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TASMANIA - Postal History



Ex Lot 1982

1982 CPS

Miscellany in shoebox mostly pedestrian but including 1875 & 1877 to Melbourne with 1d & 2d or 3d, 1876 to GB with 9d, 1889 *Eureka Tin Mining* lettersheet, 1890 2d Envelope to NSW with 'Deficient Postage ("2d")/Fine ("2d") - "4d to pay"', 1896 to USA with 'd/2½' on 9d, 1905 illustrated envelope 'CAPE RAOUL' used domestically, several early machine cancels, a few OHMS including 1906 *Lands Department* cover & 1908 *Births & Deaths* lettersheet both with 1d punctured 'T', etc, also a good range of scarce Tasmanian advertising covers mostly with imprints only but including more liberal advertising for *The Daily Telegraph*, *Volunteer Consolidated Gold Mining*, *Murdoch Bros*, *Massey Harris* lettersheet & postcard and a Launceston bookseller (flap with imprint removed), etc, condition rather mixed. *Ex Prof Owen Ingles. (100 approx)*

400



Ex Lot 1983

1983 C

Packet with three prestamps one with a fine strike of the huge GPO d/s in red, 1857 to London with Star 2d & 4d (both with margins in places), 1857 to Melbourne with very fine diamond datestamps of Launceston, four 'SAVINGS BANK PACKET' envelopes, etc, condition variable. (15)

500

1984 C

A-/B

'T' punctures on Pictorial 1d on *State Savings Bank* envelope, on 4d Kangaroo (fault) with 'Hobart' blue & black/white R label, and on KGV 1d green & 2d red x2 on registered cover to WA; also small 'A' punctures of *George Adams (Tattersalls)* on Pictorial 2d to NZ & on 4d to NSW. (5)

200^T

1985 C

Inwards mail, from Queensland 1868 with *Chalon* 6d & rounded-boxed 'SHIP LETTER INWARDS FREE' d/s in red; Victoria 1857 with *Woodblock* 6d with the same arrival d/s in red, and 1855 with 1/- Octagonal & diamond 'SHIP LETTER INWARDS FREE' d/s in red; Germany 1899 registered with three-colour franking; Great Britain 1857 with No Letters 6d and 1870 with 4d & 6d; and a few others. (10)

300^T

1986 C

A-

1827 (June 8) entire to "Rouge Mont/Tamar" with a well-above average strike of the undated oval 'HOBART TOWN/VDL' h/s, minor stain from the wax seal. The letter signed "EW Barnard" to his mother.

150^T

Lot 1987

1987 C

A-

1828 (Feb 18) mercantile entire to London bankers with a well-above average strike of the undated oval 'HOBART TOWN/VDL' h/s, stepped 'HASTINGS/SHIP LETTER' b/s & rated "2/8" for a quadruple-rate inwards shipletter.

200^T

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Lot 1988

- 1988** C A **1829** (Apr 1) entire from an officer to his Lieut-General father in London "Per Ship Marquis of Lansdown", unusually fine strike of the small oval 'HOBART TOWN/VDL' h/s, British 'SHIP LETTER/FALMOUTH' reverse-step b/s & London arrival of 4AU4/1829, rated "1/8" corrected to "2/4" with a faint but discernible strike of the large 'Postage to London/Not Paid' h/s in red (vertically at right), forwarded to Salisbury. [The writer, *Ernest Augustus Slade*, "entreats" his father to get him promoted!]

500



Lot 1989

- 1989** C A- - (Aug 13) entire headed "Ship Georgianna" from an officer to his Lieut-General father in Wiltshire "Per Ship Pyramus", fine strike of the small oval 'HOBART TOWN/VDL' h/s, British 'INDIA LETTER/FALMOUTH' boxed b/s & superb 'SALISBURY/JA24/1830' arrival b/s, rated "1/11", forwarded to Devon. [The son now fears being "...put on half-pay...unless strong interest is made to have me promoted..." Then, pushing his luck, "I should like to be promoted into a Regiment stationed either in this place, The Cape of Good Hope or the Mauritius"]

The begging letters apparently failed to do the trick. In 1831 *Slade* retired from the army & headed for NSW where he was appointed *Superintendent of the Convict Barracks* at Hyde Park. In 1834, he was forced to resign over his brutal treatment of convicts.

250



Ex Lot 1990

- 1990** C A-/B **1832-51** entires with all-different handstamps including double-oval 'LAUNCESTON', '[crown]/HOBART TOWN/VDL/18NO18/1839' (to Bathurst NSW), small boxed Type 2 '11NO11/1842' & Type 4 (?) '18MA18/1851', oval 'PAID/9JY9/1850' in red of Hobart, Hobart unpaid letter '4.O.CLOCK/24AP24/1847' & '10.O.CLOCK/9SE9/1851', and a few others, the strikes are fine to very fine. (9)

500^T

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Ex Lot 1991

- 1991** C A-/(B) **1838** entire headed "Great Swan Port 14th Sepr 1838" & signed "Geo Meredith", to Hobart rated "6" with small boxed '19SE19/1838' arrival b/s, "6" scored-through & re-rated "1" because the addressee, *Sgt Killivin*, was a soldier; plus a promissory note - rejoined (?) or repaired along central split - also signed by *Meredith*. A significant rarity: believed to be the **only recorded inland Soldier's Rate letter from the pre-stamp period**. [Great Swanport on the NE coast, was renamed Swansea c.1863. *George Meredith* was granted land on Oyster Bay in 1821] (2 items) 2,400^T



Ex Lot 1992

- 1992** C B/C **1839-47** entires from GB with boxed 'SHIPLETTER' arrival b/s of Hobart comprising **1)** Type 1 of 8DE8/1839 (LRD; recorded 2½ years only); **2)** Type 2 of 20AU20/1840; **3)** Type 2 of 19FB19/1840, most unusually with 'FB' month; and **4)** Type 3 of 24AU24/1847; some soiling. Scarce quartet. (4) 500^T



Lot 1993

- 1993** C B **1840** *Wesleyan Missions* outer to London with largely very fine strike of the huge GPO d/s of 28OC28/1840 in **black** (recorded thus in 1840 only), British 'SHIP LETTER' b/s & London arrival b/s of 12MR12/1841 in red, minor blemishes. 150^T

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Lot 1994

1994 C B 1842 entire headed "Ellinthorpe Jan'y 20th 1842" & signed "GC Clark" to the *Derwent Bank* at Hobart with a fine strike of the tombstone 'PAID/21JA21/1842' d/s of Hobart in red. Apparently the earlier of only two examples recorded in red.

250^T



Ex Lot 1995

1995 C A/B 1845-49 *Johnstone* unpaid local entires with very fine strikes of the '1.O.CLOCK' (double-rate), '4.O.CLOCK' & '10.O.CLOCK' cds. Attractive trio. (3)

250^T



Ex Lot 1996

1996 C 1846-53 internal outers or entires with all-different postmaster's manuscript endorsements from "Antill Ponds" (1847), "Cambelton" (*sic*; 1846), "deloraine" (1853), "George Town" (1847), "Macquarie River" (1853), "P Sorell" (1847) and "Port Sorell" (1853); also "Fingal" on 1859 entire with *Chalon* 4d; condition variable. (8)

500^T



Lot 1997

1997 C B 1847 *Bank of Australasia* unpaid partly-printed entire with superb '10.O.CLOCK/30JA30/1847' cds of Launceston, some wrinkling.

125^T

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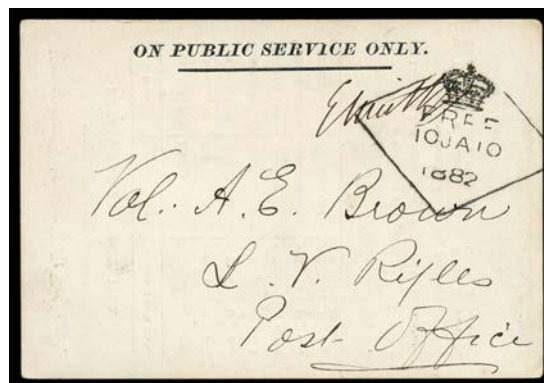
Lot 1998

1998	C	A-	- Henry Dunsford (Shipping Agent) printed entire from Geelong carried by hand to Launceston where rated "2" for local delivery & an almost fine strike of the very rare '10.O.CLOCK/PAID/20OC20/1853' cds in red applied, light horizontal filing fold clear of the datestamp.	250 ^T
1999	C	(A-)	1852 entire with very fine 'LAUNCESTON/3NO3/1852' cds & equally fine boxed 'CAMP TOWN/3 Nov 52' arrival d/s, repaired flap.	150 ^T



Lot 2000

2000	C	A	1859 cover to South Australia with 'TASMANIA' London Printings 6d dull lilac SG 40 (margins good to large; Cat £90 x5+ on cover) tied by fine BN '62', 35mm GPO cds unusually in black below, Adelaide GPO transit cds on the face & 'MORPHETT-VALE/SOUTH-AUSTRALIA' arrival b/s (rated RRRR).	250 ^T
2001	C	B/C	1861-65 three town letters each with Imperf 1d, two from Hobart each with boxed 'PRE-PAID/10-O-CLOCK' d/s, the other a partly-printed Launceston Chamber of Commerce entire with 'PRE-PAID/4 O CLOCK' cds, all in red. (3)	200 ^T
2002	C	B	1867 cover to "Cambria/Swansea" with Perf 10 4d tied by BN '52' of Launceston, very fine diamond 'PRE-PAID/5MR5/1867' d/s in red. NB: the letter is inscribed beneath the flap!	100 ^T
2003	C	B	1869 (Dec 18) cover to "WL Fowles/Registrar Supreme Court/Brisbane" with Perf 12½ 6d dull cobalt SG 87 (Cat £100 x3+ on cover) tied by bars cancel of Hobart (large cds in red alongside), Brisbane arrival b/s of DE31/69, vertical fold & flap fault. Scarce destination.	150



Lot 2004

2004	C	A	1882 OPSO postcard with printed advice for Launceston Volunteer Rifle Regiment with very fine strike of the diamond '[crown]/FREE/10JA10/1882' d/s unusually in black & scarce thus and countersigned as required.	150 ^T
2005	C	B	1883 flapless cover to London with scarce franking of De La Rue 8d purple-brown tied by Hobart duplex.	100 ^T
2006	C	(B)	1886 mourning cover to Devon endorsed "Not Known" in blue, 'RETURNED LR OFFICE/LONDON' b/s & superb strike of the double-oval 'DEAD LETTER OFFICE/23DEC86/TASMANIA' b/s (ERD by 7 years) in blue, ironed-out folds & minor blemishes. [John Hardinge speculates that the DLO d/s "may have been brass rather than rubber". It was definitely a metal implement]	150 ^T

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Ex Lot 2007

2007	C	A/B	1886-87 three covers with Platypus frankings 1) 1886 to England with 6d x2 tied BN 63 and 'NEW NORFOLK' cds alongside, minor aging marks; 2) 1887 from Hobart to England with 6d single endorsed "via Brindisi"; and 3) 1887 AF Basset Hull envelope to Denmark with 3d strip of three; condition fine except as noted. (3)	200 ^T
2008	C	B	1889 Smith Correspondence local cover with scarce franking of 'Halfpenny' on 1d SG 167 pair (Cat £50+ x15+ on cover) tied by BN '36', 'FORTH' cds below, flap removed.	150 ^T



Lot 2009

2009	PS	A-	1892 (June 4) commercial usage of 1d+1d STO Envelope to Victoria cancelled with the very scarce boxed 'LOOSE/SHIP LETTER' h/s on Melbourne (superb b/s), superb 'T2D'-in-Oval h/s & Postage Due 2d cancelled with an unusual circle-of-dots. Nice item. Ex Prof Owen Ingles.	200
2010	PS	B	- apparently commercial usage of 1/2d red STO Envelope with BN '38' of Glenorchy, to New Norfolk (b/s) with ERD & superb strike of the rare ('3")D/MORE TO PAY'-in-oval h/s of Hobart (b/s), light toning.	100 ^T
2011	C	B	1893 cover to Methodist Ladies College Melbourne endorsed "Free" with very fine & unusually late strike of the 1850s [crown]/FREE/4SP4/1893' cds (LRD; the first '4' is sideways) in magenta & signed "B Stafford Brice".	100 ^T

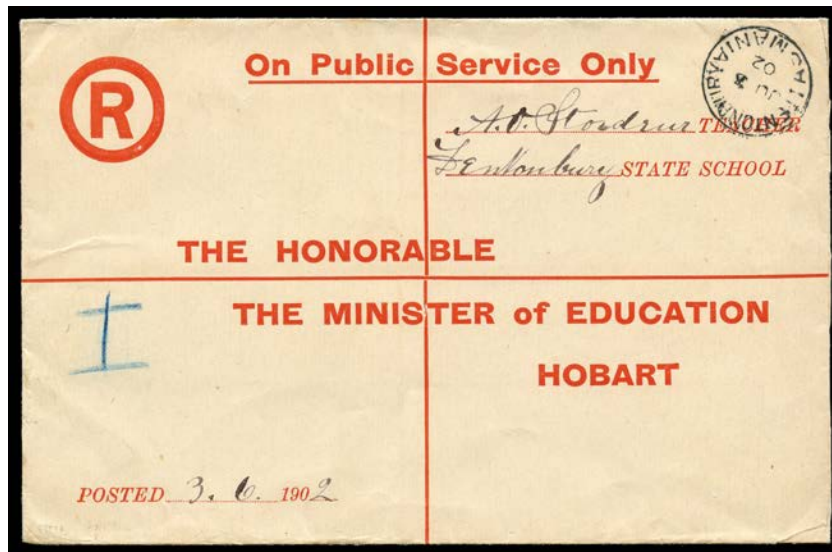


Ex Lot 2012

2012	C		1899-1902 mostly OPSO envelopes with printed red lines & 'R' at U/L with Frank Handstamps comprising 'EDUCATION DEPARTMENT' in rosine x2, 'GOVERNOR [crown] TASMANIA' in blue (plain envelope), 'INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION' in rosine, 'SECRETARY GENERAL POST OFFICE' in black, and 'THE TREASURY' in black, in blue x2 & in red, also NSW cover to "The Tasmanian Government" with non-postal 'PREMIER'S [crown] OFFICE/30MAY02/TASMANIA' cachet. (10)	400 ^T
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Ex Lot 2013

2013 CPS A/B 1899-1907 all-different OPSO envelopes with printed lines & 'R'-in-Circle or Oval in red, for GPO, Education Department x3 or Treasury x3, the last - soiled - with Pictorials 5d punctured 'T'. (7) 400^T



Ex Lot 2014

2014 C (A-)/C 1901 two Tatts covers to Hobart each with Pictorials 1d & 2d x2 tied by 'ANDOVER' cds, contained coin so officially registered with "8d to pay" endorsement relating to both, each with Pictorial 4d affixed in lieu of Postage Dues & tied by 'REGISTERED/HOBART' cds, one 4d with closed spike-hole, the other with the 4d torn-off. Remarkable duo; one with rare three-colour franking of the De La Rue Pictorials. [NB: Postage Dues were not available in Tasmania until 1902. The poor 'R'-in-circle h/s were applied at Andover & apparently overlooked at Hobart] (2) 200

2015 C A- 1906 OHMS Treasury cover with printed red lines & 'R'-in-oval to Launceston with Pictorials 5d tied by Hobart cds. 100^T



Lot 2016

2016 C A+ 1908 usage of OPSO Treasury envelope with printed lines & Small 'R'-in-Circle in red, to Launceston (b/s) with Pictorials 5d punctured 'T' tied by Hobart cds. Superb! 150^T

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**Lot 2017**

2017	C	A	1912 cover to New Zealand with Tablets 2½d & '1½d' on 5d tied by 'MOORINA' cds, scarce grey-blue & black 'Moorina' R label.	100 ^T
2018	C	A	- cover to New Zealand with Tablets 2½d & '1½d' on 5d plus Pictorials 1d tied by 'SCOTTSDALE' cds, scarce grey-blue & black 'Scottsdale' R label.	100 ^T