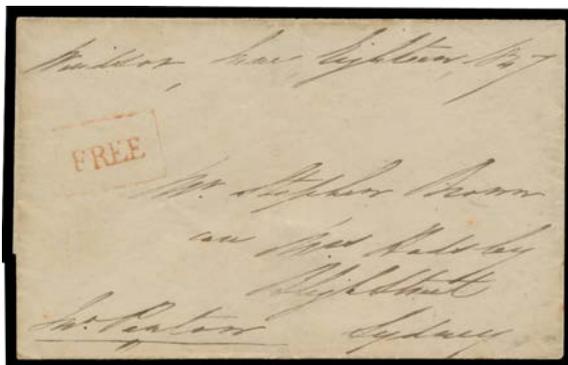


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COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA - Military - World War I

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| 758 | C | B/C | 1918 PPC of Langensalza POW Camp to England with large circular Camp cachet & German POW Postal Card with printed 'Camp de Friedrichsfeld près Wesel' at left & 'Friedrichsfeld' on the reverse; also two covers (one a front only) from an Australian POW interned in Holland (not encountered by us before), both with 'PORTVRIJ/Franc DE PORT/Militaires étrangers/Internés dans les Pays Bas' cachet in violet. [The last two items are from <i>Pte Alexander McKee</i> , captured at Fromelles & held in Germany until 13/2/1918 when he was paroled to Holland conditional upon him remaining in an internees' camp for the duration of the war] (4) | 250 ^T |
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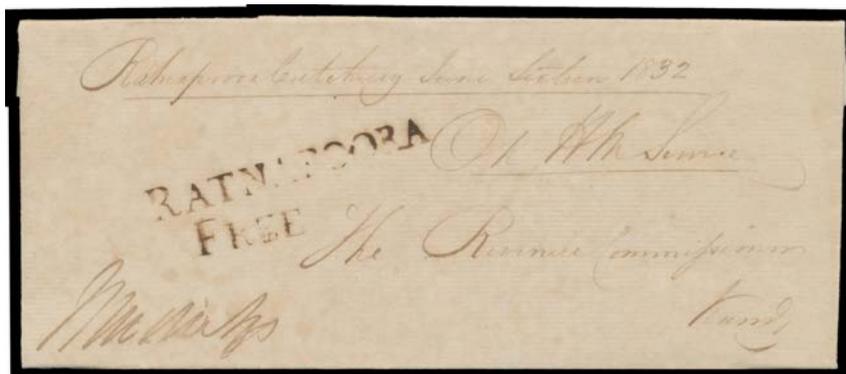
NEW SOUTH WALES - Postal History



Lot 909

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| 909 | C | B | 1847 small outer endorsed "Windsor June Eighteen 1837" at the top & signed "JW Panton" (?) at lower-left, largely superb strike of the small boxed generic 'FREE' h/s in red & oval 'WINDSOR/[crown]/JU*18/1847/NEW.S.WALES' b/s, very fine GPO arrival b/s. [The origin of the generic handstamps can usually be identified only if on cover] | 500 ^T |
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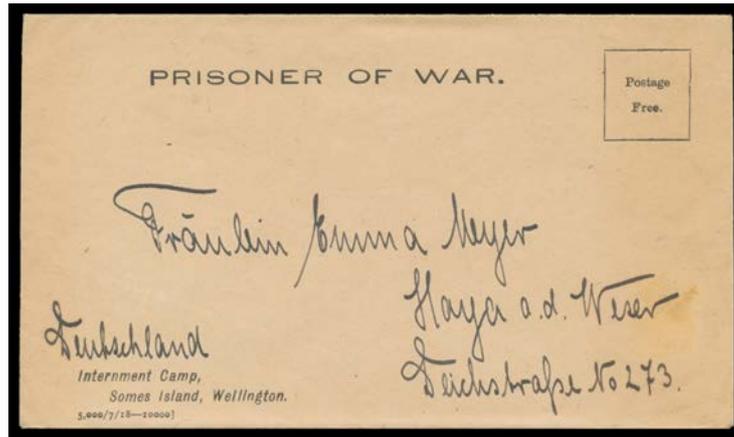
Lot 1171

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| 1171 | C | C | 1832 large-part OHMS entire endorsed "Ratnapoora Catchery June Sixteen 1832" & signed at lower-left, to Kandy with largely very fine strikes of the previously unrecorded 'RATNAPOORA' & 'FREE' handstamps, overall damp-spotting that is not unattractive. An exciting new discovery of a significant rarity. <i>Ted Proud</i> states Ratnapura opened only in 1861, while <i>Geoff Oxley's</i> ERD for any Ratnapura marking is 1858. Here is proof that there was a post office at Ratnapura as early as 1832. [The strikes are superior to those on a similar outer only of three months later that sold in our auction of 6.3.2015 for \$1228] | 1,400 ^T |
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Four similar covers were found. On one, the strikes are poor. The finder has retained the fourth example.

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NEW ZEALAND - Postal History**Ex Lot 1365**

1365 C A- **1918 'PRISONER OF WAR' Envelope** with boxed 'Postage/Free.' at upper-right & 'Internment Camp/Somes Island, Wellington' at lower-right, to Germany with enclosed Internment Camp letter in German datelined "24 September 1918". Unusually fine. **(2 items)**

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