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Below is a selection of our enormous stock of Zeppelins & Aerophilately. See our web site <http://www.hgitner.com/zepp.html> for our current listing with over 450 covers and memorabilia priced from \$12.50 to \$2,750.00.

Zeppelin Memorabilia

- 3345 1928 Ceramic square Candy Dish (?) approximately 100mm x 100mm. Bone China with picture of Zeppelin in blue and yellow with inscription "Grif Zeppelin, Germany 1928". Made in England..... \$125.00
 4701 1930's Watch fob - Bronze colored metallic shield with Zeppelin and early airplane. Includes leather strap and buckle..... \$95.00

United States

- 3001 1927 1927 Commemorative Aluminum Coin, 31mm diameter. One side -Lindbergh May 20-21 New York to Paris 33 hours. Other side - Chamberlin June 4-7 New York to Berlin 42 hours. Copyright 1927..... \$50.00
 4893 1928 (Oct 27) Graf Zeppelin flight cover with Calvin Coolidge autograph during his Presidency/Lakehurst - Friedrichshafen flight with US #571 and 628. Very rare - a few small corner bends. \$800.00
 4861 1928 (Oct) American Flight from US to Germany on Hermann Toepfer VF cover with air over Zeppelin design and Statue of Liberty. S.22B..... \$100.00
 4669 1929 (Aug 5) Unusual Round the World Flight cover-additional franking for 2nd leg of journey. Cover 1st sent from S. Orange, NJ Aug. 5 and 1c + 5c applied. Friedrichshafen backstamp Aug 8 Then 2 x 30c postage applied, tied by Los Angeles 26 cancel. Fascinating item! Rapp certificate..... \$800.00
 4854 1929 (Oct 7) VF airmail cover with AVIATOR WILEY POST signature + 2 others, Steve Lavey and Earl Rowland. Sent from Springfield, Mass. VF goodly cover. Very rare!!..... \$800.00
 1929 Goodyear Medal with strap, shield pictures Zeppelin. "Duralumin used in the Airship Akron. Made by the Goodyear Zeppelin Corporation Akron, OH"..... \$100.00
 4861 1930 (Apr 19) Pan Am Round Flight with C15, VF/XF on generic cachet airmail cover in red and blue. Green Lakehurst backstamp on reverse. Flown FDC! Probably not considered a "true" cacheted FDC but very close..... \$1,000.00
 4862 1930 (Apr 5) VF airmail cover to Canada signed by Aviator Pioneer, Frank M. Hawks. Postmarked Buffalo, NY. With inscription "Commemorating the visit of Captain Frank Hawks to Buffalo on the First Transcontinental Gilder Flight, April 5, 1930." Additional note at bottom of cover reads "Frank Hawks died in a plane crash at East Aurora, NY Aug. 23, 1938..... \$200.00
 3332 1930 (Apr 29) C15 F-VF appeared but corner perf off lower left. Somewhat tired but intact cover. A bargain at..... \$325.00
 4769 1930 (June 2) Pan Am flight with C14 F-VF on cover to Offenach. German backstamp. A few minor toning spots on cover. S.64B..... \$400.00
 4866 1931 (Jul 10) Combination cover of First Airmail Flight Route AM19 Atlantic City and Catapult SS Bremen! Light vertical crease on left side. Interesting item..... \$310.00
 4670 1932 (Nov 19) Registered Flight cover from Kitty Hawk, boldly signed by Orville Wright! F-VF cover with attractive all over silver and green Wright Bros. Kitty Hawk monument design. With C27 block straight line marked Nov. 23 1932 purple handstamp. A very scarce autograph..... \$950.00
 1714 1932 (Jun 22) Catapult cover, SS Bremen ship to shore. Sent from Brooklyn, NY to Palestine..... \$450.00
 4725 1933-34 VF flight cover for NY - Rome interrupted flight, signed by the two pilots, C. Sabelli and Captain G.R. Pond. The flight was delayed several months due to weather conditions. Postmarked Oct. 16 1933 City Hall Annex and then Nov. 1 1933 Brooklyn NY. Sheepshard Bay and again Jan 4 1934 and May 1 1934. The flight left May 15 for Rome but due to engine troubles, the aviators landed in Ireland. The cover was backstamped Leact CI Concabur, May 15 1934. It was then mailed back to the US from England where an additional 1 1/2 p.G.B. franking was affixed and cancelled Jun 7 1934. Arrived in NY and backstamped June 16. Quite an interesting cover!..... \$600.00
 3515 1933 (Oct 23) Chicago flight, Miami, C18a on VF cover. Backstamped Akron and Chicago. S.242A..... \$110.00
 4728 1933 (Oct 2) Century of Progress Flight C18 cancelled First Day in NY. Friedrichshafen to Friedrichshafen round trip/ S.241 G E 400 + 200% FD..... \$300.00
 4867 1934 (Apr 26) Boris Sergievsky, test pilot and flight ace autograph on VF unaddressed airmail cover. "Seaplane - Worlds Altitude Records - Giant Sikorsky S-42" cachet in violet. "This cover actually carried on record flight"..... \$125.00
 4739 1946 (Nov 10) Airmail cover signed by Capt. Eddie Rickenbacker, World War I flying Ace & aviator in WWII. Postmarked Lexington, KY and sent to Philadelphia. Brookman cv \$350.00..... \$250.00
 4707 1917 Brass colored medalion for the Golden Anniversary, 1921-1971, of the Air station in Lakehurst, NJ, 37mm in diameter. One side shows Zeppelin in flight over hangar. Reverse with 50 over shield..... \$25.00

Algeria

- 4756 1934 (Oct) 10th S. Am. flight card. Reg. card sent from Alger-Mustapna via Strasbourg & Friedrichshafen to Pernambuco. Brazil receiving cancel on front. Strasbourg on back. S.280Aa E450 Mi 410a..... \$425.00

Austria

- 4746 1913 (Oct 20) Airship "Sachsen" Haida flight of LZ17. VF-XF 5h green postal card, photo card of Sachsen over Haida. Neat, clean card/ S.94b E1250 M17Gc..... \$1,100.00

Austria

- 3757 1918 (Oct 2) Postally correct Lemberg to Krakow VF flight cover, properly franked with 1.50 + 2.50 (gray paper) + 20g. Scarcest flight!..... \$135.00
 4801 1929 (May 7) Registered cover-airmail from Vienna to New Castles, Austria. 5 airmails on front and an additional 20 x 2g airmail on reverse. Fair vertical bend down center right..... \$100.00
 3304 1931 (Oct 14) 3rd S. Am. flight. VF registered card to NY/Brazil and NY backstamps. S.133..... \$150.00
 4744 1931 (Jul 21) Polar Flight card with red flight cachet and 4 neatly applied airmails, Friedrichshafen to Berlin. Berlin receiving cancel on front. S.119D E 400. Mi 202..... \$375.00
 3041 1933 (Jun 24) WIPA Zeppelin pictorial postal card 50g airmails, blue flight cachet and blue airmail label sent to Budapest then on to Luzern Switzerland..... \$65.00
 3366 1929 VF Balloon post cover to Switzerland. Spelterini vignette with 3g and 30g stamps on top. Ank K-S lid o/c 4700..... \$200.00

Belgium

- 4804 1930 /Belgium Congo (Dec 5) Registered airmail cover with Belgium C5 used First Day, 3 stamp additional Belgium franking, sent to Leopoldville. Reverse with attractive 7 stamp Belgian Congo franking for return flight. Very rare!..... \$200.00

Germany

- 4697 1912 Aviation heavy metallic medal, 49mm in diameter. One side shows early airplane in flight over mountains. Reverse with inscription "II Deutscher Zuverlässigkeitstag Flug Am Oberheim 12-22 Mai 1912" surrounded by laurel leaf and Holly wreath..... \$90.00
 3096 1922 (Sept 30) VF Registered airmail cover, European side. Oberammergau Passion Play cancel, 7 airmails and green airmail label..... \$100.00
 4347 1923 Advertising postal card with list for airmail philatelic material on reverse..... \$125.00
 3312 1925 (Jul 31) VF blue European sized cover, registered sent airmail from Berlin to Scotland via Bremen. 9 airmails, C12, C13 (x2), C14-16. Neat and attractive cover!..... \$100.00
 3111 1927 VF Parcel card form with 5 airm. Sent airmail to Zurich. Interesting item!..... \$75.00
 3938 1929 (Mar 24) Orient flight. C36, 2m blue on VF cover with blue airmail label. Mailed to Palestine! Backstamped Jaffa 27 Mar. S.231 A..... \$90.00
 4432 1929 (May 15) Interrupted America flight. C36 on VF postal card Friedrichshafen - U.S. Blue flight cachet, red one line advisory cachet. S.26A..... \$70.00
 3120 1929 (Aug 15) Zeppelin Round the World Flight. VF cover with C35, 2m + 2x C37, 4m. Friedrichshafen - Lakehurst. S.30Ac..... \$195.00
 3114 1930 Zeppelin badge. Oval fabric on metal. Gold edging with silver on black. Very unusual!..... \$150.00
 4281 1931 (Jul 25) Polar flight. C42m, 4m polar zepp sent to NY with Berlin and Malguyin cancels. S.119H..... \$550.00
 4282 1931 (Jul 24) Polar flight. C42 4m polar zepp on cover to USA. Friedrichshafen and Malguyin cancels. S.119F..... \$550.00
 3280 1933 (Aug 21) 5th S Am flight. Bird in flight cachet. C35 + 2 definitive on XF Sieger cacheted card to Rio di Janeiro. Unusual 4 line publicity reply handstamp by Condor on reverse..... \$175.00
 3862 1935 Catapult flight combination! on SS Bremen and Europa sent to New York. Rare combination!! Expertly repaired at right!..... \$250.00
 4537 1936 (Aug 1) Hindenburg Olympic Games flight. B82-89 on cover. S.427B..... \$150.00

Great Britain

- 3028 1916 1916 Flown Zeppelin wire cable sewed on Red Cross card. "This is a piece of genuine Zeppelin wire from the first Zeppelin brought down at Cuffley in Essex. Sep 3rd 1916"..... \$300.00

British Offices

- 4759 1933 Offices in Morocco (Apr 27) First South America flight cover addressed to Stoltz in Brazil. Colorful 6 stamp franking sent registered from Tangiers with blue flight cachet. A few minor toning spots but still a neat, attractive cover. S.202B E 500. Mi 294b..... \$450.00
 4767 1933 (July 25) 4th South American flight card. VF registered card with 2 Morocco Agencies overprinted stamps. Sent from Tangiers to Brazil. Tangiers - Paris and then Friedrichshafen to Pernambuco Red flight cachet. Paris and Pernambuco backstamps on reverse. S.223A E350 Mi 323a..... \$350.00

Gibraltar

- 4758 1933 (June 24) 3rd South American flight cover. Registered cover sent to Argentina. Violet flight cachet backstamp Buenos Aires. S.219B E400 Mi 315b..... \$375.00

Greece

- 4761 1932 (Apr 13) Third South American flight card. 40 I blue postal card with two additional definitives. Sent from Athens to Stoltz in Brazil. Brown flight cachet, red Berlin connecting flight cachet and boxed Greek Zeppelin cachet. Backstamped Pernambuco. S.150B E650. Mi 239b..... \$500.00
 4763 1932 (Sept 10) 7th South American flight card. 40 I blue postal card with 5 additional stamps. Sent from Athens and addressed to Stoltz in Brazil. Brown flight cachet, red Berlin connecting flight cachet and Greek boxed Zeppelin flight cachet. Rare! for American flight but arrived too late and stamped "Zur 6 Fahrt zu späteingetroffen". Only 32 pieces from Greece posted this way. Not listed this way by Sieger. All flight cachets and cancellations on front. Signed by Roger Koerber Very Rare!! Mi 279b E750..... \$600.00

Hungary

- 3836 1931 USA (May 14) NY to Budapest, "Justice for Hungary" flight on special card, #228. AAMC #1144..... \$125.00
 4778 1931 (Jul 20) Polar Flight card. Photo card of Zeppelin taking off. 2p red orange airmail tied by Budapest cancel. Friedrichshafen - Leningrad. Red flight cachet Leningrad backstamp and all postal markings on address side. A few minor marks on photo side due to hangings otherwise VF. S.119E E 500 Mi 205a..... \$450.00

Iceland

- 4285 1931 (Jul) Iceland flight card and cover both sent to the same address in Jersey City, NJ. Card VF and pristine, stamp has some gum staining. Cover some light soiling, stamps are F-VF. S.114A + S.114D..... \$300.00
 4523 1931 (Jun 30) Icelandic flight. Registered cover with green flight cachet, addressed to Berlin. 2kr + 30a. zeppelin opt. stamp. Vertical crease on left side O/W VF Friedrichshafen + Berlin backstamp on reverse. S.114 D..... \$250.00
 4773 1932 (Sept 7) 7th South American zeppelin flight car. European sized registered cover from Reykjavik. Attractive franking with full set of Gullfoss Falls and 10a airmail block of 4. Brown flight cachet, red Berlin connecting flight cachet and Pernambuco backstamp Intended for 6th South American flight and stamped "Zur 6 Fahrt zu späteingetroffen" in blue. Only 32 pieces from Iceland posted this way. Not listed in Sieger. Very rare! Back has mounting marks, otherwise VF. Mi 27b E1100..... \$850.00

India

- 3850 1935 (Feb 27) "Rocket Firing Test" label on pink paper. Label also on cover with rocket cancel and signed by S. Smith. Special firing conducted at the request of the Calcutta press..... \$200.00

Indo-China

- 4765 1934 (Jul 16) 5th South American Zeppelin flight cover. VF registered cover from Saigon with 4 airmails. Köln transit through Friedrichshafen. Red flight cachet "b". Backstamped Pernambuco. Rare cover! S.265 E1650 Mi 385a..... \$1,600.00

Ireland

- 5006 1932 (Apr 14) 3rd So. American flight addressed to H. Stoltz on Brazil. "Mit Zeppelin" blue label, "Printed Paper" (S.150)..... \$850.00

Italy

- 4839 1933 Somalia (Nov 6) Chicago Flight. Neat, attractive card with 4 stamps on front and an additional 2 on reverse. Intended for Chicago flight but missed the connection. Violet cachet applied on its return to Rome with explanation. (S.238) E500..... \$400.00
 3286 1936 1936 (May 4) 1st N. Am. flight, Rome to NY. From S. Bayern to Diena at the NY Stamp Exhibition. Registered cover, #278, backstamped Frankfurt and NY. Rare and undervalued cover!..... \$400.00

Liechtenstein

- 4227 1931 Vaduz - Lausanne flight. C7 on VF cacheted postal card addressed to Lindman in Sweden. S.110A..... \$150.00
 1737 1931 (June 10) CB XF stamp on cacheted "Behrens" cover, cover with minor faults. Priced as used stamp..... \$250.00

Luxembourg

- 4780 1931 /Germany Baltic Sea Flight VF card with dual franking. Luxembourg 75c franking with May 11 cancel and Germany 1m airmail with May 14 cancel. Zeppelin flight from Berlin and dropped in Denmark. Copenhagen receiving cancel on stamp side. Scarcer Luxembourg posting for this drop. S.108Ca E350 Mi 177 L \$350.00
 4781 1932 /Germany First South American flight. Photo PC of Dr Eckeren with 75c Luxembourg franking, Mar 18 cancel and German 1m Zeppelin + additional 25pf tied by Friedrichshafen cancel. Addressed to Stoltz in Brazil. Pernambuco receiving cancel on stamp side. S.138Aa E330 Mi234b..... \$300.00

Malta

- 4784 1933 (Sept 28) Chicago Flight card. VF registered card from Valetta with colorful 4 stamp franking. Red German flight cachet. To Brazil via Friedrichshafen. Backstamped Pernambuco. S.238Aa E1000 Mi347a..... \$900.00

Morocco, French

- 4785 1933 (June 26) 3rd South American flight card sent registered from Casablanca. Violet flight cachet. Friedrichshafen cancel, backstamped Pernambuco. "par Zeppelin" blue label and "par Avion" rose colored label. S.219Aa E400 M315a..... \$425.00

Netherlands

- 3334 1931 (July 24) Polar flight, Amsterdam to Friedrichshafen to Malguyin then to Romanshorn, Switzerland and backstamped. All markings on face. XF card and quite rare! S.119..... \$450.00
 4791 1931 (July 13) Polar flight card sent from Rotterdam to Friedrichshafen. Zeppelin flight to Berlin with receiving cancel on front. Addressed to Wall St., NY. NY. Paper remnants on reverse from mounting. S.119D E450..... \$350.00

Nicaragua

- 4827 1932 /Brazil (Oct 12) 8th South American Flight cover with very colorful 10 stamp franking that includes Nicaragua 2 airmails-1 additional, sent from Managua. Then 7 Brazil stamps added including 3500r on 5,000 zpp. stamp tied by Sao Paulo cancels. Violet flight cachet on reverse with Friedrichshafen backstamp. Flight cachet is the one was last used on 4th So. Am. flight, not in Sieger. S.190vAr M285Ag..... \$800.00



Palestine

- 4828 1934 (May 18) First South American Flight cover. VF registered cover sent from Jerusalem with 4 stamp franking. Stuttgart transit cancel on reverse, routed through Friedrichshafen. Red flight cachet, "b". Backstamped Pernambuco. Rare cover! S.247Aa Mi 362a..... \$2,250.00

Peru

- 3863 1928 (Oct 22) Scadta flight cover to Colombia. First flight Peru - Ecuador - Colombia. VF condition..... \$450.00
 4830 1932 /Brazil (Sept 7) 7th South American flight card with dual franking. Small F-VF cover with 5 Peru stamps sent from Lima the 2 Brazil added including 3,500 Zeppelin opt. tied by Rio de Janeiro cancel for the return flight. Violet flight cachet, backstamped Friedrichshafen. Some minor toning. S.184A E900. Mi 261A..... \$750.00

Saar

- 4833 1929 (Aug 14) Round the World Flight card. Photo PC of Cathedral, sent from Saar, 4 stamp franking. Red flight cachet, Friedrichshafen - Lakehurst. Lakehurst and New York receiving cancels on address side. Minor corner crease lower right, otherwise VF. S.30Ab E500..... \$400.00
 3868 1932 (May 30) VF Catapult flight on "Bremen" combined with "Nachringelung" Köln - Cherbourg. Köln backstamp on face, franked with 5fr and 1fr airmails (5fr DM 450. av cover!) Has 83 var. Scarce!..... \$375.00



San Marino

- 4838 1932 (Apr 14) 3rd South American flight. VF card with single 10L blue airmail. Sent registered from San Marino to Brazil. Brown flight cachet, blue airmail label. Sackstamped Pernambuco on reverse. S.150AA E1500..... \$1,000.00

Sweden

- 4840 1932 (Mar 18) 1st South American flight car. Photo PC of Stockholm with 50c violet strip of 4 + 50 green. Violet flight cachet, backstamped Brazil on address side. S.138Aa E600..... \$500.00
 4841 1932 /Colombia (Mar 18) 1st S. Am. flight. Over-sized cover w/ colorful dual franking. Sent reg from Blotberget with 11 Swedish stamps. Forwarded to NY Apr.20, to Atlanta GA Apr 21 Miami Fl Apr 21. Berlin - Friedrichshafen zeppelin red flight cachet and Friedrichshafen - Brazil violet flight cachet. Backstamped Brazil 23 Apr. Flown airmail to Colombia, two Colombian stamp added, 4c blue and black and 6c Ribon Express stamp. A very interesting cover not mentioned in Sieger or Michel. S.138 Aa..... \$1,200.00

Switzerland

- 1406 1911 Luzern air display PPC with official Aero Society cancel. Rare! Card has some creasing. HT 2242 SF 2400. Collector originally paid \$1200!..... \$650.00
 3894 1925 International Geneva Meeting Mint Hinged collection of 8 different imperfs and errors including varieties not listed. SLK SR 240+..... \$95.00

Tunisia

- 4844 1933 (June 3) South American Flight, colorful 8 stamp franking on VF postal card sent registered from Bizerte. Green flight cachet, Zeppelin label and airmail label. Brazil backstamp 6 June. Also on reverse is green Friedrichshafen Zeppelin backstamp 15 August, the arrival date for the 4th South American flight. Perhaps it had been re-routed to Europe? Intriguing piece. Light water bleeding on bottom of card otherwise VF. S.214Aa E750..... \$600.00
 4846 1933 (Jul 26) 4th South American Flight photo PC sent registered from Tunis with 10fr single stamp. Red flight cachet, Pernambuco receiving cancel on address side. Paris transit cancel on photo side. Photo of street view..... \$325.00

Turkey

- 4847 1932 (Apr 12) 3rd South American Flight - 3g brown postal card with 4 additional stamps. Istanbul - Pernambuco, Brazil, brown flight cachet with Berlin connecting flight cachet..... \$650.00

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