



Superb  
United States  
Stamps &  
Private Die  
Proprietary  
Stamps



Sale 1212  
November 20-21, 2019



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**Sale 1212 — Wednesday and Thursday, November 20-21, 2019**

## **Superb United States Stamps and Private Die Proprietary Stamps**

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**Pre-Sale Viewing:**

**Monday and Tuesday, November 18-19, 10am-4pm, and by appointment**

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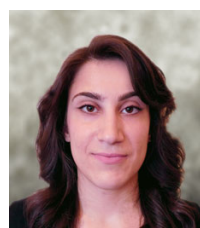
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Lot and Description	Bidding
 United States Inverted Jenny Positions 15 and 6 <b>Lot 91.</b> 24c Carmine Rose & Blue, Center Inverted (C3a). Position 15, the fifth stamp from the left in the second row of the sheet, original gum, deep rich colors, tiny 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>
\$ 450,000.00 Sold for \$ 270,000.00 Your Bid \$ 0.00	

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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.

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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

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**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
	 <b>Mint Never Hinged</b> <i>Free from any disturbance</i>	 <b>Lightly Hinged</b> <i>Faint impression of a removed hinge over a small area</i>	 <b>Hinge Mark or Remnant</b> <i>Prominent hinged spot with part or all of the hinge remaining</i>	 <b>Part o.g.</b> <i>Approximately half or more of the gum intact</i>	 <b>Small part o.g.</b> <i>Approximately less than half of the gum intact</i>	 <b>No gum</b> <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)		<b>Disturbed Original Gum:</b> 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.**

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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.

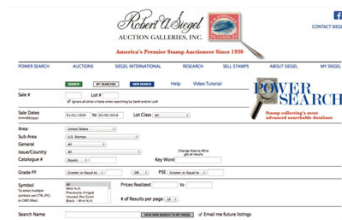
### Symbols and Abbreviations (see chart above for gum symbols)

⊞	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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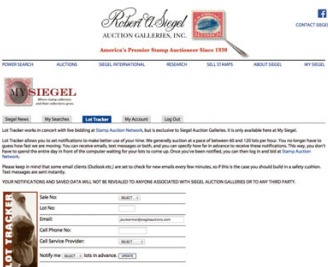


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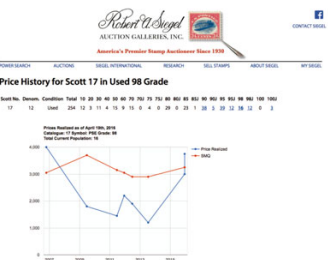


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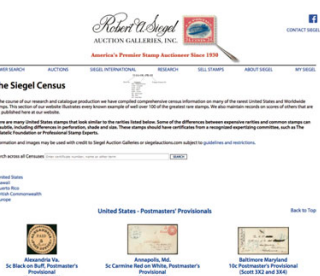
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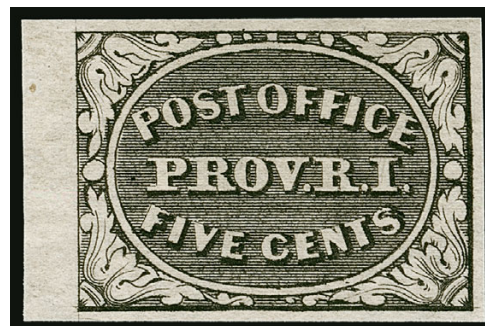
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SESSION ONE (LOTS 1-152)  
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 2019, AT 10:30 A.M.

# UNITED STATES STAMPS

## POSTMASTERS' PROVISIONALS, 1847 ISSUE

- 1 ★ **Providence, Rhode Island, 5c Gray Black (10X1).** Original gum, barely hinged, large to huge margins all around including left sheet margin, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate (OGph, XF-Superb 95; Postmasters' Provisionals unpriced in SMQ)..... 350.00

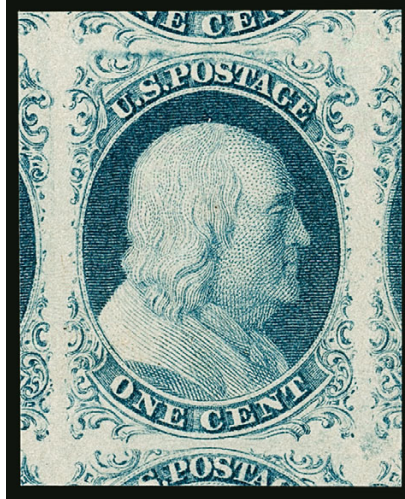


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- 2 ★ **Providence, Rhode Island, 5c Gray Black (10X1).** Original gum, lightly hinged, ample to large margins, Extremely Fine, with 1992 P.F. certificate ..... 350.00
- 3 ★ **5c Red Brown (1).** Large part original gum, h.r., full margins to clear, deep rich color, small natural fiber inclusion on back at top, tiny vertical scissors-cut in top right margin, small corner crease at bottom left, Fine appearing original gum example of the 5c 1847 Issue, with 2019 P.F. certificate ..... 6,000.00
- 4 **5c Red Brown (1).** Large margins to ample at upper right, neat strike of red circular grid cancel, Very Fine and choice, with 1984 P.F. certificate ..... 350.00
- 5 ★ **10c Black, Reproduction (4).** Without gum as issued, large margins to ample at bottom, intense shade and impression, Very Fine and choice, with 1996 P.F. certificate ... 1,100.00

## 1851-60 ISSUES



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- 6 ★★ **1c Blue, Ty. IV (9).** Plate 1 Late, **Mint N.H.**, recut once at top and bottom, enormous margins all around including **parts of all surrounding stamps**, deep rich color and proof-like impression

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. THIS MAGNIFICENT MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 1851 ONE-CENT TYPE IV IS GRADED GEM 100 JUMBO BY P.S.E., WHICH IS THE HIGHEST GRADE ATTAINABLE. THE ESSENCE OF PERFECTION.

Many collectors have a tendency to discount how difficult it is to find imperforate classics in such superb condition. The assumption is that there are multiples which can be split to “make” perfect singles. However, one would have to find a block of nine with no hinging in the surrounding stamps that are included in order to produce the Gem offered here. For all the imperforate issues (Scott 1-17), only six stamps in total have achieved this ultimate grade in Mint N.H. condition — two of Scott 9 and four of Scott 11/11A.

Ex “Hanover”. With 2007 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ in Mint N.H. condition). Scott 9 is priced in the grade of 100, in hinged condition, at \$11,000.00. This does not take into consideration any multiplier for Mint N.H. condition or for the Jumbo grade. Scott Retail as hinged ..... 725.00



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- 7 **3c Brownish Carmine, Ty. II (11A).** Mathematically perfect centering with massive margins showing portions of three adjoining stamps and interpane margin with centerline at left, circular datestamp cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$1,100.00), only three grade higher ..... 20.00
- 8 **3c Rose Red, Ty. II (11A).** Position 42L3 noted on back, mathematically perfect centering with large margins showing portions of adjoining stamps, neat circular datestamp cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$1,100.00), only three grade higher ..... 15.00
- 9 **3c Dull Red, Ty. II (11A).** Position 15L1L noted on back, mathematically perfect centering with large and even margins, showing portions of adjoining stamps on all sides, neat grid cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$1,100.00), only three grade higher ..... 15.00



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- 10 **3c Claret, Ty. II (11A).** Brilliant color, large margins, circular datestamp cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, with two 2006 P.S.E. certificates, one as Claret (which we are going with here) and one as Dull Red (Superb 98; SMQ \$525.00) ..... 22.50
- 11 **10c Green, Ty. III (15).** Position 85L1, **curl on forehead** variety, Jumbo margins with portion of adjoining stamp at top, **blue** circular datestamp cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, a beautiful stamp, with 1992 P.F. and 2005 P.S.E. certificates (XF-Superb 95 Jumbo; SMQ \$875.00 as normal, unpriced as the variety) ..... 240.00

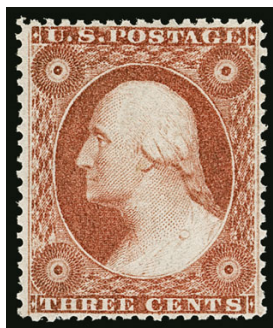
- 12°★ **1c Blue, Ty. IIIa (22).** Plate 12, original gum, lightly hinged, strong color and attractive centering and margins, Very Fine, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate ..... 2,200.00



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- 13 ★★ **1c Blue, Ty. V (24). Mint N.H.**, intense shade and impression, wide margins, Very Fine and choice, with 2016 P.S.E. certificate, Scott Retail as hinged ..... 140.00
- 14 ★★ **3c Dull Red, Ty. III (26). Mint N.H.**, superb centering with perfs well clear of design at top and bottom as well as sides, bright shade, detailed impression, Extremely Fine, ex "Scarsdale", with 2000 P.F. and 2019 P.S.E. certificates (XF 90; SMQ \$625.00), Scott Retail as hinged ..... 65.00
- 15 ★★ **3c Dull Red, Ty. III (26). Mint N.H.**, well-centered with balanced margins, Very Fine, Scott Retail as hinged ..... 65.00



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- 16 **3c Brownish Carmine, Ty. IV, Double Transfer (26A var).** Position 63L11L, Jumbo margins and outstanding centering, deep rich color on bright paper, neat Feb. 1859 circular datestamp cancel

EXTREMELY FINE GEM USED EXAMPLE OF THE 3-CENT 1857 TYPE IV.

The ready availability of 3c 1851-57 stamps gives collectors the false impression that superb examples, even of a better type, are easily obtainable. Yet with grading past its 15th year, only four used examples of Scott 26A have achieved a 95J grade or higher (highest is the 100 offered in our 2019 Rarities sale).

With 2005 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95 Jumbo; SMQ \$3,150.00 as normal). One shares this grade and only two grade higher ..... 225.00

## 1861-88 ISSUES

- 17 ★★ **3c Rose (65). Mint N.H.**, brilliant color, fresh and Very Fine, with 2006 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail as hinged ..... 125.00



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- 18 **Ayer's Cathartic Pills, Lowell Mass., 1c Blue, Short Arrows (EP2).** Mica intact, stamp with bright color, Very Fine, despite the modest catalogue value this is an elusive encasement, we have offered only four others since keeping computerized records, with 2006 P.F. certificate ..... 550.00
- 19 **Take Ayer's Pills, 3c Rose (EP9).** Bright stamp color and choice centering in the case, beautifully intact mica, Very Fine and choice, with 2006 P.F. certificate ..... 400.00



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- 20 **2c Black, Z. Grill (85B).** Clearly-defined grill, detailed impression and attractive shade, beautiful centering with balanced margins, bold strike of circle of V's cancel  
EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A MAGNIFICENT USED EXAMPLE OF THE 1868 2-CENT Z GRILL, GRADED XF-SUPERB 95 BY P.S.E.  
The plates used to print the Black Jacks did not provide enough space between subjects for the large 12-gauge perf holes. Consequently, most Black Jack stamps have perfs touching the design on one or two sides. This scarcity of four-margin copies multiplies exponentially when the Z Grill is factored into the equation. Only a small quantity of 2c sheets were grilled during the period when the Z device was active — after the D Grill (Scott 84), the Z is the rarest of Black Jack grilled stamps.  
Ex Merlin. With 2008 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$12,000.00). Only two grade higher (at 98). ..... 1,100.00



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- 21 ★田 **3c Red, F. Grill (94).** Block of four with top selvage, original gum, lightly hinged, s.e. at right, top left stamp with couple slightly short perfs and top right stamp light diagonal crease, overall Fine-Very Fine, the bottom left stamp is barely hinged and quite attractive, with 2015 P.S.A.G. certificate ..... 3,000.00

- 22 ★ **1c Blue, Re-Issue (102).** Original gum, brilliant color, wide and well-balanced margins, Extremely Fine, with 2005 P.F. certificate ..... 750.00



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- 23 ★★ **2c Brown (113). Mint N.H.,** rich color and detailed impression, unusually choice centering

EXTREMELY FINE. A BEAUTIFUL AND RARE MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 2-CENT 1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE.

With 2004 (for a block of four — this the lower left stamp) and 2008 P.S.E. certificates. With 2012 P.S.A.G. certificate (90 ogNH). By way of comparison, the P.S.E. Population Report lists only one Scott 113 at the 90 grade in Mint N.H. condition, with none higher. Scott Retail as hinged..... 500.00

- 24 **30c Ultramarine & Carmine (121).** Wide margins and precise centering, bold quartered cork cancel with rim of circular datestamp, Extremely Fine, with 1986 and 2004 P.F. certificates..... 375.00



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- 25 **10c Yellow, Re-Issue (127).** Rich color, bold strike of New York registry oval cancel, well-balanced margins  
EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A BEAUTIFUL AND SCARCE USED EXAMPLE OF THE 10-CENT 1869 PICTORIAL RE-ISSUE.

This issue is considerably scarcer in used condition. SMQ estimates approximately 30 are known used.

With 1999 and 2015 P.F. (XF 90) and 2015 P.S.E. certificates (XF 90; SMQ \$6,250.00). Only one has graded higher (at 90J) and only two others share this grade..... 1,800.00



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- 26°★ **15c Brown & Blue, Re-Issue (129).** Original gum, gorgeous colors and proof-like impressions, exceptional centering with wide and balanced margins rarely seen on this Re-Issue  
EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A SUPERB ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE 15-CENT 1869 PICTORIAL RE-ISSUE.

With 2019 P.S.E. certificate (OGph, XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$5,500.00). This is one of only four hinged Scott 129's at this lofty grade, which is the highest awarded ..... 1,300.00

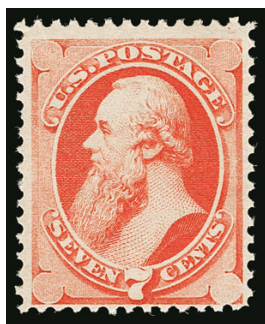


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- 27 ★ **1c Brown Orange, 1881 Re-Issue (133a).** Without gum as issued, wide top selvage, mathematically perfect centering with Jumbo margins, deep rich color on fresh paper

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A TRULY SUPERB EXAMPLE OF THE 1881 RE-ISSUE OF THE ONE-CENT 1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE. THIS STAMP IS GRADED GEM 100 JUMBO BY P.S.E. - THE HIGHEST GRADE POSSIBLE AND THE ONLY SCOTT 133a TO ACHIEVE IT.

With 2009 and 2014 P.S.E. certificates (both NGAI, Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in the 100J grade, SMQ \$3,250.00 as 100). This is the only example listed in the P.S.E. Population Report at this ultimate grade. The next highest is a single example graded 95..... 325.00



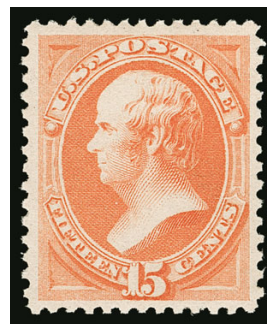
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- 28 ★★ **7c Vermilion (149).** Mint N.H., brilliant color, fresh and Fine, very rare in Mint N.H. condition, we have offered a few as part of blocks but this is the first single we have offered since 2007, with 1997 and 2019 P.F. certificates, Scott Retail as hinged ... 900.00
- 29 ★★ **6c Dull Pink (159).** Mint N.H., bright color, fresh and Fine, with 2018 P.S.E. certificate showing selvage at top which has been removed, Scott Retail as hinged ..... 375.00
- 30 ★★ **2c Vermilion (183).** Mint N.H., radiant color, Jumbo margins at top and bottom and choice centering, Extremely Fine, with 2018 P.S.E. certificate (XF 90 Jumbo; SMQ \$950.00 as 90, \$2,900.00 as 95) ..... 370.00
- 31 ★★ **15c Red Orange (189).** Mint N.H., vibrant color, well-balanced margins, fresh, Very Fine and choice, with 2018 P.S.E. certificate (VF 80; SMQ \$675.00) — a rather stingy grade in our opinion ..... 600.00

## COLUMBIAN ISSUE

- 32 ★★ **1c Columbian (230).** Mint N.H., colossal Jumbo margins and precise centering, rich color and proof-like impression on post office fresh paper

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A SPECTACULAR MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE ONE-CENT COLUMBIAN ISSUE, GRADED SUPERB 98 JUMBO BY P.S.E.

With 2010 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$1,900.00). This is the highest grade awarded to a Mint N.H. Scott 230 and it is shared by only five others.....

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- 33 ★★ **1c Columbian (230).** Mint N.H. with part imprint top selvage, wide margins and choice centering, lovely rich color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2005 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$350.00) ..... 32.50
- 34 ★★ **2c Columbian (231).** Mint N.H., wonderful rich color and detailed impression, gorgeous centering with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, a beautiful stamp, ex Merlin, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$1,850.00), only three grade higher ..... 31.00
- 35 ★★ **2c Columbian (231).** Mint N.H., with **broken frameline** variety, perfectly centered with unusually wide margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$1,850.00 with no premium for the Scott-listed variety), only three grade higher..... 31.00
- 36 ★★ **3c Columbian (232).** Mint N.H., deep rich color and proof-like impression, beautiful centering, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$2,000.00) ..... 97.50
- 37 ★★ **4c Columbian (233).** Mint N.H., brilliant color, beautiful centering with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95 Jumbo; SMQ \$1,150.00). 140.00

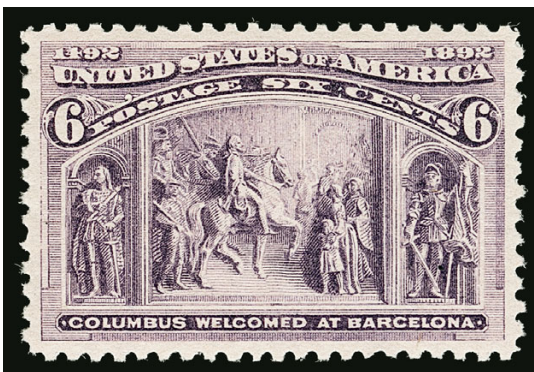


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- 38 ★★ **5c Columbian (234).** Mint N.H., rich color and proof-like impression on bright paper, perfectly centered with Jumbo margins

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A STUNNING MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 5-CENT COLUMBIAN, GRADED SUPERB 98 JUMBO BY P.S.E. ONLY ONE GRADES HIGHER.

With 1991, 2003 P.F. and 2008 P.S.E. certificates (Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$4,500.00). Only one grades higher (at 100, last offered by us in 2012) and five others share this desirable grade. This is the first in this grade we have offered since 2012. .... 140.00



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- 39 ★★ **6c Columbian (235).** Mint N.H., precise centering with wide margins, brilliant color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$900.00) . 140.00

- 40 ★★ **10c Columbian (237).** Mint N.H., well-centered with balanced margins, Extremely Fine, with 1987 P.F. and 2004 P.S.E. certificates (XF 90; SMQ \$550.00) ..... 250.00

15-CENT COLUMBIAN  
GRADED MINT NEVER-HINGED GEM 100 JUMBO



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41°★★ **15c Columbian (238).** Mint N.H., mathematically perfect centering with huge Jumbo margins, deep rich color and proof-like impression, post office fresh in every respect

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. AN ASTONISHING MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 15-CENT COLUMBIAN, WITH THE ULTIMATE P.S.E. GRADE OF GEM 100 JUMBO — THE HIGHEST GRADE POSSIBLE, THE ONLY STAMP TO ACHIEVE IT AND THE HIGHEST DENOMINATION COLUMBIAN AT 100 JUMBO.

Among the entire 16-stamp Columbian Issue, only six Mint N.H. stamps covering five denominations have achieved the highest possible grade of Gem 100 Jumbo from P.S.E., as follows: one 2c (1.46 billion issued), two 3c (11.5 million issued), one 4c (19 million issued), one 8c (10.5 million issued) and this single 15c (1.5 million issued). This is the highest denomination of the set at the Gem 100 Jumbo grade, and given that the next closest is the 8c with 7-times as many issued, the true rarity of this stamp becomes even more evident. This stamp is from an old-time quality collection which has been off the market for more than 40 years. This is its first auction appearance.

With 2019 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 98J, SMQ \$16,500.00 as 98J). The SMQ value even for a 98J is outdated, as the sole stamp at that grade realized \$35,000 hammer in our 2019 Rarities sale. This 100 Jumbo is the highest grade possible and the only example to achieve it. .... 600.00



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- 42° ★ **\$1.00 Columbian (241).** Original gum, lightly hinged with **part imprint left selvage**, deep rich color and detailed impression, unusually choice centering

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A GORGEOUS PART IMPRINT, ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE \$1.00 COLUMBIAN ISSUE.

With 1992 P.F. and 2017 P.S.E. certificates (OGph, XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$3,800.00). Only two grade higher (at 98). For reference, the highest grade awarded for a Mint N.H. stamp is also 95. .... 1,000.00

- 43° ★ **\$3.00 Columbian (243).** Original gum, lightly hinged, deep rich color and intense impression, exceptionally choice centering with wide and balanced margins

EXTREMELY FINE GEM LIGHTLY-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE \$3.00 COLUMBIAN ISSUE.

With 2019 P.S.E. certificate (OGph, XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$4,800.00)..... 1,350.00



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- 44 (★) **\$5.00 Columbian (245).** Unused (regummed), wide margins and well-centered, Extremely Fine ..... 1,150.00

## 1894-98 THRU PAN-AMERICAN ISSUE



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- 45 ★★ **1c Deep Green (279).** Mint N.H., radiant color, huge margins all around and precise centering, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp, ex "Scarsdale", with 2000 P.F. and 2008 P.S.E. certificates (Superb 98; SMQ \$1,100.00), only three examples grade higher (highest is 100)..... 25.00
- 46 ★ **1c Deep Green (279).** Barest trace of hinging, with **right part imprint selvage**, perfectly centered with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (OGph, Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 100, SMQ \$400.00 as 100), this is the highest grade possible and it is shared by only one other hinged copy, no Mint N.H. examples have achieved this ultimate grade ..... 9.00
- 47 ★★ **1c Trans-Mississippi (285).** Mint N.H., radiant color and detailed impression, choice centering with wide margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$625.00) ..... 82.50



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- 48 ★★ **1c Pan-American (294).** Mint N.H., essentially perfect centering, rich color on bright white paper, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp in every respect, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$1,500.00), only four grade higher ..... 40.00

- 49 ★★ **2c Pan-American (295).** Mint N.H., deep rich colors on crisp paper, phenomenal centering, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$1,300.00), only five grade higher (all 98J)..... 37.50



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- 50 ★ **2c Pan-American (295).** Barely hinged, brilliant colors, perfectly centered with Jumbo margins, long and full perforations, Extremely Fine Gem, a phenomenal stamp, this issue is virtually impossible to find with such wide margins, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (OGph, Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 98), this is the highest grade in *any* category (the highest Mint N.H. is 98J) and no others share this perfect grade ..... 15.00
- 51 ★★ **8c Pan-American (298).** Mint N.H., choice balanced margins, rich colors, fresh and Extremely Fine, with 2018 P.F. certificate (XF 90) ..... 230.00



- 52 ★田 **8c Pan-American (298).** Bottom imprint and plate no. 1150 block of six, five stamps Mint N.H., top center stamp barest trace of hinging, rich colors and impressions, outstanding centering for this issue, Very Fine-Extremely Fine, a beautiful plate block, with 2019 P.F. certificate ..... 3,800.00

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- 53 ★★ **10c Pan-American (299).** Mint N.H., well-proportioned margins and choice centering, rich colors on fresh paper, Extremely Fine, with 2012 P.S.E. certificate (XF 90; SMQ \$850.00) ..... 300.00
- 54 ★田 **10c Pan-American (299).** Block of four with bottom double plate nos. 1151/1144 and part arrow at right, three stamps Mint N.H., bottom left stamp faint trace of what may be hinging, Very Fine and attractive, Scott Retail as singles ..... 1,015.00



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- 55 ★ **1c Pan-American, Center Inverted (294a).** Original gum, deep rich colors, choice centering and margins, couple small central thin spots

VERY FINE APPEARING ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE ONE-CENT PAN-AMERICAN INVERT.

According to Johl, the 1c Pan-American Inverts were found in at least four different post offices around the country soon after release of the issue in May 1901, including Bessemer Ala., Richmond Va., Utica N.Y. and Connecticut.

Ex "Alan". With 2010 P.F. and 2017 P.S.E. certificates..... 12,500.00



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- 56 ★ **4c Pan-American, Center Inverted (296a).** Original gum, pretty colors, reperfed at left  
VERY FINE APPEARING ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE 4-CENT PAN-AMERICAN INVERT.

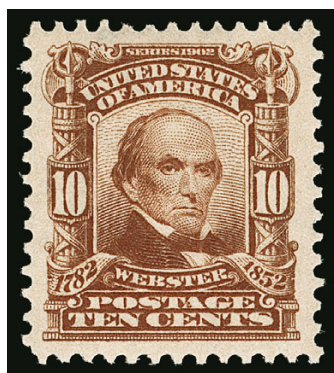
The 4c Pan-American Invert was a special printing and not regularly issued. Examples were distributed through two official channels, and the gum on the majority of stamps without "Specimen" overprint was disturbed. In fact, because the stamps were removed from mounting paper, they are generally thinned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

With 2019 P.S.E. certificate ..... 85,000.00

## 1902-12 ISSUES



- 57 ★★ **1c Blue Green (300)**. Mint N.H., precise centering with wide margins, rich color, Extremely Fine Gem, a beautiful stamp, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$750.00), only two grade higher (at 100) ..... 30.00
- 58 ★★ **8c Violet Black (306)**. Mint N.H., deep rich color on bright paper, beautiful centering, Extremely Fine Gem, with 1989 P.F. (as a strip of three) and 2005 P.S.E. certificates showing right plate no. selvage which has been removed, (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$800.00) — we believe this is a very conservative grade ..... 110.00



- 59 ★★ **10c Pale Red Brown (307)**. Mint N.H., deep rich color and proof-like impression, gorgeous centering with Jumbo margins  
EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A STUNNING MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 10-CENT 1902 ISSUE, GRADED XF-SUPERB 95 JUMBO BY P.S.E. — ONLY ONE GRADES HIGHER AND NONE SHARE THIS GRADE.  
With 2006 P.F. and 2011 P.S.E. certificates (XF-Superb 95 Jumbo; SMQ \$1,650.00). Only one grade higher (at 98J, realized \$10,000 hammer in our 2019 Rarities sale) and none share this grade..... 150.00

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- 60 ★ **15c Olive Green (309)**. Pretty shade, perfectly centered with unusually wide and mathematically balanced margins, long and full perforations, Extremely Fine Gem, a spectacular stamp for collectors who value centering over Mint N.H. gum, ex Merlin, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate (OGH, Gem 100; SMQ \$1,800.00), this is the highest grade awarded in any category (the highest Mint N.H. is 98J) and the only example to achieve it. .... 185.00
- 61 **\$1.00 Black (311)**. Bold registry oval cancel, exceptionally well-centered with Jumbo margins all around, Extremely Fine Gem, a beautiful stamp, P.S.E. encapsulated (XF-Superb 95 Jumbo; SMQ \$650.00) ..... 90.00
- 62 ★★ **5c Blue, Imperforate (315)**. Mint N.H. with **left plate no. 2953 sheet margin**, deep rich color, enormous margins all around with portions of adjoining stamps, Extremely Fine Gem, a phenomenal stamp, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$1,500.00), the highest grade awarded and shared by only one other..... 575.00
- 63 ★★ **5c Blue, Imperforate (315)**. Mint N.H., detailed impression, large margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2004 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$850.00)..... 575.00
- 64 ★★ **5c Blue, Imperforate (315)**. Mint N.H., large margins, fresh and Extremely Fine, with 2016 P.F. certificate (XF 90), when we look at the stamp offered in the previous lot, we are not sure how this graded only 90 ..... 575.00



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- 65 ★★ **5c Blue, Coil (317).** Mint N.H., intense shade and impression on crisp paper, beautifully centered with wide and balanced margins, fresh and pristine

EXTREMELY FINE. A RARE CENTERED AND SOUND MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 1908 5-CENT VERTICAL COIL, SCOTT 317.

The 5c 1908 Coil stamps, which were stripped by hand, are almost always centered to one side. The example offered here, with wide margins on both sides, is a rarity for the issue. Factoring in its Mint Never-Hinged gum, this stamp is certainly one of the finest examples of the issue.

With 1958 P.F. certificate for a pair, issued to Raymond H. Weill. With 2017 P.S.E. certificate (VF-XF 85; unpriced in SMQ in Mint N.H. condition). This is the only Mint N.H. example contained in the P.S.E. Population Report..... 12,000.00



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- 66 ★ **1c Blue Green, Coil (318).** Lightly hinged, deep rich color, attractive centering and margins

VERY FINE EXAMPLE OF THE 1908 ONE-CENT HORIZONTAL COIL, SCOTT 318.

With 2018 P.S.E. certificate..... 4,250.00

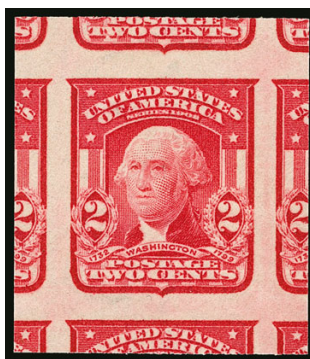
- 67 ★ **1c Blue Green, Coil (318).** Lightly hinged, unusually intense shade, centered to right but just a single perf touches the design, fresh and Fine, a collectible sound example of this coil rarity, with 1996 P.F. (for a strip of three) and 2014 P.S.E. certificates (OGph, VG 50; SMQ \$1,350.00), an unjustifiably harsh grade in our opinion for this Fine coil stamp ..... 4,250.00



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- 68 ★★ **2c Carmine, Ty. I (319).** Mint N.H., brilliant color, huge and balanced margins all around, Extremely Fine Gem, ex "Scarsdale", with 1992, 2001 P.F. and 2013 P.S.E. certificates (Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ 1,150.00), only three grade higher and two share this grade..... 15.00
- 69 ★★ **2c Lake, Ty. II (319f; formerly 319f).** Mint N.H. with wide top part imprint selvage, intense shade and impression, perfectly centered with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, a huge stamp, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ above a 98, SMQ \$1,100.00 as 98), this is the highest grade awarded and the only example to achieve it ..... 25.00
- 70 ★★ **2c Carmine, Ty. I, Imperforate (320).** Massive Jumbo margins with portions of all surrounding stamps, rich color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in 100J grade, SMQ \$350.00 as 100) ..... 32.50
- 71 ★★ **2c Scarlet, Ty. I, Imperforate (320b).** Mint N.H., Jumbo margins all around, vivid color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced as 100J, SMQ \$750.00 as 100)..... 37.50



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- 72 ★ **2c Carmine, Coil (322).** Brilliant color, choice centering with balanced margins, vertical crease at right  
EXTREMELY FINE APPEARING EXAMPLE OF THE SCARCE 2-CENT HORIZONTAL COIL, SCOTT 322.  
With 1974 (for a pair) and 2006 P.F. certificates..... 7,000.00



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73° ★ **2c Louisiana Purchase, Vertical Pair, Imperforate Horizontally (324a).** Original gum, brilliant color on fresh paper

FINE AND RARE EXAMPLE OF THE 2-CENT LOUISIANA PURCHASE IMPERFORATE HORIZONTALLY.

It is believed that only one pane of 50 was found in Cleveland Ohio. This intact pane was originally sold to A.W. Weigel of the Ohio Stamp Co. and very shortly thereafter became part of the George H. Worthington collection. After the Worthington sale it was broken into pairs and blocks of four, including the unique plate block offered in our sale of the William H. Gross Multiples Collection (Sale 1200, lot 193). Power Search lists very few of these rarities — we have offered only a handful of others since 1990.

With 2017 P.F. certificate (F 70) ..... 25,000.00



- 74 ★ **1c Jamestown (328).** Single hinge mark at left, essentially perfect centering, deep rich color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate (OGh, Superb 98; SMQ \$400.00)..... 27.50
- 75 **1c Jamestown (328).** Unusually choice centering with Jumbo margins, rich color on bright paper, face-free cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, a beautiful stamp, P.S.E. encapsulated (XF-Superb 95 Jumbo; SMQ \$750.00), only two grade higher ..... 5.00
- 76 ★★ **2c Jamestown (329).** Mint N.H., exceptional centering, vivid color on crisp white paper, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2003 P.F. and 2005 P.S.E. certificates (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$1,200.00) ..... 80.00
- 77 ★ **5c Jamestown (330).** Barest trace of hinging, deep rich color and proof-like impression on bright paper, gorgeous centering, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate (OGph, Superb 98; SMQ \$700.00), this is the highest grade awarded in this category, only one Mint N.H. grades higher ..... 140.00
- 78 ★★ **1c Green (331).** Mint N.H. with wide **top plate no. 5084 selvage**, rich color on bright paper, perfectly centered with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, a phenomenal stamp, ex Hinrichs, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$725.00), only three grade higher (at 100) and three others share this desirable grade..... 16.00
- 79 ★★ **2c Carmine (332).** Mint N.H., radiant color, mathematically perfect centering with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, a truly magnificent Gem 100 Jumbo example of this workhorse Washington-Franklin issue, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 100, SMQ \$1,150.00 as 100), only three others share this perfect grade..... 14.00
- 80 ★★ **2c Carmine (332).** Mint N.H., brilliant color on post-office fresh paper, gorgeous centering with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2006 and 2018 P.S.E. certificates (Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$700.00), only five grade higher..... 14.00
- 81 **2c Carmine (332).** Brilliant color on bright paper, perfectly centered with absolutely enormous margins, neat wavy-line machine cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced above the grade of 100, SMQ \$475.00 as 100), the highest grade possible and shared by only two others ..... 0.35



- 82 ★★ **1c-5c 1908-09 Issue, Imperforate (343-347).** Mint N.H. set, **each graded Gem 100 Jumbo**, 1c with plate no. 4974 selvage at top, 2c with part imprint and star at left, 4c with plate no. 4933 at left, all with large portions of all surrounding stamps or margins, rich colors, Extremely Fine Gem set, a rare opportunity to acquire a complete set of the first Washington-Franklin imperforates with the highest possible grades, P.S.E. encapsulated (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 100, total SMQ \$1,200.00 as 100) .....(Photo Ex) 129.00
- 83 **4c Orange Brown, Imperforate (346).** Huge margins all around, light and unobtrusive oval cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$425.00), this is the highest grade awarded ..... 20.00
- 84 ★★ **1c Green, Coil (348).** Mint N.H., precise centering with wide margins, bright and fresh, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$800.00), only one grades higher and two others share this grade ..... 80.00

- 85 ★ **4c Orange Brown, Coil (354).** Single hinge mark at top, exceptional centering with huge Jumbo margins, rich color, Extremely Fine Gem, one of the largest examples of this early coil we have seen, with 1993 P.F. (copy, for a pair) and 2009 P.S.E. certificates (OGph, Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$1,500.00), only one hinged single grades higher (at 100J) and this is the only 98J, for Mint N.H. the P.S.E. Population Report does not list any Jumbo single stamps at a 95 grade or higher..... 200.00



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- 86 ★★ **5c Blue, Coil (355).** Mint N.H., deep rich color, well-balanced margins, Very Fine and choice, ex "Scarsdale" and "Alan", with 1986 and 1999 P.F. certificates..... 450.00
- 87 ★★ **2c Carmine, Bluish (358).** Mint N.H., well-centered with wide margins, fresh vivid color, Extremely Fine, with 2001 P.F. (for vertical pair) and 2001 P.S.E. certificates ..... 170.00
- 88 ★★ **2c Lincoln (367).** Mint N.H., mathematically perfect centering, brilliant color and paper, Extremely Fine Gem, a spectacular stamp, with 2012 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$725.00), the highest grade awarded and shared by only only four others ..... 9.50



- 89 ★★ **2c Lincoln (367).** Mint N.H., mathematically perfect centering, radiant color on post-office fresh paper, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$725.00), only four others have achieved this perfect grade, which is the highest awarded ..... 9.50
- 90 ★★ **2c Lincoln, Imperforate (368).** Mint N.H., massive margins showing large part of all adjoining stamps, brilliant color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in this grade, SMQ \$250.00 as 100), the highest grade possible and shared by only nine others, this is the first we have offered ..... 24.00



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- 91 ★★ **2c Lincoln, Bluish (369).** Mint N.H., brilliant color on deeply blued paper, choice centering with wide margins  
EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A SUPERB MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 2-CENT LINCOLN ON BLUSH.  
Ex "Hanover". With 1999, 2001 P.F. and 2009 P.S.E. certificates (Superb 98; SMQ \$3,250.00). Only one grades higher (at 100) and eight others share this grade .. 300.00

- 92 ★★ **2c Lincoln, Bluish (369).** Mint N.H., intense shade and impression, choice centering with huge Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 1995 P.F. and 2007 P.S.E. certificates (XF-Superb 95 Jumbo; SMQ \$1,700.00) ..... 300.00
- 93 ★★ **2c Alaska-Yukon (370).** Mint N.H., rich color on bright paper, stunning Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ, SMQ \$350.00 as 98 and \$750.00 as 100), only two grade higher (at 100) and none share this grade, this is the highest grade we have offered ..... 15.00
- 94 ★★ **2c Alaska-Yukon (370).** Mint N.H., essentially perfect centering with wide margins, vibrant color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$350.00), only three grade higher ..... 15.00
- 95 ★★ **2c Alaska-Yukon, Imperforate (371).** Mint N.H., Jumbo margins all around with portions of all adjoining stamps, bright color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in 100J grade, SMQ \$225.00 as 100) ..... 30.00

- 96 ★★ **2c Hudson-Fulton (372).** Mint N.H., massive Jumbo margins and mathematically perfect centering, bright color on post-office fresh paper

EXTREMELY FINE GEM EXAMPLE OF THE 2-CENT HUDSON-FULTON PERFORATED ISSUE, GRADED GEM 100 JUMBO BY P.S.E. — THE HIGHEST GRADE POSSIBLE AND THE ONLY TO ACHIEVE IT.

With 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in this grade, SMQ 1,200.00 as 100). This is the highest grade possible and the only example to achieve it. .... 21.00



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- 97 ★★ **2c Hudson-Fulton (372).** Mint N.H., brilliant color, gorgeous centering with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$625.00), only two grade higher and six share this grade ..... 21.00
- 98 ★★ **2c Hudson-Fulton, Imperforate (373).** Mint N.H., huge margins all around with parts of all adjoining stamps, intense shade and impression, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced above 100, SMQ \$275.00 as 100), this is the first in this grade we have offered ..... 40.00
- 99 ★★ **1c Green (374).** Mint N.H., rich color on bright paper, perfectly centered with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$650.00), the highest grade awarded and shared by only six others ..... 6.00
- 100 ★★ **2c Carmine (375).** Mint N.H., intense color on bright paper, perfectly centered with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, a huge stamp, ex "Scarsdale", with 2008 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$625.00), the highest grade awarded and shared by only seven others ..... 6.00
- 101 ★ **4c Brown (377).** Barest trace of hinging, rich color on bright paper, perfectly centered with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2012 P.S.E. certificate (OGph, Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced above the grade of 98J, SMQ \$1,600.00 as 98J), the highest grade possible and the only to achieve it, the highest grade awarded to a Mint N.H. example is 98J ..... 27.50
- 102 ★★ **6c Red Orange (379).** Mint N.H., vibrant color on bright paper, phenomenal centering, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$1,800.00), only one grades higher (at 100J) and three others share this desirable grade ..... 85.00
- 103 ★★ **1c Green, Coil (390).** Mint N.H., perfectly centered with Jumbo margins, deep rich color, Extremely Fine Gem, a stunning stamp, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 100, SMQ \$750.00 as 100), the highest grade possible and shared by only one other ..... 10.00



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- 104 ★★ **3c Deep Violet, Coil (394).** Mint N.H., vivid color, mathematically perfect centering with wide margins

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. THE PERFECT MINT NEVER-HINGED COIL SINGLE OF SCOTT 394, GRADED GEM 100 BY P.S.E. — THE HIGHEST GRADE AWARDED.

Ex Depew. With 2010 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$2,350.00). The highest grade awarded and shared by only one other ..... 135.00

- 105 ★★ **4c Brown, Coil (395).** Mint N.H., mathematically perfect centering with wide margins, brilliant color on post-office fresh paper

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. THIS GORGEOUS MINT NEVER-HINGED COIL IS GRADED GEM 100 BY P.S.E. — THE HIGHEST GRADE AWARDED.

Ex Merlin and Depew. With 2000 P.F. and 2009 P.S.E. certificates (Gem 100; SMQ \$2,500.00). This is the highest grade awarded and the only Mint N.H. example to achieve it ..... 135.00



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- 106 ★ **5c Blue, Coil (396).** Lightly hinged, mathematically perfect centering, rich color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate (OGph, Gem 100; SMQ \$375.00), this is the highest grade awarded to an unused Scott 396 single ..... 60.00

## PANAMA-PACIFIC ISSUE

- 107 ★★ **1c Panama-Pacific (397).** Mint N.H., deep rich color and proof-like impression on bright paper, beautiful centering with unusually wide and perfectly balanced margins

EXTREMELY FINE GEM MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE ONE-CENT PERF 12 PANAMA-PACIFIC ISSUE, GRADED GEM 100 JUMBO — THE HIGHEST GRADE POSSIBLE AND THE ONLY EXAMPLE TO ACHIEVE IT.

With 2011 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in this grade, SMQ \$1,000.00 as 100). This is the highest grade possible and the only example to achieve it ..... 35.00



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- 108 ★★ **1c Panama-Pacific (397).** Mint N.H., rich color on bright paper, gorgeous centering with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2014 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$650.00), only seven grade higher..... 35.00
- 109 ★★ **2c Panama-Pacific (398).** Mint N.H., brilliant color, mathematically perfect centering, long and full perforations, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp in every respect, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$1,100.00), the highest grade awarded and only five others share it, we are surprised SMQ value is so low on this ..... 35.00
- 110 ★★田 **2c Panama-Pacific (398).** Mint N.H. top plate no. 6317 block of six, outstanding centering throughout, fresh and bright, Extremely Fine Gem plate block, with 2007 P.F. certificate..... 625.00



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- 111 ★★ **5c Panama-Pacific (399).** Mint N.H., deep rich color and proof-like impression on bright paper, perfectly centered with enormous margins all around  
EXTREMELY FINE GEM. AN ABSOLUTELY STUNNING MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 5-CENT PERF 12 PANAMA-PACIFIC ISSUE, GRADED GEM 100 JUMBO BY P.S.E. — THE HIGHEST GRADE POSSIBLE AND THE ONLY TO ACHIEVE IT.  
Ex Dr. Killien. With 1998 P.F., 2006 and 2019 P.S.E. certificates (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced above the grade of 100, SMQ \$2,800.00 as 100). The highest grade possible and the only example to achieve it..... 150.00



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- 112 ★ **5c Panama-Pacific (399).** Lightly hinged, rich color, perfectly centered, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate (OGph, Gem 100; SMQ \$725.00), this is the highest grade awarded to a hinged stamp and none share it, one Mint N.H. example is graded 100J (offered in previous lot) but none are graded 100 ..... 65.00
- 113 ★★ **10c Orange Yellow, Panama-Pacific (400).** Mint N.H., vibrant color on crisp paper, gorgeous centering, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp in every respect, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$2,650.00), only six grade higher (all at 98J).. 250.00
- 114 ★田 **10c Orange Yellow, Panama-Pacific (400).** Full left plate no. 6130 block of six, center left selvage and center right stamp single hinge marks, others Mint N.H., rich color, light blue crayon from post office in selvage at bottom left, Fine-Very Fine, ex "MLG" ..... 2,250.00



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- 115 ★★ **10c Orange, Panama-Pacific (400A).** Mint N.H., beautifully balanced Jumbo margins, brilliant color on post-office fresh paper  
EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A HUGE AND SUPERB MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 10-CENT ORANGE PERF 12 PANAMA-PACIFIC ISSUE.  
With 1997 P.F., 2006 and 2017 P.S.E. certificates (Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$4,500.00). Only two grade higher (at 100 and 100J) and this is the only example at 98J ..... 390.00



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- 116 ★★ **1c Panama-Pacific, Perf 10 (401).** Mint N.H., deep rich color and proof-like impression on bright paper, gorgeous centering with wide and balanced margins, Extremely Fine Gem, a stunning stamp, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$900.00), only two grade higher (one at 98J, one at 100), this is significantly underpriced in SMQ in our opinion ..... 60.00
- 117 ★★ **1c Panama-Pacific, Perf 10 (401).** Mint N.H., rich color on bright white paper, outstanding centering with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 1997 P.F. and 2015 P.S.E. certificates (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$325.00), this is underpriced in SMQ as 95's routinely realize well above this value..... 60.00
- 118 ★ **1c Panama-Pacific, Perf 10 (401).** Deep rich color on bright paper, perfectly centered with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate (OGph, Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ in this grade, SMQ \$275.00 as 100), the highest grade possible and the only stamp awarded this grade in any category..... 25.00



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- 119 ★★ **2c Panama-Pacific, Perf 10 (402).** Mint N.H., brilliant color on post-office fresh paper, perfectly centered with unusually wide margins
- EXTREMELY FINE GEM. THIS STUNNING MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 2-CENT PERF 10 PANAMA-PACIFIC ISSUE IS GRADED GEM 100 BY P.S.E. — THE HIGHEST GRADE AWARDED AND THE ONLY EXAMPLE TO ACHIEVE IT.
- Ex Dr. DeBroff. With 2010 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$3,250.00). This is the highest grade awarded and it is the only example to achieve it. SMQ value is far too low, especially given the low Population Report numbers at the highest grades. We sold the only example graded 98 Jumbo for \$15,500 hammer in 2010 (as the highest grade awarded at the time), and the last example graded 98 we sold (population of five) brought more than the SMQ value of this 100..... E. 7,500-10,000



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- 120 ★ **2c Panama-Pacific, Perf 10 (402).** Very lightly hinged, brilliant color on crisp paper, perfectly centered, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate (OGph, Gem 100; SMQ \$675.00), the highest grade awarded and shared by no other hinged examples ..... 65.00
- 121 ★田 **2c Panama-Pacific, Perf 10 (402).** Full left plate no. 6649 block of six, lightly hinged, brilliant color, right center stamp small natural inclusion, few short perfs in selvage at top, Fine-Very Fine..... 1,200.00



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- 122 ★★ **5c Panama-Pacific, Perf 10 (403).** Mint N.H., deep rich color on bright paper, Jumbo margins and perfect centering
- EXTREMELY FINE GEM. THIS IS WITHOUT QUESTION ONE OF THE FINEST MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLES OF THE 5-CENT PERF 10 PANAMA-PACIFIC ISSUE. THIS MAGNIFICENT STAMP IS GRADED SUPERB 98 JUMBO BY P.S.E. — THE HIGHEST GRADE AWARDED.
- Ex Dr. DeBroff. With 1983 P.F. and 2009 P.S.E. certificates (Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$3,850.00 in no way reflects its true rarity — the SMQ value for a 98 is only \$250.00 less than this). This is the highest grade awarded and it is shared by only two others, a statistic that has not changed since 2009. We have offered only one of the others, which realized \$10,000 hammer in 2017 ..... E. 7,500-10,000

- 123 ★★ **10c Panama-Pacific, Perf 10 (404).** Mint N.H., brilliant color, choice centering

EXTREMELY FINE MINT NEVER-HINGED  
EXAMPLE OF THE 10-CENT PERF 10  
PANAMA-PACIFIC ISSUE.

With 1987 (for block) and 2019 P.F.  
certificates (XF 90 XQ)..... 1,600.00



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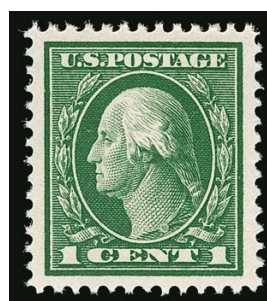
- 124 ★ **10c Panama-Pacific, Perf 10 (404).** Lightly hinged, perfectly centered with wide margins, brilliant color

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A SUPERB 10-CENT  
PERF 10 PANAMA-PACIFIC, GRADED GEM 100  
BY P.S.E.

With 2002 P.F. and 2014 P.S.E. certificates  
(OGph, Gem 100; SMQ \$2,850.00). This is  
the highest grade awarded and it is shared  
by only two other hinged stamps... 650.00



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- 125 ★ **10c Panama-Pacific, Perf 10 (404).** Slightly disturbed original gum described on accompanying certificate as “disturbed o.g.”, intense color and impression on bright paper, beautiful centering with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate (DOG, Superb 98 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ in this gum condition, SMQ \$2,400.00 as previously hinged), the gum call is a bit harsh in our opinion ..... 650.00

## 1912-16 ISSUES

- 126 ★★ **1c Green (405).** Mint N.H., post-office fresh color and proof-like impression, balanced Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, ex “Alan”, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$500.00), this is the highest grade awarded..... 15.00
- 127 ★★ **2c Carmine (406).** Mint N.H., with wide bottom selvage, perfectly centered with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced above the grade of 100, SMQ \$1,150.00 as 100), the highest grade possible and shared by only two others, this is the first we have offered ..... 15.00



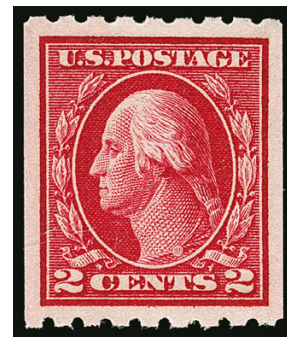
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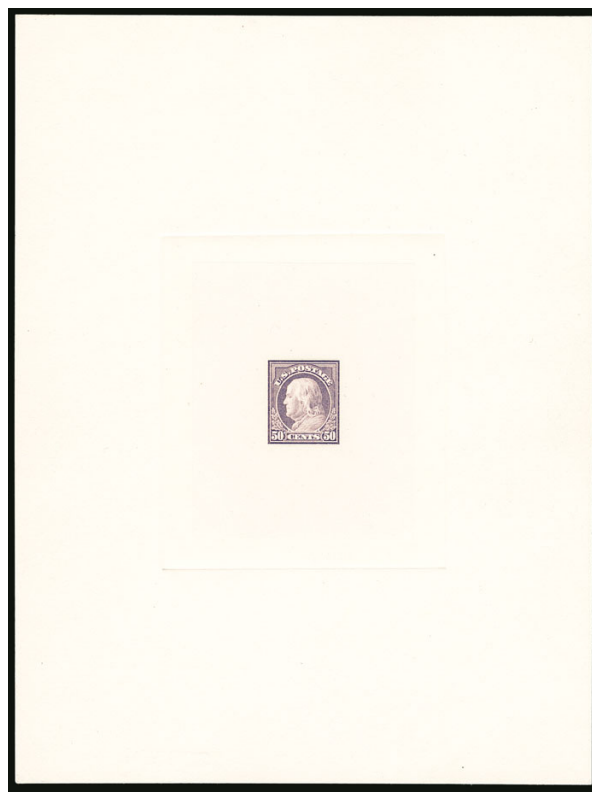
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- 128 ★★ **1c Green, Coil (410).** Mint N.H., mathematically perfect centering, wide margins, Extremely Fine Gem, an uncommonly superb example of a common coil, ex Depew, with 2012 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$600.00), only one other shares this top grade, with none higher..... 13.00
- 129 ★★ **1c Green, Coil (410).** Mint N.H., intense shade on bright paper, perfectly centered with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2005 P.F. and 2006 P.S.E. certificates (Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$400.00), only two grade higher (at 100) and two others share this grade ..... 13.00
- 130 ★★ **2c Carmine, Coil (411).** Mint N.H., mathematically perfect centering, bright color on post-office fresh paper, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb Mint N.H. coil, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$550.00), none grade higher and only two others share this perfect grade ..... 22.50
- 131 ★★ **2c Carmine, Coil (411).** Mint N.H., near perfect centering with Jumbo margins, vivid color, Extremely Fine Gem, ex "Alan", with 2010 P.S.A.G. certificate (98J ogNH) ..... 22.50

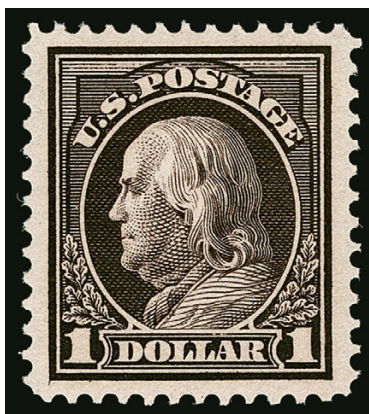


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- 132 ★ **30c Orange Red (420).** Fiery color on fresh paper, precise centering with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate (OGph, XF-Superb 95 Jumbo; SMQ \$375.00)..... 105.00
- 133 P **50c Violet, Large Die Proof on India (421P1).** Die sunk on 153 x 202mm card, brilliant color, blue "330599" Bureau control number on back, fresh and Extremely Fine, this is the only example we have offered since keeping computerized records, ex President Franklin D. Roosevelt and Golden..... 1,400.00



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134°★★ **\$1.00 Violet Brown (423).** Mint N.H., extraordinary centering with Jumbo margins, deep shade and proof-like impression on fresh paper

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A SUPERB MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 1912 \$1.00 PERF 12 ISSUE, WHICH IS EXTREMELY DIFFICULT TO FIND WITH JUMBO MARGINS AND CHOICE CENTERING.

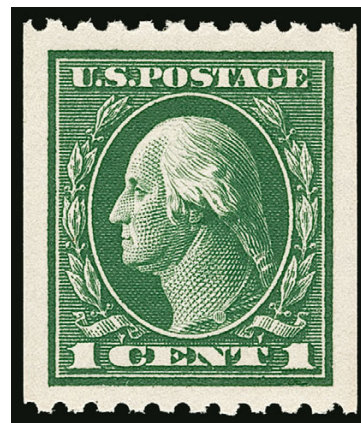
With 1981 P.F. and 2019 P.S.E. certificates (XF-Superb 95 Jumbo; unpriced in this grade, SMQ \$6,250.00 as 95, \$17,500.00 as 98). Only two grade higher (one 98 and one 98J) and no others share this grade. .... 950.00



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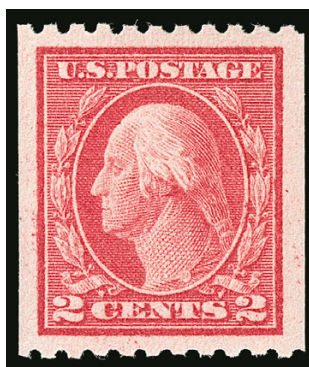
135 ★★ **1c Green (424).** Mint N.H., mathematically perfect centering, rich color, Extremely Fine Gem, a phenomenal stamp, ex "Golden Oak", with 2008 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$800.00), the highest grade awarded and shared by only three others ..... 4.75

136 ★★ **8c Pale Olive Green (431).** Mint N.H., pretty pastel color, sharp impression, outstanding centering with wide margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2012 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$650.00) ..... 72.50

137 ★★ **1c Green, Coil (441).** Mint N.H., deep rich color on bright paper, perfectly centered with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2012 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced above 100, SMQ \$325.00 as 100), the highest grade possible and shared by only two others ..... 1.00



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- 138 ★★ **2c Carmine, Ty. I, Coil (442).** Mint N.H., brilliant color, mathematically perfect centering with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, perfection, ex Merlin and Depew, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 100, SMQ \$500.00 as 100), the highest grade possible and the only example to achieve it ..... 22.50
- 139 ★★ **2c Carmine, Ty. I, Coil (442).** Mint N.H., vivid color, perfectly centered with wide margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 1996 P.F. and 2010 P.S.E. certificates (Gem 100; SMQ \$500.00), only one grades higher and four others share this grade ..... 22.50
- 140 ★★ **2c Carmine, Coil (444).** Mint N.H., brilliant color and detailed impression, mathematically perfect centering with wide margins

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A PHENOMENAL MINT NEVER-HINGED STAMP IN EVERY RESPECT — GRADED GEM 100 BY P.S.E. — THIS IS THE HIGHEST GRADE AWARDED.

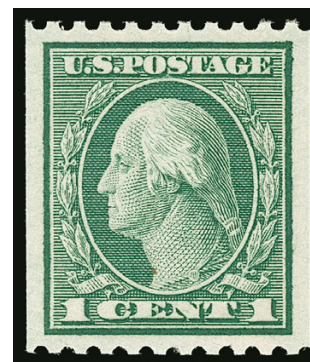
Ex Depew. With 2011 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$2,000.00). This is the highest grade awarded. SMQ value is far too low in our opinion..... 120.00



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- 141 ★ **3c Violet, Coil (445).** Lightly hinged, mathematically perfect centering with beautiful wide margins, rich color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2016 P.S.E. certificate (OGph, Gem 100; SMQ \$1,800.00), the P.S.E. Population Report lists only two single Scott 445's at this perfect grade with none higher, but we have sold a third in the past, one of the others is graded "OGh" — meaning it is more heavily hinged than this example ..... 210.00
- 142 ★★ **1c Green, Coil (448).** Mint N.H., Jumbo margins and mathematically precise centering, bright color on post office fresh paper, Extremely Fine Gem, an exceptional example of this coil, with 2000 P.F. and 2008 P.S.E. certificates (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 100, SMQ \$1,000.00 as 100), this is the only unused Scott 448 single to achieve this ultimate grade, there is not even a hinged example that equals it... 16.00
- 143 ★★ **1c Green, Coil (448).** Mint N.H., mathematically perfect centering with wide margins, bright color on crisp paper, Extremely Fine Gem, ex Whitman, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$1,000.00), only the stamp offered in the previous lot grades higher and three others share this desirable grade ..... 16.00



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- 144 ★★ **1c Green, Coil (452).** Mint N.H., brilliant color, perfectly centered, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$500.00), the highest grade awarded and shared by only two others ..... 21.00
- 145 ★★ **4c Brown, Coil (457).** Mint N.H., crisp impression, mathematically perfect centering with wide and balanced margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 1995 P.F. and 2013 P.S.E. certificates (Gem 100; SMQ \$750.00), the highest grade awarded and shared by only two others ..... 55.00

- 146 ★★ **11c Dark Green (473).** Mint N.H., deep shade on bright paper, gorgeous centering, Extremely Fine Gem, with 1991 P.F. and 2007 P.S.E. certificates (Superb 98; SMQ \$2,000.00), only two grade higher (one at 100, one at 100J) ..... 90.00



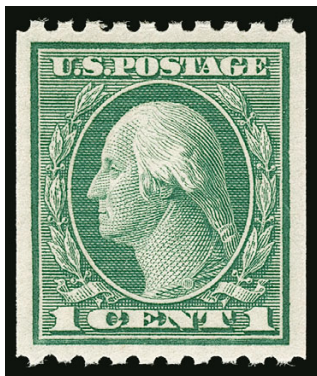
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- 147 ★★ **11c Dark Green (473).** Mint N.H., deep rich color on bright paper, wide and balanced margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$625.00) ..... 90.00



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- 148 ★★ **20c Light Ultramarine (476).** Mint N.H., radiant color on post office fresh paper, outstanding centering with wide and balanced margins
- EXTREMELY FINE GEM MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 20-CENT UNWATERMARKED PERF 10 ISSUE, SCOTT 476.
- With 2012 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$2,850.00) ..... 475.00



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- 149 ★★ **1c Green, Coil (486).** Mint N.H., rich color, perfectly centered, Extremely Fine Gem, a beautiful stamp, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$200.00), only one grades higher and six others share this desirable grade..... 1.75
- 150 ★★ **3c Violet, Ty. I, Coil (489).** Mint N.H., Jumbo margins and mathematically perfect centering, vivid color on post-office fresh paper, Extremely Fine Gem, a huge example of this coil issue in the finest attainable condition, ex Depew, with 2014 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced above the grade of 100, SMQ \$375.00 as 100), one of only two examples of Scott 489 to achieve this highest possible grade..... 10.00



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- 151 ★★ **1c Green, Coil (490).** Mint N.H., rich color and detailed impression, perfectly centered, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$300.00), the highest grade awarded and shared by only six others..... 1.05
- 152 ★★ **5c Blue, Coil (496).** Mint N.H., bright shade and crisp impression, perfectly centered, Extremely Fine Gem, ex Merlin, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$375.00), this is one of five Scott 496 singles at this perfect grade, the highest awarded..... 7.00

END OF SESSION ONE

SESSION TWO (LOTS 153-403)  
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 2019, AT 1:30 P.M.

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- 153 ★★ **1c Green (498).** Mint N.H., bright color, mathematically perfect centering with Jumbo margins, post-office fresh, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ as 100J, SMQ \$550.00 as 100), only one other share this highest of grades ..... 0.75



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- 154 ★★ **1c Green (498).** Mint N.H. with **bottom plate no. 8908 selvage**, Jumbo margins and perfect centering, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp, with 2017 P.S.A.G. certificate (100J ogNH), by way of comparison, the P.S.E. Population Report lists only two Scott 498's graded 100 Jumbo ..... 0.75
- 155 ★★ **1c Green (498).** Mint N.H., intense shade and impression, perfectly centered with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$325.00), only four grade higher ..... 0.75
- 156 ★ **1c Green, Vertical Pair, Imperforate Horizontally (498a).** Positions 30/40R, huge margins with **full right selvage**, deep rich color, top stamp disturbed original gum and shallow thin spot, bottom stamp Mint N.H. with small gum crease slightly affecting the paper, Very Fine appearance, ex "Georgetown", pencil notation in selvage "Nassau Stamp Co" and signed Herman Herst Jr. on ungummed part of selvage on back, with 1972 P.F. certificate for block ..... 800.00



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157 ★★ **1c Green, A.E.F. Booklet Pane (498f).** Position W4, showing guide line at left, Mint N.H., intense color, almost perfectly centered

EXTREMELY FINE. A SUPERB MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE ONE-CENT A.E.F. BOOKLET PANE. SCARCE WITH SUCH CHOICE CENTERING.

The 1c A.E.F. Booklet panes are rarely found with such choice centering. With 1996 and 2005 P.F. certificates ..... 1,700.00



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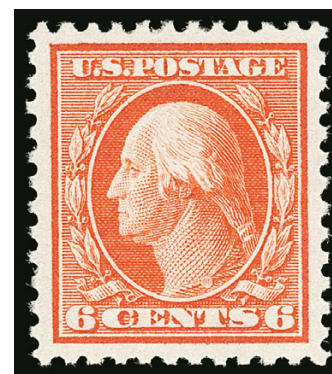
158 ★★ **1c Green, A.E.F. Booklet Pane (498f).** Position W5, showing guide line at bottom and right, Mint N.H., deep color, Fine-Very Fine, with 2011 A.P.S. and 2015 P.F. certificates . 1,700.00

159 ★★ **1c Green, A.E.F. Booklet Pane (498f).** Mint N.H., rich color, attractive centering and margins, Fine-Very Fine, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate..... 1,700.00



- 160 ★★ **2c Rose, Ty. I (499).** Mint N.H., radiant color, mathematically perfect centering, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2016 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$600.00), the highest grade awarded and shared by only one other..... 0.75
- 161 ★ **2c Rose, Ty. I, Vertical Pair, Imperforate Horizontally (499a).** Vertical strip of three, bright shade on crisp paper, huge margins to full at left, Very Fine, an exceedingly scarce error, we located only one other in Power Search (pair, ex Whitman) and as of 2009 the P.F. had certified no more than five, ex “Georgetown” and Klein with his initials on back, with 1991 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail as a pair with no premium for the additional stamp, we believe this is quite undercatalogued in Scott..... 1,000.00
- 162 ★ **3c Dark Violet, Ty. II, Vertical Strip of Three, Imperforate Horizontally (502c).** Lightly hinged, rich color, choice centering, light natural gum wrinkles not visible on front of stamps and not mentioned on accompanying certificate, Extremely Fine, with 1983 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail as a pair with no premium for the third stamp, this is undercatalogued in Scott given its scarcity..... 1,400.00
- 163 ★★ **4c Brown (503).** Mint N.H., wonderful color and impression, perfect centering, Extremely Fine Gem, with 1981 P.F. and 2018 P.S.E. certificates (Gem 100; SMQ \$1,150.00), only one grades higher and one other shares this grade, this is the first example graded above a 98J we have offered..... 19.00
- 164 ★★田 **5c Rose, Error (505).** Mint N.H. double error in a block of 12, pristine gum without skips or bends, bright color, fresh and Fine, ex Curtis..... 1,850.00

- 165 ★★ **6c Red Orange (506).** Mint N.H., vibrant color as fresh as the day it was printed on bright paper, mathematically perfect centering, Extremely Fine Gem, a stunning stamp, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$1,350.00), only one grades higher and no others share this perfect grade..... 25.00



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**6c Red Orange, Perf 10 at Bottom (506a).** Radiant color, neat "Hastings Neb." precancel

FRESH AND RARE SOUND EXAMPLE OF THE 6-CENT 1917 ISSUE PERF 10 AT BOTTOM. ONLY 21 USED AND TWO UNUSED EXAMPLES ARE RECORDED IN OUR CENSUS.

Our census of Scott 506a, available at our website at <https://siegelauctions.com/census/us/scott/506a>, contains 21 certified used copies, including two with transitional perfs in a block. Most have faults ranging from pulled perfs to creases. Only eight are confirmed as sound (two are in the block). Two others have not been seen in many years and so condition needs to be verified.

Census No. 506a-CAN-18. With 2009 P.F. certificate ... 8,000.00

- 167 ★ **7c Black (507).** Slightly disturbed original gum, mathematically perfect centering with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, the perfect stamp for the collector who values centering and Jumbo margins above Mint N.H. gum, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate (DOG, Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 100, SMQ \$325.00 as 100), this is the highest grade possible and it is shared by only one other ..... 24.00



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**8c Olive Bister, Perf 10 at Bottom (508c).** Intense shade, neat "Hartford Conn" precancel, tiny corner crease at top left

FINE APPEARANCE. A SCARCE EXAMPLE OF THE 8-CENT 1917 ISSUE PERF 10 AT BOTTOM.

Our census, available at <https://siegelauctions.com/census/us/scott/508c>, includes 22 used examples (none are known unused). Only ten are confirmed as sound. The example offered here, with a tiny corner crease, is essentially sound (but not counted as such in our census).

Census No. 508c-CAN-09. Ex Floyd. With 1960 and 2001 P.F. certificates..... 9,000.00

- 169 **9c Salmon Red, Perf 10 at Top (509a).** Vibrant color, neat strike of registry oval cancel

FINE. AN EXTREMELY RARE SOUND AND POSTALLY USED EXAMPLE OF THE 1917 9-CENT PERF 10 AT TOP OR BOTTOM. ONLY FIVE HAVE POSTAL CANCELS AND ONLY TWO ARE SOUND.

Our census of Scott 509a, available at our website at <https://siegelauctions.com/census/us/scott/509a>, contains a total of 32 used and one unused example of this rarity. 27 of the used copies are precancelled. Of the five postally cancelled copies, only one other, ex Natalee Grace, is sound.

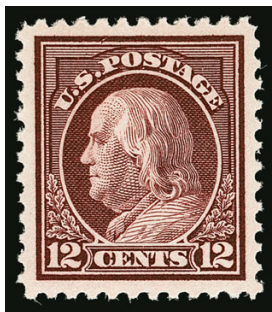
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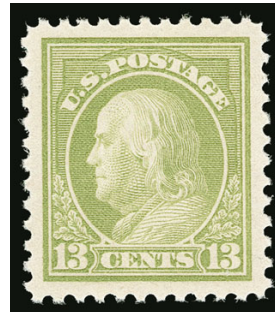
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- 170 ★★ **11c Light Green (511).** Mint N.H. with bottom selvage, intense color and impression, Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, ex “Hanover”, with 2014 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$625.00), only four grade higher (all at 100) and only four others share this grade..... 17.00
- 171 ★★ **12c Claret Brown (512).** Mint N.H., rich color on bright paper, perfectly centered with wide margins, Extremely Fine Gem, ex “Hanover”, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$600.00), only two grade higher (at 100) and only one other shares this grade..... 18.00
- 172 ★★ **13c Apple Green (513).** Mint N.H., brilliant color, choice centering with wide and balanced margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2014 P.S.A.G. certificate (100J ogNH), with ungraded 2015 P.S.E. certificate ..... 21.00



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- 173 ★★ **30c Orange Red (516).** Mint N.H., vivid color on bright paper, mathematically perfect centering

EXTREMELY FINE MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF SCOTT 516, GRADED GEM 100 BY P.S.E.

With 2008 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$1,900.00). Only one grades higher (realized \$7,000 hammer in our 2019 Rarities sale) and none share this grade..... 65.00

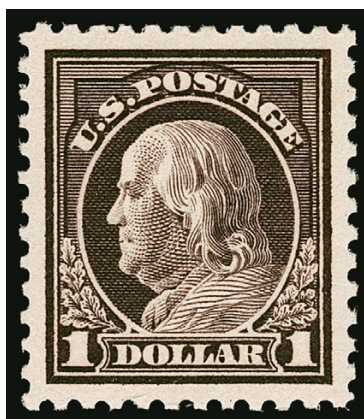


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- 174 ★★ **50c Red Violet (517).** Mint N.H., intense shade and impression on bright paper, mathematically perfect centering

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A PHENOMENAL MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 1917 50-CENT PERF 11 ISSUE, SCOTT 517, GRADED GEM 100 BY P.S.E.

Ex "Hanover". With 1997 P.F. and 2008 P.S.E. certificates (Gem 100; SMQ \$3,250.00). Only one grades higher and three others share this prestigious grade. .... 110.00



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- 175 ★★ **\$1.00 Violet Brown (518).** Mint N.H., deep rich color and proof-like impression on bright paper, mathematically perfect centering with Jumbo margins

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. THIS ASTONISHING MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE \$1.00 1917 ISSUE, SCOTT 518, HAS RECEIVED THE ULTIMATE GRADE OF GEM 100 JUMBO FROM P.S.E. THE ESSENCE OF PERFECTION.

Plate 5782 was the only plate prepared for each of the \$1.00 Franklin issues (Scott 423, 460, 478 and 518). None of the other \$1.00 Franklin issues has been graded above 98J in Mint N.H. condition.

With 2013 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in this grade in SMQ; SMQ \$4,500.00 as 100). This is the highest grade possible and one of only two at this grade. .... 95.00

- 176 ★★ **\$5.00 Deep Green & Black (524).** Mint N.H., intense colors and proof-like impressions, near perfect centering with wide margins

EXTREMELY FINE GEM MINT NEVER-HINGED  
EXAMPLE OF THE 1918 \$5.00 BI-COLOR ISSUE,  
GRADED SUPERB 98 BY P.S.E.

With 2012 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ  
\$2,650.00). Only three grade higher (highest is  
100) ..... 340.00



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- 177 ★★ **1c Gray Green (525).** Mint N.H., rich color on bright paper, perfectly centered with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, a phenomenal stamp in every respect, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in this grade in SMQ; SMQ \$950.00 as 100), this is the highest grade possible and it is shared by only one other ..... 6.00

- 178 ★★ **2c Carmine, Ty. IV (526).** Mint N.H. with bottom selvage showing faint impression of "1083" of plate number, brilliant color on bright paper, perfectly centered with Jumbo margins all around

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A MAGNIFICENT MINT  
NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 1920 2-CENT TYPE  
IV OFFSET PRINTING ISSUE, GRADED SUPERB 98  
JUMBO BY P.S.E.

With 2008 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98 Jumbo;  
SMQ \$2,250.00). Only one grades higher (at 100)  
and one other shares this grade ..... 57.50



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- 179 ★★ **2c Carmine, Ty. VII (528B).** Mint N.H. with **bottom plate no. 12167 selvage**, brilliant color on bright paper, outstanding centering and Jumbo margins, minor natural gum bends not mentioned on accompanying certificate, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$1,900.00), only three grade higher (two at 100, one at 100J) and we doubt these have plate no. selvage ..... 50.00



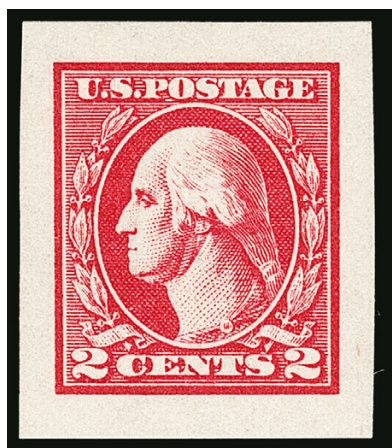
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- 180 ★★ **3c Purple, Ty. IV (530).** Mint N.H., unbelievably intense color and impression on bright paper, mathematically perfect centering with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, a phenomenal stamp with fantastic eye appeal, with 2014 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in this grade in SMQ; SMQ \$850.00 as 100), this is the highest grade possible and the only to achieve it ..... 4.50

- 181 ★★ **3c Purple, Ty. IV (530).** Mint N.H., pastel color in a much different shade than the stamp offered in the previous lot, Jumbo margins and precise centering, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2012 P.S.A.G. certificate (98J ogNH) ..... 4.20



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- 182 ★★ **2c Carmine, Ty. V, Imperforate (533).** Mint N.H., huge margins all around, intense shade and impression on bright paper, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2005 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$750.00), none grade higher and three others share this desirable grade ..... 175.00

- 183 ★★ **1c Gray Green (536).** Mint N.H., Jumbo margins and precise centering, fresh, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2013 P.S.A.G. certificate (100 ogNH), with ungraded 2017 P.S.E. (which we are told by P.S.E. was graded 98) ..... 45.00



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- 184 ★★ **3c Violet (537).** Mint N.H., huge Jumbo margins and perfect centering, vivid color on post-office fresh paper, Extremely Fine Gem, the ultimate 3c World War I "Victory" stamp, ex "Westchester" and Prager, with 1990 P.F., 1991 and 2008 P.S.E. certificates (Gem 100 Jumbo; SMQ \$850.00 as 100, unpriced in the 100 Jumbo grade), only three other stamps share this highest of grades..... 20.00



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- 185 ★★ **3c Violet (537).** Huge Jumbo margins and precise centering, pretty pastel color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2005 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$400.00) ..... 20.00
- 186 ★ **2c Carmine Rose, Ty. III, Rotary Perf 11 x 10, Horizontal Pair, Imperforate Vertically (540b).** Strip of three, wide margins at sides, deep rich color, couple small faults including thin spot on left stamp and small sealed tear on middle stamp, Very Fine appearance, rare, fewer than 25 pairs are believed to exist, this variety is vastly rarer than, and should not be confused with, the 2c Ty. III Rotary issue in a vertical pair imperforate horizontally, we believe it is undercatalogued in Scott, ex "Georgetown", with 1970 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail for a pair with no premium for the additional stamp..... 2,000.00

## 1920 AND LATER ISSUES



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- 187 ★★ **1c Pilgrim Tercentenary (548).** Mint N.H., rich color, near perfect centering with wide margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2018 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$450.00), only seven grade higher (all at 98J)..... 9.25
- 188 ★★ **2c Pilgrim Tercentenary (549).** Mint N.H. with **bottom plate no. 12422 selva**, perfectly centered with Jumbo margins, brilliant color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2014 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$900.00), only one grades higher (at 100) and only five others share this grade ..... 12.00



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- 189 ★★ **5c Pilgrim Tercentenary (550).** Mint N.H., intense shade on bright paper, mathematically precise centering with wide and balanced margins

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. AN EXCEPTIONAL MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 5-CENT PILGRIM ISSUE, AWARDED THE PERFECT GRADE OF GEM 100 BY P.S.E.

With 2011 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$4,500.00). This is the highest grade awarded to a Scott 550 and it is shared by only four others ..... 65.00



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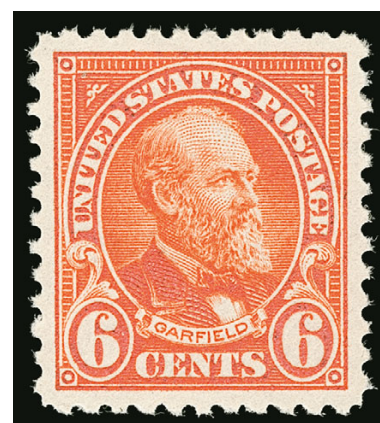
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- 190 ★★ **1½c Yellow Brown (553).** Mint N.H., wide margins and perfect centering, strong color and detailed impression, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2014 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$475.00), only one grades higher..... 4.10
- 191 ★★ **2c Carmine (554).** Mint N.H., perfectly centered with wide margins, wonderful depth of color on bright paper, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$575.00), the highest grade awarded..... 2.50
- 192 **2c Carmine (554).** Mathematically perfect centering and Jumbo margins, deep rich color, unobtrusive oval cancel at bottom left, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb used stamp in the highest quality, with 2014 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 100, SMQ \$400.00 as 100), this is the highest grade possible and it is shared by only two others..... 0.25

- 193 ★★ **6c Red Orange (558).** Mint N.H., brilliant color on post-office fresh paper, mathematically precise centering, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp in every respect, with 2013 P.S.A.G. certificate (100 ogNH), by way of comparison, only six examples of Scott 558 are listed in the P.S.E. Population Report at this perfect grade..... 65.00



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- 194 ★★ **14c Blue (565).** Mint N.H., flawless centering, intense color and impression, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$550.00), only one grades higher ..... 9.50
- 195 ★★ **15c Gray (566).** Mint N.H., mathematically perfect centering with wide margins, crisp shade on post-office fresh paper, Extremely Fine Gem, ex Ryterband, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$1,450.00), the highest grade awarded and shared by only three others..... 35.00
- 196 ★★ **20c Carmine Rose (567).** Mint N.H., wide margins and mathematically perfect centering, vibrant color and detailed impression, Extremely Fine Gem, ex Merlin, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$1,800.00), only one grades higher and five others share this grade..... 35.00



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- 197 ★★ **30c Olive Brown (569).** Mint N.H., mathematically perfect centering with Jumbo margins, deep rich color on post-office fresh paper

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. THIS MAGNIFICENT STAMP IS GRADED GEM 100 JUMBO BY P.S.E., WHICH IS THE HIGHEST GRADE POSSIBLE.

With 2015 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 100, SMQ \$1,850.00 as 100). This is the highest grade possible, and it is shared by only two others ..... 65.00

- 198 ★★ **\$5.00 Carmine & Blue (573).** Mint N.H., post office fresh colors on crisp white paper, mathematically perfect centering with wide margins

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A SUPERB MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE \$5.00 1922 ISSUE — GRADED 100 BY P.S.A.G.

With 2014 P.S.A.G. certificate (100 ogNH). By way of comparison, only one example of Scott 573 is listed in the P.S.E. Population Report at this perfect grade (with none higher) ..... 180.00



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- 199 ★★ **1c Green, Rotary (578).** Mint N.H., exceptional centering as almost never encountered on this difficult rotary issue, bright color on post office fresh paper

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A SUPERB MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 1923 2-CENT ROTARY PRESS PERF 11 x 10 ISSUE.

This superb stamp is easily one of the finest extant. With 2013 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$3,000.00). This is the highest grade awarded to a Scott 578 and it is shared by no others ..... 150.00



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- 200 ★★ **2c Carmine, Perf 10 (583).** Mint N.H., mathematically perfect centering, strong vivid color on post office fresh paper, Extremely Fine Gem, a difficult stamp to find in a perfect grade, with 2012 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$625.00), only one grades higher and two share this grade ..... 6.25
- 201 ★★ **3c Violet, Perf 10 (584).** Mint N.H., fabulous Jumbo margins and near perfect centering, rich color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2016 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$1,450.00), the P.S.E. Population Report lists only one Scott 584 at this lofty grade (though we have sold another) and only one higher (at 100) ..... 60.00

- 202 ★★ **8c Olive Green, Perf 10 (589).** Mint N.H., mathematically perfect centering, rich color and detailed impression, long and full perforations

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A STUNNING MINT NEVER-HINGED SCOTT 589, GRADED GEM 100 BY P.S.E.

Ex "Hanover". With 2010 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$2,450.00). This is the highest grade awarded and only four others share it. .... 60.00



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- 203 ★★ **9c Rose, Perf 10 (590).** Mint N.H. with top selvage, precise centering and wonderful depth of color, bright and crisp, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$1,175.00), one of only three at this perfect grade, which is the highest awarded..... 12.50
- 204 ★★田 **10c Orange, Perf 10 (591).** Mint N.H. bottom left plate no. 18138 block of four, radiant color, fresh and Very Fine, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate ..... 750.00
- 205 ★★ **1c Green, Coil (597).** Mint N.H., perfect centering, vivid color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2012 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$450.00), the highest grade awarded and shared by only one other ..... 0.60
- 206 ★★ **4c Yellow Brown, Coil (601).** Mint N.H. pair, wide margins and flawless centering, deep rich color, Extremely Fine Gem, P.S.E. encapsulated (Superb 98; SMQ \$300.00), only three pairs grade higher ..... 16.00
- 207 ★★ **10c Orange, Coil (603).** Mint N.H., mathematically perfect centering, bright shade, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$600.00), only two others match this perfect grade, which is the highest recorded..... 7.00
- 208 ★★ **1c Yellow Green, Coil (604).** Mint N.H., mathematically perfect centering, bright shade, Extremely Fine Gem, ex Depew, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$550.00), this is one of only five examples at this perfect grade, with none higher ..... 0.80
- 209 ★★ **1½c Yellow Brown, Coil (605).** Mint N.H., mathematically perfect centering, bright and fresh, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb coil single, ex Depew, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$350.00), the highest grade awarded and shared by only two others ..... 0.80
- 210 ★★ **2c Carmine, Coil (606).** Mint N.H., perfect centering, vivid color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$375.00), this is one of three singles of Scott 606 at this perfect grade, which is the highest awarded ..... 0.80
- 211 ★★ **2c Carmine Lake, Coil (606a).** Mint N.H. radiant color, perfectly centered, Extremely Fine Gem, ex Depew, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$425.00), the highest grade awarded and shared by only two others ..... 150.00
- 212 ★★ **2c Harding, Perf 11 (610).** Mint N.H., mathematically precise centering and Jumbo margins, intense shade and impression on bright white paper, Extremely Fine Gem, a huge stamp, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 100, SMQ \$575.00 as 100), one of only three at this highest of grades..... 1.00



- 213 ★★ **2c Harding, Rotary, Perf 10 (612).** Mint N.H. with top selvage, mathematically precise centering, deep shade of the rotary press printing, Extremely Fine Gem, perfection, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$1,200.00), one of only only five at this perfect grade with none higher..... 32.50
- 214 ★★ **1c Huguenot-Walloon (614).** Mint N.H., rich color and proof-like impression, mathematically perfect centering, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$700.00), the highest grade awarded and shared by only three others..... 4.25
- 215 ★★ **2c Huguenot-Walloon (615).** Mint N.H., mathematically precise centering with wide margins, vibrant color, Extremely Fine Gem, the perfect 2c Huguenot-Walloon, with 2018 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$850.00), one of two at this grade with none higher ..... 7.00
- 216 ★★ **5c Huguenot-Walloon (616).** Mint N.H., mathematically perfect centering, wide margins, deep rich color, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp in every respect, with 2012 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$1,250.00), one of only four at this grade with none higher, this also completes the set of Huguenot-Walloon 100's in the Henson collection ..... 30.00
- 217 ★★ **1c Lexington-Concord (617).** Mint N.H., wide margins and precise centering, bright and crisp, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$300.00), one of four at this grade with only one higher ..... 3.75
- 218 ★★ **2c Norse-American (620).** Mint N.H., precise centering on bright white paper, fresh, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2005 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$350.00), one of nine at this perfect grade with none higher..... 6.00
- 219 ★★ **5c Norse-American (621).** Mint N.H., rich colors, mathematically perfect centering, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$500.00), only one grades higher and only two others share this desirable grade..... 19.00
- 220 ★★ **17c Black (623).** Mint N.H., mathematically perfect centering with Jumbo margins, crisp impression on post office fresh paper, Extremely Fine Gem, a huge and superb stamp, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 100, SMQ \$450.00 as 100), this is the highest grade possible and it is shared by only one other ..... 19.00
- 221 ★★ **17c Black (623).** Mint N.H., Jumbo margins and precise centering, intense shade and sharp impression on bright white paper, Extremely Fine Gem, 1992 P.F. certificate no longer accompanies, with 2012 P.S.A.G. (100J ogNH) and 2012 P.S.E. certificates (Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$300.00) ..... 19.00
- 222 ★★ **2c Sesquicentennial (627).** Mint N.H., precise centering with wide margins, bright color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$300.00), one of eight at this perfect grade with none higher..... 4.00



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- 223 ★★ **5c Ericsson (628).** Mint N.H., massive Jumbo margins and mathematically precise centering, fresh color and paper, Extremely Fine Gem, a huge stamp which is without peer in the P.S.E. Population Report, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 100, SMQ \$300.00 as 100), this is the only example to achieve this highest of grades, even dropping down to the 100 grade there are only three listed..... 8.50
- 224 ★★ **2c White Plains (629).** Mint N.H., wide margins and perfect centering, bright color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2014 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$350.00), one of six at this grade with none higher..... 2.75
- 225 ★★ **2c White Plains Souvenir Sheet (630).** Four Mint N.H. sheets, each with brilliant color and unusually choice centering, Extremely Fine sheets, one of these was submitted to P.S.E. prior to the grading of multiples, at the time it was communicated to us that this would have graded XF-Superb 95, three accompanied by 2001 P.S.E. certificates .....*Not illustrated* 2,400.00
- 226 ★★ **2c Carmine, Ty. I (634).** Mint N.H. with bottom left corner selvage, precise centering, vivid color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$375.00), only one grades higher and seven share this grade ..... 0.30



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- 227 ★★ **2c Carmine, Ty. II (634A).** Mint N.H. with bottom selvage, intense color of the Type II, mathematically perfect centering and wide margins  
EXTREMELY FINE GEM. AN ABSOLUTELY STUNNING MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 1928 2-CENT CARMINE TYPE II. THIS STAMP IS GRADED GEM 100 BY P.S.E. — THE HIGHEST AWARDED.  
With 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$8,500.00). This is the highest grade awarded and only three others share it. .... 600.00



- 228 ★★ **7c Black (639)**. Mint N.H., perfectly balanced margins, wonderfully fresh, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$450.00), only two grade higher.... 3.20
- 229 ★★ **10c Orange (642)**. Mint N.H. with **top right plate no. 18614 corner selvage**, radiant color, mathematically perfect centering with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, a phenomenal stamp, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 100, SMQ \$575.00 as 100), the highest possible grade which is shared by no others... 5.50
- 230 ★★ **2c Vermont (643)**. Mint N.H., huge Jumbo margins and perfectly centered, bright and fresh, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 100, SMQ \$300.00 as 100), this is the highest grade possible and since it was submitted to P.S.E. 11 years ago it has been equaled by no others..... 0.80
- 231 ★★ **2c Burgoyne (644)**. Mint N.H. with wide top selvage, huge Jumbo margins and mathematically perfect centering, vivid color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 100, SMQ \$275.00 as 100), this is one of only four at this highest of grades ..... 5.25
- 232 ★★ **2c Valley Forge (645)**. Mint N.H., perfectly centered, deeply rich color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$325.00), the highest grade awarded and shared by only six others..... 1.80
- 233 ★★ **2c Molly Pitcher, 2c, 5c Hawaii, Ovpts. (646-648)**. Mint N.H., each with mathematically perfect centering and wide margins, brilliant colors and paper, Extremely Fine Gems, the perfect set of these overprints, with 2006-2018 P.S.E. certificates (Gem 100; total SMQ \$1,575.00), only one Scott 646 grades higher (offered in lot 234) and these are the highest grades recorded for Scott 647-648.....(Photo Ex) 30.35
- 234 ★★ **2c Molly Pitcher Ovpt. (646)**. Mint N.H., unusually wide margins of Jumbo proportions, mathematically perfect centering, rich color on post office fresh paper, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 100, SMQ \$350.00 as 100), this is the sole Scott 646 at this highest of grades ..... 1.60
- 235 ★★ **5c Hawaii Ovpt. (648)**. Mint N.H., mathematically perfect centering, rich color on bright white paper, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$725.00), the highest grade awarded and shared by only six others ..... 21.50
- 236 ★★ **2c-5c Aeronautics (649-650)**. Mint N.H., both with wide margins and perfect centering, bright and fresh, Extremely Fine Gems, with 2013 and 2010 P.S.E. certificates (Gem 100; total SMQ \$650.00), this is the highest grade awarded for Scott 649, only two Scott 650's exceed this grade (one offered in lot 237) .....(Photo Ex) 8.75



- 237 ★★ **5c Aeronautics (650).** Mint N.H., Jumbo margins and mathematically precise centering, intense color and impression, Extremely Fine Gem, a huge and superb stamp, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 100, SMQ \$350.00 for 100), one of only two Scott 650's at this highest of grades ..... 7.00
- 238 ★★ **2c Edison (654).** Mint N.H., wide margins and perfect centering, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$350.00), one of only two Scott 654's at this perfect grade, which is the highest awarded, SMQ seems low considering there are only two flat plate Edison's (654) at a 100 grade while the higher SMQ priced rotary press Edison (655) has six (including one 100J) ..... 1.10
- 239 ★★ **2c Edison, Rotary (655).** Mint N.H., wide margins and perfect centering, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$450.00), one of only five Scott 655's at this perfect grade, with only one higher ..... 1.10
- 240 ★★ **2c Edison, Coil (656).** Mint N.H. pair, mathematically perfect centering, rich color, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb coil pair, with 2012 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$700.00), the highest grade awarded and equaled by only four others ..... 45.00
- 241 ★★ **1c Kans. Ovpt. (658).** Mint N.H., spectacular centering and vivid color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$700.00), one of only three at this perfect grade, with none higher ..... 5.00

- 242 ★★ **3c Kans. Ovpt. (661).** Mint N.H., mathematically perfect centering with Jumbo margins, rich color, post-office fresh in every respect

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. THIS 3-CENT KANSAS OVERPRINT, GRADED GEM 100 JUMBO BY P.S.E., IS THE FINEST RECORDED STAMP OF THE ENTIRE KANSAS SET.

With 2018 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo: unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 100, SMQ \$1,600.00 for 100). This is the only stamp among the entire Kansas set (1c-10c) to achieve this ultimate grade from P.S.E. (the next highest 3c is graded 98J). In fact, the underlying stamp, Scott 635, does not even have a 100J in the P.S.E. Population Report (though fewer have been submitted for grading so we feel there must be a few out there) ..... 35.00



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- 243 ★★ **4c Kans. Ovpt. (662).** Mint N.H., rich color and detailed impression, exceptional centering with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$900.00), only one stamp exceeds this grade (at 100, offered in our recent Sale 1209), this is one of only six at the 98J grade ..... 35.00
- 244 ★★ **6c Kans. Ovpt. (664).** Mint N.H., radiant color, perfectly centered with wide margins, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$1,500.00), only one grades higher (at 100) and two others share this grade ..... 50.00



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- 245 ★★ **4c Nebr. Ovpt. (673).** Mint N.H., mathematically perfect centering and Jumbo margins almost never seen on this issue, deep rich color

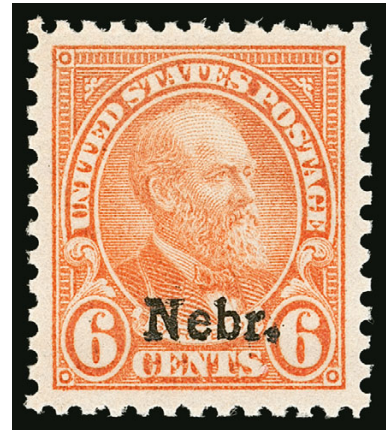
EXTREMELY FINE GEM. AN ASTONISHING MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 4-CENT NEBRASKA OVERPRINT, GRADED 100 JUMBO BY P.S.A.G.

With 2015 P.S.A.G. certificate (100J ogNH). By way of comparison, the P.S.E. Population Report lists only two Scott 673's graded 100 and none graded 100J ..... 35.00

- 246 ★★ **6c Nebr. Ovpt. (675).** Mint N.H., vibrant color as fresh as the day it was printed, perfectly centered with Jumbo and mathematically balanced margins

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. THIS MAGNIFICENT 6-CENT NEBRASKA OVERPRINT HAS BEEN AWARDED THE GRADE OF GEM 100 JUMBO BY P.S.E. A PERFECT STAMP IN EVERY WAY.

With 2012 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 100, SMQ \$2,400.00 as 100). This is the only example of Scott 675 at this highest of grades ..... 70.00



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- 247 ★★ **9c Nebr. Ovpt. (678).** Mint N.H., radiant color, mathematically precise centering

EXTREMELY FINE GEM MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 9-CENT NEBRASKA OVERPRINT, WITH THE PERFECT P.S.E. GRADE OF GEM 100.

With 2016 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$2,550.00). Only three others share this perfect grade, which is the highest awarded..... 70.00



- 248 ★★ **2c Fallen Timbers (680)**. Mint N.H., wide margins and perfectly centered, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$400.00), one of only five at this grade, with none higher ..... 1.00
- 249 ★★ **2c Massachusetts Bay (682)**. Mint N.H., impeccably centered with wide margins, bright and fresh, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$400.00), the highest graded Scott 682 with only two others equal ..... 0.95
- 250 ★★ **2c Carolina-Charleston (683)**. Mint N.H., brilliant color on bright white paper, huge Jumbo margins and perfectly centered, Extremely Fine Gem, a magnificent stamp, with 2016 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 100, SMQ \$450.00 for 100), one of only two at this highest of grades..... 1.50
- 251 ★★ **1/2c Brown (684)**. Mint N.H., perfectly centered, brilliantly fresh, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$500.00), none grade higher and only four share this grade..... 0.70
- 252 ★★ **4c Brown (685)**. Mint N.H., radiant color, mathematically perfect centering, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2014 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$625.00), one of only three at this grade, which is the highest awarded..... 1.25
- 253 ★★ **4c Brown, Coil (687)**. Mint N.H., mathematically perfect centering, rich color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$400.00), one of only three singles at this perfect grade with none higher ..... 4.50
- 254 ★★ **2c Von Steuben (689)**. Mint N.H., brilliant color, perfectly centered with wide margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$325.00), one of only two Scott 689's at this perfect grade, with none higher..... 0.75
- 255 ★★ **2c Pulaski (690)**. Mint N.H. with **wide top plate no. 20425 selvage**, brilliant color, perfectly centered with wide margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$350.00), only two grade higher and four share this grade ..... 0.40
- 256 ★★ **2c Red Cross (702)**. Mint N.H., with **bottom red plate no. 20495 selvage**, mathematically perfect centering with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in this grade in SMQ; SMQ \$475.00 as 100), the highest grade possible and shared by only one other ..... 0.35



- 257 ★★ **2c Yorktown (703).** Mint N.H., deep rich colors, perfectly centered, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2014 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$525.00), only two grade higher and two share this desirable grade ..... 0.50
- 258 ★★ **½c Washington Bicentennial (704).** Mint N.H., perfectly centered, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$700.00), only one grades higher and three others share this grade, even though this and the other Washington Bicentennial stamps that follow catalogue less than three dollar each, locating their equals would require obtaining and examining hundreds or even thousands of copies ..... 0.35
- 259 ★★ **1½c Washington Bicentennial (706).** Mint N.H., rich color and detailed impression, mathematically perfect centering with wide margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2012 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$700.00), the highest grade awarded and shared by only three others ..... 0.60
- 260 ★★ **2c Washington Bicentennial (707).** Mint N.H., brilliant color, mathematically perfect centering with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2012 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in this grade in SMQ; SMQ \$775.00 as 100), the only example to achieve this highest possible grade ..... 0.45
- 261 ★★ **5c Washington Bicentennial (710).** Mint N.H., mathematically perfect centering with wide margins, rich color on post office fresh paper, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$775.00), only one other Scott 710 matches this perfect grade, with none higher ..... 2.25
- 262 ★★ **7c Washington Bicentennial (712).** Mint N.H., perfectly centered, detailed impression, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$650.00), only two grade higher and three others share this desirable grade ..... 0.85
- 263 ★★ **8c Washington Bicentennial (713).** Mint N.H., beautiful glowing color, mathematically perfect centering with wide margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$675.00), only one grades higher and four share this grade ..... 2.50
- 264 ★★ **10c Washington Bicentennial (715).** Mint N.H. with **bottom right corner plate no. 20643 selvage**, perfect centering with Jumbo margins, vibrant color, Extremely Fine Gem, a stunning stamp, with 2012 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in this grade in SMQ; SMQ \$800.00 as 100), the highest grade possible and shared by no others... 15.00
- 265 ★★ **3c Olympic Games (718).** Mint N.H., intense shade and impression, perfectly centered, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$525.00), the highest grade awarded and shared by only three others ..... 2.00



- 266 ★★ **3c Purple (720)**. Mint N.H., perfect centering with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, the ultimate example of this otherwise common stamp, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; SMQ \$525.00 as 100, unpriced in 100 Jumbo grade), this is the highest grade possible and is shared by no others ..... 0.45
- 267 ★★ **3c William Penn (724)**. Mint N.H., rich color, perfectly centered, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$400.00), the highest grade awarded and shared by only four others ..... 0.60
- 268 ★★ **3c Newburgh (727)**. Mint N.H., bright color, perfect centering, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$400.00), none grade higher and only one other shares this desirable grade..... 0.30
- 269 ★★ **3c Century of Progress (729)**. Mint N.H., crisp impression, perfectly centered, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$400.00), the highest grade awarded and the only to achieve it..... 0.35
- 270 ★★ **5c Kosciuszko (734)**. Mint N.H., perfect centering with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, the ultimate example of this otherwise common stamp, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; SMQ \$360.00 as 100, unpriced in 100 Jumbo grade), this is the highest grade possible and is shared by no others ..... 0.65
- 271 ★★ **3c Maryland (736)**. Mint N.H., rich color on bright paper, perfectly centered with wide margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2016 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$400.00), the highest grade awarded and shared by only two others..... 0.40
- 272 ★★ **3c Mothers, Perf 11 x 10½ (737)**. Mint N.H., rich color on bright paper, perfectly centered, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$380.00), the highest grade awarded and shared by only one other..... 0.30
- 273 ★★ **3c Mothers, Perf 11 (738)**. Mint N.H., rich color on bright paper, perfectly centered with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in this grade in SMQ; SMQ \$350.00 as 100), the highest grade possible and equaled by only one other, the Mother of all Mothers ..... 0.30
- 274 ★★ **3c Nicolet's Landing (739)**. Mint N.H., bright shade and paper, perfectly centered with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in this grade in SMQ; SMQ \$380.00 as 100), the highest grade possible and equaled by only one other..... 0.40



- 275 ★★ **1c-10c National Parks (740-749, 756-765).** Mint N.H. sets of the perforated and imperforate issues, perforated set each **graded Gem 100** and imperforate set **each graded Gem 100 Jumbo**, mathematically perfect centering with wide to huge margins throughout, bright and fresh, an exceptional set for the most discriminating collector, P.S.E. encapsulated, total SMQ \$4,710.00 ....  
.....(Photo Ex) E. 2,000-3,000
- 276 ★★ **1c National Parks (740).** Mint N.H., perfectly balanced Jumbo margins, rich color on bright paper, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in this grade in SMQ; SMQ \$400.00 as 100), the highest grade possible and shared with only one other... 0.40
- 277 ★★ **2c National Parks (741).** Mint N.H., vibrant color, perfectly centered, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2012 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$500.00), the highest grade awarded and shared by only four others ..... 0.40
- 278 ★ **2c Grand Canyon, Vertical Pair, Imperforate Horizontally (741a).** H.r. on top stamp, wide margins and particularly well-centered for this, fresh color, small hinge thin not mentioned on accompanying certificate, Very Fine appearance, only 2-3 panes were discovered, with 1969 P.F. certificate ..... 800.00
- 279 ★★ **4c National Parks (743).** Mint N.H., rich color on bright paper, perfect centering with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in this grade in SMQ; SMQ \$350.00 as 100), the highest grade possible and only one other shares it..... 0.70
- 280 ★★ **5c National Parks (744).** Mint N.H., detailed impression, perfect centering, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$400.00), the highest grade awarded and shared by only three others..... 1.10
- 281 ★★ **6c National Parks (745).** Mint N.H., rich color on bright paper, perfectly centered, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$400.00), the highest grade awarded and shared by only six others..... 1.65
- 282 ★★ **8c National Parks (747).** Mint N.H., brilliant color, perfect centering with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2012 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in this grade in SMQ; SMQ \$320.00 as 100), the highest grade possible and shared by no others..... 2.70



- 283 ★★ **9c National Parks (748).** Mint N.H., vivid color on bright paper, perfect centering with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in this grade in SMQ; SMQ \$450.00 as 100), the highest grade possible and shared by only two others ..... 2.40
- 284 ★★ **10c National Parks (749).** Mint N.H., crisp impression, perfect centering with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in this grade in SMQ; SMQ \$350.00 as 100), the highest grade possible and shared by only two others ..... 5.00
- 285 ★★ **1938 Presidential Issue, Gem 100 Accumulation (803/848).** Approximately 20 Mint N.H. P.S.E. encapsulated stamps, each different and **graded Gem 100**, populations include as few as two, Extremely Fine Gem group, total SMQ more than \$7,500.00, a spreadsheet is linked on our website that lists the stamps, grades, SMQ values and populations at 100 and 100J ..... (Website PDF) E. 1,500-2,000
- 286 ★★ **½c Presidential (803).** Mint N.H., perfectly centered with wide margins, fresh color, Extremely Fine Gem, P.S.E. encapsulated (Gem 100; SMQ \$300.00), this is the highest grade awarded ..... 0.25
- 287 ★★ **\$1.00 Presidential, 1954 Dry Printing (832c).** Mint N.H. with **bottom plate no. 25026 selvage**, precise centering, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2016 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$600.00), the highest grade awarded and shared by only one other ..... 6.00

- 288 ★★ **\$5.00 Presidential (834).** Mint N.H., mathematically perfect centering with huge margins, bright colors, Extremely Fine Gem, a phenomenal example of this Prexie top value, with 2016 P.S.A.G. (100 ogNH) and 2017 P.S.E. certificates (Gem 100; SMQ \$3,000.00), this is the highest grade awarded in the P.S.E. Population Report and it is shared by only one other ..... 75.00



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- 289 ★★ **3c Presidential, Coil (851).** Mint N.H., intense shade and impression, perfectly centered with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2012 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced above the grade of 98, SMQ \$140.00 as 98), the highest grade possible and the only to achieve it ..... 2.50

- 290 ★★ **Famous Americans, Gem 100 Accumulation (859/960).** Approximately 50 Mint N.H. P.S.E. encapsulated stamps, each **graded Gem 100**, some duplication with some numbers represented by several copies, populations include a few with as few as four, Extremely Fine Gem group, total SMQ more than \$9,500.00, a spreadsheet is linked on our website that lists the stamps, grades, SMQ values and populations at 100 and 100J .....  
.....(Website PDF) E. 2,000-3,000

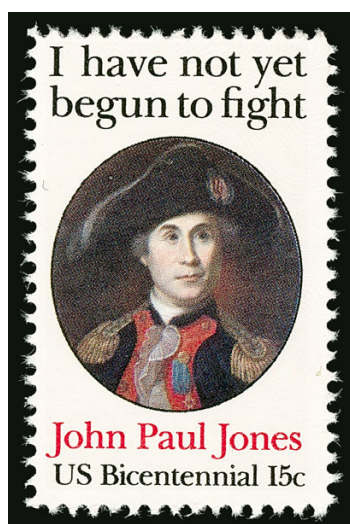


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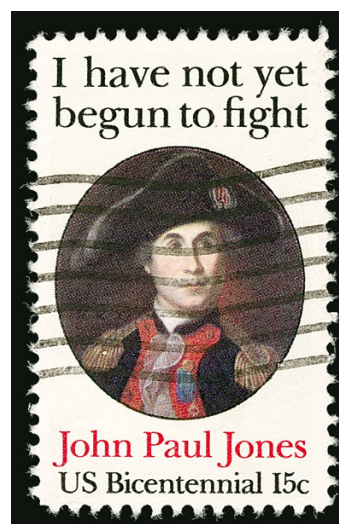
- 291 **2½c Bunker Hill, Small Holes Variety (1056 var).** Three Mint N.H. strips of six, each with neat Washington D.C. precancel, including one with **joint line pair at center showing gap in precancel on the joint line**, one with gap in precancel at center, one with uninterrupted lines in precancel, rich colors

EXTREMELY FINE. A RARE MINT NEVER-HINGED JOINT LINE STRIP OF THE 2½ CENT BUNKER HILL WITH SMALL HOLES, ACCOMPANIED BY TWO OTHER STRIPS.

Scott Catalogue notes this is only known with a Bureau precancel. Scott Retail as joint line pair and pairs without premium for the precancel gap .....(Photo Ex) 9,800.00



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- 292 ★★ **15c John Paul Jones, Perf 12 (1789B).** Mint N.H., deep rich colors, Position "27" in pencil, fresh and Very Fine, this issue was printed by the American Bank Note Company and perforated in three different formats: Perf 11 x 12, Perf 11 All Around and Perf 12 All Around, it is believed that the USPS was unaware that there were different perforations, the Perf 12 All Around is by far the rarest..... 3,000.00

- 293 **15c John Paul Jones, Perf 12 (1789B).** Choice centering with wide margins, rich colors on bright paper, neat wavy-line machine cancel

VERY FINE AND CHOICE. A BEAUTIFUL 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 1999 A.P.S. certificate ..... 3,500.00

- 294 ★★ **H Stamp, Uncle Sam's Hat, "Postcard Rate" (3260 var).** Mint N.H., bright colors, wide and balanced margins, Extremely Fine, the Scott Catalogue notes that these non-denominated stamps have been found in the marketplace, but there is no evidence they were officially issued, the paucity of examples we have offered since their discovery (only two others are listed in Power Search) speaks to their rarity, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate (VF-XF 85; unpriced in SMQ) ..... 2,400.00



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- 295° ★★ **6c Orange, 1918 Air Post (C1).** Mint N.H., gorgeous centering with wide and beautifully balanced margins, vivid color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$2,000.00), only three grade higher ..... 110.00

- 296 ★★ **16c Green, 1918 Air Post (C2).** Mint N.H., exceptional centering with perfectly balanced margins, rich color on fresh paper, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp, ex Laehder, with 1992 P.F., 2015 P.S.E. and 2011 P.S.A.G. certificates (100 ogNH), while the lack of a grade on the P.S.E. certificate may indicate they would not grade it 100 (they have only graded one at that level), this is still a spectacular stamp..... 120.00



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- 297 ★★ **24c Carmine Rose & Blue, 1918 Air Post (C3).** Mint N.H., beautifully balanced wide margins, fresh and bright, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$1,300.00)..... 130.00



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- 298 ★★ **8c Dark Green, 1923 Air Post (C4).** Mint N.H., perfectly centered, beautiful rich color on fresh white paper, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$1,150.00), only one grades higher and five share this grade..... 35.00
- 299 ★★ **8c Dark Green, 1923 Air Post (C4).** Mint N.H., exceedingly well-centered, rich color on fresh paper, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$450.00) ..... 35.00
- 300 ★★ **8c Dark Green, 1923 Air Post (C4).** Mint N.H., precise centering and wide margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate showing selvage at left which has been removed (Superb 98; SMQ \$450.00)..... 35.00

- 301 ★★ **24c Carmine, 1923 Air Post (C6).** Mint N.H., intense shade and impression, mathematically perfect centering

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A SPECTACULAR MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 1923 24-CENT AIR POST, GRADED GEM 100 BY P.S.E.

With 2019 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$3,250.00). This is the highest grade awarded and it is shared by only eight others..... 130.00



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- 302 ★★ **24c Carmine, 1923 Air Post (C6).** Mint N.H., wide margins and precisely centered, vivid color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2010 and 2013 P.S.E. certificates (Superb 98; SMQ \$1,200.00)... 130.00

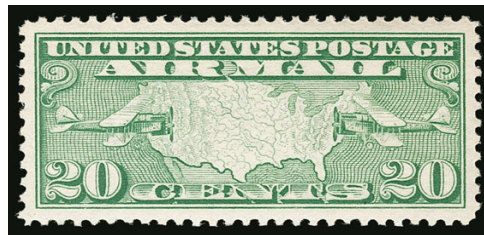
- 303 ★★田 24c Carmine, 1923 Air Post (C6).  
Mint N.H. wide left plate no.  
14841 block of six, intense shade  
and impression on bright paper,  
Extremely Fine, a fresh and  
choice plate block ..... 2,500.00



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- 304 ★★ **15c Map (C8).** Mint N.H., mathematically perfect centering with Jumbo margins, deep rich color, long and full perforations, Extremely Fine Gem, a phenomenal stamp in every respect, with 2016 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 100, SMQ \$600.00 as 100), this is the highest grade possible and it is shared by only one other..... 5.25
- 305 ★★ **20c Map (C9).** Mint N.H., perfect centering with wide margins, bright color on post-office fresh paper, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$650.00), one of only five at this grade with just two higher, this is very undervalued in SMQ as every 100-point example we have offered has realized multiples of this SMQ value ..... 12.50



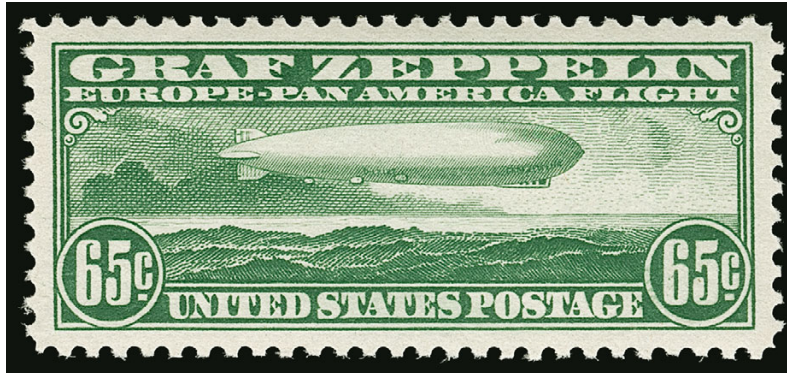
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- 306 ★★ **5c Beacon (C11).** Mint N.H., wide margins and mathematically precise centering, deep rich colors, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb and most uncommon example of this common issue, with 2014 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 98J, SMQ \$450.00 as 98J), only one grades higher and this is the only stamp at the 100 grade ..... 10.00
- 307 ★★ **5c Winged Globe, Air Post (C12).** Mint N.H., exceptional wide margins and mathematically precise centering, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$900.00), one of only ten at this perfect grade, which is the highest awarded..... 17.50

65-CENT GRAF ZEPPELIN  
GRADED MINT NEVER-HINGED GEM 100 JUMBO



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308 ★★ **65c Graf Zeppelin (C13).** Mint N.H., mathematically precise centering with Jumbo margins, brilliant color and detailed impression, long and full perforations all around

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. THIS STUNNING MINT NEVER-HINGED STAMP IS GRADED GEM 100 JUMBO BY P.S.E. — THIS IS THE HIGHEST GRADE POSSIBLE AND THIS IS ONE OF ONLY TWO TO ACHIEVE THIS GRADE. A KEY TO A PERFECT SET OF THE POPULAR AND FAMOUS GRAF ZEPPELIN ISSUE.

The Graf Zeppelin issue is extremely difficult to obtain in Gem 100 grade. For the 65c, three are graded 100 and two are graded 100 Jumbo. For the \$1.30, nine are graded 100 with *none* graded 100 Jumbo. For the \$2.60, only one is graded 100 and only one is graded 100 Jumbo. Therefore, the stamp offered here is one of only three stamps from the entire issue to achieve the highest grade of Gem 100 Jumbo.

With 2012 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 100, SMQ \$4,450.00 as 100) ..... 240.00



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309 ★ **65c Graf Zeppelin (C13).** Barest trace of hinging, Jumbo margins and outstanding centering, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate (OGph, Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$600.00), only one hinged stamp grades higher (four Mint N.H. grade higher) ..... 175.00

**\$1.30 GRAF ZEPPELIN**  
**GRADED MINT NEVER-HINGED GEM 100**



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310 ★★ **\$1.30 Graf Zeppelin (C14).** Mint N.H., intense shade and sharp impression on fresh paper, mathematically precise centering with wide margins

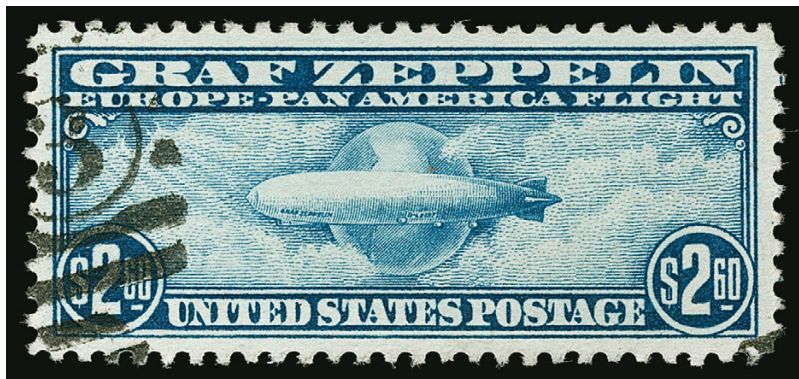
EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A SPECTACULAR MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE \$1.30 GRAF ZEPPELIN ISSUE, GRADED GEM 100 BY P.S.E. — THIS IS THE HIGHEST AWARDED.

With 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$7,500.00). This is the highest grade awarded in any category. Only eight others share this grade. .... 550.00



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311 ★ **\$1.30 Graf Zeppelin (C14).** Choice centering and wide margins, fresh and Extremely Fine, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate (OGph, XF 90; SMQ \$450.00) ..... 360.00



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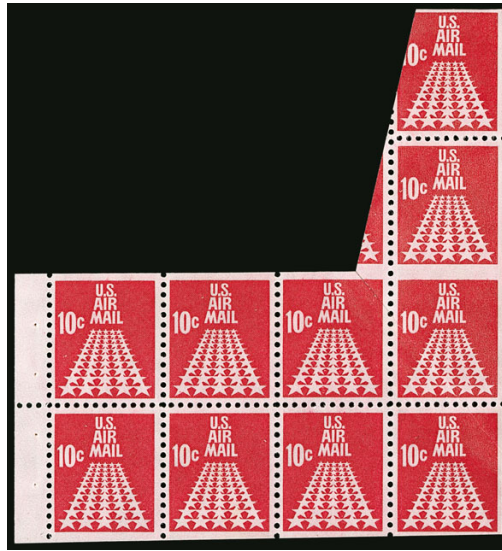
312° **\$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (C15).** Exceptionally choice centering with wide margins, deep rich color, unobtrusive oval duplex cancel leaves the vignette untouched

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A BEAUTIFUL USED EXAMPLE OF THE \$2.60 GRAF ZEPPELIN, GRADED SUPERB 98 BY P.S.E.

With 2019 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$2,850.00). Only one used C15 grades higher (at 100) ..... 550.00



- 313 ★★ **20c Trans-Pacific (C21).** Mint N.H., perfect centering with wide margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$550.00), one of only four at this perfect grade, with none higher..... 10.00
- 314 ★★ **50c Trans-Pacific (C22).** Mint N.H., mathematically perfect centering, vivid color, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$500.00), only five others have achieved this grade with none higher..... 10.00
- 315 ★★ **6c Dark Blue & Carmine (C23).** Mint N.H. with wide top “+” marker selvage, Jumbo margins and mathematically perfect centering, rich colors, Extremely Fine Gem, a truly exceptional example of this popular issue, with 2012 P.S.A.G. (100J ogNH) and 2013 P.S.E. certificates (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 100, SMQ \$1,200.00 as 100), this is the *only* unused C23 to achieve the coveted Gem 100 grade — with or without the Jumbo appellation — the next highest Mint N.H. C23 is a single stamp graded 98J, given the wide availability of this stamp, it is particularly noteworthy that this stands as the sole stamp at the 100 or 100 Jumbo grade ..... 0.70
- 316 ★★ **30c Winged Globe, Air Post (C24).** Mint N.H., perfect centering with wide margins, fresh in every respect, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2012 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$675.00), one of only two at this perfect grade, which is the highest awarded ..... 11.00
- 317 ★★ **8c Transport (C26).** Mint N.H., mathematically perfect centering, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$650.00), one of only four at this lofty grade, which is the highest awarded..... 0.25
- 318 ★★ **15c Transport (C28).** Mint N.H., mathematically perfect centering, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$575.00), the highest grade awarded and shared by eight others ..... 2.10
- 319 ★★ **30c Transport (C30).** Mint N.H., mathematically perfect centering, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$575.00), one of only four at this lofty grade, which is the highest awarded..... 2.10



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- 320 ★★ **10c Carmine, Booklet Pane of Eight, Vertical Pair, Imperforate Between (C72d).** Mint N.H., caused by a sizeable foldover with a "ninth" stamp constituting the error pair with normal pos. 4, also small to huge parts of three other stamps, the foldover crease passes through the bottom stamp of the error pair and is slightly broken

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. ONE OF ONLY TWO RECORDED EXAMPLES OF THIS AIR POST ERROR RARITY.

Only two examples of this error are recorded, according to the Datz book. The other example was offered in our sale of the Philip R. Beutel collection in 2010 (Sale 991, lot 1377, realized \$4,500 hammer)..... 5,250.00



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- 321 **Air Post, Gem 100 Accumulation (C27/C129).** Approximately 50 Mint N.H. P.S.E. encapsulated stamps, each **graded Gem 100** with a few 100Js, some small duplication, populations include as few as one, Extremely Fine Gem group, total SMQ more than \$9,500.00, a spreadsheet is linked on our website that lists the stamps, grades, SMQ values and populations at 100 and 100J .....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 2,000-3,000

## SPECIAL DELIVERY



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322°★★ **10c Blue, Special Delivery, Dots in Curved Frame Above Messenger (E5a).** Mint N.H. with huge bottom selvage showing a bit of the imprint, exceptionally choice centering with wide margins, rich color and fresh paper

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A MAGNIFICENT MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 1895 10-CENT WATERMARKED SPECIAL DELIVERY ISSUE WITH DOTS ABOVE THE MESSENGER VARIETY. A TRUE CONDITION RARITY WITH THE LOFTY GRADE OF SUPERB 98 — THE HIGHEST GRADE AWARDED.

The Dots in Curved Frame above Messenger variety (E5a) comes only from plate 882. It is priced in Scott at approximately double the normal E5.

With 2019 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 90). The normal Scott E5 has an SMQ value of \$7,000.00 for Superb 98. Given the relative rarity of Scott E5a versus E5, the SMQ value for this stamp should be well in excess of that for E5. This is the highest grade awarded for Scott E5a and it is shared by no others. The normal E5 has two at Superb 98 with none higher ..... 800.00



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- 323 ★★ **10c Ultramarine, Special Delivery (E6).** Mint N.H. with wide top selvage with trace of imprint, rich color and proof-like impression on crisp paper, gorgeous centering with Jumbo margins

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A SUPERB MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 1902 SERIES SPECIAL DELIVERY STAMP, SCOTT E6.

With 2018 P.S.A.G. certificate (95J ogNH). For comparison purposes, only three in the P.S.E. Population Report grade higher and none share this grade ..... 500.00



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- 324 ★田 **10c Ultramarine, Special Delivery (E6).** Bottom imprint and plate no. 1481 block of six, stamps lightly hinged, hinge reinforcement of separated perfs in bottom selvage, rich color, Fine ..... 3,250.00
- 325 ★★ **10c Green, Special Delivery (E7).** Mint N.H., rich color and proof-like impression, near perfect centering with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$1,800.00), only two grade higher (both 100J) and only two others share this desirable grade ..... 140.00



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- 326 ★ **10c Ultramarine, Special Delivery (E9).** Lightly hinged, huge Jumbo margins and mathematically perfect centering, pretty pastel color, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp, with 2014 P.S.E. certificate (OGph, Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 100, SMQ \$1,100.00 as 100), this is the only unused Scott E9 at this ultimate grade, the highest Mint N.H. grade is 98....  
..... 190.00

- 327 ★★ **10c Pale Ultramarine, Special Delivery (E10).** Mint N.H., wide margins and essentially perfect centering, lovely pastel color on post-office fresh paper

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A SUPERB MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 1916 PERF 10 UNWATERMARKED SPECIAL DELIVERY ISSUE.

Ex Merlin. With 2012 P.F. and 2010 P.S.E. certificates (Superb 98; SMQ \$3,600.00). This is one of only three at this desirable grade with just three graded higher ..... 700.00



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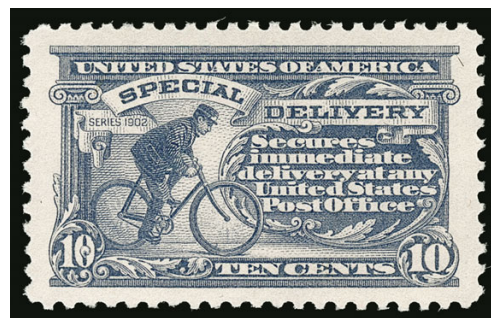
- 328 ★★ **10c Ultramarine, Special Delivery (E11).** Mint N.H., precise centering with wide margins, deep rich color on bright paper, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$725.00), only three grade higher (highest is one example at 100)..... 45.00

- 329 ★★ **10c Gray Violet, Special Delivery (E11b).** Mint N.H., wide margins and perfect centering, deep rich color on bright paper, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp in every respect, with 2016 P.S.A.G. certificate (100 ogNH), by way of comparison, the P.S.E. Population Report lists only one Scott E11 (and no E11b's or E11c's) at the Gem 100 grade..... 75.00



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- 330 ★★ **10c Gray Violet, Special Delivery (E11b).** Mint N.H., rich color on bright paper, gorgeous centering with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, a phenomenal stamp, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 98, SMQ \$950.00 as 98), this is the highest grade awarded to Scott E11b and it is shared by no others..... 75.00



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- 331 ★★ **10c Gray Violet, Special Delivery (E12).** Mint N.H., wide margins and mathematically perfect centering, beautiful color and detailed impression on crisp white paper

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A STUNNING MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 1922 10-CENT GRAY VIOLET SPECIAL DELIVERY ISSUE, GRADED GEM 100 BY P.S.E.

The 1922 10c Motorcycle Special Delivery comes in two basic shades. Both are rare in Mint N.H. condition at the Gem 100 grade, but the main listing Gray Violet has a population of only one graded 100, while E12a has four (including one 100J, offered in the following lot).

With 2010 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$2,250.00). This is the highest graded Scott E12 with no others equal. .... 90.00

- 332 ★★ **10c Deep Ultramarine, Special Delivery (E12a).** Mint N.H., deep rich color and proof-like impression, perfectly centered with Jumbo margins

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. THIS MAGNIFICENT MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 1922 10-CENT SPECIAL DELIVERY ISSUE STANDS ALONE AS THE ONLY EXAMPLE TO REACH THE HIGHEST POSSIBLE P.S.E. GRADE — GEM 100 JUMBO.

With 2007 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 100, SMQ \$2,100.00 as 100). This is the only example of either E12 or E12a at this highest of grades in the P.S.E. Population Report..... 130.00



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- 333 ★★ **15c Deep Orange, Special Delivery (E13).** Mint N.H., Jumbo margins and exceptionally choice centering, vivid color on post-office fresh paper, Extremely Fine Gem, with 1994 and 2001 P.F. certificates, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$550.00), incredibly this is the only Scott E13 at the 98J grade in the P.S.E. Population Report, with none higher, we are surprised that none have graded Gem 100 considering there are 100s for a number of the earlier and scarcer Special Delivery issues. .... 75.00

- 334 ★★ **Special Delivery Issues, Gem 100 Accumulation (E14/E23).** 17 Mint N.H. stamps, all **graded Gem 100** by P.S.E., duplication of most with two or three copies, populations as few as two, Extremely Fine Gems, total SMQ \$4,310.00, a spreadsheet is linked on our website that lists the stamps, grades, SMQ values and populations at 100 and 100J.....(Website PDF) E. 1,000-1,500

## OTHER BACK-OF-BOOK ISSUES



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- 335 ★★ **\$5.00 Scarlet (J78a).** Mint N.H., huge Jumbo margins and mathematically precise centering, wonderfully bright and fresh, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 100, SMQ \$900.00 as 100), this stamp stands alone as the sole J78a to achieve this highest of grades..... 70.00

- 336 ★★ **8c on 4c Offices in China (K4).** Mint N.H., mathematically perfect centering with Jumbo margins, rich color as fresh as the day it was printed

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A HUGE AND STUNNING MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 8-CENT ON 4-CENT OFFICES IN CHINA.

With 2014 P.S.A.G. certificate (100J ogNH). By way of comparison, the P.S.E. Population Report lists zero Mint N.H. Gem 100's and only two stamps at 98J, which is the highest grade they have awarded. .... 140.00



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- 337 **30c Navy (O44).** Wide margins and essentially perfect centering, neat oval duplex cancel, fresh and bright, Extremely Fine Gem, an astonishing used 15c Navy Dept. stamp, it is hard to imagine how this could be improved upon, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 90), this is by far the highest grade awarded and it is shared by no others, the next highest is 90..... 50.00

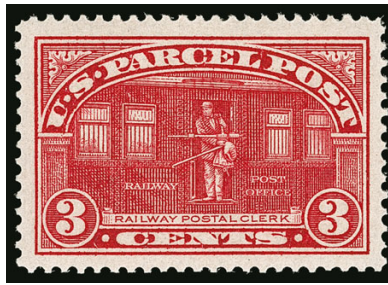
- 338 **\$100.00 Purple, 1895 Watermarked Issue (PR125).** Rich color on bright paper, gorgeous centering, neat strike of St. Louis oval handstamp, Extremely Fine Gem, the high-denomination Newspapers are very difficult to find in sound used condition, ex Whitpain, P.S.E. encapsulated (XF 90J; SMQ \$1,150.00), only five grade higher ..... 275.00



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- 339 ★★ **1c Parcel Post (Q1).** Mint N.H., with bottom “ONE” imprint selvage, brilliant color as fresh as the day it was printed, beautifully centered with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp made more desirable by the imprint, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$850.00), only two grade higher and seven others share this desirable grade ..... 12.00
- 340 ★★ **3c Parcel Post (Q3).** Mint N.H., precise centering and Jumbo margins, vivid color on fresh paper, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95 Jumbo; SMQ \$500.00)..... 24.00
- 341 ★★ **4c Parcel Post (Q4).** Mint N.H., radiant color, crisp impression, unusually wide margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2012 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95 Jumbo; SMQ \$1,000.00) ..... 77.50



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- 342°★★ **25c Dark Green, Parcel Post Postage Due (JQ5).** Mint N.H. with bottom selvage, deep rich color and proof-like impression on bright paper, perfect centering with wide margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$1,750.00), only two grade higher and three share this grade ..... 185.00
- 343 ★★ **25c Special Handling (QE4).** Mint N.H., wide margins and perfect centering, deep rich color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$875.00), the highest grade awarded and shared by only one other ..... 37.50
- 344 ★★ **25c Yellow Green, Special Handling (QE4a).** Mint N.H., wide margins and perfect centering, bright color on crisp paper, Extremely Fine Gem, an exceptional stamp, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$825.00), while the P.S.E. Population Report lists 31 examples of QE4a at the Superb 98 grade, this is the *only* example to achieve the perfect Gem 100 grade ..... 32.50



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- 345 ★★ **1c Blue, Eagle Carrier (LO2).** Mint N.H., Jumbo margins with framelines or design portions of all surrounding stamps, bright and fresh, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2016 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; Carriers & Locals unpriced in SMQ), this is the highest grade possible, Scott Retail as hinged. .... 50.00



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- 346 (★) **10c Certificate, Imperforate (R33a).** Horizontal pair, unused (no gum), large to huge margins including **bottom sheet margin showing edge of printing plate**, radiant color, Extremely Fine Gem, ex Bulkley, with 2006 P.F. certificate ..... 850.00



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- 347 **1c Dark Yellow Green, Chapman Overprint (R158A).** Bold color, neat "Aug. 3 1898" handstamp cancel, additional manuscript and cork cancels, few faults including margin nick at top, sealed diagonal tear at bottom

FINE APPEARANCE. A RARE EXAMPLE OF THE ONE-CENT CHAPMAN OVERPRINT. ONLY TWENTY COPIES ARE RECORDED IN TOTAL.

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

In his privately published census, Larry Lyons records fourteen used and one unused copies of Scott R158A. Our records contain three additional used and two additional unused, for a total of 20.

Purple backstamp. With 2016 P.S.E. and 2019 P.F. certificates ..... 12,500.00



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- 348 **\$100.00 Green, "Series 1940" Handstamped Ovpt. in Green (R284 var).** Serial number 499407, "Series 1940" handstamped in **green** on Washington's head, in nearly the same shade as the stamp, excellent centering, Jun. 26, 1940 manuscript cancel, a couple thin spots

EXTREMELY FINE APPEARANCE. A RARE EXAMPLE OF THE \$100.00 "SERIES 1940" OVERPRINT - MADE EVEN RARER BY THE HANDSTAMP STRUCK IN GREEN INSTEAD OF BLUE.

The \$60.00-\$1,000.00 Documentary stamps of 1940 were handstamped "Series 1940", usually in blue or green. However, they were not supposed to be overprinted in the same color as the stamp, since it might be difficult to see the overprint (this stamp illustrates that problem perfectly). So the \$100.00 Green stamp should have been handstamped in blue, and the \$500.00 Blue stamp was handstamped in violet. This is the only example of the \$100.00 with a green overprint we have encountered.

It should also be noted that Scott R284, is a rarity in its own right, especially with a manuscript cancel. We have offered only four others since keeping computerized records. Only two of those had manuscript cancels (the other two had cut cancels).

With 2019 P.F. certificate. Scott Retail as the normal No. R284 ..... 4,500.00

- 349 田 **80c Carmine "Series 1940", Imperforate (R299a).** Block of four and pair, without gum as issued, large margins, bright colors, Very Fine ..  
.....(Photo Ex) 1,875.00



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## HUNTING PERMITS



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350 ★★ **\$1.00 1934 Hunting Permit (RW1).** Mint N.H., deep rich color and proof-like impression, perfectly centered with Jumbo margins

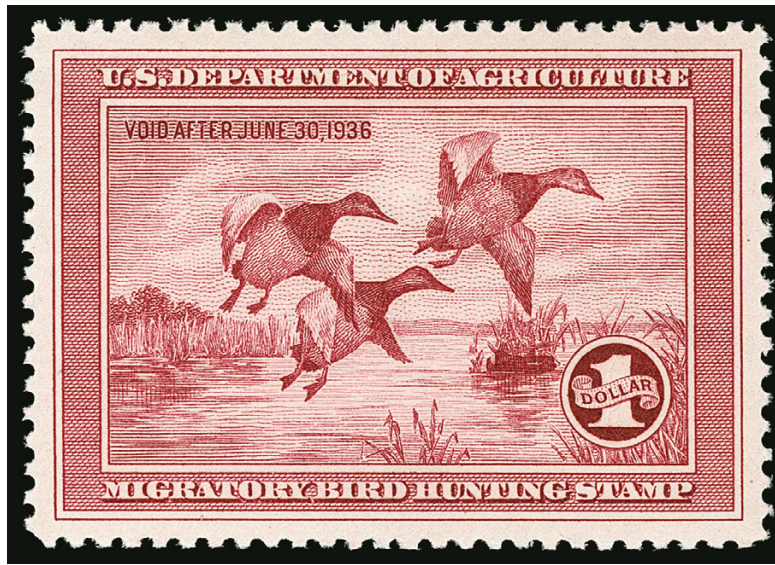
EXTREMELY FINE GEM. THIS IS WITHOUT QUESTION ONE OF THE FINEST MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLES OF THE FIRST HUNTING PERMIT ISSUE IN EXISTENCE. THIS REMARKABLE STAMP IS GRADED SUPERB 98 JUMBO BY P.S.E., WHICH IS THE HIGHEST GRADE AWARDED.

With 1993 P.F. and 2007 P.S.E. certificates (Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$8,000.00). This is the highest grade awarded and only three others share it. .... 750.00



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351 ★★ **\$1.00 1934 Hunting Permit (RW1).** Mint N.H., wide margins and well-centered, bright color, fresh and Extremely Fine ..... 750.00



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- 352 ★★ **\$1.00 1935 Hunting Permit (RW2).** Mint N.H., rich color, remarkably detailed impression showing every detail of the engraving, Jumbo margins and essentially perfect centering  
EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A SUPERB MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE SECOND HUNTING PERMIT ISSUE, GRADED SUPERB 98 JUMBO BY P.S.E.  
With 2014 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$7,350.00). Only two grade higher (at 100) and three share this lofty grade..... 750.00



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- 353 ★★ **\$1.00 1935 Hunting Permit (RW2).** Mint N.H., choice margins and centering, deep rich color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2010 P.F. certificate (XF-Superb 95 XQ) ..... 750.00
- 354 ★★ **\$1.00 1937 Hunting Permit (RW4).** Mint N.H., bright color, well-proportioned margins, Extremely Fine, with 2003 P.S.E. certificate showing plate no. selva which has been removed (XF 90; SMQ \$550.00) ..... 300.00
- 355 ★★ **\$1.00 1938 Hunting Permit (RW5).** Mint N.H., near perfect centering with wide margins, fresh color, light natural gum bend mentioned on accompanying certificate, Extremely Fine, with 2016 P.S.E. certificate (XF 90; SMQ \$800.00), from a centering perspective this is likely a Superb 98, the gum bend is normal on this stamp but resulted in a downgrade ..... 425.00



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- 356 ★★ **\$1.00 1941 Hunting Permit (RW8).** Mint N.H., essentially perfect centering with wide margins, fresh color and paper, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2018 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$1,175.00), only two grade higher..... 225.00
- 357 ★★田 **\$1.00 1948 Hunting Permit (RW15).** Mint N.H. bottom right plate no. 160102 block of six, exceptionally choice centering throughout, bright color and fresh, Extremely Fine and desirable in this quality..... 400.00
- 358 ★★ **\$2.00 1954 Hunting Permit (RW21).** Mint N.H. with bottom selvage, intense shade, mathematically perfect centering, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2016 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$1,100.00), this is the highest grade awarded and it is shared by only three others..... 85.00
- 359 ★★ **\$2.00 1954 Hunting Permit (RW21).** Mint N.H., crisp shade and impression, mathematically perfect centering, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2013 P.S.A.G. certificate (100 ogNH).. 85.00
- 360 ★★ **\$2.00 1955 Hunting Permit (RW22).** Mint N.H., brilliant color, mathematically perfect centering, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$1,200.00), this is the highest grade awarded and only five others have equaled it..... 85.00
- 361 ★★ **\$2.00 1955 Hunting Permit (RW22).** Mint N.H., perfect color and impression, mathematical centering, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$1,200.00), this is the highest grade awarded and only five others have equaled it. 85.00



362 front and back

- 362 ★★ **\$3.00 1959 Hunting Permit, Back Inscription Inverted (RW26a).** Mint N.H., inverted inscription is strongly printed, choice margins and centering, bright and fresh in every respect

EXTREMELY FINE. AN EXCEPTIONALLY RARE EXAMPLE OF THE 1959 HUNTING PERMIT STAMP, INSCRIPTION INVERTED ERROR. THIS IS REPORTED TO BE THE ONLY UNUSED EXAMPLE KNOWN.

The inscriptions printed on the back of Federal Hunting Permit stamps, warning hunters to sign their stamps, began with the 1946 Issue (RW13) and continued until the self-adhesive stamps of the late 1990's. Starting in 1954 (RW21), the inscription was printed *on top of* the gum, which means when hunters affixed their stamps to paper licenses, the inscription was lost. Therefore, while it stands to reason that at least a full sheet of four panes (112 stamps) received the inverted inscription, many or all the others might have been lost to philately when the gum was removed during use. This is the only example of RW26a recorded by Bob Dumaine on his website at Sam Houston Duck Company. The Datz catalogue states two reported but we believe the other reported example is used ie. signed but never affixed to a license (Scott also lists a price for used).

Ex Rudy. With 2006 P.S.E. certificate (VF-XF 85; the error unpriced in SMQ)... 25,000.00



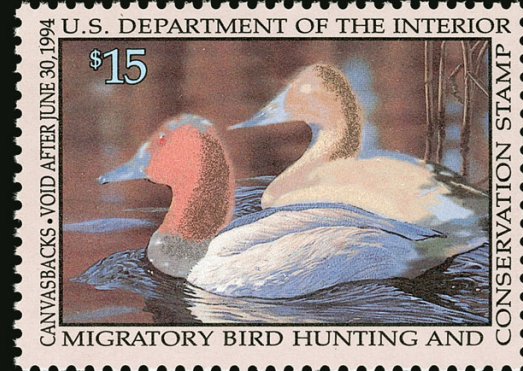
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- 363 ★★ **\$3.00 1963 Hunting Permit (RW30).** Mint N.H., brilliant colors on bright paper, perfectly centered, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$800.00), this is the highest grade awarded ..... 100.00
- 364 ★★ **\$3.00 1966 Hunting Permit (RW33).** Mint N.H., fresh colors and mathematically precise centering, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$680.00), only one grades higher ..... 100.00
- 365 ★★ **\$3.00 1969 Hunting Permit (RW36).** Mint N.H., Jumbo margins and precise centering, Extremely Fine Gem, surprisingly elusive in the highest grades, with 2018 P.S.E. certificate showing plate no. selvaige which has been removed (Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$920.00), this is the highest grade awarded and it is shared by only four others.... 65.00
- 366 ★★ **\$15.00 1993 Hunting Permit, Black (Engr.) Omitted (RW60a).** Mint N.H., bright colors, fresh and Very Fine example of this rare error, normal stamp accompanies ..... 2,100.00
- 367 ★★ **1970-2016 Hunting Permits, Gem 100 Collection (RW37/RW83a).** 59 superb stamps on individual stock cards plus some P.S.E. encapsulated, from RW37 through RW83a plus a few Junior Ducks, each Mint N.H. and **graded Gem 100** by P.S.E., mathematically perfect centering throughout and exceptionally fresh, Extremely Fine Gem collection, see the linked spreadsheet which lists each stamp and SMQ values — which range from \$110.00 to \$700.00, total SMQ value is more than \$16,500.00 .....(Website PDF) E. 4,000-5,000
- 368 ★★ **Hunting Permits, High-Grade Balance.** 12 Mint N.H. stamps between Nos. RW14 and RW45, each graded with six 98's, four 95's and a couple 90J's (one is RW17 "apparent Gem 100 Jumbo but with natural gum disturbance"), Extremely Fine Gem group, total SMQ \$2,900.00.....Not illustrated E. 750-1,000
- 369 ★★ **Hunting Permits, Choice Collection Balance.** In a two-volume deluxe Stearns and Fink album with slipcase plus an additional album, this is the balance of the superb collection formed by Randall L. Henson and offered in this sale as individual lots and a Gem 100 lot, the stamps included here are not graded but are of high quality and a check shows Mint N.H., early issues included less Nos. RW1-RW2 and RW5, later issues with a smattering missing but extensive nonetheless, Very Fine-Extremely Fine, an unusually fresh balance, the blank Stearns and Fink albums alone cost \$200.00 or more from dealers .....Not illustrated E. 750-1,000

CONFEDERATE STATES

- 370 (★) **New Orleans La., 2c Red (62X2).** Horizontal pair, unused (no gum), ample to large margins, right stamp vertical crease and Very Fine appearance, left stamp Extremely Fine Gem, ex Hessel and Dr. Brandon ..... 475.00



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- 371 ★★ **Confederate States, 5c Blue, Stone 2 (4).** Mint N.H., huge Jumbo margins showing parts of all adjoining stamps, fresh color and paper, small pencil position number on gum

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. AN EXCEPTIONALLY BEAUTIFUL MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE CONFEDERATE STATES 5-CENT BLUE LITHOGRAPHED ISSUE, GRADED GEM 100 JUMBO BY P.S.E.

Ex "Hanover". With 2013 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; SMQ \$5,900.00 as 100, unpriced in the 100J grade). Scott Retail as hinged ..... 225.00



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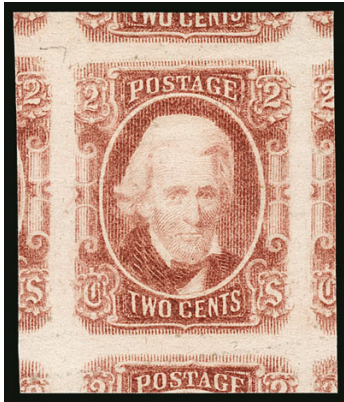


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- 372 ★★ **5c Light Blue, De La Rue (6).** Mint N.H., Jumbo margins including parts of all adjoining stamps, vivid color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2014 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; SMQ \$400.00 as 100, unpriced as 100J), this is the highest grade possible, Scott Retail as hinged ..... 18.00
- 373 ★★ **5c Light Blue, De La Rue (6).** Mint N.H., Jumbo margins including parts of all adjoining stamps, bright color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; SMQ \$400.00 as 100, unpriced as 100J), this is the highest grade possible, Scott Retail as hinged ..... 18.00
- 374 ★★ **5c Blue, Local (7).** Mint N.H., enormous margins all around with significant parts of all adjoining stamps, deep rich color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; SMQ \$525.00 as 100, unpriced as 100J), this is the highest grade possible, Scott Retail as hinged ..... 22.00



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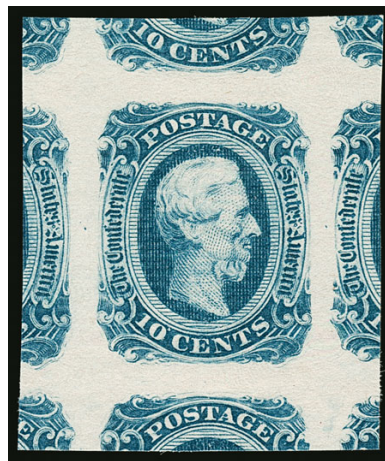


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- 375 ★★ **2c Brown Red, Double Transfer (8 var).** Mint N.H., showing clear double transfer, especially pronounced in the top left “2” (and the “2” in the adjoining stamp to the left), Jumbo margins showing parts of all adjoining stamps, deep rich color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; SMQ \$1,900.00 as normal 100, unpriced as 100J or as a double transfer), this is the highest grade possible, Scott Retail as hinged..... 130.00
- 376 ★★ **10c Blue, Die A (11).** Mint N.H., Jumbo margins showing traces or parts of all adjoining stamps, wonderfully fresh with pristine gum, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; SMQ \$550.00 as 100, unpriced as 100J), Scott Retail as hinged ..... 18.00
- 377 ★★ **10c Greenish Blue, Die A (11c).** Mint N.H., Jumbo margins showing parts of all adjoining stamps, pretty pastel color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; SMQ \$550.00 as No. 11 in grade of 100, unpriced as 100J), Scott Retail as hinged ..... 30.00



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- 378 ★★ **10c Green, Die A (11d).** Mint N.H., Jumbo margins showing parts of four adjoining stamps, rich color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2012 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; SMQ \$550.00 as No. 11 in grade of 100, unpriced as 100J), Scott Retail as hinged... 85.00
- 379 ★★ **10c Blue, Die B (12).** Mint N.H., massive margins including significant portions of all adjoining stamps, deep rich color and proof-like impression on bright paper, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 100, SMQ \$700.00 as 100), Scott Retail as hinged ..... 20.00
- 380 ★★ **10c Dark Blue, Die B (12d).** Mint N.H., Jumbo margins including parts of all adjoining stamps, deep rich color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2016 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; SMQ \$700.00 as No. 12 in grade of 100, unpriced as 100J), this is the highest grade possible, Scott Retail as hinged ..... 24.00

- 381 ★★ **20c Green, Double Transfer in “20” (13 var).** Mint N.H., enormous margins including parts of all adjoining stamps, clearly showing the double transfer in “20” at top, Extremely Fine Gem, a stunning example of this double transfer, with 2014 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; the double transfer is unpriced in SMQ — it commands a 650% premium in Scott — unpriced as normal in SMQ above the grade of 100, SMQ \$1,100.00 as 100) ..... 300.00



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- 382 ★★ **1c Orange (14).** Mint N.H., enormous Jumbo margins including portions of all adjoining stamps, rich color for this often washed out issue, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; SMQ \$2,550.00 as 100, unpriced as 100J), this is the highest grade possible, Scott Retail as hinged..... 110.00

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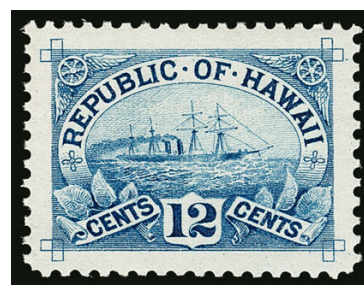
- 383 ★★ **1868, 5c Blue, Re-Issue (10).** Mint N.H., huge Jumbo margins all around including portions of all adjoining stamps, fresh color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2014 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 90), the P.S.E. Population Report does not list this issue, despite pricing it in SMQ (though only as high as XF 90) ..... 27.50
- 384 ★★ **1868, 5c Blue, Re-Issue (10).** Mint N.H., huge Jumbo margins all around including portions of all adjoining stamps and sheet margin at right, fresh color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2016 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 90), the P.S.E. Population Report does not list this issue, despite pricing it in SMQ (though only as high as XF 90) ..... 27.50



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- 385 ★★ **1889, 2c Carmine, Reprint (51).** Mint N.H., massive margins all around including portions of all adjoining stamps and sheet margin at top, glowing color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2016 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 95), the P.S.E. Population Report does not list this issue, despite pricing it in SMQ (though only as high as XF-Superb 95) ..... 50.00

- 386 ★★ **1894, 12c Blue (78).** Mint N.H., wide margins and mathematically perfect centering, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb example of this beautiful design, with 2018 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; unpriced in SMQ) ..... 37.50



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- 387 **1877, \$50.00 Slate Blue & Carmine (R6).** Outstanding centering, neat purple handstamp cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2016 P.F. certificate ..... 450.00

- 388 ★ **1894, 25c Violet Brown (R10).** Original gum, lightly hinged with single small h.r. at bottom left, rich color, choice centering, fresh and Extremely Fine, with 2018 P.S.E. certificate (OGh, VF-XF 85; unpriced in SMQ) ..... 1,300.00



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## COLLECTIONS AND ACCUMULATIONS

- 389 **Accumulation, 19th-20th Century.** Group of 91 unused and used stamps, including used Nos. 9 (4, each with cert), 15, 70b, O32, C1 (graded 95), few unused Special Delivery such as Nos. E2 and E3, O72-O82, few faults, overall Fine-Very Fine with some Extremely Fine, a significant number with certificates..... E. 2,000-3,000
- 390 **1851-69 Issues, Used Balance (7/117).** 20 used stamps, including Nos. 7, 9 (with large bottom left corner margins), 11A pair (with large bottom right corner margins), 12, 17, 18, 30A, 36 (appears unused but regummed and possibly cleaned), 37, 63, 72, 75, 115 and 117, plus a few others, a number of these are Very Fine or Extremely Fine appearing and might have been individual lots except for a tiny problem, some of the others are just Fine, overall an attractive balance, Scott Retail counting the No. 36 as used approximately ..... 4,700.00
- 391 ★ **19th Century Unused Balance.** 13 stamps, including original gum Nos. 24, 26 (Mint N.H., slight color oxidation, 2019 PFC), 40 (NGAI), 63 (two), 65, 72, 145, 158, 205, 210, 220 and 224, a couple have disturbed gum and some are lightly hinged, a couple small faults to be found including a crease on No. 72, overall Fine-Very Fine, two P.F. certificates accompany, Scott Retail more than \$5,000.00..... E. 1,000-1,500
- 392 ★ **19th-20th Century Unused Collection Balance.** Unused collection from the Henson estate of choice original gum stamps in two albums, many but not all are Mint N.H., earliest are a few Columbians including 50c and \$2.00 (latter with a crease), a smattering of 1894-1902 Bureaus, 1904-07 Commemoratives including hinged No. 330 P.F. graded 95, Washington-Franklins with some graded and SMQ values up to \$425.00, 1920's through later issues are presumably mostly Mint N.H., also with many graded and SMQ values in low \$100's, back-of-book with Superb 98 graded Mint N.H. Nos. E16-E19, E23 and E22 (98J), lots of others, overall Very Fine-Extremely Fine, this balance comes from the Henson collection and so the quality is quite high, viewing recommended, many certificates accompany..... E. 2,000-3,000
- 393 **U.S. Used Collection Balance.** In a single Scott National album plus a box, album contains nearly all used stamps, very sparse early and then picks up with the Bank Notes, Columbians including 50c (unused) and \$3.00, 1895 Bureau including No. 277 (unused, no gum), Trans-Mississippi including the \$2.00, continues through Washington-Franklins and 1920's-30's, Air Post including C15, mixed condition with flaws to be found, the box contains a miscellaneous assortment of lower value material, Fine-Very Fine appearance ..... E. 400-500
- 394 ★田 **Multiples and Plate Blocks Balance.** Choice group of mostly plate blocks plus a few other multiples, plate blocks include Nos. 397 and 504 plus four different W-F imperforate plate blocks including 534-535, also large multiple of No. 343 with plate no. and vertical guide arrow between columns, Air Post includes six booklet panes of C10a (one without tab), a very choice Mint N.H. C18 top plate block of six (natural gum skips), plus a few others, overall Very Fine, Scott Retail in excess of \$2,000.00 ..... E. 500-750
- 395 ★田 **Blocks Balance.** Seven, including unused Nos. 189 (top imprint block of eight), 240 (used block of four), 571 top plate no. and arrow block of ten, RW40, RW44, RW52 and RW53, few faults, appear Fine-Very Fine ..... E. 600-800
- 396 **Miscellaneous Balance of the Henson Collection.** Housed in a single wine box, a large quantity of stock cards, lot cards, sales sheets, loose stamps, etc., many with certificates in a range of grades but most are uncertified, these were part of the raw material that Mr. Henson used to find high quality stamps for grading — which he never was able to complete, as such there are very choice stamps included along with lesser quality stamps, also noted are some better varieties including No. 832b (USIR wmk.), a recalled Legends of the Wet sheet and a group of Farely imperforates from the Harold Ickes collection (with P.S.E. certificates), however it is disorganized and in no particular order so viewing is recommended, overall Very Fine-Extremely Fine ..... E. 1,000-1,500
- 397 ★★ **20th Century Gem 100 Accumulation, 1906-1962.** Exceptional group of approximately 220 stamps from the Henson collection, Scott numbers range from Nos. 314 through the 1100's plus a few later and a few back-of-book, all but two or three are Mint N.H. and all are **graded Gem 100**, plus a few Gem 100 Jumbos for imperforates, there is some duplication with a few numbers represented by two or three examples but for the most part they are different numbers, some have populations that are medium to large but there are several with populations of only one or two, Extremely Fine Gem accumulation, the majority are P.S.E. encapsulated but there are dozens on paper certificates as well, total SMQ is more than \$48,000.00, a spreadsheet is linked on our website that lists the stamps, grades, SMQ values and populations at 100 and 100J .....(Website PDF) E. 10,000-15,000

- 398 ★★ **20th Century Superb 98 Graded Balance.** 12 Mint N.H. stamps plus two used, each graded Superb 98 or better by P.S.E., including Nos. 651 (used, 98 Jumbo), 727, 801, 855, 915 (Gem 100), 1053, C46, C65a, RB1P4 card proof (100 Jumbo), RD316, REA152, Hawaii Nos. 66 and 78 (latter used), Extremely Fine Gems, only the regular U.S. and Air Post stamps are priced in SMQ, total SMQ not counting the last six items is \$1,085.00.... E. 500-750
- 399 ★★ **20th Century Superb 98 Accumulation, 1909-1960.** Outstanding group of approximately 135 stamps from the Henson collection, Scott numbers range from Nos. 370 through 1148 plus a group of Air Post, all except for two or three are Mint N.H. and all are **graded Superb 98 or Superb 98 Jumbo**, very little duplication with only a few numbers represented by more than one example, Extremely Fine Gem accumulation, the majority are P.S.E. encapsulated but there are many on paper certificates as well, total SMQ is more than \$18,000.00, a spreadsheet is linked on our website that lists the stamps, grades and SMQ values .....(Website PDF) E. 4,000-5,000
- 400 ★★ **20th Century 90-95 Graded Balance.** Approximately 57 stamps from the Henson collection, the vast majority are Mint N.H. and graded between XF 90 and XF-Superb 95, only a few grade below that or are ungraded, some Jumbos are included as well, mostly P.S.E. encapsulated, Extremely Fine group, total SMQ approximately \$2,900.00, a spreadsheet is linked on our website that lists the stamps, grades and SMQ values .....(Website PDF) E. 500-750
- 401 **Miscellaneous Collection Balance.** In two large boxes, a couple of U.S. albums with used, some foreign used, loads of modern commercial covers (some with higher denomination stamps for soaking), bundles of loose used stamps, also face in modern plate blocks and sheets that should at least justify the estimate..... E. 150-200
- 402 ★★ **Hawaii Mostly Mint N.H. Balance.** Issues from Royal Portraits forward, largely Mint N.H. and including approximately 15 or more graded from VF80 through Superb 98, also a good amount of ungraded stamps, Revenues and a sheet of No. 80, decent amount of duplication, the quality is quite high with many Extremely Fine stamps .... E. 500-750
- 403 ★★ **Philippines, Superb 98 Balance (380/636).** 36 Mint N.H. stamps, including Nos. 380-381 and continuing with numbers between 504 and 636, plus a couple Air Post, each graded Superb 98 by P.S.E., Extremely Fine Gems, unpriced in SMQ ..... E. 500-750

## END OF SESSION TWO

SESSION THREE (LOTS 404-599)  
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 2019, AT 1:30 P.M.

## PRIVATE DIE PROPRIETARY STAMPS

## PRIVATE DIE MATCH

- 404 **Alexander's Matches, 1c Blue, Silk Paper (RO3b).** Deep color, filled thins, sealed tear at right, corner repair at bottom right, otherwise Fine, the Aldrich census records only 13 examples of this Match stamp rarity, all but one have faults, we have offered only three others since keeping computerized records, with 2013 P.F. certificate ..... 4,000.00



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- 405 **Allen & Powers, 1c Blue, Pink Paper (RO6c).** Massive Jumbo margins and perfect centering, rich color, Extremely Fine Gem, an exceptionally choice example of this issue ..... 35.00
- 406 **American Match Co., 3c Black, Old Paper (RO11a).** Outstanding centering with wide and balanced margins, crisp impression, small shallow thin spot at left, Extremely Fine appearance and rarely found in sound or near sound condition ..... 550.00
- 407 **American Match Co., 1c Black, Old Paper (RO12a).** Outstanding centering with balanced margins, intense shade and impression, Extremely Fine ..... 60.00



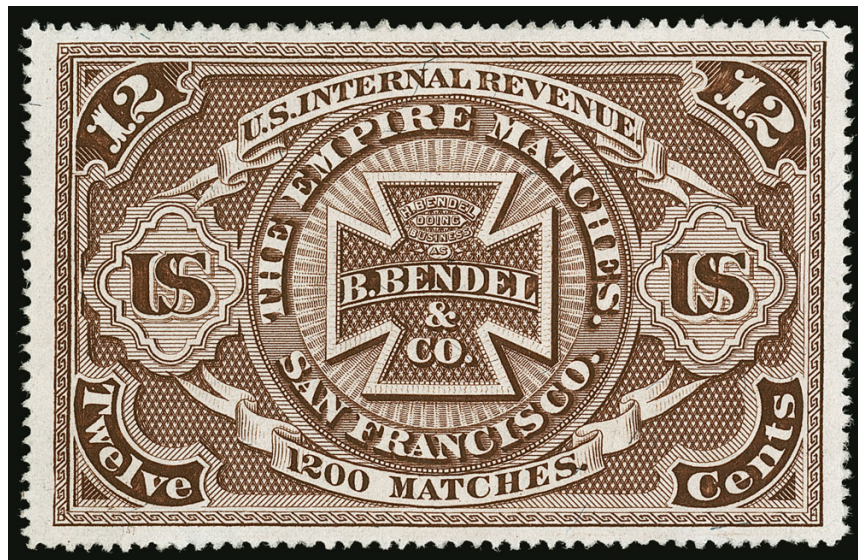
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408 **American Match Co., 3c Green, Old Paper (RO13a).** Rich color and detailed impression, centered to top right, couple small thin spots

FINE APPEARING EXAMPLE OF THIS EXTREMELY RARE PRIVATE DIE MATCH STAMP. ONLY TWELVE EXAMPLES ARE RECORDED IN THE ALDRICH CENSUS.

Ex "Scarsdale". Of the twelve recorded examples, at least nine are faulty to some degree. At least one of the three potentially sound copies has perfs into the design on two sides.

7,500.00



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409 **H. Bendel & Co., 12c Brown, Silk Paper (RO27b).** Gorgeous rich color and detailed impression, wide to Jumbo margins, completely sound

EXTREMELEY FINE GEM. THIS IS BY FAR THE FINEST EXAMPLE OF THE H. BENDEL 12-CENT MATCH STAMP WE HAVE EVER ENCOUNTERED. A TRULY SUPERB EXAMPLE OF THIS SCARCE STAMP.

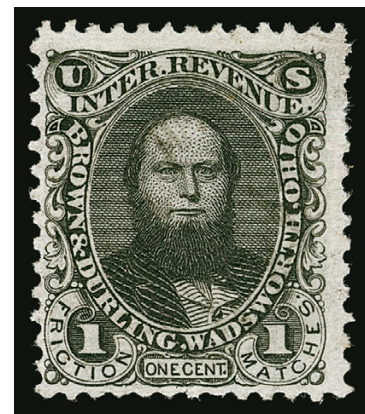
This is easily and by far the finest condition example of this scarce and striking Match stamp we have ever offered. A Power Search review shows that every example we have offered since 1993 has had a combination of faults and only Fine centering. The Aldrich census records only 42 examples with the vast majority faulty

550.00



- 410 **Wm. Bond & Co., 4c Black, Silk Paper (RO32b).** Intense shade and impression, wide margins and choice centering, couple trivial small thin spots, appears Extremely Fine — easily the widest margined and best centered example listed in Power Search ..... 275.00
- 411 **Wm. Bond & Co., 4c Black, Silk Paper (RO32b).** Outstanding centering, intense shade on fresh paper, Extremely Fine..... 275.00
- 412 **Bowers & Dunham, 1c Green, Watermarked (RO39d).** Rich color on bright paper, wide margins, tiny pinhole at top right, Very Fine appearance, ex Bulkley ..... 275.00

- 413 **Brown & Durling, 1c Black, Old Paper (RO43a).** Intense shade on bright paper, barest trace of cancels, tiny sealed tear in forehead and nibbed perfs at upper right, Fine appearing example of this scarce Match stamp, of the 20 examples recorded in the Aldrich book he notes that only five are sound, ex “Scarsdale” ..... 2,500.00



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- 414 **Brown & Durling, 1c Green, Old Paper (RO44a).** Rich color, choice centering, trivial tiny perf thin at left, appears Extremely Fine, despite its modest catalogue value this is a difficult issue to find with such choice centering ..... 82.50
- 415 **Brown & Durling, 1c Green, Old Paper (RO44a).** Rich color, neat “B&D Feb. 1866” printed cancel, Fine, ex “Scarsdale” ..... 82.50
- 416 **L. W. Buck & Co., 1c Black, Experimental Silk Paper (RO45e).** Intense shade and impression, few clearly visible silk fibers, clipped perfs at bottom, few thins, otherwise Fine, scarce, the Buck plant was destroyed by fire circa 1870 and was never rebuilt, leaving a brief period when the stamps would have been used, only 20 are recorded in the Aldrich census, ex Bulkley, with 2012 P.F. certificate ..... 2,000.00



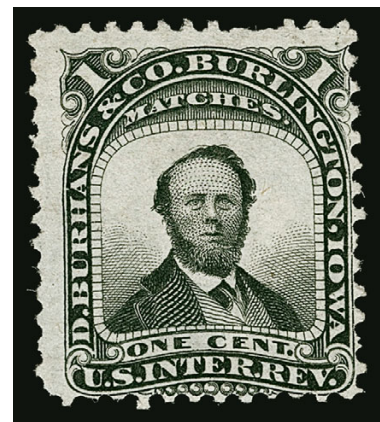
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- 417 **D. Burhans & Co., 1c Black, Silk Paper (RO46b).** Showing many silk fibers, repaired vertical tear down the center

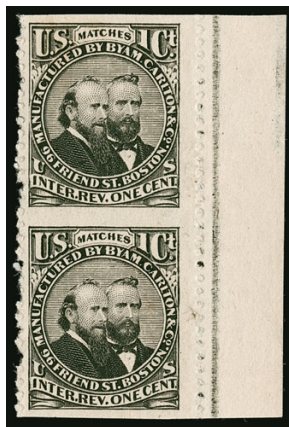
FINE APEARANCE. AN EXTREMELY RARE EXAMPLE OF THE ONE-CENT D. BURHANS & CO. ISSUE ON SILK PAPER.

Only seven are recorded in the Aldrich census. With 2013 P.F. certificate..... 10,000.00

- 418 **D. Burhans & Co., 1c Black, Experimental Silk Paper (RO46e).** Showing small silk fibers which are markedly different from those in the previous lot, thin spot and couple short perfs, only the former mentioned on accompanying certificate, Fine appearance, though overshadowed by the Silk paper variety, this is a rare stamp as well with only 18 recorded in Aldrich book, of which only half are potentially sound (and very likely fewer than that), ex "Scarsdale", with 2009 P.F. certificate ..... 1,100.00



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- 419 ★ **Byam, Carlton & Co., 1c Black, Watermarked, Vertical Pair, Imperforate Horizontally (RO49i).** With right selvage, original gum, lightly hinged, intense shade, bottom stamp small thin spot, Very Fine appearance, a scarce variety and especially desirable with the selvage, ex Bulkley, with 2012 P.F. certificate ..... 140.00
- 420 田 **Byam, Carlton & Co., 1c Black, Watermarked, Vertical Pair, Imperforate Horizontally (RO49i).** Block of four with right selvage, containing two of the imperforate horizontally pairs, well-centered with wide margins, fresh and Extremely Fine, a beautiful and rare block, Scott Retail as two pairs ..... 280.00



- 421 **Byam, Carlton & Co., 1c Black Wrapper, 95 x 57mm (RO56a var).** Showing dramatic foldover misprint with large portion of stamp design missing and printed on the other side (visible on front as a negative image due to the thin nature of the paper), Extremely Fine and striking variety..... E. 300-400
- 422 **Chicago Match Co., 3c Black, Old Paper (RO60a).** Deep shade, small faults at top right, Fine appearance, scarce issue with only 42 recorded in Aldrich book which notes “virtually all the copies I have seen have some perforations touching the design somewhere on the stamp”, with 2013 P.F. certificate ..... 1,000.00
- 423 **Henry A. Clark, 1c Green, Silk Paper (RO61b).** Beautifully balanced margins top-to-bottom and side-to-side, deep rich color on bright paper, Extremely Fine Gem... 110.00
- 424 **James L. Clark, 1c Green, Watermarked, Rouletted (RO63d).** Deep rich color, attractive margins and centering, couple small thin spots, Very Fine appearance, only 30 are recorded in the Aldrich census of which at least half have faults (and probably more than that as every example we have sold since 1993 has had a fault) ..... 1,400.00
- 425 **W. D. Curtis Matches, 1c Green, Experimental Silk Paper (RO68e).** Choice centering, deep rich color, Very Fine example of this beautiful Match stamp design, ex “Scarsdale”, with 2007 P.F. certificate ..... 1,000.00

- 426 **Aug. Eichele, 1c Black, Old Paper (RO76a).** Intense shade and proof-like impression, perfect centering, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp, this is the only issuance for Augustus Eichele and is very unusual in this quality, ex “Scarsdale” ..... 160.00



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- 427 **Eichele & Co., 1c Blue, Watermarked, Rouletted (RO79d).** Rich color, fresh and Very Fine, scarce in sound condition, ex Tolman and "Scarsdale", with 2007 P.F. certificate .... 500.00
- 428 **L. Frank, 1c Brown, Silk Paper (RO85b).** Wide margins and choice centering, rich color, small thin spot at top, appears Extremely Fine ..... 110.00
- 429 **Gardner, Beer & Co., 1c Black, Pink Paper (RO86c).** Intense shade on bright Pink paper, Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine, a very difficult stamp to find in sound condition with such wide margins ..... 300.00
- 430 **Gardner, Beer & Co., 1c Black, Pink Paper (RO86c).** Wide margins and choice centering, thinned at bottom, Extremely Fine appearance, ex "Scarsdale" ..... 300.00
- 431 **Wm. Gates, 3c Black, Silk Paper (RO91b).** Perfect centering, intense shade and impression, completely sound, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb example of this interesting Match stamp "triple" design ..... 160.00
- 432 **William Gates' Sons, 3c Black, Pink Paper (RO94c).** Perfect centering with extra wide margins, intense shade and impression on bright Pink paper, completely sound, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb example of this interesting Match stamp "triple" design ..... 200.00



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- 433 **Greenleaf & Co., 5c Orange, Silk Paper (RO102b).** Bright color with many silk paper fibers clearly visible, single short perf at top, light crease, small toned spot at top  
FINE APPEARANCE. A BRIGHT AND EXCEPTIONALLY CHOICE EXAMPLE OF THE EXCEED-  
INGLY RARE 5-CENT GREENLEAF MATCH STAMP ON SILK PAPER. ONLY 15 ARE RECORDED  
IN THE ALDRICH CENSUS.  
Of the 15 recorded in the Aldrich book, at least nine are faulty and about half have perfs  
cutting into the design. The Joyce sale contained only one, with perfs in at bottom.  
Ex Tolman and "Scarsdale"..... 4,500.00



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**Griggs & Goodwill, 1c Black, Silk Paper (RO103b).** Beautiful margins and centering, bright white paper and deep shade, red "Sept. 25th '73? G. & G." handstamp, fresh and Extremely Fine, ex "Scarsdale" ..... 60.00

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**L. G. Hunt, 1c Black, Silk Paper (RO113b).** Red "Apr. 10th '74 G. & G." handstamp, deep shade, tiny thin spot, Fine appearance, only 22 are recorded in Aldrich book of which half have perfs in on at least one side, the handstamp is from Griggs & Goodwill, the successor company, with 2014 P.F. certificate ..... 1,650.00



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**P. T. Ives, 1c Blue, Watermarked, Rouletted (RO117d).** Deep rich color, wide margins and essentially perfect centering, couple small thin spots as almost always encountered, Extremely Fine Gem appearance and the best-centered example we have offered since keeping computerized records, only 37 are recorded in the Aldrich census (including two pairs) and at least 24 (and probably more) have faults ..... 650.00

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**P. T. Ives, 1c Blue, Watermarked, Rouletted (RO117d).** Vertical pair, deep rich color, Fine and scarce multiple, ex Tolman and "Scarsdale", only 37 are recorded in Aldrich book, Scott Retail as singles ..... 1,300.00



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- 438 **John J. Macklin & Co., 1c Black, Old Paper, Rouletted (RO129a).** Torn in half horizontally and expertly repaired — the fragile nature of the paper means nearly all have faults

FINE APPEARING EXAMPLE OF THE EXTREMELY RARE ONE-CENT ROULETTED JOHN J. MACKLIN & CO. MATCH STAMP.

The history of this stamp is recorded in the book *Private Die Match Stamps* by Christopher West, the nom-de-plume of Elliott Perry. In the book, he notes that the stamps were printed by American Phototype Co. When other match manufacturers saw the inferior workmanship of the stamp, they called it to the attention of Butler, Carpenter & Co., who reported it to the authorities as a stamp easy to counterfeit. Butler & Carpenter refused to print from the same plate. Macklin refused to have a new plate made due to the cost (he had lost his business several times due to fire) and used 1c Proprietary stamps for a period of time.

Small “repaired” backstamp. Only eleven examples are recorded in the Aldrich census (this one not included). Of these, at least eight are faulty. With 2013 P.F. certificate..... 10,000.00

- 439 **F. Mansfield & Co., 1c Blue, Pink Paper (RO130c).** Vertical pair with full imprint selvage at left, wide margins and well-centered, Very Fine, a striking and rare position pair ..... E. 200-300



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MARYLAND MATCH COMPANY—BALTIMORE  
THE UNIQUE ONE-CENT ON WATERMARKED PAPER

440 **Maryland Match Co., 1c Blue, Watermarked (RO131d).** Showing clear “U” of “USIR” watermark, inverted in relation to orientation of the stamp, deep rich color, expert small repair at top

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. THE CELEBRATED UNIQUE EXAMPLE OF THE ONE-CENT MARYLAND MATCH COMPANY STAMP ON WATERMARKED PAPER. ONE OF THE GREATEST REVENUE RARITIES.

The complete story of the discovery of the Maryland Match Co. stamp on watermarked paper is told in *Private Die Match Stamps* by Christopher West, the non-de-plume of Elliott Perry. Maryland Match Co. was the successor to the Excelsior Match Co., and the stamps are based on the die used by the former with some alterations. Stamps for the new firm were first issued in 1872 and last issued in 1874, and were printed on silk paper.

The records of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing show that between Sep. 5, 1882, and Feb. 12, 1883, the firm Titlebaum & Macklin ordered just over one million one-cent stamps of this design, all of which were printed on the Bureau's watermarked paper. The watermarked stamps were delivered to the Bureau of Internal Revenue, but apparently were destroyed, except for this sole copy. They may never have been delivered to the match company, since a supply of the silk paper was still on hand.

The story of the discovery of the Maryland Match Co. watermarked stamp is told by Edward Phelps, the first owner of this rarity, who started collecting stamps around 1880 at the age of 12 in Worcester, Massachusetts. His parents were also collectors in non-philatelic fields. His father took a position with the Agriculture Department in Washington starting in 1882, leaving his wife and son in Worcester. Around 1884 or 1885, his father became acquainted with the clerk at the Bureau of Internal Revenue who was in charge of the stamp vaults and destroying obsolete remainders. The clerk told his father that he was in the habit of taking one stamp from each sheet to be destroyed and saving them in an envelope. This envelope was also the source of the unissued Caterson, Brotz & Co, playing card stamp (Scott RU1). The clerk sold the envelope full of stamps to Phelps's father for \$25, who then immediately sold the RU1 stamp to a collector for \$50. The elder Phelps mounted some on 1874-edition Scott album pages and left some in the original envelope.

In 1891 Edward Phelps visited his father in Washington and took back the stamps with him. He was acquainted with the authors of *The Boston Revenue Book*, which was published in 1899 and was largely compiled from official records. About a year after the book was published, Phelps came across the addenda in the back of the book detailing the printing by the Bureau on watermarked paper; the book states no copies are known. Phelps checked the stamps obtained by his father from the clerk, and discovered that the Maryland Match Co. stamp was printed on watermarked paper. Phelps also notes that when his collection was sold in 1906, an assistant at the auction company damaged the stamp at top, which has since been repaired.

Ex Edward Phelps, Colonel Green, Clarence Eagle, Morton Dean Joyce and Grant Inman. With 2017 P.F. certificate..... 42,500.00



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- 441 **N.Y. Match Co., 1c Blue, Old Paper (RO136a).** Rich color, choice centering, fresh and Very Fine, rare in sound condition, of the 34 recorded in the Aldrich book only eight are potentially sound, ex Bulkley, with 2012 P.F. certificate..... 1,000.00

- 442 **N.Y. Match Co., 1c Vermilion, Experimental Silk Paper (RO137e).** Brilliant color, few tiny silk fibers clearly visible, few faults, otherwise Fine, scarce ..... 500.00



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- 443 (★) **N. & C. (Newbauer & Co.), 4c Green, Silk Paper, Imperforate (RO140bi).** Unused block of four, large margins, huge at right showing parts of adjoining stamps, left pair faint vertical crease, otherwise Extremely Fine, a rare block of the recently-discovered silk paper imperforate variety, with 2013 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail as two pairs ..... 2,000.00

- 444 **Orono Match Co., 1c Ultramarine, Old Paper (RO141u).** Rich color in the distinct Ultramarine shade, wide margins, fresh and Very Fine, scarce, we have offered only two others since keeping computerized records, ex Bulkley, with 2012 P.F. certificate..... 1,500.00



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- 445 **Pierce Match Co., 1c Green, Old Paper (RO145a).** Deep rich color, small faults including thin spot

FINE APPEARANCE. A RARE EXAMPLE OF THE ONE-CENT PIERCE MATCH STAMP. ONLY 21 ARE RECORDED IN THE ALDRICH CENSUS.

The striking volcano design of this stamp makes it one of the most popular and unusual Private Die issues. It is all but impossible to find sound, with at least 16 of the 21 recorded in Aldrich faulty.

Ex Tolman and "Scarsdale"..... 4,000.00



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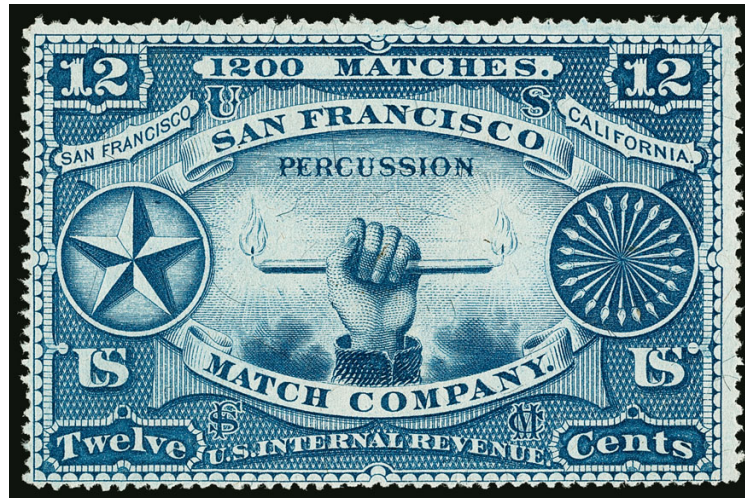
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- 446 **Richardson Match Co., 3c Blue, Silk Paper (RO159b).** Gorgeous color and choice centering, Extremely Fine, wonderful quality, ex "Scarsdale" ..... 95.00
- 447 **William Roeber, 1c Blue, Watermarked, Rouletted (RO162d).** Vertical pair, deep rich color, Very Fine and attractive multiple, ex Bulkley, Scott Retail as singles ..... 250.00
- 448 **San Francisco Match Co., 12c Blue, Silk Paper (RO165b).** Deep rich color, attractive centering for this large-format issue, fresh and Fine example of this striking Match design, of the 71 reported in the Aldrich census only 29 are potentially sound, ex "Scarsdale" ..... 550.00
- 449 **E.K. Smith, 1c Blue, Pink Paper (RO168c).** Jumbo margins and choice centering, beautiful color complemented by the bright Pink paper, Extremely Fine ..... 55.00



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- 450 **E. K. Smith, 1c Blue, Watermarked, Rouletted (RO169d).** Large to huge margins including portion of the design from the stamp below, bright color, light diagonal crease at bottom left and small thin spots

EXTREMELY FINE APPEARING EXAMPLE OF THE EXCEEDINGLY RARE ONE-CENT E. K. SMITH ROULETTED PRIVATE DIE MATCH STAMP.

Ten copies of the E. K. Smith Roulette are recorded in the Aldrich census, of which eight are faulty. He notes "the condition is usually very, very poor." and states he would not be surprised if half were actually fakes. The huge margins on this stamp preclude fakery, the possibility of which casts a shadow over several other examples of this issue.

With 2000 P.F. certificate..... 7,000.00



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- 451 **Swift & Courtney & Beecher Co., 1c Black, Watermarked (RO175d).** Precise centering, intense shade on bright paper, Extremely Fine, wonderfully choice quality ..... 110.00
- 452 **Wilmington Parlor Match Co., 1c Black, Experimental Silk Paper (RO182e).** Sharp impression, Fine, ex "Scarsdale" ..... 500.00
- 453 **Wise & Co., 1c Black, Old Paper (RO183a).** Intense shade, short perf and expertly sealed tear at top left, otherwise Fine, scarce, only 23 are recorded in Aldrich census, ex Tolman and "Scarsdale" ..... 2,000.00

- 454 **Zisemann, Griesheim & Co., 1c Green, Old Paper (RO185a).** Intense shade and impression, completely sound

FRESH AND FINE. A RARE SOUND EXAMPLE OF THE ONE-CENT GREEN ZISEMANN, GRIESHEIM & CO. MATCH ISSUE.

The Aldrich book records only 19 examples of this rarity from this St. Louis matchmaker. Of these no more than six are sound. He notes that many examples are stained and faded and that fresh examples (such as the one offered here) are truly rare. The single Joyce copy had a very noticeable short perf at left. The three others located in Power Search are defective and off-center, including one torn in half and repaired.

Ex Bulkley. With 2012 P.F. certificate..... 3,000.00



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## CANNED FRUIT



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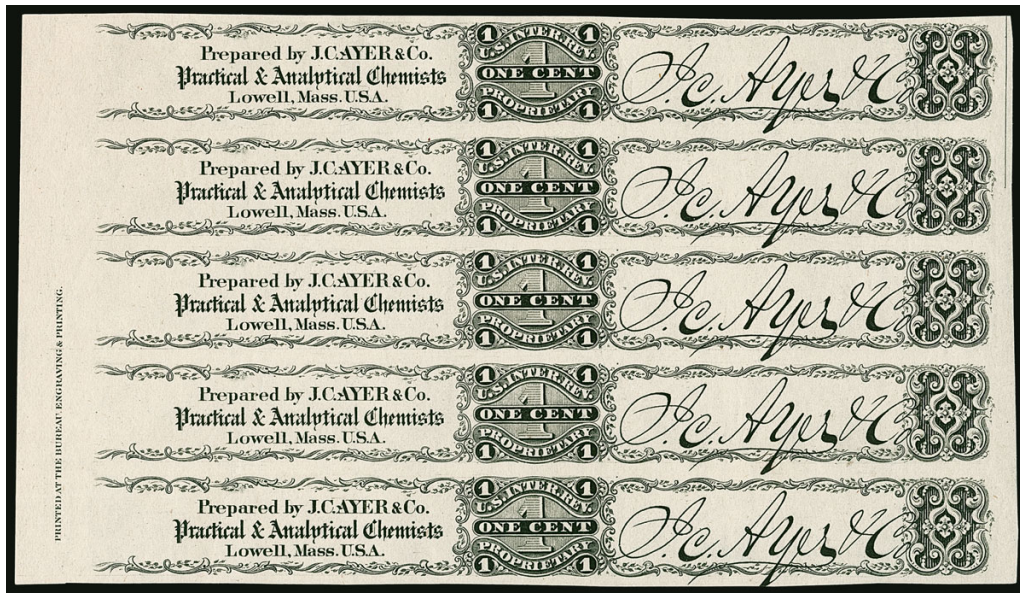
- 455 **T. Kensett & Co., 1c Green, Old Paper (RP1a).** Deep rich color, thinned at top right, small soiling at left, otherwise Fine, a very scarce example of the only Private Die Canned Fruit stamp, 20 of the 27 examples recorded in Aldrich census are faulty, many profoundly so and a number also showing rust stains from the fruit cans, with 2013 P.F. certificate..... 2,500.00

## PRIVATE DIE MEDICINE



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- 456 **J. C. Ayer & Co., 1c Black, Ty. II, Old Paper, Double Transfer (RS4a).** Clear double transfer in lettering at center, large to huge margins including top sheet margin with "+" marker in corner, vertical crease at right, appears Extremely Fine, desirable with the double transfer, which is unlisted on the Old Paper stamp..... 275.00



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- 457 J. C. Ayer & Co., 1c Black, Ty. I, Watermarked (RS4d). Vertical strip of five with "Printed at the Bureau Engraving & Printing" imprint in left sheet margin, other margins large to huge at right, some very faint creasing visible only when drying and normal for this, Extremely Fine, a beautiful imprint multiple, Scott Retail as singles without premium for the imprint ..... 475.00



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- 458 J. C. Ayer & Co., 1c Black, Ty. 2, Pink Paper (RS4h; formerly RS4c). Large margins to ample, completely sound.  
 VERY FINE AND CHOICE. A RARE SOUND EXAMPLE OF THE ONE-CENT TYPE 2 AYER'S ISSUE ON PINK PAPER.  
 Only 22 are recorded in the Aldrich census, of which perhaps half are potentially sound.  
 ..... 2,250.00



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- 459 J. C. Ayer & Co., 4c Blue, Silk Paper, Imperforate (RS10b). Ample even margins all around, bright color on fresh paper, completely sound, Extremely Fine, a beautiful stamp and scarce in such pristine condition ..... 450.00



- 460 **J. C. Ayer & Co., 4c Blue, Watermarked, Imperforate (RS10d).** Large to huge margins including top sheet margin with two different part imprints, including National Bank Note Co., also showing outline of the plate at top, deep rich color, completely sound, Extremely Fine Gem, the finest example of this J.C. Ayer stamp we have offered, only 62 are recorded in the Aldrich census and one would be hard pressed to improve upon this example .... 350.00
- 461 田 **Barham Pile Cure Co., 4c Green, Watermarked (RS14d).** Vertical strip of four with full “Engraved and Printed By The National Bank-Note Co. New York” imprint at left, wide margins and each stamp with choice centering, fresh and Extremely Fine imprint block, Scott Retail as singles ..... 360.00
- 462 **Dr. C. F. Brown, 1c Blue, Old Paper (RS36a).** Rich color on bright paper, small corner crease at bottom right is barely noticeable, still Very Fine and choice, ex Tolman, “Scarsdale” and Inman, with 2012 P.F. certificate ..... 650.00
- 463 **Dr. C. F. Brown, 1c Blue, Old and Watermarked Papers (RS36a, RS36d).** First with rich color, choice centering and margins, faint creases and a hint of soiling at lower left, otherwise Extremely Fine, second with small faint thin spot, Very Fine appearance... (Photo Ex) 750.00
- 464 **Dr. C. F. Brown, 1c Blue, Silk and Watermarked (RS36b, RS36d).** Singles of each, both with rich color, decent margins, the second a particularly tall stamp, tiny thin spot on second, otherwise Very Fine, ex “Scarsdale” ..... 187.50



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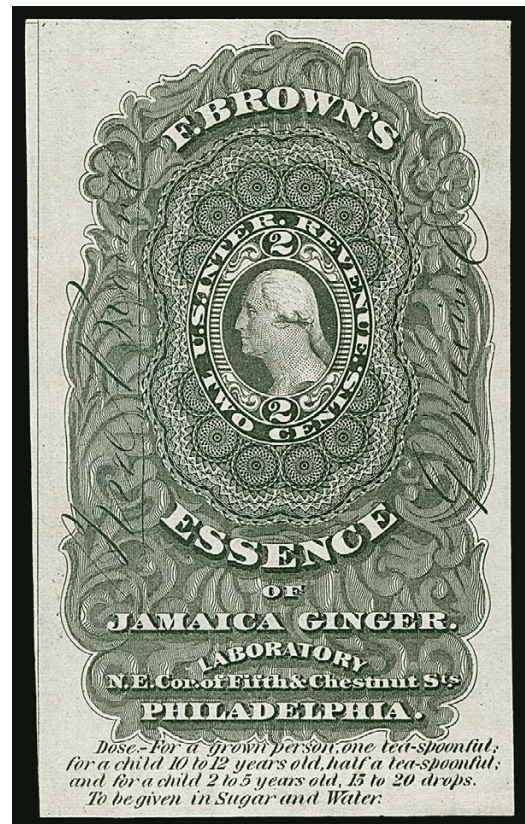
**Fred Brown Co., 2c Black, Die I, Pink Paper (RS37c).** Large margins all around, rich color and proof-like impression on fresh paper

EXTREMELY FINE. AN EXTREMELY RARE SOUND AND LARGE-MARGINED EXAMPLE OF THE 2-CENT FRED BROWN & CO. ISSUE ON PINK PAPER.

Only 16 are recorded in the Aldrich census. This is one of the two or three finest examples we have offered.. 3,750.00

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**Fred Brown Co., 2c Black, Die I, Experimental Silk Paper (RS37e).** Several conspicuous silk fibers, large margins all around, small thin spots at left and right, Extremely Fine appearance, ex "Scarsdale" and Inman, with 2012 P.F. certificate..... 1,500.00



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- 467 **J. S. Burdsal & Co., 1c Black, Orange Wrapper, Watermarked (RS45d).** Three large margins as normally found on this issue, light creases most likely from placement over container

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A SCARCE EXAMPLE OF THE J. S. BURDSAL ISSUE ON WATER-MARKED ORANGE WRAPPER.

Only 22 are recorded in the Aldrich book. We have offered only two others since keeping computerized records.

Ex Inman. Purple backstamp..... 4,000.00



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- 468 **Joseph Burnett & Co., 4c Black, Pink Paper (RS46c).** Wide margins and choice centering, thin spot at bottom, appears Extremely Fine, only 36 are recorded in the Aldrich book ..... 550.00
- 469 **Joseph Burnett & Co., 4c Black, Pink Paper (RS46c).** Full to wide margins, minor internal paper wrinkle on back described on accompanying certificate as "internal paper rift", otherwise Very Fine, only 36 recorded in Aldrich book, ex "Scarsdale" and Inman, with 2009 P.F. certificate ..... 550.00



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**Joseph Burnett & Co., "Burnett's Cologne Water".** Two 144 x 115mm advertising cards, wonderful multi-colored illustrated designs depicting a girl with donkeys and geese, backs with lengthy description of various Burnett's products including "Cocoaine", "Kalliston" and "Cologne Water", Extremely Fine and rare pair of cards .....**(Photo Ex)** E. 300-400



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**J. W. Campion & Co., 4c Black, Silk Paper, Imperforate (RS47b).** Large to huge margins, intense shade and impression, completely sound, Extremely Fine Gem, only 36 are recorded in the Aldrich book, this is the finest example located with Power Search..... 550.00



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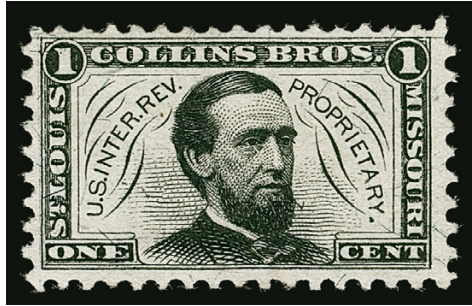
**J. W. Campion & Co., 4c Black, Watermarked, Imperforate (RS47d).** Large to huge margins all around including **part imprint band at left**, intense shade and impression, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp and desirable with the part imprint ..... 425.00

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**J. W. Campion & Co., 4c Black, Watermarked, Die Cut (RS48d).** Attractive ample to large margins, fresh and Very Fine .....**(Photo Ex)** 125.00



- 474 **The Centaur Co., 1c Vermillion, Pink Paper (RS50c).** Jumbo margins top and bottom, wide at sides and outstanding centering, vivid color as fresh as the day it was printed, Extremely Fine Gem, not a rare issue but almost impossible to find in this superb quality..... 72.50
- 475 **The Centaur Co., “Jumbo Feeds Baby Castoria”.** 103 x 76mm advertising card from the Centaur Company, wonderful multicolored design depicting Jumbo and mother, back with testimonial for Centaur Liniment from P.T. Barnum, Extremely Fine and rare, a wonderful collateral item..... E. 200-300
- 476 **Dr. A. W. Chase, Son & Co., 4c Black, Silk Paper (RS55b).** Well-centered within wide margins, fresh and Extremely Fine ..... 300.00
- 477 **Wm. E. Clarke, 3c Blue, Watermarked (RS56d).** Huge margins with absolutely perfect centering, pretty pastel color, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb example of this wonderfully macabre design, one of the stamps from the 1998 “Celebrate the Century” sheets was based on this design (Scott No. 3182f), ex “Scarsdale” ..... 350.00
- 478 **Wm. E. Clarke, 3c Blue, Watermarked (RS56d).** Huge margins and choice centering, rich color, Extremely Fine example of this wonderful and macabre design, one of the stamps from the 1998 “Celebrate the Century” sheets was based on this design (Scott No. 3182f)..... 350.00
- 479 **Wm. E. Clarke, 3c Blue, Watermarked (RS56d).** Huge margins with absolutely perfect centering, deep rich color, tiny thin spot, Extremely Fine Gem appearance, a beautiful example of this wonderful design, one of the stamps from the 1998 “Celebrate the Century” sheets was based on this design (Scott No. 3182f), ex Inman ..... 350.00
- 480 **Wm. E. Clarke, Hunt’s Remedy.** 76 x 76mm multi-colored advertising card for “Hunt’s Remedy: The Great Kidney & Liver Medicine”, with other uses listed at right and a long testimonial on back, the central design is a wonderful macabre image of a man hitting “death” over the head with a bottle of Hunt’s Remedy — as depicted on the Wm. E Clarke RS56d Medicine stamp, Extremely Fine and wonderful collateral item ..... E. 200-300



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**Collins Bros., 1c Black, Silk Paper (RS59b).** Choice centering, proof-like impression

FRESH AND VERY FINE. A SURPRISINGLY DIFFICULT ISSUE TO OBTAIN IN SOUND CONDITION AND WITH ALL FOUR MARGINS NOT TOUCHING THE DESIGN. THIS IS THE FINEST WE HAVE ENCOUNTERED.

Ex Tolman, "Scarsdale" and Inman. With 2012 P.F. certificate..... 1,000.00



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482 **Oliver Crook & Co., 4c Black, Old Paper (RS65a).** Detailed impression, few faults including small tears and thin spots, Very Fine appearance, surprisingly scarce, we have offered only one other since keeping computerized records (none were mentioned in group lots either), the stamp was intended to be broken when the bottle was opened, ex Inman..... 750.00

483 **Oliver Crook & Co., 4c Black, Experimental Silk Paper (RS65e).** Detailed impression, near perfect centering, Extremely Fine example of this wonderful design, small purple backstamp..... 150.00

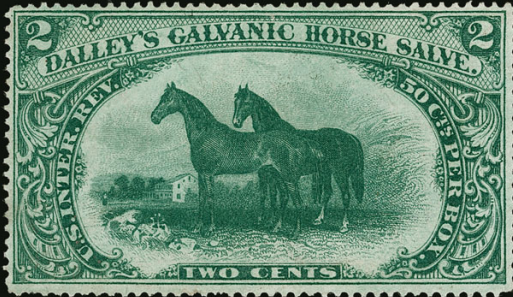
484 **Jeremiah Curtis & Son, 2c Black, Pink Paper (RS68c).** Wide margins and outstanding centering, detailed impression, Extremely Fine Gem, "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" is infamous in the history of 19th Century patent medicine as the "baby killer", it was marketed by Jeremiah Curtis, the son-in-law of pediatric nurse Charlotte N. Winslow and contained a level of morphine which was lethal to infants and even larger children, it has been estimated that thousands of children died or suffered withdrawal after being administered the syrup (see lot 596 for examples of Mrs. Winslow's trade cards) ..... 175.00

485 **Curtis & Brown Mfg. Co., 1c Black, Pink Paper (RS71c).** Extra wide margins and essentially perfect centering, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb example of this diminutive issue, very rare in this exceptional quality..... 275.00

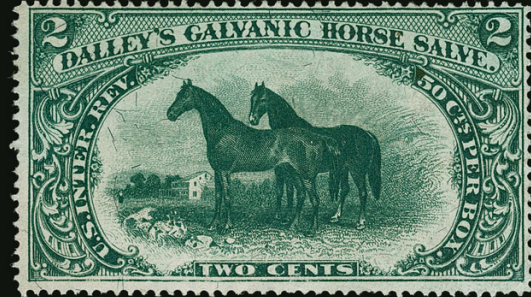


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- 486 ★ **Curtis & Brown Mfg. Co., 2c Black, Watermarked (RS72d).** Original gum, wonderfully choice centering with wide and balanced margins, tiny thin speck at right, still an Extremely Fine Gem, only 24 are recorded in the Aldrich book and at least 16 have faults — many quite severe, this is by far the finest example we have offered in our auctions since keeping computerized records more than 25 years ago ..... 1,750.00



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- 487 **Dalley's Galvanic Horse Salve, 2c Green, Old Paper (RS73a).** Deep rich color, well-balanced margins, single slightly short perf at bottom left, otherwise Very Fine example of this beautiful design, ex "Scarsdale" and Inman, with 2012 P.F. certificate ..... 250.00
- 488 **Dalley's Galvanic Horse Salve, 2c Green, Silk Paper (RS73b).** Ample to wide margins, single nibbed perf at bottom not mentioned on accompanying certificate, fresh and Fine example of this attractive issue, ex "Scarsdale" and Inman, with 2012 P.F. certificate ..... 275.00
- 489 **Dalley's Galvanic Horse Salve, 2c Green, Watermarked (RS73d).** Deep rich color, choice centering, faint corner crease at top right, still fresh and Very Fine, ex Tolman and Inman ..... 325.00
- 490 **Dalley's Galvanic Horse Salve, 2c Green, Watermarked (RS73d).** Bright color, nice centering and margins, tiny perf thin at bottom, Very Fine appearance and better condition than often found ..... 325.00



- 491 **Dalley's Galvanic Horse Salve.** Five beautiful multicolored advertising cards, each 118 x 79mm, four show a range of designs for Dalley's Galvanic Horse Salve, fifth is for Dalley's Magical Pain Extractor, scenes include horses racing and various domestic activities, plus a baby on a mushroom, backs with lengthy descriptions and testimonials, one back has some toning, Extremely Fine group and scarce (see lot 596 for more examples) ..... (Photo Ex) E. 400-500
- 492 **Dalley's Magical Pain Extractor, 1c Black, Old Paper, "\$100" Instead of \$1.00 (RS74ah).** Bright shade, faint natural paper wrinkle, fresh and Very Fine, this is far nicer than most others, which tend to be defective, only 27 are recorded in the Aldrich book of which at least 17 have faults, ex Inman..... 500.00
- 493 **Perry Davis & Son, 1c Blue, Pink Paper (RS75c).** Rich color, choice centering, light horizontal crease, Very Fine appearance, only 31 are recorded in the Aldrich book, ex Himpel and Inman, with 2011 P.F. certificate ..... 400.00



- 494 **Perry Davis & Son, 1c Ultramarine, Old Paper (RS75u).** Rich color in the true Ultramarine shade, choice centering, thinned at right causing tear and short perfs, otherwise Very Fine, ex Bulkley and Inman, with 2012 P.F. certificate..... 1,750.00

- 495 **Perry Davis & Son, 1c Ultramarine, Old Paper (RS75u).** True Ultramarine color, perf flaws and small edge tear, appears Fine, scarce, ex "Scarsdale" ..... 1,750.00
- 496 **B. A. Fahnestock, 1c Lake, Old and Silk Papers (RS84a-RS84b).** First with large margins, bright shade, Very Fine and choice, second with huge margins, light vertical crease at far left, Extremely Fine appearance, the eagle vignette on the Fahnestock and other Match & Medicine issues was used on a number of obsolete bank notes of the period, as well as the U.S. Carrier Issue, Scott LO2 ..... (Photo Ex) 315.00

- 497 ★ **G. G. Green, 3c Black, Watermarked, Tête-Bêche Pair (RS92dh).** Original gum, h.r., wide to clear margins, deep shade and crisp impression, some perf separations, top stamp small thin spots

FINE APPEARANCE. A RARE TÊTE-BÊCHE PAIR OF THE G. G. GREEN MEDICINE ISSUE. ONLY EIGHT ARE RECORDED.

The Aldrich book lists only eight examples, at least one of which is head-to-head. Ex "Scarsdale" and Inman. With 2006 P.F. certificate ..... 2,500.00



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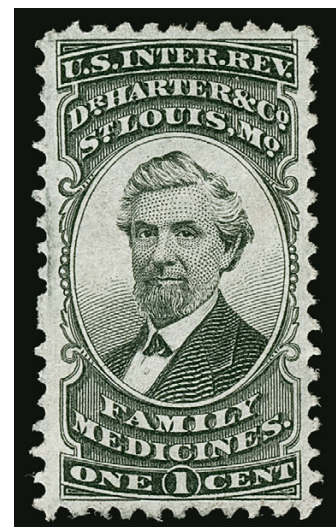
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- 498 **G. G. Green, 3c Black, Watermarked, Rouletted (RS93d).** Well-centered with wide margins, thin spot at bottom, appears Extremely Fine ..... 250.00

- 499 **Dr. Harter & Co., 1c Black, Experimental Silk Paper (RS97e).** Showing several blue silk fibers, crisp impression, unpunched perf at left, perf expertly reattached at bottom right

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. AN EXTREMELY RARE EXAMPLE OF THE DR. HARTER & CO. ON EXPERIMENTAL SILK PAPER. THIS IS THE ONLY EXAMPLE WE HAVE OFFERED SINCE KEEPING COMPUTERIZED RECORDS.

Ex Inman, who acquired the stamp privately from a collection formed decades ago..... 3,500.00



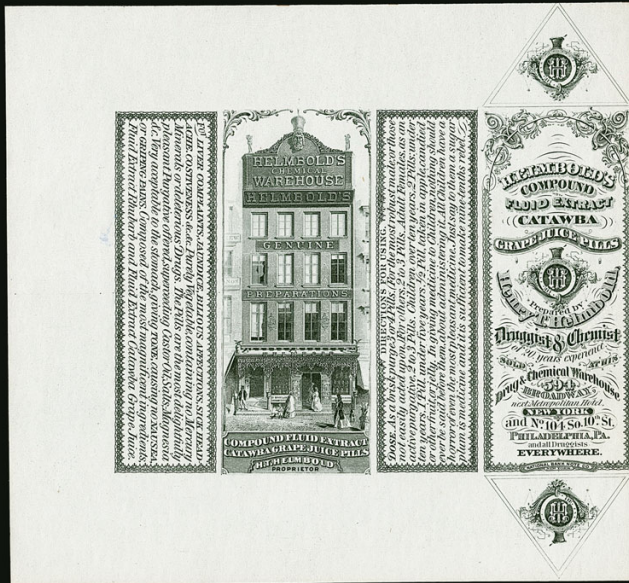
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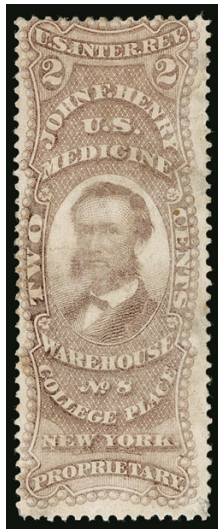


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- 500 **S. B. Hartman & Co., 4c Black, Old Paper (RS99a).** Detailed impression, bright shade, few light wrinkles or creases as normally seen on this issue, short perf at top left, Very Fine appearance, only 26 are recorded in the Aldrich book, most of which are off center and faulty ..... 2,250.00
- 501 **Dr. S. B. Hartman & Co., 6c Black, Old Paper (RS100a).** Intense shade and impression, flaws including internal tears and thins, appears Fine, only 33 recorded in Aldrich book, ex "Scarsdale" ..... 1,000.00
- 502 **E. T. Hazeltine, 4c Black, Old Paper (RS103a).** Detailed impression, faint crease ending in tiny thin spot at upper left, Fine and attractive, only 28 recorded in the Aldrich book ..... 1,000.00
- 503 **A. L. Helmbold's, 2c Blue, Pink Paper (RS110c).** Gorgeous centering with wide and balanced margins, rich color on deep Pink paper, completely sound, Extremely Fine Gem, a phenomenal condition rarity, accompanied by an original Helmbold wrapper with advertising for their "Catawba Grape Juice Pills" and with an ornate illustration of their building in Philadelphia, also fresh and Extremely Fine ..... 500.00
- 504 **A. L. Helmbold's, 4c Black, Silk and Pink Papers (RS111b-RS111c).** First with **original gum**, huge margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 1987 P.F. certificate, second also with choice centering, thin spot at bottom, appears Extremely Fine ..... (Photo Ex) 330.00



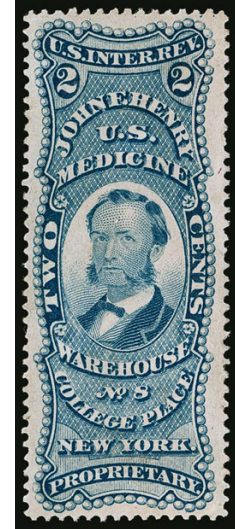
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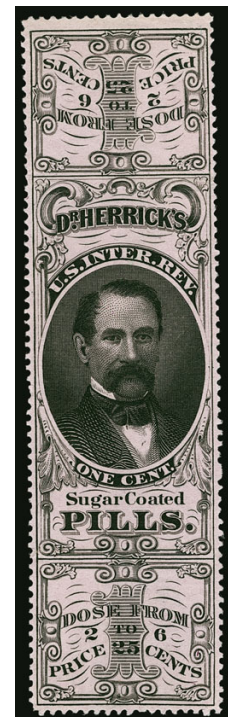
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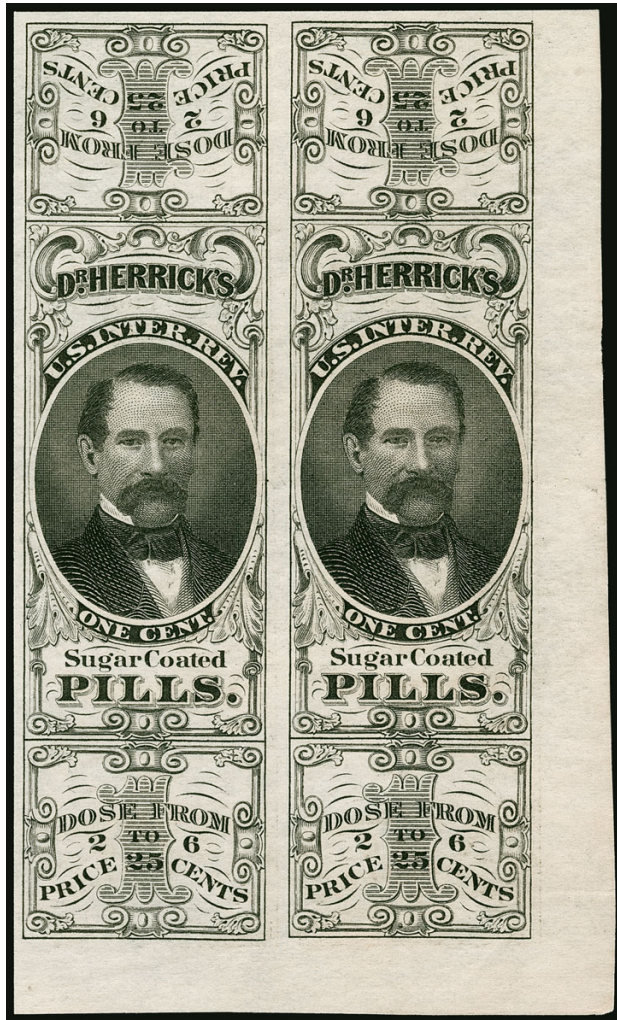
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- 505 **John F. Henry, 2c Violet, Old Paper (RS112a).** Bright color, thinning and small pinhole, appears Fine, scarce with only 34 recorded in Aldrich book, of which at least 25 are faulty, ex "Scarsdale" ..... 900.00
- 506 **John F. Henry, 4c Bister, Old Paper (RS113a).** Attractive margins, rich color, thinned and light crease, appears Very Fine, a rare example of this issue with only 20 recorded in Aldrich book, ex "Scarsdale" ..... 2,100.00
- 507 **John F. Henry, 1c Black, Pink Paper, 4c Red, Old and Silk Papers (RS114c, RS116a-RS116b).** All three with wide margins and exceptionally fresh, Extremely Fine, RS114c is particularly choice and an Extremely Fine Gem, none of these are rare but are quite elusive in this quality ..... (Photo Ex) 216.75
- 508 **John F. Henry, 2c Blue, Pink Paper (RS115c).** Gorgeous wide margins and choice centering, deep rich color, inconsequential light corner crease at bottom right, Extremely Fine, a lovely stamp, ex "Scarsdale" ..... 160.00

- 509 **Herrick's Pills, 1c Black, Pink Paper (RS117c).** Fresh color, choice margins and centering, couple small areas of minor paper wrinkling, Very Fine, ex "Scarsdale" ..... 160.00



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**Herrick's Pills, 1c Black, Old Paper, Imperforate Pair (RS117i).** Large to huge margins including **bottom right corner sheet margins**, faint creases are barely noticeable

EXTREMELY FINE APPEARANCE. A RARE POSITION PAIR OF THE IMPERFORATE ONE-CENT HERRICK'S PILLS ON OLD PAPER.

The Joyce collection contained a complete sheet of 30, which is the only known source of this variety. Ex Tolman and Inman. . 3,000.00

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**Herrick's Pills & Plasters, 1c Red, Experimental Silk Paper (RS118e).** Neat "H. F. M. Mch 1-71" precancel, vibrant color, several clearly evident blue silk fibers, few perf flaws including clipped at top left

FINE AND RARE. THIS IS THE ONLY EXAMPLE WE HAVE OFFERED SINCE KEEPING COMPUTERIZED RECORDS.

Ex Inman..... 3,000.00

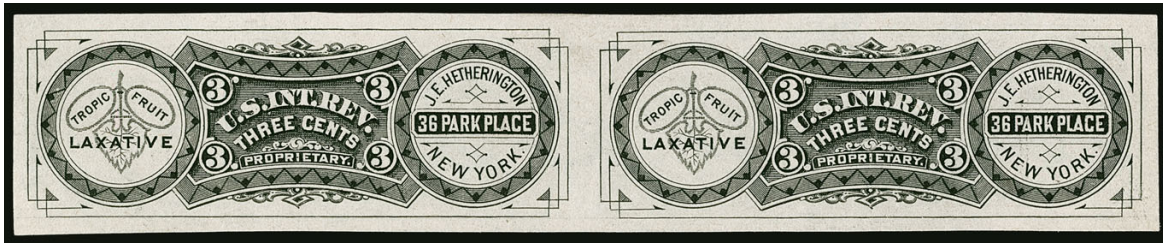


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- 512 ★ **J. E. Hetherington, 2c Black, Watermarked (RS120d). Original gum, small h.r., intense shade and impression, choice centering with well-balanced margins, Extremely Fine, only 36 are recorded in the Aldrich book and this is easily the finest example we have encountered, especially desirable with the full original gum** ..... 725.00



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- 513 **J. E. Hetherington, 3c Black, Watermarked, Imperforate Pair (RS121di). Large margins all around, crisp impression on fresh paper, completely sound**

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A SUPERB AND THE ONLY SOUND EXAMPLE OF THE J.E. HETHERINGTON 3-CENT IMPERFORATE PAIR WE HAVE OFFERED IN AT LEAST THE LAST 25 YEARS.

This attractive design for "Tropic Fruit Laxative" is very scarce as an imperforate pair. Since keeping computerized records in 1993, we have offered only four other pairs and each had a small fault. Only 23 are recorded in the Aldrich book and this is one of the finest extant. .... 2,250.00



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- 514 **Holloway's Pills and Ointment, 1c Blue, Old Paper (RS125a). Large margin at top, clear to just touching other sides, fresh and Fine, only 43 are recorded in Aldrich book, ex "Scarsdale"** ..... 750.00



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- 515 **The Home Bitters Co., 2c Blue, Watermarked (RS128d).** Wide margins and exceptionally well-centered, rich color, light vertical crease at center and tiny thin spot, Extremely Fine appearing example of this beautiful design, easily the finest we have offered in terms of centering and margins, we have only offered one sound example — back in 1993 ..... 250.00



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- 516 **The Home Bitters Co., 3c Green, Silk Paper (RS129b).** Wide margins and outstanding centering, deep rich color, Extremely Fine Gem, a beautiful stamp, this is not a particularly rare issue but this and other large-format stamps are very rarely encountered in sound condition with wide margins and Extremely Fine centering ..... 110.00



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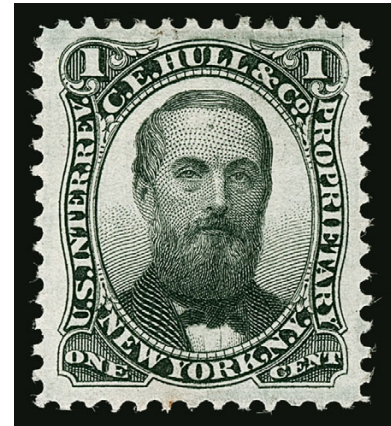
- 517 **The Home Bitters Co., 3c Green, Pink Paper (RS129c).** Wide margins and choice centering, deep rich color on fresh Pink paper, Extremely Fine, like the silk paper stamp offered in the previous lot, this is not a particularly rare issue but this and other large-format stamps are very rarely encountered in sound condition with wide margins and Extremely Fine centering ..... 175.00



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- 518 **Hostetter & Smith, 4c Black, Pink Paper (RS132c).** Large margins all around, detailed impression, couple small shallow thin spots and light vertical crease, appears Extremely Fine ..... 110.00

- 519 **C. E. Hull & Co., 1c Black, Old Paper (RS138a).** Choice centering with wide margins, intense shade and impression, completely sound, Extremely Fine, ex Bulkley and Inman, with 2012 P.F. certificate..... 325.00



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- 520 **T. J. Husband, 2c Violet, Old Paper (RS139a).** Ample to huge margins including **right sheet margin**, wonderful depth of color, completely sound

VERY FINE AND CHOICE. THIS IS THE ONLY SOUND EXAMPLE OF THE T. J. HUSBAND 2-CENT VIOLET PROPRIETARY ISSUE WE HAVE OFFERED IN AT LEAST 25 YEARS.

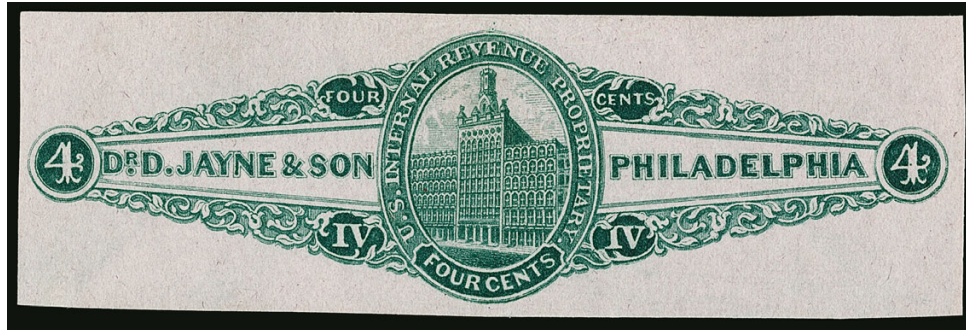
This is a very scarce issue, with only 25 recorded in the Aldrich book. He lists 16 as faulty but we suspect the number is higher than that as this is the only sound example we have encountered since keeping computerized records in 1993. Not only is it the only sound example we have offered, it also has the best overall margins (and the only sheet margin) of any example we have seen — an exceptional stamp which would be difficult to improve upon.

With 1986 P.F. certificate..... 2,500.00



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- 521 **D. Jayne & Son, 1c Blue, Watermarked, Imperforate (RS144d).** Large margins, rich color, Very Fine and choice and scarce in sound condition, only 40 examples are recorded in the Aldrich book, of which at least half have faults, we have offered only one other completely sound example since 1993 so we suspect the number of faulty stamps is much higher than half..... 600.00



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- 522 **Dr. D. Jayne & Son, 4c Green, Pink Paper, Imperforate (RS146c).** Large margins, deep rich color on fresh Pink paper, Extremely Fine, a beautiful sound example of this scarce stamp, only 28 are recorded in the Aldrich book, this is one of the finest we have encountered ..... 1,500.00



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- 523 **Dr. D. Jayne & Son, 4c Green, Watermarked, Imperforate (RS146d).** Large margins all around, rich color, small thin spot at center, appears Extremely Fine, only 52 are recorded in the Aldrich book and most have varying degrees of faults ..... 650.00



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- 524 **D. Kennedy, 2c Green, Experimental Silk Paper (RS155e).** Gorgeous color, clear short silk fibers, attractive margins

VERY FINE. AN EXTREMELY RARE SOUND EXAMPLE OF THE DR. KENNEDY 2-CENT GREEN ISSUE ON EXPERIMENTAL SILK PAPER.

This is the only example we have offered in any condition since keeping computerized records. None was offered in the Joyce sale.

Ex "Scarsdale" and Inman. With 2009 P.F. certificate ..... 3,500.00



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- 525 **Jacob Lippman & Brother, 4c Blue, Old Paper (RS163a).** Rich color, defective, still a presentable example of this rarity, only 22 recorded in the Aldrich book..... 2,000.00
- 526 **Alvah Littlefield, 4c Green, Old Paper (RS165a).** Rich color, thinning at top and minor perf flaws at bottom, about Fine, a scarce stamp which is almost always faulty, the Aldrich census records only 21 copies, ex "Scarsdale" ..... 2,000.00
- 527 **S. Mansfield & Co., 1c Blue, Silk Paper, Block of Four, Imperforate Between (RS154bj).** Choice centering, rich color, faint thin spot at bottom right, Very Fine appearance, undercatalogued in Scott which prices a pair imperforate between at \$300.00 ..... 500.00
- 528 ★ **S. Mansfield & Co., 1c Blue, Pink Paper, Pair, Imperforate Between (RS174ci).** Original gum, small h.r., outstanding wide margins and precise centering, deep rich color on fresh paper, completely sound, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb example of this imperforate between S. Mansfield issue and the finest we have encountered, a Power Search review found more than 30 examples on either Silk, Pink or Watermarked paper (both pairs and blocks) and none approach the margins and centering of this example, only 23 of this variety are recorded in the Aldrich book, 1994 P.F. certificate as the old RS174k..... 750.00
- 529 田 **S. Mansfield & Co., 1c Blue, Pink Paper, Block of Four, Imperforate Between (RS174cj).** Rich color, bottom left stamp thin in margin at left, Fine-Very Fine appearance, ex Bulkley, with 2012 P.F. certificate ..... 750.00

**MERCADO & SEULLY**  
**SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA**

Felix Mercado and Firmin Seully were partners in a wine distributing firm in San Francisco. In 1860 they approached the winemaker Sainsevain Brothers with a proposal to sell wine bitters made from Sainsevain wine. In March 1861 they marketed the new product under the name "Sainsevain," to which they received exclusive rights. To make their wine bitters, they hired G. A. Simon, who had 17 years experience producing wine and wine bitters. Shortly after, Simon and Mercado & Seully got into a dispute over who had claim to Sainsevain's California Wine Bitters, and Simon left the company in 1863 to launch his own California Wine Bitters under his name. Mercado & Seully continued to market their wine bitters until Pierre Sainsevain started selling his own California Wine Bitters in San Jose. Mercado & Seully then placed their own name upon this California Wine Bitters. In February 1868 Mercado & Seully dissolved their partnership and Mercado & Co was formed in October at the same address.



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**Mercado & Seully, 2c Black, Old Paper (RS177a).** Large margins all around, intense shade, two or three very small and shallow thin spots but free of the more severe faults from which nearly all examples of this rarity suffer

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A BEAUTIFUL EXAMPLE OF THE RARE 2-CENT MERCADO AND SEULLY PRIVATE DIE PROPRIETARY ISSUE. ONLY FIFTEEN EXAMPLES OF THIS ISSUE FROM THIS SAN FRANCISCO PRODUCER ARE KNOWN AND THIS IS ONE OF THE FINEST.

The Aldrich book records 15 copies of this rarity, of which five are stated to be sound. We have never offered a sound example so we suspect that number is actually lower than five. Many examples have severe faults including repairs, holes, stains or large tears. The stamp offered here, with only small thin spots that are not obvious except in fluid, is a true condition rarity. This stamp was designed to be affixed over the cork and down the neck of bottles of Sainsevain's Bitters so it is easy to see why most would have been destroyed and survivors would be typically faulty. It is only known on old paper. .... 7,500.00

**MERCADO & SEULLY.**

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Sainsevain's Superior Angelica Wine,	Sainsevain's California Wine Bitters,
Sainsevain's Claret Wine,	Sainsevain's Sparkling Champagne.

**506 and 508 Jackson Street, near Montgomery.**

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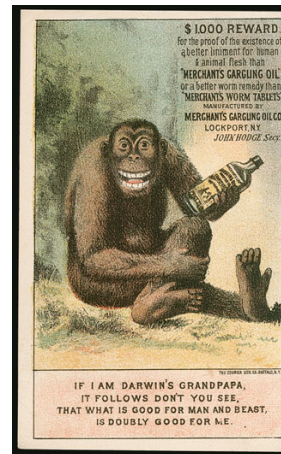
- 531 **Merchant's Gargling Oil, 1c Black, Experimental Silk Paper (RS178e).** Wide margins to in at right, tiny thin at top right, Fine and extremely rare, only 12 are recorded in Aldrich book with at least half faulty, the example offered here is in better condition than most and has centering similar to most of the others we have sold, ex "Scarsdale", with 2008 P.F. certificate ..... 3,250.00



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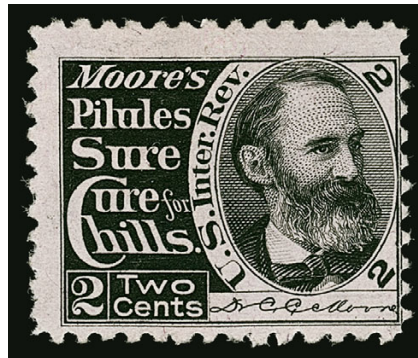


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- 532 **Merchant's Gargling Oil, 2c Green, Pink Paper (RS179c).** Wide margins to in at right, faulty with tears and thins, still presentable, a rare stamp missing from most advanced collections, only 20 are recorded in the Aldrich census, ex "Scarsdale"..... 1,500.00
- 533 **Merchant's Gargling Oil, "Darwin's Grandpa".** 80 x 131mm advertising card with a wonderful multicolored satirical design depicting an ape with a bottle of Merchant's Gargling Oil and the caption "I am Darwin's Grandpa, it follows don't you see, that what is good for man and beast, is doubly good for me", back with different advertisement for Koch & Brown's Post Office News Room, Very Fine, an outstanding design.. E. 200-300
- 534 **Mette & Kanne, 3c Black, Watermarked (RS180d).** Wide and nicely balanced margins, light vertical crease at left, appears Very Fine..... 400.00
- 535 **Moody, Michel & Co., 4c Black, Silk Paper (RS182b).** Choice large margins all around, crisp impression, small thin spot at center, appears Extremely Fine..... 200.00

DR. CHARLES C. MOORE  
LOCKPORT, NEW YORK

Dr. Charles C. Moore introduced his Throat and Lung Lozenges in 1867. The first private die stamp was ordered in 1877. It was last issued on December 8, 1881. 704,150 of the stamps were printed, on Silk, Pink and Watermarked papers. The Pink paper stamps are by far the rarest.



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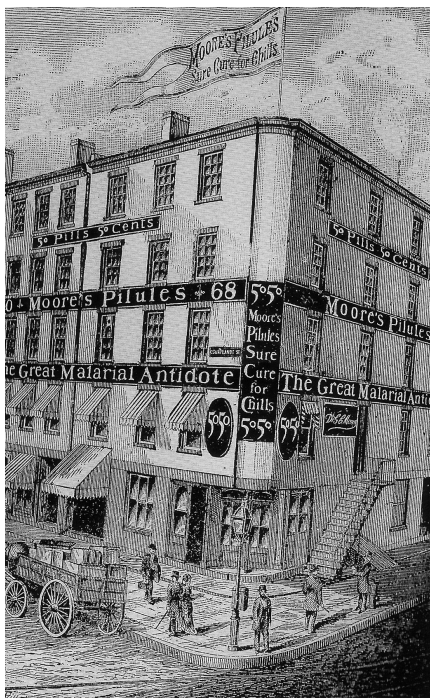
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**Dr. C. C. Moore, 2c Black, Pink Paper (RS184c).** Detailed impression on deep Pink paper, completely sound

FRESH AND FINE. AN EXTREMELY RARE SOUND EXAMPLE OF THE 2-CENT DR. C. C. MOORE ISSUE ON PINK PAPER. AN OUTSTANDING PRIVATE DIE MEDICINE RARITY.

Only seven examples of Dr. Moore's 2c on Pink Paper are recorded in the Aldrich book, of which four are reported as sound.

Ex Bulkley. With 2012 P.F. certificate..... 17,500.00



*Dr. C. C. Moore  
New York, Dear Sir, I  
enclose (30) fifty cents, in stamps,  
for which, please send me  
some of your "cough lozenges"  
They are the best things I  
ever tried for coughs & colds &  
I don't want to be out of them.  
I have addressed  
Aug. 30th 880 Mary McQueen  
Benton Co. East Point, Ga.*

"Church Extension Lozenges." Chaplain McCabe.  
"Invaluable to me." Hon. S. S. Cox.  
"Superior to any I ever used."  
"I recommend them as the best." (Judge) W. R. Beebe.  
(Rev.) W. H. Boole.  
"They greatly benefited me." H. Boehm.  
Superior to all others, in coughs, colds and sore  
throat, or Bronchitis.  
Dr. C. C. Moore, 68 Cortlandt St., N. Y.

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A positive Malarial Antidote. The safest, most  
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Sold by Druggists. 50 cts. per box, 50 Pilules.  
Dr. C. C. Moore, 68 Cortlandt St., N. Y.



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- 537 **Morehead's, 4c Black, Old Paper (RS186a).** Repaired and some light staining (nearly all examples are quite faulty), rare with only 17 recorded in Aldrich book, with 2013 P.F. certificate..... 4,500.00



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- 538 **R. V. Pierce, 1c Green, Pink Paper (RS189c).** Well-centered, rich color, small tear at top, Very Fine appearance, ex "Scarsdale"..... 200.00
- 539 **D. Ransom, Son & Co., 2c Black, Pink Paper (RS197c).** Massive Jumbo margins, intense shade on bright Pink paper, Extremely Fine, very scarce in this quality..... 82.50



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- 540 **Ring's Vegetable Ambrosia, 2c Blue, Silk Paper, Imperforate (RS199b).** Large even margins, deep rich color, completely sound

EXTREMELY FINE. A FRESH AND BEAUTIFUL EXAMPLE OF THE RING'S VEGETABLE AMBROSIA 2-CENT ON SILK PAPER.

Only 20 examples are recorded in the Aldrich census..... 3,750.00



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**Ring's Vegetable Ambrosia, 4c Black, Old Paper, Imperforate (RS200a).** Large even margins, detailed impression, few shallow thins

EXTREMELY FINE APPEARING EXAMPLE OF THE RARE IMPERFORATE 4-CENT BLACK RING'S VEGETABLE AMBROSIA ON OLD PAPER. ONLY NINE ARE RECORDED.

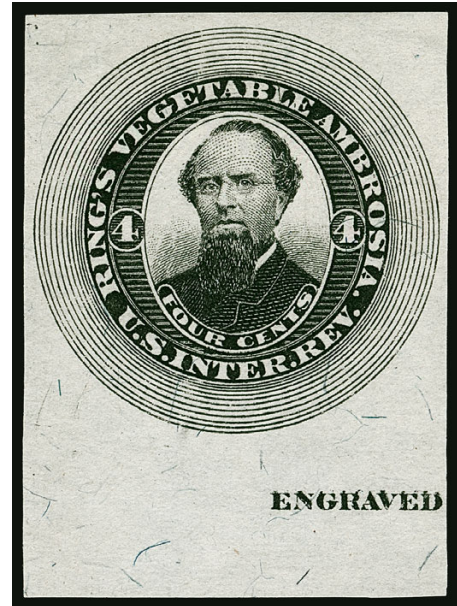
Nine examples are recorded in the Aldrich book. The book also notes that five are sound, but we doubt that as every copy we have encountered has thin spots, including both Joyce copies, the Lilly copy, the Tolman copy, the Inman copy and one in a 1953 Harmer's sale. The P.F. has only certified two examples — one with thin spots and one seriously defective. .... 5,500.00

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**Ring's Vegetable Ambrosia, 4c Black, Silk Paper, Imperforate (RS200b).** Ample to huge margins including "Engraved" part imprint in bottom sheet margin, intense shade and impression, completely sound

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. ONE OF THE FINEST EXAMPLES EXTANT OF THE RARE 4-CENT RING'S VEGETABLE AMBROSIA ON SILK PAPER, AND THE ONLY EXAMPLE WE HAVE ENCOUNTERED WITH PART OF THE IMPRINT.

Only ten examples of this rarity are recorded in the Aldrich book, about half of which are reported to be sound. A review of the Philatelic Foundation records and Power Search failed to find another example with part of the imprint ..... 5,500.00



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**Ring's Vegetable Ambrosia, 4c Black, Silk Paper, Perforated (RS203b).** Original gum, pretty shade, well-centered

VERY FINE AND CHOICE. A BEAUTIFUL SOUND, ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE RING'S VEGETABLE AMBROSIA 4-CENT PERFORATED ON SILK PAPER.

Only 24 are recorded in the Aldrich book. It is unknown how many retain their original gum, but several we have encountered do not have gum and are faulty.

With 1980 P.F. certificate ..... 2,000.00

- 544 ★ **Ring's Vegetable Ambrosia, 4c Black, Silk Paper, Part Perforated (RS203bp).** Original gum, h.r., intense shade and impression, choice centering, tiny hinge thin speck

EXTREMELY FINE APPEARING ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE RING'S 4-CENT PART-PERFORATED ISSUE ON SILK PAPER.

Only 15 are recorded in the Aldrich book, which does not note how many are known with original gum. We have offered only one other since keeping computerized records. Ex Weill Brothers Stock (Oct. 1990 Christie's sale) and Inman. With 2018 P.F. certificate..... 3,750.00



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**Ring's Vegetable Ambrosia, 4c Black, Watermarked, Perforated (RS203d).** Detailed impression, small thins at top are barely noticeable, some lightened manuscript on back (not noted on certificate), Very Fine appearance and rare, only 13 are recorded in the Aldrich book and less than half are reported to be sound, ex Inman, with 2018 P.F. certificate..... 2,750.00

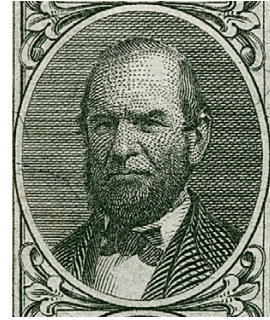


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- 546 **M., P. J. & H. M. Sands, 2c Green, Pink Paper (RS209c).** Outstanding centering and margins, rich color, fresh in every respect, Extremely Fine, not a particularly rare stamp but very scarce in this quality..... 125.00

## JACOB SCHEETZ'S CELEBRATED BITTER CORDIAL PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA

Jacob Scheetz is listed in the 1870 Philadelphia business directory as the sole proprietor and manufacturer of Scheetz's Celebrated Bitter Cordial. The firm was located on the northwest corner of 5th and Race Street. By 1876 the address changed to 200 North and 5th Street. By 1877 the firm's name was changed to J. S. Johnston & Co.



Jacob Scheetz



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547 **Scheetz's Celebrated Bitter Cordial, 4c Black, Imperforate (RS211b).** Large even margins, intense shade and impression, completely sound

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. AN EXCEPTIONALLY RARE SOUND, LARGE-MARGINED EXAMPLE OF THE SCHEETZ'S 4-CENT IMPERFORATE ISSUE. EASILY ONE OF THE FINEST OF THE FEWER THAN TEN KNOWN.

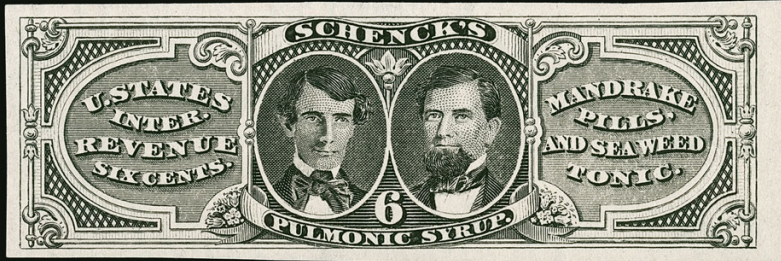
Of the nine examples recorded in the Aldrich census, at least four (and probably more) have faults. This is the first sound example we have offered and is without doubt one of the finest if not the finest extant..... 8,000.00



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**DR. JACOB SCHEETZ**, proprietor of Scheetz's Bitter Cordial, called on us to-day. He is in excellent health and spirits, which is no doubt in part owing to the excellent qualities of his Cordial. Doctor Scheetz says that the demand for his Cordial is increasing daily. For particulars see advertisement in **READING ADLER**.

*Reading Eagle*, Jan 28, 1869 (Google News Archive)



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- 548 **Schenck's Mandrake Pills, 1c Green, Pink Paper, Schenck's Pulmonic Syrup, 6c Black, Watermarked Paper (RS212c, RS213d).** Both with ample to large margins, 1c Very Fine and choice, 6c Extremely Fine, also accompanied by a Schenck's label on "old" paper which exactly matches the size and design of the 1c Green stamp except for the lack of the U.S. Internal Revenue label (which was required in order for these private die proprietary stamps to be valid for revenue use), a wonderful trio, Scott Retail for just the two stamps .....(Photo Ex) 325.00
- 549 **J. E. Schwartz & Co., 1c Lake, Silk Paper (RS215b).** Huge Jumbo margins all around, vibrant color on fresh paper, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp and scarce in this wonderful quality, the eagle vignette on the J.E. Schwartz and other Match & Medicine issues was used on a number of obsolete bank notes of the period, as well as the U.S. Carrier Issue, Scott LO2..... 160.00
- 550 **J. E. Schwartz & Co., 1c Lake, Watermarked (RS215d).** Horizontal pair with complete "Printed by the National Bank Note Co. New York" imprint at top, also showing monogram at top right, deep rich color, a couple small thin spots and a light vertical crease do not detract from its Extremely Fine appearance, a desirable position piece, the eagle vignette on the J.E. Schwartz and other Match & Medicine issues was used on a number of obsolete bank notes of the period, as well as the U.S. Carrier Issue, Scott LO2, Scott Retail as singles without premium for the imprint ..... 250.00
- 551 **A. L. Scovill & Co., 4c Green, Experimental Silk Paper (RS221e).** Few short blue silk fibers, brilliant color, fresh and Very Fine, a lovely sound example of this scarce experimental silk paper issue, ex "Scarsdale" and Inman, with 2007 P.F. certificate, undercatalogued in Scott ..... 190.00
- 552 **Dr. M. A. Simmons, Iuka Miss., 1c Black, Silk Paper (RS223b).** Massive margins, deep shade and crisp impression, Very Fine and choice, a huge stamp ..... 125.00

**DR. MILES A. SIMMONS  
IUKA, MISSISSIPPI, AND ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI**

Dr. Miles Alexander Simmons (ca 1820-1901) started practicing medicine in Georgia in 1840 and sold "Simmons Liver Medicine" from a cart-mounted five-gallon keg. Dr. Simmons moved to Mississippi in 1842 and was involved in newspaper publishing. In 1850, B. S. Kenyon bought the *Iuka Reporter* from Dr. Simmons (<http://msgw.org/tishomingo/newspapers.html>).

Dr. Simmons began production of "Dr. M. A. Simmons Vegetable Liver Medicine" around 1875 in Iuka. He moved to St. Louis in 1878 and sold the business shortly after to his son, Calvin F. Simmons, who continued to produce and sell the products at the C. F. Simmons Medicine Company in St. Louis. The firm also manufactured "Dr. Simmons' Squaw Vine Wine." The "Iuka, Miss." private die stamp, depicting Dr. Simmons, was issued from December 1875 through December 1879. A new die with "St. Louis, Mo." was prepared, and stamps from the new plate were issued from January 1879 through November 25, 1881.



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553 ★ **Dr. M. A. Simmons, Iuka Miss., 1c Black, Watermarked (RS223d).** Traces of original gum, intense shade and detailed impression, typical centering for this difficult issue, completely sound

FINE. ONLY SIX EXAMPLES OF THE SIMMONS IUKA ISSUE ON WATERMARKED PAPER ARE RECORDED, AND ONLY THREE ARE SOUND. ONE OF THE GREAT PRIVATE DIE MEDICINE STAMP RARITIES.

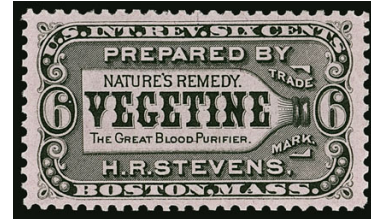
The Dr. Simmons stamps were originally engraved and printed with the Iuka inscription. After the firm moved to St. Louis, the inscription was changed. The "Iuka" stamps were normally printed on silk paper, and the "St. Louis" stamps on Bureau watermarked paper. The "Iuka" on watermarked paper is a great rarity. Richard Friedberg offers the theory that the first supply delivered by the Bureau was printed with the "Iuka" inscription, and that Simmons returned the stamps with a request to change the address to St. Louis.

The Aldrich book records six examples, of which three are potentially sound. We have offered only one other since keeping computerized records — the ex-Lilly, Tolman and "Scarsdale" copy — with similar centering and top left corner sheet selvage. The 1991 Joyce sale had one, with similar centering and a thin spot. We have been unable to locate any others in the past several decades of auctions.

Ex Joyce and Inman. With 1993 P.F. certificate ..... 14,000.00

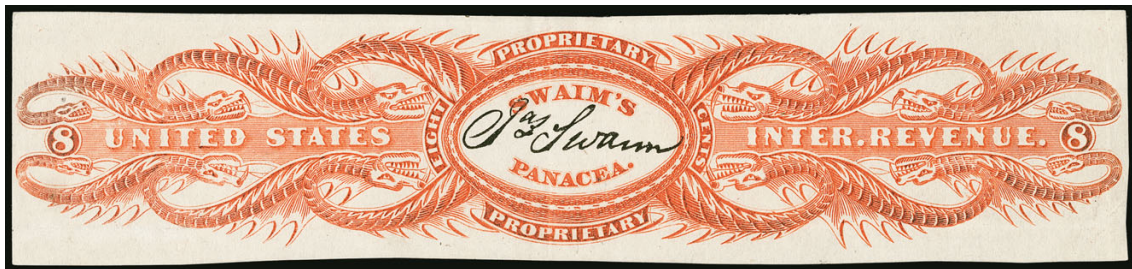


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- 554 **S. N. Smith & Co., 4c Black, Silk and Watermarked Papers (RS225b, RS225d).** Brilliant shades and wide balanced margins, Extremely Fine, while this issue has relatively low catalogue value, these beautiful designs are challenging to find in this choice quality, ex "Scarsdale" .....(Photo Ex) 110.00
- 555 **H. R. Stevens, 6c Black, Pink Paper (RS230c).** Choice centering with wide margins, intense shade and impression, Extremely Fine Gem ..... 125.00



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- 556 **James Swaim, 8c Orange, Old Paper, Imperforate (RS232a).** Huge margins top and bottom, ample at sides, radiant color, vertical crease at center and light horizontal crease at bottom
- VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A RARE AND CHOICE EXAMPLE OF THE 8-CENT JAMES SWAIM IMPERFORATE ISSUE ON OLD PAPER. ONLY 14 ARE RECORDED.
- A small supply was issued in imperforate form. The Aldrich book records 14 copies and notes half are sound, but we have been unable to locate any without at least a crease, and several we have offered had thins as well. .... 3,000.00



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- 557 **William Swaim, 8c Orange, Watermarked, Imperforate (RS234d).** Huge margins all around, vivid color on fresh paper
- EXTREMELY FINE GEM. THIS IS THE ONLY SOUND EXAMPLE OF THE SCARCE WILLIAM SWAIM 8-CENT ORANGE WATERMARKED IMPERFORATE ISSUE WE HAVE OFFERED IN AT LEAST 25 YEARS.
- Only 35 examples are recorded in the Aldrich book, which notes that more than half are sound. We doubt that figure as every example we have offered since keeping computerized records has had a crease, thin or a combination of the two. This fresh large-margined example is surely one of the finest extant..... 2,600.00



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**Dr. G. W. Swett, 4c Green, Silk Paper, Perforated (RS237b).** Choice centering with balanced margins, rich color, Extremely Fine example of this wonderful design, which depicts a woman hugging a deer beneath pine trees, easily one of the finest we have ever offered as many have faults or are off-center.. 250.00

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**United States Proprietary Medicine Co., 1c Black on Orange Wrapper, Silk Paper (RS247b).** Trimmed to design size, rich color on distinctly orange paper, some toning appears to be caused by gum residue

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A RARE EXAMPLE OF THE ONE-CENT SILK PAPER BLACK ON ORANGE WRAPPER. ONLY FOUR ARE RECORDED. ONE OF THE GREAT RARITIES OF MEDICINE ISSUES.

The Aldrich book records only four examples, all of which are faulty..... 7,000.00



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**United States Proprietary Medicine Co., 1c Black on Orange Red Wrapper, Old Paper (RS248a).** Three large margins, just in at left, usual creases and thin spots associated with these issues

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A DESIRABLE AND RARE EXAMPLE OF THE ONE-CENT UNITED STATES PROPRIETARY MEDICINE COMPANY ISSUE ON ORANGE RED WRAPPER.

Only 16 are recorded in the Aldrich book, of which 10 are reported as faulty. Given the nature of this paper, its size and use, we would be surprised if there are any examples that are completely sound.

Ex Tolman and "Scarsdale"..... 3,500.00

ONE OF THREE RECORDED EXAMPLES OF THE  
ONE-CENT BLACK ON ORANGE RED SILK WRAPPER



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561 **United States Proprietary Medicine Co., 1c Black on Orange Red Wrapper, Silk Paper (RS248b).** Clear impression, deep paper shade, large even margins three sides to full at left, light creases and wrinkles, tiny thin spots and light soiling

FINE APPEARANCE. THE ONE-CENT UNITED STATES PROPRIETARY MEDICINE COMPANY ISSUE ON ORANGE RED SILK PAPER IS ONE OF THE RAREST OF ALL PRIVATE DIE MEDICINE STAMPS.

Only three are recorded in the Aldrich census, making this the rarest of the U.S. Proprietary Medicine Co. wrappers. Of the three, one is reported as sound, though with the nature of this paper we would be surprised if any are truly sound.

Ex Joyce, Tolman and "Scarsdale". With 2006 P.F. certificate..... 10,000.00

**U. S. PROPRIETARY MEDICINE COMPANY,**

Nos. 56 and 58 East Third Street, CINCINNATI, O.



The above is a Cut of the Manufactory of the Celebrated

**ROBACK'S STOMACH BITTERS, BLOOD PILLS, AND BLOOD PURIFIER.**

Also, Wholesale Liquor Dealers and Distillers of Cider and Brandy.

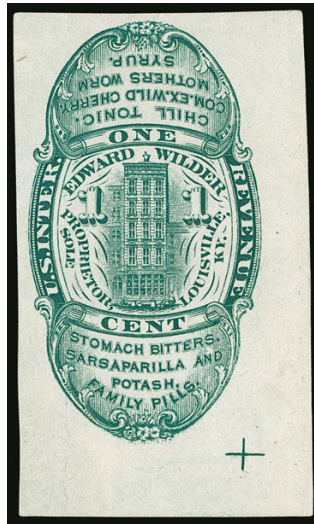


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- 562 ★ **West India Manufacturing Co., 4c Black, Die I, Pink Paper (RS264c).** Original gum, h.r., well-centered with wide margins, intense shade and impression, Very Fine and choice, scarce with original gum ..... 400.00



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- 563 **Edward Wilder, 1c Green, Silk Paper, Imperforate (RS265b).** Large margins, intense shade and impression, Very Fine and choice ..... 325.00
- 564 **Edward Wilder, 1c Green, Watermarked, Imperforate (RS265d).** Large to huge margins including sheet margin at bottom with "+" marker, lovely color and impression, light vertical creases, Extremely Fine appearance, only 35 are recorded in the Aldrich book and less than half are reported to be sound, however we question that as we have never offered a sound copy since keeping computerized records..... 325.00
- 565 **Edward Wilder, 4c Lake, Silk Paper, Imperforate (RS268b).** Large margins all around, rich color, fresh, Extremely Fine Gem, a beautiful stamp, 47 are recorded in the Aldrich book ..... 275.00

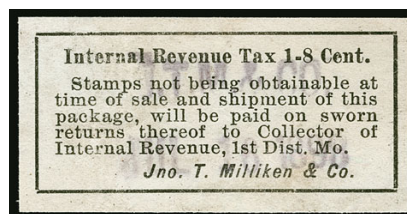


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- 566 **Rev. E. A. Wilson, 12c Blue, Watermarked (RS270d).** Extra wide margins at sides, closer at top and bottom but perfectly centered, rich color, neat manuscript cancel, thin spot at bottom, appears Extremely Fine, the best-centered example we have encountered, only 35 are recorded in the Aldrich book which states that less than half are sound (it is probably well less than half) 550.00



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- 567 田 **J. H. Zellin & Co., 2c Green, Pink Paper (RS277c).** Block of four with complete “Printed by the National Bank Note Co. New York” imprint at right, large even margins on three sides, the huge imprint side nicely shows outline of the plate, deep rich color, Extremely Fine Gem, a stunning position multiple of this issue, Scott Retail as singles without premium for the imprint — which is quite rare ..... 560.00
- 568 **John T. Milliken & Co., ½c Black (RS365).** Large margins all around, violet handstamp cancel, very slight wrinkling, still Extremely Fine and rare, the Milliken firm eventually merged with Abbott Laboratories in the late 1920s ..... 1,250.00

## PRIVATE DIE PERFUMERY



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- 569 **X. Bazin, 2c Blue, Old Paper, Die Cut (RT1a).** Large margins, bright color on fresh paper, Very Fine and choice, only 29 examples are recorded in the Aldrich census, which notes that this was never issued, with 1982 P.F. certificate ..... 1,400.00

- 570 **Corning & Tappan, 1c Black, Watermarked, Imperforate (RT2d).** Large to huge margins including bottom sheet margin, intense shade on bright paper, thin spots, Extremely Fine appearance and rare, the Aldrich book records only 16 examples, probably half or more of which have faults ..... 2,250.00



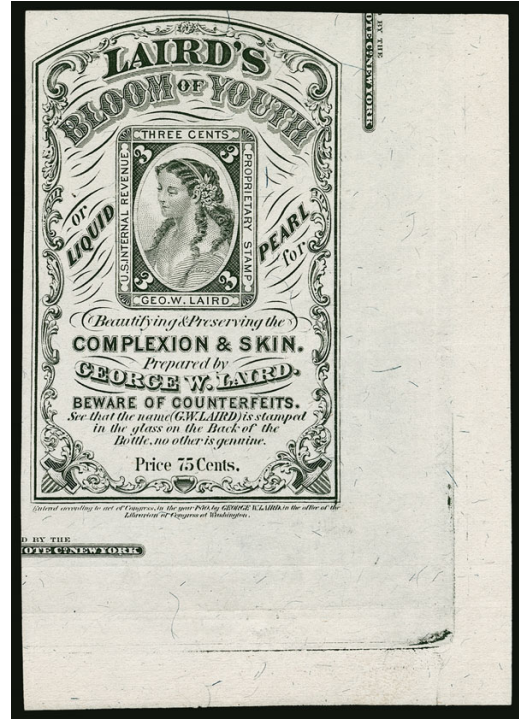
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- 571 **Corning & Tappan, 1c Black, Watermarked, Imperforate (RT2d).** Large margins to just touched at left, detailed impression, central thin spot and light crease outside of the design at top right, Fine appearance, the Aldrich book records 16 examples..... 2,250.00
- 572 **Corning & Tappan, "Triple Extracts".** Two advertising cards, first a beautiful multicolored design with Cupid spraying perfume onto a lady, second for "Parlor Boquets" with a young girl, in blue and pink, Extremely Fine, the first card is a design which revenue expert Eric Jackson has never before seen.....(Photo Ex) E. 200-300
- 573 **Corning & Tappan, 1c Black, Watermarked, Perforated (RT3d).** Wide margins and essentially perfect centering, couple thin spots, Extremely Fine appearance and about as good as this issue gets from a centering and margins perspective, only 31 are recorded in the Aldrich book, approximately half of which are said to be sound (it is very likely less than half) ..... 800.00
- 574 **Corning & Tappan, 1c Black, Watermarked, Perforated (RT3d).** Well-centered, small thin spot, Very Fine appearance, 31 are recorded in the Aldrich book, with 2013 P.F. certificate..... 800.00
- 575 **E. W. Hoyt & Co., 1c Black, Watermarked (RT6d).** Horizontal pair with complete "Engraved & Printed by the National Bank Note Co. New York" imprint at bottom, large margins other sides, vertical crease thru left stamp, appears Extremely Fine, a beautiful imprint multiple, Scott Retail as singles..... 320.00
- 576 **E. W. Hoyt & Co., 4c Black, Pink Paper (RT10c).** Large margins including trace of imprint at right, intense shade on deep Pink paper, Very Fine and choice..... 300.00
- 577 **E. W. Hoyt & Co., 4c Black, Pink Paper (RT10c).** Ample to large margins showing bit of the imprint at left, light vertical creases are barely noticeable except when drying, Very Fine appearance, an attractive example of this issue, 65 are recorded in the Aldrich book including at least 20 as part of multiples ..... 300.00

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**George W. Laird, 3c Black, Silk Paper, Imperforate (RT14b).** Large to massive margins all around including **bottom right corner sheet margins with parts of two imprints**, also showing outline of the plate, intense shade and impression, light creases, appears Extremely Fine, a visually striking corner margin example of this beautiful design, only 44 are recorded in the Aldrich census and well over half have faults .. 800.00



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**George W. Laird, 3c Black, Pink Paper, Imperforate (RT14c).** Large to huge margins including complete **“Printed by the National Bank Note Co. New York”** imprint at top, intense impression on bright Pink paper, light horizontal crease, appears Extremely Fine, a beautiful example with the imprint, 40 are recorded in the Aldrich census ..... 1,000.00

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**George W. Laird, 3c Black, Pink Paper, Imperforate, Double Transfer (RT14c var).** Showing dramatic double transfer at bottom, obvious in all the lettering from “Complexion & Skin” to below, shallow thin spot at top left and a faint horizontal crease, Extremely Fine appearance, a desirable and rare example of this variety, 40 examples of the basic listing on Pink paper are recorded in the Aldrich census, we do not know the number that have the double transfer but we have offered only one other in our auctions since 1993 ..... 2,250.00



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**George W. Laird, 3c Black, Watermarked, Imperforate (RT14d).** Large to huge margins including top sheet margin, couple light corner creases and faint wrinkle at bottom, appears Extremely Fine..... 800.00

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**George W. Laird, 3c Black, Old Paper, Die Cut (RT15a).** Detailed impression, few faults including small holes, thin spots and small tear, otherwise Fine and rare, only ten are recorded in the Aldrich census and at least half have faults, ex Bulkley ..... 3,000.00



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**George W. Laird, 3c Black, Pink Paper, Die Cut (RT15c).** Bright shade, ample to large margins, completely sound

VERY FINE. A BEAUTIFUL EXAMPLE OF THE GEORGE W. LAIRD 3-CENT DIE CUT ISSUE ON PINK PAPER. ONLY NINE ARE RECORDED.

The Aldrich book records only nine 9 examples of this rarity, the majority of which are reported to be sound ..... 3,250.00

- 584 **Lanman & Kemp, 1c Black, Pink Paper (RT16c).** Massive Jumbo margins and choice centering, intense shade on deep Pink paper

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. THIS IS EASILY THE FINEST EXAMPLE OF THE LANMAN & KEMP ONE-CENT ON PINK PAPER WE HAVE EVER ENCOUNTERED.

A Power Search review found only a few examples of this issue offered in our auctions since 1993. Only one other was sound and Extremely Fine (ex Lilly and Cunliffe) but it does not have the Jumbo margins seen on this superb example. Each of the others has a fault or only Fine centering .. 950.00



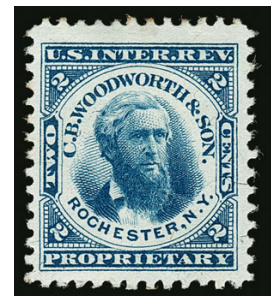
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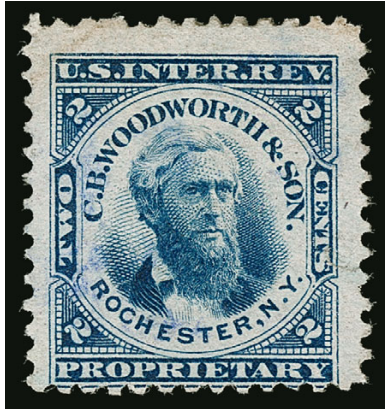


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- 585 **Lanman & Kemp, 1c Black, Pink Paper (RT16c).** Intense shade on deep Pink paper, wide margins, fresh and Very Fine, ex Bulkley ..... 950.00
- 586 **Lanman & Kemp, 1c Black, Pink Paper (RT16c).** Intense shade and impression, **affixed to wrapper for Bristol's Pills**, the label also with text in Spanish, stamp with light bend from application on wrapper, Very Fine and desirable, ex Bulkley ..... E. 200-300
- 587 ★ **C. B. Woodworth & Son, 2c Blue, Silk Paper (RT21b).** Original gum, h.r., beautiful rich color, wide margins, hint of a thin speck in fluid, appears Very Fine and choice, ex "Scarsdale" ..... 180.00



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**C. B. Woodworth & Son, 2c Blue, Pink Paper (RT21c).** Rich color, trivial toning at top left, few thin spots

FINE APPEARANCE. A PRESENTABLE EXAMPLE OF THE RARE WOODWORTH & SON TWO-CENT ON PINK PAPER.

Only nine are recorded in the Aldrich book, of which at least five are faulty. We have offered only one other since keeping computerized records.

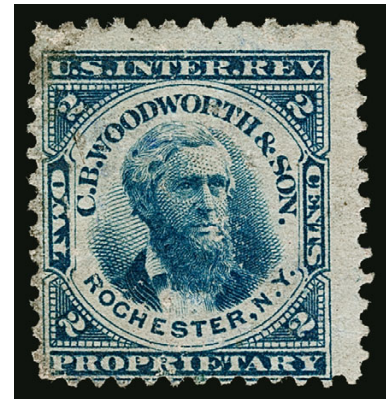
Signed E. Stern. Ex Tolman and "Scarsdale".. 4,000.00

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**C. B. Woodworth & Son, 2c Blue, Pink Paper (RT21c).** Rich color on paper with an attractive pink cast, few flaws including internal tear and thin spots

FINE APPEARING EXAMPLE OF THE RARE WOODWORTH & SON TWO-CENT ON PINK PAPER.

Only nine are recorded in the Aldrich book, of which at least five are faulty. Ex Bulkley. .... 4,000.00



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590 **R. & G. A. Wright, 2c Black, Watermarked (RT23d).** Detailed impression on bright paper, choice centering, thin spot, Very Fine appearance..... 600.00

591 **R. & G. A. Wright, 2c Black, Watermarked (RT23d).** Intense shade and impression nicely complemented by **red handstamp cancel**, trivial corner creases and tiny thin spot, Very Fine appearance, rare with the red cancel ..... 600.00

592 **R. & G. A. Wright, 3c Lake, Watermarked (RT24d).** Deep rich color on bright paper, small thin spot, pulled perf at left, otherwise Fine, ex Bulkley ..... 525.00



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- 593 **R. & G. A. Wright, 4c Green, Watermarked (RT25d).** Deep rich color, tiny hinge thin speck, appears Very Fine, ex Tolman and "Scarsdale" ..... 750.00
- 594 **R. & G. A. Wright, 4c Green, Watermarked (RT25d).** Deep rich color on bright paper, fresh and Fine, scarce in sound condition, ex Elliott and Bulkley ..... 750.00
- 595 **5c Lawrence & Cohen, Silk Paper (RU11b).** Nicely balanced margins, affixed to original orange illustrated Lawrence & Cohen "Fine Mogul Playing Cards" wrapper, wonderful illustrated design depicting what appears to be a sultan with sword and dagger, J.W. Orr N.Y. and Wilson imprints, the wrapper is in good condition with just a few small cracks and some light scattered toning, Very Fine and wonderful collateral piece for the revenue collector ..... E. 300-400



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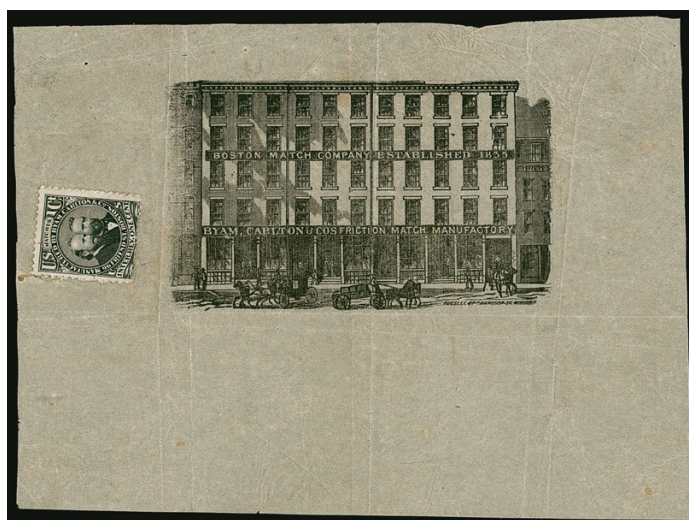
- 596 **Match and Medicine Companies, Exceptional Collection of Illustrated Advertising Cards.** More than 270 cards in a large stock album and some loose, most cards are housed in clear sleeves so the front and back can both be viewed, huge range of multicolored designs representing a vast array of patent medicine companies and manufacturers or retailers of other personal products, many align with the companies listed in Scott for Private Die Proprietary stamps and at least one matches the design of the stamp itself (Hunt's Remedy, a second of which is offered as lot 480), bright and fresh and exceptional condition essentially throughout

EXTREMELY FINE. A SPECTACULAR COLLECTION OF PATENT MEDICINE COMPANY ADVERTISING CARDS, ASSEMBLED OVER MANY YEARS BY A COLLECTOR WHO WAS METICULOUS ABOUT CONDITION.

As evidenced by the quality of his stamps in this sale, the late Mr. Salmansohn was one of the most meticulous collectors we know — and he was also well known among Revenue dealers for his condition standards. As with his stamps, he would only add a card to his collection if it was in choice condition. While a few might show some slight toning or a tiny flaw, nearly all have sharp corners and look as fresh as the day they were printed. This collection represents nearly all the cards in Mr. Salmansohn's holding. We removed only a handful of the rarest designs to offer individually or in small groups.

A PDF of the collection is available on our website. Our estimate represents only an average of \$11-\$15 per card, and while some do sell in that range, many bring \$100 or more when offered individually ..... (Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 3,000-4,000

- 597 **Match and Medicine Private Die Proprietary Collection.** Balance of the Ambassador J. William Middendorf II collection mounted on quadrille pages in two beautiful volumes, containing probably 600 different stamps by Scott number and paper type, this also includes Perfume, Playing Cards and 1898-1900 Provisional Issues, few multiples as well, largely complete, generally lacking the multi-hundred dollar Scott Retail items, the rarities and a few others, many better are included, an outstanding foundation for a collection that would take a long time to duplicate one stamp at a time, general overall condition is much better than typically encountered, 37 have been removed from the album and accompany on lot cards, a sensational lot that was mounted by Warren H. Colson well before World War II ..... E. 7,500-10,000
- 598 **Balance of the Ruben S. Salmansohn Collection of Private Die Proprietary Issues.** A collection balance of exceptional quality, more than 200 stamps on stock pages identified by Scott number — with Match, Medicine, Perfume and Playing Cards all represented, most of the stamps with Scott Retail values of \$100.00 or more (and even some less) have been removed and offered individually so there are no population rarities here — but condition rarities abound, nearly all have choice margins and centering and while some flaws will be found, soundness was of great importance to the collector and he upgraded individual stamps as many as several times during his decades of collecting, an Extremely Fine balance which is better viewed than further described, a PDF is available on our website .....(Website PDF) E. 3,000-4,000



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- 599 **Match & Medicine Wrappers.** Three original wrappers with the requisite stamps, including No. RO49d on ornately illustrated Byam, Carlton & Co. wrapper depicting their match factory, RS164b on blue printed Alvah Littlefield wrapper for their "Court Plaster", finally R274b on yellow illustrated Wright's Indian Pills wrapper depicting a Native American on a river with city and steamboat in background, a few minor flaws to be expected, fascinating trio .....(Photo Ex) E. 500-750

END OF SALE — THANK YOU

# Grading Index to Sale 1212

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Grade	Scott	Lot	Year/Service/Grade
100J	9	6	2007 PSE 100J NH
100J	133a	27	2014 PSE 100J NGAI
100J	238	41	2019 PSE 100J NH
100J	279	46	2017 PSE 100J OGph
100J	295	50	2017 PSE 100J OGph
100J	320	70	2019 PSE 100J NH
100J	320b	71	2015 PSE 100J NH
100J	332	79	2010 PSE 100J NH
100J	332	81	2017 PSE 100J USED
100J	343-347	82	2009 PSE 100J NH
100J	368	90	2013 PSE 100J NH
100J	371	95	2010 PSE 100J NH
100J	372	96	2017 PSE 100J NH
100J	373	98	2008 PSE 100J NH
100J	377	101	2012 PSE 100J OGph
100J	390	103	2006 PSE 100J NH
100J	397	107	2011 PSE 100J NH
100J	399	111	2019 PSE 100J NH
100J	401	118	2011 PSE 100J OGph
100J	406	127	2009 PSE 100J NH
100J	441	137	2012 PSE 100J NH
100J	442	138	2011 PSE 100J NH
100J	448	142	2008 PSE 100J NH
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100J	530	180	2014 PSE 100J NH
100J	537	184	2008 PSE 100J NH
100J	554	192	2014 PSE 100J USED
100J	569	197	2015 PSE 100J NH
100J	610	212	2006 PSE 100J NH
100J	623	220	2019 PSE 100J NH
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100J	642	229	2017 PSE 100J NH
100J	643	230	2008 PSE 100J NH
100J	644	231	2013 PSE 100J NH
100J	646	234	2006 PSE 100J NH
100J	650	237	2010 PSE 100J NH
100J	661	242	2018 PSE 100J NH
100J	675	246	2012 PSE 100J NH
100J	683	250	2016 PSE 100J NH
100J	702	256	2015 PSE 100J NH
100J	707	260	2012 PSE 100J NH
100J	715	264	2012 PSE 100J NH
100J	720	266	2008 PSE 100J NH
100J	734	270	2012 PSE 100J USED
100J	738	273	2007 PSE 100J NH
100J	739	274	2007 PSE 100J NH
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100J	749	284	2008 PSE 100J NH
100J	851	289	2012 PSE 100J NH
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100J	C23	315	2013 PSE 100J NH

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100J	CSA 11	376	2013 PSE 100J NH
100J	CSA 11c	377	2013 PSE 100J NH
100J	CSA 11d	378	2012 PSE 100J NH
100J	CSA 12	379	2013 PSE 100J NH
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100	612	213	2013 PSE 100 NH
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100	617	217	2008 PSE 100 NH
100	620	218	2005 PSE 100 NH
100	621	219	2019 PSE 100 NH
100	627	222	2010 PSE 100 NH
100	629	224	2014 PSE 100 NH
100	634	226	2010 PSE 100 NH
100	634A	227	2017 PSE 100 NH
100	639	228	2006 PSE 100 NH
100	645	232	2010 PSE 100 NH
100	648	235	2017 PSE 100 NH
100	649-650	236	2013 PSE 100 NH
100	654	238	2015 PSE 100 NH
100	655	239	2015 PSE 100 NH
100	656	240	2012 PSE 100 NH
100	658	241	2007 PSE 100 NH
100	678	247	2016 PSE 100 NH
100	680	248	2017 PSE 100 NH
100	682	249	2009 PSE 100 NH
100	684	251	2006 PSE 100 NH
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100	689	254	2010 PSE 100 NH
100	690	255	Enc. PSE 100 NH
100	703	257	2014 PSE 100 NH
100	704	258	2009 PSE 100 NH
100	706	259	2004 PSE 100 NH
100	710	261	2013 PSE 100 NH
100	712	262	2017 PSE 100 NH
100	713	263	2008 PSE 100 NH
100	718	265	2015 PSE 100 NH
100	724	267	2011 PSE 100 NH
100	727	268	2011 PSE 100 NH
100	729	269	2011 PSE 100 NH
100	736	271	2016 PSE 100 NH
100	737	272	2007 PSE 100 NH
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100	<b>C21</b>	<b>313</b>	<b>2013 PSE 100 NH</b>
100	<b>C22</b>	<b>314</b>	<b>2011 PSE 100 NH</b>
100	<b>C24</b>	<b>316</b>	<b>2012 PSE 100 NH</b>
100	<b>C26</b>	<b>317</b>	<b>2009 PSE 100 NH</b>
100	<b>C28</b>	<b>318</b>	<b>2007 PSE 100 NH</b>
100	<b>C30</b>	<b>319</b>	<b>2019 PSE 100 NH</b>
100	<b>E12</b>	<b>331</b>	<b>2010 PSE 100 NH</b>
100	<b>QE4</b>	<b>343</b>	<b>2008 PSE 100 NH</b>
100	<b>QE4a</b>	<b>344</b>	<b>2015 PSE 100 NH</b>
100	<b>RW21</b>	<b>358</b>	<b>2016 PSE 100 NH</b>
100	<b>RW22</b>	<b>360</b>	<b>2012 PSE 100 NH</b>
100	<b>RW22</b>	<b>361</b>	<b>2010 PSE 100 NH</b>
100	<b>RW30</b>	<b>363</b>	<b>2010 PSE 100 NH</b>
100	<b>RW33</b>	<b>364</b>	<b>2010 PSE 100 NH</b>
98J	<b>230</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>2019 PSE 98J NH</b>
98J	231	34	2006 PSE 98J NH
98J	231	35	2011 PSE 98J NH
98J	234	38	2008 PSE 98J NH
98J	319	68	2006 PSE 98J OGph
98J	<b>319F</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>2017 PSE 98J NH</b>
98J	331	78	2010 PSE 98J NH
98J	332	80	2018 PSE 98J NH
98J	354	85	2009 PSE 98J OGph
98J	370	93	2017 PSE 98J NH
98J	372	97	2017 PSE 98J NH
98J	<b>374</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>2017 PSE 98J NH</b>
98J	<b>375</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>2008 PSE 98J NH</b>
98J	379	102	2006 PSE 98J NH
98J	397	108	2014 PSE 98J NH
98J	400A	115	2017 PSE 98J NH
98J	<b>403</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>2009 PSE 98J NH</b>
98J	404	125	2015 PSE 98J DOG
98J	<b>405</b>	<b>126</b>	<b>2011 PSE 98J NH</b>
98J	410	129	2006 PSE 98J NH
98J	498	155	2013 PSE 98J NH
98J	511	170	2014 PSE 98J NH
98J	512	171	2013 PSE 98J NH
98J	526	178	2008 PSE 98J NH
98J	528B	179	2008 PSE 98J NH
98J	537	185	2005 PSE 98J NH
98J	549	188	2014 PSE 98J NH
98J	584	201	2016 PSE 98J NH
98J	623	221	2012 PSE 98J NH

Grade	Scott	Lot	Year/Service/Grade
98J	662	243	2015 PSE 98J NH
98J	664	244	2019 PSE 98J NH
98J	C13	309	2007 PSE 98J OGph
98J	E7	325	2007 PSE 98J NH
98J	<b>E11b</b>	<b>330</b>	<b>2017 PSE 98J NH</b>
98J	<b>E13</b>	<b>333</b>	<b>2006 PSE 98J NH</b>
98J	Q1	339	2007 PSE 98J NH
98J	<b>RW1</b>	<b>350</b>	<b>2007 PSE 98J NH</b>
98J	RW2	352	2014 PSE 98J NH
98J	<b>RW36</b>	<b>365</b>	<b>2018 PSE 98J NH</b>
98	11A	10	2006 PSE 98 USED
98	232	36	2009 PSE 98 NH
98	279	45	2008 PSE 98 NH
98	294	48	2019 PSE 98 OGph
98	295	49	2010 PSE 98 NH
98	300	57	2006 PSE 98 NH
98	328	74	2009 PSE 98 OGh
98	<b>330</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>2010 PSE 98 OGph</b>
98	369	91	2009 PSE 98 NH
98	370	94	2008 PSE 98 NH
98	400	113	2009 PSE 98 NH
98	401	116	2011 PSE 98 NH
98	420	132	2009 PSE 98 OGph
98	473	146	2007 PSE 98 NH
98	524	176	2016 PSE 98 NH
98	548	187	2008 PSE 98 NH
98	<b>578</b>	<b>199</b>	<b>2013 PSE 98 NH</b>
98	601	206	2008 PSE 98 NH
98	606a	211	2008 PSE 98 NH
98	C1	295	2019 PSE 98 NH
98	C3	297	2017 PSE 98 NH
98	C4	299	2010 PSE 98 NH
98	C4	300	2007 PSE 98 NH
98	C6	302	2013 PSE 98 NH
98	C15	312	2019 PSE 98 USED
98	<b>E5a</b>	<b>322</b>	<b>2019 PSE 98 NH</b>
98	E10	327	2010 PSE 98 NH
98	E11	328	2013 PSE 98 NH
98	JQ5	342	2019 PSE 98 NH
98	O44	337	2019 PSE 98 USED
98	RW8	356	2018 PSE 98 NH
95J	15	11	2005 PSE 95J USED
95J	26A	16	2005 PSE 95J USED
95J	233	37	2010 PSE 95J NH

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95J	307	59	2006 PF 95J NH 2011 PSE 95J NH
95J	311	61	Enc. PSE 95J USED
95J	328	75	2008 PSE 95J USED
95J	369	92	2007 PSE 95J NH
95J	423	134	2019 PSE 95J NH
95J	Q3	340	2008 PSE 95J NH
95J	Q4	341	2012 PSE 95J NH
95	10X1	1	2019 PSE 95 OGph
95	85B	20	2008 PSE 95 USED
95	<b>129</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>2019 PSE 95 OGph</b>
95	230	33	2005 PSE 95 NH
95	235	39	2019 PSE 95 NH
95	241	42	2017 PSE 95 OGph
95	243	43	2019 PSE 95 OGph
95	285	47	2012 PSE 95 NH
95	306	58	2005 PSE 95 NH
95	315	63	2004 PSE 95 NH
95	329	76	2005 PSE 95 NH
95	401	117	2015 PSE 95 NH
95	431	136	2006 PSE 95 NH
95	473	147	2017 PSE 95 NH
95	476	148	2008 PSE 95 NH
95	RW2	353	2010 PF 95 NH
90J	183	30	2018 PSE 90J NH
90J	PR125	338	Enc. PSE 90J USED
90	127	25	2015 PSE 90 USED
90	237	40	2004 PSE 90 NH
90	298	51	2018 PF 90 NH
90	299	53	2012 PSE 90 NH
90	315	64	2016 PF 90 NH
90	404	123	2019 PF 90 NH
90	C14	311	2019 PSE 90 OGph
90	RW4	354	2003 PSE 90 NH
90	RW5	355	2016 PSE 90 NH
85	317	65	2017 PSE 85 NH
85	3260	294	2007 PSE 85 NH
85	R10	388	2018 PSE 85 OGh
85	RW26a	362	2006 PSE 85 NH
80	189	31	2018 PF 80 NH
70	324a	73	2019 PF 70 OG
50	318	67	2014 PSE 50 OGph



# BIDS

Use this form to submit absentee bids  
or to confirm telephone bids

## Sale 1212

November 20-21, 2019

PADDLE #

# 1

Please provide the following information:

NAME .....

ADDRESS .....

CITY/STATE/ZIP .....

PHONE ..... MOBILE .....

EMAIL .....

# 2

Have you purchased from us in the past 5 years? ☐ Yes (please go to Section 3)  
☐ No (references required below)

STAMP FIRM ..... PHONE .....

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Please submit references at least **2 business days** before the sale. Bids from new clients will not be executed if satisfactory references are not received in time to be contacted.

# 3

- Enter the lot number and your corresponding maximum bid in the space below
- Use whole dollar amounts and bid according to the increments (see back of form)
- Bids do not include the **18% Buyer's Premium**, taxes, duty or shipping charges
- Absentee bids will advance at one increment over the next highest competing bid
- "Plus", "Break Tie" or "Buy" bids will not be executed
- Indicate any "Or" bids between lot number/bid entries and bracket your choices
- If you wish to limit the total amount of your bids, follow the instructions below

Lot #	Bid \$	Lot #	Bid \$	Lot #	Bid \$

☐ **Limit Bids:** Check this box if you wish to limit the total hammer price of your bids (excluding 18% Buyer's Premium, taxes, duty and shipping costs). Your bids will be executed until your bidding limit has been reached. The total amount you wish to bid is \$ .....

# 4

By signing this form, you agree to all of the Conditions of Sale printed in the sale catalogue (printed and digital), including but not limited to a) payment in the manner demanded by the Siegel firm, and b) payment of the 18% Buyer's Premium, any sales tax or customs duty, shipping costs, late charges and

other prescribed charges. You agree that your bids will be executed as a courtesy by Siegel, but you waive the right to make any claim against Siegel or its employees arising from these bids or your participation in the sale. You agree to honor all bids as submitted, regardless of any errors or omissions.

SIGNED ..... DATE .....

Mail the signed form to Siegel Bid Department, 6 West 48th St., 9th Floor, New York, NY 10036  
or email to [stamps@siegelauctions.com](mailto:stamps@siegelauctions.com)  
or fax to 212-753-6429



# Additional Bids

**Sale 1212**  
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Lot #	Bid \$	Lot #	Bid \$	Lot #	Bid \$

## Shipping & Insurance

We will be pleased to arrange for shipping and transit insurance for purchases in this sale, except for lots marked or announced as "floor sale only." To expedite billing and delivery to hundreds of buyers in each sale, we use standard charges for postage and insurance under our policy. These charges are based on the package weight and mailing requirements, according to the schedule shown here. Our standard charges do not include a fee for our services, and they may be slightly more or less than the actual postage or Fedex fee. We ask all buyers to remit the invoiced amount for shipping and insurance.

Transit insurance is provided in all cases, except when the buyer has furnished us with documentation that insurance is effective under the buyer's own policy.

There will be no added insurance charge for shipments of less than \$75,000 value. Shipments valued in excess of \$75,000 may require supplemental insurance and/or special courier service, the estimated cost of which will be furnished to the buyer prior to shipment. If the buyer refuses to pay the estimated charges or furnish proof of self-insured coverage, the buyer will be responsible for picking up the lots at our office and any resulting sales tax.

### Standard Shipping Charges

Weight Class	Shipping Method	Charge
Up to 2 lbs.	Fedex Envelope	\$25
Over 2 lbs.	Fedex Box	\$35 - \$50*
Outside US	Fedex	\$50 - \$100**
Bulky Lots	Fedex Ground or Express	By weight

\* Up to \$75,000 value and up to 5 lbs; additional charge may apply to packages exceeding limits

\*\* Buyers outside United States are liable for any applicable customs duty and clearance charges. An accurate declaration of contents and value will be made on all packages and import/export documents. **Siegel may refuse to ship lots to certain countries with a high risk factor.**

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## Bidding Increments

The auctioneer may regulate the bidding at his discretion. However, to assist absentee bidders in establishing their maximum bids, the increments shown here will be used in most cases. We recommend that written bids conform to these increments—bids that do not will be reduced accordingly.

Bid	Increment	Bid	Increment
Up to \$200	\$10	\$7,000-20,000	\$500
\$200-500	\$25	\$20,000-30,000	\$1,000
\$500-1,000	\$50	\$30,000-70,000	\$2,500
\$1,000-3,000	\$100	\$70,000-140,000	\$5,000
\$3,000-7,000	\$250	\$140,000-300,000	\$10,000