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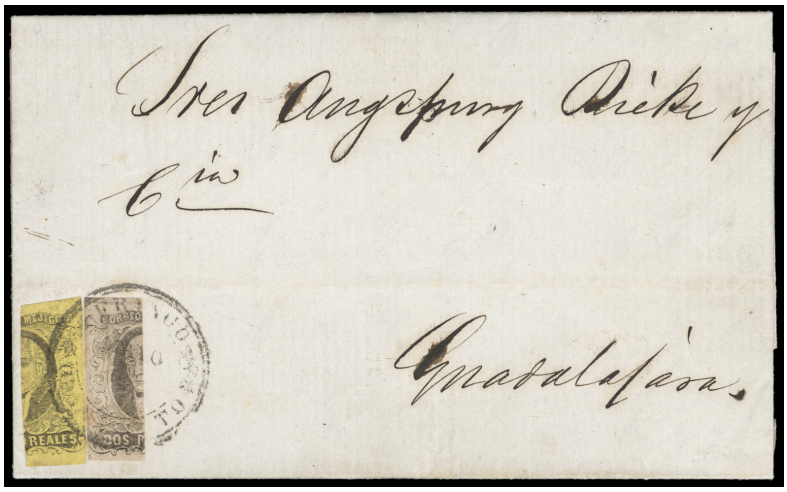
2024

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Public Auction No. 115

First Session: Thursday, April 25, 2024 at 10:00 AM
Second Session: Friday, April 26, 2024 at 4:00 PM following Sale 116
Third Session: Saturday, April 27, 2024 at 4:00 PM following Sale 117
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To be held at the San Francisco Airport Marriott Waterfront in the Bayside II Ballroom
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$300-$750 . . . . . $25	$7,500-$15,000 . . . . . $500	Over $150,000 . . . Auctioneer's discretion
$750-$1,500 . . . . . $50	$15,000-$30,000 . . . . . $1,000	
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Symbols

**	Mint (never hinged)	✉	Cover	S	Specimen
*	Mint (hinged)	(✉)	Cover Front	//	Incomplete Set
(*)	Mint (no gum/regummed)	B	Booklet or Booklet Pane	▲	On Piece
o	Used	E	Essay		
❑	Block	P	Proof		

Grading and Condition

Superb	Extraordinary item in the finest condition.
Extremely Fine	Outstanding and exceptional quality.
Very Fine	Choice, first-class condition.
Fine-Very Fine (F-VF)	Stamp or cover in sound condition; if a stamp, it is slightly less well-centered than Very Fine but better centered than Fine.
Fine	Sound in all respects. Perforated stamps will have the designs clear of the perforations; the designs of imperforate stamps will not be cut in to any significant degree.
Very Good (VG)	Imperfect centering (stamps) or poor general appearance.

Any stamp faults such as a thin spot, tear, crease etc., will be described at all times. Postally used covers should be expected to have the normal degree of wear associated with them and this wear is not grounds for return. The grade of a cover is independent of the grade of the stamps on it. Covers from the famous Carroll-Hoy correspondence will normally have a small unobtrusive staple hole. In lots containing several items, degrees of condition denote the overwhelming average and examples above and below such condition can be expected.

Terms of Sale

Bidding

I. All bids (whether by floor bidders, mail bidders, or telephone bidders) will have a premium of 18% added to the auction sale price.

II. All bids are per lot as numbered in the catalog unless otherwise announced by the auctioneer at the time of sale. The right is reserved to withdraw any lot prior to sale, to divide a lot, or to group two or more lots, or to act on behalf of the seller. Schuyler Rumsey Philatelic Auctions, Inc. will execute bidding instructions on behalf of clients, but will not be responsible for any errors in the execution of such bids. Schuyler Rumsey Philatelic Auctions, Inc. is not liable for bidding errors related to live auction internet bidding and/or the loss of internet connection during the live auction.

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V. FLOOR BIDDERS. Floor bidders shall furnish the auctioneer their names and addresses prior to bidding on any lot. The name and address of the buyer of each lot shall be registered with the auction house following the sale of each lot. Payment of the whole purchase price shall be made by the floor buyer in such manner as the auctioneer may determine. Special credit arrangements must be made prior to the sale.

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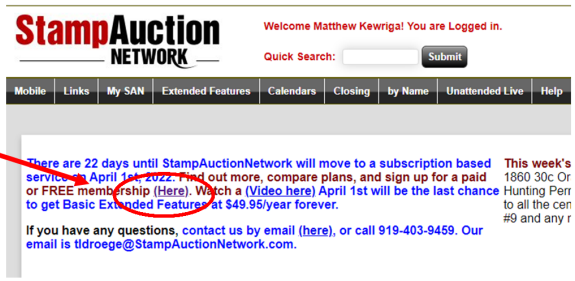
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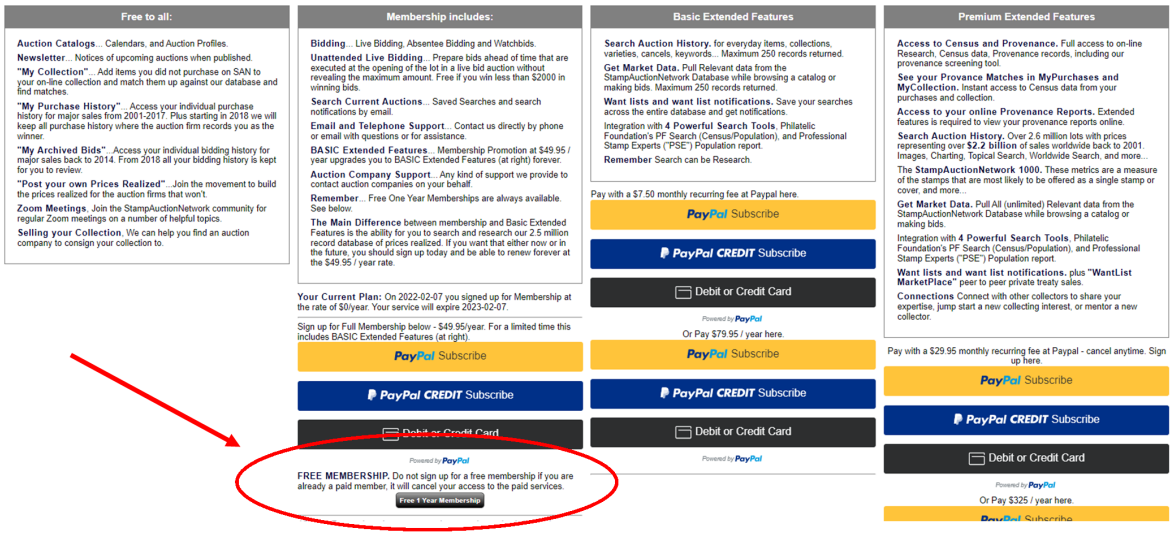
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Great Britain

Postal History

1 ✉ **1721 Edinburgh to Coupar in Angus, Scotland By Express,** folded letter addressed "To Mr. John Ogilibie late bailie of the regalitie of Coupar in Angus recommended to the care of Thomas Ogilbie in Dundee and to be forwarded by express", originally charged "2d" but **increased to "3d" for express service**, also includes a 1722 letter from the same correspondence and charge the normal 2d rate, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2 ✉ **1782 Kidder, Minister to Beminster, Dorsetshire,** folded letter with manuscript "Pd 4d" rating, reverse with light large "Kidder, Minister" handstamp, with **letter written in short-hand form** (form of phonography), **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

This is as form of Shelton's system (in 1626, later re-issued as Tachygraphy) which was very popular and was in use for many years. Samuel Pepys and Isaac Newton used it extensively.



3 ✉ **(Ocean Penny Postage) Ocean Penny Postage, Britain! Bestow This Boon, and Be in Blessing Blest,** Myers & Co. illustrated design on cover **to anti-slavery activist Amy Post** in Rochester, N.Y., light "Whitehaven, Oc 26, 1849" origin cds with manuscript "P 1/-" rating red "5 Cents" credit handstamp, red "Boston, Br. Packet, Paid, Nov 10" entry cds and matching "24" rating handstamp, with original enclosure with interesting content including mentioning emancipation; cover aging and nick at top, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

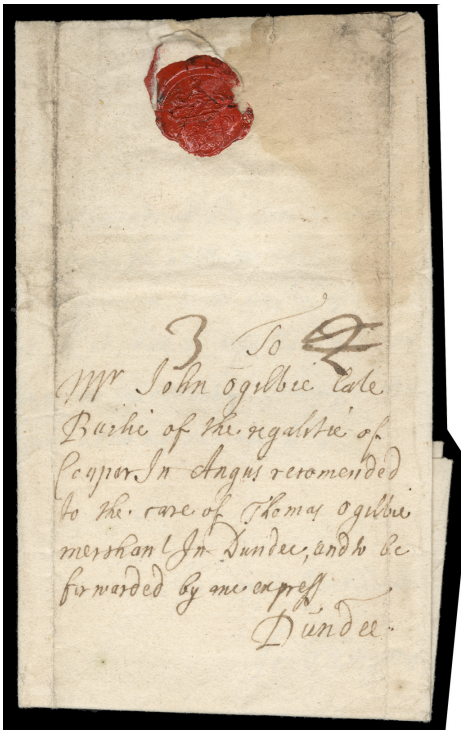
Amy Post became active in the anti-slavery movement in Rochester soon after she arrived in the city. She signed a petition against slavery in 1837, and her home, a busy station on the Underground Railroad, sometimes housed between ten and twenty fugitive slaves per night. A host of anti-slavery lecturers also stayed with her when they came to Rochester to speak. These guests included William Lloyd Garrison, William C. Nell, Abby Kelley, and Frederick Douglass.

4 **Rowland Hill,** signed three page letter datelined "General Post Office, London 15 May 1856" to a Mr. Miles, a representative of the Postal Reform Committee, letter with interesting content including who pays guards on railways when they are in charge of just the mail or both the mail and baggage, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

5 ✉ **1856 Crimea to Middlesex, England,** officer's folded letter at Camp Sebastopol, with blue "British Army Post Office, Ja 5, 1856" cds on reverse, manuscript "3" rate (special rate for mail via French packet ship from Constantinople to Marseille, then across France by special messenger), very interesting contents include…*the docks of Sebastopol have been partly destroyed, and the town removed piecemeal, whereas a French, English and Sardinian Camp exist. The Russians throw a few shells every now and then.*, also mentions General Wigand, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

6 **1864 Naval Commission Signed by Admiral William Parker,** appointing George Walter Edward Lloyd as acting mate on the *H.M.S. Amazon* given on board the *Hibernia* at Malta, **personally signed by Sir William Parker** Vice Admiral of the *Red* and Commander in chief of Her Majesty's ships & vessels employed in the Mediterranean, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

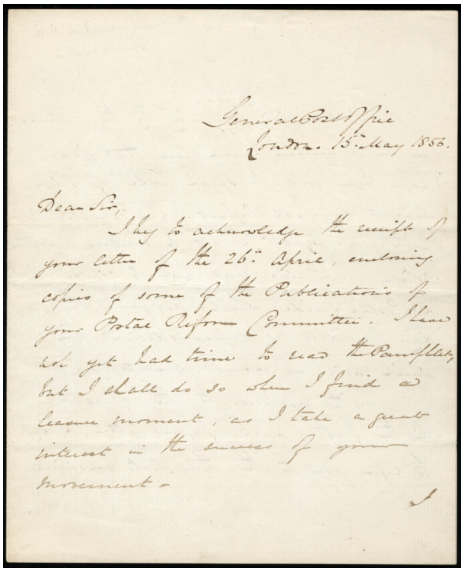
7 ✉ **1874 Great Britain to Foreign Destinations,** lot of three covers all with various different frankings with the 6d value, included is 1874 folded cover **to Italy** franked with 1d red + 1872-73 6d gray horizontal pair paying the one pence late mail fee, and 6 pence per half ounce letter rate via Belgium for up to an ounce., 2nd cover is 1873-80 6d horiz. pair (unnoticeable abrasion at bottom) on folded cover **to Argentina** with handstamped "Pr Pacc Stm. Navn. Co's, Str. Via Liverpool", third cover **to Canada** franked with 1d red pair + 1873-80 6d single, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **60, 62** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



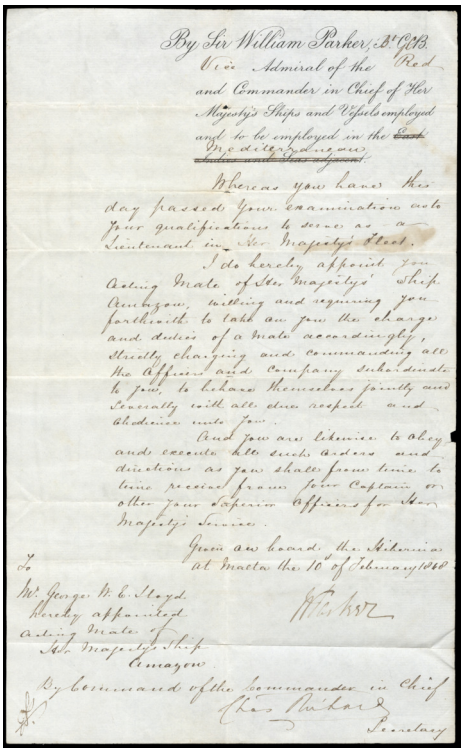
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Ex 9



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8 ✉ **1878 London, England (New Cross, Se) to Riga, Russia (Latvia),** folded cover franked with **1d red + 2½d claret** (both with perf initials) tied by six sided "London 4 MR 78" duplex cancel paying the 1 pence late fee for posting at London Branch Offices between 6.00-7.00 P.M., and 2½ pence per half ounce letter rate, "Rigi" arrival backstamp, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **33+67** . . . . . Estimate $100 - 150

9 * **1840, Mulready Envelope, 1d Black & 2d Blue,** stereos A189 & a202 respectively, 2d with natural wrinkle, **a Very Fine pair.** Scott No. U1-U2.
SG No. **ME2, ME4** £800 ($970)

Regular Issues

10 (*) **1840, 1d Black,** plate 1A, lettered G-L, no gum, margins ample to clear at upper right, strong color, **F.-V.F.,** an attractive and rare unused stamp; with 1981 A.P.S. certificate. Scott No. 1.
SG No. **2** £18,500 ($22,460)

11 o **1840, 1d Black & 2d Blue,** lettered H-C & L-L respectively, red Maltese cross cancels, both with clear to large margins, rich colors, **Very Fine,** an attractive duo; 1d signed Roumet. Scott No. 1-2.
SG No. **2//5** £1,350 ($1,640)



12 o **1840, 1d Black,** plate 1b, lettered MC-MD, horizontal pair, neat red Maltese cross cancels, full well balanced margins, bold color on bright paper, **Very Fine and choice,** an attractive multiple. Scott No. 1.
SG No. **2** £800 ($970)

13 o **1840, 2d Deep Full Blue,** horizontal strip of 6 (lettered B-A/B-F), red Maltese cross cancel, strip cut out along design, rich deep shade, some creasing affecting three stamps, **about Fine appearance,** still an impressive large multiple. Scott No. 2b.
SG No. **4** £7,200 ($8,740)



14 o **1841, 2d Blue, "White Lines",** horizontal pair (lettered N-A/N-B), black Maltese cross cancels, ample to huge margins showing portion of sheet margin at left and stamp at right, rich intense color, **Extremely Fine and choice,** a gem pair. Scott No. 4.
SG No. **14** £180 ($220)

15 ✉ **1841, 2d Blue, "White Lines", Horizontal Strip of 10,** lettered QA-QJ, canceled and tied by barred "20" handstamps on oversized folded letter to Thatcham, reverse with "London Ja 23, 1843" dispatch cds and red Newbury transit date stamp; stamp flaws mostly creasing toward the left of the strip, some light cover soiling, **Fine.** SG No. 14.
Scott No. **4** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

16 o **1847, Queen Victoria (Embossed), 1s Pale Green,** neat barred "18" in oval cancel, clear to large margins, bright vibrant color, **Very Fine and attractive.** Scott No. 5.
SG No. **54** £1,000 ($1,210)

17 o **1848, Queen Victoria (Embossed), 10d Brown,** bottom right corner margin single, neat barred "60" squared cancel, clear margin with wide sheet margins, rich bold color, **Very Fine and attractive,** a scarce position single. Scott No. 6.
SG No. **57** £1,500 ($1,820)

18 o❐ **1855, Queen Victoria, 4d Carmine on Deeply Blued Paper, Small Garter Watermark,** block of 6, barred "701" oval cancels, bright color, flaws including clipped perfs at top left and creasing affecting most stamps, **Fine appearance.** Scott No. 22.
SG No. **62** . . . . . £900 for singles ($1,090)

19 ✉ **1856, Queen Victoria, 6d Deep Lilac, Emblems Watermark, Right Wing Margin Horizontal Pair and Single,** tied by barred 23 oval handstamps on folded letter sheet to **Trieste, Italy**, red transit cds and "P" in oval additionally tying stamps, reverse with London dispatch and receiving date stamps, **Very Fine.** Scott No. 27a.
SG No. **69** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

20 ✉ **1864, 1d Rose Red, Letters in All Four Corners, Block of 8 and Two Horizontal Pairs,** plate 98, block at center and pairs slightly overlapping at sides, all tied by "Stirling, Jy 6, 68" duplex postmarks on cover to Philadelphia, Pa., entry cds additionally tying block and London transit on reverse; few small stamp flaws and small cover tear at bottom, **F.-V.F.,** an attractive multiple franking. Scott No. 33.
SG No. **43** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

21 o❐ **1862, Queen Victoria, 1s Green, Emblems Watermark,** left wing margin block of 16 (lettered GI//JL), indistinct London barred "W/3" cancels, couple small imperfections otherwise sound, **Fine,** a very rare multiple. SG No. 90 £5,400 for singles ($6,560).
Scott No. **42**

22 * **1865, Queen Victoria, 4d Vermilion, Large Garter Watermark,** horizontal pair (lettered HN-IN), o.g., rich intense color, right stamp with nibbed perf at top, **otherwise Very Fine.** Scott No. 43.
SG No. **94** £1,150 ($1,400)

23 *❐ **1870, ½d Rose,** block of 4 (lettered KP//LQ), o.g., fresh with bold color, **Very Fine.** Scott No. 58.
SG No. **49** . . . . . £440 for singles ($530)

24 * **1873, Queen Victoria, 1s Pale Green, Spray of Rose Watermark,** horizontal strip of 3, o.g., fresh with strong color, **Fine and scarce.** Scott No. 64.
SG No. **150** . . . . . £1,950 for singles ($2,370)

25 o **1884, Queen Victoria, £1 Brown Lilac, Imperial Crowns Watermark,** 1890 town and box cancels, rich color, **Very Fine**; with 2017 Roumet certificate. Scott No. 110.
SG No. **185** £3,000 ($3,640)



26 **❐ **1887-92, Queen Victoria Jubilee, ½d-1s,** ½d color change issue, blocks of 4, o.g., never hinged, all with margins except ½d & 3d, 4½d, 6d, 10d & 1sh corner blocks, all bright and fresh, **a Very Fine and choice set,** especially so never hinged. Scott No. 112-122, 124 $3,020 for hinged singles.
SG No. **198/211, 213** . . . . . £4,000 for singles ($4,860)

27 o **1891, Queen Victoria, £1 Green,** barred duplex cancels, strong color, **F.-V.F.** Scott No. 124.
SG No. **212** £800 ($970)



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28 * **1902, King Edward VII, De La Rue Printing, £1 Dull Blue Green,** bottom margin single, o.g., strong color and well centered, quite fresh, **Very Fine,** an attractive KEVII mint high value; with 1996 Roumet certificate. Scott No. 142.
SG No. **266** £2,000 ($2,430)

29 * **1929, £1 P.U.C.,** o.g., wide margins and bold color, **Very Fine.** Scott No. 209.
SG No. **438** £750 ($910)

British Commonwealth

30 * **Ascension, 1924, Badge of the Colony, 3d Blue, Boulder Flaw,** full o.g., rich colors and exceptional centering, **Extremely Fine.** Scott No. 14.
SG No. **14** £650 ($790)

Australia & Australian States

31 o **New South Wales, 1850, Sydney View, 1d Reddish Rose, Plate I, Yellowish Paper,** barred oval cancel, full nicely balanced margins, bright color, **Very Fine.** Scott No. 1.
SG No. **3** £600 ($730)

32 * **New South Wales, 1861, Queen Victoria "Medallion", 5s Dull Violet, Perf 13,** left margin single with floral lathework, o.g., lightly hinged, rich color and attractively centered, **Very Fine.** Scott No. 44.
SG No. **174a** £375 ($460)

33 o **Victoria, 1867, Queen Victoria, 5sh Blue on Yellow,** town and barred duplex cancels, rich deep color and wide margins, **Very Fine,** usually nice for this high value. Scott No. 120.
SG No. **139** £450 ($550)

34 (*)❒ **Western Australia, 1854, Swan (Litho), 4d Pale Blue, Imperf,** Swan watermark, block of 4, no gum, full margins, strong bright color on fresh paper, **Very Fine.** Scott No. 3 var.
SG No. **3** . . . . . £1,500 for singles ($1,820)

35 * **Australia, 1932, 5s Sydney Bridge,** o.g., hinge remnant, bright and fresh, **F.-V.F.** Scott No. 132.
SG No. **143** . . . . . £425 for hinged ($520)

36 * **Australia, 1932, 5s Sydney Bridge,** bottom margin strip of 3 with Ash imprint, o.g., hinge remnants, fresh with bold color, **Very Fine,** a very scarce imprint multiple. Scott No. 132.
SG No. **143** . . . . . £1,275+ ($1,550)

37 **❒ **Australia, 1963-65, 4s-£2 Navigators Complete,** blocks of 4, o.g., never hinged, 7sg6d, 10sh and £2 marginal blocks, all bright and fresh, **a Very Fine set.** Scott No. 374-379.
SG No. **355/60** . . . . . £480+ ($580)

38 o **Bahamas, 1859, Queen Victoria, 1d Dull Lake, Imperf, Thin Paper,** neat barred "A05" oval cancel, clear to large margins, rich color tending towards the brownish lake color, **F.-V.F. and scarce.** Scott No. 1.
SG No. **2** £1,300 ($1,580)

39 ✉ **Bahamas, 1863, Queen Victoria, 4d Dull Rose, Perf 12½,** tied by barred "A05" oval handstamp on folded letter sheet to New York, reverse with "Bahamas, Jy 23, 1870" origin cds and front with "N.Y. Steamship, 3, Jul 30" entry cds; small cover tear at top, **otherwise Very Fine.** Scott No. 13b.
SG No. **27** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

40 ✉ **Barbuda, 1922, "Barbuda" on Leeward Islands ½d-2½ KGV Issues,** all neatly tied by "Barbuda, B.W.I., Ap 9, 23" cds's on registered cover to New York City, red boxed registry handstamp and receiving backstamps, **Very Fine and choice.** Scott No. 1-4.
SG No. **1/4** . . . . . Estimate $100 - 150

41 ✉ **Batum, 1919 Forerunner Cover,** addressed locally and showing cash prepayment framed handstamp completed for 15k in manuscript and initialed by the postmaster, intaglio handstamp alongside, **Very Fine and scarce,** *ex-"Nashville".*
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

42 ✉ **Bermuda, Hamilton, Bermuda, De 15, 1842,** neat sharp strike of rimless cds on reverse of folded letter sheet to **Glasgow, Scotland**, manuscript "1/-" rating and steamer endorsed, reverse with transit and "Glasgow, 4 Ja, 1842" boxed receiving date stamp, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300



43 ✉ **Bermuda, Hamilton, Bermuda, Fe 21, 1850,** neat red rimless cds on large oversized wrapper to Mangrove Bay, **sent and addressed in the hand of the Hamilton Postmaster William Perot**, sent free with no indication of rate, endorsed "Per Mail" at lower left; small tear at right, **Very Fine**; signed Holcombe.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

44 * **British East Africa, 1896, Queen Victoria, 2a Chocolate, Watermark Reversed,** o.g., lightly hinged, rich color and well centered, **Very Fine,** a very rare mint example of this elusive variety, priced only in used condition in Gibbons (at £200). Scott No. 75 var.
SG No. **67x** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

45 * **British Honduras, 1877, Queen Victoria, 1s Green, Perf 14,** o.g., bright and fresh with strong color, **Very Fine.** Scott No. 12.
SG No. **16** £325 ($400)



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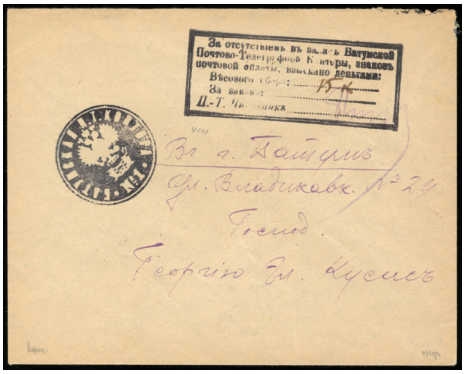
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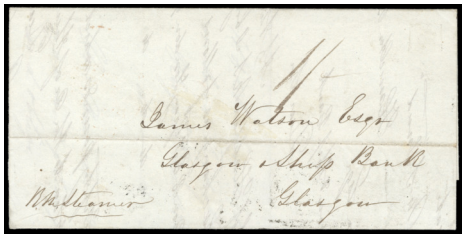
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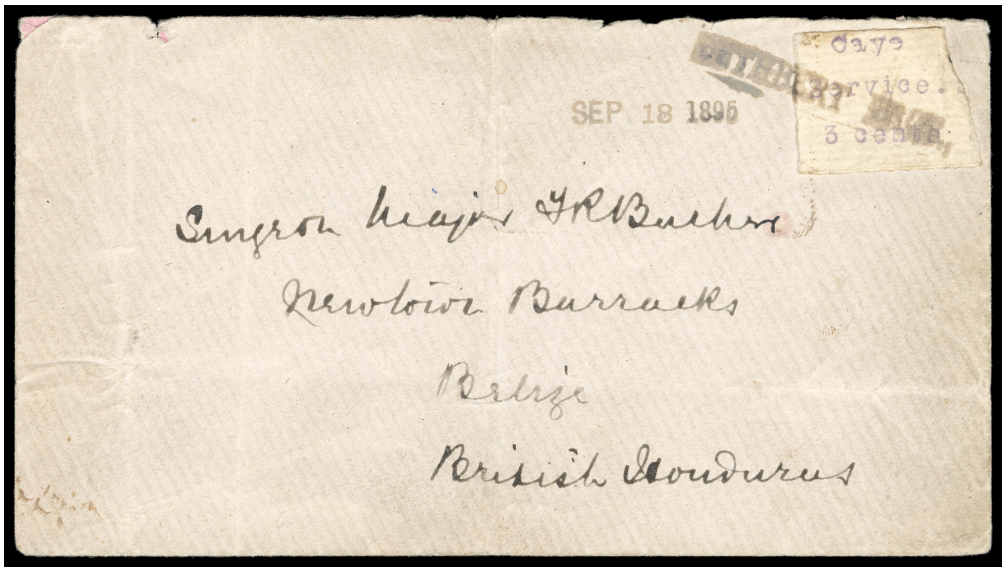




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46 ✉ **British Honduras, 1895 "Caye, Service, 3 Cents" Cuthbert Brothers Local Post,** purple typewritten on laid paper, on cover to Newton Barracks, Belize tied by straight line "Cuthbert Bros." handstamp, with additional "Sep 18, 1895" date stamp alongside; some cover creases well away from stamp, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $4,000 - 6,000

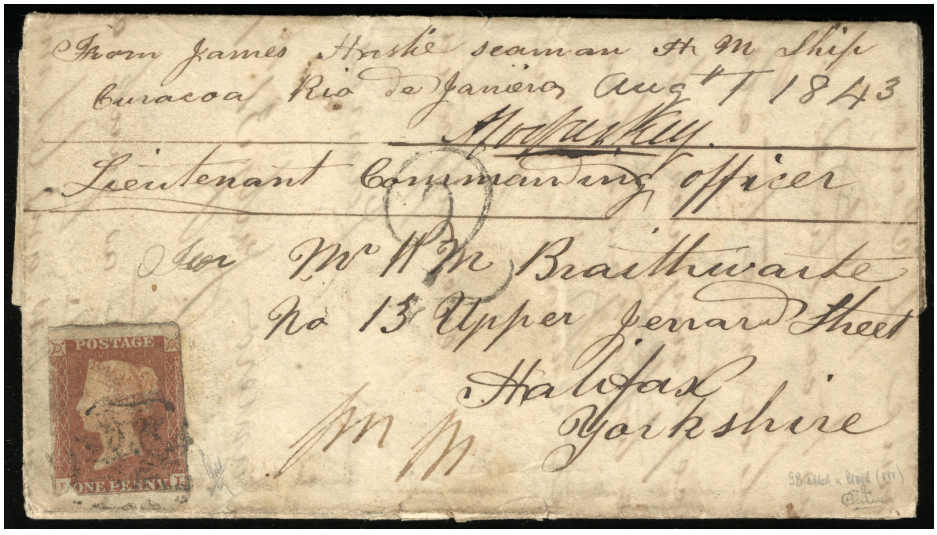
AVERY RARE EXAMPLE OF THE CAYE SERVICE LOCAL POST ISSUE. ONLY AROUND A DOZEN COVERERS ARE KNOWN.

Sydney Cuthbert, owner of Belize merchants Cuthbert Bros., commuted daily by steam yacht from his house on St. Georges Cay, a small island just inside the reef in the Bay of Belize. Finding that friends increasingly asked him to carry mail to and from the island, he decided to subsidize his trips charging 3¢ to carry a letter, printing his primitive label for the purpose.

British Offices Abroad

47 ✉ **British Offices in the Azores, 1849 Madeira to Le Havre, Spain,** cover via London and Paris with clear Madeira British P.O. date stamp on reverse and bold London "Ship-Letter" handstamp on front and reverse, and 1850 folded letter from Cadiz to London rated "2/2" and showing circular "B.C., Cadiz" handstamp of the British Consular, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

48 o **British Offices in Bolivia, Great Britain, 1873, Queen Victoria, 1sh Green,** plate 13, bold **barred oval "C39" cancel of Cobija**, strong color, **Very Fine and scarce.**
SG No. **Z10** £850 ($1,030)



49 ✉ **British Offices in Brazil, 1843 Sailor's Letter - Rio De Janeiro to Halifax, England,** folded letter endorsed "**From James Hashe, Seaman H.M. Ship Curacoa, Rio de Janeiro**" at top and countersigned by the Commanding Officer below, franked with **G.B. 1841, 1¢ red** canceled and tied by Maltese cross on arrival in Halifax, with "2" rate handstamp and reverse with red London entry (9.10) and receiving date stamp (10.10), letter with interesting contents including…*I have put a stamp on the letter and if you have and more to pay you must let me know…some of our chaps tell me they won't do and they always stitch a penny in one corner*; slight soiling and 1d with some edge nicks, **F.-V.F.,** a fascinating cover giving first hand account of the problems encountered with the sailor's concessionary rate; signed Holcombe & Calves.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500


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50 ✉ **British Offices in Brazil, 1852 Rio De Janeiro to Madeira,** folded letter endorsed "pr Steam Pkt Fay" rated "1/-" in red crayon, fine strike of **"Paid At Rio De Janeiro" Crown Circle** handstamp alongside and matching "160" rating at upper right, reverse with B.P.O. "Rio De Janeiro, Mr 15, 1852" cds, **Fine and scarce.**
SG No. **CC3**; £850 ($1,030) . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

51 ✉ **British Offices in Chile, 1854-68 Valparaiso to the United States,** two folded letters; 1854 usage to Newburyport, Mass. with red crayon "1/-" rating and red **"Paid At Valparaiso" Crown Circle** handstamp, "Steamship 20" circular handstamp upon arrival in N.Y. and reverse with "Valparaiso, Jy 7, 1854" B.P.O. cds, and 1868 folded letter sheet to N.Y. with red manuscript "1/-" and red **"Paid At Valparaiso" Crown Circle** handstamp at right, Panama transit cds and bold "N.Y. Steamship, 10, Jan 6" integral rate cds, reverse with "Valparaiso, De 3, 1868" B.P.O. cds, **Fine.**
SG No. **CC2**; £1,000 ($1,210) . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

52 ✉ **British Offices in Chile, 1856 Valparaiso to Boston, Mass.,** cover with red crayon "1/-" rate and red "Paid At Valparaiso" Crown Circle handstamp, "Steamship 20" circular handstamp and reverse with partial "Valparaiso, Ju 30, 1856" B.P.O. cds, with two original enclosures datelined from Santiago with some interesting content, **F.-V.F.**
SG No. **CC2**; £500 ($610) . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

53 ▲ **British Offices in Colombia, Great Britain, 1862, 6d Lilac,** on piece canceled by barred oval "C35" handstamp, in combination with **Peru 1862 1p red** tied by indistinct cds, and **U.S. 1861, 3¢ rose** tied by light target handstamp; couple small flaws, **Very Fine appearance,** still a rare triple mixed franking.
SG No. **Z89** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

54 ✉ **British Offices in Cuba, 1841 (Ca.) Havana to Castine, Maine,** undated folded letter with sharp strike of **"Paid At Havana" Crown Circle** handstamp, marked "turn over" with manuscript with "9 coils Boltrope, 1 Hawser 0- 90 fath 7½ inches to be ship'd over to Castine by the Packet" on reverse, **Very Fine,** a nice strike of this scarce first type Crown Circle handstamp.
SG No. **CC1**; £1,400 ($1,700) . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



55 ✉ **British Offices in Cuba, 1850 Spain to San Francisco, Cal.,** folded letter carried outside the mails to Cuba, placed in the post at St. Jago de Cuba where rated "2/-" in red manuscript and with full clear strike of **red "Paid At St. Jago De Cuba" Crown Circle** handstamp, red boxed "30" rate handstamp applied upon arrival in San Francisco, with single disinfection slit, reverse with well struck "St. Jago De Cuba, Au 3, 1850" B.P.O. cds and additional "Kingston-Jamaica, Au 5, 1850" transit date stamp, **Very Fine,** an exceptionally rare cover with only a handful of this Crown Circle recorded and a very late date of use of both this and the date stamp, a probably unique incoming mail usage to the U.S. western states.
SG No. **CC4**; £6,000 ($7,280) . . . . . Estimate $4,000 - 6,000

A VERY RARE USAGE OF THE RED "PAID AT ST. JAGO DE CUBA" CROWN CIRCLE HANDSTAMP USED ON MAIL SAN FRANCISCO DURING THE CALIFORNIA GOLD RUSH.

56 o **British Offices in Cyprus, Great Britain, 1864, Queen Victoria, 1d Rose Red,** plate 171, cancel by clear **barred "969" oval cancel of Vikosia**, also **G.B. 1876, 2½d rosy mauve, plate 12** canceled by **barred "942" oval cancel of Larnaca & barred "A25" oval of Malta**, all nice strikes, **Very Fine.** SG No. Z36, Z18.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

57 o **British Offices in Cyprus, Great Britain, 1870, Queen Victoria, ½ Rose Red,** plate 13, full strike of **barred "975" oval handstamp of Limassol**, **F.-V.F.** SG No. Z28 £450 ($550).
Scott No. **A29** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

58 ▲❐ **British Offices in Cyprus, Great Britain, 1876, Queen Victoria, 2½d Rosy Mauve,** plate 15, block of 6, on piece cancel by **barred "942" ovals of Larnaca**, light creasing in top stamps, **otherwise F.-V.F.,** a scarce multiple. SG No. Z18 £450+ ($550).
Scott No. **A19** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

59 ✉ **British Offices in Cyprus, 1880 Paphos to Edinburgh, Scotland,** cover (regimental crest on flap) franked with **G.B. 1876, 2½d rosy mauve** tied by barred oval 981 handstamp with "Papho, Cyprus, Feb 8, 80" cds alongside, reverse with Limassol, Larnaca and Edinburgh (19.2) cds's overlapping; accompanied by an earlier letter for correspondence; cover with vertical tone band, **Very Fine**; with 1994 G.B.P.E. certificate. SG No. Z47.
Scott No. **A46** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



60 ✉ **British Offices in the Danish West Indies, 1812 St. Croix to Ireland,** folded letter rated "2/6" crossed out and rerated "3/1", with **truly exceptional strike of the very rare "St. Croix, No. 27, 1812" fleuron date stamp**, indistinct arrival postmark on reverse, **Extremely Fine and choice.**
Estimate . . . . . $5,000 - 7,500

WITHOUT QUESTION - ONE OF THE FINEST EXAMPLES OF THIS RARE EARLY BRITISH ST. CROIX FLEURON DATE STAMP.

The British invaded the Danish West Indies in December 1807. A British fleet captured St. Thomas on December 22nd and St. Croix on December 25th. Denmark-Norway did not resist and this occupation lasted until November 20, 1815.



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61 ✉ **British Offices in Mexico, 1847-62 Vera Cruz & Tampico,** two folded letters; 1847 Vera Cruz to Bordeaux, France with reverse bearing "Franqueado, Vera-Cruz" cds and additional B.P.O. next day cds, London transit and receiving cds's, and 1862 Tampico to Edinburgh, Scotland with oily B.P.O. cds on reverse, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

62 ✉ **British Offices in Mexico, 1854 Tampico to Vera Cruz,** folded letter with red manuscript "1/-" rating and **red "Paid At Tampico" Crown Circle** handstamp, reverse with matching "Tampico Ju 30, 1854" B.P.O. cds, "Santa Anna De Tamaulipas, Junio 30" cds (Schatzkes 1584), **Very Fine.**
SG No. **CC1**; £1,800 ($2,180) . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

63 ✉ **British Offices in Peru, 1854 Lima to Genoa, Italy,** folded letter with "Via Panama" endorsement and manuscript "5/8" rating, with **red "Paid At Callao" Crown Circle** handstamp, red London and Calais transit date stamps and "Callao, Oc 11, 1854" B.P.O. cds on reverse, **F.-V.F.** Scott No. A32.
SG No. **CC2**; £850 ($1,030) . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

64 ✉ **British Offices in Peru, 1870 Callao to Fife, Scotland,** cover with "Bryce, Grace & Co., Ship Chandlers, Ship Brokers…Callao and Chincha Islands" corner card, franked with **1868, 1d green, two singles** (right stamp with paper join) tied by by "Callao, Ap 14, 70" cds, in combination with **G.B. 1867, 3d rose, plate 5, wing margin horizontal pair** tied by barred oval "C38" handstamp, red "Insufficiently, Prepaid" handstamp with manuscript "Too Late franked 4/-"; cover with minor soiling and edge wear, **F.-V.F.,** a scarce and most unusual franking; with 1993 B.P.A. certificate.
SG No. **Z34** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

65 ✉ **British Offices in Peru, 1875 Callao to Hartford, Ct.,** railroad corner card cover franked with **1866, 10c red** and **G.B. 1874, 6d grey, plate 14** tied by barred oval "C38" handstamps, reverse with matching "Callao, Sp 6, 75" cds, "Panama, Sp 13, 75" transit cds and "New-York, Due 5 Cts" entry cds, couple blue railroad company despatch and transit date stamp, **Very Fine.**
SG No. **Z46** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

66 ✉ **British Offices in Puerto Rico, 1849 San Juan to Logrono, Spain,** fresh folded letter with red manuscript "2/1" rating and **red "Paid At San Juan Porto Rico" Crown Circle** handstamp, red London and Calais transit cds and Spanish "10 Rs" rate handstamps, reverse with "San Juan Porto Rico, Sp 10, 1849" B.P.O. cds and receiving postmark, **Very Fine.**
SG No. **CC1**; £650 ($790) . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

67 ✉ **British Offices in Puerto Rico, 1861 San Juan to New York, N.Y.,** folded letter with red crayon "2/-" rating and **red "Paid At San Juan Porto Rico" Crown Circle** handstamp, circular "Steamship 20" handstamp applied upon arrival in N.Y., reverse with "San Juan Porto Rico, Sp 11, 1861" B.P.O. cds, blue "Vias y Compania" oval cachet used as forwarding agents and "St. Thomas, Sp 13, 1861" transit cds, **Very Fine.**
SG No. **CC1**; £650 ($790) . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



68 o **British Offices in Siam, Strait Settlement, 1882, 8¢ Orange,** Crown CC watermark, horizontal strip of 3, light grid and near complete and large part strike of **"British Consulate, Bangkok" Royal Arms oval** framed cancels, trivial natural paper wrinkle in left stamp, **Very Fine and very rare,** most likely a unique multiple. Scott No. A4.
SG No. **Z4**. . . . . Estimate $2,000 - 3,000

69 ✉ **British Offices in the Turkish Empire, 1862-87 Constantinople British Post Office Covers,** four items; 1862 cover to Scotland bearing 1862 1sh (tiny flaw) neatly canceled "C", unframed B.P.O. date stamp on reverse, 1883 cover to U.S. bearing 2½d blue (plate 23) and 1885 cover to Washington D.C. and redirected to Virginia bearing 1883 2½d lilac, both canceled "C" and with B.P.O. date stamp in red alongside franking, and 1887 1d postal card to England with "Quarantine Circular" printed message on reverse, canceled "C" with B.P.O. date stamp; all choice strikes, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

Canadian Provinces

70 P **New Brunswick, 1860, 5¢ Brown, Unissued, Plate Proof on India Paper,** ample to large margins, bold color, **Very Fine.** Scott No. 5P3.
Unitrade No. **5P** . . . . . C$300 ($220)

71 ✉ **New Brunswick, 1860, 1¢ Red Lilac, Horizontal Strip of Five,** tied by light barred oval handstamp on folded letter sheet to Fredericton, with "Saint John, N.B., Ma 6, 1868" cds additionally tying strip and reverse with receiving postmark; file folds affecting two stamps, **Very Fine appearance,** a lovely and rare multiple usage of the 1860 1¢ issue, *ex-Caspary*.
Scott No. **6** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

72 o **Newfoundland, 1857, 6d Scarlet Vermilion,** used, defective and repaired by backing, **about Fine appearance,** scarce; with 1965 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **6**. $5,000

73 o **Newfoundland, 1857, 6½d Scarlet Vermilion,** neatly canceled, nice color, margins to mostly touching, tiny thin spot at right, **Fine appearance**; with 1986 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **7**. $4,000



74 * **Newfoundland, 1930, 50¢ on 36¢ Columbia Flight,** o.g., barest trace of hinge, exceptional centering, bright and fresh with rich color, **Extremely Fine,** one of the finest mint examples known; with 2001 B.P.A. certificate.
Scott No. **C5**. $9,000

A CHOICE MINT EXAMPLE OF THE 1930 50¢ ON 36¢ COLUMBIA FLIGHT ISSUE.

The Newfoundland government overprinted 300 copies of the 36¢ "Caribou" issue for use on this flight. Only 100 were actually used: 65 from St. John's and 35 from Harbour Grace. After flying 2,650 miles, the plane was forced down at Tresco Island, off the coast of England. The "Columbia" was able to finish the flight, landing at Croydon Airport on October 13.

Canada

75 o **1851, 3d Red, Laid Paper,** target cancel, full well balanced margins, bright color, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **1**. $1,200



76 ✉ **1851, 3d Red, Laid Paper, Two Singles,** each stamp with large margins all around, neatly tied by target cancels on cover to Salem, Mass. full strike of red "Montreal, L.C., Jy 31, 1852" origin cds, **Extremely Fine and choice,** *ex-Guilford*; with 2000 Greene Foundation certificate. SG No. 1.
Scott No. **1** . . . . . Estimate $3,000 - 4,000

A WONDERFUL RARE 3D RED LAID PAPER PAIR USAGE IN EXCEPTIONAL GEM CONDITION.

One of 27 recorded covers with the 3d Beaver on Laid paper to the United States.

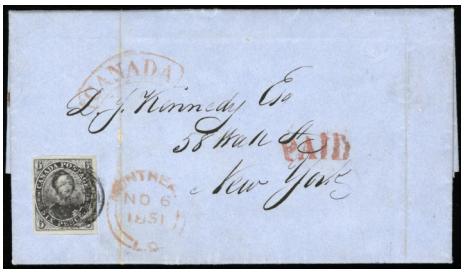
77 P **1851, 3d Red, Plate Proof on India,** on original card, horizontal pair, ample to mostly large margins, brilliant color, **Very Fine and choice.** Scott No. 1P3.
Unitrade No. **1P** . . . . . C$700 ($510)



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78 o **1851, 6d Slate Violet, Laid Paper,** showing strong vertical laid lines, face free target cancel, clear to large margins, rich deep color, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **2**. $1,500

79 ✉ **1851, 6d Slate Violet, Laid Paper,** four large to huge margins showing portion of adjacent stamp at bottom, deep color, tied by target handstamp on 1851 folded letter to New York, red "Montreal, L.C., No 6, 1851" origin cds, with red arched "Canada" and "Paid" handstamps; couple file folds, **Very Fine**; with 1977 R.P.S.L. certificate.
Scott No. **2**; $2,000 . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

80 P **1851, 6d Dark Gray, Trial Color Plate Proof on India, Vertical Specimen Overprint,** mounted on original card, margins large to just touching frameline at bottom left, bright and fresh, **Very Fine,** a very scarce multiple. Scott No. 2TC var.
Unitrade No. **2TCvii**. . . . . C$1,800 for singles ($1,310)



81 P **1851, 12d Black, Plate Proof on India, Vertical Specimen Overprint in Carmine,** horizontal pair, full even margins, bright and fresh with intense color, **Very Fine,** a very rare multiple of the 1851 12d QV proof with carmine overprint. Scott No. 3P3 var.
Unitrade No. **3Pi**. . . . . C$5,000 for singles ($3,640)

82 o **1852, 3d Red,** neat target cancel, large nicely balanced margins, rich vibrant color on bright paper, **Extremely Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **4**. $200

83 o **1852, 3d Red,** vertical pair, blue target cancels, ample to large margins, strong bright color, **Very Fine,** a lovely multiple.
Scott No. **4**. . . . . $400 for singles



84 o **1855, 10d Blue,** light cancel, four large margins, intensely rich color, **Very Fine and attractive**; signed Holcombe and Bloch, with 1989 Holcombe certificate.
Scott No. **7**. $1,500

85 (*) **1855, 10d Blue, Thick Paper,** regummed, ample to large margins, rich bold color, **Very Fine,** a lovely and scarce unused example of the 10d Cartier issue on thick paper; with 2012 Greene Foundation certificate.
Scott No. **7a** $7,250

86 P **1857, ½d Black, Trial Color Plate Proof on India, Vertical Specimen Overprint,** ample to large margins, fresh and pristine, **Very Fine.** Scott No. 8TC var.
Unitrade No. **8TCii** . . . . . C$300 ($220)



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87 * **1857, 7½d Green,** o.g., large margins showing trace of imprint at lower left, rich color, faint horizontal crease and a few small natural paper inclusions, **Extremely Fine appearance.**
Scott No. **9** $15,000

A RARE MINT EXAMPLE OF THE 1857 7½D QUEEN VICTORIA ISSUE.



88 ✉ **1857, 7½d Green,** ample to mostly large margins, crease in lower right margin well away from design, tied by light grid handstamps on cover to **Edinburgh, Scotland**, matching "Toronto, C.W., Aug 27" cds and manuscript "By Canadian Mail, From Quebec" endorsement, carried on Allan Line *Canadian II* from Quebec to Liverpool with bold red "Pkt. Letter, Paid, Liverpool, Sp 8, 57" tombstone date stamp, reverse with **red "By - Canadian Packet"** two line handstamp and barred Warrington handstamp, forwarded to Ardrossan with appropriate backstamps; some minor cover edge wear, **Very Fine,** a lovely usage paying the Canadian packet rate to England and one of two 1857 7½d usages on carried on the Allan line; with 1990 Bühler & 1995 B.P.A. certificates.
Scott No. **9** . . . . . Estimate $1,500 - 2,000

89 P❒ **1857, 7½d Green, Plate Proof on India,** on original card, block of 4, ample to mostly large margins, rich vibrant color, **Very Fine and choice.** Scott No. 9P3.
Unitrade No. **9P** . . . . . C$1,400 ($1,020)



90 o **1859, 3d Red,** vertical pair, light target cancels, rich color, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **12** $2,800

91 ✉ **1859, 3d Red,** nicely centered, tied by numeral target handstamp on cover to Brockville, with matching "Belleville, Ap 29, 59" cds, partial receiving backstamp, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **12** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

92 * **1864, 2¢ Rose,** slightly disturbed o.g., bright color, **Fine,** scarce with original gum.
Scott No. **20** $1,250

93 o **1868, 3¢ Bright Red, Laid Paper,** 1868 town cancel, strong bright color, errant perf at lower right, **Fine.**
Scott No. **33** $2,400

94 ** **1929, 50¢ Bluenose,** o.g., never hinged, wide margins and deep color, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **158** $425

95 **❒ **1929, 50¢ Bluenose,** block of 4, o.g., never hinged, well centered amid wide margins, deep color on bright paper, **Very Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **158** . . . . . $1,700 for singles



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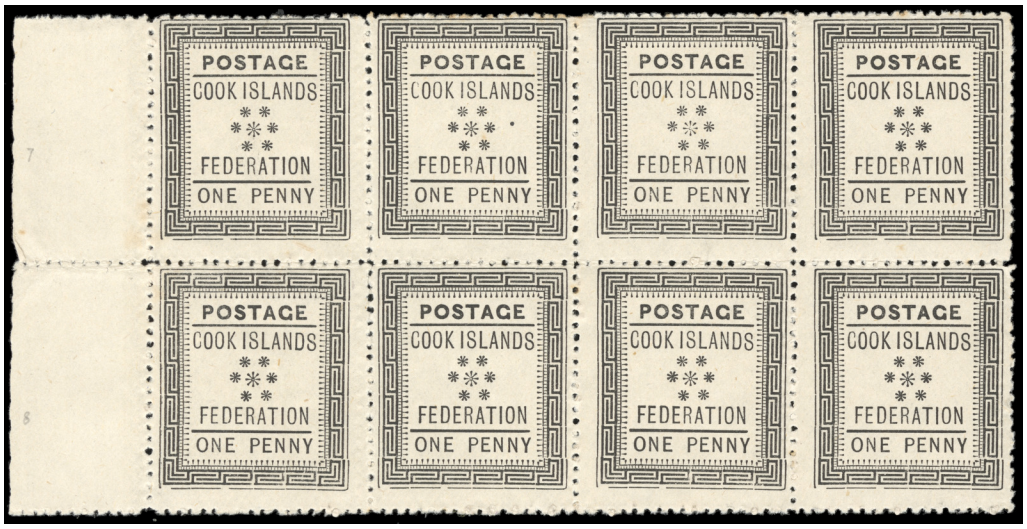
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96 ** **1929, 50¢ Bluenose, Imperf,** vertical pair, o.g., never hinged, large margins all around, bold color, bright and Post Office fresh, **Extremely Fine,** a choice pair of this key imperforate variety.
Scott No. **158a** $1,125



97 * **1959, 5¢ St. Lawrence Seaway, Center Inverted,** right margin single, o.g., never hinged (trivial spot on gum), well centered, bright and Post Office fresh, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **387a** $9,000

AN ATTRACTIVE EXAMPLE OF THE 1959 5¢ ST. LAWRENCE SEAWAY ISSUE WITH CENTER INVERTED.

The stamps, issued on June 26, 1959, coincided with the opening of the St. Lawrence Seaway by Queen Elizabeth II and President Dwight D. Eisenhower. The planning and production of the stamps to commemorate the event took almost as long as the construction of the Seaway itself with proposals coming forward in 1954 in the US and in 1956 in Canada. The first report of the discovery of the Seaway Inverts was when a young office boy from the Marlborough Hotel in Winnipeg purchased 30 stamps from a Post Office outlet in the Eaton store on August 20, 1959. It is believed that approximately 200 examples exist today.

98 ** **1927, 20¢ Confederation, Imperf,** horizontal pair, o.g., never hinged, ample to mostly large margins, rich color, fresh and pristine, **Very Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **E3a** $380

99 o **Cape of Good Hope, 1853 "Triangular", Perkins Bacon Printing, 1d Brick Red on Bluish Paper,** neat grid cancel, ample to mostly large margins, strong bright color, **Extremely Fine,** choice this nice. Scott No. 1.
SG No. **3** £450 ($550)

100 o **Cape of Good Hope, 1858 "Triangular", Perkins Bacon Printing, 1s Deep Dark Green,** light grid cancel, large margins and bold color, **Extremely Fine.** Scott No. 6a.
SG No. **8b** £550 ($670)

101 o **Ceylon, 1857, Queen Victoria, 1d Blue, Blued Paper, Imperf,** Large Star watermark, horizontal strip of 3, light grid cancels, margins large to slightly in at top, bold color, **Fine,** a scarce used multiple. Scott No. 1.
SG No. **2b** . . . . . £675 for singles ($820)

102 o **Ceylon, 1857, Queen Victoria, 6d Purple Brown, Blued Paper, Imperf,** Large Star watermark, light grid cancel, ample to large margins showing portion of adjacent stamp at bottom, strong bright color, **Very Fine,** choice for this difficult issue. Scott No. 2.
SG No. **1** £450 ($550)

103 (*) **Ceylon, 1857, Queen Victoria, 1s9d Green, Imperf,** Large Star watermark, no gum, clear to mostly large margins showing portions of adjacent stamps at left and top, rich bright color, **Very Fine and choice**; signed Brun. Scott No. 12.
SG No. **11** £850 ($1,030)

104 **❒ **Cook Islands, 1892, First Issue, 1d Black, Toned Paper,** left margin block of 6, o.g., never hinged, **fresh and F.-V.F.** Scott No. 1.
SG No. **1 var.** . . . . . £304 for singles ($370)

105 o **Cook Islands, 1892, First Issue, 10d Carmine, Toned Paper,** horizontal pair, Rarotonga circular cancels, couple perf separations at top, **Very Fine.** Scott No. 4.
SG No. **4 var.** £300 ($360)

106 ✉ **Cyprus, 1941-44 WWII Censor Covers,** two covers; 1941 cover from Nicosia to New York bearing 1pi (3) and with censor tape and "Passed Censor, 3, Cyprus" handstamp in red, and 1944 cover (merchant handstamp on reverse) from Nicosia to New York bearing 3pi and with "Opened By Examiner, M, 7" label at left, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

107 **/*❒ **Cyprus, 1880, "Cyprus" on Great Britain ½d Rose,** plate 15, block of 4 (lettered S-M//T-N), o.g., hinged at top, never hinged at bottom, strong color, **F.-V.F.** Scott No. 1.
SG No. **1** . . . . . £480 for hinged singles ($580)

108 * **Falkland Islands, 1912, King George V, 5s Deep Rose Red,** full o.g., rich deep color, **Very Fine.** Scott No. 38.
SG No. **67** £130 ($160)

109 * **Gambia, 1871, Queen Victoria "Embossed", 4d Pale Brown,** unwatermarked, o.g., ample to mostly large margins, bold color, **fresh and Very Fine.** Scott No. 1.
SG No. **2** £600 ($730)

110 o **Gambia, 1871, Queen Victoria "Embossed", 4d Pale Brown & 6d Deep Blue,** unwatermarked, both with red town cancels, ample to large margins, **Very Fine,** a lovely pair. Scott No. 1-2.
SG No. **2/3** £425 ($520)

111 (*) **Gambia, 1869, Queen Victoria "Embossed", 6d Deep Blue,** unwatermarked, no gum, large to huge margins, bright and fresh, **Extremely Fine and choice.** Scott No. 2.
SG No. **3** £550 ($670)

112 * **Gambia, 1874, Queen Victoria "Embossed", 6d Deep Blue,** Crown CC watermark inverted, o.g., ample to large margin, distinctive deep color, **fresh and Very Fine.** Scott No. 4a var.
SG No. **7w** £750 ($910)



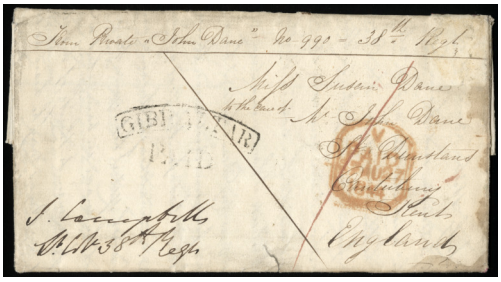
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Gibraltar

113 ✉ **1795 Gibraltar to Stockton, England,** datelined folded letter endorsed "Via Corunna" at bottom left, rated 8 crossed out and rerated "2/-", red "Andalucia, Vaxa" two-line handstamp and reverse with London transit cds, **Very Fine,** *ex-G. Osborn.*
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

France has declared war on Great Britain and Spain in early 1793 and the English overland Mails were rerouted through Corunna for the Falmouth Packets.

114 ✉ **1807 Gibraltar to Somerset, England,** datelined letter rated "3/-" and showing a good strike of the curved framed "Gibraltar" handstamp in a mixture of red and black, **F.-V.F. and most unusual,** *ex-G. Osborn.*
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

About July 1807, the Packet Agent in Gibraltar, Mr. Hardcastle, acquired a red ink pad and switched to this from the black pad for stamping all mail, whether paid or unpaid. Evidently the stamp was not changed and the existing instrument was used uncleaned, with distinct traces of black showing.

115 ✉ **1807 Gibraltar to Somerset, England,** datelined letter rated "2/6" and showing a choice strike of the curved framed "Gibraltar" handstamp in red, **Very Fine and choice,** *ex-G. Osborn.*
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

116 ✉ **1833 Gibraltar to London, England,** datelined mourning band folded letter from the Hoste correspondence, rated "2/10" and showing clear strike of curved framed "Gibraltar" handstamp, couple disinfection slits and detained in quarantine at Motherbank (Portsmouth), "FPO, Oc 25, 1833" transit backstamp, letter with content regarding the recent death of the King of Spain, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

117 ✉ **1838-40 Gibraltar Folded Letters,** 3 items each with curved framed "Gibraltar" handstamp; 1838 to London with "5/-" rating, 1838 folded letter sheet (missing a sideflap) to Malta with "2/-" rating, and 1840 folded letter to Dundee, N.B. (New Britain) with "1/-" rating and interesting content including"…*Prince Edward arrived yesterday morning and there was a terrible flare of course, fellows in cocked hats and big feathers tearing about in all directions, guns firing, guards of honour and all the rest of it.*", **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

118 ✉ **1844 Gibraltar to Canterbury, England,** datelined letter with "**From Private John Dane, No. 990, 38th Regt.**" soldier endorsement at top and countersigned by commanding officer at bottom left, with magenta "1" rating and second type curved "Gibraltar, Paid" handstamp, London tombstone date stamp and arrival cds in reverse; some edge staining at right and small tear at bottom, **F.-V.F.,** *ex-G. Glassco, G. Osborn & G. Sattin*.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

Letter from Private Dane, who was in a hospital feigning sickness and which gives details of garrison routine and reference to the Franco-Moroccan War, which ended shortly after the letter was written.

119 ✉ **1846 Gibraltar to Oporto, Spain,** datelined folded letter with curved framed "Gibraltar" handstamp, blue boxed "P. Brit" handstamp and matching "300" rate handstamp, manuscript "70" additional rate totaling "370" below handstamp, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

120 ✉ **1848 London State Department Cover to Gibraltar,** legal size cover with Department of State imprint addressed to "Horatio J. Sprague, U.S. Consul, Gibraltar", manuscript "4/-" rating and London despatch date stamp (7.6), reverse with manuscript "forwarded by John Miller, U.S. Despatch Agent in London"; slight edge soiling and small tear at top, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

121 ✉ **1857 Gibraltar to London, England,** folded letter sheet with "pr Arno" ship endorsement franked with **G.B. 1857, 6d lilac** (S.G. 68) tied by choice strike of "G" barred oval handstamp, blue "Gibraltar, Ship Letter, 29 Dec 1859" date stamp and red "Paid Liverpool Ship" tombstone transit date stamp, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

122 ✉ **1869-99 Gibraltar Covers,** four covers; 1869 mourning cover to Exeter franked with G.B. 2d blue + 4d vermilion both canceled "A26" and with dispatch date stamp below, 1869 cover to Glasgow franked with G.B. 1sh (plate 4) similarly canceled and with dispatch date stamp alongside, 1884 cover to Gand, Belgium franked with G.B. 2½d lilac tied by vertical duplex, and 1899 cover to New Hampshire franked with 2½d blue tied by vertical duplex date stamp, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

123 ✉ **1939-45 WWII Censor Covers,** four covers; with 1939 cover to U.S. with very rare "Gibraltar, Postal Censor" red on white tape (T1A, used for only two months and possibly EKU), 1940 use to England with purple triangle "Passed Censor 17, Gib" handstamp, 1942 to Scotland with crowned "Passed By Censor, No. 3947" handstamp in violet, and 1945 from a Royal Navy ship to England with "Opened By, Examiner A, 6055" tape (type 5), **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200



124 * **1889, Queen Victoria (10c) Carmine, Value Omitted,** o.g., small tone spot on gum not mentioned on certificate, nicely centered, rich vivid color, **Very Fine,** a rare and key QV issue of which only a handful of examples are known; with 1981 B.P.A. certificate. Scott No. 30a.
SG No. **23b** £7,000 ($8,500)

A VERY RARE EXAMPLE OF THE 1889 10C QUEEN VICTORIA ISSUE WITH VALUE OMITTED.

125 ▲ **Gilbert & Ellice Islands, 1924, King George V, 10s Green & Red on Emerald, Die II,** tied on piece by neat town cancel, bold colors and nicely centered, **Very Fine and attractive.** Scott No. 31.
SG No. **35** £400 ($490)

Ionian Islands

126 ✉ **1843-45 Zante & Corfu Covers,** fancy scroll over oval date stamps on two covers; 1843 Zante to Corfu with origin and receiving postmark on reverse, manuscript "4" rating, and 1845 Corfu large type oval date stamp (Vlastos type 10) on folded letter sheet to Patrapo with "30" rate and partial receiving backstamp, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200



127 ✉ **1845 Soldier's Letter - Corfu to Nottingham, England,** fresh folded letter sheet with "**From No. 1017 John McKay Corporal 19 Regiment**" endorsement at top, bold "Corfu, Nov 23, 45" origin cds and manuscript "1" rating, red London entry cds and arrival date stamp on reverse, **Very Fine and choice,** *ex-J. Firebrace & G. Sattin*.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

The 19th Regiment proceeded aboard the troop ship Resistence to Corfu in January 1843. The regiment stayed for three year and left for the West Indies in December 1845 shortly after this letter was posted.

128 ✉ **1847 (June 7) Zante to Venice, Italy,** folded letter with blue fancy scroll Zante date stamp (Vlastos type 20) and matching boxed "Franca" handstamp, endorsed "via Trieste Col Vapore Austriaco" at bottom left, with manuscript "3" and "6" ratings, red "D" handstamp and reverse with "Venezia, 15 Giu" arrival postmark, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150



129 ✉ **1847 Zante to Cephalonia,** folded letter with clear bold strike of **"Paid At Zante" Crown Circle handstamp** with matching "Zante, Ottobre 13" fancy scroll date stamp, manuscript "2" rating, **Very Fine and choice.**
SG No. **CC4**; £1,400 ($1,700) . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750



130 ✉ **1848 Corfu to Patras, Greece,** folded letter with clear strike of **"Paid At Corfu" Crown Circle handstamp** with matching "Corfu, Set 22" cds, various manuscript ratings and reverse with partial receiving postmark and blue company oval handstamp, **Very Fine.**
SG No. **CC2**; £650 ($790) . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



131 ✉ **1849 Zante to Athens, Greece,** folded letter sheet with clear sharp strike of **"Paid At Zante" Crown Circle handstamp** with matching "Zante, 17 Aprile, 1849" fancy scroll date stamp, manuscript "pr Packet" with "3" and "5" ratings, **Very Fine.**
SG No. **CC4**; £1,400 ($1,700) . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600



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132 ✉ **1852-61 Corfu & Cephalonia Covers,** includes 1852 (Jun 26) commercial folded letter to Trieste with Corfu cds (Vlastos type 11) and "Franca" in oval handstamp, red arrival on reverse, and 1861 (Feb 20) folded letter to Firenze with blue Cefalonia scroll date stamp (type 37) and matching boxed "Franca" handstamp, various transit and arrival backstamps, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200



133 ✉ **1859, Queen Victoria (½d) Orange,** in combination with **1859, Queen Victoria (1d) blue** (2) on 1859 folded letter sheet to Zante, tied together by two strikes of blue oval "Franca" handstamp, matching "Corfu, Ott 15" origin cds at left; cover staining, edge flaws and partial top flap, **Fine appearance,** still a very rare combination franking from Corfu. Scott No. 1.
SG No. **1**. . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000



134 ✉ **1859, Queen Victoria (1d) Blue,** ample margins and deep color, tied by blue Cephalonia fancy scroll date stamp on 1859 folded letter sheet to Patras, Greece, matching boxed "Franca" handstamp, arrival date stamp on reverse; cover missing sideflap and partial flap at top with some small repair flaws at top center, **F.-V.F.**; with 2005 Brandon certificate. Scott No. 2.
SG No. **2**. . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000



135 ✉ **1859, Queen Victoria (1d) Blue,** clear to large margins, manuscript canceled on folded letter sheet to to Patras, Greece, blue "Cephalonia, August 3, 1859" fancy scroll date stamp with matching boxed "Franca" handstamp at right, arrival date stamp on reverse; part of address crossed through, **Fine.** Scott No. 2.
SG No. **2**. . . . . Estimate $500 - 750



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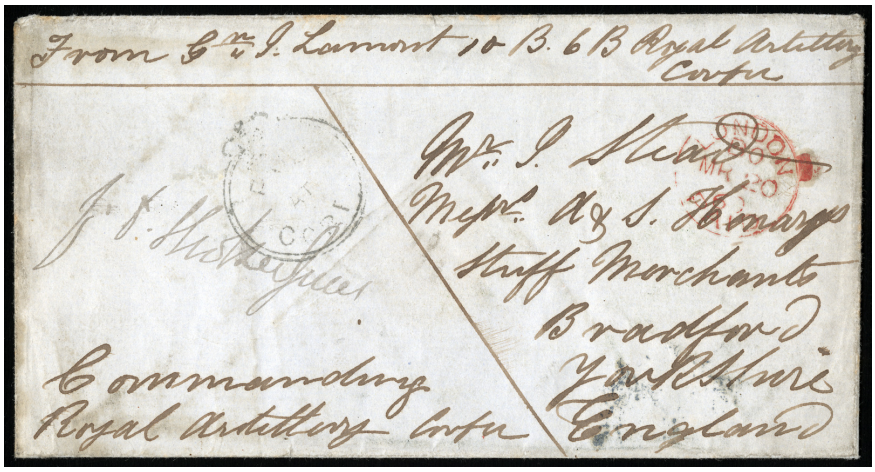
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136 ✉ **1860 Soldier's Letter - Corfu to Bradford, England,** folded letter sheet from "**Gn. J. Lamont 10 B. 68. Royal Artillery, Corfu**", showing light strike of **"Paid At Corfu" Crown Circle handstamp** and red London entry cds (20.3), arrival backstamp, **F.-V.F.,** a rare concessionary rate cover with the Crowned Circle, *ex-G. Sattin*. SG No. CC2.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

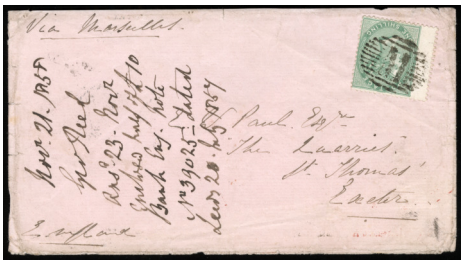
The seven Ionian Islands were handed over to Great Britain at the termination of the Napoleonic War by the 1815 Treaty of Paris. They were ceded to Greece in 1864. The 6th brigade, Royal Artillery garrisoned the Islands from 1859 to 1861. The 10th Battalion with Gunner J. Lamont reached Corfu, the seat of the British Government on June 1st, 1859.

This letter bearing the Crown Circle handstamp used to indicate pre-payment of the 1d for a Soldier's Letter is exceptional. To qualify for the privilege the letter was endorsed by Brevet-Major J.D. Shakepjear and was carried by a P&O Branch Mail Packet, under British contract, to Malta where it met a Packet to England. This service ceased in July of 1860.

137 ** **Ireland, 1935, Free State Overprint on King George V Re-Engraved "Seahorse", 10s Indigo,** o.g., never hinged, rich intense color and exceptional freshness, **Very Fine and choice.** Scott No. 95 $1,100.
SG No. **101**. . . . . £450 for hinged ($550)

Malta

138 ✉ **1704 Mersine, Turkey Incoming Disinfection Cover to Malta,** folded letter (Aug 28) with vinegar splashing & fumigation at the Malta Lazaretto (prior to 1816 no disinfection seals or handstamp were used at Malta), **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200



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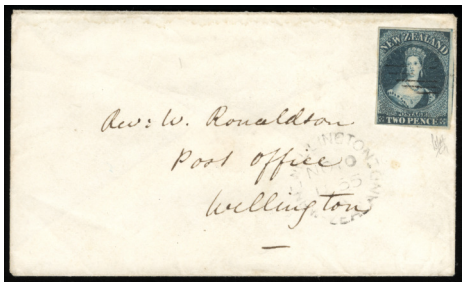
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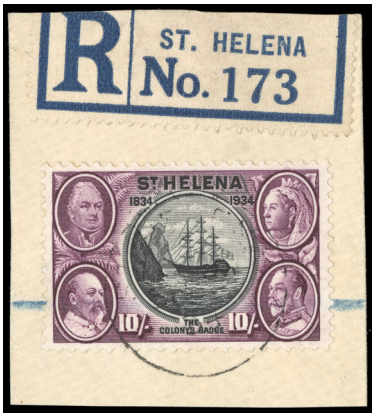
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139 ✉ **1810 Malta to London, England,** folded letter with red curved framed "Malta" handstamp (MSF-1bR) and manuscript 9/- rating, reverse with "Foreign, Ap 17, 1810" arrival cds, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

140 ✉ **1835 Malta Disinfected Transit Letter to Scotland,** folded letter **written at Thebes, Egypt** and sent to Nunran, Scotland, carried privately to Malta where it spent several weeks in quarantine (cholera) at the lazaretto on Manoel Island, opened, fumigated and resealed with part of "Opened and Resealed, Lazzaretto of Malta" red wax seal on reverse (type LAZ-S4), curved framed "Malta" handstamp and boxed "1/2" rate, with additional manuscript 3/5 rating, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

141 ✉ **1835 Austrian Consul in Malta to Italy,** folded letter to the Austrian Consul General in Livorno, reverse with superb intact Consul wafer seal, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

142 ✉ **1843-57 Incoming Covers to Malta,** 3 folded letters; 1841 Alexandria, Egypt to Malta with disinfection slits and French Post office despatch date stamp and circular "Purifie Au Lazaret, Malte" handstamp, reverse with boxed "2 Mar 1d" handstamp, 1854 from Manchester, England endorsed "pr French packet via Marseilles" and "1/4" rating, and 1857 letter sheet from Frankfort, Germany to Oldenburg Consul at Malta, with British P.O. arrival backstamp, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

143 ✉ **1858 Malta to Exeter, England,** cover with "via Marseilles" endorsement, franked with **G.B. 1sh green, wing margin single** canceled by barred oval "M" handstamp, reverse with red "Malta, No 13, 1858" origin cds, London entry and arrival postmarks on reverse; cover docketing and missing backflap, **F.-V.F.,** a rare double rate usage, *ex-"Francisco".*
SG No. **Z22** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

144 ✉ **Mauritius, 1863, Queen Victoria, 4d Rose, Vertical Strip of Three and Single,** Crown CC watermark, all tied by barred "B53" oval handstamps on 1872 folded letter to **Pondichery, India**, reverse with blue "Mauritius, Jy 10, 72" origin cds, "Pondichery, Au 5, 73" receiving cds with matching "Ship Letter" in oval handstamp; minor cover age spots and nick at bottom in bottom stamp in stripe, **otherwise Very Fine.** Scott No. 35.
SG No. **62** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

145 */o **Montserrat, 1903, King Edward VII, 5s Black & Scarlet,** Crown CA watermark, mint and used examples, mint o.g. and used with face free town cancel, strong bright colors, **Very Fine.** Scott No. 21.
SG No. **23** £750 ($910)

146 S **Natal, 1902, King Edward VII, £20 Red & Green, Overprinted "Specimen",** Crown CC watermark, o.g., strong colors, small central surface scuff, **otherwise Very Fine.** Scott No. 100 var.
SG No. **145bs** £700 ($850)

147 **❒ **Nauru, 1916, King George V "Seahorse", 2s6d Brown, De La Rue Printing,** left margin block of 4, o.g., never hinged, strong bright color, choice centering and exceptional freshness, **Very Fine and choice.** Scott No. 13.
SG No. **21** . . . . . £320 for hinged singles ($390)

148 ✉ **Nauru, 1916, King George V "Seahorse", 2s6d Brown, De La Rue Printing,** in combination with **1916, King George V "Seahorse", 5s bright carmine, De La Rue printing** (22) on registered cover to London, England, tied by "P.O. Pleasant Island, Nauru, Fe 18, 19" cds's with purple registry etiquette and "Censor" handstamps, transit and receiving backstamps, **Very Fine.** Scott No. 13.
SG No. **21** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

149 * **Nauru, 1916, King George V "Seahorse", 10s Pale Blue, De La Rue Printing,** o.g., lightly hinged, bold color and wide margins, **Very Fine and choice.** Scott No. 15.
SG No. **23** £275 ($330)

150 o **Nauru, 1916, King George V "Seahorse", 10s Pale Blue, De La Rue Printing,** light barred cancel, brilliant color and choice centering, **Extremely Fine,** a difficult used stamp this choice. Scott No. 15.
SG No. **23** £400 ($490)

151 o **New Britain, 1915, G.R.I. 3d on Rabaul Registration Label,** light purple Rabaul registry oval date stamp cancels, **Very Fine.** Scott No. 43.
SG No. **33** £325 ($400)

152 ✉ **New Zealand, 1855, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Dull Blue on Blued Paper,** London printing, Large Star watermark, ample to large margins showing portion of adjacent stamp at right, deep intense color, tied by light barred oval handstamp on cover to Wellington, receiving cds alongside and reverse with "Petre, No 8, 1855" origin cds, **Very Fine and choice**; with 1987 Holcombe certificate. Scott No. 2.
SG No. **2** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

153 ✉ **New Zealand, Airmail, 1934, 7d Trans-Tasman Flight,** two blocks; with block of four on Trans-Tasman airmail flight Auckland to Melbourne, and mint block of 6 never hinged, **Very Fine.** Scott No. C5.
SG No. **554** . . . . . Estimate $100 - 150

154 * **Niue, 1902, 1d Carmine, Bluish Green Overprint,** o.g., fresh with rich deep color, **Very Fine**; with 1996 B.P.A. certificate. Scott No. 1.
SG No. **1** £350 ($420)

155 o **Niue, 1902, 1d Carmine, Green Overprint,** violet **"Niue, 4 Jan, 1902" First Day of Issue town** cancel, wide margins, **Very Fine**; with 1974 A.P.S. certificate. Scott No. 1.
SG No. **1** £325 ($400)

156 * **Nyasaland, 1908, King Edward VII, 3d Purple on Yellow, Watermark Inverted,** o.g., lightly hinged, fresh and well centered, **Very Fine.** Scott No. 4 var.
SG No. **75w** £400 ($490)



157 * **Rhodesia, 1892, Arms, £5 Sage Green,** o.g., small hinge remnant, well centered amid nicely balanced margins, bright and fresh, **Very Fine,** a choice first issue high value; signed Bloch, with 1979 Friedl certificate. Scott No. 18.
SG No. **12** £1,600 ($1,940)

158 o **Rhodesia, 1913, King George V "Admiral", 2d Gray Black & Slate Lilac, Head Die III, Perf 14,** bold Salisbury town cancel, strong colors, **F.-V.F.** Scott No. 122a var.
SG No. **255g** £450 ($550)



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159 (*) **St. Helena, 1856, Queen Victoria, 6d Blue, Imperf,** watermarked Large Star, left margin single, no gum, ample to large margins, bold color, **Very Fine and choice.** Scott No. 1.
SG No. **1** £550 ($670)

160 ▲ **St. Helena, 1934, Centenary, 2s6d-10sh High Value Issues,** each tied on piece by light town cancel, rich colors, **Very Fine.** Scott No. 108-110.
SG No. **121/123** £530 ($640)

161 * **St. Kitts-Nevis, 1922, King George V, £1 Purple & Black on Red,** o.g., small hinge remnant, choice centering amid well balanced margins, very fresh, **Very Fine and choice.** Scott No. 36.
SG No. **36** £300 ($360)



162 * **St. Kitts-Nevis, 1923, £1 Tercentenary of the Colony,** o.g., lightly hinged, beautifully centered, fresh and bright and rich bold colors, **Extremely Fine,** choice so nice. Scott No. 64.
SG No. **60** £800 ($970)

163 * **St. Lucia, 1860, Queen Victoria (4d) Blue, Perf 14-16,** Small Star watermark, o.g., deep intense color, wide margins and choice centering especially for this tight margin issue, **Extremely Fine,** a choice mint gem. Scott No. 2.
SG No. **2** £225 ($270)

164 **/* **St. Vincent, 1862, Queen Victoria, 6d Deep Green, Rough Perf 14-16,** unwatermarked, showing **double perfs at bottom**, horizontal strip of 4, o.g., left stamp never hinged, fresh with rich color, wide margins for this tight margin issue, second stamp with vertical gum wrinkle, **Very Fine.** Scott No. 3.
SG No. **4** . . . . . £260 for hinged singles ($320)



165 o **St. Vincent, 1880, Seal of the Colony, 5s Rose Red, Perf 11-12½,** Small Star watermark, barred corner cancel, bold color and well centered, **Very Fine and attractive.** Scott No. 29.
SG No. **32** £1,750 ($2,120)

166 o **Seychelles, Mauritius, 1859, "Britannia", 6d Blue,** light discernible **barred "B64" oval** cancel, clear to large margins, rich bold color, **Very Fine,** a very scarce Mauritius issue used in the Seychelles.
SG No. **Z2** £950 ($1,150)

167 * **Sierra Leone, 1963, 11sh on £1 Black & Orange,** o.g., lightly hinged, bright and fresh, **Very Fine**; signed Bloch. Scott No. C7.
SG No. **269** £850 ($1,030)

168 ▲ **Sierra Leone, 1963, 11sh on £1 Black & Orange,** tied on piece by registry oval corner cancel, wide margins, **Very Fine,** scarce with only 540 issued. Scott No. C7.
SG No. **269** £250 ($300)

169 ✉ **South Africa, 1900 Stellenbosch to Gibraltar,** soldier's cover endorsed "**From J. Bridmann 20th Regt., Field Force, South Africa**" and marked "Active Service, No Stamps Procurable" at bottom left, "Stellenbosch, Ja 17" origin cds and red London transit cds with "T" and "1d" rate handstamps applied upon arrival, Cape Town transit cds on reverse; minor edge flaws, **still Very Fine,** a rare destination for mail from the Boer War.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200



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170 **/* **South West Africa, 1923, Setting I Overprints on South Africa KGV, ½d-£1 Complete Pairs,** set of 12, low values n.h., 6p, 1/- l.h., 10/-, £1 o.g., also includes single for SG3a (from pair cat. £700), o.g., some never hinged, nice colors throughout, **F.-V.F.** Scott No. 1-12 $2,747+.
SG No. **1/12** . . . . . £2,500+ ($3,040)

Tobago

171 * **1879, Queen Victoria, 1d Rose & 3d Blue,** Crown CC watermark, o.g., both fresh with bright colors, **Very Fine.** Scott No. 1-2.
SG No. **1-2** £310 ($380)

172 * **1879, Queen Victoria, 1d-5sh First Issues Complete,** Crown CC watermark, o.g. to part o.g., fresh, **F.-V.F.** Scott No. 1-5 $1,707.
SG No. **1/5** £1,860 ($2,260)

173 * **1879, Queen Victoria, 5s Slate,** Crown CC watermark, o.g., beautifully centered with full long perforations all around, fresh with rich color, **Extremely Fine,** rarely encountered so choice; signed Bloch. Scott No. 5.
SG No. **5** £950 ($1,150)

174 o **1879, Queen Victoria, 5s Slate,** Crown CC watermark, neat barred "A14" oval cancel, well centered and bold color, **Very Fine and choice.** Scott No. 5.
SG No. **5** £850 ($1,030)

175 * **1880, Queen Victoria, 4d Yellow Green,** Crown CC watermark, o.g., lightly hinged, wide margins and choice centering, brilliant color, **Very Fine and choice.** Scott No. 10.
SG No. **10** £325 ($400)

176 *❒ **Trinidad, 1851, Britannia (1d) Purple Brown, Blue & Gray Issues,** marginal blocks of 4, o.g., strong to rich colors, **all Very Fine.** Scott No. 2-4.
SG No. **2//4** £528 ($640)

177 ✉ **Trinidad, 1882, Surcharged "Britannia", 1d Rosy Carmine, Bisected, Two Left Halves,** in combination with 1882, Manuscript Surcharge on "Britannia", 1d on 6d deep yellow green, surcharge in red, bisected, left and right halves (105a) on cover to Port of Spain, all tied by "Trinidad, Sp 21, 1882" cds's, **Very Fine,** an interesting use during the 1882 stamp shortage. Scott No. 64a.
SG No. **101a** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

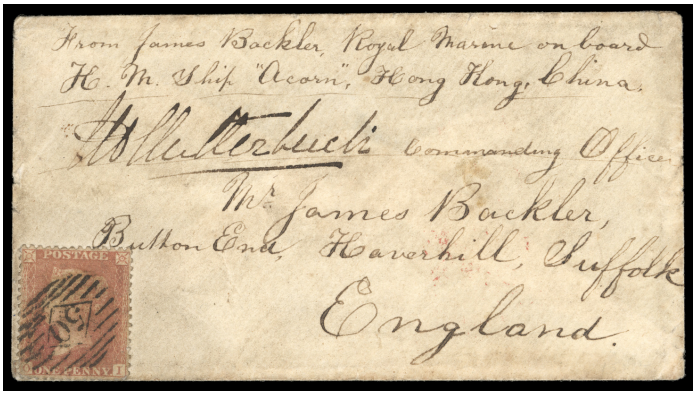
178 ** **Virgin Islands, 1879, Queen Victoria, 2½d Red Brown,** corner margin pair with plate "1" imprint, o.g., never hinged (hinged in selvage only), beautifully centered, strong bright color, **Extremely Fine,** a choice position pair. Scott No. 11.
SG No. **25** . . . . . £240 for hinged ($290)

British Asia

Hong Kong



179 ✉ **Bush Halstead & Co., Hong Kong (Forwarded By),** red oval handstamp on reverse of 1844 folded letter to Boston, Mass. in care of Harnden & Co. in Liverpool, with "Hong Kong, Au 26, 1844" cds alongside, front with manuscript "58" and "1/-" ratings and circular "Harnden & Co., of Liverpool, Have Paid Postage…To Be Collected 2/-, Harnden & Co. of U.S." express handstamp; small backflap tear affecting forwarder handstamp, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000



180 ✉ **1857 Hong Kong to Haverhill, England,** cover endorsed "**From James Backler, Royal Marine on board H.M. Ship "Acorn", Hong Kong, China**" and countersigned "Lt. C.H. Cutterbuck, Commanding Officer", franked with **G.B. 1855, 1d red brown** (12) tied by barred "50" oval handstamp, reverse with red London entry and Newmarket transit cds's; cover soiling, **Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

181 ✉ **F.S. Bortadaile & Co., Hong Kong 26/4 1858 (Forwarded By),** large red boxed handstamp on reverse of incoming cover to Shanghai, franked with **G.B. 1857 2d blue + 1855 4d rose** tied by "Stourbridge, Au 3, 58" cds and barred "750" oval duplexes, reverse with red "London, Au 4, 58" transit and "Hong Kong, 19 Se, 1858" date stamps, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600



182 ✉ **1869 (Dec. 8) Cannonville, N.Y. to Singapore, East Indies,** cover franked with **1861, 10¢ green, F. grill** (96) canceled by target handstamp with matching "Cannonville, N.Y., Dec 8" origin cds below, addressed "Mr. Robert McLellan Belfrage, American Ship Castine, Care of American Consul, Singapore, India", red "New York, Dec 24" exchange office cds and red "Singapore, Paid, Fe 2, 70" receiving cds; stamp with nibbed perf and cover with some edge soiling, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

ONE OF TWO REPORTED COVERS CARRIED ON THE EXTENDED MAIL ROUTE AND THE ONLY EXAMPLE TO SINGAPORE, EAST INDIES.

A postal treaty between the United States and Great Britain governing mails to be carried beyond Hong Kong to the Strait Settlements or British East Indies was signed on July 28, 1868 (effective November 1, 1868). This treaty did not alter the terms of the treaty with Hong Kong, but not allowed for additional mails made up for further British Colonies to be carried by the Pacific Mail Steamship Company.

This cover arrived in San Francisco on January 1st, 1870 and placed aboard the P.M.S.S. steamer "China" via Yokohama and Hong Kong.

183 ✉ **1872 (Apr. 20) S.S. Rising Star to Providence, R.I.,** cover and lengthy 11 page enclosure datelined "**Rising Star Apr 20/72, In Lat 23° 37' Long 74° 21'**", cover franked with **Jamaica 1870, 1d blue, horizontal pair + 3d green** (7+9) tied by barred oval handstamps, reverse with "Kingston, Jamaica, Ap 22, 72" cds and St. Thomas transit date stamp, "New York, 10, May 17" integral due cds; cover and stamp flaws, **Fine,** an interesting usage originating on the Pacific Mail Steamship Co. Atlantic line steamer *Rising Star*.
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

184 ✉ **South Africa, Field P.O., British Army S. Africa, Ju 30, 00,** three strikes tying **G.B. 1881, Queen Victoria, 1d lilac, Die II (16 dots), horizontal pair** on 1d rose entire to **Hong Kong, China**, reverse with "Durban, Natal, 10 Jy, 1900" transit and "Hong Kong, Au 22, 00" receiving cds's; most of backflap missing and sealed tear at right, **F.-V.F.** SG No. 172.
Scott No. **89** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200





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185 ✉ **1880, Queen Victoria, 2¢ Dull Rose, Two Singles,** Crown CC watermark, tied by barred "B62" oval handstamps on cover to **Dalry, Scotland**, endorsed "**From Pte Thomas Shedden, R. Marines, H.M. Ship Darling, Hong Kong, China**" and countersigned "Francis J.J. Elliott, Commanding Officer", "Hong Kong, My 22, 84" origin cds and reverse with "Dalry, Ju 30, 84" receiving cds; right stamp with slight corner crease and small cover opening tears at top, **F.-V.F.** Scott No. 9. Yang No. 28.
SG No. **28** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

186 o **1880, Queen Victoria, 5¢ Blue,** Crown CC watermark, light barred "B62" cancel and large part **"Windsor & Redlich Co. Ltd., Bangkok, Siam" oval cachet** handstamp, **F.-V.F. and rare.** Scott No. 11. Yang No. 29.
SG No. **29** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

187 ✉ **1882, Queen Victoria, 5¢ Pale Blue, Horizontal Pair,** Crown CA watermark, tied by "Canton, Au 30" cds's on red band cover to Bethlehem, Pa., with "**A. Howpeh, South China (Macao)**" return address, reverse with "Hong Kong, Sp 1, 97" transit and receiving (11.27) cds's, **Very Fine,** *ex-Dyer*. Scott No. 40. Yang No. 34.
SG No. **35** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

188 * **1885, Queen Victoria, $1 on 96¢ Gray Olive,** Crown CA watermark, o.g., rich color, bright and fresh, **F.-V.F.** SG No. 42. Yang No. 39.
Scott No. **55** $950



189 (✉) **Postal-Fiscal, 1890, $2 Dull Bluish Green, Perf 14,** in combination with **Postal-Fiscal, 1874, $3 dull violet, perf 15½x15 + 1891, 50¢ on 48¢ dull purple + 1898, $1 on 96¢ black, with Chinese surcharge** (27+54+70) on large thin card front addressed to "**Her Britannic Majesty Consulate, Nagasaki**" with "per *Rosetta*" ship endorsement, all tied by "Hong Kong, Oc 13, 98" cds's and circular grid handstamps; some wear and soiling around edges with tear at right, **Very Fine,** a remarkable high franking usage. SG No. F4. Yang No. F5.
Scott No. **57** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000



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190 ✉ **India Soldier, Liverpool, 3,** large circular rate handstamp on 1834 soldier's folded letter to Lancaster, England and endorsed "**From Gunner W. Braithwaite, 2nd Troop 2nd Brigade Bengal Horse Artillery**" at Cawnpore and countersigned by commanding officer at lower left, reverse with bold boxed "Calcutta, G.P.O., Ship Letter, 17 Oc, 1834" transit date stamp, with lengthy letter datelined 7th October, 1834 with interesting content including…*There is "wars and rumours of wars" here, Theresienstadt is an army on the march now under the command of general Stevenson, against Moon Sing, Raja of Jowdpore* with details regarding troop movements; some light toning and soiling, **F.-V.F.,** a choice strike of this rare Liverpool handstamp.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

191 ✉ **India, 1845 & 1848 Soldier's Letters to England,** first from Loodiana to Ledbury with contents seeking assistance from a lawyer regarding money owned, second from Trichinopoly to London, both countersigned by the Commanding Officers and showing 2 handstamp on front; some edge wear and later with staining at left, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

192 ✉ **India, 1854, Queen Victoria Lithographed, 2a Green, Vertical Strip of Four and Single,** in combination with **1854, Queen Victoria Lithographed, ½a blue, die I** (2) on 1855 cover to "Edinburgh, Scotland" with "via Bombay & Southampton" routing endorsement, all tied by dotted diamond handstamps, red boxed "India Paid" handstamp and red "Paid, 11 Fe, 1855" tombstone entry date stamp; cover missing backflap and light cover wear, **F.-V.F.** SG No. 31.
Scott No. **5** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

193 ✉ **India, 1900 Wei Hai Wei, China to Bellary, India,** 1a green entire endorsed "From Naske Chemgomah, Section A., B. No. 25, British General Hospital, China Expeditionary Force, Wei Hai Wei" on reverse, canceled by "F.P.O. No. 13, 28 Oc, 00" field P.O. cds, reverse with "Base Office, 3 No", "Tuticorin, No 18" transit and Bellary receiving cds's; reduced at left, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

194 o **Labuan, 1880-82, Queen Victoria, 6¢-16¢ Issues,** various cancels, 8¢ and 12¢ (small split at top) a little soiled, **otherwise Fine.** Scott No. 6-10.
SG No. **6-10** £960 ($1,160)



195 o **Labuan, 1891, Queen Victoria, 6¢ on 16¢ Blue,** light Labuan town cancel (Proud D5), bold color, handstamp on reverse barely visible at bottom, **F.-V.F.,** a very scarce surcharge issue, *ex-"Nashville"*; with 2017 B.P.A. certificate. Scott No. 31.
SG No. **37** £2,500 ($3,040)

196 o **Labuan, 1901, 25¢ Indigo, Local Overprint,** neat barred oval corner cancel, rich color, **F.-V.F.,** quite scarce, *ex-"Nashville"*; signed Bloch. Scott No. 118.
SG No. **128** £900 ($1,090)

197 o **Labuan, 1901, 2¢-24¢ Views Complete,** set of nine with neat bar oval cancels, with additional 3¢ pair with central 1901 Labuan town cancel, **Very Fine.** Scott No. J1-J9.
SG No. **D1-D9** £274 ($330)

198 ✉ **Kedah, 1942, 4¢ Violet, "Dai Nippon 2602" Overprint, Vertical Pair,** on reverse of cover from Pedang Serai to Kuala Lumpur tied by type JD2 (worn state) date stamp and Alor Star date stamp alongside, front with red boxed censor chop; light cover fold well away from stamps, **Very Fine,** very scarce. Scott No. N3.
SG No. **J3** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

199 o **Malacca, 1942, 1¢-3¢ & 8¢ State Seal Issue,** 1¢-3¢ in blocks of four (former with top margin) with full seal overprint and central town cancels, and 8¢ single with town cancel, 1¢ with sensible reinforcing, **Very Fine,** scarce multiples.
SG No. **J45-J47, J49** £1,440 ($1,750)



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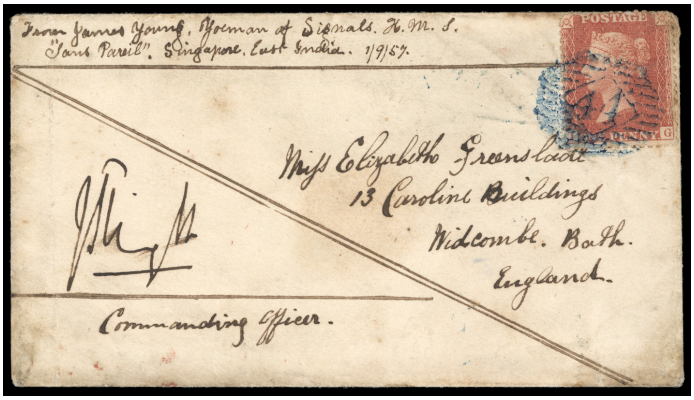
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200 ✉ **Singapore, 1857 Singapore, East India to Bath, England,** cover endorsed "**From James Young, Yeoman of Signals H.M.S. Sans Pareil, Singapore, East India. 1/9/57**" and countersigned "J. Slight, Commanding Officer", franked with **G.B. 1855, 1¢ red brown** (12) tied by blue barred "44" oval handstamp upon arrival, reverse with matching "Bath, No 14, 1857" and red entry cds; slight cover soiling and minor stamp perf flaws, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

Asia

201 */o/✉ **Afghanistan, 1871-74 Tiger Head Issue Group,** of five issues; includes 1871 1ab (Scott 4) x2 used, one with blue cancel and other with clipped side and cut-to-shape, 1sh (5) clipped and tied by red cancel on cover, 1ab (7) with red cancel and clipped, and 1874 1rup (14) unused, **Fine or better.**
Scott No. **4//14**; $693 . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

China and Area



202 * **1882, Large Dragon (Wide Margins), 5ca Yellow Ocher, Thin Paper,** full o.g., choice centering amid well balanced margins, strong yellow ocher color, **Very Fine and choice,** a classic China rarity.
Scott No. **6** $20,000

A VERY RARE MINT ORIGINAL GUM EXAMPLE OF THE 1882 5CA LARGE DRAGON WIDE MARGIN ISSUE.

203 o **1883, Large Dragon on Thick Paper, 3ca Vermilion, Rough Perf 12½, Semicircle to Left of "Candarins",** blue seal cancels, bright color and nicely centered, **Very Fine,** a handsome example of this scarce variety. Chan No. 11f.
Scott No. **8 var.** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

204 ✉ **1892 Shanghai, China to Berlin, Germany,** Japan 1879, 2s olive green, postal card with "Shanghai, 2 Aug, 1892" dateline on reverse, under paying 3s rate with triangle "NA, Ship" and "NA, T" in circle handstamp and pencil "5ctms" due above, canceled by "Nagasaki, Japan, 4 VIII, 1892" cds with "Yokohama, 7 VIII, 1892" cds below, purple straight line "Via Vancouver" routing handstamp, red London transit backstamp and receiving postmark on face, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

205 ✉ **(Great Britain) 1900 London to South Africa, India and C.E.F. in China,** cover franked with **G.B. 1881, Queen Victoria, 1d lilac, Die I (14 dots)** tied by "London, Fe 7, 00" duplex, addressed to "**Capt C. Davis of the Bengal Lancers South Africa**" forwarded several times within **Orange River**, then sent to **Lucknow, India** and finally forwarded to the "**British Contingent China Field Force via Hong Kong**" where it received two different "Base Office" and "F.P.O." postmarks (number not clear) and the rare boxed "Non-Reclame/Unclaimed" handstamp (Proud I41) of Hong Kong, numerous transit backstamps; cover very worn and well traveled, **Fine.** SG No. 170.
Scott No. **88** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

206 ✉ **(United States) 1903, 5¢ Blue, Horizontal Pair,** tied by "Seattle, Wash., Jan 25, 1904" machine postmark on import/export company corner card cover to Port Arthur, China with "via Trans-Siberian Route" endorsement at top, **returned during a suspension of the mails due to the Russo-Japanese War**, with hand written label "**No route for transmission and return to sender, Yokohama P.O.**" and postmarked "Yokohama, Japan, Feb 28, 04", **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **304** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

207 * **Railway, 1909, 10c, 20c & 40c Pekin to Hankow Issues,** o.g., strong colors, **fresh and Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

208 * **1915, First Peking Printing, $10 Yellow Green & Blue,** part o.g., pulled perf at top, **Fine.**
Scott No. **237** $350

209 */o/✉ **China Area Balance,** of 11 postal history items and a selection of stamps including Germany, German Offices, China and nice run of Mongolia issues; postal history with U.S. related including stampless 1853 Canton to New York and 1906 2¢ postal card to Foochow, China with 1921 Yunnan franked cover to England, handcarried Tientsin-Pukow Line imprint cover, wrapper with French Offices in China 5c issue and China 1ca+3ca Small Dragon issues combination, etc. (See website for photos).
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000



210 ** **1912, Nanking "Provisional Neutrality" Overprint, $2 Carmine & Yellow,** bottom margin single, o.g., never hinged, rich colors and very fresh, **F.-V.F.,** a very scarce Nangking high value issue, rare in never hinged condition; signed Bloch.
Scott No. **144** . . . . . $7,500 for hinged

211 * **1912, Republic Commemorative, $5 Slate,** o.g., hinge remnant, bold color and nicely centered, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **201** $725

212 ✉ **1932, Martyr, Peking Printing, 20¢ Brown Red,** in combination with **1939, Dr. Sun Yat-sen, Chung Hwa printing, Die III, 5¢ green** (351) on cover to Boston, Mass., tied by "Kwei-Hua, 29.8.12" cds (Aug 12, 1940), **Very Fine,** Kwei-Hua is now Hohhot and this type of cds is used only in Meng-Chiang (Inner Mongolia) during Japanese occupation in World War II.
Scott No. **320** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



213 ✉ **Chinkiang, 1894, First Issue, 1¢ Blue,** tied by neat "Chinkiang, Postal Service, Mar 4, 95" cds's on cover to Syracuse, N.Y. forwarded to Decatur, Ga., in combination with **French Offices in China, 1894, 25c black on rose** (6) tied by "Shang-Hai, Chine, Mars 6, 95" cds's, reverse with blue "Shanghai, Local Post, Mr 5, 95" cds, additional Chinkiang, Yokohama transit and receiving postmarks; small cover opening tears at top, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **2** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000



214 ✉ **Chungking, 1894, 2ca Blue, Illustrated Postal Card,** addressed to Augustine Henry of the Imperial Maritime Customs in Mong-tse Yunnan "via Haiphong", with purple Chungking, 28 Sep 96 boxed date stamp and Laokay, Tonkin, 10 Nov, 96 transit cds; light vertical crease and some light tone spots, **F.-V.F.,** a rare and extraordinary usage, this is the only recorded item to Yunnan transiting through Vietnam.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

There was no direct route to Montze so this card was carried down river to Shanghai, then by paquetboat and rail to Haiphong and to its destination.



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215 ✉ **Tibet, United States 1908-10 Cincinnati, O. to Tibet,** two covers from "Foreign Christian Missionary Society" correspondence; with 1908 cover addressed to "**Dr. A.L. Shelton, Ta Chien Lu, Via Chung King, West China**", franked with 1903, 5¢ blue (304) tied by "Cincinnati, O., Oct 7, 1908" machine postmark, with original enclosure, and 1910 cover addressed "**Batang, W. China, Via Ta Chienlu, Via Chung King**" and franked with 1908, 5¢ blue (335) tied by "Cincinnati, O., Jul 14, 1910" machine postmark, both with various transit cancels including "U.S. Postal Sta., Shanghai, China" cds's, also includes 1909 letter from correspondence with some interesting content; covers reduced (one rough) and some slight soiling, **F.-V.F.,** an interesting pair of covers to Tibet.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

Dr. A.L. Shelton was the first American to set up a Tibetian Mission Center and hospital in Tachien lu and Batung.

Foreign Offices in China

216 ✉ **French Offices in Pak Hoi, 1919, 20c on 50c Carmine & Black,** in combination with **Indochina 1922, 6c dull red and black, left margin single** (103) on wrapper to Brussels, Belgium, **F.-V.F.,** a rare wrapper usage.
Scott No. **64** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



217 ▲ **German Offices in China, Germany, 1890, 2m Brownish Purple, Seventeen Singles,** in combination with **Germany, 1899, 20pf ultramarine + 50pf chocolate, two singles** (49+51) on large registered cloth piece, all tied by "**Tientsin**, Kaiser Deutsche, Postagentur, 19/3, 98" cds's, Tientsin registry etiquette at left, **Very Fine,** a remarkable high value franking from Tientsin.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000



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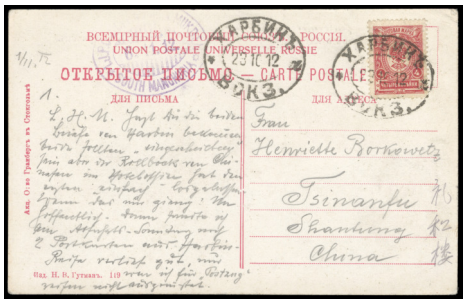


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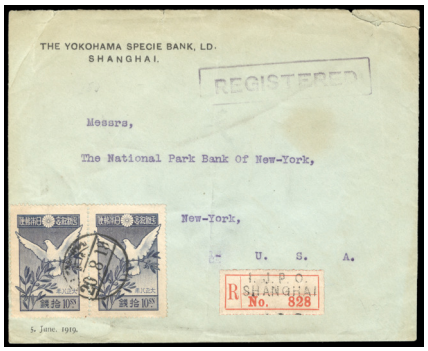


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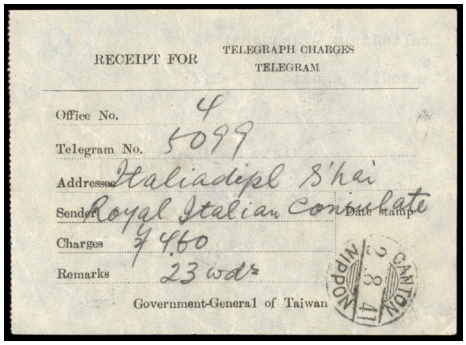




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218 ✉ **Japanese Offices in China, 1896 Shanghai, China to Honolulu, Hawaii,** registered cover franked with **Japan, 1883, 5s ultramarine + 1888, 10s brown orange, pair** (74+79) tied by "Shanghai I.J.P.O., Feb 21, 96" cds's, red "A.R." return receipt handstamp and faulty registry etiquette, Yokohama transit and red "Honolulu, Hawaii, Mar 20, 1896" receiving cds's, reverse with Shanghai Customs date stamp; some toning affecting stamp and light edge wear, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

219 ✉ **Japanese Offices in China, I.J.P.O. "1. & 2." Mukden-Changchun, South Manchuria,** two picture post card usages; one Harbin Station to Tsinianfu, China franked with **Russia 1909, 4k carmine** (76) tied by oval station date stamp with second strike alongside and purple "I.J.P.O., 2, Mukden-Changchun, South Manchuria, 6. 11. 12" transit date stamp, a very scarce inward southbound usage, and card to England "Via Siberia" franked with **Japan 1899, 1s red brown + 1906, 3s rose** (93+99) tied by purple "Port-Arthur, I.J.P.O., 18.10.13" cds, with additional purple "I.J.P.O., 1, Mukden-Changchun, South Manchuria, 18. 10. 13" oval date stamp; latter with some corner rounding, **still Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

220 ✉ **Japanese Offices in China, 1919 Shanghai, China to New York City,** registered Yokohama Specie Bank corner card cover franked with **Japan 1919, 10s dark blue, pair** (158) canceled by "Shanghai, 20.8.19" cds with "I.J.P.O. Shanghai" registry etiquette alongside, purple boxed "Registered "handstamp and receiving backstamp; cover opening slits at top, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200



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221 ✉ **Japanese Offices in China, Canton, Nippon, 2.8.41,** Japanese Foreign-Mail style cds on "Government-General of Taiwan" Telegraph receipt sent from the Italian Consulate in occupied Canton, China (consular cachet of origin on reverse) to the Italian Consulate in Shanghai, **Very Fine,** a previously unrecorded and extremely rare transition piece.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

This item represents the 'missing link' between the horizontal-comb postmarks used in Colonial Taiwan and those introduced in early 1942 for the Japanese occupation of Hong Kong. This contemporaneous forerunner is the only known Japanese marking used in mainland China the includes the 'Nippon' designation.

China (People's Republic)

222 o❐ **1950, $20,000 on $10,000 East China Stamp (SC2),** block of 4, town and N.Y. transit cancels, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **30** $520

223 (*) **1961, World Table Tennis Championships Souvenir Sheet (C86M),** without gum as issued, bright and fresh, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **566a**. $900



224 * **1964, 15th Anniversary of the People's Republic Souvenir Sheet (C106M),** slightly disturbed o.g., rich colors, **Very Fine and rare.**
Scott No. **798a**. $4,250

225 ** **1971, Chinese Communist Party 50th Anniversary (N4) Complete,** with Peoples issues in unfolded strip of 3 (1074a), o.g., never hinged, **a Very Fine set.**
Scott No. **1067-1075** $445



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226 ** **1980, Year of the Monkey (T46),** o.g., never hinged, without usual trace of natural offset, bright and fresh, **Very Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **1586**. $1,900

227 ** **1980, Year of the Monkey (T46),** o.g., never hinged, usual trace of natural offset, bright and fresh, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **1586**. $1,900



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Scott No. **1586**. $1,900

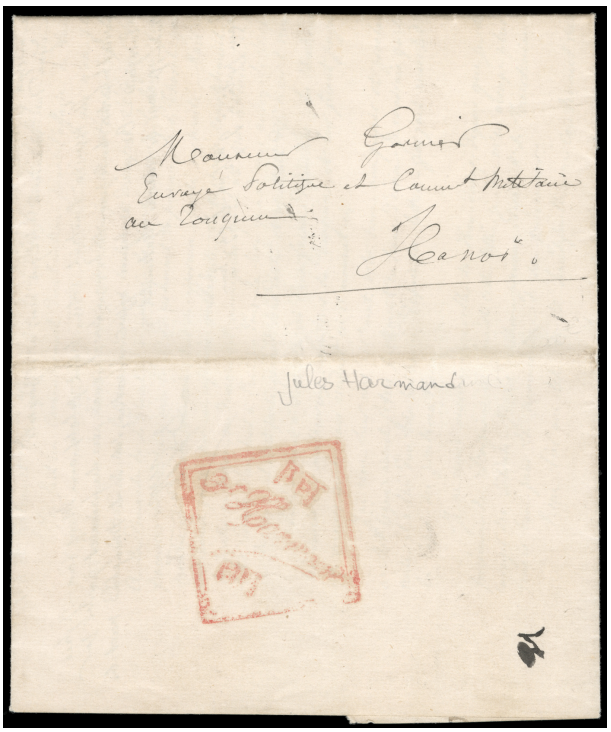
229 ** **1980, Year of the Monkey (T46),** o.g., never hinged with no offset, bright and fresh, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **1586**. $1,900

230 (*)❐ **Military Stamp, 1953, "Army" (M1), $800 Yellow, Orange & Red,** block of 4, without gum as issued, bright and fresh, **Very Fine,** a scarce multiple.
Scott No. **M1** $1,200

French Indochina



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231 ✉ **French Indochina (France) 1867, Napoleon III Laureate, 20c Blue on Bluish, Vertical Pair,** tied by 3171 dotted lozenge handstamps on well traveled cover addressed to "Mr. Ernest Pichez, medical officer 2nd Class, passenger on board the transport *Orne* going to **French Cochinchina at Toulon**", with "Rochefort-S-Mer, 26 Fevr, 67" origin cds alongside, **forwarded to hospital in Senegal, West Africa** with "De Toulon, 1 Mai, 67" forwarding cds and blue "Senegal, St. Louis, 6 Juli" arrival cds, **again forwarded to Suez and finally to Saigon** with numerous transit date stamps on reverse; cover wear, light toning and opened at sides for display, **Fine,** a remarkably well traveled finally arriving in Saigon, Cochinchine. Yvert No. 29.
Scott No. **33** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

232 ✉ **Indochina, 1873 Nam-Dinh to Hanoi, Vietnam,** handcarried folded letter **from Jules Harmand addressed to Francis Garnier** datelined "Nam-dinh, le 23 decembre 1873", with red boxed "J. Harmand" cachet handstamp on reverse, with letter written three days after the death of Lieut. Francis Garnier, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

Between 1873 and 1877, Jules Harmand took part in several civil and military campaigns in Tonkin and Cochinchina, as well as in scientific exploration missions in the Indochinese peninsula, on the Mekong and in Siam.

In late summer 1873, a dispute between French trader Jean Dupuis and the Vietnamese authorities had created a diplomatic crisis in Hanoi. On the demand of the Vietnamese imperial court, Garnier was sent by Admiral Dupré to resolve the dispute and to expel Dupuis and his mercenaries from the Tonkin. Garnier departed from Saigon with half of the expeditionary force on 11 October 1873 and reached Hanoi on 5 November. On 21 December 1873 Liu Yongfu and around 600 Black Flags marched to Hanoi. Garnier, leading three men uphill in a bayonet attack on a party of Black Flags, was stabbed and hacked to death by several Black Flag soldiers.

233 ✉ **Indochina, 1876 Saigon Military Cover to Alsace, Germany,** unfranked cover with "Corr. D'Armees Saigon, Avril 10, 76" octagon date stamp obliterated by "CCH" lozenge, with "Cochinchine Saigon, Avril 10, 76" civilian cds and matching "T" in triangle handstamp with blue crayon "90" rate, reverse with "correspondence militare" and blue "Commandant L'Artillerie En Cochinchine" hexagon handstamp, transit backstamps and partial Ligne N, Avril 10 postmark of the "S.S. Hoogly" at Saigon; light soiling and edge flaws, **Fine and scarce usage.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

After France lost the 1871 Franco-Prussian War, Alsace was annexed to Germany until 1919. The sender apparently thought Alsace was still part of France and attempted to mail via military franchise system, which would have been fine if sending to France. This did not escape the Saigon postmaster, who obliterated the military postmark and replaced it with the civilian postmark and charged tax.

234 ✉ **Indochina, French Colonies, 1877, 4c Green on Greenish, Horizontal Pair,** in combination with **French Colonies, 1877, 25c ultramarine on bluish** (2A35) affixed on **registered bamboo tube addressed to Paris, France**, all tied by "Cochinchine, Saigon, 25 Juin, 78" cds's, red boxed "R" registry handstamp; pair with some repaired erosion at right, **F.-V.F. and unusual.**
Scott No. **2A25** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



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235 ✉ **French Indochina, 1881, 5c Green, Horizontal Interpanneau Pair,** in combination with **1881, 40c vermilion on straw** (57) on registered cover to Munich, Germany, all tied by "Saigon, Central Cochinchine, Nov 6, 88" cds's with red boxed "R" handstamp at left, engraved "**S.M.S. Fasana**" fouled anchor crest, reverse with Singapore transit and receiving backstamps, engraved "Linienschiffsfahnrich Zsoldak" imprint of ship ensign on backflap and manuscript "Vienne, Marine Section" below; left 5c with slight blunt perfs at bottom, **Very Fine. Yvert No. 49. Maury No. 49.**
Scott No. **49** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

The Austrian korvette S.M.S. "Fasana" was on a world cruise having just left Manila and arriving in Saigon on November 4 and departing on November 9 on her way to Bangkok. Austrian Naval mail from the Far East is rarely seen, especially this early and sent registered on a cover incorporating the ship's name.



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236 ✉ **Indochina Postal History Balance, 1888-1909,** of 9 items; stampless military mail includes 1888 Nam-Dinh to Chac By with "Corps Expedition, Du Tokin" box handstamp, 1890 Tonkin to France with blue "Infirmerie-Ambulance" cachet handstamp, 1898 Tokin to France with Corps and Commandant cachet handstamp, couple from 1900 including on a native hand illustrated Crane scene cover, stamped items with 1904 Packhoi 3-color franking registered cover, Yunnansen registered and 1909 Chinese franked postcard from the Mongolian border to Belgium.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000





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Japan

237 ✉ **1884 Paris, France to Tokyo, Japan,** cover franked with **France 1879, 25c yellow** (99) tied by "Paris, Sept 29, 84" cds, reverse with "Yokohama, Nov 15, 1884" transit and receiving cds's, cover with tear on front with **Japan "Officially Sealed" label** affixed over, with original enclosure; light cover soiling, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

238 ✉ **1886 Kyoto to Athens, Greece,** cover to Secretary of the Ambassador of France with "Kobe, Japan, Jul 26, 1886" transit and "Ligne S, Paq No. 2, Juil 26, 86" French ship cds, receiving backstamp, with original enclosure; franking remove from reverse along with portion of sideflap, **F.-V.F. appearance.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

239 ✉ **Nagasaki, Japan, Feb 9, 1900,** cds's tying **Russia 1889, 1k orange, seven singles + 3k carmine + 4k rose, two singles + 5k red violet, pair and three singles + 7k dark blue + 10k dark blue, three singles** on large linen lined cover to New York City, reverse with "Yokohama, Japan, Feb 13, 00" cds, "**Paquebot**" boxed handstamp and receiving postmarks; cover edge wear and several stamps with portions missing, **F.-V.F. appearance,** still a remarkable 6-color franking and 80k rate from Nagasaki.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

240 ✉ **Japan - Russia Maritime Cards, 1911-15,** two items; **Russia 4k carmine postal card** canceled by blue 1911 oval station date stamp, addressed to Japan with "Osaka, 30.12.11" transit date stamp, and picture post card to Los Angeles, Cal. franked with **Russia 1913, 4k dull red** tied by purple "Tsuruga, Japan, 26.11.15" cds with boxed Paquebot handstamp alongside, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

241 ✉ **1938, 1st Showa Series, 25s Dark Brown & Pale Brown,** in combination with **1937-39, 4s dark green + 5s dark ultramarine** (261-262) on 1940 registered airmail cover to **Japanese-Occupied Shantung Province (Tsingtao), China**, all tied by Karuizawa postmarks, Tokyo transit and arrival backstamp, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **270** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

242 ✉ **Japan Postal History Balance, 1900,** of 15 items with additional; includes 1899 "Japan Herald Mail Summary" wrapper usage to Shanghai, 1890 Shanghai I.J.P.O. cds canceling on 2s postal card to U.S., couple prisoner of war cards (one unused), Japanese Offices In China frank on post card addressed to Madagascar, 1914 military cover with "War P.A. No. 6" cds of destroyer "Yungure", three Japanese Intervention Forces in Siberia cards, etc., also includes additional China, North Korea and Manchukuo items and a couple Japanese documents with revenue stamps (no photo).
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

243 (*) **1871, Dragon, 100m Blue, Plate 1, Laid Paper,** horizontal pair, without gum as issued, ample to large margins, bold colors, **fresh and Very Fine,** an attractive multiple.
Scott No. **2**. . . . . $450 for singles

244 * **1916, 10s Heir Apparent,** o.g., lightly hinged, bright and fresh with rich color, attractive centering, **Very Fine,** choice so nice.
Scott No. **154** $800

245 ** **1919, First Airmail Flight, 1½s-3s Complete,** o.g., never hinged, strong bright colors, **a Very Fine set,** choice in never hinged condition; signed J.R. Hughes.
Scott No. **C1-C2**. . . . . $1,300 for hinged



246 ** **1934, Communications Day Souvenir Sheet,** o.g., never hinged, rich bright colors, exceptionally fresh, **Extremely Fine,** one of the finest Communications Day sheet we have ever encountered.
Scott No. **C8**. $2,000

247 **/*❒ **Korea, 1948, Pres. Syngman Rhee, 5wn Deep Blue,** block of 4, o.g., top left stamp lightly hinged, others never hinged, nice overall centering, **fresh and Very Fine.**
Scott No. **90** $1,610

248 **/* **Korea, 1948, 4w-5w Republican Government Issue Complete,** horizontal pairs, o.g., 4w lightly hinged, 5w never hinged, bright and fresh, 5w natural paper wrinkle in right stamp, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Scott No. **91-92** . . . . . $188 for hinged



249 ✉ **Macao (United States) 1862 (May 14) Macao via Hong Kong, China to Greenfield Mass.,** tissue paper cover with red "Per Overland via Marseilles" banner directive and original letter datelined "Macao May 14th 1862", entered mails with red "Hong Kong, Paid, C, MY 25 '62" cds and magenta "1/11" prepaid rating (46¢) to U.S. port, magenta "1/10" 1s10d credit to G.B., red London Paid (7.14) transit cds and matching "16 / cents" credit handstamp to U.S. for sea passage, carried by Inman Line Etna from Liverpool Jul. 16th to New York arriving Jul. 27th, black "N.York Am. Pkt. '5' Jul 28" debit exchange cds for 5¢ inland postage; reduced slightly at right, **Very Fine and attractive.**
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

The enclosed Macao letter has some interesting content, "...I closed my last letter to you on Friday, went over to Hong Kong on Saturday morn'g...the mail steamer leaving there on Sunday morn'g...I have now a little intermission on account of the stormy weather for the last two days, so that Teas cannot be shipped off to the "S.H. Talbot"...The "S.H. Talbot" was chartered on my a/c and I have some 6@600 tons for her @ New York, she takes 1,100 tons & is engaged full & will be off soon as the weather permits...There is private news said to be received at Hong Kong via Calcutta that the Federal Troops have possession of Newbern N.C....if possible I want to get away to Amoy & Foochow to see about the new Teas...".

250 ✉ **Mongolia, 1916 Urga to Kalsan, India,** red band cover franked on reverse with **China 1915, 3c blue green + 6c gray** (224+227) tied by Urga cds's, "Kalsan, Se 20, 16" receiving cds, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

251 * **Philippines, 1854, 2r Yellow Green,** pair, full o.g. (paper adherence), large margins to clear at right, filled in thin at top, bottom stamp repaired, **F.-V.F. appearance,** scarce with original gum; 1965 P.F. certificate. Edifil No. 4c.
Scott No. **5a** $2,300

252 * **Ryukyus, 1952, "Kai Tei" (Revalued) Surcharge on Shuri Castle, 100y on 2y Rose Violet,** o.g., lightly hinged, rich color, **fresh and F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **17** $1,600

253 ✉ **Thailand (United States) 1846, Marcellus, N.Y. to Bangkok, Siam,** folded letter with blue "Marcellus, N.Y., Apr 13" cds with matching "Paid" and "10" rate handstamps, addressed to Dr. Daniel B. Bradley in care of missionary group in New York City with endorsement cross out at bottom, "Jan 16, 1857" receiving docketing on reverse, **Very Fine,** a rare early letter to Bangkok.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

The first Protestant missionaries arrived in Bangkok in 1828 from the London Missionary Society representing the Church of England, the American Protestants followed over the next three decades, Dr. Bradley was a prominent American Missionary who arrived in 1835 and taught England to Prince Mongkut, the future King Rama IV.



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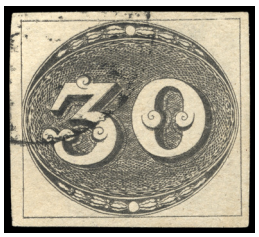
254 ✉ **Thailand, 1887, 4atts Carmine, Postal Card,** entire to **Spa, Belgium** canceled by "**Siemrat" Cambodia cds, with "Battambong, 2. 19, 3**" and "Pnompenh, Cambodge" transit postmarks, "Saigon Central, Cochine Chine, 2/22" cds and octagon "Noumea A Marseille, Ligne F No. 4, 7 Mars, 03" French ship date stamp, **Very Fine,** ***a very rare usage from Siamese occupied Cambodia***.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000



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255 (*) **Argentina, 1862, 10c Green & 15c Blue,** no gum, both bright and fresh with full well balanced margins, **Very Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **6-7** $525

Austria

256 * **1850 Arms, 3kr Red, Hand-Made Paper,** o.g., ample to mostly large margins, strong bright color, **Very Fine**; with 1989 F. Puschmann certificate. Michel No. 3 X a.
Scott No. **3**. $825

257 * **1850 Arms, 9kr Blue, Hand-Made Paper, Type II,** o.g., neatly hinged at top, clear to mostly large margins, rich bright color and very fresh, **Very Fine,** a rare mint original gum example of the 9kr Arms issue on handmade paper; signed Friedl, Raybaudi & E. Diena, with 1984 Ferchenbauer certificate. Michel No. 5 X b.
Scott No. **5**. $2,350

258 **❒ **1910, 10k Emperor's Birthday Jubilee,** block of 4, o.g., never hinged, rich colors, attractive allover centering, **fresh and Very Fine,** a scarce never hinged multiple. Michel No. 177.
Scott No. **144** . . . . . $1,400 for singles

259 o **1910, 10k Emperor's Birthday Jubilee,** neat Wien town cancel, rich colors, **Very Fine.** Michel No. 177.
Scott No. **144** $325

260 ✉ **1910, 10k Emperor's Birthday Jubilee,** tied by "Bad Ischl, 18.VII.10" cds on local registered cover, with label on reverse, **Very Fine.** Michel No. 177.
Scott No. **144** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

261 ✉ **1933, 50g WIPA, Granite Paper,** in combination with **1933, 50g WIPA, ordinary paper** (B110) both bottom margin singles tied by "WIPA 1933, 24 Juin, Wien, Sezessions" Expositions cds's on registered flight cover, flight postmark and receiving backstamp. Michel No. 556A.
Scott No. **B110a**. . . . . Estimate $100 - 150

262 * **1933 WIPA Souvenir Sheet,** hinged in top selvage, stamps n.h., bright and fresh, **Very Fine.** Michel No. Block 1.
Scott No. **B111** $2,500

263 **❒ **Airmail, 1950-53 1s, 3s-10s Bird Issues,** corner margin blocks of 4, o.g., never hinged, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **C55, C57-C59** $980

264 * **Belgium, 1933 Orval Abbey Complete,** o.g., lightly hinged, rich colors throughout, **a Very Fine set.** Michel No. 354-365.
Scott No. **B132-B143** $1,175

Brazil

265 o **1843, First Issue ("Bull's Eye"), 30r Black,** light town cancel, detailed fine early impression, full even margins, **Very Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **1**. $550

266 o **1843, 90r Black, Intermediate Impression,** clear cancel, frameline virtually all round, small faults, **F.-V.F. appearance.**
Scott No. **3a** $1,300

267 o❒ **1844, Second Issue ("Cat's Eye"), 10r Black,** left margin block of 6, red town cancels, clear to large margins, bold color on bright paper, **Very Fine and attractive,** a lovely used multiple.
Scott No. **7**. . . . . $150 for singles



268 o **1844, Second Issue ("Cat's Eye"), 300r Black,** light red town cancel, full margins, rich deep color, **Very Fine,** a wonderful used example of this key "Cat's Eye" second issue; with 1995 Roumet certificate.
Scott No. **12** $2,000

269 ✉ **1930, 5,000r-20,000r Zeppelin Issue Complete,** in combination with 300r definitive on flight cover to New York, tied by "Syndicato Condor, Porto Alegre, 22 Mai, 30" cds's, Recife transit backstamp; couple small cover tears at top, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **4CL8-4CL10**. . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

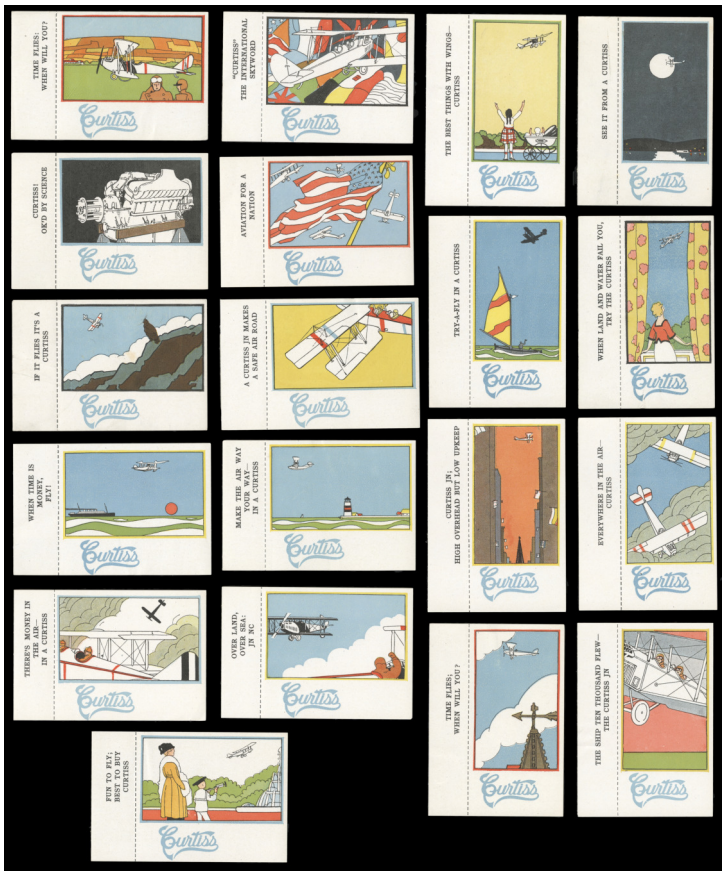
270 ** **Burundi, 1983, 2fr-85fr Wild Animals Issues Complete,** o.g., never hinged, all bright and fresh, **a Very Fine set.**
Scott No. **589-601** $1,288

271 ** **Burundi, 1983, 2fr-85fr Wild Animals Issues Complete, with Silver W.W.F. Emblem Overprint,** o.g., never hinged, all bright and fresh, **a Very Fine set.**
Scott No. **589-601** $1,000



272 * **Colombia, 1859, 5c Blue, Tête-Bêche Pair,** in a bottom margin horizontal strip of three, o.g., margins large to just into upper frameline at right, strong color, slight crease and partial scissor separation cut between left pair, **still Very Fine.**
Scott No. **2a** . . . . . $4,640 for pair and single

A RARE MINT ORIGINAL GUM TÊTE-BÊCHE IN STRIP OF THE 1859 5C COAT OF ARMS ISSUE.



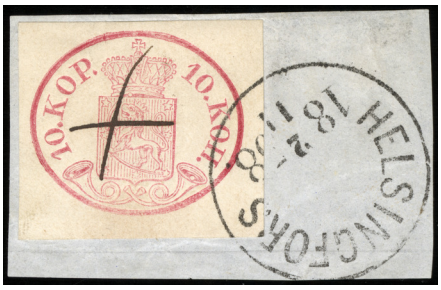
273 * **Colombia, Curtiss Aeroplane Co., Promotional Labels,** set of 19 multicolored lithographed labels mostly depicting the Curtiss Aeroplane in flight, each with corner selvage showing different Curtiss related slogan and the "Curtiss" script logo in blue on the other, includes eight of the nine designs used and surcharged "Compania Columbiana De Navegacion Aerea - Porte aereo $0.10" for the Columbia February 1920 Airmail issue (C2, C4-C10) missing the extremely rare label used to produce Scott #C3 (believed one or two may exist); all bright and fresh, **Very Fine and choice.**
Estimate . . . . . $4,000 - 6,000

A REMARKABLE AND EXTREMELY RARE SET OF THE CURTISS AEROPLANE CO. PROMOTIONAL LABELS WHICH WHERE USED TO PRODUCED THE EVER POPULAR COLUMBIA FEBRUARY 1920 AIRMAIL ISSUE.

The Curtiss Aeroplane Co. had a series of 20 labels produced to be inserted into cigarette packs for advertising purposes. Under contract with the Colombian Government, the Compania Colombiana de Navegacion Aerea (SCADTA) arranged to have nine of the labels overprinted for use as Air Post stamps. The designs of the other 10 were deemed inconvenient for overprinting or just not appropriate for use. In all, it is believed the Colombian Government purchased 100 sets and is speculated that one or two of the labels used to produce Scott #C3 were not overprinted.



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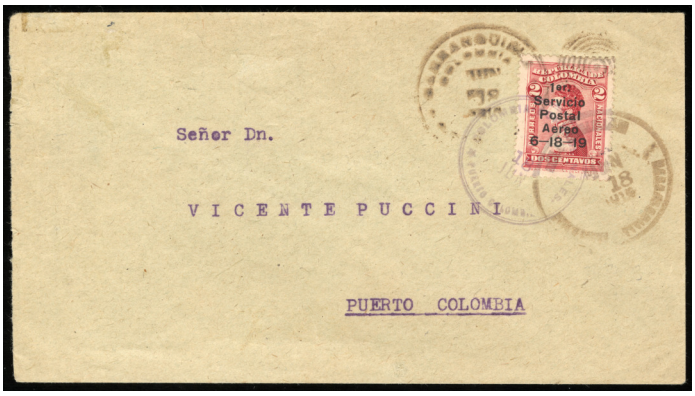
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274 ✉ **Colombia, 1919, 2c Carmine Rose, "1er Servicio Postal Aereo 6-18-19" Overprint, sound well centered single** without the usual toning often associated with this issue, on flown cover from Barranquilla to Puerto Colombia, cds cancels dated "Jun 18 1919", **Extremely Fine,** one of the finer on cover examples, very rare with only 160 covers flown.
Scott No. **C1**; $1,500 . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

275 o **Denmark, 1851, 2rs Blue, 2nd (Thiele) Printing,** bold "1" in target cancel of Copenhagen, ample to large margins, **Very Fine.** Michel No. 2 II. Facit No. 1 II.
Scott No. **1** $1,000

276 ▲ **Finland, 1856, 10k Rose,** manuscript and tied on piece by neat Helsingfors town cancels, large margins, **Very Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **2** $450

277 o **Finland, 1875, 32p Lake,** light cancel, strong bright color, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **16** $400

France

278 ✉ **1850, Ceres, 10c Bister on Yellowish,** margins ample to mostly large showing portion of adjacent stamp at bottom, tied by dotted "2272" lozenge handstamp on mourning bordered folded letter to Rennes, with matching bold "Nimes, 12 Aout, 52" cds, transit and receiving backstamps, **Extremely Fine.** Yvert No. 1.
Scott No. **1** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350



279 o **1849, Ceres, 1fr Light Carmine,** horizontal strip of 4, dotted lozenge and red circular date stamp cancels, full well balanced margins all around, rich bold color, **Very Fine and choice,** a wonderful and rare multiple; signed Brun. Yvert No. 6a.
Scott No. **9** . . . . . $3,050 for two pairs

280 o **1853, Napoleon III Imperforate, 1fr Lake on Yellowish,** horizontal strip of 5, neat roller grid (Gros Points) cancel, margins large to slightly in at bottom left and small corner nick at bottom right, strong color, thins and pressed out vertical creases, **Fine appearance,** still a very presentable and very rare multiple of the Napoleon 1fr lake high value. Yvert No. 18.
Scott No. **21** . . . . . $14,975 for pairs and single

281 o **1870, Bordeaux, 20c Blue on Bluish, Type 1,** horizontal pair, dotted "732" lozenge cancel of Carcassonne, clear to large margins, strong bright color, **Very Fine and attractive**; signed Calves, with 1988 Calves certificate. Yvert No. 44.
Scott No. **43** . . . . . $1,100 for singles



282 *❒ **1870, Bordeaux, 20c Blue on Bluish, Type 2,** block of 4, full o.g., clear to mostly large margins, fresh with bold color, **Very Fine,** a very scarce mint multiple; with 2022 J. Brun certificate. Yvert No. 45.
Scott No. **44** $3,800

283 * **1876, Sage Type I, 5c Green on Greenish,** o.g., fresh with rich color, **Fine**; with 2001 Brun certificate. Yvert No. 64.
Scott No. **67** $650

284 * **1877, Sage Type II, 5fr Violet on Lavender,** left gutter margin single, o.g., lightly hinged, strong color, **fresh and Fine.** Yvert No. 95.
Scott No. **96** $440



285 ** **1917, 5fr+5fr War Orphans,** o.g., never hinged (slight gum skips), well centered amid wide margins, bright and fresh with rich colors, **Very Fine,** a choice and scarce never hinged example of this War Orphans high value. Yvert No. 155.
Scott No. **B10** $4,000



286 ** **Airmail, 1928, 10fr on 1.50fr "Ile De France",** o.g., never hinged, with small black adhesion spots on gum and partial octagon date stamp, fresh with bold color, nicely centered for this notoriously off-centered issue, **F.-V.F.**; signed Brun, with 1998 Roumet & 2022 Scheller certificates. Yvert No. 4.
Scott No. **C4** . . . . . $10,000 for hinged

A RARE ORIGINAL GUM EXAMPLE OF THE 1928 10FR ON 1.50 FR "ILE DE FRANCE" SURCHARGED AIRMAIL ISSUE.



287 **❒ **Airmail, 1936, 50fr "Banknote",** bottom right corner margin block of 4 (coin daté), o.g., never hinged (light hinge mark in right selvage), wide margins and rich color, bright and post office fresh, few perf separations between top pair, **Very Fine,** a wonderful and choice position multiple. Yvert No. 15.
Scott No. **C15** $6,800

288 (*)❒ **New Caledonia, 1859, Napoleon III, 10c Black,** corner margin block of 4, no gum, fresh with wide sheet margins, **Very Fine,** a very scarce position multiple.
Scott No. **1**. . . . . $1,000 for singles

289 ✉ **Germany, Airmail, 1931, 4m Polar Flight Zeppelin,** single tied by "Luftschiff, Graf Zeppelin, 5.7.31" cds on fresh flight cover, red flight and icebreaker cachets, "First Intourist" handstamp on reverse, **Very Fine and choice.** Michel No. 458 (no photo).
Scott No. **C42** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

290 ✉ **German Offices in the Turkish Empire, 1900, Germania "Reichspost" Issue, 10pa-25pi Issues,** set of 12 (5m type I) on two fresh matching registered covers to Kiel, Germany, all tied by neat "Jaffa, Deutsche Post, 20/3, 02" cds's, registry etiquettes and receiving backstamps, **Extremely Fine,** a wonderful set duo.
Scott No. **13-24** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500

291 ✉ **World War II Feldpost, Inselpost, Agram, 1944 Red Brown, Blackish Blue Overprint,** plate I/1, on cover to Dresden, Germany tied by "Feldpost, 13.12.44 "cds with additional purple cachet handstamp, **Very Fine,** an early usage posted during the first days of circulation.
Michel No. **10Aa**; €1,200 ($1,260) . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



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292 ** **German Democratic Republic, Thuringia, 1945 (2m) 3pf-5pf Fir Tree Souvenir Sheet,** o.g., never hinged, bright and fresh, **Very Fine**; with 1985 E. Herpichbohm certificate.
Scott No. **16N3a** $300

293 ** **Berlin, 1949 Red Overprints Complete,** o.g., never hinged, nice overall centering, Post Office fresh with rich colors, **a Very Fine set**; with 2004 Schlegel certificate. Michel No. 21-34.
Scott No. **9N21-9N34** $1,050

294 */o✉ **Greece, 1861-62 Hermes Head Issue Group,** of 5 singles; with Paris print 5l used and unused (no gum) #3, 20l unused (regummed over thins) #4a, 10l used (thin) #7, and Athens print 10l mint o.g. #12, all with full margins, **Very Fine appearance or better.**
Scott No. **3//12** $2,590



295 * **Greece, 1862-68, Hermes Head, Athens Print, 10l Orange on Blue, "01" on Back,** o.g., large even margins, rich color with some extraneous ink showing on face and margin, slight vertical creasing, **Extremely Fine appearance,** a very presentable example of this extremely rare Athens Print issue.
Scott No. **19d** $9,000



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296 o **British Administration, 1898, 20pa Bright Violet,** with 1898, 20pa and 1899, 10pa & 20pa, all canceled with Heraklion straight line handstamp, **Very Fine.** SG Nos. B1, B3-B5 £342 ($420).
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

297 ✉ **British Administration, 1898, 20pa Violet, District of Heraklion,** ample to large margins, some minor gum soak along margin, tied by Heraklion straight line handstamp on small local cover, with second strike handstamp on reverse, **Very Fine,** very scarce as this issue was only in service for about a year; with 1963 R.P.S.L. certificate. Scott Nos. 1.
SG Nos. **B1** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

298 ▲ **Greenland, 1945, 1öre-5kr Liberation Overprints Complete,** tied on piece by Stromfjord town cancels with airmail etiquette, rich colors, **a Very Fine set.** Facit Nos. 19-27.
Scott Nos. **19-27**

299 * **Guatemala, 1881, 2c Brown & Green, Inverted Center,** full o.g., strong bright colors and well centered, **fresh and Very Fine.**
Scott Nos. **22a** $725

300 ✉ **Guatemala, 1881, 5c Red & Green, Horizontal Pair,** tied by light purple duplex postmark on cover to Koln, Germany, reverse with "Puerta De Livington, Mar 14, 1886", New Orleans and N.Y. transits and receiving date stamps; light cover stains, **F.-V.F.**
Scott Nos. **23** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

Iran

301 */(*) **1870, 1s & 4s-8s Coat of Arms Issues,** five mint singles, one 1s and two each of 4s & 8s issues, o.g., one 4s & 8s without gum, 4s & 8s singles in shades, no gum 4s with small corner crease, **a Fine group,** scarce first issues; with 2024 IPSC certificate.
Scott Nos. **1, 3-4** $1,325

302 */o **1875, 1s-8s Coat of Arms Issues,** group of 17 singles; 1s x3 one mint, 2s x4 two mint, 4s x3 one mint and 8s x7 two mint, used with various town cancels, mint o.g. or no gum; some flaws, **generally F.-V.F.**; with 2024 IPSC certificate.
Scott Nos. **11-14** $2,750

303 */o **1876, 1s, 1k & 4k Coat of Arms Issues,** group of 6 singles; includes mint 1s black and 1s gray black, 1k x3 one mint (thin) and 4k used, mint o.g. or no gum, used with various town cancels; some flaws, **generally Fine**; with 2024 IPSC certificate.
Scott Nos. **14A-15, 19-20** $2,450

304 o **1878, 1k & 4k Coat of Arms Issues,** 4 used singles, 1k x3 and 4k, various town cancels, flaws, **F.-V.F. appearance**; with 2024 IPSC certificate.
Scott Nos. **33, 35** $700

305 * **1917, 24c on 1k Kermanshah Surcharge,** o.g., lightly hinged, fresh with bright colors, **Very Fine,** a very scarce genuine surcharge issue; with 2024 IPSC certificate.
Scott Nos. **587** $1,500

306 **/* **1945-46, 5d//10r Tabriz Overprints,** set of 15 missing 3r green value, o.g., few never hinged, all bright and fresh, **Very Fine,** scarce Azerbaijan provisional issues; with 2024 IPSC certificate.
Scott Nos. **877//900 vars.** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

307 * **1942, 50r Dull Blue & Brown Red,** o.g., strong colors, **Very Fine.**
Scott Nos. **906** $450

308 * **1949-50, 5d-50r Shah & Views Complete,** o.g., rich bright colors, **a Very Fine set.**
Scott Nos. **915-930** $698

309 **/* **Israel, 1948, 3m//20m Coin Issue Varieties,** three pairs; 3m vertical pair imperf between with tab, perf 10x11, n.h. (Bale #FCV128), 5m vertical pair with imperforate top margin, n.h. (FCV108a), and 20m horizontal pair imperf between, perf 10x11, o.g. neatly hinged at top (FCV27), **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

310 **❒ **Israel, 1948, 250m-1000m First Coins High Values,** blocks of 4, o.g., never hinged, bright and Post Office fresh, **a Very Fine set.**
Bale Nos. 7-9.
Scott Nos. **7-9** $1,210

311 * **Lombardy-Venetia, 1850 Arms 15c Red, Hand-Made Paper, Type III,** o.g. (some paper adherence), ample to mostly large margins, strong bright color, gum crease, **otherwise Very Fine,** a rare mint original gum example of the 1850 15c Arms issue on handmade paper. Michel Nos. 3 X c. Sassone Nos. 6.
Scott Nos. **4** $2,600

312 ** **Italy, 1911, Garibaldi & Southern Plebiscite Complete,** o.g., never hinged, all marginal singles, strong to rich colors, **a Fine set.**
Sassone Nos. 87-90.
Scott Nos. **115-118** $1,715



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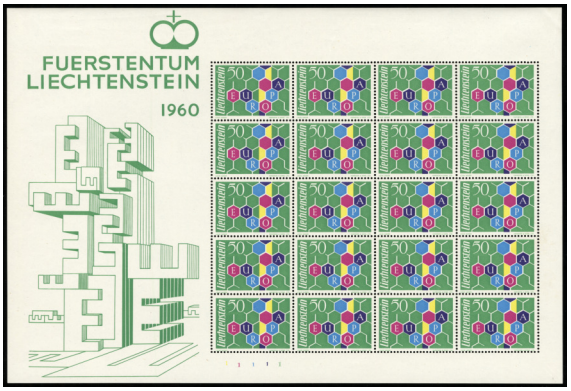


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313 ** **Liechtenstein, 1917, 3h-25h Arms and Prince Johann II Complete, Imperf,** horizontal pairs, o.g., never hinged, all with excellent margins and rich colors, couple with light gum ceases, **otherwise Very Fine.** 2017 Michel Nos. 4 U-9 U €3,100 ($3,260). Zumstein Nos. 4-9 vars.
Scott Nos. **4-9 vars.** $2,300

314 **❒ **Liechtenstein, 1960, 50rp Europa,** complete sheet of 20, o.g., never hinged, **fresh and Very Fine.** Michel Nos. 398 I. Zumstein Nos. 348 I.
Scott Nos. **356** . . . . . $1,100 for singles

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1856 Hidalgo Issue

315 */(*) **1856, First Issue, ½r-2r Hidalgo Issues,** group of 8 stamps unused; includes Apam, Cuernavaca, Toluca and Maravatio; unused stamps are very scarce in this issue. NF $375, **F.-V.F.**
Scott Nos. **1-3** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

316 o **1856, First Issue, ½r-2r Hidalgo Issues,** 8 stamps from Merida (6), Saltillo (8) and Morelia, includes a very rare Saltillo pair from Abasolo and two blue greens, a very scarce emerald from Merida and an unrecorded Morelia cancel; NF $433, **F.-V.F.**
Scott Nos. **1-3, 3b** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

317 o **1856, First Issue, ½r-1r & 8r Hidalgo Issues, Apam,** 26 stamps: ½ real (10), 1 real (15) and 8 reales (1), canceled in Otumba, Calpulalpam, Apan, Soltepec and Teottihuacan with most likely remainder cancels, very fresh and almost all with 4 good margins; NF (as remainders) $725, **Very Fine.**
Scott Nos. **1-2, 5** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

318 ▲ **1856, First Issue, ½r Blue, Apam,** horizontal pair, tied on piece by straight line Apam cancel (Schatzkes 29), wide top and bottom margins, **Very Fine and choice**; with 1983 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott Nos. **1** . . . . . Estimate $100 - 150

319 ✉ **1856, First Issue, ½r Blue, Chiapas,** tied by fancy **Tuxtla** handstamp (Schatzkes 132) on first rate folded letter to Colima dated October 1856, **Very Fine**; with 2023 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott Nos. **1** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350



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320 o **1856, First Issue, ½r-2r Hidalgo Issues, Cuernavaca,** 43 stamps; ½ real (19), 1 real (14) and 2 reales (10), canceled in Diligencias, Cuernavaca, Yztla, Tetecala, Mexico, includes rare Iguala #1 and 3, very fresh in good condition. NF $725, **Very Fine.**
Scott Nos. **1-3** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

321 o **1856, First Issue, ½r Blue, Guadalajara,** straight line **Tecolotlan** cancel (Schatzkes 396), large to huge margins, **Extremely Fine.**
Scott Nos. **1** . . . . . Estimate $100 - 150

322 ▲ **1856, First Issue, ½r Blue, Guadalajara,** horizontal strip of 4, oval **Barca** cancels (Schatzkes 325), wide margins, **Very Fine.**
Scott Nos. **1** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

323 ✉ **1856, First Issue, ½r Blue, Horizontal Pair, Hermosillo,** huge margins, tied by red straight line Hermosillo handstamps (Schatzkes 542) on 1857 folded letter sheet to Guaymas, **Very Fine,** very few covers known from this district.
Scott Nos. **1** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

324 ✉ **1856, First Issue, ½r Blue, Horizontal Pair, Puebla,** tied by bold **San Martin (Texmelucan)** straight line handstamp (Schatzkes 1244C) on 1858 folded letter to Puebla, **Very Fine.**
Scott Nos. **1** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

325 ✉ **1856, First Issue, ½r Blue, Vertical Strip of Four, Zacatecas,** canceled by Zacatecas straight line handstamps (Schatzkes 1849) on 1861 folded letter to Guadalajara, **Very Fine,** very few vertical strips are known on cover.
Scott Nos. **1** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

326 ✉ **1856, First Issue, ½r Blue, Horizontal Pair, Zacatecas,** canceled by **"A" in diamond grid of Aguascalientes** (Schatzkes 1929) on first rate folded letter to Mexico dated October 1856, **Very Fine.**
Scott Nos. **1** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

327 ✉ **1856, First Issue, 1r Yellow, Chiapas,** tied by fancy **Tixtla** handstamp (Schatzkes 132) on folded letter sheet to San Cristobal, **Very Fine**; with 2023 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott Nos. **2** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

328 ✉ **1856, First Issue, 1r Yellow, Maravatio,** first rate folded letter dated October 1856 sent from Acambaro to Mexico, with **"J .S" handstamp** (Schatzkes unlisted) which is known on a handful of singles, cover is most likely unique; with 2023 M.E.P.S.I. certificate noting no opinion regarding cancel.
Scott Nos. **2** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

329 ✉ **1856, First Issue, 1r & 2r Hidalgo Issues, Toluca,** 1r and two 2r singles on cover; 1r tied by boxed Toluca handstamp (Schatzkes 1667) and 2r with box Toluca handstamp (1667) and straight line Toluca (1666), **Very Fine.**
Scott Nos. **2** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

330 ✉ **1856, First Issue, 2r Yellow Green, Chiapas,** on folded letter to San Cristobal with manuscript and tied by blue **Comitan** circular handstamp (Schatzkes 120), **Very Fine**; with 2023 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott Nos. **3** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

331 *❒ **1856, First Issue, 2r Yellow Green, San Luis Potosi,** block of 6, o.g., creases affecting four stamps, **Very Fine appearance,** a scarce multiple.
Scott Nos. **3** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

332 o **1856, First Issue, 2r Yellow Green, Zacatecas,** manuscript district diagonally reading upward left to right (rare type used provisionally in 1864), with **Aguascalientes** boxed postmark (Schatzkes 1928), **F.-V.F.**; with 1982 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott Nos. **3** . . . . . Estimate $100 - 150

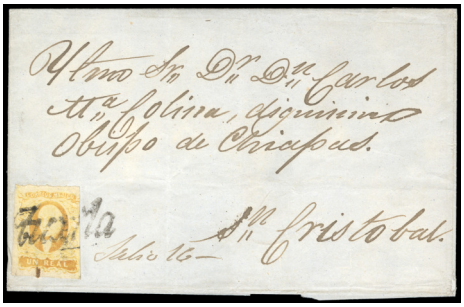
333 o **1856, First Issue, 2r Emerald, Acapulco,** straight line Acapulco cancel (Schatzkes 1), mostly large margins, **Very Fine.**
Scott Nos. **3b** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

334 ✉ **1856, First Issue, 4r Red, Morelia,** in combination with **1856, First Issue, 1r yellow, Morelia** (2) on 1857 folded letter sheet to Sayula, tied by **Colima** oval date stamp (Schatzkes 929) with second strikes alongside, **Very Fine,** beautiful cover making a rare rate of 5 reales.
Scott Nos. **4** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

335 (✉) **1856, First Issue, 4r Red, Bisect, Guadalajara,** top portion of stamp and bottom portion of stamp on two cover fronts tied by **Tecolotlan** circular handstamps (Schatzkes 399), one to Guadalajara and other to Colima; former with front edge stains at bottom, **otherwise Very Fine**; both signed Bash.
Scott Nos. **4a** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



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336 ✉ **1856, First Issue, 4r Red, Bisect, Queretaro,** bottom portion of stamp tied by bold **fancy Celaya eagle in oval** cancel (Schatzkes 1292) on 1857 folded letter sheet to Mexico, **Very Fine**; signed Bash.
Scott Nos. **4a** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



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337 ▲ **1856, First Issue, 8r Red Lilac, Guadalajara,** tied on piece by red boxed Tepic cancel (Schatzkes 409), wide margins, **Extremely Fine.**
Scott Nos. **5** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

338 o **1856, First Issue, 8r Red Lilac, Morelia,** light circular Morelia cancel (Schatzkes 902), full margins, **Very Fine and choice**; with 2023 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott Nos. **5** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1861 Hidalgo Issue

339 o **1861, Second Issue, ½r-1r Hidalgo Issues, Chalco,** 2 attractive Chalco District stamps, ½r and canceled in the small town of Ayotla, **F.-V.F.**
Scott Nos. **6-7** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

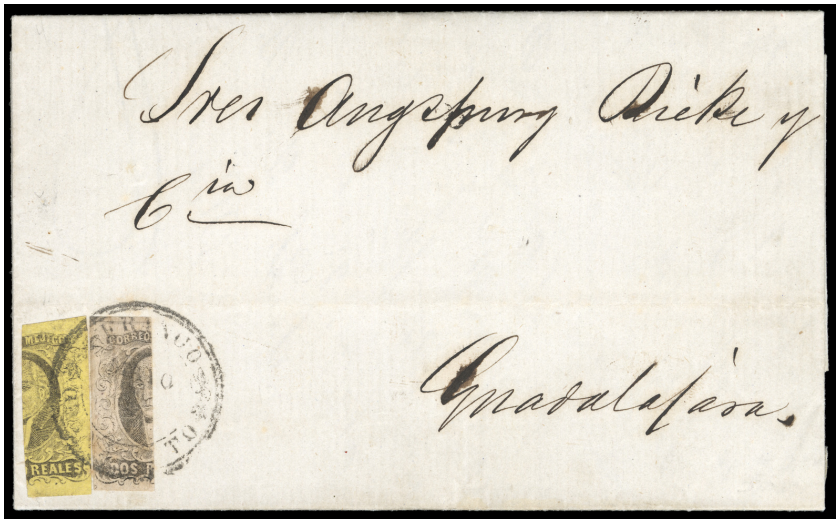
340 o/✉ **1861, Second Issue, ½r-2r Hidalgo Issues, Colima,** group of 8 stamps and one bisected 4r Yellow on cover with a BPA cert., stamps include one *ex-Fayolle* 2r without overprint; NF $ 510, **F.-V.F.**
Scott Nos. **6-8, 9a** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

341 o **1861, Second Issue, ½r Black on Buff, Colima,** horizontal pair, oval Colima date stamp cancel, **Very Fine.**
Scott Nos. **6** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

342 ✉ **1861, Second Issue, ½r Black on Buff, Mexico,** tied by Mexico cds on 1862 **printed circular** to Puebla paying the printed matter rate, **Very Fine,** maybe 10 are known among all districts but most do not have the printed circular.
Scott Nos. **6** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

343 o **1861, Second Issue, 1r & 2r Hidalgo Issues, Chalco,** group of 3 attractive Chalco District stamps of 1r(2) and 2r, The 2r has a very rare Chalco city mute, **Very Fine.**
Scott Nos. **7-8** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

344 o **1861, Second Issue, 2r Black on Pink, Tlalpujahua,** sharp neat Tlalpujahua cancel (Schatzkes 1649), **Very Fine,** only 839 sent; with 1996 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott Nos. **8** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



345 ✉ **1861, Second Issue, 2r Black on Pink, Bisect, Guanajuato,** in combination with **1861, Second Issue, 4r black on yellow, bisect, Guanajuato** (9a) tied by Guanajuato circular handstamp (Schatzkes 476) on folded letter to Guadalajara, **Very Fine,** extraordinarily scarce, maybe 8-10 split combinations exist in the 1861 issue, *ex-Rosenthal*; with 1993 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott Nos. **8b** . . . . . Estimate $2,500 - 3,500



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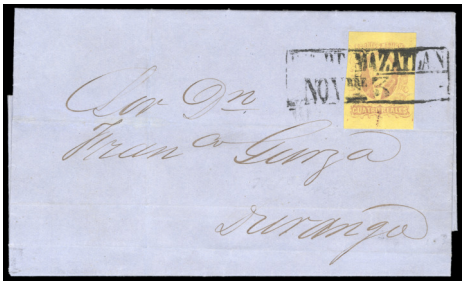
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346 **/*❒ **1861, Second Issue, 4r Black on Yellow,** with **forged Veracruz overprints**, almost complete sheet of 59 (1 stamps missing), o.g., most stamps never hinged, full selvage at sides, horizontal creases affecting four rows and some flaws at top, **F.-V.F. appearance,** the largest and unique multiple of this stamp, a true rarity of the issue despite the overprints (sold in the 2002 Afinsa auction for $25,000), *ex-M. Burrus & J. Schatzkes* (who believed it was a genuine uncommon overprint from the end of the 1861 issue); with 2017 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott Nos. **9** . . . . . Estimate $2,500 - 3,500

347 o **1861, Second Issue, 4r Black on Yellow, Colima,** light oval cancel, **Very Fine,** NF $250.
Scott Nos. **9** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

348 ✉ **1861, Second Issue, 4r Black on Yellow, Corner Margin Single, Guadalajara,** tied by fancy mute and oval **Tepic** handstamps (Schatzkes 411 & 412) with manuscript date at center on folded letter sheet to Mazatlán, **Very Fine and attractive**; with 2023 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott Nos. **9** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

349 ▲ **1861, Second Issue, 4r Black on Yellow, Vertical Bisect, Querétaro,** left portion of stamp, tied on piece by bold **San Miguel de Allende monogram** cancel (Schatzkes 1308B), **an Extremely Fine strike**; with 1995 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott Nos. **9a** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

350 ✉ **1861, Second Issue, 4r Dull Rose on Yellow, Mazatlan,** large to huge margins, tied by boxed **Mazatlan** date stamp cancel (Schatzkes 739) on 1863 folded letter to Durango, **Very Fine and choice** (NF $300 off cover).
Scott Nos. **10** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

351 ✉ **1861, Second Issue, 4r Dull Rose on Yellow, Mexico,** in combination with **1861, Second Issue, 2r black on pink, Mexico** (8) on 1861 folded letter sheet to Veracruz, tied by Mexico cds, **Very Fine.**
Scott Nos. **10** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



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352 ✉ **1861, Second Issue, 4r Dull Rose on Yellow, Diagonal Bisect, Chihuahua,** upper left portion of stamp with district overprint, tied by neat **Parral** boxed handstamp (Schatzkes 160) on folded letter sheet to Chihuahua, **Very Fine and choice**; with 2024 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott Nos. **10a**. . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500



353 ✉ **1861, Second Issue, 8r Black on Red Brown, Colima,** natural paper wrinkle and wide margins, tied by neat Colima oval handstamp (Schatzkes 179) on folded letter sheet to Guadalajara, **Very Fine** (NF $550 as single); with 2017 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott Nos. **11** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000



354 (✉) **1861, Second Issue, 8r Black on Red Brown, Quadrisect, Tampico,** in combination with **1861, Second Issue, 1r black on green, postal forgery** on cover front to San Luis Potosi, **Very Fine,** probably the only quadrisect usage in combination with a postal forgery; with 2023 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott Nos. **11b** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500

355 ✉ **1861, Second Issue, 8r Black on Red Brown, Diagonal Bisect, Colima,** lower right portion of stamp tied by Colima oval handstamp (Schatzkes 179) on cover to Guadalajara, with "1" due marking on reverse, **Very Fine,** only 4 covers known with this split in this district; with 2010 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott Nos. **11c**. . . . . Estimate $600 - 800

356 (*) **1864-66, Eagle, 3c Brown, Without District Overprint,** no gum, ample to mostly large margins, strong color, **Very Fine and choice,** only 197 issued; with 1994 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott Nos. **18a** $700

357 */o **1864-66, Eagle Group,** of 4 attractive singles; ½r Jalapa unused cons 8-1866 sub 5 (20d), two first period 2r orange issues with cancels Amecameca (sub 23) Chalco and Cordova (Schatzkes 90), and 1r blue from Chalco-Amecameca cons 195-1865, sub 4, **Very Fine** (N.F. $232).
Scott Nos. **20d, 23a, 21** . . . . . Estimate $100 - 150



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358 ✉ **1866, Eagle (5th Period), 1r Blue, Horizontal Strip of Three, Guadalajara,** cons 155-1866, tied by negative **Tepic** circular handstamps (Schatzkes 416) on folded letter sheet to Mazatlan, additional Tepic oval handstamp (Schatzkes 417) with manuscript date, **Very Fine**; signed Bash.
Scott Nos. **21 var.** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

359 o **1866, Emperor Maximilian (Litho), 7c Lilac Gray, Tepeji Del Rio,** cons 15-1866, oval **Polotitlan** cancel (Schatzkes 1145), small thin and tear at left, **Very Fine appearance,** still probably unique (N.F. $600).
Scott Nos. **26** . . . . . Estimate $100 - 150

360 * **1866, Emperor Maximilian (Litho), 7c Lilac Gray, Tula,** neat straight line Tula cancel (Schatzkes 1690), ample to large margins, **Very Fine and choice,** only 350 sent (no photo).
Scott Nos. **26** . . . . . Estimate $75 - 100

1867 Hidalgo Gothic Issue



361 * **1867, Gothic "Mexico", ½r Black on Buff,** o.g., full margins, natural pre-printing paperfold, **Very Fine and choice,** this stamp was from a small run at the end of the issue, they had run out of paper and used paper remnants; with 1959 P.F. & 2013 M.E.P.S.I. certificates.
Scott Nos. **35** $4,000

AN EXTREMELY RARE MINT EXAMPLE OF THE 1867 ½R HIDALGO WITH GOTHIC "MEXICO" ISSUE.

362 **/*❒ **1867, Gothic "Mexico", 1r Black on Green,** block of 9, o.g., most never hinged, light vertical crease affecting center stamps, **F.-V.F.,** believed to be third largest multiple known, *ex-Gutierrez & O. Rodriguez*.
Scott Nos. **36** . . . . . Estimate $600 - 800

363 o **1867, Gothic "Mexico", 1r & 2r Issues,** canceled out of district in Amecameca and Puebla respectively, **Very Fine,** the Gothics were meant to be used only from Mexico City, there are a handful of stamps that were used elsewhere, all are very rare.
Scott Nos. **36-37** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

364 o **1867, Gothic "Mexico", 1r Black on Green, Tlalmanalco out of district** cancel (Schatzkes 854), **Very Fine,** the Gothics were meant to be used only from Mexico City, there are a handful of stamps that were used elsewhere, this is the only one from Tlalmanalco.
Scott Nos. **36** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

365 ▲ **1867, Gothic "Mexico", 1r Black on Green,** horizontal strip of 3, tied on piece by boxed **Perote out of district** cancel (Schatzkes 630 & 630A), **Very Fine,** the Gothics were meant to be used only from Mexico City, there are a handful of stamps that were used elsewhere, this is the only one from Perote.
Scott Nos. **36** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600



366 ✉ **1867, Gothic "Mexico", 1r Black on Green,** tied by **Diligencias de Cuautla** oval handstamp (Schatzkes 844) on 1868 folded letter sheet to Mexico, **Very Fine,** although Gothic stamps were meant to be used from Mexico City, there were 2,000 stamps sent to the Stagecoach Company to be used from Cuautla, there are only 3-4 covers recorded and are rarities; with 1998 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott Nos. **36** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500

367 * **1867, Gothic "Mexico", 4r Red on Yellow,** showing **triple impression of the top tablet**, Mexico town cancel, **Very Fine and choice,** unusual and likely unique.
Scott Nos. **38** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

368 o **1867, Gothic "Mexico", 4r Red on Yellow, Puebla "Franco" out of district** cancel (Schatzkes 1147B), **Very Fine,** Gothics were meant to be used only from Mexico City, there are a handful of stamps that were used elsewhere, this is the only high value from Puebla.
Scott Nos. **38** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

369 o **1867, Gothic "Mexico", 4r Red on Yellow,** thee singles with **foreign arrival cancels**; Manchester, Indias (Spain) and French packet, **F.-V.F.**
Scott Nos. **38** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

370 o **1867, Gothic "Mexico", 8r Black on Red Brown,** from position 1 at the top left of the sheet, jumbo margins top and left, mute grid cancel, **Very Fine.**
Scott Nos. **40**; $275 . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



371 o **1867, Gothic "Mexico", 8r Green on Red Brown,** top margin single, mute grid cancel, large margins with wide sheet selvage, **Extremely Fine,** the rarest stamp of the post intervention provisional Gothic issue with less than fifteen singles known, *ex-D. Pietsch*; with 1996 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott Nos. **41** $4,000

372 o **1867, Gothic "Mexico", 8r Green on Red Brown,** grid cancels (Schatzkes 827), clear to large margins, couple pre-printing horizontal paper folds, **F.-V.F.,** the rarest stamp of the post intervention provisional Gothic issues; signed J.K. Bash.
Scott Nos. **41** $4,000

373 o **1867, Gothic "Mexico" on Thin Gray-Blue Paper, ½r Gray, Puebla "Franco" out of district** cancel (Schatzkes 1147B), wide margins, **Very Fine,** only 2-3 medios are recorded used out of district, most likely unique; with 1999 M.E.P.S.I. certificate (not opining on cancel).
Scott Nos. **42** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

374 o **1867, Gothic "Mexico" on Thin Gray-Blue Paper, 1r Blue,** horizontal pair, **Diligencias de Cuautla** oval cancels (Schatzkes 844), **F.-V.F.,** although Gothic stamps were meant to be used from Mexico City, there were 800 stamps sent to the Stagecoach Company to be used from Cuautla, there are approximately 4-5 recorded, but this is the only pair.
Scott Nos. **43** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

375 o **1867, Gothic "Mexico" on Thin Gray-Blue Paper, 2r Green,** four singles **canceled out of district in Puebla, Orizava, Tasco and Veracruz**, Puebla stamp with pre-printing paper wrinkles, **Very Fine,** Gothics were meant to be used only from Mexico City, there are a handful of stamps that were used elsewhere, each of these stamps is most likely unique; with 1996 M.E.P.S.I. certificate for Tasco stamp.
Scott Nos. **44** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

1868 Hidalgo Full Face Issues

376 o **1868, 25c-100c Full Face Hidalgo Group,** 11 stamps with very large margins, 4 are 100c (thin and thick figures) and 4 are 50c (thin and thick figures), there is a 100c thin perforated unused (NF $650) 7-68 from Monterrey, has a thin but is very rare, **F.-V.F. overall** (NF $900+).
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

377 o❒ **1868, Hidalgo (Thin Figures, Imperf), 6c Black on Buff,** with **trial overprint cons 01-68**, complete sheet of 50, pen canceled, slight crease and some wrinkling, **otherwise Very Fine,** this unique item was probably printed in the "pre-printing period".
Scott Nos. **46** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500

378 ✉ **1868, Hidalgo (Thin Figures, Imperf), 25c Blue on Pink, Tampico, Strip of Three and Single,** cons 39-68 tied by Tampico circular handstamps (Schatzkes 1581) on 1869 folded letter sheet to San Luis Potosi, **Very Fine,** Follansbee census of largest multiples only records strips of three.
Scott Nos. **48** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

379 (*) **1868, Hidalgo (Thin Figures, Perforated), 100c Brown on Brown (Acapulco),** cons 25-68, without district name, bottom margin single, no gum, bright and fresh, **F.-V.F.** (N.F. $1,000); with 2005 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott Nos. **57** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

380 ✉ **1868, Hidalgo (Thick Figures, Imperf), 12c Black on Green, Puebla, Two Singles,** cons 4-70, tied by bold fancy straight line **Chiautla** handstamp (Schatzkes 1187) on 1871 folded letter sheet to Puebla, receiving date stamp on reverse, **Very Fine and choice**; signed J.K. Bash.
Scott Nos. **59** . . . . . Estimate $100 - 150

381 */o **1868, Hidalgo (Thick Figures, Imperf), 50c Black on Yellow, Mexico Group,** lot with twenty one 50c stamps selected for their cancels or condition (one unused) from consignment 1-24, **generally F.-V.F. or better** (N.F. $496).
Scott Nos. **62** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



382 * **1868, Hidalgo (Thick Figures, Perforated), 50c Blue on Light Pink, Color Error (Puebla),** cons 14-68, without name of district, o.g., full margins, **Very Fine,** very rare, especially so in mint condition; signed J.K. Bash, with 2005 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott Nos. **69b** . . . . . Estimate $2,000 - 3,000

This error was caused early in the issue when a thick figure 50c cliche was misplaced on the 25c plate (Stone C) at two positions, one of which was corrected by redrawing the denomination and the other creating this error. The error was quickly caught with a few examples getting out in the first shipments of the issue. It is known from Puebla, Oaxaca, Orizava, Queretaro and Veracruz districts.

383 */(*) **1872, "Anotado", Imperf, 12c Black on Green Group,** lot of eight 12c stamps from Chiapas, Chihuahua, Durango and Lagos, all unused, o.g. or without gum, **generally F.-V.F. or better.**
Scott Nos. **72** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

384 o **1872, Hidalgo Imperf, 25c Red, "LA + F" Watermark, Querétaro,** cons 35-73, boxed cancel, full balanced margins, **Very Fine and choice.**
Scott Nos. **83b** $575

385 o❒ **1872, Hidalgo Imperf, 6c Green, Victoria,** unwatermarked, cons 12-72, block of 4, central Tula de Tamaulipas oval cancel (Schatzkes 1840) (no photo).
Scott Nos. **93** . . . . . Estimate $100 - 150

386 ✉ **1872, Hidalgo Imperf, 12c Blue & 25c Red Issue Group,** unwatermarked, with three pristine covers: solo use of 12c and 25c + a combination of both, cancels from Guanajuato 12c (13-72), Santa Rosalia and San Luis (37-73), **Very Fine.**
Scott Nos. **94, 95** . . . . . Estimate $100 - 150


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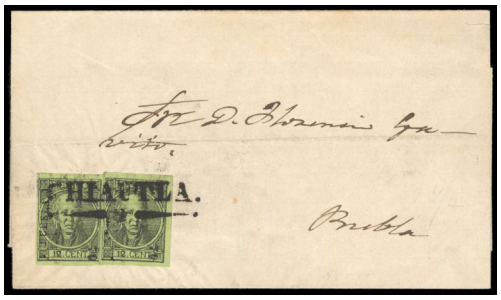
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387 ✉ **1881, Hidalgo Profile, 5c Brown, Thin Paper, Horizontal Strip of Three and Pair, Durango,** cons 3881, all tied by neat blue "Villa De Lerdo" oval handstamp on 1881 folded letter to Durango, **Very Fine.**
Scott Nos. **118**. . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

388 (✉) **1881, Hidalgo Profile, 100c Carmine, Thin Paper, Zacatecas,** cons 280, on registered front to Pinos dated May 1884, tied by blue grid handstamp with matching boxed "Franco" handstamp and Fresnillo box date stamp, bold Fresnillo certification date stamp at center; couple small edge nicks, **still Very Fine,** probably 75 registered fronts exist of this issue exist, they are all fronts as the postal rules required the addressee to sign as proof of receipt.
Scott Nos. **122**. . . . . Estimate $400 - 600



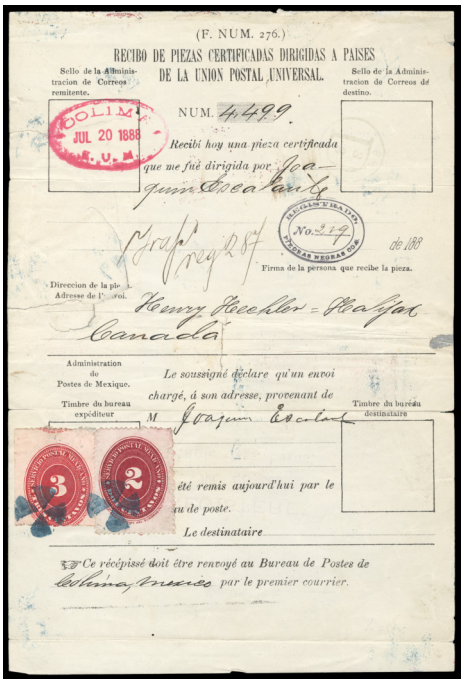
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1884-85 Hidalgo Medalion Issue

389 ✉ **1884, Hidalgo Medallion, 1c Green, Block of 10,** on reverse of cover to Mexico with "Tehuantepec" overprint on or over each stamp, tied by indistinct townmark, 1885 Tehuantepec oval handstamp on front, **Very Fine,** although the system of district overprints had been eliminated for this issue, some places kept overprinting their stamps, only 2 covers are recorded, *ex Bard*.
Scott Nos. **150**. . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

390 ✉ **1884, Hidalgo Medallion, 1c Green, Imperf, Block of Four,** on reverse of cover, in combination with **1884, Hidalgo Medallion, 4c green, imperf, vertical pair** (153a) on pristine cover from Allende to Mexico dated 1892; cover opened at sides for display, **Very Fine,** a unique combination of two imperfs.
Scott Nos. **150a** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

391 ✉ **1884, Hidalgo Medallion, 6c Green,** on cover from Hermosillo to New York tied by neat blue grid handstamp with matching "Nogales, Sonora Jul 25, 1884" boxed date stamp alongside, transit backstamps, **Extremely Fine,** this rate was in place briefly so covers with solo usages are very scarce, *ex Bard*.
Scott Nos. **155**. . . . . Estimate $100 - 150

392 ✉ **1885, Hidalgo Medallion, 1c Pale Green, Three Singles,** on cover from Chalchihuites to Zacatecas, bright purple cancels and eagle cachet from the Finance Department, paying the rare 3c government discounted rate, **Extremely Fine and attractive,** a unique usage, *ex Bard*.
Scott Nos. **165**. . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

393 ✉ **1885, Hidalgo Medallion, 3c Orange Brown,** cut in at top to fit on cover, with **1886, Numerals, 1c green + 2c red + 4c lilac + 1887 10c scarlet, ledger lines** (174, 175, 177, 199) on a very attractive registered cover form Veracruz to England; cover tear at left, **Very Fine,** there are only three recorded 10c Ledger Line issues on cover.
Scott Nos. **167**. . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

394 ✉ **1885, Hidalgo Medallion, 4c Red Orange,** showing plate scratch in top margin, with **1886, Numeral, 6c lilac** (179) on mixed issue franking cover from Colima to Guadalajara; light staining at lower left affecting 6c stamp, **F.-V.F.,** this combination is probably unique.
Scott Nos. **168**. . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1886 Numeral Issue

395 ✉ **1886, Numeral Unwatermarked, 1c Yellow Green, Perf 12, Ten Singles,** cut to shape on a pristine cover to Guadalajara received in June 1887, routed via Nogales and Paso del Norte, **Very Fine.**
Scott Nos. **174**. . . . . Estimate $250 - 350



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396 ✉ **1886, Numeral Unwatermarked, 1c Yellow Green, Perf 12, Horizontal Pair,** with **1886, Numeral, 3c lilac** (176) on a pristine cover from Tapachula to New York via Panama Canal, probably unique with this route, Panama postmark dated Nov 1887; left 1c with corner nick, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Scott Nos. **174**. . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

397 ✉ **1886, Numeral Unwatermarked, 2c Carmine, Perf 12,** with **1887, Numeral, 3c vermillion** (184) on a rare form 276 (receipt for registered letters sent abroad) paying 5c AR fee for return receipt, dated July 1888 and sent to Canada; some form flaws, **F.-V.F.,** less than 5 such receipts exist.
Scott Nos. **175**. . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

398 ✉ **1886, Numeral Unwatermarked, 2c Carmine, Perf 12, Horizontally Bisected,** lower portion of stamp on cover from Irapuato to Culiacan, contains a printed circular inside, **Very Fine,** very scarce.
Scott Nos. **175d** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

399 ✉ **1886, Numeral Unwatermarked, 3c Lilac, Perf 12,** on pristine cover from Fresnillo to Zacatecas, Official mail with the rare 3c government discounted rate, red cachet from the finance administration department of Fresnillo, **Very Fine,** this rate is very scarce.
Scott Nos. **176**. . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

400 ✉ **1886, Numeral Unwatermarked, 5c Ultramarine, Perf 12,** on 2 attractive an Mexico & Fresnillo private postal cards, one has advertising from a drugstore, also a **1886, Numeral, 1c green + 4c lilac** (174, 177) from La Esperanza, **Very Fine.**
Scott Nos. **178**. . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

401 ✉ **1886, Numeral Unwatermarked, 6c Lilac, Perf 12,** rare cover from San Juan Bautista, Tabasco to New York, rate had recently changed from 6c to 5c to theU.S. and the postmaster in this remote office did not know, **Very Fine.**
Scott Nos. **179**. . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

402 ✉ **1886, Numeral Unwatermarked, 12c Lilac, Perf 12,** with **1886, Numeral, 3c lilac + 5c blue** (176, 178) on registered cover Mexico to Italy, **Very Fine.**
Scott Nos. **181**. . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

403 (✉) **1886, Numeral Unwatermarked, 25c Lilac, Perf 12,** on **1886, Numeral, 6c lilac** (179) on a handsome registered front from Jalacingo to Atempa, **Very Fine.**
Scott Nos. **183**. . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

404 (✉) **1886, Numeral Unwatermarked, 25c Lilac, Perf 12,** with **1887, 3c scarlet Numeral** (184) on registered judicial front from Jalacingo to Jalapa, multiple transit markings, **Very Fine,** registered mail should be in fronts as the postal rules required the addressee to sign this front of receipt.
Scott Nos. **183**. . . . . Estimate $100 - 150



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405 ✉ **1887, Numeral Unwatermarked, 10c Brown Lilac, Perf 6,** on 1887 maritime cover to Veracruz to France, **Very Fine,** this stamp is most likely unique on cover.
Scott Nos. **193A**. . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

406 ✉ **1887, Numeral on Blue Lined Paper, 2c Brown Carmine, Colima Provisional,** group of 2 nice covers and 3 stamps; with cover to San Francisco with two 2c Ledger Lines perf 6x6 Colima Provisionals (202v), a 3c and a strip of three 5c Ledger Lines perf 6x6, other cover is to Galveston with a genuine single 2c Ledger Lines perf 12 (196v) Colima Provisional with a genuine black surcharge paying the 1c Printed Matter rate, 2 genuine singles and 1 fake stamps are included, **Very Fine.**
Scott Nos. **202 var., 204, 196 var.** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

The Colima Provisionals were a fabrication by the postmaster at Colima. He devalued some 2c stamps to 1c applying a surcharge overprint. He then sold them with a profit. Maybe 15-20 covers are known.

407 ✉ **1887, Numeral on Blue Lined Paper, 10c Brown Lilac, Perf 6,** group lot with 3 covers with this uncommon stamp; two are solo usages Tampico to London and Veracruz to France and one has 2 stamps Mexico to Italy, **Very Fine,** the ledger lines issue was an emergency as the printer had run out of regular paper, so he used paper meant for accounting ledgers with green lines.
Scott Nos. **205**. . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1890-95 Numeral Issues

408 ✉ **1890, Numeral, 1c Green,** with **1890, Numeral, 4c vermillion** (215) on a very rare cover from El Rosario to New York, mute cancels and a unique postmark "Amortizado" in blue, **Very Fine,** an article in Mexicana discussed this cover, no one knows the origin or meaning of this unique postmark.
Scott Nos. **212**. . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

409 ✉ **1890, 1c & 2c Numeral Issues,** group lot with 3 uncommon covers with circular/printed matter rates, two 1c are pristine and are domestic and a very rare to France, 2c is going to France, **Very Fine.**
Scott Nos. **212, 213** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

410 ✉ **1890, Numeral, 1c Green,** with **1890, Numeral, 3c vermilion** (214) on pristine cover from Zihuatlan to San Francisco via Manzanillo, **Very Fine.**
Scott Nos. **212**. . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

411 ✉ **1890, Numeral, 2c Carmine,** with **1890, Numeral, 3c vermillion** (214) on cover to Guatemala, with purple "**Barracouta**" straight line which is a ship marking from a 3rd class British cruiser which was decommissioned in 1905; 2c with small scuff, **otherwise Very Fine,** possibly a unique cancellation.
Scott Nos. **213**. . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

412 ✉ **1890, Numeral, 2c Carmine,** on a newspaper wrapper from Guaymas to Dresden, includes a portion of the newspaper and it is dated November 1894, **Very Fine,** very scarce.
Scott Nos. **214**. . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

413 ✉ **1890, 4c Vermilion,** on blue wrapper Mexico to Brussels, Belgium, **Very Fine,** the only 4r stamp known solo on a wrapper.
Scott Nos. **215**. . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

414 ✉ **1890-95, Numeral, 5c Blue,** in combination with **1890, Numeral, 10c vermillion** (218) on 1892 registered cover from Campeche (blue cancel) to London, paid postage due on receipt as it should have paid 20c, **Very Fine,** *ex Bard*.
Scott Nos. **216**. . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

415 ✉ **1890, 5c Blue,** on cover Queretaro to London dated 1892, paying 5d post on arrival, **Very Fine,** among the most attractive covers of the issue.
Scott Nos. **216**. . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

416 ✉ **1890-95, Numeral, 5c Blue,** in combination with **1890, Numeral, 10c vermillion** (218) on reverse of registered 1892 cover from Zamora to Sidney then redirected to Melbourne, Australia, paid postage due on receipt as it should have paid 20c, **Very Fine.**
Scott Nos. **216**. . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

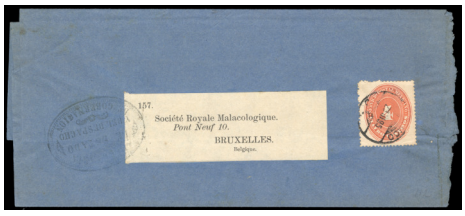
417 ✉ **1895, Numeral, 12c Vermilion,** group of 2 covers; one cover is registered Mexico to Philadelphia with a 3c stamp (214) on back, the other is a solo use Nuevo Laredo to London, **Very Fine,** this stamp was issued a few days before the issue was replaced by the Mulitas issue, unused stamps are plenty but covers are very rare.
Scott Nos. **219**. . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



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418 ✉ **1890-95, Numeral, 20c Lilac,** in combination with **1886, Numeral, 5c blue & 6c lilac pairs + 1885, Hidalgo Medallion, 3c green + 6c green pairs** (178+179+152+155) on reverse of 1887 registered cover from Guadalajara to Paris; cover opened at side for display, **Very Fine,** believed to be **the only 20c Lilac recorded on cover**, *ex Bard*; with 2008 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott Nos. **220a** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

419 (✉) **1890, Numeral, 20c Vermilion, 10 Singles,** with **1890, Numeral, 25c vermillion, 9 singles + 10c vermilion** (221, 218) on a 1890 registered front from Tecamachalco to Chalchicomula, paying $4.35, one of the largest frankings of the issue, **Very Fine.**
Scott Nos. **220** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

420 ✉ **1895, Numeral, 20c Carmine, Horizontal Strip of Four,** with **1895, Numeral, 10c vermilion + 5c blue** (218, 216) on 1895 registered return receipt cover Mexico to London; some light soiling affecting strip, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Scott Nos. **220** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

421 ✉ **1892, Numeral, 10c Orange,** on 1892 cover from Merida to England, with rare purple "Buques Subvencionados" circular postmark in blue (just a few of these exist), **Very Fine.**
Scott Nos. **225** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

422 * **1892, Numeral, 5p Carmine,** o.g., hinge remnant, deep intense color on bright paper, well centered for this notoriously off centered issue, **Very Fine.**
Scott Nos. **228** $1,250

423 o **1892, Numeral, 5p Carmine,** neat Mexico town corner cancel, choice centering, **Extremely Fine.**
Scott Nos. **228** $900



424 * **1892, Numeral, 10p Carmine,** o.g., hinge remnant, well centered amid wide margins, **Very Fine and choice,** a very scarce mint high value.
Scott Nos. **229** $1,900

425 o **1892, Numeral, 10p Carmine,** neat town cancel, well centered with deep color, **Very Fine.**
Scott Nos. **229** $1,250



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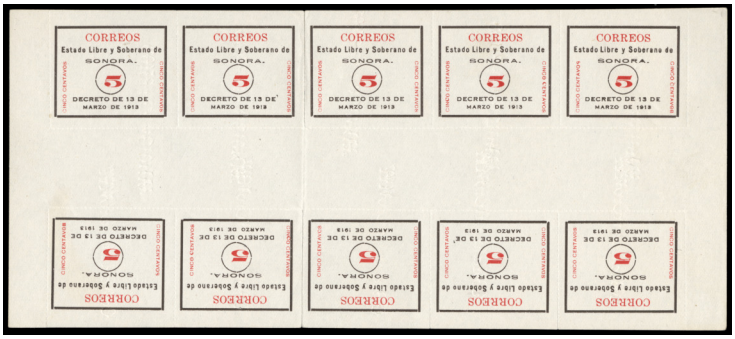


426 * **1892 Hidalgo Medallion 5p Blue Green,** o.g., hinge remnant, rich deep color, choice centering and margins, **Extremely Fine,** one of the finest mint examples extant, Follansbee estimates only 200 were issued, *ex Bash*.
Scott Nos. **230** $3,500

427 * **1895, Mulitas, 1p Brown, Watermark Sideways,** o.g. (small gum crease), wide margins, **Very Fine,** this was a separate printing and the size of the stamp image is shorter than the regular watermark.
Scott Nos. **254a** $750

428 ** **1895, 5p Scarlet, Correoseum Watermark,** o.g., never hinged, brilliant color, **Very Fine,** quite scarce in never hinged condition.
Scott Nos. **255** . . . . . $300 for hinged

429 * **1895, Mulitas, 10p Deep Blue, Correoseum Watermark,** o.g., choice centering amid wide margins, **Extremely Fine.**
Scott Nos. **256** $650



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430 (*)❒ **1913, 5c Red & Black,** complete sheet of 10, with **"Centavob" error at right variety** at end of each strip, without gum as issued, bright and fresh, some roulette separations between two pairs, **still Very Fine,** rare with only 2-3 complete sheet thought to still exist.
Scott Nos. **326, 326a**. . . . . $1,920 for singles

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431 ** **1936, Eagle Man, 20c Lake,** o.g., never hinged, rich color, centered low and attractively balanced around, **fresh and Fine,** a lovely example of this modern mint Mexican rarity; signed Bloch.
Scott Nos. **C76A**. $7,500



432 ✉ **1935 Amelia Earhart Solo Flight - Mexico City to New York City,** registered flight cover addressed to New York City, with inscription and **signature "Carried by air, Mexico D.F., New York, May 8, 1935, Amelia Earhart"**, franked with **1935, 20c Earhart Overprint** and 1930, 40c Air Post Official tied by "Mexico, D.F., 2 May, 35" cds, in combination with U.S. 3¢ and 15¢ tied by ""Newark N.J., May 8"" duplex postmark, appropriate registry datestamps and labels on front and reverse, **Very Fine and choice**; with 1992 E. Diena certificate. AAMC Nos. 1231 $10,000.
Scott Nos. **C74+CO14** . . . . . Estimate $6,000 - 8,000

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433 P **Postage Due, 1908, 2c-10c Blue, Large Die Proofs on India,** affixed to die sunk thin card (70x82mm), each with four small security holes; couple cards slightly toned, **still Very Fine,** very rare with only three sets recorded; each signed Schimmer.
Scott Nos. **J1P-J5P** . . . . . Estimate $1,500 - 2,000

434 P **Postage Due, 1908, 1c-10c Carmine, Proofs on Thick Wove,** each with four small security punch dots, wide even margins, **a Very Fine set,** only 2 sets believed to exist.
Scott Nos. **J1P-J5P** . . . . . Estimate $2,500 - 3,500

435 * **Official, 1895, Mulitas, 10p Deep Blue,** o.g., wide margins, bright and fresh, **F.-V.F.**; with 1993 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott Nos. **O22** $750

436 ✉ **(Netherlands Colony) Surinam, 1803 Fort Amsterdam to Jamaica,** folded letter datelined "29 September, 1803" sent to "Sir John Thomas Duckworth K.B., Rear Admiral and Commander in Chief, Jamaica", with letter from British Captain held prisoner by the Dutch…*I am extremely sorry to inform you that I have at last been obliged to give up His Majesty's Sloop Surinam after repeated demands from the Dutch Government, of this Island, it is impossible to describe the behavior of my officers and men, their conduct has been remarkably good indeed, in every respect. The duplicity of the Dutch Government, since the Surinam has been in Surcar is beyond anything I can describe, ever since we have been prisoners of War, we have been fired upon in the night, in the house allotted for me. You will no doubt be surprised at receiving no Officers with the people send down to you, the reason is, the Council required us to sign a paper that war, or no war, or in the event it should prove a war hereafter, between England and Holland, we should engage not to serve against the Batavian Republic, or their Allies until we were regularly exchanged, agreeable to our rank and situations, which we positively refused, saying we would stay in prison for seven years, than sign any such paper.*; cover with light staining at lower left, **F.-V.F.,** a rare letter from a British prisoner of war in Dutch Suriname after the Dutch reclaimed it in 1802.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

437 ✉ **Nicaragua, Leon & Granada,** three ca. 1800-1810 folded letter sheets; one with blue boxed "Leon" handstamp (Harris 32) addressed to Guatemala, and two strikes of fancy "Gra-Nada" boxed handstamp (21), one to Leon and other to Guatemala, **Very Fine,** *ex-Moorhouse.*
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

438 ✉ **Nicaragua, 1930 Puerto Cabezas - Cristobal, C.Z. First Flight,** cover to Cristobal, C.Z. franked with 1929, Views, 1c + 2c + 5c strip of five canceled by box handstamps with matching "Puerto Cabezas, Abr 24, 1930" cds, with special "**Primer Correo Aero, Puerto Cabezas - America del Sur, y Central, Col. Chas. A, Lindbergh, Piloto**" cachet flight handstamp, receiving backstamp, **Very Fine,** this was **flown by Lindbergh with less than 10 covers were dispatched on this particular leg of the flight**, *ex-Moorhouse.*
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

439 **/*❒ **Paraguay, 1878, 5c on 1r Rose,** top left corner margin block of 4, o.g., hinged at top, never hinged at bottom, ample margins with full sheet selvage, bright color, **Very Fine and choice.**
Scott Nos. **4** . . . . . $400 for hinged singles

440 */o **Portugal, 1853, 5r-50r Queen Maria II Issues,** 5r & 50r used, 25r unused (no gum), used with light barred cancels, all with large margins and strong colors, 25r with light creases and small thin, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Scott Nos. **1-3** $2,650

441 ▲ **Portugal, 1853, Queen Maria II, 5r Reddish Brown,** on piece with socked-on-the-nose barred "53" circular cancel, blue 1853 Porto town cancel alongside, ample to large margins, **Very Fine.**
Michel Nos. 1 a. Afinsa Nos. 1.
Scott Nos. **1** $850



442 o **Azores, 1868, 10r Yellow,** barred "48" circular cancel, ample to large margins, unusually rich color, natural paper wrinkle and slight break in paper from overprint application, **otherwise Very Fine,** one of the rarest stamps in Portuguese philately; signed Calves.
Scott Nos. **2** $10,000

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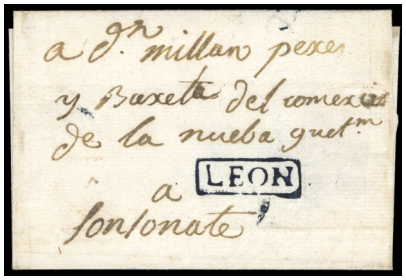
443 * **Madeira, 1868, 20r (2), 80r, 100r Imperforate Issues,** all with excellent margins all round, 20r part o.g. and unused, 80r unused, 100r full o.g., 80r fault, **otherwise F.-V.F.**; 100r signed twice.
Scott Nos. **2, 4-5**. $875

444 * **Russia, Airmail, 1934, Dirigibles Complete,** o.g., strong bold colors, **fresh and Very Fine.** Michel Nos. 483-487.
Scott Nos. **C53-C57**. $518

445 **❒ **Somalia, 1920, 10c & 30c-50c Postage Dues, Overprint at Bottom,** blocks of 6, strong to rich colors, **all fresh and Fine,** scarce multiples.
Scott Nos. **J13a, 15a-17a** $8,310



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446 ✉ **Cuba, Spanish Cuba, 1857, Isabella II, ½rp Blue,** on folded letter sheet tied by oval handstamp, matching "Santo Domingo, Jul 23, 63" cds alongside, **Very Fine,** a rare small town.
Scott Nos. **12** . . . . . Estimate $100 - 150

447 ▲ **Cuba, 1855, ¼rp on 2rp Carmine,** tied on piece by 1859 Havana town cancel, clear to large margins, bold color, **Very Fine.**
Scott Nos. **7** $250

448 ✉ **Cuba, Spanish Cuba, 1873, 10c Brown, "Giros" Revenue,** tied by grid handstamp on 1873 folded letter from Cienfuegos to Matanzas, receiving backstamp, **Very Fine and unusual,** an accepted revenue as postage usage.
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

Switzerland

449 o **Zürich, 1846, 6rp Black, Horizontal Underprint,** bold red rosette cancel, ample to large margins, light crease at upper right, **Very Fine appearance**; with 1976 von der Weid, 1980 E. Rellstab & 2022 Marchand certificate. Zumstein Nos. 2W.
Scott Nos. **1L4** $1,775

450 o **Geneva, 1850, "Vaud", 5c Black & Red,** bottom margin single, grid cancel, mostly large margins, **Very Fine.** Zumstein Nos. 10.
Scott Nos. **2L6** $1,950

451 ▲ **1850, Orts-Post, 2½rp Black & Red, with Frame Around Cross,** tied on piece by diamond grid cancel with matching "Morges, 30 Sept, 51" town cancel, clear to large margins, tiny scissor separation cut in top margin, **F.-V.F.**; with 1966 Dr. F. Wallner certificate. Zumstein Nos. 13 I.
Scott Nos. **1** $1,500



452 ✉ **1850, Rayon I, 5rp Light Blue, Black & Red, without Frame Around Cross,** margins large showing portions of dividing lines on all sides, tied by neat blue grid handstamp on folded letter to Genthod, matching "Geneve, 22 Fevr, 54" cds, **Extremely Fine,** a choice on cover usage; with 1988 E. Rellstab certificate. Zumstein Nos. 15 IIa.
Scott Nos. **7**; $1,225 . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600



453 * **1850, Rayon II, 10rp Yellow, Black & Red, without Frame Around Cross,** type 23, showing break in lower frameline, o.g., hinge remnant, ample to large margins, strong colors, **Very Fine and choice**; with 2005 R. Berra-Gautschy certificate. Zumstein Nos. 16 II.
Scott Nos. **8** $1,000

454 F **1851, Rayon I, 5rp Light Blue & Red, with Frame Around Cross, Sperati Reproduction,** grid cancel, full margins, with light Sperati handstamp on reverse and numbered "271", **Very Fine.**
Scott Nos. **9R** . . . . . Estimate $100 - 150

455 (*) **1851, Rayon I, 15rp Light Blue & Red, without Frame Around Cross,** no gum, ample to mostly large margins, deep colors, couple small thins at bottom, **Very Fine appearance**; with 2005 R. Berra-Gautschy certificate. Zumstein Nos. 17 II.
Scott Nos. **10** $625



456 o **1851, Rayon I, 15rp Light Blue & Red, without Frame Around Cross,** horizontal pair (types 25/26), central diamond grid cancel, ample to mostly large margins showing dividing lines on three sides, bright colors, **Very Fine and choice**; with 2001 Marchand certificate. Zumstein Nos. 17 II.
Scott Nos. **10** . . . . . $320 for singles

457 o **1854-55, Sitting Helvetia ("Strubel"), 5rp Pale Yellow Brown, Emerald Silk Threads, Bern Printing,** neat grid cancels, ample to huge margins showing portion of adjacent stamp at left, strong bright color, **Extremely Fine**; with 1989 E. Rellstab certificate. Zumstein Nos. 22B.
Scott Nos. **20** $170



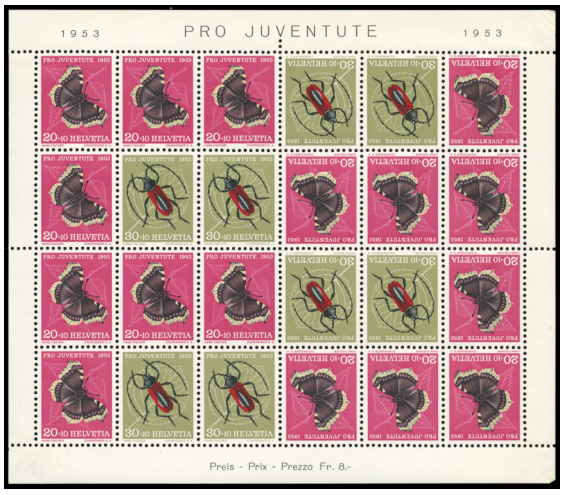
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458 (⊠) **1855, Sitting Helvetia ("Strubel"), 40rp Yellow Green, Maroon Silk Threads, Horizontal Pair,** in combination with **1855, 5rp yellow brown, yellow silk threads + 1854-55, 20rp pale orange, emerald silk threads, Bern printing** (24+23) on part folded letter (missing top and bottom flaps) to **Nimes, France**, with matching "Yverdon, 31 Jan, 56" origin cds, red Swiss transit cds and reverse with French transit and receiving cds's, **Very Fine and attractive**; with 2004 U. Hermann certificate. Zumstein No. 26C.
Scott No. **29** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500

459 ⊠ **1857, Sitting Helvetia ("Strubel"), 15rp Pale Dull Rose, Green Silk Threads on Thin Paper,** margins to in at bottom, in combination with **1857, 20rp pale dull orange, green silk threads** (34) on cover to **Marseilles, France**, tied by "Geneve, 16 Octo, 57" cds's, transit and receiving backstamps, **Very Fine.** Zumstein No. 24F.
Scott No. **33** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

460 o **1940, Arms and Shield, 90c & 1.50fr Issues, Ordinary Paper,** neat town cancels, vibrant colors, **Very Fine,** the 1.50fr particularly scarce used.
Scott No. **200b, 202b** $803

461 **/*❒ **1945, Pax, 5c-10fr Complete,** without the 5c semi-postal, 5c-2fr marginal blocks of 4, 3fr-10fr in blocks of 6, o.g., blocks of 6 with two stamps hinged, others never hinged, rich vibrant colors throughout, **a Very Fine set,** a scarce block set. Zumstein No. 262-274.
Scott No. **293-305** $2,526

462 ** **1953 Pro Juventute "Insect" Miniature Sheet of 24,** o.g., never hinged, **fresh and Very Fine.** Zumstein No. oZ41.
Scott No. **B229a** $375

463 **❒ **Airmail, 1929-30, 35c-2fr Definitive Issue Complete,** blocks of 4, o.g., never hinged, 35c with bottom margin and 2fr corner margin, all bright and fresh, **a Very Fine set.** Zumstein No. 13-15.
Scott No. **C13-C15** . . . . . $1,200 for singles



464 ** **Airmail, 1935, 10c on 15c Disarmament Conference, Inverted Surcharge,** o.g., never hinged, exceptional centering bright and fresh, **Extremely Fine,** very rare with only 50 examples issues. Zumstein No. 20.1.09.
Scott No. **C20a** . . . . . $6,500 for hinged

A CHOICE NEVER HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 1935 10C ON 15C DISARMAMENT CONFERENCE AIRMAIL ISSUE WITH SURCHARGE INVERTED.

465 ** **Tannu Tuva, 1932, 3k on 70k, Inverted Surcharge,** o.g., never hinged, excellent color and centering, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine**; with copy of 2019 A.P.S. certificate for block of 4.
Scott No. **31a** $600

United States Postal History

The Ron Lerch Collection of California Miner's Illustrated Covers

466 *✉ **The Bouquet of California,** steel engraving showing **View of San Francisco** on unused cover with D.E. Appleton & Co. imprint, also includes a unused Magnus front showing S.F. view and Indians in canoe in violet, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

467 ✉ **The California Escutcheon,** illustrated **State Seal** design with J.M. Hutchings' imprint, on fresh cover carried out of the mails to Johnston, R.I., **Very Fine and choice,** one of only five recorded examples of this California State Seal design, illustrated in Kutz *Gold Fever* (page 71), *ex-Clifford & Kutz*.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

468 ✉ **California State Seal,** illustrated design with Noisy Carrier's imprint below, on cover to North Plains, Mich. with red "San Francisco, Paid 10, Sep 23, 1855" cds; cover cleaned and refolded with sealed tear right, **Very Fine appearance,** very rare with only four examples known of this Noisy Carrier's design, *ex-Toaspern*.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750



469 ✉ **(The Expressman),** illustrated miners design showing **Expressman on Horseback Delivering "Letters from Home" to News-Starved Miners** with J.M. Hutchings' imprint, on cover to Chardon, O. franked with **1851, 3¢ dull red, horizontal pair** (11A) tied by "Forest City, Cal., Feb 9th" cds with manuscript date; cover with some minor edge restoration, **otherwise Very Fine,** one of ten known examples of this illustrated design.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

470 ✉ **The Expressman,** illustrated J.M. Hutchings' California Envelope showing **Expressman on Horseback Delivering "Letters from Home" to News-Starved Miners** on cover to Johnston, R.I., manuscript postmark of Little York (Cal.) with manuscript canceled 1857, 3¢ dull red (which probably is a replacement for a 10¢), **Extremely Fine appearance,** *ex-Haas & Kapiloff*.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

ONE OF TEN RECORDED EXAMPLES OF THIS ILLUSTRATED MINER'S COVER. A WONDERFUL AND RARE J.M. HUTCHING CALIFORNIA ENVELOPE DESIGN.

471 ✉ **I Have Got Most Enough,** illustrated miner design showing **Happy Miner Holding Gold Pan** with manuscript notation "over the left, I have" and Noisy Carrier's imprint below, on cover to Norwalk, O. franked with **1851, 3¢ dull red, two singles** (11A) tied by "Jackson, Cal, Nov 29" cds; expert cover edge restoration at bottom right, **otherwise Very Fine,** a very rare Noisy Carrier's design with only four examples recorded.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750



472 ✉ **If Here Aint a Letter,** illustrated design showing **Gentlemen Delivering Letter From the Goldfields** with Noisy Carrier's imprint below, on cover to Camden, Me. franked with **1857, 10¢ green, type III** (33) tied by "Michigan Bluff, Cal" cds; cover edge repair at top, **Very Fine,** illustrated in Kutz *Gold Fever* (page 70), *ex-West, Polland & Kutz*.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

ONE OF ONLY THREE RECORDED EXAMPLES OF THIS NOISY CARRIER'S HUMOROUS CALIFORNIA DESIGN.



473 ✉ **In a Tight Place,** illustrated miner's design depicting **Miner Shooting Grizzlies** with "Wide West Office, San Francisco" imprint, on cover to Clinton, N.Y. franked with **1851, 3¢ dull red, horizontal pair** (11A) tied by "Mormon Island, Cala, Jan 30" oval date stamp; cover repair at foot and minor faults, **F.-V.F.,** *ex-Grunin & Kutz*.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

ONLY FOUR EXAMPLES OF THIS STRIKING GRIZZLY BEAR AND MINER DESIGN ARE RECORDED BY KUTZ.



474 ✉ **Long Tom,** pictorial design showing **Miners Working Long Tom Sluice** with "Noisy Carriers 77 Long Wharf, San Francisco" imprint, design placed vertically on cover to Meriden, N.H., with red "San Francisco, Cal, Paid 6, Mar 16" cds, minor edge faults, **Very Fine,** *ex-Polland & Kutz*.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

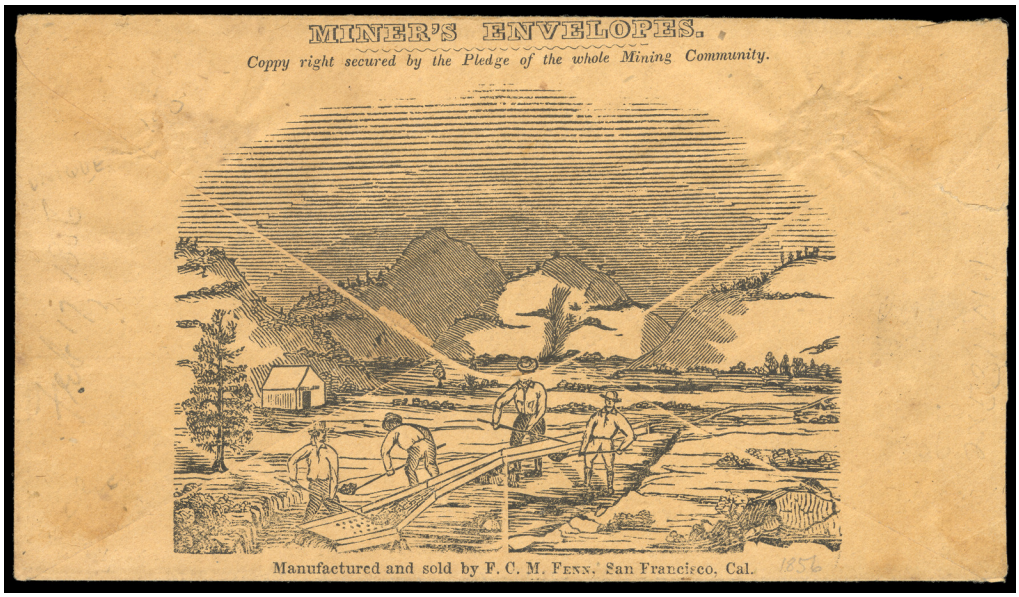
ONE OF TWO RECORDED EXAMPLES OF THIS NOISY CARRIERS "LONG TOM" ILLUSTRATED MINER COVER.



475 ✉ **Long Tom,** pictorial design showing **Miners Working Long Tom Sluice** on cover to Valliceto, Cal., franked with **1851, 3¢ brownish carmine** (11) tied by "Sonora, Cal., Jun 9, 1857" cds, **Very Fine and choice.**
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

ONE OF THREE RECORDED EXAMPLES OF THIS "LONG TOM" ILLUSTRATED MINER COVER.

476 ✉ **Miners' Coat of Arms,** illustrated miners design showing **Miner and Bear Hold Up Cross With Various Miner Implements** with "Barber & Baker, Sacramento" imprint, on cover to Westfield, N.Y., franked with **1851, 3¢ dull red, horizontal pair** (11A) tied by "Sacramento City, Cal., Oct 14" cds's; cover soiling and edge wear with mended corner at bottom left, **F.-V.F.,** a rare design with twelve examples recorded by Kutz, *ex-Wiltsee*; signed Ashbrook.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750



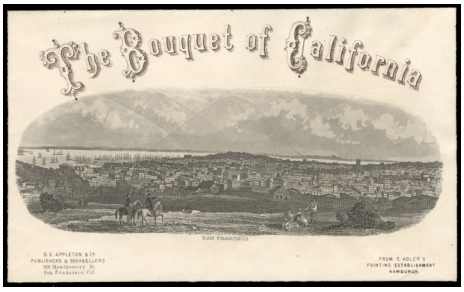
477 ✉ **Miner's Envelope,** illustrated miner's river scene showing **Sluice Box and Miners Working**, "F.C.M. Fenn, San Francisco, Cal." imprint, on reverse of orange buff cover to East Pepperell Mass., bearing **1851, 3¢ dull red** (11A), four even margins, tied by Boston "Paid" circular grid cancel, red "Boston '3cts' 21 Mar" cds, **Very Fine and choice,** *ex-Jessup, Haas & Kutz*; with 2008 P.F. certificate.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

A CHOICE EXAMPLE OF THIS RARE F.C.M. FENN MINER'S ENVELOPE DESIGN WHICH IS UNIQUE.

478 *✉ **(Miner's Envelope),** illustrated miner's **Mountain Scene Showing Bear and Tent**, without "Miner's Envelope" at top and "F.C.M. Fenn, San Francisco, Cal." imprint, on reverse of unused buff cover, some cover creasing, **Very Fine,** a very rare design which is unlisted in Kutz, with the companion Fenn imprint usage being unique.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600



479 ✉ **Mining Scene,** illustrated miner's design depicting **Miner Panning for Gold with Long Tom in Background** with imprint "J.M. Hutchings' California Envelope" at left and "Anthony & Baker SC" engraver's imprint at bottom right of design, on cover to Freeport, Ill., with "Mormon Island, Cala., May 29" oval date stamp with manuscript date and "10" rating; cover with small edge repairs and missing backflap, **F.-V.F.,** lovely illustrated miner cover from Mormon Island; with 1989 P.F. certificate.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000



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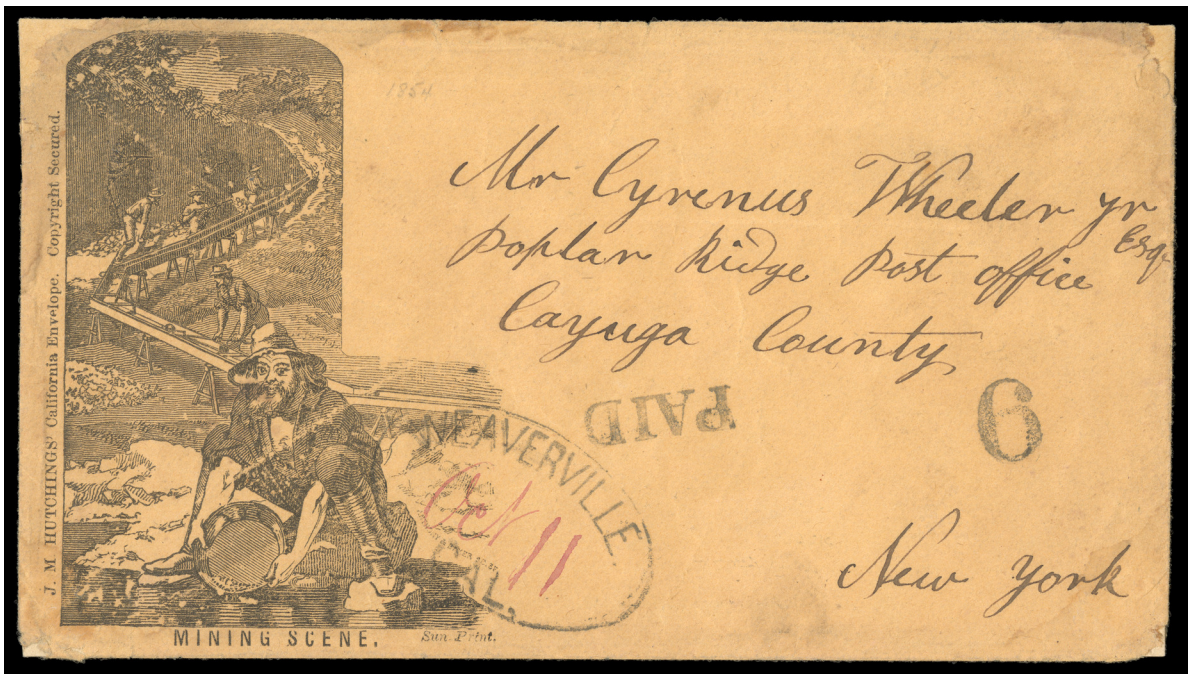
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480 ✉ **Mining Scene,** illustrated miner's design depicting **Miner Panning for Gold with Long Tom in Background** with "J.M. Hutchings' California Envelope" imprint at left and "Anthony & Baker SC" engraver's imprint at bottom right of design, on cover to Popular Ridge, N.Y. with oval "Weaverville, Cal., Oct 11" date stamp with manuscript date, matching "Paid" and "6" rate handstamps; repaired corner wear, **Very Fine,** *ex-Clifford*.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

481 ✉ **Mining Scene,** illustrated miner's design depicting **Miner Panning for Gold with Long Tom in Background** with imprint "J.M. Hutchings' California Envelope" at left and "Anthony & Baker SC" engraver's imprint at bottom right of design, on cover to New Hampshire with bold "Fosters Bar, Cal, Dec 27" cds and matching "Paid" handstamp with manuscript "6" rate; some minor staining, restoration at top and backflap replaced, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

482 ✉ **Post Office,** illustrated design showing **Post Office Building with Lines of Men Extending Into the Street**, with Weller Postmaster statement and "San Francisco, 12th July, 1855" date below, on hand carried cover to Niagara City N.Y.; some edge soiling, **Very Fine,** a very rare design.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

483 ✉ **Proceeds of the Day,** illustrated miners envelope to Westfield, Massachusetts franked with **1851, 3¢ dull red, pair** with manuscript doodles, postmarked "Michigan Bluff, Cal., Mar 18" large double-lined cds, Miner's design with "Wide West Office, San Francisco" at left, stains and repaired at top with paper cut from the top backflap, which is now missing, **Fine,** one of three recorded examples of this illustrated miner's design, would benefit from some professional restoration.
Scott No. **11A** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

484 ✉ **Prospecters,** humorous illustration of a **Miner Hiding From a Grizzly Bear** on cover with "J.M. Hutchings" imprint, on cover to Waldoboro, Me., franked with **1857, 10¢ green, type II** (32) s.e. at bottom, tied by blue "North Bloomfield, Cal., Mar 1" cds; cover tear at top center and slight edge nick at right, **Very Fine,** one of only seven recorded examples of this Hutchings' miner illustrated cover.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500



485 ✉ **Prospecting Miners,** blue illustrated cameo design showing **Miners at Riverside Scene With One Panning For Gold**, on cover to Wellsburg, Va. with blue "Downieville, Cal., Aug 8" cds with matching "10" rate handstamp; slight edge wear, **Very Fine,** very rare with only six recorded in Kutz.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000



486 ✉ **Prospecting Miners,** blue illustrated cameo design on cover with to Illinois franked with manuscript cancelled **1857 1¢ blue type V two singles + 3¢ dull red type II (assumed) and 5¢ brown type I** (all with scissor, most perfs missing) postmarked "**Oregon House (Cal.), June 10**" manuscript postmark, "Due 10" straight line handstamp ties the 3¢ and 5¢ adhesives, cover strengthened with paper inside, some edge restoration, **handsome Very Fine appearance, a stunning Western Illustrated Cover**, *ex-Knapp, Wiltsee & Polland*.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000



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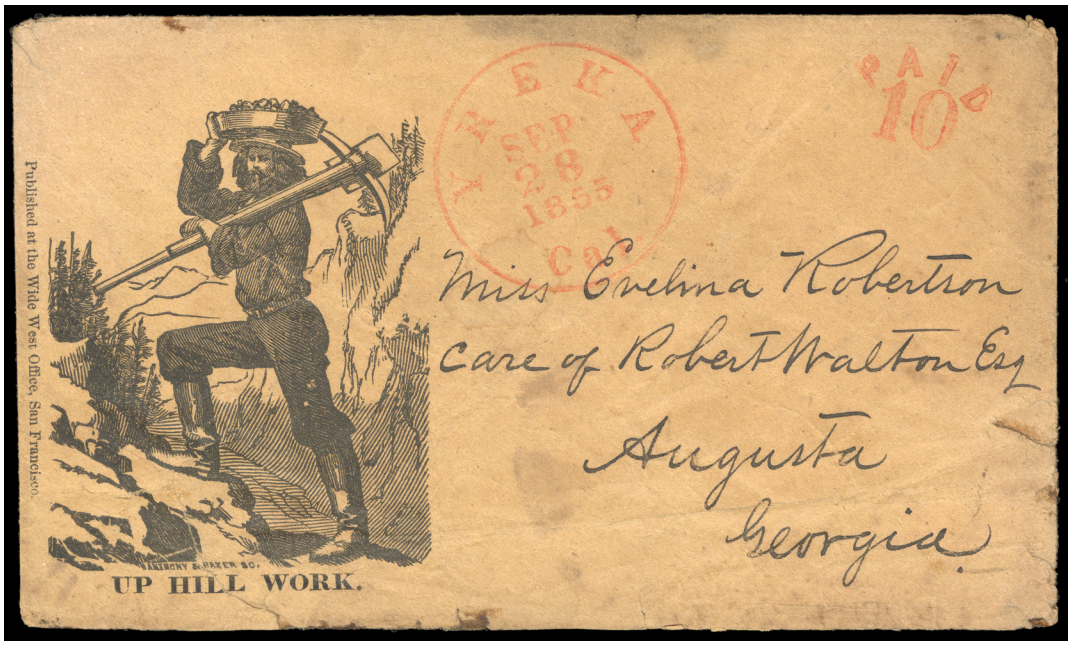
487 ✉ **Put's California Envelope,** illustrated miners design depicting **Miners At Breakfast Table and Promoter Outside Doorway** with slogan "California and Miners' Rights" at bottom and satiric verse showing disdain for promoters, on cover to Rockland, Me. with blue "Greenwood, Cal., Jan 2" cds with matching Paid handstamp and manuscript "10" rate, **Very Fine,** illustrated in Kutz *Gold Fever* (page 60), *ex-Kutz & Jarrett*.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

THE ONLY EXAMPLE RECORDED OF THIS PUT'S CALIFORNIA ENVELOPE MINERS DESIGN.

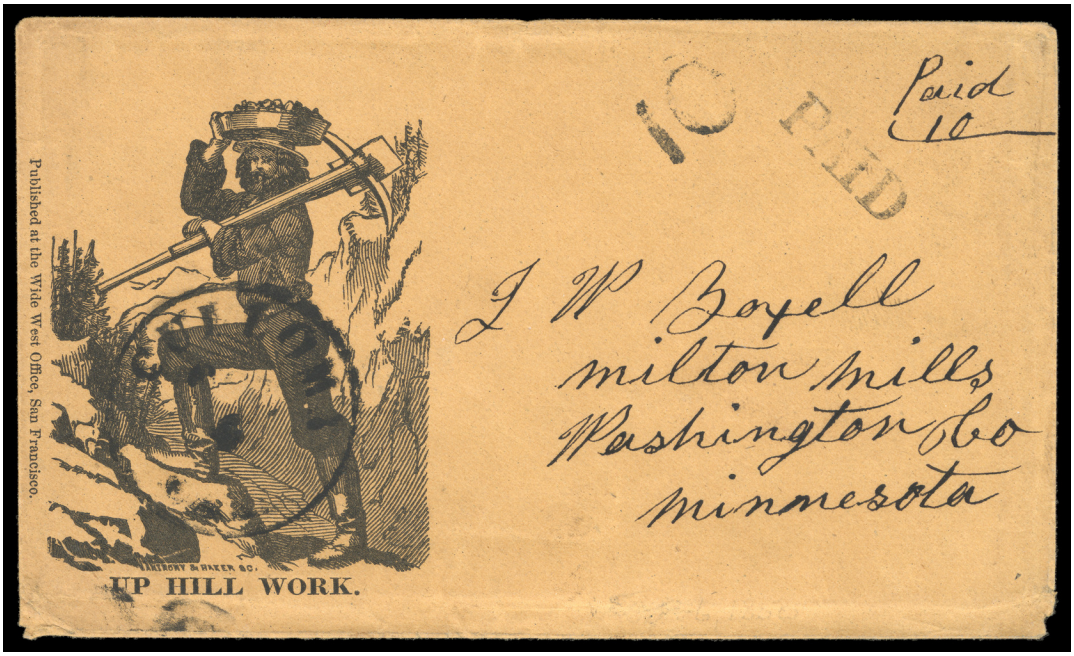
488 ✉ **Rocking the Cradle,** illustrated J.M. Hutchings' California Envelope design on cover to West Amesbury, Mass., franked with **1851, 3¢ dull red, horizontal pair** tied by manuscript, no originating postmark; minor cover corner and edge wear, **Very Fine,** rare with only eight examples recorded of this design.
Scott No. **11A** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

489 ✉ **Rocking the Cradle,** illustrated J.M. Hutchings' California Envelope design on cover to Romulus, N.Y., with two strikes of "Downieville, Cal., Oct 2" cds and manuscript "Due 10cts" notation above, uncancelled **1857, 10¢ green, type V** (35) which mostly likely added after deficiency noted; some cover edge wear with top left corner added and 10¢ may have been added, **F.-V.F.,** only eight examples recorded of this design, *ex-Wiltsee*.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

490 ✉ **The Traveling Miner,** illustrated miners design showing **Miner and Equipment on Horse** with J.M. Hutchings' imprint below, on cover to Atokee, O. with bold "Camptonville, Cal., Jan 1" cds, manuscript 1851, 10¢ green, type II (14) which has been added to this cover; cover edge wear with repair to lower left edge, **F.-V.F. appearance,** still a **very rare Hutchings' miner design with only two recorded in Kutz**.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

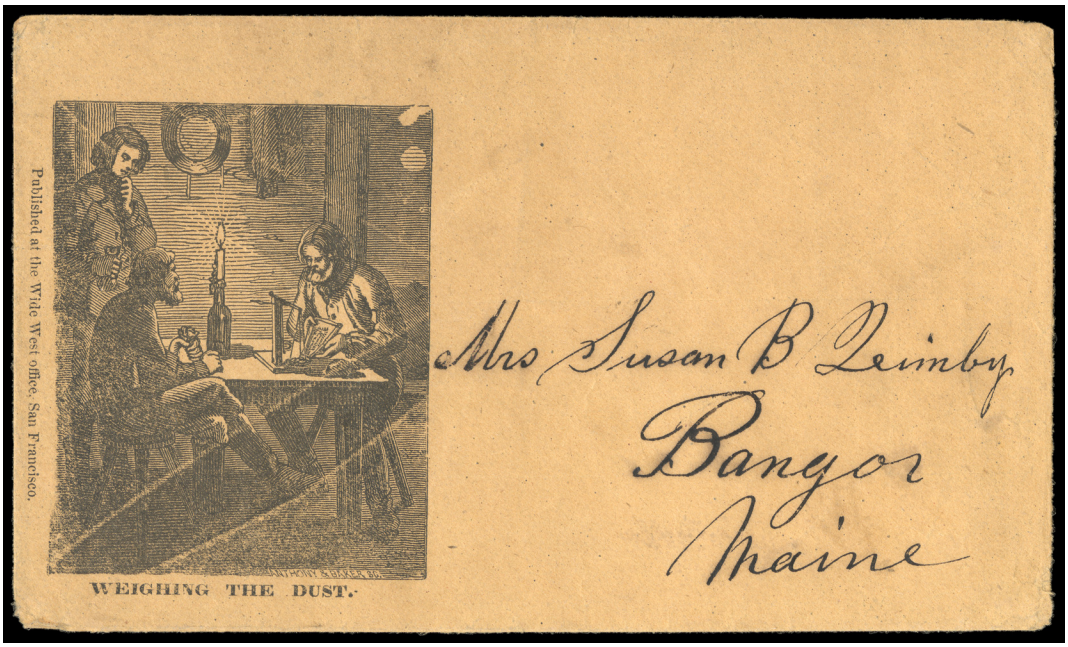


491 ✉ **Up Hill Work,** handsome miner's illustrated design published at the "Wide West Office, San Francisco", on buff cover to Augusta, Ga., red "Yreka, Cal., Sep 28, 1855" cds and matching "Paid 10" handstamp; cover edge wear, light soiling and bottom flap replaced, **F.-V.F.,** one of three known examples of this illustrated design.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000



492 ✉ **Up Hill Work,** handsome miner's illustrated design published at the Wide West Office, San Francisco, on orange buff cover showing "**Culloma, Cal.**" cds with matching "Paid" and "10" handstamps to Milton Mills, Minnesota, manuscript "Paid 10" endorsement, **fresh and Extremely Fine,** one of three known examples of this illustrated design, *ex-Risvold.*
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

A GEM EXAMPLE OF THIS RARE WILD WEST OFFICE CALIFORNIA ENVELOPE DESIGN.



493 ✉ **Weighing the Dust,** illustrated design showing Miner's Weighing Gold Dust Scene with "Wide West Office, San Francisco" imprint alongside, on fresh cover carried privately to Bangor, Me., **Very Fine,** this being the **only recorded example of this "Weighing The Dust" illustrated design**, *ex-Kutz*.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

494 ✉ **Wells, Fargo & Co. Express & Exchange Company,** all over shaded illustrated advertising design showing "Atlantic and European Express" building, addressed to San Jose carried internally, with original 1866 "California State Telegraph Company" telegram enclosure from Wells Fargo office in San Francisco; cover opening at right, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

495 ✉ **What Cheer House, San Francisco,** allover illustrated What Cheer House design on reverse of "Woodside, Cal., Feb 18" (San Mateo), manuscript postmarked (SAM-2420) cover to Meredith, N.Y., franked with manuscript canceled 1857, 3¢ dull red, two singles, with original 1860 enclosure with **full page on printed text graphically describing What Cheer House**, and letter describing voyage from N.Y. to San Francisco and early experiences in S.F.; cover wear and small stain, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **26** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600



496 ✉ **What Will You Take For a Share,** humorous miner scene showing **Two Miners with Long Tom in Background** with "Noisy Carrier's San Francisco" imprint at bottom, on cover to North Plains, Mich. with manuscript "Tehama Cal, May 12th/55" postmark and "Paid, 10 Cents" rate; cover stain at foot and minor faults, illustrated in Kutz *Gold Fever* (page 70), *ex-Knapp, Jessup, Pearce, Haas & Kutz*.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

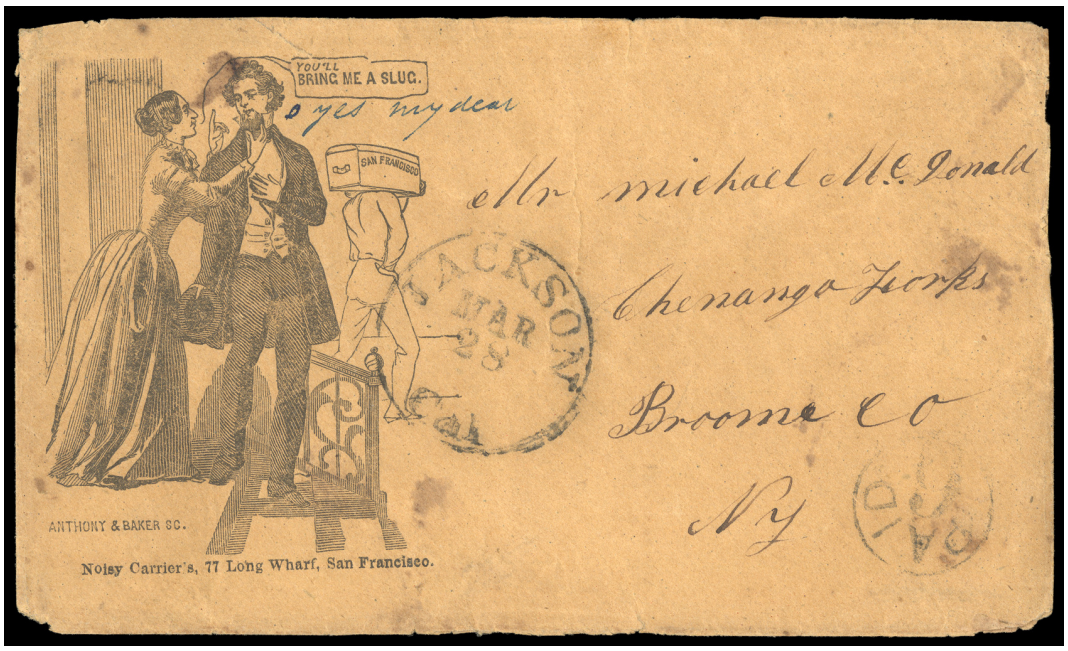
ONE OF ONLY TWO RECORDED EXAMPLES OF THIS NOISY CARRIER'S ILLUSTRATED MINERS DESIGN.



497 ✉ **Where Is the Best Diggings,** illustrated pictorial cover showing **Three Miners With Picks & Shovels**, "Noisy Carrier's, 77 Wharf, San Francisco" imprint on buff cover bearing **1851, 10¢ green, type II** (14) crude trapezoidal shape, tied by "Rough & Ready, Cal., Oct 8, 1856" cds, to Ketchums Corners N.Y.; part of flap restored and mended cover tear, **Fine,** *ex-Needham, J.D. Baker, Kutz & Jacobitz*; with 1978 P.F. certificate.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

THE ONLY RECORDED EXAMPLE OF THIS EXTREMELY RARE AND DESIRABLE NOISY CARRIER'S ILLUSTRATED MINERS COVER.

498 ✉ **Writing Home,** illustrated miners design showing **Miner Writing Letter at Desk** with "Wide West Office San Francisco" imprint, on cover hand carried to Vermont, with fraudulent Grove City, Cal. manuscript postmark at top, **Extremely Fine appearance, a very rare design,** only five such examples recorded by Kutz.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600



499 ✉ **You'll Bring Me a Slug,** humorous illustrated **Couple Scene With Additional Blue Manuscript "O Yes My Dear" Retort** and "Noisy Carrier's San Francisco" imprint below, on cover to Chenango Forks, N.Y., "Jackson, Cal., Mar 28" cds and "Paid 6" in circle rate handstamp, cover corner flaws, **F.-V.F.,** illustrated in Kutz *Gold Fever* (page 69), *ex-Polland & Kutz*.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

ONE OF ONLY TWO RECORDED EXAMPLES OF THIS NOISY CARRIER'S HUMOROUS DESIGN.

Raw gold was generally referred to as dust or nuggets, however the word slug was used to describe some of the larger pieces.



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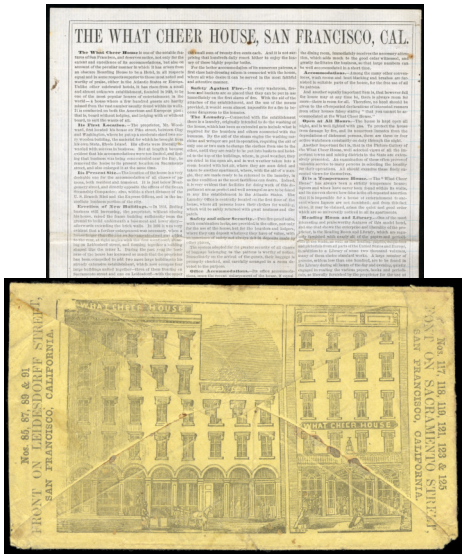
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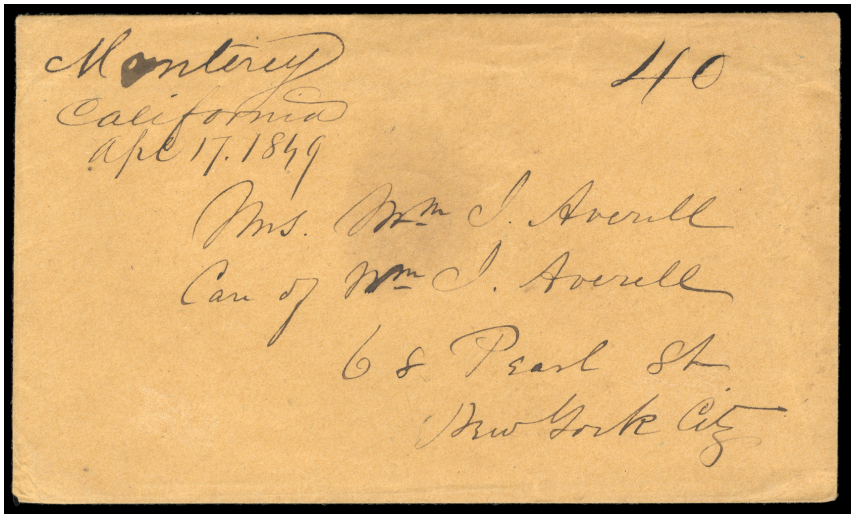


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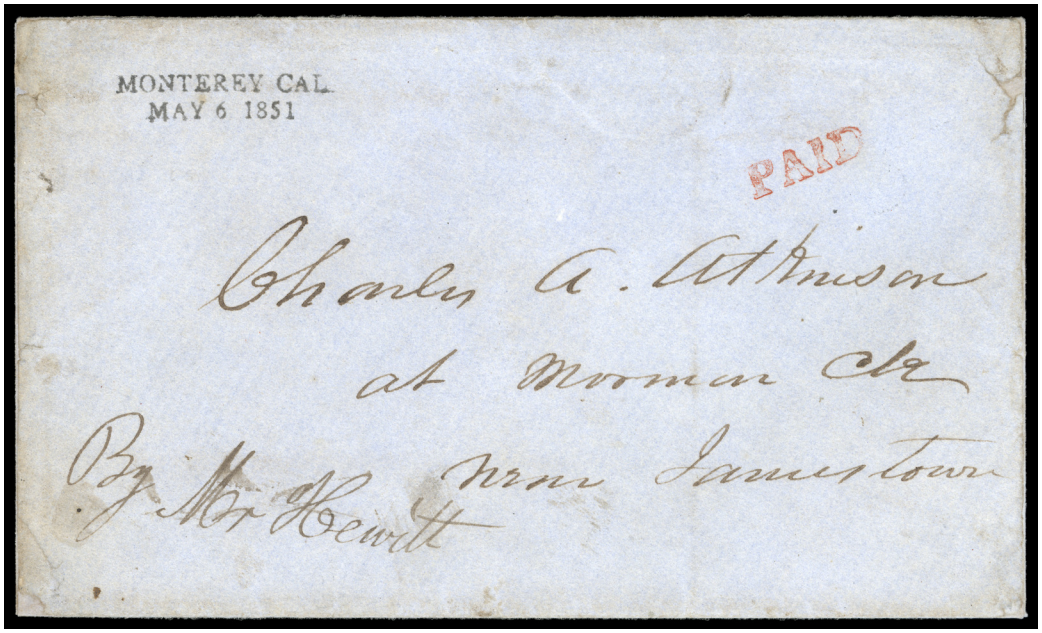
California Postal History



500 ✉ **(Monterey) Monterey, California, Apl 17. 1849,** manuscript postmark (MOT-1610) and matching "40" cent rating on orange buff cover to New York N.Y., accompanied by blue enclosed letter datelined "Monterey, California April 13 1849" from a member of the U.S. Military to his sister describing the influence of the discovery of gold to the military way of life, being transferred to San Francisco, mail ships Oregon and California etc. including "*...I leave tomorrow on the Brig Malik Adel, and the brig stops 4 or 5 days at Santa Cruz. General Riley has arrived & Colonel Mason has resigned to him the Command, both civil and military...Mrs. General Smith and Mrs. Major Ogden and another lady all of whom came up with me return home with the California because I suppose no servants can be obtained here...Col. Mason also returns with the California...*", **Very Fine,** the only recorded postmark showing the full "California" spelling with the 40 cent rate.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

THE EARLIEST RECORDED MONTEREY POSTMARKED COVER, SENT DURING THE PRE-STATEHOOD PERIOD.

This is a rare version of the Monterey manuscript postmark with California spelled out, we have not seen another.



501 ✉ **(Monterey) Monterey, Cal., May 6, 1851,** clear sharp strike straight double line postmark (MOT-1630) on cover to Jamestown, with red "Paid" handstamp (for the 12½ rate); cover professional restored with repaired edges, **a Very Fine and choice strike,** very rare with only a few examples known; with 2010 Weiss certificate.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

502 ✉ **(Nevada) Nevada City, Cal., Jul 31, 1861,** cds tying **1860, 10¢ green, type V** (35) on cover to Illinois, with original enclosure from sick miner who had to sell off claims due to his illness; small cover and stamp flaws, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

Western Express Covers

The Carrington Correspondence 1848-1856

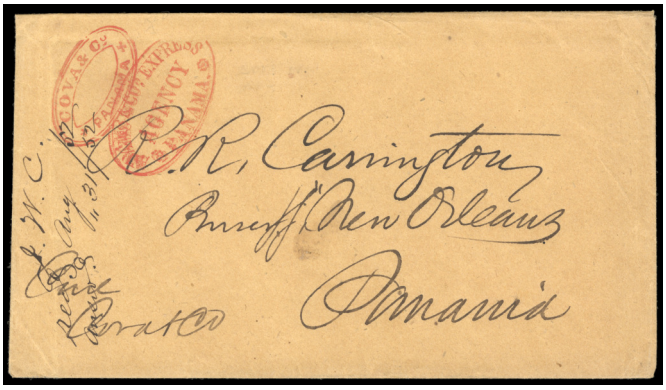
Robert Raymond Carrington, born in New York in 1827, was a member of a family which in 1851 formed the firm of Carrington & Co, New York shipping agents. Robert went to San Francisco in hopes of capitalizing on shipping opportunities created by the California gold-rush and aligned himself with the Empire City Line and their San Francisco agent, I.W. Raymond. In late 1851 Carrington became purser on the New Orleans, an Empire City Line steamship plying between Panama and San Francisco. In 1853, with San Francisco opportunities waning from an over-supply of goods and ships, Robert sailed to Australia as purser on the New Orleans, in hopes of capitalizing on Australia's gold-rush. The New Orleans was sold in Australia and after two years Robert returned to New York, via London, to become purser on the Empire City between New York and Aspinwall. Yellow fever, presumably contracted from a Panama mosquito, ended Robert Carrington's brief but eventful life in 1857, shortly before his 30 th birthday.

Robert Carrington's correspondence was dispersed to collectors before 1900. Letters from family and business partners in New York were sent by various means, most outside the government postal service. These covers provide a fascinating study of mid-19th century forwarder and express company mail options. Letters document the difficulties faced by an 1850s shipping business during the California and Australia gold-rushes.



503 ✉ **(Carrington) Adams & Co. Express Agency, Panama,** red oval handstamp and "Adams & Co. Express New York" red cameo corner card on 1852 cover to Robert Carrington, **the Purser on the Steamer New Orleans** at Panama "Care Cova + Co., to be kept until N.O. arrives", **Very Fine,** *ex-Polland*.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

The "S.S. New Orleans" ran between San Francisco and Panama 1850-1852. The ship was owned by Howard & Son's Empire Line originally, sold to private owners in 1851, and then leased by those owners to Vanderbilt's Independent Line in 1852. In 1853, the New Orleans was sold again to the Melbourne Steam Packet Company in Australia.



504 ✉ **(Carrington) Adams & Co. Express Agency, Panama,** red oval handstamp on 1852 cover to Robert Carrington, **the Purser on the Steamer New Orleans** at Panama, with additional red "**Cova & Co., Panama**" oval agent handstamp and endorsement at lower left, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400



505 ✉ **(Carrington) Adams & Co. Express, 10 Wall St., New York,** red shield corner card on cover addressed to "**Robert R. Carrington, Purser Steamer New Orleans, Care of Geo: Mouton Esq, Adams & Co., Melbourne, Australia**", with manuscript "10" rating, reverse with "J. Hawes, July 15th" arrival docketing in New York from San Francisco, "Ship Letter, Sydney, Oc 3, 1853" transit and oval "Ship Letter, Melbourne, Oc 10, 1855" receiving date stamp, with **original enclosure expressman J. Hawes datelined "San Francisco, May 4, 1853" with fascinating and historical content**…*By this I send you a few papers etc. Gregory has gone home and i am now agent of his Express. I took it only on account of getting the earliest news from Australia, he having made arrangements to have exchanges sent to him which I shall now get. i want you to send all the newspapers you can possibly get hold of and you will please stamp them with the stamp I now send.*, **Very Fine,** a wonderful cover and letter sent during the transitions of Adams, Gregory & Hawes Express Companies.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

This letter from Joseph Hawes proves that Adams had opened a Melbourne office by early 1853, Gregory had an Australian Express (no material recorded), Gregory sold out to Hawes, and Hawes had an Australian Express with a handstamp (no material recorded).



506 ✉ **(Carrington) Adams & Co. Express, 59 Broadway, New York,** red shield corner card on cover addressed to "**Robert R. Carrington, Purser Steamer New Orleans, Care of Geo: Mouton Esq, Adams & Co., Melbourne, Australia**", shipped to Sydney with manuscript "found on the River Hunter" endorsement, reverse with "Sydney, N.S.W., My 23, 1855" and red "Ship Letter, G.P.O. Victoria, Free, My 30, 1855" cds's, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

Although route cannot be positively identified, it was probably carried vis London, Alexandria, Suez and Ceylon on Peninsular & Oriental steamships.



507 ✉ **(Carrington) Adams & Co. Express, Sacramento,** red double-lined oval handstamp on stampless cover to **Office Empire City Line** in San Francisco, "**Hanks & Crawley, House, Sign & Ornamental Painters**" Sacramento City blue printed corner card, short tear at upper left, **Very Fine,** illustrated in Coburn's *Letters of Gold* (pages 172 & 232).
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300



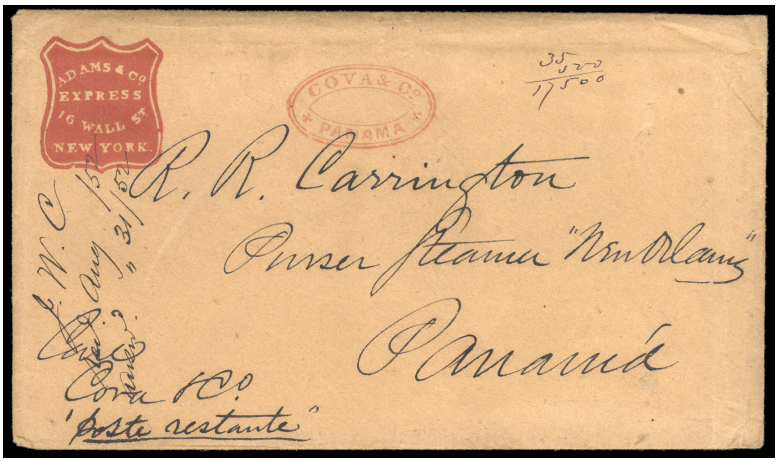
508 ✉ **(Carrington) Adams & Co., American & European Express, Melbourne, N.S.W.,** blue embossed corner card on backflap of cover to the steamer New Orleans via Sydney, N.S.W., carried by Adams from New York probably via England and Suez, with manuscript "8" pence rating and "Melbourne, Victoria, Oct 27, 1853" entry cds, reverse with "Ship Letter, Sydney, No 6, 1853" cds, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750



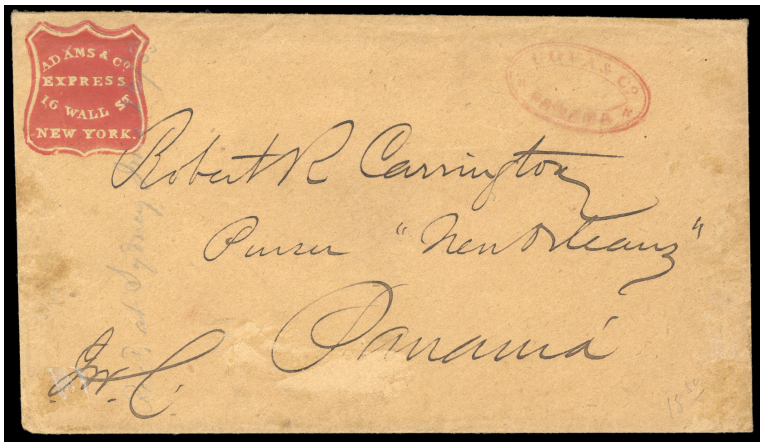
509 ✉ **(Carrington) Adams & Co., American & European Express, Melbourne, N.S.W.,** blue embossed corner card on backflap of cover to Sydney, N.S.W., carried by Adams from New York probably via England and Suez, with manuscript "4" pence rating and "Melbourne, Victoria, Oct 31, 1853" entry cds, reverse with "Ship Letter, Sydney, No 6, 1853" cds; some cover toning, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600



510 ✉ **(Carrington) Cova & Co., Panama,** oval agent handstamp **in black** on 1851 folded letter to Carrington in San Francisco, docketed "Augt 3/51, pr California (Adams & Co.)" at left, **Very Fine,** this being **one of two known examples of the Cova & Co. oval handstamp in black**, normally struck in red.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

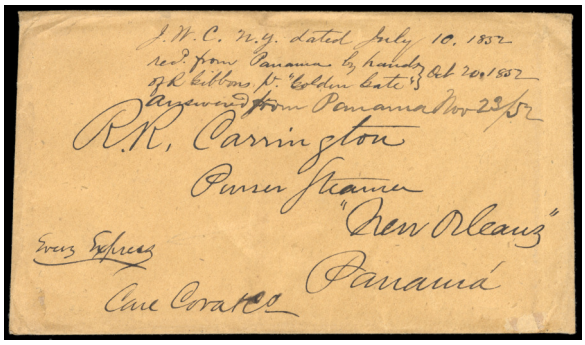


511 ✉ **(Carrington) Cova & Co., Panama,** red oval agent handstamp on cover to Robert Carrington, **the Purser on the Steamer New Orleans** at Panama, with red "Adams & Co. Express, New York" shield corner card and endorsed "Care Cora & Co. "post restante"" at lower left, with original enclosure from brother with interesting content…*Wells Fargo have established an opposition California Express and come out strong in their advertisements*, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400



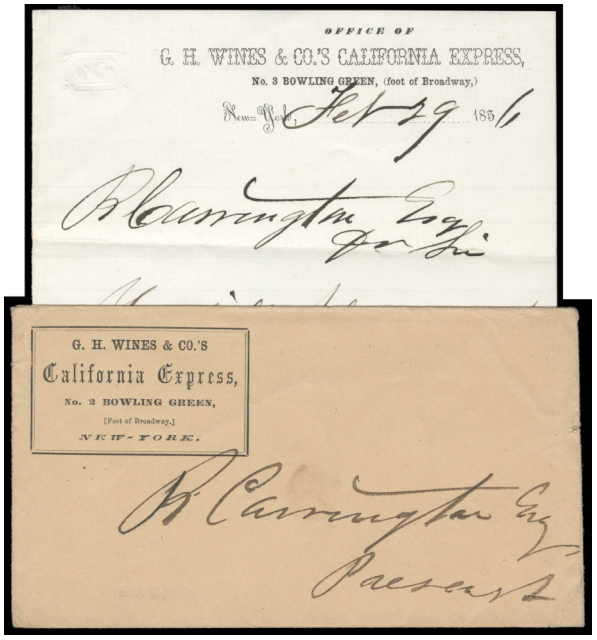
512 ✉ **(Carrington) Cova & Co., Panama,** red oval agent handstamp on cover to Robert Carrington, **the Purser on the Steamer New Orleans** at Panama, with red "Adams & Co. Express, New York" shield corner card, **Carrington had departed for Australia with cover sent by private ship to Sydney** with pencil "Rec'd at Sydney, June 26, 1853" docketing, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

The "New Orleans" sailed from San Francisco on March 11, 1853 with 110 passengers, Captain Wakeman at the helm and Robert Carrington as purser. She docked at Sydney 64 days later after a stop at Tahiti for coal.

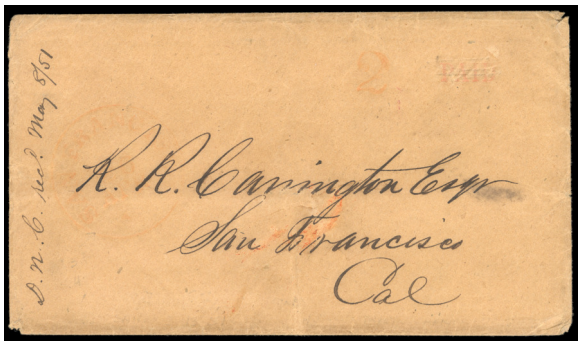


513 ✉ **(Carrington) Everts Express,** manuscript endorsement on cover to Robert Carrington, **the Purser on the Steamer New Orleans** at Panama, with additional "Care Cova & Co.", with original enclosure from brother mention express…"***I send out papers by each steamer for Herman Everts semi-weekly Isthmus Express***", **Very Fine,** *ex-Jessup*.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

Herman was the brother of Frank Everts who had overland expresses in California. ***Herman Everts' Isthmus Express is unrecorded*** *and apparently used no handstamps or printed franks.*



514 ✉ **(Carrington) G.H. Wines & Co's, California Express, No 3 Bowling Green, New York,** boxes corner card on hand delivered cover to Carrington in New York, with original 1856 printed letterhead enclosure thanking Carrington for the "*kindness in sending our bag*", also includes a Carrington & Co. token for their N.Y. to Cuba "Havana Express", **Very Fine and choice.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400



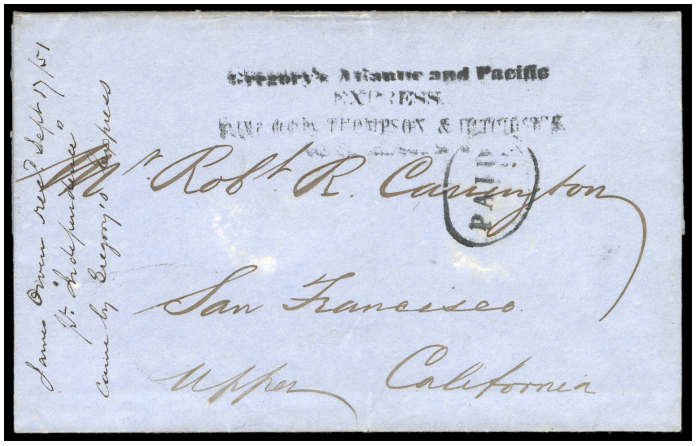
515 ✉ **(Carrington) Gilpin's Exchange Reading Room and Foreign Letter Office N - York,** red oval handstamp on reverse of cover to San Francisco, Cal., dropped in the mails in San Francisco with red "San Francisco, Cal., Apr 26" cds with matching "2" and "Paid" rate handstamps, 1851 docketing at left, with original enclosure from brother Daniel Carrington on "Office of the United States Mail Steam Ship Company" letterhead with interesting content including…*Gold dust as it comes now won't net over $17 - it is most all very dirty and some counterfeit mixed in.*, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300





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516 ✉ **(Carrington) Gregory's Atlantic and Pacific Express, Forwarded by Thompson & Hitchcock,** four-line handstamp (GRE-124) with matching oval "Paid" handstamps on folded letter to San Francisco per "Illinois", Nov 4/51 docketing at left, accompanied by **second matching duplicate letter sent from New York post office** franked with 1**851, 3¢ orange brown, two singles** (10A) tied by grid handstamps, matching "New York, Sep 26" foreign mail cds alongside, with "pr Cherokee" ship endorsement and "Nov 5/51" receiving docketing, letters from partner James Orme terminating their business relationship due to "*unpromising state of affairs you have meet with in California*", **otherwise Very Fine,** a wonderful pair of duplicated letters, one sent by express and other by the Post Office.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600



517 ✉ **(Carrington) Gregory's Atlantic and Pacific Express, Forwarded by Thompson & Hitchcock,** four-line handstamp (GRE-123) and matching crude oval "Paid" handstamp on folded letter (Via Panama) 1851 (Aug. 14) New York N.Y. to San Francisco Cal., probably carried by Vanderbilt Line Prometheus from New York Aug. 14th to Chagres, then Independent Line Independence arriving in San Francisco on Sep. 16th, docketing at left "James Owen recd. Sept 17/51, pr. "Independence", came by Gregory's Express", **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400



518 ✉ **(Carrington) Gregory's California Express, Received and Forwarded By, Thompson & Hitchcock, 149 Pearl Street, New York,** red four-line handstamp (GRE-121) on folded letter to San Francisco from partner in Carrington & Co., matching "Paid." and "T. & H." handstamps, **Very Fine,** *ex-Clifford*.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

ONE OF ONLY TWO RECORDED EXAMPLES OF THIS GREGORY'S CALIFORNIA EXPRESS FORWARDER HANDSTAMP.

519 ✉ **(Carrington) Hawes & Co's,** two covers; cover to Portland, Me. with circular "**J. Hawes & Co. Express, S.F. & N.Y.**" handstamp (HAE-100)on reverse with two strikes of red oval "**Forwarded By, J.W. Carrington Agent, 78 Broadway, New-York**" handstamp, entered the mails with red "New York, Paid 3cts, Apr 16" cds in front, and cover to Wilmington, Del. with red Carrington handstamp struck on reverse with additional straight line "**Hawes & Co's Cal. Express**" handstamp inserted in (HAE-600), mailed at N.Y.; first cover with sideflap missing affecting handstamps and latter cover missing stamp on front, **F.-V.F. appearance.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400



520 ✉ **(Carrington) Isthmus of Panama…Transit Express,** imprint above illustrated Panama Isthmus map with imprint "**A.M. Hinckley & Co., Aspinwall, Panama**" at left and "**J.W. Carrington, Agent, New York**" at right, on cover to Westford, Mass. with "New York, 5cts, Jan 10" cds; minor cover wear, **Very Fine,** *ex-Knapp & DeVoss*.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

AN WONDERFUL AND EXTREMELY RARE HINCKLEY - CARRINGTON EXPRESS ADVERTISING DESIGN, THIS BEING ONE OF ONLY TWO KNOWN.

Abraham M. Hinckley worked together with Robert Carrington in Panama. in 1854, Hinckley bean a Panama transit express and used Carrington & Co as his New York agent. Joseph Hawes was agent in San Francisco. Hinckley became involved in construction of a railroad across the Isthmus and produced an illustrated advertising advertising envelope showing the new route.



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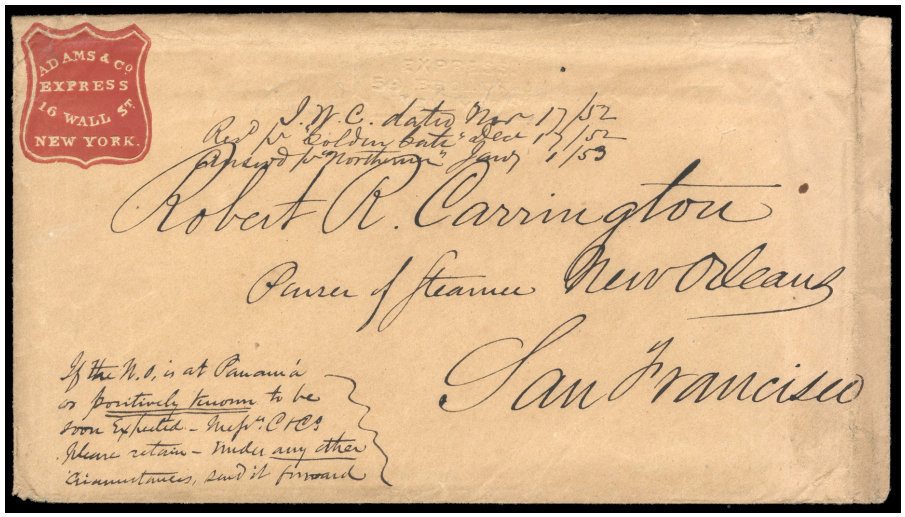


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521 ✉ **(Carrington) Kenyon's Foreign Letter Office, N. York,** red oval handstamp and matching "Paid" oval on 1851 cover to Carrington in San Francisco, manuscript docket on reverse; missing backflap, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

Kenyon's Foreign Letter Office was a "professional forwarder", charging a fee for arranging shipments of parcels and letters. Carrington & co. was associated with the Empire City line, so probably was not charged by them for this letter.

522 ✉ **(Carrington) U.S. Mail Line, of Steamships For California via Panama R.R., New York (Office Of),** embossed circular corner card on cover addressed to Bates Grisvold, Assistant Mail Agent, Str. Empire City, with original 1855 enclosure from I.W. Raymond with note for Robert Carrington to go out as assistant mail agent aboard the Empire City and asking for free passage to Aspinwall and permit him to occupy the mail Agent Room, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300



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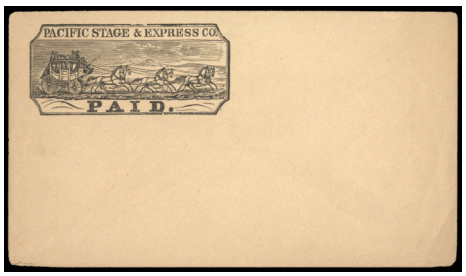
523 ✉ **(Carrington) Robert Carrington Correspondence Balance, 1848-55,** of 8 covers; includes 1848 drop rate cover in New York, three 1851 usages including 40 rate cover (with letter) from Boonton, N.J. and other to Carrington in San Francisco with the clamshell "6" rate handstamp, 1852 with two covers addressed to Carrington as purser of the *New Orleans*, one with "Adams & Co., New York" red shield corner card, 1855 with two covers addressed to Carrington as purser of the *Empire City*, one with embossed "Office of U.S. Mail Line of Steamships for California vis Panama R.R." corner card and other with red "Adams Express Co., Boston" shield corner card, also a 1856 cover to relative with red Adams oval corner card and blue express handstamp, and 1860 3¢ pink entire to his brother John in N.Y. with Wells, Fargo & Co. frank and "Collect, 2cts" handstamp of Boyd's, **generally Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000



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524 ✉ **Freeman & Co's Express, Jamestown,** oval handstamp on 1853 3¢ Nesbitt entire to San Francisco, red ribbon printed frank, flap tear and small tear at top on front, **F.-V.F.,** *ex-Haas*.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200



525 ✉ **G. H. Wines & Co.'s California Express,** printed frank with elaborate eagle, scroll and shield design (Haller FW15) on 1853, 3¢ Nesbitt entire (U10) to San Francisco, blue "Rhodes & Whitney's Express, Weaverville" oval handstamp struck twice and canceling; reduced at right into indicia, **F.-V.F.,** illustrated in Coburn's *Letters of Gold*.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

A RARE WINES & COMPANY'S PRINTED FRANK USING A PATRIOTIC MOTIF.

526 ✉ **Hunter & Co.'s Express, Mud Springs, Cala. (Forwarded By),** clear strike of shield handstamp on folded letter sheet to Santa Clara, carried to Placerville and placed in the mails with "Placerville, Cal., Oct 22" cds with manuscript date, matching "Paid" and "3" rate handstamps; light covey soiling, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

ONE OF ONLY FIVE RECORDED STRIKES OF THE HUNTER & CO. EXPRESS MUD SPRINGS SHIELD HANDSTAMP.

527 *✉ **Pacific Stage & Express Co.,** two different franks on six covers; with first type frank (PAS-001) on four buff covers, and blue oval frank (PAS-004) on two covers, one with unused 1851, 3¢ dull red (11) affixed; one of the former with small edge tear, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600



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Wells, Fargo & Co. Express

528 ✉ **Wells, Fargo & Co., 1862-64, 25¢ Blue,** tied to 1861, 3¢ pink entire (U34) by blue Sacramento Wells, Fargo & Co. oval, **Fine appearance.**
Scott No. **143L8**; $4,750 . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

529 ✉ **Wells, Fargo & Co., Dutch Flat, Jan 13,** docketed 1865 on 1864 Die 3¢ pink entire addressed to capitalist James Whartenby in "Nevada" (probably Nevada City), with ms. writing at left, very clean cover, scarce, slightly reduced at right, **overall Very Fine,** James Whartenby (1817-1890), was a Nevada City miner who acquired great wealth during his years as general manager and president of the South Yuba Canal Water Company.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200



530 ✉ **Wells, Fargo & Co., Express, Steamboat,** blue oval handstamp canceling on 1860, 3¢ pink entire to Sonoma, with red steamboat illustrated "**Bill of Lading, Per Steamer Nevada, Leaves San Francisco Every Monday, Wednesday and Friday**" advertising corner card crossed out with "Nov 9, 61" docketing alongside; light central fold, **F.-V.F.,** a very rare Steamer Nevada advertising corner card.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

531 ✉ **Wells, Fargo & Co., Mayfield, August 30,** blue oval date stamp canceling on 1870, 3¢ green entire to San Francisco, black company frank at top, **Very Fine,** only a few known.
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

532 ✉ **Wells, Fargo & Co., Paid,** black company frank on 1864, 3¢ pink entire to Steel Center, Minn., with notation on reverse "letter mailed from Green River City (Wyo.), Aug 21, 1868", canceled by "**Union Pacific R.R., Aug 29**" cds and letter "A" duplex, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300



533 ✉ **Wells, Fargo & Co., Virginia City N.T., Feb 26,** blue oval date stamp tying large margin **Wells Fargo & Co., 1862-64, 25¢ red** on 1861, 3¢ pink entire (U35) addressed to Clara Crittenden at the hotel Cosmopolitan in San Francisco, black Wells, Fargo & Co. frank at top, with original enclosure datelined "Virginia Feby 26, 65" and mentions the Virginia pony express service…*And I shall write to you by pony because the regular express is slow - The costly pony is hardly so great as you rely on buying (sic) for a single letter only 25cts more than by Express*; some trivial edge wear at top, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **143L9**; $8,000 . . . . . Estimate $3,000 - 4,000

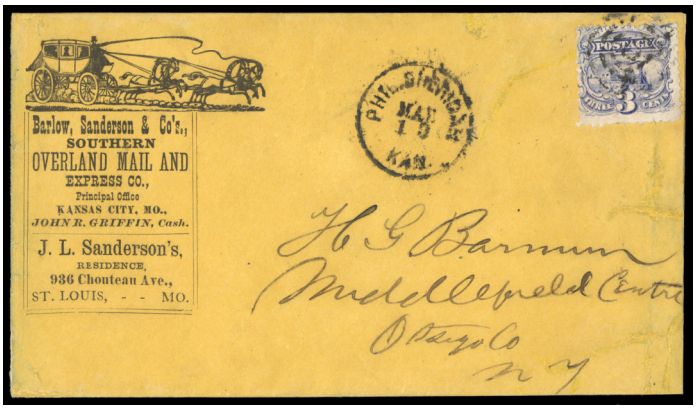
A CHOICE 25¢ RED VIRGINIA CITY PONY EXPRESS COVER WITH THE WELLS FARGO VIRGINIA CITY DATESTAMP.

The Virginia Pony was terminated in July of 1864 because the roads had been improved to the extent that stagecoaches were making just as good time as the pony riders. However, the following winter, after storms fowled the roads, the premium service was revived for another two months. The last gasp of the Virginia Pony was from December 29, 1864, to March 2, 1865.

534 ✉ **Wells, Fargo & Co., Wilmington, Mar 13,** full blue oval strike of blue oval date stamp on on 1864 Die 3¢ pink entire, to San Francisco, intact, usual slight soiling and slightly rounded corner, **overall Very Fine,** Wilmington was established in 1864.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

535 ✉ **Western Express Unused Franked Entires,** group of three entires; two 1860 3¢ entires one with **The Holladay Overland Mail and Express Company** frank and other with **Wells, Fargo & Co. frank over red Pacific Union Express Co.** frank, 1887 2¢ entire with **Denver and Rio Grande Express** frank, also includes 1860 6¢ front with La Porte Express Co. frank, 1870 3¢ rebacked entire with Eureka Express Co. frank and a faulty soiled Wells, Fargo & Co. pony express frank cover; some flaws, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

Western Stage Coach Companies



536 ✉ **Barlow, Sanderson & Co.'s, Southern Overland Mail & Express Co.,** printed boxed corner card and illustrated four-horse stagecoach above, on cover to Middlefield Centre, N.Y., franked with **1869, 3¢ ultramarine** (114) tied by target handstamp, matching "Phillipsburg, Kan., May 13" cds; stamp flaws at top and cover professionally restored along edges and at right, **Very Fine appearance.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

537 ✉ **Coast Line San Juan & Los Angeles, U.S. Mail Stage Company,** imprint on orange cover to San Juan, roughly opened at right, original enclosure with similar printed letterhead in blue, 1867 letter written in San Francisco by W.E. Lovett, Owner of the Stage Line, cover carried without postage as this was Office Business, **Fine and rare.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

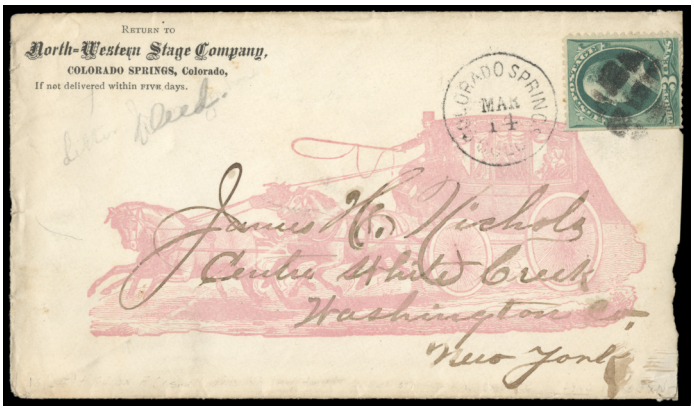


538 ✉ **Foss & Connelly, Stage Proprietors,** illustrated corner card showing **Four-Horse "Geysers" Wagon**, on cover to Boston Highlands, Mass., franked with 3¢ Banknote canceled by quartered cork handstamp, matching "San Francisco, Cal., Jun 18" cds alongside, **Very Fine,** Foss & Connelly ran the Geyser Stage Line from San Francisco to the Calistoga Hot Springs in Napa Valley.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

539 ✉ **Lake Tahoe Stage Office, J.M. Benton - Proprietor, Carson City, Nevada,** illustrated four-horse stagecoach corner card, on cover franked with 3¢ Banknote just tied by "Carson City, Nev., Oct 26" cds, reverse with illustrated stage office scene showing six-horse stagecoach in foreground, with company letterhead billing from another correspondence; cover irregularly reduced at right, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

540 ✉ **North Western Stage Co., General Manager's Office, Boise City, Idaho Territory,** manuscript crossed through corner card on cover to Roseburg, Oregon, franked with 3¢ Banknote tied by "Washington, D.C., Feb 24" cds and quartered cork duplex, with original enclosure from S.S. Huntley enclosing a draft for "Route No. 4413"; cover tear at bottom right, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

A letter from S.S. Huntley, a Montana Express & Stage operator, showing proceeds for a portion of his western mail contract.



541 ✉ **North-Western Stage Company, Colorado Springs, Colorado,** corner card on cover with large red **Four-Horse Stagecoach** design at center, to Centre White Creek, N.Y. franked with 3¢ Banknote tied by grid handstamp, matching "Colorado Springs, Colo., Mar 14" cds alongside; cover slightly reduced at right, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

542 ✉ **Ojai, Ventura & Matilija Mail Stage Line, Wheeler C. Blumberg Proprietor, Nordhoff, California,** corner card on cover to San Francisco, Cal., franked with 2¢ Columbian canceled by target handstamp, matching "Matilija, Cal., Apr 7, 1894" cds at center, receiving backstamp; small stamp scuff, **Very Fine,** this stagecoach line is illuminated in Outland's *Stagecoaching on El Camino Real. Los Angeles to San Francisco* (page 320).
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

543 ✉ **"Overland Mail" Stagecoach Covers,** of five covers and rebacked front; four four-horse stagecoach designs including small illustration with large "Overland Mail, Via Placerville and Salt Lake." imprint alongside, rebacked front with medium size illustration and "Per Overland Mail Via Los Angeles" above and Wm. E. Loomis imprint below, and two similar large size illustrations with "St. Louis" and "New York" banners on horses, one on white cover (address panel cut out) and on yellow cover (locally addressed in Santa Cruz), and two similar six-horse stagecoach designs with "From San Francisco Via Los Angeles" banner above horses, one with Randall & Co. imprint and other with Hutching & Rosenfield imprint; covers with various flaws including missing partial/all stamps, etc., **Decent Appearance,** a scarce reference group.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

544 *✉ **Overland via Los Angeles, U.S. Mail,** four-horse stagecoach designs on three unused covers; two similar printed designs with "Overland - Via - Los Angeles" below, both hand colored on buff and yellow covers, and slightly different design with "San Francisco and St. Louis - 20 days." below on lilac laid paper cover, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150



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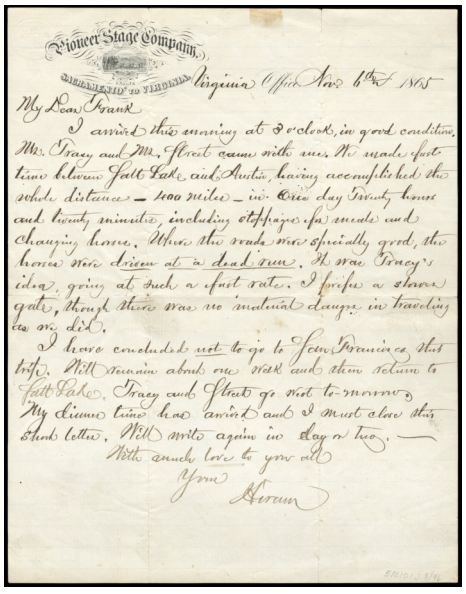
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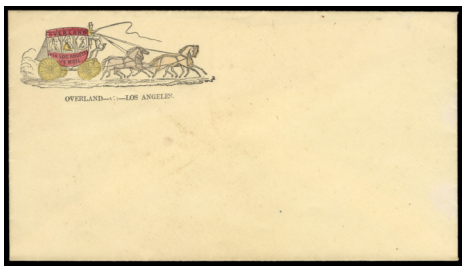
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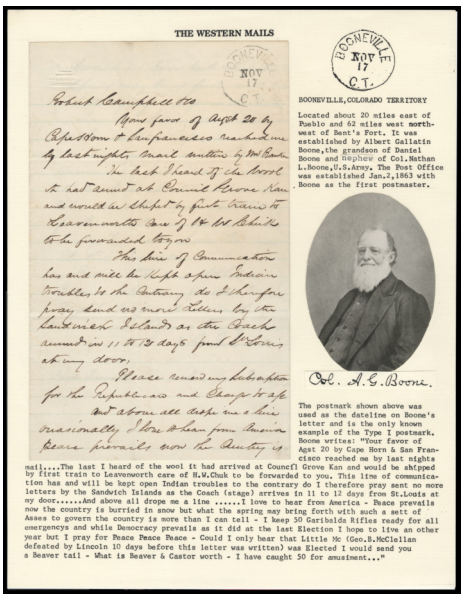
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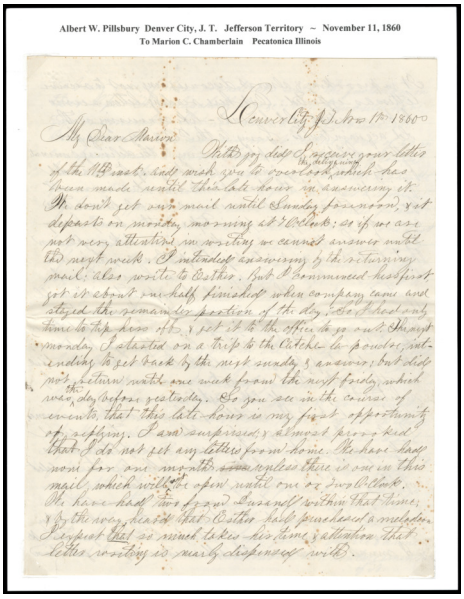
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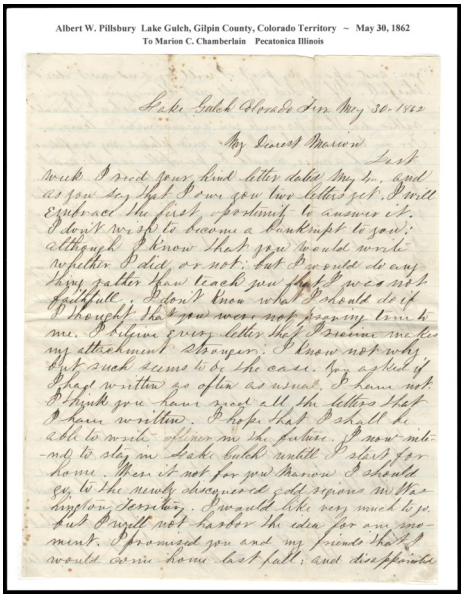
Col. A. G. Boone.

The postmark shown above was used as the dateline on Boone's letter and is the only known example of the Type I postmark. Boone writes: "Your favor of Agst 20 by Cape Horn & San Francisco reached me by last nights mail....The last I heard of the wool it had arrived at Council Grove Kan and would be shipped by first train to Leavenworth care of H.W.Chub to be forwarded to you. This line of communication has and will be kept open Indian troubles to the contrary do I therefore pray sent no more letters by the Sandwich Islands as the Coach (stage) arrives in 11 to 12 days from St.Louis at my door.....And above all drope me a line .....I love to hear from America - Peace prevails now the country is burried in snow but what the spring may bring forth with such a sett of Asses to govern the country is more than I can tell - I keep 50 Garibalds Rifles ready for all emergencys and while Democracy prevails as it did at the last Election I hope to live an other year but I pray for Peace Peace Peace - Could I only hear that Little Mc (Geo.B.McClellan defeated by Lincoln 10 days before this letter was written) was Elected I would send you a Beaver tail - What is Beaver & Castor worth - I have caught 50 for amusement..."

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Albert W. Pillsbury Denver City, J. T. Jefferson Territory ~ November 11, 1860
To Marion C. Chamberlain Pecatonica Illinois

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Albert W. Pillsbury Lake Gulch, Gilpin County, Colorado Territory ~ May 30, 1862
To Marion C. Chamberlain Pecatonica Illinois

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545 ✉ **Pioneer Stage Company, Sacramento to Virginia,** tan allover illustrated stagecoach shaded ad on cover to Coldwater, Mich., franked **1861 3¢ rose, strip of three** canceled by grids with "Placerville, Cal., Feb 3" cds; one stamp with unnoticeable tear, slightly reduced at right, **Very Fine and rare,** pictured in *Letters of Gold*.
Scott No. **65** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500

THE FINEST OF ONLY THREE RECORDED EXAMPLES OF THIS ILLUSTRATED PIONEER STAGE COMPANY ENVELOPE.

The Pioneer Stage Co. began in the summer of 1859 when J.B. Crandell drove the first coach over the Sierra Nevada mountains to Carson Valley. Over the next years the Pioneer Stage Co. became a premier transportation service. In November 1866 they consolidated with other overland stage and express companies into the Wells, Fargo & Company.

546 **Pioneer Stage Company, Sacramento to Virginia, Virginia Office, Nov 4th, 1865,** illustrated six-horse stagecoach letterhead and dateline on one page letter written by Hiram S. Rumfield to Mrs Rumfield in Tiffin, O., letter regarding trip from Salt Lake City with Mr. Tracy (either James or Theodore Tracy) and making the 400 mile journey in one day and twenty hours (Tracy's idea to make a fast run), letter signed "Hiram", **Very Fine,** with accompanying letter from Bob Chandler regarding this letter, *ex-Pearce*.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

Hiram S. Rumfield was the Assistant Treasurer of the Overland Mail Co.

547 */o✉ **Stage Line Corner Card Cover Group,** of six covers, one unused; includes "**J.L. Sanderson & Co., C.&O. Coast Overland Mail Company, Yreka, Cal.**" corner card with large illustrated six-horse stagecoach scene, 1886 "**California, Oregon and Idaho Stage Company, Yreka, Cal.**" corner card on cover Ashland, Oreg. to Oakland, Cal. with enclosure, 1896 "**Conway & Little, Proprietors Castella and Cinnabar Mail Express and Saddle Train**" corner card on cover Castella to Redding, Cal., 1906 "**Oroville and Quincy Stage Line, Oroville, Cal.**" corner card with "Quincy" crossed out and "Cherokee" written in, Oroville to Downieville, Cal., "**National Mail and Transportation Company, St. Louis, Mo.**" illustrated corner card showing four-horse "U.S. Mail" stagecoach, cover from Silver City, N. Mex., and unused "**Fort Worth & Denver City Stage Co., Wichita Falls, Texas**" illustrated corner card showing six-horse stagecoach scene; most covers with reduction into franking or edge flaws, **Fine or better,** a very scarce group.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

Town Markings Arranged by State

548 ✉ **(Alabama) Tuscaloosa, Al., Mar 1,** cds with matching fancy star handstamp cancelling on **1857, 3¢ dull red** (26) on cover to Marion, Ala., with blue "**C.M. Foster, Shoe & Leather Dealer & Manufacturer, Tuscaloosa, Ala.**" cameo corner card; cover slightly reduced at right, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150



549 ✉ **(Arizona) Prescott, Ariz. Dec 30,** clear strike of territorial cds with matching fancy four-point star cancels tie **3¢ green strip of three** and **15¢ bright orange** (147+152) on 1874 cover with corner card of General A.V. Kautz from Col. James Bassell correspondence to **Hong Kong, China**, reverse with partial Hong Kong (3.11.75) arrival cds; some minor cover restoration, **Very Fine appearance.**
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

AN EXCEPTIONAL ARIZONA TERRITORY USE TO HONG KONG, CHINA.

August Valentine Kautz (1828-1895) was a German-American soldier and Union Army cavalry officer during the American Civil War. His exemplary military service in the War began as a captain with the 6th U.S. Cavalry during the Peninsula Campaign from April to July 1862. In the fall of 1874, General August V. Kautz arrived to become Whipple's post commander.

550 ✉ **(Arizona) Yuma, A.T., June 21,** blue cds (Meyer 2, rarity 5) with matching quartered cork handstamp tying **1868, 3¢ red, F. grill** on fresh cover to Auburn, Cal.; cover slightly reduced at right, **Very Fine**; with 2007 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **94** . . . . . Estimate $100 - 150

Colorado

551 ✉ **Booneville C.T., Nov 17,** clear strike of cds used as dateline on 1864 letter from Col. A.G. Boone with interesting content "*Your favor of Agst 20 by Cape Horn & San Francisco reached me by last nights mail…The last I heard of the wool it had arrived at Council Grove Kan and would be shipped by first train to Leavenworth care of H.W. Chuk to be forwarded to you. This line of communication has and will be kept open Indian troubles to the contrary do I therefore pray sent no more letters by the Sandwich Islands as the Coach (stage) arrived in 11 o 12 days from St. Louis at my door…I love to hear from America - Peace prevails now the country is burried in snow but what the spring may bring forth with such a set of Asses to govern the country is more than I can tell - I keep 50 Garibalda Rifles ready for all emergencys and while Democracy prevails as it did at the last Election I hope to live another year but pray for Peace Peace Peace - Could I only hear that Little Mc (Geo. B. McClellan defeated by Lincoln 10 days before this letter was written) was Elected I would send you a Beaver tail - What is Beaver & Castor worth - I have caught 50 for amusement…*" and signed "A.G. Boone", **Very Fine and scarce territorial letter,** this being **one of only two recorded examples of this Type 1 Territorial Postmark**, *ex-Risvold*.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

Booneville, Colorado Territory was located about 20 miles east of Pueblo and 62 miles west northwest of Bent's Fort. It was established by Albert Gallatin Boone, the grandson of Daniel Boone and nephew of Col. Nathan L. Boone, U.S. Army. The post office was established Jan. 2nd 1863 with Boone as the first postmaster.

552 ✉ **Buena Vista, Colo., Feb 9, 1880,** cds and target duplex canceling **1873, 3¢ green** (158) on an allover illustrated **Mining Scenes** cover to Webster Groves, Mo.; small cover tears at top and vertical crease affecting stamp, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

553 ✉ **Denver City, J.T. (Jefferson Territory), Nov 11, 1860,** dateline on 4-page letter, mostly personal but does mention receiving letters…*Going to the P.O. & inquiring for letters - holding your physiognomy to the delivery of a minute fully the P.M. says "none"* and news being brought by the last express, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

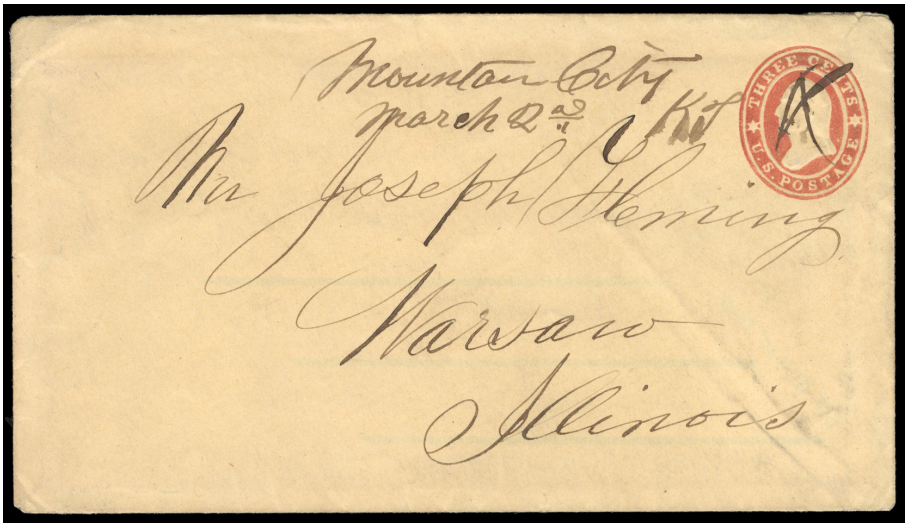
554 ✉ **Fort Lyon, C.T., Apr 10, 1863,** bold full strike of cds (Bauer No. 1) on cover to Denver City forwarded to Big Thompson, C.T. with manuscript "Due 3" rating, franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (few nibbed perfs) canceled by target handstamp; small cover tear at top, **Very Fine,** an exceptional strike of this short lived postmark known used between April and July of 1863.
Scott No. **65** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

To protect travelers in the Arkansas Valley, Fort Wise was established near Bent's Fort. On August 2, 1862 the name was changed to Lyon.

555 ✉ **Hamilton, C.T., Nov 15,** cds with matching "Paid 3" rate handstamp on cover to Illinois, with original enclosure datelined "Cal Gulch, Nov 4th, 1861" with typical miner's letter; cover toning and roughly opened at right, **Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

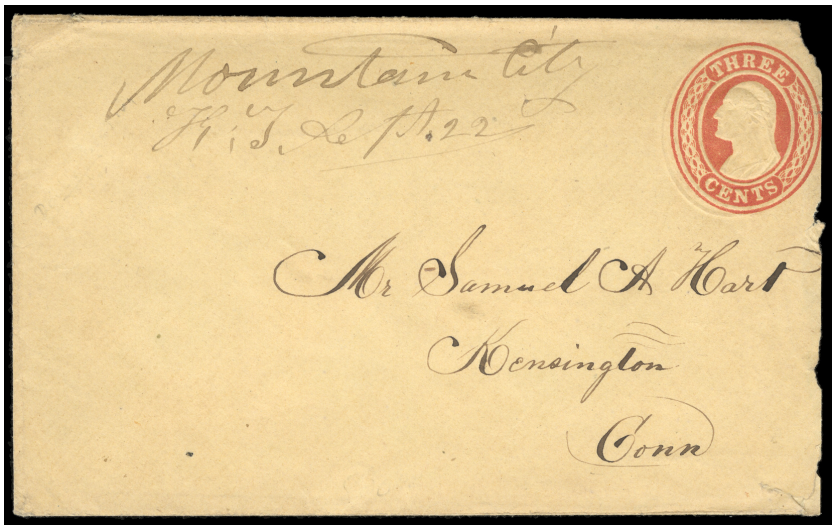
556 ✉ **Lake Gulch, Colorado Terr., May 30, 1862,** dateline on 4-page letter with much personal but does mention many not going to the mines and may go the newly discovered gold region in Washington Territory, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

557 ✉ **Leadville, Col.,** partial cds with quartered cork handstamp canceling 1873, 3¢ green (158) on allover illustrated mining scenes showing **Mining, Smelting and Banker Holding "U.S. Bonds"**, "W. Mackwitz, St. Louis" maker imprint, backflap with "Hildreth Printing House…Leadville" imprint, to Chicago, Ill. with receiving backstamp; cover edge nick and tears, **F.-V.F.,** a rare used example of this wonderful illustrated view.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400



558 ✉ **Mountain City K.T., March 2nd,** manuscript postmark on 3¢ red (U27) buff Star Die entire canceled by manuscript "X" to Warsaw Ill., **Very Fine,** this postmark shows **the "K.T." Kansas Territory designation two days after creation of Colorado Territory**, *ex-Meroni*.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

By 1860, prospectors had proven the existence of profitable deposits of gold and settlement was rapidly fanning out westward into the mountains. Thirty miles to the west of Denver City, placer and lode mining on the headwaters of Clear Creek led to the establishment of post offices at Mountain City and Missouri City.



559 ✉ **Mountain City K.T., Sept. 22, 1860,** manuscript postmark on 3¢ red (U10) buff Nesbitt entire to Kensington Conn., indicia showing second albino impression; cover with rough opening at right, **otherwise Very Fine and rare Kansas Territory use,** *ex-Bauer*.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

Mountain City in Gilpin County was one of the richest mining discoveries on the site known as "Gregory Diggings". The Post Office opened on January 17, 1860 while in the Kansas Territory. The office handled thousands of letters, and in October 1869 name changed to Central City.

Colorado Expresses

560 ✉ **Central Overland California & Pike's Peak Express Co.,** cover addressed to Denver City, K.T. with large manuscript "Via Pikes Peak Express" endorsement at top, franked with **1857, 3¢ dull red** (26) with gutter s.e. at right, tied by "Saint Louis, Mo., Jun 13, 1860" cds; cover with repaired opening tear at top and missing backflap, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

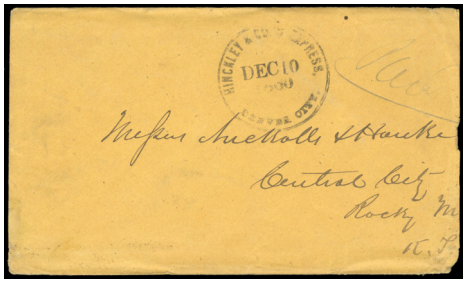

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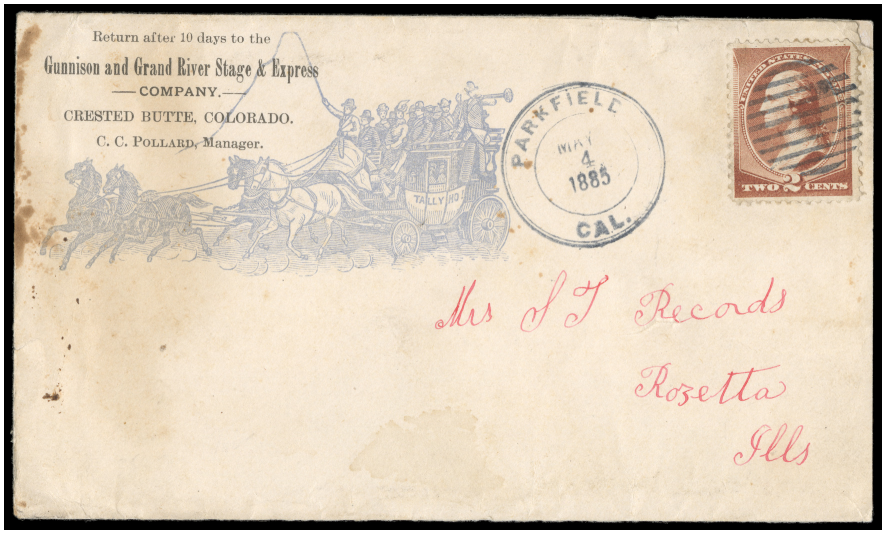

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561 ✉ **Central Overland California & Pike's Peak Express Company, Denver City K.T., Jun 19,** oval handstamp with second strike below dated two days later on 1853, 3¢ Nesbitt entire to Waltham, Mass., manuscript "Due 3" rating and indicia canceled by blue "Saint Louis, Mo., Jun 28, 1860" cds, with original enclosure with **interesting observations about a trip up Clear Creek to the gold mines**…*Golden Gate, where we enter the Mountains through a very narrow pass where a small brook finds its way from the Mountains to Clear Creek. The gully where we go is very narrow crossing the creek 49 times from Golden Gate to a point about 7 miles, where we leave it and climb the Mountain for about two miles very steep and then go down again into another gully and so on for 10 miles, where we arrive at Gregory's digging's so called and in this vicinity there is Russell's Gulch, Lake Gulch, Missouri Flat, Illinois Gulch, Pleasant Valley and several others two numerous to mention.*; cover with edge wear and small tears, **F.-V.F.**; with 2023 P.F. certificate.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600



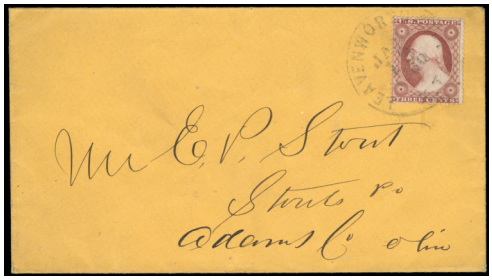
562 ✉ **Gunnison and Grand River Stage & Express Company, Crested Butte, Colorado,** corner card with blue illustrated **Four-Horse Stagecoach** below, on cover to Rozetta, Ill., franked with **1883, 2¢ red brown** (210) tied by grid handstamp, matching "Parkfield, Cal., May 4, 1885" cds alongside; some cover edge staining at left, **otherwise Very Fine,** quite rare.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

563 ✉ **Hinckley & Co.'s Express, Denver City, Jun 17, 1860,** cds on cover carried from the mine to Denver City, with "**Central Overland California & Pike's Peak Express Company, Denver City K.T., Jun 28**" oval date stamp turn over from Hinckley for delivery; cover nick at top and missing backflap, **F.-V.F.,** a scarce dual express usage.
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

564 ✉ **Hinckley & Co.'s Express, Denver City, Dec 10, 1860,** cds on cover to Central City, K.T., manuscript "Paid" in pencil; with original enclosure; cover slightly reduced at right, **F.-V.F.,** *ex-Knapp.*
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300



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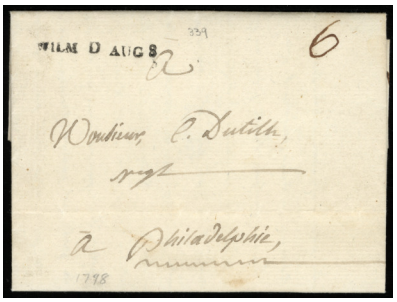
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565 ✉ **Hinckley & Co.'s Express, Denver City, Dec 17, 1860,** cds on cover to **Golden City, Jefferson Territory** with additional express endorsement at bottom left, franked with **1857, 3¢ dull red** (26) canceled by grid handstamp, matching "Philadelphia, Pa., Nov 28, 1860" octagon cds, manuscript "Col 10"(¢) express due rating, **Very Fine,** a very scarce usage to the unofficial territory of Jefferson.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

An unofficial Jefferson Territory was established locally in October 1859, but it was never recognized by Congress. No postal markings of Jefferson Territory are known, although covers are known addressed to Jefferson Territory. The area was larger than what would be Colorado Territory.



566 ✉ **Jones & Russell's Pike's Peak Express Co, Denver City, Oct 20, 1859,** Large black cds on 1853, 3¢ Nesbitt entire postmarked "Leavenworth City K.T., Oct 28 1859" and addressed to Iowa, interesting enclosed letter datelined "Rockey Mountain Citty" written by James Eggen which states writer is living 40 miles from Denver City…"*I have built me a saw mill on Clear Creek and it works first rate and I have it all paid for I sell lumber from 4 to 5 dollars a hundred…The Mines is good, the California mines says they think as good as ever California was, but it takes more work to get it.*", very minor cover repairs at top, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

While still operating the Leavenworth City & Pikes Peak Express, Jones and Russell purchased the John Hockaday line, which had the government mail contract to Salt Lake City via the Platte River. Eventually, this led to the termination of the Republican River-Fort Riley route used by the Leavenworth City & Pikes Peak Express. Jones & Russell's express operated from July 1859 to February 1860, charging 25¢ per letter.



567 ✉ **Jones & Russell's Pike's Peak Express Co, Denver City, Nov 17, 1859,** sharp bold express cds on fresh cover to Rosiclare, Ill., franked with **1857, 3¢ dull red** (26) tied by "Leavenworth, K.T., Nov 26, 1859" cds, **Very Fine and choice.**
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

AN EXCEPTIONAL JONES & RUSSELL'S PIKE'S PEAK EXPRESS CO. WESTBOUND USAGE.

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568 ✉ **Jones & Russell's Pike's Peak Express Co.,** "Leavenworth City, K.T. Jan 13, 1860" cds ties **1857, 3¢ dull red** (26) on orange cover to E.P. Stout at Stout O., **original datelined letter from uncle who just arrived in via the Jones and Russell stage coach**…"*We had extremely cool and pleasant winter weather…I was told yesterday that Jewitt has sold 1200$ dollars worth of property to different men of our city since he came here. He also sold a corner lot to Clark from Brown Co. a Banker for $600. (Clark of Clark & Gruber minted gold coins). The Pikes Peak is still running most of the time and goes full of passengers…*"; interesting content, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

The addressee, E.P. Stout, was the first president of the Denver City town company.



569 ✉ **Leav'h City & Pikes Peak Express Co., May 11,** express cds on cover to "Auraria, Mouth Cherry Creek, Nebraska Territory", franked with **1857, 3¢ dull red** (26) tied by "Afton, N.Y., May 2" cds, **Very Fine and choice,** *ex-Haas & Jarrett*.
Estimate . . . . . $4,000 - 6,000

A WONDERFUL AND RARE LEAVENWORTH CITY & PIKES PEAK EXPRESS CO. EXPRESS WESTBOUND USAGE.

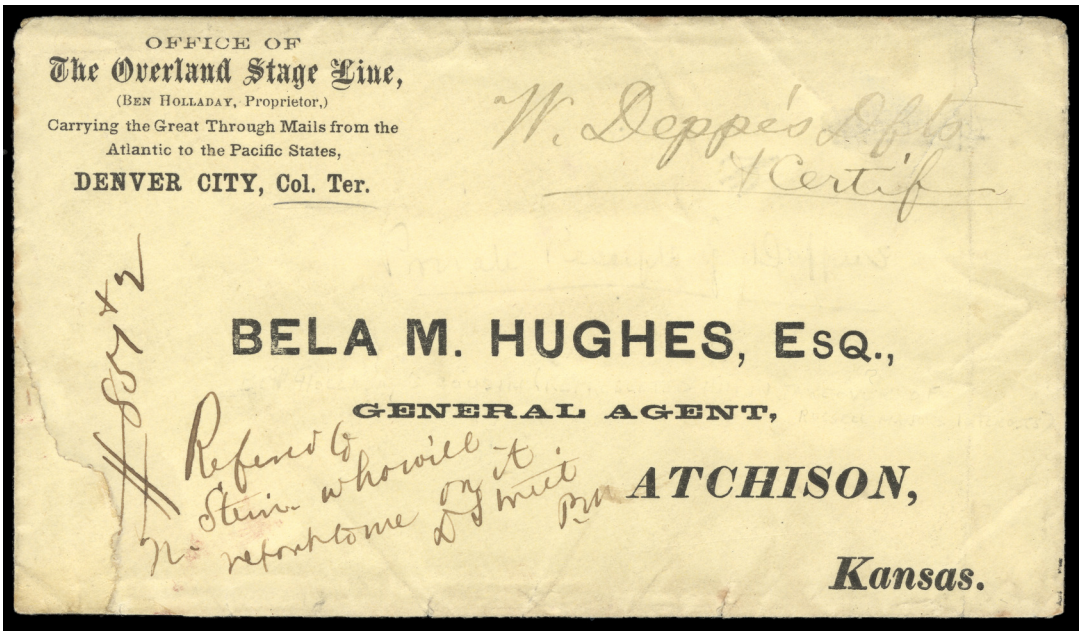
The Leavenworth and Pikes Peak Express Co. was formed by William H. Russell and John Jones in February 1859. The new service announced on March 12th with the first coach departing to Denver City on April 18th. This letter traveled on the seventh trip west to Denver City arriving in nine days.



570 ✉ **Leav'h City & Pikes Peak Express Co., Jun 1, 1859,** express company cds on 1855 3¢ Nesbitt entire (U10) canceled by "Leavenworth City, K.T., Jun 12, 1859" to Wadsworth Ohio; reduced at right with slight mend lower right, **otherwise Very Fine,** *ex-Walske*.
Estimate . . . . . $3,000 - 4,000

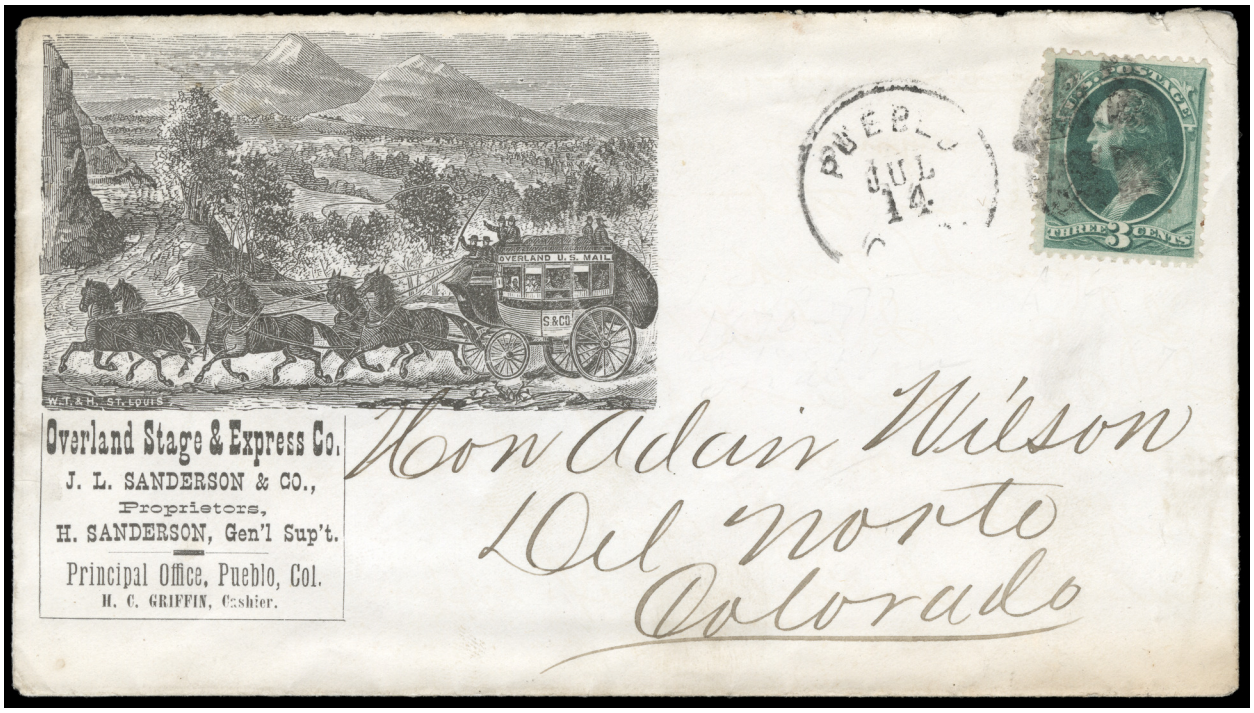
A RARE LEAVENWORTH CITY & PIKES PEAK EXPRESS CO. EXPRESS USE.

The Leavenworth City & Pikes Peak Express Co. was formed in February of 1850 by William Russell and John Jones. This was the first express service between Denver City and Leavenworth City, initially charging 25¢ per letter. This marking is known used only from April to July, 1859 as Amos Streck arrived at Denver City on July 19, 1859 with the "Jones & Russell's Pikes Peak Express Company" date stamp that saw use thereafter.



571 ✉ **Overland Stage Line (Office of), Ben Holladay, Proprietor, Denver City, Col. Ter.,** printed corner card with "Carrying the Great Through Mails from the Atlantic to the Pacific" endorsement, on internal company cover with printed "Bela M. Hughes, Esq., General Agent, Atchison, Kansas" address, carried outside the mails, sender and recipient docketing; repaired corner tear at bottom left, **F.-V.F.,** a very rare Overland Stage Line cover.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

Bela M. Hughes was an American lawyer, businessman, politician and Ben Holladay's cousin. He joined him in Weston, Missouri where Holladay started his first businesses. As a lawyer, represented Holladay in the takeover of Russell and Majors interests in the C. O. C. & P. P. Express.



572 ✉ **Sanderson & Co. Overland Stage & Express Co., Principle Office, Pueblo, Col.,** printed corner card with illustrated design showing **Six Horse Stage on Mountain Road, Stage with "Overland U.S. Mail, S. & Co." imprint**, on cover to Del Norte, Col., franked with 1873, 3¢ green tied by quartered cork handstamp, matching "Pueblo, Colo., Jul 4" handstamp alongside, some minor toning on reverse, **Very Fine and choice**; with 2011 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **158** . . . . . Estimate $1,500 - 2,000

AN EXTREMELY RARE ILLUSTRATED CORNER CARD FROM THE SANDERSON & CO. OVERLAND STAGE & EXPRESS CO.

Established by Vermont men, Jared L. Sanderson and Bradley Barlow during the Civil War, the Barlow-Sanderson Overland Mail Company first carried the mail and operated a stage line between Sedalia and Warrensburg, Missouri and by 1863, was also operating a line from Kansas City, Missouri to Fort Scott, Kansas. In 1866, they began to expand westward and transferred their headquarters from Kansas City to Junction City, Colorado. By 1867, the two entrepreneurs had established a route from Missouri to California over the Santa Fe Trail and changed the name to the Barlow and Sanderson Company. The company continued to grow in Colorado, becoming the largest stage line in the area and in 1874, the headquarters moved to Granada, Colorado. Two years later, despite rumors of bribery and corruption within the company, the stage line continued to expand. However, buy 1878, Bradley Barlow withdrew and the name of the company changed to J.L. Sanderson and Co. Overland Stage and Express Line.

573 ✉ **Southern Overland Mail and Express Co., Barlow & Sanderson Proprietors, Principle Office, Pueblo, Col.,** corner card on cover with illustrated design showing **Six Horse Stage on Mountain Road, Stage with "Overland U.S. Mail/B.S. & Co." imprint**, franked with 3¢ Banknote canceled by cork handstamp, matching "Pueblo, Colo., Oct 23" cds above, reverse with 1879 New York receiving backstamp; cover reduced at right slightly into illustration and minor staining, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

Barlow and Sanderson was a dominant express company in southern Colorado and the San Juan Mountain region. It eventually gave way to the advancing railroads.

574 ✉ **Wells, Fargo & Co., Denver City Col., Sep 25, 1867,** blue double oval handstamp on 3¢ postal stationery entire with scarce Wells Fargo printed frank, "Through Our California And Atlantic Express", addressed to Laporte C.T., opened a little roughly at right, **F.-V.F. and rare,** with **two known examples of this marking**, illustrated in Jarrett's Colorado book.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

Wells Fargo bought the Overland stage line from Ben Holliday in late 1866. Wells, Fargo & Co's. operations in Colorado were extremely limited.

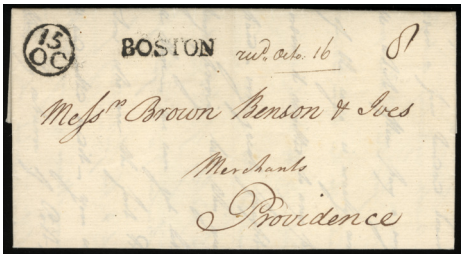
575 ✉ **(Connecticut) Norwalk Decmb 6, Post Paid 10,** manuscript postmark and rating on 1793 folded letter addressed to Hartford, Ct.; small cover tears into postmark, **otherwise Very Fine,** this may be the earliest recorded statehood postmark from Norwalk, *ex-Siskin*.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

576 ✉ **(Delaware) Wilm(Ington) D, Aug 8,** bold straightline postmark on 1798 folded letter addressed to Philadelphia, Pa., manuscript "6" rating, letter in French, **Very Fine and choice.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

577 ✉ **(Kentucky) "Western Territory",** docketing on reverse of lengthy letter datelined "Mouth of the Buffaloe, Charlestown, May 19th 1793", privately carried & entering the mail at Boston, with "Boston" straight line & Bishop mark with manuscript "16" rate to Plymouth, great letter content mentioning Indians, taking of seven families, Lime stone (Kentucky Landing), etc.; some cover edge wear and slight soiling, **F.-V.F.,** a Rare and early Kentucky letter.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400



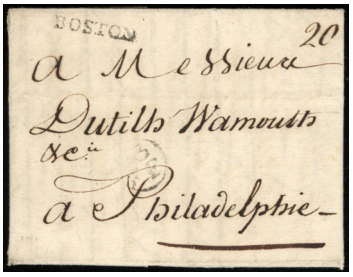
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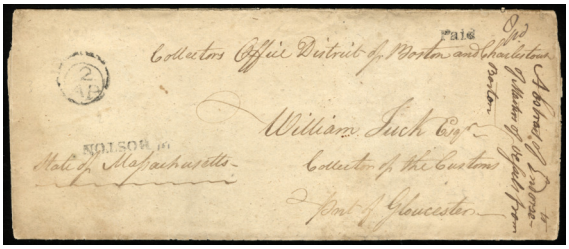
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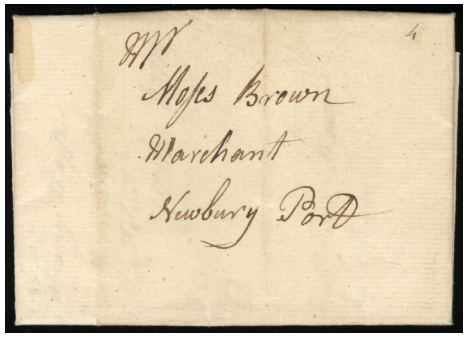
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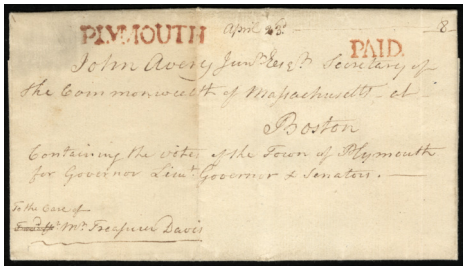
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Massachusetts

578 ✉ **Boston,** bold straight line handstamp with matching "Oc 15" Bishop mark on pristine 1792 folded letter to Providence, R.I., manuscript "8" rating for 30-60 mile distance, **Extremely Fine,** *ex-Beane*.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

579 ✉ **Boston,** straight line postmark with matching "De 31" Bishop mark on 1792 folded letter to Richmond, Va., manuscript "25" rating, letter with some interesting content, **Very Fine,** *ex-Beane*.
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

580 ✉ **Boston,** straight line postmark with manuscript "20" rate and partial Franklin mark, on 1794 folded letter from Bordeaux, France to Philadelphia, Pa., folded letter privately carried and put in the mails at Boston, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

581 ✉ **Boston,** straight line postmark with matching "Paid" handstamp (BPM 173 + 153) and manuscript "8 postage due" rate on 1796 folded letter to Gloucester, Mass., "AP 2" Franklin mark at left with unusual second large circle handstamp, enclosure a list of endorsement of changes of masters of vessels made on certificates of registry in Gloucester signed by collector of the port of Boston, Benjamin Lincoln, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

582 ✉ **Dedham, Aug 10,** two strikes of two line handstamp showing **different spacings between town and date**, on 1799 folded letter to New York with manuscript "17" rating; slight edge nick at top, **Very Fine,** *ex-Beane & Siskin*.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

583 ✉ **New Bedford, Mass., Apr 7,** bold blue cds with matching "Ship" and "5" rate handstamp on fresh ca. 1855 incoming whaling cover to North Marshfield, Mass., rate charge of 3¢ regular postage beyond New Bedford plus 2¢ ship fee, however ship letters addressed to port would have been charged "Ship 6", **Very Fine and choice,** simply a case of an inequality of rates occasioned by a Postal Law enacted in 1855, with 1951 S. Ashbrook letter of explanation.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

584 ✉ **Newbury Port,** addressing on incoming 1792 folded letter with manuscript "4" ship rating, with letter datelined "**Georgetown, New Brunswick**", **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

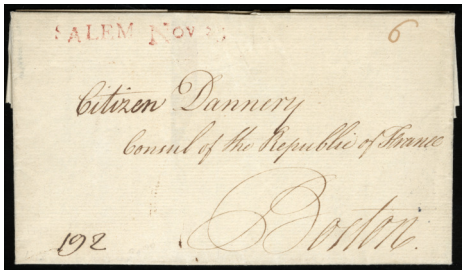
585 ✉ **Plymouth,** red straight line postmark with matching "Paid" handstamp and manuscript "8" rating, on 1793 folded letter addressed to the Secretary of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, John Avery, in Boston, containing the votes from Plymouth for Governor, Lieut. Governor and Senator, **Very Fine,** *ex-Beane*.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300



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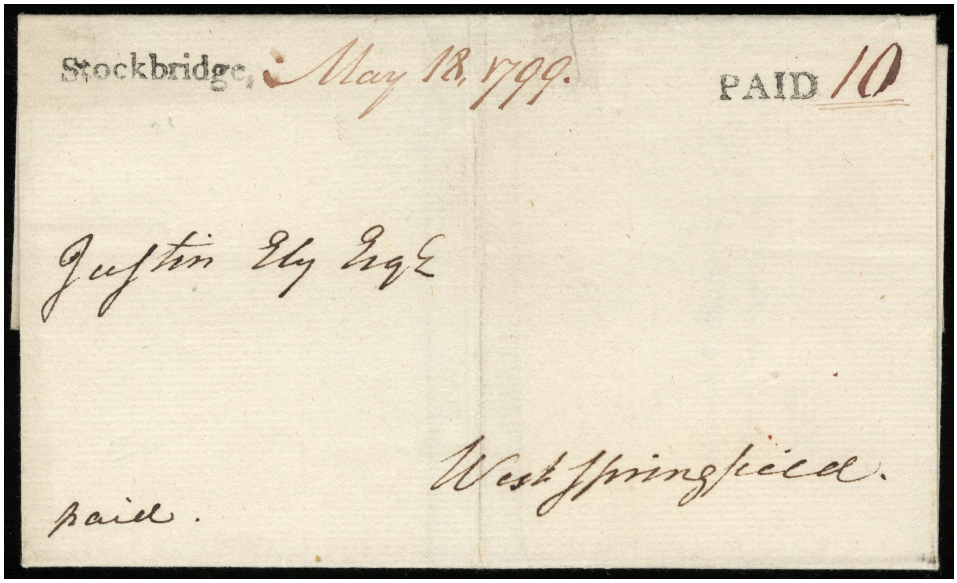


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586 ✉ **Salem, Feb 16,** bold two line postmark on 1798 folded letter to Portland, Me., manuscript "12½" rating, letter datelined "Andover, Feb 22nd, 1798"; some edge wear, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

587 ✉ **Salem, June. 8,** red straight line postmark on 1793 folded letter, with "22" rate to Philadelphia, Pa., **Very Fine,** *ex-Chambers*.
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

588 ✉ **Salem, Nov 22,** red straight line postmark on 1793 folded letter to the consul of the Republic of France in Boston, Mass., with manuscript "6" rating, **Very Fine,** *ex-Beane*.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300



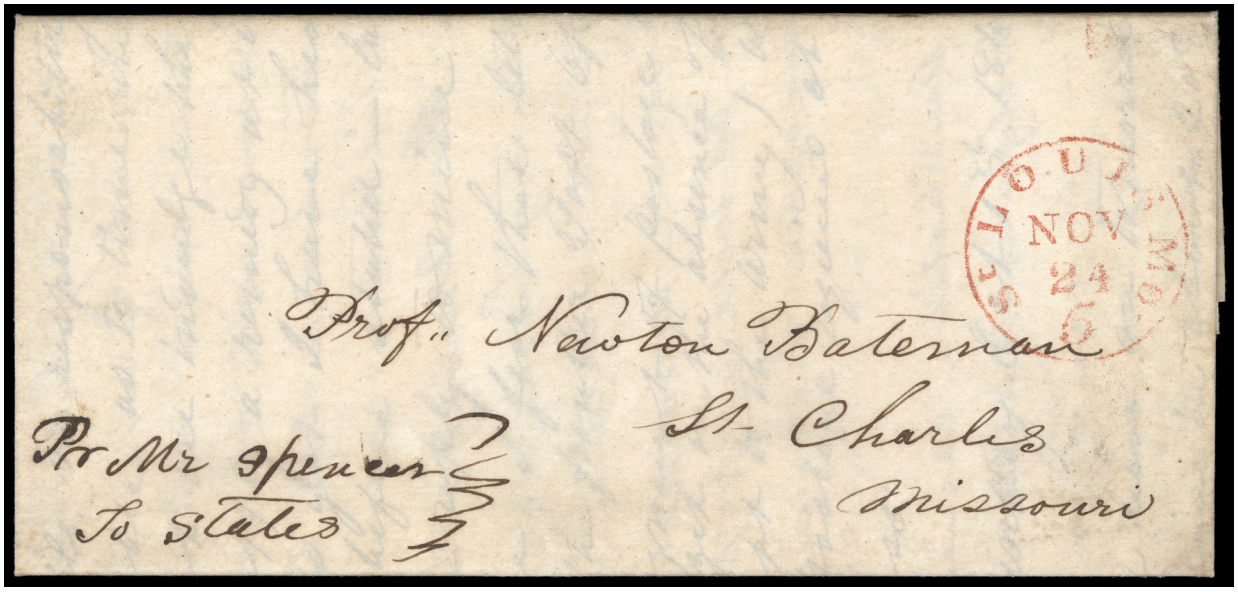
589 ✉ **Stockbridge, May 18, 1799,** nicely struck straightline postmark with manuscript date on fresh 1799 folded letter sheet to West Springfield, Mass., matching "Paid" handstamp & manuscript "10"; light file fold and small sealed tear to right of date, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

590 ✉ **Worcester June 3,** straight line forwarding postmark on folded letter from Providence, R.I. and readdressed to New York, with bold "Providence" straight line and manuscript "May 29" date crossed out, additionally "12½" crossed out and rerated "17"; mended at some folds, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

591 ✉ **(New Hampshire) Hanover, N.H., Sept 15,** bold red fancy dotted oval postmark with manuscript date, on fresh 1829 folded letter to Portsmouth, N.H., manuscript "12½" rate, **Extremely Fine and choice,** a gem strike and cover; with 2011 P.F. certificate.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

New Mexico

The E.B. Batemen Correspondence



592 ✉ **(E.B. Batemen Correspondence) St. Louis, Mo., 5, Nov 24,** red integral rate cds on folded letter to his brother in St. Charles, Mo., letter datelined "**Santa Fe, Saturday, Sept 30th, 1848**" with content…*I am tried & out of patience waiting to hear from you but I do not believe it is your fault. It is because we have no established mails, no responsibility, no regularity no nothing reliable, as to time, in the way of getting news. I fear the letters maybe detained in the frontier Post Offices on acct of non-payment of postage to the old line, for as yet in the absence of any regulations all letters (except to the Army) are treated as foreign & the postage required at the last office thru…I expect this will leave tomorrow & probably get across the Plains in about 20 days…Among other inducements I had for staying here was the exception & which I still entertain that Congress will make liberal awards of Lands to actual settlers as well as to those who shall soon hereafter become citizens of this Territory. The "Apache" Indians killed some Spaniards near Taos, 75 miles distant in the mountains few days since & one Com. Dragoons left yesterday to chastise them.*, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000



593 ✉ **(E.B. Batemen Correspondence) Fort Leavenworth, Mo., Jul 25,** cds with manuscript day and "10" rate, on folded letter to his father in Jacksonville, Ill., letter datelined "**Fort Man. Indian Territory, half way to Santa Fe, July 2nd, 1848**" with content…*We arrive at this place on yesterday after a toilsome march of 400 miles from Fort Leavenworth…This is situated upon the Arkansas River a beautiful steam which has its rise in the mountains & which is truly refreshing to the weary traveler. Not much of importance has occurred on our journey there has been considerable sickness but no death. An advance company had an engagement with some Comanche Indians a few days since which resulted in killing several of the Red-skins without loss on our side the particular division to which I belong was some distance behind & I was with them in change of the Hospital Wagons which place my duties require me to occupy.*, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000



594 ✉ **(E.B. Batemen Correspondence) Independence, Mo., Aug 19,** cds with matching "5" rate handstamp on folded letter to this brother in St. Charles, forwarded to Jacksonville, Ill. with "St. Charles, Mo., Aug 26" cds and manuscript "Ford 5/ 10" rerating, letter datelined "**Wagon Mound, 120 Miles from Santa Fe, July 23rd, 1848**" with content…*I seize a few passing moments, as we have just met a Train for the States, again to inform you of my whereabouts we are still on the great plains slowly wending out way to the point of our destination have been among the mountains several days & enjoy a delightful collection atmosphere, night very collection we cross a branch of the Rocky Mountains running die on white Ivory to Texas, in which State we have been traveling since we left the Semirone (Cimmaron River) but are now within 25 miles of the Mexican line & 40 miles from the first & most northern Spanish settlement called "Bagus" (Las Vegas)…We have heard of the ratification of the Treaty of Peace at Fort Man but had not there nor have we yet counter order which must come to us through the commander of our Battalion who from last accounts was in Chiwawa (Chihuahua, Mexico) we will go to Santa Fee at least & there probably either be dischd or march to Fort Leavenworth.*, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

This letter carried by a returning wagon train was placed in the mails at Independence, Mo. then sent to St. Charles and on to Jacksonville, Illinois. The small town of Wagon Mound is one of the historic landmarks on the Santa Fe Trail.



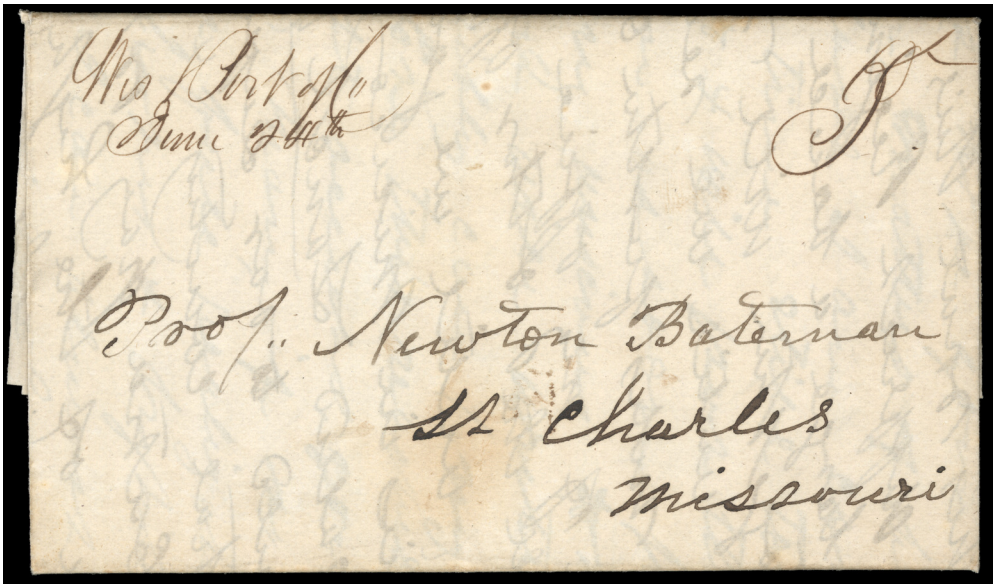
595 ✉ **(E.B. Batemen Correspondence) Independence, Mo., Sep 29,** cds with matching "5" rate handstamp on folded letter to his bother in St. Charles, Mo., letter datelined "**Santa Fe, New Mexico, August 26th, 1848**" with content…*I seize a few moments at ten o'clock this evening to write a few lines as opportunity offers to send it to the States & perhaps directly to you be a gentlemen who leaves in the morning. Our Battalion arrived from below about a week ago. Detachments of which, however have been arriving every few days for about two weeks & I understand all are now up from that region & the last of which took their departure for the states a few day ago. This leaves but a 150 men to garrison this place…i believe it is owning to the wanton abuse of the American soldiers, otherwise the mass are unquestionably satisfied with their present situation, for all know & admit the war has been money in their pockets, even to the very making of many.*, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000



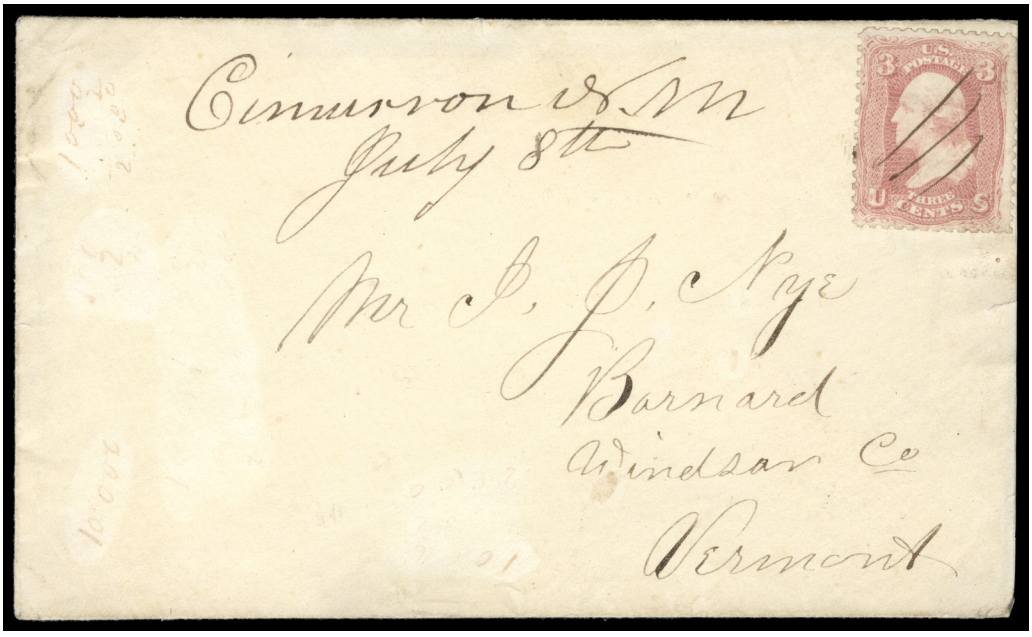
596 ✉ **(E.B. Batemen Correspondence) Independence, Mo., May 25,** cds with manuscript "5" rating on folded letter to his brother in St, Charles, Mo., letter datelined "Santa Fe, N.M., April 4th, 1849" with content…*The reception of your last letter just as this particular time is well fitted to my purposes & feelings, for I was almost on the point of starting for California. I have nearly completed my arrangements & expect to start in a day or two in company with about forty others. We take two or three wagons with provisions for 60 days about which time with expect it will take us to perform the trip. It is from here by the practicable wagon route not less than 1200 miles, are only half-way from St. Louis. I presume the excitement here concerning the Grand El Dorado (Great Gold Discovery), is best as some start of foot & risk getting a mule by trading with the Indians…Our party expect to follow generally the road laid down on the maps by Coln. Cook, from this place we go down the Chiwawa (Chihuahua) road within about 60 miles of El Paso, thence strike across to the Gila (River) a little below the "Copper Mine" down the south side of this River to its mouth, then either cross the Colorado (River) or make a raft & go to its mouth there take shipping.*, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000



597 ✉ **(E.B. Batemen Correspondence) Westport, Mo., 27 May,** manuscript postmark with "10" rate on folded letter to his father Jacksonville, Ill., datelined "**Fort Leavenworth, Missouri Territory, May 14th, 1848**" with interesting content after Bateman enlisted in the 1st Infantry Battalion of the 1st regiment of Missouri Volunteers…*The Fort is beautifully situated on the left bank of the Mo. River 482 miles from St. Louis & 993 miles from Santa Fe. The "Great Plains" which intervene & which we have to cross come up almost in sight of the Fort; a vast amount of Government stores are collected here of almost every kind in the way of transports provision munitions of war & men. The first train is expected to start on tomorrow & the last about the 20th of May following; in it I expect to go; there are 6 or 7 hundreds men Infantry and Calvary quartered here & some 6000 oxen & about 700 heavy wagons. The Trains are drawn by Oxen 12 to 15 miles per day is all they expect to make. I do not think we can reach Santa Fe much before the 1st of September & our final destination before 1st of November. The Indians are round about us on our three quarters here, but are entirely peaceable and have made considerable advances in civilization*, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750



598 ✉ **(E.B. Batemen Correspondence) West Port, Mo., June 24th,** manuscript postmark and 5 rating on folded letter to his brother in St. Charles, Mo., letter datelined "**Council Grove, on the Santa Fe Trail, June 13th, 1848**" with content…*We have passed though the Stockbridge, Delaware, Shawanee & now among the Kansas tribe of Indians, which last gave their Big "War Dance" a few days since, & such a sight as mortals could never conceive or much less believe, expect it could be see - I will not attempt a description but if ever Providence permits us to meet again of this & many other things I will give you a full acct. We have lain at this place Eleven days & take up the line of march tomorrow. there is about Nine hundred troops moving to Mexico on this route this spring, all recruits form different Regiments & Battalions, how large a band of us will finally be together will not probably be determined until we reach Fort Mann, 250 miles further on.* , **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000



599 ✉ **Cimarron N M, July 8th (Colfax),** manuscript postmark with matching pen cancel on cover bearing **1861, 3¢ rose** (65), tiny tear, to Barnard, Vermont; cover with some lightened manuscript and reduced slightly at right just affecting 3¢, **F.-V.F.** (Type 1, Rarity 9).
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

Cimarron was the center and headquarters of the Maxwell Land Grant. Lucien B. Maxwell came to New Mexico from Illinois in 1849. A hunter and trapper, he married Luz Beaubein, one of the heirs of the Beaubein-Miranda Grant. After Carlos Beaubein died in 1864, Maxwell bought out the rest of the heirs. The grant included parts of southern Colorado and much of Northwestern New Mexico, totalling 1,714,765 acres, the largest personal landholding in the Western Hemisphere. Maxwell was postmaster of Cimarron from opening Sept. 3rd 1861 to Set. 18th 1870, and of Fort Sumner from Jan. 17th 1873 until his death on July 25th 1875.



600 ✉ **Fort Buchanan, N.M., May 5,** complete circa 1860 cds on 3¢ red (U10) buff Nesbitt entire addressed in the hand of Captain Richard S. Ewell (commander 1st Dragoons, U.S. Army, later a general in C.S.A. Army), to his niece Elizabeth in Williamsburg, Virginia, endorsed "Via Washington D.C.", carried by Military Express to Tubac, then by Lathrop's Buckboard Mail to Tucson, and from Tucson to St. Louis by Butterfield Overland Mail, docketing note on back "Relating to child captured from Indians", **Very Fine and choice,** *ex-Birkinbine*.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

A CLEAR STRIKE OF THE RARE FORT BUCHANAN, NEW MEXICO TOWNMARK ON A COVER FROM CAPTAIN RICHARD "OLD BALDY" EWELL - LATER A CONFEDERATE GENERAL.

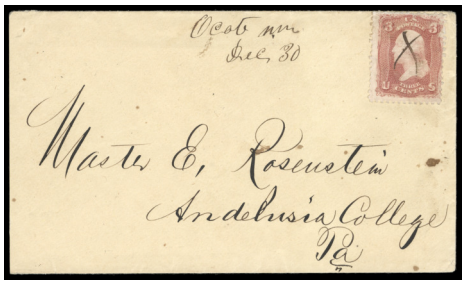
According to the Siegel Auctions catalogue of the Birkinbine Collection, "The sender of this cover, Captain Richard S. Ewell, arrived in the area of southern Arizona in November 1856 with Major Enoch Steen and the 1st Dragoons. They established Camp Moore in mid-November 1856, which was relocated and renamed Fort Buchanan in mid-1857. This May 1860 cover from Capt. Ewell was carried by military express from Fort Buchanan to the post office at Tubac. It was carried from Tubac to Tucson by S. H. Lathrop, who was under contract to transport mail once a week between the two towns. At Tucson the cover was put on the eastbound Butterfield Overland Mail stage to St. Louis via Fort Smith.

In early 1860 Captain Ewell successfully negotiated the release of eleven-year old Mercedes Sias Quiroz, one of two young women abducted by Pinal Apaches (the other was seriously injured and returned to camp after Mercedes's release). In recognition of his efforts, one of four Arizona territorial counties was named Ewell. In May 1860, around the time this cover was postmarked, he inspected the site where Fort Breckinridge was eventually established to prevent Apache attacks. Before construction of the new fort was completed, Ewell returned east in January 1861 due to recurring malaria infections. The note on back indicates that Ewell's letter contained a report of the recovery of the young hostage.

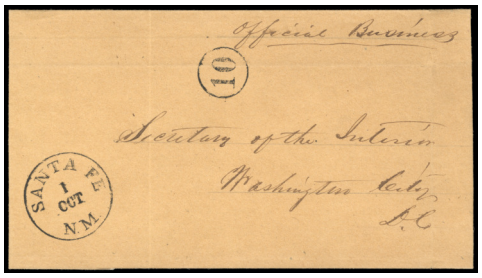
S. H. Lathrop's Buckboard Contract Mail — The Overland Mail route passed through Tucson, but not Tubac, which lies approximately 45 miles south on the Camino Real. The Tubac postmaster, D. F. Hulseman, contracted with S. H. Lathrop, treasurer of the Sonora Exploration and Mining Co., to carry mail on weekly buckboard trips between the two towns."



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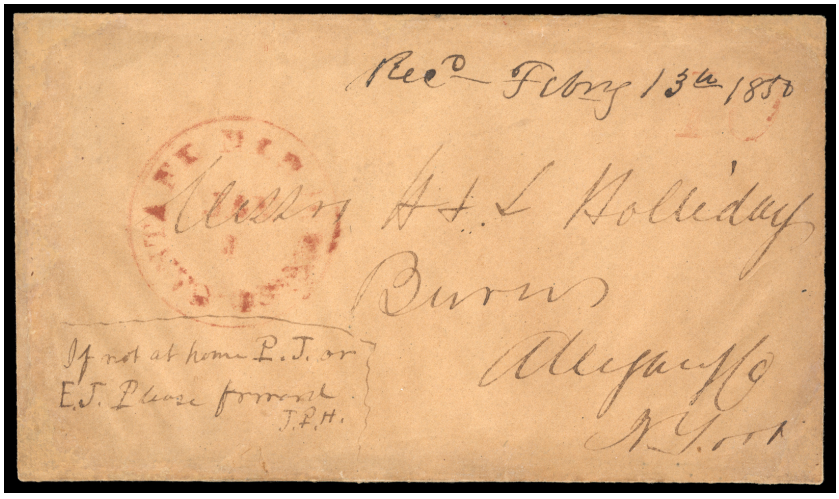
601 ✉ **"Ft. Fillmore N.M., July 7/61",** manuscript docketing on orange cover bearing 1857, 3¢ dull red (26) tied by circular grid cancel, matching sharp "Santa Fe, N.M. Jul 15" cds to Bristol, R.I., **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

According to government records, the Dr. Alden referred to was assistant post surgeon at the time. He was captured by the C.S.A. troops on July 27, 1861 at San Augustine Springs in the Organ Mountains, the day after the Federal troops destroyed Fort Fillmore and retreated toward Fort Stanton. Together with the other Federal officers and men, he was paroled and went to Fort Craig and then back east. He stayed in the Army after the Civil War and rose to serve as Assistant Surgeon General of the Army until his retirement in 1900.

602 ✉ **Ocate N.M., Dec 30 (Mora),** manuscript postmark with matching "X" cancel on 3¢ red (94), small flaws, on circa 1868 cover to Andelusia College Pa.; reduced slightly at left, **F.-V.F.,** only two recorded uses from the first period.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

Ocate is presently located at the junction of NM 442 and NM 120, 23 miles northwest of Wagon Mound. It was settled by sheepmen from the vicinity of Taos in the 1840s. The name probably derives from the Spanish word "ocote", a type of pine tree. The town itself is mostly a semi-ghost town with most of the buildings abandoned, though the post office remains. The post office was in operation from August 2nd 1866 to August 9th 1869, then Jan. 10th 1870 to Mar. 4th 1878 and finally May 9th 1878 to current.

Santa Fe, New Mexico



603 ✉ **Santa Fe, New Mexico, Jan 3,** red cds on cover to Burns, N.Y., with light matching "10" rate at upper right, manuscript "rec'd Feby 13th, 1850" docketing at top; cover with light cosmetic edge repairs, **Very Fine appearance,** one, if not the earliest non-military postmarks from Santa Fe, New Mexico.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

The Post Office at Santa Fe was established on October 1, 1849, however at that tome their were no contract routes to service it. The lower Cimarron Cutoff shortened the journey.



604 ✉ **Santa Fe New Mexico, Mar 1,** well-struck cds with matching "10" rate handstamp on blue 1851 folded cover docketed "Maj. Sheppard, 16 Febry 1851" to Waterford, N.Y., **Very Fine and early use shortly after establishment of the post office,** *ex-Risvold*.
Estimate . . . . . $3,000 - 4,000

The first mail contract by the Post Office Department was known as Route 4888. The bid of Dr. David Waldo was accepted on May 11, 1850 for once-a-month service, Independence to Santa Fe, the cost was $18,000 per year. Dr. Waldo's firm was known as Waldo, Hall and Co. The first mail delivery started from Independence on July 1, 1850, and was hailed by the newspapers of the day as a great success. The Waldo and Hall Company carried the mail until 1854 when the contract was given to Jacob Hall commencing August 18, 1854, for once-a-month service at $11,000 per years. This was known as Route 8912. The new contract doubled the compensation, and service was increased to semi-monthly on July 1, 1855, and then set to expire in one year's time.

Major Shepherd was commander in charge of Fort Marcy during this period at Santa Fe.



605 ✉ **Santa Fe, N.M., May 1,** double-circle postmark with matching "5" rating handstamp on gray 1852 folded letter endorsed "Official Business" to Maj. Gen. W. Towson, Paymaster General, Washington, D.C., datelined letter concerning paymaster accounts "*...I inform you that I have sent by Col. Alexander to the paymaster in New York my accounts...*", rating handstamp obliterated in manuscript as free military business use, **Very Fine,** *ex-Dike & Risvold*.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

ONE OF ONLY THREE RECORDED EXAMPLES OF THIS SANTE FE DOUBLE-CIRCLE DATESTAMP.



606 ✉ **Santa Fe, N.M., Jun 1,** double-circle postmark with matching bold "Paid" and "3" rate handstamps on cover to Philadelphia, Pa.; minor cover edge aging, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

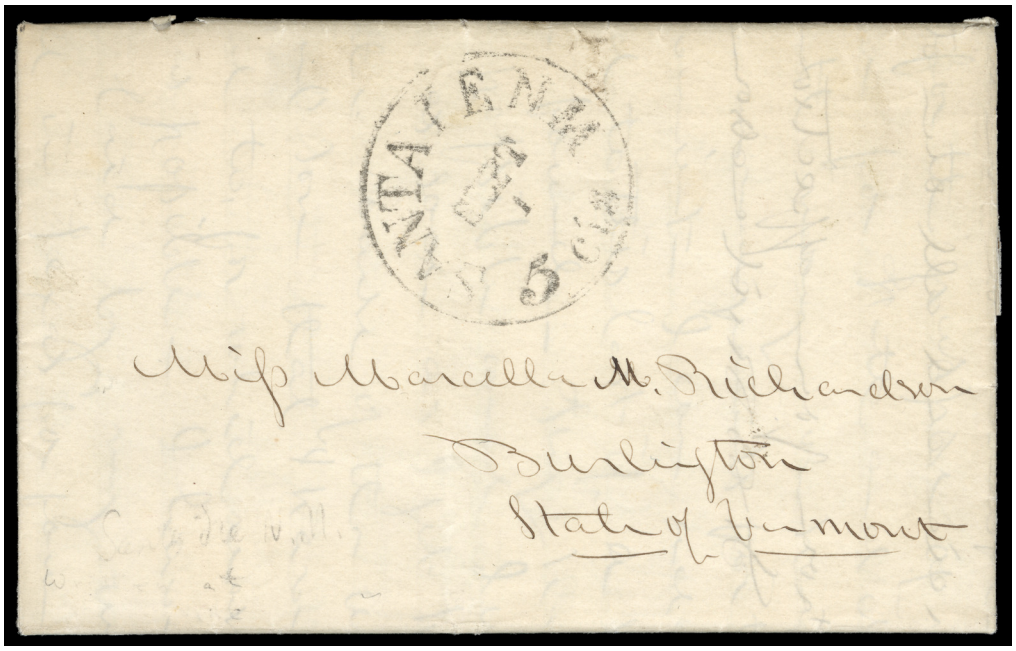
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607 ✉ **Santa Fe, N.M., 17 Feb,** bold Type 5 cds strike with matching gem strike of circled "Paid 6" rating handstamp on blue cover to St. Louis, Mo., endorsed "Via San Antonio" at bottom; light soiling at sides, **otherwise Very Fine and choice prepaid transcontinental use.**
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

608 ✉ **Santa Fe, N.M., 1 Oct,** perfect sharp strike of Type 5 cds with matching circled "10" rating handstamp on circa 1853 refolded legal-size manila cover endorsed "Official Business" to the Secretary of the Interior, Washington D.C., **Very Fine and choice strike.**
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

609 ✉ **Santa Fe, N. Mex., Dec 1,** cds with matching "5" rating handstamp crossed out on blue 1853 folded letter endorsed "Official Business" to Lt. Col. B.F. Lane, Washington D.C., letter from paymaster C.H. Fry concerning paymaster matters; mounted on exhibit with Santa Fe trail engraving; some light staining, **Fine,** *ex-Dike & Kramer*.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600



610 ✉ **Santa Fe, N.M., 5 Cts, Sept 1,** Type 4 integral rate cds on folded letter to Burlington, Vt., with enclosure datelined "Fort Thorn, N.M., August 13, 1854" with interesting content…*The troops are mostly all in the field against the Indians. The Indians here have behaved very well…We are still building the fort…*, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

611 ✉ **Santa Fe, N.M., May 27,** Type 6 cds on 1861 light buff cover bearing 3¢ dull red (26) canceled by matching circular grid cancel to Bristol R.I., docketed "Charles H. Alden, Santa Fe, May 26th 1861" at left, **Very Fine,** *ex-Chase*.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

The type 6 postmark that was in use over a long period of time February 1853 to as late as 1863.

612 ✉ **Santa Fe, N.M., Jun 10,** Type 7 cds with matching grid handstamp tying **1857, 3¢ dull red** (26) on cover to Bristol, R.I., with neat Dr. C. Alden docketing at left, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300



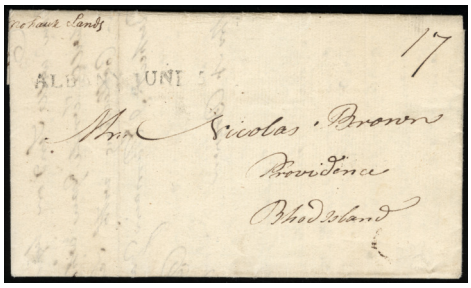
613 ✉ **Santa Fe, N.M., Dec 1,** choice strike of Type 9 cds canceling on fresh 1860, 3¢ Star Die entire to Saint Louis, Mo., 1861 docketing at left, **Very Fine and choice.**
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750



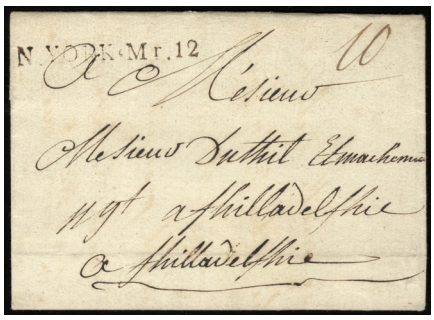
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614 ✉ **Santa Fe, N.M., Feb 7, '65,** cds with matching target cancelling 1860, 3¢ pink entire to Lebanon, O., **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

615 ✉ **Albany, June 5,** straightline postmark and manuscript "17" rating on 1794 folded letter to Providence R.I., business letter concerns a Captain Willis who absconded with three hundred pounds intended for purchase of Mohawk lands, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

616 ✉ **(New York) N. York, Mr. 12,** straight line postmark on 1794 folded letter to Philadelphia, Pa., manuscript "10" rate, with letter in French, **Very Fine,** *ex-Beane*.
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

617 ✉ **(New York) N * Y *, Jul 8,** bold straightline handstamp on 1794 folded letter addressed to Philadelphia Pa., manuscript "10" rating, letter in French, **Very Fine and choice.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

618 ✉ **(New York) N Y*, Feb 10,** straight line postmark struck twice on 1796 folded letter to Philadelphia, Pa., manuscript "Sh 14" rating, letter datelined "Waterford, 9 Mo. 19th, 1796", **F.-V.F.,** latest usage of the abbreviated style per Hahn, *ex-Hahn*.
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 152



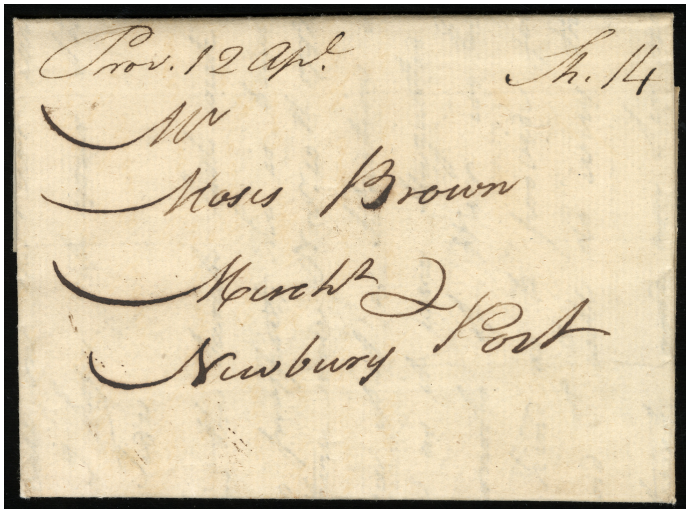
619 ✉ **(Ohio) Cleaveland, O., Sep 18,** perfect bold strike of boxed date stamp on fresh 1832 folded letter to Hartford, Ct., manuscript "25" rate, **Extremely Fine and choice,** a superb postmark and cover; with 2022 P.F. certificate.
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350



Ex 620

620 ✉ **(Oregon) (Salem) Chauncey M. Lockwood & "The Lockwood Messenger System" Correspondence, 1891-1918,** fascinating group of approximately 20 covers and numerous letters, notations and other ephemeral items; includes couple illustrated **Lockwood Messenger System, Salem, Oregon** covers showing Messenger Profile, one hand carried and other posted with 1890, 2¢ Banknote (Chauncey Lockwood was the proprietor of the company), one includes matching illustrated letterhead and another with bicycle messenger rates, also includes Messenger medal badge (probably to attached to messengers hat), another different letterhead showing Columbia Bicycle Scene backdrop of Agent For The Yost Writing Machine showing Yost typewriter, other covers with enclosures including many telegrams including Western Union Telegraph and Pacific Postal, other commercial correspondences and a photo of Lockwood as chief clerk at the State House in Salem, **generally F.-V.F. or better.**
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

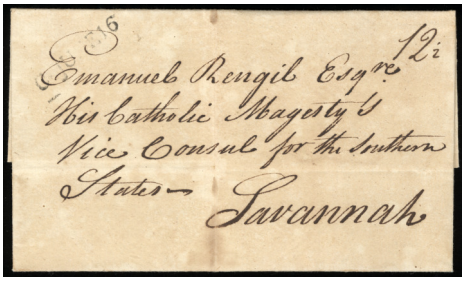
621 ✉ **(Pennsylvania) (Philadelphia),** 1797 year docketed folded letter sheet without origin postmark, bold *Reverse:* Bishop mark and matching "Paid" and manuscript "10" rating, addressed to New York, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

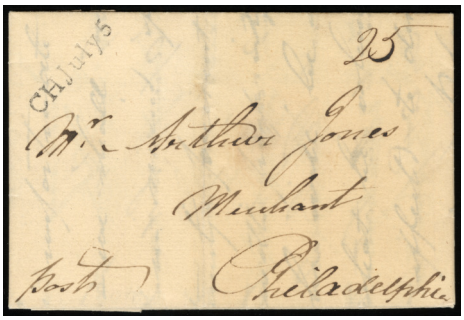


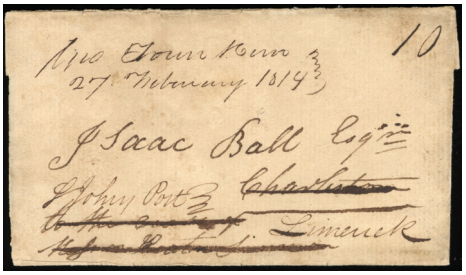
622 ✉ **(Rhode Island) (Providence) Prov. 12 Apl,** manuscript postmark and date and "Sh. 14" rate (10¢ postage + 4¢ ship fee) on 1793 folded letter to Newburyport, letter datelined from Charleston, S.C., letter mentions the accounts of war in Europe, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750


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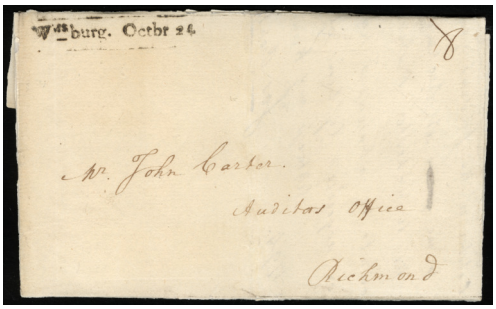

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623 ✉ **(South Carolina) Charleston, April 19,** sharp two line datestamp on fresh 1796 folded letter to Dover, N.H., with manuscript "25" rating and endorsed "pr Post" at lower left, arithmetic notation at right likely three different rates totaling "77" due, **Very Fine,** *ex-Lounsbery*.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

624 ✉ **(South Carolina) (Charleston) C. June 16,** straight line postmark on ca. 1798 folded letter sheet to Savannah, Ga., manuscript "12½" rating; some light aging, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

625 ✉ **(South Carolina) CH(arleston), July 5,** sharp straight line postmark on 1799 folded letter to Philadelphia, Pa., with "25" rating, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

626 ✉ **(South Carolina) (Charleston) St. John's Post, 1814-63,** group of four letters endorsed per "St. John's Post" from the Mrs. Isaac Ball correspondence to Limerick, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

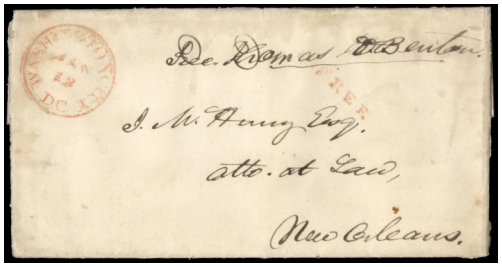
The area along the Cooper River from near Charleston to present day Moncks Corner by 1800 had many plantations. In order to conduct their business, these planters had a definite need for mail service. Since the U.S. Government did not serve their need very well, they joined together and established a private post. The post was dubbed "St. Johns Post" taking the name from the St. Johns Parish where most of them lived.

627 ✉ **(Virginia) Guiney's, Va., 21 May, 1844,** manuscript postmark with "25" rate on folded letter to Huntsville, Ala., with letter discussing the **sale of slaves**; minor toning, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

628 ✉ **(Virginia) Petersburg, Febrvy 16,** brown straight line postmark on 1796 folded letter to Philadelphia, Pa., manuscript "20" rating, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

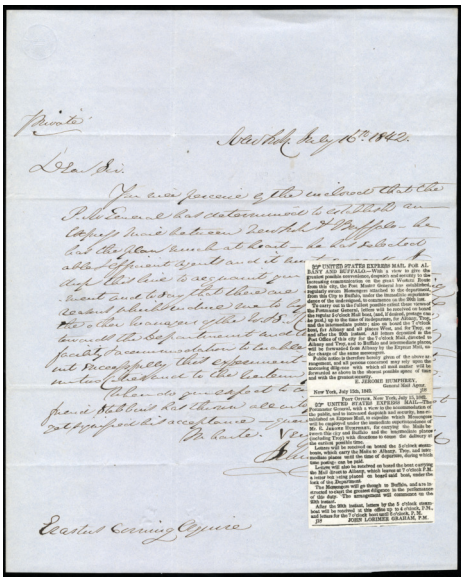
629 ✉ **(Virginia) Wmsburg. Octbr 24.,** choice strike of straightline datestamp on 1794 folded letter to Richmond Va., manuscript "8" rating, **Extremely Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

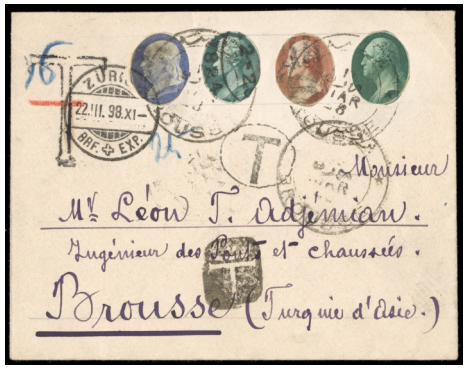
630 ✉ **(Washington) Port Madison, W.T.,** manuscript town postmark tying **1861-63, 2¢ black + 3¢ rose + 10¢ green** (73+65+68) paying 15¢ rate (over 3,000 miles) on cross border cover to **Chatham, Canada**, Montreal, C.E. split ring 12/19/66 backstamp; minor stamp flaws, **Fine, a very rare usage from Washington Territory.**
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

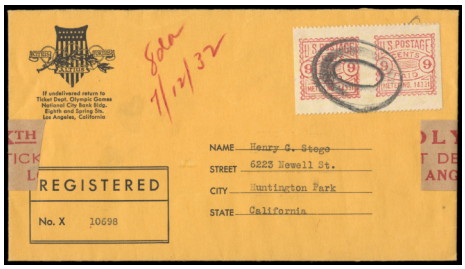

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Misc. Postal History

631 ✉ **Thomas H. Benton (Free Frank),** *Senator from Missouri*, manuscript frank on 1838 folded letter to attorney in New Orleans, La., red "Washington D.C., Jan 12" cds with matching "Free" handstamp, letter contains note from Senator Benton regarding a law suit…*Enclosed are the points six in number, on which I propose to argue the case. Several of them, and especially two last go to the merits.*, accompanied by printed 1838 Supreme Court plaintiff's statement of the case, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

Thomas Hart Benton (March 14, 1782 - April 10, 1858), nicknamed "Old Bullion", was an American politician, attorney, soldier, and longtime United States Senator from Missouri. A member of the Democratic Party, ***he was an architect and champion of westward expansion*** *by the United States, a cause that became known as Manifest Destiny. Benton served in the Senate from 1821 to 1851, becoming the first member of that body to serve five terms.*

632 ✉ **(Exposition) Yale Lock Man'fg Co., Centennial Model Post Office, Stamford, Ct.,** dateless circular handstamp with target duplex on 1878 cover franked with 5¢ Bank Note tied by "New York, Oct 7, 78" duplex postmark, cover with printed address "United States Section of Education, Universal Exposition, Paris", backstamped with partial French "Exposition Universelle, Postes & Telegraphe" double circle Expo. postmark, **Very Fine and choice,** a wonderful cover & one of the great Exposition rarities, **only four examples recorded in Bomar**; with 2012 P.F. certificate. Scott No. 179.
Bomar No. **P78-02** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

633 ✉ **Harnden, Eastern, Western, and Southern, Express, New York,** reddish brown allover illustrated shaded ad cover showing **Large Expressman in Town Scene**, franked with **1857, 3¢ dull red** (clipped corner) tied by "New York, Feb 14, 1861" cds and grid duplex, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **26** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

634 ✉ **United States Express Mail For Albany and Buffalo,** folded letter datelined "New York, July 16th, 1842" addressed to railroad tycoon Erastus Corning in Albany enclosing a day before article regarding the expansion of express mail to points west, with letter regarding same, **Very Fine,** an interesting express mail collateral item.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

635 ✉ **1898 Zurich, Switzerland to Bursa, Turkey,** cover with portraits cut-out of four different Banknote issues affixed at top and tied by Brousse cds's, three different "T" due handstamps with blue crayon 16 rate at top left, Constantinople transit backstamp, **Very Fine and unusual.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

636 ✉ **1932 Olympic Registered Ticket Cover,** printed Olympic Games Ticket Dept corner card cover franked with 9¢ Meter pair canceled by mute oval handstamp, to Huntington Park, Cal. with "Xth Olympiad Ticket Department, Los Angeles 1932" tape sealing reverse, L.A. and receiving backstamps, **Very Fine**; with 2010 P.F. certificate.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200



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Foreign Mails



Ex 637

637 ✉ **New York Incoming "Ship" Covers, 1820-51,** two covers; 1820 folded letter to Boston, Mass. with red "New York, Feb 6" cds, matching "Ship" handstamp and manuscript "20" rate, reverse with bold "**Forwarded by Y.O.S.ts., Maury & Latham of Liverpool**" boxed handstamp, and 1851 folded letter sheet Livorno, Italy to Washington D.C. with "New York, Ship 7cts, Jul 25" cds, with Livorno railroad cds at right and "7cts" cross-out as the letter was sent to the Treasury Dept. on official business, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

638 ✉ **1830 Guadeloupe to Philadelphia, Pa.,** folded letter addressed to the French Consul, privately carried to the U.S. and entered the mails with red "New York, Aug 16" cds with matching "Ship" handstamp and "12" rating (10¢ inland plus 2¢ ship fee), and "**2nd Delivery**" handstamp for later arrival from the ship, **Extremely Fine**; with 2022 P.F. certificate.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

639 ✉ **1859 (Dec. 9) Charleston, S.C. to Barcelona, Spain,** printed circular of Hall & Co. with "Charleston S.C. 'Paid' Dec 10, 1859" origin cds, New York large red "2" cent credit to U.K., carried by Cunard Line *Europa* from Boston Dec. 14 to Queenstown arriving Dec. 25, Barcelona "½ Rs." reales due rating, some paper aging, **Fine and scarce use.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

When the newspaper rate to most European destinations was reduced in April 1853 from 4¢ to 2¢, Spain was not included and 4¢ rate remained until early 1860. Charleston indicated that the newspaper rate was paid but did not show the amount. New York credited the U.K. with 2¢ using a red handstamp. Barcelona marked ½ real postage due using characteristic script-style handstamp.



Ex 640

640 ✉ **1875 New York Foreign Mail Covers to Havana, Cuba,** four covers from the S. Corte Real correspondence; includes 10¢ Banknote (161) single and double rate usage with **NYFM Fouled Anchor** cancellation (Weiss RE-E4), other two sent in April with rare rare short-lived **12-Point Circular Geometric NYFM** handstamp (Weiss GE-EP6, known used 4/21-6/21, **only three covers recorded by Kirke**), also includes N.Y. drop cover from correspondence; two covers with opening tears one affecting franking and some edge toning, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

Railroad Covers



Ex 641

641 ✉ **(Railroad Covers) Greenville & Columbia R.R., Dec 17,** cds tying **1851, 3¢ dull red, top margin single** (11) on cover to Greenville C.H., S.C., with blue shield "Wm. Hitchcock & Co., Congaree House, Columbia, S.C." cameo corner card, includes additional handcarried cover to Pomaria, S.C. with "Greenville & Columbia Railroad, Telegraph Office" corner card, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

642 ✉ **(Railroad Covers) Lville & Cinti. Mail Line Oct 9,** bold strike of blue cds ties **1857, 3¢ dull red** on buff cover to Oxford, Mass.; tiny cover tear at top, **Very Fine,** *ex-Wagshal*; with 2014 P.F. certificate. Scott No. 26.
Towle No. **O-21** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

Packets & Inland Waterway Covers

643 ✉ **Champion, N.O. & St. Louis R.R. Line,** illustrated steamboat oval handstamp on cover addressed to Capt. Wm. Moore of the steamer *Hope* in Vicksburg, Miss.; partial backflap with slight reduction at top, **Very Fine,** a choice example of this scarce handstamp, *ex-Haas*; with 2022 P.F. certificate.
Milgram No. **194** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

Cairo at the confluence of the Mississippi and Ohio Rivers acted as a transfer point for mails going to destinations via Ohio River contract steamboats. From July 1858 to May 1861 the route was contracted by the trip at $200 per round trip. After the Civil War, the Atlantic & Mississippi Steam Packet Co. was contracted for a 3½ times a week service at $27,000 a year.



644 ✉ **From Natchitoches Packet D.R. Carroll,** two strikes of blue oval handstamp on 1858 folded letter to New Orleans, La., one tying **1857, 3¢ dull red** with additional "Steam" handstamp, matching "New Orleans, La., Nov 16, 1858" cds, stamp with additional unused 3¢ stamp affixed underneath (most likely stuck together at time of mailing), **Very Fine,** *ex-Haas*; with 2022 P.F. certificate. Scott No. 26.
Milgram No. **363** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

645 ✉ **From Steamer Natchez No. 2,** red oval handstamp on incoming 1853 folded letter sheet franked with **1851, 3¢ dull red** (11A) tied by N.O. "Way" handstamp, partial red "New Orleans, La., July 19" cds, **Very Fine**; with 2022 Crowe certificate.
Milgram No. **969** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

646 ✉ **Steamer Oregon, 5,** complete sharp strike of red oval handstamp on 1846 folded letter from New York to Providence R.I., **Extremely Fine,** The Oregon rating handstamp is known only used in 1846; with 2018 P.F. certificate.
Milgram No. **1034**. . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

In 1846, a joint contract involving the New Jersey Steam Navigation Company owned by Cornelius Vanderbilt and the New York, Providence and Boston Railroad Company was made for Route 801 New York to Boston. The steamboat company's share of the $15,000 a year contract was $7,272 for a daily trip excluding Sundays.



647 ✉ **Sultana,** clear red negative handstamp on 1850 New Orleans, La. folded letter to St. Louis, Mo., some minor ink erosion in address panel, **Very Fine,** a very scarce marking.
Milgram No. **1329**. . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

Advertising & Illustrated Covers

648 ✉ **(Agricultural) American Agriculturist, New York,** allover illustrated design showing **Livestock and Farm Implements** amid floral borders, on cover franked with **1863, 2¢ black** tied by "Flushing, N.Y., Apr 9, '64" cds and target duplex, **Very Fine,** a choice example of this spectacular advertising design; with 1983 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **73** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

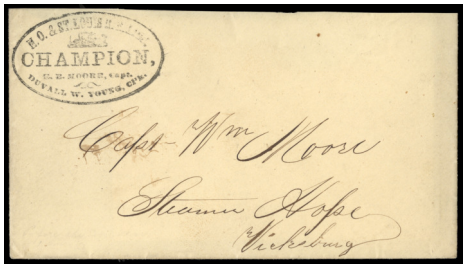
649 ✉ **(Art & Literature) Alfred A. Childs & Co., Gallery of Art, Boston,** allover illustrated ad design in brown showing **Building View**, on drop cover franked with **1869, 2¢ brown** tied by "Boston, Mass., Jul 15" cds and cork duplex, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **113** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

Cameo Designs

650 ✉ **(Cameo) H.C. Nichols, Dealer in China, Glass & Earthenware…, Columbia, S.C.,** blue illustrated embossed corner card showing *Pitcher and Basin*, on cover franked with **1857, 3¢ rose, type I, left margin single** (position 21L6) tied by blue "Columbia, S.C., Feb 24" cds; cover with small corner stain at bottom left, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **25** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

651 ✉ **(Cameo) H.W. Kinsman, Window Shades and Curtain Goods, Charleston, S.C.,** blue illustrated corner card showing **Elaborate Window Dressings**, on cover to New York franked with **1851, 3¢ dull red, horizontal pair** (11A) tied by blue "Charleston, S.C., Paid, May 21" cds; edge flaws and a bit reduced at right, **F.-V.F.,** a wonderfully intricate design.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

652 ✉ **(Cameo) Jennings, Thomlinson & Co., Wholesale (Saddlery), Charleston, S.C.,** green **Western Horse Saddle** corner card design on cover to Stockholm, N.J., franked with **1851, 3¢ dull red** (11A) tied by blue "Charleston, S.C., Paid, Sep 26" cds; some light soiling, **F.-V.F.,** a very rare ad design.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200



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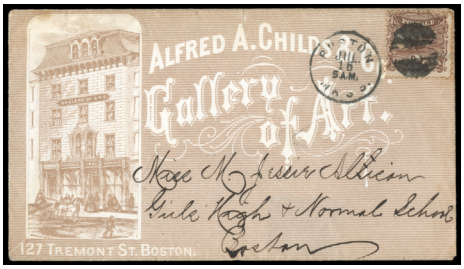
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653 ✉ **(Cameo) L.(Eonard) Chapin, Carriage Repository & Factory, Charleston, S.C.,** blue embossed illustrated design showing **Carriage Repository View** with new owner's name penned at top and old owner crossed out in cameo, on cover to Darlington, S.C. franked with **1851, 3¢ dull red** (11A) tied by "Charleston, S.C., 3 Paid, Feb 12" cds, **Very Fine,** Leonard Chapin purchased W.J. Gayer's building after his death in 1858.
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

654 ✉ **(Cameo) Leonard Chapin, Charleston, S.C.,** blue embossed illustrated corner card showing **Fancy Covered Carriage**, on 1853, 3¢ Nesbitt entire (U2) to Mendham N.J., canceled by blue "Charleston, S.C., Paid, Apr 19" cds, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

655 ✉ **(Cameo) Mc Kenzie's Wholesale & Retail Confectionary Store, Columbia, S.C.,** green illustrated corner card showing **Pineapple, Cake Tower & Glassware**, on cover franked with **1857, 3¢ dull red** (26) tied by blue "Columbia, S.C., Aug 16" cds and canceled by grid handstamp, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

656 ✉ **(Cameo) Washington & Co., Wholesale & Retail Grocers…, Alexandria, Va.,** blue embossed illustrated cameo corner card showing **"Whiskey" Barrel**, on fresh cover franked with **1857, 3¢ dull red** (26) tied by "Alexandria, Va., Jan 7, 1859" cds, with original enclosure, **Very Fine and choice.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300



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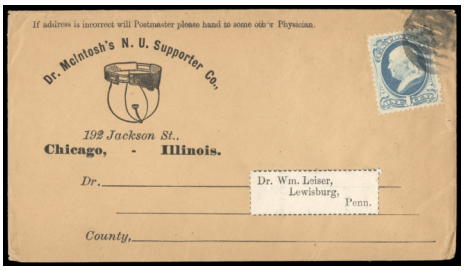
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657 ✉ **(College) Cornell University,** two **slightly different Campus View designs** on covers; one franked with 1869, 6¢ ultramarine (115) showing one central building in view, other franked with 1871, 3¢ green (147) showing a central building, both canceled by quartered cork handstamps with matching Ithaca, N.Y. cds's alongside; small stamp/cover flaws, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

658 ✉ **(College) Soule's Commercial College, New Orleans,** elaborate corner card design showing **Books, Globe and Cherubs**, on cover to North Conway, N.H. franked with 1869, 3¢ ultramarine tied by negative square and compass handstamp, matching "New Orleans, La., Sep 27" cds below. Skinner-Eno No. FR-M3b 66.
Scott No. **114** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350



659 ✉ **(Gun & Powder) Merrill Patent Fire Arm Manufacturing Co., Baltimore,** illustrated corner card design showing **Merrill's Patent Breech Loading Rifle**, on cover to Sandy Springs, Md., franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** tied by blue "Baltimore, Md., May 26" cds; stamp with a few nibbed perfs at right, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **65** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

The Merrill carbine was a breechloader firearm designed by Baltimore, Maryland gunsmith and inventor James H. Merrill. It was one of several firearms either manufactured or altered by Merrill in fulfillment of contracts with the Union government during the U.S. Civil War.

660 ✉ **(Hand Illustrated) Man with Hallow Surrounded by Angels,** skillfully executed pen drawn design on cover to Boston, Mass., franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** tied by "West Hampton, Mass" cds and target duplex, **Very Fine,** a wonderful caricature design.
Scott No. **65** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

661 ✉ **(Machinery) Thomas & Mast, Manufacturers of Buckeye Grain Drill, Cultivator and Cider Mill, Springfield, O.,** fancy illustrated corner card showing **Two Horse Cultivator Scene**, on cover to Adamsville, Pa. franked with **1868, 3¢ red, F. grill** tied by ultramarine "Springfield, O., Nov 9, '68" cds and target duplex, with original price list enclosure, **Very Fine,** an attractive ad and scarce color cancellation; with 2003 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **94** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

662 ✉ **(Medical) Dr. McIntosh's N.U. Supporter Co., Chicago, Ill.,** illustrated ad on fresh return cover franked with 1¢ Banknote tied by grid handstamp, **Very Fine and choice,** a rare female (N.U. for natural uterine) medical device ad.
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

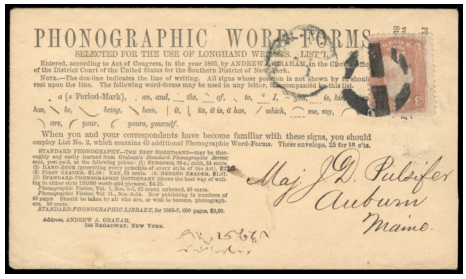
663 ✉ **(Perfumery) Harrison's Columbian, Perfumery and Ink, Philadelphia,** elaborate all-over floral design on fresh cover to Cooperstown, N.Y., franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** tied by grid handstamp, matching **Philadelphia, Pa., Nov 20, 1861** cds, **Extremely Fine**; with 1996 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **65** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

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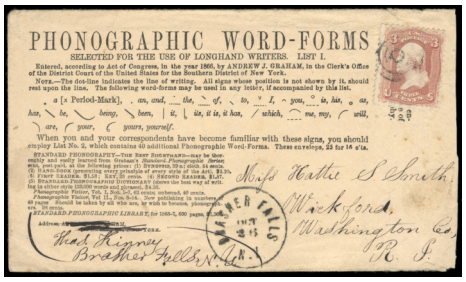
664 ✉ **Blood's Local,** acid tied on buff cover with Blood's Despatch handstamp alongside and franked with **1851 3¢ dull red** and tied by blue Philadelphia. Pa. cds, addressed to New Haven, Ct. with *original enclosure written in shorthand*, **Very Fine and attractive.**
Scott No. **11A** . . . . . Estimate $100 - 150



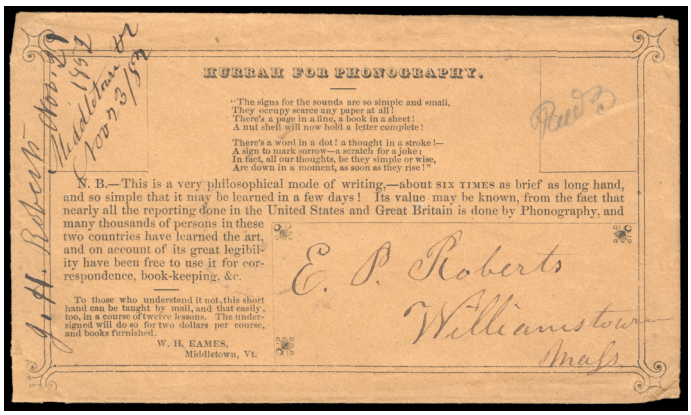
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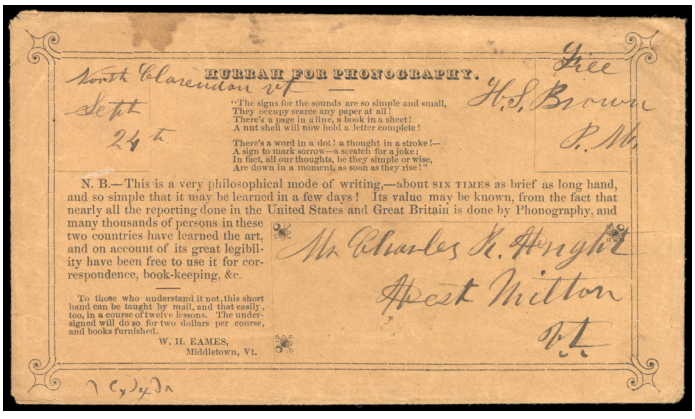
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665 ✉ **Eames, W.H., *Hurrah For Phonography***, allover advertising design with text extolling the virtues of phonography on buff cover to Williamstown, Mass. with "W.H. Eames, Middletown, Vt." imprint at bottom, manuscript "Middletown, Vt., Nov. 23/52" postmark at top left and pencil "Paid 3", small part of backflap torn away, **Extremely Fine,** a rare early design.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300



666 ✉ **Eames, W.H., *Hurrah For Phonography***, allover verse design with text extolling the virtues of phonography on buff cover to West Milton, Vt. with "W.H. Eames, Middletown, Vt." imprint at bottom, manuscript "North Clarendon, Vt., Sept. 24th" postmark at top left and Postmaster free frank at top right, small part of backflap torn away, **Very Fine and scarce.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300



667 ✉ **Fowler & Wells, *Phonography***, allover advertising design with text extolling the virtues of phonography on cover to Bridgewater, Mass. with "Fowler and Wells" imprint at bottom, franked with **1851-52, 3¢ brownish carmine, type II** (clear to mostly large margins), tied by grid cancel with matching "Abington, Mas., Oct 5" cds at bottom left, **Extremely Fine, a choice example of this design,** *ex-W. Fox*; with 2012 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **11A** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



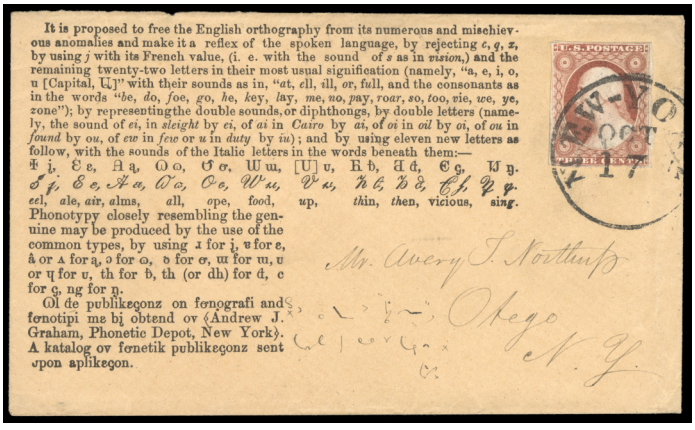
668 ✉ **Fowler & Wells, *Phonography***, allover advertising design with text extolling the virtues of phonography on cover to Bridgewater, Mass. with "Fowler and Wells" imprint at bottom, franked with **1851-52, 3¢ dull red, type II** (large margins), tied by grid cancel with matching "Abington, Mas., Apr. 10" cds at bottom left, **Very Fine and attractive.**
Scott No. **11A** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



669 ✉ **Graham, Andrew, *Glace at Standard Phonography - The Best Shorthand***, all-over advertising lettersheet with Various Ads and Articles on Phonography (inside & out) to Woodville, N.J. with "Andrew Graham" imprint at bottom left, franked with **1861 1¢ blue + 3¢ rose** tied by New York cds's; trivial nick at bottom, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **63+65** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

A VERY RARE FOLDOUT PHONOGRAPHY AD SHEET, PARTICULARLY WITH THE 1¢ CARRIER RATE, THE ONLY EXAMPLE WE HAVE EVER OFFERED.

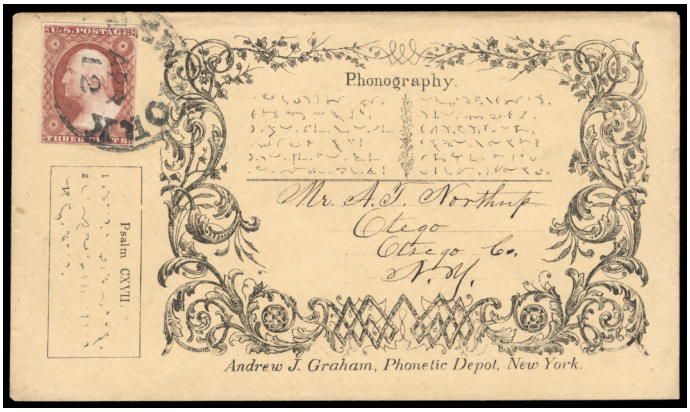
Andrew Graham developed the shorthand system known as "Graham's Shorthand." It was the standard shorthand system in the United States in the last half of the 19th century until it was supplanted by the Gregg Shorthand system.



670 ✉ **Graham, Andrew, *Phonetic Depot New York***, all-over Propaganda design on buff cover to Otego, N.Y. franked with **1851 3¢ dull red** tied by bold "New-York Oct. 17" cds, small part of flap missing, **Extremely Fine, this is the only example of this design known to us,** *ex-Grunin & W. Fox.*
Scott No. **11** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

671 ✉ **Graham, Andrew, *Phonographic Word-Forms***, all-over advertisement text on cover to Auburn, Me. with "Andrew J. Graham, 544 Broadway New York" imprint at bottom left, franked with **1861 3¢ rose** tied by unusual segmented geometric with New York cds alongside, **Very Fine and scarce.**
Scott No. **65** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

672 ✉ **Graham, Andrew, *Phonographic Word-Forms***, all-over advertisement text on cover to Wickford, R.I. with "Andrew J. Graham, 491 Broadway, New York" imprint at bottom left (crossed out with return address of Thos. Kinney in Brasher Falls, N.Y.), franked with **1861 3¢ rose** tied target cancel with "Brasher Falls, N.Y." cds at bottom, somewhat irregularly reduced at right, **Very Fine, a scarce design.**
Scott No. **65** . . . . . Estimate $100 - 150



673 ✉ **Graham, Andrew, *Phonography***, ornate floral bordered Phonography advertising design on buff cover to Otego, N.Y. with "Andrew J. Graham, Phoentic Depot, New York" imprint at bottom, franked with **1851 3¢ brownish carmine** tied by "New York Apr. 12" cds, **Extremely Fine and choice, a scarce design.**
Scott No. **11** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

Andrew J. Graham was conductor of the Phonetic Depot in New York and published many books and manuscripts on phonography.

674 ✉ **Graham, Andrew, *The Standard Phonographic Visitor***, all-over phonography text advertising cover to Washington, D.C. with "Andrew J. Graham, 491 Broadway, New York" imprint at bottom left, franked with **1861 3¢ rose** with tied by grid cancel and postmarked "The Dalles, OR Sep 30" cds, from the Cummins correspondence to Washington D.C., "1864" docket at left over part of the text, slightly reduced at right, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **65** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

675 ✉ **Graham, Andrew, *The Universal Phonographer***, ornate floral bordered Phonography advertising design on buff cover to West Andover, Ohio with "Andrew J. Graham, Editor & Pub. Phoentic Depot, N.Y. City" imprint, franked with **1851 3¢ dull red** tied by two part strikes of "Wenona, Ill." straight line postmark, **Extremely Fine.**
Scott No. **11A** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

Andrew Jackson Graham (1830-1894), author and teacher of stenography, developed the Graham shorthand system, founded the A.J. Graham Company in New York City, and started The Student Journal.

Graham used a different Phonetic alphabet than Pitman and called himself "The Universal Phonographer". After copyrighting his "Standard Phonographic Dictionary" in 1862, Graham filed a copyright infringement case against Benn Pitman, over shorthand techniques.



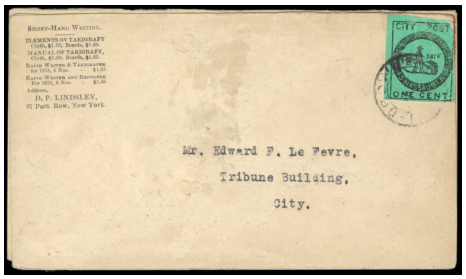
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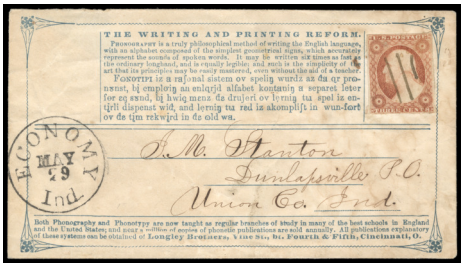
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676 ✉ **Great Britain 1sh Green Embossed, Die 2,** for margins, light corner crease, tied by barred numeral "152" cancel on cover to New York City, included is original enclosure written in shorthand, backstamped red Bath cds and green Liverpool transit, also found on reverse is small green diamond label printed in shorthand (partially torn away), **Very Fine and choice.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

677 ✉ **Lindsley, D.P., New York,** ***Short-Hand Writing***, advertising corner card extolling the **Elements of Takigraphy**, on two locally addressed covers (one with typewriter address) franked with different **1877 Brown's City Post locals** (Scott #31L3 & 31L5) each tied by Brown's Despatch, Paid circular handstamp; cover soiling and first cover with front repaired and backflap replaced, **Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

678 ✉ **Longley & Brother,** ***The Writing and Printing Reform***, all-over advertising on buff cover to Galesburgh, Ills. with imprint of "Longley & Brother, Print, Cincinnati, O." at bottom, franked with **1851 3¢ dull red** tied by "Canton. Ills." cds, cover with flap with advertising text of "The Weekly Phonetic Advocate", **Very Fine and attractive.**
Scott No. **11** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

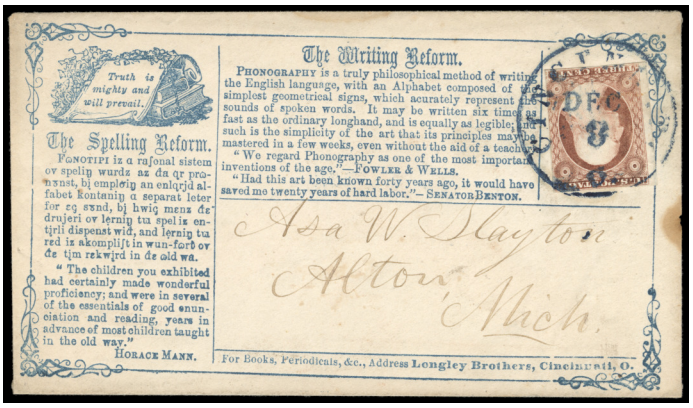
679 ✉ **Longley & Brother,** ***The Writing and Printing Reform***, all-over green advertising on small cover to Brandon, Vermont with imprint of "Longley & Brother, Print, Cincinnati, O." at bottom, postmarked "Woodstock, Ohio" cds at top left with "Paid 3" in circle at top right, cover flap with advertising text of "The Weekly Phonetic Advocate" in red, **Very Fine and scarce.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

Elias Longley established his business in Cincinnati in 1853, teaching Phonography and phonotype with his self-published manuals. Six varieties of Longley advertising envelopes are known.

680 ✉ **Longley Brothers,** ***The Writing and Printing Reform***, all-over advertising on cover to Camden, Ohio with imprint of "Longley Brothers, Phonetic Publishers, No. 169½ Walnut St., Cincinnati, O." at bottom, franked with **1851 3¢ dull red** tied by indistinct Ohio town cancel, the cover seems to have been missent to Camden, Md. with manuscript "Missent & forwarded" at top left and "Camden Station Aug. 9" postmark and "5 cts" manuscript forwarding postage, cover with flap with advertising text, some cover wear & split along flap fold, included is original enclosure written in shorthand, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **11** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

Longley & Brother became Longley Brothers in about 1855.

681 ✉ **Longley Brothers, *The Writing and Printing Reform.***, all-over blue advertising design on cover to Dunlapsville, Ind. with imprint of the "Longley Brothers, Vine St., bt. Fourth & Fifth, Cincinnati, O." at bottom, franked with manuscript canceled **1851, 3¢ dull red** with bold "Economy, Ind., May 29" cds; small piece of backflap missing, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Scott No. **11A** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



682 ✉ **Longley Brothers, *The Writing Reform.***, all-over printed Propaganda in blue with space for adhesive at top right on cover to Alton, Mich. with imprint of the "Longley Brothers, Cincinnati, O." at bottom, franked with **1851 3¢ dull red** tied by blue "Cincinnati, O. Dec. 8" cds with additional printed advertising on back flap, **Extremely Fine and attractive.**
Scott No. **11A** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

683 ✉ **Longley, Elias, *To Phonographers***, all-over advertising design on cover to Eugene, Ore. with imprint of the "Elias Longley, Cincinnati, Ohio." at bottom, franked with **1857 3¢ dull red** (small defect) tied by bold "Cincinnati, O., Feb. 18" double circle duplex cancel; pencil manuscript **"Due 7"** to complete the 10¢ West Coast rate, additional manuscript "ford Due 3" and totalled to "10 Due", adhesive additional tied by "Eugene, O." cds but with no indication of forwarding destination, slightly reduced at right, **Very Fine,** an unusual design and usage.
Scott No. **26** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

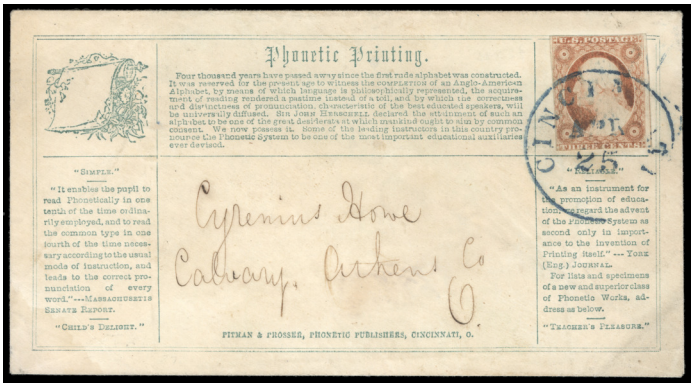
684 ✉ **Longley, Elias, *To Phonographers***, all-over ornate border advertising design on cover to Coffin Road Station, R.I. with imprint of the "Longley Brothers, Cincinnati, Ohio." at bottom, franked with **1857, 3¢ dull red** (hidden defect) tied by indistinct cds, **Very Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **26** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

685 ✉ **Longley, Elias, *To Phonographers***, allover blue ornate border advertising design on cover to Summit, Ind. with imprint of the "Longley Brothers, Cincinnati, O." at bottom, franked with **1857, 3¢ dull red** tied by attractive blue "Yellow Springs, O. Dec. 6" cds; few slightly reduced at right, **Very Fine and attractive, a rare Longley Bros. design**; with 2013 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **26** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

Elias Longley is the author of American Manual of Phonography. Being a Complete Guide to the Acquisition of Pitman's Phonetic Shorthand.

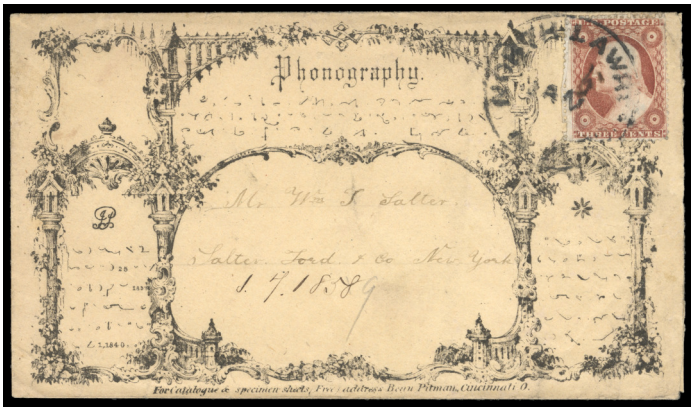
686 ✉ **Longley, Elias, *To Phonographers***, all-over ornate border advertising design on cover to Minnesota Lake, Minn. with imprint of the "Longley Brothers, Cincinnati, Ohio." at bottom, franked with **1857, 3¢ dull red** (defective) tied by manuscript "Stanton, Minn." postmark (possibly a Territorial usage), **Very Fine appearance.**
Scott No. **26** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

687 ✉ **Longley, Elias, *To Phonographers***, all-over advertising design on cover to East Poultney, Vt. with imprint of the "Elias Longley, Cincinnati, O." at bottom, franked with **1861 3¢ rose** tied by target cancel with "Rochester, N.Y. Jul. 28, 1861" double circle postmark; slight edge wear, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **65** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



688 ✉ **Pittman & Prosser, *Phonetic Printing***, light blue allover verse design with "Pitman & Prosser, Phonetic Publishers, Cincinnati, O." imprint on cover addressed to Athens Co., franked with **1851 3¢ dull red** (clear to large margins) tied by neat "Cincinnati, O." cds in blue, **Extremely Fine and a scarce design,** *ex-C. Chase*; with 2013 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **11A** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

Benn Pitman established a partnership with R.P. Prosser in 1853 and published "The Reporter's Companion", a 127 book on phonography. Prosser soon went out on his own establishing his own firm in Cincinnati.



689 ✉ **Pittman, Benn, *Phonography***, all over advertising on immaculate buff cover franked with 1857 3¢ dull red tied by "North Lawrenceville, Mass." cds and addressed to New York, cover with imprint of "Benn Pitman, Cincinnati, Ohio" at bottom, light cover crease, **Very Fine and choice.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

Benn Pitman (1882-1910) was a stenographer and founded the Phonographic Institute to promote Pitman shorthand. In addition to working as a shorthand reporter, he wrote many books including a biography of his brother, Sir Isaac Pitman.



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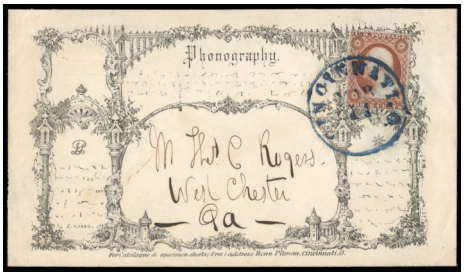
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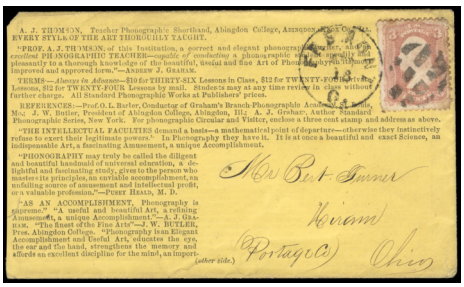
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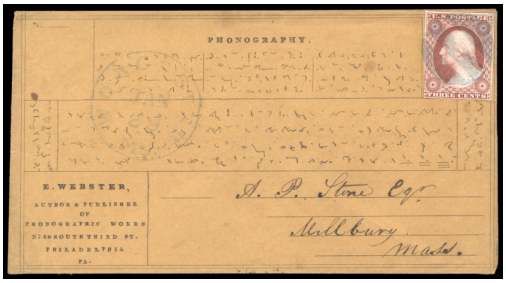
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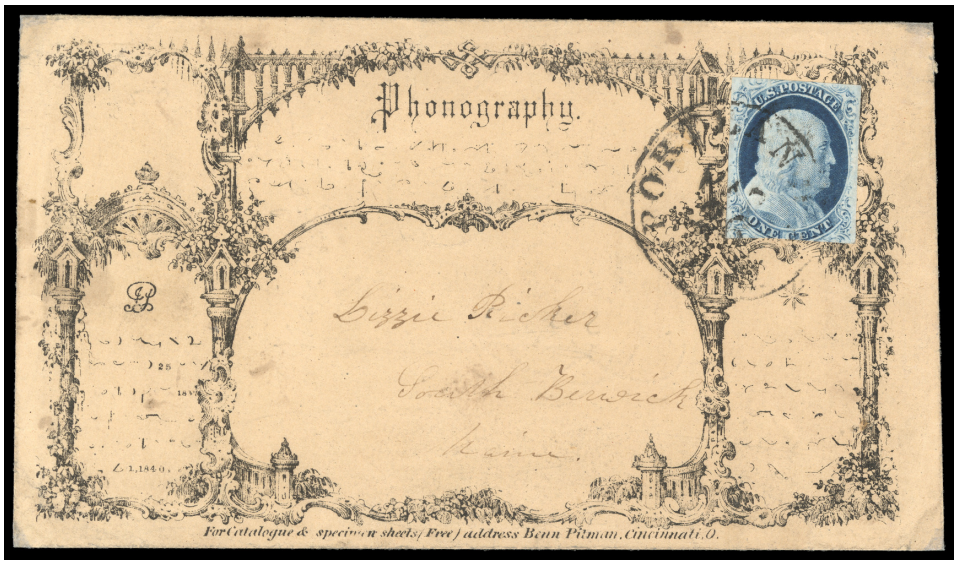
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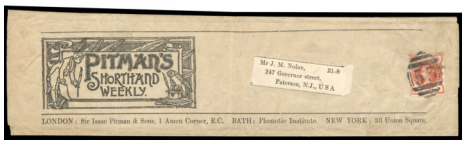
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690 ✉ **Pittman, Benn, *Phonography***, all over advertising on immaculate buff cover franked with **1851 1¢ blue, Type IV** (large margins to in at top & bottom) tied by "Portland, Me." cds and addressed to South Berwick, Me., cover with imprint of "Benn Pitman, Cincinnati, Ohio" at bottom, **Extremely Fine.**
Scott No. **9**. . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

A GORGEOUS COVER AND ONE OF THE FEW PHONOGRAPHY COVERS FRANKED WITH A 1¢ 1851 ISSUE PAYING THE UNSEALED CIRCULAR RATE.

Sir Isaac Pitman, was an Englishman who invented phonographic shorthand, or phonography, a shorthand system based on phonetics. As it could be adapted to a wide variety of languages, it became one of the most widely used systems in the world. It was his brother, Benn, who popularized phonography in America.



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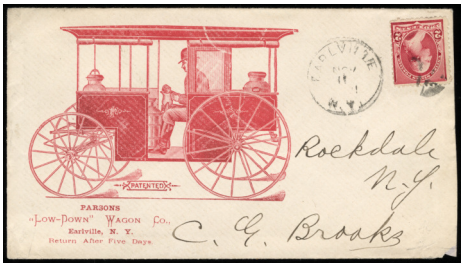
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691 ✉ **Pittman, Benn, *Phonography***, allover ornamental Ben Pitman advertising design on fresh cover to West Chester, Pa., franked with **1857, 3¢ dull red** tied by bold blue "Cincinnati, O., Mar 11" cds, **Extremely Fine.**
Scott No. **26** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

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692 ✉ **Prosser, R.P., *The Phonetic Reform***, light red allover verse design on cover addressed to Piqua, O., matching verse and "Prosser, Phonetic Publisher, Cincinnati, O." imprint on flap, franked with **1851 3¢ dull red** neatly tied by neat "Huron, Ohio." cds, **Extremely Fine and a scarce design and manufacturer.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

693 ✉ **Thompson, A.J., *Teacher Phonographic Shorthand, Abingdon College, Abingdon, Knox Co., Ill.***, all-over advertisement text on cover (front & back) to Hiram, Ohio with imprint at top, franked with **1861 3¢ rose** tied "Fremont. O." cds and cancelled by grid, cover nick at top left & stamp with minor soiling, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **65** . . . . . Estimate $100 - 150

694 ✉ **Trow, John, *Hurrah For Phonography***, allover verse design on buff cover addressed to Lowell, Mass., without imprint, franked with **1851 3¢ orange brown** (small margin tear) neatly tied by neat "Concord, N.H." cds in blue, cover minor cover wrinkles, **Very Fine and attractive,** a rare early design.
Scott No. **10A** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

695 ✉ **Trow, John, *The Writing and Printing Reform***, allover verse design on blue cover addressed to Middletown, Ct., with "John F. Trow Phonetic and General Publisher" imprint at bottom, franked with **1851 3¢ dull red** tied by "Deep River, Ct." cds, included is original enclosure written in shorthand, **Extremely Fine,** a rare design and the second type used by Trow; with 2013 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **11A** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

696 ✉ **Webster, E., *Phongraphy***, all-over advertisement text on buff cover to Millbury, Mass. with "E. Webster, Author & Publisher of Phonographic Works" imprint at bottom left, franked with **1851 3¢ dull red** tied by ultramarine three bar circular grid with matching "Worcester, Ms." cds, reverse with mauve diamond shaped seal with printed phonographic images, **Extremely Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **11A** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

Webster was the editor of Benn Pitman's "American Phonographic Journal". He set up his own business in Philadelphia in the mid-1850's using the Pitman method.

Phonography Balance Lots

697 ✉ **Phonography Foreign Cover Balance,** of 14 items mostly turn-of-the-century cards; includes G.B. ½d franked Pitman's Shorthand Weekly wrapper usage, and 1904 Issac Pitman postcard with shorthand message, other cards from Austria, France, Japan, Victoria, Bulgaria and Germany with shorthand, G.B. KEVII strip with shorthand ad in margin, etc., **generally F.-V.F. or better.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200



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698 ✉ **Phonography (Shorthand) Cover Balance,** of 30 covers and cards mostly 1880-1920's and some ephemeral items; few early items including 1850's Ben Pitman Phonography allover design cover franked with #26, 1853 stampless cover from Waltham, Ms. with letter written in phonetic shorthand, early Ben Pitman *The Phonographic Magazine* publication, nice selection of 1880's ad covers including Hall Phonographic College Co. with prospectus enclosure, A.M. Martin The Stenograph - A Shorthand Machine, etc., 1890;s with couple different Isaac Pitman's Shorthand, later Phonography and Stenography items, etc.; condition varied, **generally F.-V.F. or better.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

699 ✉ **(Spanish-American War) Remember the Maine,** three Spanish-America War patriotic showing U.S. & Texas flags, all from correspondence each with matching letterhead, two franked with 2¢ Trans-Miss.; some small flaws, **generally F.-V.F. or better.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

Advertising Balance Lots

700 ✉ **Advertising Cover Balance, 1850-1910's,** of approximately 400 covers; from early cameos and shaded ads of the 1870-80's mostly east coast states with some southern including Florida and Texas, many illustrated including section of sewing machine ads, "Blady's Steam Engine" steam engine illustrated shaded bicolor design, two similar S.A. Woods Machine Co. design showing planning machine, few with matching letterheads, etc.; condition a little varied with many nice items throughout, generally F.-V.F. or better approximately 400 covers (see website for photos).
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

701 ✉ **Advertising Cover Group, 1850-1910's,** of approximately 300 covers from Alabama, Tennessee and North Carolina; includes a nice showing of early cameo ads with two Wesleyan Female College, Murfreesborough, N.C. ads in blue and red, multicolored 1899 Pepsin Sticks ad (Charlotte, N.C.) showing Pepsin Stick Tube, Wilmington, N.C. allover shaded ad on 3¢ pink entire, later issue usage including multi-view hotel ad in green, etc.; condition varies, **generally F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

702 ✉ **Carriage and Wagon Advertising Covers, 1850-1910's,** group of over 50 covers; with an array of carriage and wagon designs with related horse and stable ads, later 1905 multicolored, a wonderful circa 1890's Parson Low-Down Wagon from Earlville, N.Y., etc.; condition varies, **generally F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

703 ✉ **Charleston, S.C. Advertising Covers Thru 1865,** balance exhibition collection of 93 covers displayed and written up on pages; includes some early stampless commission merchants folded letters including usages to Europe, some nice cameo usages including Charleston Hotel cameo cover to England, another allover Charleston Hotel shaded ad cover, few illustrated cameos, etc.; condition varies, **generally F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

704 ✉ **Georgia Advertising Covers, 1850-1910's,** group of approximately 150 covers; includes a nice showing of early illustrated ads with two similar Planters' Hotel, Augusta, Ga. allover ads on reverse showing hotel view, cameos with illustrated including "Robert H. May, Carriage Maker" showing carriage, mix of later usage with some useful ads; condition varies, **generally F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

705 ✉ **Louisiana Advertising Covers, 1850-1910's,** group of over 150 covers; includes dozens of 1850's cameo corner card including shield types with a couple showing illustrated bale of cotton, section of 1850-60's commercial mail to France, N.Y. & Boston with company sender oval handstamps, other ads including allover shaded including some illustrated, few other early illustrated, other ads of note including "New Orleans and Ohio Telegraph" and "Office of the Southern Pacific Railroad Co., New Orleans", some interesting later usages including three 1870-90's "Leed & Co., Manufacturers of Steam Engines, Sugar Mills…, New Orleans" allover shaded ads in different colors, etc., **generally F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

706 ✉ **Map Advertising Covers, 1860-1900's,** group of 17 covers; includes a couple 1860's usages from Lowell, Mass. showing different ads with sections of Lowell, Mass. maps on reverse, another map & furniture ad cover from Chicago, other later ad from Tyrone, Pa. (3¢ Pictorial use), Connecticut/New York, North/South Carolina, Toledo, O. area, Buffalo, N.Y., 1893 World's Fair, Wahoo, Nebr area, etc., **generally F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400




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707 ✉ **Richmond, Va. Thru 1865; An Advertising Cover Study of its Commerce,** balance exhibition collection of 85 covers displayed and written up on pages; includes mostly albino and colored cameo corner cards mainly from commission merchants with 1850's 3¢ frankings, some handstamp corner cards including fancy leaf design, other ad designs including druggist allover (on reverse), printer, allover publisher (2), few illustrated cameos including Methodist Publishing House book shaped and another watch design cameo to Germany (missing one 10¢ stamp on reverse), couple mule design cameos, etc.; condition varied, **generally F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

708 ✉ **South Carolina Advertising Covers, 1850-1910's,** group of well over 500 covers; includes several cameo covers with several illustrated including druggist cameo in shape of mortar & pestle and iron works cameo showing early steam engine, other cameo from a host of companies including American Hotel, Columbia, S.C. with 1857, 3¢ issue reused stamp, most later issue ad cover from Banknote period on with a fair bit of non-illustrated corner card covers, few multicolored ads, etc.; condition varies.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

709 ✉ **Stencil Advertising Covers, 1850-90's,** group of 16 ad covers including various oval and circle type ads, illustrated shoe/boot manufacturers ad on reverse, also includes 11 corner card and address stencil covers and two printed stencil company illustrated ads, **generally F.-V.F. or better.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

710 ✉ **Virginia Advertising Covers, 1850-1910's,** well over 300 covers; includes over 40 cameo ads including railroad related with illustrated Jarratt's Hotel cameo showing hotel view with rail cars in foreground, also a rare green "L. Lunsford & Son, Rectifiers of Whiskey & Dealers in all Kinds of Liquors, Petersburg, Pa." cameo corner card in shape of a whiskey barrel, other early illustrated ads including "Wells & Jones Livery & Sale Stable, Lynchburg, Va." showing horse in harness ware, many allover shaded ads, nice showing of later issue ads, etc., **generally F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

Postmasters' Provisionals



711 ✉ **New York, N.Y., 1846, 5¢ Black on Bluish, Signed "ACM" Connected,** Position 16, clear to large margins, tied by blue pen cancel on folded letter sheet to Philadelphia, Pa., red "New York, 5cts, Nov 7" cds and matching arched "Paid" handstamp, **Very Fine**; with 2004 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **9X1** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350



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712 ✉ **New York, N.Y., 1845, 5¢ Black on Bluish, without Signature,** nice to large margins, on cover tied by red "Paid" on folded envelope with red "24 Oct", very attractive, slight fault on reverse from seal removal, **immaculate and Very Fine**; signed Calves.
Scott No. **9X1e**; $1,350 . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

1847 Issue



713 ✉ **5¢ Red Brown,** margins large to in at bottom, tied by blue "Philada, Pa., 5 cts, Sep 9" integral rate cds with second strikes alongside on fresh cover to Princeton, N.J., with choice strike of "**Blood's Despatch, 26 So. Sixth 28**" circular handstamp, with original 1850 enclosure; certificate notes stamp oxidation and being the orange brown shade which we feel is in error, **F.-V.F.,** a scarce combination; with 2010 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **1** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

714 ✉ **5¢ Red Brown, Dot in "S" Variety,** margins clear to huge showing portions of adjacent stamps at sides, tied by red square grid handstamp on 1849 cover to Philadelphia, Pa., matching "New York, Nov 21" cds, with original enclosure datelined from Brooklyn, **Very Fine and choice**; with 1991 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **1 var.** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

715 ✉ **5¢ Red Brown,** ample to large margins, small corner crease at top left, manuscript canceled and tied by blue "5" rate handstamp on 1850 folded letter sheet to New York City, matching "Paid" handstamp and "**Boston & Maine, R.R., Apr 16**" cds, **Very Fine and scarce railroad usage.**
Scott No. **1** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

716 ✉ **5¢ Red Brown,** ample to large margins, tied by neat New York square grid handstamp on 1851 incoming folded letter sheet originating outside New York City and Canceled upon arrival, **Very Fine and choice**; with 2014 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **1** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

717 ✉ **5¢ Red Brown,** margins large to roughly torn in at bottom, manuscript canceled on 1850 cover to **Paris, France** with **"Way"** notation at top, red boxed "Colonies &c Art. 13" handstamp and Calais transit cds, manuscript "30" decimes due rating, Liverpool transit and receiving backstamps, **Fine,** still a rare "Way" cover usage to a foreign destination bearing the 1847 5¢ issue.
Scott No. **1** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

718 F✉ **5¢ Red Brown,** an absolutely beautiful folded letter but P.F. says "the cancellation is **counterfeit** and the stamp with a tiny tear", **Extremely Fine appearance**; with 2015 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **1** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

719 ✉ **5¢ Dark Brown,** margins huge to just shaving frameline at bottom left, rich intense color, tied by blue "Philada, Pa., 5cts, May 15" integral rate cds on fresh 1849 folded letter to Hagerstown, Md., **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **1a** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350



720 ✉ **10¢ Black,** four nice margins, tied on folded letter to Philadelphia by red St. Louis cds, **Very Fine and choice,** a handsome cover from the famous Whelen correspondence; with 1984 Pinchot certificate.
Scott No. **2** $1,000



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1851 Issue

721 ✉ **1¢ Blue, Type IIIa, Double Transfer, One Inverted,** position 81L1E, left stamp with margins clear to just shaving at lower left, in combination with **1851, 1¢ blue, type II, two singles** (7) with **center stamp double transfer, one inverted** (position 71L1E), all tied by large "Paid" in grid handstamps on 1852 folded letter to Wiscasset, Me., red "Boston, 3cts, Jun 14" cds; right stamp with small creases, **otherwise Very Fine,** a rare type II & IIIa double transfer, one inverted combination on cover; with 2002 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **8A var.** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

722 ✉ **1¢ Blue, Type IV,** ample to mostly large margins all around, tied by socked-on-the-nose blue "Philadelphia, Pa., Dec 17" cds on folded letter sheet to Academia, Pa., **Extremely Fine,** a choice stamp on cover.
Scott No. **9** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



723 ✉ **3¢ Orange Brown, Type I,** ample to large margin showing portion of adjacent stamp at top, tied by "Ridgefield, Ct., Dec 5" cds on gold and light blue embossed lace ladies cover to Amenia Ville, N.Y., **Very Fine and attractive**; with 2023 P.F. certificate (incorrectly identifying stamp as a 10A).
Scott No. **10** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

724 ✉ **3¢ Orange Brown, Type II,** margins ample to just shaving frameline at upper left, canceled by blue circle of wedges handstamp on **turned cover** to Norwalk, O., matching "Toledo, O., Oct 1" cds, inside with usage to **Port Rowan, Canada**, bold "Norwalk, O., Oct 4" cds and manuscript 10 rate, blue "Ud. States" in framed arched exchange handstamp and matching "6d" in circle handstamp, various 1851 transit cds's; some cover edge wear and light soiling, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **10A** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

725 ✉ **3¢ Orange Brown, Type II,** clear to huge margins showing portion of adjacent stamp at bottom, bold color, tied by neat blue grid handstamp on 1851 folded letter to Hagerstown, Md., matching "Frederick, Md., Nov 15" cds, **Very Fine and choice**; with 2001 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **10A** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



726 ✉ **10¢ Green, Type I, Horizontal Pair,** margins huge to just touching at bottom, in combination with **1851, 1¢ blue, type IV** (9) on cachet corner card cover to **Noroy-Le-Bourg, France**, all canceled by lightened manuscript and blue grid handstamps with matching "Vermilionville, La., Sep 25" origin cds on reverse, red "New York, Am. Pkt, Oct 11" exchange cds, "16" decimes due handstamp and French transit and receiving backstamps; 1¢ stamp with small flaws including small tear and small cover tear at bottom, **F.-V.F.,** a lovely pre-treaty rate cover via American packet bearing a scarce 10¢ type I multiple; signed Ashbrook, with 2006 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **13** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500

727 ✉ **10¢ Green, Type I,** margins large to cutting, with beautiful Rural New York Journal advertising cover to Canada, hinge remnants on back, **Very Fine,** very pretty cover.
Scott No. **13** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

728 ✉ **10¢ Green, Type I, Left Margin Single,** margins huge to just touching, tied to cover by 7-bar grid on cover to Oregon City, Oregon, matching "Marblehead, Ms., Oct 19" cds; cover reduced at left, **Very Fine,** *ex-Kramer*.
Scott No. **13** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

729 ✉ **10¢ Green, Type III,** clear to large margins, tied by circular grid handstamp on folded letter to **Demerara, British Guiana**, red "New York, May 10, 1856" cds and manuscript "per Steamer Tennessee" ship endorsement, manuscript "4" pence rating and reverse with St. Thomas transit and receiving cds's; stamp lightly toned and some erosion in manuscript rating, **F.-V.F.,** a scarce destination; with 2007 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **15** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

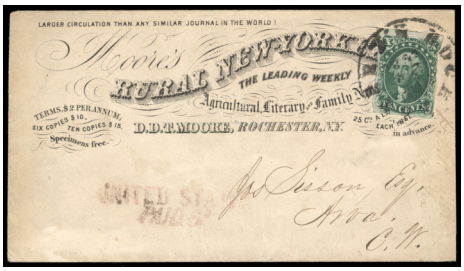


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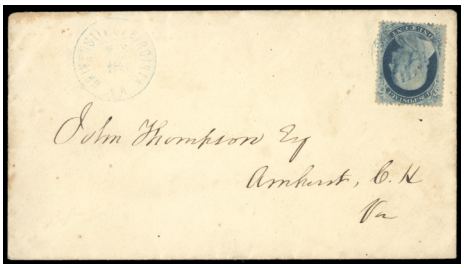
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1857 Issue

730 ✉ **1¢ Blue, Type IIIa,** well centered single tied by light blue grid handstamp on unsealed printed matter rate cover to Amherst C.H., Va., matching "University of Virginia, Va., May 15, 1861" cds; minor cover edge toning, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **22** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



731 ✉ **1¢ Blue, Type V,** tied by "Cardiff, Au 10, 59" cds and barred "162" oval duplex on unpaid cover **from Wales, England to Lincolnville, Maine**, "19 Cents" debit handstamp and manuscript "Due 24 cents" at top left, "Boston, Br. Packet, 24, Aug 27" entry cds, reverse with Liverpool transit cds; slight cover wrinkling and reduced at left, **Very Fine,** very unusual; with 2020 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **24** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750



732 ✉ **3¢ Dull Red, Type III, Cracked Plate,** position 71L18, intermediate stage of crack extending into top right vignette, tied by "Philadelphia, Pa., Dec 11" cds on cover to Columbia, Pa., 1857 docketing on reverse, **Very Fine,** early stages of this crack do not extend into rosette with later stages extending across and beyond design; with 2012 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **26 var.** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

733 ✉ **3¢ Dull Red, Type III,** showing **clear blade cuts at top and bottom mostly likely from a Snow Patent affixing machine** (coil forerunner), tied by grid handstamp with matching "Flushing, N.Y., Mar 16, 1861" cds alongside paying the forwarding on cover to Bridgeport, Ct., initially franked with **1859, 10¢ green, type V** (35) tied by "San Francisco, Cal, Feb 15, 1861" cds, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **26** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

734 ✉ **10¢ Green, Type II,** well centered single with large margins and rich color, tied by "Portland, Me., Paid, Sep 19" cds on cover to Sacramento City, Cal., **a Very Fine and choice stamp on cover.**
Scott No. **32** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



735 ✉ **10¢ Green, Types III-III-IV, Horizontal Strip of Three,** type IV position 64L1, recut at top and bottom, nicely centered, tied by central "New Orleans, La., Mar 10, 1858" cds and partial red grid cancels on folded letter sheet to **Nantes, France**, red "New York, Paid 24, Mar 17" exchange cds and French transit cds, reverse with transit and receiving cds's, **Very Fine,** with right stamp a rare double recut variety coming from only one position of plate one.
Scott No. **33, 34** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500

736 ✉ **30¢ Orange,** nicely centered single tied by red grid handstamp on folded letter sheet to **Saxony, Germany**, red "N. York, Br. Pkt., 7 Paid, Dec 11" cds and Aachen boxed transit date stamp; cover with small internal hole and small tear at top, **otherwise Very Fine,** *ex-Krug & Gibson*; signed Ashbrook.
Scott No. **38** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

1861-1866 Issue

737 ✉ **1¢ Blue,** solo usage on **ten carrier service covers**; with usages from Charleston, S.C. and Baltimore, Md., three Philadelphia, Pa. usages one with U.S. Penny Mail and other two with U.S.P.O. Despatch octagon date stamp, others New York including U.S. Mail octagon station "C" and "F", circular "Station D" cancel and two different carrier "1ct" cds's in red, **F.-V.F. or better.**
Scott No. **63** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600



738 ✉ **3¢ Rose,** scissor separation at right into design, affixed on fresh **Leeds and Franklin patent lattice window cover** directly over lattice and attaching to enclosure, addressed to Paistow, N.H. with stamp tied by "New York, Apr 22, 1863" cds and grid handstamp, **Very Fine,** a scarce intact Leeds and Franklin patent cover with stamp and contents.
Scott No. **65** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750



739 ✉ **3¢ Rose,** natural s.e. at right, tied by Miamiville, Ohio double circle postmark (Camp Dennison, manuscript going underneath) on cover with **multicolor Martha Washington patriotic** design, "Jno. Wells" imprint on reverse, **Extremely Fine, a stunning Patriotic in perfect condition.**
Scott No. **65** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

740 ✉ **3¢ Rose,** choice centering, margins and color, canceled by target handstamp on cover to Augusta, Me., matching **"South Litchfield, Me." straight line** postmark alongside with additional "Mar 10" date handstamp, **Extremely Fine,** a wonderful example of this very rare straight line postmark; with 2011 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **65** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

741 ✉ **3¢ Rose,** canceled by bold **green target** handstamp on cover to Hanover Plain, N.H., matching "**Meridan, N.H., Mar 17**" cds; stamp with few short perfs from slightly cover overlap, **Very Fine,** very scarce.
Scott No. **65** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

742 ✉ **3¢ Rose,** canceled by **green circle of wedges** handstamp on cover to LaFayette, Ind., matching "**Hamilton, O., Apr 11**" cds alongside, with inked fingerprint affectively tying stamp; cover slightly reduced at left, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **65** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

743 ✉ **3¢ Rose,** tied by blue "Baltimore, Md., Sep 10, '64" cds and target duplex on unusual multicolored **lithograph Tartan Cloth Bordered** cover to Palmer. Mass., with matching Tartan Bow on reverse, stamp purposely clipped to fit in corner of border, **Very Fine and choice,** quite striking.
Scott No. **65** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



744 ✉ **10¢ Dark Green,** rich deep color, tied by neat **Yokohama "X" handstamp** on cover to Providence, R.I., with red oval "**China and Japan, Steam Service**" handstamp and red "San Francisco, Paid All, Aug 17" transit cds; cover repaired along bottom and top right and reduced at left, **Very Fine appearance,** notation on reverse stating original letter from the *U.S.S. Iroquois* stationed in Hiogo, Japan; with 2000 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **68a** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750



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745 ✉ **12¢ Black,** on cover to USS "Richmond", sent to London to "Chief Engr. John Johnson" and **forwarded to Egypt** with docketed note of receipt "Received May 8th 1869 At Alexandria Egypt", red stamped "**United States Despatch Agent, B.F. Stevens, London, Apr 28 1869**" on front, London transit on reverse, **Very Fine,** rare forwarding to Egypt, USS Richmond was part of the European Squadron.
Scott No. **69** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



746 ✉ **30¢ Orange,** tied by circle of wedges cancel on 1864 cover to **Shanghai, China** from the Louis G. Hale correspondence, red "Boston Am. Pkt., 27 Paid, Feb 23" exchange cds, manuscript "French Closed Mail" endorsement at top, French transits including boxed "P.D." handstamp and Paris transit backstamp, "5-27 1864" receiving docketing on reverse, **Very Fine,** an attractive French closed mail rate usage.
Scott No. **71** . . . . . Estimate $1,500 - 2,000

747 ✉ **2¢ Black,** group of six **Valentine covers**, all single frankings, one with F. grill; each with various embossed design covers and four with enclosures, two with frankings on reverse (one faulty), **generally F.-V.F. or better.**
Scott No. **73, 93** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

748 ✉ **2¢ Black,** nicely centered single canceled by "15" rate handstamp on drop cover with "Sacramento, Cal., Sep 6, 1863" cds alongside, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **73** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

749 ✉ **2¢ Black,** large margins and well centered, tiny tear at bottom right, tied by bold red "**N.Y. Post Office, St. C, Dec 15**" cds on small locally addressed quadrille paper cover, **Very Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **73** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

750 ✉ **2¢ Black,** in combination with **1861, 1¢ blue** (63) on fresh cover to military address in Washington, D.C., canceled by grid handstamps with matching Candor, N.Y. cds, **Very Fine and choice,** an attractive combination; with 2022 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **73** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

751 ✉ **2¢ Black, Horizontal Pair,** in combination with **1861, 3¢ rose, two singles** (65) on attorney corner card cover to **Chippewa, Canada**, all tied by target handstamps with matching "Newark, N.Y., Feb 9" cds, red "U.S. 10cts, Paid" in oval exchange handstamp; one 3¢ stamp with small nick at right, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Scott No. **73** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

752 ✉ **2¢ Black, Diagonal Bisect, Used as 1¢ as Part of 3¢ Rate,** used with full 2¢ black, tied by matching circle of wedges cancels on orange cover addressed to to James A. McGonigle at Leavenworth City Kans., partial "St. Mary's Mission, Kan., Jun 14" cds; small stamp faults, cover a bit reduced at right, **F.-V.F.**; with 2014 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **73a** $1,500

753 ✉ **5¢ Red Brown,** rich color and a couple short perfs, tied by light circle of wedge cancel on 1864 folded letter sheet to **Madrid, Spain**, red "N. York, Br. Pkt., Paid, Nov 30" exchange cds, large "4R" due handstamp applied upon arrival, red London transit and receiving backstamps, **Very Fine,** sent via British packet and carried on the Cunard's *Australasian*, *ex-Herst & Littauer*.
Scott No. **75** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

754 ✉ **5¢ Red Brown, Vertical Strip of Three,** tied by neat grid handstamp on 1862 cover to **Le Havre, France**, red "New York, Paid 12, Mar 18" exchange cds and French entry octagon date stamp; some perf flaws at right from cover overlap, **otherwise Very Fine**; signed Ashbrook.
Scott No. **75** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

755 ✉ **15¢ Black, Horizontal Pair,** tied by "**Insufficiently Paid**" straight line handstamp on cover to **Montrejeau, France**, "New Orleans, La., Nov 18" origin cds and "New York, Nov 24" exchange cds, French transits and receiving backstamp; cover with repair cover nick at top and partial backflap, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **77** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1867 Grilled Issues

756 ✉ **1¢ Blue, E. Grill,** wide margins and wonderfully rich color, just tied by neat target handstamp on locally addressed cover, matching "Whitestone, N.Y., May 2" cds, **Extremely Fine,** a very attractive solo usage; with 1990 & 2003 P.F. certificates.
Scott No. **86** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350



757 ✉ **2¢ Black, E. Grill, Two Singles,** left stamp scissors separated, tied by geometric cancels to May 28, 1869 folded letter from Boston to **Rosario, Argentina**, red numeral "2" credit and partially clear London Paid transit, **treated as double rate printed matter and rated as such**, **Very Fine and rare,** the only reported example.
Scott No. **87** . . . . . Estimate $2,000 - 3,000

758 ✉ **2¢ Black, F. Grill,** cogwheel cancel tied to newspaper wrapper to **Paris, France**, French due notation, wrapper in excellent condition, 2¢ with few nibbed perfs, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Scott No. **93** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

759 ✉ **2¢ Black, F. Grill, Horizontal Pair,** in combination with **1868, 3¢ red, F. grill, two singles** (94) paying the 10¢ direct NGU rate to **Gundelsheim, Wurttemberg**, all canceled by grid handstamps with matching "Detroit, Mich., Dec 5" origin cds, red circular "New York, Direct, Paid All, Dec 8" and boxed Hamburg transit date stamps, receiving backstamp; 3¢ at right with s.e. and margin nick, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Scott No. **93** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

760 ✉ **10¢ Yellow Green, F. Grill,** choice centering amid wide margins, tied by "Chicago, Ill., Oct 20" cds's and quartered cork duplex on cover to **Bernburg, Germany**, Bremen box transit date stamp and transit backstamp, **Very Fine and choice,** a gem stamp on cover; signed Brookman, with 1986 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **96** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

761 ✉ **10¢ Yellow Green, F. Grill,** in combination with **1869, 2¢ brown + 3¢ ultramarine** (113+114) on 1870 folded letter sheet to **Amsterdam, Holland**, tied by cork handstamps with matching "Richmond, Va., Jan 3" cds alongside, red "New York, Paid All, Br. Transit, Jan 5" exchange cds and receiving backstamp, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **96** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

762 ✉ **12¢ Black, F. Grill, Two Singles,** tied by **blue Philadelphia foreign mail geometric** handstamps on 1869 mourning cover to **Sherborne, England**, purple "Phil'a, Paid All, Mar 12" exchange cds, receiving backstamp, cover missing backflap, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Scott No. **97** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

This Philadelphia foreign mail cancel (PFM 69-1) is recorded used only in blue from Jan. 12th to Apr. 20th 1869.

763 ✉ **15¢ Black, F. Grill,** deep color, tied by **blue geometric fancy cancel** (Barwis PFM 69-1) on 1869 cover to **Paris, France**, purple "Philadelphia, Paid 12, Apr 30" exchange cds and red boxed "PD" handstamp additionally tying stamp, reverse with transit and receiving date stamps, **Very Fine and attractive,** this being **one of two known examples of this Philadelphia geometric foreign mail cancel**; with 2022 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **98** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

Beginning in 1868 the Philadelphia Exchange Office began using purple, red and orange inks for their date stamps. Although these colors certainly made covers more attractive, they have no postal significance.


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764 ✉ **24¢ Gray Lilac, F. Grill,** nicely centered single tied by segmented cork handstamp on Nautical Instrument corner card cover to **London, England**, red "New York, Paid All, Apr 4" exchange cds and London entry date stamp, **otherwise Very Fine,** scarce usage; with 2022 P.S.A.G. certificate.
Scott No. **99** . . . . . Estimate $600 - 800

1869 Pictorial Issue

765 ✉ **3¢ Ultramarine, Horizontal Strip of Four,** tied by quartered cork handstamps on 1869 cover with **Glasgow, Scotland**, matching "Washington, D.C., Jul 6" cds, red Liverpool entry cds and receiving backstamp, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **114** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

766 ✉ **3¢ Ultramarine, Horizontal Strip of Three and Pair,** tied by segmented cork handstamps on tissue paper cover to **Paris, France**, matching "New Haven, Ct., Jul 23" cds, red "New York, Paid 3, Jul 27" exchange cds additionally tying strip, partial blue French transit date stamp; minor tissue paper cover flaws, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **114** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

767 ✉ **6¢ Ultramarine,** in combination with **1861, 10¢ green** (68) on cover to **Lucerne, Switzerland**, tied by "Milwaukee, Wis., Aug 12" cds and quartered cork duplexes, superb strike of red "New York, Paid All, Br, Transit, Aug 17" exchange cds, transit and receiving backstamps; few cover opening edge nicks at top, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **115** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

768 ✉ **6¢ Ultramarine,** tied by bold circle of "V"'s handstamp on 1870 cover to Dublin, Ireland, red "Pawtucket, R.I., Mar 2" origin cds with matching "Paid" handstamp, red "New York, Mar 5" exchange cds, transit and receiving backstamps, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **115** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

769 ✉ **10¢ Yellow,** tied by **N.Y.F.M. fancy star** handstamp (Kirke 70-05-04-PIC) on 1870 folded letter sheet to **Palermo, Italy**, red "New York, Br. Transit, May 7" exchange cds, transit and receiving backstamp; cover with internal hole along fold at left, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **116** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

770 ✉ **15¢ Brown & Blue, Type I,** centered right, on cover tied by cork cancel on folded letter to Palermo, Italy, with red N.Y. exchange office postmark, **Fine**; 1994 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **118** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

771 ✉ **15¢ Brown & Blue, Type II,** fine single with wide margins, tied by "New Orleans, La., Apr 16" cds and quartered cork duplex on 1870 printed address cover to **Bordeaux, France**, transit and receiving backstamps, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **119** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

1870-1895 Issues

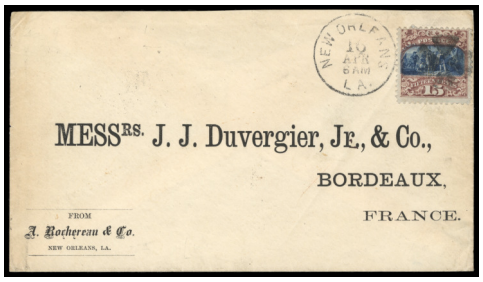
772 ✉ **1870, 3¢ Green, Horizontal Pair,** tied by neat **geometric N.Y.F.M.** handstamp on printed address cover to **London, England**, red New York cds alongside and red 1877 London entry cds, **Very Fine**; with 2007 P.F. certificate. Weiss No. ST-8P11.
Scott No. **147** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



773 **1870, 24¢ Purple,** in combination with **1870, 10¢ brown, horizontal pair** (150) on 1872 cover to **Ahmednugger, India** from the Bissell correspondence, tied by segmented cork cancels, sent from Boston with red crayon "36/2" credit rating and endorsed "via Southampton", red London transit cds with red crayon "2" pence colonial credit, receiving backstamp; 24¢ stamp with small repair at top center, **otherwise Very Fine,** a scarce use prepaid for double the 22¢ rate via Southampton; signed Ashbrook, with 2023 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **153** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

774 ✉ **1893, 1¢ Columbian, Three Singles,** on **Germany 10pf carmine postal card sent Round-the-World in 194 Days**, sent from Bremen May 18, 1893 and transited Chicago, Ill. (2-22), New York (2-23), Sea Post Office (3-21), Moulmein, Burma (4-1), Mupan, India (4-7) and Sea Post Office (4-15), and includes additional India postage; one 1¢ stamp with some scuffs, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Scott No. **230** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

775 ✉ **1895, $1 Black, Type I,** deep intense color, tied by Chicago, Ill. oval handstamp on registered cover to Rotterdam, Holland, purple "Registered, Chicago, Ill., Dec 4, 1900" three-line date stamp and N.Y. exchange etiquette, transit and receiving backstamps; stamp with pulled perf at top, **otherwise Very Fine,** a very scarce solo usage of a first Bureau dollar value; with 2022 M. Brettl certificate.
Scott No. **276**; $2,250 . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600



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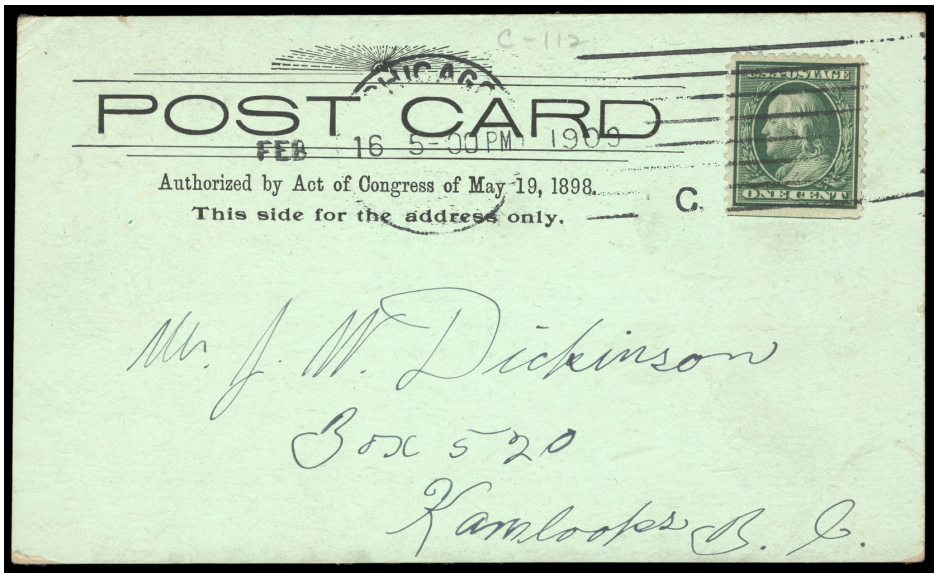
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20th Century Issues

776 ✉ **1902, 8¢ Violet Black,** vertical pair tied to registered 2¢ Postal Stationery entire from Fort Des Moines, Iowa **to Japanese Occupied Manchuria, China**; 2 registry etiquettes (one from **Seattle, Washington and one from Yokohama, Japan**), 3 rice paper forwarding slips (back to U.S.); postmarks include Yokohama, **Very Fine, a spectacular cover.**
Scott No. **306** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



777 ✉ **1909, 1¢ Green, Bluish Paper,** nicely centered with natural s.e. at bottom, tied by **"Chicago, Ill., Feb 16, 1909" First Day of Issue** machine postmark on post card to Kamloops, British Columbia, **Very Fine,** to date, Scott catalog lists the 1¢ bluish paper's earliest known usage on February 21, 1909 and 2¢ on February 23rd; with 2024 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **357** . . . . . Estimate $4,000 - 6,000

A RARE AND CERTAINLY UNIQUE FIRST DAY OF ISSUE OF THE 1¢ BLUISH PAPER ISSUE.

In 1909, the United States briefly experimented with printing stamps on paper with some rag, or cloth, content (standard stamp paper was 100 percent wood pulp). The paper had a faint bluish or blue-gray tone, and the stamps printed on it are known as "bluish-paper" stamps. More than 3 million 1¢ and 2¢ U.S. stamps were printed on bluish paper and sold through post offices starting on February 16, 1909. The paper was not adopted. However, Arthur Travers of the Third Assistant Postmaster General's office requested sample bluish-paper sheets of all stamp values up to 15¢ for the Post Office archives. He was later fired and indicted for supplying some of these archival stamps to a dealer for a price well above face value.

778 ✉ **1909, 2¢ Lincoln, Bluish Paper,** choice centering amid wide margins, tied by "Washington, D.C., Sep 20, 1912" machine postmark on cover to Falconer, N.Y., receiving backstamp, **Extremely Fine.**
Scott No. **369** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

779 (✉) **1917, 1¢ Green, Perf 11, A.E.F. Booklet Pane, Horizontal Pair,** natural s.e. at top and right, tied by "U.S. Army Postal Service, No. 5, Oct 5, 1917" cds's on cover front to Tacoma, Wash., blue circular censor handstamp and countersigning additionally tying G.B. 1d red, complete unexploded booklet, **Very Fine,** a very scarce early pre-war rate usage of the 1¢ A.E.F. booklet stamp; with 2000 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **498f** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



780 ✉ **1917, 2¢ Rose, Type I, A.E.F. Booklet Pane Single,** natural s.e. at top, tied by neat "U.S. Army Postal Service, No. 4, Oct 1, 1917" duplex postmark on cover to Brooklyn, N.Y., violet circular censor handstamp and countersigned, with original enclosure datelined from "France", **Very Fine and choice,** a very scarce early pre-war rate usage of the 2¢ A.E.F. booklet stamp; with 2006 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **499f** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

781 ✉ **1929, Kans.-Nebr., 1¢-10¢ Complete,** each tied on separate first day cover, **Very Fine set.**
Scott No. **658-679** $3,000

782 ✉ **1932, 3¢ Deep Violet, Rotary Press Printing,** tied by Tacoma, Wash. oval handstamp on cover from the Galapagos Islands to New York City, with skillfully executed hand drawn **Galapagos Islands Scene with Post Barrel** and circular "Post Office Bay, Galapagos Isl." handstamp, straight line "Schooner Zavorah" handstamp and "Tacoma, Wash., Jun 3, 1937" entry cds; cover opening tears at top, **F.-V.F.,** a scarce Galapagos Islands Barrel Post usage.
Scott No. **720** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

783 ✉ **1938, $5 Coolidge,** in combination with **1938, 50¢ + $1 + $2 Prexie issues** (831+832+833), all with "PNB" perfins, tied by Philadelphia roller cancels on Philadelphia, National Bank oversized airmail cover to **Manila, Philippine Islands**, with "Via Singapore Clipper" endorsement at left and "Philadelphia, Pa., Sep 22, 1941" duplex postmark below stamps, reverse with receiving backstamp; 50¢ & $2 issues with flaws, **still Very Fine and rare.**
Scott No. **834** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

AN OUTSTANDING COVER TO THE PHILIPPINES WITH A COMPLETE SET OF THE PREXIE HIGH VALUES.

784 ✉ **1944, 5¢ Overrun Countries: Korea,** tied by violet **Victory, Vt. Sep. 2, 1945** duplex cancel on **gorgeous multi-color hand painted Dorothy Knapp** cover, **Extremely Fine and attractive** (no photo).
Scott No. **921** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

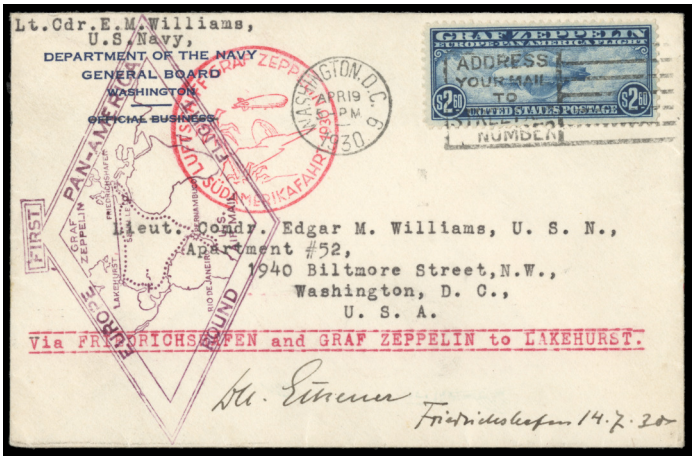
The surrender of of Japan in World War II was announced by Emperor Hirohito on August 15th and formally signed on 2 September 1945, bringing the war's hostilities to a close.

Airmail Issues

785 ✉ **1918, 6¢ Orange,** tied by bold "New York, N.Y., Grand Central Sta., Dec 16, 1918" **First Flight and Rate** postmark on corner card cover to Chicago, Ill., purple "Airmail Service Wash., N.Y., Phila., Washington, Dec 16, 1918" postmark alongside; some faint cover tone spots, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **C1** $2,000



786 ✉ **1930, Graf Zeppelin Complete,** all tied to slightly oversized cover with additional stamps (x 6), cancels include purple oval "THIS ARTICLE MADE THE COMPLETE TRIP"., **Very Fine and attractive.**
Scott No. **C13-C15** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600



787 ✉ **1930, $2.60 Graf Zeppelin,** tied by "Washington D.C., Apr 19, 1930" **First Day of Issue** slogan machine cancel on round flight cover, purple U.S. and red German flight cachets, **signed by Zeppelin commander Dr. Hugo Eckener** at bottom center, reverse with green round flight postmark, **Extremely Fine,** a **quintessential $2.60 Graf Zeppelin first day usage signed by Dr. Hugo Eckener**; with 2019 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **C15** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000



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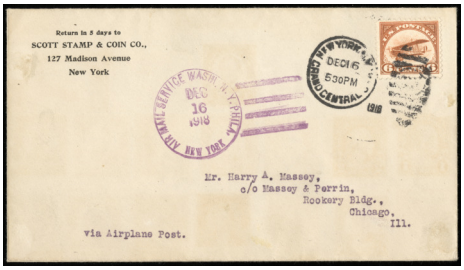




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Special Delivery Issues

788 ✉ **1916, 10¢ Pale Ultramarine,** tied by "New York, N.Y., Rec'd, Aug 7, 1917" cds on incoming printed address cover, initially franked with **G.B. 1d KGV definitive pair** (160) tied by Perth, Jy 24, 17 cds's, purple "Fee Claimed At Office" handstamp and censor tape overlapping delivery issue, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **E10** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

789 ✉ **1927, 10¢ Gray Violet,** tied by "Edwardsville, Ill., May 6, 1933" duplex postmark on incoming cover, initially franked with **Venezuela, Airmail, 1930, 15c gray, vertical pair + 1933, 10c orange yellow + 15c gray lilac, horizontal pair + 1.80b ultramarine** (C3+C18-C19+C27) tied by purple cachet handstamps, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **E15** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

790 ✉ **1927, 10¢ Gray Violet,** tied by indistinct rim handstamp on incoming cover to San Diego, Cal., initially franked with **Cuba, Airmail, 1932, 5c rose violet, right margin block of 4** (C12) tied by large "Aero Puerto De Mariana Grajales, Correo Aereo, Mar 23, 1939, Bada De Guantanamo" cds, receiving backstamp, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **E15** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

791 ✉ **1927, 10¢ Gray Violet,** in combination with **Argentina, 1923, 50c black + 1p blue & red, pair** (352+353) on incoming cover to Reading, Pa., with return corner card from the "U.S.S. Tuscaloosa", all tied by "Buenos Aires, 2 Nov 34" airmail cds's; file fold affecting 50c, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Scott No. **E15** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



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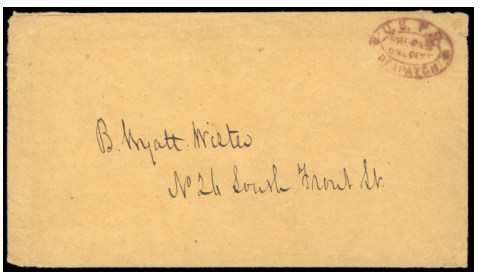
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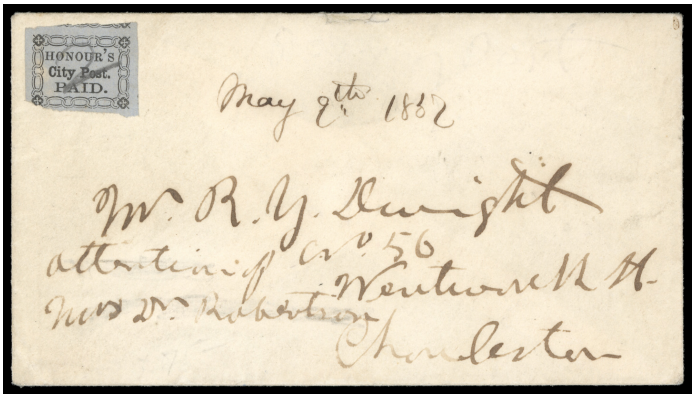
792 ✉ **1919, 4¢ on 2¢ Rose, Left Margin Plate No. "13746" Block of Six,** tied by "U.S. Pos. Service, Shanghai, China, Dec 29, 1922" duplex postmarks on cover to Cleveland, O. just two days prior to the closing of the U.S. Postal Agency in Shanghai, **Very Fine**; with 2014 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **K2** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



793 ✉ **1919, 6¢ on 3¢ Violet + 30¢ on 15¢ Shanghai Overprints,** tied to slightly oversized 1921 registered cover to **Canada** by Shanghai oval cancel, indistinct boxed registry cancel, **Shanghai Postal Agency** and Victoria, Canada backstamps, small tape stuck to far right, **Very Fine and Extremely Rare combination.**
Scott No. **K3+K12** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

Carrier & Local Issues

794 ✉ **Carrier, 1851, 1¢ Eagle,** large margins showing complete dividing lines on three side and portion on other, in combination with **1857, 3¢ dull red** (26) both tied by "Philadelphia, Pa., Dec 20" octagon date stamp on cover to Germantown, Pa., **Very Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **LO2**. . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



795 ✉ **Charleston, S.C., Honour's City Express, 1851-58, 2¢ Black on Bluish,** margins large showing portion of adjacent stamp at top to slightly into corner ornament at bottom left, canceled by pencil 2 on local street addressed cover, "May 9th 1852" docketing, **Very Fine,** a very rare local usage which is unlisted in Scott, only a few such example are known; with 2019 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **4LB13** . . . . . Estimate $1,500 - 2,000

796 ✉ **New York, N.Y., U.S. City Despatch Post, 1842-45, 3¢ Black on Blue,** large margins and a few usual surface cracks, canceled by two strikes of red "U.S." in octagon handstamp on 1845 locally addressed folded letter, matching "U.S. City Despatch Post, Jun 20, 4 O'Clock" cds, letter with interesting content seeking position for a former Revolutionary War officer who has fallen on hard times, the officer being the nephew of Gov. George Clinton and was with him in almost all the engagements during the war, **Very Fine**; with 2014 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **6LB5b** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

797 ✉ **U.S.P.O. Despatch, Pre-Paid, One Cent,** clear strike of red oval handstamp on fresh locally addressed cover, with original 1855 life insurance circular, **Very Fine and choice,** a lovely usage, *ex-Gibson, West & Lilly*; with 2016 P.F. certificate.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750



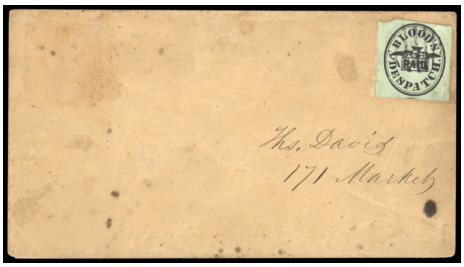
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Blood & Company

798 ✉ **Blood's Despatch, Aug 25,** cds on locally addressed cover, with blue American Hotel, Philadelphia shield cameo corner card on backflap, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

799 ✉ **Blood & Co., 1843 (3¢) Black on Grayish,** margins large to in at bottom, canceled by red "3" handstamp on 1845 locally address folded letter, reverse with Blood's Despatch ad label affix; cover file fold, **F.-V.F.,** *ex-Gibson*.
Scott No. **15L3** . . . . . Estimate $600 - 800

800 ✉ **Blood & Co., 1843 (3¢) Black on Grayish,** acid tied single on three covers; one additionally tied by blue "Philada Rail Rd" cds with matching "5" rate, to Pikeville Arsenal, Md., another on cover to Natchez, Miss. with blue "Philada, Railroad" cds and matching "10" rate handstamp, and on fresh cover to Orwigsburg, Pa. with Blood's date stamp and additionally franked with 1851, 3¢ dull red (11) tied by blue Philadelphia, Pa. cds, **Very Fine**; first two with P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **15L3** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

801 ✉ **Blood & Co., 1848 (2¢) Black on Pale Green,** full margins, canceled by nest grid handstamp on locally addressed cover; cover with some scattered tone spots, **F.-V.F.,** *ex-Gibson*; with 2016 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **15L11**. . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

802 ✉ **Blood & Co., 1854 (1¢) Bronze on Lilac,** acid tied single on seven covers; with four solo local usages including two with corner cards and one additionally tied by Blood's double circle date stamp, two in combination with 1851, 3¢ dull red (11) tied by Philadelphia, Pa. cds, one to Pottsville, Pa. and other to Bunker Hill, Ill. (cover edge flaws), and Mortar and Pestle shaped druggist corner card cover franked with #26; some small flaws, **F.-V.F. or better.**
Scott No. **15L14**. . . . . Estimate $500 - 750



803 ✉ **Blood & Co., 1854 (1¢) Bronze on Lilac,** acid tied on blue fancy embossed "John Myers, Bath Boiler Manufacturer" corner card cover to Easton, Pa., in combination with **1857, 3¢ dull red** (26) tied by "Philadelphia, Pa., Dec 8" cds, exceptional strike of "Blood's Penny Post, Dec 8, 1857" cds; small portion of backflap missing, **Very Fine and choice**; with 2019 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **15L14**. . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

804 ✉ **Blood & Co., 1854 (1¢) Bronze on Lilac,** acid canceled and tied in combination **1851, 3¢ dull red** (11A) by "Philadelphia, Pa., Apr 19" cds's on cover to "Canton Bradford", Pa., with blue illustrated Mansion House corner card showing **Hotel View**, "Blood's Despatch, Apr 19, 1856" cds; light cover stains at bottom, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Scott No. **15L14**. . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

805 ✉ **Blood & Co., 1848 (1¢) Bronze on Black,** tied by acid cancel and blue "Philada., Pa., 5, Mar 6" cds on folded letter sheet to Harrisburg, Pa., **Very Fine**; with 1998 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **15L17**. . . . . Estimate $100 - 150



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806 ✉ **Blood & Co., 1855 (1¢) Black,** single use on 12 covers; with five solo usages, four local usages one canceled by small black grid and others by small red "1" in oval handstamp, and other with additional Philadelphia octagon date stamp and matching "Free" in circle handstamp endorsed "Post -Master" (P.F. cert.), six in combination with 1857, 3¢ dull red (26) tied by grid with matching Philadelphia date stamp, locals tied by various handstamp/date stamps and to various destinations including Washington D.C. and Louisville, Ky.; some with small flaws, **otherwise F.-V.F. or better.**
Scott No. **15L18**. . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

807 ✉ **Blood & Co., 1855 (1¢) Black, Top Margin Single with Part Imprint,** single showing "Draper, Welsh" in margin, tied by "Blood's, Penny Post, Jul 3" cds on fresh locally addressed cover with second strike at upper right, **Very Fine and choice,** a very rare imprint single on cover.
Scott No. **15L18**. . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

808 ✉ **Blood & Co., 1855 (1¢) Black,** canceled by small red "1" in oval handstamp on cover to Reading, Pa., "Blood's, Penny Post, Jan 12" cds at right, in combination with **1857, 3¢ dull red** (26) tied by grid handstamp with matching "Philadelphia, Pa., Jan 12, 1859" octagon date stamp; 3¢ with corner crease, **otherwise Very Fine,** *ex-Gibson*.
Scott No. **15L18**. . . . . Estimate $100 - 150

809 ✉ **Blood & Co., 1855 (1¢) Black,** tied by small red "1" in oval handstamp on fresh cover to Preston, Ill., "Blood's, Penny Post, Feb 21" cds alongside, in combination with **1857, 3¢ dull red** (26) s.e. at bottom, tied by "Philadelphia, Pa., Feb 21, 1859" octagon date stamp, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **15L18**. . . . . Estimate $100 - 150

810 ✉ **Blood & Co., 1855 (1¢) Black,** full margins, canceled by near small grid handstamp on fresh locally addressed cover, with "Blood's Penny Post, Feb 6" cds alongside, **Extremely Fine.**
Scott No. **15L18** . . . . . Estimate $50 - 75

811 */o✉ **Blood & Co., 1848-60 Envelope Entires,** six entires; including #15LU1B, 15LU6, 15LU6A x2 and 15LU9 used (15LU1B & one 15LU6A canceled) and a unused 15LU7, **F.-V.F. or better.**
Scott No. **15LU1B//15LU9**. . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

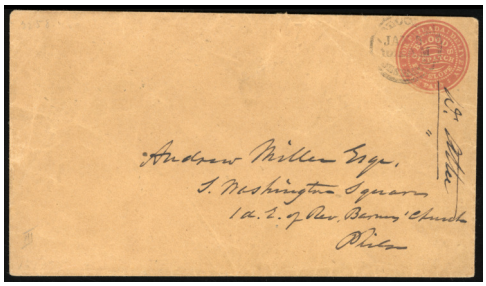
812 ✉ **Boyd's City Express, 1845, 2¢ Black on Bluish Green,** full margins, canceled by red "Free" handstamp on locally addressed folded letter, matching "Boyd's City Express Post, Apr 5" oval date stamp, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **20L3** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

813 ✉ **Boyd's City Express, 1860, 1¢ Black on Blue Gray,** margins large to a bit in at top, in combination with **1857, 3¢ dull red** (26) on Cannon & Flag patriotic cover to regiment in Washington, D.C., local tied by "Paid" in oval handstamp with both tied by "New York, Sep 20, 1861" cds; cover reduced at left slightly into patriotic design, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Scott No. **20L18**. . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



814 ✉ **Eagle City Post, 1850 (1¢) Red on Bluish,** faint trace of diagonal crease at bottom left, tied by manuscript cancel on locally addressed embossed ladies cover, **Very Fine,** Scott catalog value $1,750 for on cover and not tied; signed R. Lowe, with 2017 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **61L3** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

ONE OF ONLY A COUPLE KNOWN TIED EXAMPLES OF THE RED EAGLE CITY POST ISSUE ON COVER.



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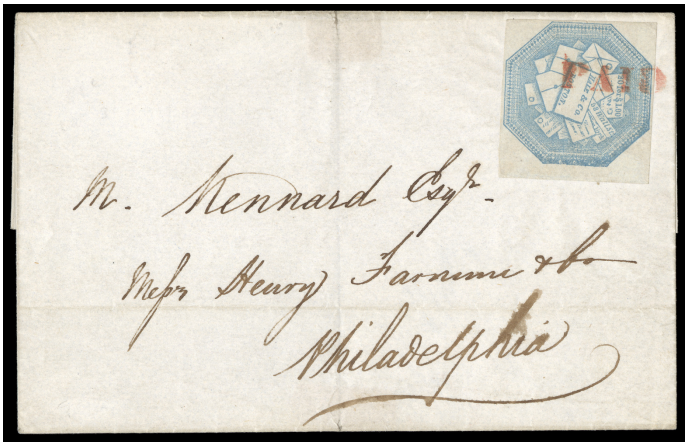
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815 ✉ **Floyd's Penny Post, 1860 (1¢) Blue,** large to huge margins, neatly tied by "Floyd's, Penny Post, Chicago" oval handstamp on cover locally addressed to the principal and teachers of the Ogden School, with original printed invitation datelined "Chicago, Feby 1861", **Extremely Fine,** an exceptional Floyd's Penny Post usage sent to the principle of the Ogden School, John Kimball, who later took over Floyd's Penny Post in 1862; with 1995 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **68L1** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



816 ✉ **Hale & Co., 1844 (6¢) Light Blue,** ample margins with wide sheet margins, tied by red straight line "Paid" handstamp on folded letter sheet to Philadelphia, with docketing "New York, Nov 18 recd 21, 1844"; cover file folds, **Very Fine and choice**; with 2002 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **75L1** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

817 ✉ **Hussey's Post, 1880, Brown, Type I,** small preprinting paper wrinkle, tied by purple "Special Message" straight line handstamp on local printed business return cover, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **87L73**. . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



818 ✉ **Swart's, Chatham Square Post Office, N.Y.,** bold sharp strike of red oval handstamp on ornate gold floral **Valentine cover** with local street address, forget-me-not on backflap, **Very Fine and choice,** a very attractive Valentine usage.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300



819 ✉ **Union Square Post Office, 1852, 1¢ Black on Light Apple Green,** margins to in at top, light pencil cancel and tied by "New York, 1ct., Jan 19" cds on local cover addressed to a box at the Post Office, **Very Fine,** an attractive and rare local and drop rate combination, *ex-Emerson & Hall*; with 2021 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **141L2**. . . . . Estimate $250 - 350



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820 ✉ **Wyman, 1844, 5¢ Black,** large margins all around, tied by manuscript cancel on 1844 folded letter to New York, red "Wm. Wyman's, Letter Offices, 8 Court St., Boston, 3 Wall St. N. York" four lines in wavy box handstamp, **Very Fine and choice,** a very rare Independent Mail Route usage, only 15 examples of the Wyman stamp used on cover are recorded; with 2017 P.S.A.G. certificate.
Scott No. **149L1** . . . . . Estimate $1,500 - 2,000

Fancy Cancellations (On Cover)

821 ✉ **"1869" in Circle of Nashotah, Wis.,** complete strike canceling **1869, 3¢ ultramarine** (s.e. at left) on cover to Detroit, Mich., matching "Nashotah, Wis., Dec 24" cds; cover slightly reduced at right with small tear, **Very Fine.** Scott No. 114.
Skinner-Eno No. **ND-Y 15** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

822 ✉ **"1870" in Circle of Nashotah, Wis.,** nice strike canceling **1869, 3¢ ultramarine** on cover to Detroit, Mich., matching "Nashotah, Wis., May 4" cds, **Very Fine.** Scott No. 114.
Skinner-Eno No. **ND-Y 16** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

823 ✉ **"3" in Circle of Clarendon Springs, Vt.,** bold socked-on-the-nose strike on **1857, 3¢ dull red, type III** on military addressed cover to Fortress Monroe, Va., matching "Clarendon Springs, Vt., Jan 17, 1861" cds with manuscript date, **Very Fine and attractive.** Scott No. 26.
Skinner-Eno No. **NS-C 13** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

824 ✉ **5-Point Petal in Double Circle of South Framingham, Mass.,** complete strike canceling 1861, 3¢ rose on illustrated corner card cover showing Farm Animal Scene, to Hinsdale with matching "South Framingham, Mass., Apr 29" cds; Cape Verde slightly reduced at right, **Very Fine and choice.** Scott No. 65.
Skinner-Eno No. **GE-C 199** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

825 ✉ **Anchor of Putnam, Ct.,** complete clear strike on 1864, 3¢ pink entire to Canton, Miss., matching "Putnam, Con, Apr 13" cds alongside, with corner card at left, **Very Fine.** Scott No. U58.
Skinner-Eno No. **PO-AM14** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

826 ✉ **"C" in Circle of Cecilton, Md.,** two strikes canceling 1861, 3¢ rose on 1861, 3¢ pink entire to Wilkes Barre, Pa., matching "Cecilton, Md., May 17" cds at right, **Very Fine and choice,** Skinner-Eno notes this lettered handstamp was an altered numeral "5" in circle handstamp with top portion of numeral removed. Scott No. 65.
Skinner-Eno No. **LS-C 10** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

827 ✉ **Calvary Boot in Circle of Hopkinton, Mass.,** complete strike tying 1861, 3¢ rose on cover to Upton, Mass., matching Hopkinton, Mass. cds alongside; cover edge staining and slightly reduced at right with small repair in corner at bottom, **F.-V.F.,** a rare illustrated fancy postmark. Scott No. 65.
Skinner-Eno No. **PO-Bt 5** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

828 ✉ **Circle of Hearts & Diamonds of Waterbury, Ct.,** complete bold strike tying 3¢ rose on cover to North Adams, Mass., matching "Waterbury, Con, Nov 28, '67" cds additionally tying stamp; some minor light toning including around stamp, **F.-V.F.,** rarity RRRR - less than 6 examples known. Scott No. 65.
Rohloff No. **J-9** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

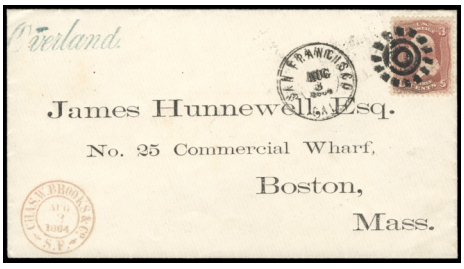
829 ✉ **Circular Geometric of New York City,** bold strike tying **1861, 3¢ rose** on cover to Alleghaney, Va., matching "New York, May 4" cds alongside; cover soiling and edge flaws, **F.-V.F.,** still a choice strike.
Scott No. **65** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200


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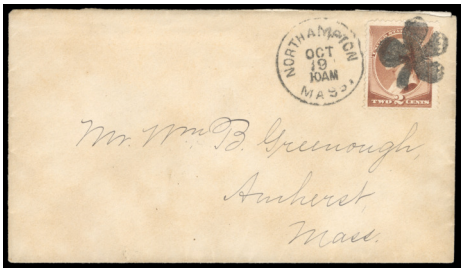

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830 ✉ **Cogwheel (14 Spokes) of San Francisco, Cal.,** perfect bold strike tying well centered **1861, 3¢ rose** on printed address cover to Boston, Mass., matching "San Francisco, Cal, Aug 3, 1864" cds alongside, blue "Overland" and red company date stamp at left, **Extremely Fine,** a superb strike of this popular San Francisco fancy cancel. Scott No. 65.
Skinner-Eno No. **GE-P 31** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



831 ✉ **Dotted Circle of Wedges of Harrisville, Pa.,** perfect complete strike canceling **1861, 3¢ rose** on cover to Peru, Vt., matching "Harisville, Pa., Nov 17" cds (town name misspelled) alongside and pencil 1862 year docketing, **an Extremely Fine strike,** wonderful and extremely rare strike of this fancy geometric, unlisted in Skinner-Eno; with 2017 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **65** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

A very rare small town fancy as the census of Harrisville, Pa. reported only 357 residents in 1860.

832 ✉ **Double Heart of Waterbury, Ct.,** partial strike with matching "Waterbury, Ct., Feb 29, '68" leap year cds tying **1861, 3¢ rose** (s.e. at left) on cover to South Britain, Conn., **F.-V.F.,** rarity RRR - less than 9 examples known. Scott No. 65.
Rohloff No. **J-1** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

833 ✉ **Eagle of Cambridge, Mass.,** complete strike just tying **1861, 3¢ rose** on cover to Hillsboro, N.C., matching "Cambridge, Mass., May 30" cds alongside; stamp and minor cover flaws not affecting marking, **a Very Fine strike**; with 2023 Crowe certificate. Scott No. 65.
Skinner-Eno No. **PA-23a** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

834 ✉ **Eagle of Cambridge, Mass.,** complete sharp early strike showing details of the wing and tail feathers (almost never seen on this postmark), tying 1861, 3¢ rose on cover to Hartford, Ct., matching "Cambridge, Mass., Dec 15" cds alongside additionally tying stamp, 1866 docketing at left, **Very Fine and choice,** the most detailed strike we have ever seen of this pictorial postmark; with 2020 P.F. certificate. Scott No. 65.
Skinner-Eno No. **PA-B 23** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750



835 ✉ **Elm Leaf of Waterbury, Ct.,** complete bold strike tying tying **1861, 3¢ rose** on cover to Rochester, N.Y., with matching "Waterbury, Con, Jul 24, '66" cds additionally tying stamp, **an Extremely Fine strike,** a striking example of this scarce Waterbury fancy cancellation; with 2023 Crowe certificate. Scott No. 65.
Rohloff No. **L-1** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

836 ✉ **Floral Geometric of Alexandria, Va.,** bold sharp strike with matching "Alexandria, Va., May 13" cds both tying **1861, 3¢ rose** on cover to Lynchburg, Va., **Very Fine and choice**; with 2015 P.F. certificate. Scott No. 65.
Skinner-Eno No. **GE-R 18** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

837 ✉ **Four Leaf Clover of Northampton, Mass.,** complete sharp strike tying **1883, 2¢ red brown** on cover to Amherst, Mass., matching "Northampton, Mass., Oct 19" cds alongside, receiving backstamp, **Very Fine and choice**; with 2023 Crowe certificate. Scott No. 210.
Cole No. **CV-17** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

838 ✉ **Four Leaf of Austinburg, O.,** two complete strikes canceling **1861, 3¢ rose, two singles** on cover to Camp Nelson, Ky., matching "Austinburg, O., May 5" cds; trivial light cover edge toning, **Extremely Fine strikes,** a lovely double fancy cancellation usage; with 2021 P.S.E. certificate. Scott No. 65.
Skinner-Eno No. **PP-Fl 21** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

839 ✉ **Hollow 5-Point Star of Fort Wayne, Ind.,** exceptional complete strike tying **1861, 3¢ rose** on cover to South Freeport, Me., matching "Fort Wayne, In., Aug 30, 1864" cds additionally tying stamp, **Extremely Fine,** a wonderfully choice strike. Scott No. 65.
Skinner-Eno No. **ST-O 9** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

840 ✉ **Ladies Boot of Whitestown, N.Y.,** complete strike in purple canceling on **1873, 1¢ ultramarine** on unsealed printed matter rate cover to Springfield, Vt., matching "Whitestown, N.Y., Jun 5" cds alongside, **a Very Fine strike,** very scarce and unlisted in Cole; with 2002 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **156** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

841 ✉ **Leaf of Egg Harbor City, N.J.,** two strikes tying 1869, 3¢ ultramarine on orange cover to Mellenville, N.Y., matching "Egg Harbor City, N.J., Oct 25" cds, **otherwise Very Fine,** a rare pictorial cancel - unlisted in Skinner-Eno.
Scott No. **114** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

842 (✉) **Mask of Jackson, Mich.,** neat sharp complete strike duplexed with "Jackson, Mich, Oct 6" cds on cover front to Rochester, N.Y., with manuscript **"A. Blair, M.C." congressional free frank** above, **an Extremely Fine strike,** very rare and unlisted in Skinner-Eno; with 2017 P.F. certificate.
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

Austin Blair was the representative for Michigan's 3rd congressional district and was a Republican. He served from 1867 to 1873.

843 ✉ **Negative Anchor of Wilmington, Vt.,** complete sharp strike tying 1869, 3¢ ultramarine on cover to Greenfield, Mass., matching "Wilmington, Vt., Oct 1" cds; cover reduced at left, **Very Fine,** rare and unlisted in Skinner-Eno.
Scott No. **114** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



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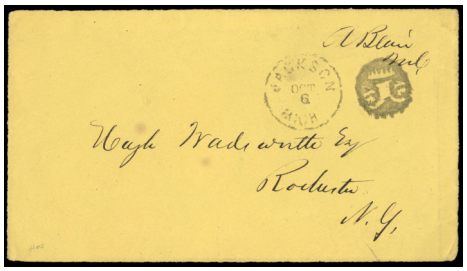
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844 ✉ **Negative Coin of Carondelet, Mo.,** complete bold strike canceling **1861, 3¢ rose** on cover to Princeton, N.J., matching "Carondelet, Mo., Nov 19" cds; stamp flaws and extraneous ink mark at top (cert calls a stain), **a Very Fine strike,** very rare and unlisted in Skinner-Eno; with 2018 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **65** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

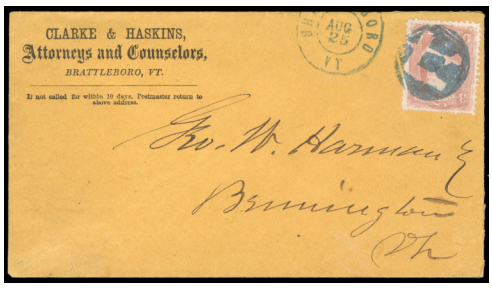
845 ✉ **Negative "GAP" in Circle of Clark's Gap, Va.,** duplexed with "Clark's Gap, Va., Sep 27" cds on War Dept., 1875, 3¢ red on blue printed address entire to Washington, D.C., receiving backstamp, **Extremely Fine.**
Scott No. **UO54** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

846 ✉ **Negative "North/South" Shaking Hands of Worcester, Mass.,** exceptional strike canceling on locally addressed Postal Card, 1875, 1¢ black on buff entire, with Worcester, Mass. cds alongside, 1880 date on reverse, **Extremely Fine,** certainly one of the finest examples known of this popular cancel; with 2012 P.F. certificate.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

847 ✉ **Negative "Portland, Me" in Oval,** complete strike tying jumbo margin **1873, 1¢ ultramarine** on red allover publisher shaded ad cover to Carrington, N.C., **a Very Fine strike**; with 2016 P.F. certificate.
Cole No. **VL-72** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

848 ✉ **Negative Six Point Star of Waterbury, Ct.,** two strikes duplexed with "Waterbury, Con, Feb 14" **Valentines Day** cds tying **1861, 3¢ rose, vertical pair** on reduced legal size cover to Walcottville, Conn.; stamp flaws including perfs trimmed at bottom, **Very Fine strikes,** rarity RRR - less than 9 examples known; with 2021 P.F. certificate. Scott No. 65.
Rohloff No. **S-5** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

849 ✉ **Negative Square & Compass of Brattleboro, Vt.,** complete strike in blue on fresh attorney corner card cover to Bennington, Vt., matching "Brattleboro, Vt., Aug 25" cds alongside; stamp with a few short perfs at top, **a Very Fine and choice strike,** much better strike than illustrated in Skinner-Eno. Scott No. 65.
Skinner-Eno No. **FR-M3a 17** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350



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850 ✉ **Negative "US" of Albany, N.Y.,** complete strike duplexed with "Albany, N.Y., Aug 19" cds tying **1861, 3¢ rose** (s.e. at right) on fresh cover to Fairhaven, N.Y.; cover missing backflap, **a Very Fine strike.** Scott No. 65.
Skinner-Eno No. **PT-US 25** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

851 ✉ **Padlock of Cambridge, Mass.,** complete strike tying **1868, 3¢ rose, F. grill** on locally addressed cover, matching **Cambridge, Mass., May 28** cds alongside; cover with barest reduction at right, **Very Fine and choice**; with 2023 P.S.E. certificate. Scott No. 94.
Skinner-Eno No. **PO-Pl 4** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

852 ✉ **Pitcher of Ware, Mass.,** three strikes canceling **1869, 12¢ green + 3¢ ultramarine, two singles** (117, 114) on registered cover to Alfred, Me., matching "Ware, Mass., Mar 22" cds alongside, **Very Fine,** a very unusual pictorial cancel usage on a registered cover; with 2016 P.F. certificate.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

853 ✉ **Pointing Hand of Shade Gap, Pa.,** complete sharp strike tying **1870, 3¢ green** on cover to Mount Union, Pa., with matching "Shade Gap, Pa., Sep 18" cds with manuscript day, with original 1870 enclosure, **an Extremely Fine strike,** an extremely rare unlisted fancy cancel (Shade Gap, Pa. population was 170 during their first census in 1880); with 1991 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **147** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

854 ✉ **"R" in Circle of Rockville, Ct.,** complete strike cancelling **1861, 3¢ rose** on cover to East Hampton, Mass., matching Rockville, Ct. cds alongside; cover reduced at left, **a Very Fine strike.** Scott No. 65.
Skinner-Eno No. **LS-R 15** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

855 ✉ **Shield in Circle of Clarksboro, N.J.,** complete socked-on-the-nose strike cancelling **1861, 3¢ rose** on cover to Trenton, N.J., matching "Clarksboro, N.J., Jan 8" cds, 1866 year docketing; cover slightly reduced at left, **Very Fine.** Scott No. 65.
Skinner-Eno No. **PS-FC 3** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

856 ✉ **Shield of South Deerfield, Mass.,** two complete bold strikes in red tying **1869, 3¢ ultramarine, vertical pair** on cover to **Toronto, Canada**, blue "South Deerfield, Ms., Jul 28" cds and receiving backstamp; small repaired cover tear at, cert mentions stamps lifted and placed back and backflap replaced which we feel are in error, **Extremely Fine strikes,** an attractive double fancy and dual color cancellation; with 2015 P.S.E. certificate. Scott No. 114.
Skinner-Eno No. **PS-SD 16** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

857 ✉ **Shoe Fly of Toledo, O.,** complete strike canceling 1869, 3¢ ultramarine on mourning cover to Hebron, Ky., matching Toledo, O. cds alongside, **Very Fine,** a very scarce pictorial postmark; with 2020 P.F. certificate. Scott No. 114.
Skinner-Eno No. **PA-Is 6** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

858 ✉ **Square & Compass in Circle of Mittineague, Mass.,** complete bold strike tying **1857, 3¢ dull red, type III** on cover to Kenosha, Wis., matching "Mittineague, Mass., Oct 8" cds alongside; slight cover discoloration at bottom, **a Very Fine and choice strike.** Scott No. 26.
Skinner-Eno No. **FR-M4c 1** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350



859 ✉ **Star Within a Star of Waterbury, Ct.,** full sharp strike tying **1861, 3¢ rose, horizontal pair** (65) on cover to South Deerfield, Mass., pair additionally tied by matching "Waterbury, Con., Sep 23, '65" cds; left stamp with perf flaws and cover slightly reduced at right, **a Very Fine and rare strike,** rarity RRRR - less than 6 examples known; with 2016 P.S.E. certificate.
Rohloff No. **S-6** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600


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860 ✉ **Star within Star of Phelps, N.Y.,** bold sharp strike tying **1861, 3¢ rose** (s.e. at left) on cover to Hudson, N.Y., matching "Phelps, N.Y., Sep 6" cds alongside; trivial small piece of backflap missing, **an Extremely Fine strike.** Scott No. 65.
Skinner-Eno No. **ST-St 13** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

861 ✉ **Stovepipe of Leominster, Mass.,** complete sharp strike on blue tying **1867, 3¢ red, F. grill** on embossed monogram cover to Yellow Springs, O., matching "Leominster, Ms., Sep 14" cds, **Very Fine and choice.** Scott No. 94.
Skinner-Eno No. **GE-C 7** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

862 ✉ **Stovepipe of Pine Meadow, Ct.,** complete strike canceling **1861, 3¢ rose** on Women & Flag patriotic cover, matching "Pine Meadow, Conn, Mar 13" cds; stamp and cover flaws, **a Very Fine strike,** a very scarce fancy cancel, unlisted in Skinner-Eno.
Scott No. **65** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

863 ✉ **Three Ring Segmented Target of North Dighton, Mass.,** complete bold strike **in green** tying **1861, 3¢ rose** on cover to East Foxboro, Mass., matching "North Dighton, Ms." cds at left, **Very Fine,** a very rare green cancellation, *ex-Herzog*; with 2010 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **65** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

864 ✉ **Town Name in Scroll Postmark of Stoneham, Mass.,** bold cds tying **1857, 3¢ dull red, type III** on cover to Andover, Mass.; stamp with slightly blunted perfs at top, **a Very Fine strike**; with 2019 P.F. certificate. Scott No. 26.
Skinner-Eno No. **PM-TF 28** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

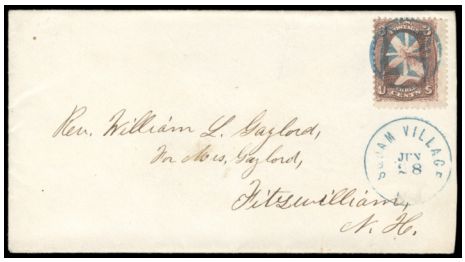
865 ✉ **Town Name in Scroll Postmark of Stoneham, Mass.,** full strike tying **1857, 10¢ green, type III** on cover to **Pike River Village, Canada**, red "United States" in oval exchange handstamp and transit backstamps; stamp with pre-use margin nick at upper left, **otherwise Very Fine,** a rare usage of this fancy postmark. Scott No. 33.
Skinner-Eno No. **PM-TF 28** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



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866 ✉ **"US" & Eagle of Albany, N.Y.,** complete strike tying **1861, 3¢ rose** on cover to Dunkirk, N.Y., matching "Albany, N.Y., Sep 5" cds alongside; cover reduced at left with corner tear at top, **a Very Fine and choice strike,** a scarce and seldom offered patriotic fancy cancellation - one of the rarest of the Albany fancies. Scott No. 65.
Skinner-Eno No. **PT-E 12** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

867 ✉ **"US" in Circle of Petersburgh, Pa.,** choice strike duplexed with "Petersburgh, Pa., Nov 23" cds tying **1861, 3¢ rose** on cover to Warrenton Depot, N.C., company cds and some contemporary addition, **an Extremely Fine strike.** Scott No. 65.
Skinner-Eno No. **PT-US 54**. . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

868 ✉ **"V" of Vallejo, Cal.,** complete bold strike in blue canceling **1869, 3¢ ultramarine** on cover to Philadelphia, Pa., matching "Vallejo, Cal., Jul 21" cds alongside, receiving backstamp, **Very Fine and choice,** *ex-Coulter*.
Scott No. **114** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

869 ✉ **"V.A. Sprague, P.M., Free" in Circle of Corinna, Me.,** complete strike tying 1861, 3¢ rose on cover to South Danvers, Mass., matching "Corinna, Me., Jun 9" cds alongside; cert mentions light soiling at top which is actually postmark ink offset, **Very Fine**; with 2017 P.F. certificate. Scott No. 65.
Skinner-Eno No. **LC-NP19**. . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

870 ✉ **"W" of Waterbury, Ct.,** complete bold sharp strike tying 1861, 3¢ rose on cover to East Canaan, Ct., matching "Waterbury, Con, Feb 6, '66" alongside; light cover soiling and even toning, **F.-V.F.,** still a choice strike, rarity RR - less than 16 examples known. Scott No. 65.
Rohloff No. **K-17** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

871 ✉ **Wedges in Circle Geometric of Squam Village, N.H.,** complete sharp strike in blue tying **1861, 3¢ brown rose** on fresh cover to Fitzwilliams, N.H., matching "Squam Villiage, N.H., Jun 28" cds below.
Scott No. **65** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

Fancy Cancellations (Off Cover)

872 o **5-Point Star,** socked-on-the-nose in blue on 1869, 1¢ buff, **an Extremely Fine strike,** a striking stamp; with 2016 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **112**; $175 . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

873 o **8-Point Geometric Star,** complete strike on 1867, 1¢ blue, F. grill, rich color and fresh, **an Extremely Fine strike,** beautiful grilled stamp; with 1998 P.S.E. and 2017 P.F. certificates.
Scott No. **92**; $450 . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

874 o **9-Point Radial,** bold central strike on 1862, 24¢ brown lilac, **a Very Fine and choice strike,** a lovely stamp and cancel; with 2018 P.S.A.G. certificate. Scott No. 70a $325.
Skinner-Eno No. **GE-P 80** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



875 o **"AJ" and Skull and Crossbones on Tombstone of Waterbury, Ct.,** near complete strike on **1861, 3¢ rose**, stamp with sealed tear, **a Very Fine strike,** rarity RRRR - less than 6 examples known, quite certainly one of the finest of only a handful known; with 2015 P.F. certificate. Scott No. 65.
Rohloff No. **R-5**. . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

876 o **Arrowheads of Waterbury, Ct.,** sharp near complete strike on 1861, 3¢ rose, reperfed at left, **an Extremely Fine strike,** rarity RRR - less than 9 examples known; with 1990 P.F. certificate. Scott No. 65.
Rohloff No. **B-8**. . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

877 o **Beer Mug of Morris, Ill.,** strike on 1869, 3¢ ultramarine, **Very Fine,** a seldom seen fancy cancel; with 2011 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **114**; $200. . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

878 o **Circular Geometric of Stillwater, Minn.,** perfect socked-on-the-nose strike on 1861, 12¢ black, **an Extremely Fine strike,** pretty stamp with fancy cancel; with 2010 P.F. certificate. Scott No. 69.
Skinner-Eno No. **GE-C 4**. . . . . Estimate $150 - 200


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879 o **Cross in Circle of Stones of Shed's Corner, N.Y.,** full socked-on-the-nose strike on 1870, 15¢ bright orange, natural straight edge at left, **an Extremely Fine and choice strike,** a spectacular and rare showpiece Masonic cancel; with 1989 P.S.E. and 2017 P.F. certificates. Scott No. 152.
Cole No. **CSC-7**. . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

880 o **Eagle of Corry, Pa.,** full strike on 1867, 3¢ red, F. grill, **Very Fine,** a beautiful Eagle cancel. Scott No. 94 $12.
Skinner-Eno No. **PT-E 4** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

881 o **Elm Leaf of Waterbury, Ct.,** partial bold strike with townmarks tying 1861, 3¢ rose on piece, stamp with some toned perfs and tiny clipped corner, **a Very Fine strike,** rarity RR - less than 16 examples known; with 2019 P.F. certificate. Scott No. 65.
Rohloff No. **L-1**. . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

882 o **Elm Leaf of Waterbury, Ct.,** full strike with part of townmark on 1861, 3¢ rose, few pulled perforations at bottom, **a Very Fine strike,** rarity RR - less than 16 examples known; with 2019 P.F. certificate. Scott No. 65.
Rohloff No. **L-1**. . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

883 o **Five Cent Coin of Honeoye Falls, N.Y.,** full strike on **1861, 3¢ rose**, faint tone spot and short perf at bottom, **a Very Fine strike**; with 2017 P.S.E. certificate. Scott No. 65.
Skinner-Eno No. **PO-Co 2** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

884 o **Five Point Hollow Star in Circle,** full strike on 1861, 30¢ orange, **a Very Fine strike**; with 2017 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **71**; $250 . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

885 o **"G" in Square and Compass in Circle,** near complete strike on 1861, 3¢ rose (possibly from Moira, N.Y. - FR-M2c 8), two distinctive paper folds, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **65**. . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

886 o **Geometric Foreign Mail of New York, N.Y.,** bold near complete strike on 1862, 24¢ red lilac, **a Very Fine and choice strike,** a beautiful strike; with 2020 P.S.A.G. certificate. Scott No. 70 $300.
Skinner-Eno No. **GE-M 20**. . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

887 o **"Hayes" of Rutherford B. Hayes Presidential Campaign Cancel,** partial strike on 1873, 3¢ green, **still Very Fine,** an extremely rare cancel, unlisted in Cole; with 2012 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **158** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

888 o **Hollow 5-Point Star,** near complete strike on 1869, 15¢ brown & blue, type II, strong colors, **a Very Fine strike**; with 1991 and 2016 P.F. certificates.
Scott No. **119**; $200. . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

889 ▲ **Hollow 5-Point Star of Rochester, Minn.,** bold complete strike tying 1869, 6¢ ultramarine on piece with "Rochester, Minn., Nov 20" town cancel alongside, **an Extremely Fine strike.**
Scott No. **115**; $225. . . . . Estimate $100 - 150



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890 o **Mug of Waterbury, Ct.,** full strike on 1870, 1¢ ultramarine, H. grill, **a Very Fine strike,** rarity RRRR - less than 6 examples known; with 2022 P.F. certificate. Scott No. 134 $210.
Rohloff No. **O-9A**. . . . . Estimate $400 - 500

891 o **Negative 5 Petal in Circle,** complete sharp strike on 1869, 10¢ yellow, small faults, **an Extremely Fine strike**; with 1995 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **116**; $110. . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

892 o **Negative Anchor in Circle,** full bold and sharp strike on 1861, 3¢ rose, **a Very Fine strike**; with 2017 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **65** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

893 o **Negative "G" in Serrated Circle of Guilford, Ct.,** complete strike on 1861, 3¢ rose, **Very Fine and choice**; with 2017 P.F. certificate. Scott No. 65.
Skinner-Eno No. **FR-M5 14** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

894 o **Negative "LINCOLN" and Stars in Circle of Albany, N.Y.,** sharp full strike on **1861, 3¢ rose**, small perf flaws, **a Very Fine and choice strike**; with 2015 P.S.E. certificate for pair. Scott No. 65.
Skinner-Eno No. **PC-NP 15** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

895 o **Negative Shield with Star Banner at Bottom,** full strike on 1862, 24¢ red lilac, **a Very Fine strike,** a great fancy; with 2018 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **70**; $300 . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

896 o **Padlock of West Meridan, Ct.,** full sharp strike on 1869, 12¢ green, **a Very Fine strike,** an extremely scarce cancel; with 1997 P.F. certificate. Scott No. 117 $130.
Skinner-Eno No. **PO-PL 7** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

897 o **Pumpkin of Waterbury, Ct.,** full central strike on **1868, 3¢ rose, F. grill**, **a Very Fine strike,** rarity RR - less than 16 examples known. Scott No. 94.
Rohloff No. **G-2**. . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

898 o **Rosette of Waterbury, Ct.,** bold and near complete strike on 1869, 3¢ ultramarine, short perf at bottom, **an Extremely Fine strike,** rarity RRR - less than 9 examples known; with 2016 P.F. certificate. Scott No. 114.
Rohloff No. **P-28** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

899 o **Segmented Five Point Star,** full strike on 1863, 24¢ grayish lilac, stamp with rich color and well centered, **a Very Fine strike and stamp,** a choice stamp; with 2015 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **78a**; $425. . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

900 ▲ **Star & Hearts of Waterbury, Ct.,** full strike canceling **1861, 3¢ rose** on piece with matching "Waterbury, Con, Oct 19, '67" cds tying; stamp with trivial perf flaw, **a Very Fine strike,** rarity RRR - less than 9 examples known; with 2009 Weiss & 2011 P.F. certificates. Scott No. 65.
Rohloff No. **J-10** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

901 o **Star Within Star of Brasher Falls, N.Y.,** virtually complete bold strike on 1863, 24¢ gray, **an Extremely Fine strike,** gem strike fancy cancel; with 2020 P.F. certificate. Scott No. 78b $450.
Skinner-Eno No. **ST-St 17** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

902 o **Two Hole Button of Peoria, Ill.,** three complete strike duplex with townmark in **green** on 1861, 3¢ rose, horizontal strip of 3, right stamp with diagonal crease, **Very Fine and choice strikes,** scarce green cancels; with 2018 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **65** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

903 o **"US",** complete central strike on 1863, 24¢ grayish lilac, well centered, **an Extremely Fine strike,** absolutely gorgeous; with 2006 P.F. certificate. Scott No. 78a $425.
Skinner-Eno No. **PT-US 2** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

United States Postage Stamps



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Postmasters' Provisionals

904 E **Albany, N.Y., 1847, 5¢ Essay, By Gavit & Co., in Black,** die on India, cut close, full margins and deep color, small corner thin, **otherwise Very Fine.** Brazer No. 1X1aEa var.
Scott No. **1Xa-E1c**. $250

905 F **New York, N.Y., 1846, 5¢ Black on Bluish, Sperati Reproduction,** clear to ample margins, red arched "Paid" cancel, on piece with red cds at left, **Very Fine**; with 1993 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **9X1R** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

906 (*) **Providence, R.I., 1898 Reprint, 10¢ Gray Black,** without gum as issued, four large margins including sheet margin at top, **fresh & Extremely Fine.**
Scott No. **10X2** $190

907 (*)❒ **Providence, R.I., 5¢ Gray Black and 10¢ Gray Black,** complete se-tenant sheet of 12, without gum as issued, **fresh and Very Fine.**
Scott No. **10X2a** $1,250

1847 Issue



908 * **5¢ Brown,** o.g., lightly hinged, four large even margins, fresh and attractive brown shade, detailed impression, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine**; with 1975 & 2023 P.F. certificates, the latter **Graded (VF-XF 85, SSV $9,000)**.
Scott No. **1** $6,500

AN OUTSTANDING GEM EXAMPLE OF THE 5¢ 1847 ISSUE WITH FULL ORIGINAL IN SOUND CONDITION, VERY RARE AS SUCH.



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909 o **5¢ Red Brown,** marginal single, blue town cancel, large to huge margins all round, **Extremely Fine to Superb**; with 2023 P.S.E. certificate **Graded (XF-Superb 95, SMQ $1,400)**.
Scott No. **1** $350

910 o **5¢ Red Brown,** bold full strike of **red fancy Herringbone cancel of Binghamton, N.Y**. margins mostly large to clear at bottom, strong color, **an strike Extremely Fine,** rarely encountered so nice, *ex-Hillmer & Mirsky*; with 2005 & 2023 P.F. certificates.
Scott No. **1** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000



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911 o **5¢ Red Brown,** four nice margins, two strikes of **red "V" rate** handstamps, **Very Fine and attractive,** a very pretty example; with 2017 P.F. certificate **Graded (VF 80)**.
Scott No. **1** $525

912 o **5¢ Chestnut Brown,** light blue town cancel, full nicely balanced margins, rich chestnut brown shade, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine,** a scarce shade; with 2023 P.F. certificate **Graded (VF-XF 85)**.
Scott No. **1** $350



913 o **5¢ Red Brown,** socked-on-the-nose **blue numeral "5"** cancel, clear to ample margins, rich color, small filled thin in upper left margin, **an Extremely Fine strike**; with 2023 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **1** $525

914 o **5¢ Red Brown,** blue town cancel, large to huge margins all round, pressed vertical crease, **Extremely Fine appearance**; with 2023 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **1** $465

915 o **5¢ Red Brown,** horizontal pair, very light blue grid cancels, clear to large margins, gorgeous rich brilliant color and detailed early impression, **Very Fine and attractive,** quite striking.
Scott No. **1** $950



916 o **5¢ Dark Brown,** four large margins, deep rich color, well struck red grid cancel, **Extremely Fine and choice,** an exceptional stamp rarely graded so high; with 2022 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (95, SSV $2,250)**.
Scott No. **1a** $525



917 o **5¢ Orange Brown,** four large margins, deep fresh color, red grid cancel, **an Extremely Fine gem,** an outstanding example of this shade; with. 2022 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (95, SSV $2,100)**.
Scott No. **1b** $675

918 o **5¢ Orange Brown,** blue cancel, clear to large margins, **F.-V.F.**; with 2011 P.S.A.G. certificate.
Scott No. **1b** $675



919 o **5¢ Brown Orange,** neat red grid cancel, large margins all around, bright distinctive brown orange shade on strong blued paper, P.F. certificate mentioning tiny thin speck, **Extremely Fine**; with 2023 P.F. & P.S.A.G. certificates, latter **Graded (90, SSV $2,150)**.
Scott No. **1d** $1,000

920 * **10¢ Black,** position 80R1, showing double transfer in top frame line, blue "Paid" cancel, sound, margins clear to touching, **Fine**; with 2000 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **2** . . . . . $850+


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921 o **10¢ Black, Double Transfer (Type "D"),** position 41R1, showing double transfer of left and bottom frame lines, left margin single, red circular grid cancels, large to huge margin showing full sheet selvage at left, bold color and double transfer clearly visible throughout, **Extremely Fine and choice**; with 1998 & 2023 P.F. certificates, the latter **Graded (XF 90 XQ)**.
Scott No. **2 var.** $2,250

AN EXCEPTIONAL EXAMPLE OF THE 1847 10¢ ISSUE WITH THE MAJOR TYPE D DOUBLE TRANSFER.



922 o **10¢ Black,** four large margins, fresh color, sharp early impression, vivid red cork cancel, **Extremely Fine and choice,** a beautiful example; with 2021 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (95, SSV $3,000)**.
Scott No. **2**. $650


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923 o **10¢ Black,** four large margins, sharp impression with rich color, light red grid cancel, **Extremely Fine and attractive,** a very pretty stamp; with 2024 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (90, SSV $1,600)**.
Scott No. **2**. $650

924 o **10¢ Black,** red square grid cancels, large margins, deep color and a sharp early impression, **Extremely Fine and choice**; with 1987 7 2023 P.F. certificates, the latter **Graded (XF 90, SSV $1,600)**.
Scott No. **2**. $850

925 o **10¢ Black,** light red cancel, clear to large margins all round, **F.-V.F. and attractive**; with 2023 P.S.E. and 1983 P.F. certificates.
Scott No. **2**. $850

926 o **10¢ Black,** pen cancel removed, four huge margins showing portion of adjacent stamp at top, strong color, **Very Fine and choice**; with 1987 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **2**. $575

1875 Reproductions of the 1847 Issue

927 (*) **5¢ Red Brown, Reproduction,** without gum as issued, nice margins all round, **Very Fine**; with 2024 P.F. certificate **Graded (VF 80)**.
Scott No. **3**. $900

928 (*) **5¢ Red Brown, Reproduction,** without gum as issued, four nice margins, **fresh and Extremely Fine.**
Scott No. **3**. $1,000

929 (*) **5¢ Red Brown, Reproduction,** without gum as issued, clear to large margins, rich bright color, faint corner crease at bottom left, **Very Fine appearance**; with 2009 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **3**. $1,000



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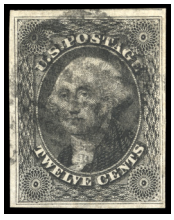
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930 (*) **10¢ Black, Reproduction,** without gum as issued, attractive margins all round, **Very Fine**; with 2023 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **4** $1,150

931 (*) **10¢ Black, Reproduction,** four clear to mostly large margins, without gum as issued, **fresh and F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **4** $1,300

932 (*) **10¢ Black, Reproduction,** without gum as issued, large margins to close at top left, tiny corner crease at bottom right, **F.-V.F. appearance**; with 2023 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **4** $1,150

933 (*) **10¢ Black, Reproduction,** without gum as issued, clear to ample margins, fresh with rich color, **generally Fine**; with 2010 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (F 70)**.
Scott No. **4** $1,300

1851 Issue

934 o **1¢ Blue, Types II & IIIa,** plate 1E, horizontal pair (left stamp type IIIa, right type II), used, close margins to large portion of additional adhesives at top, **F.-V.F.**; with 2023 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **7,8A** $1,400

935 o **1¢ Blue, Types II & IIIa,** horizontal pair, positions 81L1E-82L1E with left copy showing double transfer, one inverted, this position shows a wide break in outer line at bottom (rare Type IIIa with break at bottom instead of top), Savannah Ga. town cancels, nice margins to touching at left, type IIIa sound and very fresh, vertical crease between stamps and tiny thin at bottom left of right stamp, **otherwise Fine.**
Scott No. **7,8A** . . . . . $1,450+

936 o **1¢ Blue, Type III,** Position 62R4, cds cancel, margins showing type clearly, tiny nick at top and couple tiny tears, **Very Fine appearance**; with 1989 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **8** $1,500

937 o **1¢ Blue, Type IIIa,** Position 50R4, Relief E, light town cancel, margins huge to just touches, **F.-V.F.**; with 1990 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **8A** $800

938 o❐ **3¢ Orange Brown, Type II,** block of 4, margins large to cutting, rich orange brown color, bold blue Philadelphia Pa. cancels, rounded upper left corner, few thins, **Fine and rare,** a rare multiple that is unlisted and unprecedented even as a block of four.
Scott No. **10A** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000



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939 **/* **3¢ Dull Red, Type I,** pre-printing vertical paper fold, marginal pair, o.g., n.h. bottom copy / l.h. top copy, unusual and sound, **Fine**; with 1979 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **11** . . . . . $650+



940 o **3¢ Pinkish, Type I,** position 93R4, bottom margin single with large margins all around, fresh, true color, light New York town cancel, **Extremely Fine and rare**; with 2016 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **11** $5,750

AN EXQUISITE EXAMPLE OF THIS RARE SHADE, CERTAINLY THE FINEST KNOWN.

941 * **3¢ Dull Red, Type II,** horizontal pair (positions 95-96L1L), o.g., margins large to just touching at lower right, strong bright color, **Very Fine,** an attractive mint pair; with 1991 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **11A** $550

942 o **5¢ Red Brown,** very light, indistinct cancel, four nice margins, **Very Fine**; with 1987 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **12** $750

943 o **5¢ Red Brown,** vertical pair, light town cancel, nice margins to close at bottom, sealed pinhole in top stamp, **otherwise F.-V.F.**; with 2023 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **12** $1,700

944 o **10¢ Green, Type I,** light town cancel at bottom, **Very Fine**; with1989 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **13** $750

945 o **10¢ Green, Type III,** four margins, rich color and **fancy Star of David** cancel, **Fine,** scarce type star cancel; with 1991 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **15** $145

946 o **10¢ Green, Type IV,** recut at top, town cancel, four margins, **Fine and scarce**; with A.P.S. Certificate.
Scott No. **16** $1,700

947 o **12¢ Gray Black, Canadian seven ring target** cancel, three full margins, just touching at top, **F.-V.F.,** a very scarce cancel on a U.S. stamp; with 1992 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **17** $260

948 o **12¢ Gray Black,** showing double transfer, light black cancel, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine**; with 2023 P.S.E. certificate **Graded (VF-XF 85, SMQ $325)**.
Scott No. **17** $250

949 o **12¢ Gray Black,** grid cancel, four margins, **Very Fine**; with 1990 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **17** $250

1857 Issue

950 ** **1¢ Blue, Type I,** o.g., never hinged, lovely pastel shade which is typical of the1857 1¢ type I, full perforations, some light gum toning (only a hint of which is visible on the face), **F.-V.F., a very rare never hinged example.**
Scott No. **18** . . . . . $2,100 for hinged

951 o **1¢ Blue, Type I,** neat **New York Ocean Mail** cancellation, **immaculate and Very Fine**; with 1900 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **18** $500



952 o **1¢ Blue, Type Ia, Position 97R4 with curl in "C" of "CENT"**, well centered, deep rich color, face-free strike of cork cancel, tiny thin spot and corner margin crease, **Extremely Fine appearance, *a very rare stamp***; with 1974 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **19** $9,500

953 o **1¢ Blue, Type Ic, "E" Relief,** Position 96R4, very faintly cancelled, fresh color, single perf at upper right strengthened, **Fine and rare type**; with 1986 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **19b** $3,750

954 (*) **1¢ Blue, Type II,** no gum, rich bold color, well centered with attractive margins, **Very Fine and choice**; with 1989 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **20**. . . . . $375 for no gum

955 o **1¢ Blue, Type II,** plate 2, rich color, neat Boston cancel, a top row position, **Very Fine,** a beautiful stamp; with 2016 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **20** $275

956 o **1¢ Blue, Type II,** Plate 2, neat blue grid cancel, well-centered, **Very Fine**; with 1990 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **20** $375



957 * **1¢ Blue, Type III,** position 34L4, o.g., lightly hinged, uncommonly fresh, rich color, sharp Post Office impression, **Very Fine and choice**; with photocopy of 2014 (for block of 4) and original 2017 P.F. certificates.
Scott No. **21** $17,500

AN EXCEPTIONAL EXAMPLE THIS VERY RARE MINT STAMP - ONE OF THE FINEST EXTANT.

958 o **1¢ Blue, Type III,** grid cancel & small portion of red postmark, nicely centered showing characteristics clearly, small corner crease, **otherwise Very Fine and scarce**; with 1977 P.F. and 1989 P.S.E. certificates.
Scott No. **21** $1,350



959 o **1¢ Blue, Type IV,** very light cancel, deep color, **Extremely Fine and attractive**; with 1990 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **23** $525

960 o **1¢ Blue, Type Va,** plate 5, light waffle grid cancel, lovely rich deep color, choice centering, **Extremely Fine,** an attractive example of type V sub-variety; with 1978, 1993 & 2013 P.F. and 2004 P.S.E. certificates, the latter two **Graded (XF 90, SMQ $350)**.
Scott No. **24** $300



961 * **3¢ Rose, Type I,** o.g., lightly hinged, very well centered, bright color, **Extremely Fine,** A rare stamp this nice; with 2020 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **25** $3,000

962 ** **3¢ Dull Red, Type III,** o.g., never hinged, rich bold color, choice margins and centering with perfs clear of design all around, **Extremely Fine and choice**; with 2003 P.S.E. & 2017 P.F. certificates, the latter **Graded (XF 90, SMQ $625)**.
Scott No. **26** . . . . . $65 for hinged

963 o **3¢ Dull Red, Type III,** gem strike fancy blue pinwheel cancel, **Very Fine,** A simply gorgeous fancy cancel; with 2017 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **26** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



964 o **5¢ Brick Red, Type I,** neat New Orleans postmark, nicely centered, deep brick shade with nice impression, **Very Fine and choice**; with 1988 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **27** $1,450



965 o **5¢ Red Brown, Type I,** small corner cancel, extraordinary centering with large margins clear all around, **Extremely Fine and choice**; with 1985 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **28** $1,050

AN OUTSTANDING GEM RARELY FOUND IN THIS NEAR PERFECT CONDITION.



966 o **5¢ Indian Red, Type I,** with selvedge at right, neat town cancel, outstanding rich color on fresh white paper, **Very Fine and scarce**; with photocopy of 1989 P.F. certificate for strip of 3.
Scott No. **28A** $3,750



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967 * **5¢ Brown, Type I,** full, fresh o.g. that is lightly hinged, fresh and exceptional centering bright color with detailed impression, **Very Fine and choice,** an exceptional and rare mint example; with 1989 and 2015 P.F. certificates.
Scott No. **29** $5,500

968 o **5¢ Brown, Type I,** light New Orleans cancel, well centered, **Very Fine and attractive**; with 1989 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **29** $325

969 * **5¢ Orange Brown, Type II,** o.g., small hinge remnant, excellent color, pulled perfs at left, **Fine appearance**; with 2023 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **30** $1,200

970 o **5¢ Brown, Type II,** letter "M" cancel, well centered, **Very Fine, a very unusual fancy cancel**; with 1990 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **30A** $375



971 o **10¢ Green, Type I,** neat face free grid cancel, well centered with margins showing characteristics clearly, **Very Fine and attractive**; with 1980 P.F. certificate for strip of 3.
Scott No. **31** $1,200

972 o **10¢ Green, Type II,** neat corner cancel, well centered with large margins, **Extremely Fine**; with 1984 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **32** $190



973 o **10¢ Green, Type IV,** Recut at top and bottom (Position 64L1), light town cancel, outstanding centering with large margins clear of design on all sides, single unpunched perf at bottom, **an Extremely Fine gem,** *ex-Klee*; with clean 1968 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **34** $2,900

A WONDERFUL EXAMPLE OF THIS RARE STAMP WHICH IS SELDOM FOUND IN THIS CHOICE CONDITION.

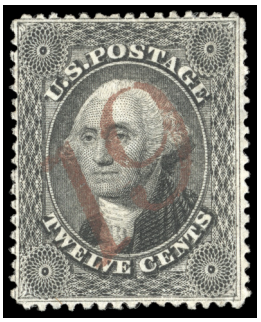
974 o **10¢ Green, Type V,** beautifully centered with rich color, light town cancel, **Extremely Fine and choice,** an exquisite gem; with 2020 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (95, SSV $475)**.
Scott No. **35**. $55

975 o **10¢ Green, Type V,** neat **red paint circular grid** cancels, well centered amid nicely balanced margins, rich deep color, **Extremely Fine and attractive,** a striking used stamp; with 2005 & 2022 P.F. certificates, the latter **Graded (XF 90, SSV $160)**.
Scott No. **35**. $55



976 o **12¢ Black, Plate I,** red circular grid cancel, exceptional centering and rich bold color, **Extremely Fine and attractive**; with 2004 & 2020 P.F. certificates, the latter **Graded (XF 90, SSV $800)**.
Scott No. **36** $300

977 o **12¢ Black, Plate I,** outstanding centering with sharp impression, dark blue cds of Louisville, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine,** scarce stamp so nice; with 2016 P.F. certificate, **Graded (VF-XF 85, SSV $460)**.
Scott No. **36** $335



978 o **12¢ Black, Plate I, red numeral "19"** cancel, wonderfully centered for this difficult issue, **Extremely Fine,** a beautiful stamp and cancellation; with 2008 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **36** $345

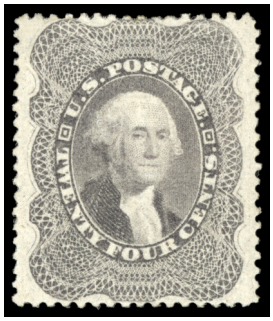
979 o **12¢ Black, Plate I,** light strike of blue town cancel, beautifully centered with jet black color and proof-like impression, **fresh & Extremely Fine**; with 1991 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **36** $335



980 * **12¢ Black, Plate III,** o.g., neatly hinged, very fresh and well centered, deep color, **Extremely Fine,** a beautiful Plate III 12¢ black; with 2017 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **36B** $775

981 o **12¢ Black, Plate III,** bold cancel, exceptional centering, neat "Paid" straight line cancel, **Extremely Fine and striking**; with 1996 P.F. certificate, **Graded (XF 90, SSV $775)**.
Scott No. **36B** $287

982 P **24¢ Gray Lilac, Imperf Proof on Stamp Paper,** bottom margin single with four margins, fresh color, **Extremely Fine and scarce,** A choice example of this rare proof; with 2013 P.S.A.G. certificate.
Scott No. **37P5** $1,500



983 * **24¢ Gray Lilac,** o.g., very lightly hinged, beautifully centered, sharp detailed impression, rich color and freshness, **an Extremely Fine gem**; with 2017 P.S.E. certificate **Graded (XF 90, SMQ $3,100)**.
Scott No. **37** $1,450

A EXCEPTIONAL MINT EXAMPLE THAT IS RARELY SEEN SO CHOICE.

984 * **24¢ Gray,** disturbed o.g., well centered with bold gray shade in bright paper, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine**; with 2012 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (85, SSV $2,000)**.
Scott No. **37a** $1,450

985 o **24¢ Gray Lilac,** seven bar grid cancel, nicely centered with fresh color, **Extremely Fine**; with 1988 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **37** $400



986 * **30¢ Orange,** o.g., lightly hinged, well centered with rich color and fresh, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine**; with 1995, 2005, and 2019 P.F. certificates, the latter **Graded (VF-XF 85, SSV $3,000)**.
Scott No. **38** $1,900

AN EXCEPTIONAL MINT STAMP THAT HAS THREE CERTIFICATES!

987 o **30¢ Orange,** cancelled by **true green grid** cancel, two short perforations, **Fine, extremely rare colored cancel**; with 2020 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **38** $1,700



988 o **30¢ Orange,** light red grid cancel, beautifully centered with large margins for this difficult issue, **Extremely Fine and choice**; with 1984 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **38** $550



989 * **90¢ Blue,** o.g., lightly hinged, fresh and well centered, deep color, **Very Fine and attractive,** *An exceptionally nice ninety cent value*; with 2023 P.S.A.G. certificate.
Scott No. **39** $3,000



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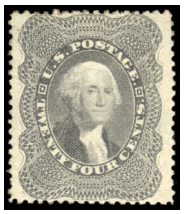
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990 * **90¢ Blue,** o.g., previously hinged, deep color, **fresh and Very Fine.**
Scott No. **39** $3,000

991 * **90¢ Blue,** o.g. hinged, one pulled perf at bottom & tiny closed tear at top, **otherwise F.-V.F.**; with 2004 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **39** $3,000

1875 Reprints of the 1857 Issue

992 (*) **5¢ Orange Brown, Reprint,** without gum as issued, fresh, reperfed at right, **Fine appearance**; with 2023 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **42** $1,200



993 (*) **12¢ Greenish Black, Reprint,** without gum as issued, rich vibrant color on fresh paper, **Very Fine,** a pristine reprint issue, one of only 489 sold; with 2006 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **44** $2,750



994 (*) **90¢ Deep Blue, Reprint,** without gum as issued, well centered amid nicely balanced margins, beautiful rich color, bright and remarkable freshness, **Very Fine and choice,** a wonderful high value 1875 Reprint issue of which only 454 where issued; with 2009 P.S.E. certificate **Graded (VF 80)**.
Scott No. **47** $3,600

1861 First Designs



995 o **10¢ Dark Green, First Design,** exceptional centering, deep First Design color, cancelled by San Francisco double circle postmark, **Extremely Fine,** a rare stamp so choice; with 2018 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **62B** $1,800



996 o **10¢ Dark Green, First Design,** red town cancel, choice centering, rich distinctive color, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine,** a striking used stamp; with 2014 P.F. certificate **Graded (VF-XF 85)**.
Scott No. **62B** $1,750

1861-1866 Issue

997 * **1¢ Blue,** o.g., lightly hinged, fresh with bold color, **Very Fine**; with 1985 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **63** $275

998 o **1¢ Blue,** complete strike of **fancy Geometric** and small portion of red town cancels, small thin, **an Extremely Fine strike.**
Scott No. **63** . . . . . Estimate $75 - 100



999 o **3¢ Pink,** neat cancel, beautifully centered with true Pink color, **Very Fine and rare**; with 1979 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **64** $525

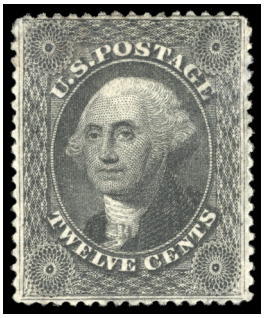
1000 o **3¢ Rose Pink,** neat blue Baltimore town cancel, well centered & fresh color, **Extremely Fine**; with 1984 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **64b** $140

1001 **❒ **3¢ Rose,** complete sheet of 100 with "No. 33 Plate" number and imprints at top and bottom, o.g., unmounted and essentially never hinged, strong bright color and quite fresh, some small selvage flaws including section missing from center right, few usual perf separations, **otherwise Fine,** a **Very Rare Complete Sheet of the 1861, 3¢ Rose From Plate 33**.
Scott No. **65** . . . . . $16,250+



1002 o **5¢ Buff,** bold **blue grid** cancel, outstanding centering and color, **Extremely Fine and rare this nice**; with 1982 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **67** $750

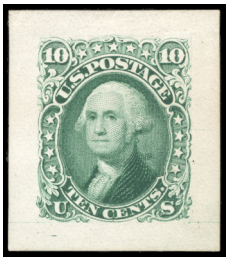
1003 P **10¢ Green, "Roosevelt" Small Die Proof on White Wove Paper,** rich bold color, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **68P2** $225



1004 o **12¢ Black,** beautifully centered with a light cancel, **Extremely Fine to Superb, a gem**; with 1991 and 2016 P.F. certificates, the latter **Graded (XF-Sup 95, SSV $750)**.
Scott No. **69** $95



1005 o **12¢ Black,** bold red grid cancel, well centered, deep color and sharp proof-like impression, **an Extremely Fine gem, a wonderful stamp with lovely eye-appeal**; with 1990 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **69** $95


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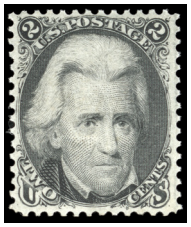

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1006 o **24¢ Red Lilac,** perfect centering, fresh color with cork cancel, **Extremely Fine, a tough stamp to find in this condition**; with 1990A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **70** $300

1007 o **24¢ Brown Lilac,** bold wide bar cancel, stamp excellent centering, **Extremely Fine,** a beautiful stamp; with 2021 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (90, SSV $850)**.
Scott No. **70a** $325

1008 o **24¢ Brown Lilac,** fancy geometric cancel, fresh rich color, **Very Fine and attractive**; with 2016 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (80)**.
Scott No. **70a** $325

1009 *❒ **30¢ Orange,** block of 4, o.g., hinge and some paper remnant at top and bottom, centered a bit into perf at left, strong bright color, couple gum tone spots affecting left stamps not mention on certificate, **about Fine,** a very rare and presentable mint original gum example of the 1861 30¢ issue; with 2008 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **71** $17,000



1010 o **30¢ Orange,** beautifully centered with perforation clear of design, bold "PAID" in lozenge cancel, **Extremely Fine to Superb, A Gem!**; with 2000 P.F., 2018 P.S.E., and 2019 P.S.A.G. certificates, the latter **Graded (95, SSV $2,000)**.
Scott No. **71** $270

1011 o **30¢ Orange,** bold blue Cincinnati, O. town cancel, well centered within nicely balanced margins, strong bright color, **Extremely Fine**; with 2015 P.F. certificate **Graded (XF 90, SSV $650)**.
Scott No. **71** $250

1012 o **30¢ Orange,** near complete strike on **1861, 30¢ orange** with devil's head transposed over Franklin's head, strong color, **an Extremely Fine strike,** an extremely rare pictorial cancel, pictorial cancels are rarely seen on high value; with 2022 Crowe certificate.
Scott No. 71.
Skinner-Eno No. **PH-F 42** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

1013 o **30¢ Orange,** well-centered with bright color, **Very Fine**; with 1989 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **71** $250



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1014 o **90¢ Blue,** well-centered, with light creases, **otherwise Very Fine**; with 1990 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **72** $625

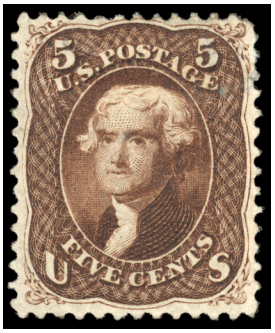
1015 * **2¢ Black,** o.g., bold color on bright paper, attractive margins and centering, **Very Fine**; with 2007 P.S.E. certificate **Graded (VF 80)**.
Scott No. **73** $350

1016 ** **2¢ Black,** marginal copy, o.g., never hinged, very fresh, **Very Fine**; with 2011 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **73** . . . . . $350 for hinged

1017 ✉ **2¢ Black,** in combination with **1861, 1¢ blue** (63) on cover to New Haven, N.Y., tied by target handstamps and matching "Fort Jefferson, Fla., Sept 7" cds; light cover soiling, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **73** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1018 **❒ **2¢ Black,** block of 4, o.g., never hinged, nicely centered with bold color, each stamp with a light vertical crease, **attractive Very Fine appearance**; with 2019 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **73** . . . . . $2,750 for hinged

1019 o **2¢ Black,** exceptional centering amid huge margins, neat grid cancel, **Extremely Fine to Superb,** a rare stamp in this gem condition; with 2018 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (95, SSV $750)**.
Scott No. **73**. $70



1020 * **5¢ Red Brown,** slightly disturbed o.g., beautifully centered with fresh fiery color, couple small faults, **F.-V.F.,** ***a very attractive example of this rare mint stamp***.
Scott No. **75** $5,500



1021 o **5¢ Red Brown,** neat cancel, beautifully centered, **an Extremely Fine gem**; with 1990 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **75** $425

1022 o **5¢ Brown,** large margins, light cancel, **an Extremely Fine gem**; with 1989 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **76** $115

1023 o **15¢ Black,** exceptional centering, large even margins, San Francisco cogwheel cancel, **Extremely Fine and choice**; with 2017 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (90, SSV $550)**.
Scott No. **77** $190



1024 o **15¢ Black,** beautifully centered, attractive blue target cancel, **Extremely Fine and choice**; with 1989 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **77** $190


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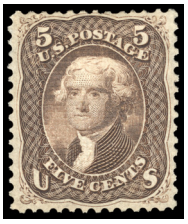

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1025 o **24¢ Grayish Lilac,** choice centering with strong detailed impression and rich color on bright paper, sharp four-ring target cancel and bit of red transit postmark, **Extremely Fine and attractive**; with 2009 and 2015 P.S.E. certificates, both **Graded (XF 90, SMQ $1,000)**.
Scott No. **78a** $425



1026 o **24¢ Blackish Violet,** rich, true blackish violet color, well centered with light town cancel, small thin in left margin and small corner crease, **Extremely Fine appearance,** an extremely rare shade; with 2019 P.S.A.G. certificate.
Scott No. **78c** $16,000

A WONDERFUL EXAMPLE OF THIS RARE 1861-66 24¢ SHADE.

1867 Grilled Issues

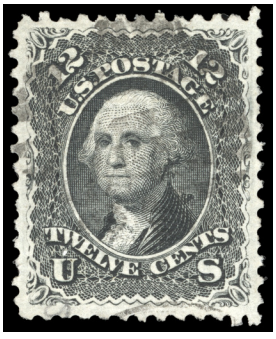
1027 o **2¢ Black, Z. Grill,** red segmented grid cancel, bold color, few minor perf flaws, **about Fine appearance,** still attractive and scarce; with 2022 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **85B** $1,450

1028 o **1¢ Blue, E. Grill,** neat cork cancel, **Very Fine**; with 1985 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **86** $450

1029 o **2¢ Black, E. Grill,** beautiful circle of wedges cancel, **fresh and Very Fine**; with 2005 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **87** $200

1030 o **10¢ Green, E. Grill,** large margins, well centered, circle of "V's" cancel, **a Very Fine jumbo,** a great looking grilled issue; with 2000 and 2020 P.F. certificates.
Scott No. **89** $350

1031 o **10¢ Green, E. Grill,** cork cancel, huge margins, **Very Fine**; with 1983 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **89** $350



1032 o **12¢ Black, E. Grill,** well centered with light cancel, **fresh and Extremely Fine**; with 2004 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **90** $400

1033 o **15¢ Black, E. Grill,** large margins, neat geometric fancy cancel, **Very Fine and attractive**; with 2001 P.F. and 2020 P.S.A.G. certificates.
Scott No. **91** $575

1034 o **15¢ Black, E. Grill,** neat cork cancel, **Very Fine**; with 1989 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **91** $575

1035 o **1¢ Blue, F. Grill,** neatly struck **green** cancel, well centered stamp, couple short perfs, **lovely Very Fine appearance,** A very scarce colored cancel; with 2018 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **92** $900



1036 o **1¢ Blue, F. Grill,** well centered with large margins, lightly cancelled, **an Extremely Fine gem, a beautiful stamp**; with 1990 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **92** $450

1037 o **2¢ Black, F. Grill, Very Thin Paper,** light target cancel, attractively centered amid oversized margins, bold color, **a Very Fine jumbo**; with 2002 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **93 var.** $60

1038 * **5¢ Brown, F. Grill,** o.g., previously hinged, well centered with well defined grill, deep fresh color, reperfed, **Extremely Fine appearance,** ***a rare mint stamp***.
Scott No. **95** $3,250

1039 * **5¢ Brown, F. Grill,** disturbed o.g., fresh, creases and minor perf faults at bottom, **about Fine appearance**; with 2006 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **95** $3,250

1040 o **5¢ Brown, F. Grill, F.-V.F.,** nice example of this Scarce stamp, *ex-Koppersmith*; with 1986 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **95** $900



1041 o **10¢ Yellow Green, F. Grill,** well centered, pretty circle of wedges cancel, **fresh and Extremely Fine**; with 1989 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **96** $275

1042 o **15¢ Black, F. Grill,** well centered, **Very Fine and attractive**; with 1989 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **98** $275

1043 o **24¢ Gray Lilac, F. Grill,** well centered, attractive blue cork cancel, slightly nibbed perf at bottom (mentioned for total accuracy and not mentioned on cert.), **Very Fine and scarce**; with 1979 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **99** $1,700

1044 o **24¢ Gray Lilac, F. Grill,** red **Foreign "P.D."** in oval and black cancel, well centered, **F.-V.F.**; with 1991 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **99** $1,700

1045 o **30¢ Orange, F. Grill, Split Grill,** neat cork cancel, couple blunt perfs at bottom, **Fine, a nice example of this variety**; with 1992 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **100 var.** $1,100

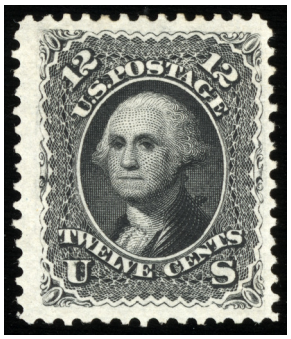


1046 o **90¢ Blue, F. Grill,** well centered, neat cork cancel, faint diagonal crease, **otherwise Extremely Fine, an exceptional example seldom seen so gorgeous**; with 1983 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **101** $2,700

1875 Re-Issue of the 1861-1866 Issues

1047 (*) **1¢ Blue, Re-Issue,** no gum, excellent color, sharp impression, **Extremely Fine.**
Scott No. **102** $350

1048 * **3¢ Brown Red, Re-Issue,** o.g., hinge remnant, excellent color, perf faults, **Fine appearance,** with only 465 sold; with 2023 P.S.E. and 1971 P.F. certificates.
Scott No. **104** $3,750



1049 (*) **12¢ Black, Re-Issue,** no gum, wide oversized margins, bright and fresh with rich deep color, **Very Fine and choice,** choice so large, with only 389 sold; with 1984 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **107** . . . . . $1,600 for no gum

1050 (*) **15¢ Black, Re-Issue,** no gum, fresh, pulled perf at right, **otherwise Fine,** only 397 sold; with 2023 P.S.E. and 1970 P.F. certificates.
Scott No. **108** $2,100


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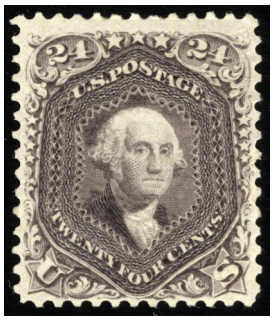

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1051 * **24¢ Dark Violet, Re-Issue,** o.g., lightly hinged, bright and fresh with rich bold color, attractively centered, **Very Fine,** with only 346 sold; with 1985 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **109** $6,000

A WONDERFUL ORIGINAL GUM EXAMPLE OF THE 1861 24¢ RE-ISSUE.

1052 * **30¢ Brownish Orange, Re-Issue,** o.g., some gum disturbance and short perf not mentioned in certificate, **Fine and rare,** only 346 sold; with 2023 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **110** $5,750

1869 Pictorial Issue

1053 P **1869 1¢-90¢ Pictorials Complete, Plate Proofs on India Paper,** set of 10 with 15¢ the type III re-issue, mostly large margins throughout, fresh with rich colors, **a Very Fine and choice set.**
Scott No. **112P3-122P3** $855

1054 o **1¢ Buff,** great centering, light black cancel, **Extremely Fine**; with 2020 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (95, SSV $1,300)**.
Scott No. **112** $150

1055 * **2¢ Brown,** full o.g., attractively centered amid uncommonly wide margins, strong bright color and quite fresh, **Very Fine**; with 1987 & 2008 P.F. certificates, the latter **Graded (VF 80)**.
Scott No. **113** $500

1056 ** **2¢ Brown, Split Grill,** split at top and bottom, n.h. (few gum tone spots not mentioned in cert), centered right, **Fine**; with 2000 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **113 var.** . . . . . $650 for hinged



1057 * **2¢ Brown, Without Grill,** full o.g. that is lightly hinged, well centered and fresh, **Extremely Fine**; with 1985 and 2016 P.F. certificates.
Scott No. **113b** $14,000

THE 2¢ 1869 UNGRILLED IS MUCH RARER THAN MOST OTHER VALUES IN THIS ISSUE. THIS EXAMPLE IS CERTAINLY ONE OF THE NICEST IN EXISTENCE!

1058 ** **3¢ Ultramarine, Split Grill,** o.g., never hinged, fresh, centered top, **Fine** (no photo).
Scott No. **114 var.** . . . . . $275 for hinged

1059 o **3¢ Ultramarine and 10¢ Banknote,** each w partial strikes **Steamer Costa Rica, P.M.S.S. Co.** circular Pacific Mail Steam Ship Company cancel, **F.-V.F.,** a very rare steamer cancellation.
Scott No. **114, 150** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1060 o **6¢ Ultramarine,** full readable **"Hiogo, Japan" double circle** cancel and partial red transit, **a Very Fine strike**; with 2017 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **115** $1,725

1061 o **6¢ Ultramarine,** exceptional centering, fresh color, light cancel, **Extremely Fine,** gorgeous, seems undergraded; with 2019 P.S.A.G. **Graded (90, SSV $600)**.
Scott No. **115** $225

1062 o **6¢ Ultramarine,** beautifully centered with large margins, red transit and bold target cancels, **Extremely Fine,** especially fine example; with 1999 P.F. and 2020 P.S.A.G. certificates.
Scott No. **115** $225

1063 o **10¢ Yellow,** neat circle of wedges, red and blue French transit cancels, choice margins and centering, rich vibrant color, **Extremely Fine and attractive**; with 2016 & 2022 P.F. certificates, the latter **Graded (XF 90, SSV $325)**.
Scott No. **116** $110

1064 o **10¢ Yellow,** circle of "V's" cancel socked-on-the-nose, **Very Fine and attractive**; with 2016 P.S.A.G. certificate.
Scott No. **116** $110

1065 o **10¢ Yellow,** unusual elaborate star cancel, well centered stamp, **Very Fine**; with 2014 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **116** $110

1066 o **10¢ Yellow,** blue five point star cancel, **Fine**; with 2016 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **116** $145

1067 o **10¢ Yellow,** elaborate fancy cancel, **Very Fine**; with 2017 P.S.A.G. certificate.
Scott No. **116** $110

1068 o **12¢ Green,** outstanding centering with large margins, beautiful strike **four red squares** cancel, **Extremely Fine and attractive**; with 1997 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **117** $130



1069 o **15¢ Brown & Blue, Type I,** wonderful centering, fresh colors with light, unobtrusive cancel, **an Extremely Fine gem**; with 2021 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (90, SSV $1,650)**.
Scott No. **118** $900

1070 o **15¢ Brown & Blue, Type I,** large margins, bright colors, cork cancel, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine and a very pretty stamp**; with 2016 P.F. certificate **Graded (VF-XF 85, SSV $1,050)**.
Scott No. **118** $900

1071 o **15¢ Brown & Blue, Type I,** well centered with cork cancel, **fresh and Very Fine**; with 2005 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **118** $900

1072 P❒ **15¢ Brown & Blue, Type II, Plate Proof on India,** block of 4, full margins, rich colors, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **119P3** $600

1073 * **15¢ Brown & Blue, Type II,** o.g., small hinge remnants, strong colors, into perfs at bottom, **about Fine.**
Scott No. **119** $2,750

1074 o **15¢ Brown & Blue, Type II,** nicely centered and sound, deep color, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine**; with 2023 P.S.E. certificate **Graded (VF-XF 85, SMQ $450)**.
Scott No. **119** $190

1075 o **15¢ Brown & Blue, Type II,** light unobtrusive cancel, **Extremely Fine and choice**; with 2005 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **119** $200

1076 P❒ **24¢ Green & Violet, Plate Proof on India,** block of 4, ample to large margins, strong bright colors, **Very Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **120P3** $625

1077 o **24¢ Green & Violet,** cork cancel, fresh color, **F.-V.F.**; with 1991 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **120** $650

1078 o **24¢ Green & Violet,** sound, centered bottom, **Fine.**
Scott No. **120** $650

1079 o **24¢ Green & Violet,** light cancel, fresh colors, **Fine**; with 1991 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **120** $650



1080 * **30¢ Ultramarine & Carmine,** o.g., previously hinged, Post Office fresh colors, well centered, **Very Fine and choice,** *a Beautiful mint example*; with 2015 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **121** $3,750

1081 * **30¢ Ultramarine & Carmine,** part o.g., fresh, centered bottom, **Fine.**
Scott No. **121** $4,000



1082 o **30¢ Ultramarine & Carmine,** fresh colors, beautifully centered amid huge margins, neat spaced bars cancel, **Extremely Fine and choice**; with 2000 P.S.E. and 2021 P.S.A.G. certificates,the latter **Graded (90, SSV $1,400)**.
Scott No. **121** $450

1083 o **30¢ Ultramarine & Carmine,** enormous margins, fresh colors, black duplex cancel, **a Very Fine jumbo**; with 2024 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (85J, SMQ $1,050)**.
Scott No. **121** $450

1084 o **30¢ Ultramarine & Carmine,** barred "Reg" registry cancels, nicely centered amid oversized margins, strong colors, **a Very Fine jumbo,** and unusual cancellation; with 2016 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **121** $375

1085 o **30¢ Ultramarine & Carmine,** neat cancel, **Very Fine and attractive**; with 2005 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **121** $450

1086 o **30¢ Ultramarine & Carmine,** decent centering and sound, **F.-V.F. overall**; with 2023 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **121** $450


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1087 o **90¢ Carmine & Black,** rich colors, well centered, **Very Fine and choice, a very pretty example**; with 1999 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **122** $2,000

1088 o **90¢ Carmine & Black,** well centered for this, small corner crease ending in tiny margin tear at lower right, **Very Fine appearance**; with 2014 P.S.A.G. certificate.
Scott No. **122** $2,000

1875 Re-Issue of the 1869 Pictorial Issue



1089 (*) **6¢ Blue, Re-Issue,** no gum, well centered amid nicely balanced margin, strong vibrant color on bright paper, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine**; with 1980 & 2023 P.F. certificates, the latter **Graded (VF-XF 85)**.
Scott No. **126** . . . . . $900 for no gum

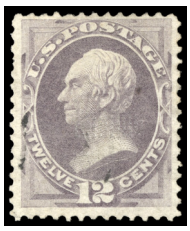
1090 (*) **6¢ Blue, Re-Issue,** no gum, fresh with rich bold color, **Fine**; with 1985 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **126** $900


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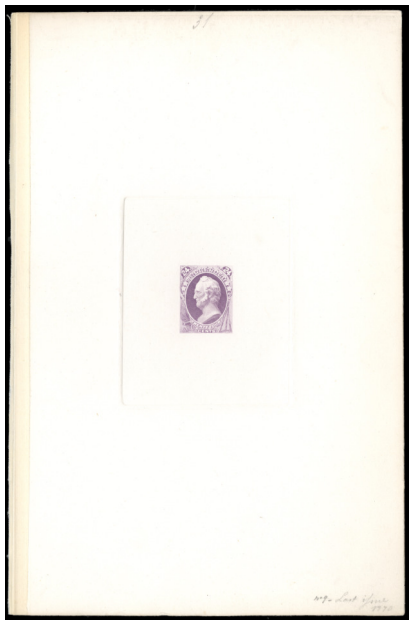

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1091 (*) **24¢ Green & Violet, Re-Issue,** no gum, rich colors, fresh and well centered amid nicely balanced margins, **Very Fine and choice**; with 1990 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **130** . . . . . $1,000 for no gum



1092 (*) **90¢ Carmine & Black, Re-Issue,** no gum, choice centering amid well balanced margins, strong colors on bright paper, **Extremely Fine and choice,** a wonderful example of this high value re-issue; with 1975 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **132** $1,750



1093 (*) **90¢ Carmine & Black, Re-Issue,** no gum, well centered amid wide nicely balanced margins, rich colors and wonderfully fresh, **Very Fine and attractive**; with 1991 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **132** . . . . . $1,750 for no gum

1870-1871 National Bank Note Co. Issue, Grilled

1094 o **1870, 3¢ Green, H. Grill,** well centered with jumbo margins, numeral "2" in circle cancel, **Extremely Fine and attractive**; with 2021 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (90J, SMQ $375)**.
Scott No. **136** $35

1095 o **1871, 7¢ Vermilion, Split H. Grill,** N.Y. Foreign Mail cancel, **fresh and F.-V.F.**; with 1989 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **138 var.** $550

1096 o **1870, 10¢ Brown, H. Grill,** rich color, blue crossroads cancel, **F.-V.F.,** a very attractive grilled banknote; with 1996 and 2022 P.F. certificates.
Scott No. **139** $875

1097 o **1870, 10¢ Brown, H. Grill,** fancy geometric cancel and small manuscript at bottom right, **Very Fine**; with 1992 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **139** $825

1098 o **1870, 12¢ Dull Violet, H. Grill,** light cancel, strong grill and color, trivial corner perf crease and nibbed perf, **F.-V.F., a rare stamp**; with 1991 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **140** $3,750

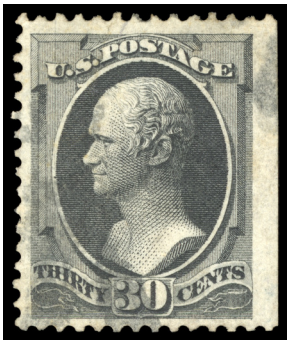


1099 * **1870, 15¢ Orange, H. Grill,** slightly brownish o.g. (not mentioned on certs), bright fresh color, **Fine**; with 1999 P.F. and 2020 P.S.A.G. certificates.
Scott No. **141** $4,500

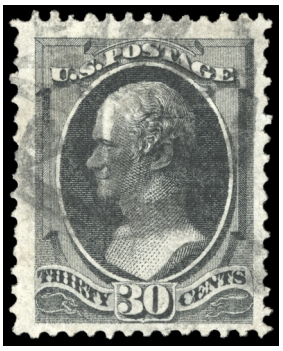
A SOUND AND FRESH EXAMPLE OF THE 15¢ GRILLED BANKNOTE, RARE MINT.



1100 o **1870, 15¢ Orange, H. Grill,** bold color, neat target cancel, **fresh and Very Fine, exceptional grilled example**; with 1960 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **141** $1,500



1101 o **1870, 30¢ Black, H. Grill,** large natural straight edge, well centered, very distinct grill, light, unobtrusive cancel, **Very Fine and choice,** a rare sound example of the 30¢ Grilled Banknote; with 2006 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **143** $4,000



1102 o **1870, 30¢ Black, H. Grill,** large margins, New York Foreign Mail cancel, **fresh and Very Fine, a rare used stamp.**
Scott No. **143** $4,000

1103 o **1870, 90¢ Carmine, H. Grill,** small flaws including reperf at top, fresh color, light cancel, **Fine appearance,** scarce stamp; with 2008 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **144** $2,350

1104 o **1870, 90¢ Carmine, H. Grill,** bright color, single nibbed perf (not mentioned on certificate), **otherwise F.-V.F.**; with 1991 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **144** $2,350

1105 o **1870, 1¢ Ultramarine, I. Grill,** light cork cancel, nicely centered amid enormous margins on three sides, strong bright color, **a Very Fine jumbo**; with old 1992 P.F. certificate as #134.
Scott No. **134A** $400

1106 * **1870, 2¢ Red Brown, I. Grill,** o.g., lightly hinged, fresh color and gum, well centered, **Very Fine,** an uncommonly nice I grill; with 2017 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **135A** $2,000

1107 (*) **1870, 2¢ Red Brown, I. Grill,** lower left corner margin pair, no gum, **Very Fine and attractive,** fresh color, distinctive grill; with 2020 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **135A** . . . . . $4,000 for o.g.

1870-1871 National Bank Note Co. Issue, Without Grill



1108 o❐ **1870, 12¢ Dull Violet,** block of 4, beautiful fancy blue geometric cancels, **Very Fine and attractive**; with 2018 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **151** $2,250

A GORGEOUS BLOCK THAT IS VERY SCARCE IN SOUND CONDITION AND WITH THIS FANCY CANCELLATION.

1109 P **1870, 24¢ Purple, Large Die Proof on India Paper,** die sunk on card (145x224mm), strong color, **Very Fine**; with 2023 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **153P1** $300

1110 * **1870, 24¢ Purple,** o.g., strong impression and soft pastel shade, **Fine**; with 2023 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **153** $1,700

1111 (*) **1870, 24¢ Purple,** no gum, bold color and strong impression on bright paper, **F.-V.F.**; with 2023 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **153** $650

1112 o **1870, 24¢ Purple,** great centering, rich color, black cancel, **Extremely Fine**; with 2017 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **153** $225

1113 o **1870, 90¢ Carmine,** bright color, light geometric cancel, **fresh and Very Fine**; with
1989 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **155** $350

1873-1875 Continental Bank Note Co. Issue

1114 * **1873, 6¢ Dull Pink,** o.g., rather lightly hinged, well centered, **fresh and Extremely Fine**; with 1978 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **159** $375

1115 * **1873, 7¢ Orange Vermilion,** disturbed o.g., bright color, **fresh and Very Fine**; with 1992 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **160** $1,000

1116 * **1873, 10¢ Brown,** o.g., hinged, large margins, beautifully fresh, **Very Fine**; with 1979 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **161** $800

1117 * **1873, 12¢ Blackish Violet,** part o.g. (certificate says "small gum staining on the perforations" which is totally trivial), beautifully centered, **Very Fine and attractive**; with 1988 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **162** $2,200

1118 * **1873, 15¢ Yellow Orange,** part o.g., **fresh and F.-V.F.**; with 1991 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **163** $2,250

1119 (*) **1873, 30¢ Gray Black,** no gum, fresh color, **F.-V.F.**; with 1989 P.F. cert.
Scott No. **165** . . . . . $1,200 for no gum

1120 * **1873, 90¢ Rose Carmine,** disturbed o.g., bright color, **fresh and Fine**; with 1996 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **166** $2,100

1121 (*) **1873, 90¢ Rose Carmine,** no gum, jumbo margins, bright color, **Very Fine**; with 1989 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **166** . . . . . $700 for no gum

1875 "Hard Paper" Special Printings

1122 (*) **1875, 24¢ Dull Purple, C.B.N.C. "Hard Paper" Special Printing,** without gum as issued, bold color, typical perfs for this rare issue, **Fine and scarce**; with 1955 and 1986 P.F. certificates.
Scott No. **175** $3,500

1123 * **1875, 5¢ Blue,** o.g., very lightly hinged, deep color, **fresh and F.-V.F.**; with 1990 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **179** $700

1879 American Bank Note Co. Issue

1124 * **1879, 5¢ Blue,** o.g., lightly hinged, well centered, deep color, **Very Fine and choice**; with 2023 P.S.A.G. certificate, **Graded (80)**.
Scott No. **185** $500

1125 * **1879, 5¢ Blue,** o.g., tiny trace very lightly hinged, **Very Fine**; with photocopy 1992 P.F. certificate for block of 4.
Scott No. **185** $500

1126 * **1879, 6¢ Pink,** o.g., very lightly hinged, Post Office fresh color, **Extremely Fine**; with 1991 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **186** $900

1127 * **1879, 10¢ Brown, Without Secret Mark,** o.g., rather lightly hinged, certificate says "small scrape at left" but it is virtually invisible, **otherwise Very Fine, a rare mint stamp**; with 1992 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **187** $3,000

1128 * **1879, 10¢ Brown, With Secret Mark,** o.g., lightly hinged, deep color, **fresh and F.-V.F.**; with 1985 Rendon certificate.
Scott No. **188** $1,800

1129 * **1879, 15¢ Red Orange,** o.g., lightly hinged, well centered with bright color, **fresh and Extremely Fine**; with 1990 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **189** $180

1130 * **1879, 30¢ Full Black,** o.g., lightly hinged, bold fresh color, **F.-V.F.**; with 1990 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **190** $850



1131 * **1879, 90¢ Carmine,** o.g., lightly hinged, jumbo margins, vibrant fresh color, **a Very Fine jumbo, a very attractive mint example of this 90¢ Bank Note**; with 1989 P.F. certificate for block of 8.
Scott No. **191** $2,100

1132 * **1879, 90¢ Carmine,** o.g., lightly hinged, deep color, **F.-V.F.**; with 1989 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **191** $2,100

1133 * **1879, 90¢ Carmine,** o.g., very lightly hinged, reperforated at left, **otherwise F.-V.F.**; with 1990 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **191** $2,100

1881-1888 American Bank Note Co. Issues

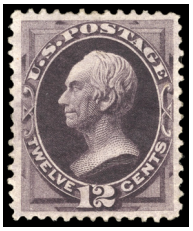
1134 * **1882, 10¢ Brown,** o.g., very lightly hinged, **fresh and Very Fine**; with 1984 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **209** $175

1135 ** **1883, 4¢ Blue Green,** o.g., never hinged, deep shade, **Fine.**
Scott No. **211** $800

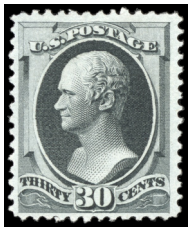

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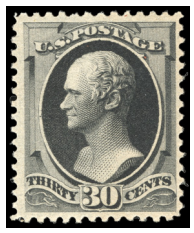

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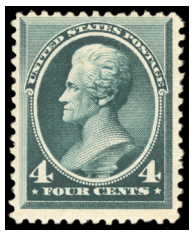

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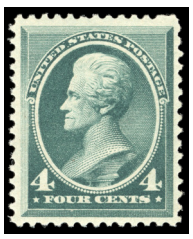

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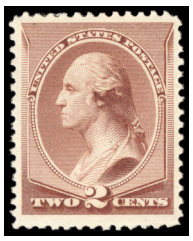

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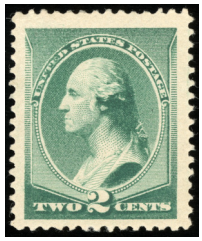

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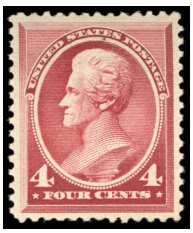

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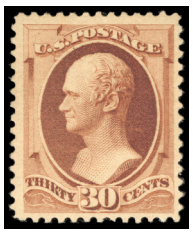

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1136 * **1883, 4¢ Blue Green,** bright color, o.g., very lightly hinged, **Extremely Fine and attractive**; with 1990 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **211** $225

1137 * **1883, 2¢ Pale Red Brown, Special Printing,** o.g., lightly hinged, **fresh and Very Fine**; with 1984 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **211B** $450

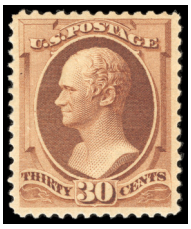
1138 P❐ **1887, 2¢ Green, Plate Proof on India Paper,** bottom margin block of 4, full margins and intense shade, **Very Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **213P3** $325

1139 * **1887, 2¢ Green,** o.g., nicely centered amid uncommonly large margins, fresh with rich vibrant color, **a Very Fine jumbo**; with 1995 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **213** $40

1140 * **1888, 4¢ Carmine,** o.g., lightly hinged, fresh with bold color, choice margins and centering, **Extremely Fine**; with 2004 P.S.E. certificate **Graded (XF 90, SMQ $525)**.
Scott No. **215** $180

1141 * **1888, 30¢ Orange Brown,** o.g., very lightly hinged, rich bright color, nice margins and centering, **Very Fine and choice**; with 1999 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **217** $300

1142 * **1888, 30¢ Orange Brown,** o.g., lightly hinged, fresh with rich color, **Very Fine**; with 2001 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **217** $300


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1143 * **1888, 30¢ Orange Brown,** o.g., very lightly hinged, rich color, **Very Fine**; with 1997 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **217** $300

1144 o **1888, 30¢ Orange Brown,** jumbo margins, bright color, duplex cancel, **Very Fine and choice, an enormous jumbo**; with 2009 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **217** $90

1145 * **1888, 90¢ Purple,** full o.g. (cert states slightly disturbed which it is not), well centered amid attractively balanced margins, strong bold color, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine**; with 2007 P.S.E. certificate **Graded (VF-XF 85, SMQ $1,250)**.
Scott No. **218** $800

1146 * **1888, 90¢ Purple,** o.g., hinged, well centered, fresh color, **Very Fine**; with 1991 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **218** $800

1147 *❒ **1888, 90¢ Purple,** block of 4, full o.g., bottom right stamp with tiny thin, **otherwise Fine**; with 2023 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **218** $4,750

1148 o❒ **1888, 90¢ Purple,** block of 4, N.Y. registry oval cancels, strong color, light natural wrinkles in right stamps and reinforced perf separations at top, **otherwise Fine.**
Scott No. **218** $1,400

1890 A.B.N.C. Small Bank Note Issue

1149 **/* **1890-93, A.B.N.C. Small Bank Note Issue, 1¢-90¢ Complete,** each o.g., 1¢ and 8¢ never hinged, 90¢ with handstamp on back, **a fresh and Very Fine Set**; each (except #220) with certificate, 4¢ with A.P.S. and the rest with P.F. certs.
Scott No. **219-229** $1,605

1150 ** **1890, 2¢ Lake,** o.g., never hinged, precision centering amid nicely balanced margins, rich vibrant color, tiny perf crease at bottom right, **still Very Fine to Extremely Fine**; with 2021 P.S.E. certificate **Graded (VF-XF 85, SMQ $1,100)**.
Scott No. **219D** $475

1151 **/*❒ **1890, 4¢ Dark Brown,** top plate. number 204, "bottom left stamp with a gum disturbance", top margin plate no. "204" block of 12 with imprint, o.g., bottom left stamp with a gum disturbance, others never hinged, typical centering, light overall sulphurization, **Fine**; with 2023 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **222** . . . . . $3,980+

1152 **/*❒ **1893, 8¢ Lilac,** bottom margin plate no. "267" block of 12 with imprint, o.g., some never hinged, fresh and well centered overall, rejoined vertically at center stamps, natural gum skips and natural wrinkles, **otherwise Very Fine**; w 2023 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **225** . . . . . $1,170 for singles

1153 * **1890, 30¢ Black,** o.g., lightly hinged, well centered amid nicely balanced margins, bold color and quite fresh, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine**; with 2006 P.S.E. certificate **Graded (VF-XF 85, SMQ $500)**.
Scott No. **228** $300

1154 * **1890, 30¢ Black,** o.g., very lightly hinged, deep color, attractive margins and centering, very fresh, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine**; with 2011 P.F. certificate **Graded (VF-XF 85)**.
Scott No. **228** $300

1893 Columbian Issue

1155 **❒ **1893, 3¢ Columbian,** left margin block of 4, o.g., never hinged, fresh with rich color, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **232** $390



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1156 **❐ **1893, 3¢ Columbian,** bottom left corner margin plate no. "76" block of 10 with imprint and letter "R", o.g., stamp never hinged, hinged in ungummed selvage only, fresh with rich deep color, couple perfs separations at top not mentioned on certificate, **F.-V.F.,** an attractive and scarce corner margin plate block; with 2002 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **232** $2,195

1157 **/*❐ **1893, 3¢ Columbian,** bottom left part pane of 40 with plate no. "57", imprint and letter "L" at bottom and imprint at left, o.g., mostly never hinged with five stamps in bottom two rows with green fiber adherence, strong bold color, vertical perforation separations throughout block, some crimped perfs and repaired margin flaw in stamp near bottom, **otherwise Fine,** still an impressive multiple.
Scott No. **232** . . . . . $3,525 for singles

1158 ** **1893, 4¢ Columbian,** o.g., never hinged, large even margins, bright fresh color, **Extremely Fine to Superb, a lovely gem**; with 2019 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (95, SSV $925)**.
Scott No. **233** $150

1159 ** **1893, 4¢ Columbian,** o.g., never hinged, precision centering amid large well balanced margins, bold color, **Extremely Fine and choice,** a lovely never hinged gem; with 2000 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **233** $150

1160 **❐ **1893, 4¢ Columbian,** bottom margin plate no. 20 block of 6 with imprint, o.g., never hinged, thinned in right selvage and damage spot, small inclusion in selvage and small inclusion top left copy on reverse only, **Fine appearance.**
Scott No. **233** $1,700



1161 ** **1893, 5¢ Columbian,** o.g., never hinged, exceptional centering amid large beautifully balanced margins, bold color on bright paper, **Extremely Fine to Superb,** a lovely large margin gem; with 2006 P.S.E. & 2019 P.F. certificates, both **Graded (XF-Superb 95, SMQ $850)**.
Scott No. **234** $150

1162 ** **1893, 5¢ Columbian,** o.g., never hinged, beautifully centered, **Extremely Fine and choice**; with 2017 P.F. certificate **Graded (XF 90, SSV $450)**.
Scott No. **234** $150

1163 ** **1893, 5¢ Columbian,** o.g., never hinged, large margins and deep color, quite fresh, **Very Fine and choice**; with 2001 P.F. & 2024 P.S.E. certificates, the latter **Graded (VF 80)**.
Scott No. **234** $150

1164 **❐ **1893, 5¢ Columbian,** irregular block of 14, o.g., never hinged (some printing ink offset on a few stamps), rich deep color and fairly nice centering, couple small indents affecting two stamps at top, **otherwise F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **234** . . . . . $2,100 for singles

1165 ** **1893, 6¢ Columbian,** right margin single with part imprint, o.g., never hinged, well centered amid wide margins, rich deep color and very fresh, **Very Fine and choice**; with 1989 P.F. certificate for block.
Scott No. **235** $150

1166 **/*❐ **1893, 6¢ Columbian,** left margin block of 20, o.g., left stamps with hinge reinforcements into selvage, others never hinged, fresh with strong bold color, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **235** . . . . . $3,020 for singles

1167 ** **1893, 8¢ Columbian,** o.g., never hinged, beautifully centered, bright color, **Extremely Fine to Superb**; with 2003 P.F. and 2020 P.S.A.G. certificates, the latter **Graded (95, SSV $1,500)**.
Scott No. **236** $175

1168 **❐ **1893, 8¢ Columbian,** left margin block of 14 with imprint, o.g., never hinged, rich bright color, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **236** $1,960

1169 ** **1893, 10¢ Columbian,** o.g., never hinged, choice centering amid nicely balanced margins, fresh with bold color, **Extremely Fine**; with 2009 P.F. certificate **Graded (XF 90, SSV $575)**.
Scott No. **237** $265

1170 **❐ **1893, 10¢ Columbian,** block of 4, o.g., never hinged, excellent gum and color, few blind perfs, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **237** $1,060

1171 ** **1893, 15¢ Columbian,** o.g., never hinged, fresh with deep rich color, choice margins and centering, **Extremely Fine**; with 2002 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **238** $600

1172 * **1893, 15¢ Columbian,** o.g., lightly hinged, strong color and attractively centered, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine**; with 2021 P.F. certificate **Graded (VF-XF 85, SSV $260)**.
Scott No. **238** $200

1173 * **1893, 15¢ Columbian,** o.g., lightly hinged, **fresh and Extremely Fine**; with 1999 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **238** $200

1174 o **1893, 15¢ Columbian,** large margins, beautifully centered, duplex cancel, **Extremely Fine to Superb**; with 2021 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (95, SSV $825)**.
Scott No. **238** $80

1175 * **1893, 30¢ Columbian,** o.g. (natural gum wrinkle, not mentioned on certificate), beautifully centered within large margins, **Extremely Fine**; with 1998 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **239** $225

1176 ** **1893, 50¢ Columbian,** o.g., never hinged, large margins, rich color, **very fine**; with 1991 and 2023 P.F. certificates.
Scott No. **240** $1,400

1177 * **1893, 50¢ Columbian,** o.g., lightly hinged, excellent centering, natural errant perf at left, **Superb**; with 2006 P.S.E. certificate **Graded (Superb 98, SMQ $850)**.
Scott No. **240** $450

1178 * **1893, 50¢ Columbian,** o.g., small hinge remnant, **fresh and Very Fine**; with 1992 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **240** $450

1179 * **1893, $1-$5 Columbian High Values,** each with small faults, not affecting their fresh colors, **F.-V.F. appearance**; $2-$5 with 1992 P.F. certificates.
Scott No. **241-245** $7,550

1180 ** **1893, $1 Columbian,** o.g., never hinged, fresh with rich color, **Fine**; with 2023 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **241** $3,400

1181 * **1893, $1 Columbian,** o.g., hinge remnant, strong bright color, attractively centered amid nicely balanced margins, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **241** $1,000

1182 * **1893, $1 Columbian,** o.g., previously hinged, rich color, well centered, **Very Fine and choice,** a handsome stamp; with 2019 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (80)**.
Scott No. **241** $1,000

1183 * **1893, $1 Columbian,** disturbed o.g., reperfed at right and single thin perf, **Very Fine**; with 1992 P.F. and 1999 A.P.S. certificates.
Scott No. **241** $1,000

1184 ** **1893, $2 Columbian,** marginal imprint copy, o.g., never hinged, inclusion not mentioned in cert, **Fine**; with 2008 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **242** $3,600

1185 * **1893, $2 Columbian,** glazed o.g., rich vibrant color, nice centering and margins, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine**; with 1978 P.F. for pair & 2005 P.S.E. certificates, the latter **Graded (VF-XF 85, SMQ $1,350)**.
Scott No. **242** $1,100

1186 * **1893, $2 Columbian,** slightly disturbed o.g., corner perf missing at top left, **otherwise Very Fine**; with 1984 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **242** $1,100

1187 o **1893, $2 Columbian,** rich color, fresh and well centered, neat town cancel, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine,** a lovely used Columbian high value; with 2019 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (85, SSV $675)**.
Scott No. **242** $525



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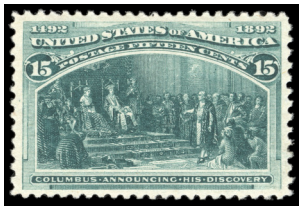
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1188 * **1893, $3 Columbian, Olive Green Color,** o.g., small hinge remnant, fresh, **F.-V.F.**; with 2023 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **243a** $1,400

1189 * **1893, $3 Columbian,** o.g., lightly hinged, fresh, centered right, **Fine**; with 2000 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **243** $1,500

1190 * **1893, $3 Columbian, Olive Green Shade,** o.g., hinged with partially removed inclusion at bottom, **otherwise Very Fine**; with 1999 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **243a** $1,500

1191 * **1893, $4 Columbian,** o.g. lightly hinged twice, lovely color, **fresh and Very Fine**; with 1900 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **244** $2,100

1192 (*) **1893, $4 Columbian,** regummed, sound, **Fine**; with 2023 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **244** $1,100



1193 o **1893, $4 Columbian,** small part and face free town cancel, rich vibrant color, **Very Fine and attractive,** a wonderful lightly canceled Columbian high value; with 1997 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **244** $975



1194 * **1893, $5 Columbian,** large part o.g., excellent centering, **Extremely Fine**; with 2023 P.S.E. certificate **Graded (XF 90, SMQ $4,500)**.
Scott No. **245** $2,400

1195 * **1893, $5 Columbian,** o.g., hinged, **fresh and F.-V.F.**; with 1975 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **245** $2,400



1196 o **1893, $5 Columbian,** neat face free town cancel, rich bold color on bright paper, **Very Fine and attractive,** a very attractive used example of the $5 Columbian high value; with 1991 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **245** $1,200

1894 Bureau Issue, Unwatermarked

1197 ** **1894, 1¢ Ultramarine,** o.g., never hinged, nicely centered amid huge margins, bright vivid color, **a Very Fine jumbo.**
Scott No. **246** $90

1198 o **1894, 2¢ Pink, Type I,** perfectly centered within huge margins, lovely pastel shade, neat machine cancel, **a Superb jumbo**; with 2022 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (95J, SMQ $500)**.
Scott No. **248**; $10 . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350



1199 ** **1894, 2¢ Carmine Lake, Type I,** o.g., never hinged, beautifully centered with large margins, vibrant rich color, **Extremely Fine to Superb,** ***an outstanding condition rarity***; with 2018 P.S.A.G. certificated **Graded (95, SSV $4,750)**.
Scott No. **249** $500

1200 * **1894, 2¢ Carmine Lake, Type I,** o.g., l.h. (purple handstamp on back), beautifully centered with jumbo margins, **Extremely Fine**; with 1999 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **249** $175

1201 ** **1894, 2¢ Carmine, Type II,** o.g., never hinged, **F.-V.F. a rare stamp**; with 2000 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **251** $1,250

1202 ** **1894, 2¢ Carmine, Type III,** o.g., never hinged; with 2006 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **252** $400


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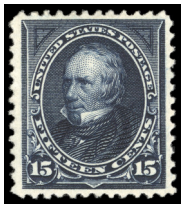

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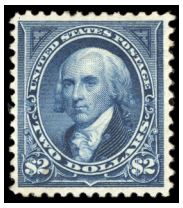

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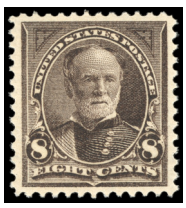

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1203 ** **1894, 3¢ Purple,** o.g., never hinged, rich color, **very fine**; with 2019 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (80)**.
Scott No. **253** $360

1204 * **1894, 15¢ Dark Blue,** o.g., hinged, **fresh and Very Fine**; with 1988 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **259** $275

1205 ** **1894, 50¢ Orange,** o.g., never hinged, **Very Fine, a scarce stamp that is rarely found so choice**; with 1900 P.F. certificate for pair.
Scott No. **260** $1,425

1206 * **1894, $1 Black, Type I,** o.g., lightly hinged, jumbo margins and nicely centered, **a Very Fine jumbo**; with 2023 P.S.E. certificate **Graded (VF 80J, SMQ $1,100)**.
Scott No. **261** $1,100

1207 * **1894, $1 Black, Type I,** o.g., very lightly hinged, **Very Fine**; with 1996 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **261** $1,000

1208 * **1894, $1 Black, Type I,** o.g., lightly hinged, **Fine**; with 1992 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **261** $1,000

1209 o **1894, $1 Black, Type I,** used, excellent centering, **Extremely Fine**; with 2023 P.F. certificate **Graded (XF 90, SMQ $1,000)**.
Scott No. **261** $350

1210 * **1894, $1 Black, Type II,** o.g. (pencil notation on back), tiny hinge remnant, **fresh and Very Fine, a scarce stamp**; with 1992 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **261A** $2,100

1211 * **1894, $2 Bright Blue,** o.g. (rather heavily hinged), **fresh and Very Fine, Scarce stamp**; with 1970 and 2000 P.F. certificates.
Scott No. **262** $2,750

1212 * **1894, $2 Bright Blue,** o.g., hinged, reperforated at right, **otherwise Very Fine**; with 1992 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **262** $2,750

1213 * **1894, $5 Dark Green,** o.g., truly very lightly hinged, one slightly blunt perf at top, **still a Very Fine example of this rare stamp**; with 1978 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **263** $4,000

1214 * **1894, $5 Dark Green,** o.g., hinged, reperforated at bottom, **Very Fine appearance**; with 1992 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **263** $4,000

1895-98 Bureau Issues, Watermarked

1215 ** **1895, 5¢ Chocolate,** o.g., never hinged, fresh and well centered, **Extremely Fine, a choice example**; with 2024 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (90, SSV $300)**.
Scott No. **270** $105



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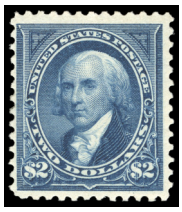
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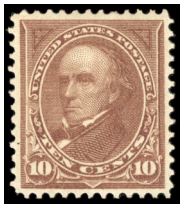
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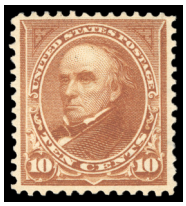
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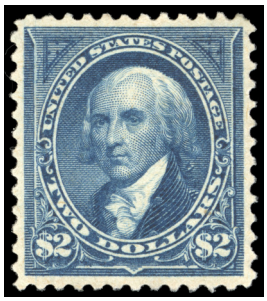
1216 ** **1895, 8¢ Violet Brown,** o.g., never hinged, well centered within large nicely balanced margins, rich bold color, **Extremely Fine and attractive**; with 1995 P.S.E. certificate for block.
Scott No. **272** $210

1217 *❒ **1895, 10¢ Dark Green,** top margin plate no. "64" block of 6, o.g., nice color, small thin top left stamp, natural paper inclusion top middle, **otherwise Fine.**
Scott No. **273** $1,750

1218 o **1895, 15¢ Dark Blue,** light magenta cancel, well centered, **Extremely Fine to Superb**; with 2016 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (95, SSV $425)**.
Scott No. **274** $17

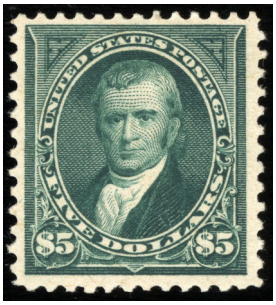
1219 * **1895, $1 Black, Type I,** o.g., lightly hinged, well centered, **fresh and Very Fine**; with 1999 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **276** $600

1220 * **1895, $1 Black, Type II,** o.g. hinged, **fresh and Extremely Fine**; with 1991 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **276A** $1,250



1221 * **1895, $2 Bright Blue,** o.g., lightly hinged, beautifully centered, deep color, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine,** an exceptional high value; with 2024 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (85, SSV $1,150)**.
Scott No. **277** $900

1222 * **1895, $2 Bright Blue,** o.g., lightly hinged, **fresh and F.-V.F.**; with 1999 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **277** $900



1223 * **1895, $5 Dark Green,** o.g., lightly hinged, attractively centered amid wide margins, deep color and exceptional freshness, **Very Fine and choice**; with 1981 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **278** $2,000



1224 * **1895, $5 Dark Green,** full o.g., nicely centered amid well balanced margins, rich intense color, **Very Fine and choice,** a handsome mint original gum example of this scarce high value; with 1969 P.F. & 1989 P.S.E. certificates.
Scott No. **278** $2,000

1225 * **1895, $5 Dark Green,** o.g., hinged, deep color, **Very Fine and attractive**; with 1999 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **278** $2,000

1226 * **1898, 2¢ Rose Carmine, Type IV,** o.g., hinged, **Very Fine, a Scarce shade**; with 1992 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **279Bc** $275



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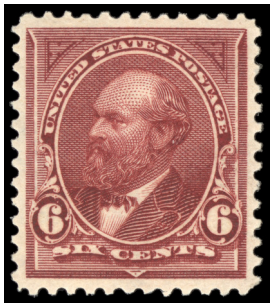
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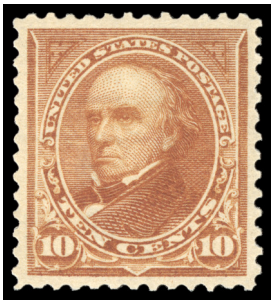


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1227 ** **1898, 6¢ Lake,** o.g., never hinged, rich color, almost perfect centering, Post Office freshness, **Extremely Fine to Superb,** an exceptionally nice gem; with 2019 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (95, SSV $1,400)**.
Scott No. **282** $140

1228 * **1898, 10¢ Brown, Type I,** o.g., hinged, **fresh and Extremely Fine**; with 2002 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **282C** $175



1229 ** **1898, 10¢ Orange Brown, Type II, Vertical Watermark,** o.g., never hinged, great centering and rich color, **Extremely Fine,** ***a gem example of this notoriously difficult stamp***; with 2023 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (90, SSV $2,000)**.
Scott No. **283a**. $775

1230 ** **1898, 10¢ Orange Brown, Type II, Vertical Watermark,** o.g., never hinged, fresh color, **Very Fine and choice**; with 2017 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **283a**. $775

1898 Trans-Mississippi Issue

1231 ** **1898, 4¢ Trans-Miss.,** o.g., never hinged, strong brilliant color, attractive margins and centering, **Very Fine**; with 1989 P.F. certificate for block.
Scott No. **287** $330

1232 ** **1898, 5¢ Trans-Miss.,** o.g., never hinged, **Very Fine and choice**; with 1997 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **288** $300

1233 ** **1898, 8¢ Trans-Miss.,** o.g., never hinged, choice centering, fresh with rich deep color, **Very Fine and choice**; with 2000 P.F. certificate for pair.
Scott No. **289** $430



1234 ** **1898, 10¢ Trans-Miss.,** o.g., never hinged, choice centering amid well balanced margins, lovely rich color, **Extremely Fine**; with 2008 P.S.E. certificate **Graded (XF 90, SMQ $950)**.
Scott No. **290** $425

1235 ** **1898, 10¢ Trans-Miss.,** plate number single, o.g., stamp never hinged, hinged in selvage only, small inclusion on reverse only, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine.**
Scott No. **290** $425

1236 ** **1898, 10¢ Trans-Miss.,** o.g., never hinged, bright and fresh, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **290** $425

1237 * **1898, 10¢ Trans-Miss.,** bottom margin imprint single, o.g., lightly hinged from selvage support, excellent centering and rich color, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine.**
Scott No. **290** $140



1238 ** **1898, 50¢ Trans-Miss.,** o.g., never hinged, choice centering amid nicely balanced margins, rich deep color, **Extremely Fine and attractive,** a very difficult never hinged Trans-Miss high value to obtain in such condition; with 1970, 2021 & 2023 P.F. certificates, the latter **Graded (XF 90, SSV $6,000)**.
Scott No. **291** $1,750

AN EXCEPTIONAL NEVER HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 1898 50¢ TRANS-MISSISSIPPI ISSUE.



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1239 * **1898, 50¢ Trans-Miss.,** o.g., bold color, attractive margins and centering, **Very Fine**; with 1981 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **291** $600

1240 * **1898, 50¢ Trans-Miss.,** o.g., lightly hinged, **fresh and Very Fine**; with 1991 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **291** $600



1241 * **1898, $1 Trans-Miss.,** o.g., lightly hinged, large even margins, fabulous centering and freshness, **Extremely Fine to Superb**; with 2021 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (95, SSV $4,500)**.
Scott No. **292** $1,500

AN OUTSTANDING EXAMPLE OF THIS EXTREMELY POPULAR ISSUE.



1242 ** **1898, $1 Trans-Miss.,** o.g., never hinged, well centered amid large margins, deep bold color and particularly fresh, **Very Fine and choice,** a wonderful never hinged stamp; with 2002 P.F. & 2024 P.S.E. certificates, the latter **Graded (VF 80)**.
Scott No. **292** $3,750

1243 ** **1898, $1 Trans-Miss.,** o.g., never hinged, fresh, **F.-V.F. and attractive**; with 2023 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **292** $3,750

1244 * **1898, $1 Trans-Miss.,** o.g., lightly hinged, **Very Fine**; with 1986 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **292** $1,500

1245 * **1898, $1 Trans-Miss.,** o.g., hinge remnant, **fresh and Fine.**
Scott No. **292** $1,500

1246 (*) **1898, $1 Trans-Miss.,** no gum, deep bold color and wide margins, **Very Fine**; with 1979 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **292** $850



1247 o **1898, $1 Trans-Miss.,** large even margins, neat, unobtrusive cancel, **Extremely Fine to Superb, a rare stamp in this top notch condition**; with 2021 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (95, SSV $5,000)**.
Scott No. **292** $700

1248 S **1898, $2 Trans-Miss., Overprinted "Specimen" Type E,** showing overprint at lower right, no gum, rich color and well centered, **Very Fine and choice**; with 2016 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **293SE**. $950



1249 ** **1898, $2 Trans-Miss.,** o.g., never hinged, bold color and bright fresh paper, attractively centered, **F.-V.F.,** a very scarce mint stamp in never hinged condition; with 2001, 2005 P.F. & 2024 P.S.E. certificates.
Scott No. **293** $5,750


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1250 * **1898, $2 Trans-Miss.,** o.g., lightly hinged, **fresh and Very Fine**; with 2000 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **293** $2,000

1251 * **1898, $2 Trans-Miss.,** o.g., lightly hinged, nice centering, **F.-V.F.**; with 2007 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **293** $2,000

1252 * **1898, $2 Trans-Miss.,** slightly disturbed o.g. (P.F. states "Previously Hinged"), **fresh and Fine**; with 1997 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **293** $2,000

1901 Pan-American Issue



1253 ** **1901, 2¢ Pan-American,** o.g., never hinged, perfectly centered amid oversized well balanced margins, vibrant colors on fresh bright paper, **Superb,** an impressive never hinged gem; with 2023 P.F. certificate **Graded (S 98, SSV $1,100)**.
Scott No. **295** $38

1254 ** **1901, 5¢ Pan-American,** o.g., never hinged, well centered amid wide margins, rich colors, **Very Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **297** $180

1255 ** **1901, 5¢ Pan-American,** top margin plate single, o.g., stamp never hinged, hinged in selvage only, **Extremely Fine**; with 1993 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **297** $180



1256 ** **1901, 8¢ Pan-American,** o.g., never hinged, exceptional centering, fresh colors, **Extremely Fine to Superb,** ***a choice mint example***; with 2022 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (95, SSV $1,350)**.
Scott No. **298** $230

1257 ** **1901, 8¢ Pan-American,** o.g., never hinged, well centered with fresh color, **Extremely Fine**; with photocopy of 2010 P.S.E. certificate for block.
Scott No. **298** $230

1258 o **1901, 8¢ Pan-American,** bold, blue cancel, exceptional centering with large margins, **Extremely Fine to Superb,** rare so nice used; with 2020 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (95, SSV $500)**.
Scott No. **298** $50

1259 ** **1901, 10¢ Pan-American,** o.g., never hinged, choice centering within uncommonly wide margins, fresh with rich colors, **an Extremely Fine jumbo,** rarely encountered so large; with 2003 P.F. & 2006 P.S.E. certificates, the latter **Graded (XF 90J, SMQ $1,200)**.
Scott No. **299** $300

1260 ** **1901, 10¢ Pan-American,** o.g., never hinged, well centered amid large nicely balanced margins, strong colors, **Very Fine**; with 1993 P.F. & 2024 P.S.E. certificates, the latter **Graded (VF 80)**.
Scott No. **299** $300

1261 ** **1901, 10¢ Pan-American,** o.g., never hinged, **Extremely Fine**; with 2011 P.F. certificate **Graded (VF-XF 85)**.
Scott No. **299** $325

1902-1908 Regular Issues



1262 S **1902-03, 1¢-$5 Complete, Natal Post Office "Specimen" Overprints (Samuel Type NA2),** the complete set with violet handstamps on three fragments, **fresh and Very Fine,** a very rare set prepared by the Natal Post Office; with 1981 B.P.A. certificate.
Scott No. **300S-313S** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500

1263 ** **1903, 3¢ Bright Violet,** o.g., never hinged, well centered amid wide margins, fresh with bold color, **Very Fine and choice**; with 2000 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **302** $140

1264 * **1902, 8¢ Preliminary Pencil Drawing of Frame As Adopted on Tracing Paper,** 95 x 200mm design size on slightly larger tracing paper, signed "R. Ostrander Smith 1-9-0-2", frame is essentially as adopted for the final stamp design, bottom left corner torn off well away from design, **Very Fine**; with 2004 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **306-E1** $2,200

THIS IS THE UNIQUE HAND-DRAWN FRAME ESSAY OF THE ADOPTED DESIGN BY R. OSTRANDER SMITH FOR THE EIGHT CENT 1902 ISSUE. A UNIQUE RARITY WHICH IS ILLUSTRATED IN JOHL.

The P.F. certificate erroneously describes this as "some portions of the drawing have been enhanced in dark lead pencil". This undoubtedly was done at the time by Ostrander himself.

1265 * **1903, 50¢ Orange,** o.g., lightly hinged, **Very Fine and choice**; with 1999 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **310** $425

1266 * **1903, $1 Black,** o.g., hinged, **fresh and Very Fine**; with 1991 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **311** $600

1267 o **1903, $1 Black,** exceptional centering with huge margins, black New York registry cancel, **Extremely Fine to Superb,** a gorgeous gem; with 2016 P.S.E. certificate **Graded (XF-Superb 95, SMQ $550)**.
Scott No. **311** $90



1268 * **1903, $2 Dark Blue,** o.g., hinged, deep color, Post Office fresh, **an Extremely Fine gem**; with 1980 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **312** $825

1269 * **1903, $2 Dark Blue,** o.g., hinge remnant, **fresh and F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **312** $825



1270 * **1903, $5 Dark Green,** beautifully centered with vivid fresh Post Office color, o.g., very lightly hinged, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine**; with 2003 P.S.E. certificate **Graded (VF-XF 85, SMQ $2,600)**.
Scott No. **313** $2,100

A BEAUTIFUL ORIGINAL GUM EXAMPLE OF THE $5.00 1902 ISSUE.

1271 * **1903, $5 Dark Green,** o.g., lightly hinged, **F.-V.F. and attractive**; with 1989 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **313** $2,250

1272 * **1903, $5 Dark Green,** disturbed o.g., **fresh and Fine.**
Scott No. **313** $2,250

1273 * **1908, 5¢ Blue, Imperf,** o.g., hinged, four large margins, **fresh and Very Fine.**
Scott No. **315** $350



1274 ** **1908, 5¢ Blue, Imperf,** horizontal pair with huge sheet margin at left, large margins on others sides, o.g., never hinged, **an Extremely Fine gem**; with 2024 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (90, SSV $750)**.
Scott No. **315** $1,250

1275 * **1908, 5¢ Blue, U.S. Automatic Vending Type Ia Perfs,** 15½mm spacing, pair, o.g., small hinge remnants, **Fine overall**; with 2013 P.S.A.G. & 2024 P.S.E. certificates.
Scott No. **315** $1,100

1276 * **1906, 2¢ Carmine, Type I, Brinkerhoff Type I Perfs,** pair, o.g., small hinge remnant, top stamp with horizontal crease, **otherwise F.-V.F.,** rare in multiples, unlisted & unpriced, possibly experimental to develop a perforation that would work well in vending machine; with 2024 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **320** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1277 * **1906, 2¢ Scarlet, Type I, Mail-O-Meter Type I Perfs,** 17.45mm, pair, o.g., **F.-V.F.**; with 2004 P.F. (for strip of 4) & 2024 P.S.E. certificates.
Scott No. **320b** $450

1904 Louisiana Purchase Issue

1278 ** **1904, 2¢ Louisiana Purchase,** o.g., never hinged, **an Extremely Fine gem example of a very difficult stamp to find so choice**; with 2012 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **324** $60


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1279 ** **1904, 5¢ Louisiana Purchase,** top plate no. "2099" single, o.g., never hinged, perfectly centered with large margins for the issue, deep fresh color, **a Superb gem**; with 2016 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (98, SSV $4,850)**.
Scott No. **326** $180

AN ABSOLUTELY SPECTACULAR STAMP - ONE OF THE FINEST AVAILABLE.

1280 ** **1904, 5¢ Louisiana Purchase,** o.g., never hinged, bright fresh color, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine and choice**; with 2009 P.F. certificate **Graded (VF-XF 85)**.
Scott No. **326** $180



1281 ** **1904, 10¢ Louisiana Purchase,** o.g., never hinged, well centered with fresh color, **Extremely Fine and choice**; with 2000 and 2011 P.F. certificates, latter **Graded (XF 90)**.
Scott No. **327** $200

1282 ** **1904, 10¢ Louisiana Purchase,** o.g., never hinged, well centered amid nicely balanced margins, strong bold color, **Very Fine and choice**; with 1991 P.F. certificate for block.
Scott No. **327** $300

1283 **❒ **1904, 10¢ Louisiana Purchase,** plate no. "2108" block of 4 with imprint, o.g., never hinged, beautifully centered with fresh color, **Very Fine,** an exceptional plate block; with 2017 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **327** $2,150



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1907 Jamestown Issue



1284 **❐ **1907, 2¢ Jamestown,** top margin plate block of 6, o.g., never hinged, **for this Extremely Fine, a very rare plate in this lovely condition**; with 2000 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **329** $950

1285 *❐ **1907, 5¢ Jamestown,** top margin block of 4 with plate number and part imprint, o.g., deep intense color, attractive overall centering, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **330** $625



1286 **❐ **1907, 5¢ Jamestown,** top margin plate block of 6, o.g., never hinged, some weak and a few perforation separations, **fresh and F.-V.F., an Extremely Scarce Plate Block.**
Scott No. **330** $6,000

1908-1910 Washington-Franklin Issue, DL Watermark

1287 ** **1908, 5¢ Blue,** o.g., never hinged, **Extremely Fine**; with photocopy of a 1998 P.F. certificate block of 4.
Scott No. **335** $110

1288 ** **1909, 10¢ Yellow,** top margin plate number single, o.g., never hinged, well centered and rich color, with wide sheet selvage, **a Very Fine jumbo**; with 2024 P.S.E. certificate **Graded (VF 80J, SMQ $190)**.
Scott No. **338** $165

1289 ** **1909, 13¢ Blue Green,** o.g., never hinged, choice centering, rich deep color and very fresh, **Extremely Fine**; with 1996 P.F. certificate for block.
Scott No. **339** $90

1290 ** **1909, 15¢ Pale Ultramarine,** o.g., never hinged, choice centering amid wide margins, vivid color on bright paper, **Extremely Fine**; with 1996 P.F. certificate for strip.
Scott No. **340** $160

1291 * **1909, 15¢ Pale Ultramarine,** o.g., very lightly hinged, exceptional centering, rich bright color, **Extremely Fine**; with 2023 P.F. certificate **Graded (XF 90)**.
Scott No. **340** $68

1292 * **1909, 50¢ Violet,** o.g., hinged, **an Extremely Fine gem**; with 1996 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **341** $275

1293 * **1909, $1 Violet Brown,** o.g., lightly hinged, **very fine**; with 2018 Crowe certificate.
Scott No. **342** $450

1294 * **1909, $1 Violet Brown,** o.g., lightly hinged, large margins, **fresh and Extremely Fine**; with 1996 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **342** $450

1295 *❐ **1909, 5¢ Blue, Schermack Type III Perfs,** "request" guide line block of 4, o.g., lightly hinged, light overall toning, **Fine,** scarce and unpriced; with 2015 Weiss & 2024 P.S.E. certificates.
Scott No. **347** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1296 ** **1910, 4¢ Orange Brown, Vertical Coil,** o.g., never hinged, **Very Fine**; with 2004 P.S.E. certificate for pair.
Scott No. **350** $325

1297 ** **1909, 5¢ Blue, Vertical Coil,** o.g., never hinged, deep color, **Very Fine and choice**; with 2004 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **351** $325


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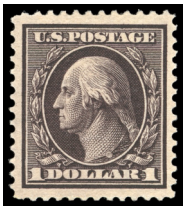

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1298 ** **1909, 5¢ Blue, Vertical Coil,** o.g., never hinged, well centered, fresh with deep color, **Very Fine and choice**; with 2001 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **351** $325

1299 ** **1909, 1¢ Green, Horizontal Coil,** o.g., never hinged, **Very Fine and attractive**; with 1991 P.F. certificate for pair.
Scott No. **352** $235

1300 o **1909, 4¢ Orange Brown, Horizontal Coil,** enormous jumbo margins, **a fabulous Superb stamp that is rarely found used.**
Scott No. **354** $275

1301 o **1909, 5¢ Blue, Horizontal Coil,** pair, certificate states small faults which are virtually indistinguishable, **otherwise F.-V.F. and Extremely Scarce used pair**; with 2023 P.S.A.G. certificate.
Scott No. **355** $875



1302 * **1909, 10¢ Yellow, Horizontal Coil,** o.g., hinged, bright color, **a fresh and Very Fine example of this Rare Coil**; with 1999 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **356** $3,750



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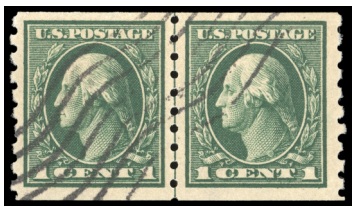
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1909 Bluish Paper Issue

1303 * **1909, 6¢ Red Orange, on Bluish Paper,** o.g., lightly hinged, **F.-V.F.**; with 1988 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **362** $1,250

1909 Commemorative Issues

1304 ** **1909, 2¢ Lincoln, Bluish Paper,** o.g., never hinged, bold color, choice margins and centering, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine**; with 2024 P.S.E. certificate **Graded (VF-XF 85, SMQ $400)**.
Scott No. **369** $300

1305 ** **1909, 2¢ Lincoln, Bluish Paper,** o.g., never hinged, **Extremely Fine**; with 1999 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **369** $300

1306 **/*❐ **1909, 2¢ Lincoln, Bluish Paper,** top margin plate block of 6, lightly disturbed o.g., stamps never hinged, hinged in selvage only, wonderfully centered, some weak and a few perforation separations, **Very Fine**; with 2002 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **369** $2,750

1307 **/*❐ **1909, 2¢ Lincoln, Bluish Paper,** bottom margin plate block of 6, o.g., top stamps never hinged, well centered, **F.-V.F.**; with 2005 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **369** $2,750

1910-1911 Washington-Franklin Issue, SL Watermark

1308 ** **1911, 6¢ Red Orange,** o.g., never hinged, well centered amid nicely balanced margins, rich radiant color, **Extremely Fine**; with 2004 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **379** $85

1309 ** **1911, 8¢ Olive Green,** o.g., never hinged, choice centering, rich color on bright fresh paper, **Extremely Fine**; with 2003 P.F. (for strip) & 2024 P.S.E. certificates, the latter **Graded (XF 90, SMQ $450)**.
Scott No. **380** $200

1310 ** **1911, 10¢ Yellow,** o.g., never hinged, well centered with rich brilliant color, **Extremely Fine**; with 2001 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **381** $200

1311 ** **1911, 15¢ Pale Ultramarine,** o.g., never hinged, bright vibrant color, choice centering amid tall margins, **Extremely Fine**; with 2002 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **382** $500

1312 ** **1911, 15¢ Pale Ultramarine,** o.g., never hinged, **Very Fine**; with 1996 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **382** $500

1313 ** **1910, 1¢ Green, Horizontal Coil,** pair, o.g., never hinged (left stamp with natural gum bend not mentioned on certificate), **Very Fine**; with 2002 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **387** $1,100



1314 * **1910, 2¢ Carmine, Horizontal Coil,** pair (3mm spacing), o.g., lightly hinged (Scott number in light pencil on gum), **fresh & F.-V.F., very scarce**; with 2002 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **388** $4,000

1315 ** **1910, 2¢ Carmine, Vertical Coil,** guide line pair, o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh color, **Extremely Fine**; with 1990 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **391** $575

1316 o **1910, 1¢ Green, Horizontal Coil,** guide line pair, well centered, neat machine cancel, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine**; with 2022 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (85, SSV $675)**.
Scott No. **392** $500

1317 * **1911, 3¢ Deep Violet, Horizontal Coil,** guide line pair, o.g., lightly hinged, nicely centered, **Very Fine and choice**; with 2017 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **394** $425

1318 o **1911, 3¢ Deep Violet, Horizontal Coil,** guide line pair, neat bulls eye cancels, **Extremely Fine and choice, rare used**; with 1995 and 2019 P.F. certificates.
Scott No. **394** $650



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1319 * **1913, 5¢ Blue, Horizontal Coil,** guide line pair, o.g., lightly hinged, deep fresh color, **Very Fine**; with 2017 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **396** $425

1320 o **1913, 5¢ Blue, Horizontal Coil,** line pair, oval handstamp cancels, rich deep color, **Very Fine and scarce**; with 2017 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **396** $825

1913-1915 Panama-Pacific Issue

1321 ** **1913, 2¢ Panama-Pacific, Perf 12,** o.g., never hinged, perfectly centered within large even margins, vibrant color, **a Superb gem**; with 2018 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (98, SSV $700)**.
Scott No. **398** $35

1322 ** **1913, 10¢ Panama-Pacific, Perf 12, Orange Yellow Color,** o.g., never hinged, wonderfully centered, fresh color, **Extremely Fine to Superb, a wonderful never hinged example**; with 2019 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (95, SSV $850)**.
Scott No. **400** $260

1323 ** **1913, 10¢ Panama-Pacific, Perf 12, Orange Yellow Color,** o.g., never hinged, large margins, fresh color, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine**; with 2016 P.S.E. certificate **Graded (VF-XF 85, SMQ $375)**.
Scott No. **400** $260

1324 ** **1913, 10¢ Panama-Pacific, Perf 12, Orange Yellow Color,** o.g., never hinged, **fresh and Very Fine**; with 2012 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **400** $260

1325 ** **1913, 10¢ Panama-Pacific, Perf 12, Orange Color,** o.g., never hinged, deep rich color, beautifully centered, **Extremely Fine and choice**; with 2018 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (90, SSV $750)**.
Scott No. **400A** $390

1326 ** **1913, 10¢ Panama-Pacific, Perf 12, Orange Color,** o.g., never hinged, well centered amid large oversized margins, strong bright color, **a Very Fine jumbo**; with 1991 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **400A** $390

1327 ** **1913, 10¢ Panama-Pacific, Perf 12, Orange Color,** o.g., never hinged, rich color, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine**; with 2010 P. F. certificate **Graded (VF-XF 85)**.
Scott No. **400A** $390

1328 ** **1915, 2¢ Panama-Pacific, Perf 10,** o.g., never hinged, **Extremely Fine and choice**; with 2012 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **402** $170

1329 ** **1915, 5¢ Panama-Pacific, Perf 10,** o.g., never hinged, **Very Fine**; with 2011 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **403** $400



1330 ** **1915, 10¢ Panama-Pacific, Perf 10,** o.g., never hinged, exceptional centering amid beautifully balanced margins, strong bright color, **Extremely Fine to Superb,** a lovely never hinged gem; with 1998 P.F. & 2024 P.S.E. certificates, the latter **Graded (XF-Superb 95, SMQ $3,750)**.
Scott No. **404** $1,650



1331 ** **1915, 10¢ Panama-Pacific, Perf 10,** o.g., never hinged, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine a lovely never hinged stamp which is especially nice**; with 1993 and 2008 P.F. certificates, the latter **Graded (VF-XF 85)**.
Scott No. **404** $1,700

1332 * **1915, 10¢ Panama-Pacific, Perf 10,** o.g., hinged, **fresh and F.-V.F.**; with 1972 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **404** $675



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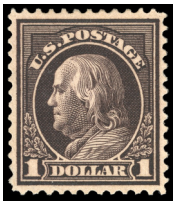
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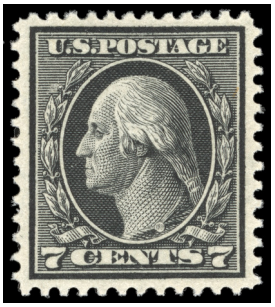


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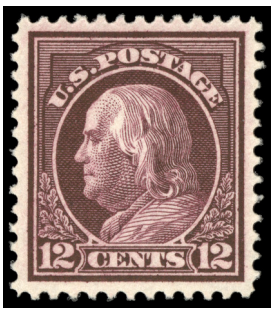
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1912-1914 Washington-Franklin Issue, SL Watermark, Perf. 12



1333 ** **1914, 7¢ Black,** o.g., never hinged, remarkably well centered within beautifully balanced margins, bright and fresh with bold color, **Extremely Fine and choice,** a lovely never hinged gem; with 1997 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **407** $150

1334 *❐ **1914, 7¢ Black,** top margin plate no. "6904" block of 6, o.g., very lightly hinged, excellent color, **Fine and attractive.**
Scott No. **407** $1,200



1335 ** **1914, 12¢ Claret Brown,** o.g., never hinged, rich color, fresh, **Extremely Fine to Superb,** a lovely gem; with 2016 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (95, SSV $550)**.
Scott No. **417** $100

1336 ** **1912, 15¢ Gray,** o.g., never hinged, bright vibrant color, choice centering amid tall margins, **Extremely Fine**; with 1990 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **418** $190

1337 ** **1914, 20¢ Ultramarine,** o.g., never hinged, well centered amid large nicely balanced margins, rich deep color, **Extremely Fine**; with 2000 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **419** $400



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1338 ** **1914, 30¢ Orange Red,** o.g., never hinged, exceptional centering amid well balanced margins, rich deep color, **Extremely Fine to Superb**; with 2024 P.S.E. certificate **Graded (XF-Superb 95, SMQ $1,250)**.
Scott No. **420** $250

1339 ** **1914, 30¢ Orange Red,** o.g., never hinged, outstanding centering, bright rich color, **Extremely Fine to Superb,** ***a gem example of this very pretty stamp***; with 2020 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (95, SSV $550)**.
Scott No. **420** $250

1340 ** **1914, 50¢ Violet, S.L. Watermark,** o.g., never hinged, well centered amid wide margins, strong bold color on bright paper, **Extremely Fine**; with 1998 P.F. & 2009 P.S.E. certificates, the latter **Graded (XF 90, SMQ $1,600)**.
Scott No. **421** $775

1341 * **1914, 50¢ Violet, S.L. Watermark,** o.g., trace of very light hinging, **fresh and F.-V.F.**; with 1997 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **421** $350

1342 * **1912, 50¢ Violet, D.L. Watermark,** o.g., lightly hinged, **fresh and Very Fine**; with 1997 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **422** $250

1343 * **1912, $1 Violet Brown,** o.g., very lightly hinged, wonderfully centered, deep color, **an Extremely Fine gem**; with 2017 P.S.E. certificate **Graded (XF 90, SMQ $600)**.
Scott No. **423** $475



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1344 * **1912, $1 Violet Brown,** o.g., previously hinged, well centered, very fresh, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine**; with 2024 P.S.A.G. certificate.
Scott No. **423** $475

1914-1915 Washington-Franklin Issue, SL Watermark, Perf.10



1345 o **1914, 1¢ Green, Perf 12 x 10,** bright color, "Quincy Illinois" precancel, some trimmed perfs at bottom, **Fine appearing example of this rarity**; with 1996 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **423A** $5,000



1346 o **1914, 5¢ Blue, Perf 12 x 10,** reasonably well centered with perfs clear of design on all side, cork cancel, pulled perf at top left, **Very Fine appearance,** *ex-Lyons*; with photocopy of 1997 P.F. certificate for pair.
Scott No. **423C**. $15,000

A LOVELY EXAMPLE OF THE RARE 1914 5¢ COMPOUND PERFORATION VARIETY.

The large majority of the 5¢ compound perfs are defective and/or off center with perfs touching the design. This has decent centering and a minor fault, making it a premium example.

1347 ** **1914, 7¢ Black,** o.g., never hinged, deep intense color, well centered amid wide margins, **Very Fine and choice**; with 2003 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **430** $190

1348 ** **1914, 15¢ Gray,** o.g., never hinged, fresh with rich deep color, wide margins, **Very Fine**; with 1999 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **437** $275

1349 ** **1914, 15¢ Gray,** o.g., never hinged, large margins, **Very Fine**; with 1995 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **437** $275

1350 ** **1914, 20¢ Ultramarine,** o.g., never hinged, fresh with strong vibrant color, wide margins, **Very Fine**; with 2001 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **438** $450

1351 * **1914, 20¢ Ultramarine,** o.g., hinge remnant, **Extremely Fine**; with 1998 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **438** $200

1352 ** **1914, 30¢ Orange Red,** o.g., never hinged, well centered amid wide margins, rich deep color, **Extremely Fine**; with 2004 P.F. & 2008 P.S.E. certificates, the latter **Graded (XF 90, SMQ $1,050)**.
Scott No. **439** $500

1353 ** **1915, 50¢ Violet,** o.g., never hinged, well centered amid tall margins, bold color, **a Very Fine to Extremely Fine jumbo,** a scarce never hinged high value; with 1990 P.F. & 2024 P.S.E. certificates, the latter **Graded (VF-XF 85J, SMQ $1,500)**.
Scott No. **440** $1,100

1354 * **1915, 50¢ Violet,** o.g., very lightly hinged (if at all), **Extremely Fine and attractive**; with 1997 P.F. certificate for block of 4.
Scott No. **440** $450

1355 o **1914, 1¢ Green, Horizontal Flat Plate Coil,** guide line pair, exceptionally centered, nice machine cancel, **Very Fine and choice**; with 2022 P.S.A.G. certificate.
Scott No. **443** $250

1356 * **1914, 2¢ Carmine, Horizontal Flat Plate Coil,** guide line pair, o.g., small hinge remnant, **fresh & Extremely Fine**; with 2005 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **444** $300



1357 * **1914, 3¢ Violet, Horizontal Flat Plate Coil,** guide line pair, o.g., lightly hinged, deep color, well centered, **Very Fine and choice**; with 1988 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **445** $1,200

1358 * **1914, 4¢ Brown, Horizontal Flat Plate Coil,** guide line pair, o.g., lightly hinged, bright fresh color, **Very Fine and choice**; with 1989 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **446** $700

1359 ** **1914, 5¢ Blue, Horizontal Flat Plate Coil,** guide line pair, o.g., never hinged (small natural gum bend not mentioned on cert.), deep color, **Extremely Fine**; with 1990 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **447** $525

1360 o **1915, 2¢ Red, Type I, Vertical Rotary Press Coil,** faint unobtrusive cancel, very faint crease, **otherwise for this rare coil Extremely Fine**; with 2023 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **449** $650

1361 o **1915, 2¢ Red, Type I, Vertical Rotary Press Coil,** wavy line machine cancel, **F.-V.F., a scarce coil**; with 1998 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **449** $650

1362 o **1915, 2¢ Red, Type I, Vertical Rotary Press Coil,** fresh color, neat wavy line machine cancel, **Very Fine**; with 1998 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **449** $650

1363 ** **1916, 2¢ Carmine, Type III, Vertical Rotary Press Coil,** joint line pair, o.g., never hinged, **Very Fine**; with 1991 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **450** $550

1364 ** **1914, 2¢ Carmine Rose, Type I, Horizontal Rotary Press Coil,** pair, o.g., never hinged (light pencil notation not mentioned in cert), fresh, **Fine**; with 2023 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **453** $625

1365 ** **1914, 2¢ Carmine Rose, Type I, Horizontal Rotary Press Coil,** line pair, o.g., never hinged, **F.-V.F.**; w 2003 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **453** $1,450

1366 * **1914, 2¢ Carmine Rose, Type I, Horizontal Rotary Press Coil,** joint line pair, o.g., previously hinged, **Very Fine**; with 1989 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **453** $675

1367 ** **1915, 2¢ Red, Type II, Horizontal Rotary Press Coil,** pair, o.g., never hinged, beautifully centered with nice even margins, bright color, **Extremely Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **454** $360

1368 ** **1915, 2¢ Red, Type II, Horizontal Rotary Press Coil,** pair, o.g., never hinged, strong bright color, **Very Fine**; with 1991 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **454** $360

1369 * **1915, 2¢ Red, Type II, Horizontal Rotary Press Coil,** joint line pair, o.g., lightly hinged, **fresh and Very Fine**; with 1990 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **454** $400

1370 * **1916, 3¢ Violet, Horizontal Rotary Press Coil,** joint line pair, o.g., lightly hinged, couple of tiny natural paper inclusions, **Very Fine and attractive**; with 1979 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **456** $1,300

1371 ** **1914, 2¢ Carmine, Imperf Horizontal Coil,** with usual vertical crease down center, o.g., never hinged, balanced margins all round, additional vertical crease in right stamp, **Fine appearance**; with 2006 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **459** . . . . . $1,200 with crease

1372 ** **1914, 2¢ Carmine, Imperf Horizontal Coil,** o.g., never hinged, nicely centered, rich deep color, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **459** $400

1373 * **1914, 2¢ Carmine, Imperf Horizontal Coil,** o.g., lightly hinged, **Very Fine**; with 2006 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **459** $275

1374 ** **1914, 2¢ Carmine, Imperf Horizontal Coil,** joint line pair (usual crease along line), o.g., never hinged (tiny natural gum skips), **Extremely Fine and choice**; with 1990 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **459** $1,200

1375 ** **1915, 2¢ Pale Carmine Red, S.L. Watermark, Perf 11,** o.g., never hinged, fresh with brilliant color, **Very Fine**; with 2001 P.F. certificate for block.
Scott No. **461** $330

1376 ** **1915, 2¢ Pale Carmine Red, S.L. Watermark, Perf 11,** o.g., never hinged, **fresh and Very Fine**; with 1993 P.F. certificate for block of 4.
Scott No. **461** $350

1916-1919 Washington-Franklin Issue, Unwatermarked, Perf. 10

1377 ** **1916, 3¢ Violet,** o.g., never hinged, strong bold color, choice margins and centering, **Extremely Fine**; with 2002 & 2008 P.S.E. certificates, the latter **Graded (XF 90, SMQ $325)**.
Scott No. **464** $165

1378 ** **1916, 4¢ Orange Brown,** o.g., never hinged, great centering, bright color, **Extremely Fine to Superb**; with 2021 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (95, SSV $675)**.
Scott No. **465** $125

1379 ** **1916, 5¢ Blue,** o.g., never hinged, beautiful centered with fresh color, **Extremely Fine,** a scarce perf ten; with 2021 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (90, SSV $550)**.
Scott No. **466** $150



1380 ** **1916, 5¢ Carmine Color Error,** single error in a strip of 3, o.g., never hinged, choice margins and centering, **Extremely Fine to Superb,** only 6 graded higher; with 2023 P.S.E. certificate **Graded (XF-Superb 95, $4,750)**.
Scott No. **467** $800

During the course of production of the normal 2¢ plate no. 7942, three positions were noted to be defective. The plate was returned to the siderographer, who burnished out the three positions and mistakenly re-entered them using a transfer roll for the 5¢ stamp. The error passed unnoticed and the sheets were issued to the public in Perf 10, Imperforate and Perf 11 formats.

1381 **❒ **1916, 5¢ Carmine Color Error,** the double error in a block of 15, o.g., never hinged, excellent gum with only light gum bends, bottom left copy faint inclusion, **Fine.**
Scott No. **467** $2,900

1382 ** **1916, 7¢ Black,** o.g., never hinged, deep color and attractively centered, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine**; with 2007 P.S.E. certificate **Graded (VF-XF 85, SMQ $350)**.
Scott No. **469** $270



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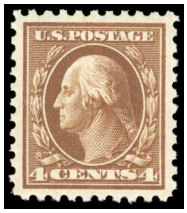
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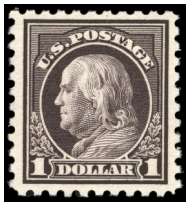
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1383 ** **1916, 10¢ Orange Yellow,** o.g., never hinged, jumbo copy and beautifully centered, **an Extremely Fine to Superb jumbo,** with only five others grading higher; with 2024 P.S.E. certificate **Graded (XF-Superb 95J, SMQ $2,100)**.
Scott No. **472** $250

1384 ** **1916, 10¢ Orange Yellow,** o.g., never hinged, bright and fresh with intensely rich color, choice margins and centering, **Extremely Fine**; with 2009 P.S.E. certificate **Graded (XF 90, SMQ $450)**.
Scott No. **472** $250



1385 * **1916, 15¢ Gray,** perfectly centered, full perfs, rich color, **Superb**; with 2009 and 2018 P.S.E. certificates, both **Graded (Superb 98, SMQ $7,000)**.
Scott No. **475** $375

A SUPERB GEM EXAMPLE. THIS IS THE HIGHEST GRADE AWARDED TO THE 15¢ PERF. 10 BY THE P.S.E.

1386 ** **1916, 15¢ Gray,** o.g., never hinged, precise centering amid wide margins, rich color and quite fresh, **Extremely Fine**; with 1999 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **475** $375



1387 ** **1917, 50¢ Light Violet,** o.g., never hinged, choice centering amid nicely balanced margins, strong bright color, **Extremely Fine**; with 2009 P.S.E. certificate **Graded (XF 90, SMQ $3,150)**.
Scott No. **477** $2,000

1388 * **1917, 50¢ Light Violet,** o.g., hinged, **Very Fine**; with 1997 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **477** $850

1389 ** **1916, $1 Violet Black,** o.g., never hinged, well centered amid wide margins, rich bold color and Post Office fresh, **Very Fine and choice**; with 2008 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **478** $1,400

1390 * **1916, $1 Violet Black,** o.g., P.F. certificate states small thin spot and small toned spot, both of which are trivial, **otherwise F.-V.F.**; with 1998 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **478** $600

1391 ** **1917, $2 Dark Blue,** o.g., never hinged, well centered amid wide margins, fresh with rich bold color, **Very Fine and choice**; with 2003 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **479** $475

1392 * **1917, $2 Dark Blue,** o.g., lightly hinged, **Very Fine and choice**; with 1997 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **479** $210

1393 ** **1917, $5 Light Green,** o.g., never hinged, perfectly centered amid well balanced margins, rich color on bright paper, **Extremely Fine and choice**; with 2024 P.S.E. certificate **Graded (XF 90, SMQ $600)**.
Scott No. **480** $375

1394 * **1916, 2¢ Carmine, Type II, Horizontal Rotary Press Coil,** large part o.g., missing perf at left, **otherwise F.-V.F.,** still much nicer than normal for this rarity; with 2023 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **491** $2,500



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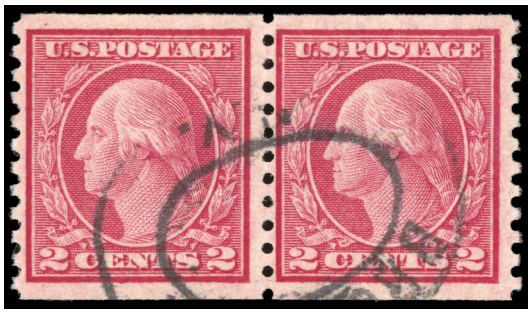


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1395 o **1916, 2¢ Carmine, Type II, Horizontal Rotary Press Coil,** few blunt perfs at right (not mentioned on certificate), **Very Fine**; with 2003 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **491** $800



1396 o **1916, 2¢ Carmine, Type II, Horizontal Rotary Press Coil,** bright color, light "Brooklyn, N.Y." oval cancel, pair, **Very Fine and choice**; with 2002 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **491** $3,750

A WONDERFUL USED PAIR OF THE 2¢ ROTARY PRESS HORIZONTAL COIL. VERY SCARCE IN THIS QUALITY.

1397 ** **1917, 3¢ Violet, Type I, Horizontal Rotary Press Coil,** joint line pair, o.g., never hinged, outstanding centering, **Extremely Fine to Superb,** ***an exquisite pair which is very rare in this gem condition***; with 2019 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (95, SSV $900)**.
Scott No. **493** $230



1398 ** **1917, 4¢ Orange Brown, Horizontal Rotary Press Coil,** o.g., never hinged, perfectly centered, Post Office fresh color, **Superb,** ***a Gem pair***; with 2019 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (98, SSV $350)**.
Scott No. **495** $50

1399 ** **1919, 5¢ Blue, Horizontal Rotary Press Coil, Small Perf Holes,** pair, o.g., never hinged, fresh with bold color, **Very Fine**; with 2006 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **496a**. $450

1917-1919 Washington-Franklin Issue, Perf. 11

1400 ** **1917, 2¢ Deep Rose, Type Ia,** o.g., never hinged, nice color, tiny natural inclusion, **F.-V.F.**; with photocopy of 1991 P.F. certificate for block of 4.
Scott No. **500** $570

1401 * **1917, 2¢ Deep Rose, Type Ia, Perf 11,** o.g., lightly hinged, **Very Fine**; with 1998 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **500** $260

1402 o❐ **1917, 2¢ Deep Rose, Type Ia,** block of 4, **Fine**; with 2023 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **500** $1,500

1403 * **1917, 5¢ Rose Color Error,** o.g., hinged, **F.-V.F.**; with 1996 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **505** $325

1404 ** **1917, 5¢ Rose Color Error,** single in a strip of 3, o.g., never hinged, **Fine.**
Scott No. **505** . . . . . $625 for error

1405 **/*❐ **1917, 5¢ Rose Color Error,** the single error in a block of 9, o.g., error never hinged, **fresh and Fine.**
Scott No. **505** $650

1406 **❐ **1917, 5¢ Rose Color Error,** the double error in a block of 12, o.g., never hinged, inclusion top center copy, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **505** $1,850

1407 **/*❐ **1917, 5¢ Rose Color Error,** the double error in a block of 12, o.g., error stamps never hinged, others (non-errors) with faults, **fresh and Fine.**
Scott No. **505** $1,200

1408 **/*❐ **1917, 5¢ Rose Color Error,** the double error in a block of 12, o.g., errors never hinged, fresh, top center copy l.h., offset on reverse, **Fine.**
Scott No. **505** $1,200

1409 ** **1917, 10¢ Orange Yellow,** o.g., never hinged, exceptional centering amid large well balanced margins, rich radiant color, **Extremely Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **510** $34



1410 **❒ **1917, 11¢ Light Green,** block of 4, **lower right perf 10 at bottom, lower left transitional perf 10**, o.g., never hinged, bright color, **fresh & Very Fine**; with 2000, 2007, and 2014 P.S.E. certificates.
Scott No. **511a** $12,000

AN EXTREMELY RARE AND SPECTACULAR ERROR BLOCK.



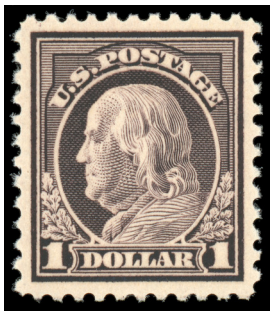
1411 ** **1917, 20¢ Light Ultramarine,** o.g., never hinged, exceptional centering amid well balanced margins, unusually deep ultramarine color, **Extremely Fine to Superb,** a striking gem; with 2024 P.S.E. certificate **Graded (XF-Superb 95, SMQ $500)**.
Scott No. **515** $85



1412 ** **1917, 30¢ Orange Red,** o.g., never hinged, perfectly centered amid huge jumbo margins, vibrant fresh color, **a Superb jumbo**; with 2016 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (100J, SMQ $4,500)**.
Scott No. **516** $70

A STUNNING GEM IN THE FINEST POSSIBLE CONDITION.

1413 ** **1917, $1 Violet Brown,** bottom margin single with part imprint, o.g., never hinged, large even margins, rich color, **a Superb gem**; with 2016 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (98, SSV $1,500)**.
Scott No. **518** $95



1414 ** **1917, $1 Violet Brown,** o.g., never hinged, perfect centering amid large margins all around, rich deep color and crisp impression, P.O. fresh, **Superb,** a lovely never hinged gem high value; with 2017 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (98, SSV $1,500)**.
Scott No. **518** $95

1415 o **1917, $1 Deep Brown,** well centered with large margins, light strike of purple cancel, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine,** extremely scarce so choice; with 2021 P.F. certificate **Graded (VF-XF 85, SSV $2,250)**.
Scott No. **518b** . . . . . $1,100 for f-vf grade

1416 ** **1917, 2¢ Carmine, D.L. Watermark,** o.g., never hinged, **for this Very Fine and scarce**; with 2010 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **519** $950

1417 ** **1917, 2¢ Carmine, D.L. Watermark,** o.g., never hinged, fresh color, **F.-V.F.,** scarce stamp much nicer than normal; with 2023 P.S.A.G. certificate.
Scott No. **519** $950

1418 ** **1917, 2¢ Carmine, D.L. Watermark,** o.g., never hinged, **Very Fine**; with 2005 P.S.E. certificate **Graded (VF 80)**.
Scott No. **519** $950

1419 **❒ **1917, 2¢ Carmine, D.L. Watermark,** left margin plate no. 4905 block of 6 with imprint, o.g., never hinged, **F.-V.F. for this,** with approximately 30-40 plate blocks are known with many of the known plate blocks have narrow selvage; with 2023 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **519** $6,500

1420 *❒ **1917, 2¢ Carmine, D.L. Watermark,** bottom margin plate no. "4856" block of 6 with imprint, o.g., very lightly hinged from re-attaching, bottom left stamp n.h., fresh and decent centering for this issue, right two stamps expertly rejoined, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **519** . . . . . $3,025 for singles

1421 ** **1918, $2 Orange Red & Black,** o.g., never hinged, fresh with strong colors, attractive centering, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine**; with 2000 P.F. for pair & 2005 P.S.E. certificates, the latter **Graded (VF-XF 85, SMQ $1300)**.
Scott No. **523** $1,175

1422 * **1918, $2 Orange Red & Black,** o.g., lightly hinged, strong colors, large margins and well centered, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine**; with 2004 P.S.E. certificate **Graded (VF-XF 85, SMQ $575)**.
Scott No. **523** $525

1423 * **1918, $2 Orange Red & Black,** full o.g. (small hinge remnant), large copy, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **523** $525

1424 * **1918, $2 Orange Red & Black,** o.g. hinged, **Very Fine**; with 1998 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **523** $525



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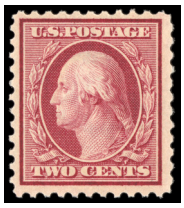
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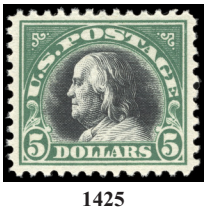
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1425 ** **1918, $5 Deep Green & Black,** o.g., never hinged, rich deep colors, beautifully centered, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine**; with 2024 P.S.E. certificate **Graded (VF-XF 85, SMQ $425)**.
Scott No. **524** $340

1918-1920 Offset Issues

1426 *❒ **1918, 2¢ Carmine, Type VI, Offset Printing,** top margin plate no. "11668" block of 6, o.g., **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **528A** $425

1427 o **1918, 2¢ Carmine, Type V, Offset Printing, Imperf,** huge margins showing parts of seven surrounding stamps, neat strike "Chicago" postmark, **Superb, an outstanding jumbo gem (aka a "Gembo")**; with 2021 P.F. certificate **Graded (Superb 98J, SMQ $600 for 98)**.
Scott No. **533** $150

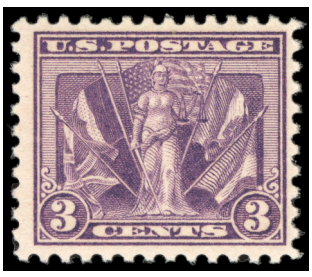


1428 ** **1918, 2¢ Carmine, Type VII, Offset Printing, Imperf,** o.g., never hinged, **an Extremely Fine gem example of this Extremely Scarce stamp**; with 1986 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **534B** $3,750



1429 * **1918, 2¢ Carmine, Type VII, Offset Printing, Imperf,** o.g., very lightly hinged, four large margins, bright fresh color, small inclusion (visible only on reverse and not mentioned on certs.), **Extremely Fine,** *ex-Floyd*; with 1979 P.F. & 2001 P.S.E. certificates (no photo).
Scott No. **534B** $2,500

1919-1921 Issues



1430 ** **1919, 3¢ Victory, Deep Red Violet,** o.g., never hinged, rich color, well center for this notoriously off-centered issue, **F.-V.F.,** a choice never hinged example of this rare shade variety; with 1991 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **537a** . . . . . $2,400 for the grade of fine



1431 ** **1919, 3¢ Violet, Rotary Press Coil Waste, Perf 11 x 10,** o.g., never hinged, beautifully centered with bright fresh color, **a Superb example of this very difficult issue**; with 2017 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (98, SSV $2,350)**.
Scott No. **541** $100

1432 * **1921, 1¢ Green, Rotary Press Coil Waste, Perf 11,** o.g., lightly hinged, **Very Fine and choice, Rarely found this nice**; with 1990 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **545** $250

1433 ** **1921, 2¢ Carmine Rose, Rotary Press Coil Waste, Perf 11,** o.g., never hinged, well centered amid nice balanced margins, tiny scuff at top, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine**; with 2024 P.F. certificate **Graded (VF-XF 85, SMQ $325)**.
Scott No. **546** $230

1434 ** **1920, $2 Carmine & Black,** o.g., never hinged, rich deep colors and well centered, **Very Fine and choice**; with 1991 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **547** $275



1435 ** **1920, $2 Lake & Black,** o.g., never hinged, outstanding centering with vibrant colors, Post Office fresh, **Extremely Fine to Superb,** ***a gem example of this scarce shade***; with 2024 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (95, $1,750)**.
Scott No. **547a** $425

1922-1925 Regular Issue



Ex 1436

1436 S **1922-25, ½¢-$5 Definitives Complete + 2¢ Harding, each with a Colonias Handstamp,** sent by the U.S. government to Portugal with Portuguese **"COLONIAS" diagonal overprint.** applied by the Portuguese Post Office upon receipt from the UPU in Berne before sending to one of its Colonial Post Offices, mounted on nine pieces of government backing, **a Very Fine and rare set.**
Scott No. **551-573** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000



1437 * **1923, 4¢ Martha Washington, Vertical Pair, Imperf Horizontally,** top right corner margin block of eight containing one vertical pair of the variety, the block incurred damage during production and was subsequently repaired, with brown paper applied to the back at the Bureau, **Very Fine appearance**; with 1998 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **556a** $12,500

ONE OF THE GREAT 20TH CENTURY ERRORS OF WHICH THIS AND ONE OTHER EXAMPLE ARE KNOWN TO EXIST.

The second example is similar to this item with the error in a block of nine. It too has a similar repair by the Post Office with brown paper tape. The block of nine was sold in 2009 for a hammer price of $11,500 (Siegel Sale 868B, Lot 727).

As per Gary Griffith's book "United States Stamps 1922-26", the brown paper on the back served as a typical repair method by the Bureau. Sheets of 400 or half-sheets of 200 that suffered damage during the perforating process were taped back together to salvage usable panes.



1438 o **1923, 4¢ Martha Washington, Perf 10 at Bottom,** precancelled "San Francisco California", **Fine**; with 1982 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **556b** $7,000

EXTREMELY RARE WITH WITH ONLY A SMALL HANDFUL KNOW TO EXIST PART PERF 10 - MANY OF WHICH ARE DEFECTIVE.

At a certain point during production one of the perforating wheels became defective. In the course of repairs part of one perforation wheel was inadvertently changed from Perf 11 to Perf 10.



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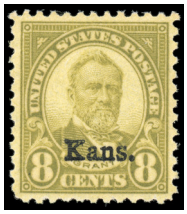
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1439 ** **1923, $5 America,** showing strong vignette shift to the left, o.g., never hinged, exceptional centering amid wide margins, rich colors and quite fresh, **Extremely Fine to Superb**; with 2023 P.F. certificate **Graded (XF-S 95, SSV $425)**.
Scott No. **573** $180

1440 ** **1923, $5 America,** o.g., never hinged, precise centering amid beautifully balanced margins, deep colors and Post Office fresh, **Extremely Fine to Superb**; with 2024 P.S.E. certificate **Graded (XF-Superb 95, SMQ $475)**.
Scott No. **573** $180

1441 ** **1923, $5 America,** o.g., never hinged, beautifully centered, brilliant colors, **Extremely Fine to Superb**; with 2021 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (95, SSV $425)**.
Scott No. **573** $180

1442 **❐ **1923, $5 America,** centerline block of 4, o.g., never hinged, rich colors and attractive centering, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **573** $825

1443 ** **1923, Rotary Press Coil Waste, 1¢ and 2¢ Complete,** o.g., never hinged, wide margins and beautifully matched centering, strong bright color, **Very Fine and choice**; 1¢ with 1989 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **578-579** $290

1444 o **1923, 2¢ Washington, Rotary Press Coil Waste, Perf 11 x 10,** exceptional centering and margins, neat slogan cancel, **Extremely Fine and choice,** a difficult stamp to find in this gem condition; with 2020 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (90, SSV $260)**.
Scott No. **579** $140

1445 ** **1923, 2¢ Washington, Rotary Press Coil Waste,** o.g., never hinged, fresh with deep color, well centered for this difficult issue, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine**; with 1999 P.F. & 2024 P.S.E. certificates, the latter **Graded (VF-XF 85, SMQ $550)**.
Scott No. **595** $450

1927-1996 Issues

1446 ** **1929, 2¢ Washington, Type II, Horizontal Rotary Press Coil,** joint line pair, o.g., never hinged, **Very Fine**; with 1988 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **599A** $1,150



1447 * **1927, 1¢ Franklin, Rotary Press Printing, Vertical Pair, Imperf Between,** o.g., lightly hinged, rounded corner, centered right as all copies are, **Fine**; with 2023 P.S.E. certificate and "SS & CCO" (Scott Stamp and Coin Co.) handstamp guarantee.
Scott No. **632b** $3,000

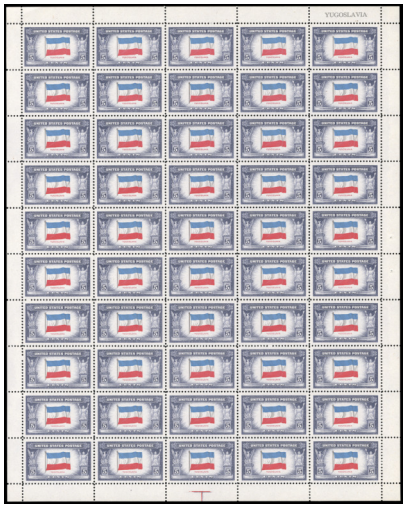
According to Gary Griffith, this error was discovered in 1939 in Bergen N.Y. The find was reported as thirteen blocks of four and three pairs, but some were subsequently determined to have blind perfs and were disqualified.

1448 ** **1928, 2¢ Washington, Type II, Rotary Press Printing,** o.g., never hinged, deep color, nicely centered for this difficult issue, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine**; with 2024 P.S.E. certificate **Graded (VF-XF 85, SMQ $750)**.
Scott No. **634A** $600

1449 ** **1928, 2¢ Washington, Type II, Rotary Press Printing,** o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh, **F.-V.F.**; with 2004 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **634A** $600



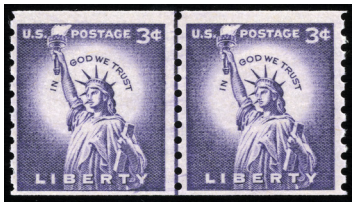
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1450 ** **1929, Kans.-Nebr., 1¢-10¢ Complete,** o.g., never hinged, **Very Fine and much nicer than normal.**
Scott No. **658-679** $962

1451 ** **1929, Kans.-Nebr., 1¢-10¢ Complete,** o.g., never hinged, **Very Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **658-679** $962

1452 **❐ **1929, Kans.-Nebr., 1¢-10¢ Complete, Plate Blocks of 4**, o.g., never hinged, 6¢ Nebraska tiny handstamp on back, **Very Fine and exceptional set of plate blocks, Rarely offered intact**; with 1998 P.F. certificate for 5¢ Nebraska and 2002 P.S.E. certificate for 10¢ Nebraska.
Scott No. **658-679** $9,578

1453 ** **1929, 8¢ Kans.,** o.g., never hinged, strong bold color, attractive margins and centering, **Extremely Fine**; with 2015 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (90)**.
Scott No. **666** $145



1454 ** **1932, 3¢ Washington, Rotary Press Printing, Horizontal Coil, Small Holes Variety,** pair, o.g., never hinged, **F.-V.F.,** issue is **unlisted with this variety** and is much earlier than those Scott listed varieties, possibly the only certified example of this variety existing; with 2018 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **721 var.** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000



1455 ** **1934, 5¢ Yellowstone National Park, Horizontal Pair, Imperf Vertically,** o.g., never hinged, strong color and nicely centered, **Very Fine,** rare with only 50 pairs issued.
Scott No. **744a**. $2,750



1456 ** **1934, 7¢ Acadia National Park, Perforated,** o.g., never hinged, perfect centering with large margins, **Superb, the ultimate grade of 100**; with 2020 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (100)**.
Scott No. **746**; $1 . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



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1457 P **1938, 1½¢ Martha Washington, Small Die Proof on Wove Paper,** measuring 32x35mm with large 6mm margins, mounted on a quadrille card, W.K. Schrage, designer; L.C. Kauffmann, vignette engraver, **Extremely Fine.**
Scott No. **805P2** $3,000

A VERY RARE SMALL DIE PROOF AND IS THE ONLY EXAMPLE WE ARE AWARE OF TO DATE.



1458 ** **1938, $5 Coolidge, Red Brown & Black Color Error,** o.g., never hinged, **Very Fine and scarce**; with 2003 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **834a** $3,000

A CHOICE EXAMPLE OF THE $5.00 PRESIDENTIAL IN THE RARE RED BROWN AND BLACK COLOR.

1459 **❒ **1943, 5¢ Overrun Countries: Yugoslavia, Reverse Printing of Flag Colors,** complete sheet of 50, o.g., never hinged, **Very Fine and scarce.**
Scott No. **917a** $1,000

1460 ** **1954, 2¢ Jefferson, Experimental Silkote Paper,** bottom margin single, o.g., never hinged, **fresh and Very Fine**; with 2000 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **1033a** $275

1461 **❒ **1954, 2¢ Jefferson, Experimental Silkote Paper,** top left plate no. "25062" block of 4, o.g., never hinged, fresh and pristine, **F.-V.F.,** an attractive example of this rare plate block; with 1999 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **1033a** $2,000

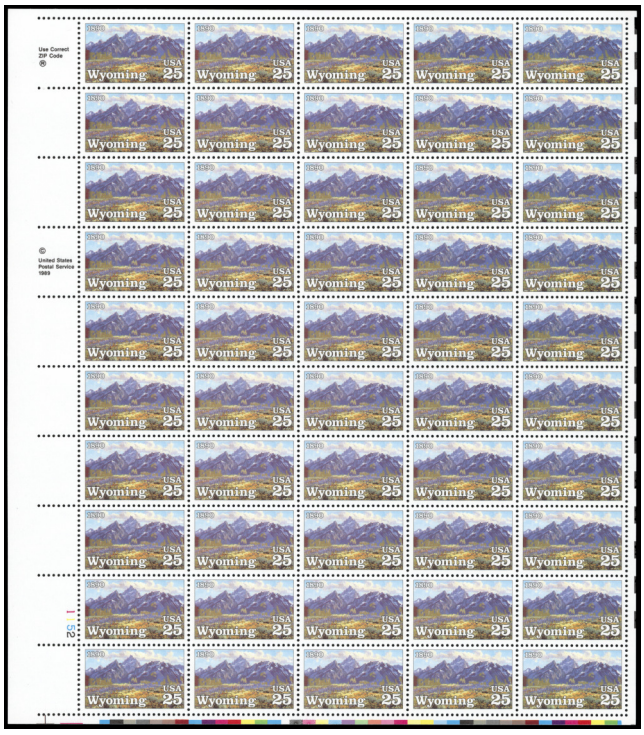
1462 ** **1966, 3¢ Statue of Liberty, Horizontal Coil, Tagged, Look Magazine Printing,** joint line pair, o.g., never hinged, rich color and P.O. fresh, **F.-V.F.**; with 2023 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **1057c** $350

1463 **❒ **1960, 4¢ Boy Scouts,** complete sheet of 50, o.g., never hinged, **signed by designed Norman Rockwell** in left sheet margin, **Very Fine**; with 2023 P.F. certificate (no photo).
Scott No. **1145** . . . . . Estimate $100 - 150

1464 ** **1972, 8¢ Stamp Collecting, Black (Litho.) Omitted,** o.g., never hinged, bright and fresh, **Very Fine,** very scarce with only 80-100 reported.
Scott No. **1474a** $325

1465 ** **1984, 20¢ Preserving Wetlands, Horizontal Pair, Imperf Vertically,** o.g., never hinged, bright and fresh, **F.-V.F.,** very scarce with only 95-120 pairs reported.
Scott No. **2092a** . . . . . $275 for pair

1466 ** **1989, $2.40 Moon Landing, Imperf Pair,** upper left corner margin pair with plate #1, o.g., never hinged, **Extremely Fine**; with 1990 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **2419b** $350



1467 **❒ **1990, 25¢ Wyoming Statehood, Black (Engraved) Omitted,** complete sheet of 50, o.g., never hinged, bright and Post Office fresh, **Very Fine,** with Datz reporting only 80 mint examples recorded of which 10 are affixed to cards; with 2023 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **2444a** . . . . . $45,000 for singles

A RARE AND QUITE POSSIBLE UNIQUE COMPLETE SHEET OF THE 1990 25¢ WYOMING STATEHOOD WITH ENGRAVED BLACK OMITTED.



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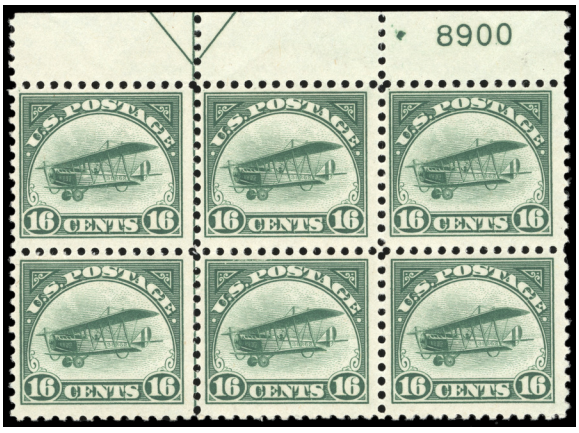
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1468 **❐ **1993, 29¢ National Postal Museum, Se-Tenant Strip of 4, Imperf,** o.g., never hinged, bright and fresh, **Very Fine,** this is the only known strip recorded.
Scott No. **2782c** . . . . . $2,500 for block

1469 B* **1996, 32¢ Love, Self-Adhesive, Red (Engraved "Love") Missing,** top three stamps in complete booklet 20, showing **dramatic 40mm+ downward color mis-registration shift of red "Love", fresh and Very Fine,** a rare color mis-registration shift error, unlisted but unpriced in the Scott catalog.
Scott No. **3030d** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500



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Airmail Issues

1470 **❐ **1918, 6¢ Orange,** left margin block of 16 with arrow, o.g., never hinged, one stamp with natural inclusion, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **C1**. $1,760

1471 **❐ **1918, 6¢ Orange,** top margin plate #9155 block of 6 with arrow, o.g., never hinged, **Very Fine and attractive.**
Scott No. **C1**. $700

1472 **❐ **1918, 16¢ Green,** top margin plate block of 6 with plate number "8900" and arrow, o.g., never hinged, well centered & fresh, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **C2**. $1,350

1473 *❐ **1918, 16¢ Green,** top margin plate #8900 block of 6 with arrow, o.g., lightly hinged, **fresh and F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **C2**. $900

1474 ** **1918, 24¢ Carmine Rose & Blue, "Grounded Fast Plane" Variety,** with vignette into well into frame at bottom and left, o.g., never hinged, well centered amid full nicely balanced margins, rich colors, **Very Fine,** this grounded example of the fast plane variety is much scarcer than the normal fast plane.
Scott No. **C3** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

1475 **❐ **1918, 24¢ Carmine Rose & Blue,** centerline block of 4, o.g., never hinged, fresh with strong bright color, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **C3** . . . . . $520 for n.h. singles

1476 *❐ **1918, 24¢ Carmine Rose & Blue,** top margin plate block of 12 with plate numbers & arrow, o.g., hinged, weak vertical perfs in center row, **fresh and F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **C3**. $1,250

1477 **❐ **1923, 16¢ Dark Blue,** top margin plate block of 6 with plate number, o.g., never hinged, **fresh and F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **C5**. $2,000

1478 *❐ **1923, 16¢ Dark Blue,** left margin plate block of 6 with plate number "14828", o.g., one stamp lightly hinged, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **C5**. $1,300



1479 ** **1923, 24¢ Carmine,** o.g., never hinged, extraordinarily well centered within large even margins, deep intense color and very fresh, **a Superb gem**; with 2013 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (100, SSV $3,500)**.
Scott No. **C6**. $130

AN OUTSTANDING EXAMPLE AND BY WAY OF COMPARISON, THE P.S.E. HAS NONE GRADED HIGHER, AND HAS A SMQ VALUE OF $3,750.



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1480 *❐ **1923, 24¢ Carmine,** left margin plate block of 6 with plate number, o.g., one stamp lightly hinged, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **C6** $1,700

1481 ** **1930, Graf Zeppelin Complete,** o.g., never hinged, each with exceptional centering and rich vibrant colors, **Extremely Fine to Superb,** a gem matched set; each with 2004 P.S.E. certificate all **Graded (XF-Superb 95, SMQ $3,350)**.
Scott No. **C13-C15** $1,675

1482 * **1930, Graf Zeppelin Complete,** o.g., rich colors and all well centered, **a Very Fine set.**
Scott No. **C13-C15** $1,080

1483 * **1930, Graf Zeppelin Complete,** o.g., lightly hinged, **fresh and Extremely Fine**; each with A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **C13-C15** $1,080

1484 * **1930, Graf Zeppelin Complete,** o.g., rich colors, 65¢ with couple small hinge thins, **otherwise F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **C13-C15** $1,080

1485 **/*❐ **1930, Graf Zeppelin Complete,** bottom margin blocks of 4 with plate numbers, o.g., hinge remnants at top, bottom stamps never hinged, all with strong bright colors, 65¢ with some gum skips, **a Very Fine set.**
Scott No. **C13-C15** . . . . . $5,510 for singles

1486 *❐ **1930, Graf Zeppelin Complete,** matched set of bottom margin plate blocks of 6, o.g., hinged, **fresh and F.-V.F. set of plates.**
Scott No. **C13-C15** $10,350

1487 o **1930, Graf Zeppelin Complete,** $1.30 toning mostly on back, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **C13-C15** $1,070

1488 ** **1930, 65¢ Graf Zeppelin,** o.g., never hinged, choice centering and margins, **Extremely Fine to Superb**; with 2024 P.F. certificate **Graded (XF-Superb 95, SMQ $600)**.
Scott No. **C13** $250

1489 ** **1930, 65¢ Graf Zeppelin,** o.g., never hinged, choice centering and margins, **Extremely Fine to Superb**; with 2016 P.S.E. certificate **Graded (XF-Superb 95, SMQ $600)**.
Scott No. **C13** $250


GRAF ZEPPELIN
EUROPE-PAN AMERICA FLIGHT
65c
UNITED STATES POSTAGE
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GRAF ZEPPELIN
EUROPE-PAN AMERICA FLIGHT
$1.30
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GRAF ZEPPELIN
EUROPE-PAN AMERICA FLIGHT
$2.60
UNITED STATES POSTAGE
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EUROPE-PANAMERICA FLIGHT
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1490 o **1930, 65¢ Graf Zeppelin,** attractive cancel, **an Extremely Fine jumbo**; with 2023 P.S.E. certificate **Graded (XF 90J, SMQ $425)**.
Scott No. **C13** $160

1491 ** **1930, $1.30 Graf Zeppelin,** o.g., never hinged, choice centering and margins, **Extremely Fine to Superb**; with 2024 P.F. certificate **Graded (XF-Superb 95, SMQ $1,250)**.
Scott No. **C14** $575

1492 ** **1930, $2.60 Graf Zeppelin,** o.g., never hinged (small natural gum skips), **Very Fine to Extremely Fine**; with 2024 P.F. certificate **Graded (VF-XF 85, SMQ $1,000)**.
Scott No. **C15** $850

1493 ** **1930, $2.60 Graf Zeppelin,** o.g., never hinged, especially well centered, deep color, **Very Fine and choice**; with 2020 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (80)**.
Scott No. **C15** $850

1494 * **1930, $2.60 Graf Zeppelin,** o.g., barest trace of hinge (appears n.h.), **Extremely Fine**; with 2011 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (XF 90, SMQ $650)**.
Scott No. **C15** $525

1495 o **1930, $2.60 Graf Zeppelin,** beautifully centered with large even margins, neat slogan cancel, **Extremely Fine to Superb, a lovely Zeppelin**; with 2020 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (95, SSV $1,175)**.
Scott No. **C15** $550

1496 **❒ **1933, 50¢ "Chicago" Zeppelin,** bottom margin plate block of 6 with plate #21172, o.g., never hinged, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **C18** $600

1497 **❒ **1938, 6¢ Eagle, Vertical Pair, Imperf Horizontally,** right margin block of 4 with horizontal guide line, o.g., never hinged, **Extremely Fine position block of this error.**
Scott No. **C23a** . . . . . $600 for two pairs



1498 B** **1964, $2 Airmail Booklet, Red Cover, Slogan 3,** containing 25 8¢ carmine (C64) in complete and unexploded booklet, o.g., never hinged, **Extremely Fine**; with 2002 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **BKC14** $3,500

AN OUTSTANDING RARITY AND A KEY TO A COMPLETE BOOKLET COLLECTION.



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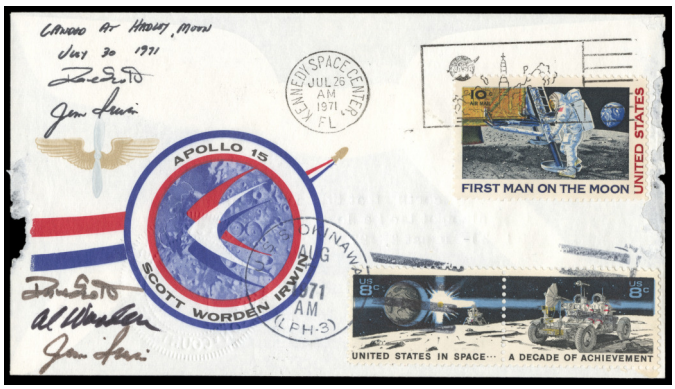
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1499 * **1971 Apollo 15 Moon Landing,** unaddressed cachet flown cover franked with **Airmail, 1969, 10¢ Moon Landing** tied by "Kennedy Space Center, FL, Jul 26, 1971" slogan machine cancel and **1971, 8¢ Space Achievement, se-tenant pair** (1435b) tied by "U.S.S. Okinawa, Aug 7, 1971 (LPH-3)" postmark, endorsed and astronaut signed "Carried At Hadley, Moon, July 30, 1991, David Scott" and countersigned "James Irwin", with all three astronauts signing at lower left "David Scott, Al Worden, James Irwin", reverse with penned "#035" and initialed in corner with Sieger handstamp, cacheted "This is to certified that this cover was onboard the Falcon at the Hadley-Apennine, Moon, July 30-August 2, 1871" and notarized; cover edge defects at sides likely due to the conflict during the mission or with NASA, **still Very Fine.**
Scott No. **C76** . . . . . Estimate $2,000 - 3,000

A RARE FLOWN COVER FROM THE 1971 APOLLO 15 MOON LANDING.

Apollo 15 was the 9th crewed mission in the United States' Apollo program and the fourth to land on the Moon. Controversy regarding these covers can be found at (en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Apollo_15_postal_covers_incident).

Special Delivery Issues

1500 ** **1885, 10¢ Blue,** o.g., never hinged, excellent centering, **Extremely Fine,** with only seven graded higher; with 1989 P.F. & 2003 P.S.E. certificates, the latter **Graded (XF 90, SMQ $3,000)**.
Scott No. **E1** $1,250

1501 ** **1885, 10¢ Blue,** o.g., never hinged, **fresh and F.-V.F.**; with photocopy of 1992 P.F. certificate for block of four.
Scott No. **E1** $1,300

1502 * **1888, 10¢ Blue,** o.g., faintest trace very lightly hinged, **Extremely Fine, an under catalogued stamp**; with photocopy of 1992 P.F. certificate for block of 4.
Scott No. **E2** $500

1503 o **1894, 10¢ Blue, Unwatermarked,** unobtrusive cancel, **an Extremely Fine gem.**
Scott No. **E4** $110



1504 ** **1902, 10¢ Ultramarine,** o.g., never hinged, wonderful centering, bright color, **Extremely Fine to Superb,** ***quite scarce this nice***; with 2019 P.S.A.G certificate **Grade (95, SSV $3,750)**.
Scott No. **E6** $500

1505 o **1908, 10¢ Green,** beautifully centered with fresh color, unobtrusive light corner cancel, **a Superb gem**; with 2020 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (98, SSV $1,150)**.
Scott No. **E7** $50



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1506 ** **1914, 10¢ Ultramarine,** o.g., never hinged, **an Extremely Fine gem with enormous margins.**
Scott No. **E9** $425

1507 ** **1914, 10¢ Ultramarine,** o.g., never hinged, large even margins, vivid color, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine**; with 2020 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (85, SSV $500)**.
Scott No. **E9** $425

1508 ** **1914, 10¢ Ultramarine,** top margin single with plate number "6046", o.g., never hinged, perfectly centered with huge margins, **an Extremely Fine to Superb jumbo**; with 2019 P.S.A.G certificate **Grade (95J, SMQ $2,000)**.
Scott No. **E9** $190

1509 ** **1916, 10¢ Pale Ultramarine,** o.g., never hinged, **Very Fine**; with 1992 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **E10** $750

1510 **❐ **1917, 10¢ Ultramarine,** top margin plate no. "13553" block of 6, o.g., never hinged, well centered amid wide margins, fresh with rich color, **Very Fine,** a choice plate block.
Scott No. **E11** $1,100

Registry

1511 **❐ **1911, 10¢ Registry,** top margin plate block of 6, o.g., never hinged, selvage trimmed at top, **F.-V.F., a rare plate block.**
Scott No. **F1** $2,500

Postage Due Issues

1512 * **1879, 2¢ Brown,** o.g., lightly hinged, **fresh and F.-V.F.**; with 1990 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **J2** $450

1513 * **1879, 10¢ Brown,** o.g., faintest trace very lightly hinged (if at all), fresh, **an Extremely Fine gem, Rare so choice**; with 1983 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **J5** $950

1514 * **1879, 30¢ Brown,** o.g., faint trace very lightly hinged (if at all), **fresh and Extremely Fine**; with 1987 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **J6** $425

1515 * **1879, 50¢ Brown,** o.g., lightly hinged, fresh color, **Very Fine and attractive**; with 1990 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **J7** $625

1516 * **1884, 3¢ Red Brown,** o.g., small hinge remnant, fresh color, **F.-V.F., a lovely example of this key value**; with 1991 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **J17** $1,050

1517 * **1884, 10¢ Red Brown,** disturbed o.g., deep color, **fresh and Very Fine**; with 1993 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **J19** $550



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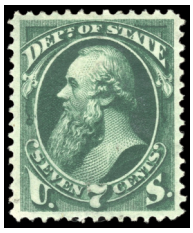
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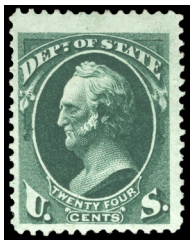
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1518 * **1884, 50¢ Red Brown,** o.g., hinge remnant, **fresh and Very Fine, a rare stamp**; with 1989 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **J21** $1,900



1519 * **1894, 1¢ Vermilion,** o.g., very lightly hinged, **Very Fine and Rare Postage Due**; with 1995 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **J29** $2,400



1520 * **1894, 2¢ Vermilion,** o.g., very lightly hinged, bright color with sharp impression, **an Extremely Fine gem**; with 1992 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **J30** $800

1521 * **1894, 10¢ Deep Claret,** o.g., very lightly hinged, **Extremely Fine and attractive**; with 1995 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **J35** $350

1522 ** **1895, 30¢ Pale Rose,** o.g., never hinged, **Very Fine and choice**; with 1989 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **J36b** $1,100



1523 * **1895, 50¢ Deep Claret,** o.g., lightly hinged, **Very Fine and attractive,** *a Rare Postage Due*; with 1995 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **J37** $1,800



1524 * **1897, 30¢ Deep Claret,** o.g., very lightly hinged, well centered with large margins, bright color and sharp impression, **Extremely Fine**; with 2006 P.F. certificate **Graded (XF 90)**.
Scott No. **J43** $600

1525 * **1896, 50¢ Deep Claret,** o.g., lightly hinged, **Extremely Fine and choice**; with 1990 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **J44** $375

1526 * **1910, 3¢ Deep Claret,** o.g., hinged, **Very Fine and scarce**; with 1994 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **J47** $625

1527 * **1912, 50¢ Deep Claret,** o.g., hinged, **F.-V.F. and scarce**; with 1991 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **J50** $1,100



1528 * **1914, 3¢ Carmine Lake,** o.g., lightly hinged, bright color, **fresh and Very Fine, a Scarce Postage Due**; with 1994 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **J54** $1,050



1529 o **1914, 50¢ Carmine Lake,** pre-cancelled as usual, **fresh and Very Fine,** *a nice example of this famously Scarce Postage Due in especially nice condition*; with 1984 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **J58** $1,700

1530 * **1916, 1¢ Rose,** o.g., lightly hinged, **fresh and F.-V.F., Extremely Rare Postage Due**; with 1992 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **J59** $4,000

Offices in China



1531 **/* **1919-22, 2¢-$2 Complete including the 2 Shades,** o.g., K13 and K18 never hinged, rest hinged (most lightly), K6 small thin, **otherwise a Very Fine to Extremely Fine set**; each with certificate (four with APS & balance with P.F.).
Scott No. **K1-K18** $2,400

1532 * **1919-22, 2¢-$2 Complete,** o.g., rich and bright colors throughout, 4¢ on 2¢ local print with natural s.e., **a Fine set.**
Scott No. **K1-K18** $2,120

1533 o **1919-22, 2¢-$2 Shanghais Complete** (includes shades #K8a and #K11a), **a F.-V.F. set that is far scarcer used.**
Scott No. **K1-K20** $5,025

1534 o❐ **1919, 2¢ on 1¢ Green,** block of 4, "U.S.P.O. Shanghai, China" duplex cancel, deep color, **F.-V.F.**; with 2004 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **K1** $375

1535 o❐ **1919, 10¢ on 5¢ Blue,** block of 4, nicely centered, unobtrusive cancel, deep color, **F.-V.F. and scarce**; with 2018 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **K5** $675

1536 *❐ **1919, 24¢ on 12¢ Brown Carmine,** top margin plate no. "6934" block of 6, o.g., rich color, centered right, **Fine.**
Scott No. **K11** $1,000

1537 ** **1919, 40¢ on 20¢ Deep Ultramarine,** o.g., never hinged, beautifully centered, Post Office fresh, **Extremely Fine and choice**; with 2023 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (90, SSV $750)**.
Scott No. **K13** $300

1538 ** **1919, 40¢ on 20¢ Deep Ultramarine,** o.g., never hinged, fresh, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **K13** $300



1539 * **1919, $1 on 50¢ Light Violet,** o.g., lightly hinged, rich color, **Extremely Fine and Choice Key value**; with 1996 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **K15** $550

1540 * **1919, $2 on $1 Violet Brown,** o.g., very lightly hinged, well centered, deep color, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine**; with 2018 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (85, SSV $500)**.
Scott No. **K16** $425

Officials

1541 * **State Dept., 1873, 7¢ Dark Green,** o.g., choice centering amid well balanced margins, rich deep color, **Extremely Fine**; with 2010 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (90, SSV $675)**.
Scott No. **O61** $290

1542 * **State Dept., 1873, 24¢ Dark Green,** o.g., very lightly hinged, deep rich color, large margins, **Very Fine**; with 2018 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **O65** $550

1543 * **Treasury Dept., 1873, 10¢ Brown,** rich color, well centered, **Very Fine,** much scarcer than normal; with 2020 P.S.A.G. certificate.
Scott No. **O77** $240

1544 * **War Dept., 1873, 1¢ Rose,** o.g., very lightly hinged, wonderfully centered, fresh color, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine**; with 2020 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (85, SSV $350)**.
Scott No. **O83** $240

1545 * **Interior Dept., 1879, 12¢ Vermilion,** o.g., very lightly hinged, fresh color, well centered, **Very Fine**; with 2017 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (80)**.
Scott No. **O101** $230



1546 * **Treasury Dept., 1879, 90¢ Brown,** o.g., lightly hinged, centered low with nicely balanced margins around, rich color and very fresh, **Fine and attractive,** with most mint examples faulty or perfs into the design; with 2005 & 2014 P.F. certificates, the latter **Graded (Fine 70)**.
Scott No. **O113**. $10,000

A RARE SOUND ORIGINAL GUM EXAMPLE OF THE 1879 90¢ TREASURY DEPT AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO. ISSUE.

Official Seals - Typeset

1547 *❐ **Typeset Seal, Black on White, Rouletted,** tête-bêche block of four, Setting 1, containing four types with roulette 12½ at left and top and roulette 11½ at right and bottom, original gum; two stain spots at top, **Fine appearance, rare with only three panes recorded**.
Scott No. **LOX8, LOX8a-c**. . . . . Estimate $100 - 150

1548 *❐ **Typeset Seal, Black, Rouletted 11½ at Top and Side,** setting 3, complete pane of four, o.g., light diagonal crease affects three and stain affects right pair, **Very Fine appearance,** one of **only three recorded panes**.
Scott No. **LOX11f**. $750

Newspaper Stamps

1549 * **1879, 36¢ Red,** o.g., lightly hinged, very well centered, deep color, **Extremely Fine and scarce**; with 2021 P.S.A.G. certificate.
Scott No. **PR65** $1,000

1550 ** **1885, 1¢ Black,** o.g., never hinged, well centered amid large oversized margins, rich bold color, **an Extremely Fine jumbo**; with 2010 P.F. certificate **Graded (XF 90 XQ, SSV $200 for hinged 90)**.
Scott No. **PR81** $225



1551 ** **1894, 4¢ Intense Black,** o.g., never hinged, well centered, bright color, **Very Fine and choice, a lovely mint example**; with 2020 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (80)**.
Scott No. **PR92** $1,275



1552 * **1894, 12¢ Pink,** o.g., lightly hinged, great centering with bright fresh color, **an Extremely Fine gem**; with 2018 P.F. certificate **Graded (XF 90, SSV $5,000)**.
Scott No. **PR95** $2,400

AN OUTSTANDING EXAMPLE OF THIS RARE NEWSPAPER STAMP.



1553 ** **1895, 5¢ Black,** o.g., never hinged, beautifully centered, vivid color, Post Office fresh, **Extremely Fine and choice**; with 2018 P.S.A G. certificate **Graded (90, SSV $1,550)**.
Scott No. **PR104** $650



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1554 o **1896, $20 Slate,** beautiful color and centering, neatly canceled, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine**; with 2014 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (85, SSV $290)**.
Scott No. **PR123** $200

Parcel Post

1555 * **1913, 1¢-$1 Complete,** o.g., hinged, **a F.-V.F. set**; most high values with certificates.
Scott No. **Q1-Q12** $861

1556 *❐ **1913, 10¢ Steamship and Mail Tender,** bottom margin plate no. "6162" block of 4 with imprint, o.g., lightly hinged, nicely centered, fresh with bold color, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **Q6** $400

1557 **/*❐ **1913, 20¢ Airplane Carrying Mail,** block of 4, o.g., lightly hinged at top, bottom stamps never hinged, intense color and attractively centered, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **Q8** . . . . . $740 for singles

1558 o **1913, $1 Fruit Growing,** beautifully centered with huge margins, unobtrusive cancel, **Extremely Fine to Superb**; with 2020 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (95, SSV $350)**.
Scott No. **Q12** $40



1559 ** **1913, 25¢ Dark Green,** o.g., never hinged, **an Extremely Fine gem**; with 2004 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **JQ5** $185

Carrier Issues

1560 P **1851 (1¢) Franklin, Small Die Proof,** on original gray card, bright and fresh with rich color, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **LO1P2** $300

1561 o **Carrier, 1851 (1¢) Franklin,** large margins, socked-on-the-nose **red Philadelphia star** cancel, faults, including thinning and small sealed tears, **Very Fine appearance.**
Scott No. **LO1** $8,000

1562 * **Boston, Mass., 1849-50, 1¢ Blue,** o.g., lightly hinged, fresh with nice margin, **Very Fine and choice**; with 2021 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **3LB1** $375

Local Issues

1563 (*) **Adams' City Express Post, 1850-51, 2¢ Blue,** position 48, no gum, large margins and bright paper, **Extremely Fine,** a very scarce stamp, listed but unpriced in Scott; with 2023 P.F. certificate **Graded (XF 90)**.
Scott No. **2L5** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1564 (*) **Adams' City Express Post, 1850-51, 2¢ Blue,** position 45-46, horizontal pair, no gum, large margins and bright paper, **Extremely Fine,** a very scarce stamp, listed but unpriced in Scott; with 2023 P.F. certificate **Graded (XF 90)**.
Scott No. **2L5** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350



1565 o **American Letter Mail Co., 1844, Black on Gray,** vertical pair, manuscript cancel, ample to mostly large margins, **Very Fine and choice,** a very scare used multiple; with 2017 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **5L2** . . . . . $500 for singles

1566 (*) **Bicycle Mail Route, 1894, 25¢ Green,** no gum, bold color, **Very Fine,** far scarcer than catalog would suggest.
Scott No. **12L1** $150

1567 (*)❐ **Boyd's City Dispatch, 1874, 2¢ Light Blue,** block of 9, no gum, full margins and rich color, light vertical crease affecting first vertical row and tiny thin in bottom right stamp, **otherwise Very Fine,** a very scarce large multiple.
Scott No. **20L26** $315

1568 * **Boyd's Dispatch, 1878, Black on Orange Red,** o.g., exceptional centering amid well balanced margins, bright and fresh, **an Extremely Fine gem,** scarce so nice; with 2022 P.F. certificate **Graded (XF-S 95)**.
Scott No. **20L43A** $150

1569 * **Broadway Post Office, 1851 (1¢) Black,** full o.g., ample to large margins, **Very Fine and choice,** a very scarce mint stamp, far scarcer than Scott catalog would suggest; with 2016 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **26L2** $250



1570 o **Hartford, Conn. Mail Route, 1844 (5¢) Black on Yellow,** position 9, manuscript "Paid" and dashes cancel, margins ample to slightly in, **F.-V.F.,** a very rare used example of this Hartford Mail Route issue.
Scott No. **80L1** $2,000



1571 o **Humboldt Express, 1863, 25¢ Brown,** light blue "Langton's Pioneer Express" oval cancel, large margins to just touched at right, **Extremely Fine**; with 2002 A.P.S. and 2010 P.F. certificates.
Scott No. **86L1** $1,250

A RARE SOUND USED EXAMPLE OF THE 25¢ HUMBOLDT EXPRESS STAMP, ONE OF THE FINEST OFF COVER EXAMPLES KNOWN.

1572 * **Hussey's Post, 1877, Black,** o.g., large to huge margins, **Extremely Fine,** one of the finest of this rare and grossly undercataloged provisional issue; with 2016 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **87L55** $175

1573 (*) **Hussey's Post, 1877, Black,** no gum, large to huge margins, bold color on bright paper, **Extremely Fine and choice,** quite scarce; with 2016 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **87L56** $350

1574 * **Ledger Dispatch, 1882, Rose,** o.g., hinge remnant, horizontal crease, **Very Fine appearance,** this Brooklyn post was suppressed after a brief time in 1882.
Scott No. **95L1** $300

1575 * **Loomis Letter Express, 1868 (5¢) Rose,** o.g. (album adherence on gum), ample to large margins, **Very Fine,** scarce and underpriced in the Scott catalog; with 2022 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **98L1** $300



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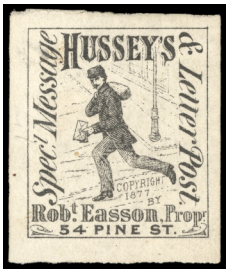
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1576 o **Robison & Co., 1855-56, 1¢ Black on Blue,** margins large to clear at top left, light stain at bottom left, **Very Fine appearance,** an **Extremely Rare Example of the Robison & Co. Stamp with Only 8 Recorded Examples**; with 2004 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **128L1** $4,750

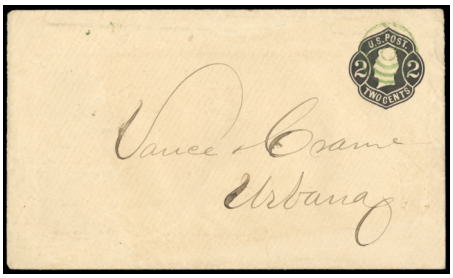
1577 (*) **Wells Fargo & Co., 1861, $2 Red & $2 Green,** no gum, full margins, strong bright colors, **Very Fine**; each with 2022 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **143L1, 143L4** $750

1578 (*)❐ **Wells Fargo & Co., 1861, $1 Red,** top margin block of 6, no gum, full well balanced margins, fresh with rich color, **Very Fine and choice,** a scarce position multiple.
Scott No. **143L3** . . . . . $1,450 for block of 4 & singles

1579 (*) **Wells Fargo & Co., 1861, $2 Green,** horizontal pair, no gum, full margins, rich bold color, **Very Fine,** a scarce multiple.
Scott No. **143L4** . . . . . $950 for singles



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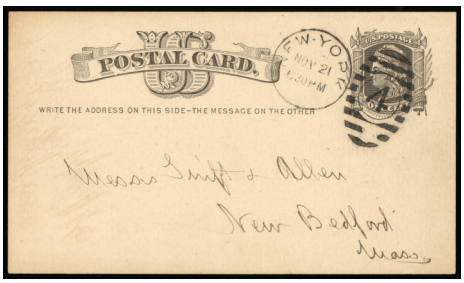
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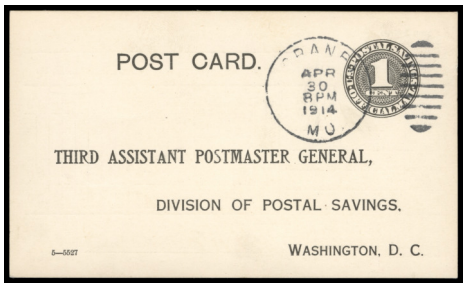
Postal Stationery

1580 ✉ **1854, 3¢ Red, "THREE" in Short Label With Octagonal Ends,** entire canceled by choice strike of "Trevilian's Depot, Va., June 1" cds and addressed to Leesburg, Va., **Very Fine,** a lovely usage of this scarce entire.
Scott No. **U5** $800

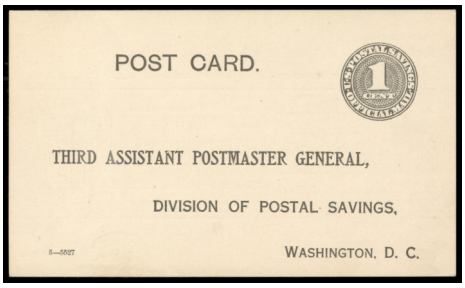


1581 ✉ **1860, 3¢+1¢ Red & Blue, Compound Star Die,** entire addressed to "**Brig. Gel. G.S. Greene U.S.A., Genl. Slocum's 12th Army Corps, near Fairfax Station, Virginia**", uprated with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) all tied by "New York, Jan 12, 1863" cds and circle of wedges duplex; small stamp and cover flaws, **F.-V.F.,** a rare uprated usage of the 3¢+1¢ Star Die entire; with 2004 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **U28** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

1582 ✉ **1864, 2¢ Black on Buff, "U.S. POST" Above, Narrow Design,** canceled by "**green target**" handstamp and addressed to Urbana, O., with 1865 printed circular from Dayton, O., **Very Fine and choice,** a very rare color cancellation on a 2¢ Jackson entire; with 2018 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **U50** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600



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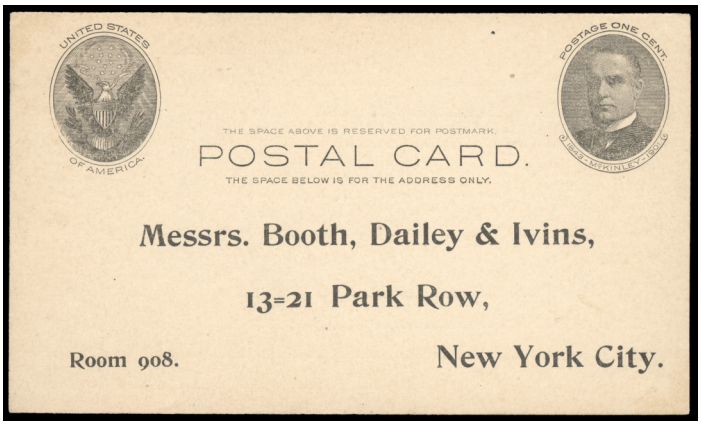
1583 * **1951, 6¢ on 5¢ Carmine, Double Surcharge,** entire, bright and fresh, hint of pencil notation at center (not mentioned on certificate), **otherwise Very Fine,** very scarce; with 1999 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **UC20b** $975

Postal Cards

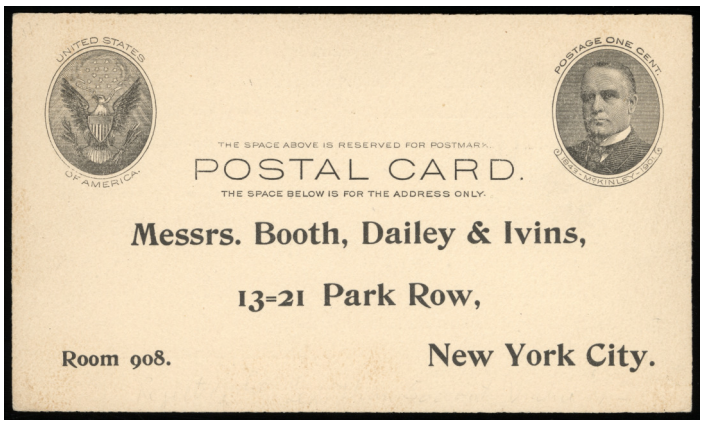
1584 P **1873, 1¢ Liberty, Trial Color Proofs,** 4 different cards; includes UX3TC orange brown on buff card with small watermark, others no watermark #UX3TCO-m, UX3TCO-e, and UX3TCO-b; couple with minor toning on reverse, **still Very Fine.**
Scott No. **UX3TC** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

1585 ✉ **1875, 1¢ Black on Buff,** watermarked Small U.S.P.O.D., addressed to New Bedford, Mass. and canceled by "New York, Nov 21" duplex postmark, 1876 docketing on reverse, **fresh and Very Fine**; with 1990 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **UX4** $350

1586 ✉ **1875, 1¢ Black on Buff,** unwatermarked, manuscript canceled and addressed to Bradford, Me., with **unusual manuscript "1lb. Box Tea from, Argyle, Me., Dec 8/79" directive postmark**, card with additional **1873, 3¢ green, block of and single** (158) both with s.e. at right and manuscript canceled, with **added franking paying the newly established one pound four class rate for the tea box**; block with small edge flaws and cert stating 3¢ issue is the A.B.N.Co. printing which is in error, **F.-V.F.,** a very unusual usage; with 2005 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **UX5** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



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1587 * **1902, 1¢ Black on Buff, the "Full-Face McKinley",** unused card with preprinted Messrs. Booth, Dailey & Ivins address and instructions to tug boat captain on reverse, the so-called "garbage card", couple natural paper inclusions showing on front, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **UX17** $2,500

1588 * **1902, 1¢ Black on Buff, the "Full-Face McKinley",** unused card with preprinted Messrs. Booth, Dailey & Ivins address and instructions to tug boat captain on reverse, the so-called "garbage card"; hint of mounting reside on reverse, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **UX17** $2,500

1589 * **1913, 1¢ Black,** entire canceled by "Grange, Mo., Apr 30, 1914" duplex postmark, **Extremely Fine.**
Scott No. **UZ1** $500

1590 *✉ **1913, 1¢ Black, fresh and Extremely Fine.**
Scott No. **UZ1** $700

Revenue Issues

First Issue

1591 * **1862, First Issue, 1¢ Playing Cards, Part Perf,** vertical pair, 1863 manuscript cancels, few scissors blunted perforations at right center, **otherwise Fine,** rare pair of the 1¢ Playing Card part perforated issue, and rarely offered at auction; with 2010 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **R2b** $5,000



1592 o **1871, First Issue, 6¢ Proprietary, Perf'd,** bold socked on the nose "**Charles Osgood May 1, 1871**" handstamp cancel, small repair, **lovely Fine appearance,** a very early usage and may well be the earliest known.
Scott No. **R31c** $1,800

Scott Catalogue notes "Nearly all examples of No. R31 are faulty and poorly centered. The catalogue value is for a fine centered stamp with minor faults which do not detract from its appearance.".

1593 o **1871, First Issue, 6¢ Proprietary, Perf'd,** cancellation removed, nice color, light crease, **still Fine, an attractive example of this Scarce Revenue.**
Scott No. **R31c** $1,800

1594 * **1862, First Issue, 10¢ Certificate, Imperf,** light manuscript cancel, large well balanced margins, rich deep color, **Extremely Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **R33a** $400

1595 (*)❒ **1862, First Issue, 20¢ Inland Exchange, Part Perf,** top margin block of 6, no gum, bright color, defect at top right mostly in margin, **otherwise Fine,** the second largest multiple of this part-perf issue and mostly likely the largest mint multiple.
Scott No. **R42b** $323

1596 o **1862, First Issue, $1 Passage Ticket, Imperf,** fresh, excellent balanced margins, **Extremely Fine**; with 2023 P.S.E. certificate **Graded (XF 90)**.
Scott No. **R74a** $350

1597 o **1862, First Issue, $10 Probate of Will, Imperf,** neat "F.A. Nov. 27, 1863" manuscript cancel, deep color, clear to large margins, tiny filled thin, **F.-V.F. appearance**; with 2023 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **R96a** $3,500

1598 o/✉ **1862, First Issue, $20 Probate of Will, Perf'd,** manuscript cancel, **fresh Fine,** ***an attractive sound example of this scarce key first issue revenue issue***; with 1991 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **R99c** $3,000

1599 o **1864, First Issue, $200 U.S. Internal Revenue, Imperf,** manuscript cancel, four clear to large margins, rich colors, tiny surface scrape at bottom right, **otherwise Very Fine and attractive**; with 1989 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **R102a** $2,500

1600 o **1864, First Issue, $200 U.S. Internal Revenue, Perf'd,** neat 1870 manuscript cancel, nicely centered and strong colors, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **R102c** $650

1601 o **1864, First Issue, $200 U.S. Internal Revenue, Perf'd,** manuscript cancel, very fresh colors, **Very Fine**; with 1991 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **R102c** $650

1602 o **1864, First Issue, $200 U.S. Internal Revenue, Perf'd,** manuscript cancel, tiny thin speck and single nibbed perf at left, fresh colors, **otherwise Fine and a Very Popular Revenue**; with 2010 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **R102c** $650

Documentary Issues

1603 o **Documentary, 1871, Second Issue, $1.60 Blue & Black,** light manuscript cancel, **F.-V.F.**; with 1991 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **R121** $650

1604 o **Documentary, 1871, Second Issue, $1.90 Blue & Black,** neat **1872 datestamp** cancel, **Very Fine and attractive**; with 2003 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **R122** $400

1605 o **Documentary, 1871, Second Issue, $20 Blue & Black,** manuscript cancel, bright colors, **Fine and scarce**; with 1991 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **R129** $800



1606 o **Documentary, 1871, Second Issue, $200 Red, Blue & Black,** manuscript cancel, beautiful fresh colors, pulled perf at right, **F.-V.F., an exceptional example of this Rare stamp**; with 1991 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **R132** $6,500

1607 o **Documentary, 1874, Fourth Issue, 2¢ Orange & Black on Green, Center Inverted,** very fresh, small neat manuscript cancel, **Very Fine and choice**; with 2018 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **R151a** $800

1608 o **Documentary, 1899, $500 Hamilton,** without gum as issued, unobtrusive manuscript cancel, corner creases, **otherwise Very Fine, a very scarce stamp**; with 1991 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **R180** $1,000



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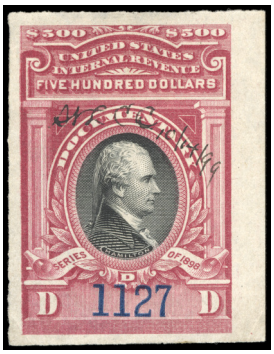
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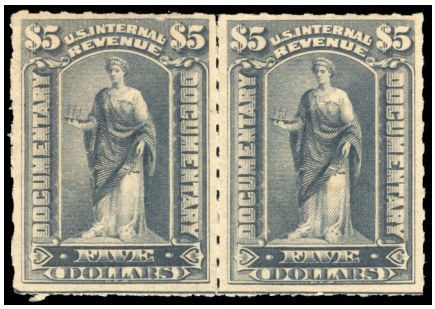
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1609 * **Documentary, 1900, $50 Gray, Surcharged with Open Numeral,** o.g., hinged, **Very Fine, a Beautiful example of a Rare mint stamp**; with 1992 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **R189** $2,750

1610 ** **Documentary, 1902, $5 Green, Surcharge Omitted,** horizontal pair, o.g., never hinged, weak and a couple of separated perfs, **Very Fine**; with 2004 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **R192a** $900

1611 o **Documentary, 1902, $50 Green, Surcharged with Ornamental Numeral,** manuscript cancel, **Fine and rare**; with 1992 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **R194** $1,250

1612 o **Documentary, 1914, $50 Liberty,** violet date cancel, **Very Fine and rare**; with 1991 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **R223** $1,250

1613 o **Documentary, 1914, $500 Hamilton,** faint cancel, corner crease, **otherwise Very Fine and scarce**; with 1991 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **R226** $650

1614 o **Documentary, 1914, $1,000 Madison,** purple straight line and manuscript cancels, bright color, **Very Fine and scarce**; with 1991 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **R227** $750






1615 o **Pacific Mail Steamship Co. Cancellations on Revenue Issues,** remarkable collection of **152 stamps bearing the straight line P.M.S.S. steamer name cancellations on First to Third issue revenues**; arranged on stock pages by ship names, starting with the **China Line** including Alaska (20) with values $1-$3, America (9) including on $5 Charter Party imperf x2 and Probate of Will perf'd, China (18), Colorado (1), Great Republic (17) and Japan (20) showing different handstamp types, **Shanghai Branch Line** with rare Costa Rica (1) on $3 Manifest perf'd and Oregonian (6), and the **Atlantic Line** with Arizona (13) including two with the New York company date stamp, Henry Chauncey (17, 1st, 2nd with red cancel & 3rd issues), Ocean Queen (9, 1st-3rd issues) and Rising Sun (21, 1st-3rd issues including red cancel on 2nd issue); includes three different P.M.S.S. date stamp handstamps on first issues revenues and on baggage ticket on later issue; condition a bit varied with clear strike or strikes throughout, **generally F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $20,000 - 30,000

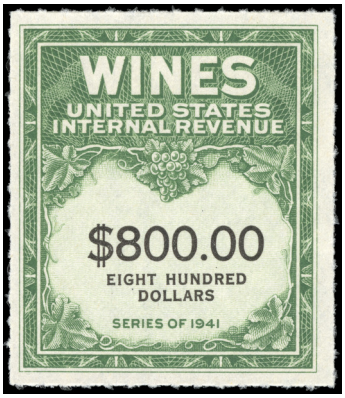
A WONDERFUL COLLECTION AND CERTAINLY ONE OF THE LARGEST HOLDING OF THESE SCARCE P.M.S.S. CO. STEAMSHIP CANCELLATIONS.



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Proprietary Issues

1616 o **Proprietary, 1873, 50¢ Green & Black, Violet Paper,** blue date stamp cancel, P.F. states "diagonal crease, stains and soiling" but they have little effect of the appearance, **Very Fine looking example of this Scarce stamp**; with 2010 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **RB8a** $1,000

1617 o **Proprietary, 1873, $1 Green & Black, Violet Paper,** two different violet handstamp cancels, corner crease and tiny thin spot, **F.-V.F. appearance a rare stamp**; with 1991 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **RB9a** $3,500



1618 (*) **Proprietary, 1873, $5 Green & Black, Violet Paper,** uncancelled (not listed thus in Scott), small thin and pinhole, great colors, wonderful centering, **Very Fine appearance**; with 1991 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **RB10a** . . . . . $11,000 for used

AN OUTSTANDING EXAMPLE OF THIS RARE STAMP WHICH IS ALWAYS PLAGUED BY FAULTS DUE TO ITS LARGE SIZE.

1619 o **Proprietary, 1875, 5¢ Black, Rouletted,** light violet manuscript cancel, faint crease and small thins, **lovely Fine appearance, a rare stamp**; with 2005 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **RB16c** $1,850

1620 o **Proprietary, 1875, 6¢ Violet Blue, Rouletted,** faint crease and small thin, **Very Fine appearance**; with 2010 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **RB17c** $1,100

1621 o **Proprietary, 1875, 6¢ Violet Blue, Rouletted,** neat straight line cancel, small shallow thins, **Very Fine appearance**; with 2005 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **RB17c** $1,100



1622 o **Proprietary, 1875, 6¢ Violet, Rouletted,** purple cancel, small thins and minor surface scuff, **Very Fine appearance and a very rare stamp**; with 2011 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **RB18c** $2,500



1623 ** **Proprietary, 1914, 4⅜¢ Black,** o.g., never hinged (light natural gum bend, not mentioned on cert.), **fresh and F.-V.F., a lovely example of this rare stamp**; with 1982 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **RB42** $3,000

This is a difficult issue to obtain with decent centering as many have perfs touching on one or two sides.



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Wine Stamps

1624 o **Wines, 1934, $20 Yellow Green,** unobtrusive cancel, usual staple holes, repaired thin at top, **Extremely Fine appearance, a rare stamp**; with 1991 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **RE107A** $2,500



1625 o **Wines, 1934, $50 Yellow Green, Perf 12 at Left,** unobtrusive straight line cancel, usual staple holes (filled in), **still Very Fine**; with 1991 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **RE107C** $10,000

ONE OF THE GREAT RARITIES OF ALL WINE STAMP ISSUES.

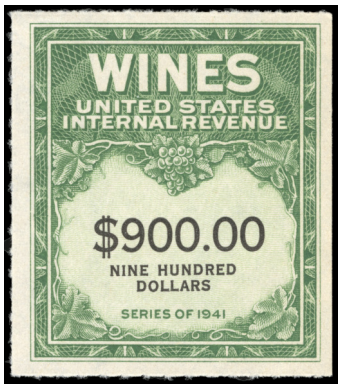
1626 o **Wines, 1934, $100 Yellow Green, Perf 12 at Left,** unobtrusive straight line cancel, vertical and small corner creases, **still for this Very Fine**; with 1991 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **RE107D** $1,000



1627 o **Wines, 1942, 28¢ Green & Black,** violet straight line cancel, **Very Fine**; with 1991 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **RE132** $2,500

CERTAINLY ONE OF THE NICEST EXAMPLES OF THIS RARE WINE STAMP.

1628 (*) **1942-1951, 6 7/10¢-$800 Complete Set of 13 of the Unused Only Issues,** no gum as issued**, Very Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **RE159A//RE184A** $1,950

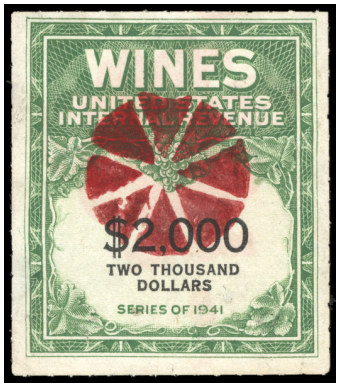


1629 (*) **Wines, 1942, $900 Yellow Green & Black,** without gum as issued, **fresh and Extremely Fine and choice**; with 2007 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **RE168** $2,500

A GORGEOUS EXAMPLE OF THIS KEY VALUE WINE STAMP.



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1630 o **Wines, 1942, $2,000 Yellow Green & Black,** magnificent bold strike **vibrant red cork fancy cancel**, certificate states "light abrasions" which is frankly being incredibly picky, **Extremely Fine appearance**; with 1991 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **RE170** $3,000

THIS IS A BEAUTIFUL EXAMPLE OF THIS RARE WINE STAMP AND A HIGHLIGHT IN ANY REVENUE COLLECTION.



1631 o **Wines, 1949, $8 Yellow Green & Black,** appears unused (certificate says used), certificate says "shellac on front" that appears to have since been removed, **Extremely Fine and choice**; with 1991 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **RE179** $600



1632 (*) **Wines, 1949, $30 Yellow Green & Black,** no gum as issued, cert states (light crease and slight soiling, both not bad at all), **still Very Fine and Scarce**; with 1991 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **RE182** $2,000



1633 o **Wines, 1951, $9.60 Yellow Green & Black,** straight line cancel, certificate states "creased" which is not bad at all, **otherwise Very Fine**; with 1991 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **RE204** $7,500

A NICE LOOKING EXAMPLE OF THIS GREAT WINE ISSUES RARITY.

1634 o **1871, $1 Beer, Green Silk Paper,** large violet 1875 "Lembeck & Betz, Jersey City" oval date stamp, rich colors, couple minor flaws, **Very Fine,** very scarce with only 36 recorded in Priester census.
Scott No. **REA28c** $500

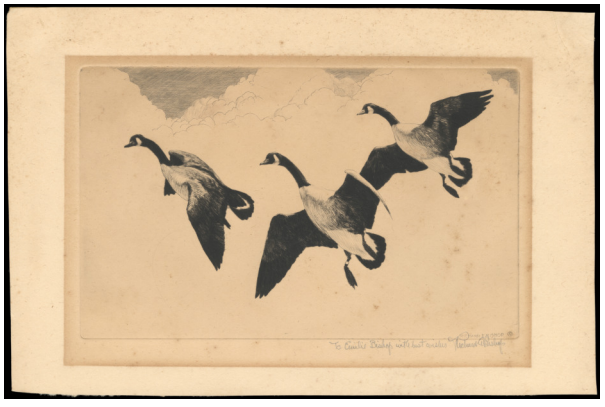
Duck Prints



1635 **1934, Mallards, Duck Print** (RW1), 10" x 14¼", pencil manuscript "Design for first Federal 'Duck Stamp' - 1934" and **signed Ding Darling**, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000



1636 **1935, Canvasbacks, Duck Print** (RW2), 6½" x 4½", **signed in pencil Frank W. Benson**, some light toned spots in margin at bottom right, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000



1637 **1936, Canada Geese, Duck Print** (RW3), 10¾" x 7"; signed **Richard Bishop**, some even toning, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400



1638 **1936, Canada Geese, Duck Print** (RW3), 11" x 8¾", signed **Richard Bishop**, some archival tape at top edge, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400



1639 **1936, Canada Geese, Duck Print** (RW3), 11¼" x 8½", signed **Richard Bishop**, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400



1640 **1936, Canada Geese, Duck Print** (RW3), 11 ¼" x 9"; signed **Richard Bishop**, faint toning around die sink area, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400



1641 **1936, Canada Geese, Duck Print** (RW3), 10" x 7", signed **Richard Bishop**, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400



1642 **1936, Canada Geese, Duck Print** (RW3), 12½" x 9½", signed **Richard Bishop**, faint toning around die sink area, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400



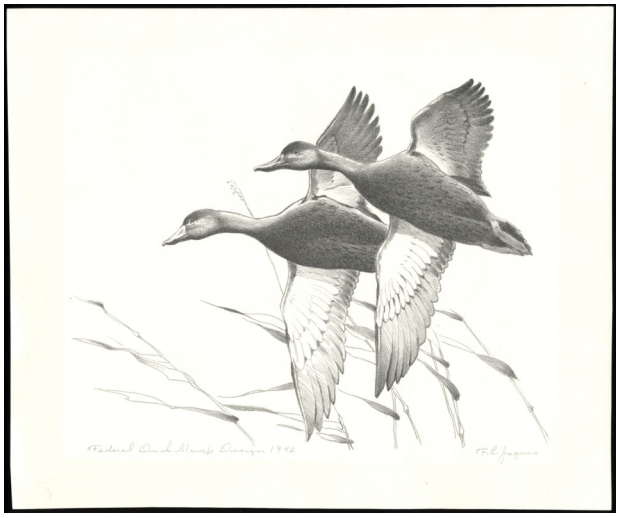
1643 **1937, Scaup Ducks, Duck Print** (RW4), 12½" x 10¼", signed **J.D. Knap**, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750



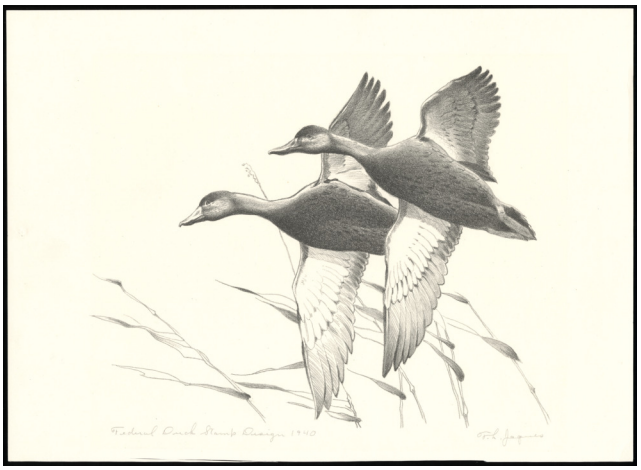
1644 **1938, Pintail Drakes, Duck Print** (RW5), 14" x 10½", signed **Roland Clark**, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750



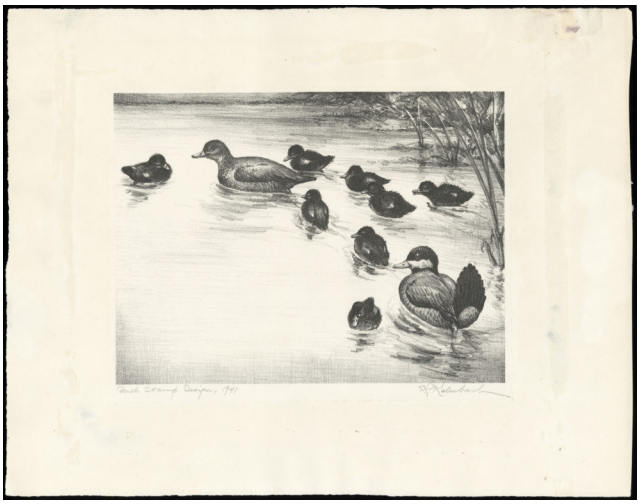
1645 **1939, Green-Winged Teals, Duck Print, Second Edition** (RW6), 13" x 10", signed **Lynn Hunt** and numbered 2 of 22, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000



1646 **1940, Black Mallards, Duck Print, Third Edition** (RW7), 14" x 11", signed **F. Jaques**, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600



1647 **1940, Black Mallards, Duck Print, Third Edition** (RW7), 15" x 10¾", signed **F. Jaques**, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600



1648 **1941, Ruddy Ducks, Duck Print, First Edition** (RW8), 11" x 14", signed **E. R. Kalmbach** and dated, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500



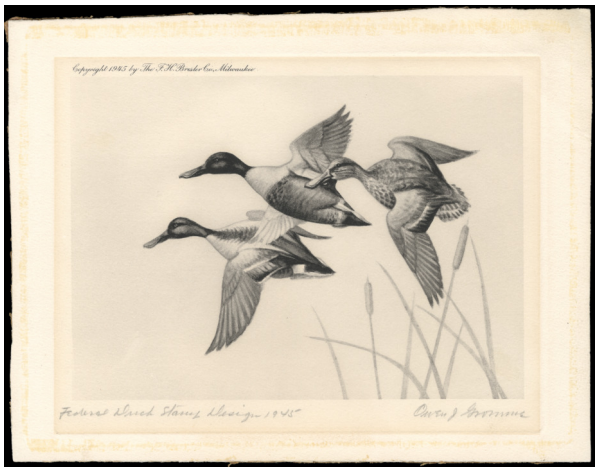
1649 **1941, Ruddy Ducks, Duck Print, Second Edition** (RW8), 9½" x 12", signed **E. R. Kalmbach** and dated, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400



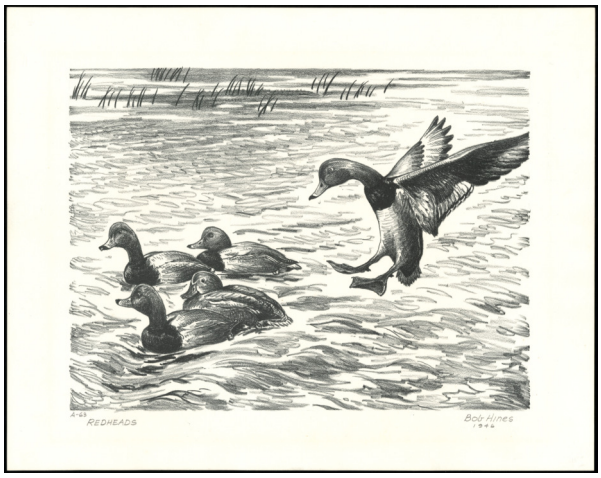
1650 **1944, White-Fronted Geese, Duck Print, Reversed** (RW11), 12" x 13½", signed **Walter Weber**, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000



1651 **1944, White-Fronted Geese, Duck Print, Second Edition** (RW11), 14" x 15½", signed **Walter Weber** and numbered "72/90", **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600



1652 **1945, Shoveller Ducks, Duck Print** (RW12), 7" x 9", signed **Owen J. Gromme** in pencil with "Federal Duck Stamp Design 1945" in pencil, mounted on card with gum residue in margins, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500



1653 **1946, Redhead Ducks, Duck Print, First Edition** (RW13), 11" x 13", signed **Bob Hines**, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400



1654 **1947, Snow Geese, Duck Print** (RW14), 13" x 16", signed **Jack Murray 1947** in pencil with "From Beyond the North Wind" in pencil, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750



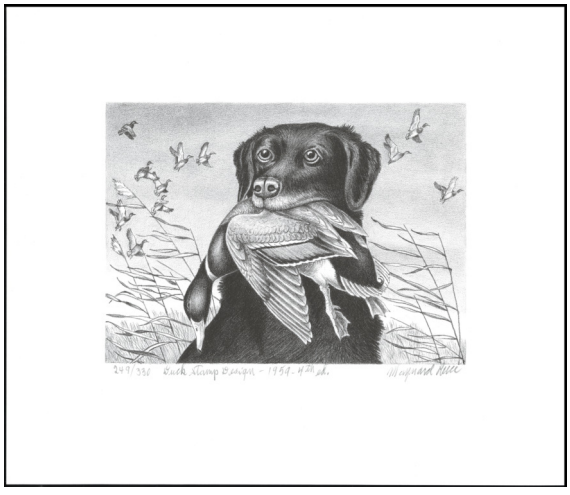
1655 **1959, Labrador Retriever, Duck Print, First Edition** (RW26), 11" x 13", signed **Maynard Reece**, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500



1656 **1959, Labrador Retriever, Duck Print, Second Edition** (RW26), 8¾" x 11", signed **Maynard Reece**, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500



1657 **1959, Labrador Retriever, Duck Print, Third Edition** (RW26), 11¾" x 12¼", signed **Maynard Reece**, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000



1658 **1959, Labrador Retriever, Duck Print, Fourth Edition** (RW26), 12"x 14", signed **Maynard Reece**, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400



1659 **1970, Ross's Geese, Duck Print, Remarque** (RW37), signed **Edward Bierly**, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000



1660 **1970, Ross's Geese, Duck Print, First Edition** (RW37), signed **Edward Bierly**, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750



1661 **1971, Cinnamon Teals, Duck Print** (RW38), signed **Maynard Reece**, light mount stain around design, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

Duck Print Balance Lots

1662 **Federal Duck Print Collection,** of **155 Federal Duck Prints**; includes early issues and 1975-2003 virtually complete; few early prints with flaws but otherwise very nice condition (no photo).
Estimate . . . . . $5,000 - 7,500

1663 **Hunting & Conservation Prints,** 66 prints, includes first state duck hunting, wildlife conservation, etc.; includes medallion issues, etc., nice condition (no photo).
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

Duck Stamps



1664 (*) **1934, $1 Mallards,** artist **signed stamp ("Ding" Darling)**, no gum, **Fine.**
Scott No. **RW1** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500

1665 ** **1934, $1 Mallards,** bottom margin plate number single, o.g., never hinged (small gum skips at bottom), choice centering amid well balanced margins, strong color, **Extremely Fine.**
Scott No. **RW1** $775



1666 ** **1934, $1 Mallards,** o.g., never hinged, **an Extremely Fine gem**; with 2009 A.P.S. and 2010 P.F. certificates **Graded (XF-Superb 95)**.
Scott No. **RW1** $775

1667 ** **1934, $1 Mallards,** top margin single with plate number, o.g., never hinged, absolutely enormous margins, tiny, pinpoint thin speck, **otherwise Extremely Fine**; with 2008 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **RW1** $775

1668 ** **1934, $1 Mallards,** o.g., never hinged (light gum streak), **Fine.**
Scott No. **RW1** $800

1669 **/*❒ **1934, $1 Mallards,** top left margin plate block of 6, o.g., five stamps n.h., hinge thin in selvedge, **attractive Very Fine appearance, a rare plate block.**
Scott No. **RW1** $14,500



1670 * **1935, $1 Canvasbacks,** artist **signed stamp (Frank Benson)**, o.g. (gum crease), **Fine.**
Scott No. **RW2** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

1671 ** **1935, $1 Canvasbacks,** right margin single, o.g., never hinged, well centered with deep fresh color, **Extremely Fine,** A beautiful key duck stamp; with 2016 P.F. certificate **Graded (XF 90, SSV $1,000)**.
Scott No. **RW2** $700

1672 ** **1935, $1 Canvasbacks,** o.g., never hinged, well centered amid large margins, rich deep color, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine**; with 2012 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (85, SSV $825)**.
Scott No. **RW2** $750

1673 ** **1935, $1 Canvasbacks,** o.g., never hinged, certificate states "natural perforation disc impression", **Very Fine and choice**; with 2008 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **RW2** $700



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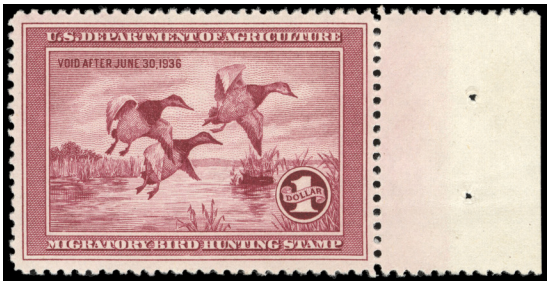
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1674 ** **1935, $1 Canvasbacks,** o.g., never hinged, **Fine.**
Scott No. **RW2** $700



1675 **❒ **1935, $1 Canvasbacks,** top right margin plate number "F131980" block of 6, o.g., never hinged (few natural gum bends & skips), **Extremely Fine and choice,** an absolutely beautiful example of this rare Plate Block.
Scott No. **RW2** $12,500

1676 ** **1936, $1 Canada Geese,** o.g., never hinged, exceptional centering amid large evenly balanced margins, bold color, **Extremely Fine to Superb,** a lovely gem; with 2000 P.F. & 2012 P.S.A.G. certificates, the latter **Graded (95, SSV $900)**.
Scott No. **RW3** $325



1677 (*) **1936, $1 Canada Geese,** artist **signed stamp (Richard E. Bishop)**, no gum, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **RW3** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

1678 ** **1936, $1 Canada Geese,** top margin plate number single, o.g., never hinged, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **RW3** . . . . . $325+

1679 **❒ **1936, $1 Canada Geese,** bottom left margin plate number "134318" block of 6, o.g., never hinged, selvedge appears slightly trimmed at bottom, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **RW3** $3,500

1680 ** **1937, $1 Scaup Ducks,** o.g., never hinged, well centered amid nicely balanced margins, fresh with bold color, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine**; with 2015 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (85, SSV $425)**.
Scott No. **RW4** $300

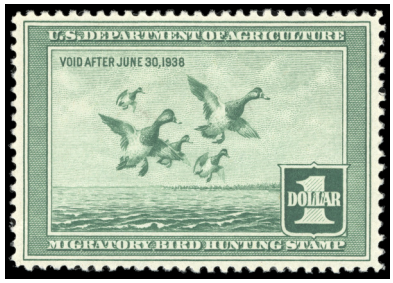
1681 **/* **1937, $1 Scaup Ducks,** top margin single with plate number, o.g., stamp never hinged, hinged in selvage only, **Extremely Fine**; with 2008 P.F. certificate **Graded (XF 90)**.
Scott No. **RW4** $300

1682 **❒ **1937, $1 Scaup Ducks,** top left margin plate number "136267" block of 6, o.g., never hinged (couple of natural gum creases), **fresh and Very Fine.**
Scott No. **RW4** $3,250

1683 ** **1938, $1 Pintail Drakes,** nicely centered amid wide margins, bright vibrant color, **Very Fine**; with 2015 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (80)**.
Scott No. **RW5** $425



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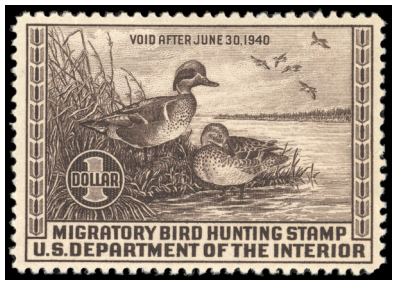
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1684 **❐ **1938, $1 Pintail Drakes,** top right margin plate number "138602" block of 6, o.g., never hinged (couple minor natural gum wrinkles and bends), **Extremely Fine, one of the scarcest issues to find in choice condition.**
Scott No. **RW5** $4,500

1685 ** **1939, $1 Green-Winged Teals,** o.g., never hinged, deep rich color, large margins and choice centering, **Extremely Fine to Superb**; with 2016 P.S.A.G. certificate **Graded (95, SSV $800)**.
Scott No. **RW6** $250

1686 ** **1939, $1 Green-Winged Teals,** o.g., never hinged, **Extremely Fine**; with 2008 P.F. certificate **Graded (XF 90)**.
Scott No. **RW6** $250

1687 **❐ **1939, $1 Green-Winged Teals,** plate block of 6 (without side selvedge), o.g., never hinged, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **RW6** . . . . . $1,500 as singles

1688 **❐ **1939, $1 Green-Winged Teals,** lower right margin plate number "141428" block of 6, o.g., never hinged (some light toning on gum), **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **RW6** $2,500



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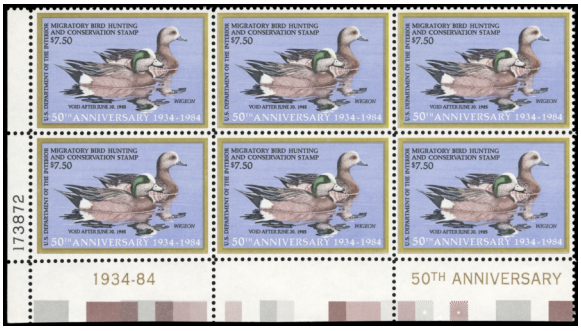
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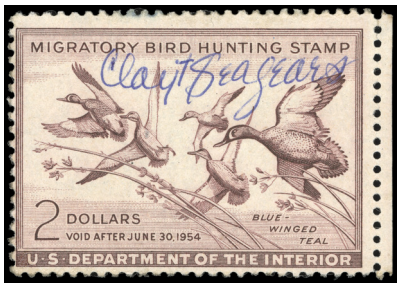
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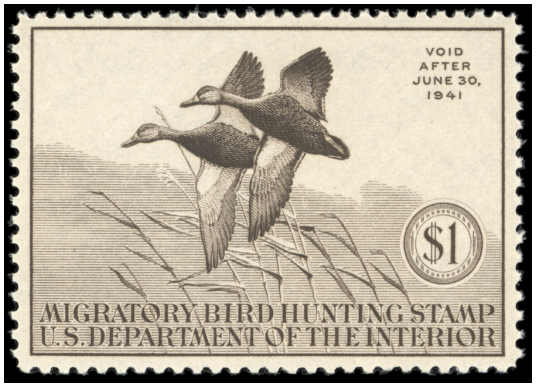
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1689 ** **1940, $1 Black Mallards,** o.g., never hinged, perfect centering within nicely balanced margins, bright and fresh, **Superb,** an exceptional gem; with 1998 P.F. & 2016 P.S.A.G. certificates, the latter **Graded (98, SSV $2,250)**.
Scott No. **RW7** $250

1690 **❒ **1940, $1 Black Mallards,** lower left margin plate number "143743" block of 6, o.g., never hinged (usual natural gum bends), **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **RW7** $2,500

1691 **❒ **1941, $1 Ruddy Ducks,** top right margin plate number "F146271" block of 6, o.g., never hinged (natural gum skips), **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **RW8** $2,500

1692 * **1942, $1 Baldpates,** artist signed stamp (**A Lassell Ripley**), o.g., **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **RW9** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

1693 **❒ **1942, $1 Baldpates,** lower left margin plate number "149599" block of 6, o.g., never hinged, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **RW9** $2,500

1694 **❒ **1943, $1 Wood Ducks,** lower left margin plate number "152827" block of 6, o.g., never hinged, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **RW10** $700

1695 (*) **1944, $1 White-Fronted Geese,** artist **signed stamp (Walter A Weber)**, no gum, **Fine.**
Scott No. **RW11** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

1696 **❒ **1944, $1 White-Fronted Geese,** lower left margin plate number "155590" block of 6, o.g., never hinged (natural gum skips), **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **RW11** $750

1697 **❒ **1945, $1 Shoveller Ducks,** bottom margin plate block of 6, o.g., never hinged, nicely centered, gum tone spot affecting top 3 copies, usual gum wrinkles and bends, **Fine.**
Scott No. **RW12** $600

1698 (*) **1950, $2 Trumpeter Swans,** artist **signed stamp (Walter A Weber)** in margin, no gum, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **RW17** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

1699 (*) **1952, $2 Harlequin Ducks,** artist **signed stamp (John H Dick)**, no gum, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **RW19** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

1700 * **1953, $2 Blue-Winged Teals,** artist **signed stamp (Clayton Saggears)**, disturbed o.g., **Fine.**
Scott No. **RW20** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

1701 **❒ **1964, $3 Nene Geese,** bottom right corner margin plate block of 6, o.g., never hinged, usual staple holes in selvage, **Very Fine, the key later issue.**
Scott No. **RW31** $1,950

1702 ** **1968, $3 Hooded Mergansers,** artist **signed stamp (C.G. Pritchard)**, o.g., never hinged, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **RW35** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

1703 ** **1984-1990, Four Different Duck Stamp Varieties,** RW52 and RW54 big to huge color shifts, RW57a Inscription omitted (with P.S.E. certificate), o.g., never hinged, **Very Fine and interesting.**
Scott No. **RW51x//RW57a** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



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1704 **❒ **1984, $7.50 Widgeons, Special Printing,** plate block of 6, o.g., never hinged, **Very Fine and scarce**; with photocopy of 1987 P.F. certificate for sheet of 120.
Scott No. **RW51x** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

1705 ** **1986, $7.50 Fulvous Whistling Duck, Black Omitted,** o.g., never hinged, **Very Fine and rare**; with 1991 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **RW53a** $600

1706 ** **1993, $15 Canvasbacks, Black (Engraved) Omitted,** o.g., never hinged, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **RW60a** $750

1707 ** **2005, $15 Hooded Mergansers, Souvenir Sheet,** o.g., never hinged, bright and fresh, **Very Fine,** quite scarce with only 750 signed in black.
Scott No. **RW72b** $1,950

1708 ** **2005, $15 Hooded Mergansers, Souvenir Sheet,** Artist signed in black ink, o.g., never hinged, **Very Fine, the Rarest of the Souvenir Sheets.**
Scott No. **RW72b** $1,950

Postal Currency

1709 * **1862, 50¢ Green without ABCo., Edges Perf. 12, fresh and Very Fine, a gorgeous item.**
Scott No. **PC12** $450



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1710 * **1862, Postal Currency Complete,** each appears uncirculated, **Extremely Fine and choice, an outstanding set.**
Scott No. **PC1-PC16** $4,410

Encased Postage

1711 * **Ayer's Sarsaparilla, 1¢, Medium "Ayer's",** some cracking and hole in mica, **Fine.** Hodders & Bowers No. 28.
Scott No. **EP13** $450



1712 * **Lord & Taylor, 24¢,** stamp with deep bold color and well positioned in case, mica intact with only a hint of crazing (not mentioned on clear certificate), **Very Fine and choice**; with 1999 P.F. certificate. Hodders & Bowers No. 173.
Scott No. **EP126** $3,250

AN EXCEPTIONAL AND VERY RARE EXAMPLE OF THE 24¢ LORD & TAYLOR, NEW YORK ENCASED POSTAGE.

United States Civil War

United States Patriotic Covers



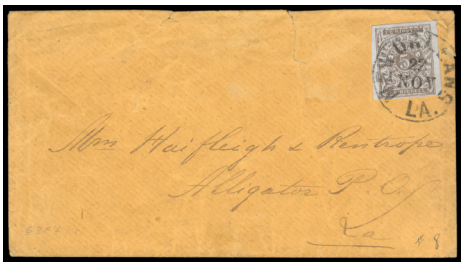
1713 ✉ **Liberty, Flag & Shield,** multicolored patriotic design with "Union & Liberty" slogan below, on cover to Euclid, N.Y. franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** tied by "Stone Mills, N.Y., Aug 25" cds; barest cover reduction at right, **Very Fine,** a handsome hand colored lithograph design, likely a Kimmel design; with 1995 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **65** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750



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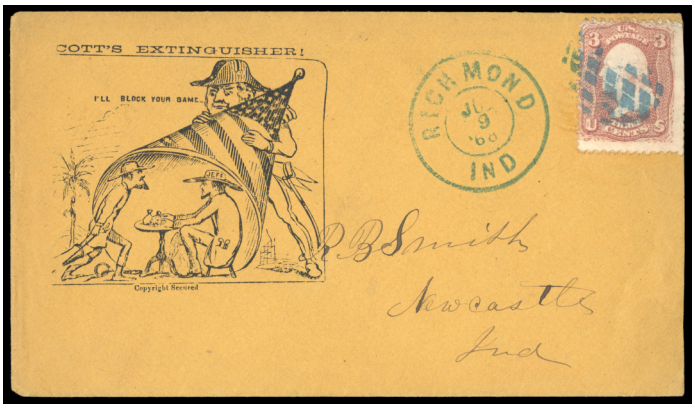


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1714 ✉ **Eagle,** 1861, 3¢ pink and 3¢ rose, each tied to patriotic cover; pink cover F-VF, rose cover Very Fine (no photo).
Scott No. **64, 65** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



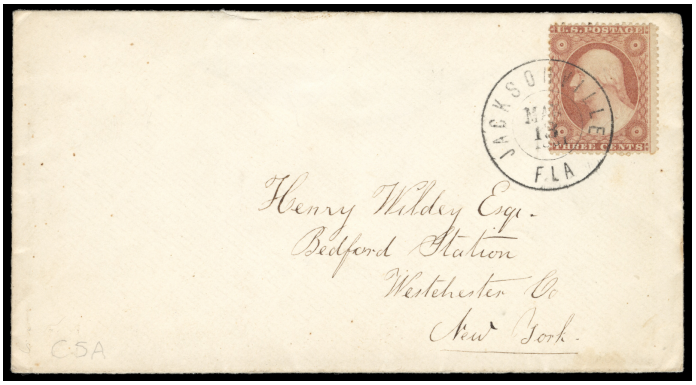
1715 ✉ **Scott's Extinguisher!** humorous caricature design depicting Winfield Scott and Jefferson Davis, on fresh cover to Newcastle, Ind. franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** tied by blue diamond grid handstamp, matching "Richmond, Ind., Jul 9" cds alongside; cover with the barest of reduction at right, **Very Fine and choice**; with 2022 P.S.A.G. certificate.
Scott No. **65** . . . . . Estimate $600 - 800

This scarce Union patriotic cover from the first two months of the Civil War features a scarce early design showing Union General Winfield Scott putting a large cone with American Flag on it over Jefferson Davis and a Southern compatriot hauling the barrel of a cannon, with palmetto tree in the background.Davis is seated at a table and has just placed two bags of money on top of it. His Anaconda Plan was to choke the south with a naval and land blockade to help destroy the Confederate will and commerce.

Confederate States

Postal History

1716 ✉ **Charleston, S.C. March 11, 1861,** clear cancel from Charleston to "Union Court House" South Carolina, on **U.S. 1861, 3¢ Star Die entire**, completely intact, writing on reverse, **Very Fine,** early usage, South Carolina seceded from Union December 20, 1860 and admitted to C.S.A February 4th, 1861, use of U.S. stamps prohibited after May 31, 1861.
Scott No. **U.S. U27** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



1717 ✉ **Jacksonville, Fla., May 13, 1861,** neat cds tying **U.S. 1857, 3¢ dull red** on fresh cover to Bedford Station, N.Y., **Extremely Fine,** a **choice and rare U.S. Used in the Confederacy from Florida**; with 2022 P.F. certificate and R. Frajola attest.
Scott No. **U.S. 26** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

1718 ✉ **Richmond, Va., July 31,** cds with matching "Paid, 5 cts" handstamp on cover to Scottsville, Va., with **fancy blue embossed ribbon advertising** of "Tyler & Son, General Commission Merchants"; cover fly specking and some light toning, **Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

Postmasters' Provisionals



1719 ✉ **Iuka, Miss., 1861, 5¢ Black,** provisional handstamp on cover with **Jefferson Davis Medallion patriotic design** with verse below (JD-1C, verse 28), addressed to Artesia, Mississippi; cover soiling and fly specking, **Fine,** very rare with only two other patriotic usage recorded by Crown, *ex-Judd*.
Scott No. **42XU1** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500

1720 ✉ **New Orleans, La., 1861, 5¢ Red Brown,** four margins, tied by "New Orleans, La., 22 Nov" river mail cds on orange cover to Alligator P.O., La., cover tears at top, **Fine.**
Scott No. **62X4** . . . . . Estimate $100 - 150



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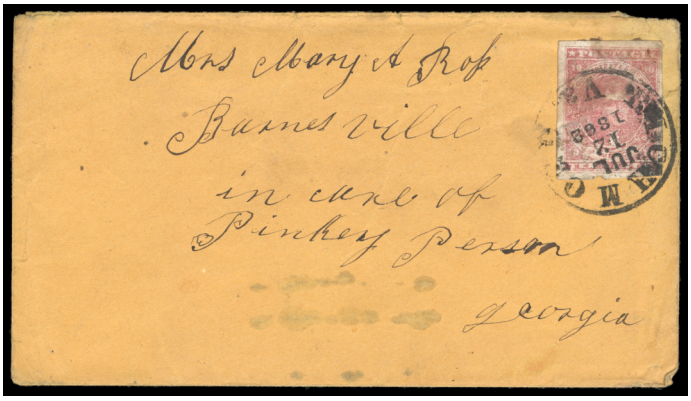
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Regular Issues

1721 ✉ **1861, 5¢ Green,** clear to mostly large margins, tied by "Chattanooga, Ten., Apr 17, 1862" cds on **U.S. 1860, 3¢ Star Die entire** to Kingston, E. Tenn., with stamp placed directly over indicia (stamp hinged in place to show indicia), **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **1** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1722 ✉ **1861, 10¢ Light Blue, Patterson Printing,** margins mostly large to slightly into frameline at upper left, tied by "Yorkville, S.C., Sep 23" cds on cover to Blackstock, S.C.; central cover file fold, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **2a** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

1723 ✉ **1861, 10¢ Light Blue, Horizontal Pair,** margins large to slightly in, tied by 1862 Richmond, Va. cds's on cover to Atlanta, Ga., with stamps placed over "Confederate States of America" official imprint; cover soiling and scuff between stamps, **Fine appearance.**
Scott No. **2a** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

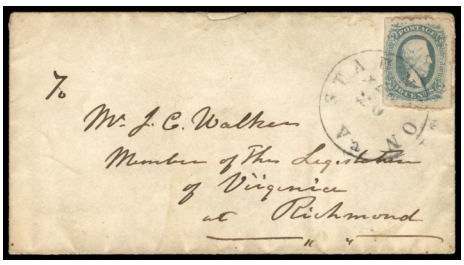


1724 ✉ **1862, 2¢ Green,** clear to large margins, neatly tied by "Camden, S.C., Jun 18" cds on fresh locally addressed cover, **Very Fine and choice drop usage.**
Scott No. **3** $3,500

1725 ✉ **1862, 5¢ Blue, Horizontal Pair,** clear to large margins, tied by bold "Durant, Miss, Apr 12, 1862" cds on cover to Satartia, Miss.; missing side and portion of top backflap, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Scott No. **4** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



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1726 o **1862, 10¢ Deep Rose,** attractive centered town cancel, large margins to close top left, tiny thin at left, **F.-V.F. appearance**; with 2023 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **5**. $750

1727 ✉ **1862, 10¢ Rose,** large margins, tied by "Richmond, Va., Jan 25, 1863" cds on homemade cover to Betheny, N.C.; cover file fold at left, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **5** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

1728 ✉ **1862, 10¢ Rose on Cover To Georgia,** on cover to Georgia, "Richmond, Jul 12, 1862" cds to Barnsville, Ga., large margins all round, some soiling on stamp and slightly worn around edge of cover, **Fine.**
Scott No. **5**; $750 . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

1729 **/*❒ **1863, 2¢ Brown Red,** block of 6, o.g., center stamps hinge remnants, others never hinged, top right stamp showing **double transfer at top**, full margins and bright color, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **8** . . . . . $595 for block and singles

1730 ✉ **1863, 2¢ Brown Red,** large margins to slightly in at bottom, tied by blue Columbia, S.C. cds's on fresh drop rate cover to the Comptroller General's Office; cover missing backflap, **F.-V.F. and attractive**; with 2006 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **8** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



1731 ✉ **1863, 10¢ Blue, "T-E-N",** margins large to just touching at bottom, tied by grid handstamps on fresh homemade cover to Laurens C.H., S.C., matching "Winnsborough, S.C., Sep 7" cds, **Very Fine**; with 1986 C.S.A. certificate.
Scott No. **9** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750



1732 ✉ **1863, 10¢ Blue, "Frame Lines",** showing partial framelines at top left, rich color, tied by "Milledgeville, Ga., Jun 3" cds on **adversity cover made from printed court form**, addressed to Mount Zion Ga.; opened at ends, **clean and Very Fine, a rare usage of a Frameline on an adversity cover**; with 2012 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **10** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500

1733 ✉ **1863, 10¢ Blue, Unofficial Perfs,** with large margins and showing "sewing machine" perfs on three sides, tied by "Stanton, Va., Jan 20" cds on cover to Member of the Legislation, J.C. Walker in Richmond, Va.; slight cover soiling and some gum tone around stamp, **F.-V.F. and unusual.**
Scott No. **11 var.** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

1734 ✉ **1863, 10¢ Blue, Perf'd,** tied by "Richmond, Va., May 18" cds on fresh cover to Salibury, N.C., with "via Danville" routing endorsement; small stamp flaws, **otherwise Very Fine**; with 2015 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **11e** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



1735 ✉ **1863, 20¢ Green,** margins large to in at sides, tied by neat "Jonesborough, Ga., Jun 25" cds on cover to Hartsville M. & G. R.R., Ala.; cover scuff and reduced at left, **Fine,** an unusual railroad address usage.
Scott No. **13** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



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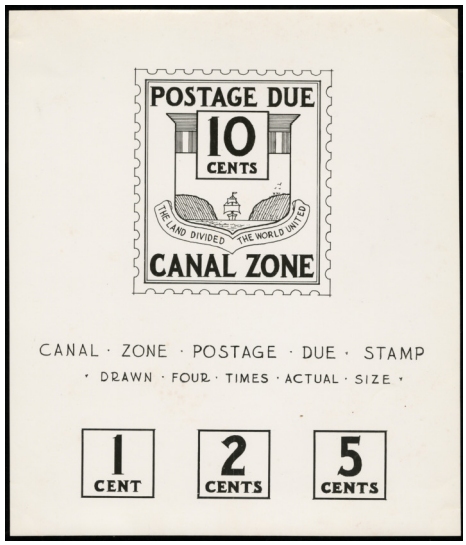
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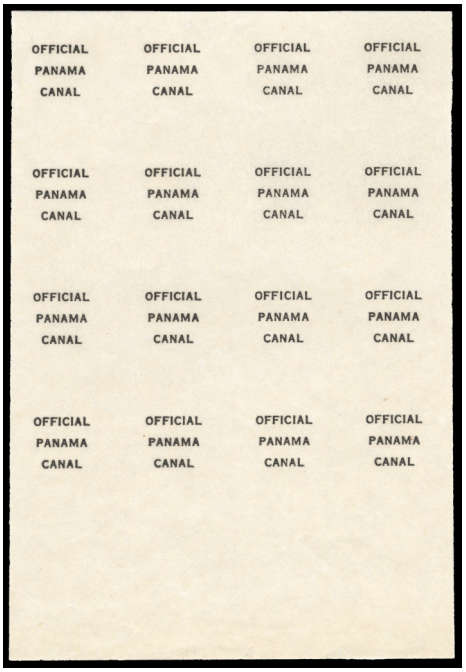
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Ex 1741

United States Possessions

1736 *❒ **1904, 8¢ Violet Black,** bottom plate block of 6, o.g., hinge remnants (some reinforcing), well centered, lovely jet black color, **fresh and Extremely Fine, rare plate block.**
Scott No. **7** $3,000

1737 *❒ **1921, 1c Light Green & Black,** bottom right corner margin block of 4, full o.g., showing dramatic mis-perforation, small piece of selvage missing at bottom, **Very Fine and unusual.**
Scott No. **55** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1738 ✉ **1909-23 Cover Group,** of three items; with #32c handmade booklet single usage (A.P.S. cert.), #38b booklet pane pair usage, and uprated #U3 entire with #60, all to the U.S.; minor cover flaws, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

1739 E **1949, 3¢-18¢ Gold Rush Centennial Complete, Original & Photographic Essays of Meade Bolton,** set of ink sketch designs of the 3¢, 6¢, 12¢ & 18¢ designs on medium bond sheets, each with simulated perfs and similar to the final designs and signed "Meade Bolton 12/8/48" below (Brett #142E-D, 143E-E, 144E-D & 145E-D), each with tipped in photograph essays of the other Bolton hand drawn essays and one of the original on sheet (5 photos 3¢-12¢ and 4 photos of 18¢) as well a a block of four of the original stamp at bottom, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **142E-145E** . . . . . Estimate $1,500 - 2,000

A REMARKABLE ESSAY SET OF THE 1949 GOLD RUSH CENTENNIAL ISSUE.

1740 E **1932, 10¢ Postage Due, Photographic Essay,** 7¾x9'' photograph of pen drawn design with "1 Cent", "2 Cents" & "5 Cents" value tablets at bottom and "Canal Zone Postage Due Stamp, Drawn Four Times Actual Size" between, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **J28E** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



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Ex 1748

1741 P❒ **Official, 1941 "Official Panama Canal" Overprint Proof,** for the first 1¢ Official issue, bottom margin block of 16, on soft thin bond paper, also includes top margin block of 8 proof of the **1951 "Cristobal, Canal Zone" precancel** on hard bond, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **O1P** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

Cuba

1742 **/*❒ **1899, 2c on 2¢ Reddish Carmine, Type III,** left margin plate no. "561" block of 6 with imprint, o.g., bottom stamps never hinged, rich bright color, **fresh and Fine,** scarce.
Scott No. **222** $650

1743 *❒ **1899, 10c on 10¢ Blue,** block of 4, slightly tropicalized o.g., exceptional centering, rich deep color, **Extremely Fine,** a choice multiple.
Scott No. **E1** . . . . . $860 for singles



1744 S **1899, 10c on 10¢ Blue, 5 Dots in Curved Frame Above Messenger's Head, Overprinted "Specimen",** from plate no. "882", o.g., paper hinge remnant, deep intense color, **F.-V.F.,** a very rare key Cuba specimen.
Scott No. **E1aSE** $5,250

1745 * **1899, 10¢ Special Delivery, Special Printing,** o.g., lightly hinged, excellent color, **Extremely Fine,** realized hammer $950 in Rumsey 2016 auction, *ex-Markovits*.
Scott No. **E1** . . . . . Estimate $600 - 800

In March 1900 one pane of each denomination was prepared for the Paris and Pan-American Expositions. H.G. Mandel stamped most of these with "Specimen" on stamps that were mounted by him for the displays at the expositions, the remainders lack the handstamp.

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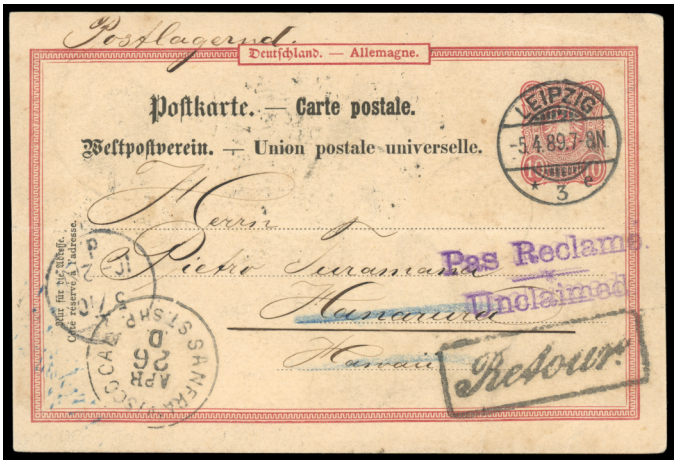


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Postal History

1746 ✉ **Coll. 8.50 A.M.,** purple straight line handstamp (MH 752 var.) on reverse of cover to Marysville, Cal., franked with 1894, 5¢ rose lake (76), tied by "Honolulu, H.I., May 3, 1897" duplex postmark, with lengthy original enclosure and contemporary newspaper clipping listing the foreign mail steamers arriving by date; some cover edge wear, **otherwise Very Fine,** the **Second Known Example of This Collection Handstamp Bearing a "8:50 A.M." Date**.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

According to Fred Gregory's website Post Office in Paradise, this collection mark is known bearing either a 10:10A.M. or a 3:50P.M. date. This marking with a 8:50A.M. date is the second one to be recognized.





1747 ✉ **Dead Letter Office, Honolulu. H.I. Aug 31 1889,** purple cds (**MH unrecorded, 1RRRR**) on reverse of 1889 German 10pf postal card from Leipzig, Germany to Hawaii, matching "Pas Reclamé, Unclaimed" two-line handstamp (MH 767), reverse with "Honolulu Advertised May 31" cds (ADV-cds(no year)-I, 1R) and Honolulu (5.4) duplex, fancy script "Retour" framed handstamp; light horizontal crease, **F.-V.F.,** one of **only two recorded strikes of this scarce D.L.O. cds**.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

1748 o **(Oahu) Honolulu, H.I., Jun 13, 1900, 11 Pm,** bold **last day at the last hour postmark for Hawaiian stamps** duplex postmark on unaddressed **1897, 1¢ red on buff postal card** and **1897, 2¢ green postal card**; few light tone spots, **Very Fine,** an attractive duo.
Scott No. **UX8a, UX9a** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

Regular Issues

1749 (*) **1853, 13¢ Dark Red, Thick White Wove Paper,** position 17, no gum, large margins, deep color, **Very Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **6** $875

1750 * **1861, 5¢ Blue, Thin Bluish Paper,** full o.g., very fresh, nice to large margins all round, **Very Fine and attractive.**
Scott No. **9** $400

1751 (*) **1865, 5¢ Blue on Blue,** no gum, good to large margins, fresh, **Very Fine**; signed Fulpius, Scheller, and Calves.
Scott No. **22** $575

1752 (*) **1864, 1¢ Black,** unused, clear to large margins, small spot on face, **otherwise Fine**; signed Scheller.
Scott No. **23** $300

1753 (*) **1864, 2¢ Black,** unused, nice margins to just touching top right corner, light corner crease, **Fine appearance**; with 2023 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **24** $325


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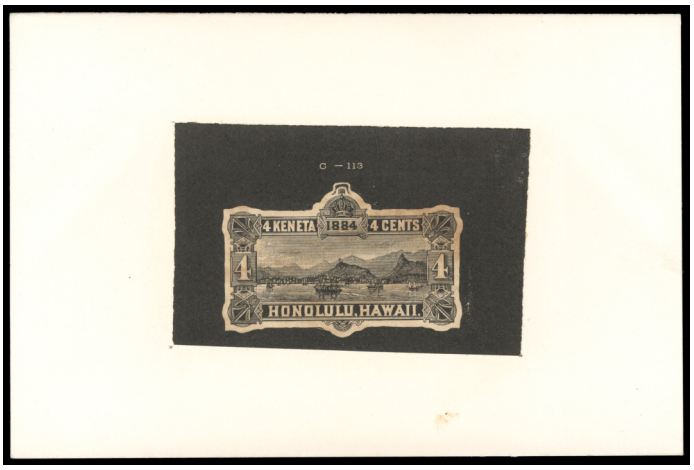


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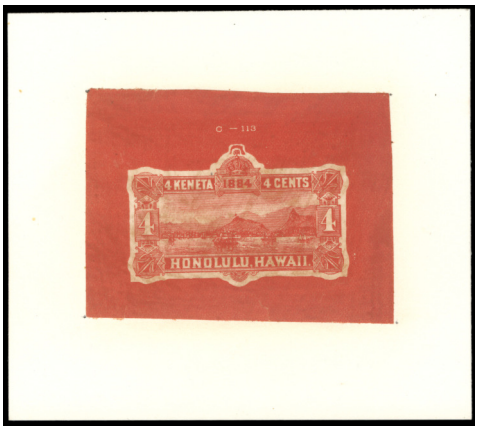


1765 P **Envelope, 1884, 2¢ Black, Trial Color Large Die Proof on India Paper,** uncleared indicia with serial number "C-112" above, on thin card, mounted on card (76x47mm); usual slight indicia toning, **Very Fine,** *ex-Golden*.
Scott No. **U2TC1ae** $750

1766 ✉ **1884, 2¢ Carmine,** Lihue, Kauai usage, purple Jan 17 1893 origin cds to Honolulu, slightly reduced at left, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **U2** . . . . . Estimate $100 - 150



1767 P **Envelope, 1884, 4¢ Black, Trial Color Large Die Proof on India Paper,** uncleared indicia with serial number "C-113" above, on thin card, mounted on card (152x101mm); usual slight indicia toning, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **U3TC1ae** $750



1768 P **Envelope, 1884, 4¢ Red, Large Die Proof on India Paper,** uncleared indicia with serial number "C-113" above, on thin card, mounted on card (113x101mm); usual slight indicia toning, cut square, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **U3P1** $1,000

1769 ✉ **1884, 4¢ Red Usage to France,** usage to France, with additional 1¢ (#55) tied by clear red "Kilauea, Kauai, Feb 23 1884" cds, French transit and arrival handstamps on reverse, excellent condition from the Noyer correspondence, **immaculate and Very Fine.**
Scott No. **U3**. . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

1770 ✉ **1884, 4¢ Red,** addressed to **Erfurt, Germany** with uprated Provisional 1¢ (#55) tied by Honolulu Jan 15 1894 postmark, transit New York cancel and receiving cancel on reverse, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **U3**. . . . . Estimate $100 - 150



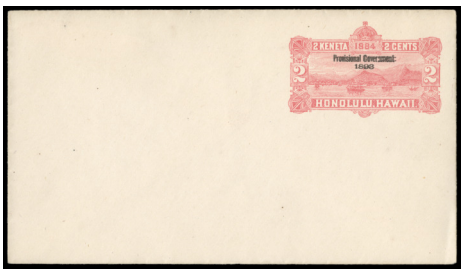
1771 P **Envelope, 1884, 5¢ Blue, Large Die Proof on India Paper,** uncleared indicia with serial number "C-114" above, on thin card, mounted on card (139x101mm); usual slight indicia toning, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **U4P1** $1,000



1772 P **Envelope, 1884, 10¢ Black, Large Die Proof on India Paper,** uncleared indicia with serial number "C-115" above, on thin card, mounted on card (139x101mm); usual slight indicia toning, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **U5P1** $1,000



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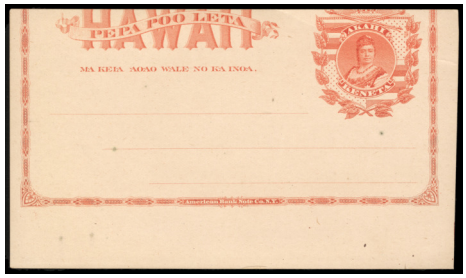
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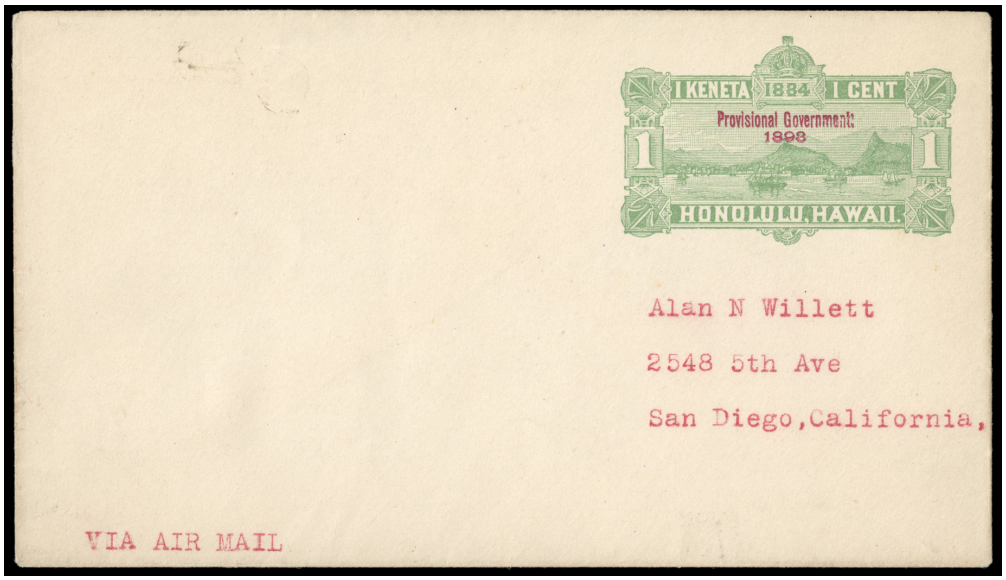
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1773 *✉ **Envelope, 1893, 1¢ Light Green, Provisional Govt. Overprint Double,** with second impression slightly shifted down from initial overprint, unused entire with red typewritten address and endorsement, **Very Fine and extremely rare**; with 2014 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **U10a** $8,000

AN EXTREMELY RARE EXAMPLE OF THE ONE-CENT 1893 ENTIRE WITH PROVISIONAL GOVERNMENT DOUBLE RED OVERPRINT - THOUGHT TO BE ONE OF FOUR RECORDED EXAMPLES.

1774 *✉ **Envelope, 1893, 2¢ Carmine, Provisional Govt. Overprint Double,** mint entire with slight horizontal shift of second overprint, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **U11a** $600

1775 ✉ **Envelope, 1893, 5¢ Blue, Provisional Govt. Overprint,** Kahului, Maui to San Francisco usage, dated 13 Feb 1894 violet Kahului Maui cds along with Honolulu transit duplex postmark, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **U12** . . . . . Estimate $100 - 150

1776 ✉ **1893, 10¢ Black Envelope Registered to Germany,** registered to Germany, with **1894, 10¢ yellow green** (77), tied by red "R 8907" with matching "Honolulu, Hawaii, Jun 12, 1886" double-circle datestamp with New York registered label to Dresden, four transit and arrival markings on reverse, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **U13** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

Postal Cards

1777 *✉ **Postal Card, 1882, 1¢ Red on Buff,** showing **dramatic mis-cut into design at top**, from the bottom of the sheet, **Very Fine and quite unusual,** only a few mis-cut cards are known.
Scott No. **UX1**. . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

1778 ✉ **Postal Card, 1882, 1¢ Red on Buff,** Honolulu local usage, Honolulu Mar 30 1899 cds with pre-printed "Interior Department, Honolulu" and dated with manuscript March 21, 1889, **F.-V.F.,** notification of retail license expiration.
Scott No. **UX1**. . . . . Estimate $100 - 150

1779 ✉ **1894, 1¢ Red on Buff Usage,** usage to Germany, tied with additional 2¢ adhesive by Honolulu May 31 cds, docketed "R.M.S. Mariposa Honolulu 28th May 1900" on reverse to Dusseldorf, corner crease, **Fine.**
Scott No. **UX8**. . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1780 ✉ **Postal Card, 1894, 1¢ Red on Buff,** paquebot usage to Germany, 1898 Honolulu usage with uprated 1¢ (74) to Leipzig tied by San Francisco "San Francisco, Cal., P" double-oval transit and with purple "Paquebot" cancel, manuscript notation July 8th, 1898 on reverse, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **UX8**. . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1781 *✉ **Paid Reply Postal Card, 1883, 1¢+1¢ Purple on Buff, fresh and Very Fine.**
Scott No. **UY1**. $400

1782 *✉ **Paid Reply Postal Card, 1889, 2¢+2¢ Sapphire, fresh and Very Fine.**
Scott No. **UY4**. $450

1783 ✉ **Paid Reply Postal Card, 1889, 2¢+2¢ Sapphire,** unserved postal reply card addressed to Zurich, Switzerland, canceled by "Honolulu, H.I., Jun 10" duplex postmark, reply side unused, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **UY4**. . . . . Estimate $100 - 150

Revenue Issues



1784 * **1893-94, 20¢ on 25¢ Green, Inverted Surcharge,** o.g., hinge remnant, fresh with rich color, **Very Fine,** a scarce inverted surcharge variety; with 2023 H.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **R7a** $1,250



1785 **Revenue, 1894, 20¢ Red, Two Singles,** slightly overlapping and canceled by purple straight line "Cancelled" handstamp on black and blue bordered Mutual Telephone Co. stock certificate for 20 shares, includes five additional strikes of handstamp negating stock; minor tone spots on top stamp and usual document file folds, **Very Fine,** one of the rarer usages on document.
Scott No. **R9** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



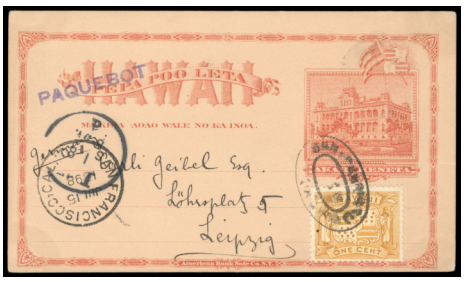
1786 **Revenue, 1894, 20¢ Red, Horizontal Pair,** canceled by purple straight line "Canceled" handstamps and tied by company embossed seal on black and blue bordered 1896 **Mutual Telephone Company** stock certificate for 20 shares, with additional handstamps cancels and stock stub attached on reverse at left, **Very Fine,** a very rare multiple usage on document.
Scott No. **R9**; $750 for off document. . . . Estimate $200 - 300



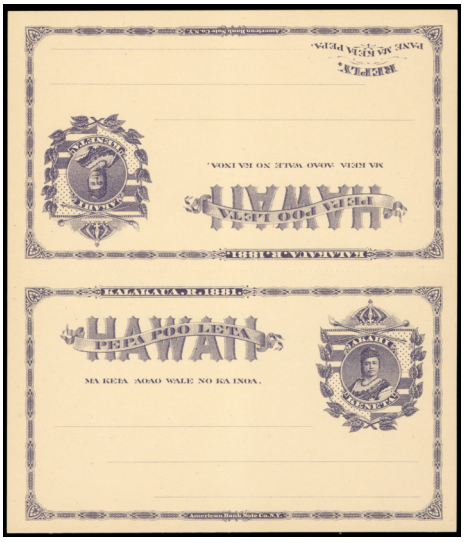
1787 ** **Revenue, 1894, 20¢ Red, Imperf,** horizontal pair, o.g., never hinged, large well balanced margins, fresh with rich color, **Extremely Fine,** a wonderful gem pair; with 2017 P.S.A.G. (for block) & 2023 H.P.S. certificates.
Scott No. **R9a** $2,700



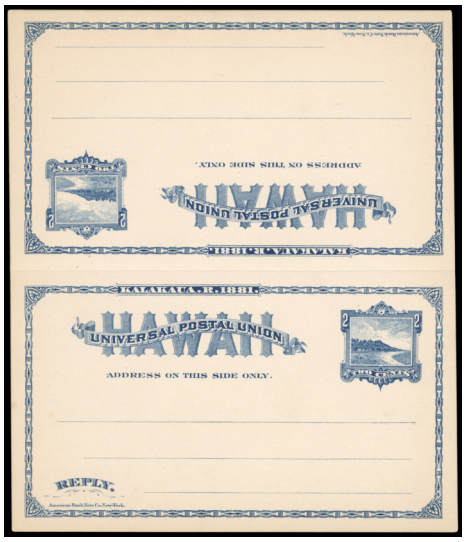
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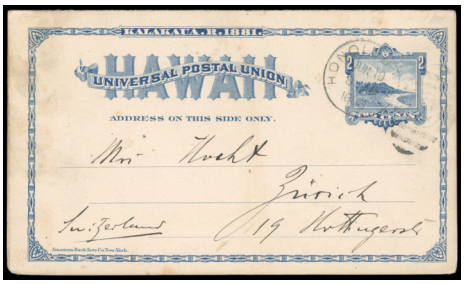
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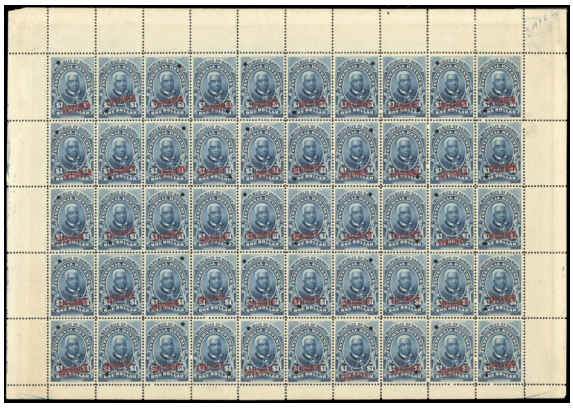
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1788 * **Revenue, 1894, 25¢ Violet Brown,** o.g., hinge remnant, bold color, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **R10** $1,300

1789 S**❒ **Revenue, 1897, $1 Dark Blue, Red A.B.N.Co. "Specimen" Overprint,** medium sans-serif letters, with security punch holes, pane of 30, o.g., never hinged, fresh with rich color, **F.-V.F.,** an impressive multiple, signed and plated A. Chang.
Scott No. **R11S** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

1790 S**❒ **Revenue, 1897, $1 Dark Blue, Red A.B.N.Co. "Specimen" Overprint,** large sans-serif letters, each with small security punch, complete sheet of 50, o.g., never hinged, well centered throughout, **Very Fine,** a very rare complete sheet, signed and plated A. Chang.
Scott No. **R11S** . . . . . Estimate $2,000 - 3,000

1791 S**❒ **Revenue, 1897, $1 Dark Blue, Red A.B.N.Co. "Specimen" Overprint,** small sans-serif letters, with security punch holes, complete sheet of 50, o.g., never hinged, bold color, well centered throughout, **Very Fine,** very rare, signed and plated A. Chang.
Scott No. **R11S** . . . . . Estimate $2,000 - 3,000

1792 S**❒ **Revenue, 1913, $1 Black, Red A.B.N.Co. "Specimen" Overprint,** small sans-serif letters, with security punch hole, top pane of 30, o.g., never hinged, strong color and well centered throughout, **Very Fine,** an impressive multiple, signed and plated A. Chang.
Scott No. **R14S** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500

1793 **❐ **Revenue, 1913, $1 Black, Red A.B.N.Co. "Specimen" Overprint,** large sans-serif letters, with security punch hole, pane of 40, o.g., never hinged, bold color and well centered throughout, **Very Fine,** a rare specimen, signed and plated A. Chang.
Scott No. **R14** . . . . . Estimate $2,000 - 3,000

1794 S**❐ **Revenue, 1910, $5 Vermilion & Violet Blue, Red A.B.N.Co. "Specimen" Overprint,** sans-serif letters, with security punch hole, corner margin block of 35, o.g., never hinged, strong bright color, some selvage flaws at bottom left, **Very Fine,** a rare specimen, signed and plated A. Chang.
Scott No. **R15** . . . . . Estimate $1,500 - 2,000

Philippines

1795 (*) **1901, $1 Black, Type II,** regummed, nice centering for this, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine**; with 2023 P.S.E. certificate **Graded (VF-XF 85)**.
Scott No. **223A** $1,500

1796 * **1901, $5 Dark Green,** full o.g., excellent impression, **Extremely Fine**; with 2023 P.S.E. certificate **Graded (XF 90)**.
Scott No. **225** $500



1797 * **1907, 5¢ Blue, Bureau of Insular Affairs Special Printing,** o.g., very lightly hinged, choice centering amid wide margins, rich color and exceptionally fresh, **Extremely Fine,** *ex-Todd*; with 2018 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **230 var.** $1,000



1798 * **1907, 6¢ Brownish Lake, Bureau of Insular Affairs Special Printing,** right margin single, tropicalized o.g., rich vivid color and nicely centered, **Very Fine,** *ex-Todd*; with 2015 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **231 var.** $1,000

1799 * **1907, 8¢ Violet Black, Bureau of Insular Affairs Special Printing,** o.g., lightly hinged, well centered amid nicely balanced margins, bold color, **Very Fine and choice,** *ex-Todd*; with 2018 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **232 var.** $1,000

1800 *❐ **1904, 8¢ Violet Black,** left side plate number "1500" block of 8, disturbed dry o.g. as usual, outstanding centering, some slight weak perfs, **still very fresh and Extremely Fine, reported to be the largest known mint block.**
Scott No. **232** $2,350

1801 ** **1904, $2 Dark Blue,** o.g., never hinged, rich intense color, bright and fresh, **F.-V.F.**; with 1980 & 2023 P.F. certificates.
Scott No. **238** $1,500



1802 * **1904, $5 Dark Green,** o.g., fairly light hinging, choice centering, rich color on bright paper, **Extremely Fine,** an attractive well centered high value; with 1985 & 2023 P.F. certificates.
Scott No. **239** $800

1803 B* **1914, 2c Green,** Position E, booklet pane of 6, slightly disturbed o.g., rich deep color, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **276a** $600

1804 B* **1918, 2c Green,** Position A, booklet pane of 6, full o.g., rich color, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **285a** $600

1805 ** **1926, 2c Legislative Palace, Imperf Between,** bottom left corner margin horizontal pair, o.g., never hinged (toned), well centered, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **319a** . . . . . $275 for hinged

1806 **❐ **1926, 16c Legislative Palace, Imperf Between,** horizontal block of 4, o.g., never hinged (toned), well centered, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **321a** $500

1807 o **1925, 1p Violet,** mute circular cancels, ample to large margins, strong color, light wrinkles affecting two stamps from usage typical of this issue, **Very Fine appearance,** a scarce position multiple.
Scott No. **350a** . . . . . $500 for singles

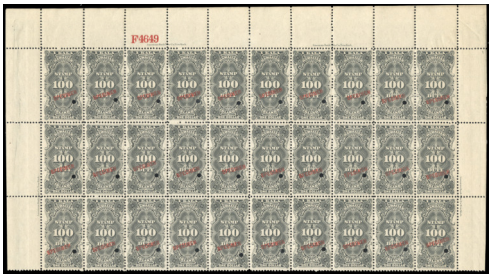
1808 o **1925, 2p Violet Brown,** bottom margin horizontal pair with part imprint, mute circular cancels, ample to large margins, deep color, **Very Fine,** a scarce high value multiple; with 2021 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **351a** . . . . . $800 for singles

1809 o **1925, 4p Deep Blue,** target cancel, large to huge margins, rich bold color, light natural crease, **otherwise Extremely Fine**; with 2021 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **352a** $1,100



1810 ** **1925, 10p Deep Green,** horizontal pair, o.g., never hinged, ample to mostly large margins, bold color and exceptional freshness, **Very Fine and choice,** very rare with only 200 issues with many examples used; with 2015 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **353a** . . . . . $5,500 for singles

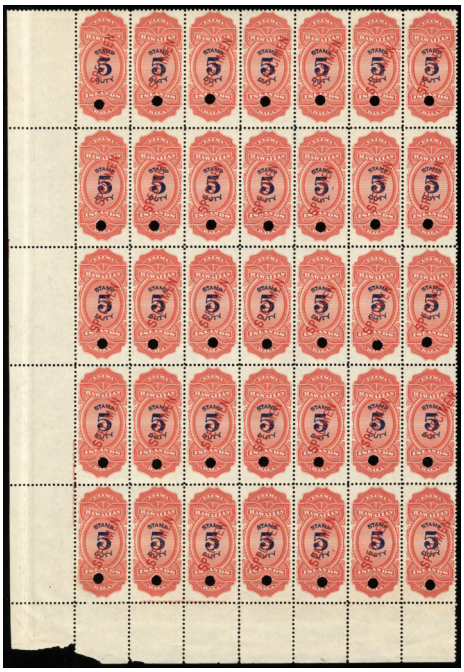
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Airmail & Back of the Book Issues

1811 ✉ **1925 Pinedo Round the World Flight,** cover franked with 2¢+4¢+12¢ definitives (290,291,295) tied by "Manila, Sep 11, 1925" duplex and biplane handstamps, "Comm. F. de Pinedo, Airplane Savoia 1925, Rome-Philippines-Tokyo" cachet handstamp and reverse with special Sep 16, 1925 Round Flight cachet date stamp, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

1812 ✉ **1925 Pinedo Round the World Flight,** cover franked with 2¢+4¢ definitives (290,291) tied by "Manila, Sep 11, 1925" duplex and biplane handstamps, "Comm. F. de Pinedo, Airplane Savoia 1925, Rome-Philippines-Tokyo" cachet handstamp and reverse with special Sep 16, 1925 Round Flight cachet date stamp, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

1813 * **1926, 1p Madrid-Manila Flight,** o.g., nice centered large copy, **Extremely Fine**; signed Sanabria, H.B. Manila.
Scott No. **C17** $225



1814 P **1906, 20c Ultramarine, Pan Pacific Small Die Proof,** strong bold color, **Very Fine and choice,** very rare only 3-5 ever produced; with 2007 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **E2P2a**. $800

1815 ✉ **1899, 1¢ Deep Claret,** tied by "Manila, Oct 11, 02" duplex postmark on cover to Manila franked with **1899, 1¢ yellow green** (213) tied by barred duplex with matching "Dagupan & Manila, R.P.O., South, Jul 6, 1902" cds at right, straight line "Postage Due 1 Cts" handstamp with additional "Advertised, Manila, Jul 21, 1902" cds, receiving backstamp, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **J1** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



Ex 1816

1816 ** **1943, 5¢-17¢ Independence Issue, Imperf Vertically,** horizontal pairs, o.g., never hinged, 5¢ with bottom margin, bright colors, **Very Fine,** quite rare (Garrett G-28c, G-29b & G-30b); each with photocopy of 2020 P.F. certificate for block.
Scott No. **N29-N31 vars.** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

1817 ✉ **1901, 6¢ Lake, Large "O.B." Handstamp Overprint in Blue,** tied by "Bayombong, Nva Viz, P.I., Jul 11, 1906" duplex postmark on "Philippines Constabulary" corner card official mail legal size cover to Manila, reverse with Dagupan transit and receiving backstamps; cover slightly reduced at right slightly into penalty imprint, **otherwise Very Fine,** a very rare usage of this 6¢ overprint issue, *ex-Plass*.
Scott No. **221 var.** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

Puerto Rico

1818 **/*❒ **1899, 1¢ Yellow Green,** left margin plate no. "567" block of 6 with imprint, o.g., left stamps never hinged, well centered throughout, deep rich color, **Very Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **210** $300

1819 **❒ **1899, 2¢ Reddish Carmine, Type IV,** left margin plate no. "563" block of 6 with imprint, o.g., never hinged, rich bright color, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **211** $275

1820 * **1899, 5¢ Blue, Special Printing,** left margin single, o.g., hinge remnant, deep intense color and quite fresh, **Fine and rare**; signed W.H. Colson handstamp on reverse.
Scott No. **212 var.**. $2,000



1821 *❒ **1899, 8¢ Violet Brown,** top margin plate no. "249" block of 6 with imprint, o.g., rich bold color and wide margins, **F.-V.F.,** a great Puerto Rico plate block rarity.
Scott No. **213** $5,000

AN EXTREMELY RARE PLATE BLOCK OF THE 1899, 8¢ SHERMAN ISSUE - WITH ONLY A FEW EXAMPLES KNOWN.



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1822 * **1900, 1¢ Yellow Green, Special Printing,** left margin single, o.g., hinge remnant, strong bright color and attractively centered, **F.-V.F.**; signed W.H. Colson handstamp on reverse, with 1998 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **215 var.** $2,000

1823 **❐ **1899, 1¢ Postage Due,** top margin plate no. "267" block of 6 with imprint, o.g., stamps never hinged, hinged in ungummed selvage only, fresh with bold color, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **J1** . . . . . $750 for hinged



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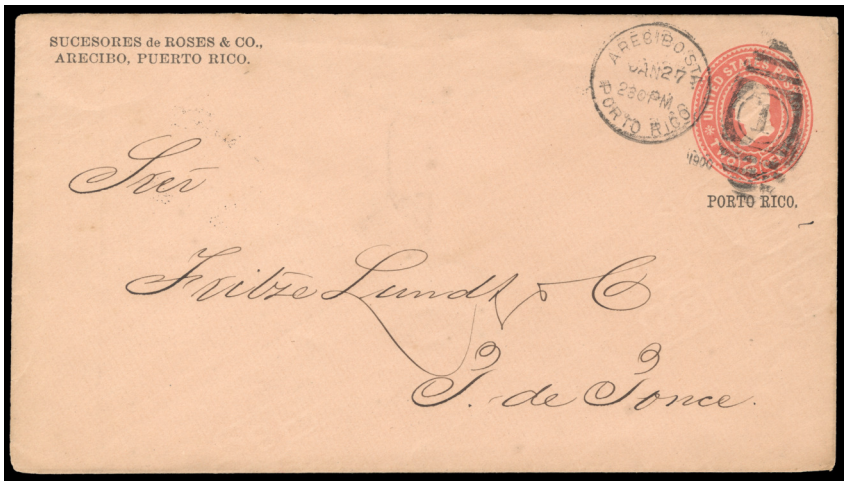
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1824 * **1899, 2¢ Postage Due, Special Printing,** left margin single, o.g., hinge remnant, deep bold color and very fresh, **F.-V.F.**; signed W.H. Colson handstamp on reverse, with 1998 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **J2 var.** $2,000

1825 o **1899, 2¢ Carmine on Oriental Buff,** corner card entire canceled by "Arecibo, Porto Rico, Jan 27, 1900" duplex postmark and addressed to Ponce, San Juan received backstamp, **Very Fine,** very scarce; with 1988 & 2011 P.F. certificates.
Scott No. **U7**; $1,100 . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

United States Postal History Collections

Western Covers

1826 ✉ **California Postal History Balance,** of over 45 items in album; various San Francisco cover including early manuscript 80 rate and 1860's Registered straight line, other townmarks with Yreka manuscript, Yankee Jims, Spanish Flat, manuscript Clarksville with "Overland via Salt Lake" endorsement (faulty), Red Dog, Crescent City manuscript, Bodie, Copperopolis, etc., some illustrated including two faulty miner's covers and front, couple telegraph covers, etc.; condition is mixed, inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

1827 *✉ **Western Express Cover Balance,** of 13 Wells, Fargo & Co. usages and a scarce unused Garland's Express frank entire; nice array of towns including Sutter Creek, Mayfield, Monterey, Monticello, Merced, Sebastopol, Tehama, Greenwood, San Bernardino, Bear Valley, Coloma and Nicholaus; few minor flaws with most nice readable strikes (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

1828 ✉ **Western Express Cover Balance,** mixed condition group of 24 items; with Wheeler, Rutherford & Co., Langton's, Freeman & Co., Pacific Express Co., Bamber and Greenhood & Newbauer usages with various faults/repairs, Spear's Express fake and other Wells, Fargo & Co. including many scarce illustrated ad entires, couple faulty Pony Express stamps, etc.; most faulty/reference items with some interesting, inspect (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

1829 **Western Ephemera Group,** several dozen items including 1860's court documents from Sierra county, 1888 court bag usage with Wells, Fargo & Co. San Francisco express label, another Wells Fargo label from Chicago to Sierraville, Cal., Oregon Territory documents, etc.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

Stampless Covers

1830 ✉ **Colonial Stampless Group, 1795-99,** of six folded letters; includes 1795 Boston straight line with "Sh 12" rating, and 1799 Boston straight line with 12½ rating, 1797 Portsmouth two line postmark, 1798 Providence straight line with manuscript date, 1797 "N. York, July 18" straight line and "Richm'd. Nov 27, 1795" straight line; generally F-VF (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

1831 ✉ **Stampless Cover Accumulation,** the remainder of the Stanley Piller stampless retail stock; 120 covers, each identified; uniformly exceptional condition (i.e. 1947 New Harmony fancy 10¢ circa 1852 New York Cameo), inspect to appreciate.
Estimate . . . . . $3,000 - 4,000

1832 ✉ **Stampless Cover Group,** 40 including Steamboat Paid, trans-Atlantic, "Bremen" usage, "Ship Letter", usage to Upper Canada, 1833 Hampden Maine oval red cds, 1796 usage, early Philadelphia, few with minor faults.
Estimate . . . . . $600 - 800

1833 ✉ **Stampless Covers,** lot of 8 stampless covers representing the best from the Stanley Pillar estate; includes beautiful Soldier's letter with special cancel, New Ipswich, N.H. fancy "PAID 3" folded letter, etc.; condition is uniformly Extremely Fine.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

State Postal History

1834 ✉ **Alaska Postal History Group,** 14 Early 20th century Alaska covers/cards (1 Canada); the remainder of the Stanley Piller retail stock; nice condition, inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

1835 ✉ **New Jersey Postal History Accumulation,** group of over 80 covers from stampless to 1860's; nice range of stampless items including 1842 Lawrenceville and 1845 Haddonfield straight line postmark, 1849 Middletown Point T&C cds, bold 1829 Mount Holly cds, 1845 Lawrenceville rimless cds, fancy 1852 Haddonfield negative cds, 1818 Newark fancy oval in blue, 1849 Flemington oval in brown, 1849 Princeton cds in green with boxed "5" rate handstamp, etc.; condition varies with many nice strikes, **generally F.-V.F. or better.**
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

1836 ✉ **South Carolina Postal History, 1800-60's,** massive collection of over 1,000 mostly stampless covers but also including 3¢ Nesbitts and 1851-57 3¢ frankings, better noted Yorktown negative "5" rating handstamp, "Walterboto So. Ca." fancy oval, Pendleton large blue numerals "5", "X", "XX" and "Paid X", crude Mt. Elon cds and "5" ratemarker; Meeting Street 3¢ Nesbitt use to NYC where advertised; "Lawtonville S.C." brownish cds; 1827 "Lancaster S.C." fancy brownish cds letter, Leesville manuscript. "2" lady's envelope drop use; Hamburg fancy "X" rating handstamp; Greenville oval; 1811 "Geo Town" manuscript. postmark; Erwinton fancy cds uses; Bluffton fancy cds, etc.; wide range of towns including Abbeville, Adams Run, Aiken, Alston, Anderson C.H., Bamberg, Barnwell, Beaufort, Bennettsville, Bethlehem, Big Creek, Bishopsville, Black Oak, Blairsville, Black River, Bluffton, Calhoun Mills, Catfish, Cherokee Pond, Cheraw C.H., Chester, Clark's Fork, Conwayboro, Crop Hill, Darlington, Double Branches, Duck Branch, Due West Corner, Edgefield, Elton, Grahamville, Goshen Hill, Glen Spring, Graniteville, Greenville, Harrisburgh, Harmony College, Horse Shoe, Hopkins, Lancaster C.H., Laurens C.H., Leesville, Lexington, Leavensworth, Lewisville, Limestone Springs, Little River, Little Rock, Lodi, Lodimont, Lower 3 Runs, Lynchwood, Marion, Mars Bluff, Midway, Mile Grove, Monroe, Monterey, Mt. Bethel, Monchs Corner, Mt. Carmel, Mount Clio, Mt. Tabor, Mt Willing, Mullins, Newberry, Parks Store, Pine Ville, Pickensville, Pleasant Valley, Pocotaligo, Pomaria, Red Bank, Richardsons, Robertville, Rantowles, Sandy Run, Silver Glade, Smith's Store, Society Hill, Spartanburg, Springville, State-burgh, Stoneypoint, Summerville, Swift Creek, Table Mountain, Temperanceville, Terrysville, Thomas X Roads, Tombsville, Timber Ridge, Tunnel Hill, Union C.H., Vance's Ferry, Webb Store, Willington, etc.; also includes folder of early letters; some mixed condition, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $5,000 - 7,500

1837 ✉ **Southern States Postal History Balance,** of over 200 covers of mostly southern states postmarks mostly from 1840-60's period; includes strong section of Louisiana with section of New Orleans postmarks from 1831 on, express mail to N.Y., circular stamped usages, etc., Alabama including Tuscaloosa star use and a nice array of postmarks including Doakesville, early Georgia from 1809 on, useful Virginia, little Texas and Tennessee, etc.; worth review.
Estimate . . . . . $600 - 800

1838 ✉ **South Carolina Postmaster Free Franks, 1800-1850's,** collection of over 120 Antebellum free franks with a wide variety of towns and postmarks including some fancy rating handstamps and numerous manuscript small towns, note 1860 Charleston "P.O. Business, Free" arc handstamp; 1857 Columbia blue "Post Office Business, Free" circular handstamp; 1837 "Edwinton S.C." fancy double-circle postmark; 1829 manuscript. "Lodebar Academy" and 1820 manuscript. "Longmire's Store"; 1843 "Nation Ford"; 1853 Robertville S.C. to New York with "Advertised" straightline; 1850s Sandy Run fancy "Free" curved rating handstamp; 1826 manuscript. "Thompson's Tan Yard"; etc., **Very Fine and wonderful collection accumulated over a lifetime.**
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

Postal History Arranged by Subject

1839 ✉ **Astronaut Autograph Covers, 1962-91,** eleven early Astronauts autographs on 10 covers; includes a rare "Buzz" Aldrin (with Wally Schirra) cover, a John Glenn cover, 6 Wally Schirra covers and two Gordon Cooper covers; a seldom offered and scarce group from a gentleman who worked at NASA!
Estimate . . . . . $600 - 800

1840 ✉ **Auxiliary Marking Covers,** group of over 30 covers and card, most usages between 1900-40's, includes "1899 Missent, Military Station No. 21, Cardenas Cuba" on cover to Matanzas, 1910's special delivery usages, censored Naval ship mail, 1917 postal card to Russia "Retour, Livraison impossible a de la guerre", various unclaimed and return pointing hands, 1940 service suspended, 1930 "Sent to Quarantine", 1931 "Postage Stamp Detached", etc.; interesting group.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

1841 ✉ **Back-of-the-Book Issue Cover Group,** of 92 covers with Back of the Book connections; the remainder of the Stanley Piller retail stock; includes Postage Due usages, Registry Franking (#F1), etc.; great lot.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

1842 ✉ **Carrier Issue Cover Group,** carrier covers x 28; the remainder of the Stanley Piller retail stock; nice variety of frankings in nicer than normal condition.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

1843 ✉ **Civil War Patriotic Cover Balance,** of approximately 40 covers; nice array of designs with many scarce, includes "Game Cock of Uncle Sam", Fremont & McClellan portraits, "Blood Money; Or How Southern Rebels Encourage Piracy", Monitor & Merrimac battle, Scott Vs Hardee, "Dis Chile's Contraban'", some Fremont campaign item including label usages and a John Fox fake, etc.; condition is mixed, please inspect for full evaluation (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

1844 ✉ **Civil War Patriotic Covers,** 67 covers, the remainder of the Stanley Piller retail stock, great variety of designs, condition generally nice.
Estimate . . . . . $3,000 - 4,000

1845 ✉ **Civil War Postal History Balance,** of 10 covers including a couple C.S.A. usages; includes three different **Christian Commission** imprint usages, U.S. Sanitary Commission imprint, Metropolitan Fair imprint cover with 2¢ Blackjack, other imprint covers including "United States Military Telegraph" and "Headquarters, 13th Army Corps", C.S.A. with #4 solo usage and #7 two singles on 13-Star Flag patriotic cover; condition varied, worth a look.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

1846 ✉ **Free Frank Cover Group,** from 19th and early 20th century x 19; great variety from the remainder of the Stanley Piller retail stock; nice condition; inspect to appreciate.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

1847 ✉ **Free Frank Covers,** over 200 covers from the various agencies in the U.S. government - Executive Department, Dept of State, War, Treasury, Justice, Navy, Interior, Agriculture, Post Office, Patent, Pension, Army, etc., as listed and valued in Vol. 2 of the American Stampless Cover Catalog, about 60 of these are sleeved and priced with a writeup, remaining 140 are still as acquired by an intrepid collector years ago, fascinating combination of postal artifacts and American history with content usually on various government matters in the 1790's to about the 1860's, also includes a few Executive Mansion/White House covers and a few Postmaster free franks, but over 200 are from the various executive branches with frankings of Commissioners, deputies, assistants, clerks, etc., including A. D. Bache, grandson of Ben Franklin, Gideon Welles, Secretary of Navy, Nicholas Trist of Dept. of State, Caleb Swan, Army Paymaster in 1805 to the District of New Orleans, Freedmen's Bureau, 1822 letter about Spanish Claims in the Prize Court, 1838 letter mentioning the French blockade of Mexican Ports; great lot either for a dealer or a collector wanting to expand this assemblage.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

1848 ✉ **(Machine Cancels) American Bars - Boston & Other Cities,** huge collection accumulation of over 3,000 covers, majority a range of Boston numbers (1-14), letters, stations, and other cities including Chicago, Worcester Ma., Lynn Ma., Philadelphia, Eire Pa., Lancaster Pa., Utica N.Y., Canton Oh., etc., note rare 3rd class dateless Philadelphia 1890 use with printed enclosures; some mixed condition, **F.-V.F.,** a treasure trove for the machine cancel enthusiast.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750



1849 ✉ **(Machine Cancels) Better Machine Cancels Balance, 1876-1931,** group of 21 covers and cards with scarce to rare machine cancels; rare highlights include **U.S. Postal Agency Shanghai, Mar 31, 1906., Flag cancel** (type Q14(1)) use of about one week, section of Leavitt Machines including "Boston, Mass.", Type X-D with inverted "C" killer (Rarity K), Leavitt Machine, "Boston, Mass. Jan. 6.76", Type A-1 canceller **first day of use**, Leavitt Machine, "Boston, Mass., Feb. 2 .76", Type A1-2 test strike without killer (one of two recorded), Leavitt Machine, "Philadelphia Pa. Dec 2 '81", type X1A scarce first day use (Rarity K) and others, scarcer Acme Supply Co. flag cancels, selection of good American Postal Machine Co. cancels including "New York, Madison Sq. Sta., N.Y., Dec 29, 1899", Type S38 "Madison Square Station" flag machine redundant station name type used only Dec. 28-30, 1899. (Langford $500), "Boston, Mass., Feb 14, 1898, Trip 16", Type B-38 street car R.P.O. flag cancel "Boston & Somerville R.P.O." (only four recorded, *ex-Langford*), "Poughkeepsie, N.Y., Aug 13, 1917", Type A38 machine cancel with "Military Branch" flag (Langford states two examples seen), "Sea Post No. 2, Mar 5, 1931", Type A14 flag machine (one of two known), also Imperial Mail Marking Machine Co., "Boston, Mass., Dec 30, 96", Involute flag Type P-53 (Large "C") Dial 3 (Langford $800) and 10¢ Columbian entire with scarce red "Registered, Aug 23, 1893, World's Fair Station" date stamp; with overall condition well above the norm, an excellent opportunity for the specialist (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $3,000 - 4,000

1850 ✉ **(Machine Cancels) Flag Machine Cancels - Military Stations,** group of **85** including most listed examples except the great rarities, some duplication, note 1924 "McClellan, Ala.", 1921 "Camp Benning, Ga", 1923 "Fort Benning, Ga.", 1922 "Fort Riley, Kansas", 1917 "Alexandria, La." with "Beauregard Branch" flap; 1922 "Ayer, Mass., Devens Branch"; two 1917 Brooklyn NY "Upton Branch"; 1927 "Fort Bliss, Tex."; 1917 Fort Worth, Texas "Bowie Branch"; 1918 Norfolk Va. "Military Branch", etc., some mixed condition (See website for images), **F.-V.F. and good group.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

1851 ✉ **(Machine Cancels) Flag Machine Cancels - Military Post Offices in France 1917-18,** collection of **104** covers and cards with examples of all 9 machine cancels including "2", "701", "702", "705" and "717", range of uses with censor handstamps and tape, some mixed condition but a comprehensive group, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

1852 ✉ **(Official Covers) 19th and Early 20th Century Penalty Card and Covers,** x58; the remainder of the Stanley Piller retail stock; great variety including Provost Marshall General envelope of Baltimore, MD. signed by Edward M. Stanton; interesting lot.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

1853 ✉ **Railroad Postal History Group,** covers/cards x 57; the remainder of the Stanley Piller retail stock; great variety in nice condition; needs to be inspected.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

1854 ✉ **Special Delivery Covers,** beautiful collection including wide variety of usages and combinations with other U.S. stamps; also includes several Parcel Post, Registration (#F1), and couple of Shanghai overprint usages; a seldom seen, unpicked lot. (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

1855 ✉ **Special Delivery on Foreign Incoming Mail, 1913-42,** group of 7 cover bearing various special delivery issues; including #E8 on 1913 cover from Columbia and another from Costa Rica, #E12 on 1934 cover from Cuba, and #E15 usages on covers from Cuba, Peru, Chile and Netherlands; some cover/stamp flaws, interesting group.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

1856 ✉ **(World War II) U.S. Military Covers from St. Lucia Collection, 1941-44,** of 28 covers (2 incoming) to the U.S. much written up on album pages; including A.P.O. airmail, "Mar. Det." airmail and cachet covers, 1941 A.P.O. forerunner, American Base Forces postmarks including a couple Prexie usages (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

1857 */o✉ **Picture Postcards,** beautiful lot of 422 mostly used cards, nearly all from Idaho and Washington state 1908-1912; includes 1911 Burrell, Idaho Rodeo scenes, 1909 Yukon - Pacific Expo (and one from Seattle A.Y.P. Expo), interesting 1910 Idaho Swastika ("Good luck!) card, etc.; condition is much nicer than normal, huge retail!
Estimate . . . . . $600 - 800

Advertising & Illustrated Covers

1858 ✉ **1851 3¢ Issue on Advertising Covers,** 25 Advertising covers; the remainder of the Stanley Piller retail stock; great variety including 10 Cameos; condition much nicer than normal.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

1859 ✉ **1857 3¢ Issue on Advertising Covers,** 33 Advertising covers, the remainder of the Stanley Piller retail stock; tremendous variety of companies (includes allovers) in exceptionally nice condition.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

1860 ✉ **Cameo Advertising Cover Collection, 1850-70's,** extensive holding of approximately 170 cover housed in three cover binders; mostly 1850-60's covers with a wonderful array of merchants and companies with many illustrated designs, including 1850's Merchant's Celebrated Garling Oil - Lockport, N.Y. showing Arabian Horse Scene, various shield designs including San Francisco, McPherson & Thomas, Commission Merchants - Baltimore showing Flour Barrell, C.W. Coontz, Iron Founder and Machinery - Winchester, Va. showing Steam Engine, Charter Oak Life Insurance Co. - Hartford, Ct. showing Oak Tree, Beates & Miller, Wholesale Druggist - Philadelphia showing Mortar and Pestle, National Stove Works (New York) showing various Stoves, etc., domestic usages including a few 3¢+1¢ combinations, wide range towns and professions; overall condition a bit above the norm, worth proper review (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $10,000 - 15,000

1861 ✉ **Exposition & Fairs Illustrated and Advertising Cover Collection, 1870-1910's,** extensive holding of approximately 215 items arranged in three cover binders; starting with a nice showing of 1880's Expos covers including the 1882 St. Louis (Great Fair, also 1877, 1878, 1883 designs), 1880, 1883 & 1884 Cincinnati Expos, 1884 New Orleans, 1886 Cincinnati Industrial, 1888 Ohio Centennial Expo (fairground view and many others), 1888 Virginia, 1889 Atlanta (Main Building view), 1889 San Francisco with Mechanics' Expo illustrated enclosure, etc., nice showing of 1893 Trans-Mississippi Expos and other 1890's items, majority of items residing in the 1900's with a wonderful array of 1901 Pan-American Expo including dozens of the multicolored Niagara En. and Pan-Am Ex. Co. emissions, allover Buffalo in flag designs, embossed medal, buffalo & globe, Larkin Buffalo with Top Hat, many Expo label usages, rare International Navigation Co. multicolored and many other seldom seen items, nice showing of 1904 St. Louis World's Fair multicolored designs (many with Louisiana frankings), popular Uncle Sam and Map design present, etc., 1905 Lewis & Clark Centennial well represented, 1901 Jamestown Expo, 1909 Alaska-Yukon, 1902 Kansas City 1902 Pasadena (Roses), etc. with an additional array of other smaller fairs an later Expositions including 1915 Pan-Pac, various Exposition card including earlier advertising hand-out items; overall condition well above the norm, some with relevant enclosures, etc., inspection a must to truly appreciate (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $10,000 - 15,000

1862 ✉ **Guns, Shells & Powder Advertising Cover Collection,** of 70 covers and a few post/postal cards housed in cover album; a wonderful array of designs including 19 multicolored ads including J. Stevens Arms & Tool Co. design showing Hunters with Tent and Canoe, another Stevens bordered design showing Rifle, popular Savage Hammerless Rifles & Ammunition design showing Indian Chief Portrait & Rifle (2¢ Louisiana frank, bit reduced), Hunter Arms Co. design showing Cocker Spaniel, couple different Remington UMC designs showing Caricature Bears and Shotgun, two Hazard Powder ads showing Quacking Duck, three different Winchester ads, etc., others including several 19th ad covers, two nice illustrated gun postal cards, other companies represented including U.S. Cartridges, Marlin, U.S. Ammunition, DuPont Powders (couple multicolored), Peters, Ithaca Guns, etc., some related items, one unused cover, etc.; overall condition well above the norm, inspection highly recommended (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $5,000 - 7,500

1863 ✉ **Hotel Corner Card Cover Group,** x 26 19th century covers (mostly franked with #26 and #65); the remainder of the Stanley Piller retail stock; nice condition and variety.
Estimate . . . . . $600 - 800

1864 ✉ **Phrenology & Phonography Advertising Cover Collection,** of 32 covers and one addressed pamphlet; Phrenology with 10 covers and pamphlet 1850-80's including rare 1850's "Fowlers & Wells Phrenological Museum" illustrated cameo on backflap, various other Fowlers & Wells illustrated Head designs, Phrenological Journal ads and 1855 Fowler published pamphlet, other covers of Phonography 1850-1900's with the host of allover designs including scarce small type cover, later with related including stenography & takigrafy ads, etc.; condition a little mixed with many nice items throughout, inspection recommended (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

1865 ✉ **Stamp Collar Advertising Cover Collection,** of 45 covers (one unused) housed in cover album, 1880-1910's usages; nice array of collar designs with modest duplication at times (sometimes in different colors), designs including scarce "World's Fair St. Louis, 1904", "West, Johnston & Co., Pianos, Richmond, Va.", "Postage 2 Ounces" faux stamp collar, Dold Food Products multicolored ad & collar, "National Automatic Computing Scales" collar with additional illustrated Globe, another with Scale, "Chas. M. Higgins & Co., Drawing Inks, Etc., Brooklyn, N.Y." illustrated collar incorporating Ink Bottle, "Carries 2 Ounces" showing illustrated Mail Boxes, etc.; with condition above the norm overall, inspection highly recommended (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $2,500 - 3,500

Regular Issues on Cover

1866 ✉ **1851 1¢ Issue Covers,** 20 covers (28 stamps), the remainder of the Stanley Piller retail stock; each cover identified, with only a couple of exceptions, condition is especially nice; nice lot.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

1867 ✉ **1851 3¢ Issue Covers,** the remainder of the Stanley Piller retail stock; 87 covers (22 x #10 or #10A); tremendous variety of usages and each identified by one of the foremost experts of this particular issue; condition is much nicer than normal.
Estimate . . . . . $3,000 - 4,000

1868 ✉ **1855 10¢ & 12¢ Issue Covers,** 10¢ (7) and 12¢ (1) covers; the remainder of the Stanley Piller retail stock; 10¢ with 6 single frankings; 1 cover faulty, rest stamps Fine on very nice covers; usages include a Rare short paid 10¢ cover.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

1869 ✉ **1857 10¢ Issue Covers,** 25 covers, the remainder of the Stanley Piller retail stock; tremendous variety of frankings and destinations with the quality exceptionally high; all but 12 franked with #32 or #33 (21 Stamps).
Estimate . . . . . $3,000 - 4,000

1870 ✉ **1857 12¢ Issue Covers,** Type I x 40 and Type II x 20, the remainder of the Stanley Piller retail stock; most plated by Mr. Piller; condition much nicer than normal; seldom offered in lots this nice.
Estimate . . . . . $4,000 - 6,000

1871 ✉ **1857 12¢ Issue Covers,** 4 covers, the remainder of the Stanley Piller retail stock, 3 pairs franking and one with single combination with 3¢; Paris destinations; nice lot.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

1872 ✉ **1857 1¢ Issue Covers,** 20 covers, the remainder of the Stanley Piller retail stock; including #23 on 1857 Stock Exchange circular; condition far above normal.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

1873 ✉ **1857 3¢ Issue Covers,** Type III x 66, Type IV x 21, the remainder of the Stanley Piller retail stock, nice variety of markings and usages (including #26 bisect used as 2¢) in especially nice condition.
Estimate . . . . . $3,000 - 4,000

1874 ✉ **1861 1¢ Issue Covers,** 33 covers, the remainder of the Stanley Piller retail stock; nice variety of usages (including combinations); especially nice condition.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

1875 ✉ **1861 3¢ Issue Covers,** 215 covers; the remainder of the Stanley Piller retail stock; great variety of markings, usages, advertising, etc. (Including some #64b and a #64 cover); condition nicer than normal.
Estimate . . . . . $4,000 - 6,000

1876 ✉ **1861 3¢ Issue on Advertising Covers,** 43 Advertising covers, the remainder of the Stanley Piller retail stock; a beautiful selection including allovers, etc.; nice condition.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

1877 ✉ **1861-63 5¢-30¢ Issue Covers,** the remainder of the Stanley Piller retail stock; 28 covers; wide variety of frankings and destinations (7 x 30¢ franking covers), mostly nice condition for these.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

1878 ✉ **1861-67 2¢ Blackjack on Cover Balance,** of six nice covers; includes four uncommon illustrated ad cover including unusual oversize, three-leaf clover cancel and usage to Canada combination usage; inspect, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **73, 93** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

1879 ✉ **1863 2¢ Blackjack Covers,** 37 covers, the remainder of the Stanley Piller retail stock, great variety of usages and postmarks (including #68 and #73 combination cover, etc.), condition nicer than normal.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

1880 ✉ **1867 Grilled Issue Covers,** 37 covers, the. Remainder of the Stanley Piller retail stock; great selection of frankings (including combinations with other issues, advertising, etc.) especially nice condition.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

1881 ✉ **1869 1¢-15¢ Issue Covers,** 81 covers; the remainder of the Stanley Piller retail stock; includes 6¢ (4) frankings, 10¢ (4 including Combo with 2¢ Banknote), 12¢ (1), 15¢ (1); condition is nicer than normal.
Estimate . . . . . $3,000 - 4,000

1882 ✉ **1869 3¢ Pictorial Covers,** 11 cover and a few off cover stamps; domestic usages for various towns, blue cancels and double rate use; inspect (See website for images).
Scott No. **114** . . . . . Estimate $50 - 75

1883 ✉ **Banknote Issue Cover Stock,** the remainder of the Stanley Piller retail stock of Banknote issues, 269 covers with wide variety of frankings and usages of the 1870-1887 issues; a great lot!
Estimate . . . . . $5,000 - 7,500

1884 ✉ **Banknotes Issues to Foreign Destinations Balance,** of seven covers; includes #161 x5 + 158 x2 on cover to **St. Helena, Atlantic Ocean**, #159 x3 on cover Cambridge, Mass. to Cordova, Argentina Republic, #158 x3 on cover Chicago to Linkoping, Sweden, #147 x4 on cover N.Y. to France, #146 x2 + #147 x2 on cover Philadelphia to France, #158 x2 uprating 1870 3¢ entire Cleveland to England, and a nice #158 x2 cover to Notingham, Germany canceled by two strikes of the fancy "Man in Coffin" cancel of Harrisburg, Pa. (rare foreign destination use); few flaws but overall quite nice.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

1885 ✉ **Classic Issues Cover Balance, 1851-67,** of 19 covers; 15 of which are 10/10A single franking usages with many plated, various shades, express mail, towns including Lowell,Mass., other covers including #15L14+U10 combination, #35 New York to Manzanillo, Mexico, #77 solo rate usage to France, and Scott 24+26+35(2) three color franking to London; condition a little varied, worth a look.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

1886 ✉ **Cover Balance,** mix of material from useful early stampless to modern FDC's; includes nice Leominster, Ms. fancy blue stovepipe cancel tying #114 on cover, Trans-Pacific flight covers, various first flights and Zepp usages, stationery including mint Hawaii and #UC10 x84, FDC's including Prexie set including coil, booklet and electric eye issues, also modern high value FDC's.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

1887 ✉ **Cover Balance,** mix of several hundreds covers; with California & Nevada related including Yosemite illustrated, fair covers, early Nevada postmarks from Gold Hill (Cassidy correspondence), etc. including express, 1861 New York Tribune hand carried ad cover docketed Horace Greeley, some airmail and Hawaii related; mixed condition but a useful holding, worth a look.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

1888 ✉ **Cover Balance, 1847-1940's,** group of 8 interesting/better covers; includes 1847 10¢ (2) tied by red "10" on N.Y. & Erie R.R. cds cover, and 3¢ Nesbitt entire uprated with 5¢ brick red (27) + 10¢ strip (32, 33) New Orleans to Italy (both covers a bit worn but rare), 2¢ Trans-Miss 2nd day of usage on P.O. official business cover, 1920-30's quarantine handstamp covers, interesting special delivery & 1¢ Prexie usages and 1940's U.S.-France-Switzerland franking cover; worth a look.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

1889 ✉ **Early Commemoratives on Cover, 1893-1915,** 65 covers/cards with wide range of frankings, destinations, etc.; includes two 50¢ Columbian covers (one with P.F. certificate) 2¢ Lincoln Bluish paper (P.F. certificate) etc.; great high retail lot (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

1890 ✉ **Early Covers, 1847-1903,** 36 covers includes #1 (with P.F. certificate), an 1857 10¢ cover from Port Townsend, Washington Territory and an 1850 stampless folded letter datelined Rough and Ready, Calif. from Oliver Hickok (Wild Bill's brother) to their father; mixed condition, inspection sure to reward. (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

1891 ✉ **First Day Cover Accumulation,** attractive lot of USA FDC's, around 375 FDC's with many different cachet types including Loor, Crosby, Fleetwood and many others, there are many hand-painted as well, ranges from the 1930's to more modern issues, mostly different with a great variety of issues and cachets, dealer's informed retail is over $8,000, generally very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

1892 ✉ **Postal History and Miscellaneous Accumulation,** of approximately 700 covers and some ephemera material; general mix of covers including 1853-55 Nesbitt entires, some early stampless, early stamped items including a section of ladies covers, section of circular usages and prices current, few including transatlantic items (mixed condition), steam stampless items, etc.; condition mixed, worth proper review.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

1893 ✉ **Select Classic Cover Group, 1857-61,** of 10 domestic cover usages; includes #7 with red N.Y. carrier, #25 on mourning cover from Boston, #26a usages, #36B on legal size x4 rate, large margin #64B use and nice grill usages with #94 tied by blue oval railroad depot date stamp; three items with certs, most are choice well centered/gem stamps on cover, inspection a must.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

1894 ✉ **United States 20th Century Cover Holding,** mostly mundane but includes 24 WWII Patriotic covers with 5 Tokyo Bay cancels (2 combination with Japanese stamps), etc.; very high retail.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

1895 ✉ **United States Cover Accumulation,** Banker's Box full of covers, Virtually all 20th century but includes some better items (includes #C1-C6 on separate covers for launching the U.S.S. Indianapolis). Should be inspected.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

1896 ✉ **United States Cover Group,** of 151 mostly early 20th century covers/cards; the remainder of the Stanley Piller retail stock; great variety, markings and usages of Washington/Franklins etc.; should be inspected, each marked by Mr. Piller.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

1897 ✉ **United States Cover Group,** box of several 100 covers set aside because of special usages, franking, etc.; for example a Special Prisoner of war 1941 card from a WWII prisoner at Fort Benning, etc.; inspection sure to be rewarded.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

1898 ✉ **United States Covers,** mostly 19th Century covers and cards; a very interesting and valuable lot; includes a cover with 3¢ and 15¢ 1869 issues, various Express covers, a specialized Contra Costa, etc; tremendous value to those knowledgeable in this area.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

United States Postage Stamp Collections

The William Rader Collections of Martha Washington

The following three lots are the award-winning exhibition collections of Martha Washington. These collections were formed by Mr. Rader over a number of years and garnered several awards at numerous philatelic events around the country. Throughout the catalogue are a number of unusual and unique items from the collections, such as 1902-03 1¢-$5 Complete, Natal Post Office "Specimen" Overprints (Lot 1262), 1923 4¢ Martha Washington, Vertical Pair, Imperf Horizontally (lot 1437) and 1938 1½¢ Martha Washington, Small Die Proof on Wove Paper (Lot 1457). These three lots represent the core collections and each should be examined carefully as these are a once in a lifetime opportunity.

1899 */o **1902 Martha Washington Specialized Collection of the 8¢ Violet Black,** highly specialized two volume collection of stamps and covers; highlights include a **large die proof**, **two small die proofs**, mint and used plate blocks, SPECIMEN overprints (including **UNIQUE #306SE with distinctly double overprint with P.F. Certificate**), 73 covers with an impressive array of usages (including three Canal Zone Covers), etc.; condition is generally far above average, one of the finest collection ever formed. please inspect (See website for images).
Scott No. **306** . . . . . Estimate $5,000 - 7,500

1900 */o **1923-1929 Martha Washington Specialized Collection of the 4¢ Martha Washington,** four volumes of stamps and covers; highlights include the **2 different large die proofs** (A.P.S. certificate), etc.; there are **183 covers** with an outstanding array of usages and combinations; condition generally excellent, a fascinating study for further expansion, please inspect (See website for images).
Scott No. **556//673** . . . . . Estimate $3,000 - 4,000

1901 */o **1938 Martha Washington Specialized Collection of the 1½¢ Martha Washington, Presidential,** four volumes of stamps and covers; highlights include better stamps varieties, but the real highlight is the **202 covers** and the remarkable variety of usages; great condition, please inspect (See website for images).
Scott No. **805** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500

Regular Issues

1902 */o **United States Collection, 1847-2013,** in 8 jam-packed Lighthouse Hingeless US albums, with largely used classics, then mainly unused from 1890's to 2013, condition problems exist early on with many faults to be expected, later stamps mainly Fine-VF, volume 1 has 1847-1935 stamps, and used stamps start with #1, 2, 7, 9, 10, 17, 22, 25, 63, 67-72, 73, 75-77, 89-90, 112-117, 119, etc., nice used Bank Notes to 90¢, many extra pages of cancellations, varieties, etc., also 5 pages of Confederates, with many singles, including both used and unused #9, T-E-N, other blocks, shades, fakes, fantasies, nice showing, back-of-the-book includes Special Deliveries and Parcel Post complete, many postage dues, unused stamps include a beautiful set of 230-245 Columbians, well-centered, fresh colors, all either no gum or regummed, also 285-293, most regummed, Pan-Americans, 311, 369, 397-404 (400A with PFC), 467, 505, 518, 630 n.h., 658-679 many n.h., 573, 599A n.h. (PFC), C1-6, C13 n.h., C14 and C15, LH, in addition, there are many extra pages throughout of cancels, shades, varieties, etc., volumes 2-7 cover the years 1935 to 2012 and are essentially complete and n.h., many extra pages are included with shades, minor numbers, some reverse printings of Overrun Nations, tags and wet-dry printing varieties of Liberty issue, Western Airletters, gum and perf varieties, Recalled Legends, Bugs imperf, booklet and die cut types, microprinting, vended postage, many extra sheetlets of 20, etc., volume 8 has 2013 issues plus a full set of unused Duck stamps, RW1-RW80, 1934-2013 with many additional self-adhesives (13 different), plus Junior Ducks from 2001-2013; inspection needed throughout to show extras the collector added.
Estimate . . . . . $7,500 - 10,000

1903 */o **United States Collection, 1847-1977,** extensive collection of 1000's of stamps in 1977 Scott Album; highlights start with a VF+, 4 nice margins #1 and continues on to the back with page after page completely filled with stamps; one mans lifetime of work with enormous catalog and Retail; inspection a must!
Estimate . . . . . $5,000 - 7,500

1904 */o **United States, Extensive Dealers Stock,** neatly mounted in stock book, this lot has 6 certificates; includes #1, #2, two #12, two #122, #292, #467 (block of 6 with one error), C13-14, etc., condition is mixed as would expect but the collector went for nice looking stamps and it shows. Enormous Retail! please inspect (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $5,000 - 7,500

1905 */o **United States High Quality Collection, 1847-1903,** on pages; early material mixed mint and used, 1894-1903 definitives mint; generally o.g., lightly hinged, mixed condition, but **generally fresh and Very Fine**; this lot has **66 certified stamps** (i.e. four margin #1), a wonderful lot, worth careful inspection (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $5,000 - 7,500

1906 */o **United States Collection, 1847-1933,** mint and used collection in a Lindner hingeless album, 19th Century mostly used with/some unused, better including Scott #1 (pen cancel), 4P4 (card proof), 11 o.g., 28, 32, 37a, 38, 63, 67, 70, 71, 72 (red pen cancel), 78, 78b, 89, 95 (2), 97 (2), 98, 112-17, 119, 146 o.g., 148, 155, 159, 160, 161, 162-63, 166, 219-227, 228 o.g., 229, 239-40, complete set of Columbians with mostly mint to $1, and $2, $3, $4, and $5 used, 256 NH with imprint, 258 o.g., 271 NH, 275, 276, 277 and 278, Trans-Mississippi complete less $1, 20th Century mostly mint with early commemorative sets complete to Jamestown, fair amount of Washington-Franklins, 1922 Liberty set and 1929 Kansas-Nebraska set complete, White Plains sheet, various airpost, special delivery, postage due and other back of book, useful collection with plenty of value, nice range of material, condition varies, owner's Scott $58K, review recommended, generally fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $5,000 - 7,500

1907 */o **United States Collection,** mostly mint in scott hingeless to 1971 album, scattered classics mostly used #1-2, 1857-61 to 90¢, 1869 to Bank Notes to 90¢, 1883 on reasonably complete mint including 1887 to 1898 issues complete (#218, 262, 278 used} and Columbians/Trans-Miss. complete to 50¢ only, also 263S, scattered Washington-Franklins including coils (some questionable, fakes), 1920 on mostly complete, Airs complete mint, mostly complete mint Special Delivery, few Dues, Parcel Post complete mint ($1 used), Ducks complete mostly used, scattered mostly mint Possessions including Hawaii with #O1-5, very fresh colors throughout, some early gum issues, etc.
Estimate . . . . . $4,000 - 6,000

1908 */o **United States Collection,** in 4 Scott National albums, mostly used to 1890, then mainly unused, used stamps include #1, 7, 9, 10, 14-15, 17, 20, 25, 32-33, 35-37, 67-72, 75-78, 86-90, 92, 96-98, 113-122, 1345, 151-55, 165-66, 191, 218, 229, 242, 261, 292, C13, C14, unused stamps are #233-36, 241, 264-73, 294-99, 300-09, 323-30, 331-41, 374-82, etc., and mostly complete and mostly unused from here on to 1999 with very few empty spaces, Airmails start with unused C1-C6, Special Deliveries have unused E1, and n.h. E7, Nice Dues, Officials, some Newspapers including PR2, PR4, good Revenues, including complete Ducks from RW1-RW72, unused and used, the unused including RW2, 8 (n.h.), 10, 12, 14-17, 19, 22, 30, 33 to 72, condition is mixed, especially on early stamps, with faults to be expected on some better issues, unused stamps are usually OG early, then a mix of hinged and unhinged from about 1912 on (includes well-centered n.h. #400A plate number single ($390), modern issues appear routinely n.h. in plastic mounts; strong catalog and face value.
Estimate . . . . . $4,000 - 6,000

1909 */o **United States Collection, 1847-1996,** mint and used collection in mounts in four pristine White Ace albums with slipcases, including definitives and back of book in chronological order in two volumes to 1996, commemoratives 1893-1960 and airmail 1893-1974 in two volumes, 19th Century mostly used including highlights Scott #1, 36, 70, 75, 115, 151-53, 161, O72-82, PR17-18 etc., 20th Century mostly mint with some NH including Scott #252-58, 348 NH pair, 595, Kansas-Nebraska overprints complete, Presidential and Liberty sets to $5 etc., commemoratives including Columbians to 30¢, Trans-Mississippi to $1, Pan Americans, Louisiana Purchase, Jamestown, 1909 issues with imperf pairs and 2¢ Lincoln blue paper, White Plains sheet and more, airmail C1 and C4-6 NH, C2-3, C13-15 Zepps o.g., also E1-3, E5, J20, O25, O61, O83, PR2-4, P9-10, Q1-12 etc., pleasing collection with good value, owner's Scott $30K+, generally fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $3,000 - 4,000

1910 o **United States Collection, 1847-2011,** used collection in one album, many better items are present, such as #1 with pretty straight line "Paid" cancel, a range of the 1857 Issue, a nice selection of the 1861 Issue, the 1869 Issue to the 30¢, the Bank Note Issues with many of the high denominations (except grilled issue), 1893 Columbian to the $1, 1898 Trans-Miss. complete except the $1, Airmails complete to 1950 including Zepps. and a nice range of Back-of-the-Book, mixed condition, inspection will repay.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

1911 */o/✉ **United States Classics Group,** of mostly used 19th issues; includes 1847-98 issues on Scott pages starting with 4-margin #1, 1851 issues including #12, 14-15 & 17, 1857 issues with **rare #19** and other 1¢ types and other denominations to the 30¢, #40, 1861 issues including mint 90¢ (regummed), grills including #100 on piece (with cert), Pictorials to 12¢ & #119 & 121, few Banknotes and some mint Columbians, useful Bureaus mixed */o, Trans-Miss, also a selection of items on stockcards, #17 two singles on cover to England, etc.; condition varies with many nice items throughout, worth a look.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

1912 o **United States Used Stock,** of material in two small books; includes a pretty, sound #1 and #2, another #2 which appears unused but PSAG certificate says tiny pen cancel removed, etc.; condition above normal, Scott catalog $9,522.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

1913 */o **United States Collection, 1847-1935,** mint and used collection in a well-filled Lindner hingeless album, 19th Century used, early 20th Century mixed and mostly mint from 1920-35, used highlights including Scott #1, 70, 71, 76 (3), 96, 97, 98, 154, 155, 241 ($1 Columbian), 261, 291 etc., mint including #156, 239 (unused) also 323-27 and 328-30, 415 (NH), 480, 524, 658-79 Kansas-Nebraska sets complete, C1-6, etc., worth inspection, plenty of value throughout, owner's Scott $14,525, generally fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

1914 */o **United States Balance Collection, 1847-1977,** mint and used collection in mounts in a Scott National album, better used highlights with Scott #1 with blue cancel, 78, 87, 98, 151, 153, 165, 260 etc., mint including 63, 178, 230-40 (1¢-50¢ Columbians), 255, 285-91 (1¢-50¢ Trans-Mississippi), 294-99, 323-27, 328-30 NH, 397-400A (Pan-Pacific 1¢, 2¢, 10¢ 400 NH), 403, 551-73 ($5 NH), airmail C1-3 (C3 NH), C4-6, C13-15 Zeppelins complete (unused), back of book including E1, E3, Q1-12, JQ1-5 etc., mint highlights mostly o.g., some unused, plenty of value throughout, owner's Scott $11,200+, fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

1915 */o **United States, 1851-57 1¢ Issue Study,** of mostly #9's including a partial plate reconstruction of Plate 1L with many pairs, strips and marginal items (144 stamps), other items including the **#7 big crack plate flaw reconstruction** and Big Crack in Top Margin Horizontal Strip of 3 (Pos. 2-4L2) with additional position on cover, various double transfers, #24 imprint study, centerlines and a hoard of duplications; in total their are of 200 1¢ imperfs alone, condition mixed, a wonderful lot for the specialist and worth careful review.
Estimate . . . . . $4,000 - 6,000

1916 */o **United States, 1851-57 3¢ Issue Study,** of mostly used #11/11A issues; include virtually complete (missing one position) **plate reconstruction of plate 2L (left and right panes)**, partial **reconstruction of three rows of left pane plate 3**, some **plate varieties including major plate crack, "Gents" double transfer**, etc., mix of other items including a couple nice #10's; worth review.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

1917 */o **United States Collection,** a lovely collection remainder in one album of mint and used material, the 19th century is some what sparse, however we note a used #8, four used 5¢ 1857 issue including a Brick Red and a Red Brown, plus a mint 1857 5¢ Orange Brown and a mint 90¢ Blue, a fine smattering of 1861-67 Issues, the 1893 Columbian Issue is complete mint except missing the $1, nice range of mint 1st Bureau are present including Dollar values, Trans-Miss mint to the 8¢, Pan-Am complete mint, 1902 Issue mint missing only the 3¢, 13¢ and $5, plus a lovely selection of Washington-Franklin issues, mixed condition, but better than average and worth careful inspection.
Estimate . . . . . $10,000 - 15,000

1918 **/* **United States Collection, 1851-1966,** all mint collection in mounts in two well-filled Deluxe albums, first volume contains definitives and commemoratives, better 19th century including Scott #10, 25, 30, 36, 37, 76, 78, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 130, 137, 162, 208, 218, also Columbians and Trans-Mississippi both complete, 1894-95 Bureau issues complete less 263 and 276a (275 o.g. with PF cert), 1898-99 UPU issues complete, 1902-03 issues complete to $2, 315 pair (NH, one LH), all commemorative sets complete, 479 (with PF cert) and 480, respectable showing of Washington-Franklins including 523, 524, and 547 all NH, 599A NH with PF cert, White Plains sheet, Kansas-Nebraska set complete, and virtually complete from 1920-66 less only 613 and a few others, volume two feat. general airpost complete including Zepp set C13-15 (C14 NH, C15 VLH), also a selection of airpost blocks of four with C2, C3, C4, C18 etc., special delivery, parcel post and Offices in China all complete and various postage due, a great collection for someone seeking mint material, condition and gum varies, owner's Scott $93K, inspection will prove rewarding, fine to very fine or betterF-VF+.
Estimate . . . . . $10,000 - 15,000

1919 */o **United States Collection,** mint and used collection in two large boxes, includes some 19th century which is sparse and mixed condition, we note the 1869 Issue to the 30¢, mint 20th century includes 1922 Regular issue to the $2, a White Plains souvenir sheet, set of Kans.-Nebr., set of Prexies, and a 50¢ Zepp., two Recalled Legends Sheets, plus used Duck basically complete to about 1980, also including some **nice plate blocks** such as the 1920 Pilgrims, 1923 Hardings, 1924 Huguenot-Walloon, 1925 Lexington-Concord, 1925 Norse Americans, 1931 Regular Issue (#692-701)1930 5¢ Winged Globe, 1935-37 Trans-Pacific and the 1939 30¢Winged Globe, mixed condition but a nice lot worth inspection.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

1920 */o **United States Balance, 1851-1935,** of mostly mint singles and blocks identified on stockcards; mint includes #26 block of 4, 112, 116-117 no gum, 157, 227, 234 block, 236 bloc x2, 241 no gum, 289 plate pair, Pan-Ams complete, 306-309 blocks, 326 block, Kans-Nebr sets, back-of-the-book with various better issues including airmails, better essays, specimens and a little C.S.A.; condition varies, inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

1921 */o **United States Better Accumulation,** of better singles, plate blocks, proofs, booklet panes, etc. in a Lighthouse binder and a small plastic storage box; binder has many black Vario stock sheets full of early classics to more recent items, includes used #15, 71, 87, 112-113, 121 well-centered and sound, 141 (cat $1,500), 218, 291, 346 VF pair, and more, also 2 pages of errors & misperfs, many plate blocks including 616, 831 x5, 834 used x2, C22 x2, many 2¢ reds Nat'l Parks, many Ducks most n.h. including RW7, 8, 10, 11, 12, 14, 17, 26, 33, etc., C10a x2, and more, box has 100's more both used and unused, plate blocks, singles; good value and worth inspection.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

1922 */o **United States Accumulation, 1851-1970,** group of three albums including a White Ace album with mint issues seemingly all never hinged in mounts including Scott #230-32, 294-97, 398 NH, 548-50, 612 NH, 614-21, 630 White Plains sheet very fine, 656 Edison coil line pair NH and virtually complete 1919-72 less Farleys, also Scott and Harris albums feat. 19th and 20th Century mint and used with some back of book, also a stockbook with/various early commemoratives and misc. including some postage, many goodies throughout, careful inspection required, condition mixed, generally fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

1923 o **United States Used Select Group,** of All Gems and Choice Condition; small book of used pre-1925 material chosen for exceptional quality; includes #119 with PSE certificate, #30A, 36, 90, etc.; a beautiful lot of used Gems with a Scott catalog of $3,600+!
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

1924 **/*/o **United States Collection, 1857-1964,** virtually all mint never hinged housed in Lighthouse hingeless album with material hand-selected for well centered material; includes mint #26 and later Banknote issues, selection of Columbians up to the 10¢ and a nice used $2, similar Trans-Miss & Pan-Ams, 1902 definitives up to the 15¢ with used high values, nice showing of later commemoratives, Washington-Franklins with a nice showing of regular issues and coil singles, choice White Plains sheet, 4th Bureau definitives to high values, choice Kans-Nebr set, and a good showing of later issues; nice fresh material throughout, several dozen certs accompany.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

1925 o **United States Fancy Cancels,** 22 stamps (which alone catalog over $2000!); includes **11 "Kicking Mule" cancels** (3 early Banknote issues with "on the nose" cancels and each with a certificate), a wonderful lot which should be seen to be appreciated!
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

1926 */o **United States Group,** seldom seen, odd, unusual, mostly 19th Century material; includes $2 Pony Express tied to piece by pretty, Blue Pony, Cancel, an 1855 Barrs Dispatch with certificate, many Express and Railroad stamps (Wells Fargo, etc.), 8 different California Hunting Licenses 1916//1927, etc.; condition especially nice.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

1927 **/* **United States Collection, 1861-1995,** all MINT collection in Lighthouse Hingeless album offered as one lot by order of the estate! 1861-1995 all in exceptional condition and includes 25 certificates; and includes Complete Columbians (including beautiful 50¢ never hinged with certificate and VF-XF $3-$5 each with certificate), $1 Trans-Miss, XF with certificate (ex-Champagne), Zeppelin Set (#C13-15) complete XF, Never Hinged, each with certificate and much, much more; Scott catalog is $53,509 - certainly should be seen to be appreciated.
Estimate . . . . . $20,000 - 30,000

1928 */o **United States Collection Balance,** two boxes of mint and used United States, mixed condition and includes a significant amount of face value material, please inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

1929 * **United States Collection, 1861-2000,** mint collection in one Scott Specialty album, noted are a mint #64 (faulty with 1969 PFC), #143 (reperfed & no gum, 1981 PFC), 15¢-$1 Columbians, 1¢-10¢ Trans-Miss, nice range of Washington-Franklins, C1, C4-C6, C18, RW1 (s.e.), Parcel Post to the 75¢, etc., a few used stamps are included, mixed condition, please inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

1930 o **United States Used Collection,** beautiful used collection on Scott pages; highlights include an exceptionally nice $1 Columbian (#241); exceptional collection of used! (Scott cat. over $2,000).
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

1931 o **United States, Bank Note Issues with New York Foreign Mail Cancellation Collection,** stockbook containing a large accumulation of **1870-78 Banknote Issues 1¢-90¢ (over 400 stamps) all with N.Y.F.M. Geometric fancy cancels**, all identified and organized by Vlissingen & Waud, many different types and denominations with some duplication, includes quantities of higher denominations including 12¢ (26), 15¢ (9), 24¢ (33), 30¢ (9) and 90¢ (3), collected for the cancellations and while overall they are generally sound stamps, centering varies and some minor flaws here and there, six identified ex-Kirke; owner's rough **Scott catalog value at $26,800** assuming they are are all the cheaper Continental printings 156-166 (though many are the National and a few #136 grills), **a lovely assembly and well worth careful evaluation**.
Estimate . . . . . $4,000 - 6,000

1932 */o **United States Collection, 1870-1930's,** on Scott National pages, almost all mint with many n.h., unused stamps include nice #73 (no gum), 156, 159, 183, 209, 210 n.h., 214 n.h., 217, 232 n.h., 268, 297-99 n.h., 328-30 n.h., 567-8 n.h., 581-91 n.h., 630 White Plains souvenir sheet n.h., etc.; most are VF, CV is $8,000+.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

1933 * **United States Collection, 1893-1933,** eye-popping all mint o.g. group of commemoratives, definitives, airmail, and some back of book in a stockbook, commemorative highlights including Columbians to 50¢ Scott # 232 (11), 233 (13), 234 (17), 235 (6), 236 (7), 237 (18), 238 (5), 239 (6), 240 (6), Trans-Mississippi to 10¢ 286 (10), 287 (4), 288 (9), 289 (2), 290 (3), Pan-Americans to 10¢ 295 (27), 296 (8), 297 (26), 298 (23), 299 (29), Louisiana Purchase to 10¢ 325 (16), 326 (16), 327 (16), Jamestown 328 (16), 329 (12), 330 (34), also Scott #400 (4), 550 (13), 616 (38), 619 (29) etc., definitive highlights 301 (16), 302 (8), 305 (4), 306 (23), 307 (9), 308 (30), 507 (16), 571 (8), 572 (5), various Kansas-Nebraska 679 (3), 701 (14), 834 (7), airmail C1 (16), C2 (12), C3 (8), C4 (54), C5 (40), C6 (11), C18 (45) etc., outstanding assortment, many complete sets can be created, inspection recommended, owner's Scott $56K, fine to very fine or better.
Estimate . . . . . $4,000 - 6,000

1934 * **United States Mint Accumulation,** beautiful accumulation of mint stamps on stock pages; includes Louisiana Purchase, Columbians, Washington-Franklins, #J7 etc.; very fresh and much nicer than usual; Scott cat. $15,769!
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

1935 **/* **United States Commemorative Collection,** all mint collection in an Elbe quadrille album with hand lettered pages, collection feat. singles with many blocks of four interspersed throughout, begins with Columbians 1¢-$4 with well-centered $1-$4, complete sets including Trans-Mississippi, Pan American, Louisiana Purchase, Jamestown with blocks of four of, also 1909 issues including blocks of four with Lincoln blue paper Scott #369 single and block of four (bottom pair NH), 372 plate block of six, Panama Pacific Expo 397-400A (400A NH) and 401-403, various other commemorative sets, White Plains sheet, Kansas-Nebraska complete, Zepp set C13-15, Zepp single and block of four C18, and Farley centerline cross gutter blocks 752-771 complete, owner's Scott $21k+, collections like this rarely encountered today, well worth consideration, fine to very or better, o.g., some never hinged / some hinged.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

1936 ** **United States, Mint Never Hinged Accumulation, 1893-1932,** group of commemoratives and definitives arranged chronologically in a Lighthouse stockbook, commemorative highlights including Columbians Scott #230 (12), 231 (10), 232 (7), 234 (2), 235 (2), 236, 237 (2), 238, Trans-Mississippi 285 (8), 286 (2), 287, 288 (3), 289, Pan-Americans 294 (8), 295 (12), 297, 298 (2), Louisiana Purchase 325 (5), 326, 327 (2), Jamestown 328 (10), 329 (5), 330 (4), Panama-Pacific 397 (9), 398 (5), Pilgrims 548 (62), 549 (9), 550 (3), Huguenot-Walloon 614 (64), 615 (18), 616 (5), Lexington-Concord 617 (10), 618 (14), 619 (7), Norse American 620 (61) and 621 (15), Aeronautics 649 (35), 650 (24), Washington Bicentennial 704-715 (20 sets and misc. singles), definitive highlights Scott #300 (9), 302 (2), 306 (2), 308 (2), 320A block of four, 570 (5), 571 (7), 573, 603 (32), 603 pair (12), 699 (12), 700 (7), 701 (14), Kansas-Nebraska from 1-23 each #663 (9), 664 (3), 666, 668 (3), 678 (2), 679 (2), Prexies from 4-56 each #831 (30), 832 (56), 833 (42), 834 (4), condition varies, some multiples throughout, total owner's Scott $27,800, very useful group for the internet, generally fine to very fine or better.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

1937 **/*❒ **United States Mint Block Commemorative Collection,** blocks of 4 intact except one item removed for auction, mounted in White Ace album to 1936, starting with Columbians to 8¢ (5¢-6¢ n.h.), scattered after that until 1919 Victory, includes Farleys cross-gutters and blocks of 4, fresh throughout.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

1938 * **United States Mint Commemorative Collection,** mounted in Fisk illustrated album to 1946, starting with Columbians to 50¢ (50¢ used), Trans-Miss. to 10¢, complete after that except Zeppelin set with occasional used, and including Parcel Post and Parcel Post Postage Due sets (3 used), excellent colors throughout, occasional gum issue or no gum on few early adhesives.
2014 Scott $6,200 (Owner's) . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

1939 ** **United States Never Hinged Balance, 1893-1939,** lot of 9 Gem, n.h., mint stamps graded 90 or 95 (PSAG); includes #230, #656 pair, #C18, #Q1-Q2, etc; beautiful lot with an SMQ catalog value of $1,520!
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

1940 **/* **United States Commemoratives, 1893-1934,** each stamp chosen for centering, freshness and soundness and includes 15 certificates; generally o.g., never hinged to lightly hinged, **Very Fine-Extremely Fine**, worth carful inspection (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

1941 **/* **United States Collection, 1893-1972,** neatly arranged in a 16 page stockbook with commemoratives to about 1935, highlights including 1¢-50¢ Columbians (3¢, 6¢, 10¢ NH), 1¢-10¢ Trans-Mississippis (with extra 10¢), Pan-Americans complete (4¢, 8¢ NH), #325 NH, 327 o.g., Jamestown complete, 1909 commemoratives complete with 369 2¢ Lincoln bluish paper o.g., 397-400 1¢-10¢ Pan Pacific (5¢, 10¢ NH) etc., also some airpost with C18 and misc. definitives with Prexies and Liberty sets complete NH to $5, owner's Scott $5400+, clean and useful group, fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

1942 ** **United States, Mint Never Hinged Balance, 1893-1938,** several dozen issues on stockcards; includes Columbians including nice 2¢ broken hat and other to the 8¢, Tran-Miss & Pan-Ams and a nice showing of later commemoratives to the 1930's, some definitives including 4th Bureau & Prexies high values, C1-C6 and later airmails including some plate blocks, White Plains sheet; all fresh and well centered (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

1943 **/* **United States, 20th Century Matched Plate Block Collection,** thousands of matched commemorative, definitive and airmail plate blocks, ranging from Scott #801//C83, all identified in glassines or black stockcards, generally four matched plates per envelope, also including high grade NH Famous American blocks with 5¢ and 10¢ values and a nice run of 3¢ purples with some plate blocks of six, owner's face value approximately $12K, premium items counted as face, duplication throughout, fantastic opportunity for the matched plate number enthusiast, generally very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $5,000 - 7,500

1944 ** **United States Mint Accumulation,** beautiful accumulation of mint Never Hinged stamps on stock pages; Scott catalog of $21,430 and exceptionally fresh material, please inspect to appreciate.
Estimate . . . . . $3,000 - 4,000

1945 * **United States Select Group,** Choice and Gem pre-1930 mint condition in 2 small books; includes a gorgeous set of Q1-12, #315 with PF certificate, $1 Columbian fresh and VLH, etc.; a great lot with enormous Retail and a Scott catalog of $9,678!
Estimate . . . . . $3,000 - 4,000

1946 ** **United States Select Mint Never Hinged Group,** Gems All Mint. Never Hinged in two small books; including a beautiful White Plains Souvenir Sheet, a Gem #399, a VF-XF RW2, etc.; many Superb and Jumbo stamps here; a gorgeous lot with a Scott catalog of $6,910!
Estimate . . . . . $2,500 - 3,500

1947 */o **United States, Better Dealer's Priced Items Balance,** mostly mint & mostly priced on cards, etc., some certified, including #505 l.h. single and l.h. single in strip of 3, 467 single in strip of 3, 240 mint, C13 n.h., 291 o.g. (cert), additional Columbians and Trans-Miss., 116 with Hiogo cancel, 105 no gum (cert), 183 n.h., 112 used with green cancel (cert), C14 (hinged grade 85), 122 used repaired tear (cert), 73 pair o.g. (cert), 105 unused bottom left corner detached (cert), K1 plate block of 6, 358 o,g, block of 4, and n.h. to o.g. RW3-9, mostly fresh group, good lot for retail, occasional fault issue, inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

1948 *❒ **United States, Commemorative Mint Plate Blocks,** of 54 items mounted on White Ace pages, starts with #214 top plate block of 12 (centered but gum issues and soiling), 230, 234 and 236 bottom plate blocks of 8, occasional pair or strips, includes 3 of #550, Washington-Franklins including #507, 620-621, 2¢ reds, no Airs or back-of-book, mostly o.g., mostly fresh group, occasional fault.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

1949 ** **United States Mint Never Hinged Group,** All Mint Never Hinged in two small books; includes #351 pair with certificate, block of four, etc.; fresh lot with Scott catalog of $7,189.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

1950 */o **United States Accumulation,** from the unprocessed portion of the Stanley Pillar Estate (Stanley purchased but did not get around to processing!); the amount of material is prodigious and will take some time to properly evaluate, but that time will not be wasted!
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

1951 */o **United States Holding,** from the unprocessed portion of the Stanley Pillar Estate (Stanley purchased but did not get around to processing!). The amount of material is prodigious and will take some time to properly evaluate, but that time will not be wasted!
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

1952 F **United States Fakes & Forgeries,** a magnificent lot of material in one full, large binder with stamps that are questionable at best! (NOT all the same, ie # pair #9X1e genuine but repaired and with fake N.Y. ship cancel) Inspection obviously a must!
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

1953 */o **United States, Consignment Balance,** mix of material in albums and binders; includes some nice mint issues on album pages including Louisiana & Jamestown complete, some good mint Washington-Franklin issues, #547, Zepp set, Columbians including used $1 & $2, with some other useful commemoratives and definitives; worth a look.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

1954 */o/✉ **United States Estate Balance,** of stamps and covers; highlight is a collection of 99% mint with a Scott catalog of over $1500 with value mostly in fresh, mint n.h. Definitives from 1917-1938; huge Retail in this with many better items!
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

1955 * **United States Holding,** from the Stanley Pillar estate; mostly collections from the estate.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

1956 */o **United States Accumulation,** 12 filing boxes full of mint mostly plate Blocks; mint singles go back to 1¢ Columbian and includes better - like single #1053, etc.; enormous face value and inspection is sure to add up.
Estimate . . . . . $600 - 800

1957 */o **United States Miscellaneous,** of very interesting material; including small grouping of better U.S. material, etc.; inspection recommended.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

1958 */o/✉ **United States Variety,** box full of material, includes mint n.h. album 1979-2008+ with $458 FACE VALUE, complete set of Overrun Country Sheets, FDC's with initial cost, a folder of early unlisted labels (Very Interesting), etc.; great lot.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

1959 */o **United States Stock Balance,** mix of regular and back-of-the-book issues housed in various stockbooks and binders includes stockbook from */o classic on with useful to good mint into the 1940's, back-of-the-book, revenue documentary stock in two books, airmail plate blocks in modest to moderate quantities, some nice cuts squares and a booklet hoard with cat $1,517; worth review.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

1960 * **United States, Remainder of Estate,** in two Banker's Boxes; enormous variety includes almost anything.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

1961 */o/✉ **United States Balance,** housed in three large boxes; includes useful to good U.S. collection in Scott album with mixed condition used classic and some good later mint, some additional mixed stock in binders, postal history including commemorative and FDC's with Texas & Pony Express themed items, U.N. collection and a Bureau precancel collection housed in three stockbooks, some literature, etc.; please inspect for full evaluation.
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

1962 */o/✉ **United States, Consignment Balance,** includes some regular issue stock from a few classics to revenues, #EP15, some locals includes couple Virginia pony express stamps, postcards and covers with some FDC's and airmail flights, couple small mailed boxes one franked with 1½¢ Prexie, also M. Johl & Brookman 19th/20th Century Stamp literature (4 volumes); worth a look.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

1963 * **United States Collection Balance,** includes U.S. mint in album 1970-90's, U.N. collection in album and blocks on pages, hoard of 1976 Bicentennial souvenir sheets, sheet stock, plate strip coil collection worth checking, some mint in stockbooks; worth a look.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

1964 * **United States Collection, 1901-70,** virtually all mint issues housed in Scott album; starting with most Pan-Ams, 1902 definitives to the 13¢ with used high values, most Louisiana & Jamestown, Washington-Franklins well represented including early coil singles, 1¢-2¢ bluish, Pan-Pac near complete, #461, 4th Bureaus with 1922-35 definitives complete, Kans-Nebr complete and strong completion thereafter, good airmails, deiveries, run of ducks and a little C.S.A.; nice condition, worth proper evaluation.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

1965 **/* **United States Washington-Franklin Collection,** an extensive, **high quality collection with 76 certificates**; the vast majority of the certs are faultless and the ones that aren't, the flaws aren't bad; the owner of this collection was a stickler for nice stamps with certificates and that is what this lot is; the Retail on this is enormous! a wonderful collection which merits careful inspection (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $4,000 - 6,000

1966 **/* **United States, Washington-Franklin Issues, 1908-1921,** beautifully fresh grouping on stock pages; condition is, of course, mixed, but is much nicer than normal; many beautiful stamps including Gems - #339 x 2, #407, #415, #447 Gem Coil Pair, #476 wonderful perf 10 XF+, gorgeous Perf 11's, etc.; generally o.g., hinged to Never Hinged and exceptionally fresh; huge Retail or Internet sales with a Scott catalog of well over $12,000!
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

1967 **/* **United States Plate Blocks, 1909-1956,** 2 volumes of especially nice, mostly never hinged; includes 1909 Commems complete NH, 1919 Victory NH, Presidentials and Liberty N.H., etc.;
also includes some early definitive plate strips; condition is generally far above normal, please inspect (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

1968 ** **United States, Mint Never Hinged Plate Blocks,** nice selection of definitives, airmail and commemorative plates 1918-44 in a plate block album, Presidentials from 1-13 each with best being Scott #831 (8), 832 (13), 832C (3), 833 (4), 834, also airmail C7 (9), C8 (2), C9 (3), C10, C19 (5), C24, C25-31 from 1-7 each, commemoratives 649 (11), 650 (6), 715 (2) etc., owner's Scott $5887, great lot for the internet dealer, generally fine to very fine or better.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

1969 * **United States, Mint Never Hinged Definitives and Airmails, 1918-1956,** virtually complete there are **33 certificates (many graded, mostly 80-90)**; includes #551-73, **578-9**, **595**, Kansas-Nebraska's, 599A, **832b**, C1-C6, etc.; great condition and many certified (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

1970 **/* **United States Plate Block Collection, 1924-99,** substantial collection in 6 Scott albums, albums 1-5 have the commemoratives, and 6 has definitive and Airmail plates, starts with 614-15, 617-18, 621 (n.h., CV $275), has both 629 plus 630, the full White Plains sheet (n.h., $500), then goes delightfully through the 2¢ reds, 3¢ purples, Washington Bicentennials, 1933 plates and souvenir sheet, National Parks, both perf. and imperf, and on to 1959, all in plastic mounts and almost all n.h. Probably less than a handful of hinged items after 630, commemoratives from 1960-1999 all apparently n.h. and in plastic mounts, later years, often mini sheetlets of 20 are shown and some higher value items, too, Airs include C7-9, C11 (all n.h.), C16-17 and 19, C20-22 n.h., C24 n.h., C25-31 n.h., plus rest of the airmails, definitives start with #551 n.h., 635-42, 692-97, 803-32, and on to 1999, plate strips of 20 where needed, and some Express Mail and high value items.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

1971 * **United States, Sheet and Block Accumulation, 1930-90's,** mix of issues housed in sheet files, albums and plate blocks in glassines; from early 3¢ commemorative sheets on with values up to 34¢, also some airmail issues and plate blocks from 1940-60's;with face value well in excess of $1,196 with much premium.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

1972 ** **United States Mint,** box full of mint stamps back to the 1930's, includes Washington Bicentennial souvenir sheets (9-10 sets), etc.; huge face value with a conservative estimate!
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

1973 ** **United States Collection, 1935-94,** beautiful choice n.h. collection, nearly complete for period, in four Scott Platinum (hingeless) Albums (current used wholesale $1000!); several better items include 1938 Presidential complete singles and Coil Line Pairs, 1956 $5 Hamilton, etc.; face value over $900.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

1974 ** **United States Collection, 1936-2008,** extensive n.h. collection nearly complete for period in 6 Lighthouse Hingeless Albums; includes most of the better items like 1938 Presidential, 1994 Legends of the West Error Sheet, 1997 Bugs Bunny Special Issue Sheet, etc.; many later issues in full sheets; Face Value for stamps alone is about $3000 (with no premium added for any of the better items and no value added for the Lighthouse pages and Binders which are about $2900 Retail); a beautiful collection!
Estimate . . . . . $3,000 - 4,000

1975 **/* **United States, 1938 3¢ Jefferson Prexie Specialized Plate Collection,** collection of one to four each of 150 different, each displayed on Lighthouse hingeless album pages, many matched sets and much NH, hard to duplicate, fine to very fine.
Scott No. **807** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

1976 ** **United States, Errors, Freaks & Oddities Group 1938-1995,** useful group of more than 30 items mostly on original dealer cards from the 1990's, including perf shifts and imperf coil pairs feat. transportation and flags, and a few Prexies, also 12 unfolded booklet panes, best highlight of the group is Scott #2481a 45¢ Pumpkin Seed Sunfish with black (engraved) omitted, mint NH cat. $300, great group for the specialist, NH throughout, fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

1977 **/* **United States Mint Holding,** of mint singles, plate blocks and sheets; very large face value including plate block collection in Scott album.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

1978 * **United States, Mint Postage Accumulation,** substantial holding including plate block and mini sheet collection from 1940's on to modern 21st century issues with later express mail and other high values present, with additional sheet, plate block stock, few press sheets, etc.; **total face $3,473**.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

1979 o **United States, 1951 $1 Prexie USIR Watermark Error Study,** incredible study of 63 used stamps all arranged on stock pages in a binder consisting of 30 singles, six pairs, two strips of three, two blocks of four and a block of seven, all documented with photos or illustrations showing positions of the double line watermark letters, Scott as used stamps $4000+, an extremely hard to duplicate group, great for the Prexie specialist, generally fine to very fine or better.
Scott No. **832b**. . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

1980 * **United States Collection, 1965-2000,** fresh and attractive mint collection mostly complete for the period in three hingeless Lighthouse Deluxe albums with/slipcases, including singles, booklets, full sheets, blocks, coils, imperfs, misperfs and much more, careful inspection recommended as premium items abound, generally very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

1981 ** **United States Mint Singles, Plate Blocks and Sheets,** in 6 binders (in 2 Banker's Boxes), some better plate blocks, very high face value.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

1982 ** **United States, Commemorative Mint Year Sets,** mint year sets 1972//2009 with original Post Office Books; Beautiful and with a face values of $775!
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

1983 * **United States, Plate Number Coil Collection,** extensive collection on stock pages; mostly strips of 5; highlights include 1981 18¢ Plate 6 strip of 3 and 18¢ Plate 3 strip of 5; generally o.g., never hinged and **Very Fine**, Enormous Retail.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

1984 ** **United States, Modern Sheet Accumulation, 1990-2000's,** approximately 260 sheets housed in binder slips housed in two binders with some modest duplication of some issues, with owner's 2016 Scott catalog value $5,119.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

Back of the Book Issues

1985 * **United States Airmail Plate Blocks, 1923-1963,** highlights include 1923 8¢ Second Issue (#C4) top plate of 6, **50¢ China Clipper (#C22) large top margin** (very faint crease); o.g., nearly all never hinged (including #C4 and #C22) and **Fine-Very Fine** (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

1986 ** **United States, Airmail Never Hinged Group, 1923-49,** accumulation in a Lindner stockbook, highlights including Scott #C4 (18), C5 (4), C6 (3), C10 (49), C10a, C18 baby zepp. (15), C24 (25), C25-31 from 14-20 each, also some special delivery, air special delivery and postage due, owner's Scott $4,600, fine to very fine or better.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

1987 * **United States Airmail Booklet Panes and Complete Booklets,** an extensive collection of a single pane of each and most possible complete booklets; highlights are complete booklets BKC1, BKC12, BKC13 and BKC17 with the last 3 having P.S.E. certificates; o.g., never hinged and **generally Very Fine**.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

1988 */✉ **United States Express Mail Collection,** includes mint singles, plate blocks, booklets, and used covers, singles, blocks, etc.; generally o.g., never hinged and a **face value of mint only of nearly $1500**. Interesting lot, please inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

1989 **/* **Postage Dues Collection, 1879-1959,** on stock pages; there are 25 certificates in this lot (for better items) and although there is an occasional fault, they are few and far between, generally o.g., hinged to never hinged, please inspect (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

1990 */o **United States, Private Vending Coil Collection Balance,** few hundred mostly mint on homemade pages with examples of all but the rare Companies, mostly mint but a few covers, and used showing and sorted by all the different Vending companies and their various types, mostly the more common with duplication including values which includes singles, pairs up to strips of 4, line strips, #535 request block of 4, 17 covers including illustrated and corner covers, one with Christmas seal, some used on pieces, etc., including. 14 genuine certs and 2 bad, with genuine #320 Schermack Type II, Type I-8 holes, Automatic Vending pocket Type 4-7 (P.S.A.G. cert), etc., some documented forgeries, flat plate coils, individual cat. values to $300+, 14 genuine certs, overall a very fresh grouping, occasional minor fault, excellent collection for expansion, needs inspection.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

1991 **/* **Private Perfs and Imperforate Coils,** lot of 22 pairs, 1 strip of 3, 3 strips of 4 and a strip of 5; o.g., mostly hinged (the 2 Imperf coils never hinged with P.S.E. certificates), **generally Very Fine** (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

1992 */o **United States Officials Collection, 1873-1884,** on stock pages; nearly complete missing only a few rarities; includes 2 P.S.E. certificates; also includes some in both mint and used (ie. #O10); mixed condition, but nicer than normal, high catalogue, Executive Issues alone catalog $3535! (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

1993 * **United States, Official Issue Group,** of 14 different each with PSAG certificate, including Agriculture Department 10¢ Scott #O5, 12¢ O6 (graded 85), 24¢ O8, Executive Department 1¢ O10, 2¢ O11, 3¢ O12a, Interior Department 30¢ O23, Navy Department 15¢ O42, State Department 10¢ O62, 15¢ O64, 90¢ O67, Treasury Department 7¢ O76, 30¢ O81, 90¢ O82 (graded 85), an attractive lot of quality stamps with certs, owner's Scott $7,865, fine to very fine or better.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

Postal Stationery

1994 */o **Postal Stationary Cut Squares Collection, 1853-1999,** well-filled collection in Scott album; starts with a nice unused U1 ($350), U9, U12 ($145), and U18 ($375), U19, W20, W21, U39, U64-65, U74, U78, and U99 ($110), used items including U2-4, U40, U61, U75, and W77, in addition to these better items, there are literally hundreds of neat cut squares showing their lovely pastel colors on dozens of pages up to the early 1900s, later surprises are U436h the color error, a 3¢ carmine rather than purple, U500 ($60), and U511 ($200); ideal starter lot formed by a careful collector just waiting for a serious buyer to take it to the next level.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

1995 * **Postal Stationery Accumulation,** mint stationery; mostly not modern but includes a couple full boxes; 1000's and 1000's of items with better included; inspection a must.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

1996 */o **Postal Stationery Collection,** mostly mint full stamp envelope entires housed in four albums and stockbox; useful to good issues with early mostly used issues identified in box from early Nesbitts and some good mint with 1¢ Star Die and later 2¢ Jackson */o, with nice showing of later from 1874 with strong completion in modern to 1990's, good representation in airmail & official entires; nice fresh material throughout.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

1997 */o **Postal Stationery Error Group,** well over 150 stamped envelope entires mostly mint and mainly from the early 20th century on; includes a wide range of albino and partial colored indicia entires, misplaced indicia entires including couple unusual used, inking errors, entire within entire and triple so, piece with double indicia impression with additional offset on portion of backflap, surcharge varieties, etc.; a nice group for the specialist.
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

1998 ✉ **Postal and Picture Post Cards,** lot of 186 Postal Cards and Picture postcards; the remainder of the Stanley Piller retail stock; a few unused but mostly used; many better items including Postal Card Essay, etc.; interesting lot.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

1999 */o **Postal Card Collection, 1873-2000's,** mostly mint housed in 8 albums and neatly arranged in two stock boxes; main collection with strong run of mint cards from UX2 on mainly missing only the scarcer to rarer cards and some parallel used, completion in later and modern issues including additional early (mostly used) to modern stock, airmail issues including the scarce UXC1a deep red mint, some paid reply material, computer vending, officials, etc.; a nice foundation for continuation.
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

2000 */o **Illustrated Postal Card Group, 1876-1907,** of 35 cards; perhaps the best is the 1893 Columbian Expo cards including the scarce Koehler cards mint and the Goldsmith cards including used with uprated usages to Europe, few other scarce items; worth a look (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2001 */o **Postal Card Collection, 1873-2001,** in 4 Scott albums; contains hundreds of postal cards, a very good representation from early to 1999 or so, a few better ones early on, and an essentially complete run from the 1920's on; great lot for someone wanting a starter collection to build on.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

Revenue Issues

2002 */o **United States Revenue Collection,** housed on Scott pages; with a nice range of 1st-3rd issues starting from #R1a pair handstamp cancel on with some good high values, documentaries with the occasional high value present and a pleasant showing of later including stock transfer, wines, narcotics with early overprint issues, also some newspaper issues worth checking; condition varies with many nice items throughout, worth a look.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2003 */o **United States Revenues,** an extensive collection in a stockbook; this **collection has a total of 57 certificates**; the first issue is only represented by the perforated issues (13 certificates), the rest of the collection is made up of strong areas in Wines, Proprietary, Automobile Use set, etc.; highlights include #R181, RE172, RB19b, RE177, etc.; mixed condition, an absolutely magnificent collection with an enormous retail - and remember 57 certificates! (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $5,000 - 7,500

2004 o **United States Revenues Accumulation,** material includes several hundred stockyards and a couple dozen Documents with 1st Issue Revenues, excellent lot for the specialist.
Estimate . . . . . $600 - 800

2005 */o **Revenue - Match & Medicine Collection, 1862-83,** a well represented collection in an Aldrich Revenue album, highlights including Match stamps Scott #RO5, RO59b, RO85b, RO86c, RO137a, RO140c, Medicine RS43a, RS46a, RS65a, Dalley's Horse Salve RS73a, b and d, 84a, 133a, 134a (2), 137d, 149c, 159b, 173be, 178a, 179a, 237b, 246a, 267a, some Perfumery RT11b, 15b, 25a, and Playing Cards RU2a, RU7d, RU10a, attractive, very useful, better than usually encountered collection, condition mixed as usual, owner's Scott $11,900, fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

2006 */o **State Revenues Accumulation,** various issues mostly housed in file folders in sizable box; wide range of states and issues including feed, liquor, inspection, sales, vendor, documentary, hunting, etc., few on document items, etc.; please inspect for evaluation.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2007 */o **Revenue Accumulation,** mix of mostly **Tax Paid issues** housed in binders, folders, etc.; wide range of issues including imported cigars, cigarettes, cigar bands, snuff and other tobacco related, inspected baggage, distilled spirits, special tax stamps including oleomargarine & opium, other issues including local seals with full sheet, war savings, telegraph, beer, etc.; worth a look.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

Duck Stamps

2008 ** **Duck Stamp Collection, 1934-97,** arranged on stockpages; complete never hinged for the period, fresh and well centered throughout with few typical gum anomalies to be expected (See website for images), o.g., never hinged.
Scott No. **RW1-RW64** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500

2009 o **Duck Hunting License Collection,** extensive collection of Ducks used on licenses; includes **three #RW1 (unsigned as usual) on form 333** (one with A.P.S. certificate), **RW1 and RW2 on Montana License**, etc.; also includes part set of singles, includes 2 RW1, 1 signed, RW2, etc.); Enormous retail, worth inspection (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2010 **/* **Duck Stamp Collection, 1934-2020,** virtually complete collection Scott #RW1-87 in mounts on pages, all NH except RW4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11 are o.g., also including RW65A-87A, plus artist signed sheetlets RW73b-80b, RW85b anniversary souvenir sheet of four, excellent group of Ducks, worth inspection, fine to very fine or better.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2011 **/* **United States Duck Hunting Stamps,** 79 stamps, mostly early material; includes 2 #RW1 (one n.h., one unused), 2 #RW2 (one very lightly hinged hinged and Extremely Fine); condition is **generally Very Fine** (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2012 ** **Duck Stamp Group,** of 17 n.h. stamps; includes RW1 (light bend) and RW2 (nibbed perf), generally F-VF or better (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2013 */o **Duck Stamp Balance,** over 100 stamps in mixed condition; inspect (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2014 ** **United States Duck Hunting Collection,** on pages; complete singles and most souvenir sheets from 1941-2012, plus RW5, all appear to be o.g., never hinged, fresh and **Very Fine to mostly Extremely Fine**; 15 early issues that have been certified of which 13 are Graded by P.F. or P.S.E. (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2015 * **Duck Stamp Artist Signed Collection,** wonderful selection of 105 artist signed stamps; early issues include #RW5, RW7, RW8, RW10, Rw12, RW14, also includes RW2 with questionable Benson signature; early issues in mixed condition, a seldom offered collection (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2016 * **Duck Plate Block Collection, 1945-2012,** generally o.g., never hinged, fresh and **Very Fine**, choice grouping with a Scott catalogue of $16,570. (#RW12-RW79, RW31 Plate block of 4) (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2017 ** **Duck Stamp Accumulation,** of mint singles and plate blocks of $5-$15 issues (See website for images), o.g., never hinged, face value about $1,400.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2018 */✉ **Montana State Specialized Duck Hunting Collection, 1986-2003,** highlights of this collection are the **1986 full sheet of 10 imperf proof** (said to be one of only 6 that exist, with A.P.S. certificate) and **the pair from the booklet pane (Scott $1750.)**, certainly one of the nicest collections ever put together.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2019 */o **Telegraph Stamp Collection,** mounted on pages in binder; including mostly complete American Rapid issues, better Atlantic Telegraph, completion in early Baltimore & Ohio issues, complete Commercial Union & Mutual Union issues, nice showing of Postal Telegraph, Western Union with strong completion and some ephemera material including label cover.
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

2020 * **Test Stamp Group,** 42 different and identified (old listing) on homemade pages, including #TD60A (cat. $350), TD14a pair, couple unlisted, cute lot.
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

Confederate States Collections

2021 ✉ **U.S. Used in the Confederacy Cover Group,** balance of 15 covers; with 10 U.S. 3¢ (26) usages with postmarks including "Alexandria, Va., May 16, 1861", "Wheeling, Va., May 22, 1861", "Natchez, Miss., May 2, 1861", "Charleston, S.C., Feb 16, 1861", "Charleston, S.C., Apr 7, 1861", red "Pittsylvania C.H., Va., May 6" (last day of independent state) with enclosure regarding negro merchant, "Yorkville, S.C., Mar 13", etc., 4 U.S. 3¢ Star Die (U27) usages (one missing additional stamp) with "La Grange, Tex., Apr 5, 1861" & "Augusta, Ga. Feb 15"; condition varied, **generally F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

State Postal History

2022 ✉ **Florida State Postmark Group,** of seven covers; with "Warrington, Fla." stampless with "Paid" and "5" handstamps, "Saint Augustine, Fla." cds on U.S. #26 franked independent state cover with corner cards, four Tallahassee cds usages including two turned cover usages (#7 & #12 usages), and a Gainsville, Fla. cds tying #7 pair, **F.-V.F. or better.**
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2023 ✉ **Georgia Stampless Cover Group,** balance of 16 covers; cds's including Savannah with Paid 5 and Paid 10 ratemarkers, similar Columbus, others with Hawkinsville, Marietta, Griffin, Ringgold, Washington, Forsyth, red Sparta, Covington, red Buck Eye, etc.; condition varies, **generally F.-V.F. or better.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2024 ✉ **North Carolina Stampless Cover Group,** balance of 15 covers; cds's including Warrenton & Oxford with various ratemarkers, others with Ashville, Oaks, Ridgeway, blue Taylorsville, Elizabethtown, Ashboro & Fayetteville on same cover, manuscript with Lovely Mt., etc.; condition varies, **generally F.-V.F. or better.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2025 ✉ **South Carolina Postal History Collection,** a two volume collection giving a wonderful overview of South Carolina Postal History, includes a large number of Handstamped Paids from a wide variety of towns, a few Adversity covers are noted, additionally there is a wonderful range of covers from Columbia including a couple provisionals and some nice Charleston covers as well, condition is mixed, but the is a fine lot worth careful inspection (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2026 ✉ **South Carolina Cover Stock,** group over 30 covers identified in sleeves; includes 8 stampless usages from towns including Manning, Pocotaligo, Sumter (ex-Kohn, Green cert), Yorkville, Cheraw, etc., two U.S. used in C.S.A. usages (both U.S. #26 from Charleston) and an Independent State use (U.S. U26 from Columbia), regular issue usages including #1 x2, #2 x2, #4 including pair from Greenville, #7 usages including two singles tied by violet Pendleton cds (P.F. cert) and #11 & 12 mostly common usages; condition mixed, worth review.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2027 ✉ **South Carolina Stampless Cover Group,** balance of 21 covers; with cds's including Charleston (both types) with various ratemarkers, similar Columbia and Pocotalico, Five Mile, red Pomaria, Stateburgh, Camden, Rock Hill with Paid 30 rate, manuscript with Dacusville, etc.; condition varies, **generally Fine or better.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2028 ✉ **Sumter, S.C. Cover Group,** of 20 covers; includes 8 stampless items including unusual manuscript "2" drop over "10" handstamp rate (with early letter regarding cover), some incoming usages including turned, stamped items including Independent State and U.S. used in C.S.A, usages on 3¢ Nesbitt entires, also incoming U.S. used in C.S.A. with scarce U.S. #25 from Manning S.C., regular issues including #2, #6 & 7 usages, #11 usages including adversity, also included a Sumter merchant $1 token coin; condition varied (See website for images), **generally Fine or better.**
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2029 ✉ **Tennessee Cover Stock,** group over 16 covers identified in sleeves; includes stampless usages from towns including Columbia, red Clarksville with blue "Paid 5" rate handstamp, Dresden, etc., regular issue usages including #1 x3 from Memphis, Knoxville & Nashville, #2 x3, #5 with manuscript McMillan postmark, etc.; condition is mixed, inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2030 ✉ **Texas Cover Stock,** group over 16 covers identified in sleeves; includes 11 stampless usages from towns including Independence, Ownensville, Huntsville, Chapel Hill, Anderson, Belton, Boston, discernible Mt. Pleasant with 5 rate handstamp struck four times, etc., regular issue usages including #4 from Galveston, #6 solo use from Austin & #7 pair tied by Elkhart manuscript, etc.; condition mixed, worth review.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2031 ✉ **(Virginia) Richmond, Va. Postal History Collection,** an outstanding collection housed in nine Scott album all individually mounted and neatly written up covering virtually ever aspect of Confederate Philately in Richmond, Va., many better covers and usages abound in this fascinating collection, included are Stampless covers (both civilian & soldier usages), Independent States & United States CSA usages, Adversity covers, Wallpaper Covers, Patriotic covers, Missent usages, covers with Advertised markings, Blue Richmond Postmarks, one interesting cover addressed to the Quartermaster of the Irish Battalion, Overpaid Drop usages, Turned covers, Forwarded usages, etc., noted is one cover franked with 2¢ Green (#3), 5 or six covers franked with 10¢ rose (#5), three covers with #8 single and one with strip of 5, three cover franked with 10¢ TEN (#9), a 10¢ Frameline on a piece, three covers franked with 20¢ green (#13), plus a number of combination frankings and much more, mixed condition, however this is a very nice lot and deserves careful inspection.
Estimate . . . . . $7,500 - 10,000

2032 ✉ **Virginia Cover Stock,** group over 55 covers identified in sleeves; includes 14 stampless usages from towns including Halifax C.H., Howardsville, Locust Bottom manuscript, Sweet Chalybeat, Richmond including usage to Scotland a month prior to secession, etc., regular issue usages including #1 x8 including couple pair usages and attorney corner card use, #2 x6 including turned and adversity usages, #4 x5 including couple pair usages and #4+6 combination, #5, #6-7 usages x9 including couple single usages including drop, and #11 & 12 mostly common usages; condition mixed, worth review.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2033 ✉ **Virginia Stampless Cover Group,** balance of 19 covers; cds's with Richmond with various ratemarkers, Marion with "Paid 5" and "Paid 10" rate handstamps, similar Cobham, rimless Forest Depot, Monterey, Norfolk, etc., manuscript postmarks including Rockfish Depot and Jarrett's Station, etc.; condition varies, **generally F.-V.F. or better.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2034 ✉ **Stampless Cover Group,** balance of 30 covers from Alabama, Louisiana, Mississippi, Tennessee & Texas; cds's including Alabama with Troy and Prattville, Louisiana with red Alexandria with various rates, blue St. Joseph with large Paid 5, Mississippi with red Louisville, Canton with woodblock Paid 5, Tennessee with Greenville, faulty negative Union City, "San Antonio, Tex., Paid" in red and green; condition varies (See website for images), **otherwise Fine or better.**
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2035 ✉ **Stampless Cover Balance,** of 11 covers; includes two Bowling Green, Ky. usages with different ratemarkers, Columbus Ky., couple Florida usages including turned cover to A. Stephens, Thibodeaux, La. to Gen. Bragg in Pensacola, overweight legal size cover from Charleston with "Paid 15" rate, P.O. official usage, etc. (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

Confederate Advertising Covers

2036 ✉ **Alabama Advertising Covers,** balance of 17 covers; with 4 stampless including printed back corner card from Selma and red illustrated Talladega Insurance Co., Alabama circular corner card on backflap showing locomotive, 4 U.S. used in Confederacy covers including green "Richardson, Moore & Co., Wholesale Grocers, Mobile, Ala." cameo corner card used second to last day U.S. stamps could be used in the south, and 9 regular issue usages including #2 on Attorney at Law, Greenville, Ala. corner card cover, #5 (faulty) on cover to "Clark's County Rangers, Tupelo, Miss" with red "Dickinson & Kilpatrick, Attorneys at Law, Grove Hill, Ala." cameo corner card; condition varied (See website for images), **generally Fine or better.**
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2037 ✉ **Georgia Advertising Covers,** balance of over 40 covers; includes 19 stampless usages, Augusta, Ga. with three nice wholesale grocer cameos and "Southern Foundery and Machine Shop", Macon with illustrated Hayden & Goolsby, Sale & Livery Stable cameo showing two-horse drawn coach, 4 U.S. used in Confederacy usages (all U.S. 26) including University of Georgia cameo from Athens, and 19 regular issue usages with #2 on illustrated "J.H. Alford, Livery & Sale Stables, Augusta, Ga." cameo cover showing two-horse drawn buggy, another different buggy & wagon cameo from August with #2 defective, four #1 usages with grocer and marble works companies, etc.; condition mix (See website for images), **generally Fine or better.**
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

2038 ✉ **Louisiana Advertising Covers,** balance of 20 covers; includes 4 stampless with Mt. Lebanon University oval corner card and a legal size court cover to Marshall, Tex. with "Thos. H. Pitts, Recorder and Notary Public, Shreveport, La." oval corner card and "Paid 40" rating, 7 U.S. used in Confederacy covers including allover shaded "Payan & Carhart, Wholesale Dealers in Fashion & Clothing, New Orleans" ad, and 9 regular issue usages including five #1 usages (mostly albino embossed corner cards) and a #4 usage with printed merchant ad on reverse; condition varies (See website for images), **generally Fine or better.**
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2039 ✉ **Mississippi Advertising Covers,** balance of 5 covers/front; with 2 stampless including attorney printed corner card from Raleigh and pink illustrated allover A. Brown & Co., General Merchant, Ripley, Miss. shaded ad showing four-mule wagon scene, and 3 regular issue usages including #1 on gray allover Klein & Brothers, Fine Watches, Jewelry, Cutlery, Pistols, Vicksburg, Miss. shaded ad front to New Orleans with boxed "Adv" handstamp; condition varied (See website for images), **generally Fine or better.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2040 ✉ **North Carolina Advertising Covers,** balance of 19 covers and a few fronts; with 11 stampless covers including grocer boxed corner card usage from Hendersonville, N.C. and a pink allover shaded Salem Mutual Insurance Co., Salem, N.C. ad, regular issues (later issue frankings) including turned cover usage with publishing hose ad inside (handcarried) and another publisher boxed printed ad from Greensboro, front with illustrated "Military Academy, Hillsborough, N.C." ad showing academy building and a #68XU11 usage on albino embossed Raleigh & Gaston Railroad corner card with railroad enclosure; condition varied (See website for images), **generally Fine or better.**
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2041 ✉ **South Carolina Advertising Covers,** balance of over 30 covers and a few fronts; with 10 stampless usages including "P. Cantwell, Family Groceries, Columbia, S.C." allover illustrated shaded ad showing bottles and other sundries, green boxed "Columbia Factory & Machine Works, Columbia, S.C." cameo corner card, U.S. used in C.S.A. including Geo. W. Williams & Co., Wholesale Grocers, Charleston, S.C. cameo corner card use, and 12 regular issue usages including #1 and #7 pair on separate "Columbia Female College, Columbia, S.C." illustrated shaded ad covers showing college building, #2 on William, Birnie & Co., General Commission Merchants, Charleston, S.C. cameo corner card cover (used in Georgia), also includes couple faulty 10X1 usages; condition varied (See website for images), **generally Fine or better.**
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2042 ✉ **Tennessee Advertising Covers,** balance of 12 covers; with 8 stampless usages with Chattanooga all over hardware ad on reverse, illustrated allover shaded "Larry Harmstad, Steam Boat Agent and Forwarding Merchant, Memphis" ad showing steamboat (handcarried and faulty at top), green "Cole & Dyer, Wholesale Dealers, Memphis, Tenn." allover shaded ad used from Little Rock, Ark., and 4 regular issue usages including pink allover illustrated "Cumberland University, Lebanon, Tenn." ad cover with #2 (cleaned and stamp margins restored); condition varied (See website for images), **generally Fine or better.**
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2043 ✉ **Richmond, Va. Advertising Covers,** balance of over 30 covers most from exhibit; with 15 stampless including red "Samuel Ayres & Co., Commission & Forwarding Merchants" fancy cameo, illustrated "Old Dominion Insurance Co." shaded ad (manuscript Piedmont, Va. postmark), illustrated Spotswood Hotel shaded ad, couple hand carried Adams Southern Express covers, etc., couple U.S. used in C.S.A. usages, and 14 regular issue usages including #1 adversity cover with albino embossed bookseller corner card on backflap, #11 on allover shaded "Spotts & Harvey, Grocer & Commission Merchant" ad cover, #12 with "Richmond Christian Advocate" green cameo, etc.; condition varied (See website for images), **generally F.-V.F. or better.**
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2044 ✉ **Virginia Advertising Covers,** balance of over 40 covers; with 15 stampless including "Lancaster House, Goodson, Va." shield cameo corner card showing Masonic square & compass at center, printed box "Daily & Weekly Express, Petersburg, Va." (newspaper) corner card, allover shaded "Virginia Military Institute, Lexington, Va." ad, couple female colleges and a railroad ad hand carried, etc., couple U.S. used in C.S.A. usages including illustrated Green's Mansion House, Alexandria, Va. allover hotel scene ad on cover reverse, and 22 regular issue on cover usages including #1's on grocer cameo covers from Petersburg, pair usage with boxed "Chiles H. Ferrell, Attorney at Law, Halifax Court House, Va." corner card, boxed "Farmville Female College", oval "Evangelical Tract Society, Petersburg, Va.", etc., couple mix issue frankings; condition varied (See website for images), **generally Fine or better.**
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

Adversity Covers

2045 ✉ **Ladies Covers Group,** balance of 26 covers; with 8 stampless embossed covers, one enamel, from towns including Tudor Hall, Va., Jonesborough, Te., Valdosta, Ga., Clarksville, Ga., Spartanburg, S.C., Lima, S.C., etc., and 18 regular issues usages including #1 x3 including pair, #4 x3 including pair, #6-7 pair usages x5 and various later issue usages; condition varies, **generally F.-V.F. or better.**
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2046 ✉ **Mourning Cover Group,** balance of 7 covers; with 3 stampless one from Brunswick, Ga. to Tybee Island, red "Clarksville, Ten." cds with blue "Paid 10" (other with indistinct postmark), 4 regular issue usages including #2 from Rome Ga., #6 right margin vertical pair tied by University of Virginia, Va. cds, #12 tied by Abbeville C.H., S.C. cds, and #11 tied by Richmond, Va. cds; condition varied, **generally F.-V.F. or better.**
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2047 ✉ **Turned Cover Group,** balance of 11 covers and front; mix of mostly later issue frankings including #6 pair and #7 single (with due 5) inside, #7 pair including inside, #11-12 including couple on both sides, #12/7 combination, some with stampless, couple U.S. frankings inside with C.S.A. stampless usages, various postmarks throughout; condition varied, **generally Fine or better.**
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2048 ✉ **Adversity Covers,** balance of 38 covers; with 8 stampless including 4 handcarried made from various printed items, postal usage including manuscript Morris, Va. postmark on turned cover (with enclosure) and another made from enlisted men roll form, regular issues usages include #2 on old Britton Todd & Co. sales accounting documents from Petersburg, Va., #4 usages with stamp placed over U.S. 1861, 3¢ pink entire from Mount Jackson, Va., another from Columbus, Miss. o cover made from Mobile cotton bale shipping forms, other later #6-7 or #10-11 usages mostly on a various print forms and documents,#7 pair (both sides) turned cover, #11 printed adversity showing impression of dime (possibly to pay postage), with a host of various townmarks; condition varies (See website for images), **generally Fine or better.**
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

Regular Issues

2049 */o **Confederate Stamp and Cancellation Study Collection,** well over 250 stamps on stockpages in binder; starting with over 50 #1's with a little less than half mint including pair and several with plate positions identified, used with a nice variety of cancellations including colored, over 30 #2's with various printing and shades, 6 mint including pair, couple unused #3's (flaws), over 50 #4's with a nice balance of */o, mint including block of 4, shades and some with stone identifies, used including express cancel, fancy and various town marks, six 5's used, #6-7's with mint multiple and some useful used, eight #8's mint including pair, #9 cut-to shape and tied on piece, an array of #11-12's with useful mint including plate strip, used with some better cancellations including several railroad, field grids, strip of three from Florida, couple perf'd/roulette items needing to be checked, #13's with marginal block of 10 with part imprint, mint singles in shades and a used example with railroad cancel (creased), couple #14 and a selection of N.O. provisional issues; condition varies with many nice items throughout, inspection recommended (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $5,000 - 7,500

2050 ✉ **Confederate Stamp Balance,** nice group of 13 items with many multiples; singles include used #47X1 and 5a, others mint including #81X1 and 3 x2, multiples including #6 gutter block of 8, #8 gutter strip of four and bottom margin gutter pair, #11 including gutter block of 4, Archer & Daly and Keatinge & Ball imprint blocks of 12, #12 Keatinge & Ball imprint block of 12, also a posthumous Davis 10¢ essay of 9 in black on large card; most mint with original gum, some flaws, Scott cat in excess of $10,000 (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2051 ✉ **Confederate Better Cover Group,** of 13 covers and two fronts; includes eight Postmaster Provisional usages including #16X1 x2, 52XU2, 56X2 x2 fronts including one on Davis Medallion patriotic front (both would cat $12,750 if on cover), 58X2 x2 and 61X2, regular issues including scarce #5a usage, interesting forwarding usage to railroad station, a #1 official roulette issue uncanceled on unused cover (with cert and photocopy of R. Weill letter), couple nice stampless covers, etc.; condition mixed mostly confined to scarce material, on cover provisional's alone cat $14,000 (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2052 ✉ **Confederate Regular Issues on Cover Balance,** of over 50 covers; includes #2 usage from Florida and three #2e singles on oversized document, eleven #4 usages including three pairs, nice array of towns, "telegram" endorsed, 3rd day of use, etc, nice #5 usage from Emory, Ala. (stamp lifted and placed back, C.S.A. cert.), over 25 #6-7 usages with many in pairs, including turned usage, "Monks Corner" local use, scarce Texas military use, #11-12 usages including "Strawberry Ferry" local endorsement, wallpaper usage, colored cancel, blockade content, etc.; condition varies with many nice items throughout (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2053 ✉ **Confederate Regular Issues on Cover Group,** balance of over 60 covers; includes #1 usage from Galveston (stamp nick), three #2 usages, one with manuscript Drewrysville, Va. postmark, four #4 usages with two in pairs, #5 usage from Mt Carmel, N.C., #9 usage faulty but genuine (cert), majority #6-7, 10-11 usages with a wide rang of townmarks, adversity, forwarded, etc.; condition varies, **generally Fine or better.**
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

2054 */o/✉ **Confederate Collection,** small binder with neat assemblage starting with an almost full set of stamps (but no "Frameline") on White Ace pages, including 1, 4, 5, 9 used, and 2, 3, 6-7-8, and 11-14 unused., then pages with additional stamps, including 11e used, 13 used with town cancel, another used 1, a 4a unused, and another 5 used plus a 62X2 unused, many stamps have faults and repairs and need careful inspection, total Scott catalog value of stamps is $4,400+, group of covers including 4 Union patriotics, 4 Texas CSA stampless covers, including Owensville, Tarrant, Mount Pleasant (2), 7 other CSA covers, including 2 #1's, one from Atlanta with 1863 letter, plus various 11's and 12's on cover, ends with 6 U.S. war-years covers, some from Union occupied Southern cities as Port Royal, S.C., Nashville, and Alexandria, Va; Covers are also in mixed condition with faults and repairs and should be inspected, some with interesting military addresses, still a nice old-time group put together years ago.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2055 ✉ **Confederate Cover Balance,** mix of over 30 covers; includes Provisionals with 68XU1 & 56X2, albino embossed Douglas-Johnson campaign cover franked with #7 pair, some ad covers including Tallahassee stampless, rare Arkansas ad corner card cover (faulty), hand carried cover to Maysville, S.C. endorsed "Special Express", some O.B. imprint covers mostly unused or hand carried, etc.; condition varies (See website for images), **generally Fine or better.**
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2056 ✉ **Civil War Postal History Group,** of five covers all bearing U.S. frankings; includes two U.S. used in C.S.A, usages including uprated 3¢ Star Dir entire from Savannah, Ga. and a 3¢ Star Die entire from Galveston, Tex., Johnson Island P.O.W. cover and two covers from correspondence with one smuggled thru the lines; nice overall condition (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2057 ✉ **Confederate Cover Balance,** small group of 7 covers and a couple used stamps; includes #1 use from Richmond, #6 pair from Clarksville, Va. and other nice 4-margin #11-12 usage including two to Jefferson Davis, off cover including nice U.S. 2¢ Blackjack, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2058 ✉ **Confederate Postal History Collection,** a two volume collection giving a wonderful overview to the CSA Postal History, virtually all covers, but a few off cover stamps are included, the Postal History includes Handstamped Paids & Dues, a few Patriotic and Adversity covers are noted, plus some multiple/mixed frankings, one of the two albums (smaller) is devoted to Independent State Usages and United States in the Confederacy, condition is mixed, but the is a fine lot worth careful inspection (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

2059 ✉ **Confederate Cover Balance,** of 18 items; includes many adversity covers including a couple turned cover usages, wallpaper cover, #13c (C.S.A. cert stating no opinion), couple Union usages and a encased postage coin; worth review (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

See website for complete images.

2060 ✉ **Civil War Postal History Consignor's Balance,** group of 14 covers, some prisoner of war covers and related, plus a few interesting CSA manuscript postmarks, mixed condition but an interesting group, please inspect (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

Official & Semi-Official Covers

2061 ✉ **Confederate Official Covers,** lot of ten covers with Official imprints of the Post Office Department with a variety of Free Frank signatures and imprints, mixed condition with faults but a scarce group, worth inspection (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2062 ✉ **Confederate Semi-Official Covers,** lot of 24 covers with Semi-Official imprints of various Departments with a variety of manuscript and printed imprints, noted Headquarters Camp of Instruction, War Department, Department of State, Treasury Department, Adjutant and Inspector General Office, Subsistence Department, Commissioner of Taxes, etc., mixed condition with faults but a scarce group, worth inspection (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

Prisoner of War Covers

2063 ✉ **Civil War Prisoner of War & Flag of Truce Covers,** fascinating lot of 11 cover mostly from Northern Prisons headed South with a variety of marking and cancels, most through or to Richmond with Richmond rate markings, noted is a Flag of Truce cover where a coin was affixed and is marked "Advertised 2", mixed condition, a nice lot worth careful review (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

United States Possessions Collections

2064 ✉ **U.S. Possessions Cover Group,** lot of 59 covers/cards; the remainder of the Stanley Piller retail stock; most of the value in Canal Zone (includes 6 x #UX5 cat. $450 each); nice condition.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2065 */o **U.S. Possessions Collection,** mostly mint mounted in Scott album, all countries nicely represented, starting Canal Zone (not checked for varieties) with #2-3 (#3 handstamped "M & Co." - J. C. Morgenthau & Co., New York) no gum, 1924-25 issue complete, Cuba all mint with E1, Guam 1-2, 4-6, 8. E1 mint, and Guard Mail complete, nice Hawaii with #27 on relatively complete mint, O1-6 o.g., Philippines with a few from Spanish period, with #225 mint, 1932-1941 on complete mostly mint, Airs, later Special Delivery, J1, J4 mint, "OB"s complete mint, Puerto Rico 210-216, J3 mint, Ryukyu mint with Airs complete mint, mostly o.g. to part o.g., mostly fresh colors, scattered with no gum.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

2066 */o **U.S. Possessions Revenues,** mix of the the various countries in two binders; includes some D.W.I. and a few Hawaii issues, Puerto Rico with some early Spanish issue and later wine and rectified spirits, strong in Philippines with early Spanish admin. issues including a few on document, telegraph and some interesting U.S. admin.; worth a look.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

Danish West Indies

2067 o/✉ **Danish West Indies - Great Britain Used Abroad Postal History, 1866-73,** nice group of 10 covers and 22 stamps/on piece items; covers with various Great Britain issues canceled by the barred "C51" oval cancellation, with usages to Halifax, N.S., Denmark, Demerara B.G., combination frankings to France, 1sh usages to London and interesting usage to Germany (missing a stamp), off cover items including 20 1sh QV issues arranged by plate no.'s; nice overall condition, worth proper review (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2068 o/✉ **Danish West Indies Group,** includes used items and three postal history usages; used stamps include #1, 18a on piece and 25b, 1903, 2¢ carmine, tied by "St. Thomas, 13/4, 1905" cds on picture post card to Philadelphia Pa., U.S.A. (realized $325 hammer in our sale 97), 1871 (Dec. 12) San Juan, Puerto Rico to New York N.Y. via St. Thomas, blue folded cover with red "Porto-Rico, De 12, 71" cds and black "C61" barred oval ties G.B. 4d vermilion ($150 hammer) and #18a bisect usage ($160 hammer) (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

Hawaii

Postal History

2069 **Hawaii Document & Ephemera Group,** of 11 items; includes a number of stock certificates (with R3 single or pair) including Walls, Nichols Co., Mutual Telephone Co. and Pioneer Mill Co., also two unused Hamakua and South Kohala Telephone & Telegraph Co. and California-Hawaiian Development Co., couple indentures including one with scarce "Not Liable to Duty" issue (faulty), #R11 on Collector of Customs pass, and two early newspapers including Honolulu, August 1, 1870 edition of *The Friend* and New Bedford, August 30, 1853 edition of the *Whaleman's Shipping List and Merchants' Transcript* (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2070 **Hawaii Document & Ephemera Balance,** several dozen items including nice 1877 Wilder & Co. "To Steamer "Likelike"" freight bill with steamship illustration, various notices to E. Bond, unused stock certificates including Waiakea Mill Co. and Hawaiian Bell Telephone Co., few street view photos including one of "First Street Car", with many additional letter enclosures, 1924 Rail Token and a set of Walls, Nichols Co. "Hawaiian Souvenir Playing Cards" (cover flaws).
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

2071 o/✉ **Hawaii Cancel and Postal History Balance,** group of five stamps and four covers; stamps with cancels including Negative "HI" in Oval (lettHI-23(negative HI), 1RRRR) on #31, "K" Letter (lettK-12, 1RRRR) on #31, Negative "H" Letter (lettK-12, 1RRRR) on #34, "Honolulu, H.I., Jun 13, 1900, 11 PM" last day at the last hour postmark for Hawaiian stamps on #73, etc., covers with #31 Lahainaluna manuscript usage, "Coll. 8.50 A.M." purple straight line handstamp (MH 752 var.) on reverse of cover (only recorded with this collection time), "Advertised, Honolulu, H.I., Feb 20, 1900" red oval handstamp (ADV-oval, 1RRRR) on reverse of incoming cover, and two nice 1893 Provisional Govt. combination franking covers; a very nice group of better items.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2072 ✉ **Hawaii Picture Post Card Accumulation,** well over 500 cards housed in three binders; includes an array of later Island Curio & South Seas Co. cards with the vast array of multicolored views including beach and surf riding, hula dancers, etc., other cards including volcano including four cards burnt on one end (presumably by volcano) including one used posted at Volcano House, nice showing of real-photo cards including military related, fair, volcano including color tint and Volcano House, etc.; very little duplication, well worth proper evaluation.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2073 ✉ **Hawaii Early Picture Post Card Accumulation,** collection/accumulation of approximately 280 cards in two binders; includes some early cards including "Aloha Nui", over three dozen real-photo cards including six different Hula Dancers, "Guide of Kilauea Volcano" standing in front of "Crater Trail" sign, "Halemaumau May 1924" Kilauea eruption view, sailor and ship views, etc., nice run of later Aloha Nui cards and Greetings From cards including a couple sent and signed by James Steiner, nice run of multicolored fish series cards, etc.; condition a little varied with many scarce cards.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2074 ✉ **Hawaii Picture Post Card Group,** of over 35 cards mixed */o and several early tinted photos; better real-photo including "Surf Riding Waikiki", "Hawaiian Coin Divers" and "Lei Girls Honolulu T.H.", other surf related, many tinted volcano cards, multicolored fish, etc.; nice group (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

2075 ✉ **Hawaii Post Card Accumulation,** of approximately 180 mostly unused cards from all periods including private mailing and 20 real photo including scarce "Surf Riders - Waikiki Beach" card and "Coconut Island" view, many later cards with the occasional early mixed in; worth review.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

Regular Issues

2076 ** **Hawaii Mint Never Hinged Balance, 1886-99,** of a couple dozen or so stamps on stock page; from Banknotes to Pictorial with many choice and gem centered items, includes #35 large margin gem, various 1893 overprints up to the 10¢ value and selection of later with some higher values; worth a look (See website for images), o.g., never hinged.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2077 */o **Hawaii, 1893 Provisional Govt. Issue Balance,** of 9 better stamps including overprint errors; includes Scott #55d mint (part of tropicalized o.g.), #63 block of four mint, #71f x2 mint o.g., one both overprints split, $72b mint o.g. and one used with flaws (H.P.S. cert.); Scott cat $3,200, nice material with mint only having a few short perf to one stamp in block.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2078 */o **Hawaii Stamped Envelopes Cut Square Stock, 1884-93,** housed in stock pages in three binders; with general 1884 issues and 1893 overprint issues in strong to heavy mint duplication and used varies with a nice section of various town cancels on the 1884 2¢ indicias, best is the **blue inside cut squares** most with both mint and used in modest to moderate quantities including a 5¢ cut square with Wells, Fargo & Co. oval date stamp and eight #U14 cut squares (blue insides alone catalog $14,575); condition varies with nice material throughout.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

2079 */o **United Nations Collection,** four cartons full of singles, plate blocks and first day covers, a treasure trove of material, please inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

Foreign Country Collections

2080 o/✉ **Aden Collection,** selection of used identified on stockpages; starting with India used in Aden including "124" used on 1854 4a with later QV and KEVII issues, later KGV issues with Aden Camp postmarks including on a few high values, selection of Aden issues with various town postmarks noted, some Kathiri & Qu'aiti issues and a 1897 cover with India 6a buff issue used from Aden (cover toning) (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2081 **/* **Andorra (French) Collection, 1931-1964,** mint on quad pages, complete from 1931 to 64, Fresh, clean and F-VF throughout with 1-22 signed Bloch 23-77 (several n.h.) C1-4 (n.h.) J1-45 (n.h.). nice fresh material, cat $4,530 (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2082 * **Andorra (Spanish) Collection, 1928-50's,** mint collection on quad pages virtually complete from 1928 to 1950s+. Clean and fresh, generally F-VF. Noted are 1-49 (including rare #11a perf 14, 1-12 signed Bloch, 26-49 +62 are n.h., including rare 31A n.h. (cat $1250), C1, E1-5 (2,4 n.h.); total cat $3,044 (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2083 **/* **Asia Accumulation,** ox full of one man's accumulation; filled to the brim with much material that should be inspected (Perusal includes small group of n.h. Taiwan sets with a Scott value of $448) a wonderful lot.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2084 */o **Asia Accumulation,** of mostly mint, includes nice China accumulation of mint, etc.; very popular area.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2085 */o **Asia Holding,** with variety of material in Ryukyus, Japan, etc.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2086 */o **Australia Group,** mint and used around 100 in stockbook, few with additional sets, including Sydney Bridge 2 mint and one used sets, #128 l.h. (cat. $700), also Airs, M1-7 n.h., **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $600 - 800

2087 */o/✉ **Australia Extravaganza,** group of auction collections in albums stockbooks and envelopes all purchased from various auctions, including nice selection of Kangaroos and KGV issues throughout, a little bit of everything in Australian philately including. mint NH issues, some covers, well worth inspection, generally fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2088 */o **Austria Collection, 1850-1953,** mint (most never hinged) + used collection in Palo hingeless and Schaubek pages, with most present mint & used including the better items, with used sometimes hiding behind the mint. Early issues complete used with some duplicate + varieties (but for B.O.B. rarities). includes 12-17, 22-6 and virtually complete thereafter including Dolfuss, WIPA's, WIPA + Renner Souv. Sheets with many good mint n.h. including 51-144, 167, 304-53, semi postals virtually complete n.h. including WIPA singles + SS (Renners VVLH), strong B.O.B. with Airs n.h. Dues (complete with J45-6, 132-58 n.h.), later used near complete including Dolfuss B's, C's, Also M1-82 mint n.h., Offices near complete mint n.h., Lombardy, Venetia used 8, 9, 15-19 o.g. Mint 9 (straight line toning). 10a signed! PR1 signed NG. Cat value over $59,000, virtually all F-VF most VF (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $15,000 - 20,000

2089 o **Austria 1st Issue Cancellation Collection,** 97 singles on homemade page and 2 stockpages, mostly 9kr values, with homemade page copies identified by type/cancel, etc., including a few Hungary cancels, many with nice margins and mostly fresh, needs to be carefully inspected for shades, varieties, etc.
Scott No. **1-5** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

2090 o **Bahrain Collection, 1938-50's,** selection of several dozen issues on stockpages; includes a run of sets from KGVI on including Silver Wedding, used multiples with 1938 5r block of 4 x4 and 1950 10r on 10sh block of 4 x4 (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

2091 * **Baltic States Collection, 1918-40,** mainly mint wonderful collection of Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania, Central Lithuania and Memel, neatly arrayed in mounts on Scott Specialty pages. Central Lithuania complete including 13-22, Estonia 21, complete after 1922 incl Airmail but for C7-8, but incl N1-2, Latvia near complete incl 253-31, 154, B1-97, C1-13, CB1-24, ZN23-33 n.h., Lithuania 9-26, 92-92D ($625 ++), 122, 176-88, 216-17, 242-55, 278-82, 288-95, B43-54, C1-87, CB3-4, Memel 1-99, C1-29, N1-77, N79-82, 84, 86-90, N106-14, plus some better Michel listed with some nice used Michel 147 (€180), 182 T VI (€315) 193-205 (€450). Excellent opportunity to acquire an excellent showing of this ever elusive area. All F-VF with some n.h. Cat 13,250 (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $3,000 - 4,000

2092 o **Batum Selection, 1919-20,** group of 9 used stamps; includes second issue 10r on 5k brown lilac and 10r on 10k on 7k deep blue, and fourth issue 10r on 1k orange, two singles with black and violet surcharges tied on piece; some duplication (See website for images), **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **9-10, 21-24, 35** $1,240

2093 */o **Belgium Collection, 1849-1860,** mint and used collection with a high degree of completion, virtually all F-VF with such items as mint 9, 11, 16, 21 n.h., 23, 26, 28-38, 40-8, 56, 60-75, 82-122, 124-37 (good values, n.h.), 212-15, 218-20 imperf, Souvenir sheets near complete mint or used or both, semi-postals virtually complete for better like Mercier + Orval with much n.h. Rare 1912 10¢ booklet Pane perf 10 ($1650) Plus seldom seen special sets like B69-77 with crown + L overprint and same set with Antwerp stamp day overprint (Michel €1700 for n.h.) and B114-22 with rectangular overprint of 1933 (Michel €4000 for n.h.), some nice n.h. blocks E6, B538-43, B558-60, B.O.B. with mint Q129-31, Q154-207, also used 39a (heavy cancel) B. Congo including mint 12, 25. A little disjointed in presentation (some on numbered stock cards) but quite clean + attractive, cat over $40,000. (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $7,500 - 10,000

2094 * **Belgium Imperforate Issues Collection, 1919-2000's,** of a few 100 Belgium imperfs, including the 1919 King Albert 25c blue (#130), B109-113 imperfs n.h., 1954 80c Rotary imperf essay, signed, and some of the 1952 UPU Congress set, plus many more including, full year sets in the 2000 early years, most acquired from European auctions and difficult to find; great beginning of a set of these seldom seen varieties.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2095 o **Bermuda KEVII-KGVI Definitive's as Revenue, 1918-53,** 60 items on stockpages; high values from 2sh-£1 issues with various revenue cancels, includes KGVI 5sh two singles on piece tied by customs handstamp and a £1 strip of four manuscript cancel, also a couple airline ticket usages (one ex-Shaw); interesting group for the specialist.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2096 */o **Bolivia Collection, 1863-1914,** extensive collection in two volumes; includes many better items and varieties; stamps include mint 1868 1000c Black with 9 Stars, etc.; reportedly catalogs over $16,000., condition is exceptionally nice, Rarely found so complete.
Estimate . . . . . $3,000 - 4,000

2097 */o✉ **Bolivia Postal Stationery Group, 1890-1917,** of 9 better items; including 2 essay cards, other used including uprated and registered, used to Holland, cancel interest, etc.; all *ex-Moorehouse*.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2098 */o **Brazil Collection, 1843-1994,** in a well-filled Schaubek Album (956 stamps) with classics: including Bull Eyes, 30, 60 and 90r used, Inclinados (1844-46) to 90r, Verticais (1850) range to 600r; Don Pedro (1886-70) M & roulette sets, Small Heads, Newspaper, Official; Money Orders stamps (33) with Sergio Sismondo certificates, plus Air mail; Sindicato Condor, Souvenir sheets years 1938 (2), 1940 (2), 1942 (2), 1948/9, 1956, 1960), plus six stock pages of various well identified postmarks (45), and 1974 FDC's (22); F-VF high quality and fairly complete assembly, strong in classics, collection was priced by the owner using RHM (2017) cat 41,698 dollars and Scott 2023: US$ 28,656.
Estimate . . . . . $5,000 - 7,500

British Africa

2099 */o **British Africa Group,** 19th and 20th Century mint and used better sets and singles on black stockpages plus small collections of Gambia, Ghana, Kenya and Tanzania on album pages, mint highlights unless otherwise noted including BEA 36-7, 62-7, 69, 83-7 used, Cape of Good Hope #2-6 used, East Africa & Uganda #14, 25-9 all used, Gambia 102-20, Lagos 38, Mauritius 18-19 used, 55-6 and 125-6, Natal 93-7 used, No. Nigeria 40-52, So. Rhodesia 28-30, Stellaland 1 used, 1-5 and Tanganyika 25-7, useful assortment, worth inspection, owner's Scott $11,800, generally fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2100 */o **British Africa Collection, 1866-1930's,** powerful mint & some used collection of several African entities mounted on Scott and Palo pages, with numerous better items ID'd with Cat values on stock cards. A generally clean and attractive group focused on the strongest period of later QV to KGV, with nearly all value represented by better stamps or sets. We note British offices with KKGVI overprinted for former Italian colonies complete including postage or several sets n.h. Morocco agencies including KEVII + KGV sets to 12 pesetas mint OFF Turkey 1921 KGV to 10 P + most other KGV Seahorses overprinted mint, Ascension with the 3 KGV definitive sets mint, 1st and 3rd sets VF used (1st on pieces with Brandon cert), plus a lovely KKGVI study of printings perfs and shades + cpt plate flaws, and SG71a cobalt missing n.h., Basutoland 1-10 mint (9,10 n.h.) also 9, 10 used. CGH Mafeking with SG 18 VF used bicycle scout issue, 171 mint, Egypt mint 3, 4, 7, 103, 177,-90, 224 n.h. top margin, C1-2, NC13-26 BCA W mint 1st set to 10sh (no 5sh) + overprinted, 3-4sh + shades 1896 set complete to £1 ($2000) + 52s £10 Specimen n.h. + other good specimens. 1895 set to 5sh 1897 to £1 (10sh VF used). 1903 KEVI to 10sh + specimens including £10! (£500). Gambia with mint 1 (2), nearly complete mint 1886 and on, used 2 + 1880 set to 1sh, Gold Coast with mint QV to 10sh, 20, some good KEVII blocks with 2n.h., KGV to 20sh, £2 mint (gum skips), 1928-37 (2, 1 n.h.), SG 114a Extra Flagstaff, Nyasaland mint SG 95b 100-113. Saint Helena with a few good classics, KEVII sets to 2sh and 10sh complete, KGV to 3sh and 1922-7 set complete including 15sh! (also used set to 10sh + 15sh specimen), 1934 Centenary to 10sh, Sierra Leone with some decent classics mint, 1932 Centenary to 5sh, Somal. Prot. with QV both overprint to 5R KGV both sets to 5R + several overprint var, best is SG25a £550, O13 (2 with Brandon certs), O15. Southern Nigeria complete mint but 43 VF used on piece; also 1-9 specimen, South Africa 16a used, mint pairs virtually. Complete from #23 on plus shades. Official pairs complete mint but for O5, D38 postage dues complete mint SWA mint 1-10, 16-27 but £1 pair separated, 28, 88-93 plus extra 91-3 n.h., 94-105, 108-20, O1-4, Sudan 1-16, 1a pair n.h., 51-9, Uganda mint 47, 84-92 + shades + used 91-2. Great lot for the internet or mail seller as "everything is a lot" or for a collector who can fill a lot of spaces generally F-VF with only occasional small faults. cat $64,313 (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $15,000 - 20,000

2101 */o **British Africa Collection,** beautiful Old Time collection on home-made pages; many better include Gambia #2 (o.g.) and Gambia #4 in especially nice condition; condition in general is exceptional!
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2102 */o **British America Group,** 19th and 20th Century mostly mint better singles and sets on black pages, plus two small collections of Bermuda and Cayman on Scott pages, mint highlights including Antigua #3, 6, 17, 21-30, 31-8, 42-57, 67-76, Bahamas 84 used, Bermuda 50-3, 94-6, British Honduras 5-7, 16 all used, 69-70, 81-3, Dominica 20, 24, 25-33, Falkland Islands, 1, 11, 14, 37-8, 73, 84-96, 107-20, Jamaica 15, Leeward Islands 20-8, 82-3, St. Christopher 15-16, 16a, Tobago 4, 12-13 used, Trinidad 15, 17, O2-5, also Canada mint on two stock pages with 161 NH, E4-5, J1-4 (J3 NH), O9, O10, O25 NH, O27 NH, owner's Scott $18K+, fine to very fine, plenty of great material here, worth inspection.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2103 */o **British America Collection, 1865-1950's,** fabulous premium mint and used Semi specialized collection on Scott pages and part broken down onto stock cards with ID and Cat values. This select group is essentially all better items, strong in the late QV to KGVI periods. A solid cache of valuable and very saleable and or collectible depending on one's perspective with many areas represented by both strong used and mint section in mostly excellent quality with little 'chaff' to be reckoned with. Bermuda with KGV sets VF mint to £1, 12sh 6, plus broken scroll var on 2sh, 10sh (£275 and 650 respectively) + extra 10sh shades never hinged and VF used SG 89ge with S.O.N. cds Estimate £600 as more common mint is £400, 1936 pictorials with mint VF never hinged Inscription blocks including the good 2d. KGVI keyplates mint is strong with scarce printings + line perfs in £500-625 range including 116, 116a, 117, 117a, 118 and 18a both n.h., 118b, 119, 119a, 119b never hinged! And another XF mint, 119c, 120, 120a, 120d yellow (1 soiled pf), 120b, c, e all n.h., 121, 1b, c, never hinged, d, e, never hinged, also a few used with a set to £1, early Bermuda with mint 1, 1a, 2, 2a n.g., SG 22 VF mint dull rose, also #12 looks good but valued low as it has no cert; Nice British Honduras with some early QV both mint and used to 500 ea plus mint 38-46, $1, 82 used, and VF $2, $5, KEVII with $2, $5, both KGV sets mint to $5 plus the 1st VF used on piece and a specimen set of the 1st and for the Moire set and B1-5 (also used) SG 66a 'Bevenue' used. Lovely showing of Caymans complete mint but for the 2½d provisional and scarce was tax, including 1907 provisionals plus the unissued 1d on 4d, extra shades of KGV 10sh, a Specimen set to 10sh lightly used, KGV picture mint and used plus never hinged Specimen set, KEVII and 1st KGV definitives also noted VF used to 10sh. Dominica with mint 1 VF + 6 + 7 n.g., 20 mint plus all mint KEVII + KGV to 5sh + £1, plus KEVII Specimen set, KGV Specimen to 5sh, Jubilee Specimen plus some better used. Leewards outstanding complete mint including 5sh never hinged! KGV to £1 + 10sh used and mint with broken crown + scroll flaw, and VF used, there is specialized treatment of KGVI with all SG listed shades including 10sh pale green 113a, £1 114 mint (2), 114a 5 including 2 never hinged, one with corner sheet margin + later £1s including n.h. cover margin block of 114c, many good used including both KEVII to 5sh. ½ d with damaged frame + crown flaw. Nevis including the "old blue papers #1 mint, 3, 4 used, grey papers mint. mint 14 XF, SG21c crossed lines. mint 19-27, 29-30 + some better and St Chris with/ mint 1-7, 15-16, 17c, Antigua 1¢ cancel A12 at St. Chris also used 1-13, 15-22, ST Kitts Nevis mint 1-63, used 1-20, 24-35, 52-61, 63, 79-118 plus SG 77ad 'break in oval' VF €500. Quite an impressive selection of countries with many scarce varieties, Cat (some SG items converted to $) over $74,500 (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $15,000 - 20,000

2104 */o **British Asia Collection, 1862-1950's,** outstanding Premium mint and some used collection on Scott and Palo pages (most in mounts), with huge focus on late QV to KGVI period. Includes Aden mint complete to 1950 including 1-12, Bahrain definitives complete to 1951. Batum mint 33 signed Brunei 49, Brunei 1906 set mint or used mint 1907 set to $1 plus Specimen overprint set, 1908-21 to $5, 1922 Exhib complete + varieties, 1924-7 complete + scarce 12¢ shades, Burma mint O1-55, N39-40, 46-7. Ceylon KGV pict set mint n.h. 278-89A with 278d, 279e, 286b n.h. (825-) Hong Kong mint 60,66, 69b dues complete, used 1-7, 17, 84, 104, 107-8, 122-4, 123a, GB off China mint 15, 17-27, used 1-16, 26-7, Kuwait mint 1-15, C1-4, 01-14, 017-25, Labuan mint 9, SG 34, 83-97, plus both 4¢ overprint sets complete, Malaya Fed, 36 mint, Johore 24 n.h., J. occ dues complete mint n.h., used SG 17-20, Kedah mint 46-54 n.h. SG 68a mint n.h., Kelantan mint 1-25, Perak SG 119-21 mint Singapore KGVI pf 18 set complete, Trengganu 1-18 mint ($3, 5 n.h.), 38 n.h., Straits Sett. With some good QV and P. dues n.h. 260-74 n.h. mint n.h., BMA set n.h. plus many good early mint better to £600 each (like SG49b) mint (some n.g. counted at ½) and used including QV $5 S.O.N. cds + KGV values to $25 S.O.N. cds, Malacca J. Occ. KGVI 2¢ block (SG £500), North Borneo with fabulous items including mint 6-7, 14, 18, 19, 21-2, 33-4, 44-53, 55-104, plus shade + perf varieties, 120-49, 136a-53c + vars, 165-92, B14-30 complete but for $1, N16-28 also used (postal) 19. P.O.'s in E. Arabia SG 41a XF mint (£400). Palestine mint 15-25, 15c-23c, 37-47, 63-84 plus shades, used 1, 15c-25c, also some control # blocks n.h.; Sarawak mint 8-21, 19 block of 24 with even toning + adhered to backing, 24, 36-106, 77-8 with several mint n.h. blocks of 4 to 18, used 8-21, 109-34, 135-52. Quite a powerful group of slightly disjointed between the Scott + Palo sections and some sparse areas, but many early mint n.h. scattered about mainly (valued at H price). Gem F-VF with occ small faults or n.g. in earlies counted at ½. View this one carefully and note how the value adds up fast! Cat 106,435 (Malaya area + some vars Cat by SG + converted to $) (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $20,000 - 30,000

British Commonwealth

2105 F **British Commonwealth Reference Balance,** interesting group of 30 items; includes certificate forged overprint/cancel items including Strait Settlement B Bangkok overprints, Niger Coast SG3 with forged surcharge, G.B. 1d QV issues with fake "D48" & "D47" cancels, Newfoundland SG10 with fake cancel, genuine Bermuda SG17 but faulty, K.U.T. 50r fake town cancel, Rhodesia double heads, G.B. propaganda issues, and more.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2106 */o **British Commonwealth Stock,** wonderful dealer's stock of mostly complete sets and individual values on cards; better sets, too many to mention; a great dealers stock with a huge retail as condition is exceptionally nice; Scott catalog over $20,000!
Estimate . . . . . $3,000 - 4,000

2107 **/*/o **British Commonwealth Holding,** 2 small books of better quality items; chosen generally for nice condition, unusual cancels, etc.; includes a beautiful Great Britain #5 used, Uganda #69-76 mint set, a gem Canada #85 n.h., 2 x beautiful Canada #95 mint, etc.; excellent Retail stock with a Scott catalog of over $8,300 for listed material.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

2108 */o **British Commonwealth Accumulation,** old time accumulation of mint and used better in glassines, etc.; strength in King George and King Edward reigns, strength in British Africa; inspection well rewarded.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2109 o **British Commonwealth Balance,** mix of mostly used; includes Crete #1, some Qatar, Oman, Palestine, Ireland multiples, Iraq including India used in Bagdad, Pakistan and a little Heligoland; worth a look (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

2110 * **British Commonwealth O-S Countries, 1901-60's,** mostly mint collection neatly arranged on black stock pages, including Orange River Colony Scott #61-68, 61-73 used, Palestine 4-25, Papua 1//103 mint and used, C1-15 mint, perf "OS" used officials SG #O16//O44, Papua New Guinea 137//224, Pitcairn Islands 1//50, Katar 1-15, 37-41, Samoa 136-53, Sarawak 79-93, 109-19, 121-29, 135-52, 155-75, 180//194, 197-211, Straights Settlements 179-201, Sudan 17-26, 51-59, C17//30, Swaziland 10-37, 67-107 etc., also substantial group of the Rhodesia's, all mint on stock pages highlights including Rhodesia 76-81, 82-99, 101-16, 119-30, 132-36, 138, So. Rhodesia 1-14, 16-30, Rhodesia and Nyassaland 141-55, Nyassaland 1-8, 12-23, 54-67, 68-81 etc., fresh and attractive material, some NH, owner's Scott $10,600.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

2111 */o **British Commonwealth Collection, 1930-60's,** fabulous fresh clean all never hinged collection of only better sets assembled by a highly discerning collector with highest standard for quality with a high degree of completion (up to £1700 each), neatly mounted on Marini hingeless pages in 3 volumes. Everything is a highlight here, with most sets being £100 or more. So we note just a few like Ascension KGVI with all perfs and unlisted perf 13 x 13 ½ or 13 ½ x 13! (£1477+), Bahamas with KGVI 1st printing 5sh and £1. Bermuda KGVI to £1 Cyprus with KGVI + both QE sets + shades like SG 132a + Scout sheet. Falklands + Dep KGVI + QE with some better shades, B.A.T. 1st 2 sets Hong Kong with all good KGVI and QE sets plus good shades, India with KGVI + QE definitives plus Gandhi, Gwalior SG 112-17 Nabha 1938-50 definitive complete (£750) R.U.I. with some better KGVI perfs (£495), Leewards scarce 10sh KGVI pale green + dull red (£850), good Malaysia KGVI + QE including 1937 Kelantan set (£1700), N. Borneo 1938 set (£1400). Straits Settlements + Malaya 1937-41 KGVI sets complete (except for Perak). N Rhod with KGVI set, Papua rare postage due 6d (£850) with cert. Samoa SG 194d (£550) Sarawak 1935 and 1945 sets Singapore KGVI to $5, + QE period with Founders Souv. Sh, Seychelles + Virgin Islands KGVI chalky papers complete (£900 and £244 respectively). Total cat for this Gem of a collection (mostly by SG converted to US $) exceeds $53,400, as all in pristine never hinged (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $20,000 - 30,000

2112 * **British Commonwealth, 1935 British Silver Jubilee Set,** neatly mounted in book, o.g., lightly hinged, **generally Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2113 B* **British Commonwealth Modern Booklet Stock,** many hundreds identified in slips in large box; mostly Great Britain and Commonwealth strong in U.K. issues with others including Australia, Isles, some Asia, etc.; lots of material, inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2114 */o/✉ **British Commonwealth Miscellany,** around 180 items on stockpages; includes over two dozen paquetbot and ship cancels on various stamps including Australia (with high value Roos) & States and Caribbean issues, postal used revenue issues, stamps used in other countries, telegraph including the unissued G.B. ½d Army Telegraph overprint issue, N.Z. railway issues, few interesting postal history items; worth review.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2115 */o **British Commonwealth Omnibus Group,** of many dozens of British Commonwealth Silver Jubilee, Silver Wedding, and UPU sets, almost all mint, many n.h., there are 60+ Silver Jubilee sets, and 70+ Silver Wedding sets, including better like Hong Kong and Singapore, also dozens of UPU sets, few extra Silver Jubilee Gibbons-listed varieties like Gold Coast 113c n.h. (cat. £190), Swaziland 24¢ n.h. (£170), and Sierra Leone 181a n.h. (£80); minor duplication, good CV here.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2116 * **British Commonwealth Revenue Issues,** mix of over 350 stamps arranged on stockpages; nice range of countries including G.B. & Canada, early Nevis, British Guiana with summary jurisdiction issues, Australia Roos used as revenues, Queensland, Victoria including a couple semi-postals, Rhodesia, and many more; inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2117 */o **British Europe Collection, 1860-1960,** impressive mint and used collection on Scott and Palo hingeless pages plus cards identified with price containing only better items with strength in later QV to KGV periods. Noted are Cyprus Mint 2 (plates 174 and 181 n.g. counted at ½), 2 plate 220, 8 (plates 174, 208, 220), 25, 28-37, 61-71, 89-108, 114-35, used 1 (plate 12), 4 on piece, 5, SG 29b large 1, 28-37, 56-9, 61-71, 84-5, 114-23, Gibraltar Mint 1-47, 49A-145 including the £5 KGV n.h.! #6, 7 with Holcombe cert. Also SG 59a (£650), 60, 60a, 70 shades of 6d SG 121-31 KGVI better perf 14 or 13 ½ (£540) Used 1-7, SG 4a blue black overprint, 8-13, 17-28, 31, 38, 45, 66-74, 92 Malta mint with many shades of 3 to 5 (most counted at ½ due to n.g. or RG), 8-64 with extra shades, 66-256 including extra shades, SG 103e 2 scroll scratch (£400), extra 114 and 114a n.h., SG 238 ca and corner crease plate flaws each in block of 4 n.h. Extra KGVI overprint set n.h. dues complete mint + varieties. Used 14, 17, 18, 84, 98-111, 114, 172 corner margin example. A powerful holding generally F-VF throughout worth a serious look. Cat Val (SG items converted to $) $41,783 (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $7,500 - 10,000

2118 */o **British Oceania Collection, 1850-1960's,** premium mint and some used collection on Scott pages and a stock book with better items in stock cards identified and priced. we note the first highlight New Guinea complete with airmails including officials, including the £2 and £5 gold fields, pristine mint throughout! And there is much more with strength in later QV to KGV Period. Australia with states: NSW mint blocks of 4 (1-3n.h.) of SG 33, 43, 446, Scott used VF 8, 26, Queensland B1-2 (tropicalized gum) Tasmania 16 XF mint, 34 mint n.g. Australia proper mint 1-7, 54 VF, 113-20 + 124 n.h., SG 75 Specimen,+ last Roo Specimen 10sh £2; 142-4 gutter insc blocks SG 168, 8b, c, SG 168b best die n.h. block, 186 insc block n.h. 178-9 blocks (£1 with insc) with 2 n.h., 1st navigators, M1-7 (5sh n.h.). Arms to £2 Specimen, used 54-5 VF, 57 VF, 102 VF, New Guinea used SG 190-203, 225 XF Papua with Lakatois sets + varieties to 2sh 6, 10sh (mc1 on extra mint), good 4¢ overprinted, many present mint and used 35 Jubilee overprints with comma flaw on 1,3, 5d, good 1932 picture set VF used to £1, NWP1 mint 9, 29, 37, used scarce 1d scarlet shade, Br Solomon with 1st 2 canoe sets mint KGV sets to £1 (£1 n.h.), 10sh, with a £1 VF used clean cds, SG 54f mint Cook Is. With early issues mint complete to 1sh + crown overprint 1921 and 1931 set to £1 VF, 1933 to £5 n.h. but for £5, which had PF cert 1943-6 to £5 with £1 and £5 n.h. QE 1st overprints with $2-$10 n.h. Fiji with KEVII complete including extra shade of 1st £1 VF, also 1st 5sh + £1 used, + 2nd £1 Specimen, KGV complete mint both dies of 1, KGVI better 5d. 6d n.h. blocks £1 VF used block, Gilbert + Ellice 1911-13 complete mint with £1 VF plus KGV to £1 specs, 35 Jub Specimen. QE 1st set n.h. pair. Nauru 1st overprints complete to 10sh VF mint + 1b-4d, both printings of Freighter set mint New Hebrides Virt. Complete mint with good 2d. Certified, + postage dues and French issues including France Libre, New Britain mint 30-3, 01-2, NZ with some nice used Chalons to £900 ea, 1st pictorials with 5sh Mt Cook mint and used Dunedin set, KGV to 2, 3sh (3) + picture blocks n.h., 1940 cent. mint blocks 2 n.h., early B3-4 (2, 1 set n.h.), QE 1sh both dies mint, Scott 456c green omitted VF n.h. mint AR25 postal cancel unpriced (Estimate 1000) 1913 Auckland exhibit set mint, mint AR57, 63, 71-3, 75-86, AR 93 mint never hinged. None with Postal Fiscals to £1 (QV + 1931 and 1944, 1945 sets plus SG 79-82 (£750), Samoa with postal fiscals mint to 30sh and £2 (n.h.) mint SG 194a, plus scarce unlisted £10 VF mint! (Est 800). Tonga with early issues + vars used and mint including SG 30a mint, Scott 54a, early pict sets + officials complete mint plus 10d with small O var plus SG 011-16 blocks with Olla £1486 but with gum toning. A highly desirable offering with Cat over $82,400 (some converted from SG values), loaded with premium items (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $20,000 - 30,000

2119 o **British Levant - Great Britain Used in Constantinople Group,** of 13 stamps bearing the barred "C" oval cancel; with S.G. Z83 pair plate 22 & plate 23 single, Z92 plate 11 pair and plate 13 single x3, Z97 on piece and a pair (faulty), Z98 & Z101; some flaws (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

2120 o **British Levant Collection, 1885-1921,** used identified on stockpages, includes a few better high values including 1885 12pi on 2sh6d, 1903-05 high values, some good later 1913-21 issues, etc.; some minor duplication (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

2121 o **British South America - Great Britain Used in South America, 1866-74,** collection of over 65 stamps identified on stockpages; with Brazil including S.G. #Z7 pair and Z21 high value (faulty but scarce), other usages from Pernambuco and Rio de Janeiro, 11 Peru - Callao usages including 2sh high value (Z55), also four Peru issues with "C38" bar oval handstamps, Puerto Rico with issues to the 1sh from San Juan and Ponce, other usages from Argentina, Chile, Colombia and D.W.I.; a nice collection for the G.B. specialist (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2122 o/✉ **Burma Collection, 1900,** identified on stockpages; used selection of issues including Occupation and officials, couple India used in Burma, also 2 nice WWII censor covers, 3 OHMS covers (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

Canada & Provinces

2123 */o **Newfoundland Collection, 1865-1947,** mint and used issues in mounts in a Palo album with slipcase, fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2124 o **Canada Collection, 1851-1950,** useful nearly all used collection on Scott pages with nice earlies including 1, 4 (2), 5b, 6 VF with cert, 7, 8, 11 then from 17 in virtually complete but for 21, 22, and $3-5 Jubilees. It does include 33 with usual centering. Substantial lot value here, with some nice quality early imperfs adding to its appeal. Cat 29,798 (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $4,000 - 6,000

2125 * **Canada Collection, 1852-1969,** attractive mint and used parallel collections in a well-filled Lindner hingeless album (used hinged beneath the overlay pages housing the mint), used highlights including Scott #4, 4d, 45-47, 62, 65, 66-73, 74-84, 89-95, 100, 149-59 etc., mint including Scott #15, 23, 42, Jubilees complete mint and used in various conditions less $1, 70, 72, 73, 80, 91-94, 96-103, 149-56, 176-77, also airmail, postage due, officials, special delivery E1-11, registration F1, F2, war tax MR1-13, 6-7, and more, later mint with much NH, condition varies, some unused throughout, owner's Scott $20K, fine to very fine or better.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2126 * **Canada Collection, 1869-1940,** beautiful quality selection of mint blocks, panes, booklets and coils 86 items neatly laid out in stock cards with ID and Cat price. Lovely fresh material with much never hinged and quite a lot of VF as well. Blocks of 4: Canada 52 (3 n.h.), 66 n.h., 68, 75 (1 n.h.), 76 (3n.h.), 89 (3 n.h.), 90, 97 (3 n.h.), 106 with lathework (2 n.h.), 110-18 (2 n.h.), 122 (2 n.h.), 135 (3 n.h.), 149-57 (1-2 n.h.) and 195-201, 217-27, 241-5 and 249-62 (2 n.h.), E2 (2 n.h.), C1-9(2 n.h.) C3 plate block with swollen breast variety. MR4II block imperf vertically (Unitrade $1500 n.g.) 01-10 (2-3 n.h.), 016-25 (2 n.h.), 026-7 n.h. Complete booklets for 104a (6 panes, $1200) 105a, 7b, 8a in complete booklet $430 + KGV panes virtually complete, coil pairs 125-30, Newfoundland 18 XF-S n.h. corner margin block, SG64 codfish reissue VF block, 87a n.h. block with 'NFWfoundland' and 'JAMRS' varieties, C8 n.h. block J1-6 (2 n.h.) and many more. A choice and colorful group Cat over $30,000 - counting everything as singles with no premium for blocks or complete booklet (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $6,000 - 8,000

2127 ** **Massive Modern Mint Postage Accumulation,** great never hinged accumulation including full sheets, souvenir sheets, booklets, scrap, mostly all with face value totals, many premium items throughout and a section of earlier booklets, high value, and back of book not counted, counted items total approximately $6,400+.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2128 **/*/o **Canada, 1855-1978, a Powerful and Extensive, Mostly Mint Collection,** in mounts on Harris album pages, with extensive coverage of 19th century issues, and 20th century nearly complete. We note a few Province of Canada issues (including used #7 and 8), Large and Small Queens, Queen Victoria Jubilees mint to the 50¢, Quebec Tercentenary issue complete mint (mostly never hinged), King George V Admirals complete (all but 3 are never hinged), all the later King George V definitive sets complete never hinged (yes, including the 50¢ Blue Nose and $1 Parliament etc.), King George VI complete less only a few stamps but including the $1 values, Queen Elizabeth II nearly complete mint to 1978, plus extensive airmail and other back-of-the-book. Only a few small faults noted, mainly on the earliest issues (as would be expected), but these *have not been included in the total catalog value*. Extensively never hinged even in the Queen Victoria issues. Centering averages F-VF. All in all a nice collection for a serious collector of Canada or to break down for stock or online sales.
Scott $21,000+ . . . . . Estimate $2,000 - 3,000

2129 */o **Canada & Provinces Collection, 1851-1950's,** substantial, mostly mint collection neatly mounted in a Harris hingeless album. Attractive fresh virtually complete mint after 1859 but for #16, and the rare laid papers. Early QV mint mostly n.g. and counted as such. Mainly o.g. after small Queens. Much is VF entered including Jubilee $1 to $5. A few early used including 4, 5 VF. 5a. 30c cold violet. Early mint with 8, 15, 17, 18, 18a, 19-26, plus 22b, 26a, with cert ($8000!), minor imperfections but o.g. 27 with cert part o.g. small thin 30e, 06, 39b, 40a, then complete including B.O.B. with some varieties like MR 4a Good Provinces with BCVI mint 2, 2a n.g. (and used) 5 n.g., 6, 8, 9, 11, 12, 18. Newfoundland mint 1, 3 n.g., 5, 8VF with cert 11 part o.g., then complete o.g. thereafter including many VF-XF including occ variety like 88c but no 76-7 or airmail rarities, other airs complete, C18 with cert used 1, 3, 13. Nova Scotia with mint 1, 2 XF, used 1, 3, 5 badly cut in. PEI mint 1 n.g. (at ½) used 2 with rounded corner. A remarkable collection despite some mixed condition in earlies, balanced by some excellent quality on many higher cat items. Cat over $101,000. (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $15,000 - 20,000

2130 * **Canada & Provinces Collection, 1859-1976,** solid mostly used collection in a Canadian Jarrett album, used highlights including Scott #17, 17a, 17b, 18, 19, 22, 23, 26, 27, 46, 47, 58, 60, 68-73, 74-84, 96-103 etc., mint including #14 unused, 56, 57, 59 etc., some airmail, misc. back of book, plus Newfoundland and B.N.A., owner's Scott $7,500, fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2131 **/* **Canada & Provinces Collection, 1897-1953,** housed in White Ace album; includes a little later 19th century including some nice Widowhead and KEVII definitives, Tercentenary high values, some nice KGV definitives, later including 50¢ Bluenose, some completion in back-of-the-book, and Newfoundland issues with some good early issues and a mix of later including some airmail; overall quality quite nice, worth a look.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2132 */o **Canada & Provinces Consignment Balance,** of 16 items; with Canada classics including used Scott #5, 8, 11, 12 with cert., and mint #35 strip of three, 67 block of six n.h., 159 n.g., 177 n.h., some Jubilees, etc., also classic Newfoundland, N.S.; condition mixed with strong catalog value, inspect (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2133 */o **Canada & Provinces Revenue Collection,** housed in four speciality Van Dam albums; with general Canada issues fairly nice representation in early Bill issues including unusual FB37 imprint block mis-perfed, good gas & electric, some later weights & measures, supreme court with a few good issues, and a nice showing to sparse later, Provinces sparse to non-existent on some but some pockets of issues including Alberta including 1910 specimen law stamp set, etc., also includes a holding of tax paid issues; a nice collection for further continuation.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2134 */o **Central America Collection,** includes Costa Rica collection of approximately 387 stamps with a study page of Scott #1 plate 1 present and cancel studies of Scott #2-3, Guatemala collection of 208 stamps, with pages of Honduras and Nicaragua with complete sets of Nicaragua Officials of 1890-93.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2135 o/✉ **Ceylon Collection, 1861-1940's,** identified on stockpages, includes selection of used singles including Scott #20A, 37, 49e, 79, 95, 105, 131, 155, 169, 179, 181, 193, 209, 210, 293-294, 317, O9, O12-O14, O16, O18-O20 and blocks #181 & 289, also a town cancel collection of 53 KGV & 142 KGVI issues with a wide range of date stamp from Agalawatta to Wennappuna, many scarce to rare, and a Scott #292 strip of FDC with censor label (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2136 o **Channel Islands Set Group, 1979-84,** interesting lot of 108 10"x13" heavy pages with beautiful lithographs in combination with used sets of stamps.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2137 * **Channel Islands Collection,** of Alderney, Jersey & Guersey in Davo & S.G. albums, also a hoard of issues, also an additional small hoard of issues.
Estimate . . . . . $75 - 100

China & Area

2138 o **China Stock,** mostly used and primarily PRC issues; includes the usual reprints, mostly complete sets, includes Chrysanthemums, Butterflies, Peonies and many more, some souvenir sheets, etc.; owner's cat $2,535.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2139 o **China Accumulation,** 19th and 20th Century mint and used China accumulation on stockpages in a binder identified on manila stockpages, including back of book, occupation, also some PRC, fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2140 * **China Balance, 1878-1960's,** of hundreds of singles, sets and blocks, mostly mint identified on stockcards; starting with early Empire issues from #1 on including small dragon set, 1897 surcharges, nice run of Republic issues, ROC issues mint mostly in sets including Painting issue (1355-58), PRC from early issues on again mostly in mint sets including some exercise se-tenant blocks, etc., a little cultural revolution material and later into the 1960's; condition varies mostly confined to early issues, please inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

2141 */o **China Stock, 1878-1965,** in stock book of 1500+ stamps (53% mint) comprising Imperial & Republic and PRC periods with numerous complete sets: Sc. 8; 13; 24; 131/3; 593/8; 599/4; with many early reprints: 60/4; 72/3; 74/6; 105/7; 108/1; 117/1; gymnastics blocks: 141/150;249/0; 245/8; 290/4; 301/3; 304/5; 337/0; 412a; 426/37; 445/2;490/3; Goldfish: 506/7; Chrysanthemums: 542/59; 569/73; Landscapes: 716/31; 798b; 799/03; 806/9; Airmails; N.E. provisional.; Szechwan, Manchuria, Yunnan; Parcel post; Formosa; Local Post; Japanese China Office; British H. Kong; German Office in China, Revenues; F-VF owner's cat. $7,130.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

2142 ✉ **German Offices in China Covers,** of 37 covers and cards; wide range of usages including three color franking Seepost usage, 1894 German issue 3-color franking registered from Tientsin, 1903 4-color German franking registered from Weinsien, 1898 "Tsingtanfo Marine Feldpost" usage to Holland with Netherlands postage due, Tsingtau surcharge multiple franking and another Kiauchau yacht multiple combination franking, some postal card usages, registered usages from Peking, etc.; worth proper review.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2143 */o **Japanese Occupation of China Issues,** in stock book, comprising Manchukuo (1945-1947) (208 Stamps); Hunan (37); Menkiang (42); Kwangtung (23); North China (74); Hopei (133). in total 517 stamps (58.8% M), no repetition, except some */o of the same stamp. additional several mint blocks .all stamps carefully classified by perforations, watermark., secret marks, etc.; owner's cat $2,415.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2144 * **China (People's Republic) Collection, 1949-72,** small collection on pages; includes much Pre-1963; Post 1963 Mint include 1963 Butterflies (missing one low value) 1964 Flowers (missing one low value), 1971-72 - 4 different high value better complete sets; Post 1963 only mint - Scott $1850+; a very worthwhile lot.
Estimate . . . . . $600 - 800

2145 * **China (People's Republic) Mint Group,** accumulation of souvenir sheets, booklets and sheetlets (52), with no repetition (between Sc.1678a and 3437) MNH, owner's cat per Scott 2023 $728.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2146 ** **China (People's Republic) Group, 1970-87,** lot of mint, never hinged mostly complete sets; little, if any, duplication; many better sets including 1972 Ships, 1971 Paris Commune, 1974 Industrial Products, etc.; great lot of this popular area with a Scott catalog of $4,156.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2147 ** **China (People's Republic) Collection, 1979-2000's,** never hinged singles, sets and souvenir sheets arranged on stockpages in two large binders, includes lots of later block of 4 sets and souvenir sheets in modest duplication, with better early souvenir sheets including 1979, Great Wall souvenir sheet (T38M), 1979, Camellias souvenir sheet (T37M), 1980, Qi Baishi Paintings souvenir sheet (T44M), 1980, Lotus souvenir sheet (T54M), etc.; lots of fresh n.h. material, Scott cat $12,217, worth review.
Estimate . . . . . $5,000 - 7,500

2148 ✉ **China (People's Republic) FDC Collection, 1980-2000's,** around 1,000 unaddressed cacheted unaddressed covers bundled by various periods; all in nice condition.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2149 ** **China (People's Republic) Modern Mint Accumulation, 1984-2004,** all mint NH accumulation in complete sets ranging from Scott #1944//3365, mostly in blocks identified in glassines, thousands of stamps with much topical interest, majority in 1990 to early 2000's, owner's Scott $5K+ fresh and very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2150 ** **China (People's Republic) Hoard,** assortment of mint NH sheetlets and souvenir sheets mostly in parcels of 50 or 100, including Scott #304 (151), 3418 sheets of 24 (50), 3418 footnote (sheets of four or six) 100 each, 3421-24 sheets of 8 (50), 3424a sheets of 8 (50), 3437 sheets of 10 (50), 3437 footnote self adhesive sheet of 10 (50), 3438 (100), 3439 (100), 3445 (50), 3451 footnote (50), and 3454 (50), all fresh mint NH and very fine, owner's Scott $12K+.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2151 * **China (People's Republic) Modern Group, 2001-2005,** accumulation of mint NH sheets and sheetlets in various quantities, highlights including Scott #3253-4 sheets of 8 (6), 3315 (4), 3339-42 sheets of 8 (70), 3375 sheets of 4 (53), 3409 sheets of 4 (41), plus Scott unlisted sheets of 8 and 8 labels for Year of the Rooster, 3375 two different (50 each), 3409 (69), and 3375 special sheet of 8 with/Mei Lan Fung labels (93), all cut as normal stamps, owner's Scott $4k+.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2152 * **Costa Rica Postal History Group, 1891-1928,** of 20 better covers with diverse frankings, several registered and scarce frankings, mostly abroad but includes local bisect usage, etc.; all in nice condition, all *ex-Moorhouse.*
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2153 */o **Costa Rica Postal Stationery Group, 1887-1929,** of 21 better items, all but two used including one specimen and one surcharge error card; many uprated abroad, destinations including Jerusalem, Belgium and Jamaica; all *ex-Moorehouse.*
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2154 * **Croatia Collection, 1941-2013,** early Croatia 1941-45 featuring mint and used parallel collections in mounts (some hinged) on pages in a binder, high degree of completion of WWII independent state issues with souvenir sheets and sheetlets featuring Scott #B73-75, also all mint never hinged collection in five Lindner hingeless albums mainly consisting of full sheets and souvenir sheets, including imperfs, perf varieties etc., also two albums of Bosnia and Herzegovina 2005-2013, mostly singles and mini sheets, a lovely comprehensive collection for the enthusiast or specialist.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2155 o **Cyprus Collection,** selection of issues identified on stock pages; starting with G.B. used in Larnaca with 23 stamps, 15 are 1d red issue mostly from different plates (Z15, cat £180 each), scarce Z15 and seven Z17 with pair, also a selection of useful regular issues including later multiples (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2156 * **Danish West Indies Collection, 1855-1917,** lovely fresh mostly complete for major cat numbers except for 23 plus many varieties including 1a, 14b,13a, 17a (n.h.) in pair with 17, 18b, 20b in pair with 20, 25c, 28b, 40a plus many other varieties, including 2 "white wedge" flaws on 17, 27, plus a complete set of Christmas seals 1907-17, among the used are bisect covers 7c, 18c plus 7c on piece (2) and 18c on piece; condition F-VF throughout with some n.h. including 39, seldom offered varieties abound in this outstanding collection, cat by Facit Swedish Krona 72,915 ($8000+) (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $2,500 - 3,500

2157 o **Danish West Indies Collection, 1856-1917,** choice little mostly VF used collection in stock cards with cat # and price. Noted are 1-3, 9a,11, 11a, 15-20, 18b, 21-2, 29-39, 40-2, Facit 23 VI invisible frame (SK 4000), also mint n.h. Facit 41-56 clean and F-VF. Cat 3193 (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2158 */o **Denmark Collection, 1851-1940's,** lovely semi specialized mint and used collection neatly arranged in mounts in Stender album plus a valuable array of better items in stock cards. ID'd and priced. Noted are mint 1, 3 n.h., straight edge-tenant 4-9, 14, 16-20, 25-272 (plus frame + other varieties), straight edge-tenant mint and tête bêche pairs including advertising labels collection with many n.h. (sk 37,450 by 2007 Facit), C1-5, J1-24, 01-3, 06-14, P1-15, 17, 19, 01-27 + extras like J1-8 (3, 2 n.h.), 01-3, 107 n.h., 10F n.h., 117n.h., 122a n.h., 123 n.h., 233 pair n.h., Blocks (2+n.h.) of 121, B1-2, 018, Q3-4 plus some impressive used 1VF. 6VF, 140VF, C1-5, 03, Q1-3, Q8-11, with extra Q7, Q8, 8a, 11, + used blocks J8, Q4, Q11 plus nice group of Facit listed varieties (sk24185) mint good Schleswig including 01-10, 12, 14 (1, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14 signed most Helbig or Klein BPP). A great collection with F-VF throughout and many n.h. scattered about. Don't miss this opportunity. Cat over 43,000 (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $7,500 - 10,000

2159 */o/✉ **Eastern Rumelia & Southern Bulgaria Collection,** highly specialized collection and study housed on various pages with additional study material on stockpages in binders; starting with a section "Bilingual Town Cancels on 1881-84 Issues" showing cover and card usages of nearly all of the 32 towns from Abrachlare to Yamboli with many items rare to extremely rare (many are ex-Hitzler and with his certificates), also a study of Early Mail With All Cyrillic Town Cancels with rare to very items including usages from Bourgas & Clisoura, also a study issues starting with the 1880 "R.O." overprint issues including trial overprints with issued stamps on and off cover, multiples, inverted overprint, etc., 1881 issues including rare high value multiple, a rarities page with 1pi color error (black & olive), 20pa strip with 10pa error at center, Turkish 1pi strip with Eastern Rumelia 1pi at center, other item include specimens, large multiples, essay blocks, etc., Southern Bulgaria 1885 Lion overprints quite extensive including 5pa block of 12 showing red trial overprint on reverse, inverted overprints, specimens, large multiples (some being the largest known multiple) on cover items, various Lion overprint types, 5pi used on piece (only recorded on piece, no covers known), other trial overprints, excellent section of stationery starting with the 1880 Provisional cards and later formula card types including some very rare used, and much additional items including unique to extremely rare (some ex-P.T. Ozand) and study with dozens Hitzler certificates; inspection a must (See webiste for images).
Estimate . . . . . $30,000 - 40,000

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2160 */o **Europe Collection,** oldtime mostly used in 1944 Schaubek album, most value in used classic period, all countries represented including Scandinavia, G.B., Netherlands with #1-6, Norway with #1, collection 1920's on scattered values with occasional mint sets, also includes Semi's, back-of-book, some souvenir sheets, including cat. items to $200+, **generally Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2161 * **Falkland Islands Collection, 1876-1950's,** outstanding Semi-specialized collection all mint (but for #2 and 1 war tax rarity used). Complete but for 2 ½d South Georgia provisional, including Centenary set with both 5sh penguin shades. A complete group of QV shades as per SG catalogue #5 (cert) to 42 + 18a, 30b, +c (what a lovely couple of pages for one eager to learn these difficult shades!) KEVII scarce 1d, 2d, 2 ½d shades + both 3sh shades, KGV definitives complete including scarce shades like 5sh plum and rare war tax items like SG 72b watermark reversed signed (SG £37501) SG 70a n.h. block of 12 also rare 1d vermilion line perf mint (unpriced mint but £950 - used!). Also KGVI with all good shades including 5sh indigo (£1100) 5sh + 10sh thin paper vars (£425 and £950 respectively) plus many varieties arrayed in stock cards with ID and price like SG4 mint pair, 9y watermark crown to R of CA (£950), 11x watermark reversed n.g. counted at ½ (£400) 18x + 18 ax (£375 each), 30c n.h. block, 34 n.h. block, SG, 37 var flat bottom of O), SG 193a-5a, 204a (DeLaRue printing) 3 specimen overprints including all 7 QV, all 8 KEVII, plus Dependencies all 4 KGVI sets in n.h. blocks, Map series including G9-16 thin map in n.h. inscription blocks with G9a-16a "dot in T" var (£578), 6d ocher n.h. block G4e, 68c, plus 6d with black and blue black vignette n.h., SG Cat over £40,000 (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $15,000 - 20,000

2162 o **Falkland Islands Collection, 1878-1950,** remarkable collection of better used items, arranged in stock cards with SG Cat numbers including price. We note SG 1 VF wing margin example, SG 2a marginal letter watermark signed Thier (natural SE) SG 3-7, 7Y, 8a, bisect with 2 normal with Holcombe cert + 11a bisect on piece (valued at ¼ of cover price for both of these items) SG 14 on piece signed Bloch and 14 pair with sheet margin (BPA cert). Also near complete QV shades between 18 and 42 including 18x, SG 31 VF used (watermark reversed as always 41-2 VF). KEVII set complete plus good shades of 1d, 2d (BPA cert) 2 ½d and 3sh) 67a, b, 68 all 3 with socked-on-the-nose cds 69 VF 70a on piece (£800) 80 XF, 113-26 including line perf (£1060), 133 superb, 134 with Fox Bay cancel, 135 VF, KGVI 1st set complete with better shades including 161c with Brandon Cert (£600). Lovely group, fresh + clean all F-VF, Cat SG £16,270 (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $4,000 - 6,000

2163 */o **Finland Collection, 1860-1950's,** interesting and valuable specialized grouping with a nice showing of the issues of 1870's-80. Some on quadrille album pages, others on stock cards, numbered and priced. Noted Mint 38-40, 39-45 specimens. 44-5 imperf proofs, 46-58, 68, 71a, 72a, 73 n.h. blocks of 8, 71b sheet margin block, 118 n.h. block, 178, C1, Q1-. Noted used 5-7, 7b, 9, 10, 10b (2), 13, 16, 17-30 (many examples with shades and cancels) 24 (4), 25 block, 37, 38-45, 53-6, 75 strip of 4, 152, C1. F-VF quality throughout including some roulettes with all teeth, some nice socked-on-the-nose cds's. A choice group with a careful look and a bold bid. Cat 16,626 (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $2,500 - 3,500

France & Colonies

2164 */o **France Collection, 1849-1950's,** marvelous and extensive mint and some used collection, neatly laid out, in mounts primarily, in Schaubek pages in a spring-back album, and a lovely selection of better varieties, blocks, strips, set out on stock cards or sheets, identified with prices. Virtually complete mint and predominantly never hinged after 1900, with also used, or with mint AND mint n.h. on some. Quality is exceptional, with only a few earlies n.g. or small faults counted at ½. Mint include 11 (Light hor. nat. gum crease), 12 (2), 14, 21 (small thin at 1/2), 21c reissue n.g. and thin, 22 mint block n.h., 23, 25, 26 all 3 signed, 24 pair, 27 n.h. signed twice, 28 signed Calves, 29-31 n.h., 32 signed Calves, 33 n.h., 35 signed Calves and Diena, 38-9, 40 VF signed, 46 VF n.g. signed, 52, 64, 66-7, 73, 77, 89 n.h., 15b signed, 93-6a, 96 signed Diena, 95a XF corner margin block with 2n.h., 101, 107-8 n.h., 118-25 n.h., 126 small thin at ½, 129-32 VF n.h., 133-7 (20 and 30 cents n.h.), 140 and 142 (2 each, 1 n.h.), 226, 226b n.h., 241a, b, 246 n.h., 247-53 + 254A mint n.h., + 282-3 n.h. blocks, 329 n.h., 347 n.h. block, 256 (2 n.h.), 348 + 8a n.h., B3-10 VF n.h., B11 to 43 VF n.h. (many with LH set also), B35-7 n.h. blocks, B66-7 n.h., B274a booklet n.h. Airmails complete (mostly n.h.) but no C4, C1-2 n.h. VF, C3 signed Champion X 2, C8-14 VF-XF n.h. with sheet margin, EIPA Perfins C6b, and the rare C5a n.h. with Diena Cert! and C6b with perfin inverted XF n.h., also C6d n.h., C15 n.h., C16-17 n.h., J18, J24 n.g., J28 n.h., J35, J40 n.h., J50 n.h., FM 1-2 n.h. USED noted are: 1VF, 2, 7 (a bit ragged at sides) 21 signed, 21c, 37 with Yvert variety 'Large 5' VF with tiny oil spot, 43 TI, 197 VF, 226b, 241, 329, PLUS many Yvert listed items like Yv mint # 94, 115, 126 and 132 gutter pairs with #, 117c, imp gutter pair n.h., 130g n.h. €425, 131 imp sheet margin n.h. signed Calves €675, 188A Mineraline n.h. €725, PAM 4, 5 mint. Richelieu airmail on Mauritania signed Kessler €920, T.X.5 mint n.h. €1000. 'Coin date' blocks 260a, 283, Telegraph 6 mint signed Calves, 7, Precancels mint 27 (€800), 54, and 58-60 n.h., P4 mint, Chamber of Commerce 10 cent vermilion mint €900, booklet 283C9, 1906 35 cent YvTI mint n.h. with Cert €700 TT3a rouletted used €400, Yv block 5, n.h. €875, Block 6. A stunning assemblage worth careful perusal and an aggressive bid. (some with € converted to USD) $118,408 (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $20,000 - 30,000

2165 */o **France Collection, 1849-1995,** useful collection in two Scott albums; good representation in early classics used with a good to fair representation in later issues with better not present, similar back-of-the-book with useful to good mint; a nice starter collection.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2166 **/* **France Stock,** extensive dealers stock of mint, mostly NH, in 6 stock books and 1 mint sheet file; all identified and in order, ready to sell!
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2167 **/*/o **France Collection,** 3 Scott collections, strength in mint later material in all three with much fresh and never hinged, Very High Retail.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2168 * **France Collection, 1924-2002,** three volume collection in specialized Yvert albums, somewhat sparse from 1924 until 1937 and fairly complete from there on with better Semi-Postal sets, virtually all appears o.g., n.h., nice condition and a great starter collection.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2169 */o **France & Colonies Balance,** of a hundred or so singles, sets and blocks mostly mint identified on stockcards; France includes a little used 19th century with mint from 1935 on mostly good to better sets, back-of-the-book including #B9 and later semi-postal sets, good "R.F." overprint sets, French Area issues including a little Monaco including imperfs, F.S.A.T., Tahiti, Martinique, etc.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2170 * **French Colonies Collection, 1859-1952,** nearly all mint collection mainly in mounts in a Scott Specialty album with slipcase, focusing on America, Asia & Europe, including French Colonies general issues, French Guiana, French India, Guadeloupe, Inini, Martinique, Cilicia, plus French zones in Germany (post WWII) and 1947-56 Saar, solid runs of pictorial definitive sets from early 20th Century to end of issues for each country with Omnibus issues, semi-postals, airmail, postage due etc., clean, comprehensive and worth inspection, owner's Scott $10,300, fine to very or better.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2171 * **French Africa Collection, 1885-1977,** nearly all mint collection in three well-filled Scott Specialty albums with range of countries Afars and Issas through Upper Volta, solid runs of pre-independence pictorial definitive sets from early 20th Century to late 1950's with Afars, Comoros, and Reunion into the 1970's, also some 19th Century with numerous pence and commerce sets mixed mint and used, including Omnibus issues (plus most souvenir sheets), semi-postals, airmail, postage due etc., countries with major value including Algeria, Cameroun, Diego Suarez, French Equatorial Africa, French Guinea, French Morocco, Ivory Coast, Madagascar, Reunion, Senegal, Somali Coast and Tunisia, owner's Scott $33,800, viewing will prove rewarding, fine to very fine or better.
Estimate . . . . . $4,000 - 6,000

2172 **/* **French Southern & Antarctic Territories Accumulation, 1950-2000's,** virtually all mint NH accumulation of thousands on large double sided stock pages in a binder with slipcase, about half feat. FSAT plus some ATT and BAT with souvenir sheets and multiples, other half including European countries with Europa and other Europe-related topics, duplication, better throughout, worth careful inspection, huge catalog value, generally very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2173 * **French Southern & Antarctic Territories Collection, 1955-2013,** mint never hinged collection missing only 1 issue from completion, includes the key Albatross issue with an additional deluxe proof, many sheet margin issues, all fresh and pristine; Scott cat $6,247.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

German Area

2174 o/✉ **German Area Collection,** substantial used collection housed in 6 Lighthouse albums with issues hand selected for neat attractive (most town) cancels throughout; includes German States (Scott cat. $13,032), Empire & Reich ($17,943), Germany 1949-79 ($1,976), Post WWI Occupation ($4,366), German Colonies ($11,134), Memel, Saar and Danzig (including Danzig #49) ($15,408), Berlin ($2,084) with additional modern Germany not counted (total cat $65,944+) plus additional back-of-the-book & local items (2009 Michel cat. €8.574+), German covers and binder of German coins; inspection a must.
Estimate . . . . . $7,500 - 10,000

2175 */o **German Area Balance,** of various singles, sets and blocks identified on stockcards, mostly good to better; includes a little German States with Wurttemberg issues, Reich with many high values, airmail with Chicago Zepps used (C43-C45) and better Gelber Hund issue, German Office including China high values with Scott #36b used (with cert), some Saar & Bavaria, a Berlin used stock (owner's cat $2,824) and Danzig */o stock ($1,665), etc.; condition varies with nice material throughout, inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2176 */o **German Area Accumulation,** mostly mint on pages but nice variety of material.
Estimate . . . . . $600 - 800

2177 F **German Area Collections,** in 3 albums, mint and used; first Schaubek through 1970's with classics mint and used and somewhat represented, Berlin mostly mint, Empire mostly used until 1935, mostly mint after that including the 1935 Hitler souvenir sheets, also mint Zones, and Republic, 2nd album Schaubeck with printed pages and stockpages, mostly used Empire, some back-of-book; 3rd album pre 1950 mounted in Scott album mostly used Empire, but with mint Semis, Officials used, etc., 19th Century mixed condition.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2178 */o **German Area Collections,** 1st; Empire 1933-1940 complete hinged (one time) in old Schaubek album starting with 1933-34 Hindenburg set and including Chicago flight set and all souvenir sheets for the period except 1933 Nothilfe sheet, also includes the 1940-41 Postal Bureaus Occupation sets General Government, Bohemia & Moravia to 1944; 2nd Schaubek album to 1930's mostly used with States (scattered copies only), Offices & Colonies, and Plebiscites with complete Allenstein, also Upper Silesia, Saar, Danzig, etc., very fresh condition for the 20th Century, the few 19th Century mixed condition.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2179 **❒ **German Area, Hitler Head Occupied Territory Mint Accumulation,** thousands of sets and additional loose multiples, consists of Empire but the large majority being the Occupied Territory of Ostland and Ukraine overprinted in complete sets in old glassines and in complete sheets still in their packaging, heavily duplicated, some partial sets also, etc., unchecked for varieties, also around a couple hundred sets of Saxony Allied Zone Michel 87A-89A, and 100+ packets of various Zone low value singles, clean throughout, sent to U.S. from APO in Germany after the war, much still wrapped up in old newspaper pages.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2180 */o **Bavaria Collection, 1840-1920,** on album pages, largely complete less the rarities and some high values, useful complete sets plus Railways,Officials, Upper Silesia and Marienwerder, generally F-VF. An attractive collection (Owner's TCV: Stanley Gibbons 2011 £3,150.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2181 */o **Germany Collection, 1872-1950's,** astounding and extensive connoisseur's collection of mint and used with extensive amount of never hinged and many valuable items to be found both mint and used. There are good classics like embossed eagles complete used, several (including 22) with S.O.N. cds's plus some good mint, and although states are absent there is a nice little Heligoland collection with genuine rare items like Michel 19Aa XF mint block, 2n.h. signed A Diena plus excellent 3rd Reich period with much of the never hinged found in VF fresh corner margin examples including 351-62, n.h., 401-14n.h., B33n.h., B49-57n.h., B59-67 n.h., B68VF used, C26 n.h., C34 n.h., C35-7 n.h., C38-9 mint, C40-2 mint (41-2 n.h.) plus all two groups complete VF -XF used, as are most others in this period including B49-57, C20-34. Much good B.O.B. including 0216-21 n.h. There are full sheets n.h. of 3rd Reich era tête-bêche booklet issues in a sheet file (€2830) plus many complete booklets like Mich MH 36.2, MH 37.4 rare block with WZ1 (2) and WZ2 n.h. (€1600) and also not to be overlooked, specialized WWII items not often seen in collection lots like Feldpost Mi 5a mint signed Kesselstatt, Flemish Legion Mich XV-XIX perf & imperf n.h., rare Inselpost (all expertized) including Mi 7a used, 9 n.h., 108d n.h., IIab mint (counted ½ n.h. price) 11Bb n.g. also French Legion Polar bear souvenir sheet plus a terrific group of scarce private airmail. Issues (group cert $19000) including Michel Gelber Hund varieties to €1500 each, and Mich semiofficial Air M1A used, MZa mint, M3 mint n.h., M5 mint, M7 mint, M9 mint, M10 used M11 Leignitz Zepp both colors n.h. mint plus used signed with Simon cert. Also noted are Bund + Berlin issues virtually complete including Posthorns, Berlin 1st overprints black + red + (NB3a + 585A-99 sets + Mi I/I - IX/I + some blocks and most used also including 9NB3a, 9N17 block. There is a section of items in numbered and priced cards, including highlights already noted, but also with mint n.h. blocks and other varieties, adding to the immense appeal of this lot. Such collections are rarely offered intact, and this one presents a rare chance to obtain a remarkable holding at a relatively modest price, with nearly all F-VF and the few n.g. or small faults counted at 1/2. Cat $109,955 - (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $20,000 - 30,000

2182 */o **Germany Collection, 1872-2010,** large Scott International album, mixed mint & used, the album is jammed full of stamps, no great rarities here, but much useful material is present, worth careful inspection.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2183 * **Germany and Colonies Group,** a small book of choice used and unusual material; includes a beautiful German East Africa #21 with on the nose cancel, etc.; condition is uniformly exceptionally nice; Scott catalog is $9150+.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2184 */o **Germany Collection,** 2 Scott volume collection, strength in post-war material (include Posthorn set complete), generally fresh and nice.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2185 ✉ **Germany Inflation Period Dealer's Postal History Stock,** attractive and comprehensive dealer's stock of Germany Inflation Era 1919-1923 postal history, made up of 1000 all different postally used commercial covers. Includes all types of rates, usages and destinations. There are plenty of first and last day of rates. Virtually all are counted and correct rates. About 60% of the lot is 1923, with at least 10% from November 1923. All are sleeved and priced. Generally very fine, total retail over $23,000.
Estimate . . . . . $3,000 - 4,000

2186 */o **Germany Private Local Post Issues,** in stock book of 860 nice stamps includes cities as: Bergedorf, Luebeck, Altone, Bochum, Berlin, Bamberg, Manheim, Dresden, Hamburg, Kalsruhe, Essen, Madeburg, Hannover, Frankfurt, Strasbourg, Prov. Sachen, includes Hamburg locomotive 10Pf canceled (21 st.) and Bergedorf 15Pf depicting two rabbits with double print, plus ordinary print, scarce material.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2187 */o **Kiauchau 1900 Tsingtau Surcharge Issue Collection,** study of 71 mint and used Scott 1, 3, 1a & 3s singles on quadrille pages; includes with and without blue line, appears some Michel varieties noted, with posted noting an catalog value at €25,250 however catalog appears to be around $8,000; inspect may prove rewarding here.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

2188 ** **Germany Never Hinged Group,** small, beautiful never hinged lot of post-war material; includes 35 sets of 1949 Stamp Centenary, 7 sets 1951 Marienkirche, etc.; Scott catalog $6,032, Post Office fresh lot.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

2189 ✉ **Allied Occupation Collection,** attractive and well presented dealer stock of German and American AMG covers and postal history, about 100 covers with many different usages, frankings, destinations and censors, vast majority are commercial uses with a few philatelic types, all are sleeved and priced with the owner's prices totaling approximately $3,500, generally very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2190 ✉ **Allied Occupation Postal History Stock,** attractive and diverse postal history stock of the Allied occupation of Germany after WW2 from 1945-1949, comprising approximately 575 covers, this lot covers the period with a huge variety of frankings, destinations, censors, and usages including currency reform (10X), vast majority are commercial uses with a few philatelic uses, all are sleeved and priced; with the owner's reasonable total retail of approximately $16,000, generally very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2191 ✉ **Soviet Zone Postal History Stock,** diverse and intriguing stock of Soviet Occupation of Germany postal history from 1945-1949, comprising about 375 covers, this lots covers the period with a great variety of usages and frankings including Michel listed local issues and currency reform (10X) period, vast majority are commercially uses with a few philatelic uses, all are sleeved and priced with the owner's reasonable total retail of approximately $11,000, generally very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

2192 ✉ **German Democratic Republic Postal History Stock,** diverse and interesting stock of DDR postal history with about 160 covers that includes an assortment of usages, destinations, frankings, and registered, some very nice commercial uses are included as well as some better FDC's, all are sleeved and priced, with total marked retail of approximately $4,800, generally very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2193 ✉ **Berlin Postal History Stock,** knowledgeable dealer's stock of post WW2 Berlin, over 230 covers with a huge variety of frankings, destinations, censors and usages, mostly commercial mail with a few FDC's, very clean and attractive, all are sleeved and priced, owner's realistic retail is over $6,600, generally VF.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2194 ✉ **French Zone Postal History Stock,** interesting and well prepared postal history stock of the French zones of occupation, about 190 covers from Rheinland, Baden and Wurttemberg with a great variety of usages, frankings, destinations and censors, commercial mail is the norm with a few philatelic uses included, all are sleeved and priced; owner's reasonable retail prices are about $5,400, generally very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $600 - 800

2195 ✉ **Germany: Federal Republic Postal History Stock,** knowledgeable dealer's stock of post WW2 West Germany, over 750 covers with a great variety of frankings, destinations, censors and usages, mostly commercial mail with a few FDC's, very clean and attractive, all are sleeved and priced, owner's realistic retail is $20,000, generally very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2196 o/✉ **Gibraltar Collection,** selection of issues identified on stockpages; with a nice group of G.B. used in Gibraltar including S.G. Z22+Z48 combination on piece, Z44, Z46, Z47 (flaws), Z49 x2, Z50 x2, Z62 & Z71, useful selection of regular issues with later multiples, post & postal usages and a Spain issue used in Gibraltar (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

Great Britain

2197 ✉ **Great Britain Postal History Group,** includes 16 early 1759-99 folded letters with various ratings, 1840 1d black usage London to Exeter and some later QV usages, 1916 WWI British Forces in Greece cover sent to California, and a Received From H.M. Ships postmarked cover to England which appear to have been submersed in water (crash cover?); interesting group (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2198 */o **Great Britain Collection, 1840-19,** exceptional mint (and some VF used) collection neatly mounted on Scott pages (after 1889) with better earlies already broken out to numbered and priced stock cards. Assembled with quality-conscious collector, so the condition here is well above the norm, though a few early n.g., these counted at ½ mint values. We note mint 3f, 10 n.g., 2b n.g., 26a, 28, 30, 37 n.g., 40, 40a, 42, 43, pl19 and 13, 51 n.g., 52, 58 pl11 n.h. (+plate 4-6, 8, 12, 14, 15, 20, 61, plate 18 and 20, 6 4n.g., 66 pl1, 67 pl17, 70 pl15, 73, 82, plate 22 (2) and 23, 84-5, 94, 98-103, 96 n.h., SG, 175 Specimen, 105-108 VF 111-22, SG 206, SG 199 green + scarlet VF n.h., SG 204 purple on orange n.h., SG 206 deep bright carmine n.h. corner margin 118a, 124VF, 127-36 n.h., 139-42 XF, 159-72 n.h., 173 n.h., VF, 173 a, b VF, 174c XF, 175-6 VF XF, 177,179-81, SG 415 VF n.h., 205b-7b, 207c, 209-24, watermark sideways KGV (3sets), KGV1 (1H set n.h.) 249-51 n.h., QE sets complete including phos, graphite n.h., P. dues complete (n.h. 1936 on). QE phosphor commemoratives n.h. blocks (red cross in pairs), 411a, n.h., 697 gold missing. Used including SG1 intense black on piece, SG 14w mute watermark £875, 55d milky blue cancel C38 $1850 + 46 cancel F85 Mayaguez P.R. (575) 65, 67, 69 all VF several VF used S.O.N. cds (including 103 (2), 107, 108) 124 clean oval date stamp on piece 178, 224 XF block. Also 6 WWII Nazi Forgeries (£650), Mulready including 2¢ rare used! A really lovely collection, Cat (some by SG converted to $) over 100,000 (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $15,000 - 20,000

2199 o **Great Britain Collection, 1840-1950,** outstanding and valuable mainly used collection, with specialization for plates and shades, neatly arrayed in a Davo hingeless album. This rather attractive collection was assembled by a quality conscious German collector, and boasts many VF cleanly canceled examples, including S.O.N. cds's. There are platings of many QV issues starting with mainly VF penny blacks showing plates 1a and b, 2, 3, 5,6,9 (several with certs) and the rare and highly prized plate II with Royal cert as plate II (this one just a VG-F example, however), 2 penny blue with plate I deep full blue and plate 2, penny reds from black plates with plate 2, 9, 10, 11, 50 different imperf red plates, perf penny red plate 71-225, complete but for the rare 77 ½d engraved including plate 9 complete, followed by a nice showing of embossed and surface printed plates and shades with embossed 6d (4), 10d, and 1sh (4), extensive showing of plates for values to 1sh for surface printed with 1st 5sh plate 1 and 2 in nl and pale shade, 5sh blued paper p1 1 (perfin counted at ¼ nl), 5sh anchor watermark, XF clean oval DS, 1st 10sh and £1 present (latter nicely centered but with reddish crayon mark) 1883 blued paper 2sh6, 5sh, QV long pounds including watermarked orbs! Green with S.O.N. cds Belfast, also mint with specimen overprint (£1100), later QV and KEVII with extensive near complete array of shades to £1 showing 2 long pounds with clean small cds. KGV with impressive Seahorses including 10 different 10sh, shades 2 pound greens, many with certs and some nice cds's, also watermark sideways and lower values shades figured as cheapest. PUC pound VF also. There are a few officials and postage dues, the latter with some better mint including complete sets with n.h. high values. Quite a lovely group with SG cat over £133,0000 (about $170,000) (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $15,000 - 20,000

2200 */o **Great Britain Collection, 1840-1969,** impressive collection in mounts in a Gibbons Windsor album, 19th Century mostly used, 20th Century mostly mint, some NH here and there, majority of value in used Victoria including three Penny Blacks (one red and one black Maltese Cross cancel, one other black cancel), Scott #2 black Maltese Cross cancel, #5, 6, 7, 26, 27, 28, 33 (with/more than 120 different plate numbers), 34, 37, 39, 42, 45, 50 plate 6, 51 plate 8, 52 plate 4, 53 plate. 1, 55 plate. 1, 57 plate 1, 1/2 d 58 with plates 1, 3-6, 8, 10-15, 60 plate 12, 64 plate 13, 64a plate. 9, 70 plate 16, 73 plate. 1, 81, 85, 87 plate 14, 94, 95, 96, 108, 109, and 124, also mint Scott #108, used Victoria officials O5, O6, O7, O12, O27, O31-37, O38, O44, O46, mint officials O30 plate. 13 and O45, better 20th Century mint including nice KEVII and KGV values to 1/- with shades, perf and watermark varieties of Scott #127-38, 143-50, 151-58B, 159-72, 177-78, 183, 187-200, 190a, 210-20, 210a, 212b, 213b plus 142 no gum (£1 KEVII) and Seahorses 173 and 222-24, also used 139-41, 173-74, 174b, 175b and 209 (PUC £1); KEVII mint officials O39-41, O59-61, O63-4 and used O21, O23, O42-43, O49-52, O65, O69)74-77, and postage due J1-75 (mostly mint) and Offices in Turkish Empire mint 9-24, 26-64, KGVI & QEII quite complete mint for the period, KGVI including Scott #249-51A plus some NH blocks and booklet panes, QEII has #292-607 with watermark and phosfor varieties plus pre-decimal Machins and Regionals, 19th Century generally fine or better, 20th Century generally fine to very fine or better, owner's Scott $52,000, clean, attractive and well collected.
Estimate . . . . . $4,000 - 6,000

2201 o **Great Britain Collection, 1841-84,** prodigious Queen Victoria used plating study mounted on lined or quadrille pages, starting with penny reds, ending with 1884 10 shilling. There are many sound, and many clearly canceled, mixed in with the faded and or heavily canceled with good prospects for postmarks (we noticed several used abroad items) and nothing has been checked for varieties like watermark errors and the like. Some numbers are represented by over a hundred examples, others with as few as 3. We note a penny red plating complete to #225 except for the rare 77; some higher out like 37 (7), 39 (24), 40 (9), 42 (9), 43 hundreds, 45 (20), 46 (5), 48 (14), 49 over a hundred, 52 (23), 55 (22 including 9 pale and at least 1 Prussian blue), 53 (14), 64 (47), 65(3), 69 (4), 70 (39), 71 (10), 73 (14), 87 (32), 94 (26), 95 (27), 96 (57 with shades), 99-105 dozens each 106 (7), 107 (32), 108 (31 with shades), 109 (9 with shades), 109a blued paper (a bit soiled); total cat by Scott over $371,000.
Estimate . . . . . $10,000 - 15,000

2202 */o/✉ **Great Britain Collection,** mostly used identified on stockpages with modest to moderate duplication at times; starting with 1840 1d black x4 (two are sound 4 margin), with later QV issues including 62 different 1d red plates some shilling high values and a 1891 £1, KEVII to the shilling values, KGV blocks and some covers, similar KGVI & QEII issues including Castle definitive blocks, later covers and some Guernsey; condition mixed, inspect (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2203 */o **Great Britain Machin Head Definitive Collection, 1967-2021,** comprehensive mint and used in mounts on Scott Specialty pages in a binder, including regionals 1971-2000, fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2204 */o **Great Britain Officials Collection,** virtually all used identified on stockpages, with modest duplication at times; nice showing of Inland issues including 1889 1sh used, 1891 2½d mint (glazed gum) and 1901 6d, Parcels including scarce 1886 6d used and a nice showing of later, Army with Scott O55a variety unused, etc., also includes a parcel piece with #O31+O35+O36 block of 6 combination; condition mixed with better items throughout, inspect (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2205 */o **Greece Collection, 1861-1950,** terrific mint (and some used) collection, some neatly mounted on quad pages, but with most value separated onto individual stock cards, numbered and priced by Scott (or Michel on some), with nearly all in exceptional quality, including the classics. Noted mint are 16 XF pair, 36 XF, 92b, block of 6 with 5 n.h., 9 block of 8 XF with 6 n.h., 97 XF, 104 block with 3 n.h., 104 vert pair imp horiz, 112 block n.h., 126-8, 123d pair, 160a, 378-80, 427-36 (2A), plus near all good sets after 1940's n.h., C38-47 n.h., + Mich 27 small thin, 28, 29 VF, 47b XF pair, 58 VF, 75A,C used including 94a VF block of 10, 126-7, C5-7 with cert., Mich 6 with cert, 37b signed Calves, Also good Crete mint 62-3 n.h., used 14, 19. 20, 23, 29-31, 56-8, 118-20 VF, 298 XF. Lemnos mint M; 18b-29b (including 26a, 7a, 29b) 34-7 Epirus mint 34-5, 37-40. Ionian Islands mint NC7-10, Thrace mint N46-54. Much highly saleable for the dealer or for the collector seeking nice, better items to upgrade a holding. Cat 20,000 (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $3,500 - 5,000

2206 */o **Greenland Collection, 1905-1945,** fresh and clean, near complete mint and some good used. All better items here on one album page and 23 stock cards, numbered and priced. Noted are Faroes 1 used with S.O.N. cds piece, 2-6 used and mint n.h. plus Denmark 88a (Faroes bisect), + Denmark used in Faroes including 3 blocks, Greenland has 1 - 18 mint n.h., 19-27 mint, 288-38 n.h., 39-40 n.h. blocks, Polar Bear mint Q1, 2, 4-8, 10 (+shade), 11 used Q 1-9 (including 6a, 7a, 8a), rare perf 12 ½, Q1a, 4a, plus some nice Facit varieties. Choice group (Cat 8617) worth careful inspection and a strong bid. (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $2,500 - 3,500

2207 ✉ **Guatemala Postal History Group, 1891-1937,** of 16 items; includes a run of postal stationery usages, postal card, cancel and destination interest, 1936 Air & 1937 Expo usages, etc.; inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

2208 o **Hong Kong Collection,** used issues identified on stockpages with modest duplication at times; nice showing of QV issues including scarce Sc #35A off card, #70 with Amoy cancel, later multiple some in quantities and a few modern items (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2209 */o **Iceland Collection, 1873-1956,** excellent nearly all mint collection, virtually complete but for 30 Prir and 1 Gildi rarities, and no O1, plus a few used. We note mint 1-20 plus 4a, 11a, 34-44b, 46a, 53, 71-148, 150-75, 203 on complete, mostly n.h., Airs complete including Hopflug set, also O2-19, O25, O27, O31-71 (but O51 used). Some better used are 7a, 49, 149, 187, O3 with water mark invt'd (Facit sk 4500). A gorgeous fresh collection F-VF throughout but 8-9 n.g. counted at ½. Well worth a serious look and a strong bid. Cat 27,373 (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $6,000 - 8,002

2210 o **Iceland Collection, 1873-1950,** of VF used with high degree of completion, arranged in stock cards with Scott numbers and prices, ready to be sold by retail, show, or internet dealer, or to be transferred into your collection which would be nicely enhanced by such items as 2-5, 7-9 (all these with genuine postal cds, 13a, 14, 17, 17a, 21-9, 40a (error in strip), 34-44B, 66-8, 71-85, 92-128, 140-3, 152-66, 213, 232-5, C1-11, O2-3 postal cancel, O4-12, OSI (strip of 3), O53-67, Blocks of 4 of 22, 28, 29, 78, 86-91, 121, 138, 231a, C3 plus Facit varieties 8a, b; 11a-e, 17a pair (sk 5000) 163v. Nice quality throughout but 4, 5 with faults counted at ½. Great opportunity to acquire most of the better stamps of this intriguing country quite possibly rather reasonably. Cat 31,837 (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $5,000 - 7,500

2211 */o **Iceland Collection, 1873-1960,** mint and used collection in mounts on Scott Specialty pages, highlights including Scott #1-3, 5, 8-12, 14 NH, 49, 52-3, 95-8 (95-7 NH), 141 NH, 152-66, 278-99, C9-11 (C9 NH), also 85 used, owner's Scott $13,400, a pleasing collection, fresh and fine to very fine or better.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2212 o/✉ **India Collection, 1854-1940's,** identified on stockpages, includes a useful selection of regular issues from Scott #2a on with some modest duplication with some KGV definitive blocks, China Expeditionary Force #M1-M28, M30-M33 and Indian Ex. Forces #M34-M43 on piece in pairs tied by Reg Base Office cds's, selection of Officials and a few 1930's covers (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2213 o/✉ **Indian States Collection, 1887-1940's,** identified on stockpages; includes various used singles from Chamba to Soruth issues including some officials, 12 covers bear various Cochin issues, a Indore Sc #1 use and five covers all written in Hundi from Travancore, also over 1,000 used regular and official issues from Travancore heavily duplicated (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2214 */o/✉ **Iran Collection, 1870-1911,** mostly mint housed on early album pages, includes a selection of genuine Lion issues followed by a nice run of issues to 1911 with good complete sets throughout; worth review (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2215 * **Iran Collection,** large mint & used accumulation including numerous singles and sets, the back-of-the-book is well represented as well, most all from the 20th Century, we cataloged a handful of sets and singles which are primarily mint, with a catalog value in excess of $19,000, noted is a **part set of the 1915 Unissued Set of Historical Buildings 1Kr-50Kr values**, with much, much more uncounted, of the uncounted material there is undoubtedly some forgeries or reprints but many good items remain, some gum toning is noted, but the overall quality seem quite good, a wonderful lot for the specialist which should be closely examined (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $5,000 - 7,500

2216 ✉ **Ireland Postal History Stock,** interesting stock of 94 Ireland covers ranging from the 19th century to the 1950's, mostly commercial items with a few philatelic usages, total retail is approximately $1600, generally very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2217 */o **Ireland Collection, 1933-60,** semi-specialized collection of mint and some used, including mint issues complete with all Seahorses including scarce Thom overprint 36-8 VF (extra 36-7 n.h.), plus wide and narrow 1922 (several n.h.), varieties like 59a- 62a pairs n.h. but for 1d extra 78 n.h., 106a n.h., 44a in block of 6 n.h. 72b in pair with Hawaii VF n.h. 111a inverted watermark! SG 124a in pair with normal extra J1-4 most n.h., Coils 87a pair n.h., 105 strip of 4 n.h. with red spot in arch var, extensive blocks including 26b block of 6, 65-76, 80-2 scarce n.h.! 106-17, 137-8 n.h. 121-3 corner margin, most good commemorative in blocks (extra 179-6), C1, 3-6, J2 with inverted Q for O var, J5-14 block gutter blocks including 106-16 and 137-8 (blocks of 12!), 147-8, 85, 86, 88-9. Also much great VF used like 11A, SG, 17, 19, 20, 36, S.O.N. cds, 56-7, 72d pane with advert (£500), 87a flat accent SG €900, 99-101, 91-2, 96-8. This very desirable group requires careful inspection or at least close perusal of photos, as most of it is laid out in stock cards with ID and prices (certainly saves work for the reseller) and is thus a bit haphazardly presented. Cat Val (a few by SG converted) $28,696 (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $7,500 - 10,000

2218 o **Israel Collection, 1948-51,** choice selection of better TAB singles 14 items, 12 never hinged VF throughout. Arranged on ID'd stock cards with Cat price comprising 1-6 (scarce 3, 10, 50 m on gray paper) 27 LH, plus never hinged 15, 23-5, 28-30, 33-7,46-60, 55, C1-6, C7-9, J6-11. Lovely group Cat $2605. (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2219 */o/✉ **Italian States Stamp & Cover Accumulation,** about 200 stamps and 24 covers; stamps include Tuscany #16 (cat. $6,250) with Raybaudi certificate, also Tuscany 1x2, 4-8, 10, 12-15, 17-21 with many duplicates, also Two Sicilies 3, 3a-c, 12a, 12h, 13 e&g, 14, and various Parma, Sardinia, Romagna 3, 5, 14, Roman States, etc., many unsorted, covers include Roman States, Parma, Sardinia, Tuscany, etc., a nice assortment of destinations and frankings; great start of these difficult to assemble items, very high catalog value.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2220 * **Monaco Collection, 1885-1942,** complete mint collection for these years, but for the rare semi postal B18. Present are Scott 1-181, B1-17, B19-50, C1, J1-27 + a few more. F-VF throughout, neatly mounted on Lighthouse hingeless pages Scott cat $15,549 (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $3,000 - 4,000

2221 */o **Italian Colonies Collection, 1874-1950,** magnificent mint and used Collection on printed pages, filled with an impressive array of scarce, to rare items like Offices Abroad (General issues) complete mint (some n.h. counted as such) Offices Crete complete plus 4a mint n.h. 4b mint n.h. block. Also complete mint are offices Albania, Durazzo, Scutari, Valona, Janina, Jerusalem (also 7 used) Salonica, Smyrna, Constantinople, including used postage dues with cert plus J1-4 blocks used, General officer Turkey near complete mint 9-10 included signed 8 with Cert (cat 17,500) 18mint (And used with cert) 19 (toned), 17c, Aegean Islands complete mint for small Islands + better Rhodes like mint 38-44 n.h. but for 40, 29-37, mint, Castelorizzo complete mint Italian Colonies mint 46-50, C29-35, C20-7 used plus used on cover and one piece, It. E. Africa mint complete, Cyrenaica complete mint but for c01 Eritrea near complete with mint 24, 27, 31, 46, 75-80, B29-32, CO1-10, E8c, J1-9, J3a, Q9-21, 27, used 11, J10-13, Libya mint 14, 56 (n.h. but gum toning) B17-54, C1-19, J1-24, Q11-12, 60a, 61, Oltre Giuba complete mint, Ionian Islands mint N13, 14a, 15a, 16, NC8-10, NC9b. Corfu used NC 1-6, 8-10, Somalia mint 154-5, 156-63, B38-51. C17-27, CB1-10, J5, J12-22, J42-54, Q16-24, Q56-64 PLUS set of 5 unissued Airmail officials of 1934, B50-53, used 151a, J31-41, Tripolitania mint B50-3, C21-42, used 16 on piece C29-32 Plus British KKGVI sets + postage dues overprinted for use in Eritrea, Somalia, + Tripolitania complete mint or used. Collections like this are rarely offered at auction intact, and this one presents a rare opportunity to require a blockbuster with. Cat over 158,300 (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $25,000 - 35,000

Japan

2222 */o **Japan Balance,** various mint & used issues on album pages and in sale type books; album pages starting with early classic with no forgeries appear to be present, including 1871-72 first issues with a little duplication, Cherry Blossom issues */o with very pleasant duplication into high values and syllabics needing to be checked, later issues to the 1920's with good mint throughout, books holding additional genuine Cherry Blossom issues mostly used in modest duplication, later issues with mint and possible cancel interest, also nice showing of Offices Aboard issues with some high values; please inspect for full evaluation (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $3,000 - 4,000

2223 */o **Japan Collection, 1871-1961,** comprehensive mostly mint collection on black stock pages in a binder, highlights including Dragons Scott #1-4 (plate 1), 5-6 (plate 2), 7-8 all unused, nice Cherry Blossoms mostly used with 46 syllable 1 mint and used, 47 syllable 3 unused, 49 syllable 3 unused, 50 syllable 3 used etc., other mint #91-108, 163-66, 171a-76a, 179-87 NGAI, 227-29, plus 239-52, better post-war with mint blocks of four, 369, 371-72, 433-34, also sets 369-74, 425-36, 479, 480-97, 509-521B, 523-40 etc., airmail C3-7, C9-43, MI1-3 used, Offices in China mint 27-8, 41-5, 47, Korea 13, 15, etc., also Japanese WWII Occupation issues 1941-45 including Burma 2N1//64,various Malaya states, Netherlands Indies N1-38, No. Borneo N16//24, N34-44, N46-47, Philippines N1-39, NB1-3, NJ1, NO1-7 etc., Ryukyu Islands 1948-72 virtually complete less #17, last but not least China-Japanese Occupation small mint group with 1N1-58 complete, 2N68-74 etc., owner's Scott $26,975, well collected and worth review, fine to very fine or better.
Estimate . . . . . $3,000 - 4,000

2224 */o **Japan Collection, 1874-1989,** useful collection housed in two Scott albums; with early classics virtually all forgeries to 1876 with a few genuine, later with good basic representation and predominately mint after 1920's, nice showing of Park sheets and other good sheets and some better sets, modern with completion and some covers; useful back-of-the-book with some good mint airmails, etc.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2225 **/* **Japan Collection, 1883-1970,** mint on Scott pages in mounts, starting #72, includes 1916 10s hat, later complete sets, 1936 on mostly n.h. including 227-228, National Parks complete including souvenir sheets with folders (no #323a), later souvenir sheets, Airpost with n.h. C8 sheet (very fine),Offices in China and Korea including Korea #3, 8, 10, 15, full o.g. on early adhesives, fresh colors throughout.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

2226 */o **Japan Holding,** 7 stock books plus a a collection; stock books overflowing with mint, collection with some better (including a used #C2); great lot of this popular area.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2227 **/* **Japan Souvenir Sheet Group, 1935-56,** all mint souvenir sheet collection on black stock pages in a binder, highlights including Scott #222a New Years sheet of 20, 283a//323a pre-war National Parks complete, 378a, 385a, 422a Beauty sheet of five, 456 Children's sheet of 10, 479a Moon and Geese sheet of five, 498 (footnote), Tiger New Years sheet of five, 521c, 580a, and others, owner's Scott $5700+, fresh and clean, lovely assortment, fine to very fine or better.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2228 */o **Korea Collection, 1884-1903,** mostly mint on early album pages; includes 1884 first issues with 10m mint block, 1895 issues complete both */o with additional, 1900 definitives complete parallel */o issues to the 1wn, similar complete 1902 surcharges and the 1903 Falcon issues complete both */o; nice material throughout, worth review (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2229 o **Kuwait Collection,** used identified on stockpages; includes 1929-37 KGV set complete to the 5r with later singles and sets, QEII multiples, etc. (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

2230 ✉ **Latin America Postal History Group, 1886-1950,** of 45 items; various cover and card usages with countries including Paraguay wrapper usage, 1909 Honduras to England with censor tape, Venezuela registered airmail, 1927 Haiti Aerial Expo cover and other Haiti, interesting 1922 Peru advertising cover with provisional stamps, 1933 multi-franked Salvador registered airmail, and much more; nice group for the specialist of this area.
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

2231 */o **Liechtenstein Collection, 1912-1960,** mint and a few used with much n.h., many both mint l.h. and n.h. and used. We note mint n.h. 2, 3, 2a, 3b, 54a, 68-9, 111-13, 259-60, 264, 284-6 (blocks + single), C1-13, B11-13, 238, blocks of 274-6; 356 noted used, 111-13, 264, C1-6, Mint H 3a, 78-114, 116-31, C1-23, 01-7, 09-20, B1-9; a nice collection with Scott cat over $13,000 (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $2,500 - 3,500

2232 * **Liechtenstein, Collection, 1912-2016,** comprehensive mint collection, virtually complete in the better early issue with the occasional additional mint or used, housed in two hingeless albums; starting with the 1912 & 1915 Johann II sets in duplication, 1921 Views set, the better 1920-30's sets present, **1934 Vaduz Souvenir Sheet n.h**. 1934-35 Views complete including better 5fr high value, later completion as well, airmails and other back-of-the-book appear to be present; hinged mostly in early material with the occasional n.h., also included is stockbook full of new issues, a very nice lot worth inspection.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2233 **/* **Liechtenstein 1912-1918 King Johann II Select Mint Group,** consists of n.h. imperfs of #1 pair; 1a single, 2 strip of 4, 4 pairs, 3 pair, and single, 3b perfed l.h., 4-9 two sets and 4 pair, 6 pair; and 10 pair (gum disturbance spot), very high catalog value, some marginal copies and excellent gum on all, scattered copies with wrinkles or gum crease.
Scott No. **1/10 var.** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

2234 */o **Luxembourg Collection,** substantial all better items, mint and used collection, some neatly mounted on pages, others put into stock cards with cat. #'s and prices. Noted are used 1-2 (2), 4(2), 6, 8-12, 18-25, 29-33, 35-8, 48-69, 82-93, 027, 8,9, 033, 040-2, 047, 073-4, 080-98, mint 4 (2,1 OG), 5 0G, 6 OG, 8-12, 13 OG, 20, 36, 48-59, 55c, 318-20 n.h., 329-31. n.h. blocks, souvenir sheet 82a, 125a, B65A-Q, B45-9 n.h. blocks, 029-35, 044-51, Michel D27II - 34II. Generally, F-VF. Nice clean fresh group. Scott cat $22,600 (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $4,000 - 6,000

2235 o **Federated Malay States Collection,** regular and various States issues identified on stockpages; few regular issues including multiples, Strait Settlements #55 used in Penang, Perlis including $5 high vale, North Borneo 6¢ & 10¢ Occupation issues in quantities including multiples, some Brunei, Labuan including Strait Settlements used in Labuan, North Borneo, Sabah and a little Sarawak including nice imprint strip of 4 used (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2236 ✉ **Malta Related Postal History Group, 1759-1841,** of eight folded letters believed to relate to the business of the Sovereign Military Order of Malta, written within the French/Italian area with various handstamps; interesting collateral group (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2237 ✉ **Malta - Great Britain Used in Malta Covers, 1859-80,** group of nine folded letters/letter sheets to Italy and franked with 2d pairs (2), 2½d, 4d vermilion single rate (4) and 4d double rate (2), all canceled with horizontal oval duplex; few flaws, attractive group (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2238 o **Malta - Great Britain Used in Malta Collection,** well over 100 stamps identified on stockpages; includes S.G. #Z23, Z30 x2, Z34 x3, Z35, Z36 x7, Z38 x20 with many different plate no.'s represented, Z39 x5, Z40 x9, etc. with issue through to Z101, nice showing of the barred "A25" oval types as well as the Malta townmark, many items on piece including pairs; a nice assembly for the specialist (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2239 o/✉ **Malta Collection,** identified on stockpages; includes selection of regular issues from Sc. #8 to some QEII issues, couple dues, selection of used blocks and a 1949 Silver Wedding FDC cover with a Malta lottery sticker on reverse (See website for images).
Estimate. . . . . $75 - 100

2240 * **Manchukuo Collection, 1932-45,** virtually complete mint o.g. collection on black stock pages feat. Scott #1-18, 19-22, 23-31, 83-100, 101-09 etc., owner's Scott $2,500+, clean, fresh and fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2241 */o/✉ **Manchukuo Accumulation,** of mostly covers and in slips and on pages; includes some useful mint issues including Scott #60 block of 28 and some other later multiples, couple dozen of post and postal cards including some Japan, many dozen covers from early issue on including registered, airmail, mix issue frankings, FDC, via Siberia routing to Europe, much commercial mail, etc.; inspection highly recommended (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2242 */o **Manchukuo Local Overprints Collection, 1945-47,** in small stock book classified using the Kerr catalog, 364 town overprinted stamps used after the Japanese surrender are enclosed, of those 284 had been properly identified, and another 84 must be classified, some duplication with majority are mint and good quality overall stamps, with useful bibliography "The Local Overprinted Stamps of Manchukuo" (1945-47) by Allen D. Kr, volume. 1-4: 187 parcel post. (Third printing, January 2000) (Priced at Euros 100.00), + Supplement to the catalog by Hendrick J. Oranje with all the Manchukuo Officially sealed labels.
Estimate . . . . . $600 - 800

2243 o **Mauritius Collection, 1863-1950,** identified on stockpages; selection of issues from Sc #31//265 with later in blocks, also two issues with barred "B65" oval handstamp used at Rodriques Island (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

Mexico

2244 ✉ **Mexico Postal History Group, 1830-1930's,** of 16 items; including early stampless, few classic issues frankings, 1930 card to Switzerland, 1914 Denver issue usage to Arizona, etc.; worth a look.
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

2245 */o/✉ **Mexico Collection, 1856-68,** well formed classic issue collection housed on pages in Linder album; 1856 Hidalgo issues with good ½r issues including strip of 4 Mazatlan & Zacatecas, on cover including Guadalajara strip of 6, 1r issues with many singles and pairs and three nice pairs on cover, nice section of 2r issues, 4r issues with various bisects and quadrisects on cover (several with certs), nice solo on cover usage from Mazatlan, and seven of cover from various districts, 8r with single from Mazatlan and two Zacatecas quadrisects on cover (one with cert), 1861 issues starting with ½r mint block of 6 Queretaro and a nice selection of off cover with good high values including 8r black Apam and 4 8r green singles Mexico, covers including 2r pair with Dilgencias cancels (Schatzkes 830), 4r usage from Orizava, four 4r black bisect usages, two 8r black quadrisects, #38a printed on both sides (with cert), and some nice full face Hidalgo issues with a selection of five different proofs and some nice on cover usages; condition well above the norm throughout, inspection highly recommended (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $4,000 - 6,000

2246 ✉ **Mexico, 1856, First Issue, ½r -4r Hidalgo Group,** of 5 covers, 1 front and 32 very nice choice stamps. Most of these items come from award-winning exhibits and are all very attractive; covers include Zamora, Minatitlan, San Luis Potosi (two 2 reales), Toluca (2r emerald), and Saltillo, stamps include ½r (7), 1r (10), 2r (14), 4r (1). Chihuahua, Campeche, Apam, Huamantla, Xiquillpam, Albarado, Acaponeta (red), Cosamaloapan, etc., 4 ítems with plate cracks and errors (See website for images).
Scott No. **1-4** . . . . . Estimate $600 - 800

2247 o **Mexico - Toluca Group,** 1856 Hidalgos Toluca district with 33 very attractive stamps: ½ r (17), 1 r (12) and 2r (4), includes cancels from Toluca, Temascaltepec, the beautiful Gratis (2), 3 with the stagecoach cancel; NF $982, Scott #1-3.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2248 o **Mexico - Maravatio Group,** with 13 stamps 1856 issue + a front from the tiny town of Tzinapecuaro. It includes cancels from Maravatio, Figueroa, Tzinapecuaro and Zitacuaro. NF $420, Scott #1-3, 3v.
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

2249 */o/✉ **Mexico 19th Century Stock, 1858-99,** housed and identified on a few hundred of stockcards and arranged by Scott #'s; starting with first Hidalgo issue with ½r (Lagos) with Teocaltiche cancel (688), Tampico, Guadalajara and Cordova usages, Veracruz with Amapa cancel (1768), Orizava pair, etc., 1r with a nice showing of mint issues from various districts, Saltillio with scarce cancel (1355), Mazatlan with Culiacan oval (759) and pair with red red boxed cancel (739), few covers, Apam with Otumba straight line, etc., similar 2r issues with used including Tlalpujahua with manuscript cancel, Guadalajara with fancy banner cancel (340), Pachuca with red Mineral de Monte cancel (1131), other usages from Lagos, Acapulco, Mazatlan, Guanajuato and Zacatecas, 4r Mazatlan with double district, second Hidalgo issue including ½r with Maravatio eagle, 4r usage from Mexico, Eagle issues with good items including nice #25a Mexico, Maximilians with #28 Ixtlahuaca mint, #33 mint block with year overprint error, 1867 Hidalgos including #41 needing to be checked (cat $4,000 for genuine), few Gothics, nice showing of full face Hidalgos */o with denomination to the 50c, some better 1872 issue, 1874-81 issues with high values and multiples, useful Medallions and Numerals with scarcer perf issues, ruled paper issues and some attractive cancels; condition varies with much value throughout, inspection recommended.
Estimate . . . . . $2,500 - 3,500

2250 */o/✉ **Mexico Holding, 1874-83,** substantial assembly of mostly 1874 & 1879 Hidalgo issues mostly housed in four albums; some specialization with both issues including proofs, large multiples, varieties, high values needing to be checked, a host of 1874 issues on cover with an array of town cancels, some earlier and later material worth checking; careful examination may prove quite rewarding here.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2251 */o **Mexico Numeral Issue Collection, 1886-1895,** group of 75 different top quality stamps with a virtually complete set according to Scott core listings (except for the 2 peso values), all but 5 stamps are unused, this group is intact from a singles section of a Gold medal exhibit and therefore is carefully selected for centering, freshness and overall quality, includes all three issues (unwatermarked, ledger lines and watermarked) as well as the different perforations (6,12, 6x12) and colors, additionally there are 16 stamps showing all the color shades of the 1c, 2c, 5c and 10c and also 10 mint stamps showing the different rates each denomination was designed for, group comes mostly from the late Joe Bard's magnificent collection and took him 50+ years to assemble; a unique opportunity to acquire a top set of these difficult stamps, Scott cat. $4,588 (See website for images).
Scott No. **174//241** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500

2252 ✉ **Mexico, 1886-1895 Numerals Issue Cover Group,** of 11 covers in select condition from a Gold Medal exhibit; 2 are beautiful advertising covers, 2 have the rare 3c discounted official rate, one is an underpaid 5c to Europe, one has an uncommon 3c + 3c + 4c rate, another is a rare 6c + 1c (4) rate, 2 are registered (one with a rare blue Zacualpam postmark), most important is a full cover from Etla to Oaxaca with 32 stamps of the 5c ledger lines issue + 10 stamps 10c scarlet paying $3.60, one of the largest combinations of the issue.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2253 * **Mexico Mint Sheet and Pane Accumulation, 1894-1979,** mix of various part and full sheets identified in five sheet files; includes regular issues including 1894, 1¢ Numeral sheet of 100 (#238, cat $700), good Sorona issue sheets, #628 sheet of 100, #720 sheet of 50 (cat $775), #865 sheet of 50 (cat $420), #866 sheet of 50 ($420), #914, 918 & 1054-55 sheets (cat $1,500), etc., back-of-the-book with airmail issues including #C16 sheet x2, C19 sheet (cat $650), C47 sheet x2, C64 sheet x2, C73 sheet, C75 x780 in sheet sand blocks, C140 sheet, nice showing of later Exporta issues, etc.; mostly n.h. with the occasional sheet flaw to be expected, owner's cat $15,396.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2254 */o **Mexico Accumulation, 1895-1940's,** of mostly mint issues on album pages and in stockbook with good n.h. throughout, starting with a selection in stockbook with 5p Mulitas n.h. (Sc. 255, cat $300 hinged) and good later regular issues including many mint sets, strong airmails including n.h. C1 & C1a on with many good sets, 1939 2c Sarabia n.h. (cat $800), other good back-of-the-book issues, etc.; worth proper review.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2255 * **Mexico Collection,** in two bulging, full binders; 1000's of stamps in each binder; one binder full of Revenues and unlisted material; includes several early covers; a real treasure trove!
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2256 */o/✉ **Mexico Stock Balance, 1900-40's,** with two very well filled stock books and one large envelope with excellent 1900-1940's stamps and covers; 600+ stamps are mostly unused mint, most o.g and n.h. mounted in individual Showgards and many in multiples, early airmails, almost 100 very nice covers including 1917-1920's official usages fronts from small towns some 1930's-1940's covers bearing high denomination peso value stamps, which are very scarce, envelope contains additional sundry stamps and 3 really pretty official fronts with the 1900's Aguilita issue, also a 1882 10c Juarez imperf complete sheet of 100 (135a).
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2257 * **Mexico Sheet Group,** sheets of 100 that include Medallions and Revolution with Scott #219 12c Medallion, #423, 427 dollar sign issue, #518 {90),519,521 G.P. de M.-Corbata issue, #578, 579, 582 G.P. de M.-Barril issue; unusual to find these as full sheets.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

2258 */o **Mexico Regular Issue Stock,** mostly housed and identified on a few hundred of stockcards and arranged by Scott #'s; includes a useful mixed stock in glassines (owner's cat $3,740) from #1 on, stockcards 20th century material including good */o Sonora issues with many tete-beche pairs, later Civil War issues including Torreon 2c mint, 5c used and 10c mint, Oaxaca issues, 1914-16 overprint issues and later high values, National University issues to the 1p, later high values and Exporta, also includes stockbook filled with gutter multiples, nice overall condition with little faulty in mint.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

2259 ** **Mexico Souvenir Sheet Stock, 1956-68,** in glassines and stockbook; stockbook with sheets from Scott #896a//1189a & C234a//C620a in quantities from 4 to 25, also additional #998a, 1000a, C342a & C344a sheet x130; owners total cat, $14,226.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2260 * **Mexico 1968 Olympics Souvenir Sheet Stock,** large holding of sheets in quantities from 100 to 200+; includes Scott #975a, 983a, 985s, 992a, 995a, C310a, C311a, C320a, C329a, C336a, C338a & C339a; owner's cat $10,392.
Scott No. **975a//C339a** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

2261 */o/✉ **Mexico Exporta Hoard,** approximately 900 covers, rarely found, as well as mint blocks, collection pages of exportas, and hundreds in glassines and stock pages; ideal for creation of a collection or exhibit of Exportas.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

Officials

2262 ✉ **Mexico First Official Mail Postal History,** O1, O3, O4, O7 - Four First Official covers include an O1 Michoacan treasury to Secretary of State in Morelia with the cancel Chilchota (Tay MICH 11/1), dated 1886, O3 cover is from Tepic, with Tepic eagle in an oval marking, sent July 21, 1887, to Mexico D.F., O4 cover is from Tamaulipas district court to G. Obregon in Mexico D.F. sent on March 19, 1894, scarce O7 is on a front from Linares, N.L., sent on October 20, 1894, with manuscript "De Officio" in upper right corner, portion of lower right stamp corner missing; total known O4 covers is less than 14 and the total known O6-O8 covers is less than 7, both the O4 and O7 Officials are unusual on cover.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2263 * **Mexico First Official Hidalgo Medallion Block Group,** rarely seen group of mint blocks of 8 stamps each, with O1 Red showing positions 1-4 & 11-14, the O4 green and O6 blue (block of 4) present being the scarcest mint issues of the First Official stamps, O6 block has perforations of 11 x 11, and 5½ x 5½, First Officials are found to be used frequently but any mint First Official is uncommon.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2264 F **Mail Transportation Official Issue Reference Collection,** well-documented collection of Mulita Official stamps (46) reference study demonstrating variations in overprint lengths, heights, styles, and colors necessary for the collection of this issue.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2265 */o **Mexico Back-of-the-Book Stock,** housed and identified on a couple hundred of stockcards and arranged by Scott #'s; starting with a nice section of Airmail issues with many early mint sets with modest to moderate duplication at times, good Habilitado issues, selection of National University issues mostly used to the 1p, good later including a nice section of Exporta issues, Officials with some good early issues and later high values, good Airpost Officials including #CO3-CO8, overprint variety, scarce CO21 used, CO30a (ex-Koenig), some special deliveries, insured letter, dues and good Yucatan issue; condition a little mixed with nice fresh mint and some attractive used, worth review.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2266 **/* **Monaco Collection, 1891-2013,** mint mostly never hinged in four Lighthouse albums; missing first issue and only a few second issues with completion from 1922 on; nice fresh material throughout, Scott cat $11,363.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2267 o/✉ **Nepal Collection,** identified on stockpages; useful selection of 38 stamps (6 are early imperfs, others range from Sc. #26-165, 1 official), and good 1947 registered cover to Italy with 3-color KGV multiple franking canceled with "British Legation, Nepal" cds's (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

Netherlands

2268 */o **Netherlands Collection, 1852-1997,** mostly mint collection in a clean, well-filled Lighthouse hingeless album, 19th Century mostly used with some early duplication including Scott #1 (4), 2 (6), 3 (2), 4 (6), 5 (4), 6 (2), 9-12, 11, 17-22, 31-33 etc., much cancel interest, mint mostly NH including Scott #55-68, 69-70, 73-5, 77-82, 83, 90, 94-6, 98, 102-3, 104-5 (LH), 107-09, 194-95, 196-203, 226-43, 302-18, 319-22 (LH), 323-39 etc., excellent semi-postals Scott #131-35, B9-24, B33-53, B58-80, B92-145, B144a-145a souvenir sheet, B148-372, etc. C1-3, C6-9, then solid 1962-97 with souvenir sheets, paper and perf varieties, se-tenants, etc., owner's Scott $12,800, outstanding collection, fine to very fine or better.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

2269 */o **Netherlands Collections Group,** including 1852-1966 mint and used in a Lindner hingeless album, plus duplicate collection of mainly used on Safe hingeless pages to 1950, also two Davo hingeless albums, one mostly full predominately used and another with 1852-88 issues and back of book, and last but not least a varied collection on Safe hingeless pages, rounding it out is a comprehensive back-up stock with plenty of 19th Century and odds and ends throughout, 19th Century mostly used, 20th Century mostly mint with some NH, including semi-postals, souvenir sheets with Legion B144a-45a, airs, dues, etc., five volumes in all, careful inspection recommended as there is good value throughout, generally fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $600 - 800

2270 **/* **Netherlands Mint Collection,** mounted on Scott pages to 1970, 1st three issues mostly used (#6 mint), after that mint (#86 used), with #52-54, 1913 Issue complete mint, 1923 issue on mostly complete mostly mint, scattered syncopated perfs, later period all n.h., Semis complete B4 on virtually all n.h., Airs complete except C6, C8 n.h. (C13-14 hinged), 1921 Marine Insurance o.g., some Dues, Officials complete mostly used, very fresh throughout, some h.r. on earlier adhesives.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

2271 * **Netherlands and Colonies Collection, 1852-1950's,** substantial mint and used collection of mainly only better items on album pages and many already broken down on stock cards with Scott or NVPH numbers and prices. First page has complete used with duplicates including 1-3 (4), 12(2), 33(2), 40-53(2). 90-100, 104-5, 226-43, 346-9, 08 also many good like 12 n.g., 22, 29, 162-3 n.h., 185c n.h., 190a n.h. and other syncopates n.h. ($435), 226-43, 08. n.h. strips of 194, 327, n.h. blocks of 314 (8). 326 + more, NVPH INI (€400), 2 (€250), both n.h.; Netherlands Indies used 1, 2, 13c, 2489 mint 151-7 Antilles mint 174-87, 208-29, C18-32 (2, n.h.) C32A-50 n.h. B10 -14 n.h. blocks of 6 NVPH Airmail 18-26 (€320), used J1-10, Suriname mint 184-207 C9-14, J1-8, J15-16. occasional small faults in earlies but most F-VF throughout, and a desirable holding. Cat 19,235 (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $3,000 - 4,000

2272 * **Netherlands Colonies Collection, 1873-2004,** mainly mint comprehensive attractive collection including Curaçao 1873-1948 with airpost and postage dues, also Netherlands Antilles 1949-2004 in three Ka-Be hingeless albums, nearly complete for the period including mint Scott #12, 30-44, 75-81, 5G used, 1934 tercentenary complete mostly used, airmail virtually complete, and other back of book, NH starts about 1970, also Surinam 1963-75 in a Davo hingeless album, clean well worth inspection, fine to very fine or better.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2273 **/* **Netherlands Colonies Mint Collection,** mounted in Scott album to 1964, all Colonies well represented, mostly complete sets from 1940's on, Indies and Antilles Semi-postals complete, New Guinea complete, Surinam mostly complete (Semi-postals complete, Airs complete except #C19), all countries with back-of-book, etc., excellent freshness throughout.
Estimate . . . . . $600 - 800

2274 ✉ **Netherlands Indies Postal Stationery Collection,** 151 covers mostly mint and includes some Indonesia; Very Fine; great lot for the specialist.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2275 ✉ **Nicaragua Cover Group, 1799-1932,** 10 selected covers from pre-stamp to airs, includes early Leon and Granada colonial period, 1901 5-color franking from Bluefields, 1907 registered with provisional issues, 1906 Legation mail from Rome, 1932 First Day airmail, etc.; all *ex-Moorhouse*.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2276 */o **Norway Collection, 1856-1945,** powerful mint and used "All Better Items" collection neatly put up on sales cards, ideal for internet or show dealer (as the work is done)! Or for the collector looking to fill in the tough spaces. We note mint 4, 9, 10 block (3 n.h.), 15, 22-31, 24, 24a, 27-8, 44a, 47-58, 57a, 59-61, 64-6, 89 block n.h., 94 n.h. (3 with LL corner sheet margin Single and LR sheet margin pair with insc., 95 n.h., 145-8 n.h. blocks, 207-18 (50 ore signed), B1-3 n.h., B24 corner margin block n.h. mint single, J1-12. Noted used 1 (2 VF, one S.O.N. Tromso cds) 6, 7, 10, 10a, 11-15, 11a, 13a, 19a (2), 20 (2), 21 (3), 28, 41 VF, 59-61, 64-8 VF, 215 XF, B1-3, B24, J12 block. Great quality with most VF (but a few mint n.g. priced at 1/2). Used with socked-on-the-nose cds. A choice holding, the value of which is supported by the avid collectors of a prosperous nation! You will not regret keeping your hand up on this one. Cat 22,148 (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $5,000 - 7,500

2277 * **Papua New Guinea Area Collection, 1901-78,** on stock sheets with Territory of New Guinea and Deutsch-New-Guinea with a total of 450 stamps (Mint or MNH:78 %) of those 43 stamps are slight, almost imperceptible ling boats (1901-1931) including a complete M set (SG) and air mail, numerous complete sets and modern souvenir sheet. Owner's catalog per SG 2017: £1421 ($1,767).
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2278 */o **Peru Revenue Collection, 1866-1933,** neatly presented and identified on handmade pages in binder; appears to exceptionally complete starting with 1866-92 Document issues including many high value present and state issues, Impuestos issues to 1933 including many overprint issues present, nice showing of Timbre Fiscals, nice run of Pro-Desocupados, Customs, Bultos, Consular Service, Tobacco, Maritime Passage, Mining, interesting section of Official Seals, Telegraph and a holding of ancillary material.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2279 */o **Poland Collection, 1860-1974,** pretty complete collection in Scott albums, includes an attractive #1, Very High retail.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2280 */o **Poland Collection, 1915-2021,** comprehensive mint and used collection in mounts on Scott Specialty pages in four binders, good selection of early issues including strong Occupation, 1970-2021 primarily mint NH and highly complete including souvenir sheets, also semi-postals, airs, postage due, officials, etc. to 1988, useful collection, fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $600 - 800

Portugal & Colonies

2281 */o **Portugal Collection, 1853-1950,** excellent mint and used collection (some both mint and used of which one section is neatly mounted on Minkus pages, and other better items are in cards with amt #s and values. There is a high degree of completion with used 3, 5 - 109, 146, + Michel 43 x b (€160), 47xaB (€320), 47x, BC (€420), 61c, Mint 9 signed Schlegel, 7a n.g., 23 n.g. signed Diena, 16, 31 signed, 97-109 n.g., 106, 127, 193-8, 199-206, 298u, 398-421, and then 529 on complete thereafter including good sets, also Michel 217cy signed. Souvenir sheets complete + extras + mint never hinged like 58ba, 614a, 747-8, 784-91 pairs, 824-7 Scott but 2b, 39 (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $3,000 - 4,000

2282 */o **Portugal Collection, 1856-1959,** lovely mostly mint collection in two Lindner hingeless albums, 19th Century mint and used, 20th Century nearly all mint NH from 1934-59 with all souvenir sheets Scott #586a, 594a, 602a, 614a, 657a, 667a, 670a 682a etc., other NH including #9 (signed 3x), 12-14, 199-226, 398-421, 422-36, 437-52, 453-89, 528-33, 561-73, 575-602, 605-14, 615-31, 650-57, 675-701, 702-10, 711-36, 747-48 and more, also o.g. #26, 147-54, 207//222 (feat. 217 and 220), 237, 298P, 377-97, and 534-39, outstanding collection, worth inspection, fine to very fine or better.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2283 */o/✉ **Portugal & Colonies Hoard,** large holding mostly filling two large boxes; from early issues to modern and includes the better Portugal souvenir sheets, stock of classics, booklets, postal stationery, seals, FDC's, and much more; inspection a must for full evaluation.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2284 */o **Portugal & Colonies Collection, 1900,** Compania de Mozambique & Nyassa in stock album (16 pages) (Sc.# 1-206) with a total of 548 stamps (MH or MNH: 65.5%) with some repetition, owner's cat. $478 + Nyassa (56 stamps) cat 158; total cat. $635.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

2285 */o✉ **Portugal & Colonies Postal Stationery Hoard,** a massive holding of thousands completely filling two large boxes; from early items to modern, strong showing of postal cards mostly identified by H&G numbers, unchecked for better, with duplication to be expected; a excellent opportunity for the Portugal stationery specialist, inspection a must.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2286 */o **Portuguese Colonies Group,** in small stockbook; includes Portuguese India (Sc.32//610), 1875-1962, total stamps 298 (MH or MNH: 69.4%), owner's cat $984, Timor (Sc.11//433) 1887-1973 with numerous complete series, total stamps 251 (MH or MNH: 55.7%) owner's cat. $841, St. Thomas and Prince Island (Sc. 5//505a) 1877-1979, total stamps 167 (MH or MNH: 89.2%), some repetition, added and not counted 85 stamp CTO, numerous thematic series not catalogued, owner's cat. $115, with total cat $1,440.
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

2287 */o **Angola Collection,** on album leaves (24 pages) (Sc. # 3//603a) with a total of 606 stamps (MH or MNH: 62 %). Fine to Very fine. Numerous complete series Owner's cat. Scott $1,056.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2288 */o **Mozambique Collection, 1877-1989,** on album leaves (Sc. # 1//969) with a total of 617 stamps (MH or MNH 48.3%) with numerous complete series, almost no repetition, Fine to Very fine, owner's cat. per Scott 2023: $744.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

2289 */o **Russia Collection, 1865-1990,** large Scott International album, mixed mint & used, the album is jammed full of stamps with some duplication, no great rarities here, but much useful material is present, worth careful inspection.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2290 * **Russia Collection, 1950-61,** nearly complete for period (including Souvenir Sheets) Mint, neatly hinged on homemade pages in Scott Album; uniformly beautiful condition; Scott catalog for n.h. is $6600!
Estimate . . . . . $600 - 800

2291 ✉ **Russian Post Offices Abroad Cover Collection,** extensive assembly of well over 160 covers and cards written up on pages; starting with Offices in China with three usages from Peking including usage to Paris and uprated Russia 20k postal entire to Germany, 8 Tien-Tsin usages with various card usages and commercial cover to Switzerland, four Shanghai items including registered cover to Denmark, three usages from Chefoo including impressive 6-color franking on registered cover to U.S. (faulty but rare, ex-Robbins), 4 Hankow usages including letter card and uprated entire, 3 Post Arthur items, etc., section of Chinese Eastern Railway usages with several ex-Casey items, substantial Russian Levant section with a host of usages from Smyrna with good registered usages, Chios, Salonika, Mount-Athos including couple custom forms, Mersina, Beirut & Jaffa, Bukhara with several commercial usages including registered, nice section of Transcaspian Railway usages, Kharbin with some unfranked usages, Manchuli with rail cancel (discovery example of marking), money letter Tien-Tsin to Khabarovsk with Pogranichnaya censor, Kharbin including field post & hospital postmarks, etc., also includes a section of mint Levant stationery, Constantinople with some early stampless including disinfected, 1866 Russia 10k used in Constantinople, later wrapper usage, also some usages from Lithuana, and early Lativa items including later forerunner, etc.; a strong postal history collection of this area with many items ex-Wortman, Casey, Maslowski, Robbins and others, inspection highly recommended (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $15,000 - 20,000

2292 ✉ **Russian Offices in the Turkish Empire Cover Group, 1860-1910's,** of 17 covers mostly franked with Russian Office issues; nice showing of the 1868-90 Numeral issues including usage to Belgium, later surcharge issues including multiple, registered including 10pi on 1r pair franking, mixed issue franking, etc.; many scarce items, worth review.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2293 */o/✉ **Ryukyus Holding,** lot consisting of a collection, a dealer's stock and a group that includes pre-stamp (Japanese stamps) covers; very interesting lot that should be inspected.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2294 ✉ **Scandinavia Dealer's Cover Stock,** attractive dealer's stock of Scandinavia material of around 600 covers from Norway (60 covers), Finland (70), Denmark (140), Sweden (230), Greenland (30), and Iceland (80). Mostly commercial mail with a few philatelic and FDC's, all are sleeved and priced, dealer's reasonable retail prices are over $12,000, generally very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

2295 * **Scandinavia - Greenland & Iceland Collection,** attractive and comprehensive Greenland collection 1905-2021 virtually complete mint NH collection in mounts on Scott Specialty pages in a binder, including 1945 Liberation of Denmark overprint issues complete NH (with normal overprints), semipostals, many souvenir sheets and mint and used 1905-37 bear parcel post issues nearly complete, also Iceland collection 1961-2020, lovely virtually complete mint NH collection in mounts on Scott Specialty pages in a binder, including souvenir sheets with regular and commemorative issues only, two very wonderful collections, generally very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2296 * **Seychelles Collection,** various issues identified on stockpages; includes seven Mauritius issues used in Seychelles with scarce S.G. Z22, various used regular issues occasional in modest quantities Sc. #1//212 including later multiples with #J1-J8 blocks, and a nice section of town cancels; useful group (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

2297 */o/✉ **Soviet Area Group,** including Estonia, Latvia, etc. in box; includes many interesting items like 23 Zemstovs and early Russian covers; inspection sure to surprise on this Old Time lot!
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2298 */o **Spain Collection, 1850-1958,** marvelous mint and used collection neatly laid out in a Lighthouse hingeless album. Much of 19th century is used (2, 3, 7, 16, 23, 20, 40, 42, 19 block of 9, 72 XF block of 4, 220) but later is all mint, as are a few big earlies as well. We note mint (with n.g. counted at ½), 4, 25, 39, 49, 53, 58, 70 n.g., 84, 189, 210, 221, 282, 331-44 plus 25d dark blue unissued, 373-85 (+E6), 605A-G, 606-14 n.h., 617 n.h. signed, 654-5 n.h., 690-705 n.h., 776-9, B1-63, B64-73 n.h., B108Ac, Cd n.h. B108K n.h., B109-22, B137-8n.h., C12-17 n.h., C88-9 n.h., C97, C144-5, C127-30 n.h., CB8-17 n.h., CB18 (2, 1 n.h.), E3b block of 6 n.h. plus Edifil 741s mint n.h. imperf block (€624) A fine opportunity to acquire a substantial holding of this ever undervalued country which continues to be difficult to acquire, especially the kind of premium items found here, Cat 51,556 (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $10,000 - 15,000

2299 * **Spain Collection, 1864-1981,** well-filled collection in seven pristine Lindner hingeless albums, mostly complete sets start around 1916 with a few earlier, but mainly a 20th Century collection, highlights including Scott #406-14, 491-500, C62-67, CO1-O6, O20-29, 602-03 imperf pairs, 605G submarine souvenir sheet, 623-34, 668-77, 678-89, 776-79, C127-30, B1-13, EB1, B14-18, CB1-5, B47-54, B55-63, B108 A, E, J, K, L, C6-11, C12-17, C97 signed Roig, C123-24, C145, CB6 etc., owner's Scott $10K, fresh, fine to very fine better.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2300 */o **(Spanish Administration) Cuba Collection, 1856-90,** on album pages with a total of 132 stamps (61M, 71 U) with very nice cancels between Sc. No. 1//150, plus one cover from Cuba to Ordunia, Spain, date inside June 6, 59, affixed with Sc. 12, with faded oval network postmark and written: 'Par vapor"La Cubana", with transit blue round postmark London JY 2 (18)59. Enclosed answer letter; owner's cat. per Scott 2018 $2,700.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2301 ✉ **(Spanish Administration) Cuba Postal History Group, 1883-95,** of 7 covers and postal cards; all sent abroad including multi-franking, uprated cards, maritime, 2 advertising covers; all in nice condition, all *ex-Moorehouse*.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2302 */o **(Spanish Administration) Cuba Collection,** interesting 2 volume collection; lot volume packed with 1000's on pages including very nice group of early material; 2nd volume appears to be unlisted, Revenues and other early material from the 1800's; seldom offered.
Estimate . . . . . $600 - 800

2303 * **Straits Settlements Collection,** used issues identified on stockpages; with QV issues from Sc. #1//91, KEVII #92//154 & some later (95 stamps), plus selection of blocks and a Australian air letter to Kuala Lumpur; some modest duplication (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

2304 */o **Sweden Collection, 1855-1943,** powerful concise collection of mint + used with high degree of completion for the period including the famous Vernamo 55 ore and 80 ore (90.92 mint n.h. signed) plus many others including mint 1 reprint, 6, 8, 12, 14 n.g., 33, 46, 48, 52-66, 145-88 with/ varieties of paper + colors by Facit 197-228 but for 202, 229 (white paper sk3600, 248-62 n.h., B1-10, 11 n.h., C5, K1-22 (J7 used). Used noted: 2c. 2d, 3 and 4, 248-62 with certs + S.O.N. C25, 7a (2). 7c, 13b, c, 55, 37, 2X1-2. Also, Facit vars 1941 5 Kr with 2 pairs showing perf 3 and 4 sided sk 6600 at ½ n.h. price. Generally excellent quality with many used with/ socked-on-the-nose cds which bring huge premiums in Scandinavia. Cat 37, 284 (with n.g. counted at ½) (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $7,500 - 10,000

2305 o **Sweden Collection, 1855-1919,** interesting collection on quadrille and black pages in a binder, including shades, varieties, cancels, some useful reference notes interspersed throughout, better items including Scott #4a, 4e, LX1 with Slavomir Kaiser Danish certificate, LX2, 6a, 7a, 7b, 13d, 15, 34c, B11, B12-31, J1-11, O1-11 plus shades and more, great lot for the specialist, owner's Scott $13,700+, condition varies, generally fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2306 */o **Switzerland Collection, 1850-1950,** substantial mint (mostly n.h.!) + used collection on Scott Specialty pages, augmented by an excellent portion with varieties and blocks presented in stock cards with Cat # and price. Noted here are mint 73a pair n.h., 81, 82c, 87, 88b, 111, 126-45, extra 141 n.h., 181-5, 200-3 n.h., 226 n.h., 244-6 n.h., PAX set n.h., B2-5 n.h., BI05 n.h., B206 n.h., C1 n.h., I01-8 (n.h. but for 7 ½¢) II 02, 6, 7, 10, 19-23, 26-7, 35, III O15, 16, 18, 22, 25-6, + good 1950 officials complete n.h., used including 6VF, 7a VF, 11,30, 31, 35, 91-2, 202b, 226, B80, B116, B119, C1-2, II 056, III O24-5, 37, also tête bêche + straight edge-tenants like 152a, Zum k26z, 23, s43-6, ZUM WII used. Of special note are mint officials rarely encountered in other than CTO used condition. Generally, VF throughout with occasional small faults counted at ½ normal price. Quite an impressive holding containing seldom offered material! Worth serious consideration. Cat over 44,900 (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $7,500 - 10,000

2307 */o **Switzerland Collection, 1850-2021,** comprehensive mint and used collection in mounts on Scott Specialty pages in two binders, first volume contains regular and commemorative issues, with some souvenir sheets primarily NH and quite complete from 1961 onward, second volume including semipostals, some airmail and back of book issues, clean, worthwhile and fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2308 */o **Turkish Cyprus Accumulation,** mint and used of many thousands sorted and identified in envelopes you can't see into, the majority are from the 1980's and 1990's with duplication sometimes up to a 100, many complete sets, clean group.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2309 */o **Turks & Caicos Collection,** mostly mint complete to #118 (scattered after that to 1969), in stockbook, few shades, War Tax complete plus MR3a, etc. also scattered used, o.g., lightly hinged (some n.h. including later sets), excellent selection and all fresh. Scott No. 1-118 $1,750.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2310 ** **Ukraine New Issues,** circa 1996-2000, 100's of singles, blocks and Souvenir Sheets apparently all different and Never Hinged comprising the New Issues of the period complete; Enormous Retail! o.g., never hinged.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2311 *❒ **Vatican Collection, 1929-2016,** virtually complete collection in 5 Albums; nearly all NEVER HINGED including the 1934 Overprints (complete with Raybaudi certificate and some signed); a beautiful collection.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2312 **/* **Vatican Collection, 1929-78,** virtually all NH collection in a Lindner hingeless album, the rare Scott #35-40 surcharges are o.g. and signed A. Diena, all other stamps are NH and generally complete for the period including definitives, commemoratives, souvenir sheets, semi-postals, airs, postage due and parcel post, excellent opportunity here, fine to very fine or better.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2313 ✉ **Vatican Cover Stock,** neat and attractive dealer's cover stock of 130 items ranging from the 1930's to the 1950's, mostly commercial postal history types with a few philatelic usages, all are sleeved and priced with a total retail of $3,100, generally very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2314 * **Zululand Mint Collection,** virtually complete mounted on quadrille page, missing only #22, 24 for completion. #11 full o,g, but small thin, #23 full o,g, #14, 16 used, also mint variety #12a, mostly fresh colors including the better singles, rarely seen collection, owner's cat $2,413.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

Worldwide Collections & Accumulations

2315 ✉ **Worldwide Cover Stock,** several thousands by categories such as Zeppelins and Airmails, War and Military, Europe, France, Germany, British Commonwealth, Czech, French (and other) Colonies, Better covers, Canada, Asia, Russia, Australia & New Zealand, etc., all are sleeved and priced most in the $20-$200 range, most bought as single lots in various European, South American, and U.S. auctions over the last 30 years by a compulsive buyer, includes many Zeppelin and airmail flights, first flights, Expositions, early classics as France #2, #7, and N13 single uses, Parma, Modena, Roman and other Italian States, Great Britain and Belgium early covers, Indo-China, Senegal, Somali Coast, AEF, etc., including Concentration camp mail, Dachau, Buchenwald, Sachsenhausen, etc., Liechtenstein 1-3, nice Czech including 1919 overprints, Scout mail, Russia WW1 & WW2 POW and censored, Germany WW1 & WW2 POW and censored into and from various Stalags, plus much more; ideal lot for show or internet dealer.
Estimate . . . . . $10,000 - 15,000

2316 * **Worldwide Collection, 1840-1940,** two large Scott International albums, mixed mint & used, the album is jammed full of stamps with some duplication, no great rarities here, but much useful material is present, a valuable collection worth careful inspection.
Estimate . . . . . $7,500 - 10,000

2317 */o **Worldwide Dealer's Estate,** an outstanding dealer's inventory in 85 small binders, both mint and used with singles, sets, blocks and souvenir sheets, nice mix of 19th and 20th century material present, all neatly identified and cataloged, a few of the better countries of areas include British Commonwealth, Canada, Denmark, France & Cols, German Area, Italy, Iceland, Japan, San Marino, Vatican and much more, the condition is mixed, however this is a very valuable lot worth careful inspection (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $7,500 - 10,000

2318 */o **Worldwide Collection,** large 30-volume collection housed in Scott International albums (8 large boxes), from early classic issues into to the 1970's with virtually every country represented; includes good representation in early issues with later completion and back-of-the-book with some countries with due varieties, revenues and other unusual miscellany, includes Portugal and colonies, G.B. and British Commonwealth nicely represented, similar France & Colonies, South & Central America, Asian countries, Italian Area, European countries all represented including colonies including Belgium, etc.; tens of thousands of issues with no rarities but useful to good issues throughout, condition mixed mostly confined to early issues, please inspect for full evaluation.
Estimate . . . . . $7,500 - 10,000

2319 F **Worldwide Fakes & Forgeries,** a magnificent lot of 6 large binders in 2 Bankers Boxes with hundreds of stamps with certificates; all bad or questionable to some degree! A seldom offered lot from an old time stamp dealer!
Estimate . . . . . $5,000 - 7,500

2320 */o **Worldwide Collection, 1840-1955,** mint and used collection in 7 Scott International albums, 3 for 1940 to 1955 (these a little sparse) and 3 for 1840 to 1940, the early books being better and containing over 75% of the value. Strength here is not just the usual European countries alone (though there is some value there, even occasional classics) but focused in British, French, Italian + Dutch colonies, Japan, Thailand, other Asia, bit of Hawaii, Latin America, Eastern Europe, especially Russia. There are good numbers of 10- to 100-dollar range items scattered throughout with complete and part sets, fair amount of mint & used. Cat value will exceed $50,900 (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $5,000 - 7,500

2321 */o **Worldwide Collection,** housed in Scott Junior International with issues to 1933; incredibly complete starting with U.S. classics with better issues, Banknotes with high values, Columbians to the $1 and useful,to good later issues, back-of-the-book with revenues, foreign issues with virtually every pages complete including Austria with difficult back-of-the-book issue complete, British Commonwealth issues all present with much mint, G.B. from #1 on, German States equally present with issues trending to used, South American countries with some early classics present, Portuguese Colonies impressively complete, some good China with some early issues, French & Italian areas wonderfully complete for the album of course missing the rare material with some better dotted throughout, etc.; an impressive virtually complete Scott Junior International collection, inspection a must to truly appreciate.
Estimate . . . . . $4,000 - 6,000

2322 */o **Worldwide Stock,** mix of mint and used singles and sets identified and cataloged on stockcards, mostly good to better issues starting with Australia with good later sets, A.A.T. issues with some sets in duplication, Austria with good used airmail sets, Argentina with good Buenos Aires issues, early Brazil */o, good Cape of Good Hope triangles mostly used, Shanghai issues with a couple large dragons, Ecuador airmail and officials, Great Britain with #1 used x2, B.E.A. high values with fiscal cancels, useful Canada and Newfoundland with some nice centered early issues, mint Israel and Italian sets, mint Hong Kong from early better QV issues and later sets, good Ireland, Japan from early issue used and mint 1900 on with some duplication, Korea with a few early issues amid dubious and some nice later, mint Luxembourg, useful New Zealand, Russia, Spain and strong section of Vietnam; condition varies mostly confined to early issues with lots of good items throughout, worth proper evaluation.
Estimate . . . . . $4,000 - 6,000

2323 */o **Worldwide Collection, 1840-1960,** mint and used collection in 8 Scott international album 3 for 1840-1940 and 5 for 1940 to 1960, all well stacked with a useful range from every corner of the globe with Europe + Colonies, Americas, East Europe, especially Russia, Japan and other Asia. Most of the value lies within the 3 early books which are also a little more well filled with great value in 5 to 50 range items, including mint sets, primarily with F-VF condition. Cat value sure to exceed $37,700. (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $4,000 - 6,000

2324 */o **Worldwide Collection, 1860-1990's,** this lovely 11 volume collection was formed by a zoologist who clearly really enjoyed her stamps and their connection to her life's work as a university professor. The stamps here are as diverse as their subject matter and one will find animals here that they have never seen before, much less on a stamp, but our collector probably knew of and loved them all. Issues are arranged according to species and represent a lot of exotic countries and not just Africa, though these countries are certainly well represented, but also less often seen like North Borneo and Labuan, early Liberia, plus Asian and Latin American areas, Atlantic, Greenland, East Europe, etc. This colorful lot is a pleasure to view, and also contains 2 red boxed with mint sets still awaiting mounting in albums and these include many complete sets including definitions with high values and often are duplicated with many attractive items here as well, with 5- to 60- range items abounding throughout, much never hinged. One album contains dozens of die proofs, many signed by the artist with French cols predominating here. Cat value here sure to exceed $22,700- all of it fresh, clean, most never hinged. (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $4,000 - 6,000

2325 */o **Worldwide Holding,** box full of better complete sets and individual values; nice condition; an excellent lot for the dealer or Internet participant; Scott catalog $27,000+!
Estimate . . . . . $3,000 - 4,000

2326 */o **Worldwide Better Accumulation,** of thousands of better foreign sets, singles, and souvenir sheets purchased at various auctions over many years by a compulsive but selective buyer, some are on black stock cards and identified with current catalog value but the vast majority are still in glassines or their original packaging without current CV information, one small group of 25 stock cards has items with CV of $16,000+, but many valuable stamps await proper listing, strong in British Commonwealth, Europe, Canada (with imperfs), and other countries, these stamps range mainly from the classic period through the 1940's; Total CV will be huge, perhaps in the mid-five figures, many hours of pleasure await the buyer.
Estimate . . . . . $3,000 - 4,000

2327 */o **Worldwide Collection, 1940-1990,** large collection of 31 Scott International albums in seven large cartons, mixed mint & used, sparse in some areas, however much useful material is present, noted is some interesting China-People's Republic including #938-948 used, worth inspection.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2328 */o **Worldwide Selection,** 2 small books of choice and unusual items; includes nice used Finland #58, etc.; Scott catalog $12,000-13,000; should be inspected to be appreciated.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2329 ✉ **Worldwide Better Cover Accumulation,** of several hundred covers from 19th century through mid-20th century; includes early airmail, Zeppelins, strong Europe, France, Germany, Austria, Czech, also British Commonwealth and other areas, includes Reunion 1842 stampless to France, Iran #904 x2 on Reg'd, censored to NY, Saar B69-73, Norway B1-3, France 246 Le Havre, Swiss B3 solo, France PEXIP 329a-d, Austria C1-3, Tuscany 6, Denmark C1, C3, Trans-Jordan 1939 censored, Morocco Cherifian Post A8, Czech Scout Mail, about 50 stamp postcards, Zieher and similar, used and unused, etc.; excellent with great value for show or online dealer.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2330 */o/✉ **Worldwide Better Group,** with 100's of better worldwide stamps, souvenir sheets, etc. as bought from various U.S. and European auctions in last 20 years, many still on auction lot cards, includes items from 1850's classics period up to about 1940's and 1950's, strong in British, German, Italy, France, Belgium, Switzerland and European areas, including Belgium B34-47 used on cover (cat. $1,048), Greece C42-47 Zeppelins, Swiss B143 and B206, a couple of 1879 G.B. preliminary drawings of designs by De Le Rue, one from a Chalon portrait, both signed and mounted, etc., etc.; very high cat. value here, do allow time for inspection.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2331 * **Worldwide Collection, 1870-1930's,** interesting, all mint collection on hand written Scott pages in 2 specialty albums. This mainly clean mint assemblage seems to have been put together in the 1930-40's by a history and or geography buff who enjoyed learning about the countries he collected, presenting these attractive selections tastefully and neatly. There are scores of decent mint complete sets + singles or part sets in 10- to 700- + range with strong Canada with some good admirals, complete airmails, $1 parliament and $1 Mr. Cavelle sets complete (both sadly n.g. but attractive) and more. Most others here are o.g. + fresh with good Netherlands semi-postals, Germany 3rd Reich era, Russia, Romania, Scandinavia, France, Italy, Switzerland, Latin America + some loose covers + US. Well worth the attention. Cat value will well exceed $10,500 (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

2332 */o **Worldwide Collection, 1880-1960's,** mint & used collection in 6 beautifully written up spring-back quad page albums with a broad range of stamps, covers, multiples, with lots of airmails, all relating to maps or the globe, and all over the globe is where this lovely collection comes from with Europe, America's, colonial entities with a very tasteful and well executed write up with great value in items of $5-50 dollars each, with many nice surprises, Cat value to well exceed $9,000 (See website for images).
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

2333 */o **Worldwide Accumulation,** mostly mint stockcards; hundreds of mostly mint sets; condition is exceptional; ready for a dealer; an enormous retail or Internet value.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2334 */o **Worldwide Accumulation,** from the Stanley Pillar estate; material that was unprocessed after he purchased it! Inspecting hugely rewarded!
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2335 */o **Worldwide Accumulation,** from the Stanley Pillar estate, material that was left unprocessed after he purchased it! Lots to look at here!
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2336 */o **Worldwide Holding,** 5 Bankers Boxes from the Stanley Pillar estate; material that was unprocessed after he purchased it! Inspection a must!
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2337 */o **Worldwide Holding,** from the Stanley Pillar estate; material that was unprocessed after he purchased it! Great lot that needs work!
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2338 ✉ **Worldwide Covers,** the majority are United States; much interesting material for the dealer as this lot is from the Stanley Pillar material that was unprocessed!
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2339 * **Worldwide Mint Issue Stock,** of hundreds of mint sets, better values, etc. on stock cards; a lot bought by Stanley Pillar that was left unprocessed!
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2340 ✉ **Worldwide Cover Accumulation,** dealer's old worldwide and U.S. cover accumulation of over 1000 items, range from the nineteenth century to the 1960's or so, with Registered, Censored, Airmail, Underpaid, Special Delivery, Sea Mail and other different uses, mostly commercial uses with a sprinkling of topicals and FDC's and priced between $10 and $50 with a few higher and a few lower, many smaller countries are included in this grouping, huge variety of countries and usages, all are sleeved and priced with total retail values in excess of $20,000. Generally F-VF.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2341 ✉ **Worldwide Cover Accumulation,** dealer's old worldwide and U.S. cover accumulation of over 1000 items, range from the nineteenth century to the 1960's or so, with Registered, Censored, Airmail, Underpaid, Special Delivery, Sea Mail and other different uses, mostly commercial uses with a sprinkling of topicals and FDC's and priced between $10 and $50 with a few higher and a few lower, many smaller countries are included in this grouping, huge variety of countries and usages, all are sleeved and priced with total retail values in excess of $20,000, Generally F-VF.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2342 */o **Worldwide Souvenir Sheet & Booklet Accumulation,** housed in two binders; mix of countries with the majority of material on the modern side, with better including German Area with 1935 Ostropa sheet mint and used, couple good Thuringa sheets with certs., some Israel, Japan including Parks sheets with folders, DPR, Laos, good Liechtenstein and China, Canada #756a x250, Great Britain booklet hoard and some good cover worth checking; owner's 2013 cat in excess of $10,000.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2343 */o **Worldwide Remainder of Estate,** substantial holding in beautiful preservation; includes a very nice Great Britain QEII mint n.h. collection; a nice Cocos n.h. collection; a seemingly complete n.h. Churchill Omnibus collection; 1980 Olympic n.h. Sheets (including PRC #1582 Sheet of 50, etc.); fantastic lot with very high retail.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2344 */o **Worldwide Collector's Stock,** on dealer cards in two long stockboxes somewhat haphazard with some use to good items throughout; includes mix of U.S. including some early classics, Columbians and other later issues, foreign with strength in German Area including much German States, Italy with States, some France and other European countries including some good Greece, little G.B. and Commonwealth dotted throughout, also includes China worth checking; condition varies with pockets of good material, worth review.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2345 */o **Worldwide Collection,** in 3 albums, up to 1950's-60's; nice Germany, France, Cyprus, New Zealand and very nice Japan; condition is especially fresh and exceptional.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2346 */o/✉ **Worldwide Remainder of Estate,** includes nice U.S. (Panama-Pacific #404 x 5, etc.), early Revenues, U.S. Parcel Post (cat. $585+), etc.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2347 */o **Worldwide Remainder of Estate,** box full of a true remainder of estate; includes a nearly complete 1864 Plating of the 1d Penny Red (#33) except #77 and #225 (Scott $1425); also includes a complete May 3, 1862 original edition of Harpers Weekly Newspaper with front page showing the Civil War "Heroes of Pittsburgh Landing" (Shiloh) pictures regarding the ongoing U.S. Civil War! Interesting lot.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2348 ✉ **Worldwide Cover Accumulation,** huge variety of covers; not a lot of current material so inspection will be amply rewarded.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2349 ✉ **Worldwide Cover Group,** box of a couple hundred covers set aside because of special usages, frankings, etc.; for example a Great Britain 1924 1½d Exhibition issue tied to postcard by beautiful strike Empire Exhibition special cancel; inspection rewarded.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2350 */o **Worldwide Consignment Balance,** housed mostly in stockbooks; includes various stocks including mostly used Berlin (cat $908), use Denmark, Spain and */o China, mint Europe with some better (cat $563), Luxembourg album with useful mint, Canada small queens issues including some nice covers, and a mint Vietnam stock mostly in part sheets (cat $1,755); worth a look.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2351 **/* **Better Mint Items Group,** some priced out for retail, including. Austria n.h. B106-109, Iceland C2 n.h., Vatican C16-17 n.h., Japan 3 National Park souvenir sheets with folders, Germany 9N70-79, 94-98 n.h., Iceland 240-245 n.h., Japan 188 l.h. very fine, etc.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2352 ✉ **Worldwide Postal History Group,** 29 covers/cards; the remainder of the Stanley Piller retail stock; nice variety including Palestine covers, Mexico bisect, etc.; interesting lot.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2353 */o **Worldwide Collection,** housed in Scott International with issues through the 1930's; useful to good issues with strength in Europe and Colonies and some South America, with German States with early issues, Belgium, Canada, Denmark, early France, G.B., Greece, Italy, Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, Russia, Spain, Sweden, etc.; condition mixed mostly confined to early issues, worth a look.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2354 */o **Worldwide Miscellaneous,** one box with misc. including Belgium, Spain, U.N., Canal Zone Stationery & First Day Covers, one small binder of United States V-Mail, etc., not much here but might be worth a look.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2355 */o **Worldwide Collection Balance,** one box of mint and used Worldwide, mixed condition, please inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2356 */o/✉ **Worldwide Consignment Balance,** mix of material including interesting Ecuador revenue & telegraph stamp collection, early 17th century G.B. pamphlets regarding stamp paper, mix of good issues in binder including Canada, some cover including Belgium Congo, etc.; worth a look.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2357 ** **Worldwide Booklets,** Complete booklets; countries include Switzerland, Surinam, Netherlands, etc.; fresh and nice.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2358 */o **Worldwide Revenues and Cinderellas,** box of 100's of unlisted material; many classic Revenues; inspection recommended and will be well rewarded!
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2359 o **Revenue Consignment Balance,** odd mix of material in large box, including U.S. material including state ducks and tax-paids, some foreign issues and a hoard of old cigarette packs bearing revenue issues.
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

Topical Collections

2360 ✉ **Worldwide Polar Cover Stock,** attractive mostly different Polar cover stock of over 1,000 items, these are mostly expedition covers and FDC's with a few commercial uses included, many countries are included especially those that have interests in Antarctica, these would make the basis for a very nice collection; dealer's retail prices are approximately $14,500, Generally very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2361 ✉ **Topical Cover Stock,** large well presented cover stock of 1480 topical items with a wide range of topics, countries, and time periods, there are plenty of Fauna, Insects, Flora, Aviation, Trains, Transportation, Marine Life, Rotary, Medicine, Music, Art and Science, lots of quality material with little duplication, mostly FDC's and other philatelic uses with some good commercial items; owner's retail prices total $18,100, generally very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2362 ✉ **Red Cross Cover Stock,** huge assortment of Red Cross covers comprising more than 700 FDC's and postal history types from a large range of countries and time periods, very attractive and desirable, all are sleeved and priced, owner's retail is over $9,000, Generally very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2363 * **Boy Scout Topical Collection,** mint worldwide collection in six binders, very clean, please inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

Philatelic Literature

2364 **[China] Ke-Shing Chang, P.,** *History of Postal Cancellation of China, Part I-X,* 1989-95, hardbound, 10 volumes, 5,780pgs, an extensive work on the subject, with companion work *A Concise Catalogue of Postal Cancellation of China* (1872-1949) hardbound, 743pgs; light use.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

2365 **[Russia] Skipton & Michalove,** *Postal Censorship in Imperial Russia,* 1989, 2 volumes, hardbound in slipcase, 488pgs; new.
Estimate . . . . . $40 - 60

2366 **Great Britain Specialized Auction Sales,** group of 37 sale catalogs; name sales including J.B. Seymour Part I-V (modern hardbound), Maximus Part I-IV (modern hardbound), Tes, Giamporcaro, G. Ellott, Buranasombati (hardbound), Granger, Dauer, Korman, "G.L." (hardbound), Atkinson, Chartwell Part I-III, Grunin, Wills, Daisy (hardbound), etc., other early catalogs from Harmer and Robson Lowe.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

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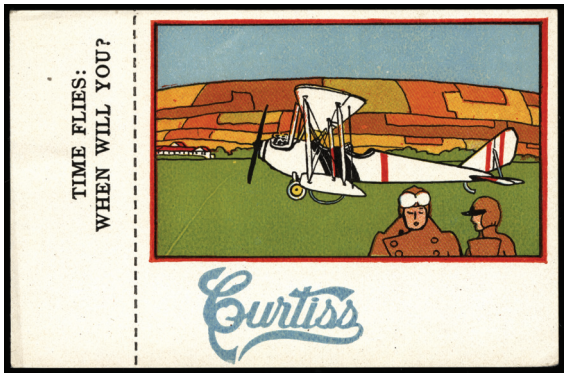














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