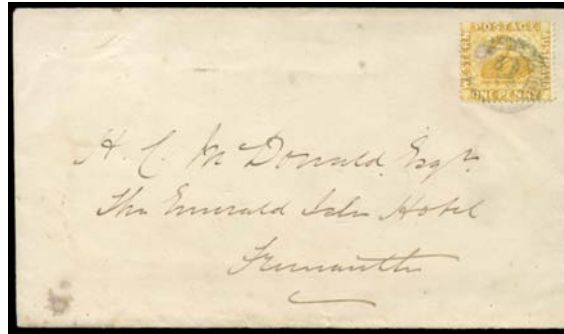


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WESTERN AUSTRALIA - Postal History**Lot 785**

785 C B **1880** (Jan) town letter with 1d yellow-ochre SG 70 tied by BN '8' of Fremantle, unusually with no cds, minor blemishes. [With the original letter-of-demand dated "Jan 14 80" & signed "Geo Parker" for £1200 owing for a cargo of guano (bird pooh!). [George Parker was a Fremantle solicitor between 1874 & 1881. He was on the WA Cricket Association Committee & President of Swan River Football Club.]

500^T**Lot 786**

786 C A **1894** local cover with scarce franking of Internal Revenue 2d lilac SG F12 (a very fine stamp; Cat £80 x10+ on cover) tied by Perth duplex.

250^T**Lot 787**

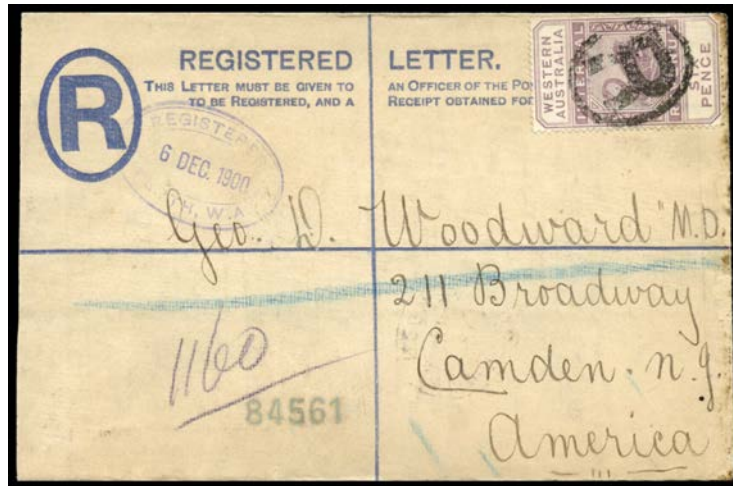
787 C B **1910** registered to USA with 1/2d & 5d tied by Geraldton cds, 'R'-in-oval cachet & red/white 'GERALDTON' R label (torn at L/L) alongside New York transit & Chicago arrival b/s of MAR/1/1910, couple of minor aging marks.

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**Lot 788**

788	PS	A	REGISTRATION ENVELOPES: 1900 <i>McCorquordale Ltd</i> linen-lined formular issue (150x98mm) Pope #REF2 to New Jersey with scarce franking of Postal Fiscals 6d cancelled with 'R'-in-oval, oval 'REGISTERED/6DEC1900/PERTH WA' d/s in violet at U/L, New York transit b/s of 1-17/1901, unusually fine for these rare items. [<i>Brian Pope</i> recorded six sizes as having been supplied, but noted only five examples across three of those sizes. <i>Margaret Hamilton's</i> three different sizes sold at the <i>Macray Watson</i> auction of 30.3.1999 for \$3740, \$3740 & \$6050 respectively. The 2002 catalogue values of \$1500 to \$2000 only are therefore grossly understated]	3,000 ^T
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