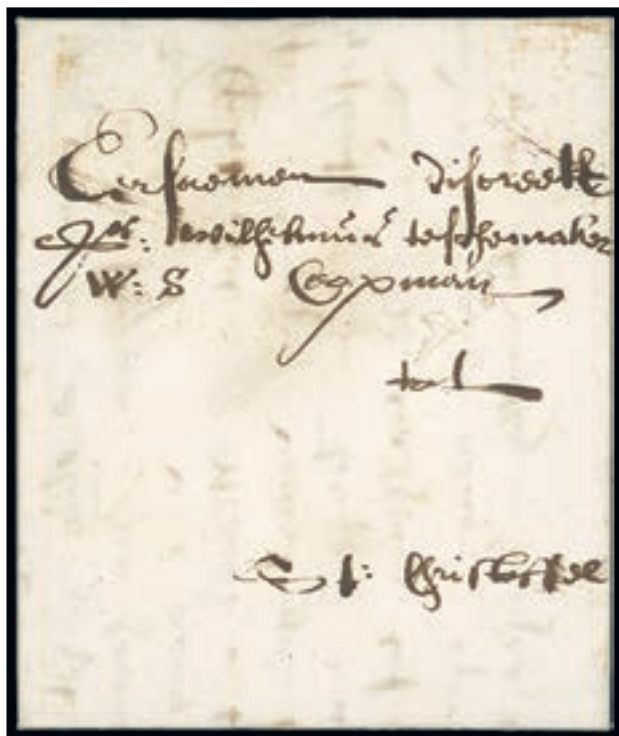
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Early Incoming Mail



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1664 (4 Oct.) entire letter from Amsterdam to St. Christopher, carried privately; small hole near centre of face panel. A very early item of mail associated with St. Christopher. Photo

Note: St. Christopher was first colonized by Captain Thomas Warner who landed there on 21st January 1624 with a small party of settlers.

The Dutch, Swedes and English signed the Triple Alliance against France in 1668 but in 1670 Charles II deserted the Dutch. The French overrunning the country in 1671.

£500-600
- 166 ☒

1669 (2 Oct.) entire letter from Amsterdam to St. Christopher, marked "Pr Pieter Bartholomeus"; small hole in centre of face panel. An extremely early item of mail associated with St. Christopher. Photo

£500-600
- 167 ☒

1757 (13 Aug.) entire letter (violet institution handstamp on face panel) from London addressed to Ralph Payne, marked "P LN6" in red and showing Bishopmark on reverse; and 1787 (3 Nov.) entire letter from Lancaster and sent privately to Joseph Tyson, endorsed "p Ship Thomas, Ca. Swan";

£150-180
- 168 ☒

1832 (19 Sept.) OHMS entire letter (soiled and stained) from the Quarter Master General's Office to an Officer in the 86th Regiment, showing Crowned "FREE" d.s. in red; 1838 (26 July) entire letter from England and rated "2/3"; 1852 (1 May) entire letters (2) from Glasgow, marked "pr Orinoco" and "pr Magdalelena", the latter being a duplicate letter, showing despatch datestamps and rated "1/-"; 1853 (1 Feb.) entire letter from London, rated "1/-" and showing despatch d.s.; and 1862 (13 Feb.) envelope (light stains) from London showing handstruck "1d" in red

£150-180
- 169 ☒

1845 (30 Mar.) entire letter (faults) from Ireland sent via Barbados and rated "4" and showing Barbados double-arc d.s. on reverse; 1845 (16 Dec.) and 1847 (24 May) entire letters from Manchester sent via London and rated "1/-", and 1847 (25 Sept.) OHMS entire from London showing Crowned Paid d.s. in red. All are addressed to an Officer in the 3rd West India Regiment

£200-250

Wm. B. R.

Our Will and Pleasure is, that
 you prepare a Bill for Our Royall Signature
 to pass Our Great Seal in the words or to the
 Effect following.

William and Mary by the Grace of God King and
 Queen of England, Scotland France and Ireland Defender
 of the Faith &c. To Our Trusty and Well beloved Christopher
 Godington Esq. Greeting We Expressing Special Trust and
 Confidence in Your Audacity Courage and Loyalty, Out of Our
 special Grace certain Knowledge and our Motion have
 thought fit to constitute and appoint, and by these Presents
 do constitute and appointe You the said Christopher
 Godington to be Our Captain General and Governour in
 Chief in and over Our Islands of Newe Christopher,
 Montserrat, Antigua, Barbouda, Anguilla, and all
 other Our Islands Colonies and Plantations in America
 commonly called or known by the name of Our Spanish
 Islands lying and being to the Westward of Guadaloupe
 to the Island of Volador, into Sea, which now are or hereafter
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- 170 ☒ 1846 (28 June) entire letter from Manchester to Grenada, re-addressed to Demerara and again to St. Kitts and showing, on reverse, fine Grenada double-arc d.s.; 1856-57 envelopes (8) from Cullompton in Devon (7) or Glasgow addressed to John Beckles, each rated "6", and 1856 (12 Nov.) entire from Antigua to the same addressee, rated "4" and showing fine "ANTIGUA" double-arc d.s. on reverse; condition a little mixed £300-400
- 171 ☒ 1847 (23 June) envelope (peripheral faults) marked "OHMS", addressed to "The Field Officer, Commanding the Troops, St. Kitts" and rated "1/4"; 1847 (26 Sept.) envelope (with letter) from Dominica, rated "4" and showing very fine Dominica double-arc d.s. on reverse; and 1859 (28 Sept.) envelope (discoloured and with faults) from Antigua, rated "8" and showing, on reverse, despatch c.d.s. £120-150
- 172 ☒ 1866 (16 Mar.) double rate entire letter from London, bearing GB 1/- Pl. 4 pair (light stains around perfs), showing handstruck "2" in red with, on reverse, despatch and arrival double-arc datestamps; and 1865 (28 Jan.) envelope from Manchester, bearing GB 1/- Pl. 4 tied by "498" duplex, showing Manchester Paid c.d.s., handstruck "1d" in red with London and arrival double-arc d.s. on reverse. £120-150
- 173 ☒ 1866 (17 July) entire letter from London, bearing GB 1/-, showing red crayon "1" with red despatch and arrival double-arc datestamps and 1879 (1 July) envelope (small faults) from London, bearing GB 4d. sage-green Pl. 16 and showing arrival c.d.s. on reverse; also 1862 (15 Dec.) envelope from London to Nevis, bearing GB 1/- green, showing red crayon "2" with despatch and arrival double-arc d.s. on reverse £150-180

Early Documents etc.

- 174 1689 Appointment of Governor to the Leeward Islands of Colonel Christopher Codrington "To be our Captain General and Governor over our islands of Nevis, St. Christophers, Montserrat, Antegoa, Barbuda, Anguilla", signed by King William III at Hampton Court in the first year of his reign with Queen Mary. A magnificent early document. Photo £1,500-2,000
- 175 1705 (19 Apr.) Edmund Dummer's Packet Boat service between Plymouth and the West Indies and appointment of Deputy Postmasters at each island, a detailed notice in complete issue of "The London Gazette" (16-19 April 1705), listing postal rates, the time the packet boat was to spend at each island and the arrangements for mail transmission between the West Indies and the American colonies £100-120
- 176 1800 (26 Apr.), 1801 (4 Dec.) and 1810 (26 Apr.) Bills of Lading from Sandy Point, Basseterre and Road Basseterre respectively for ten hogshead of Muscouade Sugar, all partly printed, fine £100-120
- 177 1817 (Jan.) "No 1, ON PACKET LETTER RATES" notice from the General Post Office to all Postmasters giving the Foreign and Packet rates from London and from Falmouth, backed on thick paper and in a good state of preservation £250-300
- 178 1837 Appointment of Lieutenant Colonel Henry George Maclead as Lieutenant Governor of St. Christopher, signed by William IV and showing his red seal, embossed Stamp Duty of £75 and London c.d.s. of 24th February, 1837. Good condition. Photo £300-400
- 179 1860 (14 Nov.) "SAINT CHRISTOPHER", No. 169, "An Act to establish and regulate a Post Office in the Island of Saint Christopher"; good condition £200-250

Photo for lot 174 appears on page 41

William the Fourth



William the Fourth
by the Grace of God of the United
Kingdom of Great Britain and
Ireland King Defender of the Faith
To Our Trusty and Wellbelov'd Henry
George Mactlood Esquire, Lieutenant
Colonel in Our Army, Greeting. We
reposing especial Trust and Confidence
in your Loyalty courage and
Prudence do by these Presents
constitute and appoint you to be
Lieutenant Governor of Our Island
of Saint Christopher in America
to have hold exercise and enjoy
the said Office of Lieutenant
Governor of Our said Island

Lieut. Colonel
Henry George Mactlood
Lieutenant Governor
Saint Christopher



Great Britain used in St. Christopher

1858-60



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- 180 ○ 1d. rose-red, IJ, with very fine central “A12”, fine. S.G. Z1, £750. Photo £200-250
- 181 ○ 1d. rose-red, OK, 4d. rose (affixed to fragment) and 6d. lilac, all with very fine central “A12”, each with vertical crease, the 1d. with perfs cut off at top and the 6d. with some short perfs at right. S.G. Z1, Z3, Z4; £1500. Photo £250-300
- 182 △ 4d. with fine central “A12”, affixed to fragment, fine. S.G. Z3, £500. Photo £150-180
- 183 ○ 4d. rose with neat central “A12”, short crease at left and some shortish perfs at right, otherwise fine. S.G. Z3, £500. Photo £100-120



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- 184 ○ 4d. rose (2) and 6d. lilac (3), each with central “A12”, one 4d. and 6d. with fair strike, the others with good to fine strikes, all with perf faults. S.G. Z3-Z4, £1750. Photo £250-300



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- 185 ○ 6d. lilac horizontal strip of four with wing-margin at left, each with central “A12”, some small marginal faults. A very rare multiple. S.G. Z4, £1000. Photo £600-800

PROVENANCE:

J. Grant Glassco, November 1969



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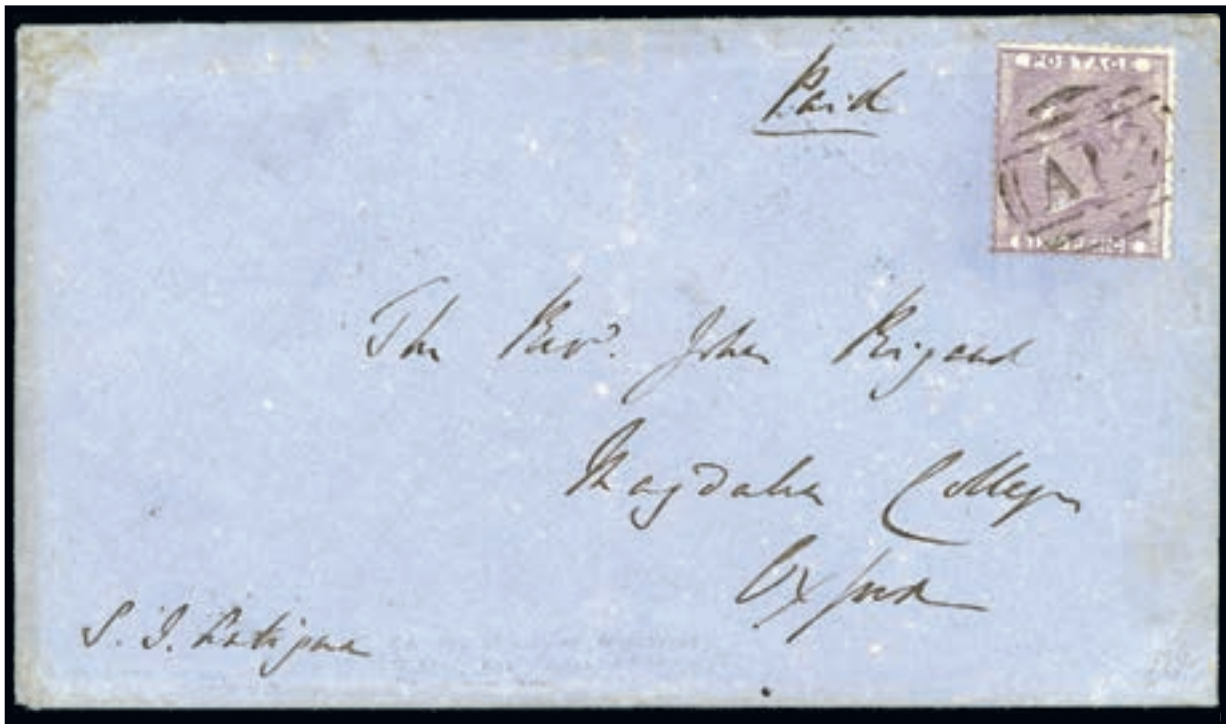


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| 186 ○ | 6d. lilac with bold central “A12”, fine. S.G. Z4, £250. Photo | £80-100 |
| 187 ○ | 6d. lilac with superb complete “A12”, fine. B.P.A. Certificate (1960). S.G. Z4, £250. Photo | £80-100 |
| 188 ○ | 6d. lilac with fine central “A12”, one short perf at left otherwise fine. S.G. Z4, £250. Photo | £70-90 |
| 189 ○ | 6d. lilac, two examples with clear central “A12”, one with some slightly trimmed perfs at top left, the other with perfs trimmed at top and at right. S.G. Z4, £500 | £100-120 |
| 190 △ | 6d. lilac tied by fine “A12” on 1860 (28 Mar.) large part front and one side flap to Macclesfield, showing fine St. Kitts double-arc d.s. on the side flap; the 6d. with a few stained perfs. S.G. Z4 | £100-120 |
| 191 ○ | 1/- green with neat central “A12”, fine. An exceptional example of this rare stamp. S.G. Z5, £2250. Photo | £1,000-1,200 |
| 191A ○ | 1/- green with superb central “A12”, perf defects at lower left, otherwise fine. Very rare. S.G. Z5, £2250. Photo | £200-250 |



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| 192 ☒ | 1858 (29 Nov.) envelope from Stephen Jordon Rigaud, Bishop of Antigua, to his brother at Oxford, marked “S.J. Antigua” at lower left, bearing 6d. lilac centrally cancelled “A12” and showing, on reverse, St. Kitts, London and arrival datestamps. Photo | £300-400 |
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A Rare Four Pence Rate Franking



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193 ☒

1859 (13 Feb.) entire letter to New York, marked "pr Mail via Havanna", bearing 4d. rose centrally cancelled "A12", showing circular-framed "STEAMSHIP/10" with, on reverse, St. Kitts and St. Thomas (14.2) double-arc datestamps. A rare franking. B.P.A. Certificate (2010). Photo

£2,500-3,000

A Very Rare Franking to Trinidad



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194 ☒

1859 (18 Mar.) entire letter to Trinidad, bearing 1d. red strip of four, EE-EH, each centrally cancelled "A12" and showing St. Kitts double-arc datestamp on reverse; EH crossed by vertical filing crease and with perfs trimmed at foot. A very rare franking. Photo

£3,000-4,000

St. Christopher - *contd.*

1870-71 Watermark Crown CC, Perf. 12½

Bogus Essays

- 195 ⑥ Four examples, in blue, black, green and brown, all stamp-size or with up to 4mm. margins on wove paper, fine £150-180
- 196 ⑥ Three examples, two in black with 10mm. margins (corner crease well clear of design) and with 4-5mm. margins (back on card), and in green with 15-23mm. margins, fine £120-150



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Die Proofs

- 197 ⑥ Master die proofs (2) with blank value tablet in black on glazed card, both inset and mica-covered on card (92x60mm.), marked "BEFORE" and "AFTER HARDENING" and dated "Jan, 21 1870" and "Jan, 22 1870" respectively, fine. Photo £1,000-1,200

PROVENANCE:
Col. J.R. Danson, June 1971



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- 198 ⑥ Master die proofs (2) with blank value tablet in black on glazed card (92x60mm.), marked "BEFORE" and "AFTER HARDENING" and dated "Jan, 21 1870" and "Jan, 22 1870" respectively, fine. Photo £1,000-1,200



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- 199 ⑥ Master die proof with blank value tablet in black on glazed card (92x60mm.), marked "BEFORE HARDENING" and dated "Jan, 21. 1870", fine. Photo £500-600
- 200 ⑥ Master die proof with blank value tablet in black on glazed card (92x60mm.), marked "AFTER HARDENING" and dated "Jan, 22. 1870", fine. Photo £500-600



201

- 201 ⑥ Master die proof with blank value tablet, stamp-size in black on glazed card and inset on thick card (29x33mm.), fine. Photo £400-500



202

- 202 ⑥ Master die proof with blank value tablet, stamp-size in black on glazed card, similar proofs of "ONE PENNY" and "SIX PENCE" value tablets affixed alongside, the whole proof on piece marked "1870 Jan 25th 20 stamps in each form No 1-40" and signed "Mr McDonald", the proofs with some light staining at edges. Photo £600-800

PROVENANCE:
De La Rue archives, January 1978

St. Christopher, 1870-71 Watermark Crown CC, Perf. 12½, Die Proofs - *contd.*



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- 203 ⑥ Master die proof with blank value tablet in pale violet on glazed card (92x60mm.) and initialled "AMcD", fine. Photo £800-1,000
- PROVENANCE:
Harmers auction, November 1984

- 204 ⑥ Master die proof with blank value tablet in brown on glazed card (92x60mm.) and initialled "AMcD", fine. Photo £800-1,000
- PROVENANCE:
Dale Lichtenstein, September 1990



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- 205 ⑥ Master die proof with blank value tablet in yellow on glazed card (92x60mm.) and initialled "AMcD", negligible mark between "o" and "s" of "POSTAGE", otherwise fine. Photo £800-1,000
- PROVENANCE:
Dale Lichtenstein, September 1990

- 206 ⑥ Master die proof with blank value tablet in orange-brown on glazed card (92x60mm.) and initialled "AMcD", fine. Photo £800-1,000

De La Rue Ink Recipes

- 207 ⑥田 De La Rue dummy stamp blocks of four (2) in purple and green, each affixed to photocopy of the original ink recipe, fine £200-250



208

Imperforate Plate Proof

208 ⑥ 6d. yellow-green on gummed watermarked paper, fine. Very rare. Photo £500-600
 PROVENANCE:
 R.H. Urwick, October 1964



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Specimen Stamps

209 ⑤ 1d. dull rose handstamped "SPECIMEN" (Type D5), small part original gum, small thin at top left otherwise fine. Rare. S.G. 1. Photo £400-500

210 ⑤ 6d. yellow-green handstamped "SPECIMEN" (Type D5), small part original gum, fine. Rare. S.G. 4. Photo £500-600

211 ⑤ 6d. yellow-green handstamped "SPECIMEN" (Type 5) in blue, small part original gum, fine. Rare. S.G. 4. Photo £500-600
 PROVENANCE:
 Dale Lichtenstein, September 1990



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212 ⑤ 1d. dull rose and 6d. green (a few clipped perfs) affixed to piece, both overprinted "SPECIMEN" (Type D10), fine. Rare. S.G. 1, 4. Photo £500-600
 PROVENANCE:
 De La Rue archive, January 1978

213 ⑤ 1d. dull rose and 6d. yellow-green, both overprinted "SPECIMEN" (Type D10) and both with traces of gum, fine. S.G. 1, 4. Photo £400-500
 PROVENANCE:
 De La Rue archive, January 1978

St. Christopher, 1870-71 Watermark Crown CC, Perf. 12½ - *contd.*



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Cancelled Stamps

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| 214 © | 1d. dull rose, imperforate, handstamped "CANCELLED" (Type D6), no gum, fine. Rare. S.G. 1. Photo | £500-600 |
| 215 © | 1d. dull rose (pale shade) handstamped "CANCELLED" (Type D10), no gum, fine. S.G. 1. Photo | £300-400 |
| 216 © | 1d. dull rose and 6d. yellow-green (imperforate), both overprinted "CANCELLED" (Type D7) and affixed to piece dated "1871 Nov 14", fine. S.G. 1, 4. Photo | £700-900 |
| PROVENANCE:
De La Rue archives, January 1978 | | |
| 217 © ^B | 1d. magenta and 6d. green, both imperforate plate proof blocks of twenty (5x4) on unwatermarked thick surfaced paper with complete margins (the 1d. with top right corner defective) and each handstamped "CANCELLED" in black, the 6d with light score mark at upper right just affecting one impression. The only complete sheets recorded. Photo | £5,000-6,000 |
| PROVENANCE:
H. Douglas Bessemer, February 1963
Dr. Conrad Latto | | |

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St. Christopher, 1870-71 Watermark Crown CC, Perf. 12½ - *contd.*

Issued Stamps

- 218 1d. dull rose mint (8, four with **watermark sideways** and one with **watermark inverted**) and used with **watermark sideways**, 1d. magenta mint (6, two with **watermark inverted**) and used (4 including a pair, one with value tablet in deep magenta and one with **watermark inverted**) and 6d. mint (2) and used (17 including five pairs), mostly fine. S.G. 1-5, £2500+ £500-600
- 219 ★田 1d. dull rose block of four, fresh and fine unused with large part original gum, the lower pair unmounted. S.G. 1, £360 £200-250
- PROVENANCE:
Vestey Collection, December 2014
- 220 ★ 1d. dull rose with **watermark sideways**, two examples, one pointing to the left, the other to the right, fine unused with large part original gum. S.G. 1a, £450 £120-150



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- 221 ★ 1d. dull rose, a top left corner example with current number, variety **watermark sideways**, strong colour, fine unused with large part original gum. S.G. 1a, £225. Photo £120-150
- PROVENANCE:
William Frazer, October 2003



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- 222 ★田 1d. magenta block of six (3x2), unused with mainly large part original gum, fine. S.G. 2, £480. Photo £250-300
- PROVENANCE:
Dale Lichtenstein, September 1990



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- 223 ★田 1d. magenta block of four with **watermark inverted**, fine unused with large part original gum. S.G. 2w, £680. Photo £300-400
- 224 ★田 1d. magenta (pale shade) block of four with **watermark inverted**, fine unused with mainly large part original gum. S.G. 2w, £680. Photo £300-400



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- 225 ★田 6d. green top left corner block of four with current number, fresh colour, mounted in the selvedge only. S.G. 5, £480. Photo £500-600
- PROVENANCE:
William Frazer, October 2003
Vestey Collection, December 2014

St. Christopher, 1870-71 Watermark Crown CC, Perf. 12½ - *contd.*

Covers

- 226 ☒ 1871 (27 Mar.) envelope to USA, bearing 6d. yellow-green tied by St. Kitts c.d.s. and overstruck by "N.Y. STEAMSHIP/10" c.d.s. (20.4) with another strike alongside, showing red crayon "4" with St. Thomas transit d.s. (28.3) on reverse; the envelope with small piece missing from top right corner. A scarce franking. Photo £500-600

PROVENANCE:

H. Douglas Bessemer, February 1963



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- 227 ☒ 1872 (12 Nov.) entire to Holland, bearing 6d. green (2) clearly cancelled by St. Kitts c.d.s. with year date inverted and reversed, showing red crayon "5" overwritten "11", red London Paid transit d.s. with arrival datestamp (28.11) on reverse. A rare franking and destination. Photo £1,000-1,200

Note: This cover was initially franked with a single 6d. cancelled with St. Kitts c.d.s. and marked "5" in manuscript. It was then realised that the letter was underfranked and a second 6d. was added and similarly cancelled. The manuscript "5" was then overwritten "11".

PROVENANCE:

R.H. Urwick, October 1964

- 228 ☒ 1873 (27 Jan.) double rate envelope to London, bearing 6d. green vertical pair placed sideways and tied by St. Kitts c.d.s. and showing red Paid arrival datestamp. A rare franking. Photo £800-1,000

PROVENANCE:

"Forsyth", March 1978

- 229 ☒ 1873 (17 Feb.) envelope to Antigua, bearing 6d. yellow-green neatly tied by St. Kitts c.d.s., showing another strike alongside and red crayon "4" with arrival datestamp (28.2) on reverse; the envelope with some light stains and part of flap missing. Photo £400-500

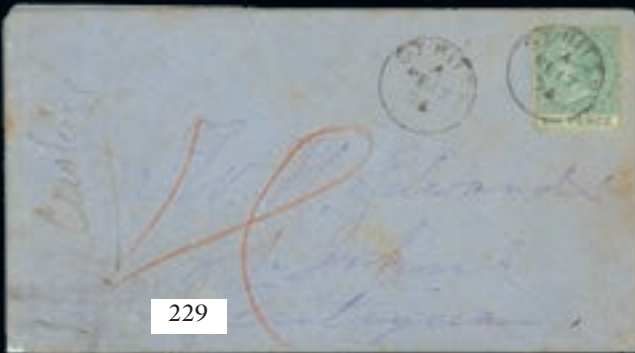
- 230 ☒ 1873 (27 Apr.) envelope to Bishops Stortford, bearing 6d. green pair tied by St. Kitts c.d.s. and showing arrival datestamp (15.5) on reverse; the envelope with some small faults. Photo £400-500



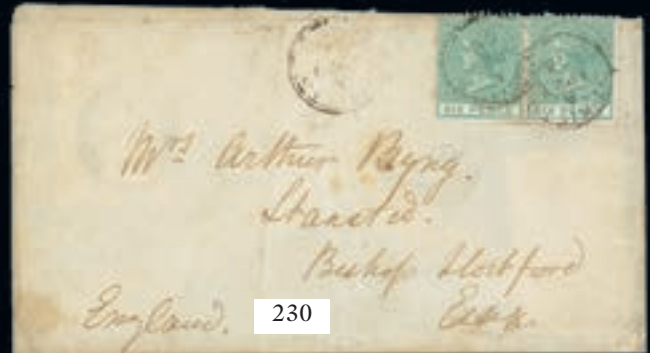
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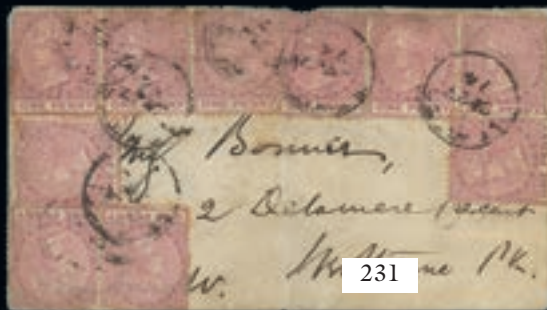
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St. Christopher, 1870-71 Watermark Crown CC, Perf. 12½, Covers - contd.

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| 231 ☒ | 1874 (27 Dec.) envelope to Melbourne, bearing 1d. dull rose (10) tied by St. Kitts c.d.s. without code letter and showing arrival datestamp (14.1.75) on reverse; some staining and other faults, nevertheless a rare franking and destination. Photo | £400-500 |
| 232 △ | 1875 (10 Mar.) and (26 Aug.) double rate fronts ex the " <i>De Bernardy</i> " correspondence to London, both bearing 6d. green pair cancelled by St. Kitts c.d.s. and dumb obliterator respectively, and showing red Paid arrival datestamp (31.3 and 13.9) | £200-250 |
| 233 △ | 1875 (16 Mar.) front to Guadeloupe, bearing 6d. green tied by St. Kitts c.d.s., showing arrival datestamp (18.3) and handstruck "30" (delivery charge) | £100-120 |
| 234 ☒ | 1876 statement (split into four parts) of account of the revenue for the island of St. Kitts during the year 1876 which amounted to just over thirty thousand pounds, bearing 1d. magenta paying the local letter rate, clearly tied by dumb obliterator. A rare franking. Photo | £300-400 |



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| 235 ☒ | 1877 (26 Mar.) treble rate entire letter to Demerara, bearing 6d. green vertical pair placed sideways and tied by dumb obliterator, showing St. Kitts c.d.s. at lower right with Georgetown arrival datestamp (3.4) on reverse. A rare franking to a most unusual destination. Photo | £800-1,000 |
| 236 ☒ | 1878 (14 Mar.) double rate mourning envelope to USA bearing, on reverse, 1d. magenta block of twelve (3x4) clearly tied by manuscript " <i>Stamped</i> " down the centre vertical row, dumb obliterator and blue arrival datestamp, the face showing red crayon "4" plus St. Kitts and New York "DUE/5/CENTS" datestamps; piece missing from lower right of face panel. A rare and impressive franking. Photo | £600-800 |

Photos also appear on page 57

1875-79 Watermark Crown CC, Perf. 14

De La Rue Ink Recipes

- 237 © De La Rue dummy stamps blocks of four (2) in maroon, each affixed to piece giving details of the ink recipe for the 2½d. red-brown in slightly differing shades, fine £200-250



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Specimen Stamps

- 238 © 1d. magenta (perfs cut off at foot), 2½d. red-brown, 4d. blue and 6d. green (corner fault), each handstamped “SPECIMEN” (Type D8) and all affixed to piece. Rare. Photo £500-600
 PROVENANCE:
 De La Rue archives, January 1978
- 239 © 1d. magenta (some trimmed perfs at bottom left), 2½d. red-brown, 4d. and 6d. green, each overprinted “SPECIMEN” (Type D8) and all with large part original gum, fine. Photo £600-800
- 240 © 1d. magenta (thin at top left), 2½d. red-brown (straight edge at right), 4d. (perfs cut off at foot) and 6d. (perfs cut off at foot), plus 1882 CA ½d. dull green and 2½d. pale red-brown, each handstamped “SPECIMEN” and all without gum. Photo £500-600

Cancelled Stamps

- 241 © 2½d. red-brown and 4d. blue (perfs cut off at top), both handstamped “CANCELLED” (Type D7) and both without gum. Photo £300-400

St. Christopher, 1875-79 Watermark Crown CC, Perf. 14 - contd.

Issued Stamps

242	1d. magenta mint (3, one without gum) and used (14 including two strips of three and a pair), 2½d. used (2), 4d. used (4, one with watermark inverted) and 6d. unused and used (4); condition generally fine. S.G. 6-9, £880+	£150-180
243 ★ ㊟	1d. magenta, a complete mint sheet (5x4) with full margins, a few split perfs otherwise fine. S.G. 6, £1600	£600-800
244 ★ ㊟	1d. magenta, a top left corner block of six (3x2) with current number, fine unused with large part original gum. S.G. 6, £480	£150-180
245 ★ ㊟	1d. magenta (2) and 6d. green (2) mint blocks of four, one 6d. block with the odd lightly stained perf, otherwise fine. S.G. 6, 9; £560	£120-150
246 ★	2½d. red-brown and 4d. blue, both fine unused with large part original gum. S.G. 7-8, £390	£100-120



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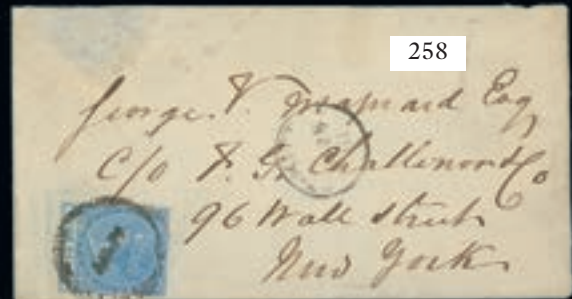
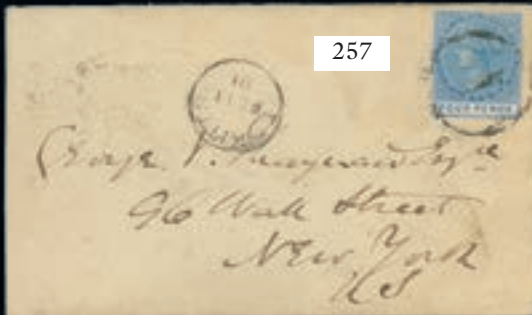
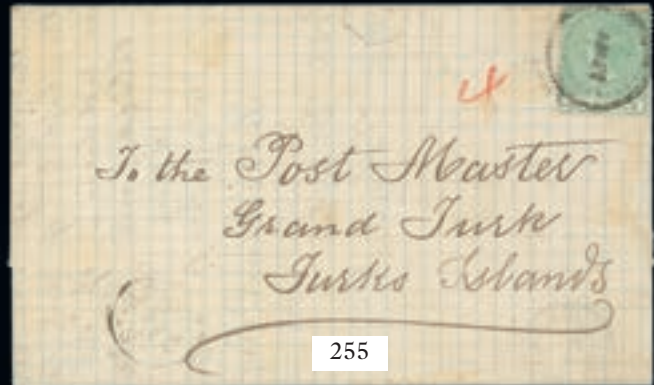
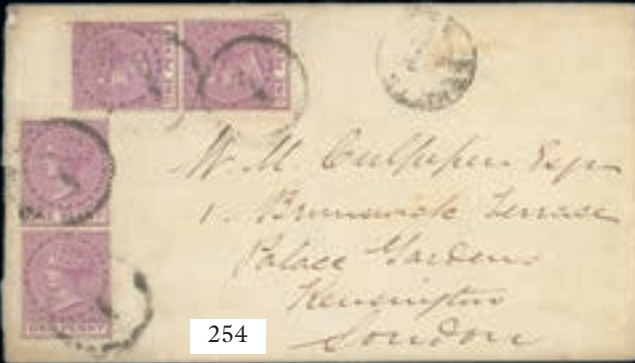
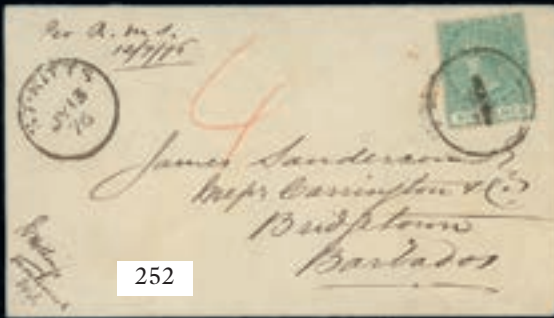
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247 ★ ㊟	4d. blue block of four, fine unused with part to large part original gum. S.G. 8, £800. Photo	£300-400
248 ★	4d. blue with watermark inverted , fine unused with part original gum. S.G. 8w, £425. Photo	£120-150
249 ★	4d. blue with watermark inverted , one short perf at left otherwise fine unused with large part original gum. S.G. 8w, £425. Photo	£100-120
250 ★ ㊟	6d. green complete mint sheet (5x4), some hinge remnants, fine. Rare. S.G. 9, £1200	£500-600
251 ★ ㊟	6d. green block of four with margin at top showing current number, crease in margin and central hinge remnant, otherwise fine mint. S.G. 9, £240	£80-100

Covers

252 ㊟	1876 (13 July) envelope to Barbados, marked "Per A.M.S.", bearing 6d. green tied by dumb obliterator, showing red crayon "4", St. Kitts c.d.s. and, on reverse, arrival datestamp. Photo	£400-500
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Note: This cover was intended for the R.M. Steamer at St. Kitts from the known correspondence between Hollings at Montserrat and James Sanderson at Barbados. Too late for the bag as no G.P.O. Montserrat Paid was applied, and conveyed by the Cassin Contract Mailboat to St. Kitts (Frederick Cassin of Antigua carried mail between St. Kitts, Nevis and Montserrat, when this contract was started is uncertain but it was renewed in February, 1874).



St. Christopher, 1875-79 Watermark Crown CC, Perf. 14, Covers - *contd.*

- 253 ☒ 1878 (28 Oct.) envelope to Nova Scotia, bearing 6d. green tied by dumb obliterator, showing red crayon "4", St. Kitts c.d.s. and handstruck "3" with Halifax datestamp (16.11) on reverse; the envelope with 28mm. tear below adhesive. Photo £600-800
- PROVENANCE:
Peter Jaffé, October 2006
- 254 ☒ 1879 (12 July) envelope to London, bearing 1d. magenta vertical pairs (2) tied by dumb obliterator, showing St. Kitts c.d.s. with arrival datestamp (28.7) on reverse; the envelope slightly soiled. Photo £300-400
- 255 ☒ 1879 (11 Sept.) entire letter to Turks Islands, bearing 6d. green tied by dumb obliterator, showing red crayon "4" and St. Kitts c.d.s. with, on the inside, fine Turks Island c.d.s. (10.10); small tear at top of face panel. Photo £300-400
- 256 ☒ 1880 (26 Jan.) envelope ex the "Wade" correspondence to Kent, bearing 1d. magenta strip of four tied by dumb obliterator, showing St. Kitts c.d.s. alongside with Beckenham arrival datestamp (12.2) on reverse; small repaired tear at top caused through opening. Photo £300-400
- 257 ☒ 1881 (11 Feb.) envelope to New York, bearing 4d. blue tied by dumb obliterator, showing St. Kitts c.d.s. with arrival datestamp on reverse. Photo £200-250
- PROVENANCE:
H. Douglas Bessemer, February 1963
- 258 ☒ 1881 (25 Feb.) envelope to New York, bearing 4d. blue tied by dumb obliterator, showing St. Kitts c.d.s. with arrival datestamp (10.3) on reverse; envelope with repair at top left. Photo £200-250
- 259 ☒ 1882 (11 July) envelope ex the "De Bernardy" correspondence to London, bearing 4d. blue tied by dumb obliterator and showing St. Kitts c.d.s. alongside with arrival datestamp (27.7) on reverse. Photo £200-250
- 260 ☒ 1882 (11 Sept.) double rate envelope ex the "Wade" correspondence to London, bearing 4d. blue pair tied by dumb obliterator and showing St. Kitts c.d.s. partly overstruck by red Paid arrival datestamp. Photo £300-400
- 261 ☒ 1882 (12 Oct.) envelope to London, bearing 4d. blue tied by dumb obliterator and showing St. Kitts c.d.s. and red Paid arrival datestamp; the 4d. with two lightly stained perfs at right. Photo £180-220
- 262 ☒ 1883 (12 July) double rate envelope ex the "De Bernardy" correspondence to London, bearing 1d. magenta vertical pair and 6d. green tied by "A12" obliterator with St. Kitts c.d.s. alongside and with arrival datestamp (28.7) on reverse. Photo £500-600
- 263 ☒ 1888 (25 Oct.) "Winch Bros" envelope registered to Colchester, bearing 6d. green tied by "A12" obliterator, showing "R" in oval, St. Kitts c.d.s. and red London transit d.s.; the odd minor stain at left. Photo £400-500
- 264 ☒ 1889 (6 June) envelope registered to Munich, bearing 6d. green clearly tied by "A12" obliterator, showing "R" in oval, St. Kitts c.d.s. and red London transit datestamp. A neat and attractive franking. Photo £300-400
- 265 ☒ 1889 (19 Dec.) envelope registered to England, bearing 6d. green tied by "A12" obliterator, showing "R" in oval and St. Kitts c.d.s. with arrival datestamp (5.1) on reverse. Photo £400-500

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1882-90 Watermark Crown CA



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Imperforate Proofs

- 266 © 1/2d., 1d. carmine-rose, 2½d. ultramarine, 4d. grey, 6d. and 1/-, all marginal except the last and all with part original gum, fine. Extremely rare. Photo £1,500-2,000
- PROVENANCE:
R.H. Urwick, October 1964
Colonel J.R. Danson, June 1971

Specimen Stamps

- 267 © 6d. olive-brown and 1/- mauve, both overprinted "SPECIMEN" and affixed to fragment ex the De La Rue archives, plus 6d. olive-brown vertical strip of three similarly overprinted, fresh and fine mint £100-120

Issued Stamps

- 268 ★ 1/2d. (21 including three blocks of four, two from lower left with plate number and two with **watermark sideways** - both without gum and one a fraction toned), 1d. dull magenta (no gum), 1d. carmine-rose (11 including a block of four), 2½d. red-brown (5, two deep), 2½d. ultramarine (15 including two blocks of four), 4d. blue (lightly toned), 4d. grey (9 including a block of four), 6d. (9, three overprinted "SPECIMEN", one with current number and one with plate number) and 1/- (9, three overprinted "SPECIMEN"), all mint, mostly fine. S.G. 11-21, £4300+ £700-900
- 269 ○ 1/2d. (6), 1d. dull magenta (9 including two pairs), 1d. carmine-rose (7), 2½d. red-brown (7, three deep), 2½d. ultramarine (5), 4d. blue (9 including a pair), 4d. grey (9 including a block of four), 6d. (4) and 1/- (13 including a pair and four with **watermark inverted**), all used, generally fine. S.G. 11-21, £4200+ £1,000-1,200
- 270 ★ 1/2d., 1d. carmine-rose, 2½d. ultramarine and 4d. grey, each in a complete mint sheet (5x4), fine £200-250
- 271 ★ 1/2d., 1d. carmine-rose (2, one stained and missing pieces of selvage), 2½d. ultramarine and 4d. grey (4), each in a complete mint sheet of twenty £200-250



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½d. dull green, a complete mint sheet of twenty with **watermark reversed**, some split and reinforced perfs and a little soiled in the margins. An extremely rare multiple. S.G. 11x, £6000. Photo

£2,000-2,500

PROVENANCE:

“Foxley”, April 2016



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1d. carmine-rose with **watermark sideways**, neatly cancelled, tiny central thin otherwise fine. Extremely rare. R.P.S. Certificate (1972). Unlisted in Stanley Gibbons though recorded in the Robson Lowe Encyclopaedia. Photo

£500-600

274 ★

4d. blue, fine unused with large part original gum. S.G. 17, £550. Photo

£150-180

275 ★

4d. grey with **watermark reversed**, fine mint. Unlisted in Stanley Gibbons. Photo

£120-150

St. Christopher, 1882-90 Watermark Crown CA, Issued Stamps - *contd.*



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| 276 ★ | 6d. olive-brown, a top left corner block of four with current number, fresh and fine mint. S.G. 19. Photo | £300-400 |
| 277 ★ | 6d. olive-brown block of four, fine mint. S.G. 19. Photo | £250-300 |
| 278 ○ | 1/- mauve with watermark inverted , fine used. S.G. 20w, £190 | £60-80 |



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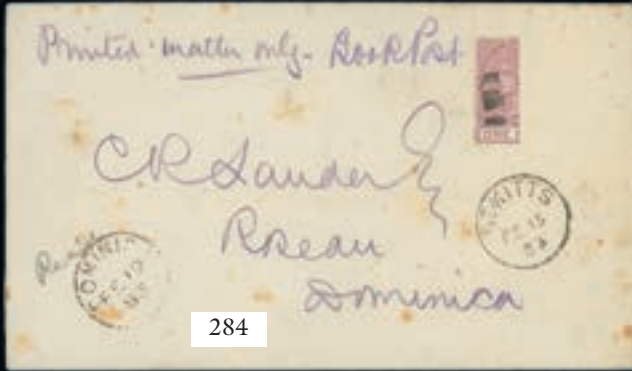
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| 279 ★ | 1/- bright mauve, a complete mint sheet (5x4), fresh and fine. Rare. S.G. 21, £1800. Photo | £1,000-1,200 |
| 280 ★ | 1/- bright mauve block of four with margin at top, fresh and fine mint. S.G. 21, £360 | £180-220 |



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Covers

- 281 ☒ 1880 (25 Apr.) entire to Demerara, bearing 4d. blue tied by dumb obliterator, showing red crayon "2" and St. Kitts c.d.s. with Georgetown arrival datestamp (3.5) on reverse. Photo £300-400
- 282 ☒ 1882 (11 July) 1d. stationery card to Essex, uprated with ½d. dull green, both tied by St. Kitts c.d.s., fine £60-80
- 283 ☒ 1883 (12 Jan.) envelope to Holland, addressed to "*His Lordship Bishop J.F.H. Mismemores care of the Dutch Consul at Borne*", bearing 4d. blue tied by two strikes of "BORNE" c.d.s. (20.1), showing St. Kitts c.d.s. alongside and red crayon "3" with, on reverse, red London transit datestamp; the envelope and adhesive with some faults including light staining, nevertheless a most unusual franking. Photo £250-300
- 284 ☒ 1883 (15 Feb.) envelope to Dominica, marked "*Printed matter only - Book Post*", bearing 1d. dull magenta **bisected vertically** and cancelled by dumb obliterator, and showing St. Kitts and arrival (19.2) datestamps; some stain spots. Very rare. S.G. 12a, unpriced. Photo £600-800
- 285 ☒ 1883 (9 Mar.) envelope ex the "*De Bernardy*" correspondence to London, bearing 4d. blue tied by dumb obliterator, showing St. Kitts c.d.s. alongside with arrival datestamp (31.3) on reverse. Photo £200-250
- 286 ☒ 1883 (12 Mar.) 1d. stationery card to Essex, uprated with 1d. dull magenta **bisected vertically**, the card cancelled by St. Kitts c.d.s. and the bisect with dumb obliterator; some light discolouration. Rare. S.G.12a, unpriced. Photo £600-800
- PROVENANCE:
R.H. Urwick, October 1964
- 287 ☒ 1883 (24 Feb.) 1d. stationery card from Mrs Pierce, the Postmaster of St. Kitts, to Essex, uprated with 1d. dull magenta **bisected vertically** and cancelled by St. Kitts c.d.s. with date missing and showing another dated strike below. Very rare. S.G. 12a, unpriced. Photo £600-800
- 288 ☒ 1883 (7 Mar.) 1d. stationery card to Dominica, uprated with 1d. dull magenta **bisected diagonally**, clearly cancelled by light St. Kitts c.d.s. and showing arrival datestamp (9.3) below; some light and minor soiling. Very rare. S.G. 12a, unpriced. Photo £800-1,000
- PROVENANCE:
R.H. Urwick, October 1964

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- 289 ☒ 1883 (26 June) envelope ex the "Wade" correspondence registered to London, bearing 1d. dull magenta pair and 4d. blue twice neatly cancelled "A12", showing "R" in oval, St. Kitts c.d.s. and red London Registered arrival datestamp (12.7); some light staining towards right side, nevertheless a rare and handsome franking. Photo £2,500-3,000
 PROVENANCE:
 R.H. Urwick, October 1964
- 290 ☒ 1883 (11 July) envelope ex the "Wade" correspondence to London, bearing 4d. blue neatly tied by "A12" obliterator, showing St. Kitts c.d.s. alongside with red arrival datestamp on reverse. Photo £200-250
- 291 ☒ 1883 (12 Oct.) envelope ex the "De Bernardy" correspondence to London, bearing 4d. blue clearly tied by "A12" obliterator with St. Kitts c.d.s. alongside and showing arrival datestamp on reverse. Photo £200-250
- 292 ☒ 1883 (25 Nov.) envelope (flap missing) ex the "De Bernardy" correspondence to London, bearing 4d. blue neatly tied by "A12" obliterator and showing arrival datestamp (13.12) on reverse. Photo £200-250
- 293 ☒ 1883 (22 Dec.) envelope ex the "De Bernardy" correspondence to London, bearing 4d. blue tied by fine "A12" obliterator, showing St. Kitts c.d.s. alongside with arrival datestamp (12.1) on reverse. Photo £200-250
- 294 ☒ 1884 (1 Jan.) envelope to New York, marked "p Bermuda", bearing 4d. blue tied by "A12" obliterator with St. Kitts c.d.s. alongside and showing arrival datestamp (11.1) on reverse; the envelope with some faults. Photo £150-180
- 295 ☒ 1884 (10 Apr.) complete "St. Christopher Advertiser and Weekly Intelligencer" newspaper dated 8th April, addressed to Hull, bearing 1d. carmine-rose tied by "A12" obliterator and showing St. Kitts and arrival datestamps alongside; some faults. Rare. Photo £500-600

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- 296 ☒ 1884 (25 Apr.) complete “The Saint Christopher Gazette and Charibbean Courier” newspaper dated 11 April, addressed to Hull, bearing 1d. rose-carmine tied by “A12” obliterator and showing St. Kitts and arrival (12.5) datestamps alongside; fine condition and very rare. Photo

£600-800
- 297 ☒ 1884 (25 Aug.) and (25 Oct.) envelopes to the Right Reverend the Lord Bishop of Antigua in London, both bearing 4d. blue tied by “A12” obliterator and showing St. Kitts c.d.s.; both envelopes with faults

£150-180

St. Christopher, 1882-90 Watermark Crown CA, Covers - contd.

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| 298 ☒ | 1885 (18 Feb.) envelope to Toronto, marked " <i>Printed Matter</i> ", bearing 1d. carmine-rose tied by St. Kitts c.d.s. and showing arrival datestamp (6.3) on reverse. A rare rate. Photo | £400-500 |
| 299 ☒ | 1885 (2 July) envelope to New York, bearing 4d. grey tied by "A12" obliterator with St. Kitts c.d.s. alongside and showing arrival datestamp (9.7) on reverse | £100-120 |
| 300 ☒ | 1885 (17 Sept.) envelope ex the " <i>De Bernardy</i> " correspondence to London, bearing 4d. grey tied by "A12" obliterator with St. Kitts c.d.s. alongside and showing arrival datestamp (5.10) on reverse | £120-150 |
| 301 ☒ | 1885 (29 Oct.) envelope to London, bearing 1d. rose-carmine (4) tied by "A12" obliterator, showing St. Kitts c.d.s. with part arrival datestamp on reverse. An unusual make-up of the rate. Photo | £250-300 |
| 302 ☒ | 1886 (20 Jan.) envelope to New York, bearing ½d. dull green vertical strip of three and 2½d. ultramarine, all cancelled by "A12" obliterator, showing St. Kitts c.d.s., blue crayon "2" with arrival datestamp on reverse. An unusual make-up of the 4d. rate. Photo | £150-180 |
| PROVENANCE:
Lawrence Shenfield, March 1975 | | |
| 303 ☒ | 1886 (19 Feb.) envelope to New York, bearing 4d. grey tied by "A12" obliterator with St. Kitts c.d.s. alongside and showing arrival datestamp on reverse | £120-150 |
| 304 ☒ | 1886 (Mar) - 1887 (Dec.) envelopes (5) to New York, each bearing 4d. grey paying the single (3) or double (2) rate, all cancelled by "A12" obliterator and showing St. Kitts c.d.s., all with faults | £200-250 |
| 305 ☒ | 1886 (27 May) envelope ex the " <i>De Bernardy</i> " correspondence to London and 1887 (11 Feb.) envelope to Philadelphia, both bearing 4d. grey tied by "A12" obliterator with St. Kitts c.d.s. alongside | £200-250 |
| 306 ☒ | 1887 (11 Mar.) envelope registered to New York, bearing ½d. dull green, 2½d. ultramarine and 4d. grey, each cancelled by "A12" obliterator, showing blue crayon "8", "R" in oval, St. Kitts c.d.s. with arrival datestamp on reverse. A neat franking with the rate being overpaid by 1d. Photo | £200-250 |



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| 307 ☒ | 1887 (21 Mar.) envelope (opened-out) registered to New York, bearing ½d. dull green (4, one on reverse), 1d. carmine-rose and 2½d. ultramarine, all clearly cancelled by "A12" obliterator, showing "R" in oval and St. Kitts c.d.s. with arrival datestamp on reverse; the envelope with piece missing and replaced at lower right corner and with some wear along folds. Photo | £150-180 |
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- 308 ☒ 1887 (18 Apr.) envelope to New York, bearing ½d. dull green, 1d. carmine-rose and 2½d. ultramarine, all tied by “A12” obliterator and showing St. Kitts c.d.s. with arrival datestamp on reverse £80-100
- 309 ☒ 1887 (24 Oct.) envelope to New York and 1890 (23 June) envelope to Nova Scotia, both bearing 4d. grey tied by “A12” obliterator and showing St. Kitts c.d.s., and both envelopes with some faults; also 1904 (18 Nov.) envelope to Boston, bearing 4d. grey tied by St. Kitts “A12” duplex £120-150



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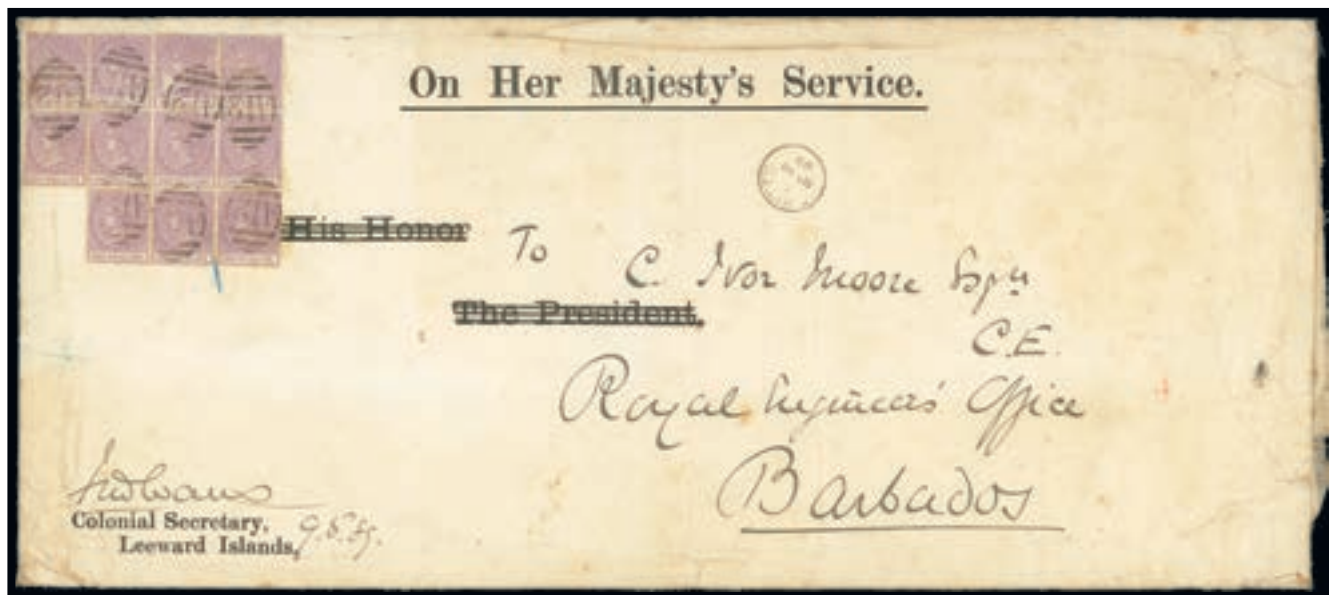
- 310 ☒ 1888 (15 Mar.) envelope to Dominica, bearing 2½d. ultramarine tied by “A12” obliterator and showing St. Kitts and arrival datestamps. The only recorded example of this franking. Photo £800-1,000
 PROVENANCE:
 “Foxley”, April 2016
- 311 ☒ 1888 (1 Apr.) envelope registered to Manchester, bearing ½d. dull green, 1d. rose-carmine (3, a pair on reverse) and 2½d. ultramarine (all with stained perfs) cancelled by “A12” obliterator, showing “R” in oval and St. Kitts c.d.s.; and 1888-89 envelopes (3) to England (2) and Nova Scotia, each bearing 4d. grey tied by “A12” obliterator and showing St. Kitts c.d.s., all with faults £120-150



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- 312 ☒ 1888 (4 Aug.) envelope to Halifax, Nova Scotia, bearing ½d. dull green vertical strips of four (2, one on reverse), both tied by “A12” obliterator, showing St. Kitts c.d.s. with arrival datestamp (18.8) on reverse. A rare make-up of the rate. Photo £300-400
 PROVENANCE:
 “Foxley”, April 2016

St. Christopher, 1882-90 Watermark Crown CA, Covers - *contd.*



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| 313 ☒ | 1889 (9 May) large OHMS envelope (410x178mm.) from the Colonial Secretary, Leeward Islands to the Royal Engineer's Office, Barbados, bearing 1/- mauve block of nine and a vertical pair, all cancelled by "A12" obliterator, showing St. Kitts c.d.s. with arrival datestamp (13.5) on reverse; a few small faults as to be expected with an item of this size. A truly remarkable franking. Photo | £1,500-2,000 |
| 314 ☒ | 1889 (13 July) envelope to Dominica, bearing ½d. dull green and 1d. carmine-rose (2), all clearly cancelled by "A12" obliterator and showing St. Kitts c.d.s.; the envelope with some light staining. Photo | £120-150 |
| 315 ☒ | 1889 (15 Nov.) envelope to Tortola, Virgin Islands, bearing ½d. dull green block of five, all cancelled by "A12" obliterator and showing St. Kitts and arrival (17.11) datestamps. An unusual make-up of the rate. Photo | £200-250 |
| 316 ☒ | 1890 (1 Feb.) envelope to New York, bearing ½d. dull green strip of three and 2½d. ultramarine, both cancelled by "A12" obliterator and showing St. Kitts c.d.s. alongside with arrival datestamp on reverse. A neat and attractive franking | £100-120 |
| 317 ☒ | 1890 (21 Feb.) envelope to Canada, bearing 4d. grey tied by "A12" obliterator and showing St. Kitts c.d.s. alongside with Halifax arrival datestamp (4.3) on reverse | £80-100 |
| 318 ☒ | 1890 (22 May) double rate envelope to Glasgow, bearing ½d. dull green, 1d. rose-carmine (5) and 2½d. ultramarine, all cancelled by "A12" obliterator, showing St. Kitts c.d.s. with arrival datestamp (7.6) on reverse; the envelope soiled | £120-150 |
| 319 ☒ | 1890 (4 June) envelope registered to London, bearing 6d. olive-brown tied by "A12" obliterator and red London hooded arrival datestamp (20.6), showing St. Kitts c.d.s. alongside and "R" in oval; the envelope with flap missing. The only example recorded on cover. Photo | £1,500-1,800 |



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1884 (Dec.) "FOUR/PENCE" on 6d. green

- 320 Seven examples mint (2, one with stop), unused (2, one with stop) and used (3, one with stop); one used with pulled perf at top otherwise generally fine. S.G. 22/22a, £430 £80-100



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- 321 ○ A used example, variety **surchage double** (widely spaced), fine used. Rare. S.G. 22b, £2750. Photo £800-1,000

- 322 ○ A used example, variety **surchage double** (closely spaced), small thin not affecting appearance. Rare. S.G. 22b, £2750. Photo £500-600

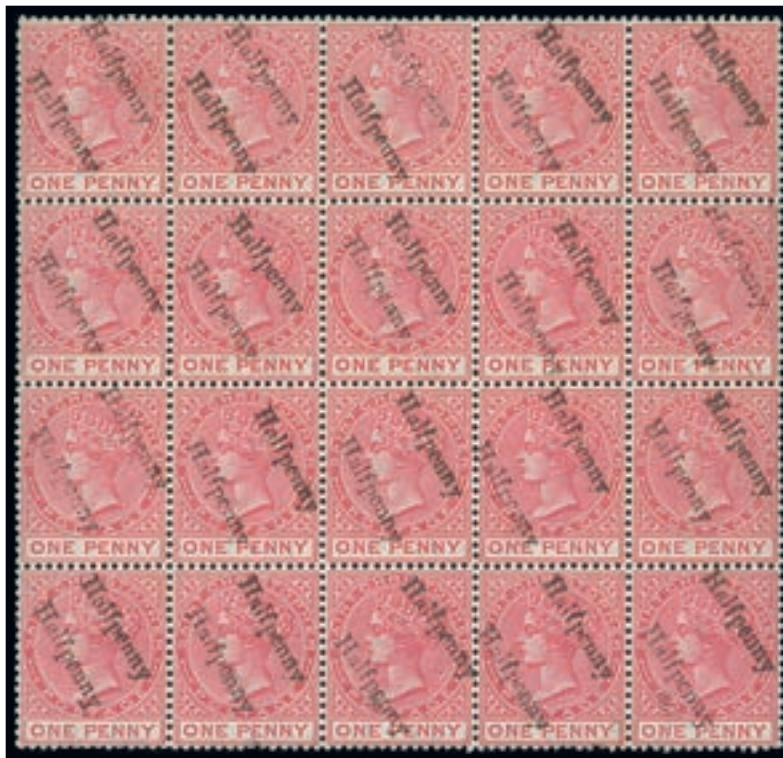


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- 323 ☒ 1885 (12 May) envelope ex the "De Bernardy" correspondence to London, bearing 4d. on 6d. tied by "A12" duplex with St. Kitts c.d.s. alongside and showing arrival datestamp (28.5) on reverse. Photo £300-400

1885 (Mar.) "HALFPENNY" on half of 1d. carmine-rose



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324 ★[®]

A complete sheet of twenty (5x4) **unsevered pairs**, fine unused with almost full original gum. A magnificent exhibition item. S.G. 23a, £2400. Photo

£2,000-2,500

PROVENANCE:
William Frazer, May 2003



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325 ★[®]

A block of eight (4x2) **unsevered pairs**, fine unused with large part or full original gum, fine. S.G. 23a, £960. Photo

£300-400



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326 ★[®]

A block of eight (4x2) **unsevered pairs**, unused with large part or full original gum. S.G. 23a, £960. Photo

£300-400

PROVENANCE:
H. Douglas Bessemer, February 1963

St. Christopher, 1885 (Mar.) "HALFPENNY" on half of 1d. carmine-rose - contd.

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| 327 ★田 | A block of four unsevered pairs , unused with large part original gum, fine. S.G. 23a, £480 | £150-180 |
| 328 ★ | A horizontal pair with surcharge inverted , unused with part or large part original gum. S.G. 23b, £450 | £120-150 |
| 329 ★ | A horizontal pair with surcharge inverted , unused with part or large part original gum. S.G. 23b, £450 | £120-150 |
| 330 | The balance of the issue with mint (13) including unsevered block of four and pairs (2), and a pair with faint "SPECIMEN" handstamp of unknown status, and used (13) including an unsevered pair and three with surcharge inverted; condition generally fine. S.G. 23, £1350 | £350-450 |



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| 331 ☒ | 1885 (12 Mar.) " <i>Whitfield King</i> " envelope registered to Ipswich, bearing a pair in combination with 1884 1d. carmine-rose and 1884 (Dec.) "FOUR/PENCE" on 6d. green with stop, all tied by "A12" obliterator and showing St. Kitts c.d.s. and red London Registered transit d.s. (29.3). Attractive. Photo | £500-600 |
| 332 ☒ | 1885 (22 Apr.) envelope registered to Baltimore, bearing a strip of three and a single (one corner damaged) in combination with 1884 (Dec.) "FOUR/PENCE" on 6d. green, all tied by "A12" obliterator, showing "R" in oval, St. Kitts c.d.s. and, on reverse, New York transit d.s. (7.5). A rare and colourful franking paying the correct rate. Photo | £600-800 |
| PROVENANCE:
Charlton Henry, April 1961
John Griffiths, March 1998 | | |
| 333 ☒ | 1885 (25 Apr.) envelope registered to London, bearing four singles in combination with 1884 (Dec.) "FOUR/PENCE" on 6d. green with stop, all tied by "A12" obliterator, showing "R" in oval, St. Kitts c.d.s. and red Registered arrival datestamp (12.5). Rare and attractive. Photo | £600-800 |
| 334 ☒ | 1885 (25 Apr.) envelope registered to London, bearing four singles in combination with 1884 (Dec.) "FOUR/PENCE" on 6d. green with stop, all tied by "A12" obliterator, showing "R" in oval, St. Kitts c.d.s. and red Registered arrival datestamp (12.5). Rare and attractive. Photo | £600-800 |



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1886 (June) "ONE/PENNY." and "4d." on 6d. green

Specimens

- 335 ☉ "ONE/PENNY." on 6d. and "4d" on 6d., both handstamped "SPECIMEN." in violet applied by the Natal receiving authority, both affixed to small piece, fine. Rare. S.G. 24-25 £200-250

Issued Stamps

- 336 ★ "ONE/PENNY." on 6d. green, a complete mint reconstruction of the surcharge forme, comprising blocks of four (2) and singles (12, three without gum), condition a little variable. S.G. 24, £400 £80-100
- 337 ★^B "ONE/PENNY." on 6d. green, a block of ten, [1-5/6-10], with [10] showing broken "E" in "ONE", unused with large part or full original gum, light tone spot on reverse between [3] and [4], [6] with short perf at foot, otherwise fresh and fine. S.G. 24, £200 £60-80



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- 338 ★ "ONE/PENNY." on 6d. green, variety **surcharge inverted**, unused with part original gum; thinned at top though of fine appearance. Rare. S.G. 24a, £9000. Photo £1,800-2,200
- PROVENANCE:
William Frazer, May 2003

- 339 ★ "ONE/PENNY." on 6d. green, variety **surcharge inverted**, unused without gum, short perf at upper right otherwise fine. Rare. B.P.A. Certificate (1975). S.G. 24a, £9000. Photo £1,500-1,800



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- 340 ★ "ONE/PENNY." on 6d. green, variety **surcharge inverted**, unused without gum, short perfs at top otherwise fine. Rare. B.P.A. Certificate (1936). S.G. 24a, £9000. Photo £1,000-1,200
- PROVENANCE:
Douglas Bessemer, February 1963

- 341 ○ "ONE/PENNY." on 6d. green, variety **surcharge double**, pen-cancelled as are all known used examples, fine. Rare. B.P.A. Certificate (1949). S.G. 24b, £2500. Photo £600-800
- PROVENANCE:
T.V. Roberts, April 1989



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- 342 ○ “ONE/PENNY.” on 6d. green, variety **surchage double**, pen-cancelled as are all known used examples, blunt perf at bottom right and a fraction soiled, otherwise fine. Rare. Friedl Certificate (1962). S.G. 24b, £2500. Photo £500-600

- 343 ○ “ONE/PENNY.” on 6d. green, variety **surchage double**, pen-cancelled as are all known used examples, thinned at top and a few short perfs. Rare. R.P.S. Certificate (1983). S.G. 24b, £2500. Photo £400-500

PROVENANCE:
 “Forsyth”, March 1978



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- 344 ★ “4d.” on 6d. green, a block of nineteen, three in the bottom row with **no stop after “d”**, unused with large part or full original gum, a few minor tone spots on reverse otherwise fine. A rare multiple. S.G. 25/25a, £1635. Photo £800-1,000

St. Christopher, 1886 (June) "ONE/PENNY." and "4d." on 6d. green, Issued Stamps - *contd.*



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- 345 ★ "4d." on 6d. green, variety **surcharge double**, fresh and fine unused with large part original gum. Rare. B.P.A. Certificate (1968). S.G. 25b, £2500. Photo £800-1,000
- 346 ○ "4d." on 6d. green, variety **surcharge double**, lightly cancelled by "A12" obliterator, fine. R.P.S. Certificate (1962). S.G. 25b, £2750. Photo £800-1,000
- 347 ○ "4d." on 6d. green, variety **surcharge double**, cancelled by "A12" obliterator; thinned and a little soiled though a presentable example of this rarity. S.G. 25b, £2750. Photo £400-500
- PROVENANCE:
John Griffiths, March 1998
- 348 The balance of the surcharges comprising 1d. on 6d. mint (13 including blocks of eight and four) and used, and 4d. on 6d. mint (7 including a block of four) and used, also a "used" 1d. on 6d. with forged inverted surcharge; condition generally fine. S.G. 24-25, £825 £200-250

Covers

- 349 ☒ 1885 (11 June) envelope (228x108mm.) registered to London, bearing two examples (both with faults and one with some affixative staining) in combination with 1876 6d. green, all tied by "A12" obliterator, showing "R" in oval, St. Kitts c.d.s. and red Registered arrival datestamp; the envelope with some creases etc. A rare commercial usage. Photo £500-600
- 350 ☒ 1886 (25 June) envelope to Trinidad, bearing 4d. on 6d. (lifted and hinged in place), clearly tied by "A12" obliterator and showing St. Kitts and arrival (2.7) datestamps; the envelope with flap missing and some light discolouration towards lower right corner. Photo £200-250
- 351 ☒ 1886 (29 June) mourning envelope to New York, bearing 4d. on 6d. tied by "A12" obliterator with St. Kitts c.d.s. alongside and arrival datestamp on reverse. A scarce commercial usage. Photo £400-500
- 352 ☒ 1886 (6 July) commercial envelope to Cincinnati, bearing 4d. on 6d. tied by "A12" obliterator with St. Kitts c.d.s. alongside and, on reverse, New York and arrival datestamps; the envelope a fraction soiled and with some minor peripheral wear. Photo £300-400
- PROVENANCE:
R.H. Urwick, October 1964
- 353 ☒ 1886 (5 Aug.) envelope to France, bearing 4d. on 6d. green tied by "A12" obliterator, showing St. Kitts c.d.s. and Calais to Paris T.P.O. d.s. with arrival datestamp (24.8) on reverse. A fine commercial usage to an unusual destination. Photo £500-600



St. Christopher, 1886 (June) "ONE/PENNY." and "4d." on 6d. green, Covers - *contd.*

- 354 ☒ 1886 (19 Aug.) envelope registered to London, bearing 1d. on 6d. (2) and 4d. on 6d., all tied by "A12" obliterator, showing "r" in oval, St. Kitts c.d.s. and red Registered arrival datestamp; the envelope a fraction soiled. Photo £600-800
- 355 ☒ 1886 (30 Aug.) commercial envelope to Trinidad, bearing 4d. on 6d. tied by "A12" obliterator, and showing St. Kitts and arrival (10.9) datestamps. Photo £400-500



356

- 356 ☒ 1888 (25 Apr.) envelope registered to Horsham, bearing 1d. on 6d. vertical strip of four and a vertical pair, all cancelled by "A12" obliterator, showing "r" in oval and St. Kitts c.d.s. with arrival datestamp (14.5) on reverse; the envelope with flap missing. A rare franking. Photo £800-1,000

PROVENANCE:
R.H. Urwick, October 1964



357


- 357 ☒ 1888 (23 May) envelope registered to Horsham, bearing 1d. on 6d. strip of four and vertical pair, all cancelled by "A12" duplex, showing "r" in oval, St. Kitts c.d.s. and red Registered arrival datestamp. A neat and attractive franking. Photo £800-1,000

- 358 ☒ 1899 (24 Mar.) envelope registered to Germany, bearing 1d. on 6d. (2, one defective) in combination with 1882 ½d. dull green, 1d. dull magenta and Leeward Islands 1890 ½d., all cancelled by "A12" obliterator, showing "r" in oval, St. Kitts c.d.s. and London transit datestamp. Photo £200-250




Photos also appear on page 87

END OF MORNING SESSION

Afternoon session**Commencing at 2.00 p.m. (Lots 359-704)****1887 (May) "ONE/PENNY." on ½d. dull green**

- 359 ★  A complete sheet (5x4), a little gum toned otherwise fine mint. S.G. 26, £1000 £300-400
- 360 ★ A complete sheet without margins (gum toned and some short perfs), a pair and singles (7), all mint, mostly fine; also clandestine/forged (4) used on piece, mint and used with surcharge inverted and mint with surcharge double. S.G. 27, £1450 £300-400

Covers

- 361  1887 (9 June) envelope to Antigua, bearing a strip of four and a single tied by "A12" obliterator, and showing St. Kitts and arrival (10.6) datestamps, fine. Photo £400-500
PROVENANCE:
Douglas Bessemer, February 1963
- 362  1887 (9 June) envelope to Antigua, bearing a strip of four and a single tied by "A12" obliterator, and showing St. Kitts c.d.s. with arrival (10.6) datestamp on reverse; the envelope slightly soiled and with horizontal crease towards foot. Photo £300-400
- 363  1887 (4 Aug.) envelope to London, bearing two examples in combination with 1884 1d. carmine-rose pair, all tied by "A12" obliterator, showing St. Kitts c.d.s. with red arrival datestamp on reverse. Photo £500-600

1888 (May) "ONE/PENNY." on 2½d. ultramarine

364

Original value unobliterated

- 364 ○ A used example, [19], lightly cancelled "A12", fine used. One of the rarest stamps of St. Christopher. B.P.A. Certificate (1978). S.G. 27, £14,000. Photo £7,000-9,000

St. Christopher, 1888 (May) "ONE/PENNY." on 2½d. ultramarine - *contd.*



365

Manuscript line through the original value

- 365 ★ B

A complete sheet (5x4) with two blocks of four re-attached at left, part original gum, a few minor faults though generally fine. S.G. 28, £1400. Photo

PROVENANCE:
Dale Lichtenstein, September 1990

£400-500
- 366 ★ B

A block of nine, unused without gum, fine. S.G. 28, £630

£150-180
- 367

Mint singles (2) and used pairs (2) and singles (4, one a fraction toned), fine. S.G. 28, £700

£150-180

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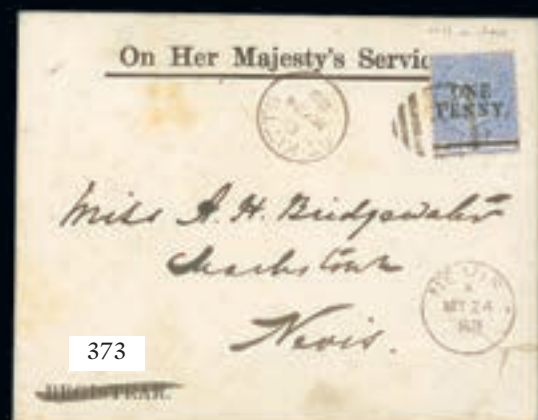
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St. Christopher, 1888 (May) "ONE/PENNY." on 2½d. ultramarine,
Manuscript line through the original value - *contd.*



368

368 ★

A mint single, variety **surcharge inverted**, unused with part original gum, fine. One of the rarest stamps from St. Christopher. S.G. 28a, £25,000. Photo

£10,000-12,000

PROVENANCE:

Charlton Henry, April 1961



369

369 △

A used single with variety **surcharge inverted**, on piece with 1885 (May) ½d. on half of 1d. carmine-rose, clearly tied by "A12" obliterator and showing St. Kitts c.d.s. (11.7.88), fine. Very rare. S.G. 28a, 23, £11,000. Photo

£5,000-6,000

PROVENANCE:

"Forsyth", Narch 1978



370

- 370 ○ A used single with variety **surcharge inverted**, lightly cancelled, fine. Very rare. S.G. 28a, £11,000. Photo £5,000-6,000
- PROVENANCE:
Charlton Henry, April 1961
Dale Lichtenstein, September 1990



371

- 371 ○ A used single with variety **surcharge inverted**, lightly cancelled, some surface rubbing at lower right and tiny defect at lower left, nevertheless a very presentable example of this rarity. R.P.S. Certificate (1962). S.G. 28a, £11,000. Photo £2,500-3,000
- PROVENANCE:
Charlton Henry, December 1961

**St. Christopher, 1888 (May) "ONE/PENNY." on 2½d. ultramarine,
Manuscript line through the original value - *contd.***

Covers

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| 372 ☒ | 1888 (24 May) envelope to Nevis bearing a single tied by "A12" obliterator and showing St. Kitts and arrival (24.5) datestamps; the envelope with horizontal crease towards foot. Photo | £300-400 |
| 373 ☒ | 1888 (24 May) OHMS envelope to Nevis bearing a single tied by "A12" obliterator and showing St. Kitts and arrival (24.5) datestamps; the envelope with horizontal crease towards foot, the odd light tone and small tear at right. Photo | £250-300 |
| 374 ☒ | 1888 (16 Aug.) commercial envelope to London, bearing a single in combination with 1882-90 ½d. dull green and 2½d. ultramarine, all tied by "A12" obliterator with St. Kitts c.d.s. alongside and showing red arrival datestamp on reverse. A rare and attractive franking. Photo | £600-800 |
| 375 ☒ | 1889 (30 Jan.) philatelic envelope registered to Milwaukee, bearing a single in combination with 1885-90 ½d. dull green, 1d. carmine-rose and 4d. grey, all cancelled by clear "A12" obliterator, showing "R" in oval, St. Kitts c.d.s. and, on reverse, New York transit datestamp. A neat and colourful franking. Photo | £350-450 |

PROVENANCE:

Dale Lichtenstein, September 1990

Circular Undated "ST. KITTS/PAID" handstamp

*This handstamp was used during a shortage of postage stamps
between 21st November and 12th December 1889*

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| 376 ☒ | 1889 (21 Nov.) envelope (flap missing) to Trinidad, showing fine circular undated "ST. KITTS/PAID" with St. Kitts and arrival (29.11) datestamps alongside. Photo | £200-250 |
| 377 ☒ | 1889 (21 Nov.) front (faults) with part of one side flap to Edinburgh, and (5 Dec.) envelope (light overall discolouration) to Barbados and front to London, each showing fine circular undated "ST. KITTS/PAID" and St. Kitts c.d.s., the second with poor arrival datestamp on reverse | £200-250 |
| 378 ☒ | 1889 (10 Dec.) envelope to Nevis, showing fine circular undated "ST. KITTS/PAID" with St. Kitts c.d.s. alongside and arrival datestamp on reverse; some minor overall discolouration. Photo | £150-180 |
| 379 ☒ | 1889 (12 Dec.) envelope to Antigua, showing fine circular undated "ST. KITTS/PAID" with St. Kitts c.d.s. alongside; the envelope with light vertical fold clear of markings. Photo | £150-180 |

Antigua used in St. Christopher

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| 380 ☒ | 1890 (27 Feb.) envelope addressed to Antigua, bearing 1d. rose neatly tied by "A12" obliterator with St. Kitts c.d.s. alongside. Clean. Photo | £150-180 |
| 381 ☒ | 1890 (28 Feb.) envelope to Antigua, bearing 1d. rose block of twelve (6x2) with each vertical pair cancelled by "A12" obliterator and showing St. Kitts c.d.s. below; the envelope a little truncated at right and with tear at foot. Photo | £600-800 |

Photos also appear on page 87



Antigua used in St. Christopher - *contd.*



382

382 ☒

1890 (10 Mar.) envelope registered to New York, bearing 1d. carmine-red pair in combination with St. Christopher 4d. grey, all cancelled by "A12" obliterator, showing "R" in oval and St. Kitts c.d.s. with arrival datestamp (23.3) on reverse. Photo

£600-600

PROVENANCE:
John Seybold, 1910



383

383 ☒

1890 (15 Mar.) virtually complete "St. Christopher Advertiser and Weekly Intelligence" newspaper for 25th February, bearing 1d. rose clearly tied by fine "A12" obliterator and showing St. Kitts and Halifax, Canada (28.3) datestamps; some splits along folds. Very rare. Photo

£3,500-4,500

PROVENANCE:
Frederick Mayer, October 2004

- 384 ☒ 1890 (19 Mar.) commercial locally addressed envelope to Old Road, bearing 1d. rose neatly tied by "A12" obliterator and showing St. Kitts c.d.s. alongside; the envelope a touch soiled and with central vertical fold. A scarce franking paying the inland rate. Photo £300-400



385

- 385 ☒ 1890 (28 Mar.) commercial treble rate envelope to London, bearing 1d. rose strip of four (the first with re-entry) in combination with St. Christopher 4d. grey pair, all cancelled by "A12" obliterator and showing St. Kitts c.d.s. alongside with red arrival datestamp (14.4) on reverse; the envelope a touch soiled and with central vertical fold. A rare franking. Photo £1,000-1,200

- 386 ☒ 1899 (17 June) philatelic envelope registered to Germany, bearing 1d. carmine-red (2) in combination with St. Christopher ½d. dull green and 2½d. ultramarine, all cancelled by light "A12" obliterator, showing "R" in oval, St. Kitts c.d.s. and violet London transit datestamp; also 1890 (17 June) piece bearing 1d. carmine-red (2) in combination with St. Christopher ½d. dull green, all cancelled by light "A12" obliterator £200-250

Photo for lot 384 appears on page 91

St. Christopher - *contd.*

Manuscript Cancellations

387 ○

A small group of loose adhesives comprising 1875 CC 1d. magenta (3), 1882-84 1d. dull magenta and 1d. carmine-rose and 1886 (June) 1d. on 6d., each with manuscript date between 4th May 1876 and 10th August 1886, fine

£150-180



388

388 ☒

1879 envelope to Demerara, bearing 1875-79 1d. magenta with manuscript "15/9/79" and 6d. green tied by dumb obliterator with St. Kitts c.d.s. alongside and part Georgetown arrival datestamp on reverse; the envelope with flap missing and some mainly peripheral faults. Rare. Photo

£1,200-1,500

PROVENANCE:

R.H. Urwick, October 1964

T.V. Roberts, April 1989

389 ☒

1879 envelope to Demerara, bearing 1875-79 1d. magenta with manuscript "24/8/80" and 4d. blue tied by dumb obliterator, showing red crayon "2" and St. Kitts c.d.s. with Georgetown arrival datestamp (2.9) on reverse; the envelope with minor stains at left, piece missing at top left of face panel and large part of flap missing. Rare. Photo

£2,000-2,500

PROVENANCE:

R.B. Yardley, September 1944

R.H. Urwick, October 1964

T.V. Roberts, April 1989

390 ☒

1880 envelope to Demerara, bearing 1875-79 1d. magenta with manuscript "24/10/80" and 4d. blue tied by dumb obliterator, showing red crayon "2" and St. Kitts c.d.s. with Georgetown arrival datestamp (4.10) on reverse; the envelope with some minor peripheral faults. Rare. Photo

£2,500-3,000

391 ☒

1883 envelope to Bath, bearing 1875-79 1d. magenta with manuscript "10/4/83" and 4d. blue with dumb obliterator, showing St. Kitts c.d.s. with arrival datestamp (27.4) on reverse; the envelope rather stained and part of the address erased. Photo

£1,500-1,800

PROVENANCE:

T.V. Roberts, April 1989



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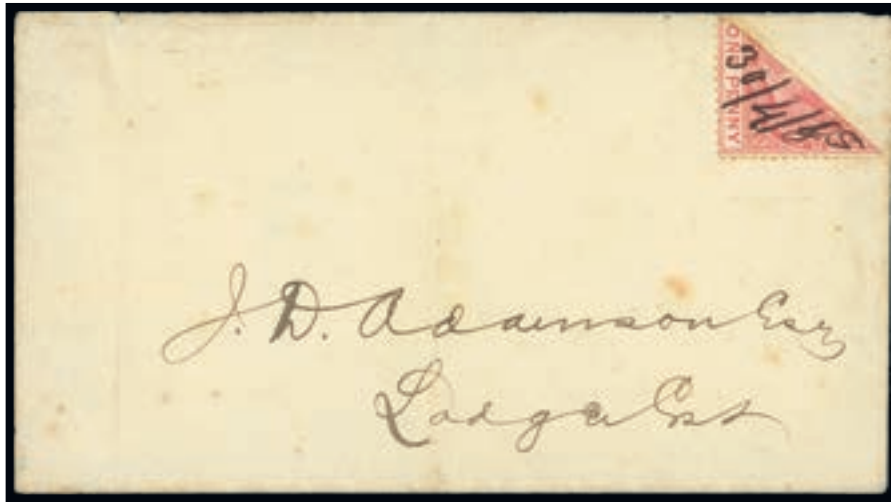


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St. Christopher, Manuscript Cancellations - *contd.*



392

392 ☒

1885 lady's envelope addressed to Lodge Estate, bearing 1884 1d. carmine-rose bisected diagonally and cancelled with manuscript "30/4/85", the envelope with central vertical fold. Unique. Photo

£1,500-1,800

Note: Lodge Estate was at one time the Governor's residence. Many years later the daughter of J.D. Adamson gave this cover to a Mr. William F.D. Hull



393

393 ☒

1885 envelope to London, bearing 1884 1d. carmine-rose with manuscript "8/7/85" and 1884 (Dec.) "FOUR/PENCE." on 6d. green tied by "A12" obliterator, showing St. Kitts c.d.s. with poor arrival datestamp on reverse. Attractive and very rare. Photo

£3,000-4,000

PROVENANCE:
R.H. Urwick, October 1964
T.V. Roberts, April 1989



- 394 △ 1885 front ex the “De Bernardy” correspondence to London, bearing 1884 1d. carmine-rose with manuscript “25/8/85” and 4d. grey tied by “A12” obliterator with St. Kitts c.d.s. alongside. Photo £500-600
- 395 ☒ 1888 envelope to England, bearing 1884 4d. grey tied by “A12” obliterator and showing manuscript “26.9.88” with St. Kitts c.d.s. alongside and Birmingham arrival datestamp (12.10) on reverse. Very scarce. Photo £400-500
- 396 ☒ 1889 envelope to Germany, bearing 1884 4d. grey tied by light “A12” obliterator, showing manuscript “5.6.89” (amended by recipient to “5.7.89”) and St. Kitts c.d.s. for 6 June with clear arrival datestamp (23.6) on reverse. Photo £500-600
- PROVENANCE:
T.V. Roberts, April 1989
- 397 ☒ 1890 envelope to Germany, bearing 1884 4d. grey tied by “A12” obliterator, showing manuscript “29.1.90” with St. Kitts c.d.s. alongside and clear arrival datestamp (17.2) on reverse; the envelope with split at right. Photo £500-600
- PROVENANCE:
“Foxley”, April 2016

St. Christopher, Manuscript Cancellations - *contd.*

- 398 ☒ 1890 1½d. stationery card to Barbados, cancelled by "A12" obliterator and showing manuscript "7/5/90" below, St. Kitts c.d.s. and, on reverse, arrival datestamp (21.5). Rare. Photo £800-1,000
- 399 ☒ 1895 Leeward Islands 1d. stationery card addressed to Stanley Gibbons, London, cancelled by light "A12" duplex with manuscript "29/10/95" alongside. Rare. Photo £600-800

Forgeries

- 400 F A collection, including those by Spiro, comprising 1d. magenta (8, seven "used"), 2½d. red-brown, 4d. blue, 6d. green (7, six "used"), 6d. olive-brown and 1/- (2), ½d. on half 1d. and 1d. on 6d. "used". A good lot £100-120

Revenue Stamps

- 401 ★[®] 1883 handstamped "Saint/Christopher" in violet on Nevis 4d. orange, a complete sheet of twelve with large part original gum, some split perfs and some tone spots, mainly on reverse; also a mint corner pair, a pen-cancelled single and 1/- green with perfins £200-250
- 402 1883 handstamped "Saint/Christopher" in violet on Nevis 1882-90 1d. lilac-mauve (7 including a pair), 6d. green (4, two unused - one with small part original gum) and 1/- pale violet (2), and handstamped in black on 1d. dull mauve (4), 1d. dull rose (4, one mint), 4d. blue mint (3) and 1/- pale violet mint (3, one with plate number) and used (7 including two pairs), and 1886 handstamped with seriffed letters 6d. green (3); all fiscally used unless otherwise mentioned, mostly good to fine £500-600



403



404



405


- 403 ⑥ 1884 "Saint/Cristopher/REVENUE" essay overprint on Nevis 1880 CC 1d. lilac-mauve with margin at right, affixed to fragment and initialled in red ink in margin, fine. Photo £300-400
 PROVENANCE:
 De La Rue archives, January 1978
- 404 ⑥ 1884 "SAINT KITTS/NEVIS/REVENUE" essay overprint in bold type on Nevis 1882 1d. lilac-mauve with large part original gum, fine. Photo £300-400
 PROVENANCE:
 De La Rue archives, January 1978
- 405 ⑥ 1884 "AND/SAINT CHRISTOPHER/REVENUE" and "SAINT/CHRISTOPHER/REVENUE" essay overprints on Nevis 1883 1d. dull rose, both affixed to piece, the former with trimmed perfs at top, fine. Photo £600-800
 PROVENANCE:
 De La Rue archives, January 1978
- 406 ⑥ 1884 (22 Apr.) piece of paper (160x210mm.) entitled "Scheme of Proposed Colours", bearing Revenue stamps (4) with blank value tablet in rose, in mauve, in orange-brown and in olive with "1d", "3d", "6d" and "1/-" written alongside, each initialled and value tablet ticked, the 1d. marked "Same colour as St Kitts and Nevis 1d Postage Stamp", the 3d. and 1/- "Proposed colour - there are no 3d (or 1/-) Postage Stamps either in St Kitts or Nevis" and the 6d. "Same colour as settled upon for the 6d. Nevis Postage Stamps - see scheme attached to Messers Tho De La Rue & Co's letter of August 1st 1883". Photo £1,200-1,500
 PROVENANCE:
 De La Rue archives, January 1978


Photos for lots 398 and 399 appear on page 97


April 22nd 1884.

St Kitts - Nevis Revenue Stamps.
Scheme of Proposed Colours

1^d.  Same colour as St Kitts & Nevis 1^d Postage Stamps
PS

3^d.  Proposed colour - There are no 3^d Postage Stamps
either in St Kitts or Nevis.
PS

6^d.  Same colour as settled upon for the 6^d Nevis Postage Stamps
- see scheme attached to Mess^{rs} Tho De La Rue & Co's
letter of August 1st 1883.
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1/1.  Proposed colour - There are no 1/1 Postage Stamps
either in St Kitts or Nevis.
PS

St. Christopher, Revenue Stamps - *contd.*



407

407 ©

1885 1d. rose, 3d. mauve, 6d. orange-brown and 1/- olive, each an imperforate proof on gummed CA watermarked paper, fine. Photo

£1,000-1,200

PROVENANCE:

De La Rue archives



408

408 ©

1885 1d. rose (lower left corner missing), 3d. mauve, 6d. orange-brown and 1/- olive, each on small piece and handstamped "SPECIMEN" (Type D11), the 3d. piece marked "3d Sierra Leone ovpt used" and the 1/- "Dom. ovpt used", also 5/- bistre on small piece handstamped "SPECIMEN" (Type D5) and dated "Feb 1890". Photo

£750-1,000

PROVENANCE:

De La Rue archives, January 1978

409 ★

1885 1d. rose, 1/- olive and 5/- yellow-brown (a fraction soiled and the odd minor tone spot), each in a complete mint sheet of twenty, [2] in each showing variety "SAINI", fine

£500-600

410 ★

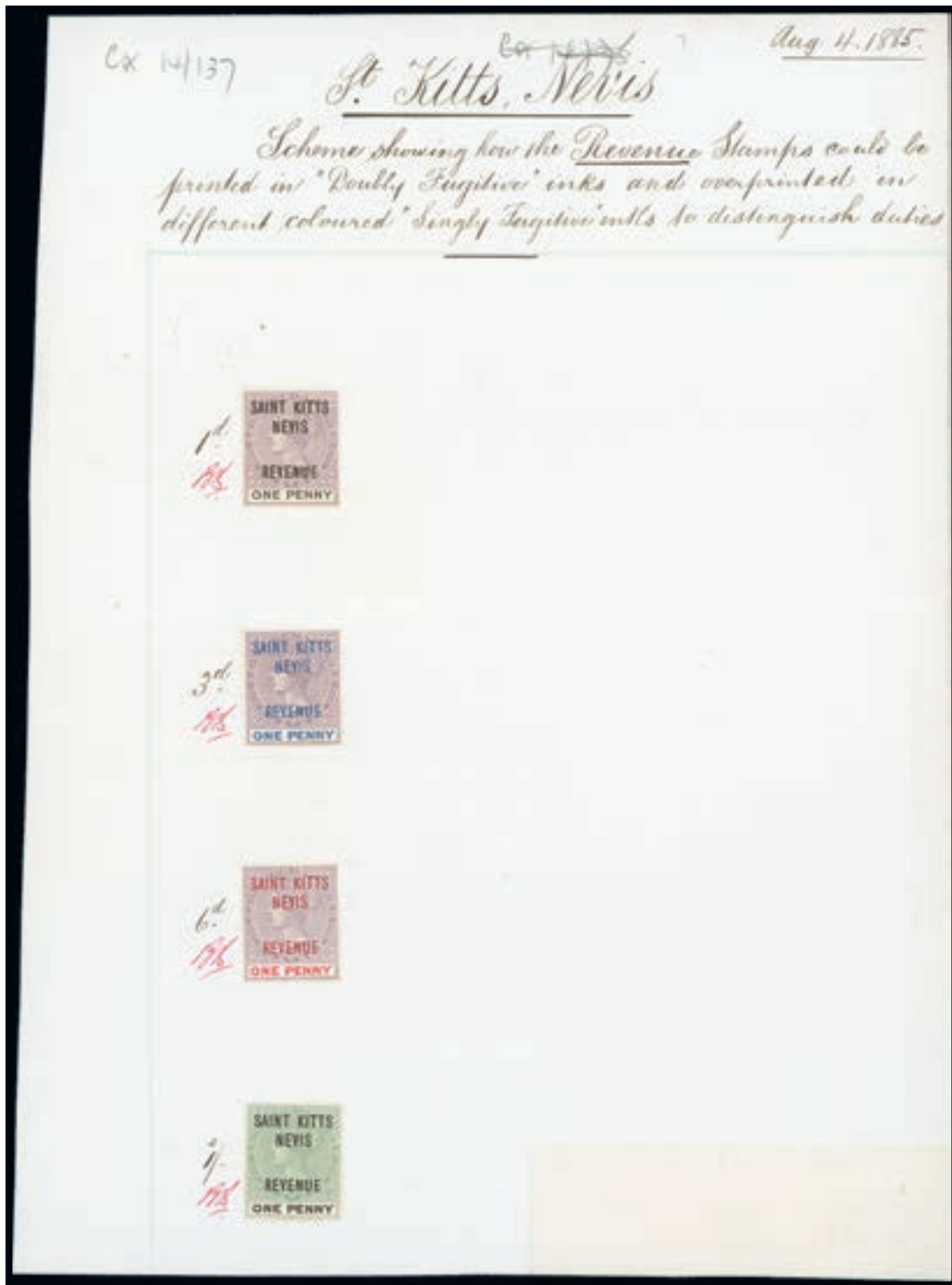
1885 1d. (47, two postally used and including a complete sheet, a block of ten being the top two rows of a sheet and two blocks of four), 3d. (14 one used and including a block of ten being the top two rows of a sheet), 6d. (14, one used and including a block of ten being the top two rows of the sheet), 1/- (18, one used and including a block of ten being the top two rows of the sheet) and 5/- (3, one with variety "SAINI"); fine mint

£250-300

411 △

1885 Indenture bearing 1884 1/- (10, most affixed overlapping) in combination with Leeward Islands 1882 6d., 3/- and 5/- (3, affixed overlapping), all cancelled by large "REGISTRAR'S OFFICE/ST CHRISTOPHER" oval cachet, some faults; also 1889 (16 May) Bill of Lading for the ship "Claudius", bearing 1d. rose cancelled with manuscript date

£250-300



412

412 ⑥

1885 (4 Aug.) sheet (187x255mm.) sheet entitled "Scheme showing how the Revenue Stamps could be printed in "Doubly Fugitive" inks and overprinted in different coloured "Singly Fugitive" inks to distinguish duties". 1d. in mauve and black, overprinted in black; in mauve and blue, overprinted in blue; in mauve and carmine, overprinted in carmine; and in green and black, overprinted in black with "1d", "3d", "6d" and "1/-" written alongside and each initialled in red ink. Photo

£1,200-1,500

PROVENANCE:
De La Rue archives, January 1978

St. Christopher, Revenue Stamps - *contd.*



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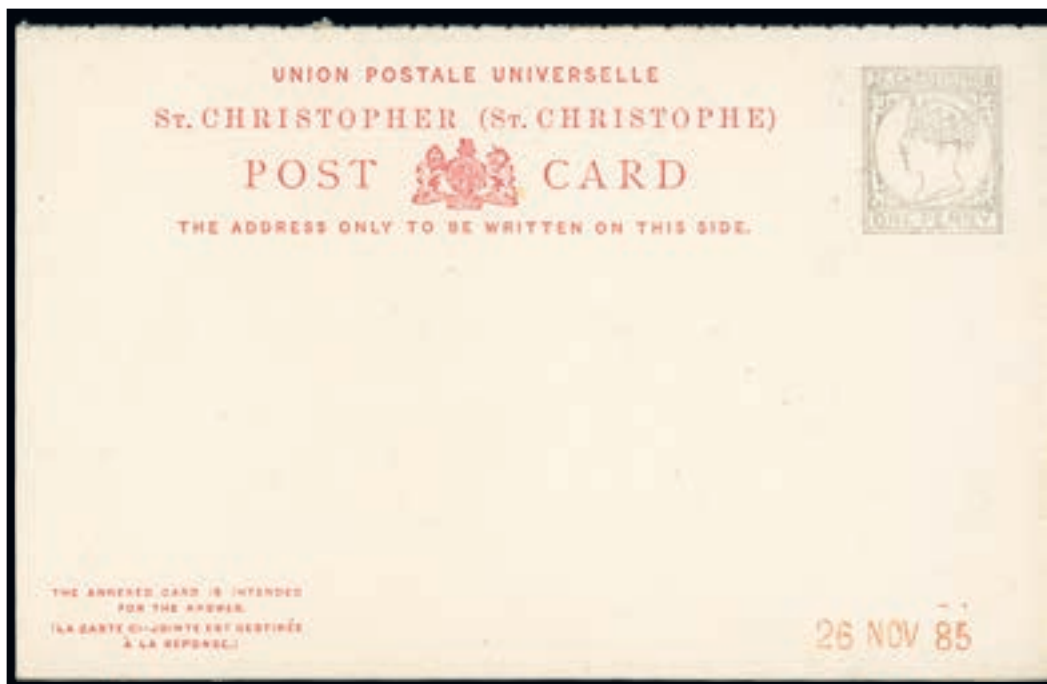
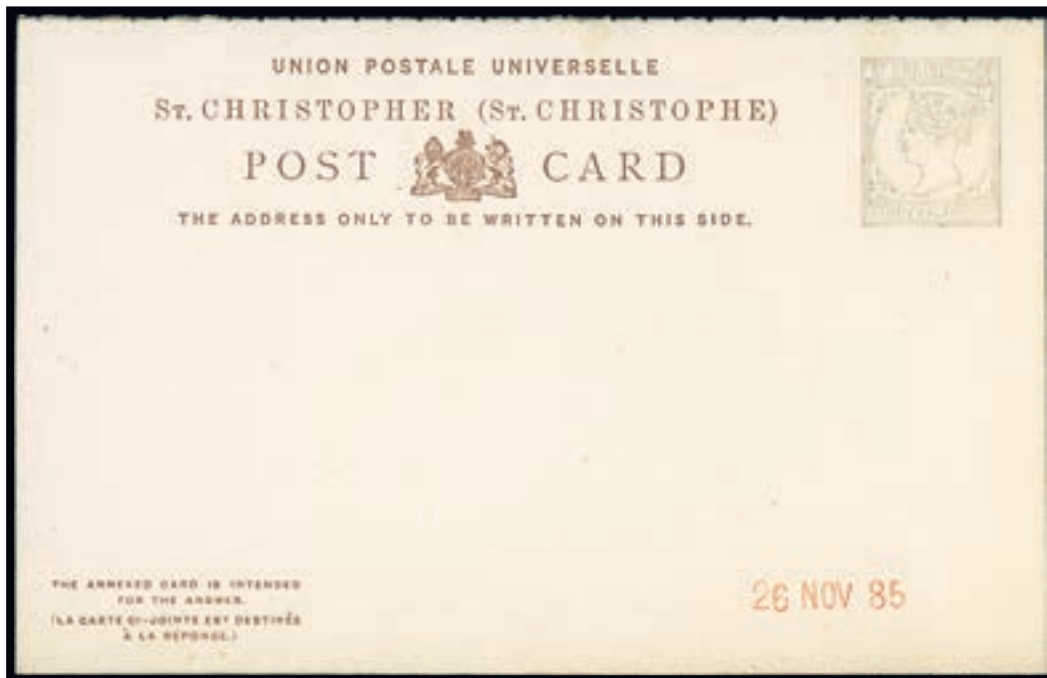


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- 413 ○ 1886 overprinted "SAINT KITTS/NEVIS" and "POSTAGE" on 6d. green, variety "REVENUE" double, neatly cancelled by St. Kitts c.d.s. Rare. Photo £120-150
- 414 ② 1889 1d. handpainted essay with "ST KITTS NEVIS" in country tablet, in mauve, green and Chinese white, executed on tracing paper (58x73mm.), fine. Delightful. Photo £500-600
- PROVENANCE:
De La Rue archives
- 415 ② 1889 Imperium keyplate in dull mauve on gummed unwatermarked paper, overprinted "REVENUE" with handpainted "ST KITTS NEVIS" at top and "ONE PENNY" in value tablet in green, fine. Unique. Photo £600-800
- PROVENANCE:
De La Rue archives

Postal Stationery

- 416 ☒ The collection comprising 1879 1½d. unused and used (12), 1882 1d. unused and used (4, three uprated with ½d. dull green), and 1886-87 1d. overprinted "SPECIMEN", unused and used (2), 1d. reply paid overprinted "SPECIMEN", unused (2) and used, 1½d. overprinted "SPECIMEN", unused (2) and used (3, one with piece of corner missing) and 1½d. reply paid overprinted "SPECIMEN", unused (2) and used. A generally fine and clean lot £500-600
- 417 ☒ 1879 1½d. to Barbados cancelled by dumb obliterator with St. Kitts c.d.s. (7.4.82) on face and 1882 1d. (fault at top) to Barbados, uprated with ½d. dull green, both cancelled by "A12" obliterator with St. Kitts c.d.s. (9.8.86) alongside, both showing "BARBADOS/SHIP LETTER" oval datestamp £200-250



418

418 ⑥

1885 1d.+1d. red reply paid card and 1½d.+1½d. brown reply paid card, each half with pencilled sketch of the stamp at upper right and the top half of both handstamped "26 NOV 85". Photo

£600-800

PROVENANCE:
De La Rue archives, January 1978

419 ☒

1887 1½d. reply paid registered to Prague, uprated with ½d. dull green and 1d. rose-carmine, all cancelled by St. Kitts "A12" duplex and showing St. Kitts registration label, fine

£150-180

NEVIS

Early Letters and Handstamps

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| 420 ☒ | 1801 (30 Apr.) entire letter to Devizes, rated "1/8" (deleted), "2/2" (deleted) and "2/-", showing double-lined oval "Ship Letter/Crown/DOVER" and, on reverse, red London transit datestamp (5.7) | £100-120 |
| 421 ☒ | 1817 entire to London, rated "2/2" and showing, on reverse, clear "NEVIS/SEP 12 817" datestamp and part arrival c.d.s. | £150-180 |
| 422 ☒ | 1846 (12 June) entire to London, rated "1/-" and showing, on reverse, light Nevis double-arc d.s. in red; also 1851 (16 Dec.) front to London, showing superb Nevis double-arc d.s. in red | £100-120 |
| 423 ☒ | 1852 (29 Aug.) entire letter to London, rated "1/-" and showing, on reverse, fine Nevis double-arc d.s. partly overstruck by arrival datestamp (23.9), both in red | £120-150 |



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426

Great Britain used in Nevis

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| 424 ○ | 1d. rose-red, clearly cancelled "A09", fine. S.G. Z1, £650. Photo | £200-250 |
| 425 ○ | 4d. rose clearly cancelled "A09", a pulled and a short perf at foot, otherwise fine. S.G. Z3, £550. Photo | £100-120 |
| 426 ○ | 6d. lilac with wing-margin at left, centrally cancelled "A09", fine. S.G. Z4, £300. Photo | £80-100 |

Issued Stamps

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| 427 ① | 1862 (July) recess, imperforate colour proofs on thin or thick white paper comprising 1d. lake (2, one with pen cross), 4d. in blue (2), 6d. in grey (2, one with pen cross) and 1/- in green, and imperforate colour proofs on thick card comprising 1d. green marginal pair, 4d. marginal pair and single in blue-grey and 6d. marginal pair and single in orange; mostly fine | £250-300 |
| 428 ① ② | 1862 (July) recess, imperforate colour proof on thick card, 1d. green complete sheet, fine | £300-400 |
| 429 ① ② | 1862 (July) recess, imperforate colour proof on thick card, 4d. violet-grey complete sheet, fine | £300-400 |
| 430 ① ② | 1862 (July) recess, imperforate colour proof on thick card, 6d. orange complete sheet, fine | £300-400 |
| 431 R ① ② | 1862 (July) reprinted sheets comprising 1d., 4d. (defaced), 6d. and 1/-, all printed in black in July 1931, plus printed envelope (adhesive tape stain at top) numbered "21" of a series of 50 sets, fine | £120-150 |
| 432 | 1871-79 litho 1d. (shades), a study of the various transfers comprising mint/unused (150+ including two complete sheets, one being perf 1 1/2 without margins, and a number handstamped "Revenue") and used (26); condition mixed though worth viewing | £600-800 |



433

- 433 ★ 1871-78 litho, 4d. orange-yellow marginal horizontal strip of three, variety **imperforate between stamp and margin**, fine unused with large part original gum. S.G. 18. Photo £300-400



434

- 434 ★ 1871-78 litho, 1/- deep green complete sheet of twelve with [9] having been repaired, unused with mainly large part original gum, some split perfs otherwise fine. S.G. 21, £1440+. Photo £500-600

- 435 ★ 1879-80 CC 1d. (3, one a touch faded) and 2½d. (2), and 1882-84 CA ½d. (2), 1d. lilac-mauve (2, one without gum), 1d. carmine bottom marginal block of eighteen and a single, 2½d. red-brown (no gum), 2½d. ultramarine (2), 4d. grey, 6d. green, 6d. chestnut top right corner block of four and singles (4, two overprinted "SPECIMEN"), 1/- (3, one overprinted "SPECIMEN") and Postal Fiscal 1882 overprinted "REVENUE" 6d.; all mint, generally fine. Cat. £2200+ £300-400

- 436 ○ 1879-80 CC 1d. and 1882-90 CA ½d., 1d. lilac-mauve, 1d. rose/carmine (8), 2½d. red-brown (2, one with thin), 2½d. ultramarine, 4d. blue (slightly soiled and lightly toned), 4d. grey (2), 6d. green (slightly faded) and 6d. chestnut, two 1d. with central Crowned circle "PAID/AT/NEVIS", the others with "A09" obliterator, generally fine. Cat. £900+ £150-180

Nevis, Issued Stamps - *contd.*

- 437 ☉ 1882-90 CA 6d. chestnut and 1/-, both overprinted "SPECIMEN" and affixed to fragment (both ex the De La Rue archives) and 1/- strip of three similarly overprinted, fresh and fine mint. B.P.A. Certificate (1981). S.G. 33s-34s £80-100
- 438 ★田 1882-90 CA 1/- pale violet top left corner block of four with plate number, some hinge remnants otherwise fine mint. S.G. 34, £440+ £200-250



Ex 439

- 439 ☒ 1884 (4 June) envelope to St. Kitts and front to Dominica, both marked "Book Post", bearing 1882 1d. lilac-mauve **bisected vertically**, tied by "A09" obliterator (the former very oily) and showing Nevis c.d.s., fine. S.G. 26a. Photo for former £150-180



440

- 440 ☒ 1883 (4 June) envelope (flap missing) to St. Kitts, bearing 1882 1d. lilac-mauve **bisected diagonally**, neatly tied by "A09" obliterator and showing Nevis despatch c.d.s. S.G. 26a, £700. Photo £150-180

- 441 ○ 1883 (4 Sept.) ½d. in violet on half of 1d. lilac-mauve, a block of four on piece and three singles, and ½d. in black on half 1d. lilac-mauve (on small piece) showing “N” of “NEVIS” missing, all cancelled “A09”, fine. S.G. 35-36, £440 £120-150
- 442 ☒ 1883 (12 Oct.) wrapper to St. Kitts, marked “Book Post”, bearing ½d. in violet on half of 1d. lilac-mauve, tied by “A09” obliterator and showing despatch and arrival datestamps, fine. S.G. 35 £100-120
- 443 ☒ 1883 (7 Nov.) envelope to St. Kitts, marked “Book Post”, bearing ½d. in black on half of 1d. lilac-mauve, clearly tied by “A09” obliterator and showing despatch and arrival datestamps; the envelope with few light tone spots. S.G. 36 £80-100
- Postal Fiscals**
- 444 ★ ㊦ 1882 overprinted “REVENUE”, 6d. green marginal block of thirty (6x5) being the top five rows of the sheet, fine mint. S.G. F8, £870 £250-300
- Postal Stationery Cards**
- 445 ☒ The collection comprising 1879 1½d. unused (2, different sizes) and 1886 1d. overprinted “SPECIMEN” (2), 1d. reply paid overprinted “SPECIMEN”, 1½d. overprinted “SPECIMEN”, unused and used, and 1½d. reply paid overprinted “SPECIMEN” and unused; generally fine £70-90

ST. KITTS-NEVIS

446

- 446 ㊦ Embossed die proof of the official seal of St. Christopher showing the two designs used for the first issue of St. Kitts-Nevis, in black on card (118x160mm.), fine. Photo £200-250

St. Kitts-Nevis - *contd.*

1903-18 Columbus and Medicinal Spring Issues

1903 Issue



447

Essays

447 ②

1901 2d. stamp-size photographic essay of Christopher Columbus in the accepted design and slightly touched-up by hand, affixed to card (90x110mm.) with red coloured mark marked "Border" and "Centre Black" at lower left, lettered "A" and dated "Sept. 13th 01". Photo

£600-800

PROVENANCE:

De La Rue archives, January 1978



448



449



448 ⑥ 1901 3d. stamp-size photographic essay of the Medicinal Spring in the accepted design and slightly touched-up by hand, affixed to card (90x110mm.) with red coloured wash marked "Border" and "Centre Black" at lower left, lettered "B" and dated "Sept 13th 01". Photo £600-800

PROVENANCE:
De La Rue archives, January 1978

449 ⑥ 1901 3d. stamp-size composite essay of the Medicinal Spring in the accepted design, the vignette photographic, the frame handpainted in carmine and lettering in Chinese white, affixed to card (90x110mm.) dated "Sep 13 1901". Photo £800-1,000

PROVENANCE:
De La Rue archives

Die Proofs

450 ⑥ Columbus vignette with uncleared surround, in black on glazed card (92x60mm.) marked "BEFORE HARDENING" and dated "3 MAR 02", fine. Photo £150-180

451 ⑥ Columbus vignette with uncleared surround in black on glazed card (92x60mm.), marked "AFTER HARDENING", dated "3 MAR 02" and initialled, fine. Photo £150-180

St. Kitts-Nevis, 1903 Issue, Die Proofs - *contd.*



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- 452 ⑩ Medicinal Spring with uncleared surround and value tablet, in black on glazed card (50x42mm.), dated "Oct 9 1903", fine. Photo £120-150
- PROVENANCE:
De La Rue archives, January 1978
- 453 ⑩ Medicinal Spring stamp-size vignette with uncleared surround in black on glazed card, fine. Photo £100-120
- 454 ⑩ Medicinal Spring with uncleared surround and value tablet in black on glazed card (92x60mm.), marked "BEFORE HARDENING" and dated "10 OCT 02", fine. Photo £150-180
- 455 ⑩ Medicinal Spring with uncleared surround and value tablet in black on glazed card (92x60mm.), marked "Original Die Plate", "BEFORE HARDENING" and dated "15 OCT 02", fine. Photo £150-180
- 456 ⑩ Columbus with uncleared surround and value tablet in black on glazed card (92x60mm.), marked "BEFORE HARDENING" and dated "15 OCT 02", fine. Photo £150-180
- 457 ⑩ Medicinal Spring with uncleared surround and value tablet in black on glazed card (92x60mm.), marked "AFTER HARDENING", dated "11 NOV 02" and initialled, fine. Photo £150-180



458

- 458 ⑩ Columbus with uncleared surround and value tablet in black on glazed card (62x36mm.), dated "Oct 15 1902" and initialled; a fraction soiled. Photo £120-150
- PROVENANCE:
De La Rue archive, January 1978
- 459 ⑩ Medicinal Spring vignette in black on glazed card (92x60mm.), marked "St Kitts-Nevis - Key Die - Postage Size", "BEFORE HARDENING" and dated "15 DEC 02", fine. Photo £150-180
- 460 ⑩ Medicinal Spring vignette in black on glazed card (92x60mm.), marked "St Kitts Nevis", "BEFORE HARDENING" and dated "15 DEC 02", fine £150-180
- 461 ⑩ Medicinal Spring vignette in black on glazed card (92x60mm.), marked "BEFORE HARDENING" and dated "15 DEC 02", fine £150-180
- 462 ⑩ Medicinal Spring vignette in black on glazed card (92x60mm.), marked "BEFORE HARDENING" and dated "15 DEC 02", fine £150-180

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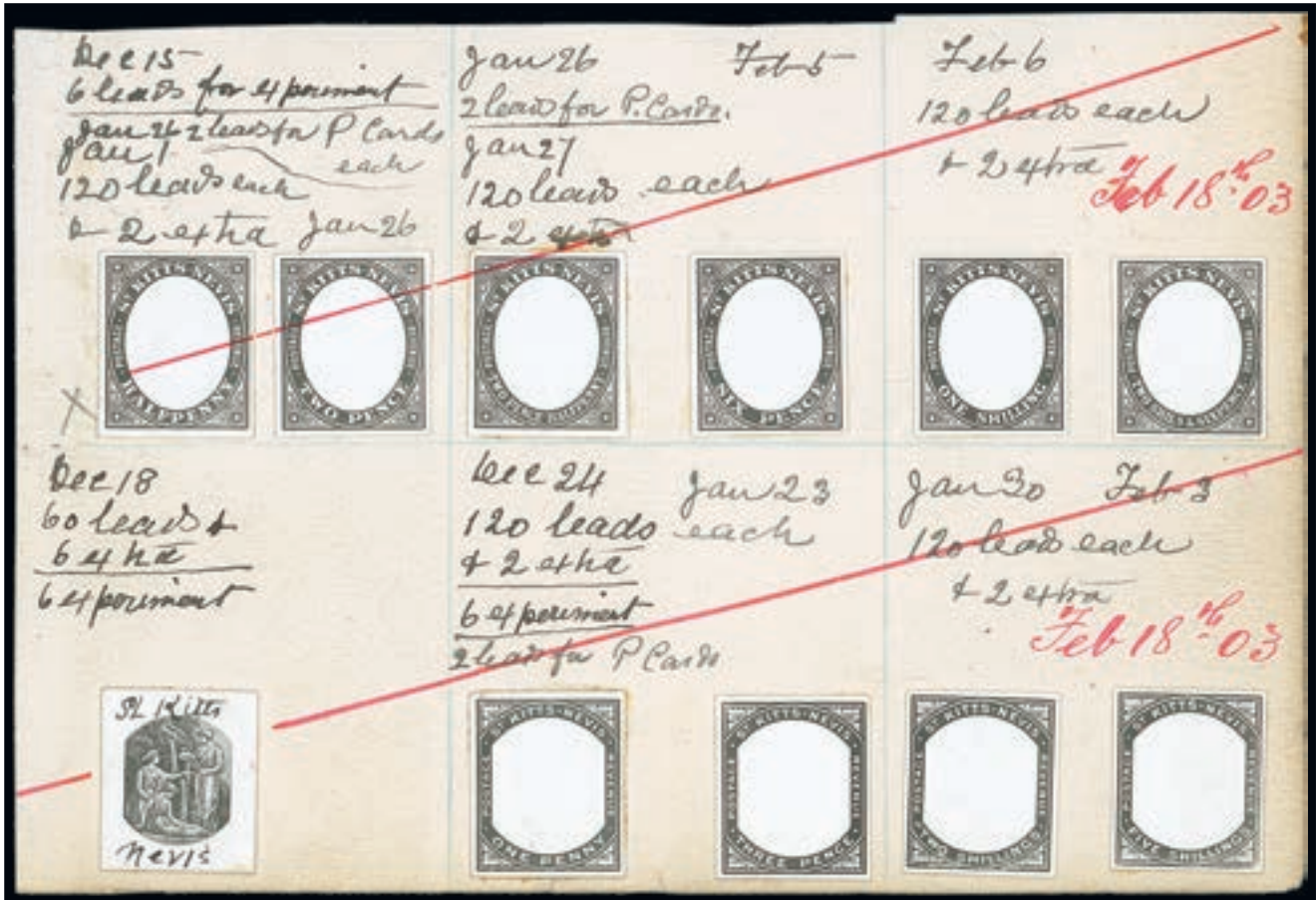


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| 463 | <p>Ⓟ Medicinal Spring and Columbus vignettes in black on glazed cards (48x36mm.), dated “Dec 15 1902” and “Dec 16 1902” respectively and initialled. Photo</p> | £250-300 |
| 464 | <p>Ⓟ Medicinal Spring vignette in black on glazed card (92x60mm.), marked “AFTER HARDENING”, dated “17 DEC 02” and initialled, fine. Photo</p> | £150-180 |
| 465 | <p>Ⓟ Medicinal Spring vignette in black on glazed card (92x60mm.), marked “AFTER HARDENING”, dated “17 DEC 02” and initialled, fine. Photo</p> | £150-180 |
| 466 | <p>Ⓟ Columbus vignette in black on glazed card (92x60mm.), marked “AFTER HARDENING”, dated “18 DEC 02” and initialled, fine. Photo</p> | £150-180 |
| 467 | <p>Ⓟ Columbus vignette in black on glazed card (92x60mm.), marked “AFTER HARDENING”, dated “18 DEC 02” and initialled, fine</p> | £150-180 |

St. Kitts-Nevis, 1903 Issue, Die Proofs - *contd.*

- 468 ⑥ Columbus and Medicinal Spring vignettes, ½d., 1d., 2d., 2½d., 3d., 6d., 1/-, 2/-, 2/6d. and 5/- frames, each in black on glazed card (92x60mm.) marked "BEFORE HARDENING" and dated between "15 DEC 02" and "23 JAN 03", fine. Photo £2,000-2,500
- 469 ⑥ Medicinal Spring vignette, 3d., 2/- and 5/- frames, each in black on glazed card (92x60mm.) marked "AFTER HARDENING", the vignette dated "17 DEC 02" and initialled, the frames marked "AFTER HARDENING" and dated "13 JAN 03", fine. Photo £600-800



Ex 470

- 470 ⑥ Medicinal Spring vignette, ½d., 1d., 2d., 2½d., 3d., 6d., 1/-, 2/-, 2/6d. and 5/- frames, each stamp-size in black on glazed card and affixed to thin card (171x115mm.) and Columbus vignette affixed to thin card (57x55mm.) giving details of leads taken, dated between "Dec 15" and "Feb 6" and further dated "Feb 18th 03" in red ink with red ink line crossing four proofs, the vignette proofs with manuscript "St Kitts" at top and "Nevis" at foot. Photo £1,200-1,500
- PROVENANCE:
De La Rue archives
- 471 ⑥ ½d. frame in black on glazed card (92x60mm.), unmarked, fine £120-150
- 472 ⑥ 1d. frame in black on glazed card (92x60mm.), marked "BEFORE HARDENING" and dated "15 DEC 02", fine £150-180



473

Imperforate Colour Trials

473 ①

“Appendix A” sheet (167x331mm.) with ½d. Columbus (7) and 1d. Medicinal Spring (5) imperforate colour trials with the suggested values for the ten colours and designs written alongside, the 1d. in dull green and carmine and the 1/- in grey-black and orange have been replaced by two in the accepted colours, the whole marked “Approved WHM 18.1” and dated “12 Jan'y 1903”, a vertical crease passes through the accepted 1d. Photo

£800-1,000

PROVENANCE:
De La Rue archives, January 1978

St. Kitts-Nevis, 1903 Issue, Imperforate Colour Trials - *contd.*



474

474 ⑩

½d. Columbus (5) and 1d. Medicinal Spring (5) imperforate colour trials in the colours of the issued ½d. to 5/-, all on gummed watermarked paper, fine. Photo

£600-800



Ex 475

475 ⑩

½d. Columbus, the all different colour combination range (18) on gummed watermarked paper including three in the issued colours of the ½d., 2d. and 2/6d., five affixed to small pieces and two crossed by ink stroke. Photo

£1,000-1,200



Ex 476

476 ⑩

½d. Columbus all different range (12) of imperforate colour trials, each affixed to small piece, fine. Photo

£600-800



Ex 477

- 477 ② ½d. Columbus range (13) of imperforate colour trials with eleven different combinations, all on gummed watermarked paper with one affixed to small piece, fine. Photo £600-800



Ex 478

- 478 ② 1d. Medicinal Spring, the all different colour combination range (16) with one in the colour of the issued 2/6d. and one in the colour of the 5/-, all on gummed watermarked paper with three affixed to small pieces including 1d. crossed by manuscript stroke; also two with frame in carmine and in brown with the vignette excised, fine. Photo £800-1,000



Ex 479

- 479 ② 1d. Medicinal Spring, an all different colour combination group (11) each affixed to a small piece, also two with frame in carmine (tear at foot) and in brown with the vignette excised; fine. Photo £600-800

Specimen Stamps

- 480 ③ ½d. to 5/- set of ten, each overprinted “SPECIMEN” and additionally handstamped “UTRAMAR” in blue by the Portuguese receiving authority, all without gum, the 1/- and 2/- with vignettes washed, otherwise fine for these. S.G. 1s-10s £150-180

St. Kitts-Nevis, 1903 Issue - *contd.*

Issued Stamps

- 481 ★田 ½d. to 5/- set of ten in blocks of four, fine mint. S.G. 1-10, £600 £200-250
- 482 ★ ½d. to 5/- set of ten with additional ½d. and 1905-18 MCA ½d. to 5/- set of eleven with additional ½d. grey-green (2), 1d. carmine (2), 2d. (2), 2½d. bright blue (3), 3d. , 6d. (2) and 1/-, each top marginal with plate number, fresh and fine mint. S.G. 1-21, £460+ £150-180



Ex 483

- 483 ○ 2/- marginal strip of three with plate number and 5/- top left corner block of four with plate number, both on a piece, fine used. S.G. 8, 10, £950. Photo for 5/- £300-400

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1905-18 Issue



484

Imperforate Plate Proofs

484 ②

½d. grey-green, 1d. carmine, 2d. (2), 2½d., 3d., 6d. grey-black and purple and 1/-, each in the issued colour(s) in horizontal or vertical (one 2d. and 6d.) pairs on gummed watermarked paper, slight rubbing in places. Photo

£1,000-1,200



485

485 ②

½d. grey-green with part margin at top showing Jubilee line, 1d. carmine and 1/-, all on gummed watermarked paper, fine. Photo

£150-180

Specimen Stamps

486 ⑤

½d. dull purple and green, ½d. grey-green (3), 1d. grey-black and carmine, 1d. carmine (4), 2d., 2½d. grey-black and blue, 2½d. bright blue (5, four with surface damage), 3d., 6d., 1/-, 2/-, 2/6d. and 5/-, each overprinted "SPECIMEN", affixed to ledger sheets (2) and tied by large circular "POSTES ET TELEGRAPHES/COLLECTION DE BERNE/MADAGASCAR" handstamp in red

£200-250

St. Kitts-Nevis, 1905-18 Issue, Specimen Stamps - *contd.*



Ex 487

487 ©

½d. grey-green, 1d. carmine, 2d. (corner thin), 2½d. ultramarine (slightly rounded corner), 3d., 6d. and 1/- plus 1903 CA 2/-, 2/6d. and 5/-, each handstamped "SPECIMEN" (Type SK1) diagonally downwards in violet, fine mint. Rare. Photo

£500-600



Ex 488

488 ©

1d. carmine overprinted "SPECIMEN" (Type D9) and 2½d. ultramarine overprinted "SPECIMEN" (Type D12), plus 1916-18 War Tax ½d. and 1½d. overprinted "SPECIMEN", each affixed to a small piece ex the De La Rue archives with manuscript date at top. Photo

£200-250

1916 War Tax



489

Imperforate Plate Proof

489 ⑥

½d. green strip of three with margin at foot showing plate number, on gummed watermarked paper; badly thinned in margin, slight gum crease and left hand stamp a trifle rubbed. Unique. Photo

£600-800

PROVENANCE:

De La Rue archives, January 1978

Issued Stamps

490 ★田

½d. green, a lower right corner plate number block of four with interpanneau margin at right, variety watermark reversed, lightly gum toned otherwise fine. A scarce multiple. S.G. 22x, £220

£60-80

1918 War Stamp



491



492

Essay Die Proof

491 ⑥⑥

1½d. with blank vignette in black on glazed card (92x60mm.), marked "AFTER STRIKING", fine. Photo

£200-250

492 ⑥⑥

1½d. with blank vignette, stamp-size in black on glazed, affixed to thin card (58x57mm.) marked "120 Leads", dated "May 3rd" and further dated, partly across proof, "June 13th 1918" in red ink. Photo

£150-180

St. Kitts-Nevis, 1918 War Stamp - *contd.*



493

Imperforate Plate Proof

- 493 ⑩ ½d. orange strip of three with margin at foot showing plate number, on gummed watermarked paper, initialed and date “28 MAY 1918” in margin; pinhole and slight thin in margin. Unique. Photo £600-800

PROVENANCE:

De La Rue archives, January 1978

Specimen Stamps

- 494 ⑤ 1½d. orange strips of three (2), each affixed to piece and handstamped with large red cachets of the Madagascar and Mauritania receiving authorities, fine. S.G. 23s. Photo £200-250

- 495 The collection of the Columbus and Medicinal Spring issues, including 1903 CA ½d. to 5/- overprinted “SPECIMEN” (5 sets, two affixed to pieces) plus ½d., 2d., 2½d., 3d., 6d., 2/- and 5/- similarly overprinted and additionally handstamped “ULTRAMAR” (all with small faults), mint and used (2) sets, the latter with additional 1d. (2) and 2½d. cancelled by large part “ST JOHN/SHIP LETTER” h.s., 1905-08 ½d. (2, one with broken “M”), 1d. and 2½d. overprinted “SPECIMEN”, ½d. dull purple and deep green marginal plate number block of six and corner block of four, 6d. plate number blocks of four (2), 1/- on ordinary paper, 5/- mint marginal blocks of four (2) and used singles (2), and 1916-18 War Tax ½d. and 1½d. overprinted “SPECIMEN” and 1½d. imperforate plate proof (design touched and creased). A good lot in generally fine condition. Viewing recommended. S.G. 1-23, £3500+ £600-800

Covers

- 496 ☒ 1903-18 envelopes (29, one a 1d. stationery), postcards (12) and pieces (2), variously addressed including to British Guiana and Holland, and showing frankings of ½d. (3), 1d. (25, one a St. Kitts/Leeward Is combination), 1½d., 2d. (2), 2½d. (9) and 5d.; included is 1907 (Dec.) picture postcard from Nevis to Sandy Point showing “TOO LATE” h.s., 1908 (Jan.) envelope to London bearing 1d. tied by framed “Posted/on/Board” with Barbados c.d.s. alongside, and 1917 envelope to New York franked at 1d. and showing “T” h.s. and arrival due datestamp £150-180

- 497 ☒ 1906-18 envelopes (14, all registered) and stationery registered envelopes (2, one Leeward Is.), variously addressed including to Austria (2, both OHMS), Holland and Orange River Colony, frankings include 3d. (5), 4d., 4½d. (3, one a St. Kitts/Leeward Is combination), 6d. (3), 7d., 7½d. and 1/5d.; condition a little mixed £250-300

- 498 ☒ 1916-21 envelopes (25, twelve registered) and a large piece, most addressed to UK or USA, all bearing War Tax/War Stamp values, two in combination with Leeward Is., frankings include 1d., 1½d. (8), 2½d., 3½d. (4), 4d. (2), 5d. and 6d.; condition a little mixed £200-250

1920-22 Issue



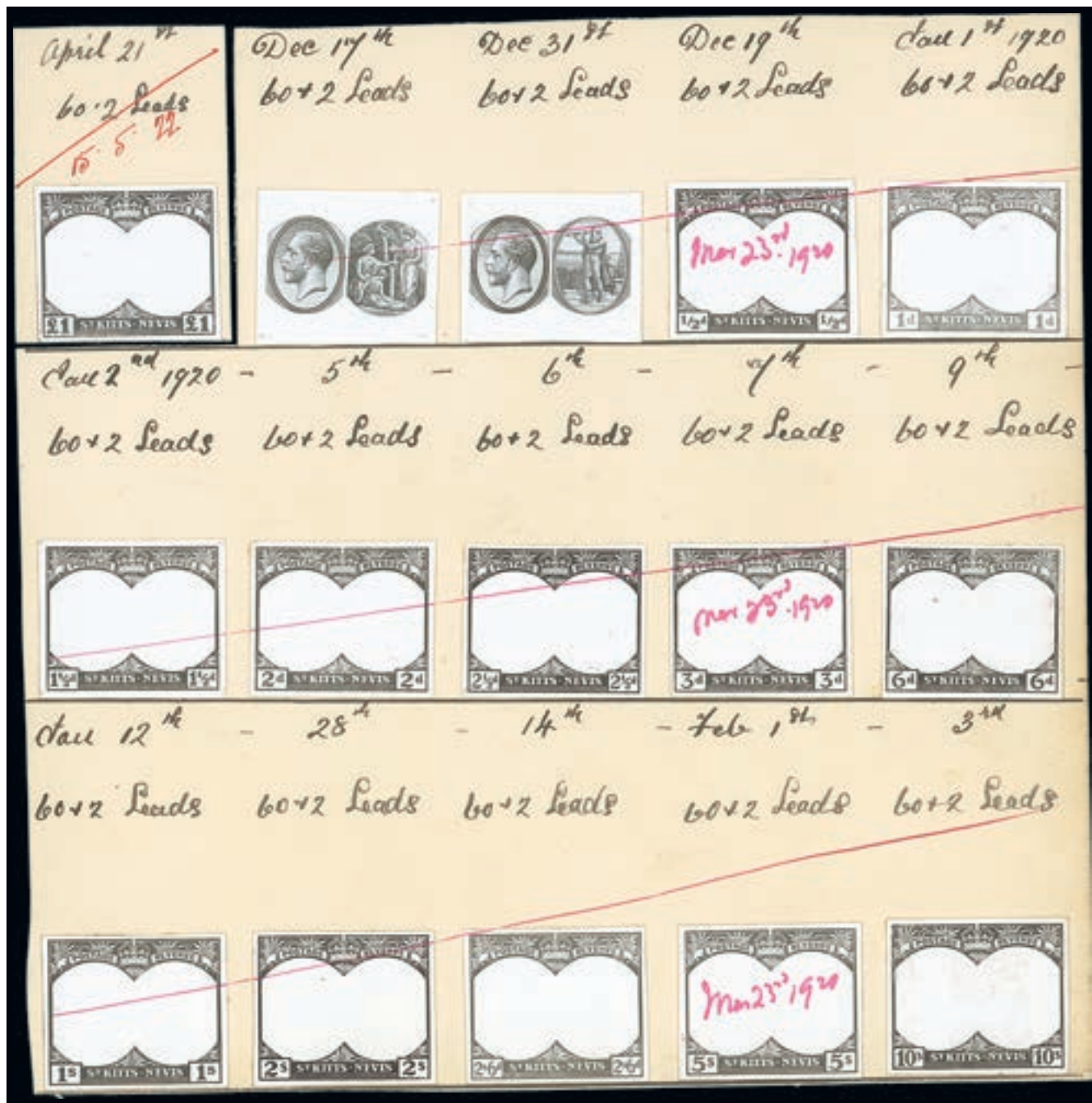
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Die Proofs

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| 499 ① | King's Head and Columbus vignette and King's Head and Medicinal Spring vignette (2, one with uncleared areas in both parts of vignette), all in black with large uncleared surround on glazed card (92x60mm.), all unmarked, each with a touch of soiling otherwise fine. Photo | £600-800 |
| 500 ① | King's Head and Medicinal Spring and King's Head and Columbus vignettes, both in black on glazed cards (92x60mm.) marked "BEFORE HARDENING" and dated "11/12/19" and "24/12/19" respectively, fine. Photo | £400-500 |
| 501 ① | King's Head and Medicinal Spring and King's Head and Columbus vignettes, both in black on glazed cards (92x60mm.) marked "BEFORE STRIKING", dated "12/12/19" and "31/12/19" respectively and initialled, fine. Photo | £400-500 |
| 502 ① | King's Head and Medicinal Spring and King's Head and Columbus vignettes, both in black on glazed cards (92x60mm.) marked "AFTER STRIKING", dated "15/12/19" and "31/12/19" respectively and initialled, fine. Photo | £400-500 |
| 503 ① | King's Head and Medicinal Spring vignette (2), both in black on glazed card (92x60mm.), one marked "AFTER STRIKING" and with the date and initials expunged, the other dated "Dec 14" in pencil. Photo | £350-450 |

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St. Kitts-Nevis, 1920-22 Issue, Die Proofs - *contd.*



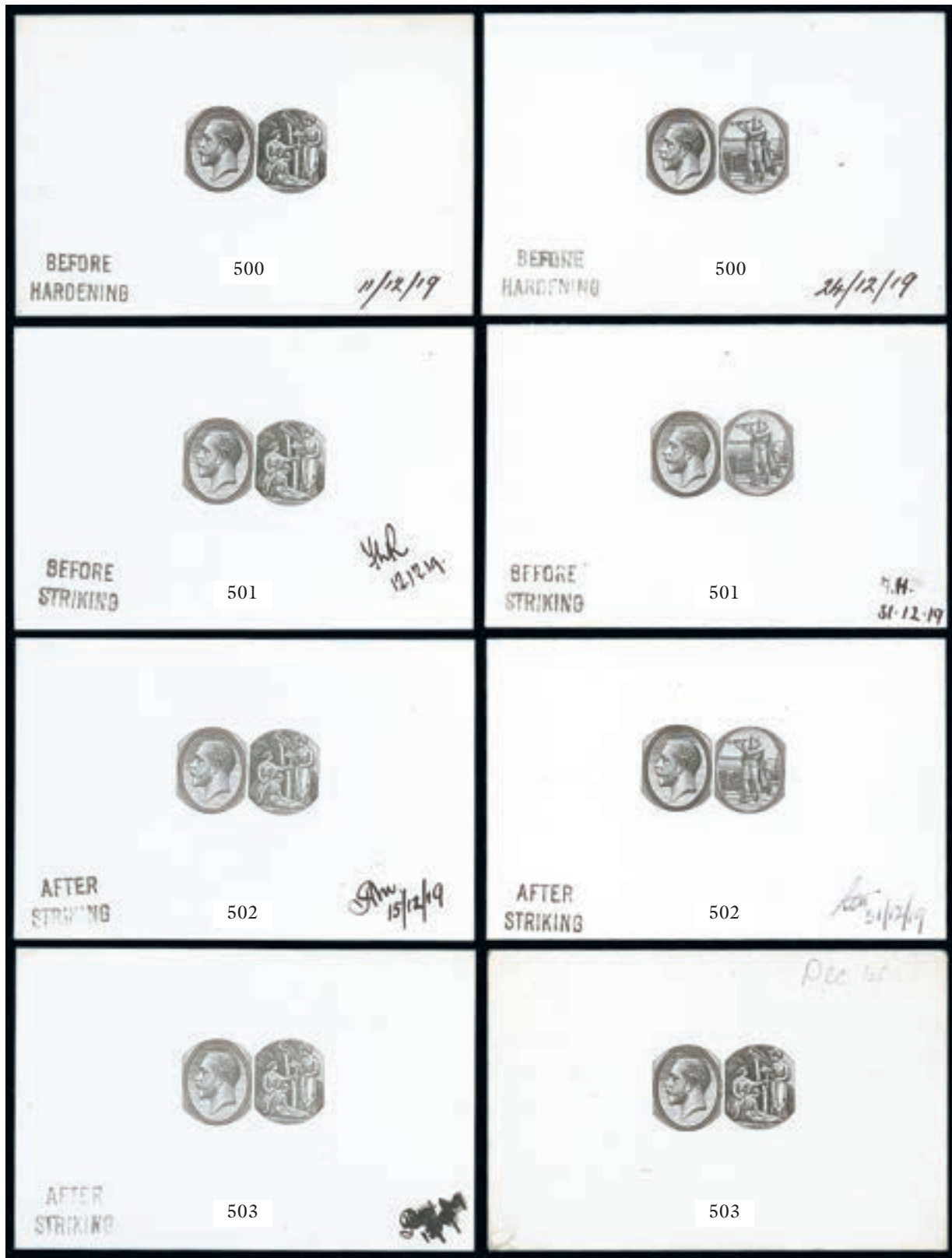
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504 ©

Vignettes (both) and ½d. to 10/- set of twelve frames affixed to piece (189x188mm.) and £1 frame affixed to small piece (38x56mm.), all stamp-size in black on glazed card, with details of leads taken, the former dated between 17th December 1919 and 3rd February 1920, the ½d., 3d. and 5/- further dated in "Mar 23rd 1920" in red ink in vignette space with eleven proofs crossed by red ink line, the £1 frame dated "April 21st" and further dated "15.5.22" in red ink. A wonderful exhibition item. Photo

£2,500-3,000

PROVENANCE:
De La Rue archives



St. Kitts-Nevis, 1920-22 Issue, Die Proofs - *contd.*



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| 505 ② | ½d. to 10/- set of twelve frames with blank vignettes, each in black on glazed card (92x60mm.) marked "BEFORE STRIKING" and dated between "15/12/19" and "30/1/20", the 2d. and 5/- a fraction soiled otherwise fine. Photo | £1,800-2,200 |
| 506 ② | ½d. to £1 set of thirteen frames with blank vignettes, each in black on glazed card (92x60mm.) and marked "AFTER STRIKING", the £1 dated "21/4/22", the rest dated "3/2/20", fine. Photo | £2,000-2,500 |
| 507 ② | ½d. frame with blank vignette in black on glazed card (92x60mm.), marked "AFTER STRIKING" and dated "3/2/20". Photo | £150-180 |
| 508 ② | 1d. frame with blank vignette in black on glazed card (92x60mm.), marked "BEFORE HARDENING" and dated "11/12/19". Photo | £150-180 |
| 509 ② | 1½d. frame with blank vignette in black on glazed card (92x60mm.), marked "AFTER STRIKING" and dated "3/2/20". Photo | £150-180 |

- 510 ⑥ 2d. frame with blank vignette in black on glazed card (92x60mm.), marked “BEFORE STRIKING” and dated “5/1/20”. Photo £150-180
- 511 ⑥ 3d. frame with blank vignette in black on glazed card (92x60mm.), marked “BEFORE STRIKING” and dated “7/1/20”. Photo £150-180
- 512 ⑥ £1 frame with blank vignette in black on glazed card (92x60mm.), marked “AFTER STRIKING” and dated “21/4/22”. Photo £200-250



513

- 513 ⑥ ½d., 2½d., 3d., 1/-, 2/- and £1 complete progressive die proofs all with Columbus vignette, each stamp-size in black on thick grey or white (£1) card, fine. Photo £1,000-1,200



514

- 514 ⑥ ½d., 1d., 1½d., 2d., 2½d., 3d. and 1/- complete progressive die proofs with Columbus vignette, and 1d. with Medicinal Spring vignette, each stamp-size in vermilion and black on thick grey card, fine. Rare. Photo £1,500-1,800

St. Kitts-Nevis, 1920-22 Issue - *contd.*



515

Imperforate Plate Proof

515 ① 1½d. orange-yellow vertical pair on gummed watermarked paper, fine. Photo £500-600

Imperforate Printer's Sample Proofs

516 ①② ½d. blue and sepia, ½d. blue and carmine and ½d. sepia and blue, each on unwatermarked paper handstamped (first) or overprinted "SPECIMEN", fine £300-400

517 ①② ½d. blue and sepia and ½d. blue and carmine horizontal or vertical pairs on unwatermarked paper, each overprinted "SPECIMEN", fine £400-500

518 ①② ½d. blue and sepia horizontal pair, ½d. blue and carmine (small margins) and ½d. sepia and blue (cut close), each handstamped (pair) or overprinted "SPECIMEN", fine £300-400

519 ①②③ ½d. blue and sepia block of four affixed to brown card numbered "101", each handstamped "SPECIMEN", fine £400-500

520 ①② ½d. blue and carmine and ½d. sepia and blue overprinted "SPECIMEN", both affixed to piece of brown card and numbered "139" and "140" below each respectively, fine £200-250

Specimen Stamps

521 ③ ½d. to £1 set of thirteen in vertical strips of three affixed pieces, each overprinted "SPECIMEN" and handstamped with large "POSTES ET TELEGRAPHES/COLLECTION DE BERNE/MADAGASCAR" cachet in red, fine. Most attractive. S.G. 24s-36s. Photo £800-1,000

522 ③ ½d. to £1 set of thirteen overprinted "SPECIMEN", fine mint. S.G. 24s-36s, £350 £100-120

523 ③ ½d. to £1 set of thirteen plus 1921-29 Script ½d. (both), 1½d. red, 2d., 2½d. pale bright blue, 2½d. brown, 2½d. ultramarine, 3d. (both), 6d., 2/- and 2/6d., each overprinted "SPECIMEN" and each affixed to small piece with eight crossed by green crayon line. Ex the De La Rue day book £150-180

524 ③ ½d. to 10/- set of twelve plus 1924 Script 6d., each in a vertical pair overprinted "SPECIMEN", fine mint. S.G. 24s-35s, 46s £150-180

525 ③ 1½d., 1/-, 2/-, 5/-, 10/-, £1 and 1921-29 Script ½d., 1d. violet, 2d., 2½d. brown, 3d. dull ultramarine (rounded top right corner), 6d. and 2/6d., each handstamped "SPECIMEN." (Type SK1) all a little gum toned and some with perf faults. Very rare. Photo £250-300

PROVENANCE:

Peter Jaffé, October 2006

525A ③ 1½d., 1/-, 2/-, 5/-, 10/-, £1 and 1921-29 Script ½d., 1d. violet, 2d., 2½d. brown, 3d. dull ultramarine, 6d. and 2/6d., each handstamped "SPECIMEN." (Type SK1) all a little gum toned and some with perf faults. Very rare £250-300



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Ex 525

St. Kitts-Nevis, 1920-22 Issue, Specimen Stamps - *contd.*



Ex 526

526 ©

£1 and 1921-29 Script 1d. violet, 2d., 2½d. pale bright blue, 2½d. brown, 3d. dull ultramarine and 2/- vertical strips of three, each overprinted "SPECIMEN", affixed to five pieces and handstamped "SPECIMEN/COLLECTION/MAURITANIE" in red. Photo

£150-180



Ex 527

Issued Stamps

527 ★田

½d. to £1 set of thirteen in blocks of four, the 2/- to £1 marginal, fine mint. Rare. S.G. 24-26, £1400. Photo for £1

£600-800

528 ★

½d. to £1 set of thirteen and 1921-29 Script ½d. to 5/-, fine mint. S.G. 24-47c, £480

£120-150



529

- 529 ★ 1½d., 2/- and 2/6d., all with variety **watermark sideways reversed**, fine mint, the last two unmounted. S.G. 26x, 32x, 33x; £925. Photo £300-350
- 530 ⊕Ⓟ 2d., 2½d., 3d. and 6d., each in a complete mint sheet (6x10; folded), some split perfs, unmounted mint. Cat. £990 £150-180
- 531 ⊕Ⓟ 1/- block of thirty (5x6), 2/6d. block of twenty (5x4), 5/- block of fifteen (5x3) and 10/- block of twenty-five (5x5), all with margins on three sides, fine mint. Cat. £580 £120-150



532



533

- 532 ★ 2/6d. grey and red on blue, variety **watermark sideways reversed**, some hinge remnants, fine mint. S.G. 33x, £350. Photo £80-100
- 533 ★ 2/6d. grey and red on blue, variety **watermark sideways inverted and reversed**, fine mint. S.G. 33y, £325. Photo £80-100
- 534 ⊕Ⓟ 5/- green and red on pale yellow, a complete mint sheet (6x10; folded), fine. S.G. 34, £300 £70-90



535

- 535 ★ 5/- green and red on pale yellow, variety **watermark sideways reversed**, fine mint. S.G. 34x, £250. Photo £70-90

St. Kitts-Nevis - *contd.*

1921-29 Issue



536

Imperforate Colour Trials

536 ⑥

1d. in red, affixed to piece marked "Approved", initialled and dated "15/9/30", fine. Photo

£150-180

PROVENANCE:
De La Rue archives



537

537 ⑥

1½d. in red-brown, affixed to piece marked "Approved for colour", initialled and dated "28/11/28", fine. Photo

£150-180

PROVENANCE:
De La Rue archives



538



539

Imperforate Proofs

538 ⑥⑤

1d. rose-carmine horizontal pair on gummed watermarked paper, both handstamped "SPECIMEN" (15x2mm.), fine. Photo

£300-400

539 ⑥

1½d. red-brown on gummed watermarked paper, top margin folded over and partly adhering to reverse, fine. R.P.S. Certificate (1972). Photo

£150-180

PROVENANCE:
Peter Jaffé, October 2006

Specimen Stamps

- 540 © ½d. to 5/- set of seventeen with additional 1½d. red-brown, 1/- and 5/- vertical pairs, each overprinted or perforated "SPECIMEN", fine mint. S.G. 37s-47cs, £470 £120-150



Ex 541

- 541 © ½d., 1d. (both), 1½d. red, 2d., 2½d. (all three), 3d. (both), 6d., 2/- and 2/6d. in a horizontal or vertical strips of three (1d. violet a pair and single), each overprinted "SPECIMEN", all affixed to pieces and handstamped with large "POSTES ET TELEGRAPHES/COLLECTION DE BERNE/MADAGASCAR" cachet in red, fine. Photo £300-400
- 542 © 1d. rose-carmine (2, both lightly gum toned), 1½d. red-brown, 1/- (a few tone spots on reverse) and 5/- (2), each perforated "SPECIMEN" and additionally handstamped "Especimen", all with gum £300-400

St. Kitts-Nevis, 1921-29 Issue, Specimen Stamps - *contd.*



543



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547

- 543 ☉ 1d. pale violet overprinted "SPECIMEN" **double**, lightly gum toned, fine mint. Rare. S.G. 39sa, £500. Photo £150-180
- 544 ☉ 1½d. red, 2½d. pale bright blue, 3d. purple on yellow, 6d. and 2/6d., all in reconstructed blocks of four overprinted "SPECIMEN", part original gum, fine £100-120
- PROVENANCE:
"Koh-I-Noor", July 2003
- 545 ☉ 2/- purple and blue on blue overprinted "SPECIMEN" **double**, fine mint. Rare. S.G. 47asa, £700. Photo £180-220
- 546 ☉ 2/- purple and blue on blue overprinted "SPECIMEN" **double**, fine mint. Rare. S.G. 47asa, £700. Photo £180-220
- 547 ☉ 2/- purple and blue on blue overprinted "SPECIMEN" **double**, fine mint. Rare. S.G. 47asa, £700. Photo £180-220

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- 548 The collection/accumulation, mostly mint, with duplication with a large number of multiples including MCA ½d. to 10/- used, 3d. pair with thin "d" in "3d" and 1/- top right corner block of four with one showing *shortened white line under "ST KITTS"*; Script 1d. pale violet (2), 1½d. red, 2½d. pale bright blue (2) and 3d. dull ultramarine (2), each in a complete mint sheet (5x12), all with some split perfs or severed, 1d. (both) in pairs with one showing *flaw over "N" of "NEVIS"*, 2½d. (all three) in pairs showing *broken fraction bar in "1/2"*, 3d. (both) in pairs showing thin "d" in "3d" and 6d. corner plate number block of nine. A good lot well worth careful viewing £500-600

Covers

- 549 ☒ 1920-39 envelopes (33) and stationery registered envelopes (2), all registered, variously addressed, mostly to UK and USA but including Barbados, British Guiana, France, New Zealand (2) and Switzerland (2), frankings include 4½d. (10, one in combination with Leeward Is, and one on stationery registered envelope), 5d. (4), 5½d. (3, two in combination with Leeward Is.), 6d. (7, four being overpaid), 6½d., 9½d. (on stationery registered envelope) and 1/- (2); the philatelic envelopes include 1929 "Wilson" to Birmingham bearing Script 5/-. A fine lot with most being commercial £400-500
- 550 ☒ 1924-38 envelopes (35) and picture postcards (5), mostly addressed to UK or USA but also to Antigua, British Guiana and Germany, frankings include ½d., 1d. (3, one in combination with Leeward Is.), 1½d. (9), 2d. (5, two in combination with Leeward Is.), 2½d. (8), 3½d. (2), 6d. and 8½d., five showing ship's cachets comprising R.M.S. Lady Drake and S/S Fort St. George, Nerissa, Scanmail and Sixaola, and 1933 "Panton" envelope to Cayman Is. franked at 1d., showing "T" in circle and bearing Cayman Is. 1d. used as postage due. A fine lot £250-300

1923 Tercentenary



551

Essay

551 ©

2d. stamp-size composite essay in sepia and blue in a design similar to that issued with join touched-up in Chinese white, affixed to card (114x89mm.) marked "Landscape blue, border brown in design" and dated "21st June 22"; the card with some soiling. Photo

£1,500-1,800

PROVENANCE:

De La Rue archives

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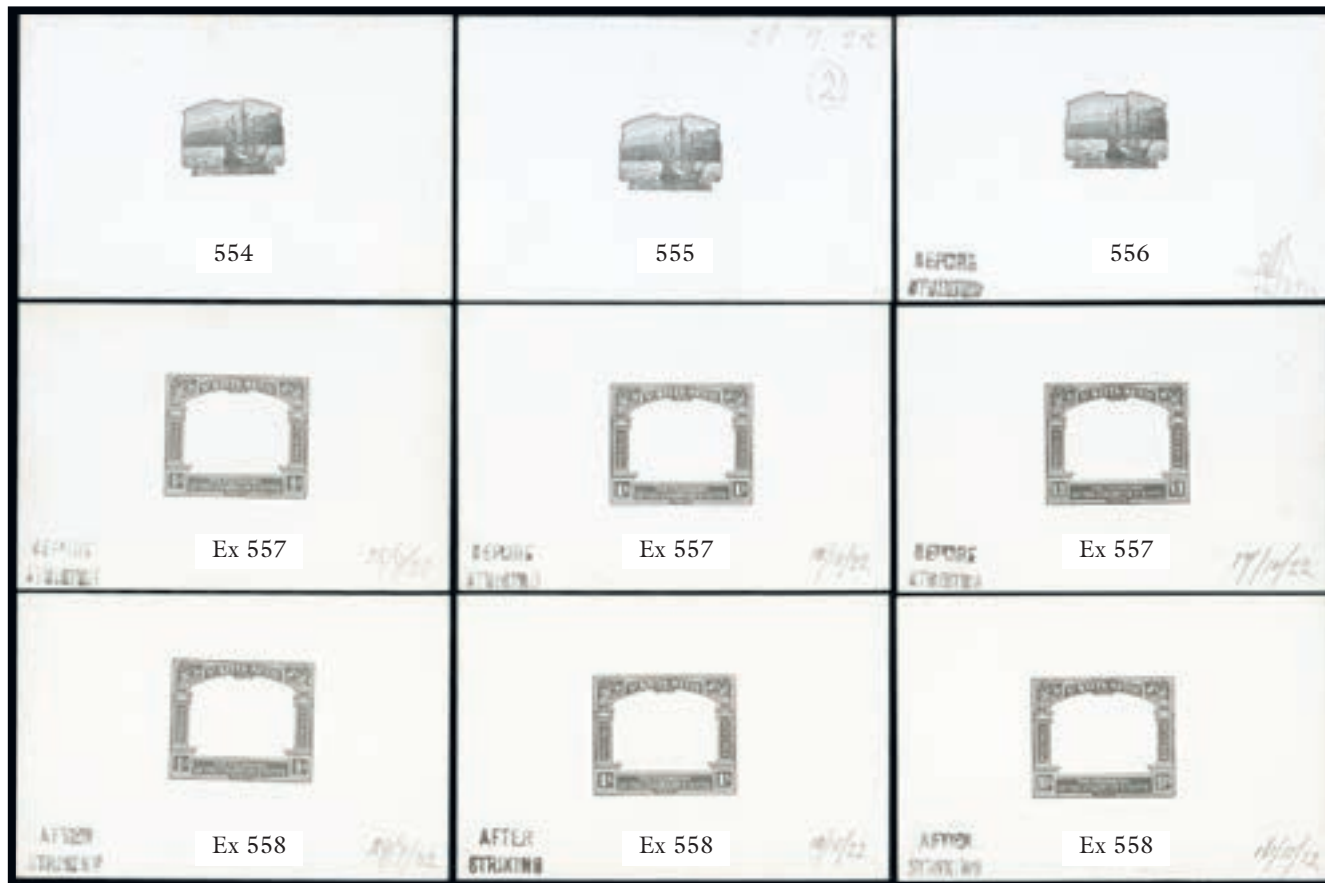
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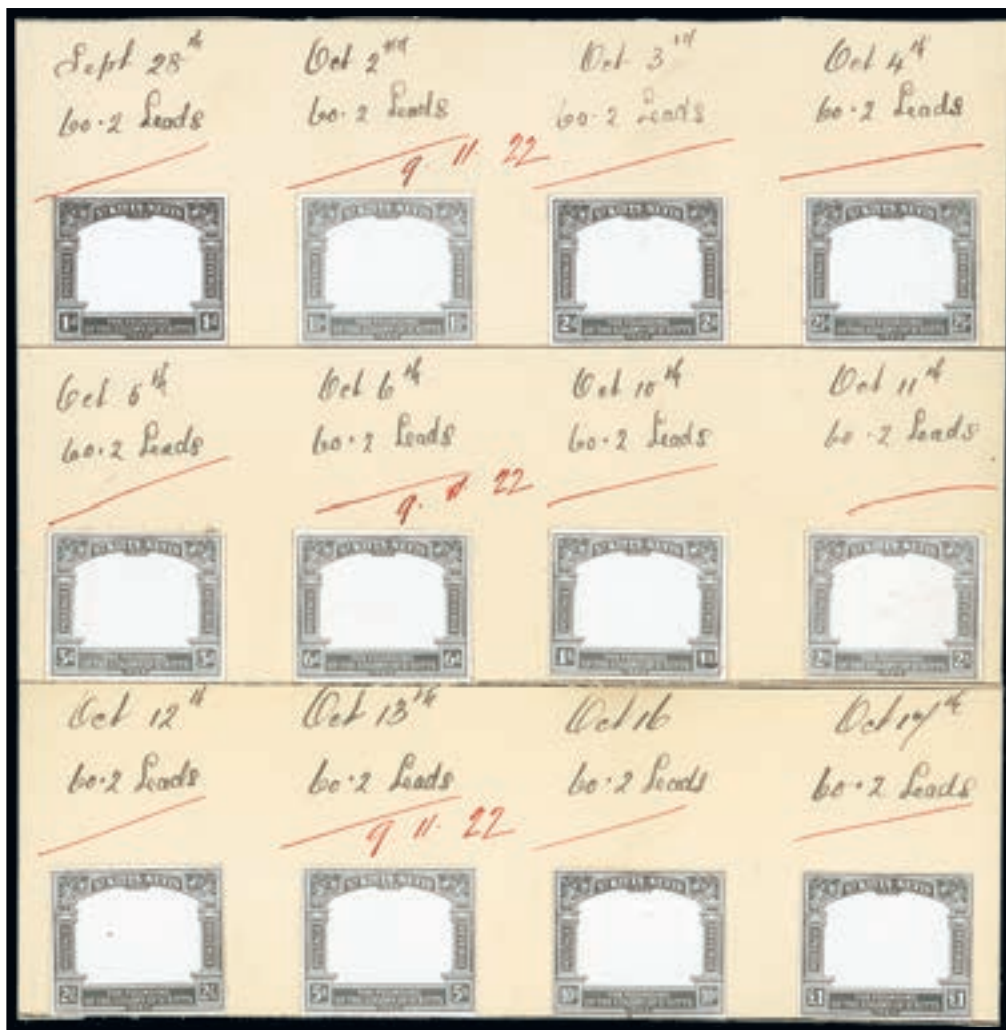
Die Proofs

552 ②	Vignette Types A (no rudder) and B, both in black on glazed card (92x60mm.) and unmarked, fine. Photo	£500-600
553 ②	Vignette Types A (no rudder) and B, both in black on glazed card (92x60mm.) and unmarked, the latter with a slight crease otherwise fine. Photo	£400-500
554 ②	Vignette Type B in black on glazed card (92x60mm.), unmarked, fine. Photo	£250-300
555 ②	Vignette Type B in black on glazed card (92x60mm.), marked "2" and dated "20.9.22" in pencil, fine. Photo	£250-300



- 556 ① Vignette Type B in black on glazed card (92x60mm.), marked “BEFORE STRIKING”, initialled and dated “26/9/22”, fine. Photo £250-300
- 557 ① ½d. to £1 set of thirteen frames with blank vignettes, each in black on glazed card (92x60mm.) marked “BEFORE STRIKING” and dated between “27/9/22” and “17/10/22”, fine. Photo £2,500-3,000
- 558 ① ½d. to 10/- set of twelve frames with blank vignette, each in black on glazed card (92x60mm.) marked “AFTER STRIKING” and dated between “28/9/22” and “16/10/22”, fine. Photo £2,000-2,500

St. Kitts-Nevis, 1923 Tercentenary, Die Proofs - *contd.*



559

559 ©

Vignette Type B and ½d. frame affixed to piece (105x63mm.) and 1d. to £1 frames affixed to piece (176x178mm.), each stamp-size in black on glazed card, all with details of leads taken and dated between “Sept 27th” and “Oct 17th” and the two piece additionally dated “9.11.22” in red ink. Photo

£2,000-2,500

PROVENANCE:

De La Rue archives



560



561

560 ©

Complete with vignette Type A (no rudder), uncleared value tablets and showing “shell bursts” either side of ship, stamp-size in black on glazed card, fine. Photo

£250-300

561 ©

Complete with vignette Type A (no rudder), uncleared value tablets and showing “shell bursts” either side of ship, stamp-size in black on glazed card, fine. Photo

£250-300



Ex 562

562 ⑩

1d., 2½d., 6d., 1/-, 2/6d., 5/- and £1 complete die proofs with vignette Type B, each stamp-size in black on glazed card showing “shell burst” either side of the ship, the £1 with surface abrasions in right value tablet, otherwise fine. Photo

£1,500-1,800



Ex 563

Colour Trials

563 ⑩

1d. perforated colour trials (13) in the issued colours of ½d. to £1, all except the £1 on a piece with value written alongside each, fine. Photo

£2,500-3,000

PROVENANCE:
De La Rue archives



Ex 564

564 ⑩

1d. perforated colour trials (6) in the issued colours of the ½d., 2d., 2½d., 1/- 2/- and 2/6d., all on watermarked paper, four slightly defective due to being taken from the official proof book, and the other two slightly soiled. Photo

£600-800

St. Kitts-Nevis, 1923 Tercentenary - *contd.*

Imperforate Plate Proofs

The following six lots originate from the "miniature" sheets of six which were produced for the personal reference collection of a high official of the De La Rue Company between 1917 and 1922. All the blocks were from the lower right corner of the sheet.

565 ①

½d. to £1 in horizontal or vertical (1/- and 2/6d.) pairs on gummed watermarked paper, all marginal except ½d., 1/- and 2/6d.; the ½d., 1/-, 10/- and £1 with crease(s). A unique and magnificent set. Photo

£5,000-7,000



Ex 566

566 ①

½d. to 10/- set of twelve on gummed watermarked paper, the 10/- with corner crease otherwise fine. Photo

£1,500-1,800



St. Kitts-Nevis, 1923 Tercentenary, Imperforate Plate Proofs - *contd.*



567

567 ② 2d., 2½d. (creased) and 3d. (light corner crease), all on gummed watermarked paper, fine. Photo £500-600



568



569



570

568 ② 2d. black and slate-grey on gummed watermarked paper, fine. Photo £200-250

569 ② 2½d. black and brown on gummed watermarked paper, some light creases not affecting appearance. Photo £150-180

570 ② 3d. black and ultramarine on gummed watermarked paper, corner crease at top left otherwise fine. Photo £150-180

Specimen Stamps

571 ③ ½d. to £1 set of thirteen, each overprinted "SPECIMEN", fine mint; also additional 6d. (faults) similarly overprinted and additionally handstamped "ULTRAMAR". S.G. 48s-60s, £800 £200-250



Ex 572

572 ③ ½d. to £1 set of thirteen in vertical pairs, each overprinted "SPECIMEN", one 1d. with a stained perf otherwise fine mint. Rare in multiples. S.G. 48s-60s, £1600. Photo £500-600



Ex 573

573 ©

½d. to £1 set of thirteen in reconstructed blocks of four, each overprinted “SPECIMEN”, fine and fresh mint. S.G. 48s-60s, £3200. Photo

£1,500-1,800

PROVENANCE:
“Koh-I-Noor”, July 2003



574

574 ©

½d. to £1 set of thirteen in vertical strips of three overprinted “SPECIMEN”, all affixed to irregular piece (249x210mm.) and handstamped by large “POSTES ET TELEGRAPHES/ COLLECTION DE BERNE/MADAGASCAR” cachet in red, fine. Most attractive. S.G. 48s-60s, £2400. Photo

£1,000-1,200

St. Kitts-Nevis, 1923 Tercentenary, Specimen Stamps - *contd.*



575

575 ©

½d. to £1 set of thirteen in vertical strips of three overprinted "SPECIMEN", all affixed to irregular piece (250x291mm.) and handstamped by large "SPECIMEN/COLLECTION/MAURITANIE" cachet in red, one 2d. defective at top otherwise fine. Most attractive. S.G. 48s-60s, £2400. Photo

£800-1,000



Ex 576

576 ☉ 10/- and £1 overprinted "SPECIMEN" and additionally handstamped with framed "SPECIMEN/Collection/A.C." applied by the receiving postal authority, Afrique Occidentale Francaise, both with gum, fine. Photo £200-250



Ex 577

Ex 579

Ex 580

Ex 582

Issued Stamps

- 577 ★ ½d. to £1 set of thirteen, fine mint. S.G. 48-60, £1200. Photo for £1 £300-400
- 578 ★ ½d. to £1 set of thirteen, fine mint. S.G. 48-60, £1200. £300-400
- 579 ★ ½d. to £1 set of thirteen, fine mint. S.G. 48-60, £1200. Photo for £1 £300-400
- 580 ★ ½d. to £1 set of thirteen, fine mint. S.G. 48-60, £1200. Photo for £1 £300-400
- 581 ○田 ½d. to 1/- in marginal plate number blocks of four, each on piece, fine used. S.G. 48-55, £563 £150-180
- 582 ○ ½d. (2), 1d. (3, two showing **damaged second "E" of "REVENUE"**), 1½d. (2), 2d. (3), 2½d., 3d. (2), 6d. (2), 1/-, 2/- (3, one a fraction soiled), 2/6d. (3, one a fraction soiled), 5/- and 10/- fine used, also ½d., 2½d., 1/-, 2/-, 2/6d., 5/- (2), 10/- and £1 (2) with 8 December 1923 Madam Joseph forged datestamps, plus \$1 with fiscal cancel. S.G. 48-59, £2000+. Photo £500-600
- 583 ⊕田 ½d., 1d. (2, neither shows the flaw on "REVENUE") and 2d., each in a complete unmounted mint sheet (6x10), a few split perfs, fine. S.G. 48, 49, 51; £900 £180-220
- 584 ★ The mint range comprising ½d. (11 including two blocks of four), 1d. (36 including blocks of fifteen, six and block of four (2 - one slightly toned), a pair and single showing variety **damaged second "E" of "REVENUE"**), 1½d. (27 including blocks of fifteen and six), 2d. (14 including blocks of six and four), 2½d. (14 including two blocks of six), 3d. (20 including blocks of eight, six and four), 6d. (8 including two strips of three), 1/- (6 including a block of four), 2/- (6 including a block of four), 2/6d. (6, including a block of four; one single with small thin) and 5/- (2); the odd block a fraction toned though most fine. S.G. 48-57, 59; £1,880 £400-500

St. Kitts-Nevis, 1923 Tercentenary - *contd.*

Covers

- 585 ☒ 1923-24 envelopes (13), fronts (2) and picture postcards (4), mostly addressed to UK or USA but also to British Guiana, St. Eustatius (2) and Switzerland, frankings include 1½d. (2), 2d. (10) and 3d. (4, one in combination with Leeward Is.), also 1936 front to England bearing 2/6d. with 1921-29 ½d., 2½d. and 6d. A good lot £200-250
- 586 ☒ 1923-31 envelopes (14) and stationery registered envelopes (3), mostly addressed to UK or USA but including to South Africa, frankings include 5d. (4, two in combination with Leeward Is, one on 1d. stationery envelope), 5½d. (3), 6d. (5, one a stationery registered envelope), 7d., 7½d. (2) and 9½d. (stationery registered envelope); also four 1923 "Wilson" envelopes to Birmingham, two bearing ½d. to 3d. and two bearing 6d. and 1/-. A good lot £300-400



587

- 587 ☒ 1924 (15 Jan.) OHMS envelope (230x105mm.; vertical creases and other minor faults) from the St. Kitts Postmaster registered to Ohio, bearing 5/- block of four each cancelled by central St. Kitts c.d.s., showing "R" in oval with New York and arrival datestamps on reverse. A rare franking. Photo £300-400

1935 Silver Jubilee



588

588 ②⑤

Master die proof without country name and with blank value tablet, in brown and deep blue on thin glazed card and overprinted "SPECIMEN", fine. Extremely rare. Photo

£3,000-4,000



589

589 ②

Master die proof of the frame in black on wove paper and affixed to card of the same size, marked "O.K. PROOF" and with three sets of file numbers, subsequently marked "1d, 1½, 2½" and "Cancelled" across the proof in red ink and with a line through two of the file numbers; a fraction soiled. Unique. Photo

£1,500-1,800

PROVENANCE:
Waterlow archives



590

590 ②

1d. to 1/- set of four each perforated "SPECIMEN" (Type D19), affixed to piece with each additionally handstamped "SPECIMEN" in black or violet (1/-) by a receiving postal authority. A unique set. Photo

£1,500-1,800

591

The collection including the set of four perforated "SPECIMEN" (3), 1d. mint (27) and used (6), 1½d. mint (25, one with *kite and vertical log*) and used (6), 2½d. mint (25) and used (7), and 1/- mint (18) and used (5), plus envelopes (10) including three with ship's cachet comprising C.N.S. Lady Hawkins and M.S. Cordillera (2); condition a little mixed in places

£200-250

St. Kitts-Nevis - *contd.*

King Edward VIII



592

592 ②

King's Head facing half right with horizontal lined oval background, in black on surfaced wove paper (96x135mm.) with reversed engraved "15494" at top, fine. Photo

£500-600



593



594

593 ②

Essay of circle with "ST CHRISTOPHER AND NEVIS" around the outside of the lower right quadrant, in black on gummed paper, fine. Photo

£100-120

594 ②

Essay of circle with "ST CHRISTOPHER AND NEVIS" around the outside of the lower right quadrant, in black and affixed to small piece, fine. Photo

£100-120

King George VI



595

- 595 ⑤ 1937 Coronation **imperforate** set of three, each perforated "SPECIMEN", fine unmounted mint; also a normal Specimen set and a mint set. Photo £1,200-1,500

1938-50 Issue

Essays

- 596 ⑥ 2½d., 6d. and 2/6d. photographic essays of the three issued designs £150-180
 PROVENANCE:
 De La Rue archives, January 1978
- 597 ⑥ 6d. and 2/6d. photographic essays of the issued designs £100-120
 PROVENANCE:
 De La Rue archives



598

- Die Proofs**
- 598 ⑥ King's Head with oval lined background, two sizes both in black with uncleared surround on glazed card (60x92mm.), marked "v344" and "v351", both initialed and dated "5/8/37", fine. Photo £400-500
- Note: The larger head was used for the ten shillings and one pound values.*

St. Kitts-Nevis, 1938-50 Issue, Die Proofs - *contd.*



599



600

- 599 ① Master die proof for the ½d. to 1½d. and 2½d. design with uncleared value tablets and surround, in black on glazed card (92x60mm.) marked “B707”, initialled and dated “25/1/38”, fine. Photo £250-300
- 600 ① Master die proof for the 6d. and 5/- design with uncleared value tablets and surround, in black on glazed card (92x60mm.) marked “B695”, initialled and dated “25/1/38”, fine. Photo £250-300



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- 601 ① King's Head and Columbus vignette and 6d. and 2/6d. frames, each in black on glazed card (92x60mm.), marked “C397”, “C402” and “C329” respectively, initialled and dated “11/4/38” (2/6d.) or “19/4/38”, each crossed through with penstroke, fine. Photo £500-600

- 602 ⑥ King's Head and Columbus vignette and 6d. and 2/6d. frames, each in black on glazed card (92x60mm.), marked "c399", "c404" and "c325" respectively, initialled and dated "11/4/38" (2/6d.) or "19/4/38", each crossed through with penstroke, fine £500-600
- 603 ⑥ King's Head and Columbus vignette and 6d. and 2/6d. frames, each in black on glazed card (92x60mm.), marked "c397", "c403" and "c327" respectively, initialled and dated "11/4/38" (2/6d.) or "19/4/38", each crossed through with penstroke, fine £500-600



604

- 604 ⑥ King's Head and Medicinal Spring vignette in black on glazed card, marked "c336", initialled and dated "11/4/38", fine. Photo £200-250



Ex 605

- 605 ⑥ ½d., 1d., 1½d. and 2½d. complete, 2d., 3d. 6d. (2), 1/-, 2/6d. (2) and 5/- frames, all in black on glazed card (92x60mm.), each initialled and dated between "25/2/38" and "25/4/38", fine. Photo £2,500-3,000

St. Kitts-Nevis, 1938-50 Issue, Die Proofs - *contd.*



Ex 606

606 ⑥ King's Head, King's and Columbus and King's Head and Medicinal Spring vignettes, ½d., 1d., 1½d. and 2½d. complete, 2d., 3d., 6d., 1/-, 2/6d. and 5/- frames, each stamp-size in black on glazed card and affixed to four pieces of thin card giving details of leads taken and dated between "Mar 1st" and "May 10th", fine. Photo £2,000-2,500

Specimen Stamps

607 ⑤ ½d. to 5/- set of ten with additional ½d., 1d., 1½d. and 2½d. in marginal horizontal pairs, each perforated "SPECIMEN", fine mint. S.G.68s-77s £120-150

Issued Stamps

608 ★ ½d. (17), 1d. (13), 1½d. (9), 2d. (13), 2½d. (13), 3d. (10), 6d. (29), 1/- (6), 2/6d. (17, two used), 5/- (14), 10/- top left corner block of four and £1 top left corner block of four, all neatly mounted and written-up, most with printings identified, fine mint. S.G. 68-77, £1800+ £500-600

609 ★ ½d. (7), 1d. (14, one used), 1½d. (6), 2d. (26, one used), 2½d. (10), 3d. (32, one used), 6d. (52, three used), 1/- (19, one used), 2/6d. (17, one used), 5/- (10), 10/- and £1, all arranged on Hagner sheets and most with printings identified, fine mint. S.G. 68-77 £800-1,000

610 ④ 5/- grey-green and scarlet, perf 13x12, a top left corner block of nine with plate number, two with crease otherwise fine and mounted in the selvedge only. S.G. 77, £585 £150-180



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611 ④ 5/- bluish green and scarlet, perf 14 on ordinary paper, variety *break in value tablet frame*, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 77ba, £350. Photo £100-120

612 ★ 5/- bluish green and scarlet, perf 14 on ordinary paper, variety *break in value tablet frame*, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 77ba, £350. Photo £80-100

613 ★ 5/- bluish green and scarlet, perf 14 on ordinary paper, variety *break in oval at left*, fine mint. S.G. 77ae, £350. Photo £80-100

- 614 © 1946 Victory pair in vertical strips of three, each perforated "SPECIMEN", fine mint. Rare in multiples. S.G. 78s-79s, £270+ £120-150



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- 615 © 1949 Royal Silver Wedding 5/- carmine perforated "SPECIMEN" (Type B9), fresh without gum. Unique. S.G. 81. Photo £800-1,000

PROVENANCE:
Bradbury Wilkinson archives



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- 616 ★田 1950 Tercentenary 1½d. orange upper left corner block of four with plate number, the upper right stamp with **St. Edward's Crown watermark error**, fine mint. S.G. 87b, £1400. Photo £300-400

- 617 © 1952 Legislative Council King's Head die proof in oval lined background, in black on wove paper (30x32mm.) partially affixed to piece of brown card (41x43mm.), fine. Photo £150-180

- 618 The accumulation of the King George VI issues, with much duplication, on pages, Hagner sheets, stockcards etc., many in multiples including complete sheets, including 1938-50 ½d. to £1 range of shades and printings, £1 used corner block of four plus the set of ten, 1946 Victory pair perforated "SPECIMEN", 1947 Paris Postal Congress folder, 1949 Wedding 5/- lower right corner block of fifteen and blocks of four (2, one with imprint), 1952 1c. to \$4.80 in mint and used blocks of four and used singles. A good lot well worth careful examination £350-450

St. Kitts-Nevis - *contd.*

Covers

619 ☒

The accumulation of envelopes (149, seventy-seven registered), front, Leeward Islands registered envelope and a postcard, the majority philatelic, included are three with Tax h.s., three with slogan d.s., one with H.Q. Leewards Islands Battalion cachet, an OHMS cover with Official Paid c.d.s. and Harbour Master Basseterre circular cachet, one with U.S.S. Omaha d.s. and two with U.S.S. Boise d.s.

£200-250

Queen Elizabeth II



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620 ⑩

1958 British Caribbean Federation, 3c., 6c. and 12c. imperforate proofs in issued colours, affixed to piece (204x216mm.) headed "FEDERATION OF THE WEST INDIES 1957", fine. Photo

£500-600

621 ⑩

1961 Nevis Stamp Centenary, two die proofs of the Queen's Head, one in purple with Head in oval surround on wove paper (80x92mm.), the other in violet in issued design on wove paper (73x102mm.), the stamp vignette in black (2) on surfaced paper (116x153mm. and 110x137mm.) and in brown (2) on surfaced paper (75x115mm. and 77x115mm.), 2c. frame in green on surfaced paper (73x118mm.) and 8c. frame in blue on surfaced paper (73x115mm.). Photo

£800-1,000

622 ⑩

1961 Nevis Stamp Centenary, 2c., 8c., 12c. and 24c. frame die proofs affixed to piece (180x297mm.), each with a die proof of their vignette alongside, all in black on wove paper, each frame with a tick alongside denoting approved and each vignette with a cross alongside denoting not approved, the whole signed and dated "1.2.61". Photo

£800-1,000



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St. Kitts-Nevis, Queen Elizabeth II - contd.

- 623 The accumulation of QE issues including 1954-63 ½c. to \$4.80 used, 1963-69 ½c. to \$5 mint (2 sets) and used, 1970-74 ½c. to \$5 mint, issues for St. Kitts with Specimen overprints and including 1980 4c. with overprint omitted and overprint inverted, 55c. (2) with overprint inverted and \$2 (2) with overprint double, Official 1980 55c. and \$10 with overprint inverted, and issues for Nevis with Specimen overprints and including 1983 Independence 5c. with overprint inverted and Official 1980 45c., 50c. and \$5 with overprint inverted and 55c. with overprint double
- £120-150

Covers

- 624 The large accumulation in a carton, mostly from Basseterre or Charlestown but also mail from Cayon, Dieppe Bay, Gingerland, Old Road and Sandy Point, other items noted include Official Mail, ship's cachets including a 1957 cover to New York carried by R.M.S. Mauritania and showing "SENT TO QUARANTINE" h.s. on reverse, tax covers including one with framed "INSUFFICIENT POSTAGE", and five covers with Missent to St. Kitts h.s. (two different types). An interesting lot. (hundreds)
- £150-200

Forgeries

- 625 F A small group of Madam Joseph cancellations comprising Type 346 on 1903 6d., Type 347 on Leeward Is. KGV 2/6d. and 5/- and 1923 Tercentenary ½d., 1d. (2), 2½d., 3d., 1/-, 5/- and 10/-, Type 349 on 1935 Silver Jubilee 1d., 2½d. and 1/-, Type 350 on Leeward Is KGV 5/-, 1923 Tercentenary 2½d., 6d. and 2/- and 1938 5/-, Type 351 on 1948 £1 and Leeward Is 1942 £1, Type 352 on 1943 6d. and 1/- (2), and Type 353 on 1945 5/-. A fine lot
- £300-400

Postal Stationery

- 626 ☒ The collection comprising Cards with 1904 ½d. "SPECIMEN", unused and used (3, one uprated), 1d. "SPECIMEN" (faults), unused and used (5) and 1d. reply paid "SPECIMEN", unused and used (2); Envelopes with 1904 1d. "SPECIMEN", unused and used (4) and 2½d. "SPECIMEN" unused and used (2); Registered Envelopes with 1903 2d. size G unused and used (6) and size H2 used (3); Wrappers with 1904 ½d. "SPECIMEN" and used and 1d. "SPECIMEN", unused and used; and Aerogrammes (18, two "SPECIMEN"). Condition generally fine
- £250-300

Leeward Islands used in St. Kitts

- 627 ☒ 1892-1901 envelopes (12), two addressed to Nevis the others to UK or USA, all bearing 1890 values and showing frankings of ½d. (circular to Nevis), 1d. (2), 2½d. (8) and 5d. (2), all cancelled by St. Kitts "A12" duplex (one with reversed code letter "C"); also 1902-03 philatelic envelopes (3) bearing 1902 provisionals
- £200-250
- 628 ☒ 1891-1902 postal stationery cards with 1d. (10, two damaged) and 1½d., envelopes with 1d. (3) and 2½d. (3) and wrappers with ½d. (3); included are 1891 (24 Dec.) 2½d. envelope to St. Croix, 1893 (7 Feb.) ½d. wrapper addressed locally to Cayon, 1894 (16 May) 1d. envelope to Jersey, uprated with 1890 ½d. and 1d.; 1894 (4 Aug.) 1d. card (light stains) to Turks Islands showing "JAMAICA/TRANSIT" h.s. and 1900 (13 Jan.) 1d. envelope (crease along foot) to Barbados, uprated with 1890 1d. and showing legible "BARBADOS/SHIP LETTER" oval d.s. A good lot
- £150-180
- 629 ☒ 1895 (8 Apr.) "Myerscough" envelope (tear at top) registered to London, bearing 1890 7d. tied by "A12" duplex, showing "R" in oval and New York Exchange registration label; 1902 (22 Sept.) envelope registered to Dominica, bearing 1902 1d. on 4d., 1d. on 6d. and 1d. on 7d. (2), all tied by "A12" duplex; 1902 (18 Aug.) envelope (slightly soiled) registered to London, bearing 1902 provisionals in pairs (all with staining around perfs) tied by "A12" duplex and showing New York Exchange registration label; 1903 (27 Apr.) envelope registered to Bermuda, bearing 1902 1d. on 6d. block of four tied by "A12" duplex; and 1905 (4 Sept.) envelope registered to Dominica, bearing 1902 provisional set of three plus St. Christopher 1885 ½d. on half of 1d. strip of three with forged surcharge, all tied by "A12" duplex
- £120-150
- 630 ☒ 1897 (20 July) locally addressed envelope bearing 1897 Jubilee 1d. strip of three clearly tied by St. Kitts "A12" duplex, fine. R.P.S. Certificate (1970)
- £120-150

- 631 ☒ 1902-11 envelopes (6 including one stationery and one registered), stationery card and wrappers (2) and picture postcards (2), all bearing KE values; items include 1902 (29 Oct.) OHMS envelope to England bearing 1902 2d., 1905 (3 Aug.) 2½d. envelope and 1d. wrapper to Switzerland, 1906 picture postcard to Trinidad, bearing ½d. and showing unframed “T” h.s. and 1911 (9 Nov.) envelope registered to USA bearing ¼d. pair, ½d. pair and 3d. £100-120
- 632 ☒ 1906 (4 Dec.) commercial OHMS envelope to Barbados, bearing 1897 Jubilee 2½d. clearly tied by St. Kitts “A12” duplex and showing arrival datestamp (11.12) on reverse; horizontal crease at top clear of adhesive £80-100
- 633 ☒ 1913-55 envelopes (48, six registered) stationery registered envelopes (2) and a picture postcard, variously addressed and franked, including 1924 (27 Mar.) envelope registered to British Guiana franked at 5d., 1934 (18 May) and (5 Oct.) envelopes to Saba franked at 2½d., 1934 (23 July) envelope flown to Jamaica franked at 1/1½d., 1938 (4 Feb.) locally addressed envelope franked at 1d., 1944 (Apr.) 3d. registered envelope to London uprated 2/1d., 1947 (1 May) envelope addressed to Sandy Point, franked 1d. and showing arrival c.d.s. and 1947 (1 May) envelope to Sweden franked at 2/3d. An interesting lot £150-180

Leeward Islands used in Nevis

- 634 ☒ 1897 (Oct.) “*Myerscough*” envelopes (2) registered to London, both bearing 1890 ½d. (14) cancelled by “A09” obliterator, 1898 (19 Jan.) mourning envelope to Plymouth bearing 1890 2½d. tied by “A09” obliterator, and 1906 (11 Jan.) envelope registered to London, bearing 1902 provisional set of three tied by “A09” duplex and showing New York Exchange registration label £100-120

Airmails

- 635 ☒ 1929-38 envelopes (9) comprising 1929 (21 Sept.) envelopes flown on FAM 6 to San Juan franked at 1/10½d., to USA at 1/4½d. and to British Guiana at 1/4½d., each showing “AIR MAIL/FIRST FLIGHT” handstamp; 1929 (22 Sept.) envelope (stained) flown by FAM 6 from USA to St. Kitts franked at 28c.; 1937 (25 Mar.) envelope to England franked at 1/2d.; 1937 (23 July) and (9 Nov.) envelopes to USA franked at 1/3d.; and 1937 (11 Sept.) and 1938 (14 Mar.) envelopes to England franked at 1/2d. £150-180
- 636 ☒ 1938-54 envelopes (60, seven registered), mostly addressed to UK or USA, showing a good range of rates including 6d. (7), 8½d., 9d. (7), 10d. (4), 1/- (11), 1/0½d. (4), 1/1d., 1/1½d. (2), 1/3d. (4), 2/6d. (4), 2/6½d., 2/9½d., 2/10d., 3/2d., 4/8d., 5/- and 6/5d.; condition mostly fine. A fine lot of wartime rates and routes £300-400

Censored Mail

Straight-line “PASSED THE CENSOR” handstamp

- 637 ☒ 1939 (21 Aug.) - 1942 (11 Apr.) envelopes (6, three registered) to USA, franked at 2½d., 5½d. (2), 6d. and 1/1½d., each showing straight-line “PASSED THE CENSOR” in red (4) and in violet (2), also 1942 envelope to Saba, franked at 3d., showing straight-line “PASSED THE CENSOR” in red and arrival triangular censor handstamp in red £250-300
- 638 ☒ 1939 (28 Aug.) envelope from Barbados franked at 1½d. and 1940 (21 Mar., 10 Apr. and 17 Aug.) envelopes from Guadeloupe, two franked at 2f.50 and one at 8f.75, all addressed to St. Eustatius, each showing straight-line “PASSED THE CENSOR” in red (2), purple and in black; also 1940 (14 Oct.) and 1942 (13 Mar.) envelopes from USA to St. Kitts showing fine straight-line “PASSED THE CENSOR” in black and in red respectively £200-250
- 639 ☒ 1939 (18 Sept.) envelope to USA franked at 2½d., 1939 (29 Nov.) envelope to USA franked at 1/0½d. and 1941 (14 Aug.) envelope registered to Scotland, franked at 5/-, each showing straight-line “PASSED THE CENSOR” in red, violet and black respectively, all fine strikes £120-150
- 640 ☒ 1939 (7 Dec.) envelope to USA franked at 1/1d., 1940 (25 Oct.) envelope to Australia franked at 2d. and 1942 (7 Feb.) envelope to USA franked at 3d., each showing straight-line “PASSED THE CENSOR” in violet, black and red respectively, all fine strikes £120-150

St. Kitts-Nevis, Censored Mail, Straight-line "PASSED THE CENSOR" handstamp - *contd.*

641 ☒ 1941 (8 Jan.) envelope to USA, franked at 1/1½d. and showing St. Kitts c.d.s. and straight-line "PASSED THE CENSOR", both in red. Rare. Photo £100-120

642 ☒ 1941 (21 Jan.) envelope to USA, franked at 3d. and showing St. Kitts c.d.s. and straight-line "PASSED THE CENSOR", both in red. Rare. Photo £100-120

Circular "ST. KITTS/CROWN/PASSED BY CENSOR"

643 ☒ 1939-42 envelopes (29) to Curcao franked at 2½d. and 3d. (3), Puerto Rico franked at 3d., 10d. (3) and unpaid, St. Eustatius at 1d., Thailand at 2½d. and to USA at 2½d. (5), 3d. (10), 1/1½d. and 1/3d., all with circular "ST. KITTS/CROWN/PASSED BY CENSOR" handstamp for Nos. "2" in red (17), "3" in blue (5, one with "SOR" missing - envelope stained), "4" in red (6) and "5" in blue-black; a few with faults £300-400

644 ☒ 1939-41 envelopes (12) all incoming from Australia, Cuba, Curacao, France, USA (7, two are window types) and in transit from USA to St. Croix, each showing circular "ST. KITTS/CROWN/PASSED BY CENSOR" in red for Nos "2" (6), "3" (4) and "4" (2). A good lot £500-600

645 ☒ 1940-42 envelopes (6) to USA, franked at 2½d. and 3d. (7) , each with circular "ST. KITTS/CROWN/PASSED BY CENSOR" with Nos. "2" in red, "3" in black, blue, violet and in red, "4" in red and "5" in black. A good lot £250-300

646 ☒ 1940-42 envelopes (6) to USA, franked at 2½d., 3d. (3) and 1/1½d. (2), showing circular "ST. KITTS/CROWN/PASSED BY CENSOR" for Nos. "2" in red "3" in blue, violet and red, "4" in red and "5" in violet, all fine strikes £250-300

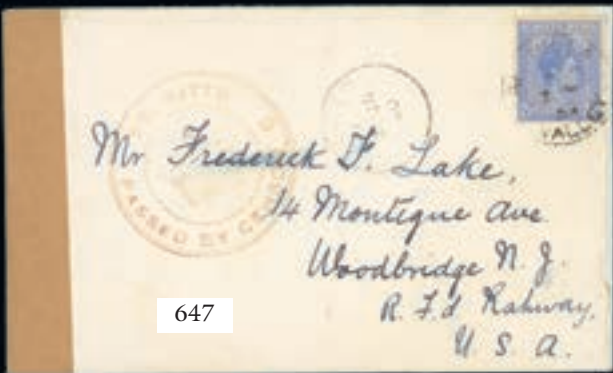
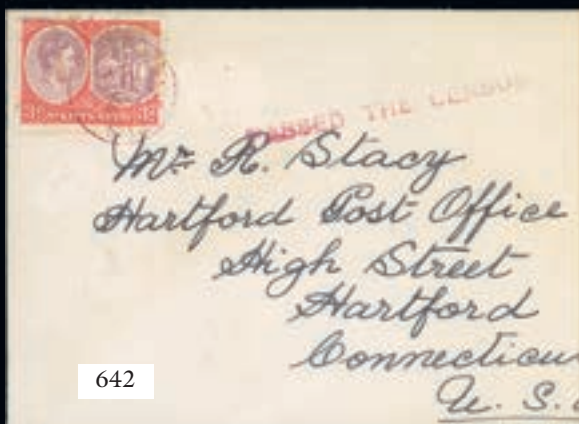
647 ☒ 1940 (2 Jan.) envelope to USA, franked at 2½d. and cancelled by "ANGUILLA/VALLEY" c.d.s., showing St. Kitts c.d.s. with brown sealing tape at left with clear circular "ST. KITTS/CROWN/PASSED BY CENSOR 6" in red alongside. Rare. Photo £200-250

648 ☒ 1941 envelope to USA, franked at 3d., showing fine "ST. KITTS/CROWN/PASSED BY CENSOR 3" in black with "SOR" missing, some slight discolouration. Rare. Photo £120-150

649 ☒ 1941 (17 Oct.) "TELEGRAM" envelope addressed and registered to Nevis, franked at 4d. (one 1d. damaged), showing manuscript registration marking and clear circular "ST. KITTS/CROWN/PASSED BY CENSOR 1" in grey-black with arrival datestamp on reverse. Scarce. Photo £100-120

650 ☒ 1941 (21 Oct.) envelope to USA, franked at 3d. and cancelled with "ANGUILLA/VALLEY" c.d.s., showing St. Kitts c.d.s. and with brown sealing tape at left clearly tied by circular "ST. KITTS/CROWN/PASSED BY CENSOR 6" in red. Rare. Photo £200-250

651 ☒ 1942 (23 Jan.) envelope to St. Eustatius, franked at 3d. (one 1d. defective), with brown sealing tape at left tied by fine "ST. KITTS/CROWN/PASSED BY CENSOR 3" in violet with "SOR" missing. Rare. Photo £120-150



St. Kitts-Nevis, Censored Mail - *contd.*

“P.C. 90/OPENED BY EXAMINER” labels in seriffed type with printed code “BB/” and censor’s number

652 ☒ 1943 envelopes (28) to Antigua, Canada (6), Curacao, Dominica, Saba, St. Eustatius (3), St. Vincent (3), UK (2) and USA (6) with frankings of 2d., 2½d. (4), 3d. (4), 1/0½d. (6), 1/1½d. (7) and 2/6½d., also two in transit from Aruba to St. Eustatius and from St. Eustatius to USA, and one incoming from Trinidad; the labels comprise “BB/1” with manuscript “12” (2), “14” (2), “18” (2), “34”, “108”, “109”, “110”, “113”, “114” and “119”, “BB/2” with manuscript “7” (2), “103”, “119”, “121” (2), “133”, “210” and without number (2) and “BB/3” with manuscript “40”, “44” (2), “201” and “222”. A fine lot well worth examination £600-800

653 ☒ 1943 (3 Nov.) envelope to Eustatius franked at 3d. with “BB/1” label and blue crayon “308”; 1943 envelope from Saba to Barbados franked at 30c. and showing Saba censor with “BB/2” label and blue crayon “213”; 1943 (20 Oct.) envelope to St. Eustatius franked at 3d. with “BB/3” label and blue crayon “304”; 1943 (16 Nov.) envelope registered to Curacao, franked at 9d., showing “BB/4” label with blue crayon “312” and arrival censor h.s. in violet; 1943 (Oct.) envelope to Curacao, franked at 3d., showing “BB/5” label with blue crayon “56” and arrival censor h.s. in red; 1943 (13 Aug.) envelope (light stains) to England, franked 1/0½d., showing “BB/6” label with blue crayon “55”; and 1943 (5 Nov.) envelope to Barbados, franked at 2½d., showing “BB/6” label with red crayon “161”. Most in fine condition £250-300

“P.C. 90/OPENED BY EXAMINER” labels in block capitals with two underlines only and manuscript “BB” and number

654 ☒ 1943-44 envelopes (30) to Argentina, Barbados, Canada (3), Curacao (4), Dominica, Saba (3), St. Eustatius (5), St. Vincent, Trinidad (2), UK (4) and USA with frankings of 2d., 2½d. (4), 3d. (10), 1/-, 1/0½d. (3), 1/1d., (2), 1/1½d., 1/3d., 1/11d., 2/3d. and 2/6d., also three in transit from Curacao to Barbados (2) and St. Eustatius to Curacao and one incoming from Saba, manuscript numbers comprise “3”, “25”, “45”, “49”, “52”, “53”, “56” (2), “72”, “151” (2), “185”, “191”, “204”, “214” (2), “221”, “249”, “250”, “264” (2), “289”, “291” (2), “314”, “322”, “330” (2), “356” and blank. A fine lot well worth careful viewing £600-800

“P.C. 90/OPENED BY EXAMINER” labels in block capitals with printed “BB” and number

655 ☒ 1944-45 envelopes (15) to Antigua, Curacao (4), Saba (2), UK (2) and USA (2) with frankings of 2½d., 3d. (4), 1/-, 1/1d., 1/3d., 1/5d. and 2/9d., also two in transit from Curacao to Egypt and to USA and two incoming from Canada (re-addressed to Curacao) and Curacao, the numbers comprise “198” (7), “202” (2), “282” (4, one with manuscript “1” alongside) and “435” (2). Also 1943 (13 Apr.) envelope to St. Eustatius franked at 3d. and showing label at left with printed “BB” underlined and manuscript “3”. An interesting lot £400-500

Framed “CROWN/PASSED/BB/_” and manuscript number

656 ☒ 1942-43 envelopes (33) to Canada (7), Curacao (3), St. Eustatius (3) and USA (17) with frankings of 2½d., 3d. (7), 10½d., 1/0½d. (7), 1/1½d. (13) and 2/-, also one transit from Curacao to USA and two incoming from Anguilla? (stamp uncanceled) and Curacao, handstamps comprise in red with numbers “1”, “2” (3), “3” (10), “4” (11), “8” and blank (2), and in violet with numbers “1” (4) and “6”; also 1943 (27 Mar.) envelope to USA franked at 1/1½d. showing similar but larger handstamp with “I.B.B.” and manuscript “3”. An interesting lot well worth viewing £400-500

657 ☒ 1943 (12 Apr.) envelope to USA, franked at 3d. and cancelled by “ANGUILLA/VALLEY” c.d.s., showing brown sealing tape at left tied by red handstamp with manuscript “8”, fine. Rare. Photo £120-150

Finance Regulations handstamp

658 ☒ 1941 (15 Mar.) envelope to Canada, franked at 2d., showing brown sealing tape at left tied by circular “ST. KITTS/Crown/PASSED BY CENSOR 2” and “EXAMINED BY CENSOR/IN CONNECTION WITH/FINANCE REGULATIONS” h.s., both in red. Very scarce. Photo £150-180

659 ☒ 1941 (22 Dec.) envelope to USA, franked at 3d., showing brown sealing tape at left tied by circular “ST. KITTS/Crown/PASSED BY CENSOR 2” and “EXAMINED BY CENSOR/IN CONNECTION WITH/FINANCE REGULATIONS” h.s., both in red. Very scarce. Photo £150-180



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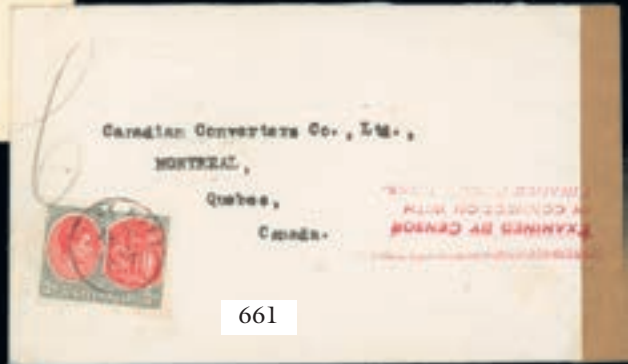
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St. Kitts-Nevis, Finance Regulations handstamp - *contd.*

- 660 ☒ 1941 (23 Dec.) envelope to Canada, franked at 2d., showing brown sealing tape at left tied by fine "EXAMINED BY CENSOR/IN CONNECTION WITH/FINANCE REGULATIONS" h.s. in red, fine. Very scarce. Photo £120-150
- 661 ☒ 1942 (13 Jan.) envelope to Canada, franked at 2d., showing brown sealing tape at left tied by "EXAMINED BY CENSOR/IN CONNECTION WITH/FINANCE REGULATIONS" h.s. in red. Very scarce. Photo £120-150
- 662 ☒ 1942 (25 Mar.) envelope to Canada, franked at 1/0½d., showing brown sealing tape at left tied by fine "EXAMINED BY CENSOR/IN CONNECTION WITH/FINANCE REGULATIONS" h.s. in red and, on reverse, Antigua transit datestamp. Very scarce. Photo £120-150

Finance Regulations label

- 663 ☒ 1941 (17 July) envelope to Canada, franked at 2d., showing "CENSOR./Examined in connection with/Finance Regulations./ST. KITTS-NEVIS" label at left, fine. Rare. Photo £150-180
- 664 ☒ 1941 (19 Aug.) envelope to Canada, franked at 2d., showing "CENSOR./Examined in connection with/Finance Regulations./ST. KITTS-NEVIS" label at left, fine. Rare. Photo £150-180

Arrival or Transit labels

- 665 ☒ 1940-43 envelopes (12, two registered) and a front, franked at 5d. (2, registered), 1/0½d. (2), 1/2d., 2/6½d. (7) and 5/2d., all with arrival censor label, one cancelled by Cable and Wireless slogan d.s. for Nevis and one with Sandy Point c.d.s., airmail handstamps include Proud Type AM4 (3) and AM6 (7) £120-150
- 666 ☒ 1940 (29 Nov.) envelope to USA franked at 1/4d. and showing circular "ANTIGUA/Crown/PASSED BY CENSOR" on reverse and 1944 (19 July) envelope to Antigua franked at 1½d. and showing arrival censor label; 1942 (23 Dec.) envelope to Saba franked at 1d. and showing violet arrival censor handstamp; 1944 (8 Jan.) envelope to British Guiana franked at 1/1½d. and showing arrival censor label; and 1945 (6 Feb) envelope to Jamaica franked at 1/1d. and showing arrival censor label £100-120
- 667 ☒ 1943-45 envelopes (17) to USA (10, one registered) franked at 3d. (3), 10d., 1/1d., 1/1½d. (4), 1/4½d. (registered) and 2/3d. including one from Anguilla Valley, to UK (5) franked at 2/6½d. and 4/11d., and to Azores franked at 5d. (registered), each with US censor label, airmail handstamps include Proud Types AM4 (6) and AM6 (4). A good lot £300-400

Naval Censors

- 668 ☒ 1940-41 unstamped envelopes (6) from R.A.A. Robertson to his wife in Basseterre, each showing "FROM H.M. SHIP/PASSED BY CENSOR" handstamp in blue (4) and in red (2), one crossed by straight-line "RECEIVED FROM H.M. SHIP" and one crossed by "RECEIVED FROM/H.M. SHIPS" £100-120

Sub Post Offices

Cayon

- 668A ☒ 1849 (20 July) entire letter from Cayon to Antigua, rated "4" and showing poor arrival double-arc d.s.; the face panel with some slight staining. Scarce inter-island mail from a sub Post Office £80-100



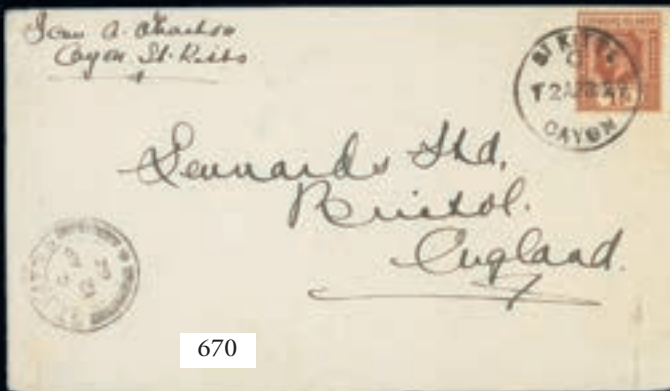
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St. Kitts-Nevis, Sub Post Offices, Cayon - *contd.*

669 ☒ 1915 (11 Dec.) "*Montgomery Ward*" envelope to Chicago, franked 1d. and showing legible "ST KITTS/CA" duplex (Proud Type KD1); 1928 (10 Nov.) front registered to Glasgow franked at 4½d. and showing fine "ST KITTS/CAYON" rubber d.s. (Type D2); 1932 (7 Jan) envelope to England franked at 1½d., 1947 (6 May) "*Wells*" envelopes (2) franked at 5d. and 1951 27 Nov.) envelope to USA franked at 9d., each showing "ST KITTS/CAYON" c.d.s. (Type D3; the first over five months earlier than recorded and the last the latest recorded date); and 1952 (July) "*Wells*" envelopes (2) registered to England, franked at 6d. and 10c. and showing "ST KITTS/CAYON" c.d.s. (Type D4) £120-150

670 ☒ 1929 (12 Apr.) envelope to England, bearing Leeward Islands. 1½d. clearly tied by "ST KITTS/CAYON" rubber d.s. (Proud Type D2) and showing St. Kitts c.d.s. in opposite corner. The only commercial usage of this datestamp recorded. Photo £500-600

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Robert Wynstra, January 2010

Dieppe Bay

671 ☒ 1902 (1 July) "*Myerscough*" envelope to London, bearing Leeward Islands 1890 ½d. (2) tied by clear "ST KITTS/DB" duplex (Proud Type KD1) with St. Kitts c.d.s. alongside and arrival datestamp (16.7) on reverse. Photo £150-180

672 ☒ 1925 (10 Oct.) envelope registered to USA, bearing Leeward Is. 1d. and 2d. (2) tied by "ST KITTS/DB" duplex (Proud Type KD1); 1936 (22 May) envelope to Antigua, bearing Leeward Is. 1d. tied by "ST KITTS/DIEPPE BAY" c.d.s. (Type D4) with St. Kitts c.d.s. alongside; and 1947 (5 May) "*Wells*" envelope to England, franked at 5d. and cancelled by "ST KITTS/DIEPPE BAY" c.d.s. (Type D4). Photo for first £200-250

673 ☒ 1928 (3 Dec.) envelope registered to California, bearing Leeward Islands 4d. tied by "ST KITTS/DIEPPE BAY" rubber d.s. (Proud Type D3) with St. Kitts c.d.s. alongside, showing "R" in oval (Type R1; latest date recorded), "T" in circle and, on reverse, New York and arrival datestamps. The only example of this datestamp on cover recorded. Photo £300-400

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Old Road

674 ☒ 1789 (2 Aug.) entire letter to Inverness, headed "*Old Rod*" (sic), rated "5" (deleted) and "10" and showing partial Port Glasgow Ship Letter h.s. with Edinburgh Bishop mark in red on reverse; face panel with some light staining. Photo £200-250

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675 ☒ 1922 (20 May) front to England, bearing Leeward Islands 2d. pair tied by "ST KITTS/OR" duplex (Proud Type KD 1) with St. Kitts c.d.s. alongside; 1933 (25 Apr.) envelope registered to USA, bearing 1922-29 1d. and 2½d. cancelled by superb "ST KITTS/OLD ROAD" c.d.s. (Type D3); and 1938 (14 June) picture postcard to USA bearing, on picture side, 1922-29 2½d. cancelled by "ST KITTS/OLD ROAD" c.d.s. (Type D3) £120-150

676 ☒ 1928 (4 Dec.) envelope registered to California, bearing Leeward Islands 4d. tied by fine "ST KITTS/OLD ROAD" rubber d.s. (Proud Type D2; latest date recorded), showing St. Kitts c.d.s. in opposite corner "R" in oval and, on reverse, New York and arrival datestamps. The only example of this datestamp on cover recorded. Photo £400-500

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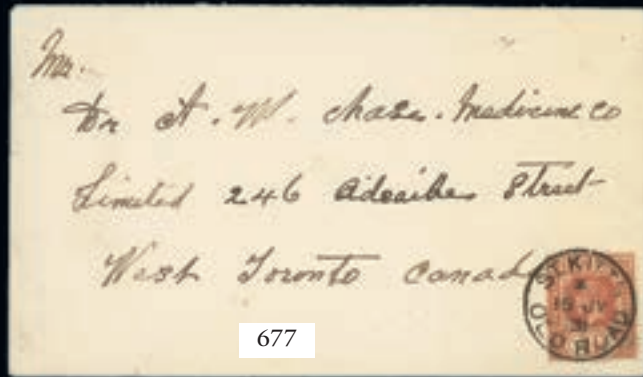
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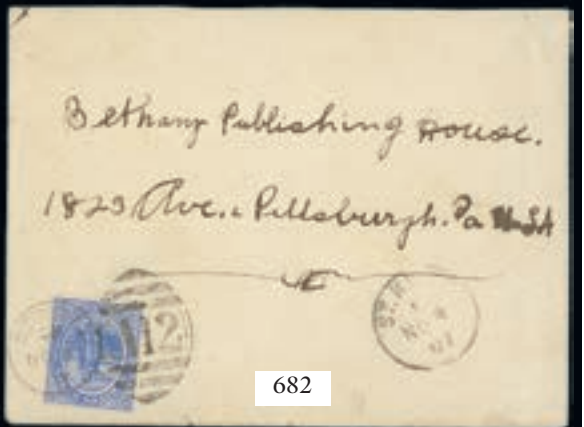
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St. Kitts-Nevis, Sub Post Offices, Old Road - *contd.*

677 ☒ 1931 (16 July) envelope to Toronto, bearing Leeward Islands 1½d. tied by very fine “ST KITTS/OLD ROAD” c.d.s. (Proud Type D3); no other markings. A very early use of this datestamp. Photo £150-180

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678 ☒ 1940-54 envelopes (6) and an Air Letter, variously addressed and franked, all cancelled by “ST KITTS/OLD ROAD” c.d.s. (Proud Type D3). Mostly fine strikes £120-150

679 ☒ 1951-52 “Wells” envelopes (4) registered to England, two franked at 5d., all cancelled by “ST KITTS/OLD ROAD” c.d.s. (Proud Type D3), good to fine strikes £100-120

Sandy Point

680 ☒ 1901 (16 Apr.) envelope to USA, bearing Leeward Islands 1890 2½d. tied by fine “ST KITTS/SP” duplex (Proud Type KD1) with St. Kitts c.d.s. alongside and showing, on reverse, New York and arrival datestamps; the envelope a fraction soiled and with some tone spots. Photo £150-180

681 ☒ 1902 (25 Feb.) Leeward Islands 1d. stationery envelope to London, cancelled by “ST KITTS/SP” duplex (Proud Type KD1), showing St. Kitts c.d.s. in opposite corner and arrival datestamp on reverse. Photo £150-180

682 ☒ 1907 (4 Nov.) commercial envelope to USA, bearing 1907 2½d. tied by “ST KITTS/SP” duplex (Proud Type KD1) and showing St. Kitts c.d.s. on face. Photo £120-150

683 ☒ 1908 (7 Dec.) picture postcard to Canada franked at 1d. and 1923 (May) envelope to New York bearing 1923 Tercentenary 2d., both cancelled by legible “ST KITTS/SP” duplex (Proud Type KD1); 1931-54 envelopes (6, two registered) and a picture postcard, variously addressed and franked, all cancelled by “ST KITTS/SANDY POINT” c.d.s. (Type D3); and 1948 (Apr.) envelope from New York showing “ST KITTS/SANDY POINT” arrival c.d.s. £200-250

684 ☒ 1933 (20 Sept.) “Panton” envelope to Cayman Islands, bearing 1922-29 ½d. tied by “ST KITTS/SANDY POINT” c.d.s. (Type D3), showing another strike alongside, “T” in circle with Cayman Islands 1932 Centenary ¼d. pair and 1½d. applied as Postage Dues and cancelled by Georgetown c.d.s. Photo £80-100

Incoming Mail

685 ☒ 1874 (July - Sept.) envelopes (3) registered from Trinidad to St. Kitts, each bearing 1863-72 4d. yellow tied by “TRINIDAD” double-arc d.s. and showing crayon “4”, straight-line “REGISTERED” and “TRINIDAD/PAID” double-arc d.s., all in red, two (same correspondence) endorsed “*Contents not shown. Stated no money.*” All with faults £120-150

686 ☒ 1883-1947 range including 1883 US 2c. stationery card; 1883-90 Grenada 1½d. stationery cards (11) all from the same correspondence; 1884 Dominica 1d. stationery card; 1884 Antigua 1½d. stationery card; 1886 US 5c. stationery envelope uprated 5c.; 1889 (Feb.) mourning envelope (faults) from Dominica bearing 1882 “½” in red on half 1d. (5) and 1888 (Dec.) envelope from Dominica bearing 1883 “HALF PENNY” on half 1d. (9); and 1893 Antigua 1d. reply paid card to Saba marked “*Via St. Kitts*” £200-300

687 ☒ 1884 (Apr.) complete “*Barbados Herald*” newspaper dated 21st April to Basseterre, bearing 1882 1d. affixed over top edge of the paper and tied by Barbados duplex. Rare. Photo £300-400



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Picture Postcards

- 688 ☒ The collection (117) with the majority unused, publishers include A. Moure Losade and V.E. John, topics include Government House, Sandown Racecourse, coastal scenes, Brimstone Hill, British Fleet at Basseterre Harbour, the Treasury and a few of Nevis. An interesting lot

£100-120

Miscellaneous

- 689 ☒ 1903 (May) Barbados ½d. stationery card to St. Croix, uprated ½d., showing “*Missent to St Kitts*” handstamp (Proud Type I14), Christiensted and Frederiksted (on reverse) datestamps. Photo

£120-150



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- 690 ☒ 1905 envelope to Canada, bearing 1903 1d. pair cancelled by “ST JOHN N B/SHIP LETTER” h.s. (Hosking fig. 1055) and showing arrival datestamp (25.7) on reverse; the envelope slightly soiled. Rare. Photo

£500-600

Photo for lot 689 appear on page 163



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- 691 ☒ 1907 (June) picture postcard to Portugal bearing, on picture side, 1906 1d. cancelled in manuscript "7/6/07" and tied by "Christiansted" handstamp of the Hapag Lloyd Steamship and showing, on message side, St. Thomas (8.6) and arrival datestamps. The picture side with some faults, but quite attractive and very unusual. Photo £500-600
- PROVENANCE:
T.V. Roberts, April 1989

ANGUILLA

1967 (4 Sept.) Issue

- 692 ⊕田 ½c., 1c., 2c., 3c., 4c., 6c. and 10c., each in a block of four, fresh and fine unmounted mint. S.G. 1-5, 7-8; £2360 £600-800
- 693 ⊕ ½c., 1c., 3c., 4c., 6c., 10c. and 15c., fine unmounted mint. Cat. £665 £180-220
- 694 ⊕田 ½c. complete sheet of twenty-five (5x5), fresh and fine unmounted mint. 3050 stamps were overprinted. S.G. 1, £1750 £500-600
- 695 ⊕田 1c. complete sheet of twenty-five (5x5), fresh and fine unmounted mint. 2800 stamps were overprinted. S.G. 2, £2000 £600-800
- 696 ○ 3c. (4, one with watermark inverted), 4c., 5c., 6c. (7 including a vertical strip of five), 10c. (2) and 15c., fine used. Cat. £304 £80-100
- 697 ⊕田 4c. block of nine, fresh and fine unmounted mint. 3450 stamps were overprinted. S.G. 5, £720 £200-250
- 698 ⊕ 5c., fine unmounted mint. 2475 stamps were overprinted. S.G. 6, £400. Photo £120-150
- 699 ⊕田 10c. block of ten (2x5), fresh and fine unmounted mint. 4100 stamps were overprinted. S.G. 8, £750 £200-250
- 700 ⊕ 25c., fresh and fine unmounted mint. 2575 stamps were overprinted. S.G. 11, £375. Photo £100-120



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| 701 ⊛ | 25c. with watermark inverted , fine unmounted mint. S.G. 11w, £275 | £80-100 |
| 702 ⊛ | 50c., fresh and fine unmounted mint. Very rare, 175 stamps were overprinted. S.G. 12, £6000. Photo | £1,800-2,200 |
| 703 ⊛ | 60c., fresh and fine unmounted mint. Very rare, only 100 stamps were overprinted. S.G. 13, £9000. Photo | £2,500-3,000 |
| 704 ⊛ | \$2.50, fresh and fine unmounted mint. Rare, only 225 stamps were overprinted. S.G. 15, £3250. Photo | £800-1,000 |

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Certificate of Authenticity means a certificate issued by an Expert Committee confirming the authenticity of a Lot;

Expert Committee means a committee of experts to whom a Lot may be sent for an extension in accordance with clause 3.4.3;

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

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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 the 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.

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3 BEFORE THE SALE

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3.4.2 Notice of a request for an expert opinion or Certificate of Authenticity must give the reason why such opinion is required and specify the identity 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.

3.4.3 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.

3.4.4 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.

3.4.5 Should Spink 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.

3.4.6 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.

3.4.7 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.

4 AT THE SALE

4.1 Refusal of admission

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4.2 Registration before bidding

You must complete and sign a registration form and provide identification before making a bid at auction. Please be aware that we usually require buyers to undergo a credit check. If you have not bid successfully with Spink 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 Spink. Some lots may be designated, prior to the auction, as "Premium Lots", which means a deposit may be required before placing a bid on the item for sale. Information will be posted on our website in such an event.

4.3 Bidding as Principal

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4.4 Commission Bids

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4.8 Video images

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4.9 Bidding Increments

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Up to £100	by £5
£100 to £300	by £10
£300 to £600	£320-£350-£380-£400 etc.
£600 to £1,000	by £50
£1,000 to £3,000	by £100
£3,000 to £6,000	£3,200-£3,500-£3,800-£4,000 etc.
£6,000 to £20,000	by £500
£20,000 and up	Auctioneer's discretion

4.10 Bidding by Spink

4.10.1 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.

4.10.2 The Spink Group reserves the right to bid on and purchase Lots as principal.

4.11 The Auctioneer's Discretion

The auctioneer has the right at his absolute discretion to refuse any bid to advance the bidding in such manner as he may decide to withdraw or divide any Lot, to combine any two or more Lots and, in the case of error or dispute, to put an item up for bidding again.

4.12 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.

4.13 After Sale Arrangements

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.

4.14 Return of Lot

4.14.1 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 5.13, 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 in the same condition that it was in at the auction date.

4.14.2 No lot may be returned on account of condition if the condition was stated by a third party grading company (including, but not limited to PCGS, NGC, ANACS, ICG, PMG, WBG).

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5.1 Buyer's Premium and other charges

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5.2 Value Added Tax

Other than in respect of Zero-rated Lots (o) VAT is chargeable on the Hammer price and the Buyer's premium of daggered (†) and (J) lots at the standard rate (currently 20%), and on lots marked (x) at the reduced rate (currently 5% on the Hammer price and 20% on the Buyer's premium). VAT on Margin scheme lots (identified by the absence of any VAT symbol next to the lot number) is payable at 20% on the Buyer's premium only.

5.3 VAT Refunds General

5.3.1 As we remain liable to account for VAT on all Lots unless they have been exported outside the EU within 3 months of the date of sale, you will generally be asked to deposit all amounts of VAT invoiced. However, if a Spink nominated shipper is instructed, then any refundable VAT will not be collected. In all other cases credits will be made when proof of export is provided. If you export the Lot yourself you must obtain shipping documents from the Shipping Department for which a

charge of £50 will be made.

5.3.2 If you export the Lot you must return the valid proof of export certificate to us within 3 months of the date of sale. If you fail to return the 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 Shipping 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 and Spink will charge £50 for each refund processed.

VAT Refunds - Buyers from within the EU

5.3.4 VAT refunds are available on the Hammer Price and Buyer's Premium of Daggered (†) and Investment Gold (g) Lots. You must certify that you are registered for VAT in another EU country and that the Lot is to be removed from the United Kingdom within 3 months of the date of sale.

5.3.5 Where an EU buyer purchases a Lot on which import VAT has been charged, no refund of VAT is available from us. It may be possible to apply directly for a refund on form VAT 65 to HM Revenue & Customs Overseas Repayment Section, Londonderry.

VAT Refunds - Buyers from outside the EU

5.3.6 Where a Lot is included within the Auctioneers' Margin Scheme and evidence of export from the EU is produced within 3 months of the date of sale, the VAT on Buyer's Premium may be refunded.

5.3.7 Where the Lot is marked as a Daggered (†) Lot the VAT charged on the Hammer Price may be refunded where evidence of export from the EU is produced within 3 months of the date of sale. A refund of VAT charged on the Buyer's Premium can also be made on receipt of proof of business as a collectibles dealer.

5.3.8 Where the Lot is marked as an Omega (J) Lot or an Import VAT (x) Lot and evidence of export from the EU is produced within 3 months of the date of sale, the VAT charged on both the Hammer Price and Buyer's Premium may be refunded. Where required, we can advise you on how to export such Lots as a specific form of export evidence is required. Where we advise you on the export of the Lots, please be aware that the ultimate responsibility in respect of obtaining a valid proof of export certificate will lie with you and we will not be responsible for your failure to obtain such certificate.

5.3.9 Lot marked as Investment Gold (g) is exempt from VAT on Hammer price. A refund of VAT charged on the Buyer's Premium can be made on receipt of proof of business as a collectibles dealer and where evidence of export from the EU is produced within 3 months of the date of sale.

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. This applies even if you wish to export the Lot and an export licence is (or may be) required.

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 Spink and Son Ltd and sent to Spink at 69 Southampton Row, Bloomsbury, London WC1B 4ET. 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 printed at the bottom of the invoice is enclosed with your payment.

(iii) By Visa or Mastercard. All Corporate cards regardless of origin and Consumer debit and credit cards issued outside the EU are subject to a fee of 2%. 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 Invoices

Invoices may consist of one or more pages and will show: Zero rated Lots (o); no symbol Lots sold under the Auctioneers' Margin Scheme; Lots marked (g) special scheme Investment Gold; Daggered Lots (†), imported Lots marked (x) and (Ω), (e) Lots with Zero rated hammer for EU VAT registered buyers.

5.6 Collection of Purchases

5.6.1 Unless specifically agreed to the contrary, we shall retain lots purchased until all amounts due to us, or to the Spink Group, have been paid in full. Buyers will be required to pay for their lots when they wish to take possession of the same, which must be within 7 days of the date of the sale, unless prior arrangements have been made with Spink. Without prior agreement, lots will not be released until cleared funds are received with regard to payments made by cheque.

5.6.2 Unless we notify you to the contrary, items retained by us will be covered in accordance with our 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.

5.6.3 Our policy will not cover and we are unable to accept responsibility for damage caused by woodworm, changes in atmospheric conditions or acts of terrorism.

5.7 Notification

We are not able to notify successful bidders by telephone. While 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.

5.8 Packing and handling

5.8.1 We shall use all reasonable endeavours to take care when handling and packing a purchased Lot but remind you that after seven days or from the time of collection, whichever is sooner, the Lot is entirely at your risk. Our postage charges are set out at the back of the catalogue.

5.8.2 It is the responsibility of the Buyer to be aware of any Import Duties that may be incurred upon importation to the final destination. Spink will not accept return of any package in order to avoid these duties. The onus is also on the Buyer to be aware of any Customs import restrictions that prohibit the importation of certain collectibles. Spink will not accept return of the Lot(s) under these circumstances. Spink will not accept responsibility for Lot(s) seized or destroyed by Customs.

5.8.3 If the Buyer requires delivery of the Lot to an address other than the invoice address this will be carried out at the discretion of Spink.

5.9 Recommended packers and shippers

If required our shipping department may arrange shipment as your agent. Although we may suggest carriers if specifically requested, our suggestions are made on the basis of our general experience of such parties in the past and we are not responsible to any person to whom we have made a recommendation for the acts or omissions of the third parties concerned.

5.10 Remedies for non-payment or failure to collect purchases

5.10.1 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:

5.10.1.1 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;

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

5.10.1.3 we may keep hold of all or some of your Lots or other property in the possession of the Spink Group until you have paid all the amounts you owe us or the Spink Group, even if the unpaid amounts do not relate to those Lots or other property. Following fourteen days' notice to you of the amount outstanding and remaining unpaid, the Spink Group shall have the right to arrange the sale of such Lots or other property. We shall apply the proceeds in discharge of the amount outstanding to us or the Spink Group, and pay any balance to you;

5.10.1.4 where several amounts are owed by you to the Spink Group in respect of different transactions, to apply any amount paid to discharge any amount owed in respect of any particular transaction, whether or not you so direct;

5.10.1.5 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.

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

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

5.10.2.2 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;

5.10.2.3 when reselling the Lot, place a notice in our catalogue stating that you successfully purchased the Lot at auction but have subsequently failed to pay the Hammer Price of the Lot; or

5.10.2.4 take any other appropriate action as we deem fit.

5.10.3 Where purchases are not collected within seven days after the sale, whether or not payment has been made, you will be required to pay a storage charge of £2 per item per day plus any additional handling cost that may apply. You will not be entitled to collect the Lot until all outstanding charges are met, together with payment of all other amounts due to us.

5.11 Use of Default Information

If you fail to make payment for a Lot in accordance with these Terms and Conditions

5.11.1 we reserve the right to refuse you the right to make bids for any future auction irrespective of whether previous defaults have been settled; and

5.11.2 you consent to us disclosing details of such default to other auctioneers and live bidding platforms, which will include your name, address, nature of the default and the date of the default. Auctioneers or live bidding platforms who receive details of the default may rely on such information when deciding whether to enter into a transaction with you in the future.

5.12 Export Licence

5.12.1 If required we can, at our discretion, advise you on the detailed provisions of the export licensing regulations. Where we advise you in relation to export licensing regulations the ultimate responsibility in respect of any export will lie with you and we will not be responsible for your failure to apply for any necessary licences.

5.12.2 If the Lot is going to be hand carried by you, you may be required to produce a valid export licence to us or sign a waiver document stating that a licence will be applied for.

5.12.3 You should always check whether an export licence is required before exporting. Export licences are usually obtained within two or three weeks but delays can occur.

5.12.4 Unless otherwise agreed by us in writing, the fact that you wish to apply for an export licence does not affect your obligation to make payment within seven days nor our right to charge interest on late payment.

5.12.5 If you request that we apply for an export licence on your behalf, we shall be entitled to recover from you our disbursements and out of pocket expenses in relation to such application, together with any relevant VAT.

5.12.6 We will not be obliged to rescind a sale nor to refund any interest or other expenses incurred by you where payment is made by you despite the fact that an export licence is required.

5.13 Refund in the case of Forgery

5.13.1 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:

5.13.1.1 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;

5.13.1.2 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

5.13.1.3 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.

5.13.1.4 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.

5.13.2 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.

5.13.3 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.

5.13.4 We shall be entitled to rely 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.

7 USE OF YOUR PERSONAL INFORMATION

7.1 We will use the personal information you provide to us to:

7.1.1 process the bids you make on Lots (whether successful or otherwise) and other auction related services we provide;

7.1.2 process your payment relating to a successful purchase of a Lot;

7.1.3 arrange for delivery of any Lot you purchase, which will include passing your details to shipping providers and, on overseas deliveries, to customs where they make enquiries regarding the Lot;

7.1.4 inform you about similar products or services that we provide, but you may stop receiving these at any time by contacting us.

7.2 In accordance with clause 4.2, you agree that we may pass your information to credit reference agencies and that they may keep a record of any search that they do.

7.3 In accordance with clause 5.11, you agree that where you default on making payment for a Lot in accordance with these terms and conditions we may disclose details of such default to other auctioneers and live bidding platforms.

7.4 We are also working closely with third parties (including, for example, other auctioneers and live bidding platforms) and may receive information about you from them.

8 COPYRIGHT

8.1 We shall have the right (on a non-exclusive basis) to photograph, video or otherwise produce an image of the Lot. All rights in such an image will belong to us, and we shall have the right to use it in whatever way we see fit.

8.2 The copyright in all images, illustrations and written material relating to a Lot is and shall remain at all times our property and we shall have the right to use it in whatever way we see fit. You shall not use or allow anyone else to use such images, illustrations or written material without our prior written consent.

9 VAT

You shall give us all relevant information about your VAT status and that of the Lot to ensure that the correct information is printed in the catalogues. Once printed, the information cannot be changed. If we incur any unforeseen cost or expense as a result of the information being incorrect, you will reimburse to us on demand the full amount incurred.

10 NOTICES

All notices given under these Terms and Conditions may be served personally, sent by 1st class post, or faxed to the address given to the sender by the other party. Any notice sent by post will be deemed to have been received on the second working day after posting or, if the addressee is overseas, on the fifth working day after posting. Any notice sent by fax or served personally will be deemed to be delivered on the first working day following despatch.

11 ADDITIONAL PROVISIONS

The following provisions of this clause 11 shall apply only if you are acting for the purposes of your business.

11.1 Limitation of Liability

Subject to clause 6, we shall not be liable, whether in tort (including for negligence) or breach of statutory duty, contract, misrepresentation or otherwise for any:

11.1.1 loss of profits, loss of business, depletion of goodwill and/or similar losses, loss of anticipated savings, loss of goods, loss of contract, loss of use, loss of corruption of data or information; or 11.1.2 any special, indirect, consequential or pure economic loss, costs, damages, charges or expenses.

11.2 Severability

If any part of these Terms and Condition is found by any court to be invalid, illegal or unenforceable, that part may be discounted and the rest of the conditions shall continue to be valid and enforceable to the fullest extent permitted by law.

11.3 Force majeure

We shall have no liability to you if we are prevented from, or delayed in performing, our obligations under these Terms and Conditions or from carrying on our business by acts, events, omissions or accidents beyond our reasonable control, including (without limitation) strikes, lock-outs or other industrial disputes (whether involving our workforce or the workforce of any other party), failure of a utility service or transport network, act of God, war, riot, civil commotion, malicious damage, compliance with any law or governmental order, rule, regulation or direction, accident, breakdown of plant or machinery, fire, flood, storm or default of suppliers or subcontractors.

11.4 Waiver

11.4.1 A waiver of any right under these Terms and Conditions is only effective if it is in writing and it applies only to the circumstances for which it is given. No failure or delay by a party in exercising any right or remedy under these Terms and Conditions or by law shall constitute a waiver of that (or any other) right or remedy, nor preclude or restrict its further exercise. No single or partial exercise of such right or remedy shall preclude or restrict the further exercise of that (or any other) right or remedy.

11.4.2 Unless specifically provided otherwise, rights arising under these Terms and Conditions are cumulative and do not exclude rights provided by law.

11.5 Law and Jurisdiction

11.5.1 These Terms and Conditions and any dispute or claim arising out of or in connection with them or their subject matter, shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the law of England and Wales.

11.5.2 The parties irrevocably agree that the courts of England and Wales shall have exclusive jurisdiction to settle any dispute or claim that arises out of, or in connection with, Terms and Conditions or their subject matter.

Postal Charges

Prices for all other items including postage and packaging

Invoice Value	UK	EU	Rest of the World
Up to £1,500	£12	£18	£25
Up to £10,000	£20	£40	£50
Above £10,001	£30	£60	£75

Shipments of more than 2kg or volumetric measurement of more than 2kg have to be sent by courier. Certain countries may incur extra charge when courier services are required by our insurance policy. For lots sent by courier please contact Auctionteam@spink.com for calculation of any further relevant cost in addition to the above charges.

Value Added Tax (VAT)

Charging of (VAT) at Auction

The information shown on this page sets out the way in which Spink intends to account for VAT.

i. Auctioneers' Margin Scheme

1. Where possible, we will offer Lots for sale under the Auctioneers' Margin Scheme. Such Lots can be identified by the absence of any VAT symbol next to the Lot number in the catalogue and will not be subject to VAT on the Hammer Price.

2. Where Lots are sold using the Auctioneers' Margin Scheme to VAT-registered businesses, the VAT on Buyers' Premium is not recoverable as input tax. Upon request on sale day, we will issue invoices that show VAT separately on both the Hammer Price and the Buyer's Premium. This will enable VAT-registered businesses to recover the VAT charged as input tax, subject to the normal rules for recovering input tax.

ii. Zero-Rated Lots

Limited Categories of goods, such as books, are Zero-rated (o) for VAT in the United Kingdom. Such Lots are offered under the Auctioneers' Margin Scheme. In these circumstances no VAT will be added to the Buyer's premium.

iii. Daggged Lots

Lots which are Daggged (f) in the catalogue are subject to VAT at 20% on both the Hammer Price and the Buyer's Premium.

iv. Imported and Omega Lots

Lots which are marked (x) in the catalogue are subject to VAT at 5% on the Hammer price plus 20% on the Buyer's premium. Lots which bear the Omega symbol (Ω) are subject to VAT at 20% on the Hammer Price and on the Buyer's Premium. Such Lots bear VAT because the Lot is liable for VAT at this rate on importation into the EU. In these cases we have used a temporary importation procedure, which in effect means that the point of importation is deferred until the Lot has been sold. At this point the Buyer is treated as the importer and is liable to pay the import VAT due. We will collect the VAT from you and pay it to HM Customs and Excise on your behalf.

v. Investment Gold Lots

Lots marked (g) in the catalogue are exempt from VAT on the Hammer Price and are subject to VAT at 20% on the Buyer's Premium. A refund of VAT charged on the Buyer's Premium can also be made on receipt of proof of business as a collectibles dealer outside of the EU.

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SALE CALENDAR 2018

STAMPS

21 January	Sinkiang Postal History	Hong Kong	18008
21 January	Fine Stamps and Covers of China and Hong Kong	Hong Kong	CSS31
23 January	St. Kitts-Nevis, The Brian Brookes Collection	London	18013
24/25 January	The Philatelic Collectors' Series Sale	London	18009
6 March	A fine collection of Australian Kangaroo Issues	London	18023
6 March	Rhodesia Double Heads 'the Royal Palm' Collection	London	18024
7 March	The Arthur Gray Collection of Australian Booklets	London	18027
7 March	The 'Lionheart' Collection of Great Britain and British Empire Part VIII	London	18028
17/18 April	The Philatelic Collectors' Series Sale	London	18029
12 May	The Philatelic Collectors' Series Sale	Hong Kong	CSS33

COINS

14 January	The Numismatic Collector's Series Sale (Day 1) at Grand Hyatt, NY INC	New York	339
15/16/17 January	The Numismatic Collector's Series Sale (Day 2-4)	New York	339
19/20 January	Banknotes, Bonds & Shares and Coins of China and Hong Kong	Hong Kong	CSS28
15-28 March	Coins_Online@Spink	London	18017
26 March	The Williams Collection of Anglo-Saxon, Viking and Norman Coins - Part I	London	18011
27/28 March	Ancient, British and Foreign Coins and Commemorative Medals	London	18004
27/28 March	The Numismatic Collector's Series Sale	New York	340
4/5 April	The Numismatic Collector's Series Sale	Hong Kong	CSS32
3 July	The Williams Collection of Anglo-Saxon, Viking and Norman Coins - Part II	London	18012
4/5 July	Ancient, British and Foreign Coins and Commemorative Medals	London	18005

BANKNOTES

12 January	The Andean Collection of Central and South America at Grand Hyatt, NY INC	New York	338
14 January	The Numismatic Collector's Series Sale (Day 1) at Grand Hyatt, NY INC	New York	339
15/16/17 January	The Numismatic Collector's Series Sale (Day 2-4)	New York	339
19/20 January	Banknotes, Bonds & Shares and Coins of China and Hong Kong	Hong Kong	CSS28
27/28 March	The Numismatic Collector's Series Sale	New York	340
29 March-11 April	World Banknotes Timed Auction	London	18014
4/5 April	The Numismatic Collector's Series Sale	Hong Kong	CSS32
11 April	World Banknotes	London	18015
2-11 July	World Banknotes Timed Auction	London	18020

MEDALS

14 January	The Numismatic Collector's Series Sale (Day 1) at Grand Hyatt, NY INC	New York	339
15/16/17 January	The Numismatic Collector's Series Sale (Day 2-4)	New York	339
27/28 March	The Numismatic Collector's Series Sale	New York	340
4/5 April	The Numismatic Collector's Series Sale	Hong Kong	CSS32
25/26 April	Orders, Decorations and Medals	London	18001
18/19 July	Orders, Decorations and Medals	London	18002

BONDS & SHARES

14 January	The Numismatic Collector's Series Sale (Day 1) at Grand Hyatt, NY INC	New York	339
15/16/17 January	The Numismatic Collector's Series Sale (Day 2-4)	New York	339
19/20 January	Banknotes, Bonds & Shares and Coins of China and Hong Kong	Hong Kong	CSS28
21 March	Bonds and Share Certificates of the World	London	18016
27/28 March	The Numismatic Collector's Series Sale	New York	340
4/5 April	The Numismatic Collector's Series Sale	Hong Kong	CSS32

AUTOGRAPHS

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WINES

19 January	An Evening of Great Whiskies, Cognacs and Rums	Hong Kong	SFW26
19 April	An Evening of Great Whiskies, Cognacs and Rums	Hong Kong	SFW27

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