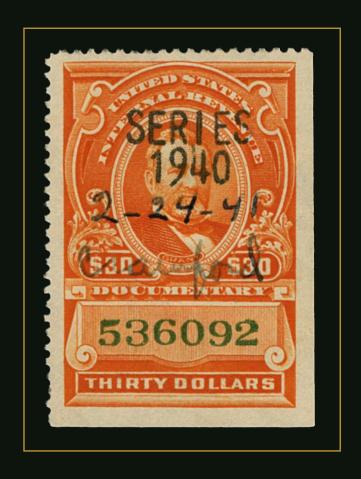
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#### UNITED STATES REVENUE STAMPS



SALE 1110 THURSDAY, OCTOBER 1, 2015

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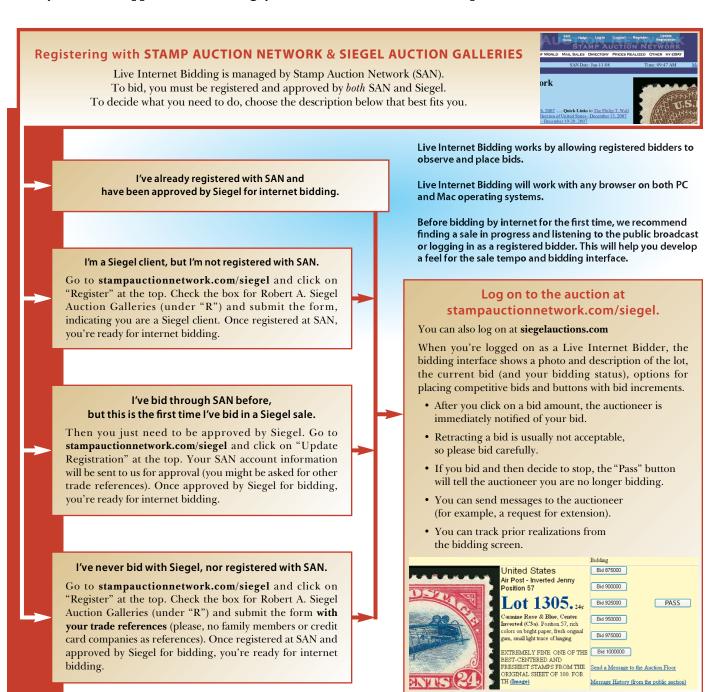
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- 8. All lots are sold as genuine. Any lot accompanied by a certificate issued by The Philatelic Foundation or by Professional Stamp Experts within 5 years of the sale date is sold "as is" and in accordance with the description on the certificate. Such lots may not be returned for any reason, including but not limited to a contrary certificate of opinion. Buyers who wish to obtain a certificate for any item that does not have a P.F. or P.S.E. certificate (dated as above) may do so, provided that the following conditions are met: (1) the purchase price must be paid in full, (2) the item must be submitted to an acceptable expertizing committee with a properly executed application form within 21 days of the sale, (3) a copy of the application form must be given to the Galleries, (4) in the event that an adverse opinion is received, the Galleries retain the right to resubmit the item on the buyer's behalf for reconsideration, without time limit or other restrictions, (5) unless written notification to the contrary is received, items submitted for certification will be considered cleared 90 days from the date of sale, and (6) in the event any item is determined to be "not as described", the buyer will be refunded the purchase price and the certification fee up to \$800.00 unless otherwise agreed to in writing.
- 9. Until paid for in full, all lots remain the property of the Galleries on behalf of the seller.
- 10. Agents executing bids on behalf of clients will be held responsible for all purchases made on behalf of clients unless otherwise arranged prior to the sale.
- 11. The buyer assumes all risk for delivery of purchased lots and agrees to pay for prescribed shipping costs. Buyers who receive lots in the U.S. are obligated to pay whatever sales tax or compensating use tax might be due, and buyers outside the U.S. are responsible for all customs duties.
- 12. The bidder consents that any action or proceeding against it may be commenced and maintained in any court within the State of New York or in the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York, that the courts of the State of New York and United States District Court for the Southern District of New York shall have jurisdiction with respect to the subject matter hereof and the person of the bidder. The bidder agrees not to assert any defense to any action or proceeding initiated by Galleries based upon improper venue or inconvenient forum. The bidder agrees that any action brought by the bidder shall be commenced and maintained only in a Federal Court in the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York or the State Court in the county in which Galleries has its principal place of business in New York. The bidder agrees not to use a public conflict resolution service and not to use any form of social media to publish comments or information about the Galleries and its employees which might harm the Galleries' reputation or business. These Conditions of Sale shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the substantive laws of the State of New York, and shall constitute an agreement that shall be binding on the parties, and their respective heirs, administrators, distributees, successors and assignees.

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#### **Grades, Abbreviations and Values Used in Descriptions**

#### **Grades and Centering**

Our descriptions contain detailed information and observations about each item's condition. We have also assigned grades to stamps and covers, which reflect our subjective assessment. For stamps, the margin width, centering and gum are described and graded according to generally-accepted standards (an approximate correlation to numeric grades is provided at right). Although we believe our grades are accurate, they are not always exactly aligned with third-party grading terms or standards for all issues. A lot may not be returned because a certification service grades a stamp lower than the grade stated in the description. Information from the P.S.E. Stamp Market Quarterly and P.S.E. Population Report<sup>5M</sup> is the most current available, but lots may not be returned due to errors or changes in statistics or data.

**Extremely Fine Gem (90-100):** The term "Gem" describes condition that is the finest possible for the issue. This term is equivalent to "Superb" used by grading services.

**Extremely Fine (80-90)**: Exceptionally large/wide margins or near perfect centering.

**Very Fine (70-85):** Normal-size margins for the issue and well-centered with the design a bit closer to one side. "Very Fine and choice" applies to stamps that have desirable traits such as rich color, sharp impression, freshness or clarity of cancel.

**Fine (60-70):** Smaller than usual margins or noticeably off center. Pre-1890 issues may have the design touched in places.

Very Good (below 60): Attractive appearance, but margins or perforations cut into the design.

#### **Guide to Gum Condition**

Gum Categories:	MINT N.H.		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		90 stamps in these co a premium over Sco		Scott Value for "O.G."		Scott "No Gum" Values thru No. 218	
1890-1935 ISSUES	Scott "Never Hinged" Values for Nos. 219-771	(Actual va affected	e for "O.G." lue will be I by the f hinging)	effects of humidi half of the gum.	ty, climate or hingi The significance o	howing noticeable ng over more than of gum disturbance ne Original Gum	
1935 TO DATE	Scott Value for "Unused"			categories depen rarity and norm other variables a issued in tropica gum disturbance	nds on the degree of disturbance, the mal gum condition of the issue and affecting quality. For example, stamps al climates are expected to have some e due to humidity, and such condition I a negative factor in pricing.		

#### Covers

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.

#### **Catalogue Values and Estimates**

Unless otherwise noted, the currently available *Scott Catalogue* values are quoted in dollars with a decimal point. Other catalogues are often used for foreign countries or specialized areas and are referred to by their common name: *Stanley Gibbons* (SG), *Dietz, American Air Mail Catalogue* (AAMC), *Michel, Zumstein, Facit*, etc. Estimates are indicated with an "E." and reflect our conservative valuation in dollars. Reserves will never exceed the low end of the estimate range; they will sometimes exceed Scott Catalogue value for stamps in Extremely Fine condition.

Because of certain pricing inconsistencies in the *Scott Catalogue*—for example, blocks that have no gum, the absence of premiums for Mint N.H. items, etc.—we cannot guarantee the accuracy of values quoted for multiples, specialized items and collection lots. We generally try to be conservative, but buyers may not return a lot because of a discrepancy in catalogue value due to Scott pricing inconsistencies.

#### Symbols and Abbreviations (see chart above for gum symbols)

$\blacksquare$	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

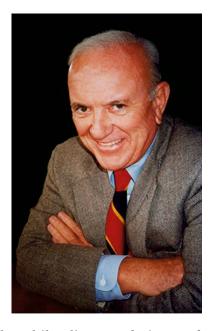
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DAN CURTIS WAS PERHAPS BEST KNOWN FOR his collection of Revenues and his efforts to document all multiples of Revenue stamps of the First, Second, Third and Proprietary issues. This area of philately—one of the most visually striking of all—was first in his heart and the last he ever considered selling in his lifetime.

The Curtis Collection was started 70 years ago with a hand-me-down 1912 Scott album. It continued with plate blocks purchased at the post office in the 1940's, which are still part of the collection. It ranks as one of the most extensive and important United States collections ever formed.

Daniel B. Curtis, who passed away on January 7, 2014, was an enthusiastic and well-respected philatelist. Dan was a long-time member of the American Philatelic Society, the U.S. Philatelic Classics Society and the



American Revenue Association. He was a trustee of the Philatelic Foundation and served on the Smithsonian National Postal Museum's Council of Philatelists. He was the recipient of several awards for his online Revenue Census (www.thecurtiscollection.com), which is the most important census research tool for Revenue stamps and multiples. The Siegel firm will continue to maintain and update the Curtis on-line census.

Dan lived in Tampa, Florida, and spent 60 years in construction, development, power generation and banking in Florida and the Caribbean, while sandwiching in a 40-year career in the U.S. Army and Army Reserve.

Philately has lost a great collector and contributor to the hobby. His collections have been documented in a series of sales held by Siegel Auction Galleries, and the provenance "ex Curtis" will become a lasting tribute to the sharp eye and profound knowledge Dan used to build his philately legacy.

— SCOTT R. TREPEL

#### Note Regarding Unused Revenue Stamps and Revenue Multiples

This sale contains a large number of unused Revenue stamps, with and without original gum, and multiples. Unused Revenue stamps were of special interest to Mr. Curtis, who rightly regarded them as woefully underappreciated and undervalued, due to the absence of unused listings and values in the Scott Catalogue. We wish to direct bidders' attention to the extraordinary unused stamps in this sale, which are much rarer than their unused counterparts. Multiples were also a special subject of interest for Mr. Curtis, and the website he started —thecurtiscollection.com—presents a census of Revenue multiples, updating the work of George Turner. The website and census will be maintained by our firm.



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SESSION ONE (LOTS 1001-1154) THURSDAY, OCTOBER 1, 2015, AT 10:30 A.M.

#### **REVENUE ESSAYS**



1001 E	(Turner Essay 1-Aa, 1-D). Six different color combinations, three show evidence of "testing", other three slightly to not at all, ample to huge margins, faults, some minor, Fine-Very Fine appearance, ex Tolman(Photo Ex) E. 750-1,000
1002 E	2c + 5c Red, Composite Frame Die Essays on India (Turner Essay 3-4a).Ample to hugemargins, Very Fine, designs similar to 1879-82 Bank Note postage stamps, ex TolmanE. 150-200
1003 E	Butler, Carpenter, 10c Black, Model for Turner Essay 5 (unlisted). On 71 x 96mm heavy wove paper, with engraved design of vignette and few scrolls printed directly on the paper and with pencil drawings for denominations and text, paper with few additional notations such as "Internal Revenue", design is 20 x 27mm, light creases above and below design, small tear at top, still Very Fine and unique composite essay, ex Branson, with 2005 P.F. certificate
1004 E	10c Washington, Scarlet, Brownish Black and Blue, Die Essays on Ivory Paper (Turner Essay 5a). 64 x 70mm and larger, one trivial edge thin far from design, otherwise Extremely Fine, very scarce trio, ex Tolman(Photo Ex) E. 1,000-1,500
1005 E	10c Black, Turner Essay 5 on India (Turner 5b). 23 x 27mm, crisp impression, fresh andVery FineE. 200-300



1006 E	<b>\$200.00 Blue Green &amp; Black, Eagle Plate Essay on India (Turner Essay 10a).</b> Off card, light creases, Very Fine appearance, ex Tolman E. 300-400
1007 E	\$1.00 Black, Lincoln Essay on India (Turner 20 var). 47 x 59mm, few small thin spots, internal tear at bottom right, Very Fine appearance, unlisted in Turner on India paper
1008 E	<b>\$2.00 Black, Die Essay on India (Turner 25G var).</b> 25 x 48mm, intense shade and impression, fresh and Very Fine, unlisted in Turner on India E. 200-300
1009 E	\$1.00 Black, Intaglio Impression Die Essay on Ivory Paper (Turner Essay 26-B). 66 x 76mm, trivial thin at extreme top edge, Extremely Fine appearance, ex Tolman
1010 Е	\$1.00 Washington, Orange & Black Plate Essay, Perforated and Gummed (Turner Essay 26-C var). Orange lithograph frame and solid vignette oval with engraved black Washington vignette printed over the Orange, Extremely Fine, appears to be an unlisted intermediate step to final essay Turner No. 29 of which an example in Lilac & Black is included with this lot, ex Tolman(Photo Ex) E. 300-400
1011 E	\$2.00 Green on Thin White, Olive on Carmine Surface-Printed Overprint, Revenue Essays (Turner 36Bc, 36Be). First 39 x 59mm, latter with left selvage and original gum, h.r., Very Fine and scarce

1012 Em \$2.00 Probate of Will, Blue & Black on Thin Bond, Experimental Ovpts. (Turner Ty. XVII). Sheet of four with Joseph R. Carpenter imprint at bottom, top pair with Pink ovpt. of horizontal lines in vignette, bottom pair same overprint but in frame only

VERY FINE. A WONDERFUL AND RARE ESSAY WITH EXPERIMENTAL OVERPRINT INTENDED TO PREVENT CLEANING RE-USE.

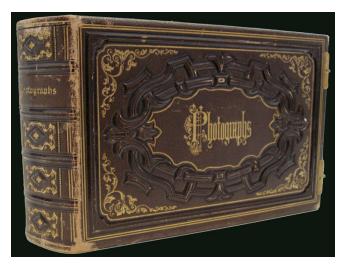
This essay uses the \$2.00 First Issue design in the Second Issue two-color format. The additional overprint was designed to prevent re-use. Ex Tolman. ...... E. 2,000-3,000



1012

1013 E **Revenue Essays Balance.** Nine items mostly on album pages, including Turner Essay 14a in Green, 31b (2), 230, 233a (2), Turner Proof Ra and Wc, T10a, overall Very Fine, a desirable group................................(Website PDF) E. 750-1,000

#### REVENUE PROOFS





1014EX

1014 P 1c-\$50.00 First Issue, Plate Proofs on Card (R1P4-R101P4). Complete set, beautifully mounted in leatherbound presentation album with embossing and "Photographs" with brass clasps, including portraits of George Boutwell and Joseph Lewis in front, each proof mounted in its own space on gold edge page, some splitting along spine, a very few slightly affected from adhesive used to mount in the album, still Very Fine and very unusual album.......................(Photo Ex) E. 2,000-3,000



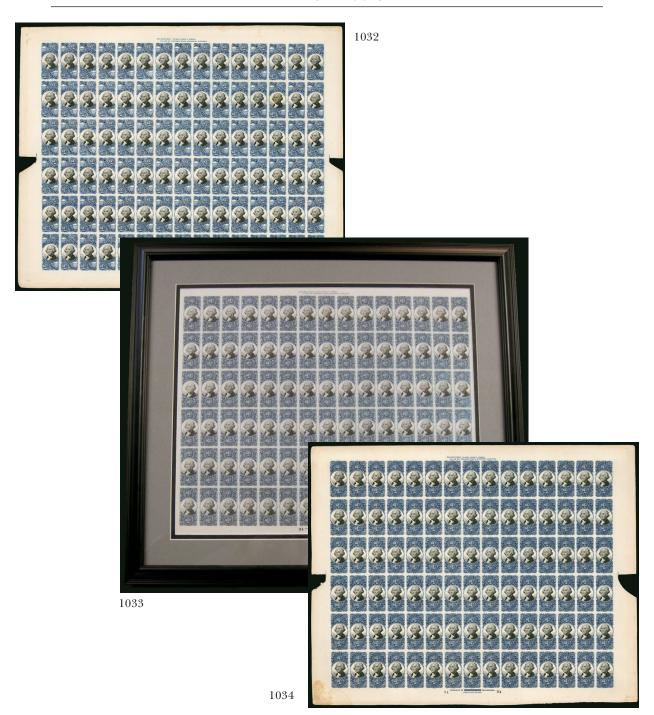
1013 гш	Nos. R1P4, R2P4, R17P4, R21P4, R24P4, R41P4, R52P4, R53P4, R70P4, R77P4, R83P4, R85P4, R88P4-R90P4, R92P4-R94P4, R96P4, R98P4, R100P4, several with corner sheet margins, rich colors, Very Fine-Extremely Fine, a scarce group
1016 P⊞	<b>3c-\$50.00 Second Issue, Plate Proofs on Card (R105P5/R131P4).</b> Complete set of blocks of four for the twelve plate proofs that exist, large margins all around, rich colors, Very Fine and choice, ex Cunliffe(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 2,565.00
1017 TC	1c Black, Proprietary, Trial Color Plate Proof on India (R3TC3). Block of four, mounted on card and so free from the defects that can plague this fragile paper, Very Fine and choice, Scott Retail as singles
1018 P⊞	1c Proprietary, Plate Proof on India (R3P3). Bottom imprint block of eight, large margins, rich color, Very Fine and choice position multiple, Scott Retail as singles
1019 P⊞	<b>5c Foreign Exchange, Plate Proof on Card (R26P4).</b> Block of four, large margins, brilliant color, Very Fine and choice, ex Branson, Scott Retail as singles
1020 P⊞	<b>5c Playing Cards, Plate Proof on Card (R28P4).</b> Block of four, large margins, radiant color, Very Fine and choice, ex Cunliffe, Scott Retail as singles
1021 P⊞	<b>15c Foreign Exchange, Plate Proof on Card (R39P4).</b> Block of four, large margins, bright color, Very Fine and choice, a beautiful block, ex Cunliffe



1022 P⊞	Very Fine and choice, ex Cunliffe
1023 P⊞	<b>25c Entry of Goods, Plate Proof on Card (R45P4).</b> Block of four, large margins, rich color, Very Fine and choice, ex Branson, Scott Retail as singles
1024 P⊞	<b>\$1.00 Passage Ticket, Plate Proof on Card (R74P4).</b> Block of four, large even margins, brilliant color, Extremely Fine, ex Cunliffe
1025 P⊞	<b>\$2.50 Inland Exchange, Plate Proof on Card (R84P4).</b> Block of six, large even margins, detailed impression, Very Fine and choice, Scott Retail as singles
1026 P⊞	<b>\$15.00 Mortgage, Plate Proof on Card (R97P4).</b> Block of four, three huge margins, clear at top, top pair Fine, bottom pair Extremely Fine, ex Tolman
1027 P⊞	\$20.00 Probate of Will, Plate Proof on Card (R99P4). Block of four, large margins, intense color, trivial thinning on back, Very Fine, ex Cunliffe, Scott Retail as singles
1028 P⊞	<b>\$50.00 USIR, Plate Proof on Card (R101P4).</b> Block of four, large margins, brilliant color, fresh and Extremely Fine, ex Cunliffe



- 2c Ultramarine & Black, Second Issue Revenue, Trial Color Plate Proof on India (R104TC5). Pane of 210 (14 x 15), apparently hinged in corners and mounted in frame with "Irv Yollis New York 1978" pencil on frame board, selvage all around including papermaker's patent imprint at right and Jos. R. Carpenter imprint and plate no. 9A at left, matching small pieces out at top and bottom in selvage only and with small almost matching tears from removal process, Very Fine, a rare sheet and impressive exhibition item, Scott Retail \$12,600.00 as singles ................................... E. 2,000-3,000
- 1030 P⊞ 3c-\$3.50 Second Issue, Plate Proofs on Card (R105P4, R109P4, R111P4-R112P4, R115P4, R119P4-R122P4, R126P4). Blocks of four, complete for the set up to the \$3.50, large margins, rich colors, Very Fine and choice, ex Cunliffe .......(Photo Ex) 1,440.00
- 1031 PH 50c Blue & Black, Second Issue, Plate Proof on Card (R115P4). Complete sheet of 85, with inverted imprint and plate no. 20 at top, attractively framed so exact condition unable to be confirmed but overall looks very fresh and Very Fine, ex Cunliffe, Scott Retail as blocks of four and singles with no premium for the better positions .. 1,355.00



- 1033 P⊞ \$1.60 Blue & Black, Second Issue, Plate Proof on Card (R121P4). Complete sheet of 90 with imprint and plate no. 24 at bottom and imprint at top, attractively framed so condition unable to be confirmed but overall looks very fresh and Very Fine, Scott Retail as blocks of four and singles with no premium for the better positions ................................. 5,820.00



1035 P⊞	margins, rich colors, Very Fine and choice, a desirable set of blocks
1036 P⊞	1c-\$2.60 Third Issue, Plate Proofs on Card (R134P4/R146P4). Eight corner margin blocks of ten and one corner margin block of eight, blocks of ten of Nos. R134P4, R136P4-R140P4 and R144P4, block of eight of No. R146, large margins, rich colors, Extremely Fine and desirable group, Scott Retail as blocks of four and singles
1037 P⊞	<b>6c Orange &amp; Black, Third Issue, Plate Proof on Card (R138P4).</b> Bottom imprint block of ten with wide selvage, rich colors, large margins, Extremely Fine E. 200-300
1038 P⊞	<b>40c Brown &amp; Black, Third Issue, Plate Proof on Card (R141P4).</b> Complete sheet of 102, huge margins, imprint and plate no. at bottom, imprint at top reads "Wilcox's Chameleon Paper, Patented May 16th 1871, George T. Jones Patent, March 22nd 1870", two cutouts in sheet margin at sides, slight edgewear including waterstaining at right and small piece out at extreme top left, Very Fine, a phenomenal proof, ex Joyce 2,028.00

1039 P⊞ 60c Orange & Black, Third Issue, Plate Proof on Card, Center Inverted (R142aP4). Block of four, Positions 12-13/29-30, large to huge margins including top sheet margin, faint overall toning as do almost all

VERY FINE AND CHOICE. AN INCREDIBLY RARE SHEET-MARGIN BLOCK OF FOUR OF THE 60-CENTS THIRD REVENUE ISSUE PLATE PROOF WITH CENTER INVERTED.



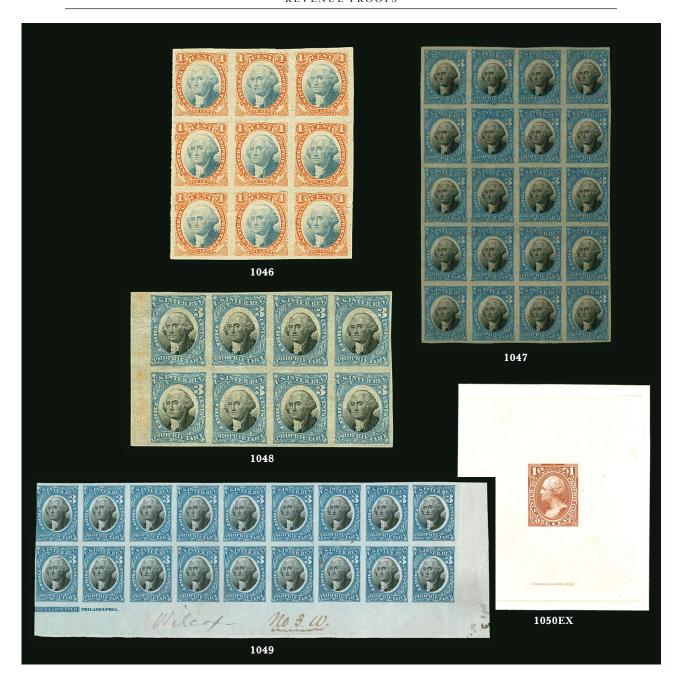
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1041 P	rich color, Very Fine, ex Cunliffe
1042 P	\$1.00 Dark Green, Large Die Proof on India (R173P1 var). Hybrid die sunk on 71 x 92mm card, intense shade, Very Fine, ex Joyce E. 200-300
1043 P	1c-6c Proprietary, Large Die Proofs on India (RB11P1-RB14P1, RB16P1-RB18P1). On approximately 88 x 100mm cards with full die sinkage, rich colors, fresh and Very Fine, scarce group(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 3,500.00
1044 P⊞	1c-10c Proprietary, Plate Proofs on Card (RB1P4-RB7P4). Complete sets in blocks of four and pairs, large margins, rich colors, Very Fine-Extremely Fine(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 532.00
1045 TC	1c Orange & Ultramarine, Proprietary, Trial Color Plate Proof on Granite Bond (RB1TC5d). Block of eighteen (6 x 3), large margins, tiny trivial thin in one, otherwise Extremely Fine, ex Tolman, Scott Retail as singles



1c Orange & Ultramarine, Proprietary, Trial Color Plate Proof on Granite Bond 1046 TC (RB1TC5d). Block of nine, large margins, rich colors, few faults, still Very Fine, Scott Retail as singles 540.00 3c Blue & Black, Proprietary, Trial Color Plate Proof on Bond Paper, Gummed 1047 TC (RB3TC5a). Block of 20, some slight bends and wrinkles, otherwise Extremely Fine, ex 1048 TC 3c Blue & Black, Proprietary, Trial Color Plate Proof on Bond (RB3TC5a). Left sheet margin block of eight, original gum, lightly hinged, few adherences mostly in sheet margin, left pair vertical crease, Very Fine appearance, Scott Retail as singles ..... 480.00 1049 TC 3c Blue & Black, Proprietary, Trial Color Plate Proof on Bond (RB3TC5). Bottom right corner block of eighteen with part imprint at bottom, large margins other sides except in at top left, pencil "Wilcox" and manuscript "No 3 W.", few creases, appears Very Fine, Scott Retail as singles 1,080.00 1050 TC 1c-6c Proprietary, Large Die Trial Color Proofs on India (RB11TC1/RB17TC1). Ten, on approximately 70 x 83mm cards with full die sinkage, including one each for 1c, 2c and 5c, three of 3c, two each of 4c and 6c, no duplication, few with minor toned spots, Very Fine and desirable group .......(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 4,850.00



1051 P	rich color, Very Fine, scarce
1052 S	1c Green, Proprietary, Perforated, Red "Specimen" Ovpt. (RB11bS-H).       Minor faults,         about Fine appearance, very scarce
1053 P	2c Brown, Large Die Proof on India (RB12P1). Die sunk on card measuring 66 x 80mm,Extremely Fine
1054 P	<b>3c Orange, Large Die Proof on India (RB13P1).</b> Die sunk on card measuring 72 x 82mm, with <b>National Bank Note imprint</b> at bottom, Extremely Fine
1055 P	5c Black, Large Die Proof on India (RB16P1). Die sunk on card measuring 78 x 88mm,Extremely Fine
1056 P⊞	<b>5c Proprietary, Plate Proof on India (RB16P3).</b> Top imprint and plate no. 11 block of 16, large margins, bright shade, few small thin spots, Very Fine appearance, a rare plate block, Scott Retail as pairs with no premium for the better position 1,280.00

#### FIRST ISSUE SINGLE STAMPS





1057

1058



- 3c Playing Cards, Imperforate (R17a). Large margins to barely touched at right, deep rich color, neat manuscript cancel



1060	<b>3c Proprietary, Part Perforated (R18b).</b> Intense shade and impression, light 1863 manuscript cancel, tiny flaw at top left, Very Fine appearance
1061	<b>10c Certificate, Part Perforated (R33b).</b> Huge margins including <b>left sheet margin,</b> deep rich color, manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine Gem
1062	<b>10c Certificate, Part Perforated (R33b).</b> Deep rich color, large margins clear from perforations and at sides, 1864 manuscript cancel, Very Fine
1063	<b>50c Passage Ticket, Part Perforated (R61b).</b> Attractively centered with wide margins, fresh color, light manuscript cancel, Very Fine
1064	\$1.00 Life Insurance, Imperforate (R71a). Huge to full margins, rich color and strong impression, manuscript cancel, Very Fine



1065 **\$1.30 Foreign Exchange, Imperforate (R77a).** Large margins to clear, radiant color which is nicely complemented by **blue** handstamped cancel

VERY FINE. A RARE SOUND EXAMPLE OF THE \$1.30 FOREIGN EXCHANGE IMPERFORATE ISSUE.

1065

\$1.60 Foreign Exchange, Imperforate (R79a). Large margins, rich color, light strike of handstamp cancel, bottom right corner faulty, otherwise Extremely Fine......... 1,400.00

1067 **\$1.90 Foreign Exchange, Imperforate (R80a).** Large margins to ample, pretty shade, manuscript cancel, tiny sealed pinhole

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A RARE EXAMPLE OF THE \$1.90 FOREIGN EXCHANGE FIRST ISSUE IMPERFORATE.



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068 \$3.00 Charter Party Imperferate (PS5a) Large to huge margins deep color and strong

\$10.00 Mortgage, Imperforate (R95a). Huge balanced margins, intense color, neat manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine, a beautiful looking example of this issue ...... 900.00



1072 **\$25.00 Mortgage, Imperforate (R100a).** Large to full margins, vibrant color and detailed impression, neat 1865 manuscript cancel

VERY FINE. A WONDERFUL EXAMPLE OF THE \$25.00 IMPERFORATE MORTGAGE FIRST ISSUE.

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1073 **\$25.00 Mortgage, Imperforate (R100a).** Large to full margins, rich color, neat 1865 manuscript cancel, horizontal crease, Very Fine appearance ..... 2,500.00

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\$50.00 U.S.I.R., Imperforate (R101a). Large even margins, bright fresh color, bold impression, lightly struck 1863 handstamp, Extremely Fine ......... 325.00

#### FIRST ISSUE—BLOCKS AND RECORD-SIZE MULTIPLES



1075



1076 ⊞ **1c Express, Imperforate (R1a).** Block of four, large margins to full, rich color, neat 1865

1076



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1078 **1c Playing Cards, Part Perforated (R2b).** Vertical pair, bright color, neat manuscript cancels, bottom stamp single short perf at lower left

FINE APPEARANCE. A RARE PAIR OF THE ONE-CENT PLAYING CARDS PART PERFORATED ISSUE.

The largest recorded multiple is a block of four. There are two vertical strips of three and ten pairs listed in the Curtis census.

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1c Playing Cards, Perforated (R2c). Block of four, neat Jan. 1864 handstamp cancels, color slightly oxidized, some perf separations sensibly reinforced, Fine................. 950.00

1081 **1c Playing Cards, Perforated (R2c).** Vertical and horizontal pairs, intense shades on bright paper, neat manuscript cancels, Very Fine ......(Photo Ex) 900.00







1084

1083 ⊞ 1c Proprietary, Part Perforated (R3b). Horizontal block of ten consisting of two rejoined strips of five, radiant color, neat 1865 manuscript cancel, top right and bottom left stamps faulty, otherwise Fine-Very Fine, this is the largest recorded multiple, the next largest is a block of four, ex Joyce, Scott Retail as blocks of four and pair \$6,750.00, Scott Retail as pairs and singles \$3,550.00 ..... E. 500-750

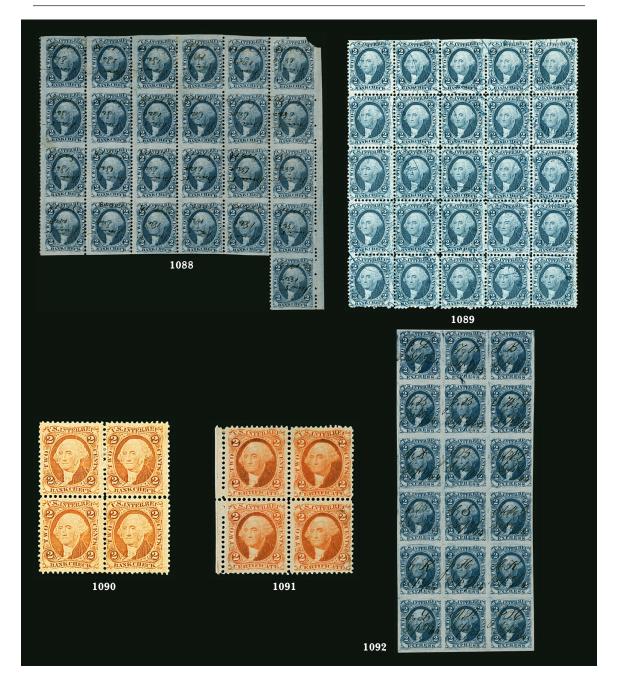
1084 ⊞ 1c Proprietary, Part Perforated (R3b). Block of four, July 29, 1863 manuscript cancel, few faults including perfs trimmed at left, few creases, small tear at top right and few perfs reinforced by small pieces of tape, otherwise Very Fine, this is the nicest appearing of the three recorded blocks in the Curtis census, with 2005 P.F. certificate..... 3,000.00



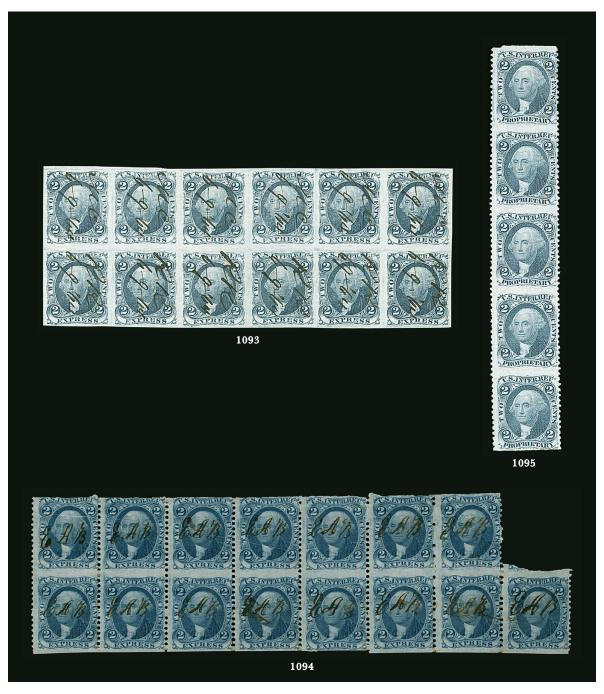




- 1085 1c Proprietary, Part Perforated (R3b). Vertical pair, large margin to clear (if a bit
- 1086 (★)⊞ 1c Proprietary, Perforated, Silk Paper (R3d). Horizontal block of six, unused (no gum), brilliant color, choice centering, top right stamp natural perf disc inclusion, bottom left stamp tiny corner crease, Very Fine appearance, this is the second largest recorded multiple and the largest recorded unused multiple, ex Joyce, Scott Retail as used block
- 1087 1c Telegraph, Imperforate (R4a). Vertical pair, large margins, unusual shade, manuscript cancel, Very Fine, a pair is the second-largest multiple after a single horizon-



- 1088 ⊞ 2c Bank Check, Blue, Part Perforated, Double Transfer (R5b var). Block of 25 (6 x 4 plus one stamp), selvage at right, missing top right corner, few faults, still Fine and scarce, this is the second-largest recorded multiple, ex Halstead and Joyce........ 845.50
- 1089 ⊞ **2c Bank Check, Blue, Perforated (R5c).** Block of 25 (5 x 5), deep rich color, unobtrusive blue handstamp cancels, light vertical crease affects center column, Very Fine appearance, this is **the second largest recorded multiple**, ex Cunliffe ....... E. 300-400





1097	2c Proprietary, Ultramarine, Perforated (R13e). Horizontal pair, original gum, h.r., Fine, ex Joyce, Scott Retail as used
1098 E	<b>3c Playing Cards, Perforated (R17c).</b> Block of four, each with manuscript "X" cancel, some slight overall toning, Very Fine and scarce block
1099	<b>3c Proprietary, Part Perforated (R18b).</b> Horizontal pair, mostly rejoined, manuscript cancels, few faults including left stamp creased, otherwise Fine, horizontal pairs are scarcer than vertical
1100 (	<b>3c Telegraph, Part Perforated (R19b).</b> Block of 40 (5 x 8), <b>unused (no gum),</b> deep rich color, some perf separations sensibly reinforced, light horizontal crease mostly between stamps, otherwise Very Fine, this is <b>the second largest recorded multiple,</b> the largest is a block of 50 offered in our Sale 1100, ex Joyce, Scott Retail as used blocks and pairs \$3,130.00
1101 (	<b>3c Telegraph, Part Perforated (R19b).</b> Vertical block of eight with adjoining stamps at bottom, appears <b>unused (no gum),</b> wonderfully fresh color, right vertical strip particularly well-centered, Very Fine, Scott Retail as two blocks

1102 ⊞ 4c Playing Cards, Perforated (R21c). Horizontal block of six, fresh color, horizontal crease through top strip, some sensible hinge reinforcements

> FINE. AN INCREDIBLY RARE BLOCK OF SIX OF THE PERFORATED 4-CENT PLAY-ING CARDS. THIS IS THE SECOND LARGEST RECORDED BLOCK.

> Ex Joyce. Scott Retail as block of four and pair..... 5,750.00



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1103 ⊞

4c Playing Cards, Perforated (R21c). Block of four, deep rich color, neat April 19, 1865 manuscript cancels, few minor perf separations expertly reinforced, Fine and scarce, a block of four is the third largest recorded multiple after a block of nine and a block of six and only three are recorded, ex Joyce ..... 4,000.00

1103







- 1104 ⊞ 4c Playing Cards, Perforated (R21c). Rejoined block of four, fresh color, well-centered overall, light manuscript cancels, couple short perfs on bottom right stamp, horizontally rejoined with hinges, still Very Fine, an incredibly scarce multiple being the third largest recorded 4,000.00
- 1105 4c Playing Cards, Perforated (R21c). Vertical pair, bright color, neat 1863 manuscript
- 1106 4c Proprietary, Part Perforated (R22b). Vertical pair, pretty shade, neat Oct. 1, 1863 circular datestamps, Fine, attractive with the circular datestamp cancels, ex Cunliffe......



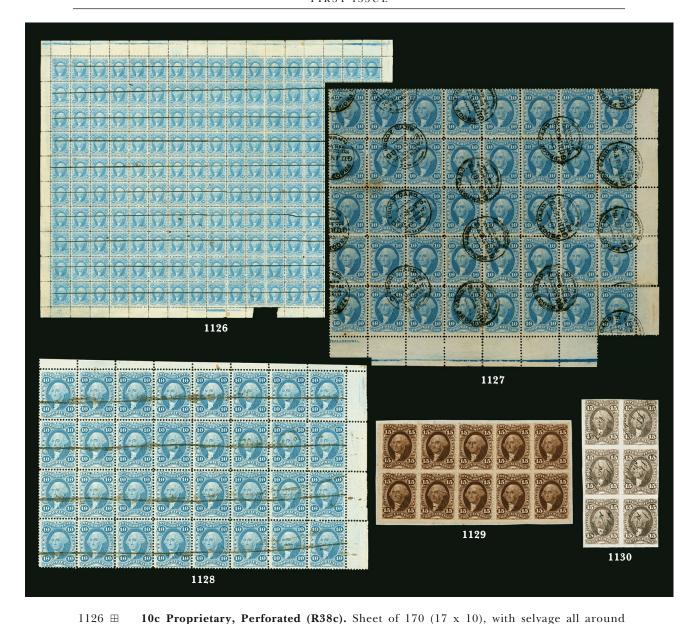
1110 ★⊞ 5c Inland Exchange, Perforated (R27c). Block of 63 (7 x 9), original gum, approximately half Mint N.H., others h.r. but not offensively so, rich color, few minor perf separations, Fine-Very Fine, this is the largest recorded multiple, the next-largest unused is a block of 16 and the next-largest used is a block of 30....... E. 300-400



right, each with light manuscript cancel, second stamp with vertical crease at right ending in a tear, third stamp with tiny stain at top, otherwise Very Fine, Scott Retail as single and two pairs.. 1113 10c Bill of Lading, Imperforate (R32a). Horizontal pair, extra large margins all around, lovely 1114 10c Certificate, Imperforate (R33a). Vertical strip of three, large margins to clear, pretty shade, 10c Certificate, Part Perforated (R33b). Vertical strip of five, unused (no gum), deep rich color 1115 (\*) and proof-like impression, separated bit unevenly at top and bottom into top design but with part of adjoining stamp at bottom, horizontal creases between stamps, still Very Fine and rare, this is the largest recorded multiple, five others are known but only one other is unused, ex Joyce, Scott Retail as used pairs and single \$5,950.00 ..... E. 500-750 10c Certificate, Part Perforated (R33b). Vertical strip of five, deep rich color, manuscript cancel, 1116 centered to left, Fine a strip of five is the largest recorded multiple (five others are known), ex 1117 10c Certificate, Part Perforated (R33b). Vertical pair, deep rich color, large margins, 1865 manuscript cancels leave entire design clearly visible, Very Fine and choice, ex Turner, with 1983 P.F. certificate 2,500.00 1118 10c Blue, Contract, Part Perforated (R34b). Vertical strip of six, rich color, manuscript cancels, somewhat defective, still the largest recorded multiple and the only one this size, ex Halstead, Scott Retail as three pairs 4,500.00



manuscript cancels, bottom stamp light diagonal crease, Very Fine appearance. 1,500.00 1120 10c Inland Exchange, Imperforate (R36a). Horizontal strip of five, large even margins, neat manuscript cancel, left stamp tear at top and light vertical crease, Extremely Fine, this is the second largest recorded multiple, ex Cunliffe, Scott Retail as pairs and single 3,100.00 1121 10c Inland Exchange, Imperforate (R36a). Horizontal pair, large balanced margins, rich color, neat 1863 manuscript cancel, trivial small tear in bottom margin, Extremely Fine 1122 10c Inland Exchange, Imperforate (R36a). Vertical pair, large margins to clear, deep rich color, manuscript cancels, tiny sealed pinhole, Very Fine appearance....... 1,300.00 1123 ⊞ 10c Blue, Inland Exchange, Perf Perforated (R36b). Reconstructed block of 60 with selvage at top and bottom, manuscript cancels, one at top defective where selvage and part of stamp missing, few other faults, still Fine this is the largest recorded multiple, 1124 10c Power of Attorney, Imperforate (R37a). Vertical pair, large margins, rich color, manuscript cancel, few repairs, otherwise Very Fine and scarce multiple, only four multi-10c Power of Attorney, Imperforate (R37a). Vertical pair, unused (no gum), large 1125 (★) margins to just in, bottom stamp sealed tear, top stamp repaired, otherwise Fine and 



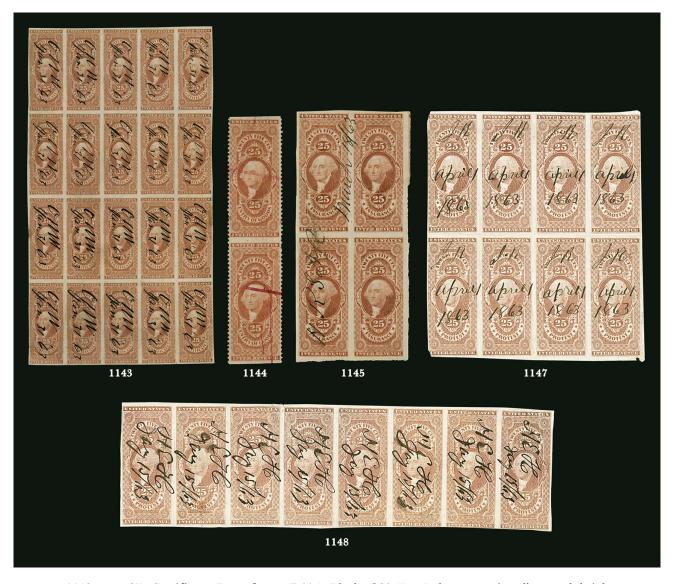
- except below part of two stamps at bottom, with Butler, Carpenter imprint at bottom, pen precancels, original gum, h.r., some faults to be expected in such a large multiple including some perf separations sensibly reinforced, few light creases etc., otherwise Fine-Very Fine, this is the largest possible multiple and the only sheet recorded, ex Cunliffe, 1127 ⊞ 10c Proprietary, Perforated (R38c). Block of 40 (8 x 5) with bottom and right selvage (missing by one position), neat "Gurney's Proof Card" handstamp cancels, few faults including rejoined and reattached and some toning, otherwise Fine, this is the secondlargest recorded multiple, the cancel was used by New York photographer Jeremiah 1128 ⊞ 10c Proprietary, Perforated (R38c). Block of 32 (8 x 4) with sheet selvage at top and right, bright fresh color, single horizontal manuscript line across each stamp, couple light creases and small thin as should be expected with a multiple of this size, still Very Fine, 1129 ⊞ 15c Foreign Exchange, Perforated (R39c). Horizontal block of ten, rich color, affixed to piece of 1867 document, unobtrusive manuscript cancels, Fine-Very Fine, this is the largest recorded multiple and the only one this size, Scott Retail as two blocks of four



1131	around, warm rich shade, Extremely Fine, a choice and rare pair to find in this superb condition
1132 ⊞	15c Inland Exchange, Part Perforated (R40b). Vertical block of six on piece, deep rich color, beautifully centered, couple blunt perforations at bottom right, Very Fine, Scott Retail as block and pair
1133 ⊞	<b>20c Foreign Exchange, Imperforate (R41a).</b> Block of four, large margins to clear, neat manuscript cancels, tiny corner crease at bottom left, Very Fine appearance, only three multiples larger than a block of four are recorded
1134 ⊞	<b>20c Foreign Exchange, Perforated (R41c).</b> Irregular block of eight, attractive color, neat manuscript cancels, hinge reinforcement at top, Very Fine, this is <b>the second largest block known,</b> Scott Retail for a block and two pairs
1135 ⊞	<b>20c Inland Exchange, Imperforate (R42a).</b> Horizontal block of ten, large margins to just touching along left side, fresh color, light manuscript cancel, light corner crease at top right and along top margin, Very Fine, this is the third largest known multiple, Scott Retail for two blocks and pair
1136 ⊞	<b>20c Inland Exchange, Part Perforated (R42b).</b> Reconstructed block of 16 comprised of blocks of ten and six, bright color, Oct. 1863 manuscript cancels, few faults including few creases, one with small piece out due to ink erosion, still Fine-Very Fine, this is <b>the largest recorded multiple</b> , the next largest is a block of six, ex Joyce, Scott Retail as blocks and pair



1137 ⊞	<b>25 Bond, Imperforate (R43a).</b> Block of four, large margins to just in at top left, bright color, March 4, 1863 manuscript cancel, few creases and sealed tears, still Fine-Very Fine, a block of four is <b>the largest recorded multiple</b> , the other is rejoined from two pairs, a rejoined strip of four is also known
1138	<b>25 Bond, Imperforate (R43a).</b> Reconstructed block of four, comprising two vertical pairs, large margins all around, rich color, top pair with horizontal crease ending in a tear at right, Very Fine appearance, one intact block of four is known, no multiple larger than four is recorded in Curtis census, ex Joyce and Cunliffe E. 400-500
1139	25 Bond, Imperforate (R43a). Vertical pair with sheet margin at bottom and part of adjoining stamp at left, margins large to clear, neat manuscript cancel, Very Fine
1140	<b>25 Bond, Imperforate (R43a).</b> Vertical pair, large margins all around, 1863 manuscript cancels, Very Fine and choice, with 2002 P.F. certificate
1141 ⊞	<b>25c Bond, Part Perforated (R43b).</b> Vertical block of eight, large margins, fresh color, neat 1862 manuscript cancels, some faults including couple edge tears, two creases and some perf separation, Very Fine appearance, ex Little and Joyce, Scott Retail as two blocks
1142 (★)⊞	<b>25c Bond, Perforated (R43c).</b> Block of 27 (9 x 3) with top right corner selvage, <b>unused (no gum),</b> bright color, few faults including sensibly reinforced perf separations, otherwise Fine, this is <b>the largest recorded multiple,</b> the next largest is a block of 12, ex Cunliffe E. 200-300



1143 ⊞ 25c Certificate, Imperforate (R44a). Block of 20 (5 x 4), large margins all around, bright color, Jan. 31, 1863 manuscript cancels, few horizontal creases, one with small tear, still Very Fine, this is the largest recorded multiple, ex Logan and Weill sale, Scott Retail as 1144 25c Entry of Goods, Part Perforated (R45b). Vertical pair, radiant color, red manuscript cancels, folded between stamps, bottom stamp small tear at top right, still Very Fine, a single strip of three is the largest recorded multiple and pairs and rare, ex Halstead ..... 1145 ⊞ 25c Insurance, Imperforate (R46a). Block of four, huge margins, March 1863 manuscript cancel, lower right stamp uncancelled, few minor flaws, Extremely Fine appearance, ex 25c Power of Attorney, Perforated (R48c). Complete sheet of 102 with selvage all around 1146 ★⊞ and plate no. at left, original gum, h.r. where perf separations sensibly reinforced, some faults to be expected, otherwise Fine-Very Fine, this is the largest multiple possible, ex 1147 ⊞ 25c Protest, Imperforate (R49a). Horizontal block of eight, large margins to touching in a few places, strong color, 1863 manuscript cancels, some creasing as expected, one stamp with pinhole caused by manuscript, Fine appearance, this is the second largest 1148 25c Protest, Imperforate (R49a). Horizontal strip of eight, mostly large margins to just touching at bottom, 1863 manuscript cancels, horizontal crease causing some slight splitting on a couple stamps and second stamp with a small tear, Very Fine appearance, a scarce block which is the second largest known multiple, ex Cunliffe, Scott Retail as four 



1149 ⊞	block of eight, large margins to clear, bright color, matching manuscript cancels as these were placed side by side on the same document, bottom stamps horizontal crease, Very Fine appearance
1150	<b>25c Protest, Part Perforated (R49b).</b> Vertical pair, bold color, bottom stamp with a small thin, Very Fine, a scarce pair which is <b>the largest multiple known</b>
1151 ⊞	25c Warehouse Receipt, Imperforate (R50a). Vertical block of eight, rich color, large margins to just in, 1866 manuscript cancels, few faults including creased vertically between stamps and sealed along tear at top, otherwise Fine, this is the largest recorded multiple, the next largest is a block of four, ex Joyce and Cunliffe, Scott Retail as two blocks of four
1152	<b>25c Warehouse Receipt, Imperforate (R50a).</b> Horizontal strip of four, large to huge margins including <b>top sheet margin,</b> brilliant color, May 1863 manuscript cancel, right stamp light vertical crease, Very Fine-Extremely Fine appearance, ex Logan, Scott Retail as pairs (block of four catalogues \$1,200.00)
1153	<b>25c Warehouse Receipt, Imperforate (R50a).</b> Horizontal strip of four, balanced margins all around, manuscript cancel, Very Fine, with 1996 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail as two pairs
1154	<b>25c Warehouse Receipt, Part Perforated (R50b).</b> Vertical pair, margins in at top to just clear at bottom, 1863 manuscript cancel, top stamp with pulled perf and bottom stamp with crease, Fine, a scarce pair and the largest known multiple

## END OF SESSION ONE

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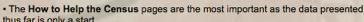
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- The Home Page shows you how to utilize the census.
- The **Methodology** page briefly outlines criteria and parameters utilized in the census.
- The Glossary lists and identifies all abbreviations and acronyms used.



"The wonderful members of our hobby have to contribute if we are to create a truly accurate census."

Last but not least is a copy of the original Turner Census from the Daniel F. Kelleher Auction Catalogue of July 17-18, 1980, originally published in 1960.



The Turner Census is the genesis of this census- we are deeply appreciative.

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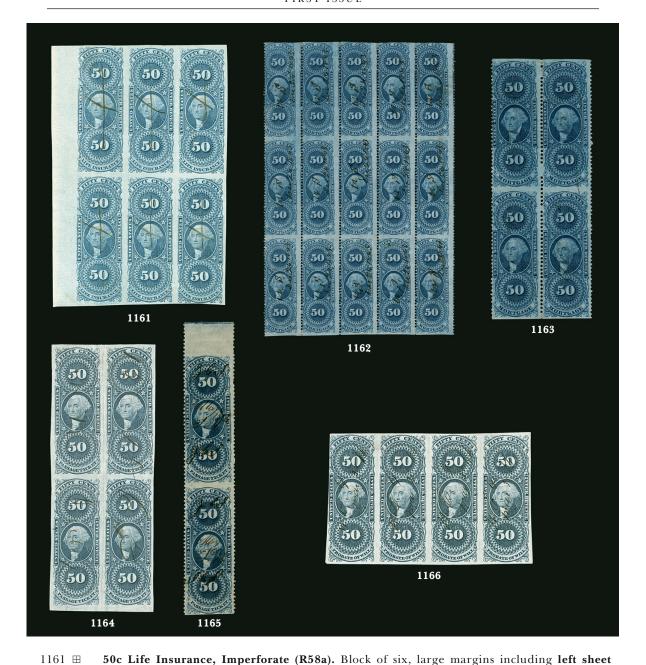
### SESSION TWO (LOTS 1155-1504) THURSDAY, OCTOBER 1, 2015, AT 1:30 P.M.

### FIRST ISSUE BLOCKS AND RECORD SIZE MULTIPLES

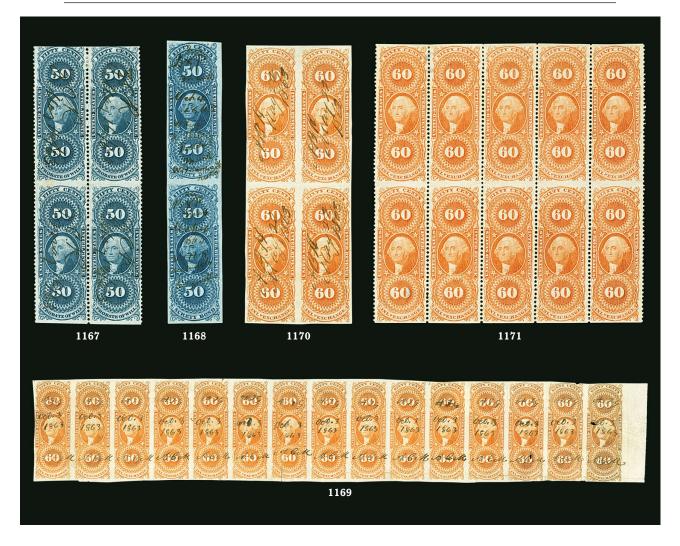


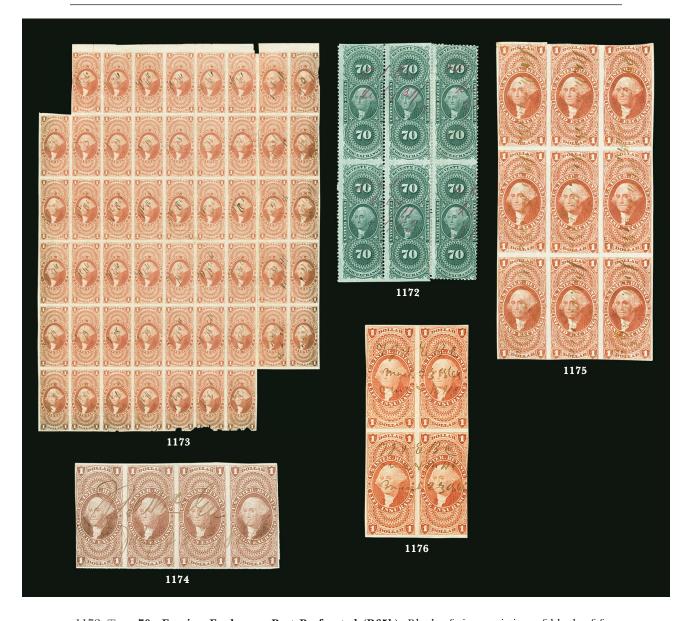
1155	<b>30c Foreign Exchange, Imperforate (R51a).</b> Horizontal strip of three, large to ample margins, fresh color, neat "S.S. Oregon" 1864 manuscript cancels, right stamp with shallow thin, Very Fine, Scott Retail as pair and single
1156	<b>30c Foreign Exchange, Perforated (R51c).</b> Horizontal strip of four, rich color, Jan. 5, 1865 manuscript cancels, one with rounded corner, Very Fine, this is <b>the second largest recorded multiple</b> (the largest is a block of six, no other blocks are recorded) and no others this size are known, Scott Retail as two pairs

- 50c Lease, Imperforate (R57a). Horizontal strip of four, mostly large margins all around, fresh color, tear affecting right stamp, still Very Fine, Scott Retail as two pairs.... 400.00
- 50c Lease, Imperforate, Perf Perforated, Perforated (R57a, R57b, R57c). Block of six of each, margins to in, few faults, appear Fine-Very Fine, the imperforate and part perforated are largest recorded multiples, the perforated is second largest recorded, also including block of 18 of perforated with bottom part imprint and plate no. selvage which is the largest recorded multiple, a wonderful group, ex Cunliffe.....(Photo Ex) 3,492.50



margin, bright color, each with neat manuscript "X" cancel, top left stamp small fault, Very Fine appearance, this is the third largest recorded multiple, ex Talley and Joyce ... 1,010.00 50c Mortgage, Part Perforated (R59b). Block of 15 (5 x 3), rich color, Dec. 1863 manuscript 1162 ⊞ cancels, few small faults normally associated with such a large multiple, Fine appearance, this is the largest recorded multiple, the next largest is a block of ten, ex Logan and Joyce........ 1,680.00 50c Mortgage, Part Perforated (R59b). Block of four, large margins, rich color, faint 1163 ⊞ 50c Passage Ticket, Imperforate (R61a). Rejoined block of four consisting of two vertical 1164 ⊞ pairs, fresh color, small faults including sealed tear on bottom left stamp, Very Fine appearance, this is the largest block recorded with only one other block known and three strips of 50c Passage Ticket, Part Perforated (R61b). Vertical pair with top sheet margin, rich color, 1165 May 1866 manuscript cancels, Very Fine, a pair is the largest recorded multiple and only five 50c Probate of Will, Imperforate (R62a). Horizontal strip of four, large margins to just 1166 touching at left, bold color and strong impression, Very Fine, the right pair being particularly 





1172 ⊞	<b>70c Foreign Exchange, Part Perforated (R65b).</b> Block of six consisting of block of four and rejoined pair at right which has been privately perforated at top and bottom, magenta manuscript cancels, Fine, this is <b>the second largest recorded multiple</b> (largest is a rejoined block of eight made from two blocks of four), Scott Retail as block of four and pair
1173 ⊞	<b>\$1.00 Conveyance, Imperforate (R66a).</b> Block of 51 made from a block of 41 and a block of 10, large margins to in where margins uneven, Oct. 1864 manuscript cancels, few faults including creases and tears, otherwise Fine-Very Fine, this is <b>the largest recorded multiple,</b> the next-largest is a block of 24, Scott Retail as blocks of four, two pairs and a single
1174	<b>\$1.00 Foreign Exchange, Imperforate (R68a).</b> Horizontal strip of four, large margins to touching at left (clear at right), light manuscript cancel, Very Fine, the center pair is particularly nice and this is the second largest multiple in size with only two strips of five known, ex Joyce, Scott Retail as two pairs
1175 ⊞	<b>\$1.00 Inland Exchange, Imperforate (R69a).</b> Block of nine, margins ample to touching in a few places, bright fresh color, 1863 manuscript cancel, some trivial small edge tears, Fine, this is the third largest block recorded, ex Joyce, Scott Retail as block of four, two pairs and single
1176 ⊞	<b>\$1.00 Life Insurance, Imperforate (R71a).</b> Block of four, large margins to in, rich color, manuscript cancels, few creases which are mostly natural paper wrinkles, Fine-Very Fine appearance, this is tied with two others as <b>second largest recorded multiple</b> , ex Weill and Halstead





1181



1182 \$1.60 Foreign Exchange, Perforated (R79c). Horizontal pair, strong color and a bold impression, handstamp cancels, Fine, a scarce pair not often found in sound condition, this is the largest multiple known with only five other pairs recorded (one rejoined and \$1.90 Foreign Exchange, Perforated (R80c). Block of four (two horizontal pairs 1183 ⊞ rejoined), pastel color, April 1, 1867 manuscript cancels, top right stamp couple minor perf flaws, otherwise Fine, ex Joyce, only one larger block is known (of 18, a strip of five 1184 \$2.00 Conveyance, Imperforate (R81a). Horizontal strip of five, large margins to full, neat 1863 manuscript cancels, right stamp vertical crease, Fine-Very Fine, this strip and a block of five are the largest recorded multiples, Scott Retail as pairs and a single........ 1,225.00 \$2.00 Conveyance, Imperforate (R81a). Horizontal and vertical pair, first with top sheet 1185 margin, large margins, manuscript cancels, horizontal pair with vertical crease between stamps, Very Fine appearance.....(Photo Ex) 1,000.00

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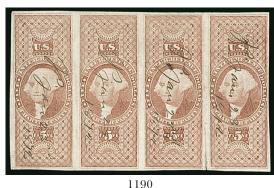
\$2.00 Probate of Will, Imperforate (R83a). Horizontal pair, large margins to in at left, brilliant color, neat Feb. 23, 1863 manuscript cancel, left stamp tiny tear at bottom FINE-VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A RARE AND DESIRABLE MULTIPLE OF THE \$2.00 PROBATE OF WILL. VERY FEW MULTIPLES ARE KNOWN.

The Curtis census lists a block of four, two strips of three and five pairs total. Ex Tolman.... 16,500.00



1187





1188 ⊞ \$2.00 Probate of Will, Perforated (R83c). Block of five attached to piece along with \$3.00 Charter Party, Imperforate (R85a), the latter with full margins to just touching at bottom right, neat 1865 manuscript cancels, one of the \$2.00 stamps with interesting ink flaw, Very Fine ..... E. 200-300 1189 \$5.00 Charter Party, Imperforate (R88a). Horizontal strip of four, large to huge margins including part of adjoining stamp at left, 1863 manuscript cancels, bright color, scissorscut at top between right stamps, Extremely Fine, only one block of four and three strips of four are known and they are the largest recorded multiples, ex Joyce and Floyd, Scott \$5.00 Charter Party, Imperforate (R88a). Horizontal strip of four, large to ample 1190 margins, rich color, 1872 manuscript cancels, vertical crease ending in a tear between right pair and small sealed tear between left pair, Very Fine appearance, this is the largest recorded multiple with only one block and two other strips recorded, ex Cunliffe, Scott Retail as two pairs 1,300.00



1191 ⊞	<b>\$5.00 Conveyance, Imperforate (R89a).</b> Horizontal block of six, large margins to clear, deep rich color, neat 1863 manuscript cancels, Very Fine and choice, Scott Retail as block of four and pair
1192 ⊞	<b>\$5.00 Conveyance, Imperforate (R89a).</b> Irregular block of seven, large margins to just in, manuscript cancels, few faults including reconstructed, otherwise Fine-Very Fine and scarce, this is <b>the second largest recorded multiple,</b> the largest is a block of nine which is currently in a private collection
1193	<b>\$5.00 Conveyance, Imperforate (R89a).</b> Horizontal pair, large even margins, vibrant color and a sharp impression, light manuscript cancels, Extremely Fine 200.00
1194 ⊞	<b>\$5.00 Manifest, Imperforate (R90a).</b> Block of four, large margins to ample, bright color, 1866 manuscript cancels, light creases, Very Fine appearance, only two blocks of four are recorded which is <b>the second largest recorded multiple</b> , the largest is a block of six, ex Weill and Halstead
1195 ⊞	<b>\$5.00 Manifest, Imperforate (R90a).</b> Block of four, large margins to just touching frameline in a couple places, warm color, manuscript cancels, Fine, this is <b>the second largest known block,</b> ex Joyce
1196	<b>\$5.00 Manifest, Imperforate (R90a).</b> Horizontal strip of four, large to ample margins, bright color, neat 1868 manuscript cancels, sealed tears between right pair, Very Fine appearance, this is <b>the second largest recorded multiple</b> with only a block of six known and two blocks of four, ex Joyce, Scott Retail as two pairs



1197 ★ \$5.00 Manifest, Perforated (R90c). Horizontal strip of four, original gum, with right selvage, brilliant color, Very Fine and choice, ex Joyce, Scott Retail as two used pairs..... 600.00



1200

1200 ⊞ \$5.00 Probate of Will, Imperforate (R92a). Horizontal block of 18, large margins to clear, bright color, April 1, 1864 manuscript cancels, few pressed-out creases causing small tears, tiny thin specks at right, overall in very nice shape for such a large multiple VERY FINE APPEARANCE. THIS IS THE SECOND LARGEST RECORDED MULTIPLE OF THE \$5.00 PROBATE OF WILL IMPERFORATE ISSUE. A MARVELOUS SHOWPIECE.

The largest multiple is a block of 21 (three larger than this block) with similar cancels, (offered in Siegel Sale 1100, lot 160). The next-largest multiple is a block of six.



	color, April 4, 1863 manuscript cancel, two tiny tears, top stamps light horizontal crease, Fine-Very Fine appearance, this is the only recorded block of four and only three multiples are larger
1202	<b>\$5.00 Probate of Will, Imperforate (R92a).</b> Vertical pair, large margins to just touched, manuscript cancels, horizontal crease mostly between stamps, tiny tears at top, still Fine and scarce, only three vertical pairs are recorded
1203	\$10.00 Charter Party, Imperforate (R93a). Vertical pair, large margins to just in at top, deep rich color, manuscript cancels, partly separated and reinforced with hinge, still Fine-Very Fine, this is the only recorded vertical pair and only one multiple larger than a pair is known, ex Eagle
1204	\$10.00 Conveyance, Imperforate (R94a). Horizontal strip of eight, huge margins to just in including sheet margin at left, deep rich color, neat 1863 manuscript cancels, few flaws to be expected in such a large multiple, Very Fine appearance, this is tied for the largest recorded multiple, a reinforced block of eight is also known, ex Logan, Scott Retail as four pairs
1205 ⊞	<b>\$10.00 Conveyance, Imperforate (R94a).</b> Block of four, large even margins, 1863 manuscript cancels, bottom stamps faint horizontal crease, Very Fine appearance, only three blocks larger than four are recorded, ex Logan and Joyce 1,000.00
1206 ⊞	\$10.00 Conveyance, Perforated (R94c). Rejoined block of six comprising two horizontal strips reattached with hinges, bold color, neat 1864 manuscript cancels, Fine, this is the largest recorded multiple with only two others of the same size recorded, ex Joyce, Scott Retail as block and pair



1207

\$10.00 Mortgage, Imperforate (R95a). Horizontal pair, Large margins including sheet margin at left to touching frameline at top, deep rich color, 1863 manuscript cancels, two small pinholes \$10.00 Mortgage, Imperforate (R95a). Vertical pair, large margins

to just touched, rich color, manuscript cancels, Fine-Very Fine, only five multiples of any size are recorded (largest is block of six) 



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1209 ⊞ \$15.00 Mortgage, Imperforate (R97a). Block of four, large margins to just in on bottom stamps, deep rich color, neat June 6, 1864 handstamp cancels, few faults including top stamps with expert repair that is not clearly evident

> FINE-VERY FINE. A RARE BLOCK OF FOUR OF THE IMPERFORATE \$15.00 MORTGAGE FIRST ISSUE REVENUE. ONLY TWO BLOCKS OF FOUR ARE KNOWN, WHICH IS THE SECOND LARGEST RECORDED MULTIPLE.

> Thecurtiscollection.com records a repaired and reinforced block of six and two blocks of four. Ex Joyce. Scott Retail \$19,000.00.....

..... E. 2,000-3,000



\$15.00 Mortgage, Imperforate (R97a).

Horizontal pair, large margins, deep rich color and detailed impression, 1864 manuscript cancels, small tear at top right of left stamp, light horizontal crease ending in small tear at left, still Very Fine and scarce pair, ex Joyce, Scott Retail \$8,000.00 ... E. 1,500-2,000

1210





1211



and four, large margins, March 5, 1864 manuscript cancels, few faults to be expected in such a large multiple, Very Fine appearance, this is the second largest recorded multiple, the largest is a block of twelve, Scott Retail as two blocks of four and a pair ...... 2,850.00 \$20.00 Conveyance, Imperforate (R98a). Block of eight consisting of rejoined block of six 1214 ⊞ and a pair, large margins to just in, 1863 manuscript cancels, light creases, Fine-Very \$20.00 Conveyance, Perforated (R98c). Block of four, rich color nicely complemented by 1215 ⊞ blue 1867 Mil. & St. Paul Railway oval datestamps, few small faults do not detract, Very \$20.00 Conveyance, Perforated (R98c). Horizontal strip of four, neat 1866 manuscript 1216 cancels, slight separation along middle perfs, Very Fine and attractive, Scott Retail as two 



1217 \$20.00 Probate of Will, Imperforate (R99a). Reconstructed block of four consisting of two

vertical pairs, large margins to clear, each with July 13, 1864 manuscript cancel

VERY FINE. A RARE AND DESIRABLE RECON-STRUCTED BLOCK OF FOUR OF THE \$20.00 PROBATE OF WILL FIRST ISSUE IMPERFORATE.

Aside from the spectacular block of 27, www.thecurtiscollection.com records this reconstructed block of four, a strip of three on document, three horizontal pairs and an unspecified number of vertical pairs.

Ex Col. Green, Joyce and Floyd as pairs. Scott Retail as pairs \$14,000.00 ..... E. 3,000-4,000



1217



1218

\$20.00 Probate of Will, Imperforate (R99a). Vertical pair, large to ample margins all around, vivid fresh color, 1864 manuscript cancels, trivial scissorscut between stamps

VERY FINE. A WONDERFULLY FRESH PAIR OF THE \$20.00 IMPERFORATE PROBATE OF WILL FIRST ISSUE.

With 1985 P.F. and 2005 P.S.E. certifi-

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\$20.00 Probate of Will, Imperforate (R99a). Vertical pair, large to huge margins, vibrant color, May 7, 1864 manuscript cancel, horizontal crease between stamps, Extremely Fine appearance, ex Cunliffe, only four multiples are known larger than a pair.... 



1220



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\$25.00 Mortgage, Perforated (R100c). Horizontal pair, incredibly radiant color, 1870 manuscript cancel, Very Fine, with 2002 P.S.E. certificate..... 600.00







1226 \(\pmax\) **\$200.00 U.S.I.R., Perforated (R102c).** Block of four, rich colors, each with June 18, 1870 manuscript cancel, few minor perf separations sensibly reinforced, horizontal crease at bottom, small thin spot at bottom left

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. AN ATTRACTIVE AND SCARCE BLOCK OF FOUR OF THE COLORFUL PERFORATED \$200.00 FIRST REVENUE ISSUE.

Scott Retail \$7,000.00 ..... E. 2,000-3,000

#### FIRST ISSUE USED ON DOCUMENTS



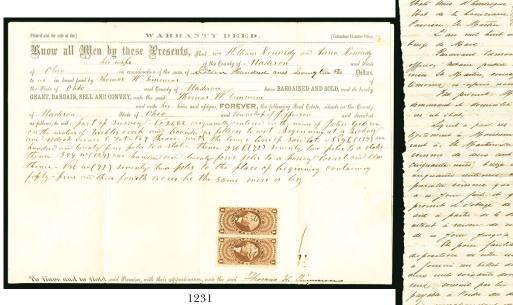


1230 detail

1230 ⊞ **10c Certificate, Imperforate (R33a).** Vertical block of ten, used with two R59b, cancelled by manuscript and affixed to Vermont land conveyance dated July 28, 1863, few light pre-use creases

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. THIS IS THE LARGEST RECORDED MULTIPLE OF THE IMPERFORATE 10-CENT CERTIFICATE FIRST ISSUE. ESPECIALLY DESIRABLE ON THE ORIGINAL DOCUMENT

The next largest multiple is a strip of five. Ex Cunliffe. Scott Retail as used blocks and pair \$5,850.00..... E. 2,000-3,000

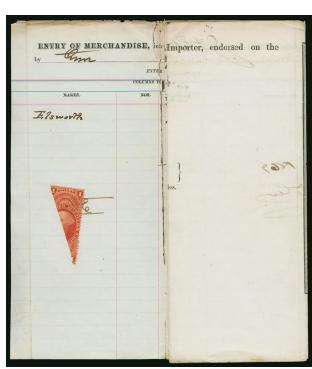


1231 \$1.00 Conveyance, Part Perforated (R66b). Imperforate horizontally, horizontal pair, cancelled by manuscript initials and March 8, 1864 date on warranty deed from Madison Ohio, some slight oxidation, Fine and rare, Scott Retail as singles \$6,000.00..... E. 1,500-2,000 1232 \$1.00 Lease, Perforated, Half Used as 50c (R70e). Top half, tied by 1867 manuscript 

1233 \$1.00 Life Insurance, Bisect (R71c var.) Top right half, bright color, tied by neat manuscript "J.H.E." cancel on 22 x 8.75 in. document for the release of 36 boxes of tin from a warehouse, dated Dec. 16. 1869, document with tape reinforcing one file fold clear of stamp

> EXTREMELY FINE. THIS IS THE ONLY REPORTED BISECT OF THE PERFORATED \$1.00 LIFE INSURANCE ISSUE.

> 1989 P.S.E. certificate (signed Jackson, Friedberg Cunliffe) no longer accompanies. Accompanied by a copy of a 2004 Linn's article about the item..... E. 1,000-1,500



1233





1237

\$2.00 Probate of Will, Imperforate (R83a). Large margins to clear, radiant color, April 20, 1864 manuscript cancel and affixed to warrantee deed from Hancock County Ohio VERY FINE. A RARE EXAMPLE OF THE \$2.00 PROBATE OF WILL IMPERFORATE FIRST ISSUE REVENUE USED ON A DOCUMENT.







1240

\$20.00 Probate of Will, Imperforate (R99a). Vertical strip of three, large margins to just in, radiant color, used with seven \$20.00 Conveyance (R98c) and 5c Inland Exchange (R27c), cancelled by "ADS Apl. 18/64" in manuscript on land deed from Amos D. Smith to the Providence Steam Mill for property valued at \$210,000, typed transcript accompanies, document split along fold, stamps with few minor flaws to be expected, still Very Fine, unusual combination of the \$20.00 Probate of Will imperforate and \$20.00 Conveyance perforated on a document which is undertaxed by \$10.00.... E. 2,000-3,000

\$50.00 U.S.I.R., Imperforate (R101a). Three horizontal strips of three, used with \$10.00 Conveyance, Green, Perforated (R94c), cancelled by manuscript on large indenture dated April 5, 1864 between Henry C. Laughlin and Howe's Eddy Oil Co., vertical file fold affects one strip, few other small faults, still an impressive document .....Not illustrated E. 300-400



1242

\$200.00 U.S.I.R., Perforated (R102c). Vertical pair and two singles, brilliant colors, cancelled by "Nov. 1, 1870, P. & O. R.R. Co., By P.J.A., Prest." manuscript cancels on \$800,000 mortgage, top single faint crease at left

VERY FINE. A REMARKABLE AND COLORFUL DOCUMENT BEARING FOUR EXAMPLES OF THE PERFORATED \$200.00 FIRST REVENUE ISSUE.

This mortgage, for the Portland & Ogdensburg Railroad Co., was to extend the line from Portland Maine to Bartlett N.H.

Scott Retail as pair and singles \$4,500.00..... E. 2,000-3,000

- Revenues on Documents, 1862-1900. Three-volume collection of approximately 325 items, most are First thru Third Issue checks and documents, balance are later issues, documents are mostly checks, receipts, drafts, bills of exchange and four stock certificates (three are American Coal Co.), many in color or with ornate designs, a few better uses including no. R1c used on a promissory note payable in three days (to circumvent the 2c tax on checks), two no. R9a used on separate Adams Express Co. printed receipts (one in red), some overlapped multiple frankings ('tapeworm' style), etc., some have faults, Very Good-Very Fine lot....................... E. 750-1,000
- Revenue Documents. Approximately 50 items, including 1922 Internal Revenue booklet relating to stamp taxes on documents, most are from 1940's onwards, few better items such as R305a used with four others on receipt, R335 four singles, R535 strip of four Monolith Portland Cement Co. certificate, also few Stock Transfer, overall Fine-Very Fine and attractive group ..... E. 750-1,000

#### FIRST ISSUE BALANCES

1247 First Issue Revenues, Balance of the Curtis Collection. Two Scott Specialty albums containing home made pages with the balance of the specialized First Issue revenue collection, containing singles, pairs, strips and blocks with imperforates, pert perf, perforated and silk paper, many items catalogue in the \$500-\$1,200 range such as block of four of R1b, unused block of 12 of R5a, R7c block of 14, R10c blocks of 28 and 50, R11b pair, R12c two pairs and strip of three, R14c block of four, R17c block of six, R19a pair and block of four, R19c block of 32, R24a and R24b blocks of four, R25b block of 20, R28c block of ten and unused block of 15, R32a block of four and reconstructed block of 12, R32b pair on piece, R36c (3 separate documents), R37b blocks of 9 and 15, R40a blocks of four and six, R40b block of ten, R43b block of nine, R44a block of four, R44b block of eight, R45a block of four, R45b pair and strip of four, R48a block of four, R48b blocks of four and six, R51b two pairs, R55b block of four, R55d strip of four, R56b pair and strip of three, R57a and R57b pairs, R58a block of four, R60a blocks of four and six, R62a block of four, R62b pair, R65b pair, R65c block of eight, R66a block of four, R68a strip of five, R69a, R70a, R72a and R73a blocks of four, R74a two pairs and block of four, R74c pair and block of four, R75a, R76a and R82a blocks of four, two pairs of R88a, R89a block of four and strip of eight, R91a pair, R96c block of four, R97c two pairs, R100c two pairs, R101a and R101c two pairs of each, R101c block of four, many multiples are largest recorded or among the largest recorded, faults to be expected

AN IMPORTANT AND IMMENSELY VALUABLE COLLECTION OF FIRST ISSUE REVENUE STAMPS, CONTAINING SINGLES AND MULTIPLES. THIS IS THE BALANCE OF A LIFETIME OF COLLECTING REVENUES.

- 1948 First thru Third Issue Revenue Multiples, Balance of the Curtis Collection. Predominately focused on the First Issue with a plethora of imperforates, part perforated and perforated issues, multiples including pairs, strips, blocks upwards to as large as 40, much of which is housed on black cards and mounts and identified by Scott No., we noticed a large amount of items which catalogue upwards of \$300.00 to as much as \$1,700.00 each piece which should add up to a large total, some highlights noticed were R1a block 4, R19a pair (7), R22b pair (2), R36a pair, R43a pair (4), R50a block 4, R54a block 8, R57a block 4 (2), R63a pair, R69a block 10, R71a block 4, R93a pair, R101a pair (3), among many others too numerous to list, also including multiples from the Second and Third Issue which make up a much smaller portion of this accumulation, as with any collection this large of multiples, faults are to be expected due to their size but most of these are presentable despite the typical faults, a few are rejoined, there are many second, third and fourth largest known multiples according to the Curtis census which can be found on http://www.thecurtiscollection.com, a lot worthy of careful scrutiny ...... .....(Website PDF) E. 10,000-15,000

- First Issue Revenues, Imperforate, Used. 51 used singles, including Nos. R43a, R51a with handstamp cancel, R82a, R89a-R94a, R98a, R101, most have huge margins including at least seven with sheet margin, range of cancels including manuscript and handstamps, few small faults to be expected, Very Fine and desirable group, No. R90a with 1997 P.F. certificate.................................(Website PDF) E. 750-1,000

1252 (★) First Issue Revenues, Part Perforated. 17 potentially unused and 39 used, including unused Nos. R1b, R11b, used including Nos. R11b, R16b, R47b, R56b, R61b, R62b, R65b with top sheet margin and unusual misperf at bottom, few reference items to be expected, few faults, many Fine-Very Fine, six with certificates..... 1253 (★) First Issue Revenues, Perforated, Unused. 96 on Scott album pages, lacking only six to be complete, several original gum, few unused (no gum) or regummed, bright colors, selected by Mr. Curtis for superior centering and eye appeal, few small faults to be expected, overall fresh and Very Fine, scarce group in unused condition, Scott Catalogue does not price these as unused......(Website PDF) E. 750-1,000 1254 First Issue Revenues, Perforated, Used. 97 on Scott album pages, lacking only Nos. R21c, R31c, R99c and R102c to be complete, range of cancels including handstamps in red, blue and black and manuscript with more handstamps than normally seen, selected by Mr. Curtis for overall visual appeal, few faults to be expected, appear Very Fine, a 1255 (★) First Issue Revenues, Silk Paper, Perforated, Unused. 16 unused stamps on Scott album pages, including Nos. R18d, R22d, R29d, R45d, R64d, R65d, couple with original gum, few small faults, Fine-Very Fine group, unpriced in Scott as unused ...... ......(Website PDF) E. 200-300 First Issue Revenues, Silk Paper, Perforated, Used. 37 on Scott album pages, including 1256 Nos. R6d, R13d, R16d, R18d, R20d, R22d, R29d, R30d, R51d, R65d, R66d, R67d, R85d, R98d, R100d, very few may not be silk paper and not counted in our estimate, few faults to be expected, overall fresh and Fine-Very Fine and desirable group, six with certificates 1257 First Issue Revenue Singles Accumulation. All housed on stock cards and identified by Scott No., including wide array of material with imperforates, part perforated and perforated issues from the 1c to \$50.00, there is much which catalogues upwards from \$200.00 to over \$1,000.00 a piece with some duplication noticed, some better items including R2a, R3a with P.F. certificate, R4a (3), R22b with P.F. certificate, R81a (6), R86a (5), R88a (6) and pairs (3) and more, some Second and Third Issue items also including such as a R129 and R135a with cut cancel, some faults noticed, most of the imperforates appear genuine but we did notice a few that wouldn't pass muster and were not counted, much is Fine or better, close inspection is advised ...........(Website PDF) E. 5,000-7,500 1258 ⊞ First Issue Revenues, Perforated Multiples. Six oversize items, including R3c block of 91, R24c sheet of 170 (unused), R24c block of 80 (unused), R33c reconstructed block of 57 (unused), R34d block of 32, R70c irregular block of 32, some faults to be expected in multiples of this size, still some appear Fine...... E. 750-1,000 1259 Revenue Accumulation. Four small dealer's stockbooks plus stock pages and a few glassines, including First thru Third issues plus nice group of later Documentary, Proprietary, Stock Transfer, few Hunting Permits, few proofs such as R70TC, among better items are R1a pair, R1b pair (2), R9b strip of three, R59b strip of six, R73c block of four, R385, R606 block of four, R611 strip of four, RB17c, RB18b, RB19b, RD133, few other better, also binder with Documentary stamps on receipts, somewhat mixed condition, some appear Fine-Very Fine, a worthwhile and diverse group...... E. 2,000-3,000 1260 Revenue Accumulation. Large folio of documents and large multiples for later issues, including R178 block of 66, R675 sheet of 100, RB11b block of 198, RB13b reconstructed block of 137, RB22 sheet of 120, also Tampa Union Station specimens, few Stock Transfer and Proprietary, some faults to be expected, many Fine-Very Fine, a worthwhile group...... E. 2,000-3,000

#### SECOND ISSUE

1261 (\*) 2c Blue & Black, Second Issue, Center Inverted (R104a). Unused (no gum), straight edge at right where perfs trimmed away, rich colors

FINE. A RARE UNUSED EXAMPLE OF THE 2-CENT SECOND ISSUE INVERT.





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50c Blue & Black, Inverted Center (R115b). Six, each with neat "Dec. 2/71" manuscript cancel, used on legal document detailing land sale at public auction due to foreclosure, marked as received in the filing office on Dec. 23, 1871, stamps effectively tied by toning around edges, document with some toning mirroring stamps (when folded), one stamp defective, document has minor splits along folds

FINE APPEARANCE. A MAGNIFICENT DOCUMENT BEARING SIX COPIES OF THE 50-CENT SECOND ISSUE WITH INVERTED CENTER.

Ex Tolman. Scott Retail as singles \$7,500.00..... E. 5,000-7,500



1267 **50c Blue & Black, Second Issue, Inverted Center (R115b).** Cancelled by blue Dec. 26, 1871 datestamp and cut cancels on **illustrated Imperial Fire Insurance Company of London** document, some splitting along folds, still fresh and Fine, an attractive and rare use on a large document, with 1978 P.F. certificate ....................... E. 500-750

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1269	stamp cancels, unusual <b>double perforations at bottom,</b> Very Fine, only three pairs and a strip of three are recorded, ex Joyce
1270	\$10.00 Blue & Black, Second Issue (R128). Block of four, rich colors, magenta 1872 manuscript cancels, few sensibly reinforced perf separations, minor creases, Very Fine appearance, this is the only recorded block of four, ex Joyce
1271	<b>\$10.00 Blue &amp; Black, Second Issue (R128).</b> Horizontal pair, well-centered, fresh colors, blue 1871 manuscript cancels, Very Fine and choice
1272	\$10.00, \$25.00 Blue & Black, Second Issue (R128, R130). Cancelled by manuscript Dec. 15, 1871 and initials on indenture, fresh and Very Fine, ex Cunliffe E. 500-750

1273 ★ \$20.00 Blue & Black, Second Issue (R129). Horizontal pair, original gum, rich colors, fresh and Very Fine, scarce pair especially in original-gum condition, Scott Retail as used ...... 2,500.00

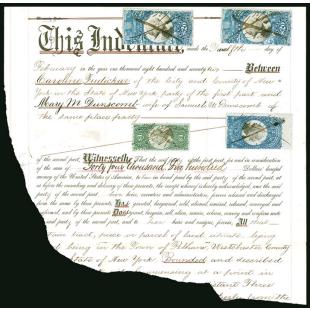


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\$20.00 Blue & Black, Second Issue (R129). Two, used with \$3.50 (R126) and \$1.00 Third Issue (R144), cancelled by manuscript "X", date and initials on large part of indenture dated Feb. 12, 1872, Very Fine and colorful, ex Cunliffe. E. 300-400





1276 \$25.00, \$50.00 Blue & Black, Second Issue (R130, R131). Used together on \$150,000 1872 Railroad Promissory Note, manuscript cancel, \$25.00 additional cut cancel and \$50.00 filing hole, document crease thru stamps, Fine appearance, scarce usage, ex 

1277 \$50.00 Blue & Black, Second Issue (R131). Horizontal pair, intense colors, neat Nov. 15, 1871 manuscript cancels, few minor perf separations sensibly reinforced, Very Fine, ex 



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\$50.00 Blue & Black, Second Issue (R131). Horizontal pair, neat Feb. 21, 1872 manuscript cancels, Fine, a scarce pair ........ 3,250.00





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\$50.00 Blue & Black, Second Issue (R131). Horizontal pair and single, cancelled by "3/25/72" manuscript and signatures on back of \$300,000 promissory note for Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad Co., to be paid in three months with 10% interest, signature of J.M. Walker (president) alongside stamps, single with natural pre-printing paperfold, few faults including left stamp in pair defective, still Fine and extremely rare document with three \$50.00 Second Issue revenues, Scott Retail as off document \$4,750.00 ...

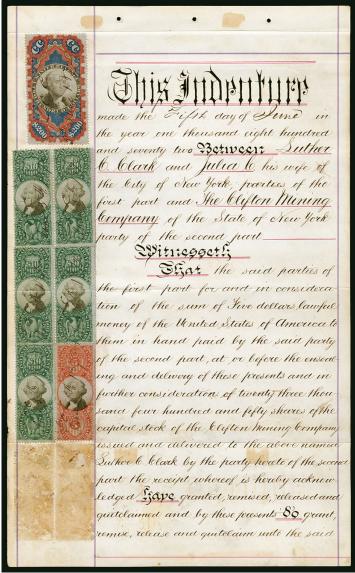
E. 400-500

\$200.00 Red, Blue & Black, Second Issue, "Small Persian Rug" (R132). Bright fresh colors, nice centering and margins, manuscript "MSS 10 May 1872" cancel, trivial small pulled perf at bottom left VERY FINE. A BEAUTIFUL EXAMPLE OF THE \$200.00 "SMALL PERSIAN RUG" - ONE OF THE MOST COLORFUL STAMPS IN UNITED STATES PHILATELY.

Both the Small and Large "Persian Rug" stamps were printed in sheets of one ...... 9,000.00



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\$200.00 Red, Blue & Black, Second Issue, "Small Persian Rug" (R132). Rich colors, cancelled by "L. C. C. 5th June 1872" manuscript cancel and used with \$5.00 Vermilion & Black (R148) and two horizontal pairs and single of \$10.00 Green & Black (R149) Third Issue, similarly cancelled, on indenture between Luther Clark and the Clifton Mining Company for 23,320 acres in Pierrepont N.Y., most stamps effectively tied by creases or bends (accompanying certificate states all stamps creased but we fail to see broken paper fibers in \$200.00 and top pair of \$10.00), document missing two additional stamps at bottom where folded

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A RARE DOCUMENT BEARING THE \$200.00 SMALL PERSIAN RUG. THIS IS THE FIRST ON A DOCUMENT WE HAVE OFFERED SINCE KEEPING COMPUTERIZED RECORDS.

The Clifton Mining Company was the successor to the Clifton Iron Company, which operated a single iron mine with railroad connection on the acreage covered by this indenture and went into receivership in 1869. According to later testimony, the new Clifton Mining Company never mined any ore after taking over use of the property covered in this deed.

With 1985 P.F. certificate. Scott Retail as used stamps \$11,242.50..... E. 4,000-5,000

#### SECOND ISSUE BALANCES

- Second and Third Issue Revenue Documents. 13 items, including twelve of R118 on handwritten document, R125 and R120 on mortgage, R126 on indenture, R128 on indenture, R123 and R147 on warranty deed, R145 pair on mortgage, some faults to be expected, overall Fine-Very Fine and desirable group ............Not illustrated E. 300-400
- Second Issue Revenues, Used. 26, complete from R103-R128, manuscript and handstamp cancels, also a very few with cut cancels, few faults to be expected, overall fresh and Fine-Very Fine, R121 and R126 with P.F. certificates......(Website PDF) E. 400-500

#### THIRD ISSUE











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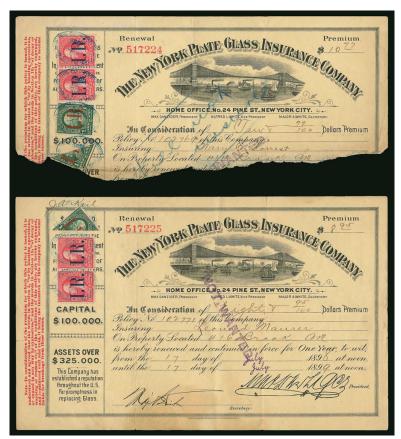


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\$20.00 Orange & Black, Third Issue (R150). Horizontal strip of three, intense shade, bold 1871 manuscript cancels, Very Fine and choice, this is the secondlargest recorded multiple, one other is known, the largest is a block of four, ex Eagle and Joyce, Scott Retail as pair and single ............................... 2,600.00

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#### 1898 SPANISH-AMERICAN WAR PROVISIONALS



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1294 **1c Green, I.R. Overprint, Half Used as ½c (R154 var).**Two diagonal bisects, tied by matching July. 14, 1898 blue double-oval datestamps on separate New York Plate Glass Insurance Company policies, first used with additional 1c and two 2c I.R. overprints (R154, R155), document reduced at bottom slightly affecting bisect, second is full document with pair of 2c stamps (R154), Very Fine, unlisted bisects, one of the provisional methods used to pay tax when the Bureau was unable to produce the new issue of revenue stamps for July 1898, ex Tolman .................................. E. 2,000-3,000

1295 **10c Dark Green, "I.R." Overprint (R157).** Lightly cancelled, light diagonal crease at bottom left, small repair at top right adding a small portion of the design, otherwise Very Fine, with 1998 P.F. certificate 4,250.00





1296 **1c Dark Yellow Green, Chapman Overprint (R158A).** Fresh color, neat "Jul. 17, 1898" handstamp cancel leaves overprint clearly visible, faint diagonal crease at bottom right, small tears at top left and bottom center

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A RARE EXAMPLE OF THE ONE-CENT CHAPMAN OVERPRINT. ONLY NINETEEN COPIES ARE RECORDED IN TOTAL. ONE OF THE GREATEST REVENUE RARITIES.

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.

In his privately published census, Larry Lyons records fourteen used and one unused copies of Scott R158A. Our records contain two additional used and two additional unused, for a total of 19.



# **DOCUMENTARY**

1298	<b>40c Blue Lilac, 80c Bister, Roulette 5½ (R170, R172).</b> Top arrow, imprint, plate no. and negative denomination strips of ten, red Sept. 12, 1899 circular datestamp cancels, few small faults, Very Fine and rare position pieces, ex Joyce E. 500-750
1299	\$3.00 Dark Brown, Imperforate (R174a). Horizontal pair, light handstamp cancel, minor faults, Fine appearance, ex Tolman
1300 ★	<b>\$30.00 Red (R177).</b> Original gum, brilliant color, Very Fine
1301 (★)	\$500.00 Carmine & Lake (R180). Serial no. 297, unused (no gum), large margins, bright colors, Very Fine, scarce in unused condition
1302	\$500.00 Carmine & Lake (R180). Serial no. 394, large margins to full, neat blue hand-stamp cancel, Very Fine



1303	\$500.00 Carmine & Lake (R180). Vertical strip of four, manuscript and cut cancels, Very Fine, ex Tolman
1304 (★)	\$1,000.00 Green & Black (R181). Serial no. 64, without gum as issued, large margins, rich colors, Very Fine and choice
1305 ★	<b>\$50.00 Gray, Open Numeral Surcharge (R189).</b> Original gum, bright color, fresh and Very Fine, a rare stamp in original-gum condition, we have offered only one other since keeping computerized records, ex Handy and Floyd, with 2000 P.F. certificate 2,000.00
1306 ⊞	<b>\$50.00 Gray, Open Numeral Surcharge (R189).</b> Block of four, beautiful 1901 blue oval handstamp cancels and cut cancel, Fine, very attractive multiple, ex Tolman 625.00
1307 ⊞	\$50.00 Gray, Open Numeral Surcharge (R189). Block of ten, each with purple circular datestamp cancel and hole punch, small crease at bottom right, Fine-Very Fine appearance, this is the largest recorded multiple, ex Joyce, Scott Retail as two blocks and two singles
1308	<b>\$50.00 Gray, Open Numeral Surcharge (R189).</b> Used with Nos. R171, 184, 185 and 187 on 1901 Indenture covering transfer of property on East 13th Street in New York City, all uncancelled, Fine-Very Fine, ex Tolman, Scott Retail as used (unused catalogs \$1,242.50)



	Mint N.H., rich color, Very Fine and choice, ex Joyce, unpriced as a block, Scott Retail as singles
1310 ⊞	<b>\$50.00 Green, Ornamental Numeral Surcharge (R194).</b> Used block of four, pretty purple handstamp cancels and cut cancels, Fine, scarce, ex Tolman
1311	<b>\$50.00 Green, Ornamental Numeral Surcharge (R194).</b> Rich color, unobtrusive cork cancel, part original gum, Very Fine
1312 ★⊞	\$10.00 Yellow Orange, Series of 1914 (R221). Block of six, h.r., brilliant color, Fine-Very Fine, unlisted in Scott as a block, Scott Retail as singles
1313 ⊞	\$30.00 Vermilion, Series of 1914 (R222). Block of 63, intense shade, neat handstamp cancels, two light creases, one stamp at right small piece out, still Very Fine and scarce multiple, Scott Retail as blocks of four and singles
1314 ★	<b>\$50.00 Violet, Series of 1914 (R223).</b> H.r., rich color, Very Fine
1315	\$50.00 Violet, Series of 1914 (R223). Pretty shade, manuscript cancel, thinned, still Very Fine, with 1999 P.F. certificate

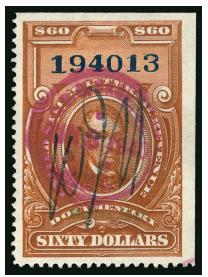


\$60.00 Brown (R224). Serial no. 1265, without gum as issued, perfectly centered with wide margins, Extremely Fine Gem, a phenomenal stamp, with 2013 P.F. certificate (Superb 98 1317 \$60.00 Brown (R224). Vertical strip of four, neat 1916 purple ovals cancels, Very Fine, listed 1318 ★★⊞ \$3.00 Violet (R242). Mint N.H. left plate no. 55490 block of six, rich color, choice centering, Extremely Fine, a gorgeous plate block, ex DePriest, Scott Retail as hinged singles ... 360.00 1319 \$4.00 Yellow Brown, 1935 Silver Tax Provisional (R243 var). Normal Scott Documentary revenue No. R243 with boxed purple "SILVER TAX" handstamp in two lines, manuscript "MK/12/31/35" cancel, tiny thin spot in head, Very Fine appearance and rare, unlisted in Scott, with 2005 P.F. certificate ..... E. 750-1,000 \$30.00 Deep Orange, Blue Numerals, Series 1917, Imperforate (R246a). Serial nos. 1320 256183/256184, vertical pair, large margins to in, bright color, neat handstamp cancel, faint horizontal crease at bottom, Fine appearance, this is the discovery copy, accompanied by 1939 typed note from Hugh M. Clark of Scott Publications confirming this is a new listing, 1321 \$1,000.00 Orange, Series 1917, Imperforate (R250a). Rejoined vertical pair, serial nos. 66739/66340, neat purple handstamp cancels, Very Fine and scarce, only five are recorded, Scott Retail as pair 2,000.00 1c-\$2.00 1940 Issue (R264-R266, R268-R277). Imprint and plate no. blocks, R266 of 20, most 1322 ★⊞ others plate blocks of eight, last two plate blocks of six, virtually all fresh and Fine-Very Fine, unlisted as plate blocks, Scott Retail as singles ......(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 1,770.50 1323 \$30.00 Vermilion, "Series 1940" Handstamped Ovpt. (R282). Serial no. 536962, red hand-



**\$30.00 Series 1940, With Black Two-Line Handstamp in Larger Type (R282a).** Serial no. 536092, radiant color on fresh paper, perfectly centered with nicely balanced margins, neat "2-24-41 Crawford" manuscript cancel

EXTREMELY FINE. EASILY AMONG THE FINEST OF THE FEW KNOWN EXAMPLES OF THIS RARITY. A BEAUTIFUL STAMP.



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\$100.00 Green, "Series 1940" Handstamped Ovpt. (R284). Serial no. 498835, natural s.e. at right, handstamp and cut cancels, choice centering, Extremely Fine, with 1999 P.F. certificate 1,600.00



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1328 \$500.00 Blue, "Series 1940" Handstamped Ovpt., Large Type (R285a). Serial no. 55092, natural s.e. at bottom and right, rich color, neat boxed handstamp cancels

VERY FINE AND CHOICE. A DIFFICULT ISSUE TO OBTAIN WITH A HANDSTAMPED CANCEL.



1329 \$1,000.00 Orange, "Series 1940" Handstamped Ovpt. (R286). Serial no. 111384, natural s.e. at bottom and right, vibrant color, bold handstamps and unobtrusive cut cancels, Very Fine 



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\$20.00 Carmine, "Series 1940" Ovpt. (R305A). Mint 1330 ★★ N.H., brilliant color on crisp paper, choice centering with wide and balanced margins

> EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A SUPERB MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE \$20.00 "SERIES 1940" ISSUE.

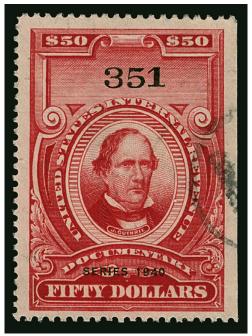
> This is the first we have offered in Mint N.H. condition.

\$20.00 Carmine, "Series 1940" Ovpt. (R305A). Rich 1331 color, neat manuscript cancel, fresh and Very Fine .......



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SIEGEL AUCTION GALLERIES



\$50.00 Carmine, "Series 1940" Ovpt. (R306A). Serial no. 351, natural s.e. at right, radiant color, face-free strike of handstamp cancel

VERY FINE AND CHOICE. AN EXCEPTIONAL EXAMPLE OF THE \$50.00 "SERIES 1940" REVENUE ISSUE, WITH AN UNOBTRUSIVE HANDSTAMPED CANCEL.

\$500.00 Carmine, "Series 1940" Ovpt. (R309). Serial no. 1193, natural s.e. at top and right, red handstamp and manuscript cancels, sealed punch cancels, Very Fine, scarce, this is only the sixth we have offered since keeping computerized records, ex Handy and Floyd, with 2000 P.F. certificate stating "it is genuine" 2,500.00



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1334 **\$50.00 Carmine, "Series 1941" Ovpt. (R331).** Serial no. 14017, natural s.e. at right, handstamp and manuscript cancels, Very Fine and choice..... 900.00

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\$500.00 Carmine, "Series of 1944" Ovpt. (R409).
Serial no. 10659, natural s.e. at right, radiant color, neat Dec. 14, 1944 handstamp cancel, faint natural pre-printing paperfold is barely noticeable, Very Fine, we have offered only five others since keeping computerized records, two of which had heavy hole

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- 1343 ★ \$60.00 Carmine, "Series 1952" Ovpt. (R613).
  Without gum as issued, serial no. 010060, rich color on bright paper, Very Fine and choice, ex Lyons and Floyd, with 1999 P.F. certificate 475.00
- 1344 ★ \$500.00 Carmine, "Series 1952" Ovpt. (R615).
  Without gum as issued, serial no. 001445, natural s.e. at top and right, fresh and Very Fine.. 750.00



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1345 **\$5,000.00 Carmine, "Series 1952" Ovpt. (R618).**Serial no. 669, natural s.e. at top and right, intense shade and impression, neat June 25, 1953 handstamp cancel, light diagonal crease at bottom right

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A RARE EXAMPLE OF THE \$5,000.00 "SERIES 1952" REVENUE ISSUE.



cancel, perf. initials and cut cancel (which doesn't break paper), rich color, Very Fine \$10,000.00 Carmine, "Series 1952" Ovpt. (R619). Serial no. 434, natural s.e. at right, 1347 deep rich color and proof-like impression, Sept. 17, 1952 handstamp and cut cancels, \$60.00 Carmine, Series 1953 (R647). Unused with coupon attached at left, bright color, 1348 coupon with vertical crease, Very Fine, scarce as a full coupon, ex Buford and Tolman .. E. 1,000-1,500 **\$2,500.00 Carmine, "Series 1953" Ovpt. (R651).** Without gum as issued, serial no. 268, 1349 ★ 1350 \$2,500.00 Carmine, "Series 1953" Ovpt. (R651). Serial no. 265, natural s.e. at top and right, bold purple handstamp cancels, Very Fine and choice, ex Logan.......... 1,750.00 \$5,000.00 Carmine, "Series 1953" Ovpt. (R652). Serial no. 200, natural s.e. at bottom 1351 and right, intense shade and impression, handstamp and cut cancels, the latter partly  1352 \$10,000.00 Carmine, "Series 1953" Ovpt. (R653). Serial no. 791, natural s.e. at right, intense shade on bright paper, neat "11/13/53" manuscript cancel with initials

VERY FINE AND CHOICE. A RARE UNCUT EXAMPLE OF THE \$10,000.00 "SERIES 1953" DOCUMENTARY ISSUE





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- 1355 ★★ 50c Carmine, 1954 Issue, Horizontal Pair, Imperforate Vertically (R664a). Mint N.H., brilliant color, Very Fine and choice, scarce, ex Joyce, Lyons and Floyd ............... 600.00
- 1356 ★★ \$1,000.00 Carmine "Series 1954" Ovpt., Booklet Pane of Four (R684a). Complete booklet with covers, without gum as issued, fresh and Very Fine, scarce ......Not ill. 1,200.00



1357 **\$5,000.00 Carmine, "Series 1954" Ovpt. (R686).** Serial no. 213, natural s.e. at top and right, neat handstamp cancel, faint creases at edges, still Very Fine 1,500.00

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1359 ★ \$5,000.00 Carmine, "Series 1955" Ovpt. (R695). Without gum as issued, serial no. 313, natural s.e. at top and right, detailed impression

EXTREMELY FINE. REPORTED TO BE ONE OF ONLY THREE KNOWN UNUSED EXAMPLES OF THE \$5,000.00 "SERIES 1955" REVENUE ISSUE.

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1360 **\$5,000.00 Carmine, "Series 1955" Ovpt. (R695).**Serial no. 364, natural s.e. at right, neat handstamp cancel, well-balanced margins

EXTREMELY FINE. A SCARCE SOUND EXAMPLE OF THE \$5,000.00 SERIES 1955 ISSUE.



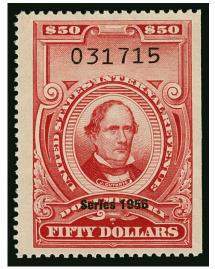


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1363 ★ \$50.00 Carmine, "Series 1956" Ovpt. (R698). Without gum as issued, serial no. 31715, natural s.e. at right, brilliant color, Extremely Fine Gem, ex DePriest, with 2003 P.F. certificate ..... 200.00



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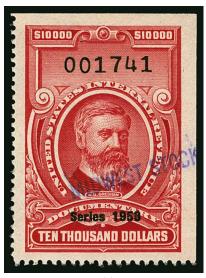




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1377 \$10,000.00 Carmine, "Series 1958" Ovpt. (R723).
Serial no. 1741, natural s.e. at top and right, rich color, choice centering with wide and balanced margins, purple handstamp cancel

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A SUPERB EXAMPLE OF THE RARE \$10,000.00 "SERIES 1958" REVENUE ISSUE.



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- \$500.00 Carmine, Imperforate (R728 var). Serial no. 33631, imperforate on all sides, Feb. 27, 1961 handstamp, perfin and cut cancels, small staple holes at top and bottom, still Very Fine and very unusual, with 1998 P.S.E. certificate, unlisted in Scott...... E. 400-500



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#### DOCUMENTARY BALANCES

- 1380 ★ Revenues, Documentary Unused Balance. Scott album pages of unused singles between R153 and R729, several better including Nos. R160, R170p, R178, R179, R183, R188, R192, R193, R217-R222, R248-R249, R259, R276-R281, R299-R306, R308, R330, R332, R354, R358, R379, R404, R407, R429, R431-R432, R435, R485, R504, R510, R532, R554-R560, R584-R585, R616, R650, R684, R691-R693, R719, lower denominations mostly original gum with many Mint N.H., some faults, most Fine-Very Fine, a valuable and desirable group, Scott Retail in excess of \$20,000.00.........(Website PDF) E. 4,000-5,000

# **PROPRIETARY**



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1385 **1c Green & Black on Green Paper, Proprietary, Inverted Center (RB1d).** Deep rich colors and detailed impressions, bold handstamp cancel, small thin spot, pulled perf at bottom center

A FINE AND RARE USED EXAMPLE OF THE ONE-CENT PROPRIETARY INVERT ON GREEN PAPER.

Approximately 24 are known. With 2004 P.F. certificate....... 5,250.00



- 1387 ★⊞ 3c Green and Black on Green, Proprietary (RB3b). Block of 16, original gum, h.r. where some perf separations sensibly reinforced, few faults including some vertical creases, Fine-Very Fine appearance, a scarce large multiple, Scott Retail as used blocks of four ... 1,300.00



1390 \$1.00 Green & Black on Green Paper, Proprietary (RB9b). Deep rich colors and detailed impressions, trace of manuscript cancel at upper right, horizontal crease at bottom ending in tear at right

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A RARE EXAMPLE OF THE \$1.00 PROPRIETARY ON GREEN PAPER—LESS THAN TEN ARE KNOWN.







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1391 ★⊞ 1c Green, Proprietary Issue, Rouletted 6 (RB11c). Block of four with top

plate no. 3, original gum, top stamps Mint N.H., they also unfortunately

- 1394 (\*) 4c Red, Rouletted, Proprietary (RB15c). Unused (no gum), intense shade on deeply colored paper, Very Fine and choice, ex "Scarsdale", with 2000 P.F. certificate, unpriced in Scott as unused, Scott Retail as used . 400.00



1395

1396 ★ 5c Black, Rouletted, Proprietary (RB16c). Original gum, single hinge mark, with part imprint selvage at top, intense shade and impression

VERY FINE AND CHOICE. A DESIRABLE ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE 5-CENT ROULETTED PROPRIETARY ISSUE WITH PART IMPRINT SELVAGE. THIS IS THE FINEST WE HAVE ENCOUNTERED.

Several examples of this scarce issue are known unused, but most do not have gum. The example offered here, with full original gum and the part imprint selvage, is truly remarkable.

Ex "Scarsdale". With 2001 P.F. certificate. Unpriced in Scott as unused. Scott Retail as used............... 1,850.00



1396



1397 ★ 5c Black, Rouletted, Proprietary (RB16c). Original gum, lightly hinged, deep shade and detailed impression, well-balanced margins

VERY FINE AND CHOICE. A PHENOMENALLY RARE ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE 5-CENT ROULETTED PROPRIETARY ISSUE, SCOTT RB16c. THIS IS EASILY ONE OFTHE FINEST IN EXISTENCE.

With 2001 P.F. certificate. Scott Retail as used .. 1,850.00



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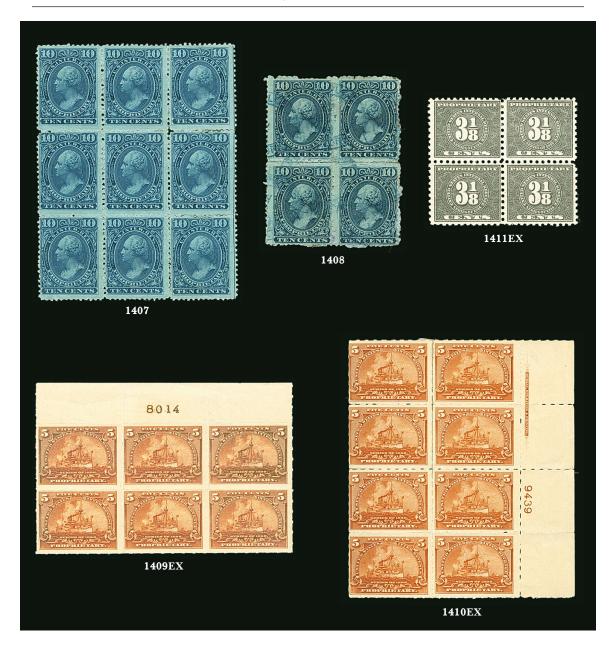
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- 5c Black, Rouletted, Proprietary (RB16c). Horizontal pair, lightly cancelled, both stamps thinned at bottom, left stamp with additional small faults and light staining, otherwise Very Fine, a rare multiple, only a block of five and this pair are recorded, ex Himpsl, with 2011 P.F. certificate, listed but unpriced as a pair in Scott, Scott Retail as singles ....

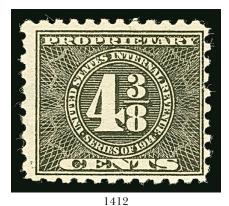
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	margin, manuscript cancel, Very Fine
1402	<b>6c Violet Blue, Rouletted, Proprietary (RB17c).</b> Horizontal pair, perfin cancels, left stamp crease at top left and slight discoloration, otherwise Fine, only one multiple larger than a pair is known, Scott Retail as singles
1403 ⊞	6c Violet, Perforated and Watermarked, Proprietary (RB18b). Two used blocks of 25, light purple cancels, few faults, generally Fine for multiples of this size, these are the largest recorded multiples, one ex Tolman, other ex Dean, Scott Retail as blocks of four, pairs and single
1404	<b>6c Violet, Rouletted, Proprietary (RB18c).</b> Clear roulettes, neat purple handstamp cancel, Very Fine, with 2008 P.F. certificate
1405	10c Blue, Proprietary, Perforated and Watermarked (RB19a). Large to enormous margins and almost perfectly centered, light magenta handstamp cancel, small filled thin spots, Extremely Fine appearance, ex Souren who evidently told the late Henry Tolman that this was the "best known copy" and ex Tolman
1406 ★⊞	10c Blue, Proprietary (RB19b). Block of four, original gum, h.r., fresh and Fine, scarce unused bock, Scott Retail as two used pairs



- 1411 ★⊞ ‰c-4c Black, Proprietary (RB32-RB33, RB36, RB38-RB41). Blocks of four, original gum except first two unused (no gum), Fine-Very Fine ......(Photo Ex) 1,761.75



Description (DD40) Original condition to Conditional Figure 1.



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1413 ★⊞ 4%c Black, 1914 Issue, Proprietary (RB42). Block of four, bottom right stamp Mint N.H., top stamps h.r., bottom left stamp lightly hinged, bright shade

FINE. A RARE BLOCK OF FOUR OF THE 1914 4% CENTS PROPRIETARY ISSUE, SCOTT RB42.

Only three blocks of four are recorded, which is the largest recorded multiple (no pairs are known). Scott Retail as hinged block \$13,000.00...... E. 2,000-3,000

Proprietary Balance. Scott Specialty pages of unused and used singles and multiples, including unused singles Nos. RB5a, RB5b, RB6b, RB3c, RB19b, used singles Nos. RB5a, RB6a, RB7a, RB5b, RB6b, RB16a, unused blocks of four including Nos. RB5a, RB13c, RB29p, RB30p, RB31p, used blocks of four including Nos. RB5a, RB7b, few larger multiples including plate block of 21 of RB1a (used), RB2a plate block of eight (unused), RB2b block of nine (unused), RB11c block of four with part imprint (unused), RB12c block of six (unused), RB13b block of 21 (unused), RB16b block of eight (unused), RB17b block of 12 (unused) and RB73 plate block of eight, used pairs of RB11d, RB12c, RB13c, RB15c, some faults to be expected, overall Fine-Very Fine, an extremely difficult group to assemble, several are the largest recorded multiples...............................(Website PDF) E. 3,000-4,000

#### **FUTURE DELIVERY**



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# STOCK TRANSFER

1417 ★⊞ \$1.00-\$10.00 1918-22 Stock Transfer (RD12-RD17). Plate blocks of ten of \$1.00 thru \$5.00 and plate block of six of \$10.00, several Mint N.H., rich colors, Fine-Very Fine and scarce group, Scott Retail as singles.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 779.00



1417EX



\$100.00 Green, Handstamped "Series 1940" Ovpt., Stock Transfer (RD64). Vertical strip of four, serial nos. 116385-116388, 1418 rich colors, handstamp cancels

> VERY FINE AND CHOICE. THIS IS THE ONLY RECORDED MULTIPLE OF THE \$100.00 "SERIES 1940" REVENUE ISSUE.

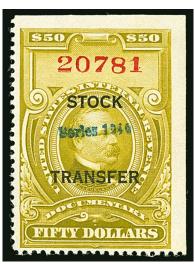
> Ex Cunliffe and Floyd. Scott Retail as singles............... 3,600.00

1419 \* \$500.00 Blue, Stock Transfer, Double Transfer (RD23 var). Unused (no gum), serial no. 1620, natural s.e. at bottom and right, rich color, Very Fine, ex Floyd and Handy, with 2000 P.F. certificate ...... 625.00



1419





- 1420 \$30.00 Vermilion, Blue "Series 1940" Handstamped Ovpt., Stock Transfer (RD61). Serial no. 74766, natural s.e. at right, vibrant color, light red handstamp cancel, light pressed-out horizontal crease at top, Very Fine appearance, with 1991 P.S.E. certificate..
- \$50.00 Olive Green, Blue "Series 1940" Handstamp Ovpt., Stock Transfer (RD62). 1421 Without gum as issued, serial no. 20781, natural s.e. at top and right, rich color, Very



1422



1424 ★ \$100.00 Green, Handstamped "Series 1940" Ovpt., Stock Transfer (RD64). Without gum as issued, serial no. 114369, natural s.e. at top and right, rich color, Very Fine and choice, scarce in unused condition.....

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\$500.00 Blue, Blue "Series 1940" Ovpt., Stock Transfer (RD65). Serial no. 8699, natural s.e. at right, attractive shade, blue handstamp cancel, Very Fine, scarce cancelled solely by the handstamp ....... 3,250.00

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\$1,000.00 Orange, Blue "Series 1940" Ovpt., Stock Transfer (RD66). Serial no. 17669, natural s.e. at top and right, intense shade and impression, purple Dec. 30, 1940 handstamp, manuscript and cut cancels, staple holes at top and bottom

VERY FINE EXAMPLE OF THE \$1,000.00 "SERIES 1940" STOCK TRANSFER.

This issue is not known to exist without either cut cancels or perfin cancels. With 1999 P.S.E. certificate. ...... 5,000.00



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1428 \$1,000.00 Orange, Blue "Series 1940" Ovpt., Stock Transfer (RD66). Serial no. 17667, natural s.e. at right, vibrant color, handstamp, manuscript and cut cancels, staple holes at top and bottom

> VERY FINE EXAMPLE OF THE \$1,000.00 "SERIES 1940" STOCK TRANSFER.

> This issue is not known to exist without either cut cancels or perfin cancels. ..... 5,000.00





1429EX

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- 1429 \* 1c-\$20.00 Bright Green, Series of 1940, Without Overprint and Imperforate (RD67 var-RD85 var). Horizontal pairs, without gum as issued, large margins all around, Very Fine-Extremely Fine-......(Photo Ex) 1,100.00



1431



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1431 ★ \$60.00 Bright Green, "Series 1940" Ovpt., Stock Transfer (RD88). Serial No. 1, without gum as issued, natural s.e. at top and right, brilliant color

VERY FINE AND CHOICE. A RARE UNUSED EXAMPLE OF THE \$60.00 "SERIES 1940", AND ESPECIALLY DESIRABLE WITH THE VERY FIRST ASSIGNED SERIAL NUMBER.

\$60.00 Bright Green, "Series 1940" Ovpt., Stock Transfer (RD88). Serial no. 56, Jumbo margins, natural s.e. at bottom and right, rich color on bright paper, 1941 handstamp cancel, fresh and Extremely Fine, very rare in such superb condition, ex Cunliffe, Lyons, Floyd and "Scarsdale", with 1999 P.S.E. and 2001 P.F.

certificates ...... 1,750.00



1432



\$1,000.00 Bright Green, "Series 1940" Ovpt., Stock Transfer (RD91). Serial no. 174, wide and balanced margins, rich color, cancelled solely by light strike of green handstamp

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A SUPERB EXAMPLE OF THE \$1,000.00 BRIGHT GREEN SERIES 1940 STOCK TRANSFER ISSUE. ESPECIALLY DESIRABLE CANCELLED SOLELY BY THE GREEN HANDSTAMP.

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- 1435 ★ \$50.00 Bright Green, "Series 1941" Ovpt., Stock Transfer (RD112). Without gum as issued, serial no. 1124, natural s.e. at bottom and right, rich color, wide and balanced margins, fresh and Extremely Fine.......









- 1439 ★ \$1,000.00 Bright Green, "Series 1941" Ovpt., Stock Transfer (RD116). Serial no. 861, natural s.e. at right, deep rich color on bright paper, blue handstamp cancel, well-balanced margins, Very Fine and choice, scarce and desirable cancelled solely by the blue handstamp, most examples have either perfin or cut cancels, this is from the adjoining position to the one offered in our "Scarsdale" sale, ex Joyce and Wampler...... 2,250.00



1442

\$500.00 Bright Green, "Series 1942" Ovpt., Stock Transfer (RD138). Serial no. 1546, natural s.e. at right, Nov. 15, 1943 handstamp cancels, two small holes possibly from staple VERY FINE APPEARANCE. THE \$500.00 SERIES 1942 STOCK TRANSFER IS ONE OF THE RAREST OF ALL STOCK TRANSFER STAMPS. PERHAPS A HALF-DOZEN EXIST, AND THIS IS ONLY THE THIRD EXAMPLE WE HAVE OFFERED SINCE KEEPING COMPUTERIZED RECORDS. THIS IS THE ONLY ONE WE HAVE OFFERED WITHOUT A PERFIN CANCEL.







1443 1444 1445







- \$500.00 Bright Green, "Series 1943" Ovpt., Stock Transfer (RD161). Serial no. 1994, natural s.e. at right, magenta manuscript cancel, well-balanced margins, Extremely Fine, a beautiful stamp, we have offered only three others since keeping computerized records, this comes from the position below the example offered in our Tolman sale..... 2,250.00



1449

\$10,000.00 Bright Green, "Series 1944" Ovpt., Stock Transfer (RD185C). Serial no. 2, natural s.e. at right, rich color, violet handstamp and manuscript cancels, two sets of staple holes, light impressed lines

EXTREMELY FINE APPEARANCE. THIS IS ONE OF ONLY TWO RECORDED EXAMPLES OF THE \$10,000.00 "SERIES 1944" STOCK TRANSFER ISSUE. ONE OF THE GREATEST REVENUE RARITIES IN EXISTENCE.

The other recorded example, serial no. 1802, has manuscript, handstamp, cut and perfin cancels, and also has small faults. The example offered here is far superior.



1450

\$500.00 Bright Green, "Series 1945" Ovpt., Stock Transfer (RD207). Serial no. 4773, bright shade and crisp impression, bold handstamp cancel, wide margins, Extremely Fine, especially desirable cancelled solely by the handstamp .......................... 1,400.00



1451



1452





\$2,500.00 Bright Green, "Series 1945" Ovpt., Stock Transfer (RD208A). Serial no. 916, natural s.e. at bottom and right, rich color, purple handstamp cancel, perfin cancel with some holes unpunched

EXTREMELY FINE. THIS IS ONE OF ONLY THREE RECORDED EXAMPLES OF THE \$2,500.00 "SERIES 1945" STOCK TRANSFER ISSUE. ONE OF THE GREATEST REVENUE RARITIES.

Only three examples are recorded: 1) serial no. 872, cut cancel, ex Fleischman family; 2) serial no. 873, cut cancel, ex Lyons; and 3) the example offered here, ex Buford.



\$5,000.00 Bright Green, "Series 1945" Ovpt., Stock Transfer (RD208B). Serial no. 878, natural s.e. at right, April 12, 1946 handstamp and cut cancels, rich color, small corner crease at top left, two small staple holes

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. THIS IS THE ONLY RECORDED EXAMPLE OF THE \$5,000.00 "SERIES 1945" STOCK TRANSFER ISSUE. ONE OF THE MOST IMPORTANT STOCK TRANSFER REVENUE STAMPS IN EXISTENCE.

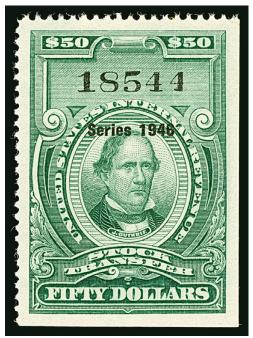
With 2003 P.F. certificate. 22,500.00



\$10,000.00 Bright Green, "Series 1945" Ovpt., Stock Transfer (RD208C). Serial no. 3090, natural s.e. at right, bright color, purple handstamp and cut cancels, light horizontal crease at top

EXTREMELY FINE APPEARANCE. THIS IS THE ONLY RECORDED EXAMPLE OF THE \$10,000.00 "SERIES 1945" STOCK TRANSFER ISSUE. ONE OF THE MOST IMPORTANT STOCK TRANSFER REVENUE STAMPS IN EXISTENCE.

Ex Joyce and Lyons. With 1991 P.F. certificate. 22,500.00





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\$5,000.00 Bright Green, "Series 1946" Ovpt., Stock Transfer (RD233). Serial no. 1298, choice centering with wide and balanced margins, normal cut cancels and additional handstamped cancel, few small flaws of little consequence

EXTREMELY FINE APPEARANCE. A RARE EXAMPLE OF THE \$5,000.00 SERIES 1946 STOCK TRANSFER ISSUE. A GREAT RARITY — RICHARD FRIEDBERG RECORDS ONLY EIGHT COPIES.







1460 1461 1462

1460 ★	<b>\$50.00 Bright Green, "Series 1947" Ovpt., Stock Transfer (RD253).</b> Serial no. 22406, without gum as issued, deep shade and impression, Very Fine and choice, ex "Scarsdale", with 2002 P.F. certificate
1461	<b>\$500.00 Bright Green, "Series 1947" Ovpt., Stock Transfer (RD256).</b> Serial no. 6766, natural s.e. at right, deep rich color, purple handstamp cancel, Very Fine and choice, ex DePriest, with 2001 P.F. certificate
1462	\$2,500.00 Bright Green, "Series 1947" Ovpt., Stock Transfer (RD258). Serial no. 1738, natural s.e. at right, neat handstamp cancel and additional cut cancels, rich color, Very Fine scarce ex "Scarsdale" unlisted in Scott without a cut cancel







1463 1464 1465







1466 1467 1468

1466	\$2,500.00 Bright Green, "Series 1949" Ovpt., Stock Transfer (RD310). Serial no. 13963, natural s.e. at right, rich color, handstamp and cut cancels, Extremely Fine, this is only priced in Scott as a cut cancel
1467 ★★	\$10.00 Bright Green, "Series 1950" Ovpt., Stock Transfer (RD328). Mint N.H., intense shade and impression, fresh and Extremely Fine, ex Schauss, Scott Retail as hinged
1468	\$2,500.00 Bright Green, "Series 1950" Ovpt., Stock Transfer (RD336). Serial no. 16, natural s.e. at bottom and right, intense color and impression, unobtrusive handstamp and cut cancels, Extremely Fine







1469 1470 1471

1,600.00



\$2,500.00 Bright Green, "Series 1951" Ovpt., Stock Transfer (RD362). Serial no. 125, natural s.e. at top and right, bright color, purple June 9, 1952 handstamp

VERY FINE EXAMPLE OF THE \$2,500.00 "SERIES 1951" STOCK TRANSFER. ESPECIALLY DESIRABLE CANCELLED SOLELY BY THE HANDSTAMP.

1472



\$5,000.00 Bright Green, "Series 1951" Ovpt., Stock Transfer (RD363). Serial no. 34,

1478 ★★ \$4.00 Bright Green, "Series 1952" Ovpt., Stock Transfer (RD370). Mint N.H., rich color, fresh and Very Fine, scarce in Mint N.H. condition, Scott Retail as hinged...... 1,750.00





1479 ★ \$10.00 Bright Green, "Series 1952" Ovpt., Stock Transfer (RD371). Single hinge mark, rich color and proof-like impression, choice centering

EXTREMELY FINE EXAMPLE OF THE \$10.00 1952 SERIES. AN EXCEEDINGLY DIFFICULT ISSUE TO FIND IN THIS QUALITY.

1480 ★★ \$20.00 Bright Green, "Series 1952" Ovpt., Stock Transfer (RD372). Mint N.H., rich color, detailed impression

VERY FINE. A RARE MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE  $\$20.00\ 1952\ STOCK\ TRANSFER$  ISSUE.

The Stock Transfer issues were discontinued after 1952. This is the highest denomination of the last issue. Only 113 were sold.





1481 ★ \$20.00 Bright Green, "Series 1952" Ovpt., Stock Transfer (RD372). Hinged, rich color, strong impression on bright white paper

VERY FINE. A RARE EXAMPLE OF THE \$20.00 1952 STOCK TRANSFER ISSUE

#### STOCK TRANSFER BALANCES

- Stock Transfer, Used Balance. Scott Specialty pages of used singles, fairly complete less the higher catalogue items, still some better included with higher catalogue values such as RD89, RD112-RD114, RD162, RD185, RD230-RD231, RD257, RD259, RD282, RD284, RD285, RD308, RD311, RD338, RD360, some cut cancels and some perf initial cancels but less than most collections, some faults, overall Fine-Very Fine, an excellent foundation for a used collection of these issues ........................(Website PDF) E. 3,000-4,000
- Stock Transfer, Balance of the Curtis Collection. Scott Specialty album of unused and used multiples plus a few singles, most impressive are strips of four of higher denominations such as unused RD20 and used RD16, RD306, RD308, RD309 and RD338, also RD55 unused block of nine, RD85 used block of four, few other better, some better with cut cancels, some faults to be expected, overall Fine-Very Fine appearance, a surprisingly difficult group to assemble.................................(Website PDF) E. 3,000-4,000

#### **HUNTING PERMITS**



1485

1485 ★★⊞ \$1.00 1934 Hunting Permit (RW1). Mint N.H. top left plate no. 129202 block of six, fresh and bright color, side selvage somewhat reduced, bottom left stamp light natural gum wrinkle, left selvage with trivial perf disc indentation, single perf tip on top right stamp with tiny trivial gum soak (not mentioned on certificate)

FINE-VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A SCARCE PLATE BLOCK OF THE FIRST HUNTING PERMIT ISSUE, SCOTT RW1.



1486

1486 ★★⊞ \$1.00 1935 Hunting Permit (RW2). Mint N.H. top right corner plate no. F131981 block of six, radiant color and detailed impression, well-balanced margins

VERY FINE AND CHOICE MINT NEVER-HINGED PLATE BLOCK OF THE SECOND FEDERAL DUCK ISSUE.









1490

1490 ★★ \$1.00 1937 Hunting Permit (RW4). Mint N.H., bright color, well-proportioned margins, Extremely Fine, with 2002 P.S.E. certificate (XF 90; SMQ \$600.00) .... 300.00



1491





1492 ★★⊞ \$1.00 1938 Hunting Permit (RW5). Mint N.H. wide top left plate no. 138602 block of six, wonderfully fresh and bright, Very Fine, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate...................... 4,500.00

1493 ★★⊞ \$1.00 1938 Hunting Permit (RW5). Mint N.H. bottom right plate no. 138602 block of six, pretty shade, well-balanced margins, Very Fine, an attractive plate block.... 4,500.00





1494 1495

1495 ★★⊞ \$1.00 1940 Hunting Permit (RW7). Mint N.H. top left plate no. 143743 block of six, deep shade, narrow natural gum skip on right stamps, Very Fine ................................. 2,750.00







1498

1498 ★★⊞ \$3.00 1964 Hunting Permit (RW31). Mint N.H. bottom right plate no. 168629 block of six, brilliant colors, choice centering, Extremely Fine, a beautiful plate block.... 1,900.00

1499 ★★ \$1.00-\$15.00 1934-2008 Hunting Permits (RW1, RW5-RW75). 81 stamps, No. RW1 with fingerprint on gum, Very Fine-Extremely Fine, eleven with certificates including several graded 95 or 98 and one graded Gem 100 (RW72)......(Website PDF) 5,434.00

1500 ★★⊞ \$1.00-\$15.00 1943-2006 Hunting Permit Plate Blocks (RW10-RW30, RW32-RW68, RW73). Mint N.H. plate blocks, also including RW31 with one stamp hinged, Very Fine and desirable collection, a difficult group to assemble.......(Website PDF) 21,095.00

#### U.S. POSTAGE USED AS REVENUES



1501	<b>10c Green, Ty. I, 5c Brown, (31, 76).</b> Used with <b>10c Inland Exchange, Perforated (R27c),</b> each with 1864 manuscript cancel on Sept. 1 article of agreement, No. 31 with scuff and slight toning, unfortunate non-contemporary manuscript by stamps, still Fine and unusual revenue use of the two U.S. stamps E. 300-400
1502	<b>5c Red Brown (75).</b> Tied by manuscript on State of Maryland part printed form with statement of account, Very Fine and scarce use E. 300-400
1503	15c Black (77). Cancelled by "J.C. July 18, 1869" manuscript cancel and affixed to Auditor of West Virginia draft for \$206.78, two short perfs, otherwise Very Fine, rare overpaid Revenue use
1504	<b>U.S. Postage Used as Revenues.</b> 75 examples of U.S. postage used on Revenue documents, including 1c Blue (63), nice group of 3c Rose (65), 14 with Black Jacks, 30c Orange (71) on receipt of payment, one with No. 76, few 1869 Pictorials including 2c (3) and one 3c, nice group of 2c Bank Notes, also Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago govt. bond dept. with 8c, 20c and three 50c Franklin stamps used with 2c and 5c Documentary revenues on Jan. 22, 1919, also four Revenues used as postage, some faults, overall a Fine-Very Fine and worthwhile group(Website PDF) E. 1,500-2,000

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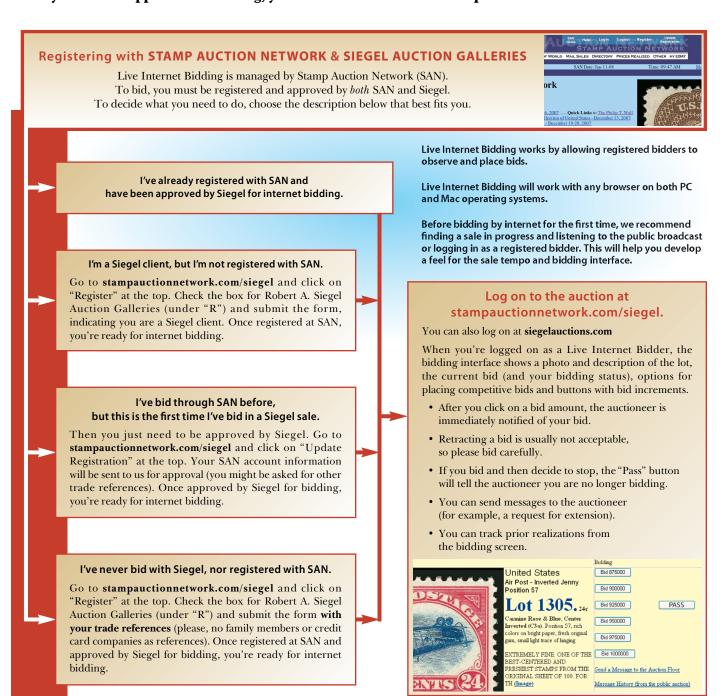
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1035	1,900	1079	325	1122	190	1164	325	1206	275	1248	10,500	1290	325	1333	1,600
1036	1,100	1080	110	1123	550	1165	750	1207	350	1249	950	1291	160	1334	1,000
1037	275	1081	140	1124	150	1166	110	1208	400	1250	2,000	1292	3,750	1335	850
1038	650	1082	1,000	1125	160	1167	400	1209	2,200	1251	1,900	1293	2,900	1336	4,750
1039	3,250	1083	375	1126	700	1168	550	1210	1,100	1252	1,700	1294	1,200	1337	700
1040	1,300	1084	400	1127	180	1169	400	1211	1,700	1253	1,800	1296	7,000	1338	650
1041	375	1085	170	1128	225	1170	250	1212	450	1254	2,000	1297	600	1339	1,800
1042	425	1086	425	1129	450	1171	850	1213	400	1255	425	1298	700	1340	450

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Lot#	Realized	Lot#	Realized	Lot#	Realized	Lot#	Realized
1341	325	1384	475	1426	2,100	1468	450
1343	375	1385	1,700	1427	2,100	1469	400
1344	325	1386	1,100	1428	1,600	1470	150
1345	2,200	1387	600	1429	170	1471	1,500
1346	325	1388	225	1430	1,200	1472	2,900
1347	600	1389	1,000	1431	4,750	1473	750
1348	800	1390	4,000	1432	2,000	1474	275
1349	750	1391	300	1433	2,600	1475	225
1350	850	1392	350	1434	5,500	1476	130
1351	1,100	1393	160	1435	800	1477	300
1352	3,250	1394	250	1436	1,600	1478	1,100
1353	350	1395	900	1437	600	1479	3,000
1354	160	1396	1,900	1438	1,800	1480	4,250
1355	325	1397	1,300	1439	3,250	1481	2,300
1356	325	1398	750	1440	275	1482	7,000
1357	600	1399	750	1441	800	1483	6,500
1358	325	1400	800	1442	13,000	1484	4,000
1359	4,500	1401	350	1443	700	1485	5,000
1360	1,900	1402	170	1444	375	1486	3,500
1361	1,000	1403	650	1445	700	1487	375
1362	750	1404	1,900	1446	650	1488	650
1363	550	1405	400	1447	1,600	1489	1,500
1364	1,100	1406	225	1448	1,100	1490	250
1365	1,500	1407	650	1449	42,500	1491	650
1366	500	1408	160	1450	1,200	1492	1,700
1367	1,400	1409	3,500	1451	600	1493	1,200
1368	375	1410	2,300	1452	750	1494	450
1369	225	1411	225	1453	250	1495	450
1370	500	1412	1,200	1454	12,500	1496	550
1371	325	1413	3,250	1455	42,500	1497	550
1372	1,100	1414	4,250	1456	47,500	1498	850
1373	1,700	1415	325	1457	425	1499	2,000
1374	1,300	1416	950	1458	750	1500	4,250
1375	850	1417	1,400	1459	10,000	1501	150
1376	2,100	1418	2,500	1460	650	1502	160
1377	3,000	1419	700	1461	350	1503	275
1378	350	1420	475	1462	225	1504	800
1379	400	1421	3,000	1463	160		'
1380	10,000	1422	1,400	1464	190		
1381	6,000	1423	700	1465	600		
1382	10,500	1424	3,000	1466	550		
1383	4,000	1425	350	1467	90		