



**PUBLIC AUCTION**  
**in VIGNOLA by Vaccari auction room**  
Via M.Buonarroti, 46 - Vignola (Mo)

**philately - postal history**  
**postcards**

**sale catalogue no.86**

**SATURDAY 8 NOVEMBER 2014**

**PRICES REALIZED**

Vaccari public auction, with 1,287 lots of covers and postage stamps of different type and period, and postcards, has taken place in Vignola (Mo) on Saturday 8 November 2014, by the auction room of Vaccari srl, via M.Buonarroti 46.

Auctioneers Silvia Vaccari (postcards) and Luca Lopez (philately and postal history). Mail offers were dealt with by Silvia Vaccari (postcards) and by Paolo Vaccari (philately and postal history).

Among the people in the auction room, people on the phone, and those who had sent their bids by e-mail, post, fax or through the site, a very high percentage of lots has had a buyer: 72% for philately, 78% for postcards.

A result which is better than expected before the auction. People in the auction room were fewer than usual; however, there have been many bids arrived via e-mail, fax or mail (really a few), and there were many phone connections for some lots.

With some exceptions, returns, above all for postage stamps (both unused and cancelled), have not been so high, but they reflect the real market situation, also when compared to other sales. And this is an advantage for those who are buying now or have been buying during past years: the demand will grow, some signals are already present, and prices too, as a natural consequence.

The percentage increase for philately lots has been of 23% and for postcards of 77%.

Just a few hours after the auction, there are many requests for the unsold lots available at the starting price.

**Number of lots offered**  
**1,287**  
**philately 836 - postcards 451**

**Duration of the auction**  
**5 hours**  
postcards 1 hour and 15 minutes  
philately 3 hours and 45 minutes

**Number of sold lots**  
**philately 600 - postcards 351**

**Average duration per lot of postcards**  
10 seconds

**Percentage of sold lots**  
**philately 72% - postcards 78%**

**Average duration per lot of philately**  
16 seconds

**Percentage increase of the starting price**  
**philately 23% - postcards 77%**

**Sale percentage in the auction room and by telephone with respect to mail bids**  
**philately - 35% as to number of lots - 40% as to value of sold lots**  
**postcards - 27% as to number of lots - 38% as to value of sold lots**

**Returns and unsold lots available at the starting price to the first request.**  
**[www.vaccari.it/filatelia/asta/?SetLanguage=en](http://www.vaccari.it/filatelia/asta/?SetLanguage=en)**



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## SOME MOMENTS AT THE AUCTION



The session of postcards  
From the left: Valeria and Silvia Vaccari



The session of philately  
From the left: Valeria and Paolo Vaccari  
and the auctioneer Luca Lopez



The auction room



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from “Vaccari news - philately in real time” (in Italian)

11/11/2014 - “Un risultato certamente al di sopra delle aspettative”

[www.vaccarinews.it/index.php?\\_id=17505](http://www.vaccarinews.it/index.php?_id=17505)

8/11/2014 - Chiusa l’asta. I primi dati

[www.vaccarinews.it/index.php?\\_id=17484](http://www.vaccarinews.it/index.php?_id=17484)

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