Interesting AIR MAIL COVERS

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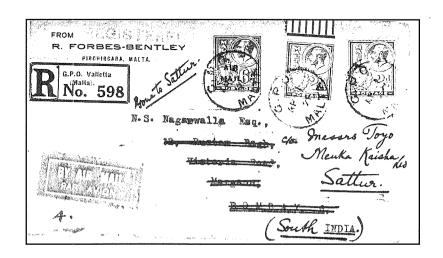


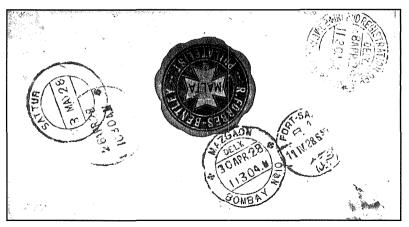
Unrecorded Speed Bird cover to Bangkok leaving Malta on the 16 Dec 33 picked up by Speed Bird at Brindisi on the 25th, and arriving in Bangkok on the 1 Jan 34.



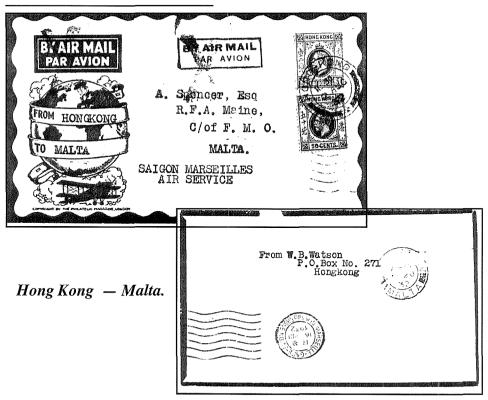
Unusual "CANADA Air", to Canada, sent by Mr W.R.GATT, on the 19 JU 31., to Mr Griffith, in Ont Canada.

The use of this envelope for mail purposes involves postage at the rate of Sc. for the first ounce and ice, for each additional ounce or fraction thereof.

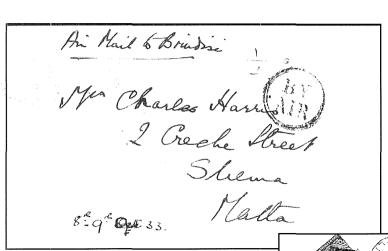


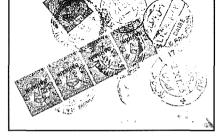


Unrecorded cover sent by Mr Forbes Bentley, on the 1 Ap 28, to Mr Nagarwalla in Bombay, redirected to SATTUR. South India. It arrived in Port Said on the 11th, 28th Bombay, and finally 3rd May in SATTUR.



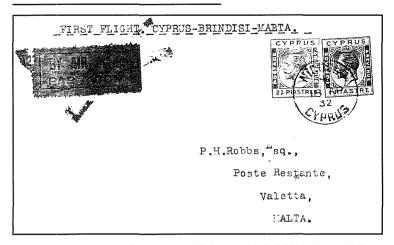
This cover travelled initially from Hong Kong on the 2 Aug 32 to SAIGON by sea. Then by AIR ORIENT the sector SAIGON / MARSEILLES arriving in Marseilles on the 16, arriving in Malta on the 20 th August.





In coming Air Mail leaving BAHRAIN on the 11 Oct 33, to Baghdad on the 12th, Cairo on the 13, via Brindisi, arriving in Malta on the 17th.

It has an unusual "BY AIR" in a circle in black, probably applied in Bahrain.



Return First Flight CYPRUS- BRINDISI-MALTA. Leaving Cyprus on the 18 April 1932, arriving Malta 27 Apr 1932. This Imperial Airways new service had left Malta on the 13 Apr 1932, arriving Cyprus 26 Apr 1932.