

Lot Type Grading Description

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**NEW GUINEA - Mandated Territory Issues**



**Ex Lot 977**

977	C/CL	A/B	<p><b>Handy group</b> of mostly 1930s commercial official &amp; philatelic covers with a few better frankings, 1935 endorsed "via Rabaul/late fee" to Victoria with Papuan ½d 1½d &amp; 2d tied by 'RABAU' cds, Victoria, 1937 Rabaul Volcano flight x2, 1941 air to Qld with <i>Lady Gowrie</i> label on the reverse (the only example we have seen from New Guinea), 1941 censored to Hong Kong airmail to Singapore with two different postmen's h/s &amp; 'BUY/BOMBERS' h/s, etc, a few are registered, condition variable. (18)</p>	750
978	*/O		<p><b>Collection</b> mostly mint with a few NWPI overprints to 1/- (used), Huts with 'AIR MAIL' overprints to 5/- * and 'OS' overprints set *, Dated Birds 'AIR MAIL' overprints to 5/- *, Undated Birds set *, to 10/- used, 'AIR MAIL' overprints to 2/- plus £1 * and complete set used, Bulolos low values with 9d * and 1/- used x2, some duplication, also a little early PNG, condition generally fine. (100+)</p>	300



**Ex Lot 979**

979	*O	A	<p><b>Basic mostly mint collection</b> on leaves with Huts 10/-, Hut Airs, Undated Birds 5/- &amp; 10/- plus used £1, Undated Airs £1 used, superb 1935 Bulolo £2 &amp; £5, 1939 Bulolo set, 'OS' Overprints including Undated Birds, etc, generally very fine, Cat £3000+. (118)</p>	1,500
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**Ex Lot 980**

980	D		<p><b>POSTMARKS:</b> Folder with 1920s array all on commercial pieces with NWPI or Territory frankings, including 'POST OFFICE/AITAPE', 'DISTRICT OFFICE/AITAPE', 'GASMATTA/NEW GUINEA', huge 'POST OFFICE/KAVIENG', 'DISTRICT OFFICE/MOROBÉ' (rated G; only the second example recorded), 'NAMATANAI/NEW GUINEA', 'POST OFFICE/SALAMOA', 'TALASEA', etc, some duplication, also a light strike of the previously unrecorded double-circle 'POST OFFICE/KOKOPO' in red. A fascinating new find, offered untrimmed as per the vendor's instructions. [With the four parts of <i>Phillip Blakeney's</i> 'PNG Calling' article re his discovery of this material at a garage sale, and his conclusion that it all originated from the office of the 'Rabaul Times' newspaper. The only item removed by us is the next lot] (66 items)</p>	1,000
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**NEW GUINEA - Mandated Territory Issues (continued)**

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**Lot 981**

<b>981</b>	D	A A2	- double-circle 'POST OFFICE/NOV/1926/9/KOKOPO' in red on Huts 1½d with a second part-strike alongside. This is a new discovery, similar in style to <i>Powell</i> #15 but with 'P.O.' and the quotation marks omitted. The only other recorded example is a part-strike in the previous lot, from the same "find".
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