

MALTA STUDY CIRCLE

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Lot No	Description	Estimate
A - GB used in Malta		
1	1875 GB 3d pl. 15 (Z44) and 1d pl. 167 (Z30) canc. Malta A25 duplex on EL to Naples. Boxed red PD 2 3/4. Fine cover	£50.00
2	1858 GB 1d stars rose-red pl. 56 (Z12) canc. M on small part cover to England	£12.00
B - Post Paid		
3	An example of the intaglio POSTAGE PAID with oval centre introduced 26 May 1924 used on wrapper to William N Borg in Balzan	£35.00
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5	1849 EL London to Aleppo, carried by hand or under cover to Malta, forwarded by James Bell and Co. ms. Endorsement with fair black MALTA PAID ds.	£50.00
6	June 1868 from Constantinople to Malta via Messina, rated 1/6. On reverse blue green British PO Constantinople and Malta cds. Fine	£25.00
7	1868 EL Constantinople to Malta "Via Messina" rated 1/- double rate, with blue BPO Constantinople and Malta arrival cds on reverse	£20.00
C - Airmails		
8	Air Mail cover to New York KGVI 1/2d & 2d x 2 MR 22 45 opened by examiner DD/28 (CSL-9b) with red OAT handstamp.	£25.00
D - Maritime Mail		
9	1908 Tunis 25 cents on cover to Malta canc. Tunis with Paquetbot (PAQ-2) alongside	£15.00
10	2 envelopes franked GB stamps canc. PAQ-3/4 dated 7th May 1962	£5.00
11	14 FPO envelopes with various numbers. Little duplication	£10.00
12	KGVI or early QEII env. All except one franked GB stamps canc. With MARITIME MAIL slogans in Britain.	£5.00
13	P&O ship postcard with message, used from Malta GB KEVII 1d canc. Valletta -- -- 08 with PAQ-2	£6.50
14	1900 Hungary 5 fils postal stationery card to Budapest, canc. A25 obliterator, with blue Paquetbot and red Tengeren of the Adria Line. A scarce maritime card	£75.00
E - Military Mail		
15	7 reg. covers from Zabbar BPO showing a range of labels, cachets, etc. Includes 2 POSTED OUT OF COURSE envelopes with instructional mark. Ex Moyles	£15.00
16	Size G reg. envelope from Zebbug BPO in 1988 showing POSTED OUT OF COURSE instructional mark. Philatelic but very scarce	£5.00
17	40 items of mail in and out of Malta incl. FPO, military mail, postcards etc,etc	£15.00
F - Registered Mails		
18	2 reg. envelopes from National Bank of Malta (Malta) and showing the bank reg. label. One is commercial. Ex Moyles	£8.00
19	6 reg. covers from St Paul.'s Bay SPO/BPO showing a range of cachets etc. Includes 2 used on the day of opening of the BPO and AR. Ex Moyles	£10.00

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20	9 reg. covers from San Gwann SPO/BPO showing a range of labels, cachets, etc. Includes a piece showing all marks used at SPO and covers from the day each office opened. Ex Moyles	£15.00
21	6 reg. covers from Sliema SPO showing a range of labels, cachets etc. Most are from the day of opening of the first and second SPO's. Ex Moyles	£10.00
22	13 reg. covers from Sliema BPO showing a range of labels, cachets, etc from 1951 to 1990's inc. 3 size G one POSTED OUT OF COURSE. Ex Moyles	£15.00
23	APO SZ7 used on 20 OC 15 on envelope to UK. Sent OAS with a weak OAS type E. A very early date for this.	£10.00
24	17 reg covers from Valletta BPO showing a range of labels, cachets etc. Includes a size H QEII 6d reg. envelope. Ex Moules	£15.00
25	11 reg. covers from Victoria BPO showing a range of labels, cachets, etc. Ex Moyles	£12.00
26	26 reg. covers from banks with 14 different registration cachets. All commercial and difficult to obtain. Ex Moyles	£20.00
27	MR 12 1914 corner pair EVII 2d on regd. Cover from Cospicua to Victoria, Gozo with very scarce green Cospicua registration label. Victoria BO Gozo ds. and PHS 23 on the reverse	£50.00
28	8 reg covers from Zejtun (6) and Zurrieq (2) BPO's showing a range of labels, cachets, etc. Includes a COMPULSORY REGISTRATION envelope with inst. Ex Moyles	£15.00
29	Reg. envelope from Scicluna Bank posted 4DE57 showing the bank label. Ex Moyles	£5.00
30	Reg. envelope from Barclays Bank posted 18 DE 57 showing the bank label Ex Moyles	£5.00
31	11reg. Covers from Trade Fair BPO, Exhibition, Poultry Conference, etc showing a range of labels, cachets, etc. Three are AR. Ex Moyles	£15.00
32	21 reg. covers from Xewkija (10), Xaghra (9) and Ghajn Silem (2) showing a range of labels, cachets, etc. Includes day of opening cover for each. Ex Moyles	£20.00
33	9 reg covers from Mgarr BPO showing a range of labels, cachets, etc. Includes a COMPULSORY REGISTERED envelope with m/s instructional mark. One was posted the day the new office opened 27th November 1957 and is now quite rare. Ex Moyles	£15.00
34	7 reg. covers from St Julian's SPO/BPO showing a range of labels, cachets etc. Includes 2 used on the day of opening of the BPO. Ex Moyles	£10.00
35	9 reg. covers from Wied Il-Ghajn SPO showing a range of labels, cachets, etc. Mostly size G reg. envelopes philatelically posted many by AR. Ex Moyles	£15.00
36	1901 fourteen Malta 1/4d brown pictorials canc. Malta in bars around regd. Envelope to Liverpool with scarce POST OFFICE No MALTA oval ds (PO-71)	£25.00
37	1937 registered cover from Sliema to Collingham, Kent redirected to Collingham, Leeds and eventually returned to sender, franked with two sets of Coronation stamps	£8.00
38	1920 Registered FRONT with very scarce green Cospicua label to Huddersfield with 3 x 1d red plus 1/2d War Tax	£8.00
39	1924 2 registered covers, 1 to USA and 1 local with 4d Melita + 1/4d pair and 1/2d + 2d respectively (2 covers)	£12.00

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40	1913 registered cover to Germany with strip of 4 KEVII 1d plus 1/2d all unusually canc. By oval registered ds REG-71, H 18 NO 13	£25.00
41	1903 cover to Switzerland with KEVII 2d and 2 1/2d canc. A25 obliterator. Nice cover	£8.00
42	Auust 1930 AR card with 1927 3d (SG162a) to Paris and returned to sender in Malta. Illustrated on p41 of Registered mail S) 46.	£0.00
43	1933 Banca di Roma (Malta) registration label on cover with Melita POSTAGE 2d (2) and P & R 1/2d canc. Oval General Post Office Registered Malta ds. REG-72	£45.00
44	Melita POSTAGE ovpt 10/- (SG156) on 1951 registered airmail cover from Valetta to GUADALCANAL, British Solomon Islands. A remarkable destination	£60.00
45	October 1941 airmail regd. FRONT from Malta to London, franked a total of 1s 7 1/2d with scarce Banco Di Malta reg. label, triangular violet censor No.61 (CS-TS) and censor label tied by 12 scout's hs. Very attractive	£25.00
46	Valletta GPO 44 reg. coverc from 1947 to 1990's showing a range of labels, cachets, datestamps etc,incl. a QEII 6d size H env. And 3 inbound. Ex Moyles	£20.00
47	13 reg. covers from Qormi (6), Mdina (1) and Rabat (6) showing a range of labels, cachets etc. Includes a Compulsory Registered env with instructional mark.	£18.00
48	1901 Malta 1d small commercial envelope regd. To Germany with scarce POST OFFICE No MALTA oval ds. (PO-71). Missing adhesive	£5.00
49	30 MR 1908 regd. Letter with strip 3 EDVII 1d canc. GPO-1, with first black Malta registration label MAL-11b, to Wales	£20.00
50	8 reg. covers from Hamrun showing a range of labels, cachets etc. Includes a Compulsary Registered env. With m/s instructional mark. Ex Moyles	£15.00
51	1928 large regd. Envelope from GPO Malta to Florida, franked with 20 1928 1/4d P & R ovpt for 5d rate, tied with red ribbon. Very unusual	£15.00
52	25 AP 1946 regd. airmail cover from Balzan to Scotland, franked 3/6d in total, canc. BIRKIRKARA MALTA cds (BRK-32) with very scarce manuscript R B'kara 1078 registration etiquette. Earlier date for BRK-32 than previously recorded. Opened out for display	£30.00
53	16 envelopes sent by cancelling machine holders mainly locally by registered post showing the registration cachets belonging to the machine. 12 different cachets	£10.00
54	11 reg. covers from smaller SPO's & BPO's incl. Dingli, Mellieha, Mgarr, Malta, Qrendi, Sra. Venera and Siggiewi most being from the day the office opened. Ex Moyles	£15.00
55	11 reg. covers from Birkkikara (3) and Gzira (8) BPO's showing a range of labels, cachets etc. Ex Moyles	£12.00
56	"POSTED OUT OF COURSE" on regd cover to HMS Dauntless, Malta with pos. block of 6 x 2 1/2d on 3d Melita (SG 141) canc. VAG-32 DE 8 25	£65.00
57	Melita POSTAGE ovpt. 2/- (SG153), 4d (SG150) on 1936 registered cover to Manchester. 2/- very scarce used, marginal copy with fine GPO cds. Cat £ 188.00	£75.00
58	Melita 2 1/2d x 2 & 3d x 2 (SG129 & 131) on MR 13 26 regd cover to England. Both stamps only available for 1 month prior to POSTAGE overprint	£19.00
59	10 reg. covers from Birzebbuga SPO and BPO showing a range of labels, cachets etc. Includes day of opening and a size H env. Sent by AR. Ex Moyles	£12.00

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60	PPC Pembroke camp regd 27 FE 05 to England KEVII 1d x 4 (SG39), canc. GPO-1 and 2 stamps by oval regd Malta d/s	£6.50
61	Regd PS envelope to Cyprus, add. QV 1d x 4 (SG22) dated by red REG-71 SP 02. Red reintroduced between Jan 02 and Feb 03. Scarce	£12.50
62	POSTAGE 4 1/2d (SG164) on AU 30 28 regd cover to Br. Guiana. Scarce destination	£8.00
63	POSTAGE 2d & 3d (SG161 & 162a) on MY 18 28 regd OHMS cover to England with Gen Post Off. Red H?S. SG161 sarce on cover	£19.00
G - Other		
64	1891 QV 1/2d on printed rated cover to Sliema containing invitation to Second Anniversary of the Raising of the Malta Melitia	£8.00
65	June 1868 envelope from Algiers to Malta franked France 40c orange canc.2240 in transit at Marseilles with ALGER BAT A VAP cds alongside and red boxed PD.On reverse red APRES LE DEPART (ie too late for packet), Malta arrival cds'Fine and very interesting	£40.00
66	Postage Dues, 4 commercial covers1975-81, 3 from UK, 1 local with 1973 PD's5m, 1c, 1c+5m, 2c (SG44-6) and handstruck charge marks. Nice group	£10.00
67	1893 GB 1d pc. Disallowed at Malta to Liverpool with T and circle and Inland Branch 4d due	£20.00
68	KGV 1/4d x 2 on "MELITA" advert cover. VAG-32 JU.22.21 to Yugoslavia. Printed paper rate. Neat	£12.00
69	1912 1d on 2 1/2d canc. Valletta on picture side of pc "The Albert Medal 1867" to US	£5.00
70	1935 Malta 1d P & R c. Valletta printed envelope of Azzopardi & Farrugia to UK	£3.00
71	2 1/2d Ovpt on 3d Melita (SG141) x2 on local cover canc Valletta DE 3 25. First day of use. Study item	£6.50
72	1904 Edward VII 1d on cover to UK endorsed HMS Dryad, Mediterranean	£5.00
73	Melita 1d, 1 1/2d, 3d & 6d (SG 126, 127, 130 & 133) canc. GEN> POST OFFICE/RECEIVED - used on Advice of Receipt forms. Not often seen	£6.50
74	2 x Modern photograph of the sea water distilling plant 1881	£1.00
75	P & R overprint 1/4d x 2 and 2d (SG174 & 180) on MY 16 29 cover to England. Scarce SG180 on cover in correct period of usage	£12.00
H - Modern Mail - after 1953		
76	Local "Welcome to Malta" unstamped cover to Astra Hotel, Sliema earning PD-24 x 2 canc. Valletta FE 25 65 overstruck by CGN-1a charge cancelled marks. Tourist Board letter enclosed. Some welcome !	£12.50
77	1960-92 registered covers (mostly FDC) with commemorative registered date stamps and canc. Incl. Independence set from Independence arena.	£20.00
78	10 underpaid env. With postage due stamp and/or markings 1970's to 2006	£5.00
I - Postal Stationery		
79	PHS4 on postal stationery card from Liverpool to Valletta. Valletta oval d/s.	£4.00
80	PHS 63 on letter addressed to Rabat. Stamp torn from envelope. Notabile BO arrival cds	£6.00
81	PHS 6 on letter from British Consulate, in Frankfurt, to Lt Govenor in Malta, Valletta arrival cds FE 21 37	£10.00
82	PHS 7 on ppc from Brighton to Valletta. Valletta CO arrival cds	£4.00

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83	29 Jan 1885 McCorquodale G size reg. envelope franked QV 2 1/2d canc. A25 to Colchester. Red oval Malta reg. ds. Very early use of first Malta reg. envelope	£25.00
84	PHS 19 on ppc from Paris. Postage due T mark and 1d in circle. Sliema BO and Malta arrival cds	£8.00
85	PHS 8 on Italian postal stationery card from Roma to Malta. Malta arrival cds SP 9 01	£4.00
86	QEII 6d size H unused, another used, size H with new boat reg. mark used, 2 x size H with new badge only, also a size G front. 6 reg. items in all	£12.00
87	11 items incl. 2 x used postal stat. cards of QV and KEVII and 9 registered envelopes mainly modern	£10.00
88	QV size G unused, 2 x KEVII size H used to UK and KGV size G used to UK reg. env.	£10.00

J - Postmens' Handstamps

89	1914 two covers from Valletta to Victoria, Gozo with EVII 2d (SG50) and 4 1/2d (SG57) and strip 3 4d (SG54) respectively. Victoria BO Gozo and PHS 223 on reverse. Nice pair of covers	£18.00
90	PHS 9 on ppc from Gibraltar to Vittoriosa. Cospicua arrival cds	£4.00
91	PHS 33 on ppc From Orleans France to Valletta. Valletta arrival cds	£6.00
92	PHS 11 on ppc from Padova to Valletta	£4.00
93	PHS 12 on ppc of Rotterdam from Twickenham to Sliema. Malta and Sliema BO arrival cds.	£3.00
94	PHS 13 on ppc from Marseille to St. Julians. Valletta BO and Sliema BO arrival cds	£4.00
95	PHS 14 on ppc of Napoleon from London to Valletta. Malta arrival cds.	£0.00
96	PHS 15 on ppc from Kingston on Thames to Sliema. Oval Valletta arrival d/s.	£3.00
97	PHS 16 on ppc to Malta from Italy.	£4.00
98	PHS on ppc from Marsala (Italy) to Malta	£3.50
99	PHS 5 ppc from Paris to Sliema with Malta and Sliema BO arrival cds	£4.00
100	25 items incl PHS, mail in and out of Malta from 1891 to 2002	£10.00
101	PHS 70 local letter sent, March 1946, from Zebbug to Zeitun	£22.00
102	PHS 71 on small envelope addressed to Calcara.	£8.00
103	Undated Rome PPC addressed to Malta with Italy 2c canc. By 2 strikes of PHS25. Also loose KGV 1/2d canc. PHS16. An uncommon pair	£50.00
104	PHS 18 on ppc from NZ to Sliema. Oval Valletta d/s and Sliema BO cds arrival marks	£3.00
105	PHS1 on Austrian postal stationery card. From Wien to Malta, Malta arrival cds OC 21 99	£2.00
106	PHS 52 on KGV letter from Southampton to Zebbug	£10.00
107	PHS 50 on ppc from Napoli to Valletta. Malta arrival cds	£15.00
108	PHS 49 on ppc from Roma to Vittoria Gozo. Valletta and Victoria BO arrival cds	£35.00
109	PHS 47 on local letter addressed to Valletta	£8.00
110	PHS 46 on local letter addressed to Valletta	£8.00
111	PHS 45 on Barclays Bank letter to Marsa. Stamp removed with part of envelope. This really does live up to the term "Tatty old envelope"	£4.00

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112	PHS 43 on ppc from Lourdes to Sliema. Valletta arrival cds	£21.00
113	PHS 42 on ppc from Poland to Zeitun. Valletta and Cospicua arrival cds	£6.00
114	PHS 38 on ppc franked Army Post Office to Misida	£15.00
115	PHS 10 on ppc posted locally to Sliema	£6.00
116	PHS 37 on ppc from Cyprus to Valletta	£10.00
117	PHS 36 on ppc from Napoli to Valletta. Valletta arrival cds	£9.00
118	PHS 55 on Italian ppc to Valletta . Valletta arrival cds AU 16 37	£10.00
119	PHS 34 on illustrated envelope from Newfoundland to Birchircara.	£11.00
120	PHS 41 on local letter to Zeitun	£15.00
121	PHS 2 on a ppc from Lucerne to Valletta	£2.50
122	PHS 20 on KGV letter from UK to St Julians	£7.00
123	PHS 21 on ppc locally used. Card toned	£3.50
124	PHS 22 on ppc from Cagliara to Malta. Malta arrival cds	£5.00
125	PHS 24 on Milan International Expo 1906 postcard to Malta	£7.00
126	PHS 25 on ppc from Tempio-Monti To Malta	£7.00
127	PHS 26 on ppc from Catania to Valletta.	£6.00
128	PHS 27 on ppc from Gibraltar to Senglea. Cospicua and Malta cds	£8.00
129	PHS 28 on regd letter from Neyw York to Birchicara. Oval GPO d/s and various American d/s.	£10.00
130	PHS 29 on ppc from Rome to Malta	£3.00
131	PHS 30 on Italian postal stationery card. Malta arrival cds	£10.00
132	PHS 32 on ppc from Rome to Sliema. Valletta cds and Sliema BO cds	£6.00
133	PHS 35 on ppc from Catania to Rabato. Notabile BO arrival cds	£3.00
134	PHS 67 on ppc from Vancouver, Canada to Gozo. Valletta and Victoria BO arrival cds	£40.00
135	PHS 56 on ppc from Allenstein to Sliema. Valletta and Sliema BO arrival cds	£4.00
136	PHS 3 on ppc from Sfax (Tunisia) to Valletta	£3.00
137	PHS 69 on letter from India to Sliema. 2d postage due and manuscript T in circle and 20. Valletta and Sliema BO arrival cds. Indian SJ stamps used on the First Day of Issue	£20.00
138	PHS 65 on ppc. Card frnked with Received From HM Ships.	£14.00
139	PHS 64 on ppc from Ireland to Valletta. Valletta arrival cds. 2 punch holes in card	£10.00
140	PHS 61 on ppc from Lourdes to Misida. Valletta arrival cds	£10.00
141	PHS 60 on ppc from Paris to Valletta, stamp removed. Valletta arrival cds	£3.00
142	PHS 58 on ppc from Roma to Sliema and then redirected to Birzebbugia. 2 x Valletta and one Cospicua cds's	£16.00
K - Stamps		
143	Paquet , six items, 3 Tunis (incl block of 4 and pair), 2 GB and 1 Italian canc. Malta paquetbot (3 x PAQ-2, 3 x PAQ-3	£8.00
144	MISIDA AM FE 17 on QV 1/2d (80%)	£12.00
145	7 Tunisian stamps (one in pair) canc. PAQ-2 of Malta	£5.00
146	1d rose-red LC perf. 14 PI 46 canc. Malta AU 22 59	£6.00

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147	1903/04 KEVII 1/2d, 2 1/2d, 3d (SG38,41,42) in mint blocks of 4. £d is a plate block. Cat £172	£45.00
148	1904/06 KEVII MCA printings 1/4d, 1d, 2d, 2 1/2d, 4d (SG45, 48,50,52,54) in fine mint blocks of 4. Cat 348	£100.00
149	1921 2d grey SG100 marginal block of 4 Cat £32	£10.00
150	Foreign stamps canc. With A25, 4 French, 2 Italian and 1 Italian ESTERO canc. A25, 1 with cds. Some faults 7 items	£25.00
151	1954 Immaculate Conception 1s value in specially printed block of 4 for Penrose Printing Manual see p, 133 MSC handbook	£15.00
152	1885 2 1/2d . Three examples with part canc. Of Tripoli, La Goulette(Tunisia) and Tunis. Minor faults	£8.00

L - Village Postmarks

153	CASAL-LIA C 25 AU 13 centrally on EVII 1/2d vertical pair	£3.00
154	PAULA AM MR 5 15 on GV 2 1/2d (95%)	£5.00
155	ZEBBUG AM AP 25 21 on GV 2 1/2d (late use)	£5.00
156	ZEITUNG AM JY 17 on GV 1/2d pair on irregular piece	£5.00
157	ZEITUN AM AU 9 20 on GV 1d . (90%)	£5.00
158	TARXIEN QV 1/2d green canc. TARXIEN AM MY 25 ? Fine 85% strike	£25.00
159	MISIDE QV1/2d green canc. MISIDA AM OC 01, fine 95% strike	£25.00
160	ST PAUL'S BAY, block of 4 KVII 1/2d canc. ST. PAUL'S BAY A JU ?. Slightly smudged as usual but scarce on a block	£15.00
161	MUSTA AM JA 1 03 sideways on QV 1/2d (90%)	£12.00
162	BIRCHIRCARA B sideways on EVII 2 1/2d	£3.00
163	MUSTA AM FE 4 17 on cut down stampless censored cover to Halifax. Red triangular No. 4179 plus OPENED UNDER/MARTIAL LAW label. Some faults	£45.00
164	NAXARO A 14 JY 13 canc. KEVII 1/2d on reverse of cover to Valletta PPH 14 also on reverse.	£80.00
165	ASCIAK AM JA 16 17 canc. KGV 1/2d on cover to Zebbug. A weak strike	£25.00
166	MIGIARRO B.O. GOZO 7.45 AM 20 SP 16 canc. KGV 1/2d on reverse of cover to Zebbug. Letter from Victoria enclosed	£25.00
167	MELLEHA A MR 16 03 centrally on QV 1/2d pair	£10.00
168	CURMI AM MR 5 ? Sideways on GV 2 1/2d (80%)	£8.00

M - Postcards

169	1900 UDB Naxsons Hamburg - In the grand Harbour Malta used to Switzerland (see p. 44 Bonello & Smeed). A scarce card	£10.00
170	1901 Critien UDB 12 Floriana used to Switzerland	£10.00
171	Jan 1901 Compliments from Malta PPC, Senglea, franked 2 1/2d to Switzerland. Very scarce	£50.00
172	March 1899 Union Tipo-Litogr.PPC with 3 vignettes. Strada e Teatro Reale, St George's Square and Barriera Quay franked 2 1/2d to Switzerland. A rare card	£60.00
173	16 modern postcards ranging from 1940.s (9) to 1980.s	£10.00
174	Valletta - Malta - Quarantine Harbour divided back	£4.00
175	1901 Stengel & Co Dresden UDB Tearto di Malta used to Austria	£5.00
176	1902 Stengel UDB 14074 Stda. Vescovo used to UK	£5.00

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177	1903 Stengel UDB 14073 Strada S. Luia used to UK	£5.00
178	1903 Stengel UDB 14067 GPO used to UK	£5.00
179	OAS ppc Museum Station 14.9.15 with weak OAS-7p	£6.50
180	1903 Modiano UDB 6789 Chapel of Bones used to UK	£5.00
O - Pre-adhesive Mail		
181	Approx. 30 early items (1850-1860's) to Tagliaferro in Malta. Some are damaged but not all. Many show postal markings. Beauty is in the eye of the beholder.	£30.00
182	1833 Large OHMS circular to Count Baldassare Sant from secretary to Government. No postal markings	£15.00
P - Revenues		
183	Cinderella Block of 4 Malta is grateful to the RN and RAF for the safe arrival of this letter	£10.00
184	Cinderella Giovanni Bisazza advertising stamp. Has top corner missing and adhesion on gum	£20.00
185	Cinderella Giovanni Bisazza advertising stamp	£30.00
186	Cinderella Keep them going buy Malta goods	£3.00
187	Cinderella block of 4 Help the relief fund	£10.00
188	Cinderella block of 4 buy a Malta Government lottery ticket	£10.00
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