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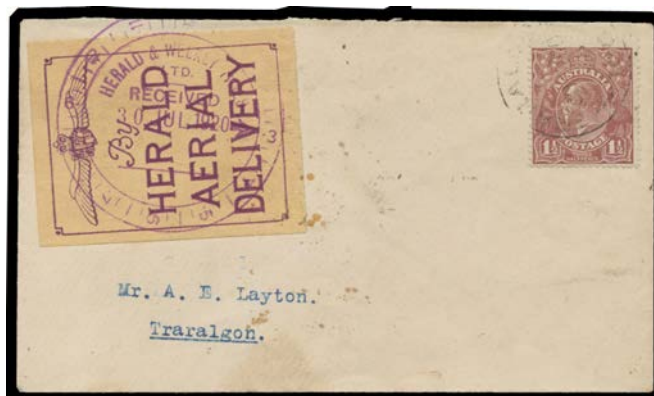
Lot 719

719 C B 1914 (July 16) Melbourne-Sydney commemorative PPC per Maurice Guillaux AAMC #3 correctly franked with 1d Roo tied by superb strike of the oval flight cachet in violet, Sydney arrival cds of 18JL14, minor blemishes, Cat \$750. 350



Lot 720

720 C B 1919 (Sep 4) Hobart-Launceston AAMC #23 cover with Peace Loan advertising, carried by pilot ED Cummings in a Sopwith Pup, two-line cachet 'FIRST TAS. AERO MAIL/DPMG' h/s and 'LAUNCESTON/5SE19' arrival backstamp, a couple of repaired opening tears. Cat \$4000. Ex John Cress. [Only 6 examples believed to survive] 3,000^T



Lot 721

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721	C	B	1920 (July 30) Melbourne-Traralgon flight AAMC #47 with a very fine example of the violet/yellow 'HERALD/AERIAL/DELIVERY' label tied to the face by 'HERALD & WEEKLY TIMES' "clock" cds and KGV 1½d black-brown tied by 'TRARALGON/VIC' arrival cds, blemishes but above-average condition, Cat \$2000 (2008). Most examples seen have faults such as tonespots, surface adhesions etc. Most are also franked with Victorian stamps, this being one of the few we have seen with the then current 1½d stamp.	750
722	C	A	1924 (June 2) Sydney-Hay AAMC #72a cover carried by <i>Australian Aerial Services Ltd</i> on their new airmail service connecting Adelaide and Sydney, Cat \$550+. A scarce intermediate.	350 ^T
723	C	A	1930 (Feb 20-21) Camooweal-Daly Waters & return AAMC #151-2 carried on the inaugural <i>Australian Aerial Services</i> route and both covers signed by the pilot "FNeale", Cat \$650. [50 & 30 flown, respectively] (2)	300 ^T
724	C	C	- (Feb 19) Darwin-Daly Waters AAMC #153 cover with 'CAMOOWEAL' transit b/s carried by <i>Captain Murray Jones</i> as part of a very small mail despatch which was technically not permitted by the Post Office, soiled, Cat \$600. [One of only 14 covers flown]	200 ^T

**Lot 725**

725	C	A-	1931 (June 6) Lord Howe Island-Sydney AAMC #184a with the 3 line violet cachet at upper-left certified "Francis Chichester" & numbered "76", Cat \$650.	300
726	C		- (July) Australia-Japan per Francis Chichester plus Philippine intermediates Mati-Ormoc, Manila-Japan to Iceland and another to England AAMC #210, 211 & 212, all with appropriate cachets and b/s, 3 signed "Francis Chichester", Cat \$1525+. (4)	500
727	PC	A-	1934 (July) Melbourne-Cairns AAMC #395c postcard (previously flown to New Zealand as AAMC #348 in the "Faith in Australia"), re-flown as an intermediate on the flight by <i>Ulm, Allan & Boulton</i> to Papua & New Guinea, Cat \$375+. [A total of 50 of these cards were flown on all legs]	200 ^T
728	C	A	1944 (Nov 10) Sydney-Fanning Island AAMC #982 registered cover, per "Flying Bird" on return flight from Bermuda, signed by "PG Taylor", Cat \$650. [Only 15 flown]	350 ^T