AUCKLAND CITY STAMPS PUBLIC STAMP AUCTION

SESSION 1 - SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 6, 11.00AM: BOX LOTS, ACCUMULATIONS & COLLECTIONS SESSION 2 - SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 7, 9.30AM: NEW ZEALAND & WORLD STAMPS AND POSTAL HISTORY

AUCKLAND CITY STAMPS, 1 NGAIRE AVENUE, NEWMARKET.

Welcome to Auckland City Stamps Public Auction 29, split over two days with a total of 1058 lots and estimates of over \$530,000.00.

We commence with Session 1 with Lots 1-364 being Box Lots, Collections & Accumulations plus a few Postcard lots. The Box Lot Section contains 111 lots with the highlights including Lot 21 British Commonwealth Two Volume Imperial Albums (Est \$2000), Lot 41 French Colonies (Est \$1250), Lot 61 Ex NZ Dealer's Stock in 4 boxes (Est \$7500) and Lot 622 NZ Box Lot (Est \$2500).

The Collections Section comprises 246 lots with the highlights including Lot 143 China 1900's Boxer Rebellion Postal History Collection (Est \$2500), Lot 145 China 1916/41 Collection (Est \$1250), Lot 162 Falkland Islands Collection (Est \$5000), Lot 170 Germany Zeppelin Stamps & Covers (Est \$2000), Lot 212 Monaco Collection (Est \$2500), Lot 218 NZ Pre-decimal Collection (Est \$3000), Lot 223 NZ 1873/2009 Collection (Est \$7500), Lot 247 NZ 1970 10c Royal Collection (Est \$2500), Lot 271 NZ Postal History Collection (Est \$1000), Lot 282 NZ Revenues lot (Est \$1000) and Lot 305 Thailand Collection (Est \$1000).

Session 2 commences with New Zealand Stamps. The highlights include Lot 370 1d FFQ SG 4 Mint (Est \$7500), Lot 448 8d 2nd Sideface Adverts (Est \$1500), Lot 462 A W Jones Essay (Est \$1000), Lot 470 1/2d Mt Cook Reefton Provisional Used (Est \$2500), Lot 471 1900 1 1/2d Boer War Khaki shade Mint (Est \$2500), Lot 485 1d Claret Christchurch Exhibition Mint (Est \$15,000), Lot 517 KGV 1/2d Green Part Imperf Block (Est \$4000), Lot 523 1935 2d Coil Pair (Est \$3000), Lot 547 1970 18c Maori Club Offset Block (Est \$2500), Lot 555 1971 4c/2 1/2c Moth Missing Surcharge Block of 20 (Est \$4000), Lot 568 1975 8c Rose paper Fold Error (Est \$2500), Lot 580 Antarctica 1903 Vignette label Cover (Est \$3750), Lot 741 1934 Crusader First Day Cover (Est \$3000), Lot 758 1996 40c Teddy Bear Cover (Est \$2000), Lot 765 QV 1d Postal Fiscal Die Proof (Est \$1000), Lot 771 Arms £3.10s Rose Used (Est \$2500).

Lots 588-732 comprise one of the major highlights of this sale, a fine Cinderella Section from the **Alan Methells Collection** formed over many decades. Cinderella highlights include Lot 600 the 1906 Kaiapoi Wooden Co Ltd label on Postcard (Est \$2500), Lot 617 Tommy Taylor Prohibition Campaign Complete Booklet Rare (Est \$6000), Lot 628 1/- Botha Booklet of 10 (Est \$1500), Lot 631 1915 3d Queens Carnival Patriotic label (Est \$1250), Lot 650 1922 NZ Exhibition London Bookstall label (Est \$1000), Lot 679 1935 Railway Travel Stamps Set (Est \$1500), Lot 697 1940's Hay's Centennial Railway Engines Book Set of 50 labels (Est \$1000) and Lot 725 Hay's 100 Cash Discount stamp (Est \$1000).

In the New Zealand Postal History Section the highlights include Lot 786 1818 The Earliest Recorded Item of Mail in private hands an Outer

Wrapper to the UK (Est \$10,000), Lot 787 1843 Paid at Korarareka Entire (Estate \$2500), Lot 788 1847 Stampless Maori Letter to Rev Colenso (Est \$1000), Lot 792 1866 FFQ 4d Rose & 6d Red Brown Cover (Est \$2500), Lot 815 Queens Carnival Temporary PO Postcard (Est \$1000), Lot 846 1920 First Flight Rawene to Auckland (Est \$1500) and Lot 866 Inwards 1843 Wrapper from UK (Est \$2000).

In World Stamps the highlights include Lot 972 Falkland Islands 1933 5/- Black & Yellow orange Mint (Est \$2500), Lot 998 Great Britain QV 10/- SG 135 Used (Est \$2500) and Lot 1002 1p Machin Part Imperf Sheet of 50 (Est \$3000).

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There are several options for those wishing to view items prior to the auction. Clients can visit our Newmarket Offices **by appointment** anytime until 4pm Thursday April 3. Alternatively all lots will be available at the office as follows:

Friday September 5 10am - 4.00pm Saturday September 6 8.30am - 10.45am Sunday September 7 8.30am - 9.15am

All the very best with your bidding in Public Auction 29.

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IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR THOSE CONSIDERING ATTENDING THE AUCTION:

- The Auctions Start at

Session 1: Saturday September 6, 11.00am sharp

Session 2: September 7, 9.30am sharp

Auckland City Stamps, 1 Ngaire Ave, Newmarket

- Opening Prices for each lot will be available to bidders in the room on the day of the auction.
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