

Lot Type Grading Description

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THE GALLIPOLI FIASCO**Ex Lot 812**

812 C B **"OCCUPATION"**: 1915 (Aug) opened-out cover & (Sep) illustrated "A Budget from Australia" Reply Letter Card - the 1d stamp has either been moved or doesn't belong - both to Sgt HS Mills in Egypt, both endorsed "Killed in Action" & with superb 'S.O.I.' (= Senior Officer Informed) handstamp in violet, DLO b/s of Melbourne & Adelaide. [The latter item states "...Eight Hours Day is to be called Anzac Day this year...& collections are to be taken for the returned wounded...", the first such reference we have seen to an Anzac Day in 1915! *Sergeant Mills* was killed on 6.8.1915, during the first assault on Lone Pine] (2)

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INDIAN STATES - Convention States**Ex Lot 1258**

1258 PS B **GWALIOR**: Overprint on QV Postal Cards $\frac{1}{4}$ a & $\frac{1}{4}$ a+ $\frac{1}{4}$ a (both parts used but unsevered & very scarce thus), various postmarks including 'GWALIOR STATE/BHILSA', 'GWALIOR STATE/LASHKAR', 'DLO/GWALIOR STATE/POSTAGE DUE/ONE ANNA' & 'DLO/GWALIOR STATE/FREE' d/s, a few faults but presentable. Scarce quartet. (4)

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