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Tuesday

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AT 7:45 P. M.

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10 EAST 52nd STREET NEW YORK, N. Y. 10022 Tel: 753-6421 (Area Code 212) It has been our custom in previous Rarity Sales to offer a brief foreword in the catalogue.

However, this sale, our Sixth Annual Rarity Sale, presents such a scintillating galaxy of the greatest treasures known in United States Stamps that we will simply state with pride that never before in the annals of Philately has a more comprehensive or a more valuable offering been made in a single sale.

We cordially invite your participation in this unparallelled presentation. As usual, the auction will be held at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel and light refreshments will be served following the sale. A call to our office will reserve a place for you.

Robert A. Siegel

350th SALE

MARCH 25th, 1969

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Please purchase for me at your auction to be held March 25th, 1969, the lots named below, the prices annexed being my limit on each lot. I agree to remit for purchases in accordance with the Conditions of Sale and to return no lots later than three days after receipt.

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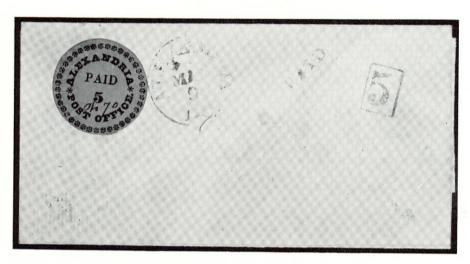
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E. III	\$20.00 to \$30.00	E. XI \$250.00 to \$350.00
E. IV	\$30.00 to \$40.00	E. XII \$350.00 to \$500.00
E. V	\$40.00 to \$50.00	E. XIII \$500.00 to \$750.00
E. VI	\$50.00 to \$75.00	E. XIV \$750.00 to \$1000.00
E. VII	\$75.00 to \$100.00	E. XV \$1000.00 to \$2500.00
E. VIII	\$100.00 to \$150.00	E. XVI over \$2500.00

UNITED STATES

POSTMASTERS' PROVISIONALS



$1 \times$	Alexandria, Va., 5c Black on Buff, Ty. II (1X1a). A magnificent example,
	with large margins & apparently Die Cut, Splendid impression & fresh
	color, just tied by Red "Alexandria, Va." town pmk., neat ms. "No. 70",
	address carefully erased, Very faint filing fold barely visible, The finest
	"Alexandria" cover known, A Matchless Gem, Ex-Caspary 16,000.00

2	Post Office, Annapolis, Red Negative Double Circle with Eagle, same
	Handstamp as the Annapolis Provisional (2XU1), Struck on 1845 Postage
	Bill from Annapolis P. O., Fine, Rare E. XIV

$3 \bowtie$	Baltimore, Md., 5c Blue on Buff (3XU2). Nearly complete impression of
	signature, neat matching "Baltimore" pmk on 1845 cover to Washington,
	D. C., light sealing wax discoloration in center, Very Fine, Exceptionally
	choice example of This Rarity

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- 9 New York, 5c Black (9X1). Two Horiz. pairs (originally a block, Pos. 6, 7, 11, 12, #7 Big Double Transfer) tied by Bright Red grids & L. pair by Red "New York" pmk. on 1847 cover to Mobile, Ala. ms. "20" rate, address partly inked out. Both pairs have margins all around, mostly large, one has minor crease & faint soiling, A Magnificent & Very Rare cover, ExCaspary

E. XV



- 12 St. Louis, Mo., 5c Black on Greenish, Ty. I, 10c Black on Gray Lilac, Vertical Pair, Ty. II & III (11X1, 11X5) paying 25c Quintuple letter rate to Louisville, Ky., All the stamps have Large Margins all around & are tied by two clear Red "St. Louis, Mo." pmks, no ms. cancels, Extremely Fine, an unbelievably beautiful cover of the highest order of rarity, Ex-Caspary
 5,150.00+

OFFICE



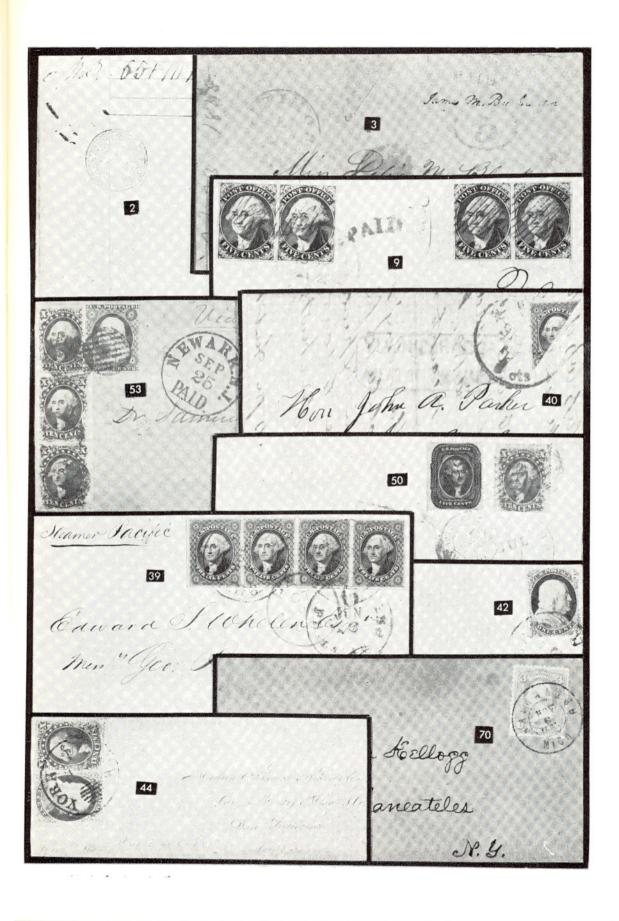
St. Louis, Mo., 20c Black on Gray Lilac (11X6). Large Margins all around, 14 single light, neat pen stroke cancel, Very Fine, a Gorgeous stamp 5,000.00

1847 ISSUE

15 * 5c Brown (1). "Block" of Three, Fresh, o.g., Large margins all around except outer line just shaved in two places at L. Small scissor cut in margin between stamps & light crease in margin only, A Fine and Scarce Piece, with P. F. Certificate 1,050.00+



- 16 ★⊞ 5c Orange Brown (1b). Block, Large Margins all around, Brilliant Color & Impression, Remarkably Fresh with full o.g., minor, negligible gum wrinkle in R. pair, Extremely Fine, one of the Best Blocks in Existence 3,250.00
- 17 5c Orange Brown (1b). Horizontal Pair, Huge Margins incl. Right Sheet Margin, Wonderful Color & Impression, each with single neat Red "Paid" perfectly struck in center, Left stamp with Dot in "S", trivial ink spot in margin from ms. "paid" on back, Extremely Fine, a Gorgeous Pair E. XII



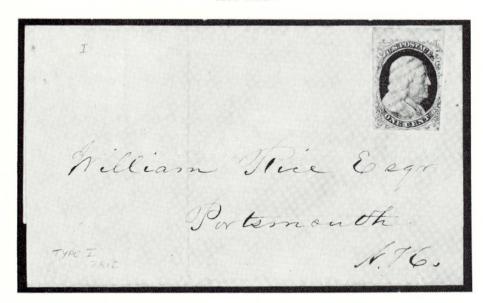






21 2 10c Black, Diagonal Half used as 5c (2a). Extremely Fine example with R. sheet margin, tied across the cut by Blue Grid, matching "Concord, N. H." pmk. to Manchester, N. H. on small neat cover, a 5c Brown (1) on separate cover from same correspondence & Very Fine, with same pmks. accompanies for verification, outstanding showpiece. Ex-Maclaren, White E. XVI

1851 ISSUE



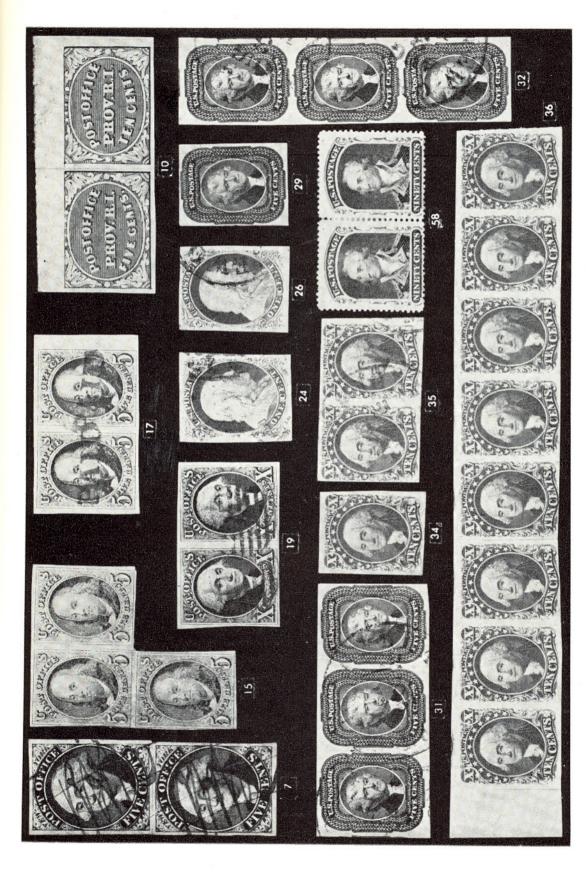


23 ★⊞ 1c Blue, Ty. Ia, Ty. IIIa (6, 8A). Combination Block, Top Pair Ty. IIIa, Bottom Pair the Rare Ty. Ia, Ample to Large Margins incl. part B. Sheet Margin except T. R. stamp least bit close at T., Marvelous Color & Impression, Brilliant & Fresh, full o. g., light crease in margin between stamps, the Ty. Ia Pair Extremely Fine, a Matchless Gem E. XVI

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E.V.	\$40.00 to \$50.00	E. XIII	\$500.00 to \$750.00
E. VI	\$50.00 to \$75.00	E. XIV	\$750.00 to \$1000.00
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25 ★⊞ 1c Blue, Ty. II (7). The Fabulous Sheet Corner Block of Twelve from Plate II with the "Big Crack" through four stamps, Full Sheet Margins at L. & T., balance with large margins except two at B. barely touched, Glorious Brilliant Color, Fresh, Full o. g., small closed tear almost entirely in margin above stamp #3, few slight creases, otherwise Extremely Fine, illustrated in Ashbrook and described as "one of the finest One Cent imperforate items known", An Incomparable Showpiece, Ex Lozier, Green, Moody E. XVI

26 1c Dark Blue, Ty. III, Uos. 99R2 (8). Large Margins all around, Beautiful Rich Color, light Town pmk., negligible corner crease in margin, an Exceptionally choice & Handsome Example of the Rarest Type III 950.00

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31	5c Red Brown (12). Horizontal Strip of Three, Large to Huge Margins all around, Rich Color, neat light Town pmks, an Immaculate Strip, Extremely Fine	475.00
32	5c Red Brown (12). Vertical Strip of Three, Large to Enormous Margins, Rich Deep Color, light New Orleans pmk., Wonderfully Fresh & Extremely Fine	475.00



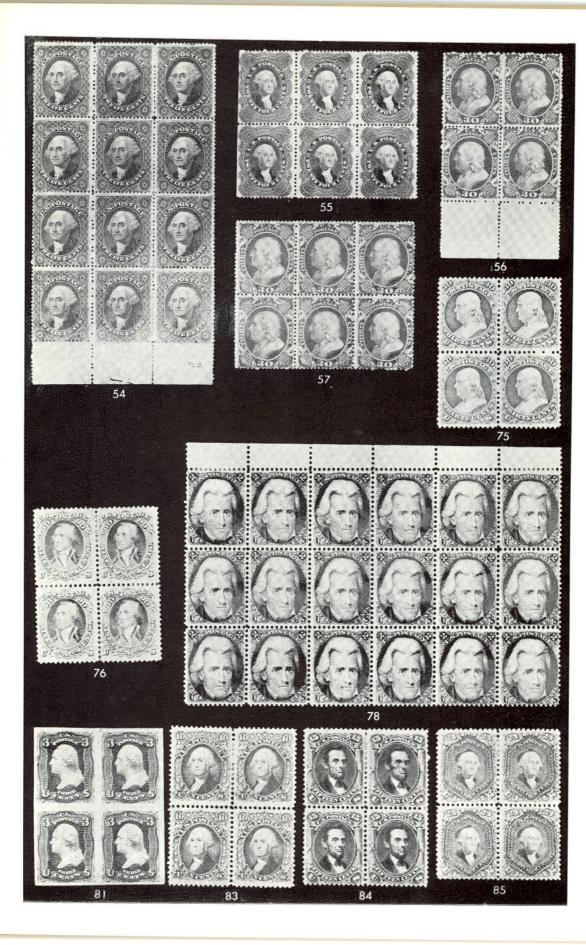
33 🔀	5c Red Brown (12). A Fabulous corner single on cover to Bordeaux, France, with full B. sheet margin & full R. pane margin showing sheet center line, tied by "New Orleans, La.", ms. "British Royal Mail from New York", N. Y. & French transit pmks, A Gem
34 ★	10c Green, Ty. I (13). Pos. 99RI, Large Margins, Lovely Bright Color, Fresh, bare suggestion of light horiz. bend, Extremely Fine appearance 1,300.00
35	10c Green, Ty. I (13). Horiz. Pair, clear to Large margins all around, light town pmks., Very Fine, Scarce in Multiples
36 ★	10c Green, Ty. II, Ty. IV (14, 16). Horizontal Strip of Eight, Pos. 71–78L1, which includes Pos. 74 Recut at Top & Pos. 76 Recut at B., Gorgeous Rich Color, Huge Margins incl. Sheet Margin at L. except barely in at B. on stamp Pos. 74, Fresh, large part o. g., scissor cut in L. margin & between 3rd & 4th stamp clear of design, A Marvelous Showpiece, Probably Unique, the combination listed but unpriced, Ex-Caspary E. XVI
37	10c Green, Ty. II, Ty. IV (14, 16). Horizontal Combination Strip of Six, Pos. 73–78L1, Incl. Recut at T., Pos. 74L & Recut at B., Pos. 76L, tied on small piece by neat New Orleans pmks., Huge Margins, Bright Color, Extremely Fine, a Handsome Piece of Utmost Rarity E. XV
38 ★⊞	12c Black (17). Block of Eight with Sheet Margin at R., mostly Large Margins except L. L. stamp barely touched at L., large part o. g., faint corner bend & natural gum creases, otherwise Very Fine, an Extremely Rare Piece, Ex-Crocker, Waterhouse



1857 ISSUE

- 43 ★⊞ 1c Dark Blue, Ty. III, Ty. IIIa (21, 22). Combination Block, Pos. 53–54, 63–64L IV, comprising three Ty. III & one Ty. IIIa, Beautiful Deep Color, fresh, large part o. g., Very Fine, Ex Lilly, Unpriced in catalogue E. XV







 ★⊞ 5c Orange Brown (30). Horiz. Block of Eight, Beautiful Color, fresh, o. g., Exceptionally Well Centered, Very Fine, Attractive Showpiece	47 🔀	5c Indian Red (28A). Block of Six & Single, paying 35c rate to Switzerland, via Prussian Closed Mail, Remarkably well centered, Rich color and all beautifully tied by Bold "Platteville, Wis., Jan. 28, 1859" pmk., Cover slightly aged, one stamp has a few blunted perf. tips immaterial in such an outstanding rarity, A wonderful showpiece, probably unique, with part of Ashbrook letter of authenticity	71
Exceptionally Well Centered, Very Fine, Attractive Showpiece	48 ★		+
V (36) paying 15c rate to France the 5c just tied by French transit pmk., neat Red Grid cancels, The 5c is well centered but has some blunted perfs, the 10c is Fine, Signed "Ashbrook" with extensive explanation on back, A choice cover, Exceedingly scarce	49 ★⊞	5c Orange Brown (30). Horiz. Block of Eight, Beautiful Color, fresh, o. g., Exceptionally Well Centered, Very Fine, Attractive Showpiece	H
fresh, o. g., Fine-Very Fine, a Choice Block 3: 10c Green, Ty. II, Ty. III, Ty. IV (32, 33, 34). Combination Block, Pos. 53-54, 63-64L, U. R. stamp Recut at B., L. R. stamp Recut at T. & B., Beautiful Deep Rich Color, neat Red Town pmk., closed tear in L. L. stamp not involving the Recuts which are Very Fine, a Rare & Remarkable Block of Great Beauty E. 10c Green, Ty. V (35). Vertical Strip of Three, tied together by bright Red grid with 3c Red (26) paying 33c rate to Bangkok, Siam, Bold Red "Newark, N. J. Paid" pmk., Red "London Paid" & "28". Very Fine, Un-	50 🔀	V (36) paying 15c rate to France the 5c just tied by French transit pmk., neat Red Grid cancels, The 5c is well centered but has some blunted perfs, the 10c is Fine, Signed "Ashbrook" with extensive explanation on back, A	п
53-54, 63-64L, U. R. stamp Recut at B., L. R. stamp Recut at T. & B., Beautiful Deep Rich Color, neat Red Town pmk., closed tear in L. L. stamp not involving the Recuts which are Very Fine, a Rare & Remarkable Block of Great Beauty	51 ★⊞		0
Red grid with 3c Red (26) paying 33c rate to Bangkok, Siam, Bold Red "Newark, N. J. Paid" pmk., Red "London Paid" & "28". Very Fine, Un-	52 ⊞	53-54, 63-64L, U.R. stamp Recut at B., L.R. stamp Recut at T. & B., Beautiful Deep Rich Color, neat Red Town pmk., closed tear in L.L.	v
usually handsome cover in a scarce usage	53 🖂	Red grid with 3c Red (26) paying 33c rate to Bangkok, Siam, Bold Red	X

54	**	Fresh, nearly full o. g., one vert. row reinforced with bits of hinge, centered slightly to B., a Wonderful Block, Large Multiples of Plate III are Seldom Found
55	★⊞	24c Lilac (37). Block of Six, s. e. at L., Brilliant & Fresh, o. g., Unusually Well Centered, Very Fine, Choice & Handsome
56	★ ⊞	30c Orange (38). Block with B. Sheet Margin, Brilliant Color, Fresh, o.g., Very Fine, as these come, Handsome & Attractive
57	★⊞	30c Orange (38). Block of Six, Pos. 77–79, 87–89L1, the latter with Double Transfer, Magnificent Brilliant Color, fresh, o. g., Very Fine, a Gorgeous Showpiece, Ex Lozier, Sinkler, Gibson
58	*	90c Deep Blue (39). Horiz. Pair, fresh, nearly full o.g., one has minute thin, otherwise Fine, Scarce in Multiples



59 ★⊞	90c Deep Blue (39). Block of Nine, Beautiful Rich Color, Wonderfully Well Centered, Brilliant & Fresh, o.g., negligible faint bend in L. row, couple of partly blunted perf. tips at B., a Handsome Showpiece, Very Fine, Ex-Caspary	E. XVI
60 ★	90c Deep Blue, Reprint (47). Gorgeous Rich Color, couple of irregular perfs as often, Very Fine, with P. F. Certificate	800.00

1861 "AUGUST" ISSUE



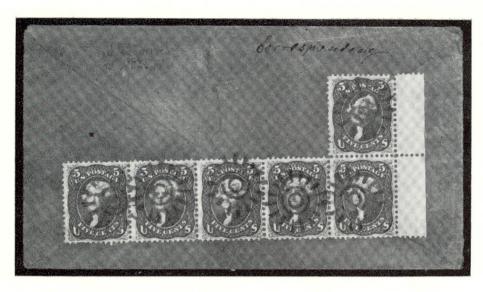
61 ★	1c Indigo, "August" (55). Fresh, o.g., Very Fine for this outstanding Rarity
62 🛨	5c Brown, "August" (57). Fresh, o. g., Very Fine
63	10c Dark Green, "August" (58). Horiz. Pair, Beautiful Deep Rich Color, neat clear "San Francisco Oct. 30, 1861" pmk., Bold Red "3", (foreign rate mark), centered trifle to R., Very Fine, A Pretty Pair





65	*	12c Black, "August" (59). Wonderfully Well Centered, Gorgeous Color, fresh, o. g., couple perf. tips partly blunted, Very Fine, one of the Best of the few Known Copies of this Great Rarity
66	*	24c Violet, "August" (60). Wonderfully Well Centered, Magnificent Rich Color, fresh, o. g., Extremely Fine, a Marvelous Stamp
67	★⊞	24c Grayish Lilac, "August" (60a). Block, Magnificent Color & Impression, fresh, full o. g., one has tiny thin speck, one stamp has several clipped perfs, another has couple perfs nibbed at T., an Attractive and Extremely Rare Block, Listed but Unpriced in Scott, with P. F. Certificate
68	*	30c Red Orange, "August" (61). Beautiful Brilliant Color, Fresh, o.g., diagonal gum crease, Very Fine appearance
69	*	90c Dull Blue, "August" (62). Well Centered, Wonderful Rich Color, fresh, o. g., some perfs. short at top otherwise Very Fine, A Rare Stamp 6,500.00
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		1861 ISSUE
70	\boxtimes	3c Pigeon Blood Pink (64a), Well Centered, Beautifully tied by "Kalamazoo, Mich., Nov. 6, 1861" pmk. on Fresh, Bright cover to Skaneateles, N. Y., a few perfs. at bot. partly blunted, Very Fine Cover, with P. F. Certificate 500.00

3c Rose (65). Twelve tied by Blue "Martinsburg, W. Va.", Four Tied by ms. "Ft. Seneca, O.", and one uncancelled, on an Amazing Collection of Seventeen Different Beautiful Hand Drawn Patriotic Covers, All Featuring Overall Designs, Incorporating The Address, done in Blue, Reds, Browns & Blacks with a Considerable Degree of Artistic Skill, The Majority show Eagles & Ornate Scrollwork but a Variety of other Patriotic Motifs & Mottoes are also used, no two being alike, 3 stamps have faults, two have neatly sealed cover tears & one is a bit faulty at R., otherwise fresh & Fine, A Wonderful Collection to which Words cannot adequately do justice

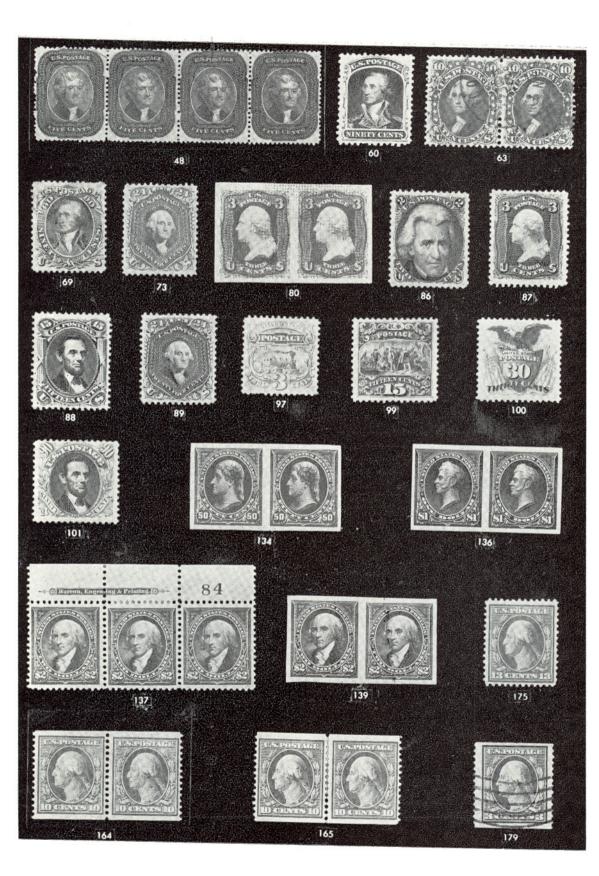


- 72 Sc Buff (67). Strip of Six, (5 across with one more above R. stamp) each with bold San Francisco "Cog Wheel" cancel. which ties one stamp on back of 1862 cover to Germany, one has small nick, Well centered, Very Fine, Certainly one of the finest & most spectacular 5c Buff covers in existence

E. XV



74 ★⊞ 24c Steel Blue (70b). Top Sheet Margin Block, Marvelous Rich Color, fresh, o. g., two stamps have tiny thins, another with a light crease, otherwise Very Fine, only two blocks of four & a block of six are known, all of which have some faults, Attractive Block of utmost rarity, Ex-Gibson 3,800.00+



75 ★⊞ 30c Orange (71). Block, Beautiful Bright Color, fresh, o.g., Extremely Fine, a Magnificent Block, Ex-Lilly, with P. F. Certificate 285.00

76 ★⊞ 90c Blue (72). Block, Beautiful Bright Color, fresh, o.g., tiny closed tear in one stamp, some minor reinforcement, otherwise Fine-Very Fine, Rare



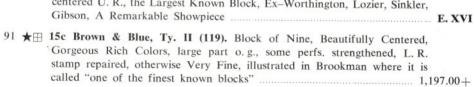
77 Solution 90c Blue (72). Used with 24c Red Lilac (70) paying \$1.14 rate New York to Shanghai, China, Both tied by neat Grids, Red "N. York, Am. Pkt, Paid" pmk., London & Hong Kong transit pmks, Very Fine, A Gorgeous, Immaculate cover from the Augustine Heard correspondence, Ex-Caspary E. XVI

78 ★⊞ 2c Black (73). T. Sheet Margin Block of 18, Brilliant & Fresh, o. g., Very Fine, An Extraordinary Block 516.00+



79 ★⊞ 3c Red, Grilled All Over (79). Block, Unusually Well Centered, nearly all perfs. intact, Fresh, an Exceptional Block, one of the Finest of the few known 2,750.00

80	*	3c Rose, Imperforate, Grilled All Over (79a). Horiz. Pair, Huge Margins, Rich Color, o. g., Extremely Fine, with P. F. Certificate	0
81	*=	3c Rose, Imperforate, Grilled All Over (79a). Block, Huge Margins, Deep Rich Color, fresh, o. g., couple grill points, penetrate margin only between stamps, Extremely Fine	0
82	★ ⊞	15c Black, E. Grill (91). Block, Brilliant & Fresh, o.g., Unusually Well Centered, Very Fine, a Wonderful Block	0
83	*	10c Green, F. Grill (96). Block, Beautifully Centered, Fresh, o.g., Very Fine, Seldom Found in such Choice Condition	0
84	★ ⊞	15c Black, F. Grill (98). Block, Fresh, o.g., Well Centered, B. pair with very faint crease, nevertheless a Handsome & Attractive Block	0
85	*	24c Gray Lilac, F. Grill (99). Block, Rich Color, fresh, o. g., centered trifle to R., Very Fine for this difficult & elusive block)
86	*	2c Black, Re-Issue (103). Wonderfully Well Centered, Fresh, o. g., Extrtmely Fine, with P. F. Certificate)
87	*	3c Brown Red, Re-Issue (104). Beautiful Deep Color, fresh, part o.g., Very Fine with P. F. Certificate 625.00)
88	*	15c Black, Re-Issue (108). Intense Color, Very Fine, with P. F. Certificate 525.00)
89	*	24c Deep Violet, Re-Issue (109). Beautifully Centered, one slightly blunted perf., Very Fine, with P. F. Certificate)
		1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE	
90	★⊞	15c Brown & Blue, Ty. I (118). Block of Nine, Bright Colors, fresh, o. g., centered U. R., the Largest Known Block, Ex-Worthington, Lozier, Sinkler, Gibson, A Remarkable Showpiece	r





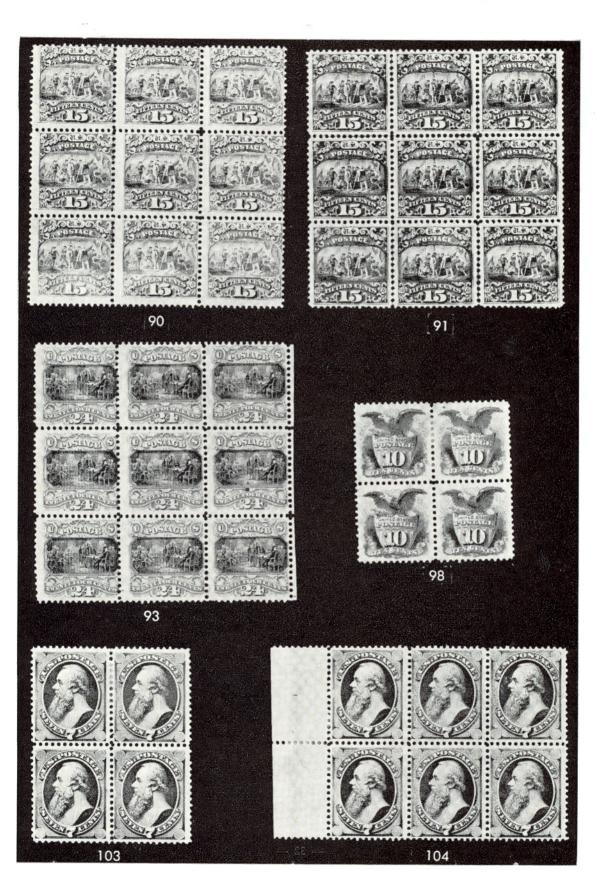
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92 15c Brown & Blue, Center Inverted (119b). Splendid colors, neat, light cancel., well centered as these come, Very Fine Example of this popular Rarity 4,000.00

93 ★⊞	24c Green & Violet (120). Block of Nine, Beautiful Deep Rich Colors, centered bit to R., fresh, o.g., Fine, the Largest Known Block & the Rarest Multiple of the 1869 Issue, a Fabulous Showpiece, illustrated in
	Brookman, Ex-Worthington, Lozier, Sinkler, Gibson E. XVI
94	24c Green & Violet, Center Inverted (120b). Bright, Fresh Colors, light cancel, light internal crease, better than usual centering, a Choice & Handsome Rarity
95	30c Blue & Carmine, Flags Inverted (121b). Excellent Colors, neat geometric cancel, well centered, Extremely Fine, an Outstanding & Handsome Example of this Scarcest of U. S. Inverts, Ex-Moody



96	★ ⊞	90c Carmine & Black (122). Block, Beautiful Deep Colors, fresh, large part o. g., few perfs. reinforced, centered to L., an Exceedingly Rare & Desirable Block 11,000.00
97	*	3c Blue, Re-Issue (125). Well Centered, Bright Color, part o.g., couple blunted perfs., otherwise Very Fine, Scarce
98	★ ⊞	10c Yellow, Re-Issue (127). Block, Centered, fresh o. g., two slightly blunted perfs. and one stamp has almost imperceptible margin tear, otherwise Extremely Fine, A Great Rarity, Ex-Caspary, with P. F. Certificate
99	*	15c Brown & Blue, Re–Issue (129). Nicely Centered, Gorgeous Rich Colors, fresh, o. g., Extremely Fine, with P. F. Certificate
100	*	30c Blue & Carmine, Re–Issue (131). Wonderfully Well Centered, Glorious Brilliant Colors, fresh, o. g., Extremely Fine, with P. F. Certificate
101	*	90c Carmine & Black, Re-Issue (132). Fresh, o. g., Brilliant colors, tiny corner crease, otherwise Very Fine
		BANK NOTE ISSUES
102	★ ⊞	3c Green, Grill, Imperforate (136b). Block of Sixteen with full Bottom Imprint & Pl. No. 44, Mint, Fresh, Extremely Fine, Exceedingly Rare, probably Unique, (Cat. 2,800.00 as ordinary pairs)
103	★ ⊞	7c Vermilion, Grill (138). Block, Brilliant Color, Wonderfully Fresh, o. g., strong clear Grill tiny pinhead thin in one otherwise Very Fine, an Exceedingly Scarce Block 825.00





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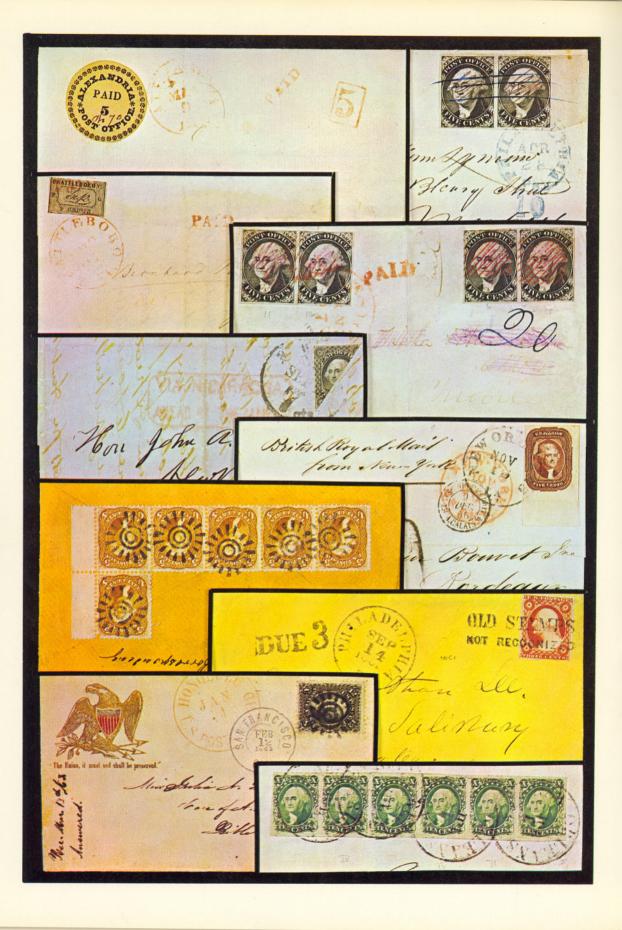
107 ★ 12c Dull Violet, Grill (140). Vertical Pair, Bottom stamp has a fairly clear grill showing several points and full outline, Top stamp shows only a faint outline of the grill, Fresh, o. g., Brilliant, centered a bit to L., Very Fine 6,000.00+

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ANNUAL RARITIES OF THE WORLD AUCTION

COLOR PLATES





























































108	★⊞	90c Carmine (155). Block of Six with Sheet Margin at R., Marvelous Rich Color, fresh, o. g., faint corner bend in U. L. stamp, Very Fine, a Gorgeous Showpiece	2,450.00
109	★ ⊞	6c Dull Pink (159). Top Imprint Plate No. Block of 14, Nicely Centered, fresh, o. g., closed tear in selvedge & U. R. Pair, otherwise Very Fine & Very Rare, Listed but unpriced	E. XIII
110	★ ⊞	7c Vermilion (160). Block, Lovely Bright Color, Brilliant Fresh, o.g., Very Fine, an Exceptionally Choice Block	450.00
111	★⊞	10c Brown (161). Block of Ten, (8x2), Lovely Deep Color, fresh, o. g., faint gum bends affect three stamps, Fine-Very Fine, a Beautiful & Rare Multiple	820.00
112	★ ⊞	90c Rose Carmine (166). Block, Rich Color, fresh, nearly full o.g., Very Fine	725.00



113 🛨	7c Reddish Vermilion, Special Printing (171). Rich Vivid Color, Beautifully Centered, Very Fine, with P. F. Certificate	900.00
114 ★	24c Dull Purple, Special Printing (175). Magnificent Brilliant Color, Very Fine, with P. F. Certificate	800.00
115 ★	30c Greenish Black, Special Printing (176). Excellent Color, nearly all perfs. intact except at R., Very Fine example of a Great Rarity, with A.P.S. & P.F. Certificate	1 800 00

116	\star	2c Vermilion, Imperforate (178a). Block, light creases, Very Fine appearance, with P. F. Certificate 900.00
117	★ ⊞	90c Carmine (191). Vertical Block of Eight with Sheet Margin at R., Lovely Rich Color, Exceptionally Well Centered, fresh, o.g., Very Fine, a Gorgeous Showpiece
118	*	7c Scarlet Vermilion, Special Printing (196). Beautiful, Brilliant Rich Color, "Jumbo" Margin at T., Very Fine, with P. F. Certificate
119	*	90c Dull Carmine, Special Printing (202). Rich Color, tiny natural paper inclusion, Very Fine, with P. F. Certificate
120	★ ⊞	2c Pale Red Brown, Special Printing (211B). Block, fresh, o. g., tiny closed tear in U. R. stamp, others Very Fine 750.00
121	★ ⊞	90c Orange (229). Top Imprint Plate No. Block of 36, Brilliant Rich Color, fresh, o.g., Fine-Very Fine, believed to be the Largest known Block, a Remarkable Showpiece 2,200.00+

1893 COLUMBIAN ISSUE



122	★⊞	4c Columbian, Blue, Error (233a). Block, Fresh, Mint, Perforations barely touch on bottom pair at L., Exceedingly Rare Block	3.500.00
123	★⊞	50c Columbian (240). Block, Well Centered, Rich Color, fresh, o. g., Very Fine	325.00
124	★ ⊞	\$1.00 Columbian (241). Block, Wonderfully Well Centered, Brilliant Color, fresh, o. g., Extremely Fine	775.00
125	★ ⊞	\$2.00 Columbian (242). Block, Bright Color, fresh, o.g., Extremely Fine	950.00
126	*	\$3.00 Columbian (243). Block of Eight, Wonderful Rich Color, fresh, o. g., despite flaws affecting each stamp the block is of uniformly Fine appearance, a Scarce & Desirable Block	+00.00+







128 ★⊞ \$5.00 Columbian (245). R. Sheet Margin Block, Beautifully Centered,
Deep Intense Color, fresh, o. g., Extremely Fine, A Gorgeous Block 3,500.00

1894-1898 ISSUES

129 ★⊞	\$1.00 Black, Ty. I, Ty. II (261, 261A). Combination Block of 18, L. Vertical Row Ty. I, balance Ty. II, fresh, o.g., slightly reinforced, gum crease through three stamps in second vert. row from L., others mostly Fine-Very Fine, Rare & Attractive
130 ★⊞	\$1.00 Black, Ty. II (261A). Block, Sheet Margin at R., Well Centered, Intense Color, o. g., few perfs. separated, Extremely Fine, Ex-Bingham, with P. F. Certificate
131 ★⊞	\$2.00 Dark Blue (262). Block, Marvelous Color, fresh, o.g., Extremely Fine, Ex-Lilly with P. F. Certificate
132 ★⊞	\$5.00 Dark Green (263). Block with Sheet Margin & Half Arrow at R., Lovely Deep Color, fresh, o. g., Very Fine, Exceedingly Rare in this condition







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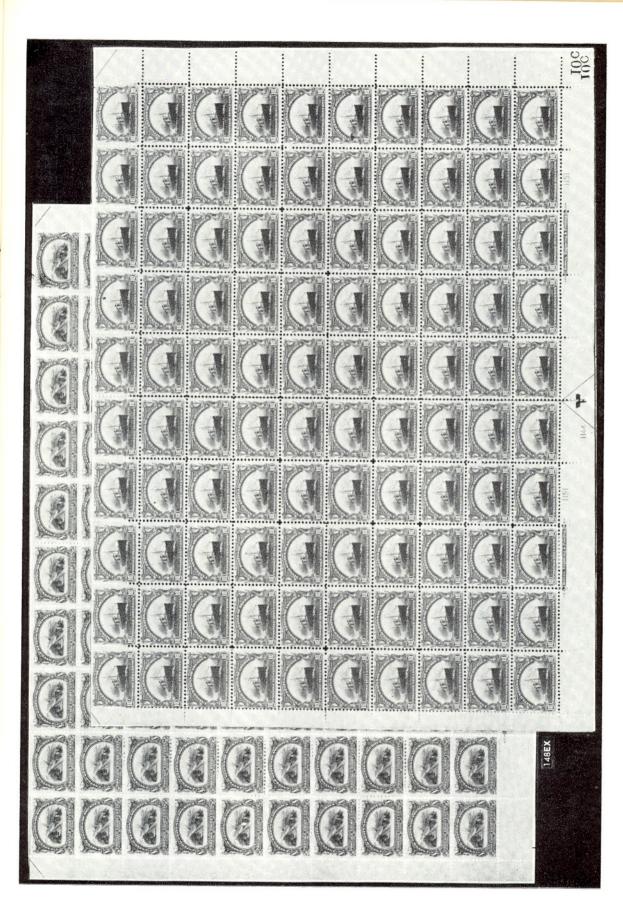
133	★ ⊞	15c Dark Blue, Imperforate (274a). Block, Horiz. Line at Center, fresh, o. g., Very Fine, Ex-Lilly, with P. F. Certificate	700.00
134	*	50c Red Orange, Imperforate (275b). Horiz. Pair, Gorgeous Brilliant Color, fresh, o. g., Extremely Fine	475.00
135	★ ⊞	\$1.00 Black, Ty. II (276A). Block, Wonderfully Well Centered, fresh, o. g., Extremely Fine, with P. F. Certificate	750.00
136	*	\$1.00 Black, Imperforate (276b). Horiz. Pair, fresh, o.g., Extremely Fine, with P. F. Certificate	475.00
137	*	\$2.00 Dark Blue (277). T. Imprint Plate No. Strip of Three, Beautiful Deep Color, fresh, o. g., Extremely Fine	400.00
138	★⊞	\$2.00 Dark Blue (277). Block, Lovely Rich Color, fresh, o.g., Very Fine	500.00
139	*	\$2.00 Dark Blue, Imperforate (277b). Horiz. Pair, Rich Deep Color, fresh, o. g., Extremely Fine	625.00
140	*	\$5.00 Dark Green (278). T. Imprint Plate No. Strip of Three, Wonderfully Well Centered, Rich Color, fresh, o. g., Extremely Fine	900.00
141	★⊞	\$5.00 Dark Green (278). Mint Block, Beautifully Centered, Gorgeous Color, Brilliantly Fresh, Extremely Fine, with P. F. Certificate	1,250.00
		1898 TRANS-MISSISSIPPI ISSUE	
142	P	1c-\$2.00 Trans-Mississippi Large Die Proofs (285P-293P). Cpl. Set, Very Fine	920.00
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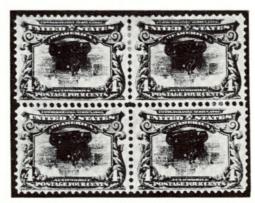


143 ★	Pair, fresh, o. g., unusually well centered, crease in margin only, far from stamps, Extremely Fine
144 ★⊞	50c Trans-Mississippi (291). Block, Exceptionally Well Centered, Gorgeous Deep Rich Color, fresh, o. g., Extremely Fine



145 ★⊞	\$1.00 Trans-Mississipp	i (292). Block, Fresh, o. g.,	Very Fine 2,000.0	0
146 ★⊞	o. g., tiny trivial thin	oi (292). Block, Wonderful in one, otherwise Extremely ock		0
147 ★⊞	\$2.00 Trans-Mississipp Very Fine for this, C	oi (293). Block, Wonderful hoice & Handsome	Rich Color, fresh, o. g., 2,700.0	0
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148 ★	one side of 1c & 2c	(294–299). Cpl. Set of She Sheets, Fine-Very Fine		+
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149 🛨		enter Inverted (294a). Exce	eptionally Well Centered,	00
150 ★⊞		Center Inverted (294a). B	ne of which also has an	
	almost invisible pinh	ole, Very Fine appearance	e A Rare, Handsome & 15,000.0	00
151 ★	almost invisible pinh Desirable Block, with 2c Pan-American, Co of paper adhere to gu	ole, Very Fine appearance P.F. Certificate enter Inverted (295a). Beau mm, minor crease across co	atifully Centered, few bits	



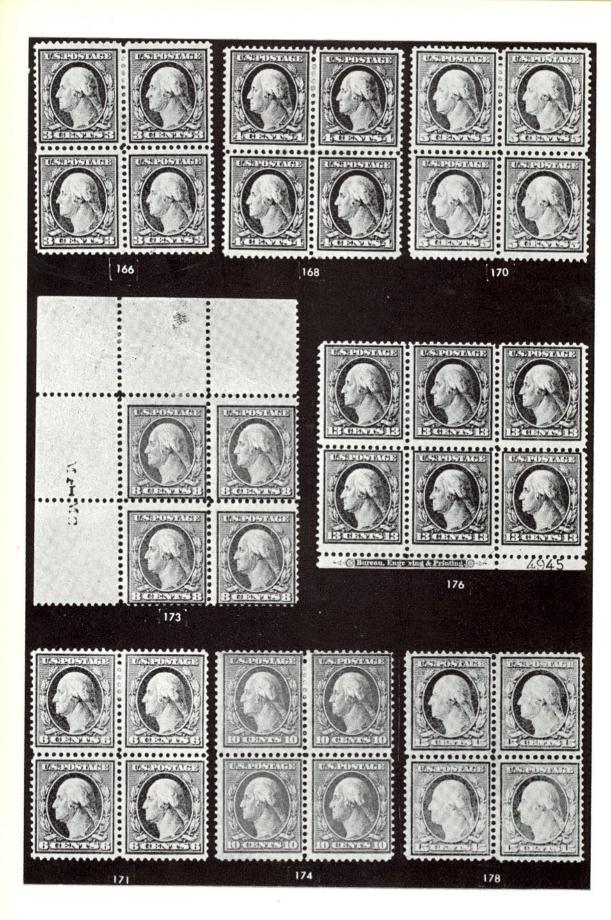


1902-1903 ISSUE

154	★⊞ \$1.00 Black (311). Block, Beautifully Centered, E	Extremely Fine 500.00)
155	★⊞ \$2.00 Dark Blue (312). Block, Extremely Fine	675.00)
156	★⊞ \$5.00 Dark Green (313). Block, Wonderfully Well	Centered, Extremely Fine 1,600.00)
157	\$5.00 Dark Green (313). Used Block, neat Re	gistry pmks., Very Fine 700.00	0



158		Copy of this Great Rarity, with P. F. Certificate	0.00
159	★ ⊞	5c Blue, Imperforate (315). Block, Very Fine	0.00
160	*	5c Blue, Coil (317). Vertical Pair, Very Fine Example of this Rarity, with A. P. S. & P. F. Certificates	0.00
161	*	2c Light Carmine (319 var.). Vert. strip of 3, Top Pair Rouletted Between, with L. sheet margin, Fine & Rare	0.00

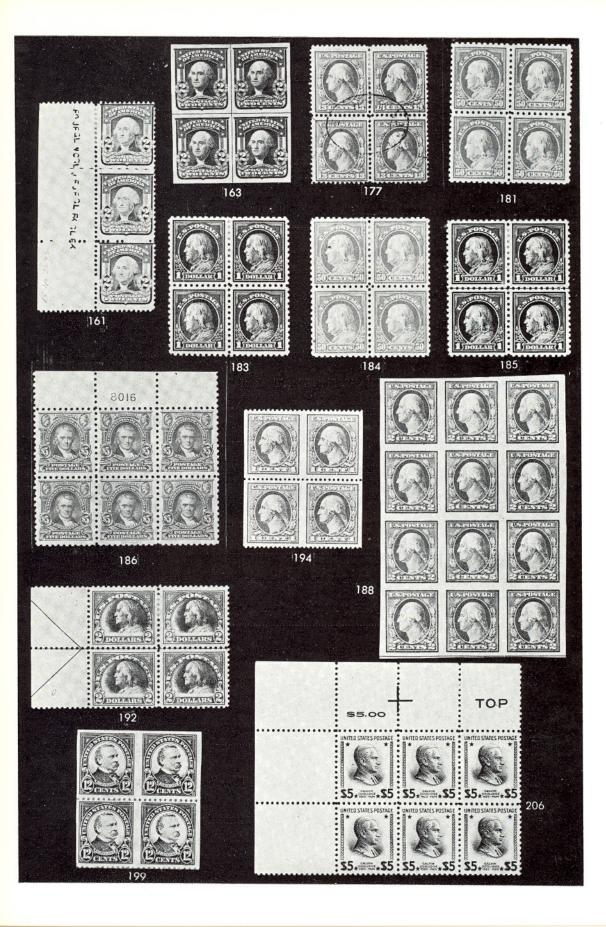


]	162	★ ⊞	2c Carmine, Imperforate Horizontally (319d). Block, Reperforated at L., Very Fine appearance, Handsome Example of this Great Rarity, with P. F. Certificate	1,500.00
	163	★ ⊞	2c Lake, Imperforate (320a). Center Line Block, Extremely Fine, Rare, Ex-Lilly, with P. F. Certificate	800.00
	164	*	10c Yellow, Coil (356). Mint Pair, Extremely Fine, with P. F. Certificate	500.00
	165	*	10c Yellow, Coil (356). Guide Line Pair, Extremely Fine	700.00

BLUISH PAPERS



167	*	4c Orange Brown, Bluish (360). Nicely Centered, faint, negligible corner gum wrinkle, still a Very Fine example of this much sought-after Rarity 3,600.00
168	★⊞	4c Orange Brown, Bluish (360). Block, Unusually Well Centered, a few perfs. separated & neatly reinforced, Very Fine, a Magnificent Block of this Great Rarity, Ex-Green
169	*	5c Blue, Bluish (361). Well Centered, Extremely Fine
170	★⊞	5c Blue, Bluish (361). Block, Well Centered, Very Fine, Beautiful & Exceedingly Rare in such Choice Condition
171	★ ⊞	6c Red Orange, Bluish (362). Block, Well Centered, reperfed at R., otherwise Very Fine
172	*	8c Olive Green, Bluish (363). Beautifully Centered, Extremely Fine 3,600.00
173	★ ⊞	8c Olive Green, Bluish (363). The Unique U. L. Sheet Corner Block, Fresh, centered to L. R., one of the Greatest U. S. Rarities
174	★ ⊞	10c Yellow, Bluish (364). Block, centered bit to U. R., T. L. stamp has tiny inclusion, as often, Fine
175	*	13c Blue Green, Bluish (365). Nicely Centered, tiny natural paper inclusion,as often, Very Fine625.00
176	★⊞	13c Blue Green, Bluish (365). B. Imprint Plate No. Block of Six, Fine, Handsome & Exceedingly Rare
177	\blacksquare	13c Blue Green, Bluish (365). Block, light Oval "Saginaw, Mich." cancels, one bent corner perf., Fine-Very Fine, A Rare & Handsome Block 1,000.00
178	★⊞	15c Pale Ultramarine, Bluish (366). Block, few perfs. strengthened, Fine- Very Fine, a Scarce Block



1910-1923 ISSUES

179	3c Deep Violet, "Orangeburg" Coil (389). Unusually Large Margins, two perfs. trifle bent, an Exceptionally Fine Copy of this Popular Rarity, signed "J. M. Bartels" & "G. B. Sloane," with A. P. S. Certificate (Photo) 900.00
180	3c Deep Violet, "Orangeburg" Coil (389). Tied on Blue Piece by Wavy Line Machine Cancel, Fine Example of this Rare Coil, with A. P. S. Certificate 900.00
181 ★日	Fine Soc Violet (440). Mint Block, Exceptionally Well Centered, Extremely 525.00
182 ★	2c Carmine, U.S. Automatic Vending Co., Ty. III (459). Pair, Very Fine, Ex-Lilly, with P.F. Certificate, Rare pair
183 ★日	\$1.00 Violet Black (460). Block, Very Fine
184 ★	50c Light Violet (477). Block, Very Fine
185 ★日	\$1.00 Violet Black (478). Block, Extremely Fine
186 ★⊞	\$5.00 Light Green (480). T. Plate No. Block of Six, Very Fine
187 🔀	2c Carmine, Imperforate, Ty. Ia (482A). Tied by "Milwaukee" Machine cancel on cover, with return corner card & window, Very Fine, Exceedingly Rare, with P. F. Certificate
188 ★⊞	5c Carmine, Error, Imperforate (485). Double Error Block of Twelve, two middle stamps the Errors. There is a tiny black natural speck in the bottom error, characteristic of this issue, Very Fine
189 ★	5c Carmine, Error, Imperforate (485). Complete uncut Sheet of 400 containing the Single & Double Errors, the Plate Blocks & other position blocks, Very Fine
190 ★	2c Carmine, Coil, Ty. II (491). Pair, Extremely Fine, Very Scarce 625.00
191 ★	2c Carmine, Coil, Ty. II (491). Joint Line Strip of Four, Very Fine, a Choice Strip
192 ★日	\$2.00 Orange Red & Black (523). Left Arrow Block, Very Fine
193 ★	2c Carmine, Offset, Ty. VII, Imperforate (534B). Horiz. Pair, Huge Margins, Extremely Fine, with P. F. Certificate, Very Scarce
194 ★日	1c Gray Green, Offset, Imperforate Vertically (536a). Block, Very Fine, with P. F. Certificate 400.00

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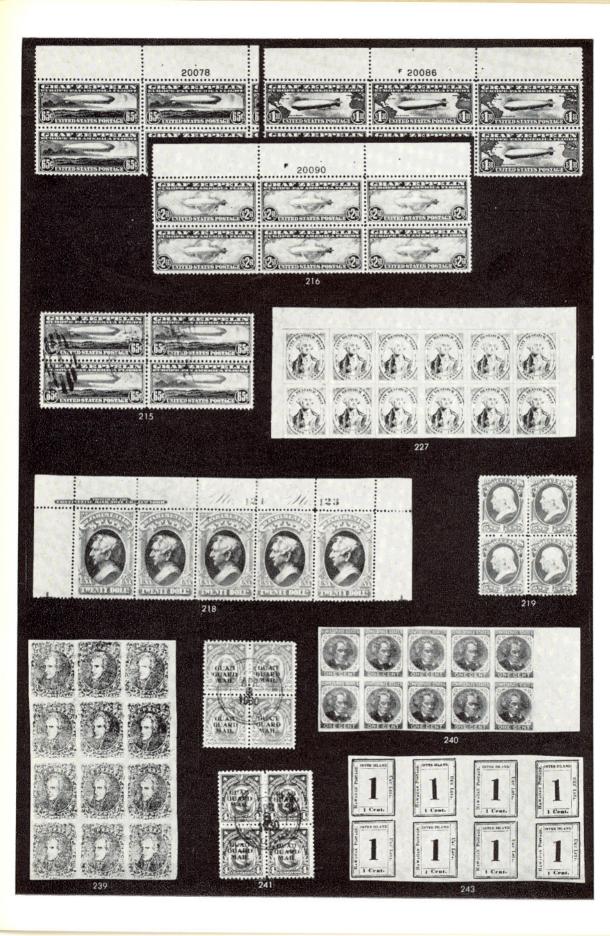
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	195	*	2c Carmine Rose, Ty. II (539). Wonderfully Well Centered, Extremely Fine, signed "Geo. B. Sloane"	425.00
	196	★⊞	2c Carmine Rose, Ty. II (539). Block, Very Fine, Exceedingly Scarce & Handsome	2,000.00
	197	*	5c Dark Blue, Imperforate (557a). Horiz. Pair, Very Fine	350.00
	198	*	10c Orange, Imperforate (562b). Horiz. Pair, without gum as always, faint trace of usual blue crayon, Very Fine	
	199	★ ⊞	12c Brown Violet, Imperforate Horizontally (564a). Block, Pos. 1–2, 11–12, partially patched with Brown Paper on back during manufacture, couple trivial surface scuffs in margin, an Exceedingly Rare Error	
1	200	*	20c Carmine Rose, Imperforate Vertically (567a). Pair, faint natural gum crease on one, otherwise Fine & Scarce	
	201	*	25c Yellow Green, Imperforate Horizontally (568b). Vert. Strip of Three, gum creases, perfs. touch L., Rare, only 23 stamps known	



202	1c Green (594). Light machine cancel, a Fine & Most Attractive Example of this Rarity, with P. F. Certificate
203	1c Green (596). Kansas City, Mo. Pre-cancel, a Choice & Very Fine Ex- ample of the Rarest of all U.S. 20th Century Postage Issues, probably no more than six copies known, with P. F. Certificate, Ex-Bingham
204 ★	2c Carmine, Coil, Ty. I, Ty. II (599A). Combination Joint Line Strip of Four, Mint, the Pair at L. Ty. II, Exceptionally Well Centered, Extremely Fine220.00+





1938 TO DATE

206	**	\$5.00 Red Brown & Black, Presidential, Error of Color (834a). Mint U. L. Sheet Corner Block of Six with "\$5.00" and "Top", Extremely Fine, Signed by Geo. B. Sloane, A Rare & Handsome Block	50.00+
207	*	5c Dark Blue Gray, Coil, Imperforate (1229b). Mint Pair, Extremely Fine	325.00
208	*	5c Blue, Coil, Imperforate, Error (1304b). Mint Pair, Extremely Fine	200.00
209	*	6c Gray Brown, Roosevelt, Imperforate (1305 Var.). Mint, Extremely Fine	E. XII
210	*	6c Hemis Fair, Error with White Map Lines and "6c" Omitted (1340 var.). Mint, Extremely Fine	E. XII

AIR POSTS



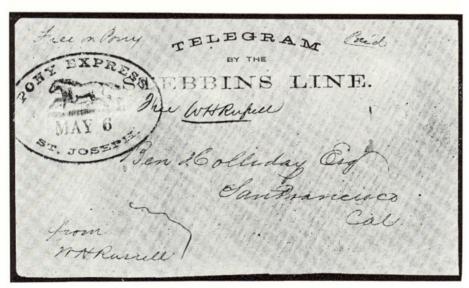


212 ★	24c Carmine & Blue, Airpost, Center Inverted (C3a). Horizontal pair with Left Sheet Margin and upper Half Arrow, R. stamp has insignificant pin point gum thin. Beautifully centered and with most o.g. A Matchless Rarity
213 🛨	24c Carmine & Blue, Airpost, Center Inverted (C3a). Horizontal Pair, companion of the preceding lot, with guide line and lower Half Arrow at left. Equally well centered and with most o. g. 40,000.00+
214 🛨	24c Carmine & Blue, Airpost, Center Inverted (C3a). The preceding two lots offered as the reconstructed Left Arrow Block. Truly an exhibition piece of the utmost rarity since it is the only one in existence
215 🖽	65c Graf Zeppelin (C13). Used block, lightly cancelled, Fine
216 ★⊞	65c-\$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (C13-C15). Top Plate No. Blocks of Six, Well Centered, one \$1.30 has negligible gum thin, otherwise Very Fine Set 4,450.00
	OFFICIALS, ENTIRES, REVENUES
217 P	\$2.00-\$20.00 Green & Black, State (O68P-O71P). Proofs on India, Complete Sheets of Ten with Imprints & Pl. Nos. Card mounted, Very Fine

		Plete Sheets of Ten with Imprints & Pl. Nos. Card mounted, Very Fine Handsome Lot 1,400.00
218	*	\$20.00 Green & Black, State (071). T. Imprint Double Plate No. Strip of Five, Rich Colors, fresh, o. g., Very Fine, a Beautiful & Rare Show-piece
219	★ ⊞	1c Agriculture, Soft Paper (O94). Block, Gorgeous Brilliant Color, Very Fine, Exceedingly Scarce, Probably the finest of the few blocks known 1,300.00
220	*	Newspaper, 6c Intense Black (PR93). O. g., Fine
221	P	Parcel Post, 1c-\$1.00 Small Die Proofs (Q1P-Q12P). Complete set, all have slight thins, as usual in this series, Very Fine appearance, Rare 1,020.00
222	\boxtimes	3c Red, Die 1 (U1). Unused Entire, Size 1, Fresh, Very Fine, (Thorp #1 \$600.00)

223 🔀	10c Air Letter Sheet, Error, Red Omitted (UC32b). Unused, Light vertical crease down center, couple of minor wrinkles in extreme margin, otherwise Very Fine, Rare	
224 🔀	10c Air Letter Sheet, Red Only, Blue Omitted (UC32c). Extremely Fine Error 500.00	
225	1c Proprietary, Imperforate (R3a). Horiz. Pair, Ample to Large Margins, R. stamp has small tear mostly in top margin, Very Fine appearance, Rare pair	
226	5c Blue & Black, Center Inverted (R107a). Light ms. & Dotted Patent Cancels, Fine 425.00	
227 ★⊞	New York, U.S. City Despatch Post, 3c Black on Grayish (6LB1). Block of 12, comprising the 2 Top Rows of the Sheet, Sheet Margins on 3 sides, Brilliant Fresh, full o.g., an Extremely Fine Block of Great Rarity 1,425.00+	

PONY EXPRESS COVERS



228 🔀	Pony Express, St. Joseph, "Running Pony", May 6, (1860), Bold clear oval on "Stebbins Line" Telegraph envelope, Franked "Free, W. H. Russell" (Pres. of Pony Express Co.) addressed to Ben Holliday (Pres. of Overland Express Co.) at San Francisco, The earliest West-bound cover on record, B. edge of cover neatly mended, one of the finest "Pony" covers known, Unique	E. XVI
229 🔀		E. XV
230 🖂	California Pony Express, Fairly clear strike in Red Oval on 3c Star Die Entire (U27). A Westbound cover to San Francisco, with a rare readable strike of the "Pony Express, St. Joseph, Mo." Running Pony in oval, A Magnificent cover, with two of the scarcest Pony Markings	E. XV

231 Wells, Fargo & Co. Pony Express, Red printed frank at L. of special 10c Green Entire (U40), "Cambridge, Mass." pmk. to Sacramento, Cal. with clear strike of the "Central Overland California & Pikes Peak Express Co. Pony Express" cancel. Fine despite few aging spots & tiny tears, Rare and attractive

.... E. XV



232 Wells, Fargo & Co. Pony Express, \$2.00 Red (143L1). Ample to Large margins, Very Fine, tied by W. F. & Co. Marysville in Blue double oval on W. F. franked envelope, 10c Pale Green (U17a) with Red W. F. frank printed over Green "Freeman & Co." printed frank, also vertically at L. clear blue "Pony Express, Sacramento", in oval, Scarce circular W. F. Sacramento on back. Green "St. Joseph, Mo." pmk. to Maine. Extremely Fine, one of the most spectacular "Pony" covers in existence E. XVI

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- Wells, Fargo & Co. Pony Express, \$1.00 Blue "Garter" (143L6). Large to Enormous margins, just tied on the special Wells Fargo "Pony Express" entire 10c Green (U40) with the Red "Pony Express" frank printed vertically at left. The envelope stamp has clear New York pmk., as does a 10c Deep Yellow Green "August Shade" (68) A clear oval "Central Overland California & Pikes Peak Express Co., St. Joseph, Mo." just ties the "Garter" stamp, a clear, sharp special Pony Express handstamp of the company on the cover, westbound to San Francisco. By far the finest of the three "Garter" covers on record and probably the finest and most spectacular Pony Express cover in existence. Signed "Ashbrook", Ex-Caspary 10,000.00

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CONFEDERATE STATES



236 🔀	Christiansburgh, Va. 5c Green, Provisional Entire (Similar to 99XU1). Impressed on 3c Red Star Die Entire (U27). A Very Handsome, Previously unknown and Probably Unique Provisional, Very Fine, With P. F. Certificate E. XV
237 🔀	Gonzales, Texas, 10c Gold on Garnet (30X2). Large Margins, tied by ms. lines, clear "Gonzales" pmk., matching "Paid", on neat folded letter to San Antonio, Very Fine, A Rare & Handsome Cover, Ex-Caspary, Letter from P. F. in re this and the following lot states: "while we believe these two covers are genuine, as has been generally accepted over the years, we do not consider that the "stamps" qualify as those listed in Scott Specialized Catalogue, with which present listing we do not agree. Therefore we respectfully decline to issue Certificates for them at this time, as we regret we are not able to express conclusive opinions"
238 🔀	Gonzales, Texas, 5c Gold on Black (30X3). Large margins, uncancelled, on fresh folded cover to Victoria, clear "Gonzales" pmk., "Paid 5" in ms., sealed cover tear at L. L., otherwise Very Fine, Very Rare, Ex-Caspary 2,250.00
239 ★⊞	2c Green (3). Block of 12, (3x4), Large Margins incl. R. Sheet Margin, Unusually Fresh, o. g., one stamp with small tear mostly in margin, Very Fine, a Wonderful Block
240 ★⊞	1c Orange (14). Horiz. Block of 10, Unusually Rich Color, Fresh, o.g., Extremely Fine
241 🖽	GUAM, 1930, 2c-4c Guard Mail (M1-M2). Blocks, with April 8, 1930 First Day Cancellation, FV. F. set
	HAWAII

242 Z 12c Black (69). Tied by Cogwheel, clear "San Francisco, Cal. Feb. 12,

GENERAL FOREIGN



247 ★	CANADA, 1857, 7½p Green (9). Large margins except narrow at tip of U. L. corner, Brilliant color, Fresh, Very Fine
248 ⊞	— 1897, \$4.00 Purple, Jubilee (64). Used Block, bit hinge reinforced, Fine, Scarce 600.00+
249 🖽	— 1897 , \$5.00 Olive Green, Jubilee (65). Block neat, light "Winnipeg" pmk. in purple, bit hinge reinforced, Very Fine, Scarce
250 ★⊞	— 1899, 2c Carmine, Booklet pane of Six (77b). In entire booklet, Mint, Fresh, Very Fine & Scarce
251 ★⊞	— 1903, 20c Olive Green, Edward (94). Block, Fresh, Very Fine 200.00+
252 ★⊞	— 1908, 50c Purple, Edward (95). Block of 4, Extremely Fine



253 ★⊞ — 1959, 5c Red & Blue, Seaway, Center Inverted (387a). L. L. Sheet Corner Block, Mint, Very Fine, A Magnificent Rarity 10,000.00
 254 ★ CEYLON, 1859, 2/- Blue (13). Clear Margins all around, Fresh, Very Fine, Ex-Caspary, Lilly, with P. F. Certificate 800.00
 255 ★⊞ DENMARK, 1870, 2s Gray & Blue (21). Block, Beautifully Centered, Brilliantly Fresh, Large part o. g., one stamp natural paper pore, horiz, perf. row severed and reinforced, otherwise an Extremely Fine Block of the



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- 262 ★ SWITZERLAND, Geneva, 1848, 5c Black on Dark Green, Large Eagle (2L4). Beautiful Large Margins, Rich Color & Impression, Extremely Fine 800.00





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1	28,000.00	28	800.00	55	1,050.00	82	2,900.00	109	1,100.00
2	950.00	29	1,200.00	56	1,050.00	83	800.00	110	675.00
3	2,500.00	30	16,500.00	57	1,200.00	84	575.00	111	1,300.00
4	8,750.00	31	1,200.00	58	450.00	85	950.00	112	850.00
5	17,000.00	32	1,300.00	59	7,750.00	86	1,200.00	113	1,050.00
6	1,200.00	33	3,250.00	60	800.00	87	850.00	114	1,000.00
7	2,700.00	34	1,400.00	61	10,500.00	88	800.00	115	1,550.00
8	5,000.00	35	425.00	62	6,000.00	89	800.00	116	700.00
9	1,400.00	36	9,500.00	63	625.00	90	8,000.00	117	2,400.00
10	360.00	37	2,400.00	64	3,200.00	91	2,700.00	118	1,350.00
11	7,000.00	38	6,250.00	65	19,000.00	92	4,800.00	119	2,400.00
12	11,500.00	39	650.00	66	1,500.00	93	6,750.00	120	800.00
13	11,500.00	40	3,750.00	67	1,700.00	94	3,400.00	121	2,900.00
14	4,500.00	41	525.00	68	4,250.00	95	21,000.00	122	10,500.00
15	600.00	42	1,000.00	69	8,000.00	96	8,000.00	123	475.00
16	5,250.00	43	2,100.00	70	625.00	97	800.00	124	950.00
17	700.00	44	380.00	71	850.00	98	1,700.00	125	1,400.00
18	6,250.00	45	3,500.00	72	2,100.00	99	600.00	126	3,600.00
19	700.00	46	4,750.00	73	1,450.00	100	725.00	127	4,750.00
20	3,750.00	47	7,000.00	74	4,750.00	101	625.00	128	6,250.00
21	5,750.00	48	900.00	75	650.00	102	3,750.00	129	3,200.00
22	7,000.00	49	1,550.00	76	1,050.00	103	1,300.00	130	725.00
23	10,500.00	50	650.00	77	4,500.00	104	1,700.00	131	1,200.00
24	900.00	51	575.00	78	1,500.00	105	3,200.00	132	2,100.00
25	10,000.00	52	2,300.00	79	3,800.00	106	1,600.00	133	750.00
26	1,700.00	53	475.00	80	650.00	107	6,750.00	134	600.00
27	10,000.00	54	1,700.00	81	1,800.00	108	3,800.00	135	900.00

I at #	Price	Lot #	Price	Lot #	# Price	Lot #	Price	Lot #	Price	
Lot #	525.00	163	500.00	190	1,000.00	217	950.00	244	500.00	
136 137	550.00	164	725.00	191	1,800.00	218	1,300.00	245	525.00	
138	500.00	165	800.00	192	290.00	219	1,000.00	246	375.00	100
139	675.00	166	675.00	193	950.00	220	240.00	247	1,200.00	1
140	1,050.00	167	4,500.00	194	400.00	221	600.00	248	425.00	MARK
141	1,400.00	168	15,500.00	195	950.00	222	600.00	249	600.00	K
142	1,200.00	169	1,350.00	196	2,200.00	223	400.00	250	170.00	
143	4,500.00	170	5,250.00	197	425.00	224	260.00	251	160.00	616.5
144	1,200.00	171	700.00	198	400.00	225	260.00	252	320.00	100
145	1,900.00	172	5,750.00	199	1,100.00	226	230.00	253	6,250.00	
146	1,500.00	173	8,000.00	200	400.00	227	1,000.00	254	250.00	1. S. S. S. S.
147	3,200.00	174	475.00	201	500.00	228	9,000.00	255	1,000.00	5000
148	7,250.00	175	550.00	202	1,150.00	229	1,900.00	256	425.00	3
149	3,500.00	176	3,750.00	203	8,000.00	230	2,300.00	257	140.00	20.00
150	6,500.00	177	550.00	204	360.00	231	1,900.00	258	320.00	2.62
151	9,000.00	178	725.00	205	13,750.00	232	5,000.00	259	340.00	
152	3,400.00	179	1,400.00	206	850.00	233	17,000.00	260	675.00	67.00
153	13,500.00	180	950.00	207	350.00	234	600.00	260A	500.00	
154	525.00	181	425.00	208	325.00	235	475.00	260B	3,500.00	The second
155	600.00	182	1,450.00	209	400.00	236	850.00	261	WD	S. 8.3
156	1,500.00	183	550.00	210	525.00	237	1,200.00	262	650.00	
157	600.00	184	375.00	211	27,000.00	238	850.00	263	1,300.00	
158	2,100.00	185	425.00	212)		239	950.00	264	600.00	1.00
159	400.00	186	525.00	213	115,000.00	240	180.00			
160	1,150.00	187	2,900.00	214		241	340.00			
161	500.00	188	3,800.00	215	210.00	242	2,600.00			
162	1,000.00	189	6,500.00	216	4,750.00	243	1,200.00			



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Lot#	Realized								
1	28,000	37	2,400	73	1,450	109	1,100	145	1,900
2	950	38	6,250	74	4,750	110	675	146	1,500
3	2,500	39	650	75	650	111	1,300	147	3,200
4	8,750	40	3,750	76	1,050	112	850	148	7,250
5	17,000	41	525	77	4,500	113	1,050	149	3,500
6	1,200	42	1,000	78	1,500	114	1,000	150	6,500
7	2,700	43	2,100	79	3,800	115	1,550	151	9,000
8	5,000	44	380	80	650	116	700	152	3,400
9	1,400	45	3,500	81	1,800	117	2,400	153	13,500
10	360	46	4,750	82	2,900	118	1,350	154	525
11	7,000	47	7,000	83	800	119	2,400	155	600
12	11,500	48	900	84	575	120	800	156	1,500
13	11,500	49	1,550	85	950	121	2,900	157	600
14	4,500	50	650	86	1,200	122	10,500	158	2,100
15	600	51	575	87	850	123	475	159	400
16	5,250	52	2,300	88	800	124	950	160	1,150
17	700	53	475	89	800	125	1,400	161	500
18	6,250	54	1,700	90	8,000	126	3,600	162	1,000
19	700	55	1,050	91	2,700	127	4,750	163	500
20	3,750	56	1,050	92	4,800	128	6,250	164	725
21	5,750	57	1,200	93	6,750	129	3,200	165	800
22	7,000	58	450	94	3,400	130	725	166	675
23	10,500	59	7,750	95	21,000	131	1,200	167	4,500
24	900	60	800	96	8,000	132	2,100	168	15,500
25	10,000	61	10,500	97	800	133	750	169	1,350
26	1,700	62	625	98	1,700	134	600	170	5,250
27	10,000	63	625	99	600	135	900	171	700
28	800	64	3,200	100	725	136	525	172	5,750
29	1,200	65	19,000	101	625	137	550	173	8,000
30	16,500	66	1,500	102	3,750	138	500	174	475
31	1,200	67	1,700	103	1,300	139	675	175	550
32	1,300	68	4,250	104	1,700	140	1,050	176	3,750
33	3,250	69	8,000	105	3,200	141	1,400	177	550
34	1,400	70	625	106	1,600	142	1,200	178	725
35	425	71	850	107	6,750	143	4,500	179	1,400
36	9,500	72	2,100	108	3,800	144	1,200	180	950

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Lot#	Realized	Lot#	Realized	Lot#	Realized
181	425	217	950	253	6,250
182	1,450	218	1,300	254	260
183	550	219	1,000	255	1,000
184	375	220	240	256	425
185	425	221	600	257	140
186	525	222	600	258	320
187	2,900	223	400	259	340
188	3,800	224	260	260	675
189	6,500	225	260	260A	500
190	1,000	226	230	260B	3,500
191	1,800	227	1,000	262	650
192	290	228	9,000	263	1,300
193	950	229	1,900	264	600
194	400	230	2,300		
195	950	231	1,900		
196	2,200	232	5,000		
197	425	233	17,000		
198	400	234	600		
199	1,100	235	475		
200	400	236	850		
201	500	237	1,200		
202	1,150	238	850		
203	8,000	239	950		
204	360	240	180		
205	13,750	241	340		
206	850	242	2,600		
207	350	243	1,200		
208	325	244	500		
209	400	245	525		
210	525	246	375		
211	27,000	247	1,200		
212	115,000	248	425		
213	115,000	249	600		
214	115,000	250	170		
215	210	251	160		
216	4,750	252	320		