

Lot Type Grading Description

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QUEENSLAND - Postal History

We are pleased to present the fascinating & wide-ranging collection formed by Bernie Manning from Melbourne. References are to 'Queensland Postal History' & 'Supplement' by Hugh Campbell, to 'Numeral Cancellations' ("Numerals"), 'Circular Datestamps' ("Datestamps") & an unpublished manuscript on the Registration Markings all by Bernie Manning, and to 'Post Offices' by Joan Frew. We have also made reference to the Queensland sales of John White (1997), Trevor Davis (2002), Hugh Campbell (2002), Richard Stevenson (2003), Bernie Beston (2006) & Alan Griffiths (2012), all of which had strong postal history content.

**Ex Lot 1**

- 1 C **Balance of collection** including 1865 from NSW with 'CONDAMINE' arrival b/s, 1860s with *Chalon* frankings & fine to very fine Rays '24', '40', '87' & '120', 1874 *Queen Insurance Co* town letter with 1d tied by Brunswick Star cancel, 1891 to USA with 'PAID/ALL' h/s, 1890s 1/2d Wrapper with non-postal 'CANCELLED/GYMPIE' h/s, datestamps including 1910 'SPRING BLUFF', 1905 double-oval 'MOUNT MORGAN' & double-oval 'BRISBANE/PAID/ 1 /...', etc, registered covers x21 including 1893 from Cooktown, 1901 with manuscript cancels & 'REGISTERED/TOWNSVILLE' cds, 1908 to USA with 'REGISTERED/ROCKHAMPTON' cds, 1910 - horrid! - with NAMBOUR' black/white label, 1912 with 'HERBERTON' red & black/white label, condition rather mixed but all except the Nambour item are at least presentable. (60+)

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