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Many interesting lots in this auction where collectors can find several items in any section, lots, collections, curiosities for their personal pleasure (some of them **free offers**), many of them at a really **tempting starting price**.

All the **TRADITIONAL SECTIONS** at Vaccari auctions such as Pre-adhesive and unfranked letters, Lombardy Venetia, Modena, Naples, Naples Provinces, Parma, Papal State, Romagne, Sardinia, Sicily, Tuscany, Kingdom of Italy, R.S.I. and Regency, Republic of Italy, Italian offices abroad, Trieste AMG-VG/FTT, Colonies, Occupations, Military, Varieties, Air Mail, Sea Routes, Lake, Postal stationery, Collecting offices, Risorgimento, Fiscals, Foreign Countries, Thematics, Miscellaneous, Curiosities, Postcards, Autographs, Lots and collections, Literature.



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Among them, particularly important are some covers and postage stamps, such as the first cancellation "Lettera per Espresso", or Emanuele Filiberto cent.30 unused, inverted centre.



Express registered letter with red 5 soldi, II type, no.30 well perforated + brown 10 soldi on the back, II type, no.31 well perforated but divided into two parts because of the opening of the letter - cancellation "Padova 15/11" - next to it "Lettera per Espresso" - RRR

Emanuele Filiberto c.30 inverted centre - the most beautiful among the "true" varieties of the Kingdom period - M.Raybaudi (gold certificate 2004 - one of the few examples known today with gum - perfect condition) - G.Carraro (certificate 2004 - really rare example in a perfect condition - original partial gum) P.V.



ABSOLUTELY NEW

Collection "Space": 32 important lots with 60 items, some of them for the first time at an Italian auction. For example the cover "Apollo 16" and many more.

Space - USA - cover "Apollo 16" with the two halves of the diptych "A decade of space achievements" c.8+8 - no.7 from the 25 that Duke got cancelled before taking off and included in the "Personal Preference Kit" - the covers, according to a sworn declaration by Duke, were carried, together with the personal kit, onto the moon in the landing area "Descartes" - the ship which recovered Apollo 16, Ticonderoga, marked the letters after recovery - expertise certificate by Enzo Diena (1985) - financial certificate by Bolaffi 100% (1992) with appendix - declaration by C.Duke (19.1.1987) - it is probably the first time that one of these 25 covers is offered at a public auction in Italy



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