

Lot	Type	Grading	Description	Est \$A
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MISCELLANEOUS LOTS

970	*/OC	A/B	Worldwide accumulation on pages noted albums of Denmark, France, GB, NZ including 1890s adverts, Norway, Russia, USA and many more, RPSV 1960s exchange sheets, also loose stamps in envelopes & boxes mostly used but includes a batch of US mint, bundles of covers including FDCs and commercial mail plus literature mostly philatelic but also <i>Milton's</i> "Paradise Lost" large illustrated edition, condition mixed but many pickings. (1000s)	500
983	**/*O		- mostly used in albums including 1930s <i>William Ackland 'Universal Stamp Album'</i> with plenty of pickings noted a few classic imperfs & some revenues, Canada with 1929 Pictorials \$1, Germany & States, Iceland, New Zealand 1929 Health block of 4 **/*, North Borneo 1909 Pictorials to 16c mint, Norway with 1856 8s on piece and a few early Posthorns, plus many more sorted by country in tins (some collectable metal types), envelopes and loose, postmark potential & hours of sorting pleasure here, condition very mixed. (1000s)	400

ARCTIC

1025	C	A/B	1931 Wilkins-Ellsworth Trans-Arctic Submarine Expedition covers from Norway x2 - one registered & signed "Hubert Wilkins" - with 'LONGYEARBYEN' cds and from Great Britain x2 both signed, the registered one also by "Sloan Danenhower" Commander of the 'Nautilus' submarine, plus 1938 Greenland Expedition postcard with 'NORDOSTGRONLANDSEKSPEDITION' cancel and a few US & Australian polar flights. (11)	250
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NEW ZEALAND - Postal History

The pre-World War II taxed lots are from the Estate of the late Dr Derek Diamond from England. There is a strong section of the 1898-1908 Pictorials including items illustrated in Derek's erudite book on the subject.

**Lot 1339**

1339	CL	B	1886 commercial cover to "Skien/Norway" (!) with remarkable franking of Second Sidefaces 1/- red-brown x6 including two pairs tied by Auckland squared-circles, no transit or arrival datestamps but the manuscript "1/1½" indicates that amount was due to Norway, minor blemishes. A truly remarkable origin/destination cover. [The rate was 8d per ½oz x9 = 72d = 6/- for a letter weighing between 4 & 4½oz]	1,000
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