

UNITED STATES STAMPS



SALE 1209
OCTOBER 22-23, 2019

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Sale 1209 — Tuesday and Wednesday, October 22-23, 2019

United States Stamps

Featuring

Rare Stamps and Proofs from the Collection of Ambassador J. William Middendorf II

Revenues from the Michael Willis Collection

The Al Sustala Collection of United States Stamps

Live auction to be held at Siegel Auction Galleries,
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Lots are sold subject to an 18% buyer's premium and
any applicable sales tax (or customs duty for non-U.S. buyers)

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TUESDAY, OCTOBER 22

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To be followed by the Joseph Antizzo Collection of
Embossed Revenue Stamped Paper (Sale 1210)

Pre-Sale Viewing: Monday, October 21, 10am-4pm, and by appointment

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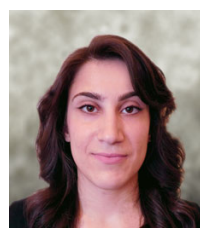
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Bidding

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- 2) Live Internet Bidding:** Instructions for participating as a Live Internet Bidder are provided on the page opposite.
- 3) Phone Bidding:** Bidders can be connected to the sale by phone and bid through a member of staff. Requests for phone bidding are subject to approval (please contact our office at least 24 hours before the sale). A signed Bid Form is required.
- 4) Absentee Bids.** All bids received in advance of the sale, either by mail, fax, phone, e-mail or internet, are Absentee Bids, which instruct the auctioneer to bid up to a specific amount on one or more lots in the sale. Absentee Bids sent by phone, fax or email should arrive at least one hour prior to the start of the sale session. Bids entered through Live Internet Bidding will be visible to the auctioneer during the sale. Written bids should be entered legibly on the Bid Form in the sale catalogue. Email and internet bids should be carefully typed and double-checked. All new bidders must provide references. We recommend calling or e-mailing to confirm that Absentee Bids sent by mail, fax or email have been received and entered.

Pre-Sale Viewing

Subject to availability, certain lots (except group lots) can be sent to known clients for examination. Requests must be made no later than 7 days prior to the sale. Lots must be returned on the day received. Postage/insurance costs will be invoiced.

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Individual items offered without a PF or PSE certificate dated within the past five years may be purchased subject to independent certification of genuineness and our description. **Please refer to the Conditions of Sale and Grading Terms for policies governing certification.**

Shipping and Delivery

Procedures and charges for shipping lots are printed on the back of the Bid Form. **Bidders are responsible for all prescribed shipping charges and any applicable sales tax or customs duties.**

Price Realized

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Live Internet Bidding at Siegel Auctions

REGISTERED BIDDERS MAY BID IN THIS SALE USING LIVE INTERNET BIDDING

This step-by-step guide will instruct you how to register, set your browser and use the bidding interface.

Start by following the simple steps to become a registered Live Internet Bidder.

Once you have been approved for bidding, you can listen to the auction and place bids with the click of a mouse.

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Live Internet Bidding is managed by Stamp Auction Network (SAN).

To bid, you must be registered and approved by both SAN and Siegel.

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I've already registered with SAN and have been approved by Siegel for internet bidding

I'm a Siegel client, but I'm not registered with SAN

Go to stampauctionnetwork.com/siegel and click on "Register" at the top. Check the box for Robert A. Siegel Auction Galleries (under "R") and submit the form, indicating you are a Siegel client. Once registered at SAN, you're ready for internet bidding.

I've bid through SAN before, but this is the first time I've bid in a Siegel sale

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I've never bid with Siegel, nor registered with SAN

Go to stampauctionnetwork.com/siegel and click on "Register" at the top. Check the box for Robert A. Siegel Auction Galleries (under "R") and submit the form with your trade references (please, no family members or credit card companies as references). Once registered at SAN and approved by Siegel for bidding, you're ready for internet bidding.

Live Internet Bidding works by allowing registered bidders to observe and place bids.

Live Internet Bidding will work with any browser on both PC and Mac operating systems.

Before bidding by internet for the first time, we recommend finding a sale in progress and listening to the public broadcast or logging in as a registered bidder. This will help you develop a feel for the sale tempo and bidding interface.

Log on to the auction at stampauctionnetwork.com

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- After you click on a bid amount, the auctioneer is immediately notified of your bid.
- Retracting a bid is usually not acceptable, so please bid carefully.
- If you bid and then decide to stop, the "Pass" button will tell the auctioneer you are no longer bidding.
- You can send messages to the auctioneer (for example, a request for extension).
- You can track prior realizations from the bidding screen.

Robert A. Siegel Auction Galleries, Inc.'s Sale 1185

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United States Inverted Jenny Positions 15 and 6 Lot 91. 24c Carmine Rose & Blue, Center Inverted (C3a). Position 15, the fifth stamp from the left in the second row of the sheet, original gum, deep rich colors, tiny thin spot just below the plane, faint traces of purple ink above the bottom left (2 image)	
\$ 450,000.00 Sold for \$ 270,000.00 Your Bid \$ 0.00	

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1. The highest bidder acknowledged by the auctioneer shall be the buyer. The term "final bid" means the last bid acknowledged by the auctioneer, which is normally the highest bid offered. **The purchase price payable by the buyer will be the sum of the final bid and a commission of 18% of the final bid ("buyer's premium"), together with any sales tax, use tax or customs duties due on the sale.**

2. The auctioneer has the right to reject any bid, to advance the bidding at his discretion and, in the event of a dispute, to determine the successful bidder, to continue the bidding or to reoffer and resell the lot in dispute. The Galleries' record of the final sale shall be conclusive.

3. All bids are per numbered lot in the catalogue unless otherwise announced by the auctioneer at the time of sale. The right is reserved to group two or more lots, to withdraw any lot or lots from the sale, or to act on behalf of the seller. The Galleries will execute bidding instructions on behalf of clients, but will not be responsible for the failure to execute such bids or for any errors in the execution of such bids.

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5. Subject to the exclusions listed in 5(A), the Galleries will accept the return of lots which, subject to the Galleries' sole judgment, have been misidentified or which have obvious faults that were present when the lot was in the Galleries' custody, but not so noted in the lot description. **All disputed lots must be received by the Galleries intact with the original packing material within 5 days of delivery to the buyer but no later than 30 days from the sale date. (5A) EXCLUSIONS:** The following lots may not be returned for any reason, or may not be returned for the reasons stated: (i) lots containing 5 or more items; (ii) lots from buyers who registered for the pre-sale exhibition or received lots by postal viewing, thereby having had the opportunity to inspect them before the sale; (iii) any lot described with "faults," "defects" or a specific fault may not be returned because of any secondary fault; (iv) photographed lots may not be returned because of centering, margins, short/nibbed perforations or other factors shown in the photos; (v) the color of the item does not match the color photo in the sale catalogue or website listing; (vi) the description contains inaccurate information about the quantity known or reported; or (vii) a certification service grades a stamp lower than the grade stated in the description or on an accompanying certificate.

6. Successful bidders, unless they have established credit with the Galleries prior to the sale, must make full payment in cleared funds before the lots will be delivered. Buyers not known to the Galleries must make payment in full within 3 days from the date of sale. **The Galleries retains the right to demand a cash deposit from anyone prior to bidder registration and/or to demand payment at the time the lot is knocked down, for any reason whatsoever.** In the event that any buyer refuses or fails to make payment in cash for any lot at the time it is knocked down to him, the auctioneer reserves the right to reoffer the lot immediately for sale to the highest bidder. **Credit cards (Visa, Mastercard and Discover only) can be accepted as payment, but will be subject to a 3% non-refundable Convenience Fee, which will be added to the total of the entire invoice (including hammer price, buyer's premium, shipping and transit insurance charges and any applicable taxes). The buyer waives the right to dispute all credit card charges.**

7. If the purchase price has not been paid within the time limit specified above, nor lots taken up within 7 days from the date of sale, the lots may be resold by whatever means deemed appropriate by the Galleries, and any loss incurred from resale will be charged to the defaulting buyer, and/or the Galleries may seek any other remedy prescribed by law to enforce payment. **Any account more than 30 days in arrears will be subject to a late payment charge of 1½% per month as long as the account remains in arrears. Any expenses incurred in securing payment from delinquent accounts will be charged to the defaulter.** A fee of \$250.00 will be charged for a check returned for insufficient funds.

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 or change in grade.** Buyers may request a certificate for a lot containing not more than one item, which does not have a P.F. or P.S.E. certificate (dated as above), provided that the following conditions are met: (i) the purchase price must be paid in full, (ii) if submitted by the buyer, the lot must be submitted to an acceptable expertizing service with a properly executed application form within 21 days of the sale, (iii) a copy of the application form must be given to the Galleries, (iv) the Galleries retains the right to resubmit the item for reconsideration, without time limit or other restrictions, for the purpose of obtaining a satisfactory opinion, (v) lots submitted for certification will be considered cleared 90 days from the date of sale, whether or not a certificate has been issued, unless the Galleries issues written approval of a further extension of return privileges, and (vi) in the event the lot is determined to be misidentified or misdescribed, pursuant to 5 and 5(A) of these Conditions, the Galleries will issue a refund to the buyer for the full purchase price and actual certification fees, but the reimbursement for certificate fees (and related costs) shall not exceed 10% of the hammer price of the lot. **Changes to a grade by the same certification service or a different grade from another certification service are not grounds for returning a lot.**

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 may also 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, at any time, 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 ReportSM 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.	ORIGINAL GUM (O.G.)				NO GUM
	 Mint Never Hinged <i>Free from any disturbance</i>	 Lightly Hinged <i>Faint impression of a removed hinge over a small area</i>	 Hinge Mark or Remnant <i>Prominent hinged spot with part or all of the hinge remaining</i>	 Part o.g. <i>Approximately half or more of the gum intact</i>	 Small part o.g. <i>Approximately less than half of the gum intact</i>	 No gum <i>Only if issued with gum</i>
Catalogue Symbol:	★ ★	★	★	★	★	(★)
PRE-1890 ISSUES	<i>Pre-1890 stamps in these categories trade at a premium over Scott value</i>			Scott Value for “O.G.”		Scott “No Gum” Values thru No. 218
1890-1935 ISSUES	Scott “Never Hinged” Values for Nos. 219-771	Scott Value for “O.G.” (Actual value will be affected by the degree of hinging)		Disturbed Original Gum: Gum showing noticeable effects of humidity, climate or hinging over more than half of the gum. The significance of gum disturbance in valuing a stamp in any of the Original Gum categories depends on the degree of disturbance, the rarity and normal gum condition of the issue and other variables affecting quality. For example, stamps issued in tropical climates are expected to have some		
1935 TO DATE	Scott Value for “Unused”					

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.

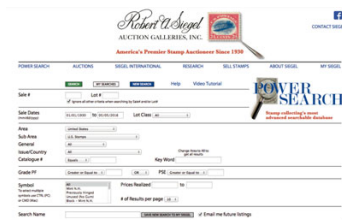
Symbols and Abbreviations (see chart above for gum symbols)

⊞	Block	E	Essay	pmk.	Postmark	No.	Scott Catalogue Number
⊞	Cover	P	Proof	cds	Circular Datestamp	hs	Handstamp
FC	Fancy Cancel	TC	Trial Color Proof	var.	Variety	ms.	Manuscript

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CATALOGUES AND PRICES REALIZED

Images and descriptions for all sales going back to 1992, our Rarities sales from 1964 and selected older name sales. PDF catalogues go back to our first sale in 1931.

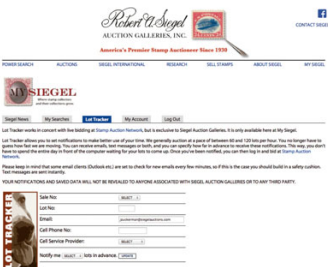


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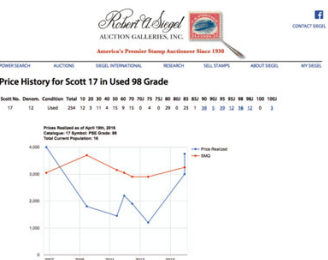


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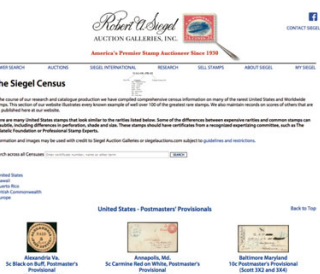
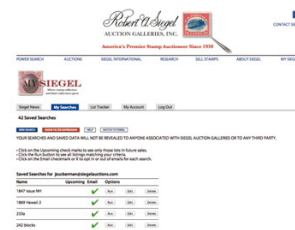
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The up-to-date census data for U.S. and select International rarities are a valuable resource for buyers, sellers and researchers. Every recorded example of almost 150 different rare stamps is described and, in most cases, photographed.



GRADED PRICE HISTORY

Graphs show the realizations of each grade over time in our auctions. The data points are easily visible for independent analysis.



We have several other important features of our website, such as the Siegel Encyclopedia, Exhibits, Today in History and a Perpetual Calendar. Go to siegelauctions.com for the most comprehensive website in philately.

SESSION ONE (LOTS 1001-1129)
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 22, 2019, AT 10:30 A.M.

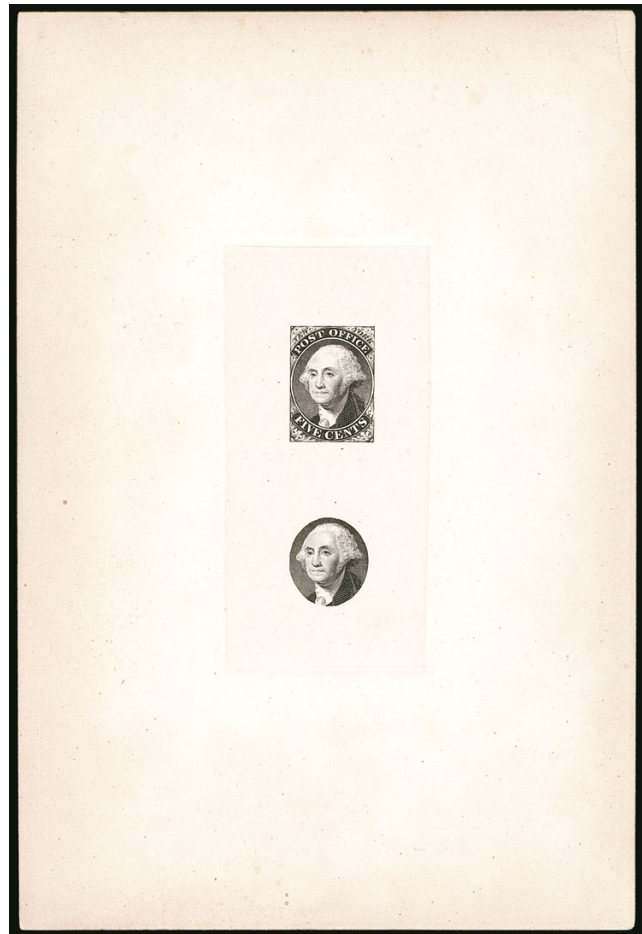
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ESSAYS AND PROOFS



1001

1001 E **Gavit & Co., 5c Franklin, Black Die Essay on White Glazed (1Xa-E1e).** 45 x 75mm, intense shade, usual slight translucencies outside the design, Very Fine
..... 900.00



1002

1002 E **New York N.Y., 5c Black, Large Die Essay on India (9X1-E1a).** On 152 x 225mm card with full die sinkage, card with some slight toning and tiny tear at left far from design, Very Fine, scarce in this large size, ex Farrington
..... 450.00



1003

1003 TC **5c, 10c 1847 Reproductions, Atlanta Trial Color Proofs on Card (3TC4, 4TC4).** Complete sets of **blocks of four in all five colors**, vivid colors, each with ample to full margins — these were well cut from the sheets without any margins touching the designs

EXTREMELY FINE. A BEAUTIFUL AND RARE SET OF BLOCKS OF FOUR OF THE ATLANTA TRIAL COLOR PROOFS FOR THE 5-CENT AND 10-CENT 1847 REPRODUCTIONS.

The Atlanta trial color plate proofs on card were prepared for display at the 1881 International Cotton Exposition in Atlanta. Only one sheet of 50 in each color was printed. The sheets were somehow acquired by James A. Petrie of Phillipsburg, New Jersey, at the close of the exposition (along with the 1869 invert card proof sheets). Petrie claimed that he rescued the proofs just before they were to be burned. They were cut up into one set of blocks of eight, two sets of blocks of four, pairs and singles. These are often offered either by denomination or in other smaller groupings. It is exceedingly difficult to assemble a complete set of blocks.

Scott Retail as singles..... 12,000.00

- 1004 P **5c Red Brown, 10c Black, Reproductions, Plate Proofs on Card (3P4-4P4).** Large margins to full, intense impressions, Very Fine 500.00



1004



1005

- 1005 S **5c Black, Trial Color Plate Proof on India, "Specimen" Ovpt. (1TC3S).** Positions 89-90R1, horizontal pair, **right stamp double transfer Type B**, large margins to barely in at top, right stamp two small creases (one ending in small tear), Fine-Very Fine, scarce, ex Marasse, with 1995 P.F. certificate E. 400-500

- 1006 S **5c Red Brown, 10c Black, Proofs on India, "Specimen" Ovpt. (1PS-2PS).** Black and Red overprints respectively, card mounted, 10c cut-down large die proof, 5c might also be, 10c with scuff and tear, otherwise Very Fine-Extremely Fine, the 10c is most likely from the American Bank Note Co. archival sheet reconstruction(Photo Ex) E. 400-500



1006EX



1007EX

- 1007 P **1c-90c 1857 Reprints, Plate Proofs on India and Card (40P3-47P3, 40P4-47P4).** Complete sets on India and card, brilliant colors, full to large margins including a couple with sheet margins, fresh and Very Fine-Extremely Fine, particularly choice quality sets.....(Photo Ex) 1,370.00



1008EX

1008 P田 **1c-90c 1857 Reprints, Plate Proofs on Card (40P4-47P4).** Blocks of four with matching **bottom sheet margins**, ample to large margins other sides, brilliant colors on dazzling white cards as fresh as the day they were printed

EXTREMELY FINE BOTTOM MARGIN BLOCKS OF FOUR OF THE 1857 ISSUE REPRINT PLATE PROOFS ON CARD — CUT FROM THE LILLY SHEETS.

The complete sheets of India and card proofs from the Josiah K. Lilly collection, which were formerly in the Earl of Crawford and Ackerman collections, were dispersed in Siegel Sale 321 in September, 1967. The sheets were divided into panes of 100 (or half sheets of 50, depending on the plate format) after the sale. One set of panes remains essentially intact in a private collection. The other set of panes has been further subdivided into smaller multiples over the years. This exceptionally fresh sheet margin set comes from that division.(Photo Ex) 1,870.00



1009EX

1009 TC **90c 1875 Reprint, Atlanta Trial Color Proofs on Card (47TC4).** Blocks of four in Scarlet, Brown and Blue, each with large margins, fresh and Very Fine, scarce as blocks, Scott Retail as singles(Photo Ex) 1,260.00



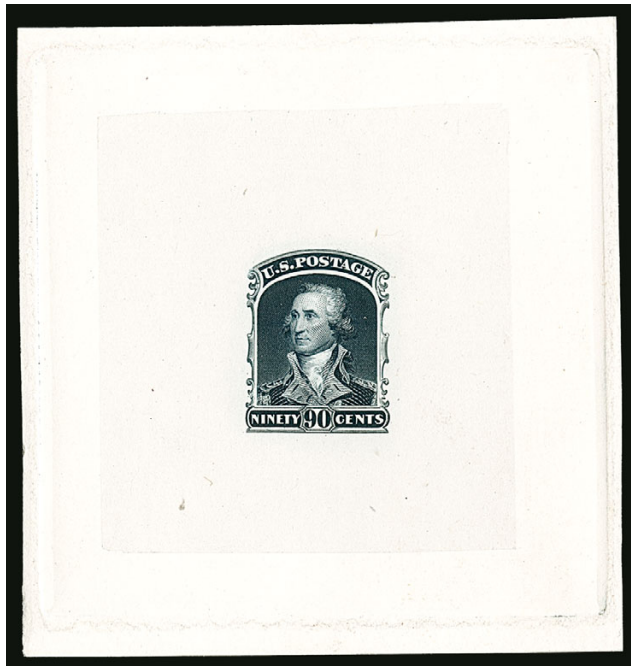
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1010 E **30c Deep Red Orange, First Design, Plate Essay on India (71-E2b; formerly 61P3).** Block of four, large margins all around, few faults including repaired tear, appears Fine, extremely rare, this is the only recorded multiple of the 30c Deep Red Orange Plate Essay, ex Finkelburg and "Lake Shore", Scott Retail as singles..... 2,000.00

- 1011 E **90c Washington, Schernikow Large Die Essays on Proof Paper (72-E1a, 72-E2a, 72-E3a).** Three of first and third, seven of second, mostly between 45 x 47mm and 65 x 65mm, seven show full die sinkage, wide range of colors, few with insignificant faults, overall a Very Fine and desirable group of Schernikow essays, showing three distinctly different states of the die(Photo Ex) 1,375.00



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- 1012 E **Toppan, Carpenter & Co., 90c Blue, Die Essay on India (72-E5b).** Die sunk on 80 x 84mm card with full die sinkage, deep rich color

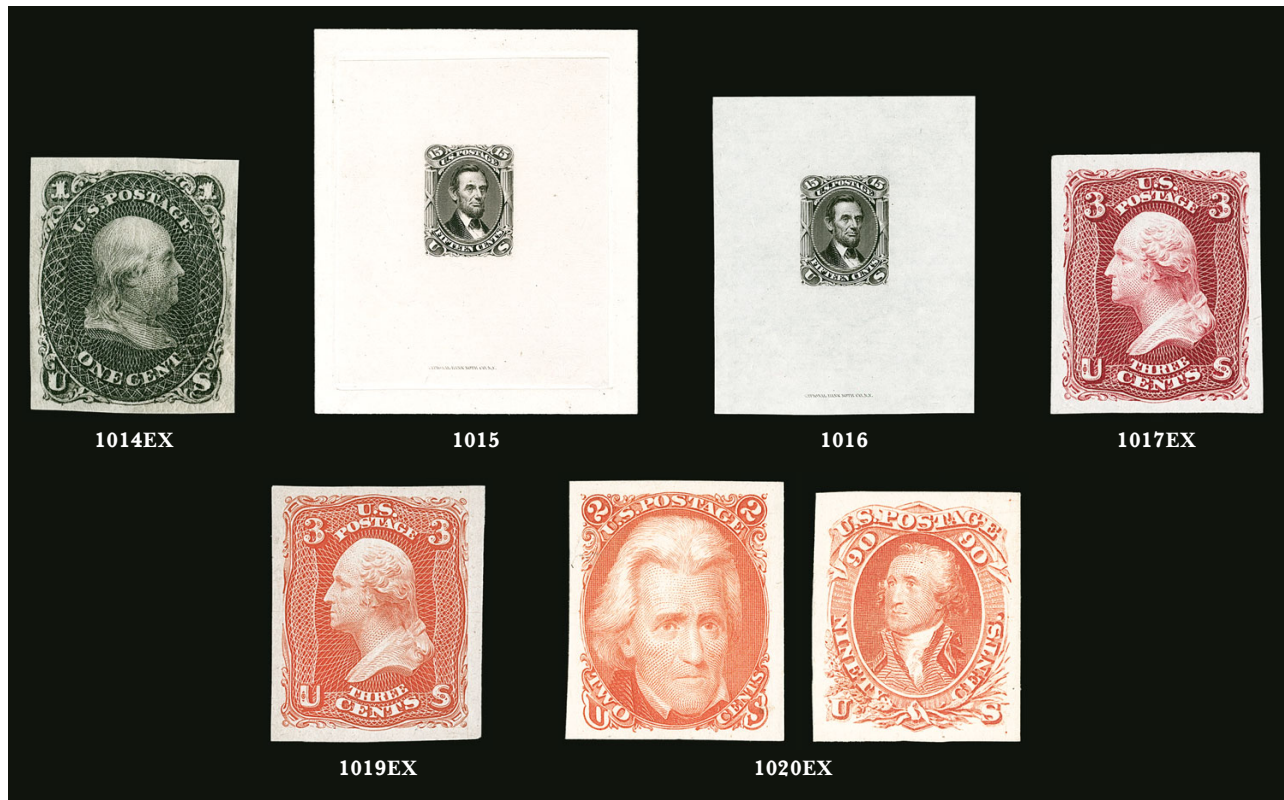
VERY FINE. THIS IS ONE OF ONLY TWO EXAMPLES OF THE 90-CENT TOPPAN, CARPENTER 1861 ISSUE ESSAY DIE SUNK ON CARD KNOWN TO US. A RARE AND DESIRABLE CLASSIC ESSAY.

Ex Finkelburg, "Lake Shore" and Hansen. 2,500.00

- 1013 E田 **90c Blue, First Design, Plate Essay on India (72-E7e, formerly 62P3).** Block of four, full to large margins all around, rich color, small faint translucency at top as typical with this fragile paper, Very Fine and extremely rare, this is believed to be the only block extant, ex Finkelburg and DuPuy, Scott Retail as singles..... 2,000.00



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- 1014 TC **1c 1861 Issue, Lowenberg, Wyckoff and MacDonough Patents, Trial Color Plate Proofs on Wove (63TC5, 63TC6).** 26 proofs organized by patent on a stock page, nine are Lowenberg, 16 are Wyckoff and one McDonough (which only comes in two shades of Brown), wonderful range of colors with **more than 75% completion of all known colors** without duplication, also a mix of imperforate and perforated, Fine-Very Fine and an outstanding group of these fascinating patents, Lowenberg and Wyckoff used different types of coated paper and MacDonough used glycerin based ink, accompanied by an identification chart and list of all known colors compiled by Essay-Proof expert James E. Lee, for a discussion of these essays see Lee's *Chronicle* article (No. 209, pp. 40-43, copy accompanies lot)(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 750-1,000
- 1015 P **15c Black, Large Die Proof on India (77P1).** Die sunk on 73 x 86mm card with full die sinkage, imprint at bottom, Very Fine 1,400.00
- 1016 P **15c Black, Large Die Proof on India (77P1).** 58 x 71mm, with imprint at bottom, fresh and Very Fine 1,400.00
- 1017 P **1c-90c 1861 Issue, Plate Proofs on India (63P3, 73P3, 65P3, 66P3, 76P3, 68P3, 69P3, 77P3, 78P3, 71P3, 72P3).** Complete set of all ten values, including both 3c colors, large margins, rich colors, 5c with small internal flaw, otherwise Extremely Fine(Photo Ex) 865.00

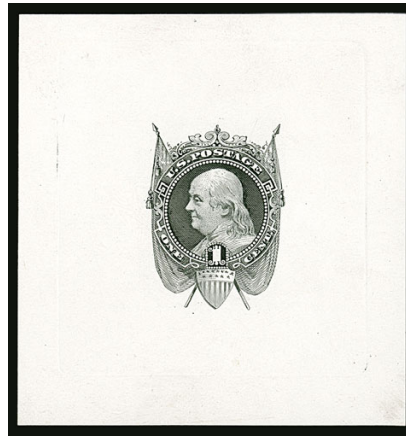


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- 1018 P **30c Orange, Plate Proof on India (71P3).** Bottom imprint and plate no. 7 block of eight, large margins to clear, radiant color, Very Fine and choice, a scarce plate block and an excellent alternative for a plate block collector — a full plate block of eight is not known for Scott 71 without "Specimen" overprint, it is only known as an imprint and plate number strip of four (two known) 1,500.00
- 1019 P **1c-90c 1861-66 Issue, Plate Proofs on Card (63P4/78P4).** Nine, including 3c Scarlet (74P4), large margins, Extremely Fine(Photo Ex) 565.00
- 1020 TC **1c-90c 1861-66 Designs, Atlanta Trial Color Proofs (102TC4-111TC4).** Complete set of the Scarlet color, large margins to full, radiant color, Very Fine(Photo Ex) 985.00



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- 1021 E **1c Scarlet, Die Essay on White Ivory (112-E5b).** 50 x 54mm, radiant color, fresh and Very Fine and scarce, this design was also essayed for envelopes and wrappers. 2,000.00
- 1022 E **1c Black, Die Essay on White Ivory (112-E5b).** 64 x 68mm, showing full die sinkage, detailed impression, Very Fine, this fancy design was also essayed for envelopes and wrappers, ex Earl of Crawford and Brazer..... 2,000.00



1023

- 1023 E **3c Blue, Small Numeral Die Essay on India (114-E4a).** Die sunk on 64 x 57mm card with full die sinkage, bright color, small rust spots near edge of die sinkage area are inconsequential, Very Fine and extremely rare in this color, this is the only example in Blue we have offered since keeping computerized records more than 25 years ago, ex Earl of Crawford (with his notes on back) and Finkelburg..... 1,500.00

- 1024 E田 **3c Green, Small Numeral, Plate Essay on Stamp Paper, Perforated 12, Grilled (114-E6d).** Two multiples, first block of 12 with top National Bank Note Co. New York imprint, slightly disturbed original gum, some perf separations in selvage, Fine-Very Fine and rare with the imprint, second is a block of four, original gum, Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail for singles with no premium for the imprint(Photo Ex) 1,200.00



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- 1025 E田 **30c Dull Red Violet, Burgoyne Plate Essay on Bond, Red Bands (121-E1s).** Block of four, large margins all around, rich colors, fresh and Very Fine, an attractive multiple, ex Dr. Heimburger, Scott Retail as singles 1,400.00

- 1026 P **3c Ultramarine, Large Die Proof on India (114P1).** Die sunk on 63 x 58mm card with full die sinkage, National Bank Note. Co. imprint at bottom, deep rich color, Very Fine 900.00



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- 1027 P **3c Ultramarine, Panama-Pacific Small Die Proof on Wove (114P2a).** 25 x 25mm, deep rich color, tiny translucency in top margin, typical light toning as normal with Panama-Pacific proofs, Extremely Fine and rare, it is generally accepted that 3-5 of each denomination were produced 3,500.00



1028EX

- 1028 P田 **1c-90c 1869 Pictorial, Plate Proofs on India (112P3-122P3).** Blocks of four, 15c Type II, all with large margins, excellent colors, a couple tiny flaws including 6c with light crease at top and 10c with tiny scuff, 15c small scissors-cut in top margin between proofs — normal for these fragile India paper proofs and actually far better than usually encountered

VERY FINE-EXTREMELY FINE. A PARTICULARLY CHOICE SET OF BLOCKS OF THE 1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE PLATE PROOFS ON INDIA PAPER.

1869 Pictorial plate proofs on India are particularly desirable as they were contemporary with the issue, rather than printed later.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 3,830.00



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- 1029 P **1c-90c 1869 Pictorial, Plate Proofs on Card (112P4-117P4, 120P4-122P4, 129P4).** Complete set of ten values, 15c Type III, large margins throughout, bright colors, Very Fine-Extremely Fine set.....(Photo Ex) 1,015.00
- 1030 P **1c-90c 1869 Pictorial, Plate Proofs on Card (112P4-117P4, 120P4-122P4, 129P4).** Large margins, bright colors, Very Fine set, accompanied by **original envelope** in which these were given away(Photo Ex) 1,015.00



1031

1031 P 15c-90c 1869 Pictorial Inverts, Plate Proofs on Card (120aP4, 121aP4, 122aP4, 129aP4).
Large margins, rich colors on bright cards

EXTREMELY FINE. A BEAUTIFUL SET OF 1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE INVERT PLATE PROOFS. ONLY ONE SHEET OF 100 OF EACH WAS PRODUCED.

The card proof sheets of 100 of the four inverted high values of the 1869 Pictorial issue were prepared for and displayed at the Atlanta International Cotton Exposition in 1881. They were printed in response to the publicity surrounding the actual inverted stamps that began to appear in the 1870's. The sheets were somehow acquired by James A. Petrie of Phillipsburg, New Jersey, at the close of the exposition. Petrie claimed that he rescued the inverts along with the trial color card proof sheets (the "Atlanta" trial color proofs) just before they were to be burned. For some years he tried to sell his find and in 1895 he began to advertise them in the philatelic press, finding no takers. In 1903 he sold them to James Ludovic Lindsay, the 26th Earl of Crawford, one of the great collectors of stamps, essays, proofs and philatelic literature at the turn of the 20th Century. In November 1915 the Earl of Crawford's collection was purchased by John A. Klemann of the Nassau Stamp Company in New York. It was Klemann who eventually cut up the sheets..... 11,000.00



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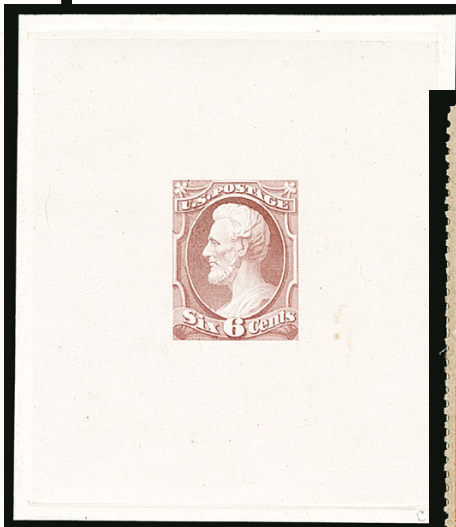


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- 1032 TC **1c-12c Black, 1869 Pictorial, Atlanta Trial Color Proofs on Card (123TC4-128TC4).** Set of the single color proofs through the 12c in Black, large margins, Very Fine, Scott assigns a premium for Black above the other single colors.....(Photo Ex) 1,050.00
- 1033 TC **3c Scarlet, Atlanta Trial Color Proof (125TC4).** Large margins to in at bottom, radiant color, showing clear **doubling of design** at top, small scrape at top left, appears Very Fine, this is the only variety we have encountered on the Atlanta Trial Color Proofs and is one of only two we record (both with bottom margin in), it is unusual to find printing varieties as greater care was (supposedly) taken when striking proofs and essays, with 1991 P.F. certificate describing this as a partial double impression 150.00



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- 1034 E **National Bank Note Co., 2c Jackson, Unadopted Design, Large Die Essay on India (146-E7a).** Green, on 73 x 99mm card with full die sinkage, brilliant color, Very Fine, particularly desirable fully die sunk as the vast majority of these are cut down to smaller sizes, ex Earl of Crawford..... 1,000.00
- 1035 E **National Bank Note Co., 3c Washington on Thick Paper, Perforated 12, Network Underprinting (147-E13a).** Block of four in Dull Orange, with olive-gray network underprint, amber original gum, paper h.r., top right stamp thin spots, appears Very Fine, these are very scarce and we have not offered other examples with the fugitive underprinting since our 1999 sale of the Finkelburg collection, Scott Retail as singles.....(Photo Ex) 600.00
- 1036 E **National Bank Note Co., 6c Dull Rose, Large Die Essay on India (148-E4).** Die sunk on 68 x 79mm card with full die sinkage, showing numerous areas of incomplete engraving of the design, fresh and Very Fine, desirable fully die sunk as most are cut down 700.00



- 1037 E **National Bank Note Co., 6c Brown, Large Die Essay on India (148-E11).** Die sunk on 100 x 113mm card with full die sinkage, few toned spots mostly on card, otherwise Fine..... 700.00
- 1038 P **National Bank Note Co., 7c Stanton, Progressive Large Die Essay on India (149-E6).** Yellow Brown, on 121 x 137mm card with full die sinkage, deep rich color on bright India paper and card, lacking the toning and oxidation which seems to affect a large percentage of these Stanton proofs, light waterstain at far top left edge of card, Very Fine and rare in this nearly full size, a choice example of this essay..... 750.00
- 1039 E **Continental Bank Note Co., 1c Franklin, "Goodall" Die Essay on Proof Paper (182-E4b).** Complete set of all five Scott-listed colors, approximately 37 x 37mm or slightly larger, few minor paper translucencies as often found, Very Fine set, ex Pacetti(Photo Ex) 2,500.00
- 1040 E **Continental Bank Note Co., 1c Scarlet, Die Essay on White Glazed Paper (182-E4c).** 59 x 57mm, bright color, fresh and Very Fine, ex Pacetti 750.00
- 1041 E **Continental Bank Note Co., 3c Indian Maiden, Large Die Essay on White Glazed Paper (184-E15c).** Brown, 65 x 65mm, fresh and Very Fine, a beautiful essay(Photo Ex) 750.00
- 1042 E **National Bank Note Co., 2c Red Brown, Plate Essay on Experimental Laid Paper (210-E).** Mint N.H., showing clear close vertical laid lines and two horizontal laid lines, near perfect centering, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2000 A.P.S. certificate as Scott 210 variety (it is really an essay)(Photo Ex) E. 150-200
- 1043 PE **1c-90c 1870-71 National Bank Note Co., Plate Proofs on India (145P3-155P3).** Complete set of blocks of four on original cards, large even margins all around, brilliant colors, free of the India paper flaws commonly seen, 15c with just some slight oxidation, Extremely Fine and desirable set from the Lilly sheets, ex Earl of Crawford, Ackerman and Lilly(Photo Ex) 1,360.00

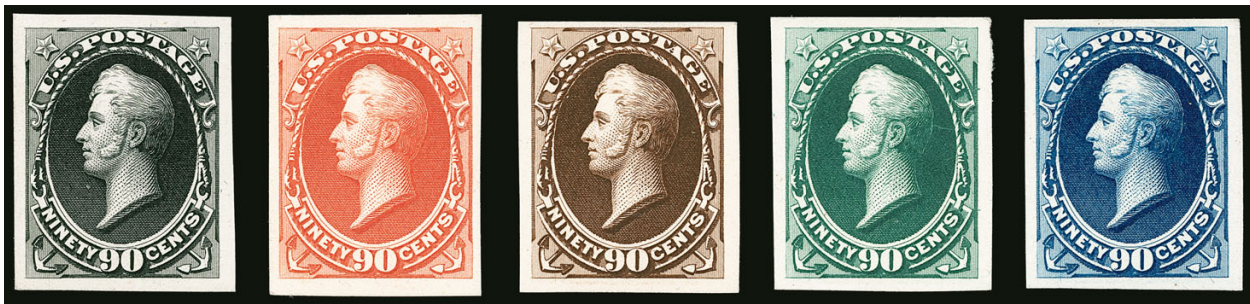


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- 1044 P 1c Ultramarine, Plate Proof on India (145P3). Bottom imprint, plate no. 16 and half arrow block of 12, affixed to original card backing so lacking the India paper imperfections often encountered, brilliant color, fresh and Extremely Fine..... 750.00
- 1045 TC 1c Black, Trial Color Proof on Card (156TC4). Bottom imprint block of 12, intense shade, Very Fine, Scott Retail as blocks of four without premium for the imprint... 195.00



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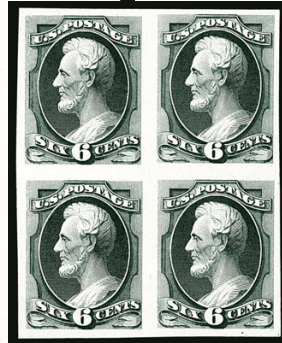
- 1046 TC 1c-90c Continental Bank Note Co. Issue, Atlanta Trial Color Proofs on Card (156TC4-166TC4, 179TC4). Complete set of 12 denominations in all five colors, including the 5c (Scott 179TC4), all have large margins, brilliant colors

EXTREMELY FINE SET OF ATLANTA TRIAL COLOR PROOFS FOR THE 1871 CONTINENTAL BANK NOTE ISSUE, WITH THE 5-CENT 1875 AMERICAN BANK NOTE ISSUE.

The Atlanta trial color plate proofs on card were prepared for display at the 1881 International Cotton Exposition in Atlanta. Only one sheet of 50 in each color was printed. The sheets were somehow acquired by James A. Petrie of Phillipsburg, New Jersey, at the close of the exposition (along with the 1869 invert card proof sheets). Petrie claimed that he rescued the proofs just before they were to be burned. They were cut up into one set of blocks of eight, two sets of blocks of four, pairs and singles. These are often offered either by denomination or in other smaller groupings. It is difficult to assemble the complete set. This Extremely Fine set is one of the choicest we have encountered.....(Photo Ex) 3,195.00



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1047 TC **2c Deep Rose, Large Die Trial Color Proof on India (157TC1ah).** 61 x 64mm on original card, exceptional depth of color, Very Fine, a rare large die trial color proof, we have not offered another example since we last sold this proof in 2003, ex Dr. Burrows and Liberman..... 850.00

1048 P **1873-79 Bank Note Issue Proofs.** Blocks of four of Nos. 158TC5 and 159TC5 Atlanta Trial Color Proofs in black, large margins to close at left of 3c, Fine-Very Fine, only two blocks of four of each are reported, No. 185P1 Large Die Proof on 126 x 198mm card with full die sinkage, brilliant color, fresh and Very Fine, also an interesting group of six American Bank Note Company stock die proofs, each mounted on manila card, including Declaration of Independence, portraits of Washington (five, including one surrounded by seated liberty, another of Washington at Trenton going into battle on horseback), each with different die no., few small flaws, Fine-Very Fine group, some of which were used on obsolete banknotes.....(Photo Ex) E. 400-500

1049 P **12c Blackish Violet, Plate Proof on India (162P3).** Block of 24, large margins including sheet margin at left, mounted on card and so free of the flaws often found on this fragile paper, deep rich color, Very Fine and choice large multiple, ex Finkelburg, Scott Retail as six blocks of four..... 1,350.00

1050 TC **15c Webster, "Goodall" Small Die Trial Color Proof on India (163TC2).** Complete set of five colors, approximately 29 x 33mm with the Dull Red slightly larger, deep rich colors, Very Fine, in 1879, President Albert G. Goodall of the American Bank Note Company, successor to the Continental Bank Note Company, ordered sets of small die proofs for display purposes, these originate from that order(Photo Ex) 3,000.00



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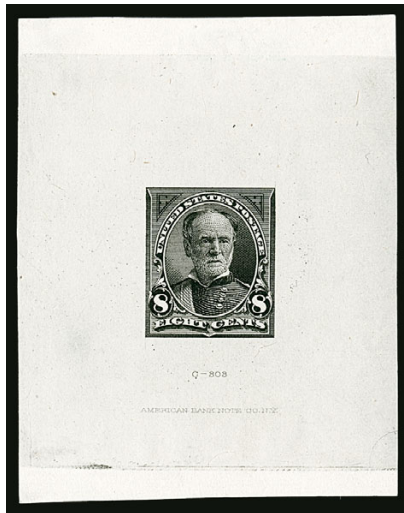


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1051 P **30c Full Black, Plate Proof on India (190P3).** Bottom right "American Bank Note Company" Imprint, plate no. 405 and half arrow block of 14 on original card backing, large margins, small India paper faults along top edge, appears Very Fine, extremely rare with only four examples recorded by Essay-Proof specialist James E. Lee, the only way to identify that an India plate proof is from the American Bank Note Co. printing is if it is part of a plate block, this India paper proof is listed in Scott as a single and a block of four but is unpriced, the plate block of 14 is unlisted (though the equally rare 190P4 is priced at \$4,500.00), with 1973 P.F. certificate as 165P3 E. 750-1,000



- 1052 P **1c-10c 1881-83 Issues, Small Die Proofs on Wove (206P2, 208P2, 209P2).** Each on original gray card backing from a Roosevelt presentation album, fresh and Very Fine, only approximately 85 sets were produced **(Photo Ex)** 600.00
- 1053 P **10c Brown, Panama-Pacific Small Die Proof on Wove (209P2a).** Bright color, fresh and Very Fine, very rare as only 3-5 were printed, ex Finkelburg, with 2011 P.F. certificate ..
..... 2,500.00
- 1054 TC **2c Rose Lake, Trial Color Plate Proof on Card (210TC4).** Block of four, brilliant color, Very Fine, Scott Retail as singles 560.00
- 1055 P **1c-90c 1890-93 Issue, Plate Proofs on Card (219P4-229P4).** 12, including two shades of the 2c, counted here as 219DP4 and 220P4 but the former is a much lighter shade than the normal Lake, large margins throughout, fresh colors, Very Fine-Extremely Fine
..... **(Photo Ex)** 785.00
- 1056 P **1c-90c 1890-93 Issue, Plate Proofs on Card (219P4-229P4).** 12, including both listed shades of the 2c (219DP4 and 220P4), large margins throughout, vivid colors which are fresher than often encountered with this set, Very Fine-Extremely Fine
..... **(Photo Ex)** 785.00
- 1057 TC **4c Columbian, Sepia Large Die Trial Color Proof on India (233TC1de).** Cut down to 42 x 37mm and affixed to card backing, warm color, Very Fine and scarce, with 2011 P.F. certificate as No. 233TC2, Scott Retail as full size 850.00
- 1058 P **1c-\$5.00 Columbian, Plate Proofs on India (230P3-245P3).** Complete set 16, on original card backing and all but the 1c and \$4.00 with wide card margin at bottom which nicely shows where the India paper meets the card, large margins throughout, brilliant colors, Very Fine, an exceptionally choice set of Columbian plate proofs on India, these are normally encountered with flaws due to the fragile nature of the paper, this set is a wonderful exception **(Photo Ex)** 3,305.00
- 1059 P **1c-\$5.00 Columbian, Plate Proofs on Card (230P4-245P4).** Large margins to just clear, 6c, 8c and \$3.00 faded, few other minor faults, otherwise Fine-Very Fine set
..... **(Photo Ex)** 2,110.00



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1060 TC **8c Black, Large Die Trial Color Proof on India (257TC1a).** 56 x 71mm, American Bank Note Co. imprint at bottom and blue "49726" control no. on back, Very Fine and rare, only three are recorded 1,250.00

1061 P **\$2.00 Dark Blue, \$5.00 Dark Green, Large Die Proofs on India (262P1-263P1).** On cards with full die sinkage, \$2.00 62 x 124mm, the vertical format variety, \$5.00 149 x 219mm, \$2.00 with pencil note "OK to harden", \$5.00 signed in pencil by engravers Kennedy and Phillippe, \$5.00 with some very minor toning and small card fault in extreme bottom right corner, Very Fine pair of die proofs for the top values of the 1894 Issue, ex Finkelburg 1,150.00



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1062

1062 P **15c Olive Green, Large Die Proof on India (284P1).** On 85 x 84mm card with full die sinkage, rich color, India paper with some speckled tiny toned spots, otherwise Very Fine, ex Finkelburg..... 800.00



1063

1063°P **2c Copper Red, Plate Proof on Card (286P4).** Deep rich color, large even margins including frameline of adjoining stamp at left

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. THE 2-CENT AND \$2.00 TRANS-MISSISSIPPI ARE THE ONLY TWO DENOMINATIONS OF THE SET KNOWN AS PLATE PROOFS. AN EXTREMELY RARE CLASSIC PROOF.

Bureau of Engraving and Printing (BEP) plate proofs of the 1898 Trans-Mississippi Issue (or of any BEP commemorative issue) should not be confused with the more readily available 1893 Columbian plate proofs, which were printed by a private bank note company. The Trans-Mississippi plate proofs are great rarities. In fact, of the nine denominations, only the 2c and \$2.00 Trans-Mississippi are found in plate proof form outside government archives—both are on card (no India paper proofs are known). We do not know of any other BEP commemorative plate proofs in private hands.

The only source of the \$2.00 Trans-Mississippi plate proofs is a vertical block of six with imprint and plate number, sold in Part 17 of the Colonel Green sales (Harmer, Rooke & Co., 11/13-18/1944). The plate block of four from this multiple was offered in our 2019 sale of multiples from the William H. Gross Collection (Sale 1200, lot 174). The 2c Trans-Mississippi plate proof is equally rare—we have located only six singles and no multiples. At one point the vignettes for the 2c and \$2.00 were switched, so perhaps this is the reason why plate proofs of these two denominations were released. 10,000.00



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1064 P **1c-\$5.00 1902-03 Issue, Small Die Proofs on Wove (300P2-313P2).** Complete set, rich colors, each on original gray card backing, 50c trifle oxidized

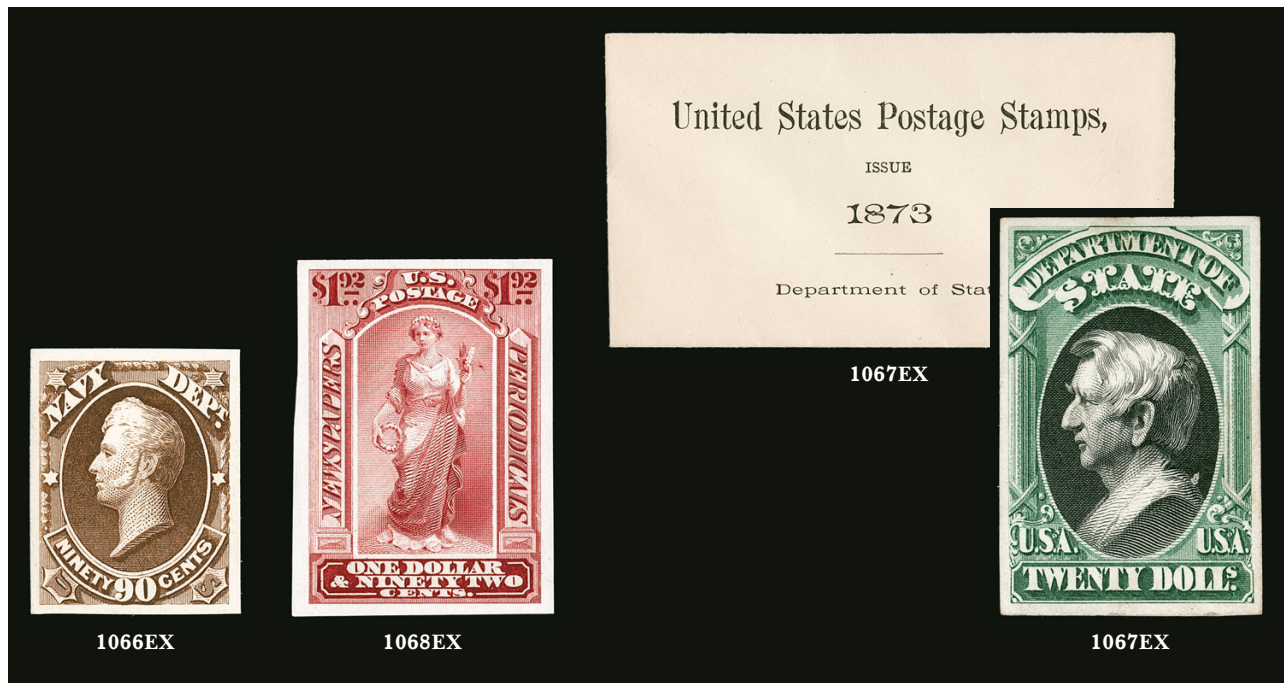
VERY FINE. A BEAUTIFUL AND SCARCE COMPLETE SET OF 1902 ISSUE SMALL DIE PROOFS FROM A ROOSEVELT PRESENTATION ALBUM.

Only 85 presentation albums were prepared.....(Photo Ex) 4,250.00



1065

1065 P田 **\$10.00 State, Plate Proof on India (O70P3).** Sheet of ten without the surrounding selvage, paper h.r. and few faults as often found on this fragile paper, Very Fine appearance and a very scarce multiple, Scott Retail as full sheet with selvage is \$4,000.00, Scott Retail as blocks of four and singles..... 1,150.00



- 1066 TC **1c-90c Navy, Atlanta Trial Color Proofs on Card (O35TC4-O45TC4).** Complete set of eleven proofs in Brown, large margins, fresh and Very Fine(Photo Ex) 438.00
- 1067 P **1c-90c Officials, Plate Proofs on Card (O1P4-O93P4).** Complete set of 92 card proofs accompanied by **original envelopes for all nine departments**, full to large margins, bright colors, a few minor flaws, overall Very Fine and desirable accompanied by the envelopes, Scott Retail for just the card proofs — the envelopes are considerably more elusive.....(Photo Ex) 1,036.00
- 1068 TC **12c, \$1.92 Newspapers & Periodicals, Trial Color Plate Proofs on India (PR16TC3, PR24TC3).** Wonderful group of 11 of the 12c and eight of the \$1.92, each a distinctly different color or shade, large margins, Very Fine and attractive group.....(Photo Ex) 665.00



- 1069 E **3c Parcel Post, Designer's Model on Thick Gray Cardboard (Q3-E2).** Stamp-size photographic essay of wash drawing, mounted on 122 x 97mm card with pre-printed "Approved", manuscript "Feb. 22, 1913" and signed by **Postmaster General Frank Hitchcock**, few insignificant scuffs on card
VERY FINE AND UNIQUE ESSAY PREPARED FOR THE 3-CENT PARCEL POST ISSUE.
From our 2009 Rarities sale. Illustrated in Scott..... 5,000.00



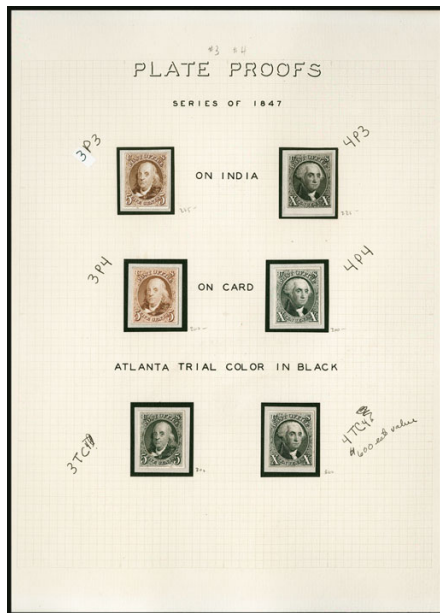
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25c Parcel Post, Designer's Model on Thick Gray Cardboard (Q9-E1). Stamp-size photographic essay of wash drawing, mounted on 105 x 92mm card with pre-printed "Approved" and manuscript "Changed from \$1.00" at top, also with manuscript "Nov. 14" and signed by **Postmaster General Frank Hitchcock**

VERY FINE AND UNIQUE ESSAY PREPARED FOR THE 25-CENT PARCEL POST ISSUE.

This is the only essay listed for the 25c Parcel Post. From our 2009 Rarities sale. Illustrated in Scott which strangely prices this at half the value of the 3c essay offered in the previous lot, despite their both being unique 2,500.00



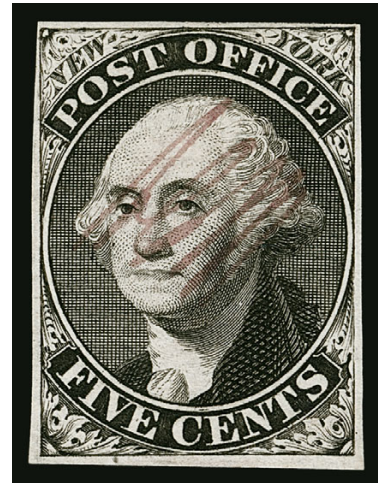
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1847-93 Issues, Plate Proof Collection. Wide ranging collection of plate proofs on India and card, mounted in a deluxe leather bound album, begins with 1875 Reproductions of 1847 Issue on India and card as well as Atlanta proofs in Black, 1851 Carriers, 1875 Reprints of 1851 Issue on India and card, 1861 Issue on India and card including Lake and Scarlet Trial Colors, 1869 Issue on India and card, full range of Bank Note issues on both India and card including National set of singles with huge sheet margins, Nos. 183P4 and 185P4 from each of the five card printings, 1890 Issue on India and card, Columbians on India and card, full set of Officials on India, Special Delivery, Postage Due, Newspapers, Post Office Seals, some flaws to be expected especially with the fragile India paper proofs, overall Fine-Very Fine, a wonderful collection and a scarce opportunity to acquire most of the issued plate proofs in one lot, Scott Retail more than \$18,000.00.....**(Photo Ex)** E. 7,500-10,000

1861-69 Issues, Essay Balance (63-E9a, 70-E4a, 71-E2a, 121-E1q var). Five items, first Toppan, Carpenter & Co. 1c Blue, Die Essay on India, cut to shape, deep rich color, unusual traces of gum, magenta penstroke "cancel", small tear at top, otherwise Very Fine, scarce, second Toppan, Carpenter & Co. 24c Lilac, Die Essay on Old Proof Paper, cut to shape, bright color, fresh and Very Fine, scarce, third 30c Black, First Design, Die Essay on India, stamp size, removed from card, intense impression, Fine, ex "Lake Shore", fourth 1869 30c Burgoyne on white wove, perforated and gummed (121-E1q var), also includes No. 68P1, 41 x 44mm and mounted on card, small translucency at top left far from design, Very Fine.....*Not illustrated* 3,700.00

POSTMASTERS' PROVISIONALS

- 1073 (★) **New York N.Y., 5c Black, “ACM” Initials (9X1).** Position 12, unused (no gum), margins all around, intense color on crisp white paper, Very Fine and choice, with 1990 P.F. certificate..... 1,500.00



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1074

- 1074 ☒ **New York N.Y., 5c Black, “ACM” Initials (9X1).** Large margins all around, tied by red square grid cancel and “New-York 5cts. 17 Feb.” (1847) integral-rate circular datestamp with matching “Paid” in arc handstamp on blue folded cover to Philadelphia, Extremely Fine Gem stamp on an attractive cover, with 1999 P.F. certificate..... E. 750-1,000

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- 1075 ☒ **New York N.Y., 5c Black, "AC M" Initials (9X1a).** Large margins to just clear, cancelled and tied by blue pen strokes, bold red "New-York 5cts. 23 Nov." (1845) integral-rate circular datestamp and matching "Paid" in arc handstamp on folded cover **to Liverpool, England**, manuscript "Via Boston" and "Steamer Britannia" (Cunarder departing Boston on Dec. 2, arriving Liverpool Dec. 16), "1/-" shilling due handstamp for British postage, neat strike of "America Liverpool De. 16, 1845" backstamp, light file fold barely affects stamp, Very Fine and attractive use to England, stamp pays postage to Boston, ex Hubbard. Scott Retail \$2,250.00 E. 1,000-1,500
- 1076 ☒ **New York N.Y., 5c Black, "AC M" Initials (9X1a).** Position 1, three full margins, full to just in at bottom, tied by blue penstrokes, red "New-York 5cts. 25 Jan." integral-rate circular datestamp and red "Paid" arc handstamp on green folded cover to Washington D.C., small tear at top, Fine, with 2014 P.S.E. certificate 700.00
- 1077 ☒ **New York N.Y., 5c Black, "A.C.M." Initials (9X1b).** Small initials with periods, large even margins all around, tied by blue penstrokes on folded letter to H.W. Bishop in Lenox Mass., red "New-York 5cts. 25 Aug." (1845) integral-rate circular datestamp, matching "Paid" in arc handstamp, Very Fine, scarce with the small initials, ex Norvin Green..... E. 1,000-1,500



- 1078 ☒ **New York N.Y., 5c Black, Without Signature (9X1e).** Position 22, large margins to clear, intense shade, tied by three thick pen strokes, red “New-York 5cts. 16 Jul.” (1845) integral-rate circular datestamp with matching “Paid” in arc handstamp on folded cover to Albany N.Y., docketing confirms 1845 use, one line of address removed with ink eradicator (possibly contemporary), Very Fine, the **second earliest known use** of the New York Postmaster’s Provisional — the July 15, 1845 EDU is priced in Scott at \$27,500.00 — this is a more affordable substitute and is one of only three recorded in the USPCS census from this second day, ex Weill Brothers and Farrington E. 1,000-1,500
- 1079 **New York N.Y., 5c Black, Without Signature (9X1e).** Large margins to ample, detailed impression, two blue penstroke cancels, Very Fine, with 1985 P.F. certificate 900.00
- 1080 ☒ **New York N.Y., 5c Black on Blue, “ACM” Initials (9X2).** Position 15, huge margins on strongly blued paper including portion of adjoining stamp at top, bottom left corner clipped clear of design, small margin tear at top left, **without pen cancel** and tied by red grid, matching “Paid” in arc and “New-York 5cts. 20 Mar.” (1847) circular datestamp on buff **envelope** to Philadelphia Pa., docketed at left, envelope paper has darkened but stamp is unaffected, Very Fine and scarce, the last printing of the New York provisional was furnished on January 7, 1847, when 100 sheets were delivered, most of the stamps on Gray paper (Scott 9X3) and Blue paper (Scott 9X2) likely come from this last printing, ex Dr. Robertson and from our 1997 Rarities sale, with 1976 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail \$5,750.00 E. 750-1,000



- 1081 ★ **Providence, Rhode Island, 5c Gray Black (10X1).** Position 12, original gum, lightly hinged, large to huge margins all around including bottom right corner sheet margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate (OGph, XF-Superb 95; Postmasters' Provisionals unpriced in SMQ).... 350.00
- 1082 (★) **Providence, Rhode Island, 5c Gray Black (10X1).** Two, large to huge margins, one with **top sheet margin**, other with **bottom sheet margin**, unused (no gum), crisp, impressions, Extremely Fine, latter with copy of 1985 P.F. certificate for sheet.....(Photo Ex) 450.00
- 1083 ★■ **Providence, Rhode Island, 5c & 10c Gray Black, Bogert & Durbin Second Reprint Sheet of Twelve (10X1-10X2R).** Complete sheet with lettering on reverse and printed in 1898, without gum as issued, large margins, Very Fine, only 171 sheets printed 1,000.00

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- 1084 (★) **5c Deep Brown (1 var).** Unused (no gum), large to full margins, intense shade and impression, obviously a First Printing, light diagonal creases at top, Very Fine appearing example of this distinctive shade, with 2005 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail as normal shade..... 2,100.00
- 1085 **5c Brown (1).** Large to full margins, intense shade, neat strike of **blue** grid cancel, Very Fine and choice, with 1979 and 2002 P.F. certificates as Scott 1a (Dark Brown), with 2019 P.S.E. certificate as Scott 1 (Brown, VF-XF 85; SMQ \$500.00 as Red Brown)..... 415.00
- 1086 **5c Red Brown (1).** Full margins, pretty shade nicely complemented by red St. Louis 10c integral-rate circular datestamp, Very Fine and choice, with 1986 P.F. certificate 500.00
- 1087 **5c Red Brown, 10c Black (1, 2).** Three singles of 5c and one of 10c, three with margins large to clear, one 5c just in at top, all but one 5c small faults, Fine-Very Fine appearance, each with 2019 P.F. certificate(Photo Ex) 1,825.00



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- 1088 **10c Black (2).** With **left sheet margin**, other sides full to just clear, **blue** grid cancel, fresh and Fine..... 825.00
- 1089 **10c Black (2).** Large margins to ample, detailed impression, neat strike of red New York square grid cancel, Very Fine, with 1984 P.F. certificate 775.00
- 1090 **10c Black, Sperati Reproduction (Sperati 2).** Gummed, large margins, fresh and Extremely Fine, signed lightly by Sperati..... E. 300-400

1875 REPRODUCTION OF 1847 ISSUE

- 1091°★ **5c Red Brown, Reproduction (3).** Without gum as issued, **stitch watermark**, huge margins including **bottom right corner sheet margins**, brilliant color

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. THIS MAGNIFICENT STAMP HAS BEEN AWARDED THE GRADE OF SUPERB 98 JUMBO BY P.S.E. — ONLY ONE GRADES HIGHER — A STATISTIC THAT HAS NOT CHANGED IN OVER SEVEN YEARS.

Ex Kirke. With 2003 P.F., 2005 and 2019 P.S.E. certificates (Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$4,000.00). Only grades higher and only one other shares this grade (the ex-Whitman copy offered in our Sale 968)..... 900.00



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- 1092 ★ **5c Red Brown, Reproduction (3).** Without gum as issued, large margins, pretty shade, Very Fine and choice, purple backstamp, with 1984 P.F. certificate 900.00
- 1093 ★ **10c Black, Reproduction (4).** Without gum as issued, large margins to ample, fresh and Very Fine, with 1984 P.F. certificate..... 1,100.00



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1851-56 ISSUE

SCOTT 5, GRADED XF 90 JUMBO
THE HIGHEST GRADE AWARDED

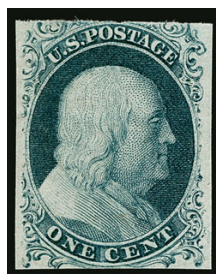
1094 **1c Blue, Ty. I (5).** Position 7R1E, huge margins to barely touched at bottom, including **large sheet margin at top**, with significant parts of adjoining stamps at sides (both of which are Type Ib, Scott 5A), very lightly cancelled by North Cumberland Pa. circular datestamp, all of the type characteristics are clearly visible, gorgeous early color and impression

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. AN EXCEEDINGLY RARE SOUND FOUR-MARGIN EXAMPLE OF THE ONE-CENT 1851 TYPE I, POSITION 7R1E, WHICH IS THE ONLY ONE OF THE 1,000 POSITIONS USED TO PRINT IMPERFORATE ONE-CENT STAMPS THAT SHOWS THE COMPLETE DESIGN. THIS IS WITHOUT QUESTION ONE OF THE FINEST IN EXISTENCE, AND IT IS ONE OF TWO GRADED XF 90 JUMBO BY P.S.E. — THE HIGHEST GRADE AWARDED.

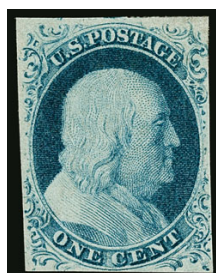
The published census compiled by Jerome S. Wagshal (available at our website at <https://siegelauctions.com/census/us/scott/5>) contains at least 98 unduplicated records of Scott 5. There are probably no more than ten examples existing outside of the Wagshal census population. Therefore, the 1c 1851 Type I is the rarest of all United States stamps regularly issued prior to the 1868 Grills.

Because of the significance attached to the outer portions of the 1c 1851 design, rare types that have been carefully cut apart, so as not to impinge on any part of the design, are extremely desirable. The narrow spacing between stamps in the sheet and the users' indifference to the outlying ornamentation during separation are factors that contributed to the great rarity of four-margin copies. The example offered here comes from a strip of three, Positions 6-8R1E, that was removed from a cover. Examples of Position 7R1E (Scott 5) with large side and bottom margins, where there was very little space between it and the adjoining stamps, are true rarities. In fact, using the census data, it is clear that this stamp is among the two or three finest sound off-cover examples known. The ex-Newbury strip on cover and the ex-Vogel single on cover are among the finest examples of Position 7R1E on cover.

Wagshal Census No. 5-COV-82. Ex Jacobs, Krug and Dr. Kapiloff as part of a strip on cover. With 2008 P.S.E. certificate (XF 90 Jumbo; SMQ \$525,000.00). This is the highest grade awarded and one other shares it (cancelled in red, ex Merlin). Scott Retail is \$65,000.00 and the Scott Catalogue notes "Values for No. 5 are for examples with margins touching or cutting slightly into the design, or for examples with four margins and minor faults. Very few examples with the design untouched exist, and these sell for much more than the values shown." E. 50,000-75,000



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- 1095 ★ **1c Blue, Ty. II (7).** Dark Plate 2 color, original gum, full margins at sides, just in to touched at top and bottom, Very Good, with copy of 1989 P.F. certificate for block of four .. 1,000.00
- 1096 **1c Blue, Ty. II, Major Plate Crack (7 var).** Horizontal pair and four singles, Positions 2-3 (pair), 12, 13, 23 and 33L2, reconstruction of the entire crack, large margins to in, few small faults, Fine-Very Fine and attractive..... 1,920.00
- 1097 ★ **1c Blue, Ty. IV (9).** Recut once at top and twice at bottom, original gum, lightly hinged, margins clear to just touched, lovely shade, fresh and Fine, with 1999 P.F. certificate. 725.00



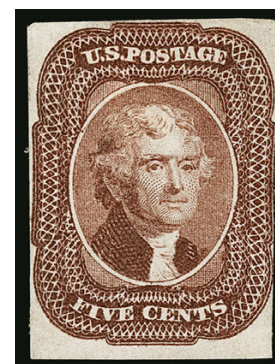
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- 1098 ★★ **3c Dull Red, Ty. II (11A).** Mint N.H., large margins to clear including part of left sheet margin and part of adjoining stamp at top, brilliant color on crisp paper, Very Fine and choice, a rare Mint N.H. example of this issue, we have offered only one other in Mint N.H. condition since 2009, with 2000 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail as hinged 250.00

- 1099 ★ **5c Red Brown (12).** Unused, current certificate states “traces of gum and small stain at top left removed”, this statement is based on the previous certificate this stamp received in 1996 (#302935 - which no longer accompanies), the amount is gum on the stamp is far more than “traces”, as it cover well over half the stamp, full margins to just touching at right

FINE APPEARANCE. A RARE UNUSED EXAMPLE OF THE 1856 5-CENT RED BROWN.

With 2019 P.F. certificate. Scott Retail \$30,000.00 as original gum and \$11,000.00 as no gum..... E. 2,000-3,000



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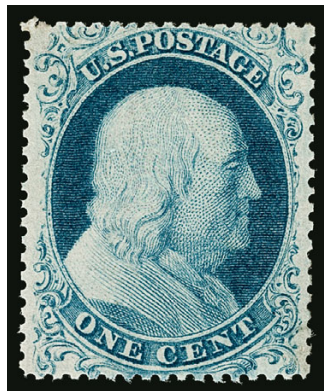
- 1100 ★ **12c Black (17).** Horizontal pair, original gum, barest faint trace of hinging (if at all), incredibly huge margins all around including **sheet margin at right and significant parts of four adjacent stamps**, proof-like impression in a beautiful grayish black shade on bright fresh paper

EXTREMELY FINE GEM PAIR. A SUPERB ORIGINAL-GUM HORIZONTAL PAIR OF THE 12-CENT 1851 ISSUE WITH COLOSSAL MARGINS AND EXTRAORDINARY FRESHNESS.

As this pair amply demonstrates, the spacing between stamps on the plate is very narrow. Most examples (unused and used) have either narrow margins or are cutting into the framelines. This pair, with full original gum and with such large margins, is a remarkable rarity.

2000 P.F. certificate no longer accompanies. With 2012 P.S.E. certificate (OGph, Superb 98 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ as a pair, SMQ \$65,000.00 *as a single*). Scott Retail for a pair is \$17,500.00 E. 15,000-20,000

1857-60 ISSUE



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- 1101° ★ **1c Blue, Ty. I (18).** Plate 12, original gum, lightly hinged, deep rich color, unusually well-centered

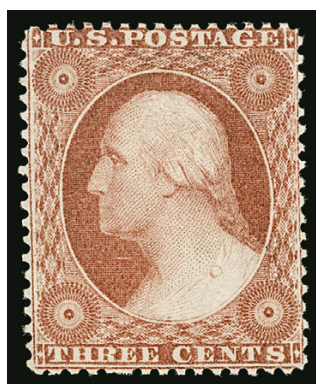
EXTREMELY FINE. A CHOICE AND RARE CENTERED ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE 1857 ONE-CENT TYPE I.

This is a scarce stamp in sound original-gum condition and better than Very Fine centering.

With 2019 P.S.E. certificate (OGph, VF-XF 85; SMQ \$3,350.00). This is the second highest grade awarded to a Scott 18 (highest is 90)..... 2,100.00



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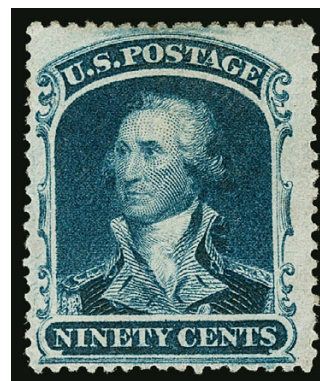
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- 1102 ★ **1c Blue, Ty. II (20).** Plate 12, original gum, lightly hinged, rich color on bright paper, fresh and Fine, with 1989 P.F. certificate..... 850.00
- 1103 **1c Blue, Ty. V (24).** Accumulation of 149 singles, eight pairs and two strips of three, neatly arranged on stock pages, range of shades and cancels including blue, red, carrier, blue and black Star fancy cancels, part of "STEAM/SHIP", "5" numeral, red "Paid" in circle, some faults to be expected but overall Fine-Very Fine and attractive group, Scott Retail with no premium for any colored cancels*Not illustrated* 6,527.50
- 1104 ★ **3c Rose, Ty. I (25).** Redistributed original gum described on accompanying certificate as "previously hinged with part o.g.", deep rich color and detailed impression, well-balanced margins for this difficult issue, Very Fine, with 1993 P.F. certificate ... 2,750.00
- 1105 ★ **30c Orange (38).** Large part original gum which covers approximately three-quarters of the back, vibrant color, Very Fine, with 2016 P.F. certificate..... 1,900.00

- 1106 ★ **90c Blue, Double Transfer at Top (39 var).** Original gum, deep rich color, clearly showing the double transfer at top
VERY FINE ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE 90-CENT 1860 ISSUE, WITH A DOUBLE TRANSFER AT TOP.
With 1981 P.F. certificate..... 3,250.00



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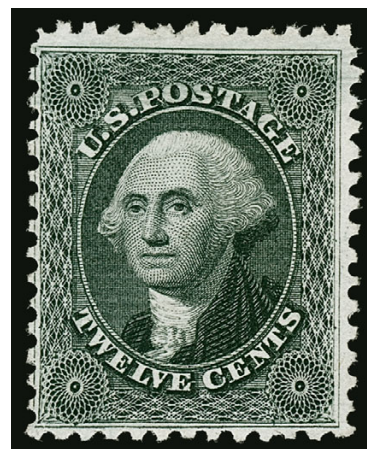
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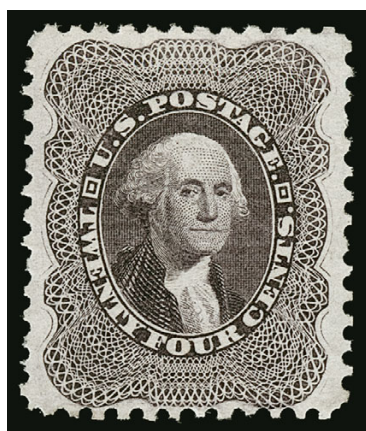


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- 1107 ★ **3c Scarlet, Reprint (41).** Without gum as issued, vivid color on bright paper, margins to just in at top, Fine, only 479 sold, with 1971 P.F. certificate 2,750.00
- 1108 ★ **10c Blue Green, Reprint (43).** Without gum as issued, rich color on bright paper, reperfed at left not mentioned on accompanying certificate, Very Fine appearance, only 516 sold, with clear 1991 P.F. certificate 2,500.00
- 1109 ★ **12c Greenish Black, Reprint (44).** Without gum as issued, intense shade and impression, Fine, only 489 sold, with 1986 P.F. certificate..... 2,750.00



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- 1110 ★ **24c Blackish Violet, Reprint (45).** Beautiful centering and margins, dark shade, negligible nibbed perf tip at right not noted on accompanying certificate, still Extremely Fine, only 479 sold, with clear 1992 P.F. Certificate 3,000.00
- 1111 ★ **30c Yellow Orange, Reprint (46).** Without gum as issued, vibrant color on bright paper, some scissors-separated perfs but intact and fully formed, Fine for this difficult stamp, only 480 sold, with 2000 P.F. certificate..... 3,000.00
- 1112 ★ **90c Deep Blue, Reprint (47).** Without gum as issued, rich color and well-centered, couple of slightly nibbed perfs not mentioned on accompanying certificate, appears Very Fine, only 454 sold, with clear 1978 P.F. certificate..... 3,500.00

1861-66 ISSUE



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1113 ★田 **1c Blue (63)**. Bottom selvage block of 35 with **imprint and plate no. 10**, natural s.e. at left showing part of guideline, original gum, **several stamps Mint N.H.** (we count at least six), some h.r., some perf separations sensibly reinforced including right two vertical rows separated and reattached (affects plate block), center row with five stamps creased

FINE APPEARANCE. A RARE LARGE MULTIPLE OF THE ONE-CENT 1861 ISSUE — THIS IS THE THIRD LARGEST MULTIPLE IN EXISTENCE.

The Evans 1c book notes the existence of a complete pane of 100 from Plate 27 (ex Neinken, Siegel Sale 384). A block of 98 from Plate 9 is also known (ex Lilly, Siegel Sale 321). The book notes that the next-largest multiples are two blocks of 20, as the author was unaware of the block offered here.

Ex Frelinghuysen. Scott Retail as full plate block of eight, four blocks of four, five pairs and a single, with no premium for the Mint N.H. stamps..... 16,175.00

- 1114 **3c Rose (65).** Bright color, bold and almost complete strike of **Two-Cent Coin of Marshall, Mich.** (Skinner-Eno PO-Co 1), few bent perfs at top, Very Fine strike, the postmaster used a 2¢ coin which he inked and impressed on the stamp and cover, the 1861 2c was the first coin minted with the motto "In God We Trust" E. 400-500



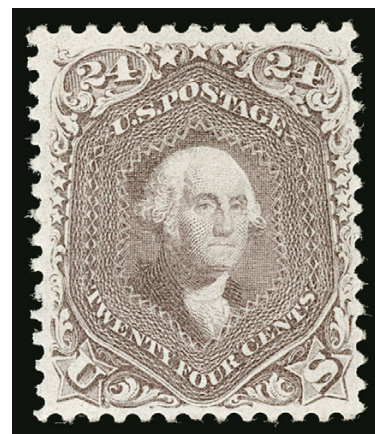
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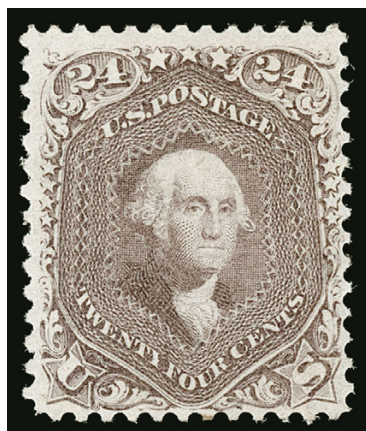
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- 1115 **1861-69 Issues with Fancy Cancels.** 19, including nice group of 3c Rose (65) with range of cancels such as Shield (3 different), "US" in Circle, Healdsburg Flag, "R" of Ridgefield, Mask, "III" in Circle of East Plainfield N.H., Handcuffs of Rockville Ind., other better such as 73 with blue Shield, 113 with "G" of Easton Pa., 116 with unusual segmented cross, 121 with Star, 210 with Jack-o-Lantern, few faults, all are Very Fine strikes (Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 1,500-2,000

- 1116 ★ **24c Brown Lilac (70a).** Original gum, rich color, attractive margins and centering
VERY FINE AND CHOICE ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE 1861 24-CENT BROWN LILAC.
With 2015 P.F. certificate for a pair (the other stamp in the pair is offered in the following lot).. 3,250.00



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- 1117 ★ **24c Brown Lilac (70a).** Original gum, rich color, better centering than usually found in original-gum examples of this issue, fresh and Very Fine, with copy of 2015 P.F. certificate for a pair (the other stamp in the pair is offered in the previous lot)..... 3,250.00



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24c Brown Lilac (70a). Radiant color and detailed impression, near perfect centering, bold strike of **Shield fancy cancel** (S-E PS-SD3)

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A SUPERB USED EXAMPLE OF THE 1861 24-CENT BROWN LILAC WITH A FANCY CANCEL, GRADED XF-SUPERB 95 BY P.S.E.

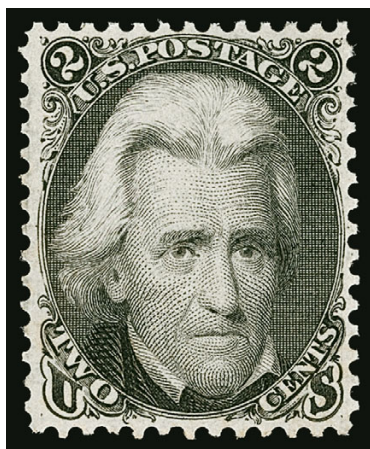
With 2000 A.P.S. and 2006 P.S.E. certificates (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$3,250.00 for normal cancel). Only two grade higher (at 95J and 98, neither has a fancy cancel) and six others share this grade..... 325.00

1119 (★) **90c Blue (72).** Unused (no gum), brilliant color and detailed impression, gorgeous centering with wide and balanced margins, Extremely Fine, a beautiful example of this issue, with 1985 P.F. and 2019 P.S.E. certificates (XF 90; SMQ \$1,700.00)..... 1,200.00



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1120 ★ **2c Black (73).** Original gum, lightly hinged, beautifully centered, crisp impression on bright paper, Very Fine and choice, with 1990 P.F. and 2009 P.S.E. certificates (OGph, VF 80; SMQ \$400.00) 325.00



1120

1121 田 **2c Black (73).** Block of four, well-centered, bold circle of wedges cancels, bottom right stamp either an additional cancel or a small stain in corner, Fine-Very Fine, an attractive used block, much scarcer than an unused block despite the similar Scott Retail value... .. 2,000.00



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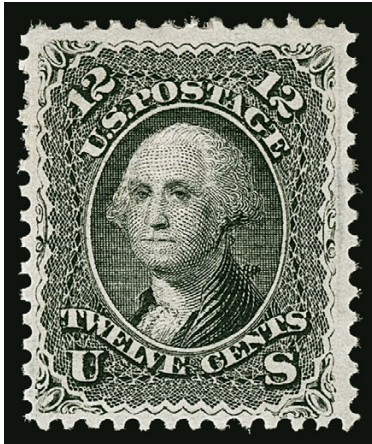
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1122 ★田 **24c Gray (78b).** Block of sixteen, original gum, few h.r., one possibly Mint N.H., several lightly hinged, rich color, couple small faults including light diagonal crease affecting three at top and one towards bottom with toned spot

VERY GOOD CENTERING. THIS IS THE LARGEST RECORDED UNUSED MULTIPLE OF THE 1862 24-CENT GRAY. A WONDERFUL SHOWPIECE.

From our 2013 Rarities of the World sale. The Scott Catalogue does not price this shade as a multiple. Scott Retail as four blocks of four of the more common Lilac shade is \$72,000.00. E. 7,500-10,000

1867-68 GRILLED ISSUE



1123

- 1123 ★ **12c Black, E. Grill (90).** Large part original gum which covers more than three-quarters of the back, intense shade, attractive centering and margins

VERY FINE. A BEAUTIFULLY CENTERED AND FRESH ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE 1868 12-CENT E GRILL, WHICH IS FAR SCARCER IN THIS CONDITION THAN ITS F GRILL COUNTERPART.

With 2015 P.F. certificate for a pair..... 4,750.00

- 1124 ★田 **2c Black, F. Grill (93).** Block of four, original gum, bottom pair **Mint N.H.**, top pair single hinge mark between, natural gum wrinkles in bottom pair, couple short perfs at upper right, overall Fine, scarce with Mint N.H. stamps, with 2018 A.P.S. certificate, Scott Retail as hinged block..... 2,600.00



1124



1125

- 1125 **5c Brown, F. Grill, Very Thin Paper (95 var).** Rich color, clear grill, bold strike of "U.S." fancy cancel of Union Springs, Ala. (Skinner-Eno PT-US 20), small repair at bottom right, still a Very Fine strike of this rare fancy cancel on the 5c F Grill E. 300-400

- 1126 ★田 **15c Black, F. Grill (98).** Block of four, original gum (slightly disturbed on the left stamps), crisp impression, some separated perfs reinforced with hinges, top right stamp with faint gum soaks in grill, bottom pair with horizontal crease, Fine appearance, a rare block, with 2019 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail \$35,000.00 E. 2,000-3,000



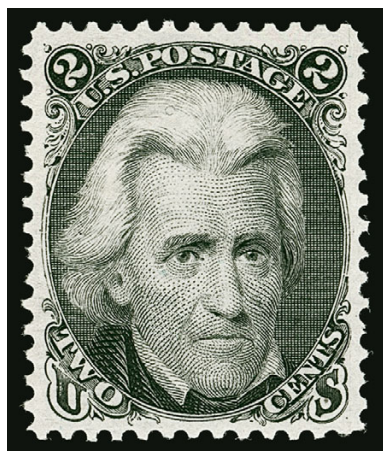
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1875 RE-ISSUE OF 1861-66 ISSUE

- 1127 ★ **1c Blue, Re-Issue (102).** Original gum, wonderful depth of color, wide margins and choice centering, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2016 P.F. certificate (XF 90 XQ) 750.00



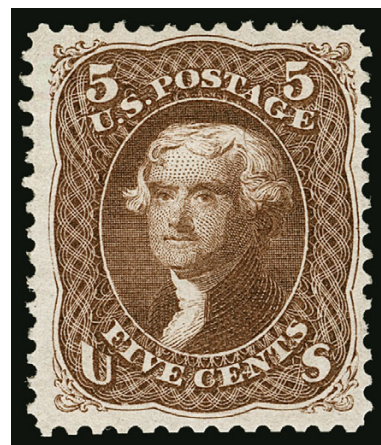
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- 1128 (★) **2c Black, Re-Issue (103).** Unused (no gum), outstanding centering with wide margins, proof-like impression, Extremely Fine Gem — if paper, ink and centering mean more to you than gum, this is the ideal Gem-quality stamp — with 2002 P.F. certificate..... 1,600.00

- 1129 ★ **5c Brown, Re-Issue (105).** Large part original gum which covers most of the back, deep rich color, wide margins, fresh and Very Fine, with 1986 P.F. certificate as “part o.g.” 2,500.00



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 United States Inverted Jenny Postage Positions 15 and 6 Lot 91. 24c Carmine Rose & Blue, Center Inverted (C3a). Position 15, the fifth stamp from the left in the second row of the sheet, original gum, deep rich colors, tiny thin spot just below the plane, faint traces of purple ink above the bottom left "2" (image)	<div>Bid 280000</div> <div>Bid 290000</div> <div>Bid 300000</div> <div>Bid 310000</div> <div>Bid 320000</div> <div>Bid 330000</div> <div>Send a Message to the Auctioneer</div>
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SESSION TWO (LOTS 1130-1457)
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 22, 2019, AT 1:30 P.M.

1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE

- 1130 ★★ **1c Buff (112). Mint N.H.**, radiant color, Very Fine, with 2001 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail as hinged 575.00



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- 1131 ★★田 **1c Buff (112). Mint N.H.** block of four, radiant color, clear grill points, fresh and Fine, ex Bingham, Scott Retail as hinged 5,500.00

- 1132 ★★ **2c Brown (113). Mint N.H.**, balanced margins and choice centering, rich color on bright paper, small natural gum crease not mentioned on either accompanying certificate, Extremely Fine, a scarce Mint N.H. 2c 1869 Pictorial, with 1994 P.F. and 2011 P.S.E. certificates (VF-XF 85; unpriced in SMQ as Mint N.H., SMQ as hinged \$1,000.00), the more common 3c carries a nearly 3x multiple for never hinged versus hinged in 85 grade 500.00



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1133 ★田 **2c Brown (113).** Block of twelve, **bottom two rows Mint N.H.**, h.r. at top center where few perf separations sensibly reinforced, bright color, top left stamp small mended hole FINE-VERY FINE APPEARANCE. AN IMPRESSIVE BLOCK OF TWELVE OF THE 2-CENT 1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE, WITH THE BOTTOM EIGHT STAMPS IN PRISTINE MINT NEVER-HINGED CONDITION.

Any multiple larger than a block of four is rare.

Ex "European" and Eubanks. With 2004 P.S.E. certificate. Scott Retail as two hinged blocks of four and two hinged pairs. 9,700.00



1134

1134 ★田 **2c Brown (113).** Block of four, **three stamps Mint N.H.**, top left stamp may be lightly hinged, deep rich color, fresh and Fine-Very Fine, an attractive block with at least three Mint N.H. stamps, with 1984 P.F. certificate stating "it is genuine", Scott Retail as hinged 3,750.00



1135

1135 ★田 3c Ultramarine, Split Grill (114 var). Bottom imprint, plate no. 26 and part arrow block of twelve, all stamps are **Split Grill** variety, full original gum, **six stamps including center four Mint N.H.**, bright white paper and rich color

VERY FINE AND CHOICE. A RARE IMPRINT AND PLATE NUMBER BLOCK OF TWELVE OF THE 3-CENT 1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE.

Ex Rose and Dr. Heimbürger. With 1997 and 2013 P.F. certificates, the latter stating "Mint N.H." (but only six stamps are Mint N.H.) Scott Retail as plate block of ten and pair with no premium for the six Mint N.H. stamps or the split grills. 8,025.00



1136

1136 ★田 **3c Ultramarine, Split Grill (114 var).** Block of 20 in 5 x 4 format, original gum, a number of stamps Mint N.H. including Positions 7-10, 11-15, 17 and 19, small h.r. on positions 3 and 18, Positions 14-15 and 19-20 (the lower right block of four) are the **Split Grill** variety, well-centered with the upper right and lower right quadrants particularly choice, bright and fresh in every respect

VERY FINE-EXTREMELY FINE. A BEAUTIFUL BLOCK OF 20 OF THE 3-CENT 1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE WITH MINT NEVER-HINGED STAMPS AND FOUR SHOWING SPLIT GRILLS.

With 2006 P.F. certificate. Scott Retail as blocks and pairs without premium for the Mint N.H. stamps..... 6,850.00



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- 1137 ★ 3c Ultramarine (114). Block of twelve with “NATIONAL BANK NOTE CO. NEW YORK” imprint selvage at top, original gum, few h.r., few stamps Mint N.H., bright color, perf flaws at right, light diagonal crease in selvage only at upper left, otherwise Fine-Very Fine, ex Frelinghuysen, Scott Retail as two blocks of four and two pairs..... 3,550.00
- 1138 ★ 3c Ultramarine, Split Grill (114 var). Block of four with top selvage, top stamps show part grill at bottom, bottom stamps show part grill at top and bottom, original gum, rich color, Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail as normal block 1,250.00

- 1139 ★ 6c Ultramarine (115). Original gum, lightly hinged, well-balanced margins, bright and fresh
 VERY FINE AND CHOICE ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE 6-CENT 1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE.
 With 2015 P.F. certificate for a pair (the other stamp in the pair is offered in the following lot) ... 2,500.00



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- 1140 ★ 6c Ultramarine (115). Original gum, lightly hinged, attractive margins and centering on fresh paper
 VERY FINE ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE 6-CENT 1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE.
 With copy of 2015 P.F. certificate for a pair (the other stamp in the pair is offered in the previous lot) 2,500.00



1141

- 1141 ★田 **12c Green (117)**. Block of nine with full “National Bank Note Co. New York” imprint bottom selvage, original gum which is naturally short on bottom three stamps, bright shade, some expertly reinforced perf separations

VERY GOOD. AN EXTREMELY RARE BLOCK OF NINE OF THE 12-CENT 1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE. ESPECIALLY SCARCE WITH THE IMPRINT SELVAGE. THIS IS THE SECOND-LARGEST UNUSED MULTIPLE AND THE ONLY RECORDED IMPRINT BLOCK.

The Rose book notes only six unused blocks larger than four stamps, including off-center blocks of twelve and nine and three blocks of six. We sold another block of nine in our 2013 Rarities sale that is not listed in Rose. All but one of the blocks of six or larger are off center to varying degrees. The block offered here is the only one showing any part of the imprint (there are no blocks showing a plate number).

Scott Retail as a block of four, two pairs and a single 23,850.00



1142

- 1142 ★田 **12c Green (117)**. Two vertical pairs rejoined into a block of four, slightly disturbed original gum, h.r., rich color, bottom right stamp faint diagonal crease, Fine appearance, a scarce multiple, Scott Retail as two pairs..... 8,000.00



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- 1143 **15c Brown & Blue, Ty. I (118).** Wide margins and choice centering, rich colors, light cork cancel leaves vignette completely unobscured, most recent certificate notes a faint corner crease at top left, which is barely evident when drying, Extremely Fine appearance, with clear 1999 and 2002 P.F. certificates, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate noting the faint crease 800.00
- 1144 **15c Brown & Blue, Ty. II (119).** Wide margins and choice centering, deep rich colors and proof-like impressions, neat strike of target cancel at bottom leaves entire design clearly visible, Extremely Fine, ex "Natalee Grace", with 2002 P.F. and 2012 P.S.E. certificates — the 2012 certificate at one time stated "XF 90", but the certificate was replaced with one without the grade, probably because giving this magnificent stamp a 90 grade is like giving Sofia Vergara a 7..... 190.00



1145

- 1145 **15c Brown & Blue, Ty. II, Center Inverted (119b).** Particularly rich frame and vignette colors, **Small Star fancy cancel** leaves inverted design clearly visible, light horizontal creases

FINE APPEARANCE. A FRESH AND ATTRACTIVE USED EXAMPLE OF THE 15-CENT 1869 PICTORIAL INVERT. ESPECIALLY DESIRABLE WITH THE STAR FANCY CANCEL.

Our census of Scott 119b, available at our website at <http://siegelauctions.com/census/us/scott/119b>, records three unused and 100 used copies (there are an additional three used examples of Scott 119c). Two of the used copies are in institutions — the Tapling Collection at the British Library and the Miller Collection at The New York Public Library.

Census No. 119b-CAN-42. With 1973 and 2010 P.F. certificates..... 22,500.00



1146

1146 田 **24c Green & Violet (120).** Block of four, deep rich colors on bright paper, cork cancels, centered to right, few expertly rejoined perf separations

FINE. A RARE SOUND USED BLOCK OF FOUR OF THE 24-CENT 1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE. ONLY SIX USED BLOCKS ARE RECORDED.

The six recorded used blocks of the 24c 1869, excluding the unique Invert block, are listed here (identified by last known pedigree): 1) ex Rose, VF centering, fancy circle of V's cancel neatly struck on each stamp, minor wrinkling causing light creasing, top right stamp small margin tear, offered in Siegel Sale 794; 2) ex Bechtel and Dr. Heimburger (Siegel Sale 1054, lot 444), EF centering, circular cork cancels over each vignette; 3) ex Ishikawa, Eubanks and Curtis (Siegel Sale 1084, lot 3339), VF centering, circle of wedges cancel, left stamps few small tears; 4) ex Anderson, Fine centering to top right, circle of wedges cancel; 5) ex Klein, Fine centering to left, quartered cork cancels, light corner crease at bottom right and several rejoined perfs; and 6) ex Lopez and our 1965, 1992 and 2001 Rarities sales, perfs cutting in at right, cork cancels, the block offered here.

Ex Lopez and Price. With 1990 P.F. certificate 20,000.00



1147

1147 (★)田 30c Ultramarine & Carmine, Double Paper, Without Grill (121 var). Top sheet-margin block of eight with “NATIONAL BANK NOTE CO. NEW YORK” imprint in Ultramarine, deep rich colors characteristic of this printing without grill on double paper (which is evident along the top edge of sheet selvage), unused (no gum), neat hinge reinforcements, natural pre-printing paper creases visible when held to light, centered to top right

ONE OF TWO RECORDED TOP SHEET-MARGIN BLOCKS OF THE 30-CENT 1869 PICTORIAL WITHOUT GRILL ON DOUBLE PAPER (SCOTT 121 VARIETY), PRINTED FROM A FLAGS PLATE (ULTRAMARINE COLOR) THAT WAS MISSING THE PLATE NUMBER “21” AT TOP.

The 30c 1869 Pictorial Issue was printed from separate plates: the Eagle and Shield plate with imprint at bottom (in Carmine), and the Draped Flags plate with imprint at top (in Ultramarine). The 30c 1869 Double Paper/Without Grill variety exists in top and bottom imprint multiples, which show that the Flags plate did not have a plate number at one point (as evident in this block); however, plate proofs exist with the “No. 21” present, so it is possible that issued stamps exist with the plate number at top in Ultramarine. No top-margin examples of the normal 30c 1869 are known, with or without imprint or plate number. Therefore, it is impossible to say with certainty that the regular 30c stamps were printed from a Flags plate with plate numbers or without.

This block, three other sheet-margin blocks and a number of singles and interior blocks originate from a large multiple spanning the right and left panes, which is printed on experimental double paper without grill. The 30c 1869 Without Grill/Double Paper block was described by John N. Luff in his book, but over the years, stamps from this multiple have been offered and certified as the Scott 121a on ordinary single-layer paper (without grill). The ex-Zoellner left-pane plate number block of six was originally joined with the ex-Ishikawa block of fifteen from the adjacent right pane. They are both the Without Grill/Double Paper variety. Those two bottom sheet-margin multiples and the Scott 121 multiple in Sale 1118 lot 98 are the only extant 30c 1869 Pictorial blocks, other than proof impressions, that show the imprint and plate number 21. The two top sheet-margin multiples, including the block offered here, come from the same Without Grill/Double Paper sheet (left and right panes), proving that this experimental printing was made from a Flags plate lacking the plate number. See *Chronicle* 217 for an article by Scott R. Trepel on this subject.

With 2003 P.F. certificate identifying this as “Scott 121E, Essay on Double Paper” before there was a Scott listing for this variety (now listed under Scott 121). Ex Walske, “Lake Shore” and Price. Scott Retail for eight original gum singles \$56,000.00... E. 7,500-10,000



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90c Carmine & Black (122). Perfectly centered with Jumbo margins, rich colors and crisp impressions, virtually face-free strike of cork cancel leaves entire design clearly visible

EXTREMELY FINE GEM APPEARANCE. A STUNNING USED EXAMPLE OF THE 90-CENT 1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE, GRADED SUPERB 98 JUMBO BY P.S.E.

A missing 1997 P.F. certificate stated "small corner creases" and their 2019 update maintained part of this opinion, stating a single "faint corner crease at top left". If the faint crease is there it is all but undetectable and is not noted on the 2008 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$29,000.00). 1,800.00

1875 RE-ISSUE OF 1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE

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6c Blue, Re-Issue (126). Crisp impression on bright paper, bold strike of duplex cancel, completely sound
VERY FINE USED EXAMPLE OF THE 6-CENT 1869 PICTORIAL RE-ISSUE.

The 6c is the one of the rarest of the set in used condition. SMQ estimates that approximately 30 exist in used condition, which in our experience is a fairly accurate accounting.

With 2015 P.F. certificate (F-VF 75) 3,000.00



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10c Yellow, Re-Issue (127). Original gum, vivid color and detailed impression on bright paper, choice centering with well-balanced margins, Extremely Fine, a stamp with great eye appeal, with 1988 and 2004 P.F. and 2019 P.S.E. certificates (OGph, VF 80; SMQ \$1,750.00) — only 80? We find P.S.E. consistently undergrades the asymmetrical 10c and 30c 1869 designs — this is a solid 90+ stamp..... 1,600.00

1151 (★) **24c Green & Violet, Re-Issue (130).** Unused (regummed), incredibly well-centered, magnificent colors and impression

EXTREMELY FINE GEM UNUSED EXAMPLE OF THE 24-CENT 1869 PICTORIAL RE-ISSUE.

With 1990 P.F. certificate as original gum. 2008 P.F. certificate as regummed no longer accompanies. With 2009 P.S.E. certificate as regummed (RG, XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$2,750.00 as no gum)....
..... 900.00



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- 1152 ★ **90c Carmine & Black, Re-Issue (132).** Original gum, intense shades, centered to left but clear of design, fresh and Fine, with 1976 and 2011 P.F. certificates 3,750.00



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- 1153 (★) **90c Carmine & Black, Re-Issue (132).** Unused (regummed), rich colors and detailed impressions on bright paper

EXTREMELY FINE UNUSED EXAMPLE OF THE 90-CENT 1869 PICTORIAL RE-ISSUE.

With 2010 P.S.E. certificate (XF 90; SMQ \$3,000.00) 1,500.00

- 1154 **90c Carmine & Black, Re-Issue (132).** Deep rich colors on bright paper, light strike of **magenta cancel**, faint corner crease at bottom right

FINE APPEARANCE. A RARE USED EXAMPLE OF THE 90-CENT 1869 PICTORIAL RE-ISSUE WITH A MAGENTA CANCEL.

SMQ estimates that approximately 40 used copies exist and our own experience confirms this estimate. Most are either off-center or have small faults and nearly all have black cancels. A Power Search review found only two other used examples with any kind of colored cancel — also a magenta/purple cork.

Ex Anderson and Ainsworth. With 1978 and 1992 P.F. certificates. Scott Retail with no premium for the colored cancel 6,000.00



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- 1155 ★ **1c Brown Orange, 1881 Re-Issue (133a).** Without gum as issued, wide and well-balanced margins, Extremely Fine, with 1989 P.F. certificate... 325.00

1870-88 BANK NOTE ISSUES



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- 1156 ★ **3c Green (147).** Original gum, lightly hinged, outstanding centering and margins, deep rich color, Extremely Fine, an extremely difficult stamp to find unused in the higher grades, with 1980 P.F. and 2011 P.S.E. certificates (XF 90; SMQ \$650.00), this is the highest grade awarded and is shared by only four others, also the only example at this grade we have offered in six years, SMQ does not even price this issue above the grade of 90..... 225.00
- 1157 **24c Purple (153).** Brilliant color complemented by red New York Foreign Mail Geometric cancel, fresh and Very Fine 235.00



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- 1158 田 **90c Carmine (155).** Horizontal block of eight, beautifully centered, deep rich color, cork cancels, tiny corner crease at upper left of top left stamp
 VERY FINE. THIS IS THE FINEST USED BLOCK OF THE 1870 90-CENT UNGRILLED NATIONAL BANK NOTE COMPANY ISSUE.
 Ex "Mercedes". With 2006 P.F. certificate. Scott Retail as two blocks of four..... 4,500.00
- 1159 ★★ **6c Dull Pink (159).** Mint N.H., bright color, attractive wide margins and centering, Very Fine, with 1997 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail as hinged 375.00



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1160°★★ **10c Brown (161). Mint N.H.**, deep rich shade, extra wide and beautifully proportioned margins on post office fresh paper

EXTREMELY FINE. AN EXCEEDINGLY RARE MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 1873 10-CENT CONTINENTAL BANK NOTE ISSUE, GRADED XF 90 BY P.S.E. VERY FEW ARE KNOWN IN MINT NEVER-HINGED CONDITION AND EVEN FEWER WITH CENTERING THAT CAN BE DESCRIBED AS EXTREMELY FINE.

We have offered only approximately half a dozen single Scott 161's in Mint N.H. condition since keeping computerized records. This example bears the highest numerical grade of any we have offered.

With copy of 2016 P.F. certificate for a block of four (this the top left stamp). With 2019 P.F. certificate (XF 90). Scott Retail as hinged..... 800.00

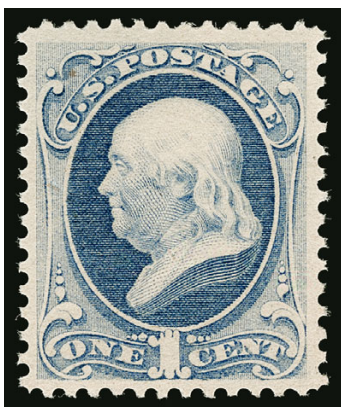


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1161 ★ **90c Rose Carmine (166).** Original gum, lightly hinged, radiant color, wide and balanced margins

EXTREMELY FINE. A BEAUTIFUL ORIGINAL GUM EXAMPLE OF THE 90-CENT 1873 CONTINENTAL BANK NOTE COMPANY ISSUE.

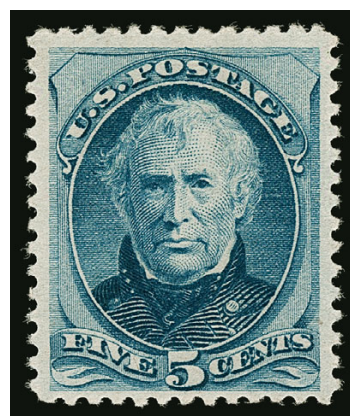
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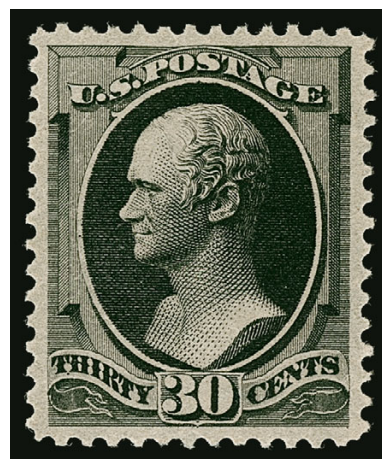
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- 1162 ★★ **1c Dark Ultramarine (182).** Mint N.H., rich color, wide margins, small inclusion at top left not mentioned on accompanying certificate, Very Fine and choice, with 1993 P.S.E. certificate..... 675.00
- 1163 ★★ **2c Vermilion (183).** Mint N.H., bright color, small inclusion at top left not mentioned on accompanying certificate, Very Fine and choice, with 1989 P.F. certificate 370.00
- 1164 ★★ **5c Blue (185).** Mint N.H., deep rich color and sharp proof-like impression, wide margins, fresh and Very Fine, with 1983 and 1997 P.F. certificates..... 1,400.00

- 1165 ★ **30c Full Black (190).** Original gum, lightly hinged, intense shade and detailed impression, remarkably choice centering with wide and balanced margins

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A BEAUTIFUL ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE 1879 30-CENT AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY REGULAR ISSUE, GRADED XF-SUPERB 95 BY P.S.E.

With 2000 P.F. and 2011 P.S.E. certificates (OGph, XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$3,250.00). Only two grade higher (at 95J and 98) and only two others share this grade. 850.00



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- 1166 ★ **7c Scarlet Vermilion, Special Printing (196).** Without gum as issued, rich color

FRESH AND FINE EXAMPLE OF THE 7-CENT 1880 AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY SPECIAL PRINTING.

Our census of Scott 196 contains fewer than 85 examples. With 2006 P.F. and 2008 P.S.E. certificates (F 70; SMQ \$5,850.00)..... 6,750.00



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- 1167 ★ **10c Brown (209).** Original gum, lightly hinged, uncharacteristically wide margins and nearly precise centering, fresh, lovely color, Extremely Fine, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate (OGph, XF 90; SMQ \$420.00)..... 160.00
- 1168 **10c Dark Brown (209).** Deep rich color, essentially perfect centering with wide margins, duplex cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb used example of this issue, with 2012 P.S.A.G. certificate (Superb 98)..... 10.00
- 1169 (★) **10c Black Brown (209b).** Unused (no gum), deep rich color in this distinctive premium shade, wide margins, Very Fine, with 2003 A.P.S. certificate..... 950.00

- 1170 ★ **2c Pale Red Brown, Special Printing, Horizontal Pair, Imperforate Between (211Bc).** Original gum, lightly hinged, brilliant color

VERY FINE AND CHOICE ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THIS IMPERFORATE-BETWEEN ERROR.

The vast majority of these error pairs are centered to the top. This example is centered better than most.

Ex Hoffman. "HFC" (H. F. Colman) backstamps. With 2005 P.F. certificate..... 2,000.00

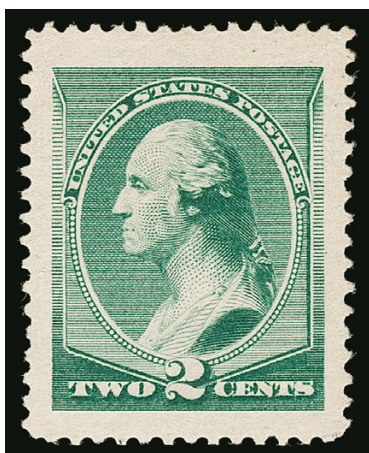


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- 1171 ★★田 **2c Green (213).** Mint N.H. horizontal block of 15 (5 x 3), range of centering with a few well-centered, fresh and Fine-Very Fine, the bottom right stamp Extremely Fine, with 2010 Weiss certificate, Scott Retail as singles..... 1,800.00



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- 1172 ★ **2c Green (213).** Original gum, barely hinged, Jumbo beautifully balanced margins on fresh paper, Extremely Fine Gem, a huge and superb stamp, with 1992 P.F. and 2007 P.S.E. certificates (OGph, Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$500.00), this is the highest grade awarded to a hinged Scott 213 with no others equal (one Mint N.H. grades 98J and one grades 100) 40.00
- 1173 ★★ **5c Indigo (216).** Mint N.H., well-centered, rich color, Very Fine, with 1993 P.S.E. certificate..... 625.00

- 1174 ★ **90c Purple (218).** Original gum, choice centering with balanced margins, rich color and sharp proof-like impression, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2000 P.F. and 2019 P.S.E. certificates (OGph, XF 90; SMQ \$1,800.00) 850.00



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1890-93 ISSUE



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- 1175 ★★ **2c Carmine, Cap on Left "2" (220a).** Mint N.H., outstanding centering with Jumbo margins, bright shade on post office fresh paper

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A SUPERB MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 2-CENT 1890 ISSUE WITH CAP OVER THE LEFT "2", GRADED XF-SUPERB 95 JUMBO BY P.S.E. THIS IS THE HIGHEST GRADE AWARDED.

With 1992 P.F. and 2011 P.S.E. certificates (XF-Superb 95 Jumbo; SMQ \$3,600.00). This is the highest grade awarded to an unused Scott 220a in any gum category and it is shared by no others 425.00



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1176 ★★ **5c Chocolate (223).** Mint N.H., mathematically perfect centering with Jumbo margins, deep rich color on crisp paper, fresh in every respect

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. THIS MAGNIFICENT MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 5-CENT 1890 ISSUE IS GRADED GEM 100 JUMBO BY P.S.E. — THIS IS THE HIGHEST GRADE POSSIBLE. A TRUE CONDITION RARITY.

With 1992 P.F. and 2011 P.S.E. certificates (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 100, SMQ \$14,500.00 as 100). This is the highest grade possible and only two other Scott 223's shares this grade (one is ex "Hanover"). In fact, there are no other Mint N.H. stamps graded 100J among all the denominations of the 1890-93 Issue 185.00



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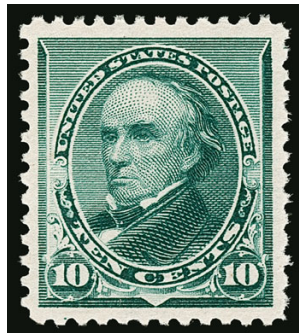
1177 ★★ **5c Chocolate (223).** Mint N.H., choice balanced margins, rich color

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A GORGEOUS MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF SCOTT 223, GRADED SUPERB 98 BY P.S.E.

With 1994 P.F. and 2019 P.S.E. certificates (Superb 98; SMQ \$6,000.00). Only seven have graded higher (four at 98J and three at 100J) and only one other shares this grade..... 185.00



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1178 ★★ **5c Chocolate (223).** Mint N.H., outstanding centering, incredibly fresh with beautiful color and impression, Extremely Fine Gem, with 1996 P.F. and 2011 P.S.E. certificates (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$1,850.00)..... 185.00

1179 ★★ **10c Green (226).** Mint N.H., wide margins and outstanding centering, bright and fresh, Extremely Fine, with 2000 P.F. and 2019 P.S.E. certificates (XF 90 Jumbo; SMQ \$2,800.00) 475.00

1180 ★ **15c Indigo, Imperforate (227a).** Vertical pair, unused (no gum), Fine-Very Fine, with 2005 P.S.E. certificate 625.00

1181°★★ **30c Black (228).** Mint N.H., intense shade and impression, choice centering with Jumbo margins, fresh and Extremely Fine, with 1999 P.F. and 2016 P.S.E. certificates (VF-XF 85 Jumbo; SMQ \$1,950.00) 850.00

COLUMBIAN ISSUE



- 1182 ★★ **1c Columbian (230).** Mint N.H., rich color on brilliant paper, gorgeous centering with wide margins, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$1,150.00), only five grade higher (all at 98J) 32.50
- 1183 ★ **2c-\$4.00 Columbian (231-236, 238-241, 244).** 2c thru 8c Mint N.H. (with extra 2c showing Broken Hat), 15c thru \$1.00 original gum, \$4.00 regummed, attractive centering and margins throughout, overall Fine-Very Fine, two P.F. certificates accompany (Photo Ex) 3,593.50

- 1184 ★★ **3c Columbian (232).** Mint N.H., deep rich color and proof-like impression, almost mathematically perfect centering
- EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A SUPERB MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 3-CENT COLUMBIAN ISSUE, WHICH HAS BEEN GRADED SUPERB 98 BY P.S.E.
- With 2011 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$2,000.00)..... 135.00



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- 1185 ★★ **5c Columbian (234).** Mint N.H. with right selvage, rich color, well-balanced margins, Extremely Fine, with 2002 P.F. and 2004 P.S.E. certificates (XF 90; SMQ \$450.00) 140.00
- 1186 ★田 **6c Columbian (235).** Bottom imprint, plate no. 104 and letter "Z" block of eight, original gum, h.r., bright color, unusually choice centering throughout, few perf separations between left pair, slightly toned perf at top, otherwise Extremely Fine..... 1,800.00
- 1187 ★★ **10c Columbian (237).** Mint N.H., crisp impression, choice centering with wide margins, Extremely Fine, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate (VF-XF 85; SMQ \$350.00)..... 250.00



- 1188 ★ **\$2.00 Columbian (242).** Original gum, wide margins, natural straw fiber inclusion is visible on back but barely detectible on front, fresh and Very Fine..... 1,050.00
- 1189 ★ **\$3.00 Columbian (243).** Disturbed original gum, rich color, intense impression, outstanding centering with wide and balanced margins
EXTREMELY FINE GEM ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE \$3.00 COLUMBIAN ISSUE.
With 2019 P.S.E. certificate (DOG, XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$4,800.00). 1,500.00
- 1190 ★ **\$3.00 Columbian (243).** Disturbed original gum, well-centered with balanced margins, Very Fine and choice 1,350.00
- 1191 ★ **\$3.00 Olive Green, Columbian (243a).** Unused (regummed), outstanding centering and margins, fresh color, Extremely Fine, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate (RG, XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$1,550.00), also accompanied by 5c Columbian (234) also regummed and graded 95 1,350.00
- 1192 ★ **\$4.00 Columbian (244).** Original gum, minor h.r., brilliant color on fresh paper, Very Fine and choice, with 1984 P.F. certificate 2,000.00
- 1193 **\$4.00 Columbian (244).** Radiant color, neat strike of "Lynn, Mass. Paid" handstamp, well-balanced margins, Very Fine and choice 950.00
- 1194 ★ **\$5.00 Columbian (245).** Original gum, intense shade and impression, well-proportioned margins
EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A SUPERB ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE \$5.00 COLUMBIAN ISSUE.
With 1974 P.F. and 2019 P.S.E. certificates (OGph, XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$6,750.00). The highest grade awarded is a 98..... 2,300.00



1194

1894-98 BUREAU ISSUE



- 1195 **1c Ultramarine (246).** Massive Jumbo margins and perfect centering, bright color, neat Boston double oval cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp in every respect, ex Kirke and Curtis, with 2005 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$1,400.00), this is the sole example to achieve this desirable grade with none higher, the next highest is 95J 7.00
- 1196 **2c Pink, Ty. I (248).** Brilliant color, gorgeous centering with Jumbo margins, neat duplex cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2014 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95 Jumbo; SMQ \$500.00), only two have graded higher (at 98) and two others share this grade 9.00
- 1197 ★ **2c Carmine, Ty. III (252).** Bottom imprint and plate no. 148 strip of three, left stamp tiny adherence, others Mint N.H., brilliant color, natural short gum on side stamps, Very Fine, Scott Retail as singles..... 935.00
- 1198 ★ **\$1.00 Black (261).** Original gum, lightly hinged, well-centered with balanced margins but most recent certificate states reperfed at left, appears Extremely Fine, with clear 1982 P.F. certificate, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate as reperfed 1,000.00

- 1199★★ **\$1.00 Black, Ty. II (261A).** Mint N.H., intense shade and impression

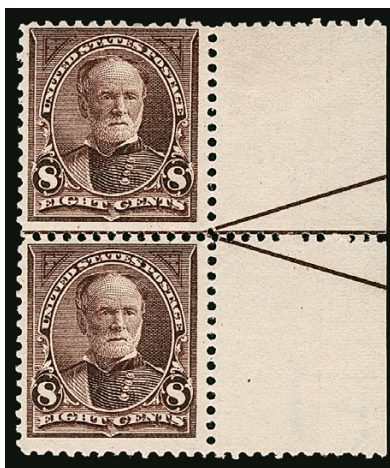
VERY FINE AND CHOICE. A SCARCE MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 1894 \$1.00 TYPE II UNWATERMARKED BUREAU ISSUE.

With 2014 P.S.E. certificate 6,500.00



1199

- 1200 ★ **\$1.00 Black, Ty. II (261A).** Original gum, lightly hinged, nicely balanced margins but most recent certificates states reperfed at top, appears Very Fine, with clear 1987 P.F. certificate, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate as reperfed 2,100.00
- 1201 ★★ **4c Dark Brown (269).** Mint N.H., rich color and proof-like impression, wide margins and outstanding centering, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$1,250.00), only four grade higher (highest is 98)..... 125.00
- 1202 **5c Chocolate (270).** Intense color on bright paper, neat strike of registry oval cancel, mathematically perfect centering, Extremely Fine Gem, an outstanding stamp, with 2012 P.S.A.G. and 2019 P.S.E. certificates (Gem 100; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 98J, SMQ \$1,275.00 as 98J)., this is the highest grade awarded and the only example to achieve it 3.50



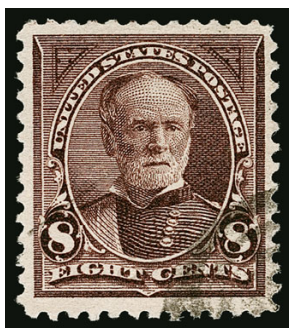
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- 1203 ★ **8c Violet Brown, USIR Watermark (272a).** Vertical pair with **right arrow selva**, showing clear “I” and “R” of watermark in selva, “I” of watermark on top stamp and “S” on bottom stamp, slightly disturbed original gum, deep rich color, top stamp natural gum crease

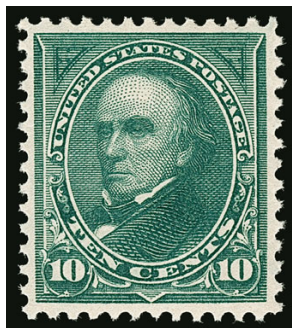
VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A SCARCE ORIGINAL-GUM PAIR OF THE 1895 8-CENT WATER-MARKED BUREAU ISSUE WITH “USIR” WATERMARK.

The “USIR” (United States Internal Revenue) watermark error occurred when a supply of paper reserved for revenue stamp production was used for printing the 6c and 8c postage stamps. There are approximately 75 known of the 8c with approximately ten unused, but many are either off-center or have flaws.

With 2010 P.S.A.G. certificate. Scott Retail for a single watermark error without premium for the bottom stamp or the position piece..... 6,000.00



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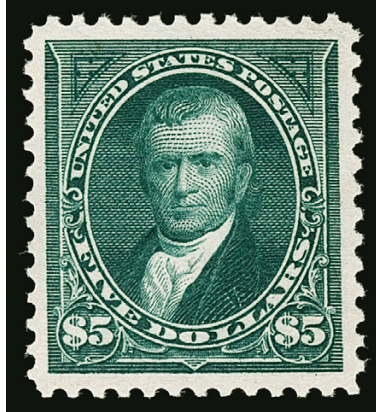


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- 1204 **8c Violet Brown, USIR Watermark (272a).** Showing bold “R” of watermark, deep rich color, choice centering, face-free cancel struck in corner, Very Fine and choice, a beautiful example, the “USIR” (United States Internal Revenue) watermark error occurred when a supply of paper reserved for revenue stamp production was used for printing the 6c and 8c postage stamps, there are approximately 75 known of the 8c, but many are either off-center or have flaws, collectors prefer examples showing the “R” watermark, as this letter is unquestionably from “USIR”, with 1996 P.F. certificate..... 950.00
- 1205 ★ **10c Dark Green (273).** Mint N.H., deep rich color, balanced margins, Very Fine and choice, with 1990 P.F. and 2011 P.S.E. certificates (VF-XF 85; SMQ \$450.00) 280.00
- 1206 ★ **50c Orange (275).** Original gum, lightly hinged, with **bottom part imprint selva**, balanced margins, Extremely Fine, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate as Mint N.H., which it is not (XF 90; SMQ \$450.00 as OGph) 240.00



1207

1207 ★ **\$5.00 Dark Green (278).** Original gum, barest trace of hinging, Jumbo margins and precise centering, deep rich color and sharp proof-like impression on fresh paper

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A TRULY EXCEPTIONAL ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE \$5.00 1895 WATERMARKED BUREAU ISSUE, GRADED SUPERB 98 JUMBO BY P.S.E. THIS IS THE HIGHEST GRADE AWARDED TO THE 1895 \$5.00.

1998 P.F. certificate stating previously hinged and 2011 P.S.E. certificate stating Mint N.H. no longer accompany. With 2019 P.S.E. certificate (OGph, Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$9,500.00). This is the highest grade awarded to a Scott 278 in any gum condition and it is shared by no others 2,000.00



1208

- 1208 ★ **\$5.00 Dark Green (278).** Original gum, deep rich color, reperfed, Very Fine appearance, with 1975 P.F. certificate as sound..... 2,000.00

- 1209° **\$5.00 Dark Green (278).** Deep rich color and detailed impression on bright white paper, essentially perfect centering, unobtrusive registry oval cancel

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A SUPERB USED EXAMPLE OF THE 1895 \$5.00 WATERMARKED BUREAU ISSUE.

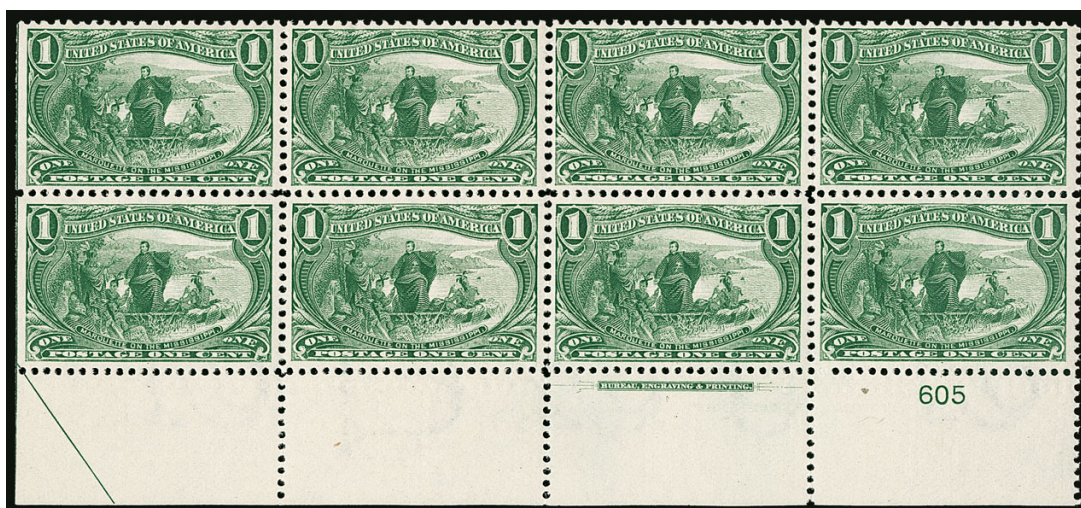
The \$5.00 was usually heavily cancelled or used on heavy parcels which were not treated kindly. The example offered here, with gorgeous centering, rich color, bright paper and an attractive cancel, is a true rarity.

With 2015 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$3,750.00). Only five have graded higher..... 600.00



1209

TRANS-MISSISSIPPI ISSUE



1210

- 1210 ★★田 **1c Trans-Mississippi (285).** Mint N.H. bottom imprint, plate no. 605 and half arrow block of eight, choice centering and margins, brilliant color on fresh paper

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A SUPERB MINT NEVER-HINGED PLATE BLOCK OF THE ONE-CENT TRANS-MISSISSIPPI ISSUE.

With 2013 P.S.E. certificate..... 940.00



- 1211 **2c Trans-Mississippi (286).** Wide margins and precise centering, deep rich color, light wavy-line machine cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$350.00), only five grade higher..... 2.75
- 1212° ★ **\$1.00 Trans-Mississippi (292).** With **top plate no. 606 selvage**, original gum, lightly hinged, deep shade on bright white paper, choice centering with wide and balanced margins, Extremely Fine, wonderful quality with the plate number, with 1980 and 2019 P.F. certificates (XF 90) .. 1,400.00
- 1213 ★ **\$1.00 Trans-Mississippi (292).** Original gum, lightly hinged, deep shade and strong impression, small gum bend (not mentioned on certificate), Very Fine, with 1978 P.F. certificate 1,400.00
- 1214 ★ **\$1.00-\$2.00 Trans-Mississippi (292-293).** Original gum, \$1.00 with attractive centering, light creases vertically at left and at top right corner visible when drying, appears Very Fine, \$2.00 light vertical creases, appears Fine.....**(Photo Ex)** 3,200.00
- 1215 ★ **\$2.00 Trans-Mississippi (293).** Original gum, rich color, Fine, with 1978 P.F. certificate... 1,800.00



1216

- 1216 ★田 **\$2.00 Trans-Mississippi (293).** Block of four, bottom stamps Mint N.H., top stamps lightly hinged, deep rich color
- FINE BLOCK OF FOUR OF THE \$2.00 TRANS-MISSISSIPPI ISSUE, WITH THE BOTTOM STAMPS IN MINT NEVER-HINGED CONDITION.
- Scott Retail as singles 14,600.00

PAN-AMERICAN ISSUE



1217

1217° ★田 **2c Pan-American (295)**. Bottom right corner imprint and plate no. 1078 block of ten with half arrow and markers, “fast train” variety with vignette shifted significantly left — the engine of the train is well into the carmine frame, Fine centering

ONE OF THE MOST DRAMATIC EXAMPLES OF THE 2-CENT PAN-AMERICAN “FAST TRAIN” WE HAVE EVER ENCOUNTERED.

We have offered various examples of this issue with “fast”, “slow”, “high” and “low” trains. However, this example of the fast train variety is the most dramatic we have seen and is especially desirable as a plate block E. 2,000-3,000



1218

1218° ★★ **4c Pan-American (296)**. Mint N.H., perfect centering with balanced Jumbo margins, post office fresh colors and paper

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A STUNNING MINT NEVER-HINGED 4-CENT PAN-AMERICAN, GRADED SUPERB 98 JUMBO BY P.S.E.

The Pan-American Issue is notoriously difficult to find with anything even approaching the term “wide margins”. Most high-grade copies have margins which measure equally, but are not what one would consider wide when compared to other contemporary issues. The stamp offered here, with essentially perfect centering and Jumbo margins, is a dramatic exception to that rule.

With 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ at the 98J grade, SMQ \$5,500.00 for 98 and \$22,500.00 for 100). This is the only stamp at this grade in the P.S.E. Population Report, with only two higher — one 100 and a 100J, both of which have been sold by Siegel this year (100J was in Sale 1199, lot 1404, realized \$28,000 hammer; 100 was in Sale 1206, lot 335, realized \$18,500 hammer). We are surprised that this example did not garner a Gem 100 grade but given its Jumbo margins we would put it next to the Gem 100 in eye appeal. 170.00

PAN-AMERICAN INVERTS



1219

- 1219 ★田 **1c Pan-American, Center Inverted (294a).** Block of four, rich colors, small hinge-reinforced perf separations, insignificant toned perf tips not mentioned on accompanying certificate

FINE AND RARE BLOCK OF FOUR OF THE ONE-CENT PAN-AMERICAN INVERT.

The Pan-American invert was the first bicolored postage stamp produced by the Bureau of Engraving and Printing and the first invert postage error issued by the Post Office since the 1869 Issue. The 1c Pan-American Inverts were found in several post offices around the country. Thirteen blocks of four, a block of six and the block of 20 offered in our 2018 sale of the William H. Gross collection are recorded in our Levi records. Some of the multiples may have been broken into singles by now.

Ex Whitman. With 2001 P.F. certificate. For a history of the 1c Pan-American inverts see <https://siegelauctions.com/2018/1188/101.pdf> 75,000.00



1220

- 1220 ★ **2c Pan-American, Center Inverted (295a).** Bright and fresh, well-preserved original gum with a small h.r. at top, tiny natural inclusion at top left of vignette

FINE. A RARE EXAMPLE OF THE 2-CENT PAN-AMERICAN INVERT IN SOUND CONDITION.

A survey of the Levi records produced 64 single unused stamps (excluding the block of four and rejoined block of four). Many of these were described in auction catalogues more than 40 years ago; therefore, the determination of soundness is uncertain. However, assuming the old descriptions were reaffirmed today, approximately 45% of singles across all centering categories have faults.

With 2007 P.F. certificate. Scott footnote states "Almost all unused copies of No. 295a have partial or disturbed gum. Values are for examples with full original gum that is slightly disturbed." 50,000.00



1221

- 1221 ★ **4c Pan-American, Center Inverted (296a).** Regummed over small repairs, attractive centering and margins

FINE CENTERING. A COLLECTIBLE AND AFFORDABLE EXAMPLE OF THE 4-CENT PAN-AMERICAN INVERT.

The 4c Pan-American Invert was a special printing and not regularly issued. Examples were distributed through two official channels, and the gum on the majority of stamps without "Specimen" overprint was disturbed. In fact, because the stamps were removed from mounting paper, they are generally thinned or have seriously disturbed gum..... 85,000.00

1902-08 ISSUE



- 1222 ★★ **1c Blue Green (300)**. Mint N.H., rich color on post office fresh paper, wide margins and near perfect centering, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$750.00), only two grade higher 30.00
- 1223 ★★田 **6c Claret (305)**. Mint N.H. bottom imprint and plate no. 1598 block of six, fresh and Very Good 1,500.00
- 1224 ★★ **10c Pale Red Brown (307)**. Mint N.H., choice centering and margins, rich color, Extremely Fine, with 2001 A.P.S. certificate 150.00
- 1225 ★田 **\$1.00 Black (311)**. Block of four with bottom selvage, remarkably detailed impression on bright paper, folded along perfs but intact, Fine-Very Fine and attractive 2,750.00
- 1226 ★★ **\$2.00 Dark Blue (312)**. Mint N.H., rich color, appears to be well-centered but achieved through reperfering (most recent certificate states at top and left), appears Extremely Fine, with clear 1994 P.F. certificate ("it is genuine, never hinged") and with 2011 P.S.E. certificate as reperfered at top and left (and Mint N.H.) 2,475.00
- 1227 ★田 **\$2.00 Dark Blue (312)**. Block of four, h.r., deep rich color, Fine-Very Fine and attractive block 3,500.00
- 1228 **\$2.00 Dark Blue, \$5.00 Dark Green (312-313)**. Horizontal strips of three, fresh colors, oval registry cancels, left \$5.00 interpane margin with centerline, both strips with creasing, appear Fine with a couple \$2.00 Very Fine appearance, \$5.00 with 1955 Stolow certificate, Scott Retail as singles 2,595.00



1229

1229 ★田 **\$5.00 Dark Green (313)**. Block of four, deep rich color, few minor perf separations at left

FINE-VERY FINE. A SCARCE BLOCK OF FOUR OF THE \$5.00 1902 ISSUE.

We have offered perhaps a half-dozen others in all of our Rarities sales and our auctions from 1994 onwards..... 11,000.00



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- 1230 ★★ **5c Blue, Imperforate (315)**. Mint N.H. horizontal pair, large margins, rich color, Extremely Fine, with 2001 A.P.S. certificate..... 1,250.00
- 1231 ★ **5c Blue, Imperforate (315)**. Vertical pair, bottom stamp Mint N.H., top lightly hinged, large even margins, rich color, Extremely Fine, with copy of 1989 P.F. certificate for a block of six, Scott Retail as singles 875.00
- 1232 ★★ **5c Blue, Imperforate (315)**. Mint N.H., huge margins including **top part imprint**, rich color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$850.00) 575.00
- 1233 ★★ **2c Carmine, Ty. I, Imperforate (320)**. Mint N.H., Jumbo margins with parts of all surrounding stamps, deep rich color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; SMQ \$350.00 as 100, unpriced in 100J grade)..... 32.50
- 1234 ★★ **2c Scarlet, Ty. I, Imperforate (320b)**. Mint N.H., massive margins all around showing all surrounding stamps, brilliant color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 100, SMQ \$750.00 as 100) 37.50

LOUISIANA PURCHASE—1908-12 ISSUES



- 1235 ★★田 10c Louisiana Purchase (327). Mint N.H. bottom imprint and plate no. 2105 block of ten, the bottom two rows with full selvage, fresh color, Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail as a plate block of six and four singles 5,200.00
- 1236 ★★ 1c Jamestown (328). Mint N.H., deep rich color, choice centering with balanced margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$625.00)... 65.00
- 1237 1c Green (331). Mathematically perfect centering with Jumbo margins all around, rich color and detailed impression, light wavy-line machine cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 100, SMQ \$475.00 as 100), this is the highest grade possible and it is shared by only four others 0.40
- 1238 ★★ 4c Orange Brown (334). Mint N.H., rich color and proof-like impression, gorgeous centering with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2013 P.S.A.G. certificate with top part imprint selvage (graded XF-Superb 95 Jumbo, selvage accompanies) 87.50
- 1239 ★★ 1c Green, Coil (348). Mint N.H. guide line pair, wide margins, fresh and Very Fine, with 1978 P.F. certificate 650.00
- 1240 ★★ 1c Green, Coil (348). Mint N.H. guide line pair, rich color, Fine-Very Fine, with 1979 A.P.S. certificate 650.00



- 1241 ★★ **5c Blue, Coil (351).** Mint N.H. guide line pair, brilliant color, attractive centering and margins, Very Fine, with 1986 P.F. certificate 2,350.00
- 1242° **2c Carmine, Coil (353).** Guide line pair, rich color, neat oval cancels, completely sound, Fine and exceptionally rare, this is easily one of the most difficult Washington-Franklin line pairs to find genuinely used in *any* condition, we sold a Very Fine-Extremely Fine appearing line pair with small faults in the James Depew collection (Sale 1206, lot 390), apart from that example Power Search lists only two others, both with margins cut in at top, faults and rejoined — really not comparable to this sound and intact line pair, with 2001 and 2019 P.S.E. certificates 2,500.00
- 1243 ★★ **5c Blue, Coil (355).** Mint N.H. guide line pair, remarkably choice centering with balanced margins, tiny surface scrape at upper left of right stamp has been colored in along with small parts of the guide line, appears Extremely Fine, 1976, 1999 P.F. and 2004 P.S.E. certificates (XF 90) do not note the problem, 2019 P.F. certificate does note it 3,250.00
- 1244 ★ **10c Yellow, Coil (356).** Bright color, attractive margins and centering, Very Fine example of this scarce coil, with 2019 P.F. certificate 3,250.00
- 1245 **2c Carmine, Bluish (358).** Outstanding centering and margins, deeply blued paper, neat wavy-line machine cancel, Extremely Fine, with 2001 P.S.E. certificate 150.00

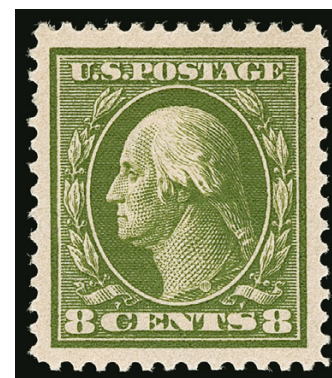


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- 1246 ★ **10c Yellow, Bluish (364).** Lightly hinged, vivid color on deeply blued paper, well-centered, Very Fine and choice, with 2003 and 2011 P.S.E. certificates (OGph, VF-XF 85; SMQ \$1,900.00) 1,600.00



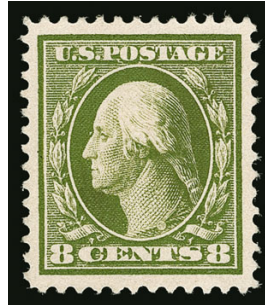
- 1247 ★ **15c Pale Ultramarine, Bluish (366).** Wide margins, fresh color, Very Fine, with 1989 P.F. certificate..... 1,250.00
- 1248 ★田 **15c Pale Ultramarine, Bluish (366).** Block of four, h.r., radiant color on nicely blued paper, Very Fine and attractive..... 6,000.00
- 1249 **2c Lincoln, Bluish (369).** Intense shade on nicely blued paper, neat machine cancel, choice centering, Extremely Fine, with 2016 P.S.E. certificate (XF 90; SMQ \$525.00), this is a very strong 90 (95 in our opinion), accompanied by illustrated ad cover from which this originated.... 225.00
- 1250 ★★田 **2c Alaska-Yukon, Imperforate (370a).** Mint N.H. top imprint and **plate no. 5209** block of six, deep rich color, ample to large margins, typical natural gum bends, Very Fine, the Scott Catalogue began listing this as an **imperforate error** of the perforated Alaska-Yukon Issue in 2016, in a footnote it states "No. 370a comes from error panes found in perforated stock. Plate 5209 was used only to print the perforated Alaska-Yukon Issue. No. 370a can only be collected as a plate-number stamp or multiple. Without an attached plate number 5209, the stamps from this plate cannot be differentiated from No. 371." — there is debate among specialists as to whether this truly constitutes an "error" or is simply an uncommon plate number for the normal imperforate issue (No. 371), in either case this is a very rare plate no. 5209 block and especially desirable from the top position, Power Search lists only two other plate no. 5209 blocks offered in our sales, from the right and bottom positions and sold together in our 2009 sale of the "MLG" collection (before the Scott listing for No. 370a), unpriced in Scott E. 1,000-1,500
- 1251 ★★ **2c Alaska-Yukon, Imperforate (371).** Mint N.H., Jumbo margins all around with portions of all adjoining stamps, bright color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; SMQ \$225.00 as 100, unpriced in 100J grade) 30.00
- 1252 ★★ **8c Olive Green (380).** Mint N.H., intense color and proof-like impression on bright paper, Jumbo margins and precise centering
EXTREMELY FINE GEM MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 1911 8-CENT PERF 12 SINGLE-LINE WATERMARK ISSUE.
With 1995 and 2009 P.S.E. certificates (XF-Superb 95 Jumbo; SMQ \$2,100.00). Only two examples grade higher 225.00



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- 1253 ★★ **8c Olive Green (380).** Mint N.H., radiant color on bright paper, Jumbo margins, fresh and Extremely Fine, with 1999 P.F. and 2014 P.S.E. certificates (XF 90 Jumbo; SMQ \$600.00) 200.00
- 1254 ★ **8c Olive Green (380).** Slightly disturbed original gum, essentially perfect centering with wide margins, rich color on bright paper, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp for the collector who values centering and margins higher than gum, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate (DOG, Superb 98; SMQ \$525.00 for hinged), this is the highest grade awarded to a hinged Scott 380 with only two others equal (one Mint N.H. grades 100J) 90.00
- 1255 ★★ **2c Carmine, Coil (386).** Mint N.H. guide line pair, bottom stamp light pencil Scott no. notation on gum, bright color, wide margins, Very Fine and choice, with 1991 P.F. certificate not mentioning the pencil notation, Scott Retail as Mint N.H. 3,500.00



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- 1256 ★★ **1c Green, Coil (387).** Mint N.H. pair with 3mm spacing, deep rich color on post-office fresh paper, near perfect centering with wide margins
- EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A SUPERB MINT NEVER-HINGED PAIR OF THE ONE-CENT 1910 HORIZONTAL COIL, SCOTT 387, GRADED XF-SUPERB 95 BY P.S.E.
- With 2019 P.F. and 2005 P.S.E. certificates (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$5,500.00). Only one example grades higher (at 98) and no others share this grade 1,050.00



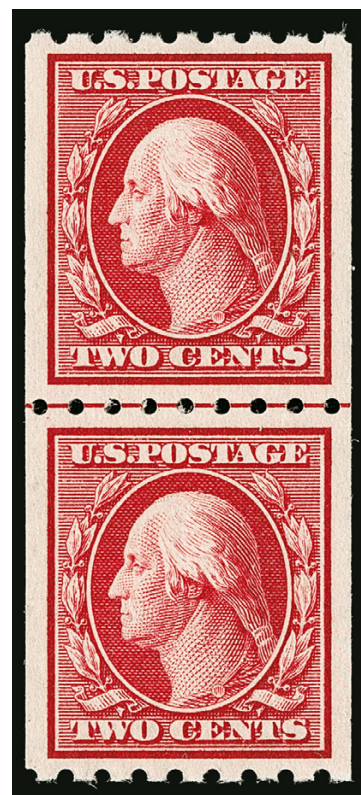
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- 1257 ★★ **1c Green, Coil (390).** Mint N.H. guide line strip of four, exceptional centering, bright color, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb guide line strip, with 2001 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail as Mint N.H. line pair and two singles 100.50

- 1258 ★★ **2c Carmine, Coil (391).** Mint N.H. guide line pair, brilliant color, mathematically perfect centering

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. THIS STUNNING MINT NEVER-HINGED GUIDE LINE PAIR OF SCOTT 391 HAS BEEN GRADED GEM 100 BY P.S.E. — THIS IS THE HIGHEST GRADE AWARDED.

Ex "Hanover". With 2019 P.F. and 2012 P.S.E. certificates (Gem 100; SMQ \$7,500.00). This is the highest grade awarded and it is shared by only one other 575.00



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- 1259 ★田 **10c Panama-Pacific, Perf 10 (404).** H.r., bright color, choice centering, Very Fine block 3,000.00



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- 1260 ★★ **1c Green, Coil (412).** Mint N.H. guide line strip of four, rich color, detailed impression, wide margins, Extremely Fine, with 1998 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail as Mint N.H. guide line pair and two singles..... 365.00



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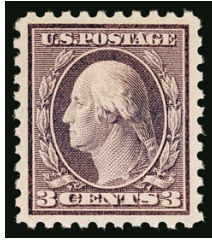
1261 田 **1c Green, Perf 12 x 10 (423A). Block of four**, rich color, centered to top, bold strikes of oval cancels

VERY GOOD. THE ONLY RECORDED USED BLOCK AND ONE OF ONLY TWO RECORDED BLOCKS OF FOUR OF THE 1914 ONE-CENT PERF 12 x 10 ISSUE.

Our census of Scott 423A, available from our website at: <https://siegelauctions.com/census/us/scott/423A>, contains 35 used singles, five used pairs, the unique used block of four offered here and three covers (one with a pair). For unused, nine singles, two pairs and one block of four are known. This remarkable used block was handled by Robert L. Markovits in 1974 and is still the only recorded used block of any of the Compound Perf issues.

Census No. 423A-CAN-BL-01. Ex Twigg-Smith, Chesapeake and "Sirron". With 1974 and 2001 P.F. certificates..... 30,000.00

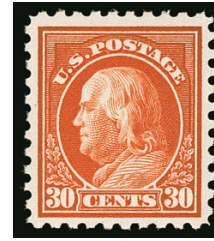
1912-23 AND LATER ISSUES



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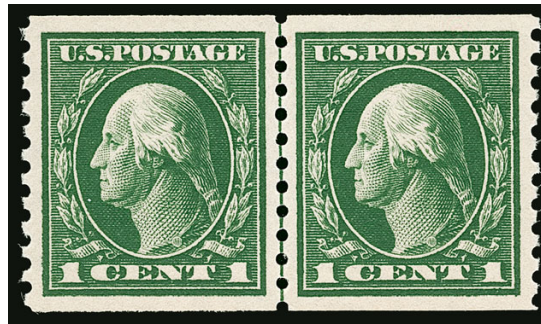


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- 1262 ★★ **3c Deep Violet (426).** Mint N.H., intense shade and impression, beautifully centered with wide margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$950.00), only four grade higher (three at 98J and one at 100J) 32.50
- 1263 **20c Ultramarine (438).** Pretty shade on bright paper, light strike of registry oval cancel, gorgeous centering, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2003 P.F. and 2006 P.S.E. certificates (Superb 98; SMQ \$475.00), only one grades higher (at 98J) and two others share this desirable grade..... 7.00
- 1264 ★ **30c Orange Red (439).** Mint N.H., attractive margins and centering, Very Fine, with 1983 P.F. and 2011 P.S.E. certificates (VF 80; SMQ \$500.00)..... 475.00



1265

- 1265 ★★ **1c Green, Coil (443).** Mint N.H. guide line pair, mathematically perfect centering with beautifully balanced margins, deep shade on bright paper
- EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A STUNNING MINT NEVER-HINGED GUIDE LINE PAIR OF THE 1914 ONE-CENT PERF 10 HORIZONTAL COIL, SCOTT 443, WITH THE PERFECT P.S.E. GRADE OF GEM 100 — THE ONLY EXAMPLE AT THIS GRADE.
- With 2019 P.F. and 2008 P.S.E. certificates (Gem 100; SMQ \$4,100.00). This is the only Scott 443 guide line pair to achieve this perfect grade from P.S.E. with none higher..... 325.00



1266

- 1266 **5c Blue, Coil (447).** Guide line pair, deep rich color and proof-like impression on bright paper, beautiful centering with wide and balanced margins, light wavy-line machine cancel
- EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A SUPERB USED GUIDE LINE PAIR OF THE 5-CENT HORIZONTAL COIL, SCOTT 447. EASILY ONE OF THE FINEST IN EXISTENCE, AND THE ONLY LINE PAIR GRADED XF-SUPERB 95 BY P.S.E.
- Ex "Tahoe". With 1999 and 2019 P.F. certificates. With 2008 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$3,750.00). This is the only used guide line pair to achieve this grade in the P.S.E. Population Report, which is the highest awarded. The next highest graded used line pair drops all the way down to 80 850.00



- 1267 **2c Carmine, Ty. III, Coil (450).** Joint line pair, bright color, well-centered for this very difficult used line pair, duplex cancels, short perf at top mentioned only on P.F. certificate, still Very Fine for this, with clear 2006 and 2008 P.S.E. certificates (F-VF 75), with 2019 P.F. certificate mentioning the short perf, collectors waiting for a superb used line pair of Scott 450 may be in for a long wait, this is the highest grade awarded by P.S.E. and is equaled by only one other 800.00
- 1268 ★★ **2c Carmine Rose, Ty. I, Coil (453).** Mint N.H. joint line pair, vivid color, Fine-Very Fine)..... 1,450.00
- 1269 ★★ **2c Carmine, Ty. III, Coil (455).** Mint N.H. joint line pair, brilliant color, choice centering with balanced margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$400.00), only two grade higher (at 95J and 98)..... 105.00
- 1270 ★ **3c Violet, Coil (456).** Joint line pair, lightly hinged, fresh color and beautifully balanced margins, Extremely Fine, with 1996 P.F. and 2011 P.S.E. certificates (OGph, XF 90; SMQ \$1,500.00))..... 1,250.00
- 1271 **3c Violet, Coil (456).** Joint line pair, parts of two adjoining stamps at sides, neat duplex cancel, Fine and scarce, with 1994 P.F. and 2013 P.S.E. certificates (F 70; SMQ \$1,100.00), only one grades higher (at 85) 3,000.00
- 1272 ★★ **5c Carmine, Error (467).** Mint N.H. single error in a strip of three with two normal 2c, vivid color, fresh and Fine, Scott Retail as a single..... 800.00
- 1273 ★★ **50c Light Violet (477).** Mint N.H., bright color, wide margins, fresh and Very Fine, with copy of 1992 P.F. certificate for a block of four 1,900.00
- 1274 ★★ **\$1.00 Violet Black (478).** Mint N.H., wide and beautifully balanced margins, intense color on bright paper, Extremely Fine, a pretty stamp, with 1980 P.F. and 2011 P.S.E. certificates (XF 90; SMQ \$2,350.00) 1,400.00



1275

- 1275 **1c Green, Boy Scout Private Coil (481 var).** Rich color, bold “New York N.Y.” precancel, thinned at bottom, Fine appearing and very rare, these privately perforated coils were produced for use on mailings by the Boy Scouts of America and are only known with the New York precancel, with 2007 P.F. certificate, unlisted in Scott..... E. 1,000-1,500



- 1276 ★★ **2c Carmine, Ty. II, Coil (487).** Mint N.H. joint line pair, brilliant color, choice centering with wide and balanced margins, joint line is visible but faint at left, still Extremely Fine Gem, with clear 2008 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$1,000.00, the highest grade awarded), with 2019 P.F. certificate stating “joint line only partly visible” (this is the first time we have seen such a comment on a certificate — it seems gratuitous, since this is the way it was printed) 275.00
- 1277 ★★ **4c Orange Brown, Coil (495).** Mint N.H. joint line pair, outstanding centering, brilliant color on fresh paper, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2019 P.F. and 2008 P.S.E. certificates (Superb 98; SMQ \$1,500.00), the highest grade awarded and shared by only five others 160.00
- 1278 ★田 **2c Lake, Ty. I (499h).** Block of four, left stamps Mint N.H., rich color, top right stamp natural inclusion on the gum side, Fine and scarce, with 2014 P.S.E. certificate 3,000.00
- 1279 **2c Deep Rose, Ty. Ia (500).** Brilliant color, neat wavy-line machine cancel, well-proportioned margins, fresh and Extremely Fine, with 2014 P.S.E. certificate (XF 90; SMQ \$375.00) 240.00



1280

1280 **8c Olive Bister, Perf 10 at Bottom (508c).** Bold strike of Chicago registry oval cancel, rich color

FRESH AND FINE. A RARE SOUND EXAMPLE OF THE 8-CENT 1917 ISSUE PERF 10 AT BOTTOM, WITH A POSTAL CANCEL. ONLY TEN SOUND COPIES ARE RECORDED.

Our census, available at <https://siegelauctions.com/census/us/scott/508c>, includes 22 used examples (none are known unused). Ten have postal cancels, and of these only six are confirmed as sound.

Census No. 508c-CAN-11. With 2006 P.F. certificate 9,000.00



1281

1281 ★★ **11c Light Green, Perf 10 at Bottom (511a).** Mint N.H., bright shade, wide margins and beautiful centering

VERY FINE AND CHOICE. A RARE AND DESIRABLE MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 11-CENT 1917 ISSUE PERF 10 AT BOTTOM.

Ex Joyce. With 1977 and 1999 P.F. certificates 7,500.00



1282

1282 **20c Light Ultramarine, Perf 10 at Top (515d).** Transitional perfs at top, four at top left Perf 11, others Perf 10, choice centering for this difficult issue with wide and balanced margins, smeared ink cancel

EXTREMELY FINE. AN EXCEEDINGLY RARE SOUND EXAMPLE OF THE 1917 20-CENT PERF 10 AT TOP, WITH A POSTAL CANCEL. ONLY 13 ARE RECORDED, OF WHICH FOUR HAVE POSTAL CANCELS. ONE OF THE RAREST OF ALL PERF 10 ON ONE SIDE VARIETIES.

Our census of Scott 515d, available at <https://siegelauctions.com/census/us/scott/515d>, contains only thirteen used examples. Nine have precancels. Of the four copies with postal cancels, only this and one other are sound.

Ex "Sirron". Census No. 515d-CAN-08. With 2009 P.F. and P.S.E. certificates. The Scott Catalogue states in a footnote to this issue, "Valued in the grade of Fine." 12,500.00



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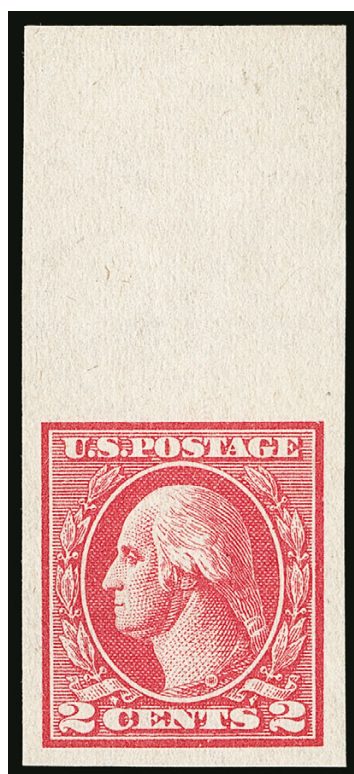
- 1283 **50c Red Violet, Perf 10 at Top (517c).** Bright color, choice centering for this difficult issue, unobtrusive strike of boxed handstamp cancel, faint natural wrinkle at right
- VERY FINE. ONE OF THREE KNOWN EXAMPLES OF THE 50-CENT PERF 10 AT TOP OR BOTTOM VARIETY. NONE ARE KNOWN UNUSED. THIS IS ONE OF THE RAREST OF ALL PERF 10 ON ONE SIDE VARIETIES.
- Our census of Scott 517c, available at our website at <https://siegelauctions.com/census/us/scott/517c>, contains only three certified examples of this rarity. One has a precancel and a small fault. This is the first we have offered since our 2012 auction of the "Natalee Grace" Collection.
- Census No. 517c-CAN-03. With 1980 and 2019 P.F. certificates 17,500.00



- 1284 ★★ **2c Carmine (519).** Mint N.H., rich color, attractive centering and margins, Very Fine for this difficult stamp, with 1989 and 2011 P.S.E. certificates (F-VF 75; SMQ \$575.00)..... 900.00
- 1285 **2c Carmine (519).** Unusually choice centering with wide and balanced margins, neat strike of "Times Square N.Y." oval registry cancel, color is slightly faded from old toning long ago removed from top — this is noted only on the recent P.F. certificate and not on the two P.S.E. certificates, Extremely Fine appearance, with clear 1996 and 2009 P.S.E. certificates (XF-Superb 95), with 2019 P.F. certificate noting the cleaning 1,800.00
- 1286 **2c Carmine (519).** Rich color, light cancel, fresh and Fine, scarce genuinely used, with 1996 P.S.E. certificate..... 1,800.00
- 1287 ★田 **\$2.00 Orange Red & Black (523).** Center line block of four, bottom left stamp Mint N.H., top right stamp light corner crease, bottom right stamp small sealed tear, slight oxidation at right, otherwise Fine, Scott Retail as singles 2,600.00
- 1288 ★田 **\$5.00 Deep Green & Black (524).** Center line block of four, bottom stamps Mint N.H., intense colors and impressions on bright paper, Very Fine and choice, Scott Retail as singles 1,000.00
- 1289 ★★ **2c Carmine Rose, Ty. IV, Imperforate (532).** Mint N.H., massive margins showing significant portions of all adjoining stamps, radiant color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.F. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo) 70.00
- 1290 ★★田 **2c Carmine Rose, Ty. IV, Imperforate (532).** Mint N.H. bottom plate no. 10918 block of six, huge margins all around, two **ghost plate numbers** at bottom, Extremely Fine Gem plate block, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate 625.00



- 1291 ★★田 **2c Carmine, Ty. V, Imperforate (533)**. Mint N.H. top plate no. 11260 block of six, absolutely pristine without any gum bends, large margins, vivid color, Extremely Fine Gem, a beautiful plate block, with 2012 P.F. certificate..... 1,800.00
- 1292 ★★田 **2c Carmine, Ty. V, Imperforate (533)**. Mint N.H. top plate no. 11260 block of six, absolutely pristine without any gum bends, large margins, vivid color, Extremely Fine Gem, a beautiful plate block, with 2012 P.F. certificate..... 1,800.00
- 1293 **2c Carmine, Ty. Va, Imperforate (534)**. Huge even margins all around including parts of six adjoining stamps, neat strike of 1920 Benton Harbor Mich. circular date stamp, Extremely Fine Gem, ex Helton, with 2019 P.F. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo), with 2014 P.S.E. certificate misidentifying the stamp as No. 534A (Gem 100; correct SMQ for No. 534 \$300.00)..... 40.00



- 1294 ★★ **2c Carmine, Ty. VII, Imperforate (534B)**. Mint N.H. with **wide top sheet margin**, large margins other sides, brilliant color

EXTREMELY FINE GEM SHEET-MARGIN MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE SCARCE 2-CENT TYPE VII IMPERFORATE ISSUE.

Most Type VII stamps were used by private vending and affixing machine companies. However, unlike Scott 314A and 482A, a small supply of the imperforate 2c Type VII stamps did reach the public.

With 1988 P.F. and 2011 P.S.E. certificates (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$4,500.00) 3,750.00

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- 1295 ★★ **3c Violet, Ty. IV, Imperforate (535)**. Mint N.H., Jumbo margins all around, deep shade, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2016 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ above 100, SMQ \$125.00 as 100)..... 18.00
- 1296 **No Lot**



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5c Dark Blue, Perf 10 at Top (557c). Rich color, bold “Denver Colo” precancel, choice centering, almost full original gum, light creases and thin spot

EXTREMELY FINE APPEARING EXAMPLE OF THE 1922 5-CENT PERF 10 AT TOP. ONLY TWELVE USED SINGLES ARE CONTAINED IN OUR RECORDS.

At a certain point during production one of the perforating wheels became defective. In the course of repairs part of one perforation wheel was inadvertently changed from Perf 11 to Perf 10. Based on the physical evidence of surviving copies, this was the nineteenth row of pins on the wheel. Many examples of the Perf 10 on One Side rarities show transitional perfs from 10 to 11 or from 11 to 10. This is because the out-of-gauge perforation pins would frequently cross the span of more than one stamp, depending on where the wheel contacted the sheet.

Our census of Scott 557c, available at our website at <http://www.siegelauctions.com/census/us/scott/557c>, contains 13 used singles, four in a used block and one on cover, for a total of 18 copies. Nearly half have faults, leaving fewer than ten sound examples.

Census No. 557c-CAN-07. With 2006 P.F. certificate 9,500.00



1298

1298 **10c Orange, Perf 10 at Top (562c).** Bold “Osage Iowa” precancel, rich color

VERY FINE AND CHOICE. ONE OF THE FINEST EXAMPLES OF THE RARE 10-CENT 1922 ISSUE PERF 10 AT TOP OR BOTTOM VARIETY.

Our census of Scott 562c, available at our website at <https://siegelauctions.com/census/us/scott/562c>, contains four unused singles, 14 used singles, one single in a pair, two pairs and one on cover, for a total of four unused and 20 used. All except one pair and the unique cover have precancels. Of the used examples contained in our records, only five singles, one pair and the cover are sound. The example offered here is one of the finest in existence.

Census No. 562c-CAN-03. Ex Floyd and “Sirron”. With 1960 and 2001 P.F. certificates...
 25,000.00



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1299 ★★田 \$5.00 Carmine & Blue (573). Mint N.H. center line block of four, brilliant colors, choice centering, Extremely Fine, with 2016 P.S.E. certificate..... 720.00

1300 ★★田 \$5.00 Carmine & Blue (573). Mint N.H. left arrow block of four, rich colors, Very Fine, Scott Retail as singles..... 720.00



1301

1301 ★★ 10c Orange, Perf 10 (591). Mint N.H., mathematically perfect centering, just a bare hint of oxidation, still Extremely Fine Gem, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$2,300.00), this is the highest grade awarded and it is shared by only two others.... 85.00

1302 1c Green, Rotary, Perf 11 (594). Rich color, neat wavy-line machine cancel, bottom perfs blunted

FINE CENTERING AND SCARCE USED EXAMPLE OF THE ONE-CENT ROTARY PERF 11 ISSUE, SCOTT 594.

Our census of Scott 594 is available at <https://siegel-auctions.com/census/us/scott/594>. Many have perforations either in on one or more sides, or have faults.

Census No. 594-CAN-26. With 1972 P.F. certificate ... 10,500.00



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- 1303 **2c Carmine Lake, Ty. I, Coil (599b).** Mint N.H. joint line pair with part of **leader tape** attached at left, vivid color, Fine and collectible variety, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate, Scott Retail as normal line pair 950.00
- 1304 **2c Carmine, Joint Line Pair, Ty. I, II (599-599A).** Joint line strip of four, left stamps Ty. II, deep rich color, oval cancels, left end stamp light crease, right end stamp small perf faults, the line pair is sound and Fine-Very Fine, a scarce used joint line strip of the Ty. I-Ty. II combination, with clear 2000 P.F. certificate, with 2019 P.F. certificate mentioning the issues with the end stamps, Scott Retail as a used line pair without counting the two problem stamps on the ends..... 1,000.00
- 1305 **2c Carmine, Ty. II, Coil (599A).** Joint line pair, well-centered with balanced margins, Extremely Fine, with 2019 P.F. and 2006 P.S.E. certificates (latter VF-XF 85; SMQ \$550.00), an extremely difficult joint line pair to find in centered used condition, this is the highest grade awarded with no equals..... 400.00
- 1306 ★★田 **2c Carmine, Ty. II (634A).** Mint N.H. block of four, brilliant color, fresh and Fine, with 1979 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail as singles 2,400.00
- 1307 ★田 **1c-10c Kans., Nebr. Overprints (658-679).** Blocks of four, brilliant colors, most with attractive centering Mint N.H. except for two 10c Kans. and two 8c and 9c Nebr., Very Fine-Extremely Fine set(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 3,673.00



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- 1308°★★ **4c Kans. Ovpt. (662).** Mint N.H., mathematically perfect centering with wide margins, deep rich color, post office fresh in every respect

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A PHENOMENAL MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 4-CENT KANSAS WITH THE PERFECT P.S.E. GRADE OF GEM 100 — THE ONLY EXAMPLE AT THIS GRADE.

With 2019 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$900.00 as 98, unpriced in any higher grade). This is the only example of this issue to achieve the coveted Gem 100 grade from P.S.E. 35.00

MODERN ERRORS



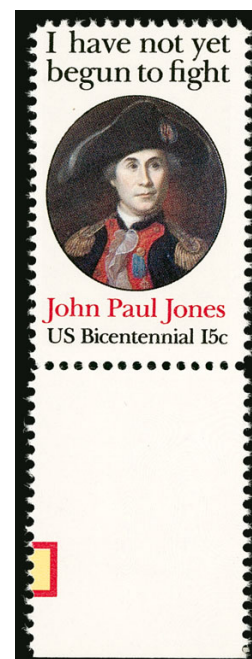
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- 1309 P田 **15c John Paul Jones, Finished Design, Imperforate Pair (1789Pg).** Mint N.H. bottom plate nos. and “Mr. Zip” block of 20, comprising the two bottom rows of the pane, fresh and Extremely Fine, these come from the American Bank Note Co. archives de-accession, Scott therefore lists them in the Proofs section, accompanied by a normal plate block, Scott Retail as ten pairs without premium for the plate block format..... 500.00
- 1310 ★★ **15c John Paul Jones, Imperforate Errors and Varieties (1789c, 1789Ad, 1789Pg).** Three pairs imperforate horizontally, also two singles imperforate horizontally (listed as pairs but with bottom margin sufficient to be clearly identifiable as the variety), block of four and pair finished design imperforate (from the American Bank Note Co. archives and listed in Proofs section), finally a pair with cross-gutter selvage, Very Fine group, the error pairs are priced in Scott from \$115.00 to \$125.00 each(Photo Ex) E. 300-400

- 1311 ★★ **15c John Paul Jones, Perf 12 (1789B).** Mint N.H. with **bottom color registration wide selvage**, rich colors on bright paper
 VERY FINE MINT NEVER-HINGED POSITION SINGLE OF THE RARE PERF 12 JOHN PAUL JONES ISSUE.
 This issue was printed by the American Bank Note Company and perforated in three different formats: Perf 11 x 12 (Scott 1789), Perf 11 All Around (Scott 1789A) and Perf 12 All Around (Scott 1789B). It is believed that the USPS was unaware that there were different perforations. The Perf 12 All Around is by far the rarest.
 With 1985 P.F. certificate 3,000.00



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- 1312 ★★ **15c John Paul Jones, Perf 12 (1789B).** Mint N.H. with **bottom “© United States Postal Service 1979” wide selvage**, well-centered, fresh colors and paper

VERY FINE MINT NEVER-HINGED POSITION SINGLE OF THE RARE PERF 12 JOHN PAUL JONES ISSUE.

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With 1983 P.F. certificate 3,000.00

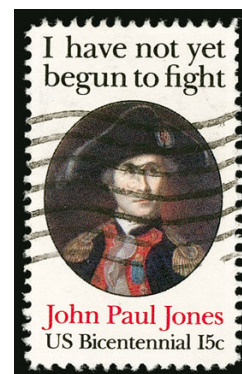
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- 15c John Paul Jones, Perf 12 (1789B).** Choice centering with wide margins, rich colors on bright paper, neat wavy-line machine cancel

EXTREMELY FINE. A SUPERB SOUND AND CENTERED USED EXAMPLE OF THE PERF 12 JOHN PAUL JONES ISSUE. VERY FEW ARE KNOWN IN USED CONDITION.

This issue was printed by the American Bank Note Company and perforated in three different formats: Perf 11 x 12 (Scott 1789), Perf 11 All Around (Scott 1789A) and Perf 12 All Around (Scott 1789B). It is believed that the USPS was unaware that there were different perforations. The Perf 12 All Around is by far the rarest and used copies are particularly rare.

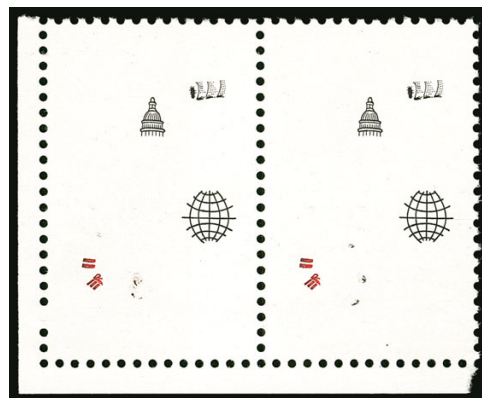
With 1986 P.F. certificate 3,500.00



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- 1314 ★★ **12c Freedom of Conscience, Untagged, “PRESORTED/FIRST CLASS” (1816a var).** Mint N.H. joint line pair, fresh and Very Fine, very rare, with 2013 P.S.A.G. certificate, listed and priced in Scott as a footnote 2,250.00
- 1315 ★★ **22c Girl Scouts, All Litho Colors Omitted (2251a).** Mint N.H. pair with bottom left corner selvage, both stamps with a few flecks of litho color left by the tagging roller (as described in Datz), Very Fine, a striking and outstanding color-missing error, only 46 are recorded in Datz, all from one part pane, this pair represents only the second and third examples listed in Power Search, with 1994 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail as singles..... 4,000.00



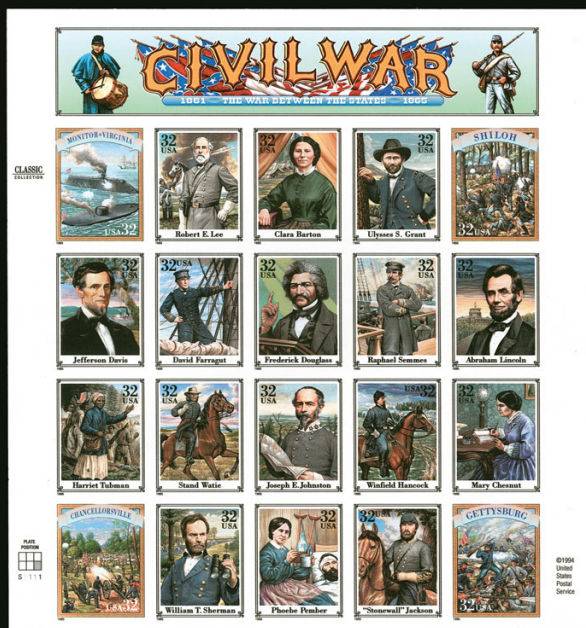
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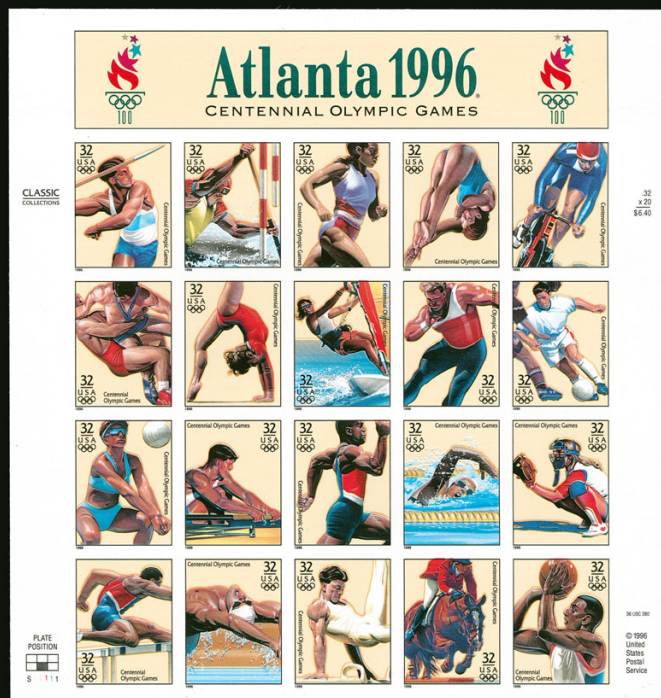


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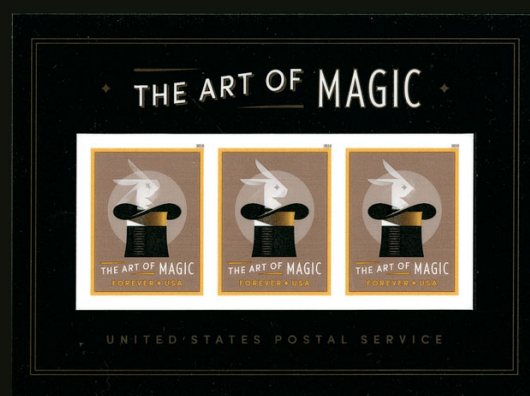
- 1316 ★★田 19c Fawn, Red Omitted (2479b). Mint N.H. bottom right corner "Use Correct Zip Code" block of six, colors that are present are misregistered, Extremely Fine, a striking error and very rare as a "Zip" block, Datz states 100 examples reported, with 2002 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail as singles without premium for the position 3,000.00
- 1317 ★★田 25c Greetings, All Colors Omitted (2515b). Mint N.H. complete pane of 50, right vertical row of five the errors with all colors omitted, the row next to it has small portions of the design printed, the other 40 stamps are normal, Very Fine, a striking and rare error, this is the first we have offered, with 1995 P.F. certificate, listed but unpriced in Scott.... E. 1,000-1,500
- 1318 ★★田 29c Wonders of the Sea, Imperforate (2866b). Mint N.H. complete pane of 24 with plate nos. at top and bottom and value indicator at right, rich colors, fresh and Extremely Fine, Datz states about 60 blocks reported, accompanied by normal pane, Scott does not list or price this as a plate block, Datz price as four plate blocks and two blocks 3,400.00
- 1319 ★★田 32c Civil War Se-Tenant Pane of 20, Imperforate (2975w). Mint N.H. with plate no. S1111, Position six from the sheet of six panes, Extremely Fine 1,000.00



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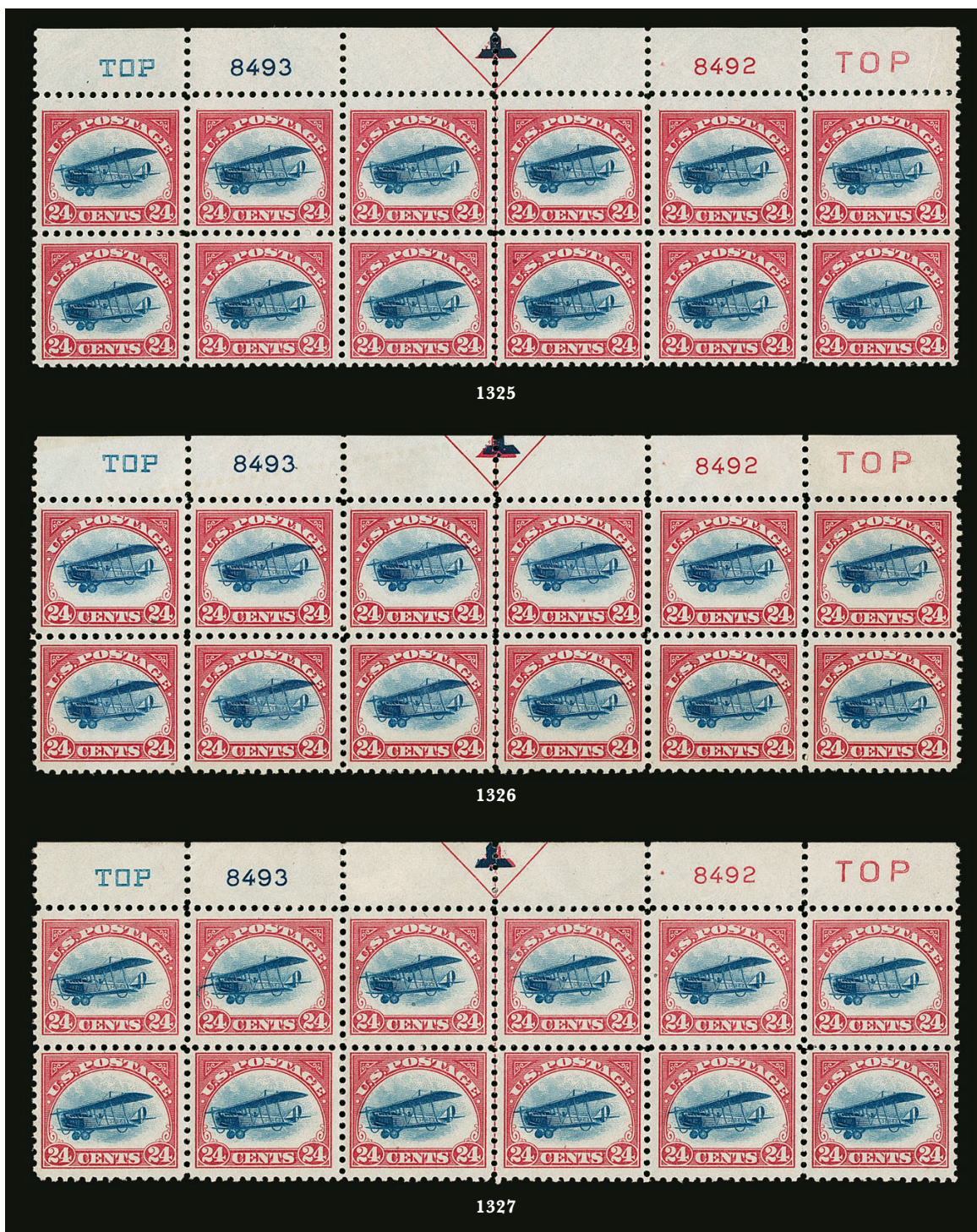
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- 1320 ★★ 32c 1996 Summer Olympics, Se-Tenant Pane of 20, Imperforate (3068u). Mint N.H., Very Fine, accompanied by normal pane..... 700.00
- 1321 ★★ \$3.50 Capitol, Pair, Die Cutting Omitted (3472a). Mint N.H. bottom right corner plate no. B1111 block of four, Very Fine, scarce with only 20 pairs reported in Datz, accompanied by normal plate no. pair, listed but unpriced in Scott E. 500-750
- 1322°★★ The Art of Magic (Forever) Souvenir Sheet, Die Cutting Omitted (5306b). Souvenir sheet of three without die cuts, Very Fine, *Linn's Stamp News* reported that approximately 50 of the error sheets were sold from the USPS window at the August 2018 APS Stampshow (unintentionally), it is unknown how many might exist in total but consultations with dealers indicate that may have been the total supply..... E. 500-750
- 1323 ★★ Modern Errors, Balance of a Collection. Approximately 40 items in an album, both singles and multiples, the vast majority are listed errors, also a few unlisted items and a few freaks, nice range of errors with Scott Retail up to \$850.00, some of the better items include Nos. 1340a, 1362b, 1470b, 1488b, 1547b, 1610b, 1926a pair, 1934b, 2031a, 2354b block of four, 3069a complete pane, C84a, J91a, others, also a Recalled Legends of the West pane, Very Fine collection balance, many items are accompanied by P.F. certificates, Scott Retail not counting the freaks and unlisted items more than \$12,000.00
.....*Not illustrated* E. 3,000-4,000
- 1324 ★★ Modern Errors Small Group. Eight items, including Nos. 1332 with red on flag omitted, 1509b, 1608a, 1731c, 1951c, 2015c, plus others, Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine.....
.....*Not illustrated* E. 300-400

AIR POST



- 1325 ★★田 24c Carmine Rose & Blue, 1918 Air Post (C3). Mint N.H. top arrow, double plate nos. 8493/8492 and double "Top" block of twelve, well-centered, bright colors, several natural gum skips, Very Fine, with 1973 P.F. certificate 2,000.00
- 1326 ★田 24c Carmine Rose & Blue, 1918 Air Post (C3). Top arrow, double plate nos. 8493/8492 and double "Top" block of twelve, especially well-centered, faintly hinged on the top left stamp, otherwise Mint N.H., rich colors, Very Fine..... 1,250.00
- 1327 ★田 24c Carmine Rose & Blue, 1918 Air Post (C3). Top arrow, double plate nos. 8493/8492 and double "Top" block of twelve, h.r. in selvage, stamps Mint N.H. with some natural gum bends and skips, fresh colors, Fine-Very Fine 1,250.00



- 1328 ★田 **24c Carmine Rose & Blue, 1918 Air Post (C3).** Top red “Top” and red plate no. 8492 block of 20, bottom right stamp lightly hinged, other 19 stamps Mint N.H., bright colors, several towards bottom left with exceptional centering, bottom left stamp small scuff and natural inclusion, Fine-Extremely Fine, Scott Retail as singles 2,535.00
- 1329 ★★田 **24c Carmine Rose & Blue, 1918 Air Post (C3).** Mint N.H. left selvage block of four, approaching the “fast plane” variety, Very Fine, Scott Retail as singles 520.00
- 1330 ★★田 **16c Dark Blue, 1923 Air Post (C5).** Mint N.H. full top plate no. 14831 block of six, deep color on fresh paper, Fine-Very Fine, especially desirable as a full top plate block..... 2,000.00
- 1331 ★★ **10c Lindbergh, Air Post (C10).** Mint N.H., mathematically perfect centering with wide margins, post-office fresh color and paper, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2018 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$900.00), of more than 310 Mint N.H. C10's submitted to P.S.E., only two other examples have achieved a perfect Gem 100 grade (plus two at Gem 100 Jumbo) .. 12.50
- 1332 ★ **10c Lindbergh, Booklet Pane (C10a).** Group of eleven booklet panes, one used (Pos. A), the others unused, mounted on album pages and labeled with their positions, including A, B, C, H, I, J, K, L and M, Fine-Very Fine, several of these positions are quite scarce *Not illustrated* E. 400-500
- 1333 ★★ **65c-\$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (C13-C15).** Mint N.H., wide margins with the \$1.30 and \$2.60 particularly well-centered, 65c small gum skips and Very Fine, other two Extremely Fine.. 1,640.00



- 1334 ★★ 65c-\$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (C13-C15). Mint N.H., rich colors, fresh and Fine-Very Fine set, with 2019 P.F. certificates..... 1,640.00
- 1335 ★★ 65c-\$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (C13-C15). Mint N.H., rich colors, \$2.60 small natural gum skips, Very Fine set..... 1,640.00
- 1336 ★ 65c-\$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (C13-C15). First two lightly hinged, \$2.60 Mint N.H., rich colors, overall a Very Fine set..... 1,385.00
- 1337 ★ 65c-\$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (C13-C15). Each with single hinge mark, rich colors, Very Fine set..... 1,060.00
- 1338 ★ 65c-\$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (C13-C15). Lightly hinged, attractive colors, Fine-Very Fine.... 1,060.00
- 1339 ★ 65c-\$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (C13-C15). 65c small h.r., \$1.30 and \$2.60 Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine, No. C15 with 1980 A.P.S. certificate 1,575.00

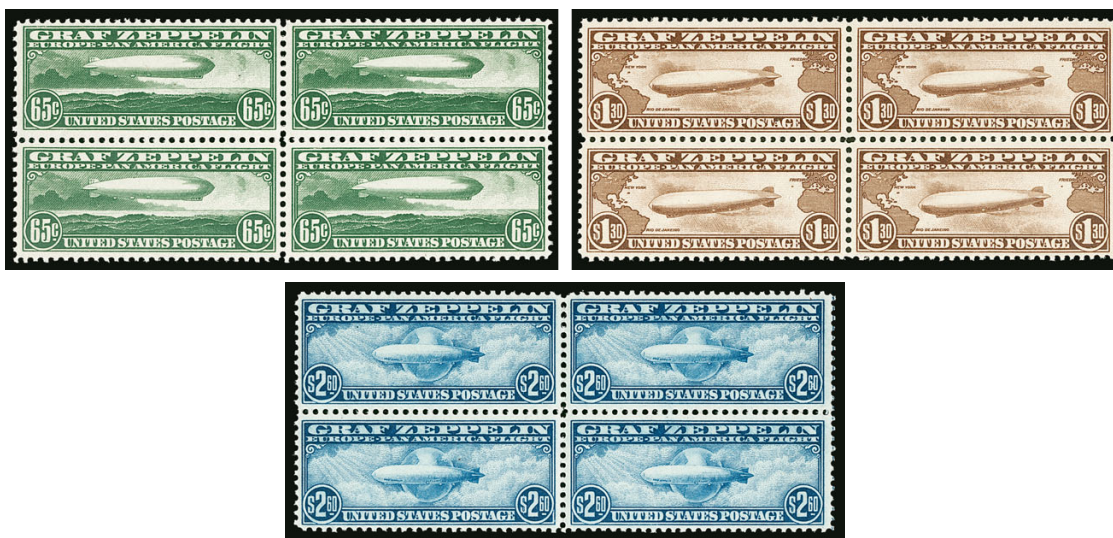


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1340 ★★田 65c-\$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (C13-C15). Mint N.H. left plate no. blocks of six, bright colors on fresh paper, \$2.60 block contains some particularly well-centered stamps

FINE-VERY FINE. AN ATTRACTIVE MINT NEVER-HINGED SET OF PLATE NUMBER BLOCKS OF THE GRAF ZEPPELIN ISSUE.

Scott Retail..... 15,200.00



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1341 ★★田 65c-\$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (C13-C15). Mint N.H. blocks of four, deep rich colors, choice centering

VERY FINE-EXTREMELY FINE SET OF MINT NEVER-HINGED BLOCKS OF FOUR OF THE GRAF ZEPPELIN ISSUE

Scott Retail as singles 6,560.00



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1342 ★田 65c-\$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (C13-C15). Blocks of four, \$2.60 Mint N.H., other two values top stamps h.r. and bottom stamps Mint N.H., well-centered (especially the \$1.30), intense colors, 65c with tiny thin on one hinged stamp and natural gum skip on one Mint N.H. stamp

VERY FINE-EXTREMELY FINE. A HANDSOME SET OF BLOCKS OF THE GRAF ZEPPELIN ISSUE.

Scott Retail as singles 6,050.00



- 1343 ★★ **\$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (C15).** Mint N.H. with plate no. 20092 in left selvage, rich color, Very Fine.. 850.00
- 1344 ★★ **\$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (C15).** Mint N.H. top plate no. F 20092 single, excellent centering, rich color, small natural gum skips, Extremely Fine..... 850.00
- 1345 **65c-\$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (C13-C15).** Bright colors, neat cancels, light creases and 65c and \$2.60 with small thin spot, otherwise Very Fine..... 1,050.00
- 1346 ★★ **50c Chicago Zeppelin (C18).** Mint N.H. block of 50 with plate no. 21171 in top selvage, essentially a full pane without side selvage, fresh color, perf separations at top and a couple natural gum skips affect the plate block, Fine-Very Fine *Not illustrated* 3,975.00
- 1347 ★ **Air Post Balance.** 29 items on auction lot cards from the 1980s, singles, blocks, and plate blocks, singles includes No. C15, blocks with various from Nos. C1-C6 (including positional blocks) and two No. C18, plate blocks includes No. C4 and three C18, a large portion Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine E. 1,500-2,000
- 1348 ★ **Air Post Collection, 1918-91.** Three-ring binder of mostly Mint N.H. stamps, including Nos. C1-C6, C10a, C13-C15, C18 single and plate block, essentially complete for singles with a nice group of plate blocks, overall Fine-Very Fine..... E. 1,000-1,500
- 1349 ★ **Air Post Unused Balance.** Most of the value in the first two issues, singles include seven C2, four C3 and six C6, blocks of C1, C2 (centerline), C3 (four, including two arrow), C5 and C6, several plate blocks of C7-C9, including a pane of C7, two C13 singles, and more, a large portion Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine E. 750-1,000
- 1350 ★★田 **Air Post Plate Blocks, Collection.** Album with full range of plate blocks from 1923 thru 1960's, lots of Scott numbers present with a few better items including Mint N.H. Nos. C4 and C18, also some booklet panes (a few showing partial plate numbers) and plate no. singles, overall Fine collection..... E. 500-750
- 1351 **Air Post, Booklet Pane Collection.** The highlight is a specialized collection of C25a, with various booklet panes, complete booklets, many with plate numbers and marginal markings, few first day covers with Crosby cachets, sets of matched plate numbers, a number of stamped booklets covers, etc., Very Fine and some quite scarce material, also a wide range of other Air Post booklet panes, a few varieties showing partial plate number, Fine-Very Fine and interesting group ... E. 200-300
- 1352 **Air Post, Errors, Freaks and Oddities Group.** Wide range of interesting items, including C19 block of four with full horizontal gutter, one stamp partly missing from miscut (P.F. certificate), C35 block of four with full horizontal gutter, C39 large multiple with horizontal gutter, C39a with covers, showing major miscut including 300% plate number (P.F. certificate), C52 small holes variety joint line strip of four (Scott Retail \$240.00 for pair), C63d error with all colors omitted, imperforate joint line pairs of C73a (Scott Retail \$750.00), C82a (Scott Retail \$325.00) and C83a (Scott Retail \$150.00), plus the same three in imperforate pair format without joint line (Scott Retail \$715.00), finally three dramatically miscut booklet panes of C78a (two) and C79a, one showing plate number, overall a Very Fine group E. 750-1,000
- 1353 ☒ **Air Post Covers.** Approximately 50 covers, many but not all are First Days, best items include a nice Harry Loor illustrated C18 First Day flown cover, also C7 flown First Day cover from Chicago, C11 with 5c Postage Due and Adam Bert cachet, many others, Very Fine group..... E. 300-400

SPECIAL DELIVERY



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- 1354 ★ **10c Blue, Special Delivery (E1).** Original gum, well-centered, rich color, Very Fine, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate (OGph, VF 80; SMQ \$550.00)..... 550.00
- 1355 ★★ **10c Orange, Special Delivery (E3).** Mint N.H., fresh and Very Fine, with 1993 P.F. certificate..... 1,150.00



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- 1356 ★★ **10c Blue, Special Delivery (E4).** Mint N.H., essentially perfect centering, deep rich color nicely on bright white paper, fresh in every respect

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. THE 10-CENT 1894 UNWATERMARKED SPECIAL DELIVERY ISSUE IS A NOTORIOUSLY CHALLENGING ISSUE TO OBTAIN IN THIS SUPERIOR GRADE — P.S.E. HAS GRADED THIS STAMP XF-SUPERB 95.

The 1894 series, being the first printed by the Bureau, encountered many production problems. Most stamps were poorly centered and have small margins.

With 1984 P.F. and 2011 P.S.E. certificates (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$14,000.00). Only two grade higher and three others share this grade. 2,100.00



- 1357 ★ **10c Blue, Special Delivery (E5).** Two top imprint and plate no. strips of three, one Mint N.H. with extra wide selvage and plate no. 492, other side stamps Mint N.H. with narrow selvage and plate no. 881, Fine **(Photo Ex)** 2,500.00
- 1358 ★ **10c Ultramarine, Special Delivery (E9).** Original gum, lightly hinged, Jumbo margins and near perfect centering on bright white paper, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate (OGph, Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$825.00)..... 190.00

POSTAGE DUE

- 1359 ★★ **2c Brown (J2).** Mint N.H., rich color, fresh and Very Fine, with 1992 P.F. (for strip of four) and 2011 P.S.E. certificates (F-VF 75; SMQ \$600.00), the 75 grade seems oddly low (80-85 more like it) 1,050.00
- 1360 ★ **10c Brown, Imperforate (J5a).** Vertical pair, original gum, rich color and sharp impression, Very Fine and rare, ex Sheriff, with 1992 P.F. and 1993 P.S.E. certificates 2,500.00
- 1361 ★★ **30c Brown (J6).** Mint N.H., near perfect centering but achieved by reperfering at left according to most recent certificate, appears Extremely Fine, with clear 1995 P.F. certificate, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate as reperfered 800.00
- 1362 ★★ **10c Red Brown (J19).** Mint N.H., deep rich color, Very Fine, with 1998 P.F. and 2011 P.S.E. certificates 1,300.00



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- 1363 ★★ **50c Red Brown (J21).** Mint N.H., rich color and detailed impression, wide and well-proportioned margins
VERY FINE AND CHOICE. A SCARCE SOUND AND WELL-CENTERED MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 50-CENT 1884 RED BROWN POSTAGE DUE.
With 1989 P.F. and 2011 P.S.E. certificates (VF 80; SMQ \$3,800.00), this is a very strong 80 3,750.00



- 1364 ★★ **1c Bright Claret (J22).** Mint N.H., perfect centering with wide and balanced margins, vivid Bright Claret color, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$775.00), only one grades higher (at 98J) and no others share this grade..... 85.00
- 1365 ★★田 **3c Bright Claret (J24).** Mint N.H. bottom imprint and plate no. 317 block of ten, radiant color, Very Fine, listed but unpriced in Scott as Mint N.H., Scott Retail as hinged..... 1,050.00
- 1366 ★★ **5c Bright Claret (J25).** Mint N.H., choice balanced margins, fresh color on bright paper, Extremely Fine, with 1993 P.F. and 2011 P.S.E. certificates (XF 90; SMQ \$600.00) 290.00

- 1367 **1c Vermilion (J29).** Brilliant color on bright paper, remarkably wide margins, light strike of oval cancel leaves design clearly visible

EXTREMELY FINE. ARGUABLY THE FINEST USED EXAMPLE OF THE ONE-CENT POSTAGE DUE ISSUE, SCOTT J29, IN EXISTENCE. AN EXTREMELY DIFFICULT STAMP TO FIND IN SOUND CONDITION AND WITH SUCH WIDE MARGINS.

Ex Twigg-Smith, "Tahoe" and Curtis. With 2001 P.F. and 2008 P.S.E. certificates (VF-XF 85 Jumbo; SMQ \$1,050.00). Only one stamp grades slightly higher (at 90) 725.00



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- 1368 ★★ **2c Vermilion (J30).** Mint N.H., vivid color, fresh and Fine, with 1998 P.F. certificate..... 1,900.00
- 1369 ★★ **5c Deep Claret (J41).** Mint N.H., choice balanced margins, bright color, Extremely Fine, with 1988 P.F. and 2011 P.S.E. certificates (XF 90; SMQ \$550.00) 280.00
- 1370 **30c Deep Claret (J43).** Choice centering with wide and balanced margins, face-free strike of grid cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, scarce in such superb condition, ex "Tahoe" and Curtis, with 2005 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$400.00), only one grades higher..... 75.00



- 1371 ★★ **2c Rose (J60).** Mint N.H., wide margins, bright color, Very Fine, with 1989 P.F. and 2011 P.S.E. certificates (F-VF 75; SMQ \$375.00) 625.00
- 1372 ★★ **30c Deep Claret (J66a).** Mint N.H., wonderful depth of color in the Deep Claret shade, balanced margins and well-centered, Extremely Fine, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate (XF 90; SMQ \$375.00) 220.00



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- 1373 ★★ **5c Carmine Rose, Pair, One Without “5 Cents” (J93a).** Mint N.H. block of four with selvage at left, containing two pairs of the error, excellent centering, bright and crisp
VERY FINE AND RARE MARGIN BLOCK OF FOUR OF THE 5-CENT 1959 POSTAGE DUE DENOMINATION MISSING ERROR.
If Scott Retail values reflect the relative rarity of the various 1959 Postage Due denomination-omitted errors (and a review using Power Search indicates it does), then this is the rarest of all the errors. We have offered only one other example (a pair) since keeping computerized records more than 25 years ago.
With 1994 P.F. certificate. Scott Retail as two pairs is low considering the only other pair we have offered realized \$1,500 hammer in 2010 2,200.00

OFFICES IN CHINA AND OFFICIALS

- 1374 ★ **2c-\$2.00 Offices in China (K1-K18).** Complete set, a couple Mint N.H., others hinged, bright colors, Fine to mostly Very Fine, Scott Retail as all hinged(Photo Ex) 2,175.00
- 1375 ★ **\$20.00 State (O71).** Part **imprint selvage** at bottom, original gum, lightly hinged, margins to just in at top, Fine and desirable with the part imprint 5,000.00
- 1376 ★ **1c Agriculture, Soft Paper (O94).** Without gum as issued, rich color, small thin spot, Fine appearance, with 2010 A.P.S. certificate 5,500.00
- 1377°★★ **3c Agriculture, Soft Paper (O95).** Mint N.H., brilliant color on fresh paper, unusually choice centering with beautifully balanced margins, fresh and Extremely Fine, exceptional quality for any Official stamp, with 2016 P.F. certificate (XF 90), this is the highest grade awarded by the P.F. to a Scott O95 in any gum condition, by way of comparison, the highest grade listed in the P.S.E. Population Report for Mint N.H. is a single stamp at 50 1,250.00
- 1378 ★★ **(22c) Red, White & Blue, “D” Official Coil (O139).** Fifty sealed rolls of 100, still in the original cellophane-sealed USPS box, Scott Retail as 2,500 pairs, without premium for the plate number strips*Not illustrated* 26,250.00

NEWSPAPERS AND PERIODICALS



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- 1379 ★ **10c Blue Green, Colored Border, 1865 Issue, 5c Dull Blue, 1875 Reprint (PR2, PR5).** Without gum as issued, bright colors, fresh and Fine-Very Fine, 5c with purple back-stamps(Photo Ex) 525.00
- 1380 ★田 **5c Dull Blue, 1875 Reprint (PR5).** Pane of ten, without gum as issued, with imprint selvage at bottom and selvage at left and right, s.e. at top, few perf separations sensibly reinforced, otherwise Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail as blocks of four and singles.. 2,450.00
- 1381 ★田 **5c Dull Blue, 1875 Reprint (PR5).** Pane of ten, without gum as issued, with imprint selvage at top, wide selvage at right and intact perfs other sides, few minor perf separations, Fine, a scarce pane, Scott Retail as blocks of four and singles 2,450.00
- 1382 **\$1.92 Dark Brown, 1875 Issue (PR24).** Black handstamp cancel, deep intense color and sharp impression, Very Fine, ex Collier and "Golden Oak", with 1995 P.F. certificate 850.00
- 1383 ★ **\$3.00 Vermilion, 1875 Issue (PR25).** Nearly full original gum with just some gum loss in corners, bright color, Fine and scarce with original gum, with 1988 P.F. certificate as "previously hinged" 2,500.00



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- 1384 ★ **\$24.00 Dark Violet, 1879 Issue (PR76).** Original gum, lightly hinged, beautiful margins and with nearly precise centering, intense color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 1995 and 2008 P.F. certificates 800.00



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- 1385° ★ **6c Intense Black, 1894 Unwatermarked Bureau Issue (PR93).** Original gum, near perfect centering with well-proportioned margins, sharp proof-like impression
EXTREMELY FINE. ONE OF THE FINEST EXAMPLES OF THE RARE 6-CENT 1894 UNWATER-MARKED NEWSPAPER STAMP IN EXISTENCE. AN OUTSTANDING STAMP, GRADED XF-SUPERB 95 BY THE P.F. AND XF 90 BY P.S.E.
With 2015 P.F. certificate (XF-Superb 95). With 2014 P.S.E. certificate (OGph, XF 90; SMQ \$9,000.00). This is the highest grade awarded by P.S.E. and it is shared by only one other 4,500.00

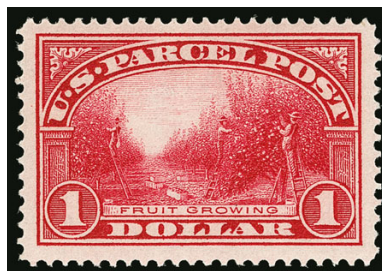


- 1386 **\$2.00 Scarlet, 1895 Issue (PR108).** Springfield O. double oval cancels, Very Fine, with 2011 P.F. certificate..... 1,100.00
- 1387 ★ **\$50.00 Dull Rose, 1895 Issue (PR112).** Original gum, intense shade, upper left corner small thin spot, tiny scrape at lower right, appears Very Fine, with 2001 P.S.E. certificate mentioning only the small thin 2,750.00
- 1388 ★田 **1c-\$100.00 1895 Watermarked Issue (PR114-PR125).** Complete set of plate no. blocks of six, mix of top and bottom positions, \$10.00, \$20.00 and \$100.00 are all tops, original gum, generally with h.r. in corners and in selvage, bright colors, \$5.00 one stamp with a thin spot, overall Very Fine, an attractive set of plate blocks.....(Photo Ex) 7,575.00
- 1389 ★★ **25c-\$100.00 1895 Watermarked Issue, Balance (118, 119, 120, 124, 125).** Group of plate no. or imprint multiples, four are strips of three and one is a block of six, all but No. PR124 Mint N.H., \$2.00 slight oxidation, overall Very Fine(Photo Ex) 1,715.00
- 1390 **\$20.00 Slate, 1895 Watermarked Issue (PR123).** Deep rich color on bright paper, unobtrusive cancel, gorgeous centering and wide margins, Extremely Fine, with 2014 P.S.E. certificate (XF 90; SMQ \$375.00), only one grades higher (at 95) and two others share this grade 200.00

PARCEL POST



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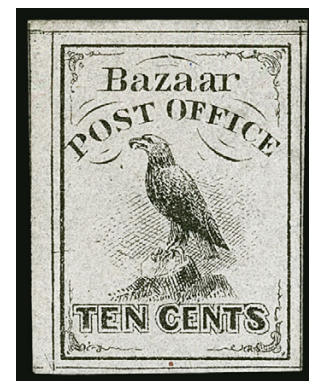


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- 1391 ★★ **75c Parcel Post (Q11).** Mint N.H., choice balanced margins, fresh and bright, Extremely Fine, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate (XF 90; SMQ \$425.00) 190.00
- 1392 ★★ **\$1.00 Parcel Post (Q12).** Mint N.H., uncharacteristically wide margins, vibrant color, Extremely Fine, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate (VF-XF 85 Jumbo; SMQ \$1,000.00) 625.00
- 1393 ★★ **25c Special Handling (QE4).** Mint N.H., perfect centering with wide margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$375.00), only two grade higher 37.50

SANITARY FAIRS

- 1394 (★) **Army Relief Bazaar, Albany N.Y., 10c Black (WV2).** Unused (no gum), showing **complete** outer framelines on each side, Extremely Fine, a particularly scarce example with complete outer framelines, this is one of the finest of only 30 or so examples believed to exist, with 2013 P.S.A.G. certificate 700.00



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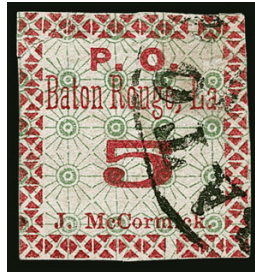
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- 1395° ★ **Soldiers' Fair, Stamford Conn., 15c Pale Brown (WV15).** Position 6, original gum, h.r., large margins to full, bright color, tiny natural inclusion
- VERY FINE AND CHOICE ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE RARE STAMFORD SOLDIERS' FAIR STAMP.
- The Stamford Soldiers' Fair stamps were issued during the fair on July 27-29, 1864. This stamp comes from the famous Ackerman-Perry-Kantor block purchased at the Stamford Fair by Alvee Augustus Ade. Only twelve Stamford Soldiers' Fair stamps are recorded in total.
- With 2018 P.F. certificate 4,250.00

CONFEDERATE STATES



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- 1396 **Athens Ga., 5c Purple (5X1).** Type II, huge margins to full, bright color, light strike of grid cancel, small thin spot at bottom right, otherwise Extremely Fine..... 1,400.00



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- 1397 **Athens Ga., 5c Red (5X2).** Type II, large margin at left, clear to just touched other sides, radiant color, neat grid cancel

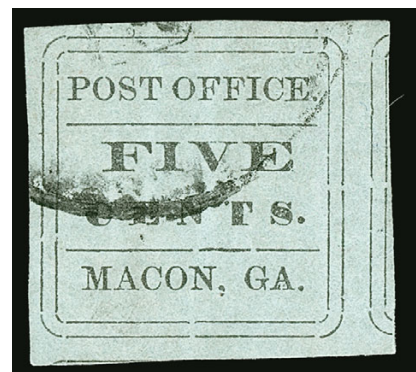
FINE. ONE OF ONLY TWELVE RECORDED EXAMPLES OF THE ATHENS 5-CENT RED PROVISIONAL.

Our census contains one half-cover and seven genuine covers with the 5c Red. This count accords with the Crown census. All genuine examples are dated in March or April 1862. In addition, we record three used off-cover examples and the original-gum example from the Sharrer collection (Siegel Sale 1035, lot 6).

With 2018 P.S.E. certificate 5,750.00

- 1398 **Baton Rouge La., 5c Green & Carmine (11X2).** Margins clear to just in, neat strike of circular datestamp cancel, faults and repairs, Fine appearance, with 2018 P.S.E. certificate..... 1,400.00
- 1399 (★) **Fredericksburg Va., 5c Blue, 10c Red on Thin Bluish (26X1, 26X2).** Unused (no gum), 5c large margins and small repaired hole at center, 10c large margins to in, few faults, Fine-Very Fine appearance, 5c with 2014 P.F. certificate..... 3,150.00

- 1400 **Macon Ga., 5c Black on Light Blue Green Laid (53X8).** Large to huge margins including part of two adjoining stamps, showing clear laid lines, unobtrusive strike of circular datestamp cancel, light vertical crease, Extremely Fine appearance, the laid paper stamp is far rarer than the wove, this is the first we have offered since 1997, with 2018 P.S.E. certificate 2,250.00



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Nashville Tenn., 10c Green (61X6). Ample margin at right, touched to in on other sides, deep rich color, unobtrusive cancel, corner crease at bottom left, small repair at top, otherwise Fine, scarce, approximately 25 examples known, almost all of which have faults, with 1985 P.F. certificate..... 7,500.00



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- 1402 ★ **Tellico Plains Tenn., 5c Red (81X1).** Setting A with period after "Johnson", original gum, large margins, ink spot on back shows thru, expert repair, otherwise Very Fine, the Rheatown and Tellico Plains provisionals were printed by the same printer, using a typeset form of three subjects, for the Tellico Plains provisional, which probably followed the Rheatown, the post office and postmaster's names were changed, and the third subject at right was reset with a 10c denomination, only two used examples are recorded, both December 1861 dates (one is a cover), with copy of 1974 P.F. certificate for se-tenant strip of three..... 2,500.00
- 1403 ★田 **5c Blue, Stone 2 (4).** Top right corner margin block of 15, usual brownish original gum, ample to large margins other sides, few small faults as expected on such a multiple, Very Fine appearance, Scott Retail as blocks of four, pairs and a single..... 4,700.00
- 1404 ★田 **10c Blue, Die B (12, 12c).** Three multiples, incl. two blocks of 25 and a block of 15 with plate no. 3 and large part of Keatinge & Ball imprint, original gum, many stamps Mint N.H., distinctly different shades with Dark Blue and Greenish Blue, few small flaws, Very Fine appearance, Scott Retail without premium for the better shades.....(Photo Ex) 1,550.00
- 1405 ★★ **20c Green (13).** Mint N.H., massive margins including portions of all adjoining stamps, rich color, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 98, SMQ \$1,110.00 as 98)..... 45.00
- 1406 **Confederate States General Issues Balance.** Including used No. 1 (two, one on piece), unused Nos. 6-8 and 11-14 (No. 11 is a block of four, No. 14 with top sheet margin), also a sheet margin block of 64 of the 2c Green 1926 Dietz reprint, Very Fine group.... E. 300-400
- 1407 **Confederate States Balance.** Including used Charleston S.C. No. 16X1 (faulty), General Issues virtually complete (lacking only No. 10), mostly used with a few unused, the better stamps with flaws, otherwise Fine balance, Scott Retail more than \$3,400.00 E. 400-500
- 1408 **Confederate States General Issues Balance.** 23 items, including unused Nos. 1, 4 (2), 5, 8 (pair), 14, six blocks of four of No. 13, few used including Nos. 8 (2, one on cover is a fake), some faults, overall Fine-Very Fine E. 500-750

U.S. POSSESSIONS GUAM



- 1409 ★田 1899, 1c-50c Ovpts. (1-2, 4-5, 7-8, 10-11). Bottom imprint and plate no. blocks of six, 50c adhering to interleaving, others either original gum or slightly tropicalized original gum, 50c some slight oxidation, otherwise Fine-Very Fine group (Photo Ex/Website PDF) 12,050.00
- 1410 ★田 1899, 3c Purple (3). Bottom imprint and plate no. 447 block of six with wide selvage, tropicalized original gum, bottom right stamp natural gum bend, deep rich color, Fine, scarce, this issue is only known with the plate block at bottom 1,600.00
- 1411 ★田 1899, 4c Lilac Brown (4). Bottom imprint and plate no. 790 block of six with wide selvage, original gum with a hint of tropicalization — almost appears Mint N.H. — lovely warm shade, Very Fine, this issue is only known with the plate block at bottom..... 1,750.00
- 1412 ★田 1899, 5c Blue (5). Bottom imprint and plate no. 834 block of six with wide selvage, slightly tropicalized original gum, small h.r., bright color and paper, Very Fine and choice, this issue is only known with the plate block at bottom..... 700.00
- 1413 ★田 1899, 5c Blue (5). Two bottom position imprint and plate blocks with wide selvage, first is plate no. 835, second is plate no. 837, slightly tropicalized original gum, rich color, Fine plate blocks from the second printing, this issue is only known with the plate block at bottom, second with "RWB" backstamp (Photo Ex) 1,400.00
- 1414 ★田 1899, 5c Lake (6). Bottom imprint and plate no. 923 block of six with wide selvage, original gum which is barely tropicalized, radiant color, fresh and Fine, this issue is only known with the plate block at bottom, two stamps at bottom with "RWB" backstamp 1,500.00



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1417

- 1415 ★田 1899, 8c Violet Brown (7). Bottom imprint and plate no. 929 block of six with wide selvage, slightly tropicalized original gum, rich color, fresh and Very Fine, this issue is only known with the plate block at bottom, bottom right stamp with "RWB" backstamp 1,250.00
- 1416 ★田 1899, 10c Brown, Ty. I (8). Bottom imprint and plate no. 520 block of six, slightly tropicalized original gum, radiant color, fresh and Fine, this issue is only known with the plate block at bottom or left, we have never sold a bottom position plate block with wider selvage than the one offered here, bottom right stamp "RWB" backstamp 1,000.00
- 1417 ★田 1899, 15c Olive Green (10). Bottom imprint and plate no. 264 block of six, slightly tropicalized original gum, rich color on bright paper, Very Fine and choice, an attractive plate block, this is only known with this plate number and it is only known from the bottom position 2,200.00



1418

- 1418 ★田 1899, 50c Orange (11). Bottom imprint and plate no. 75 block of six, tropicalized original gum, small h.r. in selvage where few perf separations sensibly reinforced, rich color on bright paper, choice centering
- VERY FINE AND CHOICE. A BEAUTIFUL AND SCARCE PLATE BLOCK OF THE 1899 50-CENT GUAM OVERPRINT ISSUE.
- Only 4,000 of the 50c stamps were issued. Our informal research found only six other plate blocks; it is only known from the bottom position from Plate 75. None was offered in our 1989 specialized catalogue of Guam..... 4,500.00



1419

1419 ★田 **1899, \$1.00 Black, Ty. I (12).** Bottom imprint and plate no. 76 block of six, tropicalized original gum, intense shade and impression

FINE. AN EXTREMELY RARE IMPRINT AND PLATE NUMBER BLOCK OF THE 1899 \$1.00 TYPE I OVERPRINT. THIS IS THE RAREST OF ALL GUAM PLATE BLOCKS — ONLY FIVE ARE KNOWN.

Our records and those of Lewis Kaufman contain only five plate blocks, all from the bottom position of Plate 76: 1) ex Lilly and our 1989 Guam sale, slightly tropicalized gum, perfs just touch at top; 2) ex Tows and Wampler, interleaving adhering, perfs just touch at top; 3) ex Whitpain, slightly tropicalized gum, single short perf at extreme bottom edge of selvage; 4) ex Colonel Green (Sale 28, lot 1588), tropicalized gum, choice centering; and 5) ex Colonel Green (Sale 28, lot 1589), the block offered here.

Ex Colonel Green..... 37,500.00



1420



1422



1425

- 1420 ★ 1899, 10c Blue, Special Delivery (E1). Top imprint and plate no. 883 block of six with full selvage, slightly tropicalized original gum, deep rich color, fresh and Fine, a scarce plate block 4,000.00
- 1421 **Guam Used Collection.** Contains one each of the thirteen basic stamps either on or off cover, with extra 50c and \$1.00, also the Special Delivery stamp and the first two Guard Mail stamps (2c is pair on first day cover), covers include two with 15c, 8c pair, and 3c, 4c, 6c combination, largely Fine-Very Fine(Website PDF) E. 1,000-1,500
- 1422 **HAWAII, 1853, 5c Blue, Thick White Wove (5).** Large margins all around, rich color on fresh paper, San Francisco circular datestamp, Extremely Fine, with 2011 P.F. certificate 1,900.00
- 1423 ★ **Hawaii Balance.** 31 unused stamps, including Nos. 11R, 60f, 63 (4, 2 with imprint selvage), 65, O6, most Fine-Very Fine, three with P.F. certificates E. 500-750
- 1424 **Hawaii Used Collection, 1864-1899.** High degree of completion for the period, including Provisional Govt. overprints to \$1.00, also No. 81 with "Flying Goose" Flaw tied to piece, slightly mixed condition, Fine-Very Fine appearance, Scott Retail in excess of \$2,000.00 E. 400-500
- 1425 ☒ **PHILIPPINES, 1926, 2c-10p Madrid-Manila Flight Air Post Overprints (C1-C6, C9-C15, C17).** Complete set of fourteen values tied by fancy plane cancels on May 13, 1926 Madrid-Manila flight first day cover (AAMC 11), with proper flight cachet, a few trivial age spots, Fine-Very Fine, very few sets are known on cover, Scott Retail over \$3,500.00 just as used stamps alone..... E. 1,000-1,500
- 1426 **Philippines Used Collection.** Bureau Issue overprints to \$1.00, 1902 Issue overprints to \$1.00, run of later issues including No. 445, Air Post including covers, Special Deliveries, and Japanese Occupation, slightly mixed quality, much is Fine-Very Fine E. 400-500
- 1427 **U.S. Possessions Collection.** In a single Scott album, full range of U.S. Possessions including AMG, Canal Zone with early issues, Cuba largely complete including pre-U.S. administration period beginning in 1855, Guam, Hawaii including couple early, Philippines with pre-U.S. period beginning in 1854, mixed condition on the early issues, overall Fine appearance..... E. 500-750

COLLECTIONS AND ACCUMULATIONS

- 1428 **Collection, 1847-1954.** H. E. Harris stamp album containing a comprehensive collection of mostly unused stamps, including Nos. 38, 39, 72, 73, 75, 76, 77, 95, nice group of 1869 Pictorials, Bank Notes to 90c, 219-229, Columbians to \$5.00, 1894-98 Bureaus to \$5.00, Trans-Mississippi to \$2.00, 1902 Issue to \$5.00, several better Washington-Franklins including Nos. 331-342, 355, 374-382, 414-423, 424-440, 460, 505, 523 as well as some coils, many others, commemoratives such as Nos. 397-404, Kans.-Nebr., Air Post such as Nos. C1-C6 and C18, few used such as Nos. 1, 16 (cancel removed), 17 (cancel removed), quality is a bit mixed on the earlier issues (as is usually seen) but gets better, Fine-Very Fine, a phenomenal comprehensive collection offered intact as received E. 20,000-30,000
- 1429 ★ **Collection, 1847-1982.** Four 3-ring binders plus some odds and ends, wide range of issues represented including 5c and 10c 1847, Nos. 38, 39, 95 (og. faults, 1971 Friedl cert), 1869 Pictorials to 90c, Columbians to \$5.00, Trans-Mississippi to \$2.00, 1902 Issue to \$2.00, nice selection of Washington-Franklins such as No. 366 and 505 in block of six, commemoratives such as Nos. 397-404, 630, Kans.-Nebr. set, few plate blocks such as Nos. 620-621, earlier issues generally faulty, still a nice comprehensive collection that could feed ebay listings for quite a while..... E. 10,000-15,000
- 1430 **Collection, 1845-1975.** Substantial old-time collection of mostly used stamps in two Scott albums, many better numbers including 9X1, 1 (two), 2 (two), 12, 17, 18, 28A, 37-38, 67, 72, 83, 85B, E and F Grills complete less 90c, 112-121 with extra 30c, Bank Note Grills including No. 144 (P.F. certificate), other Bank Notes essentially complete, Columbians less the \$3.00 and \$5.00 (\$4.00 unused), 1894-98 Bureaus mostly complete (no \$5.00), Trans-Mississippi complete, 1902 through the \$2.00, Washington-Franklins to \$5.00 less the better items, 1922 and later begins to show more unused, Back-of-Book including original gum C1-C6, Special Delivery complete, range of Postage Dues and Officials, Post Office Dept. card proofs, smattering of Newspapers with four different large-format issues, Carrier reprint No. LO6, range of cut squares, unused Confederate States and forgeries, etc., mixed condition with faults to be expected on the early issues, overall a Fine appearing and useful collection with lots of better stamps, compiled by an avid collector over a period of more than 50 years E. 7,500-10,000
- 1431 **Used Collection, 1847-1930.** On Schaubek pages, an unusual collection in that the vast majority of the value is in a few dozen better item purchased at auction (some still have the original auction lot card), early stamps including Nos. 1, 2, and 12, 1869 Pictorials to 90c, Columbian and Trans-Mississippi sets complete, Bureau Issues to \$5.00, White Plains sheet, Graf Zeppelin set, and various Back-of-Book, mixed condition, though the better stamps are generally Fine-Very Fine, 13 certificates accompany, none of which mention any faults..... E. 4,000-5,000
- 1432 ★ **Washington-Franklin Issues, Unused Collection Balance.** Unused balance of a collection on album pages, the most valuable stamps removed for individual lots but many better stamps remain, original gum with some Mint N.H., highlights include 1908-09 issues complete to \$1.00, 1c-2c Bluish Papers, 1912-14 through \$1.00 with both 50c, coils less the problematic Perf 12's, including line pairs of 393-395 as well as a number of line pairs of the perf 10 flat plate coils, rotary coil line pairs including No. 454 as well as Mint N.H. Nos. 457-458 line pairs, later issues including Nos. 479-480, Nos. 498-518 including Nos. 500 and 505 (in a pair with normal 2c), Nos. 523-524, 547, others, a few minor flaws may be found but overall this is a fresh and attractive collection balance, several certificates accompany, Scott Retail counting almost everything as hinged approximately \$10,000.00 E. 3,000-4,000
- 1433 ★ **Certified 20th Century Stamps, Mint N.H. Balance.** Group with P.S.E. certificates, all but one Mint N.H., including Nos. 295 (XF 90), 305 (additional PFC), 338 (F-VF 75), 375 (VF 80), 377 (F-VF 75), 382 (hinged, VF 80), 459 (VF-XF 85, additional PFC), 517 (VF-XF 85 with small erased pencil mark) and 518 (XF 90), overall Very Fine-Extremely Fine, Scott Retail without regard to SMQ values 1,282.50
- 1434 ★★田 **Modern Commemorative Plate Block Collection, 1942-2004.** In fourteen White Ace albums, appears just about complete for the period, including premium items such as the 3c Chinese Resistance, some full panes including the Recalled Legends of the West sheet, also a binder of Regular Issues from the 1980s, Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine... E. 400-500

- 1435 ★ **Back-of-Book Collection.** Wide range of stamps mounted in a hingeless album, a great many with certificates, including Air Post C1-C6 (C2 Mint N.H. XF 90), other Airs largely complete less the Graf Zeppelins, Special Delivery with Mint N.H. Nos. E8 (reperfed) and E11 (XF 90), Postage Dues including Mint N.H. certified copies of J1, J15, J26, J42, J49a (reperfed), J53b (VF-XF 85), J56, J65b (VF-XF 85), J76, also original gum Nos. J3, J16, J20, J44, J57, many others Postage Dues, Parcel Post and Parcel Post Postage Due complete less the 75c, with some Mint N.H. including Q6 (XF 90), Officials are more sparse but what is present is unused, including certified Mint N.H. examples of Nos. O2-O3, O18, O22, O36, O52, O76, O85, O88 and O100 and others, Newspapers and Periodicals with near complete run of large issues with some duplication, a smattering of the smaller format issues but again these are unused, including PR75, PR76 (regummed according to P.S.E., original gum according to older PFC), PR86, others, overall good condition though some flaws to be found including some reperfed, Very Fine and worthwhile collection, Scott Retail is in excess of \$14,000.00 E. 4,000-5,000
- 1436 ★★田 **Modern Booklets and Booklet Panes.** 1960s to about 2004, in three binders, panes are nearly complete for the period, booklets with a fairly high degree of completion, including Express Mail, face value close to (and probably exceeds) \$1,000.00 E. 400-500
- 1437 ★ **Unused 19th Century Balance.** 57 items, including Nos. 24, 26, 63, 212-218, 230-240, 240, 243, 244, twelve from 1894-98 Issue, 285-290 (imprint or plate no. selvage), blocks of four of Nos. 232, 235 and 236, few faults, overall Fine-Very Fine E. 1,500-2,000
- 1438 **19th Century Balance.** Balance on album pages, including No. 9X1e lightly cancelled, original gum Nos. 24, 26, 35, unused No. 40, unused No. 63, original gum Nos. 88 and 93, No. 97 appears unused (regummed), unused Nos. 114 and 116, also a few used, mixed condition with some faults to be expected, appear Fine, three P.F. certificates accompany E. 750-1,000
- 1439 ★ **19th & 20th Century Balance.** Eleven unused stamps, including Nos. 10X1, 156, 183, 205, 213, 214, 310, 547, 572 and 2201b, Nos. 156, 183, 213 and 572 Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine group, each except last with certificate with three graded (213 graded 85, 547 graded 90, 572 graded 90) 2,125.00
- 1441 **Used 19th Century Balance.** 30 items, including Nos. 9 (2, one graded 85, one graded 90), 35 (graded 90), 69, 71, 112, 120, 122, nice group of Bank Notes such as 138 with split grill, 217 (ex "Natalee Grace"), 272 (graded 95J), few Officials, some faults but overall fresh and Very Fine-Extremely Fine, six with certificates E. 1,000-1,500
- 1442 **Used Balance.** 20 items, including 9X1 (graded 90 and accompanied by originating cover with second stamp), 36B block of four (creases), 38 (2003 PSE graded 90), 114 (graded 90), 291 (graded 80), 330 (graded 90), R41a with clear handstamp cancel of the day Lincoln died, other better including Nos. 27, 29, 118, 119, 121, 136A (PFC off cover, reattached to originating cover), overall Fine-Extremely Fine, six with certificates E. 2,000-3,000
- 1443 **Balance.** Over 60 items, including used Nos. 68 (2), 76 (PFC), 113, 116, 117, 119 (2019 PFC), 121, 151, 153, unused including Nos. 229 (no gum, PFC), C1-C6, C18 (two singles plus block of four), few random CSA and Hawaii, mixed condition, appear Fine-Very Fine E. 750-1,000
- 1444 ★ **Unused Balance.** 16 items, including 114 (graded NG 95), 149 (no gum), 287, 288, 367 (graded NH 95), 400, 402, 573, 702 with red cross slightly shifted, few coil leader strips, overall Very Fine-Extremely Fine, three with certificates E. 750-1,000
- 1445 ★ **Small Unused Balance.** Four stamps, including Mint N.H. No. 295, Extremely Fine, original gum No. 210, wide margins, Very Fine and choice, with 1980 P.F. certificate, also original gum No. 375b (Lake), Fine, finally original gum No. 381, Extremely Fine Gem (P.S.E. OGph, XF-Superb 95 Jumbo; SMQ \$300.00), a fresh group 967.50
- 1446 ★ **Unused 20th Century Balance.** 22 items, including Nos. 309, 310, 524, 547, C14, K11, blocks of four of Nos. 383-384, 405-409, 414 (2), 595 (plate block of four), plate block of No. 378, overall Fine-Very Fine E. 1,000-1,500
- 1447 ★★ **20th Century Collection Balance, 1922-53.** Unused stamps mounted in a deluxe album, a spot check confirms that the vast majority if not all are Mint N.H., essentially complete less the rarities from 1919 commemoratives and 1922 Issue to 1950's, including White Plains sheet and Kansas-Nebraska set, then picks up again with face from 1980's, fresh and Very Fine balance E. 500-750

- 1448 ★ **1870-93 Bank Note Issues, Unused Balance (156/228).** 31 original gum stamps, range of Large Bank Notes from National Bank Note Co. through American Bank Note Co. including No. 218, also Small Bank Notes less the 5c and 90c, all with original gum and several are Mint N.H., centering ranges from Fine-Very Fine and each stamp was selected individually by the collector for eye appeal, a fresh group of original-gum Bank Note stamps, 20 certificates accompany, Scott Retail more than ..(**Website PDF**) 6,000.00
- 1449 ★ **Early Commemorative Unused Balance.** Twelve stamps, some lower-value Columbians in choice Mint N.H. quality, also a \$1.00, plus 50c and \$1.00 (two, one used) Trans-Mississippi, and a few others, some of the higher values have tiny flaws, the lower values Very Fine or Extremely Fine, four P.F. and one P.S.E. certificates accompany..... E. 1,000-1,500
- 1450 **Accumulation, Commemoratives.** 50 unused and used stamps, including Columbians such as 30c (3), 50c (3), \$1.00 (5), \$2.00 (6), \$3.00 (2), \$4.00, \$5.00 (4), Trans-Mississippi including 50c (4), \$1.00 (2), No. 573 (15, all used), last three are fantasies, essentially all unused are regummed, faults, few appear Fine-Very Fine..... E. 1,000-1,500
- 1451 ★ **1898-1913 Commemoratives, Unused Balance.** Original gum stamps mounted on album pages, including 1c-50c Trans-Mississippi mostly Mint N.H. (50c is hinged), Pan-Americans complete less the 2c, including 1c Mint N.H. block, others hinged (8c regummed), Louisiana Purchase, Jamestown and 1909 complete, each largely Mint N.H. with some hinged, Panama-Pacific complete with a couple Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine group with much in the latter category, Scott Retail more than \$3,600.00 E. 1,000-1,500
- 1452 ★ **1894-98, 1902-03 Bureau Issues, Unused Balance.** Unused stamps mounted on album pages, nearly all with original gum, a few Mint N.H., also some h.r., disturbed or part gum present, good representation with 1894 Unwatermarked 1c-6c and 15c, 1895 Watermarked through the \$1.00 Type I with an extra 50c (no 10c), 1898 complete, 1902 Issue complete to the \$1.00 with 5c in a block of four (no 6c), a couple small flaws may be found but overall a fresh and Fine group, several P.F. certificates accompany, Scott Retail more than \$5,000.00 E. 1,000-1,500
- 1453 ★★田 **20th Century Multiples.** Small group including Mint N.H. block of eight of No. 295, Mint N.H. strip of four of No. 296, plate block of six of No. 328, centerline block of 16 of No. 347, used block of No. J60, also a group of Farley imperf blocks of four and a centerline block of No. 753, Very Fine, Scott Retail more than \$2,300.00 E. 500-750
- 1454 ★ **Multiples Balance.** 21 items, including 330 block of four, plate blocks of 314, 320, 367 and 368, plate block of 25 of No. 634 with UL23 showing **gash and recut** position, overall fresh and Very Fine, Scott Retail in excess of..... 2,300.00
- 1455 ★ **Small Extensions Balance.** Three stamps, No. 277 with top plate no. 84 selvage, original gum, lightly hinged, faint margin thin and weak perfs, appears Very Fine, also Mint N.H. No. C15 with left plate no. 20091 selvage, excellent centering and wide margins, gum creases called a "diagonal crease" on certificate, appears Extremely Fine, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate (VF 80, downgraded because of the crease call), finally No. E6 with wide top plate no. 1774 selvage, appears Mint N.H. (and stated as such on 1997 P.F. certificate) but lightly brushed, Very Fine, with 2019 P.F. certificate as hinged 1,975.00
- 1456 ★ **Extensions Balance.** Three items with good P.F. or P.S.E. certificate but a small discrepancy noted when last offered, including No. 327 with wide plate no. selvage, Extremely Fine, with 2004 P.F. certificate as Mint N.H., with 2019 P.S.E. certificate as hinged (very debatable in our opinion, graded OGph, XF 90), No. 382 lightly hinged with bottom plate no. selvage, Extremely Fine Gem but with some faint toning, with clear 2000 P.F. and 2005 P.S.E. certificates (OGph, Superb 98; SMQ \$1,050.00), finally No. K15 with right plate no. selvage, Very Fine, with 1996 P.F. certificate as Mint N.H., with 2019 P.F. certificate as hinged 950.00
- 1457 **Extensions Balance.** Two choice appearing stamps with good certificates and a discrepancy noted when last offered, including No. 30A with red grid cancel and near perfect centering but reperfed, Extremely Fine appearance, with clear 1988 and 2004 P.F. certificates, also No. 78 with perfect centering but reperfed, with clear 2009 P.F. certificate and with 2019 P.S.E. certificate noting the reperfering 655.00

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SESSION THREE (LOTS 1458-1577)

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23, 2019, AT 10:30 A.M.

REVENUES, FEATURING THE MICHAEL WILLIS COLLECTION

The Joseph Antizzo collection of Embossed Revenue Stamped Paper
will be offered at 3:00 p.m.

FIRST ISSUE IMPERFORATE

- 1458 **1c Proprietary, Imperforate (R3a).** Large even margins all around, wonderful depth of color, neat manuscript cancel, fresh and Extremely Fine, a choice example of this issue, ex "Scarsdale", with 1979 and 2001 P.F. certificates 1,250.00



1458



1459



1460

- 1459 **1c Telegraph, Imperforate (R4).** Large margins, bright color, neat 1863 manuscript cancel, Very Fine and choice, with 1984 P.F. certificate 800.00
- 1460 **2c Certificate, Blue, Double Transfer (T7), Imperforate (R7a var).** Large to huge margins, strong impression showing the dramatic double transfer, neat "W. F. & Co. Jun. 2 1863" oval handstamp cancel, Extremely Fine, desirable variety, especially with the express company cancel 500.00



1461

1461°

2c Proprietary, Blue, Imperforate (R13a). Large margins, deep rich color complemented by clearly struck red "Wells, Fargo & Co. Jany. 1864" oval cancel, bright and fresh in every respect

EXTREMELY FINE EXAMPLE OF THE 2-CENT BLUE PROPRIETARY IMPERFORATE WITH A BEAUTIFULLY-STRUCK RED WELLS, FARGO & CO. CANCEL, FRAMING THE WASHINGTON DESIGN.

An example of this issue with the same cancel not nearly as well-struck and with a light crease, realized \$1,500.00 hammer in our 2014 sale of the Curtis Collection.

With 2016 P.F. certificate 1,200.00



1462

1462° **3c Playing Cards, Imperforate (R17a).** Large margins all around, deep rich color, unusual slightly dry printing at top, neat "April" manuscript cancel, completely sound

EXTREMELY FINE. A RARE SOUND EXAMPLE OF THE 3-CENT IMPERFORATE PLAYING CARDS WITH LARGE MARGINS ALL AROUND. ONE OF THE RAREST FIRST ISSUE REVENUE STAMPS, ESPECIALLY IN SOUND FOUR-MARGIN CONDITION.

This issue is exceedingly difficult to find in sound condition. The majority have faults to a lesser or greater degree, or smaller margins than this example possesses.

Ex Inman. With 1986 and 2003 P.F. certificates. With 2017 P.S.E. certificate (VF-XF 85; Revenues unpriced in SMQ). This is the only graded R17a in the P.S.E. Population Report 40,000.00



- 1463 **3c Telegraph, Imperforate (R19a).** Vertical strip of three, large margins to just in at upper right, rich color, light manuscript cancels, middle stamp horizontal crease, the bottom stamp is Extremely Fine, ex Cunliffe, Scott Retail as pair and single..... 600.00
- 1464 (★) **10c Bill of Lading, Imperforate (R32a). Unused (no gum),** large margins all around, deep rich color and detailed impression, Extremely Fine, rare in this choice unused condition, unpriced in Scott as unused, Scott Retail as used..... 70.00
- 1465 **10c Bill of Lading, Imperforate (R32a).** Horizontal pair, huge margins including part of adjoining stamps at top, neat March 7, 1863 manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine, a fresh and choice pair, ex Zoellner, small backstamp..... 300.00
- 1466 **10c Inland Exchange, Imperforate (R36a).** Large margins all around, beautiful rich color and crisp impression, neat 1863 manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine, with 2019 P.F. certificate (XF 90 XQ)..... 500.00
- 1467 **10c Inland Exchange, Imperforate (R36a).** Vertical pair, large margin at bottom, full to clear other sides, manuscript cancels, tiny scissors-cut in margin between stamps, Fine.... 1,750.00
- 1468 **10c Power of Attorney, Imperforate (R37a).** Huge margins to full at left, deep rich color, manuscript cancel, Very Fine, with 2003 A.P.S. certificate..... 1,000.00
- 1469 **10c Power of Attorney, Imperforate (R37a).** Large to full margins, intense proof-like color and impression, manuscript cancel, light horizontal crease, Very Fine appearance, with 2019 P.F. certificate 1,000.00

1470



- 1470° **10c Power of Attorney, Imperforate (R37a).** Horizontal strip of three, large margins to ample at sides, deep rich color, neat 1864 manuscript cancels

VERY FINE-EXTREMELY FINE STRIP OF THE 10-CENT POWER OF ATTORNEY FIRST ISSUE IMPERFORATE. THE MIDDLE STAMP IS A SUPERB GEM.

Only four multiples larger than a pair are recorded, including an intact block of four, a reconstructed block of nine, a vertical strip of three and this horizontal strip of three. This is by far the finer of the two recorded strips. Scott Retail as a pair and a single..... 3,500.00



- 1471 **15c Inland Exchange, Imperforate (R40a).** Horizontal and vertical pairs, horizontal pair with large to huge margins, fresh color, clear "A S 12/31/62" manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine, ex Zoellner, with 2001 P.F. certificate, vertical pair also with large to huge margins, manuscript cancel, bottom stamp faint horizontal crease is difficult to detect, appears Extremely Fine(Photo Ex) 500.00
- 1472 **20c Foreign Exchange, Imperforate (R41a).** Horizontal and vertical pairs as well as a single, each with large to huge margins, pairs neat manuscript cancels, vertical pair with couple faint horizontal creases, single with "W.S. & Co. Mar. 9, 1863" circular datestamp struck socked-on-the-nose, purple ink on back shows thru but might be contemporary, Extremely Fine or appear so(Photo Ex) 895.00
- 1473 **25 Bond, Imperforate (R43a).** Vertical pair, large even margins all around, rich color, light April 27, 1863 manuscript cancels, fresh and Extremely Fine, wonderful quality for this 750.00
- 1474 **30c Foreign Exchange, Imperforate (R51a).** Two, both with large to full margins and both cancelled by circular handstamps, one also manuscript cancel, other with Feb. 29, 1864 Leap Year circular datestamp, fresh and Very Fine(Photo Ex) 400.00
- 1475 **30c Foreign Exchange, Imperforate (R51a).** Horizontal and vertical pairs, first with large margins to full, second with ample margins to clear in one spot, both pairs have one stamp with a faint crease visible only when drying (left stamp for horizontal pair, top stamp for vertical pair), Very Fine appearance(Photo Ex) 1,300.00

- 1476 **40c Inland Exchange, Imperforate (R53a).** Huge margins to clear including **sheet margin at top**, cancelled by three overlapping strikes of blue “**Bradley, Coolidge & Rogers 10 May 1866**” circular datestamp, Very Fine, almost every example of this First Issue rarity we have offered has had a fault or margins to cutting in on at least one side, this fresh example with a blue handstamp cancel is a notable exception, ex Makepeace and Kingsley 2,500.00



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- 1477° **40c Inland Exchange, Imperforate (R53a).** Vertical pair, large margins to touching frameline at bottom, deep rich color and clear impression, manuscript cancels, bottom stamp with light crease barely above the design at top (and well below the large bottom margin of the top stamp)

VERY FINE APPEARING PAIR WITH THE TOP STAMP AN EXTREMELY FINE GEM. THIS IS ONE OF ONLY TWO RECORDED PAIRS OF THE 40-CENT INLAND EXCHANGE IMPERFORATE ISSUE — THE LARGEST RECORDED MULTIPLE — AND IT CONTAINS ONE OF THE FINEST KNOWN SINGLES AT TOP.

The Curtis census lists only this pair of R53a, which is the largest recorded multiple. However, we offered a different pair in our 1976 Rarities sale, which may or may not still be intact. Almost every example of this First Issue rarity we have offered has had a document crease or margins close or cutting in on at least one side. While we would not recommend cutting apart this pair, given its possible unique status, the top stamp is an Extremely Fine Gem and ranks as one of the finest singles extant.

Ex Joyce. With 2005 P.S.E. certificate. Two singles have a total Scott value of \$5,000.00, so the \$750.00 premium for the pair is negligible..... 5,750.00



- 1478 **50c Life Insurance, Imperforate (R58a).** Horizontal pair, ample to full margins, deep rich color, cancelled solely by large **red** four-line handstamp, Very Fine and choice, a lovely pair cancelled solely by the red handstamp 160.00
- 1479 (★) **50c Surety Bond, Imperforate (R63a). Unused (no gum),** large to full margins, rich color, Very Fine, scarce unused, with 2019 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail as used ... 400.00
- 1480 **50c Surety Bond, Imperforate (R63a).** Large margins, bright color, light manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine 400.00
- 1481° **50c Surety Bond, Imperforate (R63a).** Horizontal pair, large even margins, deep rich color, 1863 manuscript cancel, fresh and Extremely Fine, wonderful quality, with 2005 P.S.E. certificate..... 1,200.00
- 1482 **70c Foreign Exchange, Imperforate (R65a).** Deep rich color, large to ample margins, beautifully struck "Thos. Richardson & Co. N.Y. May 28, 1864" circular datestamp, Very Fine and choice, an outstanding example of this scarce First Issue cancelled solely by the socked-on-the-nose handstamp, with 2018 P.F. certificate..... 650.00
- 1483 **70c Foreign Exchange, Imperforate (R65a).** Large to full margins, rich color, 1865 manuscript cancel, Very Fine, with 1991 P.S.E. certificate 650.00
- 1484 **\$1.00 Passage Ticket, Imperforate (R74a).** Large margins, fresh color, manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine, with 2002 P.F. certificate 350.00
- 1485 田 **\$1.00 Probate of Will, Imperforate (R76a).** Horizontal pair with **bottom sheet margin**, other sides large to clear at upper left, bright color, light manuscript cancel, Very Fine .. 300.00

- 1486 **\$1.30 Foreign Exchange, Imperforate (R77a).** Large margins to full, brilliant color, neat Feb. 1, 1864 manuscript cancel, just a hint of a paper wrinkle or small crease at top when drying (not mentioned on accompanying certificate)
 VERY FINE APPEARING FOUR-MARGIN EXAMPLE OF THE \$1.30 FOREIGN EXCHANGE IMPERFORATE FIRST ISSUE REVENUE.
 Only 3,878 were issued imperforate (44 sheets with 82 stamps returned for perforating). No multiples are known for this issue.
 With 1985 P.F. certificate..... 11,000.00



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- 1487 **\$1.50 Inland Exchange, Imperforate (R78a).** Horizontal pair, large margins, rich color, bold Aug. 6, 1863 manuscript cancels, Extremely Fine 140.00
 1488 **\$1.60 Foreign Exchange, Imperforate (R79a).** Large to ample margins, bright color, bold manuscript cancel, Very Fine, with 2002 A.P.S. certificate..... 1,250.00

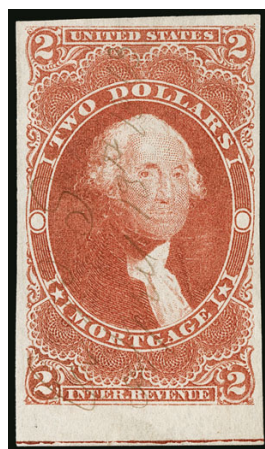


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- 1489 **\$1.90 Foreign Exchange, Imperforate (R80a).** Three large margins, clear at top, neat 8-12-1863 manuscript cancel, certificate notes "color slightly faded" which we believe is overly harsh, faint crease not mentioned on certificate
 FINE APPEARING EXAMPLE OF THE RARE \$1.90 IMPERFORATE FOREIGN EXCHANGE FIRST ISSUE REVENUE.
 A review using Power Search found a dozen or so unduplicated copies. No multiples are known.
 With 2016 P.F. certificate..... 12,500.00



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1490 **\$2.00 Conveyance, Imperforate (R81a).** Large margins all around, rich color, February 25, 1863 manuscript cancel, fresh and Extremely Fine, ex Inman and Helton, with 2016 P.F. certificate..... 250.00

1491 **\$2.00 Mortgage, Imperforate (R82a).** Huge margins to ample with **bottom sheet margin** showing edge of printing plate, deep rich color, light manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine 150.00

1492 **\$2.00 Probate of Will, Imperforate (R83a).** Large margins all around, fresh color, March 16, 1863 manuscript cancel, certificate notes a light horizontal crease in the top margin which is very difficult to detect

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A HANDSOME EXAMPLE OF THE RARE IMPERFORATE \$2.00 PROBATE OF WILL.

With 2014 P.F. certificate..... 8,000.00



1492

1493 **\$3.00 Charter Party, Imperforate (R85a).** Ample margins to large at left, fresh color, cancelled solely by boldly struck "C.L. & Co./ Jul. 14 63" two-line date stamp, Very Fine and choice, scarce with this handstamp cancel 200.00

1494 **\$3.00 Manifest, Imperforate (R86a).** Large even margins with portion of adjoining stamp at upper left, deep rich color, manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine Gem..... 200.00



1495

1495° **\$3.50 Inland Exchange, Imperforate (R87a).** Large margins to ample at top left, deep rich color, unobtrusive manuscript cancel, completely sound

EXTREMELY FINE. AN EXCEEDINGLY RARE SOUND, FOUR-MARGIN EXAMPLE OF THE \$3.50 INLAND EXCHANGE IMPERFORATE. ONE OF THE MOST DIFFICULT FIRST ISSUE REVENUE STAMPS TO OBTAIN IN SUCH CHOICE CONDITION.

Only 1,430 were issued imperforate. A review using Power Search found only two or three others in sound and well-centered condition comparable to this example.

With 2004 P.F. certificate 10,000.00



- 1496 **\$5.00 Charter Party, Imperforate (R88a).** Huge margins all around, rich color, manuscript Sep. 1871 cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb example of this issue, with 2003 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; Revenues unpriced in SMQ)..... 300.00
- 1497 **\$5.00 Conveyance, Imperforate (R89a).** Horizontal pair, large even margins, vibrant color and a sharp impression, light manuscript cancels, Extremely Fine..... 200.00
- 1498 **\$5.00 Manifest, Imperforate (R90a).** Enormous margins all around, vibrant color, light manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, ex Kingsley, with 2018 P.F. certificate .. 250.00
- 1499 **\$5.00 Mortgage, Imperforate (R91a).** Large margins all around, wonderful depth of color, light manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine..... 200.00
- 1500 **\$5.00 Probate of Will, Imperforate (R92a).** Huge margins, neat manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, a gorgeous stamp, ex Inman, with 1999 P.F. certificate..... 700.00
- 1501 **\$5.00 Probate of Will, Imperforate (R92a).** Large to full margins all around, 1863 manuscript cancel, Very Fine, with 2016 A.P.S. certificate 700.00
- 1502 **\$10.00 Charter Party, Imperforate (R93a).** Large to ample margins, rich color, Aug. 10, 1863 manuscript cancel, Very Fine and choice, with 1998 P.F. certificate 900.00



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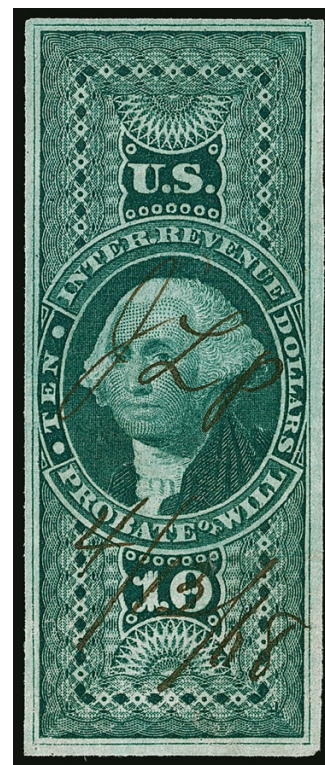
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- 1503 **\$10.00 Conveyance, Imperforate (R94a).** Large margins, rich color, neat manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine 175.00
- 1504 **\$10.00 Mortgage, Imperforate (R95a).** Huge to ample margins, intense color, 1863 manuscript cancel, Very Fine and choice 825.00
- 1505 **\$10.00 Mortgage, Imperforate (R95a).** Three very large margins, full margin at top, deep intense color and impression, 1863 manuscript cancel, faint trace of a crease, otherwise Very Fine 825.00

- 1506 **\$10.00 Probate of Will, Imperforate (R96a).** Large margins to full, deep rich color, neat 1868 manuscript cancel
- VERY FINE AND CHOICE EXAMPLE OF THE IMPERFORATE \$10.00 PROBATE OF WILL FIRST ISSUE REVENUE.
- Evidence points to an imperforate supply of 856, as 792 others (11 sheets) were returned for perforating. With 2015 P.S.E. certificate 4,000.00



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\$10.00 Probate of Will, Imperforate (R96a). Large margins all around, rich color in a dark shade, highly detailed impression, 1864 manuscript cancel

EXTREMELY FINE EXAMPLE OF THE IMPERFORATE \$10.00 PROBATE OF WILL FIRST ISSUE REVENUE.

With 2019 P.F. certificate..... 4,000.00

1508

\$15.00 Mortgage, Imperforate (R97a).

Large margins all around, deep rich color and proof-like impression, neat Feb. 20, 1863 manuscript cancel

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A SUPERB EXAMPLE OF THE \$15.00 MORTGAGE IMPERFORATE.

This is an early use, as they were first delivered to the Department on Dec. 18, 1862.

Ex Handy, Floyd and "Scarsdale". With 1980 and 2001 P.F. certificates.... 4,000.00



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- 1509 **\$20.00 Probate of Will, Imperforate (R99a).** Brilliant color, large margins to full, light manuscript cancel, completely sound, fresh and Fine, with 2017 P.F. certificate 3,250.00
- 1510 **\$20.00 Probate of Will, Imperforate (R99a).** Large to ample margins all around, intensely rich color, 1864 manuscript cancel, small crease at top right, Very Fine appearance, with 2008 P.F. certificate 3,250.00
- 1511 **\$25.00 Mortgage, Imperforate (R100a).** Large margins to full at right, May 29, 1863 manuscript cancel, fresh and Fine, with 2003 A.P.S. certificate noting slightly oxidized, which has since been removed..... 3,000.00
- 1512 **\$25.00 Mortgage, Imperforate (R100a).** Large to full margins all around, rich color, manuscript cancel, light crease and tiny tear, both of these flaws are very minor, Very Fine appearance, with 2014 P.S.E. certificate..... 3,000.00
- 1513 **\$50.00 U.S.I.R., Imperforate (R101a).** Large even margins, fresh color and paper, 1864 manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine 325.00



1514

- 1514 **\$200.00 U.S.I.R., Imperforate (R102a).** Large margins to full including part of adjoining stamp at left, beautiful rich colors, March 10, 1865 manuscript cancel, for strict accuracy we mention a small natural paper wrinkle at bottom center (correctly not mentioned on the certificate)
- VERY FINE AND CHOICE. A PARTICULARLY HANDSOME AND DESIRABLE EXAMPLE OF THE IMPERFORATE \$200.00 U.S.I.R. FIRST ISSUE REVENUE STAMP.
- With 2019 P.F. certificate..... 2,250.00



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- 1515 **\$200.00 U.S.I.R., Imperforate (R102a).** Large margins to clear at left, rich colors, manuscript cancel, sound and fresh, Very Fine, with 2005 P.S.E. certificate..... 2,250.00



1516

- 1516 **\$200.00 U.S.I.R., Imperforate (R102a).** Three large margins, ample margin at left, bright colors, light August 16, 1864 manuscript cancel, a few small paper wrinkles, otherwise Very Fine..... 2,250.00



1517

- 1517 **\$200.00 U.S.I.R., Imperforate (R102a).** Large even margins all around, deep intense colors and sharp detailed impression, February 14, 1865 manuscript cancel, small thin at top and expertly repaired at bottom, Very Fine appearance, ex Lyons and Lewis, 1992 P.S.E. certificate no longer accompanies 2,250.00

FIRST ISSUE IMPERFORATE MULTIPLES



- 1518 田 **1c Express, Imperforate (R1a).** Block of four, large to ample margins, neat Mar. 11, 1863 manuscript cancels, small corner crease at top right, still Very Fine, ex Joyce 700.00
- 1519 田 **2c Bank Check, Blue, Imperforate (R5a).** Block of 17, 4 x 4 format with extra stamp at bottom left, rich color, cancelled by multiple strikes of Manhattan Life Insurance Co. Aug. 27, 1863 circular datestamp without manuscript cancels, reinforced crease between top two and bottom two rows is in large part broken but does not affect the designs and the block is still intact, Very Fine appearance, the Curtis census records only three larger multiples but each is either rejoined or repaired, ex Cunliffe, Scott Retail as four blocks of four 760.00
- 1520 田 **2c Express, Blue, Imperforate (R9a).** Block of twelve, Positions 51/95, large to huge margins, neat 1864 manuscript cancels, Extremely Fine, Scott Retail as two pairs and two blocks of four 420.00
- 1521 田 **5c Certificate, Imperforate (R24a).** Block of 12, large margins, Feb. 14, 1863 manuscript cancels, few light creases, Very Fine appearance, this is **the largest recorded multiple**, one other block of twelve is recorded but it is reconstructed, ex Cunliffe and Curtis, Scott Retail as blocks of four and pairs 570.00



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- 1522 田 **5c Express, Imperforate (R25a).** Block of 72, huge margins to just in at top including significant portion of adjoining stamps at right, each with neat manuscript cancel, bottom rows show additional 1865-dated cancels, radiant color, few faults including creases with minor splitting, few edge tears, still Very Fine, this is by far **the largest recorded multiple**, the next largest is a reconstructed block of 60, ex Weill Brothers Stock and Curtis, Scott Retail as blocks and pairs 3,480.00
- 1523 **10c Bill of Lading, Imperforate (R32a).** Horizontal and vertical strips of five, first with large margins to full, second with large margins to touched on a couple, rich colors, neat manuscript cancels, Fine to mostly Very Fine, Scott Retail as pairs and singles (Photo Ex) 1,340.00
- 1524 **10c Certificate, Imperforate (R33a).** Vertical strip of four, ample margins to clear, pretty shade, unobtrusive manuscript cancels, light horizontal crease between pairs, overall Fine-Very Fine, ex Turner and Cunliffe 1,700.00



- 1525 **25 Bond, Imperforate (R43a).** Strip of four made from rejoining the left strip of three and the right single, the rejoining occurs slightly into the right stamp, March 2, 1863 manuscript cancel, hole punch on left stamp and a few small faults, otherwise Fine, **the largest recorded multiple**, there also exist an intact block of four and a reconstructed block of four, Scott Retail as two pairs..... 1,500.00
- 1526 **25c Life Insurance, Imperforate (R47a).** Horizontal strip of five, large to ample margins all around, bright color, light manuscript cancels, trivial crease at top and a faint vertical crease between second and third stamps that ends in a tiny tear, Very Fine appearance, this is **the largest recorded multiple** and the only multiple larger than four, ex Joyce and Cunliffe, Scott Retail as pairs and a single..... 350.00
- 1527 田 **25c Power of Attorney, Imperforate (R48a).** Block of four with **wide bottom sheet margin** showing outline of plate, other sides ample to touched at top left, pastel color, 1863 manuscript cancels, Very Fine..... 500.00
- 1528 **25c Warehouse Receipt, Imperforate (R50a).** Horizontal strip of four, ample margins to clear at right, rich color, 1863 manuscript cancel, Very Fine, Scott Retail as two pairs (block of four catalogues \$1,200.00)..... 500.00
- 1529 **30c Inland Exchange, Imperforate (R52a).** Block of four, full margins to in at left, 1863 manuscript cancels, top pair with light creases, otherwise Fine, only one larger block is known (of six, on piece) and four other blocks of four are recorded, ex Cunliffe 1,000.00
- 1530 田 **50c Conveyance, Imperforate (R54a).** Vertical block of six, large to full margins all around, light manuscript cancel, tiny corner crease at bottom right is barely worth a mention, Very Fine and choice multiple, ex Weill Brothers stock, Scott Retail as a block and a pair..... 700.00
- 1531 田 **50c Passage Ticket, Imperforate (R61a).** Horizontal strip of four, large margins to touched at top right, fresh color, manuscript cancels, Fine-Very Fine, **the largest recorded multiple**, ex Joyce, Scott Retail as pairs..... 750.00



- 1532 田 **\$1.00 Conveyance, Imperforate (R66a).** Block of nine in 3x3 format, large margins to touched on sides, bright color, 1863 manuscript cancels, light vertical crease between second and third columns, small trivial wrinkle at top left, appears Very Fine, ex Cunliffe, Scott Retail as block of four, pairs and a single 857.50
- 1533 田 **\$1.00 Conveyance, Imperforate (R66a).** Block of 17, 3x5 format with two extra stamps at bottom right, sheet margin at bottom, other sides with ample margins to touched, Dec. 31, 1862 manuscript cancels, typical creases and pos. 4 with sealed tear, the bottom row is free of creases and the middle two at bottom are Extremely Fine Gems, overall Fine large multiple, only two larger are recorded, Scott Retail as blocks, pairs and a single 2,157.50
- 1534 (★) 田 **\$5.00 Charter Party, Imperforate (R88a).** Block of four, **unused (no gum)**, large margins to barely in, brilliant color, dramatic pre-printing paperfolds at bottom, Fine-Very Fine, this is **the largest recorded multiple and the only block known**, three strips of four are also known (all are used), ex Joyce, Cunliffe and Curtis, Scott Retail as a used block 1,500.00
- 1535 田 **\$10.00 Conveyance, Imperforate (R94a).** Block of six in 3x2 format, ample margins to in, small piece out of bottom left corner, small tears on right stamps, a presentable example of this rare block, only one other of this size is recorded with one larger (a block of eight), ex Cunliffe..... 1,350.00



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- 1536 田 **\$20.00 Conveyance, Imperforate (R98a).** Block of four, mostly large margins to full at lower left, vivid color, each with neat April 28, 1864 manuscript cancel, fresh and sound, overall Very Fine, ex Weill Brothers Stock..... 2,000.00

- 1537 田 **\$20.00 Conveyance, Imperforate (R98a).** Vertical block of six, large margins to clear including part of adjoining stamps at bottom, bright color with just a hint of darkening along top and bottom edges, each stamp with neat 1864 manuscript cancel, some slight wrinkling, appears Fine-Very Fine, scarce multiple, only four larger multiples are recorded, Scott Retail as a block and a pair.. 2,450.00



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- 1538 田 **\$50.00 U.S.I.R., Imperforate (R101a).** Block of twelve, large margins to in at upper left, deep rich color, neat "May Thirteenth one thousand eight hundred & sixty four John H. Graham President ?" manuscript cancel, few flaws including horizontal crease ending in small tear mostly between rows and few other small tears

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. THIS IS THE LARGEST RECORDED MULTIPLE OF THE \$50.00 U.S.I.R. IMPERFORATE.

The Curtis census (available at the website <https://www.thecurtiscollection.com>) records three blocks of twelve, which is the largest size multiple. Ex Joyce and Curtis. Scott Retail as three blocks of four. 7,200.00

FIRST ISSUE PART PERFORATED



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1c Playing Cards, Part Perforated (R2b). Vertical pair, centered to right but the imperforate margins are particularly large, fresh color, neat "S.R. & Co. Apl. 13" manuscript cancels typically seen on many of the 1c Playing Cards

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

According to the Curtis census, the largest recorded multiples are a block of four, two vertical strips of three and approximately ten pairs.

With 2005 P.S.E. certificate 4,750.00



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- 1540 **1c Proprietary, Part Perforated (R3b).** Horizontal pair, **imperforate vertically**, 1864 manuscript cancel, small toned spot at top left, otherwise Fine, with 2012 P.F. certificate, the Scott Catalogue points out in its Revenue stamps introduction that the vertically imperforate part-perforated stamps are "considerably scarcer" than the horizontally imperforate versions 750.00
- 1541 (★) **2c Playing Cards, Blue, Part Perforated (R11b).** Vertical strip of four, **unused (no gum)**, attractive margins and centering except just in at top, three stamps with light crease and reperfed, otherwise Fine, the **largest recorded multiple** of the 2c Playing Cards Part Perforated (either used or unused), ex Joyce, with 2005 P.S.E. certificate, Scott Retail as two pairs 1,500.00
- 1542 (★) **2c Proprietary, Blue, Part Perforated (R13b).** Vertical strip of four with bottom sheet margin, **unused (no gum)**, rich color, centered to right, Fine, ex Joyce, Scott Retail as two pairs. 1,400.00
- 1543 (★) **2c Proprietary, Blue, Part Perforated (R13b).** Block of four, **unused (no gum)**, bright color, just in at top, top left stamp sealed tear at right, Fine-Very Fine appearance, a scarce unused multiple, only two multiples are known in block configuration (a block of 12 and the block of four offered here), all other multiples are strips, ex Curtis, Scott Retail as a used block 2,000.00

- 1544° **3c Foreign Exchange, Part Perforated (R16b).** Gorgeous centering, rich color, cancelled solely by double-circle datestamp, Extremely Fine, a beautiful stamp and rare in this superb quality with a handstamp cancel, ex "Scarsdale", with 2002 P.F. certificate..... 1,100.00



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- 1545 **3c Proprietary, Part Perforated (R18b).** Excellent centering, rich color, manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine, a particularly challenging stamp to find in this select quality, we have offered only three sound singles in the last 25 years, with 2019 P.F. certificate 1,250.00

- 1546 **3c Proprietary, Part Perforated (R18b).** Vertical strip of three, bottom pair with margins to just in at bottom, top stamp torn at top from separation, fresh color, Fine and scarce multiple, ex Joyce (as a rejoined strip of four, the bottom stamp subsequently removed), Scott Retail as a pair and single..... 4,250.00

- 1547 **4c Proprietary, Part Perforated (R22b).** Vertical strip of three, fresh color, neat 1864 manuscript cancels, faint horizontal creases at top and thru middle stamp, appears Fine, this issue is very rare as a multiple larger than a pair, the largest unit is a repaired strip of six, there is also a reinforced block of four, a rejoined strip of four and this strip of three, ex Joyce, with 2005 P.S.E. certificate only mentioning the crease in middle, Scott Retail as a pair and single..... 2,000.00



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5c Inland Exchange, Part Perforated, Double Impression (R27b var). Clear doubling of the design throughout, neat Mar. 17, 1863 manuscript cancel, small perf tear at right, Fine appearance, this is the **only example recorded** on the census maintained by Dan Harding at <https://revenue-collector.com/doubleimpressions/index.shtml>, with 2004 P.S.E. certificate, unlisted in Scott as part perforated, Scott Retail as double impression on perforated 3,500.00



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- 1549 **10c Certificate, Part Perforated (R33b).** Huge margins to touching at bottom, rich color, tied to small piece of document by bold strike of "P.F.W. & O. RY. Co. Secretary's Office April 2, 1863" oval datestamp, fresh and Fine, attractive with this cancel, with 2003 P.S.E. certificate (F 70; Revenues unpriced in SMQ) 850.00
- 1550 **10c Certificate, Part Perforated (R33b).** Vertical strip of five, deep rich color, centered to left, manuscript cancels, Fine, a strip of five is **the largest recorded multiple** (five others are known), ex Dean (signed on back) and Curtis, Scott Retail as pairs and a single 5,850.00
- 1551 **10c Blue, Inland Exchange, Perf Perforated (R36b).** Reconstructed block of 40, Apr. 4, 1863 manuscript cancels, rejoined along three vertical rows, few other faults including light horizontal crease, still Fine, this is the second largest recorded multiple (the Curtis collection had a reconstructed block of 60), ex Joyce, Scott Retail as blocks of four 800.00

- 1552^田 **15c Inland Exchange, Part Perforated, Double Impression (R40e).** Block of four, showing distinctive doubling of the entire design, dark rich color, manuscript cancels, top left stamp small diagonal pre-printing paper fold, top pair with a light horizontal crease

FINE APPEARANCE. AN EXCEEDINGLY RARE AND LIKELY UNIQUE BLOCK OF FOUR OF THE 15-CENT INLAND EXCHANGE PART PERFORATED ISSUE WITH DOUBLE IMPRESSION.

A Power Search review found only three other single examples of a double impression on this issue — two of the three are fully perforated (R40f), which is priced in Scott considerably lower than the part perforated version offered here. This is the only block we have encountered and is in all likelihood unique.

With 2002 P.F. certificate. Scott Retail as singles..... 9,000.00



1552



- 1553 **25c Life Insurance, Part Perforated (R47b).** Excellent centering, attractive color, 1863 manuscript cancel, shallow thin spot, Extremely Fine appearance, a very rare and undervalued stamp, a review of Power Search shows we have sold only four singles and three pairs, with 1999 P.S.E. certificate 1,250.00
- 1554 **25c Life Insurance, Part Perforated (R47b).** Vertical pair, intense shade and impression, neat Feb. 23, 1864 manuscript cancels, light horizontal creases including one ending in a small tear at left, small ink smear at bottom, few ragged perfs at lower left, Fine appearance, a pair is **the largest recorded multiple** and only nine are recorded, ex Turner and Cunliffe 3,000.00
- 1555 **25c Protest, Part Perforated (R49b).** Large beautifully balanced margins, rich color, neat manuscript cancel at right, Extremely Fine, a choice example of this issue, ex DePriest and Helton, with 1999 and 2017 P.F. certificates 1,100.00
- 1556 **25c Protest, Part Perforated (R49b).** Horizontal pair, but not in the configuration listed in Scott, dramatic **pre-printing paper fold**, deep rich color, small manuscript cancels, Very Fine, a pair is **the largest recorded multiple**, with 2005 P.S.E. certificate, Scott Retail as two singles.... 2,000.00
- 1557 **25c Warehouse Receipt, Part Perforated (R50b).** Choice centering, rich color, July 25, 1863 manuscript cancel, Very Fine, ex "Scarsdale" and Inman, with 2003 and 2016 P.F. certificates 1,300.00
- 1558 **50c Foreign Exchange, Part Perforated (R56b).** Vertical pair with top sheet margin, bright color, single line manuscript cancel, fresh and Fine, ex Tolman 550.00

FIRST ISSUE PERFORATED



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- 1559 **2c Bank Check, Orange on Green Paper (R6e).** Centered to right, color slightly darkened, neat "Coffin & Alten, Philada Jan. 15, 1867" double-circle cancel, appears Fine, scarce, with clear 2002 A.P.S. certificate 800.00
- 1560 ★ **2c Proprietary, Ultramarine, Perforated (R13e).** Original gum, pretty pastel color, fresh and Fine, a scarce stamp with original gum, with 1999 A.P.S. certificate, Scott Retail as used..... 350.00
- 1561 **2c Proprietary, Orange, Double Transfer (T13 var., T13a), Perforated (R14c var.)** Two stamps showing **major double transfers** at bottom, one is the listed T13a, the other is a variety of T13 but not exactly the listed T13, deep rich color, handstamp and manuscript cancels, Fine, with 2012 P.F. certificates 950.00



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- 1562 (★) **2c U.S.I.R., Perforated (R15c).** Unused (no gum), dramatic **kiss print** at left, doubled portion of the impression shifted to right, vivid color, Fine, a striking variety, ex Cunliffe and "Wildhorse", with 1989 P.S.E. and 2014 P.F. certificates E. 500-750
- 1563 **3c Proprietary, Perforated, Double Impression (R18e).** Clear doubling of the design throughout, small manuscript "H" cancel, small creases at top, appears Fine, scarce, with 1998 P.S.E. certificate 1,500.00
- 1564 **4c Playing Cards, Perforated (R21c).** Rich color, neat initials manuscript cancel, fresh and Very Fine, with 1980 and 1995 P.F. certificates 750.00
- 1565 **6c Proprietary, Perforated (R31c).** Neat strike of blue Charles Osgood May 30, 1871 oval cancel, typical small faults nearly always encountered with this issue, otherwise Fine, a particularly attractive and collectable example, Scott Catalogue notes "Nearly all examples of No. R31 are faulty and poorly centered. The catalogue value is for a fine centered stamp with minor faults which do not detract from its appearance."(Photo Ex) 1,500.00



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- 1566 **25c Insurance, Perforated, Double Impression (R46e).** Unused, (no gum), clear doubling of the design, rich color, Very Fine and scarce, ex Joyce, with 1991 P.F. certificate..... 750.00
- 1567 **\$1.00 Mortgage, Perforated (R73c).** Well-centered, especially for this issue, fresh color, 1864 manuscript cancel, Very Fine, ex "Wildhorse", with 2007 P.S.E. certificate.. 300.00
- 1568 **\$1.00 Passage Ticket, Perforated, Thin Paper (R74c).** Horizontal pair, radiant color, lightened manuscript cancel, Very Fine, scarce multiple, ex Curtis..... 750.00



1569

- 1569 田 **\$1.50 Inland Exchange, Perforated (R78c).** Block of six, attractive centering and margins, neat 1866 manuscript cancels, some sensibly reinforced perf separations, Very Fine, this is **the largest recorded multiple** and only one other block of this size is recorded, ex Joyce..... 475.00



1570

1570°

\$3.00 Charter Party, Perforated, Impression of No. RS208 on Back (R85cg). Face of stamp has rich color and small blue manuscript cancel, back of stamp shows two part impressions of **A. B. & D. Sands' Dr. McMunn's Elixir of Opium patent medicine stamp (RS208)**, two small holes at top from long-ago hinge removal

THIS IS ONE OF ONLY TWO RECORDED EXAMPLES OF THE \$3.00 CHARTER PARTY FIRST ISSUE REVENUE PRINTED ON BOTH SIDES, WITH THE DR. McMUNN'S ELIXIR OF OPIUM PRIVATE DIE PROPRIETARY ISSUE ON THE REVERSE SIDE. ONE OF THE MOST REMARKABLE OF ALL PHILATELIC RARITIES.

This \$3.00 Charter Party stamp comes from a sheet that apparently had an unsatisfactory impression of the Sands' private die proprietary stamp (RS208) on one side. It was put on the press a second time in order to produce the \$3.00 Charter Party. The fact that both impressions are in the identical green color offers some intriguing possibilities for how the printers worked with plates and inks. Were press runs grouped by color, in order to use up a batch of ink? Were two or more presses operating simultaneously with the different plates? This rare artifact of Butler & Carpenter's revenue stamp production is physical evidence that the printers were pressed for time and resources during the rush to produce huge quantities of Civil War tax stamps in 1862.

According to the Boston Revenue book, the \$3.00 Charter Party first went to press on Dec. 1, 1862, and the first delivery was made on Dec. 9. The Sand's private die was approved on Dec. 26, 1862, and the first issue was in Jan. 1863. During the month of Dec. 1862, many of the different green stamps printed by Butler & Carpenter were on the press. This \$3.00 Charter Party stamp was evidently made from a sheet of paper with a poor impression of the Sands plate. The relative orientation of the impressions reflects the different plate layouts and dimensions for the two stamps: the Sands plate of 69 subjects and the \$3.00 Charter Party plate of 72 subjects.

Dr. McMunn's Elixir of Opium was first formulated in the mid 1830's by Dr. John B. McMunn. The product became a big hit in the United States once the A. B. & D. Sands drug company bought the recipe in 1841. Soon after, advertisements for the product flooded newspapers and medical journals, many guaranteeing that McMunn's was not habit-forming. Yet, bottles of the narcotic-laced formula were labeled as the "Pure and Essential Extract of the Native Drug", and the preparation was said to be "Greatly Superior to Morphine." Touted as a cure for a host of ailments, including the relief of "convulsions and spasmodic action," as well as "pain and irritation, nervous excitement and morbid irritability of body and mind," McMunn's potent remedy was among the countless pharmaceutical preparations containing opiates and widely available to the 19th-century consumer." (source: <http://odysseysvirtualmuseum.com/products/Dr.-McMunn%27s-Elixir-Of-Opium-Bottle.html>).

This is one of only two recorded examples of this rarity. The other, offered in our 2011 and 2019 Rarities sales, was previously believed to be unique.

With 2016 letter of authenticity from Eric Jackson and accompanied by normal stamp.... 17,000.00



- 1571 田 **\$10 Conveyance, Perforated (R94c).** Block of six, rich color, manuscript cancels, right pair vertical crease, toning on back is barely evident on the front in a couple places, reinforced perf separations, appears Fine-Very Fine, this is **the largest recorded multiple**, only two other blocks of six are recorded and this is in the finer condition compared to those two (one is rejoined), Scott Retail as block of four and pair 900.00
- 1572 **\$20.00 Conveyance, Perforated (R98c).** Well-balanced margins, bright color, cancelled solely by beautifully clear strike of **blue** "C J. & E. Dewitt. New York May 2, 1866" double-circle datestamp, Very Fine and choice, desirable cancelled solely by this handstamp, George Gosman DeWitt was the principal of the law firm that used this stamp, he was a prominent New York attorney, trustee of Columbia University and governor of New York Hospital 125.00
- 1573 **\$20.00 Probate of Will, Perforated (R99c).** Attractive centering and margins, April 5, 1864 manuscript cancel, just a hint of oxidation, appears Fine 3,000.00
- 1574 **\$20.00 Probate of Will, Perforated (R99c).** Bright color, 1863 manuscript cancel, pressed out crease, small thins, and some short perfs, Fine appearance, with 2016 A.P.S. certificate.. 3,000.00



1575

- 1575 **\$200.00 U.S.I.R., Perforated (R102c).** Lovely bright colors, 1870 manuscript cancel, Very Fine 800.00



1576

- 1576 **\$200.00 U.S.I.R., Perforated (R102c).** Rich colors, bold Aug. 1, 1867 manuscript cancel, small thin spot at lower right, appears Fine 800.00



1577

- 1577 **\$200.00 U.S.I.R., Perforated (R102c).** Well-balanced margins, faintly cancelled, tiny pin indentation at middle right, appears Very Fine 800.00

END OF SESSION THREE

SESSION FOUR (LOTS 1578-1694)
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23, 2019, AT 1:30 P.M.

SECOND ISSUE REVENUES

The Joseph Antizzo collection of Embossed Revenue Stamped Paper
will be offered at 3:00 p.m.



1578



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- 1578 **1c Blue & Black, Second Issue, Center Inverted (R103a).** Deep rich colors, very light herringbone cancel (appears unused), fresh and Fine, Scott Retail as cut cancel... 750.00
- 1579 **5c Blue & Black, Second Issue, Center Inverted (R107a).** Deep rich colors, neat “*” pen cancel, centered to top left, fresh and Fine, this invert is very scarce in sound condition, with 2005 P.S.E. certificate..... 4,000.00
- 1580 **10c Blue & Black, Second Issue, Center Inverted (R109a).** Attractive margins and centering, very light herringbone cancel (appears unused), faint internal crease not mentioned on accompanying certificate, appears Very Fine, with 2002 A.P.S. certificate, Scott Retail as cut cancel..... 1,250.00



1581



1582

- 1581 **50c Blue & Black, Second Issue, Center Inverted (R115a, formerly R115b).** Rich color, centered to bottom right, manuscript cancel, Fine, in the 2018 edition of the *Scott Specialized Catalogue* the editors changed this (unhelpfully in our opinion) from R115b to R115a..... 1,050.00
- 1582 **50c Blue & Black, Second Issue, Center Inverted (R115a, formerly R115b).** Rich color, neat Sep. 4, 1871 manuscript cancel, Fine, in the 2018 edition of the *Scott Specialized Catalogue* the editors changed this (unhelpfully in our opinion) from R115b to R115a..... 1,050.00



1583



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- 1583 **\$1.30 Blue & Black, Second Issue (R119).** Bright color, choice centering and margins, complementary blue handstamp cancel, Very Fine and choice 750.00
- 1584 **\$3.50 Blue & Black, Second Issue (R126).** Brilliant color, 1871 manuscript cancel, fresh and Very Fine, with 2003 P.F. certificate..... 500.00



1585

- 1585° **\$20.00 Blue & Black, Second Issue (R129).** Deep rich color, choice centering and margins, neat central strike of blue "Wm Vernon New York Jan. 20, 1872" oval handstamp cancel
- VERY FINE AND CHOICE. AN OUTSTANDING AND EXTREMELY RARE EXAMPLE OF THE \$20.00 SECOND ISSUE REVENUE CANCELLED SOLELY BY A BLUE HANDSTAMP.
- Incredibly, this is the *only example* of the \$20.00 Second Issue listed in Power Search with any kind of a handstamp cancel. All of the more than 20 used examples we have sold since 1993 have manuscript cancels.
- Ex Kingsley and "Scarsdale". With 2003 P.F. certificate..... 900.00

- 1586 **\$20.00 Blue & Black, Second Issue (R129).** Unusually deep rich colors and proof-like impressions, neat manuscript cancel, fresh and Fine, an attractive stamp 900.00
- 1587 **\$20.00 Blue & Black, Second Issue (R129).** Nicely balance margins, deep color, 1872 manuscript cancel, faint trace of a corner crease at bottom left, otherwise Very Fine 900.00



1588



1589



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- 1588 **\$25.00 Blue & Black, Second Issue (R130).** Attractive margins and centering, rich colors, Sep. 16, 1872 manuscript cancel, fresh and Fine, with 2003 P.S.E. certificate (F-VF 75)..... 850.00
- 1589 **\$25.00 Blue & Black, Second Issue (R130).** Attractive margins and centering, rich colors, faintly cancelled (appears unused at a glance), Very Fine..... 850.00
- 1590 **\$50.00 Blue & Black, Second Issue (R131).** Wide margins and well-centered, fresh colors, May 24, 1871 manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate 1,050.00



1591



1592

- 1591 **\$50.00 Blue & Black, Second Issue (R131).** Rich color, crisp impressions, unusually choice centering with wide and balanced margins, neat 1871 manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine, rare with such choice centering..... 1,050.00
- 1592 **\$50.00 Blue & Black, Second Issue (R131).** Beautiful rich color, 1872 manuscript cancel, small faint crease, otherwise Very Fine..... 1,050.00



1593

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\$200.00 Red, Blue & Black, Second Issue, "Small Persian Rug" (R132). Bright colors, impressive centering with wide and balanced margins, neat Jun. 27, 1872 manuscript cancel

EXTREMELY FINE. A STUNNING EXAMPLE OF THE \$200.00 "SMALL PERSIAN RUG" GRADED XF 90 BY P.S.E — ONE OF THE MOST COLORFUL STAMPS IN UNITED STATES PHILATELY.

Both the Small and Large "Persian Rug" stamps were printed in sheets of one. Because of their size, the large number of perforations on each stamp, and the fact that they were used on documents which were frequently folded across the stamps, sound examples of the multicolored "Persian Rug" issues are extremely rare.

Only 446 of the small "Persian Rug" were issued. Ex Helton. With 2012 P.S.E. certificate (XF 90; Revenues are unpriced in SMQ)..... 8,500.00

1594

\$200.00 Red, Blue & Black, Second Issue, "Small Persian Rug" (R132). Bright fresh colors, choice centering and margins, manuscript "MSS 10 May 1872" cancel

EXTREMELY FINE. A STRIKING EXAMPLE OF THE \$200.00 "SMALL PERSIAN RUG" GRADED XF 90 BY THE PHILATELIC FOUNDATION — ONE OF THE MOST COLORFUL STAMPS IN UNITED STATES PHILATELY.

Both the Small and Large "Persian Rug" stamps were printed in sheets of one. Because of their size, the large number of perforations on each stamp, and the fact that they were used on documents which were frequently folded across the stamps, sound examples of the multicolored "Persian Rug" issues are extremely rare..

Only 446 of the small "Persian Rug" were issued. Ex Curtis. With 1984 and 2015 P.F. certificates (XF 90) 8,500.00



1594

THIRD ISSUE REVENUES



- 1595 (★) **2c Orange & Black, Third Issue, Inverted Center (R135b)** Unused (no gum), choice centering on fresh paper, Very Fine, with 2003 P.F. certificate, unpriced as unused, Scott Retail as used..... 425.00
- 1596 **60c Orange & Black, Third Issue (R142).** Horizontal strip of six, bright color, short double dash manuscript cancels, second stamp from right small thin spot, Fine-Very Fine, this is the **largest recorded multiple** in the Curtis census (a block of six also exists), Scott Retail as singles..... 300.00
- 1597 **30c Orange & Black, Third Issue, Center Inverted (R140a).** Brilliant color, small part of blue handstamp cancel, centered to right, tiny thin spot at top, Fine appearance, a pretty example of this scarce invert, with 1979 P.F. certificate 3,500.00
- 1598 P **60c Orange & Black, Third Issue, Plate Proof on Card, Center Inverted, Foreign Entry of 70c (R142aP4 var).** Position 19, showing **foreign entry of 70c design**, large to ample margins, without the heavy toning that affects so many of these, Very Fine, a highly desirable example of this rare proof, only one sheet of 80 was printed and 11 positions on the plate show evidence of a foreign entry of the 70c value (this position is very subtle), Scott Retail as the normal invert..... 2,250.00
- 1599 P **60c Orange & Black, Third Issue, Plate Proof on Card (R142P4).** Top “Wilcox’s Chameleon Paper, Patented...” imprint strip of seven, bright colors with some slight oxidation at left, large margins, Very Fine, Scott Retail as singles without premium for the imprint..... 350.00



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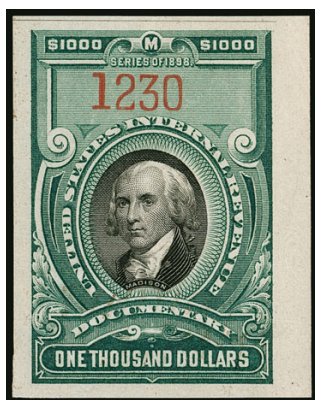


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- 1600 P田 **\$3.00 Green & Black, Third Issue, Plate Proof on Card (R147P4).** Top “Wilcox’s Chameleon Paper, Patented...” imprint block of eight, vivid colors, ample even margins, fresh and Extremely Fine, Scott Retail as two blocks of four without premium for the imprint..... 600.00
- 1601 ★ **\$5.00 Dark Blue, Surcharge Reading Down (R159).** Original gum, lightly hinged, deep rich color and sharp impression, Very Fine, with 2001 P.F. certificate 550.00
- 1602 **\$500.00 Carmine & Lake (R180).** Faint blue cancel, large margins, fresh color, Very Fine, with 2019 P.F. certificate 800.00



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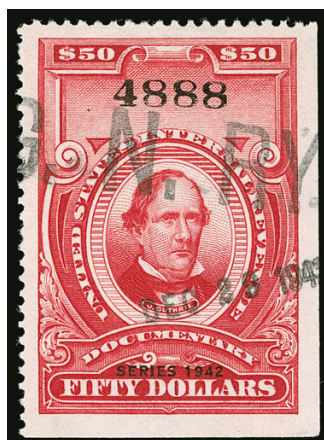


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- 1603 ★ **\$1,000.00 Green & Black (R181).** Serial no. 1230, original gum, large margins all around, rich color, small thin spots, Extremely Fine appearance 1,750.00
- 1604 ★ **\$50.00 Gray, Open Numeral Surcharge (R189).** Original gum, h.r., attractive shade, Very Fine, we have sold only two other original-gum example in the last 25 years..... 2,250.00
- 1605 **\$500.00 Blue, Series of 1914 (R226).** Serial no. 518, neat manuscript and handstamp cancels, deep rich color, unusually wide and balanced margins, Extremely Fine, ex Lyons and Inman, with 1999 P.F. certificate 650.00
- 1606 **\$30.00 Vermilion, “Series 1940” Handstamped Ovpt. (R282).** Serial no. 537244, gorgeous color, neat “CANCELLED” handstamp at center, trivial internal crease, otherwise Very Fine and rare with only a handstamp cancel..... 1,250.00



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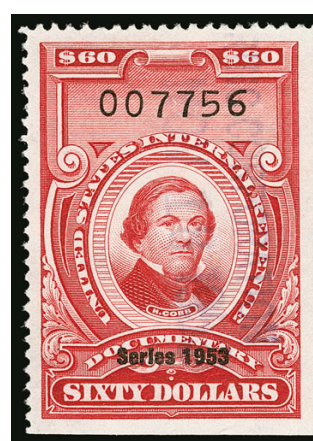
- 1607 ★ **\$500.00 Carmine, “Series 1941” Ovpt. (R334).** Serial no. 2753, unused, without gum as issued, bright color, wide margins, Very Fine, unpriced in unused condition, Scott Retail as used 375.00
- 1608 **\$50.00 Carmine, “Series 1942” Ovpt. (R356).** Serial no. 4888, excellent centering, wide margins, vibrant color, handstamp cancel, Extremely Fine, a beautiful example of this scarce revenue stamp 1,400.00
- 1609 **\$500.00 Carmine, “Series of 1944” Ovpt. (R409).** Serial no. 10870, perf initial and handstamp cancels, well-centered, wide margins, fresh color, Very Fine and choice.. 1,250.00



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- 1610 ★ **\$500.00 Carmine, “Series 1948” Ovpt. (R509).** Without gum as issued, serial no. 25779, bright shade, horizontal crease, appears Very Fine 1,500.00
- 1611 **\$10,000.00 Carmine, “Series 1952” Ovpt. (R619).** Serial no. 001218, perf initial, cut and blue handstamp cancels, deep color, Very Fine and choice 1,100.00
- 1612 **\$60.00 Carmine, “Series 1953” Ovpt. (R647).** Serial no. 007756, light violet handstamp cancel, outstanding centering, strong rich color, Extremely Fine..... 425.00



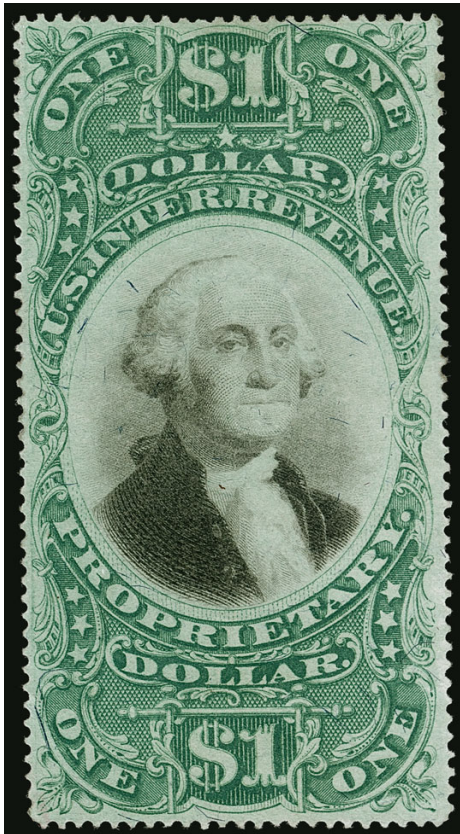
- 1613 ★ **\$1,000.00 Carmine, "Series 1953" Ovpt. (R650).** Serial no. 001738, unused, without gum as issued, flawless centering, unusually wide margins, brilliantly rich color, Extremely Fine Gem..... 800.00
- 1614 **\$2,500.00 Carmine, "Series 1953" Ovpt. (R651).** Serial no. 000116, violet handstamp cancel, intense color in a particularly deep shade, Fine, ex Buford 1,750.00
- 1615 **\$10,000.00 Carmine, "Series 1953" Ovpt. (R653).** Serial no. 000111, handstamp and cut cancels, a few staple holes, well-centered, bright color, Extremely Fine..... 1,400.00
- 1616 ★ **\$1,000.00 Carmine "Series 1954" Ovpt., Booklet Pane of Four (R684a).** Complete booklet with covers, without gum as issued, original staples are removed but accompany the booklet, fresh and Very Fine, scarce..... 1,200.00
- 1617 **\$10,000.00 Carmine, "Series 1954" Ovpt. (R687).** Serial no. 001928, handstamp and cut cancels, rich color, Very Fine..... 1,000.00
- 1618 **\$10,000.00 Carmine, "Series 1956" Ovpt. (R705).** Serial no. 000566, deep shade on bright paper, purple handstamp cancel, Very Fine and choice, ex Cunliffe, Lyons and Inman, with 1999 P.S.E. certificate 750.00
- 1619 **\$2,500.00 Carmine, "Series 1958" Ovpt. (R721).** Serial no. 000199, manuscript and cut cancels, deep color, Very Fine..... 775.00

PROPRIETARY

- 1620 **50c Green & Black on Violet Paper, Proprietary (RB8a).** Crisp impression, neat manuscript cancel, light horizontal crease, Very Fine appearance, with 2019 P.F. certificate..... 1,000.00



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1621

- 1621 ★ **\$1.00 Green & Black on Violet Paper, Proprietary (RB9a).** Unused, part original gum, detailed impression, well-proportioned margins

VERY FINE. A RARE ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE 1-DOLLAR GREEN & BLACK ON VIOLET PAPER PROPRIETARY STAMP.

We have offered only two others since keeping computerized records.

With 2019 P.F. certificate. Unlisted in Scott as unused. Scott Retail as used..... 3,500.00



1622

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\$5.00 Green & Black on Violet Paper, Proprietary (RB10a). Rich colors and proof-like impression on the so-called intermediate paper, small trivial thin spot at bottom right

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A BEAUTIFUL AND REMARKABLY CHOICE EXAMPLE OF THE RARE \$5.00 PROPRIETARY ON VIOLET PAPER.

Examples of the \$5.00 Proprietary Issue almost invariably have faults, due to the stamp's large size and the nature of its use. The Kingsley book contains a table showing 2,109 stamps ordered and he records only 119 copies extant.

Scott Retail for a stamp with small faults..... 11,000.00



- 1623 (★) **5c Black, Rouletted, Proprietary (RB16c).** Unused (gum added since our Inman sale, where sold without gum), deep shade and intense impression, Very Fine, a rare stamp, with 1986 P.F. certificate 1,850.00
- 1624 **\$1.00 Green, Future Delivery, 12½mm Spacing (RC25 var).** With 12½mm spacing between overprint instead of the normal 11mm, s.e. at top, cut cancel, Fine and unusual, normal accompanies for comparison E. 200-300

STOCK TRANSFER

- 1625 ★ **\$30.00 Bright Green, “Series 1942” Ovpt., Stock Transfer (RD134).** Without gum as issued, serial no. 7970, beautifully centered, wide margins, bright color, Extremely Fine Gem..... 900.00
- 1626 **\$2,500.00 Bright Green, “Series 1950” Ovpt., Stock Transfer (RD336).** Serial no. 000013, handstamp and cut cancels (cut is a little heavy), well-centered, bright color, Very Fine..... 1,250.00
- 1627 **\$5,000.00 Bright Green, “Series 1950” Ovpt., Stock Transfer (RD337).** Serial no. 000051, handstamp and cut cancels, well-centered, deep color, Very Fine..... 900.00
- 1628 **\$500.00 Bright Green, “Series 1951” Ovpt., Stock Transfer (RD360).** Serial no. 000136, purple handstamp cancel, wide margins, bright and fresh, Very Fine and choice, with 2002 P.S.E. certificate 550.00
- 1629 ★★ **\$4.00 Bright Green, “Series 1952” Ovpt., Stock Transfer (RD370).** Mint N.H., deep color, natural gum bend, Fine, Scott Retail as hinged..... 1,500.00

WINE STAMPS



1630

- 1630 **\$50.00 Yellow Green, Wine, Perf 12½ at Left (RE107E).** Serial no. 19568, flawless centering with wide margins, light “Geffen Ind./Dec. 31, 1941” two-line handstamp, a few expertly filled-in staple holes, faint internal paper bend

EXTREMELY FINE APPEARANCE. A BEAUTIFUL EXAMPLE OF THE RARE 1934 \$50.00 WINE STAMP.

The definitive article on these issues was written by Ron Leshner and published in the August 1983 *American Philatelist*. The high-denomination wine stamps came into use when the law was changed in 1916. The change stipulated that taxes would be collected when the wine left the customs house, winery or other bonded storage facility, rather than at the point of retail sale. This allowed revenue stamps to be affixed to the case, cask or even railroad car rather than each individual bottle. They were issued in booklet form, perforated only at left, in booklets of \$400.00 (twenty \$20.00 stamps, ten \$40.00 stamps, etc.). The first series (Scott RE56-RE59) was used prior to Prohibition and on religious and medicinal wine during Prohibition. They were reprinted starting in 1933 after Prohibition (Scott RE107A-RE107D). The \$20.00 and \$40.00 were only reprinted in 1933 and have the same perf gauge as the earlier pre-prohibition issue. The \$50.00 and \$100.00 were reprinted in 1933 and also in later years, in two different perf gauges. These were just recognized as separate listings in the 2017 Scott U.S. Specialized (RE107E and RE107F)..... 5,000.00



1631



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- 1631 ★ **\$900.00 Yellow Green & Black, Wine (RE168).** Without gum as issued, well-centered, fresh color, faint inclusion in “W”, Very Fine and scarce..... 2,500.00
- 1632 ★ **\$8.00 Green & Black, Denomination Spelled in One Line, Wine (RE179).** Without gum as issued, detailed impression, Very Fine and choice, scarce in unused condition..... 1,250.00
- 1633 ★ **\$30.00 Yellow Green & Black, Denomination Spelled in One Line, Wine (RE182).** Without gum as issued, deep rich color, choice margins and centering, Extremely Fine, a key Wine stamp rarity 2,000.00



1634



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- 1634 **8c on 2c Blue, Playing Card, Surcharge Inverted (RF15).** Rich color and strong surcharge, fresh and Very Fine, with 1983 P.F. certificate 650.00

SILVER TAX

- 1635 ★ **\$500.00 Blue, Silver Tax (RG22).** Serial no. 41670, without gum as issued, rich color on bright paper, Very Fine and choice, ex DePriest, "Scarsdale" and Inman, with 2003 P.S.E. certificate (VF 80) 900.00

- 1636 **\$1,000.00 Orange, 11mm Between "Silver" and "Tax" (RG27).** Serial no. 80013, brilliant color, light strike of purple "Office of the Collector of Internal Revenue, 2nd District, N.Y., Received Sep. 11, 1936" oval handstamp, double struck "BM9/3/36" at top

VERY FINE AND CHOICE. ONLY ABOUT A DOZEN ARE KNOWN.

Ex Handy, Floyd and Inman. With 1980 and 2001 P.F. certificates 2,250.00



1636



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- 1637 ★ **\$4.00 Yellow Brown, "Series 1940" Ovpt., Silver Tax (RG52).** Original gum, rich color, Very Fine, ex "Wildhorse", with 2002 P.S.E. certificate 900.00
- 1638 ★★ **\$5.00 Dark Blue, "Series 1940" Ovpt., Silver Tax (RG53).** Mint N.H., fresh color, natural gum bends, Very Fine, Scott Retail as hinged 1,100.00
- 1639 ★ **\$10.00 Orange, "Series 1940" Ovpt., Silver Tax (RG54).** Lightly hinged, exceptionally well-centered, brilliantly color, Extremely Fine, with 2015 P.F. certificate 1,500.00



1640

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\$30.00 Vermilion, Blue “Series 1940” Handstamped Ovpt., Silver Tax (RG55). Serial no. 406466, brilliant color, unobtrusive strike of purple oval cancel, small internal vertical crease at upper left and faint surface scuff near edge of frame at right

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A RARE EXAMPLE OF THE \$30.00 1940 SILVER TAX ISSUE. ONLY 13 COPIES ARE RECORDED.

Eric Jackson records only 13 copies, at least half of which have faults.

With 2009 P.F. certificate (noting only the crease). 2010 P.F. certificate (No. 488754, which mentions the scuff) no longer accompanies 7,000.00

1641

\$100.00 Green, Blue “Series 1940” Handstamped Ovpt., Silver Tax (RG57). Serial no. 377149, neat purple Internal Revenue handstamp cancel, bright and fresh

FINE. A RARE SOUND EXAMPLE OF THE \$100.00 GREEN SERIES 1940 HANDSTAMPED IN BLUE. ONLY THIRTEEN ARE BELIEVED TO EXIST.

Eric Jackson records a total of thirteen used copies of this issue. Of these at least six have faults and several are centered to the bottom. This sound example is very rare and desirable 6,000.00



1641



1642

1642 ★★ **\$5.00 Gray, “Series 1941” Ovpt., Silver Tax (RG74).** Mint N.H., with selvage at left, outstanding centering, attractive color, Extremely Fine, this is both the finest centered and only Mint N.H. copy we have offered since keeping computerized records, Scott Retail as hinged..... 325.00



- 1643 ★★ \$20.00 Gray, "Series 1941" Ovpt., Silver Tax (RG76). Mint N.H., excellent centering, fresh color, Extremely Fine, this is the first Mint N.H. example of this stamp we have offered since keeping computerized records, Scott Retail as hinged..... 750.00
- 1644 \$100.00 Gray, "Series 1941" Ovpt., Silver Tax (RG80). Serial no. 40, manuscript and purple handstamp cancels, choice centering with wide margins, Extremely Fine .. 700.00
- 1645 \$1,000.00 Gray, "Series 1941" Ovpt., Silver Tax (RG82). Serial no. 59, light purple handstamp cancel, fresh color, small shallow thin spot, otherwise Very Fine, ex Wampler, only about a dozen are recorded, this is the sixth different example we have offered since keeping computerized records..... 2,750.00
- 1646 \$100.00 Gray, "Series 1942" Ovpt., Silver Tax (RG105). Serial no. 775, purple handstamp and manuscript cancels, staple holes (catalogued as cut cancel) and light corner crease, Very Fine appearance, fewer than 20 are recorded and over half are either faulty or have staple holes 900.00
- 1647 ★★ \$20.00 Gray, Silver Tax (RG126). Mint N.H., fresh color, Very Fine, Scott Retail as hinged 900.00
- 1648 1c Carmine Rose, Blue "P-W-R-Co. Narcotic" Handstamp, Narcotic Tax (RJ A28). Manuscript 1919 cancel, small faults, Fine appearance, a rare stamp, we have offered only four others since keeping computerized records 1,250.00
- 1649 ★ \$4.00 Green, Imperforate, Narcotic Tax (RJ A104a). Without gum as issued, large and perfectly balanced margins, brilliant color on pristine white paper, Extremely Fine Gem 1,000.00

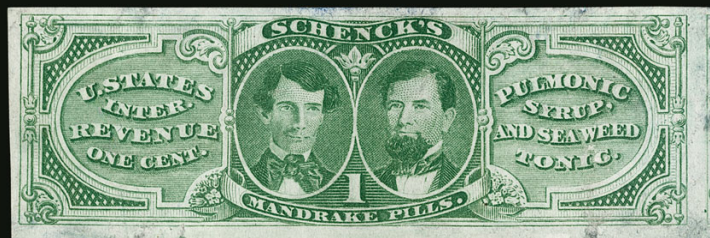


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1650 **20c Red, Customs Fee, Perf 10 (RL1a).** Bright color and well-centered, tied by 1917 handstamp on piece of document

VERY FINE. REPORTED TO BE THE FINEST EXAMPLE OF THE RARE 20-CENT RED PERF 10 CUSTOMS FEE ISSUE. THIS IS THE RAREST OF ALL CUSTOMS FEE STAMPS.

This is the only example we have offered since keeping computerized records. Ex Dr. Schauss. With 1986 and 2012 P.F. certificates..... 7,500.00



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- 1651 ★ **Schenck's Mandrake Pills, 1c Green, Experimental Silk Paper (RS212e).** Several noticeable silk fibers, ample to large margins, some soiling and extraneous ink in top margin, Very Fine appearance, with 2019 P.F. certificate 1,750.00
- 1652 **United States Proprietary Medicine Co., 1c Black on Orange, Wrapper (RS247a).** Huge margins on three sides, usual minor creases, still Very Fine 1,500.00
- 1653 **Private Die Match Stamps Balance.** Two stock pages containing 48 items, including Nos. RO30b, RO40d, RO41b, RO66a, RO70d, RO73a, RO80b, c and d, RO81b, RO85b, RO90a, RO91b, RO94b, RO94c, RO100b, RO102a, RO113b, some faults to be expected, overall Fine-Very Fine, owner's catalogue value 5,317.00
- 1654 **Private Die Medicine Balance.** Three stock pages containing a wide range of issues, including Nos. RS16a, RS27e, RS29c, RS34b, RS41b, RS42a, RS42e (1997 APS certificate), RS43c, RS48b, RS48c, RS48d, RS73a, RS73b, RS117c, RS115c, RS121di single (not counted in catalogue value), RS123d, RS132c, RS139a, RS179c, some faults to be expected but overall fresh and Fine-Very Fine, a very worthwhile group, owner's catalogue value 13,212.50
- 1655 ★★ **42c-\$5.00 1942-46 Motor Vehicle Use (RV1-RV53).** Mint N.H. complete set of 53, only one with s.e. (RV7), a few with natural gum bends, Fine-Very Fine..(Photo Ex) 2,879.00
- 1656 ★ **50c Bright Blue, \$1.00 Carmine, Trailer Permit (RVT1-RVT2).** 50c part original gum and small faults, \$1.00 no gum, Fine-Very Fine appearance, very scarce, only the second set we have offered since keeping computerized records 4,000.00



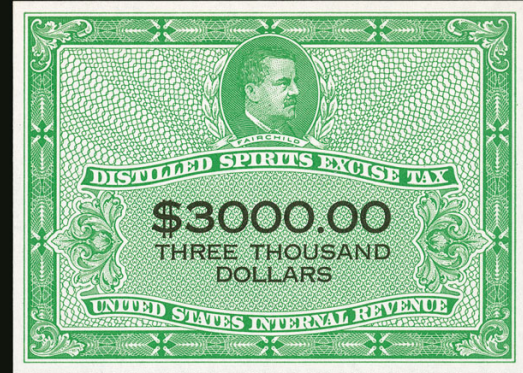
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- 1657 ★ **\$40,000.00 Yellow Green & Black, 1950 Distilled Spirits Excise Tax (RX24).** Without gum as issued, brilliantly fresh, Very Fine and choice, the key stamp of the series 750.00
- 1658 ★ **3c Yellow Green & Black, 1952 Distilled Spirits Excise Tax (RX27).** Without gum as issued, wonderfully bright and fresh, excellent centering, Extremely Fine..... 900.00
- 1659 ★ **\$2,000.00 Yellow Green & Black, 1952 Distilled Spirits Excise Tax (RX43).** Without gum as issued, gorgeous bright color, Very Fine 700.00
- 1660 ★ **\$3,000.00 Yellow Green & Black, 1952 Distilled Spirits Excise Tax (RX43).** Without gum as issued, excellent centering, rich color on fresh paper, Extremely Fine 750.00
- 1661 ★ **\$10,000.00 Yellow Green & Black, 1952 Distilled Spirits Excise Tax (RX46).** Without gum as issued, bright and fresh, Very Fine..... 700.00
- 1662 ★ **1c-\$2,000.00 Rectification Tax (RZ1-RZ18).** Without gum as issued, complete unused set, wonderfully fresh, Very Fine and choice.....(Photo Ex) 1,819.00

HUNTING PERMITS



- 1663 ★★ **\$1.00 1942 Hunting Permit (RW9).** Mint N.H. wide top right plate no. F 149600 block of six, deep rich color, pristine gum, fresh and Very Fine 2,500.00
- 1664 ★★ **\$2.00 1951 Hunting Permit (RW18).** Mint N.H., mathematically perfect centering with extra wide margins, proof-like impression, Extremely Fine Gem, an exceptionally beautiful 1951 Duck stamp, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$1,300.00), only two others equal this perfect grade..... 90.00
- 1665 ★★ **\$7.50 1986 Hunting Permit, Black Engraved Omitted (RW53a).** Mint N.H. with right selvage, rich colors, Very Fine example of this distinctive color-missing error, approximately 60 are believed to exist, with 2001 P.S.E. certificate..... 1,900.00
- 1666 ★★ **\$15.00 1993 Hunting Permit, Black Engraved Omitted (RW60a).** Mint N.H. fresh and Very Fine, a scarce and striking error, with 1995 P.F. certificate 2,100.00
- 1667 ★★ **1934-85 Hunting Permits, Collection (RW1-RW52).** Choice collection on stock and album pages, most are Mint N.H. including all the early issues except RW3, RW6 and RW12, many with plate no. selvage, also a couple varieties including RW13 with offset plate no. on back selvage and RW51 with 1987 P.F. certificate stating "Special Commemorative Plate", selected by the owner for freshness and centering and many purchased one at a time from high-end dealers, Very Fine and high-quality run of Duck stamps, Scott Retail just through RW12 is more than \$3,000.00 E. 1,000-1,500
- 1668 ★ **\$1.00-\$15.00 1934-2007 Hunting Permits.** Complete for period covered, RW1 and most others Mint N.H., RW2 h.r., Fine-Very Fine group E. 1,000-1,500
- 1669 ★★ **Hunting Permit Stamp Group.** 32 different plus one duplicate (RW37), from No. RW7 to RW46, Mint N.H., centering varies slightly, most Very Fine and some Extremely Fine.... 2,510.00
- 1670 ★★ **\$5.00 Carmine, War Savings (WS5).** Mint N.H. (tiny gum wrinkle), rich color, Very Fine, this is the first Mint N.H. example we have offered since 2005..... 2,250.00
- 1671 ★ **\$1.00 Treasury Savings (TS1).** Original gum, well-centered, deep color, two small thin spots, Very Fine appearance, with 2015 P.F. certificate 3,750.00
- 1672 ★ **Saving Stamps Balance.** Postal Savings, Savings, and War Saving Stamps, mostly unused, singles complete less No. WS5, so it does include the \$5.00 Lincoln (WS6), a few of the higher values no gum, many Mint N.H., a couple with minor flaws, otherwise Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail about \$3,300.00..... E. 500-750

REVENUE GROUP LOTS

- 1673 **First Issue Balance.** Imperforate stamps to \$200.00, with many cataloguing hundreds of dollars each, various part-perforated, the perforated stamps lack only the 6c Proprietary and \$25.00 Mortgage for completion, also some Silk Paper varieties, all with manuscript cancellations, slight duplication (often on the higher cataloguing stamps), somewhat mixed quality, a large portion Fine-Very Fine, the imperforate stamps catalogue about \$13,000.00, counting only stamps with sufficient margins to be considered genuine, so there are some uncounted such as No. R53a with Weiss certificate as genuine, but it is doubtful real experts would certify it, and defective (but probably genuine) R79a, the perforated stamps catalogue well over \$6,000.00, so including the part-perforated (which mostly appear genuine) and silk paper (which has several stamps cataloguing hundred of dollars each), the total catalogue value will be well in excess of \$20,000.00 E. 4,000-5,000
- 1674 **First Issue Imperforate, Outstanding Balance (R1a/R98a).** 57 stamps neatly arranged on stock cards, each selected by the owner for margins, cancel or both, wonderfully choice condition throughout with large margins the norm, neat manuscript cancels as well as many with handstamp cancels including red and blue, these are mostly the under-\$200.00 Scott value stamps that do not make individual lots in an auction but that are challenging to find in Extremely Fine condition or with a handstamp cancel, there are also a number of stamps that catalogue more than \$200.00 (highest is \$400.00), Very Fine-Extremely Fine, an exceptional group from the Michael Willis collection that should be reviewed to be appreciated (pdf is available on our website), two certificates accompany, Scott Retail approximately **(Website PDF)** 5,400.00
- 1675 **First Issue Imperforate, Multiples.** Select group of multiples from pairs to strips and one block of four, better include Nos. R27a block of four, R40a pair, R44a strip of six, R45a strip of four (ex Joyce), R49a two pairs, R50a pair, R52a pair, R54a sheet margin pair, R59a pair which appears to be unused, R67a pair, R98a pair and many others, margins are mostly full to large, a few small flaws but mostly sound and Very Fine, an attractive and useful group for the collector who wants to be sure of authenticity, Scott Retail approximately \$3,300.00 E. 1,500-2,000
- 1676 **First Issue Part Perforated, Balance.** Group of mostly pairs with some larger multiples plus a couple singles, highlights include No. R1b pair (two, one with handstamp cancel), R24b strip of four, R25b strips of five and three, R42b block of four, R48b pair, R65b single (P.F. certificate), others, overall Fine group, Scott Retail approximately 2,000.00
- 1677 **First Issue Perforated, Large Multiples.** Attractive assemblage in a stock book, more than 40 items from 2c to \$2.00, most are medium or large used blocks (plus some strips) ranging in size from four up to 28 stamps, many are labeled with their rank in the Curtis census including 2nd and 3rd largest recorded, some highlights include block of 24 of R15d (silk paper) which is the second largest, block of 15 of R16c, unused blocks of R18c and R27c, block of eight of R30c (3rd largest, ex Joyce), block of 20 of R44c, many others, some flaws to be expected with such multiples, overall Fine E. 1,000-1,500
- 1678 **First Issue Revenues, Handstamp Cancels.** Lovely assemblage of approximately 150 stamps, carefully culled from the much larger Michael Willis collection and neatly arranged on stock pages by denomination, each with a **handstamp cancel** without manuscript, showing an extremely wide range of styles and colors, the majority are perforated issues but there are many imperforates and some part perforated as well, denominations range from 1c thru \$25.00, a few small flaws are to be expected on some and the centering also covers the range, overall Fine-Very Fine or appear so, a choice collection of handstamp-only First Issue Revenues and worthy of review (a pdf is available on our website), Scott Retail on many is quite low but those prices assume manuscript cancels, a number with Scott Retail above \$100.00..... **(Website PDF)** E. 1,500-2,000
- 1679 **First and Second Issue Revenues, Plate Proofs on Card.** Four blocks of four, including Nos. R96P4, R98P4, R99P4 and R126P4, ample to large margins, bright and fresh, Very Fine, Scott Retail counting R99P4 as singles 2,055.00
- 1680 **Second Issue Revenues Balance.** Complete from 1c to \$10.00, plus a \$25.00 and ten duplicates, all with manuscript cancels (no cut cancels), mixed condition, some small faults, Fine-Very Fine appearance, Scott Retail 5,600.00
- 1681 **Third Issue Revenues Collection.** Complete from 1c to \$20.00, with a few duplicates including two each \$10.00 and \$20.00, all with manuscript cancels, no cut cancels except 60c with two faint staple holes (so catalogued as cut cancel), mixed condition, Fine-Very Fine appearance, Scott Retail 3,527.00
- 1682 **1898-1940 Documentary Revenues Balance.** Nos. R153/R286, high degree of completion, generally lacking only the rarities, several present both unused and used, the Battleship series contain a complete run unused in both roulette sizes, several high values, such as Nos. R180 and R286 (both with cut cancels), the Gray surcharges complete used and lacking only the \$50.00 unused, and several of the Liberty issues unused, used with manuscript cancels, a handful of cut cancels (catalogued appropriately), most of the unused with original gum, slightly mixed condition, Fine-Very Fine appearance, Scott Retail 10,400.00

- 1683 **1940-58 "Red" Documentary Revenues Balance.** Lower values mostly unused (and with original gum), middle value unused (some no gum) or used, the larger format high values mainly used, very well-filled, generally lacking only the higher cataloging stamps for completion, catalogue values to \$400.00, carefully catalogued, with a mix of handstamp, manuscript, cut, and perf initial cancels, catalogued conservatively, as even a single staple hole was counted as perf initials, included but not counted in the catalogue value is an unused (no gum) No. 305A with natural straight-edge, a few small faults, but overall a very attractive and desirable collection... 14,400.00
- 1684 **1871-1919 Proprietary Revenues Balance.** First Issue violet paper to 10c, green paper to 50c (one or two of these may be the intermediate paper), 1875 Issue complete in both silk and watermarked paper, plus roulettes to 4c, Battleship series complete unused in both perforation types, plus some used, later issues complete unused except for No. RB43, unused stamps mostly with original gum, first issue in typical mixed quality, later generally Fine-Very Fine E. 750-1,000
- 1685 **Stock Transfer Revenues Balance, 1918-1952.** With representation from all issues and a particularly comprehensive showing of the "Green" stamps, lower values generally unused (and with original gum), middle values unused and used, the higher values mostly used, with handstamp, manuscript, cut, or perf initials cancels, catalogue values to \$750.00 (RD157; RD310 with cut cancel), many others from \$100.00-\$500.00, catalogued conservatively, as even a single staple hole was counted as perf initial, slightly mixed condition, much is Fine-Very Fine, makes a nice basis on which to expand, Scott Retail 19,600.00
- 1686 ★ **Wine Stamp Balance, 1914-1954.** Mostly unused, generally lacking only the rarities for completion, catalogue values to \$500.00 (RE107F used), several others in the \$100.00-\$300.00 range, a few small faults, largely Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail..... 8,560.00
- 1687 ★ **Silver Tax Balance, 1934-1944.** Mostly unused, 1934-36 Issue complete to \$10.00 (three used), plus five of the high denominations used, 1940 Issue complete to \$3.00 unused, 1941 Issue complete to \$4.00 unused, 1942 Issue complete to \$5.00 unused, 1944 Issue complete to \$10.00 unused, and all six of the high denomination stamps used (two with cut cancels), check of the better values shows all unused with original gum and some Mint N.H., vast majority Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail..... 8,210.00
- 1688 **Narcotic Tax Balance.** Unused and used, various 1919 Overprints, most of the value in the long violet stamps, with both imperforate and rouletted, highest catalogue value is \$750.00 (No. RJA48a with P.S.E. certificate noting rebaked over faults), others to \$425.00 catalogue value, a few small faults, mainly Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail about \$5,700.00 E. 1,000-1,500
- 1689 **Consular Service Fee Collection.** Complete run of all 40 stamps, plus a few duplicates including No. RK26, range of cancels, slightly mixed condition, many Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail 5,446.00
- 1690 **Firearms Transfer Tax Balance.** Unused Nos. RY1, RY3-RY5, and RY9, used RY2 (staple holes), RY6, and RY8, unused lightly hinged or without gum as issued, used stamps with small faults, otherwise Fine-Very Fine..... E. 750-1,000
- 1691 **Revenue Accumulation, 1862-ca.1960.** Old-time accumulation of about 11,000 stamps (owner's count) recently arranged on stockpages in six three-ring binders, most categories represented with numerous better items and excellent variety of cancels, strength in First Issues (1,800+) with numerous better items such as Nos. R17c, R21c, R79c, R80c, R97c, R98c, R100d, R101c and R102c, Second and Third Issues (400+) including Nos. R108, R116, R119, R121, R122, R126, R128, R130 and R142;, comprehensive showing of later Documentaries plus good showings of Stock Transfer (2,400+), Proprietary (400+), Wines (500+), etc., also more than 300 State revenue stamps and small Match and Medicine group, the accumulation was formed over a period of several decades, some faults to be expected, overall Fine-Very Fine, a valuable and worthwhile holding..... E. 3,000-4,000
- 1692 **Revenue Balance.** Consisting of areas with insufficient value to make into individual group lots, best are Future Delivery, Playing Cards (including No. RF12) and Distilled Spirits, also Fermented Juice, Cigarette, Potato, Tobacco, Customs Fee, Boating (unused singles and plate blocks), and Rectification, a small number with minor faults, majority Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail about \$5,900.00 E. 1,000-1,500
- 1693 **Revenues Collection.** On album pages, covering most of the Scott-listed issues, starts with a smattering of First Issue Imperforates and Part Perforated, range of Second and Third Issues, Red Documentary with several higher denominations slightly better, Hunting Permits complete from RW1 thru RW48 unused, also some Telegraphs, Post Office Seals and 10c Postal Currency, mixed condition with flaws to be expected, overall Fine appearing collection E. 750-1,000
- 1694 **Small Revenue Balance.** Including Nos. R31c, R131 and Customs Fee Nos. RL1-RL8 including RL1c, small faults, Fine appearing group 3,386.00

END OF SALE — THANK YOU

The Joseph Antizzo collection of Embossed Revenue Stamped Paper
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Bold text means highest grade awarded

Grade	Scott	Lot	Year/Service/Grade
100J	CSA 13	1405	2019 PSE 100J NH
100J	223	1176	2011 PSE 100J NH
100J	320	1233	2019 PSE 100J NH
100J	320b	1234	2015 PSE 100J NH
100J	331	1237	2009 PSE 100J USED
100J	371	1251	2019 PSE 100J NH
100J	532	1289	2017 PF 100J NH
100J	534	1293	2019 PF 100J USED 2014 PSE 100 USED
100J	535	1295	2009 PSE 100J NH
100	270	1202	2019 PSE 100 USED
100	391	1258	2012 PSE 100 NH
100	443	1265	2008 PSE 100 NH
100	591	1301	2008 PSE 100 NH
100	662	1308	2019 PSE 100 NH
100	C10	1331	Enc. PSE 100 NH
100	RW18	1664	2019 PSE 100 NH
98J	3	1091	2019 PSE 98J NGAI
98J	17	1100	2012 PSE 98J OGph
98J	122	1148	2008 PSE 98J USED
98J	213	1172	2007 PSE 98J OGph
98J	246	1195	2005 PSE 98J USED
98J	278	1207	2019 PSE 98J OGph
98J	296	1218	2017 PSE 98J NH
98J	E9	1358	2011 PSE 98J OGph
98	223	1177	2019 PSE 98 NH
98	230	1182	2011 PSE 98 NH
98	232	1184	Enc. PSE 98 NH
98	300	1222	2009 PSE 98 NH
98	380	1254	2011 PSE 98 DOG
98	426	1262	2011 PSE 98 NH
98	438	1263	2006 PSE 98 USED
98	495	1277	2008 PSE 98 NH
98	J22	1364	2011 PSE 98 NH
98	QE4	1393	2011 PSE 98 NH
95J	220a	1175	2011 PSE 95J NH
95J	248	1196	2014 PSE 95J USED
95J	380	1252	2009 PSE 95J NH
95	10X1	1081	2019 PSE 95 OGph
95	70a	1118	2006 PSE 95 USED

Grade	Scott	Lot	Year/Service/Grade
95	130	1151	2009 PSE 95 RG
95	190	1165	2011 PSE 95 OGph
95	223	1178	2011 PSE 95 NH
95	243	1189	2019 PSE 95 DOG
95	243a	1191	2019 PSE 95 RG
95	245	1194	2019 PSE 95 OGph
95	269	1201	2009 PSE 95 NH
95	278	1209	2015 PSE 95 USED
95	286	1211	2009 PSE 95 USED
95	315	1232	2017 PSE 95 NH
95	328	1236	2009 PSE 95 NH
95	387	1256	2005 PSE 95 NH
95	447	1266	2008 PSE 95 USED
95	455	1269	Enc. PSE 95 NH
95	487	1276	2014 PSE 95 NH
95	519	1285	2009 PSE 95 USED
95	534B	1294	2011 PSE 95 NH
95	E4	1356	2011 PSE 95 NH
95	J43	1370	2005 PSE 95 USED
95	PR93	1385	2015 PF 95 OGph 2014 PSE 90 OGph
95	R88a	1496	2003 PSE 95 USED
90XQ	102	1127	2016 PF 90XQ OG
90XQ	R36a	1466	2019 PF 90XQ USED
90J	5	1094	2008 PSE 90J USED
90J	226	1179	2019 PSE 90J NH
90J	380	1253	2014 PSE 90J NH
90	132	1153	2010 PSE 90 RG
90	147	1156	2011 PSE 90 OGph
90	161	1160	2019 PF 90 NH
90	166	1161	2019 PSE 90 OGph
90	209	1167	2008 PSE 90 OGph
90	218	1174	2019 PSE 90 OGph
90	234	1185	2004 PSE 90 NH
90	275	1206	2008 PSE 90 OGph
90	292	1212	2019 PF 90 OGph
90	355	1243	2004 PSE 90 NH
90	369	1249	2016 PSE 90 USED
90	456	1270	2011 PSE 90 OGph

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90	478	1274	2011 PSE 90 NH
90	500	1279	2014 PSE 90 USED
90	J25	1366	2011 PSE 90 NH
90	J41	1369	2011 PSE 90 NH
90	J66a	1372	2011 PSE 90 NH
90	O95	1377	2016 PF 90 NH
90	PR123	1390	2014 PSE 90 USED
90	Q11	1391	2011 PSE 90 NH
90	R132	1593	2012 PSE 90 USED
90	R132	1594	2012 PF 90 USED
90	RG54	1639	2015 PF 90 OGph
85J	228	1181	2016 PSE 85J NH
85J	J29	1367	2008 PSE 85J USED
85J	Q12	1392	2019 PSE 85J NH
85	1	1085	2019 PSE 85 USED
85	18	1101	2019 PSE 85 OGph
85	113	1132	2008 PSE 85 NH
85	237	1187	2011 PSE 85 NH
85	273	1205	2011 PSE 85 NH
85	364	1246	2011 PSE 85 OGph
85	599A	1305	Enc. PSE 85 USED
85	R17a	1462	2017 PSE 85 USED
80	73	1120	2009 PSE 80 OGph
80	127	1150	2019 PSE 80 OGph
80	439	1264	2011 PSE 80 NH
80	E1	1354	2011 PSE 80 OGph
80	J21	1363	2011 PSE 80 NH
80	RG22	1635	2003 PSE 80 NGAI
75	126	1149	2015 PF 75 USED
75	450	1267	2008 PSE 75 USED
75	519	1284	2011 PSE 75 NH
75	J2	1359	2011 PSE 75 NH
75	J60	1371	2011 PSE 75 NH
75	R130	1588	2003 PSE 75 USED
70	196	1166	2008 PSE 70 NGAI
70	456	1271	2013 PSE 70 USED
70	R33b	1549	2003 PSE 70 USED



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