

Lot Type Grading Description

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AUSTRALIA - PRE WORLD WAR I MILITARY CAMPS

We are pleased to present the collection formed by Gary Diffen from Melbourne. All of this material is extremely elusive. It is also little known and even less appreciated, as reflected in the conservative estimates.

**Lot 467**

467 C A- A1 **SOUTH AUSTRALIA: 'MILITARY CAMP/17AP1911/STH AUSTRALIA'** very fine strike on 1d red on *Tourist Bureau* PPC ("Morialta Falls") to Wallaroo. Rated RRRRR. PO at Happy Valley Camp Easter-1911. *Ex John Bell*: acquired at the *Prestige* auction of 14.11.2014 for \$552. The writer states "Arrived safe...we had to march from [?] to the top of tapley's hill". [This is the ERD for the Military Camp cds, which was essentially a "relief" datestamp. It had six separate allocations between Easter 1911 & 4.10.1915]

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