



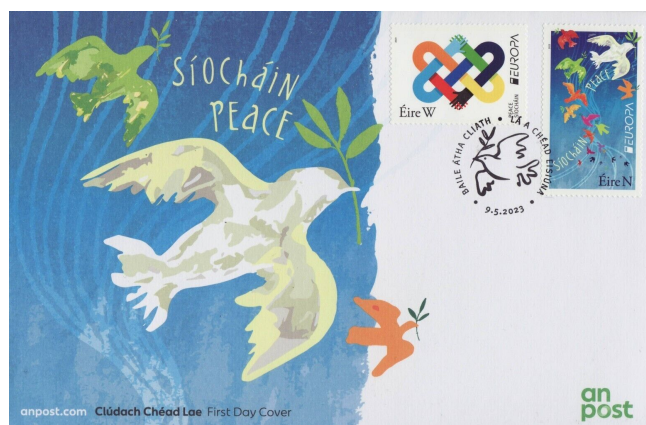
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From The President Robert Benninghoff



Jean and I wish everyone a grand springtime and I hope that we can see some of our members at upcoming stamp shows. I will be at COLOPEX in Columbus Ohio (May 30 to June 1) and at the Great American Stamp Show (GASS) in August (15 to 18). The autumn brings NOJEX in New Jersey in late September and the new BALPEX in late October at the Baltimore-Washington Airport. Let me know if you are attending any of these shows and, perhaps, we can get together for a pint or two.

The Irish Brigade of 8 to 10 Irish and American exhibitors will have 30 frames of material on display at GASS this year. The Brigade typically shows 20 to 25 frames of Irish material at every Stamp Show that I attend in the USA. This is material seldom seen outside of Ireland and changes every year. Most of the Brigade members are EPA members. I will have an update on various exhibit competition results in the summer Revealers

We have two big events coming up in the next two years. The Eire Philatelic Association will be 75 years old next year and we are planning two gatherings to celebrate. One will be at a Stamp show in the USA and the second will be at STAMPA 2025 in Dublin in October. Bill O'Connor has volunteered to be chairman of a distinguished group of fellow members to make plans for EPA 75. Please email Bill with your thoughts about EPA 75 including suggestions for a stamp show venue. Bill's email is waoconnor@aol.com.

The second large event is the USA International Stamp Show in Boston in late May of 2026. My guess is that Boston 2026 will be the last USA International Stamp show. These USA International shows only occur every 10 years and I have not heard of any plans for USA 2036. The EPA is planning to have a table for the 10 Days jointly with the Irish Philatelic Circle (Ireland and England) and the FAI (Germany). We will have several presentations on all aspects of Irish Philately and I hope that we can also organize our Annual General Meeting during the show. We will also have various souvenirs.

More News to Follow in the summer and fall Revealers.

We are all very grateful to Steven, our editor for putting out very interesting Revealers four times a year. The effort of gathering and editing material is no small task. We are very interested in articles from members which can be as simple as a half page on ***"An Interesting Item"*** from your collection. Send the item or items to Steve as a jpeg scan or photograph with your comments or questions. Covers, Stamps, Documents or even photos of Post Offices and Post Boxes will be of interest to our philatelic community.

Thanks again to our Auctioneer, Michael O'Reilly for a stellar effort with the Winter EPA auction and to our members who bid early and often. We are one of a few organizations that receive more than half their funds from the auctions. These monies allow the EPA to keep the dues low and helps pay for the ***four*** Revealers each year. Thanks to John Sharkey, our Secretary and Jean Benninghoff our Treasurer for the many long hours they put in to the EPA to keep our membership and finances current and accurate.

Finally, several of us have been meeting on Skype every Friday evening for the past 4 years. We show a wide range of Irish material and have an open discussion for about 2 hours. There is no formal presentation similar to other organizations. Skype can be downloaded for free and you can find us at *Irish Philately* beginning at 3:00 pm Eastern USA time; Noon on the West Coast and 8:00 pm in Ireland and the UK. Come join us for a most exciting discussion on a broad range of topics and meet and talk with fellow Irish philatelists from around the world. Email: rmercer01@aol.com

Irish Censor Covers of World War II, part 2 (continued)

Bill O'Connor

9. Cover sent from Dublin in 1944 to Hollywood, California, without postage.



This is one of my favorite covers; It is Irish, has a wonderful clear slogan cancel, sent to a famous person, Sonja Henie, the envelope redirected to Fox Studio's, has a note from the British censors indicating they were not responsible for the lack of postage, and the US postal authorities seek trice the amount of normal, postage due. What more can one ask?

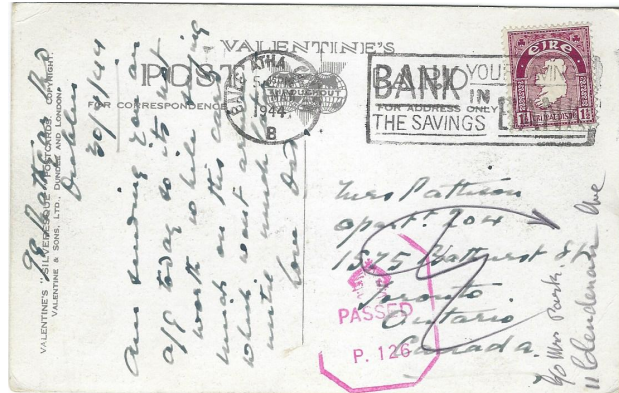
1. Regular correct postage to Switzerland with Irish and English labels seen from the front. On the back of the envelope is a German censor label with hand stamps as well.



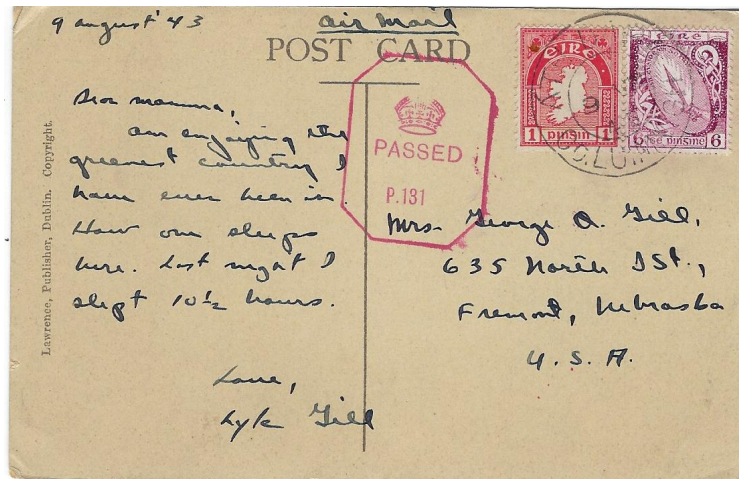
This is the only cover in my collection of Irish censor mail that has German labels and postal marks. No clear date on the envelope, and a hand stamped address is covered by the various markings on the back.

6. Post card rate from Dublin to Canada dated May 1944.

This card shows the Cliff Walk, Brey Head, on the picture side of the card. The eight- sided postal censor mark with the crown and number inside seems to be mostly on cards. I do not see an out going Irish censor mark on the cards in my collection. As cards do not normally have to be opened, then the labels are not needed as one can read the card as is.



7. Another post card but being sent airmail rate; I rarely see the airmail rate cards during this period. The card is the Manor House, Adare, county Limerick, dated August, 1943.



Most of these British eight- sided postal censor marks have a P. before the number. I do have one sent from London to America that has a T. before the number.

8. This cover sent from Nigeria with the P.C. 90 label, the eight-sided censor mark, and the hand stamped indication with the English and Irish language, released by censor. This Irish mark is in green, but other colors are seen.



9. Cover sent from South Africa to a convent in county Westmeath. The censor label to the right is the P.C. 90 from Britain, and the one on the left is the South African dual language label. The Irish mark is faded but it is beneath the stamps and is purple in color.



10. This letter from Bombay to Ballsbridge, Dublin has the Indian Open by Censor label and the stamped passed triangle which one sees often on Indian mail.



What is nice about this cover is the Irish postage due 2p stamp and the indication of the amount indicated below the Indian stamp. This is the only cover sent to Ireland that has the postage due indicated as such in my collection.

11. I have a number of Maritime Mail covers censored during this war. A little different P.C. label is indicated to the left of this cover. This cover has the purple Irish censor mark.



12. The final censor cover, the British Censor P.C. 90 label to the left, in this presentation was posted after the war ended in Europe, but before the war ended in Japan. This treble rate airmail cover from Dublin to Chicago was sent to a famous department store, which is no longer in business.



Another interesting aspect to this cover is the airmail etiquette imprinted on the envelope in French, Irish, and English. The orange and green coloration around the envelope seems to be seen more after the war. This I believe is the oldest cover with the Irish colors around the envelope that I have in my collection. Hopefully this short two-part presentation has stirred some interest in this intriguing part of Irish and world history.

Notes;

I have not listed the various individual numbers associated with the Irish and British censor labels. If any one is interested in this fascinating part of censor mail, I will gladly indicate the number associated with the individual censor for each cover, if possible, shown in this presentation. Some numbers are quite scarce. The Moxter and Verge books listed in the first article of this series will give you more information on this aspect of Irish censored mail.

I used the first edition of the Hibernian specialized catalogue, 1922-1972 for information concerning slogan cancels and Air Mail Etiquette. I still after all these years find this source to be most useful and still relevant today.

"A picture (or two) Paints a Thousand Words"

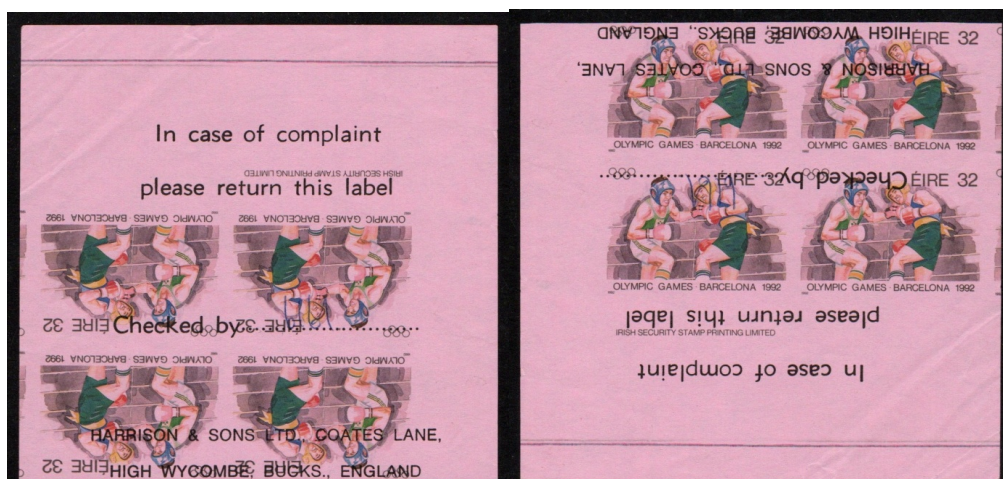
Roy Hamilton-Bowen FRPSL

In all my years working on the Hibernian, I always assumed that the information given out by An Post in their Press Releases was straight-forward and honest. I came across this tidbit recently.

As usual for this period, what we see on all Imprint Blocks is:

Printed by Irish Security Stamp Printing Ltd.

Oh, really?



Irish Provisional Government and Free State Overprints on UK Adhesive Fiscal Stamps* (Part 4)

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Type 4b.

These overprints are similar to Type 4a but, because of the different size and shape of the stamps, the overprint is significantly smaller (Figure 12).



Figure 12. Overprint Type 4b

The registration certificates for the 7s 7d and 8s 8d stamps seem to imply that the *Saorstát Éireann 1922* and 'THIRTEEN CONTRIBUTIONS' overprints were applied from one plate in a single operation. However, there are variations in the spacing between, and alignment of, the two overprints on these stamps (clearly visible in Figure 12) which show that they must have been done separately. The 'THIRTEEN CONTRIBUTIONS' overprint is lower on the stamps, compared with stamps used in the United Kingdom, to leave room for the *Saorstát* overprint.

The *Saorstát* overprints applied to these stamps in 1923 and 1925 were almost certainly done from a single plate since they all have a central interpane margin (*i.e.* on stamps printed before 1924). However, the overprints applied in 1924 were on stamps printed without a central interpane margin, under the 1924 contract, so required a different overprinting plate. At the time of the 1924 contract, the watermark was changed from Booth Type 87-5B (NHI vertically) to Booth Type 87-5C (NHI horizontally) (National Archives. 1911-23).

Type 4c.

The 6d green and 6d red Ireland Petty Sessions stamps are the only key-type UK fiscal stamps which are known to have received the *Saorstát Éireann 1922* overprint (Figure 13). This is similar to that on the Unemployment Insurance stamps, but is of a different size, the figures of '1922' are in a heavier typeface, and the '1' of '1922' is aligned with the left of the 'r' of 'Éireann', whereas on the Unemployment Insurance stamps it is aligned with the centre of the 'r' of 'Éireann'.



Figure 13. Type 4c

Comparison by digital overlay of the Type 4c overprint with that on postage stamps (Cousins Type 9T) indicates that they are identical, and since there are no records of this overprint in the Inland Revenue Archives they may have been printed by Alex. Thom and Co. Ltd. in Dublin, using the plate they used for overprinting postage stamps. It also seems unlikely that the Inland Revenue Stamping Department had a printing plate for this overprint, as no other examples of it on key-type fiscal stamps have been seen. These may have been the only key-type fiscal stamps overprinted in Dublin (but see also below).

Judicature Ireland, Land Commission Ireland and Land Registry of Ireland stamps are recorded with a 'high' overprint, obscuring the king's portrait (Booth, 1990; Barefoot, 2019). Some of these are illustrated (Barefoot, 2019; Gledhill, 2015; Mansfield, 2008).

The existence of 'high' overprints has prompted suggestions that they were applied in Dublin, the position of the overprint being construed as a deliberate defacing of the king's portrait. Fred Dixon (quoted by Booth, 1990) and other authors (Barefoot, 2019; Brady, 1973; Mansfield 2008, Sheffield, c.2015) say that the 'high' *Saorstát Éireann* overprints were applied in Dublin, but provide no evidence for this other than the position of the overprint.

It is clear from the variations in the *Rialtas Sealadaic na hÉireann* overprint on key-type fiscal stamps (Types 2a, 2b, 2c) that the Stamping Department took care to avoid obscuring the king's head where possible, but the *Rialtas Sealadaic na hÉireann* overprint on the Ireland Petty Sessions for Dog Licence stamp (Type 2d) indicates that they were not averse to obscuring the king's portrait if necessary.

There are no 'high' Type 3 *Saorstát Éireann* overprints on shillings stamps in the Inland Revenue Archives, but there are some on pence stamps in List 3 of the archive, which were presumably printed at Somerset House (see above), and for which some dates are known from accompanying annotations (Table 1). These show variations in the position of the overprint (Figure 14; the first three stamps are from the Inland Revenue Archives and the Ireland Petty Sessions stamp is from a private collection).



Figure 12. Overprint Type 4b

The 'high' overprints on these stamps have been carefully compared with the 'normal' overprints on these stamps (as on the 6d stamps in Figure 9), and they are identical. If overprint plates were made for printing in Dublin they are likely to have shown differences. On the other hand, all the overprints known to have been applied in Dublin on postage stamps included the '1922' date, and it seems unlikely that different plates for overprinting fiscal stamps without the '1922' date would have been created in Dublin. Although prepared, the overprinted Income Tax stamps were never used in Ireland, and are unlikely to have been overprinted there.

The Type 4c *Saorstát Éireann* 1922 overprint illustrated in Figure 13 is described as a 'high' overprint (Booth), and a 6d olive-green Ireland Petty Sessions stamp has also been illustrated with this 'high' overprint, as well as a 6d blue-green Ireland Petty Sessions stamp with a 'normal' *Saorstát Éireann* 1922 overprint (Barefoot, 2019). It seems unlikely that the Inland Revenue Stamping Department would have produced (or borrowed) a plate with this overprint just for one stamp, but if it was printed in Ireland, it shows no evidence of wanting to obscure the king's portrait. The variation in the position of these overprints may simply be attributable to variations in positioning the overprint plate on the printing press.

Until further evidence becomes available, overprinting of fiscal stamps in Dublin cannot be assumed. The authors would welcome firm evidence of the overprinting of fiscal stamps being done in Dublin.

Unverified Overprinted Fiscal Stamps

Table 4 lists UK fiscal stamps which have been listed in various catalogues, but of which no examples have been seen by the authors. Some of them almost certainly exist – other values of the same appropriations have been seen – but are probably scarce (Bending, 2022). Some of them may possibly exist, and some almost certainly do not exist.

Table 4. Overprinted Fiscal Stamps Reported But Not Seen

Overprint	Overprint on:	Reported variously by:
Rialtas	Contract Note 2s (EVII) County Courts Ireland £2 10s Foreign Bill 15s Income Tax 1d, 2d, 3d, 6d, 1s, 2s, 3s, 4s, 5s, 10s	Barefoot, Brady Booth Barefoot Barefoot (note)
Saorstát † appropriation in black	Contract Note 2s (EVII), 3s, 4s, 4s (EVII), 6s, 6s (EVII) County Courts Ireland 1d, 2d†, 6d†, 1s†, 1s 6d, 10s Foreign Bill 1s Ireland Petty Sessions for Dog Licence 6d green Ireland Public Records 1s Land Commission Ireland 2d Land Registry of Ireland 3d, 4d, 2s Records Ireland 6d, 5s, 10s	Booth, Barefoot, Brady Booth, Barefoot, Brady Barefoot, Brady Barefoot, Brady Barefoot, Brady Barefoot, Brady Barefoot, Brady Brady
Saorstát 1922	Ireland Petty Sessions 6d grey-olive National Health Insurance 5d, 1s 7d Unemployment Insurance 9d	Booth Booth, Barefoot Brady

The authors would appreciate receiving reports (with scans, via the Editor of *THE LONDON PHILATELIST*) of any of these stamps. However, it is unlikely that any further reports will invalidate any of the conclusions drawn from the stamps reported in this study – they will have received the same overprints as the known stamps.

Summary

Table 5 summarises the information in Tables 1 and 2 to show which fiscal stamps received which overprints. It shows that (as far as been ascertained) Land Commission Ireland and Income Tax stamps did not receive *Rialtas* overprints, and Bankruptcy, Civil Service, Companies Registration, Dog License, Foreign Bill, Ireland Petty Sessions for Dog Licence, Official Arbitration (Land) did not receive *Saorstát* overprints (although some of these are mentioned in some listings– see Table 4).

Table 5. Checklist of Irish Overprints on Fiscal Stamps

Appropriation	Overprint	Values Overprinted
Bankruptcy	<i>Rialtas</i>	5s, 10s, £1, £5
Civil Service	<i>Rialtas</i>	1s, 1s 6d, 2s 6d, 5s, 10s, £1, £5
Companies Registration	<i>Rialtas</i>	4d, 1s, 5s, £1
Contract Note	<i>Rialtas</i>	3d, 6d, 1s, 2s, 3s (EVII), 3s, 4s, 5s, 6s, 8s, 10s, £1
	<i>Saorstát</i>	6d, 1s, 2s (EVII), 2s, 3s (EVII)
County Courts Ireland	<i>Rialtas</i>	1d, 2d, 3d, 6d, 1s, 1s 6d, 2s, 2s 6d, 5s, 10s, £1
	<i>Saorstát</i>	2d, 3d, 6d, 1s, 2s, 2s 6d, 5s, £1
Dog License	<i>Rialtas</i>	4s
Estate Duty	<i>Rialtas</i>	£1 10s, £2 10s
	<i>Saorstát</i>	£1 10s, £2 10s
Excise Revenue	<i>Rialtas 1922</i>	½d, 1d, 1½d, 2d, 3d, 4d, 6d, 9d, 1s, 1s 6d, 2s, 3s, 4s, 5s, 8s, 10s
	<i>Saorstát</i>	1d, 2d, 3d, 4d, 6d
Foreign Bill	<i>Rialtas</i>	1d, 2d, 3d, 6d, 9d, 1s, 2s, 3s, 4s, 5s, 10s, £1, £5
Income Tax	<i>Saorstát</i>	1d, 2d, 3d, 6d, 1s, 2s, 3s, 4s, 5s, 10s
Ireland Petty Sessions	<i>Rialtas</i>	6d red, 6d green, 2s 6d
	<i>Saorstát</i>	6d red, 6d green, 2s 6d (EVII)
	<i>Saorstát 1922</i>	6d red, 6d green
Ireland Petty Sessions for Dog Licence	<i>Rialtas</i>	6d green
Ireland Registration of Deeds	<i>Rialtas</i>	2s 6d, 10s
	<i>Saorstát</i>	3d, 6d, 1s, 2s, 2s 6d, 10s, £1

Judicature Ireland	<i>Rialtas</i>	1d, 3d, 4d, 6d, 1s, 1s 6d, 2s, 2s 6d, 5s, 10s, £1, £5
	<i>Saorstát</i>	1d, 3d, 4d, 6d, 1s, 1s 6d, 2s, 2s 6d, 5s, 10s, £1 £5
Land Commission Ireland	<i>Saorstát</i>	2d (EVII), 3d, 6d, 1s, 2s, 5s
Land Registry of Ireland	<i>Rialtas</i>	3d, 4d, 6d, 1s, 2s 6d, 5s, 10s, £1
	<i>Saorstát</i>	6d, 1s, 2s 6d, 5s, 10s, £1
National Health Insurance	<i>Rialtas</i>	4d, 7d, 8d, 1s, 5s 10d, 6s 8d, 7s 7d, 8s 8d
	<i>Saorstát 1922</i>	4d, 7d, 8d, 6s 8d, 7s 7d, 8s 8d
Official Arbitration (Land)	<i>Rialtas</i>	£1
Records Ireland	<i>Rialtas</i>	3d, 6d, 1s, 5s, 10s, £1
	<i>Saorstát</i>	£1
Unemployment Insurance	<i>Rialtas</i>	4½d, 5d, 8d, 8½d, 9½d, 10d, 1s 3d, 1s 7d
	<i>Saorstát 1922</i>	8d, 8½d, 9½d, 10d red, 10d green, 1s 3d, 1s 7d, 3s 2d, 6s 4d, 10s, 10s 3½d, 12s 8d, 16s 3d, 20s 7d

Based on the available evidence, there are thirteen different settings of the Irish Provisional and Free State overprints on United Kingdom fiscal stamps (one Type 1, eight Type 2, one Type 3 and three Type 4). With three different plates required for the Type 1 overprint on different sheet formats of the Excise Revenue stamps, five different printing plates required for the Type 2h overprints on the Unemployment Insurance stamps, four different printing plates required for the Type 3 overprints on different sheet formats, and two different printing plates required for the Type 4a overprint on the National Health Insurance and for the Type 4b overprint on the Unemployment Insurance, at least twenty-four different printing plates were required.

Irish designs for Excise Revenue stamps and the key-type fiscal stamps were being prepared in 1923 and 1924 respectively (Collins, 1988), and gradually replaced the use of UK fiscal stamps from 1925. UK Unemployment Insurance stamps were replaced by Irish designs from 1926, and UK National Health Insurance stamps were replaced by Irish designs from 1929 (Booth, 1990).

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Dear Editor,



I have attached an image of two John Redmond labels. The larger one on the left is easy to identify and is listed as L31 in the 2020 Hibernian Catalogue, 1914 Home Rule.

The one on the right, the smaller, however, is interrupting my sleep. It looks like a copy of L31, but it is much smaller, 44mm x 29 mm in size. The image is 38mm x 25.5mm. It was in a lot I purchased from the late great Barney Clancy's collection.

I would appreciate it if anyone could give me information about this label.

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The Story of Mary Aikenhead and the Irish Stamps (Part 3)

Liam Malone and Willie Mackle with assistance from Iben Olsen

It's Not Just About the Stamps

This overly brief overview of her sainted life doesn't reveal enough just how religious and devoted to Christ she was. Intertwined is her constant struggle to care for those who have little to nothing. So much more could be written, but I think the best way to end is by telling you that in recognition of her work and holy life on March 18, 2015, Pope Francis declared Mary "Venerable." Although there are many acts that lead to this declaration maybe none are more telling than her ability to trust in God that she and her Sisters would always find the means to serve the poor.

Apart from educating all of us on this commemorative issue from Oifig an Phoist, Liam's other objective of drawing your attention to Mother Mary rests on the Association sending a letter of support to sainthood and allowing any member to sign it electronically. The letter would be an Adobe pdf and I will create it and work with the author of the letter, and coordinate the process and flow of work to getting our leadership to approve it if we agree on the text. I will also offer to coordinate obtaining signatures from members. I invite anyone to assist me. Remember this article has been written jointly so cooperation amongst members is good and we should think about it more.

This is this recent idea among businesses and human resources professionals of inclusion. In addition to your valued continual membership, we strive to get members involved. Signing this letter takes a small investment of time, but our combined friendly voices should generate attention at the Vatican.

Of Course, We All Have Flaws

So, we would like to exhibit some of the varieties of the MMA stamps that have been found over the years. In order to present this part of the research, we called upon Iben Olson who provided the images to guide us through the discourse. The Hibernian 2020 Handbook and Catalog of the Postage Stamps of Ireland, perhaps the bible of Irish philately, lists just 3 varieties of the 3d issue, C61 a, b & c and just one for the 1/3 issue, C62a. However, Iben's remarkable research and eye-sight have revealed many varieties/flaws.

To recap:

The stamp is of a design of a portrait by N.J.Crowley. The Watermark is "e". It is recess printed by Waterlow and Sons. Sheet format, 240 in two panes of 120 (12x10) with horizontal gutter margins.

Catalogue Hibernian Handbook: 3 d. C 61 and 1/3 sh. C62.

Below follow the varieties, errors and flaws which Iben has collected over the years:

C61a—the dot on the cross variety at position, row 12, the 11th stamp from the left, 12/11 is relatively easy to spot. But more interesting treasures await the reader below.



1. C61a Positions
block with dot in
cross R 12/11



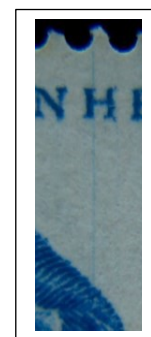
2. Additional examples of the C62 varieties listed in the Hibernian. C61a dot on cross – R12/11



3. C61a a dot in cross, but weaker print – R12/11



4. This stamp shows two of the listed varieties. C61b reentry incl. C61c hairline through H-R 2/4



#5 C61b reentry R2/4



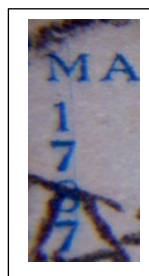
6. Again we have an example with two of the known varieties. C61b reentry R2/4 including a C61c hairline at the SE corner.



7a. C61c Hairline through H (left)



7b. C61c Hairline through R (left)



7c C61c Hairline through E (right) and M (left)

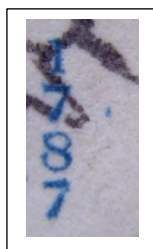
The next images are from Iben's collection and show varieties that are not listed or are previously unknown.



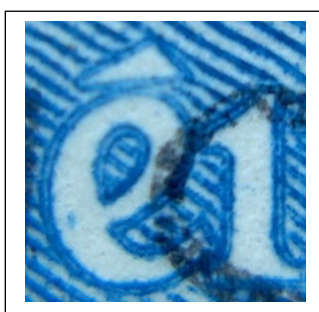
8. C61 reentry/retouch in Mary Aikenhead (unknown)



9. Reentry/retouch in NHEAD/1858 (unknown). See as well C62, image #18.



10. Highlights the C61 variety, blue dot on the right of 7 (of 1787) (unknown)



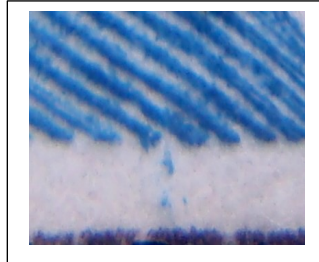
11. C61 blue dot in first E of Eire (unknown)



12. C61 with a blue line in I of Eire (unknown reentry?)



13. C61 reentry/retouch bottom (unknown)



14. C61 3 blue dots – reentry/retouch – bottom between EIRE and 3P (unknown)

To be continued



From the Editor to EPA Members

This cover was (July 21, 2023) part of an emailed advertisement from Mr. Padraig O Shea of Raven Stamps (www.ravenstamps.com).

I am wondering if members can help the editor in identifying and explaining the label on the cover; and the meaning/purpose of handstamp about imitation typewriting?

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The Irish Custom House along the River Liffey in Dublin

Robert Benninghoff

This article was inspired by the recent An Post issue commemorating the Bicentenary of the Death of James Gandon who was the architect for the Custom House in Dublin (see Figures 1 and 2). James Gandon is also well known for his work on the Four Courts, Carlisle Bridge (O'Connell Bridge) and extensions to the Irish Parliament (now the Bank of Ireland) (1). The Post Office also issued two booklets with the Custom House on the front cover – June 1985 and March 1988 (Figures 3 and 4) with a 52c stamp issued in 1991. The Custom House visitor center was recently opened to the public for both guided and self-guided tours with brochures in several languages (See Figure 5).

The Custom House is located on the north shore of the Liffey River near Beresford Square and the Central Bus Station and separates the Historic Section to the west from the new Financial District to the east. The Custom House was started in 1781 and finished in 1791 and is one of the most iconic buildings in Ireland. Unfortunately, it was largely destroyed by the IRA in 1921 during the period of revolution in Ireland, that also destroyed the General Post Office and the Four Courts (Figure 6).

The Custom House was controversial from its beginning, viewed by Irish Nationalists as representing the King's Dominance of Ireland through Taxation (something the Americans had successfully protested only a few years earlier). The site was also unpopular with the Dublin Corporation and city merchants because it was being built on swamp land with little infrastructure for shipping and a good distance from the financial center to the west. James Gandon was hired in 1781 by John Beresford (The Irish Revenue Commissioner) to assume complete control of the project. The fact that Beresford owned the land around the site was not lost on the various merchants, who finally decided to support the construction rather fight with the tax commissioner. The building was built in the typical neoclassical style found in Dublin in the 18th century and was based on Palladian Architecture and took 10 years to complete at a huge cost of over £200,000. The Four Courts was designed in a similar style by Gandon during the 1780s (Figure 7).

Dublin during the 1700s had grown to be the fifth largest city in Europe, with its own Parliament and financial centers trading with all parts of the British Empire. The failed 1798 rebellion resulted in the 1800 Act of Union creating the Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland with a single Parliament in London and the closure of the Irish Parliament. Dublin began a decline with both politicians and merchants moving to London. The demand for impressive buildings in Dublin also declined and Dublin would not see its own Parliament again until 1919.

In 1921, Eamon de Valera, as President of Sinn Féin, was looking to send a strong message to London and grab world attention for the Struggle for Irish Independence. He ordered Michael Collins and the IRA's Dublin Brigade to attack and destroy the Custom House which held several branches of Government including records of the Inland Revenue, Estate Registrations, Income Tax, Stock Exchange Company Registers and many local government records. The attack was set for lunch time on 25 May 1921 and would involve over 100 IRA men and women, the bulk of the Irish Republican forces in Dublin. The result has been viewed with a mix of opinions. One of Dublin's most important buildings was burned and destroyed along with most records and historical papers. Nine people were killed and over 100 IRA members captured. The IRA was soon viewed by much of the world as a terrorist organization. *However*, soon after the attack, the British Government asked Sinn Féin and the IRA for a truce which went into effect seven weeks later on 11 July 1921. Peace Treaty negotiations started in the summer and resulted the Anglo-Irish Peace Treaty signed on 6 December 1921.



Fig. 1: Sheet of 8 stamps issued on 9 Nov 2023 to mark the Bicentennial of James Gandon's Death. The upper 4 stamps show the Custom House & the lower 4, Carriglass Manor one of his lesser works

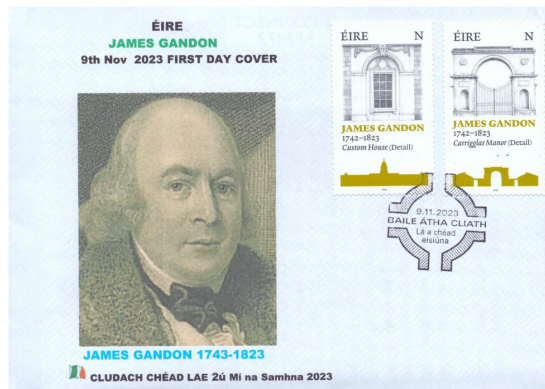


Fig. 2: FDC prepared by Paddy Lineen. Cachet shows a portrait of James Gandan 1743- 1823. The two N stamps cancelled by the General Post Office

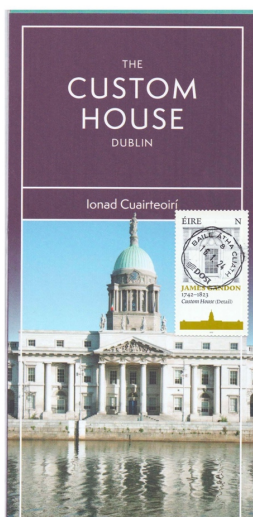


Fig 5: Custom House Brochure with a Custom House stamp cancelled at the GPO 16 Jan 2024. The visitor's center was opened in Nov. 2022



Fig. 3: Booklet issued 27 June 1985 showing Custom House on the front cover

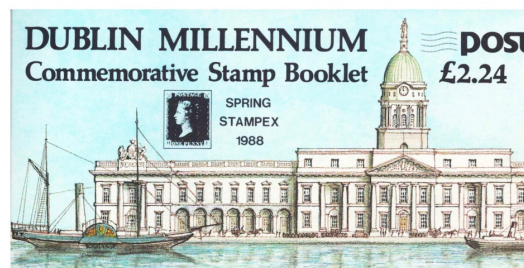


Fig 4: Booklet issued March 1 1988 showing Custom House on front cover. The Booklet was overprinted for Spring STAMPEX and several other 1988 shows.



Fig 6: Small Brochure from National Archives represents the **buildings burned** during the 1916 to 1922 revolutionary period in Ireland. James Gandon Stamp was cancelled at GPO during my January 2024 trip



Fig. 7: 1988 Dublin Millenium Booklet shows James Gandon's Four Courts on left (back) & Custom House on right (front) illustrating the neoclassical style of 18th century Dublin

Reconstruction

The new Irish Free State was faced with financing the rebuilding of The General Post Office, The Four Courts and The Custom House. In 1923 the Office of Public Works appointed Thomas Byrne as Principal Architect for the restoration of the three building but with instructions to use Irish materials when possible. Restoration of the Custom House almost never started because of the lack of funds and the widely held view that the building was a symbol of British Imperialism in Ireland. However, work did begin in 1926, continuing somewhat piecemeal for the next four years because of material shortages scope of work issues and funding. Finally reopening in 1930, the rebuilt Custom House did not include the Long Room in the center of the building which was completely destroyed in 1921 (Figure 8). This room had been the center of commerce for merchants, ships owners and customs' officials. Most of James Gandan figures and designs were restored, however, the materials used was Ardbraccan limestone rather than the original English Portland Stone. This resulted in a different colour to the building which was most noticeable in the restored dome (cupola) rising over the front of the building (Figure 9)

(1) End Note

James Gandan was born in London on 20 February 1742 and he was educated at Shipley's Drawing Academy where he studied the classics, mathematics arts and architecture. His first job was in the office of Sir William Chambers where the focus was on neoclassical and Palladian architecture and these concepts were adopted by Gandan as he built his own career after leaving Chambers in 1765. In 1769, James Gandan came to the attention of several prominent Dublin politicians (including John Beresford), when his design for the Dublin Royal Exchange came in second.

Gandan's works are also found in other parts of Ireland including the front gate houses and wall of Carrigglas Manor in Longford, featured on the recent An Post issue, and Emo Court in County Laois featured in the Cachet of the An Post First Day Cover (Figure 10). I asked Anne O'Neill in An Post what was involved with the design of the two James Gandan stamps and she replied:

"An Post consulted with Irish architectural expert and historian, Edward McParland, who advised on the selection of projects on which Gandon had worked. The artist, Dorothy Smith, opted to feature details of two buildings on the stamps, Carriglass Manor, County Longford and the Custom House in Dublin City. The First Day Cover features architectural drawings of Emo House in County Laois." (Figure 10).

James Gandan remains one of the prominent architects of Dublin with two of his most iconic building surviving the Irish Wars of Independence.

Final Note: This article is based on the information found on the panels in the public area of the Custom House and with much gratitude for the help and assistance of Brian Warren who prepared and cancelled several postcards from photographs that I sent him. I am also grateful to Paddy Lineen who sent me several covers for review, two which are shown in this article. Finally, I am grateful to Anne O'Neill for her information concerning the design of the James Gandan stamps.



Front and Back of a small Custom House Brochure. This brochure and the one in Figure 6 measure 8 cm x 14.5 cm and are found in Hotels around Dublin.

The Custom House stamp cancelled at Erne Street Post Office on 15 Jan 2024 -- the PO closest to the Custom House

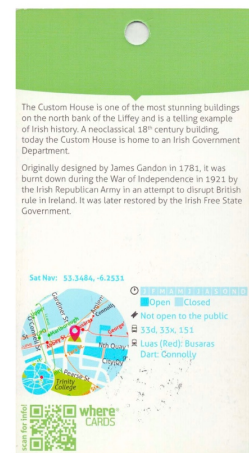




Fig.8: The Photo (right) from May 1921 shows Custom House Burning.

The photo on left shows a silk screen reproduction of the **Long Room** destroyed by the fire. The Silk Screen is part of the Visitor Center History Display

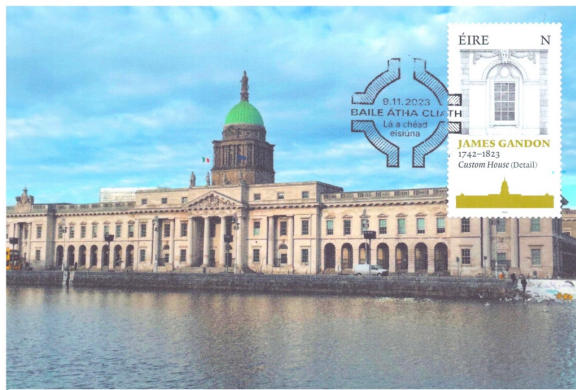


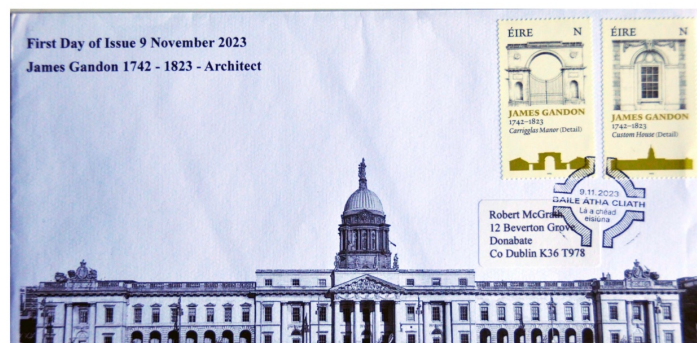
Fig. 9: Shows two postcards with First Day Cancels of the Custom House Stamp. The cards were prepared by Brian Warren from my photographs. The card on left shows Custom House in January 2024 and the card on the right is from a painting done in late 1790s. *Note the difference in colour of the domes (cupola).* The Irish Limestone is much darker than the original red English stone.



Fig 10: An Post First Day Cover and cancel of 9 November 2023. The Cachet on lower left shows Emo house in County Laois designed by Gandan in 1790 -1796 for the Earl of Portarlington. The FDC was subsequently cancelled by Paddy Lineen at Achill on 16 Jan 2024

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2	2	T2	MNH	1922 1d Scarlet, Dollard 5-line overprint in Black ink, Block of 6, vf. MNH	€30.00	\$8.00
3	3	T3	MNH	1922 2½d Ultramarine, Dollard 5-line overprint in Black ink, Block of 4, vf. MNH	€54.00	\$13.00
4	5	T5	MNH	1922 4d Grey-Green, Dollard 5-line overprint in Black ink, Block of 4, vf. MNH	€40.00	\$10.00
5	9	T9	MNH	1922 2½d Blue, Dollard 5-line overprint in Red ink, Block of 4, vf. MNH	€22.00	\$8.00
6	12	T12	MNH	1922 2s 6d Choc.-Brown, Dollard 5-line overprint in Black ink, Single, vf. MNH	€160.00	\$45.00
7	13	T13	MNH	1922 5s Rose Red, Dollard 5-line overprint in Black ink, Single, vf. MNH	€180.00	\$65.00
8	14	T14	MNH	1922 10s Grey-Blue, Dollard 5-line overprint in Black ink, Single, vf. MNH	€475.00	\$150.00
9	15-18	T15 - T19	Used	1922 Thom 5-Line Ovpt in Black, 1½d, 2d (Die I), 2d (Die II), 6d, 1s	€52.25	\$13.00
10	17	T18	Used	1922 6d, Thom Black overprint	€27.50	\$3.00
11	19	T20 / TJ1	MNH	1922 ½d Green, Horizontal Coil Pair with Paper join, Overprint by Harrison in glossy black ink, vf, MNH	€12.00	\$4.00
12	20	T21 / TJ3	MNH	1922 1d Scarlet, Horizontal Coil Pair with Paper join, Overprint by Harrison in glossy black ink, vf, MNH	€15.00	\$4.50
13	21	T22 / TJ5	MNH	1922 1½d Red-Brown, Horizontal Coil Pair with Paper join, Overprint by Harrison in glossy black ink, vf, MNH	€20.00	\$5.00
14	22	T23 / TJ7	MNH	1922 2d Orange (Die I), Horizontal Coil Pair with Paper join, Overprint by Harrison in glossy black ink, vf, MNH	€100.00	\$22.00
15	22a	T24/ TJ10	MNH	1922 2d Orange (Die II), Vertical Coil Pair with Paper join, Overprint by Harrison in glossy black ink, vf, MNH	€120.00	\$25.00
16	23	T25	MNH	1922 ½d Green Thom. overprint in shiny Blue-Black ink, strip of 4 with gutters, vf. MNH	€20.00	\$5.00
17	24	T26	MNH	1922 1d Scarlet Thom. overprint in shiny Blue-Black ink, Block of 4, vf. MNH	€8.00	\$2.00
18	26b	T28	Used	1922 2d Orange (Die I) Thom. overprint in shiny Blue-Black ink, single, used	€3.75	\$5.00
19	26b	T28	MNH	1922 2d Orange (Die I) Thom. overprint in shiny Blue-Black ink, Block of 4, vf. MNH	€200.00	\$40.00
20	26	T29	MNH	1922 2d Orange (Die II), Thom. overprint in shiny Blue-Black ink, Block of 6, vf. MNH	€30.00	\$9.00
21	37	T40	MNH	1922 5s Pale Rose-Red, Thom. 4-line overprint in shiny Blue-Black ink, single, vf. MNH	€570.00	\$165.00
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25	40	T43	MNH	1922 1d Scarlet Thom. overprint, Wide Setting, Block of 4, vf. MNH	€20.00	\$6.00
26	44	T47	MNH	1922 - 1923 ½d Green Thom. 3 line Overprint in shiny Blue-Black ink, Block of 6 with gutters, vf. MNH	€12.00	\$4.00
27	45	T48	MNH	1922 - 1923 1d Scarlet Thom. 3 line Overprint in shiny Blue-Black ink, Block of 6 with gutters, vf. MNH	€12.00	\$4.00
28	46	T49	MNH	1922-1923 1½d Red-Brown Thom 3 line Overprint in red, Block of 4, vf. MNH	€24.00	\$7.00
29	48	T51	MNH	1922-1923 2½d Bright Blue Thom 3 line Overprint in red, Block of 4, vf. MNH	€24.00	\$7.00
30	48	T51	MNH	1922-1923 2½d Bright Blue Thom 3 line Overprint in red, single, vf. MNH	€6.00	\$2.00
31	56	T59	Mint	1922-1923 2s 6d Choc.-Brown Thom 3 line Overprint in shiny blue-black ink, single, vf. Mint	€45.00	\$15.00
32	57	T60	Mint	1922-1923 5s Rose Red Thom 3 line Overprint in shiny blue-black ink, single, vf. Mint	€95.00	\$25.00

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35	59a	T62a	MNH	1923 ½d Green, 3-line overprint by Harrison in glossy black ink, with long "1" in 1922, vf, MNH	€28.00	\$5.00
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37	60	T63	MNH	1923 1d Scarlet, Horizontal Coil Pair, 3-line overprint by Harrison in glossy black ink, vf, MNH	€30.00	\$4.00
38	62	T65 / TJ18	MNH	1923 2d Orange (Die II), Horizontal Coil Pair, 3-line overprint by Harrison in glossy black ink, vf, MNH	€12.00	\$3.00
39	62a	T65a	Mint	1923 2d Orange (Die II), Horizontal Coil, 3-line overprint by Harrison in glossy black ink, with long "1" in 1922, vf, Mint	€15.00	\$4.00
40	77	T66	Mint	1925 2s 6d Choc-Brown 3 line Overprint in Narrow Setting, single, vf. Mint	€45.00	\$15.00
41	78	T67	Mint	1925 5s Rose-Red 3 line Overprint in Narrow Setting, single, vf. Mint	€70.00	\$25.00
42	79	T68	Mint -LH	1925 10/- gray blue 3-Line Ovpt (Narrow Setting) in Black, f-vf, light hinge	€225.00	\$45.00
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44	79a	T71v	Mint	1927 10/- Castle Composite with wide & narrow 1922 printing, gray blue vertical pair. Minor hinge impression on both; original gum, f-vf (Hib. Cat T71v)	€1,700.00	\$650.00
45	93	T75	Mint	1935 2s 6d Choc-Brown 3 line Overprint in Black on British Waterlow re-engraved printings, single, vf. Mint	€60.00	\$15.00
46	94	T76	Mint	1935 5s Red 3 line Overprint in Black on British Waterlow re-engraved printings, single, vf. Mint	€175.00	\$50.00
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47	1a	T1a	Mint	1922 ½d Green Dollard Rialtas 5-line overprint, with "Overprint Inverted" error. Unused mint with large part original gum. AIEP (MacDonnell) Cert# 46656 dated 2023/11/22	€450.00	\$150.00
48	2a	T2b	Mint	1922 1d Green Dollard Rialtas 5-line overprint, with "Overprint Inverted" error. Unused mint with large part original gum. AIEP (MacDonnell) Cert# 46653 dated 2023/11/22	€300.00	\$100.00
49	16a	T16b	Mint	1922 2d Orange Die I Dollard Rialtas 5-line overprint, with "Overprint Inverted" error. Unused mint with original gum. AIEP (MacDonnell) Cert# 46651 dated 2023/11/22	€375.00	\$125.00
50	16c	T17b	Mint	1922 2d Orange Die I Dollard Rialtas 5-line overprint, with "Overprint Inverted" error. Unused mint with large part original gum. AIEP (MacDonnell) Cert# 46649 dated 2023/11/22	€200.00	\$65.00
Overprint Issues - Controls						
51	1	TC1	MNH	1922 ½d Green, Dollard 5-Line Ovpt in Black, CONTROL, control single, Hib: R21 imperf. (TC1), vf, MNH - Hib: Cat. €70.00	€70.00	\$17.00
52	1	TC2	Mint	1922 ½d Green, Dollard 5-Line Ovpt in Black, CONTROL, control single, Hib: R21 perf. (TC2), vf, Hib: Cat. €4.00	€4.00	\$1.00
53	2	TC9	Mint	1922 1d Scarlet, Dollard 5-Line Ovpt in Black, CONTROL, control single, Hib: S22 imperf. (TC9), vf, Mint - Hib: Cat. €4.00	€4.00	\$1.00
54	2	TC10	MNH	1922 1d Scarlet, Dollard 5-Line Ovpt in Black, CONTROL, control single, Hib: S22 perf. (TC10), vf, MNH	€7.00	\$2.00
55	2	TC14	MNH	1922 1d Scarlet, Dollard 5-Line Ovpt in Black, CONTROL, control strip of 3, Hib: S21 perf. (TC14), vf, MNH	€16.00	\$3.00
56	4	TC20	MNH	1922 4d Grey-Green, Dollard 5-Line Ovpt in Black, CONTROL, control single, Hib: R21 imperf. (TC20), v11 variety, vf, MNH - Hib: Cat. €300.00 for non-variety version	€300.00	\$75.00
57	4	TC21	MNH	1922 4d Grey-Green, Dollard 5-Line Ovpt in Black, CONTROL, control single, Hib: S21 imperf. (TC21), vf, MNH - Hib: Cat. €18.00	€18.00	\$4.00
58	6	TC25	MNH	1922 5d Yellow-Brown, Dollard 5-Line Ovpt in Black, CONTROL, control single, Hib: S21 imperf. (TC25), vf, MNH - Hib: Cat. €50.00	€50.00	\$7.00
59	9	TC37	Mint	1922 2½d Ultramarine, Dollard 5-Line Ovpt in Red, CONTROL, control single, Hib: S21 Imperf. (TC37), vf, Mint - Hib: Cat. €30.00	€30.00	\$3.00
60	10	TC39	MNH	1922 4d Grey-Green, Dollard 5-Line Ovpt in Red, CONTROL, control single, Hib: R21 imperf. (TC39), vf, MNH - Hib: Cat. €30.00	€30.00	\$4.00
61	15	TC50	Mint	1922 1½d Red-Brown, Thomas 5-Line Ovpt in Black, CONTROL, control single, Hib: Q20 perf. (TC50), vf, Mint - Hib: Cat. €8.00	€8.00	\$2.00
62	15	TC52	MNH	1922 1½d Red-Brown, Thomas 5-Line Ovpt in Black, CONTROL, control single, Hib: Q21 perf. (TC52), vf, MNH	€12.00	\$2.00
63	16	TC57	MNH	1922 2d Orange (Die 2), Thomas 5-Line Ovpt in Blue-Black, CONTROL, control single, Hib: S22 imperf. (TC57), vf, MNH - Hib: Cat. €20.00	€20.00	\$5.00
64	16	TC58	MNH	1922 2d Orange (Die 2), Thomas 5-Line Ovpt in Blue-Black, CONTROL, control single, Hib: S22 perf. (TC58), vf, MNH - Hib: Cat. €12.00	€12.00	\$3.00
65	17	TC59	MNH	1922 6d Purple, Thomas 5-Line Ovpt in Blue-Black, CONTROL, control single, Hib: S21 imperf. (TC59), vf, MNH - Hib: Cat. €25.00	€25.00	\$6.00
66	18	TC62	MNH	1922 1s Bistre-Brown, Thomas 5-Line Ovpt in Blue-Black, CONTROL, control single, Hib: R21 perf. (TC62), vf, MNH - Hib: Cat. €200.00	€200.00	\$50.00
67	18	TC63	Mint	1922 1s Bistre-Brown, Thomas 5-Line Ovpt in Blue-Black, CONTROL, control single, Hib: S21 imperf. (TC63), vf, Mint - Hib: Cat. €60.00	€60.00	\$6.00
68	18	TC65	Mint	1922 1s Bistre-Brown, Thomas 5-Line Ovpt in Blue-Black, CONTROL, control single, Hib: S22 imperf. (TC65), vf, Mint - Hib: Cat. €45.00	€45.00	\$5.00
69	23	TC73	Mint	1922 ½d Green, Thom 5-Line Ovpt in Blue-Black, CONTROL, control single, Hib: T22 perf. (TC73), vf, Mint - Hib: Cat. €10.00	€10.00	\$1.00

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Overprint Issues - Controls (cont'd)						
70	24	TC75	MNH	1922 1d Scarlet, Thom 5-Line Ovpt in Blue-Black, CONTROL, control single, Hib: S22 perf. (TC75), vf, MNH - Hib: Cat. €45.00	€45.00	\$11.00
71	24	TC76	MNH	1922 1d Scarlet, Thom 5-Line Ovpt in Blue-Black, CONTROL, control block of 2, Hib: T22 imperf. (TC76), vf, MNH	€7.00	\$2.00
72	24	TC77	MNH	1922 1d Scarlet, Thom 5-Line Ovpt in Blue-Black, CONTROL, control block of 2, Hib: T22 perf. (TC77), vf, MNH	€15.00	\$4.00
73	25	TC79	Mint	1922 1½d Thom 5-Line Ovpt in Blue-Black CONTROL, control single, Hib: T22 Perf Ovpt Control (TC79) (This stamp has a small thin)	€60.00	\$3.00
74	26b	TC 81	MHR	1922 2d Orange Die 1, Thomas 5-Line Ovpt in Blue-Black, CONTROL, control single, Hib: S22 perf. (TC81), vf, MNH	€50.00	\$2.00
75	26b	TC82	MNH	1922 2d Orange Die 1, Thomas 5-Line Ovpt in Blue-Black, CONTROL, control single, Hib: T22 imperf. (TC82), vf, MNH - Hib: Cat. €45.00	€45.00	\$11.00
76	26	TC86	Mint	1922 2d Orange Die 2, Thomas 5-Line Ovpt in Blue-Black, CONTROL, control single, Hib: T22 imperf. (TC86), vf, Mint, Hinge remanent	€12.00	\$1.00
77	26	TC87	MNH	1922 2d Orange Die 2, Thomas 5-Line Ovpt in Blue-Black, CONTROL, control single, Hib: T22 perf. (TC87), vf, MNH - Hib: Cat. €10.00	€10.00	\$2.00
78	27	TC88	MNH	1922 2½d Ultramarine, Thomas 5-Line Ovpt in Red, CONTROL, control single, Hib: T22 imperf. (TC88), vf, MNH - Hib: Cat. €150.00	€150.00	\$37.00
79	34	TC103	Mint	1922 10d Turquoise Blue, Thomas 5-Line Ovpt in Blue-Black, CONTROL, control single, Hib: S22 perf. (TC103), vf, Mint - Hib: Cat. €120.00	€120.00	\$15.00
80	39	TC110	MHR	1922 ½d Green, Thom 5-Line Ovpt in Blue-Black (wider setting), CONTROL, control -corner block of 4, Hib: U22 imperf. (TC110), vf, MNH - Hib: Cat. €10.00	€10.00	\$2.00
81	42	TC117	MNH	1922 2d Orange (Die 11), Thom 5-Line Ovpt in Blue-Black (wider setting), CONTROL, control strip of 3, Hib: T22 imperf. (TC117), vf, MNH	€375.00	\$125.00
82	15	TC125	MNH	1922 1½d Red-Brown, Thomas 5-Line Rialtas T15 Proof overprint in Black, PROOF CONTROL, control strip of 3, Hib: T22, perf. Vf, MNH (VERY RARE)	€600.00	\$200.00
83	44	TC135	MHR	1922-23 ½d Green, Thom 3-Line Ovpt in Blue-Black, CONTROL, control block of 2, Hib: U22 imperf. (TC135), vf, Mint	€4.00	\$1.00
84	44	TC136	MNH	1922-23 ½d Green, Thom 3-Line Ovpt in Blue-Black, CONTROL, control block of 3, Hib: U22 perf. (TC136), vf, MNH	€4.60	\$1.00
85	45	TC139	Mint	1922-23 1d Scarlet, Thom 3-Line Ovpt in Blue-Black, CONTROL, control single, Hib: T22 imperf. (TC139), vf, Mint - Hib: Cat. €3.00	€3.00	\$1.00
86	45	TC140	MNH	1922-23 1d Thom 3-Line Ovpt in Black CONTROL, control single, Hib: T22 Perf Ovpt Control (TC140), vf, MNH	€3.00	\$1.00
87	45	TC144	Mint	1922-23 1d Scarlet, Thom 3-Line Ovpt in Blue-Black, CONTROL, control single, Hib: U23 perf. (TC144), vf, Mint - Hib: Cat. €100.00	€100.00	\$12.00
88	47	TC149	Mint	1922-23 2d Thom 3-Line Ovpt in Black CONTROL, Corner strip of 3, Hib: T22 Imperf Ovpt Control (TC149)	€79.00	\$5.00
89	47	TC150	MNH/ Mint	1922-23 2d Thom 3-Line Ovpt in Black CONTROL, Corner block of 6 (control stamp MNH), Hib: T22 Perf Ovpt Control (TC150)	€35.00	\$5.00
90	50	TC158	Mint	1922-23 4d Grey-Green, Thom 3-Line Ovpt in Red, CONTROL, control block of 3, Hib: U22 imperf. (TC158), vf, Mint	€18.00	\$3.00
91	52	TC164	MNH	1922-23 6d Thom 3-Line Ovpt in Black CONTROL, control single, Hib: U22 Imperf Ovpt Control (TC164), vf, MNH	€12.00	\$1.00
92	52	TC165	MNH	1922-23 6d Purple, Thom 3-Line Ovpt in Blue-Black, CONTROL, control single, Hib: V22 imperf. (TC165), Mint, no gum	€10.00	\$1.00
93	53	TC168	MNH	1922-23 9d Thom 3-Line Ovpt in Red CONTROL, control single, Hib: U23 Imperf Ovpt Control (TC168) - Hib: Cat. €17.25	€15.00	\$1.00
94	53	TC169	MNH	1922-23 9d Olive Green, Thomas 3-Line Ovpt in Red, CONTROL, control single corner, Hib: U23 perf. (TC169), Variety BK2, vf, MNH - Hib: Cat. €25.00	€25.00	\$6.00
95	54	TC170	MNH	1922-23 10d Turquoise-blue, Thom 3-Line Ovpt in Blue-Black, CONTROL, control strip of 3, Hib: T22 imperf. (TC170), vf, MNH (VERY RARE)	€900.00	\$300.00
96	54	TC171	MNH	1922-23 10d Turquoise-Blue, Thomas 3-Line Ovpt in Blue-Black, CONTROL, control single, Hib: T22 perf. (TC171), vf, Mint - Hib: Cat. €75.00	€75.00	\$9.00
97	55	TC176	MNH	1922-23 1s Bistre-Brown, Thomas 3-Line Ovpt in Blue-Black, CONTROL, control single, Hib: U22 perf. (TC176), vf, MNH - Hib: Cat. €35.00	€35.00	\$8.00
Commemoratives - Stamps, Singles, Singles, Blocks & Sets						
98	84, 85-86	C5-7	Mint - LH	1931 2d Royal Dublin Society & 1932 2d & 3d Int. Eucharistic Congress (Hib. Cat. C5, C6-C7)	€8.00	\$2.00
99	103-104, 126-127, 139-140 & 149-150	C13-14, C22-23, C33-34, C43-44	Used	1939 U.S. Constitution, 1943 Rowan Hamilton, 1949 Republic of Ireland & 1953 Robert Emmet, 4 complete sets, f-vf	€33.70	\$2.00
100	149-150	C43-44	Used	1953 Robert Emmet, complete set, f-vf	€16.85	\$4.25
101	151-152	C45-46	Used	1954 Marian Year, complete set, f-vf	€6.50	\$1.00
102	153-154	C47-48	Used	1954 Cardinal Newman, complete set, f-vf	€8.25	\$1.50
103	155-172	C49-66	Mint/ MNH	1956-1959 All Commemoratives Issued for period, 9 complete sets, f-vf (#163-164, #167-168 & #171-172 MNH, all others Mint)	€158.30	\$32.50
104	161-162	C55-56	Used	1957 Admiral Brown, complete set, f-vf	€24.75	\$6.00
105	167-168	C61-62	Used	1958 Mother Mary Aikenhead, complete set, f-vf	€11.75	\$2.75

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Commemoratives - Stamps, Singles, Singles, Blocks & Sets (cont'd)						
106	171 - 172	C65-66	MNH	1959, Guinness Bi-Centenary, 3p & 1/3 (Hib. Cat. C65 & C66). Cat. €18	€20.25	\$4.00
107	173-205	C67-C99	Mint/ MNH	1960-1965 All Commemoratives Issued for period, 16 complete sets, f-vf (#173-174, #184-185, #186-187, #188-189 & #190-191 MNH, all others Mint)	€133.80	\$27.50
108	175-176	C69-70	Used	1960 EUROPA, complete set, f-vf	€27.50	\$7.00
109	177-178	C71-72	Used	1961 Aer Lingus, complete set, f-vf	€7.25	\$1.75
110	150-152	C73-75	MNH	1961, St. Patrick, 3d, 8d & 1/3, Commemorative Blocks of 4, Hib. Cat. C73-C75, 12 stamps, Hib. Cat. \$20.00		\$4.50
111	192-193	C86-87	Used	1964 Wolfe Tone, complete set, f-vf	€5.75	\$1.25
112	204 -205	C98-99	MNH	1965 Europa, 8p & 1/5 (Hib. Cat. C98 & C99) Cat. €6.00	€16.00	\$3.25
113	207a, 209a, 211a, 213a	C100-107	MNH	1966 Easter Rising, 3p se-tenant, 5p se-tenant, 7p se-tenant & 1/5 se-tenant pairs (Hib. Cat. C100 - C107) Cat. €18.00	€21.25	\$4.25
114	274	C140	MNH	1969 1s Contemporary Irish Art - Evie Hone, Corner block of 4 (Hib. Cat. C140)	€3.00	\$1.00
115		C143-144 C172-176	Mint	1972 (Hib. C172, 173 & C174- C176) Commemoratives, Mint, Lightly hinged, No duplicates, 5 stamps		\$1.50
116	329 - 330	C180-181	MNH	1973 4p & 6p Europa (CEPT) blocks of 4 (Hib. Cat. C180 & C181)		\$12.50
117	331	C182	MNH	1973 5p Contemporary Irish Art - William Scott, Corner Block of 4 (Hib. Cat. C182)	€2.00	\$1.00
118		C192-193	MNH	1974 3½p & 12p, Oliver Goldsmith Blocks of 4 (Hib. Cat. C192 & C193)	€6.60	\$2.00
119		C205	MNH	1975, European Amateur Gold 6p, Commemorative Block of 4, Hib. C 205, 4 stamps, Hib. Cat. \$8.00		\$1.50
120		C227-228	MNH	1976 9p & 11p Europa - Irish Delft Blocks of 4 (Hib. Cat. 227 & C228)	€26.60	\$12.50
121		C235-236	MNH	1977, Centenary of National Library & Museum, 8p & 10p, Commemorative Blocks of 4, Hib. C235 & C236, 8 stamps, Hib. Cat. \$5.25		\$1.50
122		C252-255	MNH	1978, Fauna & Flora 8p, 10p, 11p & 17p, Commemorative Cylinder Blocks of 10, all plate 111111, Hib. C252-C255, 40 stamps, Hib. Cat. \$60.00		\$13.00
123		C256-259	MNH	1978 - 10p, 11p & 17p, Anniversaries & 10p Drilling Rig - singles (Hib. Cat. C256-258 & C259)	€3.00	\$1.00
124		C269-272	MNH	1979 Events, Cross Country (8p), European Parliament Elections (10p & 11p) & Hill (17p) Commemorative Blocks of 8, C269-C272, 32 stamps, Hib. Cat. \$22.00		\$4.50
125		C269-C303	MNH	1979 - 1980, Commemoratives complete, Hib. C269 through to C303, 34 stamps. Hib. Cat. \$31.50		\$6.00
126		C273-276	MNH	1979, Fauna & Flora, 8p, 10p, 11p & 17p, Commemorative Blocks of 8, Hib. C273-C276, 32 stamps, Hib. Cat. \$20.00		\$4.50
127		C277-279	MNH	1979, International Year of the Child, 10p, 11p & 17p, Commemorative Blocks of 4, Hib. C277 - C279, 12 stamps, Hib. Cat. \$7.00		\$1.50
128		C277-279	MNH	1979, International Year of the Child, 10p, 11p & 17p, Commemorative Cylinder Blocks of 4, Plate 1111 (C277 & 279 also with TL), Hib. C277 - C279, 12 stamps, Hib. Cat. \$21.00		\$4.50
129		C280	MNH	1979, Papal visit to Ireland, 12p, Commemorative Block of 4, C280, 4 stamps, Hib. Cat. \$9.00		\$1.50
130		C280	MNH	1979, Papal visit to Ireland, 12p, Commemorative Cylinder Block of 4, plate 2224, C280, 4 stamps, Hib. Cat. \$11.00		\$2.00
131		C281-283	MNH	1979, Anniversaries, 9½p, 11p & 20p, St. John of God, Energy, Irish Art, Commemorative Blocks of 4, Hib. C281- C283, 12 stamps, Hib. Cat.\$ 7.00		\$1.50
132		C281-283	MNH	1979, Anniversaries, 9½p, 11p & 20p, St. John of God, Energy, Irish Art, Commemorative Cylinder Blocks of 4, C281 plate 12 + TL, C282 plate 111, C283 plate 1111 + TL, 12 stamps,		\$3.50
133		C284	MNH	1979 Pearse (12p) Commemorative Block of 8, C284, 8 stamps, Hib. Cat. \$9.00		\$2.00
134		C285-286	MNH	1979, Christmas 9½p & 20p, Commemorative Blocks of 4, Hib. C285 & C286, 8 stamps, Hib. Cat. \$4.50		\$1.00
135		C285-286	MNH	1979, Christmas 9½p & 20p, Commemorative Cylinder Blocks of 4, Plate 1111, Hib. C285 & C286, 8 stamps, Hib. Cat. \$10.00		\$2.00
136		C285-286	MNH	1979 Europa, Communications, 12p & 13p, Commemorative Cylinder Block of 6 with TL, plate 11111, C285 & 286, 12 stamps, Hib. Cat. \$37.00		\$8.00
137		C289	MNH	1980, De La Salle Brothers, 12p, Commemorative Block of 4, Hib. C289, 4 stamps, Hib. Cat. \$2.50		\$1.00
138		C289	MNH	1980, De La Salle Brothers, 12p, Commemorative Cylinder Block of 4, plate 11121 Hib. C289, 4 stamps, Hib. Cat. \$16.50		\$3.50
139		C290-91	MNH	1980, GB Shaw (12p) & Oscar Wilde (13p) Commemorative blocks of 4, Hib. C290 & C291, 8 stamps, Hib. Cat. \$13.20		\$2.50
140		C296-298	MNH	1980 - 12p, 15p & 25p Irish Music & Dance, Blocks of 4 (Hib. Cat. C296 - 298)	€5.80	\$3.50
141		C296-298	MNH	1980, Irish Music & Dance, 12p, 15p & 25p, Commemorative Cylinder Blocks of 4, plate 11111 C296-298, 12 stamps, Hib. Cat. \$14.00		\$3.50
142		C299-300	MNH	1980, Anniversaries O'Casey (12p) Scott (25p), Commemorative Blocks of 4, Hib. C299 - C300, 8 stamps, Hib. Cat. \$5.50		\$1.50
143		C301-303	MNH	1980, Christmas 12p, 15p & 25p, Commemorative Blocks of 4, Hib. C301 - 303, 12 stamps, Hib. Cat.\$ 8.80		\$2.00

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Commemoratives - Stamps, Singles, Singles, Blocks & Sets (cont'd)						
144	510-512	C322 -324	MNH	1981 Christmas CYLINDER BLOCKs of 4(3), Cyl Blks #111111, f-vf - Hib: Cat. €14.00	€14.00	\$3.00
145	585-588	C377-380	MNH	1984 Trees CYLINDER BLOCKS, with TRAFFIC LIGHTS, of 4(4), Cyl Blks #11111 w/Traffic Lights, f-vf - Hib: Cat. €27.50	€27.50	\$6.50
146	595-597	C387-389	MNH	1984 Summer Olympics CYLINDER BLOCK, with TRAFFIC LIGHTS, of 4(4), 22p Cyl Blk #111 & Cyl Blk #211 w/Traffic Lights, 26p Cyl Blk #111 & 29p Cyl Blk #111, f-vf - Hib: Cat. €22.00	€22.00	\$5.00
147	603-605	C395-397	MNH	1984 Christmas CYLINDER BLOCKS of 4(3), 17p Cyl Blk #2121, 22p Cyl Blk #11111 & 26p Cyl Blk #1111, f-vf - Hib: Cat. €13.00	€13.00	\$3.00
148	612-615	C404-407	MNH	1985 Butterflies CYLINDER BLOCKS of 4(4), 22p Cyl Blk #1Ax4, 26p, 28p & 44p Cyl Blks #1Bx4, f-vf - Hib: Cat. €36.50	€36.50	\$9.00
149	658 - 659	C430-431	MNH	1986 Europa 28p & 39p (Hib. Cat. C430 & 431) Cat. €11.00	€32.50	\$6.50
150	681-684, 684a	C453-456	MNH	1987 Irish Trams CYLINDER BLOCKS of 4(4), Cyl Blks #1Ax4 + Miniature Sheet (Hib: MS6), f-vf - Hib: Cat. €37.00	€37.00	\$8.00
151	685-688	C457-460	MNH	1987 Anniversaries CYLINDER BLOCKS of 4(4), 24p Cyl Blk #1Ax3, 28p Cyl Blk #1Ax5, 28p & 30p Cyl Blk #1Ax4, 39p Cyl Blk #1Ax6, f-vf - Hib: Cat. €28.00	€28.00	\$7.00
152	731-733	C503-505	MNH	1988 Christmas CYLINDER BLOCKS of 4(3), Cyl Blks #1Bx4, f-vf - Hib: Cat. €21.00	€21.00	\$5.00
153	755-758	C527-530	MNH	1989 Game Birds CYLINDER BLOCKS of 4, 24p Cyl Blk No. 1B x 4, 28p Cyl Blk No. 1B x 4, 39p Cyl Blk No. 1A x 4 & 46p Cyl Blk No. 1A x 4, f-vf - Hib: Cat. €42.50	€36.50	\$14.00
154	759 - 762	C531-534	MNH	1989 - 21p, 24p, 28p & 46p Christmas Singles (Hib. C531 - C534)	€3.90	\$1.00
155	763 - 764	C535-536	MNH	1990 - 30p & 50p Presidency of European Community & European Year of Tourism, Blocks of 4 (Hib. Cat. C535 & C536)	€12.00	\$4.00
156	822 - 823	C566-567	MNH	1991 - 26p, 30p Love Stamps, singles, (Hib. Cat. C566 & C567)	€3.00	\$1.00
157	824 - 826	C568-570	MNH	1991 - 26p, 30p & 50p Early Bicycles singles, (Hib. Cat. 568 - 570)	€5.00	\$2.00
158	827	C571	MNH	1981 - 39p Easter Rising 75th Anniversary, Block of 4. (Hib. C571)	€9.00	\$2.00
159	839 - 840	C586-587	MNH	1991 28p, 32p - Golf Commemorations, singles (Hib. Cat. C586, C587)	€3.00	\$1.00
160	974a	C717-718	MNH	1995 Centenary of Radio, 32p se-tenant pair (Hib. Cat. C717 & 718) Cat. €12.00	€24.00	\$4.50
161			Mint	1998 Commemoratives, Mint, Lightly hinged, No duplicates, Almost complete for year, 29 stamps		\$3.00
162			Mint	1997 Commemoratives, Mint, Lightly hinged, No duplicates, Almost complete for year, 43 stamps		\$5.00
163			Mint	1996 Commemoratives, Mint, Lightly hinged, No duplicates, Almost complete for year, 45 stamps		\$5.00
164			Mint	1995 Commemoratives, Mint, Lightly hinged, No duplicates, Almost complete for year, 47 stamps		\$5.00
165			Mint	1994 Commemoratives, Mint, Lightly hinged, No duplicates, Almost complete for year, 25 stamps		\$3.00
166			Mint	1993 Commemoratives, Mint, Lightly hinged, No duplicates, Almost complete for year, 28 stamps		\$3.00
167			Mint	1992 Commemoratives, Mint, Lightly hinged, No duplicates, Almost complete for year, 29 stamps		\$3.00
168			Mint	1991 Commemoratives, Mint, Lightly hinged, No duplicates, Almost complete for year, 26 stamps		\$3.00
169			Mint	1990 Commemoratives, Mint, Lightly hinged, No duplicates, Almost complete for year, 21 stamps		\$2.50
170			Mint	1989 Commemoratives, Mint, Lightly hinged, No duplicates, Almost complete for year, 25 stamps		\$2.50
171			Mint	1988 Commemoratives, Mint, Lightly hinged, No duplicates, Almost complete for year, 28 stamps		\$2.50
172			Mint	1987 Commemoratives, Mint, Lightly hinged, No duplicates, Almost complete for year, 25 stamps		\$2.50
173			Mint	1986 Commemoratives, Mint, Lightly hinged, No duplicates, Almost complete for year, 23 stamps		\$2.50
174			Mint	1985 Commemoratives, Mint, Lightly hinged, No duplicates, Almost complete for year, 24 stamps		\$2.50
175			Mint	1984 Commemoratives, Mint, Lightly hinged, No duplicates, Almost complete for year, 25 stamps		\$2.50
176			Mint	1983 Commemoratives, Mint, Lightly hinged, No duplicates, Almost complete for year, 22 stamps		\$2.50
177			Mint	1982 Commemoratives, Mint, Lightly hinged, No duplicates, Almost complete for year, 24 stamps		\$2.50
178			Mint	1981 Commemoratives, Mint, Lightly hinged, No duplicates, Almost complete for year, 19 stamps		\$2.00
179			Mint	1980 Commemoratives, Mint, Lightly hinged, No duplicates, Almost complete for year, 19 stamps		\$2.00
180			Mint	1979 Commemoratives, Mint, Lightly hinged, No duplicates, 13 stamps		\$1.50
181			Mint	1978 Commemoratives, Mint, Lightly hinged, No duplicates, 10 stamps		\$1.50
182			Mint	1977 Commemoratives, Mint, Lightly hinged, No duplicates, 12 stamps		\$1.50
183			Mint	1976 Commemoratives, Mint, Lightly hinged, No duplicates, 10 stamps		\$1.50
184			Mint	1975 Commemoratives, Mint, Lightly hinged, No duplicates, 13 stamps		\$1.50
185			Mint	1974 Commemoratives, Mint, Lightly hinged, No duplicates, 13 stamps		\$1.00
186			Mint	1973 Commemoratives, Mint, Lightly hinged, No duplicates, 8 stamps		\$1.50
187			Used	1970's - 90's Commemoratives, Used, Minor duplication, 43 stamps		\$4.00
188			Used	1970's - 90's Commemoratives, Used on paper, Minor duplication, greater than 150 stamps		\$7.50

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Definitives - Stamps, Singles, Singles, Blocks & Sets						
189	74	D10	Mint (LH)	1922 9d Violet, Arms of Ireland (Hib. D10)	€35.00	\$7.00
190	75	D11	Mint (LH)	1922 10d Brown, Celtic Cross (Hib. D11)	€17.00	\$3.50
191	76(2)	D12	Used	1923 vertical pair of 1s light blue 1st Issue Definitives on piece with Parcel Post cancel, f-vf with pulled corner perf on upper stamp	€34.00	\$10.00
192	76	D12	Mint (LH)	1922 1sh Azure (light blue) 1st Permanent Series Definitives, "se" wmk, f-vf	€35.00	\$7.00
193	76	D12	Used	1922 1sh Azure (light blue) 1st Permanent Series Definitives, "se" wmk, f-vf	€17.00	\$4.25
194	106-117	D16-29	Used	1940-1968 Second Permanent Definitive Series, "e" wmk, f-vf	€60.00	\$15.00
195	106-117, 137-138 & 225-	D16-29 Sc. 137-138	MNH/ Mint	1940-1967 ½d thru 1sh + 8d & 9d + 3d & 5d (Photogravure) of Second Permanent Definitive Series, "e" wmk, complete set, f-vf (Scott #110, #111, #117 Mint, all other MNH)	€224.45	\$50.00
196	107	D17	MNH	1940-49, 1d carmine, watermark "e", perf. paste up coil, two vertical strips of 4 stamps, (horiz & vert perf), vf		\$8.00
197	1040, 1111	D178-179	Used	1997-1998 £1 & £2 (black head) Bird Definitives. F-vf	€14.00	\$5.00
198	65-69	D1-D5	Mint	1922-1923 ½d thru 2½d of 1st Permanent Series Definitives, "se" wmk, f-vf	€16.50	\$4.00
199	117	D29	MNH	1940 1/- blue 2nd Definitive Series, "e" wmk, f-vf	€175.00	\$35.00
200	121-123	D30-32	Used	1943-1945 2/6, 5/- & 10/- St. Patrick, e wmk, complete set, f-vf	€15.50	\$4.50
201			Used	1997 - '98, Definitive Series (Birds) - Used, Some duplication, greater than 60 stamps		\$3.50
202			Mint	1997 - '98, Definitive Series (Birds) - Mint, Lightly Hinged, no duplication, 12 stamps		\$1.50
203			Mint	1997 - '98, Definitive Series (Wild Flowers) - Used on paper, Some duplication greater than 30 stamps		\$1.00
204			Mint	Definitive used on paper, no duplication, greater than 20 stamps		\$1.00
Stamps - Miniature Sheets						
205		MS1	MNH	1972 6p 50th Anniversary of the 1st Irish postage stamp Mini Sheet (Hib. Cat. MS1)	€6.75	\$1.00
206		MS2	MNH	1976 American Declaration of Independence (7p, 8p, 9p & 15p Mini Sheet) Hib, MS2, Hib. Cat \$12.00	€12.00	\$3.00
207		MS3	MNH	1980 - Fauna & Flora (Wildlife) Minisheet, 12p, 15p, 16p & 25p (Hib. Cat MS3)	€2.50	\$1.00
208		MS5	MNH	1984 Irish Railways Miniature Sheet, f-vf	€5.50	\$1.75
209		MS17	MNH	1996 Chinese New Year, "Year of the Rat", (Hib; MS17), Hib: Cat. €7.00	€7.50	\$2.00
210		MS21	MNH	1997 Chinese New Year, "Year of the Ox", (Hib; MS21), Hib: Cat. €7.00	€7.50	\$2.00
211		MS31	MNH	1999 RMS Titanic €2.00 (Hib. MS31) MNH, Hib. Cat. €8.50	€8.50	\$2.50
212		MS33	MNH	1999 Extinct Animals Mini Sheet, (Hib; MS33), Hib: Cat. €6.00	€6.00	\$1.50
213		MS41	Used	2002 Irish Mammals, €5.00 Otter (Dobharchu) Mini sheet (Hib. C1158)	€13.00	\$3.00
Stamps - Sheets / Sheetlets						
214	649 sheet	C421s	MNH	1985 22p Christmas sheet of 16, f-vf	€14.00	\$3.00
215	677 sheet	C449s	MNH	1986 21p Christmas sheet of 12, f-vf	€17.00	\$3.00
216	703 sheet	C475s	MNH	1987 21p Christmas sheet of 14 + Label, f-vf	€18.00	\$3.00
217	712-713 sheet	C484s	MNH	1988 Olympic Games (Seoul 1988), sheet of 5 se-tenant pairs + 2 Labels, f-vf	€11.00	\$3.00
218	730s	C502S	MNH	1988 Christmas 21c Sheet Hib. C502s	€16.00	\$3.00
219	759 sheet	C531s	MNH	1989 21p Christmas sheet of 14 + Label, f-vf	€16.00	\$6.00
220	800a sheet	C545s	MNH	1990 World Cup Soccer, sheet of 4 se-tenant pairs, f-vf	€16.00	\$2.00
221	805-806 sheet	C549s C550s	MNH	1990 EUROPA, 2 sheets of 10 + 2 Labels, f-vf	€32.00	\$9.00
222	818 sheet	C562s	MNH	1990 26p Christmas sheet of 12, f-vf	€14.00	\$5.00
223	832-833 sheets	C576s C577s	MNH	1991 EUROPA, 2 sheets of 10, f-vf	€32.00	\$9.00
224		C592s	MNH	1991 Christmas 28c Sheet Hib. C592s	€14.00	\$3.00
225	864-865 sheets	C608s C609s	MNH	1992 EUROPA, 2 sheets of 10, f-vf\	€32.00	\$9.00

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Stamps - Sheets / Sheetlets (cont'd)						
226	881 sheet	C625s	MNH	1992 28p Christmas sheet of 13 + 2 Labels, f-vf	€14.00	\$5.00
227	895-896 sheets	C639s C640s	MNH	1993 EUROPA, 2 sheets of 10 + 2 Labels, f-vf	€32.00	\$9.00
228	948 sheet	C692s	MNH	1994 28p Christmas sheet of 13 + 2 Labels, f-vf	€18.00	\$7.00
229	960-961 sheets	C707s C708s	MNH	1995 EUROPA, 2 sheets of 10, f-vf - Hib: Cat. €30.00	€30.00	\$9.00
230	986-987 sheets	C734s C735s	MNH	1995 UN 50th Anniversary, 2 sheets of 10, f-vf - Hib: Cat. €37.00	€37.00	\$13.00
231	988 sheet	C736s	MNH	1995 28p Christmas sheet of 13 + 2 Labels, f-vf	€10.00	\$3.00
232	999a sheet	C745s	MNH	1996 Summer Olympic Games - Atlanta, sheet of 3 se-tenant strips of 3, f-vf	€12.00	\$4.00
233	1008-1009 sheets	C754s C755s	MNH	1996 EUROPA, 2 sheets of 10, f-vf - Hib: Cat. €31.00	€31.00	\$10.00
234	1096 sheet	C802s	MNH	1997 Irish State, 75th Anniversary, sheet of 12, f-vf	€20.00	\$8.00
235	1060-1061 sheets	C813s C814s	MNH	1997 EUROPA, 2 sheets of 10, f-vf - Hib: Cat. €31.00	€31.00	\$9.00
236		12D	MNH	1999 Birds of Ireland 30p x 15 sheetlet, Hib. Cat 12Ds sheetlet, (Hib. Cat. €24.00)	€24.00	\$6.00
237	712 -713 sheet	C1486 - C1489	MNH	2008 Paul Henry Landscapes Sheetlet (Hib. 1486 - 1489), 16 stamps	€22.00	\$5.00
Exhibition Souvenirs						
238		FX 23	MNH	1990 New Zealand overprint on pane ex. Penny Black Bklt. HP37, Hib. FX 23, Hib Cat. €12.00	€12.00	\$3.00
239		FX 26	MNH	1993 Bangkok, Re-issue of the Orchids mini-sheet with larger top margin , Hib. FX 26, Hib Cat. €15.00	€15.00	\$4.00
240		FX 27	MNH	1994 Korea, Re-issue of the Moths MS13 Mini Sheet, Hib. FX 27, Hib Cat. €10.00	€10.00	\$3.00
241		FX 28	MNH	1995 Singapore, on Transport in Ireland Railways Mini Sheet MS 15, Hib. FX28, Cat. €10.00	€10.00	\$3.00
242		FX 29	MNH	1997 Pacific San Francisco Exhibition, on £2 Birds MS23 minisheet. MNH Hib. Cat. €25.00	€25.00	\$7.00
243		FX 29a	FD	1997 Pacific San Francisco Exhibition, on £2 Birds MS23 minisheet. With "San Francisco 29 V 1996" Cancel. Hib. Cat. €25.00	€25.00	\$8.00
Airmail						
244	C7	A7	MNH	1975 1/5- Airmail Pax Hibernian corner pair, (Hib. Cat. A7)	€12.00	\$5.50
245	C1-C7	A1-7	Mint /MNH	1948-1965 Airmails, complete set, f-vf (C2 & C7 MNH)	€35.35	\$9.00
246	C1-C7	A1-7	Used	1948-1965 Airmails, complete set, f-vf	€23.60	\$6.00
Booklets						
247		HB17	MNH	1971 30p Blue/Green Booklet Complete - Hib. Cat €42.00	€42.00	\$11.00
248		HB19	MNH	1974 50p Blue Booklet Complete	€25.00	\$5.75
249		HB20	MNH	1975 40p booklet (Red cover) - Hib. Cat HB20	€3.50	\$1.50
250		HB21	MNH	1975 70p booklet (gray cover) - Hib Cat HB 21	€5.50	\$1.50
251		HB23	MNH	1983 £1.00, Four Courts Booklet, # 2- Complete - Hib: Cat. €5.50	€5.50	\$1.50
252		HB24	MNH	1984 £2.26, Irish Architecture Definitive Booklet HB24, Complete	€8.00	\$2.50
253		HB25	MNH	1985 £1.00, Custom House Dublin Booklet- Complete - Hib: Cat. €10.00	€10.00	\$2.00
254		HB26	MNH	1985 £2.00, Keep in touch Booklet- Complete - Hib: Cat. €12.00	€12.00	\$2.00
255		HB27	MNH	1986 Keep in Touch Booklet Hib. HB27 (Hib. Cat. €12.00)	€12.00	\$2.00
256		HB28	MNH	1988 £2.24 Dublin Millenium Booklet, f-vf, Complete	€8.50	\$2.00
257		HB29	MNH	1988 £2.00, Court House, Cork- Booklet - Complete, Hib: Cat. €13.00	€13.00	\$2.00
258		HB30	MNH	1989 £2.41 Irish Motoring Classics Booklet- Complete - Hib: Cat. €12.00	€12.00	\$2.00
259		HB31	MNH	1989 £4.48, Ireland's Golden Age Booklet-Complete - Hib: Cat. €20.00	€20.00	\$4.00
260		HB32	MNH	1990 £1.98, Greetings Stamp Booklet- Complete - Hib: Cat. €24.00	€24.00	\$5.00
261		HB33	MNH	1990 £6.00, Ireland's Postage History Booklet-Complete - Hib: Cat. €28.00	€28.00	\$6.00
262		HB34	MNH	1990 £2.59 Irish Garden Flowers Booklet - complete - Hib: Cat. €17.00	€17.00	\$4.00
263		HB35	MNH	1991 £1.00, Tara Broach Booklet- Complete - Hib: Cat. €11.00	€11.00	\$2.00

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Booklets (cont'd)						
264		HB38	MNH	1991 £5.00, Fishing Fleet-Complete - Hib: Cat. €22.00	€22.00	\$3.75
265		HB41	MNH	1992 £4.80 Single European Market Booklet- Complete - Hib: Cat. €18.00	€18.00	\$4.25
266		HB42	MNH	1993 €4.68 Irish Impressionism Booklet - Hib: Cat. €23.00	€23.00	\$3.50
267		HB43	MNH	1993 £1.00, Lismore Crozier Booklet-Complete, Hib. Cat. €12.00	€12.00	\$2.00
268		HB44	MNH	1993 £2.84, Irish Buses Booklet-Complete - Hib: Cat. €14.00	€14.00	\$3.00
269		HB45	MNH	1994 £2.56, Greetings Stamp Booklet- Complete - Hib: Cat. €25.00	€25.00	\$3.50
270		HB51	MNH	1995 €4.80 Military Uniforms Booklet - Hib: Cat. €20.00	€20.00	\$3.25
271		HB55	MNH	1996 £4.92 Irish Horse Racing Booklet- Complete - Hib: Cat. €20.00	€20.00	\$3.00
272		HB56	MNH	1996 £2.24 Irish Naval Service Booklet- Complete, - Hib: Cat. €14.00	€14.00	\$3.00
273		HB57	MNH	1997 £2.56 Greetings Stamp Booklet- Complete - Hib: Cat. €20.00	€20.00	\$4.00
274		HB59	MNH	1997 £4.64 Lighthouses Booklet - complete, - Hib: Cat. €24.00	€24.00	\$6.00
275		HB60	MNH	1997 £5.32 Christmas Booklet - complete - Hib: Cat. €24.00	€24.00	\$6.00
276		HB63	MNH	1998 £5.20 Pioneers of Irish Aviation Booklet- Complete - Hib: Cat. €20.00	€20.00	\$4.00
277		HB67	MNH	1998 £3.00 Birds Booklet - Complete - Hib: Cat. €12.00	€12.00	\$3.50
278		HB113 (partial)	Partial	2003 €3.00 Birds Booklet - (one 36p and one 41p removed)	€7.20	\$1.00
279		HB128	MNH	2005 €8.84 Ryder Cup Booklet - Hib: Cat. €28.00	€28.00	\$5.00
280		HB132	MNH	2006 £11.68 Ryder Cup Matches, Complete, Hib: Cat. €38.00	€38.00	\$10.00
Booklet Panes						
281	226a	HP14	MNH	1966 5d Purple, Sword pane (D34i 5d Photogravure x 6) Hib. HP 14	€20.00	\$12.50
282	352a	HP23	MNH	1977 7p Olive Green Gerl Dog (D77 x 6). Ex HB 22 Hib. HP 23	€12.00	\$2.75
283		HP24	MNH	1983 £1.00, Four Courts Booklet, ex. HB23, HP24 Pane	€5.00	\$1.00
284		HP25	MNH	1984 £2.26, Irish Architecture Definitive Booklet ex. HB24, HP25 Pane- Complete	€7.00	\$2.00
285		HP26	MNH	1985 £1.00, Custom House Dublin, ex. HB 25, HP26 Pane- Complete	€8.00	\$2.00
286		HP27	MNH	1985 £2.00, Keep in touch Booklet, ex. HB26 HP27 Pane- Complete	€10.00	\$2.50
287		HP28	MNH	1986 £2.00, Keep in touch Green/Yellow Booklet, ex HB 27, Pane removed from Booklet-Complete	€10.00	\$2.50
288		HP29a HP29b	MNH	1988 Dublin Millenium, ex HB 28, HP29a & HP29b- Complete	€8.00	\$3.00
289		HP30	MNH	1988 Courthouse Cork, ex. HB29 , Pane HP30 removed from booklet- Complete	€12.00	\$3.00
290		HP31 HP32	MNH	1989 Irish Motoring Classics, ex HB 30, HP31 & HP32- Complete	€10.50	\$3.00
291		HP33a-d	MNH	989 Ireland's Golden Age, ex HB 31, HP33a, HP33b, HP33c & HP33d- 4- panes, Complete	€18.00	\$5.00
292		HP35	MNH	1990 ex HB 32, Greetings Stamp Booklet, HP 35 Pane removed from Booklet- Complete	€13.00	\$3.00
293		HP36-39	MNH	1990 Ireland Postage - A History Panes, HP36, HP37 (with stamp perforations misaligned), HP38 & HP39,- Complete - Hib: Cat. €24.00 for regular	€24.00	\$9.00
294		HP40 HP41	MNH	1990 Garden Flowers, ex HB34, HP40 & HP41, - Complete - Hib: Cat. €16.00	€16.00	\$4.00
295		HP42	MNH	1990 Tara Broach, ex HB35, HP42 Pane removed from booklet	€10.00	\$2.00
296		HP43 HP44	MNH	1990 Dublin City of Culture, ex. HB 36, HP43 & HP44- Complete	€11.00	\$4.00
297		HP45	MNH	1991 ex HB37 Irish Heritage & Treasures, 5 stamps + label, Complete	€8.00	\$2.00
298		HP50	MNH	1992 Greeting complete, Hib. Cat. €10.00	€10.00	\$3.00
299		HP51	MNH	1992 Greeting complete, Hib. Cat. €10.00	€10.00	\$3.00
300		HP52-55	MNH	1992 European Community, HP52, HP53, HP54 & HP55 plus all booklet panes including front & back cover, - Complete	€16.00	\$4.00
301		HP 61 HP62	MNH	1993 HP 61 & HP62, Irish Buses, MNH, Hib.Cat €12.00	€12.00	\$3.50

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Booklet Panes (cont'd)						
302		HP65	MNH	1994 Enameled latchet Brooch, ex HB 46, HP65, pane removed from booklet- Complete	€10.00	\$2.50
303		HP74	MNH	1995 Gleninsheen Collar, ex HB 50, HP74, pane removed from booklet- Complete	€10.00	\$2.50
304		HP 84-87	MNH	1996 HP84, HP85, HP86 & HP87 Irish Horse Racing Booklet Panes, - Complete - Hib: Cat. €20.00	€20.00	\$5.00
305		HP98	MNH	1998 HP98, Love & Greeting Stamp Booklet Pane- Complete	€9.00	\$2.50
306		HP106	MNH	1998 HP106, Love & Greeting Stamp Booklet Pane- Complete	€9.00	\$2.50
First Day Covers (FDC's)						
307	85	C6 FDC	FDC	1932 Eucharistic Congress, 2d pearl Green (Hib. C6), First Day of Issue (12 May 1932) on plain addressed cover	€50.00	\$17.50
308		C8 - C9 FDC	FDC	1933 Sept 18, Holy Year 2p & 3p on registered clean plain FDC to Zurich Switzerland with Baile Atha Cliath (Dublin) cancels. Additional 1d D2 definitive to cover registered rate to Switzerland. Baile Atha Cliath 18 SP 33 backstamp on reverse, together with a Zurich 20 IX 33 receiving cancel	€450.00	\$150.00
309		C11, C12 FDC	FDC	1937 Dec 29, Constitution 2p & 3p on clean typed addressed registered FDC to US (Omaha, Nebraska) with BAILE ATHA CLIATH (Dublin) Slogan cancel. Additional 1d D 2 stamp with DEIMHNITHE ??ATH CLIATH oval cancel to cover rate to US. Chicago & Omaha receiving cancels on reverse.	€25.00	\$10.00
310	96	D13	FDC	1937 08 IX, Registered Airmail FDC to US with Hib. Cat. D13 St. Patrick stamp with PORT LAIRGE (Waterford) cancel. PORT LAIRGE 8 IX 37 cancels on rear together with multiple US receiving cancels (NEW YORK, NY 9-16 1937, PORTLAND OREG SEP 17 1937 REGISTERED). "POST OFFICE EXPRESS Express Fee 6d Paid" pink label together with "Fee claimed at Portland, Oregon" purple cachet on front. First Day of issues for the 1937 high value definitives are extremely rare and are very seldom offered for sale. Hib. Cat. Value is in excess of €2,000	€2,000.00	\$400.00
311		C13 & C14 FDC	FDC	1938 July 1st, Father Mathew 2p & 3p on Illustrated Registered FDC with Port Large (Waterford) cancels. New York & Portland Oregon receiving cancels on reverse.	€60.00	\$22.50
312		C15, C16 FDC	FDC	1939 Mar 1, US Constitution, 2p & 3p on Illustrated Registered FDC with Port Large (Waterford) cancels to typed US address. New York & Indianapolis receiving cancels on reverse.	€40.00	\$15.00
313		C17, C18 FDC	FDC	1941 Apr 12, 25th Anniv.of Easter Rising (Provisional Issue), 2p & 3p on clean Illustrated typed addressed FDC to Dublin with DUN LAOGHAIRE cancels	€60.00	\$22.50
314		C19 FDC	FDC	1941 Oct 27, Easter Rising 2½p on Illustrated unaddressed clean FDC with Baile Atha Cliath (Dublin) cancel.	€40.00	\$15.00
315		C22, C23 FDC	FDC	1943 Nov 13, Rowan Hamilton ½p & 2½p on clean addressed FDC to US (St. Peters MN) with Baile Atha Cliath (Dublin) Slogan cancel. UK censor label on the left. Wartime letter included.	€60.00	\$32.50
316		C26 FDC	FDC	1944 Aug 29, Ignatius Rice Centenary, 2½p on clean typed addressed FDC to US with SCIOHAIR CO CHORCAIGH (Skibbereen, Co Cork) cancel,, Irish censor label on left & UK censor label on right.	€45.00	\$20.00
317		C24 FDC	FDC	1944 Jun 30, O'Cleirigh ½p on clean addressed FDC to Waterford with PORT LAIRGE (Waterford) cancel	€35.00	\$14.00
318		C27 & C28 FDC	FDC	1945 Sep 15th, Centenary of the Death of Thomas Davis, 2½d & 6d pairs on two separate printed addressed unillustrated cover - (to the same addressee)	€70.00	\$25.00
319		C29 - C30 FDC	FDC	1946 Sept. 16th, Parnell & Davitt Centenaries, 2½p & 3p on Illustrated FDC with Baile Atha Cliath (Dublin) cancels., with typed Dublin address.	€40.00	\$15.00
320		A2, A3 FDC	FDC	1948 Apr. 7, Vox Hibernian Airmail 3p & 6p on Illustrated addressed FDC to US with Port Large (Waterford) cancels.	€32.00	\$12.50
321		C31, C32 FDC	FDC	1948 Nov 19, Wolfe Tone 2½p & 3p on plain addressed FDC to Cuba with SRAID LAIGHEAN A'CLIATH (Leinster St South, Dublin) cancel. Additional 3x ½d green C22 stamps to cover rate to CUBA. Sraid Laighean A'Cliath back stamps on reverse, together with partial Cuban red receiving cancel on reverse	€30.00	\$20.00
322		A1, A5 FDC	FDC	1949 Apr 5, Vox Hibernian Airmail 1p & 1/- on Illustrated typed addressed FDC to US with Baile Atha Cliath (Dublin) cancel.	€28.00	\$12.00
323		C36 - C38 FDC	FDC	1950 Sept. 11, Holy Year 2½p, 3p, & 9p on plain addressed FDC cover with Baile Atha Cliath (Dublin) slogan cancel to Dublin address.	€80.00	\$27.50
324		C41	FDC Postcard	1953 An Tostal Postcard with 2½d stamp addressed FDC to Switzerland - Hib: Cat. €8.00	€8.00	\$3.00
325		A4, A6 FDC	FDC	1954 Dec 13, Vox Hiberniae Airmail 8p & 1/3 on Illustrated addressed FDC to US with Luimneach (Limerick) cancel.	€24.00	\$10.00
326		C35 FDC	FDC	1959 Dec 5, Mangan Anniversary, 1p strip of 3, on clean plain typed FDC to US address with Baile Atha Cliath (Dublin) cancels	€30.00	\$12.00
327	184 - 185	41C	FDC	1962 Europa (CEPT) on plain unaddressed FDC, 6p & 1/3-, (Hib. 41C - Hib: Cat.€8.50)	€8.50	\$2.00
328	275, 276	70C	FDC	1969 Gandhi 6p & 1/9 (Hib. C141, C142) on plain addressed FDC to S Rhodesia (Zimbabwe)	€5.50	\$3.00
329		MS3 FDC	FDC	1980 Fauna & Flora - Wildlife, 12p, 15p, 16p & 25p mini-sheet, Illustrated, Unaddressed FDC, (Hib. MS3) - Hib: Cat. €5.50	€5.50	\$1.00
330		191C	FDC	1986 Aer Lingus Illustrated Unaddressed FDC, 28p & 46p, with An Post Ameripex '86 cancel added - Hib: Cat. €3.50	€3.50	\$1.00
331	679 - 680	197C	FDC	1987 Love Stamps, 24p & 28p, Illustrated Addressed FDC (Hib. 197C) - Hib: Cat. €2.40	€2.40	\$1.00

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First Day Covers (FDC's) - cont'd						
332		D161p FDC	FDC	1991 Coil issue (self-adhesive) 32p black & green on phosphorised paper. Illustrated unaddressed FDC (Hib. Cat D161p). Cat. Value €3.50	€3.50	\$1.50
333		D146, D149 FDC	FDC	1992 Treasures of Ireland 40p & 45p definitives on Illustrated unaddressed FDC (Hib. Cat stamps D146 & D149)	€2.00	\$1.00
334	1006-1007	305C	FDC	1996 UNESCO & UNICEF Illustrated Unaddressed FDC - Hib: Cat. €2.80	€2.80	\$1.00
335	1041	C787 FDC	FDC	1997 32p Doves Greetings Unaddressed FDC - Hib: Cat. €1.25	€2.00	\$1.00
336	1059	319C	FDC	1997 Irish Coinage Illustrated Unaddressed FDC - Hib: Cat. €2.50	€2.50	\$1.00
337	1185	12Ds	FDC	1999 Birds of Ireland (with phosphor frame) sheetlet, Hib. Cat. 12Ds FDC on unaddressed unillustrated cover f-vf.	€30.00	\$10.00
338		485C	FDC	2006 The 36th Ryder Cup, Illustrated Unaddressed FDC (Hib. 485C) - Hib. Cat. €5.75	€5.75	\$2.00
339		MS60 FDC	FDC	2006 The 36th Ryder Cup, Illustrated Unaddressed MS 60 Mini Sheet FDC (Hib. MS60 FDC) - Hib. Cat. €7.50	€7.50	\$2.50
340	2169	713C	FDC	2018 Bicentenary of the opening of the GPO, Illustrated unaddressed FDC - Hib. 1891, Cat €3.00	€3.00	\$1.00
Flight Covers						
341	(MW: AC20)		FFC	1929, June 30, Pan American World Airways FFC from Foynes to New York with 3d & 1sh Irish stamps (Sc. #70 & #76) and BAILE ATHA CLIATH 30 VI 39 cancel. Cover also has purple cachet for flight on front and New York N.Y. JUL 1 1939 receiving mark on reverse. This cover was also hand-signed by the Postmaster - New York, N.Y.		\$2.50
342	MW AC4		Cover	1929 26th August, Galway to London experimental flight for US Mail typed addressed envelope (MW AC4) , with Gaillimh "BUY IRISH GOODS" slogan cancel on Hib. C1 stamp. Also red Oval " FIRST AIR MAIL 26th AUG 1929 GALWAY to LONDON" cachet.	MW Cat £15 (\$20)	\$10.00
343			Cover	1931 1st Flight Cover - England Australia official Air Mail 1931, by Imperial Airways, forwarded from Ireland 2nd April 1931. 5 x Hib. T25 and 1 x Hib T37 with 2 AP 31 Baile Atha Cliath cancels. Backstamped on arrival in Sydney (29 Apr 1931).		\$35.00
344	(MW: AC49a Return)		FFC	1954, Apr. 30, Pan American World Airways FFC w/ U.S. Franking - Detroit AMF to Shannon with 15¢ U.S. stamp and Detroit, Mich. APR 30 1954 CDS on front and Luimneach, 1 V 54 CDS on reverse. Cover has purple Pan American World Airways Detroit Shannon cachet on the front.		\$2.50
345	(MW: AC52 return)		FFC	1958, Apr. 30 Aer Lingus FFC from New York to Dublin with 17¢ U.S. stamps and NEW YORK (IDL) N.Y. AIR MAIL FIELD, P.T.S. APR 30 1958 cancel and green Aerlinete Eireann cachet on front. Reverse has BAILE ATHA CLIATH 1 MAY 1958 receiving mark		\$6.00
346	(MW: AC85 Return)		FFC	1986, May 8, Delta Air Lines FFC from Atlanta, GA to Shannon with 44¢ U.S. stamps and ATLANTA, GA AIRMAIL FACILITY BR. 30320 MAY 8 1986 CDS and black Delta Air Lines Shannon Ireland FIRST FLIGHT U.S. POSTAL SERVICE Cachet on front and SIONAINN 9 V 86 receiving mark on reverse		\$2.50
Covers - Censored						
347			Cover	1939 - Letter (19 OCT 1939) from Baile Atha Cliath (Dublin) to the Netherlands, with Irish Censor label (left)		\$20.00
348			Cover	1942? - Airmail Cover with contemporary Swiss stamps, Switzerland to Ireland with German censor label - Oberkommando der Wehrmacht (left) and Irish over GB Censor labels (right), with censor cachets on rear		\$30.00
349			Cover	1940 - Cover (26 IV 40) with contemporary French stamp, France to Ireland with Irish Censor labels (left)		\$25.00
350			Cover	1940 (2) - Two Letters from UK (Oxford & Ormskirk) to Ireland, with contemporary British stamps, British censor label on left, No Irish censor label		\$20.00
351			Cover	1941 - Airmail Cover (8 IX 41) from LUIMNEACH (Limerick, Ireland) to Denmark, with Hib. D27 x 2, & D21 x 2 stamps. Irish Censor label (left), British Censor label (right) German censor label (bottom). Additional censor numerical cachets on front.		\$45.00
352			Cover	1941 - Letter from Ireland (Drogheda) to UK with Hib. C26 stamp, British censor label on left, No Irish censor label		\$10.00
353			Cover	1941 - Letter from Ireland (Dublin) to UK with Hib.D19 stamp, British censor label on left, No Irish censor label		\$8.00
354			Cover	1941, July - Airmail Cover with contemporary Belgian stamps from Bruges, Belgium to Ireland, canceled 22 VII 1941, with British over German censor labels (left), and German (Oberkommando der Wehrmacht) cachets on rear.		\$30.00
355			Cover	1941, June - Cover with contemporary Portuguese stamps from Portugal to Ireland with Irish Censor label (left), and Portuguese (Porto) censor cachets on rear		\$30.00
356			Cover	1942 - Letter (21 MAY 1942) from Corcaigh (Cork) Ireland to Canada (Vancouver Island), with Irish Censor label (left) and British Censor label (right),.		\$20.00
357			Cover	1942 - Letter from UK (Exmouth, Devon) to Ireland with contemporary British stamps, Irish censor label over British censor label (left).		\$15.00

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Covers - Censored (cont'd)						
358			Cover	1942 Censored cover from Ireland to US with UK (right) & Irish (left) censor labels. Hib. D21 & D29 stamps and a New Haven CONN. US receiving cachet.		\$15.00
359			Cover	1942 Censored cover from Ireland to US with UK (right) & Irish (left) censor labels. Hib. D24 & D26 stamps canceled with a "Beal Atha Cliath" cancels		\$15.00
360			Cover	1942, Feb - Airmail Cover with contemporary Spanish stamps, Spain to Ireland with Irish over GB Censor labels (left), and Spanish (Sevilla) & multiple other censor cachets on front & rear, plus Dublin receiving cancel on rear		\$35.00
361			Cover	1943 - Airmail Cover (8 APR 1943) from Baile Atha Cliath (Ireland) to Switzerland, with Hib. D22 x 2, German censor label over British censor label (left), Irish censor label (right), British censor labels (top & bottom)		\$45.00
362			Cover	1943 - Airmail Cover from LUIMNEACH (Limerick) Ireland to France, with Hib. D16 x 4 & D24 stamps, via Foynes and Lisbon. Irish Censor label (left), British censor label (right), German over British censor label (bottom), Portuguese censor label (top). Multiple Portuguese, and German censor cachets on front & rear.		\$45.00
363			Cover	1943 - Airmail Cover with contemporary Swiss stamp, Switzerland to Ireland with Irish over GB Censor labels (left)		\$25.00
364			Postcard	1943 - Postcard from Germany to Ireland with contemporary German stamps. British & Irish censor release cachets on front. Additional censor numerical cachets on front		\$30.00
365			Cover	1943 Censored addressed cover from Ireland to the US with Irish (left) and UK (right) censor labels. Hib. C21 2½p stamp with BAILE ATHA CLIATH (Dublin) slogan cancel (24 Aug 1943)		\$10.00
366			Cover	1943 US Forces Cover used to Portadown, Northern Ireland. Cancelled US Army Postal Services/APO305 duplex. Opened by/Army/US examiner label at left. Passed by/Base/1102/Army/Examiner cachet in black on front		\$35.00
367			Cover	1944 - Airmail Cover (19 Mar 1944) from Baile Atha Cliath (Ireland) to Germany, with Hib. D22 x 2, German censor label over British censor label (left), Irish censor label (right), Madrid Spain transit cancels on rear. Additional censor numerical cachets on front		\$45.00
368			Cover	1944 - Letter from Baile Atha Cliath (Dublin) to UK, with Irish Censor label (left)		\$10.00
369			Cover	1944 Censored cover from Ireland to UK with UK (left) censor label. Hib. D17 x 2 & C22 stamps		\$10.00
370			Cover	1945 Censored registered cover from Ireland to US with UK (left) & Irish (right) labels. Hib. C10, C8, & C5 stamps canceled with "SR Tighe Laighean A'Cliaith" cancels		\$15.00
371			Cover	1952 - Airmail Cover from Dun Laoghaire (Ireland) to Austria, with Hib. D19 & D20 stamps, "Alliiertr Zensurstelle 148" (Allied Censorship Body) censor cachet on front, Wien (Austria)		\$35.00
372			Cover	Censored Cover with a strip of five 3d definitives (Hib. D21) with Cork cancels to US - Irish & UK censor labels.		\$25.00
Postal History - Covers, Postcards & others (Post 1922 Independence)						
373			Postcard	"1922 18 MR" (March) Postcard to US with Hib. T1 & T2 overprint stamps, with English spelling "RAPHOE" cancel. Very early use during transition period		\$10.00
374			Cover	1922 - addressed letter to UK, Hib. T15 overprint with Corcaigh 4 Sep cancel, and "Edinburgh 9 SP 22" redirect cancel		\$5.00
375			Postcards	1922 - Two commercial postcards to England, Hib. T15 overprint with "ARDEE" and "MOATH" cancels		\$10.00
376			Cover	1922 Addressed Cover to Dublin with DROGHEDA cancel (in English) on Hib. T16 stamp		\$3.00
377			Cover	1922 Addressed Cover to Dublin with ENNISCORTHY cancel (in English) on Hib. T16 stamp		\$3.00
378			Cover	1922 Addressed Cover to Glasgow with RAMELTON (Co Donegal) cancel (in English) on Hib. T15 stamp		\$3.00
379			Post card	1922 Addressed Cover to UK with KINSALE (Co. Cork) cancels (in English) on Hib. T47 & T48 stamps		\$3.00
380			Cover	1922 Commercial printed cover with Hib. T25 overprint and Baile Atha Cliath 27 DEC 22 cancel		\$10.00
381			Postcard	1923 31 03 Commercial postcard to UK with Hib. T47 & T48 overprint stamps, with English spelling "THURLES" cancel.		\$15.00
382	44		Cover	1923 Cover to "The Secretary, PHOENIX OIL AND TRANSPORT CO., Ltd., 308, Winchester House, Old Broad Street, LONDON, E.C. 2." with ½d Thom 3-Line ovpt with 10 AP 23 CDS		\$1.00
383	87(2)		Cover	1924 Official mail from National Museum of Ireland to Florence, Italy with Postage Due mark "OUARHERE POSTALE 6 E" and two 1½d Sc. #87 with BAILE ATHA CLIATH 8 JY 22 cancel		\$10.00

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Postal History - Covers, Postcards & others (Post 1922 Independence)						
384			Covers	1925 - 2 plain addressed covers - "1925 17 JAN" SLIGO cancel on Hib. D4 to US, 17 V 38 BAILE ATHA CLIATH cancel on Hib. C11 to England		\$6.00
385			Cover	1928 Saorstát Éireann Customs & Excise cover with Galway Krag slogan cancel (21 NOV 28)		\$20.00
386	65(4)		Cover	1929 Cover from Navan to England with four ½d (Sc. #65) and four "An Uaimh 30 XI 29" CDS		\$5.00
387			Cover	1935 cover (Wynn's Hotel, Dublin) to Germany with Hib. D1, D2 & C10 stamps with 24 JAN 1935 Baile Atha Cliath cancel		\$10.00
388			Cover	1938 May 17, "PAQUEBOT POSTED AT SEA DUN LAOGHAIRE" cancel Special Delivery and Airmail typed addressed cover to Portland Oregon, franked with 2 x 1p Hib. D2 definitives and 16c US postage (2 x 4c Scott 793 & 2 x 4c Scott 788). Portland Oregon receiving cancel on reverse with "Fee claimed at Portland, Oregon" purple cachet on front		\$10.00
389			Cover	1939 Cover to US with 30 06 39, "BAILE ATH, CO CHILL DARA" (Athy, Co. Kildare) cancel on Hib. D 4 stamp. Willington DE US receiving cancel with "Advise correspondent publishers of your correct address" US cachet in red on front		\$5.00
390			Cover	1943, Hib. D16 & D19 stamps, paying the wartime single letter rate on printed advertising envelope to Customs & Excise in Holyhead (Wales, UK), tied by Dublin machine and cancelled 10 May 1943. Forwarded from there to St. Katherine's Dock, London with remains of economy label tied green oval "CUSTOMS & EXERCISE HOLYHEAD" on reverse, cd for 13 May. Small single ring London 88 cancel for 19 MY 43 on front. Three strikes of framed "CANCELLED" in Green on face.		\$30.00
391			Cover	1945 typed addressed airmail cover to Switzerland with BAILE ATHA CLIATH (1 Sep 1945) cancel on Hib. D22 x 2 stamps. Purple cachet "NO AIR MAIL SERVICE BY THIS ROUTE AT PRESENT" on front.		\$7.00
392			Cover	1948 03 17, St Patrick's Day Illustrated Cover addressed to USA, with Port Lirge (Waterford) cancel on Easter Rising Stamp (Hib. C19)		\$7.50
393			Covers	1953 - 3 plain addressed covers - 23 MAY 1953 An Uaimh (Navan) cancel on Hib 2x C39 to Japan, 25 XI 56 cancel on Hib. C49 to US, 1 XI 79 Baile Atha Cliath cancel on Hib. C269, C270 & C271 to US		\$6.00
394			Cover	1953 typed addressed airmail cover to Switzerland with CARRAIGH NA SUIRE (Carrick-on-Suir) cancel on Hib. D17 x2 & D21 stamps		\$4.00
395			Cover	1956 Registered Airmail cover to US, with Airmail stamps (Hib. 3 x A1, 1 x A3 & 1 x A5), canceled "10 1 56, BUN AN PHOBAL" (Moville, Co Donegal) . Oakland CA JAN 13 1956 receiving cancels in red on reverse, plus " ??? CLARUITHE" Irish cancel in black on reverse		\$25.00
396			Cover	1959 Cover from Ireland to Switzerland, Hib.. D19 & D20 stamps with a "Baile Atha Cliath" cancel		\$2.50
397			Cover	1963 SE 19, typed addressed clean cover to London with 1d & 3d (Hib. D17 & D 21) stamps. Special cancel for Postal History Exhibition Dublin		\$2.00
398			Cover	1965 Registered Cover from Baile Atha Cliath to Alaska (USA) on Aer Lingus envelope, with 16 VI 65 frank and " Student discount to Paris by AER LINGUS" slogan. Also purple return cachet and back-stamped with Anchorage Alaska Jun 19 1965 receiving cancel		\$3.00
399			Covers	1970 - Co Antrim - covers with "NEWTOWNABBEY" cancel on QE2 Machin Northern Ireland regional definitive.		\$3.00
400			Covers	1970 - Co Armagh - covers with "LURGAN" cancel on QE2 Machin Northern Ireland definitive.		\$3.00
401			Covers	1970 - Co Derry - covers with "MAGHERAFELT" cancel on QE2 Machin definitives.		\$2.00
402			Covers	1970 - Co Down - covers with "BANBRIDGE" cancel on QE2 Machin definitives.		\$2.00
403			Covers	1970's - 1990's, Co Cork - 23 covers with mostly small Post Office cancels, now many closed. Including "DROICHEAD NA BANDAN" (Bandon) , "BEAL A HUELLA" (Ballyhooly), Ballincotty, Ballineen, Allihies, Aherla, Aghabullogue, Carraih an Ime, Blamey, Bantir, Carrigwohill, Cloich na Coillte, Charville, Churchtown South, Cloyne Donoughmore & other locations		\$40.00
404			Covers	1970's - Co Down - 2 covers with "NEWTOWNARDS" & "NEWRY" cancels on QE2 Northern Ireland Regional definitives.		\$8.00
405	290, 293(2)		Cover	1972 Cover from Cork to Carrigaline and P.O.T. ACLIATH - CORCAIGH OICHE Anios 20 VII 72 cancel on one ½p Sc. #290 and two 2p Sc. #293.		\$5.00
406	357		Cover	1977 Cover from Dublin to Gibbon, Minnesota with 20p Sc. #357 and Baile Atha Cliath 8 II 77 CDS		\$3.00

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407	358		Cover	1977 Registered cover from Dublin to Gibbon, Minnesota with 50p Sc. #358 and Baile Atha Cliath 7 V 76 CDS		\$3.00
408			Cover	1980 Express Cover from Feakle, Co. Clare to NJ, USA. 1 x 1980 25p Red Deer (Sc. 483) with cancel. Red post Office Express label on front, back-stamped with a Point Pleasant Beach, NJ 08742 circular timed received stamp.		\$3.00
409			Covers	1980's - Co Wexford - 3 covers with "TOBAR SCOILBIN" (Wells), "PAILIS COLOCH GARMAN", (Palace) & "RATH AN IUBHAIR" (Rathnure) cancels		\$6.00
410	553		Cover	1983 Cover from Dublin to Sheboygan, WI USA with 44p Architecture Definitive & Baile Atha Cliath 13 X 83 CDS		\$1.50
411	357, 358 & 550		Cover	1983 Registered cover from Maghchromtha to Cork with 20p (Sc. #357), 50p (Sc. #358) & 26p (Sc. #550) tied with MAIGH CHROMTHA 31 I 83 CDS		\$1.00
412	543, 598		Cover	1984 Cover from Dublin to Sheboygan, WI USA with 7p Architecture Definitives, 22p Gaelic Athletic Assoc. & Baile Atha Cliath 27 VIII 84 CDS		\$1.00
413			Cover	1985 Official Oireachtas Cover to Cork City with "PORT NA COLLE MOIRE" (Kilmore Quay) cancel		\$1.50
414	639		Cover	1987 Cover from Burnfort to London SW1 with Rath an Toiteain 21 IX 87 CDS. Multiple "NO SUCH ADDRESS. S.W.1." in rectangle and "Try EC3 XSW1" and "32 Corn Hill EC3" in blue manuscript		\$3.00
415	643		Cover	1987 Cover from Muinchille to Rochester, NY USA with 46p Architecture Definitive and Muinchille 7 DEC 1987 flag cancel		\$1.00
416	639		Cover	1989 Cover from Dublin to Roscommon (Divine Word Missionaries) with 28p Architecture Definitive & Baile Atha Cliath 1 XI 1989 flag cancel		\$3.00
417			Cover	1990 Air Mail United Nations cover from LEBANON to Ireland. 03 AUG 1990 Cachet., Folded		\$10.00
418	790, 791		Cover	1995 registered cover from Dlk, Co. Louth to Willow Street, PA (USA) with 52p (Sc. #790) and £1 (Sc. 791)		\$1.00
419			Cover	Cover from Irish U.N. Forces in the Congo to Clonmel, Co. Tipperary - no postal markings		\$5.00
420			Cover	2022 06 Dec. (Irish Free State is formally established by the British House of Commons) Illustrated commemorative addressed cover with Cnoc Mhuirfean BAC (Mount Merrion, Dublin) cancels on 2022 Saorstát Éireann, Childers & Irish Civil War N stamps		\$2.00
421			Cover	1923 05 24, Cover to commemorate 100th Anniversary of the End of Irish Civil War, Baile Atha Cliath cancel on 2022 N Irish Civil War Stamp		\$2.00
Postal History - Covers, Postcards & others (Pre 1922 Independence)						
422			Cover	1823 Cover from Stockbridge MA to Ireland (via NY & Liverpool). with "21 AU 23" red diamond cachet and "LIVERPOOL SHIP LETTER" grey cachet on reverse. Researched itinerary as follows: 1) Stockbridge MA (7/22/1823) privately carried to Black Ball Ship agent 2) New York BB Ship agent dispatched on packet "Canada" dept NY 8/1/1823, arrive Liverpool 8/19/1823 3) Liverpool (8/19/1823): processed - dispatched to Glaslough, (Co.Monaghan) Ireland		\$40.00
423			cover	1844 envelope from Drogheda to Dublin, with "Paid JU 18 G44" red square hand stamp, and "Drogheda JUN 17 1844" round hand stamp.		\$40.00
424			Cover	1844 Stampless clean folded letter to London, with clear "COVE MY 12 1844" double arc cancel, and "PAID MY 13 F44" red box cachet and "S PAID 15 MY 1844" tombstone shaped red cachet		\$35.00
425			Cover	1846 Stampless Folded Letter from Sheffield to Dublin with Sheffield SP 29 1846 postmark and red diamond 6K SE 30 46 marking. Rate marking lost on opening letter		\$5.00
426			Cover	1848, 1854 & 1855 Three Folded Letters - (1) 1848 Stampless Folded Letter from Birmingham to Dublin with Birmingham MY 23 1848 postmark and MY 24 1848 receiving mark on reverse, rate marking lost on opening letter; (2) 1854 Folded Letter from Wolverhampton to Dublin (stamp has fallen off) with green Wolverhampton AP 19 1854 postmark, red circle 4 AP 19 1854 receiving mark, and several hard to read markings; and (3) 1855 Stampless Folded Letter from Bristol to Dublin with black Bristol MR 30 1855 postmark, red circle MR 31 1855 E receiving mark and a red marking too light to read		\$10.00
427			Cover	1863 PO issued blue B9 envelope with embossed Queen Victoria 1p to Dublin with clear "CLONMEL JU 27 63" 142 Diamond Duplex cancel. Backstamped with clear "A CLONMEL JU 28 63" and "DUBLIN 2A JU 29 1863" cancels. Top back flap of envelope missing.		\$20.00
428			Cover	1870 Chief Secretary's Office OHMS envelope to Dublin address. Including documents re. appointment of Dublin High Sheriff. 11 21 70 Round Red Dublin "Official Paid" cancel		\$30.00

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Postal History - Covers, Postcards & others (Pre 1922 Independence) - cont'd						
429			Cover	1874 Great Britain ½p Postal Card to Dublin, with clear JU 6 74 186 Diamond duplex cancel		\$10.00
430			Cover	1879 cover to US with strip of 3 Penny Reds canceled by clear MY 9 70 "186" Diamond. "NEW YORK MAY 19" and "PAID AL?" receiving cancel on reverse		\$50.00
431			Cover	1886 addressed cover to UK with Dublin 186 Diamond Duplex on QV 1d stamp. London Ap 9 86 receiving cancel in red on reverse		\$40.00
432			Postcard	1906 Postcard to UK with "JAMES STREET DUBLIN: AU 14 06 cancel		\$10.00
433			Postcard	1907 - Postcard from Dublin to Belfast, on George V ½d stamp		\$1.50
434			Cover	1910 - Mourning cover with DEC 28 10 DROCHEDA cancel on 2 x George V ½d stamps		\$3.00
435			Postcard	1912 postcard to UK with Castletownbere / Bantry cancel		\$8.00
436			Cover	1912 Registered Letter to US (KGV 3d red-brown registered envelope) with "MENLOUGH Sep 17 12" cancel plus "BALLINASLOE Sep 17 12" cancel. (Menlough & Ballinasloe are both		\$35.00
437			Cover	1916 Cover from Dublin to London with DUBLIN Parcel Cancellor (J.A. Mackay 1808) of English ½d and two 1d King George V stamps		\$10.00
Philatelic Literature						
438			Mint	2020 Hibernian Handbook and Catalogue of the Postage Stamps of Ireland (current edition - likely to be the last Hibernian specialized catalogue). New - unopened €45.00 published price	€45.00	\$45.00
439			Literature	"1922 - Ireland - 1972" by Robson Lowe. Includes Overprints The First Issue, The chosen design for the 1st definitive issues with black & white illustrations of all the designs submitted		\$5.00
440			Literature	"The Revenue Stamps of Ireland" by David Feldman. Details on the Overprint issues (Admiralty Court, Chancery Court, Dog Licence, & Petty Sessions)		\$2.00
441			Literature	Copy of article "Plating the Thom 5 line Overprints" by ERINNEACH from "The Philatelist"		\$2.00
442			Literature	Copy of articles "Simple Studies in Irish Stamps - The second Harrison Overprint (Dec 1927) & High-Value Thom Saorstad Overprints (Apr 1928)" by C.F. McLoughlin from "The Philatelic Journal of Great Britain"		\$2.00
443			Literature	"Ireland today" Bulletin of the Dept of Foreign Affairs No. 886, 7 May 1976. Includes article on "Ireland in the World of stamps "		\$2.00
GB used in Ireland - Cancellations on Picture Postcards						
444			Postcard	GB used in Ireland (1901 - 1912) - Dublin Cancellations on Picture Postcards - 1907 International Exhibition Dublin cancel with US receiving cancel (1 card total)		\$7.50
445			Postcard	GB used in Ireland (1901 - 1912)- Co Waterford Cancellation on Picture Postcard - Cappoquin (1 card total)		\$2.00
446			Postcard	GB used in Ireland (1901 - 1912) - Co Antrim Cancellations on Picture Postcards - Portrush, Bushmills - with US receiving cancel, Whitehead, Ballymena, Larne, Larne Harbour, Ballintoy, Dunloy (8 cards total)		\$16.00
447			Postcard	GB used in Ireland (1901 - 1912) - Co Roscommon Cancellation on Picture Postcards - Ballinasloe (1 card total)		\$2.00
448			Postcard	GB used in Ireland (1901 - 1912) - Co Limerick Cancellations on Picture Postcard - Limerick with Calcutta India receiving cancel (1 card total)		\$3.00
449			Postcard	GB used in Ireland (1901 - 1912) - Co Cork Cancellations on Picture Postcards - Carrigaline, Kinsale, Buttevant, Rosscabery, Castletown Berehaven, Crosshaven, Glengarriff, Inchigeelagh/Macroom double cancel, Ballyvourney/Macroom double cancel (9 cards total)		\$18.00
450			Postcard	GB used in Ireland (1901 - 1912) - Co Clare Cancellations on Picture Postcards - Kilkee, Corofin, Clarecastle, Kilmihill / Ennis double cancel, (4 cards total)		\$8.00
451			Postcard	GB used in Ireland (1901 - 1912) - Co Galway Cancellations on Picture Postcards - Galway, (4 cards total)		\$6.00
452			Postcard	GB used in Ireland (1901 - 1912) - Co Donegal Cancellations on Picture Postcards - Glenties, Dunfanaghy Letterkenny, Letterkenny with US receiving cancel, Kilbeggan, Inver (4 cards total)		\$8.00
453			Postcard	GB used in Ireland (1901 - 1912) - Co Tyrone Cancellations on Picture Postcards - Cookstown (1 card total)		\$2.00
454			Postcard	GB used in Ireland (1901 - 1912) - Co Down Cancellations on Picture Postcards - Newcastle, Castledellan, Warrenpoint, Bangor, Banbridge, Dromore, Loughbrickland, Hillsborough, Holywood (9 cards total)		\$18.00

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GB used in Ireland - Cancellations on Picture Postcards (cont'd)						
455			Postcard	GB used in Ireland (1901 - 1912) - Co Down Cancellations on Picture Postcards - Newcastle, Warrenpoint, Bangor x 2 (4 cards total)		\$8.00
456			Postcard	GB used in Ireland (1901 - 1912) - Co Armagh Cancellations on Picture Postcards - Lurgan, Annaghmore Portadown (2 cards total)		\$4.00
457			Postcard	GB used in Ireland (1901 - 1912) - Co Meath Cancellations on Picture Postcards - Kildalkey Athboy x2, Athboy with US receiving cancel (3 cards total)		\$6.00
458			Postcard	GB used in Ireland (1901 - 1912) - Co Wexford Cancellations on Picture Postcards - Enniscorthy (1 card total)		\$2.00
459			Postcard	GB used in Ireland (1901 - 1912) - Co Kerry Cancellations on Picture Postcards - Killarney x 2, Kilgarvan, Kenmare, Listowel (5 cards total)		\$10.00
460			Postcard	GB used in Ireland (1901 - 1912) - Co Kerry Cancellations on Picture Postcards - Killarney x 5 (5 cards total)		\$7.50
461			Postcard	GB used in Ireland (1901 - 1912) - Co Kilkenny x 2 (2 cards total)		\$5.00
462			Postcard	GB used in Ireland (1901 - 1912) - Co Tipperary Cancellations on Picture Postcards - Carrick on Suir, Newport with London UK receiving cancel, Newport, Cashel (4 cards total)		\$8.00
463			Postcard	GB used in Ireland (1901 - 1912) - Co Tipperary Cancellations on Picture Postcards - Carrick on Suir, Newport with London UK receiving cancel, Newport, Cashel (4 cards total)		\$8.00
Presentation Folders & Specialty Items						
464			Revenue	1870 Petty Sessions (Ireland) District of Carlow, Solemn Declaration, including 2 six pence Green Queen Victoria "Ireland Petty Session" revenue stamps		\$35.00
465			Revenue	1900 Summons in the High Court of Justice in Ireland, including Two Shilling Embossed Supreme Court of Ireland Revenue Stamp		\$35.00
466	17, 33		Piece	1923 Parcel Post label piece posted January 29, 1923 from Rathmines with 6d Thom 5-Line ovpt in black (Sc. #17) and 9d Thom 5-Line ovpt in red (Sc. #33)		\$55.00
467			Perfin.	1931 commercial cover from Heney Ford & Son (Cork) to the US, with Henry Ford & Son PERFINs on Hib. D1, D2 & D4, with "Corcaigh" (Cork) cancels. Paying postage 2d for 1st 3oz + ½d for each add. oz. (Total weight 6 oz.).		\$50.00
468			Revenue	1944 Stock Dividend Certificate, for Great Northern Railway Company (Ireland) with Irish "da pingin" revenue stamp and South Africa 1d revenue stamp. Various cancellation cachets from a number of banks including Barclay's, Bank of Ireland on front & reverse.		\$35.00
469				1952 2d Hib D19 stamp used on 1952 reissued marriage certificate of a 1916 Church of Ireland wedding. Stamp canceled by hand signature 1/4/52		\$6.00
470				1955 Printed Paper wrapper to US, 1½d Hib. D 18 with "10 X 55" Dun Laoghaire cancel		\$15.00
471			Cover	1971 - Royal Mail 3p envelope to Kent, with "DUNGANNON CO TYRONE" (Northern Ireland) cancel		\$2.00
472			Cover	1972 EPA Cover commemorating 50 years of Irish Stamps. Illustrated postal stationery envelope with 2½p (Brown) and 4p (Purple) embossed stamps. Includes letter of explanation from the EPA secretary (Michael Giffney)		\$3.00
473	477-483 485 - 491		MNH	1980 Irish Special Stamps Folder (13 stamps) - Hib Cat CP13	€25.00	\$3.00
474	345(3), 397(12)			1980 piece from registered package from Ballinahowen with three 2p (Sc. #345) and twelve 9½p (Sc. #397) tied with Ballinahowen 15 XII 80 cancels.		\$1.00
475				1981 James Hoban, 18c US Scott # 1935, Block of 4 on Postal Commemorative Society Stamp Panel		\$2.00
476			Pres. Pack	1982 - 1988 Irish Architecture down the ages, An Post issued presentation pack, Hib. D105 - D132 (28 values), f-vf, Hib. Cat. €68.00 for MNH		\$20.00
477				1984 John McCormack, 20c US Scott # 2090, Block of 4 on Postal Commemorative Society Stamp Panel		\$2.00
478			Max. Card	1985 Fauna & Flora Maximum Cards with corresponding FD canceled stamp on front, 22p, 26p, 28p & 44p values. Set of 4. v-vf, Hib.Cat. : €12.00		\$3.00
479		CP24	Mint	1988/1989 An Post Year Book - Mint and still in wrapper	€85.00	\$15.00
480			Num.	1990 An Post issued Irish Heritage & Treasures Numismatic Cover, £1.00 Ardagh Chalice (D152) with 20 VI 1990 cancel and encapsulated £1.00 1990 BU Coin, f-vf		\$5.00
481		CP 29	MNH	1992 Year Pack - Folder	€55.00	\$15.00

Lot #	Sc. Cat. #	Hib Cat #	Cond't	Description	Sc. / Hib.Cat.	Reserve
Presentation Folders & Specialty Items (cont'd)						
482				1993 Christmas Card printed by An Post with design of Sc. #909 on front, a used copy of Sc. #909 inside card with First Day cancel and message from Pat Carolan, Manager, Philatelic Services		\$2.00
483		CP 33	MNH	1993 Year Pack - Folder	€55.00	\$15.00
484		CP 35	MNH	1994 Year Pack - Folder (missing plastic sleeve)	€55.00	\$15.00
485	927 - 928			1994 Ireland World Cup Collection Presentation Folder with sheet of 8 (MNH), FDC & Fixtures Chart in plastic sleeve - Hib: Cat. of stamps & FDC alone €21.00		\$5.00
486		CP 37	MNH	1995 Year Pack - Folder	€55.00	\$15.00
487		CP 39	MNH	1996 Year Pack - Folder	€60.00	\$17.00
488			Used	1999 Post Card to Collectors from Gerry Mooney, Marketing Manager, Irish Post Office announcing that the Irish Post Office would be at ASDA New York mega show 22/04/99 to 25/04/99 with printed Irish Emigration stamp and BAILE ATHA CLIATH 1 IV 99 cancel		\$8.00
489	U.S. #1301			1999 U.S. Souvenir Page for U.S. version of Irish Immigration stamp with First Day of Issue cancel - Boston, MA FEB 26, 1999 (slight wrinkle of page)		\$6.00
490			Used	2024 Unaddressed Picture Postcard with "LUIMENACH 16 1 24" cancel on Hib, D285 definitive.		\$3.00
491			MNH & FDC	1980 Fauna & Flora (Wildlife) Hib. Cat. C292 - C295, Miniature Sheet (Hib. Cat MS3- 8 off), 12p, 15p, 16p & 25p Control Blocks of 10 stamps, plate 11111 (all Grover), - 40 stamps total FDC Minisheet, Illustrated & unaddressed. Total Hib. Cat. Value €80.00		\$20.00
Accumulations & Large Lots						
492				Collection of 1990's era FDC's in Showgard # 896 Album. Approx. 55 covers, Hib. Cat. Sets 243C through to 298C with a catalogue value of greater than €300. All pristine illustrated & and unaddressed. The catalogue value for the album alone is approx. \$40.00.		\$50.00
493			MNH	COLLECTION - in Green Lighthouse Binder with slipcase on 29 Hanger Stock Sheets Mini-sheets MS1 - MS7, (multiple copies of some - 26 total) Christmas Sheetlets (1985 - '89) C421s, C449s, C475s, C502s, C531s multiple copies - total 17 off Sheetlets (1988 - '89) C484s, C985s, C516s, C517s multiple copies of each - total 22 off Ireland's Golden Age Booklet - 2 off Huge catalogue value in excess of €850 for stamps alone	€850.00	\$180.00
494			Used	Approx. 90 stamps on piece & used, 1922 - 1990, Co Clare cancels		\$40.00
495			Accum.	Collection of approx. 80 used stamps on stock page, 1950's - 1990's, some duplication. Catalogue value approx. \$80.00		\$5.00
496			Accum.	Collection of approx. 200 used stamps on stock page, 1970's - 2010's, some duplication. Catalogue value approx. \$150		\$10.00
497			Accum.	Collection of approx. 80 used stamps on stock page, 1960's - 1990's, some duplication. Catalogue value approx. \$80		\$8.00
498			Accum.	Collection of approx. 25 used stamps on stock page, 1950's - 1960's, some duplication. Catalogue value approx. \$35		\$6.00
499			Accum.	Collection of approx. 80 used Gerl definitive stamps on stock page, some duplication. Catalogue value approx. \$60		\$5.00
500			Accum.	Collection of approx. 60 used Architecture definitive stamps on stock page, some duplication. Catalogue value approx. \$50		\$3.00

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\$0 to \$5.00	\$0.25	\$25.00 to \$50.00	\$2.50
\$5.00 to \$10.00	\$0.50	\$50.00 to \$100.00	\$5.00
\$10.00 to \$25.00	\$1.00	\$100.00 to \$200.00	\$10.00
	\$200 and over	\$25.00	