

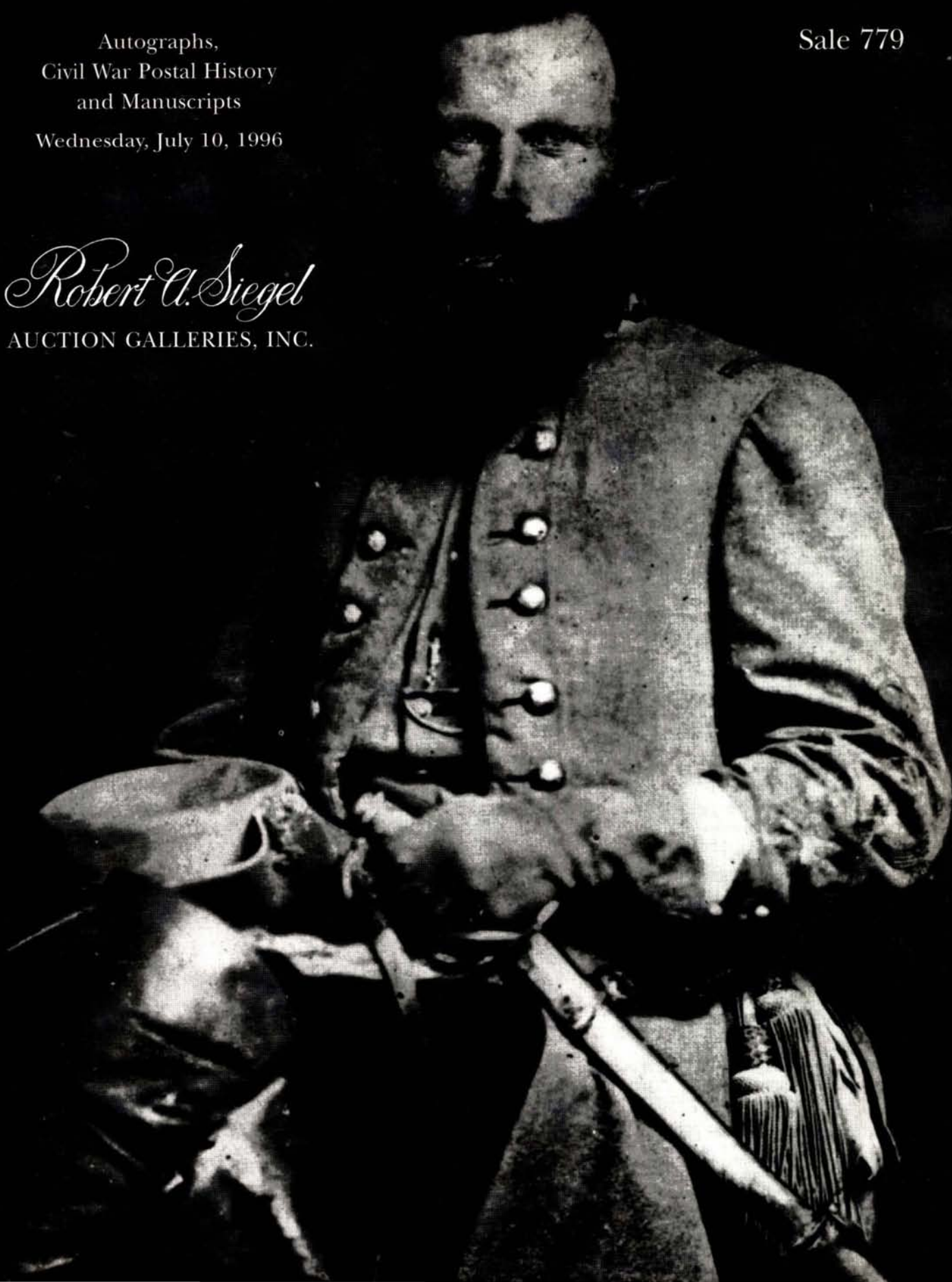
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Civil War Postal History
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Wednesday, July 10, 1996,
at 10:30 a.m. (Lots 1-252)
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Extremely Fine (EF): Exceptionally large margins or near perfect centering, used to describe stamps which are of superior grade for the issue.

Very Fine (VF): Normal size margins for the issue and well-centered with design a bit closer to one side.

Fine (F): Imperforate stamps may have smaller than usual margins and perforated stamps will be noticeably off-center. Issues before 1890 may have the design touched in places. If used, fairly lightly cancelled.

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Good (G): Average off-centered example with slight faults. This condition is generally acceptable for multiples and rarities.

Gum

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Mint: As issued by the post office and never hinged.

Original Gum (O.G.): Stamp retains full original gum showing slight disturbance caused by previous hinge, which may be present or entirely removed. Early 19th century stamps should be expected to show crackling and toning in gum, which occurs naturally over time.

Part Original Gum: Up to half of the gum is missing, but the remaining portion is original.

Disturbed Original Gum: The gum is original to the stamp, but has been noticeably affected by hinge removal and/or humidity, mount glazing, etc.

Hinge Mark: Noticeable area where hinge has been removed and gum has been redistributed. Stamps described with hinge marks may not be returned because of gum disturbance.

Hinge Remnant (H.R.): All or part of hinge remaining affixed to gum.

Covers

Minor nicks, tears and slight reduction from opening are to be expected in 19th century covers. Folded letters normally have tears in the reverse and file folds, which will not be mentioned unless they affect the stamps or markings. Light cleaning of covers is an accepted form of conservation and is not grounds for return of a lot. The terms "Extremely Fine", etc., are meant to convey the overall appearance of cover, not the condition of an individual stamp.

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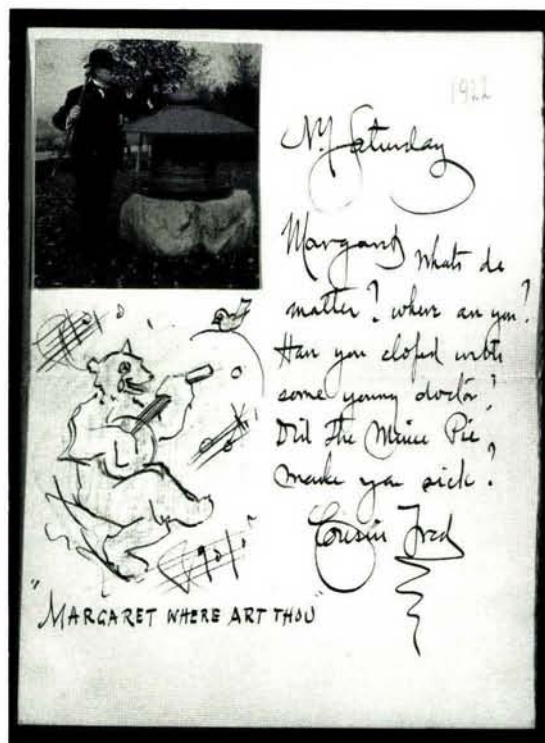
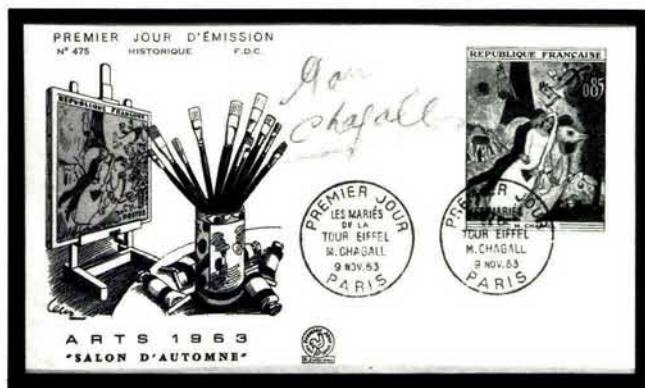
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Symbols and Abbreviations

★★	Mint (never hinged)	No.	Scott Catalogue Number
★	Unused (with or without gum, as described)	cds	Circular datestamp
田	Block of four or larger	hs	Handstamp
☒	Folded letter or cover	E	Essay
FC	Fancy cancel	P	Proof
o.g.	Original gum	TC	Trial color proof
pmk.	Postmark (in black unless described otherwise)	R	Reprint
var.	Variety		

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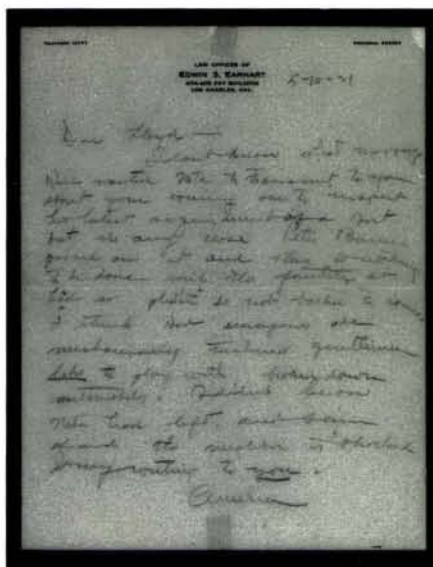
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WEDNESDAY, JULY 10, 1996, AT 10:30 A.M.

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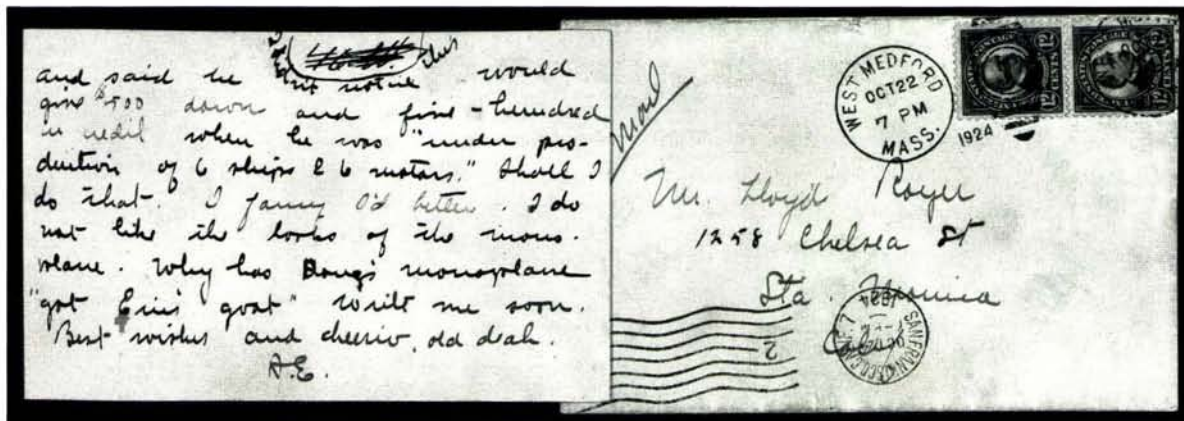
Arranged Alphabetically

- 1° **Ansel Adams.** Signature on title page of *THE CAMERA* (1980, New York Graphic Society), 1st edition, with dust jacket, Very Fine..... E. 100-150
- 2° ☒ **John Adams.** Large bold frank ("*Free John Adams*" on undated folded cover to the Rev. J. Belknap in Boston, partial New York straightline and matching "FREE", Very Fine, choice signature(Photo) E. 3,000-4,000
- 3 ☒ **John Quincy Adams.** Bold free frank ("*J.Q. Adams*") on Dept. of State cover to Maj. John Myers in Baltimore, contents are 1818 letter from a Richard Forrest, cover aged, with some separations not affecting signature, still Fine..(Photo) E. 300-400
- 4 **P.T. Barnum.** ALS ("*P.T.B.*") 1 page, with last two lines and signature on reverse, dated Oct. 25, 1864, minor edge toning, Fine E. 100-150
- 5 **Edwin Booth.** AL, dated Feb. 19, 1889, signed in the third person on "The Players" letterhead, declining invitation to the Clover Club, Very Fine..... E. 100-150
- 6 **Benjamin Franklin Butler.** Attorney General under Jackson and Van Buren, ALS, 2pp, dated Aug. 6, 1838, to President Van Buren, extolling the virtues of Cary Harris, Commissioner of Indian Affairs, and recommending him for a territorial judgeship, includes 1 page letter from Butler to Harris explaining his intentions, with outer lettersheet showing Butler's **free frank**; second letter with some wear, Fine lot..... E. 200-250
- 7 **Marc Chagall.** ANS, 1 page, undated, Very Fine E. 200-250
- 9 ☒ **Marc Chagall.** Signature in blue pencil on France 1963 Chagall stamp First Day cover, Very Fine..... E. 100-150
- 10 **Frederick S. Church.** ALS ("*Cousin Fred*"), to his cousin Margaret Vogelson, and which he has included a **pen and pastel sketch** of banjo-strumming bear and small tipped photo of the artist, Very Fine(Photo) E. 500-600
- 11 **Winston S. Churchill.** Signature on blank side of playing card (King of Clubs), light soiling, Fine E. 200-250
- 12 ☒ **Salvador Dali.** Four signatures, on Spain Quevedo First Day, in margins of France 1979 Dali stamp (in pair and block of four), also signature on First Day cover of the same stamp, Very Fine E. 200-250
- 13 ☒ **Benjamin Disraeli.** Free frank on 1868 cover to Isle of Wight, addressed entirely in his hand, Fine.....(Photo) E. 200-250
- 14 ☒ **James A. Doolittle, Eddie Rickenbacker.** Signatures on unused airmail envelope and 1929 airport dedication cover respectively, last dated 1966, Very Fine..... E. 75-100



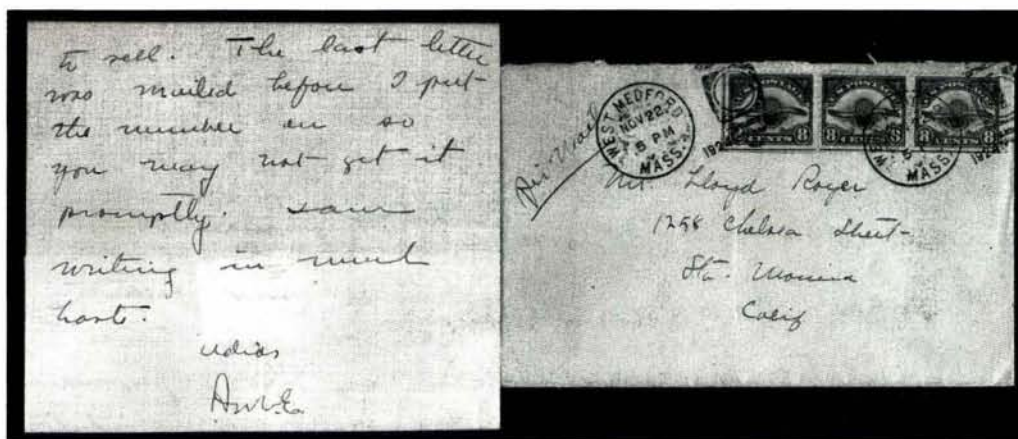
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- 15° **Amelia Earhart.** ALS ("Amelia"), in pencil, one page, 8½ x 11 in., dated May 10, 1921 on her father's law office stationery, to her close friend Lloyd Royer: "Dear Lloyd—I don't know what message Dad wanted Neta to transmit to you about your coming over to inspect his latest acquirement of a sort but in any case Peter Barnes passed on it and there is nothing to be done with the facilities at hand so please do not bother to come. I think Dad imagines all mechanically inclined gentlemen like to play with broken down automobiles. I didn't know Neta had left and I am afraid the neighbor is shocked at my writing to you. Amelia." This letter is quoted in Doris Rich's biography of Earhart (p. 37). Letter silked and encapsulated, Fine early signature.....(Photo) E. 1,000-1,500



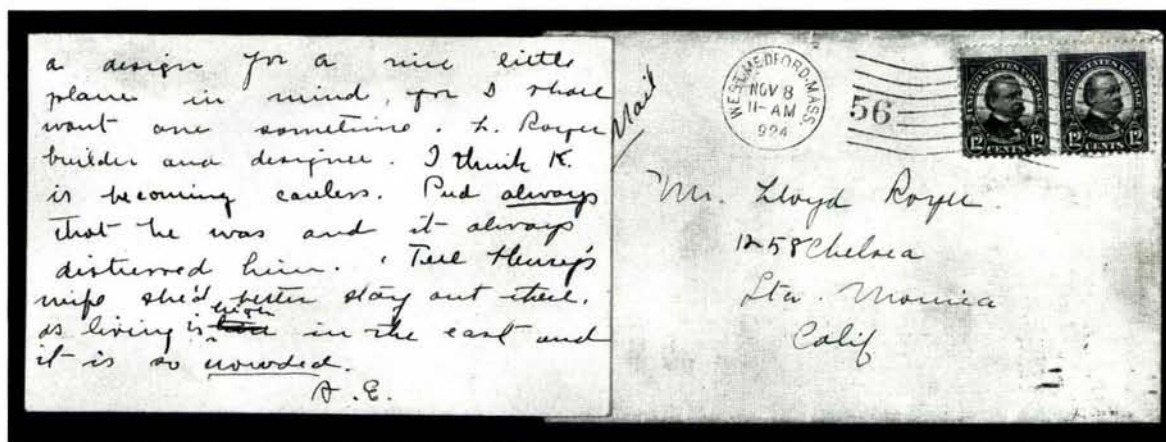
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- 16° **Amelia Earhart.** ALS ("A.E."), on greeting card stock to close friend Lloyd Royer, dated Oct. 22, 1924: "Please excuse the long silence I suppose from your also long silence that the truck deal feel through and that California is going to the dogs in the dump truck! What do you think of this? Kinner wrote me after I had written him (as you suggested) and said that he didn't notice this would give \$500 in credit when he was 'under production of 6 ships and 26 motors.' Shall I do that? I fancy I'd better. I do not like the looks of the monoplane, why has Doug's monoplane 'got Erie's goat.' Write me soon, best wishes and cheerio, old deah. A.E." Very Fine, accompanied by original mailing envelope addressed entirely in her hand.....(Photo) E. 1,000-1,500



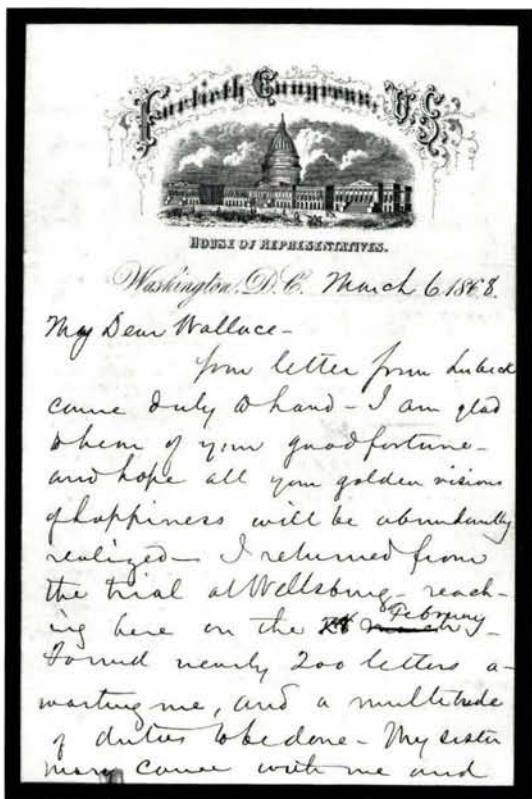
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- 17° **Amelia Earhart.** ALS ("Am.E.", 1½pp, dated November 22, 1924, to close friend Lloyd Royer: "Dear Lloyd—Our letters crossed again. If the offer for \$1500 cash is real I think we'd better take it. You have the necessary papers. From the fact that the trucking season is due for its stark time soon and from what I gather of conditions in building in Calif. I should imagine this is a good time to sell. The last letter was mailed before I put the [?] in so you may not get it promptly. I am writing in much haste. Adios A.M.E." Accompanied by original envelope addressed entirely in her hand and franked with 8c Green, 1923 Air Post (C4) strip of three. In an effort to raise money to buy a plane built by Bert Kinner, she went into the photography business with another young woman, Jean Brandreth. When this proved unprofitable, she bought an old Moreland truck and hauled gravel for a construction company. Included is a small snapshot of Lloyd Royer with this truck, and penciled caption in his hand, on back "Amelia's Moreland—1923". Very Fine lot.....(Photo) E. 1,000-1,500



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- 18° **Amelia Earhart.** ALS ("A.E.") on small greeting card stock, to her close friend Lloyd Royer, dated Nov. 8, 1924: "Thank you for contents of last letter, I feel quite worthy. I wrote Mr. Kinner and told him I would accept his offer. Don't forget to keep a design for a nice little plane in mind, for I shall want one sometime, L. Royer builder and designer. I think Kinner is becoming careless, Pud always thought he was and it always distressed him. Tell Harry's wife that she better stay out there as living is high in the east and it is so crowded. A.E." Accompanied by original mailing envelope addressed entirely in her hand and endorsed "Air Mail". Very Fine.....(Photo) E. 1,000-1,500



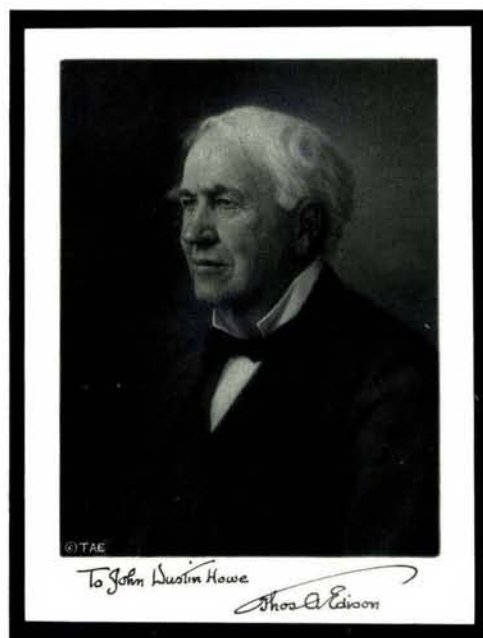
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- 19 ☒ **Amelia Earhart.** Signature in blue, on unusual flight cover, "AMELIA EARHART BRINGS THE AUTOGIRO TO RALEIGH NOV. 5-6-7. 1931" with handstamped illustration in purple, Very Fine(Photo) E. 500-600
- 20 **Thomas A. Edison.** Signature in margin of photo of Edison portrait, "*To John Dustin Howe/Thos A Edison*" in characteristic bold hand, two small creases far from signature, otherwise Very Fine(Photo) E. 500-750
- 21 ☒ **Thomas A. Edison.** Signature on 1929 Electric Light First Day cover, Fine.....(Photo) E. 300-400
- 22 **Edward, Duke of Windsor; Wallis Simpson.** Signed full-length photo (9½ x 13 in.) of the couple in a broadcast studio, with signatures in bottom margin: "*Wallis Windsor*" and "*Edward Duke of Windsor—October 1941*", faint toned spot in Edward's signature, attractively framed, Fine..... E. 500-750
- 23 **Dwight Eisenhower.** Bold signature as President, on 1960 document appointing Hendrick van Oss Consul General at Uganda, with seal, very tiny foxing not affecting signature, Fine, in frame E. 300-400
- 24 **Elizabeth II.** Large bold signature on 1961 document, recognizing and approving the U.S. appointment of Hendrick van Oss as U.S. Consul-General at Uganda, framed, fresh and Very Fine E. 500-750
- 25 **Sam J. Ervin.** N.C. senator and chairman of the Senate Watergate hearings. 12 signed checks (1950s), also many hundreds of covers (no contents) addressed to Erwin and/or his wife (1940s until his death)—unsorted, possibly some famous names among the return addresses, Fine lot E. 150-200
- 26 ☒ **Edward Everett.** Principal orator at Gettysburg, ALS, 2pp, dated Sept. 11, 1854, declining an invitation to lecture because of poor health, Fine, accompanied by immaculate envelope with his free frank and addressed in his hand, Very Fine E. 150-200
- 27 **Philip Evergood.** Two books, THE GRAPHIC WORK OF PHILIP EVERGOOD by Lucy R. Lippard, proem by James Michener (1966) with warm inscription: "*To dearest Ann Feinberg great friend of my youthful struggles right on into to-day. With deep affection & love Philip Evergood Feb. 24, 1967*" (a 1928 drawing of the recipient is reproduced in the book), also an earlier book 20 EVERGOOD YEARS (1946) with inscription, "*To Anne Williams Friend of my youth & always Philip Evergood Apr. 21st 1946*"; also included are two autographed notes, one signed, inviting Anne and her husband to exhibits at the Whitney and the A.C.A. Gallery, Fine E. 150-200
- 28 **Ham Fisher.** Large pencil sketch of Joe Polooka on brown paper, "*C'mon Bob Hurry Up and Get Well All the best to Bob Simpson. Joe Palooka & Ham Fisher*", Fine E. 100-125
- 29 ☒ **Albert Gallatin.** LS, 1 page, dated May 31, 1808, regarding problems in the use of embargo bonds in Mass. ports, with outer address leaf with Gallatin's **free frank**, Fine..... E. 100-125
- 30 **James A. Garfield.** ALS, 2½pp, dated Mar. 6, 1868, on illustrated House of Representatives stationery, to his friend Wallace J. Ford. He writes (in part): "*I am glad to hear of your good fortune, and hope all your golden visions of happiness will be abundantly realized. I returned from the trial at Wellsburg. . . I shall do all I can for Hiram, but as I suggested. . . we had better not attack Everett or Alliance,*" etc. The trial referred to is probably Garfield's defense of his childhood idol, Brother Alexander Campbell, the founder of the disciples of Christ. Campbell's children had contested his will on the grounds that their father was mentally incompetent. Garfield thought otherwise and was successful in vindicating Campbell's reputation, Very Fine(Photo) E. 600-800

I hereby appoint C. A. Harris
to perform the duties of Secretary of
War during the temporary absence of
the Secretary for that Department.

Given under my hands this
twenty third day of October 1835.

Andrew Jackson

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The President with his
respects to the Secretary
of War understands, that
there are several of the com-
panies in the several States
among whose Captains are
not with them & have
not been for years, and
that some of those com-
panies are now in Florida
commanded by Lt. If this
be so, it is highly improper
you will please cause
a report to be made to me
upon this subject, and in
the mean time have
every Captain ordered to
join his company &
report for duty.
March 30th 1836-

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The President with his
respects to Mr. Harris, acting
Secretary of War, brings
him in mind of those
papers, to meet the Prof-
-sage of Governor
Cannon to the P. Legisla-
-ture respecting the dis-
-charge & payment of
the volunteers - Those
advising him, if no
appropriation being
made by Congress, will
be necessary to shed if
Mr. Bell had been as
attentive to the pay of
the volunteers as he was

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confidential letter inclosed to Col Polk, and
after reading them observed to me, I under-
-stand all that - and you may rest assured that
he will not be governed by any clique, nor
any favours bestowed upon relations A. I.

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- 31 **[Generals and Admirals of World War II]**. Mounted collection of 26 first day covers (various 1945 U.S. WWII issues), each signed by a different military figure, and in addition each cover has a skillfully hand-painted cachet. Names include Omar Bradley, Mark Clark, J.H. Doolittle, Dwight Eisenhower, W.F. Halsey, Douglas MacArthur, George Marshall, Chester Nimitz, Joseph Stilwell and others, virtually all bold signatures, Very Fine, an exceptionally attractive collection **(Photo)** E. 1,500-2,000
- 32 **David Lloyd George**. British Prime Minister, signature on card with embossed oval, "House of Commons" in corner, Fine E. 100-150
- 33 ☒ **Horace Greeley**. Cover addressed entirely in his hand to Richmond Va. and **signed** in corner, "H.G., 3c Rose (65) with quartered cork cancel and New York cds, flap with blind embossed c.c."AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK", Fine, unusual..... E. 100-150
- 34 **William Gropper**. American social protest cartoonist, ANS ("Bill"), Apr. 17, 1955 note on back of postal card to friend, with amusing sketch of sun & moon, some creasing, Fine..... E. 200-250
- 35 **Jack H. Haverly**. Theatrical manager, ALS, 2pp., dated June 11, 1892, with illustrated letterhead with his portrait, "Haverly's Original Mastodon Minstrels, Fine ... E. 75-100
- 36 **Felix Herrmann**. Magician, bold signature on card with printed Christmas & New Years greetings for the 1920-21 Season, and illustrations of the famed Herrmanns in addition to ms. deletions in the text, presumably by Herrmann, mailed from Fort Wayne, Ind., Fine E. 75-100
- 37° **Oliver Wendell Holmes**. ALS ("O.W. Holmes"), 1 page, dated Mar. 12, 1883, to a Philadelphia dentist thanking him for comments "with reference to my books and myself," etc. With original envelope postmarked Boston, Very Fine E. 200-250
- 38 **Langston Hughes**. Two books, first is SELECTED POEMS (1959, first edition) with inscription in green ink: "Enscribed especially for the Finebergs—who make living poems out of gracious living—Sincerely, Langston New York, January, 1961", also FIGHT FOR FREEDOM (1962, first edition?) with Christmas greetings and signed "Sincerely, Langston New York, 1963", Fine lot E. 200-250
- 39°☒ **Andrew Jackson**. Free frank as ex-President "Free- Andrew Jackson -" on undated folded cover to Francis P. Blair in Washington, clear blue "Nashville Te. Feb. 10" cds and matching "FREE" hs, Very Fine, excellent example of Jackson's frank while in retirement at the Hermitage **(Photo)** E. 1,500-2,000
- 40 **Andrew Jackson**. DS as President, dated Oct. 23, 1835, appointing C.A. Harris Acting Secretary of War, accompanying this is a 1836 9-line letter entirely in Jackson's hand (unsigned) to Harris regarding "the Choctaw Treaty", with outer address sheet, first with small separation closed with archival tape, bold signature, Fine **(Photo)** E. 1,000-1,500
- 41 **Andrew Jackson**. AL as President, 1 page, dated Mar. 30, 1836, to the Secretary of War: "The president with his respects to the secretary of war understands that there are several of the companies in the United States army whose captains are not with them & have not been for years, and that some of those companies are now in Florida commanded by Lts. If this be so, it is highly improper—you will please. . .have every captain ordered to join his company & report for duty." Outer address sheet also in his hand "The secretary of War", some separations at folds, Fine **(Photo)** E. 750-1,000
- 42 **Andrew Jackson**. AL, 1½pp, dated Oct. 15, 1836, to Acting Secretary of War C.A. Harris, outer address sheet in his hand, Very Fine **(Photo)** E. 600-800
- 43° **Andrew Jackson**. ANS ("A.J.") on undated slip of paper and which reads (in full): "confidential letter enclosed to Col. Polk, and after reading them observed to me, I understand all that—and you may rest assured that he will not be governed by any clique, nor any favours bestowed upon relations A.J." Fine **(Photo)** E. 500-600



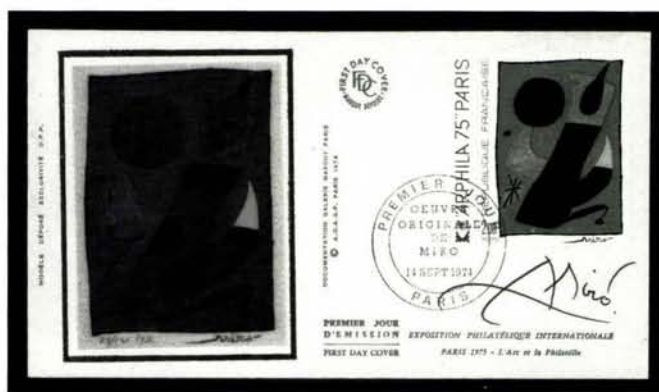
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- 44° ☒ **Thomas Jefferson.** Free frank as **President** ("free/Th:Jefferson Pr. U.S.") on folded cover addressed in his hand to James Dinsmore at Monticello, red "Washn. City Jun 26" cds and matching "FREE" hs, few scattered toned spots far from signature, still Very Fine, the most desirable form of Jefferson's frank(Photo) E. 5,000-6,000
- 45° ☒ **Andrew Johnson.** Free frank as senator on cover to Robert Johnson in Greenville, Tenn., Washington cds at left with not-quite readable year date, Very Fine(Photo) E. 300-400
- 46 ☒ **Andrew Johnson.** Large bold signature as member of Congress on large orange with "Free" on cover addressed in his hand to the Commissioner of Pensions, pencil docketing at left can and should be erased, slightly reduced at R., far from signature, Very Fine(Photo) E. 300-400
- 47° ☒ **Andrew Johnson.** Scarce free frank "From/Andrew Johnson/Ex Pres. U.S." in pencil, on large cover addressed in his hand to Brooklyn, N.Y., sealed tear just into "w" of "Andrew" and two pen marks at far left, otherwise Fine(Photo) E. 500-600
- 48 ☒ **Tobias Lear.** Large bold frank on undated Dept. of War Acct. Office cover to New York and forwarded to Reading Pa., Washington & New York postmarks, Fine..... E. 100-125

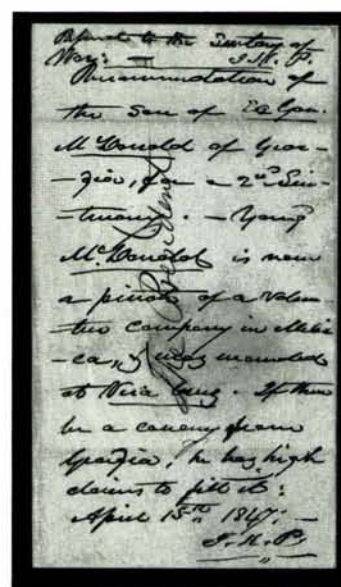
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To Postmaster at				
The following contract air mail was dispatched today 7/19 Rt. No. 6				
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Postage at		cents per ounce or fraction thereof for this route Chicago		
VERY FINE		73 1/2		
10		Dispatching Clerk		
Mail described above was dispatched to Rt. No. 6, to be shown below:				
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REMARKS:				
Employee at Air Mail Field				

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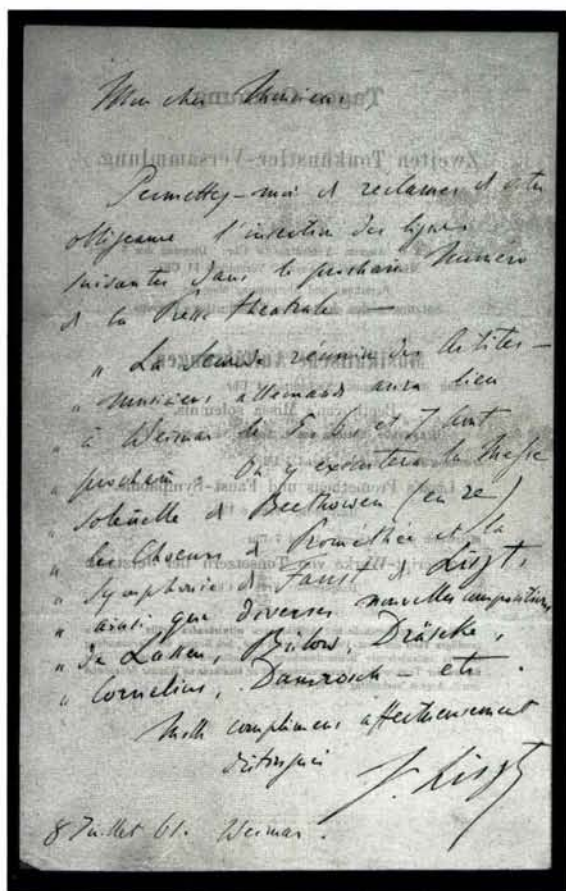
- 49° **Charles Lindbergh.** DS, 8 x 6 3/8 in., in pencil, as an Army Air Mail pilot on "Contract Air Mail Service" form for 73 lbs. of mail delivered from Chicago to St. Louis in airship #109, July 19, 1926, accompanied by photo showing Lindbergh and Robert Green (who also signed form) loading mail in the very same airship #109, Very Fine(Photo) E. 2,000-2,500
- 50 ☒ **Charles Lindbergh.** Signature ("Chas. A. Lindbergh") on 1927 First Day cover of the Lindbergh stamp (Washington pmk.), Very Fine(Photo) E. 400-500
- 51 ☒ **Charles Lindbergh.** Signature ("C.A. Lindbergh") on 1928 flight cover with horseshoe cachet, "LINDBERGH AGAIN FLIES THE AIRMAIL", Very Fine.....(Photo) E. 400-500



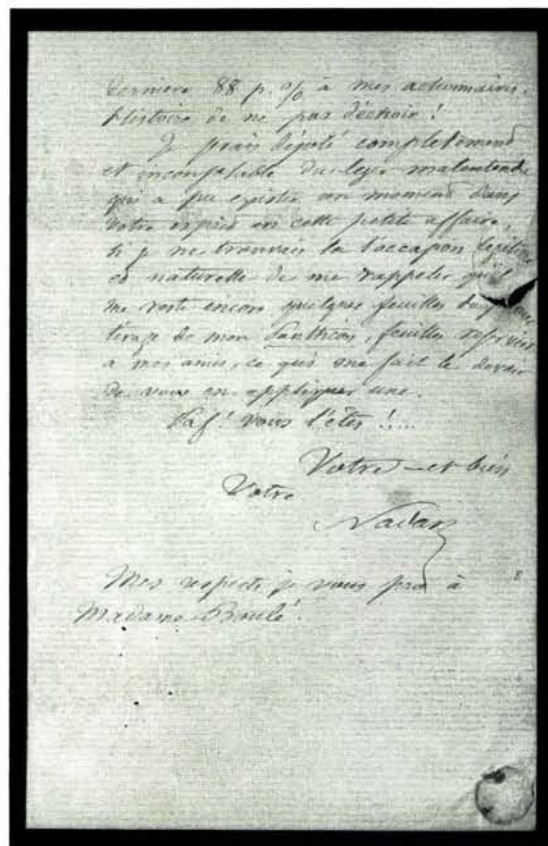
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- 52 **Franz Liszt.** ALS written on page of 1861 music program which included Liszt's "Prometheus" and "Faust" symphony, accompanying this is a **handkerchief embroidered with the initials F.L.**, Fine lot.....(Photo) E. 600-800
- 53 **Henry Wadsworth Longfellow.** ALS, 3pp, dated Mar. 31, 1874, to a fellow poet, unnamed: "*Many thanks for your beautiful poem—beautiful notwithstanding its subject, for which I have no sympathy. I am so little of a sportsman, that I rank Fox-Hunting with Bull-Fighting, and I think them equally detestable. You will perhaps smile at that, but I never lose an opportunity of entering my protest against all pleasures that spring from the pain of dumb animals. But I meant to thank you, not to preach to you; and again beg you to accept my thanks for your kindness in sending me your book.*" Fine content..... E. 400-500
- 54 **Henry Wadsworth Longfellow.** Three pieces, all in his hand, includes four lines from "Light of the Stars" written out and signed (1851), four lines from "Excelsior" written out and signed (1854), and "*Under a spreading chestnut tree/The village smithy stands/H.W.L. 1880*" with a sketch of tree in the same ink—quite possibly by Longfellow; accompanying this are an engraving and biographical entry removed from Appleton's, Fine lot E. 300-400
- 55 **Connie Mack.** Signature in pencil on unused Postal Telegraph answer blank, Fine E. 100-150
- 56 **William McKinley.** TNS, 1 page, dated June 25, 1896, small faults, still Fine E. 150-200
- 57 ☒ **Joan Miro.** Autograph ("*Miro!*") on cacheted First Day cover of France 1974 Miro stamp, Very Fine E. 150-200
- 58 **Grandma Moses.** Large signature on card illustrating her painting, "Black Horses" along with a note by a Mrs. F. Moses stating that the card, "*was about the last she signed,*" Fine..... E. 150-200
- 59 **Nadar.** French photographer. ALS, 3pp, dated 1858, with his letterhead reproducing his signature with title, PHOTOGRAPHIE ARTISTIQUE/PORTRAITS, REPRODUCTIONS, to a Monsieur Boule, regarding an account he had received from the photographer. The letter shows something of the irresponsible con man in Nadar, as he employs here a great deal of wit and charm to avoid discussing financial matters with his friend, "*clinging,*" as he says, "*to the happy situation I have created for myself,*" and leaving the question of money to his partners; in French, with translation, Fine and desirable.....(Photo) E. 400-500
- 60 **Samuel Nelson.** Associate Justice, U.S. Supreme Court, ALS ("*S. Nelson*"), 2pp, on stationery of Glen House in the White Mountains with illustration of hotel, to E.W. Stoughton, noted N.Y. attorney, regarding court papers left at his house, Very Fine E. 200-250
- 61 **Michel Ney.** Marshal of France under Napoleon, ANS, undated, in French, Fine E. 250-350
- 62 **Richard Nixon.** TLS ("*Dick*"), 1 page, dated Aug. 8, 1955, on Office of the Vice President stationery, to Virgil Pinkley, a newspaper editor, Very Fine. E. 150-200
- 63 ☒ **[Nathaniel Brown Palmer].** American explorer, envelope addressed to "*Capt. N.B. Palmer*" at Stonington Ct., Palmer discovered the mainland of Antarctica during a sealing expedition in 1820; Boston cds and uncommon "U.S./SHIP." hs, edge wear, still Fine..... E. 100-150
- 64° **John J. Pershing.** TLS, 1 page, dated June 27, 1918, from France, on A.E.F. Office of the Commander-in-Chief letterhead, to Mrs. J. H. Burrows expressing his sympathy on the death of her husband. Pershing credited Burrows, a Baptist Minister and Missouri Congressman, with starting him on his army career, bold signature, with original envelope, Fine..... E. 250-350
- 65° **James K. Polk.** ALS and ANS ("*J.K.P.*"), 1847, each written to the Secretary of War, on face of folded letter addressed to Polk as president, each being recommendations for promotion of soldiers who fought in the Mexican War, Fine pair.....(Photo) E. 500-600

To the Rev. J. Wesley Hill
with the regards of
Theodore Roosevelt
April 7th 1908.

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- 66 **Theodore Roosevelt.** ANS, dated Apr. 7, 1908, large bold signature on narrow card, Fine..... E. 300-400
- 67 **Franklin D. Roosevelt.** TLS, 1 page, dated Sep. 14, 1937, on White House stationery, to Governor Clyde Hoey of North Carolina, regarding Hoey's endorsement of a W.S. Creighton for appointment to the Interstate Commerce Comm., bold signature, Extremely Fine E. 200-250
- 68 **Wallis Simpson, Duchess of Windsor.** Bold signature ("Wallis Windsor") on 9 x 11½ in. full-length photo of her and her husband Edward (see lot 22), signed at bottom of image in blue ink which shows up well, corner crease at T.R. almost entirely in border, otherwise Very Fine E. 150-200
- 69 **Sixtus V. Pope.** LS, 1 page, dated 1585, to his treasurer, Monsignor Gnali, to settle a claim made by the illegitimate son of the nobleman Gregorio Peruschi against the estate of Camillo Persuchi, which had been left to the Apostolic See, in Italian, Fine E. 400-500
- 70 **Roger B. Taney.** American jurist (his most famous decision was in the Dred Scott case), ALS ("R.B. Taney"), 1 page, dated Aug. 16, 1836, to the Secretary of War, being a letter of introduction for David A. Barry, Fine E. 200-250
- 71 **Zachary Taylor.** Signature as Col. Commanding, on 1833 receipt, Fine..... (Photo) E. 300-400
- 72 **William Makepeace Thackeray.** ALS, 1 page, undated, apologizing for not noticing a RSVP at the top of a note, adding, "*You know when the note came that I was in my agonies, with the Doctor in the house.*" etc., ending the letter with pseudo-light verse disguised as prose: "*Shall I take the train at 1 from Waterloo, and may I come & dine and sleep with—no no, what was I going to say? - at Hamble cliff on that day?*" accompanied by CDV of the author; both pieces taped to matting by masking tape by a misguided framer, otherwise Fine E. 400-500
- 73° **Harry Truman.** TNS, dated Jan. 16, 1970, on his stationery, with original transmittal envelope with printed free frank, Very Fine E. 150-200
- 74 **Dwight William Tryon.** American landscape painter, ALS ("D.W. Tryon"), 1 page, dated Feb. 16, 1920, answering a request for an autograph, "*I hope you may be successful in making a good collection,*" and adding at bottom a small pen & ink sketch of a landscape, Very Fine..... E. 200-250
- 75 **Gene Tunney.** Large bold signature on full length photo of the boxer in suit & tie, relaxing in a chair, corner crease at top ending in small tear (virtually all in margin), far from signature, Fine E. 100-150
- 76 **[William Marcy Tweed].** 1852 letter from the Committee of the Common Council inviting Rev. Benjamin Haight to officiate at obsequies for the late Henry Clay, with secretarial signature of "Boss" Tweed—at this time an alderman on his climb to absolute power in New York City politics, Very Fine..... E. 75-100
- 77°⊗ **John Tyler.** Free frank ("J. Tyler") on undated folded cover addressed entirely in his hand to the editor of Southern Literary Messenger in Richmond, magenta ms. "Way", bold signature, Very Fine and attractive (Photo) E. 250-350
- 78 **John Tyler.** Virginia Governor and father of the President, printed letter signed, dated Feb. 3, 1810 at Richmond, originally accompanying the "*Proceedings of the Legislature of this State on a proposed Amendment of the Constitution of the United States*" etc., to the Governor of South Carolina, Very Fine..... E. 75-100
- 79° **[Victoria].** Envelope addressed "*To Her Most Gracious Majesty Queen Victoria*" from Verajendra Bahadur, ruler of a province of Southern India, with magnificent enclosure, 11 x 17⅜ in., showing gold crest letterhead and matching border, text in bold blue ink, requesting that the Queen take his son—who had recently adopted the Christian faith—into her care, Very Fine and choice, a beautiful piece, suitable for framing (Photo) E. 750-1,000
- 80 **Booker T. Washington.** TLS, 1 page, 8½ x 7⅜ in., dated Jan. 27, 1915, with Institute letterhead, accompanied by small photo and Artcraft FDC of the 1940 stamp, Fine..... E. 150-200

- 81 **Duke of Wellington.** ALS, 2pp, dated May 6, 1830, Fine E. 300-400
- 82 **Woodrow Wilson.** TLS, 1 page, dated Nov. 24, 1916 on White House stationery, to Governor Arthur Yager of Puerto Rico (who was a college classmate of Wilson): *"I thank you warmly for your kind message. A duty becomes a privilege when it is so generously rewarded with the confidence of the people."* In 1919 Yager inscribed and signed this letter for his secretary, Richard Van Deusen, Fine E. 250-350

AUTOGRAPH GROUP LOTS

- 83 ☒ **Autographs of Pilots.** Three flight covers, one with **Amelia Earhart** (1930), Orville Wright (1936), and 1931 cover for First Night Flights Transcontinental and Western Air signed by **Charles Lindbergh**, Hal George, P.J. Russell **Eddie Rickenbacker**, and others, Fine lot E. 500-750
- 84 ☒ **English Free Franks.** Group of 109, virtually all on fronts, majority 1820s-30s, various Lords and Earls, also 14 miscellaneous covers (mostly English stampless), mixed condition, Good-Fine E. 250-350
- 85° **Autographs and Ephemera.** Couple of hundred pieces, includes large group of free franks: Schuyler Colfax, Stephen Douglas, Wm. Gladstone, Horace Mann, Thaddeus Stevens, Charles Sumner, etc., also TLS of Hoover, signatures of P.T. Barnum, Admiral Nimitz, Eleanor Roosevelt, etc., ephemera includes 1830s "Postage Book," series of 1867-68 letters from alcoholic son in asylum, etc., Fine lot E. 400-500
- 86 **Autographs and Related.** Balance of a collection, 60+ items, includes document extending to Charles Carroll of Carrollton the same franking privileges enjoyed by ex-Presidents, 1868 impeachment ticket, a "short snorter" owned by Pat O'Brien, comprising paper money from all over the world taped together and signed by soldiers and sailors, etc., of World War II, also a Chinese bank note signed by Generals Stilwell and Merrell, LS of Clement XIV, large group of FDCs and related of various Royal families of the world (only the autographed items have been figured in the above count), group of clips attached to engravings including Richard Rush and Charles Sumner, card signed by William Beebe with watercolor of scarlet arrow worms, etc. An autographed photo of the wife of King Zog tops off this interesting lot, please view E. 400-500
- 87 **Autograph and Ephemera Balance.** Remnants of a scrapbook kept by the wife of Sen. Jerry C. South of North Carolina, includes TLS from William J. Bryan, signature of Calvin Coolidge as V.P., on Senate Chamber card, also various White House invitations and programs from Taft and Wilson administrations; most interesting is a group of sketches by Mrs. South of a murder trial; all mounted on aging scrap book pages E. 200-250
- 88 ☒ **Autographs.** Ten items, includes Chiang Kai-shek signature on stamp, Henry Clay and Edith K. Roosevelt free franks, various FDCS with signatures of Calvin Coolidge, David Ben Gurion, Herbert Hoover, Lyndon and Lady Bird Johnson, Franklin Roosevelt (on National Park set cover), Joseph Tito, also Dali signature on limited edition WFUNA First Day cover with cachet design by Dali, Very Fine lot E. 400-500

COLONIAL AND REVOLUTIONARY WAR

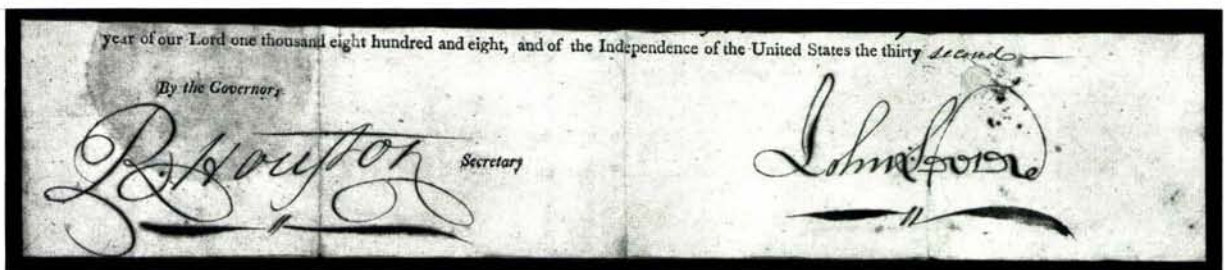
- 89 [Stamp Act]. ALS, 2pp, datelined "St. James Dec. 15, 1765," from **William Seymour Conway**, Aide de camp to King George III to **Cadwallader Colden**, Royal Lt. Governor of New York, expressing the unhappiness of His Majesty at the recent failures of Colden to uphold the Stamp Act: "His Majesty was extremely sensitive of the delicacy & difficulty of your situation & very willing to make every possible allowance & to suppose it owing more to necessity than want of firmness in you that the unjustifiable demands of the people met with so much compliance. The unanimous advice of the council & the concurrent opinion of the commander in chief of His Majesty's forces are a stronger justification of your surrendering the stamps to the majistrates than any assessment that suggests itself at this distance, but there is one circumstance in your conduct which neither His Majesty nor his servants can at all approve which is that you should upon any protestation have been induced to a declaration & promise of taking no step till Sir Henry Moore should arrive. It is not comprehended upon what principle you could take upon you thus to suspend the power of government till the arrival of the Governor—the power & authority of government was certainly fully & completely in your hands. . . You had no right to do & considering too that in the council of the 31st Oct. you had solemnly engaged to do your utmost for the observation of the act. It will require very strong reasons indeed to justify your engaging yourself within a few days after to do nothing toward the execution of that same act when a change of circumstances might make it practicable." etc. On Oct. 7, the Stamp Act Congress, made up of 28 delegates from nine colonies, met in New York. On Nov. 1, demonstrators had torched Colden's coach along with images of the governor and Satan, in addition to threatening to hang him from the nearest sign post. The next day the Lt. Governor had turned over the stamps to the New York common council; Very Fine, an important Revolutionary War related document E. 500-600



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- 90° ⊠ **George Washington**. Free frank as general, on folded cover to Rhode Island Governor Nicholas Cooke, reverse with straightline "PHILA. AUGUST 5" on back, 1777 docketing, small internally sealed tears, partly with recent scotch tape and partly with archival tape—neither affecting signature which is bold and Fine (Photo) E. 4,000-5,000

- 91 **Oliver Ellsworth.** DS ("O. Ellsworth"), signature on army pay order dated June 21, 1776, Fine E. 150-200
- 92 **Patrick Henry.** Signature ("P. Henry") as governor of Virginia, on 1782 vellum land grant, with intact seal, slight wear, toning along central fold, otherwise Fine(Photo) E. 1,000-1,500
- 93 **Jedediah Huntington.** Major General, signed "Huntington" as auditor on 1783 partially printed pay order issued by the Conn. Pay-Table Office, Fine E. 100-150
- 94 **Joshua Huntington.** ALS, 1 page, dated May 14, 1771, at Norwich, to his father **Jabez Huntington**, reporting the latest news including the illness of his brother **Jedediah**, with outer lettersheet indicating this was hand-carried to Hartford, Fine E. 100-150
- 95 **William Moultrie.** ALS ("Moultrie") 1½pp, dated May 28, 1792 at Charleston, as Governor of South Carolina, to a General Gist, mentions "The Mississippi will very soon be open," signature very slightly affected by ink on first page showing through, with outer address sheet (hand-carried) with small tear, Fine..... E. 250-350
- 96 **Timothy Pickering.** AD, 4 x 8 in., dated April 23, 1783, signed in text of a receipt for provisions, "Tim: Pickering" as Quartermaster General, Fine..... E. 100-150
- 97 **John Ross.** Merchant appointed by the committee of commerce of congress to purchase clothing & arms; friend of Washington and Ben Franklin. LS, 2pp, dated May 30, 1780 from the port of L'Orient, to Messrs. John Brown & Co. of Philadelphia, noting that "the amount of this invoice exceeds your remittance," a not infrequent problem for Ross, as noted in Appelton's entry: "he advance or pledged his credit for £20,000 more than he was supplied with by congress, much to his embarrassment and subsequent loss." With integral address leaf (hand-carried from France) and part-printed invoice, Very Fine E. 100-150
- 98 **Comfort Sage.** Revolutionary War colonel, ALS, 1 page, datelined Middletown Nov. 10th 1781, with integral address leaf (to Springfield, hand-carried), Fine E. 100-150



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- 99 **John Sevier.** Indian fighter, Revolutionary War figure, DS, as Governor of Tennessee, on 1808 land grant, some toned spots and tiny separations at folds, neither affecting signature, Fine and scarce(Photo) E. 1,000-1,500

- 100 ☒ **"Albany November 16th 1782."** Heading on folded letter from Gescard Bancher to the State Auditor at Wallkill, refers to accounts & vouchers left at Poughkeepsie and the *"irregular Manner we were formerly obliged to do business, in shifting from place to place,"* etc., outersheet with ms. "1/4" and "2.6" and *"Recd'd the above postage of I. Roosa"* with *"Jn.[?] Albny"*, some separations archivally sealed, otherwise neat and Fine..... E. 150-200
- 101 **[Revolutionary War].** ALS of W. Scull, probably Continental Army Captain William Scull, Dec. 9, 1776, to Owen Biddle, prominent Philadelphian, soliciting his support for Robert McBride to get a Continental Army commission, with outer address leaf (hand-carried), Fine E. 200-250
- 102 **[Revolutionary War].** ALS, 1 page, from John Pownall, head of the Colonial Board of Trade, at Whitehall, to Cadwallader Colden, Feb. 3, 1775, shortly before fighting began at Lexington and Concord: *"I avail myself of an express sent by Capt. Williamson to Talmount in hopes of overtaking the N. York Mail to send you the enclosed minutes of the proceedings in a committee of the House of Commons yesterday upon American Affairs: for I am persuaded it will be a satisfaction to every friend to the Constitution to see the very great support that has been given to the Measures adopted for maintaining the authority of the Supreme Legislature and for inviting at the same time such propositions from America as may lead to peace and accomodation which I firmly believe is the sincere and ardent desire of every English man. This address moved for and passed yesterday will be followed by another motion for a Bill to prohibit for a limited time all Trade and commerce between the New England Government and foreign ports—and cutting them off from the fishery—the Execution of that measure will be supported by a naval force."* etc. Pownall adds P.S. that a dispatch for **General Gage** being sent with this letter is to be forwarded to him *"by some safe & speedy conveyance."* Very Fine..... E. 150-200
- 103 **Letters to Cadwallader Colden.** 11, 1717-1775, includes letter from Daniel Horsemenden, Lord Chief Justice of the Colony of N.Y.; 1746 letter from a Richard Nicoll, which notes *"it was expected at home that Crown Point wd. be reduced by our troops so that the way be open to Montreal when the fleet & forces came over,"*; 1757 letter discussing recent Indian raids & steps being taken for protection of colonists; 1763 letter shortly before the Treaty of Paris: *"Let them look on the map & rejoice at a peace that has added such a length & breadth to our long narrow strip of colonies. . .In the next map we shall make so respectable a figure. We need not be ashamed of our conquests. Now our brave Brittons may extend their arms their industry on every side wthout fear."* etc.; Fine-Very Fine group E. 750-1,000
- 104 **[Revolutionary War].** Three pieces, includes two 1776 authorizations to pay **Post Riders** for services in delivering mail, 1st dated Feb. 22nd, signed on back the Post rider Elijah Bennett, 2nd dated Dec. 10, 1776, for *"carrying an Express from Govr. Trumbull to Govr. Cook in Providence"* and signed on back by the Post Rider, Samuel Kennedy, also 1777 legal notice from Rehoboth to Bristol, Fine lot E. 200-250
- 105 **[Revolutionary War].** 13 items, various documents, all dated during the war, includes 1777 note to be excused from jury duty from a wagoner *"engaged with my team to carry a Load of West Indies goods for use of the Continental Army"*, and 1779 R.I. order convicting Ibrook Eddy for *"uttering one profane oath and of uttering one profane curse,"* etc., generally Fine lot..... E. 250-350
- 106 **[South Carolina].** ALS by William Vaux, planter and merchant, 1½pp, datelined *"George Town South Carolina 9th Oct. 1779"*, with war news from the south, following a long paragraph on commercial doings. Vaux has reported the initial naval success of the French fleet under D'Estaing, but on the very day of his letter the allies failed badly in their attack on British held Savannah: *"Monsr. D'Estaing's Squadron of 25 Sail of the line & as many Frigates & 5000 Land Forces still remain before Georgia. The French Troops are Landed, and are co-operating with Genl. Lincoln's Army in besieging Savannah—the Garrison have by the last Accts. made a vigorous defense and seem determin'd to defend the place to the last extremety. His Britannick Majesties Ship the Experiment Sir James Wallace of 50 Guns after being dismasted in a gale of Wind, with the Ariel of 20 Guns Several Transports Store Ships & a number of other prizes have been taken by the Fleet of our Great & good Ally to the great joy of every true friend to America."* Very Fine E. 500-600

MILITARY, WESTERN AND INDIAN RELATED

- 107 [The Battle of San Jacinto]. Hand-carried Aug. 14. 1836 folded letter from Monticello, Miss., from a J.E. Calhoun to his wife, with word from New Orleans: *"St. Anna being taken is a fact as the report was confirmed by 3 or 4 arrivals. . the engagement was a fortunate one for the Texans. . 500 Mex fell & the Bal was taken prisoner while the loss on the Tex. side was about 7 killed & 20 wounded among the wounded was Houston slight I assume as he continued to command during the Battle which was very short about 10 minutes in which there was only 2 wounds Houston had two horses killed under him during the battle it was 2 or 3 days after the Battle before St. Anna was taken & then he was dressed in a common soldier's dress he has offered a treaty and to pay the expenses of the war which if ratified by the Mexican Government will close the War."* Fine E. 100-150
- 108 [Battle of New Orleans]. 2pp letter, 7¾ x 12½ in., from John Reid, aide to Andrew Jackson, to Maj. Abram Maury in Franklin, Tenn., he writes (in part): *"Yesterday the enemy made a dead set at us. Having, in the preceding nights, erected batteries greatly advanced towards ours, they opened them upon us, as soon as the fog cleared off in the morning, in a superior style of terror. Bombs, congreves, balls, shot & grape knocked every thing over our heads & tore up everything beneath our feet. Yet, our men, unaccustomed as they were to any such exhibitions, manifested no symptoms of alarm. On the contrary, believing that the mighty parade was the prelude to an assault upon our works, they looked forward to it with the utmost anxiety, & I even say, eagerness. It is stange how soon men may become transformed!!"* etc. He also mentions Jackson: *"The house in which the general lodges had, yesterday, 15 or 20 balls (18 & 24 pounders) through it. I am afraid the next attempt will knock down our slender mud wall,"* etc.; with outer address sheet postmarked New Orleans, the latter has ballpoint pen note added by a cretinous collector, not affecting letter which is Fine, very desirable military content, accompanied by a 2,700+ word tribute to Reid from a 1816 newspaper E. 300-400
- 109 ∞ "Cincinnati June 18th 1799." Dateline on 3pp folded letter from Jacob Burnet, Ohio Supreme Court judge and senator who nominated his friend William Henry Harrison for the presidency in 1839, to Elias Boudinot, Director of the Mint at Philadelphia, regarding real estate matters, outersheet with ms. "12½" rate deleted and "25" written in, no postmark but interesting endorsement at corner, *"Major Kingsbury"*, presumably Jacob Kinsbury, prominent Revolutionary War soldier who served in Wayne's Indian campaign, light toning and small tears, still Fine, rare early Northwest Territory cover E. 400-500
- 110 [The Creek War]. Folded letter to Andrew Jackson from Genl. Jno. Coffee, dated *"Tallushatche town 3rd Nov. 1813"*: *"Owing to a large creek to pass my march was impeded, until about one hour after sun rise, this morning. We reached the town on our approach the enemy was beating their drums, they met my advance with great violence when a sharp conflict ensued, which terminated in the destruction of the enemy, how many in number I am not yet able to say. I have lost several men killed and a number wounded, shall proceed in an hour to the ten Islands,"* etc. He adds in a P.S.: *"Since writing am told 135 killed have been found no doubt near 200 are killed."* Outer sheet with **docketing in the hand of Andrew Jackson**: *"Mjr John Head/franklin/action by/John Bradley/Deposit"*; age stains, top panel missing (not affecting text or docketing), desirable content. After the massacre at Fort Mimms in August 1813, Jackson took the field, determined to break the power of the Creek Nation..... E. 250-350
- 111 [Indians]. 1836 document from Columbus Miss., being a *"correct Abstract of Lands claimed by Choctaw Indians under the 14th Article of Choctaw treaty of 1836"* etc. and signed by Wm. Dowsing. The long list consists of names carefully written out phonetically (*"Ah she te tah," "Ish to mo ho ya,"* etc.), minor separations at folds, otherwise unusually fresh for this, Very Fine, interesting piece..... E. 100-150

- 112 ☒ **[Indians]**. Folded letter headed "Fort Butler N.C. July 18th, 1838" and postmarked "Athens Te. Jul. 20" and written to a Maj. Abe Miller in Rockford Ill., from his brother, who writes (in part): "*The Cherokees are to remain until Fall, and there (I believe) to be emigrated by John Ross their principal Chief. The Army will not have any thing to do with the emigration. The Indians gave themselves up without assistance, excepting perhaps two or three old squaws, who were a little troublesome but by the assistance of a couple of gentleman soldiers who offered an arm each to the ladies they gave up.*" etc. Fine, very rare "Trail of Tears" reference. The legendary Cherokee chief John Ross and his followers were persuaded to move further west when a force headed by General Scott appeared in Georgia, after Ross protested to the president of the United States that land taken in treaties had been obtained fraudulently. Miller's comment that the Army would have nothing to do with the emigration is false; the light-hearted image of "gentleman soldiers" offering an arm to "the ladies" was almost certainly a euphemism for some form of ungente persuasion E. 300-400
- 113 **[Indians]**. Five items, includes three CDVs incl. one identified as "Ute War Chief—Piah," also five page letter from Blackfeet Agency, Mont. on Indian Service stationery describing the problems and suffering of Indians there, and 1821 document, "Estimate of funds required for the agency Department of the Cherokee and Qupaw Indians in the Arkansas Territory," one CDV faulty, otherwise Fine and interesting lot E. 200-250
- 114 ☒ **[Florida Indian Wars]**. Folded letter datelined "St. Augustine Sep. 20th 1836:" from soldier who writes (in part): "*You ask a great many questions about the Indians &c. &c.—I have little to say with regard to the Indians except that it is highly probable that in a few months from this time the yellow rascals will be brought to terms. The Governor of the Territory who directs everything connected with the war is making great exertions to bring it to a speedy close. 800 friendly Creek Indians and 1200 Tennessee volunteers are to join the troops now in Florida. Operations will commence about the middle of November. . . You wish to know how far I am..from the scene of War. I answer directly in the midst of it—persons have been killed by the Indians. . . a man residing on the north side of Black Creek was murdered by a party of 7 or 8 Indians. The Indians shot his wife through the neck and arm scalped her or in fact skinned her head and then as she lay on the ground seemingly dead, the Indians took a bundle of raw cotton which was near at hand covered the woman over with it, and then set fire to it., her clothes took fire but the woman lay perfectly still—dead as the Indians supposed—in this situation they left her—as soon as the Indians were out of sight she soon went to a stream bathed her head and found her way finally to Jacksonville about 20 miles off. I believe the woman is still living.*" etc., Outersheet with partial Georgetown Wash. postmark; few sealed tears, Fine, outstanding letter E. 300-400
- 115 ☒ **Milton Latham**. Free frank as U.S. Senator from California, on cover to Capt. George Wallace, Salt Lake City, U.T. Wallace was formerly secretary to California's Governor Downey. The military presence in Utah is partly explained by periodic Indian problems, but the Lincoln administration also had serious doubts about the loyalty of Mormons to the Union. Latham himself was pro-Southern, but when it became clear that California was overwhelmingly loyal to the Union, he quickly amended his opinions; slightly reduced at R., still fresh and Very Fine, ex Grunin E. 200-250
- 116 **[Miner's Letter]**. 1 page letter from miner Wyatt Harris at Long Bar, Oct. 2, 1858. He writes (in part): "*I haven't been living at one particular place until now. . . working in a Blacksmith Shop, besides mining in a bank claim on the Yuba River. I have spent most of this summer rambling about in search of the new 'Eldorado of the north' I left California in June and got back in September from Fraser River. I was glad to get back to California, British America as far as I got acquainted with it, is a hard old Country Nothing but dense forrests and bleak rocks to be seen, and as for the gold on Fraser River is concerned I think it is a skace a trickle,*" etc., Fine E. 75-100

- 117° **[Oregon Territory]**. ALS, 2pp, from **Benjamin Stark** to his mother. Dated "Oregon Territory Portland Oct. 15th 1847," outer lettersheet with "New-York 5cts 6 May" (1848) cds indicating this was hand-carried and deposited upon arrival in New York. He writes (in part): *"In two weeks time I shall leave this country and return immediately to the United States, most probably by the way of China. An English vessel left here a short time ago, and I wrote you a long letter by her, to go across the Isthmus; perhaps you will have recd that before this come to hand. . . I have been very successful in my business and hope I have laid the foundation of my fortune."* etc., Fine, very early and rare letter which predates the creation of this territory by an Act of Congress, Aug. 14, 1848. One of the founders of Portland, Stark was a member of the territorial house of representatives, and during the Civil War was appointed a U.S. senator. Prior to his political career he engaged in trade with the Sandwich Islands, as alluded to in his letter..... E. 750-1,000
- 118 ☒ **Overland Mail, Via Los Angeles**. Illustrated railroad propaganda envelope, hand-carried to San Francisco, accompanied by two covers from Burlington Vt. with 10c Green, Ty. V (35), ms. endorsements, "Overland Los Angeles" and "Overland via St. Louis", small faults, Fine, scarce(Photo) E. 150-200
- 119° **William H. Russell**. DS ("Wm. H. Russell"), 2pp, 9 x 14 in., dated June 1860, this being an indemnifying bond, from Jackson County, Mo., all in ms., stating that three men are offering \$4,000 in securities to cover a \$2,000 sight draft issued by a Major Crossman at Camp Floyd, Utah Territory, that was lost in the U.S. mail. The document pledges that the financial obligation will be honored; signed on the second page by S.H. Woodson, Wm. H. Russell and Jacob Hall and witnessed by two others, clean and Fine, rare. A successful merchant and banker before forming several freighting partnerships, Russell—the "Napoleon of the West"—formed the Central Overland & Pikes Peak Express Co. in 1859. Only two months before this document was signed, he inaugurated the rapid mail service between California and the country east of the Rocky Mountains known as "The Pony Express." At a time when government mail service was slow, Russell offered a unique service: letters carried by a series of riders on horseback across the Central Route—1,966 miles in as few as eight days. Our 1994 Rarity Sale included a Russell free frank with a Running Pony marking which realized \$65,000, and while the marking obviously was a major factor in this price, Russell's signature is surprisingly difficult to obtain, particularly on a piece dated during the high watermark of his career.....(Photo) E. 3,000-5,000
- 120 ☒ **Salt Lake City Utah Feb.** Rimless datestamp, mostly clear strike on large Internal Revenue envelope with **1c Buff (112)** tied by fancy segmented cork cancel, used locally, assessor's signature at R. in purple ink, Fine, very scarce on an intact cover—the large majority of these covers have been either reduced or cut down into "on piece" examples..... E. 150-200
- 121 ☒ **Vancouver W.T. Sep. 20**. Three strikes ties 3c Dull Red (26) strip of three and single on cover to a Cadet John Adair at the U.S. Military Academy, West Point, apparently a 2c overpayment of the 10c rate, 1859 docketing on face, cover very skillfully repaired at right including tiny bit of rim of one cds, Very Fine appearance, rare.....(Photo) E. 300-400
- 122 ☒ **[War of 1812]**. Well-written three-page letter from a Samuel Preston, dated Nov. 22, 1812. Headed "Thoughts on the President's Message", he writes (in part): *"What are we to think the policy of the Executive Department in not furnishing the Indians with the blankets as bound to do by a Treaty of Peace—and reducing them to the necessity of resorting to Canada for support. Will the American treatment of the Indians bear the Character of Sacred to Humanity—have not the Americans also engaged the Indians at Buffalo. . . That the misfortune at Detroit raised the American Spirit any further than to show the immediate necessity of defending the harmless Women & Children on the Frontiers. We have no proof and it is generally considered to have the contrary effect on the Public Mind. . . What may be the success of the large Army now marching under Genl. Harrison time must determine."* etc. Outersheet with ms. "Mountpleasant November 22" and Paid 10", Fine and fascinating diatribe E. 200-250
- 123 **Brigham Young**. Signature on small piece, Fine E. 200-250

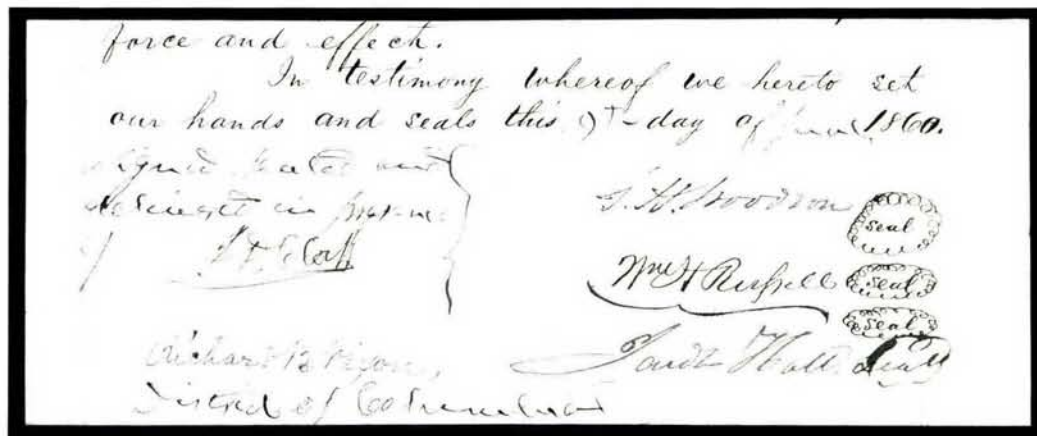


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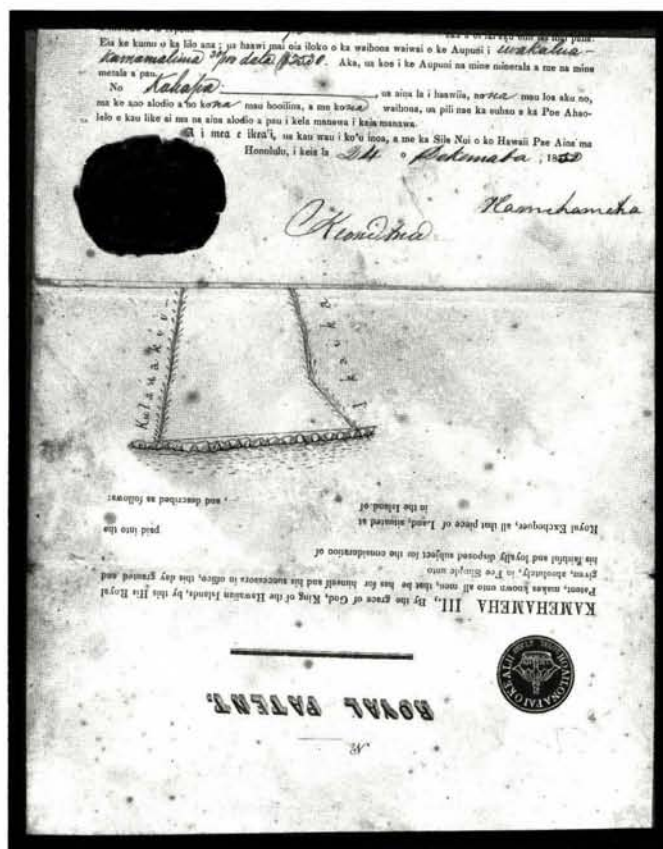
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SLAVE DOCUMENTS AND RELATED

- 124 [Slavery]. Remarkable pair of letters from a A.B.M. Thompson, a short-lived slave trader, one from Pittsburgh Pa., dated Nov. 2, 1860, other from St. Louis, Dec. 31st, both to his cousin in Cadiz, O.: ". . . I will kidnap some negroes and take them south and sell them ask him if he would not like to go in with me tell him he can meet me at Wheeling with some of the Cadiz Black rascals, tell him I say it would be doing them a gods service to sell them," etc. On the back is an amusing P.S. regarding Presidential candidate John Bell. The other letter reads (in part): "You can say to John Thompson that I lost money on them infernal Black rascals I took them down south and was asked where they were from I told them they were from Ohio and the moment I would say from Ohio they said they would not give me a good dinner for the whole lot the southerners say Ohio negroes are not good for anything but stealing and advised me to take them back to Ohio but I concluded after trying repeatedly to sell them south to take them to Chicago and sell them to the abolitionists after taking them there they wanted to know where they were from I told them from near Wheeling Va. they said they could not do anything with wheeling Va. negroes but they were from Harrison county Ohio they would give me a trade for them as they (the Abolitionists) wanted a few Harrison County negroes to help steal from Missouri Kentucky and Virginia Knowing that this (Chicago) was my last chance I was compelled to sell them to the narrow hearted Abolitionists who was so mean as to offer me one hundred dollars in Abolitionists speeches, which I was compelled to take losing their passage and other expenses I now propose sending the speeches to John Thompson for sale as that is my only chance to get my money back." Each with original envelope franked with 3c Dull Red (26)—first is all-over illustrated ad cover for hotel, letters in a bold attractive script, Very Fine, outstanding content E. 300-400
- 125 ☒ [Slavery]. 4pp letter dated Jan. 24, 1858, providing an account of slave masters on trial for a whipping a slave: "Tomorrow Ezra has a trial to attend. He's principal witness against a man for inhumanely whipping a slave. Some ladies came to his school room and begged him to interfere for they were whipping the poor woman to death. He climbed upon the fence of his yard and saw the whipping and went with the ladies with a complaint. The grand jury being in session got him indicted. After seeing the whipping with two officers who demanded to see the woman. I will not describe her appearance but the officer to her mistress that no person had right to use a dumb beast in that way. Her owner is a rich man, lives in a splendid house, has put off the trial three times. It will cost him some money if not his liberty for a while." etc., with original envelope—3c Dull Red (26) tied by "Saint Louis Mo. Jan. 27, 1858" cds, latter with small faults, Fine..... E. 150-200
- 126 [Texas Slavery]. 60 page hand-written court document dated 1848 regarding various suits and claims since 1840 against the estate of William Hall, including the sale and payment of nine slaves, listing them by name, age, relationship and value; with original wax seal and ribbon, Fine and interesting E. 300-400
- 127 **The Murder of a Free Negro.** Five pieces, includes 1860 Frederick County, Maryland court document describing at great length the stabbing of "Robert Bush, free negro" by Jacob Funk, who "did strike, stab, cut, thrust and divide, giving to the said Robert Bush then and then with the knife aforesaid, in and upon the right side of the said belly—of him the said Robert Bush, one mortal wound," etc., accompanied by Grand Jury decision, call for new trial and **pardon** in 1863 by the Maryland Secretary of State, Very Fine and choice E. 250-350
- 128 [Slavery]. Bill of sale dated 1814, from Cumberland Co., N.C., for two slaves, Benjamin aged 8 and Joshua aged 11, Fine E. 200-250
- 129 [Slavery]. 1820 bill of sale for one dollar, for "a negro girl named Hannah about twelve years old; to have & hold the sd. girl to said Mary Elias to her and her heirs forever," etc., Fine..... E. 150-200
- 130 [Slavery]. Rare printed anti-slavery letter, 2pp, headed, TO THE LIBERTY PARTY OF THE COUNTY OF MADISON, datelined Pittsburgh, Aug. 13, 1852, from Gerrit Smith, reporting on his impressions of abolitionists Charles Durkee, Gen. Paine of Wis., Lewis Tappan, Charles Francis Adams and others. Smith insisted that the convention should organize a political party "which should look after the political interests of all the people, white and black, male and female." etc., Very Fine E. 250-350

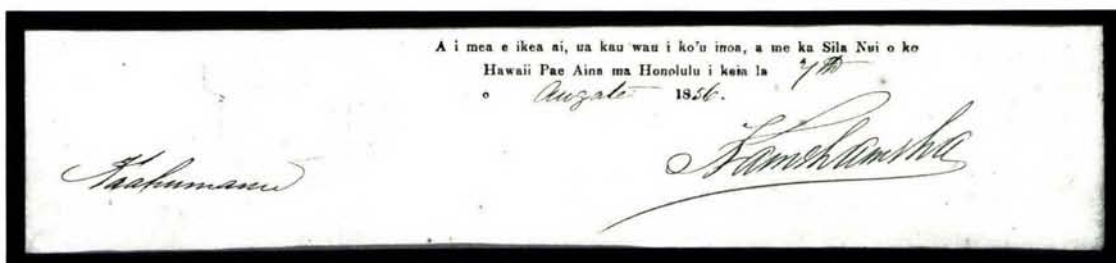
- 131 [Slavery]. Pamphlet, *The Gospel of Slavery: A Primer of Freedom* by Iron Gray (T.W. Strong, 1864), 26pp, illustrated, covers stained, fragile but a rare item E. 100-150
- 132 [Afro-American]. Head & shoulders portrait of pretty young woman in white gown, pastel on 15¾ x 20 in. cardboard, made from a 19th century photograph, on back is a 1914 dealer's handstamp, board cracked along right edge—matted, this would be mostly concealed—appealing piece E. 60-80
- 133 **Slave Documents and Related.** Nine items, includes receipt of payment for building "six negro quarters"; two receipts of \$10 & \$35 for "hunting runaway negro's"; two bills from doctor for visiting sick slave; 1849 petition against an estate, claiming ownership of slaves working on plantation; 1857 tax receipt for 24 slaves; rough draft of will bequeathing slaves, etc., Very Good-Very Fine lot..... E. 250-350

HAWAIIAN AUTOGRAPHS AND DOCUMENTS



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- 134° **Kamehameha III.** Signature on two-part Royal Patent in English and Hawaiian, dated December 24, 1852, additionally signed by Keoni Ana, for land given in Fee Simple, on the island of Hawaii, includes small sketch of area on English page which has been otherwise left blank, printed Royal Stamp in black and red wax seal, usual toning, still Fine, can be displayed to show all relevant portions (see photo), a rare and very desirable piece.....(Photo) E. 3,000-4,000



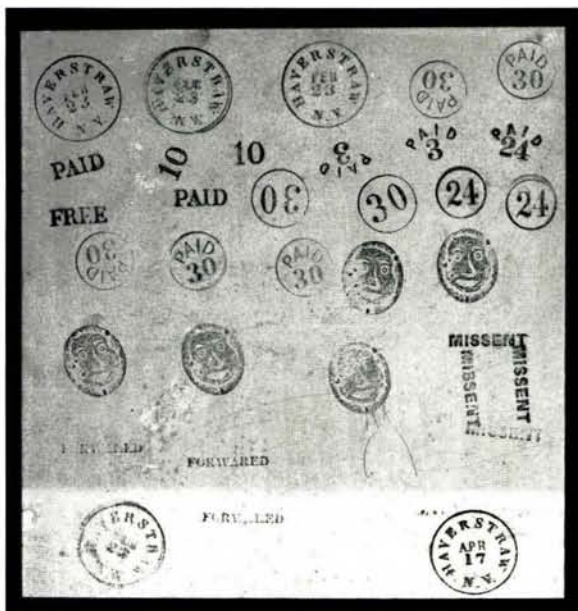
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- 135 **Kamehameha IV.** Signature on 1856 Kapaaluhi land grant deed, in Hawaiian, also signed by Kaahumanu as co-ruler, with clear embossed government seal and black printed royal stamp, few trivial toned spots, still Very Fine, rare..... (Photo) E. 2,500-3,000
- 136 **Kamehameha V.** Signature on 1866 Land Grant deed, in Hawaiian, with embossed seal and black royal Stamp, separated horizontally at one fold—should be archivally treated—but does not affect signature, otherwise Fine E. 1,500-2,000
- 137 **Sanford B. Dole.** Signature as President of the Republic of Hawaii, on Sept. 1, 1894 document (21 x 17 in.) appointing Theodore F. Lansing a member of the Board of Health, additionally signed by J.A. King as Minister of the Interior, William O. Smith as Attorney General, etc., with large blue seal, scattered toned spots, Fine, very early signature of Dole as President of the Republic E. 300-400
- 138 **Sanford B. Dole.** Typed document signed, 4pp being his Last Will & Testament, dated June 21, 1924, 3pp, signed on each page, with a codicil dated Sept. 12, 1924 and also signed; sheets with rust marks from paper clips, codicil with some aging and paper loss, none of this affecting Dole's signatures which are large and bold, Fine, a fascinating and important Hawaiian document, accompanied by biographical info and photo of the Officers of the Provisional Government in 1894..... E. 750-1,000
- 139 ☒ **[Advertising].** Illustrated lettersheet for the Hawaii and South Seas Curio Co. in Honolulu, in red, showing photo of very attractive nude girl, with typed May 8, 1911 contents regarding a shipment of 500 Tiger cowries, with original mailing envelope with 2c stamp tied by Honolulu flag cancel, illustrated corner card with a eclectic list of their specialties: Teco Pottery, "**Souvenir Postals**," Weapons, Russian art, etc., cover with small faults, Fine and scarce..... E. 150-200
- 140 **[Hawaii].** 1894 Republic of Hawaii citizenship document, signed by J.A. King for an H. Gumpfer from Germany, whose occupation, originally listed as "Baker" has been changed to "Soldier"; with original red seal, some toning at folds, Fine..... E. 300-400
- 141 **[Hawaii].** Two pieces, includes 1922 Milk License, with a year's worth of coupons and embossed red seal, also 1943 stock certificate for the City Finance & Mortgage Co. with U.S. revenues on receipt, Fine lot..... E. 200-250
- 142 **[Hawaii].** Five documents, 1918-1926, for sales of land on Maui, each with U.S. 50c Documentary (R238), Fine lot..... E. 300-400
- 143 **[Patent].** Copy of Royal Patent by Kamehameha IV with testimonial slip dated 1894 and signed by J.A. King, attached by Interior Dept. seal, Fine E. 400-500
- 144 **[Stock Certificate].** Pioneer Mill Co. stock certificate issued to E. Kamakee Fairchild and additionally signed by Mrs. Fairchild, with Hawaii revenue No. R3 strip of four, marked "Canceled" in red ink, receipt partly pasted over stamps as usual, Fine..... E. 250-350
- 145 **[Stock Certificate].** Two, from the Pioneer Mill Co., each dated July 1, 1900, first with strip of three of Hawaii No. R8 and U.S. revenues, stamps partly covered by receipt as usual, marked "canceled" in red crayon, other with R3 and R8 pair with U.S. revenues, stamps with gum stains from receipt (removed), Fine .. E. 400-500

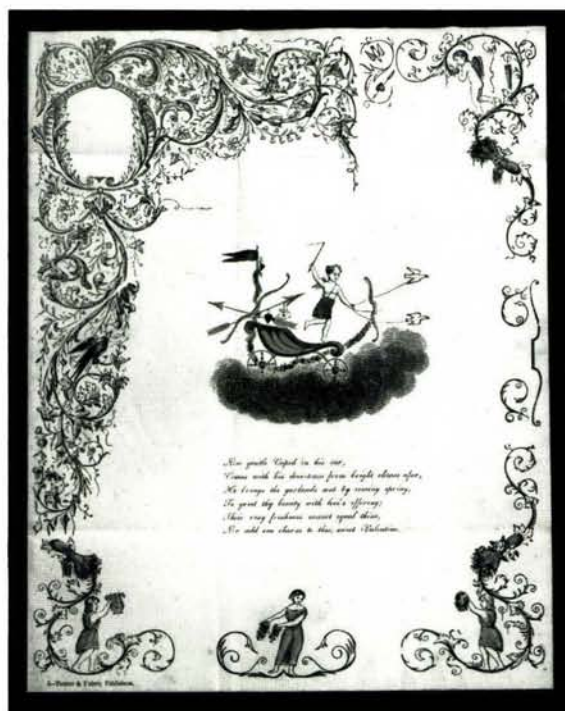
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- 146 **[Bank Notes]**. 44 pieces, includes Confederate notes, notes issued by the Independent Hungarian Government including uncut strip of three printed by Toppan, Carpenter, 1872 South Carolina \$5, \$10, \$20 & \$50 Revenue Bond Scrip in four sheets of 4, etc., also CSA 4% Registered Bond (unused), Fine lot..... E. 300-400
- 147 **[Billheads]**. 30 different, all illustrated, 1880s-1907, Fine lot..... E. 100-150
- 148 **[Broadside]**. 8 x 10 in., "To Passengers OUTWARD BOUND. Datelined "City and County Treasury, San Francisco, July 16th, 1858" notifying passengers that Passage Ticket stamps have been fraudulently re-used and instructing them to cancel stamps affixed to their tickets, Very Fine..... E. 100-150
- 149 **[Broadside]**s. Two, each with ship illustration, first is 1877, GRAND PICNIC EXCURSION TO CLEVELAND AND LAKE ERIE (6½ x 10¼ in.), other 1896, PUT-IN-BAY for a Cleveland-New York State round trip, first has nice woodcut of side-wheel steamer, last with wear along folds, Fine pair E. 100-150
- 150 **[Circus]**. The 1920s archive of John Pluta of the Globe Sale Co., a businessman who bought out or held stock in various circuses. The lot includes contracts, programs, photos, stationery (numerous multicolor examples from various circuses), telegrams, tickets, letters (many from Floyd King and other owners), financial statements, large group of route cards, a 1924 broadside for Cole Bros., a wholesale price list for monkeys, elephants, tigers, etc., all tied in with such names as Walter L. Main, Ringway's Wonderland Shows, Christy Bros., Harley Long's Blue Diamond Shows, Miller Bros. 101 Ranch Real Wild West, etc. Approx. 800 pieces, fascinating lot **(Photo Ex)** E. 2,000-2,500
- 151 **Claiborne County, Mississippi Papers**. Hundreds of pieces, all from the Gordon and Calhoun families, 1830s to the late 1860s (no CSA), mostly court papers and receipts including a large engraved letterhead of a New Orleans office, mostly Fine, interesting lot E. 300-400
- 152 **[Columbian Exposition]**. 13 pieces from the scrapbook of Wm. Curtis, including a letter of introduction from the Dept. of State, describing Curtis as "*the official representative at Washington of the World's Columbian Exposition,*" for the purpose of visiting Europe "*to secure if possible the loan of certain relics in connection with the discovery of America, for exhibition at the Chicago Exposition,*" etc. The lot also includes tickets, special passes and invitations, mostly Very Fine..... E. 300-400
- 153 **[Correspondence]**. 55+ letters from various correspondents to a Mrs. Burke in St. Louis, Mo., 1840s-60s, intelligently written with some interesting contents, Fine lot E. 100-150
- 154 **[Ephemera]**. Many hundreds of items in two boxes, everything from a Hollywood scrapbook to several Arizona Terr. sharpshooter certificates, also numerous interesting 19th century letters, a Model T instruction manual, scarce 1916 pamphlet, "THE CUSTER BATTLE" by White Eagle, photos, postcards, etc., very interesting lot E. 500-750
- 155 **[Ephemera]**. Many hundreds of pieces in three boxes, includes billheads, letterheads, broadsides (incl. a 1734 illustrated Italian piece), postal history, letters, an attractively decorated 18th century hand-made mathematics book, early 1800s hand-drawn map of Massachusetts, comic ad cards (DeWitt's Little Early Risers, Jas. Kirk & Co. Soap), engravings, autographs, books & periodicals including the famous 1946 "Hiroshima" issue of the *New Yorker*, etc. Fine, excellent lot E. 600-800
- 156 **[Ephemera]**. 170+ pieces, mostly unused coloring books and cut-out dolls books from the late 1940s-early 1950s—Roy Rogers, Howdy Doody, Tom Corbett Space Cadet, Blondie, Jaine Powell etc., also "The Jolly Jump-Ups Vacation Trip" Book with jump up sets of the Grand Canyon, Washington D.C., etc.—Very Fine..... E. 200-250

- 157 ☒ **[Hand-Drawn Lettersheet]**. 1845 stampless folded letter from England to New York, lettersheet with **watercolor of church**, contents filled with fervent religious advice and family news, wear at folds, still Fine, very pretty E. 250-350
- 158 ☒ **The McClintock Family Papers**. 105+ letters, 1829-1850. John McClintock was a prominent Methodist clergyman from Philadelphia, publishing numerous text-books, sermons, translations, etc. The letters are to & from family members and close friends, a number being long and personal: "*Poor Robert is a raving maniac, dreadful, dreadful, to think that my brother is confined in the madman's cell, he who, notwithstanding all his vicious propensities and bad traits of character, possessed many good qualities. . .there is not in our family, so far as I know, any hereditary tendency to mania, what then could have occasioned his derangement? has his mind lately been troubled about anything temporal, or spiritual. . .oh how much rather would I have heard of his death. . .poor miserable driveling idiot,*" etc. There are also comments on homeopathy, abolitionism, and an interesting description of an itinerant artist. A number of the letters were hand-carried but many have Philadelphia or Carlisle postmarks, Fine lot E. 250-350
- 159 **[Masonic]**. Sixth plate daguerreotype of bearded young man, with gilded **square & compass pin** on his shirt, ca. late 1840s, resealed, in whole case, scarce E. 75-100
- 160 **[Military]**. Sword/scabbard, by J.A. Joel & Co., N.Y., undated, attractively etched blade, scabbard shows wear and exposure to weather E. 100-150
- 161 **[Montana]**. Accumulation of approx. 170 photos, many mounted in large album containing **mining** images by an employee of the Big Metallic Mining Co. in the late 19th century, includes formal shots of equipment and buildings but also interesting images of miners, their families, several cyanotypes, etc. In addition there are a number of portraits with imprints of various Montana photographers, an intriguing picture of a primitive biplane with pilot, mechanics and onlookers, etc., pair of early auto portraits, also a second box containing numerous books and pamphlets including "The Charter and Ordinances of the City of Helena, Montana" (1890) and publications on parks, Indians, etc., also a wall map for Montana Territory, Fine lot, from a new find E. 400-500
- 162 **The Papers of William Henry King**. A wealthy Newport, R.I. businessman, King was confined to the McLean Insane Asylum from 1870 until his death. The many hundreds of items include letters, petitions, indentures, mortgages, deeds, receipts, etc. Before showing signs of schizophrenic behavior, he was a commission merchant in China in the 1840s—several interesting letters are present (these were used in 1897 as exhibits in a court case). There are also letters from women friends, business acquaintances and doctors. In the 1880s, King briefly found himself free of McLean, when a southern con artist, Eugenia Webster Ross, posed as his niece and obtained his release (her family's papers are the subject of Lot 151). Fascinating lot E. 300-400
- 163° **[Periodical]**. Vol. I, No. 1 of THE NEW YORKER, dated Feb. 21, 1925, light soiling to covers and some wear on spine as to be expected, Fine, a seldom offered rarity E. 600-800
- 164 **[Periodicals]**. 31 issues of MAD incl. several "Worst Of", 1960s, Fine lot.. E. 50-60
- 165 ☒ **[Philadelphia]**. Illustrated U.S. Post Office card celebrating mail service in the city of Philadelphia, 1787-1887, postmarked Sep. 15, 1887, Wm. Penn and post rider on face, locomotive and mail car on back, small creases, Fine and scarce.. E. 100-150
- 166 **[Photographs]**. 115 items, includes 17 daguerreotypes (nearly all sixth plate size), 15 ambrotypes, 16 tintypes and 68 CDVs, all U.S. photographers, many with children or infants, includes several holding toys, one dying infant (propped up at bottom of image by adult's hand), etc., a number of the first two groups in full cases, Fine lot E. 300-400
- 167 **[Photographs]**. 200+, includes CDVs, tintypes, cabinet photos, etc., all U.S., many with midwest imprints, mostly portraits including two Brady circus images, but includes nice photo of couple sitting on early motorcycle with Indian logo clearly displayed, etc., Fine lot..... E. 250-350



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- 168° [Postal History]. A unique sheet of paper, 9¼ x 12 in., created by the postmaster of Haverstraw, N.Y. (or one of his children), showing various cancelling devices of this post office including a circle date stamp struck six times, "Paid 30" in circle (five times), "Paid 24" in arc (twice), also "Free," "Paid," "Missent," "Forwarded," and most intriguing—a woodcut of a laughing face, never seen on a cover, but presumably meant as a fancy canceller. In addition there is a faint calligraphic drawing of a bird on front and back in blue pencil; accompanying this is a second sheet of paper, with two dates, 1851 and 1856, with the Haverstraw cds struck three times, Fine, this was from an original find in Rockland County by Ezra Cole (Photo) E. 500-600
- 169 [Railroad]. From the files of the New York, New Hampshire & Hartford R.R. Co., includes large group of blue prints of engines and motor cars ("Diagram Mikado Type Loc. with Superheater," Diesel Electric Locos," Sante Fe Type Loco," etc.) 1916-1951, also letters, pamphlets ("Bureau of Explosives—Tragedy Lurks!" etc.), charts, maps, etc., hundreds of pieces, Fine lot..... E. 1,500-2,000
- 170 [Spanish-American War]. Log book (8½ x 14 in.) of Chris Roesel of Brooklyn, who was on board the USS Gloucester from May 23, 1898 to Nov. 4th—164 entries in all. He was an eyewitness to the attack and capture of Santiago and recorded it in two lengthy entries. In 1948, at the age of 77, Roesel was featured in an article (included) in the Brooklyn Daily Press ("Spanish-American War's Key Battle Recorded by Richmond Hill Sailor") which shows a photo of him holding the ledger offered here..... E. 400-500
- 171 ✉ [Valentine]. Beautiful illustrated lettersheet by Turner & Fisher with hand-colored vignette of Cupid in his carriage being pulled by two doves, outersheet addressed "To the Beautiful Julia Joy At Levy's Fancy Staple Store" on Chestnut St., blue Philadelphia Pa. Feb. 13" cds, no rate expressed, ca. 1830s, Extremely Fine and choice (Photo) E. 250-350
- 172 [Verse Addresses]. Two, each with 3c Dull Red (26), one is Civil War Flag & Cannon patriotic ("Please put in mail & send this on/to Mr. S.B. Champion" etc.), other from Illinois ("Here is three cts, Uncle Sam, for that is the charge" etc.), some faults, Fine appearance..... E. 75-100

ILLUSTRATED LETTERSHEETS

- 173 [Chicago]. 15 different illustrated letterheads, turn of the century, Very Fine lot.... E. 100-150
- 174 ☒ [Cincinnati]. Two illustrated lettersheets, includes unused in black on blue with border of building vignettes (30 different) with map of city and central view showing river and city, steamboats, etc., other is 1860 love letter with letterhead of Burnet House, latter with mended tear not affecting design, other is Very Fine and choice, perfect frontispiece for Cincinnati postal history collection..... E. 150-200
- 175 ☒ **Correct Map of the Seat of War.** 9 1/8 x 11 1/4 in. lettersheet showing map by John Latourette of New Orleans, reverse with June 18, 1846 letter, semi-literate contents from New Jerseyite writing home, after returning from Texas, clear "Natchitoches La." cds with matching "Paid" hs and ms. "10" rate, wear at folds, still Fine, very rare.....(Photo) E. 500-600
- 176 [Cuba]. Four unused lettersheets, ca. 1840s, each different view of Havana, Very Fine..... E. 100-150
- 177 ☒ [Lettersheet]. Dec. 1851 blue folded letter from Philadelphia with illustrated letterhead, "*Canterbury from South Eastern Railway*" with early train in foreground, contents from man writing his wife, closing with "*I send you a handsome view of my native city,*"; *franked with 3c Experimental Orange Brown (11 var)*, Very Fine and rare.....(Photo) E. 200-250
- 178 ☒ [Lettersheet]. 1848 circular with illustrated letterhead for John L. Smith's Umbrella & Parasol Manufactory, red "New-York 3cts Mar. 28" cds on face, Very Fine and attractive E. 100-125
- 179 ☒ [Lettersheet]. 1849 folded letter from Grand St. Bernard, Switzerland to Boston, with **beautiful lithograph of Mont Blanc**, hand-carried to U.S. then mailed locally with red "Boston Mass. 3 Sep." cds, interesting contents from visitor tramping up and down Switzerland, includes comment on St. Bernard dogs: "*Some of them completely used up by Rheumatism by exposure in rendering assistance to winter travellers,*", etc., Fine and rare E. 150-200
- 180 ☒ [Lettersheet]. Large engraving, THE SALOONS OF THE PACKET SHIP "YORKSHIRE" with various vignettes surrounded by little nautical scenes, etc. on 1846 folded letter with red "Tarrytown N.Y. Jan. 26" cds and ms. "5" rate, Fine and rare (Photo) E. 150-200
- 181 ☒ [Medical]. Three page 1849 circular for the Graefenberg Co., a patent medicine company responsible for Consumptive's Balm, Marshall's Uterine Catholicon, Dysentery Syrup, Green Mountain Bitters, etc., filled with usual testimonials, outer-sheet with straightline "Morristown N.Y." in box and ms. "5" rate, Very Fine E. 100-150
- 182 [Montana]. 11 different illustrated letterheads giving nice cross section of life & business in turn of the century Montana, mostly business contents, Very Fine..... E. 150-200
- 183 **Ocean Penny Postage.** Illustrated lettersheet with 1854 contents by a Edmund Fry in London, Very Fine.....(Photo) E. 150-200
- 184 [Railroads]. 20 different illustrated lettersheets, each letterhead showing train, late 19th century, mostly business contents, Very Fine lot E. 400-500
- 185 [St. Louis]. Large printed lettersheet-style invitation: "*The Citizens of St. Louis Cordially invited you to be present at the Formal Opening by the President of the United States, of the Illinois and St. Louis Bridge on the fourth day of July 1874.*" First page with litho of bridge and oval portrait of engineer James Eads, second page with lits of committee members, etc., Very Fine(Photo) E. 150-200
- 186 [Schools]. Three illustrated lettersheets, includes 1850s Townsend Female Seminary with "West Townsend Mass." cds and matching "Paid" hs; 1849 College of the Holy Cross with Worcester Mass., cds; unused 2pp circular for Tuscarora Academy with very elaborate litho scene with horse-drawn coach in foreground, Very Fine lot E. 150-200



Tarry Town Jan. 25th 1846.



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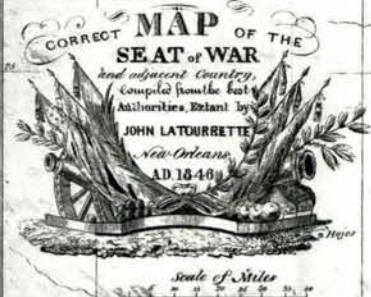
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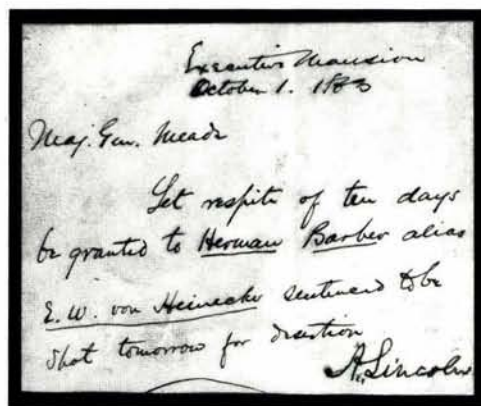
View from Lake Park, Chicago
Philadelphia Dec. 17. 1851

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- 187 ☒ [Stampless]. Very unusual 1835 rose-colored folded letter from the postmaster of Northampton Ms. to his granddaughter, **the contents having been set in various typefaces** for her enjoyment: "I promised to print a letter for you, because you are too young to read writing, and here it is, on paper of your own choice, tinged with the blushing rose." etc., magenta cds and postmaster's free frank on face, some tiny paper loss at folds not affecting letter, Fine and unique E. 150-200
- 188 ☒ [Lettersheets]. Three different, all from England to United States (postally used); includes 1840 "George's Dock Basin" with beautiful engraving showing busy harbor scene; 1841 "Canterbury" with ALS of Bishop George W. Doane and accompanied by ms. 1852 poem signed G.W.D.; 1852 "Nelson's Column Trafalgar Square", last is to Williamsburg, N.Y. with red "Br. Packet 24" exchange cds and interesting contents from armaments businessman being wine & dined by the Brits; Fine and scarce lot E. 200-250
- 189 [Lettersheets]. Seven different, all unused, mostly mid-19th century, includes Adams Express with National Bank Note engraving of steamship; Bird's eye view of Louisville; street map letterhead of Philadelphia; five scenes on one showing ocean steamer, Phila. R.R. & canal, NYC coat of arms, etc., Fine lot E. 100-150
- 190 [Lettersheets]. 16 different illustrated letterheads, includes American Express Co. with train vignette and facsimile contents & signature by future Union General **Daniel Butterfield**; 1847 large schooner woodcut from Oswego, N.Y. (cds on face); 1839 steam tow-boat from Philadelphia (cds on face); beautiful certificate for the First Baptist Mariner's Church with sailors witnessing baptism; etc., mostly Very Fine, very attractive lot E. 500-600
- 191 [Letterheads]. 30 different, all illustrating American job printing, 1834-1927, many are multicolor including great group of art nouveau style, Very Fine and choice E. 750-1,000

THE CIVIL WAR

ABRAHAM LINCOLN

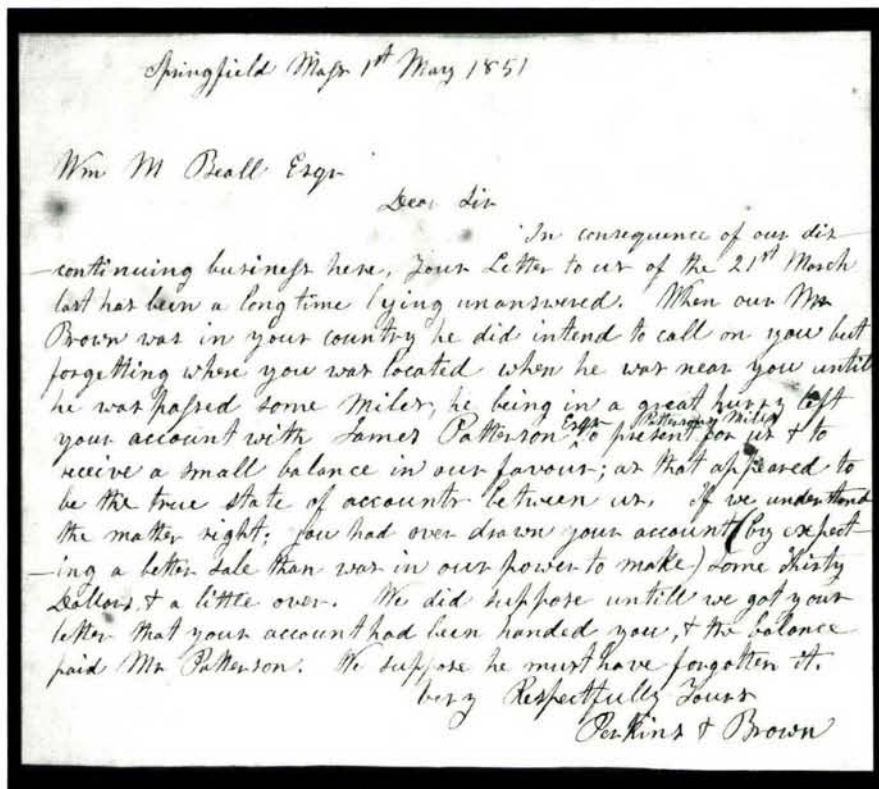


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- 192° **Abraham Lincoln**. LS ("A. Lincoln"), datelined "Executive Mansion October 1, 1863" to **Maj. Genl. Meade**: "Let respite of ten days be granted to Herman Barber alias E.W. von Heinecke sentenced to be shot tomorrow for desertion." Written in the hand of John Hay, Lincoln's private secretary, this letter appears in the Collected Works (Vol. VI, pages 491-92). At one time the piece contained the words, "Major Eckert: Send by telegraph at once." at bottom and was trimmed off at an unknown date; paper thinned at upper corners not affecting text, Fine (Photo) E. 6,000-8,000
- 193° ☒ **Abraham Lincoln**. Free frank as President ("A. Lincoln") on cover addressed **in the hand of Mary Lincoln** to a Mrs. Fanny Barrow, Dec. 1864 docketing at L.: "Mrs. President Lincoln", partial Washington cds with integral "Free", cover originally opened along top and right and very skillfully repaired—not affecting signature which is Fine (Photo) E. 4,000-5,000



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- 194° **[Lincoln]**. Negative design with field of stars, used at Albany, N.Y., struck twice, tying 3c Rose (65) vertical pair on small piece, paper with trivial toning at far right, cancels Extremely Fine and bold example of this famous mourning cancel, almost never seen in a multiple(Photo) E. 300-500
- 195 **[Abraham Lincoln]**. Four pressed & dried myrtle leaves taken from the coffin of the President, includes 3pp letter from B.F. Foster writing from Indianapolis on May 16, 1865, to his cousin. After discussing the capture of Jeff Davis, he writes in a P.S.: "*I send you a few myrtle Leaves which I took from President Lincoln's coffin. It is a small memento. I had charge of the decorations in the State House the day his remains were there.*" Letter with some small separations archivally sealed, Fine and interesting Lincoln souvenir..... E. 500-600
- 196 **Robert Todd Lincoln**. Signature "*R.T. Lincoln*" as Minister to Great Britain, on large "Legation of the United States at London" envelope and addressed, "*Special Passport for the Hon. William E. Curtis of the Department of State, Washington, bearing Despatches to the United States Minister at Madrid.*" all in his hand, with red wax legation seal on flap, Extremely Fine and choice E. 400-500

UNION NOTABLES

- 197° **Clara Barton**. ALS, 1 page (5¼ x 6¼ in.), dated July 14, 1911, to Mrs. Alice Keyes of the Deborah Sampson Chapter of the D.A.R., dark writing on fresh paper, Very Fine..... E. 350-450
- 198° **Edward Bates**. Attorney General. ALS, 1 page, on his stationery, dated Oct. 2, 1863 to **President Lincoln**, pertaining to the promotion of Brig. Genl. J.W. Davidson, referring to his "*brilliant & successful*" activities in Arkansas, Very Fine. Bates was the first cabinet official ever appointed from west of the Mississippi. He resigned in November 1864..... E. 500-600
- 199° **Montgomery Blair**. Signature as Postmaster General on Apr. 3, 1861 postmaster appointment at Ashburnham, Fine E. 250-350
- 200° **John Brown**. Two ALSs, one on each side of the same paper, dated May 1851 and signed "*Perkins & Brown.*" They are representative of John Brown's legal and financial troubles from the days before he became an abolition insurrection leader. At the time Brown was in business with his partner Simon Perkins, running Perkins & Brown, a firm created for the sale of wool here and abroad. After some initial success, it began to collapse as Perkins and Brown began to have trouble collecting and making payments. Perkin's son blamed the failure on Brown's being "impractical" and "obstinate." It was during this time that he became deeply involved with the underground railroad. In these letters, the firm attempts to recoup some of the money owed them. The first letter: "*. . . you had over drawn your account (by expecting a better sale than was in our power to make.)*" In the second letter, to a Sarah Brown, he says: "*If you think best to discontinue the suit do so, & get all you can out of Pickergill & Co., in the way of compromise.*" Fine.....(Photo) E. 2,500-3,000

Capri 21 March 1861

My dear General Scott

I am proud and grateful of your
letter - commending Mr Robertson - I
with no alteration in the integrity of my adop-
-tive country the great Republic - and I
am your friend

G. Garibaldi

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From the President of the United States.

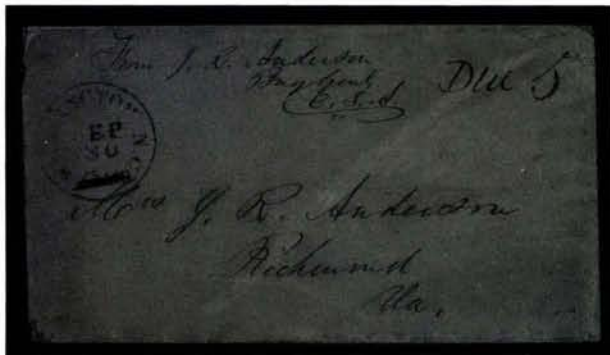


W. A. Brown
~~Private Secretary~~

Gen. W. A. Richardson
Aft. Sec. of the Treas.
Washington
D. C.

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- 201 **George Cadwalader.** Union General. ALS, 1 page, dated Sept. 6, 1873, to the Executive Committee, Society of the Army of the Cumberland, including General James S. Negley, regretting that he cannot attend a meeting in Pittsburgh, as he has "a previous engagement to meet the surviving officers of the Army & Navy during the War with Mexico," in New York, Very Fine, with engraving E. 150-200
- 202° **Samuel P. Chase.** LS, 1 page, dated May 3, 1864, on Treasury Dept. stationery, to a Henry Bowen: "Should I be in New York it will give me great pleasure to attend the Congregational Reunion on the 12th of May. It is very uncertain, however, whether I shall be able to leave the city at that time. If I should happen to be present, I should very much prefer to be a listener and not a speaker." Fine E. 250-350
- 203° **Giuseppe Garibaldi.** Italian Nationalist Leader and patriot. ALS, 1 page (8¼ x 5¼ in.) dated March 21, 1861, to **General Winfield Scott:** "My dear General Scott: I am proud and grateful of your letter—commending Mr. Robertson—I wish no alteration in the integrity of my adoptive country the great Republic—and I am your friend G. Garibaldi"; accompanied by Italian cover from La Maddalena, addressed to "General Winfield Scott/Head quarters United States Army/New York", received at New York Apr. 22nd; letter with small separation at left fold, cover with one stamp missing, Fine, a very desirable and unusual Civil War-related letter—one patriot's heartfelt note to another—in transit as the Civil War began to unfold (Photo) E. 2,000-2,500
- 204° **Ulysses S. Grant.** Signature as President ("U.S. Grant") on part-printed envelope, "From the President of the United States" in Long Branch, N.J. (his summer residence) to Hon. W.A. Richardson, Asst. Sec. of the Treasury, addressed entirely in his hand, cover with small stain at B.L., far from signature and address, Fine and attractive usage (Photo) E. 750-1,000
- 205° **George B. McClellan.** LS, 1 page, dated Aug. 2, 1861, to Lt. Col. Edward D. Townsend, assist. adj. general to Winfield Scott: "... 1st Lt. N.B. Switzer 1st Dragoons, and 1st Lieut. F.C. Armstrong 2d Dragoons be ordered to report to me for duty at as early a day as possible. I desire to appoint them my Aids Dep Camp, their services in that capacity are very much needed at present." Bold signature, "Geo. B. McClellan Maj. Genl. USA," tipped to sheet, fresh and Very Fine (Photo) E. 1,300-1,500
- 206° **Hugh McCulloch.** Secretary of the Treasury, ALS, 1 page, dated June 9, 1868 on Treasury Dept. stationery, regarding bonds and notes conversions, Very Fine E. 100-150
- 207 **Nelson A. Miles.** Signature as Col. of the 5th Infantry, approving 1877 request for furlough, also signed by **Alfred Terry**, Brig. Genl. Commanding, and **Geo. D. Ruggles**, Fine E. 200-250
- 208° **James D. Morgan.** Union General. ALS, 1 page, dated Quincy (Ill.) Aug. 20, 1870, replying to a request for information on his various promotions in the war, Fine E. 75-100
- 209° **Andrew Porter.** Union General. LS, 1 page (7¾ x 9⅞ in.), dated Apr. 9, 1862, granting a safeguard "to the House property & Family of William B. Martin of York County Va.," etc., Signed with rank, accompanying this is Mr. Martin's promise that "I will not take up arms against the Government of the United States, or give aid or information to the Enemies," etc.; Porter letter signed with rank, small toned spot below signature, not affecting it, Fine E. 600-800
- 210 **Carl Schurz.** Union General. ALS ("C. Schurz"), 1 page, with signature and two lines on second page, on Dept. of Interior stationery, dated Dec. 1, 1879, to the Governor of Missouri regarding a recommendation for the marshalship in St. Louis, accompanied by a CDV of the general in uniform, Fine E. 150-200
- 211° **William H. Seward.** ALS, 1 page, dated May 20, 1866 on Dept. of State stationery, complying "very cheerfully with the courteous request made in your letter"; some staining at bottom far from text and signature and faint toned area (also not affecting signature), Fine E. 100-150



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with you are - I think his life is deep
 he the doctors will not fix a time
 when he can be moved to a Super
 Clinician. I will be here all of August
 but in September & Oct will be kept
 on the run, by my meetings and other
 engagements. Extending from New England
 to Chattanooga & out to St Louis -
 Next Spring I must go to Texas &
 California again. Of course we will
 be glad to have you back at your
 home again. but do try to shake off
 that gloom which will haunt you.
 and is no longer justified by your
 situation. Everything about you however
 is just as you left it, and when you
 do better it tomorrow you would hardly
 think you had been across the ocean
 but for me by love. And except as much
 as you please for me. for I really want
 you to be happy & contented. Love
 J. R. Anderson

212 (detail)

Postmaster
 Division of the Postoffice
 August 2, 1861

Colonel

I have the honor respectfully to request
 that 1st Lt. A. B. Smith 1st Kentucky, and 1st Lt. W. C.
 Amshurst 2nd Kentucky be ordered to report to me for
 duty at as early a day as possible. I desire to appoint
 them my Aides de Camp. Their services in that capacity
 are very much needed at present.

I am Sir
 Very Respectfully
 Yours G. B. Hunt

Col. C. D. Townsend
 Asst. Adj. General
 N. 2nd of the Army
 Washington D. C.

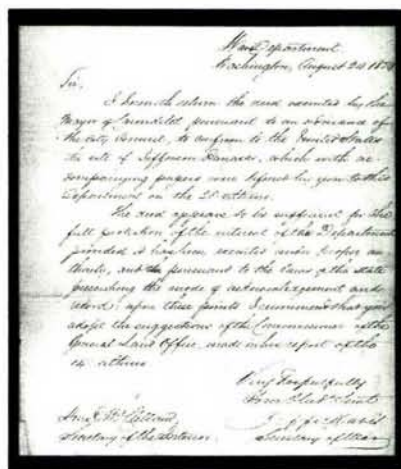
G. M. Allen
 Maj. Gen. U. S. A.

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- 212° **William T. Sherman.** ALS, 4pp (5 x 8 in.), dated July 30, 1881, to Mary Audenreid, widow of his aide-de-camp Joseph Audenreid. Sherman describes the dying condition of President Garfield, who had been shot by Charles Guiteau just four weeks before: ". . . Washington is dull enough now, the more so because the President still lies on his bed of pain & anguish—Think of his Case & Contrast it with your own—I think his life is safe but the Doctors will not fix a time when he can be moved to a safer climate." Sherman encourages Mrs. Audenreid, whose husband had died in June, 1880, to get on with her life and stop wallowing in gloom: "I will not reproach you, for I know you have a loving heart and many noble traits, but as I told you of this you possess something that needs correction. You are not alone, hundreds of good people follow you in their thoughts and would minister to your happiness if you would give them a chance but. . . you will not believe me." etc. Fresh and Fine(Photo) E. 2,000-2,500
- 213 **Edwin Stanton.** ALS, 1 page, dated Dec. 6, 1848, to a Genl. Stokely regarding ownership of the Cleveland Bank Claim, ending, "It would gratify me to render you any service in my power." Fine E. 200-250
- 214 **Charles Sumner.** ANS, dated Mar. 27, 1865 at Washington: "I hope Mr. Phelan may be appointed. Charles Sumner", Fine E. 75-100
- 215° **Joseph Gilbert Totten.** Union Brig. Genl. DS as breveted Brigadier General, dated Feb. 9, 1860, Engineer Dept. letterhead, informing the Hon. J. M. Beale that the 14th Congressional Dist. "will be entitled to a Cadet appointment," Very Fine..... E. 100-150

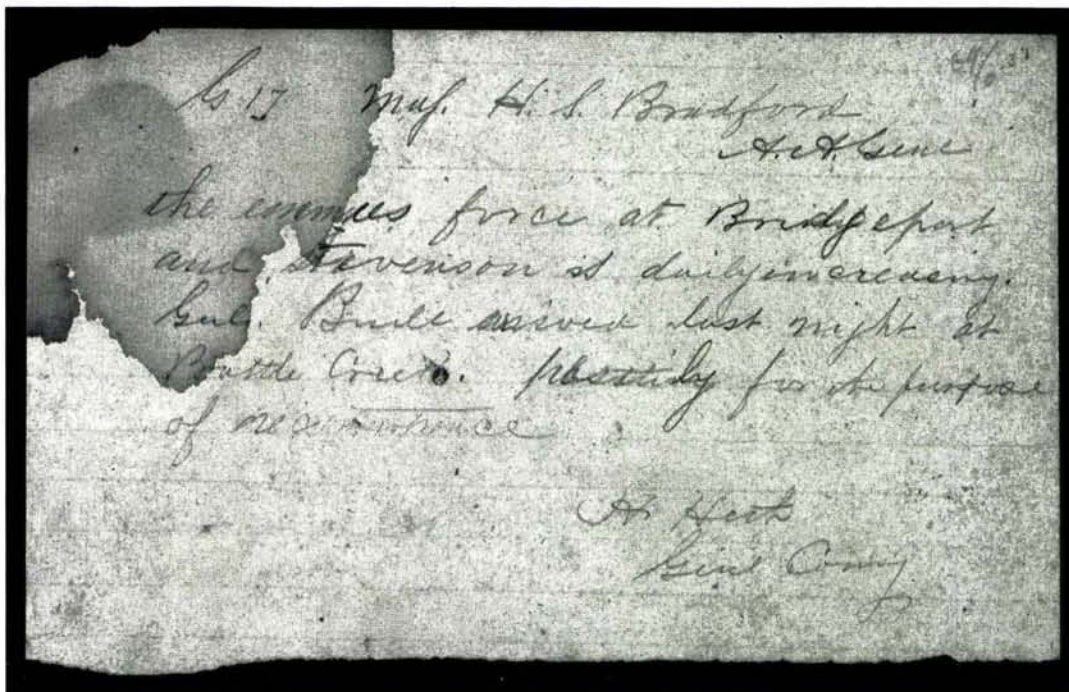
CONFEDERATE NOTABLES

- 216° ⊠ **Joseph R. Anderson.** Signature, with rank on orange cover to his wife in Richmond: "From J.R. Anderson/Brig. Genl./C.S.A." and addressed in his hand, "Mrs. J.R. Anderson"—giving us a second signature, ms. "Due 5" at R., clear "Wilmington N.C. Sep. 30" cds with integral "5 Paid" deleted in ms., penciled "1861," edge wear and corner nick at B.L., Fine, desirable example of a field cover, mailed shortly after Anderson was commissioned brigadier general.....(Photo) E. 500-600
- 217° **Robert Houston Anderson.** Confederate General, signature, with rank, on back of a Alabama soldier's letter, who has requested a transfer, two days before Lee's surrender: "I have the honor to ask among you. . . for a Transfer to Capt -'s Co. K 8th Confederate Regt. . . Not that I am displeased with my present officers but for the following reasons. . . I have a Brother-in-Law belonging to the Company & Regt. to which I ask to be transferred . . ." etc. On the verso, various lower officers have endorsed the proposal and Anderson has signed his name to an endorsement, "Approved and respectfully forwarded." Fine, a rare late request E. 500-600
- 218° **Simon B. Buckner.** Signature as Governor, on Justice of the Peace document, with seal, dated 1889, fresh, Fine E. 200-250
- 219 ⊠ **Howell Cobb.** Three pieces, includes 3c Red Star Die entire (U26) addressed to Cobb as "Prsdt. Southern Congress Montgomery, Ala." with "Augusta Ga. Feb. 12" cds, Lincoln's birthday and exactly one year before Cobb was appointed brigadier general, accompanied by a second cover, same date, from **Rome, Ga.**, with same address, also a **free frank** on 1856 cover from Washington, Fine lot, covers addressed to Cobb in this capacity are rare—among the large number of Cobb covers in the Underwood collection, these were the only examples.....(Photo) E. 300-400
- 220 **William Robert Cobb.** C.S.A. House of Rep. but expelled before serving when his loyalty was questioned; killed by the accidental discharge of his own revolver, Nov. 1864. ALS ("Cobb Ala.", one page, dated Dec. 23, 1858, from the House of Representatives, with interesting P.S.: "A delegation of the Delaware Indians has been invited here by the Comm. of Ind. Affairs and is expected if they should trade their lands you shall be advised." Fine..... E. 75-100



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- 221° **Jefferson Davis.** LS, 1 page (7 $\frac{7}{8}$ x 9 $\frac{3}{4}$ in.), dated Aug. 24, 1854, as Secretary of War to R.W. Clelland, Secretary of the Interior, returning the land deed confirming **site of Jefferson Barracks**, noting, "The deed appears to be sufficient for the full protection of the interest of the Department,"; file notes and docketing on back by Clelland, Fine (Photo) E. 1,500-2,000



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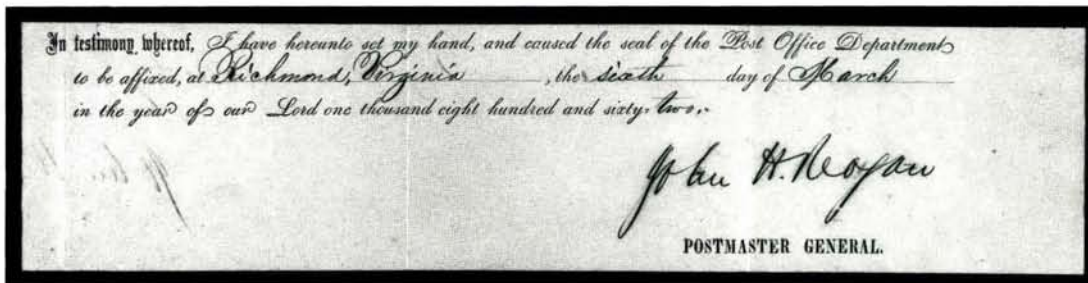
- 222° **Henry Heth.** ANS, 1 page, being an undated field dispatch (1862 campaign), 6 $\frac{3}{4}$ x 4 $\frac{1}{8}$ in., to Maj. Bradford on Genl. McCowen's staff: "the enemies force at Bridgeport and Stevenson is daily increasing. Genl. Buell arrived last night at Battle Creek hastily for the purpose of resistance. H. Heth Genl. Comg.", stain at top left, slightly affecting text but far from signature, still Fine, very scarce (Photo) E. 1,000-1,500

- 223 **Henry Heth.** Signature ("H. Heth") as Major General on part-printed "Certificate Recommending Extension of Furlough" dated Mar. 7, 1865, also includes **ANS of William S. Walker** as Brig. Genl., signature of Brig. Genl. **Joseph R. Davis**, and final note, "Approved By order of Gen. Lee C.S. Venable", the Davis signature is defective (some paper loss at fold) and Heth signature is light, but still a desirable piece, recently discovered E. 400-500
- 224° **George Washington Custis Lee.** Signature as Trustee on 1873 Washington & Lee University diploma, also signed by **John Echols** and **William T. Poague**, among others, large red seal, fold passing between "G." & "W." of Lee's signature, Fine....
..... E. 500-600



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- 225° **Robert E. Lee.** Large bold signature on card (cut to octagon shape), Fine example(Photo) E. 3,000-3,500
- 226 **Francis R. Lubbock.** Confederate Governor of Texas. DS ("F.R. Lubbock"), dated Oct. 3, 1862, certifying the election of W.H. Andrews as District Attorney, with fancy Executive Dept. heading, Fine, bold signature..... E. 150-200
- 227 **John L. Peyton.** Agent for North Carolina in Europe. He was on the *Nashville* when she captured the *Harvey Birch*. ALS, 3pp, dated Oct. 1873, to a friend in Va., Fine .
..... E. 75-100



228 (detail)

- 228 **John H. Reagan.** Postmaster General of the Confederacy, bold signature on 1862 postmaster appointment (14 x 8½ in.) for Robert A. Smith at Berry's Mills, Ga., accompanied by small printed slip signed by B.N. Clements, "I have the pleasure, herewith, to forward your commission," blind embossed seal at left, bright and Very Fine, remarkably choice example.....(Photo) E. 750-1,000
- 229 ☒ **Alexander Stephens.** Four covers, includes free frank (1844) from Newnan Ga.; handstamped free frank on Cong. Record cover (no date); cover with uncanceled 3c Rose (65) addressed to Stephens at Fort Warren as post-war prisoner; hand-carried **Stephen Douglas campaign cover** to Stephens at Savannah with his comment on back "Toombs speech about Douglas etc. I might quote." Some faults, though P.O.W. cover is immaculate and Very Fine, very interesting lot E. 200-250

This Album
is the sacred repository of a few contributions original
and selected by some of my college companions while a
student at Emory & Henry College Virginia, as pledges of
their esteem when the owner left its halls to enter the
Military Academy at West Point N.Y. in 1850. Since that
time it has not been used exclusively as an ~~album~~ album
but as a sketch book, and a place for jotting down some
of the offspring of his own pen suggested by different
circumstances and occasions, and also the receptacle of
a few selections, suiting his fancy. As such it is a book
private in its character and personal in its object. As it
has followed me wherever I have gone since 1850, my
companion in scouts on the Northwestern frontier of Texas.
In one of which it narrowly escaped being burnt, as the
valise in which I kept it and all my clothes were consumed
by the Prairie's catching on fire. I have deemed it proper
to write this preface in order that should the book ever
fall in others hands, its ownership might be known and
its character not misunderstood.

Camp Stuart Texas.
July 17th 1855

H. N. Stuart.
Lieut. U. S. A.

THE PERSONAL ALBUM OF J. E. B. STUART

230°

The Album of J.E.B. Stuart. 8vo (6½ x 7½ in.). Published by J.C. Riker, printed title page "ALBUM" with engraving by A.L. Dick and nine illustrations, hand-colored or black & white (including two with embellishments in pen and ink by Stuart himself), original brownish black boards, leather spine with design of woman, edges gilt; covers with edge wear and some loss to spine at top, pages showing small scorch marks at bottom to varying degrees (see preface)

THE GENERAL'S PRIVATE ALBUM, CONTAINING 34 ORIGINAL POEMS WRITTEN IN HIS YOUTH.

All in Stuart's hand (32 signed "J.E.B.", one in full, one unsigned), with a wonderful preface, "*This Album*" datelined "Camp Stuart Texas Feby. 17th 1855" and which reads (in full): "*This album is the sacred repository of a few contributions original and selected by some of my college companions while a student at Emory & Henry College Virginia, as pledges of their esteem when the owner left its halls to enter the Military Academy at West Point N.Y. in 1850. Since that time it has not been used exclusively as an album but as sketch book, and a place for jotting down some of the offspring of his own pen suggested by different circumstances and occasions, and also the receptacle of a few selections, suiting his fancy. As such it is a book private in its character and personal in its object. As it has followed me wherever I have gone since 1850, my companion in Scouts on the Northwestern frontier of Texas, in one of which it narrowly escaped being burnt, as the valise in which I kept it and all my clothes were consumed by the Prairie's catching on fire. I have deemed it proper to write this preface in order that should the book ever fall in others' hands, its ownership might be known and its character not misunderstood. J.E.B. Stuart Lieut. R.M.R.*" Stuart's poems are typical of a college-educated young man—effusive, melancholy, and filled with the usual archaic diction, but his occasional use of military imagery and the numerous references to the women in his life make these something more than of just passing interest to today's readers. Titles include "A Prayer," "To -" (An acrostic which spells out the name of Mary Custis Lee), "The Mesmeriser" ("Respectfully dedicated to Miss Minnie B. of West Point"), "Lines in Answer to a Valentine supposed to be written by Miss Agnes L.", "The Advent of Furlough," "Lines Written on Leaving the States for Texas," "To Miss Mary Joyner Kerr of N. Carolina," "The Dream of Youth (To his Sister Victoria)," "To Miss Emily of West Point," "Lines sent to a Lady with a box of prunes," "Lines Respectfully dedicated to Miss XXXX"—A Tale of Romance", "To Mary," "Lines For a Lady's Album in St. Louis," "To Bettie" [see next lot], "Lines Respectfully inscribed to the Misses Crockett of Bowling Green Virginia," "To the One I Love," etc. There is also an 8-page poem, "West Point," dedicated to Mary Custis Lee, some prose and an interesting note, written in minute script over a brownish stain: "*My Blood Mar. 8, 1855.*" In addition there are more than twenty pages of entries by friends and relatives, including a dedication in verse by Jno. S. Cocke ("*This volume is a consecrated thing*"), a watercolor by future Union General Alexander Webb, "To Jim on leaving College," "To my friend J.E.B. Stuart," "To Beaut," etc. Approximately 87 pages, each poem is dated, often with the place of composition noted: West Point, Steamer Trabue on Mississippi, Camp Seclusion, Camp Stuart, Camp on Jolly River Texas, etc. Virtually unknown to historians and the collecting community, this unique book is offered for the first time at public auction(Photo) E. 40,000-60,000

To Mary

'Tis sweet to view o'er crag and steep
The quiet mountains hilled to sleep
In that fond hour for lovers meet
To join in love's communion sweet

And Mary as I'm gazing o'er
Old Hudson's fair Romantic Shore
A thought of thee makes doubly dear
The scenes now viewed together here.
And when the hours of absence come
And you are seated where'er you roam
I shall never waste one thought on me
Remember, I still think of thee.

West Point N.Y.

No change of scene nor absence
Nath' power to rob thy beauties
Of those fair charms by nature given
Or make me prize thine image less.

J.E.B.

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PAID



Miss Bettie P. Hairston
Martinsville
Virginia

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Miss Bettie P. Hairston
Care of Marshall Hairston Esq.
Ma Geo Bridge
Yallahusha Co
Mississippi

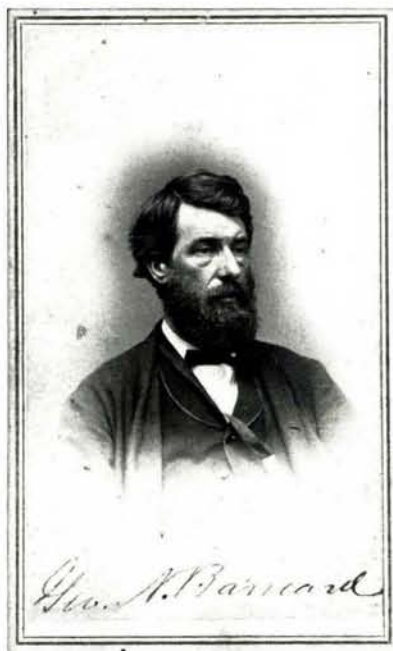
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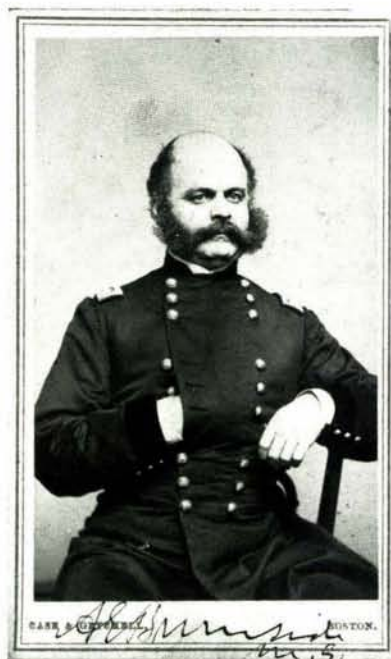
- 231 ☒ **J.E.B. Stuart.** Signature ("Stuart") as part of box charge instructions, on undated white envelope to his cousin Bettie P. Hairston at Martinsville, Va., partly struck West Point N.Y. cds with integral "3" rate and matching "PAID" hs, address panel entirely in his hand, sealed cover tear affecting signature, Fine appearance, accompanied by a **second envelope** without his signature but also addressed entirely in his hand and with matching postmarks. Very rare and uncharacteristic form of Stuart's signature, offered for the first time.....(Photo) E. 750-1,000
- 232 ☒ **J.E.B. Stuart.** Tiny signature ("Stuart") as part of box charge instructions, on cover to his cousin Bettie P. Hairston at MaGee's Bridge, Miss., address panel entirely in his hand, clear "West Point N.Y. 26 Oct. 3" cds and matching "PAID", cover with stain at T.L. corner and opening tear, both far from signature and address, Fine and rare. Ms. Hairston was also the subject of one of Stuart's poems, "To Bettie"—a three page effort written in the hospital at West Point, Dec. 23, 1853, with the refrain, "To Bettie far away," (see lot 230)(Photo) E. 600-800
- 233 **[J.E.B. Stuart].** Important folded letter with 5c Blue, Local (7) pair postmarked "Gordonsville Va. Aug. 20, 1862," from Captain Charles Blackford in camp at the foot of Clarks Mountain, Head Quarters of Valley District, to his wife. He writes (in part): "*I am in great trouble this morning about Eugene & William about the former because of Williams report of his condition which he thinks exceedingly critical & about the latter because he left me this morning to go down the Fredbg. plank road in search of Genl. Stuart, we having no troops on that road or even pickets & Genl. Stuart having gone some five or six miles down there to the house of a friend to spend the night not dreaming of an enemy. I met Stuart about 12 o'clock today with his horse in a foam, having just escaped from the enemy losing his hat, haversack, & Chaswell Dabney was with him & shared the same fate coming off without bridle, saddle, or sword. They took to the woods so that as William went down the road he had, I fear, no one to warn him of the position of the enemy and may have fallen into their hands. . .As I write I can see Genl. Lee talking to Genl. Jackson which is a sight many people would like to see—I never saw Genl. Lee before. He is a very handsome man & has as fine a face as I have ever seen.*" etc. Other parts of the letter deal with Blackford's concerns over security ("*I fear the Generals taking too many into their confidence*") after being turned back at Culpepper C.H. by Union forces ("*their foiling a scheme which I felt sure would succeed.*"), Very Fine, a rare account of J.E.B. Stuart in a less than dashing light..... E. 1,000-1,500
- 234 **Zebulon Vance.** Confederate Governor of North Carolina. ALS, 4pp (7¾ x 9⅞ in.), dated Dec. 13, 1886. Writing on U.S. Senate stationery to a newspaper editor, he replies to General Sherman's statement regarding a letter written by Jefferson Davis to a southern senator, threatening the coercion of any state that would attempt to leave the Confederacy. Vance writes (in part): "*Every letter ever written to me, on a political topic by President Davis is to be found faithfully copied in the official letter-books of the Executive Dept. of North Carolina. Those letter-books were taken from me by Genl. Sherman's troops at the closing of the war and are now in possession of the War Department in this City. Aside from these letter books Genl. Sherman never saw any letter addressed to me by President Davis. Although I have not seen those books and read their contents in almost twenty years, I am quite sure that no such letter can be found there. I could not have forgotten such a letter had it been received by me. The suggestion therefore, that I am the person referred to in Genl. Sherman's statement is entirely untrue. . .alleging that I was in bitter hostility, whilst Governor of North Carolina, to be administration of Mr. Davis, is based also upon a misrepresentation of the facts. It is well known by those acquainted with the history of those times, that my differences with Mr. Davis were purely in regard to matters of detail, and that I supported him in his efforts to maintain the confederacy with all the zeal that I could command and all the power of the State which I could bring to bear.*" Vance quotes from a letter Davis wrote him: "*I feel grateful to you for the cordial manner in which you have sustained every proposition connected with the public defense.*" He encloses a printed copy of this letter, and concludes: "*I do not wish to pose as a martyr to the circumstances of those times or as one ready to turn upon his associates after defeat. I desire to eke my full share of responsibility for everything I did and said during those unhappy times. Great as were the abilities, and high as were the courage and faithfulness of Mr. Davis, I have no disposition to load him with all the misfortunes of defeat.*" Signature originally cut out by collector and neatly reattached, Fine—a superb, passionately felt letter..... E. 1,000-1,500

- 235° **Tandy Walker.** Confederate commander of Choctaw Brigade & 2nd Div. DS, as witness, on back of part-printed 1855 indenture: "*I Tandy Walker being duly sworn do depose and say that I am a Choctaw Indian; that I am well acquainted with the Choctaw, and English Languages,*" etc., also signed again on face, in addition to signature of James Spring as Commissioner of Deeds in Alabama, Fine E. 200-250
- 236° **Joseph Wheeler.** ANS (4 x 5 7/8 in.), datelined "*Hdqs Cav Corps Mch 4/65.*" Addressed to Maj. H.B. McClellan, it reads (in full): "*The enemy have left their lines of works—all heard of as yet were one hundred men at the first works. Respy major Yrobsvt J. Wheeler Maj. Genl.*" Other side of this is a **ANS from Genl. Wade Hampton** to Wheeler, regarding Union forces in area and aiding Genl. W.W. Allen; both field despatches in pencil with the Hampton ANS particularly light, ruled lines in pen across text—at this late date writing paper was clearly in short supply and ink was a luxury among soldiers; otherwise Fine, very scarce(Photo) E. 1,000-1,250
- 237° **Joseph Wheeler.** ALS, 1 page, dated Aug. 26, 1889 on his personal House of Representatives stationery, to Col. John Bachelder: "*Your letter is received. I will be gratified to see the plan you propose adopted. I believe that if the lines of the Confederate troops are marked out the States to which those troops belonged would gladly go to the expense of erecting suitable monuments.*" Very Fine, the monument in question was probably one commemorating Gettysburg..... E. 400-500
- 238° **John H. Winder.** ANS twice, in ms. and pencil, on back of Jan. 19, 1864 letter to Judah Benjamin as Secretary of State, **applying for a passport to Europe**, also with two ANSs of **John Campbell, Asst. Sec. of War**, light toning, Fine E. 500-600

CARTES-DE-VISITES

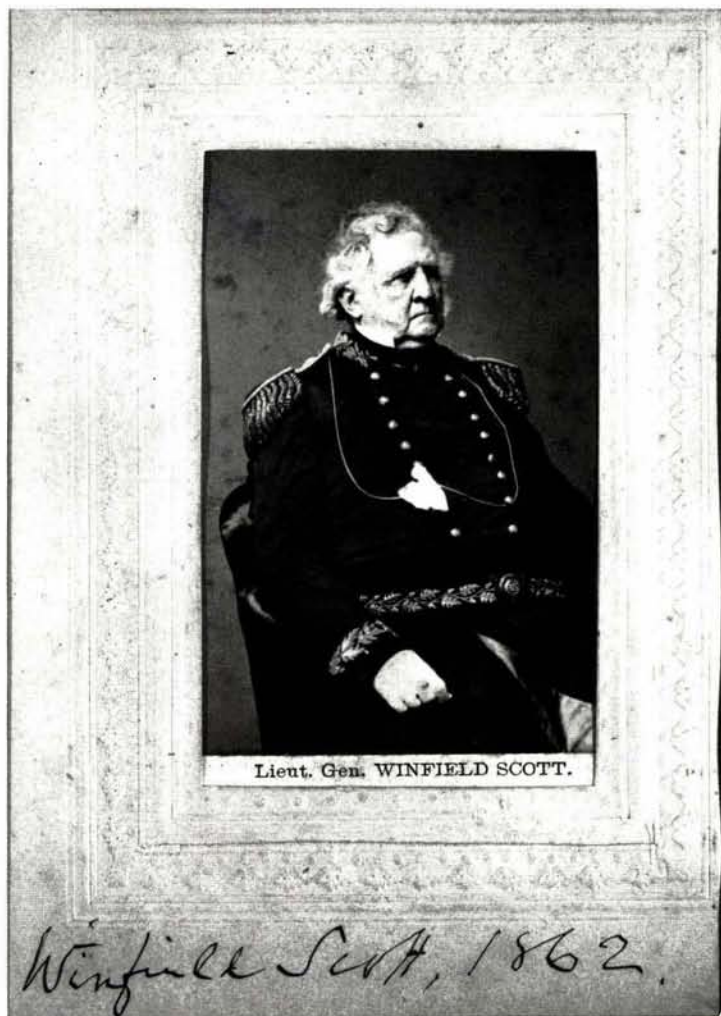


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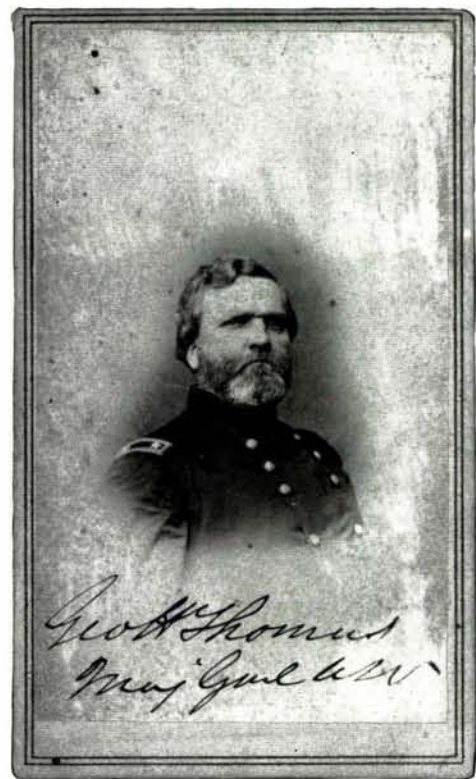


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- 239 **George N. Barnard.** Signature on carte-de-visite, no imprint, Very Fine, rare and choice image of the famed Civil War photographer, recently discovered.....(Photo) E. 500-600
- 240° **Ambrose E. Burnside.** Union general. Signed carte-de-visite of the general in uniform, imprint of Case & Getchell of Boston, reverse with pencil note, most likely from a veteran: "*Gallant Commander of the Old Ninth Corps*" Very Fine.....(Photo) E. 1,000-1,500

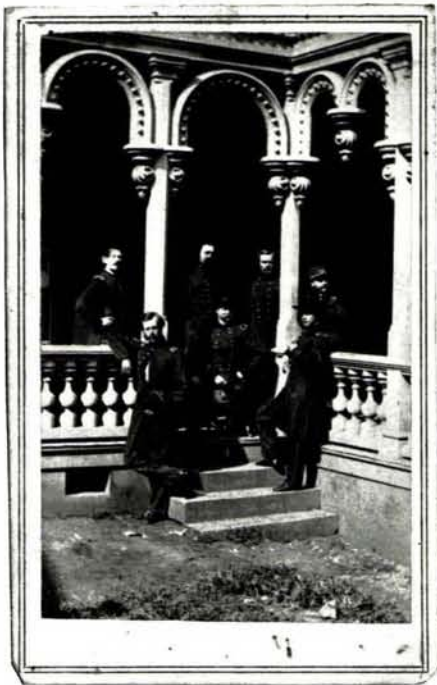


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- 241 **Lovell Harrison Rousseau.** Three CDVs, one signed on back, with rank ("Maj. Genl. USvols"), accompanied by an unsigned image (in uniform, Morse's Gallery of the Cumberland imprint on back) and CDV of his daughter posing with a "Miss Lilly Ward of Louisville Ky.", Fine(Photo) E. 150-200
- 242° **Winfield Scott.** Carte-de-visite of the general in uniform, in fancy paper frame of photo album and signed in margin, "Winfield Scott, 1862", photo by Charles Fredericks, matting with some edge toning barely affecting signature which is otherwise bold and large, Fine and attractive piece. This came from the collection of Kate Chase, daughter of Salmon Chase.....(Photo) E. 750-1,000
- 243 **George H. Thomas.** Signature as Major General on carte-de-visite, Fine(Photo) E. 300-400
- 244 **[Carte-de-Visite].** Portrait of Genl. William F. Barry, no imprint, Very Fine E. 100-150



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- 245 [Carte-de-Visite]. Albumen print of Genl. Robert Seaman Granger seated on a Nashville porch and surrounded by six officers, imprint on back for the Metropolitan Gallery (J.H. Van Stavoren, proprietor) in Nashville, Very Fine and choice, recently discovered(Photo) E. 250-350
- 246 [Carte-de-Visite]. Union soldier, imprint of Leon Van Loo of Cincinnati on back(Photo) E. 60-80
- 247 [Cartes-de-Visite]. 37, all Civil War images, includes large group of officers and enlisted men, a number of which are signed or identified including rank, regiment, etc., also several generals including Sherman, Hooker, Milroy (two different from the same sitting), etc., also Lincoln & his son Tad, Booth, nurses, etc., imprints include Barnard, Morse, etc., Fine lot E. 600-800

CIVIL WAR DIARIES

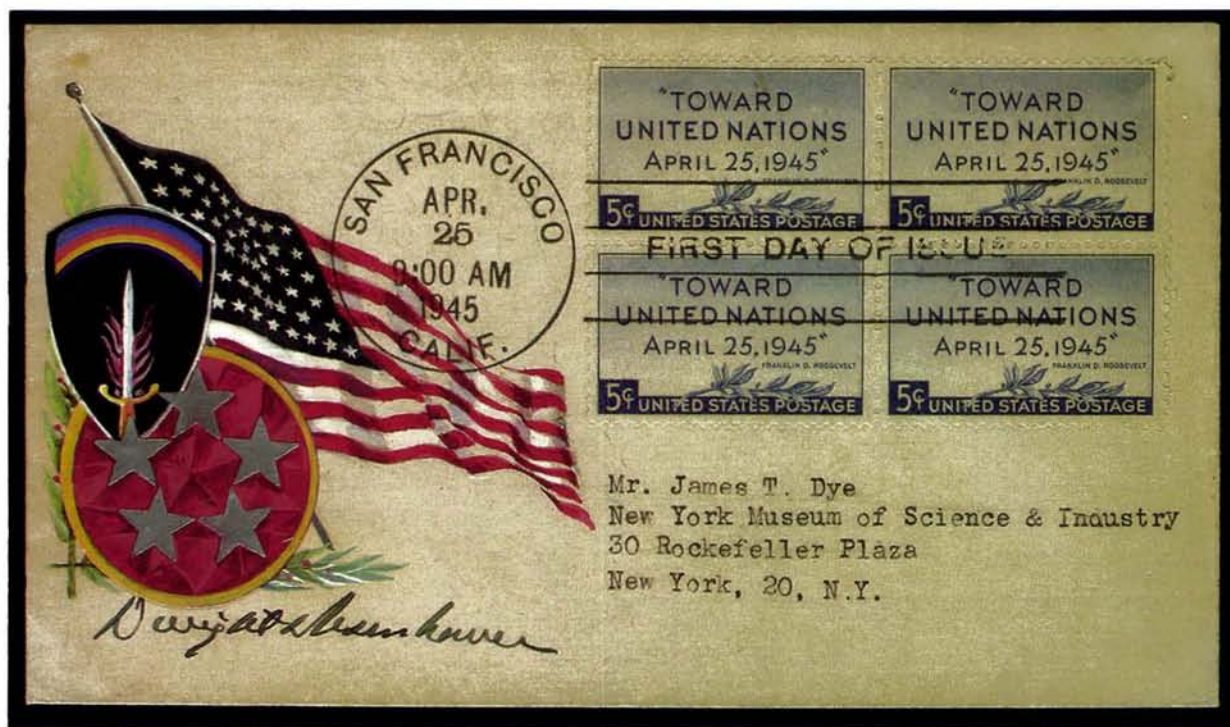
- 248 [Confederate Diary]. 78pp, 3¼ x 5¾, by an anonymous **Missourian** who was a Paymaster and at one time on the staff of Genl. Bowen. Written in minute but readable hand, it begins with him on the run from Feds in Missouri after a battle at Mt. Zion in Dec. 1861: "Our men & boys were hunted down like wolves throughout northern Missouri during its entire winter & succeeding spring. I also, of course, had to share a like fate. From wood to wood, prairie to prairie, county to county, they hunted me." At one point he is captured and then bribes the Federal officer with a \$10 bill to let him go. He writes: "Left Audrian Co. in co. with Lieu. Joseph Carr for the south to join the army & fight our way back to our homes." The writer, while not fighting on the front lines, was deeply committed to the Confederacy. Well-educated, he gives a good sense of the day by day activities of the administrative arm of the military in Arkansas and Mississippi, though near the end of the diary (May 1863), a certain bitterness is evident: "It is said Pres. Davis will be reviewing us to morrow. If he comes to dismiss ¾ of our army officers & choose new ones, even if compelled to do so blind folded, to thrust an equal proportion of gr. masters, commissaries, contractors & surgeons who are sucking the very life blood from the heart of the government, then he may do some good." First page of diary appears to be missing, otherwise intact, original calfskin covers, Fine, desirable and rare E. 1,000-1,500

- 249 [Diaries]. Two volumes, 50pp and 28pp respectively, written by Sgt. Augustus S. Thompson of Co. B, 112th Reg. Ill. Vols., dates Aug. 17, 1863-Oct. 1, 1863, May 12, 1864-Jan. 23, 1865 and Feb. 7, 1865-June 20, 1865. Short but lively entries throughout, Sgt. Thompson describes battle outside Cleveland, Tenn. by overwhelming rebel forces, Battle of Resaca, Ga., Atlanta campaign including recording death of Genl. McPherson, rumor of capture & death of Genl. Hardee, battle of Atlanta, destruction of railroads, fall campaign in Tenn., fearful of Forrest, fighting at Columbia, **battle of Franklin**, Nashville, campaign in North Carolina, ironclads shelling Ft. Anderson, surrender of Lee, troops celebrating, assassination of Lincoln, surrender of Johnson, review of troops in Washington by Sherman, Grant, Meade, capture of Jeff Davis, etc. Virtually every entry has something of interest: Thompson, avoiding the usual descriptions of weather and making coffee, gives the impression of nearly non-stop fighting. Diaries with original leather covers, has become separated in volume one but is otherwise intact, written in pen and pencil, in a very readable hand—includes several pages of post-war business entries (not included in page count), Fine and desirable..... E. 600-800
- 250 [Diary]. 3¾ x 5½ in., 14pp, written in pencil by unidentified Union soldier in North Carolina, Dec. 1862—Feb. 1863, describes attacking rebel line—130 prisoners and re-capturing two guns "*the rebs captured from us at Bull run*"; two marching soldiers felled by one shot, rebel sharpshooter hitting water dipper being shared by two "23d boys"; boarding steamer; New England style snow storm; sending home \$27 by Adams Express, etc. The last entry is "fish for dinner"—as there were blank pages available to the writer, he may have been killed by a sharpshooter that evening or the next day; wear and soiling but with original cardboard covers E. 300-400
- 251 [Diary]. 1865 entries by a Elmira, N.Y. doctor, Sidney Darrin, whose duties including attending to prisoners at Barracks No. 3 as there are two entries, one regarding a long chat with a rebel prisoner, another noting rebels arriving to distribute blankets. Other entries mention taking of Richmond, surrender of Lee and subsequent celebration, death of President Lincoln ("*The news swept the North like an earthquake*"), writing a letter to Horace Greeley, train passing with the remains of the president; book with original leather cover, normal wear, Fine..... E. 300-400
- 252 [Diary]. 3 x 6 in., leather covers, written by Andrew French, a Philadelphian—part surveyor, part handyman, who managed to avoid the war, at least for 1861, which is the year this diary records. There's an entry for every day, including the first week of 1862, when he notes that he cannot buy a diary for the new year. Nothing to excite the modern reader, but French wrote in a good neat hand, and as the weather descriptions and street names and visits to friends begin to accumulate, one is entertained. Besides, there's a description of a corpse, a visit to Blood's Despatch and at least one attempt at being a patriot—"I designed a small eagle", Fine item..... E. 100-150

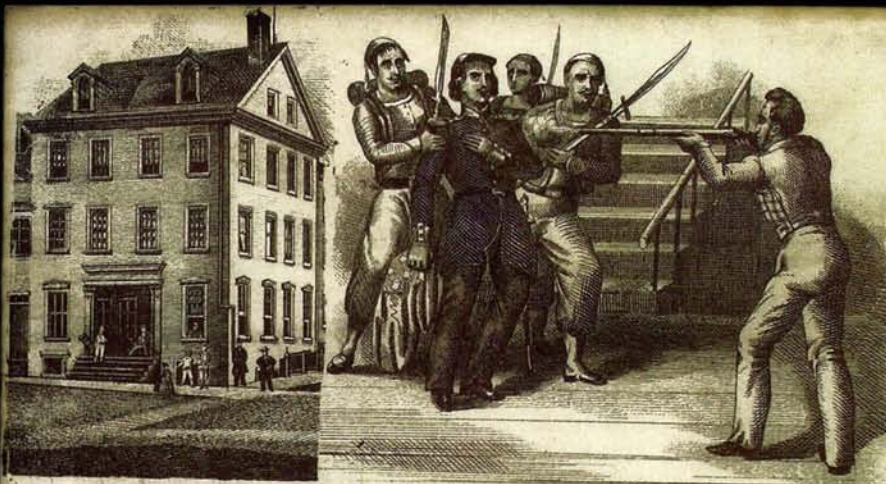
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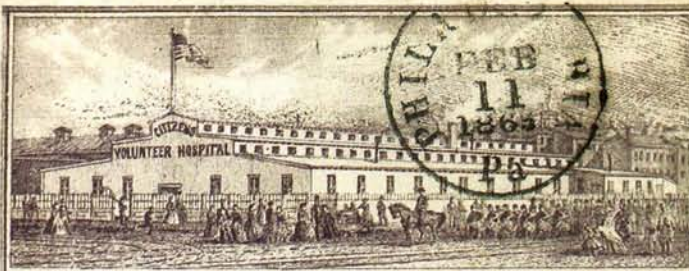
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THE NAVAL BATTLE BETWEEN MONITOR AND THE MERRIMACK, MARCH 9th, 1862.

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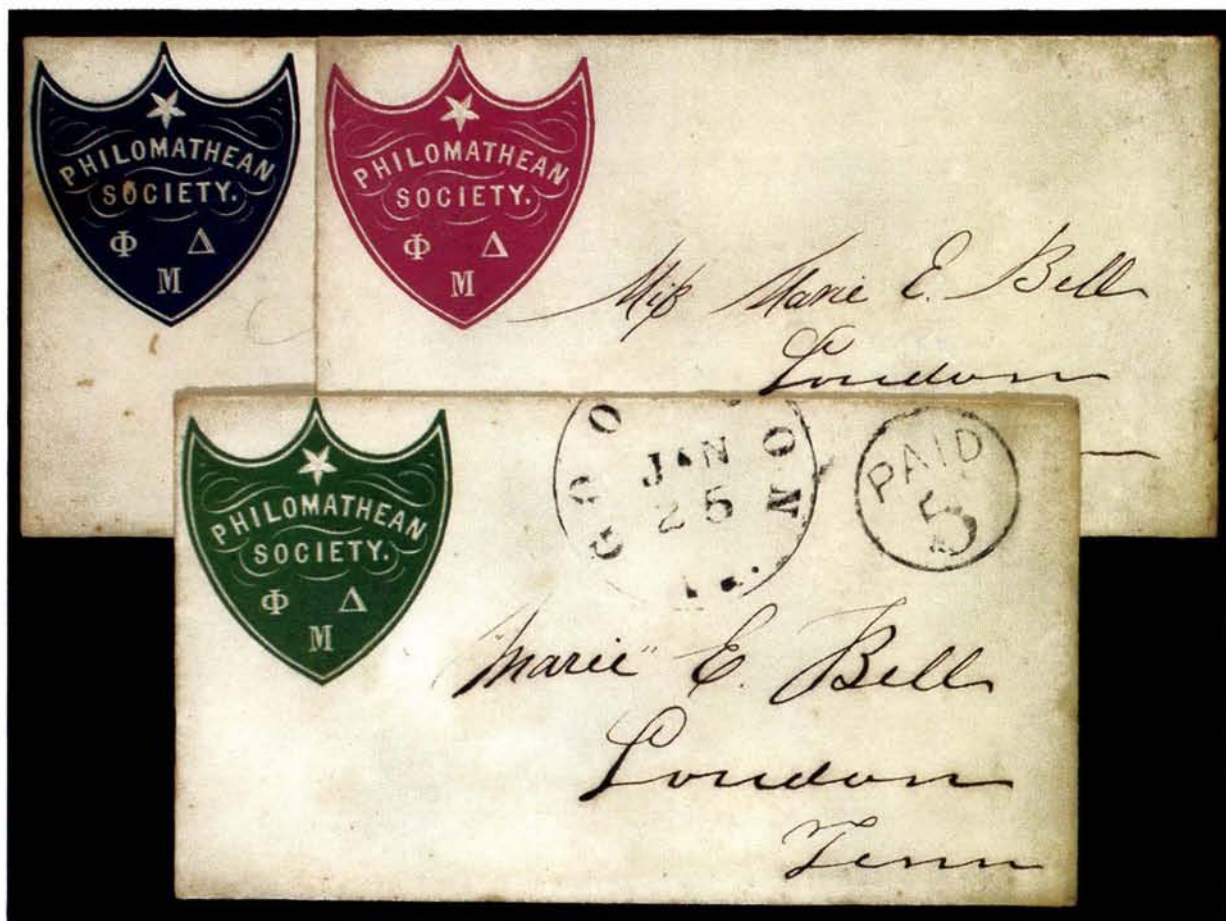


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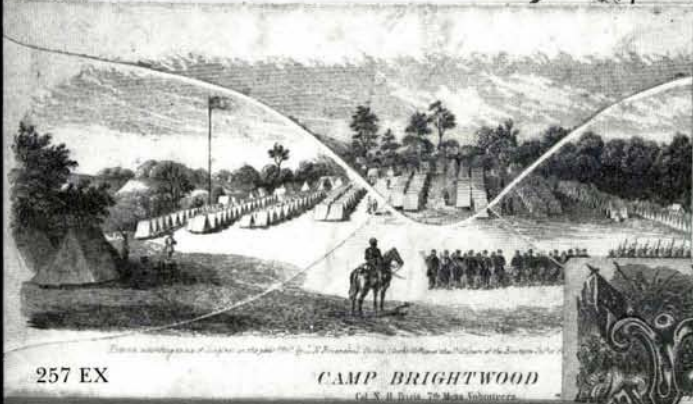
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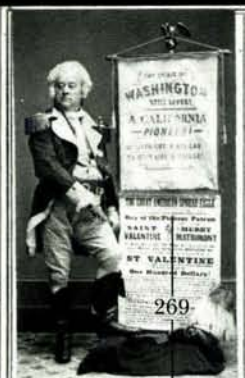
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Twenty-five or Fifty Cents invested for the Cause of the Union, Banner Bearer of California, will make you an equal partner in making it the most beautiful Patriotic on record. The first specimen subscribed being from the most distinguished paper in California, it is a fine one, dated February 17, 1864.

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P.S. This made the third time to get into jail rather than see the ladies' eyes.

M. M. Walsh



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THE PICKET GUARD.

Mr. J. P. Blo...



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The Flag, during the body, by a resolution of... "Resolved, That the Flag and white; that the Union..."



Mages, 516 Chestnut St., Phila.



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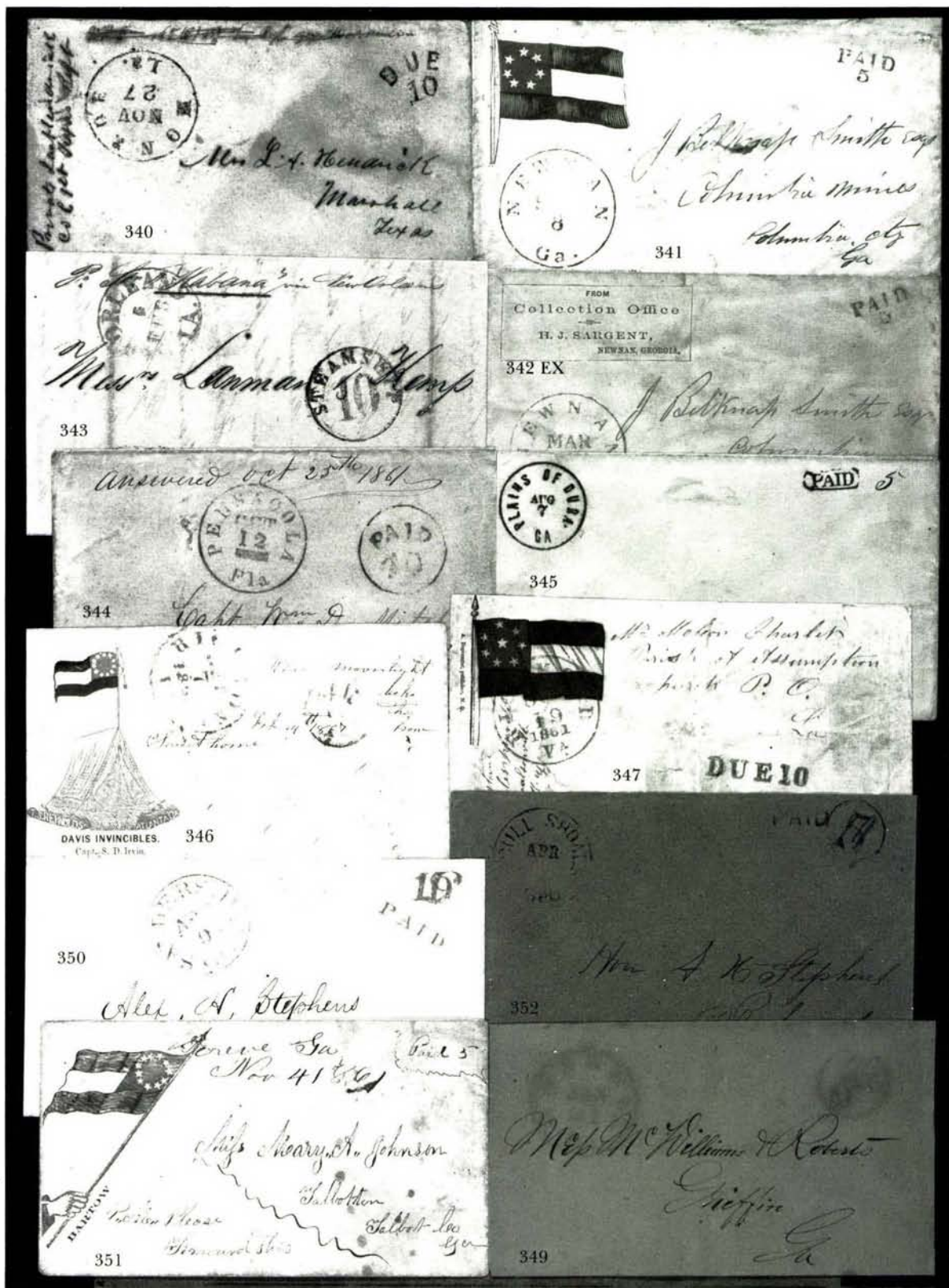


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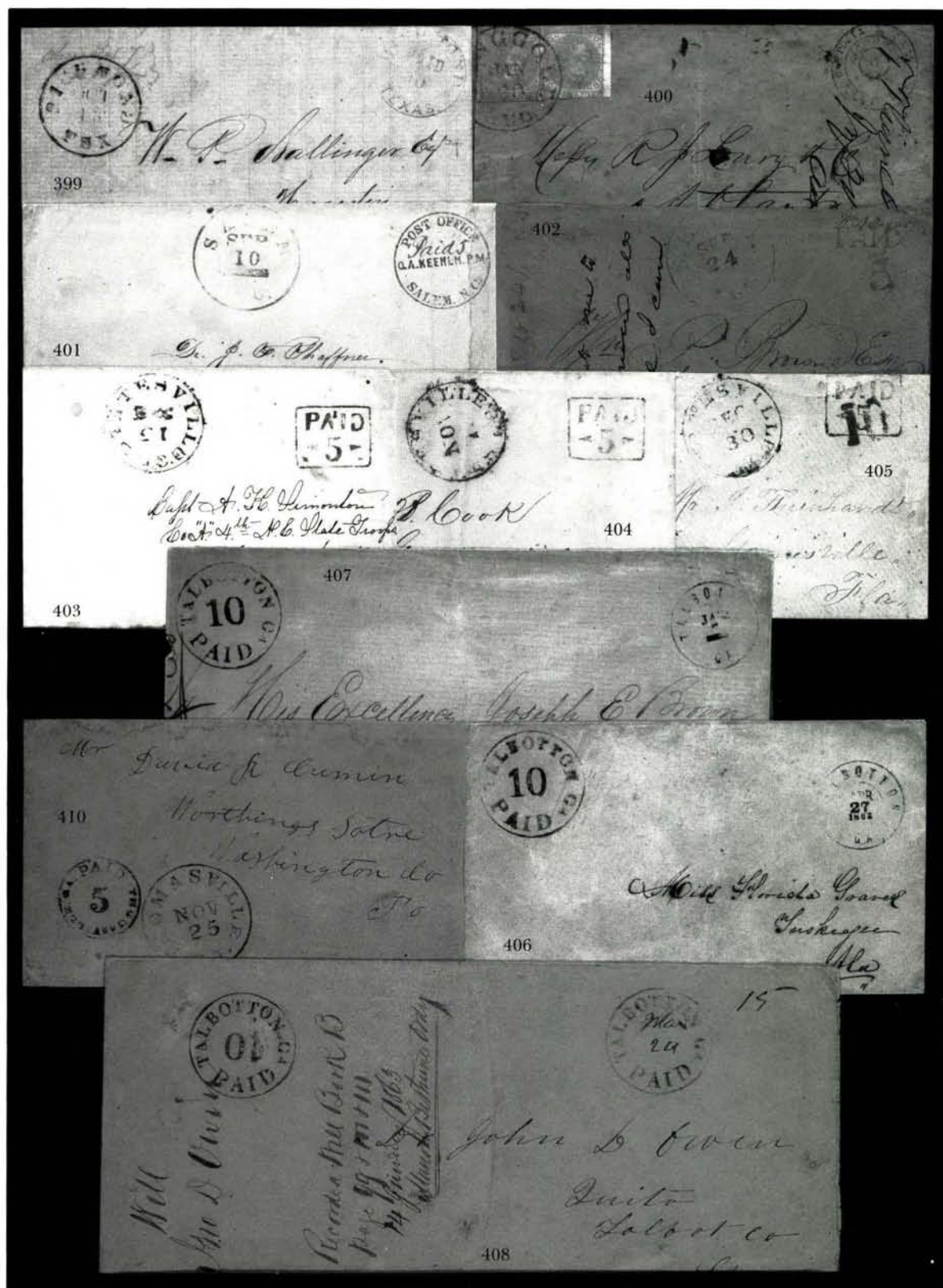














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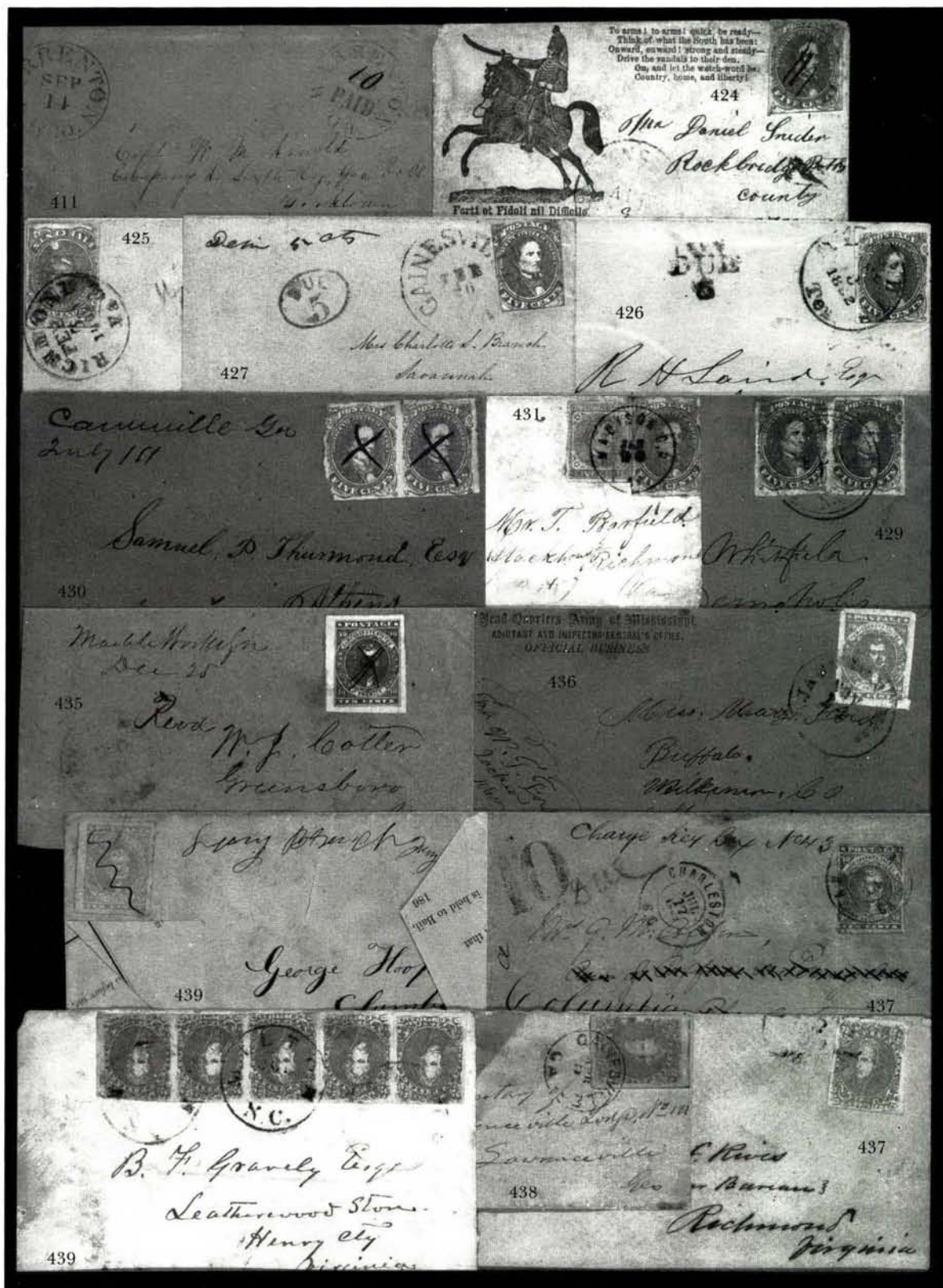
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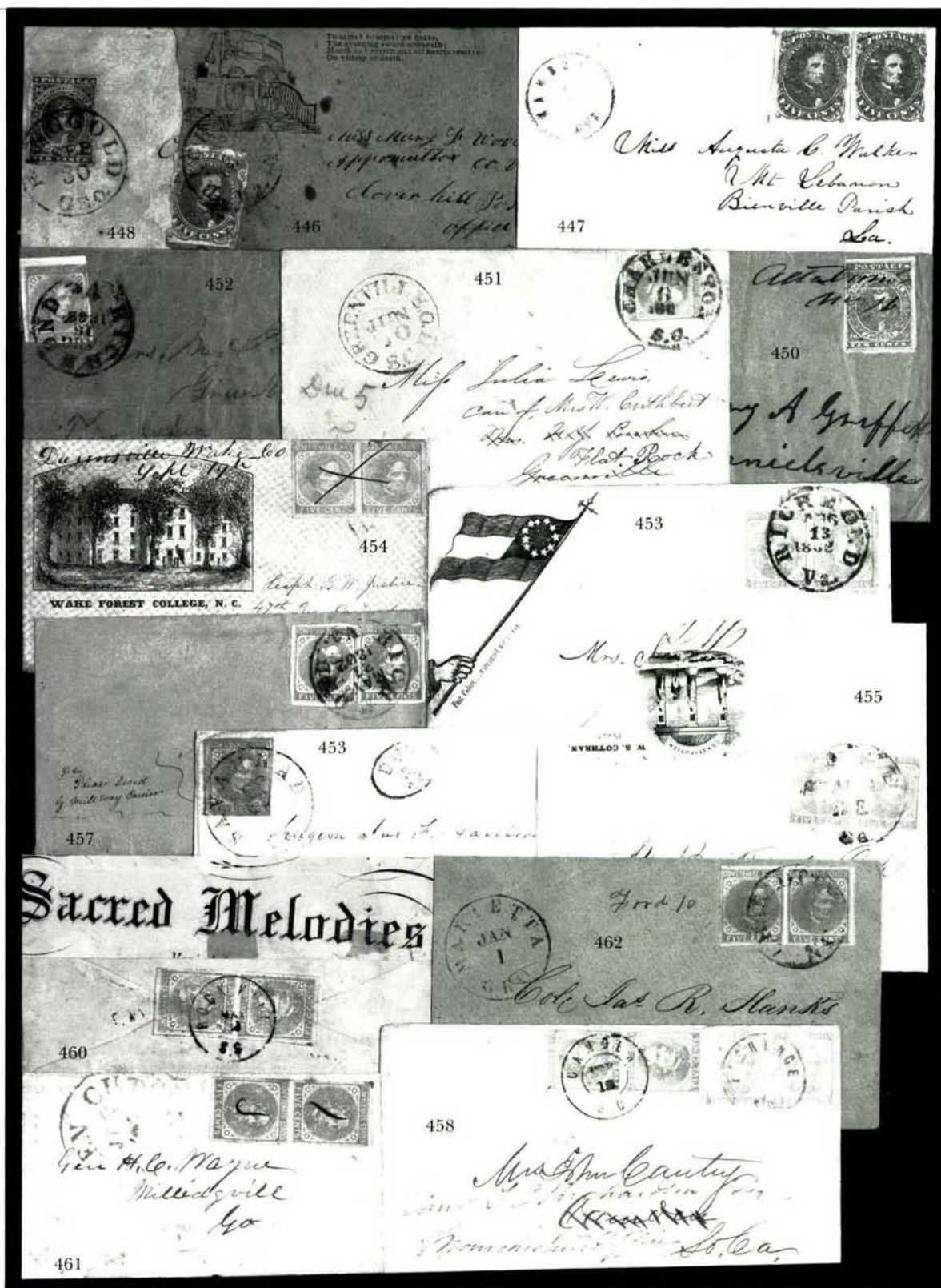


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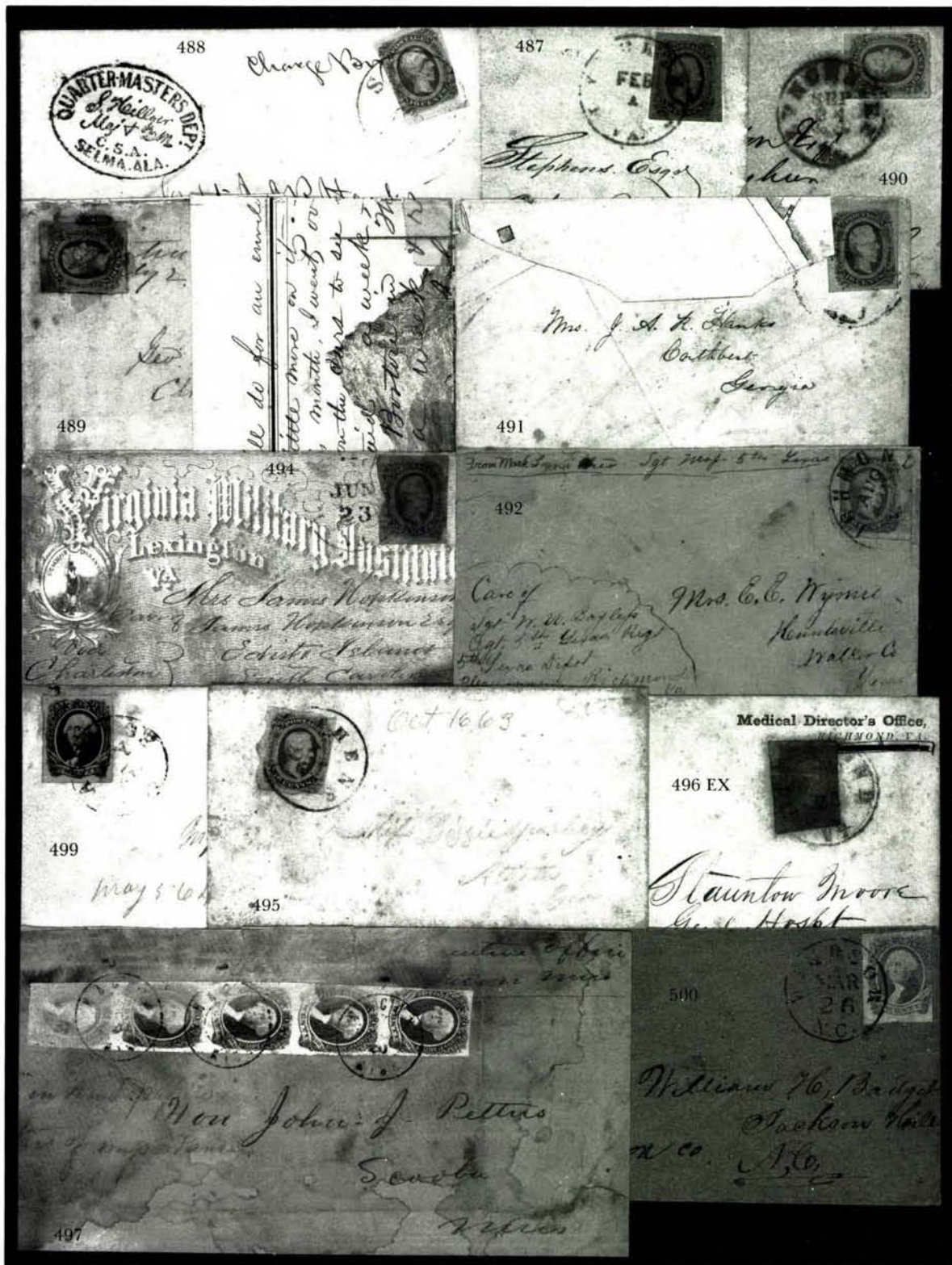


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Golden's Letter
Robt W. Bullock
Ct Comdg
Prosp- Mo Cos

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Ship's Letter
H. S. Thomas Jr
Kennebec Bay, Me.

Oct. 1st 1862

Panama

R. A.

A. G. Shoemaker
Rush

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Mrs M. A. C. Gains
Richmond

Canal



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Surgeon Jas. F. Harrison, C.S.N.

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Charles F. Harrison, C.S.N.
Richmond, Va.

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Mr. J. C. Bell
Receiving Ship
Charleston

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C.S. N. 1862



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Richmond Va
C. S. Steamer Beaufort
Box 149

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James River Fleet

Commandant's Office,
NAVAL STATION,
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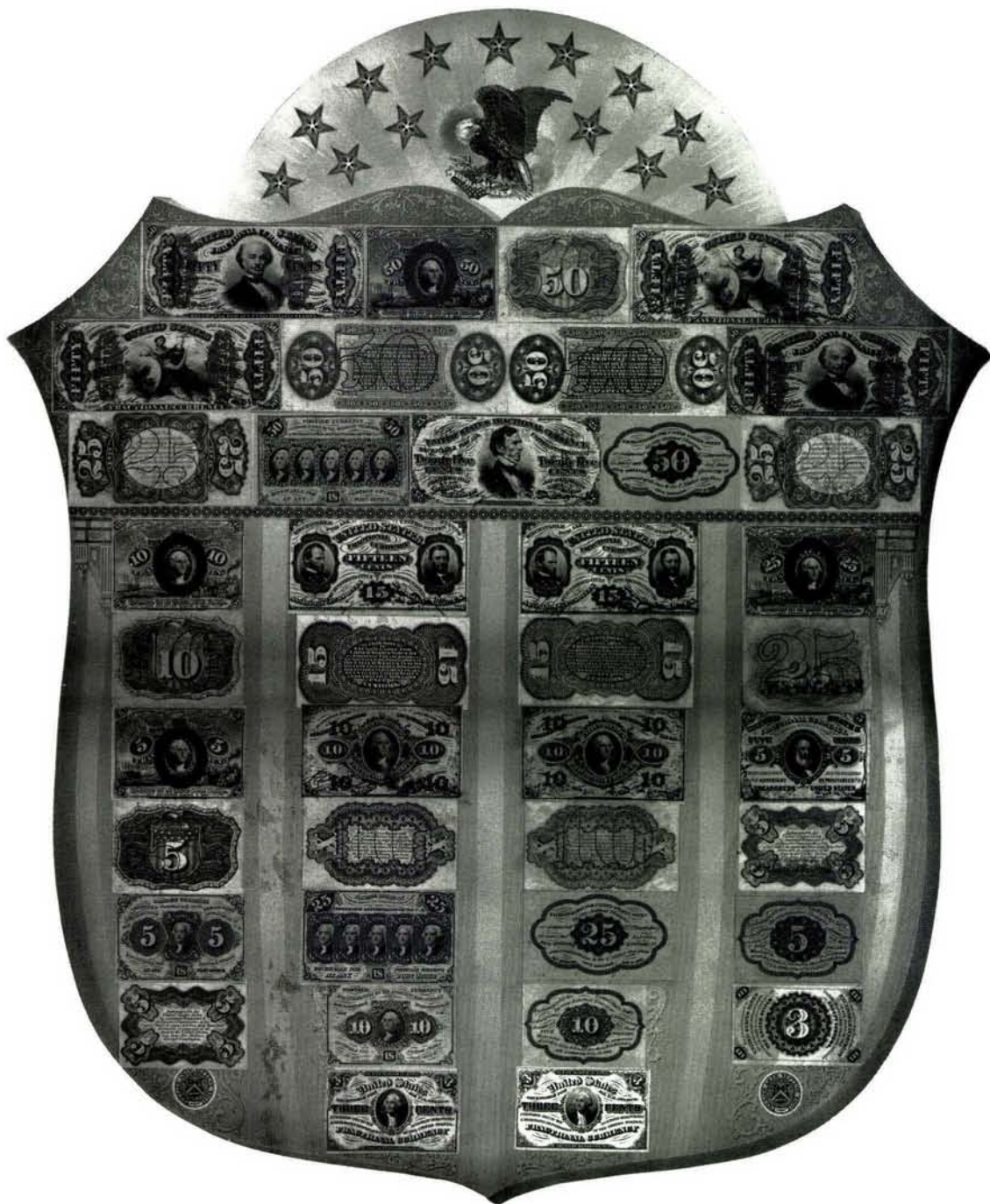
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Mr. W. A. Mitchell
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Ala.

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Lieut. Comdr:
J. B. Leche, C.S.N.
Steamer "Hannibal"

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SECOND SESSION

WEDNESDAY, JULY 10, 1996, AT 1:30 P.M.

THE CIVIL WAR

UNION PATRIOTICS AND LETTERSHEETS

- 253 ☒ **The Arms of the Keystone State.** Multicolor design on cover sent by the publisher himself, Edward Cogan, to Roxbury Mass., 3c Rose (65) tied by open grid, clear "Philadelphia Pa. Feb. 9, 1863" cds, Cogan imprint on flap, docketing at left slightly affects design, Fine and attractive.....(Photo) E. 200-250
- 254 ☒ **The Arms of the Keystone State.** Color lithograph design with additional hand-coloring, on cover to Mass., 3c Rose (65) tied by open grid, matching "Philadelphia Pa. Mar. 25, 1863" ds, docketing at L., tiny edge wear, still Very Fine, pretty and scarce(Photo) E. 200-250
- 255 ☒ **Assassination of Col. Ellsworth.** All-over Magnus two panel design in bronze, on unused envelope, Very Fine, a beautiful Magnus patriotic, very rare, only one postally used cover is known, and only a few unused examples exist, unlisted in Walcott or Weiss.....(Photo) E. 200-250
- 256 ☒ **Battle Scene.** View of clashing armies, ships and ironclads with raised flags of both armies, in blue and red on cover with 3c Rose (65) tied by partial ds, full strike at left of "Rising Sun Pa. Jul. 9" balloon style ds, tiny edge wear, still Very Fine, outstanding design and very scarce in this condition(Photo) E. 300-400
- 257 ☒ **Camp Brightwood.** Large regimental patriotic as prepared by the L.N. Rosenthal firm of Philadelphia, Washington cds and free frank (mc) on face, includes original enclosure with matching letterhead, from soldier who makes this intriguing comment about the illustration: "*I suppose you would like to have the Picture on first page explain a little so I will try in my feeble way this was sketch last Sunday morning the Artist was sitting on a box,*" etc. He identifies figures in the drawing—the man standing on a barrel is prisoner being punished, etc. Cover with light soiling and opening tear at right into design, Fine appearance, a very rare if not unique reference to a patriotic illustration. The writer may have been confused about when the artist made his sketch, but it is known that one of Rosenthal brothers, Max, had a pass that gave him access to all army camps and that prints where made from his pencil sketches(Photo) E. 300-400
- 258 ☒ **Citizens Volunteer Hospital.** All-over design in dull purple on cover to Wilmington, Del. clear "Philadelphia Pa. Feb. 11, 1863" cds with 3c Rose (65) cancelled by open grid, cover with tiny closed tears in top margin, still Very Fine, rare design(Photo) E. 1,000-1,500
- 259 ☒ **Citizens Volunteer Hospital.** Design in black on orange cover with 3c Rose (65) tied by "Philadelphia Pa. Nov. 24" cds, stamp with rounded corners, otherwise Very Fine, rare design(Photo) E. 300-400

- 260 ☒ **Death to Traitors.** Flag patriotic addressed to a Private White of the 71st N.Y., reverse with blue "FREE./For the Regiment/ADAMS EXPRESS CO./Per HOEY" in four straightlines, part of flap torn, not affecting handstamp, otherwise clean and Fine, very scarce.....(Photo) E. 300-400
- 261 °☒ **Eagle and Flag.** Design in black, forming address panel with banner, on small cover to Dearham, Canada, pen-cancelled 10c Green (35) at left, ms. "Yorkshire N.Y. May 2" cds at top, indistinct Canada receiving mark on back dated May 3, 1860, stamp with pre-use crease ending in tear, Fine appearance, very rare use of a patriotic envelope prior to the surrender of Fort Sumter, most likely prepared in anticipation of the various party nominations for president in that same month(Photo) E. 250-350
- 262 ☒ **Farmer and Wheat.** Unusual design in blue, on cover with 3c Rose (65) tied by "Memphis Tenn. Oct. 29" double-circle ds and target, Fine and very scarce(Photo) E. 100-150
- 263 ☒ **The Fence that Uncle Abe Built.** Design in black on white cover with 3c Rose (65) tied by bold "Philadelphia Pa. Sep. 13, 1862" cds, ms. "Soldiers letter" at bottom, Magee imprint on flap, cover slightly reduced at L., still Very Fine.....(Photo) E. 300-400
- 264 ☒ **Flag with Liberty Cap.** Simple design on cover with 3c Rose (65) tied by target, matching "Philadelphia Pa. Feb. 26, 1862" cds, imprint on flap of Wm. Mann., bit reduced at R., still Very Fine, rare example from this little known stationer.....(Photo) E. 100-150
- 265 °☒ **Floyd Going to War.** Union caricature in blue on orange cover with 3c Rose (65) tied by "Columbina O. May 6" cds, stamp with tiny margin faults, otherwise Very Fine(Photo) E. 100-150
- 266 **Fortress Monroe, Old Point Comfort Va.** Large view in violet with imprint of E. Sachse & Co., dated Mar. 1, 1864, interesting contents from a Good Templar in camp, describing "the many temptations which surround us here, there is not the gentle influence of women to keep back the evil passions," etc. Fine.....(Photo) E. 150-200
- 267 °☒ **The Great Naval Battle Between Ericsson S. Monitor, and the Merrimac, March 9th, 1862.** Large design in purple, on cover to Baltimore, imprint of J.G. Wells on flap, 3c Rose (65) tied by partial strike of "Patterson Mills Pa. Dec. 26" cds struck three times, trivial toning on back, still Very Fine, handsome and rare design.....(Photo) E. 400-500
- 268 ☒ **Long Bridge, Washington, by Moonlight No. 2.** Hand-colored Magnus design on cover to Batavia, N.Y., reverse with 3c Rose (65) tied by blue "Baltimore Md. Jan. 26" cds, cover with tiny restoration at edges, Very Fine appearance, rare design used(Photo) E. 600-800
- 269 ☒ **A Patriotic Ad Scam.** 1865 advertising cover from "Uncle Freddy", aka Frederick Coombs, the Pioneer Benefactor and Union Banner Bearer of California, who made the following claims regarding purchase of his *carte-de-visite*: "Stranger, if you wish to be comforted when sick or distressed, with one thousand dollars in gold without interest or security, buy this card! Or, should you fall terribly in love, and wish for one hundred dollars, to make yourself and true love happy for life by an union matrimonial, buy this card!" etc. The CDV shows Freddy in powdered wig and Continental costume with banner proclaiming, "The Spirit of Washington Still Lives!" There is even a quote from Geo. Washington, residing in "Spirit Land" testifying to Freddy's greatness; cover with 3c Rose (65) tied by New York cds and addressed to the State Librarian at Albany, Very Fine, featured in an article in the *American Philatelist* in April 1994.....(Photo) E. 200-250
- 270 ☒ **The Picket Guard.** Gloomy woodcut in violet brown on cream cover with 3c Rose (65) tied by partial Memphis ds, Gates imprint at L., tiny edge wear, still Fine, scarce design.....(Photo) E. 100-150
- 271 **General Rosecrans.** Portrait in oval with crossed flags on lettersheet used from Rockford Ill., apparently from a soldier in transit, Very Fine ..(Photo) E. 100-150

- 272 ☒ **"Give this wreath to the brave."** Verse patriotic with floral design, in rose and green on white cover, Magee imprint at top, 3c Rose (65) tied by open grid, clear "Philadelphia Pa. Feb. 24, 1863" cds at top, Very Fine, unusually choice example of this uncommon design.....(Photo) E. 200-250
- 273 ☒ **History of Our Flag.** All-over design by Stevens & Co. with 3c Rose (65) strip of three tied by bold "Philadelphia Pa. Jul. 19, 1863" cds struck twice, docketing at L., still Very Fine, very scarce triple rate example(Photo) E. 200-250
- 274 ☒ **Major General McClellan.** All-over design with portrait in blue and stars of the states, in red, with 3c Dull Red (26) tied by balloon-style "Rising Sun Pa. Sep. 3" ds, Magee imprint on flap, minor soiling and small cover tear, very attractive and scarce design, Fine.....(Photo) E. 150-200
- 275° ☒ **Naval Engagement off Fort Wright.** Large design in black on pale buff cover showing ironclads and sinking rebel vessel, 3c Rose (65) at right tied by target, not quite readable Ohio cds at left, some toning, still Fine, a scarce and exciting design.....(Photo) E. 200-250
- 276 **One People One Government.** Letterhead showing eagle & banner, in red, with James Gates imprint, contents from a member of **Kansas Volunteers**, 5th Reg. with dateline "*Camp at Halena Arkansas July the 15th 1862*": "*We left Springfield and went to Houston Texas and we staid there two weeks and then we garded a train to West Plains near the Arkansas line and we was paid off there and then we went to Salem, Arkansas. . we turn over our Mississippi rifles and drew sabers so now we are cavalry. . On the road to Calrinton there was gards left at every house along the road to keep the soldiers from molesting any thing and there was a Dutch man left to gard a house and when he was relieved he broke open a trunk and began to take things out and the woman took hold of some of the goods that he was taking and he nocked her down and one of the Illinois soldiers run his bayonet through him and kild him*, Fine and very scarce(Photo) E. 200-250
- 277 ☒ **On To Richmond!** Liberty design in red on cover to Mecklenburgh, N.Y., Washington cds and "Due 3' hs, with pretty floral decoration in lead & colored pencil added on flap by sender, lifted to show design; accompanied by a second cover from soldier who after addressing it in a poor hand, had a skilled calligraphist write out his return address and repeat it two more times, Very Fine lot(Photo Ex) E. 100-125
- 278 ☒ **Richmond Va.** All-over multi-color Magnus design on cover to New London, Ct., 3c Rose (65) tied by double-circle "Washington D.C. Nov. 12, 1862" ds, stamp with tiny closed tears, Very Fine, choice appearance. a rare design postally used.....(Photo) E. 600-800
- 279° ☒ **A Soldier's Farewell.** Large Valentine envelope in orange and light buff with 3c Rose (65) tied by double-circle "Washington D.C. Feb. 13, 1862" ds, with tent of bunting Valentine enclosure, minor toned spots and flap tear, otherwise Very Fine, handsome and very scarce, ex Sapperstein.....(Photo) E. 1,500-2,000
- 280 ☒ **A Soldier's Farewell.** Large Valentine envelope in yellow orange on buff with 3c rose (65) tied by "Saint Dennis Md. Feb. 16" cds, accompanied by Valentine enclosure of soldier, which opens up to a vignette of soldier and his lover, all hand-colored, stamp with small tear, cover with toning on back and tiny edge tears, still choice appearing, Fine and rare, with 1991 P.F. certificate.(Photo) E. 1,000-1,500
- 281 ☒ **Soldier's Farewell.** J. G. Wells design in red and blue on unusually fresh white cover, 3c Rose (65) tied by bold "Philadelphia Pa. Apr. 8, 1862" ds, neatly opened at top, Extremely Fine, exceptionally attractive(Photo) E. 300-400
- 282 ☒ **The Union Must & Shall Be Preserved.** All-over design in red & blue with naval figure at R., 3c Rose (65) tied by fancy segmented cork cancel, matching "New York" double-circle ds with 1862 year date, stamp with corner nick (prior to use) but effectively hidden by the boldness of the cancel, Very Fine appearance(Photo) E. 200-250

- 283 ☒ **United We Stand Divided We Fall. Kentucky.** Blue design on cover to Matteson, Mich. with 3c Rose (65) tied by grid, matching "Elizabethtown, Ky. Mar. 14" cds, original 1862 enclosure with blue "OUR COMPROMISE" letterhead, light wear, Fine and rare.....(Photo) E. 200-250
- 284 ☒ **Vermont Lincoln Covers.** Two, includes beardless portrait in oval on yellow cover (AL-9) with No. 65 tied by 1862 Vt. cds (St. Johnsbury?), and colorless embossed, "Slavery Sectional," etc. with matching Lincoln-Hamlin names on flap (AL-108), pen-cancelled No. 26 and ms. "W. Cornwall Vt. Oct. 4" postmark, latter with some staining, still Fine pair.....(Photo Ex) E. 100-150
- 285 ☒ **The Washington Grape.** Union caricature with Jeff. Davis as a fox, on cover with design repeated inside envelope, opened at R. to display, 3c Rose (65) tied by "Memphis Ten. Apr. 6, 1863" double-circle ds, sender has added several ms. comments to design including "Cuss", "he can't touch them not by a damn sight", light soiling, Fine, unusual.....(Photo) E. 100-150
- 286 **Patriotics.** Two excellent pieces of collateral, first is **business card of John G. Wells** advertising his patriotic stationery and "Patriotic Prize Packet," etc. in black on green (1863 calendar on back); other is unused envelope with stars & stripes "USA" and familiar ad vignette of seated gentleman reading the paper: "*A collection of Union envelopes in a few years from now will form a most valuable and pleasing curiosity and will be sold at double the original cost.*" Imprint of C. Bell of Hartford, Very Fine.....(Photo Ex) E. 100-150
- 287 ☒ **Patriotics.** 17 different designs, all with Memphis Tenn. occupation postmarks, franked with 3c Rose (65) or sent due, mixed condition, Good-Fine ... E. 200-250
- 288 ☒ **Civil War Postal History.** Eight covers and one front, includes rare Fremont cover hand-carried usage from Castleton, Vt. with embossed ad cover, great all-over patriotic—Genl. McClellan & His Staff, Magnus Liberty & Eagle patriotic from Rolla, Mo., CSA No. 11 used from Wilmington, N.C. with barely literate letter from soldier, rare 1861 patriotic (front only) celebrating U.S.-British friendship (impt. of Lockwood & Co., Buffalo), etc., small faults, Fine lot.....(Photo Ex) E. 200-250
- 289 **Patriotic Song Sheets.** 23 different, mostly Magnus including one Lincoln mourning sheet, also three examples from Magee and rare James Gay example, mostly Very Fine..... E. 300-400
- 290 **Patriotic Lettersheets.** 11, nearly all different, all used from various camps or hospitals, mostly from a Oliver Gaylord of the 3rd Mich. cavalry, includes hand-colored Magnus "**For the Union—Illinois**" from Fortress Monroe in 1864, eagle and sailor design—"Three Cheers for the Red, White and Blue!", etc., Fine lot..... E. 400-500

INDEPENDENT STATE USAGES

- 291 ☒ **New Orleans, La. Jan. 28.** Two strikes of large cds tie **U.S. 5c Brown (30A)** pair and single on 1861 orange cover to **Bordeaux, France**, red "Paid New York 3 Feb. 2" exchange cds, ultramarine Havre transit and French backstamps, few nibbed perfs
A VERY FINE AND RARE INDEPENDENT STATE USE OF UNITED STATES STAMPS FROM LOUISIANA.
Louisiana seceded from the Union on January 26, 1861, and was admitted into the Confederacy on February 4. As the state with the second briefest period of independence, covers mailed during this period are very rare. Ex H. J. Baker, Grunin. With 1988 P.F. certificate.....(Photo) E. 3,000-4,000
- 292 ☒ **McDonough Ga. Jan. 24.** Cds with date partly in ms., on light buff cover to Madison with 3c Dull Red (26) tied by grid, original 1861 regarding "*sale of two little Negroes*", Very Fine independent state usage.....(Photo) E. 200-250

- 293 ☒ **Graysville Ga. Jan. 24.** Blue cds on U.S. 3c Red on White Star Die entire (U26) to Cleaveland Tenn., cds repeated at left, 1861 docketing on back, Very Fine, choice and rare Independent State usage, unlisted in New Dietz(Photo) E. 250-350
- 294 ☒ **"Penfield Ga. Georgia Republic Jan. 27, 1861."** Dateline on letter, cover with 3c Dull Red (26) tied by grid, mostly clear "Penfield Ga. Jan. 27" cds and addressed to "Newman Republican Georgia", fancy red **Mercer University** embossed corner card, no flap and cover slightly reduced at top, still Very Fine, an outstanding Independent State usage(Photo) E. 250-350

U.S. STAMPS USED IN THE CONFEDERACY

- 295 ☒ **Jasper Ga. Feby 4.** Ms. postmark on U.S. 3c Red on Buff Star Die entire (U27) to Carnsville, making this a **First Day of Use from Confederate Georgia**, stamp with ms. "3" written over it, Very Fine and choice.....(Photo) E. 500-600
- 296 ☒ **Dalton Ga. Apr. 5, 1861.** Clear cds on 3c Red on White Star Die entire (U26) to Macon, 3c cancelled by bold open grid, Very Fine, very choice, unlisted on a Star Die.....(Photo) E. 150-200
- 297 ☒ **Lafayette Ga. May 21 1861.** Ms. cancel ties faulty 3c Dull Red (26) on small cover to Oxford, Miss., accompanied by a second 1861 cover with "Lafayette Geo. Mar. 25" cds and No. 26 cancelled by "Paid" hs, Very Good-Fine, the ms. example is unlisted..... E. 150-200
- 298 ☒ **Marietta Geo. Apr. 29.** Mostly clear cds on **Seven-Star Flag** patriotic with 3c Dull Red (26) just tied by odd open grid, original enclosure with **Eight-Star Flag** letterhead, datelined "Camp Brown Head Quarters", cover with scattered toning and tiny edge tears, otherwise Fine, scarce, ex Kohn(Photo) E. 300-400
- 299 ☒ **Memphis Tenn. Apr. 1861.** Patriotic cover with **seven-star flag** design at left, 3c Dull Red (26) tied by partly struck cds, cover with minute nick at T., and small toned area at B.L., neither affecting design, scarce(Photo) E. 200-250
- 300 ☒ **Mt. Yonah Ga. Feb. 16th 1861.** Blue ms. postmark on 3c Red on Buff entire (U27) to Clarksville, Ga., minor soiling, Fine, rare and unlisted in New Dietz.....(Photo) E. 100-150
- 301 ☒ **Rehoboth Ga. Mch 22nd/61.** Ms. postmark on orange cover with 3c Dull Red (26) cancelled by ms. "3" and placed over box charge note and "Paid 3", stamp lifted and moved to display this notation, edge wear, Fine and rare, unlisted in New Dietz.....(Photo) E. 150-200
- 302° ☒ **Sherman Tex. Mar. 12.** Lightly struck double-circle ds on **3c Red on Buff Star Die entire (U27)** to Hunnewell, Mo., endorsed "*Via the overland Mail*" in corner, attractive **handstamped corner card with eagle design**, fashioned from linen-marker, original three-page enclosure includes a list of 22 counties showing count for or against secession, with these interesting comments: "*I suppose the health of Texas never was Better. I mean the health of the people, although Texas is rather distempered. The Slave State will I think be cured without any emetic or a cathartic. The submissionists are falling to the secessionists every day. I reckon the salutes of Burning Powder & excited minds of the people of Texas have caused all diseases of the bodily sistem to be thrown off. The over land will stop running through this country on the 25th of the present month March 1861. I suppose Missouri will vote the union ticket. . The Texians have succeeded in taking all the forts & arms in Texas without any resistance on the part of the Soldiers. . Do you think there will be an emmigration from Missouri to Texas this fall. I would like to know Sir, whether you will vote for cecession or union. I suspect you will vote for a southern Confederacy.*" Fine, very important contents and an attractive usage. The meaning of the eagle handstamp has never been satisfactorily explained, but it is agreed that the marking is contemporary and that it does not refer to the sender—it's most likely the name of a ship's captain on the Red River. With 1994 C.S.A. certificate(Photo) E. 600-800

- 303 ☒ **Walnut Grove Geo. Apr. 18.** Bold red cds on cover with 3c Dull Red (26) pencancelled, odd doodling in pencil reads (in part): "*What do you think of the administration of Lincoln*", small ink smear slightly affecting cds, Fine and rare, unlisted in New Dietz(Photo) E. 150-200
- 304 ☒ **Woodstock Ga. Feb. 5, 1861.** Bold cds on orange cover to Athens, 3c Dull Red (26) tied by fancy rectangular grid, docketing at L., stamp faulty, but a rare usage, the cancel is unlisted in Simpson-Alexander(Photo) E. 150-200
- 305 ☒ **Incoming Covers to the Confederacy.** Four covers, all from New York to Georgia, first is Jan. 29, 1861 on No. U27 with additional 3c Red (26) to Macon, readdressed to Americus; Feb. 1 to Alexander Stephens at Milledgeville, forwarded with Feb. 6 cds to Montgomery Ala.; U27 Feb. 12 to Macon, readdressed to Albany Ga. with No. 26 tied by Macon ds; cover sent May 22, 1861 and received after new CSA postal rates went into effect—struck with "Due 5" in circle, Fine and interesting study E. 200-250
- 306 ☒ **U.S. Stamps Used in Confederate Georgia.** Five different towns, all **unlisted in New Dietz**, all in manuscript on No. U27 entires with one exception, includes Alpharetta (Feb. 12), Bloomfield (May 12), Campbellton (May 18), Greenville (cds, Apr. 9), and Shady Dale (May 21, with No. 26), very mixed condition, but a very scarce group with some possibly unique usages E. 200-250
- 307 ☒ **U.S. Stamps Used in Confederate Georgia.** 19 covers, most on No. U27, includes: Macon (Feb. 13), Upper Kings Bridge (ms., Feb. 16 on U26), Double Wells (ms. Feb. 19 with No. 26), Louisville (Feb. 20, with No. 26), Newnan (Feb. 27), Kingston (Feb. 27 with "Paid 3" in circle), Atlanta (two, each Mar. 9, with fancy newspaper c.c. and addressed to Cobb and Stephens), Roswell (Mar. 12), Richland (ms., Mar. 15), Perry (Mar. 22), Thomson (ms., Mar. 27), Cassville (Apr. 22), Marietta (Apr. 27, U26), Hillsboro (ms. May 2, with No. 26), Gainesville (May 21), etc., mixed condition E. 400-500

THRU-THE-LINES AND SOUTHERN EXPRESSES

- 308 ☒ **Adams Express Co. Louisville Ky. Jul. 17, 1861.** Mostly clear cds on 3c Red on Buff Star Die entire (U27) to Augusta, blue "**Adams Express Co. Augusta Ga. Jul. 21**" oval ds, ms. "2/" cover with mended nick at top, Fine and scarce, with 1987 C.S.A. certificate(Photo) E. 500-600
- 309 ☒ **Adams Express Co. Augusta Ga. Apr. 28.** Oval ds on 3c Red on Buff entire (U27) to New York, bit reduced at top, just into top line of oval, entire creased, with some wear, scarce, with 1979 C.S.A. certificate(Photo) E. 200-250
- 310 ☒ **Southern Express Co. Atlanta Ga. Sep. 10.** Mostly clear double-circle ds on orange cover to a Col. Barrow in Athens, bit reduced at L. with mended nick at T.L., Fine(Photo) E. 300-400
- 311 ☒ **FORWARDED BY/THE/ADAMS EXPRESS CO./FROM/Washington,/Geo.** Black on orange glazed label, on back of **turned** cover to Athens, inside with remains of 10c stamp (CSA) tied by Athens cds and addressed to Washington, opened at sides, Fine and rare(Photo) E. 300-400
- 312 ☒ **Southern Express Co.** Five 3c entires, includes three different labels, also two with different express imprints, small faults, Very Good-Fine E. 100-150
- 313 ☒ **Southern Express Co.** Large label dated June, 1869, in black on orange, on back of 3c Pink on White entire (U24) to Memphis, ms. "paid 2/" on front, slightly reduced one side, Fine E. 100-125

CONFEDERATE HANDSTAMPED "PAIDS" AND "DUES"

- 314 ☒ **Acworth Geo. Octor 21.** Collin double-line ds with ms. day and peculiar abbrev., on cover to Atlanta with ms. "Paid 10" at R., docketing at left, flap tears, accompanied by "Magnolia" Collin ds from 1855, and rare.....(Photo) E. 100-150
- 315 ☒ **Athens Ga. Paid Nov. 2.** Clear cds with matching "PAID" hs orange cover to a J.J. Toon (relative of Genl. Toon?) at Nashville, forwarded with blue "Nashville Ten. Nov. 4, 1861" cds and ms. "Due 5" to Bellbuckle Tenn., flap fault, still Very Fine, ex Dietz(Photo) E. 150-200
- 316° ☒ **B.D. Depot Oct. 17/61.** Ms. Virginia postmark (Beaver Dam) and matching "5" on 1861 folded letter to Captain Clarke at Leesburg, from his wife, forwarded with double-circle ds to Manassas, with no indication of further payment, Fine and rare. Capt. Clarke was on Genl. Magruder's staff as A.Q.M.(Photo) E. 200-250
- 317 ☒ **Big Shanty 5/Sept. 29.** Ms. postmark and matching "Paid" on **Flag and Tent** patriotic to Ducktown, Tenn., 1861 enclosure from Camp McDonald, cover soiled, otherwise Fine.....(Photo) E. 300-400
- 318° ☒ **Bowling Green Ky. Feb. 12.** Ms. postmark and matching "Paid 5" on **Jeff Davis Medallion** patriotic in dull violet, to London, Tenn., cover skillfully restored along top edge including part of postmark, Fine appearance, very rare.....(Photo) E. 250-350
- 319 ☒ **Cassville Ga. Mar. 4.** Blue cds and matching woodcut "5 Paid" in circle, on eyellow cover to Charleston with embossed newspaper corner card (Rome Ga.), accompanying this is a second Cassville cover, same markings on three-page soldier's letter, Fine(Photo) E. 150-200
- 320° ☒ **Charleston S.C. 24 Mar. 1, 1861.** Clear cds and matching "5" handstamp on folded letter to **Edinburgh Scotland**, Boston, Liverpool and Edinburgh backstamps, clear shilling mark and blue merchant's oval. The business contents touch optimistically on recent events: "*The 'Cotton States' united to a man & if war does come they are amply prepared to protect their rights.*" etc. The writer also expresses his hopes that Lincoln's inaugural speech will be "*conciliatory in its tone*" and assures the addressee that henceforth the Confederacy will be purchasing directly from Europe, etc., Very Fine, very scarce usage.....(Photo) E. 750-1,000
- 321 ☒ **Chalybeate Spg March 8.** Ms. Georgia postmark and matching bold "Paid 5" on 1862 folded blue lined letter to Augusta, Very Fine, rare town (Photo) E. 150-200
- 322 ☒ **Chickamauga T Oct. 12.** Ms. postmark and matching "Due 10" on U.S. 3c Red on White Star Die entire (U26) to Lexington, Ga., 1863 docketing at left, Ga. soldier's endorsement at bottom, Fine and rare(Photo) E. 200-250
- 323 ☒ **Colaparchee Ga. Sep. 14.** Clear cds with matching "Paid" in circle and "5" in circle, on orange cover to Perry Ga., bit reduced at L. with mended nick at T.L., not affecting markings, Very Fine and choice appearance.....(Photo) E. 200-250
- 324° ☒ **Corinth Miss. Apr. 10.** Partial strike of balloon-style ds on back of **captured Northern** patriotic to Memphis, design showing Washington on horse back, "Union" caption crossed out, ms. "*Taken from Yankees*" along it, bold "DUE 5" hs on front, soldier's endorsement in bold magenta ink, light soiling and minor wear, Fine, attractive and scarce usage(Photo) E. 500-600
- 325 ☒ **Forsythe Geo.** Cds on two covers, one with boxed "PAID 5" hs, and addressed to a Col. Bailey at Griswoldville, 1862 letter regarding a search for guns, other with boxed "DUE 10" hs and ms. surgeon's endorsement from Army of Tenn., 1864 docketing, some soiling & toning, still Fine pair.....(Photo) E. 200-250
- 326° **Fort Smith Ark. Jan. 1, 1862.** Double-circle ds and ms. "Due 10" on front only with six line military address at Manassas Junction, from a member of McCulloch's Division to a soldier in Rhodes Brigade, small sealed tear at T., Fine appearance(Photo) E. 100-125

- 327° ☒ **Franklin Depot Va. Oct. 10.** Clear blue cds on **Two Soldiers Patriotic** with verse, in black on buff, to Morvin N.C., ms. "Due 10" at left, North Carolina soldier's endorsement at top, some edge wear, Fine and scarce(Photo) E. 350-450
- 328 ☒ **Goodson Va. Jan. 25.** Mostly complete cds and matching "Paid 5" in circle on small cover with fancy corner card for the Philomathean Society in bright **green**, to London, Tenn., original Jan. 24, 1862 letter from soldier in Bristol who writes in a P.S.: "*Excuse this rough scribble my dear it is snowing, very cold and got no fire,*"; accompanying are two other covers, same writer, with matching corner cards, one in red, the other in dark blue, 1863 and 1865 enclosures, these being hand-carried to London Tenn., Very Fine trio, a handsome exhibit page(Photo) E. 250-350
- 329 ☒ **Guyton Ga. Jan. 30.** Ms. postmark and woodcut "PAID/5" hs in brown, choice strike on orange cover to Augusta, interesting 1862 describing conditions in Savannah: "*The Yankees have been trying to get to the city to shell it. they have cut off water communications between Savh. & The Islands where we have batteries—My sons are at the most exposed points on Green Island & Isle of Hope—I fear for their safety—now is the time for all young men that belong to Savh. to stand in her defence. She may need every one that can shoulder a musket. do excuse this scrawl, I am nervous & vexed at the thought of these vandal Yankees.*" etc., Very Fine and scarce, ex Kohn(Photo) E. 200-250
- 330 ☒ **Indian Creek Ala. Nov 4th.** Ms. postmark with matching "Paid 10cts" on **turned cover** to Lumpkin Ga., inside with cds and matching "PAID" hs and small "10", some ink splattering affecting postmark, almost Fine, rare—unlisted in New Dietz or ASCC, Vol. III(Photo) E. 150-200
- 331 ☒ **Jefferson Ga. Feb. 7.** Balloon-style ds on 1861 folded letter to Hon. W.W. Clark at Covington, readdressed to Richmond and cancelled by blue Feb. 14th cds, matching "PAID" hs with ms. "10" ms. "Paid 5" at R. from original mailing, contents regarding local elections, voting, filling Sen. Toombs vacancy, etc., Fine, very scarce 5 & 10 rate combination, ex Knapp, Kohn(Photo) E. 200-250
- 332 ☒ **Lafayette Ga. Mar. 30.** Clear cds on small yellow cover with matching "5" in circle and "PAID", to Grenada, inside indicates this was originally a larger cover mailed from Canton Miss., cut down and refolded to "lady's envelope" size, flap open to display what remains of a well struck "Paid 10" with star fancy rate hs, small stain in address panel, still a very attractive and unusual adversity usage, Fine.....(Photo) E. 200-250
- 333 ☒ **Little Rock Ark. May 15, 1862.** Double-circle ds on buff cover with **Houston Texas Red 5c Provisional Handstamp** at left, ms. "Due 5" deleted with "PAID" handstamp added on back by receiving postmaster at Kaufmann Texas, **exceptional four-page letter** from a soldier to his wife: "*Since leaving Arkadelphia (where I wrote you last) I have not found a P.O. from which I could send a letter towards Texas. The mails are all stopped below here on account of the Govt. failing to pay Contractors. This is a very bad state of affairs both for the community & the soldiers. . .We've been trying very hard for some time to get over to Memphis, but before we could get to the point of Shipment (Pine Bluff) the Brig. Genl. of this District considering it unsafe for us. . .on account of the presence of the enemy's gun boats on the Miss. river & wanting to augment the force in this state ordered us to this place. . .Captain Johnson's spy company which came just in advance of us have just returned from a scout. . .bringing in with them a squad of the enemys scouts which they captured. . .President Davis has ordered Beauregard to make no advance on the enemy for ten days as the French Minister was in Richmond & was preparing a proposition to settle the difficulty between the governments. He also ordered the agent in this state to stop burning cotton until further orders.*" etc. Letter with separations archivally mended, cover with ink erosion from heavy deletion of "Due 5" and opened irregularly at left, otherwise Fine, very scarce usage and and most desirable letter for the Arkansas or Texas student, with 1990 C.S.A. certificate.....(Photo) E. 200-250
- 334 ☒ **Macon Ga.** Double-circle ds on two covers, each with different variety of large "Paid 5" in cricle, one showing double rim, other with rim solid, covers in gray and amber, Very Fine pair(Photo) E. 150-200

- 335 ☒ **Marble Works Pickens Co. Ga. Mar. 21.** Double-circle ds and ms. "Paid 5" on ca. 1862 **turned cover** to Griffin Ga., later use with 10c Blue, Paterson (2) tied by "Griffin Ga. Sep. 17" cds and addressed to New Market, Ga., stamp with small scrape, cover opened to show county cancel, Fine, unlisted in Dietz and ASCC Vol. III(Photo) E. 600-800
- 336 ☒ **Memphis Ten. Dec. 20, 1861.** Cds with inverted year, on locally used cover with ms. "due 2c" and blue commission merchant's c.c. from Hickman, Ky., cover with small scuffed area in B.L. corner, Fine and scarce(Photo) E. 200-250
- 337 ☒ **Memphis Tn. Mar. 26, 1862.** Clear cds with bold "DUE 5" on **advertising** cover with all-over design in greenish blue for liquors, tobacco & cigars, to Ala. from a member of Lucius Walker's regiment, accompanied by a second Memphis soldier's cover with both "5" in circle and "Due 5" hs, first with small edge faults, Fine pair(Photo) E. 200-250
- 338 ☒ **Mobley Pond G/March 1.** Ms. postmark and matching postmaster free frank on yellow cover to Hon. Howell Cobb at Montgomery, Ala., Very Fine and choice.....(Photo) E. 100-150
- 339 ☒ **Monroe Ga. Jul. 10.** Cds with "10" in circle **struck three times for the 30c rate**, on large folded cover made from blue lined ledger sheet, to Charleston, some edge stains, refolded at far right (effectively concealing some staining at R. edge), Fine appearance, believed to be the listing example in New Dietz (cat. \$250.00).....(Photo) E. 150-200
- 340°☒ **Monroe La. Nov. 27.** Clear cds and matching "Due 10" in arc on cover to Marshall Texas sent by a Private Hendricks of Co. C 1st Texas Reg. to his wife and carried part of the way by a member of Co. E who deposited the letter at Monroe and deleted his endorsement at T., cover with no flap and small tears along top, very scarce Trans-Mississippi usage(Photo) E. 350-450
- 341°☒ **Newnan Ga. Sep. 8.** Clear cds and matching "PAID 5" hs on **Seven-Star Flag patriotic** (F7-19) to Columbia Mines, imprint of Jas. Gow at bottom, original 1861 enclosure mentions selling a mine, high cost of blasting powder (\$1.00 per pound), etc., cover with edge faults otherwise Fine, scarce design.....(Photo) E. 500-600
- 342 ☒ **Newnan Ga. Mar. 19** Clear cds with matching "Paid 5" on yellow cover with "Collection Office" c.c., accompanied by second Newnan cover with "10" hs (unpaid), toned spots, about Fine.....(Photo Ex) E. 150-200
- 343 ☒ **New Orleans La. Feb. 5.** Mostly clear strike of large cds on 1861 blue folded letter **from Cuba** to New York, clear "Steamship 10" in circle, tiny ink erosion in address, still Fine, scarce usage one day after Louisiana was admitted to the Confederate States.....(Photo) E. 250-350
- 344 ☒ **Pensacola Fla. Oct. 12** Clear cds with matching "Paid 10" in circle on yellow cover to a Capt. Mitchell at Camp Lawton, Savannah Ga., bit reduced at R., light soiling, Fine(Photo) E. 200-250
- 345 ☒ **Plains of Dura Ga. Aug. 7.** Fantastically bold strike of cds on bright yellow cover with "PAID" in frame and ms. "5", to Cuthbert Ga., slightly reduced at L., clear of cds, otherwise Very Fine, rare, believed to be one of three known examples with this framed "Paid"(Photo) E. 200-250
- 346°☒ **Richmond Va. Sep. 7, 1861.** Cds and matching "Paid 10" in circle on **11-Star Flag & Tent Patriotic** with rare caption—"DAVIS INVINCIBLES/Capt. S.D. Irvin" in red, to Americus Ga., curious doodling on face, "When moonlight deck the frow Feb. 14th 1867/ Sweet home", side flap replaced, Fine, very scarce(Photo) E. 750-1,000
- 347°☒ **Richmond Va. Oct. 19, 1861.** Clear cds and matching DUE 10" hs on **Eight-Star Flag patriotic** (F8-9) with imprint of A. Dapremont, a New Orleans publisher, soldier's endorsement at L., no flap and slightly reduced at top, bit worn, otherwise Fine, still attractive, very scarce.....(Photo) E. 750-1,000

- 348 ☒ **Rocky Mt. Ga. Dec. 13th Paid 10.** Ms. postmark on illustrated cover for **College Temple** at Newnan, Ga., all-over design in unlisted gray, with military address to Murfreesboro, mended edge and corner nicks, still presentable, rare college cover E. 150-200
- 349 ☒ **Roswell Ga. Jan. 24.** Cds in **Violet** with matching "Paid 5" on circle on light buff cover to Griffin, Very Fine and choice, ex Kohn, with note indicating this is the discovery cover showing this rare color(Photo) E. 200-250
- 350 ☒ **Sandersville Ga. Apr. 9.** Blue cds and matching "PAID" hs on re-rated cover with "10" struck over "5" hs, slightly reduced at top, otherwise Very Fine.....(Photo) E. 100-150
- 351 ☒ **Screve Ga. Nov. 4 1861.** Ms. postmark and matching "Paid 5" on **Eleven-Star Hand-Held Flag patriotic** with "Bartow" caption, some soiling, still Fine, rare town, with 1986 C.S.A. certificate(Photo) E. 500-600
- 352 ☒ **Scully Shoals Geo. Apr.** Cds on orange cover with matching "PAID" and "5" in circle re-rated to "10", to Alexander Stephens at Richmond, 1862 notes on back indicates this contained a request to appointed a physician in a hospital, "or surgeon to a regiment", cover with mended corner nick and very slightly reduced at top, neat and Fine, unpriced in New Dietz (owner paid \$500).....(Photo) E. 200-250
- 353° ☒ **Tangipahoe La. Oct. 2.** Clear cds with matching "PAID 5" hs on **11-Star Flag & Cannon patriotic** to Huddleston, La., imprint of J.K. Sutterley at bottom, cover aged, with wear and right side flap missing, still presentable, a scarce design and a rare town from which to find a patriotic, ex Matz.....(Photo) E. 750-1,000
- 354° ☒ **Union City Tenn.** Negative dateless circle on yellow cover to Montgomery Ala. with "Paid 5" hs at R., docketing on back, "1st Letter after joining the army," minor toning spots, Fine.....(Photo) E. 150-200
- 355 ☒ **Valdosta Ga.** Cds on two covers, 1862 & 1863 year dates in cancel, each with matching "Paid 10" in arc, first with military address and forwarded without charge from Camden to Grenada Miss., scattered toning, Fine pair.....(Photo) E. 150-200
- 356 ☒ **Warthen's Store Ga. July 14.** Ms. postmark and matching "Pd 10" on light purple lady's envelope to Col. Warthen at Manassas Junction, Very Fine and choice, unlisted in New Dietz.....(Photo) E. 150-200
- 357 ☒ **West Point Miss. Jun. 10.** Bold cds and matching "PAID" and small "10" in circle, on narrow cover to Mt. Lebanon, La., Fine(Photo) E. 100-150
- 358° ☒ **Wilmington N.C. May 29.** Clear cds and ms. "12" on inbound **Blockade** cover to Petersburg, Va. from a C.F. Walker, "Record Division Rebel Archives" hs on back, no flap, few pin holes not affecting appearance, Fine and scarce, with 1986 A.P.S. certificate(Photo) E. 600-800

CONFEDERATE POSTMASTERS' PROVISIONALS

- 359 ☒ **Abingdon Va., 5c Black Entire (2XU2).** Neat hs on orange cover to Kingston, Tenn., Jul. 9, 1861 cds at R., Fine and scarce.....(Photo) 1,100.00
- 360 ☒ **Albany Ga., 5c Greenish Blue Entire (3XU1).** Clear strike on soiled cover to Decatur, bold Mar. 16, 1862 cds, **provisional hs repeated on back**, cover slightly reduced at L., barely affecting "L", pre-print paper crease along top, still Fine(Photo) 750.00
- 361 **Athens Ga., 5c Purple (5X1).** Large margins except clear at top, faintly struck grid, Fine(Photo) 950.00
- 362 ☒ **Atlanta Ga., 5c Black Entire (6XU2).** Clear strike on cover to Athens, Jul. 30, 1861 cds, slightly reduced at top, clear of cds, Fine.....(Photo) 550.00

- 363 ☒ **Camden S.C., 10c Black Entire.** Unused buff cover with Paid 10 in circle, struck in T.R. corner, carried privately to Greenville C.H., note on back indicates this originally contained an enclosure dated Apr. 3, 1865, Fine, ex Kohn, with 1977 C.S.A. certificate indentifying this as a provisional, Dietz Type I.....(Photo) E. 200-250
- 364 ☒ **Charleston S.C., 5c Blue Entire (16XU1).** White envelope with Oct. 3, 1861 cds, to Pendleton, S.C., slightly reduced at sides with mended corner at B.R., Fine appearance, very scarce.....(Photo) 1,250.00
- 365 **Charleston S.C., 5c Blue (16X1).** Mostly large margins showing full outer frame line except touched in two places, clear Dec. 1861 cds, some toning on back and pinpoint thin in margin, Very Fine appearance.....(Photo) 600.00
- 366 **Charleston S.C., 5c Blue (16X1).** Margins showing full outer frame at B. and nearly complete at T., touched to slightly in at sides, clear Dec. 18, 1861 cds, light creasing, Very Fine appearance.....(Photo) 600.00
- 367 ☒ **Columbia S.C., 5c Blue Entire (18XU1).** Bold strike on yellow cover to Fort Hill, partial Oct. 8 cds and matching "PAID" hs, two small stains at T.L., far from markings, still Very Fine, ex Kohn, iwth 1981 C.S.A. certificate.....(Photo) 750.00
- 368 **Columbus Ga. 10c Red (19XU1var).** Bold strike on small yellow piece with tiny portion of address ("Lieut."), Very Fine (Scott Ret. \$2,000.00 for entire).....(Photo) E. 200-250
- 369 ☒ **Dalton Ga., 5c Black Entire (20XU1).** Clear strike with Apr. 17, 1862 cds on adversity cover made from bank checks with small illustration of dog's head, to Rural Hall, N.C., age speckles, still Very Fine, attractive usage.....(Photo) E. 500-750
- 370 ☒ **Dalton Ga., 5c Black Entire (20XU1).** Mostly complete strike of provisional hs, "Dalton Ga. Jun. 9, 1862" cds with date strengthened in ms. by addressee (matching docketing), waterstain, small piece out at upper left, still presentable(Photo) 500.00
- 371 ☒ **Dalton Ga., 10c Black Entire (20XU2).** Mostly bold strike on buff cover to Anderson C.H., S.C., Nov. 3, 1862 cds, cover with mended corner at T.L., far from markings, Fine.....(Photo) 700.00
- 372 ☒ **Danville Va., 5c Black Entire (21XU1).** Yellow envelope to Flat River, N.C. partial blue cds and usual traces of a stamp, Jan. 2, 1862 pencil note a bottom, tiny edge tear well clear of design, still Very Fine, very attractive example of this rare pictorial provisional, with 1985 C.S.A. certificate(Photo) E. 2,000-2,500
- 373 ★ **Fredericksburg Va., 5c Blue (26X1).** Mostly large margins, touched at top, o.g., Fine(Photo) 250.00
- 374 ☒ **Galveston Tex., 10c Black (98XU3).** Clear strike on **turned** buff cover front to Anderson, other side with **Houston Tex., 10c Red (40XU2)** provisional and addressed to a member of Elmores Regiment at Galveston, top flap remains, cover bit aged, but a unique usage (Scott combined retail value \$3,900.00).....(Photo) E. 2,000-2,500
- 375 ☒ **Georgetown S.C., 5c Black Entire (28XU1).** Clear strike on white envelope to Flat Rock, N.C., Sep. 26, 1861 cds at left, control mark on back, cover very slightly reduced at top, not affecting markings, Fine and very scarce.....(Photo) 600.00
- 376°☒ **Horn Lake, Miss. Oct. 8.** Balloon-style cds with matching "PAID" hs and ms. "10" on U.S. 3c Red on Buff entire (U10) to Montgomery, Tex. with **pelure label with boxed "10" hs**, 1861 docketing on flap, cover with sealed tear into 3c and just into the label, Fine and unique. The accompanying 1995 P.F. certificate which considers this a genuine usage but declines opinion as to whether the adhesive originated, although in our opinion the label is a genuine provisional stamp, and is effectively "tied" by the envelope tear. This cover was illustrated in Dietz's THE POSTAL SERVICE OF THE CONFEDERATE STATES OF AMERICA with the question "Who will define its status?" (p. 77). In 67 years no one has properly answered the question, or discovered a second example; offered for the first time at auction.....(Photo) E. 400-500

- 377 ☒ **Houston Tex., 10c Red Entire (40XU2).** Mostly clear strike on cover to Boonville, Jul. 15, 1861 cds at R., cover faulty including part of address restored from irregular opening at right side, a presentable example of this rare provisional(Photo) 1,500.00
- 378 ☒ **Jackson Miss., 5c Black Entire (43XU1).** Clear strike on yellow cover to a Capt. Daniel, "Army of 10,000/Grenada/Miss.", Dec. 8 cds, cover slightly reduced at bottom, still Very Fine.....(Photo) 500.00
- 379 ☒ **Kingston Ga., 5c Black Entire (46XU5).** Clear strike on cover to Mrs. Howell Cobb at Athens, Sep. 22nd cds at L., with original 1861 enclosure, cover professionally cleaned and repaired, Fine appearance, very rare, one of four known, with 1984 C.S.A. certificate(Photo) 2,000.00
- 380 ☒ **Lexington Miss., 5c Black Entire (50XU1).** Fabulous strike on orange cover to Jackson, Oct. 3 cds at left, cover repaired at top with small portion of rim of cds drawn in, still Fine, a great rarity—probably only four examples known, ex Walcott (a cover with the same date in the Worthington collection is recorded by Phillips and may be the same cover), with 1982 C.S.A. certificate.....(Photo) 5,000.00
- 381° **Lynchburg Va., 5c Blue (52X1).** Four full margins, clear cds, small sealed tear at T.L., Very Fine appearance, with 1989 C.S.A. certificate(Photo) 1,000.00
- 382 **Lynchburg Va., 5c Blue (52X1).** Full margins to just in, cancelled by portion of cds, thin, Fine appearance, with 1964 P.F. certificate.....(Photo) 1,000.00
- 383 ☒ **Lynchburg Va., 5c Blue (52X1).** Mostly large margins, uncanceled, on part-printed notice from Notary Public at Lynchburg, bold Aug. 29, 1861 cds at R., Fine, with 1980 P.F. certificate confirming this originated on the cover and therefore properly paid the 5c rate.....(Photo) E. 1,000-1,500
- 384 ☒ **Macon Ga., 5c Black on Light Blue Green (53X1).** Large margins to in at top, tied by double-circle Jan. 1st ds on small cover to Columbia, cover extensively repaired—worthy of professional restoration as address and cds are complete, rare(Photo) 4,000.00
- 385 ☒ **Macon Ga., 5c Black Entire (53XU1).** Mostly clear strike with rate repeated in pencil, on yellow ad cover to Griffin, fancy oval corner card on flap, in indigo, for Macon Manufacturing Co.—can be lifted for display, bit reduced at R., just affecting rim of marking, still Fine, rare(Photo) 500.00
- 386 ☒ **Macon Ga., 5c Black (53XU1).** Partial strike on 3c Red Star Die entire (U27) to Augusta, Aug. 16th Macon ds at L., large tear at L., slightly reduced at T.(Photo) E. 150-200
- 387 ☒ **Marietta Ga., 5c Black Entire (54XU1).** Clear strikes on cover to Dahlonga, Ga., age spots at far left, Fine(Photo) 300.00
- 388 ★ **Memphis Tenn., 2c Blue, Cracked Plate (56X1var).** Mostly full to huge margins, Very Fine.....(Photo) 150.00
- 389 ☒ **Mobile Ala., 5c Blue (58X2).** Four margins, tied by "Mobile Ala." double-circle ds with indistinct month and 1861 year date, on cover to Cross Plains, Ala., stamp with tiny corner crease, cover with small stain at left edge, still Fine(Photo) 750.00
- 390°☒ **Mobile Ala., 5c Blue (58X2).** Horizontal pair, mostly ample to large margins just touching at places, tied by two strikes of "Mobile Ala. Sep. 6, 1861" double-circle ds on cover to Huntsville Ala., tiny sealed spindle-hole in center of cover, otherwise Very Fine(Photo) 1,750.00
- 391 ☒ **Montgomery Ala., 5c Red Entire (59XU1).** Bold strike on cover to Hon. C.C. Clay at Huntsville, Jun. 18, 1861 cds, pencil notes at left regarding enclosure from a A.B. Moore: "Refusal of arms/reason for it", opened roughly at R. and repaired (not affecting marking) and some toning, still Fine.....(Photo) 750.00
- 392 ☒ **Montgomery Ala., 10c Red Entire (59XU3).** Clear strike on bright yellow cover to Richmond Va., Jun. 25, 1861 cds at left with sealed tear, still attractive, Fine(Photo) 800.00

- 393 **Nashville Tenn., 5c Carmine, 5c Gray (61X2, two; 61X4).** Close margins to cutting, first is unused, with a second example cancelled by portion of **Adams Express** oval, last with bit of blue cds, small faults, Good-Fine appearance..... 1,975.00
- 394 **New Orleans La., 2c Blue (62X1).** Full to large margins, Aug. 1st cds, small tear at R., Very Fine appearance, with 1991 P.F. certificate(Photo) 500.00
- 395° ⊗ **New Orleans La., 5c Brown (62X3).** Pair, full margins to just touching at top of right stamp, tied by partial "New Orleans La. 15 Jun." cds on yellow cover to Va., pencil docketing on back: June 19, 1861, Very Fine, **fourth day of use**—the one recorded First Day cover of this provisional (dated June 12th) is cancelled with the double-circle ds found exclusively on river mail; this may well be the earliest known use of the stamp with the regular circular datestamp.....(Photo) E. 350-450
- 396° ⊗ **New Orleans La., 5c Yellow Brown on Off-White (62X5).** Pair, large margins to cutting, tied by Dec. 12 (1861) cds on yellow cover to Carroll Parish, merchant's oval c.c. mended nicks at top from opening, Fine appearance, earliest known use is Dec. 3rd.....(Photo) 1,000.00
- 397 **Petersburg Va., 5c Red (65X1).** Four margins, tiny underinked area at B.L., , clear blue cds, tiny corner creases, Very Fine appearance.....(Photo) 450.00
- 398 **Petersburg Va., 5c Red (65X1).** Margins to just touching, tied by blue Oct. 23rd cds with integral "5cts", on large part of orange cover front, small faults, Fine.....(Photo) E. 300-400
- 399 ⊗ **Richmond Tex., 10c Red Entire (70XU2).** Light strike on Oct., 1863 folded letter to Houston, contents describing the illness of a Col. Potter and doctors recommendations, box charge instructions in corner, intriguing notes on back by recipient regarding a runaway slave, Fine and very scarce, with 1981 C.S.A. certificate(Photo) 1,000.00
- 400 ⊗ **Ringgold Ga., 5c Blue Black Entire (71XU1).** Clear strike on buff cover to Atlanta with two copies of 5c Blue (Local) at left tied by "Ringgold Geo. Jan. 20 cds, probably 1862 usage, stamps creased before use and cover with mended nick at top, still Fine, very rare, ex Hind, Emerson, with 1978 P.F. certificate(Photo) E. 1,000-1,500
- 401 ⊗ **Salem N.C., 5c Black (73XU1).** Clear strike of his with ms. "Paid 5" on cover with military address to Manassas Junction, cds at left dated Sep. 10 (1861), cover with right side added including small part of handstamp, Fine appearance, with 1989 C.S.A. certificate (Scott Retail \$900.00).....(Photo) E. 250-350
- 402 ⊗ **Selma Ala., 5c Black Entire (77XU1).** Clear strike with 5c showing doubling, on orange cover to Montevallo, Sep. 24th cds on 1861 pencil docketing at left, all-over ad on back listing guano, marble mantels, steam engines, etc., missing flap affecting this text and light soiling, Fine, with 1981 C.S.A. certificate.....(Photo) 1,000.00
- 403 ⊗ **Statesville N.C., 5c Black Entire (79XU1).** Clear strike with Dec. 15 cds at left (day inverted), on cover to Manassas, Va. with military address, minor soiling, Fine, ex Emerson(Photo) 450.00
- 404 ⊗ **Statesville N.C., 5c Black Entire (79XU1).** Clear strike on cream cover to Granite Hill, Nov. cds, cover with small ink smear from address, no flap, still Very Fine.....(Photo) 450.00
- 405 ⊗ **Statesville N.C., 10c on 5c Black Entire (79XU2).** Clear strikes on yellow cover to Gainesville, Fla., Dec. 30th cds, piece out at top which has been mended, with small portion of marking drawn in, Fine appearance—one of two known examples, ex Hart, with 1978 P.F. certificate(Photo) 2,000.00
- 406 ⊗ **Talbotton Ga., 10c Black Entire (94XU2).** Clear strike on grayish green cover to Tuskagee, Ala. double-circle ds at R. (Apr. 27, 1863), light wear, Very Fine strike, with 1986 C.S.A. certificate(Photo) 500.00
- 407° ⊗ **Talbotton Ga., 10c Black Entire 94XU2.** Clear strike on large cover to the Governor of Georgia, Joseph E. Brown, Jan. 7th cds at far right, cover refolded at left, small edge tears and refolded at L., Fine appearance.....(Photo) 500.00

- 408 ☒ **Talbotton Ga., 10c Black Entire, Value Inverted, (94XU2var).** Bold strike on large orange cover **rated 15c** in ms., to Quito Ga., (1862) cds at right with Mar. 24 date in matching ms., 1862 file note on back indicating this originally contained a will, with additional Jan., 1863 court docketing on face, minor soiling, Fine, **the only recorded Talbotton provisional with an inverted rate** and possibly a unique example of a Confederate provisional used to indicate a double rate on a three-times rate cover, with 1971 C.S.A. certificate(Photo) E. 600-800
- 409 ★ **Tellico Plains Tenn., 5c Red (81X1).** Part o.g., full to large margins, small ink stains, with photocopy of 1974 P.F. certificate for strip of three ..(Photo) 1,250.00
- 410 ☒ **Thomasville Ga., 5c Black Entire (82XU2).** Clear strike with Nov. 25th cds on orange cover to Warthen's Store, Ga., cover with faint stains at top edge, otherwise Very Fine, rare(Photo) 900.00
- 411 ☒ **Warrenton Ga., 10c on 5c Black Entire (89XU2).** Nice clear strike of revalued marking on ornage cover to a Capt. Arnold of 6th Reg., Ga. Vols., at Yorktown, Va., Sept. 14 cds at left, mended corner nick at T.R., bit reduced at L. into cds, scotch tape mends on back, but none affecting provisional, which is struck Very Fine, rare, ex Hart(Photo) 650.00

CONFEDERATE GENERAL ISSUES OFF COVER

- 412 P **5c Blue, Plate Proof on Wove Paper (2P).** Margins to just in at top, repaired at top, Fine appearance, rare, with 1995 P.F. certificate.....(Photo) 1,500.00
- 413 ★ **5c Light Blue, Paterson (2a).** Strip of four showing top and left sheet margins, clae to lage other sides, o.g., creases, toning affecting second stamp, scarce multiple(Photo) 1,600.00
- 414 ★田 **5c Blue, Stone 2 (4).** Block, o.g., full even margins all around, bottom pair never hinged, Very Fine, with 1991 P.F. certificate.....(Photo) 1,100.00
- 415 ★ **10c Blue, "TEN" (9).** Large margins all around, fresh color, unused (no gum), Extremely Fine(Photo) 800.00
- 416 ★ **10c Blue, "TEN" (9).** Three, margins except one just in at B., another is touched at R., one with o.g., others without gum, tiny faults, Fine-Very Fine appearance 2,400.00
- 417 **10c Milky Blue, "TEN" (9).** Mostly large to huge margins, tied by "Chattanooga Ten. Jul. 5" cds on small blue piece, small creases, Very Fine appearance.....(Photo) E. 250-350
- 418 **10c Milky Blue, Frameline (10).** Virtually complete lines at R. and B., touched at B.L., bold blue Richmond cds, pinpoint toned spot, still Very Fine, with 1981 P.F. certificate(Photo) 1,350.00
- 419 **10c Blue, Frameline (10).** Margins showing full lines at top and right, ¾ at bottom, indistinct blue cds, small thin and crease, Very Fine appearance.(Photo) 1,250.00
- 420 **10c Blue, Frameline (10).** Two, one with traces of framelines on three sides, grid cancel, other with full frame at B., large part at T., rich color, ms. cancel, first with small faults, Fine appearing lot 2,000.00
- 421 ★田 **10c Blue, Die A (11).** Full sheet of 100 with imprint and plate no. 2, "& Daly" with deletion lines, o.g., gum creases affecting L. vertical row and 4th and 8th horizontal rows, some toned spots in 4th row, still Fine, very exhibitable..... 1,490.00
- 422 ★ **Confederate Stamp Balance.** 28 items, includes No. 11 block of 75 with Archer imprint and plate no. 1 (cat. \$1.092.00+), o.g. No. 1 (Stone 1, four margins), three copies of No. 2 including L. sheet margin tied on piece, No. 4 tied on piece, four copies of No. 13, etc., also group of 80+ counterfeits & fantasies, mixed condition, Good-Very Fine lot E. 300-400

- 423 **Confederate Stamp Balance.** 29 items including pairs, used includes No. 1 (2), 2 (3 incl. one Stone Y), 4, 5 (large margins and blue town, tiny thin), four pairs of No. 7 incl. one with army target on piece, etc., unused include No. 3, 8, 9, 13 & 14, mixed condition to be expected though No. 9 other than a minute thin appears Extremely Fine and choice, others Good-Very Fine appearance 3,745.00
- 423A **Confederate Forgeries and Fantasies.** 1,200+ stamps and a few covers, from the crude to the frightening, including a full sheet of the infamous 5c "New York" forgery, also a few covers with stamps added or auxiliary markings applied. Properly organized and written-up, this could be made into an outstanding study E. 600-800

CONFEDERATE GENERAL ISSUES ON COVER

- 424° ⊗ **5c Green, Stone 2 (1).** Four margins, pen-cancelled, on **Mounted Dragoon** patriotic to Rockbridge, Va., light strike of "Brownsburg Va. apr. 9" cds, edge wear wear, stamp with gum stains and flaws from placement near top edge, otherwise Fine, with 1977 C.S.A. certificate.....(Photo) E. 350-450
- 425° ⊗ **5c Green, Stone 2 (1).** Full to large margins, tied by "Richmond Va. Feb. 5, 1862" cds on overpaid **drop cover**, Very Fine(Photo) E. 200-250
- 426 ⊗ **5c Green, Stone 1 (1).** Mostly large to huge margins except close at B., tied by "Memphis Ten. Feb. 8, 1862" cds on yellow cover to Lynnvile with "DUE 5" hs at left, stamp with tiny gum stains in margin, otherwise Very Fine.....(Photo) E. 150-200
- 427 ⊗ **5c Green, Stone 2 (1).** Average, tied by balloon-style "Gainesville Va. Feb. 26" ds on small cover to Savannah with additional "**Due 5**" red oval and ms. "Debit 5 cts" at top, Fine(Photo) E. 150-200
- 428 ⊗ **5c Green, Stone 2 (1).** Margins all around, tied by ms. "**Warwoman Ga. July 5**" postmark on wallpaper cover to Athens, additional "PAID 5", toned spots, otherwise Fine, very rare small town(Photo) E. 200-250
- 429 ⊗ **5c Green, Stone 1 (1).** Pair, large margins except irregular but clear above left stamp, tied by light but readable "Dudley N.C. Feb. 1" cds with double rim, on orange cover to Demopolis, Ala., pair with crease between stamps (pre-use), still Very Fine, very scarce townmarking(Photo) E. 300-400
- 430 ⊗ **5c Green, Stone 2 (1).** Pair, margins to cutting, bold pen cancels, on orange cover to Athens with matching "Carnesville Geo. July 11" postmark, fresh and Fine, very scarce(Photo) E. 100-150
- 431° ⊗ **5c Green, 5c Blue, Local (1, 7).** Tied together by "Madison C.H. Ga. Jan. 20" cds on small cover care of a Capt. Stackhouse, to Richmond, stamps with small faults, cover lightly soiled, Fine appearance.....(Photo) E. 150-200
- 432 ⊗ **5c Green (1).** Singles on six covers, all different Georgia ms. towns: Bonds Mills, Cairo (very nice pink-lined envelope opened for display), Drawdy, Dr. Town, Fenn's Bridge, and Millen, mixed condition, still a Fine group, very scarce..... E. 250-350
- 433° ⊗ **10c Light Milky Blue, Stone Y (2e).** Large margins, tied by "Kinston N.C. Jan. 24" cds on **Soldier & Verse** patriotic in black on buff, to Pittsborough N.C., cover crease horizontally along bottom, Very Fine and choice—Stone Y stamps on patriotics are far rarer than the Scott catalog value would indicate.....(Photo) E. 3,000-4,000
- 434° ⊗ **10c Dark Blue, Hoyer and Ludwig (2b).** Large margins, pretty shade, tied by "Rapid Ann Station Va. Mar. 28" cds on **Flag & Cannon** patriotic in black on buff, to Butler Ga., stamp with faint toned spot not mentioned in accompanying 1989 P.F. certificate, cover with light wear, still Very Fine, exceptionally attractive, ex White(Photo) E. 2,500-3,000

- 435 ☒ **10c Blue, Paterson (2b).** Large to huge margins, wonderful dark shade, near Indigo, neat pen cancel, on **turned** cover to Greensboro Ga. with ms. "Marble Works Ga. Dec. 25" postmark, inside with "Greensborough Ga. Dec. 30" cds and large "10" in circle with "PAID" hs, addressed to Alexander Stephens, cds shows thru slightly on front, cover with small reduction at bottom as usual with this correspondence, still quite attractive and Fine(Photo) E. 250-350
- 436° ☒ **10c Blue, Paterson (2).** Large margins, tied by "Jackson Miss. Nov. 14" cds on orange cover with corner card, "**Head-Quarters Army of Mississippi, Adjutant and Inspector-General's Office/Official Business**", stamp with small tear in corner, Very Fine appearance, scarce Miss. imprint, with 1986 P.F. certificate(Photo) E. 500-600
- 437° ☒ **10c Dark Blue, Hoyer & Ludwig (2b).** Small faults, tied by partly struck Augusta Ga. double-circle ds on cover to Charleston, forwarded with datestamp and large "10" with red crayon "Due", to Columbia S.C., charge box instructions at top, Fine, ex Kohn.....(Photo) E. 150-200
- 438° ☒ **10c Blue, Paterson (2).** Large margins to barely in at T.R., tied by "Panola Mi. Sep. 6" cds on cover to a captain in the 28th Reg. (Stark's Cavalry), McNutt, Miss., ms. endorsement in corner: "*By Courier to Carsons Landing Bolivar Co.*"; no flap, small tear at T., Fine, rare routing instructions(Photo) E. 150-200
- 439 ☒ **10c Light Blue, Paterson (2a).** Clear to large margins, tied by pen squiggle on adversity cover made from Ga. bailbond form, ms. "Long Branch Jany 5" postmark, stamp with tiny toning streak, still a Very Fine usage(Photo) E. 150-200
- 440 ☒ **10c Light Milky Blue, Stone Y (2e).** Margins to slightly in, small pen squiggle, on narrow cover with ms. "BremoBluff" (Va.) with indecipherable date, to Talcott Va., fresh and Fine, very scarce E. 150-200
- 441 ☒ **2c Green (3).** Four margins, tied by indistinct Richmond cds in blue on drop cover to Col. Rives of the Engineer Bureau, Fine, with 1981 P.F. certificate(Photo) 2,500.00
- 442 **2c Green (3).** Large margins, tied by "Gainesville Ga. Apr. 9" small cds on front only to the Secretary of the Lawrenceville Lodge No. 131., small stain at left, Fine and rare, with 1961 C.S.A. certificate(Photo) E. 600-800
- 443 ☒ **2c Green (3).** Five singles, slightly overlapping, each with matching ms. "X" on small homemade cover made from ledger sheet, partly clear "Camden S.C." cds, slightly reduced at top, Fine and very scarce.....(Photo) E. 1,500-2,000
- 444° **2c Green (3).** Strip of three and two singles, full margins to slightly in, tied by "Milton N.C." datestamps on **turned** cover front only to Leatherwood Store, Va., reverse indicates hand-carried usage in Feb., 1865, two stamps with small stains, front with some wear, still Fine and attractive appearance, with 1991 P.F. certificate(Photo) E. 2,000-2,500
- 445 ☒ **5c Blue, Stone 3, 5c Light Blue, De La Rue.** Each with large margins to barely in at T., tied together by bold "Charleston S.C. Aug. 23" cds on cream cover to Columbia, S.C., embossed c.c. for boots & shoes, three pinholes not affecting stamps, still fresh and Very Fine, very attractive usage.....(Photo) E. 400-500
- 446° ☒ **5c Blue (4).** Faults, tied by "Richmond Va. Apr. 11" cds on **Flag & Cannon patriotic** in black on buff, original 1862 letter from member of the 2nd Va. Regiment recovering from the measles, mentions preparations for fighting at Yorktown, the battle at Shiloh: "*we took near 3000 prisoners 12,000 killed and missing our lost was less than 1000 wee have gained some great victories and i hope wee will conker them before next Christmas, so bad they will give up and go home,*" etc. Very Good ..(Photo) E. 400-500
- 447 ☒ **5c Dark Blue, Stone 2 (4a).** Two, uncanceled, each four margins, on cover to Mt. Lebanon with partial "Hamburg Ark." cds with not quite readable date, R. stamp shows uninked area in back of head, Fine, very scarce Arkansas usage(Photo) E. 200-250

- 448 ☒ **10c Carmine (5a).** Margins except touched at B.R. corner, rich color, tied by "Ringgold Geo. Seo. 30" cds on cover to a Col. Thornton in Forkland, Ala., cover with small reduction at sides, stamp with some gum soiling and faint trace of pencil mark, Fine appearance, rare variety, with 1980 P.F. certificate....**(Photo)** 5,000.00
- 449 ☒ **10c Rose (5).** Margins to slightly in at L., creased before use, tied by partial Petersburg Va. cds in blue, on cover to Coman's Well, Va., cover with small sealed tear, Very Good.....**(Photo)** 750.00
- 450 ☒ **10c Rose (5).** Four margins, creased before use, tied by ms. "Allatona Ga. May 16" postmark on cover to Danielsville, Fine, rare town.....**(Photo)** E. 200-250
- 451 °☒ **5c Light Blue, De La Rue (6).** Four margins, tied by "Charleston S.C. Jun. 6, 1862" cds on gray cover to Greenville, forwarded with red crayon "Due 5" and Greenville cds to Flat Rock, flap tear, still Very Fine.....**(Photo)** E. 150-200
- 452 ☒ **5c Light Blue, De La Rue (6).** Large margins to cutting, tied by "Richmond Va. Aug. 16, 1862" cds on overpaid homemade **wrapper**, ms. "Two Papers" stamp lightly creased at top, Fine and scarce**(Photo)** E. 150-200
- 453 °☒ **5c Light Blue, De La Rue (6).** Pair with left sheet margin, clear to in other sides, tied by "Richmond Va. Aug. 13, 1862" cds on **Patriotic with hand holding 11-Star Flag with motto—"Fast Colors. . warranted not to run,"** to McKinley, Fla., light soiling, Fine**(Photo)** E. 500-600
- 454 ☒ **5c Light Blue, De La Rue (6).** Pair, four margins, cancelled by ms. "X" on small illustrated cover for **Wake Forest College**, with woodcut of school, all-over quadrille pattern in bistre, ms. "Dawnsville Wake Co. Sept. 19th" postmark at top, light soiling, otherwise Very Fine, very scarce, ex Kohn**(Photo)** E. 300-400
- 455 ☒ **5c Light Blue, De La Rue (6).** Pair, four margins, tied by "Rome Ga. Aug. 18" cds adversity cover to Savannah made from illustrated bank stationery, Very Fine**(Photo)** E. 250-350
- 456 ☒ **5c Light Blue, De La Rue (6).** Pair, large margins to barely in at top, tied by "Saltville Va. Apr. 13" double-circle ds in **green**, on cover to a Genl. James Reagon in Facility, Tenn., Fine and very scarce**(Photo)** E. 150-200
- 457 °☒ **5c Light Blue, De La Rue (6).** Two singles, large margins to touching, tied together by "Richmond Va. May 21, 1862" cds on yellow cover to New Market, S.C. with ms. route instructions, "P.M. Please send by Mill Way Carrier", Fine and attractive, only a few covers are known with this unusual route endorsement.....**(Photo)** E. 200-250
- 458 ☒ **5c Light Blue, De La Rue (6).** Horizontal and vertical pairs, different shades, each four margins, tied by Florence and Camden S.C. postmarks respectively, on forwarded cover, Camden pair with light crease, otherwise Very Fine.....**(Photo)** E. 150-200
- 459 °☒ **5c Blue, Local (7).** Margins to just in, tied by "Savannah Ga. Sep. 16" cds on folded cover with additional "DUE 5" in oval, addressed to a surgeon at the Naval Hospital in Richmond, stamp with some gum toning, otherwise Very Fine.....**(Photo)** E. 250-300
- 460 °☒ **5c Blue, Local (7).** Vertical pair, full margins, tied by "Rock Hill S.C. May" cds on back of yellow adversity cover made from song sheet, "Sacred Melodies," addressed to Oxford, N.C., cds repeated on front, opened at sides and folded for display, small tears, Fine appearance, attractive**(Photo)** E. 150-200
- 461 ☒ **5c Blue, Local (7).** Vertical pair, four margins, each with small pen stroke, on small 1863 folded letter with balloon-style "Green Cut Ga. Jun. 4" ds in **Green**, addressed to **Genl. Henry C. Wayne**, Adj. and Inspector General for Georgia, few toned spots in pair, otherwise fresh, Fine, very rare Zevely marking**(Photo)** E. 200-250
- 462 ☒ **5c Blue, Local (7).** Pair, clear to large margins, tied by blue "Charlotte N.C." circle without date, on orange cover to Col. J.R. Hanks at Marietta, Ga., cancelled with **New Year's Day** cds with ms. "Ford 10" and readdressed to Dalton, lengthy instructions on back to postmaster on forwarding requirements, Very Fine**(Photo)** E. 150-200

- 463 ☒ **5c Blue, Local (7).** Pair, four margins, folded over small narrow cover to Savannah, each stamp tied by "Robertville S.C. Feb. 3" cds, 1863 enclosure, opened for display, Very Fine and appealing usage.....(Photo) E. 100-150
- 464 ☒ **5c Blue, Local (7).** Pair, large margins to touched, each with ms. "X" on part-printed **marriage license** mailed to the Clerk of Pittsylvania County, Va., ms. "Riceville V./28 March 63" postmark, some toning, Fine, scarce..... E. 100-150
- 465 ☒ **5c Blue, Local, on De La Rue (7).** Two pairs, each with full margins to just in one side, tied by two strikes of "Montgomery Ala." cds on large cover to Greenville, ms. "Due 10" at left, bit reduced at left, far right stamp with corner crease, Fine appearance, scarce variety in a used multiple(Photo) E. 150-200
- 466°☒ **10c Milky Blue, "TEN" (9a).** Large margins to clear, tied by partial "Richmond Va. Jun. 17, 1863" cds on all-over advertising cover for Spotts & Harvey commission merchants, in green, to Bowling Green, Va., stamp with tiny insect erosion, and cover with sealed tears at left, still very attractive, believed to be the only all-over ad cover with a "TEN" stamp, accompanied by 1984 C.S.A. certificate(Photo) E. 2,000-2,500
- 467 ☒ **10c Milky Blue, "TEN" (9).** Clear to large margins, well tied by blue Ga. cds on **turned** cover to a member of the 4th Tenn. Vols., Stewards Division, Atlanta, inside with four margin 10c Blue, Die B (12) tied by army grid, cover opened to display stamp, Fine and scarce combination.....(Photo) E. 400-500
- 468 ☒ **10c Milky Blue, "TEN" (9).** Small faults, tied by pen stroke on cover to Balcony Falls, Va., clear "Water Valley Miss. Jul. 2" cds at L., cover with edge faults, scarce Miss. town(Photo) E. 150-200
- 469°☒ **10c Blue, Frameline (10).** Full frame at bottom with parts showing on all sides, tied by "Mobile Ala. May 9, 1863" double-circle ds on **turned** orange cover with red oval commission merchant's corner card, addressed to a Lt. Edwards in Richmond with last deleted and ms. "Co. A 44th Reg./Ala. Vol." written at left, inside with Gordonsville Va. cds and "Due 10" and sent by Edwards to his wife in Benton, stamp with small internal tear from affixing, Very Fine appearance, very attractive and rare Frameline advertising cover.....(Photo) E. 2,000-2,500
- 470 ☒ **10c Black (Changeling) Frameline (10var).** Margins showing three full lines, traces of fourth at L., tied by "Richmond Va. May 13, 1863" cds on cover to Greenville, S.C., cover with sealed tears, stamp with tiny scrape in bottom margin far from design, still Fine, very striking variety, with photocopy of 1938 letter from Stanley Ashbrook where he notes, *"I must confess this is the first one I have ever seen where the original blue, thru some chemical action, has turned to black. In fact I do not ever recall a changeling of blue to such a decided black as this stamp is."*(Photo) E. 1,000-1,500
- 471°☒ **10c Blue, Frameline (10).** Pos. 58, full lines at L. & B., nearly complete at R., rich color, tied by "Shoobota Miss. Apl. 19" cds on undated light buff cover to Summerfield, Ala., cover with light wear and soiling, Fine, very scarce.....(Photo) 2,500.00
- 472°☒ **10c Milky Blue, Frameline (10a).** Full frame line at bottom, large part at L. and traces other sides, tied by "Lauderdale Station Miss." cds on buff cover to Gainesville, Ala., original enclosure dated **April 23, 1863** from a Ben Banet to his wife, stamp with small stain and faint horizontal crease, Fine appearance, rare first month use, with 1989 P.F. certificate(Photo) 2,500.00
- 473 **10c Blue, Frameline (10).** Margins showing mostly complete framelines at top and right, part at left, tied by "Mobile Ala. Aug. 24" double-circle ds on a front, the back showing printed financial receipt form, stamp trivial defect at B.R., about Fine.....(Photo) E. 300-400
- 474°☒ **10c Blue, Frameline (10).** Large margins showing **large parts of all four frame lines**, tied by "Richmond Va. Apr. 11" cds with slug instead of year date, on cover to the wife of Maj. John Ross in Lexington, cover with mended tears at T., stamp with tiny scuff at T.R., far from design, Fine usage(Photo) 2,500.00

- 475° ⊠ **10c Blue, Die A (11).** Horizontal strip of four, large margins to in, tied by light strikes of "Marshall Tex." double-circle datestamps on 40c Trans-Mississippi rate cover to a captain of the 4th Texas Regular Vol. Infantry, "*Gregg's brigade Longstreet's crops Richmond*" and endorsed "*Express via Shreveport La.,*" strip with small faults, cover repaired, Fine appearance, a rare West to East usage, ex Camina, with 1990 C.S.A. certificate.....(Photo) E. 2,500-3,000
- 476 ⊠ **10c Blue, Die A (11).** Mostly large margins, tied by bold "5" rate hs, no other markings, on homemade oatmeal cover to a Capt. Hanks at Macon, Extremely Fine, very unusual canceller adversity usage.....(Photo) E. 400-500
- 477 ⊠ **10c Blue, Die A (11).** Two covers, first with large margins, tied by pen cancel on cover with **manuscript**, "**Atlanta Ga. Feb. 11, 1865**" at right, imprint at top for the Commissary General's Office, addressed to a captain at Macon, Very Fine, very rare usage, with 1990 C.S.A. certificate, though with no opinion as to where the Atlanta postmark was being used at this late date. Accompanying this is a second cover with matching imprint, stamp also pen cancelled but additionally tied by a Macon double-circle ds.....(Photo) E. 300-400
- 478 ⊠ **10c Blue, Die A (11).** Clear to huge margins, tied by "**Bristol V. & T.R.R.**" circle hs without date, on cover to Greenville Tenn., endorsed "*Care Genl. Vaughn Bristol Tenn.,*" original Feb. 25, 1864 enclosure from London, Tenn., Fine and scarce.....(Photo) E. 200-250
- 479 ⊠ **10c Blue, Die A (11).** Four margins, pen-cancelled, on **turned** cover with ms. "Brownsville N.C. Mar. 11th" and addressed to Enfield, outside with military address "*Care of Gen'l Lane/Wilcox's Div. A.P. Hill's Cps./Richmond*" and hand-carried, opened to display stamp; accompanying this are **ten** other hand-carried covers, virtually all with military addresses or endorsements, Fine lot..... E. 150-200
- 480° ⊠ **10c Blue, Die A (11).** Large to huge margins, near Milky Blue shade, tied by "Savannah Ga. Paid Aug. 1" cds on adversity cover with Northern pre-printed address in black on yellow, crossed out and mailed to Groversville, Ga., cover with two small tears, still Very Fine, stamp Extremely Fine.....(Photo) E. 100-150
- 481 ⊠ **10c Milky Blue, Die A (11).** Large margins, tied by "PAID" hs on cover with ms. "Clayton Ga. Aug. 31st" postmark, stamp with faint corner crease, Fine, scarce combination of ms. town and handstamp.....(Photo) E. 150-200
- 482 ⊠ **10c Blue, Die A (11).** Tied by pen stroke on missent cover intended for Madison Ga., ms. "Attapulgas Ga. July 13" postmark and clear "**Madison Fla. Jul. 15**" cds and 10c Blue, Die A (11) tied by pen stroke, additional ms. "missent" Fine.....(Photo) E. 200-250
- 483 ⊠ **10c Blue, Die A (11).** Large margins, pen-cancelled, no buff cover with ms. "**Pine Log Ga. Feb. 29**" postmark, Very Fine, rare leap year example..... E. 100-150
- 484 ⊠ **10c Blue, Die A (11).** Two, margins to cutting, on cover with "**C.S. Central Laboratory, (Ordn.)/Macon, Ga.**" to Capt. Little at "*Hd. Qrs. Gen. Bragg via Atlanta*", cover with mended nick at T.L., faint stains at edge, otherwise Fine.....(Photo) E. 150-200
- 485 ⊠ **10c Blue, Die B (12).** Large margins, tied by Columbus Ga. Nov. 8" cds on orange cover with "**State of Georgia, Quartermaster-General's Office**" imprint at R., cds repeated on back, Extremely Fine, ex Judd.....(Photo) E. 200-250
- 486 ⊠ **10c Blue, Die B (12).** Large margins, tied by dateless "**Andersonville, Ga.**" postmark on cover to Augusta, accompanied by a stampless example with postmaster's free frank, from 1856, latter with wear, first is Very Fine, with 1990 C.S.A. certificate.....(Photo) E. 200-250
- 487 ⊠ **10c Deep Blue, Die B, K & B (12).** Four margins, tied by "Lynchburg Va. Feb. 4" cds in **brown**, on adversity cover made from ledger sheet, to Ivy Depot, Va., cover tear at T.L., Fine, with 1992 Brian Green certificate.....(Photo) E. 200-250

- 488 ☒ **10c Blue, Die B (12).** Margins to touching, tied by light Selma Ala. cds on fresh cover to Atlanta with bold choice strike of "Quartermasters Dept. S. Hillyer Maj. & Q.M. C.S.A. Selma, Ala." oval in black, small area of cover cut-out on back, still Very Fine(Photo) E. 300-400
- 489 ☒ **10c Blue, Die B (12).** Four margins, tied by ms. "Quitman Ga. July 25" postmark on adversity cover made from **plate showing lithograph of mountains**, last portion of enclosure remains, including this P.S., "This will do for an envelope," stains around stamp and internal Scotch tape mends (of recent vintage)—properly restored, this would be a wonderful usage(Photo) E. 300-400
- 490 ☒ **10c Blue, Die B (12).** Large margins to touched at R., tied by "Lynchburg Va. Sep. 24" cds in **Green** on cover to Richmond. Unlike nearly all examples from Lynchburg which have changed over time to an unsatisfactory dull olive or grayish green, portions of this postmark are in an unbelievably *vivid* true green including the area tying the stamp, and which gives us an idea of what the ink originally looked like in the 1860s; cover with some sealed tears not affecting stamp or marking, Fine, rare in this condition(Photo) E. 200-250
- 491 ☒ **10c Blue, Die B (12).** Large margins, tied by light Augusta Ga. cds on adversity cover made from **map**, Fine(Photo) E. 200-250
- 492° ☒ **10c Blue, Die B (12).** Three large margins, in at left, tied by "Richmond Va. Aug. 19" cds on faulty but rare and historically important cover carried by Sgt. W.U. Bayless successor to Arthur H. Edey after his imprisonment at Elmira, endorsement at top reads "(From Mark Sm)ither Sgt. Maj. 5th Texas" and addressed to Mrs. E.E. Wynne at Huntsville, Tex., route instructions at lower left, "Care of Sgt. W.U. Bayless Agt. 5th Texas Regt., Texas Depot, Richmond Va. (Plea)se forward (by pr) hand." Portions of ms. in parentheses are torn away and filled in on restored paper, some other letters strengthened in ink; the sender, Sgt. Smither, was among General Lee's officers during the surrender at Appomattox; Sgt. Bayless, agent for the Fifth Texas Reg., assisted Arthur H. Edey and became responsible for the express after Edey was captured and imprisoned at Elmira; mentioned in Shenfield and the subject of Morris Everett's article in the *Confederate Philatelist* (No. 188, p. 35), ex Lemley, Everett.....(Photo) E. 400-500
- 493 ☒ **10c Deep Blue, Die A, K & B (11).** Large margins, tied by **violet** "Augusta Ga. Apr. 7" cds on cream cover to Macon, Fine and very scarce, with 1992 Brian Green certificate(Photo) E. 150-200
- 494 ☒ **10c Blue, Die B (12).** Margins to in at L., tied by light Lexington Va. cds on **Virginia Military Institute** ad cover with all-over design in bister, addressed to Edisto Island, S.C., faults including stain at B.R., stamp with some gun toning, otherwise Fine.....(Photo) E. 200-250
- 495 ☒ **10c Greenish Blue, Die B (12c).** Tied by "Athens Ga. Oct." cds on **overpaid drop** cover, slight toning, Fine and scarce(Photo) E. 150-200
- 496 ☒ **10c Blue, Die B (12).** Tied by partial Richmond Va. Oct. 21 cds on cover with "**Medical Director's Office**" imprint at right, addressed to the General Hospital, Petersburg, stamp with heavy gum toning, otherwise Fine, signed by Brian Green who dated this 1864. Accompanying this is a second cover with No. 11, postmarked Lynchburg, Va., with interesting Sept. 1864 letter from civilian hoping for a close to the War.....(Photo) E. 100-150
- 497 ☒ **20c Green (13).** **Vertical strip of five**, full margins nearly all around, tied by three strikes of "Macon Miss." double-circle ds with not quite readable date, on large (defective) cover to Scooba Miss. from the Executive Office at Macon, strip with natural bleaching that affects each stamp to different degrees, one stamp with small tear, cover with stains and reductions, nevertheless a remarkable usage—the largest known used multiple.....(Photo) E. 1,500-2,000
- 498° ☒ **20c Green (13).** Large margins to touched at L. tied by bold "Richmond Va. Jul. 29" cds on **turned cover** to Mechum's River, inside with Extremely Fine 10c Blue, Die A (11) tied by "Mechum's River Va. Aug.4" cds and addressed back to Richmond, cover opened to show 10c stamp, Very Fine, attractive and desirable usage, ex Muzzey.....(Photo) E. 750-1,000

- 499 ☒ **20c Green (13).** Four margins, tied by light "La Grange Ga. May 5" cds on cover to Athens, 1864 pencil docketing, cover with two faint waterstains at edge, very trivial, otherwise clean and Fine.....(Photo) 1,000.00
- 500°☒ **20c Yellow Green (13a).** Large margins to just in at R., tied by "Windsor N.C. Mar. 26" cds on homemade cover to Jackson Hill, Fine.....(Photo) 1,000.00
- 501°☒ **20c Green (13).** Margins all around, small faults, tied by army grid on blue envelope to White Gate, Va., military address on flap: "J.A.F./Co C. 3rd Ark. Regt./Texas Brigade", cover slightly reduced at bottom, Fine and very scarce(Photo) E. 750-1,000
- 502°☒ **20c Green (13).** Margins all around, tied by "Richmond Va. Mar. 25" cds on large blue **War Department** envelope to **Hon. W.A. Graham** Cottage House, N.C., read-dressed to Hillsboro with ms. "Forwd 10" just below stamp, minor edge wear, Fine(Photo) E. 600-800
- 503 ☒ **20c Yellow Green (13a).** Large margins to touching, tied by "Natchitoches La. Apr." double-circle ds on cover to Lockhart, Texas, ms. "From a soldier in Co. E. 6 " La. Dis. Cav." at left, small edge tears and some soiling, otherwise Fine (Photo) E. 400-500
- 504 ☒ **20c Green (13).** Four margins, used with 10c Blue, Die B (12) and tied together by "Americus Ga. May 22" cds on large size cover with attorney's c.c. in box, to Congressman Wm. E. Smith in Richmond, stamps with gum toning, slightly reduced at top with tiny mended tears, otherwise Fine, very scarce combination, with 1983 P.F. certificate(Photo) E. 300-400
- 505°☒ **20c Green, Diagonal Half Used as 10c (13c).** Upper right half tied by clear "Marshall Tex. Dec. 2" cds on buff cover to Galveston, docketing on back, "Jan. 29th 1865", minor edge wear, still Fine, signed MacBride and Schumacher, illustrated in Dietz, *Postal Service of the Confederate States of America*, p. 261(Photo) 2,250.00

CONFEDERATE WALLPAPER COVERS

- 506 ☒ **Conyers Ga. 7 April.** Ms. postmark and matching "Paid 10c" on **wallpaper** cover to Alexander Stephens at Richmond, 1862 docketing on back, bottom flap missing, Fine(Photo) E. 150-200
- 507 ☒ **5c Light Blue, London (6).** Pair, huge margins to cutting, tied by indistinct cds on multicolor **wallpaper** cover to Savannah (military address), floral design in red, pink, dark and yellow green, two shades of ultramarine, orange, and two shades of gray, cover wear and soiling, but still eye-catching, very rare to see this many colors in a wallpaper adversity usage(Photo) E. 200-250
- 508 ☒ **5c Blue (Local) (7).** Pair, four margins, grid cancels, on narrow **wallpaper** cover to Adams Run, clear "Flat Rock N.C. Feb. 10" cds at left, striking in design in violet, pale lemon and outlined in **gold**, old tape stains mostly on back, side flap showing wallpaper conceals a tape stain below pair, otherwise Fine(Photo) E. 200-250
- 509 ☒ **10c Blue, Die A (11).** Four margins, tied by indistinct Ga. cds in homemade blue ink on beautiful **wallpaper** cover with floral design in red & pink on glazed paper, stamp with tiny tear, Fine and very attractive.....(Photo) E. 200-250
- 510 ☒ **10c Blue, Die A (11).** Mostly large margins, tied by "Havanna Ala. Jun. 2" cds on **wallpaper** cover in pale lilac and cream, to Tuscaloosa, Fine and pretty.....(Photo) E. 250-350
- 511 ☒ **10c Blue, Die B (12).** Four margins, tied by blue "Hillsboro N.C. Jun. 13" double-circle ds on **wallpaper** cover to Monk's Corner, attractive floral design in brown & peach, light wear, Fine(Photo) E. 250-350
- 512 ☒ **10c Blue, Die B (12).** Large margins except in at T.R. corner, rich color, tied by grid on **wallpaper** cover from Flat Rock, N.C to Columbia, S.C., uncommon design in olive green and pink, no side flaps, Fine and handsome, ex Kohn(Photo) E. 200-250

MISSOURI IN THE CONFEDERACY

- 513° [Missouri]. Interesting letter dated May 30, 1858 from postmaster W.S. Wells of West Point, Mo. to **Governor Denver**, regarding James Montgomery: "*Made a speech. . .stated what robberies he had committed and what he intended doing and that was to drive every proslavery man and all free state men who would not join him out of the country. He has the sympathies of a large body of men down here. I have certain and reliable information this morning that a body of men started out yesterday after him and his men. . .five of Montgomeries men was killed and [?] others mortally wounded. . .Missourians are very much excited but have taken no action yet they anticipate an attack on this place or some point near here every hour. I fear before this reaches you that there will be bloody work carried on the settlers who have been driven out are determined to return and they will not spare any of the ontgomery Party. The anti Montgomery party took a wagon load of guns and ammunition. . .Montgomery's part have a written pledge to carry on these damnable deeds.*" etc. With original cover with ms. "Westpoint Mo. May 20" postmark and postmaster's free frank, Very Fine E. 300-400
- 514°⊠ **Mails Suspended.** Bold strike of this oval handstamp on yellow cover addressed to Marshfield, Webster Co., Mo., with 3c Dull Red (26) tied by bold "Columbus Wis. 4 Sep., 1861" double-circle ds, stamp with top perfs scissor trimmed
A "MAILS SUSPENDED" COVER ADDRESSED TO CONFEDERATE-HELD MISSOURI.
On August 10, 1861, Confederate forces drove Nathaniel Lyon's Union army from the field at Wilson's Creek near Springfield, Missouri. Their withdrawal carried all the way to Rolla, some 80 miles to the northeast, leaving southern Missouri in the hands of the Rebels and making delivery of this letter to Webster County impossible
A very rare Missouri usage and an exceptional example of this auxiliary marking. With 1983 P.F. certificate.....(Photo) E. 3,500-4,000
- 515°⊠ **Rolla Mo. Nov. 22.** Clear cds with matching "PAID" in frame on **patriotic** with all-over Union banner design, to Oswego Ill., R. Hawley imprint at bottom, slightly reduced at L., not affecting design, Fine and very scarce(Photo) E. 150-200
- 516 ⊠ **Rolla Mo.** Cds on 3c Red on White Star Die and Buff Star Die Entires (U26, U27) to Louisville, Jun. 11 & 26, 1861, first with reduction at R., just touching oval, last with 3c pen-cancelled, Fine lot E. 75-100
- 517°⊠ **Missouri into Confederate Arkansas.** 3c Red on White Entire (U9) to a Dr. Snyder in Camden Ark., clear "Bolivar Mo. Apr. 30" cds and additional "**Camden Ark. Jun. 5**" cds and ms. "*For./5 due*" at left, waterstains at right, otherwise Fine, very unusual usage. As the cover was not readdressed, the forwarding notation indicates that the U.S. 3c was not recognized, and that mail was being held pending the return (or a new address) of Dr. Synder(Photo) E. 250-300
- 518°⊠ **Clarksville Tex. Dec. 17.** Clear cds and pencil "due 10" on cover with ms. endorsement "*Soldiers Letter/Ritchey/Shelbys* Division" and addressed to Pittsburgh, Texas, cover slightly reduced at L., clear of endorsement, Fine, the sender, Lt. Samuel Ritchey, was a member of Jackman's Brigade. Endorsements with famed Missouri general Joe Shelby's name are exceedingly scarce, ex Green....(Photo) E. 200-250
- 519°⊠ **Holly Springs Miss. Oct. 30.** Cds and pencil "10" on cover to Richmond with rare endorsement: "*Soldier's Letter/Robt. McCulloch/Col. Comdg./2nd Regt. Mo. Cav*", minor soiling, still Very Fine, very desirable usage.....(Photo) E. 200-250
- 520 **Missouri Volunteers.** Part-printed Feb. 1865 appointment as corporal, 1st Reg., Mo. Volunteers, eagle vignette at top, Fine E. 75-100
- 521 **Missouri Ephemera.** Fascinating group of newspapers and magazines, 38 items, all with lead articles or some mention of Missouri, including nine HARPER'S WEEKLY, several war-dated issues of THE MISSOURI DEMOCRAT, an unusual flyer FOR THE HANNIBAL AND ST. JOSEPH RAILROAD COMPANY with large map and various articles, "Missouri Is a Free State!" and "'Prices of Labor paid in Northern Missouri", etc., also some early (1819) Washington papers with mention of Missouri expeditions, etc., Fine E. 400-500

CIVIL WAR NAVAL LETTERS AND COVERS

522°✉ **A Naval Letter Being Written as the News of Lee's Surrender Arrives.** Remarkable four-page letter by H.M. Wells on board the "U.S. Monitor Onondaga," April 9th, on the James River, to Dr. Bela Stevens at the U.S. Insane Asylum. Wells writes (in part): *"I was obliged to go to Richmond and see if the female portion of the community was suffering much—took about forty drops several times with Genl. Weitzel in Jeff Davis' 'shebang,' wiped my feet on Gov. Smiths carpet, made pretty faces to some F.F.V. females, and found the moral status of Richmond society about that of New Orleans when we entered that city. Reports to day from there confirm my experience elsewhere, that woman becomes fearfully demoralized by war, and that good sescesh women, F.F.V.s in society, are the first to attend to all the little wants of Yankee officers. I need not tell you what you can better read in the papers about the city. Its glory and shame have passed with history, and it has become the mecca of America, judging from the crowds flocking there—wish you would visit me and we will take a 'cuss-ory' view of this relic of Jeff-dom. . . Hold on a minute—there's a row—10 o'clock P.M. We were just startled by heavy firing down the river and thought the 'gorilliers' might be trying to raid it a little in the rear, but our dispatch boat brings the glorious news that Lee and his army have surrendered and everybody is giving vent to his joy through gunpowder. Surely the game is about up and you need not expect any more hard fighting. If you could only see the earthworks and fortifications about Richmond and Petersburg, you would agree with everybody that Grant has out-generaled Lee. Perhaps they will now send our vessel to Washington yard as she cannot go to sea. We may be neighbors yet!"* etc. Accompanied by original envelope with well-centered 3c Rose (65) tied by bold segmented cork, matching "Old Point Comfort Va. Apr. 12" double-circle ds, Very Fine, very choice condition. With its risque comments on southern women, its original observations on the death of the Confederacy and its unique depiction of a writer recording at the moment it occurs a great moment in American history, this piece is the perfect climax to any collection of soldiers' letters—unquestionably one of the greatest such letters still in private hands(Photo) E. 1,500-2,000

523°✉ **A Letter Rescued From the U.S.S. Housatonic.** 1-page letter from Carrington P. Slade, headed "U.S. Steamer Housatonic off Charleston feb the [?] 1864," to his mother & father: *"There is a great ram fever down here. We expect attack here every night by the rames. They started out last week one was coming out by Fort Sumter and one was coming out Beach Inlet she got half way out and she sprung a leak she went back after getting in by the battery she sunk and there is another one all ready to come out I was inside the bar last night on a boat to cut off relief from Fort Sumter but they did not come that night their boats was all busy getting off goods from a blockade runner which run ashore under fort Moulter our ironclads has sunk the steamer."* With 3c Rose (65) tied by segmented cork cancel on cover to Bristol R.I., "Old Point Comfort Va. Feb. 24" double-circle ds, large ms. endorsement at top: *"Naval Letter, US Sloop Housatonic"*, opened at right, slightly affecting stamp, small waterstain at bottom, still Fine. On Feb 17th, the *Housatonic*, off Beach Inlet, was attacked by the Confederate submarine *Hunley*. As the ship did not sink immediately, two boats were filled with survivors and rescue work went on for several hours. Because of the Feb. 24th date in the postmark, it is quite possible this letter was still on board when the *Housatonic* went down. The date on the letter is frustratingly unclear—a "1" is certain, but the other number is either a sloppy "7" or a half-hearted "0". In addition there is a number "7" written on back of the envelope with this note nearby: *"Mine was daited the 15/yourr was daited the 7/Abnr"*; in any case, this is an important naval piece associated with the first successful submerged submarine attack in history(Photo) E. 1,000-1,500

- 524°☒ **"Ship's Letter/U.S. Steamer Saranac/ Panama Bay N.G."** Endorsement on cover to Rush, Pa. from a U.S. marine aboard the *Saranac*. He writes (in part): "*McClellan has finally waked up and commenced fighting on the plan he proved himself so successful in Western Virginia. I am glad to see matters taking so fair a turn, so glad I hardly know what to do with myself. I can tell you I am unspeakably happy to realize that the Union is not yet to be despaired of and that the lovers of the government are determined to push things to the last before secession and its unholy ends shall be successful against the best Republic that ever existed upon the face of the earth. You know that I have said that we should not be able to make proper resistance against the rebellion till a system of determined slaughter of rebels is agreed and acted upon, and now we behold a fulfillment of those very words. If the course of fighting instead of digging ditches is persevered in we shall soon be able to see the rebellion pretty well crushed. It requires action, determined, unflinching action, to put down so strong a foe, and the sooner we use the means the better it will be for everybody. Stonewall Jackson's raid into Maryland has at last given the people and the government a lesson that will prove very beneficial in the end, as it has forced them into the belief that nothing but an unmerciful onslaught upon the least appearance of 'secesh' will give us a final victory.*" etc., cover with some edge flaws, Fine, exceptional content E. 300-400
- 525°☒ **5c Blue (Local) (7).** Two, large margins to touched, tied together by "Mobile Ala. Feb." double-circle ds to "Surgeon Jas. F. Harrison, C.S.N., Richmond" on grayish blue envelope, Very Fine. a former U.S. naval surgeon, Harrison served on the C.S.S. *Patrick Henry* in 1861-62(Photo) E. 100-150
- 526°☒ **10c Blue, Die A (11).** Full to huge margins including bottom sheet margin, tied by "Statesville N.C." cds on lime green cover to the "*Receiving Ship/Charleston, S.Ca.*" This refers to the CSS *Indian Chief*, used as a receiving ship at Charleston. In addition, the ship supported local torpedo operations during 1863. The *Indian Chief* was burned by the Confederates prior to the evacuation of Charleston on Feb. 18, 1865; flap tear and small stain at bottom, Fine, very scarce address ..(Photo) E. 250-350
- 527°☒ **10c Greenish Blue, Die A (11c).** Tied by "Amelia Va. Nov. 15" cds on homemade buff cover to Lt. James McC Baker, commander of the C.S.S. *Huntsville* at Mobile, Fine, signed Brian Green. Designed as an ironclad, though only partially armored, the *Huntsville* guarded the waters around Mobile. She was sunk on Apr. 12, 1865 during the evacuation of Mobile(Photo) E. 200-250
- 528°☒ **10c Blue, Die B (12).** Large margins, rich color, tied by partial blue Petersburg, Va. cds on cover with pink lining, to Surgeon James Harrison "*C.S. Navy Richmond Va.*", Fine E. 75-100
- 529°☒ **10c Blue, Die B (12).** Cut to shape, pen-cancelled, on small cover with ms. "Locust Hill N.C. Jany. 21st" and addressed to "*Lieut. Charles I. Graves—CSN/School Ship 'Patrick Henry'/Richmond/Va.*", docketing indicates this was received on board Feb. 3, 1885" contemporary waterstaining at left, still Fine, very rare. Among its many activities, *Patrick Henry* was present during the battle of Hampton Roads and fired long range at the *Monitor* as it maneuvered against the *Virginia*. It also served as the Confederate States Naval Academy in Oct. 1863. She was burned by the Confederates when Richmond was evacuated. Lt. Graves and others from the *Patrick Henry* acted as escort to Mrs. Jefferson Davis and guard for Confederate treasure(Photo) E. 300-400
- 530°☒ **20c Green (13).** Large margins incl. left sheet margin, tied by "Lexington Va. May 10" cds on **turned** cover to Lafayette Adair, aboard "*C.S. Steamer Beaufort/Box 149/James river fleet*", inside with 10c Blue, Die A (11) tied by Richmond cds, to Samuel Adair, cover with edge wear and toning, stamp with sheet margin partly torn away just into stamp—this most likely occurred in transit, still Fine and a very desirable usage—naval related examples of the 20c Green are very rare.(Photo) E. 600-800

- 531° ☒ **20c Green, Diagonal Half Used as 10c (13c).** Top right half with large margins, well tied by "Marion C.H. S.C. Dec. 20" cds on cover to Society Hill with corner card, "**Commandant's Office/Naval Station**", docketing indicates this was sent by a E.J. Means, box charge in ms. at top, last name of address removed (Allston), cover with scattered insect erosion not affecting stamp or corner card but which has been reinforced by rebacking the inside of the cover—professionally restored, this would be an outstanding item; quite possibly the only naval-related bisect known (Photo) 2,250.00
- 532° ☒ **CSS Nansemond.** Hand-carried cover, marked "Official" on addressed to "*Lieut: Comdg:/J.H. Rochelle C.S.N./Steamer 'Nansemond'*" A former lieutenant in the U.S. Navy, Rochelle served on a number of Confederate ships. He was commander of the *Nansemond* in 1862-63, as part of the James River squad, Very Fine and rare (Photo) E. 150-200
- 533° ☒ **Confederate Covers with Naval Addresses.** Three, includes large cover with No. 12 tied by Tarboro N.C. cds and mailed to "*Pay Master John de Bree, C.N./Chief of Office Provisions & Clothing/Navy Department/Richmond*" with note on back, "*To be examined*" and "*Naval Construction/Carpenters & others*"; turned cover front with No. 12s, to Surgeon Arthur Lynch aboard *CSS Palmetto State* an ironclad ram at Charleston (other side addressed by Lynch to his wife; No. 11 from Charleston, Nov. 23, 1864 to Marine Lt. Henry Graves on *CSS Savannah* at Savannah; last stamp faulty, other covers with some faults, Good-Fine, rare group E. 300-400
- 534° **John Ericsson.** Naval inventor and engineer, best remembered for building the *Monitor*, ALS, 1 page (8 x 10 in.), dated June 4, 1858, to John B. Nitabu: "*After much reflection I advice you t put off, for the prsent, the consturction of the intended large caloric boat—I need not say that I give this advise reluctantly, but in view of the important bearing which this boat will exercise in regard to the introduction of our new motor and the possibility of our adapting a form of engine not altogether calculated to recommend and inspire confidence in the caloric engine, I request that yo will stop the work that we may have the advantage of fully testing the large engines we are now building before we commence others of still greater power.*" Large signature, Very Fine E. 750-1,000
- 535 **James P. McKinstry.** Commander in the Blockade Squadron. ALS, 1 page, dated May 15, 1866 to Secretary of the Navy Gideon Welles, regarding a security leak (i.e. the ship's destination) and his efforts "*to prevent if possible any further reports.*" Docketing in Welles' hand on back, Fine E. 100-125
- 536 **[Union Navy].** Collection of four letters from James Payne, 1861-62, letters headed the *Gunboat Albatross*, U.S.S. *Congress*, U.S.S. *Ohio*, and Fort Ellsworth. First letter with handsome naval letterhead, "*The Pride of the Nation.*" Payne tells of the 15-gun salute given to Genl. McClellan and tells of his fear that the *Merrimac* would attack the U.S. *Congress*. He gives his impression of the taking of Fort Macon and the townpeoples' reaction: "*The troops of Burnside have got possession of the town 0 they marched into it in the night and in the morning when the inhabitants turned out they were quite surprised to find our pickets sttioned in town but did not seem to dislike it much.*" Lot includes **three post-war documents** concerning Payne's pension, war letters with original envelopes (stamps removed), Fine lot E. 300-400

PRISONER-OF-WAR AND FLAG OF TRUCE

- 537 ☒ **Camp Chase.** Orange cover to Covington, Ga. *By flag of Truce/Via Fortress Monroe Va.*", clear examiner's mark (Dietz Ty. 1c) with 10c Blue Die B (12) just tied at top by cds struck mostly off the cover's edge, U.S. 3c Rose (65) tied by target, matching "Columbus O. Feb. 7" double-circle ds, pencil "1865" beneath stamp, 3c bit faded, still attractive, Fine and scarce usage (Photo) E. 300-400
- 538 ☒ **Camp Chase.** Mostly clear strike of circle hs Ty. 1c on orange cover to Huntsville Ala., 3c Rose (65) tied by target and "Columbus O. Jan. 18" double-circle ds, Fine (Photo) E. 150-200

- 539 ☒ **Camp Chase.** Three prisoner of war covers, addressed to a Dr. Alfred Hughes in Wheeling Va., each with ms. examiner's mark, 3c Rose (65) tied by "prison bar" cancel with "Columbus O." double-circle ds, June-Oct. 1862 usages, small faults, Fine lot.....(Photo) E. 200-250
- 540 ☒ **Johnsons Island.** Oval hs with "CHR" examiner, on cover to Alabama, 3c rose (65) tied by target, Sandusky and Richmond postmarks, "DUE 10" hs, Very Fine.....(Photo) E. 150-200
- 541 ☒ **Old Capitol Prison.** Bold Ty. I examiner's hs on buff cover to Petersburg, Va., 5c Blue, Local (7) pair tied by "Richmond Va. Mar. 23, 1863" cds, no flap, cover slightly reduced at T., small paper loss at T.L. corner from ink erosion, otherwise clean and Fine, very scarce, choice strike.....(Photo) E. 400-500
- 542 ☒ **Point Lookout.** Small octagon examiner's hs on cover to Martinsville, Va. with 10c Blue, Die B (12) tied by Richmond cds and U.S. 3c Rose (65) tied by target with Point Lookout double-circle dated Oct. 17, 1864, some toning and light soiling, otherwise Fine.....(Photo) E. 300-400
- 543 ☒ **Point Lookout.** Large oval examiner's hs on orange cover to South Carolina, 3c Rose (65) with target cancel of Point Look Out but tied by "Richmond Va. May 10" cds, bold "DUE 10" hs, stamp with faults, Fine usage.....(Photo) E. 200-250
- 544 ☒ **Rock Island Barracks.** Large triple-circle hs, Ty. Ib, on homemade cover to Indianapolis, 3c Rose (65) tied by double-circle "Rock Island Ill. Mar. 24 '64" ds, Fine and scarce(Photo) E. 200-250
- 545°☒ **Rock Island Barracks.** Partly struck blue examiner's oval on cover to the 2nd Auditors Office at Richmond with 10c Greenish Blue, Die A (11c) and U.S. 3c Rose (65), both stamps with minor faults, uncanceled but properly used on this prisoner-of-war cover with ms. endorsement, "Care of W.U. Bayles Agt. 5th Texas Depot," letter enclosed datelined "Military Prison Barracks No. 7, Rock Island Ill. Dec. 19th/64", with significant references to Sgt. Bayless and the shipment of provisions to Rock island, the prisoner examiner has crossed out requests for provisions, adding on back, "No provisions will be sent for the prisoners and these letters must not exceed two-thirds of a page of the size of this. H.K. Qm."; intended for flag of truce mails but evidently carried by private courier, the cover is somewhat toned, still Fine and exhibitable, described in the *Confederate Philatelist* (No. 188, pp. 35-38), ex Everett(Photo) E. 400-500
- 546 ☒ **Rock Island Barracks.** Mostly clear strike of oval on yellow cover to Keene, Ky. with 3c Rose (65) tied by target and Rock Island cds, flap unsealed, Fine(Photo) E. 150-200
- 547 ☒ **Provost Marshall General of East Tennessee.** Large embossed circular seal on back of cover to Kingsport, E. Tennessee with uncanceled 10c Blue, Die A (11) which is just tied by bit of ms. from examiner's marking, endorsed "Flag of truce" and the awkward, "Via of Richmond through Genl. Winder", original Apr. 30, 1864 letter from London, Tenn. and addressed to "Mr. 'Joe' G. Rhea/Care of Brig. Gen. Vaughan", dried flower attached to top of letter, Fine, very rare and unusual usage, recently discovered(Photo) E. 250-350
- 548 ☒ **"Flag of truce."** Endorsement on small cover to London, E. Tenn., with 3c Rose (65) tied by blue target and "Chattanooga Ten. Feb. 19 '64" double-circle ds, with moving letter from soldier in Montgomery, Alabama to his lover: "I cannot here relate what I have passed through since our forces left London. I made a long trip by Lynchburg, Wilmington and Augusta to Dalton, from Dalton to this place how long I shall stay here I cannot tell. I go willingly wherever ordered and wherever duty calls me. I am in good health and good spirits save when I recollect that you are in the hands of the enemy; but I hope they will treat you with the generosity of a civilized nation at war. Whatever scenes surround you and I know they are dark rely in God for Safe deliverance. Pray always as you promised me you would pray and my spirit shall meet yours at the altar of prayer. May God bless you until peace is restored or the Authorities on both sides will grant us permission to join each other within the lines of the southern army. Till then I leave the kind care of heaven to guard you. Be to me what you ever have been 'Marie'—as I am and will ever be." Includes instructions on replying and a place marked "U.S. Postage", where a 3c stamp was removed. Very Fine, a beautiful example of a flag of truce letter E. 200-250

CONFEDERATE COLLECTIONS AND GROUP LOTS

- 549 ☒ **Augusta, Ga. In the Confederacy.** Ten covers, includes No. 26 with cds (Feb. 9, 1861), double-circle ds (Mar. 21), two U27 entires (cds and double-circle, also two stampless with different Paid 5 handstamps, No. 11 K & B with violet cds, also three post-war 1865 usages including two violet "Due 6" handstamps on stampless with matching cds (one with blue stencil corner card), also fancy "OK" negative woodcut, on 3c entire, mixed condition, Good-Fine..... E. 300-400
- 550 ☒ **Confederate Ga. Adversity Usages.** 21 covers, all different examples, includes group of U.S. Nesbitt and Star Die entires with ms. or handstamped paid (one with No. 12); turned covers including two No. 7s removed from first mailing from Hobbie, pen cancels removed and re-used with balloon-style Montazuma ds; covers made from college faculty list, registry form, CSA tax receipt, etc., mixed condition as to be expected but a desirable group..... E. 750-1,000
- 551 ☒ **Savannah Ga. in the Civil War.** Study of 12 covers, includes Jan. 19, 1861 cds on U26 entire; No. 26, Feb. 5th; U27, Feb. 23rd; No. 26, Mar. 28 on forwarded cover from Washington; No. 24, Apr. 19th (small cds with stars); U27, Apr. 20th; No. 26, Apr. 26th to Howell Cobb in Montgomery; stampless with "20" hs; "Paid 5" oval; same, re-rated with 10 hs; "Paid 10" in oval; cds with "Paid" on cover with "Ordnance Depot" imprint plus 1864 enclosure with matching letterhead, Very Good-Fine lot..... E. 400-500
- 552 ☒ **Covers To & From Confederate Soldiers.** 45 covers, majority are Georgia soldiers, stampless and stamped incl. due markings, some imprints including Ochlockonee Light Infantry and Georgia State Guard, wide range of postmarks (mostly Ga.) and destinations (including Florida), frankings include No. 6, 7, 11 & 12, some original contents, mixed condition of course but generally a Fine group, great opportunity for research E. 1,000-1,500
- 553°☒ **Confederate Cover Balance.** 14, includes three No. 2s (Paterson) on separate covers including blue Petersburg, group of Charleston including No. 26 used May 13, 1861, several No. 4s including Milky Blue pair, No. 12 violet cds, etc., mixed condition, Good-Very Fine E. 250-350
- 554 ☒ **Confederate Cover Balance.** 14 covers, includes stampless Mobile sent by member of Partisan Rangers, seven examples of No. 1 including two pairs and single Stone A/B from Nashville (Nov. 7, 1861), No. 2b Hoyer to a member of the 5th Texas Reg. on overpaid Richmond drop usage, etc., mixed condition, Good-Fine..... E. 300-400
- 555 ☒ **Confederate Balance.** Five covers and one stamp, mostly better items including No. 7 pair from Warsaw N.C. on U.S. 3c Red Nesbitt (U10); No. 7 pair tied by brown Gordonsville Va. cds; No. 11a Milky Blue used on U26 entire; No. 12 tied by violet Augusta GA. cds; off-cover No. 12 with straightline "Army of Tenn." postmark, etc., Fine lot E. 250-350
- 556 ☒ **A Group of Confederate Field Covers.** Eight hand-carried covers, all addressed to a Captain S.J.P. Moore, various military addresses including "Army of General Jackson," "Jacksons Army," "Gen. Jackson's Army Corps," "Army of Major General Jackson," also two with "Jones Brigade—Edward Johnson's Division—Genl. Ewell's Corps" etc., lot also includes eight additional covers, but with stamps torn off or removed—these have not been figured, Fine-Very Fine lot E. 300-400
- 557 ☒ **Unlisted Georgia Manuscript Towns.** 13 different, all unlisted in New Dietz and ASCC, Vol. III, all rare or unique: Campbellton, Gilmore, Henderson, Hollingsworth, Howard (turned, with ms. "Due 2" on inside), Lafayette (with listed hs "5" in circle), Millwood (turned, both with same pmk, one sent free, other with "Paid 10" to the Governor of Ga.), Oak Hill, Tunnel Hill, Wallace, Waynesville (in blue, with unlisted hs "Paid" and "5" in circle), Winchester, and Winfield, very mixed condition, Good-Fine E. 300-400

- 558 ☒ **Confederate Georgia—A Collection of Stampless Paid's.** 131 covers, nearly all different, including ms. towns, 80c rate from Greensborough, Executive Dept. imprint from Milledgeville, defective flag & tent patriotic with ms. Screven (can and should be restored), colored cancels including red Buena Vista, Sparta (10 inside "Paid" in circle), Tunnel Hill and violet Rosewell, etc., some with letters, Good-Fine, a valuable lot with many scarce items..... E. 2,500-3,500
- 559 ☒ **Balance of an Important Confederate Collection.** Several hundred items, covers, stamps and reference material, strength in 100+ covers with stamps and nearly all postmarked Georgia, frankings include No. 1, 2, 4, 6, 7, 11 & 12, numerous small ms. towns, other state cancels include straightline "Goodson", "N. & C.R.R. Wartrace" oval tying No. 6 & 7 combination, etc., lot also includes a few letters, Adams and Southern Express Co. receipts (CSA period), P.O.W. covers, also a few questionable but potentially worthwhile items incl. No. 13 on patriotic and Mobile frameline (neither have been figured), mixed condition of course, Good-Very Fine, a valuable and important lot..... E. 3,000-4,000

UNION LETTERS AND EPHEMERA

- 560 **[Broadside].** 8½ x 12 in., THE PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION/APEAL OF THE NATIONAL UNION COMMITTEE TO THE PEOPLE OF THE UNITED STATES, dated Sept. 9, 1864 at New York, with text chastising the recent Chicago Convention which "*neither condemns the actions of the Richmond rebels, nor proposes to expel them against their will, or by any exercise of force, from the seats of power they have usurped.*" etc., scattered toned spots, Fine..... E. 100-125
- 561 **A Canadian's View of the War.** Three letters, 12pp, 1861, 1863 & 1864, from businessman in Montreal to his brother in Vermont: "*The air is clear as it can be around a city where hundres of chmneys are constantly puffing out dark clouds of smoke. The troubles with you have driven into our streets a flow of business never before witnessed here. . I hope Gen. Scott will not get in a general conflict with the Rebel forces, if he does he will be whipped. Now Dave, don't say again that you will thrash England if she interferes. The United States never saw the day they would do it, much less could they do it now. You will find that you have quite enough on your hands at present; and the only possible solution of the affair that I can see is to declare the slaves all free. Then you will indeed be fighting for Freedom: then will the sympathies of freemen everywhere be with you.*" etc. In another letter he notes, "*We see lots of skedaddlers here, but the poor cowards do not find it very agreeable—they are frequently hooted in the streets,*" etc., and comments on the draft: "*I believe the President is the only true patriot among you. There ought to be 100,000 ready to rush to their country's rescue,*" Very Fine..... E. 200-250
- 562 **Evacuation of the Rebel Batteries.** 4pp, headed "Camp Hooker Lower Potomac, Mar. 2, 1862, good description of rebels abandoning their position on "the Virginia side of the river." He writes (in part): "*Suddenly there was a great excitement in camp and the cry that the rebel shore was all in flames. . After landing we went to work bringing shell out the magazines, as only a few of them exploded. The gun carriages were burned and some of the guns were burst, but there was any number of shells. They were supplied with ammunition and I cannot think what made them leave. Everything was in great disorder and it was indeed a dirty looking place. I do not think they had much discipline among them, and I should judge by their letters of which I read a number that they were a very ignorant set. We had a scouting party out all day. They brought in five prisoners but only one of them was a soldier. He belonged to the 1st Texan regiment. This regiment had the words 'Yankee Killers' over the doors of their tents.*" etc. In pencil, Very Fine..... E. 100-150

- 563 **Fractional Currency Shield.** Gray background with 39 pieces, eagle vignette at top, mounted on white bristol board, some small waterstaining at bottom edge of board, not affecting shield which is in very fine condition, attractive framed, rare(Photo) E. 1,000-1,500
- 564 **[Gettysburg].** Two letters, Aug. 8, 1863 and Aug. 19, one and four pages respectively, from a civilian eyewitness—a Miss Sally Myers of Gettysburg, along with a later ms. transcript of the longer of the two. First is an inquiry about a Union soldier captured by rebels in front of her house, other is a detailed account of the Myers house being used as a temporary hospital, shelter and kitchen for the wounded. She writes (in part): "*All the cavalry engaged passed down our street in to battle and we sang for them, gave them water and provisions, and they cheered loud and long. I never heard such hearty cheering in my life. They seemed so lively and confident of success.*" etc. There is also descriptions of hiding in the cellar during shelling, rebels looting their house after the first day of the battle and this macabre scene: "*Two men and two horses lay dead in our square. They were killed instantly and horrible to tell the rebels cut the head of one of them after he was killed. They would allow no one to go near them and they searched stripped them and covered them with blankets, and they lay unburied for nearly three days. They would not bury them nor would they allow us to do so.*" etc. Letters soiled, with separations, some fading, but the later copy (1880s?) is easy to read... E. 500-600
- 565 **The Last Days of the War in the West.** Entertaining 4pp letter from a Sam Frazer to his wife, dated Eastport Miss. May 9, 1865, describing aborted "mule expedition" to be sent "*to try to intercept Jeff Davis' flight,*" and speculates on why they are instead being sent to St. Louis under Genl. Pope: "*A great many think that it is preparatory to being sent to Texas to look after Kirby Smith. My opinion is that is we are ordered to St. Louis it is in order to have us at a point where, should it be rendered necessary by the refusal of Kirby Smith and the Trans Mississippi rebels to surrender, we will be within reaching distance. . .My opinion is that there will be no more fighting in Texas or any where else. The rebellion is dead. But should our services be needed to restore the authority of our government in the Western Department, I for one am willing to render that service until peace is restored.*" etc. Fine, desirable contents E. 100-150
- 566 ☒ **Miamiville P.O. Camp Dennison, O. Jan. 18, 1864.** Mostly bold cds on cover with pen-cancelled 3c Rose (65), attractively-rendered address, slightly reduced at L., Very Fine usage(Photo) E. 75-100
- 567° **[Muster Roll].** 31 x 21 in., from Captain Henry Bowman, Co. C, 15th Reg. of the Mass. Volunteers, dated Oct. 31, 1862, **listing the dead, wounded and missing at the Battle of Antietam:** "*Wounded in the action of Sept. 17th. . .Missing since the action of Sept. 17th/62. . .Prisoner of War since Sept. 17th/62. . .Killed in the action of Sept. 17th/62. . .died Sept. 28th of wounds rec'd Sept. 17th/62*" etc., some paper loss at edges, still Fine, suitable for framing..... E. 400-500
- 568 **Post-War Alabama.** Two intriguing letters (4 & 6pp) dated Dec. 1865, one from Montgomery ("*We can do no good here in legislation capacity but possibly much harm. . .the Negro is the only subject of Legislation that requires immediate action*" etc.), the other headed "Senate Chamber": "*We are doing everything we can to get the State back into the union and inaugurate the regular Governor. . .today no business — cause Thanksgiving day — you will rationally enquire why we are called on to give thanks for our overthrow, the answer is the President has so ordered and we must obey. After we get back into the union I hope we can exercise the rights of freemen once more,*" etc. Unfortunately, these are signed "your Husband", with no other clues as to the identity of this Alabama politician, nevertheless they are important historically and worthy of research..... E. 100-150

- 569 **Reminiscences of an Army Surgeon 1860-1863.** Wraps, n.d., "Printed for Private Circulation", 26pp, **inscribed** on front, "To Col. J.F.R. Landis/US Army/with the compliments of the author", accompanied by 1968 Library of Congress letter indentifying the author as Charles Christopher Byrne (1837-1921) and noting that the book was absent from their collection; Fine, rarely offered E. 100-150
- 570 **[Sanitary Fair].** Card authorizing bearer to "collect contributions in aid of The Great Central Fair for the Sanitary Commission. . .for the Committee on Relics, Curiosities & Autographs" etc., signed by **John Welsh**, chairman, and pasted in inside front cover of small leather notebook with seal of the Great Central Fair on front, contents, in pencil, are quotes from the Bible, religious verses, etc. Fine and unusual piece E. 100-150
- 571 **Second Battle of Bull Run.** 2pp, Sept. 15, 1862 and headed "Camp on Masons Hill—8 miles From Washington", from a member of the 25th Ohio Reg. He writes (in part): "We left Sperryville the evening of the 7th of July & went to Culpeppers Courthouse had a fight four miles from there got whiped retreated back to Culpeper from there we went to the White Sulpher Springs (I believe it is the pretiest place that I ever saw) & then to Rappadan Station there had a fight & retreated to bullrunn on the famous Battle ground & there fought four days the Rebles surrounded our Brigade & they made a bayonette charge & broke through the reble lines & they got orders to retreat & they broke ranks & every man for himself Lucius got wounded in the hand but not very bad the Rebles routed the U.S. army completely & they retreat is called Popes runn Formly called Bull Runn" etc. With original envelope (Washington cds with fancy cork duplex and "Due 3" hs), Fine..... E. 150-200
- 572 **The Letters of Col. Eugene B. Payne.** 14 letters to his wife, 1862-64, 70pp, entertaining contents from Mo., Arkansas, Vicksburg, Louisiana with mention of ship blowing up, Genl. Grant recovering from a fall from his horse, siege of Vicksburg, opinions on racial marriages, sending slaves back to Africa, with an occasional indiscreet remark: "I write in humiliation and sorrow. The old 13 that never yet disgraced itself, whose only fault was blindly following the orders of N.P. Banks and being cut to pieces one brigade at a time is now crushed, multilated and squelched out of existence and assigned to other corps." etc. There are in addition a lengthy diatribe against Banks including a story of cotton speculation, secret deal with Kirby Smith, etc. Each with original envelopes—a number with interesting forwarding markings. The lot also includes three letters to Payne and two post-war letters including **ALS from John Franklin Farnsworth** on House of Rep. stationery, Very Fine lot E. 500-600
- 573 **The Letters of E.C. Wells.** 48 letters from a Pa. soldier to his wife, 1864-65, includes descriptions of fighting at Cedar Creek and Bolivar Heights, mentions capture of Petersburg and fall of Richmond, Sheridan taking 5000 prisoners, camp life, etc., all with original covers, Fine..... E. 400-500
- 574 **The Letters of Jonathan Bunnell.** 121st Regt., N.Y.S.V., 11 letters, all lengthy, written from camp in November, 1862, several discussing reactions to Burnside replacing McClellan, Fine lot E. 150-200
- 575 **Letters of Sgt. Charles Preston.** Nine, 1864-65, from a member of the 9th New Jersey volunteers, generally routine letters ("Our duties are solely those of the camp") but includes one exceptional letter lamenting **the death of President Lincoln**. Each with original envelope to Seaville, N.J., and franked with 3c Rose (65), various occupation markings including "US" hs from Newbern, N.C., one letter with nice description of Raleigh, Fine lot..... E. 150-200

- 576 **The Letters of Sgt. Osin O. England.** Seven, 14pp, 1862-64, letters headed "Camp Near Moscow," "Camp Near Lafayette," etc., Fine..... E. 300-400
- 577 **Letters from a Vermont Soldier.** Nine, all 1865, from George Varney of the 17th Reg., most with original covers, all with No. 65s addressed to Lincoln, Vt., Fine group E. 100-150
- 578 **The Papers of Private George Shaw.** 18 pieces from a member of Co. G, 80th Illinois vols., includes: several special orders; two different passes; order to report to hospital as assistant to surgeon; two early post-war letters of recommendation from officers; choice discharge paper with beautiful calligraphy; another discharge certificate provided in 1890; certificate for pension, etc., Fine lot..... E. 200-250
- 579 **Letters to a Ohio Soldier.** 14, all from 1864, to H.J. Russel of the 82nd Ohio, includes good letter from soldier on Matagorda Island, bringing his friend up to date with description of fight at Magnolia Hill, Champion Hill, capture of Vicksburg, etc.; another letter discusses copperheads, their plans to establish a "Northwestern Confederacy" etc. Another letter describes paroled prisoners, "living skeletons," and a brother who died two weeks after his release: "*He made several attempts to tell of his hardships & suffering but could not without shedding tears.*" The most interesting letter includes a description of an Indian lecturer ranting against copperheads on behalf of the Union, and promising that if the North failed, the Indians would take up the fight: "*. . . some got angry and left, couldn't stand it any longer he told them when he commenced that he expected he would kill some of them before he got through. I think he wounded some of them pretty severely so much so that some thought it best to get home as quick as possible and retire. I'll bet they didn't sleep much.*" The lot also includes another **13 letters** with chatty but little or no war news (not figured in valuation), also a part printed "Volunteer Descriptive List"—in several pieces but in the "Remarks" section we learn that Russel fought at 2nd Bull Run, Chancellorville and was **captured at Gettysburg** and was held prisoner at Belle Isle for eight months; mixed condition but an interesting lot E. 600-800
- 580 **Letters to a Ohio Soldier.** 23 letters from family and friends to a J.P. Van Nest of the 120th, includes father's comments on Emancipation Proclamation, birth of a son, wife's declining health, etc., also includes soldier's letter from friend fighting in Alabama and four letters from Van Nest himself to his wife and verse broadside, "The White Pilgrim," many with original covers, Fine lot E. 250-350
- 581 ☒ **Letters to Eva Knapp.** 52 letters, Civil War to 1870s, many with original covers (mostly in the post-war period, many with "Des. M. Valley R.R." cds), some Civil War content from soldier writing to Cousin Eva, Fine lot..... E. 300-400
- 582 **Group of Soldiers' Letters.** Approx. 53, various correspondences, a few with patriotic letterheads, some with original envelopes, includes correspondence of 11 from soldier at Point Lookout plus several letters (not figured in count) from other family members, Fine lot..... E. 500-600
- 583 **[Letters].** Approx. 230, majority from 1861-65, nearly all of a personal nature and addressed to one Harlow Higinbotham, a soldier from Illinois. Echoes of the war are scattered throughout but the real interest lies in their exceptional readability—numerous vignettes of Midwestern life, also includes some undated verse and newspaper clippings regarding Illinois soldiers including verse by Col. E.D. Baker, Fine and very entertaining group..... E. 2,500-3,000
- 584 ☒ **Soldiers' Covers.** Seven, some with 3c Rose (65), one from "Mascoutah Ill. Sep. 14" to Memphis, with 3c + No. 63 and handstamped "Due 6", one with Adams Express imprint, two covers with original letters including soldier in Logan's brigade hearing rumors of Genl. Price building up his army, etc., mixed condition, Good-Fine E. 150-200
- 585 **Union Cover Balance.** 64 covers, from & to a Dr. Wm. Humphrey of the 1st Pa. Rifles, many with No. 65 (and one faulty No. 64), many with stamps removed but includes some scarce late stampless usages incl. Ocala Pa. cds and hs "Paid" and ms. Sandy Hook Md, no contents, mixed condition..... E. 100-150

- 586 **Civil War Miscellany.** 43 items, includes two Confederate passes, unlisted CSA imprint, "Head Quarters, Reserve, N.C.. Adjutant General's Office" on large cover to CSA senator W.A. Graham; good 1866 Arkansas letter looking back on the war ("*a man or woman had to have a pass, to go from place to place, and even then was liable to be taken up by the Missouri Troops and robbed or killed. The Missourians done more damage than the Feds.*" etc.); 1864 treasury note of the Raleigh & Gaston RR Co.; several CSA covers including military addresses, also Nashville cover with uncommon Tenn. abbrev. and "5" in circle with pencil note, "*L.E. Polk armie in Nashville*"; several Union patriotic; various coupons clipped from bonds, photo signed & dated by W.O. Cone, 1924 entitled "The Confederate Breastwork Goldsboro, N.C., April 1865," etc., mixed condition, Good-Very Fine E. 400-500
- 587 **Civil War Balance.** 34 pieces, includes nice group of Magnus and Magee ballad sheets; pencil sketches of Hilton Head made in 1864; hand-drawn map of Port Hudson area; several soldiers' letters including patriotic lettersheet to Schuyler Colfax with recommendation for a Horace Bell, whose father was once imprisoned for aiding in the escape of a slave; letter from N.J. soldier re Christian Comm.; block of nine of patriotic labels; etc., Fine lot E. 300-400
- 588 **Civil War Balance.** 37 pieces, includes Union & CSA letters—soldiers & civilians, attractive patriotic sheet music submitted to Gov. E.D. Morgan with letter on back from composer urging him to use this as a "rallying battle cry"; free frank of **Gideon Welles** on Navy Dept. cover; 1863 letter to Abe Lincoln written on behalf of a descendant of Alexander Hamilton; CSA bonds, child's Civil War book mark based on patriotic envelope design; etc., Fine lot E. 250-350
- 589 **Civil War Balance.** 34 items, includes three Union soldiers letters including illustrated lettersheet with framed portrait of Joe Hooker from "Camp Don't Know" in 1863, several soldiers covers including two with embossed flag corner cards, few U.S. Locals and CSA fantasies and counterfeits, Fine lot E. 100-125
- 590 **Civil War Balance.** Ten items, includes autograph of Franz Siegel (clip), free frank of George T. Brown (Sgt. at Arms at Pres. Johnson's impeachment) on Senate Chamber cover, frank of Charles Sumner on cover front, five soldiers letters (one correspondence—one with original envelope), CDV of Genl. Grant, Very Good-Fine E. 150-200

CONFEDERATE LETTERS AND EPHEMERA

- 591 **"A list of what the Federals destroyed and carryed off."** Autograph manuscript on the back of printed form, 4to, undated and unsigned, and which begins: *A Barn a hundred feet long and 50 feet wide just a year since it was built, in it a 150 bushels of corn. . . 6 tons of Hay. . . a fine carriage—a wheat fan—in the under part was 2 waggons—plows harrows rakes forks shovels—all Burned in the morning—in the Evening they burned a stable 100 feet square frame—in that was 2 sets of waggons gear and plow gear a Buggy,* etc. There is also a list, "*What they took from the House,*" which includes clothing, jewelry, cutlery, food, even baby diapers, with the last lines reading: "*now don't you think we have every reason to fear starvation and death if they make us another visit,*"; some staining in text, still Fine, a remarkable document, sad and insightful E. 200-250
- 592 **Pass for an Army Spy.** Undated letter, possibly Confederate, from Capt. S. Perkins Jr., A.Q.M., to Capt. Boyd, A.Q.M. at Bridgeport (Va.): "*I introduce Mr. Thatcher, who passes your camp on business connected with army movements. If in your power please furnish him with a saddle horse without brand I will be responsible for the safe return. Mr. Thatcher is on very urgent business & any attention which you may show him will be duly appreciated.*" In pencil (bold), Very Fine E. 200-250
- 593 **Texas Amnesty Oath.** Part-printed document, 9 $\frac{7}{8}$ x 8 in., dated July 6, 1865 at Galveston, signed by Thomas M. Jack, an attorney before the war, who served on the staff of General Albert Sidney Johnston and was present at the final surrender of Texas troops by Genl. Kirby Smith, Fine E. 100-150

- 594 **[Confederate].** Correspondence between Joseph Rhea and his sweetheart Mary Bell. Rhea was a professor at Mossey Creek College in Tennessee and joined the Confederate Army in 1861 as a private in Co. F., 62nd Tenn. Regt. There are 51 war-dated letters, mostly from Joseph, and another 40 letters which are either undated or pre-war, many with original envelopes. Frankings when present are for the most part routine and include one with two No. 1s and one with No. 2, but there is an interesting later group showing various forms of **flag of truce** transmittal including ms. examiners markings. In addition there are some interesting printed enclosures, 1863 part-printed "Decriptive List and Account of Pay and Clothing," at Vicksburg, Miss., 1865 Oath of Allegiance, etc. There is some evidence that Joe and Mary were secretly married in 1863. The previous owner of these letters theorized that this was done to protect her from Union reprisals and her neighbors as she lived in Union occupied territory for much of the war. For those who like happy endings, the couple lived into the 20th century, with Joseph Rhea dying in May, 1925 at the age of 88. The lot includes color snapshots of two ambrotypes of Joseph, probably taken just before the war, and a pair of photos (reproduced) of the couple in the 1870s. A very interesting and Fine lot..... E. 2,500-3,000
- 595 **[Confederate].** 11½pp soldier's letter from "Camp Hanging Rock Hampshire Co. Va., Jany 30th 1862," in an uncommon leisurely style, with entertaining details about securing quarters for the night from sympathetic ladies, preparations for battle, waiting for Joe Johnston, references to Col. (later Genl.) Maney, etc., with original envelope (faulty) postmarked Winchester Va. and military endorsement as a member of Maney's Tenn. Vols., Fine..... E. 150-200
- 596 **The Papers of Sgt. R.R. Leonard.** 26 pieces from this Confederate soldier, includes **seven page journal** describing his journey home after Appomatox and accompanied by a **tintype** of CSA soldier in uniform (this was found with the papers and is presumably Sgt. Leonard), also five different "Morning Report" of Co. "C" 48th Regt. N.C. Troops, their muster roll (part-printed), two different ms. lists of company members, hospital letter from one of his brothers, three railroad passes dated Apr. 6, 1865, several accounts by two brothers of their co's movements during the war, part-printed certificate for extension of furlough, with bit faded autograph of **Maj. Genl. Henry Heth** and trace of Wm. Walker's signature and one Lt. Genl.'s signature which is unreadable, oath of allegiance to the U.S., two part-printed passes (By command of B.T. Johnson), mixed condition but a most desirable lot for the North Carolina specialist..... E. 750-1,000
- 597 **Correspondence of the Department of State, In Relation to The British Consuls Resident In the Confederate Staes.** Richmond, 1863, 55p, paper wraps as issued, front cover with small paper loss in T.R. corner and along spine, still Fine, scarce E. 75-100
- 598 **Confederate Documents and Related.** Eight pieces, mostly from North Carolina, includes order for purchase of mule; 1863 receipt for burial plot in Raleigh; two account sheets for 24lbs of bacon; Apr. 5, 1865 order to accompany "Federal Deserters" to Salisbury including "Rations for three men three days" by order of Johnson; 1865 oath of allegiance; touching seven page 1866 letter from Elizabeth City describing hardships in state after the war including man "*shot down in the streets of this place by a negro soldier. . .without any provocation*" and list of friends who died (**Thos. R. Cobb** etc.), Fine lot..... E. 200-250
- 599 **Confederate Literature.** Two books, **The New Dietz Confederate States Catalog** and **Surveys of the Confederate Postmasters' Provisionals** edited by Crown (with dust jacket), Very Fine E. 100-150

- 600 **Confederate Balance.** 16 pieces, includes LS (with cover) from Chas Carrington to postmaster of Amherst C.H. regarding "*the danger which now threatens the State of Virginia*"; cover with No. 2 from Columbia S.C. with 1862 letter from businessman trying to build a mill there; good soldier's letter from Camp Wigfall (Tudor Hall "Due 10" arc hs); AL of Confederate poet **Henry Timrod** plus clip of his signature; part-printed 1863 document for interest in the capital stock of the Schooner *Alert* of Mobile; CSA lettersheet "captured" by Pa. soldier; 1863 request from Bank of Chester, S.C. for \$5000 in Treasury notes from Winnsboro; soldier's letter enclosing sample of "ceacesh" money (50c Farmers Savings Bank note); railroad & stage co. passes, etc., Fine lot E. 300-400
- 601 **Confederate, Ephemera Balance.** Few hundred items, includes four slave documents (all pre-war), group of soldiers letters (mostly Confederate—all different correspondences), group of post-war Texas covers including advertising & illustrated, two unused CSA patriotics (Davis Medallion, 7-Star flag), odd and ends, very mixed condition E. 750-1,000

UNITED STATES POSTAL HISTORY (MOSTLY SOUTHERN)

- 602 ☒ **Aug. & Ooth R R Ga Dec. 29.** Ms. postmark and "5" on undated folded cover to Athens, Fine and very scarce(Photo) E. 100-125
- 603 ☒ **Creek Agency 23rd Decr.** Ms. postmark and "12½" rate on ca. 1816-24 folded cover to Montgomery, Ala., accompanied by hand-carried cover to Col. Benjamin Hawkins at Creek Agency (Hawkins was there as agent from 1796 to 1816), and red ms. "**Fort Hawkins**" on 1818 folded letter, toning, otherwise Fine group, very scarce, the ASCC notes that most examples of the Creek Agency postmark are in institutional hands(Photo) E. 400-500
- 604 ☒ **"Penny Post."** Ms. endorsement on small white envelope to Charleston, S.C., red "Savannah Ga. 5 Mar. 7" cds, street address in corner, Very Fine and scarce(Photo) E. 100-150
- 605 ☒ **SAV.** Clear straightline on three folded covers, each dated 1798, two are addressed to the Governor with ms. ship rate, faults, Very Good (ASCC \$1200)(Photo) E. 300-400
- 606 ☒ **10c Black (2).** Margins all around, tied by black grid on buff cover with ms. "**Olive Grove Ga. March 9**" postmark, 1851 docketing at left, wax seal stain in address panel, otherwise fresh, Fine and rare small town usage from the Swift correspondence, with 1989 P.F. certificate.....(Photo) E. 1,000-1,500
- 607 ☒ **3c Brownish Carmine (11).** Four margins, tied by bright **Green** "Dalton Ga. 28 Feb." cds on small embossed lady's cover with ms. "*forward 5*" but no indication where this was forwarded to; accompanying this is a second Brownish Carmine (margins to slightly in) tied by "**Roswell Ga. Mar. 25**" cds in an **equally rich green**, on 1852 folded letter, Very Fine lot.....(Photo) E. 300-400
- 608 ☒ **3c Rose Red (11).** Vertical strip of four, pair and single, margins to cutting, tied by "Augusta Ga. Mar. 15, 1856" postmarks on narrow cover to France, soiling, otherwise Fine usage(Photo) E. 150-200
- 609 ☒ **3c Dull Red (26).** Tied by twice struck straightline "LAFAYETTE" cancelled in criss-cross fashion, on light buff cover with clear "Lafayette Geo. Nov. 16" cds at left, light wear and soiling, still Fine, unique example of a straightline town name being used solely as a killer—unlisted in Simpson or Skinner/Eno.....(Photo) E. 250-350
- 610 ☒ **Georgia Advertising Covers.** 77, virtually all different, stampless period to 20th century, many illustrated, topics include newspapers, hotels, tobacco (beautiful pair, each with 3c Bank Note tied by different Savannah fancy cancel), guano (everybody's favorite), musical instruments, schools, etc., mixed condition but a number of attractive and interesting covers, Very Good-Very Fine E. 750-1,000

- 611 ☒ **Georgia Manuscript Towns.** 18, all scarce or rare, 1819-1851, including Appling, Monticello, Mount Vernon, Mulberry Grove, New Ecota, Oak Lawn, Perry's Mills, Putney, Raines Store, St. Clair, Scarboro, Sparta, Tallapoosa, Tiger, Villa Rica, Wallace, Waynesville, and Woodstock, Fine lot E. 600-800
- 612 ☒ **1869 Issue Used in Georgia.** 55 covers, majority are 3c including fancy cancels, corner cards, ms. towns, includes 1c & 2c with brown targets and matching choice "Cross Keys Ga." cds, also No. 119 ms. cancelled on 3c entire from Shoal Creek, minor duplication, mixed condition but an attractive lot, Good-Fine... E. 600-800
- 613 ☒ **Georgia Fancy Cancels.** 84 covers and one piece, 1851 Issue to Columbian Issue, many scarce or unlisted cancels, includes letters, stars, geometrics, shields, flowers, hearts (great twice struck negative heart on pair of No. 65), etc., mixed cover condition but strikes are Fine or better..... E. 1,000-1,500
- 614 ☒ **Georgia County and Postmaster Cancels.** 19 covers (and a few cards), stampless to Bank Notes, includes Bartow (2 different types), Boston (black & blue), Canton, Copeland, Hampton (black & blue), Haralson, Laurens Hill (black & purple), Old Court House (ms. stampless and ms. abbrev. with No. 11), Sparta, Stone Mountain—Tennville, Towns (brownish black and gray violet), and a somewhat puzzling cover—an 1845 stampless with ms. "Connasana Cass Cty. Ga. Mar. 5" postmark. Discovered in archival files in 1994, the owner could find no record of this office; mixed condition, generally Fine lot E. 500-600
- 615 ☒ **Georgia College Covers.** Six covers, 1851-57, with different fancy corner cards, includes No. 7 strip of three—University of Georgia, also another with different style card and single No. 11; gorgeous pair of covers (No. 11 & 26) from Emory College with fancy eagle in shield, in green and blue; four margin No. 11 with beautiful green oval for Military Institute showing cannon (ex Judd); No. 26 with Oglethorpe U. shield showing book; 1c strip with small creases, last cover with tiny erosion from insect slightly affecting ms. postmark, otherwise a Very Fine and desirable group(Photo Ex) E. 300-400
- 616 ☒ **Fancy and Unusual Georgia Town Cancels.** Four covers, includes Bowlingbroke shield (1882) ds on 3c Bank Note; Heardmont fancy shield and negative star (1893) on 2c entire; straightline "LOFTIN, GA" on 2c Columbian; straightline "R.C. Jones, P.M./ROCK SPRING, GA." on 2c entire; Fine and rare lot..... E. 200-250
- 617 ☒ **Savannah Postal History.** 90 covers, 1801-1880s, no CSA, includes numerous fancy cancels, better frankings include 1c 1851 and 2c Black Jack, mixed condition, Very Good-Very Fine..... E. 400-500
- 618 ☒ **Georgia Postal History.** Balance of a comprehensive collection, 2300+ covers (and a few cards), stampless to 20th century, all periods except 1847 Issue and CSA represented, great strength in stampless and 1851-60 Issue, many small manuscript P.O.s, Good-Very Fine, a unique opportunity..... E. 8,000-10,000
- 619 ☒ **Advertising Covers.** 36 covers, 19th and 20th century, virtually all illustrated including some multicolor examples, highlights include very rare full-rigged ship illustration (large), on 1860 Columbus Ga. cover, rare 1880s wrapper to Montana illustrating Parker Bros. gun, a self-closing trap and catridge belt, very unusual illustration of fleet of ships with divers raiding oyster bed, a few multicolor hand-drawn covers, etc., mixed condition, Very Good-Very Fine E. 300-400
- 620 ☒ **Railroad Covers.** 21 covers, mostly RPOs, majority are North Carolina, includes stampless "Wilmington & Raleigh Railroad" cds in red with 10 hs deleted (addressed to Howell Cobb), also Bank Notes with Golds & Moreh'd City Agt. and Golds & Green Agt, etc., generally Fine lot..... E. 100-150

- 621 ☒ **Postal History Balance.** 450 + covers (and a few cards), stampless to 20th century, highlights includes transatlantics, fancy cancels, **O52** on large cover, No. 573 on large commercial cover, group of 10c 1857s to California from Vermont, etc., also one puzzling item: a No. 10 (Pl. 1 early) with fancy red grid on an 1851 cover postmarked "So. Wilbraham Mass. **July 1**" to Miss., with receiving note of July 17th, but with no evidence of postmark altered or partly struck—stamp lifted by a previous owner—despite some questions as to how this stamp was originally positioned, this may be a genuine first day usage; very mixed condition, but an intriguing assortment of stamps and usages..... E. 1,000-1,500

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2	3,250	54	900	101	140	149	80	195	750	249	1,700	300	75	351	575
3	260	55	80	104	240	150	2,800	196	325	250	250	303	110	352	325
4	110	56	160	105	600	151	1,350	197	300	251	850	304	160	354	150
5	50	57	240	106	750	152	220	201	115	252	80	305	290	355	120
6	80	58	250	107	325	153	130	202	200	253	150	306	190	356	150
7	100	59	325	108	1,100	154	1,900	204	1,600	254	190	307	650	357	135
9	230	60	90	109	210	155	2,600	205	1,050	255	550	308	800	358	500
10	325	61	210	110	1,800	156	550	206	80	256	160	310	150	359	375
12	325	62	85	111	210	158	325	207	375	257	475	311	150	361	200
13	350	63	130	112	425	159	55	208	65	259	650	312	210	362	150
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15	750	65	500	114	800	161	1,350	211	100	262	75	314	130	364	800
17	950	67	325	116	75	162	350	213	180	263	270	315	85	365	550
19	800	68	120	117	750	163	500	214	65	265	80	316	200	366	325
20	1,000	69	1,000	118	135	164	115	215	80	266	75	317	270	367	550
21	375	70	135	120	150	165	50	216	675	267	575	318	290	368	100
22	400	71	525	121	325	166	675	217	450	269	190	319	135	369	230
24	240	72	260	122	325	167	280	218	200	270	50	320	850	370	75
25	95	73	150	123	270	168	525	219	250	272	100	321	85	371	150
26	80	74	200	124	2,100	170	650	220	85	273	125	322	160	372	1,000
27	150	75	70	125	425	171	375	221	1,500	274	180	323	220	373	150
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31	2,600	80	135	129	230	175	800	227	35	280	750	328	700	379	500
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37	120	82	325	131	60	177	190	229	350	282	160	330	75	382	170
38	230	83	1,200	132	40	178	110	230	70,000	283	150	331	220	383	650
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40	1,700	85	1,600	134	2,500	180	270	232	1,300	285	80	333	325	387	120
41	1,200	86	1,150	135	1,150	181	90	233	3,250	286	85	335	475	388	90
42	850	87	230	136	950	182	60	235	260	287	400	336	375	389	250
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44	3,500	90	4,500	138	1,300	184	200	238	525	289	500	338	180	392	200
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46	260	93	50	140	200	186	190	241	200	291	3,000	341	550	394	125
47	525	94	50	141	110	187	130	242	750	292	170	342	110	395	350
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49	1,500	96	50	143	210	189	95	244	50	294	270	344	135	397	150
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401	125	448	800	504	230	557	525	602	160
402	200	449	115	506	75	558	4,250	603	450
403	220	450	200	507	800	559	5,250	604	125
404	190	451	150	508	180	560	160	605	160
405	650	452	75	509	475	561	190	606	1,500
406	240	454	625	510	240	562	450	607	350
407	100	455	290	511	280	563	2,600	608	105
409	500	456	170	512	550	564	1,900	609	125
410	400	458	170	513	350	565	180	610	850
411	300	460	160	514	3,250	567	400	611	700
412	260	461	100	515	130	568	120	612	625
413	280	462	80	516	80	569	140	613	500
414	475	463	130	517	550	570	160	614	240
415	525	464	105	518	200	571	240	615	525
416	550	465	80	519	350	572	1,700	616	230
417	325	467	650	521	450	573	2,300	617	325
418	625	468	260	522	1,500	574	375	618	9,000
419	525	470	625	523	1,600	575	350	619	475
420	750	471	1,600	525	95	576	400	620	260
421	450	473	450	526	250	577	425	621	2,100
422	950	477	220	528	85	578	375		
423	900	478	300	532	140	579	600		
423A	1,250	479	170	533	300	580	200		
425	160	480	105	536	150	581	450		
426	170	481	115	537	270	582	2,100		
427	160	482	115	538	160	584	210		
428	115	483	90	539	135	585	140		
429	525	484	240	540	280	586	700		
430	110	485	375	541	450	587	850		
432	325	486	750	542	400	588	950		
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435	270	488	270	545	400	590	260		
437	170	489	115	546	120	591	150		
438	160	490	190	547	375	592	150		
439	200	492	325	548	290	593	180		
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442	550	496	160	551	575	596	5,250		
443	1,500	498	700	552	2,100	597	90		
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445	750	500	350	554	550	599	220		
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447	325	503	375	556	280	601	2,100		