

## FICC MAIL AUCTION #98

Welcome to FICC Mail Auction #98. This sale was published in the FICC Newsletter, Vol 27, Nr 1. Bidding deadline is Feb 28, 2019. **AUCTION RULES** are stated below. FICC members are requested to reference their copy of the Newsletter for the procedure regarding **SUBMITTING BIDS**.

### QUESTIONS

FICC members who have questions regarding any specific lot(s) are requested to contact the auction manager at the address (postal or email) given in the Newsletter.

### EXPERTIZING / CERTIFICATION ...

Lots with a realized price of \$75.00 or more (not including FICC fee) are eligible for this policy. Buyer must notify auction manager of desire for expertizing within 7 days after receipt of the lot. A mutually agreed upon service must be used. Payment **MUST** be made at end of auction (upon receipt of stamp). The payment will be held in escrow for up to 3 months. If the stamp is not genuine (or has significant defects not described), the buyer will receive a full refund for stamp and the cost of expertizing. If genuine, buyer pays full expertizing cost.

## AUCTION RULES & ABBREVIATIONS

### AUCTION RULES

1. Minimum bid is 10c (unless otherwise noted).
2. Highest bid wins. In the event of tie bids, the earliest postmark or email date stamp breaks the tie. Bid what you are willing to pay; winning bids are rarely reduced.
3. Auctioneer reserves the right to reject unreasonable bids. Bids received after the deadline will not be considered. Auctioneer's decisions are final.
4. If you wish to bid to win just one of duplicate lots, use OR between the lot numbers.
5. Bidders may specify the maximum total amount he/she will pay for all winning bids.
6. All lots are sold "as is" without warranty by auctioneer or FICC. In case of a dispute, the auctioneer will contact the seller and provide the name of the buyer and nature of the dispute to allow direct settlement.
7. An expertizing policy exists for lots with a realized price of \$75 or more (see above).
8. The club receives 10% of the hammer price from each lot sold. A 5% fee is deducted from the seller's total. a 5% fee is added to the buyer's total;
9. Shipping charges are added to buyer's total. Lots will be mailed using normal USPS rates. Winning lots totaling more than \$200 will be mailed insured, certified or registered.
10. Payment may be requested before shipment.
11. Bidding in this auction constitutes agreement to these rules.

Catalog values are from the 2018 Scott catalogues unless noted otherwise.

### ABBREVIATIONS

#### Centering:

- vf: even margins all around;  
f/vf: margins are uneven, but clear of design;  
f: perfs touch the design on 1 or more sides;  
avg: perfs cut into design on 1 or more sides.

#### Cancellations:

- used(l-cxl): used, light cancellation;  
used(m-cxl): used, medium/moderate cancellation;  
used(h-cxl): used, heavy cancellation;  
used(p-cxl): used, pen/manuscript cancellation.

#### Other abbreviations:

- cr: crease;  
cto: canceled to order;  
dg: disturbed gum;  
hr: hinge remnants;  
m: mint (likely hinged);  
mnh: mint never hinged;  
mpg: mint partial gum;  
mrgn: margin (ex: 4-mrgn)  
ng: no gum;  
ngai: no gum as issued;  
se: straight edge;  
sf: space filler (badly damaged);  
sl: slight;  
SON: socked on the nose (cancel).

#### Grouping abbreviations for Auction Listing

- #1s: Definitive/Commemorative #1s  
BOB = Back of the Book (i.e., end of listings)  
#A1s: Forerunner and District Post #1s  
#K1s: Foreign Offices / Gov't in Exile #1s  
#L1s: Local #1s  
#N1s: Issued Under Occupation #1s

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### #1s

<u>Lot</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>CV</u>	<u>Min Bid</u>	<u>Your Bid</u>	<u>Lot</u>
1	Allenstein Sc#1-14 mh f/vf	\$18.30	\$7.50	_____	1
2	Andorra (Fr) Sc#1 mhr avg	\$1.25	\$0.40	_____	2
3	Bechuanaland Sc#1 mh f	\$95.00	\$33.25	_____	3
4	Bermuda Sc#1 used(m-cxl) f hr [Crown CC wmk]	\$1.75	\$0.60	_____	4
5	British Honduras Sc#1 mng f	\$72.50	\$21.75	_____	5
6	Central African Republic Sc#1 used (l-cxl) vf	\$0.25	\$0.12	_____	6
7	Central African Republic Sc#1-2 used (l-cxl) vf	\$0.50	\$0.25	_____	7
8	Danzig Sc#1-15 mnh/mlh f/vf [#2, 6,15 mlh]	\$110.10	\$50.00	_____	8
9	France-Off in Zanzibar Sc#1 used(l-cxl) f hr	\$7.50	\$2.75	_____	9
10	Gr Brit - Scotland Sc#1 used(l-cxl) vf	\$0.25	\$0.10	_____	10
11	Italian Colonies Sc#1 mvlh f/vf	\$1.00	\$0.40	_____	11
12	Italian Colonies Sc#1-12 mhr f/vf [#4 thin]	\$17.50	\$7.50	_____	12
13	Mauritania Sc#1 mhr f/vf [heavy hinging, ink on gum]	\$0.70	\$0.25	_____	13
14	Transcaucasian Fed Rep Sc#1 mnh f/vf	\$4.00	\$1.80	_____	14
15	Trinidad & Tobago Sc#1 mng + #2 mh f/vf	\$5.25	\$1.25	_____	15
16	Zimbabwe Sc#414 used vf [extremely light cancel]	\$0.30	\$0.15	_____	16
<b><u>Change of Government #1s</u></b>					
17	Barbuda Sc#12-20/22-28 (Resumed) mnh/mdg f/vf	\$19.10	\$7.00	_____	17
18	Egypt Sc#322-40 (Republic) mixed f/vf [#327 used, #334 mlh, others MNH with toned perf tips]	\$53.05	\$10.00	_____	18
19	Hungary Sc#198-202 (Sov Republic) mh f/vf	\$13.00	\$5.20	_____	19
20	India Sc#227 (Republic) used(m-cxl) vf	\$0.60	\$0.25	_____	20
21	Ivory Coast Sc#167-69 (Republic) mlh f/vf	\$3.60	\$1.50	_____	21
22	Jamaica Sc#181-84 (Independence mnh f/vf)	\$9.65	\$4.35	_____	22
23	Jamaica Sc#185 (Independence) used(l-cxl) f/vf	\$0.80	\$0.35	_____	23
24	KUT Sc#148 used(m-cxl) f/vf	\$0.25	\$0.10	_____	24
25	Liechtenstein Sc#11-16 (National Postal Admin) mh/mhr f/vf	\$16.50	\$6.20	_____	25
26	Panama Sc#179 (Gen Issues) mng f/vf	\$0.60	\$0.20	_____	26
27	Panama Sc#179 (Gen Issues) used f	\$0.40	\$0.15	_____	27
28	Spain Sc#478 mnh fvf + #481 mhr f/vf (Republic)	\$3.75	\$1.30	_____	28
29	Syria Sc#300-305,C117-23 (Constitutional Govt) mlh f/vf	\$26.60	\$10.65	_____	29
30	Tunisia Sc#312 (Republic) used(m-cxl) f/vf	\$20.00	\$8.00	_____	30
<b><u>#A1s/K1s/L1s/N1s</u></b>					
31	PR China Sc#5L1 mngai mh f/vf	\$2.00	\$0.80	_____	31
32	Germany Sc#12N1-12 (Meck-Vorp) mhr avg-f/vf	\$10.05	\$3.00	_____	32
33	Luxembourg Sc#N1-16 mng f/vf	\$9.45	\$3.30	_____	33
34	Luxembourg Sc#N1-16 mnh (N8 is MLH) f/vf	\$23.60	\$10.50	_____	34
35	Romania Sc#3N1-3 mlh f/vf	\$19.50	\$8.00	_____	35
36	Russia Sc#N1-12 mh f/vf	\$22.00	\$9.00	_____	36
<b><u>BOB (Back of Book) #1s</u></b>					
37	Burkina Faso Sc#O1 used(l-cxl) f/vf [stuck to card]	\$0.25	\$0.10	_____	37
38	Thailand Sc#C1 used(m-cxl) f/vf hr	\$0.50	\$0.20	_____	38

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**BOB (Back of Book) #1s (cont'd)**

39	Azerbaijan Sc#4A mh 4-mrgn [grey paper]	\$0.25	\$0.10	_____	39
40	PR China Sc#5L5 mngai f/vf	\$2.50	\$1.00	_____	40
41	PR China Sc#5L9 mngai f/vf	\$75.00	\$30.00	_____	41
42	German States - Meck-Strelitz Sc#4 mng f/vf [signed]	\$65.00	\$19.50	_____	42
43	Indonesia - West Irian Sc#5a mnf f/vf	\$0.25	\$0.10	_____	43
44	Italian Colonies Sc#2-3,5-8 mhr f/vf	\$7.50	\$2.50	_____	44
45	Jamaica Sc#195-96 (Independence) used(l-cxl) f/vf [#196 missing a perf in UR corner]	\$7.75	\$3.00	_____	45
46	Mongolia Sc#4 used(light red cxl) f/vf	\$16.00	\$6.50	_____	46
47	Mozambique Sc#2 mng hr f (perf 12.5)	\$10.00	\$3.00	_____	47
48	Mozambique Sc#2 used(m-cxl) f/vf (perf 12.5)	\$5.00	\$2.00	_____	48
49	Mozambique Sc#3 mhr f/vf (perf 12.5)	\$1.50	\$0.50	_____	49
50	Mozambique Sc#6 mh f (perf 12.5)	\$0.85	\$0.35	_____	50
51	Mozambique Sc#7 mhr f/vf (perf 13.5)	\$4.25	\$1.25	_____	51
52	Mozambique Sc#8 mng f/vf (perf 12.5)	\$22.50	\$6.75	_____	52
53	Mozambique Sc#9 mh f/vf (perf 13.5)	\$3.75	\$1.50	_____	53
54	Mozambique Sc#10 mlh f/vf (perf 12.5)	\$225.00	\$90.00	_____	54
55	Mozambique Sc#10 used(m-cxl) f/vf (perf 12.5)	\$110.00	\$45.00	_____	55
56	Mozambique Sc#12 mhr f/vf (perf 12.5)	\$1.50	\$0.45	_____	56
57	Mozambique Sc#12 mhr f/vf (perf 13.5)	\$1.50	\$0.45	_____	57
58	Mozambique Sc#12 used(m-cxl) f/vf (perf 12.5) [thin]	\$0.90	\$0.20	_____	58
59	Mozambique Sc#13 used(l-cxl) f/vf (perf 13.5)	\$2.00	\$0.00	_____	59
60	Mozambique Sc#13a used(l-cxl) f (perf 12.5)	\$4.50	\$1.80	_____	60
61	Mozambique Sc#14 mhr f/vf (perf 13.5) [paper adh]	\$3.50	\$1.25	_____	61
62	Panama Sc#9,10,13 (Dept of Panama) mhr f/vf [9 stamps: #9, 4x#10, 4x#13]	\$13.20	\$2.50	_____	62
63	Panama Sc#10-13 (Dept of Panama) used f/vf [9 stamps: 5x#10, #11, 2x#12, #13]	\$3.15	\$1.00	_____	63
64	Pitcairn Sc#2 mvlh f/vf	\$1.15	\$0.45	_____	64
65	Singapore Sc#14 used f/vf	\$0.60	\$0.35	_____	65
66	Singapore Sc#2a,4a,9a,11a,12a,17a,18a used f/vf	\$7.70	\$3.00	_____	66
67	South Russia Sc#6 mnf 4-mrgn	\$1.50	\$0.50	_____	67
<b>#1 Twins</b>					
68	Argentina Sc#4 mhr 4-mrgn	\$3.25	\$1.15	_____	68
69	Argentina Sc#4 used 4-mrgn	\$100.00	\$35.00	_____	69
70	Bermuda Sc#19 used(l-cxl) f hr [Crown CA wmk]	\$0.30	\$0.10	_____	70

**End of Listing**