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Thursday, September 14, 2000 at 1:30 p.m.



United States Revenues

Featuring

The Robert Zoellner Collection

The Henry Tolman II Collection of Embossed Revenue Stamped Paper

All lots are offered without reserves

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Extremely Fine (EF): Exceptionally large margins or near perfect centering. The term "Gem" describes condition that is the finest possible for the issue.

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

Fine (F): Smaller than usual margins or noticeably off center. Pre-1890 issues may have the design touched in places.

Very Good (VG): Attractive appearance, but margins or perforations cut into the design.

Good (G) or Average (Ave.): Cut into or perfs far into design and usually with slight faults. This condition is generally acceptable for rarities, scarce multiples or stamps used on unusual covers.

Gum Categories:	MINT N.H. ORIGINAL GUM (O.G.)				NO GUM	
	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 Only if issued with gum
Catalogue Symbol:	**	*	*	*	*	(★)
PRE-1890 ISSUES		1890 stamps in these categories e at a premium over Scott value		Scott Value for "O.G."		Scott "No Gum" Values thru No. 218
1890-1935 ISSUES	Scott "Never Hinged" Values for Nos. 219-771	Scott Value for "O.G." (Actual value will be affected by the degree of hinging)		effects of humidi half of the gum.	ty, climate or hingi The significance of	howing noticeable ng over more than of gum disturbance ne Original Gum
1935 TO DATE	Scott Value for "Unused"	categories depends on the degre for rarity and normal gum conditi		nds on the degree nal gum condition offecting quality. Fo al climates are expe due to humidity,	of disturbance, the n of the issue and or example, stamps ected to have some and such condition	

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Minor nicks, short edge tears, flap tears and slight reduction at one side are normal conditions for 19th century envelopes. Folded letters should be expected to have at least one file fold. Light cleaning of covers and small mends along the edges are accepted forms of conservation. Unusual covers may have a common stamp with a slight crease or tiny tear. These flaws exist in virtually all 19th century covers and are not always described. They are not grounds for return.

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Symbols and Abbreviations (see chart above for gum symbols)

\blacksquare	Block	E	Essay	pmk.			Scott Catalogue Number
\boxtimes	Cover	P	Proof	cds	Circular Datestamp	hs	Handstamp
FC	Fancy Cancel	TC	Trial Color Proof	var.	Variety	ms.	Manuscript















AFTERNOON SESSION (LOTS 1501-END)

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 2000, AT 1:30 P.M.

UNITED STATES REVENUES

FIRST ISSUE IMPERFORATE



1501	1c Playing Cards, Imperforate (R2a). Vertical pair, huge margins all around, clear "S.R. & Co. Apl. 6th" manuscript cancel, lower stamp shows ink smear from printing process
	EXTREMELY FINE AND CHOICE. AN EXCEEDINGLY RARE VERTICAL PAIR OF THE IMPERFORATE ONE-CENT PLAYING CARD. ONLY THREE VERTICAL PAIRS ARE RECORDED IN TURNER CENSUS.
	The Turner census lists three horizontal and three vertical pairs. No blocks are known to exist. From the Weill sale
1502	1c Express, Imperforate (R1a). Enormous margins all around, fresh and bright color, neat manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine Gem
1503	1c Proprietary, Imperforate (R3a). Huge to large margins, fresh and bright color, neat manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine and choice
1504	1c Telegraph, Imperforate (R4). Enormous margins, rich color, neat "C.B.H. Nov. 14, 1864" manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, superb stamp in every respect, ex Joyce
1505 ⊞	2c Bank Check, Blue, Imperforate (R5a). Block of four, huge margins, rich color, neat "R.B. & Co. Aug. 29, 1864" manuscript cancel, few tiny pinholes in bottom right stamp, otherwise Extremely Fine and rare block, Turner recorded four blocks of four and nine larger multiples, ex Joyce
1506 ⊞	2c Certificate, Blue, Imperforate (R7a). Block of four, huge margins incl. part of adjoining stamps at bottom, light manuscript cancels, deep rich color, Extremely Fine and choice, a rare block, Turner recorded five blocks of four and seven larger multiples, ex Joyce
1507 ⊞	2c Express, Blue, Imperforate (R9a). Block of six, huge even margins, deep rich color, each stamp with different signature (same handwriting) and dated Sept. 2, 1864, Extremely Fine and choice block, ex Joyce
1508	2c Proprietary, Blue, Imperforate (R13a). Huge margins, fresh color and detailed impression, neat 1865 manuscript cancel, insignificant tear in bottom margin, otherwise Extremely Fine, with 1991 P.F. certificate, ex Joyce



1509

3c Playing Cards, Imperforate (R17a). Vertical pair, large margins all around, deep rich color, faint manuscript cancellation leaves entire design clearly visible

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. THIS IS THE FINEST OF THE SIX KNOWN PAIRS OF THE IMPERFORATE 3-CENT PLAYING CARDS. ONE OF THE GREATEST RARITIES OF UNITED STATES REVENUE COLLECTING.

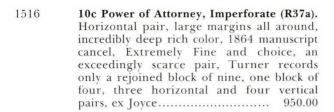
Turner records six vertical pairs of this rarity, and no larger multiples. However, a review of auction records indicates that it is much scarcer in pair form that census figures would indicate.



1510	3c Telegraph, Imperforate (R19a). Vertical pair, large margins, deep rich color, neat
	1863 manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine and choice, surprisingly rare pair, Turner
	records only three vertical pairs and six larger multiples
1511	5c Certificate, Imperforate (R24a). Large margins all around, fresh color, perfect strike

- 5c Certificate, Imperforate (R24a). Large margins all around, fresh color, perfect strike of "Tradesmen's Bank N.Y. Mar 13, 1863" datestamp, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp in every respect, ex Joyce...... E. 75-100
- 5c Inland Exchange, Imperforate (R27a). Huge margins, beautiful fresh color and sharp impression, printed "W.V. May 12th 1863" cancel, Extremely Fine and choice, ex Joyce.

 E. 100-150















1520

- 20c Bond, Imperforate (R43a). Horizontal pair, large and even margins all around, rich color, neat 1863 manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine pair, no blocks of four or larger are known, making a pair the largest recorded multiple, ex Joyce................. 500.00

- 25c Insurance, Imperforate (R46a). Horizontal strip of four, huge to large margins all around, rich color, neat 1863 manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine Fine strip, ex Joyce

 85.00



FIRST ISSUE IMPERFORATE

1525	25c Protest, Imperforate (R49a). Huge margins, fresh and bright color, neat magenta August 22, 1863 manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine Gem
1526	25c Warehouse Receipt, Imperforate (R50a). Vertical pair, huge margins to full, two strikes of "New York Life Ins. Co. Feb. 25, 1863" handstamp cancels, Very Fine and rare, only two vertical pairs are recorded, Turner also records a block of eight, two blocks of four, six horizontal strips and three horizontal pairs, ex Joyce
1527	30c Foreign Exchange, Imperforate (R51a). Huge margins, fresh color, 1864 manuscript cancel, Very Fine and choice
1528	50c Conveyance, Imperforate (R54a). Top sheet margin horizontal pair, huge margins other sides, deep rich color, neat Jan. 1, 1863 manuscript cancels, Extremely Fine Gem top sheet margin pair, ex Joyce
1529	50c Lease, Imperforate (R57a). Top sheet margin, enormous margins other sides incl. part of adjoining stamp at right, deep rich color and proof-like impression, large red oval handstamp cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp in every respect 24.00
1530	50c Mortgage, Imperforate (R59a). Left sheet margin horizontal strip of four, large margins other sides, rich color, manuscript cancels, tiny tear in selvage (easily trimmed), Extremely Fine, a rare strip — especially with the sheet margin — ex Joyce
1531	50c Passage Ticket, Imperforate (R61a). Horizontal pair, huge margins all around, rich color and sharp impressions, neat Jan. 21, 1863 manuscript cancels, Extremely Fine and choice, a rare pair, Turner records only two blocks of four (one is rejoined), a horizontal strip of eight and four, three vertical and four horizontal pairs, ex Joyce
1532	50c Probate of Will, Imperforate (R62a). Horizontal pair, large margins, deep rich color and sharp impression, neat Dec. 18, 1862 manuscript cancels, Extremely Fine pair
1533	50c Surety Bond, Imperforate (R63a). Large margins all around, gorgeous deep rich color and detailed impression, red handstamp cancel, Extremely Fine, a stunning stamp. 150.00
1534	60c Inland Exchange, Imperforate (R64a). Horizontal pair, huge margins, fresh and bright color, neat Dec. 5, 1862 manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine
1535	70c Foreign Exchange, Imperforate (R65a). Huge margins all around, deep rich color and detailed impression, clear strike of "A. Hardy & Co., Boston Jun. 14, 1864" oval handstamp, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp, from the Weill sale 325.00
1536	\$1.00 Entry of Goods, Imperforate (R67a). Large margins, rich color, well-struck "B. & Co. New York Jul. 31, 1863" handstamp cancel, Extremely Fine
1537	\$1.00 Foreign Exchange, Imperforate (R68a). Large margins, deep rich color, 1863 manuscript cancels, Extremely Fine, ex Joyce
1538	\$1.00 Inland Exchange, Imperforate (R69a). Huge to large margins, bright color, well-struck "A. & W. Sprague Jan. 2, 1863" handstamp cancel, Extremely Fine, pencil notation on back reds "earliest date seen", ex Joyce E. 50-75



1539	\$1.00 Lease, Imperforate (R70a). Horizontal pair, large margins, rich color and fine impression, neat May 13, 1864 manuscript cancel, Very Fine pair, ex Joyce 95.00
1540	\$1.00 Life Insurance, Imperforate (R71a). Large margins, rich color, neat "Manhattan Life Ins. Co. N.Y. 1864" handstamp cancel frames portrait nicely, Extremely Fine and choice
1541	\$1.00 Life Insurance, Imperforate (R71a). Bottom sheet margin horizontal pair, large margins other sides, rich color, neat manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine and choice bottom sheet margin pair, Turner records only five horizontal pairs in addition to four blocks of four (two form block of eight), a block of six and six vertical pairs, ex Joyce
1542	\$1.00 Mortgage, Imperforate (R73a). Top right corner margin horizontal pair, large margins to ample other sides, margin shows impression from edge of plate, fresh and bright color, Apr. 19, 1865 manuscript cancels, Extremely Fine Gem, a stunning corner margin horizontal pair, ex Joyce
1543	\$1.00 Passage Ticket, Imperforate (R74a). Huge margins, fresh color, neat manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine and choice
1544	\$1.00 Power of Attorney, Imperforate (R75a). Huge margins incl. significant portion of adjoining stamp at left, fresh color, neat red handstamp cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp from the Weill sale.





1545 \$1.30 Foreign Exchange, Imperforate (R77a). Large to full margins, deep rich color, two strikes of "D.S. & Co. Apr. 21, 1863" handstamp cancels EXTREMELY FINE. A SUPERB EXAMPLE OF THE \$1.30 FOREIGN EXCHANGE WITH HAND-STAMPED CANCEL. 1546 \$1.30 Foreign Exchange, Imperforate (R77a). Large margins all around, deep rich color, 1547 ⊞ \$1.50 Inland Exchange, Imperforate (R78a). Block of six, large margins all around, intense color, neat June 17, 1863 manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine and choice block, Turner records a block of 24, two blocks of twelve, a block of ten and two blocks of six, ex 1548 ⊞ \$1.50 Inland Exchange, Imperforate (R78a). Left margin block of four with part imprint, large to huge margins, "W.L. Feb. 13/63" ms cancels, tiny sealed tear at top



1549

1550 **\$1.90 Foreign Exchange, Imperforate (R80a).** Large margins all around, fresh and bright color, well-struck "D. S & Co. Jun. 8, 1863" handstamp cancel

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A SUPERB EXAMPLE OF THE RARE \$1.90 IMPERFORATE FOREIGN EXCHANGE WITH HAND-STAMPED CANCEL.

It is believed that of the 9,000 examples originally issued imperforate, 312 were returned for perforating. It is not known how many were used.

Ex Chapin. With 1978 P.F. certificate 3,750.00



1550



1551

\$2.00 Probate of Will, Imperforate (R83a). Huge margins including sheet margin at top, part of adjoining stamp at bottom and left, fresh and bright color, beautiful impression, clear "R.C. February 5th 1863" manuscript cancel, tiny closed tear at top left in sheet margin only

EXTREMELY FINE. A RARE SHEET-MARGIN EXAMPLE OF THE IMPERFORATE \$2.00 PROBATE OF WILL.

Ex Joyce. With 1991 P.F. certificate 3,250.00



- \$2.00 Mortgage, Imperforate (R82a). Horizontal pair, large margins all around incl. trace of adjoining stamp at right, deep rich color and sharp proof-like impressions, clear March 28, 1864 manuscript cancels, Extremely Fine and choice pair, ex Joyce... 220.00



- \$2.50 Inland Exchange, Imperforate (R84a). Large even margins, deep rich color and sharp proof-like impression, manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine, with 1984 P.F. certificate 2,500.00
- \$3.00 Charter Party, Imperforate (R85a). Huge margins including sheet margin at top and part of adjoining stamp at right, incredibly deep color and proof-like impression, clear May 28, 1867 manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, a stunning stamp.. 110.00



1557

\$3.50 Inland Exchange, Imperforate (R87a). Vertical pair, large to huge margins incl. sheet margin at bottom, deep rich color, neat May 20, 1864 manuscript cancel, two trivial sealed tears affect top stamp only

EXTREMELY FINE APPEARANCE. AN EXCEEDINGLY RARE PAIR OF THE IMPERFORATE \$3.50 INLAND EXCHANGE. ONLY THREE VERTICAL AND THREE HORIZONTAL PAIRS ARE RECORDED. NO BLOCKS ARE KNOWN.



	part of adjoining stamp at right, pretty shade, cancelled by two perfect strikes of "I.W & M Jul. 22, 1863" handstamps, Extremely Fine Gem pair, a rare multiple 550.00
1559	\$5.00 Manifest, Imperforate (R90a). Large even margins, fresh color and detailed impression, Aug. 5, 1865 manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, a beautiful stamp 110.00
1560	\$5.00 Mortgage, Imperforate (R91a). Horizontal pair, large to huge margins, bright color, neat manuscript cancels leave portrait and "Mortgage" clearly visible, Extremely Fine, a rare pair
1561	\$5.00 Probate of Will, Imperforate (R92a). Horizontal pair, huge margins all around, fresh and bright color, neat March 25, 1864 manuscript cancels leave both portrait and "Probate of Will" clearly visible, light horizontal crease, otherwise Extremely Fine and rare, one of only ten recorded multiples
1562	\$10.00 Charter Party, Imperforate (R93a). Large even margins, deep rich color, faint manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, a beautiful stamp, from the Weill sale. 550.00
1563	\$10.00 Conveyance, Imperforate (R94a). Vertical pair, huge margins incl. sheet margin at right and part of adjoining stamp at left, deep rich color and detailed impressions, neat Feb. 16, 1863 manuscript cancels, Extremely Fine, a rare vertical pair, from the Weill sale
1564	\$10.00 Mortgage, Imperforate (R95a). Huge margins all around, deep rich color, faint manuscript cancellation, Extremely Fine Gem, a beautiful stamp, from the Weill sale
	350.00



\$15.00 Mortgage, Imperforate (R97a). Large margins all around, incredibly intense shade and impression, neat Feb. 17, 1865 manuscript cancel

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A SUPERB AND STUNNING EXAMPLE OF THE IMPERFORATE \$15.00 MORTGAGE. A MAGNIFICENT STAMP.

According to *Revenue Stamps of the United States 1862-1899*, the total supply of \$15.00 Mortgage stamps issued (in both perforated or imperforate form) was 18,358. The book also states that there was likely an imperforate supply of 162, less 90 returned for perforating, for a total supply of 72. However, the total available to collectors would indicate a slightly larger supply (including some that may be fraudulently trimmed perforated stamps).



\$50.00 U.S.I.R., Imperforate (R101a). Huge margins all around, beautiful color and crisp impression, faint strikes of handstamp cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp... 190.00



\$200.00 U.S.I.R., Imperforate (R102a). Vertical pair, huge margins including bottom right corner sheet margin, deep rich colors, neat Feb. 21, 1865 manuscript cancels, faint horizontal crease in bottom margin well clear of design

EXTREMELY FINE. A RARE IMPERFORATE VERTICAL PAIR OF THE SPECTACULAR \$200.00 FIRST ISSUE.



1572

\$200.00 U.S.I.R., Imperforate (R102a). Complete sheet of eight, clear margins all around, deep rich colors, neat "N.Y. May 11, 1865/Chi. & Gt. E. R.W. Co./By A. Turner Secty" manuscript cancellations on each stamp

VERY FINE. THIS IS THE FINEST OF THE THREE RECORDED COMPLETE SHEETS OF THE IMPERFORATE \$200.00 FIRST ISSUE REVENUE.



FIRST ISSUE PERFORATED

1573	1c Express, Perforated (R1c). Horizontal pair, well-centered, rich color and sharp impressions, perfectly struck "Pebdecord & Burrows, Decatur, Aug. 8, 1864" handstamp cancel, Extremely Fine and choice pair, ex Joyce, with 1991 P.F. certificate E. 50-75
1574	1c Playing Cards, Perforated (R2c). Well-centered, intense color and impression, neat manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine
1575 ⊠	2c Bank Check, Blue, Perforated (R5c). Double transfer T5, affixed to Wilbur N.Y. Bank of Rondout check showing illustration of St. Patrick's Cathedral, manuscript "Sept. 9/64" on stamp, faint toned spot at left of check, otherwise Very Fine, ex Joyce E. 150-200
1576	2c Playing Cards, Blue, Perforated (R11c). Horizontal strip of seven, tied to piece by "Cashier's Office Mich. So. & North'n. Ind'a. R.R. Co. Paid Nov. 14, 1864" handstamps, fresh and Very Fine-Extremely Fine, ex Joyce E. 100-150
1577	2c Proprietary, Pale Milky Blue, Perforated (R13c var). Fresh and bright color, well-centered, neat Jan. 25, 1870 handstamp cancel, Very Fine and choice example of this rare late shade on thick porous paper, ex Joyce, with 1991 P.F. certificate E. 200-300
1578 (★)	2c Proprietary, Orange, Perforated (R14c). Horizontal pair, unused (no gum), vivid color, well-centered, Extremely Fine and choice pair, ex Joyce, with 1991 P.F. certificate, unpriced in Scott as unused, Scott Retail as used
1579	3c Playing Cards, Perforated (R17c). Well-centered, deep rich color, neat Aug. 1864 manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, from the Weill sale
1580	4c Playing Cards, Perforated (R21c). Well-centered with unusually wide margins, showing stitch watermark, deep rich color and proof-like impression, neat Feb. 13, 1866 manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp, with 1988 P.F. certificate
1581 ⊞	5c Inland Exchange, Perforated (R27c). Block of ten, well-centered, rich color, three bold strikes of "John Myers, Agent, Rouse's Point, N.Y. Apr. 14, 1864" oval handstamp cancels, a Very Fine-Extremely Fine multiple, ex Joyce E. 100-150





1582	6c Proprietary, Perforated (R31c). Fresh color, barest trace of cancel (almost appears unused), small thin spot at left, otherwise Fine
1583	6c Proprietary (R31c). Bright color, blue hs cancel, small thin spot and short perfs at bottom, appears Fine
1584	\$1.00 Mortgage, Perforated (R73c). Well-centered, fresh color, neat Sept. 27, 1864 manuscript cancel, light diagonal crease at bottom right, otherwise Very Fine, a difficult stamp to find well-centered, ex Joyce, with 1991 P.F. certificate
1585	\$1.00 Passage Ticket, Perforated (R74c). Well-centered, fresh color, well-struck "H.L.R & S. Aug. 2, 1864" handstamp cancel, Extremely Fine, rare in such choice condition, from the Weill sale



1586	\$1.60 Foreign Exchange, Perforated (R79c). Well-centered, deep rich color and sharp proof-like impression, appears unused (manuscript offset on back from document is only indication it was used), Extremely Fine, from the Weill sale
1587	\$15.00 Mortgage, Perforated (R97c). Appears unused, deep rich color and detailed impression, Very Fine and choice, unpriced in Scott as unused, Scott Retail for used
1588	\$20.00 Probate of Will, Perforated (R99c). Well-centered, incredible bright color, neat Feb. 8, 1864 manuscript cancel, light horizontal crease not mentioned on accompanying certificate, otherwise Extremely Fine example of this rare stamp, only 2,806 were issued in either perforated or imperforate form, with 1981 P.F. certificate
1589	\$20.00 Probate of Will, Perforated (R99c). Radiant color on bright white paper, neat "J.C. May 10/62" ms. cancel, few short perfs at top right, Fine
1590	\$25.00 Mortgage, Perforated (R100c). Well-centered, incredibly intense color and impression, Oct. 27, 1865 manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, a magnificent stamp with great eye appeal
1591	\$50.00 U.S.I.R., Perforated (R101c). Well-centered with wide margins, deep dark shade and sharp proof-like impression, neat manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp
1592	Balance of the Zoellner First Issue Perforated Collection. 149 unused and used stamps on album pages, including tremendous range of shades such as two of R51c, five each of R52c, R53c, R54c (latter represented by block of six, three pairs and a strip of four), six shades of R84c, also incl. R55c with cracked plate, singles incl. Nos. R77c, R79c, R80c, R83c, R87c, R90c, R94c, few trivial faults to be expected, overall an unusually fresh and Very Fine-Extremely Fine collection

SECOND ISSUE INVERTS



1593



1594

2c Blue & Black, Center Inverted (R104a). Beautiful rich colors showing some clear silk fibers, sharp proof-like impressions, attractive manuscript "1/2 1872" and initials

EXTREMELY FINE EXAMPLE OF THE RARE 2-CENT SECOND ISSUE WITH INVERTED CENTER.

1594

1595 (*) 5c Blue & Black, Center Inverted (R107a). Unused (no gum), incredibly rich color and detailed impressions, perfectly centered

EXTREMELY FINE. A SUPERB UNUSED EXAMPLE OF THE 5-CENT SECOND ISSUE WITH INVERTED CENTER.

Unpriced in Scott as unused. Scott Retail for used.... 1,650.00





1596

1596 (★) 10c Blue & Black, Inverted Center (R109a). Unused (no gum), well-centered, fresh color and detailed impressions

EXTREMELY FINE. A CHOICE UNUSED EXAMPLE OF THE $10\text{-}\mathsf{CENT}$ SECOND ISSUE WITH INVERTED CENTER.



1597

1597 (*) 20c Blue & Black, Second Issue, Inverted Center (R111a). Unused (no gum), deep rich color and clear impressions, centering is typical for all known copies of this invert, small natural pre-printing paper fold at bottom right

FINE EXAMPLE OF THIS RARE INVERT. ONLY FIFTEEN COPIES OF THE 20-CENT SECOND ISSUE WITH INVERTED CENTER ARE RECORDED. ONLY TWO EXAMPLES OF THIS RARE INVERT ARE KNOWN SOUND.

In his privately published census of Scott R111a, Larry Lyons notes thirteen singles and a pair. Of these, only one single and one stamp in the pair are sound; seven have herringbone cut cancellations and the others are faulty. The stamp offered here is one of the finest extant.



1598

1598 ★ 25c Blue & Black, Inverted Center (R112a). Large part original gum, deep rich color and proof-like impressions

EXTREMELY FINE. EASILY THE FINEST OF THE SIXTEEN RECORDED EXAMPLES OF THE 25-CENT SECOND ISSUE WITH INVERTED CENTER. THIS IS THE ONLY SOUND UNCANCELLED EXAMPLE IN EXISTENCE.

In his privately published census, Larry Lyons records sixteen examples of the 25c Second Issue Invert. Of these, ten have faults, one is noted as having a herringbone cancellation, and three have no notes as to condition (our records note that at least one is faulty). This leaves only two confirmed sound examples: the ex-Joyce copy with manuscript cancellation and the unused stamp offered here.



1599

1600 **70c Blue & Black, Inverted Center (R117a).**Fresh colors, light herringbone cancellation is barely noticeable, blue "Dec. 19, 1871" handstamp, small thin spot at bottom left

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. THIS IS ONE OF THE FINEST OF THE 26 RECORDED EXAMPLES OF THE 70-CENT SECOND ISSUE INVERTED CENTERS.

In his privately published census, Larry Lyons records 26 examples of the 70c inverted center. Of these, fourteen have herringbone cancellations. The rest are not specified as to their cancels. An astounding 22 of the 26 are noted as having faults. The stamp offered here, with a tiny thin spot, is one of the finest examples recorded.



\$1.00 Blue & Black, Inverted Center (R118a). Fresh and bright color, signed "Aug 8th, 1872" manuscript cancellation leaves vignette clearly visible

EXTREMELY FINE AND CHOICE EXAMPLE OF THE RARE \$1.00 SECOND ISSUE WITH INVERTED CENTER. A BEAUTIFUL STAMP.

With 1987 P.F. certificate 4,250.00



1601



1602

1602 **\$5.00 Blue & Black, Inverted Center (R127a).**Brilliant color, neat "W.R.M. 3d July 1871" manuscript cancel, well-centered

EXTREMELY FINE EXAMPLE OF THE \$5.00 SECOND ISSUE WITH INVERTED CENTER.



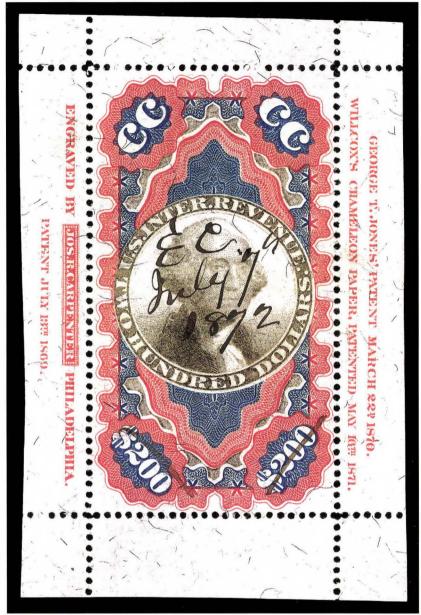
1603 ★ 25c Blue & Black, Second Issue, Sewing Machine Perforations (R112b). Top margin block of four with "WILLCOX'S CHAMELEON PAPER, PATENT/GEORGE T. JONES' PATE(NT)" part of imprint, unused (dry original gum), rich color, few creases VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A SCARCE PART IMPRINT BLOCK OF THE SEWING MACHINE PERFORATIONS ON THE 25-CENT SECOND ISSUE REVENUE. The sewing machine perforations exist on the 25c, 50c and \$1.50 Second Issue revenue stamps. They were likely created from erroneously issued imperforate stamps. Only four blocks of four ar recorded by Turner. Other multiples include horizontal strips of six (two), of four (two) and of three (one). 1604 \$1.30 Blue & Black, Second Issue (R119). Well-centered, rich color, faint 1872 \$1.60 Blue & Black, Second Issue (R121). Well-centered with wide and even margins, 1605 deep rich color, faint trace of blue handstamp cancels, Extremely Fine Gem, scarce in \$1.60 Second Issue (R121). Well-centered, light blue oval datestamp cancel, tiny sealed 1606 tear at top right, otherwise Extremely Fine 1607 \$1.90 Blue & Black, Second Issue (R122). Well-centered, beautiful rich color and incredible proof-like impressions, neat Sept. 1872 manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine and 1608 \$10.00 Blue & Black, Second Issue (R128). Well-centered with wide margins, uncancelled (appears unused), rich color, Extremely Fine and choice 100.00



1609



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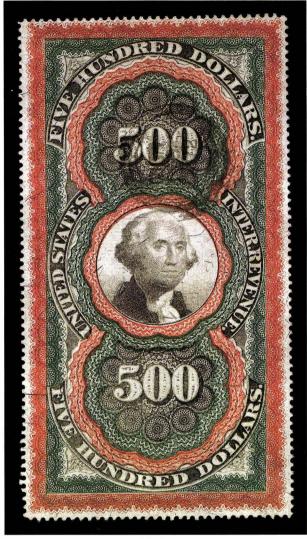


1611

\$200.00 Red, Blue & Black, Second Issue, "Small Persian Rug" (R132). Well-centered with complete sheet margins surrounding entire design and with full imprints at sides, deep rich colors and crisp impressions, manuscript "E.C. July 7th 1872" cancellation, stamp retains its full original gum

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. THIS UNIQUE SHEET-MARGIN STAMP IS WITHOUT QUESTION THE FINEST KNOWN EXAMPLE OF THE CELEBRATED \$200.00 "SMALL PERSIAN RUG" IN EXISTENCE.

The initials "E.C." on the stamp belong to Erastus Corning. Illustrated on the front cover of *Introduction to United States Revenue Stamps* by Richard Friedberg and described by him on page 21 as "The most spectacular example of the \$200 Small or "Baby" Persian Rug".



1612 \$500.00 Red Orange, Green & Black, Second Issue, "Large Persian Rug" (R133). Well-centered, deep rich colors and sharp proof-like impressions, light strike of circular hand-stamp with integrated cut cancel which just barely breaks paper

EXTREMELY FINE. A SUPERB SOUND AND WELL-CENTERED EXAMPLE OF THE CELEBRATED \$500.00 LARGE PERSIAN RUG. A RARE STAMP IN SUCH OUTSTANDING CONDITION AND ONE OF THE MOST BEAUTIFUL STAMPS IN ALL OF PHILATELY.

THIRD ISSUE REVENUES INVERTS







1615

5c Orange & Black, Third Issue, Inverted Center (R137a). Bright color, nicely contrasted by blue hand-stamp cancellation, well-centered for this stamp

FINE AND CHOICE. ASIDE FROM THE THREE COPIES ON A PART DOCUMENT, THIS IS ONE OF ONLY FOUR SOUND EXAMPLES OF THE 5-CENT THIRD ISSUE WITH INVERTED CENTER. ONLY TWENTY EXAMPLES ARE KNOWN IN TOTAL.

In his privately published census, Larry Lyons records twenty examples of the 5c Third Issue with inverted center. Of these, three are on a part document. Of the seventeen off-document copies, thirteen have faults of varying degrees, the most common being creases (nine). The centering on the example offered here is better than most.

Ex Lyons. With 1991 and 2000 P.F. certificates....... 3,250.00

1615

30c Orange & Black, Third Issue, Inverted Center (R140a). Vivid color, herringbone cancels (as virtually always)

EXTREMELY FINE EXAMPLE OF THE 30-CENT THIRD ISSUE WITH INVERTED CENTER. PROBABLY LESS THAN 40 ARE KNOWN.

An attractive sound example of this rarity...... 2,250.00





1617

\$\infty\$ \$1.00 Green & Black, Third Issue, Inverted Center (R144a). Deep rich color, used on partly-printed August 5, 1872 Administrator's Bond from Chatham County, Georgia, manuscript initials and "August 5/72" date, some minor splitting along document edges EXTREMELY FINE. ONE OF TWO RECORDED USAGES OF THE \$1.00 SECOND ISSUE WITH INVERTED CENTER ON ITS ORIGINAL DOCUMENT. AN OUTSTANDING RARITY.

In his privately published census, Larry Lyons records an total of 26 copes. The other recorded document bears five copies of the error used with a normal \$5.00 stamp. These are the only complete documents bearing revenue inverts above the 2c denomination (one piece is also recorded).

The example offered here was purchased by Mr. Zoellner in our 1989 Rarities of the World auction, where it was described as coming from a new discovery........ 5,500.00



1618	60c Orange & Black, Third Issue (R142). Horizontal pair, almost appears unused, rich color, Very Fine, ex Joyce
1619	\$3.00 Green & Black, Third Issue (R147). Horizontal strip of three, well-centered, intense colors and impressions, Fine-Very Fine and choice, ex Joyce
1620	\$20.00 Orange & Black, Third Issue (R150). Well-centered, rich color, August 12, 1872 manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine and choice, only 3,994 were issued
1621 ★	2c Blue on Blue, Vertical Pair, Imperforate Horizontally (R152d). Top sheet margin pair incl. part of imprint, o.g., h.r., Very Fine and choice, blue handstamp on back, ex lovce, catalogue value has remained unchanged since that sale in 1991



1622

10c Dark Green, "I.R." Overprint (R157). The unique block of six, clear overprints, pretty shade, neat 8/3/99 manuscript cancellations with each stamp also signed, bottom row light horizontal crease, few perf separations sensibly reinforced

FINE. THIS IS THE UNIQUE BLOCK OF THE 10-CENT "I.R." EMERGENCY PROVISIONAL OVERPRINT. AN OUTSTANDING RARITY.

To meet the increased demands for federal revenue during the Spanish-American War, on June 13, 1898, Congress approved the War Revenue Law of 1898. The law was to become effective on July 1, 1898, leaving only seventeen days before the new stamps were needed. The Bureau of Engraving and Printing had already started work on the dies, rolls and plates in anticipation of its passage, but they were still unable to issue stamps when the law went into effect.

A large quantity of 1c and 2c stamps were printed with an "I.R." overprint (Scott R153, R154, R155 and R155A). Additionally, small quantities were produced in 8c, 10c and 15c denominations. This is the only recorded block of the 10-cent value.

1623 **1c Dark Yellow Green, Chapman Overprint** (R158A). Fresh color, neat July 8, 1898 hand-stamp cancellation leaves overprint completely

VERY FINE. AN EXCEEDINGLY RARE SOUND EXAMPLE OF THE ONE-CENT CHAPMAN OVERPRINT. ONLY FOURTEEN COPIES ARE RECORDED.

In his privately published census, Larry Lyons records fourteen copies of Scott R158A. Of these, one is on document and ten are faulty. This leaves only three sound copies off document available to collectors.

According to Scott catalogue, the 1c Trans-Mississippi was overprinted by the Purvis Printing Company with federal government approval. They were ordered by L. H. Chapman of the Chapman Steamboat Line, which operated freight-carrying steamboats along the Erie Canal. Only 250 stamps were produced; additionally, 250 were printed reading "I.R./P.I.D. & Son", for P.I. Daprix & Son, which served different ports along the same waterway.

With 1991 P.F. certificate. Ex Joyce . 7,750.00



1623



PROPRIETARY ISSUE INVERTS



1628

1628 **1c Green & Black on Violet Paper, Inverted Center (RB1ad).** Well-centered, rich color, neat "J.B. Mills, Proprieter, 1874" printed cancel, small corner creases at top left and top right

EXTREMELY FINE APPEARING EXAMPLE OF THE ONE-CENT PROPRIETARY INVERT ON VIOLET PAPER. THIS IS THE FINEST OF THE 23 RECORDED COPIES OF THIS INVERT,

In his unpublished census, Larry Lyons records 23 examples of the 1c Proprietary invert on violet paper. Of these, he notes that only five are well-centered. Of these five, one has a hole, one has thins, one has a margin tear and one is toned and with a reattached perforation. The stamp offered here, which is well-centered, with minor corner creases, is the finest recorded copy.



1629

1629 (*) 2c Green & Black on Green Paper, Inverted Center (RB2bc). Unused with traces of original gum, rich color, trivial corner margin crease at top right

VERY FINE EXAMPLE OF THE RARE 2-CENT PROPRIETARY INVERT ON GREEN PAPER. ONLY TWELVE EXAMPLES OF THIS INVERT ARE RECORDED.

In his privately published census, Larry Lyons records twelve copies of the 2c Proprietary invert on green paper. Of these, five appear to be used, and all twelve have at least one fault.



1630

3c Green & Black on Violet Paper, Inverted Center (RB3ad). Deep rich color, neat strike of blue handstamp cancel

VERY FINE. THIS IS THE FINEST OF THE SEVEN RECORDED EXAMPLES OF THE 3-CENT PROPRIETARY INVERT. AN OUTSTANDING RARITY.

In his privately published census of the 3c Proprietary inverts, Larry Lyons records only seven examples (none is known on green paper). Of these seven, one has a missing corner, one has a margin added, two others have repaired corners, one has thins and is stained and one has creases and nibbed perfs. The stamp offered here is by far the finest recorded example.



1631

4c Green & Black on Violet Paper, Inverted Center (RB4ac). Deep rich color and sharp proof-like impression, neat August 30, 1872 manuscript cancellation, light horizontal crease at top is barely visible without fluid

FINE APPEARANCE. POSSIBLY THE FINEST OF THE SIX RECORDED EXAMPLES OF THE 4-CENT PROPRIETARY INVERT. AN OUTSTANDING RARITY.

In his privately published census, Larry Lyons records six examples of the 4c Proprietary invert on violet paper (none is known on green paper). Of these six, one is defective, one has a piece missing, one has a repaired corner, one has a tear and abrasions, and one is reperforated at right. The stamp offered here, with a light horizontal crease barely visible without the aid of detection fluid, is the closest to sound of the six recorded copies.



1632

1632 (*) 5c Green & Black on Violet Paper, Inverted Center (RB5ac). Unused (no gum), deep rich color and sharp proof-like impression, small thin spot

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. THIS IS THE CELEBRATED UNIQUE 5-CENT PROPRIETARY INVERT. ONE OF THE GREATEST RARITIES OF UNITED STATES PHILATELY AND THE KEY TO ANY COMPLETE REVENUE COLLECTION.

It is believed that this stamp was purchased from Hiram Deats by the noted Philadelphia stamp dealer, Philip Ward, for his personal collection. The stamp then passed into the hands of famed New Orleans dealers Raymond and Roger Weill, who purchased Ward's collection intact. They retained the stamp for over 20 years. Mr. Zoellner acquired the stamp in the 1989 Weill sale for \$77,000 (including premium), which is the standing record price for a United States revenue stamp.

It is worth noting that the 5c Proprietary Invert is the only *face-different* postage or revenue stamp in United States philately. All other unique listings are varieties of a more common design.



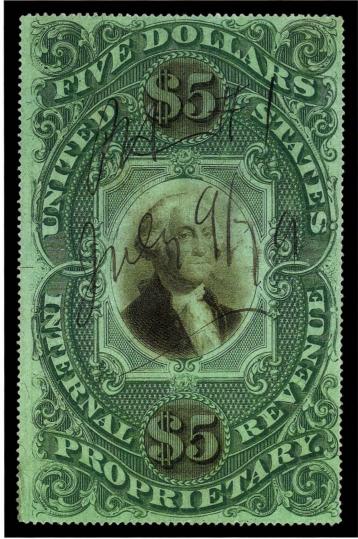
\$5.00 Green & Black on Violet Paper, Proprietary (RB10a). Rich color, wellcentered, neat Feb. 18, 1879 manuscript cancellation yet retains almost full original gum

EXTREMELY FINE. A SUPERB AND RARE SOUND EXAMPLE OF THE RARE \$5.00 PROPRIETARY ON VIOLET PAPER. ONLY 74 WERE ISSUED ON VIOLET PAPER.

With 1991 P.F. certificate ... 3,250.00

1633 50c Green & Black on Green Paper, Proprietary (RB8b). Rich color, neat blue 1882 handstamp cancel, fresh and Very Fine, with 1990 P.F. certificate... 900.00





1635

\$5.00 Green & Black on Green Paper, Proprietary (RB10b). Well-centered, deep rich color on unmistakably green paper, neat July 9/79 manuscript cancellation and also signed, negligible thin spot at top center is barely visible except in fluid

EXTREMELY FINE APPEARANCE. THIS IS BY FAR THE FINEST OF THE THREE RECORDED EXAMPLES OF THE \$5.00 PROPRIETARY ON GREEN PAPER. ONLY FIFTY \$5.00 STAMPS WERE EVER ISSUED ON GREEN PAPER. A WORLD-CLASS RARITY.

In his privately published census, Larry Lyons records only two certified examples of the \$5.00 Proprietary on Green paper. The stamp offered here is a third certified copy, which may have been overlooked by Mr. Lyons as it was submitted to the Foundation as a variety. Both of the other known copies of this stamp are repaired (one is also reperforated).





1636EX

1637

- 5c Black, Rouletted, Proprietary (RB16c). Intense shade and impression, magenta manuscript cancel, Very Fine and rare, ex Joyce, with 1991 P.F. certificate 1,250.00



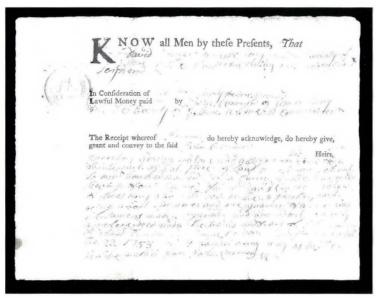
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END OF ZOELLNER REVENUE COLLECTION

THE HENRY TOLMAN II COLLECTION OF EMBOSSED REVENUE STAMPED PAPER

Note: Images of embossed stamps have been digitally contrasted to bring out impressions.

COLONIAL ISSUES



1643

> VERY FINE AND EXTREMELY RARE EXAMPLE OF THE HALF-PENCE NEW YORK COLONIAL REVENUE STAMP

> The paper is four pages long containing news and classifieds......(**Photo**) 2,500.00



1645	1p New York (RM10). Fairly clear impression on 1760 bill of lading, couple tiny sealed tears and corner crease, Fine and rare
1646	2p New York (RM11). Clear strike on 1755 handwritten bond, minor edge toning and toning along folds, otherwise Very Fine
1647	3p New York (RM12). Die B, clear impression on 1759 printed bond, wear along file folds, Fine
1648	3p New York (RM12). Clear strike on 1757 penal bond, Very Fine
1649	4p New York (RM13). Bold strike on 1759 handwritten lease, few minor toning spots, Very Fine



6p General Issue (RM26). Bold strike with clear second strike on second page and adjoining "Nine Pence Quire" crown in circle hs, on 1766 bail bond from Quebec, light toning at edges and tiny splits along folds

FINE AND CHOICE EXAMPLE OF THE 6-PENCE ON DOCUMENT WITH SECOND STRIKE
Usages outside of New York and Massachusetts are extremely rare(Photo) 2,000.00

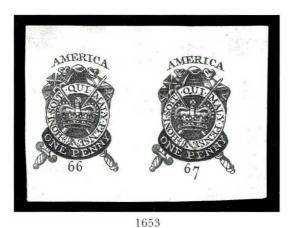
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1652

1652 **1sh General Issue (RM27).** Sharp impression on 1766 handwritten document from **Quebec**, usual edge wear

FINE. AN EXTREMELY RARE EXAMPLE OF THE ONE-SHILLING BRITISH REVENUE FOR USE IN AMERICA USED IN QUEBEC.

Typed transcription accompanies(Photo) 1,500.00





1654

2sh6p General Issue (RM31). Three bold impressions on 1765 bound six-page estate sale in Quebec, small split along file folds and minor edge wear

FINE AND RARE EXAMPLE FEATURING THREE STRIKES OF THE SCARCE 2-SHILLING 6-PENCE GENERAL ISSUE USED IN QUEBEC.

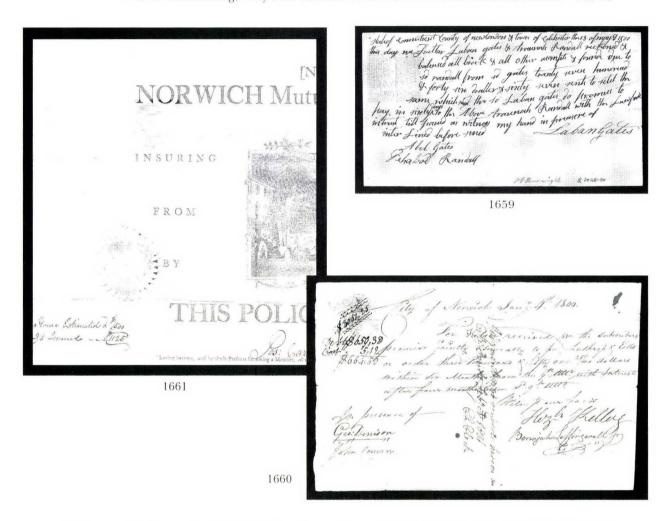


1655

2sh6p General Issue (RM31a). Bold impression on green paper affixed to card, central silver area, official British label on reverse, Very Fine and choice.......(Photo) 450.00

FIRST FEDERAL ISSUE

1656	4c-50c Connecticut (RM45/RM50). Six promissory notes comprising Nos. RM45 cracked die, RM45 replacement die, RM46 (two), RM48, and RM50, also incl. 1758 document prepared prior to requiring embossed revenue stamps and 1801 bond without embossed stamp, many with file folds thru embossed stamp, otherwise Fine group
1657	10c Connecticut (RM46). Bold strike over faintly struck 25c Connecticut (RM48), on July 1799 bill of lading for two horses aboard the schooner Fox Samuel Stocking bound for "some of the West India Islands", file fold thru embossing, tiny break in file fold at bottom, Fine
1658	20c Connecticut (RM47). Clear impression on 1801 promissory note, usual file folds incl. one thru embossing, Very Fine

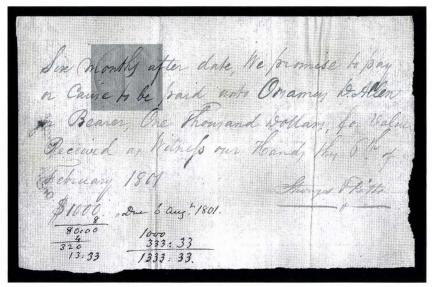


1662	4c, 10c Delaware (RM58, RM59). 4c Sharp impression on 1800 bill of lading, 10c strike on 1800 promissory note, small faults, otherwise Fine, Combs states nineteer eleven known, respectively	
1663	20c Delaware (RM60). Clear impression on 1800 promissory note, Very Fine, Connotes nine known	
1664	25c Delaware (RM61). Sharp impression on 1800 promissory note, Very Fine, C indicates ten known	Combs

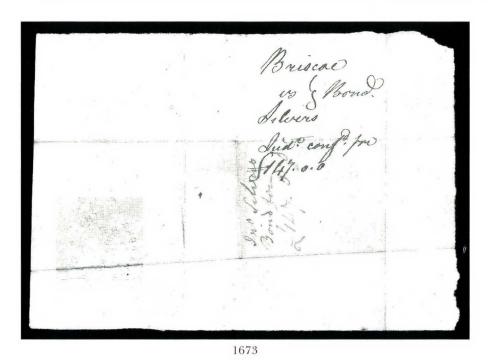
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	By 5 Blind Bridles 3 doll to Gruppers ono ets, & 1 Back-Band 10 ets	4	50

1665	50c Delaware (RM63). Clear impression on 1799 one-page inventory, early usage, minor splitting along file folds with small faults at right, Fine, Combs states nine known
1666	4c, 10c, 25c Georgia (RM71, RM72, RM74). Fairly clear to clear impressions on 1799/1804 promissory notes, file folds thru embossing, otherwise Fine
1667	4c Georgia (RM71). One fairly clear and one clear impression on two identical 1800 promissory notes, Fine, Scott Retail for two impressions
1668	10c Georgia (RM72). Clear impression on 1800 one-year lease of a slave, overall toning and negligible small hole at bottom, Fine, ex Cunliffe E. 300-400
1669	50c Georgia (RM76). Sharp impression on part of inventory, small central file punch, Fine, Combs states seven known, most of which are promissory notes

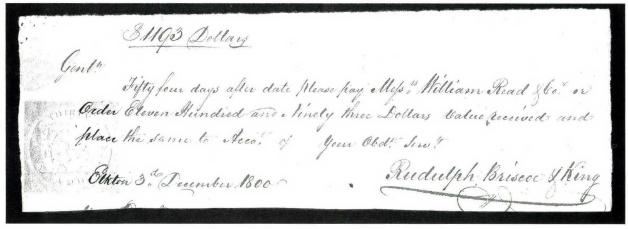
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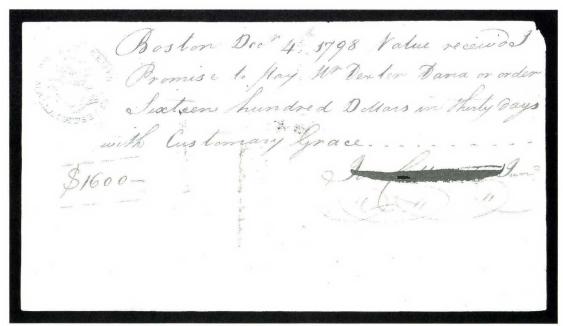
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30c Kentucky (RM88). Sharp impression on reverse of 1800 single bond, couple file folds thru embossing, otherwise Fine, rare example on bond......(Photo) 275.00



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1680	\$1.00 Massachusetts (RM117). Sharp impressions on three 1798-1799 printed insurance policies for ships, two transporting property of John Hancock incl. <i>Diana</i> and <i>George</i> for round trips to Surinam, other on a "Whaling voyage in the Pacific", two with file folds thru embossing and minor splitting along folds, otherwise Fine-Very Fine
1681	4c, 10c, 25c, 50c, 75c New Hampshire (RM123, RM124, RM126, RM128, RM129). Clear impressions, 4c and 10c on promissory notes, 25c and 50c on inventories, 75c on printed performance bond, 1798-1801, 50c earliest known usage, Fine-Very Fine 170.00
1682	4c New Hampshire, Re-struck (RM123var). Sharp impression re-struck over faint impression, on July 20 1798 promissory note, Very Fine E. 100-150
1683	10c New Hampshire, Double Impression (RM124var). Sharp impressions on 1801 promissory note, file fold thru top of embossing, otherwise Very Fine, only known example, ex Cunliffe E. 100-150
1684	20c New Hampshire (RM125). Clear impression on 1799 promissory note, small faults, appears Fine, Combs states five examples known
1685	30c New Hampshire (RM127). Clear impression on 1800 promissory note in " Nova Scotia accounting ", file fold thru embossing, Fine, Combs indicates five known. 400.00
1686	50c New Hampshire (RM128). Sharp impression over clear impression of 20c Massachusetts (RM80) on 1799 promissory note, file fold thru bottom of embossing, otherwise Fine E. 100-150

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	BY THIS POLICY OF ASSURANCE,
	Underwritten in the Office kept by William Gardner
	William Spearch of Rootsmouth
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\$1.00 New Hampshire (RM130). Bold impression on 1799 printed maritime insurance document for cargo aboard the *Brigantine Ann* on a round trip to Jamaica, Very Fine........................(Photo) E. 500-750

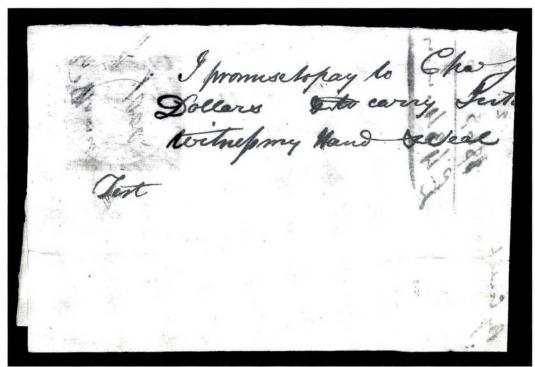
- 10c New Jersey (RM137). Faint impression on promissory note signed "Geo. Clymer", Signer of the Declaration of Independence, tiny tear in embossing, file fold just touches bottom of signature, otherwise Very Fine, only fourteen known examples of the 10c New Jersey, Sanders value for Clymer signed document \$660 E. 300-400



20c New Jersey (RM138). Clear impression on 1800 promissory note signed "Geo. Clymer", Signer of Declaration of Independence, file folds thru embossing and just touching bottom of signature, couple internal paper breaks barely affect signature VERY FINE. A WONDERFUL EXAMPLE OF THE 20-CENT FIRST FEDERAL ISSUE FROM NEW JERSEY SIGNED BY ONE OF THE SIGNERS OF THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE.

SEPTEMBER 14, 2000

1694	4c-\$1.00 New York (RM149-RM156). Clear impressions, 25c (three), others one each, better incl. 10c showing barest traces of "T" and "Y" of "Twenty", 25c on protest, 25c on sworn affidavit attesting to the capture of the ship <i>Sally</i> at Guadeloupe, 50c on bill of exchange, \$1.00 on printed insurance policy, couple with usual minor faults, Fine-Very Fine
1695	4c New York (RM149). Sharp impression directly above 10c Massachusetts (RM111), bold impression, on 1798 promissory note, few file folds thru embossing, otherwise Very Fine E. 100-150
1696	4c, 10c, 25c, 50c North Carolina (RM162, RM163, RM165, RM167). Clear to sharp impressions, 4c on bill of lading, others on promissory notes, 1798-1800, Fine-Very Fine 230.00
1697	20c North Carolina (RM164). Fairly clear impression on 1799 promissory note, Fine, Combs notes six reported

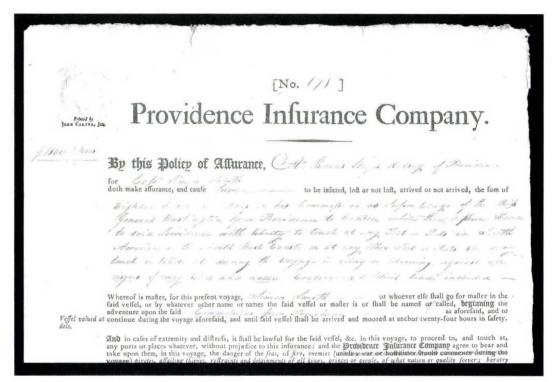


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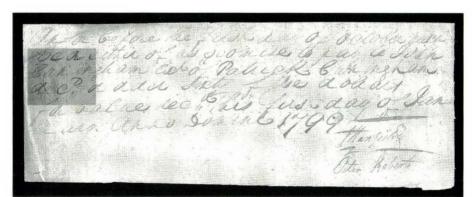
1698	30c North Carolina (RM166). Clear impression on 1800 promissory note, Very Fine, Combs states three known, unpriced in Scott(Photo) E. 500-750
1699	50c North Carolina (RM167).Bold impression over sharp impression of 10c Virginia(RM241) on 1800 bond, Very Fine
1700	75c North Carolina (RM168). Sharp impression on 1801 promissory note, file fold barely touches embossing, otherwise Very Fine, Combs states nine known
1701	4c-75c Pennsylvania (RM175-RM181). Twelve documents, one to three each, better incl. 10c on bond, 10c on 1800 bill of lading, 25c on affidavit of cargo ownership, 25c on foreign bill of exchange, 25c on notarization stating the goods shipped related to the attached bill of lading (with 10c) are not of British origin, 50c on certificate of discharge from prison, 75c earliest known usage, overall Fine-Very Fine

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1702	\$1.00 Pennsylvania (RM182). Crisp impression on large 1800 printed maritime insurance document, Very Fine
1703	4c-25c, 50c Rhode Island (RM188-RM191, RM193). Clear to sharp impressions, 4c and 10c (two each), others one each, better incl. 4c on 1799 promissory note for insurance on merchandise bound for Africa and Havana, 10c bill of lading (two), others promissory notes, 50c taped together along file folds, otherwise Fine-Very Fine
1704	30c Rhode Island (RM192). Sharp impression on 1800 promissory note, file fold barely affects embossing at top, Fine, Combs indicates four known
1705	75c Rhode Island (RM194). Bold impression on 1800 promissory note, couple tiny toning specks, Very Fine, Combs notes five known



\$1.00 Rhode Island (RM195). Sharp impression on 1800 large printed maritime insurance policy, Very Fine, Combs states nine known(Photo) 1,000.00



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1708

20c South Carolina (RM203). Clear impression on 1799 promissory note, small corner crease thru embossing and slight foxing at left, otherwise Fine, Combs states six known.....................(Photo) E. 400-500

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75c South Carolina (RM207). Sharp impression on 1800 bond, file fold thru embossing VERY FINE AND CHOICE EXAMPLE OF THE 75-CENT SOUTH CAROLINA FIRST FEDERAL ISSUE.

South-Carolina.

HIS CHARTER-PARTY be it known, unto whom it may concern, E me thousand eight hundre!

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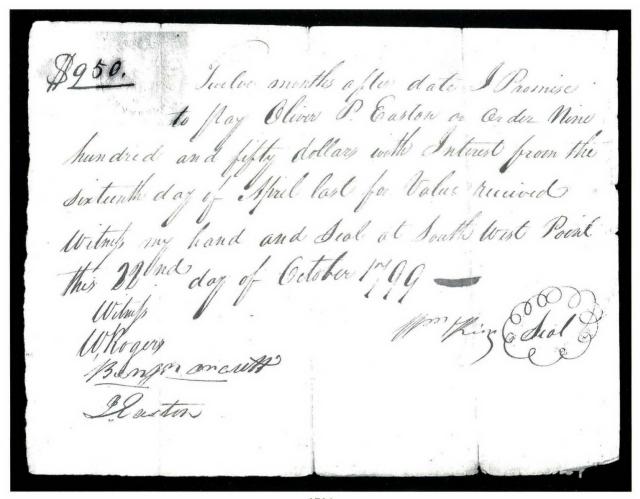
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\$1.00 South Carolina (RM208). Adjacent to 25c South Carolina (RM206), sharp impressions, on large 1800 Charter Party, usual file folds and small toning areas clear of \$1.00 embossing

VERY FINE. THIS IS THE ONLY KNOWN EXAMPLE OF THE \$1.00 SOUTH CAROLINA FIRST FEDERAL ISSUE.

A great rarity.........(Photo) E. 2,000-3,000

1711	4c Tennessee (RM214). Clear impression on 1798 promissory note, file fold just touches embossing at right, otherwise Fine, Combs states eight known
1712	10c Tennessee (RM215). Clear impression on 1799 promissory note, Fine, Combs states fourteen known
1713	25c Tennessee (RM217). Sharp impression on 1799 promissory note, file fold thru embossing, otherwise Fine, Combs indicates fourteen known



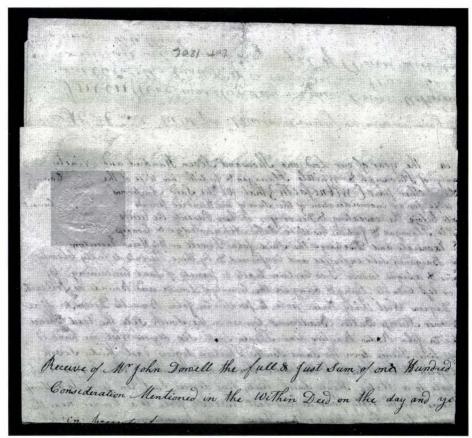
1714	50c Tennessee (RM219). Clear impression on 1799 promissory note, file fold thru embossing and minor splitting at edges of file folds, otherwise Fine, Combs notes four known(Photo) 750.00
1715	4c, 10c, 25c, 50c Vermont (RM227, RM228, RM230, RM232). Clear impressions, 50c on third page of 1798 copy of writ, others on 1798 & 1799 promissory notes, Fine-Very Fine 315.00
1716	20c Vermont (RM229). Sharp impression on July 12, 1798 promissory note, this is the earliest known usage, Very Fine
1717	20c Vermont (RM229). Crisp impression on 1799 printed bond, file fold thru embossing, few toning spots, otherwise Fine, Combs notes twelve known

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- 1720 ★ Vermont Die Cut Values. Seventeen comprising complete set of fifteen values incl. 4c-\$10, "10 cents per centum" and "six mills per dollar", two different Vermont Supervisor's Office seals, all on remarkably fresh 80 x 80 mm pieces, Extremely Fine..... E. 400-500

- \$1.00 Virginia (RM247). Crisp partial impression at bottom of 1802 bond for tobacco inspector, the inspector is bound to James Monroe, who was the Governor of Virginia at that time, Very Fine, Combs states five known E. 500-750



1724

- **\$1.00 Virginia (RM247).** Two sharp impressions on 1798 deed for the sale of land, split along one central file fold and toning spot
 - VERY FINE AND CHOICE DOCUMENT FEATURING TWO IMPRESSIONS OF THE \$1.00 VIRGINIA FIRST FEDERAL ISSUE.
 - Only five reported documents with the \$1.00 Virginia(Photo) E. 1,000-1,500

SECOND FEDERAL ISSUES

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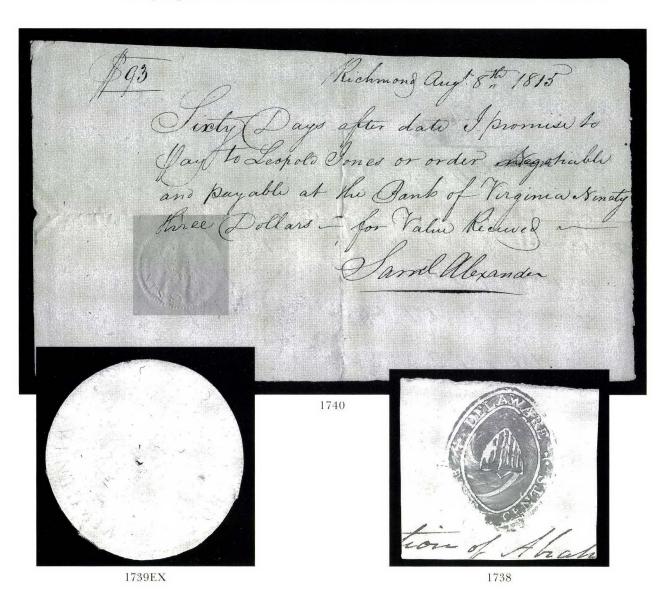
\$10.00 Watermarked on Wove Paper (RM271b). Sharp impressions on license to practice law, remarkably fresh paper

VERY FINE. AN OUTSTANDING EXAMPLE OF THE \$10.00 SECOND FEDERAL ISSUE IN IMMACULATE CONDITION.

Combs reports two examples known. The other was discovered by Theodore Sheldon. This was discovered by Tolman himself in 1943. Since then, none have come to light.

Accompanied by letter from Sheldon and literary references to his discovery.(Photo) 2,500.00

- 4c-25c, 50c-\$1.00 Unwatermarked (RM260c-RM263c, RM265c-RM267c). Nos. RM261c (three), RM263c and RM267c (two each), others one each, clear to sharp impressions, better incl. 10c on bill of lading, 10c on bill of lading affixed to 25c affidavit that the goods shipped were not from Great Britain, 10c on certificate of shares regarding William Ellery, a signer of the Declaration of Independence, 25c on huge protest, \$1 on maritime insurance policies, few small faults, generally Fine-Very Fine................ 805.00
- 20c Unwatermarked (RM262c). Clear impression on Boston 1801 sight draft with ornate design at left showing a ship, file folds just touch counterstamp, otherwise Very Fine, ex Cunliffe E. 150-200
- 5c-\$2.50, \$5.00 Watermarked (RM275a-RM283a, RM286a). \$2.50 (two), 50c (four), others one each, sharp impressions, mostly Type 1, on promissory notes and sight drafts, incl. 50c with "Providence Star" cancel, and unused 10c, generally Very Fine.... 249.00



ISSUED BY VARIOUS STATES

5c Delaware in Red (RM291). Fairly clear impression on 45 x 40 mm piece, Very Fine, unlisted in Scott, scarce as these were valid only from Oct. 1, 1793, to Feb. 7, 1794.......

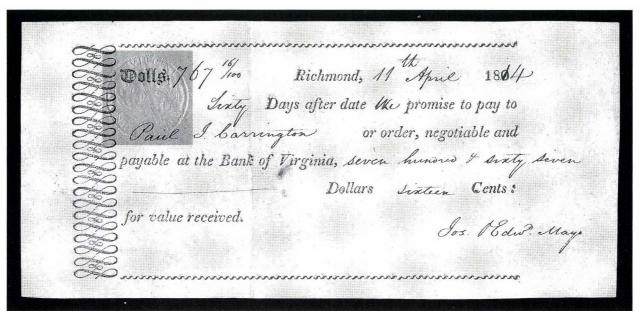
(Photo) E. 200-300

4c-200c Virginia (RM305a/RM325a). Fourteen die cut values, without 10c, 95c and 120c (the 10c and 120c are unlisted in Scott), with usual central pinhole, Very Fine, ex Cunliffe......................(Photo Ex) 295.00

6c Virginia (RM306b). Light impression on 1815 promissory note, Fine, rare and unlisted in Scott.......................(Photo) E. 400-500

Note: Images of embossed stamps have been digitally contrasted to bring out impressions.

1741	4c, 10c, 12c Virginia (RM304b, RM307b, RM308b). Light impressions on promissory notes, small faults, appear Fine
1742	12c Virginia (RM308b). With 25c Third Federal Issue (RM277b), clear impressions on 1816 promissory note, file fold and signature thru both, Fine and scarce, ex Cunliffe E. 200-250



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1744	25c Virginia (RM310b). With 50c Third Federal Issue (RM278a), clear impressions on 1816 bond, file folds thru both, otherwise Fine E. 200-300
1745	45c, 200c Virginia (RM312b, RM325b). Clear impressions on 1813 promissory note for \$10,000, Very Fine and rare, with 1960 letter from Sheldon stating he knows of only two notes with 245c tax
1746	50c Virginia (RM313b). With \$1.00 Third Federal Issue (RM280b), sharp impressions with Va. just breaking paper, on 1815 sight draft, Very Fine E. 200-250

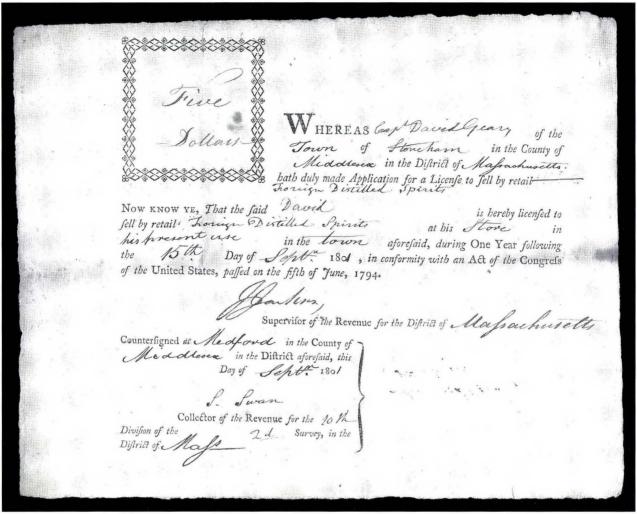
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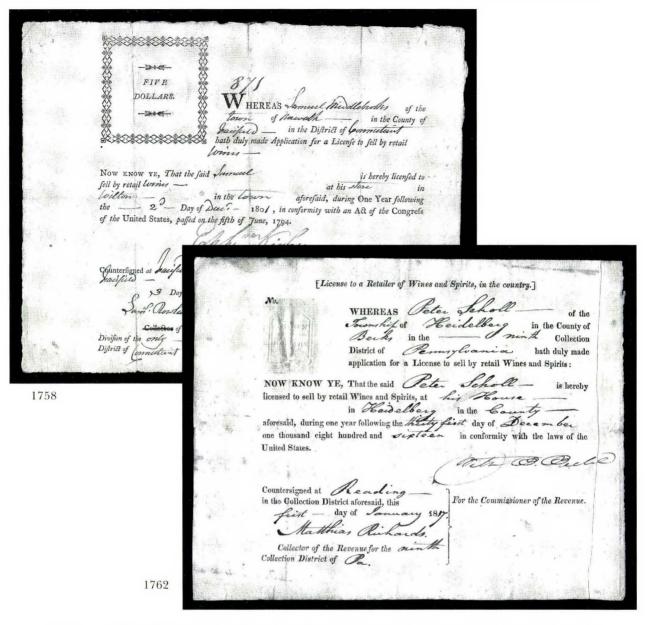
- 1747 ★⊞ 30c Maryland (RM362). Unused sheet of four on silk paper, light folds between stamps, usual edge faults associated with these fragile papers, fresh and Very Fine, an exceedingly rare sheet(Photo) 2,000.00
- 1748 **15c, 50c Maryland (RM371, RM373).** Clear strike of **15c over 50c** on 1850 promissory note, ms. into embossing, Very Fine, **reportedly unique**, ex Cunliffe....... E. 200-250
- 1749 **15c, 25c Maryland (RM371, RM372).** Clear strike of **25c over 15c** on 1850 printed promissory note, ms. just into embossing, Very Fine, ex Cunliffe E. 200-300

FEDERAL LICENSES TO SELL LIQUOR

\$5.00 License to Sell Liquor (RM400). Clear impression on Sept. 29, 1794 license to sell "Foreign distilled spirits" in Providence R.I., Very Fine, this is one day before the law went into effect, an extremely early and rare Rhode Island usage(Photo) 500.00



1752	"Five Dollars" Manuscript Provisional on License to Sell Liquor (RM400 var). Red pen on 1801 license to sell "Foreign distilled spirits" in Stoneham Mass., file fold thru provisional, some toning, otherwise Fine and very rare(Photo) E. 400-500
1753	\$5.00 License to Sell Liquor (RM400). With Conn. Supervisor's Seal (RM509) on 1797 license to sell "Foreign distilled spirits" in Norwich, clear impression, file fold thru both, otherwise Fine
1754	\$5.00 License to Sell Liquor (RM400). With Conn. Supervisor's Seal (RM509) on Oct. 1, 1794 license to sell wines in Norwich, clear impressions, file folds thru both, minor toning at edges, otherwise Very Fine
1755	\$5.00 License to Sell Liquor (RM400). With Conn. Supervisor's Seal (RM509) on 1797 license to sell "Imported distilled spirits" in Southbury, clear impressions, file fold thru No. RM509, Very Fine E. 150-200
1756	\$5.00 License to Sell Liquor (RM400). With Conn. Supervisor's Seal (RM509) on Oct. 1, 1794 license to sell wines in Norwich, clear impressions, file fold thru RM400, minor toning, otherwise Very Fine
1757	\$5.00 License to Sell Liquor (RM400). With Conn. Supervisor's Seal (RM559) on 1800 license to sell "spirits" in Saybrook, clear impressions, file fold thru RM400, rough edges, otherwise Fine, scarce with second seal E. 400-500



- "Five Dollars" Manuscript Provisional on License to Sell Liquor (RM400 var). Red pen over Conn. Supervisor's Seal (RM559) on 1801 license to sell "Foreign distilled spirits" in Norwich, file fold thru RM559, otherwise Very Fine, a rare and desirable combination ...

- \$15.00 Retail License (RM453). Sharp impression on 1816 "License to a Retailer of Wines and Spirits, in the country" in Heidelberg Pa., minor toned areas and file folds thru embossing, otherwise Fine, scarce Pennsylvania usage......(Photo) 350.00

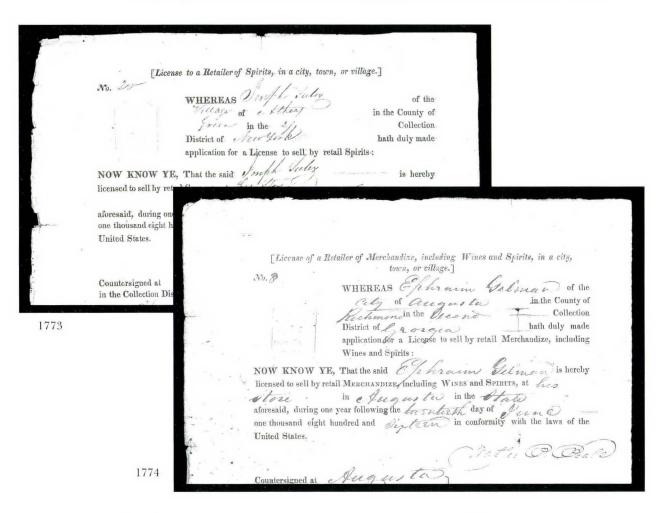
1763	\$15.00 Retail License (RM453). Bold impression on 1813 "License to a Retailer of Merchandize, other than Wines and Spirits, in a city, town or village" in New Haven Conn., small split along file fold, otherwise Very Fine
1764	\$15.00 Retail License (RM453). Sharp impression on 1814 "License to a Retailer of Merchandize, including Wines and Spirits, in the country" in Derby Conn., light fold thru embossing, otherwise Very Fine
1765	\$15.00 Retail License (RM453). Clear impression on 1817 "License to a Retailer of Merchandize, including Wines and Spirits, in the country" in Cornwall Vt., couple insignificant toning spots, otherwise Very Fine, scarce Vermont usage 350.00

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NOW KNOW YE, That the said John Society is hereby
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1766	\$10.00 + \$5.00 Provisional (RM453var). Sharp impression of No. RM451 with ms. "Add" written outside of stamp and ms. "5" written above "Dollars," on 1815 "License to a Retailer of Merchandize, other than Wines and Spirits, in the country" in Lincolnton, North Carolina, Very Fine and choice(Photo) E. 500-750
1767	\$18.00 Retail License (RM454). Sharp impression on 1816 "License to a Retailer of Spirits, in the country" in Grafton N.H., small split along one file fold, otherwise Very Fine and extremely rare, Combs states two known with the other from Mass 300.00
1768	\$20.00 Retail License (RM455). Crisp impression on 1814 "License to a Retailer of Spirits, in a city, town, or village" in Burlington Vt., file fold thru embossing, otherwise Fine, reportedly unique
1769	\$22.50 Retail License (RM456). Sharp impression on 1816 "License to a Retailer of Merchandize, other than Wines and Spirits, in a city, town or village" in New Haven Ct., file fold thru embossing, Very Fine, fifteen reported

Note: Images of embossed stamps have been digitally contrasted to bring out impressions.

1770	\$22.50 Retail License (RM456). Clear impression on 1815 "License to a Retailer of Merchandize, including Wines and Spirits, in the country" in North Stonington Ct., file fold thru embossing, otherwise Very Fine
1771	\$25.00 Retail License (RM457). Sharp impression on 1816 "License to a Retailer of Merchandize, including Wines and Spirits, in a city, town or village" in New York City, faint file fold thru embossing, and few small toned spots, otherwise Very Fine, fourteen reported
1772	\$25.00 Retail License (RM457). Sharp impression on 1817 "License to a Retailer of Merchandize, including Wines and Spirits, in a city, town or village" for Watertown Mass., Very Fine



- \$30.00 Retail License (RM458). Sharp impression on 1815 "License to a Retailer of Spirits, in a city, town or village" for Athens N.Y., minor edge wear, otherwise Very Fine, reportedly unique................(Photo) E. 400-500

LICENSE TO OPERATE A STILL

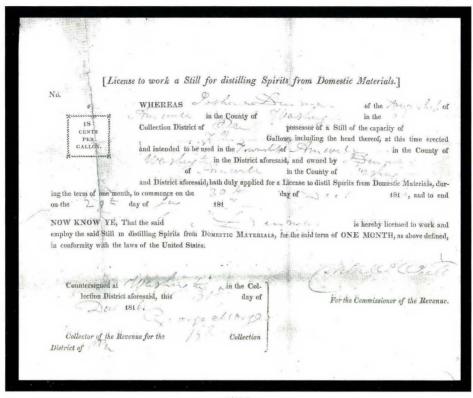
Early License to Work a Still. Two printed licenses, 1797 and 1799, both with No. RM509 issued to the Pease brothers of Suffield Conn., the former was valid for two weeks at the rate of 6c per gallon and the latter for one month at 10c per gallon, Very Fine pair, with 1990 Tolman article about the licenses in the 1990 American Revenuer.......

1777 [License to wo k a Still for distilling Spirits from Domestic Materia No. 00 abon Hosting WHEREAS in the County of Grandes in the County of Collection District of Consecutions possessor of a Still of the capac [License to work a Still for distilling Charles in the Course of Charles in the District aforesaid, and owned by of Iranker in the County of and District aforesaid, hath duly applied for a License to distil Spirits from Don commence on the tercents—with day of Official 1817. No. 118 WHEREAS Suffield in the Cour Collection District of Conne Hundled and Six ing the term of one on the and intended to be used in the day of Mosey Hertford in the Dist alum Hostins is hereby NOW KNOW YE, That the said of Suffice employ the said Still in distilling Spirits from Domestic Materials, for the said term of ONE WEEL and District aforesaid, hath duly in conformity with the laws of the United States. during the term of two weeks, to commence on the this on the Twenty seconday of June 1814 Hadfurd in the Col-NOW KNOW YE, That the said Countersigned at employ the said Still in distilling Spirits from Domestic A day of lection District aforesaid, this For the Commissi defined, in conformity with an Act of Congress, passed the 24th afriel 1817. Collection Collector of the Revenue for the Hailford Cu, District of Countersigned at in the lection District aforesaid, this office Fierre 18/4 of the Revenue for the Houseth Connecticut [License to work a Still for distilling Spirits from Domestic Materials.] WHEREAS Jareph Hare in the County of Warfind Cannectured possessor of a Still of the capacity of one Galloction District by Gallons, including the head thereof, at this time erected and intended type used in the District aforesaid, and graded by Joseph Jesus in the County of Juffeld in the County of and District aforesaid, halh duly applied for all License to distil Spirits from Domestic Materials, durowecks, to commence on the 1778 ing the term of two weeks, to commence on on the 2 4th day of Pare is hereby licensed to work and NOW KNOW YE, That the said employ the said Still in distilling Spirits from Domestic Materials, for the said term of TWO WEEKS, as above defined, in conformity with the laws of the United States, Countersigned at Hallow Collector of the Revenue for the 3,46 District of Lee 1779

1777 "4½" cents per Gallon on Printed License (RM466b). Sharp impression on license valid from Apr. 29 to May 5 1817 in Granky Conn., with 8% prompt payment discount calculation at lower right, one reinforced file fold, otherwise Very Fine and rare, pictured in Combs Third Federal Issue book, Combs survey states four known(Photo) 1,500.00

9 cents per Gallon on Printed License (RM468b). Sharp impression on license to Joseph Pease from June 11 to June 24, 1817 in Suffield Conn., small insignificant hole, otherwise Very Fine...............(Photo) 1,500.00

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- Supervisors' Seals, Second Issue Balance (RM558-RM662). Eight individual incl. three from Mass. (incl. two signed by Thomas Melville, the last survivor from the Boston Tea Party and ancestor of Herman), others one each, also incl. two used sheets of four from NY, one unused sheet of two from RI, and two Philadelphia Custom House seals incl. one on large "License of a Vessel above twenty tons" and one on 1836 four-page document with red semi-circular hs., few faults, overall Fine-Very Fine....... E. 200-300

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