

Lockdales' Online Auction #197 Report: Paper Collectables, 21 April 2021

753 lots offered. Total prices realised: £102,419 (including premium)

Some outstanding results were seen for stamps and stamp collections. The very unusual strip of three embossed brown 10 Pences, estimated at £3000, went for £7800 hammer. Many other classic stamps sold above estimate, and the unsearched collections were the most popular lots of the sale. Among the World stamps the most successful were the Chinese collections, but also some British Commonwealth material such as Jamaica were highly sought-after.

In the Postcard section the most sought-after were perhaps the military silks and RP's. The Cigarette & Trade Card section saw many rare sets achieve good prices including £540 for Churchman Footballers, and £380 for Hill Sports series. In general the American issues sold strongly.

Among the Books & Ephemera sections were offered some early and rare Royalty interest. Up to £260 were paid for 17thC single sheet newspaper proclamations, and £220 for an original ticket to the Coronation Procession of George IV.

Forthcoming auctions include: The Banknote Sale 8-9 May, Coins Medals & Militaria 15-16 May, The Fine Sale 2-3 June (our 200th auction!), and further auctions scheduled including Paper Collectables 17-18 June – consignment open until 7 May. We encourage all sellers to make use of the high demand for collectables at this time.



Lot 39, QV Embossed 10d brown, mounted strip of 3, sold for £7800 hammer.