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Juhring Puerto Principe — Prices Realized

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On October 25, 1978, Stanley Gibbons of Frankfurt, West Germany auctioned the John C. Juhring Puerto Principe collection in their Auction No. 14. Here are selected prices realized, although because I understand from an eye witness that Stanley Gibbons was a heavy buyer at their own auction the prices may represent a manipulated market. I must assume that the descriptions are accurate and that the items are genuine in all respects. The stamps are listed by printing and Scott number. The 1978 Scott's U.S. Specialized Catalog price follows the realization in parentheses. I have converted all prices to U.S. Dollars, figuring the German Mark at 56¢.

First Printing: 178 var. single with margin at right, surcharge on stamp and margin, Pos. 4-5, Pos. 5 on margin, tied on piece \$151 (\$7.50+); 178a two copies tied on pieces \$72.50 (\$60); 178 var. + 179 var. horizontal strip of four with diagonal surcharge, Pos. 2-5, unused \$896 (\$50+); 178 + 179 single and two pairs comprising Pos. 1-5, tied on back of cover to Germany \$2,856 (\$45+); 180a used \$112 (\$35); 180a tied on piece \$258 (\$35); 180a used, short perf. \$72.50 (\$35); 180a + 181a pair tied on piece, Pos. 1-2 \$493 (\$235+); 188a used \$95 (\$60); 188a tied on piece \$145 (\$60); 188a tied on Dec. 19 cover, said to be an FDC and unique as such \$1,680 (\$60+); and 188a + 189a pair tied on piece, Pos. 1-2 \$471 (\$310+).

Second Printing: 179F used, faults \$1,036 (\$1,750); 179G tied on piece, thin \$1,540 (\$900); 182 used, oval military station cancel \$325 (\$85); 182a tied on piece \$588 (\$325); 182 + 183 pair, Pos. 1-2, unused \$2,184 (\$1,250+); 182 + 183 pair tied on piece, Pos. 1-2 \$840 (\$360+); 182a + 183a pair tied on piece, Pos. 1-2, stained \$1,860 (\$875+); 183a tied on piece \$980 (\$550); 184 tied on piece by oval military station cancel \$359

(\$130); 184 + 185 pair tied on piece, Pos. 1-2. perf. stains \$784 (\$380+); 186 tied on piece \$196 (\$85); 186 tied on piece by oval military station cancel \$206 (\$85); 186 var. single with gutter at right, surcharge on stamp and gutter, Pos. 4-5, Pos. 5 on gutter, tied on piece \$258 (\$85+); 186a tied on piece \$672 (\$350); 186a tied on piece. stained \$560 (\$350); 187 tied on piece \$392 (\$250); 188a unused \$644 (\$200); 188b one impression faint, tied on piece \$471 (\$ --); 189 tied on piece \$185 (\$135); 188b + 189b one impression faint, pair tied on piece, Pos. 1-2, faults \$1,120 (\$ ---); 190 unused \$228 (\$125); 190 var. horizontal cross gutter strip of three, surcharge on stamps and gutter, Pos. 3-5, Pos. 4 on gutter, tied on piece, crease \$347 (\$70+); 190a unused \$258 (\$200); 190a tied on piece \$90 (\$65); 190a tied on piece \$130 (\$65); 190b left stamp without surcharge, tied on piece, stained \$222.50 (\$100): 190b right stamp without surcharge, tied on piece \$228 (\$100); 190 var. horizontal cross gutter strip of three, surcharge on one stamp and gutter. Pos. 4 on left stamp, Pos. 5 on gutter, right stamp without surcharge, tied on piece, staining \$190 (\$35+); 190a + 191a var. pair with gutter at right, surcharge on stamps and gutter. Pos. 1-3. Pos. 3 on left stamp, Pos. 2 on right stamp, Pos. 1 on gutter, tied on piece, staining \$336 (\$215+); 190 var. single with very wide margin at left, surcharge on stamp and margin, Pos. 1-3, Pos. 1-2 on margin with no perforations between, Pos. 3 on stamp, tied on piece, staining \$336 (\$35+); 191 var. single with gutter at left, surcharge on stamp and gutter, Pos. 1-2, Pos. 1 on gutter, tied on piece \$163 (\$40+); and 191a tied on piece \$415

Third Printing: 196 tied on cover to Havana, faults \$1,512 (\$10+); 196 var. single with gutter at right, surcharge on stamp and gutter, Pos. 4-5. Pos. 5 on gutter, tied on piece \$112 (\$10+); 196 + 197 pair tied on piece, Pos. 1-2 \$117 (\$45+); 196a tied on piece \$217.50 (\$45); 196a tied on piece \$228 (\$45); 197 tied on piece \$52 (\$35); 197a tied

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on piece, perf. toning \$96 (\$75): 198 (2), 199 singles tied on pieces by oval military station cancels \$145 (\$25): 198a, 199a tied on pieces, one toned \$325 (\$105): 198b reading up tied on piece \$515 (\$250): 198b reading down tied on piece, toned \$392 (\$250): 198b var. vertical pair with vertical surcharge reading up. surcharge split. Pos. 4-5, tied on piece \$784 (\$500+): 198c one impression faint, unused \$223 (\$-): 198c + 199c pair, one impression faint, Pos. 1-2, unused \$392 (\$-): 199b reading up tied on piece, toned \$460 (\$300): and 200 tied on piece by oval military station cancel \$72.50 (\$12.50).

Fourth Printing: 179B used \$173 (\$85); 179B tied on piece \$140 (\$85); 179Bc tied on piece \$728 (\$ —); 179D used \$588 (\$350); 189C used, Pos. 3, faults (identified as 183B, unique; but stamp is 189C and is not unique) \$3,528 (\$ —); 192 used \$168 (\$100); 193 used, thin \$48 (\$100); 192 + 193 var. horizontal cross gutter strip of three, surcharge on stamps and gutter, Pos. 2-4, Pos. 3 on gutter, tied on piece, stained \$644 (\$225+); and 192a tied on piece \$1,820 (\$ —).

Fifth Printing: 201 tied on piece by duplex military station cancel \$233 (\$75); 201 tied on piece \$168 (\$75); 201a tied on piece, off center \$95

(\$150); 201a tied on piece, well centered \$223 (\$150); 201a tied on piece \$263 (\$150); 201b unused \$784 (\$275); 201b used, toned \$112 (\$140); 201a var. (201a + 201c var?) single with margin at left, surcharge on stamp and margin, Pos. 2-3, Pos. 3 on margin, tied on piece, toned \$437 (\$150+); 201 var. single with gutter at right, surcharge on stamp and gutter, Pos. 4-5, Pos. 5 on gutter, tied on piece, stained \$459 (\$75+); 203b tied on piece, toned \$700 (\$350); 205a tied on piece \$303 (\$150); 205a used \$386 (\$150); 205b used \$206 (\$150); 206 var. single with margin at right, surcharge on stamp and margin, Pos. 4-5. Pos. 5 on margin, tied on piece \$493 (\$200+); 211 tied on piece \$1,738 (\$850); 211a tied on piece \$2,-408 (\$ —); 212 used, stained \$1,232 (\$1,350); 215a used \$471 (\$275); 217 unused \$1,400 (\$1,200); 217a unused \$2,408 (\$ —); 217b used \$1,736 (\$450); 217 + 218 pair. Pos. 4-5, tied on cover to New York, Pos. 4 faulty, Pos. 5 badly damaged, cover damaged \$3,584 (\$1,250+); 218a tied on piece, stained \$2,184 (\$1,250); 219 used, thin \$426 (\$600); 219a tied on piece, stained \$1,148 (\$750); 219b used, thin \$1,848 (\$750); 220 tied on piece, stained \$1,848 (\$1,200); and 220 tied on piece \$1,680 (\$1,200).



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KINGDOM OF HAWAII

A Chronology and Explanation of the Stamps of Hawaii By Geoffrey Brewster

(Continued from last issue)

In 1868 and 1869 Hawaii issued three new stamps of the old Boston printings in an effort to satisfy collector and dealer requests for those old Hawaiian stamps. These stamps are new ones because they are different from the originals. The stamps consist of the 2c scarlet King Kamehameha IV, engraved, Scott No. 29, a reproduction of the 2c "Boston Lithographed:" and the 5c blue King Kamehameha III on medium wove and 13c dull rose King Kamehameha III on medium wove, Scott Nos. 10

and 11, which are re-issues of the 5c and 13c "Boston Engraved" because the 5c is on a new paper and the 13c is in a new color as well as on a new paper.

In 1871 Hawaii issued three new Banknotes. The 1c violet new design featuring Princess Kamamalu, Scott No. 30, replaced the 1c Numerals. Scott erroneously lists this stamp as "purple;" the 1871 Ic is violet (or mauve, if you prefer) whereas it is the 1886 1c re-issue that is purple. The other two stamps are the 6c yellowish green King Kamehameha V and the 18c dull rose Mataio Kekuanoa, Scott Nos. 33 and 34. These two new denominations paid the new 6c letter postage and multiple rates thereof of the Hawaii-United States 6c basic postage rate, agreed upon