Lot Type Grading Description Est \$A

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA - Postal History

| 305 | С | Α | 1939 (Apr 7) philatelic cover with straight-line 'WILLIS ISLAND' & oval 'RADIO STATION/WILLIS ISLAND' d/s, to Solomon Islands with small 'MALAITA' ship's h/s and KGV 1d pair with small 'PAQUEBOT' h/s & 'GIZO' arrival cds. | 150 ¹ |
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| 306 | С | Α | - (Apr 7) philatelic cover with straight-line 'WILLIS ISLAND' & oval 'RADIO STATION/WILLIS ISLAND' d/s, to Solomon Islands with small 'MALAITA' ship's h/s and KGV 2d with small 'PAQUEBOT' h/s & 'GIZO' arrival cds. | 150 ¹ |

NEW SOUTH WALES



Ex Lot 441

441 Ω^* A/B

TELEGRAPH STAMPS: 1871 1d x2, 2d, 6d & 2/-, unused, Cat £1500+; plus 'SPECIMEN' Overprint on 6d to 8/-, large-part o.g. (11)

1,000

OFFICIAL STAMPS - DEPARTMENTAL OVERPRINTS

This is the tenth significant offering of these fascinating stamps that we have been privileged to present, including the collections of Les Munn (15.5.2004), "Sir Humphrey" (Brian Farmer, 8.10.2005), Harry Lower (12.5.2007), Victor Bullock (1.9.2007), Frederick Hall (9.2.2008), Rodney Attwood (23.9.2011) and 'Novocastrian' (unnamed, 14.11.2014). All of these sales are available for your inspection on our website. The 'Tamiami' Collection is the best of them all, with many mint stamps including from the Rev James Mursell Collection sold in London in 1964, & so offered for the first time in more than half a century. Those stamps were acquired by F Houston Wynn, longtime editor of the SAS/Oceania journal 'The Informer'. 'Tamiami' acquired Hugh Wynn's collection intact. However, only where we are certain of that provenance have we stated 'Ex Houston Wynn'. Bidders should be mindful that defective sheets were often used for overprinting, resulting in many Departmentals being poorly centred, often exhibiting separation faults, irregular or trimmed perforations, etc. Fine examples are thus the exception rather than the rule: those graded 'B' or even 'C' are generally at least average quality for the particular type. It should also be noted that Butler's rarity ratings are severely compromised by his inclusion of unspecified numbers of stamps from the Royal Collection & other institutionalised holdings. Until Stanley Gibbons properly lists and prices these stamps, they will remain grossly undervalued. Our estimates are conservative, based on previous results - including the 2018 sale in Switzerland of the exceptional 'Besancon' Collection - to which attention is drawn where appropriate. NB: this offering includes many stamps that are at least the equal of the 'Besancon' examples, and many others that were absent from 'Besancon'.



Lot 691

691 F

Α

SUPERINTENDENT OF TELEGRAPHS: Red 'S.T ' (*Stop after 'T ' Omitted*) on 2d vermilion, neat GPO cds of AU5/68. Rated RRRR. *RPSofV Certificate* (2019).

300^T



Lot 692

692 *

Α

- Red 'S.T ' (Stop after 'T' Omitted) on 6d ultramarine, part-o.g. Rated RRRRR: unrecorded unused by Ron Butler. Ex James Mursell. RPSofV Certificate (2019). [Absent from 'Besancon']

OFFICIAL STAMPS - DEPARTMENTAL OVERPRINTS (continued)

Lot Type Grading Description

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Lot 693

693 F A

- Red 'S.T ' (Stop after 'T ' Omitted) on 6d ultramarine, neat GPO cds of JU21/69. **Superb!** Rated RR. RPSofV Certificate (2019).

300^T



Lot 694

94 F

Α

- Blue 'S.T.' on *DLR* Crown/SA Rouletted 2d orange with the *Watermark Reversed*, 'PORT-AUGUSTA/OC31/70/S.A' cds. Rated RRR+.

200



Lot 695

695 F

В

- Blue 'S.T.' on DLR Crown/SA Perf $11\frac{1}{2}-12\frac{1}{2}x$ Rouletted 2d orange, minor separation fault at the top, 'WALLAROO/OC7/70/S.A' cds. Rated RRR.

120

REST OF THE WORLD - GENERAL and MISCELLANEOUS LOTS

895

**/*/O/C

Worldwide accumulation eclectic mixture with Great Britain including Perfins, Telegraph Stamps to 1/- (*) and 10/- used, Revenues noted Consular Service to £2, Cinderellas, etc, also South Africa Revenues to 5/- & R10, albums of Guernsey, Jersey & Isle of Man, Cyprus (Turkish), Animal thematics, some covers including commercial mail, condition mixed but mostly fine. Weighs 10kg. **(100s)**

200

BELGIUM



Ex Lot 969

169 Ω Δ-

TELEGRAPH STAMPS: 1866 50c grey-black & 1fr blue-green Mi 1b & 2, no gum, Cat £720. (2)

100

SPAIN

| 1360 | *O | Interesting pre-WWII collection including several pages of earlies, 'MUESTRA' or 'A000,000' Specimens, an array |
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| | | of poster stamps & other "Cinderellas", etc, also Colonies with 'MUESTRA' or 'A000,000' Specimens, condition |
| | | variable but generally fine to very fine. (many 100s) |

300