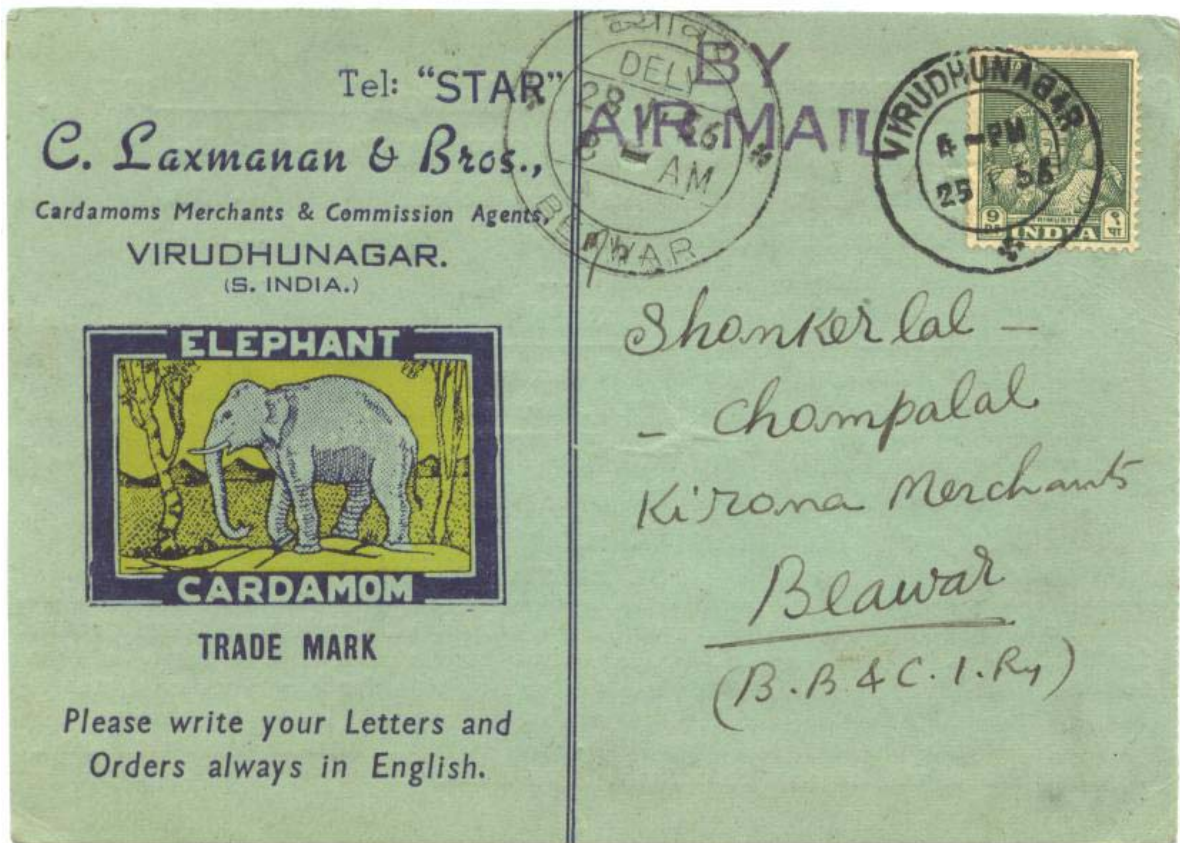


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Editorial

Tony Lyon

I trust you enjoy this issue of the journal. Thank you once again to those faithful members, who continue to get it over the line, by providing articles and the like for your enjoyment and hopefully, education. If you see something that you can shed further light upon, please drop the editor a line. You may disagree with a conclusion. We will all learn and our accumulation of knowledge will be increased if we take the time to respond.

The society was saddened to learn of the passing of our member Ian Borrie. Ian contributed on many occasions to the journal and will be sadly missed. However, by contributing to the journal he left a legacy of his knowledge of issues philatelic for future generations of collectors. Our condolences go to his family.

There are some interesting articles this month and John Young has commenced a serialised article concerning Australian Postal Rates 1937-53. John never ceases to surprise us with his eclectic collecting interests and knowledge of postal history. John obviously enjoys research and I understand that he has his favourite seat in the State Library. Keep up the good work John.

Start think about what you could write for the next issue. As you will see, I have filled in a space with a postcard from my collection. These type of contributions are invaluable as there are always spaces to fill. Why not give it a try!

Happy hunting and don't just hide those gems in shoe boxes or the like. Tell us about them. Ciao.

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