

AHPS AUCTION NUMBER 171

Closing date is October 15, 2018

This auction offers a great variety of early Swiss stamps and a large variety of first flight covers that should appeal to all of our members.

Included are many early Strubels and Standing Helvetia issues. All items are priced to sell!!

The first catalog number in the description is generally Zumstein (Z), followed by Scott (S) as appropriate. Values are from the 2016 Zumstein.

Airmail covers are listed and valued per the 2000 Schweizerisches Luftpost-Handbuch where appropriate.

Catalog values are converted to dollars at the rate CHF 1 = US\$ 1.00.

All of the lots are scanned on the internet via the AHPS web site www.swiss-stamps.org. A few lots are illustrated here in *Tell* to whet your appetite.

Please send bids to auction manager Gerry Diamond by one of the following means;

- Email: gerrysdiamond@yahoo.com
- Mail: 60 Silver Birch Lane, Pearl River, N.Y. 10965-1233. E-mail bids are preferred and will be quickly acknowledged.

When emailing your bids, don't forget to include your address.

Sellers: Contact me in advance so that we can discuss any material that you wish to submit.

Regards.....Gerry

Lot #	Description	Cat. Val. \$	Min. Bid \$
Rayons & Strubels. These are priced at Catalog value. Any premiums for condition and grading etc. should be considered when you bid.			
1	Z 16II, S 10. 10 Rp. Rayon II. VF left margin copy. 4 frame lines with central grill cancel.	150.00	35.00
2	Z 18, S 11. 15 Rp. Rayon III used on small piece. 4 frame lines, close at bottom right. Central Blue grill cancel	800.00	175.00
3	Z 18, S 11. 15 Rp. Rayon III. Used, VF with 4 margins. Just touching at bottom. Central grill cancel.	800.00	165.00
4	Z 20, S 12. 15 Rp. Rayon III. Used, VF with 4 margins. Light central grill cancel	160.00	45.00
5	Z 21G, S 35. 2 Rp. Gray Strubel. 3 frame lines, close at right, in at bottom. 2 round cancels.	700.00	50.00
6	Z 22A, S 14. 5 Rp. Orange Brown Strubel. Nice sound copy with central light grill cancel. All margins are close or just in.	200.00	20.00
7	Z 22D, S 25. 5 Rp. Brown Strubel. VF with 4 margins and light central cancel.	50.00	18.00
8	Z 22D & 25B, S 25 & 23. 5 Rp. Brown and 20 Rp. Orange on small piece tied with central grill cancel. Each has 2+ margins.	290.00	50.00
9	Z 23A, S 16. 10 Rp. Blue Strubel. Mint with partial gum. 4 frame lines. HB stamp on back	1000.00	200.00
10	Z 23Aa. 10 Rp. Blue Strubel. First issue on thin paper. 4 frame lines with light grill cancel	1000.00	200.00

11	Z 23C, S 27. 10 Rp. Blue Strubel. 3 ½ large frame lines, just in at bottom left. Diagonal straight line cancel.	65.00	20.00
12	24A, S 17. 15 Rp. Rose Strubel. VF with 4 frame lines, just touching at top right. Central grill cancel.	220.00	50.00
13	Z 24B, S 22. 15 Rp. Rose Strubel. 4 Frame lines with light grill cancel. Signed Rellstab.	140.00	35.00
14	Z 24Da, S 28. 15 Rp. Rose Strubel. 4 frame lines with central Zurich full date cancel.	90.00	25.00
15	Z 24G, S 38. 15 Rp. Rose Strubel. VF, 4 margins with light central cancel.	75.00	18.00
16	Z 25B, S 23. 20 Rp. Pale Orange Strubel. VF, 3 margins, just in at top. Light grill cancel.	240.00	55.00
17	Z 25F. 20 Rp. Orange Strubel. VF with 3+ margin copy, just in at top left. Central L(uz)ern date cancel.	340.00	80.00
18	Z 25G, S 39. 20 Rp. Orange Strubel. 3 ½ frame lines, just in at LR. Central city and date cancel.	95.00	24.00
19	26Cc, S 29. 40 Rp. Green Strubel. VF, 4 frame lines with central city and date cancel	140.00	35.00

Strubels on cover

20	Z 22G, S 38. 5 Rp. Brown Strubel on partial folded letter from Geneve Jan 10, 1860 central cancel. 3 ½ frame lines, just in at LL.	60.00	10.00
21	Z 23C, S 27. 10 Rp. Blue Strubel. 3 margins, just in at right, on folded letter from Lugano Jano 27 1857 to Locarno (backstamped)	100.00	22.00
22	Z 24B, S22. 15 Rp. Rose Strubel on 1855 letter from Bremgarten to Aarau tied with light grill cancel. 3 margins, 4 th just in at top right. Back stamped with rectangle Aarau 7 8 55	260.00	60.00
23	Z 24B, S 22. 15 Rp. Rose Strubel on small folded letter tied with central grill cancel. Hand stamped to Lausanne 4 19 1855 to Bern back stamped 4 20 1855. No margins	260/00	30.00
24	Z 24G, S 38. 15 Rp. Rose Strubel on folded letter from Basel Apr 9 1861 to Schaffhausen with back stamp Apr 10 1861. 4 frame lines	150.00	35.00
25	Z 24G, S 38. 15 Rp. Rose Strubel with 2 1\2 margins on folded letter from Baden Juni 9 1862 to Aarau/Winterthur 9 VI 62. Clear central cancel.	150.00	23.00
26	Z 25GI, S 39. 20 Rp. Orange Strubel on small folded invoice from Aarau 10 Aug 59. Almost 3 margins. Willegg Back stamp 11 Aug 59.	400.00	55.00

Standing Helvetia (SH)

27	Z 66Ac, S 82. 20 c Orange SH Mint, centered to top. Hinged with small remnant.	250.00	20.00
28	Z 66D, S 82a. 20 c Orange SH. Mint, Centered to UR, heavy hinge	100.00	8.00
29	Z 66Da, S 82a. Same as above, mint, hinged, centered to UR	100.00	9.00
30	Z 66E, S 82b. 20 c Orange SH. Mint, heavy hinge, centered to bottom. Horizontal crease	40.00	3.00
31	Z 67C. 25 c Green SH. Mint, hinged, centered to UR. small thin at top	350.00	15.00
32	Z 67Ca. Same as above. Mint, hinged, centered to LL. Short perf at top	350.00	18.00
33	Z 67Db, S 83a. 25 c Green SH. Mint, heavy hinge, centered to LR	16.00	2.00
34	Z 67Dc, S 83a. Same as above. Mint, LH, centered to UL	16.00	3.00
35	Z 67Dd, S 83a. Same as above, Mint, LH, centered to UL. Vertical gum crease	16.00	2.00
36	Z 68C. 30 c Brown SH. Mint, hinged, centered to LR	650.00	50.00
37	Z 68Ca. 30 c Brown SH. Mint, LH, VF centering. Slight rounding of LR corner	650.00	50.00
38	Z 68Cb. 30 c Brown SH. Mint hinged, Centered to LL.	650.00	50.00
39	Z 68Da, S 95. 30 c Brown SH. Mint, hinged, Centered to UR	50.00	7.00
40	Z 68Dd, S95. 30 c Brown SH. Mint, hinged. Centered to UR.	50.00	7.00
41	Z 68Dg, S 95. 30c Brown SH. Mint, hinged. Centered to UL	50.00	7.00
42	Z 69D, S 84a. 40 c Gray SH. Mint, hinged. Centered to LL	110.00	12.00
43	Z 70A, S 86. 50 c Blue SH. Mint, hinged, F-VF centering	200.00	20.00

44	Z 71C. 1 Fr. Claret SH. Mint, hinged. Centered to bottom	1100.00	125.00
45	Z 73D, S 94. 25 c Blue SH. Mint, heavy hinge. Centered to UR.	18.00	2.00
46	Z 73E, S 94a. 25 c Blue SH. Mint, heavy hinge. Centered to top	20.00	2.00
47	Z 73Ed, S 94a. 25 c Blue SH. Mint, heavy hinge. Centered to UR	20.00	2.00
48	Z 74E, S 96a. 50 c Green SH. Mint, hinged. Centered to top.	100.00	10.00
49	Z 76F, S 108a. 40 c Gray SH. Mint, LH. Centered to LL	60.00	12.00
50	Z 86A, S 105. 20 c Orange SH. White paper. Mint, VLH. Centered to top	6.00	1.00
51	Z 87A, S 106. 25 c Blue SH. Mint, VF, NH.	8.00	2.00

Regular Issues

52	Z 50, S 52. 1 Fr. Gold Sitting Helvetia. VF pair. Mint, hinged in center	36.00	6.00
53	Z 77 (A, B & C), S 98 & 101. 5 c 1900 Green UPU. 15 used copies. All have round cancels with good-vf centering. All are unchecked for shades and types.	100.00	17.50
54	Z 78 (A, B & C), S 99. 10 c 1900 Carmine UPU. 15 used copies. All have round cancels with good-vf centering. All are unchecked for shades and types.	46.00	8.00
55	Z 79 (A & B), S 100. 25 c 1900 Blue UPU. 15 choice used copies. All have round cancels with good-vf centering. Unchecked for shades and types.	825.00	70.00
56	Z 77-79 (A & B). S 98-100, 101-102. 1900 UPU. 10 used sets. All have central round cancels with good-vf centering. Unchecked for shades and types	620.00	55.00
57	Z 129, S 181. 3 Fr. Green Mythen. Mint, VF, NH.	1950.00	350.00
58	Z 268, S 299. 60 c PAX. Used, VF with light corner cancel	18.00	5.00
59	Z 269, S 300. 80 c PAX, mint, VF, NH	10.00	3.00
60	Z 269, S 300. 80 c PAX, used, VF with corner cancel.	130.00	26.00
61	Z 270, S 301. 1 Fr. PAX, used, VF with corner cancel.	150.00	30.00
62	32 different Swiss perfins. Almost all are pre 1030's.		20.00

First and Special Flights

63	SLH FM I. 1913 Aarau flugpostmarken. Mint, VF hinged	80.00	25.00
64	SLH SF 24.2.d. 4 V 24 Flugtag Laufen. VF letter with vignette. Franked with F6 and 10c Tell	150.00	35.00
65	SLH SF 24.6.c. 31 VIII 24 "Les Rangiers" VF special card with vignette. Franked with F6.	150.00	30.00
66	SLH SF 24.7.d. I IX 24. Flugtag Solothern. VF letter with 30c vignette. Franked with F9	55.00	18.00
67	SLH SF 24.8. 28 IX 24 Flugtag Lausanne Comptoir Suisse. VF imprinted card, uprated with F3 sent to Zurich. Violet cancel	160.00	30.00
68	SLH SF 25.2.c. Flugpost Basel to Zurich. VF special card with Vignette. Franked with F5 and 2 Tell Boys.	75.00	22.00
69	SLH (2013) RF 25.3.b. 27 IV 25. Zurich to Basel. VF small cover franked with F3 and WI 32. A rare flight cover!!	350.00	80.00
70	SLH SF 25.4.OK I. 1 VI 25 Flugmeeting Geneve on special registered card. Franked with F6 and 10c Tell. Imperforate pair of 50c vignette attached.	190.00	45.00
71	SLH SF 26.3.L. I Juli 1926 Basel to Schaffhausen. VF official card franked with vignette and F5.	65.00	18.00
72	SLH SF 26.7.c. 28 XI 26. Africaflug Zurich to Alexandria. VF registered cover franked with F4 & F12.	120.00	28.00
73	SLH RF 27.4.B.d. 30 V 27 NHORA Special 35c blue envelope uprated with F3; Lausanne destination.	120.00	24.00
74	SLH SF 27.4.U. 22 VIII 27 Bellinzona to Zurich on special card franked with F5	60.00	14.00
75	SLH SF 27.4. 22 VIII 27 Zurich to Bellinzona on special envelope with propeller. Franked with F3 and 5c Tell Boy.	35.00	10.00
75A	SLH SF 27.4. OK.S. 22 VIII 27 Intl. Flugmeeting Zurich to Bellinzona special card with 40c pilot imprint.	20.00	7.00

76	SLH RF 28.6.b. 14 V 28 Zurich to St. Gallen. VF postcard showing city view of Zurich. Franked with F5	295.00	60.00
77	SLH SF 30.12.a. 2 XII 30. Africa Flight Zurich to Pappignan. VF registered letter franked with 2 copies of F11. Arrival on back.	230.00	50.00
78	SLH SF 31.1.a. 10 VI 31 Zeppelin flight Vaduz to Lausanne. VF card with 1 Fr. zeppelin value. Sent to N.Y. City	300.00	90.00
79	SLH SF 32.10.a. 25 IX 32. Gordon Bennett Balloon Post cover EBRACH. Franked with F16-18	130.00	24.00
80	SLH SF 35.5.d. 17 IX 35 Glider flight to Interlaken station. VF mountain view postcard franked with F20 & 1 Fr. 1932 Disarmament.	75.00	22.00
81	SLH RF 40.2.a. I IV 40. Locarno to Barcelona on F-Vf German censored letter. Franked with WII 3-6.	45.00	14.00
82	SLH SF 40.2.I. 9 5 40 Natl. Spende Red Cross Luzern Station 26. Nice franking.	40.00	12.00
83	SLH BA 6. 1950 Dolder Balloon "Zurich" from Dornbin. VF cachet letter. Unaddressed with Austrian franking.	300.00	35.00
84	30 III 57 Balloon Mungg flight for Hungarian Aid. Special card with green vignette.	15.00	4.00

