

Lot Type Grading Description

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GREAT BRITAIN - Postal History**Ex Lot 878**

878 CPS **Victorian-era hand-illustrated covers** comprising 1873 1d pink Envelopes x2 from Wolverhampton, of Macbeth or Mr Micawber (?), both of fine appearance; 1874 ½d Postal Card from the same correspondent to "Ye Ladye Fayre with Golden Hair" with giddy poem & illustration, two vertical folds hardly affect the 'view' side, a very early 'Picture Postcard'; plus seven other items in various states of decrepitude. Fun lot! **(10 items)**

400

**Lot 883**

883 C B **1869** mourning cover to NSW with very fine 1867-80 10d red-brown SG 112 Plate '1' with wing-margin tied by very fine 'ST ANDREWS/JU15/69 - 300' Scottish duplex, London transit b/s of the next day, a couple of minor defects clear of the stamp. Cat £850. Terrific item for the Golf enthusiast.

300

884 C B **1872** mourning cover to an officer at Bombay with very fine 1/- green tied by superb London duplex, oval 'SEA POST OFFICE' b/s, Bombay arrival cds & boxed 'BOMBAY/Bearing ½ Anna' h/s, forwarded to "Poona" (fair arrival cds) with boxed 'REDIRECTED' h/s, part of the flap missing & minor peripheral damage.

150

887 C B **1900** (Apr & July) covers to "Captain Hodgins/Royal Artillery/Sierra Leone/West Africa" both with 1d lilac tied by very fine 'LOWER-WALMER/DEAL' squared-circle & segmented b/s in red, the first endorsed "Frontier Police Mess" with 'FREETOWN' arrival b/s, the other a mourning cover, minor blemishes. Scarce destination. **(2)**

300

NEW ZEALAND - Postal History**Lot 1079**

1079 C B **1873** mourning cover with *Chalon* 1d brown x2 struck with fine '032' cancels & very fine 'NZ/KAWARAU/SP16/73' cds alongside (*Wooders* rated 7), to "Moke Creek PO/Wakatipu", large-part 'QUEENSTOWN' transit cds on the face, minor soiling & part of the flap missing. A rare domestic cover between two inland settlements on the South Island. Kawarau (Otago) renamed from Kawarau Junction 1.11.1864; renamed Cromwell 21.10.1873. [Alluvial goldmining. Kawarau also claims to be the world's first commercial bungee jumping centre. Moke Creek is known for gold & copper mining]

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AUSTRALIAN COLONIES/STATES - Charity Issues

We are pleased to present the interesting study formed by Peter Favier from England.



Lot 1522

1522	C	B/A-	NEW SOUTH WALES: 1897 Consumptives Home/Golden Jubilee 1/- (+ 1/2d & 1d) and 2/6d each paying the correct 2 1/2d rate, tied to a pair of mourning covers to Scotland by Sydney duplex of JY5/97, 'EDINBURGH/AU9/97' arrival b/s. [Although usage to overseas destinations is highly unusual, it seems there was no specific prohibition about using the Charity stamps for that purpose, provided only the notional rate of postage was paid by them] (2)	750 ^T
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QUEENSLAND - Postal History

Lot 1720

1720	C	A-	1865 (Sep 15) mourning cover from Rockhampton to London with 6d yellow-green pair tied by very fine 'Q.L'-in-Rays, London arrival cds of DE18/65 & forwarded to 'WESTON SUPER MARE' (cds on the face) with '1' h/s for the redirection fee.	400
1726	C	A-	1873 (Feb 20) mourning cover to India with 6d tied by Rays '96' of 'MARYBOROUGH' (cds alongside), 'BOMBAY' arrival b/s.	100 ^T



Lot 1730

1730	C	B	- (Dec 30) mourning cover to NSW with Chalons 3d greenish brown tied by partial very fine Rays '[6]3' of 'CLERMONT' (very fine cds alongside), Rockhampton & Sydney transit b/s and fine strike of the scarce 'BOURKE-STREET/=NSW=' arrival b/s, some aging. [Clermont is almost 1000km NW of Brisbane, inland from Rockhampton. Sydney's Bourke Street PO 1.6.1859; replaced by Surry Hills (2) 15.9.1883]	200
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TASMANIA - Postal History

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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WESTERN AUSTRALIA - Postal History



Lot 2245

2245	C	B	1888 (May 22) mourning cover to Berkshire with 6d violet tied by fine 15-bar '17' cancel of 'AUSTRALIND' (cbs at left), 'AYLESBURY/JU25/88' arrival b/s, light overall soiling. Not included in the <i>Pope & Reynolds Census</i> .	250
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