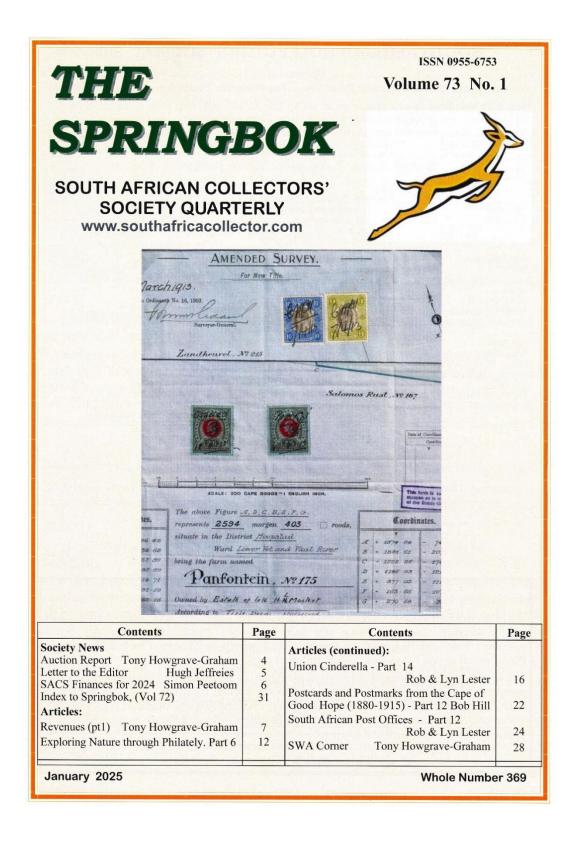
## What's inside the Springbok – January 2025

Packed with 32 pages of articles, reports and information relating to Southern African Philately the January edition of the Springbok provides a good start to another year of collecting South African stamps and postal history.



The reports include an article on the November 2024 auction at Argyll Etkin where some of John Shaw's South African material was under the hammer. Details of the Society's accounts for 2023 together with the index to the Springbok, Volume 72 (2024) complete the reports.

The first part of Tony Howgrave-Graham's article on South African Revenues features many excellent illustrations, including the image on the front cover of the magazine and this is to be continued in a future edition. Part 6 of Roy Ross's RSA article, exploring South African Nature through Philately, concentrates on migration and includes illustrations of relevant RSA stamps. Lyn & Rob Lester continue with part 14 of their in-depth examination of commercial Union Cinderella as well as further post cards of South African Post offices. Bob Hill provides the conclusion of his series of post cards and postmarks of Towns & Villages in the Cape of Good Hope, 1880-1915. Finally, Tony Howgrave-Graham provides his South West Corner feature, again illustrated with wonderful material.