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Gum Categories:	MINT N.H. ORIGINAL GUM (O.G.)							
Gum Categories:	Mint Never Hinged Free from any disturbance	Lightly Hinged Faint impression of a removed hinge over a small area	Hinge Mark or Remnant Prominent hinged spot with part or all of the hinge remaining	Part o.g. Approximately half or more of the gum intact	Small part o.g. Approximately less than half of the gum intact	NO GUM  No gum  Only if issued with gum		
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田	Block	E	Essay	pmk.	Postmark	No.	Scott Catalogue Number
$\boxtimes$	Cover	P	Proof	cds	Circular Datestamp	hs	Handstamp
FC	Fancy Cancel	TC	Trial Color Proof	var.	Variety	ms.	Manuscript

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# FIRST SESSION

# LOTS 1001-1335

# FRIDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1997, AT 10:30 A.M.

# UNITED STATES POSTAL HISTORY

# PRESIDENTIAL AUTOGRAPHS AND FREE FRANKS

1001°⊠	George Washington. Bold signature "G. Washington" on folded cover addressed in another hand to "Lieut. Colo. Reid, Commanding at Albany", docketing on inside reads "Gen'l. Washington 11th July 1782", expertly silked, small negligible edge tears and lightly toned
	A FINE AND ATTRACTIVE WASHINGTON MILITARY COVER.
	This letter was signed by Washington as Commanding General of the Continental Army just prior to his resignation in October 1782. The letter was carried by courier outside of the mails(Photo) E. 4,000-5,000
1002°⊠	<b>John Adams.</b> Large bold free frank "Free John Adams" on undated folded cover to the Rev. J. Belknap in Boston, partial strike of New York straightline and matching "Free", a Very Fine and choice free frank(Photo) E. 2,000-3,000
1003°⊠	<b>Thomas Jefferson.</b> Bold free frank "free Th. Jefferson" as ex-President on folded address sheet to John Vaughan in Philadelphia, also addressed in his hand, red "CHARLOTVille Va. MAR. 14" cds and ms. "Free" at top right, docketing on inside reads "Jefferson Thomas 1820 Monticello 20 Mch"
	VERY FINE APPEARANCE. AN EXTREMELY CHOICE EXAMPLE OF JEFFERSON'S FREE FRANK.
	Small expertly repaired tear at top and file fold at bottom(Photo) E. 4,000-5,000
1004°⊠	James Madison. 1/4p ALS "James Madison" to G. W. Featherstonhaugh at Duanesburgh N.Y., datelined "Montpelier, Mar. 11, 1826", with separate but original address leaf bearing free frank "Free James Madison" as ex-President and address in Madison's hand, ms. "Orange C House Mar. 15" pmk., lightly toned, minor wear along folds, the letter is a commentary on the "general backwardness in rural improvements" in Virginia, Fine and desirable Madison frank and letter(Photo) E. 2,000-3,000
1005°⊠	James Madison. Bold free frank "Free James Madison" on immaculate folded cover addressed in his hand to Professor Ticknor in Boston, "Orange CH Apl. 6, 1825" ms. pmk. and matching "Free", light file fold, Very Fine and choice signature
1006°⊠	James Madison. Bold free frank "Free James Madison" on folded address sheet to Benjamin A. Gould in Boston, with "Orange CH Va. Sep. 29" ms. pmk., fresh and Very Fine(Photo) E. 750-1,000
1007°⊠	James Monroe. 1p ALS "Jas Monroe" as Secretary of State and Republican Party presidential nominee to William Dabney at Richmond, datelined "Washington June 22d 1816" with integral address leaf bearing "Dept of State Jas Monroe" free frank, brownish "Washn. City Jun. 22" cds and "Free" hs, letter re inability to repay loan due to "state of our currency & the banks", Monroe offers hope that he will soon be able to tend to his affairs, having found "leisure for the first time in many years", small mend in wax seal area, Very Fine
1008 ⋈	James Monroe. Autograph free frank on folded cover addressed in his hand to Caesar Rodney (the son of the Declaration signer), in Dover Delaware, "New York Jun. 18" cds and matching "Free", undated but docketing at left reads, "President Monroe", cover with small tear at top, Fine and scarce(Photo) E. 500-600
1009°⊠	James Monroe. Bold free frank "Dept. of State, Jas. Monroe" on 1813 folded cover addressed in his hand to "George Graham Esq., Dept. of War, Washington", with brownish "Richmond Va. May 21" cds and matching "Free", blue receipt docketing on inside, two light file folds, expertly repaired along folds, the signature is Very Fine
1010°⊠	John Quincy Adams. Free frank "J. Q. Adams" as Secretary of State on folded cover to John Adair at Frankfort Ky., Dept. of State endorsement in same clerk's hand, brownish "Washn. City Apr. 27" (1822) cds and "Free" hs, neat docketing on back, file fold, Very Fine

John Quincy Adams. Bold signature on folded ALS addressed to "Messrs. Gales and 1011°⊠ Seaton, Washington D.C.", contents "Mr. Gales is requested, carefully to review the proof of the enclosed paper, and to cause it to be published as may be convenient in the Intelligencer. Philadelphia 15 April 1833", light file folds, receipt docketing at L., Very Fine ..... .....(Photo) E. 300-400 1012 John Ouincy Adams. Bold signature with his address on small slip, Fine ..... (Photo) E. 200-300 1013°⊠ Andrew Jackson. 11/2p ALS "Andrew Jackson" as ex-President to General J. B. Plauche at New Orleans, datelined "Hermitage June 15th 1841", address leaf in Jackson's hand with "Free Andrew Jackson" free frank, blue "Nashville Te. Jun. 17" cds and blue ms. "f", interesting letter in which Jackson, the former president, accepts a loan from General Plauche and decries "the decline of property and the security of money", lightly toned along file folds, Very Fine, a rare example of Jackson's frank and letter intact ..... (Photo) E. 2,000-3,000 1014 ⋈ Andrew Jackson. Large bold free frank as President, on undated folded cover, red "City of Washington Oct. 21" datestamp, matching "Free" hs, some tears and small paper loss entirely on back flaps, fresh and Very Fine, choice free frank....(Photo) E. 1,000-1,500 Martin Van Buren. Bold free frank "Free M. Van Buren" on folded cover addressed in his hand to A. Bleecker in Albany, red "Kinderhook N.Y. Jul. 14" cds and matching "Free" 1015°⊠ hs, 1843 receipt docketing on inside flap, light file fold, Very Fine frank as ex-President ......(Photo) E. 200-300 Martin Van Buren. 1p ALS "M. Van Buren" as ex-President to neighboring political 1016°⊠ group in Penn Yan, declining invitation to attend meeting, with integral address leaf free franked "Free M. Van Buren" and address in his hand, red "Kinderhook N.Y. Oct. 1" cds, toning around folds, otherwise Very Fine ......(Photo) E. 400-500 John Tyler. Bold free frank "J. Tyler" on blue folded cover addressed in his hand to "William Lee Esqr., Red Jacket Garden-Elmira, Chemung Cty. New York", greenish blue 1017°⊠ "Norfolk Va. Apr. 29" ds and matching "Free" hs, fresh and Very Fine ...... ......(Photo) E. 300-400 1018°⊠ James K. Polk. Free frank as President "Free J.K. Polk" on folded cover addressed in his hand to George Bulard, Exeter N.H., red "Washington City D.C. Feb. 20" cds and light matching "Free" hs, with President's seal on back, Very Fine and choice, very scarce (Photo) E. 1,500-2,000 Zachary Taylor. Bold free frank "Z. Taylor" on small cover addressed to his sister Eliza 1019°⊠ Taylor in Washington D.C. and forwarded to Annapolis Md., the forwarding address in Taylor's hand, red "Washington D.C. Feb. 1 Free" cds, ms. at B.L. of cover "Politeness of Mrs. King" in hand of original addressee, some toning and wear, the signature is Very Fine, unusual usage, probably carried outside of the mails to Washington and forwarded using the free frank (Photo) E. 1,000-1,500 Millard Fillmore. Bold free frank as Vice President "Free M. Fillmore V.P." on cover 1020°∞ addressed in his hand to his wife ("Mrs. Millard Fillmore") in Albany N.Y., red "Baltimore RR." straightline cancel and "New York Mar. 12" cds, "M.F." in intact wax seal on back, some very faint overall toning, a Very Fine and choice double-signature cover.....(Photo) E. 400-500 Millard Fillmore. Bold free frank as President "M. Fillmore" on light blue cover 1021°⊠ addressed to James Sheldon in Buffalo N.Y., light strike of "Washington City D.C. Aug. 23" cds, 1852 receipt docketing at left, intact President's seal on back, few negligible toning spots, a Very Fine free frank .......(Photo) E. 200-300 Franklin Pierce. 3pp ALS "Franklin Pierce" as U.S. Senator to his sister, Mrs. Aiken, in 1022°⊠ Lowell Mass., datelined "Concord Apl. 20, 1839" with integral address leaf bearing "Free Fr. Pierce" free frank and red "Concord N.H. Apr. 21" cds, heartfelt condolences over the death of a relative, fresh and Very Fine ......(Photo) E. 750-1,000 1023°⊠ Franklin Pierce. Free frank "Franklin Pierce" on cover addressed in his hand to the Chaplain of the Seamen's Union in Baltimore, neat "Andover Ma. May 13" cds and matching "Free" hs, fresh and Very Fine ......(Photo) E. 150-200 1024 ⋈ James Buchanan. Free frank "Free James Buchanan" on cover addressed in his hand to New York City, "Washington Cy. D.C. Free May 6" cds, small opening tear just above signature.......(Photo) E. 300-400

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1025°∞ James Buchanan. Free frank "Free James Buchanan" on cover addressed in his hand to T.W. Bayaud and Co. in New York, neat "Washington City D.C. Free Apr. 19" cds, mostly intact presidential wax seal on backflap, some overall soiling, otherwise Very Fine .....(Photo) E. 150-200 1026°∞ Abraham Lincoln. Free frank as President "A. Lincoln" on full legal-size cover addressed in his hand to "Major General Hurlbut, New Orleans Louisiana" and marked "Private", somewhat blurry "Washington D.C. Free" cds, some minor wear at edges, still Very Fine, Major Hurlbut succeeded General Banks in command of the Army of the Gulf, and this cover addressed by President Lincoln was almost certainly sent to Hurlbut during his command at New Orleans, with copy of Goodspeed's letter of authentication signed by 1027 Abraham Lincoln. DS "Abraham Lincoln" as President, vellum military appointment, cosigned by Secretary of War Stanton and dated February 24, 1865, attractively framed, red recording manuscript at T.L. as often, Very Fine and attractive item signed towards the close of the war ...... E. 3,000-4,000 1028°⊠ Andrew Johnson. Free frank as Member of Congress "Free Andrew Johnson M.C." on buff legal-size cover addressed in his hand to "Col. Jos. L. Edwards, Commissioner of Pensions, Washington City D.C.", receipt docketing at L. regarding an invalid pension, slightly reduced at R. not affecting signature, fresh and Very Fine ......(Photo) E. 200-300 1029 ⋈ [Andrew Johnson]. Cover bearing 3c Bank Note with target, matching indistinct N.Y. cds on dry goods corner card cover addressed to "Hon. Andy Johnson, Nashville PO Tennessee", Fine (Photo) E. 50-75 1030°∞ U.S. Grant. Free frank as President "U.S. Grant" on part-printed cover "From the President of the United States" with "Private Secretary" crossed out, neat "Long Branch N.J. Sep. 22" and quartered cork duplex, addressed in his hand to "Hon. W.A. Richardson, Asst. Sec. of the Treas., Washington D.C.", cover with small stain at B.L. far from signature and address, otherwise Very Fine ......(Photo) E. 750-1,000 1031°∞ James A. Garfield. Free frank "J. A. Garfield MC" as Ohio Representative on cover addressed in his hand to Cleveland, small "Washington D.C. Dec. 3" cds, lightly soiled, small nick at upper left, Fine ................(Photo) E. 300-400 James A. Garfield. Free frank "J. A. Garfield MC" as Ohio Representative on cover addressed in his hand to Orlando Morgan in Warren Ohio, "Congress Washington D.C. 1032°⊠ Mar. 11" double-circle ds, light receipt docketing at L., slightly reduced at L., the signature is Very Fine....(Photo) E. 200-250 1033° Grover Cleveland. ALS, datelined "Princeton May 30, 1906", contents reads "Your letter of the 16th is in hand. I am not sure that I ought to assume to furnish a motto for your son, but am willing to suggest the following: 'Be sure that your heart and conscience are in accord with the Laws of God; and then trust yourself.", accompanied by cover addressed in his hand to New York, fresh and Very Fine, interesting contents ..... E. 300-400 1034° William McKinley. Executive Mansion card signed "W. McK" and with note in his hand which reads "Genl.\_, Judge Wheaton of N.C. is commanded by Senator Pritchard for Lt. Colonel in one of the Regts. If this can be done-do it.", Very Fine, written just after the start of the Sanish-American War .................................(Photo) E. 500-750 1035° Theodore Roosevelt. Signature and dated "Feb. 22d 1907" on B. of illustrated card depicting White House, fresh and Very Fine, signed on Washington's birthday...... 1036° William H. Taft. Bold signature "WmH Taft" at B. of illustrated card depicting the White House, fresh and Very Fine.....(Photo) 200.00 1037° Warren G. Harding. Signature with note "With best wishes to Major Joseph B. Foster and the greetings of the S.A.R." on illustrated card depicting the White House, few minor adherences on back, Very Fine and rare ......(Photo) E. 300-400 1038°⊠ Calvin Coolidge. Free frank as President "Calvin Coolidge" on White House Official Business penalty envelope with typed address to expert Mr. Edward Stern on Nassau Street, neat "Washington D.C. Sep. 19, 1928" cds, fresh and Very Fine, very rare, included in Stern's book......(Photo) E. 2,000-3,000 1039 Franklin D. Roosevelt. TLS as Governor of New York, dated April 2, 1930, Very Fine

E. 150-200

1040°∞ Harry S. Truman. Signature as ex-President "Harry Truman" on Nato Alliance for Peace first day cover with "Washington D.C. Apr. 1, 1959" first day cancel and addressed to him in Independence Mo., with label depicting Truman, addressed in someone else's hand originally as "U.S. Ex President" which Truman crossed out to read "U.S. President '45-53", with return address of Dominick Fabian in Portland Or., fresh and Very Fine, unusual item apparently done as a favor to a supporter..... ......(Photo) E. 1,000-1,500 Harry S. Truman. Signed photo "Harry S. Truman", official U.S. Navy photo of U.S.S. 1041 Prevail with mimeographed imprint on back, Very Fine...... E. 200-300 1042 John F. Kennedy. 1p TLS on U.S. Senate letterhead dated Feb. 12, 1960, to President of Jacksonville University in Florida, re support to eliminate disclaimer affidavit provision of National Defense Education Act, paper clip rust spots, otherwise Very Fine...... .....(Photo) E. 500-750 1043° 🖂 [John F. Kennedy]. Memorial first day card with "Boston Mass. May 29, 1964" pmk., signed by several people incl. Robert Kennedy, Lyndon Johnson, Robert S. McNamara, Dean Rusk and several others, a Very Fine and interesting item .....(Photo) E. 400-500 1044 Lyndon B. Johnson. Autograph signature with dedication "To Bill Hall, With best wishes for success, Lyndon B. Johnson Jan. 73" on copy of Man in Space by Walter Froelich, Johnson died in January 1973, the month this was signed. Very Fine...... E. 200-300 Richard M. Nixon. Signature "Richard Nixon" on postmarked Jan. 20, 1973 inaguration 1045°⊠ post card depicting the Nixon family, unaddressed, Very Fine and very rare, only a few were signed .................(Photo) E. 1,000-1,500 Richard M. Nixon. Signed 8 x 10 in. family color photo "For Billy Hall from Richard 1046 Nixon", accompanied by invitation to 1973 Inaugural Youth Concert, Very Fine ......... 1047°⊠ Jimmy Carter. Signature with Fritz Mondale's on cover postmarked Jan. 20, 1977 Inaguration Day first day cover with bronze-colored portraits of Jimmy and Rosalynn Carter, back of cover signed by Tip O'Neill who arranged for the signatures on inauguration day, fresh and Very Fine, probably unique......(Photo) E. 1,000-1,500 1048°⊠ Ronald Reagan. Signature on cacheted Inauguration Day cover from 1981, arranged for the consignor by Tip O'Neill, fresh and Very Fine, rare, only a few were signed ...... 1049°⊠ George Bush. Signature on cacheted and postmarked Inauguration Day cover, arranged for the consignor by Tip O'Neill, Very Fine and rare.....(Photo) E. 500-750 FIRST LADIES 1050 Jacqueline Kennedy Onassis. Autograph signature and dedication "For Bill, with best wishes, Jacqueline Kennedy" on beautiful 8 x 10 in. black-and-white photo of Mrs. Kennedy with the infant John Jr., a touching image with bold signature, Very Fine..... (Photo) E. 1,000-1,500 1051 Edith Bolling Wilson. ALS "Edith Bolling Wilson" with her addition "[Mrs. Woodrow Wilson]" on small letterhead dated Apr. 16, 1934, declining dinner invitation from Mrs. Crawford Biggs, with transmittal envelope, Very Fine...... E. 75-100 PRESIDENTIAL WIDOWS FREE FRANKS. Two, first is Francis Cleveland Preston free 1052 ⋈ frank on cover to Brooklyn N.Y. with neat "Princeton N.J. Apr. 15, 1936" pmk., second is Lucy Lord Harrison free frank on cover with "New York St. Sta. Sep. 25, 1924" pmk. addressed locally, the latter slightly toned, still both are Very Fine ...... E. 100-125 AUTOGRAPHS ARRANGED BY NAME 1053 Juan N. Almonte. Mexican military leader. Ip ALS to Henry M. Morfit, datelined "Gadsby's Hotel Jany. 19th, 1837" re Santa Anna ("The President Genl. Santa Anna will be glad to receive the Committee of the American Historical Society. . . "), with address leaf, hand carried, Very Fine E. 200-300 1054 Oakes Ames. American capitalist and industrialist who built the Union Pacific Railroad. Ip ALS from New York, Jan. 28, 1849, with address leaf showing red "New-York 2cts" cds, Very Fine, rare ..... E. 300-400

1055°⊠ David Rice Atchison. Senator from Missouri and so-called "President for a Day". 1½p ALS "D. R. Atchison" to Capt. J. W. Denver at Weston Mo., datelined "Senate Chamber Jan. 4th 1850" with buff cover bearing "free D. R. Atchison" free frank and red "Free Washington D.C. Jan. 4" cds

A VERY FINE AND EXTREMELY RARE ATCHISON FREE FRANK, TOGETHER WITH AN IMPORTANT LETTER DESCRIBING FELLOW MISSOURI SENATOR THOMAS HART BENTON'S MUTED REACTION TO PRO-SLAVERY LEGISLATURE—"OLD BULLION [BENTON] WAS AS CALM AS A SUMMER'S MORNING, HE ROARED AS GENTLY AS A SUCKLING DOVE...IT WAS A COMPLETE PHISSLE OUT. HE DID NOT IMPALE CALHOUN AS HE THREATENED TO DO. INDEED HIS SPEECH WAS NOT WORTH A REPLY."

David Rice Atchison was *Pro Tempore* of the Senate on Sunday, March 4, 1849, when President James K. Polk, according to his own diary, officially left office at 6:30 a.m. and attended church services. Vice President George M. Dallas had resigned as president of the Senate on Friday, March 2nd, leaving Atchison as *Pro Tem*, and, on Monday, March 5th, president-elect Zachary Taylor was sworn in—more than 24 hours after Polk had vacated his office. The continuity of the office of President demands that in the absence of the elected President and his Vice President, the president of the Senate shall assume office of the President. Thus, Atchison is regarded by many historians and collectors as the de facto 12th President of the United States—the so-called "President for a Day."

Atchison's free franks and autograph letters are exceedingly rare; in fact, no free franks were known prior to the discovery of the Denver correspondence, from which this and one other example originates. .................................(Photo) E. 3,000-4,000

- P. T. Barnum. ALS, 1p, dated Aug. 31, 1874 on his Waldemere mourning stationery with raised PTB at top and blue datestamp with his name, Fine ...... E. 200-300
- Henry Bergh. Founder of American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. 2pp ALS on illustrated ASPCA letterhead, dated Oct. 21, 1882, to Consul General of Great Britain re fate of a fighting dog, excellent content, Very Fine (Photo) E. 200-300
- 1058 Clement Biddle. Revolutionary War soldier. 1p ALS with address leaf (Phila. cds) dated Jan. 3, 1804, business content, Very Fine ...... E. 300-400
- 1059 
   Boston Red Sox. 1c Postal Card autographed in 1941 by Jimmie Foxx, Ted Williams, Dom Dimaggio and two others, Very Fine...... E. 100-125
- Aaron Burr. Vice-President under Thomas Jefferson, murderer of Alexander Hamilton and acquitted of treason. 1p ALS datelined "Marietta 4 May 1805" with outer address leaf to William Biddle, the Philadelphia merchant, ms. "Marietta 5th May" pmk. and "20" rate, simple business content but written during the year after Burr mortally shot Hamilton; after escaping an indictment for murder, Burr took refuge in South Carolina and eventually returned to Washington to complete his term as Vice President; early in 1805 he sailed from Pittsburgh and travelled around the frontier, during which time he conjured up plans to conquer territory in Texas or New Mexico and create his own republic; officials in Washington learned of Burr's plan and placed him on trial for treason, but he was acquitted—legally, at least—Burr left the U.S. and continued his humiliating downward plunge, eventually dying in destitution—a scarce ALS from one of our nation's more lively vice presidents ................................(Photo) E. 1,000-1,500

- 1064 

  Marc Chagall. Signatures on one postcard and one cover, both are dated "9 Nov 1963

  Les Maries de la Tour Eiffel Premier Jour, Paris" and each with different colorful cachet,

  Very Fine..... E. 150-200
- 1065 

  Marc Chagall. Signatures on two cacheted covers: first is from President Eisenhower's European Visit, 1959, second is on Israel Museum 1969 First Day cover, Very Fine .....

  E. 150-200
- Henry Clay. 1p ALS dated "Ashland, 17th October 1844" to J.P. Foote, discusses a portrait being done of him by an artist named Mr. Jones, purple archive hs shows through, some file folds affecting signature, Very Fine................................. E. 150-200

1067 ⊠	Frederick A. Cook. Polar explorer credited with reaching North Pole before Peary expedition. Postal card with autograph message signed "F. A. Cook M.D., Surgeon & Entimologist of the North Greenland Expedition", dated Nov. 29, 1892, content related to North Greenland Expedition, Very Fine, scarce(Photo) E. 400-500
1068	Thos. P. Danforth. 3pp ALS datelined "Middleburgh Lekohasee Cty., Jany. 25th 1820" to Hevaland & Fields, Merchants in N.Y., contents sum up his financial difficulties of the past months, outside bears ms. pmk. and is rated "18¾", some faults, almost Fine E. 200-250
1069 ⋈	[Josephus Daniels, Secretary of the Navy]. Correspondence. A few dozen covers and cards, some carried outside mails, all addressed to or from the Secretary, cursory examination reveals nothing rare, but an interesting group for the naval specialist
1070	Alexander Dumas (Pere). 1p ALS, undated, in French, accompanying this is an ALS of Dumas (Fils), first with scattered natural bleach spots and wrinkling, latter with very faint edge toning, Fine
1071	Giuseppe Garibaldi. 1p ALS "G. Garibaldi" dated Nov. 1865, in Italian, some fading, Fine
1072 ⋈	John Glenn. Three signed Feb. 20, 1962 first day covers with Project Mercury stamps and cachets, Very Fine E. 300-400
1073	Charles Gounod. 2½pp ALS (signed "Ch. Gounod" on first page) to editor of newspaper supplying biographical data incl. name, date of birth, education, positions, etc., Very Fine E. 150-200
1074	Helen Hayes. 1p ALS "Helen Hayes" dated Jul. 12, 1982, to Amos Abrams "That's just about as much light as I want on a candid camera photo of me at this time", with transmittal envelope, Very Fine E. 75-100
1075 ⊠	Ebenezer Hazard. Postmaster General, 1p ALS datelined "New York March 17th 1787" to Postmaster of Norwich Conn. re change in route from Hartford to Providence incl. statement "a Postrider is not hired for Life", with address leaf marked "Free" in ms., Very Fine E. 150-200
1076	Marquis de Lafayette. DS, as Commander General, Fine E. 500-600
1077	Archibald MacLeish. Poet. Eight items, incl. 1966 1p ALS from Antigua with poem "Voyage", 1960 1p TLS re autographing copies of poems, and six typed poems, each with signature, Very Fine group
1078 ⋈	Joan Miro. Signature "Miro!" on multicolor cacheted cover of 1974 Miro stamp issued by France, Very Fine
1079 ⊠	Joan Miro. Signature "Miro!" on multicolored cacheted cover of 1974 Miro stamp issued by France, Very Fine E. 200-250
1080	Joan Miro. Signature "Miro!" on colorful card for art gallery depicting a work by Rene Crevel, Very Fine E. 150-200
1081	John Page. Revolutionary War leader and friend of Thomas Jefferson. 3pp ALS as member of House of Representatives dated Jan. 3, 1792, re money matters, Very Fine E. 200-300
1082	Eddie Rickenbacker. Signed photo "Capt. Eddie Rickenbacker 1918/1968" showing Rickenbacker and plane, small tear in top margin, otherwise Very Fine
1083	<b>John Ruskin.</b> 1p ALS "J Ruskin" dated Oct. 14, 1875, to "Alice", probably Alice Meynell, a poet and Ruskin's biographer, faint toning, otherwise Fine E. 100-150
1084	Russell Sage. American capitalist. 1p ALS datelined Troy, Nov. 21, 1851, simple transmittal letter with clear signature, Very Fine
1085°	Albert Schweitzer. Nobel Peace Prize. Signed 4 x 5½ in. photo with dedication in German, dated May 9, 1955, attractively framed E. 500-750
1086°	W. T. Sherman. 4pp ALS dated March 20, 1884 on stationery from 912 Garrison Ave. in St. Louis, contents advise widow on claiming pension and additional pay for her husband's service in California prior to 1850, light vertical file fold, Very Fine
1087	Alfred Smith. TDS as Governor of New York and appointing J.L. Kuhn as state representative to the 20th National Conference on Taxation, with state seal, Very Fine  E. 150-200

- 1088 

  Adlai Stevenson. TLS dated Dec. 1, 1952 on Illinois Executive Mansion stationery, with original cover, some slight toning, still Very Fine ...... E. 300-400
- [Queen Victoria]. 1873 Royal patent for Dr. Edward Crane for an invention for economizing the heat of open fireplaces, large parchment with the Queen's wax seal (6 inches wide, ¾ in height) in its original tin container, with both placed in a large black leather presentation box gold stamped Brandon & Morgan-Brown of London and Paris on the lid—all original and intact, handsome conversation piece...... E. 300-500

- AUTOGRAPH COLLECTION. Approx. 75 autographs, LS, and ALS in album, some Presidential incl. Grover Cleveland (S), Millard Fillmore (ALS), military figures such as William S. Smith (ALS), also Jefferson Davis (S), almost all are pasted into book, also includes 1939 printed Royal Visit to N.Y. invitation and diary from 1875-80, an interesting group.................................. E. 2,000-3,000
- AUTOGRAPHS. Five items: first is printed signature of Richard Nixon on Office of Vice President stationery after his knee injury; second is printed signature of Adolf Hitler on document; third item is 1791 signature of Robert Morris; fourth is ALS by Alisha Boudinot, last is proxy document of Bonaparte, all appear Fine ...... E. 150-200

#### PRINTED EPHEMERA AND HISTORICAL LETTERS

- 1094 [CIRCUS] Parody Broadside. Ca. 1840s, apparently created by New York University students, normal folds, Very Fine and rare...... E. 200-300
- [MAGNUS] Original Magnus Steel Printing Plate. 12 x 7¾ in. plate with six Magnus engraved vignettes, incl. "The Trent Affair", U.S. Arsenal at Washington D.C., Independence Hall, Hartford Conn. Ulysses S. Grant portrait and a family seen with Grant's portrait on the wall, well-preserved, accompanied by a pull from the plate, an extraordinary relic of the master of patriotic stationery...... E. 750-1,000
- [MISSIONARIES] Missionaries in West Africa. 5½pp letter headed "Report of the Girls' School at the Sub-Station Itandeluku for the year Oct. 1st 1862—Sept 30th 1863" from R. Hamill Nassau at Corisco, West Africa, interesting content re mission school, curriculum, students, local life etc., Fine, an uncommon contemporary report ....... E. 100-150
- [STAMPS] National Parks Issue. Three typed letters signed by Harold Ickes as Secretary of the Interior, on official letterhead, content related to the 1934 National Parks Issue and Farley Special Printing—first letter "I am glad you like the National Park stamps... I take a good deal of credit for myself for this issue. I had to do some persuading with the President.", followed by "I will be glad to get you singles of the reissue of Park imperforates if they sell them that way." and ending with "I enclose information about the special issue of stamps...", referring to the Farleys (printed bulletin enclosed)—Ickes was part of the group that caused the great Farley controversy, which led to the special printing wthout perforations or gum, this is an unusual group of letters related to the issue E. 200-300

1099 ₪ [NAVAL] "Old Ironsides" Collection. Album containing 172 covers and seven postcards forming a diary of the last trip of the U.S. Frigate Constitution, 1932-34, wide variety of postmarks, cachets and frankings, also 1841 ALS by the ship's Captain "At Sea", Fine-Very Fine..... [RAILROAD] Pacific Railroad Exploration. Letter datelined "Presidio at San Francisco 1100 ₪ June 6th, 1853" from an officer recently detailed to command the escort accompanying the expedition to explore a pass in the Cascade Mountains for the Great Pacific Railroad, with transmittal cover, "San Francisco Cal. Paid 6" cds, Very Fine, an important early reference to the Pacific Railroad Surveys authorized by Congress in March 1853....... E. 200-300 [PITTSBURGH] Illustrated View of Pittsburgh by E. Whitefield. Lithographed with 1101 olive watercoloring on greenish paper, the letter is written and signed by the artist, E. Whitefield, regarding travel and business affairs, including references to Pittsburgh and his "views" on sale at various galleries in Cincinnati, New York, etc., Very Fine, a handsome lettersheet and rare example used by the artist himself .......(Photo) E. 500-750 [ALMANAC] Pope's Almanack. For the year 1795, 68pp, published by John Folsom, 1102 includes in its pages the diary of an unnamed New Hampshire preacher who writes in a bold, readable hand; considering this was opened on an almost daily basis, the book is remarkably well-preserved, Very Fine...... E. 150-200 [POSTMASTERS] Postmasters' Letters. 1802-1921, 17 letters, mostly ALS but a few are 1103 TLS, few better items incl. 1871 ALS from Cresswell to president of Pacific Mail Steamship Co. declining an invitation to personally inspect the route, also a letter of introduction from Cresswell for someone who is to make a study of the postal telegraph in Switzerland, all are Fine-Very Fine, an interesting group..... E. 200-300 [POST OFFICE] Post Office Notices. Two, "New Postage Act" of 1855 re rate change 1104° effective April 1st, and 1869 notice to postmasters re repeal of free-franking privilege, Very Fine, scarce pair of key notices. E. 200-300 [TEXAS] Tales of Texas. Wonderful 4pp letter, articulate, humorous and informative, 1105 ₪ as the dateline alone reveals "March 15th, 1848. At anchor a mile or so below the village of Pattersonville, with the double disadvantages of a head wind and ebb tide, waiting for more favorable circumstances, to up to the town of Franklin", writer describes in comparable detail his travels to Galveston, witnessing a near murder, slaves rowing boats, etc., with transmittal cover, red "Pattersonville La." cds and "10" ms. rate, Fine...... E. 100-150 1106 [ASTRONOMY] David Todd Correspondence. Miscellaneous ephemera in two cartons incl. advertising pieces, greeting cards and invitations, many sent by prominent people to David Todd, astronomer (husband of author Mabel Loomis Todd), mixed condition, still an interesting group .... E. 100-150 1107 ₪ [TRAVEL] Memorabilia. 1920's-50's, carton of postcards and ephemera relating to cruises, covers incl. July 1, 1946 Atomic Bomb blast, mixed condition, some are Fine E. 100-150 1108 ⋈ [NAVAL] U.S. Submarine Launch Covers to Franklin D. Roosevelt. 84 different covers addressed to President Roosevelt from various war-time launch sights of U.S. Navy submarines, all with printed or hand-drawn cachets, this was lot 411 in the H. R Harmer Roosevelt sale Part One (realized \$200)...... E. 500-750 1109 ⋈ [WORLD WAR II] Covers. Couple hundred pieces, mostly covers with good group of worldwide mail including censored, soldiers mail, POW, etc., also patriotic cards and covers, generally Fine E. 200-250 1110 ₪ [WORLD WAR II AND BEYOND] Covers. Several hundred covers from educator and lawyer Alexander Bickel, mostly war-period, numerous examples of his autograph to be found, mixed condition ...... [PRINTED EPHEMERA] Balance. Box of assorted items, incl. seven large die proofs of 1111 presidential portraits, few other die proofs on card incl. Stonewall Jackson, Jefferson Davis, some printed ads, also other items such as Raggedy Ann book, book of animal pictures, etc., also some old signed documents, a treasure trove of various ephemera E. 200-300 [PRINTED EPHEMERA] Balance. Three items: first is large die proof of Calvin 1112 Coolidge; second is 1825 folded letter from Pittsfield Mass. regarding purchase of cloth for uniforms; third item is 1782 payment voucher, few small faults, all appear Fine...... ..... E. 75-100

#### CIVIL WAR AUTOGRAPHS AND HISTORICAL LETTERS

- Pierre G. T. Beauregard. Confederate General. Copy of 2pp letter with red pencil note on back indicating that Beauregard himself made the copy (we do not concur), datelined "State House, New Orleans, April 30/80", a remarkable admission by Beauregard to British Prime Minister Gladstone that the South was wrong to pursue war against the North, in part: "Had we in this country been wise, in 1861, we would have submitted quietly to the results obtained by our opponents at the polls, & we would have proceeded to effect those changes in our Constitution rendered essential by the march of events. We prepared an appeal to arms for the redress of our manifold grievance & we met, through our inferiority of numbers & resources, with reverses, at the hands of an ungenerous foe, which will require many years of patient industry & economy to recover our lost wealth & prosperity." Splits in folds and minor edge tears, still Fine and outstanding content.........................(Photo) E. 500-750

- William H. Hurlbert: A Political Prisoner in Confederate Richmond. A remarkable 4pp transmittal letter datelined "Richmond Aug. 13, 1861" together with original 12pp enclosure to the Editor of the New York Times datelined "Richmond, Virginia, August 11th 1861", in which Hurlbert, a news correspondent whose anti-slavery views landed him in jail, details for the record his long-time opposition to the war and dramatically describes this message as "what may be perhaps your last communication from your most faithful friend and servant." Hurlbert was jailed in 1861 and escaped in the summer of 1862. He later campaigned for McClellan in 1864 and, as this letter and twelve-page statement for the Times so passionately describe, his anti-slavery position was balanced by a very strong anti-war (anti-Republican) political stance. It was not, however, enough to shield him from hostile Southerners who arrested him for published statements against slavery and secession. A fascinating prisoner-of-war correspondence................ E. 750-1,000
- Death Certificate Covers. Two covers, one has Adams Express Co. imprint with printed identification "Certificate of Corpse", other with U.S. Army Medical Dept. imprint, 3c 1861 tied by Phila. duplex, enclosure on printed letterhead referring to enclosure of death certificate for a private, Very Fine, scarce items.......(Photo Ex) E. 300-400
- U.S.S. Stars & Stripes. Folded letter to Capt. Reed Werden of the U.S.S. Stars & Stripes with hand-colored depictions of signal flags for U.S.S. Perry, Brinole, Ceres, and Underwriter, further instructions to "Have your vessels coaled, washed & provisioned and a supply of customs signals", signed Commodore S. C. Rowan, undated but clearly from Civil War period during which the U.S.S. Stars & Stripes served on the Atlantic and East Coast Blockading Squadron, Very Fine, excellent naval collateral ...(Photo) E. 300-400
- 1119 Indiana in the Civil War. Family correspondence with eleven letters and original covers (3c 1861's, Indiana postmarks), 1862-65, homefront news re the hardships of war, all transcribed, interesting reading, Fine group ...... E. 300-400

- An Old Southern Farmer's War-Time Letters. Two, both written from Edward B. White, a melancholy old farmer at Kemper Miss., one dated Jan. 25, 1863 to his nephew (the ms. pmk. is mis-dated "Peden Miss. Jan. 26—62 Paid 10"), the other dated Jan. 23, 1864 to his sister (hand-carried to DeKalb Miss. with part of cds but stamps removed), poignant content from a father who has lost sons, details regarding the battles in which various family members have fought, who has died and been captured, remorse over the bloodshed and misery, reflections (in 1864) on his earlier prediction for the course of the Southern Confederacy—"my doctrine before the commencement of it was that secession would be followed by the bloodiest strife recorded on the page of modern history and lay the foundation stone for the abolition of slavery; but all such talk as this, was, at that time, looked upon as proceeding from the imagination of a lunatic, and treated accordingly. There must be a tremendous reconing to settle up for the misery inflicted on the innocent thousands of young boys, who never had a voice in the affairs of government, butchered. The whole land is strewn with widows, orphan children, and bereaved parents." Excellent Confederate civilian letters ............. E. 400-500
- 1122 ₪ Illegal Use of Congressional Free Frank by U.S. Soldiers. Five Civil War letters from Gardner B. Clark, a member of Besden's U.S. Sharp Shooters Regt., Michigan Corps, to his sweetheart in Grand Rapids, the letters and four covers demonstrate the illegal practice of Congressmen who free franked envelopes and distributed them to soldiers and constituents: first in series is Sep.4, 1861 from Weehawken N.J. with orders to go to Washington (patriotic cover, stained, faulty 3c 1861 tied by N.Y. cds); second is lettersheet with U.S. Capitol (no cover) dated Oct. 16 which states "I am going to the City tomorrow and think I shall have a chance to get some envelopes franked, so they will go fee, and if I do I shall send you some more perhaps."—not only is he using them himself, but he is sending free-franked envelopes to his girlfriend!; third and fourth in series are patriotic lettersheets with covers free franked by Ohio Repr. William Helmick, these two have faults but nice Magnus and McClellan désigns—Helmick was out of office on Mar. 3, 1861, but here he is franking envelopes in October 1861—lastly, the best of the group, a "Loyal States" Vermont green litho cover with Helmick's obsolete frank crossed out and another congressman (Repr. William Mitchell of Indiana) has franked the cover below-the only double frank we have seen—an outstanding group of scarce covers, the subject of an article in a recent American Philatelist ..................................(Photo Ex) E. 750-1,000
- [TEXAS] Red River Campaign. 4pp letter from Indianola Tex. Feb. 26, 1864, from a soldier with Major-General Dana's regiment building the strong works, very good content, mentions Confederate General McGruder's flag-of-truce messenger, with transmittal cover postmarked at New Orleans (faulty), scarce letter ...... E. 100-150
- Office Superintendent Recruiting Service, U.S. Troops (Colored), Department of the Gulf. Three-line imprint on cover to Elmira, 3c Rose (65) tied by New Orleans duplex, corner mended (touching imprint), also a Northwestern Freedmen's Aid Comm. imprint cover with 3c Rose (65), scarce Civil War corner cards .......(Photo) E. 200-250
- Office of Negro Affairs, Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands. 1864-66, correspondence of six letters, first to Lucius Merriam, an officer stationed at New Berne N.C., from whom and where the balance of five letters are written, all on printed letter-heads (incl. 1864 "Office of Sup't. of Negro Affairs"), Merriam has a desk job and the letters are noticeably lacking in military content—they do, however, mention reconstruction-era politics (blacks on their way to Raleigh etc.), Very Fine...... E. 300-400
- Union Ephemera. Five items, incl. National Bank Note Co. die proof of capitol building at Montgomery Ala.; a copy of an order by General Sherman to respect the property of a specific civilian; an ordnance invoice; railroad pass for two soldiers; last is handwritten circular from Quartermaster with instructions for buying forage before crossing Potomac, few trivial faults, all appear Fine, a diverse group ................. E. 200-300
- North Carolina Confederacy. Seven pieces, incl. \$10.00 note printed on generic bank draft, circulated with some faults, Fine group ...... E. 200-250
- Confederate Currency. Two pieces, \$50.00 & \$100.00 Richmond, Feb. 17, 1864, margins to slightly in, no folds but \$100.00 has corner crease...... E. 75-100

# UNION PATRIOTIC COVERS

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1131 ⊠	Battle Scenes. Elaborate design showing various vignettes from battles, bearing 3c Rose (65), cancelled by pen strokes, matching "Oakland Station Ky. June 21, 1863" ms. pmk., to Leroy Ill., barely reduced at L., back expertly rettached, appears Fine, rare design(Photo) E. 150-200
1132°⊠	Blood Money; or How Southern Rebels Encourage Piracy. Colorful design, bearing 3c Rose (65) cancelled by grid, matching "Buffalo N.Y. Jun. 28, 1861" cds to Philadelphia, slightly reduced at R. barely affecting stamp, Fine E. 200-300
1133 ⊠	The Captured Battery. Blue design on cover with 3c Rose (65) tied by blue "Coolville Ohio Mar. 31" cds, to Mariaville N.Y., Very Fine(Photo) E. 75-100
1134 ⋈	<b>The Constitution.</b> Red and blue design with shaking hands, flag and Constitution, bearing 3c Dull Red (26) tied by grid and <b>Blood's Penny Post</b> , acid tied, Blood's double-circle ds, also octagonal "Philadelphia Pa. May 31" ds, to Fort Schuyler N.Y., some edge wear affecting 3c stamp, still Fine and rare usage( <b>Photo</b> ) E. 300-400
1135 ⊠	The Constitution, Liberty and Union, Now and Forever. Slogan beneath multicolored design showing shaking hands, flag and Constitution, bearing 3c Rose (65), rich color, tied by target, matching indistinct Ohio Jul. 27 cds, to Fort Randall Dakotah Terr., slightly reduced at R., Very Fine usage(Photo) E. 150-200
1136 ⊠	U.S.S. Constitution, "Our Army and Navy Forever!". Slogan on red and blue design, bearing 3c Rose (65) tied by "Annapolis Junction Md. Feb. 26" cds, to Meredith Square N.Y., slightly reduced at R., some edge wear and stamp with few light creases, still appears Fine
1137 ⊠	Stephen A. Douglas. Portrait with "The People Alone are Sovereign." slogan on yellow cover bearing three singles of 1c Blue, Ty. V (24), cancelled by parallel pen strokes, "Benson Vt. Aug. 13, 1861" cds to Concord Mich., slightly reduced at R., Fine
1138°⊠	Down with the traitors' Serpent Flag!. Design with Palmetto State flag on broken staff and Stars & Strips at left, bearing 3c Rose (65), s.e. at R., cancelled by dotted cork, clear matching "Sandwich Ms. Oct. 29" cds, cover with light over-all toning, still Fine, very scarce design E. 150-200
1139°⊠	Eagle & Crossed Flags. Unusual design on cover bearing 3c Rose (65) tied by "Washington D.C. May 13, 1863" cds to Troy N.H., stamp with tiny perf flaws from placement at edge, Fine
1140°⊠	<b>Eagle &amp; Shield with Flag.</b> Energetic design on cover bearing 3c Rose (65) tied by "Alexandria Va. Apr. 14" double-circle ds to Nile N.Y., Very Fine E. 100-150
1141 ⊠	Ellsworth. Red design of portrait in ornate frame, bearing 3c Rose (65) tied on backflap by Md. cds, to Leconte's Mills Pa., some edge wear, still Fine(Photo) E. 100-150
1142 ⊠	Col. Elmer E. Ellsworth. Half-length portrait in blue on cover bearing horizontal strip of three of 1c Blue, Ty. V (24), tied by "Winstead Vt. Sep. 11" double-circle ds and target, to Ludlow Vt., some staining mostly at edges, missing part of backflap, otherwise Fine
1143 ⊠	Waving Flag. Red and blue design on small narrow pink cover with 3c Dull Red (26) tied by "Parkersburg Va. Aug. 2, 1861" cds, small tear at bottom right, otherwise Very Fine
1144 ⊠	Waving Flag. Red and blue design on cover with 3c Dull Red (26) tied by greenish blue "Taunton Ms. May 27" cds, with enclosure with similar design which states in part "Don't you go knocking up any of them Seminary Girls before You come away from Norton. If I come I will Bring some Beer for health", some light toning around stamp, otherwise Very Fine
1145 ⊠	Flag at the Shore. Red and blue design with verse underneath, bearing 3c Rose (65) tied by "Lebanon N.H. Nov. 12" cds to Greenwich Station Oh., slightly reduced at sides and slight edge wear, still Fine and attractive design(Photo) E. 200-300
1146 ⊠	For the Union. Pennsylvania. Multicolored Magnus design with 3c Rose (65) tied by indistinct blue cds, to Lexington Pa., minor edge wear and slightly reduced at L., Fine
1147 ⊠	For the Union, Wisconsin. Multicolored Magnus design on cover with 3c Rose (65) tied by circle of wedges, matching "Washington D.C." double-circle ds, Ellisburgh N.Y., slightly reduced at L. just into edge of design, expertly sealed tear at T., otherwise Fine and attractive cover

Fort Sumpter. Red and blue design showing the fort with lady justice in cloud above, 1148 ₪ bearing "Washington D.C. Nov. 24, 1862" cds and signed by member of Congress, to Accord N.Y., slightly rduced at R. and slight edge wer, still Fine and interesting usage (Photo) E. 200-300 Fremont. Portrait with Putnam Bros. imprint, on cover bearing 3c Rose (65) tied by 1149 ⋈ circle of wedges, matching "Geneseo Ill. Feb. 3" cds, to Greenfield Mass., slightly reduced at R. and some toned spots, otherwise Fine ......(Photo) E. 150-200 Front Face!-Eyes Right!!!. Slogan on multicolored patriotic showing a pretty woman 1150 ₪ hitching up her skirt and ogling soldiers, bearing 3c Rose (65) tied by "Cairo III. Dec. 12" double-circle ds to Gt. Abrams Vt., some wear, missing part of backflap, appears Fine .................................(Photo) E. 200-300 Grant and Colfax. Patriotic design in purple with slogans at R., bearing 3c Red, F. Grill 1151 ⊠ (94) tied by target, matching "Waterbury Centre Vt. Sep. 28" cds, to Johnson Vt., slightly reduced at R. affecting stamp, still Fine .................(Photo) E. 200-300 Have You Heard the News from S.C.?. Blue design with Mumford imprint of crowing 1152 ₪ rooster, bearing 3c Rose (65) tied by grid, matching "Middletown O. Feb. 8" cds, to Pittsburgh Pa., straightline "Feb. 10" receiving ds, stamp placed over edge of cover, some slight edge wear, Fine ................................(Photo) E. 150-200 Liberty & Flag. Red and blue design on cover with 3c Dull Red (26), s.e. at L., tied by 1153 ⋈ light red grid and also by greenish blue "Woonsocket R.I. Jun. 5" cds, to Cloverack N.Y., stamp has single pulled perf, cover is fresh and Very Fine.....(Photo) E. 100-150 1154 ⋈ Liberty & Globe. Blue lithograph design on cover, 3c Rose (65) tied by blue Louisville Ky. duplex, minor toning, with three unrelated Civil War letters incl. one Capitol lettersheet and mention of "Old Abe", Fine group ...........(Color Photo, p. 81) E. 200-300 Lincoln and Davis in Five Rounds. Set of five unused envelopes with satirical designs 1155°⊠ comprising the original "Champion Prize Envelopes", produced by J.H. Tingley of New York, some toning mostly around edges, otherwise Fine, only one complete postally used set is known (which realized \$19,000 hammer in our Sale 784), an excellent alternative (Photo Ex) E. 300-400 Long May it Wave. Multicolored design with standing armed farmer and flag, bearing 1c 1156 ⋈ Blue, Ty. V (24) and pair and single of 3c Dull Red (26), tied by "Irwin's Station Pa. Jun. 17" datestamps and addressed to "Chinese Camp, California", minor faults affect stamp, appears Very Fine.....(Photo) E. 200-300 Loyal States, Ilinois. All-over design bearing 3c Rose (65) cancelled by bold circle of 1157 ₪ wedges, matching "Jerseyville Ill. Dec. 13" cds, to Philadelphia, Reagles & Co. imprint on backflap, sealed tear, appears Very Fine ......(Photo) E. 100-150 Loyal States, Maine. All-over design in blue, bearing 3c Rose (65) tied by "Rockville Ct. 1158°⊠ Jan. 24" cds and addressed to Newburyport, Mass., forwarded to West Newbury with 1862 cds struck over Maine state seal, trivial soiling, Fine...... E. 75-100 1159 ₪ Loyal States, Michigan. All-over design in gray bearing 3c Dull Red (26) tied by "Washington D.C. Aug. 17, 86" cds to Detroit Mich., opened bit roughly at R., some toning, otherwise Fine...........(Photo) E. 100-150 General McClellan. Purple portrait in ornate oval on cover bearing 3c Rose (65) tied by 1160 ⋈ "Washington D.C. Nov. 26, 1861" cds to Boston Mass., slightly reduced at T. and missing T. flap, still appears fresh and Very Fine.....(Photo) E. 150-200 U.S. Naval Expedition No. 2. Multicolored Magnus overall design on cover with 3c Rose 1161 ⊠ (65) tied by well-struck circle of wedges, matching "New York Sep. 3, 1863" doublecircle ds, to Johnson Vt., slightly reduced at L., Fine and attractive design..... (Color Photo, p. 81) E. 500-750 Monitor and Merrimac. All-over purple design showing naval battle, bearing 3c Rose 1162 ⋈ (65) tied by grid in circle, matching "Le Roy III. Aug. 30" cds to Mt. Vernon Ohio, Wells imprint on backflap, slightly reduced at R, and some toning, otherise Fine, rare design Monitor and Merrimac. Purple design of the naval battle with Mumford & Co. imprint 1163 ⋈ at L., bearing "Due 3" in circle, matching indistinct Ill. town ds, with illegible address, some wear, still appears Fine, an interesting usage, ex Walcott ......(Photo) E. 100-150 National Union League. Printed return address with illustration of the Capitol, bearing

1164 ⋈

3c Rose (65), tied by bold quartered cork, matching "Washington D.C. Apr. 19" cds, to Sandy Springs Md., slightly reduced at R., stamp missing T.L. corner (prior to use), still 

- 1165 ≥ New York. All-over purple design with 50th Regt. N.Y. Vols. imprint at B., bearing 3c Rose (65) tied by "Washington D.C. Apr. 2" cds to Rileyville Pa., slightly reduced at R. into stamp, otherwise Fine (Photo) E. 100-150 One Nation, One Government, Red and blue design with 34 states and Union motifs, 3c 1166 ⋈ Rose (65) cancelled by unusual geometric grid, matching "Hummelstown Pa. Nov. 30" cds on cover to Geigers Mills Pa., slightly reduced at L. not affecting design, Fine....... .....(Photo) E. 150-200 O'er Sumpter's Walls Our Flag. Red and blue design normally associated with nailing 1167 ⊠ colors to the mast, bearing 3c Dull Red (26) tied by neat grid, matching "Indianapolis Ind." double-circle ds, to Philadelphia, faint toning, still Fine and rare, ex Walcott ...... (Photo) E. 100-150 Onward to Victory. Unusual Liberty & Eagle design with female riding giant eagle in flight bearing 3c Rose (65) tied by bold target and partial "New York 12 Sep." double-1168°⊠ circle ds to Attleboro Mass., stamp with tiny tear, Very Fine appearance, scarce design E. 100-150 Our Country, Globe and flag design on cover bearing 1c Blue, Tv. II (20) from Pl. 11 or 1169 ⋈ 12 and 3c Dull Red (26), tied by "New-York Jun. ?" cds to military address in Washington D.C., few faint toning spots, otherwise Very Fine carrier usage, Scott Retail for No. 20 on patriotic cover is \$575.00 .................(Color Photo, p. 81) E. 300-400 1170 ₪ R. Island Regiment. Multicolored design showing soldier with sword and flag and anchor, bearing 3c Dull Red (26) tied by grid, red "Providence R.I. Jul. 6" cds on cover to military address in Washington D.C., some wear incl. light file fold affecting stamp, Sailor & Flag. Red and blue design with verse underneath, bearing 3c Dull Red (26) tied 1171 ∞ by "Hagerstown Md. Jun. 25" cds to New Boston Ct., some overall wear and toning, almost Fine (Photo) E. 150-200 1172 ₪ Sailor & Flag, Three Cheers for the Red, White and Blue. Slogan beneath sailor and flag on red and blue patriotic cover to South Lyme Conn., bearing 3c Rose (65) tied by "Albany N.Y. Nov. 6" cds, slight edge wear affactes stamp, Fine ..... (Photo) E. 200-300 Scott's Nine Hundred, 11th New York Cavalry. Slogan beneath horse and rider on bright orange cover bearing 3c Rose (65) tied by "Memphis Tenn. Mar. 3" double-circle  $1173 \approx$ ds with target duplex, to Hopkinton N.Y., with origin enclosure indicating 1865 year date, from a member of the cavalry who writes in part "Our camp is situated within 2 miles of the city on a mound yet I fear it will prove sickly for it is surrounded by no less than (12,000) of our noble brothers who sleep beneath the sod.", barely reduced at R., fresh and Very Fine ......(Photo) E. 200-300 Secession. Two-part design with red and blue flag with verse at T. and Uncle Sam stran-1174 🖾 gling the Secession snake at B., on yellow cover with R. E. Clark imprint on backflap and bearing 3c Rose (65) tied by grid, matching "Buffalo N.Y. Sep. 19, 1861" cds to Haskinsville N.Y., barely reduced at R., Very Fine and colorful cover ...... (Photo) E. 200-300 Secession Extinguisher. Purple design with verse at B. and Brown & Ryan imprint at L., 1175 ⊠

  - 1178 Soldier's Dream of Home. All-over design in red and black with Upham imprint on backflap, bearing 3c Pink (64) tied by indistinct cds to Greenfield Mass., stamp torn at T.R., still appears Fine..............................(Photo) E. 200-300
  - 1179 

    Soldier and Sweethert. Red and blue design with pastoral background, bearing 3c Rose (65) tied by grid, matching "Tennallytown D.C. Nov. 17" cds, to Fulton N.Y., J.G. Wells imprint on backflap, slight wear, still Fine...............(Photo) E. 150-200

- 1180 

  Standing Liberty. Blue and red design with "One flag for the whole country" slogan, bearing 3c Rose (65), tied by blue grid, matching "Bowling Green Ky. Mar. 1, 1862" cds to Rural Ohio, some wer incl. few light file folds, otherwise Fine .......(Photo) 

  E. 150-200
- 1181 

  Strayed, Union Lion and Confederate Jackass. Brown cartoon on yellow cover with 3c Rose (65) tied by "Marietta O. Jan. 3, 1862" double-circle ds, with original letter enclosure on red and blue patriotic stationery datelined at Camp Putnam, minor soiling, still Very Fine.......................(Photo) E. 200-300
- Union and the Constitution. Crisp flag design on cover bearing 1c Blue, Ty. V (24) and 3c Dull Red (26) tied by "New York Jul. 5, 1861" cds and grid to Poplar Ridge N.Y., cover with tiny edge toning at top, Fine carrier usage ...... E. 150-200
- 1184 

  Wermont. Light purple design of waving flag and state seal, bearing 3c Rose (65) tied by "Washington D.C. Nov. 28, 1861" cds to West Rupert Vt., slightly reduced at R., few faint toned spots at edges, Fine ..................................(Photo) E. 150-200
- 1185 

  Warren and Ellsworth. Multicolored design with two portraits, flag and shield on cover bearing 3c Rose (65), L. sheet margin single, tied by "New Market Mo. Oct. 15" cds, to Abbottstown Pa., few sealed edge tears, still Fine .......................(Photo) E. 150-200
- 1186 

  Washington, War for the Union. Elaborate portrait in frame of George Washington on cover bearing 3c Rose (65) tied by target, matching "Port Royal S.C. Feb. 23" cds to Gorham Me., small piece out of stamp at B., still appears Fine ......(Photo) E. 150-200

- 1189 

  Why Don't You Take It?. Red and blue caricature on light yellow cover bearing 10c Yellow Green (68) tied by blue "Lagro Ind. Nov. 9" cds, to Nevada Cal., Beard imprint at B., slight edge wear and barely reduced at R., Fine .(Color Photo, p. 81) E. 200-250
- 1190 

   PATRIOTICS. Collection of 101 covers, huge variety of designs incl. Lincoln, nice group of caricatures, slogans, military-related, etc., wide range of postal markings and destinations, some with original enclosures, some faults to be expected, many are Fine-Very Fine, an interesting group ...... E. 4,000-5,000

#### PROPAGANDA COVERS

- 1193°⊠ PETITION FOR CHEAP POSTAGE. Printed circular datelined New York, December 1848, from James Brown, President of the New York Cheap Postage Association, with Barnabas Bates as Corresponding Secretary, to Gov. Haines of N.J. with red "New-York Dec. 27 Paid 3cts" cds, Very Fine and rare circular...... E. 300-400
- GREAT BRITAIN, 1841, 1p Red Brown (3). Clear to large margins, tied by "702" in barred oval hs, matching "Sherborne MY 21, 1849" ds on Ocean Penny Postage all-over illustrated cover to Somerset, J. Valentine imprint at R., some toning, small piece out of back, otherwise Fine ..................................(Photo) E. 150-200
- 1195 
  Farmington Ohio Mar. 28. Cds, matching "Paid 3" in circle on J. Valentine imprint illustrated temperance cover to Lebanon Ill., fresh and Very Fine, very rare usage of British-imprinted envelope within the U.S......(Photo) E. 500-750
- 1196 Ellsworth Me. 7 Apr. Blue cds, matching "Paid 3" in circle on Maine liquor law propaganda cover to North Hancock Me., Thurston & Co. imprint on backflap, fresh and Very Fine................................(Photo) E. 150-200

1197 ⋈ 3c Green (158). Tied by target, matching "White Plains N.Y. Mar. 2" cds on illustrated "home" temperance cover to Haverford College P.O. Pa., barely reduced at R., a Very Boston Ms. Jul. 10. Red cds, matching "Paid" on J. Valentine imprint illustrated anti-slavery cover to East Hampton, slight edge toning, otherwise Very Fine and rare usage 1198 ⊠ of a British-imprinted envelope used with the U.S.....(Photo) E. 500-750 North Fairfield O. Jul. 3. Red cds, matching "Paid 3" in circle on J. Valentine imprint illustrated peace cover to Worcester Mass., small stain at B.R., otherwise Fine and rare 1199 ⋈ usage.................(Photo) E. 400-500 3c Dull Red (11). Cancelled by grid, "So. Vassaboro Me. Nov. 12" ms. pmk. on Peace 1200 ∞ Society cover to Reily Ohio, light edge toning, otherwise Fine, scarce, ex Knapp, Grunin (Photo) E. 300-400 3c Rose (65). Cancelled by grid on Peace Society cover to Andover Mass., slightly 1201 ₪ reduced at L., fresh and Very Fine ......(Photo) E. 300-400 3c Rose (65). Cancelled by "5" in circle, matching "Sardis Ky," cds on American Peace 1202 ∞ Society illustrated cover to Abington Mass., some edge wear, Fine (Photo) E. 150-200 1c Ultramarine (134). Tied by blue grid, matching "Elgin II." cds on illustrated 1203 ₪ American Peace Society cover to Berlin Conn., some toning around stamp edges, otherwise Fine.......(Photo) E. 300-400 3c Green (146). Tied by target, matching "Fillmore Centre Mich. Feb. 4" cds on illus-1204 ⋈ trated American Peace Society cover to Breedsville Mich., slight edge wear, Fine ....... ......(Photo) E. 150-200 "Rough & Ready Despatch". Colorless embossed seal on flap of brown cover free 1205 ⋈ franked by Penn. state senator, blue "Harrisburg Pa. Mar. 14" cds and "Paid 5" in octagon, toned at edges, Fine and rare Taylor campaign seal ...... E. 100-150 ILLUSTRATED COVERS 1206 ₪ Beauty and the Beast. Black on white printed envelope, red "LondonPaid 30 DE 69" cds and addressed locally, fresh and Very Fine, unusual design, a similar example with faults sold for \$330 in our October 1996 Sale 781.....(Photo) E. 300-400 The House That Jack Built. Colorful illustration on back of cover, bearing 2c Green 1207 ₪ (213) tied by "Evanston Ill. Feb. 4, 1889" duplex to Philadelphia, opened for display, 1208 ⊠ Philadelphia Waterfront. Ink drawing on 1911 1c Postal Card to Florida, fresh and Very Fine ..........(Photo) E. 75-100 Woman With Hat Pins. Hand-drawn illustration on back of cover bearing 2c Carmine (319) tied by "Saint Petersburg Fla. Sep. 6, 1907" duplex to Gloversville N.Y., slight 1209 ⋈ edge wear, still Very Fine .......(Photo) E. 200-300 Holcomb's Improved Mechanical Telephones. 3c Green (207) tied by scarce purple 1210°⊠ "Mallet Creek Ohio Nov. 10, 1881" octagon postmark on illustrated cover in black on pink, original enclosure from Holcomb advertising card printing ("Teachers' Name Cards & Chromo Reward Cards a Specialty"), slightly reduced at L., Fine and rare..... Kennedy & Co., Pittsburgh. Illustrated corner card cover depicting the Kennedy store 1211 ⊠ with billboards showings advertisements for Dr. Radcliffe's Great Wonder medicine, bearing 1c Bank Note tied by hs to Ohio N.Y., some slight edge wear, Fine and interesting cover, accompanied by article describing the Kennedy business and their role in printing a private die proprietary stamp ......(Photo) E. 150-200 Photographers. Two covers from Marietta O. photographer, one has 3c Red (26) tied by 1212 ⋈ cds with blue label for Cadwallader & Tappen, other is a large wrapper with Cadwallader's label and 2c Black (73) tied by cds and target, latter has minor gum toning and faults typical of wrappers, otherwise Very Fine ..... E. 200-300 NEW YORK SOUVENIR CARDS. Three post cards, showing views of Post Office, 1213 ₪ Central Park and Union Square, each used in 1902 and addressed to Budapest Hungary, various cancels, Very Fine...... E. 150-200 ADVERTISING COVERS TO FOREIGN DESTINATIONS. Three, first bears 5c 1214 ∞ Chocolate (223) tied on cover with Poland Spring House illustrated ad to Paris, France; second bears 5c Dark Blue (281) on cover with Maine's Old Home Week label to London; third bears 5c Blue (304) tied on cover with Old Orchard maine photographic view to Sweden, some faults all appear Fine ...... E. 150-200

1215 ⊠

BUILDING CORNER CARD COVERS. Seven illustrated corner card covers, range of

frankings and destinations with most being used from Philadelphia, some quite elaborate, few faults, all appear Fine-Very Fine, an interesting group ...... E. 200-250

#### VALENTINE COVERS AND ENCLOSURES

1216° ₪

19th Century Valentines and Covers. 152 covers, almost all with matching enclosures, mounted on exhibit pages with write-up in German

AN IMPORTANT AND EXCEPTIONALLY FINE COLLECTION OF 19TH CENTURY VALENTINE COVERS AND ENCLOSURES. OFFERED INTACT BY ORDER OF THE OWNER.

The collection is divided along postal history lines and within each category contains a variety of the most prized Valentines. Included are:

#### Stampless-Total 77:

- 49-matching envelopes and Valentines
- 13-hand-drawn Valentines and love poems with covers (or as folded letters)
- 3-folded printed Valentines with postal markings
- 5-decorative envelopes
- 5-birdcage or pop-up Valentines with matching covers
- 2-printed Frey's Valentine Express cover, folded Valentine ad
- 5c 1847 Issue-1
- 1c 1851 Issue-7
- 3c 1851 Issue-19
- 1c 1857 Issue-8
- 3c 1857 Issue-13
- 1c plus 3c 1857 Issue-1
- 1c 1861 Issue-6
- 3c 1861-67 Issue-13
- 2c 1863 Issue-4
- 3c Entires-2

#### 2c Revenue Used as Postage-1

Among the highlights of these above-named sections are:

- "ORFORDVILLE N.H." arc in blue and "HILLSBORO N.H." straightline in green
- Red "V", "Paid" and "FEB 14" straightline (unusual configuration of markings)
- Large envelope (with enclosure) with "Plainville Conn. Feb. 13" cds's in all four corners and rate markings across top
- Elaborate multi-color hand-drawn Valentine (see Color Photo, p. 82)
- Green and bronze printed envelope with pop-up Valentine and love poem (see Color Photo, p. 83)
- 5c Red Brown (1) tied on small embossed envelope with original Valentine (see Color Photo, p. 82)
- Ic Blue, Ty. IV (9) on multicolored Valentine envelope with original enclosure (see Color Photo, p. 82)
- 1c Blue, Ty. IV (9) on large envelope with embossed and hand-colored fruits (see Color Photo, p. 82)
- Ic Blue, Ty. V (24) tied by red "Providence R.I." cds on embossed cover with original Valentine
- "An Old Maid" cartoon Valentine in original 3c 1857 cover
- 1c Blue (63) tied on Romeo & Juliet multicolored Valentine cover (see Color Photo, p. 83)
- 3c Rose (65) tied on front only of Romeo & Juliet Valentine with Civil War enclosure (see Color Photo, p. 83)
- 3c Rose (65) tied on rare Magnus Valentine with enclosure (see Color Photo, p. 83)

The condition is generally Very Fine or better. Some minor faults or stains will be found on larger envelopes, and the usual flaws in lace Valentines are to be expected.

This collection required years to assemble and is offered intact by order of the private owner in Europe. It represents an extraordinary opportunity to acquire many rare and spectacular covers.......................(Color Photo Ex, p. 82-83) E. 40,000-60,000

1217°∞ 2c Drop Letter Rates on Valentines. Four different: scarce "Utica N.Y. 2 Cents" blue circular hs with integral rate on lady's embossed envelope with Valentine poem enclosed; red "Erie Pa. Feb. 14" cds with "Paid" and "2" in circle on large blue cover with bronze floral decoration; red "Paid" and oily "2" hs on Thompson Conn. embossed cover with original Valentine enclosure; and Owego N.Y. blue "2" hs on small envleope with green lady's cameo on flap and original poem enclosure, Very Fine group .......... (Photo Ex) E. 750-1,000 1218°⊠ 19th Century Valentine Covers. A magnificent collection of 34 covers, many with enclosures, includes twenty stampless, seven with 1851 Issues incl. a strip of No. 7, pair of No. 9 and a No. 10, two 3c 1857 Issue, two Civil War Rome & Juliet with 3c 1861, two other 1861 issues, one Bank Note era, plus two additional covers with propaganda designs, the designs and condition are far above the norm with many elaborate decorative Valentines and covers, an outstanding collection worth careful examination ...... 1219 ⋈ 19th Century Valentine Covers. A small but handsome collection of 50 covers, virtually all embossed with Valentine enclosures (many appear to be original to the covers), stampless, 1851 Issue, 1861 and 1869 Issues, a few later Bank Notes, several large and ornate types, minor faults typical of this delicate creations are to be expected, some toning and stamp faults as well; however, this is generally a Very Fine and carefully assembled collection with excellent potential for expansion, retail value well in excess of \$5,000 E. 2,000-3,000 1220°∞ Valentines. Two stampless, incl. enclosures, one with blue "Columbia S.C., Feb. 15" cds to Aiken S.C., other bearing C.S.A. 10c Blue, H & L (2) tied by "Richmond Va." cds on back of small Valentine to Quincy Fla., stamp torn from opening, mixed condition, Fine E. 100-150 1221 ₪ Floral Designs. Elaborate and colorful small cover with similarly designed enclosure, addressed to Philadelphia and datelined "Vienna May 6, 1841", probably carried outside of the mails, some slight cover toning, a Very Fine and beautiful cover..... E. 200-300 1222 ⋈ "The Wet Nurse" Comic Valentine. Printed and hand-colored cartoon of a gentleman changing a baby girl's diaper, address leaf with "East Cambridge Ms. Feb. 17" cds and "5" hs, few minor tears, still Very Fine—certainly different ...... E. 100-150 COLONIAL. REVOLUTIONARY WAR AND CONFEDERATION PERIOD COVERS 1223 ⊠ Bo 2/4. Boston ms. rate on fresh July 1748 folded letter to Newport R.I., Extremely Fine Colonial letter.....(Photo) E. 300-400 BSh 4/6. Boston ms. ship rate on Feb. 1752 folded letter from London to Rhode Island, 1224 ⋈ 1225 ⊠ Boston, June 15th, 1779. Dateline on folded letter after British evacuation, addressed to Easton "favored by Cornel. Sidmen"-postal markings were used infrequently during this period—letter states "I am sorrie to say that our sirkconstances is not so good as it was before this unhappy war by reason of the losses we have met with in moveing out of town into the Countrey the time of the Seage. . " toned along folds, otherwise Fine ...... E. 300-400 1226 ⋈ BOSTON. Italicized straightline in olive with matching "30/OC" in circle on 1783 folded letter from Madeira to New York, ms. "Sh 4" ship rate and "2/" in ms., address ink has eroded paper in spots, otherwise Fine, very scarce, ex Blake ..........(Photo) E. 300-400 1227 ⋈ BOSTON. Brownish straightline hs with "7/MA" in circle and "Free" hs, all perfectly struck on 1787 folded letter from David Greene to Dudley Woodbridge at Norwich Conn., very slight wear, still Extremely Fine, unusual use of Free marking for no reason apparent to us (routine commercial correspondence between merchants), this is the listing example for Confederation-period usage in ASCC, ex Blake .....(Photo) E. 200-300 1228 ⋈ BOSTON. Brownish-black straightline hs with "30/SE" in circle and ms. "Paid 1.8" rate on 1787 folded letter to Newtown c/o gentleman at Newbury with sender's instructions "Mr. Emerson, please to forward this so as to be at Newtown on Monday night", Extremely Fine, ex Blake ......(Photo) E. 300-400

1229 ⋈

Sh 2. Ship captain's fee only on Jun. 25, 1788 "Public Service" folded letter from Boston

to Providence R.I., between quartermaster departments re army supplies, Very Fine, scarce application of ship fee to an otherwise free letter, ex Blake...(Photo) E. 300-400

- 1230 ⋈ NEW/YORK. Two-line hs in brownish-red, mostly clear strike on flap of Apr. 26, 1764 folded letter to Schenectady, red ms. "3" rate, Very Fine......(Photo) E. 400-500
- 1231 

   NEW/YORK. Brownish two-line hs with "9/DE" in circle and ms. reddish ms. "Paid 2" on 1767 folded letter to Philadelphia, lettersheet with "Pro Patriot" watermark, Very Fine Colonial letter......................(Photo) E. 400-500

- 1236 

   PHILA MAY 2. Red straightline hs—this rare type used briefly in 1775—on back of folded cover to Quebec, Canada, red "1N8" rate, toned spot from wax seal, reinforced splits along folds, still Fine and attractive, an extremely rare cross-border usage during Revolutionary War.................................(Photo) E. 750-1,000
- 1237 

  1780 "At Sea with the West India Fleet On Board the Ship Hero 11 June 1780". Folded letter to Madeira (Newton Gordon correspondence) with excellent content re British evacuation of New York and General Clinton, with copy of a letter written May 11, 1780, also containing interesting war-related content, Very Fine ....... E. 300-400
- 1238 ⋈ 1783, Havana to New Orleans. Jan. 1783 folded letter from Havana carried favor by Capt. Laurence" to New Orleans, letter re purchase of slaves and notes "The last account from Philadelphia speaks much of a peace being likely to take place." minor toning along folds, still Very Fine, early for this origin/destination ................................ E. 150-200

#### STAMPLESS COVERS

- Baltimore March.23. Straightline hs with ms. "Sh 4.16" and "2/2" rates on Jan. 1790 folded letter from Penzance to Philadelphia, ms. "Balto. 23d March 1790 Received & forwarded by Gentr. your Obt. Servts. S & J. Smith" on back, Very Fine....(Photo) E. 200-300
- 1241 
  BALT. MARCH 6. Straightline hs with ms. "2.16" Act of 1788 rate on 1792 folded letter to New York, accompanied by "BALT.MAR.2" straightline hs on 1797 folded letter with "12½" rate, both Very Fine..................................(Photo Ex) E. 400-500
- Baltimore Md. Oct. 20. Red cds on 1837 folded letter originating in England and forwarded by express mail to New Orleans, red "New-York Ship Oct. 18" cds, ms. "20¾" rate (18¾c plus 2c ship fee), sender's routing "Single pr. Express Mail" with ms. "forwd 75 / 95¾" (20-3-4c plus 75c express rate), toned along file folds, still Fine and extremely unusual transatlantic cover forwarded by Eastern express mail—from a new find..................(Photo) E. 400-500

- BOSTON. Clearly struck straightline hs with "28/AV" in circle and ms. "Sh 12" rate on 1245 ∞ 1792 folded letter from Hamburg to Providence R.I., ms. "Received & forwarded by Gentlemen Your most obedt. servt. M. Muller, Boston Aug. 28, 1792" on back, fresh and Extremely Fine, ex Blake.....(Photo) E. 150-200 BOSTON. Straightline hs with "7/AP" in circle and ms. "Sh 12" rate on 1793 folded letter 1246 ≥ from Cadiz to Providence R.I., Extremely Fine, ex Blake ............(Photo) E. 150-200 BOSTON, Straightline hs with "15/JY" in circle and ms. "W" (Way?) and "20" rate on  $1247 \infty$ folded cover to New York, Very Fine, ex Blake......(Photo) E. 200-300 BOSTON-British Post Office. Red straightline hs on 1844 folded cover carried by the 1947A°∞ Cunarder Caledonia to England, "1/" hs, "America/L" oval backstamp, receiving backstamp, slightly toned file fold, still Very Fine, extremely scarce B.P.O. marking applied by postal agent T. Moore, ASCC \$750.00 ...............................(Photo) E. 500-750 Boston Stampless Covers, 1789-1799. Eight folded letters, incl. 1789 "Way 1.8", 1248 ₪ straightlines on balance, a couple with minor faults, otherwise Very Fine E. 750-1,000 Brooklyn N.Y. Jan. 24. Cds with "1 CENT" straightline struck over "Free" hs on small 1249 ⋈ local cover, Very Fine and unusual.....(Photo) E. 75-100 Geo Town S.C. 23 Augt. Ms. pmk. sn "Sh. 27" (25c plus 2c) ship letter rate on 1805 1250 ⋈ folded letter from Barbados to Haddam Conn., slight toning and wear, Fine, rare Housatonic Rail Road 5. Extraordinarily clear strike of red handstamp on immaculate 1251°∞ white cover to Stapleton N.Y., Extremely Fine, a beautiful and very scarce marking, ex Middletown Point, Monmouth Co. N.J., Dec. 4. Double-line circular ds with county 1252 ∞ name and "V" rate hs on brown cover to Trenton, 1849 enclosure, minor tear at upper right, otherwise Fine cover, choice strike......(Photo) E. 100-150 Mobile Express Mail. Five covers, each with partly clear blue Mobile cds and endorsed 1953 ₪ "Express Mail", three rated at \$3.00 (one re-rated from \$2.00), one rated at 75c and one at \$1.50, few small faults, an interesting group ..... E. 300-400 Newark N.I. Paid Red cds on Post Office Dept. draft with vignettes of steamboat, rail-1254 road, Washington and Liberty & Shield, Hufty & Danforth imprint, signed, Fine ....... E. 100-150 New Orleans La. Aug. 8. Cds on vellow stampless cover to Vienna Austria, New Yrok 1255 ₪ and various transits, some edge wear, Fine .......(Photo) E. 75-100 New York May 24. Red cds with ornaments above and below date, red ms. "11/2" War 1256 ⋈ Rate (Ic plus 50% surcharge) on printed 1815 notice locally addressed, toned filed folds, otherwise Fine, very rare 11/2c War Rate ......(Photo) E. 150-200 New York Stampless Covers, 1770-1799. 13 folded letters, includes three Colonial "NEW/ 1257 ₪ YORK" two-line hs (1770 to England, two 1771 to Phila.), 1785 and 1786 dates with straightlines, 1793-99 dates with straightlines, one clamshell frame, and two with "HUDSON" straightline, Fine-Very Fine group...... E. 1,000-1,500 Parkersburg Va. Stencil. Bold brownish-black cds with ms. "Sept. 13" date on 1833 1258 ₪ folded letter to Copenhagen N.Y., sender's routing "Via Pittsburg", minor age toning, Very Fine strike ...................................(Photo) E. 200-300 Parkersburg Va. (West Va.) Postal History. Massive balance of the Devol collection, 1259 ⊠ hundreds of covers incl. stampless period (manuscript towns, handstamps etc.), 1861's, Civil War patriotics, corner cards and advertising covers (incl. wonderful trained animal show design), many items with \$50-75 retail value—worth careful examination...... E. 1,000-1,500 Phila. Paid 5 Cts. Red double-line octagonal ds with integral rate changed to "10" cents 1260 ⋈ on 1852 folded letter to Cienfuegos, Cuba, matching red "Paid", blue "Philadelphia Pa. Sep. 11" cds, blue "NA" and "1" Cuban rate markings, Havana and Cienfuegos backstamps, sender's routing "Empire City from New York", minor wear and toning, still colorful and scarce transoceanic use of octagon......(Photo) E. 100-150
  - imprint cover to Mr. Joseph L. Parry (better known as a prisoner-of-war at Salisbury N.C., who sent his wife a series of dazzling U.S./C.S.A. combination covers), marked "Important", slight soiling, slightly reduced at R., Fine, examples of municipal telegraph imprints are much scarcer than commercial firms' imprints ..........(Photo) E. 100-150

The Department of the Police and Fire Alarm Telegraph. Superindendent's official

1261°∞

- 1263 

  Singapore to Vermont, 1839. Red "Boston Mass." cds and "Ship" hs, ms. "20¾" rate on folded letter from missionary in Singapore with good content re pirates, difficulty with Dutch officials in Borneo, life in Singapore etc., Fine ................................. E. 200-300
- 1264 Steam-Packet Franklin. Capt. R. W. Sherman. Lake Champlain. Red double-line circle clearly struck on folded cover to Burlington with "United States" indicating Canadian origin, side flap missing, Very Fine ................................(Photo) E. 200-300
- 1265 W. "U.S.M.S. Illinois Oct. 24/56 10 cts". Ms. pmk. on small cover to Coldwater Mich., partly struck "Steamship 10" in circle hs, small faint stain, Fine, U.S. Mail Steamer Illinois ran intermittantly between N.Y. and Chagres, Panama, from 1851 to 1859—an unusual marking associated with this service......................(Photo) E. 100-150

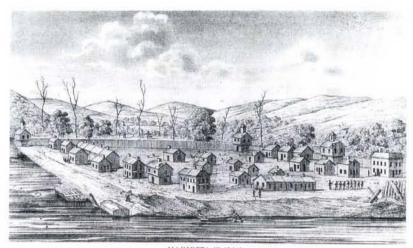
- 1268 STAMPLESS COVERS, 1794-1851. Three, first bears straightline "Balt. Jan. 19" with 1794 docketing on folded letter to Philadelphia, second bears "Annapolis Md. Jan. 19" ms. pmk. with "SHIP" on 1810 folded letter to Providence, third bears red "Richmond Va., Paid 3ct." on 1851 printed circular to N.C., all are Fine.................. E. 100-150
- 1269 

  STAMPLESS TRANSATLANTIC COVERS, 1808-1874. Eight better items incl. 1808 Phila. "Ship" hs on inbound cover from France, two depreciated currency markings, "Fiume" straightline on cover to Portand Me., Very Fine group ...... E. 400-500

#### UNUSUAL MARKINGS AND LABELS

- Montauk Station New York N.Y.. Oct. 8, 1898 duplex cds and grid ties 10c Special Delivery (E5) on 2c Green entire to Brooklyn N.Y., Brooklyn & Jamaica RPO transit backstamp, Very Fine, scarce marking, Montauk Station operated briefly from Aug. 8, 1898, to May 31, 1899, at Camp Wykoff Hospital for returning Spanish-American War soldiers from Cuban campaign .................................(Photo) E. 200-300
- 1274 San Francisco Apr. 21, 1906. Duplex cds on cover to Italy mailed without stamps due to earthquake, Italian 50c due tied on arrival, slightly reduced and a bit toned, still Fine and scarce.................................(Photo) E. 150-200

# OHIO POSTAL HISTORY COLLECTION FROM THE ESTATE OF JERRY B. DEVOL



MARIETTA IX 1792

Jerry Devol passed away on April 2, 1997, at the age of 64. Mr. Devol was a recognized authority on the history of pioneer settlements along the Ohio River in the area called the Northwest Territory, a vast region that comprises the states of Ohio, Indiana, Michigan, Illinois, Wisconsin and part of Minnesota. Mr. Devol was decended from one of the families that settled Marietta, Ohio.

The Devol collection offered in this sale is one of the largest holdings ever formed of Washington County and surrounding areas of Ohio. Hundreds of post offices are represented, including several rare Marietta manuscript markings from the 1787-1803 territorial period. The group lots will be of particular interest to specialists looking for markings from small post offices. We strongly recommend that prospective bidders examine the group lots carefully.

- 1276 ⋈ Return J. Meigs Jr. Postmaster General (1814-23). Free frank "Free R. J. Meigs Jr. PMG" on 1817 folded ALS to Athens O., fresh and Extremely Fine, Meigs was formerly postmaster of Northwest Territory...............(Photo) E. 300-400
- 1278 

  Marietta. Ms. pmk. and "12½" rate on 1796 folded letter to Washington Pa., a territorial judgment signed by R. J. Meigs, in two parts: first is a copy of the order for bricks, this is accompanied by a letter in French datelined Gallipolis Apr. 9, 1796; the second part shows Meigs's autograph judgment datelined "March Term 1798", minor toning and small tears, Fine and rare usage, 1997 ASCC \$2,500.00 ............(Photo) E. 750-1,000

- 1279 

  Marietta 23 July. Ms. pmk. and "25" rate on 1798 folded cover to Plainfield Conn., minor age toning at edges and along file fold (reinforced split), still Fine, rare Northwest Territory marking, 1997 ASCC \$2,500.00..................(Photo) E. 1,000-1,500
- 1280 

  (Marietta) "Way—10". Ms. pmk. on folded letter from Hebron Conn., May 8, 1800, to "Colo. Israel Pulnam, Bellpree, N W Territory", care of "Mr. Wells", Jun. 27 receipt docketing, small faint toned spot

VERY FINE AND EXTREMELY RARE NORTHWEST TERRITORIAL "WAY" MARKING.

- 1281 Marietta April 13, 1802, Free 12½. Ms. pmk. with curious rate and "Free" combination on folded letter to Postmaster Silas Bent at Charlestown O., Very Fine, extremely rare and unusual, 1997 ASCC \$1,750.00 without "Free"......(Photo) E. 1,000-1,500

- 1798 Bill for Mail-Carrying, "Charles Greene to Meigs & Bureau D., To carrying the mail between Gallapolis & Preston one year by contract..." with discounts noted, on back is an additional voucher for goods procured, dated Feb. 16, 1798, signed by Charles Greene

  E. 200-300
- 1285 ⋈ (Marietta) 12c War Rate. Ms. "12 Cents due" applied at Marietta as forwarding postage (to Pt. Harmar) on folded cover, originating ms. "Pompet April 12th paid 37½" pmk. (25c plus 50% war surcharge), the Marietta office first added 12c due (8c plus 50% war surcharge) for a total of 49½, then realized postage had been prepaid and marked letter 12c due, Very Fine and unusual War of 1812 rate......(Photo) E. 400-500
- 1286 

  (Marietta) 12c War Rate. Ms. "12 Cents due" applied at Marietta as forwarding postage (to Pt. Harmar) on folded letter, originating red "New-York Apr. 18" (1815) cds, matching "Paid" and red ms. "37½" (25c plus 50% war surcharge), additional ms. "12 more" under rate, slightly toned along file fold, otherwise Very Fine, unusual War of 1812 rate usage. ..............................(Photo) E. 400-500
- 1287 

  (Marietta) 12c War Rate. Ms. "12" (8c plus 50% surcharge) for forwarding postage on folded letter to Marietta, redirected to Point Harmar O., originating "Tolland Ct. February 12th" ms. pmk. with "25" incorrect rate—50% surcharge should have been applied—minor toning, otherwise Fine, rare forwarding usage with War of 1812 surcharge.................................(Photo) E. 400-500
- 1288 

  Marietta War Rates. Three folded letters, each has clear strike of "Maria. O." cds, different 50% surcharge rates—15c (Oct. 31, 1815), 25½c (Nov. 10, 1815) and 30c (Feb. 24, 1816)—minor toning or wear, still Fine-Very Fine group .........(Photo Ex) E. 300-400
- 1290 E Forwarded by Harnden Express Marietta, Ohio. Four-line black on white label on legal-size cover to Boston, ms. "Paid thru 12/-" (12 bits), small tear at lower right, otherwise Very Fine, scarce Harnden label......(Photo) E. 400-500
- 1291 

  Morse's N.O. & O. Telegraph Co. Marietta, Ohio. Three-line black on yellow label on brown cover with original Feb. 6, 1851 telegraph form enclosed. Very Fine, extremely rare, 1993 ASCC Rarity 9 .................................(Photo) E. 500-750
- 1293 

   Marietta O. and Parkersburg W. Va., Railroad and R.P.O. Collection. The Devol collection of more than 100 covers incl. scarce markings, corner cards, postcards, late 19th and early 20th century R.P.O.'s, a large assembly of scarce material ..... E. 1,000-1,500

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- Blenerhasset Is. O. Postal History. Small but interesting study collection formed by Jerry Devol, mostly postcards and ephemera but also includes 1798 folded letter from London to Henry Blenerhasset at Marietta, scarce group relating to this island town E. 200-300
- Marietta and Washington Co. Ohio Postal History. The huge balance of the Devol collection, hundreds of covers, arranged on plastic cover holders with some mounted for exhibit, early 19th century post office receipts, stampless period incl. manuscript and handstamped markings, some 1851's, good showing of Civil War patriotics, large number of advertising covers and corner cards in the 1861 and Bank Note period, 20th century incl. unusual markings and postcards, also a small collection of Marietta post offices outside Ohio, items of note incl. 1831 folded letter endorsed "by Moses Tracy, P.R." (Post Rider), postmasters' free franks and scarce manuscript town postmarks, a massive and extremely valuable study collection ...................... E. 3,000-4,000
- 1297 

   Point Harmer O. Postal History. The Devol collection of several dozen covers incl. scarce "Point Harmar, Marietta, Ohio" large rimless oval (two folded letters), 1851-61 Issues, Civil War patriotics, fancy cancels, an uncommon and carefully assembled group from this Ohio post office (originally Fort Harmar)......................... E. 750-1,000

#### TERRITORIAL AND WESTERN COVERS

- 1300 

   Tucson A.T. July. Partly clear cds in ultramarine with inverted month on yellow cover to Lima N.Y., portion of contents from soldier complaining about the high cost of living in Arizona, Fine and rare .................................(Photo) E. 200-300
- 1302 INDIAN TERRITORY. "Kidron Cher. Nat. Jan. 12—44." Ms. pmk. with postmaster's free frank on folded letter to Altoona III, interesting content "The Cherokees are in a deplorable condition. I think they have been growing worse and worse ever since the massacre of 39. I think there is innocent blood resting on the nation which has not been washed away and is now calling down the judgment of God." Very Fine................(Photo) E. 200-300

#### CALIFORNIA

- 1307° 

  "St. Francisco Oct. 19th 1845". Dateline on folded letter from a whaler to Hanover Mass., red "New Bedford Ms. May 25" cds, matching "Ship" and "7" rate hs, endorsed "Politeness of Mate of whaleship Sarah"

VERY FINE. THE EARLIEST RECORDED COVER FROM THE SETTLEMENT AT SAN FRANCISCO.

- 1308° San Francisco Cal. Dead Letter Office. Large double-circle with "1859" year slug and no other date on blue folded letter to Tahiti, datelined "San Francisco 24 Avril 1858" from the firm of Belloc Frere & Sescau, blue oval hs showing offices in Paris, Lima and San Francisco—without any indication of prepayment, it appears that the sender simply put the letter into the mails unfranked—the San Francisco Dead Letter Office received it in 1859, but there is no other indication of its disposition—an extremely rare D.L.O. marking, which, when found, is usually struck on back ........................(Photo) E. 1,500-2,000
- 1309° 

  Staples Ranch Cal. March 13th. Ms. pmk. with matching "29" on buff cover to Norfolk England, bold "1/2½" rate, opened to show markings on both sides, small faults but a rare usage ................................... E. 100-125
- 1310 

  Switzerland to California. "Bignasco" oval hs and Locarno transit cds on Mar. 1863 folded letter in Italian to Sonoma Cal., clear strike of "Boston 21 U.S. Notes 36" depreciated currency cds, red French transit, red "Br Service" hs, redirected to Petaluma with "Sonoma Cal. May 19" cds (unusual negative month slug), minor toning, Fine and very rare usage, with Van Der Linden certificate..................(Photo) E. 200-300
- 1311 

   Quartzbury Feby 28/53 10c. Ms. pmk. on buff cover to Gaston Vt. with miner's letter enclosed, usual content to wife and children except for some belligerent lines in response to a letter received ("be good enough to sign their own name to their own damned trash. . I will look for civil letters I call the letter that your hand wrote that you employed a mean sort of blagard dirty stinking stuff sir" minor wear, Fine ....... E. 150-200
- 1312 
  California Correspondence. 42 covers with 3c 1861-67 and 3c 1870 Issues, Miller correspondence, all with California town cds's incl. one 3c F. Grill from Dutch Flat (May 11) with "Union Pacific R.R." dateless circle (if 1869, this would be an early transcontinental railroad cover), minor faults, generally Fine ................................ E. 100-150
- NEW MEXICO [Santa Fe Expedition] "Santa Fe N. Mexico, April 29th, 1847". Dateline on autograph letter signed by Major Robert Walker (signed "B. Walker" and initialled after post-script) to his daughter at Jefferson Barracks Mo., carried by military courier on the Sante Fe Trail to Fort Leavenworth Mo. where May 29 cds applied, letter mentions news that Major Stewart will relieve Walker, content is otherwise typical of father-daughter relationship, splits along folds reinforced with archival tape, address panel toned, still Fine and extremely rare, Major Walker and his battalion arrived in Sante Fe in October 1846 and commenced their campaign against hostile Navajos who had violated a treaty by attacking settlements and livestock in New Mexico, examples of mail from this expedition are extremely rare and this letter from its leader is outstanding ....... E. 1,000-1,500
- OREGON. "Yam Hill, Oregon Territory, 7th Feb. 1846". Dateline on folded letter to East Chester N.Y., carried on the Oregon Trail and put into the mails in Missouri, ms. "Hills Point Mo. 11 July" pmk. and "10" rate, sender's routing "Via Platte City Mo.", letter comments on life in Oregon "Country", prospects for farming, soil conditions, etc., minor splits along folds and wear at corners, still Very Fine, an extremely early and rare letter carried on the famous Oregon Trail, over which thousands of settlers reached Oregon Country.

  E. 1,000-1,500
- 1315°™ TEXAS. Sam. Ricker Jr. \* Agent of the Texian Post Office Dt. \* New Orleans. Bold double-line oval hs struck on the front of folded letter datelined Houston, Apr. 5, 1838, to Cincinnati O., red "New Orleans La." cds and "Ship" hs, ms. rate, excellent content re life in the new Republic of Texas incl. this colorful remark: "I presume no country is populated with a more vicious kind of people than a majority of the Texians. . I deem this country the greatest hoax I have ever met. . "Very Fine . . . . . . (Photo) E. 400-500

- 1316 Manti UT Oct 26/54". Ms. territorial pmk. and "5" rate on cover to Georgetown S.C., receipt docketing, minor wear, still Very Fine, scarce, ASCC \$750.00 (Photo) E. 300-400
- 1317 

   VERA CRUZ/MEXICO MAY 8. Two-line framed ds and "10" rate hs on brown cover originally sent to a lieutenant aboard U.S. Frigate *Gumberland* at Vera Cruz, red "Newark N.J. Dec. 21" cds with "Paid" and "10" in circle hs applied at origin, returned to Newark from Vera Cruz with "Paid" crossed out, Very Fine ..............(Photo) E. 300-400

#### CALIFORNIA MAIL FORWARDERS AND WESTERN EXPRESSES

- 1320 Alta Express Co., Angels. Oval hs cancels 3c Red on Buff entire (U10) with company imprint, to San Francisco, Very Fine ..................................(Photo) E. 200-300
- 1321 
  Freeman & Co. Express. Small double-line oval in red with deep red "Beloit Wis. Jan. 29" cds and "Paid" hs, ms. "40c" rate on 1850 folded letter to San Francisco, redirected and carried by Freeman, fresh and Very Fine......................(Photo) E. 300-400
- 1322°⊠ Freeman & Co.'s Express San Francisco. Red oval hs with matching "Reply By Freeman & Co's Express" two-line backstamp on blue Nov. 1855 folded letter to New York, black "Paid" in frame, file folds, Very Fine................(Photo) E. 200-300

- 1325 
   Wells, Fargo & Co. Sacramento, Dec. 25. Blue double-circle datestampcancels 3c Red entire on overall illustrated hat manufacturer's advertising cover to San Francisco, Wells, Fargo imprint at L., 1861 docketing, slight edge wear, otherwise Very Fine, Christmas Day cancel.................................(Photo) E. 200-300
- 1326 
   Wells, Fargo & Co., Sacramento, Jul. 2. Blue oval cancels 3c Red entire (U58) with overall hat dealer's imprint to San Francisco, Wells, Fargo imprint at L., 1871 docketing at L., barely reduced at R., Very Fine.................(Photo) E. 150-200
- 1327 

  Wells, Fargo & Co. Black frank on 10c Green Nesbitt entire to Portland Ore., Vancouver Is. 1865 5c Rose (5) tied by blue "Paid" in oval, no other markings, slightly reduced at R., Fine........................(Photo) E. 400-500
- 1328 

   Pony Express San Francisco. Lartly clear strike of blue oval on 3c Pink entire with Wells Fargo frank, a posthumous strike from the original device, lightly soiled, otherwise Fine ..................................(Photo) E. 200-300
- 1329° Wells, Fargo & Co. Paid. Printed frank in black on unused legal-size 9c Lemon on Buff entire (U66), light creasing, appears Very Fine ...... E. 100-150

## EASTERN FORWARDERS

American and Foreign Agency...Mar. 6 1832. Transmitted By Your Most Obt. Servt., Aaron H. Palmer. Five-line hs in large serrated frame, on back of folded letter from Palmer himself to Chester N.H., red "New-York Mar. 6" cds, ms. "18¾" rate, Extremely Fine, very rare forwarder's handstamp .........................(Photo) E. 300-400

Forwarded by J. M. Gordon, Treasurer, A.B.C.F.M. Boston, Red oval handstamp on 1331 ⋈ backs of 26 covers to two addressees, Boston cds and cancels tie No. 11 (six), No. 26 (fifteen), No. 65 (five), also incl. one stampless and a defective cover, these covers originated from missionaries in India—one No. 11 cover has pencil docketing "God Siva described. He is enclosed in this envelope" and contains a small metal plate with embossing of the God Siva-some minor faults typical of original correspondence, but many Very Fine covers are contained in this fascinating archive...... E. 750-1,000 Protestant Mission Rooms. Bold red oval with 3c Dull Red tied by N.Y. cds on cover to  $1332 \times 10^{-1}$ Phila., Extremely Fine (Photo) E. 75-100 1333° ₪ Protestant Mission Rooms. Bold red oval on small cover to Salem Mass., 3c Rose, Tv. I (25) tied by "New-York Oct. 7" cds, Extremely Fine.....(Photo) E. 150-200 United States \* Despatch Agent \* B. F. Stevens. Red May 27, 1871 London double oval 1334 ⋈ ds on U.S. Consulate at Sheffield imprint cover to Norwich Conn., signed C. B. Webster and free franked by Representative Chew, blue Dept. of State imprint, minor wear and small piece of backflap missing, still Very Fine, rare use of free frank on transatlantic cover handled by B. F. Stevens..................(Photo) E. 200-300 1335 ₪ Forwarder Handstamps. Three different on folded letters to U.S., two Lanman & Kemp with red ovals (1854 Capela, 1857 Sanchez) and 1848 Havre with Emerson & Co. blue oval, Extremely Fine trio, also incl. Lanman & Kemp with "F Fondeur Santiago" framed hs (merchant's cachet) E. 150-200

#### END OF FIRST SESSION

#### SECOND SESSION

#### LOTS 1336-1868

#### FRIDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1997, AT 1:30 P.M.

## UNITED STATES POSTAL HISTORY

#### POSTMASTERS' PROVISIONALS

- 1337 

   New York N.Y., 5c Black, "AC M" Initials (9X1a). Three ample margins, just in at T., tied by red "Paid" in arc, matching "New-York 5cts 12 Dec." cds on folded cover to Philadelphia, 1845 docketing on back, Fine........................(Photo) 750.00

#### 1847 ISSUE

- 1338°⊠

  5c Red Brown (1). Two, one has ample to large margins, other has large margins to just in, tied by blue handstamp, matching "Wilmington & Raleigh Railroad May 12" cds on folded letter to Amsterdam, Holland, letter is datelined "Charleston S.C. 11th May 1849", British transit cds and ""England Ober Roterdam" two-line handstamp, ms. rate markings, some overall wear
  - VERY FINE AND EXTREMELY SCARCE RAILROAD ROUTE AGENT MARKING WITH 1847 ISSUE USED TO HOLLAND.
  - With 1989 P.F. certificate......(Color Photo, p. 85) E. 4,000-5,000
- 1340° 

  5c Dark Brown (1a). Ample to large margins, tied by square grid on 1849 blue folded letter to Peekskill N.Y., matching "New-York May 5" cds, cover also bears Swarts' "Letters for N. York City Direct to Chatham's Park" oval handstamp and "Post Office Swarts Chatham Square" oval handstamp, underneath the stamp is a "Paid" in oval applied by Swarts and a pencil "5" at right, the stamp is hinged into place

VERY FINE AND UNUSUAL USAGE.

- Most likely the cover was handed off to Swarts paying the 5c U.S. postage in cash. The cover was marked paid by Swarts, and the stamp was placed over their handstamp. The pencil "5" indicated payment to Swarts of the U.S. postage.
- With 1981 P.F. certificate......(Color Photo, p. 86) E. 1,000-1,500

- 1343 

  5c Red Brown (1). Large margins except touched at T.L., tied by blue "Philada. Pa. Apr. 4 5cts" cds on folded letter to Del. with D. O. Blood & Co. 1c Bronze on Black Glazed (15L13), acid tied, creased from file fold, cover toned in places, otherwise Fine, presentable example of this 1847/local combination ..............(Photo) E. 200-300

- 5c Red Brown (1). Large margins all around, cancelled by blue "5" hs, matching "Elmira N.Y. Apr. 30" cds on turned cover made from attorney's stationery to Rochester, inside bears red "Rochester N.Y. May 2 5" cds and is addressed to Elmira, 1849 docketing, file folds clear of stamp, the stamp has been lifted and replaced. Very Fine and extremely unusual usage, addressed to the Clerk of Monroe County, the cover originally contained additional court papers and was re-folded and sent back to the original sender, with 1980 P.F. certificate..................(Photo) E. 750-1,000
- 1345 **Sc Red Brown (1).** Clear to large margins, tied by red grids, matching "Bath N.Y. Dec. 1" cds on cover to Ithaca N.Y., fresh and Fine, scarce town usage .......(**Photo**) 600.00
- 1346 

  5c Red Brown (1). Ample to large margins all around, tied by blue grid, matching Philada. Pa. Mar. 10 5cts" cds on 1850 folded letter to New Jersey, the letter is Quakerdated, the stamp has small tear at T.L. corner, otherwise Very Fine .....(Photo) 625.00
- 1348°⊠

  5c Red Brown (1). Horizontal pair, approaching the Brown shade, large margins all around, tied by blue grids and part of receipt docketing, matching "Geneva N.Y. Sep. 5" cds and "X" in circle on 1847 folded letter to New York, light file folds clear of stamps, fresh and Very Fine, with 1991 P.F. certificate........(Color Photo, p. 86) E. 750-1,000

- 10c Black (2). Right sheet margin and large margins all around, deep shade and fine early impression, affixed upside down and tied by three strikes of red "Paid" hs and matching "Charleston S.C. Feb. 14/10" Valentine's Day cds on blue folded cover to Ludlow Beebee & Co. in Philadelphia, Extremely Fine Gem stamp and cover. Although stamps were relatively new to the American public and this letter is addressed to a commercial firm, the date of this mailing, Valentine's Day, and the extremely unusual upside-down placement of the 10c Washington stamp lead us to the romantic speculation that the sender was familiar with the custom of affixing a postage stamp upside down to convey a message of love and affection. The 10c 1847 stamp is very rarely found affixed upside down, which at the time would have been perceived as an offensive treatment of the beloved Washington. A cover as noteworthy for its character as its condition (Color Photo, p. 86) E. 2,000-3,000

- 1355 ⋈ 10c Black (2). Three large margins, just clear at B., cancelled by pen strokes, blue "Sandusky O. May 23" cds on cover to New York, cover with spot of ink erosion and light stain from wax seal on back, otherwise Fine, scarce 1847 Issue origin.................................(Photo) 1,500.00

- 1356 ⋈ 10c Black (2). Three large margins showing part of adjacent stamp at T., just in at B., cancelled by red "10" and tied by pen cancel on legal-size folded cover to Upper Marlboro'h Md., blue "Baltimore Md. Jun. 3" cds, light edge wear, Fine double-rate usage................................(Photo) 1,500.00

- 1362° ≥ 10c Black (2). Just clear at B.L. to large margins, tied by cross-hatched manuscript cancel on buff cover to Baltimore, light "New Orleans La." cds, some cover staining, still appears Fine......................(Photo) 1,500.00

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- 1364° 1c Blue, Ty. II (7). Plate 1E, full even margins, beautiful bright shade, tied by grid on Feb. 1852 greenish printed notice from Baltimore to Frostsburg Md., Very Fine and choice Plate 1 Early usage ................................(Photo) 175.00

- 1367 ⋈ 1c Blue, Ty. II (7). Pos. 49R3, large margins to just in showing part of adjacent stamp at T., tied by perfectly struck "Saint Louis Mo. Jul. 20, 1857" datestamp on cover to Exeter N.H., fresh and Fine ..................................(Photo) 625.00

- 1369 

  1c Blue, Ty. II, 3c Orange Brown (7, 10). Each with margins to just in, each tied by "Charleston S.C. Paid Jul. 6" cds on large part of folded cover Tillers Ferry S.C., 1c slight toning, otherwise Fine carrier usage ......................(Photo) E. 150-200
- 1371 

  Ic Blye, Ty. II, IV (7, 9). Two covers, first bears horizontal pair of No. 7 tied on 1856 printed circular to Liverpool, second bears T. margin pair of No. 9 and is used with No. 11 on folded cover to France, both have margins to in and few faults, both almost Fine E. 200-300
- 1372 

   1c Blue, Ty. III (8). Pos. 70L4, two large margins showing sheet margin at R., just touched or in at L. and T., tied by neat grid on folded cover to Boston Mass., file fold clear of stamp and slight edge wear, Fine and rare .......(Color Photo, p. 87) 2,500.00
- 1373°⊠

  1c Blue, Ty. II/IIIa/II (7/8A/7). Vertical strip of three, Plate 1E in dark shade, ample to full margins, small sealed tear at left between two upper stamps, tied by "Cayuga & Susqh. R.R. 17 Jun." cds and smudges on small cover to Albany N.Y., Fine, very scarce—the strip has an off-cover Scott Retail value of \$1,200.00—signed Ashbrook......

  (Photo) E. 750-1,000
- 1375 ⋈ Ic Blue, Ty. IV (9). Recut once and T. and twice at B., just barely touched at B.R. to large margins, tied by partly struck New York cds on New York & California Steam Ship Line illustrated corner card cover with printed "Circular" at T., to Medina Mich., trivial edge wear, Very Fine, ex Haas .........................(Photo) E. 300-400
- 1376° 1c Blue, Ty. IV (9). Pos. 16L1L showing double transfer, unusual dark shade, large margins at B. and R. showing part of adjacent stamp at B., just in at T. and L., tied by "New York Oct. 20" cds on 1855 folded wrapper to Boston Mass., two light file folds well clear of stamp, otherwise Fine, rare shade.................(Photo) E. 400-500
- 1378 

  1c 1851 Issue. 17 covers, incl. eight each with No. 9, three with singles and two with strips of No. 7's, range of margins and cancels, also incl. unidentified pair and single from Pl. 1E with margins in, few altered 24's, mixed condition, few are Fine, an interesting group ...... E. 750-1,000
- 1380° 

  3c Orange Brown (10). Clear to large margins, intense and deep shade, cancelled by boldly struck grid, matching "Cambridge Ms. Aug. 16" cds on blue cover to Philadelphia, light horizontal file fold affects stamp, still Very Fine...........(Photo) E. 150-200
- 1381°⊠

  3c Orange Brown (10). Large margins to just touched at B.L. and showing part of adjacent stamps at B.R. and T., cancelled by boldly struck small "Paid" grid handstamp, red "Boston Mass. Nov. 1" cds on blue 1851 folded letter to Georgetown D.C., fresh and Very Fine.........................(Photo) E. 250-300
- 1382° 

  3c Orange Brown (10). Intense and deep color probably from Plate 1E, three large margins, just in to clear at T., tied by small red "Paid" grid, matching "Boston 26 Jul. 3" cds on 1851 folded letter to Philadelphia, Whelen correspondence, horizontal file fold clear of stamp and markings, a Very Fine and fresh cover, the "Paid" marking was struck in red only early in the usage of the handstamp................(Photo) E. 300-400

- 1383 ⋈ 3c Orange Brown (10). Fresh color, just touched to ample margins, tied by red grid, matching "U.S. Express Mail N.Y., 3 Nov." cds on blue 1857 folded letter to Newburyport Mass., small tear at T. of cover, Very Fine .......(Photo) E. 100-150
- 1385°⊠ 3c Orange Brown (10). Bright color, Pos. 77R1E or 1i, ample margins to just in at T.R., tied by green "Southington Ct. 19 Nov." cds on buff cover to Newburyport Mass., minor edge wear, Fine, scarce with green cancel, ex Chase, Hubbard ......(Photo) E. 200-300
- 1387°⊠

  3c Orange Brown (10). Pos. 78R1i, large margins to clear showing part of adjacent stamps at R, and T., tied by grid, matching "Utica N.Y. Aug. 9" pmk. on buff cover to Orwigsburg Penn., light edge wear, Very Fine .......(Photo) E. 200-300
- 1388 

  3c Orange Brown (10). Large margins to in, tied by pen strokes, matching "Browns Corner Me. Mar. 8" ms. pmk and "21cts" on 1852 cover to Marseilles, France, French transit and receiving backstamp, due handstamp, with original enclosure, some toning, stamp has small tear, otherwise Fine, interesting usage with part of the postage pre-paid but ignored in France...............................(Photo) E. 200-300
- 1389° 

  3c Orange Brown (10). Two, Pl. 2E, pretty bright shade, large margins to just touched at T.R., tied slightly overlapping by neat "Paid" grid, red "Boston 17 Jan. 6 cts." cds on immaculate blue folded address sheet to Lewiston Me., Very Fine and choice, second day of usage for the large Boston "Paid", ex Chase..................(Photo) E. 200-300
- 1390°⊠

  3c Brownish Carmine (11). Large margins to just in at T., tied by "Faribault M.T. Nov. 19" cds on cover to Northampton Mass., faint overall toning, still Very Fine and scarce Minnesota territorial usage ................................(Photo) E. 100-150
- 1391° 3c Brownish Carmine (11). Bright color, large margins to just clear at B.R. showing part of adjacent stamp at L., tied by well-struck blue "Skaneateles N.Y. Jul. 23" cds on immaculate buff cover to Lee, Mass., Very Fine and choice..........(Photo) E. 150-200
- 1392°⊠

  3c Dull Red (11). Horizontal pair, large margins to just touched, ms. cancels, "Weaverville Cal." oval with Aug. 24 ms. date, on buff cover to Boston, slight edgewear with minor reinforcing, Very Fine, very scarce early California town marking (more frequently found stampless) .................................(Photo) E. 300-400
- 1393° 

  3c Rose Red (11). Two, each has mostly large margins, ms. "X" cancels, red 
  "Weaverville Cal." oval with Aug. 7 ms. date, on cover to Boston, Very Fine, very scarce 
  early California town marking (more frequently found stampless) ... (Photo) E. 300-400
- 1394° 

  3c Dull Red (11). Full margins to touching, grid cancel, "Greenville C.H. S.C. Feb. 15" cds on gray Valentine cover with bronze ornamental design, to Anderson C.H., Very Fine, ex Piller, with 1983 P.F. certificate ......(Photo) E. 100-150
- 1395° 

  3c Dull Red (11). T. margin single, large margins at sides, large to just touched at B., tied by "Thetford Vt. Dec. 28" cds on small lady's embossed cover to East Corinth Vt., Very Fine ..... E. 50-75
- 1396° 

  3c Dull Red (11). Two separate lady's embossed covers, each bearing single with margins to just in, both cancelled by "Paid 3" handstamps, one with "Jamaica Vt. Dec. 23" cds to Brattleborough Vt., other with "Ipswich Mass. Nov. 10" cds to Haverhill Mass., both appear Fine ...... E. 100-150
- 1398 

  3c Dull Red (11). Margins to just in, tied by green "Mittineague Mass. Feb. 15" cds on intricate oversize embossed Valentine cover depicting a woman on a verandah, to Winobell Depot Mass., some toning, still Fine and attractive cover, rare with the green cancel..... E. 100-150

- 1399°⊠

  3c Dull Red (11). Large margins to in at B., tied by bold "New-York Jun. 6" cds on blue 1853 folded address sheet to Kingston, Canada West, ms. "6" due marking, receiving backstamp, horizontal file fold, Fine.................(Photo) E. 100-150
- 1400 

  3c Dull Red (11). Horizontal strip of five, huge margins to in at T. and R. showing part of sheet margin at B., cancelled by pen strokes, red "Unity Maine Aug. 29" cds on buff cover to Hamburg, Germany, stamps tied by New York transit ds, stamps lifted and hinged in place, missing most of T. flap, Fine ........................(Color Photo, p. 81) E. 200-300
- 1401 

  3c 1851 Issue (10, 11). 21 covers, mostly No. 11's but a few are No. 10's, range of cancels incl. two green, Fort McHenry, few other better, also few ladies embossed, some faults, many appear Fine ................................ E. 250-300
- 1402° 

  5c Red Brown (12). Horizontal pair showing sheet margin at left, large margin at right, just in at top and bottom, tied by two bold strikes of "Palmyra N.Y. Jun. 16" cds on embossed cover to Sacramento Cal., missing backflap, some slight edge wear and toning FINE AND SCARCE DOMESTICE USAGE OF THE 5-CENT 1856. ONE OF ONLY ELEVEN RECORDED USAGES TO CALIFORNIA.

Only 38 5c 1856 covers to domestic addresses are recorded. It was used primarily for foreign mail..................(Color Photo, p. 88) E. 2,000-3,000

5c Red Brown (12). Large margins to just touched at B. and L., tied by well-struck "Annapolis Md. Sep. 16" cds on large part of 1856 blue folded letter to Sardinia, Italy, New York Br. Pkt. transit, ms. "17" decimes due marking, various transits and receiving backstamp, ms. docketing indicates No. 11 from the correspondence, some age spotting, otherwise

FINE AND RARE USAGE. ONE OF ONLY EIGHT COVERS RECORDED FROM THIS CORRESPONDENCE TO A U.S. NAVAL SURGEON ON THE U.S.S. SUSQUEHANNA AT SARDINIA ITALY.

With 1971 A.P.S. certificate .......(Color Photo, p. 88) E. 1,000-1,500

- 1405 B. 10c Green, Ty. I (13). Three full margins, just touched at B., tied by red "Providence R.I. Nov. 19" cds on small cover to San Francisco, Fine................(Photo) 900.00
- 1406 
   10c Green, Ty. I (13). Horizontal pair, large margins to in at B., used with 1c Blue Ty. II (7) and 3c Dull Red (11), margins to in, all are tied by grids, matching "Brunswick Me. Apr. 7" cds on 1860 cover to Liverpool, England and forwarded to London, red "19" credit, Boston backstamp and Liverpool transit, some edge wear, two scissor-cuts affecting 10c stamps, still Fine.......................(Photo) E. 500-750

- 1411° 10c Green, Ty. II (14). Three large margins, touched at R., faint ms. cancel and tied by "San Francisco Cal. 11 Jul." cds on buff cover to Canada East, part payment of 15c rate ignored and marked "Due 15" in ms., Canadian "9" pence rate in ms., Montreal transit backstamp (1856), Very Fine, very scarce 15c rate usage.......(Photo) E. 400-500

1412 ⋈ 10c Green, Tv. II (14), Large margins to in at T., tied by perfectly struck "San Francisco Cal. 5 May" cds on cover to Franklin Mass., stamp with few toned spots and tiny scissor-10c Green, Ty. II (14). Horizontal pair, large margins at T. and R. showing part of adja-1413 ₪ cent stamps at T., just in at B. and L., each stamp cancelled by neat "10" in ms., blue "Wiscansett Me. Jan. 28" cds on 1856 cover to Havre, France, with original enclosure, Boston Am. Pkt. backstamp, various transits, scissor-cut mostly between stamps, Fine, with 1978 P.F. certificate .................................(Photo) E. 300-400 10c Green, Ty. II (14). Horizontal strip of three, three huge margins clear at T., tied by 1414 ⋈ red grids, matching "New Haven Con. May 6, 1856" cds on cover to Munich, Germany, ms. "Via Prussian Closed Mail", Boston 7c credit ds. boxed "Aachen Franco" hs. part of receiving backstamp, with original contents, missing backflap and toned at T.R. affecting stamps, small tear in margin between stamps, still appears Very Fine ..... (Color Photo, p. 89) E. 500-750 1415 ∞ 10c Green, Ty. II (14). Horizontal strip of four, large margins to just at two places at B., used with 1c Blue, Ty. IV (9), horizontal pair, margins mostly in and rounded at corners prior to use, tied by "Columbus Pa. Dec 6" datestamps on cover to Norrkoping, Sweden, red New York exchange office backstamp and "19" credit, Hamburg backstamps (1856), Norrkoping receiving cds also ties stamps, cover with part of L. sideflap missing causing small tear, stamps slightly creased, still Fine and rare usage paying double 21c British Open Mail rate, with 1983 P.F. certificate which states that "it is a genuine usage" ....... (Color Photo, p. 89) E. 1,000-1,500 1416°∞ 10c Green, Ty. III (15). Three large margins, slightly in at L., tied by Rectangular "Flag" Grid fancy cancel, "Bidwell's Bar Cal. Feb. 1" cds on 10c Green Nesbitt entire (U17) to West Longmeadow Mass., 1856 receipt docketing, slight wear and mended corner nick at upper left, Fine, scarce double-rate franking and an extremely rare California fancy cancel......(Color Photo, p. 90) E. 500-750 10c Green, Tv. III (15). Pos. 70R1, three huge margins showing sheet margin at R. and 1417 ⋈ part of adjacent stamp at B., tied by neat "Auburn Me. Jul. 20" cds on 1857 cover to Liverpool, red "U. States" in arc, Annapolis, St. Stephe and St. Andrews backstamps, cover stained. Fine stamp .... E. 100-150 1418 ⋈ 10c Green, Ty. III (15). Ample margins to in, tied by "Portland Me. Mar. 1 Paid" cds on blue 1856 folded letter to Havana, Cuba, red New York transit, blue "NA" and "1" handstamps, receiving backstamp, slight edge wear and stamp toned, otherwise Fine...... ......(Photo) E. 200-300 1419 ⋈ 10c Green, Ty. III (15). Horizontal pair, three huge margins, just in at R., used with 1c Blue, Ty. IV (9), large margins to in and tied by red grids, matching "Providence R.I. May 28" cds on 1855 folded letter to Paris, France, "New York Am. Pkt. May 30" ds, French transit also ties 10c stamps, French due marking and receiving backstamp, horizontal file fold affects stamps, still Very Fine and early usage of the 10c Ty. III, the earliest recorded usage is May 20, which is only eight days earlier ...... (Photo) E. 300-400 10c Green, Ty. II-II-IV (14-14-16). Positions 72-74L1, 74L recut at top, full margins to 1420°∞ touching at bottom, rich color, tied by two strikes of blue "Ozaukie Wis. Nov. 23" cds on 1856 cover to Luxembourg, red "New York Paid 7" credit cds, red Aachen Franco transit, receiving backstamps including clear "Luxembourg 24 Dec. 56" double-circle ds VERY FINE. CLASSIC COVERS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO LUXEMBOURG ARE EXTREMELY RARE. THIS IMPERFORATE FRANKING COULD WELL BE UNIQUE, BUT THE ADDED PHILATELIC ATTRACTION OF A TYPE IV STAMP MAKES THIS A COVER OF THE UTMOST IMPORTANCE AND RARITY. Offered to the market for the first time in several decades..... ......(Color Photo—Front Cover) E. 5,000-7,500 1421°⊠ 10c Green, Tv. IV (16). Pos. 65L1, huge margins all around, tied by "San Francisco Cal. 5 May" cds on light gray cover to New London Ct., slightly reduced at R., few faint toning specks EXTREMELY FINE GEM TYPE IV STAMP AND ATTRACTIVE COVER.

3c Dull Red, 12c Black (11, 17). 3c margins all around, 12c three full margins, touched at right, tied by three strikes of "20" debit handstamp on folded printed market report to London, England, with brief letter in German dated Sep. 15, 1853, sender's routing "pr. Cortes Via Nicaragua" and fully struck red "VIA NICARAGUA/AHEAD OF THE MAILS" two-line handstamp in octagonal frame, red receiving backstamp, British ms. due rate also ties 3c stamp, vertical file fold with slight toning touches stamp, minor wear in places hidden from view

VERY FINE AND REMARKABLE USAGE. ONE OF THE FEW KNOWN "VIA NICARAGUA" COVERS TO AN OVERSEAS DESTINATION AND AN EXTREMELY RARE COMBINATION OF STAMPS, WHICH UNDERPAID THE PREVAILING RATE TO ENGLAND.

Upon arrival in New York, the "20" debit marking was used to cancel the stamps. According to regulations, the 15c partial prepayment had to be ignored entirely, with the full postage due from the addressee. Perhaps the sender (a German merchant) misinterpreted the August 1853 rate of 15c to certain German States as applicable to British mail, or perhaps this letter was mixed in with a group to Germany and misstamped.

- 1424°⊠

  12c Black (17). Vertical pair, three ample margins, just in at B., tied by boldly struck "L.Ville & Cinn. Mail Line Mar. 1" datestamp on 1853 brown cover to Paris, France, used with 3c Dull Red (11), margins to in at L. and tied by second strike of the cancel, New York and French transit and due markings, some slight wear

VERY FINE AND UNIQUE USE OF THIS ROUTE AGENT MARKING ON TRANSATLANTIC MAIL WITH THE 1851 ISSUE.

The 27c postage on this cover overpaid both the British and American packet rates. The sender may have believed there was a rate comprising 3c to New York and 24c American packet rate to France..................................(Color Photo, p. 90) E. 1,500-2,000

- 1425° 12c Black (17). Horizontal pair, ample to clear margins, used with horizontal pair of 3c Dull Red (11), margins to in, all are tied by strikes of "Philadelphia Pa. Apr. 17" datestamps on 1855 folded cover to Switzerland and forwarded within Switzerland, endorsed "Per Prussian Closed Mail", New York transit, various boxed and straightline transits, ms. rate markings, range of backstamps, some overall toning and splitting along edges, still a Very Fine and rare usage, ex Gibson, West..........(Color Photo, p. 90) E. 1,000-1,500
- 1426°⊠

  12c Black (17). Large margins to in at B.L. and T., used with horizontal strip of three of 3c Dull Red (11), margins to in, and tied by red grid, matching "Providence R.I. Jun. 25" cds on 1855 folded letter to Paris, France, straightline "Paid", French due marking also ties 12c, transit and receiving backstamps, endorsed "Per Steamer "Collins Line" via New York & Liverpool", light edge wear affects one 3c stamp, still a Fine and interesting usage sent via American Packet...................................(Photo) E. 500-750
- 1427°⊠ 12c Black (17). Vertical pair, ample margins to in at T.L., tied by neat "Towsontown Md. Jul. 30" cds on 1857 cover to Paris, France and forwarded to Geneva, Switzerland, New York 6c credit hs, French transits and receiving backstamp, red "3" crossed out by grid and marked "35cs" due, with original enclosure, T.L. corner of T. stamp repaired, appears Fine..............................(Photo) E. 400-500
- 1428 ≥ 12c Black (17). Horizontal pair, mostly large margins to in at B.L., cancelled by red grids, matching "New 19 York Sep. 3" cds on cover to London, England, London receiving cds, light toning and edge wear, Fine ................(Photo) 800.00

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1430 ⋈	1c Blue, Ty. IIIa (22). Plate 11 or 12, deep shade, tied by red "New York Paid City Delivery 1ct Mar. 29" (1861) cds with Sta. F timestamp on small cover to local address, backflap removed, tiny tear at top, Very Fine stamp and attractive cover
1431°⊠	1c Blue, Ty. V (24). Horizontal strip of three, Pos. 58-60R7 showing curl on shoulder on L. two stamps, centered slightly to L. and also showing part of imprint at R., tied by "Carrollton Mis. Aug. 10, 1859" cds on cover to Bloomfield Ky., missing sideflap at L. and part of T. flap, a Very Fine position piece, ex Brooks(Photo) E. 300-400
1432 ⋈	<b>1c Blue, Ty. Va (24 var).</b> Three singles, two are Ty. Va and one is Ty. V from Pl. 5, tied by two strikes of lightly struck <b>Fort Scott K.T.</b> cds on 1858 folded letter to Governor Denver, Fine, very scarce, with old Ashbrook note on back identifying this from the mysterious Plate 6, with 1997 P.F. certificate( <b>Photo</b> ) E. 200-250
1433°⊠	1c Blue, Ty. V, 3c Dull Red (24, 26). Tied by grids, "Philadelphia Pa., Jun. 30, 1861" octagonal ds on red & blue Liberty & Flag patriotic cover, Extremely Fine, very attractive(Photo) E. 150-200
1434°⊠	<b>3c Dull Red, Ty. II (26).</b> Two, one shows imprint in margin, both a bit oxidized, tied by "La Porte Cal. May 16" cds on 10c Green Nesbitt entire (U16) <b>to Nova Scotia</b> , red "United States" oval, transit and receiving backstamps (1858), flap tear just touches top, Fine, very scarce 15c West Coast rate to Nova Scotia(Photo) E. 300-400
1435 ⋈	<b>3c Dull Red, Ty. II (26).</b> Grid pre-cancel, "Harrisburgh Pa. Feb. 11, 1861" double-circle ds on brown lithographed House of State Representatives cover to Pottsville Pa., free franked, part of backflap missing, Very Fine, the grid does not extend on to cover and was thus used as one of the Harrisburgh pre-cancels(Photo) E. 200-300
1436 ⋈	<b>3c Dull Red, Ty. II (26).</b> Well-centered for this difficult stamp, tied by "Lisbon N.H. Jan. 15" cds on orange <b>illustrated cover showing unusual seven-car train</b> , to Bristol N.H., slightly reduced at R., a Very Fine and extremely rare design( <b>Photo</b> ) E. 750-1,000
1437 ⋈	3c Dull Red, Ty. II (26). Left and right halves of two different stamps placed together and tied by "Marietta O. Feb. 16, 1861" cs on buff cover to Coal Run O., sender's note "Stamp acting secesh"—a clever use of political satire to mask the illegal use of cancelled stamps—bottom right corner torn, otherwise Fine(Photo) E. 200-300
1438 ⊠	5c Red Brown, Ty. I (28). Horizontal pair, vivid rich color and sharp impression, tied by perfectly struck "Pentonville Mich. Jul 6" cds on orange cover to Folsom City, Cal., single pulled perf on R. stamp, otherwise Very Fine and choice, handsome and rare domestic usage, ex Gibson, Knapp(Photo) E. 750-1,000
1439°⊠	5c Red Brown, 10c Green, Ty. II (28, 32). 5c well-centered, rich color, slight gum toning and small perf tear at top, tied by Boston "Paid" grid on yellow cover to France, red New York credit cds, forwarded with France 1853 10c Bister (14), margins slightly in on two sides, tied by dotted diamond cancel, redirected within city of Paris, part of backflap removed, slight edgewear, still Fine and handsome combination usage
1440 ⋈	5c Brown, Ty. II, 10c Green, Ty. V (30, 35). Each tied by grid, matching "Prairie Du Chien Wis. Jan. 15, 1861" cds on small cover to France, New York and French transits, missing part of backflap, otherwise Fine(Photo) E. 300-400
1441 ⊠	5c Brown, Ty. II (30A). L. margin horizontal strip of three showing sizable portion of the imprint at L., tied by red grid, matching "New Paid York 12 Sep. 26" cds on bluish 1860 folded cover to Bordeaux, France, French transit also ties stamps, receiving backstamp, some age bleaching spots mostly affecting the R. stamp and mended cover tear, still Fine, rare showing the imprint(Photo) E. 500-750
1442 ⊠	10c Green, Ty. II (32). Horizontal pair, well-centered, tied by faint double-line oval ds in brownish ink (contains the town name of "Alleghany" and lower line ends with "County"), ms. "Jun 2" date on 10c Green Nesbitt entire to England, red "19" credit hs, Liverpool Paid transit ds (1858), receiving backstamp, stains and wear yet an attractive and unusual cover(Photo) E. 750-1,000
1443°⊠	10c Green, Ty. II (32). Centered to B., tied by well-struck "Sault de St. Marie Mich. Apr. 30" cds on immaculate folded cover to Hamilton, Canada West, neat "U. States" in arc, red boxed "U.S. Paid 10" hs, 1860 transit and receiving backstamps, fresh and Fine

- 1444 
   10c Green, Ty. II, III (32, 33). Strip of three and single of Ty. III, tied by bold strike of "Bloomington Mo. Jun. 29" cds and lightly applied obliterator on courthouse cover to Nevada City Cal., ms. "Via Overland Route", 1859 docketing on back, reduced at R., a fresh and Very Fine usage ................................(Photo) E. 500-750
- 1445 ⋈ 10c Green, Ty. II, III (32-33). Pair of Ty. III and two singles of Ty. II, tied by grids, matching "Bangor Me. Aug. 17" cds on oversize cover to Honolulu, Sandwich Islands, some toning and light edge wear, otherwise Fine ......(Photo) E. 500-600
- 1447 

  10c Green, Ty. III (33). Horizontal strip of three, well-centered, tied by magenta grids, matching "Hartford Ct. Aug. 9" cds on tissue paper cover to Germany and forwarded to Belgium, range of markings, a Very Fine and attractive usage, with 1990 P.F. certificate (Color Photo, p. 81) E. 750-1,000
- 1448° 10c Green, Ty. III (33). Well-centered, tied by bold "Portland Me. Aug. 11 paid" cds on cover to Hamilton, Canada West, "U. States" in arc hs, 1858 Montreal and receiving backstamps, small ink smear at T.L., Very Fine.......(Photo) E. 300-400

- 1453°⊠

  10c Green, Ty. V (35). Showing part of imprint at L., tied by octagonal "Philadelphia Pa. May 2, 1860" datestamp on small mourning cover to Santiago, Cuba, New York transit, oval "NA1" handstamp, part of French transit and receiving backstamp, some light overall toning, Very Fine and attractive cover...............(Photo) E. 300-400
- 1454 

  10c Green, Ty. V (35). Centered to B.R., tied by octagonal "Philadelphia Pa. Jul. 9, 1860" cds on buff cover to the "U.S. Ship Savannah, American Consul, Panama", slight edge wear, Fine ................................(Photo) E. 100-150
- 1456° 10c Green, Ty. V (35). Vertical pair, tied by bold "New-York Sep. 11, 1861" grid duplex cancel on cover to Guatemala City, Guatemala, strike of "New York Sep. 21" cds, bold "4" due handstamp, some overall toning, Very Fine .......(Photo) E. 500-750
- 1457 

  10c Green, Ty. V (35). Four singles, tied by "Bangor Me. Jul. 17" datestamps on legal size cover to Honolulu, Sandwich Islands, some light toning at T. and R., reduced at L., still Very Fine......................(Photo) E. 500-600
- 1458 Die Green, Ty. V (35). Horizontal pair and single, tied by grid, matching "Bangor Me. Apr. 19" cds with day in ms., on oversize cover to Honolulu, Sandwich Islands, some wear, still a Fine usage................................(Photo) E. 300-400

1460°∞ 10c Green, Tv. V (35). Used with 1c Blue, Tv. V (24) and vertical strip of three 3c Dull Red (26), straddle-pane margin, tied by unusual wide-spaced grid of squares cancel, "Healdsburgh Cal. Dec. 5" cds on vellow cover to Cedar Lake N.Y., two small sealed opening tears at L. still Very Fine, a colorful and very scarce double-rate franking...... (Color Photo, p. 81) E. 400-500 1461°⊠ 10c Green, Ty. V (35). Horizontal pair, used with 1c Blue, Ty. V (24) and tied together by pen stroke and light "Monroe La. Aug. 10" cds on 3c Red entire (U10) to Cambridge Shire England, red "3' credit also ties 1c, some cover wear, Fine .... (Photo) E. 200-250 1c Blue, 3c Dull Red, 10c Green, Ty. V (24, 26, 35 two). Tied by cork cancels and red 1462 ₪ "New York Am. Pkt. 3" credit cds on cover to England, red London transit cds (1860) also ties stamp, minor gum toning, backflap removed, otherwise Fine..... (Photo) E. 200-300 12c Black (36). Horizontal pair, tied by neat "Newport R.I. Oct. 4, 1859" cds on cover to 1463 ⋈ Liverpool, England, red "Paid 24" in circle and "3" credit handstamp, London transit and receiving backstamp, Very Fine, with 1987 P.F. certificate, ex Haas..... (Photo) E. 400-500 12c Black (36). Horizontal pair, tied by red "Phila. Br. Pkt. 19 May 17" cds on tissue 1464°⊠ paper cover to London, England and forwarded back to Philadelphia, range of credit and due markings, oval "Forwarded Geo. Peabody & Co. London" backstamp, some ink erosion causing internal splitting, light edge wear affects R. stamp, still a Fine and interesting usage.....(Photo) E. 400-500 12c Black (36). Horizontal strip of four, tied by red crayon, red "19" hs on blue folded 1465°⊠ cover to Liverpool, England, matching "Supplementary Mail" Ty. A handstamp, 1859 receiving backstamp, some receipt docketing, small tear at B.L. of L. stamp, otherwise Fine and extremely rare supplementary usage showing correct double postage paid ...... (Color Photo, p. 96) E. 750-1,000 12c Black, Plate 3 (36b). Four, tied by grids and "Buffalo N.Y. Aug. 27, 1861" cds on 1466 ⊠ cover to England, Flag & Constitution label tied by cork grid, red "38" credit hs and red Liverpool transit, opening tear across corner of stamp at upper right, otherwise 12c Black, Plate 3 (36b). Two singles, cancelled by small pen strokes, grids on 1861 1467 ⋈ cover to England, bold "North Edgecomb Me. Aug. 5" cds, Boston and London transits, ms. "Ironsides", R. stamp small piece missing at T.R., both stamps toned, still Fine and 24c Gray Lilac (37). Well-centered, tied by bold "Paid" grid cancel, red "Boston Apr. 13 1468°⊠ Paid 3" cds on folded address sheet to Smyrna, Asia Minor, 1861 London transit, light horizontal file fold, single short perf, Very Fine, rare destination, ex Gallagher ...... ......(Color Photo, p. 92) E. 1,000-1,500 24c Gray Lilac (37). Used with 3c Dull Red (26) and tied by "Paid" grid, red "Boston 1469°⊠ Dec. 12 Paid 24" cds on blue 1860 cover to Rome, Italy, 3c stamp also tied by ms. marking, 1860 French transits, receiving backstamp, T. of stamps affected from placement at edge of cover, otherwise Fine, signed Ashbrook ......(Color Photo, p. 92) E. 750-1,000 24c Gray Lilac (37). Used with horizontal pair of 3c Dull Red (11), all are tied by bold 1470 ⋈ blue grids, matching "Louisville Ky. Oct. 18" cds on 1860 cover to Paris, France, red New York 24c credit ds, French transit and receiving backstamp, receipt docketing at L. also ties 24c stamp, a Very Fine and attractive double-rate usage, ex Chase, Grunin ......(Color Photo, p. 94) E. 750-1,000 24c Grav (37a). Well-centered, tied by "Washington City D.C. Free Jul. 24, 1861" cds on 1471 ₪ buff cover to England with blue "Why Don't You Take It?" Scott & Davis Caricature design, red "19" credit, receiving backstamp, top right corner mended, soiled and backflap replaced, still a Fine and very rare transatlantic usage, with 1983 P.F. certificate (Color Photo, p. 94) E. 1.000-1.500 1472 ₪ 24c Gray Lilac (37). Natural s.e. at R. and showing complete vertical guide line, tied by bold grid, matching "Brunswick Me. Apr. 22, 1861" cds on orange cover to Liverpool, England, Boston credit ds, part of receiving backstamp, missing backflap and slightly reduced at T., Very Fine .................................(Photo) E. 400-500 1473°⊠ 24c Gray Lilac (37). Tied by red grid, matching "Boston Paid 18 Jul. Am. Pkt." cds, matching "3" on blue folded cover to Sheffield, England, 1860 Liverpool transit, green receiving backstamp, small piece out of back, Fine, used during the first month of usage

(Photo) E. 400-500

- 24c Gray Lilac (37). Cancelled by neat magenta criss-cross pen strokes, matching "Thomaston Aug. 12th" ms. pmk. on 1861 cover to Glasgow, Scotland, Boston 19c credit ds, receiving backstamp, small tear at T. sealed with scotch tape, Fine and late usage (Photo) E. 400-500
- 30c Orange (38). Used with 5c Brown, Ty. II, 10c Green, Ty. V (30A, 35), beautiful bright shades and rich colors, tied by two well-struck large "Paid" grids on blue 1860 folded letter to Shanghai, China, "Boston Am. Pkt. Aug. 10" backstamp, red crayon "24" credit and faint "1" rate, red London Paid cds and faint Hong Kong backstamp, ms. "No 2" notation applied later, 5c tiny surface disturbance, still Extremely Fine, a wonderful three-color franking for the 45c rate, interesting letter from the Augustine Heard correspondence, ex Haas, with 1980 Friedl certificate....(Color Photo, p. 93) E. 4,000-5,000

- 1479 

  30c Orange (38). Tied by red grid, matching "New Paid York Feb. 5 24" cds on light yellow 1851 cover to France, various transits incl. boxed "P.D.", Very Fine, ex Haas .....

  (Photo) 1,300.00
- 1480 

  30c Orange (38). Tied by red grid, matching "New Paid York Jul. 9 24" cds on 1861 cover to Paris, France, various transits incl. boxed "P.D." handstamp, stamp shows some oxidation, otherwise Very Fine .........................(Photo) 1,300.00

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  1c Blue (63). Centered to T.L., tied by well-struck green grid, matching "Richmond Va. Aug. 9" cds on immaculate cover used locally, slightly reduced at T., still Very Fine, rare with the green cancel.......................(Photo) E. 350-400
- 1482°⊠ 1c Blue (63). Vertical strip of four, tied by unusual large grid cancels on cover to Boston Mass., ms. "Due 6", fresh and Very Fine short-paid cover, with 1987 P.F. certificate, signed Ashbrook.........................(Photo) E. 300-400
- 1483 

  Ic Blue (63). Tied by blue circle of wedges on 1c Blue Star Die entire locally addressed in Chicago, blue "Chicago City/T/Aug/25" city delivery cds—a rare type—minor wrinkles, otherwise Very Fine...................(Photo) E. 200-300
- 1484 ⋈ 1c "Indigo" (63 var). Rich color, tied by octagonal "U.S. Penny Mail Phila. Pa. Apr. 5" datestamp on immaculate buff cover addressed locally, date also in ms., barely reduced at R., fresh and Very Fine .......................(Photo) E. 100-150
- 1486 

  1c Blue (63). Horizontal pair and single, tied by "Collinsville Ill. Nov. 26" cds on multicolored flag patriotic cover to Moro Ill., fresh and Fine.....(Photo) E. 150-200
- 1487 

  1c Blue (63). Two, one placed at T.R. and the other at B.R., used with 3c Rose (65) which is placed at T.L. of cover, tied by Alexandria Va. Feb. 4" double-circle ds on multicolored Lincoln & His Cabinet patriotic cover to Whitefield N.H., Ms. "Due 1" at T.L., reduced at L. into 3c stamp, still Fine..................(Photo) E. 200-300
- 1488 

  1c Blue (63). Used with three 3c stamps approaching the Pink shade, tied by "Na Pa City Cal. Feb. 12" datestamps on multicolored flag and slogan patriotic cover to Howellville Pa., some toning affects stamps and cover, otherwise Fine ..............(Photo) E. 200-300

- 1489 ⋈ 1c Blue (63). Horizontal pair and four singles arranged in the shape of a block of six, tied or cancelled by targets or "Old Point Comfort Va. Feb. 5" double-circle datestamps on cover to Charlotte Mich., ms. "Post hast", slightly reduced at R., Fine and unusual double-rate franking........................(Photo) E. 100-150
- 1490 E Ic Blue (63). Used with three singles of 3c Rose (65), tied by grids on 1861 cover to Havana, Cuba, red "Eastport Me. Dec. 7, 1861" double-circle ds, Very Fine and unusual franking..................................(Photo) E. 300-400
- 1491 ⋈ 1c Blue (63). Horizontal pair, s.e. at R., tied by "Trenton N.J. Jul. 25, 1868" double-circle ds on large part of wrapper to Germany, stamps also tied by red boxed "Short Paid" handstamp, blue ms. "12" German rate marking, tombstone transit backstamps, tear at B. affects L. stamp, otherwise a Fine and unusual usage ......(Photo) E. 300-400
- 1492 

  3c Pink (64). Two, both are borderline shades of Pink, one defective, tied on matching Liberty & Union patriotic covers in red and blue, one tied by target with Marietta O. cds, other tied by Marietta cds, Aug. and Oct. 1861 usages, minor flap faults, light toning, still Fine, a handsome pair of covers .......................(Photo) E. 500-750
- 3c Rose (65). Two, tied by grids, used with Leominster Postage Due Label, 70mm long irregularly-cut pastel green label with "Forwarded 1863 Due 3 Cents" in red (with traces of black ink in "3"), "Old Point Comfort Va. Feb. 23" double-circle, label attached at R. and originally folded over edge, cover with minor soiling and small area of foxing, L. 3c with perfs clipped in left margin, Fine and scarce...............(Photo) E. 250-300
- 1495°⊠

  3c Rose (65). Tied by "Boston Mass. May 1" cds and circle of wedges cancel on 1867 blue folded letter bootlegged from Russia, datelined St. Petersburg and addressed to N.Y.C., blue St. Petersburg merchant's oval hs and blue "Robt. B. Storer Boston" forwarder's oval hs, slight soiling along fold, still Very Fine and rare 3c usage—bott-legged mail is more often found addressed to the port of arrival with the 2c drop letter rate...............................(Photo) E. 200-300
- 3c Rose (65). Faint target cancel, equally faint "East Braintree Mass." double-circle ds on Feb. 1867 cover addressed to U.S. Frigate Colorado c/o American Consul in France, redirected to Port Mahon, Spain, 3c part payment not recognized, New York debit cds, French "8" decimes due hs, a remarkable sequence of transits on back with final "Mahon Menorca" cds, blue "4Rs" due hs, stamp has few short perfs, still a Very Fine and unusual foreign mail usage .................................(Photo) E. 150-200
- 3c Rose (65). Eight singles arranged to form an irregular block, tied by targets on 1864 cover to England, clear "Lynn Mass. 24 Paid Feb. 18" cds in magenta, backflaps sealed by top sheet selvage from British postage, bold red "Boston Am. Pkt. 3 Paid Feb. 20" exchange cds also ties two stamps, one stamp with small perf faults from placement at edge, still Very Fine, very rare example of the Lynn 24c integral rate datestamp resembling credit markings used at exchange offices...............(Photo) E. 400-500
- 1500° 3c Rose (65). Strip of four and two pairs, tied (between perfs) by targets and "Lynn Mass. Jan. 30" cds on cover to England, "Paid 24" in bold magenta ms., Boston Br. Pkt. with "19" credit, London receiving cds, small perf faults from placement at edge, still fresh, Fine and attractive usage ..............................(Photo) E. 150-200
- 1501 ⋈ 5c Buff (67). Tied by bold strike of Boston "Paid" grid on blue 1862 folded letter to Calcutta, India, red "London FE 24, 1862" and boxed "Calcutta Steam Letter" indicating 1sh4p due backstamps, ms. rating, trivial edge wear slightly affects stamp, Fine (Color Photo, p. 94) E. 400-500

5c Buff (67). Horizontal pair, cancelled by small boxed "Paid", matching "North San 1502 ⋈ Juan Cal. Feb. 17" cds on light yellow cover to Grass Lake Mich., R. stamp small tear at T., reduced at L. and some edge wear, otherwise Fine, with 1977 P.F. certificate ......... 5c Brown Yellow (67a). Bright color, centered to T., tied by well-struck red "Boston Br. Pkt. Paid Aug. 21" cds on large part of folded address sheet to Halifax, Nova Scotia, bold "5" handstamp and "U States Halifax AU 22, 1861" backstamp, fresh and FINE. THE EARLIEST RECORDED USAGE OF THE 5-CENT BROWN YELLOW, AND USED TWO DAYS AFTER THE EARLIEST KNOWN USAGE OF THE BUFF SHADE. An interesting cover showing that the Buff and Brown Yellow shades were released concurrently in August 1861..................(Color Photo, p. 95) E. 1.200-1.500 10c Yellow Green (68). Tied by "New-York Dec. 1" cds on blue 1864 folded letter to 1504 ⋈ Manzanillo Cuba, "NAI" in oval hs, Fine ........................(Photo) E. 75-100 1505°⊠ 10c Yellow Green (68). Horizontal pair, tied (between perfs) by cogwheel cancels, matching "San Francisco Cal. Apr. 20, 1863" double-circle ds on light yellow cover to Otawa City, Canada West, blue oval "Post Office Paid, Victoria Vancouver Island" handstamp, transit and receiving backstamps struck over one another, R. stamp small toned spot, 1506°⊠ 10c Yellow Green (68). Vertical pair, tied by cds struck partly off of immaculate cover to Guatemala City, Guatemala, bold "4" hs, fresh and Very Fine, ex Grunin, with 1989 P.F. certificate (Photo) E. 400-500 1507°⊠ 10c Yellow Green (68). Block of six, tied by grids on oversize 1861 folded cover to Germany, light strike of "Hackensack N.J. Nov. 30" cds, New York credit ds struck partly off of cover, straightline "Paid", ms. "30" rating in magenta, German transit and receiving backstamps, some faint toning affects a few stamps, few perf flaws, otherwise Fine, an extremely rare multiple of the 10c 1861 ......(Photo) E. 500-750 10c Yellow Green (68). Two, used with 1c Blue (63) and each tied by bold strike of red 1508 ⋈ grid, matching "New York Am. Pkt. Mar. 2?" cds on blue 1862 folded cover to Amsterdam, various ms. ratings, London and receiving backstamps, Very Fine ..... (Photo) E. 300-400 1509 ⋈ 10c Yellow Green (68). Horizontal strip of three, used with 3c Rose (65) and tied by grids on buff 1864 cover to Melbourne, Australia, red "Milltown Me. Jan. 30" cds, red 28" credit, London transit and "2" ms. due marking, Boston transit and receiving backstamps, opened bit roughly at R. barely affecting one 10c stamp, otherwise Fine and rare 1510 ⋈ 10c Yellow Green (68). Used with 5c Brown (76), both are tied by targets, matching "New Orleans La. Apr. 3, 1866" double-circle ds on small mourning cover to France, various transits incl. 12c N.Y. credit, fresh and Fine ............(Photo) E. 150-200 10c Green, 12c Black (68, 69). Each has perfs in on one side, 10c small corner fault, tied 1511°⊠ by cork cancels and "Washington D.C. May 11" cds on 1868 cover to Sydney, New South Wales, red "12" credit hs, red London transit and "5" hs, N.Y. and Sydney backstamps, Fine, scarce 22c rate usage to N.S.W. ..... (Photo) E. 400-500 12c Black (69). Cancelled by neat cogwheel on buff cover to New Bedford, Mass., red 1512 ⋈ "Honolulu U.S. Postage Paid Jan. 7" cds with day inverted, receiving backstamp, 1513 ⊠ 12c Black (69). Perfs in, used with 3c Rose, 10c Green, E. Grills (88, 89), tied by targets, lightly struck Maine town cds on salmon-colored 1868 cover to Buenos Aires, routed "via American Packet", red "15" credit hs, blue crayon "5" centavos due, French Line K octagonal ds, with original enclosure, slightly reduced at L., Fine, handsome 25c rate franking (Photo) E. 500-750 1514 ⊠ 12c Black (69). Horizontal pair, centered to B.R. and L. stamp s.e. at L., used with 10c Yellow Green (68) and cancelled by bold grids, matching "North Edgecomb Me. Apr. 25" cds on cover to Callao, Peru, red 12c New York credit ds, receiving backstamp, slightly reduced at L., Fine and rare, paying the 34c rate effective Oct. 1867...... 12c Black (69). Used with 10c Green (68), cancelled by light hs on orange 1866 cover to 1515 ⊠

Callao, Peru, "Bath Me. Nov. 19" backstamp, red "12" credit hs, Panama transit, missing T. flap, opened bit roughly at T. affecting stamps, appears Fine .....(Photo) E. 200-300

- 1516 ⋈ 12c Black (69). Used with 10c Yellow Green (68), cancelled by targets, matching "North Edgecomb Me. Jan. 28" cds on 1868 cover to Callao, Peru, red "24" credit hs, Panama transit, missing part of B. flap, Fine and fairly late usage ......(Photo) E. 400-500
- 1517 ≅ 12c Black (69). Used with 10c Yellow Green (68) and cancelled by targets, matching "North Edgecomb Me. Oct. 8" cds on 1866 cover to Callao, Peru, red "12" credit hs, Panama transit and arrival backstamp, some edge wear and missing part of T. flap, Fine ..................................(Photo) E. 300-400
- 1518 ≅ 12c Black (69). Tied by San Francisco cogwheel and used with 3c Rose (65), similarly cancelled, on cover to Bordeaux France, neat "San Francisco Cal. Dec. 30, 1862" double-circle ds, 12c also tied by New York transit, various French transits, some edge tears, otherwise Fine, signed Ashbrook.......................(Photo) E. 200-300

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  24c Violet, Thin Paper (70c). Tied by "Paid" grid, red "Boston Br. Pkt. Sep. 19" cds on cream cover addressed to Capt. R.W. Simpson in Liverpool, England, 1861 receiving backstamp, slightly reduced at R., Very Fine and extremely scarce on cover and used approximately one month after issue ......................(Color Photo, p. 95) E. 1,500-2,000
- 1523°⊠ **24c Violet, Thin Paper (70c).** Tied by blue "Cincinnatti O. Oct. 20" double-circle ds and grid duplex on 1862 cover **to Edinburgh, Scotland,** red New York transit, receiving backstamp, fresh and Very Fine...............(Color Photo, p. 95) E. 1,000-1,500
- 1525° 
  30c Orange (71). Bright color, tied by large circle of wedges, matching "New-York Jul. 13" double-circle ds on courthouse cover to Franklin Pa., 1863 receipt docketing, reduced at L., Very Fine and rare 10-times rate usage, ex Paliafito (Photo) E. 500-750

1529 ⋈ 30c Orange (71). Used with 3c Rose (65), both cancelled and tied by bold grids and matching "Oberlin O. May 1" cds on 1863 cover to Rio De Janeiro, Brasil, addressed to "Hon. James Monroe, U.S. Consul" and endorsed "Via Bordeaux France", New York Am. Pkt. and French transits, magenta "24" ms. rate marking, Very Fine and choice 30c Orange (71). Tied by rosette, matching "New-York Dec. 7" cds on cover to 1530°⊠ Hamilton, Canada West, 1867 receiving backstamp, slightly reduced at R. and few toned spots, Fine and rare late usage.....(Photo) E. 750-1,000 1531 ₪ 30c Orange (71). Bright color, used with 3c Rose (65) and tied by perfectly struck Boston "Paid" grid on blue 1862 folded cover to Port Elizabeth, Cape of Good Hope, red "28" in crayon and London transit, "Boston Br. Transit Jul. 23" and receiving backstamps, sender's company backstamp, a pristine and Very Fine cover from the Howland 30c Orange (71). Tied by well-struck grid of squares cancel on blue 1865 cover to Hong 1532 ⋈ Kong, China, red "Boston Br. Pkt. 10 Aug. 27 Paid" transit ds, French transits incl. boxed "P.D.", receiving backstamp, endorsed "French closed mail", some toning, slightly reduced at L., otherwise Very Fine usage, with 1989 P.F. certificate..... .....(Photo) E. 1,000-1,500 30c Orange (71). Used with 1c Blue (63) and two 10c Green (68), tied by Boston "Paid" 1533°⊠ grid on blue 1862 folded letter to Hong Kong, China, red "Boston Br. Pkt. Paid Jun. 11" and receiving backstamps, London transit, red "46" credit, file fold through both 10c stamps, otherwise Fine and rare usage ...............(Color Photo, p. 96) E. 1,500-2,000 30c Orange (71). Used with 3c Rose, 24c Red Lilac (65, 70), tied by bold large "Paid" 1534 ∞ grid cancels on 1863 blue folded letter to Shanghai, China, red "Boston Am. Pkt. Paid Jan. 24" backstamp, red "36" credit, red London Paid cds and "1d" rate, Hong Kong receiving backstamp, split along folds reinforced with archival tape, a Very Fine and choice cover from the Augustine Heard correspondence..... (Color Photo, p. 96) E. 1,200-1,500 30c Orange (71). Used with 24c Red Lilac and 3c Rose (70, 65), cancelled or tied by 1535 ₪ grids on 1861 folded letter from Goodhue & Co. to Augustine Heard in Shanghai, China, Goodhue forwarder's backstamp used as a company handstamp, red "N. York Br. Pkt. Paid Dec. 24" cds, London transit and Hong Kong receiving backstamp, rated with "1d" hs and additional magenta rating, receipt docketing and labelled "No. 6" from the correspondence, fresh and Very Fine usage, with 1989 P.F. certificate..... 30c Orange (71). Used with 24c Red Lilac and 3c Rose (65, 70) and tied by grids on blue 1536 ⋈ 1862 cover to Shanghai, China, red "N. York Br. Pkt. Paid Sep. 30" cds, London transit also ties 24c stamp, red "1" hs, endorsed "Via Marseilles" and rated "52" in magenta ms., missing most of back, 3c stamp slightly affected at T. from opening, still a Fine and 1537 ₪ 30c Orange (71). Used with 3c Rose and 24c Gravish Lilac (65, 78a), tied by segmented corks and "Rochester N.Y. Nov. 23" cds on 1865 cover to Shanghai, China, red "N. York Am. Pkt. Nov. 25 Paid" transit and matching "32" credit hs, London transit, blue receiving backstamp, toned spot at center from wax seal on back, stamps scissors-separated trimming many perfs, still Fine usage ................................(Photo) E. 400-500 30c Orange (71). Used with 2c Black, 3c Rose and 10c Yellow Green (65, 68, 73), over-1538 ₪ lapping and tied by fancy cork cancels, matching "Newburgh N.Y. Jan. 9" cds on small cover to Shanghai, China, addressed "Care Olyphant & Co.", London 1864 transit and receiving backstamp, red "1" hs and rated "40" in magenta, slightly reduced at R. not affecting stamps and trivial faint toning, otherwise a Very Fine and colorful usage ....... (Color Photo, p. 96) E. 750-1,000 1539 ⋈ 30c Orange (71). Used with 5c Red Brown, 10c Yellow Green (68, 75), each cancelled by Star in Circle NYFM cancel, red "N. York Br. Pkt. Paid Dec. 31" cds on cover to Shanghai, China, London transit and red "40" ms. rating, March 1863 receiving backstamp, slightly reduced at L., few short perfs on 5c stamp, otherwise Fine, a rare and colorful cover, with 1982 P.F. certificate......(Color Photo, p. 96) E. 500-750 1540°∞ 30c Orange (71). Horizontal pair, well-centered, bright shade, single short perf, tied by circular cork cancel and "Rochester N.Y. May 4, 1863" double-circle ds on fresh cover to

- 30c Orange (71). Deep rich color, centered to T.R., tied by bold target, matching "New Orleans La. Jul. 14" double-circle ds on 1865 light blue folded letter to Marseilles, France, New York 12c credit ds and French transits and receiving backstamp, fresh and Very Fine double-rate usage ..................................(Photo) E. 150-200
- 1543 ⋈ 30c Orange (71). Tied by grid on 1863 light blue folded cover to Lyon, France, red "New Paid York 24 May 12" cds, French transits and receiving backstamp, Very Fine ...............................(Photo) E. 150-200
- 1544 

  30c Orange (71). Tied by Star in Circle NYFM cancel on light blue 1864 folded cover to Lyon, France, bold red "New Paid York 12 Jun. 4" cds. French transits and receiving backstamp, few short perfs, otherwise Very Fine .......(Photo) E. 150-200
- 1546 

  30c Orange (71). Horizontal pair and single, tied (between perfs) by bold strikes of fancy negative star cancels on 1867 cover to Paris, France, indistinct New York credit ds, French transits and receiving backstamp, Fine and very rare usage paying six times the 15c American Pkt. rate direct to Havre, signed Ashbrook and with his notes on back (Color Photo, p. 98) E. 400-500

- 30c Orange (71). Used with horizontal pair of 3c Red, F. Grill (94), slightly overlapping and cancelled by hs, matching "Thomaston Me. Jun. 8" cds on 1868 cover to Bombay, India, red "26" credit, London transit, New York transit backstamp, L. 3c stamp torn prior to use, some edge wear, Fine combination usage of ungrilled and grilled issues, ex Ackerman...................................(Photo) E. 500-750

- 30c Orange (71). Used with 5c Brown (75), tied by "Portland Me. Nov. 6, 1865" duplex with target on cover to St. Petersburg, Russia, Boston transit, ms. rate markings, blue boxed "Aachen Franco" hs also ties 30c stamp, both stamps placed just over edge of cover, Very Fine and very rare destination ............(Color Photo, p. 98) E. 1,000-1,500

1555 ⊠ 30c Orange (71). Used with horizontal pair of 3c Rose (65), tied by unusual geometric hs, matching "Salem Mass. Apr. 3" cds on blue cover with printed address to Zanzibar, Goodhue correspondence, red New York transit and matching "26" credit, London 1868 transit, receiving backstamp, missing backflap, some perf faults on 3c stamps, still Fine and rare, ex Gibson ......(Color Photo, p. 98) E. 1,000-1,500

# 1863 2-CENT BLACK JACK COVERS

# Featuring the Michael Fassbender Collection

	The off-cover portion is offered in Sale 796 (separate catalogue).
1556°⊠	<b>2c Black</b> (73). Cancelled by light hs, matching "Philada. Pa. Post Office Jun. 16, 1866" double-circle ds on immaculate buff cover addressed locally, neat receipt docketing at far L., barely reduced at R., Very Fine and fresh drop rate cover( <b>Photo</b> ) E. 100-150
1557 ⊠	2c Black (73). Tied by "Boston Mass. Paid" double-circle ds on small cover addressed in the hand of Oliver Wendell Holmes to the South End of Boston, "Boston Station A Mar. 26" backstamp, ms. at B. reads "If not called for in 10 days please return to OW Holmes, 21 Charles St." slightly reduced at L., Fine(Photo) E. 200-300
1558 ⊠	2c Black (73). Tied by bold strike of Star in Circle, matching "New York City Oct. 31" cds on cover addressed locally, fresh and Fine Halloween-dated cover
1559 ⋈	2c Black (73). Cancelled by blue segmented cork, matching "Savannah Ga. May 5" cds on folded address sheet to Providence R.I., 1867 sender's handstamp, fresh and Very Fine
1560 ⊠	2c Black (73). Well-centered, tied by well-struck circle of squares, matching "Aurora Nev. Oct. 1" cds on immaculate cover, slightly reduced at R., still Extremely Fine territorial usage
1561 ⊠	<b>2c Black (73).</b> Two, tied by targets, matching "Albuquerque N.M. May 20" territorial <b>cds</b> on cover to Deerfield Mass., some toning around stamp edges, stamps lifted and replaced, still a Fine and rare usage, with 1981 P.F. certificate( <b>Photo</b> ) E. 400-500
1562 ⋈	2c Black (73). Two, tied by bold targets, matching "Walla Walla W.T. Mar. 16" cds on patriotic cover to Jacksonville Or., slightly reduced at R., Fine and scarce territorial usage
1563 ⊠	2c Black (73). Horizontal pair, centered to T., tied by targets, matching "Black Hawk Point Col. Jul 1, 1866" double-circle ds on cover to Philadelphia, some edge wear and slightly reduced at R., otherwise Fine(Photo) E. 200-300
1564 ⋈	2c Black (73). Tied by target and used with vertical pair and single of 3c Rose (65), similarly tied, matching "Fort Randall Dak. Sep. 30" cds on 1864 buff cover to Heckstun Canada West, three transit and receiving backstamps, faults incl. repaired tears, still almost Fine, rare usage(Photo) E. 250-300
1565 ⊠	2c Black (73). Used with 3c Rose (65) and tied by quartered cork and matching "Boston Mass. Sep. 26" cds on mourning cover to Sidney Center N.Y., straightline "SHIP" hand-stamp, missing backflap, 3c stamp missing small piece at T., otherwise Fine
1566 ⊠	<b>2c Black (73).</b> Used with 1c Blue (63) and tied by target, matching "South Framingham Mass. Jun. 6" cds on cover to Searsport Me., 2c stamp affected from cover being opened, otherwise Fine
1567 ⊠	2c Black (73). Used with 3c Rose (65) and tied by perfectly struck "Philadelphia Pa. Aug. 21, 1862" cds on immaculate cover to Cape Island N.J., with original enclosure, 3c centered to T.L., Very Fine(Photo) E. 250-300
1568°⊠	<b>2c Black</b> (73). Used with 1c Blue and 3c Rose (63, 65), tied by bold grids, matching "Belleville Ill. Dec. 28" cds on <b>Internal Revenue corner card cover</b> with printed address to Alton Ill., 1863 docketing, 1c with perfs trimmed at L. and B., otherwise fresh and Very Fine double-rate usage, ex Klein(Color Photo, p. 98) E. 750-1,000
1569°⊠	2c Black (73). Used with 1c Blue (63), tied by grids, matching "Portsmouth Mar. 23" cds on folded printed notice with printed address to The Germania Life Insurance Company in New York, 2c stamp single short perf at T.L., otherwise Very Fine, ex Emerson
	(Photo) E. 200-300

- 1570 

  2c Black (73). Unusual perfs showing wide margin at T. and full perfs at B., trimmed into L., used with 30c Orange (71) and tied by "New Orleans La. Feb. 8" cds on registered yellow courthouse cover to Okelousa La., blue return card hs, reduced at L., still Fine, colorful cover and rare combination, ex Rorke.......(Photo) E. 300-400
- 1571 ≅ 2c Black (73). Cancelled by ms. and used with 1c Express (R4c) tied by ms. on small embossed lady's cover to Pichrelltown P.O. Ohio, "Kirward (?) O. Jan. 9, 1866" ms. pmk., few tears affect 2c stamp, otherwise Fine and rare usage of a Revenue stamp for postage, ex Rorke................................(Photo) E. 150-200
- 1572 ⋈ **2c Black (73).** S.e. at T. and showing full perfs at B., tied by quartered cork and "Milwaukee Wis. Feb. 14" cds on **embossed Valentine** cover addressed locally, expertly repaired tear, appears Fine..................(Photo) E. 150-200
- 1573 

   2c Black (73). Cancelled by pen strokes on small cover with illustrated hand holding address, "Maine N.Y. May 23" cds, to Ithaca N.Y., slightly reduced at R. and faint overall toning, otherwise Fine ......................(Photo) E. 100-150
- 1574 2c Black (73). Tied by Star in Circle on illustrated Great American Tea Company rebacked cover front to Boonesborough Md., appears Fine......(Photo) E. 150-200
- 1575 ⋈ 2c Black (73). Tied by large grid on illustrated flour and grain dealer's corner card cover from Rutland Vt. to Brandon Vt., fresh and Very Fine......(Photo) E. 200-300
- 1576 ≅ 2c Black (73). S.e. at R., tied by bold large grid on overall illustrated State of Maine Adj't.-General's Office cover, fresh and Fine......(Photo) E. 200-300
- 1577 

  2c Black (73). Tied by indistinct cds on orange illustrated train corner card cover for wholesale tree broker in Rochester N.Y., to Westerly R.I., some light edge wear incl. small repair at B.L. corner, otherwise Fine and attractive cover ......(Photo) E. 300-400
- 1578 

  2c Black (73). Perfs trimmed at L. and B., tied by quartered cork, matching "Philada. Pa. Post Office Nov. 17, 1866" double-circle ds on blue illustrated cement and paint company corner card cover addressed locally, ad on back, Fine .....(Photo) E. 250-300
- 1579 **2c Black (73).** Tied by cork cancel on **red illustrated Dynamo company corner card cover** to Springfield Mass., fresh and Fine......(Photo) E. 200-300
- 1580 
  2c Black (73). S.e. at L., tied by segmented cork on Templars illustrated corner card cover to North Guilford Ct., Very Fine......(Photo) E. 150-200
- 1582 

  2c Black (73). Tied by bold blue target, matching indistinct double-circle ds, on overall illustrated Vermont Mutual Fire Insurance Co. of Montpelier cover addressed locally, with original 1864 enclosure, some tears, still appears Fine......(Photo) E. 150-200
- 2c Black (73). Cancelled by "Jan. 25\68" ms. on back of photographic card, few light toned spots around edges, still Fine revenue usage...... E. 75-100
- 2c Black (73). Two checks, one bearing single cancelled by ms. on 1867 Globe Bank check from Providence R.I., other bearing two singles cancelled by 1864 ms. on bank check from Columbus Oh., few small faults, both appear Fine ... (Photo Ex) E. 200-300
- 1586 

  2c Black, Diagonal Half Used as 1c (73a). Used with single and tied by light target, matching indistinct cds at L., on small cover to Adams P.O. Penn., with original enclosure datelined "Oil City June 17, 1867", missing side flap, Fine, with 1994 P.F. certificate..............................(Photo) 1.250.00
- 2c Black, Diagonal Half Used as 1c (73a). In pair with single to make up 3c rate, tied (between perfs) by ms., matching "Benvenue Pa. Dec. 21, 1864" ms. pmk. on cover to Harrisburg Pa., receipt docketing at L. also ties stamps, fresh and Very Fine, with 1978 P.F. certificate.......................(Photo) 1,250.00

# BLACK JACK CIVIL WAR USAGES

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1589 ⋈	2c Black (73). S.e. at R., cancelled by blue "X" in oval, matching "Frankfort Ky. 9 Jun." cds on Official Kentucky Volunteers Adjutant-General's Office corner card cover, forwarded usage, Fine(Photo) E. 200-300
1590 ⊠	2c Black (73). Cancelled by target, matching "Washington D.C. Aug. 28, 1864" double-circle ds on small patriotic cover to Reedtown Ohio, matching "Due 2" in circle, with original enclosure datelined "Camp at Boliver Hites Va."some slight edge wear, otherwise Fine, per the PL&R, the 1c in unpaid postage was charged at double the rate  E. 200-300
1591 ⊠	2c Black (73). Tied by target and matching "New Orleans La. Sep. 28, 1864" double-circle ds on legal size Headquarters of Military Division of West Mississippi Official printed cover addressed locally, light strike of "Drop Letter" hs, bold "8" in circle at L., some edge wear and few toned perf tips, still Fine and rare, probably a private usage of the official envelope
1592 ₪	2c Black (73). Tied by two strikes of "Philada Pa. Sep. 10" cds on buff cover with hand-drawn illustration of "Intrepid" balloon" and addressed to the balloonist T.H. Lowe in Philadelphia, fresh and Very Fine, very scarce balloon-related usage—balloons were used for reconnaissance during the Civil War(Photo) E. 300-400
1593 ⊠	2c Black (73). Used with 1c Blue (63), both are cancelled by ms. "MS" initials, red "Graceland Mass. Sep. 1" cds on cover to artillery corps on Gallopes Island in Boston Harbor, red Boston backstamp, faults affect both stamps, still Fine usage, carried by Union boat to the island, ex Sampson, Rorke(Photo) E. 75-100
1594 ⊠	2c Black (73). Perfs trimmed at R., tied by target and used with 3c Rose (65) on 1c Blue on Buff star die entire (U19), matching "Davenport Ioa Feb. 8, 1865" double-circle ds addressed to Lieut. G.W. Tallman in Morganzia La., docketing at L. reads "Co. J 73rd U.S. Vol. Colored troops", some edge wear and slightly reduced at L., still Fine, rare reference to the 73rd U.S. colored infantry(Photo) E. 400-500
1595 ⊠	2c Black (73). Two, slightly overlapping and tied by "Hopkinsville Ky." double-circle ds on orange cover with Western Lunatic Asylum printed return address, to Lexington Mo., receipt docketing from Dr. James Rodman of July 28, 1864, fresh and Very Fine, the asylum treated both Union and Confederate men, and was the sight of a skirmish between patients
1596 ⊠	2c Black (73). Used with 1c Blue (63), trimmed at R., and tied by target and indistinct cds on cover with Sanitary Commission, Women's Penna. Branch printed return address, to Jenkintown Pa., light strike of 1864 backstamp, fresh and Fine
1597 ⊠	2c Black (73). Two covers, first bears single tied by "Philada. Post Office Nov. 7, 1865" double-circle ds on cover with Sanitary Commission Protective War Claim Agency printed return address used locally, second bears three singles tied by quartered corks, light red Mass. cds on cover to Chicopee with printed "U.S. Sanitary Commission" at T.L., few small faults, both covers appear Fine(Photo Ex) E. 300-400
1598 ⋈	2c Black (73). Centered to B.L., tied by blue quartered cork, matching "Carrier Feb. 18" cds on illustrated attorneys corner card cover of Philadelphia advertising for help in making war claims, used locally, some wear and slightly reduced at L., still Fine and attractive usage
1599 ⊠	2c Black (73). Two cover fronts, each illustrated Sanitary Fair, first is tied by "Philada. Pa. Post Office Apr. 18, 1864" double-circle ds and addressed locally, second tied by same double-circle ds of June 10 with illustration in violet, both have few small faults, both appear Fine
1600 ⋈	2c Black (73). Tied by leaf hs, cds struck mostly off of T. of cover, on "United States Sanitary Commission Soldier's Letter" printed corner card cover to New York, ms. "Not found" and initialled, with original enclosure datelined "Columbia Ky. Dec. Ist", contents read in part "I was at the Battle of Perryville, where all the officers of our Company were killed, and I have been made Captain of the Company.", writing on outside of contents reads "Can't get any postage stamps for love nor money.", missing backflap, Fine and interesting(Photo) E. 300-400
1601 ⋈	2c Black (73). Tied by bold cork on orange illustrated U.S. Sanitary Commission cover for Northwestern Fair, to Johnstonville Oh., with printed enclosure card similarly illustrated and notifying a meeting "to take into consideration how best to secure the aid of Phila. in the Great North West Fair", stamp has perfs trimmed at L. and partly at T., otherwise Fine

- 1602 

  2c Black (73). Four covers, each relating to post-war, incl. one with Military & Naval Claim Agency corner card used with 3c Rose (65), one with claim solicitor's handstamp, one addressed to Freedman's Bureau, and one on illustrated City Bounty Fund Commission cover, some faults, still a Fine group ...... E. 400-500
- 2c Black (73). Horizontal pair, tied by "Evansville Ind. 1865" double-circle ds and target duplex on cover addressed to "Flag-Ship Malvern, Port Royal S.C." with latter part of address crossed out, ms. "Old Point Comfort Va" at T.L., stamps affected from placement at edge of cover, some edge wear, still Fine and unusual usage, accompanied by photo of the steamer Malvern, which moved from Port Royal and missed the letter which was forwarded, the U.S.S. Malvern was captured by the Confederates at the outbreak of the war and was used as a cotton-carrying blockade runner until being recaptured, when it became the flagship of Admiral Porter in 1864........................(Photo) E. 200-300
- 1604 

  2c Black (73). Tied by target, matching "Manchester N.H. May?, 1865" double-circle ds struck partly off of yellow cover with "Official Business, Webster U.S. General Hospital, Manchester N.H." printed return address, used locally, slightly reduced at R., fresh and Fine ................................(Photo) E. 150-200
- 1605 

  2c Black (73). Tied by bold grid on blue U.S. Christian Commission illustrated letter sheet addressed to Ohio, datelined "January 6th, 1865" and from Nashville Term. Hospital, Ward 3, Bed 302, file fold affects stamp, still Fine .......(Photo) E. 100-150
- 1606 

  2c Black (73). Cancelled by bold grid on orange illustrated Ulysses S. Grant "Our Country and its Defenders" legal size campaign cover to Winchester N.H., Very Fine and rare unsealed circular rate usage of Grant campaign cover ......(Photo) E. 250-300
- 1608 

  2c Black (73). Tied by indistinct cancel on yellow Eagle & Shield patriotic cover with Union & Constitution banner, red "Middletown Ct. Aug. 9, 1864" double-circle ds, addressed locally, fresh and Very Fine, ex Walcott......(Color Photo, p. 98) E. 300-400
- 2c Black (73). Two, used with 10c Yellow Green and 5c Brown (68, 76), all are cancelled by grids, matching "Weehawken N.J. Jan. 5" cds on Washington on Horse patriotic cover to Switzerland, "Franco" hs, Hamburg and receiving backstamps, 1866 usage, cover and stamps faulty incl. back re-attached and reduced at L., nearly Fine, still a rare usage.......................(Photo) E. 400-500
- 1610 

  2c Black (73). T. margin single, used with 1c Blue (63), perfs trimmed at L., tied by targets, matching "Shirley Village Ms." cds on Soldier & Flag with View of Capitol patriotic cover to New Bedford Mass., receiving backstamp, slightly reduced at L. and slightly affecting design, still Fine and rare, ex Allen...............(Photo) E. 400-500
- 2c Black (73). Cancelled by indistinct hs, cds with negative lettering at L., on Liberty and Union Forever Flag patriotic cover to Philadelphia, probably used within Philadelphia, toned spots and slightly reduced at L., otherwise Fine and rare........(Photo) 2,000.00
- 1612 

  2c Black (73). Tied by quartered cork, matching "Boston Mass. Jan. 28" cds on purple 12th New Hampshire Volunteer Infantry patriotic cover to Milford N.H., paying unsealed circular rate, fresh and Fine, very rare usage, ex Walcott..(Photo) E. 400-500
- 1613 

  2c Black (73). Cancelled by light hs., matching "Chicago Ill. Feb. 9" cds on buff cover addressed to a prisoner from the 6th Ky. Cavalry at Camp Douglas, with original enclosure datelined "Perryville Ky. Jan. 29, 1865", stamp toned, cover slightly reduced at R., Fine, with 1989 P.F. certificate ...............................(Photo) E. 200-300
- 1614 ≥ 2c Black (73). Tied by blue "Baltimore Md. Jul. 12" cds on prisoner's letter addressed to Baltimore, ms. "Examined G.A.M. Act Post-Adj G." at T.L., with original enclosure datelined "Ft. McH July 11\64", a Fine and unusual usage......(Color Photo, p. 97) E. 1,000-1,500

- 1617 

  2c Black (73). Cancelled by segmented cork, matching "Sandusky O. Mar. 7, 1864" double-circle ds on buff prisoner's cover to Dover Ky., ms. examiner's marking, stamp has small tear at T.L., otherwise Fine.................(Photo) E. 750-1,000

# BLACK JACK FOREIGN MAIL DESTINATIONS

- 2c Black (73). Used with 10c Yellow Green (68), 24c Gray Lilac (78a) and horizontal strip of three of 3c Rose (65), cancelled by light strike of hs, matching "Stockton Me. Oct. 21" cds ties 24c stamp, on cover to Buenos Aires, Argentina, crayon rating ms., slightly reduced at L. affecting 2c stamp, toning to cover and stamps, still a Fine and colorful franking................................(Photo) E. 500-750
- 1620 

  2c Black (73). Used with 3c Rose (65) and horizontal strip of three and single of 10c Yellow Green (68), each cancelled by neat target, matching "Barton Vt. Aug. 21" cds on buff 1865 cover to Buenos Aires, Argentina, red Boston credit ds, London and receiving datestamps, slightly reduced at L., still Fine and colorful usage ......(Photo) E. 500-750
- 2c Black (73). Used with horizontal pair of 10c Yellow Green (68) and 24c Lilac (78), cancelled by targets, matching "Rushville Ind. Jul. 18, 1864" double-circle ds on cover to Kangaroo Flat, Victoria, Australia, New York Am. Pkt. and London transits, ms. "24" rating in magenta, Melbourne, Sandhurst and Kangaroo Flat Victoria backstamps, some faults to stamps from placement at edge of cover, some toned spots and edge wear, still a Fine and extremely scarce usage................................(Color Photo, p. 98) E. 1,000-1,500
- 1622 

  2c Black (73). Used with 10c Yellow Green (68) and two 3c Rose (65), overlapping and tied by "? Hill Station Febr. 26, 1861" ms. pmk. on registered cover to Nassau, Bahamas, few faults to stamps, some edge toning, appears Fine.....(Photo) E. 400-500
- 1623 ⋈ 2c Black (73). Centered to L., cancelled by hs, on unsealed buff cover to Eugenia, Canada, large "1" Canadian due hs, 1865 receiving backstamp, fresh and Fine .................................(Photo) E. 200-300
- 1624 

  2c Black (73). Used with 3c Rose (65) and 5c Red Brown (75), cancelled by blue quartered corks, matching "Silver City Ut. Ty. Mar 7" double-circle ds on cover to Brighton, Canada West, light strike of red "U.S. Mails Paid" hs, file folds clear of stamps, slightly reduced at L., few edge tears and stamps affected from placement at edge of cover, still a Fine and rare usage ..................................(Photo) E. 500-750

- 1627 

  2c Black (73). Two, one with perfs trimmed at R., used with 3c Rose (65), two, cancelled by bold grids, matching "Wilmington Del. Oct. 5" cds on cover to St. Catharines, Canada West, oval "U.S. Mail Paid" hs, 1863 receiving backstamp, slightly reduced at R., some toning around a few perf tips, otherwise Fine ........................(Photo) E. 300-400

- 1630 

  2c Black (73). Used with 3c Rose (65) and horizontal pair of 10c Yellow Green (68), all tied by targets on large part of 1866 blue cover to Swatow, China, red "Boston Br. Pkt. 40 8 Jan." cds, London transit and "1d" hs, strike of Br. Pkt. Boston Paid backstamp, undoubtedly the missing portion of the cover bore two additional 10c stamps to pay the correct rate of 45c via Southampton, Fine and rare .................(Photo) E. 200-300
- 2c Black (73). Two, used with 3c Rose (65) and cancelled by parallel pen strokes on 3c Pink entire, similarly cancelled, addressed to "U.S. Steamer Osceola, Care of U.S. Consul at Aspinwall Colombia", "Mercersburgh Pa. Jun. 1" cds, light file fold barely affects stamps, some edge wear, still Fine and rare usage .................................(Photo) E. 400-500
- 1632 

  2c Black (73). Used with 3c Rose, 10c Green (65 two, 68), all have perfs in, tied by part strikes of New York cds on folded letter datelined "LaGrange 8th April 1867", privately carried to N.Y. and forwarded by Caesar & Paul (blue oval hs) to St. Thomas, prepaid 18c via Havana but sent direct (10c rate), Apr. 29 receipt docketing, slightly wrinkled and creased, still Fine and rare use of Black Jack.....(Color Photo, p. 98) E. 750-1,000

- 1636 

  2c Black (73). Used with 3c Rose (65) and 10c Yellow Green (68), placed slightly over edge of cover and tied by target, matching "Oakville Conn. Nov. 4" cds on buff cover to Lyon, France, New York debit and French due marking, boxed "Short Paid" handstamp, 1867 receiving backstamp, some edge wear and faults to stamps from placement at edge, still a Fine and unusual usage.......................(Photo) E. 400-500
- 1637 

  2c Black (73). Used with 3c Rose (65) and 10c Yellow Green (68), slightly overlapping and tied by hs, matching "Palmyra N.Y. Dec. 25" cds on 1866 tissue paper cover addressed to "U.S. Flag Ship Colorado, Care John Munroe ♂ Co., Paris France", red New York credit and French transit also ties stamps, receiving backstamp, reduced at L., slight edge wear normal for this fragile paper, Fine............(Photo) E. 400-500
- 2c Black (73). Tied by diamond grid, matching "New York City Oct. 20" cds on 1864 printed notice from Hamburg, Germany, New York company handstamp from an agent or reference for the sender in Germany, light horizontal file fold, Very Fine and interesting usage, probably sent to the New York agent who applied his company's handstamp and put it in the mails...............................(Photo) E. 750-1,000
- 2c Black (73). Tied by Maltese Cross, used with 3c Rose (65) and two 5c Certificate (R24c), similarly tied overlapping on 1866 cover to Germany, "N. York Hamb. Pkt. 3 Jun. 22" debit marking, boxed "Short Paid" handstamp, Brunswick and Hamburg backstamps, German "6½" due hs, slightly reduced at top, Very Fine, rare attempted use of revenues to prepay part of 15c rate......................(Color Photo, p. 99) E. 1,200-1,500

- 2c Black (73). Horizontal pair, centered to L., used with 24c Lilac (78) and each tied by circle of wedges cancel on 1867 buff cover to Dusseldorf, Germany, red "N. York Br. Pkt. Mar. 20 7 Paid" ds, blue boxed "Aachen Franco" hs, endorsed "Pr. Cuba", single backstamp, slightly reduced at R., L. stamp few perf flaws, small piece torn from 24c stamp, still appears Fine, colorful usage.........................(Color Photo, p. 100) E. 500-750
- 2c Black (73). Used with 3c Rose (65) and Hawaii 5c Blue (21), the 5c stamp cancelled by square grid, red "Honolulu U.S. Postage Paid Jan. 7" with day inverted, the 2c and 3c stamps cancelled by grids, matching "San Francisco Cal. Jan. 29" double-circle ds on cover to Granville Ohio, cover and stamps expertly repaired, tape stain at B.R., appears Fine, with 1986 P.F. certificate...................................(Color Photo, p. 100) E. 750-1,000
- 1643 

  2c Black (73). Two, used with 3c Rose (65) and pen cancelled on 3c Pink entire, similarly cancelled, indistinct Feb. 7 Cal. cds, addressed to Rev. Bishop in Lahaina, Sandwich Islands, slightly reduced at R. affecting both 2c stamps, some toning also from application of extra gum, still appears Fine ......................(Photo) E. 500-750
- 1644 ⋈ 2c Black (73). Nineteen singles, placed on front and back of 1866 yellow cover, used with single 3c Rose (65) and each cancelled by neat ms. "M", "Milo Me. Dec. 3" cds, addressed to "U.S. Store Ship Relief, Care American Consul, Macao, China", Boston and London transits, Hong Kong cds, virtually all stamps faulty, one 2c stamp on back with pre-printing paper fold which has been unfolded, some edge wear, still appears

FINE. AN EXTREMELY SCARCE SHORT-PAID USAGE WHICH PASSED THROUGH THE MAILS AS FULLY PAID TO A SCARCE DESTINATION.

2c Black (73). Used with two 3c Rose, E Grill (88) and 10c Green, E. Grill (89), tied together by segmented cork cancels, "Rockland Me. Oct. 2" double-circle ds on 1868 cover to Fort de France, Martinique, red "8" credit hs, "St. Thomas A OC 29 68" backstamp

VERY FINE AND OUTSTANDING BLACK JACK USAGE TO MARTINIQUE.

- 1646 

  2c Black (73). Separated without regard to perfs causing tear at R. and showing significant portion of adjacent stamp at L., tied by segmented cork, matching "Boston Mass. Aug. 25" cds on 1866 printed prices current to Newcastle, New Brunswick, vertical file fold, receiving backstamp, Fine and rare usage .................(Photo) E. 200-300
- 1647 

  2c Black (73). S.e. at L., used with horizontal pair of 10c Yellow Green (68), also s.e. at L., cancelled by targets, matching "North Edgecomb Me. Nov. 5" cds on 1866 cover to Callao, Peru, red "12" credit, Panama transit ds, missing most of T. flap with some minor edge wear, almost Fine ..............................(Photo) E. 300-400
- 2c Black (73). Used with horizontal pair of 10c Green (68), tied by grids, matching "Newcastle Me. Sep. 21" double-circle ds on buff 1866 cover to Callao, Peru, red "12" credit and Panama transit ds, missing T. flap,some edge wear and one 10c stamp affected from placement at edge of cover, otherwise Fine .......(Photo) E. 300-400
- 2c Black (73). Used with two 10c Yellow Green (68) and tied by blue grids, matching "Cumberland Me. Oct. 1" cds on cover front only addressed to Commodore Roger Perry at Callao, Peru, 1863 Panama transit, red "12" credit, perfs affected at T. from placement at edge of cover, otherwise Fine and interesting usage via British mails via Panama .................................(Photo) E. 500-750

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## 1862-66 ISSUE

1653°⊠ 5c Red Brown (75). Tied by Boston "Paid" grid and part of transit on blue 1862 folded letter to Calcutta, India, from the Goddard correspondence, "Boston Br. Pkt. Aug. 20", London Bombay and receiving backstamps, mostly business contents but part reads "You will see that the last of McClellan's army has left the Peninsula-I am in hopes that the new undertaking will be more successful. . . we need someone with an iron will to use them [sic]. Oh for a Jackson.", some receipt docketing, fresh and Very Fine..... (Color Photo, p. 100) E. 400-500 1654°⊠ 5c Red Brown (75). Deep rich color, perfs touch, tied by target, "New Orleans La. Jan. 24, 1863" double-circle ds on blue folded letter to Bilbao, Spain, red New York transit and red "4R." hs, London and Bilbao backstamps, minor bleached specks, otherwise Fine, colorful and scarce use of the 5c Red Brown .... (Color Photo, p. 100) E. 200-300 1655°⊠ 5c Red Brown (75). Warm shade, used with 10c Green (68), cancelled by grid and tied by "Lancaster Pa. Dec. 8, 1863" double-circle ds on small cover to Paris, France, straightline "Paid", New York credit ds, French transits, file fold not affecting stamps, fresh and Very Fine, signed Ashbrook, with 1991 P.F. certificate ..... 1656°∞ 5c Red Brown (75). Used with 10c Yellow Green (68), both tied by bold "San Francisco Cal. May 15" cds on cover to Dickinson's Landing, Canada West, red "Chicago Ill. Paid 15" handstamp, light receiving backstamp, reduced at L., Fine and unusual usage ....... 5c Red Brown (75). Bright color, used with 10c Green (68), slightly overlapping and tied 1657 ⊠ by bold "Bangor Me. Jan. 30" cds, second strike of cds at L., on cover to Germany, New York 10c credit hs, oval Hamburg and receiving backstamps, Fine and pretty cover, ex Needham, Krug (Photo) E. 400-500 5c Red Brown (75). Used with 10c Yellow Green (68), both tied by neat targets, match-1658 ⋈ ing "New Orleans La. Jun. 18, 1862" double-circle ds on light blue 1862 folded letter to Bernay, France, New York 12c credit ds, various French transits, light horizontal file crease affects stamps, still Very Fine usage less than two months after Union occupation 1659 ₪ 5c Brown (76). Repaired corner tears and pressed crease, tied by target, "San Francisco Cal. Jan. 29" double-circle ds and red "Honolulu U.S. Postage Paid Jan. 7" cds on blue cover to Paymaster General in Boston, Fine appearance, with 1989 P.S.E. certificate 1660°⊠ 5c Brown (76). Well-centered, tied by blue "Baltimore Md. Mar. 20" cds, matching target struck on folded 1866 prices current to Amsterdam, New York transit, London and receiving backstamps, some splitting along folds, single short perf, still Very Fine, the stamp is Extremely Fine................(Photo) E. 300-400 5c Brown (76). Horizontal pair and single, dark shade and fairly well-centered, tied by 1661 ⋈ bold grids on small buff cover to Vienna, Austria, red "N. York Paid Hamb. Transit 12 Apr. 29" cds, various backstamps, missing backflap which causes small nick at T. of cover, otherwise Very Fine ......(Photo) E. 300-400

- 1662 

  5c Brown (76). Horizontal strip of three, tied by "Black Hawk Col. Sep. 20" datestamps on light yellow 1865 cover to Altenburg Germany, stamps also tied by light strike of red New York transit, endorsed "By Hamburg Steamer", with Hamburg and receiving backstamps, a fresh and Very Fine cover ...............................(Photo) E. 750-1,000
- 1663 

  5c Brown, 24c Grayish Lilac (76, 78a). 24c horizontal pair, centered to T. and natural s.e. at R., the 5c well-centered, tied by three bold strikes of NYFM Ty. F17 cancels on buff 1865 cover to Shanghai, China, two strikes of red "N. York Am. Pkt. Paid Apr. ?" datestamps and "32" credit hs, London transit and "1d" hs, Very Fine and handsome, ex Ackerman, Gibson, Knapp, with 1983 P.F. certificate. (Color Photo, p. 100) 

  E. 500-750
- 1665 

  5c Brown, 24c Lilac (76, 78). 24c two singles, centered to B., tied by Star in Circle NYFM cancels on blue 1864 folded letter to Hong Kong, China, ms. "Overland via Marseille" and "Str. Etna" sender's endorsements, faint red New York cds also ties 5c stamp, magenta ms. "32" credit, "London Paid Ju. 23" transit ds, "1d" handstamp and blue receiving backstamp, Very Fine ........................(Photo) E. 500-750
- 1667 ⋈ 15c Black (77). Two singles, tied by circle of wedges, matching "Bangor Me. Oct. 9" double-circle ds on 1867 cover to Dresden, Germany, New York 24c credit ds also ties, ms. "Via Hamburg or Bremen", Hamburg and receiving backstamps, barely reduced at R., fresh and Very Fine double-rate cover......................(Photo) E. 300-400
- 1668°⊠ 15c Black (77). Tied by circle of wedges on deep blue 1867 cover to Vienna, Austria, red "N. York 12 Brem. Pkt. Oct. 10 paid" ds, three-line Bremen transit, receiving backstamp, slightly reduced at L., Very Fine...............(Photo) E. 300-400
- 1670 ⋈ 15c Black (77). Tied by "Troy N.Y. Jul. 28" cds on small cover to Paris, France, stamp also tied by New York and French transits, small boxed "PD", fresh and Very Fine.......................(Photo) E. 200-300

- 1673°⊠ **10c Green, 24c Gray (68, 78b).** Tied together by quartered cork cancels and "Boston Mass. Jun. 29" cds on 1866 folded letter **to Guayaquil, Ecuador,** red "24" credit and Panama transit, few toning spots on stamps, Fine usage .......(**Photo**) E. 400-500

- 1677 

  24c Blackish Violet (78c). Tied by bold blue target, matching "Cincinnati O. May 20" cds on 1866 cover to London, England, New York 19c credit and London receiving datestamps, some edge wear, still Fine and extremely rare usage of the 24c Blackish Violet, with 1980 P.F. certificate ................................(Color Photo, p. 102) E. 1,500-2,000

#### 1867-68 GRILLED ISSUE

- 1678° 

  3c Rose, A. Grill (79). Tied by boldly struck quartered cork, matching "Chicago II. ? 28" cds on blind embossed millinery corner card cover to Danbury Ct., reduced at R., Very Fine .................................(Photo) 1,350.00
- 1679 

  2c Black, D. Grill (84). Centered to T.R., tied by "New York A" cds struck partly off T. of U.S. Army recruiting office corner card cover addressed locally, docketing reads "from Maj. Gen. Butterfield June 1st 1868", Fine and rare...............(Photo) 2,350.00
- 1681 

  2c Black, Z. Grill (85B). Centered to T.R., tied by blue quartered cork, matching "Newark N.J. Mar. 28" cds struck partly off of yellow cover addressed locally, tiny edge tear, Fine...............................(Photo) 775.00

- 2c Black, E. Grill (87). Used with 3c Rose and 10c Green, E. Grills (88, 89), tied by bold strikes of circle of V's hs, red "New York Paid All Br. Transit Jul. 2" cds on 1868 tissue paper cover with printed address to Florence, Italy, Italian Consulate hs seal across backflap, Milan and receiving backstamps, minor edge wear, fresh and Very Fine, beautiful three-color franking, with 1992 P.F. certificate...(Color Photo, p. 104) E. 500-750
- 1686 

  2c Black, E. Grill (87). Used with 10c Green, E. Grill (89), each tied by strike of Leaf cancel on 1868 cover to Whitby, Yorkshire, England, red "New York Paid All Jul. 30" cds, London transit, receiving backstamp, fresh and Very Fine, with 1987 P.F. certificate (Photo) E. 400-500
- 1688 ⋈ 2c Black, 15c Black, E. Grill (87, 91). Two 2c, tied by cork cancels on 1868 folded cover from Boston to Palermo, Sicily, red New York cds, receiving backstamps, Fine example of 19c rate .................................(Photo) E. 750-1,000

3c Rose, E. Grill (88). Vertical block of eight, distinctive Rose shade of early grills (types 1689 ⋈ A, C, D and some of the E production), target cancels, used on back of buff cover to England, "Benton Ala. Apr. 2" cds, red N.Y. and London Paid cds, receiving cds ties block, slight edgewear, opened for display, Fine, an extremely rare used multiple....... (Color Photo, p. 104) E. 750-1,000 10c Green, E. Grill (89). Tied by bold circle of V's cancel on cover to San Francisco and 1690 ⋈ originating in Hilo, Hawaii, also bearing Hawaii 5c Blue (32) tied by both Hawaiian target and circle of V's, large "Honolulu Hawaiian Islands Jun. 12" and "San Francisco Cal. Jul. 13" datestamps, straightline "SHIP" handstamp, 5c stamp short perf and light gum stain, slightly reduced at right, otherwise VERY FINE AND RARE COMBINATION FRANKING. 10c Green, E. Grill (89). Perfs in, tied by circle of wedges, "New York Mar. 23" cds on 1691 ⋈ 1868 folded cover to St. Croix, sender's routing "p Mississippi via St. Thomas", back-stamped by A. Baiz & Co. N.Y. forwarder's oval ds, Frederickstad and St. Thomas backstamps, blue "4" due rate, slight toning, splits along folds reinforced with archival tape, Fine, very rare usage ..................................(Photo) E. 250-350 10c Green, E. Grill (89). Tied by bold strike of quartered cork on light blue 1868 folded 1692 ⋈ letter to Demerara, British Guiana, datelined New York, "St. Thomas Fe. 29, 1868" and receiving backstamps, ms. "4" crossed out and re-rated to 5p due, some splitting along folds, still appears Fine, very scarce usage, with 1983 P.F. certificate ...... 1693 ⋈ 10c Green, E. Grill (89). Horizontal pair, some toning around perfs, tied by boldly struck circle of V's cancels on folded cover to Guatemala, 1868 company handstamp, ms. "Str. Ocean Queen via Panama", blue crayon rate marking, Very Fine..... 1694 ⋈ 12c Black, E. Grill (90). Tied by bold circle of wedges on 1868 cover to London, England, red "New York Paid All Apr. 18" cds, London receiving ds, sender's company handstamp on backflap, few light toning spots, Fine ......(Photo) E. 200-300 1695°⊠ 12c Black, E. Grill (90). Two, each on separate covers to England, first tied by Salem Mass. cds, other by red cork cancel and used June 6, 1868 (earliest known use is May 27th), small cover faults, Fine ................................(Photo) 850.00 15c Black, E. Grill (91). Tied by large cork cancel on cover to Bremen, Germany, red 1696 ⋈ "New York Paid All Br. Transit Jul. 18" cds, Cologne transit, receiving backstamp, some edge tears at T. from opening, Fine, with 1995 P.F. certificate ......(Photo) E. 400-500 1697 ⋈ 2c Black, F. Grill (93). Cancelled by cork handstamp on printed price list for Peruvian guano from Baltimore Md., to 3 Springs Va., some toning, few edge tears, still a Fine 2c Black, F. Grill (93). Cancelled by rosette, matching "New Haven Ct. Feb. 15" cds also 1698 ⋈ ties, on printed income tax form of 1869 addressed locally, some toning around stamp edges and few sealed internal tears, otherwise Fine and interesting usage, posted the day after Valentine's day ..... E. 150-200 2c Black, F. Grill (93). Vertical strip of three, centered to T., tied by hs., matching 1699 ⋈ "Helena Montano Feb. 14" cds on orange U.S. Marshall Official Business legal-size cover to Jefferson Bridge Mont., 1869 docketing, slightly reduced at R., Fine...... 2c Black, F. Grill (93). Centered to T.L., cancelled by grid, matching "Detroit Mich. May 1700 ₪ 12" cds on orange Detroit & Cleveland Steamboat Line agent's corner card cover addressed locally, additional strikes of "Not Found" and "Returned to writer" in oval handstamps, ms. "Lightning Rod Man" apparently did not assist in finding the addressee, Fine and unusual usage......(Photo) E. 300-400 2c Black, F. Grill (93). Cancelled by quartered cork, matching "Carrier May 25" cds on "Grant and our Country" with flag campaign cover from National Union Club of 1701 ₪ Philadelphia, addressed locally, opened bit roughly at R., still a Fine and very scarce usage of a grilled Black Jack on a campaign cover ......................(Photo) E. 500-750 2c Black, F. Grill (93). Tied by grid, matching "New Hartford Ct. Jul. 88" cds on pink 1702 ⋈

1703 ₪

**Templars illustrated cover** to Hartford, colorful and Very Fine .....(**Photo**) E. 200-250 **2c Black, F. Grill (93).** Cancelled by red hs, matching "New York City Sep. 1" cds on

cover addressed locally, slight edge wear, still Fine circular-rate usage (Photo) E. 50-75

- 1704 

  2c Black, F. Grill (93). Tied by blue Star in Circle, matching "New York City Jun. 2" cds on folded notice to creditors in bankruptcy addressed locally, part-printed from U.S. Marshall's office and dated 1868, Fine ......................(Photo) E. 50-75
- 1705 

  2c Black, F. Grill (93). Used with 3c Red, F. Grill (94) and cancelled by hs., matching "Baltimore Md. Aug. 17" cds on buff cover to Oneida N.Y., straightline "STEAMBOAT" and "DUE 1" in circle handstamps, cover slightly reduced at R. affecting 3c stamp, otherwise Fine and interesting usage ................................(Photo) E. 150-200
- 1707 **2c Black, F. Grill (93).** Tied by bold cork on wrapper with printed address to Paris France, stamp also tied by French due marking, fresh and Fine.....(**Photo**) E. 150-200
- 1708 

  2c Black, F. Grill (93). Used with 3c Rose (65) and 10c Green (68), trimmed at L., cancelled by grids, matching "La Grange Cal. July 15" ds with date in ms., on light yellow 1868 cover to France, New York and French transits, some toning and light edge wear, missing backflap, otherwise Fine usage ..............................(Photo) E. 400-500
- 1709 

  2c Black, F. Grill (93). Used with single and horizontal pair of 3c F. Grill (94), each cancelled by segmented cork, matching "Winterport Me. Jan. 16" cds on cover to Cardenas, Cuba, light "NA1" in oval hs, two light strikes of Havana backstamps, stamps affected from placement at edge of cover, cover reduced at R. into one 3c stamp, few small edge tears, otherwise Fine and rare usage ........................(Photo) E. 500-750
- 1710 

  2c Black, F. Grill (93). Used with 10c Yellow Green (68) and tied by boldly struck circle of wedges on cover front only to Liverpool England, addressed in the hand of Horace Greeley and signed by him at B.L., red "New York Paid All Jun. 27" cds, 1868 Liverpool packet marking, fresh and Fine ......................(Photo) E. 300-400
- 2c Black, F. Grill (93). Horizontal pair, strong grill points, used with 15c Black (77) and all three stamps placed over top edge of cover, tied by blue target and "Cincinnatti O. May 9" duplex cancels on 1868 cover to Rome, Italy, New York transit, ms. rating, receiving backstamp, Fine and rare combination usage..............(Photo) E. 500-750
- 2c Black, F. Grill, Diagonal Half Used as 1c (93a). Used with single and tied by bold target, matching indistinct May 3 Mass. cds on cover to Chester Mass., bisect torn before use, cover with few toned spots and small repair at B., otherwise appears Fine, with 1980 P.F. certificate................................(Photo) 1,250.00
- 1714 

  3c Red, F. Grill (94). Block of five, average centering, tied by targets and "Marietta O. Mar. 10" cds on back of small cover to London, red B. F. Stevens Despatch Agent double-oval ds, red N.Y. Paid All cds, opened for display, minor wear at edges, Fine and scarce use of 3c F. Grill block..............................(Photo) E. 150-200

- 1717 ⋈ 10c Yellow Green, F. Grill (96). Horizontal pair, partly separated prior to use and tied (between perfs) by light quartered cork hs, used with 2c Brown (113), similarly tied, on cover to Callao, Peru, neat "Bath Me. May 17" backstamp, New York transit and red "12" credit, 2c stamp missing T.R. corner prior to use, few toned spots, still Fine mixed franking paying the 22c rate effective March 1870......(Photo) E. 300-400
- 1718 

  12c Black, F. Grill (97). Centered to L., tied by target, matching "Varick N.Y. Aug. 20" cds on cover to Ledbury England, various transits and receiving backstamp, few markings strengthened with pencil (easily removed), otherwise Fine .............(Photo) 210.00

- 1723 ⋈ 24c Gray Lilac, F. Grill (99). Used with 10c Yellow Green, F. Grill (96), cancelled by circle of wedges, matching "New Bedford Mass. Jun. 9" cds ties 10c stamp, on 1869 cover to Singapore, red transit also ties both stamps, London transit, ms. "24" credit and "1d" hs. receiving backstamp, slightly reduced at right

VERY FINE. AN EXTREMELY SCARCE USAGE OF THE 24-CENT F. GRILL AND ONE OF ONLY TWO RECORDED USAGES OF THIS STAMP TO SINGAPORE.

Signed Ashbrook. Ex Ishikawa ..................(Color Photo, p. 103) E. 1,500-2,000

- 1725 

  30c Orange, F. Grill (100). Used with 5c Brown, F. Grill (95) and 1c Buff (112), each tied by hs, matching indistinct New York town ds on 1869 folded cover to Oxford, England, New York Paid All cds also ties 1c stamp, London July transit ds, receiving backstamp, light file fold clear of stamps

VERY FINE AND EXTREMELY SCARCE COMBINATION COVER. ONE OF ONLY TWO RECORDED USAGES OF THE 30-CENT GRILLED ISSUE TO ENGLAND.

This cover pays triple the 12c rate via British Mails. The other recorded cover bears a single 30c stamp paying five-times the 6c rate and is used in 1870.

#### 1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE

- 1726 

  1c Buff (112). Well-centered, rich color, tied by quartered cork cancel, matching "Woonsocket Falls R.I. Apr. 29" cds on drop-rate cover addressed locally, slightly reduced at R., stamp has tiny sealed tear at B., still appears Extremely Fine, ex Emerson (Photo) 175.00
- 1727 ⋈ 1c Buff (112). Horizontal pair, tied by Star in Circle cancels, matching "Marlborough Mass. Jun. 2" cds on Sabbath corner card cover with printed addres to Philadelphia, verse at T.L. reads "THE SUPT. OF THE R.F. AND POTOMAC R.R. says of Sabbath desecration, "It demoralizes the men, and makes them reckless, and so is the CAUSE of many ACCIDENTS", receiving backstamp, fresh and Fine, interesting cover ..........................(Photo) E. 200-300
- 1728 **2c Brown (113).** Tied (between perfs at T.) by circle of V's cancel, matching "Davenport Iowa Feb. 14" cds on **embossed Valentine cover** addressed locally, with original intricate and colorful enclosure, some toning, otherwise Fine .......(**Photo**) E. 150-200

- 1731 ⋈ 2c Brown (113). Tied by geometric hs and used with 1c Ultramarine (145), similarly cancelled, on cover to Providence R.I., matching "Holliston Mass., Sep. 30" cds, slightly reduced at R. affecting 1c stamp, otherwise Fine.................(Photo) E. 75-100
- 2c Brown (113). Four, rich color, one has s.e., used with four 10c Green, F. Grill (96), tied by quartered cork cancels and "San Francisco Cal. Oct. 21" cds on legal-size cover to Boston, the sender's "Overland" directive indicates transcontinental route from San Francisco; however, the sender's "Ship Thatcher Magoun" notation at bottom left suggests origin outside the United States, minor fold and waterstains, a few small edge tears, Fine and striking combination usage—research could determine origin (Photo) E. 750-1,000

- 1737 

   3c Ultramarine (114). Three, each tied by blue Stovepipe cancel, matching Leominster Ms. datestamps on separate covers, a Very Fine group ...... E. 100-150
- 1739 Start Control of the Star

- 3c Ultramarine (114). Vertical strip of three, tied by geometric cork cancels, matching "Cheyenne Wyoming Oct. 2" cds on light yellow legal-size cover to Omaha Nebr., 1869 court docketing on back which reads in part "Oliver A. Willard vs. Wells, Fargo ♂ Co. Depositions", reduced at L., slight edge wear, Fine and interesting opportunity for further research..................................(Photo) E. 200-300
- 3c Ultramarine (114). Tied by fancy geometric cancel, matching "New-York Apr. 9" cds on cover originating in Turkey and addressed to Pittsburgh Pa., blue oval "American Mission, Constantinople, Turkey Mar. 14" handstamp, oval "American Board of Foreign Missions, Apr. 9, 1870" hs, slightly reduced at L., Very Fine and unusual usage, this cover was carried outside of the mails to New York; it received the 3c stamp and was then put into the mails, with 1990 Holcombe certificate ........(Photo) E. 1,000-1,500

- 1745 

  3c Ultramarine (114). Horizontal pair, centered to B.R., tied by segmented cork, matching "San Francisco Cal. Jul. 19" cds on yellow cover to New Brunswick, transit and St. John 1869 receiving backstamp, Fine...........(Photo) E. 100-150
- 1746 State Continuous States States and London transits, faint red Stevens oval ds, reduced at R., minor wear, Fine (Photo) E. 200-300
- 1747° 

  3c Ultramarine (114). Two, each tied by segmented cork cancel on blue folded cover originally containing prices current, to Liverpool, England, blue merchant's oval, separated along fold at T., Fine appearance .........................(Photo) E. 125-150
- 1749 

  6c Ultramarine (115). Centered to T.L., cancelled by black target, matching "Lackawanna Pa. May 7" cds on orange 1870 cover to Switzerland, neat "New York Br. Transit May 10" cds, straightline "INSUFFICIENTLY PAID" and "VIA OSTENDE", "60" centimes due in crayon, transit and receiving backstamps, Fine cover underpaying by 4c the 10c closed mail rate via England, with 1994 P.F. certificate......(Photo) E. 400-500
- 1750 
  10c Yellow (116). Natural s.e. at R. and centered to T., cancelled by bold 5-point Star, matching "Chicago Ill. Nov. 5" cds on yellow cover to Germany, 1869 receiving backstamp, cover slightly reduced at T., Fine................(Photo) E. 300-400
- 1751 ⋈ 10c Yellow (116). Tied by quartered cork, matching "New Orleans La. May 10" cds on buff cover to France, 1870 usage, various transits and receiving backstamp, slightly reduced at B., otherwise Very Fine..................(Photo) 375.00
- 1752 More 10c Yellow (116). Cancelled by light strike of hs., matching "Stockton Me. Jan. 29" cds on buff 1870 cover to Mantanzas, Cuba, light strike of oval "NAI" hs, with original contents which state in part "Mr. Cunningham went to...and got tard and fetherd he has not been back since...", slightly reduced at R., Fine.......................(Photo) E. 200-300
- 1753 ⋈ 10c Yellow (116). S.e. at R., centered to B., tied by small hs, matching "Bangor Me. Jun. 20" double-circle ds on 1870 cover to Dresden, Germany, light "New York Paid All Direct Jun. 21" cds, boxed Hamburg transit, receiving backstamp, Fine.................................(Photo) E. 200-300
- 1754 

   10c Yellow (116). Tied by bold target, matching "Winnegance Me. Jul. 14" cds on 1871 cover to France, red New York and French transits, receiving backstamp, ms. French due marking, stamp oxidized, otherwise Fine ........................(Photo) E. 200-300
- 1755 ⋈ 10c Yellow (116). Tied by quartered cork, matching "New Orleans La. Jul. 18" cds and red New York cds, on small 1870 cover to France, forwarded, with second Parisian address on back, stamp with minor oxidation, cover with tiny corner nick at T.L., still attractive, Fine ...................................(Photo) 375.00
- 1756 ⋈ 10c Yellow (116). Tied by large quartered cork cancel and red transit on 1870 cover to Chemnitz, Germany, ms. "via Hamburg or Bremen", red Hamburg transit, receiving backstamp, Fine..............................(Photo) 375.00
- 1758 

  12c Green (117). Tied by bold hs on 1869 cover to Bristol, England and forwarded to Bath, red "New York Paid All Jun. 2" cds, Bristol and Bath backstamps, some edge wear, Very Fine...............................(Photo) E. 250-300

15c Brown & Blue, Ty. I (118). Tied by black cork, red "New Paid York 6 Jun 6" cds on 1761 ⊠ 1869 folded letter to Paris, France, various transits, horizontal file fold at B., Very Fine, 15c Brown & Blue, Tv. I (118). Just barely tied by quartered cork cancel on 1869 cover 1762 ⋈ to Paris, France, red "New Paid York 6 Jul. 3" cds, French transits, slightly reduced at 15c Brown & Blue, Tv. II (119). Used with 3c Ultramarine (114), each stamp well-1763 ⋈ centered with rich colors, tied by targets, "Wallingford Vt. May 27" cds on registered cover to Austerlitz N.Y., Extremely Fine, a choice example of the 15c domestic registry usage, ex Juhring (1981, when it realized \$1,760) (Color Photo, p. 104) E. 1,000-1,500 15c Brown & Blue, Ty. II (119). Well-centered, tied by "Emporium Pa., Sep. 26" cds 1764 ⋈ and used with 3c Bank Note (147), similarly tied, both stamps also cancelled by magenta pen markings, on orange registered cover to Youngsville Pa., opened at R., Very Fine .....(Photo) E. 400-500 15c Brown & Blue, Ty. II (119). Tied by small hs, matching "Mill Bridge Me. Jan. 4" cds on 1870 cover to Genoa, Italy and forwarded within Italy, red "New York Paid All 1765 ₪ Jan. 8" ds, range of backstamps, edge wear and toning, almost Fine...... .....(Photo) E. 300-400 1766 ⊠ 15c Brown & Blue, Ty. II (119). Centered to B., tied by grid on Sep. 1869 cover to Rome Italy, red "4" and Bremen Franco transit, receiving backstamps, Fine ...... (Photo) 825.00 15c Brown & Blue (119). Tied by "New Orleans La. Nov 30" cds on small blue 1869 1767 ⊠ cover to Firenze, Italy, bold red "New York Paid All Dec. 7 Br. Transit" cds, five backstamps, slight edge wear and few lightly toned perf tips, otherwise Very Fine...... 15c Brown & Blue, Tv. II (119). Tied by quartered cork, red "New York Br. Transit 1768 ₪ Feb. 19" transit on small cover to Florence Italy, Milan and receiving backstamps, stamp has small crease at T.R., otherwise Fine and rare, the Rose book notes that only ten covers are recorded to Florence, ex Juhring......(Photo) 825.00 1769 ⋈ 15c Brown & Blue (119). Tied by quartered cork cancel, matching "New Orleans La. Dec. 24" cds on 1870 cover to Bordeaux, France, bold red 6c New York credit ds with month slug inverted, French transits and receiving backstamps, few toned perf tips, otherwise Very Fine, signed Ashbrook.................(Photo) 825.00 15c Brown & Blue, Ty. II (119). Rich colors, cancelled by grid, tied by light strike of 1770 ⋈ "New Orleans La., Nov. 12" cds and used with two 2c Brown (113), similarly tied, on blue folded cover to Milan, Italy, New York Paid All transit, receiving backstamps, few faint age spots, Fine usage paying 19c closed mail rate via England...... (Color Photo, p. 105) E. 1,000-1,500 15c Brown & Blue, Ty. II (119). Used with 3c Ultramarine (114), tied together by 1771 ⋈ targets and duplex "Providence R.I. Mar. 21" cds on cover to Buenos Aires, Argentina, red "8" hs, minor tears and small mended nick at top, otherwise Fine, ex Juhring, Klein (Color Photo, p. 105) E. 1,200-1,500 15c Brown & Blue, Ty. II (119). Used with 3c Green (147), tied by grids and "Petaluma 1772°⊠ Cal. Mar. 12" cds on registered orange cover to Locarno, Switzerland, red "New-York Registered" cds, framed "Chargee" hs, sequence of five different Swiss backstamps, all clearly struck, fresh and Very Fine, extremely rare use of 15c 1869 Pictorial on registered West Coast mail to Europe ................(Color Photo, p. 105) E. 1,000-1,500 FANCY CANCELLATIONS ON AND OFF COVER 1773 FC Child's Head in Circle. Bold complete strike on 3c Green (147), Very Fine ...... (Photo) E. 100-150 Eagle & Shield in Diamond. (lettering in shield), ties 3c Green (158), "West Winsted 1774°∞ Ct." cds on small narrow cover to Astoria N.Y., minor flap tear, Very Fine, extremely Waving Flag. New York City, bold and virtually complete strike on 3c Rose (65), toned 1775 FC and corner crease, Extremely Fine strike......(Photo) E. 100-150 Blue Fly. Clear strike ties 3c Green (147), "Galva III. Jun. 6" cds on corner card cover to 1776 ⋈

Carrollton Ill., slightly reduced at R., Fine .......(Photo) E. 150-200

"HATTON/PM". Negative letters in blue in serrated circle with matching "Burlington 1777°™ Ioa." cds tying 3c Green (158) on cover to Syracuse N.Y., Extremely Fine, very rare Banknote era fancy cancellation......(Photo) E. 500-750 Pig. Corry Pa., mostly complete strike of the little porker on 3c Green (147), toned, 1778 FC Extremely Fine strike..........(Photo) E. 100-150 1779 FC Skull & Crossbones. Stoneham Mass., the small version, perfect bold strike on 2c Red Brown (210), defective stamp but a great strike.....(Photo) E. 100-150 1780° ₪ V. A SPRAGUE P.M. Bold strike of double-circle fancy cancel ties 3c Rose (65), natural (Photo) E. 200-250 1781°⊠ Stovepipe. Neat strike ties 3c Ultramarine (114) on cover to Westboro Mass., matching "Auburndale Mass. Aug. 25, 1869" double-circle ds, few toning spots around stamp, slightly reduced at R., o/w Fine, interesting cancel...............(Photo) E. 100-150 Sunface. St. Louis Mo., perfect bold strike on 3c Green (158), Extremely Fine ...... 1782 FC ......(Photo) E. 100-150 1783 ₪ Beer Mug. Perfect strike in blue ties 3c Ultramarine (114) on buff cover to Carrolton Ill., matching "Galva Ill. Dec. 10" cds, slightly discolored and reduced at R., still an Extremely Fine strike of this rare fancy cancel on the 1869 Issue ..... (Photo) E. 750-1,000 1784 ₪ Waterbury Garden Path. Clear strike on 3c Rose (65), minor faults, matching "Waterbury Ct. Apr. 9" cds on cover to Waukegan Ill., part of backflap missing, a Very Fine strike, ex Houser, with 1990 P.F. certificate declining opinion on the stamp having Waterbury Man in Hat. Full and well-defined strike ties 3c Rose (65), partly clear 1785 ₪ "Waterbury Con. Apr. 23 '66" double-circle ds on cover to Livingstonville N.Y., Dutton correspondence, toned spots, slightly reduced at R., Fine and very scarce cancel....... (Photo) E. 1,200-1,500 Waterbury Man Smoking Pipe. Detailed and mostly complete impression on 3c Rose 1786 FC (65), minor toning, Very Fine strike.....(Photo) E. 300-400 Waterbury Small Bee. Perfect complete strike on 1c Buff (112), Extremely Fine strike 1787 FC and very rare.................(Photo) E. 1,000-1,500 Waterbury "W". Bold strike ties 3c Rose (65), matching "Waterbury Con. Jul. 11" 1788°⊠ double-circle ds, on cover to Brooklyn N.Y., perfs trimmed at L., a Very Fine strike (Photo) E. 300-400 1870-93 BANK NOTE ISSUES 1789 E 1879 American Bank Note Co. Coupon Essay. Three 5c imperforate essays in black on varnish coated paper, each tied by New York Jul. 15, 1879 duplex on blue cover, Very Fine, rare..........(Photo) E. 300-400 7c Vermilion, Grill (138). Clear and sharp grill points, used with 3c Green (158) and 1790 ₪ tied by hs, matching "Winnipauk Ct. Nov. 31" (wrong date) on tissue paper cover to Paris, France, stamps also tied by well-struck London paid 1873 marking, New York and French transits, reduced at L., normal edge wear for this thin paper, appears Fine (Photo) E. 250-300 1791 ₪ 10c Brown, Grill (139). Horizontal pair, s.e at R., used with 2c Red Brown, Grill (135) and tied slightly overlapping by quartered corks on light blue cover to Callao, Peru, "Bath Me. Aug. 4" and receiving backstamps, New York 12c credit ds, fresh and Fine, rare usage (Photo) E. 500-750 10c Brown, Grill (139). Tied by target, matching "London O. Jul. 30" cds on cover to Bremen, Germany, red New York transit, Ausg. backstamp, 1870 docketing on back, 1792 ₪ stamp has been lifted and replaced probably to confirm the existence of the grill, small tear in T. margin, otherwise Fine, with 1994 P.F. certificate ......(Photo) 850.00 1793 ₪ 10c Brown, Grill (139). Perfs in at B., tied by "N. York Steamship Aug. 21" cds on blue

folded letter from St. Thomas to New York, Very Fine, with 1975 P.F. certificate ...............................(Photo) E. 400-500

- 1794 

  1c Ultramarine (145). Used with horizontal strip of four of 3c Green (147), perfs trimmed at sides, on 7c Vermilion entire (U185), cancelled by hs, matching "Bangor Me. Jan. 15" double-circle ds on 1873 cover to Lausanne, Switzerland, red "New York Paid All Via Eng. & Ustd" hs, Basel and receiving backstamps, some toned perfs, slight edge wear, Fine and colorful franking .......................(Photo) E. 150-200

  1795 

  2c Red Brown, 3c Green (146, 147). Horizontal pairs of each, small tears in two stamps.
- 1796 

  6c Carmine (148). Used with horizontal pair of 2c Red Brown (146), each tied by quartered cork in circle hs on light pink 1872 lady's cover to Havre, France, "Bath Me. Jan. 26" and receiving backstamps, New York and French transits, French due marking, faint toning on back only, Very Fine and colorful cover.............(Photo) E. 200-300
- 1797 

  10c Brown (150). Tied by "New York Nov. 18" foreign mail cds (type TR-G36) on folded cover originating in Germany and addressed to Mexico, docketing on back indicates origin at Hamburg, blue "Robert A. Ohmstedt, New York, Nov. 14, 1872" forwarder's hs, small "2" due marking applied in Mexico, stamp slightly toned, otherwise Fine usage (Photo) E. 400-500
- 1798 
  10c Brown (150). Used with two 6c Carmine (148), one 6c and 10c cancelled by hs., the other 6c cancelled by ms., matching "Winnegance Mar. 17" ms. pmk. on cover to Callao, Peru, New York 12c credit ds, faint toning, Fine...............(Photo) E. 200-300
- 1800 

  12c Dull Violet (151). Cancelled by quartered cork and tied by matching "New York Apr. 14" cds on cover to Montreal, Canada, receiving backstamp, some ms. smudges from address, Very Fine........................(Photo) 375.00

- 1804 

  24c Purple (153). S.e. at L., tied by hs, red transit and used with horizontal pair of 10c Brown (150) on cover to India, Bissell correspondence, red "London Paid 21 Mar., 1873" transit, receiving backstamp, slightly reduced at L., some overall wear and stamps toned, otherwise appears Fine ...............................(Photo) E. 300-400

- 1809 

  2c Brown (157). Tied by circle of wedges cancel on printed prices current for teas originating in China and addressed to New York, bold blue "Vogel Hagedorn & Cie., Shanghai, 13 Jul. 76" company datestamp on back, printed "For Transmission by P.M.S.S. Co.'s Steamer "Great Republic" at T., Fine and rare usage .......................(Photo) E. 400-500
- 1810 

  3c Green (158). Used with 8c Brown (272) and tied by magenta segmented corks on 2c Green on Blue registered entire to Germany, used with 5c and 10c Belgium stamps Nos. 64-65, similarly tied, matching "Registered Sep. 1, 1897 West Hoboken N.J." hs, New York registry label covers 3c stamp and embossing, New York oval and receiving backstamps, Fine mixed franking.......................(Photo) E. 200-300
- 2c Vermilion, 3c Green, (158, 178). Tied by purple cork cancels, matching "Washington D.C. Sep. 14" cds on 1878 cover addressed to the U.S. Commissioner at the Universal Exposition in Paris France, additional clear marking "Yale Lock Manfg. Stamford Ct. Model Post Office" and target, French transit, receiving Exposition backstamp, reduced at L. and minor edge wear, otherwise Fine and rare ........................(Photo) E. 750-1,000
- 1812 

  6c Dull Pink (159). Cancelled by quartered cork, matching "Portland Me. Nov. 12" cds on cover to Belgium, neat "Boston Unpaid Br. Transit Nov. 17" cds and "Insufficiantly Paid" hs, 1874 London transit, ms. "Adresse incomplete", some overall wear, still Fine and unusual usage................................(Photo) E. 150-200
- 1813 

  6c Dull Pink (159). Used with 2c Brown (157) and each tied by target, matching indistinct Maine town ds on cover to Belgium, red "New York Paid All Br. Transit Feb. 12" cds also ties 2c stamp, slightly reduced at L., Fine ..............(Photo) E. 150-200
- 1814 

  7c Orange Vermilion (160). Two covers, both from the same correspondence to Germany and both tied by bold strikes of NYFM cancel, both with June New York transits and receiving backstamps, numbered "5" and "8" from the correspondence in blue crayon at T., few small faults, both are Fine, an interesting pair (Photo Ex) E. 200-300
- 1815 

   10c Brown (161). Tied by "Philadelphia Pa. Apr. 30 2pm" duplex cancel on small cover to Lower Guinea, West Africa, London and French transits, small edge tear at T. and scotch tape repair on back, otherwise a Very Fine and rare usage...(Photo) E. 300-400

- 1818 

   12c Blackish Violet (162). Beautiful rich color, tied by NYFM Ty. S4 cancel on 1874 folded cover to London, ms. "p Holsatia" sender's endorsement, red "New York Jul 9" cds, London receiving ds, slight edge wear, Very Fine ................(Photo) 325.00
- 1819 

   15c Yellow Orange (163). Well-centered, vivid color, tied by bold "H" in cogwheel fancy cancel and "New York Sep. 23" cds on buff cover to Para, Brazil, red "New York Paid All" cds, receiving backstamps (1874), Extremely Fine and choice ...(Photo) E. 500-750
- 1820 ⋈ 15c Yellow Orange (163). S.e. at R., used with 2c Vermilion (178) and cancelled by hs, matching "Richmond Me. Jan. 23" cds on cover to Callao, Peru, red "New 12 York Jan. 31" cds, used with Peru 10c Orange tied across backflap, slightly reduced at L. and slight edge wear, Fine and scarce usage ..................(Photo) E. 200-300

- 1821 ⋈ 2c Vermilion (178). Used on 1c Postal Card, both cancelled by hs. matching "Gorham Me. Jun. 28" cds to Helsingfors, Finland, red "Boston Paid All Direct Jun. 29" cds, 1877 receiving ds, contents reads "Please send me your wholesale price list of stamps advertised in Jos. Birfield's 'Western Philatelist'" and signed F.L. Perry, faint toning, Fine ...... .....(Photo) E. 150-200 2c Vermilion (178). Tied by boldly struck NYFM circle of wedges cancel on 3c Green 1822 ⋈ Centennial entire (U219) with Produce Commission Merchant's corner card, to Liverpool England, red "New-York Jul. 22" cds, 1876 Liverpool packet ds, some toning around edge of stamp, otherwise Fine ................(Photo) E. 400-500 1823 ⊠ 5c Blue (179). Tied by bold strike of segmented cork, matching "New-York Jan. 13 11am F" cds on 1878 cover to Paris, France, ms. "Per S.S. Baltic, Via Queenstown" at T.L., various transits, fresh and Very Fine, ex Albert.....(Photo) E. 150-200 5c Taylor (179, 185). 25 covers to foreign destinations, incl. France, Germany, England, 1824 ₪ Sardinia, Turkey and Cuba, few forwarded usages, range of markings, some faults, some appear Fine...... E. 400-500 5c Blue (185). Tied by quartered cork, matching "Bangor Me. Jul. 18" cds on cover to 1825 ⋈ the Azores, ms. "Via London Open Mail", receiving backstamp, some faint toning, edge 1826 ₪ 5c Blue (185). Tied by cork cancel, "Exeter N.H. Jun. 22" cds on 1881 cover to Foochow, China, purple "U.S. Consulate General Shanghai, China Aug. 3, 1881" double-circle ds on back, Very Fine......(Photo) E. 150-200 1827 ⊠ 5c Blue (185). Used with 2c Vermilion, 10c Brown (183, 188), tied by large grids and "Chicago Ill. 30 May" cds on cover to Callao, Peru, Very Fine and scarce combination (Photo) E. 150-200 1828°⊠ 15c Red Orange (189). Tied by circle of diamonds cork cancel, used in combination with a three-color array of Samoan Palm Tree issues on registered Feb. 1889 cover to Germany, all Samoan stamps tied by purplish Apia Feb. 1 double-circle ds, San Francisco registry ds and label, appropriate transit markings front and back, pencil "PM Apia Samoa" on back, 15c stamp pays 5c U.P.U. rate plus 10c registry fee, minor flap faults and slightly reduced at R., still Very Fine, a spectacular combination cover..... (Color Photo, p. 106) E. 2,000-3,000 15c Red Orange (189). Used with 2c Vermilion (178) and cancelled by hs, matching 1829 ⋈ "Richmond Me. Jun. 17" cds on cover to Callao, Peru, red "New York Jun. 20 12" binocular hs ties 2c stamp, used with Peru 10c Orange which is affixed across backflap, slightly reduced at L., faint overall toning, 15c B.R. corner missing, some perfs affected from placement at edge of cover, still appears Fine, paying the 17c rate effective July 1875.....(Photo) E. 150-200 5c Yellow Brown (205). Indistinct cancel, on Mexico 12c Green entire with Wells Fargo 1830 ⊠ printed frank, purple Wells Fargo, Guaymas Mexico oval datestamp, to Paris, France, 1885 usage, New York transit backstamp, Fine..................................(Photo) E. 150-200 5c Yellow Brown (205). Two covers, each bearing single and each tied by target, match-1831 ⋈ ing "Durham Me." datestamps to Burma, 1884 usages, each with Brindisi, Sea Post Office and receiving backstamps, some slight wear, Fine and rare usage .... E. 150-200 5c Yellow Brown (205). Tied by bold hs, matching "Holliston Me. Jun. 2?" cds also ties 1832 ⋈ stamp on cover to Guatemala, New York and New Orleans duplex backstamps, slight edge wear which affects T.R. corner of stamp, otherwise Fine ......(Photo) E. 150-200 5c Yellow Brown (205). Tied by small target, matching "North Cornville Me. Jan. 8" cds on 1889 cover to Alexandria, Egypt, ms. "Via Brindisi" at T.L., Skowhegan Me., New 1833 ⊠ York and receiving backstamps, faint toning and edge wear, Fine ... (Photo) E. 150-200 1834 ⋈ 5c Yellow Brown (205). Four covers, incl. one bearing pair of No. 205 and used with No. 207 on 1883 registered cover to Philadelphia, one bearing single tied from West Lebanon N.H. to Honolulu, one bearing single tied by New York 1882 duplex to Spain, last bears single tied by Washington D.C. 1883 duplex to London and forwarded by B.F.
  - reduced at R., Fine and interesting usage ......(Photo) E. 150-200

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1835 ⋈

Me. Jun. 3, 1886" cds on light yellow cover to Hong Kong, China and forwarded to Victoria, British Columbia, San Francisco, Hong Kong and Victoria backstamps, slightly

- 1836 

  5c Yellow Brown (205). Two covers, each bearing single tied by Maine town cds to Philippines, few faults, otherwise appear Fine ...... E. 100-150
- 1838 ⋈ 1c Gray Blue (206). Horizontal strip of three, used with 2c Vermilion (183) and tied by clear strikes of US in circle cancels, matching East Waterboro Me. Jul. 18" cds on cover to Vienna, Austria, Boston and receiving backstamps, some toning on a few perf tips, slightly reduced at R., otherwise Fine ........................(Photo) E. 200-300
- 1840 

  2c Green (213). Minor gum stain, used as forwarding postage on cover with Japan 1883

  5s Ultramarine (74) tied by cork, IJPO Shanghai and Yokohama cds, redirected to another street in Boston, Apr. 30, 1888 machine cancel ties 2c, slightly reduced at L., otherwise Fine, unusual combination .................................(Photo) E. 300-400
- 1841° ≥ 10c Green (226). Well-centered, tied by Philadelphia oval registry cancels on Oct. 1890 registered cover to Tangier, Morocco, purple registry datestamp, label and transit backstamps, Very Fine and rare destination, even in this period ........(Photo) E. 100-150

#### COLUMBIAN AND LATER ISSUES

- 1843 

   15c-30c Columbian (238-240). Three covers, first bears 15c tied by "New York Jun. 26, 1893" duplex addressed locally; second bears 30c tied by "New York Nov. 22, 1893" duplex addressed locally, third bears B. margin imprint pair of 50c, well-centered, tied by oval reg. cancels and part of straightline "Registered Jun. 29, 1894, Cincinnati O." hs to Germany, few faults mostly on 50c cover, otherwise a Fine-Very Fine group E. 300-400
- 1845 

  1c Blue (247). Tied by oval "Cincinnati Ohio" hs on wrapper to Bohemia, used with pair of Austria 1kr Newspaper Tax stamps tied by "Weseritz 30/1 96" cds, light file fold clear of stamps, Fine and attractive mixed franking.......(Photo) E. 150-200
- 1846°⊠

  1c-3c 1895 Issue (264, 267, 268). 1c bottom imprint and plate no. strip of three, tied by cork cancels on 5c Blue entire to Monterey, Mexico, "Carlstadt N.J. Nov. 18, 1896" cds, Laredo Tex. registry label with purple Laredo backstamp, Very Fine, extremely rare Laredo exchange office label .................................(Photo) E. 400-500
- 1847 Deep Green (279). Used with two singles of 2c Red, Ty. III (279B), tied by grids, matching indistinct Maine March 10, 1903 cds on cover to Shanghai, China and forwarded to Honolulu, part of address is to Standard Oil Co., eight backstamps, slightly reduced at L., faint toning, Very Fine usage.................(Photo) E. 150-200
- 1848 ≅ 2c Red, Ty. III (279B). Tied by "Buffalo N.Y. Aug. 22, 1901" duplex cancel on oversize multicolored Pan-American Exposition card showing a view of the grounds, to East Hartford Conn., some edge wear, colorful and Fine......(Photo) E. 400-500

- 1850 

  1c-\$1.00 Trans-Mississippi (285-291). Complete set to the \$1.00, tied by "New York N.Y. City Hall Nov. 13, 1931" duplex postmarks on 4c Brown legal-size registered entire addressed to Basle, Switzerland, used with Germany 4m Graf Zeppelin (C37) and Brasil 500r Blue, flown on the Graf Zeppelin South America flight, German stamp cancelled on board and tied by "Luftschiff Graf Zeppelin 9.10.1931" cds, Brazil stamp tied by indistinct Brazilian postmark, appropriate flight cachet, Rio and Pernambuco back-stamps, Very Fine, an attractive and rare three-country franking, probably unique usage of the Trans-Mississippi issue ...............................(Color Photo, p. 104) E. 1,500-2,000
- 1852 ⋈ 1c-10c Pan-American (294-296, 298-299). 10c small faults, tied by "New York Jul. 6 1901" duplex postmarks on large cover to Wiesbaden, Germany, receiving backstamp, reduced at left and re-folded at T. to improve appearance, Fine.....(Photo) E. 300-400

- 1855 ⋈ 2c Lincoln (367). Tied by London O. Feb. 12, 1909 duplex on first day of issue Valentine card, minor crease, otherwise Fine......(Photo) 400.00

- 1858 ≅ 2c Carmine, Ty. VII, Schermack Ty. III (534B var). Tied by "Chicago Ill. Jul. 31 1921" cancel on legal cover to Lima Ohio, cover has small tears and light creases (none affect stamp), Fine, with 1997 P.F. certificate ................................ E. 300-400

## BACK-OF-BOOK ISSUES

- 1860 

  2c Deep Claret, Postage Due (J39). Tied by Philadelphia reg. cancel on post card depicting Russian ships and originating in China and bearing China 2c stamp tied by indistinct cds and straightline "Due 2 cts.", purple "Shanghai 19 May 1905" cds, Seattle and receiving datestamps, Due stamp torn after cancelling and placed at B. of cover, still appears Fine...............................(Photo) E. 150-200
- 3c Red on White Entire (U9). Used from Cowes, Isle of Wight to New York, blue "Cowes Ja. 25 '58" cds to left of embossing which is uncancelled, black New York debit ds with ms. "12" deleted and "33" substituted, light toning and half-hearted attempt to remove address, still Fine, rare usage ..................................(Photo) E. 100-125
- 1862 ⋈ 3c + 1c Red & Blue on Buff Star Die Entire (U29). "New-York Apr. 26, 1861" cds and duplex grid, fresh and Extremely Fine Gem.......(Photo) 500.00

1863 ⋈ 2c Black on Buff, Die 4, Entire (U54). Cancelled by hs, used with 1c and 3c Bank Notes (145, 147) which are tied by indistinct Conn. cds addressed to Boston and forwarded to Lenox Mass., some slight edgewear, Fine .......(Photo) E. 150-200 10c Brown entire (U92). Ms. "Ship's Letter U.S. Kansas" and addressed to West Meriden 1864°⊠ Conn., used with Great Britain 1865 4p Vermilion, Pl. 10 (43), tied by "E88" oval with "A Colon JA 6 73" cds, 10c cancelled by red "New York Paid All" cds on arrival, slightly reduced at right, still Very Fine, an extremely rare mixed franking (clearly at origin) on 1c Light Blue, Wrapper (W120). Cancelled by indistinct hs and addressed to London 1865 🖂 England, red and black strikes of "N.P.B. 25 Apl. 1890" datestamps and boxed "Found in N.P.B. without contents" handstamp, some slight wear, still Fine and interesting usage ......(Photo) E. 150-200 2c Carmine, Entire (U411). Oversized, cancelled by "New Orleans La. Aug. 8, 1910" 1866 ₪ cancel, with World's Panama Exposition of 1915 illustration showing New Orleans as the hub of the Western Hemisphere, some edge wear and file fold, still Fine and attractive cover ..... E. 150-200 1867 ⊠ 2c Blue, Postal Card (UX6). N.Y.C. Jan. 18, 1898 duplex, used to Mozambique and forwarded to Lourenco Marques with blue cds of both offices, Very Fine and unusual (Photo) E. 100-150 2c Black, Money Order Message Card Essay. Small tear at top, otherwise fresh and 1868 E Very Fine, extremely rare......(Photo) E. 500-750

## END OF SECOND SESSION

## THIRD SESSION

### LOTS 1869-2403

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1997, AT 1:30 P.M.

# UNITED STATES POSTAL HISTORY

### CARRIER STAMPS

1869 ★⊞	(1c) Blue on Rose, Franklin Carrier Reprint (LO3). Block of six, ample margins, without gum as issued, vertical crease affects R. stamps, otherwise Very Fine(Photo) 325.00
1870°⊠	Baltimore Md., 1c Red on Bluish (1LB1). Mostly large margins, just touched at bottom, fresh and brilliant color, uncancelled, used with 3c Dull Red (11), margins all around, tied by grid cancel, part strike of Baltimore cds on fresh cover to Cohoes N.Y., Very Fine, signed Robson Lowe(Photo) E. 300-400
1871	Baltimore Md., 1c Green (1LB4). Margins to just in, four neat pen strokes, Fine
1872	<b>Baltimore Md., 1c Green (1LB4).</b> Three large margins, barely into bottom frameline, lightened cancel, Fine appearance, scarce, with 1994 P.S.E. certificate( <b>Photo</b> ) 600.00
1873 ⊠	Baltimore Md., 1c Blue (1LB6). Large to huge margins, used with 3c Dull Red (26), some scissors-trimmed perfs, both stamps tied by "Baltimore Md. Feb. 9" cds on small cover to Washington D.C., small part of address crossed out, Very Fine and choice tied example of the "1c Coin" carrier
1874 ⊠	Baltimore Md., 1c Black (1LB8). Clear to large margins, tied by pencil and blue "Baltimore Md." cds on 3c Red Nesbitt entire to Alexandria Va., ink smear, otherwise Fine
1875 ⊠	Baltimore Md., 1c Red (1LB9). Large margins to touched at B.R. frameline, used with 3c Dull Red (26), both stamps tied by blue "Baltimore Md. Nov. 26" cds on buff cover to Frederick Md., Extremely Fine and choice tied usage, ex Wiltsee(Photo) E. 150-200
1876 ⋈	Boston Mass., 1c Blue (3LB2). Mostly large margins, touched at top, tied by red "Boston 3cts 11 Jun." cds with 3c Dull Red (11), large margins to touched, tied by "Paid" grid on buff cover to Phila., fresh and Very Fine(Photo) E. 200-300
1877 ⊠	Boston Mass., 1c Blue (3LB2). Large to huge margins, tied by red crayon, used with 3c Orange Brown (10), large margins to just in, deep rich color, tied by small "Paid" grid, red "Boston 3cts 4 Oct." integral rate cds on folded cover to Dorchester Mass., Extremely Fine, ex Caspary, Middendorf, with 1991 P.F. certificate (Photo) E. 300-400
1878°⊠	Honour's City Express, Charleston S.C., 2c Black on Bluish (4LB8). Margins all around, ms. cancel, tied by blue "Charleston S.C. Aug. 23/24" 24c integral rate cds, matching "Paid" hs on front only to Bristol, England, red "19" credit, red Liverpool transit (1851), mended edge nick at top, still Fine and colorful, extremely rare tied use of Honour's stamp on transatlantic mail(Photo) E. 400-500
1879 ★⊞	Wharton's U.S.P.O. Despatch, Louisville Ky., (2c) Bluish Green (5LB1). T.R. corner margin block of four, just in at B., o.g., h.r., small hole in T.R. stamp and small scissorscut in R. margin, otherwise Fine-Very Fine(Photo) 450,00
1880 ⊠	New York U.S. City Mail. Red circular hs clearly struck on immaculate white envelope locally addressed, Very Fine and very scarce(Photo) E. 100-150
1881 ⊠	U.S. Mail/City Delivery/1. Double-circle carrier rate ds, two examples: single clear strike on locally addressed cover; and double strike on Jul. 1, 1857 folded printed prices current, Very Fine(Photo) E. 50-75
1882°(S)	U.S. City Despatch Post, New York N.Y., 3c Black on Light Blue Unsurfaced (6LB3). Unused (no gum), large margins, creases, otherwise Very Fine(Photo) 500.00

- 1883°∞ U.S. City Despatch Post, New York N.Y., 3c Black on Blue Green Glazed (6LB5). Large margins all around, fresh color, cancelled by neat strike of octagonal "U.S." handstamp on embossed Valentine cover addressed locally, clear red "U.S. City Despatch Post Feb. 21 7 O'Clock" hs and matching "Paid" in arc, with original enclosure which has a handcolored floral border FRESH AND EXTREMELY FINE, A VERY ATTRACTIVE RARITY. With 1975 P.F. certificate .................................(Photo) E. 2,000-3,000 1884 ⊠ U.S. City Despatch Post, New York N.Y., 3c Black on Blue Green Glazed (6LB5). Large even margins, pre-use crease, tied by vivid red "U.S. City Despatch Post, Feb. 14, 9 O'Clock" Ty. I double-line cds on folded hand-written Valentine poem, local address, faded 1844 docketing, Extremely Fine, scarce with datestamp tying adhesive, ex Kapiloff (Photo) E. 400-500 U.S. City Despatch Post, New York N.Y., 3c Black on Blue Green Glazed (6LB5). Light 1885 ⋈ shade, red "U.S." in frame, matching lightly struck Ty. II cds on folded locally addressed cover, Very Fine, Scott Retail \$500.00.....(Photo) E. 150-200 U.S. City Despatch Post, New York N.Y., 3c Black on Blue Glazed (6LB5b). Large even 1886 ™ margins, red "U.S." in frame, on folded letter to Portsmouth Va. with red "New-York Feb. 25" cds and blue ms. "25" rate, Very Fine, very scarce to-the-mails use of carrier stamp on outbound letter, Scott Retail \$1,000.00......(Photo) E. 200-300 U.S. City Despatch Post, New York N.Y., 3c Black on Blue Green Glazed (6LB5). Full 1887 ⊠ to large margins, pre-use crease, tied by red "U.S." in frame, matching "U.S. City Despatch Post, Jan. 14, 4 O'Clock" Ty. II double-line cds on folded cover, locally addressed and endorsed "Pd 3 cts", Very Fine, Scott Retail \$500.00 ... (Photo) E. 150-200 1888 ⊠ U.S. City Despatch Post, New York N.Y., 3c Black on Blue Glazed (6LB5b). Full to large margins, red "U.S." in octagon cancel, matching "U.S. City Despatch Post Aug. 20 1 O'Clock" cds, heavy docketing, Very Fine stamp, Scott Retail \$1,000.00 ...... (Photo) 200.00 1889 ₪ U.S. City Despatch Post, New York N.Y., 3c Black on Blue Glazed (6LB5b). Large margins, minor corner crease and tiny scrapes in glazing, tied by faint red cds on folded lace Valentine with envelope pocket on other side, locally addressed, some toning and splits at folds, otherwise Fine, ex Haas, with 1991 P.F. certificate ...... E. 200-300 1890 ∞ U.S. Mail, New York N.Y., 1c Black on Rose (6LB9). Ample margins to touched at R., tied by pencil, red "New York 5 cts. 8 Oct." on 1849 folded letter headed "West Chester" to Lenox Mass., Fine................(Photo) E. 100-150 1891 ⊠ U.S. Mail, New York N.Y., 1c Black on Buff Glazed (6LB11). Large margins to just touched, tied by red "New-York 10 cts. Jan. 11" cds on neat white envelope to Canton
  - in at L., tied by blue Apr. 4 cds on blue folded cover to Pottsville Pa., 1851 docketing on back, file fold barely affects stamp, otherwise Fine.....(Photo) 400.00

N.Y., fresh and Extremely Fine, very scarce tied in this fashion ..... (Photo) E. 150-200

U.S.P.O. Philadelphia Pa., 1c Gold on Black Glazed (7LB11). Three clear margins, just

1893 ⋈ U.S.P.O., Philadelphia Pa., 1c Blue (7LB12). Just in to ample margins, cancelled by red star on folded cover to Spring Garden Pa., faint toning at stamp edges, otherwise Fine ...............................(Photo) 800.00

### SPECIALIZED COLLECTION OF ADAMS EXPRESS COMPANY

#### EASTERN OFFICES

- 1894 Forwarded by/Adams & Co's. Express/40 Court St. Boston. Three-line red hs struck twice on Dec. 1849 folded letter from Naples to James Gordon Bennett at New York City, various transit markings and forwarding notations, Fine .......(Photo) E. 200-250
- 1895 

  Adams & Co. Black on green Boston office label, affixed to Oct. 1848 folded letter to New York City, endorsed "With Parcel" and contents noted by Adams office as "4 Birds", letter states that sender is sending four partridges to relieve the addressee's cold, minor gum stains on label, Very Fine and unusual usage............(Photo) E. 150-200

1892 ⋈

- Adams Express Co. Philadelphia. Embossed red oval corner card with winged horse vignette on cover to Mass., 3c Brownish Carmine (11), margins touching, tied by "Philadelphia Pa." cds, tiny spots, otherwise Very Fine.......(Photo) E. 100-150

### ADAMS AND EAGLE CITY POST, PHILADELPHIA

- "Eagle" City Despatch Post, 85 Chestnut St. Red circular hs with eagle vignette clearly struck on Oct. 1845 folded letter from Pottstown to Camden N.J., blue "Philadelphia Pa. Oct. 20" cds and "5" in circle, addressed in blue, small tear at top, otherwise Very Fine and colorful, an extremely scarce marking of the Eagle City Despatch Post and rare use on a letter originating outside Philadelphia and carried to the mails for delivery to another post office, ex Gibson (who notes \$25 cost in 1950)...........(Photo) E. 400-500
- 1899°★ Eagle City Post, Philadelphia, (2c) Black on Pelure (61L1). Original gum, small h.r., bold impression of "EAGLE POST, 80 CHESNUT STREET" with circular rim terminating within the margins of the stamp, suggesting a part strike, top edge slightly ragged (described as "defective at top" on certificate)

ONE OF THREE RECORDED EXAMPLES OF THIS LOCAL POST STAMP AND THE ONLY STAMP KNOWN UNUSED. RARER THAN THE UNITED STATES ALEXANDRIA PROVISIONAL, THE BERMUDA PEROT PROVISIONAL, THE HAWAHAN TWO-CENT MISSIONARY AND THE MAURITIUS POST OFFICE STAMPS.

The lower right portion of the stamp shows very faint small printed letters—an "N" appears most clearly just below the "T" of "Street". There is also a small loop of manuscript in the same area.

Although this stamp is listed as the first Eagle City Post adhesive (Scott 61L1, 1847 issue date), so little is known about the actual issue dates of this local post's stamps that it is possible the "cogwheel" stamp came first (Scott 61L2, used beginning in 1846). The shortened "Eagle Post" title on the 61L1 stamp points to an 1848 or 1849 date, but the absence of any reference to Adams Express Co., with which Stait's Eagle City Post was affiliated, is puzzling.

Only two other examples are recorded: a cut-square stamp used on an 1847 folded cover, which was part of the Boker collection; and a cut-circular stamp on a "from the mails" cover, ex Gibson and Middendorf. This stamp with original gum is a miraculous survivor. Perhaps the issue was short-lived, accounting for its rarity, and this stamp found its way out of a small unused or redeemed suppy.

Unlisted with original gum. With 1997 P.F. certificate.....(Photo) E. 5,000-7,500

- 1901 

  Eagle City Post, Philadelphia Pa., (1c) Red on Bluish (61L3). Margins to in at B., tied by large red "Eagle Post, Adam's Exp's, 2" cancel on folded cover addressed locally, 1849 docketing on back, file fold, Fine, extremely rare stamp on cover and even more so tied by the Eagle Post marking ................................(Photo) E. 400-500
- 1902 
   Eagle City Post, Philadelphia, (1c) Blue (61L4). Tied by pencil (and also tied by pinprick letter seal) on back of folded notice of the Pennsylvania Rail Road Co. for a Board
  of Directors meeting on Apr. 10, 1851, bold red "Stait's Despatch Post at Adams Exp'ss
  Paid 48 S. 3d St." circular hs, Very Fine, the blue adhesive stamp is much scarcer on
  cover than generally appreciated .........................(Photo) E. 400-500

1903 
■ Eagle City Post & Mag. Telegraph Messengers Dep't. at Adams Express, 80 Chestnut St. And at The Mag. Teleg. Offices. Beautifully struck large double-circle hs with matching FORWARDED, BY/ADAMS & CO." two-line hs, "3" plus "2" rate handstamps with ms. "5" total rate, on 8½ x 10 in. Valentine envelope with local Philadelphia address in beautiful Spencerian script, with original Valentine enclosure (manuscript tributes in sender's hand), maginficent pink and white lace design with feather and floral paste-ons, Extremely Fine, a magnificent cover and extremely rare example of the Eagle City Post & Magnetic Telegraph marking—the straightline Adams handstamp is unlisted (Photo) E. 1,000-1,500

### ADAMS AND STAIT'S DESPATCH, PHILADELPHIA

- 1904 

  Staits Despatch Post at Adams Exp'ss Paid 48 S. 3d St. Bold red circular hs with 
  "Specl. Messgr. From Eagle Post, 80 Chestnut St." circular hs on brown cover to local 
  address, Fine and very scarce ................................(Photo) E. 200-250
- 1905° 

  Stait's Despatch Post/at/Adams' Exp'ss/Paid/48 S. 3d st. Mostly clear red circular hs on 1850 printed pamphlet with pencil street address, PROHIBITION OF SUNDAY TRAVELLING ON THE PENNSYLVANIA RAIL ROAD with an argument against the Sabbath prohibition, Fine and scarce local usage with interesting historical content. (Photo) E. 250-300
- 1906 

  Stait's Despatch. Two different markings on separate local covers, Oct. 1851 folded letter with large circular hs with "2" integral rate and Adams designation, undated cover with smaller double-line circle with 48 So. 3rd St., Fine pair .....(Photo Ex) E. 150-200

### ADAMS EXPRESS COMPANY CIVIL WAR USAGES

- 1912 Adams Express Company, Port Royal S.C. Purple four-horse and caravan illustrated cover, Nesbitt imprint on back, bearing 3c Rose (65) tied by target, matching "Port Royal S.C. Mar. 14" double-circle ds to Cincinnati Ohio, some slight edge wear barely affects stamp, otherwise Fine and rare.................(Photo) E. 500-750

#### ADAMS EXPRESS COMPANY CALIFORNIA FRANKS

- 1913 ★⊞ Adams & Co.'s Express, California, 25c Black on Pink Glazed Card (1L3). Top sheet margin block of four, unused, large margins, accompanied by an unused single and two counterfeits, block Extremely Fine ................................(Photo) 185.00
- 1914 (S)⊞ Adams & Co.'s Express, California, 25c Black, "LR" Initials (1L2). Block of our, unused (no gum), large margins to slightly in at left, small thin, Fine-Very Fine appearance.......................(Photo) 375.00

### ADAMS EXPRESS COMPANY OFFICES IN AUSTRALIA

#### ADAMS EXPRESS COMPANY IN CALIFORNIA

- 1917 

  Adams & Co. Jackson Sep. 12. Red oval handstamp clearly struck on buff cover to Columbia Cal., fresh and Extremely Fine, very scarce marking and rare in this choice condition, ex Jarrett .................................(Photo) E. 400-500
- 1918 

  Adams & Co. Nevada Apr. 11. Red oval ds with matching "Paid" in truncated frame on brown cover to San Francisco, backflap removed, minor edge nicks and tears, still Fine, very rare Adams marking ................................(Photo) E. 300-400
- 1920 
  Adams & Cos. Express San Francisco. Bold blue double-line oval hs on folded cover to Sacramento, 1853 docketing on flap, Very Fine...............(Photo) E. 300-400
- 1922 
  Adams & Co. Express Southern Coast. Large blue hs boldly struck on folded cover to editor of the California Farmer, Very Fine and extremely rare, reported to be the finer of two known..................................(Photo) E. 500-750
- 1924 Some Forwarded by J. M. Freeman, Agent of Adams & Co's Express, Panama. Bold red oval his on brown cover to Chile, Extremely Fine, very rare Adams forwarding agent handstamp................................(Photo) E. 500-750
- 1926 

  Adams & Co. Express. Seven different corner card covers, blue and red designs in various styles, three stampless (one to Marysville Cal.), others have Nos. 26, 63 (s.e. into design), 65 and 158, Fine-Very Fine group................(Photo Ex) E. 300-400

# LOCAL POSTS AND INDEPENDENT MAILS

1927 ™ American Letter Mail Co., Hale & Co. Two 1845 folded letters with red ovals and boxed "Collect" markings, Very Fine. (Photo) E. 200-300 Marcican Letter Mail Co. Red oval of New York office with boxed Collect hs. 200-300 Jun. 18, 1845 folded letter to Philadelphia, Very Fine, scaree combination of markings (Photo) E. 150-200 Jun. 18, 1845 folded letter to Philadelphia, Very Fine, scaree combination of markings (Photo) E. 150-200 American Letter Mail Co., (5c) Black on Thick Paper (5L1). Three large margins, in at right, oily red smudge cancel, some brownish gum toning, black "Paid" hs and red "Forwarded by American Mail Co. from No. 109 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia" on folded cover to Philadelphia, no indication of origin, Fine, rare use of Eagle adhesive on inbound mail to Philadelphia in on indication of origin, Fine, rare use of Eagle adhesive on inbound mail to Philadelphia in on indication of origin, Fine, rare use of Eagle adhesive on inbound mail to Philadelphia in omition of the property of the American Mail Co. Dec. 3 from No. 101 Chestnut St. Philada" ("circular ds on 1844 folded elter to New York, ms. "Single Pd.", file fold, Extremely Fine stamp and handsome cover, very scarce use from Philadelphia office. ("Photo) E. 400-500 American Letter Mail Co., 5c Black on Thin Paper, Black (SL1, SL2). Block of four of first, used single of second, both are Very Fine. 95.00  1931 Bayonne City Dispatch, N.J., I. & Black (SL1). Large margins, iied by purple target marching "Bayonne City, May. 15, 1883, Dispatch Paid" three-line ds on local cover, Very Fine, with 1991 P.F. certificate, Scott Retal \$750.00. (Photo) E. 400-500 Philadelphia (2c) Black (SL5). Large margins all around, fain gum toning, small ms. "X" (not tied as often), used on local folded cover with Apr. 1847 receipt docketing, fresh and Very Fine, choice Striding Messenger cover. ("Photo) E. 250-300 Photo) E. 250-300 Photo) E. 250-300 Photo Beach Co., Philadelphia, (1c) Black, "For the Post Office" (IsL8). Cut square ceipt docketing, fresh		
"Forwarded by American Mail Co., from No. 101 Chestnut St. Philada." circular hs on Jun. 18, 1845 folded letter to Philadelphia, Very Fine, scarce combination of markings (Photo) E. 150-200  American Letter Mail Co., (5c) Black on Thick Paper (5L1). Three large margins, in at right, oily red smudge cancel, some brownish gum toning, black "Paid" hs and red "Forwarded by American Mail Co. from No. 109 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia" on folded cover to Philadelphia, no indication of origin, Fine, rare use of Eagle adhesive on inbound mail to Philadelphia, an indication of origin, Fine, rare use of Eagle adhesive on inbound mail to Philadelphia, on Chestnut Street, Philadelphia "Cheston Gray (5L2). Large even margins all around, ms. "X" cancel (penetrates stamp and lettersheet, effectively tying it), red "Forwarded by American Mail Co. Dec. 3 from No. 101 Chestnut St. Philada." circular ds on 1844 folded letter to New York, ms. "Single Pd.", file fold, Extremely Fine stamp and handsome cover, very scarce use from Philadelphia office	1927°⊠	
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ms. "X" cancel (penetrates stamp and lettersheet, effectively tying it), red "Forwarded by American Mail Co. Dec. 3 from No. 101 Chestnut St. Philada," circular ds on 1844 folded letter to New York, ms. "Single Pd.", file fold, Extremely Fine stamp and handsome cover, very scarce use from Philadelphia office	1928A⊠	right, oily red smudge cancel, some brownish gum toning, black "Paid" hs and red "Forwarded by American Mail Co. from No. 109 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia" on folded cover to Philadelphia, no indication of origin, Fine, rare use of Eagle adhesive on
first, used single of second, both are Very Fine	1929°⊠	ms. "X" cancel (penetrates stamp and lettersheet, effectively tying it), red "Forwarded by American Mail Co. Dec. 3 from No. 101 Chestnut St. Philada." circular ds on 1844 folded letter to New York, ms. "Single Pd.", file fold, Extremely Fine stamp and hand-
matching "Bayonne Gity, May, 15, 1883, Dispatch Paid" three-line ds on local cover, Very Fine, with 1991 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail \$750.00	1930	
gum toning, small ms. "X" (not tied as often), used on local folded cover with Apr. 1847 receipt docketing, fresh and Very Fine, choice Striding Messenger cover	1931 ⊠	matching "Bayonne City, May, 15, 1883, Dispatch Paid" three-line ds on local cover,
and slightly into outer circle, uncancelled, used on Feb. 26, 1847 folded letter to New York City with red "PHILADA. RAIL ROAD" straightline and blue ms. "5" rate, Fine, very scarce	1931A⊠	gum toning, small ms. "X" (not tied as often), used on local folded cover with Apr. 1847 receipt docketing, fresh and Very Fine, choice Striding Messenger cover
margins, just into thin outer frameline at right, tied by red crayon "5" rate with blue "Paid" in frame and matching "Philada. Pa. 5cts. Dec. 7" cds on 1847 folded letter to Reading Pa., Very Fine, much rarer than Scott value of \$450 indicates—a tied example realized \$1,600 hammer in our Sale 773	1932 ⊠	and slightly into outer circle, uncancelled, used on Feb. 26, 1847 folded letter to New York City with red "PHILADA. RAIL ROAD" straightline and blue ms. "5" rate, Fine, very
tied by clearly struck Bloods cds on Feb. 1857 cover to local street address, immaculate and Extremely Fine Gem, rare without acid tie (Scott Retail \$225.00)	1933°⊠	margins, just into thin outer frameline at right, <b>tied</b> by red crayon "5" rate with blue "Paid" in frame and matching "Philada. Pa. 5cts. Dec. 7" cds on 1847 folded letter to Reading Pa., Very Fine, much rarer than Scott value of \$450 indicates—a tied example
to slightly in, acid tied, Blood's Feb. 21 double-line cds on folded letter to Walnford N.J., blue "Philadelphia Pa. 5cts." cds, ms. "Miss. & Forwarded" with "Cranberry N.J." cds, fresh and Very Fine, unusual usage	1934 ⋈	tied by clearly struck Bloods cds on Feb. 1857 cover to local street address, immaculate and Extremely Fine Gem, rare without acid tie (Scott Retail \$225.00)
in at right, tied by red "1" in oval with Blood's Feb. 3 double-circle ds on local cover, Fine, rare use of the "1" oval cancel on the Blood's 1854 Issue—explanatory note from Robson Lowe on back	1935°⊠	to slightly in, acid tied, Blood's Feb. 21 double-line cds on folded letter to Walnford N.J., blue "Philadelphia Pa. 5cts." cds, ms. "Miss. & Forwarded" with "Cranberry N.J."
ing, acid tied, Blood's Dec. 3 double-line cds, used with 3c Dull Red (11), clear to ample margins, ms. "Way" cancel on cover to Washington D.C., Extremely Fine, scarce use of Blood's local on cover handed to railroad mail agent en route to Washington D.C	1936°⊠	in at right, tied by red "1" in oval with Blood's Feb. 3 double-circle ds on local cover, Fine, rare use of the "1" oval cancel on the Blood's 1854 Issue—explanatory note from
around, acid tied, blue "Philada. Pa. 5cts Oct. 19" cds on 1849 cover to U.S. Navy surgeon at Willard's Hotel in Washington D.C., redirected back to Philadelphia with red Washington cds, with original enclosure, fresh and Extremely Fine, unusual usage	1937°⊠	ing, acid tied, Blood's Dec. 3 double-line cds, used with 3c Dull Red (11), clear to ample margins, ms. "Way" cancel on cover to Washington D.C., Extremely Fine, scarce use of Blood's local on cover handed to railroad mail agent en route to Washington D.C
	1938°⊠	around, acid tied, blue "Philada. Pa. 5cts Oct. 19" cds on 1849 cover to U.S. Navy surgeon at Willard's Hotel in Washington D.C., redirected back to Philadelphia with red

- 1940°⊠ Blood's Penny Post (Kochersperger), Philadelphia, (1c) Black (15L18). Ample margins, cancelled by red "1" in oval, Blood's cds, used with 3c Dull Red (26), tied by "Philadelphia Pa. Mar. 7, 1859" octagonal ds on cover to Hagerstown Md., tiny edge tear, otherwise Very Fine ................................(Photo) E. 300-400

- 1945°⊠ D. O. Blood & Co., Philadelphia, Red on 3c Red Nesbitt entire (15LU5b). "Philadelphia Pa. Nov. 4" cds, to Lambertville N.J., flap removed and small opening tear at top, Fine and scarce................................(Photo) 175.00
- 1947 

   Bouton's City Dispatch Post, New York N.Y., 2c Black on Gray Blue (18L2). Full margins, tied by usual red "Paid Bouton" hs on locally addressed folded letter, oval Bouton's City and straightline "Paid" markings, Very Fine ................(Photo) 600.00
- Boyd's City Express, New York N.Y., 2c Black on Bluish Green Glazed (20L3). Large margins all around, couple tiny wrinkles, red "Free" hs, matching "Boyd's City Express Post Feb. 17 O'C" oval datestamp on folded Valentine poem to street address, very slight toning, still Very Fine, the first three Boyd's issues are much scarcer on cover than generally perceived............................(Photo) E. 300-400

- 1951 

  Boyd's City Express, New York N.Y., 2c Black on Green (20L4). Large margins, small grid cancel, red "Boyd's City Express Post Jul. 7 9" oval ds and "Paid/J.T.B." hs on folded poem to a reverend, Very Fine ........................(Photo) E. 100-150
- 1952° Boyd's City Express, New York N.Y., 2c Black on Green (20L4). Three huge margins, touched at bottom, black grid cancel, red "Paid/J.T.B" hs and Boyd's oval on Sep. 1846 folded letter to Port Washington N.J., sender's directive "Per Steamer foot of Fulton St.", no other postal markings, Very Fine, a most unusual cover showing use of Boyd's stamp on outbound mail, but carried by steamboat outside the mails......(Photo) E. 100-150

- 1953 ∞ Boyd's City Express, New York N.Y., 2c Black on Green Glazed (20L10). Large margins, bright color, tied by one of two strikes of "Paid/J.T.B." hs with faint Boyd's oval ds on Ian, 10, 1855 blue folded letter locally addressed, small toned spot, otherwise Very Fine, late use of these markings according to Abt ......(Photo) E. 100-150 Boyd's City Express, New York N.Y., 1c Black on Lilac Glazed (20L17). Three large 1954 ∞ margins, in at top and creased, tied by "Paid" oval, used with 3c Rose (65), s.e. in at L., both tied by "New-York 10 Feb." duplex cds and target on small cover to N.J., stamps average, fresh and Very Fine cover .................................(Photo) E. 100-150 Boyd's City Express, New York N.Y., 1c Black on Lilac Glazed (20L17). Three large 1955 ∞ margins, touched at top, lightly tied by "Paid" oval, used with 3c Rose (65), tied by "New-York Jun. 9" duplex cds and target on cover to N.J., Very Fine..... .....(Photo) E. 100-150 Boyd's Dispatch, New York N.Y., (1c) Black on Pink (20L56). Tied by violet "Boyd's 1956 ⋈ City Despatch, 1 Park Place, N.Y., Paid, Jan. 6, 1883" oval ds and Maltese cross on local corner card cover, Very Fine................(Photo) E. 100-150 Boyd's Dispatch, New York N.Y., (1c) Black on Pink (20L56). Perf 12 x 12, tied by 1957 ⊠ purple Dec. 13, 1884 oval on Silk Assoc. corner card cover, fresh and Very Fine...... .....(Photo) E. 100-150 Boyd's City Express, New York N.Y., Collection of 18 covers and one cover front, the 1958°⊠ cover front bears No. 20L56, nice range of numbers from 20L7-20L45, four are cut to shape, four are used in combination with U.S. stamps from No. 11 to No. 65, range of 1959 \* Brown's City Post, New York N.Y., 1c Black on Bright Red, 1c Black on Violet (31L1, 31L4). Large margins, glazing uncracked, adherences on back, the first small tears at R., otherwise Very Fine 200.00 California Penny Post Co., San Francisco, 5c Blue (34L4). Margins touching to slightly 1960°∞ in at top, repaired faults, uncancelled (as usual) and affixed to 10c Green Nesbitt entire (U18) to Duxbury Mass., "San Francisco Cal. 5 Jun." cds, Fine appearance, stamp cannot be guaranteed as originating, but the cover has good pedigree-ex Barkhausen, Chicago Penny Post, (1c) Orange Brown (38L1). Mostly large margins, ms. "X" cancel, a 1961 bit toned, couple tiny flaws, otherwise Fine, very scarce ......(Photo) 700.00 1962 \* (Greig's) City Despatch Post, New York N.Y., 3c Black on Grayish (40L1). B.L. sheet margin single, full o.g., h.r., Extremely Fine, purple backstamps ........(Photo) 400.00 (Greig's) City Despatch Post, New York N.Y., 3c Black on Grayish (40L1). T. sheet 1963 \* margin horizontal pair showing full selvage at T., o.g., barely hinged, fresh and Extremely Fine (Photo) 950.00 (Greig's) City Despatch Post, New York N.Y., 3c Black on Gravish (40L1). Ample to 1964 ₪ large margins, tied by pen strokes on 1842 folded letter to Madison N.L., red "New-York May 30" cds, magenta "6" due rate marking, two small tears in margin at R., otherwise Very Fine and rare usage during the two-month period (April-May 1842) when letters carried by the City Despatch Post to the mails for delivery outside the city were cancelled in manuscript and received no local post markings, with 1979 P.F. certificate ...... (Photo) E. 500-750 1965 ₪ (Greig's) City Despatch Post, New York N.Y., 3c Black on Grayish (40L1). Large margins all around, cancelled by "Free" in frame, matching "City Despatch Post N.Y. 9 May 1 O'Clock" double-line cds on small cover to Hudson Square, stamp defective (torn in half), still appears Very Fine ........................(Photo) 750.00 1966 Gahagan & Howe City Express, San Francisco, (5c) Black (70L3). Vertical strip of three, large margins to clear at B., blue "San Francisco Letter Express" Pony Rider in oval hs, Fine-Very Fine (Photo) 110.00 Grafflin's Baltimore Despatch, 1c Black (73L1). Full margins, sealed tear at bottom. 1967° ₪ tied by ms. stroke, used with 3c Dull Red (26), tied by blue "Baltimore Md. Jan. 17" cds
- to Providence R.I., ms. "Single Paid", Very Fine ......(Photo) E. 200-300 Hale & Co., (6c) Light Blue (75L5). Cut to shape, usual pen stroke, boxed hs, tied by 1969 ⋈

on small cover to Bremo Bluff Va., Very Fine appearance ......(Photo) 4,000.00 Hale & Co., (6c) Light Blue (75L1). Square-cut margins clear or touching all around,

cancelled by bold red "Paid" hs on greenish Nov. 15, 1844 folded letter from New York

1968 ₪

- 1970° Hale & Co., (6c) Light Blue (75L5). Cut to shape, tied by red Collect box hs on Dec. 1844 folded letter from New York to Boston, fresh and Very Fine....(Photo) E. 75-100
- 1971 

  Hanford's Pony Express, New York N.Y., 2c Black on Orange Yellow Glazed (78L1). Three full margins, barely in at bottom, ms. cancel, used on 1846 folded letter to Hartford Conn., red "New-York 5 cts. 12 Feb." cds, "Paid" in arc and red "5" crayon rate, neat docketing, Very Fine, Scott Retail \$1,250.00.................(Photo) E. 300-400

- Humboldt Express (Langton), Nevada, 25c Brown (86L1). Clear to large margins, tied by blue "Langton's Pioneer Express Unionville" oval hs on piece of cover with black imprint and 3c embossed stamp, restored with part of front and all backflaps added, rare, with 1991 P.F. certificate...............................(Photo) E. 5,000-7,500
- 1975 

  Hussey's Post, New York N.Y., (no value) Black Handstamped Wrapper (87LUP1).

  Inscribed "82 Broadway", clear strike with "PAID/G.HUSSEY" hs on small folded cover to local address, lightly soiled, Very Fine .......................(Photo) E. 300-400
- 1976 

  Kenyon's Letter Office New-York. Red oval hs lightly struck (as almost always) on cover to Trenton N.J., with letter enclosure datelined New York, Sep. 24, 1849; red crayon "R.R. Sept. 24} 5" on cover, in the same hand as letter, presumably a Philadelphia Railroad usage between New York City and Trenton ..............(Photo) E. 150-200
- 1977°⊠ Letter Express (Henry Wells), 5c Black on Pink (96L1). Cut to shape, ms. "X" cancel, tied by filing crease on Oct. 1844 folded letter from Detroit to Buffalo, Fine and very scarce........................(Photo) E. 200-300
- 1979 ★ Metropolitan Post Office, New York N.Y., (2c) Red (108L3). Cut to shape, o.g., h.r., Fine.......................(Photo) 175.00
- 1980 

  One Cent Despatch, Washington D.C., 1c Violet (112L1). Three ample margins, in at top, tied by "City Despatch May 5 3 P.M. 1856" cds on small cover to Del., 3c 1851 substituted for missing stamp, Fine .................(Photo) E. 100-150
- 1981°⊠ **POMEROY'S MAIL.** Red straightline hs with Hale & Co. Collect red boxed hs on Jul. 24, 1844 folded letter from New York City to Buffalo, sender's routing "Pomeroy's Express", Very Fine, scarce Pomeroy usage.................(Photo) E. 200-300
- 1982°⊠ Pomeroy's Letter Express, 5c Black on Yellow Glazed (117L1). Large even margins, cancelled by heavily impressed red "Paid" cancel (tied by impression thru stamp and lettersheet), red "Boyd's City Express Post Mar. 6 9 O'C" oval ds for local delivery on folded cover to N.Y.C. street address, receipt docketing "Friendly Sons of St. Patrick", light soiling, Very Fine. An enigmatic usage: Pomeroy's Letter Express discontinued service gradually beginning in August 1844, but covers are known dated as late as September 16, 1844. The Boyd's oval on this letter came into use in September 1844. Therefore, as a March 1845 cover it does not seem possible that Pomeroy could have been involved. However, the physical characteristics of the cover—notably the "Paid" tying the stamp where the serifs of the "P"are impressed thru the stamp and lettersheet—are convincing enough that we feel this may represent an attempted (and successful?) late use of the Pomeroy's stamp. It is also interesting that this "Paid" marking was never used by Pomeroy, but is exactly like the type used by Hale & Co. (see lot 1968 in this sale). If Hale did, in fact, carry this letter into New York City with the Pomerov stamp affixed, this usage becomes all the more fascinating ......(Photo) E. 400-500

- 1983°⊠ **Pomeroy & Co.'s Express.** Large label in black on orange, tied by filing crease on folded cover to New York City, ms. "Free Ontario Bank" (Ontario Bank, located in Utica), ms. "22 Wall" street location, receipt docketing indicates Oct. 26, 1844 mailing date, Fine, very rare use of Pomeroy label on letter mail......................(Photo) E. 500-750
- 1985° Stringer & Morton's City Despatch, Baltimore Md., (1c) Gold on Black Glazed (134L1). Margins all around, unusually clear impression, uncancelled (as are most known examples) but nicely tied thru lettersheet by gum toning, used on light blue folded cover delivered from Baltimore to Philadelphia street address outside the mails, no government postal markings, docketing on flap "1850 Chester Cty Balto" indicates 1850 year date and Baltimore origin

VERY FINE. THE ONLY RECORDED USE OF THE RARE STRINGER & MORTON STAMP ON A LETTER CARRIED OUTSIDE THE MAILS AND DELIVERED IN ANOTHER CITY, AN ACT PUNISHABLE BY LAW, ONLY FOURTEEN COVERS RECORDED.

Stringer & Morton's City Despatch operated for only three months from October 1850 through January 1851. The stamps are stylistically identical to the Blood's stamps (Scott 15L12, 15L13 and 15L17). Steven Roth records fourteen Stringer & Morton's City Despatch covers with the adhesive stamp (Chronicle 173, pp. 20-21). Three of these are addressed to Philadelphia; the two other covers have Baltimore datestamps and "5" rates for government postage (the local service brought the letters to the post office). This example is remarkable in that the street address and lack of government postal markings or postage strongly suggest that a Stringer & Morton's carrier delivered the letter all the way to Philadelphia, an illegal inter-city letter conveyance. The receipt docketing confirms delivery, and, if the post office had been involved—even receiving the letter as way mail—markings would have been made to indicate postage paid or due. In the past there has been speculation that the proprietors, Stringer and Morton, were at one time involved in the local post(s) of another city.

A major local post rarity. Ex Brown ......(Color Photo, p. 107) E. 3,000-4,000

- 1986°⊠ Swarts' B. Post Office N.Y. Chatham Square. Bold red oval hs on small 1851 folded letter, Extremely Fine ......................(Photo) E. 150-200
- 1987 Swarts' City Dispatch Post, New York N.Y., (1c) Red (136L9). Three large margins, clear at left, tied by bold Swarts oval hs, "Paid/Swarts" framed hs on Apr. 21, 1854 folded letter to local address, Very Fine ........................(Photo) E. 150-200
- 1989 Swarts' City Dispatch Post, New York N.Y., (1c) Red (136L9). Large margins to touched at T., tied by five-bar open grid on 1855 folded letter to Ithaca with 3c Dull Red (11) tied by "New-York Jan. 17" cds, latter stamp with small faults, Fine .......(Photo) E. 100-150
- 1990 

  Swarts' City Dispatch Post, New York N.Y., (1c) Red (136L9). Full margins, tied by black Star in Circle hs, used with 3c Dull Red (11), just touched to large margins, tied by "New-York Jan. 18" cds on buff cover to Sing Sing N.Y., file fold affects local, appears Very Fine, with 1993 P.F. certificate.................(Photo) E. 150-200
- 1991 

  Union Square Post Office, New York N.Y., 1c Black on Apple Green (141L2). Two large margins, touched or in on other sides, tied by pencil, used with 3c Dull Red (11), bottom sheet margin, touched on two side, both stamps tied by "U.S. Express Mail N.Y. Feb. 12" cds on brown cover to Boston, minor gum staining, Fine, the Union Sq. Post Office seems to have regularly posted mail on northbound trains where letters were postmarked by the route agent aboard.................(Photo) E. 300-400

- 1994°⊠ Independent Mails. Five covers and one off-cover stamp (No. 5L2), includes corner cards of Cheney & Co., Rice & Peck's N.Y. & E.R.R. Express, handstamps of Cova & Co. Panama (forwarders) and Gilpin's, and Boyd's No. 20L8 on cover, Fine lot E. 200-300





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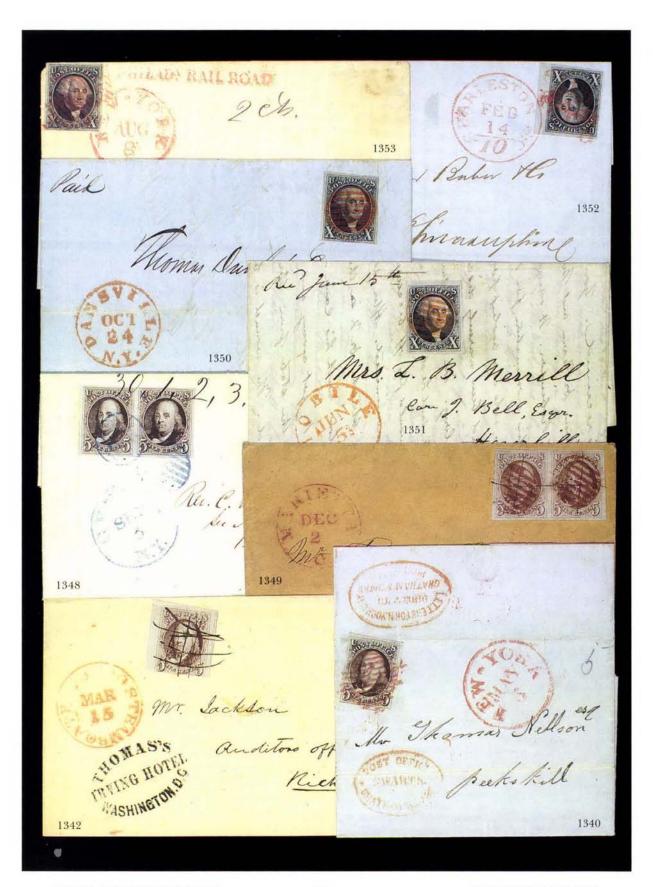




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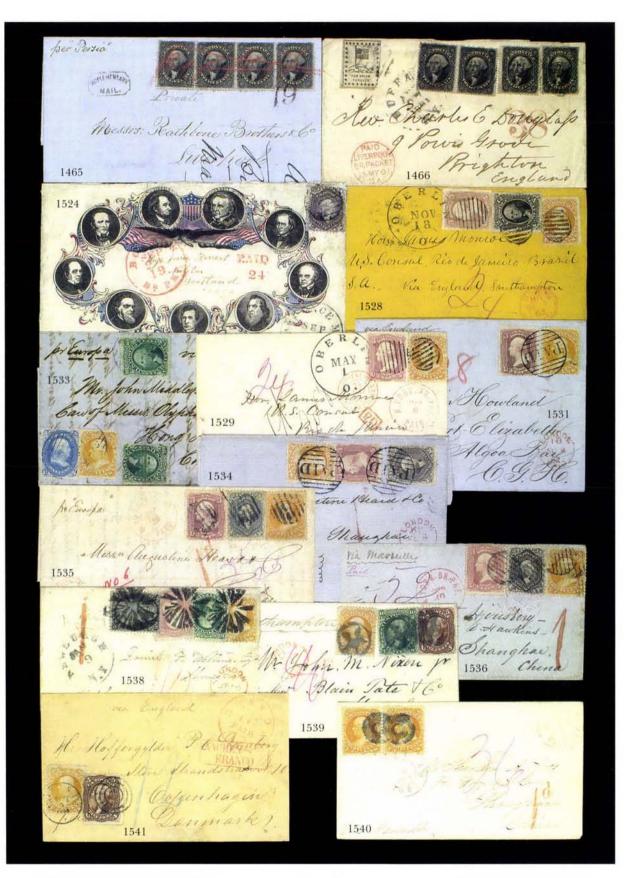
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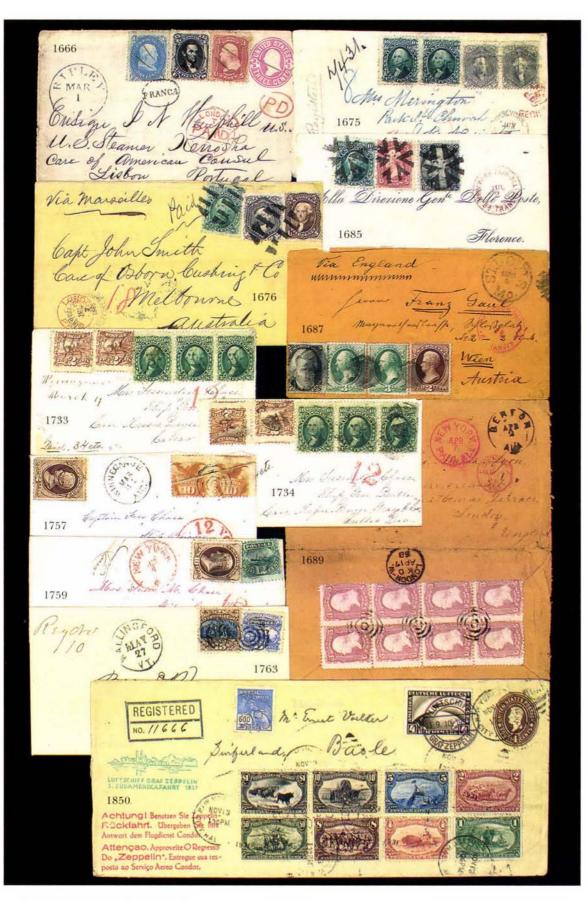




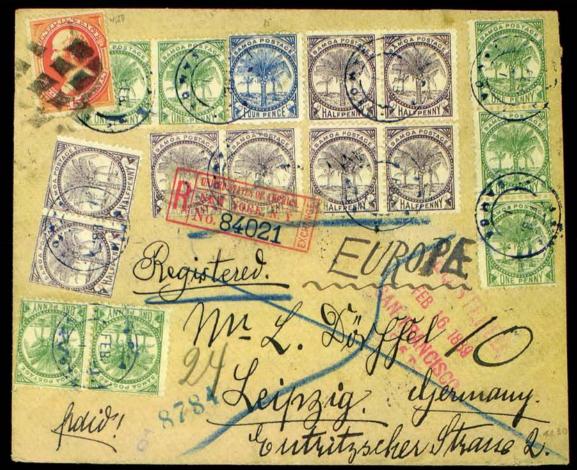
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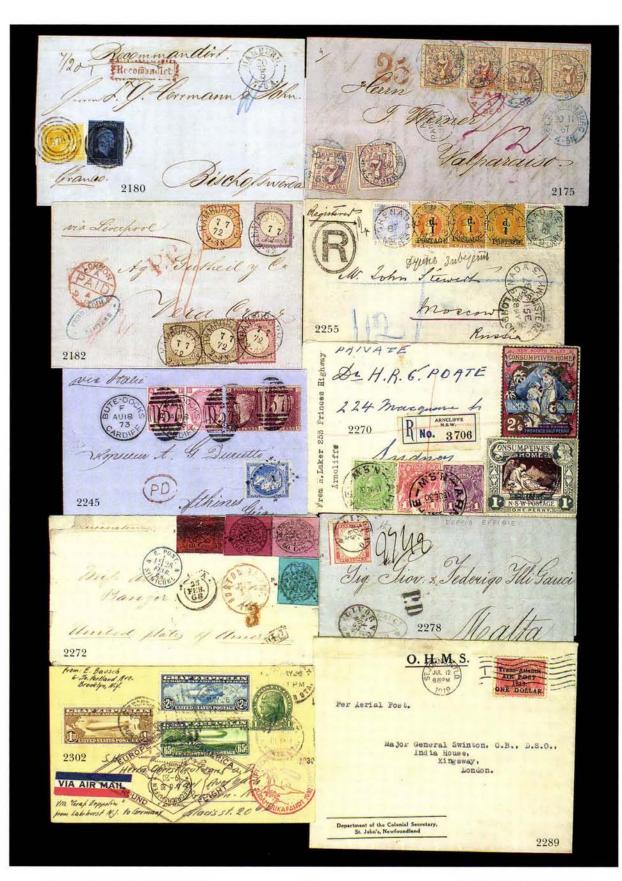














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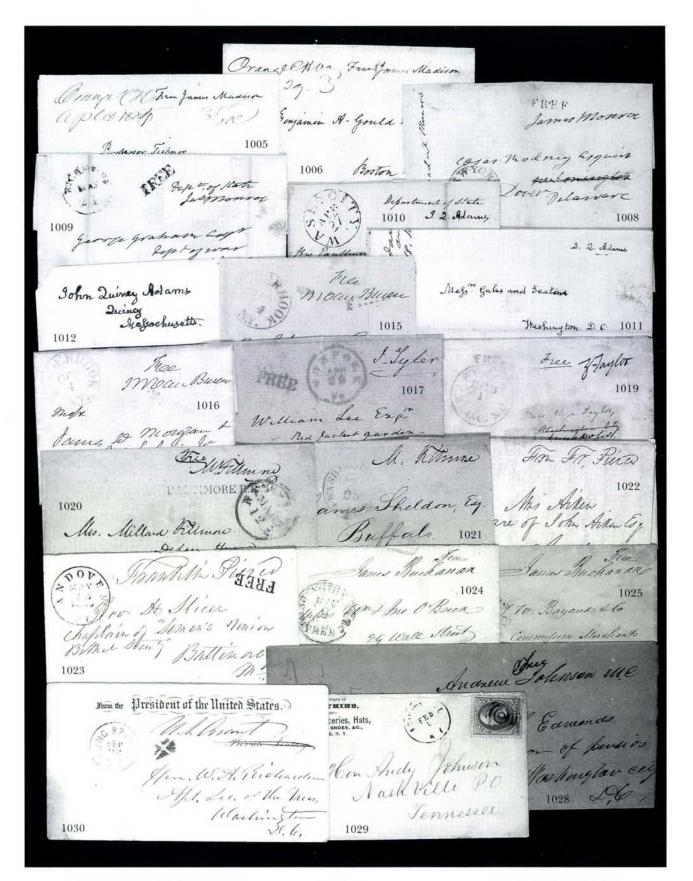
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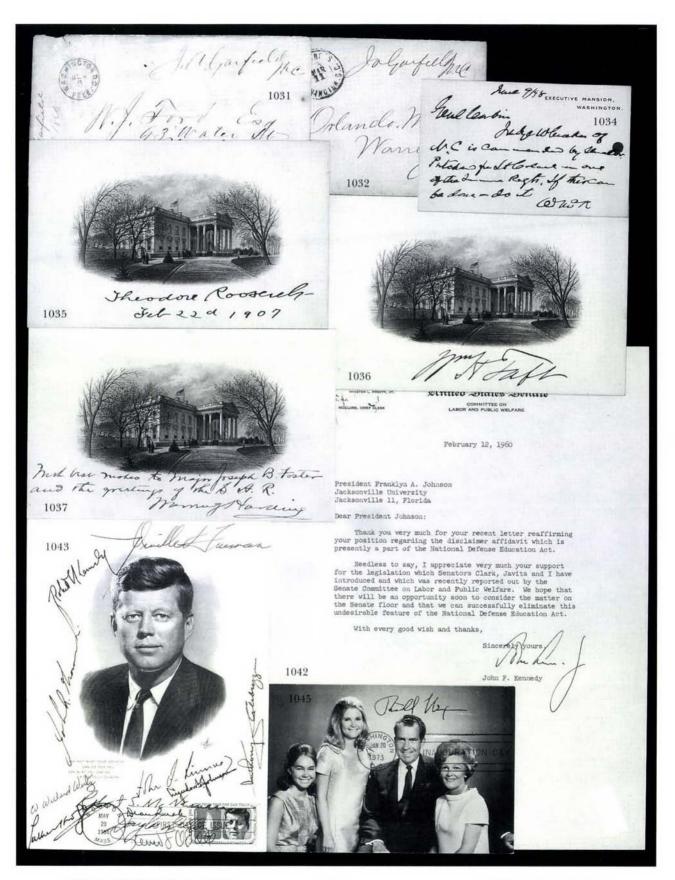
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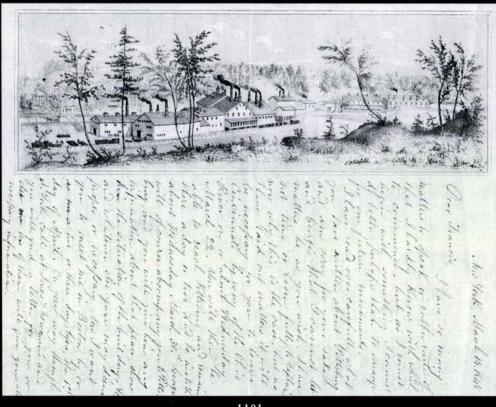


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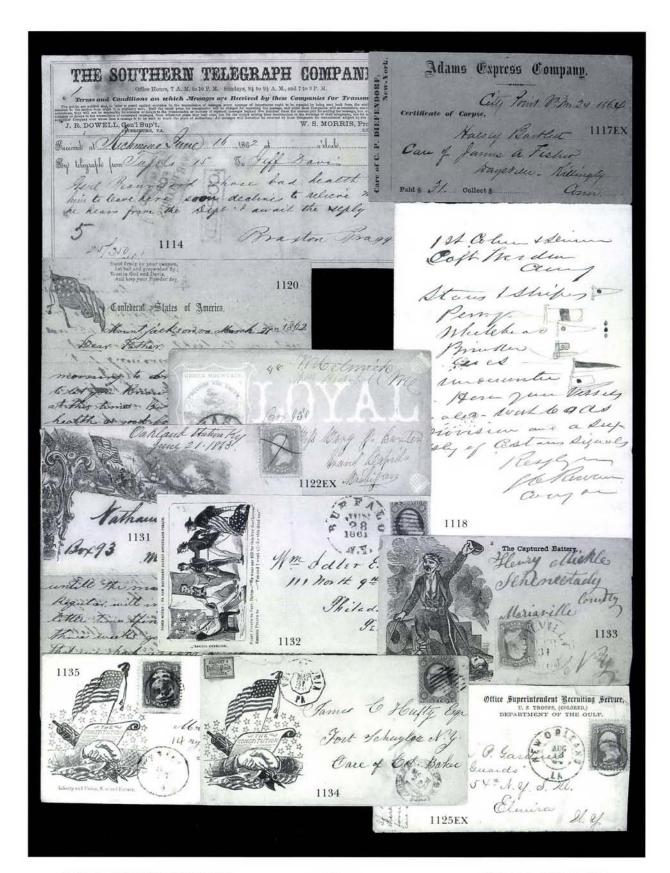


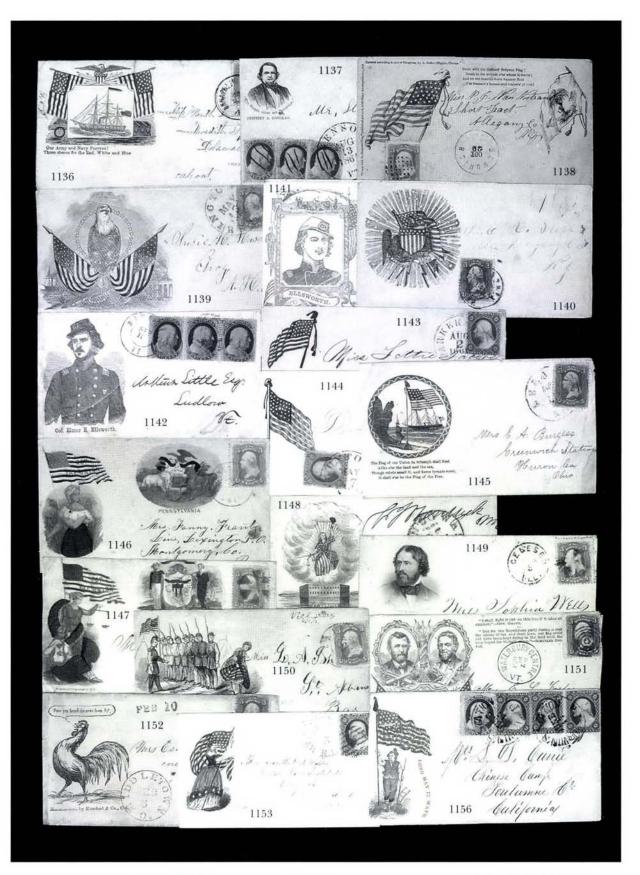
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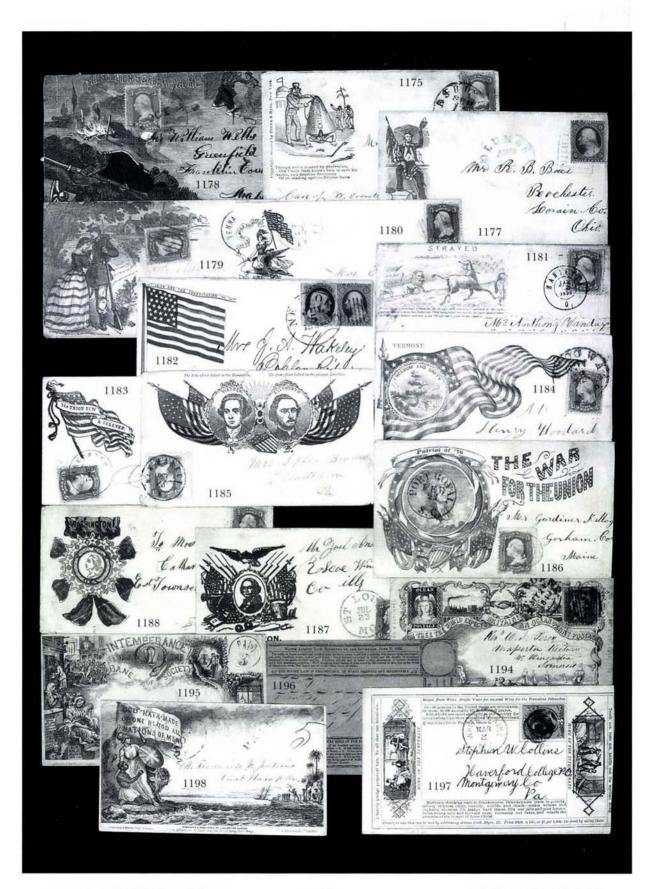
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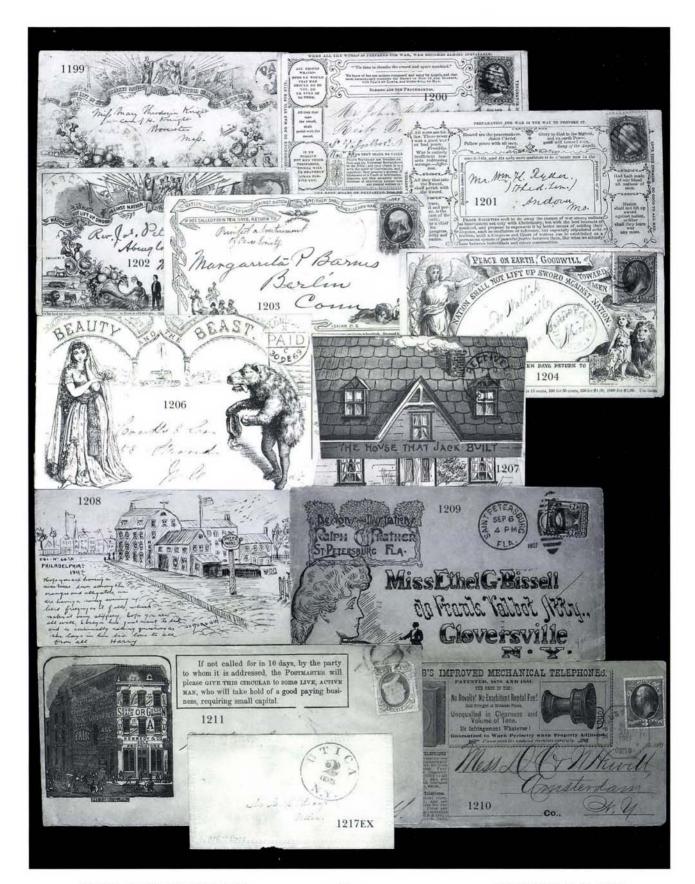


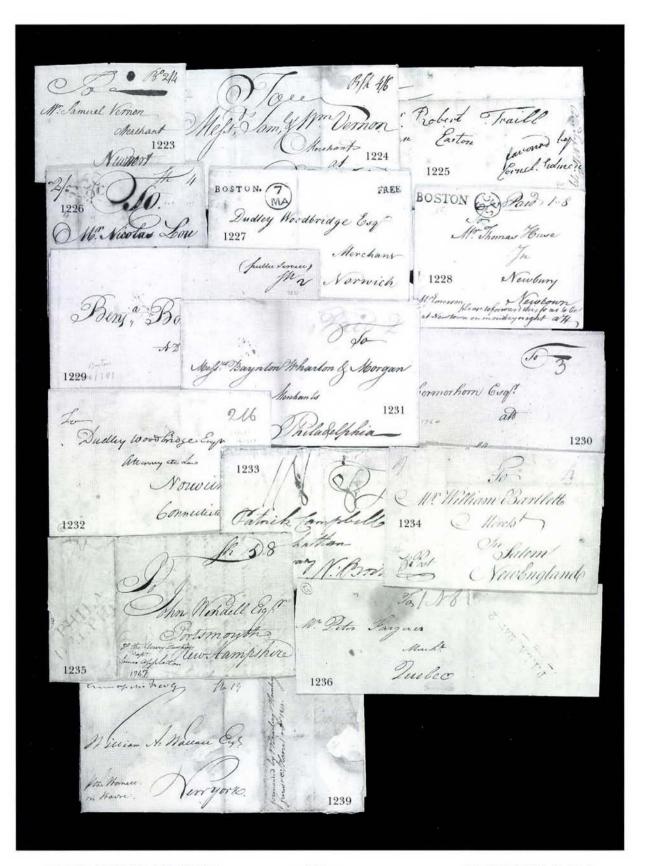


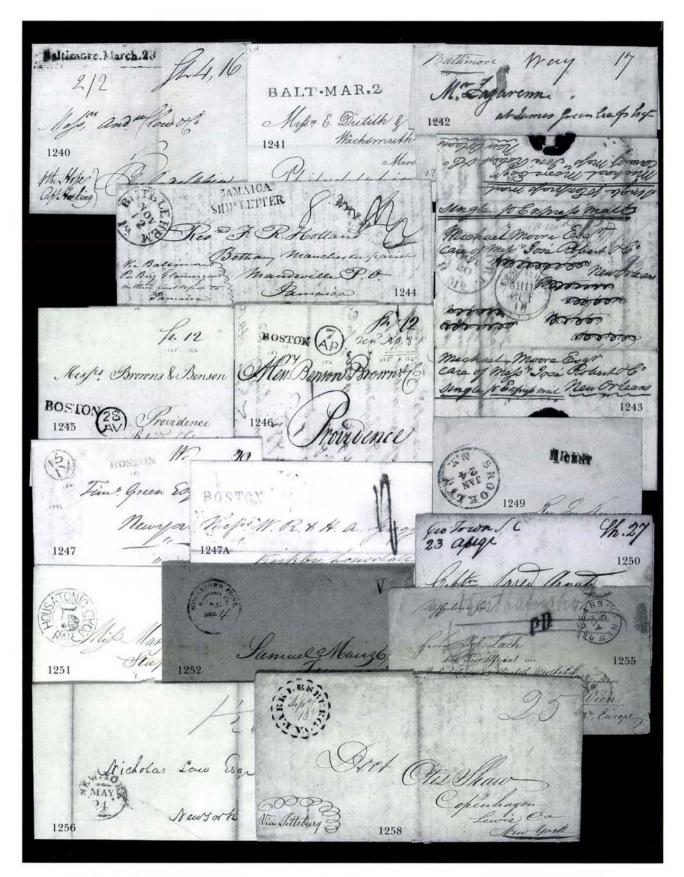




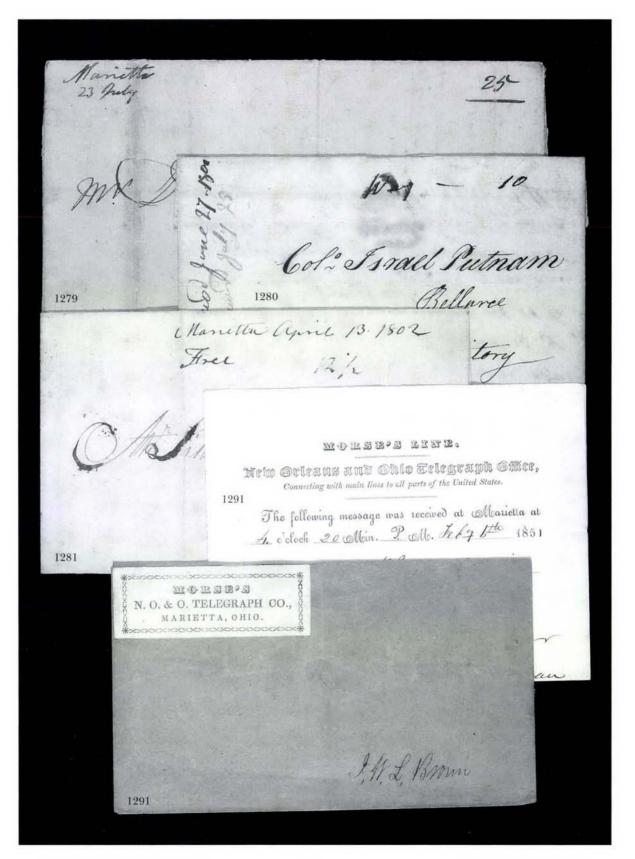


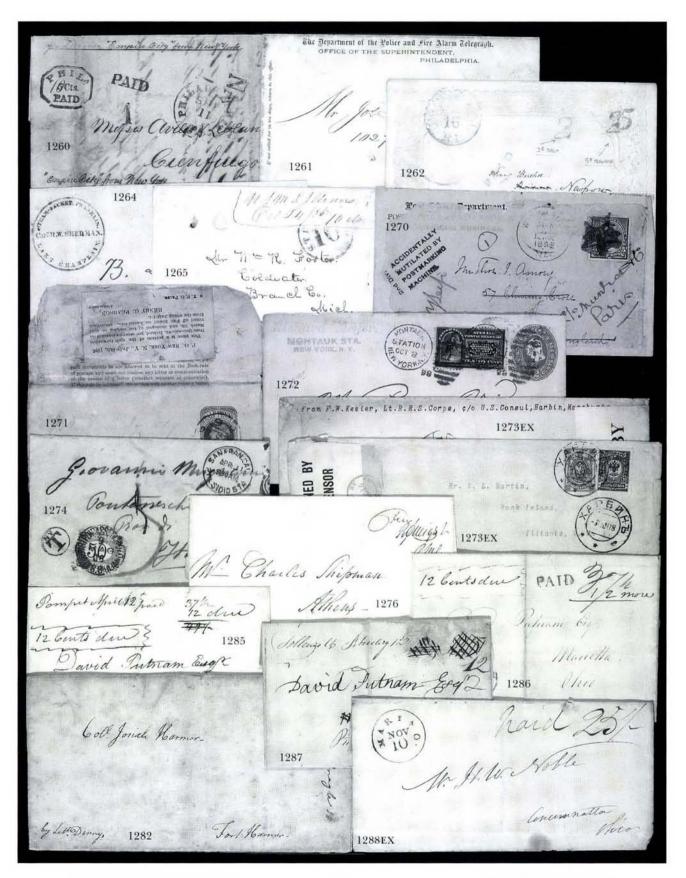




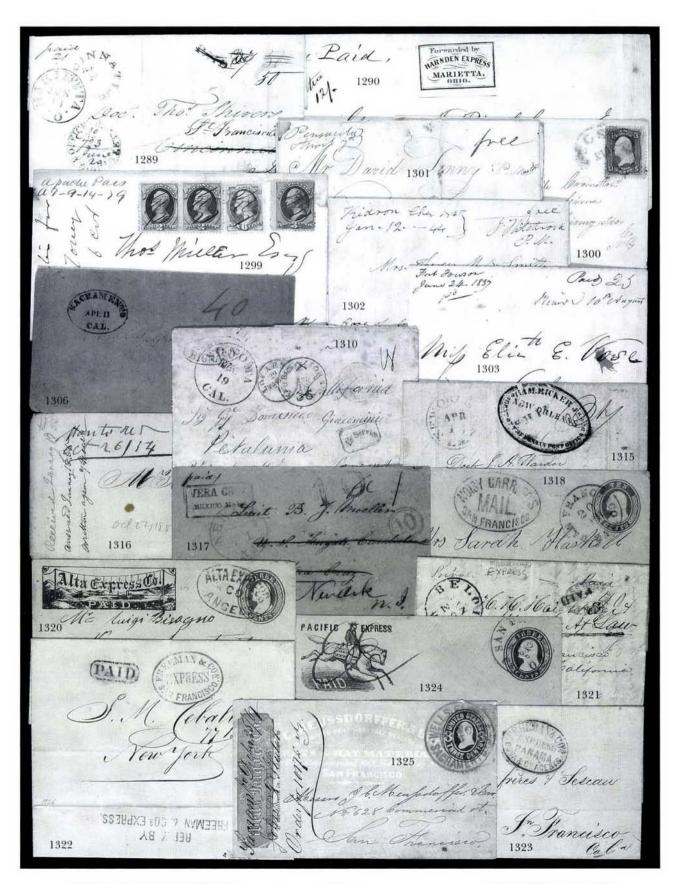


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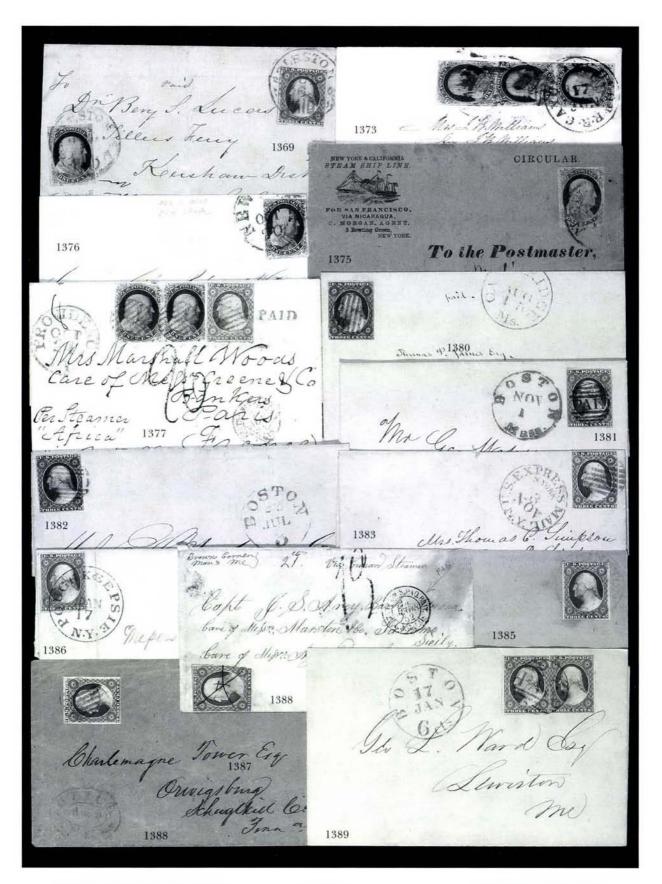






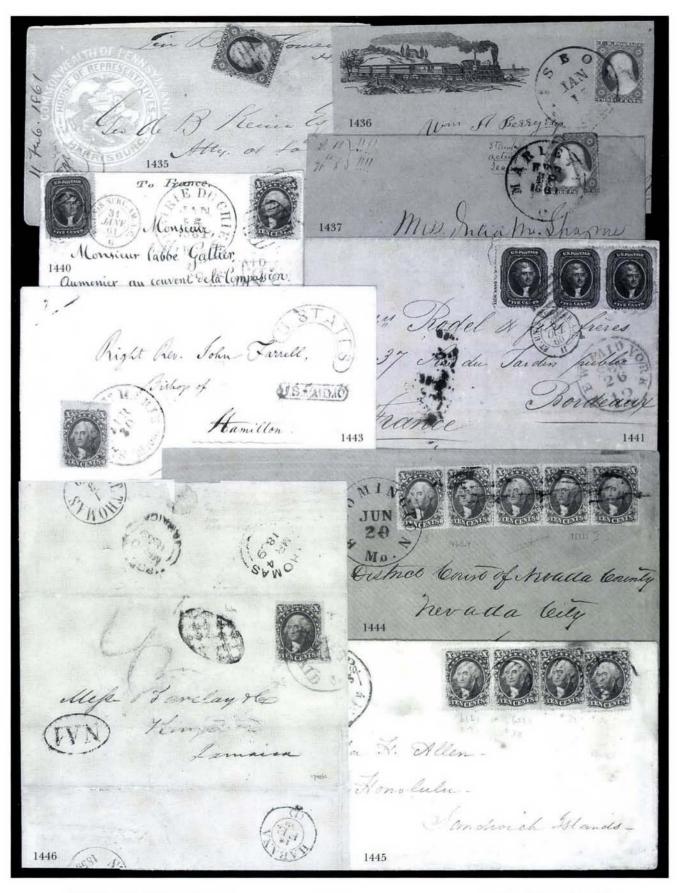




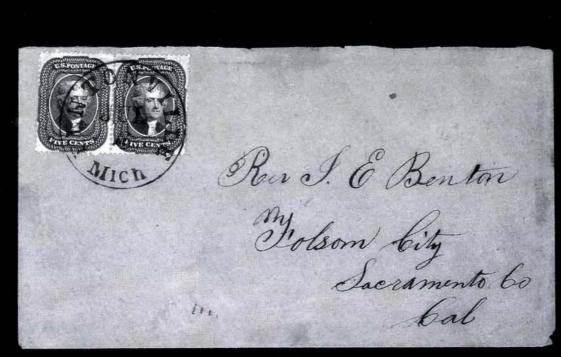






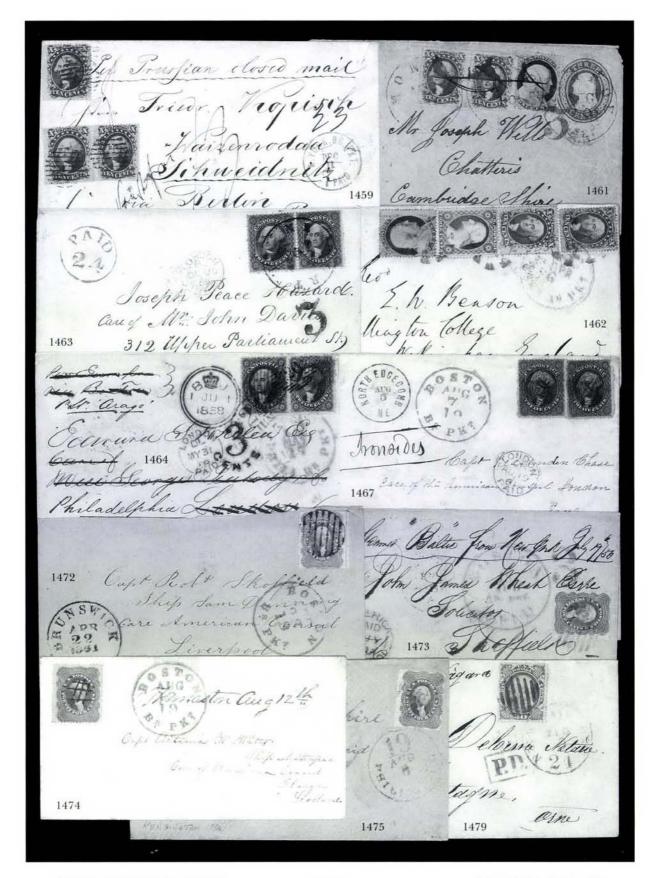




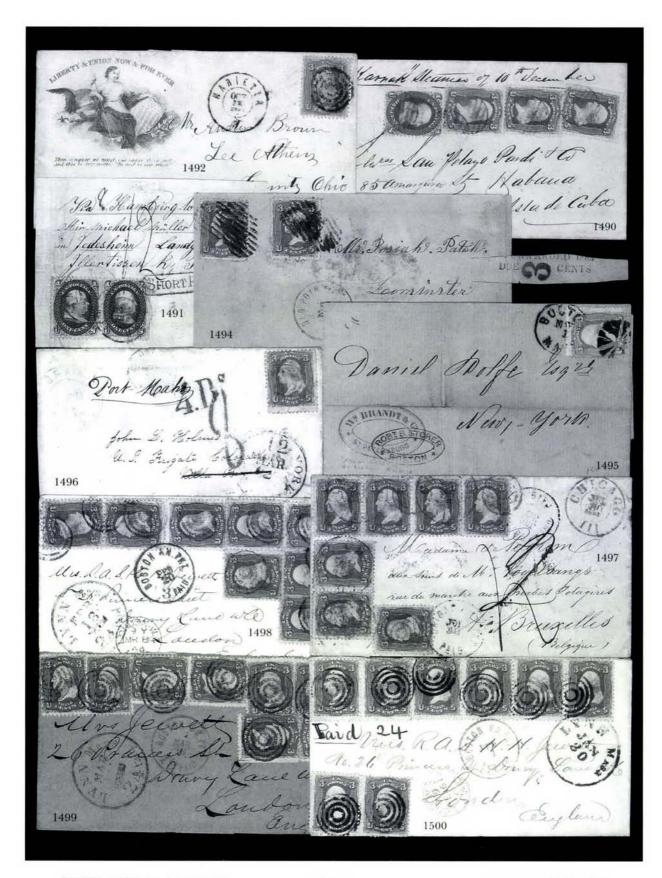


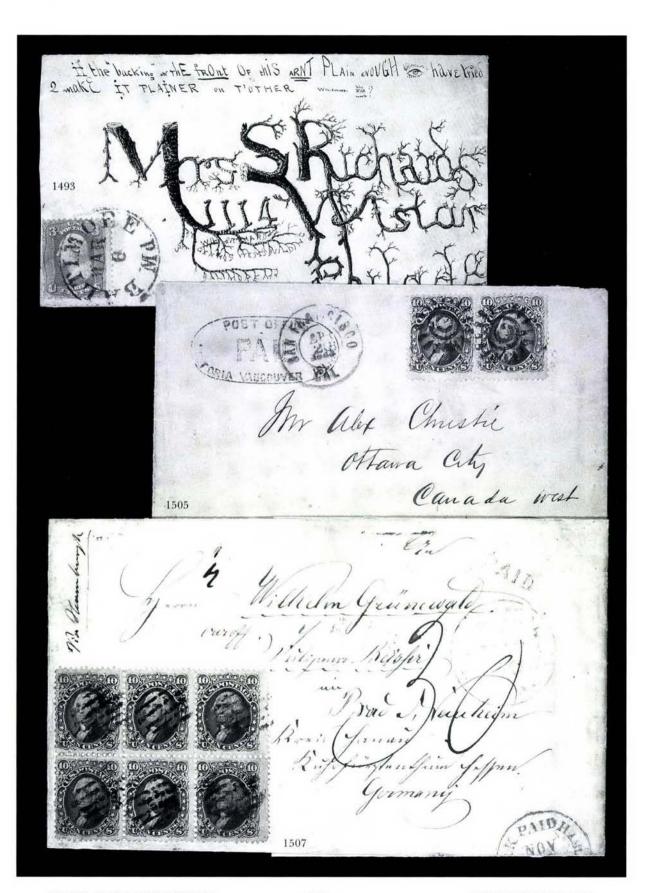
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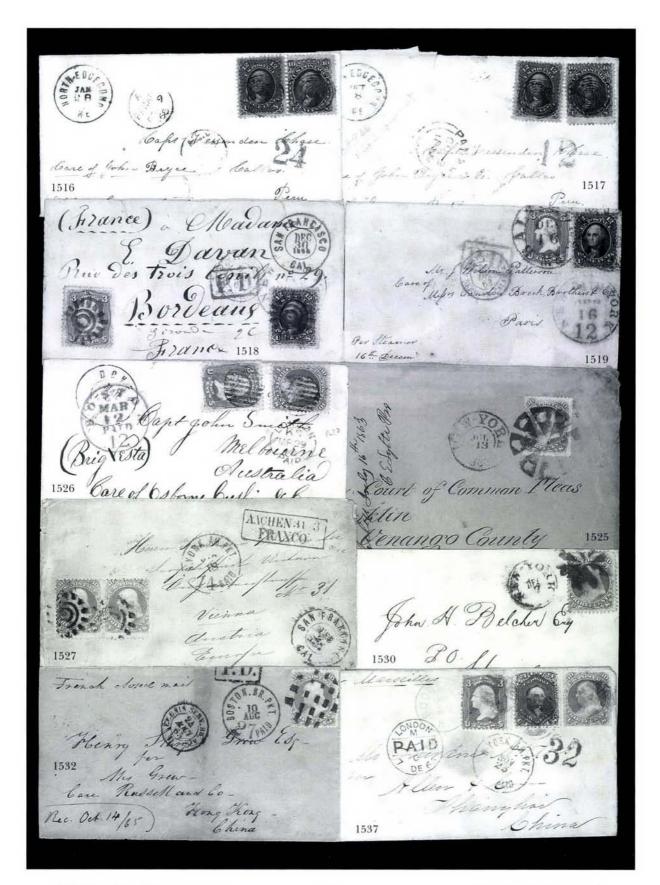








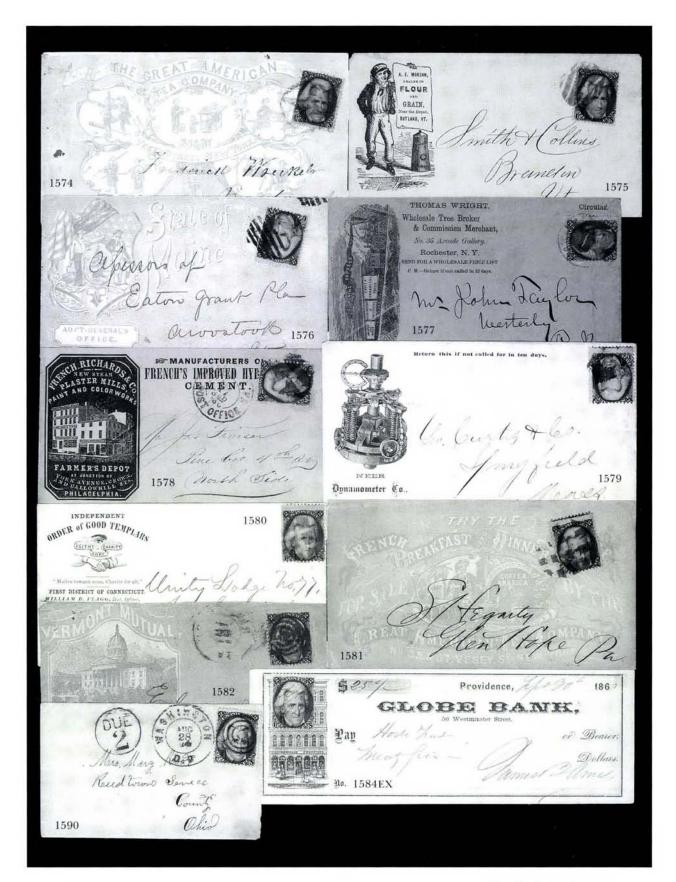






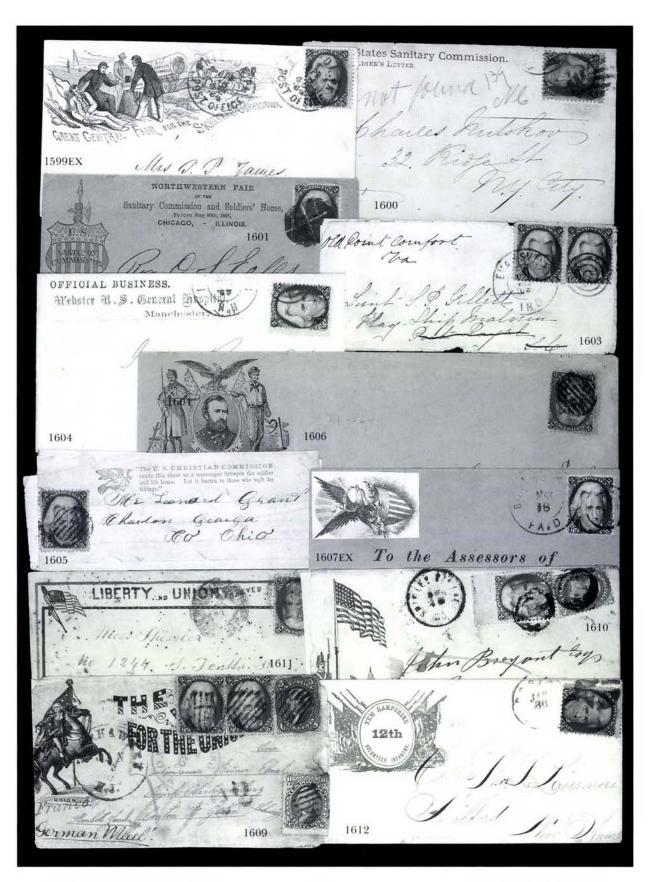


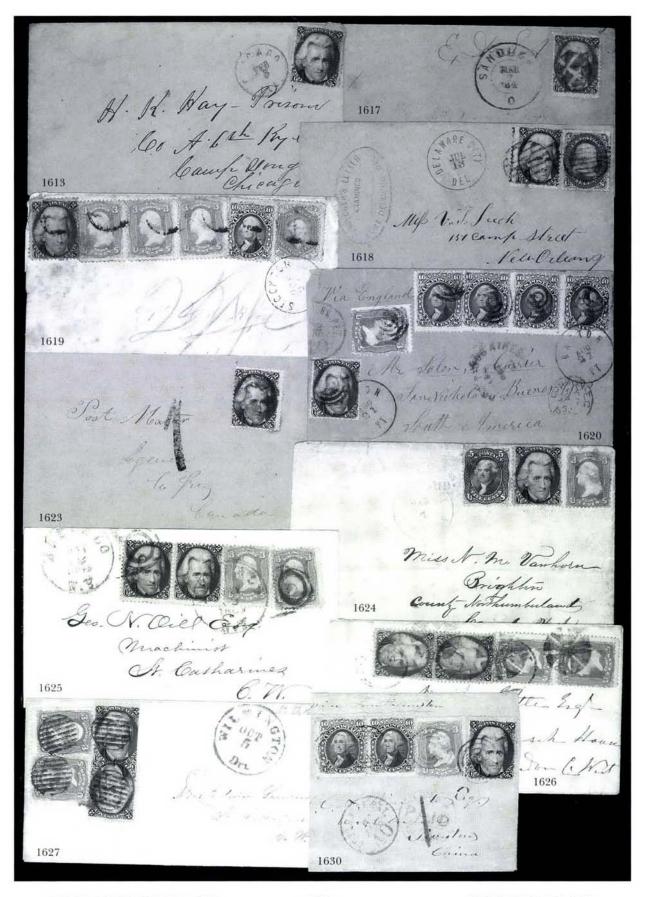










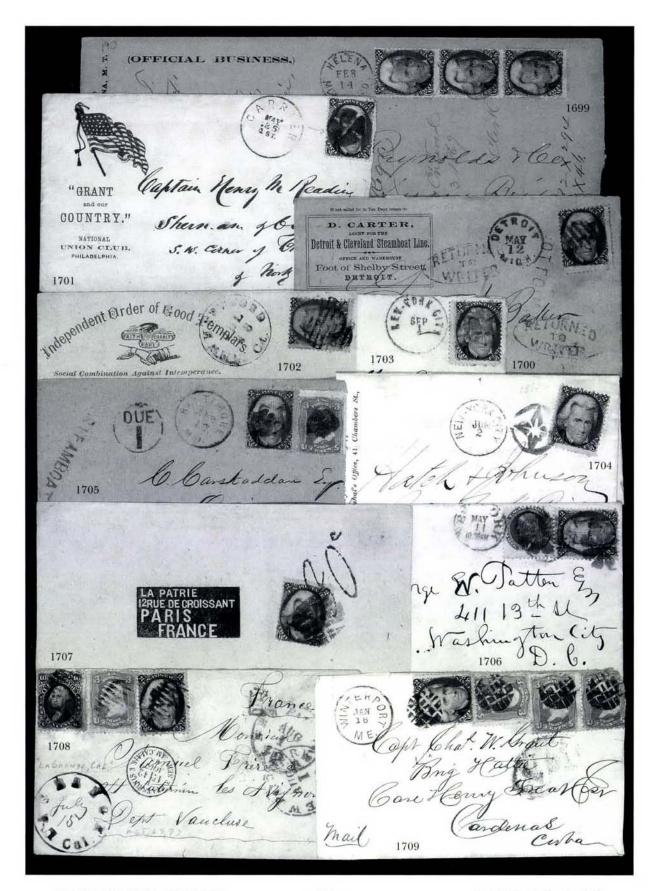










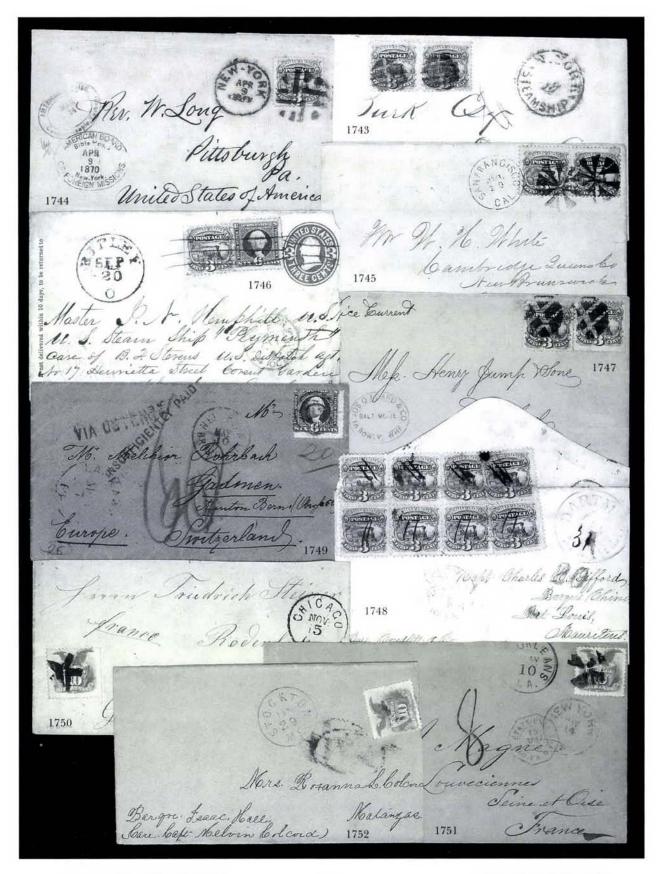




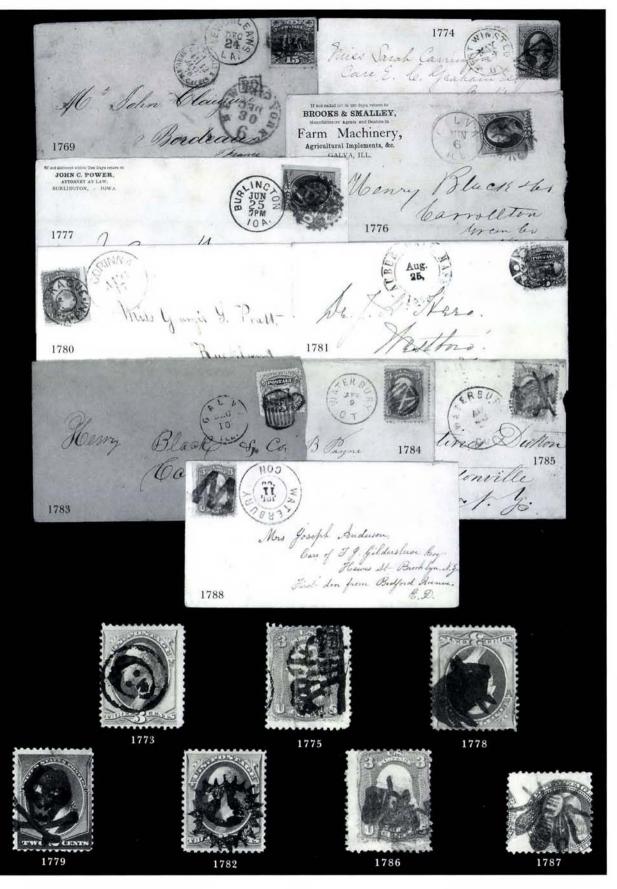


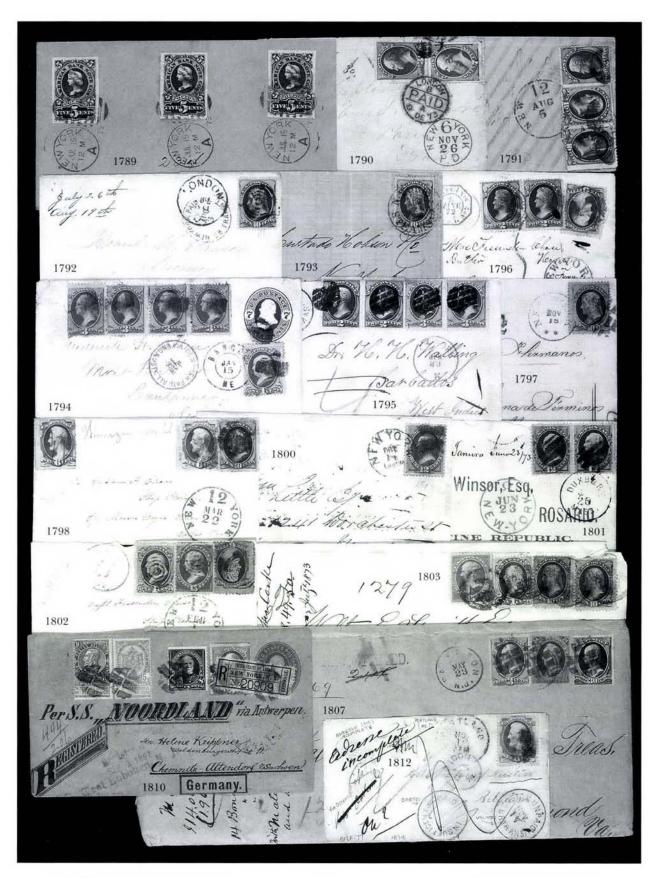


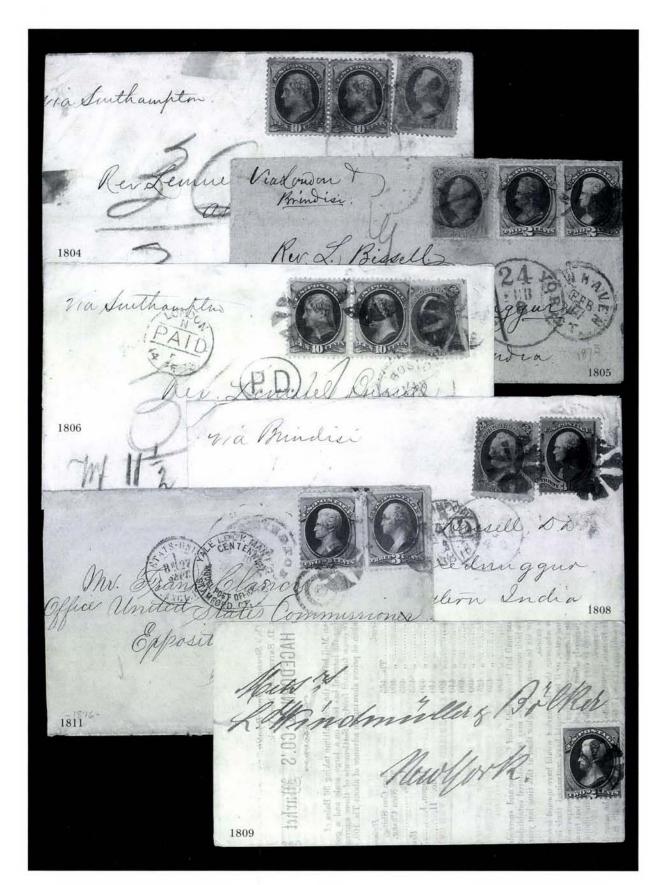


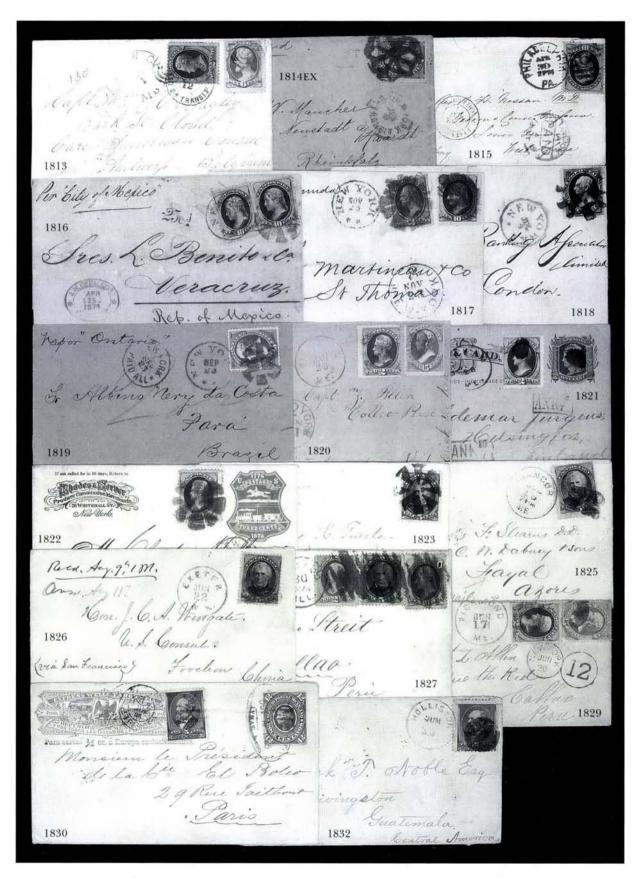


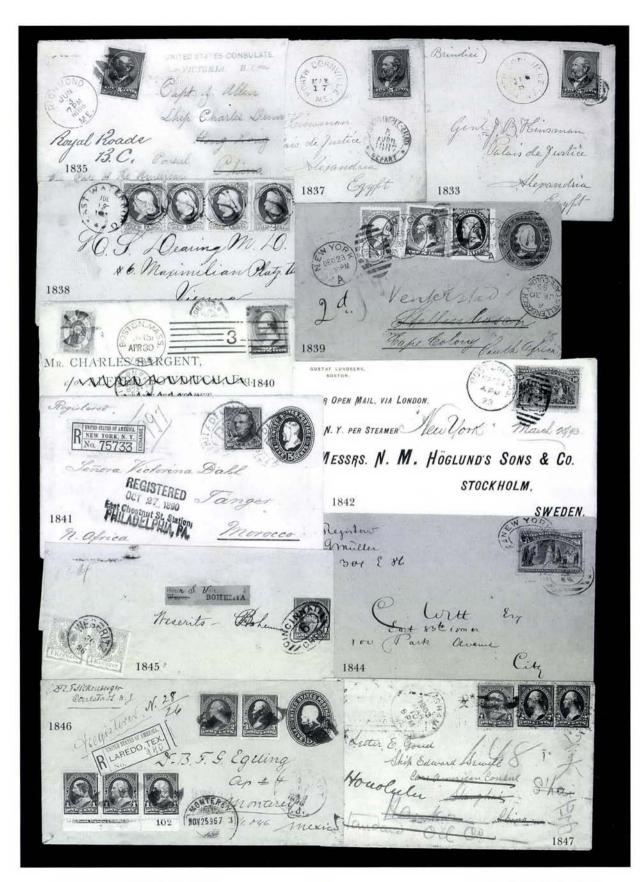


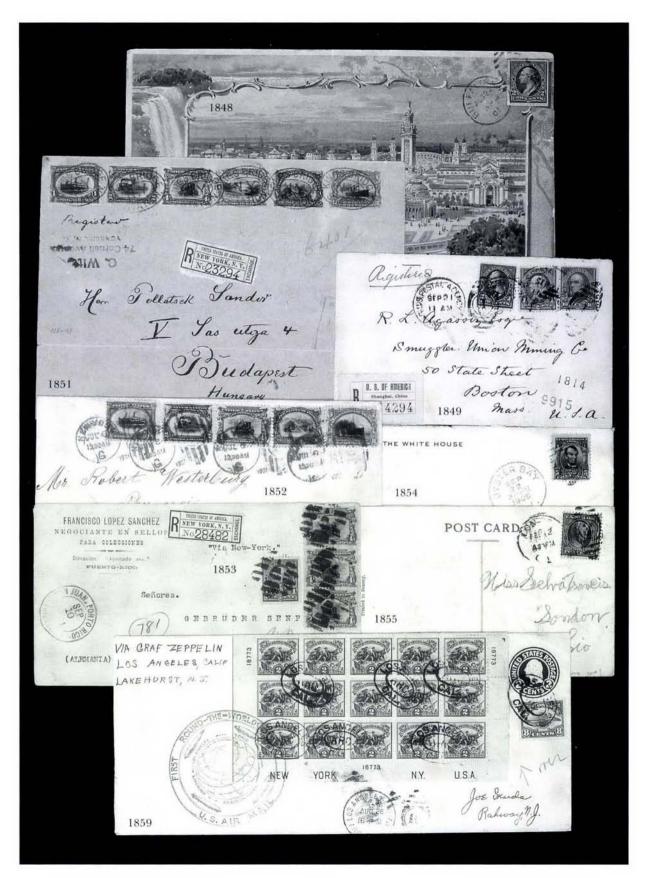


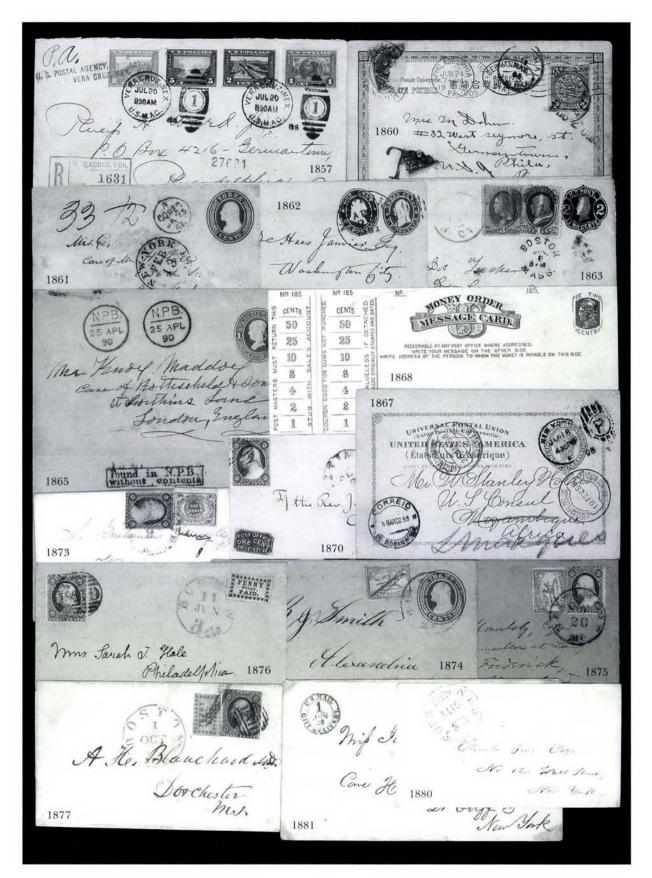






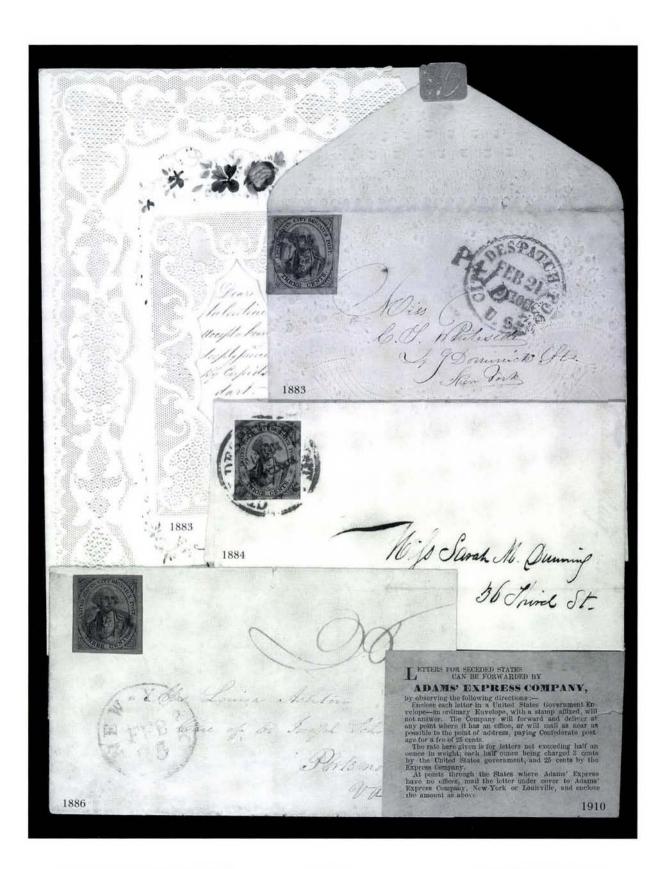




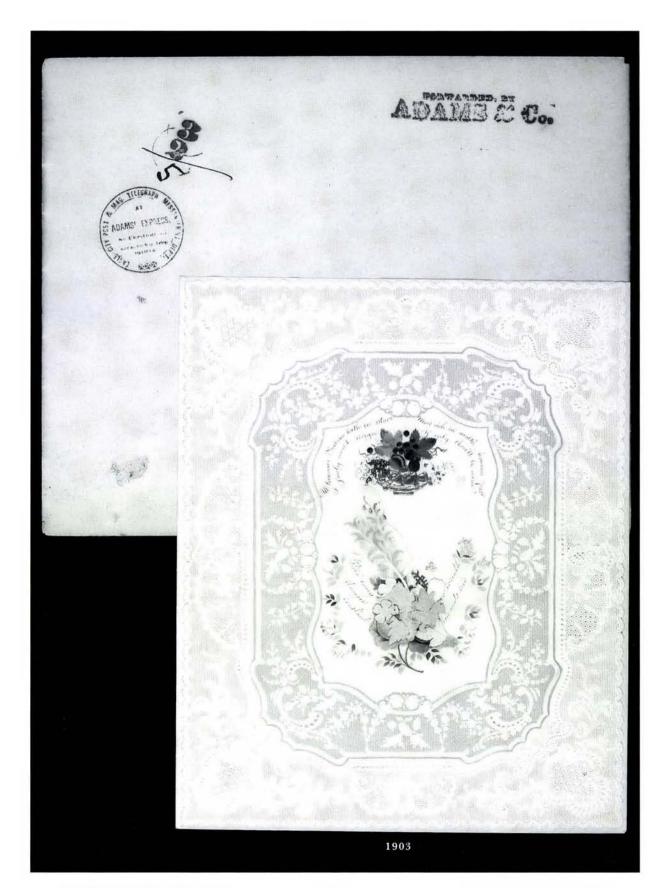


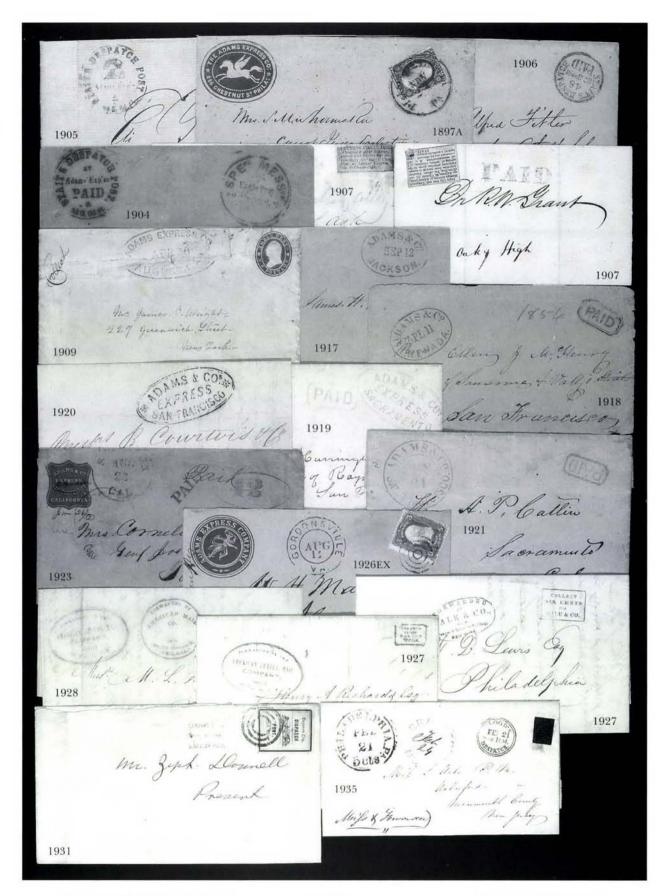


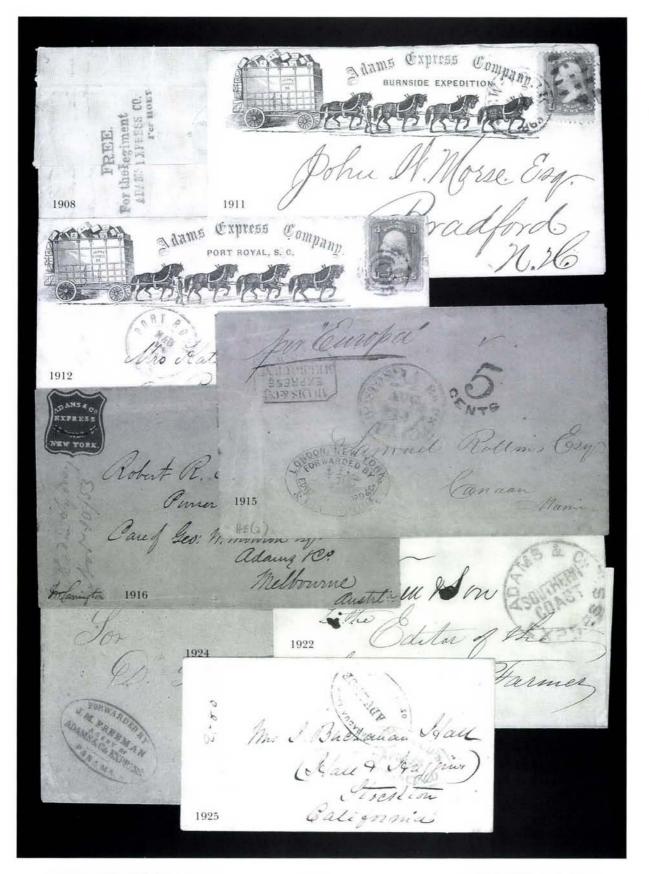


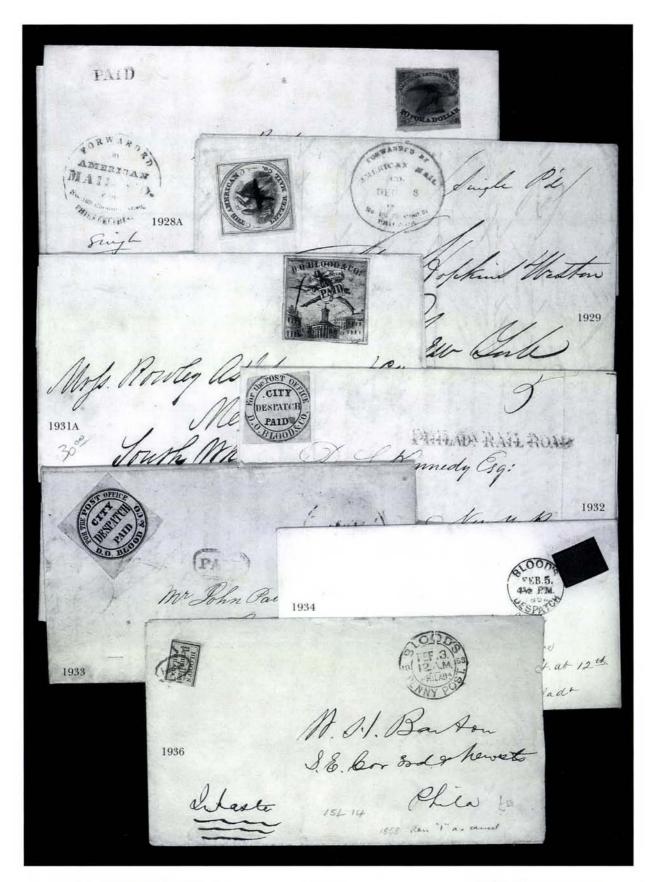




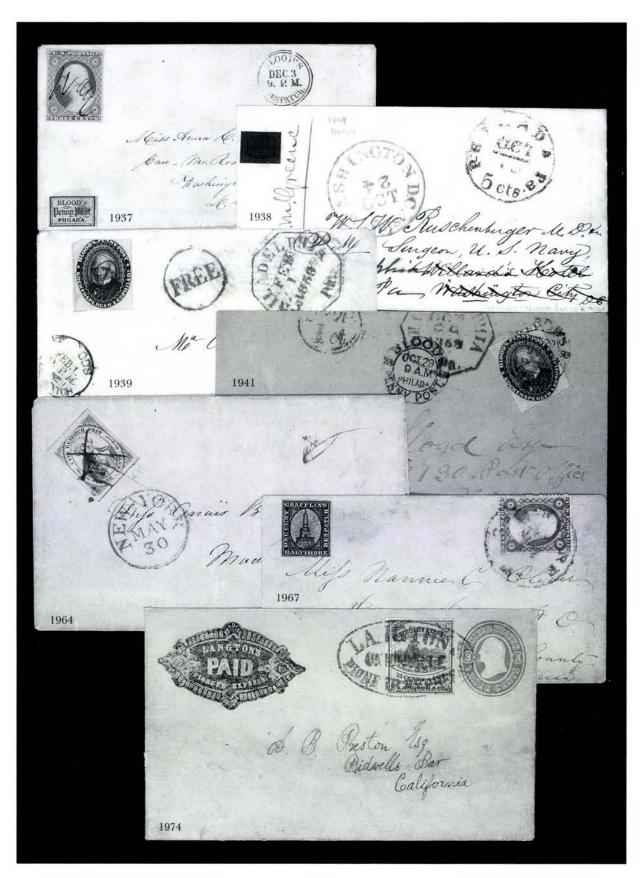








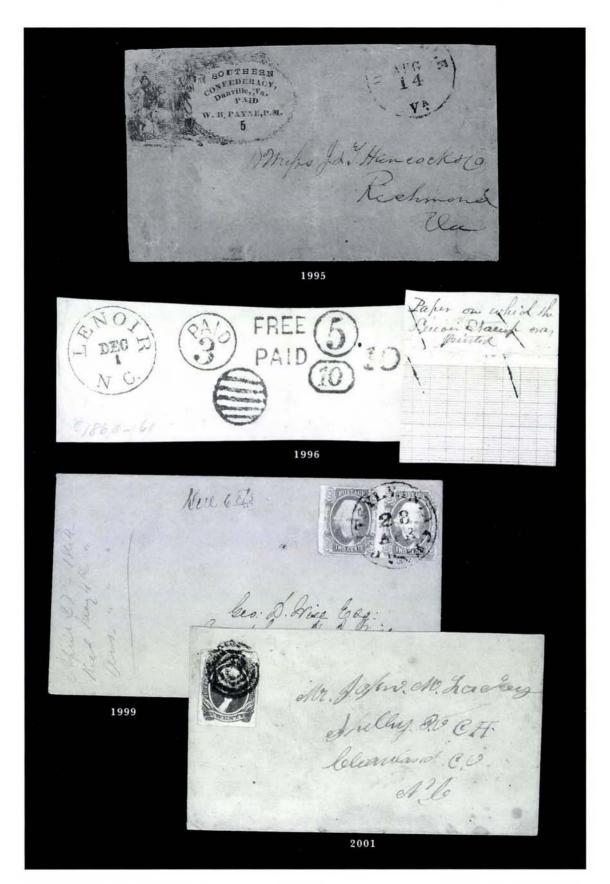
















### HONOLULU, JULY 24, 1858.

BUSINESS CARDS.

The Northern Assurance Company, (Estab-POR FIRE AND LIFE ASSURANCE AT HOME AND

CAPITAL £1,259,760 STERLING.

The undersigned has been appointed AGENT for the Sandwick stands. 71f HOBERT CHESTIFIC JANION, at Honolulu.

HOTELS &C.

COMMERCIAL HOTEL.



HENRY MACFARLANE begs to acquain its fraude and gentlemen arriving in Homalita, that his hotel will be found to pease avery requisite seconmodation. Where of Billiard Takes and Borter of superior quality, Ester Salts. Corner of Bertanis and Noumas streets, and only 18, 1850, 1919.

### NATIONAL HOTEL

# Corner of Nuuanu and Hotel streets.

OF THE UNBERGORE, Proprieter of the above establishment, would inform his ricends and the public, that with his stender stock of the hest bade of Wires and Liquers, new Billiard saloon, Bowling Alleys, and restlemently attendant, nothing is left wanting for their country and muse ment.

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# HOTEL De FRANCE,-French Hotel,

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## FOREIGN NEWS

By the arrived of the clipper bark Fanny Major, Capt. Paty, is 15 days from San Francisco, we received the Larged States and European mails; the

From the foreign journals at hand we quote and condense the following.

# War Debate in the Senate-

days, the Sengie was singularly unanimous on sin-point that the British aggressions upon our com-merce should be stopped, now and forever. Mr. Mason cited bath English and American authori-ties to show that no armed ship of any nation has

the right to stop, visit, or board, for any purpose.

Mr. Mallery proposed an amendment that the
American people cannot permit such aggressions,

iniquitous traffic which the civilized world would see suppressed, and our laws and treaties promise our co-operation to effect its suppression. But the rights of American scamen are a subject of the rights of American scambus are a success of paramount importance, and must be maintained first of all. The country went to war with Great Britain in 1812, to maintain them, and would not

Britain in 1812, to maintain them, and would not hesitate, if necessary, to do so again. While there is no doubt that our government will take prompt and decided action to put an and former to June 5th, New York; the latter May will take prompt and decisied action to put an innu former to June 5th, New York; the latter May to these interruptions of car lawful commerce, it will also use its best endeavors to suppress the slave trade, for it is well known that it is carried on principally under the American flag. But un-der the Webster-Ashburton Treaty of 1842, great Wer Debate in the Seants.

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The War Debate in the Senate lasted several days, the Senate was singularly unanimous on the undefined relations of the various parties to the point that the British suggressions upon our commerce should be stopped under the season of the stopped supersection of the traffic by a major more should be stopped under the season of the stopped supersection, that it is liable to great abuse, and for this reason it has been stoutly resisted by our govern-ment, and particularly by Mr. Webster, in his celment, and particularly by Mr. Webster, in his cel-ebrated negotiations on this point. But he failed to define the precise course which should be fol-lowed, in order to render the force available which and therefore legislate to enable the Executive to was agreed to be kept on the seas for the suppresadopt measures to prevent the continuance of such sion of the slave trade. That force is in constant adopt measures to prevent the continuance of such indignities. But Mr. Mallory eventually withdrew this amendment in favor of one by Mr. Hale, to the effect that the acts of the British are belligerent in character, and should be resisted by all the power of the country. He considered that the acts of the British should be made on probable grounds, is to be a course belli, there can be nothing done by American or British errisers, and both may better be used to the British should be met by acts, and not the precise duty of a master of a vassel, if a position of favor must be determined for the precise duty of a master of a vassel, if a position of favor must be determined for the precise duty of a master of a vassel, if a position of favor must be determined for the source of the slave trade. That force is in constant to the slave trade. That force is in constant to the slave trade on probable grounds, is to be a cause belli, there can be nothing done by American or British errisers, and both may be the power of the slave trade. The slave trade on probable grounds, is to be a cause belli, there can be nothing done by American or British errisers, and both may be the power of the slave trade. The slave trade on probable grounds, is to be a cause belli, there can be nothing done by American or British errisers, and both may be the power of the slave trade. by arguments.

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sink every British cruiser.

Mr. Dougian recommended that the Wabash for example, should be put on the track of the British gambast Suys or Buzzard, follow her up, capture her and laring her to an American port. Then would be time for explanations. If England should arow the cruiser's acts, it then became an international and the superior of the British and the superior because a first superior with the superior of the British was considered in the British was considered to superior with the superior was a superior with the superior was a superior was a superior with the superior was a superior was from question. If she disavows them, it only re-mains for us to say what punishment we shall in-such alleged abuses, others; nor can they rightfully, on account of any

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## Frazer River.

Indian OUTRAGES .- On the 10th June, a party INDIAN OUTRADIS.—On the 10th June, a party of Coghole Indians, numbering some 130, in eight canoes, attacked a camp of miners bound for Frazerriver, from Port Townsend, and succeeded in taking all their provisions, goods, size, as well as destroying their canoes, comp Foster who is well known in these waters, informed us that it occurred shout 10 o'clock at night, whilst all were in camp on Orea Island. The first admonstrator of the Indians being around was a volley fired into the camp-killing an Indian who was with the party of minara

On the application of Mr. Hubbs, the U. S. Inspector at Believue, to Capt. Richards, of H. B. M steamer Plumper, for assistance, two of the boats were immediately provisioned, and sent in pursuit of the Indians who had committed this outrage, but did not succeed in finding them. Mr. Poster was found on the igland by the boats' crews, having been there two days without any-thing to eat, and was taken to Bellingham Bay.

Trade is in a curious condition here. Sometimes the Company's prices are slightly above those of the few traders here, and at others far below them. When flour was \$35 a barrel, large loaves of bread were furnished at the Company's bakery at 25 cents each. Traders in provisions, tinware, cooking utensils, crockery and furniture could do well here now.

The unanimity of opinion in regard to the richness of the diggings is perfectly wonderful. No one coming or writing from there seems to have a doubt on the subject. I saw last night some gold doubt on the subject. I saw last night some gold brought down on the Surprise from Thompson's river. It resembles California gold more than any

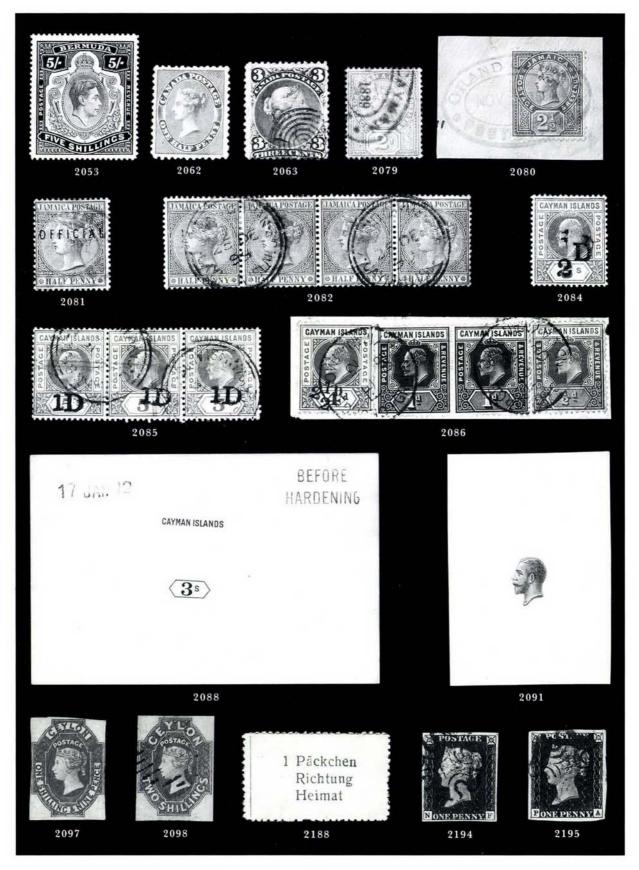
I have seen yet. Up to the 25th June, 1,000 miners' licenses had been issued here, and three hundred at Fort Langley. This is a remarkably small number when compared with the number of immigrants.

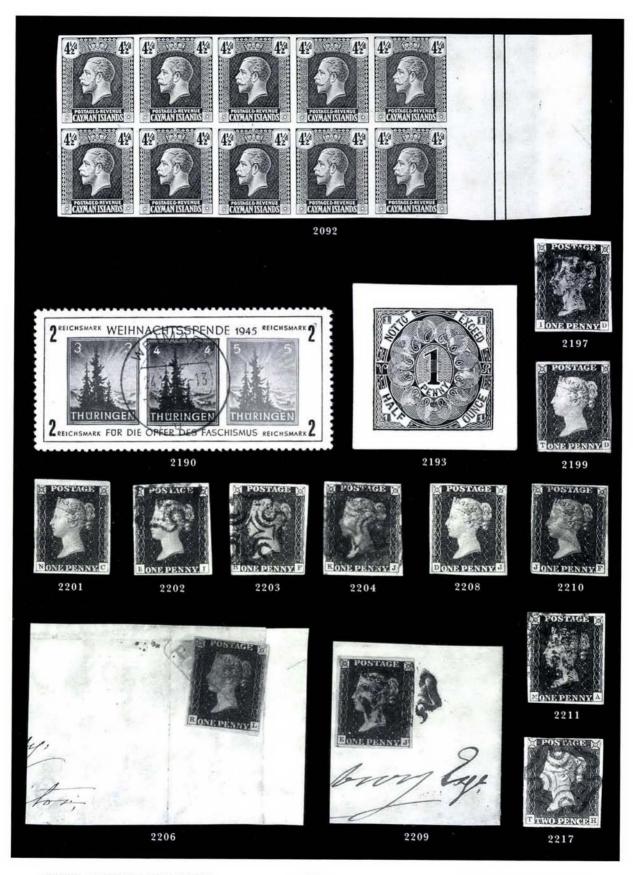
THE PACIFIC RAILROAD .- The Select Comsittee (House) on the Pacific Railroad will not reort during the session, and there is no probability of their agreeing on any bill during the next.

This virtually determines the question during his administration.

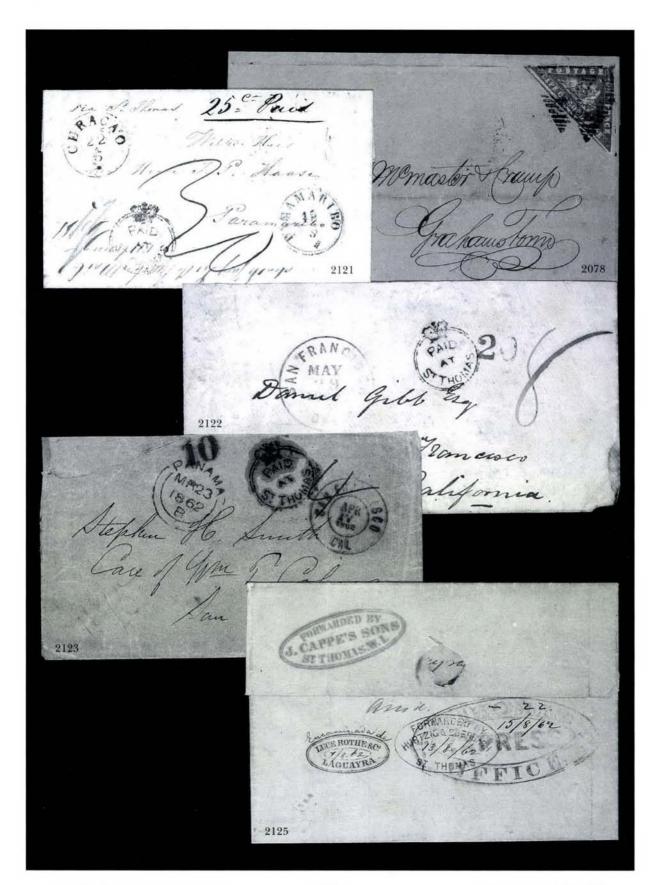
The Committee on Public Lands have reported a bill granting to Nebraska Territory six alternate

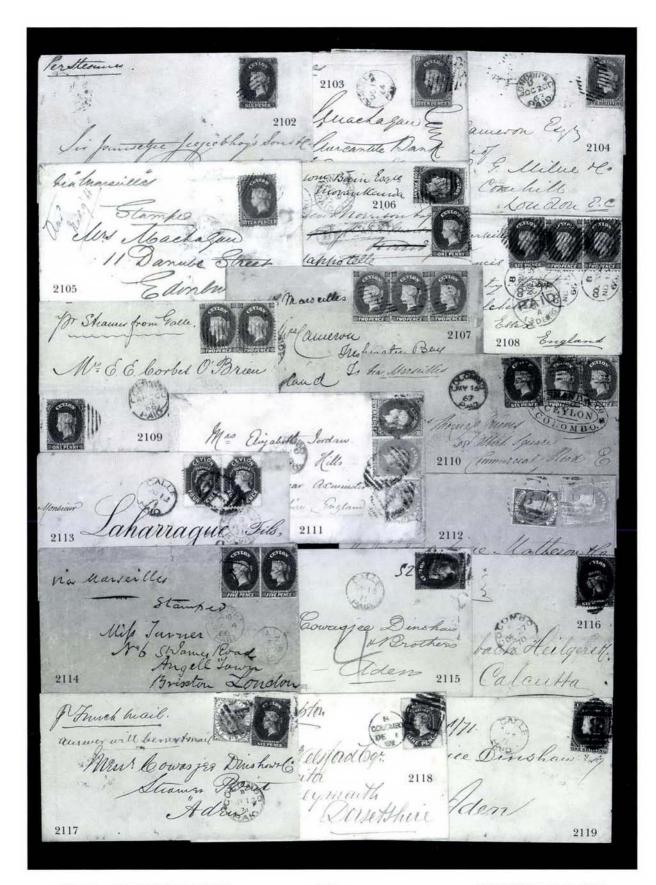




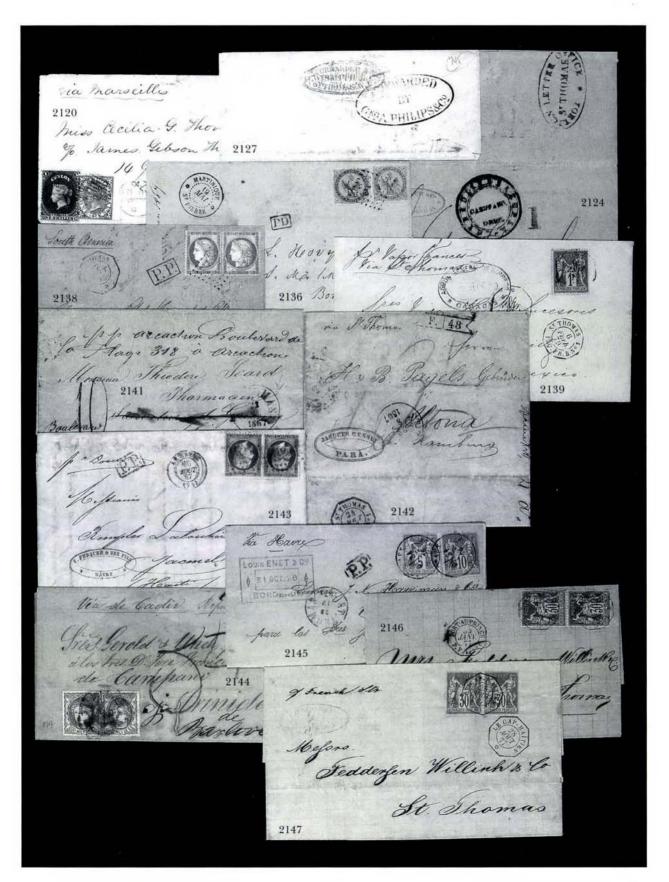


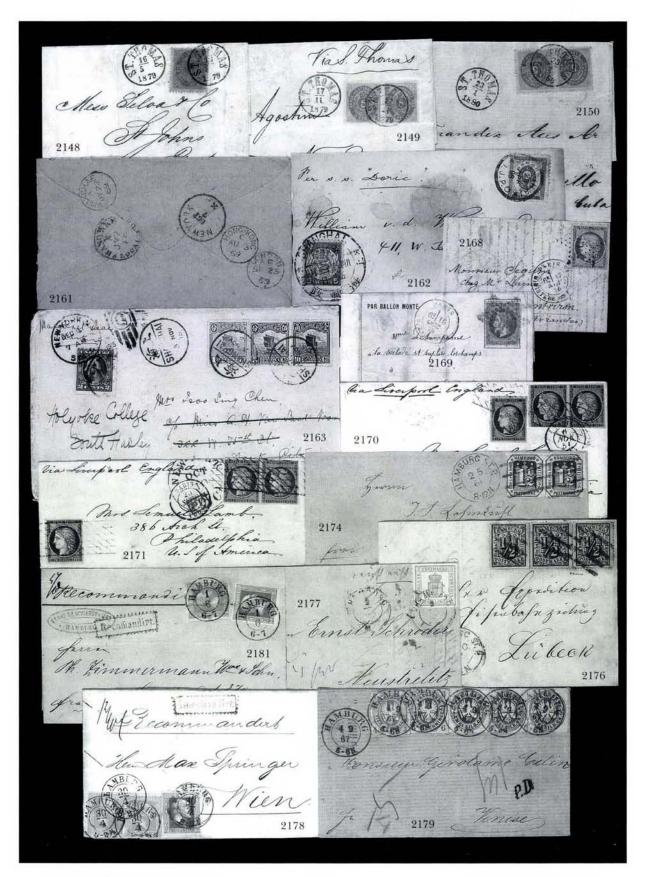


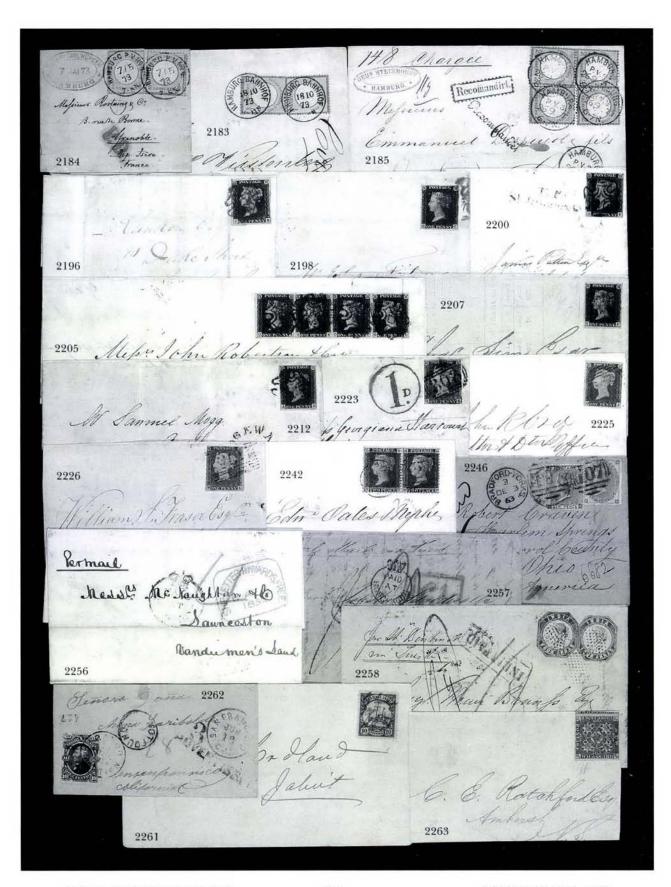




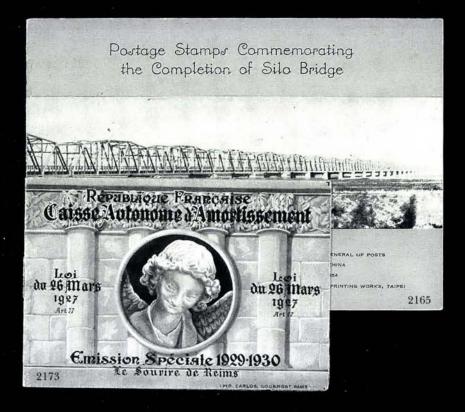


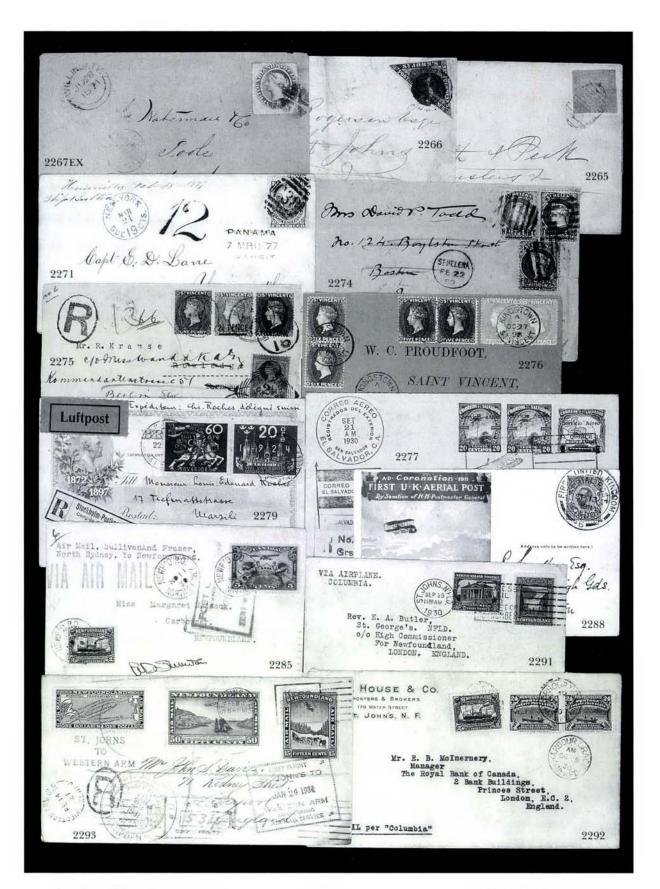


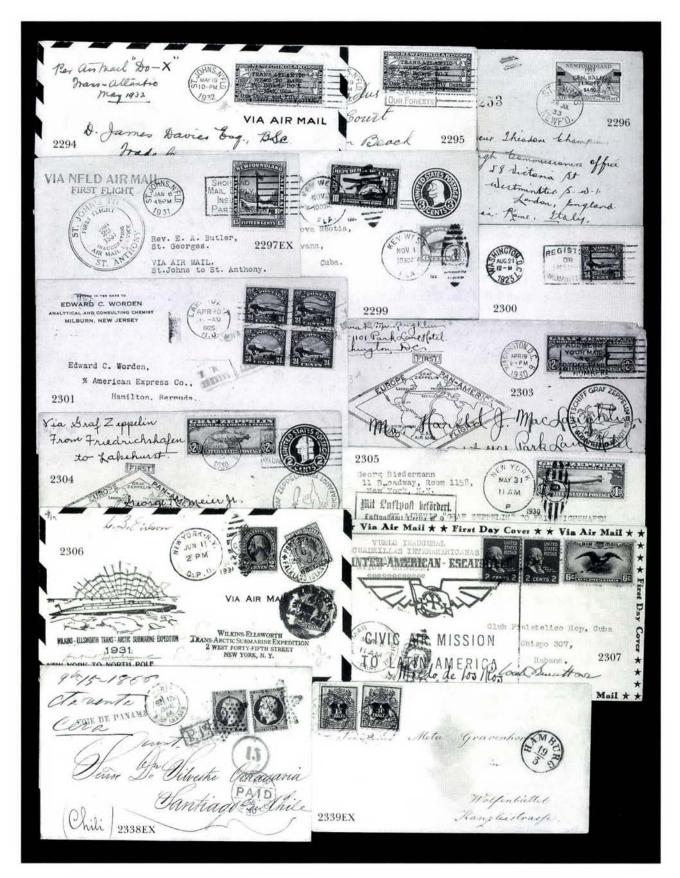












# CONFEDERATE STATES

1995 ⋈ Danville Va., 5c Black on Dark Buff entire (21XU3). Style with "Southern" curved, press-printed illustrated design on cover to Richmond Va., "Danville Va. Aug. 14" (1861) cds, light creasing and wear incl. cover creased and re-folded, still Very Fine, one of the few recorded Danville provisional entires used to prepay postage-others have stamps or stamp remnants—ex Wiseman, with 1997 C.S.A. certificate..... ......(Photo) 5,250.00 Lenoir N.C. Provisional Collateral. Two slips of paper, one has impressions of Lenoir 1996 cds, "Paid 3", "Free", "Paid", "5", two types of "10" and grid in circle handstamps in blue, other is the paper used for provisional with orange lines, some of these artifacts were retained after the war, but they are rare......(Photo) E. 500-750 1997 ⋈ 5c Green, Stone 1 (1). Irregular margins clear to large, tied by blue grid, "Raleigh N.C. Nov. 20" double-circle ds on yellow cover to Richmond, accompanied by No. 7 pair on piece and two questionable CSA items, Fine..... E. 100-150 1998 ⊠ 5c Green (1). Horizontal pair, just touched to large margins, cancelled by light strike of "Richmond Va. Jan. 8, 1863" on cover, some faults incl. missing backflap, appears Fine 1999 ⋈ 2c Brown Red (8). Horizontal pair, slightly irregular margins touching design in places and slightly in at upper right, tied by "Pittsylvania C.H. Va. 28 Apr." cds on blue cover to the care of Gen. H. A. Wise, Adam's Run S.C., ms. "Due 6cts" making up 10c rate, neat 1864 docketing, tiny pinholes at top center, fresh and Very Fine cover, an exceedingly rare multiple of the 2c Engraved, with 1997 P.S.E. certificate calling a corner defect at T.R....(Photo) 3,250.00 10c Blue, Die A (11). Three huge margins, ample at R., bright shade, tied by "Va. 2000 ⊠ C.R.R. Cobham 20 Jul." cds on small cover to Lieut, Col. Alfred L. Reves, Engineer Office, War Dept., Richmond Va., neat 1863 pencil docketing, part of cancel drawn in, still appears Extremely Fine......(Photo) 230.00 2001°⊠ 20c Dark Green (13b). Full margins, intense shade and impression, tied by bold strike of Army of Northern Virginia 4-ring target cancel on salmon-colored homemade cover to Shelby N.C., a small part of the upper right corner of stamp was folded over when cancelled (now folded back), Very Fine, exceedingly rare use of the 20c Green on a field 2002 ⋈ Point Lookout. Large oval examiner's hs on rebacked cover front to Wilkesborough N.C., 3c Rose (65) and 10c Blue, Die B (12), 3c tied by oval and target, both stamps tied by "Richmond Va. Feb. 11" cds, "Point Lookout Md. Jan. 30" cds, Fine appearance, with 1997 C.S.A. certificate ......................(Photo) E. 150-200 Point Lookout. 3c Rose (65), s.e., tied by "Georgetown D.C. Oct. 12 '64" double-circle ds 2003 ₪ and target on cover to prisoner at Point Lookout Md., endorsed "Care of Maj. Brady U.S. Prov. Marsh.", marked "Dead" in pencil and examiner's marking indicates \$1.00 enclosed, Very Fine.....(Photo) E. 100-150 U.S. POSSESSIONS CUBA, 2c Red, Wrapper. Cancelled by bold "Havana/Clase/Cuba" handstamp and 2004 ⋈ addressed to Buenos Aires, Argentina, fresh and Very Fine, the handstamp was modified from a device used during U.S. military domination of the post offices, which ended GUAM, 1899, 2c, 5c, 10c Overprints (2, 5, 8). 5c perfs in, 10c s.e., tied by "Agana Island 2005 ⋈ of Guam Jan. 22, 1902" cds on Inspector of Ordnance cover to Pa., Fine, Scott Retail \$275.00 for 10c on cover ..................................(Photo) E. 100-150

# HAWAIIAN ISLANDS

2006 

Artemas Bishop. 3½pp ALS from the first member of the Bishop family to arrive in Hawaii, datelined "Ewa, April 22d /50" to the Rev. Sereno Bishop in Rochester N.Y., carried per favor of Judge Turrill to San Francisco where red cds (10c integral rate) was applied, good content with mention of California gold rush, other missionaries, and the arrival of daguerreotypes of Mrs. Whitney, minor reinforced splits, Fine . E. 750-1,000

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VERY FINE. THE ONLY RECORDED EXAMPLE OF THIS RARE WELLS, FARGO & COMPANY HONOLULU OFFICE MARKING ON A NEWSPAPER.

Examples from this early period of Wells, Fargo & Co. express service in Hawaii are rare. This newspaper was probably on the top of a bundle carried by Wells, Fargo & Co. from Honolulu to San Francisco. We know of no other example of this usage and its source (from an original new find) has stated that no others were contained in the material discovered.

An important discovery in the field of Hawaiian postal history .. (Photo) E. 4,000-5,000

- 2010 

   1871, 18c Dull Rose (34). Tied by red "Honolulu Hawaii Jul. 22" double-circle ds on registered cover to Waimea, Kauai, matching registry handstamp, purple receiving backstamp, Fine, signed Ashbrook who notes "Rare cover..."...........(Photo) E. 500-750
- 2011 

  1894, 5c Rose Lake (76). Tied by Honolulu duplex on Oct. 1897 cover to Bluefields, Nicaragua, blue cds and oval ds on back, minor wrinkles in stamp, Fine, scarce destination.......................(Photo) E. 100-150

- 2014 

  1884, 10c Black Envelope, Blue Inside (U9). Unused, very slight soiling, Very Fine .....
  (Photo) 550.00
- 2015 

  Soldier's Letters. Six covers from the Beckwith correspondence, all with Honolulu duplexes, two have 1st Regt. N.Y. Infantry corner cards, four have Army Dept. of YMCA Honolulu corner cards, all marked postage due (four with stamps, two with markings only), each opened a bit roughly, otherwise Fine ....................(Photo Ex) E. 400-500

# GROUP LOTS OF U.S. COVERS BY ISSUE

- 2019 

   BLACK JACK COVERS. Box of covers, many mounted on exhibit pages, wide range incl. some foreign destinations such as Canada, Cuba, France and England, some advertising covers, range of markings, rates and usages, some grills, some faults, many are Fine, an interesting group and the basis for a specialized collection..... E. 2,000-3,000
- 2021 

   BANK NOTE COVERS TO FOREIGN DESTINATIONS. 40 covers, range of frankings and destinations incl. Italy, Cuba, England, France, Germany, some forwarded usages, some faults, some appear Fine.................................. E. 500-750
- 2022 

   5c TAYLOR FOREIGN USAGES. 30 covers all franked with the 5c Taylor, range of destinations incl. Ireland, Scotland, England, Mexico, Switzerland, Saxony, Prussia, Spain, Switzerland, Egypt, Italy, Holland, Cuba, two to Syria, various cancels incl. NYFM's, also four covers used within the U.S., some faults, o/w Fine and interesting group...... E. 1,500-2,000
- 2024 

   5c BUREAU COVERS. Collection of 21 covers neatly arranged on exhibition pages, variety of usages and frankings incl. one to England and forwarded to France, other usages to Denmark, Sweden, Switzerland, Germany, few registered usages, most are Nos. 270 or 281, all appear Fine, an interesting group ........................ E. 750-1,000

# GROUP LOTS OF U.S. COVERS BY CATEGORY

- 2025 ARMY POST OFFICES. World War I and II, hundreds of covers incl. good range of different APO's and usages ..... E. 500-750
- 2026 

  COMMEMORATIVE COVERS. Interesting and varied group of 25 covers and a front, incl. 10c Trans-Mississippi (4 covers), 10c Pan-American (6 covers incl. few mixed frankings), Louisiana Purchase incl. complete set on registered cover used with other stamps, No. 404, 1c-5c Lexington-Concord First Days (2), No. 834 photo cachet FDC and C18 (2 covers), a few stamp and/or cover faults, majority Fine-Very Fine, an interesting group ...... E. 2,000-2,500

2030 ⋈ 19TH CENTURY COVERS. 1845-98, seven covers, incl. No. 9X1 used to Vermont; No. 138 on cover to Prussia, few other Bank Note covers incl. No. 153 used with 3c on domestic cover, some faults, few appear Fine ..... E. 400-500 19TH CENTURY COVERS. 14, incl. Nos. 9, 63, Boyd's 20L9, some stampless town 2031 ₪ markings, Banknote ad cover, Fine group ..... E. 100-150 2032 ⋈ COVERS. 19th-20th Century, 48 covers or cards, incl. few Bank Note covers to overseas destinations, Pan-Americans on exposition covers or with expo cancels incl. 8c and 10c registered covers, No. 371 plate block used on registered cover, few advertising, few faults, many are Fine, an interesting group ..... E. 600-800 COVERS, 1851-1930, 27 covers, mostly franked with 19th century 3c stamps, some with 2033 ⋈ better cancellations, also 1c Blood's Penny Post and \$1.30 Graf Zeppelin on cover, generally Fine-Very Fine ..... E. 400-500 19TH CENTURY COVERS. 19 covers, incl. few patriotics (one with No. 35), two Black 2034 ⋈ Jack usages, few Bank Notes, Postal Stationery with few freaks, mixed condition, few are Fine E. 400-500 COVERS. 19th-20th Century, accumulation of various covers, incl. group of approx. 100 2035 ₪ Civil War-related with one patriotic and groups from Union-occupied New Orleans, Key West, New Bern and Kingston N.C., also fifteen covers addressed the Union surgeon L.A. Stimson at various locations, the lot also includes group of advertising covers, Mass. stampless, 2c Bluish on cover, some fancy cancels incl. Chicopee Falls Mass. mask on cover, also some misc. autographs incl. few U.S. Senators, mixed condition, some are Fine, an interesting group .... E. 400-500 2036 ⋈ COVERS. Collection of 45 covers in binder, mostly ads or illustrated corner card covers, wide range of fankings, destinations, etc. mostly from Pennsylvania, few faults, many are Fine-Very Fine E. 400-500 2037 ⋈ COVERS. 19th-20th Century, accumulation of few hundred covers, incl. nice group of 3c 1851-57's, No. 65's, 5c and 8c Columbians used on separate entires, 8c Pan-American used on registered entire, few unusual items such as postally used bisect of 1c Huguenot-Walloon, few Air Mail covers, most are Fine-Very Fine, an interesting group...... E. 300-400 FIVE CARTONS OF COVERS. 1870's-1970's, thousands of covers, incl. fancy cancels or 2038 ⋈ Bank Note issues, mourning covers, WWII military mail, few postal cards, condition varies, still some interesting, also some used stamps...... E. 200-250 2039 ⋈ COVERS. 19th-20th Century, accumulation of 45 covers, most are franked with 2c Columbian (231) on various advertising covers, some faults, many appear Fine..... E. 200-300 2040 ⋈ 19TH CENTURY COVERS. Eight, incl. 5c Trans-Mississippi on corner card cover for Swiss Consulate to Switzerland, another with two 1c and two 4c Trans-Mississipi on registered cover to Georgia, four Spanish American War patriotics, few faults, most appear Fine ..... E. 200-300 COVER ACCUMULATION. 19th-20th Century, box containing several hundred covers, 2041 ≥ wide range of issues and usages, most from 20th Century but few earlier incl. stampless mourning cover with B.F. Stevens backstamp to Mass., No. 26a on cover, poster tube from 1901, mixed condition, some are Fine, an interesting group ...... E. 150-200 COVERS TO FOREIGN DESTINATIONS. 1889-1907, 26 covers, destinations incl. 2042 ⋈ England, Germany, Brazil, France, Argentina and Turkey, few forwarded usages, range of frankings and markings incl. few registered usages, mixed condition, few appear Fine E. 300-400 COVERS TO AND FROM FOREIGN COUNTRIES. Three, incl. two inbound covers 2043 ∞ with Peru and Trinidad frankings (latter handstamped "Paquebot"), 10c Brown (150) tied on Dec. 1874 folded letter to France, Very Fine group...... E. 200-300 2044 ⋈ COVERS TO JAPAN. Three, first bears pair of 3c Bank Notes tied by Maine town cds on cover to Yedo, Japan (with original contents); second bears 10c Bank Note No. 187 tied by "Richmond Mt. May 19" cds to Yokohama; third bears 5c Dark Blue (281) tied by "East Brownfield Me. Mar. 2, 1903" cds to Tokyo, some faults almost Fine. E. 250-350 COVERS TO NICARAGUA. Five, four bear 5c stamps, the last with two 2c and one 1c, 2045 ⋈ all used between 1898-1906, all used from Maine, range of markings, some faults, few 

- 2046 FIRST DAY COVERS. Small box of mostly cacheted FDC's, incl. 2c and 5c Hawaii ovpt., strong in early 1930's, also some Famous Americans, some faults, many are Fine-Very Fine E. 400-500

# INTERMISSION

Refreshments will be served

# GENERAL FOREIGN STAMPS AND COVERS

- 2048 ⋈ ANTIGUA, 1867, 1p Vermilion (3; SG 7). Tied by "A02" oval hs on printed prices current to Nova Scotia, red "Antigua AU 11, 1868" cds, St. Thomas and receiving backstamps, crayon and rating hs, small nick in cover at T.R., Fine......(Photo) E. 100-150
- 2049 

   ANTIGUA, 1872, 6p Blue Green (7; SG 15). Horizontal pair, fresh color, tied by numeral hs on blue 1872 folded cover to London, receiving ds, small nick at T.L. of cover, missing part of T. flap, Very Fine......(Photo) E. 150-200
- 2050 
  AUSTRIA, 1890, 3kr, 5kr Franz Josef (53, 54). Tied by "Intelpost-Congress Wien 24 6
  2-3N 91" U.P.U. Exposition cds on registered imprint cover to Commissioner from
  Peru, minor gum stains, otherwise Fine, rare...............(Photo) E. 400-500
- 2051°⊠ BARBADOS, 1855, (1p) Deep Blue on White Paper (6; SG 10). Ample to large margins, deep shade, tied by "1" oval cancel on blue folded cover to Trinidad, backstamped "Barbadoes Mr 21 1858" and Trinidad receiving cds, ms. "4" rate, without side flaps, Very Fine.................................(Photo) E. 300-400

# BRAZIL

- 2054 

  Sociedade de Navegacao a Vapor/Agencia Na Bahia/Hamburgo-Brazileira. Blue double oval hs perfectly struck on May 20, 1857 folded letter from Bahia to Porto, red "Transatlantico" double-circle backstamp, Porto receiving backstamp, "160" rate, Extremely Fine ...............................(Photo) E. 200-300
- 2055 **□ From Bahia Brazil to Boston.** Stampless wrapper containing hand-written prices current, datelined "Bahia 12th December 1859", wrapper with ms. "4" rate marking and "6" due handstamp, fresh and Very Fine .................................(Photo) E. 200-300

# CANADA

- 2059 

   1851, 3p Red, Laid (1; SG 1). Just touched to large margins, tied by neat target on small mourning cover to Georgeville Canada East, 1851 usage, Montreal cds, St. John's and receiving backstamps, fresh and Fine......(Photo) E. 150-200

2060	⊠	1851, 6p Grayish Purple, Laid (2; SG 2). Margins all around, tied by grid, red "Paid" and "Canada" in arc, matching "Montreal L.C. JY 8, 1853" cds on folded cover to New York, part of address cut out, stamp removed and re-affixed, otherwise Very Fine, SG £1,800
2061		1852, 3p Red, Wove and Thin Papers (4, 4d; SG 5-8). Eight singles and one pair, margins to in on some, tiny flaws in some, otherwise Fine-Very Fine lot, SG £1,600 1,800.00
2062	*	1858, 1/2p Rose (11; SG 25). Unused (no gum), well-centered for this issue, Very Fine, SG £1,500(Photo) 1,900.00
2063		1868, 3c Bright Red, Laid (33; SG 58a). Neat blue target cancel, nibbed perf tip and tiny corner perf crease, otherwise Very Good, SG £300
2064		1897, ½c-\$5.00 Jubilee (50-54, 56-65; SG 121-122, 125-127, 130-134, 136-140). Used, several with small faults, mostly very trivial, otherwise Fine-Very Fine, SG £2,400
2065	*	1912-25, 1c-\$1.00 Admirals (104-122). Few with glazed o.g., otherwise a Fine-Very Fine
2066	⋆⊞	1912-25, 1c-\$1.00 Admirals (104-122). Blocks of four, one 1c and one 8c stamp are hinged, some Mint N.H., some with glazed gum, Fine-Very Fine set
2067	*	1912-24, 1c-3c Admiral Coils (123-134). Accumulation of 153 unused stamps, incl. pairs, strips, a few have faults, but most are Fine-Very Fine
2068	**	1924, 2c Yellow Green, Coil (133; SG 262). Seventeen stamps, incl. two pairs, strip of three and two strips of four, Mint N.H., Very Fine SG £1,105
2069	**	<b>1928-29, 1c-\$1.00 Pictorials (149-159; SG 275-285).</b> 20c hinged, others Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine set, SG £250
2070	*	<b>1928-29, 1c-\$1.00 Pictorials (149-159; SG 275-285).</b> Few with glazed o.g., Fine-Very Fine set, SG £250
2071	°⋆⊞	<b>1930-31, 1c-\$1.00 Geo. V, Views (162-177, SG 288-297, 300-305).</b> Blocks of four, the 50c and \$1.00 with plate no. at R., o.g. or disturbed o.g., h.r., 50c two stamps torn, otherwise a Fine-Very Fine set, SG £852
2072	***	<b>1942, 20c-\$1.00 War Effort (260-262; SG 386-388).</b> Blocks of four, Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine, SG £320
2073	**	<b>1946, 8c-\$1.00 Views (268-273; SG 401-406).</b> Plate No. blocks of four, stamps Mint N.H., Very Fine set, SG £220
2074	**	<b>1967, \$1.00 Oilfield (465B; SG 590).</b> 200 plate blocks of four, Mint N.H., pristine and Very Fine, Unitrade C\$10,000
		1949, 50c Logging, Official (O9; SG O169). T.L. corner margin plate no. block of four, three stamps Mint N.H., usual light gum skips, Very Fine, SG £640
2076	**	1949, 50c Logging, Official (O9; SG O169). Ten singles, Mint N.H., usual light gum skips, Very Fine, SG £1,600
2077	**	1949, 50c Logging, Official (O9; SG O169). Three blocks of four, Mint N.H., usual light gum skips, Very Fine, SG £1,920
2078	⊠	CAPE OF GOOD HOPE, 1861, 4p Pale Blue, Woodblock (9a; SG 14b). Pretty color, margins to just in showing part of adjacent stamp at B., tied by hs on blue folded cover to Grahamstown, red "Port Elizabeth MR 9, 1861" backstamp, file folds not affecting stamp, Fine and rare, with 1968 R.P.S. certificate(Photo) E. 1,500-2,000
		CAYMAN ISLANDS
2079		Jamaica, 1889, 2p Green (SG Z3). Neat strike of Ty. I oval hs, clearly showing 1889 year date, fresh and Very Fine, one of only two 2p stamps used in 1889, ex Meredith, Watkin, unlisted in Scott, Stanley Gibbons value(Photo) £ 750.00
2080		Jamaica, 1889, 2½p Dull Purple & Blue (SG Z4). Tied on small piece by complete strike of the Ty. I oval hs dated Nov. 1894, fresh and Very Fine, ex Meredith, Watkins, unlisted in Scott, Stanley Gibbons value(Photo) £ 900.00

Jamaica, 1890, 1/2p Green, Official, Thin Overprint (SG Z14). Light strike of oval Ty. I 2081 hs showing 1891 year date, fresh and Fine, rare, only eleven are recorded used in the Caymans, with copy of 1995 B.P.A. certificate, unlisted in Scott, Stanley Gibbons value (Photo) £ 750.00 2082 Jamaica, 1898, 1/2p Yellow Green (SG Z10). Horizontal strip of four bearing two strikes of Ty. III cancel dated 25 Dec. 1899 (Christmas Day), Fine and rare, believed to be the largest known multiple of the 1/2p with the Ty. III cancel, ex Meredith, unlisted in Scott, 2083 ⋈ 1905, 21/2p Ultramarine (10; SG 10). Tied by "Grand Cayman, Cayman Islands, Feb. 2, 1905" Tv. III cds on cover to Gulfport Miss., various transit and receiving backstamps, some edge wear and reduced at L., the stamp has been lifted and hinged in place to confirm the wmk., still Fine, this is the earliest recorded usage of any value of the 1905 issue......(Photo) E. 100-150 1907, 1/2p on 5sh Vermilion & Green, Double Surcharge (18b; SG 18b). Bright colors, 2084 \* o.g., h.r., clearly showing the doubling of the surcharge, fresh and Very Fine, extremely scarce, with 1995 B.P.A. certificate stating that it is genuine but not mentioning double surcharge, 1996 B.P.A. certificate stating it is a "bounced" impression and 1996 R.P.S. certificate which states that it cannot be classified as a double surcharge, offered "as is", 2085 1907, 1p on 5sh Vermilion & Green (19; SG 19). Horizontal strip of three, fiscally used, cleaned and provided with "Cayman Brac, Cayman Islands" Ty. III cds and trace of red cancel, few perf separations, otherwise appears Fine, with copy of 1995 B.P.A. certificate, offered "as is", SG £675 ................................(Photo) 900.00 1908, 21/2p on 4p Brown & Blue (20; SG 35). Tied with 1/2p and horizontal pair of 1p (8, 2086 9; SG 25, 26) by "Georgetown, Grand Cayman FE 12, 1908" datestamps on small piece, slight toning around a few perfs, some creases not affecting the 21/2p on 4p, Very Fine and rare first day cancel, approx. 20 used examples are known (six with first day cancels), SG £2,250 as used, with copy of 1981 B.P.A. certificate, ex Byl ..... (Photo) E. 500-600 1912, 2sh Name & Duty Die Proof (41P; SG 49P), 92 x 60 mm., blue "17 Ian 12" date 2087 P and "Before Hardening", few negligible light scuffs on back, otherwise Very Fine ....... 1912, 3sh Name & Duty Die Proof (42P; SG 50P). 92 x 60 mm., with partial strike of 2088 P blue "17 Jan 12" date and "Before Hardening", few negligible scuffs on back, Fine ...... ......(Photo) E. 150-200 1912-20, 1p-10sh Geo. V Madagascar Postal Archives Specimens (Betw. 34S and 44aS; 2089 S SG betw. 42S and 52aS). Ten horizontal strips of three representing nine different stamps, each with "Specimen" ovpt. and each tied by large red "Postes et Telegraphes, Madagascar, Collection de Berne" hs on pieces cut from the original ledger, fresh and Very Fine, unique .... E. 750-1,000 2090 S 1921-26, 1/4p-10sh Geo. V, Madagascar Postal Archive Specimens (50S-68S; SG 60S-67S, 69S-83S). Complete set of horizontal strips of three tied by strikes of red "Postes et Telegraphes, Madagascar, Collection de Berne" handstamps on pieces from the original ledger, fresh and Very Fine, unique ..... E. 1,200-1,500 Geo. V Portrait Die Proof. 42 x 61 mm. on thin cream semi-glazed paper, struck in blue, 2091 P tiny thin spot at T., otherwise Very Fine......(Photo) E. 300-400 2092 TC 1923, 41/2p Blue, Imperforate Trial Color Plate Proof (57TC; SG 76TC). R. margin block of ten on paper without wmk., large margins, thin spot in margin and natural paper wrinkle affecting one stamp, otherwise Very Fine, ex Byl .....(Photo) E. 200-300 1920, 1/2p Green, Postal Stationery Cut-Out. Ip Red entire additionally franked with 1/2p 2093 ₪ cut-out from entire and also 1p Carmine (34; SG 42), each tied by Georgetown, Grand Cayman FE 1, 20" cds, to Pittsburgh, Havana transit backstamp, slight edge wear, Fine and rare, cut-out usages were allowed in 1920-21 to alleviate a shortage of 21/2p stamps, approx. twelve are known .......(Photo) E. 100-150 1920, 1/2p Green, Postal Stationery Cut-Out. Ip Red entire additionally franked with the 2094 ⋈ 1/2p cut-out and a 1p Carmine (34; SG 42), tied by "Georgetown, Grand Cayman NO 8, 1920" cds to New York, Havana transit backstamp, missing part of backflap, light gum soak at edge of 1/2p from application of adhesive, Very Fine and rare..... ......(Photo) E. 100-150

# CEYLON

2096 ⋈	1857, 6p Plum (6A; SG 6). Just touched at R. to large margins showing part of adjacent stamp at B., tied by grid on blue 859 folded letter to Aberdeen Scotland, red "Kandy Post Paid Nov. 14, 1859" and "Steamer Letter" cds of same day on back, file fold and light edge wear, Fine(Photo) E. 300-400
2097 *	1859, 1sh9p Green (7; SG 11). Clear to large margins, large part o.g., Fine, SG £700
2098	1859, 2sh Blue (12; SG 13). Ample to large margins showing part of adjacent stamp at B., light grid cancel, Very Fine, SG £1,200(Photo) 1,200.00
2099 ⊠	1861, 5p Orange Brown, Clean-Cut Perf 14 to 15½ (20; SG 22). Fresh color, tied by grid on 1862 folded cover to Calcutta, red "Galle, Post Paid OC 22, 1862" cds, receiving backstamp, light file folds, Very Fine(Photo) E. 100-150
2100 ⊠	<b>1861, 5p Orange Brown, Clean-Cut Perf 14 to 15</b> ½ ( <b>20; SG 22).</b> Horizontal pair, tied by grid on 1866 cover to Edinburgh Scotland, red "Nuwera-Ellia Paid NO 27" cds, receiving backstamp, file fold barely affects stamps, Fine( <b>Photo</b> ) E. 200-300
2101 ⊠	1861, 1p Blue, Blued Paper, Rough-Perf 14 to 15½ (25b; SG 28a). Tied by grid on cover from Colombo to Happootelle, light backstamp, usual small perf flaws, Very Fine(Photo) E. 75-100
2102 ⋈	1861, 6p Bister Brown, Rough-Perf 14 to 5½ (28; SG 31b). Tied by grid on 1862 cover to Bombay, red "Colombo Post Paid OC 18, 1862" and receiving backstamps, Chartered Mercantile Bank of India at Colombo embossing on backflap, four small pinholes, Fine cover overpaying the 5p rate to India(Photo) E. 100-150
2103 ⋈	<b>1861, 10p Vermilion, Rough-Perf 14 to 5</b> ½ <b>(33; SG 34).</b> Tied by grid on 1864 cover to London, red "Badulla OC 19, 1864" and receiving datestamps, some edge wear and light toning on stamp, otherwise Fine small-town usage( <b>Photo</b> ) E. 150-200
2104 ⋈	<b>1861, 1sh Violet, Rough-Perf 14 to 15</b> ½ ( <b>34; SG 35).</b> Tied by grid on 1863 folded cover to London, appropriate backstamps, London receiving, small sealed tear at T., Fine double-rated cover( <b>Photo</b> ) E. 100-150
2105 ₪	1863, 10p Vermilion, Perf 12½ (37; SG 38). Tied by grid on 1866 cover to Edinburgh Scotland, red "Campola SP 11, 1866", Galle and receiving backstamps, some edge wear, appears Fine(Photo) E. 150-200
2106 ⊠	1863, 1p Blue, Perf 12½ (46; SG 49). Two, each tied by grid on small 1867 cover from Nuwara-Elia to Kandy and forwarded to Happotelle, boxed "TOO LATE" hs, fresh and Very Fine(Photo) E. 150-200
2107 ⊠	1864, 2p Gray Green (47; SG 50). Horizontal strip of three, cancelled by grids and traces of red hs on 1865 cover to Isle of Wight, red Kandy cds, receiving backstamp, edge wear incl. tape stain at R., part of back incl. both flaps missing, stamps have light horizontal crease, still appears Fine(Photo) E. 150-200
2108 ⋈	1863-64, 2p Gray Green, 6p Brown (47, 53a; SG 50, 55). Horizontal pair of 2p, stamps tied together by ms. at B., tied by grids and datestamps on 1866 cover to Colchester England, "Colombo NO 15, 1866" cds, London transit, file fold, some edge repairs to cover, appears Fine
2109 ⋈	1863-64, 1p Blue, 2p Gray Green, Perf 12½ (46, 47; SG 49, 50). Horizontal pair of 2p, tied by grids on folded cover to Bangalore India, red "Colombo Paid AP 20, 1866" cds, Calle, Madras and receiving backstamps, light file folds clear of stamps, Very Fine(Photo) E. 200-300
2110	1863-64, 2p Gray Green, 6p Chocolate Brown, Perf 12½ (47, 53; SG 50, 55b). Two of 2p cancelled or tied by grid, also tied by bold strike of "C. Shand & Co., Colombo, Ceylon" company hs on blue cover front only to London, red "Colombo MY 16, 1867" cds, Very Fine, the oval company private cancel was allowed to combat pilferage

- 2111 

   1863-68, 2p Yellow Green, 10p Orange, Perf 12½, 1p Blue, Perf 14 (48A, 56, 61; SG 51, 58, 61). Each tied by barred oval hs on cover to Devonshire England, red "Colombo Paid JY 10, 1869" cds, some edge wear incl. light tape stain at far L. from internal reinforcement, the 1p stamp torn at B., still a Fine and scarce combination, ex Harris (Photo) E. 500-750
- 2112 

  1863-68, 2p Olive, Perf 12½, 3p Rose, Perf 14 (49, 62; SG 51, 62). Each tied by "B" in barred oval hs on blue folded cover to Hong Kong, addressed to the firm of Jardine, Matheson, red "Galle Paid DE 31, 1868" cds, neat "Forwarded by John Black, Galle" hs on back, short perf on 2p, some natural bleach spotting, still a Very Fine and scarce mixed franking, ex Harris ................................(Photo) E. 400-500
- 2113 

  1865, 4p Rose (50; SG 52). Horizontal pair, tied by "B" in barred oval hs on cover to Bordeaux France, red "Galle Paid JU 12, 1871" cds, various transits, very slightly reduced at L., some toning affecting stamps, appears Fine..........(Photo) E. 400-500
- 2114 ⋈ 1865, 5p Carmine Brown (51; SG 53). Horizontal pair, fresh color, tied by pen strokes on blue 1866 cover to London, carried outside of the mails part way, receiving a blue "Suez JU 25, 1866" cds, London receiving, ms. "Via Marseilles" and "Stamped", some edge wear incl. sealed tear at T., still a Fine and unusual usage ... (Photo) E. 750-1,000
- 2115 

  1863, 6p Chocolate Brown (53; SG 55). Tied by "B" in barred oval on cover to Aden, red "Galle Paid SP 15, 1871" cds, ms. marking also ties stamp, "Aden Steamer Point" backstamp, stamp has small repair at B., otherwise Fine ...............(Photo) E. 200-300
- 2116 

  1863, 6p Chocolate Brown, Perf 12½ (53; SG 55). Tied by "A" in barred oval on folded cover to Calcutta, red "Colombo Paid DE 27, 1870" cds, oval forwarder's handstamp, Galle and Steamer Letter receiving backstamps, perfs slightly affected from placement at edge of cover, Fine.................................(Photo) E. 200-300
- 2118 

  1863, 9p Brown, Perf 12½ (55; SG 57). Tied by barred oval cancel, matching "Colombo DE 1, 1868" cds on cover to Weymouth England, receiving backstamp, missing part of backflap, Very Fine ................................(Photo) E. 150-200
- 2120 

  1863-68, 1sh Purple, Perf 12½, 1p Blue, Perf 14 (57, 61; SG 71, 61). the 1p R. wing margin single, tied by grid, matching "Colombo AP 18, 1870" cds on cover to Scotland, receiving backstamp, small part of backflap missing, few tiny edge tears, Fine and attractive cover.................................(Photo) E. 350-400

# DANISH WEST INDIES

# ST. THOMAS MARKINGS

- Paid at St. Thomas. Lightly struck red crown-circle hs on May 22, 1852 folded letter from Curacao to Paramibo, Surinam, via St. Thomas (May 27 backstamp) and Demerara (Jun. 10 backstamp), ms. "25c Paid" (Dutch postage to St. Thomas), red "1/-" (to Demerara) and "30" due from addressee for local postage to Paramibo, Very Fine, a remarkable cover involving three different postal administrations ...(Photo) E. 500-750
- Paid at St. Thomas. Red crown-circle hs on blue cover to San Francisco, "Panama MR 23 1862 B" British P.O. cds, red ms. "4" British rate, "San Francisco Cal. Apr. 17, 1862" double-circle ds and "10" rate hs, St. Thomas transit backstamp (Mar. 18), reduced at left, backflap removed, the tissue-paper envelope has other typical but minor faults, still Fine and unusual usage...............................(Photo) E. 200-300

- 2124 Soreign Letter Office St. Thomas. Oval hs on back of Dec. 12, 1860 folded letter to Campano, double-circle hs and "1", Very Fine......(Photo) E. 300-400

- 2127 
  St. Thomas. Oval hs of two different forwarders—G. W. Smith & Co. and Geo. A. Philips—on back of small cover to Boston, "New York Ship Letter 6" due cds, "Received Boston" small cds, Fine ..................................(Photo) E. 100-150
- 2128 St. Thomas. Four stampless covers: 1848 folded letter from New Haven Conn. to St. Thomas, carried privately and returned to New Haven with red "New York Ship 7cts" cds; 1857 folded letter to Bermuda with St. Thomas B.P.O. cds on back; 1864 folded letter to New York with red "St. Thomas Paid" cds and "Steamship 10" hs; and another 1864 folded cover from St. Thomas to Alicante, Fine-Very Fine group...... E. 200-300

# UNITED STATES MAILS

- 2131 

   10c Brown (150). Horizontal pair, tied by "N. York Steamship May 20" cds on folded cover, docketing indicates Maracaibo origin on Apr. 29, 1872, "St. Thomas 14/5 1872" transit cds, Maracaibo merchant's blue straightline hs partly under stamps, skillfully treated file fold and climatic toning, Very Fine appearance.........(Photo) E. 500-750
- 2132 Moreover (150). Tied by red "New York Paid All" cds on Nov. 1871 folded letter from Curacao to New York, "St. Thomas 14/11 1871" transit cds, ms. "4" on back for D.W.I. postage, Very Fine .................................(Photo) E. 400-500
- 2133°⊠

  10c Brown (161). Wide s.e., tied by brush stroke cancel, "St. Thomas 30/6 1875" cds on cover from St. Thomas to Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, in Danish West Indies mails, receiving backstamp (Jul. 20), fresh and Extremely Fine, the only recorded cover sent from St. Thomas to Brazil via D.W.I. mails—a remarkable use of U.S. stamps entirely outside the country...............................(Photo) E. 1,200-1,500
- 2134° 5c Deep Blue (179). Used with Danish West Indies 1874 3c Blue & Carmine (6), 3c tied by target cancel, both stamps tied by "New York Sep. 20 10:30AM" duplex cds and negative "6" in circle cancel on buff cover to Petersburgh N.Y., red framed "Franco" hs applied before 3c stamp affixed, "St. Thomas 13/9 1875" cds, carried to New York on the Merrimack, trivial and minute opening nicks along top

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# FRENCH MAILS

- France, 1872, 30c Brown on Yellowish (62). Horizontal pair, tied by dotted diamond cancel on 1874 blue folded letter from New York to Guadeloupe, New York merchant's blue oval hs, faint St. Thomas transit, boxed "P.P." hs, sender's routing "South America", Pointe a Pitre cds on back, file fold thru one 30c, otherwise Fine, very scarce usage via French consulate..................................(Photo) E. 200-300
- 2140 St. Thomas to France. Two folded letters, 1820 with "COLONIES PAR/NANTES" hs, 1828 with "PAYS D'OUTREMER/PAR BORDEAUX" framed hs, Fine-Very Fine ...... E. 100-150
- 2141 St. Thomas 23/8 1867. Cds on blue folded letter to France, "10" decimes due hs, various transit backstamps incl. Line B octagon (carried by *Panama*), Fine...(Photo) E. 200-300
- 2142 

  St. Thomas 23/8 1867. Transit cds and "St. Thomas Paq. Fr. B No. 1" octagonal backstamp on blue folded letter from Brazil to Hamburg via St. Thomas, Para merchant's blue oval hs, "F./48" accountancy hs, German transit backstamps, ms. rates incl. "13½" sch. due, Fine and very scarce usage ................................(Photo) E. 300-400
- 2143 St. Thomas B AU 30 67. Transit cds on back of folded letter from France to Jacmel, Haiti, pair of France 80c Napoleon tied by dotted diamond, Fine ...(Photo) E. 100-150
- 2145 
  St. Thomas 29/12 1876. Transit cds on folded printed circular from France to Venezuela, 5c & 10c Peace & Commerce franking for 15c rate tied by Bordeaux cds, "P.P." boxed hs, Havre and French Line C No. 1 backstamps, faint climatic toning, still Very Fine, extremely rare printed matter usage................(Photo) E. 500-750

#### DANISH WEST INDIES STAMPS

2148 ⋈ 1876, 5c Green & Gray (8). Climatic gum toning, tied by one of two bold strikes of "St. Thomas 16/5 1879" cds on folded letter to Puerto Rico. Fine example of the under-300 miles rate (Photo) 200.00 2149 ⋈ 1876, 5c Green & Gray (8). Horizontal pair, tied by one of two strikes of "St. Thomas 17/11 1879" cds on folded letter to New York, merchant's blue oval hs, purple Charles August Brewer forwarder backstamp (one of two recorded), Very Fine (Photo) 250.00 2150 ⋈ 1876, 5c Green & Gray (8), Horizontal pair, tied by one of two strikes of "St. Thomas 23/1 1880" cds on Dec. 1879 folded letter to Cuba smuggled from Hamburg to St. Thomas, Hamburg merchant's blue hs, Peddersen Willink & Co. St. Thomas forwarder's backstamp, faint overall climatic toning, file fold, still Fine, treated as a normal foreign letter at 10c rate ......................(Photo) 250.00 1877, 12c Lilac & Green (11). Tied by one of two bold strikes of "St. Thomas 4/4 1878" 2151°∞ cds on folded cover to Arendal, Norway, clearly struck "St. Thomas Paq. Fr. D No. 15 Avril 78" octagonal packet ds, printed Nunes Fils & Co. corner card, file fold VERY FINE AND FRESH, EXTREMELY RARE USE OF BI-COLORED ISSUE ON FRENCH MAIL COVER TO NORWAY. With 1994 Paaskesen certificate......(Color Photo, p. 108) E. 3,000-4,000 1877, 12c Lilac & Green (11). Tied by one of two strikes of "St. Thomas 5/4 1879" cds 2152°∞ on buff cover to Maine, New York transit backstamp, fresh and Very Fine, the rate was lowered to 10c on April 1st, but this was overpaid 2c-very rare..... (Color Photo, p. 108) E. 1,000-1,500 1877, 12c Lilac & Green (11). Horizontal pair, short perfs and gum toning, cancelled by 2153°⊠ one of two strikes of "St. Thomas 20/2 1879" cds on merchant's corner card cover to Brooklyn, New York, receiving backstamps, slightly reduced at left, Fine and extremely rare double foreign-letter rate......(Color Photo, p. 108) E. 2,000-3,000 HAPAG MAIL

2154°⊠ HAPAG, 1875, 10c Black on Yellow and Greenish Blue. Cancelled by blue "P" in circle on folded letter datelined Maracaibo, Apr. 18, 1877, to St. Thomas, undated doublecircle Puerto Cabello hs, St. Thomas receiving backstamp, merchant's oval hs at lower left and Porto Cabello forwarder's oval hs on back, few minor wormholes well clear of stamp, Very Fine and extremely rare HAPAG usage, illustrated in Ringstrom & Tester (p. 149), with 1989 Holcombe certificate......(Color Photo, p. 109) E. 2,000-3,000

#### ST. THOMAS-LA GUAIRA-PUERTO CABELLO

- 2155 ₪ St. Thomas-La Guaira-Puerto Cabello, 1864, 2r Yellow Green, Perf 13, Waterlow Printing. Two, tied by Caracas Dec. 30(?) 1864 double-circle ds on blue folded cover to Paris, France, receiving cds of London (Jan. 14) and Paris on back, "16" decimes due hs, carried to St. Thomas on the Robert Todd and to London on the Tasmanian, top edge originally folded in with stamp overlapping edge, refolded and expertly reinforced, crease in one stamp neatly pressed, Very Fine appearance, attractive double-rate usage with the first printing, signed Holcombe .................(Color Photo, p. 109) E. 750-1,000
- 2156°⊠ St. Thomas-La Guaira-Puerto Cabello, 1864, 2r Yellow Green, Sawtooth Roulette, Local Printing. Tied by "Steamship 10" in circle on blue folded cover to New York, red "La-Guayra Paid MY 9 67" cds, red crayon "4d" British rate, "St. Thomas A MY 12 67" cds on back, corner of stamp folded over before cancelling at New York (part of circle on reverse—folded back for appearance's sake), Very Fine, extremely rare usage of Todd's adhesive to the United States (the letters were sorted at St. Thomas), a late usage as Todd sold his service to Jesurun & Zoon in July 1867, with 1981 B.P.A. certificate ....... (Color Photo, p. 109) E. 1,500-2,000
- 2157 ⋈ St. Thomas-La Guaira-Puerto Cabello, 1864, 2r Yellow Green, Sawtooth Roulette, Local Printing. Tied by undated Caracas double-circle hs on blue folded cover to Cadiz, Spain, docketing indicates Nov. 24, 1864 origin, London (Dec. 13) and Cadiz backstamps, "8R" Spanish due hs, sender's routing "Via de Inglaterra", carried to St. Thomas on the Robert Todd and to London on the Seine, Very Fine, early use of the local printing and scarce usage to Spain, with Holcombe certificate ......(Color Photo, p. 109) E. 500-750

- 2159°⊠ St. Thomas-La Guaira-Puerto Cabello, 1869, 2r Vermilion, Second Waterlow Printing, Perf 10. Characteristic brownish gum toning, tied by blue double-oval hs of Cameron, Macaulay & Co. St. Thomas on Dec. 1, 1869 folded letter from St. Thomas to Curacao, "Curacao 4/12 1869" cds, splits along folds and some overall climatic toning

FINE. EXTREMELY RARE AND EARLY USE OF THE SECOND PRINTING ON COVER.

With 1989 Holcombe certificate ......(Color Photo, p. 110) E. 4,000-5,000

2160° 

St. Thomas-La Guaira-Puerto Cabello, 1869, 2r Rose Red, First Waterlow Printing, Perf 12½. Tied by undated Caracas double-circle hs on folded cover to Bordeaux, docketing indicates July 9, 1869 origin, framed "GB/1F60C" accountancy hs, "20" decimes French due hs, Calais transit, London (Jul. 30) and Bordeaux backstamps, carried to St. Thomas on the Honfleur and to Southampton on the Seine, top backflap removed and small tears sealed with hinges, folded at bottom

VERY FINE AND EXTREMELY RARE USE OF THE JESURUN & ZOON ISSUE.

With 1989 Holcombe certificate......(Color Photo, p. 110) E. 4,000-5,000

#### CHINA

- 2161°⊠ Shanghae Local Post X Jy 2 69. Blue circular ds struck on back of blue cover to South Dennis Mass., with original enclosure datelined at Chefoo, Shanghai and Hong Kong British P.O. backstamps, London and New York transit backstamps, , ms. "32 cts" and re-rated "45", "1" also crossed out, Fine and scarce ..................(Photo) E. 400-500
- 2162 

  1897-98, 1c Ocher, 4c Brown, 5c Rose Red (89, 90, 99). 5c on front, 1c and 4c on back, tied by Shanghai Apr. 23, 1898 large double-circle ds on cover to U.S. with Japan 1888 10s Brown Orange (79) tied by I.J.P.O. Shanghai cds, toned spot from wax seal offset, couple small stains, still Fine and scarce combination ...............(Photo) E. 300-400

- 2165 \*\* REPUBLIC OF CHINA, 1954, \$5.00 Magenta, Souvenir Folder, Specimen (1095aS). Without gum as issued, each stamp with Specimen overprint, fresh and Very Fine, rare, Scott Retail without overprint..................(Photo) 1,000.00

#### COOK ISLANDS

- 2167 \* 1899, ½p on 1p Blue, Inverted Surcharge (25b). Original gum, h.r., centered to top as always, Fine and very rare..............................(Color Photo, p. 112) 1,000.00

#### FRANCE

- 2169 Ballon Monte. "Paris 15 Oct. 70" double-circle ds on folded letter to Leschamps, France 20c Blue on Bluish (33) tied by dotted star cancel, receiving backstamp, stamp has small tear at B.R., cover toned, appears almost Fine .......(Photo) E. 300-400

- 2171 

   1850, 25c Light Blue, 1fr Dark Carmine (6, 9, Yvert 4, 7). Horizontal pair of 25c, ample to large margins, tied by diamond grid cancels on cover to Philadelphia, neat "Paris 25 Sett. 51" cds, red boxed "PD" struck over cds, New York debit datestamp, Calais transit backstamp, Very Fine usage ................................(Photo) E. 500-750
- 2173 \*\* 1930, 1.50fr Smile of Reims Booklet Pane (B34a). Complete booklet of two panes, Mint N.H., Very Fine, Yvert ffr6,750......................(Photo) 800.00

#### GERMAN STATES

- 2174 MAMBURG, 1865, 11/2s Rose (25; Michel 21). Horizontal pair, tied by blue "Hamburg St.P. 2 5/67" cancel on cover to Bremen, boxed receiving backstamp, Very Fine and rare, ex Caspary, Seybold................................(Photo) E. 600-800

- 2178 

   PRUSSIA, 1857-60, 2sg Blue, 3sg Orange (7, 13; Michel 7a, 12a). Two of the 3sg, margins to just in on one, tied by neat strikes of "Hamburg 4/4" double-circle ds on 1861 registered folded letter to Vienna, red registered hs, receiving backstamp, Very Fine ....

  (Photo) E. 300-400
- 2180 PRUSSIA, 1850-57, 2sg Black on Blue, 3sg Yellow (4, 8a; Michel 3, 8b). Full to clear margins, tied by "578" in target, matching "Hamburg 30/5" double-circle ds, on blue 1857 folded cover to Bischofswerda, red registered hs, light file fold clear of stamps, Fine and rare combination........................(Color Photo, p. 111) E. 750-1,000
- 2181 

   PRUSSIA, 1857-60, 2sg Blue, 3sg Orange (7, 13; Michel 7a, 12a). Clear to large margins, each tied by bold strike of "Hamburg 1/6" double-circle ds on blue 1857 folded cover to Vienna, red registered hs, receiving backstamp, light file fold, Very Fine, ex Mueller........................(Photo) É. 300-400

#### GERMANY

2182 Mark 1868, 1/4gr Red Lilac, 1/2gr Orange, 1gr Rose, 5gr Bister (1, 3, 4, 6; Michel 1, 3, 4, 6). Incl. pair of the 5gr, each tied by neat strike of "Hamburg P.V.2 7/7 72" cds on folded letter to Vera Cruz Mexico, London transit, light file fold clear of stamps, a Very Fine and rare combination franking .......................(Color Photo, p. 111) E. 750-1,000

- 2183 

  1872, 1/4gr Violet, 1/2gr Orange (14, 16; Michel 16, 18). Tied by bold strikes of "Hamburg Bahnhoff 18/10 73" datestamps on printed circular to Bordeaux, Paris transit, fresh and Very Fine.....................(Photo) E. 300-400

- 2188 \* KRIM, 1943, (-) Black, Ty. II (Michel 15 II). Without gum as issued, small repair, Fine, signed Sauer, with 1997 Muller certificate ........................(Photo) DM 3,200.00
- 2190 THURINGEN, 1945, 2rm Weihnachtsspende, Karton Paper (Michel Bl. 1 x). Ty. IV, neat "Weimar 24.12.45" cds, Very Fine, signed Herbst, JMM (the latter in red just shows on front), Michel catalogue value .................................(Photo) DM 2,200.00

#### GREAT BRITAIN

- 2191° Mr. Albert Smith's Overland Mail. The same three-panel design used as a letterhead, letter from Arthur W. W. Smith, who managed his brother's performances, no postal markings, few tears not affecting design, otherwise Fine...... E. 75-100
- 2193 E **Ip Charles Whiting Congreve Method Essay.** 43 x 43 mm., in black and red on wove paper, small thin in T. margin, otherwise Very Fine.....(**Photo**) E. 200-300
- 2194 **Ip Black, Pl. 1a (1; SG Spec. AS1).** NF, ample to large margins, deep and intense impression, neat black MC cancel, Very Fine, Stanley Gibbons value .. (**Photo**) £ 350.00
- 2195 **1840, 1p Black, Pl. 1a (1; SG Spec. AS1).** PA, huge margins all around and showing engraver's dot in margin at T.L., MC cancel, Extremely Fine and choice, Stanley Gibbons value...............................(Photo) £ 180.00
- 2196 M 1840, 1p Black, Pl. 1a (1; SG Spec. AS2). JB, large to huge margins, tied by red MC on 1840 folded letter to Edinburgh, neat "Leith, Jun 6, 1840" and receiving backstamps, vertical file folds clear of stamp, Very Fine......(Photo) E. 200-300
- 2197 **1840, 1p Black, Pl. 1b (1; SG Spec. AS5).** ID, full to large margins, cancelled by black MC, fresh and Very Fine, Stanley Gibbons value .......................(Photo) £ 150.00
- 2198 

  1840, 1p Black, Pl. 1b (1; SG Spec. AS5). CC, ample to large margins, tied by red MC on 1840 folded cover to Oldham and forwarded to Todmorden, London "14 AU 14 1840" MC datestamp on back, fresh and Very Fine usage ...............(Photo) E. 200-250
- 2199 ★ 1840, 1p Black, Pl. 3 (1; SG Spec. AS20). TD, just touched to ample margins, part disturbed o.g., h.r., small corner crease at B.L., otherwise Fine and very rare, Scott Retail \$3,000.00, Stanley Gibbons value.......................(Photo) £ 3,500.00
- 2200 

  1840, 1p Black, Pl. 3 (1; SG Spec. AS20). AE, ample to full margins, tied by black MC with neat "T.P. St. James's St." straightline hs on 1841 folded letter used locally, red backstamp, Very Fine................(Photo) E. 200-250

1840, 1p Black, Pl. 4 (1; SG Spec. AS23). NC, large to huge margins all around, o.g., 2201 \* h.r., light toning spots, faint vertical crease and tiny thin spot in R. margin, otherwise appears Extremely Fine, scarce, with copy of 1978 Friedl certificate, Scott Retail \$3,000.00, Stanley Gibbons value......(Photo) £ 3,000.00 1840, 1p Black, Pl. 4 (1; SG Spec. AS23). EI, ample to large margins, cancelled by 2202 brown MC, tiny corner crease at B.R., otherwise Very Fine, scarce with brown cancel 1840, 1p Black, Pl. 5, Blued Paper (1; SG Spec. AS25f). HF, clear to large margins, 2203 black MC cancel, Very Fine, scarce on blued paper ......(Photo) E. 100-150 2204 1840, 1p Black, Pl. 6 (1; SG Spec. AS41vk). KJ, clear to large margins, fresh and bright paper, cancelled by black and red MC handstamps, tiny corner crease at B.R., otherwise Very Fine, with copy of 1985 R.P.S. certificate not mentioning corner crease..... (Photo) E. 250-300 1840, 1p Black, Pl. 6 (1; SG Spec. AS41). OA-OD, horizontal strip of four, Pos. OB 2205 ⊠ showing re-entry, full to large margins, tied by black MC on oversize folded cover to Edinburgh, red "Kirkaldy 19 Mar 1842" and receiving backstamps, two vertical file folds (one affects far R. stamp), still Very Fine and rare quadruple-rate cover ...... .....(Photo) E. 600-800 2206 1840, 1p Black, Pl. 9 (1; SG Spec. AS56). RL, ample to large margins showing part of adjacent stamp at B., tied by blue boxed "Penny Post" and part of red hs on small piece (one strike breaks paper fibers), file folds barely affect stamp, Very Fine and scarce cancel applied at Handsworth against regulations......(Photo) E. 150-200 2207 ⋈ 1840, 1p Black, Pl. 9 (1; SG Spec. AS56). TF, large margins, just tied by black MC cancel on 1841 prices current to Sligo Ireland, neat "Liverpool Feb. 16, 1841" backstamp, file fold, fresh and Very Fine usage .......................(Photo) E. 200-250 1840, 1p Black, Pl. 10 (1; SG Spec. AS66). DJ with square-footed J. pretty impression, 2208 (S) clear to large margins, unused (no gum), tiny trivial corner crease at T.L., otherwise Very Fine and rare, with copy of 1988 R.P.S. certificate, Scott Retail \$3,000.00, Stanley 2209 1840, Ip Black, Pl. 10 (1; SG Spec. AS66). EJ, ample to large margins, tied on small piece by black MC cancel, trivil light toned spot, otherwise Very Fine and choice ........ .....(Photo) E. 100-150 1840, 1p Black, Pl. 10 (1; SG Spec. AS66). IF showing square-footed J, clear to large 2210 margins, neat red MC cancel, tiny surface thin speck, otherwise Very Fine..... 1840, 1p Black, Pl. 10 (1; SG Spec. AS66g). MA showing weak letter M variety, large 2211 margins, fresh white paper and deep impression, black MC cancel, Very Fine and choice variety (Photo) E. 100-150 1840, 1p Black, Pl. 11 (1; SG Spec. AS72). AD, just in at T. to large margins, tied by  $2212 \boxtimes$ black MC, matching "Bridgewater Jul. 1, 1841" ds on folded cover to Gloucester, some slight wear, still Fine and very rare usage from plate 11 .....(Photo) E. 600-800 [Penny Black]. Two covers attractively matted and framed, one stampless with a clear 2213° Bishop mark, the other with three-margin copy of the Penny Black from Ashby-De-La-Zouch, with printed write-ups-"The First Postmark" & "The First Postage Stamp," very attractively done...... E. 100-150 1840, 1p Black (1; SG 2). Fourteen singles, incl. three from pl. 6, two from pl. 8 and one 2214 from pl. 9, virtually all have four margins, either red or black MC cancels, few small faults, all appear Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail \$2,520.00, Stanley Gibbons value .......... £ 2,100.00 1840, 1p Black, 2p Blue (1, 2; SG 2, 4). Each has ample to large margins and neat MC 2215 2216 1840-41, 1p Black, 1p Red Brown (1, 3; SG 2, 7). Nineteen stamps representing complete matched positions for all seven plates used for both the 1p Black and 1p Red Printings, incl. Plates 1B, 2, 5, 8, 9, 10, and 11 (the latter 1p Black with 1984 R.P.S. certificate), with red or black MC cancels, Pl. 5 with two sets incl. LL (re-entries), all have four margins, few small faults, still a Fine-Very Fine and rare assembly E. 1,000-1,500 1840, 2p Blue, Pl. 1 (2; SG Spec. DS5k). TH, showing constant variety at T.L., rich 2217 color, three large margins, clear at T., neat black MC cancel, Very Fine and choice ...... 

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- 2218 

   1840, 2p Blue, Pl. 1 (2; SG Spec. DS5). Four singles and vertical pair, Pos. PG, DD, DA, KL and pair of SL-TL, large margins to just in, tied by strikes of black Maltese Cross cancels on 1841 folded letter to New Jersey U.S.A., neat "Ipswich OC 24, 1841" backstamp, oval London Ship Letter hs also ties two stamps, ms. "Post office Bristol-pr. "Great Western" for John Cox", ms. "02" and "6" on stamps, red "New York Ship Nov. 9" hs, some wear and splitting along folds, partly rebuilt, still a Very Fine and very rare usage, with copy of 1995 R.P.S. certificate .. (Color Photo—Back Cover) E. 4,000-5,000
- 2219 TC 1840, 1p Deep Red Brown, "Rainbow" Color Trial (SG Spec. DP20-2c). On thin white wove paper, from state 2 with voided corner, margins to just in, small thin spots, otherwise Fine......................(Photo) E. 150-200
- 2220 P 1841, 1p Red Brown, Dickinson Silk Thread Paper Trial Proof (SG Spec. DP22). HK, ample to large margins, without gum as are all known examples, fresh and Very Fine, rare, used as a trial to protect against forgery, SG £1,500 ...........(Photo) E. 500-750
- 2221 1841, 1p Red Brown, Pl. 8 (3; SG Spec. AS47). CL, clear to large margins, bright red MC cancel, fresh and Fine, Stanley Gibbons value .......(Photo) £ 800.00
- 2222 **1841, 1p Red Brown, Pl. 11 (3; SG Spec. AS74).** HE, large margins to just in at R., cancelled by **both black and red Maltese Cross** handstamps, natural inclusion, small corner crease at T.L., still Fine and scarce cancel combination, with copy of 1985 R.P.S. certificate not mentioning corner crease......(Photo) E. 150-200
- 2224 ★⊞ 1841, 1p Red Brown, Pl. 73 (3; SG Spec. BS28). T. margin part inscription block of four, AC-AD, BC-BD, full to large margins, o.g., h.r., fresh color, Very Fine and choice, Scott Retail \$440.00, Stanley Gibbons value.................(Color Photo, p. 112) £ 600.00
- 2225 

  1841, 1p Red Brown, Pl. 78 (3; SG Spec. BS29). GJ, three large margins, just in at R., tied by light strike of purple barred oval numeral "80" handstamp on folded cover to Darlington, neat "Bishops-Auckland NO. 28, 1848" backstamp, Very Fine and rare, only two towns used a purple hs................................(Photo) E. 400-500
- 2226 

  1841, 1p Red Brown, Pl. 77b (3; SG Spec. BS29b). BA with the B blank error corrected, large margins to in, tied by numeral cancel on folded cover to Dornach, "Helmsdale MR 12, 1850" and receiving backstamps, file fold, Fine and rare cover, with copy of 1984 R.P.S. certificate................................(Photo) E. 500-750

- 2232 ★⊞ 1854, 1p Red Brown, Pl. 183 (8; SG Spec. C1). Block of four, GJ-GK, HJ-HK, fresh color, part disturbed o.g., h.r., T.R. stamp thin spot and B.R. stamp picked-out natural inclusion, otherwise Fine, Stanley Gibbons value ...............(Photo) £ 600.00

- 2235 \*\pm\$ 1855, 1p Red Brown on Bluish, Pl. 32 (16; SG Spec. C8-1j). Block of twelve, AI-AL, BI-BL, CI-CL, fresh and bright color, well-centered for this stamp, o.g., lightly hinged, few short perfs and few lightly toned perf tips on back, otherwise a Very Fine and attractive multiple, Stanley Gibbons value .................................(Photo) £ 1,450.00

(Photo) £ 600.00

- 2236 1856, 1p Rose Red, White Paper, Pl. 56, Imperforate (SG Spec. C10k). PJ, close to large margins, bold strike of London district hs, tiny corner crease at T.L., otherwise Very Fine, with copy of 1974 B.P.A. certificate and accompanied by perforated example from the same position ...............................(Photo) £ 425.00

- 2240 P 1865, 1p Carmine Rose, Pl. 66, "Royal" Reprint (SG Spec. DP35b). Horizontal pair, KI-KJ, ample to large margins, o.g., h.r., L. stamp light natural gum wrinkle, Very Fine, these impressions were taken after the plate was withdrawn from use, unlisted in Scott, Stanley Gibbons value as singles ................................(Photo) £ 850.00
- 2242 

  1858, 2p Blue, White Lines, Pl. 9 (29; SG 35). Horizontal pair, HG-HH, rich color, tied by Malta cds and "A25" barred oval hs (SG Z34) on 1865 folded cover to Messina, receiving backstamp, red "P.D.", hs, fresh and Very Fine usage......(Photo) E. 100-150
- 2243 (\*) 1869, 2p Blue, White Lines, Pl. 12, Major Re-Entry (29avar; SG Spec. G3d). AA, clearly showing the major re-entry in lettering at B., unused (no gum), few short perfs at T., otherwise Fine and interesting position piece......(Photo) E. 100-150
- 2244 ★ 1864, 1p Rose Red, Pl. 225 (33; SG Spec. G1). RA, o.g., h.r., few faults, still a Fine example from this rare plate, Scott Retail \$1,100.00, Stanley Gibbons value................................(Photo) £ 1,100.00
- 2245 

  1864-67, 3p Rose Red, Pl. 148, 3p Rose, Pl. 10 (33, 49; SG 43, 103). Horizontal pair of each, tied by "Bute-Docks, Cardiff, AU 18, 1873" duplexes on folded letter to Athens Greece, used with Greece 20l Hermes which is tied by diamond of dots cancel, Corfu transit backstamp, fresh and Very Fine, rare usage....(Color Photo, p. 111) E. 300-400
- 2246°⊠

  1862, 6p Lilac, 1sh Green (39, 42; SG 84, 90). Tied together by numeral hs, matching "Bradford-Yorks. Dec. 3, 1863" cds on blue registered cover to Harlem Springs Ohio., N.Y. Br. Pkt. transit, 6p choice centering, 1sh with two toned perfs, still Very Fine usage (Photo) E. 75-100
- 2247 

  1862, 1sh Green (42; SG 90). Three singles, tied by Glasgow duplex pmks., red '5 cents' and Paid markings on separate folded 1864 letters to New York, Fine-Very Fine, SG £390..... E. 100-150

2248 * 1884, 10sh Ultramarine (109; SG 183a). H.r., light natural gum bend, Very Fine, SG £800 (Photo) 725.00 (Photo) 725.00 (Photo) 725.00 (Photo) 725.00 (Photo) 725.00 (Photo) 1913-18, 1sh Indigo Blue (175a; SG 402). H.r., fresh and Very Fine, SG £350		
Fine-Very Fine, SG £595	2248 *	
1929, £1 Black, UPU Congress (209; SG 438). H.r., Fine, SG £550(Photo) 525.00 1840, 1p "V.R." Official, Experimental Cancel (01; SG Spec. VRI). HE, margins to just in, with experimental concentric rings cancel, fading as always. Very Fine for this, Rowland Hill applied cancels to stamps which they then tried to remove using chemical agents, to test how difficult it would be to defraud the postal authorities, a rare and interesting item, with two purple backstamps, unlisted in Scott, Stanley Gibbons value (Color Photo, p.) £ 5,000.00 1864, Usages of lp Red to Foreign Destinations. Six covers neatly arranged and written up on exhibition pages, incl. one used with 6p and 1sh to Shanghai, one used with pair of 4p and 1sh to Portugal, one bearing three examples of the 1p and used with pair of 1sh to Mexico, one bearing strip of six from pl. 52 to Nova Scotia, a single used to Bolivia, and a single used to Maine, all appear Fine-Very Fine, an interesting group E. 500-750  1841-57, Line-Engraved Balance. 29 stamps, two covers and wrapper, incl. three pairs and also incl. pl. 224, covers incl. No. 43 used with 1p Blue pl. 14 and No. 43 used with 4p and 6p surface-printed issues to Amsterdam, also unused wrapper prepared for distribution to postmasters, few faults, mostly Fine-Very Fine, an interesting group	2249 *	
1840, 1p "V.R." Official, Experimental Cancel (O1; SG Spec. VR1). HE, margins to just in, with experimental concentric rings cancel, fading as always, Very Fine for this, Rowland Hill applied cancels to stamps which they then tried to remove using chemical agents, to test how difficult it would be to defraud the postal authorities, a rare and interesting item, with two purple backstamps, unlisted in Scott, Stanley Gibbons value (Color Photo, p.) £ 5,000.00  1864, Usages of 1p Red to Foreign Destinations. Six covers neatly arranged and written up on exhibition pages, incl. one used with 6p and 1sh to Shanghai, one used with pair of 4p and 1sh to Portugal, one bearing three examples of the 1p and used with pair of 4p and 1sh to Portugal, one bearing three examples of the 1p and used with pair of 4p and 1sh to Portugal, one bearing strip of 5x from pl. 52 to Nova Scotia, a single used to Bolivia, and a single used to Maine, all appear Fine-Very Fine, an interesting group E. 500-750  1841-57, Line-Engraved Balance. 29 stamps, two covers and wrapper, incl. three pairs of SG No. 14 (pl. 3), SG No. 35, ten of SG No. 43 incl. three with mis-aligned perfs and also incl. pl. 224, covers incl. No. 43 used with 1p Blue pl. 14 and No. 43 used with 4p and 6p surface-printed issues to Amsterdam, also unused wrapper prepared for distribution to postmasters, few faults, mostly Fine-Very Fine, an interesting group E. 300-400  2255 S GRENADA, 1883-86, ½p Green, 2½p Ultramarine, 1p on 1½p Orange, 1p on 1sh Orange, 1p on 4p Orange (20, 22, 27-29; SG 30, 32, 37-39). Tied by "Grenada MY 13, 1887" datestamps on registered cover to Moscow Russia, receiving backstamp, the ½p few faults from placement at edge of cover, a Fine and interesting usage (Color Photo, p. 111) E. 500-750  2256 S HONG KONG. Paid at Hong Kong. Red crown-circle, weak strike on 1858 folded letter to Launceston, Van Diemen's Land (Tasmania), "Hong-Kong 14 Ja 1859" backstamp, red "Ship Letter Inwards Free" dis in rectangular frame (on front) and diamond frame	2250 *	
in, with experimental concentric rings cancel, fading as always, Very Fine for this, Rowland Hill applied cancels to stamps which they then tried to remove using chemical agents, to test how difficult it would be to defraud the postal authorities, a rare and interesting item, with two purple backstamps, unlisted in Scott, Stanley Gibbons value ————————————————————————————————————	2251 *	1929, £1 Black, UPU Congress (209; SG 438). H.r., Fine, SG £550(Photo) 525.00
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of SG No. 14 (pl. 3), SG No. 35, ten of SG No. 43 incl. three with mis-aligned perfs and also incl. pl. 224, covers incl. No. 43 used with 1p Blue pl. 14 and No. 43 used with 4p and 6p surface-printed issues to Amsterdam, also unused wrapper prepared for distribution to postmasters, few faults, mostly Fine-Very Fine, an interesting group	2253 ⋈	up on exhibition pages, incl. one used with 6p and 1sh to Shanghai, one used with pair of 4p and 1sh to Portugal, one bearing three examples of the 1p and used with pair of 1sh to Mexico, one bearing strip of six from pl. 52 to Nova Scotia, a single used to Bolivia, and a single used to Maine, all appear Fine-Very Fine, an interesting group
Orange, 1p on 4p Orange (20, 22, 27-29; SG 30, 32, 37-39). Tied by "Grenada MY 13, 1887" datestamps on registered cover to Moscow Russia, receiving backstamp, the ½p few faults from placement at edge of cover, a Fine and interesting usage	2254	of SG No. 14 (pl. 3), SG No. 35, ten of SG No. 43 incl. three with <b>mis-aligned perfs</b> and also incl. pl. 224, covers incl. No. 43 used with 1p Blue pl. 14 and No. 43 used with 4p and 6p surface-printed issues to Amsterdam, also unused wrapper prepared for distribution to postmasters, few faults, mostly Fine-Very Fine, an interesting group
to Launceston, Van Diemen's Land (Tasmania), "Hong-Kong 14 Ja 1859" backstamp, red "Ship Letter Inwards Free" ds in rectangular frame (on front) and diamond frame (on back), red "4" colonial rate, fresh and Very Fine cover, rare destination with this marking	2255 ⊠	Orange, 1p on 4p Orange (20, 22, 27-29; SG 30, 32, 37-39). Tied by "Grenada MY 13, 1887" datestamps on registered cover to Moscow Russia, receiving backstamp, the ½p few faults from placement at edge of cover, a Fine and interesting usage
folded letter to Hamburg, Germany, appropriate transits and rates, Very Fine	2256 ⋈	to Launceston, Van Diemen's Land (Tasmania), "Hong-Kong 14 Ja 1859" backstamp, red "Ship Letter Inwards Free" ds in rectangular frame (on front) and diamond frame (on back), red "4" colonial rate, fresh and Very Fine cover, rare destination with this
Apr. 1855 folded cover to Hamburg, Germany, red Calcutta cds and bold "Forwarded by John Borradaile & Co. Calcutta" oval on back, red framed "India Paid" hs, appropriate rates and transits, Fine	2257 ⋈	folded letter to Hamburg, Germany, appropriate transits and rates, Very Fine
L. not mentioned on certificate, otherwise Fine, signed and with 1967 Diena certificate  (Color Photo, p. 112) 1,800.00  2260 * ITALY, 1865, 20c on 15c Blue, Ty. II (34a). O.g., h.r., color slightly faded in a few spots, otherwise Fine and rare, signed and with 1965 Diena certificate  (Color Photo, p. 112) 4,000.00  2261 MARSHALL ISLANDS, "Ebou 10/10 09". Ms. on 10pf Yacht on cover to Jaluit, Very Fine and rare  (Photo) E. 500-750  MEXICO, 1874, 10c Black, Mazatlan Ovpt. (107). Tied by light strike of Mazatlan cds on yellow cover to San Francisco Cal., receiving cds, also "3" hs and "ADVERTISED" straightline, back bears "Dead Letter Office" hs, opened out for display, Fine	2258 ⊠	Apr. 1855 folded cover to Hamburg, Germany, red Calcutta cds and bold "Forwarded by John Borradaile & Co. Calcutta" oval on back, red framed "India Paid" hs, appropriate
spots, otherwise Fine and rare, signed and with 1965 Diena certificate	2259 *	L. not mentioned on certificate, otherwise Fine, signed and with 1967 Diena certificate
2261   MARSHALL ISLANDS, "Ebou 10/10 09". Ms. on 10pf Yacht on cover to Jaluit, Very Fine and rare	2260 *	spots, otherwise Fine and rare, signed and with 1965 Diena certificate
on yellow cover to San Francisco Cal., receiving cds, also "3" hs and "ADVERTISED" straightline, back bears "Dead Letter Office" hs, opened out for display, Fine	2261 ⋈	MARSHALL ISLANDS, "Ebou 10/10 09". Ms. on 10pf Yacht on cover to Jaluit, Very
	2262 ⊠	on yellow cover to San Francisco Cal., receiving cds, also "3" hs and "ADVERTISED" straightline, back bears "Dead Letter Office" hs, opened out for display, Fine

## NEW BRUNSWICK

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2263 ⋈	1851, 3p Red (1; SG 2). Clear to huge margins showing part of adjacent stamp at T., tied by "1" in grid on part of folded letter to Amherst N.S., "St. John, New Brunswick JU 13, 1854 and receiving backstamps, fresh and Very Fine, signed Diena
2264	<b>1851, 6p Olive Yellow (2; SG 4).</b> Margins all around, light grid cancel, Very Fine, SG £700( <b>Photo</b> ) 725.00
2265 ⊠	1851, 6p Olive Yellow (2; SG 4). Clear to large margins, tied by "1" in grid on 1858 folded letter to Dorchester, neat "St. John, New Brunswick, MR 8, 1858" and receiving backstamps, cover has been lightly cleaned, still Very Fine(Photo) E. 750-1,000
	NEWFOUNDLAND
2266	1860, 3p Green (11A; SG 11). Just touched to large margins, tied by cork killer on cover front only to St. Johns, "Harbor Grace MR 1, 1869" datestamp, cover with added corner at B.L. and several sealed tears, still appears Fine, rare, unlisted in the Pratt census
2267 ⊠	1865-70, 12c Pale Red Brown, 12c Pale Red Brown on White Paper (28, 28A; SG 28, 33). First tied by cork cancel and 1868 cds on part of folded cover to Dorset, second tied by cork cancel on 1871 orange cover to Dorset, few faults, both appear Fine
2268 ★★⊞	<b>1932, \$1.50 on \$1.00 Dornier DO-X Air Post (C12; SG 221).</b> Block of four, Mint N.H., natural gum bend in one, Very Fine, SG £720( <b>Photo)</b> 1,000.00
2269 *	<b>1933, \$4.50 on 75c Balbo Flight (C18; SG 235).</b> Three, one is Mint N.H. (frayed perftip), otherwise Very Fine, SG £750
2270 ⋈	NEW SOUTH WALES, 1897, 1sh, 2sh6p Diamond Jubile, Semi-Postals (B1-B2; SG 287c, 287d). Cancelled or tied on 1930 registered cover to Sydney, used with Australia ½p and two 1p similarly tied, various backstamps, slight perf flaws from placement at edge of cover, few light toning spots, otherwise Fine (Color Photo, p. 111) E. 200-300
2271 ⋈	PERU, 1876, 10c Coat of Arms (25). Tied by "C38" oval grid, "A Callao Fe 28 77" backstamp on cover to Yarmouth Me., ms. "Huanillos Feb. 18, 1877, Ship Bertha", Panama transit, "12" hs and "New-York Due 19 cts. Mar. 21" cds, Very Fine
2272 ⋈	ROMAN STATES, 1867, 5c Black on Light Blue, 10c Black on Vermilion, 20c Black on Copper Red, 80c Black on Lilac Rose (14, 15, 16, 18). Each has large margins to in, cancelled or tied by light diamond of dots on 1868 cover to Bangor Maine, French transits, red "Boston Br. Pkt. Paid Mar. 14" cds and matching "3" credit, light file fold at T. slightly affects stamps, some edge wear, few crudely repaired tears, still appears Fine, an extremely scarce and colorful incoming cover(Color Photo, p. 111) E. 1,500-2,000
2273 *	SAAR, 1928, 40c (+40c)-10Fr (+10Fr) Charity (B9-B15; Michel 128-134). H.r. or lightly hinged, Fine-Very Fine set, Michel DM1,100
2274 ⋈	ST. HELENA, 1882-90, 4p on 6p Carmine, ½p on 6p Green, 3p on 6p Deep Violet (28, 33, 37; SG 24, 36, 41). Each tied by grid on cover to Boston Mass. and forwarded to Chicago, matching "St. Helena FE 22, 1890" cds, Boston and Chicago backstamps, some slight wear affecting 3p stamp, otherwise Fine and colorful usage(Photo) E. 150-200
2275 ⋈	ST. VINCENT, 1885-93, 1p Rose Red, 2½p on 1p Bright Blue, 5p on 6p Deep Lake (43, 56, 59; SG 48, 55, 60). Tied by neat "Kingston SP 27, 1895" datestamps on registered cover to England and forwarded to Berlin, additional postage paid by G.B. 2½p tied by "Farnham DE 5, 1895" ds, receiving backstamp, Very Fine usage
2276 ⋈	ST. VINCENT, 1893-97, 4p Yellow, 5p Gray Brown, 6p Red Violet (49, 50, 52; SG 56, 57, 62). Pairs of each, tied by well-struck "Kingstown St. Vincent OC 27, 1898" datestamps on locally used cover, fresh and Very Fine(Photo) E. 150-200
2277 ⋈	SALVADOR, 1929, 20c Deep Green, Red Air Post Ovpt. (C1a). Used with No. C1 and C3 on flown cover to Guatemala, Very Fine, scarce (Sanabria states 100 issued), Scott Retail \$425.00 off cover

SARDINIA, 1863, 40c Red, Double Embossing (13 var.). Just touched to large margins 2278 M showing part of adjacent stamp at R., tied by "Livorno 24 Nov. 1863" cds on blue folded letter to Malta, various transits and receiving backstamps, Very Fine and rare, signed SWEDEN, 1924, 20ö, 60ö U.P.U. Congress (200, 207). Tied by Stockholm Aug. 22, 1924 2279 m exposition cds on registered postal card to Berne, Very Fine, scarce ..... (Photo) E. 100-150 SWEDEN, 1900, 5c, 10c U.P.U. 25th Anniversary (98-99). Official anniversary cds ties 2280 ₪ 5c on 10c postal card, 5c on cover and two 5c with 10c on registered cover, minor toning, otherwise Very Fine, scarce ..... E. 300-400 SWITZERLAND, 1915, 5c Green, Semi-Postal (B2a). Tete-beche pair, neat cancel at T., 2281 natural inclusion on one stamp, Very Fine.....(Photo) 800.00 SWITZERLAND, 1953, 20c + 10c Camberwell Butterfly, Semi-Postal (B229a). Mint 2282 \*\* SWITZERLAND, 1945, 50c-2fr Pax (298//302). Twelve used stamps incl. Nos. 298 (3), 2283 VENEZUELA, 1951-54, 5c-10bs Coat of Arms (464-631, C338-C553). Set of 380 stamps, 2284 \* WORLDWIDE AIR POST COVERS CANADA, 1928, 5c Brown Olive, Air Post (C1; SG 274). Tied by "North Sydney Newfd 2285 ₺ P.O. NO 11, 1930" cds and used in combination with Newfoundland 2c Carmine (164), similarly tied, on Toronto-St. Johns flight cover (AAMC 242a), addressed to Carbonear, St. John's and receiving backstamps, autographed by pilot A. D. Sullivan, Very Fine (Photo) E. 100-150 [YUKON]. Apr. 13, 1928 issue of the The Whitehorse Star carried on a flight of "Queen of 2286 the Yukon"—neat "Carcross Yukon, Ap. 13, 1928" cds and matching POSTAGE PAID straightline, lead article with headline "Carcross and Atlin Have First Visit From Airship!", newspaper franked with Yukon Airways & Exploration Co. Ltd. 25c Blue tied by "White-Horse Ap. 13, 1928" cds, paper aged, with separations, appears Fine, an interesting item ... E. 100-150 GERMANY, 1931, 2m Ultramarine, Polar Flight (C41; Michel 457). Two, tied by 2287 ₪ "Friedrichshafen 24.7.31" cds on cacheted legal-size cover addressed to Chicago, also bearing 15c in U.S. postage tied by Chicago duplex, additional Arctic cds ties two U.S. stamps, light toned spots, Very Fine and unusual ..... E. 300-400 GREAT BRITAIN, 1911, 1/2p Yellow Green (151; SG 324). Tied by "First United 2288 ⊠ Kingdom Aerial Post London SP 13, 1911" cds on illustrated official aerial post coronation card from London to Windsor, Very Fine early pioneer flight. (Photo) E. 150-200 NEWFOUNDLAND FLIGHT COVERS 2289 ₪ 1919, July 17, Third Martinsyde Transatlantic Attempt (AAMC 5). \$1.00 on 15c Scarlet, Without Comma after "Post" (C2a; SG 143a) tied by well-struck "St. John's N'fld Jul. 12, 1919" wavy-line machine cancel on O.H.M.S. printed cover from Department of Colonial Secretary at St. John's and addressed to Major General Swinton in London, purple Air Ministry and receiving backstamp, light horizontal file fold at T. just affects stamp, otherwise Very Fine and very rare, only 25 letters were added to the mail bag for the second attempt of the Martinsyde, AAMC catalogue value \$2,500.00 ..... ......(Color Photo, p. 111) E. 2,000-3,000 2290 ⋈ 1921, 35c Halifax, Air Post (C3, C3a; SG 148, 148a, 148b). Tied by "St. John's" machine cancels on three separate covers, backstamped Halifax N.S., a Fine-Very Fine group E. 350-450 2291 ⋈ 1930, October 9, Second "Columbia" Transatlantic Flight from Harbour Grace (AAMC 21). Bearing 20c Gray Black (157; SG 176) and 30c Olive Brown (159; SG 178), both tied by bold strike of "St. Johns, N'Fld. Sep. 25, 1930" postmark on cover addressed c/o High

Commissioner for Newfoundland in London, receiving Oct. 13, 1930 backstamp, some slight toning, Very Fine, rare with the backstamp, only 180 pieces were cancelled at St. John's with ordinary stamps, AAMC catalogue value \$1,000.00 ....(Photo) E. 750-1,000

- 2294 

  1932, May 21, Transatlantic DO-X Flight (AAMC 31). Bearing \$1.50 on \$1.00 Air Post (C12; SG 221), tied by "St. Johns, N'fld May 19, 1932" pmk. on cover addressed to the Trade Commissioner for Newfoundland in London, with his oval receiving backstamp, fresh and Very Fine, AAMC catalogue value \$300.00 .......................(Photo) E. 200-300
- 2295 ⋈ **1932, \$1.50 on \$1.00 Dornier DO-X, Air Post (C12; SG 221).** Tied by "St. Johns N'fld May 19, 1932" machine cancel on cover to Brooklyn N.Y., Very Fine, Unitrade C\$500.00 ..... E. 200-300

- 2298 MEWFOUNDLAND AIR MAILS. Collection of 29 covers, few better incl. AAMC Nos. 7, 18, 25 (2), nice group from AAMC No. 24, also a few other covers incl. first flight from London-India and two older Newfoundland covers to England, few small faults, all appear Fine-Very Fine, an interesting group ............................... E. 400-600

#### UNITED STATES FLIGHT COVERS

- 2299 
  6c Orange, 1918 Air Post (C1). Tied by "Key West Fla. Nov. 1" duplex cancel and used with Cuba 10c Air Post, similarly tied, on 2c on 3c Violet entire to Havana Cuba, registered usage, purple "First Trip" hs, 1920 receiving backstamp, Fine. (Photo) E. 100-150
- 2300 

  24c Carmine, 1923 Air Post (C6). Well-centered, tied by bold "Washington D.C., Aug. 21, 1923" pmk. on first day cover to Milburn N.J., hinge mark at B., otherwise Very Fine...............................(Photo) 825.00
- 2301 

  24c Carmine, 1923 Air Post (C6). Block of four, tied by "Lakehurst N.J., Apr. 20, 1925" pmk. on flown cover to Hamilton Bermuda, purple zeppelin hs, receiving backstamps, fresh and Very Fine.......................(Photo) E. 150-200
- 2302 ≅ 65c-\$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (C13-C15). Well-centered, tied by N.Y.C. duplexes on 1c Postal Card flown to Germany, purple diamond and red circular South-America flight cachets, fresh and Very Fine, Sieger DM 3,750......(Color Photo, p. 111) E. 1,000-1,500
- 2303 ≅ \$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (C15). Tied by "Washington D.C. Apr. 19, 1930" slogan machine postmark on oversize cacheted First Day cover, green Lakehurst backstamp, cover edge wear, otherwise Very Fine ................................(Photo) 1,600.00
- 2305 

  65c, \$1.30 Graf Zeppelin (C13, C14). Former tied by "Varick St. Sta. May 24, 1930" pmk. on cacheted picture post card, latter tied by "New York May 31, 1930" duplex on flown cacheted cover with receiving backstamp, both are Very Fine .(Photo Ex) 575.00
- 2306 Mew York to North Pole, Wilkins-Ellsworth Trans-Arctic Submarine Expedition, 1931 (AAMC 1097). Roessler cover signed Wilkins and Eirlson, Falkland Is., G.B. and U.S. franking, Very Fine ................................(Photo) E. 200-300
- 2307 
  Goodwill Flight of the Inter-American Squadron, Mar. 6, 1941 (AAMC 31). Flown cover signed by Walter Bruce Howe and Alfredo de los Rios, Miami Mar. 6 11 A.M. duplex, appropriate franking and cachet, Very Fine, only ten flown ...........(Photo) E. 200-300

- 2308 W.S.S. Barbero SSG-317, First Official Missile Mail, Jun. 8, 1959. Cacheted flown cover with P.O. Dept. enclosure, Very Fine................................ E. 200-300
- 2309 
  U.S. AIRPOST COVERS. Collection of 91 U.S. air mail covers, incl. first flights, first days, commemorative flights, some space related, all are Fine-Very Fine .... E. 200-300
- 2310 
  FLIGHT COVERS. Collection of hundreds of covers neatly arranged by topics, incl. CAM's, FAM's, Zeppelin flights, few crash covers, various rates, cancels, etc. large number of 5c Beacon stamps (C11), most are Fine-Very Fine, an interesting group ......

  E. 750-1,000
- 2311 

   FLIGHT COVERS. Collection of 73 covers or cards, wide range of flights, many with colorful multiple frankings and cachets incl. first flights, zeppelins, special flights, all are fresh and Fine-Very Fine, an interesting group ....... E. 750-1,000
- 2312 

   FOREIGN AIR POST. Collection of seven covers and a block of four, the block is Swiss Semi-Official local dated April 1924, covers incl. 1934 Hungary flight, flown FAM from Zurich to NY, registered 1949 UPU FDC from Gibraltar to Conn., impressive multiple franking on 1929 cover from Stockholm to U.S., 1932 catapult flight cover from the Bremen, last is Zeppelin cover, a Fine-Very Fine and interesting group..... E. 500-750

#### GENERAL FOREIGN COLLECTIONS AND GROUP LOTS BY COUNTRY

- 2312A\* INDEPENDENT AFRICA. 1957-71, ten albums of mostly Mint N.H. stamps, virtually complete for period covered from Algeria to Zanzibar, many imperforate issues, souvenir sheets, various overprint varieties incl. gold and silver, Kennedy missing color error from Guinea, also some unique essays, virtually all are Very Fine, Scott Retail over 8,000.00

- 2318 

   BOER WAR COVERS. Collection of eight covers, incl. one from Bloemfontein to U.S., one from Johannesburg to Natal and two from C.G.H. to St. Helena, others either from/ to Ceylon, each has some faults, still a Fine and interesting group ...... E. 500-750
- BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA. Accumulation of mostly blocks and part sheets in stockbook and folder, many hundreds of stamps incl. better sets, generally Fine-Very Fine, owner's tally of Scott Retail in excess of \$4,000.00........................ E. 750-1,000

2322 \* CANADA, 1868-1975, huge accumulation of thousands of mostly unused stamps and souvenir sheets, incl. Victorias, Edw. VII, Geo. V and VI, QE II issues, with many sets to \$1.00, better items, blocks, plate blocks, booklet panes, panes of 25, coils, Air Posts, Registry to 8c, Special Delivery, Officials, War Tax, Postal Notes, faults to be expected, but most are Fine-Very Fine, worth inspection...... E. 2,500-3,000 CANADA, Victoria Issues. 1859-99, accumulation of 372 used and unused stamps, incl. 2323 Province issues to 17c, Large Queens to 15c, Small Queens to 50c, Jubilees to \$4.00, Mapleleafs to 10c, 1892 issue to 20c, wide range of shades, papers, cancellations, varying CANADA, Edw. VII Issues. 1903-08, accumulation of 115 used and unused stamps, incl. 2324 Edw. VII to 50c, Quebec Tercentenary to 20c, a number with small faults, but most are Fine-Very Fine..... 9395 \* CANADA, Geo. V Issues, 1912-35, accumulation of many hundreds of mostly unused stamps, incl. Admirals to \$1.00, coils, imperforates, commems., 1928 issue to \$1.00, 1930 issue to \$1.00, overprints, 1935 issue to \$1.00, pairs, strips, blocks, faults to be expected, but most are Fine-Very Fine E. 1,500-1,700 CANADA, Flight Covers. 1926-38, fifteen, incl. nine covers franked with Semi-Official 2326 ₪ Air Post stamps, many cacheted, Fine-Very Fine group ..... E. 200-300 CANADA, Special Delivery, 1898-1950, 60 unused stamps, incl. Nos. E1-E11 and EO1-2327 \* CANADA, Officials, 1949-56, 173 unused stamps, incl. values to \$1.00, blocks, some 2328 \* 2329 CAPE OF GOOD HOPE, Triangles. 1853-64, four, Nos. 2, 3, 12 and 13, all have clear to large margins, the latter two are unused (No. 13 with o.g.), few gum soaks on No. 12, CEYLON. 1861-70, collection of nine unused blocks of four or six, incl. SG Nos. 33, 48, 2330 ★⊞ 65a (2), 66, 67 (2), 72a, few small faults, all appear Fine-Very Fine, Stanley Gibbons value £ 1,600.00 2331 \* CHINA, 1897-1984, accumulation of 539 mostly unused stamps and seven souvenir sheets, incl. pictorials, commems, Air Posts, strong in People's Republic issues, many complete sets, better items such as 1980 Year of the Monkey, nearly all Fine-Very Fine E. 400-500 REPUBLIC OF CHINA. Collection of mostly unused stamps, incl. Nos. 1100-1101, 2332 1106-1107, 1117a, 1124-1126, 1126a, also some mixed used stamps, most appear Fine-CRETE & CYPRUS. Small collection of mostly unused stamps on stock cards, incl. Crete 2333 Nos. 74-96, 103-120, Cyprus Nos. 114-123, 143-155, 182 (4), 184-197, 226a (3), used CYPRUS, 1880-1983, collection of unused stamps on album pages, incl. Nos. 28-37, 114-2334 \* 123, virtualy complete from 1934, many are Mint N.H., a fresh and Fine-Very Fine FALKLAND ISLANDS. 1878-1978, collection of unused stamps on album pages, incl. 2335 \* Edw. VII to 3sh, Geo. V to 10sh, virtually complete from Geo. VI incl. Dependencies, South Georgia and Br. Antarctic Territory, many are Mint N.H., fresh and Fine-Very FRANCE. 1940-58, 24 presentation, trial color and essay large die proofs, incl two 2336 P Monaco, one signed by Princes Rainier and Grace, Very Fine lot ...... E. 700-800 FRANCE. 1863-1980, accumulation of many hundreds of mostly used stamps, incl. picto-2337 rials, commems., Semi-Postals with sinking fund issues, Air Posts, imperforates, a number of complete sets, better items, some faults but generally Fine-Very Fine ...... E. 300-400 FRANCE, Covers. Three, incl. one bearing Nos. 26 and 28 to Santiago Chile, one bear-2338 ⋈ ing Nos. 14 and 15 (2) to Turkey, and one bearing No. 63 (2) also to Turkey, range of markings, all appear Fine-Very Fine, an interesting group......(Photo Ex) E. 200-300 2339 ⋈ GERMANY & STATES COVERS. Seven covers, four from Hamburg incl. Michel No. 11 pair and two singles to Westfalia; Michel No. 6 on folded cover to Leeds England; two covers each with pair of Michel No. 20b one to Copenhagen and one to Mecklenburg, also Hanover Michel Nos. 10 and 11 on cover, Germany Michel No. 20 on insufficiently paid cover to France, and Prussia Michel No. 12a with unusual cross-hatching on cover to Arnheim, few small faults, all appear Fine, an interesting group ..... ......(Photo Ex) E. 500-750

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- 2384 

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1002	3,000	1056	250	1111	180	1156	260	1207	210	1270	150	1323	210	1375	600
1003	4,750	1057	325	1114	800	1157	160	1210	110	1271	100	1324	240	1376	325
1004	5,250	1059	210	1115	260	1158	85	1212	140	1272	400	1326	160	1377	375
1005	750	1060	3,500	1116	350	1159	105	1214	95	1273	525	1327	350	1378	750
1008	650	1061	105	1117	300	1160	130	1215	130	1274	150	1328	100	1379	400
1009	625	1062	750	1118	260	1161	400	1217	750	1275	550	1329	50	1380	125
1010	575	1063	170	1119	325	1162	210	1218	6,000	1277	1,200	1330	150	1381	100
1011	450	1064	95	1120	1,000	1163	160	1219	2,100	1278	1,700	1331	325	1383	75
1012	220	1065	50	1121	350	1164	160	1220	120	1279	675	1332	45	1384	850
1013	3,500	1066	170	1122	1,600	1165	85	1223	125	1280	2,900	1333	100	1385	105
1014	1,900	1067	350	1123	140	1166	70	1224	130	1281	675	1334	375	1386	200
1015	230	1069	80	1124	85	1167	160	1225	170	1282	1,250	1337	300	1387	150
1016	400	1070	50	1125	130	1168	80	1226	190	1284	125	1338	6,750	1388	220
1017	300	1071	65	1126	325	1169	375	1227	180	1285	350	1339	1,800	1389	325
1018	2,500	1073	110	1127	140	1170	170	1228	220	1286	375	1340	2,000	1390	115
1019	1,250	1074	60	1128	85	1171	130	1229	800	1287	280	1342	2,500	1391	80
1020	475	1075	220	1129	110	1172	170	1236	3,000	1288	200	1343	300	1394	105
1021		1076	350	1130	85	1173	240	1237	150	1289		1344	1,100	1395	45
1023		1078	75	1131	160	1174		1238		1290		1345	425	1396	75
1024		1079	75	1132		1175		1240		1291		1346	210	1397	70
1025	230	1081		1133		1176		1242		1292	3,000		3,250	ł	150
1026	4,250			1134		1177		1243	475	ł	1,800			1399	80
1027	4,000			1135		1178		1244	125	ł		1349		1400	210
1028		1084		1136		1179		1245	325	ł		1350	1,000	ł	250
1029	25	1089	325	1137		1180	90	· -	120	ł	1,300		3,700	1	3,500
1030	1,350		1,050	ł		1181	135	ł	375	ł	3,250		2,000	ł	1,800
1032		1091		1139		1182		1249	30			1353	1,900	ł	950
1033	950	1092	1,100	1		1183		1251	525	ł	80	1354		1405	300
1034	425	1093		1141		1184	80	ł	100	ł		1355	1,150	ł	375
1035		1095 1097		1142 1143		1185 1186		1256 1257		1303		1356 1357		1407 1408	1,000 1,150
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1037	3,500			1145		1188		1259	2,100	ł		1360	1,600	ł	220
1039		1100		1146		1189		1260		1307	3,500			1411	350
1040	1,150			1147		1190	3,250	ł		1309		1363	2,200	ł	525
1041		1102		1148		1191		1262		1311		1364		1415	3,000
1043		1103		1149		1192		1263		1313	1,000			1416	1,100
1046		1104		1150		1193		1264		1314	1,050			1419	950
1048		1105		1151		1194		1265		1317		1370		1420	9,500
1049		1106		1152		1197		1266	2,000	ł		1371		1421	1,500
1051		1108	1,150	ł		1198		1267		1319	1,000			1422	9,000
1054		1109		1154		1202		1268		1320		1373	1,150	ł	1,800
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1425	1,100	1486	230	1549	150	1608	2,200	1671	700	1727	170	1789	150	1846	750
1426	525	1487	130	1550	1,000	1609	250	1672	325	1728	100	1792	250	1847	65
1427	475	1488	180	1551	280	1610	190	1675	210	1732	750	1793	270	1848	200
1428	200	1489	210	1552	250	1611	200	1676	950	1733	240	1794	450	1849	550
1429	6,000	1491	150	1553	750	1612	525	1677	750	1734	160	1795	260	1850	2,400
1430	160	1492	400	1554	600	1614	1,000	1679	750	1736	65	1799	850	1851	475
1431	300	1493	425	1555	950	1615	1,300	1680	500	1740	140	1800	60	1852	170
1432	170	1494	220	1557	140	1616	850	1681	260	1741	625	1801	220	1853	500
1433	210	1495	150	1558	20	1617	400	1683	140	1745	110	1803	500	1854	135
1435	75	1496	170	1559	120	1618	100	1684	625	1746	115	1804	150	1856	1,600
1436	700	1497	400	1560	900	1620	400	1685	625	1748	150	1808	525	1857	525
1437	100	1502	200	1561	300	1621	475	1687	300	1749	200	1809	200	1858	190
1438	500	1503	1,100	1562	300	1622	300	1688	350	1750	180	1810	100	1860	150
1440	300	1504	25	1564	250	1628	325	1689	350	1751	120	1811	625	1861	105
1441	250	1506	300	1565	180	1629	700	1691	260	1753	110	1812	90	1862	250
1443	600	1507	650	1566	75	1630	100	1692	950	1754	210	1813	65	1864	2,100
1446	400	1508	150	1568	850	1632	1,600	1693	210	1755	65	1814	60	1867	135
1449	1,250	1510	130	1570	150	1633	325	1695	200	1756	80	1815	160	1869	50
1450	1,450	1511	475	1572	75	1634	375	1697	150	1757	400	1817	425	1871	90
1454	100	1512	350	1574	80	1636	300	1698	160	1758	210	1818	200	1872	90
1456	400	1513	425	1575	270	1637	450	1699	150	1759	800	1819	2,000	1873	115
1459	150	1518	180	1577	210	1639	600	1700	150	1760	150	1821	190	1874	70
1460	400	1520	325	1578	900	1639	325	1701	260	1763	1,200	1822	200	1875	75
1461	140	1521	2,600	1579	125	1640	900	1702	100	1764	350	1824	425	1876	210
1462	250	1522	750	1581	90	1642	1,350	1704	80	1765	160	1825	160	1877	270
1463	220	1523	700	1582	90	1644	4,750	1705	130	1767	160	1826	210	1878	700
1465	700	1524	800	1584	80	1645	7,500	ł	150	1768	525	1827	325	1880	140
1466	800	1526	300	1585		1649	250	1707	150	1769		1828	6,750	1881	30
1467	100	1527	80	1586	325	1650	425	ł	210	1771	1,100	1829	75	1884	425
1468	1,500		525	1588	1,100	ł		1710		1772	1,800	1	240	1885	80
1470		1529	525	1589		1652		1712		1773		1831	85	1886	105
1472		1531	1,300			1654		1713		1774		1833		1887	75
1474		1533	1,400			1655		1714		1776		1834		1888	105
1475		1534		1593		1656		1715	1,250	ł		1835		1889	100
1476	3,750			1595		1659		1716		1778		1836		1890	50
1477		1539		1597		1662		1717		1779		1837		1892	75
1478	3,250	•		1598		1663		1718		1781		1839		1893	300
1479		1542		1599		1664		1719		1782		1840		1894	110
1480		1543		1600		1665		1720		1783		1841		1895	425
1481		1544		1603		1666	1,000	ł		1784		1842		1896	475
1482		1545		1605		1667		1724		1785		1843		1897	350
1483		1546		1606		1668		1725	1,800	ł		1844		1897	170
1485	400	1548	1,300	1607	350	1669	6/5	1726	50	1787	800	1845	105	1898	2,900

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1899	12,500	1955	210	2013	400	2057	325	2107	260	2155	400	2204	180	2251	325
1900	1,350	1956	50	2014	130	2058	800	2109	475	2156	1,800	2205	550	2253	675
1901	1,000	1959	325	2015	575	2059	475	2110	230	2159	3,500	2206	140	2254	270
1902	1,200	1960	1,300	2016	525	2060	280	2111	350	2160	3,750	2207	105	2255	600
1903	8,000	1961	1,150	2017	1,200	2061	210	2112	425	2161	3,750	2208	400	2256	525
1904	575	1963	350	2018	850	2063	140	2113	425	2162	220	2209	75	2257	400
1905	425	1964	1,350	2019	4,750	2064	500	2114	300	2163	55	2210	80	2258	375
1906	100	1965	120	2020	1,150	2065	125	2115	170	2164	850	2211	75	2259	120
1907	170	1966	525	2021	400	2066	650	2116	170	2165	950	2212	350	2260	625
1908	1,300	1968	575	2022	800	2067	525	2118	260	2166	4,000	2213	100	2262	50
1910	100	1969	400	2023	260	2068	375	2119	400	2167	550	2214	800	2263	260
1911	600	1971	290	2024	375	2071	220	2120	375	2168	150	2215	210	2264	200
1912	350	1973	14,000	2025	1,050	2072	135	2121	525	2170	525	2216	575	2265	300
1915	2,300	1974	5,000	2026	1,000	2075	350	2122	850	2171	500	2217	200	2266	230
1916	900	1975	250	2027	115	2076	375	2123	210	2172	2,900	2218	4,750	2267	75
1917	200	1976	180	2028	3,250	2077	600	2124	190	2173	290	2219	160	2268	425
1920	150	1978	1,000	2029	2,400	2078	1,900	2125	2,100	2174	1,050	2220	550	2269	425
1922	400	1979	75	2030	750	2079	400	2127	170	2176	425	2221	270	2270	400
1924	350	1980	80	2031	150	2080	550	2128	425	2177	400	2222	140	2271	160
1925	900	1981	210	2032	450	2081	425	2129	500	2178	525	2224	850	2273	160
1926	160	1982	650	2033	350	2082	700	2130	375	2179	800	2226	325	2274	160
1928	125	1983	800	2034	500	2083	270	2131	525	2180	800	2227	500	2275	170
1928	350	1984	1,900	2035	675	2084	625	2132	200	2181	550	2228	1,900	2276	160
1929	750	1985	7,000	2036	475	2085	210	2133	1,350	2183	400	2229	250	2277	525
1930	40	1992	90	2037	525	2086	1,350	2134	10,500	2184	400	2231	350	2278	300
1931	270	1993	90	2038	625	2087	170	2135	1,500	2185	350	2232	95	2279	160
1931	450	1994	300	2039	220	2088	170	2136	325	2186	170	2233	300	2280	180
1932	400	1995	1,700	2040	220	2089	900	2137	1,050	2188	325	2234	80	2281	65
1933	500	1996	500	2041	210	2090	1,000	2138	300	2189	270	2235	375	2282	135
1935	260	1997	135	2042	240	2091	150	2139	750	2190	350	2236	100	2283	170
1936		1998		2043		2092		2140		2191		2237		2284	270
1937		1999		2044		2093		2141		2192		2238		2285	50
1938		2000		2045		2094		2142		2193		2239		2286	75
1939		2001	1,250	ł		2095		2143		2194		2240		2288	95
1940		2002		2047		2096		2144		2195		2241		2289	2,700
1941		2003		2048		2097		2146		2196		2242		2290	170
1942		2004		2049		2099		2147		2197		2243		2293	120
1943		2005		2050	4,750	ł		2148		2198		2244		2294	160
1944		2006		2052		2101		2149		2199		2246		2295	125
1945		2008	4,000	t		2103		2150		2200		2247		2296	400
1946		2009		2054		2104		2152		2201		2248		2297	115
1949		2010		2055		2105		2153	2,400	ł		2249		2298	625
1954	80	2011	220	2056	525	2106	325	2154	2,300	2203	80	2250	135	2299	240

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2300	210	2347	105	2395	2,600
2301	190	2348	170	2396	475
2302	1,400	2349	800	2397	750
2303	450	2350	1,500	2398	1,300
2304	350	2351	1,250	2400	650
2305	220	2352	3,000	2401	350
2306	100	2353	1,700		•
2308	475	2354	425		
2309	200	2356	525		
2310	1,800	2357	1,150		
2311	800	2358	950		
2312	2,000	2359	375		
2313	1,700	2360	1,350		
2314	1,800	2361	600		
2315	135	2362	2,900		
2316	475	2363	4,000		
2317	800	2365	575		
2318	375	2366	675		
2319	575	2367	400		
2321	1,300	2369	300		
2322	2,100	2370	500		
2324	500	2371	200		
2325	1,200	2372	500		
2326	160	2373	650		
2328	240	2374	400		
2329	115	2375	375		
2330	1,300	2376	230		
2331	675	2377	625		
2332	260	2378	260		
2333	575	2379	475		
2334	525	2380	1,700		
2335	800	2381	575		
2336	575	2382	650		
2337	350	2383	900		
2338	180	2385	2,800		
2339	1,350	2386	4,500		
2340	650	2387	125		
2341	425	2388	230		
2342	675	2389	230		
2343	325	2390	100		
2344	750	2391	425		
2345	1,700	2392	210		
2346	125	2394	230		