



PUBLIC AUCTION

sale catalogue no.89
in VIGNOLA by Vaccari auction room
Via M.Buonarroti, 46 - Vignola (Mo)

philately - postal history
postcards

SATURDAY 30 APRIL 2016

First session 9:30 a.m. (local time)

first part - postcards

lots 991-1.285

second part - philately - 10:30

lots 1-508

Second session 2 p.m. (local time)

philately

lots 509-990

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Auctioneers Silvia Vaccari (postcards) and Luca Lopez (philately and postal history).

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and Paolo Vaccari (philately and postal history).

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VIEWING OF LOTS

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27-29 April 2016
9:30 a.m. - 1 p.m. and 2:30 - 7 p.m. (local time)
upon appointment

Vaccari auction room
30 April 2016
from 8:15 a.m. (local time)
during the first session it is possible to see the lots which will be offered in the second one

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FIRST SESSION - 9:30 a.m. (local time)

first part - POSTCARDS - 9:30
lots 991-1.285

second part - PHILATELY - 10:30
lots 1-508

Miscellaneous and Curiosities - Preadhesive or unfranked letters - Lombardy Venetia - Modena - Naples and Naples Provinces - Parma - Papal State - Romagne - Sardinia - Sicily - Tuscany - Risorgimento - Kingdom of Italy

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SECOND SESSION - 2 p.m. (local time)

PHILATELY
lots 509-990

R.S.I. and Regency - Republic of Italy - Trieste AMG-VG/FTT - Italian post offices abroad - Colonies - Occupations, Military - Varieties - Air Mail, Zeppelin, Space - Sea routes, Lake - Postal stationery - Destinations or Incoming Mail - Collecting Offices - Fiscals - Foreign countries - Lots and Collections



FOREWORD

In the public auction sale of Saturday 30 April, presented in this catalogue no.89, 1,285 lots of philately, postal history and postcards will be knocked down.

In the section devoted to **Philately and Postal History**, 990 are the lots that range from “various subjects” to foreign destinations and/or mail to Italy, that is “Incoming Mail”. Moreover, there are Preadhesive and Old Italian States, among which different rarities stand out in an absolute sense. As an example the letter sent from Parma franked for 30 centimes with pair of cent.15 tête-bêche (lot 137), and, again of Parma but in the Provisional Government period, the letter with pair of cent.5 yellow green corresponding to the military rate (lot 148). Modena is present with different letters franked with “typographic errors” coming from a famous collection. In Naples, very good lots such as Trinacria and different Crocette, one of which (lot 104) on a circular letter sent to Tropea! Very good proposals also for the other Italian States.

Regarding the Italian Kingdom, one cent.20/1862 unused with gum, sheet integral corner, with registration holes and frame line (lot 259). Also the modern section, such as Italian Republic and S.Marino, is provided with good material. Generally speaking, interesting items can be found in single lots, but in bulky ones too.

Among **Air mail**, the 2 Zeppelin lots of rare availability (731 and 732) stand out. As usual in Vaccari Spring auctions, the section devoted to **Space** is represented: it starts with the rarest moon space letter, Apollo 16 (lot 741) example n.17 of 25, and continues with a beautiful overview of space mail USSR-RUSSIA largely flown and an ISS rarity, one of the 11 official postcards sent for the first time from the International Space Station (lot 785).

Also 295 lots of **Postcards** category are back in this auction, offering a general overview that focuses on Aviation (both in the specific section and in Regionalism) and on lots, with a large selection of thousands of postcards (above all Regionalism of whole Italy and Military) at very competitive prices!

The lots of the section devoted to Postcards will be knocked down first, followed by Philately and Postal History. During the course of the public auction, the offers received by correspondence (via mail, fax, e-mail, internet) within Friday 29 April (3:00 p.m. local time) are managed and evaluated together with those of live participants, in the auction room or on the phone.

It is important to bear in mind, when deciding one's own “price ceiling” for a specific lot, that **no commission has been applied to purchases made at Vaccari auctions (usually 20%)** for over 20 years.

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Enlargements are possible also in the version to be browsed in the free site **Issuu** <http://issuu.com/vaccaristamps>, that gives the chance to make researches, to enlarge single parts, to download the pdf file on one's computer, to print single pages.

Moreover, the auction is in Delcampe international site www.delcampe.net, in the Prestige section.

The viewing of lots will be possible by Vaccari auction room from 27 April, upon appointment. (The lots purchased can be collected, only on demand, also at Veronafil on Friday 27 and Saturday 28 May.)

Vignola, March 2016



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NAPLES - Farini Regency

printed circular letter with a really interesting text (relevant to postal regulations in force) from Naples to Tropea of 13.12.1860 with t.1/2 blue "Crocetta" Vaccari n.16 - Sassone n.16 - boxed "Annullato" - good quality - Em.Diena - Enzo Diena (cert.1992) - P.V. (cert.2016)

lot 104 - BASE 6.000,00

DUCHY OF PARMA

from Parma to Genoa of 18.1.1853 franked for c.30 with c.15 rose Vaccari n.6 tête-bêche pair with regular to right margins and with upper left corner slightly touched - Sassone n.3e = euro 360.000,00

- really rare and really fresh - ex coll. Ferrari de la Renotière - on the back: "guaranteed as genuine Emilio Diena 9/11/95" - Em.Diena - A.Diena (cert.1974) - Paolo Vaccari (cert.2016)

lot 137 - BASE 12.000,00



KINGDOM OF ITALY

Vittorio Emanuele II - c.20 indigo Vaccari n.23, lower left corner of sheet with corner frame line and 2 registration holes - Sassone n.2ele (indigo) - unrecorded ex. (only a block of 12 is known) - good quality - Giorgio Colla (cert.2016) - Paolo Vaccari (cert.2016)

lot 259 - BASE 2.500,00

SPACE

USA - 1972 - **APOLLO 16** - space letter **n.17 out of 25** that Charles M.Duke included in his "Personal Preference Kit" during Apollo 16 mission - franked with two halves of the diptych "A decade of Space achievements" c.8+c.8, canc. "Kennedy Space Center, FL Apr 16 PM 1972", launch day, and canc. of the ship Ticonderoga board post office, 27.4.1972, recovery day - in the upper part of the cover, the astronaut's handwritten text and signature: "I certify that cover 17 of a total of 25 carried on the Apollo 16 flight landed on the Moon, approved for storage in my P.P.K. Charles Duke"

guarantee declaration by C.M.Duke issued on 29.7.1985 in the presence of an American notary public - A.Bolaffi (financial cert. 100% with expertise appendix 1986) - Enzo Diena (cert.1986) - the Apollo 16 is last mission of Apollo flights authorized to carry mail and the 25 space letters carried from 16 to 27.4.1972 by Young, Mattingly and Duke are last ones to reach the Moon and are considered to be the rarest Moon space letters

lot 741 - BASE 50.000,00

