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**GERMAN SUBMARINE MAIL
OF WORLD WAR I**

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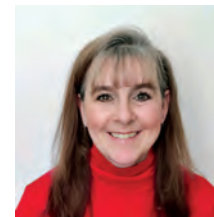
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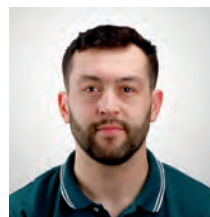
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Over \$200 to \$500; increase by \$25	Over \$15,000 to \$30,000; increase by \$1,000
Over \$500 to \$1,000; increase by \$50	Over \$30,000 to \$70,000; increase by \$2,500
Over \$1,000 to \$3,000; increase by \$100	Over \$70,000 to \$130,000; increase by \$5,000
Over \$3,000 to \$7,500; increase by \$250	Over \$130,000 at discretion of auctioneer.

Symbols Used

★★ Mint Never Hinged	☒ Cover	NYFM New York Foreign Mail
★ Mint with Gum	○ Used	TC Trial Color Proof
(★) Unused, No Gum/Regummed	S Specimen	SL Straight Line
R Reprint	E Essay	MS Manuscript
P Proof	▲ Piece	
o.g. Original gum	▣ Block	

Gum Categories:	MINT N.H.	ORIGINAL GUM (O.G.)				NO GUM
						
	Mint Never Hinged Free from any disturbance	Lightly Hinged Faint impression of a removed hinge over a small area	Hinge Mark or Remnant Prominent hinged spot; may have part or all of the hinge remaining	Large part o.g. Approximately half or more of the gum intact	Small part o.g. Approximately less than half of the gum intact	No gum Only if issued with gum
Commonly Used Symbol:	★★	★	★	★	★	(★)

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Grading and Condition

Superb	Extraordinary item in the finest condition.
Extremely Fine (XF)	A stamp or cover of outstanding and exceptional quality.
Very Fine (VF)	Scott Catalog's standard. Stamps will present a nice, balanced appearance. Covers appear new or show only minimal wear.
Fine-Very Fine (F-VF)	Stamp and/or covers are sound. Stamps are fully margined but noticeably off-center. Covers show normal travel wear.
Fine (F)	Sound in all aspects. Perforated stamps will have the perforations clear of the design; imperforate stamps will not be cut into to any significant degree. Covers show extensive wear.
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Minor imperfections are normal for 19th-century envelopes that have been postally transmitted. These include, but are not limited to, nicks, edge or flap tears, or slight reductions; folded letters will often have at least one file fold. Further, covers may have an ordinary stamp with a minor defect. Acceptable forms of conservation include light cleaning and edge mending. These conditions, even if not described, are not grounds for return.

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Please note that late payment for purchases may, at Daniel F. Kelleher's option, be considered just cause to revoke all return privileges.

Featured Biography



Bernard A. Hennig (1917–2014)

Bernard A. “Bud” Hennig dedicated his life to philately for more than sixty years, impacting not only his local Chicago collecting community, but beyond. He was the lead author of the first edition of the American Philatelic Society’s Manual of Philatelic Judging, as well as serving for twelve years on the APS Judges Accreditation Committee.

In the early 1980s Hennig was the president of the Collectors Club of Chicago and the Chicago Philatelic Society. He was the chairman of the AMERIPEX ’86 international philatelic exhibition.

Hennig’s exhibiting expertise included a gold medal-winning exhibit of Danzig at the Fifth International Philatelic Exhibition in 1956 in New York City. He also exhibited material including German Air Mails, German East Africa, Vatican City, and Guatemalan Air Mails.

Hennig was a member of the board of the American Philatelic Research Library from 1975 until 1997. The Bernard A. and Dolores Hennig Room at the American Philatelic Center in Bellefonte, Pennsylvania is named in his honor through a donation fund that was created by him and his wife.

In 1982 he signed Great Britain’s Roll of Distinguished Philatelists. He was elected to membership of the Royal Philatelic Society London in October 1957, was named a Fellow in November 1969, and remained a member until December 2007. In 1982 Hennig was awarded the APS John N. Luff Award for service to the American Philatelic Society. He also received the Smithsonian Institution’s Philatelic Achievement Award in 2008, the Hunt Memorial Award of the German Philatelic Society, the Hans Lagerloef Award from the Society of Philatelic Americans, the Saul Newbury Award from the Chicago Philatelic Society, and the Medal of Honor of the Philatelic Federation of Germany.

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CONDITIONS OF SALE - Public Auction

THE PLACING OF A BID SHALL CONSTITUTE ACCEPTANCE OF THESE CONDITIONS OF SALE BETWEEN BIDDER AND DANIEL F. KELLEHER AUCTIONS, LLC ("KELLEHER")

BIDDING

1. Unless announced otherwise by the auctioneer, all bids are per lot, as numbered in the printed Catalogue. Kelleher, as agent for the consignor or vendor, shall regulate the bidding and shall determine the manner in which the bidding shall be conducted. Kelleher reserves the right to withdraw any lot prior to sale (without liability to any potential purchaser or agent), to re-offer any withdrawn lot, to divide a lot or to group two or more lots belonging to the same consignor or vendor, and to refuse any bid believed not made in good faith. Estimates of sales prices contained in the printed Catalogue reflect the best judgment of Kelleher and are not minimum or upset prices.

2. (a) Bids shall be made in the steps set forth on the bidding page for increments. (b) The highest bid acknowledged by the auctioneer shall prevail. Should a dispute arise between bidders (including a dispute between a floor or internet bidder and the auctioneer acting on behalf of a mail bidder, consignor or vendor, the auctioneer alone shall determine who the successful bidder is and whether to reoffer the lot in dispute. Should a dispute arise after the sale, the auctioneer's sale records shall be conclusive. On all lots sold, a commission of 20% * on the hammer price is payable by the buyer to the auctioneer together with any sales and use tax or customs duties. (c) Lots may be re-opened as necessary to accommodate connectivity issues or incorrect bids.

3. (a) The auctioneer reserves the right to bid on behalf of clients (and consignors or vendors) but shall not be liable for errors and omissions in executing instructions to bid, however received, and whether such errors or omissions be those of the bidder or agent or those of the auctioneer.

(b) Lots are offered subject to a reserve price. The auctioneer will implement such reserve price by bidding on behalf of the consignor/ vendor. (c) It may also be assumed that all consignors have been advanced monies against the sale of their consigned material and Kelleher therefore has a security interest in the consigned material over and above the normal auction commission.

(d) Purchases made by a consignor or vendor or his agent on his own lots shall be considered as a sale subject to commissions and sales tax as applicable.

(e) Agents are responsible for the payment of the purchase price for all purchases made on behalf of their clients, unless other arrangements with the auctioneer have been confirmed in writing prior to the auction.

PAYMENT FOR PURCHASES

4. (a) Payment for lots, including those on which opinions are desired (Extensions), shall be as follows:

(b) Floor Bidders. Payment of the purchase price, or such part thereof as Kelleher shall require, shall be made by the purchaser in cash, bank or certified check, credit card, PayPal or in such other manner as Kelleher may determine. The name and address of the purchaser of each lot shall be given to the auctioneer immediately following the sale of such lot.

(c) Mail/Internet/FAX/Website Bidders. A successful mail bidder will be notified of lots purchased. Before Kelleher will send such lots, payment in full must be received by Kelleher within three (3) business days of receipt of the aforesaid notification by the mail bidder. However, a purchaser known to Kelleher at its option may have purchases delivered or forwarded for immediate payment (by a dollar draft, ACH or wire transfer from a U.S. bank in the case of overseas purchasers). Mailed delivery will be to the address on the bid sheet and proof by Kelleher of receipt of a sending at the advised address shall constitute delivery. This includes disputes for payments made via PayPal and/ or credit card. Buyer acknowledges that he/she waives their right to file a dispute in such cases with PayPal or their Credit Card Company. All charges for handling, delivery and insurance obtained by Kelleher on behalf of the purchaser shall be added to the purchase price; a minimum charge of \$20.00 will be made for same.

5. Title shall not pass to the purchaser until full payment has been received by Kelleher as agents for the consignor or vendor.

6. (a) Purchasers agree to pay for lots as specified in Condition of Sale 4 (or as the same may be modified by Condition of Sale 8), and no credit is extended; a late payment charge of 2% per month or fraction thereof shall be added if payment is not made in accordance with the aforesaid conditions.

(b) In the event that a bidder shall fail to comply with these Conditions of Sale ("Non-Complying Bidder"), then, as to any lot with respect to which such failure to comply occurs, Kelleher, may, in its sole discretion, re-offer such lot during the same auction or at an auction at a later time, or by private treaty sale at such time as Kelleher Auctions, in its sole discretion, deems appropriate and the Non-Complying Bidder shall be liable for the deficiency, if any, between the hammer price and the net proceeds of a sale to a subsequent purchaser, whether at auction or by private treaty, as well as for all costs and expenses of both sales, including all other charges due thereunder, including commissions with respect to both sales, whether payable to Kelleher or to a third party and all incidental damages. It shall be in Kelleher's sole discretion to determine whether to re-offer the lot theretofore hammered-down to a Non-Complying Bidder at the same auction, or by private treaty in due course, or at a subsequent auction conducted by Kelleher. In no event shall any surplus arising from the sale of a re-offered lot be payable to a Non-Complying Bidder.

(c) A defaulting purchaser shall be deemed to have granted Kelleher a security interest in property in Kelleher's possession owned by such purchaser. Kelleher shall have all of the rights afforded a purchase money secured party under the Connecticut Uniform Commercial Code (UCC) with respect to such property and may apply against such obligations all monies held or received by it for the account of, or due from Kelleher to such purchaser. Kelleher is authorized to file a Financing Statement in order to perfect its rights as a secured party.

(d) If Kelleher takes any legal steps to secure payment of a delinquent account, the defaulting purchaser shall be liable for all legal and other expenses incurred by Kelleher to secure such payment, including but not limited to a reasonable allowance for attorneys' fees. For purposes of this paragraph, the term legal steps shall be deemed to include any and all consultation by Kelleher with its attorneys with respect to all matters arising out of a delinquent account.

(e) Unless otherwise acceptable to Kelleher, payment is to be made only in the form of cash, bank check or certified check, personal check (which must clear prior to delivery of lots), credit card (AMEX, Visa, MasterCard and Discover), PayPal or a bank ACH or wire transfer. Payments made by credit card are accepted as a courtesy without surcharge.

WIRING INSTRUCTIONS:

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EXHIBITION AND INSPECTION OF LOTS; QUALITY AND AUTHENTICITY

7. (a) See viewing schedule for on-premises viewing and please note that we are a certified State of CT, COVID-19 compliant business. As the guidance and rules change, please refer to the CT.GOV

or CDC.GOV websites. Ample opportunity is given for on premises inspection prior to the auction date, by appointment only, and upon written request and at Kelleher's discretion. Live video viewing is also available, please contact our offices to arrange same, at least one week prior to the sale date.

(b) Each lot is sold as genuine and correctly described, based on individual description as modified by any specific notations in this Catalogue or as announced at the time of sale.

(c) Quality. Any lot which a purchaser considers to be incorrectly described and was not examined by the bidder or his agent prior to the sale, may be returned to Kelleher within two weeks of its receipt by such purchaser ("Returning Purchaser"), provided, however, that the same is received by Kelleher within four weeks of the date of the auction and in its original packaging; however, Kelleher may, in its discretion, refuse acceptance of such returned lot. If an opinion of a mutually acceptable authority is desired (Extension), the period of time within which a lot must be received by Kelleher will be extended in accordance with Condition of Sale 7(g). In the event that a dispute cannot be resolved by reference to a mutually acceptable authority, and Kelleher thereupon undertakes to re-offer the lot with a description identical to the description disputed, the Returning Purchaser shall be liable for the deficiency, if any, between the proceeds of the sale to the Returning Purchaser and the proceeds of a sale to a subsequent purchaser, as well as for all costs and expenses of the re-sale, including commission, and all incidental damages. Any lot, the description of which is disputed, must be returned intact and in the original packaging and in the condition received (unaltered) by the purchaser. The following lots are not returnable except at the discretion of Kelleher: (i) lots from purchasers who attended the exhibition of the lots; (ii) lots examined by postal viewers; (iii) lots on account of their appearance, if they are illustrated in this Catalogue or online; (iv) lots described as having repairs, defects or faults for any reason. (v) lots containing more than ten (10) items. (d) Authenticity. Any lot which is declared other than genuine by a mutually recognized authority is returnable, provided such lot is received by Kelleher within four weeks of the date of the auction. Proof that a mutually acceptable authority declines to express an opinion is not grounds for the return of a lot. (e) Expenses incurred by a purchaser in the submission and the return of a lot under Conditions of Sale 7 is not subject to refund. (f) Numerical grading is subjective and is based upon the condition of each issue. Lots may not be returned if a third party grades a stamp at lower than our grade. (g) Lots with existing certificates from the Philatelic Foundation (PF) or Professional Stamp Experts (PSE), British Philatelic Association (BPA), Royal Philatelic Society (London) (RPSL) and Australia (RPSA), Vincent Graves Greene Foundation (VGG) or any other expertizing authority as recognized by the International Association of Philatelic Experts (AIEP), for items within their specialty and dated within the last seven (7) years from the date of sale, will be offered and sold on an "as-is" basis and as so stated on the certificate. Such lots may not be returned for any reason, including but not limited to a contrary verbal or written opinion or certificate.

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9. All matters arising out of this auction shall be governed by the laws of the State of Connecticut without giving effect to the choice of law principles thereof.

ARBITRATION

10. Any controversy or claim arising out of or relating to this auction shall be settled by arbitration in the City of New York, State of New York in accordance with the Rules of the American Arbitration Association and judgment upon the award rendered by the Arbitrator or Arbitrators may be entered in any Court having jurisdiction.

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11. The purchaser at this auction (a) consents and submits to the jurisdiction of the Courts of the State of Connecticut and of the Courts of the United States for a judicial district within the territorial limits of the State of Connecticut for all matters arising out of this auction sale, including, without limitation, any action or proceeding instituted for the enforcement of any right, remedy, obligation and liability arising under or by reason thereof; and (b) consents and submits to the venue of such action or proceeding in the City of Danbury, County of Fairfield, State of Connecticut (or such judicial district of a Court of the United States as shall include the same, and (c) further consents that service of process in any action relating thereto may be effected by registered mail, return receipt requested address to the purchase at the address given to the auctioneer at the time of the sale.

BIDDING STEPS

12. Bidding Steps (Increments) are as published; bids made out of increment will be reduced to the next increment. Example: \$603 bid will be reduced to \$600, etc. "Split" or "Slice" bids are not accepted.

BIDS BY TELEPHONE

(a) Must be confirmed in writing unless waived by the auctioneer. (b) Any errors are the responsibility of the bidder. (c) No bids accepted less than 1 hour before the commencement of the sale.

BIDS BY FAX OR EMAIL

Bids must be received at least 1 hour before sale commences — be sure to use

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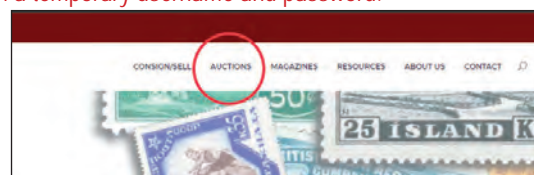
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GERMAN WWI SUBMARINE MAIL
THE *DEUTSCHLAND* AND ITS CREW



EX 3201

3201

Submarine *Deutschland* Picture Postcards, group of 13 different unused cards, including nine sepia cards by G.L. Thompson of New York, and one real photo card; a clean, fresh lot, Very Fine. Estimate \$200 - 300



3202

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Submarine *Deutschland* Captain Paul König Autograph, black & white picture postcard of the *Deutschland* issued to benefit the German Red Cross; numbered 75 (of 1,000); signed on the picture side, "...Paul König, Kapitän, U. 'Deutschland'", Very Fine. Estimate \$150 - 200



INSURANCE CERTIFICATES



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Insurance Certificates, 1916, First Issue (Michel WK 1), without printer's name, used Certificate "Nr. 0070" without a supplementary stamp, postmarked with a BERLIN "Accepted" c.d.s., 28 Dec; exceptionally fresh with minor edge flaws, Very Fine. Illustrated on page 31 of the Handbook. Michel €8,000 (\$8,640). Estimate \$4,000 - 6,000

The certificate itself had a cost of 50m and was good for a letter up to 50 grams. Stamps were required only on letters exceeding 50 grams.



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Insurance Certificates, 1916, First Issue (Michel WK 1), without printer's name, used Certificate "Nr. 0058" with a **25m First Issue stamp (Mi. 7)**, tied by one of two strikes of a BERLIN "Accepted" c.d.s., 16 Aug; faint horizontal crease, Very Fine. Illustrated on page 32 of the Handbook. Michel €12,000 (\$12,960). Estimate \$5,000 - 7,500

Michel adds a premium of €7,000 to the "cover" price for stamps used on First Issue Certificates.




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Insurance Certificates, 1916, First Issue (Michel WK 1), without printer's name, used Certificate "Nr. 0065" with a **50m First Issue stamp (Mi. 8)**, tied by one of two strikes of a BERLIN "Accepted" c.d.s., 27 Dec; faint horizontal crease and edge flaws, Fine to Very Fine. Illustrated on page 33 of the Handbook. Michel €12,500 (\$13,500). Estimate \$5,000 - 7,500

Most of the First Issue Certificates were used with Second Issue stamps. Michel adds a premium of €7,000 for stamps of the First Issue.



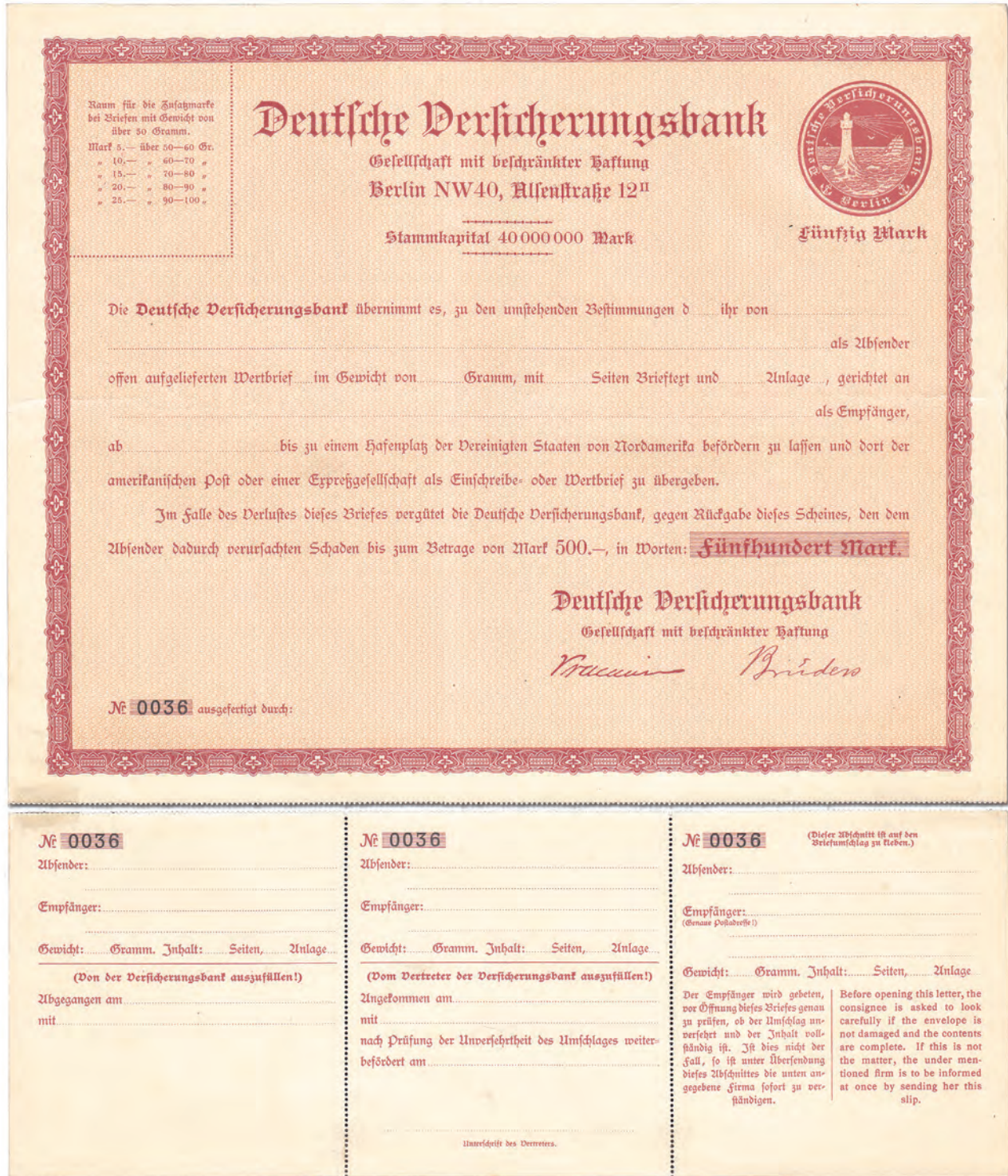
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Insurance Certificates, 1916, First Issue (Michel WK 1), without printer's name, an intact, unused Certificate with *all three coupons attached*, numbered "0196" (there were only 200 issued, numbered 0001-0200); folded in half vertically leaving a moderate crease and the perforations between the Certificate and the coupons is reinforced with some separation, still Very Fine. *There were only 200 of the First Issue Certificates printed*; detail illustrations on pp. 12, 14, 16 and 18 in Handbook. Michel €3,500 (\$3,780). Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



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Insurance Certificates, 1916, First Issue (Michel WK 1), without printer's name, unused Certificate "Nr. 0036" with the three coupons separated from the Certificate, but in an intact strip of three with minor separation; couple very light mounting stains at top edges, still Very Fine. *There were only 200 of the First Issue Certificates printed.* Not illustrated in the Handbook. Michel €3,500 if intact (\$3,780).

Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



3208

3208

Insurance Certificates, 1916, Second Issue (Michel WK 2), with printer's name, used Certificate "Nr. 0572" without a supplementary stamp, postmarked with a BERLIN "Accepted" c.d.s., 19 Dec; very light horizontal bend, Very Fine. Illustrated on page 34 of the Handbook. Michel €2,500 (\$2,700).

Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800



3209

3209

Insurance Certificates, 1916, Second Issue (Michel WK 2), with printer's name, used Certificate "Nr. 0359" with a **10m First Issue stamp (Mi. 4)** tied by one of two strikes of a BERLIN "Accepted" c.d.s., 27 Dec; vertical & horizontal creases and two punched filing holes at the top, otherwise Very Fine. Illustrated on page 35 of the Handbook. Michel €3,500 (\$3,780). Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



3210

3210

Insurance Certificates, 1916, Second Issue (Michel WK 2), with printer's name, used Certificate "Nr. 0724" with a **15m First Issue stamp (Mi. 5)** tied by one of two strikes of a Hamburg "Accepted" c.d.s., 24 Nov; very light horizontal crease, fresh and Very Fine. Illustrated on page 36 of the Handbook. Michel €4,000 (\$4,320). Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



RARE 100 MARK SECOND ISSUE USED ON A CERTIFICATE



3211

3211

Insurance Certificates, 1916, Second Issue (Michel WK 2), with printer's name, used Certificate "Nr. 0587" with a **100m Second Issue stamp (Mi. 16)** tied by one of two strikes of a BERLIN "Accepted" c.d.s., 19 Dec; light horizontal crease, minor edge flaws, and a bit of very faint soiling on the stamp's lower left corner, Fine to Very Fine. Illustrated on page 37 of the Handbook. Michel €15,000 (\$16,200). Estimate \$6,000 - 8,000



3212

3212

Insurance Certificates, 1916, Second Issue (Michel WK 2), with printer's name, used Certificate "Nr. 0363" without a supplementary stamp, postmarked with a Hamburg "Accepted" c.d.s., 16 Dec; vertical & horizontal creases and two punched filing holes at the top, the two bottom corners repaired, Very Fine. Illustrated on page 35 of the Handbook. Michel €2,500 (\$2,700). Estimate \$750 - 1,000

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3213

3213

Insurance Certificates, 1916, Second Issue (Michel WK 2), with printer's name, used Certificate "Nr. 0236" with a **50m First Issue stamp (Mi. 8)** tied by one of two light strikes of a BERLIN "Accepted" c.d.s., 19 Dec; vertical & horizontal creases and two punched filing holes at the top, Fine to Very Fine. Not illustrated in the Handbook; an *unused* "Nr. 0236" certificate is illustrated on page 11. Michel €5,500 (\$5,940). Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500



INSURANCE STAMPS



3214

- 3214 ★ Insurance Stamps, 1916, First Issue, 5m to 50m complete (Michel 3-8), a bright, fresh set, o.g., lightly hinged, Very Fine. Only 1,000 of the 5m and 500 each of the other values were issued. Michel €1,200 (\$1,300). Estimate \$500 - 750



3215

- 3215 ▲ Insurance Stamps, 1916, First Issue, 5m green & 10m carmine (Michel 3, 4), each tied on a piece of a coupon from an Insurance Certificate by a BERLIN "Accepted" c.d.s., the 5m 16 Aug, the 10m 23 Aug, Very Fine. Michel €550 (\$590). Estimate \$200 - 300



3216

3216 ★★田 **Insurance Stamps, 1916, First Issue, 5m green (Michel 3), complete sheetlet of 4, o.g., never hinged, post office fresh; minor separation, Very Fine. Michel €1,400 as singles (\$1,510). Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500**

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3217

3217 ▲

Insurance Stamps, 1916, First Issue, 10m to 50m (Michel 4-8), each tied on a piece of a coupon from an Insurance Certificate by an "Accepted" c.d.s. between 22 Aug and 23 Sep, the 5m BREMEN, the others Hamburg, Very Fine. Michel €2,300 (\$2,480). Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



3218

3218 ★

Insurance Stamps, 1916, Second Issue, 5m to 75m (Michel 9X-15X), rising steps watermark, o.g., lightly hinged, fresh and bright, Very Fine. *Only 500 each of the 5m-50m were issued; and just 300 of the 75m and 200 of the 100m.* Michel €1,970 (\$2,130). Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



3219

3219 ▲

Insurance Stamps, 1916, Second Issue, 5m-20m & 50m (Michel 9X-12X, 14X), each tied on a piece of a coupon from an Insurance Certificate by a BERLIN "Accepted" c.d.s. between 22 Aug and 12 Dec, Very Fine. Michel €2,000 (\$2,160). Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



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3220

3220 ▲ Insurance Stamps, 1916, Second Issue, 5m, 10m, 20m & 25m (Michel 9X, 10X, 12X, 13x), each tied on a piece of a coupon from an Insurance Certificate by an "Accepted" c.d.s. between 22 Aug and 24 Dec, the 20m BERLIN, the others Hamburg, Very Fine. Michel €1,500 (\$1,620). Estimate \$750 - 1,000



3221

3221 ▲ Insurance Stamps, 1916, Second Issue, 15m, 25m & 50m (Michel 11X, 13X, 14X), each tied on a piece of a coupon from an Insurance Certificate by a BREMEN "Accepted" c.d.s., 19 or 20 Dec, Very Fine. Michel €1,600 (\$1,730). Estimate \$800 - 1,200



A RARE NEVER HINGED 100 MARK OF THE SECOND ISSUE

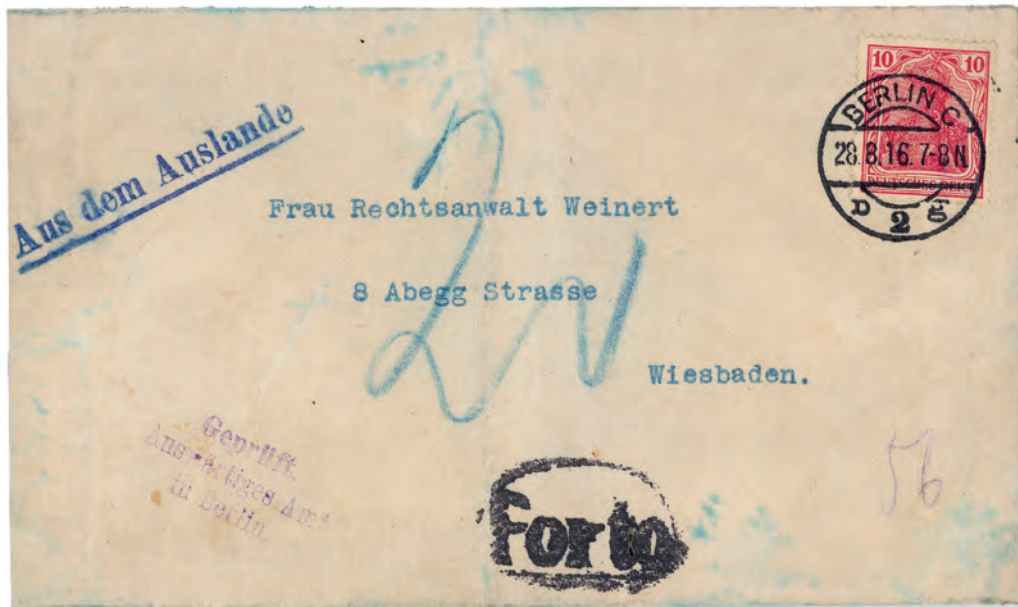


3222

3222 ★★

Insurance Stamps, 1916, Second Issue, 100m brown violet on gold (Michel 16X), rising steps watermark, a Choice, post office fresh example of the rare high value, o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine. Only 200 were issued. Michel €6,000 (\$6,480). Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000

FIRST RETURN VOYAGE



3223

3223 ✉

First Return Trip of the *Deutschland*, cover to Wiesbaden, via Berlin, where a 10pf Germania was applied and canceled on 28 Aug 1916 (*Deutschland* had returned on 25 Aug); the cover was stamped "Aus dem Auslande" (From Abroad) in blue and censor's "Geprüft. Auswärtiges Amt in Berlin." in purple (faint); since the cover was from overseas, it should have been rates at 20pf, so it was handstamped "Porto" and marked "20" in blue crayon (double the shortage); part of the sender's message written on the back of the cover; reduced just a tad at the left with a light vertical file fold, Fine to Very Fine. One of only three recorded covers from *Deutschland*'s first return voyage. Illustrated on page 5 of the Handbook. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



SECOND RETURN VOYAGE
NAVAL PERSONNEL MAIL



3224

3224 ☒

Cover from Philadelphia Pa. to Chemnitz, Nov 4 "Marine Schiffspost Nr. 3" c.d.s.; from a German Sailor stationed on the *Crown Prince Wilhelm* in Philadelphia; censor label from Military Censor Office 0.17 in Berlin folded over the top; opened out for display, Very Fine. Illustrated on page 40 of the Handbook. Estimate \$200 - 300



3225

3225 ☒

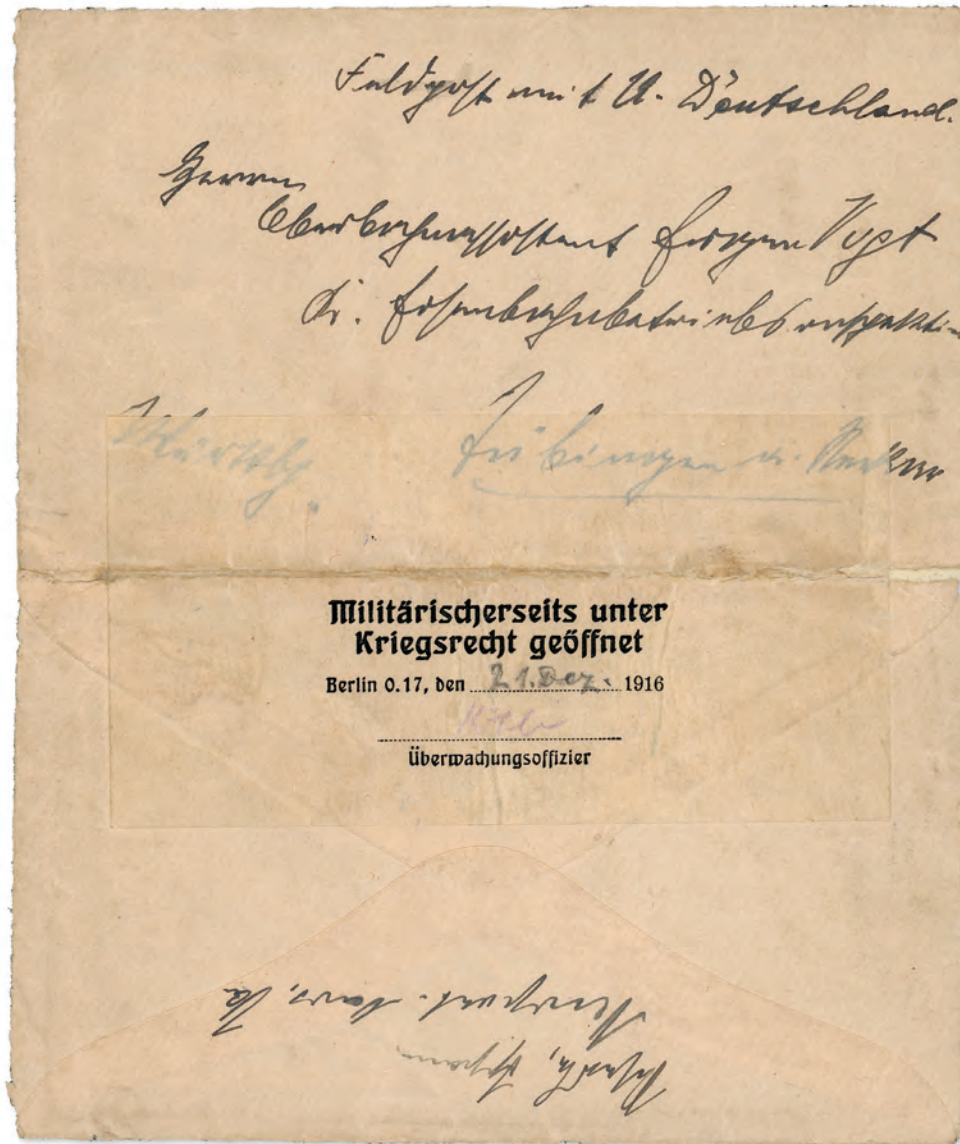
Cover from Portsmouth, Va. to Hamburg-St. Pauli, Nov 1 "Marine Schiffspost Nr. 3" c.d.s.; from a German Sailor stationed on the *Prince Eitel Friedrich* in Portsmouth; Censor label dated Dec 17 from Military Censor Office O.17 in Berlin seals the flap on Dec 17; reduced somewhat at the left, opened out for display, Very Fine. Illustrated on page 41 of the Handbook. Estimate \$200 - 300



3226

3226 ☒

Cover from Philadelphia Pa. to Bremen, Nov 4 "Marine Schiffspost Nr. 3" c.d.s.; from a German Sailor stationed on the *Prince Eitel Friedrich* in Philadelphia; Censor label dated Dec 21 from Military Censor Office O.17 in Berlin wrapped over the top; the cover is actually a **turned and reused envelope**, the original usage was from Rostock to the same Sailor aboard the *Prince Eitel Friedrich* while it was stationed in Portsmouth, Va.; with British "Censor P.W. 107" label; opened out for display, Very Fine. Illustrated on page 42 of the Handbook. Estimate \$300 - 400



3227

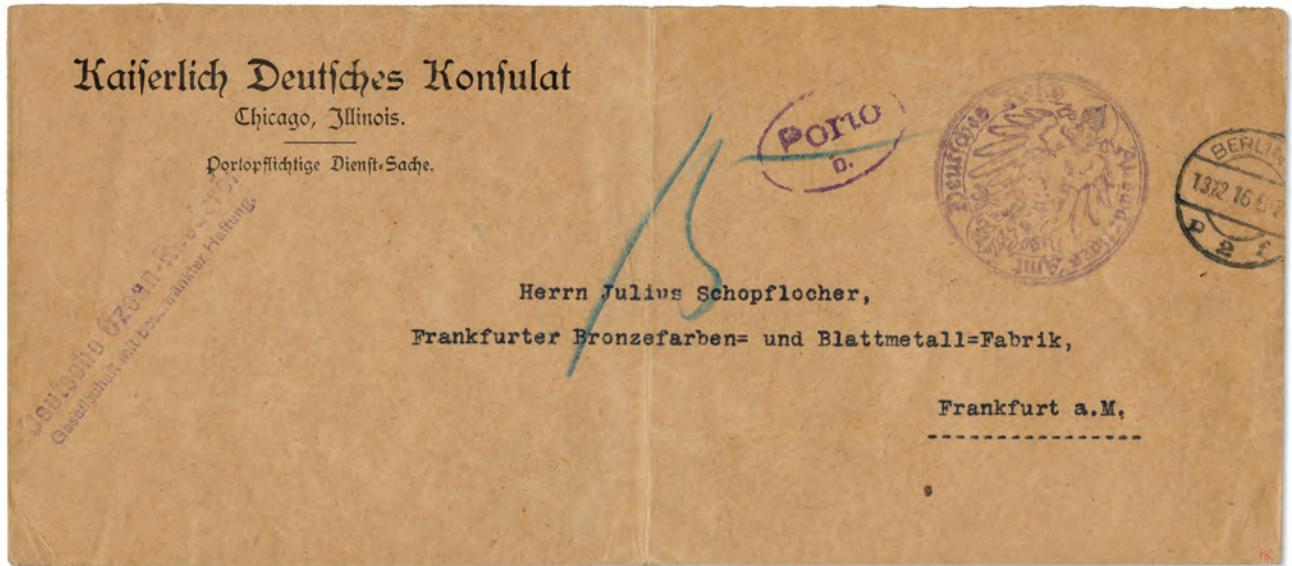
3227 ✉

Cover from Newport News, Va. to Tübingen, cover with no postal markings from a German Sailor aboard the *Appam* in Newport News, Va.; Censor label dated Dec 21 from Military Censor Office O.17 in Berlin wrapped over the top; opened out for display, the fold reinforced, Very Fine. *Unique!* Illustrated on pages 43-45 of the Handbook. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

The cover was inscribed by the sender, "Feldpost mit U. [nterseeboot] Deutschland," apparently prompting the recipient of the letter to write to Capt. Paul König of the *Deutschland*, asking him if the letter had actually been carried on a submarine. *Included with this cover is König's handwritten response (and the cover in which it was mailed), datelined Hamburg, 25 May 1917, confirming that said letter had indeed been carried by submarine from the United States to Germany.*



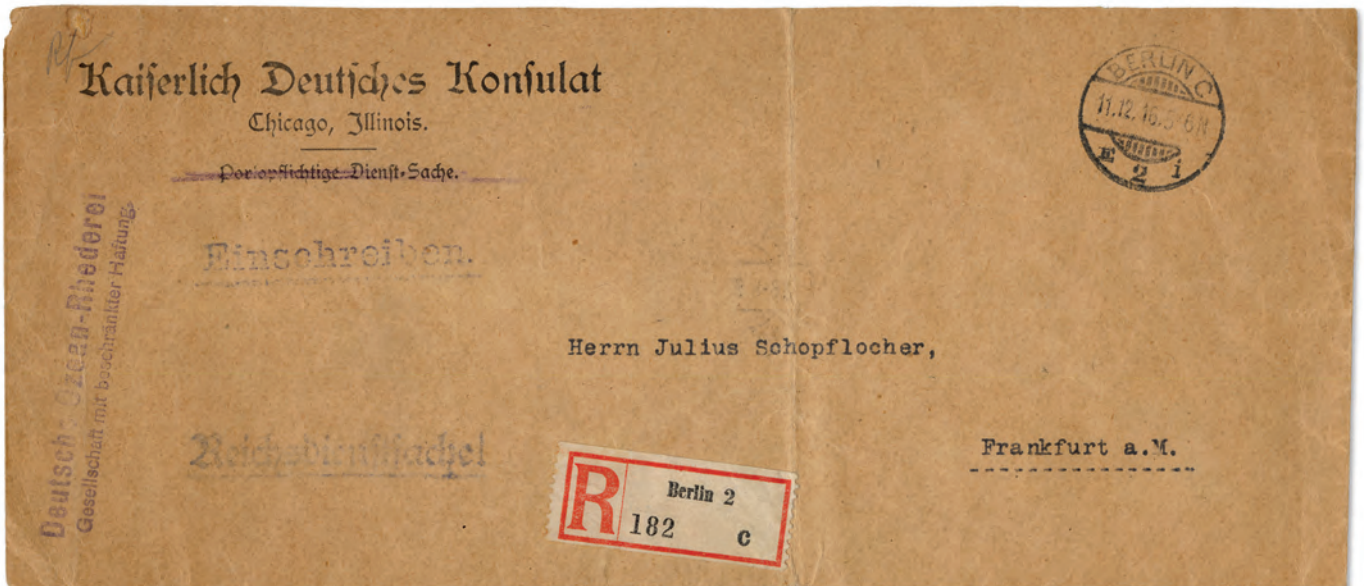
OFFICIAL MAIL



3228

3228 ☒

Diplomatic Mail from the German Consulate in Chicago to Frankfurt, legal size Consulate envelope with the Foreign Office pictorial handstamp, the German Ocean Shipping Company's 2-line handstamp, 15pf Postage Due markings and a 13 Dec Berlin c.d.s.; a paper seal of the Consulate seals the flap; central vertical file fold, Very Fine. Illustrated on page 46 of the Handbook. Estimate \$200 - 300



3229

3229 ☒

Diplomatic Mail from the German Consulate in Chicago to Frankfurt, legal size Consulate envelope sent Registered to Frankfurt with a Berlin Registered label and 11 Dec receiving date stamp; on the reverse is the Foreign Office pictorial handstamp, the Consulate's paper seal, and a 13 Dec Frankfurt c.d.s.; central vertical file fold partly torn, otherwise Very Fine. Illustrated on page 47 of the Handbook. Estimate \$200 - 300



COMMERCIAL MAIL



3230

3230 ☒

Commercial Mail from New York to Hamburg, legal size cover with *Steinway & Sons* corner card forwarded outside the mails to the Government Post Office in Berlin where it was postmarked 18 Dec, censored, and charged 35pf Postage Due; no Hamburg markings; redirected somewhat at the top, with a central vertical file fold, otherwise Very Fine. Illustrated on page 48 of the Handbook. Estimate \$200 - 300



3231

3231 ☒

Commercial Mail from San Francisco to Hamburg, cover with *North German Lloyd Steamship Co.* corner card to the Dresden Bank in Berlin; franked with 5pf & 10pf Germanias with "NDL" *per fins* tied by an 11 Dec Bremen machine cancel; sender's endorsement, "per Unterseeboot 'DEUTSCHLAND';" backstamped with a Bremen Military Censor's handstamp and a 11 Dec Norddeutscher Lloyd c.d.s.; very minor stain at the lower left, light vertical file fold, Very Fine. Illustrated on page 49 of the Handbook. Estimate \$250 - 350



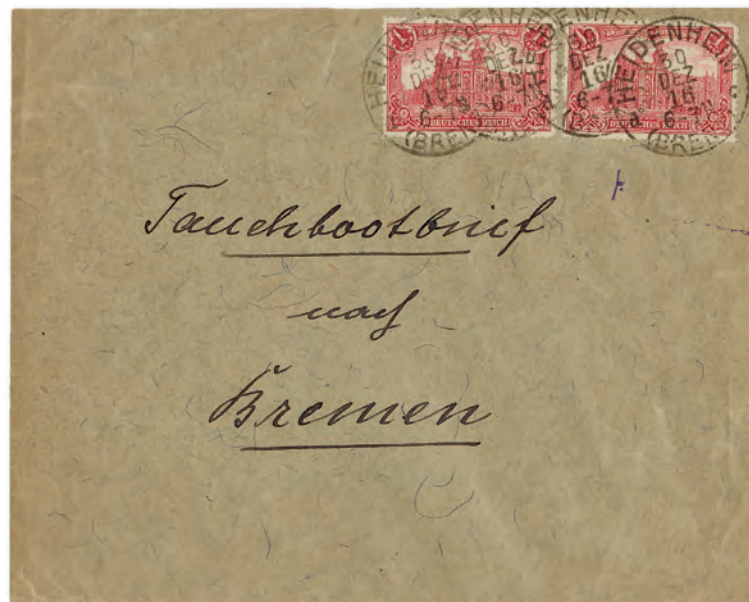
THIRD VOYAGE TO THE US OUTER ENVELOPES



3232

3232 ☒

Submarine Letter to Bremen, forwarding cover franked with a 2m blue tied by two Stuttgart c.d.s.s, 4 Jan 1917; reduced a bit at the bottom, Very Fine. *Would have contained a single properly franked and addressed cover.* Illustrated on page 51 of the Handbook. Estimate \$200 - 300



3233

3233 ☒

Submarine Letter to Bremen, forwarding cover franked with two 1m carmine tied by four Heidenheim c.d.s.s, 30 Dec 1916; reduced a bit at the bottom, Very Fine. Illustrated on page 52 of the Handbook. Estimate \$250 - 350



3234

3234 ✉

Submarine Letter to Bremen, forwarding cover franked with two 2m blue tied by four Cannstatt c.d.s.s, 14 Jan 1917, Very Fine. *Would have contained two properly franked and addressed covers at a cost of 2m each.* Illustrated on page 52 of the Handbook. Estimate \$300 - 400



3235

3235 ✉

Submarine Letter to Bremen, oversize forwarding cover franked with **seven** 2m blue, each tied by fresh and single Stuttgart c.d.s., 3 Jan 1917; reduced by about an inch at top with some moderate wrinkling and a vertical file fold, Fine and rare. *Would have contained seven covers at a cost of 2m each.* Illustrated on page 53 of the Handbook. Estimate \$500 - 750



3236

3236 ✉

Submarine Letter to Bremen, forwarding cover franked with two 1m carmine tied by two Crailsheim c.d.s.s, 14 Jan 1917, exceptionally fresh and Very Fine. Not illustrated in the Handbook, signed Grobe. Estimate \$250 - 350



3237

3237 ✉

Submarine Letter to Bremen - Austrian Mail, forwarding cover franked with an Austrian 3k claret tied by Buchau-Böhmen c.d.s., date not struck up, Very Fine. Illustrated on page 54 of the Handbook, signed Sam Ray and one other. Estimate \$300 - 400



3238

3238 ☒

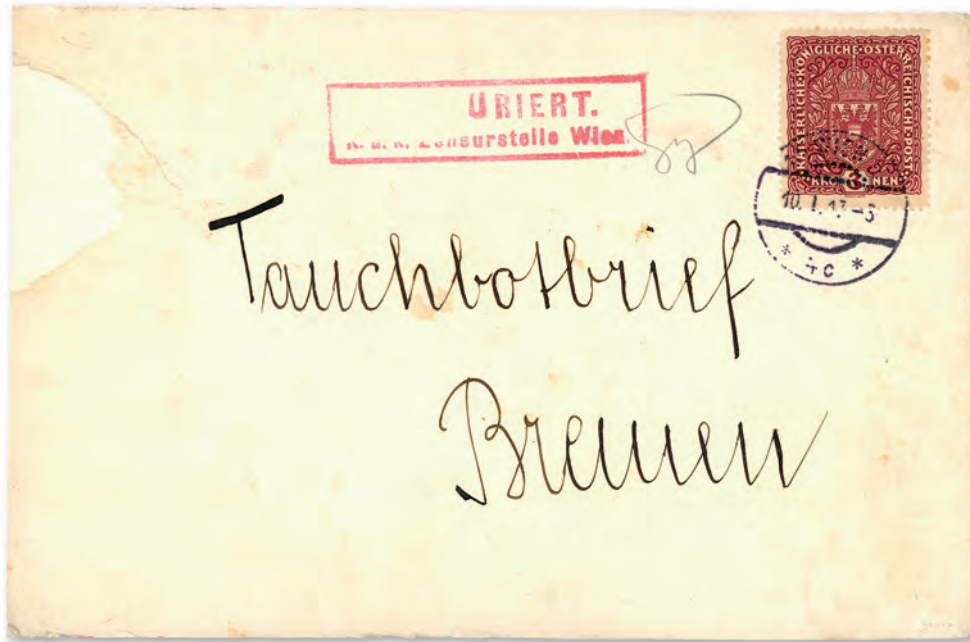
Submarine Letter to Bremen - Austrian Mail, forwarding cover franked with an Austrian 3k claret tied by Vienna c.d.s., 13 Jan 1917; red framed Vienna Censor's handstamp and manuscript initials on the front, paper seal of the same Agency on the flap; minor central vertical file fold, Very Fine. Illustrated on page 54 of the Handbook. Estimate \$350 - 500



3239

3239 ☒

Submarine Letter to Bremen - Austrian Mail, forwarding cover franked with an Austrian 3k claret tied by Vienna c.d.s., 10 Jan 1917; red *unframed* Vienna Censor's handstamp and manuscript initials on the front, Very Fine. Illustrated on page 54 of the Handbook. Estimate \$250 - 350



3240

3240 ✉

Submarine Letter to Bremen - Austrian Mail, forwarding cover franked with an Austrian 3k claret tied by Vienna c.d.s., 10 Jan 1917; red framed Vienna Censor's handstamp (incomplete strike) and manuscript initials on the front, paper seal of the same Agency on the flap; missing piece on the left edge repaired, otherwise Very Fine. Not illustrated in the Handbook. Estimate \$200 - 300



3241

3241 ✉

Submarine Letter to Bremen - Austrian Mail, forwarding cover franked with three Austrian 2k blue tied by Vienna c.d.s.s, 12 Jan 1917; red framed Vienna Censor's handstamp on the front, Very Fine. *Would have contained two properly franked and addressed covers at a cost of 3k each.* Illustrated on page 55 of the Handbook. Estimate \$350 - 500



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3242

3242 ☒

Submarine Letter to Bremen - Austrian Mail, forwarding cover franked with **five** Austrian 3k claret tied by Baden bei Wien c.d.s., 15 Jan 1917; red framed Vienna Censor's handstamp and manuscript initials on the front, paper seal of the same Agency on the flap, Very Fine. *Would have contained five covers at a cost of 3k each.* Illustrated on page 56 of the Handbook, signed Sam Ray and one other. Estimate \$500 - 750



3243

3243 ☒

Submarine Letter to Bremen - Hungarian Mail, forwarding cover—a 35f stamped envelope—uprated with four stamps, totaling the proper 3.20k rate, tied by Temerrékas c.d.s.s, 30 Jan 1917; red “Tauchbootbrief nach Bremen.” handstamp applied at Budapest alongside a partial Budapest c.d.s., Very Fine. *Would have contained a single properly franked and addressed cover.* Illustrated on page 56 of the Handbook. Estimate \$400 - 600



3244

3244 ☒

Submarine Letter to Bremen - Hungarian Mail, forwarding cover franked with three stamps totaling 3.20k tied by Brasso c.d.s.s, 15 Jan 1917; faintly struck red "Tauchbootbrief nach Bremen." handstamp applied at Budapest alongside an 18 Jan Budapest c.d.s., Very Fine. Illustrated on page 57 of the Handbook.

Estimate \$400 - 600

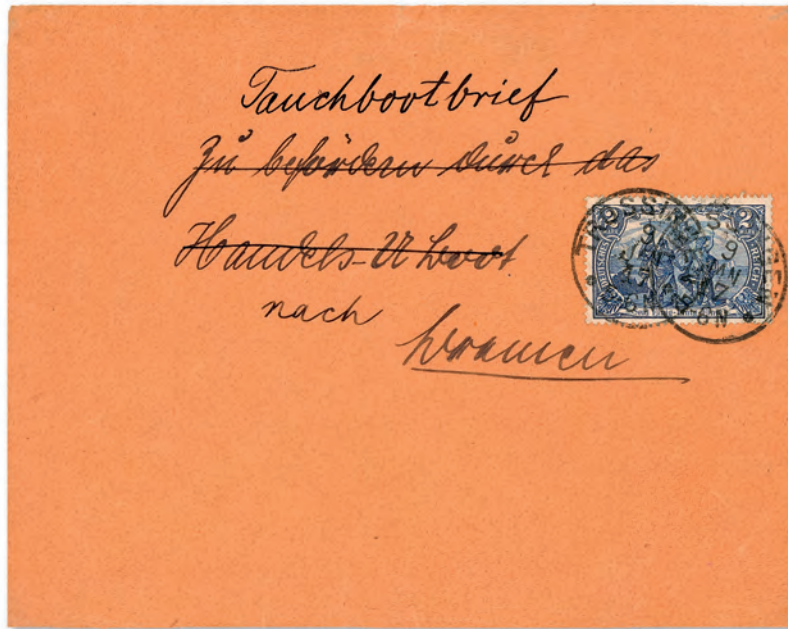


3245

3245 ☒

Submarine Letter to Bremen, Violation of Regulations, forwarding cover franked with a 2m blue tied by two of three Stuttgart c.d.s.s, 30 Dec 1916; originally addressed to the recipient, rather than the required "Tauchbootbrief nach Bremen;" the sender realized the error and corrected it himself, Very Fine. Illustrated on page 58 of the Handbook.

Estimate \$350 - 500



3246

3246 ✉

Submarine Letter to Bremen, Violation of Regulations, forwarding cover franked with 2m blue tied by two Trossingen c.d.s.s, 9 Jan 1917; originally addressed to the recipient, rather than the required "Tauchbootbrief nach Bremen;" the sender realized the error and corrected it himself, Very Fine. Illustrated on page 58 of the Handbook. Estimate \$350 - 500



EX 3247

3247 ✉

Group of Four Outer Submarine Covers, with the required manuscript "Tauchbootbrief nach Bremen" address; two of them with a single 2m blue (one of them with an edge tear), one with two 1m carmine (this one partly toned), and one with two 2m blue; still on Hennig's Exhibition pages, none of them illustrated in the Handbook, Fine to Very Fine. Estimate \$300 - 400



INNER ENVELOPES



3248

3248 (✉)

Returned Submarine Mail - Discontinuation of Service, commercial cover *front only* from Schramberg to Buenos Aires, Argentina, 4 Jan 1917 with the Bremen Submarine cachet (15 Jan 1917) and the type 2-A Return handstamp, Very Fine. Illustrated on page 61 of the Handbook. Estimate \$100 - 150



3249

3249 ✉

Returned Submarine Mail - Discontinuation of Service - Austrian Mail, cover from Vienna to Chicago, 11 Jan 1917, with red Vienna censor's handstamp, manuscript initials, a Bremen Submarine cachet (20 Jan 1917) and a Bremen small "O" censor's handstamp; no indication of return or refund; light vertical file fold, Very Fine. Illustrated on page 63 of the Handbook. Estimate \$200 - 300



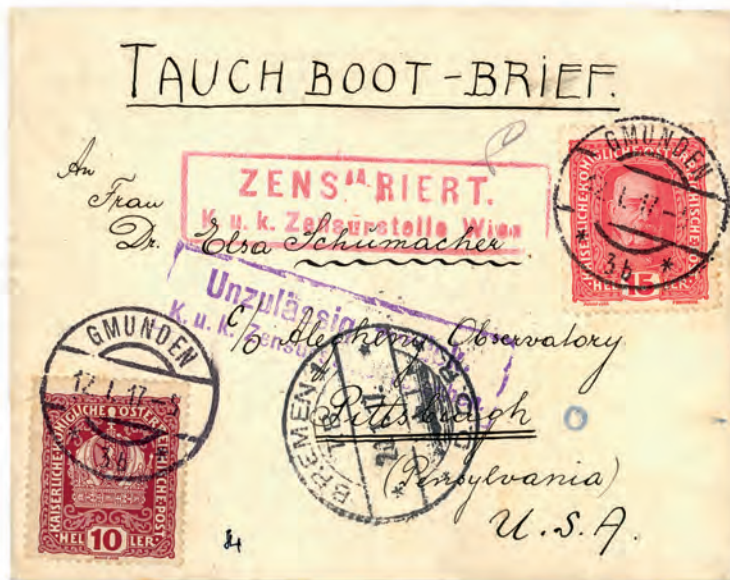
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3250

3250 ☒

Returned Submarine Mail - Discontinuation of Service - Austrian Mail, cover from Vienna to the U.S., 16 Jan 1917, with red Vienna censor's handstamp, Bremen Submarine cachet (16 Jan 1917), type 3 Return handstamp, "Zurück Postverkehr eingestellt," and a Bremen small "Q" censor's handstamp; no indication of refund; egde flaws including one damaged stamp, Fine. Illustrated on page 64 of the Handbook. Estimate \$100 - 150



3251

3251 ☒

Returned Submarine Mail - Discontinuation of Service - Austrian Mail, cover *front only* from Gmunden to Pittsburgh, Pa., 12 Jan 1917, with red Vienna censor's handstamp and manuscript initials, purple "Unzulässig Zurück" (Inadmissible - Return) censor's handstamp, Bremen Submarine cachet (20 Jan 1917 and small "O" censor's handstamp; no indication of refund; egde flaws including one damaged stamp, Extremely Fine. Not illustrated in the Handbook. Estimate \$100 - 150



3252

3252 ☒

Returned Submarine Mail - Discontinuation of Service - Austrian Mail, cover from Vienna to New York, 13 Jan 1917, with red Vienna censor's handstamp and manuscript initials, purple type 4 Return handstamp, "Tauchbootverkehr eingestellt. Zurück," Bremen Submarine cachet (20 Jan 1917), and small "O" censor's handstamp; no indication of refund; central vertical file fold slightly split at the top, Very Fine. Illustrated on page 65 of the Handbook. Estimate \$100 - 150



3253

3253 ☒

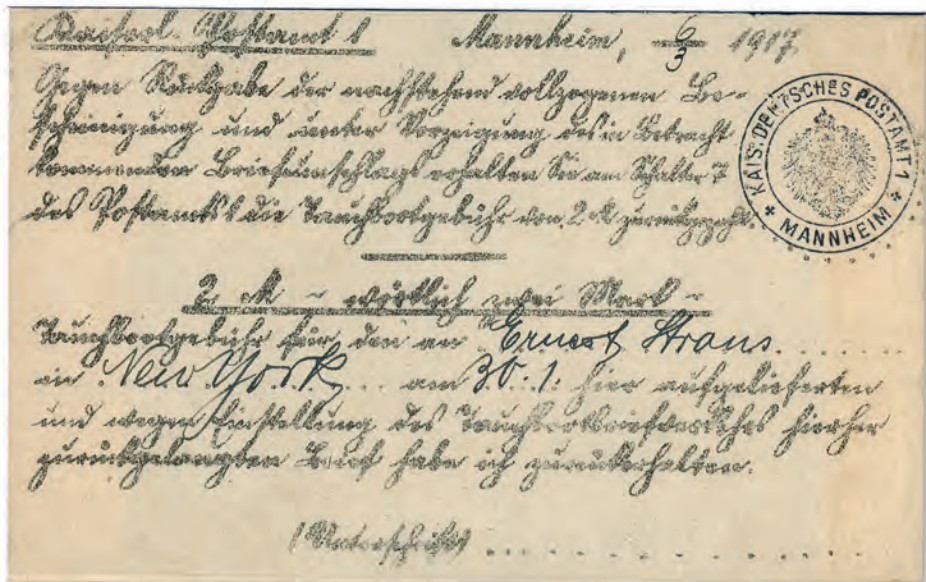
Returned Submarine Mail - Discontinuation of Service - Hungarian Mail, cover from Brasso to São Paulo, Brazil, 15 Jan 1917, with blurry strike of a Hungarian censor's handstamp and a Bremen Submarine cachet (30 Jan 1917) small "O" censor's handstamp; Martial Law label on the reverse; no indication of refund; includes a small Budapest Post Office form explaining the reason for the return, "[D]elivery by submarine is no longer in force.", Fine to Very Fine. Illustrated on pages 66 & 99 of the Handbook. Estimate \$100 - 150



3254

3254 ☒

Returned Submarine Mail - Discontinuation of Service - Hungarian Mail, cover from Budapest to New York, 15 Jan 1917; Hungarian censor's handstamp and initials, Bremen Submarine cachet (20 Jan 1917) and small censor's "O", plus a red "Tauchbootbriefe nach Bremen;" Hungarian Martial Law label on the reverse. Upon return to Hungary, "New York City" was crossed out and the sender's address was transcribed from the back to the front to facilitate delivery; no indication of refund; opened out for display, Very Fine. Illustrated on pages 66 & 93 of the Handbook. Estimate \$200 - 300



3255

3255 ☒

Returned Submarine Mail - Discontinuation of Service, partly-printed (mimeographed) Refund Receipt for the 2m Submarine fee, issued by the Mannheim Post Office on 6 Mar 1917 for a cover that had been mailed to New York on 30 Jan 1917, Very Fine, and rare. Illustrated on page 67 of the Handbook. Estimate \$300 - 400



CENSORSHIP



3256

3256 ☒

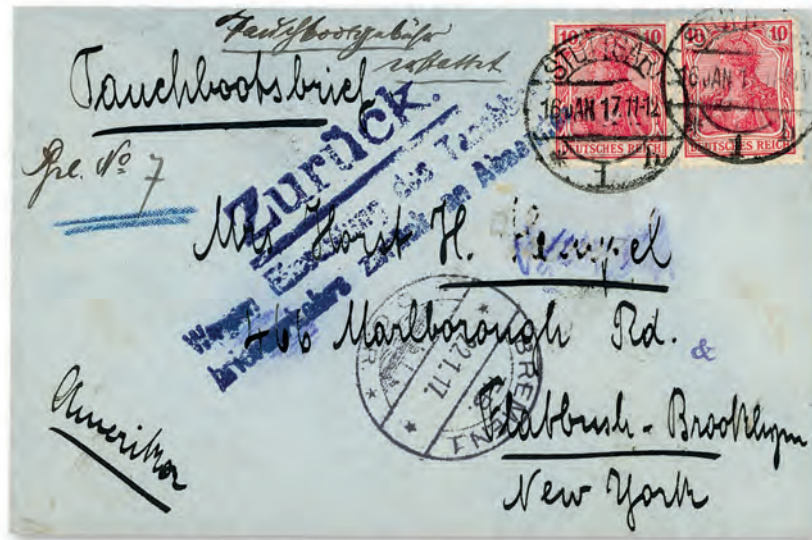
Returned Submarine Mail - Discontinuation of Service, cover from Halle to New York, 5 Jan 1917, with type 2-A Return handstamp, Bremen Submarine cachet (15 Jan 1917) and small "(single rays)" censor handstamp; notification of 2m refund handwritten on the reverse; name(s) of sender cut out, Very Fine. Illustrated on page 71 of the Handbook. Estimate \$150 - 200



3257

3257 ☒

Returned Submarine Mail - Discontinuation of Service, cover from Cannstatt to New York, 9 Jan 1917, with type 2-A Return handstamp, Bremen Submarine cachet (15 Jan 1917) and small "(asterisk)" censor handstamp; notification of 2m refund handwritten on the reverse; opened out for display; name(s) of sender cut out, Very Fine. Illustrated on page 72 of the Handbook. Estimate \$150 - 200



3258

3258 ☒

Returned Submarine Mail - Discontinuation of Service, cover from Stuttgart to, Flatbush - Brooklyn, N.Y., 16 Jan 1917, with type 2-A Return handstamp, Bremen Submarine cachet (22 Jan 1917) and small "&" censor handstamp; notification of 2m refund handwritten on the reverse; part of top flap missing, Very Fine. Illustrated on page 72 of the Handbook. Estimate \$150 - 200



3259

3259 ☒

Returned Submarine Mail - Discontinuation of Service, cover from Stuttgart to New York, 13 Jan 1917, with type 2-A Return handstamp, Bremen Submarine cachet (18 Jan 1917) and small "Q" censor handstamp; notification of 2m refund handwritten on the reverse; *the cover is unfranked* with a red crayon "20pf" and a manuscript notation that the postage was paid by a stamp on the outer envelope; opened out for display, name of sender cut out, Very Fine. *Most unusual!* Illustrated on page 76 of the Handbook. Estimate \$250 - 350



3260

3260 ☒

Returned Submarine Mail - Discontinuation of Service, Mourning cover from Schöntal to New York, 18 Jan 1917, with type 2-A Return handstamp in blue, Bremen Submarine cachet (22 Jan 1917) and small "O" censor handstamp; notification of 2m refund handwritten on the reverse; opened out for display, name of sender cut out, Very Fine. Illustrated on page 77 of the Handbook. Estimate \$150 - 200



3261

3261 ☒

Returned Submarine Mail - Discontinuation of Service - Austrian Mail, cover from Vienna to Los Angeles, 26 Jan 1917, with red framed Vienna censor's handstamp and manuscript initials, Bremen Submarine cachet (30 Jan 1917, on front and back), and small "A" censor's handstamp; no indication of return or refund; opened out for display, Very Fine. Illustrated on page 79 of the Handbook. Estimate \$100 - 150



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3262

3262 ☒

Returned Submarine Mail - Discontinuation of Service, formular **Feldpost Card** mailed in the field to New York City; two 10pf Germanias with manuscript cancels and an "Aus dem Felde" handstamp, the (long) neatly written message (in German) is dated 27 Jan 1917; with scarcer type **2-B** Return handstamp and two different Bremen Submarine cachets (1 Jan & 10 Feb 1917) and a Hamburg censor's handstamp with a manuscript return of fee notation; heavy (reinforced) central vertical file fold and two small corner repairs, otherwise Very Fine. Illustrated on page 80 of the Handbook. Estimate \$300 - 400

Military personnel were not entitled to free foreign mail, so 20pf in stamps was necessary; the card bears a Hamburg censor's handstamp.



3263

3263 ☒

Returned Submarine Mail - Discontinuation of Service, cover from Reutlingen to New York, 1 Feb 1917, with scarcer type **2-B** Return handstamp, two different Bremen Submarine cachets (10 Feb on the front and 3 Feb on the back) and small "B" censor handstamp; notification of 2m refund handwritten on the reverse; opened out for display with name of sender cut out and botm fold slightly separated, otherwise Very Fine. Illustrated on page 81 of the Handbook. Estimate \$200 - 300



3264

3264 ☒

Returned Submarine Mail - Discontinuation of Service, cover from Berlin to New York, 1 Feb 1917, with type 2-A Return handstamp and two different Bremen Submarine cachets (10 Feb on the front and 2 Feb on the back); no indication of refund; opened out for display; horizontal file fold near the bottom, otherwise Very Fine. Illustrated on page 82 of the Handbook. Estimate \$100 - 150



3265

3265 ☒

Returned Submarine Mail - Discontinuation of Service, cover from Stuttgart to New York, 3 Feb 1917, with scarcer type 2-B Return handstamp, two different Bremen Submarine cachets (10 Feb on the front and 5 Feb on the back) and small "O" censor handstamp; notification of 2m refund handwritten on the reverse; opened out for display with small repair of upper left corner, otherwise Very Fine. Illustrated on page 83 of the Handbook. Estimate \$200 - 300



3266

3266 ☒

Returned Submarine Mail - Discontinuation of Service - Hungarian Mail, cover from Ótura to Cleveland, Ohio, 22 Jan 1917, with a normal Bremen Post Office c.d.s., 29 Jan; also a Hungarian censor's handstamp and initials, Bremen Submarine cachet (10 Feb 1917), plus a Hungarian Martial Law label on the reverse; also said to have the Bremen censor's small handstamped "M" handstamp, but we are unable to locate it; opened out for display, Very Fine. Illustrated on page 84 of the Handbook.

Estimate \$100 - 150



3267

3267 ☒

Returned Submarine Mail - Discontinuation of Service, cover from Bremen to **Barranquilla, Colombia**, 4 Jan 1917, with Return handstamp and a Bremen Submarine cachet (15 Jan 1917)) and small "O" censor handstamp; on the reverse is a lightly struck Return of Submarine Fee handstamp (*page 95, cachet 10 in the handbook*); no indication of censorship other than possible censor's initials to the left of the stamp; opened out for display with small repair of upper left corner, Very Fine. Illustrated on page 86 of the Handbook.

Estimate \$200 - 300



3268

3268 ☒

Returned Submarine Mail - Discontinuation of Service, small cover from Husum to Bowling Green, Mo., 2 Jan 1917, with Bremen censor's small "single rays" handstamp; contents was deemed to be in violation of War Secrets laws and the cover was marked with a clear strike of the censor's Refusal handstamp, "Beanstandet/ ueberwachungstelle Bremen;" top flap missing, otherwise Extremely Fine. Illustrated on page 87 of the Handbook. Estimate \$200 - 300



3269

3269 ☒

Returned Submarine Mail - Discontinuation of Service - Bavarian Mail, small cover from Nürnberg to New York City, 8 Jan 1917, with Bremen censor's small "double rays" handstamp; contents deemed in violation of War Secrets laws and cover marked with censor's Refusal handstamp, "Beanstandet/ ueberwachungstelle Bremen;" part of back cut away, otherwise Very Fine. Illustrated on page 88 of the Handbook. Estimate \$200 - 300



3270

3270 ✉

Returned Submarine Mail - Discontinuation of Service - Bavarian Mail, small cover from Kups to **Havana, Cuba**, 2 Feb 1917, with Bremen censor's small "C" handstamp; contents deemed in violation of War Secrets laws and cover marked with censor's Refusal handstamp, "Beanstandet/ ueberwachungstelle Bremen;" top flap missing, otherwise Very Fine. *A rare destination.* Illustrated on page 88 of the Handbook. Estimate \$350 - 500

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3271 ☒

Returned Submarine Mail - Small Bremen Censor Handstamps, Group of six different: "Single Rays," "Double Rays," "Star," "X," "&," and "Q," all to the U.S. and all with the type 2-A Return handstamp and all but the "X" and "Q" with manuscript Refund notifications; still on Hennig's Exhibition pages, none of them illustrated in the Handbook, Fine to Very Fine. Shipping charges apply - weight 0.6 lbs. Estimate \$350 - 500



CACHETS



3272

3272 ☒

Returned Submarine Mail - Discontinuation of Service, cover from Stuttgart to **Door of Hope, China**, 12 Jan 1917, with Return handstamp and a Bremen Submarine cachet (15 Jan 1917) and small "X" censor handstamp, as well as the Bremen directional handstamp, "via San Francisco;" notification of 2m refund handwritten on the reverse, Very Fine. *A scarce destination.* Illustrated on page 89 of the Handbook. Estimate \$300 - 400



3273

3273 ☒

Returned Submarine Mail - Discontinuation of Service, cover from Gönningen to **Hunan, China**, 12 Jan 1917, with Return handstamp and a Bremen Submarine cachet (18 Jan 1917)) and small "X" censor handstamp, as well as the Bremen directional handstamp, "via San Francisco;" notification of 2m refund handwritten on the reverse; also said to have the Bremen censor's small handstamped "Q" handstamp, but we are unable to locate it; opened out for display with sender's name cut out, Very Fine. *A scarce destination.* Illustrated on page 90 of the Handbook. Estimate \$300 - 400



3274

3274 ☒

Returned Submarine Mail - Discontinuation of Service, cover from Stuttgart to **Kanton, China**, 2 Feb 1917, with a small Merchant's handstamped corner card; scarcer type 2-B Return handstamp and two different Bremen Submarine cachets (10 Feb on the front, 5 Feb on the back) and small "C" censor handstamp, as well as the Bremen directional handstamp, "via San Francisco;" notification of 2m refund handwritten on the reverse, exceptionally clean and Extremely Fine. *A scarce destination.* Illustrated on page 91 of the Handbook. Estimate \$300 - 400



3275

3275 ☒

Returned Submarine Mail - Discontinuation of Service - Austrian Mail, cover from Vienna to **Java, Dutch East Indies**, 8 Jan 1917, with red framed Vienna censor's handstamp and manuscript initials, Bremen Submarine cachet (15 Jan 1917) and small "X" censor's handstamp; also with a very light Bremen directional handstamp, "via San Francisco-Manila, U.S. Transport;" no indication of refund; opened out for display, Fine to Very Fine. *A very rare destination.* Illustrated on page 92 of the Handbook. Estimate \$500 - 750



3276

3276 ☒

Returned Submarine Mail - Discontinuation of Service, large cover (approximately 10" x 5") from Bremen to New York, 3 Jan 1917, with a small Merchant's handstamped corner card, Return handstamp and Bremen Submarine cachets (18 Jan 1917), and three different Refund of Submarine fee handstamps (cachets 9, 10 & 11 on page 95 of the Handbook), one showing 6m refunded—three times the 2m fee—indicating that a single refund could be made for sendings, possibly explaining why some covers give no indication of a refund; opened out for display with a central vertical file fold, Fine. Illustrated on pages 94-95 of the Handbook. Estimate \$300 - 400



3277

3277 ☒

Returned Submarine Mail - Discontinuation of Service, cover from Bremen to Bogota, Colombia, 2 Jan 1917, with Return handstamp and Bremen Submarine cachets (15 Jan 1917) and two different Refund of Submarine fee handstamps (cachets 10 & 11 on page 95 of the Handbook); opened out for display with a central vertical file fold, Fine. Scarce destination. Illustrated on page 96 of the Handbook. Estimate \$300 - 400



3278

3278 ☒

Returned Submarine Mail - Discontinuation of Service, cover from Frankfurt (Main) to **Sancti Spiritu, Argentina**, 25 Jan 1917, with two impressions of the Bremen Return handstamp and a Bremen Submarine cachet (30 Jan 1917) and small censor's "W" handstamp; there are also two different Refund handstamps, one on the front in red, applied in Frankfurt, "Tauchb. Gebühr/erstattet," with a manuscript 4m refund indicated (cachet 12), the other on the back (cachets 9) applied in Bremen but indicating only a 2m refund (?); opened out for display, Very Fine. *Scarce destination*. Illustrated on pages 78 & 97 of the Handbook. Estimate \$300 - 400



3279

3279 ☒

Returned Submarine Mail - Discontinuation of Service, cover from Kiel to **Cabedello, Brazil**, 15 Jan 1917, with Return handstamp and a Bremen Submarine cachet (30 Jan 1917) and small "&" censor's handstamp; on the reverse is a manuscript notification of the return of the 2m Submarine fee with a handstamped date of 7 Mar 1917; opened out for display with a few minor flap repairs, Very Fine. Not illustrated in the Handbook. Estimate \$150 - 200



3280

3280 ☒

Returned Submarine Mail - Discontinuation of Service, cover from Stuttgart to **Bogota, Colombia**, 13 Jan 1917, with Return handstamp and a Bremen Submarine cachet (18 Jan 1917) and small "Q" censor's handstamp; on the reverse is a manuscript notification of the return of the 2m Submarine fee; opened out for display, Very Fine. *A scarcer destination.* Not illustrated in the Handbook. Estimate \$200 - 300



3281

3281 ☒

Returned Submarine Mail - Discontinuation of Service, cover from Kiel to **Santiago, Chile**, 13 Jan 1917, with Return handstamp and a Bremen Submarine cachet (18 Jan 1917); *said to have the small "Q" Bremen censor's handstamp, but we couldn't locate it;* on the reverse is a manuscript notification of the return of the 2m Submarine fee; opened out for display, minor toning around stamp, Fine to Very Fine. Not illustrated in the Handbook. Estimate \$100 - 150



3282

3282 ✉

Returned Submarine Mail - Discontinuation of Service, cover from Berlin-Lankwitz to Pernambuco, Brazil, 11 Jan 1917, with Return handstamp and a Bremen Submarine cachet (16 Jan 1917) and small "X" censor's handstamp; on the reverse is a manuscript notification of the return of the 2m Submarine fee, dated 1 Mar; opened out for display, Very Fine. Not illustrated in the Handbook. Estimate \$150 - 200



3283

3283 ✉

Returned Submarine Mail - Discontinuation of Service, cover from Mittweida to Lewiston, Me., 12 Jan 1917, with Return handstamp in blue and a Bremen Submarine cachet (16 Jan 1917) with no indication of censorship or a refund; the cover and the included original letter was apparently never returned to the sender, despite a "label" attached to the front, repeating the return address from the back; the long, 4-page letter (in German) includes references to the Submarine Post, Very Fine. Not illustrated in the Handbook. Estimate \$150 - 200



3284

3284 ☒

Returned Submarine Mail - Discontinuation of Service, cover from Weimar to **Misiones (Misiones), Argentina**, 12 Jan 1917, with Return handstamp and a Bremen Submarine cachet (16 Jan 1917) and small "X" censor's handstamp; no indication of refund; light horizontal file fold and small repaired tear at the bottom, Fine. Not illustrated in the Handbook. Estimate \$100 - 150



3285

3285 ☒

Returned Submarine Mail - Discontinuation of Service, cover from Berlin to San Francisco, 12 Jan 1917, with Return handstamp and a Bremen Submarine cachet (16 Jan 1917) and small "X" censor's handstamp; Berlin "Officially Opened" paper seal on the reverse, as well as manuscript notification of the return of the 2m Submarine fee, Very Fine. Not illustrated in the Handbook. Estimate \$150 - 200



3286

3286 (✉)

Returned Submarine Mail - Discontinuation of Service, cover front only from Bremen to **Montevideo, Uruguay**, 3 Jan 1917, with a perfectly struck Return handstamp and a Bremen Submarine (cachet 15 Jan 1917) and small "asterisk" censor's handstamp (not clearly struck); Very Fine, Very Fine. *Most unusual!* Not illustrated in the Handbook. Estimate \$300 - 400



3287

3287 (✉)

Returned Submarine Mail - Discontinuation of Service, cover front & side flaps only from Tamm (Würt) to **Germantown (Phila.), Pa.**, 20 Jan 1917, *mistakenly franked with a 2m stamp—that should have gone on the outer envelope—instead of a 20pf stamp*; with the scarcer type 2-B Return handstamp and a Bremen Submarine cachet (30 Jan 1917) and small "asterisk" censor's handstamp (not clear; Very Fine. *Uruguay is said to be the rarest destination for the Submarine mail.* Not illustrated in the Handbook. Estimate \$300 - 400



3288

3288 ☒

Returned Submarine Mail - Discontinuation of Service, cover from Stuttgart to Havana, Cuba, 9 Jan 1917, franked with a 15pf and two 2½pf Germanias; Return handstamp and a Bremen Submarine cachet (16 Jan 1917) and small “double rays” censor’s handstamp; opened out for display, Very Fine. A rare destination and an unusual franking. Not illustrated in the Handbook. Estimate \$300 - 400



3289

3289 ☒

Returned Submarine Mail - Discontinuation of Service, cover from Stuttgart to Cincinnati, O., 12 Jan 1917, with a perfectly struck Return handstamp and a Bremen Submarine cachet (16 Jan 1917) and small “X” censor’s handstamp; on the reverse is a manuscript notification of the return of the Submarine fee, which was initially marked for 2m, but corrected to 4m; opened out for display, Very Fine. Not illustrated in the Handbook. Estimate \$150 - 200



3290

3290 ☒

Returned Submarine Mail - Discontinuation of Service - Bavarian Mail, cover **originating in Geneva, Switzerland**, franked with a 20pf Bavarian stamp and sent from Munich to New York, 4 Jan 1917, with Return handstamp and a Bremen Submarine cachet (15 Jan 1917); two Geneva c.d.s upon return, one 3 Mar, the other 4 Mar, Very Fine. *Submarine mail was accepted from neutral nations.* Not illustrated in the Handbook. Estimate \$300 - 400



3291

3291 ☒

Returned Submarine Mail - Discontinuation of Service - Austrian Mail, cover from Vienna to New York City, 16 Jan 1917, with the purple Vienna Return handstamp (cachet 4), the Bremen Submarine cachet (22 Jan 1917) and small "O" censor's handstamp (the "O" is not noted in the Handbook as being used on Austrian mail), central vertical file fold, Very Fine. Estimate \$150 - 200



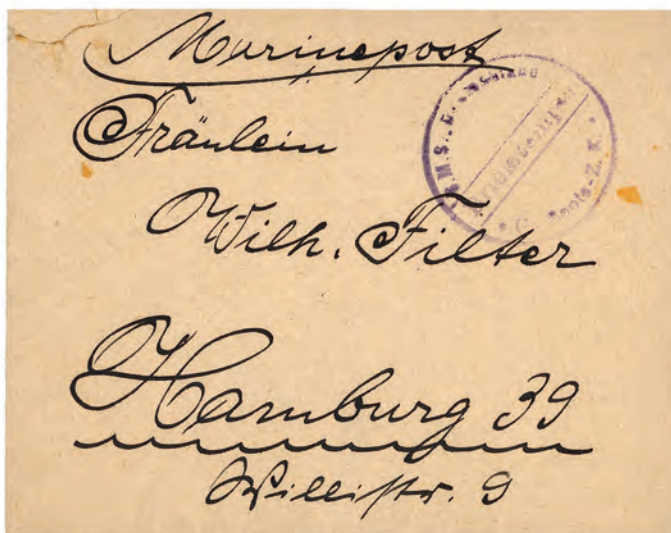
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3292 ✉

Returned Submarine Mail - Small Balance of Collection, Nine covers, all to U.S. destinations, all with the type 2-A Bremen Return handstamp and the dated Submarine handstamp, and seven of them with the small Bremen censor's handstamp and one of those originating in Bavaria; still on Hennig's Exhibition pages, none of them illustrated in the Handbook, Fine to Very Fine. Shipping charges apply - weight 0.6 lbs. Estimate \$600 - 800



3293

3293 ✉

Deutschland Military Mail, small cover from a sailor aboard the *Deutschland* to Hamburg, with a weak strike of the circular "S.M.S. Deutschland/ * U-Boots-Z.K. */ Briefstempel" handstamp; sender's return address includes "S.M.S. 'Deutschland,' W'haven;," small corner repair, Fine to Very Fine. Illustrated on page 100 of the Handbook. Estimate \$150 - 200

On 10 Feb 1917, the *Deutschland* was removed from civilian service, converted to use by the German Navy and stationed at Wilhelmshaven. Naval personnel's mail was marked by the mail clerk with the circular handstamp.

BAYERN TRIAL CANCELLATION



3294

3294 ★

Submarine Mail Mail - Administrative handstamp, pictorial handstamp of the German Ocean Shipping Co. unofficially applied by the Submarine Postal Personnel to the mail of the Submarine Officers. Two different examples, one on separated envelope flap, the other two strikes tying 20pf and a 15pf Germanias on a piece (crease through the 20pf., otherwise Very Fine. Illustrated on page 101 of the Handbook. Estimate \$100 - 150

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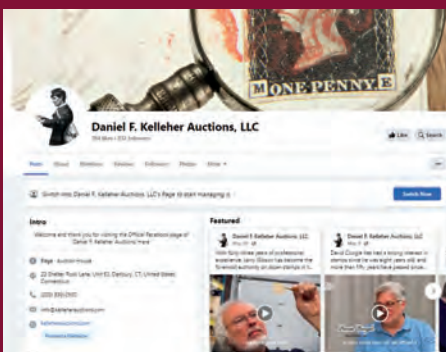
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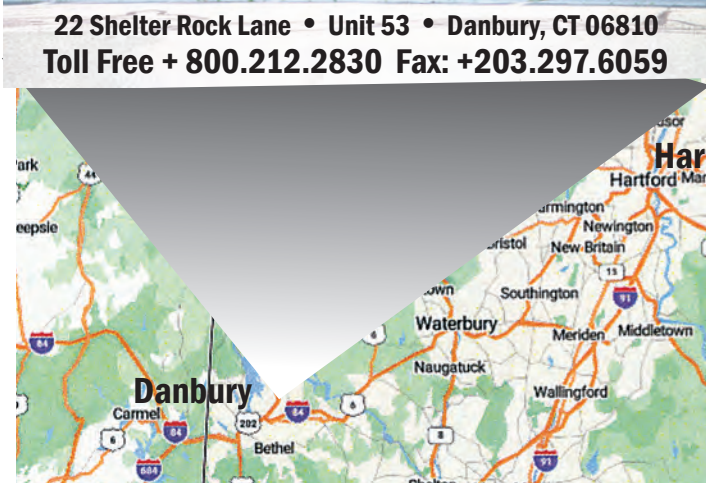


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