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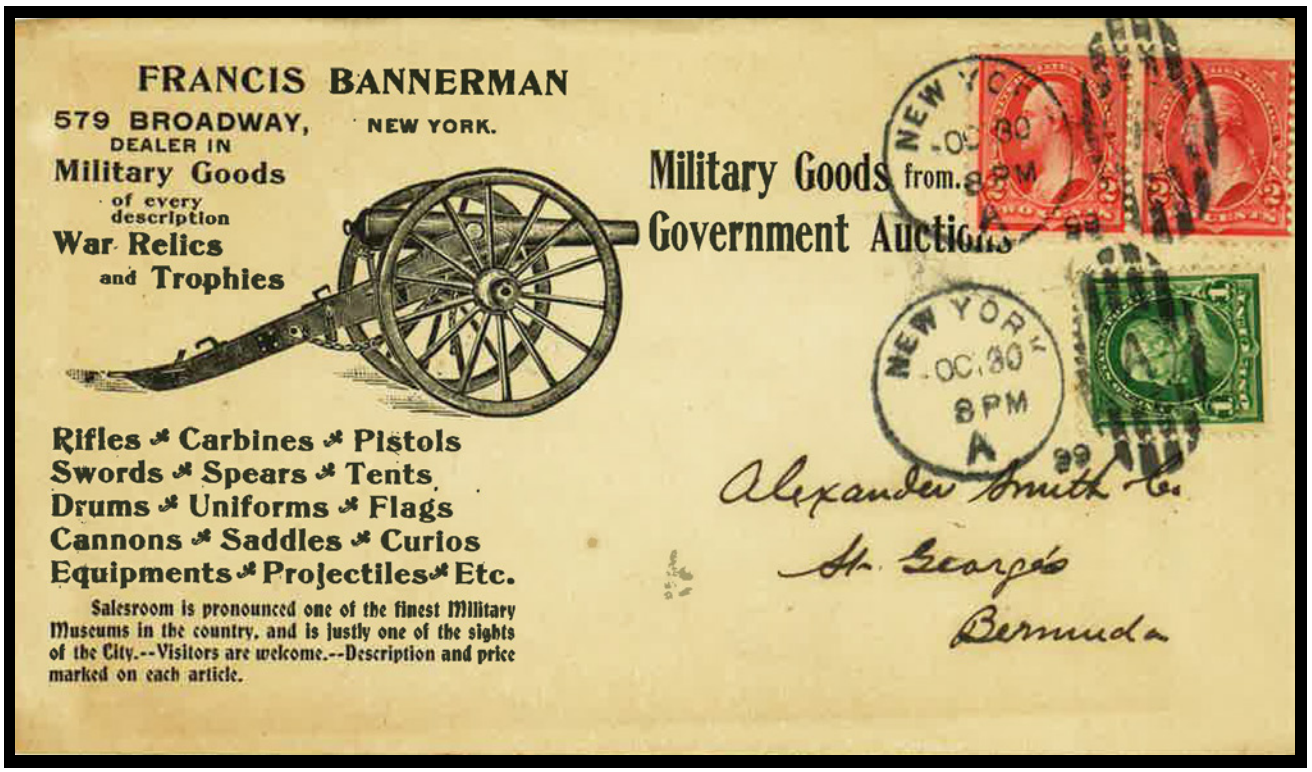

Lot 63 - A remarkable advertising cover featuring 'Military Goods from Government Auctions'

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TERMS: This is a members-only mail auction. All bids are confidential and the highest bid wins. In case of ties, the earliest highest bid wins.

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BIDDING & BIDDING INCREMENTS: Only bids from members in good standing will be accepted. All bids are in US Dollars. Bids accepted in EVEN DOLLARS only. Bids with fractions (ie: $5.50) will be lowered to the next even dollar amount. Email bidders please include your mailing address with bids. Increments will be Winning bid will be one increment above the next highest bid.

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BERMUDA STAMPS

1902-1909 DOCK

1 Used Docks lot. 67 stamps including 2d x2, 2 1/2d brn & ultra x8, 2d x 8, 3d x 10 including block of 6, 4d x3, plus 49 1d values not counted in catalog. Good study lot. Some cancel interest. Berm Spec. Cat. Val. $308.25. — $75

1910-1935 CARAVEL

2 1/ Caravel Specimen (SG 51S) – F-VF Lightly Hinged, with slight toning on the left side of the stamp. Few short perfs. PHOTO - PLATE 1 — $25

3 Caravels, SG 77–87a, hinge mounted to page. Sixteen stamps including three 1d, three 2-1/2d, no 81a, and the two 1/- values. Unchecked for the wmk. varieties of this issue. — $45

4 Set of Caravel 1922-35 Issue – F-VF Lightly Hinged, ¼d, ½d, 1d type II, (SG78a), 2d, 2 ½d pale sage-green, 2 1/2d Ultra type I (SG82)),3d, 4d, 6d, 1/ Catalog value £43.00. PHOTO - PLATE 1 — $20

1920-1921 TERCENTENARY

5 First Issue complete set of nine. Sc. # 55-69, SG #59-67. Fine to Very Fine, Mint mounted. (SG cat. £110). DONATION LOT — $15

6 Second Issue complete set of nine. Sc. # 71-79, SG #68-76. Fine to Very Fine, Mint mounted. (SG cat. £100). DONATION LOT — $15

1918-1937 KGV HIGH-VALUE

7 £1 Keyplate with infamous "3 MAI 1937" forged German cancel. SG 55, No Gum. (SG cat £850). PHOTO - PLATE 1 — $25

8 10/- Keyplate with head plate flaw #24A/B, R2/12 Broken crown & scroll. SG 92gb. LMM, nicely centered. (SG cat £700). PHOTO - PLATE 1 — $195

9 10/- Keyplate with head plate flaw #9, R1/9, Break thro ugh scroll. SG 92gd, LMM, pencil ID on gum. (SG cat £850). PHOTO - PLATE 1 — $235

10 2/ Keyplate with head plate flaw #60E, R5.12, Gash in fruit and leaf. Plate # copy mounted on margin. S.G. 88gg. (SG cat £350). PHOTO - PLATE 1 — $125

11 2/- Keyplate (1st ptg) F-VF used with Hamilton MR 22 cds and with flaw 45(i) (SG 51bbe-catalog £400/BCS catalog $300+). An exceptional copy of this flaw used. Ex Ludington. PHOTO - PLATE 1 — $150

12 2/- Keyplate SPECIMEN. Second printing, SG # 88S, April 1927 pntg. LMM. (SG cat. £150). PHOTO - PLATE 1 — $40

13 2/- Keyplate. Position #1, Plate Number Margin copy. Mounted on selvage, light gum bend. SG #88, Apr 1927 pntg. SG cat. £ 50 for mm single. w/o margins & number. PHOTO - PLATE 1 — $40

14 2/6 Keyplate with head plate flaw #54, R5/6, Damaged leaf at bottom right, LMM. S.G. 89, Sept 1926 pntg. (SG cat £350). PHOTO - PLATE 1 — $125

15 4/- Keyplate with head plate flaw #24, R2/12. Broken crown & scroll., SG 52bb, LMM. (SG cat. £300). PHOTO - PLATE 1 — $115

16 4/- Keyplate. Position #1, Plate Number Margin copy. Mounted on selvage, light gum bend. SG#52b. SG cat. £ 60 for mm single. w/o margins & number. PHOTO - PLATE 1 — $45

17 5/- Keyplate with head plate flaw #12, R1/12. Break in scroll (inside line only). Plate # copy, mounted on margin. SG 53a. (SG cat £425). PHOTO - PLATE 1 — $160

18 King George V 10/ Keyplate (SG92) with clearly struck Harnett & Richardson CDS, March 25, 1925 Catalog value £250.00. PHOTO - PLATE 1 — $50

1936-1953 KGV & KGVI PICTORIAL

19 BOTH KGV AND KGVI pictorial sets. KGV: Sc. # 105-114, SG # 98 -106 (12 stamps with shade); KGVI : Scott #118-122, SG 110-115a. (16 stamps with shades). Looks to be all NH. DONATION LOT — $15

1935 KGV SILVER JUBILEE

20 1d Silver Jubilee F-VF used with St Georges 9 May 35 cds with "Bird" Flaw (SG 94m-Catalog £225/BCS $200). Tough to find used in such nice condition. PHOTO - PLATE 1 — $100

1937-1953 KGVI HIGH-VALUE

21 £1 Perf. 13, SG 121d, Apr. 1952 pntg, Bottom selvage with Plate Number. UMM (mounted in selvage). "121d" written on selvage. SG Cat £55 w/o selvage. PHOTO - PLATE 1 — $35

22 2/- Keyplate 1st ptg. (SG 116) VF used with SON Paget/19 MAR 38 cds. A high-quality early usage of this stamp. PHOTO - PLATE 1 — $20

23 2/- Keyplate Line Perf MNH with major #60 Flaw (SG 116be-catalog £2,000) with usual dark streaky gum and a couple minor perf tones, otherwise VF and fresh stamp and a great Keyplate rarity. — $850

24 2/- Keyplate. Perf. 13, SG 116e, Dec.1949 pntg, BLOCK OF FOUR with bottom Plate Number selvage. UMM, Very light crease, visible on back. SG Cat £56 w/o selvage. PHOTO - PLATE 1 — $40

25 2/6 Keyplate (1943 ptg) F-VF MNH bottom marginal copy showing full state of major #60 Flaw (SG 117be-catalog £650). The gum is very fresh and clean an excellent copy of this flaw. PHOTO - PLATE 1 — $300

26 2/6 Keyplate Line Perf (SG 117a-catalogs £120) VF used bottom margin copy (Pos 56) with SON St Georges 28 JAN 46 cds. Exceptional copy. PHOTO - PLATE 1 — $75

1937-1949 KGVI COMMEMORATIVE

27 Silver wedding, set of two. 1 1/2d and £1. Fine to Very Fine, Mint mounted. Scott # 133-34, SG #125-26. (SG cat. £45). DONATION LOT — $10

1953-1970 QUEEN ELIZABETH II

28 QEII Mint NH Commems. Sc# 474-81, 499-565, 576-83, 590-93, 601-06, 613-18A, 619-51, 656-59. Face Value $89.46. — $50

1970 ONWARDS

29 1975 Revalued "Flower" Definitive set of 7 values (17c to $3.00) on small size FDC, colorful. — $20

30 1986 90¢ Turtle, ERROR Surcharge Doubled. UMM selvage copy. SG Cat #534a, £110. PHOTO - PLATE 1 — $50

31 1986 Shipwreck Definitives. Four values (3¢, 12¢, $3.00, $8.00) on DARK Titanium coated paper. SG's 507A, 511A, 521A, 523A. PHOTO - PLATE 1 — $25

32 $22.00 Express-Postage (SG E1) on unaddressed First Day Cover. Blurry 7 Nov 96 IDE-GPO cancel on front. Distinct "Hamilton" backstamp on same date. Private cachet reproducing Bermuda's Express Mail logo. No "official FDC's were issued by P.O. PHOTO - PLATE 1 — $35

BERMUDA POSTAL HISTORY

1865-1904 QV COVERS

33 1/4d (2) and 1d Dock red & brown(2) cancelled by smudged OC 16 1906 cds on Weiss No. 42 B/W photo card to Bridgeport, Conn (machine cancel recvr.) with message written on front, which required letter rate postage to be paid! A great usage of the QV farthing stamps to make up this rarely found ppc letter rate. PHOTO - PLATE 1 — $60

34 2 1/2d blue tied by Hamilton 11 DE 1906 cds on Weiss (No. 116 Presentation of Colors Bermuda) color U/B ppc to Concord, NH (recvr) and with message written on front of ppc, which required letter rate postage to be paid! The Dock 2 1/2p was issued right around this time, so this might be a last day usage of the QV within the proper period! PHOTO - PLATE 1 — $60

35 2 1/2d blue tied by Hamilton/No 20 93 duplex (lightly struck) on proper rate cover to Barbados with rare Crown/Dragon/China blue embossed crest (Naval) on reverse and partial strike of elusive oval Barbados/16 DE 93/Ship Letter mark. Some light cover tones, mainly along the right side. A great usage/destination. PHOTO - PLATE 1 — $120

36 2 1/2d blue tied by partial Ireland Island JU 3 1903 cds on Dock 2d (grey/blue) p. sty. env. used to railroad engineer in Buenos Aires, Argentina with NYC transit reg. label and partial recvr. on reverse. Some very light foxing on front, but a rare destination/usage of this env. and proper usage of QV as Dock 2 1/2p was issued in 1906. PHOTO - PLATE 1 — $120

BERMUDA POSTAL MARKINGS

37 1887 10c US Banknote Sc.#209b on cover to "Hamilton House" Hamilton. NY backstamp and indistinct "Hamilton" receiving mark. Still a scarce usage. — $25

38 1893 and 1899 US postal cards sent to Bermuda. The 1893 card is marked 5 centimes postage due in New York and shows the Bermuda manuscript 1d in blue crayon. On arrival the card was backstamped in both Hamilton and St. George's with the H4 datestamps. The 1899 card was uprated with a 1¢ Trans-Mississippi Exposition stamp and back stamped in St. George's. Two scarce postal cards. — $40

39 1895 2c US postal stationery envelope NY to Bermuda, NY postage due marking. With "St. Georges" & "Hamilton' H4 receiving marks. Scarce. PHOTO - PLATE 1 — $40

40 1905 2c US postal stationery envelope uprated w/3c Seattle to Bermuda, NY postage due marking. With "St. Georges" H7 receiving mark on reverse. PHOTO - PLATE 1 — $25

41 1924 10/- KGV Keyplate on piece tied by rare K4 "1" duplex obliterator. In use as extra canceller from 1924-26. Seldom seen on Keyplates. PHOTO - PLATE 1 — $125

INSTRUCTIONAL MARKINGS

42 1898 Consignee Letter, US to Bermuda. Mailed in Bermuda with 1d stamp postmarked HAMILTON JY 4 1898, but charged 2d postage due as it was considered overseas mail. Clean cover with great DUE 1 2d mark. PHOTO - PLATE 2 — $40

43 Five different Postage Due marks of Bermuda. PHOTO - PLATE 2 — $25

44 Ten different Miscellaneous Marks on covers that are difficult to assemble and would make the beginning of a serious study. PHOTO - PLATE 2 — $45

45 Three different MISSENT TO BERMUDA marks. PHOTO - PLATE 2 — $20

1902-1909 DOCK COVERS

46 1/2d green & black (3) and 1d red & black tied by part Somerset Bridge JU 27 1906 cds on Bradley No. 96 color U/B ppc (Bermuda, Waves at Hungry Bay) to Argentina (mach. cancel recvr.) with message on front. A very scarce destination during this period. PHOTO - PLATE 2 — $45

47 1/2d green & Dock 1d red & brown tied by St Georges 17 AP 1903 cds on Dock 2p (Size F/Grey-Blue) reg. p. sty. env. to Seattle (scarce 3-line reg. recvr). The QV 1/2p is used within proper period as the Dock value did not come out until Dec 1903 and this is within 2 months of the issue date of the env. A remarkable and clean usage. PHOTO - PLATE 2 — $100

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48 1d red & brown tied by Hamilton DE 16 1902 “c” code cds on QV 2p (Size F/Grey-Blue) reg. p. sty. env. sent locally to St Georges (b/s “B” code 16 DE 1902). A proper period usage of the QV env., as the dock came out in Feb 1903 and a rare local usage, as few exist! Exceptional condition. PHOTO - PLATE 2 $100

49 1d red tied by indistinct Hamilton cds of Dec 1909 on Dock 2d (grey-blue/blue) p. sty. env. used to England with Bermuda S3a reg. label No. 832 (1st year of use), forwarded in UK, with manuscript “Posted out of course” and large “2d” due h/s. This is the exceptional usage pictured on page 2 of the Brad Arch Reg. Label Book. PHOTO - PLATE 2 $120

50 1d red tied by rare 2-line “Oceana/Feb 15 1910” ship h/s in violet with NYC Paquebot alongside 2 days later on Weiss ppc (No. 152 – View from The St George) color D/B to New York. One of the rarest ship marks associated with Bermuda with very few known. Ludington did not have one in his collection. PHOTO - PLATE 2 $175

1910-1935 CARAVEL COVERS

51 1/2d caravel tied by Hamilton 7 SEP 14 mach. cancel on Phoenix Drug No. 8 color D/B ppc of boy riding donkey cart with a good strike of the scarce WWI CM11 “H.W.” censor mark in violet. PHOTO - PLATE 2 $80

52 1/2d(2) and 1d(2) tied by Hamilton British Empire Exhibition slogan of 25 OCT 24 on Yankee Store and Bermuda Drug #24 (Tom Moore’s House) color D/B ppc to Penn paying the Supplementary Double PPC rate for speedier delivery to board ship at port. Excellent usage/rate with the slogan cancel. PHOTO - FRONT COVER PHOTO - PLATE 2 $30

53 1d Caravel tied by Paquebot Kingston Jamaica/FE 6 31 cds and with small “Mailed at Sea” h/s in blue on ppc of the “Prince Robert” from the Canadian National Steamship Line. Message references rough travel to Bermuda before heading to Jamaica. A very uncommon ship usage relating to Bermuda. Ex Ludington. $35

54 2 1/2d Caravel tied by Hamilton 5 NOV 15 mach. cancel from Hotel Inverurie to Tweedie Hall, Natal, South Africa (b/s DE 15) with bright reddish mauve strike of Bermuda WWI CM13 censor h/s. Small tears on reverse only. Only 2 or 3 items recorded to South Africa with Bermuda censorship during WWI. $100

1936-1953 KGV & KGVI PICTORIAL COVERS

55 KGV Pictorial 1 1/2d tied by Hamilton tourist slogan of 28 MCH 1937 on colorful M.S. Pilsudski passenger ship cruise in the Caribbean with scarce Bermuda Rexall Drug Store date stamp in blue (rarely found on ppc). I know of only 2 other usages of this card from Bermuda, as the Polish shipping line was rarely found in Bermuda waters. PHOTO - PLATE 2 $50

56 KGV Pictorial Issue FDC on small rubber stamp cachet cover, set of 9 values 4/14/36. Addressed., VF and clean. Berm. Spec. Cat. Value $75.00. PHOTO - PLATE 2 $25

1937-1949 KGVI COMMEMORATIVE COVERS

57 Registered: 9/15/37. Paid Hamilton to Washington, D.C. Paid surface 3d. + registry 3d. Fr w/six 1d. Coronation issue (Sc. 115). bs 9/20/37 NY, 9/20/37 Washington. Large rectangular Hamilton registry stamp w/reg. #175. $20

1953-1970 QUEEN ELIZABETH II COVERS

58 1/2d to £1 presentation set of 18 (most values to the 1/- with plt#) with typed note stating that the stamps were being provided by the Bermuda Government for the entrant for participating in the design competition of these issues (dated 9th November, 1953) the date of issue. Also has the OHMS (diagonal “ON Postal Service” envelope used to provide the stamps to the entrant (the envelope a bit rough on both sides). Very few people submitted drawings, so this note must be rare! The stamps are MNH and catalog £130 in SG. $85

59 QEII First Definitive FDC, 2 small one line cachet covers with set of 16 issued on 11/9/53, light pencil addressed and very clean. $25

1937-1953 KGVI COVERS

60 KGVI 2/- mottled Keyplate and 3d blue tied by light Hamilton Jan 43 cds on reg. air cover to Sannieshof, Transvaal, South Africa (b/s) with unrecorded Hamilton reg. label (with Hamilton added by h/s). This is a scarce usage at the proper air rate, without censorship, to an unusual war time destination and scarce reg. label. PHOTO - PLATE 2 $100

1970 ONWARDS COVERS

61 1989 double black printing of SG 561 Old Garden Roses stamp on local cover. The cover has been opened on three sides, but still very scarce and desirable. PHOTO - PLATE 2 $30

62 A small number of stamps of the 1986 Shipwreck definitive issue were printed on titanium dioxide coated paper. This was an effort to increase the whiteness of the paper and can only be seen under UV light where the titanium dioxide coated stamps to not reflect at all. It is an area that needs to be researched and documented. Three envelopes include examples of titanium dioxide coated 5¢, 10¢ and 12¢ stamps and would make a great basis of such a study. PHOTO - PLATE 2 $20

NAVAL & MILITARY MAIL

63 A remarkable advertising cover featuring ‘Military Goods from Government Auctions’, sent from New York to Bermuda on October 30th, 1899 and backstamped in St. George’s on November 6th. Clean and attractive, this cover needs to be exhibited. PHOTO - FRONT COVER $40

64 O.H.M.S. Envelope sent on January 10th, 1900, from Hamilton to St. George’s, stamped ‘BARRACK OFFICE, A.S.C. / 10 JAN 1900 / BERMUDA’. The blue handstamp on a blue envelope is faint, but still a scarce early military cover. The back flap is discolored. PHOTO - PLATE 2 $20

65 Three local Royal Navy covers all posted at Mangrove Bay, the 1963 cover stamped ‘RESIDENT NAVAL OFFICER / 13 NOV 1963 / BERMUDA’, and the 1984 cover ‘COMMANDING OFFICER / 25 JUL 1984 / HMS MALABAR’. Scarce covers. PHOTO - PLATE 2 $25

66 Two scarce covers from the Canadian Navy in Bermuda, one is stamped ‘NAVAL RADIO STATION BERMUDA / 24 JN 1966’ (a mark not recorded in the Bermuda Specialized Catalogue), the other franked with possibly Bermuda’s scarcest postage meter mark from the Canadian Forces Station at Daniels Head. $50

BERMUDA MARITIME MAIL

67 1899 Quaker Oats advertising cover sent from New York to Bermuda on the S.S. Trinidad, postmarked with the New York flag cancellation 16. A clean and unusual cover. $25

1913-1970 MACHINE CANCELLATIONS

68 30 O.H.M.S. covers with a variety of slogan cancellations would be the basis of a study of either official mail or cancellations (30). PHOTO - PLATE 2 $45

69 Pair of 1948 air covers with good strikes of the very scarce Bermuda IATA/Traffic Conference/Bermuda/1948 slogans cancels for Nov 7 (the first day of the conference) to NYC and from Devonshire South on Nov 20 (last day) with the slogan applied in transit at Hamilton on the way to the UK. The last with some light creases from folding, but still very nice usages that are not often found. PHOTO - PLATE 2 $30

70 Slogan cancel: 4/3/1924 “Bermuda Empire Exhibition 1924” franked w/1d. Caravelle on business window envelope. Corner card West India Oil Company, Hamilton, Bermuda. PHOTO - FRONT COVER PHOTO - PLATE 2 $40

1914-1919 WWI CENSORSHIP

71 1916 FIELD SERVICE POST CARD sent from France, and 1917 cover sent from the UK to Bermuda. They were sent by Wentworth Trimingham to his sister, signed by the sender and marked in Bermuda with the CM15 censor mark. Wentworth Trimingham was killed in action in France. Two scarce Bermuda military items. $50

72 1d red p. sty. card tied by Hamilton 11 FEB 16 mach. cancel to Amsterdam (recvr. mark on front) and with Bermuda CM15 censor h/s in dark violet. Bermuda p. sty. With WWI censor marks are rarely found. PHOTO - PLATE 2 $75

73 AU 6 1917 stampless OAS cover sent from servicemen serving with a Canadian regiment, as it has the corner card of the Canadian YMCA, sent to St Georges (b/s) and with unit censor and Bermuda CM15 in greenish blue. I have never seen a cover with YMCA emblem of Canada used on OAS to Bermuda. PHOTO - PLATE 2 $75

74 Incoming printed matter rate cover from Japan to Hamilton, thence forwarded to NYC with light/partial strike of WWI CM15 censor h/s in mauve and with US instructional h/s about forwarding. Only 2 or 3 items recorded from Japan with Bermuda WWI censorship. PHOTO - PLATE 2 $100

75 Incoming WWI censored cover from Grenada with pair of KGV 1d red war tax stamps tied by indistinct 17 AU 18 cds to Spanish Point, Bermuda (B/s Hamilton) with notation “per S.S. Chaleur/Via Trinidad” and with VF Bermuda CM15 censor h/s in bluish black. Only a handful of covers to or from Grenada are known censored in Bermuda. PHOTO - PLATE 3 $60

76 JA 2 16 incoming OAS stampless cover from a soldier serving in Europe with Army P.O. cds and unit triangle censor h/s (NO 975) in black and Bermuda CM13 censor h/s in violet sent to Warwick East (b/s). Cover missing some of the side flap and LR corner, but the CM13 censor mark, though common on regular mail, is rare on OAS covers with less than 10-15 recorded. PHOTO - PLATE 3 $80

77 NO 6 1917 stampless WWI OAS cover sent from Gunnar Howard Stanley Dunscombe of the Canadian Garrison Artillery to his wife or mother in Bermuda (b/s) with CM15 censor h/s in purple. A very scarce usage from someone serving through a Canadian Regiment. PHOTO - PLATE 3 $65

1939-1945 WWII CENSORSHIP

78 Registered: 6/21/41. Hamilton to Montreal. Montreal 6/23 receiver on front & Montreal bs. Fr w/Sc. 118,119, 120 (2), 121. Paid 7½d. airmail + 3d. registry. Hamilton,/Bermuda/No 0829 registration label. A.R. (Avis de Reception). Censor label (CL4) Opened by Examiner 120. Tiny piece missing at top. No back flap. Busy cover. PHOTO - PLATE 3 $40

79 Three CM 21 covers/wrapper – CM21 #2 mailed from Flatts in October 1939, CM21 #23 on 1940 incoming cover from England addressed to the St. George’s Censor Major Alexander Smith and faint #27 on hand-made wrapper also censored in the U.S. PHOTO - PLATE 3 $30

1939-1945 WWII US FORCES

80 US Forces (2): 1/29/43 & 3/3/43 to New Jersey. Mr. writing to Mrs. Both on UC2 6¢ postal stationary with Army Examiner hs and OPENED BY censor label. PHOTO - PLATE 3 $20

81 US Forces 10/28/46 to Chase National Bank. Registered. On 5¢ Revalued postal stationary UC10 + 20¢ Prexie. A.P.O.856 New York receiver stamps on back + NY Grand Central Sta. & New York Registry Div. oval. $20

82 US Forces: 4/7/42 American Base Forces APO 802 with clearly struck mc on penalty envelope to Philadelphia. Corner card Office of the Chaplain at Ft. Bell.Signed by Chaplain. Includes letter from chaplain to someone wanting to write soldiers in Bermuda explaining why censor preclude correspondence. #10 envelope in perfect condition. $25

1910-1968 WARSHIP COVERS

83 Ship Visits (2): USS Case 4/19/37 & 4/21/37.Hamilton, Bermuda in killers. No cachet. $20

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84 Ship Visits (2): USS MacDonough 10/14/35. USS Reid 2/21/37. Both with Hamilton Bermuda in killers. Neither has a cachet. $20

1919-1970 AEROPHILATELY

85 10 First Flight Covers from the 1990's, ex-Don Stephens: United Airlines Washington-Bermuda 1991 (1); Northwest Airlines Boston-Bermuda 1991 (1); US Air Boston-Bermuda 1993 (2); US Air Chicago-Bermuda 1995 (2); Kiwi International Chicago-Newark-Bermuda 1995 (2); Kiwi International Bermuda-Atlanta 1996 (1); Kiwi International Bermuda-Orlando 1996 (1). $25

86 1925 Feb. Los Angeles Flight from Lakehurst, NJ to Bermuda. FS3. Lakehurst & NY Air Mail Service cancels, 2/21/25 Bermuda backstamp. Great pencil notation "2500 fl. Over owing to bad weather, no mooring at SS Patoka". $35

87 1931 First Transatlantic Commercial Flight Attempt Postal card. FS9a. New York to Paris via Bermuda and the Azores. Pilots Hart And MacLaren. With typed message on reverse and Bermuda 1/8/31 cancel and 1/2d caravel. Flight was lost between Bermuda and the Azores. (+50 cards recorded). PHOTO - PLATE 3 $25

88 1938 Bermuda to Baltimore First Flight, cacheted w/ block of 4 of 2d Blue and Sepia Lucie. Very fine and attractive. $25

89 1938 Bermuda to Port Washington, NY, first airmail service by PAA, nice multicolor franking including good 2d Lucie, clean and attractive cover. $25

90 1938 First Flight Bermuda to Baltimore, 3d & 6d Pictorials, Typed cachet. 3/17/38 Baltimore Backstamp, Signed by Capt. R.O.D. Sullivan, very fine. PHOTO - PLATE 3 $30

91 1966 Bermuda to London First Flight FF23b(i). (+10 known). Multicolored cachet. Berm Spec. Cat. Val. $100.00. PHOTO - PLATE 3 $25

92 A most unusual airmail cover prepared for a flight of 'Miss Columbia' to England, but flown to Bermuda instead by Errol Boyd, Roger Williams and Harry Connor in June 1930 and mailed from there to England. 'Miss Columbia' was renamed 'Maple Leaf' after the Bermuda flight and delayed by a legal dispute, finally made the flight from Canada to England on October 9th, 1930, the first transatlantic flight from Canada. The cover could be unique. PHOTO - PLATE 3 $100

93 Apr 6 1938 FF5c NY-Bermuda-NY round trip flight cover with all stamps on front with US 10 cent C8 air tied by NY/GPO Apr 6 1938 cancel and Bermuda KGV Pictorial 1 1/2d(2) and 1/- tied by Hamilton 19 Apr 38 cds for return flight. Attractive and scarce usage. (BCS catalog $100). PHOTO - PLATE 3 $75

94 FFC: 11/17-18/37 round trip Baltimore-Bermuda-Baltimore with all expected frankings and cancels in both directions. Cwiakala FF-2A. First U.S. mail carried by PAA. PHOTO - PLATE 3 $40

95 FFC: 11/18/37 return trip Bermuda-Baltimore on Cavalier. Cwiakala FF-2B. This was not considered an official first flight so no cachet. Hamilton mc. No bs. Cwiakala lists "2 recorded." Likely a few more exist but not many. PHOTO - PLATE 3 $45

96 FFC: FAM-17 Baltimore to Bermuda. Baltimore hs 3/16/38 & Bermuda bs 3/16/38. Signed by PAA Capt. R.O. Sullivan & Baltimore P.M. Ernest Green. Fr. Sc. 785-788. 1¢-4¢ Army issue. PHOTO - PLATE 3 $40

97 Foreign destinations: 3/15/60 to Belgian Congo paid 2s. 2d. postage & 7/18/78 to Zaire paid 30 cents postage. Both air mail in fine condition. $20

98 Nov 16 1939 FF11b Hamilton-Lisbon (Nov 20 b/s) censored (CM21 #3 in blue green) first flight cover addr. to NY but sent on the Lisbon leg of this flight with KGVI 2/- Keyplate franking. No more than 43 covers were carried on this flight to Lisbon and not all covers had Keyplate frankings. (BCS Catalog $250). PHOTO - PLATE 3 $125

99 Ticket - Colonial Airlines. Travelled on 5/1/5?. Franked with the £1 Keyplate & customs cancel. Includes Colonial paper jacket with reminder of limo pickup to airport. PHOTO - PLATE 3 $40

100 Ticket - Pan America. Purchased 7/22/52. Franked with usual 12/6 Keyplate & airport cancels. Includes fragile paper jacket from travel agent, coupon book for use in Bermuda, Elbow Beach & Frith's Liquor sales slips & printed 8/9-8/16 vacation schedule. PHOTO - PLATE 3 $40

101 Two First Flight Covers: Bermuda Specialized Catalog FF17b is BOAC cachet with Bogota CDS and BOAC arrival backstamp. Bermuda Specialized Catalog FF22a(ii) is Air Canada cachet with Halifax CDS and Hamilton arrival backstamp. Good value. $25

1919-1970 MIXED COUNTRY USAGES

102 1930 Bermuda/USA mixed country usage with Caravel 2 1/2d tied by Hamilton 24 Jun 30 cds and USA 5 cent Winged Globe violet tied by NY/Jun 26 1930 cds to pay the air rate within the USA to Mass. A proper and totally commercial mixed country franking and especially scarce as such in this early period of aviation. PHOTO - PLATE 3 $125

103 1934 Bermuda/USA mixed country usage with Caravel 1d and 1 1/2d tied by indistinct Bermuda cancel on proper air rate cover to Lima, Peru (British Legation-b/s Dec 5 1934) with U.S. 20 cent air(2) cancelled in NY. Has some light edge creasing and small stains, still one of about 10 to 15 known usages and a rare destination. PHOTO - PLATE 3 $175

104 1938 Bermuda/USA mixed country usage with KGVI 1/2d, 2 1/2d, and 6 d tied by Hamilton 31 MAR 1938 cds on Hamilton Hotel env. to New haven Conn. and USA 10 cent Special Delivery stamp tied by Baltimore APR 1 1938 cds (FAM 17 entry port was Baltimore). A very scarce and early commercial combo usage on FAM 17 Route. PHOTO - PLATE 3 $80

BERMUDA ADVERTISING COVERS

105 1885 and 1896 advertising covers from the Hamilton Hotel. Both were backstamped on arrival in New York. Remarkable examples of early Bermuda tourism. PHOTO - PLATE 3 $40

106 Two covers from the Princess Hotel mailed in 1922 and 1924 datestamped with the first wavy line and first slogan cancellation respectively. PHOTO - PLATE 3 $25

107 Two covers from the St. George's Hotel showing the expansion of Bermuda tourism to the East End of the island. PHOTO - PLATE 3 $15

BERMUDA MISC POSTAL HISTORY

108 A most unusual commemorative cover reproducing a 1953 draft by Winston Churchill of a telegram to his wife Clementine following the 'Big Three' Summit held in Bermuda. 50 years later the 'Three Power Talks' were commemorated at The Mid Ocean Club, including a lunch featuring the same menu as in 1953. The envelope was franked with an original 'Three Power Talks' stamp and cancelled with the special slogan cancel of the 2003 celebration. This would be a key cover in a collection featuring $50

109 Maxi-cards (9): Five used on 9/4/54 ppc with QEII defin. Sc. #143, 145, 146, 151, 158. Four used on 2/1/2001 ppc with WWF Sc. 798 -801. Paired with similar postcards. $20

110 OHMS: 1994 Parliamentary Registration Form. Agency in lower left Parliamentary Registrar/Government Administration Building/30 Parliament Street/Hamilton H12 – Bermuda. Window envelope to OCCUPIER. Unused. All necessary forms enclosed. $20

BERMUDA POSTAL STATIONERY

BERMUDA AEROGRAMMES

111 KGVI Air Letters, set of all 4 different, VF unused, Berm. Spec. Cat. SA1a, b, c, d Cat Value $78.00. $30

BERMUDA LITERATURE & SUPPLIES

BERMUDA LITERATURE

112 BOOKLET: Furness Line to Bermuda by Ludington & Rego. BCPSG monograph #11, 58 pages. Shipping will be a little higher on this. DONATION LOT $10

113 Morris Ludington's. Bermuda: the Post Office Markings and Adhesive Stamps. London: and Adhesive Stamps. London: Robson Lowe LTD. 1968. The original not the 1978 reprint. $75

114 Pamphlets (2): N.C. Baldwin's Air Mails of Bermuda. 16 pages. A lot of information in a tiny package and Morris H. Ludington's Regular Sea Communications with Bermuda to 1914.12 pages glossy. Reprinted from the Bermuda Historical Quarterly, 1979. $25

115 Robert W. Dickgiesser's Bermuda King George VI High Values: a guide to the Flaws and Printings. 1980. 59 pages. Signed by previous owner, otherwise fine condition. $40

116 William J. Clark's The Airmails of Bermuda 1925-1992: A Specialized Catalogue and Illustrated Price List. Greenwich, CT: The Havemeyer Press. 1992. Third Edition. Revised and Enlarged. Original Price - $49.95. Some markings in the book. $25

BERMUDA SUPPLIES

117 Showgard "Excal" SMALL size, Guillotine Mount Cutter. In original box, Shipping ($8.30 in U.S.) by Priority Mail small box. DONATION LOT $10

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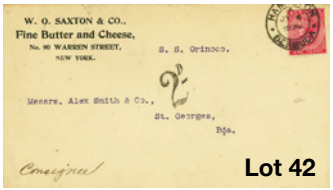

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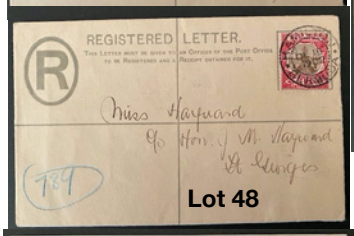

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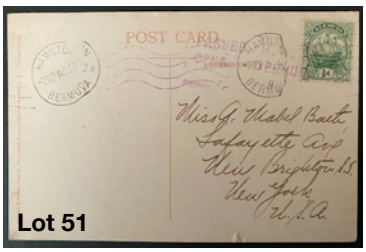

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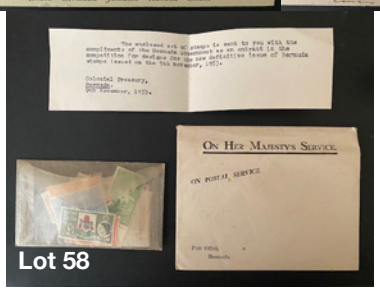

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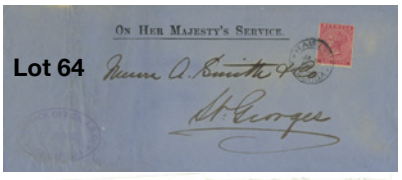

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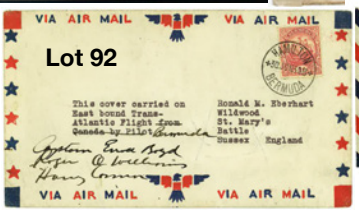
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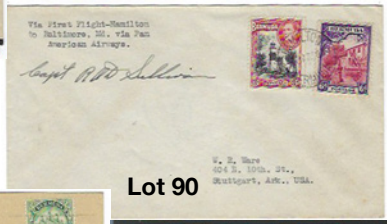
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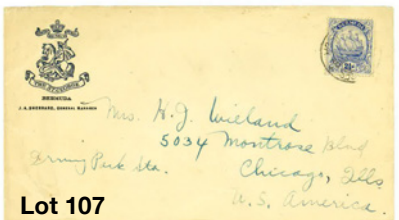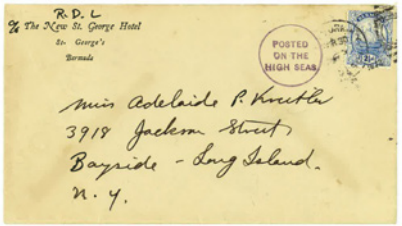
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