

Sale 1221 — Wednesday and Thursday, May 27-28, 2020

United States Stamps

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WEDNESDAY, MAY 27

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Scott 70b OG
Lot 1160



Scott 100 OG
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THURSDAY, MAY 28

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

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Due to current state restrictions, there will not be any presale viewing in person or by mail. All lots are described and most are photographed in the catalogue. PDFs of group lots can be downloaded from the Siegel website. If you have questions regarding specific lots, please contact us at (212) 753-6421 or by email, and we will be pleased to examine the item(s) and provide additional information.

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

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Live Internet Bidding at Siegel Auctions

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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- After you click on a bid amount, the auctioneer is immediately notified of your bid.
- Retracting a bid is usually not acceptable, so please bid carefully.
- If you bid and then decide to stop, the "Pass" button will tell the auctioneer you are no longer bidding.
- You can send messages to the auctioneer (for example, a request for extension).
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Robert A. Siegel Auction Galleries, Inc.'s Sale 1185

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Lot and Description

Bidding



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

\$ 450,000.00

Sold for \$ 270,000.00
Your Bid \$ 0.00

Bid 280000

Bid 290000

Bid 300000

Bid 310000

Bid 320000

Bid 330000

Bid 340000

Bid 350000

Bid 360000

Bid 370000

Bid 380000

Bid 390000

Bid 400000

Bid 410000

Bid 420000

Bid 430000

Bid 440000

Bid 450000

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

9. Until paid for in full, all lots remain the property of the Galleries on behalf of the seller.

10. Agents executing bids on behalf of clients may also be held responsible for all purchases made on behalf of clients, unless otherwise arranged prior to the sale.

11. **The buyer assumes all risk for delivery of purchased lots and agrees to pay for prescribed shipping costs. Buyers who receive lots in the U.S. are obligated to pay whatever sales tax or compensating use tax might be due, at any time, and buyers outside the U.S. are responsible for all customs duties.**

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Grades, Abbreviations and Values Used in Descriptions

Grades and Centering

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

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







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

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

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

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

Guide to Gum Condition

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

Covers

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

Catalogue Values and Estimates

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

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

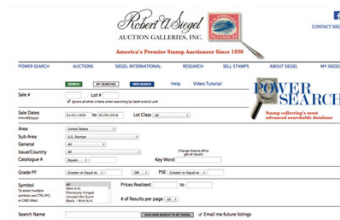
Symbols and Abbreviations (see chart above for gum symbols)

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

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

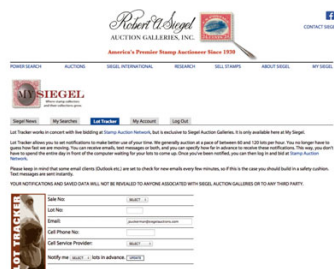


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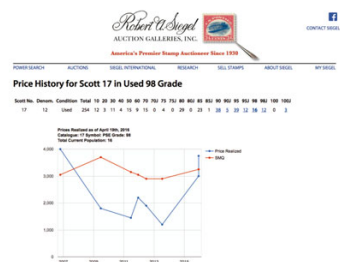


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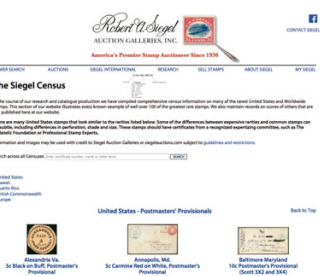
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GRADED PRICE HISTORY

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



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

SESSION ONE (LOTS 1001-1112)
WEDNESDAY, MAY 27, 2020, AT 10:30 A.M.

UNITED STATES STAMPS

ESSAYS AND PROOFS



1001



1002

- 1001 P **5c Red Brown, 10c Black, Large Die Proofs on Bond, India (1P1, 2P1).** 5c 32 x 33mm on Bond, 10c 31 x 39mm on India, both showing good portion of cross-hatching, fresh and Very Fine pair of die proofs for the 1847 Issue, ex Fekete 1,600.00
- 1002 TC **5c and 10c Blue Green, Large Die Trial Color Proofs on Bond (1TC1b, 2TC1b).** Both approximately 30 x 35mm, showing cross-hatching all around, deep rich colors, Very Fine, a beautiful matched pair, ex Fekete 1,600.00



1003

- 1003 P **5c Red Brown, Large Die Proof on India (1P1).** 51 x 61mm with full die sinkage and cross-hatching, deep rich color, Extremely Fine 800.00

- 1004 TC **1c-90c 1857-60 Issue, Atlanta Trial Color Plate Proofs (40TC4-47TC4).** Complete set of all five colors, 40 proofs in total, large margins to clear, fresh and Fine-Very Fine, a scarce complete set
.....(Photo Ex) 4,160.00



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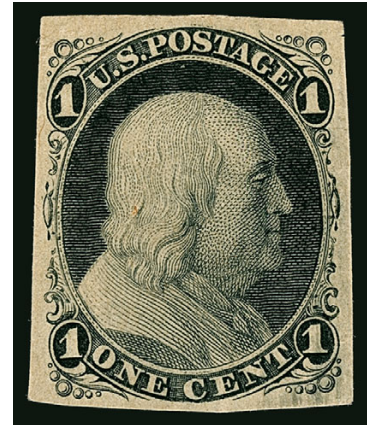
- 1005 TC **5c 1856 Issue, Atlanta Trial Color Plate Proofs (42TC4).** Blocks of four in all five issued colors, large to huge margins all around, the Black with small purple mark on back only, Extremely Fine, it is believed that only two or three sets of blocks of four exist, ex Finkelburg..... 2,080.00



1006

- 1006 TC **12c 1851 Issue, Atlanta Trial Color Plate Proofs (44TC4).** Blocks of four in all five issued colors, large to huge margins all around, Extremely Fine, it is believed that only two or three sets of blocks of four exist, ex Finkelburg..... 2,080.00

- 1007 E **Toppan, Carpenter & Co., 1861 1c Die Essays (63-E9a, 63-E9b, 63-E9d).** Four items, No. 63-E9a in both Black and Blue, cut to shape as always, No. 63-E9b on India in Blue, 36 x 42mm, tear thru top of design, finally No. 63-E9d in Black, cut to stamp size, overall Very Fine group, these 1861 essays are much rarer than the 1903 Schernikow emissions.....
.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 5,600.00



1007EX



1008

- 1008 TC **3c Black, Large Die Trial Color Proof on Thick Glazed Card (65TC1af).** 55 x 73mm with albino die no. 441 and imprint at bottom, exceptional impression pops off this type of shiny card

VERY FINE. THIS IS THE ONLY RECORDED 1861 3-CENT BLACK LARGE DIE TRIAL COLOR PROOF ON GLAZED CARD.

There are a variety of trial colors for the 3c 1861 issued design listed in Scott. All but this single example are printed on India paper. Despite that fact, Scott prices this the same as the India paper proofs.

Ex "Lake Shore" and Drews 2,500.00

- 1009 TC **National Bank Note Co., 5c Jefferson, Die Essay on India, Trial Color Die Proofs on India (67-E9a, 67TC1a).** Four India proofs cut down to stamp size, the first in Black is the First Design (67-E9a, formerly 57TC1), small nick in top margin, the other three are the issued design in Dark Orange, Ultramarine and Green, some typical India paper translucencies, overall Very Fine appearing and rare group, ex Drews, three issued designs with 1984 P.F. certificates, total Scott Retail \$10,000.00 as full size
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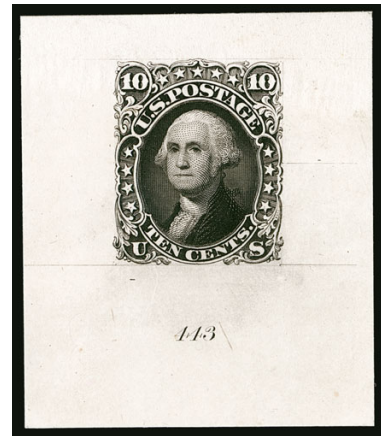
1010

1010 TC **5c Dark Orange, Large Die Trial Color Proof on India (67TC1af var).** Die sunk on 120 x 156mm card with full die sinkage, brilliant color which is darker than that of the cut down Dark Orange proof from our Drews sale (Sale 1195, lot 24), die no. 442 and albino imprint at bottom of India paper, some minor scattered toned spots almost entirely confined to card

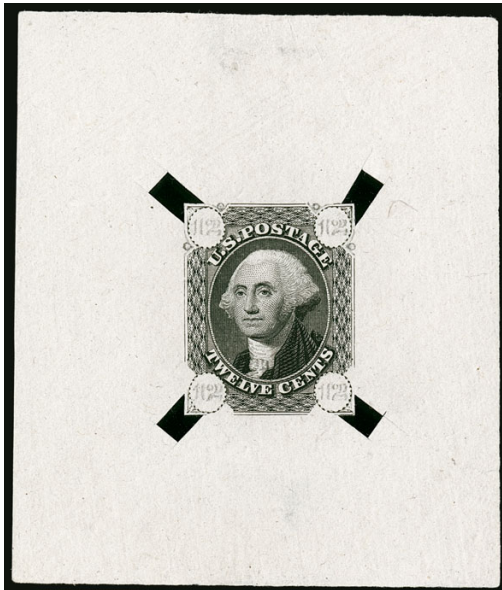
VERY FINE. A RARE LARGE DIE TRIAL COLOR PROOF OF THE 5-CENT 1861 ISSUE.

Only one true Buff large die proof is known (67P1). While this does not match the Buff color, it is deeper than the Scott-listed Dark Orange. Richard Drews regarded it as a transitional color between Buff and Red Brown. 2,500.00

1011 TC **10c Black, Large Die Trial Color Proof on India (68TC1a).** 41 x 49mm, on original card with die no. 443 at bottom, strong die layout lines, this die state shows the Type II characteristics of Scott 68, Very Fine, a very scarce trial color proof, we have not encountered a full-size example in Black, ex Drews..... 2,500.00



1011



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1012 E **Toppan, Carpenter & Co., 12c Black, Die Essay on Old Proof paper, Corners Drawn in Pencil (69-E4d).** 58 x 68mm, crisp impression, part of paper symmetrically cut away at corners, small thin spots at top and bottom well outside the design

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. THE ONLY RECORDED EXAMPLE OF THIS TOPPAN, CARPENTER & CO. 12-CENT DIE ESSAY, PRODUCED FOR THE 1861 CONTRACT COMPETITION.

This essay and one which is similar but has several differences (offered in our Sale 890, lot 103), both with pencil-drawn numerals, are the only recorded examples.

Ex "Lake Shore" and Drews.... 2,750.00

- 1013 P **12c Black, Large Die Proof on India, Manuscript "Specimen" Overprint (69SP1).** Die sunk on 104 x 138mm card with full die sinkage, matching impressions of die no. 444 and imprint at bottom, "*Specimen*" written in fancy magenta script diagonally across design, India is also tied to card by "National Bank Note Co. N.Y." embossed seal

VERY FINE. ONLY ONE SET OF THESE "SPECIMEN" DIE PROOFS WAS PRODUCED FOR THE 1861 ISSUE. THIS 12-CENT PROOF IS THEREFORE UNIQUE.

A similar set of die proofs is known for the 1870 National Bank Note Co. Issue. That set is also unique.

Ex "Belmont" (Siegel Sale 581) and Drews. Unlisted in Scott.. E. 1,500-2,000



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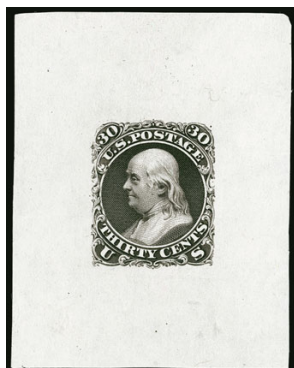
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- 1014 TC **12c Scarlet Vermilion, Large Die Trial Color Proof on India (69TC1a).** Die sunk on 70 x 66mm card with full die sinkage, faint or albino impressions of die no. 444 and imprint at bottom, vivid color, fresh and Very Fine, a very rare trial color proof, this is the only example of the 12c in any color we have offered since our 1999 sale of the Finkelburg collection, ex Finkelburg and Drews 2,500.00

- 1015 E **National Bank Note Co., 30c Dull Gray Blue, First Design, Large Die Essay on India (71-E2a).** Die sunk on 61 x 73mm card with full die sinkage, few trivial toned spots, small mounting thin bottom right corner on card only, appears Very Fine, ex DuPuy and Drews.. 1,750.00

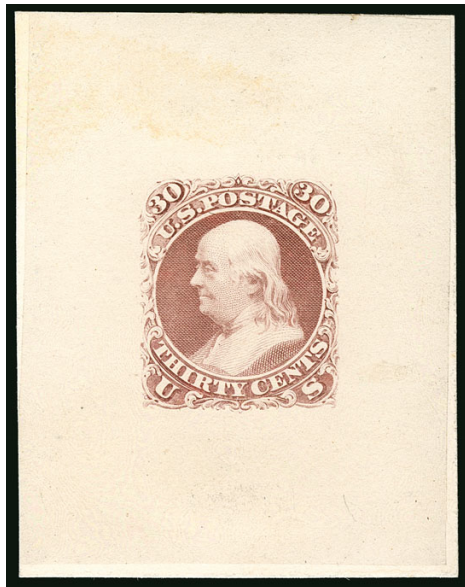


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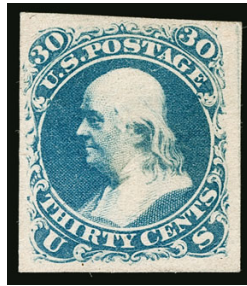


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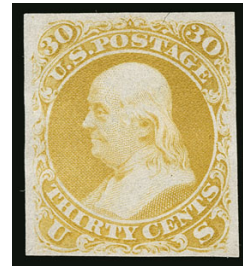
- 1016 E **National Bank Note Co., 30c Black, First Design, Large Die Essay on India (71-E2a).** 45 x 59mm off card, intense shade, Very Fine, ex Drews 1,750.00



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1017 E **National Bank Note Co., 30c First Design, Die and Plate Essays (71-E2a, 71-E2b, 71-E2c).** First in Dull Rose, 44 x 57mm on original card backing, one of 71-E2b, two of 71-E2c in Black, the stamp-size items with varying degrees of thins, the large die proof is fresh and Very Fine(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 2,250.00

1018 E **National Bank Note Company, 30c Blue, First Design, Plate Essay on Split Card (71-E2c).** Radiant color, large margins, slight thinning on back of card, appears Very Fine, we have only offered one other in Blue since keeping computerized records, ex "Lake Shore" and Drews..... 750.00

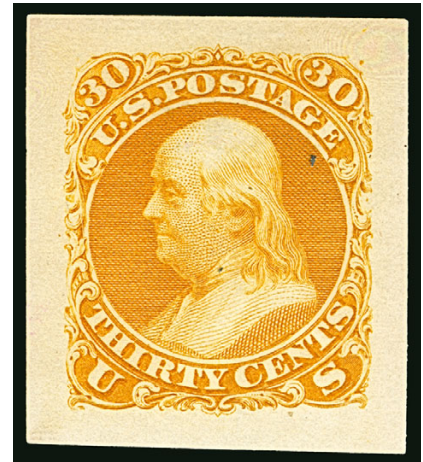
1019 E **National Bank Note Co., 30c First Design, Plate Essay on Semi-Transparent Stamp Paper (71-E2e).** Two, first in Lemon Yellow, full margins to clear, second in Deep Red Orange, large margins, Very Fine and scarce, ex Drews.....(Photo Ex) 2,500.00

1020 P **30c Orange, Panama-Pacific Small Die Proof on Wove (71P2a).** Brilliant color, hint of toning as always found on genuine Panama-Pacific proofs

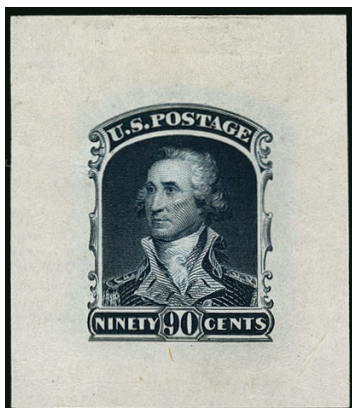
VERY FINE EXAMPLE OF THE RARE 30-CENT 1861 ISSUE PANAMA-PACIFIC SMALL DIE PROOF ON WOVE.

Panama-Pacific proofs were found in envelopes with several of each denomination contained in each envelope. The characteristic toning comes from long-term storage. Only three to five of each example were printed. We have not offered another of the 30c 1861 since our 1999 sale of the Falk Finkelburg collection.

Ex Gilbert..... 2,750.00



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1021 E **Toppan, Carpenter & Co., 90c Blue, Die Essays on India (72-E5a, 72-E5b).** Three of first in Blue, cut to shape as listed, second 34 x 39mm off-card, intense colors, Very Fine.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 3,550.00



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- 1022 E **National Bank Note Co., 90c Blue, First Design, Progressive Large Die Essay on India (72-E7b).** India paper mounted on 68 x 77mm card, layout lines around the design — early state of Die 447 without the leaf to the left of lower left “U” — Very Fine, a rare First Design die essay, ex Drews 1,350.00
- 1023 P **90c Blue, Plate Proof on India (72P3).** Bottom right corner margin block of four, beautiful color, Extremely Fine block from the Lilly sheets, ex Gilbert..... 250.00



- 1024 E **Unknown Author, 2c Dull Black & Bronze, “U.S. Postage” Re-Use Prevention Essay (79-E2b).** U.S. 10mm high, original gum, h.r., large margins to touched at top and upper left, just a small part of the “U” punched out, Very Fine and rare, unlike some other essays of this type which are folded designs, this re-use essay was pierced with “S”-shaped cuts, with the numeral cut out, this made the stamp fragile, preventing its reuse 5,000.00

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- 1025 E **Charles F. Steel, (Unstated Value) Experimental Grill Essays (79-E13a).** 80 x 140mm wove paper bearing four different types of grill impressions, signed “*First experiments of grill, Chas. F. Steel*” at bottom, all four are unadopted grill designs, one very strong and breaking thru paper at bottom, light toning has been professionally removed, crease at bottom right, few minor thins

AN OUTSTANDING AND RARE ESSAY SHOWING THE FIRST EXPERIMENT OF THE GRILLING DEVICE INVENTED BY CHARLES F. STEEL AND SIGNED BY HIM. ONE OF THE MOST IMPORTANT GRILLED ISSUE ITEMS IN EXISTENCE.

As noted in our introduction to the grilled issues in the Siegel Encyclopedia, available at <http://siegelauctions.com/enc/pdf/1867.pdf>, correspondence is known from Steel as early as 1865 demonstrating his efforts to persuade officials to employ his invention. This essay, likely produced in 1865, is of great historical importance.

We are aware of only three examples of this rare essay. One of the others, ex Finkelburg, has the positions of the top and bottom grills reversed.

Ex “Lake Shore” and Drews. Illustrated in 2020 Scott Catalogue on p. 863..... 9,000.00



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- 1026 E **National Bank Note Co., 2c-3c Yellow Orange, Untrimmed Shield Die Essay on India (79-E28b).** 95 x 51mm with embossed design, **signed in pencil "Edmund Oldham"** at bottom, translucency at right from hinge

VERY FINE AND CHOICE. THE ONLY RECORDED EXAMPLE OF THIS 2-CENT-3-CENT DUAL ESSAY.

Edward Oldham was a prominent bank note engraver from Ireland. After emigrating to New York he worked at National Bank Note Co. from 1863 until his death in 1894 (see *A History of Long Island* by Peter Ross, 1902, at Google Books).

Ex "Lake Shore" and Drews. E. 1,500-2,000

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- 1027 E **National Bank Note Co., 3c Green, Untrimmed Die Essay on Wove Paper (79-E28H).** 67 x 38mm, rich color, couple small thin spots, still Very Fine, rare..... 1,250.00
- 1028 E **National Bank Note Co., 1c Red Brown, Die Essay on Thick Yellow Wove Paper, Grilled (79-E29f var).** 25 x 31mm, original gum, clear 14 x 16 points E Grill at center, vivid color which is striking on this deep yellow paper, Very Fine and rare, we have offered several of these essays with grill on thin white paper (79-E29h), but this is the first we have offered on this yellow wove paper, this ties to the Macdonough signed E Grill essay offered in our Drews sale (Sale 1195, lot 255), ex Finkelburg and Drews, unlisted in Scott on this paper with grill, Scott Retail as normal 79-E29f without grill..... 1,750.00

- 1029 E **National Bank Note Co., 1c Carmine & Blue, Untrimmed Die Essay on Thin White Paper (79-E35a var).** 42 x 59mm with uncleared surrounds and die cutouts at sides, usual small paper imperfections as seen on similar issues

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. THIS ESSAY FOR THE ONE-CENT DENOMINATION IS NOT LISTED IN SCOTT OR BRAZER, AND MAY WELL BE UNIQUE. A GREAT 1861-68 ISSUE ESSAY RARITY.

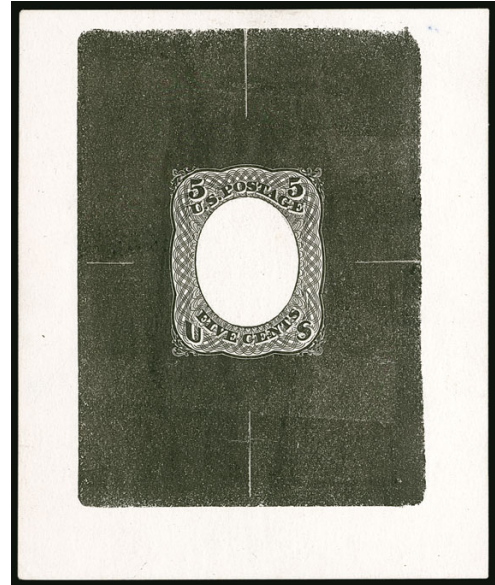
The 5c essays listed as 79-E35a use elements of 1861 Issue designs. They were created in 1868 for experiments in bicolor printing, which would be employed for the 15c-90c 1869 Pictorial Issue. We believe they are among the most beautiful of all essays and proofs. The 1c denomination in lieu of the 5c offered here is extraordinary and believed to be unique.

Ex Finkelburg and Drews. Scott prices the 5c essay trimmed to stamp size at \$2,000.00 E. 1,500-2,000

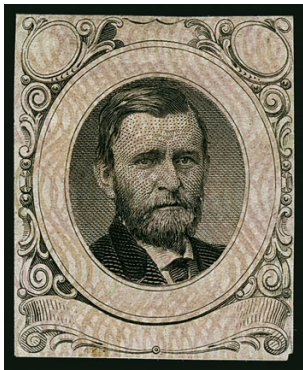
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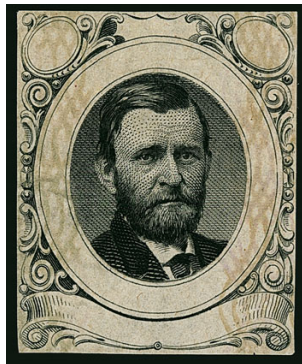
- 1030 E **National Bank Note Co., 5c Black, Untrimmed Die Essay of Frame Only on Ivory Paper (79-E35c).** Large margins measuring 62 x 75mm, Very Fine and choice example of this rare essay, even rarer than the bicolor 5c essays which precede it, ex "Lake Shore" and Drews....
..... 2,000.00



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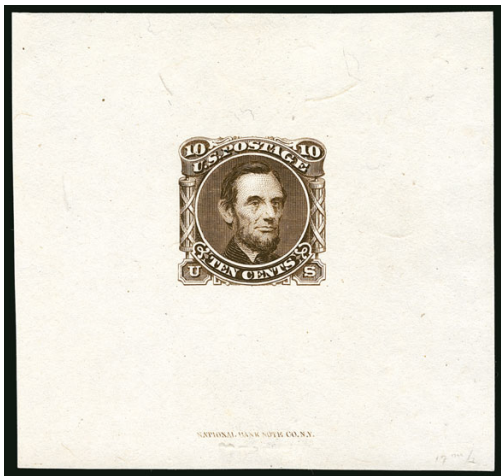


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- 1031 E **[No Value] George T. Jones Grant Essay on India (112-E1b).** Black with light violet overprint, full margins all around, fresh and Very Fine example of this rare essay, ex Finkelburg 3,250.00
- 1032 E **[No Value] George T. Jones Grant Essay on India (112-E1b).** Black with light gray overprint (possibly faded violet, but if gray then unlisted color combination), intense shade, faint corner crease only visible when drying, Very Fine appearance, Scott Retail as listed color..... 3,250.00



1033EX

- 1033 E **National Bank Note Co., 10c Lincoln, Large Die Essays on India, Proof Paper (116-E1c, 116-E1d).** Comprehensive group of 17 large die essays on India and proof paper, mounted on album pages, sizes range from 65 x 71mm to slightly smaller with many showing imprints (the proofs on India do not show any die sinkage), only two cut down to smaller 26 x 26mm sizes, wide range of colors, a few typical flaws to be expected but overall fresh and colorful
VERY FINE GROUP OF 1869 10-CENT LINCOLN LARGE DIE ESSAYS. ALMOST NEVER SEEN IN THIS DEPTH.
A few may have their paper misidentified but that is inconsequential. Scott Retail values are only \$100.00 different between India and proof paper.....
.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 17,600.00



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- 1034 E **National Bank Note Co., 10c Dim Rose, Declaration of Independence, Large Die Essay on India (116-E2a).** On 80 x 57mm card, small corner thins from prior mounting far from the design

VERY FINE. A RARE 10-CENT 1869 ESSAY WITH THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE VIGNETTE ENGRAVED BY JAMES SMILLIE, WHICH WAS ULTIMATELY USED FOR THE 24-CENT DENOMINATION.

This vignette is a miniature engraving by James Smillie, based on a painting by Trumbull which hangs in the Rotunda of the U.S. Capitol. Contrary to popular belief, the scene depicted by Trumbull is not the signing ceremony, but the presentation of the draft. It has been written that the 30c stamp was changed from the Surrender of Burgoyne to the Eagle, Shield and Flags design to avoid offending the British. If true, it seems odd that officials would choose to use the Declaration of Independence "1776" design for the 24c stamp, which was far more likely to adorn mail to England (the basic rate was 12c)..... 4,250.00

- 1035 E **National Bank Note Co., 10c Lincoln, Die Essay on Ivory Paper (116-E1e).** Complete set of all four colors, from 63 x 68mm to 55 x 65mm, each with imprint at bottom, one corner each on Black and Blue with small thin spot from mount removal (as nearly always found on the ivory paper essays), Very Fine, a lovely complete set.....
..(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 4,000.00



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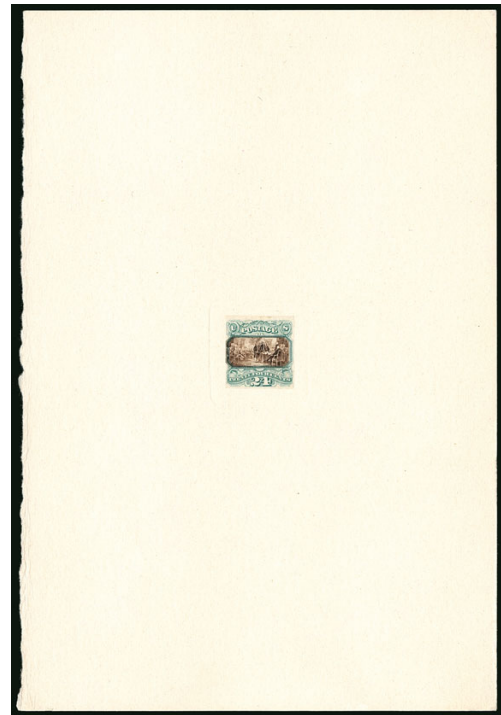
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- 1036 E **National Bank Note Co., 10c Orange Yellow, Declaration of Independence, Large Die Essay on India (116-E2a).** 50 x 42mm, off card, vibrant color, couple typical small India paper translucencies or thins, still Very Fine, a rare and desirable essay, Scott Retail as die sunk on card 4,250.00



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- 1037 E **National Bank Note Co., 30c Black, Burgoyne Plate Essay on Thin Surface-Tinted Paper (121-E1p).** Two items, bottom margin block of four on pale gray paper, also bottom **imprint margin** pair on pale pink paper, Very Fine and choice, fresh and desirable examples of the Burgoyne essay, Scott Retail as singles 1,650.00



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- 1038 P **24c Green & Violet, Hybrid Large Die Proof on India (120P1).** Stamp size, mounted on India and block sunk on 154 x 227mm card, vignette shifted slightly to left, from a salesman's sample book, Very Fine, the 24c large die proof only exists as a hybrid, ex Price, with 1988 P.F. certificate 550.00



1039EX

- 1039 P **1c-90c 1869 Pictorial, Small Die Proofs on Wove (112P2-122P2).** Complete set including both 15c types, on original gray card backing, rich colors
VERY FINE SET OF 1869 PICTORIAL SMALL DIE PROOFS FROM A ROOSEVELT PRESENTATION ALBUM.
It is believed that only 85 Roosevelt albums were produced.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 4,575.00

- 1040 P田 **1c-90c 1869 Pictorial, Plate Proofs on India (112P3-122P3, 129P3).** Blocks of four, including both 15c, the 2c, 3c, both 15c, 24c and 30c with sheet margin, one 90c small natural thin as often seen on this fragile paper
VERY FINE-EXTREMELY FINE. A DESIRABLE SET OF BLOCKS OF THE 1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE PLATE PROOFS ON INDIA PAPER.
This is a scarce set of blocks on India paper..(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 5,260.00



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1041EX

- 1041 P **1c-90c 1869 Pictorial, Plate Proofs on Card (112P4-117P4, 119P3, 120P4-122P4, 129P4).** Complete set of 11, 15c Type II is an India proof with large top right corner margins, 15c Type III and all others are card proofs, large margins throughout, bright colors, Very Fine-Extremely Fine set.....
(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 1,135.00

- 1042 TC **15c 1869 Pictorial, Atlanta Trial Color Plate Proofs on Card (129TC4).** Complete set of 15, brilliant colors, large margins throughout

VERY FINE. A BEAUTIFUL SET OF ATLANTA TRIAL COLOR PROOFS FOR THE 15-CENT LANDING OF COLUMBUS 1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE.

The Atlanta trial color plate proofs on card were prepared for display at the 1881 International Cotton Exposition in Atlanta. Only one sheet of 100 of each value/color was printed. The design of the 15c value is based on the painting *Landing of Columbus* by John Vanderlyn, which hangs in the U.S. Capitol Rotunda.....

.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 5,625.00



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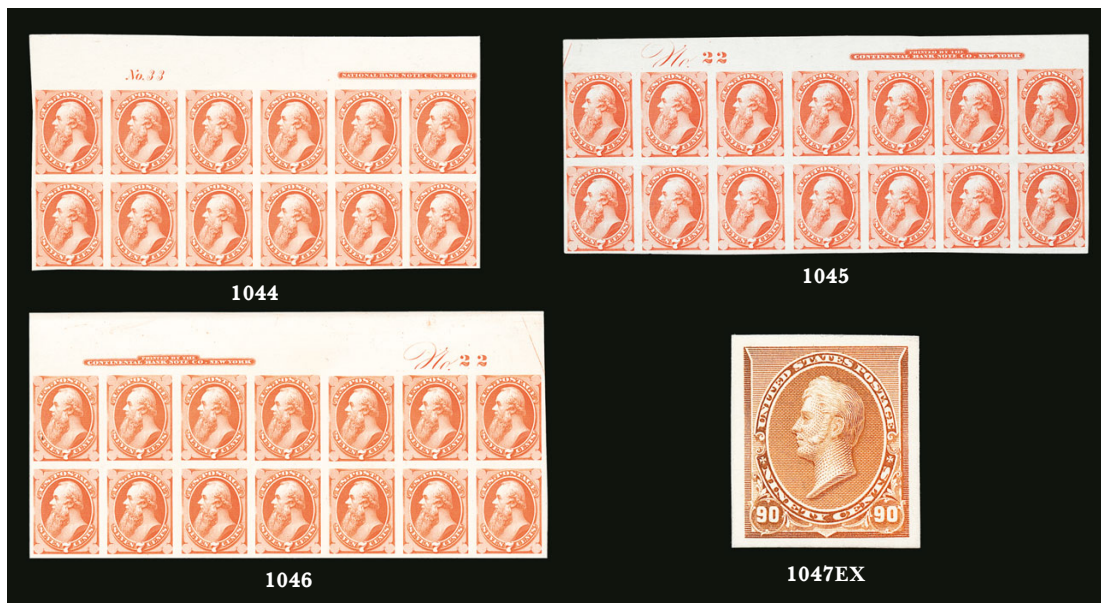


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- 1043 TC **24c 1869 Pictorial, Atlanta Trial Color Plate Proofs on Card (130TC4).** Complete set of 12, brilliant colors, large margins throughout

VERY FINE. A BEAUTIFUL SET OF ATLANTA TRIAL COLOR PROOFS FOR THE 24-CENT SIGNING OF THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE 1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE.

The Atlanta trial color plate proofs on card were prepared for display at the 1881 International Cotton Exposition in Atlanta. Only one sheet of 100 of each value/color was printed. The 24c vignette is based on John Trumbull's oil painting *Declaration of Independence*.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 4,500.00



- 1044 P 7c Vermilion, Plate Proof on India (149P3). Top imprint and plate no. 33 block of 12, on original card backing and so free of the flaws normally encountered with India paper, large margins all around, brilliant color, Extremely Fine plate block, wonderful quality..... 750.00
- 1045 P 7c Orange Vermilion, Plate Proof on India (160P3). Top left imprint, plate no. 22 and half arrow block of 14, fresh and bright, outstanding condition with **none** of the small flaws that typically afflict these India paper proofs, Extremely Fine..... 1,150.00
- 1046 P 7c Orange Vermilion, Plate Proof on Card (160P4). Top imprint, plate no. 22 and half arrow block of 14, brilliant color, large even margins on other sides, top left stamp tiny mark, fresh and Very Fine, a rare plate block, unpriced in Scott as a plate block on card, Scott Retail on India is \$1,150.00 but this is far rarer, Power Search lists approximately a half-dozen plate blocks on India and **none** on card apart from this example, this comes from the Lilly sheet that was broken up..... E. 1,000-1,500
- 1047 P 1c-90c 1890-93 Issue, Plate Proofs on Card (219P4-229P4). Large margins throughout except for 8c with two margins touching, fresh colors, Very Fine set(Photo Ex) 620.00



1048EX

- 1048 P 1c-\$5.00 Columbian, Small Die Proofs on Wove (230P2-245P2). Complete set on original card backing, deep rich colors

VERY FINE. AN EXTREMELY FRESH AND CHOICE COMPLETE SET OF THE COLUMBIAN ISSUE SMALL DIE PROOFS FROM A ROOSEVELT PRESENTATION ALBUM.

It is believed that only 85 Roosevelt albums were produced.(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 5,850.00

- 1049 P 1c-\$5.00 Columbian, Small Die Proofs on Wove (230P2-245P2). Complete set on original card backing, deep rich colors
- VERY FINE AND CHOICE COMPLETE SET OF THE COLUMBIAN ISSUE SMALL DIE PROOFS FROM A ROOSEVELT PRESENTATION ALBUM.
- It is believed that only 85 Roosevelt albums were produced.(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 5,850.00



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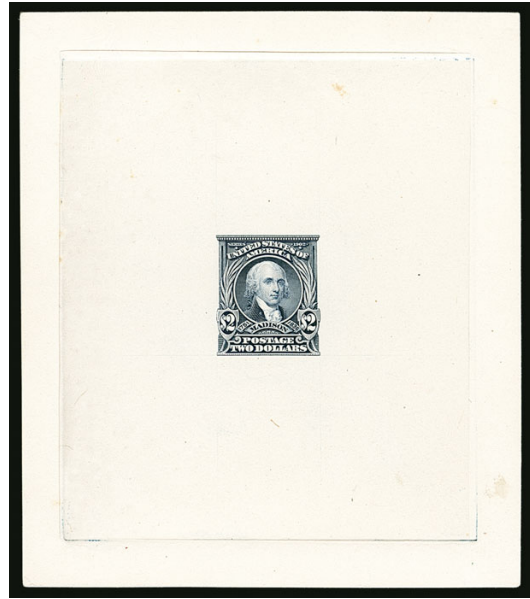
- 1050 P **1c-\$5.00 Columbian, Plate Proofs on India (230P3-245P3).** Complete set less the 30c value, huge margins to full on a few sides and one corner of the 10c close, brilliant colors, a few minor India paper translucencies as normal, 10c with tiny margin stain, fresh and Very Fine, the 30c could be inexpensively obtained to complete this set.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 3,165.00
- 1051 TC **1c Dark Blue, Large Die Trial Color Proof on India (246TC1af).** On 71 x 72mm card with full die sinkage, American die imprint at bottom, rich color, India with light crease at bottom left, still Very Fine, scarce, ex Brazer and "Whitpain", listed but unpriced in Scott, which prices others of the set at between \$1,000.00 and \$1,500.00..... E. 400-500
- 1052 P **50c Orange, Large Die Proof on India (260P1).** On 155 x 200mm card with full die sinkage, India slightly smaller than die sinkage area, brilliant color, Very Fine, this was mounted in the consignor's collection as an unlisted progressive die proof (or essay) of the incomplete design, we have examined it and cannot see any missing design elements so offered as a die proof, worth further study 450.00
- 1053 P **\$2.00 Dark Blue, Large Die Proof on India (262P1).** Die sunk on 55 x 60mm card, fresh and Extremely Fine 500.00

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- 1054 E **1c-\$2.00 Trans-Mississippi, Bi-Color Large Die Essays on India (285-E8a to 293-E7a).** On approximately 200 x 150mm cards with full die sinkage, 4c hybrid with trace of oxidation, deep rich colors on fresh white cards
VERY FINE. A BEAUTIFUL SET OF THE TRANS-MISSISSIPPI BI-COLOR LARGE DIE ESSAYS.
Of the 166 sets printed in these colors, many were hybrids.(Photo Ex) 6,550.00

- 1055 P **\$2.00 Dark Blue, Large Die Proof on India (312P1).** On 92 x 105mm card with full die sinkage, intense shade, tiny inconsequential toned speck near top, Very Fine and extremely rare large die proof of the 1902 Issue, only four of the \$2.00 are believed to exist, ex Brody 2,500.00



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- 1056 E **2c Brown Black, Post Office, Large Die Essay on White Ivory Paper (O48-E1c).** 66 x 76mm, bright color and detailed impression, fresh and Very Fine, ex Fekete.... 1,750.00
- 1057 E **3c Orange Red, Post Office, Die Essay on White Ivory Paper (O49-E4c).** 50 x 56mm, radiant color, small thin spots not affecting design (commonly found on the Ivory paper essays), Very Fine appearance, ex Fekete 1,750.00
- 1058 TC **1c-90c Justice, Atlanta Trial Color Plate Proofs (O25TC4e-O34TC4e).** Complete set of blocks of four in Blue, large margins to full except 30c touched at top, Very Fine set, Scott Retail as singles.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 1,480.00
- 1059 P **1c-\$20.00 State, Plate Proofs on India, Card (O57P3-O71P3, O57P4-O71P4).** Complete sets, large margins to ample, Fine-Very Fine sets(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 881.00

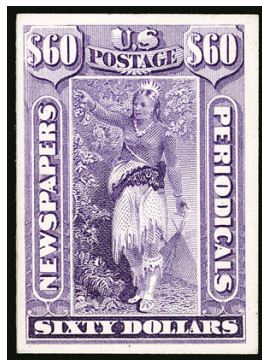


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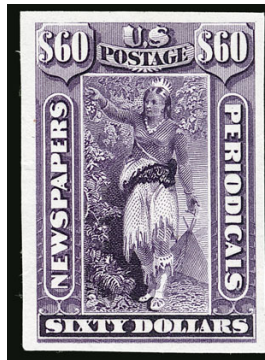
- 1060 田 **Newspapers & Periodicals, 2c-\$60.00 1875 Issue, Plate Proofs on Card (PR9P4-PR32P4).** Complete set in **matched bottom imprint blocks of ten**, full to large margins other sides, absolutely brilliant colors, the 2c, 4c, 12c and 24c with a small tear at bottom, the 10c, \$12.00 and \$60.00 with a small nick at bottom, otherwise very fresh

VERY FINE. A SPECTACULAR COMPLETE SET OF PLATE PROOFS ON CARD FOR THE 1875 NEWSPAPERS & PERIODICALS ISSUE, IN IMPRINT BLOCKS OF TEN.

Ex Kotanchik.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 4,000-5,000



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- 1061 P **1c-\$60.00 Newspapers & Periodicals, Plate Proofs on Card (PR5P4-PR7P4, PR9P4-PR32P4, PR81P4).** Large margins, rich colors, includes envelopes and 1865 and 1874 stamps, Very Fine group.....(Photo Ex) 528.00
- 1062 P **1c-\$60.00 Newspapers & Periodicals, Plate Proofs on India (PR57P3/PR81P3).** Complete set of 25 plus the 1c 1885 Issue, large margins, bright colors, usual small flaws as found on this fragile paper, Very Fine set(Photo Ex) 600.00
- 1063 P **1c-\$100.00 1895 Newspaper & Periodicals, Small Die Proofs on Wove (PR102P2-PR113P2).** From a Roosevelt Presentation album, mounted on gray card, fresh and Very Fine set, it is believed only 85 were produced(Photo Ex) 1,380.00
- 1064 P **Newspapers & Periodicals, Plate Proofs Accumulation.** More than 240 items, mostly plate proofs on card with a few on India (including a pair), from 1c-\$60.00, much duplication, some shade variety, also a group of Specimens, Fine-Very Fine accumulation*Not illustrated* E. 500-750
- 1065 P **Proofs Balance.** Including a set of 1c-90c Bank Note plate proofs on India (145P3-155P3), also several 1893 Small Bank Note imperforate pairs, three on stamp paper and one on India, State Department \$2.00-\$5.00 plate proofs on card, 10c, 30c and 50c Postage Due plate proofs on card with large bottom sheet margins, finally four Large Bank Notes with "Sample" or "Sample A" overprints, overall Very Fine balance.....(Website PDF) E. 500-750

"SPECIMEN" OVERPRINTS



- 1066 S **5c Brown, Specimen Overprint Ty. A. (76S-A).** 1863 shade, manuscript "Issued 1861" on back, single short perf at top not mentioned on accompanying certificate, appears Very Fine, an extremely rare 5c 1861 Issue Type A Specimen, ex Diamond and Drews, with 2014 P.F. certificate 3,000.00
- 1067 S **30c Orange, F. Grill, Specimen Overprint Ty. A. (100S-A).** Small manuscript check mark, fresh color, Very Fine and rare, probably fewer than five are known and this is arguably the finest, ex Drews 1,250.00
- 1068 S **30c Orange, F. Grill, Specimen Overprint Ty. A. (100S-A).** Manuscript "Issue 1861" on back, bright color, Fine and rare, probably fewer than five are known, ex Diamond and Drews, with 1953 and 2014 P.F. certificates 1,250.00
- 1069 S **1c-\$5.00 1897 Universal Postal Congress Overprints (264-276S-O, 277S-O, 278S-O).** Unused (no gum), rich colors, few minor imperfections, otherwise Very Fine, 125 sets were distributed to delegates to the Universal Postal Congress in 1897, most sets (including this one) are not intact (Photo Ex/Website PDF) 2,100.00
- 1070 S **1c-\$5.00 1897 Universal Postal Congress Overprints (264-278S-O).** Complete set of 1895 Bureau regular issues with overprint, original gum, small h.r. except \$1.00 Ty. II no gum, few small faults including 50c slightly oxidized, Fine-Very Fine appearance, scarce complete set (Photo Ex/Website PDF) 2,400.00
- 1071 S **1897 Universal Postal Congress Overprints (273-278S-O, E5S-O, J38-J44S-O, PR114-125S-O).** Group of 40 stamps neatly mounted on album pages annotated in German, including 10c, 15c and \$5.00 1895 Bureau Issue, Special Delivery, two complete sets of the Postage Due 1c-50c Deep Claret and two complete sets of the Newspaper & Periodicals 1c-\$100.00 1895-97 Issue, mix of original gum and some part or no gum, rich colors, Fine-Very Fine, only 125 sets of each were produced (Photo Ex/Website PDF) 7,270.00
- 1072 S **1c-\$5.00 1902 Issue, Specimen Overprint Ty. E (300-313S-E, 319S-E).** Overprints in various positions including sides and bottom, some including three dollar-values split, h.r., No. 319 no gum, \$5.00 pulled perf at top, otherwise Fine-Very Fine set, scarce with the extra 2c Shield (Photo Ex/Website PDF) 3,060.00
- 1073 S **1c-\$5.00 1902 Issue, Specimen Overprint Ty. E (300-313S-E).** Overprints in various positions including sides, top and bottom, a few such as \$5.00 split side to side, h.r., 15c s.e. at left, Fine-Very Fine and scarce set (Photo Ex/Website PDF) 2,950.00
- 1074 S **1c-\$5.00 1902 Issue, Specimen Overprint Ty. E (300-313S-E).** Complete set, original gum, several have minor h.r., 2c corner crease, 6c s.e., 1c-50c Fine-Very Fine, \$1.00 Fine, \$2.00 and \$5.00 Extremely Fine, rarely found in the choice condition of this set .. (Photo Ex/Website PDF) 2,950.00

POSTMASTERS' PROVISIONALS



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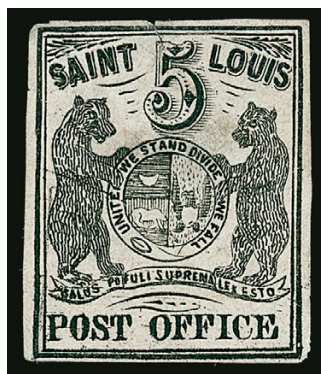


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- 1075 **New York N.Y., 5c Black, "ACM" Initials (9X1).** Large to full margins, single stroke blue pen cancel, Very Fine and choice 475.00
- 1076 **New York N.Y., 5c Black, "A.C.M." Initials (9X1b).** Large margins, intense shade, cancelled solely by red circular datestamp, fresh and Extremely Fine, with 2004 P.F. certificate 775.00
- 1077 **New York N.Y., 5c Black, Without Signature (9X1e).** Full to ample margins, intense shade, blue pen cancel, Very Fine, with 1980 P.F. certificate stating pelure paper (and the old 9X1d Scott number)..... 900.00
- 1078 ★ **Providence, Rhode Island, 5c Gray Black (10X1).** Position 7, original gum, lightly hinged, large margins all around including **left sheet margin**, bright shade, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (OGph, XF-Superb 95; Postmasters' Provisionals are unpriced in SMQ) 350.00



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- 1079 **St. Louis Mo., 5c Black on Greenish (11X1).** Type I, Position 1, certified in 1971 as unused (no gum), but cleaned and offered on its own merits since we are not confident it will be recertified as such, full to ample margins, defective (including a closed tear at top) but faults generally not visible on face
- VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A DESIRABLE UNUSED APPEARING EXAMPLE OF THE 5-CENT ST. LOUIS POSTMASTER'S PROVISIONAL.
- Power Search reveals we have sold four different unused or unused appearing singles (including this example) and one unused pair since keeping computerized records.
- With 1971 P.F. certificate. Scott value for unused is \$50,000.00 E. 2,000-3,000

- 1080 **St. Louis Mo., 10c Black on Gray Lilac (11X5).** Type II, Position 4, huge margins to clear including part of adjoining stamp at left, light strike of red St. Louis circular datestamp and pen squiggle cancel, small filled-in thin spot at right center is barely noticeable

VERY FINE APPEARING EXAMPLE OF THE 10-CENT ST. LOUIS POSTMASTER'S PROVISIONAL ON GRAY LILAC PAPER.

Ex Wingate. 1998 P.F. certificate no longer accompanies..... 12,500.00



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1847 ISSUE



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1085EX

- 1081 (★) **5c Dark Brown (1a).** Unused (no gum), intense dark shade and sharp First Printing impression, large margins to clear on two corners, tiny tear at bottom and light horizontal crease above vignette, otherwise a strong Fine that many would call Very Fine, great eye appeal and a very scarce unused First Printing 5c 1847 stamp, with 2020 P.F. certificate 2,400.00
- 1082 **5c Red Brown (1).** Two, large margins to ample, slightly overlapping and tied by red "St. Louis Mo. 10 Feb. 8" integral-rate circular datestamp on small piece, left stamp also tied by manuscript from address, Very Fine..... 700.00
- 1083 **5c Brown Orange (1d).** Large even margins all around, bold blue grid cancel, beautiful rich color, Extremely Fine, with 2013 P.F. certificate (VF-XF 85) — in our opinion, this should grade XF 90 1,040.00
- 1084 **10c Black (2).** Large margins to ample at bottom, bold strike of Baltimore blue numeral "10" in oval cancel, Very Fine 1,075.00
- 1085 **5c-10c New York Provisional, 1847 Issues (9X1, 1-2).** 9X1 with margins to touched, light strike of red handstamp cancel without pen cancel, Fine, 5c 1847 with ample margins, lightly cancelled in blue, Very Fine, 10c 1847 with margins to touched, blue grid cancel, light horizontal crease, appears Fine, nice trio of U.S. First Issues, including the provisional(Photo Ex) 1,690.00

1875 REPRODUCTION OF 1847 ISSUE



- 1086 ★ **5c Red Brown, Reproduction (3).** Without gum as issued, large margins all around, brilliant color on nicely blued paper, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$1,850.00), only six grade higher..... 900.00
- 1087 ★ **5c Red Brown, Reproduction (3).** Without gum as issued, large margins, rich color on blued paper, Extremely Fine..... 900.00
- 1088 ★ **5c Red Brown, Reproduction (3).** Without gum as issued, large to full margins, bright color, Very Fine and choice, with 1979 P.F. and 2013 P.S.E. certificates (VF 80; SMQ \$900.00) 900.00
- 1089 ★ **5c Red Brown, Reproduction (3).** Without gum as issued, large margins to full at lower left, rich color, tiny natural inclusion in top margin, Very Fine..... 900.00
- 1090 ★ **5c Red Brown, 10c Black Reproductions (3, 4).** Without gum as issued, fresh colors, both with a faint crease visible when drying, appear Fine..... 2,000.00
- 1091 ★ **10c Black, Reproduction (4).** Without gum as issued, large margins all around, strong impression, Very Fine and choice (arguably Extremely Fine and graded VF-XF), with 2012 P.S.E. certificate (VF-XF 85; SMQ \$1,250.00)..... 1,100.00
- 1092 ★ **10c Black, Reproduction (4).** Without gum as issued, full to ample margins, intense shade, Very Fine..... 1,100.00



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1851-56 ISSUE

- 1093 **1c Blue, Ty. Ib (5A).** Position 5R1E, large to full margins at left and top, just in at bottom and right, bright shade, sharp early impression, a Fine sound example of this scarce stamp, with 1987 P.F. certificate..... 7,000.00



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- 1094 **1c Blue, Ty. Ia (6).** Plate 4, F Relief from bottom row, margins to in at top but showing type-defining complete design at bottom, circular datestamp and red boxed handstamp cancels, corner thin spot, otherwise Fine..... 9,500.00
- 1095 **1c Blue, Ty. Ia (6).** Position 92R4, large margins to touching in a couple places, intense color and impression, pen cancel, Fine, with 2014 P.S.E. certificate 4,750.00
- 1096 **1c Blue, Ty. II (7).** Plate 1E, horizontal strip of three, bright early shade, full margins to just in at bottom, neat strikes of **blue** grid cancel, Fine-Very Fine 445.50

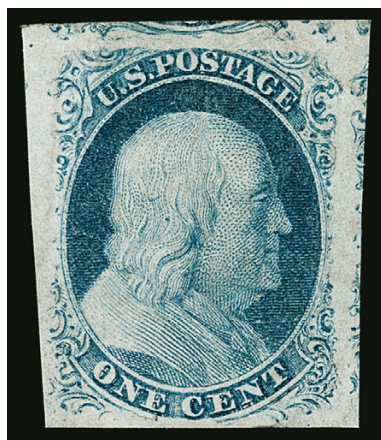
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1c Blue, Ty. III, Position 99R2 (8). Huge margins to full at bottom, the type characteristics clearly visible, rich color, very lightly cancelled, two thin spots and small corner creases at right

EXTREMELY FINE APPEARING EXAMPLE OF THE RARE 1851 IMPERFORATE ONE-CENT TYPE III FROM POSITION 99R2. THIS POSITION PRODUCED THE BEST EXAMPLE OF TYPE III, WITH THE WIDEST BREAKS AT TOP AND BOTTOM.

Type III is defined by breaks in the outer lines at both top and bottom. Many Type III stamps have breaks that were created or enlarged by plate wear. Since the wear occurred over a period of time, a majority of stamps of this type (both unused and used) have small breaks in at least one line. The most notable exception is Position 99R2. According to the Neinken book, "The 99R2 stamp is a fresh entry, that was short transferred both at top and bottom, over an original entry that had been erased... The reason that 99R2 is the finest example of Type III is because of its very short transfer at top and at bottom, giving us the wide breaks in these lines." (p. 184).

With 2020 P.F. certificate..... 5,750.00



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- 1098 **1c Blue, Ty. III (8).** Plate 4, three large to huge margins, ample at top, clear breaks in outer frame-lines at top and bottom, lovely color and sharp impression, partial circular datestamp cancel across top left

VERY FINE. AN EXCEPTIONAL USED EXAMPLE OF THE IMPERFORATE ONE-CENT 1851 TYPE III FROM PLATE FOUR.

With 1999 and 2013 P.F. certificates (VF-XF 85) 1,600.00



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- 1099 **1c Blue, Ty. IIIa (8A).** Plate 1E, large margins to just touching at left and slightly in at right, bright Plate 1 Early shade, red **"Boston"** circular datestamp, Fine, with 2010 P.F. certificate (F-VF 75)..... 925.00
- 1100 **1c Blue, Ty. IIIa (8A).** Plate 4, rich color, light strike of New York circular datestamp cancel, tiny corner crease at bottom left not mentioned on certificate, appears Fine, with 1988 P.F. certificate 1,200.00
- 1101 **1c Blue, Ty. IV (9).** Horizontal strip of three with left sheet margin, Positions 61-63R1L indicated on back, each recut once at top, large margins, circular datestamp cancels, right two stamps light diagonal crease, the left sheet margin stamp is Extremely Fine..... 300.00
- 1102 田 **3c Dull Red, Ty. II (11A).** Block of six, large margins to just in at upper left including part of adjoining stamps at bottom, bright color, bold grid cancels, vertical crease at left, Fine-Very Fine appearance, Brun backstamp, Scott Retail as block of four and pair 2,550.00



1103

- 1103 (★) **3c Dull Red, Ty. II, Chicago Perf 11 (11A var).** Position 97R2L with wide imperforate bottom sheet margin, unused (no gum), remarkably precise centering, very slight oxidation

VERY FINE. ONE OF 33 RECORDED EXAMPLES FROM THE "SAMPLE A" SHEET WITH THE HADLEY 11-GAUGE CHICAGO PERFORATIONS.

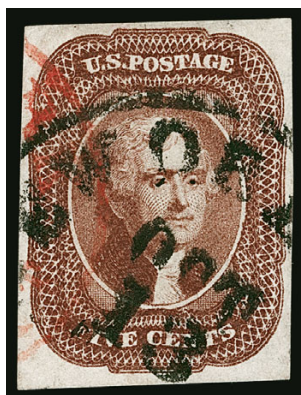
This stamp was originally part of the Chase block of 21 and subsequently part of a pair. The other stamp in the pair (Position 98R2L) was offered in our 2010 sale of the Wagshal collection (Sale 996, lot 3178). A total of 33 "Sample A" Chicago Perf stamps are recorded, including a block of nine, two blocks of six and a block of four. There are four contiguous stamps from the Chase piece that have not been accounted for and may or may not still exist as a block. The examples from the Sample "A" sheet are the only known unused 3c stamps with Chicago perforations. There are no known unused examples with the gauge 12.5 perforations.

From our 1980 Rarities sale and ex "Lake Shore". With 2005 P.F. certificate 6,500.00

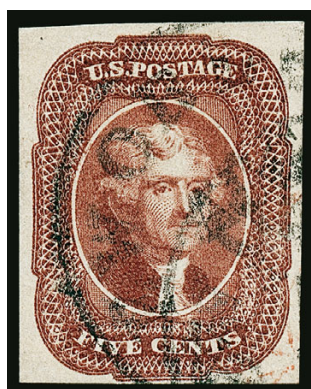
- 1104 **5c Red Brown (12).** Large to huge margins including portion of adjoining stamp at bottom, rich color on bright paper, neat "Nov. 10" circular datestamp, Extremely Fine Gem, with 1996 P.F. and 2011 P.S.E. certificates (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$2,100.00) 700.00



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- 1105 **5c Red Brown (12).** Large to full margins, deep rich color, neat New Orleans circular datestamp and part of **red** cancel at left, Very Fine and choice, with 1973 Brett certificate and backstamp..... 875.00
- 1106 **5c Red Brown (12).** Large margins to ample at bottom, rich color, circular datestamp cancels, Very Fine 700.00
- 1107 **5c Red Brown (12).** Large margins to ample at right, circular datestamp cancels, Very Fine, with 2007 P.F. certificate 700.00



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- 1108 **5c Red Brown (12).** Horizontal pair, full to large margins all around, rich color, light strike of New Orleans circular datestamp, faint horizontal crease at top, Very Fine-Extremely Fine appearance, an attractive pair 1,600.00



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- 1109 **10c Green, Ty. I (13).** Large margins all around, rich color nicely complemented by **red grid** cancel, Extremely Fine, a 10c Type I with great visual appeal, with 1999 P.F. certificate..... 900.00

- 1110 **10c Green, Ty. IV (16).** Position 65L1, recut at top, large margins to close at right, strong color and impression, town cancel, about Very Fine, with 2000 P.S.E. certificate..... 1,600.00



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- 1111 **10c Green, Ty. IV (16).** Position 3R1, recut at top, the **misplaced relief** position showing breaks in lines above each "X", full margins to clear at top, face-free strike of rim of circular datestamp, tiny corner crease at bottom right, Very Fine appearing example of one of only three misplaced reliefs on the plate and the only recut position from the right pane, with 1984 P.F. certificate 1,600.00

- 1112 **12c Black (17).** Huge margins including part of adjoining stamp at right, intense shade on bright white paper nicely contrasted by dark **blue** Cincinnati circular datestamp, Extremely Fine, with 2002 P.F. certificate 265.00



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END OF SESSION ONE

SESSION TWO (LOTS 1113-1402)
WEDNESDAY, MAY 27, 2020, AT 1:30 P.M.

1857-60 ISSUE



- 1113 **1c Blue, Ty. I (18).** Plate 12, C Relief, choice margins and centering, particularly for this tightly spaced issue, rich color, **red New York Paid City Delivery circular datestamp** cancel, Extremely Fine, Type I perforated stamps are only known from certain positions on Plate 12, this example with bright color and vivid red carrier cancel is a condition rarity, with 1979, 2005 and 2017 P.F. certificates (VF-XF 85)..... 545.00
- 1114 **1c Blue, Ty. I (18).** Plate 12, C Relief, bright color, town cancel, extra wide margin at right and most of design shows, Very Fine, with 1986 P.F. certificate..... 450.00
- 1115 **1c Blue, Ty. Ia (19).** Position 96L4, lightly cancelled, certificate states “small corner creases in three corners”, however two of these corners are neatly repaired, Fine appearance, with 2013 P.S.A.G. certificate, Scott Retail \$9,000.00 E. 400-500
- 1116 **1c Blue, Ty. III (21).** Position 26R4, well-centered, rich color and a well-incised impression, light cancel, Very Fine and choice, with 2013 P.F. certificate (VF 80)..... 1,600.00
- 1117 **1c Blue, Ty. IIIa (22).** Plate 12, **blue target** cancel, Very Fine, with 1997 P.S.E. certificate 520.00
- 1118 ★★ **1c Blue, Ty. V (24).** **Mint N.H.**, rich color, well-balanced margins, light horizontal gum bend at top, fresh and Very Fine, with 1991 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail as hinged 140.00
- 1119 ★田 **1c Blue, Ty. V (24).** Block of nine and two blocks of four, original gum or slightly disturbed original gum, toning and a few small faults, Fine-Very Fine appearance **(Photo Ex)** 3,140.00



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- 1120 **1c Blue, Ty. V (24).** Wide margins and near mathematically perfectly centering, bright color on crisp paper, neat strike of San Francisco circular datestamp
EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A SPECTACULAR USED EXAMPLE OF THE 1857 ONE-CENT PERFORATED TYPE V, GRADED SUPERB 98 BY P.S.E.
With 2011 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$2,750.00). Only one stamp grades higher (at 98J) and no other stamp shares this grade..... 37.50



- 1121 **1c Blue, Ty. V (24).** Outstanding centering with balanced margins, rich color on bright white paper, neat strike of **red carrier cancel**, Extremely Fine Gem, a beautiful stamp, ex Yost, with 1996 P.F. and 2011 P.S.E. certificates (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$825.00 as normal cancel) 57.50
- 1122 **1c Blue, Ty. V (24).** Wide margins and choice centering, deep shade, beautifully clear strike of "Charleston S.C. Jan. 25, 1860" circular datestamp, fresh and Extremely Fine, with 2015 P.S.A.G. (90 used) and 2016 P.F. certificates (XF 90)..... 37.50
- 1123 **5c Brick Red (27).** Radiant color, choice centering, neat San Francisco circular datestamp cancel, most recent certificate notes short perfs at upper left, appears Extremely Fine, with 1999 and 2015 P.F. certificates 1,350.00
- 1124 **5c Indian Red (28A).** Deep intense color, sharp impression, light town cancel, some light staining on back not noted on certificate, Fine, with 1994 P.F. certificate 3,500.00
- 1125 **5c Orange Brown, Ty. II (30).** Intense shade approaching the Deep Orange Brown color, large "Paid" grid cancel, Very Fine, with 2000 P.F. certificate 1,300.00
- 1126 **12c Black, Plate 3 (36B).** Well-centered, lightly cancelled, sharp impression, Very Fine, with 2007 P.F. certificate 250.00
- 1127 **24c Gray Lilac, 30c Orange (37-38).** Unused (no gum), both with attractive margins and centering, 24c with small flaw at top (thin or sealed tear), appears Very Fine, 30c fresh and Fine.....(Photo Ex) 1,200.00

- 1128 **24c Gray Lilac (37).** Crisp shade and proof-like impression, light strike of **red** grid cancel
EXTREMELY FINE GEM USED EXAMPLE OF THE 1860 24-CENT GRAY LILAC.
With 2001 P.F. and 2014 P.S.E. certificates (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$4,000.00). Only six grade higher (at 98)..... 440.00



1128



- 1129 **30c Orange (38).** Two, one unused (no gum), Fine, other with New Orleans circular datestamp, Very Fine, each with Richter backstamp 1,125.00
- 1130 (★) **90c Blue (39).** Unused, certificate states “traces of gum”, though there is a thin layer of gum covering almost half the back, remarkably wide margins, intense color and impression, Extremely Fine, outstanding quality and the ideal stamp for a collector who cares more about condition than the state of gum, with 2003 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail \$3,000.00 as original gum, conservatively catalogued as no gum..... 1,300.00
- 1131 (★) **90c Blue (39).** Unused (no gum), well-balanced margins and rich color, two perfs at top right have been punched out, Very Fine appearance, with 2020 P.F. certificate 1,300.00
- 1132 (★) **90c Blue (39).** Unused (no gum), rich color, attractive margins and centering, a couple unpunched perfs at bottom, still Very Fine 1,300.00
- 1133 (★) **90c Blue (39).** Unused (no gum), faint horizontal crease at very bottom is visible only when drying, appears Fine, with 2020 P.F. certificate..... 1,300.00
- 1134 **90c Blue (39).** Clear circular datestamp cancel (appears to be New Orleans), faulty including small repairs, still very rare genuinely used, with 2020 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail \$10,000.00 E. 750-1,000

1875 REPRINT OF 1857-60 ISSUE



- 1135 ★ **1c Bright Blue, Reprint (40).** Without gum as issued, wide margins, lovely rich color on fresh white paper, Very Fine, with 2007 P.F. certificate..... 575.00
- 1136 ★ **3c-30c 1875 Reprint of 1857 Issue (41-42, 45-46).** Includes 3c, 5c, 24c and 30c, without gum as issued, bright and fresh colors, margins to in on at least one side, 3c with faults including reperfed and small corner thin spot, 24c with trimmed perfs at right, 30c with short perf, otherwise Fine appearing group(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 9,900.00
- 1137 ★ **3c Scarlet, Reprint (41).** Without gum as issued, vibrant color, typically tight margins but much better centered than most, a strong Fine and arguably Very Fine for this Reprint, only 479 sold, with 2012 P.F. certificate 2,750.00
- 1138 ★ **5c Orange Brown, Reprint (42).** Without gum as issued, rich color and clear impression, Very Fine, 878 sold, with 1983, 1990 and 2010 P.F. certificates 1,150.00
- 1139 ★ **10c Blue Green, Reprint (43).** Without gum as issued, deep color, small thin spot and a few short perfs, Fine appearance, only 516 sold 2,500.00
- 1140 ★ **12c Greenish Black, Reprint (44).** Without gum as issued, crisp impression, some scissors-separation resulting in perf flaws, Fine appearance, only 489 sold..... 2,750.00
- 1141 ★ **24c Blackish Violet, Reprint (45).** Without gum as issued, natural straight edge at left, rich color, pulled perf at bottom, Fine appearance, only 479 sold..... 3,000.00
- 1142 ★ **30c Yellow Orange, Reprint (46).** Without gum as issued, bright color, certificate states “small defects”, Fine appearance, with 1978 P.F. certificate..... 3,000.00
- 1143 ★ **90c Deep Blue, Reprint (47).** Without gum as issued, deep color, reperfed at right, repaired at top left corner, Fine appearance, with 2013 P.S.A.G. certificate, Scott Retail \$3,500.00..... E. 300-400

1861-66 ISSUE

- 1144 **10c Dark Green, First Design (62B).** Choice centering with balanced margins, rich color on bright paper, light strike of grid cancel

EXTREMELY FINE USED EXAMPLE OF 10-CENT 1861 FIRST DESIGN. AN EXTREMELY DIFFICULT STAMP TO FIND WITH THIS CHOICE CENTERING.

With 1977, 1993 and 2004 P.F. certificates ... 1,600.00



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- 1145 **10c Dark Green, First Design (62B).** Deep rich color, light strike of grid cancel, fresh and Fine, with 2002 P.F. certificate 1,600.00

- 1146 ★ **3c Brown Rose, First Design (56).** Original gum, bright color, well-proportioned margins, Very Fine and choice, with 1984, 2002 and 2010 P.F. certificates 550.00

- 1147 **1c Blue (63).** Brilliant color, **blue Wells, Fargo & Co. Express** double-circle datestamp, Extremely Fine, scarce marking on the 1c 1861, with 2015 P.F. certificate..... E. 300-400

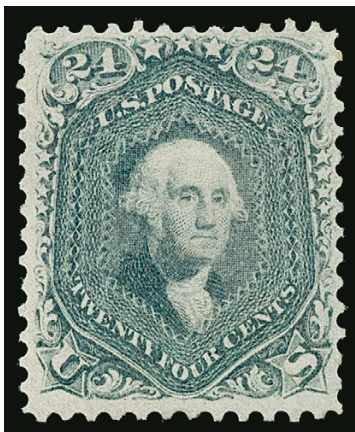
- 1148 **1c Dark Blue (63b).** Intense shade and impression, neat strike of "Providence R.I. Sept. 2, 1861" double-circle datestamp, well-proportioned margins, Extremely Fine, with 2015 P.S.A.G. certificate (XF 90) 875.00



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- 1149 **1c Dark Blue (63b)**. Intense shade in the distinctive Dark Blue, well-balanced margins, lightly cancelled, Extremely Fine, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate (VF-XF 85; SMQ \$925.00) 875.00
- 1150 **3c Rose Pink (64b)**. Brilliant color nicely complemented by **blue** Baltimore Feb. 28 circular datestamp, well-balanced margins, we detect a corner crease at top right, but not noted on certificate, Extremely Fine appearance, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate 165.00
- 1151 **3c Rose (65)**. Three used singles, first with **blue quartered cork** cancel, rich color and gorgeous centering, second with **blue target** cancel and also with superior centering and color, third with **blue** circular datestamp and also with beautiful centering, Extremely Fine Gems, each graded XF-Superb 95, first with 2014 P.F. certificate, other two with 2005 or 2018 P.S.E. certificate, total SMQ as all P.S.E. graded \$825.00 (Photo Ex) 12.00
- 1152 (★) **5c Buff, Olive Yellow (67, 67b)**. Two stamps which appear unused, No. 67 with cancel removed and regummed, corner creases, otherwise Fine, No. 67b just faintly cancelled, small paper adherence filling in for a missing perf at right, appears Fine, both with 2020 P.F. certificates, Scott value \$5,500.00 (Photo Ex) E. 750-1,000
- 1153 **5c Buff (67)**. Rich color, choice centering, bold strike of large Boston "Paid" and part of **blue** transit cancel, fresh and Extremely Fine, ex "Vineyard", with 1988, 2003 and 2015 P.F. certificates.. 780.00
- 1154 **10c Yellow Green (68)**. Deep rich color, beautiful centering with Jumbo margins, bold quartered cork cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2012 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95 Jumbo; SMQ \$1,750.00), only three grade higher (two at 98 and the massive 100J offered in our recent Morton sale) and only two others share this desirable grade..... 55.00
- 1155 **10c Yellow Green (68)**. Choice centering with well-proportioned margins, deep rich color, bold strike of **blue** Baltimore circular datestamp, Extremely Fine, a beautiful stamp, with 1999 P.F. certificate..... 60.00
- 1156 **10c Dark Green (68a)**. Remarkable Jumbo margins and dark rich color, circle of wedges cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, ex Dr. Morris, with 1996 and 2015 P.F. certificates (XF-Superb 95), deserves a "J" (Jumbo) appellation 47.00
- 1157 **12c Black (69)**. Detailed impression nicely complemented by **blue** grid cancel, beautiful centering, Extremely Fine Gem, dealer's small backstamp, with 2014 P.F. certificate (XF-Superb 95).. 95.00
- 1158 **12c Black (69)**. Intense shade and impression, choice centering, lightly and solely cancelled by **red** circular datestamp at lower left, Extremely Fine, a beautiful stamp, with 1996 P.F. certificate... 135.00
- 1159 **24c Red Lilac (70)**. Deep color, bold **red** grid cancel, Very Fine, with 2007 P.F. certificate .. 340.00



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1160 ★ **24c Steel Blue (70b).** Original gum, lightly hinged, well-centered with full perforations
 VERY FINE AND CHOICE. AN EXTREMELY RARE SOUND, ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE
 1861 24-CENT STEEL BLUE.

The Steel Blue is the most distinctive of all the 24c shades. Unlike some of the others, it is rarely mistaken or misidentified, and as such has always been a favorite of collectors. Examples with original gum are rare, and those with Very Fine or Extremely Fine centering are of tremendous rarity, probably numbering no more than a dozen, and some of those have faults.

With 2001 P.F. certificate 16,500.00



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- 1161 **24c Violet, Thin Paper (70c).** Brilliant color, well-centered, neat strike of **blue target** cancel, fresh and Very Fine, with 2020 P.F. certificate..... 2,275.00
- 1162 **30c Orange (71).** Radiant color, neat "Virginia City Nev. Jul. 24" circular datestamp and additional **red** cancel at upper left, well-balanced margins, Extremely Fine, with 2015 P.F. certificate (VF-XF 85)..... 210.00
- 1163 (★) **90c Blue (72).** Unused (no gum), gorgeous centering with unusually wide and balanced margins, Extremely Fine, a beautiful stamp, with 1983 P.F. and 1989 P.S.E. certificates .. 1,200.00



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- 1164 **2c Black (73).** Bright shade and detailed impression, beautiful centering with balanced margins, unusual cork cancel, retaining most of its original gum, Extremely Fine Gem, ex Merlin, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$750.00), only five grade higher..... 55.00
- 1165 **2c Black (73).** Intense shade and impression nicely complemented by **paint red circle of wedges squared off** cancel, choice centering, Extremely Fine, a beautiful stamp, with 2012 and 2017 P.F. certificates 105.00
- 1166 **2c Black (73).** Choice centering with Jumbo margins, neat strike of 1866 Pa. double-circle datestamp, Extremely Fine, ex Kirke, with 2004 P.F. and 2005 P.S.E. certificates (XF 90 Jumbo; SMQ \$425.00) 55.00
- 1167 **2c Black (73).** Choice centering, neat quartered cork cancel, also with **magenta "Exd TLM POW"** at center, small thins, Extremely Fine appearance, a rare Black Jack with a manuscript examiner's marking, this was on a cover mailed by flag-of-truce during the Civil War, with 2018 P.F. certificate E. 300-400



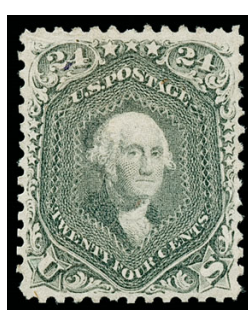
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- 1168 ★ **3c Scarlet (74)**. Original gum, h.r., fiery color, reperfed at top, appears Very Fine, a rare trial printing, with 2020 P.F. certificate 7,000.00
- 1169 **5c Red Brown (75)**. Lovely warm shade nicely complemented by **blue** Baltimore circular datestamp, well-balanced margins, Extremely Fine, with 2016 P.F. certificate (XF 90) 455.00
- 1170 (★) **24c Gray (78b)**. Unused (no gum), beautifully balanced margins, tiny purple ink mark at top left, appears Extremely Fine, with 2020 P.F. certificate 950.00
- 1171 **24c Gray (78b)**. Rich color on bright paper, choice centering with well-proportioned margins, quartered cork and **red** circular datestamp cancels, Extremely Fine Gem, a beautiful stamp, ex Saadi, with 1987 and 2014 P.F. certificates (XF 90) 490.00

CIVIL WAR ENCASED POSTAGE



- 1172 **Ayer's Sarsaparilla, 1c Blue, Medium "Ayer's" (EP13)**. Case with some slight discoloration and stamp with mild crease, otherwise Very Fine, with 2020 P.F. certificate not mentioning the stamp crease 500.00
- 1173 **Ayer's Sarsaparilla, 1c Blue, Medium "Ayer's" (EP13)**. Bright stamp color, case retains some traces of original silvering on reverse, Very Fine, with 2020 P.F. certificate. 500.00
- 1174 **Joseph L. Bates, Boston, 1c Blue, "FANCYGOODS" One Word (EP26)**. Stamp nicely centered and with rich color, back of case shows some original silvering, Very Fine and scarce with only 16-20 reported in Reed census, this is the only the second example listed in Power Search, with 2020 P.F. certificate 450.00
- 1175 **John Shillito & Co., Cincinnati, 3c Rose (EP161)**. Stamp with rich color, case shows some slight discoloration and wear, otherwise Very Fine and scarce encasement, with 2020 P.F. certificate 900.00

1867-68 GRILLED ISSUE



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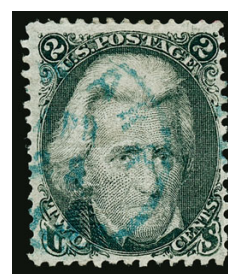
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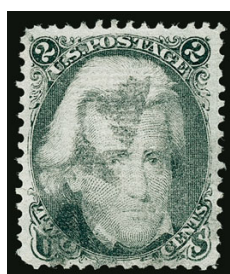


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- 1176 **3c Rose, C. Grill (83).** Bright shade, well-defined grill, neat strike of quartered cork cancel, diagonal crease at top left, Very Fine appearance, ex Hansen, with 1987 P.F. certificate..... 1,100.00
- 1177 **3c Rose, C. Grill (83).** Clear grill, bright color, faint corner perf tip crease at top right is barely detectable, appears Very Fine..... 1,100.00
- 1178 ★ **2c Black, D. Grill (84).** Position 10L, disturbed original gum, natural straight edge at right with guideline, deep shade, short perfs at top, otherwise Fine, an affordable example of a very rare original-gum stamp, with 2011 P.S.A.G. certificate, Scott Retail \$16,000.00..... E. 500-750
- 1179 **3c Rose, D. Grill (85).** Lightly cancelled, attractive color, Fine, with 2005 P.F. certificate..... 1,100.00
- 1180 **2c Black, Z. Grill (85B).** Clear grill, attractive margins and centering, neat **blue** circular datestamp cancel, accompanying certificate mentions a small corner crease at bottom left, which is undetectable even with repeated dipping, appears Very Fine, with 1997 P.F. certificate..... 1,350.00



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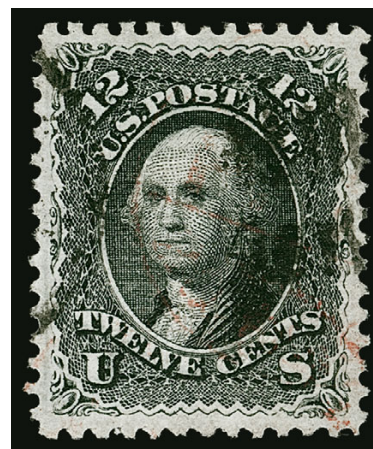
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- 1181 **2c Black, Z. Grill (85B).** Well-centered, wide margins, lightly cancelled, faint vertical crease, Very Fine appearance, with 1995 P.F. certificate..... 1,100.00
- 1182 **1c Blue, E. Grill (86).** Fresh color, small circle of wedges cancel at top left, strong Fine, with 2006 P.F. certificate..... 425.00
- 1183 (★) **2c Black, E. Grill, Double Transfer (87 var).** Unused (no gum), showing clear double transfer at upper left, detailed impression, well-balanced margins, Extremely Fine, with 1974 P.F. and 2006 P.S.E. certificates (VF-XF 85; SMQ \$900.00 with no premium for the double transfer), Scott Retail with no premium for the double transfer..... 650.00
- 1184 **3c Rose, E. Grill (88).** Rich color on bright paper, choice centering, bold cork cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2011 P.S.A.G. certificate (XF-Superb 95)..... 30.00
- 1185 **10c Green, E. Grill (89).** Nicely centered, deep color, Very Fine, with 2004 P.F. certificate..... 325.00

- 1186 **12c Black, E. Grill (90).** Intense shade on bright paper, cork cancel, circular datestamp and **red** cancel which is likely a boxed Aachen Franco marking and circular datestamp, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2003 P.F. and 2014 P.S.E. certificates (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$3,250.00), only two grade higher (at 95J and 98)..... 375.00



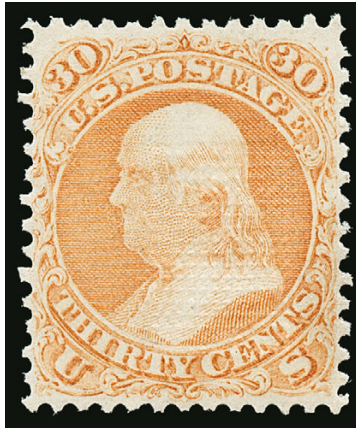
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- 1187 **12c Black, E. Grill (90).** Deep shade and impression, **red** circular datestamp cancel, wide margins, Very Fine and choice, with 1996 P.F. certificate..... 450.00
- 1188 **12c Black, E. Grill (90).** Intense shade and impression, clear grill, neat strike of cork cancel, wide margins, Very Fine, with 1999 P.S.E. certificate 375.00
- 1189 **15c Black, E. Grill (91).** Neat circle of wedges cancel, Very Fine, with 1985 P.F. and 2006 P.S.E. certificates 600.00
- 1190 **3c Red, F. Grill (94).** Essentially perfect centering with Jumbo margins, brilliant color nicely complemented by **blue waffle iron grid** cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, a beautiful stamp with tremendous visual appeal, with 2015 P.F. certificate (XF-Superb 95) E. 500-750
- 1191 **3c Red, F. Grill (94).** Bright color, clear grill, perfect strike of **Mummer's Fez fancy cancel** (Skinner-Eno FR-NMC6a), Extremely Fine stamp and cancel, with 2011 P.F. certificate..... E. 200-300
- 1192 **3c Red, F. Grill (94).** Rich color, bold strike of **blue** quartered cork cancel, gorgeous centering, Extremely Fine, with 2009 P.F. certificate 10.25



- 1193 **5c Brown, F. Grill (95).** Rich color, clear grill, neat **blue** quartered cork cancel, Extremely Fine, with 2018 P.F. certificate..... 875.00
- 1194 **5c Brown, F. Grill (95).** Bright shade, clear grill, neat segmented cork cancel, Very Fine and choice, with 2002 P.S.E. and 2003 P.F. certificates 850.00
- 1195 **5c Brown, F. Grill (95).** Rich color, clear grill points, choice centering, trivial nibbed perf at left not mentioned on accompanying certificates, Extremely Fine, with 2010 and 2014 P.F. certificates..... 850.00
- 1196 (★) **15c Black, F. Grill (98).** Unused (no gum), intense shade, sound and Very Fine, with 2020 P.F. certificate..... 1,600.00
- 1197 ★ **24c Gray Lilac, F. Grill (99).** Original gum, fresh color and clear grill, slightly short perf at upper left, Fine..... 8,500.00
- 1198 ★ **24c Gray Lilac, F. Grill (99).** Horizontal strip of three, original gum, intense shade and clear grills, some slight staining, appears Fine, a very scarce strip of this issue, Scott Retail as pair and single with original gum is \$26,500.00 E. 2,000-3,000
- 1199 **24c Gray Lilac, F. Grill (99).** Rich color, clear grill visible on the front of the stamp, neat strike of grid cancel, Very Fine and choice, with 1996, 2005 and 2015 P.F. certificates.... 1,500.00



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- 1200 ★ **30c Orange, F. Grill (100).** Original gum, a small patch of uneven brownish gum on the left side of the stamp is noted as “an area of disturbed o.g.” on accompanying certificate, but the P.F. is wrong — having handled the original-gum blocks of this issue, we can state with experience that original gum on this issue is applied a bit irregularly — clearly-defined grill with all points easily visible, vibrant color and beautifully balanced margins

EXTREMELY FINE. AN EXCEPTIONALLY RARE RARE SOUND AND CENTERED ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE 1868 30-CENT F GRILL.

There are several reasons why the 30c 1861-68 Issue stamps — Scott 71 (to a lesser extent) and Scott 100 — rank as two of the most difficult classic U.S. stamps to find in sound, centered original-gum condition. Due to narrow spacing of the plate, the 30c 1861-68's are usually found with narrow margins, especially at sides. When one margin is large, it usually means that the other side will have perforations impinging on the design. Due to certain elements in the inks used to print the 30c, the stamps are prone to sulphurizing and color-change over time. This stamp is infrequently found with original gum and a Power Search review of examples we have sold reveals that when it is found, more often than not it has faults, poor centering or both. The P.S.E. Population Report also bears this out as only one Scott 100 is graded with original gum — at a lowly 50. This example is an exceptional condition rarity. If anyone has the strength to argue with the P.F., perhaps a new certificate with an accurate “previously hinged” opinion can be procured.

With 2020 P.F. certificate..... 8,500.00



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- 1201 **30c Orange, F. Grill (100).** Radiant color, clearly-defined grill, neat strike of **red Supplementary Mail Type A** handstamp, Very Fine, scarce with this cancel, with 2005 P.S.E. certificate..... 1,050.00
- 1202 **30c Orange, F. Grill (100).** Well-centered for this, bold target cancel, Very Fine, with 1991 P.F. certificate 950.00

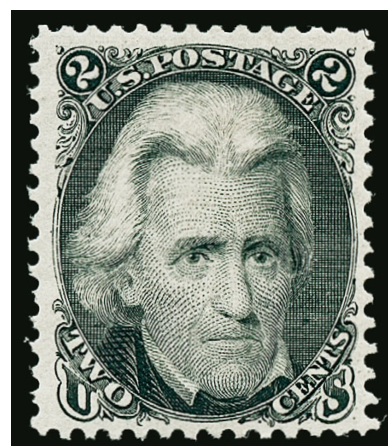


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- 1203 **90c Blue, F. Grill (101).** Deep rich color and sharp proof-like impression, perfect centering with wide margins, bold strike of segmented cork cancel
- EXTREMELY FINE. A BEAUTIFUL USED EXAMPLE OF THE 1868 90-CENT F GRILL.
- This is a difficult issue to obtain in such choice condition.
- With 1999 and 2015 P.F. certificates (VF-XF 85) ... 2,250.00

1875 RE-ISSUE OF 1861-66 ISSUE

- 1204 ★ **2c Black, Re-Issue (103).** Original gum, lightly hinged, intense shade on bright paper
- VERY FINE AND CHOICE ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE 2-CENT "BLACK JACK" RE-ISSUE.
- Only 979 sold. With 1989 and 2014 P.F. certificates..... 3,500.00



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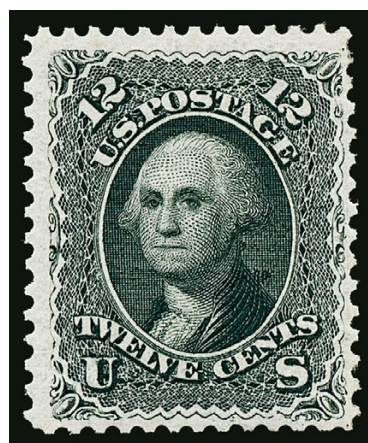


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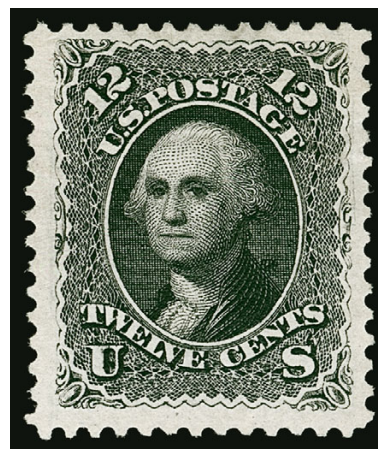


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- 1205 ★ **5c Brown, Re-Issue (105).** Original gum, wide margins, rich color, a few nibbed perfs at left, otherwise Very Fine, only 672 sold, with 2002 and 2014 P.F. certificates.... 2,500.00
- 1206 (★) **5c Brown, Re-Issue (105).** Unused (traces of gum), rich color, Very Fine, with 1965 and 1985 P.F. certificates, Scott Retail without gum 1,150.00
- 1207 ★ **10c Green, Re-Issue (106).** Disturbed original gum, well-centered, small faults (certificate notes creasing and a couple small thins), otherwise Very Fine, only 451 sold, with 2016 P.S.A.G. certificate 2,900.00

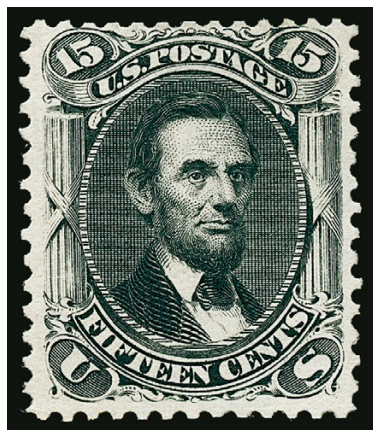


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- 1208 ★ **12c Black, Re-Issue (107).** Original gum, lightly hinged, intense shade with sharp impression on crisp white paper, Fine and attractive, only 389 sold, with 1972 and 2014 P.F. certificates 3,500.00
- 1209 (★) **12c Black, Re-Issue (107).** Unused (no gum), crisp impression on bright paper, wide margins, Very Fine, only 389 sold, with 1970 P.F. certificate..... 1,600.00



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- 1210 (★) **15c Black, Re-Issue (108).** Unused (no gum), intense shade, crisp impression, Fine, only 397 sold, with 2015 P.S.A.G. certificate..... 2,100.00
- 1211 (★) **15c Black, Re-Issue (108).** Unused (regummed), stain at top left described as a “cancel added” on certificate, otherwise Very Fine, with 2020 P.F. certificate..... 2,100.00
- 1212 (★) **24c Deep Violet, Re-Issue (109).** Unused (no gum), deep color, tiny hinge thin, Fine appearance, only 346 sold, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate 2,750.00



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- 1213 (★) **30c Brownish Orange, Re-Issue (110).** Unused (no gum), strong color and impression, minute tear at right (not mentioned on certificate), Fine appearance, only 346 sold, with 1972 P.F. certificate..... 2,800.00
- 1214 ★ **90c Blue, Re-Issue (111).** Large part original gum, intense rich color and sharp impression, certificate notes a tiny toned spot removed at bottom right, Fine appearance, only 317 sold, with 2015 P.F. certificate..... 7,000.00

1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE



- 1215 **1c Buff (112)**. Marvelous centering and rich color, lightly struck **large letter "P" cancel**, Extremely Fine Gem, with 1999 P.F. and 2011 P.S.E. certificates (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$1,450.00 as normal cancel), only six grade higher (five at 95J and one at 98), Scott Retail as normal cancel 130.00
- 1216 **1c Buff (112)**. Superb centering, rich color, bold **green** cork cancel, Extremely Fine, an outstanding example of the 1c 1869 Pictorial with a rare green cancel — Scott Catalogue assigns a \$700.00 premium — with 2000 and 2017 P.F. certificates 830.00
- 1217 **1c Buff (112)**. Radiant color, clear strike of **green** quartered cork cancel, choice centering with wide margins, Extremely Fine, rare with the green cancel — Scott Catalogue assigns a \$700.00 premium — ex Dr. Hinrichs, with 2002 and 2019 P.F. certificates (XF 90) 830.00
- 1218 **2c Brown (113)**. Choice centering with wide and balanced margins, cork cancel at right leaves entire design clearly visible, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$900.00) 80.00
- 1219 **2c Brown (113)**. Deep rich color and detailed impression, choice centering, bold quartered cork cancel, Extremely Fine, with 2018 P.F. certificate (XF 90) 80.00
- 1220 ★ **3c Ultramarine, Split Grill (114 var)**. Original gum, barely hinged, clear split grill at top and bottom, with **bottom right corner selva** which was folded over prior to printing causing a misperf, stamp with Jumbo margins and outstanding centering, Extremely Fine Gem, with 1991 (for block of nine) and 2011 P.F. certificates 275.00
- 1221 ★★田 **3c Ultramarine (114)**. Mint N.H. **block of four with bottom imprint selva**, rich color, clearly-defined grills, fresh and Fine-Very Fine, ex Dr. Heimbürger, with 1986 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail as hinged 1,400.00
- 1222 **3c Ultramarine (114)**. Essentially perfectly centered, brilliant color, neat target cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2008 and 2015 P.S.E. certificates (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$1,200.00)..... 16.00



- 1223 **3c Ultramarine (114)**. Rich color, neat **green** quartered cork cancel, wide margins, Extremely Fine, scarce with a green cancel — Scott Catalogue assigns a \$300.00 premium — with 2015 P.F. certificate..... 316.00
- 1224 FC **3c Ultramarine (114)**. Cancelled by bold strike of **Waterbury Skull & Crossbones** fancy cancel (Rohloff Type R-3), centered to top, some slight corner creasing, Very Fine strike of this scarce fancy cancel, with 1982 and 1991 P.F. certificates..... E. 750-1,000
- 1225 **3c Ultramarine (114)**. Wide margins, clear strike of **“Hiogo, Japan”** double-circle handstamp, some very faint toning not mentioned on accompanying certificate, Very Fine appearance and extremely rare cancel on the 3c 1869 Pictorial, the U.S. Post Office opened in Hiogo in 1868, one year after those in Yokohama and Nagasaki, and was in operation until December 1874; the rate was 10c to the U.S., 3c or 6c between Treaty Ports and additional rates to Europe, stamps showing the cancel for Treaty Port rates are much scarcer than the 10c rate, this is the **only 3c listed in Power Search** with this cancel among more than 100 records, with 1995 P.S.E. certificate .. 616.00
- 1226 **3c Ultramarine (114)**. Radiant color, perfect strike of **Flower fancy cancel** of Lansing Mich. (Skinner-Eno PP-FL 24), Extremely Fine stamp and cancel, with 2019 P.F. certificate . E. 300-400
- 1227 **6c Ultramarine (115)**. Well-centered, rich color and sharp proof-like impression, light cancel with trace of **red transit** at bottom left, Extremely Fine, with 1993 P.F. certificate 275.00
- 1228 **10c Yellow (116)**. Brilliant color, choice centering with wide and balanced margins, neat strike of rosette cancel at bottom, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$1,050.00), only five grade higher..... 110.00
- 1229 **10c Yellow (116)**. Choice centering, vibrant color, nicely complemented by **red “New York May 24” circular datestamp**, Extremely Fine, a stamp with great visual appeal, with 2014 P.F. certificate (XF 90; SMQ \$425.00) 150.00
- 1230 **10c Yellow (116)**. Brilliant color, wide and balanced margins, bold strike of geometric cork cancel, Extremely Fine, with 1995, 2004 and 2009 P.F. certificates..... 110.00
- 1231 **10c Yellow (116)**. Wide margins and outstanding centering, cancelled by bold strike of **Yokohama, Japan “X” chop**, Very Fine strike on an Extremely Fine stamp, with 2001 and 2013 P.F. certificates 310.00
- 1232 **10c Yellow (116)**. Vibrant color, neat strike of **“Hiogo, Japan”** double-circle handstamp, fresh and Extremely Fine, with 2015 P.F. certificate (VF 80), this seems undergraded to us 310.00

- 1233 ★ **12c Green (117).** Horizontal pair, original gum, bright shade, slight dry print causing unusual halo effect around lettering, right stamp trivial natural inclusion and short perfs, left stamp tiny pinhole

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A SCARCE ORIGINAL-GUM PAIR OF THE 12-CENT 1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE.

Ex Coulter. 4,000.00



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- 1234 (★) **12c Green (117).** Unused (regummed), Jumbo margins and choice centering, rich color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2020 P.F. certificate 725.00

- 1235 **12c Green (117).** Rich color and detailed impression, perfectly centered with wide and balanced margins, unobtrusive cork cancel at top right leaves entire design clearly visible, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$2,250.00), only one grades higher (at 100J, we have never sold it)..... 130.00



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- 1236 **12c Green (117).** Intense shade and impression, choice centering with wide margins, bold strike of **5-Point Star with hollow center fancy cancel**, although not noted on certificate this cancel is the Star used by the U.S. Postal Agency in Shanghai (see Sale 966, lot 2110, for 12c 1869 cover from Shanghai to Japan with this cancel), Extremely Fine Gem, with 2012 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail with no premium for the Shanghai fancy cancel 130.00



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- 1237 **12c Green (117).** Crisp impression, unusually choice centering, light cancel leaves entire design clearly visible, Extremely Fine Gem, with 1989 P.F. and 2010 P.S.E. certificates (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$950.00) 130.00
- 1238 **12c Green (117).** Near perfect centering with wide margins, strong impression and color, light cancel with traces of red transit, Extremely Fine, with 1994 P.F. and 2017 P.S.A.G. certificates (XF-Superb 95) 130.00
- 1239 **12c Green (117).** Bright shade, wide and even margins, neat **blue grid** and part of matching circular datestamp at bottom, Extremely Fine, a pretty stamp, with 2001 and 2015 P.F. certificates (XF 90) 255.00



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- 1240 **15c Brown & Blue, Ty. I (118).** Deep rich colors and sharp proof-like impressions, bright paper, beautiful centering with unusually wide and balanced margins, unobtrusive cork cancel leaves entire design clearly visible
- EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A PHENOMENAL USED EXAMPLE OF THE 15-CENT TYPE I 1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE, GRADED XF-SUPERB 95 BY P.S.E.
- With 2002 P.F. and 2011 P.S.E. certificates (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$4,750.00). Only four grade higher (one at 95J, one at 98 and two at 98J) 800.00



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- 1241 **15c Brown & Blue, Ty. I (118).** Bright colors, choice centering with well-proportioned margins, neat cork cancel, fresh and Extremely Fine, with 2018 P.F. certificate (XF 90) .. 800.00
- 1242 **15c Brown & Blue, Ty. I (118).** Choice centering, bright colors, rosette cancel, **blue French transit** and trace of red cancels, Very Fine and choice, an attractive stamp, with 1998 and 2015 P.F. certificates (VF 80) 875.00
- 1243 **15c Brown & Blue, Ty. I (118).** Wide margins, rich colors, neat cork cancel, Very Fine, with 1994 P.F. certificate 800.00



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- 1244 ★ **15c Brown & Blue, Ty. II (119).** Original gum, deep rich colors, three wide margins, certificate states reperfed at left, but it is not — the perfs are just poorly punched and there are no production straight edges on this issue — Fine, with 2020 P.F. certificate 2,750.00
- 1245 **15c Brown & Blue, Ty. II (119).** Detailed impressions, well-proportioned margins, neat circle of wedges cancel, Extremely Fine, with 2014 P.S.E. certificate (XF 90; SMQ \$725.00) 190.00
- 1246 **15c Brown & Blue, Ty. II (119).** Choice centering, bright colors, cork cancel, Extremely Fine, ex Laehder, with 1986, 2011 and 2016 P.F. certificates (XF 90) 190.00
- 1247 **15c Brown & Blue, Ty. II (119).** Deep rich colors, well-balanced margins, bold target cancel, fresh and Extremely Fine, with 1984, 1997 and 2017 P.F. certificates (XF 90) ...
..... 190.00



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- 1248 **24c Green & Violet (120).** Bright colors nicely complemented by **red cork** cancel, choice centering with well-balanced margins
- EXTREMELY FINE. A BEAUTIFUL USED EXAMPLE OF THE 24-CENT 1869 PICTORIAL, WITH A BRIGHT RED CANCEL.
- With 2002 and 2007 P.F. certificates. Scott Catalogue assigns a \$500.00 premium for the red cancel 1,100.00

- 1249 **24c Green & Violet (120).** Choice centering, rich colors nicely contrasted by **red cork** cancel
- EXTREMELY FINE. A GORGEOUS EXAMPLE OF THE 24-CENT 1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE WITH A BRIGHT RED CANCEL.
- With 2003 P.F. certificate. Scott Catalogue assigns a \$500.00 premium for the red cancel ... 1,100.00



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- 1250 **24c Green & Violet (120).** Choice centering, bright shades, cancelled by perfect strike of crossroads cancel, Extremely Fine, with 1992 and 2006 P.F. certificates (XF 90)..... 600.00
- 1251 **24c Green & Violet (120).** Rich color, well-centered, neat crossroads cancel and trace of purple cancel at bottom right, Extremely Fine 600.00
- 1252 (★) **30c Ultramarine & Carmine (121).** Part original gum which covers about half the back, couple slightly short perfs, appears Fine, with 2009 B.P.A. certificate stating "traces of original gum" and not mentioning any short perfs, Scott Retail as original gum \$4,000.00 1,450.00



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- 1253 ★ **30c Ultramarine & Carmine (121).** Horizontal pair, original gum, rich colors, unusual additional Carmine printer's ink at bottom
FINE. A SCARCE AND ATTRACTIVE ORIGINAL-GUM PAIR OF THE 30-CENT 1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE.
The largest recorded unused multiple of the regularly issued 30c 1869, Scott 121, is a block of six.
Ex Frelinghuysen and Price..... 9,500.00



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- 1254 **30c Ultramarine & Carmine (121).** Bright colors, neat strike of **red circle of wedges** cancel leaves entire design clearly visible, well-balanced margins
EXTREMELY FINE USED EXAMPLE OF THE 30-CENT 1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE AND RARE WITH A RED CANCEL.
With 1991 and 2005 P.F. certificates..... 625.00

- 1255 **30c Ultramarine & Carmine (121).** Jumbo margins, bright colors on fresh paper, grid cancel, small dealer backstamp mentioned on most recent certificate, Extremely Fine, with 1997 P.F. and 2010 P.S.E. certificates (XF 90 Jumbo; SMQ \$2,150.00)..... 375.00



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- 1256 **30c Ultramarine & Carmine (121).** Exceptionally well-centered with wide margins, light strike of **Japanese "X" cancel**, Extremely Fine, a scarce cancel on the 30c 1869 Pictorial Issue, ex Byers, with 1992 and 2018 P.F. certificates, Scott Catalogue assigns an \$800.00 premium for a Japan cancel..... 1,175.00

- 1257 **30c Ultramarine & Carmine (121).** Vertical pair, both stamps with bold **red rosette** cancels, small edge tears and creases, perf separations at right, otherwise Fine and extremely rare, while there are several large used blocks recorded of the 30c 1869 Pictorial Issue, they invariably have smudged black cork cancels and the majority of these cancels are not particularly attractive, this pair with red cancels is exceptional, ex Juhring, Scott Retail as pair plus premium for two red cancels..... 1,300.00



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- 1258 (★) **90c Carmine & Black (122).** Unused (no gum), vivid colors, bright and fresh
 VERY FINE UNUSED EXAMPLE OF THE 90-CENT 1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE.
 Ex Forster. With 1984 P.F. certificate 3,750.00



- 1259 (★) **90c Carmine & Black (122).** Unused (no gum), bright colors, tiny thin speck to left of grill and tiny blue ink spot near the same location, appears Fine.... 3,750.00

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- 1260 **90c Carmine & Black (122).** Intense colors and impressions, bold strike of segmented cork cancel, choice centering with well-proportioned margins

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

With 2007 P.F. certificate (XF 90) 1,800.00



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- 1261 **90c Carmine & Black (122).** Detailed impressions, neat black and red outline cross fancy cancel

VERY FINE AND CHOICE. AN EXTREMELY RARE "RED CROSS" FANCY CANCELLATION ON THE 90-CENT 1869 PICTORIAL.

With 2017 P.S.E. certificate 2,800.00

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- 1262 **90c Carmine & Black (122).** Bright colors, outstanding centering with balanced margins, bold circle of wedges cancel, light corner crease at bottom right, appears Extremely Fine 1,800.00



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- 1263 **90c Carmine & Black (122).** Attractive color, wide margins, segmented cork cancel, small filled thin spot, Very Fine appearance..... 1,800.00

1875 RE-ISSUE OF 1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE



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- 1264 **1c Buff, Re-Issue (123).** Rich color on bright paper nicely contrasted by **blue** grid cancel, fresh and Very Fine, unusual cancel on the 1c Pictorial Re-issue, ex Stollnitz and Drucker, with 1985 and 2002 P.F. certificates 425.00
- 1265 **1c Buff, Re-Issue (123).** Bright color, neat strike of **Star in Circle** fancy cancel, fresh and Very Fine, fancy cancels are rarely seen on the 1869 Re-Issue, with 1990 P.F. certificate 425.00
- 1266 **2c Brown, Re-Issue (124).** Deep rich color, sharp proof-like impression, wide margins, neat strike of oval registry cancel, fresh and Extremely Fine, the 2c 1869 Re-Issue is one of the rarest of the set in choice used condition, ex Twigg-Smith, with 1987 and 2003 P.F. and 2011 P.S.E. certificates (XF 90; SMQ \$2,000.00), only four grade higher (highest is 95J) and three others share this grade 750.00



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- 1267 **2c Brown, Re-Issue (124).** Rich color, lightly cancelled at top, Very Fine and handsome, with 1995 and 2012 P.F. certificates 750.00
- 1268 **2c Brown, Re-Issue (124).** Crisp impression on bright paper, neat cork cancel, Very Fine and attractive, with 1997 P.F. certificate 750.00
- 1269 ★ **3c Blue, Re-Issue (125).** Original gum, h.r., margins wide to just touching at right, Fine and scarce example with original gum, with 1968 P.F. certificate 5,000.00



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- 1270 ★ **3c Blue, Re-Issue (125).** Large part original gum, fresh color, thin spots and small perf faults at bottom, Fine appearance, Scott Retail for original gum \$5,000.00 E. 500-750
- 1271 ★ **3c Blue, Re-Issue (125).** Unused, regummed over tiny thins, attractive centering, appears Very Fine, with 2020 P.F. certificate..... 2,500.00
- 1272 ★ **6c Blue, Re-Issue (126).** Original gum, well-centered, fresh color, minor corner creases, appears Very Fine, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate..... 1,800.00



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- 1273 ★ **10c Yellow, Re-Issue (127).** Original gum, lightly hinged, vibrant color, fresh and Very Fine, with 1994 P.F., 1995 and 2005 P.S.E. certificates..... 1,600.00
- 1274 ★ **10c Yellow, Re-Issue (127).** Original gum, rich color, Very Fine..... 1,600.00
- 1275 ★ **12c Green, Re-Issue (128).** Original gum, dark shade, tiny thin spot, Very Fine appearance, with 2013 P.F. certificate 2,000.00



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- 1276 ★ **15c Brown & Blue, Re-Issue (129).** Original gum, wide margins, rich colors, Very Fine, with 1979 P.F. certificate 1,300.00
- 1277 ★ **15c Brown & Blue, Re-Issue (129).** Original gum, deep rich colors, perfs scissors-separated at top but intact, Fine, with 1975 and 2020 P.F. certificates 1,300.00
- 1278 (★) **15c Brown & Blue, Re-Issue (129).** Unused (no gum), wide margins and outstanding centering, rich colors, Extremely Fine 575.00



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- 1279 **15c Brown & Blue, Re-Issue (129).** Wide margins, fresh colors, light double oval cancel, accompanying certificates notes a small corner crease at bottom left, which is all but impossible to detect, appears Very Fine, with 1989 P.F. certificate 1,000.00
- 1280 **24c Green & Violet, Re-Issue (130).** Rich colors, duplex cancel, short perf at left not mentioned on accompanying certificates, appears Very Fine, with 1979 and 2006 P.F. certificates 1,600.00
- 1281 ★ **30c Ultramarine & Carmine, Re-Issue (131).** Unused (regummed), wide margins, reperfed at top, Very Fine appearance, with 2012 P.S.A.G. certificate 1,000.00



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- 1282 (★) **90c Carmine & Black, Re-Issue (132).** Unused (no gum), bright color, Fine, with 2002 P.S.E. certificate..... 1,500.00
- 1283 **90c Carmine & Black, Re-Issue (132).** Deep rich colors on bright paper, segmented cork cancel, Fine and scarce used, SMQ estimates that approximately 40 used copies exist and our own experience confirms this estimate, with 2020 P.F. certificate..... 6,000.00



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- 1284 ★ **1c Buff, 1880 Re-Issue (133).** Original gum, single hinge mark, pretty shade, Very Fine and choice, ex Geisler, with 2007 P.F. certificate 325.00
- 1285 ★ **1c Buff, 1880 Re-Issue (133).** Original gum, lightly hinged, bright color, fresh and Very Fine, with 2000 and 2006 P.F. certificates..... 325.00
- 1286 **1c Buff, 1880 Re-Issue (133).** Choice centering, bright shade, bold strike of circular date-stamp and **Maltese Cross** cancels, Extremely Fine, with 2009 P.F. certificate 550.00

1870-88 BANK NOTE ISSUES

H GRILL



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- 1287 **1c Ultramarine, H. Grill (134).** Clear grill points, bright color, circle of V's and part of red cancel, Extremely Fine, ex Saadi, with 1987 and 2017 P.F. certificates 250.00
- 1288 **2c Red Brown, H. Grill (135).** Bright shade, well-balanced margins, unobtrusive cancel, Extremely Fine, ex Kirke, with 2004 P.F. and 2005 P.S.E. certificates (XF 90; SMQ \$200.00)..... 75.00
- 1289 **2c Red Brown, H. Grill (135).** Rich color, unusual segmented cork cancel, Very Fine, with 2003 P.F. certificate..... 75.00



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- 1290 (★) **6c Carmine, H. Grill (137).** Original gum, h.r., bright color, clear grill, fresh and Fine, scarce sound original gum example of this issue, with 2020 P.F. certificate.... 5,000.00

- 1291 **6c Carmine, H. Grill (137).** Radiant color and crisp impression nicely complemented by blue target cancel, well-balanced margins, fresh and Extremely Fine, with 2000 and 2015 P.F. certificates (XF 90 XQ), the "XQ" stands for Extraordinary Quality..... 450.00



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- 1292 **7c Vermilion, H. Grill (138).** Attractively centered, vibrant color, large part of **New York Foreign Mail Star** cancel, Very Fine, with 2006 P.F. certificate 500.00
- 1293 **7c Vermilion, H. Grill, Quadruple Split Grill (138 var).** Showing part of the grill in all four corners, radiant color, light face-free “spokes” corner cancel (probably New York Foreign Mail), Very Fine and choice, a rare grill variety, this is the only example we have offered since keeping computerized records, ex “Lake Shore”, with 2005 P.F. certificate 925.00
- 1294 **10c Brown, H. Grill (139).** Bright shade, several noticeable grill points, cancelled solely by **red** cork handstamp, Very Fine and choice, rare with the red cancel, with 1998 P.F. certificate..... 900.00

- 1295 **15c Orange, H. Grill (141).** Easily discernible grill points, radiant color, neat strike of grid cancel, well-proportioned margins, fresh and Extremely Fine, a gorgeous stamp, with 1992 P.F. and 2009 P.S.E. certificates (VF-XF 85; SMQ \$1,850.00)..... 1,500.00



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- 1296 **15c Orange, H. Grill (141).** Unusually well-centered, bright shade, cork cancel, Extremely Fine, a scarce Bank Note Grilled issue in this condition, ex Sheriff, with 1971 and 2004 P.F. certificates 1,500.00



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1297 **15c Orange, H. Grill (141).** Well-centered, fresh color, small corner crease at top right, Very Fine appearance, with 1980 P.F. certificate 1,500.00

1298 **15c Orange, H. Grill, Double Grill, One Split (141 var).** One vertically split, clearly-defined grills, vibrant color, neat strike of target cancel, Fine and rare, with 1995 A.P.S. certificate, accompanied by note with analysis from student Ronald A. Burns who notes vertically split grills are scarcer than horizontally split (Scott Catalogue does not distinguish between the two), this is the only example of the double grill we have encountered with one split, listed but unpriced in Scott, Scott Retail for double grill 4,500.00

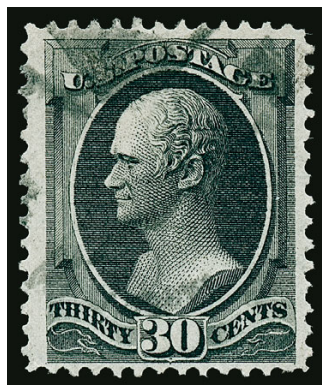
1299 **24c Purple, H. Grill (142).** Exceptionally choice centering for this issue, characteristic light shade, two tiny thin spots (not mentioned on certificate)

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. GREAT OVERALL EYE APPEAL FOR THIS RARE BANK NOTE GRILLED ISSUE, WHICH IS A CHALLENGE TO FIND IN ATTRACTIVE CONDITION.

With 1992 P.F. certificate 6,500.00



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1300 **30c Black, H. Grill (143).** Fresh shade, bright paper, several discernible grill points, lightly cancelled (especially for this value), a few minor corner creases and tiny thin spot, Very Fine appearance 3,750.00

1301 **90c Carmine, H. Grill (144).** Rich color, minor corner creases, "skinny" and probably reperfed at right despite old certificate, Very Fine appearance, with 1989 P.S.E. certificate 2,250.00



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I GRILL

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1c Ultramarine, I. Grill (134). Beautifully centered, brilliant color on bright paper, clear grill points, neat target cancel, Extremely Fine, ex Dr. Morris and Dr. Hinrichs, with 1991 and 2019 P.F. certificates 375.00

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6c Carmine, I. Grill (137A). Bright color, clearly defined grill easily discernible from the front of the stamp, **blue halved-circle cork** cancel

EXTREMELY FINE GEM USED EXAMPLE OF THE 1870 6-CENT NATIONAL BANK NOTE COMPANY ISSUE WITH AN I GRILL AND A BLUE CANCEL. A BEAUTIFUL STAMP.

With 2016 P.F. certificate (XF 90). By way of comparison, only three grade 90 in the P.S.E. Population Report which is the highest awarded. Scott Catalogue lists but does not price this issue with a blue cancel. Scott Retail as normal cancel..... 950.00



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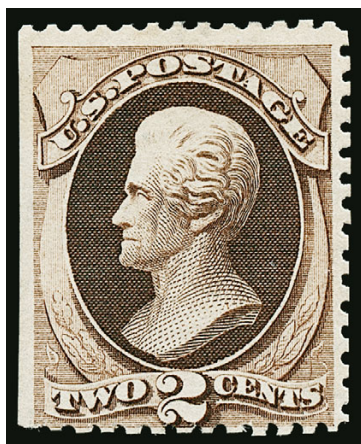
7c Vermilion, I. Grill (138A). Two, both with clear grills including one **split grill**, bright colors, **New York Foreign Mail Geometric** cancels, a couple small flaws including light crease and tiny tear on one and short perf on the other, Very Fine appearance, both with Weiss certificates (not mentioning the tear), the split grill is listed but unpriced in Scott, value for normal..... 1,700.00

1873-75 BANK NOTE ISSUES



- 1305 **1c Ultramarine (145).** Brilliant color, neat strike of **blue target** cancel, wide and balanced margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2013 P.S.A.G. certificate as Dark Ultramarine (XF-Superb 95) .. 21.50
- 1306 **3c Green (147).** Rich color, bold strike of **Shoe Fly fancy cancel**, unusual design with a high heel and unlisted in Skinner-Eno, Very Fine strike, with 2015 P.F. certificate E. 200-300
- 1307 **7c Vermilion (149).** Brilliant color nicely complemented by **blue** quartered cork cancel, unusually wide and balanced margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$650.00 as normal cancel)..... 92.50
- 1308 **7c Vermilion, Orange Vermilion (149, 160).** Balance of 18 stamps plus one proof, the stamps are a mix of National and Continental printings, the appeal of this group is in the **New York Foreign Mail Geometric** cancels, which comprise at least 13 of the 18, decent range of cancels with clear strikes, also a few colored cancels including perfect bold blue Cincinnati O. circular datestamp, most are well-centered, the proof is a 7c War Dept. from a Roosevelt Album (O87P2), a few small flaws may be found but overall an attractive and useful group, Scott Retail for standard cancels and counting all stamps as Scott No. 160 is more than \$1,600.00 (Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 500-750
- 1309 ★★ **10c Brown (150). Mint N.H.,** bright shade, margins clear of design all around, blunted perfs on three sides, Fine appearance and rare as Mint N.H., with 2009 Weiss certificate, Scott Retail as hinged 2,000.00
- 1310 ★ **10c Brown (150).** Original gum, lightly hinged, rich color, centered to bottom but not dramatically so, fresh and Fine, with 2003 P.S.E. certificate (OGph, F 70; SMQ \$1,000.00) 2,000.00
- 1311 **12c Dull Violet (151).** Beautifully centered, circle of Clothespins cancel, attractive shade, Extremely Fine, with 2004 P.F. certificate 200.00
- 1312 **90c Carmine (155).** Lovely margins and exceptional centering, attractive color, circle of wedges cancel, Extremely Fine, with 2007 P.F. certificate (XF 90)..... 325.00
- 1313 **6c Dull Pink (159).** Brilliant color, bold strike of **New York Foreign Mail Geometric** cancel, Extremely Fine, a stamp with great eye appeal, with 2017 P.F. certificate..... 18.00
- 1314 **7c Orange Vermilion (160).** Vivid color, outstanding centering with balanced margins, **red New York Foreign Mail Geometric** cancel (Weiss GE-C7), Extremely Fine Gem, a beautiful stamp, ex "Golden Oak", with 1999 P.F. and 2014 P.S.E. certificates (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$550.00)... 95.00
- 1315 **10c Brown (161).** Rich color, choice centering with wide margins, **purple target** cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2016 P.F. certificate (XF-Superb 95)..... 27.00
- 1316 **15c Yellow Orange (163).** Vibrant color nicely complemented by **blue** quartered cork cancel, well-balanced margins, Extremely Fine, with 2003 P.F. certificate 155.00
- 1317 **15c Yellow Orange (163).** Vibrant color, well-balanced margins, bold strike of **hollow 5-Point Star fancy cancel**, Extremely Fine, with 2010 P.F. certificate 150.00

1875 CONTINENTAL BANK NOTE COMPANY SPECIAL PRINTING



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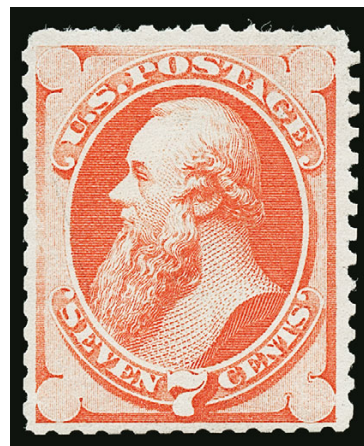
- 1318 ★ **2c Dark Brown, Special Printing (168).** Without gum as issued, rich color, perfs trimmed off at left, certificate states reperfed at right, but in our opinion it is not (the holes gauge perfectly and have the irregular shapes of genuine perfs)

VERY FINE APPEARING EXAMPLE OF THE 2-CENT 1875 CONTINENTAL BANK NOTE COMPANY SPECIAL PRINTING.

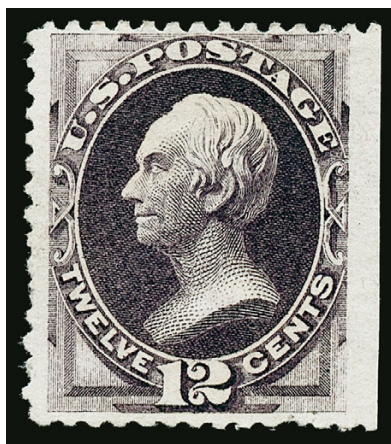
Our census of Scott 168 contains 60 copies certified as genuine. Many have perfs scissors-trimmed on at least one side and many have perforations into the design. The example offered here is very presentable, and in our opinion it is genuinely perforated at right, not reperfed as the P.F. certificate states.

Census No. 168-UNC-60. With 2018 P.F. certificate 6,000.00

- 1319 ★ **7c Reddish Vermilion, Special Printing (171).** Without gum as issued, bright color, some scissors-separated perfs and short perfs at top (not mentioned on certificate), Very Fine appearance, with 1955 P.F. certificate, our census of Scott 171 contains fewer than 75 examples..... 4,000.00



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- 1320 ★ **12c Dark Violet, Special Printing (173).** Without gum as issued, deep color, wide natural straight edge at right, short perf at left and pulled perf at bottom

VERY FINE APPEARING EXAMPLE OF THE 12-CENT 1875 CONTINENTAL BANK NOTE COMPANY SPECIAL PRINTING.

Our recently updated census records for Scott 173 contain 71 certified examples.

With 2014 P.S.E. certificate 5,500.00

- 1321 ★ **24c Dull Purple, Special Printing (175).** Without gum as issued, bright color, scissor-separated perfs all around (intact on three sides)

A FINE SOUND EXAMPLE OF THE 24-CENT 1875 CONTINENTAL BANK NOTE COMPANY SPECIAL PRINTING.

Our census of Scott 175 contains approximately 100 examples.

With 1979 P.F. certificate 3,400.00



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- 1322 ★★ **2c Vermilion (178). Mint N.H.**, brilliant color, choice centering with well-proportioned margins

EXTREMELY FINE. A BEAUTIFUL MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 1875 2-CENT VERMILION, SCOTT 178. RARE IN SUCH SUPERB CONDITION.

A search of our computerized records indicates that the 2c 1875 Issue is exceedingly difficult to find in high-grade Mint N.H. condition, despite its modest Scott Catalogue value. The example offered here is certainly one of the finest extant.

With 2001 and 2007 P.F. certificates (XF 90). By way of comparison, only one has achieved this grade in the P.S.E. Population Report with two higher (at 95). We have not sold any of the P.S.E.-graded examples since 2008..... 325.00

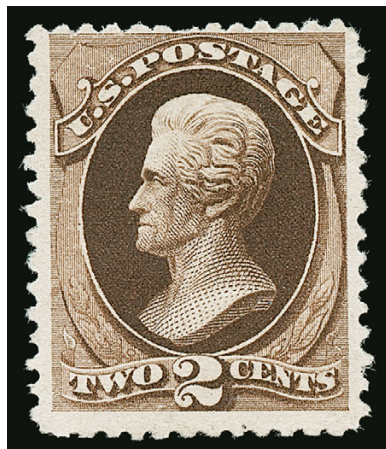


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- 1323 **5c Blue (185).** Bright shade, neat strike of circle of wedges cancel, wide and balanced margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$1,025.00), only two grade higher (at 98J and 100, we haven't offered either) and two others share this grade..... 16.00
- 1324 **10c Brown, With Secret Mark (188).** Unusually choice centering with wide and balanced margins, long and full perforations, rich color, detailed impression, bold strike of "9" duplex cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp in every respect, ex "Natalee Grace", with 1999 P.F. and 2012 P.S.E. certificates (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$425.00)..... 30.00
- 1325 **10c Brown, With Secret Mark (188).** Rich color, bold strike of "N. York Steamship Oct. 13" circular datestamp, gorgeous centering, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$425.00)..... 30.00
- 1326 **15c Red Orange (189).** Vibrant color, beautiful centering with Jumbo margins, neat Boston registry oval cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95 Jumbo; SMQ \$550.00), only six grade higher..... 27.50
- 1327 **30c Full Black (190).** Wide margins, deep shade and impression, Extremely Fine, with 1999 P.F. certificate..... 90.00
- 1328 **30c Full Black (190).** Bright shade and paper, choice centering with Jumbo margins, neat duplex cancel, Extremely Fine, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate (XF 90 Jumbo; SMQ \$500.00)..... 300.00

1880 AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY SPECIAL PRINTING



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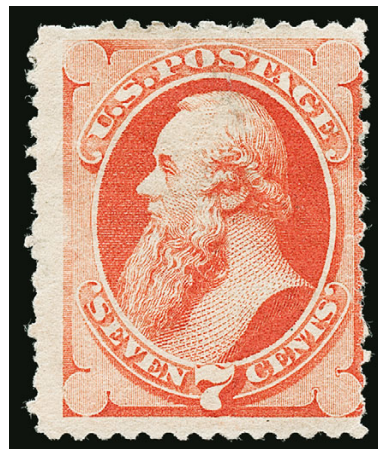
- 1329 ★ **2c Black Brown, Special Printing (193).** Without gum as issued, deep rich color and detailed impression, thin spots and short perf at top

VERY FINE APPEARING EXAMPLE OF THE 2-CENT 1880 AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY SPECIAL PRINTING.

Our recently updated census records for Scott 193 contain 48 certified examples, of which almost half have faults.

Census No. 193-UNC-13. Small blue backstamp.
With 1990 P.F. certificate..... 16,000.00

- 1330 ★ **7c Scarlet Vermilion, Special Printing (196).** Without gum as issued, vibrant color, hinge thins and perf faults (certificate states "small faults"), Fine appearance, a rare Special Printing, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate, our census contains fewer than 85 examples..... 6,750.00



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- 1331 ★ **24c Dark Violet, Special Printing (200).** Without gum as issued, attractive color, full perforations

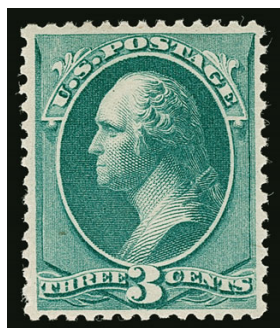
VERY FINE EXAMPLE OF THE 1880 24-CENT AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY SPECIAL PRINTING.

Our census of Scott 200 contains approximately 67 certified examples.

With 1970 P.F. certificate 9,000.00



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- 1332 **1c Gray Blue (206).** Bright color and paper, bold **Glen Allen Star precancel**, Extremely Fine, with 2018 P.F. certificate (XF 90) E. 200-300
- 1333 ★★ **3c Blue Green (207).** Mint N.H., deep rich color and proof-like impression, well-balanced margins, Extremely Fine, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate (VF-XF 85; SMQ \$500.00)... 250.00
- 1334 **6c Rose (208).** Brilliant color, unusually wide and balanced margins, face-free strike of cork cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp in every respect, with 2002 P.F. and 2015 P.S.E. certificates (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$950.00), the highest grade awarded and shared by only five others..... 100.00
- 1335 **6c Rose (208).** Bright color, neat strike of target cancel, well-proportioned margins, Extremely Fine, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate (XF 90; SMQ \$275.00), only nine grade higher..... 100.00



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- 1336 ★★ **10c Yellow Brown (209 var).** Mint N.H., radiant color in the Yellow Brown sub-shade, Very Fine and choice, ex Hoffman and "Hampshire", with 2003 P.F. certificate .. 475.00
- 1337 **10c Brown (209).** Jumbo margins, rich color, neat strike of outline **Maltese Cross** fancy cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2019 P.F. certificate (XF-Superb 95 Jumbo)..... 6.00
- 1338 ★★ **2c Pale Red Brown, Special Printing (211B).** Mint N.H., vivid color and sharp impression, Fine, with 2011 P.F. certificate 900.00
- 1339 **90c Bright Purple (218 var).** Radiant color in the Bright Purple sub-shade, face-free strike of circular date stamp, unusually wide and balanced margins, Extremely Fine Gem, a beautiful stamp in this sub-shade, with 1998 P.F. certificate..... 225.00

1890-93 ISSUE



- 1340 ★★ **2c Lake (219D)**. Mint N.H., intense shade, well-proportioned margins, Very Fine, with 1986 and 2004 P.F. certificates..... 500.00
- 1341 ★ **2c Lake (219D)**. Original gum, barely hinged, intense shade and impression, extra wide margins, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp, with 1990 P.F. and 2004 P.S.E. certificates (OGph, XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$800.00), only three grade higher 250.00
- 1342 ★ **2c Lake (219D)**. Original gum, barest trace of hinging, intense color, enormous margins on three sides, Very Fine and choice, detached plate number selvage accompanies, with 1991, 1999 and 2003 P.F. certificates 160.00
- 1343 ★ **2c Lake (219D)**. Six, original gum, nice range of shades, centering ranges from Fine to Extremely Fine, three with certificates.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 960.00
- 1344 ★★田 **2c Lake (219D)**. Mint N.H. block of four, rich color on bright paper, well-balanced margins, Very Fine and choice, Scott Retail as singles 2,000.00
- 1345 ★★ **2c Carmine (220)**. Mint N.H., brilliant color, choice centering with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 1996 P.F. and 2008 P.S.E. certificates (XF 90 Jumbo; SMQ \$400.00)..... 60.00
- 1346 ★ **3c Purple (221)**. Original gum, lightly hinged, Jumbo margins and precise centering, rich color, Extremely Fine Gem, ex Curtis, with 2002 P.S.E. certificate (OGph, XF-Superb 95 Jumbo; SMQ \$425.00) 55.00
- 1347 ★★ **6c Brown Red (224)**. Mint N.H., Jumbo margins and choice centering, deep rich color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 1992 P.F. certificate 160.00
- 1348 ★田 **10c Green (226)**. Top imprint, plate no. 27 and letter "E" block of twelve, most stamps Mint N.H., rich color, some rejoined perfs and a few perf separations, bottom left stamp repaired, Fine-Very Fine appearance, a scarce plate block, we have offered only five others since keeping computerized records, with 2019 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail \$4,070.00 as a plate block of ten and two hinged singles E. 500-750

- 1349 ★★ **15c Indigo (227)**. Mint N.H., wonderful depth of color on bright white paper, beautiful centering with wide margins

EXTREMELY FINE. A CHOICE MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 15-CENT 1890 ISSUE.

With 1984 and 2020 P.F. certificates (XF-Superb 95)
..... 550.00



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- 1350 ★ **30c Black, Imperforate (228a)**. Original gum, single hinge mark, lovely large and even margins, Very Fine and choice, with 1987 P.F. certificate 1,000.00
- 1351 ★ **30c Black, Imperforate (228a)**. Horizontal pair, original gum, lightly hinged, large margins to full including **left sheet margin**, Very Fine, desirable with the sheet margin, with 1991 P.F. and 1993 P.S.E. certificates 1,000.00
- 1352 ★ **90c Orange (229)**. Original gum, vivid color, balanced margins, reperfed at right (a classic 80s job and not noted on certificate), appears Extremely Fine, with 1987 P.F. certificate 450.00



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90c Orange (229). Horizontal pair, vibrant color, neat strikes of "New York Reg. Div. 5-16 1890" oval datestamps, each strike is incomplete but together they display the entire date, right stamp single short perf at top right, left stamp small tear at top right (latter not mentioned on certificate), Fine-Very Fine, this is **the earliest documented use of the 90c 1890 Issue**, with 2017 P.F. certificate E. 500-750

COLUMBIAN ISSUE
COMPLETE SET OF BLOCKS OF FOUR



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1354 ★田 **1c-\$5.00 Columbian (230-245).** Complete set of blocks of four, including two shades of the 10c, original gum, few h.r., the \$5.00 mount glazed, few small flaws such as minor perf separations, \$1.00 one with corner crease, few other similar small faults

FINE WITH A FEW VERY FINE. A RARE OPPORTUNITY TO ACQUIRE A COMPLETE SET OF ORIGINAL-GUM BLOCKS OF THE COLUMBIAN ISSUE IN ONE LOT.

Assembling a set of Columbian blocks is a challenge, and for the collector who desires instant gratification, this is an unusual opportunity to acquire all 16 values at one time...
.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 44,090.00



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- 1355 ★★ **2c Columbian (231).** Mint N.H., extra wide and beautifully balanced margins, bright color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2002 and 2014 P.F. certificates (XF-Superb 95) .. 31.00
- 1356 ★★ **4c Columbian (233).** Mint N.H., fresh color, wide margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 1999 P.F. certificate 140.00

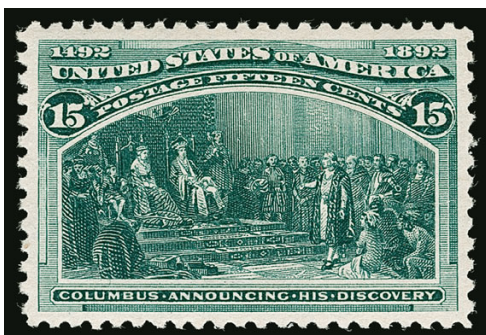


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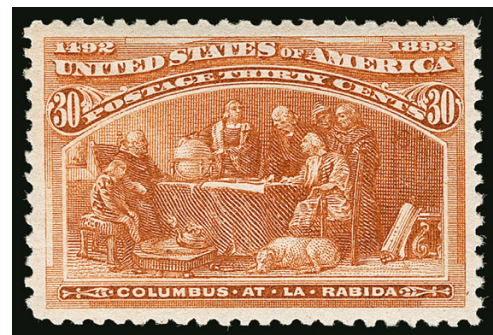


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- 1357 ★★ **5c Columbian (234).** Mint N.H., deep rich color and detailed impression, Extremely Fine, with 2002 P.F. certificate 140.00
- 1358 ★ **10c Gray Black, Columbian (237 var).** Original gum, lightly hinged, perfectly centered with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem example of this sub-shade, a phenomenal stamp, ex Drucker, with 1979 P.F. certificate 90.00



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- 1359 ★ **15c Columbian (238).** Original gum, lightly hinged, brilliant color, detailed impression, wide and balanced margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2012 P.S.E. certificate (OGph, Superb 98; SMQ \$1,600.00), only one grades higher 200.00
- 1360 ★ **30c Columbian (239).** Original gum, brilliant color, wide and balanced margins, Extremely Fine, with 1996 P.F. certificate 225.00



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- 1361 ★ **50c Columbian (240).** Original gum, lightly hinged, intense shade and impression, wide and balanced margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2012 P.S.E. certificate (OGph, XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$1,500.00), a difficult denomination to obtain in the higher grades..... 425.00
- 1362 ★ **\$1.00 Columbian (241).** Original gum, lightly hinged, bright color, most recent certificate notes reperfed at right (we agree), Extremely Fine appearance, with 1990, 2001 and 2017 P.F. certificates..... 1,000.00
- 1363 ★ **\$1.00 Columbian (241).** Original gum, lightly hinged, vibrant color, small internal wrinkle, appears Fine 1,000.00
- 1364 (★) **\$1.00 Columbian (241).** Unused (no gum), bright color, choice centering and margins, Extremely Fine..... 500.00



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- 1365 (★)田 **\$1.00 Columbian (241).** Block of four, unused (no gum), choice centering, rich color, top right and bottom left small natural inclusions, Extremely Fine, Scott Retail as four singles without gum..... 2,000.00



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- 1366 **\$1.00 Columbian (241).** Well-centered with balanced margins, fresh color, neat 1893 circular datestamp cancel, Extremely Fine 525.00



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- 1367 ★ **\$2.00 Columbian (242).** Original gum, lightly hinged, rich color, fresh and Very Fine, with 1999 P.S.E. certificate..... 1,050.00
- 1368 **\$2.00 Columbian (242).** Bright color, wide margins and exceptionally well-centered, unobtrusive 1894 circular datestamp cancel, Extremely Fine..... 525.00
- 1369 **\$2.00 Columbian (242).** Crisp impression, choice centering with well-balanced margins, neat duplex cancel, Extremely Fine and attractive, with 2000 P.F. certificate..... 525.00



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- 1370 ★ **\$3.00 Columbian (243).** Slightly redistributed original gum, attractively centered, deep color, Very Fine, with clear 1984 P.F. certificate..... 1,350.00
- 1371 **\$3.00 Columbian (243).** Wide margins, rich color, unobtrusive circular datestamp cancel, Extremely Fine..... 750.00
- 1372 **\$3.00 Columbian (243).** Wide margins, rich color, barely cancelled, tiny corner perf tip crease, appears Extremely Fine 750.00



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- 1373 (★)田 **\$3.00 Columbian (243).** Block of four with selvage at left, unused (no gum), rich color, attractive margins and centering, top right stamp small thin spot, minor perf separations, Very Fine or appears so, Scott Retail as four singles without gum 2,700.00



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- 1374 ★ **\$4.00 Columbian (244).** Original gum which is harshly called “slightly disturbed” on accompanying certificate (it is not in our opinion), brilliant color, wide margins, Very Fine and choice, with 2020 P.F. certificate 2,000.00
- 1375 (★) **\$4.00 Columbian (244).** Unused, regummed over small thin spots, attractive color, Fine appearance..... 1,000.00



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- 1376 ★ **\$5.00 Columbian (245).** Original gum, barely hinged, intense shade and impression, choice centering with well-balanced margins

EXTREMELY FINE ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE
OF THE \$5.00 COLUMBIAN ISSUE.

With 2003 and 2004 P.F. certificates
..... 2,300.00



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- 1377 ★ **\$5.00 Columbian (245).** Disturbed original gum, sharp impression, small thin, Fine appearance..... 2,300.00
- 1378 (★) **\$5.00 Columbian (245).** Unused (no gum), nicely balanced margins, intense shade, tiny toned spot in margin at top right, appears Extremely Fine. 1,150.00
- 1379 **\$5.00 Columbian (245).** Light strike of circular date-stamp cancel, wide margins, intense shade, Very Fine..
..... 1,150.00
- 1380 **\$5.00 Columbian (245).** Intense shade, neat central strike of Washington D.C. 1895 circular datestamp cancel, Fine 1,150.00
- 1381 **Columbian Exposition Tickets.** Group of 14 items, including complete set of ten engraved admission tickets, also Manhattan Day ticket with tab, Chicago Day ticket with tab, Children's Special ticket, last good only on day of sale, fresh and Very Fine, wonderful collateral group for the Columbian Issue or exposition collector(Photo Ex) E. 200-300



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1894-98 BUREAU ISSUE

- 1382 ★ **5c Chocolate, Vertical Pair, Imperforate Horizontally (255c).** Original gum, lightly hinged, unusually choice centering, dark color and detailed impression

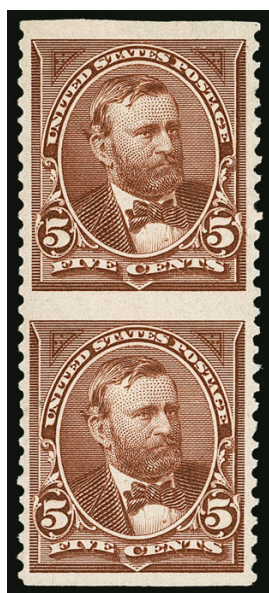
VERY FINE PAIR OF THE RARE UNWATERMARKED 5-CENT 1894 ISSUE IMPERFORATE HORIZONTALLY.

It is believed that most examples of this error originate from a part sheet purchased by a collector at the Richmond Va. post office. The unique unused block of nine with imprint and plate number, ex Col. Green collection, also originated from this find.

With 2002 P.F. certificate 3,500.00



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- 1383 (★) **5c Chocolate, Vertical Pair, Imperforate Horizontally (255c).** Unused (no gum), beautiful centering with wide margins at top and bottom, rich color, Extremely Fine, scarce, it is believed that most examples of this error originate from a part sheet purchased by a collector at the Richmond Va. post office, most tend to be off center, with 2001 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail with gum..... 3,500.00



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- 1384 ★ **6c Dull Brown, Vertical Pair, Imperforate Horizontally (256a).** Original gum, h.r. at top, bright color, Fine-Very Fine, Brookman notes that the source of this error is likely a Western post office, most examples we have encountered are centered to the left to varying degrees 3,000.00



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- 1385 ★ **50c Orange (260).** Original gum, lightly hinged, faint corner crease at top right, appears Very Fine 475.00



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- 1386 ★ **\$1.00 Black, Ty. II (261A).** Original gum, lightly hinged, intense shade and impression nicely contrasted by bright white paper, beautifully centered

EXTREMELY FINE ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE 1894 \$1.00 TYPE II UNWATERMARKED BUREAU ISSUE.

With 1991 and 2011 P.F. certificates..... 2,100.00

- 1387 田 **\$2.00 Bright Blue (262).** Block of four, bright color and detailed impression, attractive margins and centering, unobtrusive strikes of oval cancels, few perf separations, right stamps with some lightly toned perf tips, we also noted bottom left stamp light creases the last time we offered this block but this is not mentioned on accompanying certificate

FINE-VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A RARE USED BLOCK OF FOUR OF THE \$2.00 1894 UNWATERMARKED BUREAU ISSUE. THIS IS THE LARGEST RECORDED USED MULTIPLE.

According to Linn's *U.S. Stamp Facts*, a block of four is the largest recorded used multiple of the \$2.00 1894 Unwatermarked Bureau Issue.

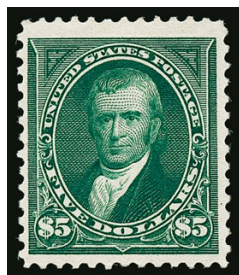
With 2007 P.F. certificate..... 9,500.00



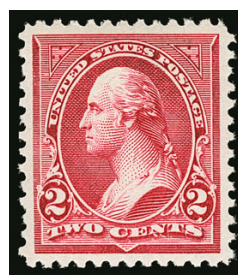
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- 1388 **\$2.00-\$5.00 1894-95 Bureau Issues (262-263, 277-278).** Five used stamps including two of No. 278, attractive margins and centering, mostly light cancels, a few small flaws, overall Fine-Very Fine or appear so(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 5,400.00
- 1389 ★ **\$5.00 Dark Green (263).** Original gum slightly disturbed from hinge removal (certificate simply says "previously hinged"), wide margins, deep color and highly detailed impression, Very Fine, with 2005 P.F. certificate 4,000.00
- 1390 ★★ **2c Carmine, Ty. III (267).** Mint N.H., deep shade and detailed impression on bright paper, gorgeous centering, Extremely Fine Gem, ex Merlin, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$1,000.00), only two have graded higher..... 16.00
- 1391 ★★ **4c Dark Brown (269).** Mint N.H., deep shade, perfectly centered, Extremely Fine Gem, a beautiful stamp, ex "Golden Oak", with 2014 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$1,400.00), only four have graded higher..... 125.00



- 1392 ★★ **5c Chocolate (270).** Mint N.H., **wide selvage with part imprint** at top, unusually choice centering with Jumbo margins, gorgeous color, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp, ex "Hampshire", with 2006 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95 Jumbo; SMQ \$1,450.00), only six grade higher (at 98.....). 105.00
- 1393 **8c Violet Brown, USIR Watermark (272a).** Wide and balanced margins, bold and complete "I" of watermark, small tear at lower left is well obscured by the cancel, appears Extremely Fine, with 2020 P.F. certificate..... 950.00
- 1394 ★★ **8c Violet Brown, Imperforate (272b).** Mint N.H. pair, large to huge margins including bottom right corner sheet margins, deep rich color, Extremely Fine, with 1994 P.F. certificate..... 400.00
- 1395 ★ **\$1.00 Black, Ty. I (276).** Original gum, gorgeous centering, intense shade and detailed impression, Extremely Fine, with 2006 P.F. certificate (XF 90)..... 600.00
- 1396 ★ **\$1.00 Black, Ty. II (276A).** Original gum, hinge mark, deep shade and impression, well-centered, Very Fine, ex Dr. Larson, with 1996 P.F. certificate 1,250.00
- 1397 ★ **\$2.00 Bright Blue (277).** Original gum, bright color, fresh and Fine, with 2002 P.S.E. certificate .. 900.00
- 1398 ★ **4c Lilac Brown, Kiss Print (280a var).** Original gum, lightly hinged, rich color on bright paper, light kiss print at bottom and lower right, wide and balanced margins, Extremely Fine, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate (OGph, XF 90; SMQ \$150.00 with no premium for the kiss print, which is very unusual)..... E. 200-300
- 1399 ★★ **6c Lake (282).** Mint N.H., brilliant color, perfectly centered with balanced margins, Extremely Fine Gem, one of the most difficult stamps of the series to obtain in such superb condition, with 2001 P.F. and 2005 P.S.E. certificates (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$1,400.00) 525.00
- 1400 ★ **10c Brown, Ty. I (282C).** Original gum, bright color, choice centering with exceptionally wide margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate (OGh, XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$650.00).... 175.00
- 1401 ★ **10c Brown, Ty. I (282C).** Original gum, single hinge mark, rich color and proof-like impression, unusually choice centering with balanced margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate (OGph, XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$650.00)..... 175.00
- 1402 ★ **15c Olive Green (284).** Original gum, lightly hinged, near perfect centering, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$600.00)..... 150.00

END OF SESSION TWO

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SESSION THREE (LOTS 1403-1531)
THURSDAY, MAY 28, 2020, AT 10:30 A.M.

TRANS-MISSISSIPPI ISSUE



1403



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- 1403 ★★ **1c Trans-Mississippi (285).** Mint N.H. with wide **top plate no. 710** selvage, bright color, beautiful centering, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2013 P.F. certificate (XF-Superb 95 XQ) and 2011 P.S.A.G. certificate (95 ogNH) 82.50
- 1404 ★★ **1c Trans-Mississippi (285).** Mint N.H., rich color, wide and balanced margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$625.00) 82.50
- 1405 ★★ **1c Trans-Mississippi (285).** Mint N.H., rich color and proof-like impression, wide and balanced margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 1997 P.F. and 2011 P.S.E. certificates (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$625.00) 82.50



1406EX

- 1406 ★ **1c, 2c Trans-Mississippi, Complete Plate Number Pairs Collection (285-286).** Top and bottom imprint and plate no. pairs, representing the **complete set of plate numbers issued for the 1c and 2c Trans-Mississippi**, the 1c includes 14 plates and all are present as both top and bottom pairs (plus an extra plate no. 592 top), the 2c includes a hefty 121 plates and each plate is also represented by top and bottom pairs, a mix of centering and gum condition to be expected with a good number from each Mint N.H., many are quite well centered and overall the group is very fresh

A RARE COMPLETE ASSEMBLAGE OF TOP AND BOTTOM IMPRINT AND PLATE NUMBER PAIRS FOR THE ONE-CENT AND 2-CENT TRANS-MISSISSIPPI ISSUE — REPRESENTING ALL PLATES THAT WENT TO THE PRESS.

Scott Retail exceeds \$26,500.00 — calculated as a combination of Mint N.H. plate no. and imprint pairs (for completely Mint N.H. items), Mint N.H. singles (for pairs where hinging is in the selvage only) and hinged imprint and plate no. pairs**(Photo Ex/Website PDF)** E. 5,000-7,500



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- 1407 ★★ **1c, 2c Trans-Mississippi (285-286).** Mint N.H., 1c with wide top imprint selvage, 2c with full bottom imprint selvage, choice centering, Extremely Fine, 1c with 2009 P.S.E. certificate, 2c with 2014 P.S.E. certificate (XF 90; SMQ \$250.00)(Photo Ex) 155.00
- 1408 ★★ **2c Trans-Mississippi (286).** Mint N.H. with wide top plate no. 719 selvage, brilliant color, gorgeous centering, Extremely Fine Gem, a phenomenal stamp, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$625.00) 72.50
- 1409 ★★ **2c Trans-Mississippi (286).** Mint N.H., radiant color, unusually wide and balanced margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$625.00) 72.50
- 1410 **2c Trans-Mississippi (286).** Rich color, neat wavy-lines machine cancel, beautiful centering, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2012 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$350.00), only five grade higher (four at 98 and one at 100)..... 2.75



1411

- 1411 ★★ **4c Trans-Mississippi (287).** Mint N.H., vibrant color, phenomenal centering, Extremely Fine Gem, with 1997 and 2017 P.F. certificates (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$1,850.00) 330.00



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- 1412 ★★ **4c Trans-Mississippi (287).** Mint N.H., vibrant color, well-balanced margins, Very Fine and choice, with 2007 and 2015 P.F. certificates (VF-XF 85)..... 330.00
- 1413 ★★ **4c Trans-Mississippi (287).** Mint N.H., brilliant color, wide margins, Very Fine and choice, with 1996 P.F. certificate 330.00

- 1414 ★★ **5c Trans-Mississippi (288).** Mint N.H., rich color on bright paper, wide and balanced margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$1,750.00), only seven grade higher 300.00



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- 1415 ★★ **5c Trans-Mississippi (288).** Mint N.H., deep rich color on bright paper, wide margins, Extremely Fine, with 1999 P.F. certificate 300.00

- 1416 **5c Trans-Mississippi (288).** Rich color, neat strike of **Venezuela circular datestamp**, Very Fine, unusual cancel on this issue, with 2006 P.F. certificate 25.00

- 1417 ★★ **8c Trans-Mississippi (289).** Mint N.H., rich color, well-balanced margins, Very Fine and choice, with 2001 P.S.E. certificate 430.00

- 1418 **8c Trans-Mississippi (289).** Choice centering with wide margins, bold strikes of Lynn Mass. registry oval cancels, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2012 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$625.00) 47.50



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- 1419 ★★ **10c Trans-Mississippi (290).** Mint N.H., rich color and proof-like impression, essentially perfect centering with wide and balanced margins

EXTREMELY FINE. A BEAUTIFUL MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 10-CENT TRANS-MISSISSIPPI ISSUE.

With 2000 and 2007 P.F. certificates (XF-Superb 95). 2004 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90 no longer accompanies — when we sold this in our Sale 904 we commented that it should have graded 95 425.00



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- 1420 ★★ **10c Trans-Mississippi (290).** Mint N.H., outstanding centering with balanced margins, fresh color, Extremely Fine, with 1992 P.F. certificate..... 380.00
- 1421 ★ **10c Trans-Mississippi (290).** Original gum, single hinge mark, intense shade, choice centering with wide margins, Extremely Fine, with 2016 P.S.E. certificate (OGh, XF 90; SMQ \$300.00) 140.00
- 1422 ★ **10c Trans-Mississippi (290).** Original gum, barely hinged, rich color, well-balanced margins, Extremely Fine, with 1998 P.F. and 2005 P.S.E. certificates (OGph, XF 90; SMQ \$300.00) 140.00



1423

- 1423 ★ **50c Trans-Mississippi (291).** Original gum, fresh and bright color and detailed impression on bright paper, virtually perfect centering with remarkably wide margins, full and intact perforations all around
- EXTREMELY FINE GEM. THE 50-CENT TRANS-MISSISSIPPI IS ONE OF THE MOST DIFFICULT VALUES OF THE SET TO FIND WITH SUCH WIDE MARGINS.
- After the \$2.00, the 50c is the most difficult value of the set to find in well-centered condition with wide margins.
- With 1998 P.F. certificate 600.00



1424

- 1424 ★ **50c Trans-Mississippi (291).** Original gum, lightly hinged, rich color, wide and balanced margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 1984 P.F. and 2014 P.S.E. certificates (OGph, XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$1,600.00)..... 140.00



- 1425 ★ **50c Trans-Mississippi (291).** With wide top **plate no. 603** selvage, original gum, lightly hinged, wide margins and choice centering, rich color and intense impression, a few perf separations at right, Extremely Fine, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate (OGph, XF 90; SMQ \$975.00, which does not reflect the value of the plate number selvage)..... 600.00
- 1426 ★★ **\$1.00 Trans-Mississippi (292).** Mint N.H. with **wide left selvage**, detailed impression, fresh and Fine 3,750.00
- 1427 ★ **\$1.00 Trans-Mississippi (292).** Original gum, lightly hinged, sharp impression, Very Fine, with 1995 P.F. certificate 1,500.00
- 1428 ★ **\$1.00 Trans-Mississippi (292).** Original gum, lightly hinged, detailed impression, Fine... 1,500.00



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- 1429 (★)田 **\$1.00 Trans-Mississippi (292).** Block of four, unused (no gum), top pair particularly well-centered and with wide margins, that pair is Extremely Fine, bottom left stamp small filled thin spot, bottom right stamp light wrinkle visible when drying, those two appear Fine, Scott Retail as four singles without gum 3,400.00



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1430 **\$1.00 Trans-Mississippi (292).** Wide and balanced margins, detailed impression, bold registry oval cancel, fresh and Extremely Fine, signed Brettl, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate (XF 90; SMQ \$1,500.00)..... 700.00

1431 **\$1.00, \$2.00 Trans-Mississippi (292-293).** Fresh colors, unobtrusive cancels, both with faint creases, Fine-Very Fine appearance(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 1,750.00



1432

1432 ★ **\$2.00 Trans-Mississippi (293).** Original gum, perfectly centered, fresh color and sharp detailed impression

EXTREMELY FINE. A SUPERB EXAMPLE OF THE \$2.00 TRANS-MISSISSIPPI IN PRISTINE ORIGINAL-GUM CONDITION.

With 1999 P.F. and 2000 A.P.S. certificates 1,900.00



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1433 ★ **\$2.00 Trans-Mississippi (293).** Original gum, lightly hinged, fresh and Very Fine, with photocopy of 1980 P.F. certificate for a block of four 1,900.00

1434 ★ **\$2.00 Trans-Mississippi (293).** Slightly disturbed original gum, fresh color, reperfed at right, appears Very Fine, with 2020 P.F. certificate..... 1,900.00

PAN-AMERICAN ISSUE

- 1435 ★ **1c Pan-American, Center Inverted (294a).** Slightly disturbed original gum, rich colors, accompanying old certificate states “small defects” but we note only small corner creases

FINE APPEARING 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.

From our 1968 Rarities sale and with 1968 P.F. certificate 12,500.00



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- 1436 S **4c Pan-American, Center Inverted, “Specimen” Overprint Ty. E (296a-S).** “Specimen” at left, unused (no gum), well-centered, defective with repairs

A PRESENTABLE EXAMPLE OF THE 4-CENT PAN-AMERICAN INVERT WITH SPECIMEN OVERPRINT.

If the reported numbers are correct, a total of 203 4c Inverts were released, both with and without the overprint. An unknown quantity of the 4c Pan-American invert was overprinted with a small “Specimen” overprint. Some examples, both with and without the overprint, were given away by Third Asst. Postmaster General Edwin C. Madden. When postal authorities learned of the practice, they destroyed 194 copies and put one pane of 100 into the official archives. At a later date, 97 of these were traded for rarities missing from the archives.

With 2013 P.S.E. certificate..... 11,500.00

- 1437 (★) **4c Pan-American, Center Inverted (296a).** Unused (no gum), pretty colors, reperfed at left and light diagonal crease

FINE APPEARING 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, and in some cases removed entirely.

Scott Retail as original gum \$85,000.00.....
..... E. 5,000-7,500



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- 1438 2c Pan-American (295). Group of 25 used and three unused singles, selected to display a variety of vignette positions including “fast and slow trains”, “high and low trains”, the three unused and one used single show distinct frame shade variations, a few small flaws, Fine and interesting group(Photo Ex) E. 400-500
- 1439 ★★ 4c Pan-American (296). Mint N.H., bright colors, wide and balanced margins, fresh and Extremely Fine, with 2019 P.F. certificate (XF 90) 170.00
- 1440 8c Pan-American (298). Intense colors and impressions, unobtrusive cancel leaves entire design clearly visible, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2007 P.F. certificate (XF-Superb 95), by way of comparison only two grade higher in the P.S.E. Population Report 50.00

1902-08 ISSUE

- 1441 ★★ 3c Bright Violet (302). Mint N.H., wide margins and outstanding centering, rich color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 1992 P.F. certificate 140.00
- 1442 (★) 5c Blue (304). Horizontal strip of three, unused (no gum), appears to be imperforate vertically but faint blind perfs are present, natural straight edge at left adds to the appearance, Very Fine, a striking and collectible variety for an issue that has few such varieties, with 1977 P.F. certificate... E. 300-400
- 1443 ★ 50c Orange (310). Brilliant color, beautifully balanced margins, Extremely Fine, with 1994 P.F. certificate 400.00
- 1444 (★) \$2.00 Dark Blue (312). Unused (no gum), rich color, balanced margins, Extremely Fine, with 1992 P.F. certificate 325.00
- 1445 \$2.00-\$5.00 1902 Issue (312-313). Including two of the \$2.00, attractive centering, light creases except one \$2.00 a bit heavier, Very Fine appearance.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 1,055.00
- 1446 ★ \$5.00 Dark Green (313). Single hinge mark at top, brilliant color, fresh and Very Fine, with 1991 P.F. certificate 2,000.00
- 1447 ★ \$5.00 Dark Green (313). Original gum, well-centered, wide margins, intense color, Very Fine and choice, with 1999 P.F. certificate 2,000.00

- 1448 田 **\$5.00 Dark Green (313).** Block of four, rich color and sharp proof like impression, light cancels, bottom pair with light horizontal blue crayon stroke and diagonal scoring line

FINE-VERY FINE APPEARANCE. AN EXTREMELY RARE USED BLOCK OF FOUR OF THE \$5.00 1902 ISSUE.

Unlike its unused counterpart, used blocks seldom appear at public auction. With 2004 P.F. certificate..... 6,000.00

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- 1449 ★★ **1c Blue Green, Imperforate (314).** Mint N.H., enormous margins with parts of all adjoining stamps, rich color on post-office fresh paper, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; SMQ \$450.00 as 100, unpriced in 100 Jumbo grade). 30.00
- 1450 ★★ **1c Blue Green, Imperforate (314).** Mint N.H., Jumbo margins with portions of all other surrounding stamps, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; SMQ \$450.00 as 100, unpriced in 100 Jumbo grade)..... 30.00
- 1451 ★★ **5c Blue, Imperforate (315).** Mint N.H. with bottom sheet margin, large margins other sides, Extremely Fine Gem 575.00
- 1452 ★★ **5c Blue, Imperforate (315).** Mint N.H., large margins all around, rich color, Extremely Fine, with 2005 P.S.E. certificate for a pair 575.00
- 1453 ★★ **5c Blue, Imperforate (315).** Mint N.H. horizontal pair, large to huge margins, deep rich color, Extremely Fine, with 2003 P.F. certificate 1,250.00
- 1454 ★★ **5c Blue, Imperforate (315).** Mint N.H. horizontal pair, enormous margins, sharp proof-like impression, Extremely Fine, with 1989 P.F. certificate for block 1,250.00
- 1455 ★★ **2c Scarlet, Ty. I, Imperforate (320b).** Mint N.H., Jumbo margins all around, brilliant color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; SMQ \$750.00 as 100, unpriced as 100J) 37.50



1456

- 1456 ★ **1c Blue Green, Coil (318).** Pair, lightly hinged, left stamp with tiny thin, perfs mostly separated and some rejoined

VERY FINE APPEARING PAIR OF THE RARE ONE-CENT HORIZONTAL COIL, SCOTT 318, WITH THE RIGHT STAMP SOUND.

With 1980 P.F. certificate.....
..... 11,000.00

- 1457 ★ **2c Carmine, Coil (322).** Pair, lightly hinged, well-centered, bright color, a few rejoined perfs at top

VERY FINE PAIR OF THE 2-CENT 1908 HORIZONTAL COIL, SCOTT 322.

Issued on July 31, 1908, and intended only to be used by private vending machine companies, Scott 322 is only known with the Die II widened line at lower left.

Signed Sloane. With 1957 P.F. certificate 17,500.00



1457

LOUISIANA PURCHASE ISSUE



1458

- 1458 ★ **2c Louisiana Purchase, Vertical Pair, Imperforate Horizontally (324a).** Original gum with slight disturbance from hinge removal, brilliant color, wide margins, bottom stamp light natural gum bend as almost always seen on this error

VERY FINE EXAMPLE OF THE RARE 2-CENT LOUISIANA PURCHASE IMPERFORATE HORIZONTALLY. ONLY 25 ERROR PAIRS CAN EXIST FROM THE DISCOVERY PANE OF 50.

It is well-established that only one pane of 50 of this commemorative error was discovered. It was purchased as a new issue at the post office in Cleveland, Ohio, by A. W. Weigel of the Ohio Stamp Company. Very shortly thereafter, the pane, or at least a large part of it, became part of the George H. Worthington collection. The pane had been divided prior to the Worthington sale, to allow multiple collectors to obtain an example of the variety. In the Worthington auction, 26 of the 50 stamps were offered; the remaining 24 stamps were sold privately. In our reconstruction of the pane, this pair comes from Positions 13/18..... 25,000.00

1908-12 ISSUES



- 1459 ★田 **50c Violet (341)**. Block of four, bottom stamps Mint N.H., top stamps small h.r., radiant color, Fine-Very Fine, with 1988 Brett certificate, Scott Retail as singles..... 1,850.00
- 1460 ★ **2c Carmine, Coil (349)**. Guide line pair, lightly hinged, bright color, Very Fine, with 2005 P.S.E. certificate 550.00
- 1461 ★ **4c Orange Brown, Coil (350)**. Guide line pair, rich color in a dark shade, well-centered, Extremely Fine, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate (OGh, VF-XF 85; SMQ \$1,500.00). 1,175.00
- 1462 ★ **4c Orange Brown, Coil (350)**. Guide line pair, lightly hinged at top (bottom stamp Mint N.H.), rich color, Very Fine, with 2012 P.F. certificate 1,175.00

- 1463 **4c Orange Brown, Coil (350)**. Guide line pair, deep rich color, oval registry cancels, completely sound

FINE AND RARE USED GUIDE LINE PAIR OF THE 1910 4-CENT VERTICAL COIL. ONLY NINE GENUINE USED GUIDE LINE MULTIPLES ARE LISTED IN OUR CENSUS.

According to Johl (Vol. 1, page 153), this coil was issued approximately eighteen months after the horizontal coil Scott 354 and was only in use for a short period of time. Our census of used guide line pairs records only eight, plus one contained in a strip of four. Five or six were used in Benton Harbor Mich., the home town of Alvin Filstrup.

Unpublished Census No. 350-CAN-LP-09. With 2020 P.F. certificate 4,000.00



1463

- 1464 ★ **5c Blue, Coil (351)**. Pair, fresh color, Very Fine, with 1984 P.F. certificate 400.00



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1467

- 1465 ★ **1c Green, Coil (352).** Pair with 2mm spacing, strong color, Very Fine, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate. 260.00
- 1466 ★ **2c Carmine, Coil (353).** Pair with 2mm spacing, fresh color, Very Fine, with 2001 P.F. certificate 240.00
- 1467 ★ **4c Orange Brown, Coil (354).** Guide line pair, rich color, Very Fine, with 2002 P.S.E. certificate 1,400.00
- 1468 **5c Blue, Coil (355).** Pair, registry oval cancels, left stamp light natural pre-print paper fold at bottom left, still Very Fine, with 2020 P.F. certificate. 875.00



1468



1469

- 1469 ★ **10c Yellow, Coil (356).** Lightly hinged, well-centered, bright color, Very Fine example of this scarce coil, with 1981 P.F. and 2012 P.S.A.G. certificates 3,250.00

BLUISH PAPER



1470



1471

- 1470 ★★ **3c Deep Violet, Bluish (359).** Mint N.H., centered to left, strong color, Fine, with 1984 Friedl certificate 4,000.00
- 1471 ★ **5c Blue, Bluish (361).** Reperfed at right and bottom, certificate states bottom left perf reattached (it has since fallen off), Fine appearance, with 2012 P.S.A.G. certificate, Scott Retail \$5,750.00..... E. 400-500



1472



1473EX

- 1472 ★ **6c Red Orange, Bluish (362).** Well-centered, attractive color, fresh and Very Fine, with 1988 P.F. certificate..... 1,250.00
- 1473 ★ **6c Red Orange, 15c Pale Ultramarine, Bluish (362, 366).** Both on deeply blued paper, small thin spots and 6c a trifle oxidized, otherwise Fine(Photo Ex) 2,500.00



1474

- 1474 ★ **8c Olive Green, Bluish (363).** Small h.r., rich color
FINE EXAMPLE OF THE RARE 8-CENT ON BLuish PAPER.
The June 1910 Third Assistant Postmaster General's report states that 4,000 (ten sheets) of the 8c were printed on Bluish Paper. It is believed that none of the 4c and 8c Bluish Paper stamps were distributed to post offices, and that all of the examples in collectors' hands reached the market through the Travers-Steinmetz exchange and the 1914 National Museum trades to H. F. Colman (12 copies) and Nassau Stamp Company (65 copies).
With 2016 P.S.E. certificate 30,000.00



- 1475 ★ **10c Yellow, Bluish (364).** Brilliant color, nicely centered, Very Fine, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate..... 1,600.00
- 1476 ★ **13c Bluish Green, Bluish (365).** Selvage at left, strong color and impression, Fine, with 1980 P.F. certificate for a block of four..... 2,600.00
- 1477 ★ **15c Pale Ultramarine, Bluish (366).** Bright and fresh, Very Fine, with 1978 P.F. certificate 1,250.00
- 1478 ★ **15c Pale Ultramarine, Bluish (366).** Barely hinged, rich color and characteristic intense watermark, fresh and Very Fine, with 1979 and 2003 A.P.S. certificates, the former for a block of four (this the bottom right stamp)..... 1,250.00
- 1479 ★ **15c Pale Ultramarine, Bluish (366).** Lightly hinged, rich color, Fine..... 1,250.00
- 1480 ★★ **2c Lincoln (367).** Mint N.H., mathematically perfect centering with wide margins, brilliant color on bright white paper, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp, with 2012 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$1,000.00), the highest grade awarded and shared by only four others..... 9.50
- 1481 ★★ **2c Hudson-Fulton (372).** Mint N.H., brilliant color, near mathematically perfect centering with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$625.00), only two stamps grade higher 21.00
- 1482 ★★ **2c Carmine, Coil (386).** Mint N.H. pair, wide margins, bright color on crisp paper, Extremely Fine, ex "Golden Oak", with copy of 1991 P.F. certificate for strip of four..... 600.00



1483

- 1483 ★ **2c Carmine, Coil (388).** Pair with 3mm spacing, lightly hinged, dazzling color, sharp impression

VERY FINE. AN UNCOMMONLY FRESH EXAMPLE OF THE SCARCE 1910 SINGLE-LINE WATERMARK 2-CENT HORIZONTAL COIL, SCOTT 388.

With 1972 and 2013 P.F. certificates (VF 80)..... 3,750.00



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- 1484 ★ **2c Carmine, Coil (388).** Faintly hinged, brilliant color, Fine, with photocopy of 1955 P.F. certificate for a pair, with 2010 P.F. certificate (F 70) 1,400.00
- 1485 ★★ **1c Green, Coil (390).** Mint N.H., mathematically perfect centering with wide margins, rich color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$750.00), one of five at this perfect grade with only two higher 10.00
- 1486 ★★ **3c Deep Violet, Coil (394).** Mint N.H. guide line pair, rich color on fresh paper, Fine-Very Fine, with 1976 P.F. certificate 925.00

PANAMA-PACIFIC ISSUE

- 1487 ★ **2c Lake, Panama-Pacific (398b).** Single hinge mark at top, intense color in the unmistakable Lake shade

FINE EXAMPLE OF THE 2-CENT PANAMA-PACIFIC IN THE RARE LAKE SHADE.

According to Johl, "there is one shade that is practically as scarce as the four-cent Blue of the Columbian issue, this is known as Lake, almost the same color as were the Postage Due stamps current at that time. Only one pane of 70 is said to have been found at a Post Office in San Francisco, although it hardly seems possible that but one sheet could have been printed in this dark color. When these were discovered there were only 40 copies left; 31 were purchased by A.L., an old-time collector, and 9 by a local dealer."

With 2006 P.S.E. certificate 5,250.00



1487



1488

- 1488 ★★ **5c Panama-Pacific, Perf 10 (403).** Mint N.H., rich color and proof-like impression on brilliant paper, almost mathematically perfect centering with wide margins

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A STUNNING MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 5-CENT PERF 10 PANAMA-PACIFIC ISSUE, GRADED SUPERB 98 BY P.S.E.

With 2010 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$3,600.00). Only three examples grade higher (at 98J) 375.00



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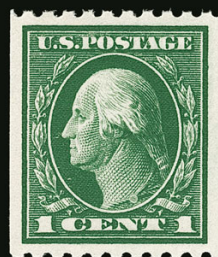
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- 1489 ★★ **5c Panama-Pacific, Perf 10 (403).** Mint N.H., deep rich color, choice centering, Extremely Fine..... 375.00
- 1490 ★ **2c Carmine, Coil (413).** Guide line pair, lightly hinged, fiery color, Extremely Fine, with 2004 P.F. certificate 275.00
- 1491 ★★ **3c Deep Violet, Pink Back (426 var).** Mint N.H., huge margins and outstanding centering, Extremely Fine Gem, according to Scott Catalogue, the aniline inks used on some printings of Scott 425, 426 and 435a caused a pink tinge to permeate the paper and appear on the back, Scott Retail as normal..... 32.50
- 1492 ★★ **30c Orange Red (439).** Mint N.H., vivid color, well-centered, Very Fine and choice, with 1979 P.F. certificate 475.00
- 1493 ★★ **1c Green, Coil (441).** Mint N.H., rich color on bright paper, perfectly centered, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$400.00), only three grade higher and only four others share this grade 2.00
- 1494 ★ **3c Violet, Coil (445).** Pair, lightly hinged, wide margins, wonderfully bright and fresh, Very Fine-Extremely Fine, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate (OGph, VF-XF 85; SMQ \$600.00) 500.00
- 1495 ★ **3c Deep Violet, Coil (394).** Choice centering, beautiful rich color on pristine white paper, Extremely Fine, with 2002 P.F. certificate..... 210.00

- 1496 (★) **2c Red, Ty. I, Coil (449).** Unused (no gum), fresh color, Fine, with 2005 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail as original gum \$6,000.00 E. 750-1,000



1496



- 1497 **2c Red, Ty. I, Coil (449).** Radiant color, neat wavy-line machine cancel, Very Fine, with 2003 P.F. certificate 600.00
- 1498 **2c Red, Ty. I, Coil (449).** Strong color, wavy-line machine cancel, fresh and Very Fine, with 2011 P.S.A.G. certificate 600.00
- 1499 ★ **2c Carmine Rose, Ty. I, Coil (453).** Lightly hinged, choice centering, bright color, Extremely Fine, with photocopy of 2000 P.F. certificate for a strip of four 140.00
- 1500 ★★ **2c Red, Ty. II, Coil (454).** Mint N.H. pair, bright color, Very Fine, with 1991 P.F. certificate..... 360.00
- 1501 ★★ **2c Red, Ty. II, Coil (454).** Mint N.H. pair, strong color, Very Fine, with 2004 P.S.E. certificate..... 360.00
- 1502 ★ **3c Violet, Coil (456).** Pair, lightly hinged, excellent centering, rich color, Extremely Fine, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate (OGph, XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$1,150.00) 550.00



- 1503 ★★ 2c Carmine, Ty. I, Imperforate Coil (459). Mint N.H. pair, large even margins all around, brilliantly fresh, Extremely Fine, with 2005 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$700.00) 650.00
- 1504 ★★ 2c Carmine, Ty. I, Imperforate Coil (459). Mint N.H. pair, fresh color on bright paper, Very Fine, with 1978 P.F. certificate 650.00
- 1505 ★ 50c Light Violet (477). Rich color, nearly Very Fine, with 1991 P.F. certificate ... 850.00
- 1506 ★★ \$2.00 Dark Blue, \$5.00 Light Green (479-480). Mint N.H. with wide top plate no. selvage, bright colors, Fine 850.00
- 1507 ★★ \$5.00 Light Green (480). Mint N.H., choice margins and centering, rich color, Extremely Fine Gem 375.00



1508

- 1508 ★田 \$5.00 Light Green (480). Bottom plate no. 8016 block of six, five stamps Mint N.H., top center stamp hinged, deep rich color, Fine-Very Fine 3,000.00



- 1509 田 **\$2.00 Dark Blue (479).** Block of 20 in 5x4 format, neatly cancelled by multiple strikes of Washington D.C. double oval, incredibly fresh such a large block without the creases one would expect to encounter, Fine-Very Fine, a scarce large used multiple which is tied with the ex Curtis block for the largest listed in Power Search, Scott Retail as four blocks plus singles 1,460.00
- 1510 田 **\$5.00 Light Green (480).** Block of four, bright shade, outstanding centering with wide margins, handstamp cancels, Extremely Fine used block, ex Twigg-Smith, with 2001 P.F. certificate..... 280.00
- 1511 田 **\$2.00 Dark Blue, \$5.00 Light Green (479-480).** Blocks of four, rich colors, \$2.00 Minneapolis Minn. double oval cancels, \$5.00 part strikes of oval grid from a duplex device, \$2.00 Fine, \$5.00 Fine-Very Fine **(Photo Ex)** 605.00
- 1512 ★★ **1c Green, Coil (490).** Mint N.H., mathematically perfect centering with wide margins, 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



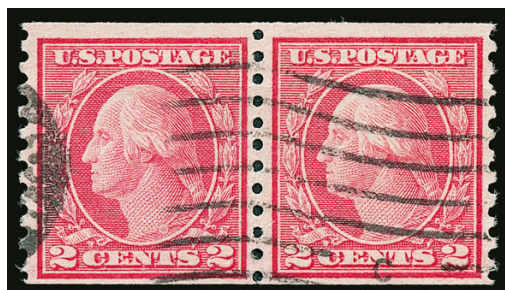
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- 1513 **2c Carmine, Ty. II, Coil (491).** Pair, lightly hinged, radiant color
FINE AND SCARCE PAIR OF THE 2-CENT ROTARY PRESS HORIZONTAL COIL, SCOTT 491.
With 1968 P.F. certificate 5,750.00



1514

- 1514 **2c Carmine, Ty. II, Coil (491).** Pair, vivid color, bold duplex cancel, Very Fine example of this scarce coil, with 2003 A.P.S. certificate 3,750.00



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1516



1518

- 1515 **2c Carmine, Ty. II, Coil (491).** Pair, vibrant color, neat wavy-line machine cancel showing part of datestamp at left, light horizontal crease (subsequent to the issuance of most recent certificate), Very Fine appearance and a scarce used pair of No. 491, with 1997 and 2015 P.F. certificates (neither mentioning the crease)..... 3,750.00
- 1516 **2c Carmine, Ty. II, Coil (491).** Bright color, wavy-line machine cancel, Very Fine, with 1990 P.F. certificate..... 800.00



1517EX

- 1517 ★田 **1c-1.00 1917-19 Issue (498-504, 506-518).** Complete set of plate no. blocks of six including No. 500 and the 2c plate that produced the 5c errors (plate 7942), lightly hinged (few minor values Mint N.H.), fresh and bright colors, few trivial natural inclusions, \$1.00 strong offset on back

FINE-VERY FINE. A SCARCE COMPLETE SET OF PLATE BLOCKS OF THE 1917-19 PERF 11 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE.

Scott Retail as all hinged.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 8,685.00

- 1518 ★ **3c Light Violet, Ty. I, Vertical Pair, Imperforate Horizontally (501c).** Lightly hinged, rich color, wide margins, Extremely Fine, only 25 pairs are reported in Datz and this is one of the best centered, ex Hansen, signed Eugene Klein, with 2004 P.F. certificate..... 2,100.00

- 1519 ★田 **3c Light Violet, Ty. I, Vertical Pair, Imperforate Horizontally (501c).** Block of four with two error pairs, small h.r. at top, brilliant color, slight creases in left vertical pair

VERY FINE. AN EXTREMELY RARE BLOCK OF THE 3-CENT SCOTT 501c VERTICAL PAIR, IMPERFORATE HORIZONTALLY.

This is the first multiple larger than a pair we have offered since keeping computerized records. Only 25 pairs are reported in Datz.

Ex Liberman. With 1989 P.F. certificate 4,200.00



1519



1520

- 1520 ★田 **11c Light Green, Perf 10 at Bottom (511a).** Top plate no. 13467 block of six, bottom center is fully Perf 10, the bottom left and bottom right stamps have transitional Perf 10/11 gauge showing the change in pin alignment to the left and right of the stamp in the middle, bottom center and bottom right stamps Mint N.H., bright color, bottom left stamp trivial toned spot on one perf at right

FINE-VERY FINE AND EXTREMELY RARE PLATE BLOCK CONTAINING TWO MINT NEVER-HINGED AND ONE LIGHTLY-HINGED EXAMPLES OF THE 1917 11-CENT PERF 10 AT BOTTOM VARIETY. ONLY FIVE SUCH PLATE BLOCKS ARE KNOWN. AN OUTSTANDING EXHIBITION PIECE.

We record the following plate blocks containing Scott 511a: 1) plate no. 13470, Mint N.H., with two Perf 10 stamps in the bottom row, ex Zoellner; 2) plate no. 13467, bottom row with one stamp fully Perf 10 and two stamps transitional 10/11 gauge, the block offered here; 3) plate no. 13467 with narrow selvage, three Perf 10 stamps in the bottom row, including a transitional 10/11 gauge, ex Curtis; 4) plate no. 13469, bottom row with one stamp fully Perf 10 and two stamps transitional 10/11 gauge, offered in our 2019 Rarities sale, ex "Sirron"; and 5) plate no. 13469, bottom row with one stamp transitional 10/11 gauge, offered in our 2018 Rarities sale.

From our 1970 and 1974 Rarities sales. With 1969 Friedl and 1974 P.F. certificates..... 25,000.00



1521

- 1521 ★ **20c Light Ultramarine, Vertical Pair, Imperforate Between (515b).** Top stamp h.r., brilliant color, Fine and scarce, most we have seen have perfs cutting in on one side, ex Liberman, with 1981 and 1999 P.F. certificates 1,750.00



1522



1523EX



1525



1524

- 1522 ★ **\$2.00 Orange Red & Black (523).** Mild h.r., wide margins, Very Fine, with 1998 P.F. certificate 500.00
- 1523 ★ **\$2.00, \$5.00 1918-20 Issues (523-524, 547).** First with top plate no. 8179 selvage, lightly hinged, last two Mint N.H., Very Fine (Photo Ex) 1,080.00
- 1524 ★ **2c Carmine, Ty. V, Vertical Pair, Imperforate Horizontally (527b).** With top left corner selvage, lightly hinged, brilliant color, Very Fine and choice position piece, signed in pencil "S. A." (Spencer Anderson), with 2009 A.P.S. certificate 850.00
- 1525 ★★ **2c Carmine, Ty. V, Imperforate (533).** Mint N.H. horizontal pair with left sheet margin, others margins huge, fiery color, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb pair, with 1996 A.P.S. certificate..... 400.00



1526

1526 ★★ **2c Carmine, Ty. VII, Imperforate (534B).** Mint N.H. horizontal pair, large margins, brilliant color

EXTREMELY FINE MINT NEVER-HINGED PAIR OF THE 2-CENT TYPE VII IMPERFORATE, SCOTT 534B.

Most Type VII stamps were used by private vending and affixing machine companies. However, unlike Scott 314A and 482A, a small supply of the imperforate 2c Type VII stamps reached the public. Mint N.H. multiples of this issue are very rare.

Ex Liberman. With 1987 P.F. certificate for block of four 7,750.00

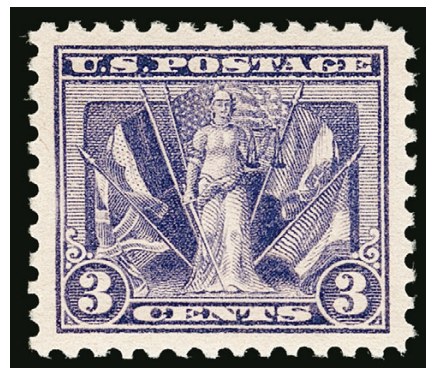


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2c Carmine, Ty. VII, Imperforate (534B). Four margins ranging from huge at bottom to full at right, portion of a 1922 Illinois machine cancel (proper period of use), Extremely Fine, a handsome used example of this scarce stamp, with photocopies of 1983 A.P.S. and 1984 P.F. certificates for a pair (this the bottom stamp).. 1,500.00

1528 ★★ **3c Violet (537).** Mint N.H., mathematically perfect centering, rich color on bright paper, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$850.00), one of three at this perfect grade with only four higher..... 20.00



1528



1529

- 1529 ★ **2c Carmine Rose, Ty. II, Rotary Perf 11 x 10 (539).** Lightly hinged, intense color and impression, a strong Fine, with photocopy of 1989 P.S.E. certificate for a block, with 2014 P.S.E. certificate..... 2,700.00



1530

- 1530 ★ **2c Carmine Rose, Ty. III, Rotary Perf 11 x 10, Horizontal Pair, Imperforate Vertically (540b).** Strip of three with normal stamp at left, wide margins at sides, typical centering with perfs in at top, deep rich color, fresh and Fine, a rare sound multiple, 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, we have offered only a strip of three (with faults) and two pairs since keeping computerized records, ex Liberman, with 1990 P.F. certificate..... 2,000.00

- 1531 **1c Green, Rotary Perf 11 (544).** Well-centered within unusually wide margins for this stamp, rich color, lightly cancelled, a few small facial scrapes at bottom left, Very Fine appearing example of this scarce and difficult stamp, with 1997 P.F. certificate 3,500.00



1531

END OF SESSION THREE

SESSION FOUR (LOTS 1532-1875)
THURSDAY, MAY 28, 2020, AT 1:30 P.M.

1922-29 AND LATER ISSUES

- 1532 ★★ **1c-\$5.00 1922 Issue (551-573).** Two complete or nearly complete sets of Nos. 551-573, including three \$5.00, all apparently Mint N.H., also blocks of four of Nos. 571-573, the latter two with plate no. and Mint N.H., the \$1.00 hinged, Fine-Very Fine group.....
.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 500-750



1533

- 1533 ★ **10c Orange, Vertical Pair, Imperforate Horizontally (562a).** With full **top sheet margin**, Positions 8/18 (light pencil on each stamp as do all), top stamp Mint N.H., brilliant color, fresh and Fine, the Datz book states one pane is known, all of the examples we have seen of this error are centered to the right, many quite strongly, ex Liberman, with 1989 P.F. certificate...
..... 2,000.00

- 1534 ★田 **10c Orange, Vertical Pair, Imperforate Horizontally (562a).** Block with **top right corner selvage**, original gum, lightly hinged, some very slight oxidation

VERY FINE EXAMPLE OF THE 10-CENT 1923 ISSUE IMPERFORATE HORIZONTALLY. THIS POSITION MULTIPLE IS UNIQUE.

The Datz book states one pane is known. All of the examples we have seen of this error are centered to the right, many quite strongly.

Light pencil notation in selvage "Plate 14816". Scott Retail as two pairs.
..... 4,000.00



1532EX



1534



1535

- 1535 (★) **10c Orange, Imperforate Pair (562b).** Positions 39-40, horizontal pair, unused (no gum) as are all known examples, vivid color, ample to large margins including guideline at right, left stamp small spots which may be a trace of the blue crayon found on many examples of this issue, Very Fine and choice, ex Liberman, Ward backstamp, with 1987 and 1989 P.F. certificates 5,750.00

- 1536 ★ **20c Carmine Rose, Horizontal Pair, Imperforate Between (567a).** Small h.r. at center, deep rich color, typical centering, fresh and Fine, according to Gary Griffith, a complete pane of 100 was found in Pasadena Cal. in 1929, which was divided between two collectors, this would make 50 pairs total, at least one of the panes was broken into pairs and blocks, ex Liberman, with 1990 P.F. certificate 2,500.00



1536



1537

- 1537 ★ **25c Yellow Green, Vertical Pair, Imperforate Horizontally (568b).** Vertical pair with **selvage at right**, top stamp h.r., choice centering for this difficult error

VERY FINE. A RARE EXAMPLE OF THE 25-CENT 1922 ISSUE IMPERFORATE HORIZONTALLY.

According to *United States Stamps 1922-26* by Gary Griffith, this error was discovered in 1927 in Georgia. In *Mekeel's Weekly Stamp News*, Sep. 5, 1927, noted dealer Philip H. Ward stated that "the pane was normal with this small corner receiving the vertical perforation only", indicating that only part of the pane contained the error. Auction records seem to support this. Apart from the unique plate number block offered in our 2013 Rarities sale and a strip of three with right selvage offered by us in 2016, every example found using Power Search has perfs touching the design at left.

Ex Liberman. With 1990 P.F. certificate 3,250.00

- 1538 **1c Green, Rotary, Perf 11 (594).** Rich color, indistinct cancel, a couple pulled perfs at top, otherwise Fine, with 1982 P.F. certificate, our census of Scott 594 is available at <https://siegelauctions.com/census/us/scott/594>, it shows that many have perforations either in on one or more sides, or have faults, Census No. 594-CAN-67 10,500.00



1538

- 1539 ★★ **1c Yellow Green, Coil (604).** Mint N.H., mathematically perfect centering, bright shade, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2012 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$500.00), this is one of only five examples at this perfect grade, with none higher..... 0.80



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- 1540 ★★ **2c Norse-American (620).** Mint N.H., mathematically precise centering on bright white paper, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$350.00), one of nine at this perfect grade with none higher..... 6.00



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- 1541 ★★ **1c Green, Perf 11 x 10½, Vertical Pair, Imperforate Between (632b).** Mint N.H., deep rich color on bright paper, typical centering for this rare variety

FRESH AND FINE EXAMPLE OF THE ONE-CENT COMPOUND PERF IMPERFORATE BETWEEN. VERY FEW ARE KNOWN.

According to Gary Griffith, this error was discovered in 1939 in Bergen N.Y. The find was reported as thirteen blocks of four and three pairs, but some were subsequently determined to have blind perfs and were disqualified.

Ex Liberman. With 1989 P.F. certificate..... 5,500.00



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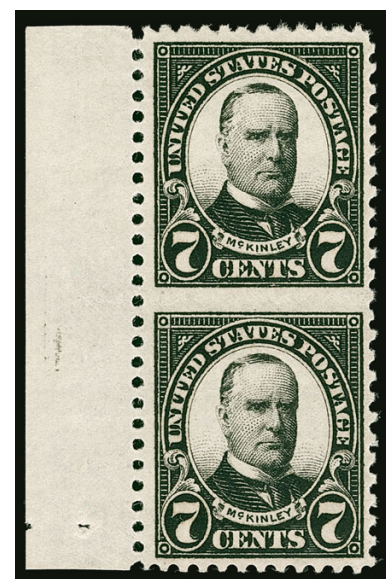


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- 1542 ★★ **2c Carmine, Ty. I (634).** Mint N.H., perfect centering, vivid color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$375.00), only one grades higher and seven share this perfect grade..... 0.30

- 1543 ★★ **2c Carmine, Ty. II (634A).** Mint N.H., vibrant color, Very Fine, with photocopy of 1989 P.F. certificate for a block of four..... 600.00

- 1544 ★★ **7c Black, Vertical Pair, Imperforate Between (639a).** Mint N.H. with selvage at left, sharp proof-like impression, Very Fine and choice..... 1,000.00



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- 1545 ★★ **2c Burgoyne (644).** Mint N.H., gorgeous Jumbo margins, mathematically perfect centering and bright color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; SMQ \$275.00 as 100, unpriced 100 Jumbo grade), this is one of only four at this highest of grades ... 5.25
- 1546 ★★ **5c Hawaii Ovpt. (648).** Mint N.H., mathematically perfect centering, rich color on bright white paper, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$725.00), the highest grade awarded and shared by only six others ... 21.50
- 1547 ★★ **2c Lake, Sullivan Expedition (657a).** Mint N.H., rich color, wide and balanced margins, Extremely Fine example of this scarce color variety, with 2004 P.S.E. certificate for a block of four ... 625.00
- 1548 ★★ **2c Lake, Sullivan Expedition (657a).** Mint N.H., intense shade, wide margins, Very Fine, with 1997 P.F. certificate ... 625.00



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- 1549 ★田 **2c Lake, Sullivan Expedition (657a).** Right plate no. 19785 block of six, deep rich color on bright paper, Very Fine, a rare plate block, outside of the two in this sale we have not offered another since 2003, ex Liberman, with 1983 P.F. certificate ... 2,500.00

- 1550 ★★田 2c Lake, Sullivan Expedition (657a). Left plate no. 19785 block of six, five stamps Mint N.H., top left stamp hinged, deep rich color, typical gum bends, Very Fine, a rare plate block, outside of the two in this sale we have not offered another since 2003..... 2,500.00



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- 1551 ★ 2c Von Steuben, Imperforate (689a). Positions 69-70, horizontal pair, large margins including intact guideline at right, bright color, Very Fine and choice, three panes of 100 were originally discovered, the first was returned and destroyed, some stamps from the second pane were used on covers and the remainder was returned, the third pane was discovered in Washington state and purchased intact at the post office, all known examples come from this third pane, ex Liberman, with 1989 P.F. certificate for a block of four 2,000.00

- 1552 ★★ 2c Dark Lake & Black (703b). Position 18, Mint N.H., deep rich color, fresh and Fine, with 2002 P.S.E. certificate 750.00



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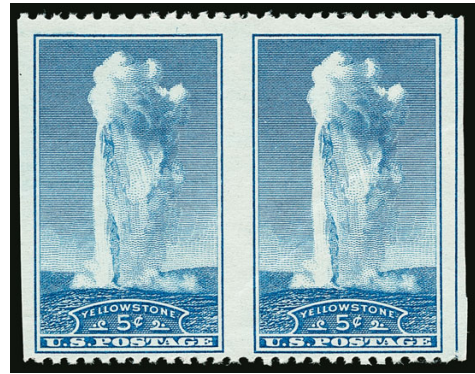


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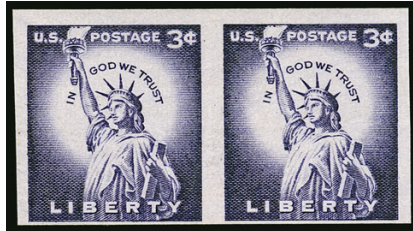
- 1553 ★ 5c Kosciuszko, Horizontal Pair, Imperforate Vertically (734a). With right sheet margin, lightly hinged, Very Fine and rare, only one pane of 100 was discovered, leaving only 50 pairs known, some have faults and four are in the unique plate block of eight, with 2007 P.F. certificate 1,750.00



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- 1554 ★ **3c Nicolet's Landing, Imperforate Vertically (739b).** Lightly hinged, wide margins, Extremely Fine, ex Liberman, with 1991 P.F. certificate..... 1,000.00
- 1555 ★ **5c Yellowstone, Horizontal Pair, Imperforate Vertically (744a).** Bright color, attractive margins and centering, natural gum crease, still Fine-Very Fine and scarce, Datz book states only 50 pairs are known, signed in pencil, with 1997 P.F. certificate ... 1,500.00

- 1556 ★★ **3c Liberty Coil, Imperforate (1057b; formerly 1057a).** Mint N.H. pair, three large margins, rich color, Fine and scarce, ex Liberman, with 1990 P.F. certificate 1,250.00

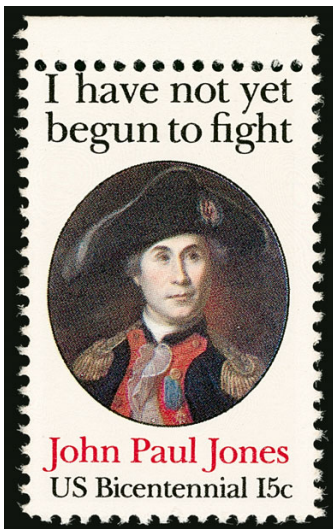
- 1557 ★ **5c Christmas, Horizontal Pair, Imperforate Between (1240b).** Rich colors, choice centering

VERY FINE. THE ONLY RECORDED EXAMPLE OF THE 1963 5-CENT CHRISTMAS IMPERFORATE BETWEEN ERROR. A WONDERFUL RARITY.

Ex Liberman. With 1982 P.F. certificate 7,500.00



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- 1558 ★★ **15c John Paul Jones, Perf 12 (1789B).** Mint N.H. with narrow top selvage, rich colors on bright paper

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

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

Small pencil notation on gum. With 1986 P.F. certificate 3,000.00

- 1559 ★★田 13c Liberty Bell, Booklet Pane of Six, Miscut Inserted Upside Down, Imperforate Below Bottom Stamp with "Tab" at Bottom (1595h). Mint N.H., in a complete booklet with normal 6c Eisenhower pane (BK127), the front cover is separated for display of the error, Very Fine, a rare and unusual error, only 20 are believed to have been produced and this is the first we have offered, with 2020 P.S.E. certificate, listed but unpriced in Scott E. 300-400



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AIR POST



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- 1560 田 6c-24c 1918-23 Air Post (C1-C6). Blocks of four, each with unusually choice centering, range of cancels including duplex, ovals and circular datestamp, Extremely Fine Gem blocks, Scott Retail as singles (Photo Ex) 622.00
- 1561 ★田 16c Green, 1918 Air Post (C2). Top plate no. 8900 and arrow block of six, positions 4 and 5 Mint N.H., others lightly hinged, rich color, well-balanced margins, Extremely Fine, with 2006 P.F. certificate 900.00
- 1562 ★田 16c Green 24c Carmine Rose & Blue, 1918 Air Post (C2-C3). Blocks of four, former with left arrow selvage, latter with bottom "S De B" imprint selvage, No. C2 Fine-Very Fine, No. C3 well-centered and Very Fine-Extremely Fine 510.00
- 1563 ★★ 8c Green, 16c Green, 1918-23 Air Post (C2, C4). Mint N.H., rich colors, Very Fine and choice 145.00



- 1564 **16c Green, 1918 Air Post (C2).** Perfectly centered with wide margins, rich color on bright paper, cancel at upper left is easily noticeable and leaves entire design clearly visible, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2012 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$525.00), only one grades higher (at 100, offered in our recent Morton sale) and five others share this desirable grade 30.00
- 1565 ★田 **24c Carmine Rose & Blue, 1918 Air Post (C3).** Top arrow, double plate nos. 8493/8492 and double "TOP" block of twelve, most stamps Mint N.H., fresh, bright colors, Fine-Very Fine..... 1,250.00
- 1566 **24c Carmine Rose & Blue, 1918 Air Post (C3).** Perfectly centered with Jumbo margins, rich colors, neat strike of circular datestamp leaves entire design clearly visible, Extremely Fine Gem, a phenomenal stamp, with 2018 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$750.00), only one grades higher (at 100, offered in our recent Morton sale) and one other shares this grade..... 30.00
- 1567 **24c Carmine Rose & Blue, 1918 Air Post (C3).** Rich colors, approaching the "fast plane" variety with vignette shifted significantly forward, bold Oct. 1, 1918 registered double-circle datestamp, Very Fine, attractive stamp with the clearly dated cancel and shifted vignette, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate describing this as the "fast plane" variety, but the wing of the plane must touch the outer frame to be considered the variety..... 30.00
- 1568 ★★田 **8c Dark Green, 1923 Air Post (C4).** Mint N.H. bottom plate no. 14824 block of six, rich color, fresh and Very Fine..... 330.00
- 1569 **8c Dark Green, 1923 Air Post (C4).** Gorgeous centering, rich color, neat strike of purple First Flight cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$325.00), only three grade higher (one at 98J and two at 100, one of which was offered in our recent Morton auction) 12.50



- 1570 ★★田 **16c Dark Blue, 1923 Air Post (C5).** Mint N.H. bottom plate no. 14830 block of six, deep rich color on bright paper, Very Fine and choice, with 2007 P.F. certificate 2,000.00
- 1571 **16c Dark Blue, 1923 Air Post (C5).** Impeccable centering with wide margins, deep rich color on bright paper, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$475.00), only one grades higher (at 98J, offered in our recent Morton auction) and four others share this impressive grade..... 27.50
- 1572 ★★田 **24c Carmine, 1923 Air Post (C6).** Mint N.H. bottom plate no. 14843 block of six, brilliant color, few gum skips at bottom left, Very Fine and attractive 2,500.00
- 1573 **24c Carmine, 1923 Air Post (C6).** Perfectly centered with Jumbo margins, rich color, neat machine cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2014 P.S.A.G. and P.S.E. certificates (Superb 98; SMQ \$675.00), only two grade higher (at 100, one of which was offered in our recent Morton sale) 27.50
- 1574 **10c-20c Map, Air Post (C7-C9).** Each with deep rich color and unusually choice centering, 10c with purple First Flight cancel, 15c and 20c with machine cancels, Extremely Fine Gems, each with P.S.E. certificate (C7 2009, C8 2018 and C9 2012) graded Superb 98; SMQ total \$850.00..... 3.60



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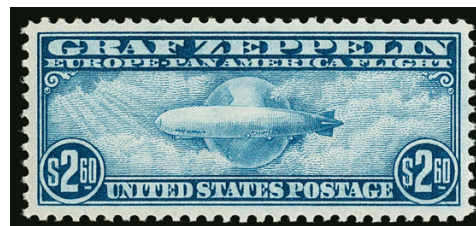
- 1575 ★★ **15c Map, Air Post (C8).** Mint N.H., wide margins and mathematically perfect centering, strong color and impression, Extremely Fine Gem, a notoriously difficult issue to find in well-centered condition, P.S.E. encapsulated (Gem 100; SMQ \$1,200.00), only two grade higher at 100J 4.75
- 1576 ★★ **20c Map, Air Post (C9).** Mint N.H., radiant color, mathematically perfect centering, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2016 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$1,300.00), only two grade higher at 100J (one was offered in our recent Morton sale)..... 12.50



- 1577 ★★ **10c Lindbergh, Booklet Pane (C10a).** Mint N.H., rich color, far better centering than normally encountered, Extremely Fine Gem 115.00
- 1578 ★★ **5c Beacon (C11).** Mint N.H., gorgeous centering, rich colors, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$450.00), surprisingly scarce in the highest grades with only nine graded higher than this 98 10.00
- 1579 **5c Beacon (C11).** Perfectly centered with Jumbo margins, rich colors, bold machine cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 100, SMQ \$650.00 as 100), the highest grade possible and shared by only one other 0.85
- 1580 **5c Beacon (C11).** Beautiful centering with Jumbo margins, neat machine cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$400.00), only four grade higher 0.85
- 1581 **5c Winged Globe, Air Post (C12).** Mathematically perfect centering with Jumbo margins, neat wavy-lines machine cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ in this grade, SMQ \$600.00 as 100), this is the highest grade possible and is shared by only one other, this is the first we have offered 0.50



- 1582 ★★ **65c-\$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (C13-C15).** Mint N.H., deep rich colors, better centering than normally seen, \$1.30 with right selvage, Extremely Fine Gem set, each with graded certificate (XF-Superb 95), 65c with 2017 P.F., \$1.30 with 2008 P.S.E. and \$2.60 with 2009 P.S.E. certificate, SMQ value as all P.S.E.-graded \$3,800.00 1,640.00





- 1583 ★★ 65c-\$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (C13-C15). Mint N.H. with top selvage, 65c and \$2.60 with significant gum skips, \$1.30 with gum bend, Very Fine 1,640.00
- 1584 ★ 65c-\$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (C13-C15). Each with wide margins and choice centering, 65c light diagonal paper crease, \$2.60 light gum crease, Extremely Fine appearing set 1,060.00
- 1585 ★ 65c-\$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (C13-C15). 65c Mint N.H. with heavy gum crease, \$1.30 Mint N.H. with two gum bends, \$2.60 lightly hinged with tiny gum wrinkle, Fine-Very Fine.... 1,315.00
- 1586 ★ 65c-\$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (C13-C15). 65c h.r., \$1.30 and \$2.60 Mint N.H. and with plate no. selvage, \$1.30 with some minor perf tip toning, overall Very Fine 1,575.00
- 1587 ★ 65c-\$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (C13-C15). H.r., rich colors, Fine set 1,060.00



- 1588 ★★ **65c Graf Zeppelin (C13).** Mint N.H., intense color and proof-like impression, beautiful centering with wide and balanced margins, fresh and Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp, ex "Scarsdale", with 1999 P.F. and 2012 P.S.E. certificates (Superb 98; SMQ \$1,750.00), only ten grade higher.... 240.00
- 1589 ★★ **65c Graf Zeppelin (C13).** Mint N.H. with **right plate no. 20077** selvage, rich color, Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2000 and 2007 P.S.E. certificates (XF-Superb 95 Jumbo; SMQ \$1,000.00)..... 240.00
- 1590 **65c Graf Zeppelin (C13).** Deep rich color, gorgeous centering, neat "Varick St. Sta. N.Y. Apr. 30 12:30PM 1930" circular datestamp and part of purple cachet at left, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$1,100.00), the highest graded awarded to a used example and shared with only five others..... 150.00
- 1591 **65c Graf Zeppelin (C13).** Choice centering with Jumbo margins, rich color, neat Lakehurst N.J. flag machine cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$650.00), only six grade higher (all at 98) and three share this desirable grade..... 150.00
- 1592 **65c Graf Zeppelin (C13).** Choice centering with wide margins, crisp impression, unobtrusive cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2011 P.F. certificate (XF-Superb 95)..... 150.00
- 1593 **65c Graf Zeppelin (C13).** Deep rich color, with **wide bottom selvage**, bold 1930 duplex and red and purple cachets, Extremely Fine, with 2018 P.S.E. certificate (XF 90; SMQ \$275.00).... 150.00
- 1594 ★★ **\$1.30 Graf Zeppelin (C14).** Mint N.H., crisp impression, well-balanced margins, Very Fine, with 1992 and 2017 P.F. certificates (VF 80) 550.00



- 1595 ★★ **\$1.30 Graf Zeppelin (C14).** Mint N.H. with full top selvage, brilliant color, gorgeous centering, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2010 P.F. and 2011 P.S.E. certificates (Superb 98; SMQ \$3,500.00), only 14 grade higher 550.00



- 1596 **\$1.30 Graf Zeppelin (C14).** Perfectly centered with wide margins all around, crisp impression, neat blind oval cancel leaves design clearly visible, Extremely Fine Gem, ex "Tahoe", with 2005 P.F. and 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$2,150.00), only two grade higher (at 98J and 100) 350.00
- 1597 **\$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (C15).** Intense shade and impression, face-free blind oval cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2016 P.F. certificate (XF-Superb 95) 550.00
- 1598 **\$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (C15).** Intense shade, choice centering with wide and balanced margins, neat slogan machine cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2010 P.F. certificate 550.00
- 1599 **\$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (C15).** Rich color, choice centering, neat duplex cancel, Very Fine and choice, with 1988 P.F. certificate 550.00
- 1600 **\$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (C15).** Choice centering, tied on small piece by "Varick St. Sta. N.Y. Apr. 29 5:30PM 1930" machine cancel, part of red flight cachet, Very Fine, with 2018 P.F. certificate..... 550.00



1601EX

- 1601 ★ **65c-\$2.60 Graf Zeppelin, Accumulation (C13-C15).** An incredible accumulation of the 1930 Graf Zeppelin Issue, consisting of 46 65c, 25 \$1.30 and 14 \$2.60, one page of 16 stamps is regummed or without gum (a mix of all three denominations) but the remaining 69 stamps are original gum with approximately 15 Mint N.H., 11 stamps have plate number selvage including six of the \$2.60, centering ranges from Fine to Very Fine with many in the latter category, some gum skips on the Mint N.H. and generally a few small flaws may be encountered but the vast majority are sound, a rare and very seldom seen offering of Graf Zeppelins in this quantity, Scott Retail more than \$25,000.00 counting the regummed as original gum.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 7,500-10,000

1602



- 1602 ★★ **15c Plane over New York, Horizontal Pair, Imperforate Between (C35a).** Mint N.H. pair in strip of four with two normal, selvage at right, usual centering, fresh and Fine, an attractive multiple, only 20 pairs are reported in Datz., with 1987 P.F. certificate..... 1,500.00



1603

- 1603 ★★田 **15c Plane over New York, Horizontal Pair, Imperforate Between (C35a).** Mint N.H. block of four, deep rich color, usual centering for this issue

FINE. A RARE BLOCK OF THE 15-CENT PLANE OVER NEW YORK IMPERFORATE BETWEEN ERROR. THIS IS THE FIRST BLOCK WE HAVE OFFERED SINCE KEEPING COMPUTERIZED RECORDS.

Only 20 pairs are reported in Datz.... 3,000.00



1604

- 1604 ★★ **16c Red & Blue, Air Post Special Delivery, Horizontal Pair, Imperforate Vertically (CE2a).** Mint N.H. strip of three with **selvage at right**, Positions 13-15 (as noted in pencil on back), brilliant color, light natural gum bends

VERY FINE AND CHOICE. AN EXCEEDINGLY RARE MULTIPLE OF THE 16-CENT RED & BLUE AIR POST SPECIAL DELIVERY IMPERFORATE VERTICALLY.

A single sheet of this error was discovered at a Buffalo N.Y. post office. It was ultimately broken up by H. E. Harris & Co. after showing the complete sheet at the 1947 New York City CIPEX Show. Datz states that 10 pairs are recorded.

With 1970 P.F. certificate. Scott Retail as Mint N.H. pair, with no premium for the third stamp. ... 5,250.00



1605

- 1605 ★★ **16c Red & Blue, Air Post Special Delivery, Horizontal Pair, Imperforate Vertically (CE2a).** Mint N.H. with **selvage at right**, pencil positions 44 and 45 on back, radiant colors

VERY FINE. A CHOICE EXAMPLE OF THE 16-CENT RED & BLUE AIR POST SPECIAL DELIVERY HORIZONTAL PAIR, IMPERFORATE VERTICALLY.

Ex Liberman. With 1990 P.F. certificate..... 5,250.00

SPECIAL DELIVERY



- 1606 ★ **10c Blue, Special Delivery (E4).** Original gum, deep rich color on bright paper, wide margins, fresh and Extremely Fine, with 2007 P.F. certificate..... 850.00
- 1607 ★ **10c Blue, Special Delivery (E4).** Original gum, lightly hinged, wide margins and well-centered, rich color in a dark shade, Very Fine and choice, ex Floyd, with 1981 and 2003 P.F. certificates (bottom selvage subsequently removed) 850.00
- 1608 ★ **10c Blue, Special Delivery (E5).** Original gum, single hinge mark, perfectly centered with unusually wide margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate (OGph, Superb 98; SMQ \$950.00), the highest grade awarded and shared by only three others, this is also the highest grade awarded in the Mint N.H. category (population of two)..... 210.00
- 1609 ★ **10c Ultramarine, Special Delivery (E9).** With **wide top plate no. 5854 selvage**, original gum, lightly hinged, brilliant color, choice centering with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2004 P.S.E. certificate (OGph, XF-Superb 95 Jumbo; SMQ \$485.00), only four grade higher in this category..... 190.00
- 1610 ★ **10c Pale Ultramarine, Special Delivery (E10).** Lightly hinged, beautiful Jumbo margins and virtually perfectly centered, lovely pastel color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95 Jumbo; SMQ \$725.00), only three grade higher and two share this grade, in the Mint N.H. category only six grade higher..... 320.00
- 1611 ★田 **10c Ultramarine, Special Delivery (E11).** Left **imprint** and plate no. 5520 block of six, lightly hinged at top, wide and balanced margins, color a bit faded, otherwise Extremely Fine, this issue comes both with and without imprint, the imprint configuration is considerably scarcer.... 725.00
- 1612 ★ **10c Gray Violet, Special Delivery, Horizontal Pair, Imperforate Between (E15c).** With left selvage, lightly hinged, deep rich color, Very Fine, ex Liberman, with 1990 P.F. certificate..... 350.00

POSTAGE DUE



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- 1613 ★ **10c Deep Brown (J5).** Original gum, uncommonly wide margins, beautiful color specifically noted as Deep Brown on accompanying certificate, Very Fine, with 2009 P.F. certificate (VF 80)..... 900.00
- 1614 ★ **30c Brown (J6).** Original gum, outstanding centering, rich color, Extremely Fine Gem 350.00
- 1615 ★ **50c Brown (J7).** Original gum, paper h.r., well-centered with beautifully balanced margins, Extremely Fine Gem..... 600.00
- 1616 ★ **50c Brown (J7).** Original gum, attractive color, Very Fine, with 1991 and 2007 P.F. certificates (VF 80)..... 600.00

- 1617 ★ **1c Deep Brown, Special Printing (J8).** Original gum which is partly disturbed from hinge removal, deep rich color and unmistakable impression of the Special Printing

FINE. A RARE ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE ONE-CENT POSTAGE DUE SPECIAL PRINTING.

The 1c, 2c and 3c are undoubtedly the rarest values of the American Bank Note Co. Postage Due Special Printings, although the sold quantities in the official records are relatively high. William E. Mooz, in an article on the 1c appearing in *Chronicle* No. 170, May 1996, offers evidence to support his theory that the actual number of true Special Printings sold was significantly lower than the reported figures. For the 1c, Mooz estimates 500 sold, but it is possible that as many as 400 purchased by G. B. Calman were destroyed. It is widely accepted that nearly 9,000 1c stamps sold as Special Printings were actually regular issues.

With 1969 P.F. and 2017 P.S.E. certificates ... 16,000.00



1617



1618

- 1618 ★ **2c Deep Brown, Special Printing (J9).** Original gum, lightly hinged, rich color

FINE ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE RARE 2-CENT POSTAGE DUE SPECIAL PRINTING.

The 1c, 2c and 3c are undoubtedly the rarest values of the American Bank Note Co. Postage Due Special Printings, although the sold quantities in the official records are relatively high. William E. Mooz, in an article on the 1c appearing in *Chronicle* No. 170, May 1996, offers evidence to support his theory that the actual number of true Special Printings sold was significantly lower than the reported figures.

With 2007 P.F. certificate 15,000.00

- 1619 ★ **3c Deep Brown, Special Printing (J10).** Part original gum, certificate states “defective, soiled and reperfected at left”

FINE APPEARING EXAMPLE OF THE RARE 3-CENT POSTAGE DUE SPECIAL PRINTING. THIS IS THE RAREST POSTAGE DUE ISSUE.

Although 436 copies were reported sold, it is believed that 100 copies were destroyed in the Calman lot. A thorough search of the marketplace, combined with conversations with dealers and collectors, has confirmed the extreme rarity of this stamp.

With 1972 P.F. certificate. Scott Retail \$20,000.00 ... E. 1,500-2,000



1619



1620

- 1620 ★ **5c Deep Brown, Special Printing (J11).** Original gum, couple small thins and perf tear at top where also few short perfs, Very Fine appearance, a rare stamp, it has been estimated that only 249 of the 5c Postage Due Special Printing reached the public, with 1959 P.F. certificate not mentioning any flaws 13,000.00



1621

- 1621 ★ **10c Deep Brown, Special Printing (J12).** Original gum, large h.r., small paper wrinkle and thin at center, Fine appearance, it has been estimated that no more than 174 examples of the 10c Postage Due Special Printing reached the public, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate..... 6,500.00



1622

- 1622 (★) **30c Deep Brown, Special Printing (J13).** Unused (no gum), rich color, minor faults including a tiny closed tear, Very Fine appearance, it has been estimated that no more than 179 examples reached the public, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate..... 3,000.00



1623

- 1623 (★) **50c Deep Brown, Special Printing (J14).** Unused (no gum), classic dark Special Printing color, Very Fine, an uncommonly attractive example of the 50c Postage Due Special Printing, with 1957, 1992, and 2009 P.F. certificates 3,000.00



- 1624 ★ **3c Red Brown (J17).** Original gum, wonderfully fresh color, Fine, with 1997 P.F. certificate..... 1,050.00
- 1625 ★ **5c Red Brown (J18).** Original gum, trivial h.r., strong color, Very Fine, with 2004 P.F. certificate 550.00
- 1626 ★ **10c Red Brown (J19).** Original gum, lovely bright color, fresh and Very Fine, with 2004 P.F. certificate 550.00
- 1627 ★★ **30c Red Brown (J20).** Mint N.H., strong rich color, Very Fine, with 2004 P.F. certificate.. 475.00
- 1628 ★ **50c Red Brown (J21).** Original gum, lightly hinged, deep color, Fine, with 1995 P.F. and 2009 P.S.E. certificates..... 1,800.00
- 1629 ★ **30c Bright Claret (J27).** Original gum, lightly hinged, well-centered, strong color and impression, Very Fine, with 2000 P.F. certificate..... 575.00
- 1630 ★ **50c Bright Claret (J28).** Original gum, wide margins, intense color, Very Fine and choice, with 2002 P.F. certificate..... 600.00
- 1631 ★ **1c Vermilion (J29).** Original gum, wide margins, attractive color, natural gum wrinkle, Fine 2,250.00
- 1632 ★★ **1c-50c Deep Claret (J31-J37).** Mint N.H., bright colors, few minor gum skips, Fine-Very Fine, a rare complete set of the 1894 perf 12 unwatermarked Postage Due set (Photo Ex/Website PDF) 8,425.00
- 1633 ★ **50c Deep Claret (J50).** Original gum, lightly hinged, gorgeous color and sharp impression on pristine white paper, wide margins, Very Fine and choice, with 1993 P.F. and 2009 P.S.E. certificates 1,100.00
- 1634 ★ **3c Carmine Lake (J54).** Original gum, lightly hinged, bright and fresh, Fine, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate 1,050.00

- 1635 (★) **50c Carmine Lake (J58)**. Either regummed or original gum that has been extensively redistributed over small faults, uncharacteristically wide margins, strong color, Very Fine appearance, Scott Retail \$11,500.00 as original gum..... E. 1,000-1,500



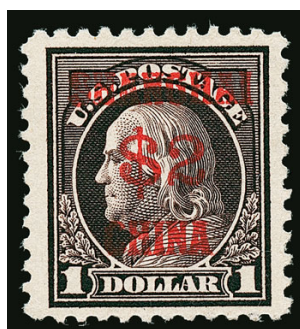
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- 1636 ★ **1c Rose (J59)**. Original gum, fresh color, Fine example of this scarce Postage Due, with 2002 P.F. certificate..... 4,000.00

OFFICES IN CHINA



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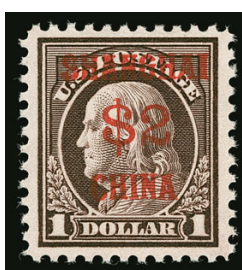
- 1637 ★ **2c-\$2.00 Offices in China (K1-K16)**. Largely with h.r., fresh colors, mostly Fine with a few Very Fine..... (Photo Ex) 1,920.00
- 1638 **2c on 1c Offices in China (K1)**. Deep rich color on bright paper, perfectly centered with wide and balanced margins, neat cancel at left, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2016 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$1,100.00), only one grades higher (at 98J, offered in our recent Morton sale) and six others share this desirable grade..... 70.00
- 1639 ★★ **4c on 2c Offices in China (K2)**. Mint N.H., brilliant color on bright paper, wide and balanced margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2014 P.S.A.G. certificate (XF-Superb 95) ... 67.50
- 1640 **10c on 5c Offices in China (K5)**. Beautifully centered, U.S. Postal Agency Shanghai China circular datestamp, Extremely Fine, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate (XF 90; SMQ \$350.00), only one grades higher (at 95) and one other shares this grade 140.00
- 1641 **10c on 5c Offices in China (K5)**. Beautifully centered, light circular datestamp cancel, Extremely Fine, with 2007 and 2013 P.F. certificates (XF 90)..... 140.00



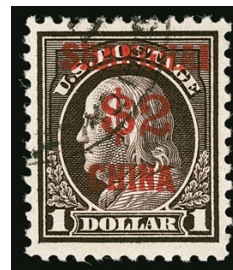
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- 1642 **12c on 6c Offices in China (K6).** Vibrant color, neat strike of Shanghai oval handstamp, well-proportioned margins, Extremely Fine, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate (XF 90; SMQ \$500.00), only two grade higher (at 90J and 95J) and one other shares this grade..... 210.00
- 1643 ★★ **\$2.00 on \$1.00 Offices in China (K16).** Mint N.H., crisp impression, choice centering with well-balanced margins, fresh and Extremely Fine, a beautiful stamp, with 2005 P.F. certificate..... 925.00
- 1644 **\$2.00 on \$1.00 Offices in China (K16).** Intense shade and impression on bright paper, neat circular datestamp cancel, wide margins, Very Fine and choice, with 2003 P.S.E. certificate..... 750.00



1645

- 1645 ★ **\$2.00 on \$1.00 Offices in China, Double Surcharge (K16a).** Slightly displaced but clear second surcharge, wide margins and choice centering, small thin spot and blue crayon mark on gum

VERY FINE APPEARING EXAMPLE OF THE \$2.00 OFFICES IN CHINA WITH DOUBLE SURCHARGE ERROR.

The Offices in China double surcharge error occurred during the overprinting of stamps for use at the U.S. Postal Agency in Shanghai. It has been reported that the errors were among the last stamps to be put on sale before the agency closed on December 31, 1922. The Deputy Postal Agent, Mr. E. H. Murray, knew of the error but allowed it to be put on sale, as he was retiring and the Agency was closing.

With 2004 P.S.E. certificate..... 10,500.00

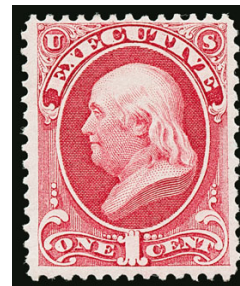
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- 1646 ★ **15c Agriculture (O7).** Original gum, well-proportioned margins, Very Fine, a pretty stamp, ex Hoffman, with 1997 and 2008 P.S.E. certificates..... 425.00
- 1647 ★ **24c Agriculture (O8).** Original gum, bright color, well-proportioned margins, single shortish perf at top not mentioned on accompanying certificate, Very Fine, ex Hoffman, with 1994 and 2008 P.S.E. certificates..... 425.00
- 1648 ★ **1c Executive (O10).** Original gum, bright color, fresh and Very Fine, with 2001 P.F. certificate..... 900.00



- 1649 ★ **6c Executive (O13).** Original gum, h.r., fresh color, Very Fine, ex Hoffman, with 2002 and 2008 P.F. certificates (VF 80) 900.00
- 1650 ★ **10c Executive (O14).** Original gum, wide margins, strong color, Very Fine, with 2006 P.F. certificate (VF 80)..... 1,200.00
- 1651 ★ **1c-90c Interior (O15-O24).** Original gum except 15c regummed and 90c no gum, bright colors except 3c and 10c somewhat oxidized, Fine-Very Fine set.....**(Photo Ex)** 1,125.00
- 1652 ★★ **6c Interior (O18).** Mint N.H., exceptional centering, brilliant color, Extremely Fine, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate (VF-XF 85; SMQ \$250.00) 160.00
- 1653 ★★ **10c Interior (O19).** Mint N.H., wide margins, uncommonly fresh, Extremely Fine, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate (VF-XF 85; SMQ \$250.00) 160.00
- 1654 **90c Interior (O24).** Massive Jumbo margins all around, bright color, neat segmented grid cancel, just a hint of a tiny corner perf tip crease at top left, still an Extremely Fine Gem, a huge stamp.. 50.00
- 1655 ★ **15c Justice (O31).** Original gum, rich color, Very Fine, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate..... 500.00
- 1656 ★ **24c Justice (O32).** Original gum, lightly hinged, remarkably wide margins, bright shade, Very Fine and choice, ex Hoffman, with 1983 P.F. and 2008 P.S.E. certificates 1,250.00
- 1657 ★ **7c Navy (O39).** Slightly disturbed original gum, rich color on fresh paper, Very Fine and choice, with 2008 P.F. certificate..... 700.00
- 1658 ★ **24c Navy (O43).** Original gum, lightly hinged, wide margins, brilliantly rich color, Very Fine, with 1996 P.F. and 2005 P.S.E. certificates 425.00
- 1659 ★ **30c Navy (O44).** Slightly disturbed original gum (certificate simply says “previously hinged”), wide margins all around, lovely rich color, Extremely Fine, with 2002 P.S.E. certificate..... 350.00
- 1660 ★ **30c Navy (O45).** Original gum, bright and fresh, Fine, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate 1,050.00



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- 1661 ★ **7c State (O61).** Original gum, h.r., wide margins, deep intense color and impression, Very Fine, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate..... 290.00
- 1662 ★ **10c State (O62).** Original gum, h.r., dark shade, Very Fine, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate..... 250.00
- 1663 ★ **12c State (O63).** Original gum, h.r., deep color on fresh paper, Very Fine, with 2004 P.F. certificate 310.00
- 1664 ★ **30c State (O66).** Original gum, excellent centering, rich color in a dark shade, Extremely Fine, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate 500.00
- 1665 (★) **90c State (O67).** Unused (no gum), intense color and impression, Very Fine, with 1986 P.F. certificate..... 525.00



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1666

- 1666 ★ **\$5.00 State (O69).** Original gum, lightly hinged, wonderfully fresh color
VERY FINE ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE 5-DOLLAR STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL.
With 2005 P.S.E. certificate..... 7,500.00

- 1667 (★) **\$10.00 State (O70).** Unused, traces of gum, rich color, Very Fine, with 1991 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail as no gum 2,500.00



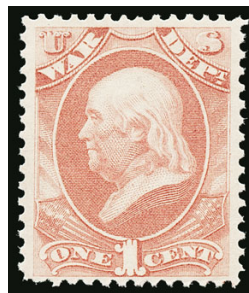
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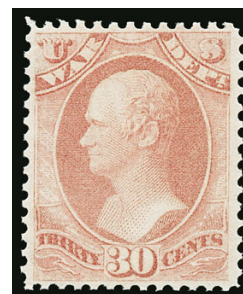


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- 1668 ★ **\$20.00 State (O71).** Part disturbed original gum, fresh color, small thin spot, Fine appearance..... 5,000.00
- 1669 ★ **90c Treasury (O82).** Original gum, deep rich color, Very Fine, with 2008 P.F. certificate 475.00
- 1670 ★ **1c War (O83).** Original gum, lightly hinged, bright and fresh, Very Fine and choice, with 1990 and 2008 P.F. certificates (VF-XF 85), right selva removed since issuance of certificates 240.00
- 1671 ★ **3c War (O85).** Faint trace of hinging, quite well-centered, rich color, Extremely Fine, with 1992 P.F. certificate for a block of four (implying Never Hinged)..... 275.00



1673



1672

- 1672 **7c War (O87).** Bottom imprint and plate no. 102 block of ten, original gum, h.r. in selva and three stamps with gum skips, pretty pastel color, attractive centering and margins, some minor perf separations mostly confined to selva, fresh and Very Fine, a rare plate block, Power Search contains only one other offered in our sales since 1993 ... 2,250.00
- 1673 ★★ **30c War (O92).** Mint N.H., fresh color, Very Fine, with 2000 P.S.E. certificate (VF 80; SMQ \$300.00)..... 275.00



1674

- 1674 ★ **1c Agriculture, Soft Paper (O94).** Without gum as issued, bright color, small tear and light crease, Fine appearance, very scarce, with 2007 P.F. certificate..... 5,500.00



1675



1676



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1678

- 1675 ★ **3c Agriculture, Soft Paper (O95).** Original gum, lightly hinged, brilliant color, Fine, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate 550.00
- 1676 ★ **1c Interior, Soft Paper (O96).** Original gum, lightly hinged, well-centered, Very Fine, with 1996 P.F. certificate 300.00
- 1677 ★★ **10c Interior, Soft Paper (O100).** Mint N.H., wide margins, bright color, mild gum bend (not mentioned on either certificate), Extremely Fine, with 1998 and 2006 P.F. certificates 250.00
- 1678 ★ **15c Interior, Soft Paper (O102).** Original gum, lightly hinged, attractive color, Very Fine, with 1999 and 2008 P.F. certificates (VF 80)..... 400.00

- 1679 ★ **24c Interior, Soft Paper (O103).** Original gum, lightly hinged, rich color, Fine example of this scarce Official, with 1995 P.F. certificate 4,500.00



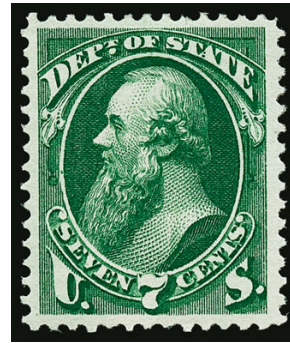
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- 1680 (★) **90c Treasury, Soft Paper (O113).** Unused (regummed), rich color, regumming covers small thin spots, reperfed at bottom, otherwise Fine, an affordable yet reasonably attractive example of this scarce unused stamp, Scott \$3,250.00 for no gum..... E. 400-500
- 1681 ★ **30c War, Soft Paper (O120).** Original gum, lightly hinged, well-proportioned margins, fresh color, Extremely Fine, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate (OGph, VF-XF 85; SMQ \$295.00) 225.00
- 1682 **Officials, Small Balance.** Unused No. O61, part original gum which covers about half the back, Very Fine, also used Nos. O76 and O82, Very Fine..... 340.00

OFFICIAL SPECIAL PRINTINGS



1683

- 1683 S **1c-2c Agriculture, "Specimen" Error (O1Sa-O2Sa).** Without gum as issued, bright colors, both with trivial thins and tiny bit of soiling at top, Fine appearance, a rare pair of these errors with approximately 20 known of the 1c and 10 known of the 2c.... 5,500.00

- 1684 S **1c-90c Justice, Specimen Ovpt. (O25S-O34S).** Complete set, without gum as issued, rich colors on bright paper, some with better centering than often seen, 10c, 12c and 30c with a few short or slightly frayed perfs
- OVERALL VERY FINE. A SCARCE COMPLETE SET OF THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS SPECIAL PRINTING.
- The sold quantities of the 3c-90c denominations in this set range from from 150-178
(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 10,087.00



1684EX



1685

- 1685 S **1c Justice, "Sepcimen" Error (O25Sa).** Without gum as issued, attractive margins and centering, just a hint of soiling at bottom left, appears Very Fine 1,900.00

- 1686 S **Officials, "Sepcimen" Errors (O25Sa/O83Sa).** Balance of five stamps, including Nos. O25Sa, O47Sa, O47Sb, O57Sa and O83Sa, margins on all cutting in one one side except the 1c Post Office invert with four margins, a couple very trivial flaws including tiny stain at bottom of 1c Justice, 1c War with some added gum and pen notation on back which shows thru, Fine or appear so, a scarce group, No. O25Sa with 1974 P.F. certificate (Photo Ex/Website PDF) 12,550.00



1686EX



1687

- 1687 **1c Navy, "Sepcimen" Error (O35Sa).** Without gum as issued, choice centering with wide margins, couple short perfs, appears Extremely Fine 2,750.00

- 1688 S **2c State, "Sepcimen" Error (O58Sa).** Without gum as issued, narrow selvage at left, rich color, choice margins, couple slightly nibbed perfs at right, still Very Fine and scarce in sound condition, Markovits estimated only 7 to 10 extant (2004 Bennett sale), which probably does not include two copies in the Miller collection, most of the copies in Power Search have at least a small flaw 2,500.00



1688

NEWSPAPERS AND PERIODICALS

- 1689 ★田 **5c Dull Blue, 1875 Reprint (PR5).** Block of four with bottom right corner selvage, without gum as issued, well-centered and fresh, Very Fine..... 1,000.00



1689



1690

- 1690 (★) **96c Pale Rose, 1875 Issue (PR23 var).** Unused (no gum), beautifully centered with Jumbo margins, pretty pale shade on fresh white paper

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A MAGNIFICENT UNUSED EXAMPLE OF THE 96-CENT CONTINENTAL PRINTING IN THE PALE ROSE SUB-SHADE WITH OUTSTANDING CENTERING, COLOR, IMPRESSION AND PAPER. SUPERB IN EVERY RESPECT.

We have offered only two examples of PR23 with original gum in the last 25 years. We have offered two others without gum since 2004. This is the only example in the Pale Rose shade we have offered since keeping computerized records. This is by far the best centered and the largest of any PR23 in any shade we have offered.

With 1997 P.F. certificate. Scott Retail as no gum 775.00



1691



1692

- 1691 ★ **\$60.00 Violet, 1875 Issue (PR32).** Full original gum, bright color, fresh and Very Fine, an extremely difficult issue to obtain in sound original-gum condition, with 1999 P.F. certificate..... 6,500.00
- 1692 ★ **24c Pale Rose, 1875 Special Printing (PR41).** Without gum as issued, brilliant color, wide margins, Very Fine, only 411 sold, with 1988 P.F. certificate..... 2,100.00



1693EX

- 1693 ★ **2c-\$60.00, 1879 and 1885 Newspaper Issues (PR57/PR89).** Complete set of each denomination from 1c thru \$60.00, mostly the 1879 Issue but we note the 12c and 36c-96c appear to be Carmine and so counted as the 1885 Issue, 1c also from the 1885 Issue, original gum, h.r., nice colors and mostly clear margins, some small flaws to be expected but overall Fine or appear so, a scarce group of unused Newspaper stamps, this could have yielded several individual lots but more desirable as a set.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 12,235.00



1694



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- 1694 ★★ **\$3.00 Red Vermilion, 1879 Issue (PR72).** Mint N.H. strip of three, brilliant color, left stamp small toned spot at top, still Fine, Scott Retail as hinged singles..... 1,800.00
- 1695 ★★ **\$6.00 Blue, 1879 Issue (PR73).** Mint N.H. strip of four, natural s.e. at top, rich color, left stamp tiny corner crease at top left, Fine, Scott Retail as hinged singles 4,200.00
- 1696 ★★ **\$9.00 Orange, 1879 Issue (PR74).** Mint N.H. strip of four, brilliant color, fresh and Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail as hinged singles..... 3,200.00
- 1697 ★★ **\$12.00 Yellow Green, 1879 Issue (PR75).** Mint N.H. strip of four, rich color, right stamp pulled perf, few perf separations at left, pos. 2 small toned spot at bottom, otherwise Fine, Scott Retail as hinged singles..... 3,400.00
- 1698 ★★ **\$24.00 Dark Violet, 1879 Issue (PR76).** Mint N.H. strip of four, natural s.e. at top, deep rich color, pos. 2 with small toned spot, Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail as hinged singles.... 3,200.00



- 1699 ★ **\$48.00 Yellow Brown, 1879 Issue (PR78).** Slightly disturbed original gum from hinge removal, rich color, Very Fine 900.00
- 1700 ★★ **\$48.00 Yellow Brown, 1879 Issue (PR78).** Mint N.H. pair, intense shade and impression, Fine-Very Fine, with 2009 B.P.A. certificate, Scott Retail as hinged singles 1,800.00

- 1701 ★★ **1c-\$60.00 1879-83 Newspaper Issue, Colman Special Printing (PR57 var-PR79 var, PR81 var).** Privately perforated and gummed, complete set of all 25 denominations, including the unissued 9c, Mint N.H., rich colors

VERY FINE. A PHENOMENAL COMPLETE MINT NEVER-HINGED SET OF THE 1894 COLMAN SPECIAL PRINTING OF THE 1879-83 NEWSPAPER ISSUE.

In 1894 this set was ordered by the Bureau of Engraving and Printing from the American Bank Note Co. to serve as samples. The stamps were printed from the original Continental Bank Note Co. plates. Washington D.C. stamp dealer Hamilton F. Colman obtained a set of imperforate panes of 50. He kept five sets imperforate and privately perforated the other 45. Colman was later indicted for illegal possession of these stamps, but was acquitted.

Ex Weisman.....(Photo Ex) E. 2,000-3,000



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- 1702 ★ **\$24.00 Dark Violet, 1879 Issue, Privately Perforated Special Printing (PR76 var).** Original gum, lightly hinged, deep dark color on fresh white paper, Extremely Fine and rare, with 1974 and 1985 P.F. certificates..... E. 200-300
- 1703 ★ **\$24.00 Dark Violet, 1879 Issue, Privately Perforated Special Printing (PR76 var).** Original gum, lightly hinged, deep dark color on fresh white paper, Extremely Fine and rare, ex Blocker, with 2002 P.F. certificate..... E. 300-400
- 1704 ★ **\$36.00 Indian Red, 1879 Issue, Privately Perforated Special Printing (PR77 var).** Original gum, lightly hinged, rich color, precise centering, Extremely Fine and rare, with 2003 P.F. certificate... E. 300-400
- 1705 ★ **2c Intense Black, 1883 Special Printing (PR80).** Without gum as issued, choice centering with wide margins, vertical crease at right, appears Extremely Fine, with 2020 P.F. certificate 1,750.00



1706

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1c Intense Black, 1894 Issue (PR90). Intense shade, bold strike of duplex cancel, sealed vertical tear at right FINE APPEARANCE. ONE OF ONLY FOUR USED EXAMPLES OF SCOTT PR90 CERTIFIED BY THE PHILATELIC FOUNDATION.

Of the four, only one is without faults. With 2003 P.F. certificate..... 5,000.00

1707

12c Pink, 1894 Issue (PR95). Radiant color, straight edge at bottom, neat strike of duplex cancel, small thin spot at top center, Fine appearance, exceedingly rare in used condition, perhaps a half dozen are known, with 2003 P.F. certificate, footnote in Scott Catalogue states this is valued with Fine centering and small faults.....

..... 4,500.00



1707



1708EX



1709EX

1708 ★★ **1c-\$100.00, 1895 Watermarked Issue (PR114-PR125).** Mint N.H., deep rich colors, fresh and Fine-Very Fine set.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 905.00

1709 ★★ **1c-\$100.00, 1895 Watermarked Issue (PR114-PR125).** Complete set in imprint and plate no. horizontal strips of three, mix of tops and bottoms, bright colors, Fine-Very Fine, a very attractive and very displayable set, Scott only prices these in hinged condition (\$2,555.00 for the set hinged), the Mint N.H. prices for singles are more than double the hinged prices so this set, if listed, might be priced at more than \$5,000.00 (Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 1,500-2,000

- 1710 **Massive Holding of Newspapers & Periodicals Issues.** Accumulation of unused and used stamps sorted on stockpages, unused with a mix of original gum and no gum, a vast amount of better Scott numbers including unused Nos. PR2 (10), PR3 (5), PR4 (10), PR6 (9), PR7 (15), PR16 (5), PR17, PR20 (2), PR22 (2), PR23, PR26, PR28, PR64 (6), PR65 (3), PR66 (5), PR67 (4), PR69 (2), PR70 (4), PR71 (5), PR72 (3), PR73 (6), PR74 (4), PR75 (4), PR76-PR78 (3 each), PR79 (2), PR86 (2), PR87 (3), PR109-PR111, lots of 1895 watermarked and many others, mixed condition with flaws to be expected obviously in such a holding, overall Fine-Very Fine appearance, an exceptional holding that will keep the dealer or Ebay seller busy for years, Scott Retail well more than \$100,000.00.....(Website PDF) E. 20,000-30,000
- 1711 **Newspapers & Periodicals Collection.** Approximately 150 items neatly arranged on stock book pages, about half are proofs (some fraudulently thinned down and perforated to resemble stamps), a lone "Specimen" No. PR66SD, an 1865 10c forgery, and about six different types of "Facsimiles" (three with "town" cancels), stamps include No. PR5, 1875 with values to \$6.00 unused or used with some duplication, 1879 with complete dollar values less the \$9.00 (extra \$48.00), also scarce 72c, 1885 96c with original gum, several what are purported to be 1894 First Bureaus (not counted as such), 1895 Unwatermarked with 1c-50c complete plus \$5.00 and \$100.00 (10c-50c original gum, last two high values used) and a set of the 1895-97 Watermarked, condition is very mixed, still there is considerable value in Fine or better, or Fine-Very Fine appearing with a number of very scarce items included(Website PDF) E. 3,000-4,000
- 1712 **Newspapers & Periodicals Collection.** Strong range of unused and used stamps on album pages, including 12 of the large format issues, range of 1875 Issue with a couple represented by American printings, 1879 Issue to \$60.00, 1885 Issue complete, 1895 Watermarked Issue complete in singles and blocks of four, the blocks are Mint N.H. but a few (including \$60.00) have some gum loss, mixed condition and some proofs and misidentified items are not counted, many are Fine-Very Fine or appears so, Scott Retail probably exceeds \$35,000.00(Website PDF) E. 4,000-5,000

PARCEL POST

- 1713 ★ **2c Lake, Parcel Post (Q2a).** Barely hinged, intense shade in the distinctive Lake color, proof-like impression, centering which is typical for this color variety

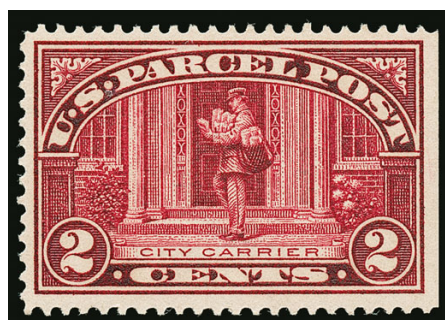
FINE EXAMPLE OF THE RARE 2-CENT LAKE PARCEL POST ISSUE..

Only one sheet of 180 is known to have been printed. We have offered only three other certified example in the past 25 years, including the two stamps offered in the following lots. These are the first we have offered since 2008.

With 1990 P.F. certificate for a block of four. The centering on the example offered here is better than that of the other three stamps illustrated on the certificate. 1,750.00



1713



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- 1714 ★ **2c Lake, Parcel Post (Q2a).** Incredibly intense true Lake shade, lightly hinged, natural straight edge at right, Very Fine, a lovely example of this scarce shade, outside of this sale we have not offered another example since 2008, with 2005 P.F. certificate 1,750.00
- 1715 ★ **2c Lake, Parcel Post (Q2a).** Wonderful depth of color in the true Lake shade, centered to top left, about Fine, a very scarce shade, outside of this sale we have not offered another example since 2008, with 1982 (for a block) and 2004 P.F. certificates..... 1,750.00

REVENUES—ESSAYS AND PROOFS



- 1716 E **Butler, Carpenter, 10c Black, Model for Turner Essay 5 (unlisted).** On 71 x 96mm heavy wove paper, with engraved design of vignette and few scrolls printed directly on the paper and with pencil drawings for denominations and text, paper with few additional notations such as "Internal Revenue", design is 20 x 27mm, light creases above and below design, small tear at top, still Very Fine and **unique composite essay**, ex Branson and Curtis, with 2005 P.F. certificate E. 500-750
- 1717 E **10c Washington, Scarlet, Brownish Black and Blue, Die Essays on Ivory Paper (Turner Essay 5a).** 64 x 70mm and larger, one trivial edge thin far from design, otherwise Extremely Fine, very scarce trio, ex Tolman and Curtis.....**(Photo Ex)** E. 1,000-1,500
- 1718 E **10c Black, Turner Essay 5 on India (Turner 5b).** 23 x 27mm, crisp impression, fresh and Very Fine, ex Curtis..... E. 150-200
- 1719 E **\$1.00 Black, Lincoln Essay on India (Turner 20 var).** 47 x 59mm, few small thin spots, internal tear at bottom right, Very Fine appearance, unlisted in Turner on India paper, ex Curtis E. 150-200
- 1720 E **\$1.00 Washington, Orange & Black Plate Essay, Perforated and Gummed (Turner Essay 26-C var).** Orange lithograph frame and solid vignette oval with engraved black Washington vignette printed over the Orange, Extremely Fine, appears to be an unlisted intermediate step to final essay Turner No. 29 of which an example in Lilac & Black is included with this lot, ex Tolman and Curtis.....**(Photo Ex)** E. 150-200
- 1721 E **\$1.00 Black, Intaglio Impression Die Essay on Ivory Paper (Turner Essay 26-B).** 66 x 76mm, trivial thin at extreme top edge, Extremely Fine appearance, ex Tolman and Curtis..... E. 150-200
- 1722 P田 **25c Bond, Plate Proof on Card (R43P4).** Block of four, large margins, brilliant color, Very Fine and choice, ex Cunliffe and Curtis..... 2,500.00



- 1723 P **\$1.00 Passage Ticket, Plate Proof on Card (R74P4).** Block of four, large even margins, brilliant color, Extremely Fine, ex Cunliffe and Curtis 1,850.00
- 1724 TC **1c, 3c Proprietary, Trial Color Plate Proofs on Granite Bond and Bond (RB1TC5d, RB3TC5a).** 1c Orange & Ultramarine block of nine, large margins, rich colors, few faults, still Very Fine, 3c Blue & Black left sheet margin block of eight, original gum, lightly hinged, few adherences mostly in sheet margin, left pair vertical crease, Very Fine appearance, ex Curtis, Scott Retail as singles.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 1,020.00
- 1725 P **1c-5c Proprietary, Large Die Proofs on India (RB11P1/RB16P1).** Four, 1c Green on 50x56mm card, 2c Brown die sunk on 66x80mm card, 3c Orange die sunk on 72 x 82mm card with **National Bank Note** imprint at bottom, 5c Black die sunk on 78x88mm card, fresh and Extremely Fine group, ex Curtis(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 2,000.00
- 1726 P **1c-6c Proprietary, Large Die Proofs on India (RB11P1-RB14P1, RB16P1-RB18P1).** On approximately 88 x 100mm cards with full die sinkage, rich colors, fresh and Very Fine, scarce group, Ex Curtis.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 3,500.00
- 1727 TC **1c-6c Proprietary, Large Die Trial Color Proofs on India (RB11TC1/RB17TC1).** Ten, on approximately 70 x 83mm cards with full die sinkage, including one each for 1c, 2c and 5c, three of 3c, two each of 4c and 6c, no duplication, few with minor toned spots, Very Fine and desirable group, ex Curtis(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 4,850.00
- 1728 P **Series 1868, Tax-Paid Tobacco, Composite Proof on Silver Surface-Colored Paper (Hicks 2).** Multiple proofs on one sheet, including ½ oz., 1 oz. and 2 oz. stamps printed in Buff, Very Fine, ex Joyce and Hicks E. 400-500
- 1729 P **Series 1868, Tax-Paid Tobacco, Composite Proof on Silver Surface-Colored Paper (Hicks 3).** Multiple proofs on one sheet, including ½ oz., 1 oz. and 2 oz. stamps printed in Green, Very Fine, **the only known copy**, ex Joyce and Hicks E. 400-500

FIRST ISSUE



1730



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- 1730 田 **2c Bank Check, Blue, Imperforate (R5a).** Block of four, huge margins, rich color, neat "R.B. & Co. Aug. 29, 1864" manuscript cancel, few tiny pinholes in bottom right stamp, otherwise Extremely Fine and beautiful block, ex Joyce, Zoellner, Floyd and Curtis..... 190.00
- 1731 **3c Telegraph, Imperforate (R19a).** Vertical pair, **unused** (no gum), rich color, couple small margin thins, appears Very Fine, Scott Retail as used..... 500.00



1732

- 1732 (★) 田 **4c Proprietary, Part Perforated (R22b).** Block of four, **unused** (no gum), brilliant color, perf separations sensibly reinforced
VERY FINE. THIS IS THE ONLY RECORDED BLOCK OF THE PART PERFORATED 4-CENT PROPRIETARY ISSUE AND THE FINEST OF THE FEW KNOWN MULTIPLES.
The largest unit of the 4c Proprietary Part Perforated stamp is a repaired strip of six. This block of four is the only recorded block. In addition, there is a rejoined strip of four and a strip of three.
Ex Joyce and Curtis. With 2015 P.F. certificate 2,750.00

- 1733 **4c Proprietary, Part Perforated (R22b).** Attractive margins, pastel color, neat handstamp cancel, Fine, with 2020 P.F. certificate 1,400.00
- 1734 **20c Foreign Exchange, Perforated, Double Transfer (R41c var).** Clear doubling most prominent in the bottom and left tablets, light 1872 manuscript cancel, Fine, listed but unpriced in Scott..... E. 150-200



1735



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- 1735 **25c Life Insurance, Part Perforated (R47b).** Fresh color, socked-on-the-nose Milwaukee Wis. Jan. 6, 1864 circular datestamp, light horizontal crease at top, appears Very Fine, with 2020 P.F. certificate 1,250.00

- 1736 **25c Warehouse Receipt, Part Perforated (R50b).** Rich color, neat central strike of May 6, 1863 circular datestamp cancel, fresh and Very Fine, desirable in sound condition with a handstamp cancel, all but one pair listed in Power Search has a manuscript cancel, with 2020 P.F. certificate..... 1,300.00

- 1737 S **60c Inland Exchange, Perforated, Black "Specimen" Ovpt. (R64cS-H).** Crease and margin flaws, slightly in at left, very scarce **unlisted** "Specimen" overprint, ex Tolman and Curtis E. 200-300

- 1738 (★) **60c Inland Exchange, Part Perforated (R64b).** Block of 12, **unused (no gum)**, some stamps with color oxidation, lightly folded between rows, otherwise Very Fine, a scarce unused block, the largest recorded in the Curtis Census is a block of 16 1,550.00

- 1739 **\$1.90 Foreign Exchange, Imperforate (R80a).** Large margins to full, fresh and bright color, neat strike of "Kingan & Co. N.Y. Dec. 11, 1865" double-circle datestamp, completely sound

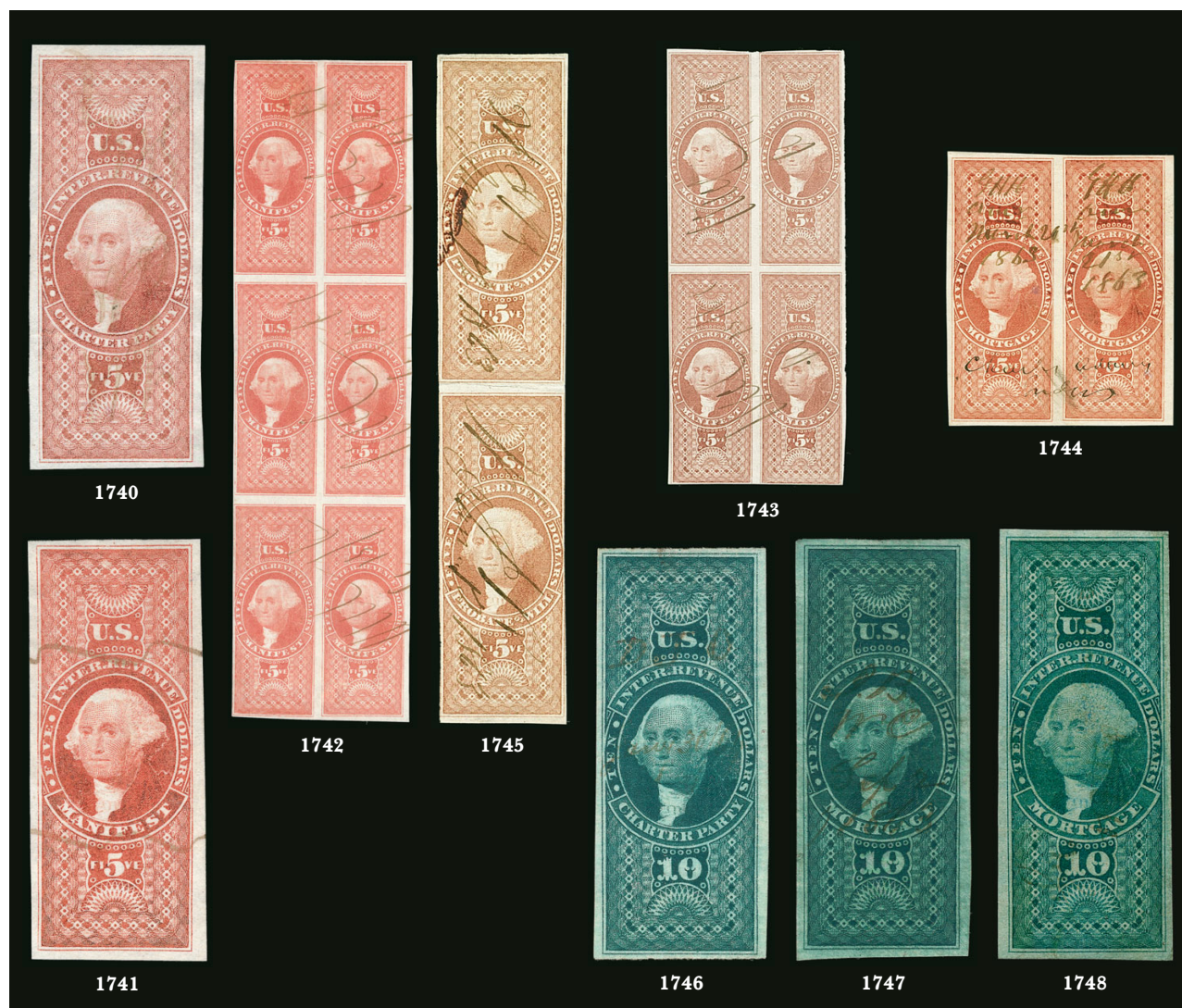
VERY FINE. A RARE AND DESIRABLE EXAMPLE OF THE \$1.90 FOREIGN EXCHANGE IMPERFORATE — ESPECIALLY DESIRABLE CANCELLED SOLELY BY THE HANDSTAMP.

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

Ex "Beverly Hills". With 2008 P.S.E. (F-VF 75; Revenues are unlisted in SMQ) and 2020 P.F. certificates 12,500.00



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- 1740 **\$5.00 Charter Party, Imperforate (R88a).** Huge margins all around, light manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, ex "Wildhorse" 300.00
- 1741 **\$5.00 Manifest, Imperforate (R90a).** Large to huge margins, radiant color, neat manuscript two-line cancel completely outside the central vignette, Extremely Fine Gem, ex "Wildhorse" .. 250.00
- 1742 田 **\$5.00 Manifest, Imperforate (R90a).** Block of six, large margins to clear, brilliant color, neat manuscript cancels, Very Fine, this is **the largest recorded multiple** and the only one of this size, it is also extremely rare as a sound multiple, ex Joyce, Cunliffe and Curtis, Scott Retail as block of four and pair 1,900.00
- 1743 田 **\$5.00 Manifest, Imperforate (R90a).** Block of four, large margins to just touching frameline in a couple places, warm color, manuscript cancels, Fine, the second largest known block, ex Joyce and Curtis 1,300.00
- 1744 **\$5.00 Mortgage, Imperforate (R91a).** Horizontal pair, huge margins all around, fresh and bright color, neat March 1863 manuscript cancels, light horizontal crease, Extremely Fine appearance and a scarce pair, ex Curtis, small purple backstamps 800.00
- 1745 **\$5.00 Probate of Will, Imperforate (R92a).** Vertical pair, large margins to just touched, manuscript cancels, horizontal crease mostly between stamps, tiny tears at top, still Fine and scarce, only three vertical pairs are recorded, ex Curtis 1,600.00
- 1746 **\$10.00 Charter Party, Imperforate (R93a).** Large to ample margins all around, deep rich color, light manuscript cancel, fresh, Very Fine and choice, a pretty stamp, ex Hall 900.00
- 1747 **\$10.00 Mortgage, Imperforate, Laid Paper (R95a).** Large even margins, intense color, 1863 manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine Gem 825.00
- 1748 **\$10.00 Mortgage, Imperforate (R95a).** Large and even margins, rich color, lightened manuscript cancels, appears Extremely Fine, with 2020 P.F. certificate 825.00

- 1749 **\$15.00 Mortgage, Imperforate (R97a).** Large margins to clear at top, deep rich color, neat manuscript cancel
VERY FINE EXAMPLE OF THE \$15.00 MORTGAGE IMPERFORATE.
With 2020 P.F. certificate..... 4,500.00



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- 1750 ★ **\$15.00 Mortgage, Perforated (R97c).** Part disturbed original gum, deep rich color, detailed impression, light horizontal crease at top, Very Fine appearance, ex Curtis, with 2015 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail as used..... 300.00
- 1751 田 **\$20.00 Conveyance, Imperforate (R98a).** Block of eight consisting of rejoined block of six and a pair, large margins to just in, 1863 manuscript cancels, light creases, some slight oxidation along a couple edges, Fine-Very Fine appearance and a scarce multiple, ex Curtis, Scott Retail as block of four and two pairs..... 2,900.00



1752

- 1752 田 **\$200.00 U.S.I.R., Perforated (R102c).** Block of four, bold manuscript "Philadelphia & Reading Railroad Company" cancel dated June 1, 1871, horizontal perfs rejoined, light creases, single short perf at top of top left stamp
VERY FINE APPEARANCE. AN ATTRACTIVE BLOCK OF FOUR OF THE \$200.00 PERFORATED FIRST REVENUE ISSUE WITH RAILROAD MANUSCRIPT CANCELS.
Ex Cunliffe and Curtis. Scott Retail \$4,500.00..... E. 1,500-2,000



1753

SECOND AND THIRD ISSUES

- 1753 (★) **10c Blue & Black, Second Issue, Center Inverted (R109a).** Unused (traces of original gum), rich colors, light gum staining on a few perfs, still Fine, rare in unused condition, ex Curtis, with 2001 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail as used..... 2,000.00

- 1754 **\$200.00 Red, Blue & Black, Second Issue, "Small Persian Rug" (R132).** Bright fresh colors, choice centering and margins, perfs well clear of design all around, unobtrusive manuscript July 5, 1872 cancel, **in our opinion completely sound**, but the P.F. certificate describes "light creases" which are really nothing but the slightest wrinkles

VERY FINE EXAMPLE OF THE \$200.00 "SMALL PERSIAN RUG" — ONE OF THE MOST COLORFUL STAMPS IN UNITED STATES PHILATELY.

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

With 2013 P.F. certificate 8,500.00



1754



1755

- 1755 **2c Vermilion & Black, Third Issue (R135a).** Strong color of the unmistakable Vermilion & Black error, sharp impression, light manuscript cancel, Fine and scarce, ex Cunliffe, with 1975 P.F. certificate.. 900.00

- 1756 **15c Brown & Black, Third Issue, Center Inverted (R139a).** Rich colors, centered to bottom right, cut cancel leaves inverted design fully visible, thin spot at top

FINE APPEARANCE. A RARE EXAMPLE OF THE 15-CENT THIRD ISSUE REVENUE INVERT. ONLY THIRTEEN SINGLES AND ONE PAIR ARE RECORDED.

Larry Lyons, in his privately published census, records 13 singles and a pair, for a total of 15 stamps. Approximately half have cut cancels, nearly all have faults and most are centered to one corner.

With 1983 P.F. certificate. Scott Retail for cut cancel 9,000.00



1756



- 1757 **\$20.00 Vermilion & Black, Third Issue (R150a).** Brilliant color, neat embossed cancel, extra row of perfs, faint horizontal crease near bottom, appears Fine, a scarce error, Scott Retail as cut cancel 700.00

PROPRIETARY

- 1758 田 **5c Green & Black on Green Paper, Proprietary (RB5b).** Block of four, lightly cancelled, deep rich colors, small thin spots, Fine appearance, this is **the only recorded multiple of this issue**, ex Joyce and Curtis 1,075.00
- 1759 **50c Green & Black on Green Paper, Proprietary (RB8b).** Rich color on deep green paper, neat "Starkey & Palen Mar. 15, 1888, D.O.T. Phila." handstamp, Very Fine, scarce in sound condition..... 850.00
- 1760 **6c Violet Blue, Rouletted, Proprietary (RB17c).** Perf initials cancel, rich color, roulettes mostly intact, thin and small creases, Fine appearance 1,100.00



STOCK TRANSFER

- 1761 ★ **\$10.00 Bright Green, “Series 1952” Ovpt., Stock Transfer (RD371).** Lightly hinged, sharp proof-like impression on bright paper
 VERY FINE EXAMPLE OF THE \$10.00 1952 SERIES, WHICH WAS THE LAST STOCK TRANSFER SERIES.
 Only 79 sold. 3,500.00

1761

BEER STAMPS

- 1762 **1870, 16 $\frac{1}{2}$ c Yellow Ochre, Lilac Security Lines, $\frac{1}{6}$ bbl., Beer (REA15c; Priester 15aB).** Large margins to just in at left, rich colors, well-struck “C. Rivinius Morrisania Mar. 8, 1871” octagonal datestamp, several tiny staple holes

VERY FINE. A RARE EXAMPLE OF THE 1870 ONE-SIXTH BARREL ISSUE IN THE YELLOW OCHRE SHADE.

Only six examples of this shade are recorded in the Priester census, and this is the only example we have offered since keeping computerized records. This brewery is in Morrisania N.Y., which is now part of the Bronx. It later became the David Mayer’s Centennial Lager Bier Brewery, which burned down in 1881, was rebuilt, and burned again in 1884.

Ex Tolman, “Scarsdale” and Inman. With 2006 P.F. certificate..... 2,000.00



1762



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- 1763 **1870, 50c Brick Red, Lilac Security Lines, $\frac{1}{2}$ bbl., Beer (REA17c; Priester 18aB).** Full even margins, rich colors in the distinctive Brick Red, light strike of large double-circle datestamp, light horizontal crease, small thin spot at bottom right, Very Fine appearance, only 18 are recorded in the Priester census, we have offered only one other since keeping computerized records, ex Inman, with 2012 P.F. certificate, purple backstamp..... 1,500.00
- 1764 **1878, 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ c Blue on Green Silk, $\frac{1}{8}$ bbl., Beer (REA37b; Priester 38A).** Large and even margins, rich colors and detailed impressions, neat strike of blue “C. Heurich. Washington D.C., Apr. 20, 1878” double-oval datestamp, light creases and faint thin spots, Very Fine appearance, the Priester census records a total of 14 of this issue and we have offered only one other since keeping computerized records (which was badly damaged), the example offered here was used at the C. Heurich Brewing Co., which was at one time the largest brewer in Washington D.C., its owner was also the largest landowner in Washington D.C. (aside from the Federal government), his brewery burned down three times, prompting him to build both a fireproof brewery and mansion in 1894, ex “Scarsdale” and Inman, with 2012 P.F. certificate 1,250.00

- 1765 **1898, (66½c) Ty. D Surcharge on 33⅓ Violet on Dark Blue, ⅓bbl., Beer (REA54a; Priester 54D).** Priester Type 50 surcharge, faintly cancelled, large margins to clear, rich color, couple small faults including a vertical crease

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A RARE EXAMPLE OF THE 1898 TYPE D PROVISIONAL SURCHARGE ON THE ONE-THIRD BARREL. ONLY TWO ARE RECORDED IN THE PRIESTER CENSUS.

The other recorded example, also with Type 50 surcharge, was offered as lot 658 in the November 8, 1989 Christie's auction of the Weill Brothers stock.

Ex Tolman, "Scarsdale" and Inman. With 2006 P.F. certificate. 9,000.00



1765



1766

- 1766 **1898, 66½c Violet on Dark Blue, ⅓bbl., Beer (REA61; Priester 67).** Large margins to clear including **left sheet margin**, faintly cancelled, small faults including creases and tiny internal tear

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. THE 1898 ONE-THIRD BARREL UNSURCHARGED ISSUE IS ONE OF THE RAREST OF ALL BEER STAMP ISSUES. ONLY TWO COPIES ARE RECORDED BY PRIESTER.

The other example was offered in our 2006 sale of the Tolman collection, and has margins in at top and bottom. Both stamps have faults.

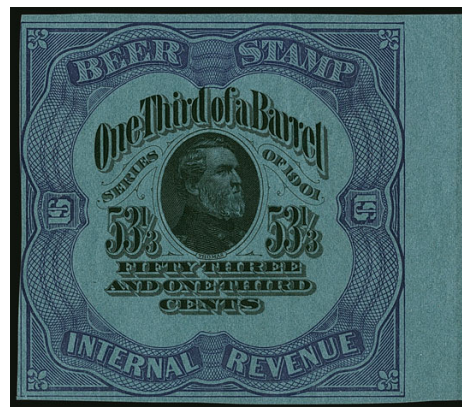
Ex "Scarsdale" and Inman. With 2012 P.F. certificate 12,500.00

- 1767 (★) **1901, 53⅓c Violet on Dark Blue, ⅓bbl., Beer (REA68; Priester 74).** Unused (no gum), huge margins to clear including **right sheet margin**, rich colors, light creases are barely noticeable

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A RARE EXAMPLE OF THE 1901 ONE-THIRD BARREL BEER STAMP ISSUE. ESPECIALLY DESIRABLE IN UNUSED CONDITION.

The Priester census records five copies of this issue. We do not know if any others are unused. We have offered only one used copy (with perforated cancel) since keeping computerized records.

Ex "Scarsdale" and Inman. With 2012 P.F. certificate 8,500.00



1767



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- 1768 **1909, 33⅓c Black on Blue, ⅓bbl., Beer (REA85; Priester 93).** Large margins, intense color, "CAL BR Co. +4+3.14" perforated cancel, few small faults including light creases and small tear at bottom left

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. AN ATTRACTIVE EXAMPLE OF THE EXCEPTIONALLY RARE ONE-THIRD BARREL 1909 ISSUE. ONLY TWO ARE RECORDED IN THE PRIESTER CENSUS.

Only two examples are recorded in the Priester census.

Ex Tolman, "Scarsdale" and Inman. With 2012 P.F. certificate 20,000.00



1769

- 1769 (★) **1914, 25c Violet Blue on Blue, 1/6bbl., Beer (REA107a; Priester 125).** Unused (no gum), large margins, light horizontal crease but otherwise sound

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A CHOICE AND RARE UNUSED EXAMPLE OF THE 1914 ONE-SIXTH BARREL IN THE TRUE VIOLET BLUE SHADE.

Priester reports only five examples of REA107a, the Violet Blue printing, at least two of which are used.

Ex Tolman and Inman. With 2006 P.F. certificate. 3,500.00



- 1770 (★)田 **1947, 100bbl. Carmine, Beer (REA197; Priester 223a).** Block of four, unused (no gum), brilliant color, large margins to ample at left, Very Fine-Extremely Fine, ex "Wildhorse", Scott Retail as singles 500.00

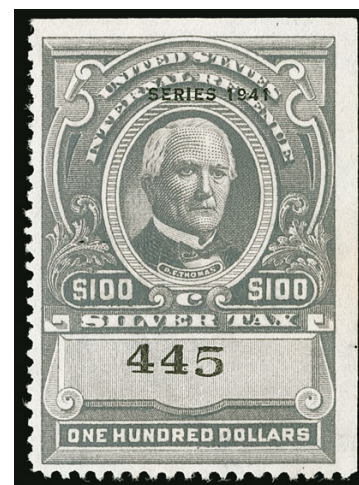
SILVER TAX

- 1771 ★ **1934-44 Silver Tax Issues, Balance (RG1/RG128).** Balance of unused stamps plus one used, including Nos. RG1-RG18, RG37-RG49, RG58-RG70, Finally used No. RG128 with handstamp and cut cancels, Fine-Very Fine group, Scott Retail approximately \$2,200.00.....(Photo Ex) E. 500-750
- 1772 ★ **Silver Tax Issues, Dealer's Stock (RG1/RG125).** Approximately 57 mostly unused stamps on individual dealer stock cards, a number of better including Nos. RG17-18, RG26, RG49, RG69, RG70 (two), RG94, RG95 (three), RG96 (two), RG125, many others, also a few used, overall fresh and Fine-Very Fine.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 1,500-2,000
- 1773 ★ **\$30.00 Vermilion, Silver Tax (RG19).** Serial no. 403510, without gum as issued, vivid color, a couple very trivial small wrinkles visible only when drying, still Very Fine 1,100.00
- 1774 ★ **\$100.00 Green, Silver Tax (RG21).** Serial no. 375889, without gum as issued, rich color, Very Fine and choice 900.00



- 1775 **\$500.00 Blue, Silver Tax (RG22).** Serial no. 40953, bright shade, wide margins, manuscript cancel, Very Fine 400.00
- 1776 **\$1,000.00 Orange, 11mm Between "Silver" and "Tax" (RG27).** Serial no. 80085, partial strike of purple "Office of the Collector of Internal Revenue, 2nd District, N.Y., Received Nov." oval date-stamp, some thins, Very Fine appearance, less than a dozen are known..... 2,250.00
- 1777 ★ **1c-\$10.00, "Series 1940" Ovpt., Silver Tax (RG37-RG54).** The \$4.00 and \$10.00 and a few low denominations Mint N.H., most others h.r., rich colors, Fine-Very Fine, scarce as a complete set with all the dollar values.....(Photo Ex) 5,680.00
- 1778 ★ **1c-\$2.00, "Series 1940" Ovpt., Silver Tax (RG37-RG50).** Original gum, bright colors, Fine-Very Fine(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 1,285.00
- 1779 ★ **\$3.00 Gray, "Series 1941" Ovpt., Silver Tax (RG72).** Lightly hinged, wide margins, natural gum bends, Extremely Fine 375.00
- 1780 ★ **\$4.00 Gray, "Series 1941" Ovpt., Silver Tax (RG73).** Original gum, single hinge mark at top, essentially perfect centering with wide margins, deep shade, Extremely Fine Gem..... 425.00

- 1781 ★ **\$100.00 Gray, "Series 1941" Ovpt., Silver Tax (RG80).** Serial no. 445, without gum as issued, intense color
 VERY FINE AND CHOICE. AN EXTREMELY RARE UNUSED EXAMPLE OF THE \$100.00 1941 SILVER TAX ISSUE. ONE OF THE RAREST SILVER TAX STAMPS IN UNUSED CONDITION.
 While RG80 is relatively common used, it is a great rarity in unused condition. The Sohn collection lacked an unused example. With 1991 A.P.S. certificate..... 7,500.00



1781



1782

- 1782 ★田 **\$1.00 Gray, “Series 5942” Error, Silver Tax (RG95a).** Bottom left stamp in a block of four with three normal “1942”, small h.r. at bottom, bright color

FRESH AND FINE. AN INCREDIBLY RARE EXAMPLE OF THE \$1.00 1942 SILVER TAX ISSUE, WITH THE “SERIES 5942” ERROR. VERY FEW ARE KNOWN.

Prior to this sale we have never offered another example of this rarity since keeping computerized records. Our digital library contains one offered in the Joyce sale with similar centering (which was also offered in the Phillip Little collection, Siegel Sale 248, in 1962). One was offered in the Weill stock in 1990 as part of a group of four denominations of the variety; it was not illustrated but was described as perfs touching. Other famous Silver Tax collections, such as Sohn, Tolman, “Scarsdale”, and Inman, did not have this rarity.

Scott Retail as singles 2,450.00



1783

- 1783 ★★ **\$2.00 Gray, “Series 5942” Error, Silver Tax (RG96a).** Left stamp in pair with normal “1942”, both stamps Mint N.H., bright shade, typical centering for this difficult issue, Fine, we have offered only one other since keeping computerized records, with 2000 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail as hinged singles 1,510.00



1784

- 1784 **\$30.00 Gray, “Series 1942” Ovpt., Silver Tax (RG102).** Serial no. 814, canceled solely by purple handstamp, thinned at right and light corner crease at bottom left

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A RARE EXAMPLE OF THE \$30.00 SERIES 1942 SILVER TAX ISSUE, CANCELED SOLELY BY A PURPLE HANDSTAMP.

Eric Jackson records only eleven examples of RG102. We have offered only four other examples since keeping computerized records. 4,500.00

- 1785 **\$1,000.00 Gray, “Series 1942” Ovpt., Silver Tax (RG107).** Serial no. 755, deep shade, bold purple handstamp cancel, also 1944 manuscript cancels and staple holes, choice centering

EXTREMELY FINE EXAMPLE OF THE RARE \$1,000.00 SERIES 1942 SILVER TAX ISSUE. ONLY ELEVEN USED EXAMPLES ARE RECORDED AND NO UNUSED EXAMPLES ARE KNOWN.

Eric Jackson records only eleven used examples. Only five are uncut or without staple holes.

Scott Retail as cut cancel 4,500.00



1785



1786



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- 1786 ★ **\$20.00 Gray, Series 1944, Silver Tax (RG126).** Original gum, single hinge mark at top, bright shade, choice centering, Extremely Fine, with 2003 P.S.E. certificate (VF-XF 85; Revenues unpriced in SMQ), ex Buford, DePriest and "Wildhorse" 900.00
- 1787 **\$20.00 Gray, Series 1944, Silver Tax (RG126).** Pretty color, purple 1956 handstamp cancel and additional manuscript cancel, Very Fine and choice 550.00
- 1788 **\$60.00 Gray, Series 1944, Silver Tax (RG129).** Serial no. 2085, light strike of purple oval and blue crayon cancels, Very Fine 575.00
- 1789 **\$500.00 Gray, Series 1944, Silver Tax (RG131).** Serial no. 1564, wide margins and perfect centering, purple 1948 handstamp and neat manuscript cancels, single pulled perf at top right, appears Extremely Fine 500.00

PRIVATE DIE PROPRIETARY



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1791



1792



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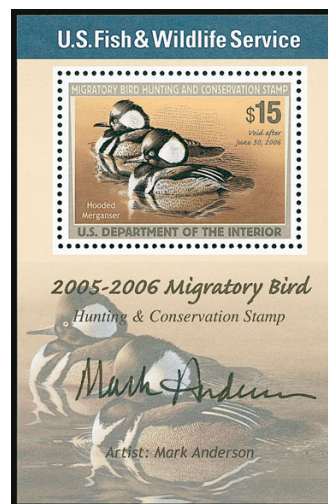
1794

- 1790 **Chicago Match Co., 3c Black (RO60a).** Deep shade, small thins, Fine appearance, scarce issue with only 42 recorded in Aldrich, who notes nearly all have perfs in or touching 1,000.00
- 1791 **Dr. S. B. Hartman & Co., 6c Black, Silk Paper (RS100b).** Attractive margins, rich shade, small filled thin and faint hint of a vertical crease, Very Fine appearance, only 57 are recorded in Aldrich book, ex "Wildhorse" 400.00
- 1792 **S. B. Hartman & Co., 6c Black, Silk Paper (RS100b).** Sharp impression, sound and Fine 400.00
- 1793 **John F. Henry, 2c Violet, Old Paper (RS112a).** Repairs at right, appears Fine, scarce with only 34 recorded in Aldrich book, of which at least 25 (and probably more) are faulty 900.00
- 1794 **Edward Wilder, 1c Green, Experimental Silk Paper, Die Cut (RS266e).** Clear short blue silk fibers, warm color, hint of soiling or cancel at lower right, purple staining on reverse, otherwise Very Fine, ex Scarsdale, with 2006 P.F. certificate 900.00

HUNTING PERMITS



1796



1798

- 1795 ★★ **\$1.00-\$7.50 1941-1985 Hunting Permits (RW8/RW52).** 24 stamps, all but one Mint N.H., including Nos. RW10, RW12, RW26, RW30 (2, one graded 95), RW33 (2, one graded 95), RW34 (graded 95), RW52 (graded 98), far better centering than normally seen, Extremely Fine group, five with graded certificates, see linked PDF on our website.....(Website PDF) 2,080.00
- 1796 ★★田 **\$3.00 1964 Hunting Permit (RW31).** Mint N.H. bottom left corner plate no. 168630 block of six, fresh colors and well-centered throughout, couple small creases below staple holes in bottom right selvage, Very Fine and scarce, beginning in 1958 Duck stamps were printed by rotary press and plate blocks were collected as corner blocks of four, this issue had the plate number mistakenly entered above or below the second stamp from the left, collectors assumed a plate block of four was still the correct format and many sheets were broken in this manner before the realization that the correct format for this issue is a block of six 1,950.00
- 1797 ★★田 **1958-68 Hunting Permits, Plate Blocks (RW25/RW35).** Five Mint N.H. plate blocks, including Nos. RW25, RW26, RW32, RW34 and RW35, fresh and Very Fine.....(Website PDF) 2,425.00
- 1798 ★★ **\$15.00 2005 Hunting Permit, Souvenir Sheet, Artist Signed in Black (RW72b).** Mint N.H., Extremely Fine, 1,000 sheets were printed and sold for \$20.00 each, all are artist signed with approximately 750 signed in black..... 1,750.00
- 1799 ★ **1934-2015 Hunting Permits, Collection.** The later years include both the normal, die-cut and souvenir sheet stamps, complete less only No. RW72b, which is offered separately, Nos. RW1 and RW11 regummed, Nos. RW3, RW7 and RW8 lightly hinged, others Mint N.H., some early stamps with typical light gum bends, No. RW10 with several gum skips, No. RW18 with large gum skip, Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail approximately \$6,900.00(Website PDF) E. 1,000-1,500

SAVINGS STAMPS



1800



1801

- 1800 (★) **\$5.00 Orange on Green, War Savings (WS6).** Unused (no gum), intense shade and impression, Fine 1,250.00
- 1801 ★★ **\$1.00 Treasury Savings (TS1).** Mint N.H., rich color on deep green paper, Fine, rare in Mint N.H. condition, with 1992 P.F. certificate, listed but unpriced as Mint N.H., Scott Retail as hinged 3,750.00

TELEGRAPH STAMPS



- 1802 ★ **California State Telegraph Co., 1870, Blue & Black (5T1).** Original gum (brownish as always), h.r., handstamped serial no. 104, fresh and bright color, exceptionally wide margins, Very Fine and choice, a beautiful example of this scarce stamp, ex Born..... 500.00
- 1803 ★ **California State Telegraph Co., 1870, Blue & Black (5T1).** Original gum (brownish as always), small h.r., **double handstamped** serial no. 104, Fine, a scarce double handstamped original-gum example of this California State Telegraph issue, one of the two recorded full sheets also contains a double handstamp on one stamp, ex Born, Scott Retail as normal..... 500.00
- 1804 ★ **California State Telegraph Co., 1870, Blue & Black (5T1).** Original gum (slightly brownish as always), handstamped serial no. 104, Very Fine, ex Born 500.00
- 1805 ★ **California State Telegraph Co., 1870, Blue & Black (5T1).** Original gum, h.r., red crayon serial no. 104, bright color and attractive margins, Very Fine, ex Born..... 500.00
- 1806 ★ **California State Telegraph Co., 1871, Black & Salmon, Blue Number (5T4).** Original gum, h.r., exceptionally fresh, Fine 750.00
- 1807 ★ **California State Telegraph Co., 1872, Green & Red, Red Number (5T5).** Original gum, h.r. and adherence from the front of another stamp, huge margins, Very Fine, ex Born 400.00
- 1808 ★ **California State Telegraph Co., 1875, Brown & Green, Black Number (5T8).** Slightly brownish original gum, serial no. 110, exceptional wide margins and perfect centering, rich colors, a few natural perf indents in right margin, still Extremely Fine Gem, a huge stamp, we have encountered others of this issue with Jumbo margins but none with as choice centering as this example, ex Born 475.00
- 1809 ★ **City & Suburban Telegraph Co., 1c-3c Black (6T1-6T3).** Without gum as issued, 1c with three margins, in at left, other two cut to shape, small faults, a desirable set of these rare Telegraph stamps, ex Born.....(Photo Ex) 2,600.00
- 1810 **North American Telegraph Co., 1899, Violet, Booklet Cover (10T1 var).** Cover that held the panes of four, serial no. 1085, a few small hinge marks, otherwise Very Fine..... E. 200-300
- 1811 ★ **North American Telegraph Co., 1903, Blue, 1904, Violet (10T4-10T5).** First original gum, serial no. 2162, shallow thinning at top, appears Very Fine, second original gum, lightly hinged at top, serial no. 1004, radiant color, well-centered, Very Fine and choice, ex Born..... 850.00
- 1812 (★) **Postal Telegraph Co., 1908, Yellow, 1911, Violet (15T30, 15T36).** Both unused (no gum), first Very Fine, second almost perfectly centered and Extremely Fine, ex Born(Photo Ex) 1,100.00



- 1813 (★) **Postal Telegraph Co., 1910, Yellow, El Paso Southwestern Railroad, Official, Watermarked (15TO26 var).** Clear watermark at top, unused (no gum), vibrant color, Very Fine, ex Kramer (illustrated in his book on p. 101) and Born, Scott Retail as normal 1,500.00
- 1814 ★ **Postal Telegraph Co., 1911, Yellow, El Paso Southwestern Railroad, Official (15TO27).** Original gum with interleaving partially adhering, intense shade, wonderfully balanced margins, Extremely Fine, ex Born 500.00
- 1815 ★田 **Postal Telegraph Co., 1912, Yellow, El Paso Southwestern Railroad, Official (15TO28).** Pane of four, disturbed original gum, light gum crease affects top pair, a Very Fine example of this rare pane 2,250.00

CONFEDERATE STATES

- 1816 ★★ **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), Scott Retail as hinged..... 18.00
- 1817 ★★ **2c Brown Red (8).** Mint N.H., Jumbo margins showing parts of all adjoining stamps, deep rich color on fresh paper, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; SMQ \$1,900.00 as 100, unpriced as 100J), this is the highest grade possible, Scott Retail as hinged..... 75.00
- 1818 ★★ **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
- 1819 ★★ **10c Blue, Die B (12).** Mint N.H., Jumbo margins including parts of all adjoining stamps, deep rich color on bright paper, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; SMQ \$700.00 as 100, unpriced as 100J), Scott Retail as hinged..... 22.00
- 1820 ★★ **1c Orange (14).** Mint N.H., enormous Jumbo margins including portions of all adjoining stamps, rich color, 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

U.S. POSSESSIONS — CANAL ZONE

- 1821 **1904, 1c Green, Inverted Ovpt. (9c, CZSG 9c).** Neat cancel, deep rich color, small tear at left

FINE APPEARANCE. ONLY SIX EXAMPLES OF THIS CANAL ZONE RARITY ARE RECORDED.

The authors of *Canal Zone Stamps* record only six copies. They state that one is possibly unused (it may have a light cancel) and all others are confirmed as used. We have offered only one other, in 2009.

With 1963 P.F. certificate..... 6,000.00



1821



1822

- 1822 ★ **1904, 1c Green, Double Ovpt. (9d, CZSG 9d).** Large part original gum, deep rich color, clear doubling of the overprint, indentations on gum not mentioned on accompanying certificate

VERY FINE. ONE OF THE FINEST EXAMPLES OF THE ONE-CENT 1904 MAP ISSUE WITH DOUBLE OVERPRINT.

According to *Canal Zone Stamps*, ten unused and eight used copies are recorded. Most of the unused copies have defects, including marks on the face, creases or other serious faults. The example offered here is in far better condition than most.

Ex Conger. With 1969 P.F. certificate 2,750.00

- 1823 ★ **1907, 1c Green & Black, Imperforate Horizontally (22c, CZSG 22c).** Vertical strip of three with horizontal perforations at bottom only, slightly disturbed original gum, deep rich colors, wide margins, rounded corner at bottom left not affecting error pair

VERY FINE AND CHOICE. A RARE EXAMPLE OF THIS IMPERFORATE HORIZONTALLY ERROR. ONLY 20 PAIRS WERE ISSUED, AND MOST HAVE BEEN LOST TO PHILATELY.

According to *Canal Zone Stamps*, the top five rows of one pane were missing the horizontal perforations. Evidently most of the errors were used, as only three unused pairs and two strips of three (both with perforations at bottom) are known.

Ex Conger, Plass and Drucker. With 1969 A.P.S. certificate. Scott Retail as a pair. 2,250.00



1824



1823

- 1824 ★ **1918, 2c Vermilion & Black, Horizontal Pair, Right Stamp Without Ovpt. (53b).** Selvage at right, right stamp missing overprint, slightly disturbed original gum, brilliant color, choice centering, Extremely Fine, the error was caused when one sheet was misfed into the printing press, and the right vertical row did not receive the overprint; two additional copies are known caused by a foldover. 2,000.00



- 1825 ★ **1918, 2c Vermilion & Black, Horizontal Pair, Right Stamp Without Ovpt. (53b).** Selvage at right, right stamp missing overprint, slightly disturbed original gum, slight color oxidation, Fine, this error was caused when one sheet was misfed into the printing press, and the right vertical row of ten did not receive the overprint, two additional copies are known caused by a foldover.. 2,000.00
- 1826 ★ **1920, 2c Orange Vermilion & Black, Double Ovpt. (56a).** With right selvage, showing clear second overprint, rich color, Fine, with copy of 2000 P.F. certificate for pair 500.00
- 1827 ★ **1924, 5c-1b Coat of Arms, Unissued Set (68 var-69 var; CZSG 69.A-69.G).** Seven stamps representing the complete set of the unissued Coat of Arms values above the 2c, slightly tropicalized original gum, rich colors, Very Fine, these were prepared but never issued as the use of overprinted U.S. stamps began in April 1925, 600 sets were sent to the Director General of Posts of Panama, ostensibly for transmission to the UPU in Switzerland, a small number of sets ended up in the hands of dealers, the balance of the supply was destroyed in 1937(Photo Ex) 2,450.00
- 1828 ★ **1924, 5c-1b Coat of Arms, Unissued Set (68 var-69 var, CZSG 69.A-69.G).** Seven stamps representing the complete set of the unissued Coat of Arms values above the 2c, 50c with dropped "E" variety, tropicalized original gum, rich colors, these were prepared but never issued as the use of overprinted U.S. stamps began in April 1925, 600 sets were sent to the Director General of Posts of Panama, ostensibly for transmission to the UPU in Switzerland, a small number of sets ended up in the hands of dealers, the balance of the supply was destroyed in 1937...(Photo Ex) 2,450.00
- 1829 ★ **GUAM, 1899, 1c-\$1.00 1899 Issue, 10c Blue, Special Delivery (1-8, 10-12, E1).** Complete set less the two rarities, also extra 1c and 5c and 5c selvage block of four, plus Special Delivery, original gum with disturbance or h.r., a few small flaws, high values signed Champion, Fine-Very Fine appearance(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 1,822.50
- 1830 ★ **GUAM, 1899, 50c Orange (11).** Original gum, left part arrow selvage, brilliant color, Very Fine .. 350.00
- 1831 ★ **PHILIPPINES, 1901, \$1.00 Black, Ty. II (223A).** Original gum, premium centering which is much better than typically found, intense shade, Very Fine and choice..... 2,000.00
- 1832 ★ **PHILIPPINES, 1903-04, 1c-\$5.00 Ovpts. (226-231, 233, 235-239).** Original gum, h.r., rich colors, 15c small thin spot, Fine-Very Fine or appears so(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 2,136.00

- 1833 ★田 **PHILIPPINES, 1903, \$2.00 Dark Blue (238).** Block of four with horizontal guideline, lightly hinged, deep shade and sharp impression, choice centering

VERY FINE AND CHOICE. A RARE BLOCK OF FOUR OF THE SCARCEST OF THE HIGH VALUES OF THE 1903 PHILIPPINES SET.

Only 695 sold. With 2003 P.F. certificate
..... 3,000.00



1834EX



1835EX



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- 1834 ★ **PHILIPPINES, 1926, 2c-10p Air Post Overprints (C1-C6, C9-C15, C17).** Complete set except for the two rare 16c Sampson and the 26c Perf 12, mostly h.r., 10p slightly tropicalized original gum, Fine set, 10p with 1951 P.F. certificate, four high values with 1963 Diena certificates.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 3,255.00
- 1835 ★ **U.S. Possessions Balance.** Mostly unused original gum group including a range of nine early Philippines with No. 224, several Guam including couple used such as M4 on piece, 8c Puerto Rico, a couple others, Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail in excess of \$1,500.00.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 400-500

GROUP LOTS

- 1836 **Collection Balance, 1847-1917.** Valuable balance of a collection on stock pages, good amount of better items including Nos. 1, 2 (two), 3, a small specialized collection of 1c 1851 including pairs, part imprint pair and strips, Nos. 12, 13, 17 single and pair, 27, 30, 37, 38 (two, appear unused), 40, 1861 Issue is mostly unused including Nos. 62B (three, used), 67 (cleaned), 68-72, 76 (two), 77-78, a small specialized collection of the 10c 1861 Issue, 1869 Pictorials complete with unused through the 24c and three used 90c, No. 134 used strip of five, mix of used and unused Columbians including three \$1.00 and a \$2.00, unused Trans-Mississippi including four 50c, three \$1.00 and Five \$2.00, 1894-95 Bureaus including \$5.00, 1902 \$1.00, a large number of Washington-Franklin dollar values including 13 of No. 480 plus a block of six, a range of Perf 12 flat plate coils with the usual suspect items, two copies of No. 505, others including a complete sheet of WS11, mixed condition and regummed also to be expected, overall Fine appearing and valuable hoard, see linked PDF on our website.....(Website PDF) E. 7,500-10,000
- 1837 ★★ **Modern Collection, 1954-2016.** In four Scott albums, appears to be complete for the period, including premium items such as the Recalled Legends of the West sheet and the Bugs Bunny imperforate pane, several modern issues in full panes, Forever stamps counted at 55c each, virtually all Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine, face value exceeds \$2,200.00 E. 1,000-1,500
- 1838 **Accumulation, 19th & 20th Century.** Dealer's stock pages of unused and used stamps, including used Nos. 1, 14, 23, 68, 71, 76, 135, unused including C1, C4, J24, some Officials Hunting Permits, others, some faults, some Fine-Very Fine, owner's catalogue value approximately 16,600.00
- 1839 (★) **Unused Classic Balance.** Eight unused stamps and a block of four, mostly regummed with a couple original gum, including Nos. 37, 38, 39, 68, 87 (original gum), 98, 113 (two) and 189 block of four (original gum), a few small flaws to be expected, overall Fine or appear so, Scott Retail more than \$7,500.00, see linked PDF on our website.....(Website PDF) E. 1,000-1,500

- 1840 (★) **Small Unused Classic Balance.** Five stamps that appear attractive but have problems, including Nos. 72, 97, 166, 242 and 243, all but the last regummed and No. 243 very disturbed original gum, each with faults including reperfed, No. 72 with small part of design painted in, mostly Very Fine appearance and an inexpensive way to obtain these stamps in unused condition, each with 2020 P.F. certificate.....(Website PDF) 4,800.00
- 1841 **Gem Quality Used Balance.** 20 used stamps, including Nos. 10A, 11 on piece, 11A, 25, 63 (2, one graded 90), 72 (tiny diagonal crease), 73 (tiny perf crease), 76, 93 (2), 94, 116 (two short perfs), 158, 185, 210, 215, 216, C7 graded 85 (light crease), K8a, selected by the owner for superior centering or cancel, Very Fine-Extremely Fine group, 14 with certificates including a few with multiple certificates, see linked PDF on our website(Website PDF) E. 300-400
- 1842 **Classic Balance, 1847-87.** Mix of used and unused stamps on stock cards, nice range of better material, used includes Nos. 1 (pen cancel), 9 with three massive margins and just touched at bottom, 9 pair, 17, unused is mostly without gum and contains most of the value including Nos. 38, 100, 115, 117, 126 (part original gum), 128 (original gum), 132 with huge margins and what appears to be original gum but defective and repaired, also a couple later items including original gum block of No. 219D, imprint and plate no. strips of Nos. 212 and 224, Imprint block of No. O117, some small faults to be expected on the unused, overall Fine-Very Fine appearance and a most useful group containing difficult to find unused stamps, Nos. 1 and 126 with P.F. or B.P.A. certificates, Scott Retail in excess of \$14,000.00, see linked PDF on our website.....(Website PDF) E. 4,000-5,000
- 1843 **1c-12c 1851-56 Issue, Used Balance (7/17).** Fresh group of used singles and pairs, singles include Nos. 7, 9, 10A, 11, 11A, 12 (two), 15 and 17 (two), pairs include Nos. 9, 14 (New York Ocean Mail cancel), 15 and 17, all with neat cancels including a couple in blue, margins are generally ample to in on a side on a few but several four margin stamps are present including a No. 12, a large-margined Extremely Fine No. 15 and a No. 17, a couple tiny flaws may be encountered but the collector acquired nearly all individually from dealers as sound stamps, Fine-Very Fine, one P.F. certificate accompanies(Website PDF) 3,790.00
- 1844 **1851-57 Issues, Balance.** 11 used and unused stamps, used includes No. 12 with a vivid red cancel, No. 14, No. 17 with four margins and a blue cancel, unused includes original gum No. 9 with bottom sheet margin, No. 11 pair with disturbed original gum, No. 18 with original gum and bottom selvage, No. 39 (no gum), also a couple altered stamps including 1c 1851 with painted-in plumes to appear as a Type I, No. 37 with trimmed margins to appear imperforate, couple tiny flaws, overall Fine with a couple Very Fine, Nos. 12 and 17 with Dena certificates, Scott Retail not counting the two altered items approximately \$6,000.00, see linked PDF on our website(Website PDF) E. 1,000-1,500
- 1845 **1c-30c 1857-60 Issue, Used Balance (18/38).** 18 used stamps, including Nos. 18, 20, 23, 24 (two), 26 (two), 29, 30A, 33, 35 (three), 36, 37 and 38 (three), neat cancels with several colored present including Nos. 20 and 23 in blue, Nos. 35 and 38 in red, others are black town, grid or "Paid", No. 30A is barely cancelled and appears unused, a few small faults including No. 37 faded, overall Fine-Very Fine or appear so, see linked PDF on our website.....(Website PDF) 4,780.00
- 1846 **1c-90c 1861-68 Issues, Balance (63/101).** More than 30 used stamps, full range of Scott numbers including Nos. 63 (two), 67, 68, 69 (three), 70, 71 (three plus a pair), 72, 73, 75, 76 (two), 77, 78 (two), wide range of E and F Grills including 5c and 24c-90c F Grills, mostly nice cancels including some in color, No. 67 with red circular datestamp and No. 72 with red cancel, a few small faults to be expected but overall a fresh group with attractive stamps, two certificates accompany, Scott Retail more than \$11,500.00, see linked PDF on our website.....(Website PDF) E. 3,000-4,000
- 1847 **1c-90c 1869 Pictorial Issue (112-122).** Eleven used stamps, range of cancels including target, few small faults, Fine set, 90c with 1982 Dena certificate, see linked PDF on our website.....(Website PDF) 4,431.00
- 1848 **1c-90c 1869 Pictorial Issue, Accumulation (112-116, 118-122).** Including two each of 1c, 10c, No. 118 and 30c, three of No. 119 and 24c, 2c with Japanese "X" cancel (premium not included in catalogue value), two 24c with red cancels, mixed condition, appear Fine, see linked PDF on our website.....(Website PDF) 8,296.00
- 1849 (★) **10c-90c 1869 Pictorial Issue (116, 119-122).** Four unused stamps, 10c, 15c and 24c no gum, 24c regummed, 90c has an old P.F. certificate stating part original gum but we question that and it is counted as no gum, bright colors, few small flaws including corner stain on 15c, Fine appearing group, 10c with clear 1986 P.F. certificate, 90c with clear 1973 P.F. certificate as part original gum, see linked PDF on our website(Website PDF) 9,500.00

- 1850 (★) **1c-15c 1869 Pictorial Issue (112-117, 119).** Unused, generally either no gum or regummed, some part original gum may be present, bright colors, a few non-obvious faults, Fine appearing group, Scott Retail as all without gum, see linked PDF on our website.....(Website PDF) 3,050.00
- 1851 (★) **1c-10c 1869 Pictorial Issue (112-116).** Unused, 1c, 2c and 10c original gum (10c glazed), others no gum, bright colors, a couple small non-obvious flaws including 6c slight perf toning and 10c hint of oxidation, Very Fine appearing short set.(Website PDF) 4,015.00
- 1852 **1c-30c 1869 Pictorial Issue, Balance (112/121).** 16 used stamps, including Nos. 112 (three), 113 (two), 114, 115, 116 (two), 117 (two), 119 (two) and 121 (three), range of cancels including blue on a 1c and on both 12c, red on a 15c, attractive margins and centering nearly throughout, a couple small flaws may be found, overall Fine-Very Fine, three certificates accompany including for two of the 30c stamps which are both stated to be sound.....(Website PDF) 3,176.00
- 1853 (★) **1873-93 Bank Note Issues, Small Unused Balance.** Four unused items, including Nos. 166 and 191 (no gum), bright colors, Very Good-Fine centering, also Mint N.H. No. 214 with top right corner selva and original gum No. 223a imperforate pair, fresh and Fine group, 90c stamps with 1979 and 1969 P.F. certificates respectively, see linked PDF on our website.....(Website PDF) 1,755.00
- 1854 ★ **1893-1901 Issues, Plate Strips and Pairs (232/295).** Group of unused plate no. strips and pairs, including Nos. 232-233 and 236 imprint and plate no. strips of four, also No. 231 corner margin and letter "T" block of four, Nos. 264 and 269 imprint and plate no. strips of three, Nos. 285-287 and 289 imprint and plate no. pairs, finally No. 295 imprint and plate no. strip of four, a few items are Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine and attractive group, see linked PDF on our website, Scott Retail in excess of.....(Website PDF) 2,100.00
- 1855 (★) **30c-\$5.00 Columbian (239, 241, 243-245).** Unused, 30c original gum, \$1.00 and \$5.00 disturbed original gum, \$3.00 and \$4.00 regummed, a couple flaws, Fine appearance, see linked PDF on our website.....(Website PDF) 5,200.00
- 1856 (★) **\$1.00-\$3.00 Columbian (241-243).** Four unused stamps, including two of No. 241, one is regummed and the other with either very disturbed original gum or regummed, \$2.00 regummed, \$3.00 no gum, a few small flaws, Fine appearance, Scott Retail as all without gum, see linked PDF on our website.....(Website PDF) 2,175.00
- 1857 ★ **\$1.00-\$5.00 Columbian (241-242, 244a, 245).** Original gum, h.r., \$5.00 with some adherences, Fine group, \$4.00 with 1984 P.F. certificate, see linked PDF on our website.....(Website PDF) 6,350.00
- 1858 **1c-\$5.00 Columbian (230-245).** Used set, crisp impressions, cancels include duplex or registry ovals, few small faults not readily apparent, Fine with a few bordering on Very Fine, see linked PDF on our website.....(Website PDF) 4,310.20
- 1859 **30c-\$5.00 Columbian (239, 241, 243-245).** Used, 30c and \$1.00 tied on small pieces, few small faults are not readily apparent, Fine-Very Fine appearing group, see linked PDF on our website.....(Website PDF) 3,465.00
- 1860 **50c-\$5.00 Columbian (240-245).** Used, the \$2.00 thru \$5.00 with registry ovals, other two with duplex cancels, \$4.00 small thin spot, Fine set of the high values, see linked PDF on our website.....(Website PDF) 4,075.00
- 1861 **\$1.00-\$4.00 Columbian (241-242, 244).** Four used stamps, including Nos. 241, 242 and 244 (two), attractive cancels, some flaws including \$1.00 corner repair, one \$4.00 thinned, other \$4.00 inclusion, appear Fine-Very Fine, see linked PDF on our website....(Website PDF) 2,950.00
- 1862 ★ **1890 and 1894-98 Issue Balance.** 11 unused stamps, including Nos. 221 (OG90), 224 (NH), 225 (NH), 228 (disturbed gum), 259 (OG), 269 (NH), 272 (OG95 P.F.), 272 (OG90), 283 (OG90 PSAG), Very Fine-Extremely Fine group, SMQ value for graded stamps \$850.00, Scott Retail for ungraded \$1,042.50, see linked PDF on our website.....(Website PDF) E. 1,000-1,500
- 1863 ★ **1894-1902 Bureau Issues, Balance (261/313).** 24 unused stamps, including original gum \$1.00 Types I and II from the unwatermarked 1894 Issue (261-261A), the rest from the 1902 Issue including 3c-13c, two 50c, \$1.00 and three \$5.00, all of the high values have original gum except for one \$5.00, also two blocks of four of No. 314 (one with plate number), fresh colors, some small flaws may be found but overall a Fine group and desirable with multiple copies of the 1902 \$5.00, see linked PDF on our website, Scott Retail more than.....(Website PDF) 8,000.00
- 1864 ★ **1c-\$2.00 Trans-Mississippi (285-293).** Original gum, \$1.00 with few adherences, few minor faults not readily apparent, Fine set, see linked PDF on our website.....(Website PDF) 4,542.50
- 1865 ★ **1c-\$2.00 Trans-Mississippi (285-293).** Original gum, few h.r., rich colors, few small faults not readily apparent, Fine-Very Fine set, see linked PDF on our website.....(Website PDF) 4,542.50

- 1866 ★ **1c-\$1.00 Trans-Mississippi (285-289, 291-292).** Original gum, 1c-5c Mint N.H., 8c and 50c with slight gum disturbance, bright colors, attractive centering and margins, \$1.00 small thin spots, overall Very Fine or appear so, see linked PDF on our website.....**(Website PDF)** 2,735.00
- 1867 **1c-\$2.00 Trans-Mississippi (285-293).** Complete used set, registry oval or duplex cancels, few small faults not readily apparent including \$2.00 small thin spot, Fine-Very Fine set, see linked PDF on our website.....**(Website PDF)** 2,067.25
- 1868 **Commemoratives, High-Quality Used Balance.** Nine used stamps, most are graded by P.S.E. including Nos. 231 (95J), 234 (95), 236 (95), 289 (80), 295 (95), 298 (90 P.F.), few ungraded with beautiful centering including Nos. 294, 297 and 299, Extremely Fine Gem group, SMQ value for graded stamps only as all P.S.E.-graded \$930.00.....**(Website PDF)** E. 400-500
- 1869 ★ **Commemoratives, High-Quality Unused Balance.** Seven unused stamps, Nos. 230 NH, 232 OG, 236 OG, 238 OG, 286 NH, 294 OG, 295 NH graded 90, 299 with certs as both NH and regummed, beautiful centering, Extremely Fine group, see linked PDF on our website.....**(Website PDF)** E. 200-300
- 1870 ★ **1893-1904 Commemoratives, Accumulation.** Dozens of unused stamps on stock pages, 1893 Columbians with up to 15 each of some values between 1c and 15c, also three 30c, two 50c and single examples of the \$1.00, \$3.00 and \$4.00 — these three are stuck together but are also regummed so separation will not be an issue, Trans-Mississippi with a smattering plus the \$1.00, Pan-Americans with up to 12 of some values, including nine 10c, Louisiana Purchase includes block of four and 11 singles of the 10c, mixed centering and gum condition, overall a useful accumulation, Scott Retail exceeds \$14,000.00, see linked PDF on our website.....**(Website PDF)** E. 2,000-3,000
- 1871 ★★ **Air Post High-Grade Mint N.H. Balance.** 11 Mint N.H. P.S.E. graded stamps, including Nos. C9 (95), C9 (90), C12 (95), C19 (90), C20 (98), C20 (95), C22 (98), C22 (95), C25 (95), C27 (95) and C28 (95), fresh and Extremely Fine Gem group, total SMQ \$960.00...**(Website PDF)** E. 400-500
- 1872 **Air Post High-Grade Used Balance.** 18 used stamps with graded P.S.E. certificates, including Nos. two of C1 graded 95, two of C2 graded 95, C5 graded 95, C8 graded 98 and C10 graded 95, others are between C9 and C28 including C9 graded 95, C20 graded 98, C22 graded 98, Extremely Fine Gems, SMQ value \$2,510.00, see linked PDF on our website.....**(Website PDF)** E. 750-1,000
- 1873 **Back-of-Book Balance.** 30 items, few graded including C7 NH95, C16 NH95, C19 NH95, C30 NH95, E7 OGph 98, E8 OGph 95J, K2 NH graded 85, QE4 NH 95, few other better such as E8 OG, C1 NH (some oxidation), overall Very Fine-Extremely Fine, SMQ value for graded stamps \$870.00, see linked PDF on our website.....**(Website PDF)** E. 500-750
- 1874 ★ **Graded Balance.** Three original gum stamps, each lightly or barely hinged, P.S.E. graded, including Nos. 441 (100 Jumbo), 584 (98 Jumbo) and 650 (100 Jumbo), Extremely Fine Gem group, total SMQ \$385.00 without regard to the Jumbo appellations.....**(Website PDF)** E. 150-200
- 1875 ★田 **Blocks, Valuable Balance.** Unused blocks on album and stock pages, regular issues include Nos. 294 block of 12 (no gum), 294-299 blocks of four, 323-327 blocks of four, 524 block of four, the major value however is in Air Post with several Mint N.H. large multiples, including Nos. C4 two blocks of 24, C5 blocks of 36 and 16, C6 block of 24, many well-centered stamps to be found in the Air Post, overall Very Fine group, Scott Retail more than \$14,000.00, see linked PDF on our website.....**(Website PDF)** E. 4,000-5,000

END OF SALE — THANK YOU

Grading Index to Sale 1221

Bold text means highest grade awarded

Grade	Scott	Lot	Year/Service/Grade
100J	314	1449	2008 PSE 100J NH
100J	314	1450	2015 PSE 100J NH
100J	320b	1455	2015 PSE 100J NH
100J	644	1545	2006 PSE 100J NH
100J	C11	1579	2015 PSE 100J USED
100J	C12	1581	2017 PSE 100J USED
100J	CSA 6	1816	2014 PSE 100J NH
100J	CSA 8	1817	2013 PSE 100J NH
100J	CSA 11c	1818	2013 PSE 100J NH
100J	CSA 12	1819	2013 PSE 100J NH
100J	CSA 14	1820	2015 PSE 100J NH
100	367	1480	2012 PSE 100 NH
100	390	1485	2009 PSE 100 NH
100	441	1493	2007 PSE 100 NH
100	490	1512	2008 PSE 100 NH
100	537	1528	2011 PSE 100 NH
100	604	1539	2012 PSE 100 NH
100	620	1540	2008 PSE 100 NH
100	634	1542	2009 PSE 100 NH
100	648	1546	2013 PSE 100 NH
100	C8	1575	2007 PSE 100 NH
100	C9	1576	2016 PSE 100 NH
98J	24	1120	2011 PSE 98J USED
98J	372	1481	2006 PSE 98J NH
98J	C3	1566	2018 PSE 98J USED
98J	C6	1573	2014 PSE 98J USED
98J	C11	1580	2013 PSE 98J USED
98	117	1235	2006 PSE 98 USED
98	185	1323	2010 PSE 98 USED
98	238	1359	2012 PSE 98 OGph
98	267	1390	2009 PSE 98 NH
98	403	1488	2010 PSE 98 NH
98	C2	1564	2012 PSE 98 USED
98	C4	1569	2010 PSE 98 USED
98	C5	1571	2015 PSE 98 USED
98	C7-C9	1574	2009 PSE 98 USED
98	C11	1578	2007 PSE 98 NH
98	C13	1588	2004 PSE 98 NH
98	C13	1590	2019 PSE 98 USED
98	C14	1595	2011 PSE 98 NH
98	C14	1596	2017 PSE 98 USED
98	E5	1608	2006 PSE 98 OGph
98	K1	1638	2016 PSE 98 USED
95J	68	1154	2012 PSE 95J USED
95J	188	1324	2012 PSE 95J USED
95J	189	1326	2009 PSE 95J USED
95J	209	1337	2019 PF 95J USED
95J	221	1346	2002 PSE 95J OGph
95J	270	1392	2006 PSE 95J NH
95J	C13	1589	2007 PSE 95J NH
95J	C13	1591	2017 PSE 95J USED
95J	E9	1609	2004 PSE 95J OGph
95J	E10	1610	2007 PSE 95J OGph
95	3	1086	Enc. PSE 95 NGAI
95	10X1	1078	2017 PSE 95 OGph
95	12	1104	2011 PSE 95 USED
95	24	1121	2011 PSE 95 USED

Grade	Scott	Lot	Year/Service/Grade
95	37	1128	2014 PSE 95 USED
95	65	1151	2014 PF 95 USED
95	65	1151	2018 PSE 95 USED
95	68a	1156	2015 PF 95 USED
95	69	1157	2014 PF 95 USED
95	73	1164	2007 PSE 95 USED
95	90	1186	2014 PSE 95 USED
95	94	1190	2015 PF 95 USED
95	112	1215	2011 PSE 95 USED
95	113	1218	2008 PSE 95 USED
95	114	1222	2015 PSE 95 USED
95	116	1228	2011 PSE 95 USED
95	117	1236	2012 PF 95 USED
95	117	1237	2010 PSE 95 USED
95	118	1240	2011 PSE 95 USED
95	149	1307	2013 PSE 95 USED
95	160	1314	2014 PSE 95 USED
95	161	1315	2016 PF 95 USED
95	188	1325	2009 PSE 95 USED
95	208	1334	2015 PSE 95 USED
95	219D	1341	2004 PSE 95 OGph
95	227	1349	2020 PF 95 NH
95	231	1355	2014 PF 95 NH
95	240	1361	2012 PSE 95 OGph
95	269	1391	2014 PSE 95 NH
95	282	1399	2005 PSE 95 NH
95	282C	1400	2010 PSE 95 OGh
95	282C	1401	2010 PSE 95 OGph
95	284	1402	2008 PSE 95 OGph
95	285	1403	2013 PF 95 NH
95	285	1404	2011 PSE 95 NH
95	285	1405	2011 PSE 95 NH
95	286	1408	2013 PSE 95 NH
95	286	1409	2006 PSE 95 NH
95	286	1410	2012 PSE 95 USED
95	287	1411	2017 PF 95 NH
95	288	1414	2009 PSE 95 NH
95	289	1418	2012 PSE 95 USED
95	290	1419	2007 PF 95 NH
95	291	1424	2014 PSE 95 OGph
95	298	1440	2007 PF 95 USED
95	456	1502	2007 PSE 95 OGph
95	459	1503	2005 PSE 95 NH
95	C13	1592	2011 PF 95 USED
95	C13-C15	1582	Enc. PSE 95 NH
95	C15	1597	2016 PF 95 USED
90J	73	1166	2005 PSE 90J USED
90J	121	1255	2010 PSE 90J USED
90J	190	1328	2006 PSE 90J USED
90J	220	1345	2008 PSE 90J NH
90	24	1122	2016 PF 90 USED
90	75	1169	2016 PF 90 USED
90	78b	1171	2014 PF 90 USED
90	112	1217	2019 PF 90 USED
90	113	1219	2018 PF 90 USED
90	116	1229	2014 PF 90 USED
90	117	1239	2015 PF 90 USED

Grade	Scott	Lot	Year/Service/Grade
90	118	1241	2018 PF 90 USED
90	119	1245	2014 PSE 90 USED
90	119	1246	2016 PF 90 USED
90	119	1247	2017 PF 90 USED
90	120	1250	2006 PF 90 USED
90	122	1260	2007 PF 90 USED
90	124	1266	2011 PSE 90 USED
90	135	1288	2005 PSE 90 USED
90	137	1291	2015 PF 90 USED
90	137A	1303	2016 PF 90 USED
90	155	1312	2013 PF 90 USED
90	178	1322	2007 PF 90 NH
90	206	1332	2018 PF 90 USED
90	208	1335	2008 PSE 90 USED
90	276	1395	2006 PF 90 OGph
90	280a	1398	2007 PSE 90 OGph
90	290	1421	2016 PSE 90 OGh
90	290	1422	2005 PSE 90 OGph
90	291	1425	2008 PSE 90 OGph
90	292	1430	2008 PSE 90 USED
90	296	1439	2019 PF 90 NH
90	C13	1593	2018 PSE 90 USED
90	K5	1640	2011 PSE 90 USED
90	K5	1641	2013 PF 90 USED
90	K6	1642	2006 PSE 90 USED
85	1d	1083	2013 PF 85 USED
85	4	1091	2012 PSE 85 NGAI
85	8	1098	1999 PF 85 USED
85	18	1113	2017 PF 85 USED
85	63b	1149	2008 PSE 85 USED
85	71	1162	2015 PF 85 USED
85	87	1183	2006 PSE 85 NG
85	101	1203	2015 PF 85 USED
85	141	1295	2009 PSE 85 USED
85	207	1333	2006 PSE 85 NH
85	287	1412	2015 PF 85 NH
85	350	1461	2008 PSE 85 OGh
85	445	1494	2006 PSE 85 OGph
85	O18	1652	2007 PSE 85 NH
85	O19	1653	2007 PSE 85 NH
85	O83	1670	2008 PF 85 OG
85	O120	1681	2008 PSE 85 OGph
85	RG126	1786	2003 PSE 85 OG
80	3	1088	2013 PSE 80 NGAI
80	21	1116	2013 PF 80 USED
80	116	1232	2015 PF 80 USED
80	118	1242	2015 PF 80 USED
80	C14	1594	2017 PF 80 NH
80	J5	1613	2009 PF 80 OG
80	J7	1616	2007 PF 80 OG
80	O13	1649	2008 PF 80 OG
80	O14	1650	2006 PF 80 OG
80	O92	1673	2000 PSE 80 NH
80	O102	1678	2008 PF 80 OG
75	R80a	1739	2008 PSE 75 USED
70	150	1310	2003 PSE 70 OGph
70	388	1484	2010 PF 70 OGph

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

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

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

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

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Lot and Description	Bidding
 United States Inverted Jenny Postage Positions 15 and 6 Lot 91. 24c Carmine Rose & Blue, Center Inverted (C3a). Position 15, the fifth stamp from the left in the second row of the sheet, original gum, deep rich colors, tiny thin spot just below the plane, faint traces of purple ink above the bottom left "2" (image)	<div>Bid 280000</div> <div>Bid 290000</div> <div>Bid 300000</div> <div>Bid 310000</div> <div>Bid 320000</div> <div>Bid 330000</div>
<div>\$ 450,000.00</div> <div>Sold for \$ 270,000.00</div> <div>Your Bid \$ 0.00</div>	<div>Send a Message to the Auctioneer</div>

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Sale 1221

May 27-28, 2020

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Please provide the following information:

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ADDRESS

CITY/STATE/ZIP

PHONE MOBILE

EMAIL

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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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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 \$

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May 27-28, 2020

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

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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