

# HARRODS LIMITED

The CORRESPONDENCE SERIES is an investigation into the background of recipients of British pre-stamped postal stationery. The "collection" was purchased in South Africa in 1999 as a job lot, the which took me six months to sort and mount, creating a collection spanning 140 years. I have no idea of the provenance.

The Reference work is British Postal Stationery, A K Huggins.1970. The first date with catalogue number refers to the year when the pre-stamped envelope was first issued; the second, the year when the envelope was actually used.

## **Philatelic Description of the item of Postal Stationery:**

1920-1926 (CS48)\_The Secretary, Harrods Limited, Brompton Road. London (unused reply-paid card)

## **Comment:**

Harrods is a department store located on Brompton Road in Knightsbridge, London.

Originally established in 1834 solely as a wholesale grocery store in Stepney, London's East End by Charles Henry Harrod, he re-established business as a retail outlet in 1849 in Knightsbridge, the site of the current store.

The Harrods motto is *Omnia Omnibus Ubique* — All Things for All People, Everywhere.

## **References:**

1. Harrods From Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Harrods>